PLANT FACT SHEET

Iresine diffusa Humb. & Bonpl. ex Willd.

GENUS *Iresine* **FAMILY** Amaranthaceae

COMMON NAMES Juba's bush

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Medicine

DESCRIPTION

A herb that grows each year from seed. It can grow 40-300 cm tall. The stems are spreading and much branched. The leaves are opposite and oval to sword shaped. They are 3-14 cm long by 1.5-7 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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