

TARA VALLEY FACT SHEET



Passionfruit Panama Red

Passionfruit is a much-loved Aussie favourite that no garden should be without. Nurture a slice of the tropics in your own backyard with Panama Red. This passionfruit vine offers lush green foliage, eye-catching flowers and an abundance of red-skinned fruit. The large juicy fruit is sweeter than other traditional varieties and emits a tempting fragrance. The fruit is usually available six months after planting and will continue to thrive throughout the year. Panama Red is best suited to warmer climates and requires a sunny position, close to an upright structure such as a trellis or stake.

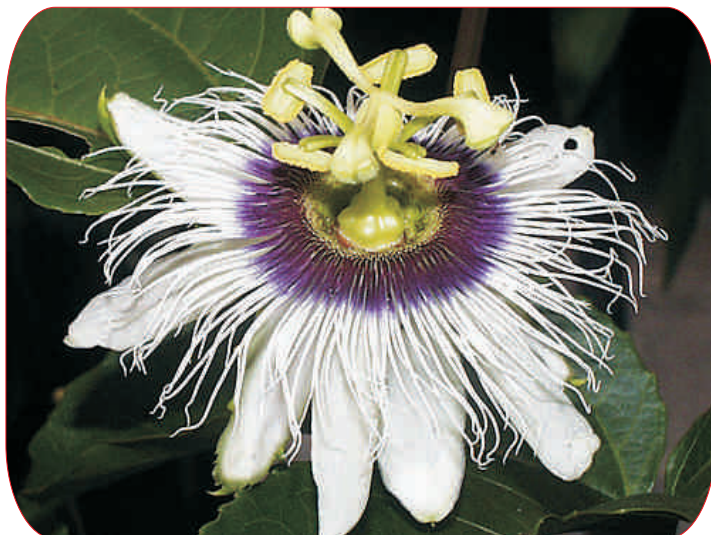
Genus: Passiflora **Species:** flavicarpa

Growing: Prefers full sun in a warm, protected position. Needs a minimum of 7 hours of full sun per day during summer. Fast growing in spring and summer, spreads to 2-3m on each side of plant.

Soil: Well-drained fertile soil.

Water: Requires good watering. Keep soil moist but not wet.

Fruit, Foliage & Flowering Features: A hardy, vigorous evergreen vine with large glossy tri lobed leaves and showy flowers that appear in spring and summer. Abundant provider of large red-skinned fruit, cropping very heavily from autumn through to spring.



Origin: Brazil

Uses: Panama Red requires a strong structure to climb over, such as a fence, water tank, trellis or carport. This ornamental vine will enhance a drab outlook instantly and produces plenty of fruit with seed filled pulp. Pick fruit at full colour and eat fresh or add to beverages and an assortment of recipes.

Maintenance: Train young vines up a strong support. Remove dead foliage and cut back any side shoots that touch the ground. Responds to regular fertilising in spring and summer.



Height



Width



Culinary Uses



Flowering



Sun



Medium Water

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