PLANT FACT SHEET

Ipomoea pes-trigidis Linn.

GENUS *Ipomoea* **FAMILY** Convolvulaceae

COMMON NAMES Tiger-foot morning glory

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

DESCRIPTION

An annual herb. It is a twiner. It grows 80-300 cm long. The stem has yellow bristly hairs. The leaves are divided. They have 7-9 lobes. They are heart shaped at the base and have thin hairs on both surfaces. The flower is pale blue and trumpet shaped. They are in groups with a few flowers. The fruit is an oval capsule.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grow in the Sahel in West Africa. It grows in savannah woodland. It grows on sandy river banks. It can grow in arid places. In Zimbabwe it grows up to 1,050 m above sea level. In Yunnan.

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