

# Passiflora 'Lovetta'

Registration Number: 240

Registration Date: 2017-09-25

Creator of seed, Grower of original plant: Clay Dove

Parentage: *Passiflora kermesina* x *Passiflora munzii* (not published) (100%)



Flower

## GENERAL INFORMATION

How is it distinctive?	Like <i>Passiflora kermesina</i> but with a larger corona and a flower that stands up to heat better than either parent
Why this name?	After the breeder's mother
Has application been made for patent or PBR, or has the plant had another name?	No
Has it been published?	No
Where grown	In a pot. Texas, Gulf of Mexico Coastal Plain. Humid Subtropical. USDA Zone 9 Altitude 18m
Propagation information	2 clones. Both will be propagated and distributed through established dealers
Culture requirements	Grown back from roots after -2°C, can handle temperatures up to +40°C without any problem. Partial to full sun with medium to high humidity; grows well in a variety of well drained soils.

## DESCRIPTION OF FLOWER

Flower diameter	11.4cm
Peduncle/stalk length	12.7cm
Colour of petals	Intense reddish fuchsia
Colour of sepals	Lower side: green upper: intense reddish fuchsia
Coronal series	6 series in all: 2 outer: light blueish violet on tips, blueish violet banded with reddish violet towards center 3rd: reddish violet tipped with blue 4th-6th:white tipped with reddish violet
Scent description	Slightly sweet
Flowering details	Flowered at 6 months and blooms throughout the year as long as temperature is below 35°C and above 10°C. Produces the most blooms in spring and fall. Flowers are on single long upturned peduncles. Bracts are very small to non-existent, green with no nectaries.
Bracts	



## DESCRIPTION OF LEAVES ETC

Leaf length	7.6cm
Leaf width	11.4cm
Petiole/stalk length	5.1cm
Leaf lobes: number	3
Leaf shape	Medium
If other, give details	3-lobed, largely entire with a few scattered teeth on inside margins
Leaf details	Rich green with maroon veins, flat and smooth
Petiole glands	Cylindrical, 2-4 per petiole, green, staggered along petiole
Stipules	2.5 cm, ovate with a tapering point
Vine	Stem green with maroon, terete, very vigorous