PLANT FACT SHEET

Henriettea multiflora Naudin

GENUS *Henriettea* **FAMILY** Melastomataceae

COMMON NAMES Big kiggernet, Himir egg

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten raw. They are slimy.

DESCRIPTION

A small tree. The leaves are hairy underneath. The flowers are white. They are is small side clusters on old branches. The fruit are green to red berries.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in secondary forests and swamps.

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