PLANT FACT SHEET

Macleania pentaptera Hoerold

GENUS *Macleania* **FAMILY** Ericaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. The branches are 1-3.2 m tall. The leaves are oval and shiny green. They are spread densely along the stems and are heart shaped. The flowers are tube shaped and red to orange with green and white tips. The fruit are white berries.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows between 160-2,250 m above sea level.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown from rooted cuttings.

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