Passiflora maliformis

**System:** Terrestrial

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**Common name**
- katinga (Maori), Sweet Calabash (English), conch apple (English), hard-shelled passionfruit (English), pomme calabas (French), pasio (Samoan), curuba, granadilla de hueso (Spanish), vaine kai, vaine (Tongan), ka ‘atene (Maori), parapoutini ‘enua (Maori)

**Synonym**

**Similar species**

**Summary**
Passiflora maliformis is a vine native to the Caribbean, Venezuela, Colombia and Northern Ecuador and has been introduced across the Pacific islands, including Pitcairn islands, American Samoa, Fiji, Hawaii, French Polynesia, Cook Islands, Tonga and New Caledonia. It preferentially grows in cool areas at altitudes up to 1500 metres, but is not restricted to these altitudes.

[view this species on IUCN Red List]

**Principal source:**

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**ALIEN RANGE**

[1] FRENCH POLYNESIA

[2] PITCAIRN

[1] REUNION

**BIBLIOGRAPHY**

9 references found for *Passiflora maliformis*

**Management information**
SUMMARY: This compilation of information sources can be sorted on keywords for example: Baits & Lures, Non Target Species, Eradication, Monitoring, Risk Assessment, Weeds, Herbicides etc. This compilation is at present in Excel format, this will be web-enabled as a searchable database shortly. This version of the database has been developed by the IUCN SSC ISSG as part of an Overseas Territories Environmental Programme funded project XOT603 in partnership with the Cayman Islands Government - Department of Environment. The compilation is a work under progress, the ISSG will manage, maintain and enhance the database with current and newly published information, reports, journal articles etc.


SUMMARY: This database compiles information on alien species from British Overseas Territories. Available from: http://www.jncc.gov.uk/page-3660 [Accessed 10 November 2009]

General information


