PLANT FACT SHEET

Actinidia callosa var. pubescens Dunn.

GENUS *Actinidia* **FAMILY** Actinidiaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten raw or cooked.

DESCRIPTION

A climber to 7 m long. Male and female flowers occur on separate plants.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It occurs naturally in Yunnan Province in China and to Assam and Malaysia in forests between 2000 - 2500 metres altitude. It suits the wet tropics.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown from seed or cuttings.

NOTES

There are 40-60 Actinidia species. The Actinidiaceae are a mainly tropical family.

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