PLANT FACT SHEET

Tabernaemontana amygdalifolia Jacq.

GENUS *Tabernaemontana* **FAMILY** Apocynaceae

COMMON NAMES Almond leaf tabernaemontana

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 1-5 m tall. It has milky sap. The leaves are simple and opposite. The flowers are in the axils of leaves. The are white with 5 long lobes. The fruit is green and bright orange inside. The fruit splits open to reveal the flesh and seed.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows from sea level to 700 m above sea level. It suits the seasonally dry tropics.

NOTES

There are about 100 Tabernaemontana species. They occur throughout the tropics.

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