PLANT FACT SHEET

Hieronyma macrocarpa Mull. Arg.

GENUS *Hieronyma* **FAMILY** Phyllanthaceae

COMMON NAMES Bigfruit hieronyma

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. The fruit are red when ripe.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants can be grown from seeds. Seeds have a hard seed coat and can be scratched with sandpaper to improve germination.

NOTES

It is also put in the family Euphorbiaceae.

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