PLANT FACT SHEET

Psychotria holtzii (K. Schum) Petit

GENUS *Psychotria* **FAMILY** Rubiaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 1-3 m tall. The stems are slender. They are hairy with white or rusty hairs when young. The leaves are small and 1-4 cm long by 0.5-1.5 cm wide. There are a few flowers in a group. The fruit are fleshy and bright red. They are 5 mm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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