PLANT FACT SHEET

Ananas lucidus (Lindl.) Mill.

GENUS *Ananas* **FAMILY** Bromeliaceae

COMMON NAMES Wild ananas

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A pineapple family plant. The plant has leaves in a ring. The leaves only have a few spines. The fruit is very juicy.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

PICTURES



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