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Passiflora cinninnata

[Synonyms : *Passiflora cinninnata* var. *imbricata*, *Passiflora corumbaensis*, *Passiflora perlobata*]

CRATO PASSION FRUIT is a climbing vine. Native to Brazil, Bolivia and Paraguay it has violet flowers.

It is also known as *Bombolla* (Venezuelan), Crato passion vine, *Maracujá-tubarão* (Portuguese), *Pachis* (Venezuelan), *Parcha criolla* (Venezuelan), *Parcha de monte* (Spanish), and *Parchita de monte* (Spanish).

This vine with its orange-yellow fruit is cultivated as an ornamental plant.

Medicinally, local herbalists recommended parts of the vine for a mouthwash to ease painful throats.