PLANT FACT SHEET

Etlingera polycarpa (K. Schum.) A. D. Poulsen

GENUS *Etlingera* **FAMILY** Zingiberaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A ginger family herb. The stems are 5 m tall. The leaves are green on one side and purple on the other. The fruit are red and become lighter or orange as they ripen.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It has been collected in Sulawesi in Indonesia.

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