PLANT FACT SHEET

Geissanthus vanderwerffii Pipoly

GENUS *Geissanthus* **FAMILY** Primulaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It can grow 15 m tall. The leaves are large and leathery. They are alternate. The flowers are white or pink. They are at the end of the shoots.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It suits the wet tropics. It grows in the cloud forest. It grows between 2,300-3,400 m above sea level.

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