

A CASE OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY

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Piperaceae
-peppercorn



Schinus terebinthifolius or *molle*
Pink Peppercorn



Tasmannia lanceolata
pepperberry
Australian
pepperberry



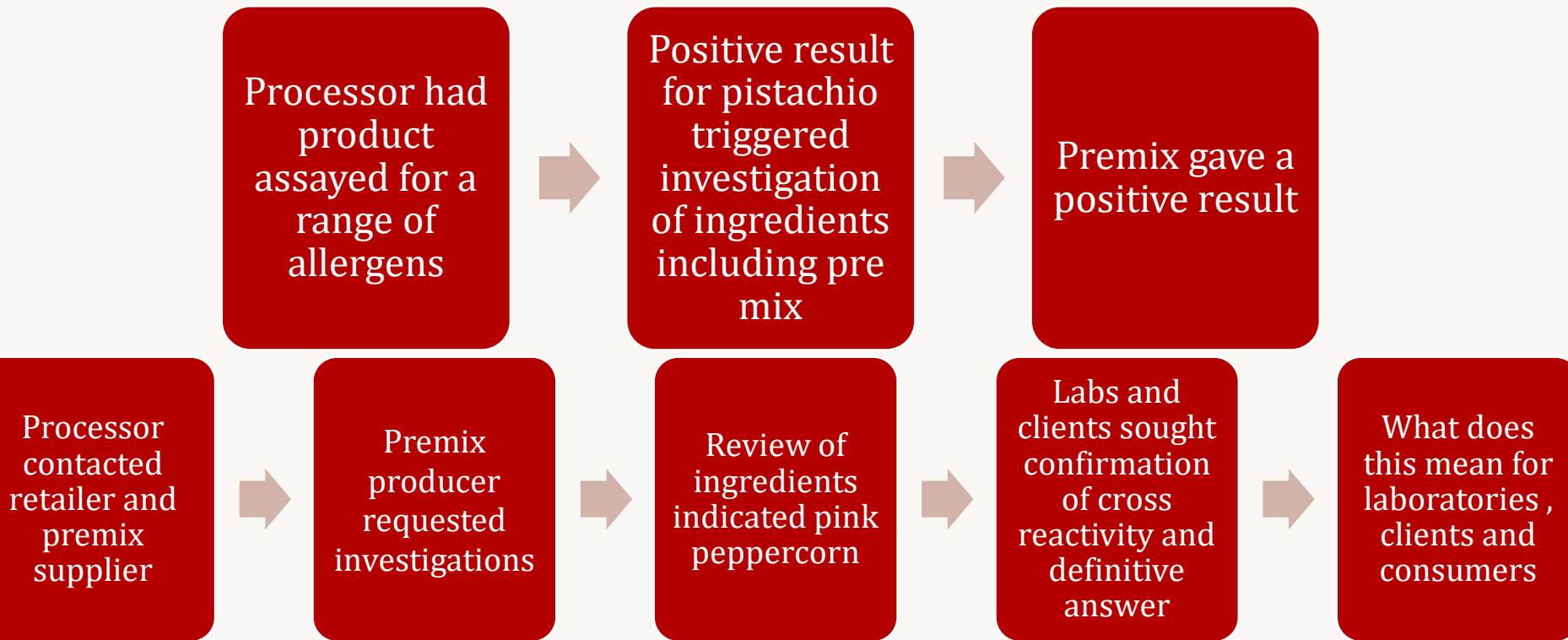
Pistacia vera
Pistachio nut &
flower



Anacardium occidentale
Cashew flower



TIME LINE



Pink Peppercorn (*Schinus terebinthifolius*) is a member of the Anacardiaceae family along with cashew and pistachio among others and can give a positive result in an immunoassay

WHY TELL THE STORY NOW

- An illustration of the analysts experience
- Unknown sample
- Complexity
 - Almond or Mahaleb Mustard and rape seed ?
 - Mustard and crustacea Fenugreek and peanut
 - Black pepper and crustacea Tropomyosin , grasshoppers and crickets
 - Lupin and legumes Crocs and fish (or chickens)
- Clinical implications
 - Pink peppercorn: A cross-reactive risk for cashew- and pistachio-allergic patients Andrew Timothy Fong, George Du Toit et al DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jaip.2018.11.051>
 - A Rare Case of Food-induced Anaphylaxis to Pink Peppercorns [John Kim](#), MD1 and [Neil Minikes](#)

QUESTIONS



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