PLANT FACT SHEET

Edibility uncertain
It has not been confirmed that this plant is safe to eat. Do not eat it on the strength of this fact sheet alone.

Operculina macrocarpa (L.) Urb.

GENUS *Operculina* **FAMILY** Convolvulaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

DESCRIPTION

A creeping herb. The leaves are oval with about 5 spread out in a group. The flowers are white and trumpet shaped.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It suits the wet tropics.

NOTES

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