PLANT FACT SHEET

Solandra maxima (Moc. & Sesse ex Dunal) P. S. Green

GENUS *Solandra* **FAMILY** Solanaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A climbing shrub. It attaches to other plants. It grows 1.6 m tall. The leaves are broadly oval and 14 cm long. They taper tot he tip. The flowers can occur singly or in a group. They are on a short stout stalk. The fruit are oval and smooth and shiny. They are 7 cm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

PICTURES



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