

Passiflora 'Ziying'

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Parentage: *Passiflora serrulata* × *Passiflora maliformis*

Confidence of pollen donor: 100%

Type: Hybrid



GENERAL INFORMATION

How is it distinctive ?

Edible fruit with a very thin pericarp. Red speckles on the sepals and petals, beautiful, almost closed coronal filaments with the outer series projecting outwards

Why this name ?

“Ziying” means purple and attractive in Chinese, just like the flowers

Has it been published, patented or granted PBR ? No

Propagation

Many clones existing

Where was it grown ?

Outdoors in the ground and in a conservatory. Yunnan province, China. Warm and humid climate, 800 - 1200m altitude

What are its cultivation requirements?

Prefers full sun and high humidity. Tolerates high temperatures. For a rich harvest, a loose and fertile soil, a high amount of organic matter and good water drainage is necessary

DESCRIPTION OF FLOWER

Diameter	9cm
Peduncle length	7cm
Floral tube length	3cm
Colour of petals	The upper side is white with many purplish red dots, the underside is white with red dots only at the edges
Colour of sepals	The upper side is white with red dots, the underside is pale green
Coronal series	2 series. The inner series almost entirely encloses the androgynophore, the outer one is shorter and projects outwards. Both are purple, mauve and white banded
Flowering	The first flower appeared after 6 to 7 months. The main flowering season is between March and November. Very floriferous, up to 20 flowers a day on a mature plant.
Bracts	3 very large bracts, broadly ovate, emerald green
Scent	Rich fragrance



LEAVES AND OTHER DETAILS

Leaf length	20cm
Leaf width	13cm
Lobes	1, broad
Petiole length	10cm
Petiole glands	One pair of round glands in the middle of the petiole. Green and purple
Leaf detail	Dark green, leathery and glossy with entire margin. Sometimes there are bilobed and three-lobed leaves
Vine	Glabrous and vigorous
Fruit	Green, yellow when ripe. Almost round, 5cm wide and 6cm long. Black seeds, orange pulp, sweet and sour taste, rich aroma