PLANT FACT SHEET

Clerodendrum tomentosum (Vent.) R. Br.

GENUS *Clerodendrum* **FAMILY** Lamiaceae

COMMON NAMES Hairy lolly bush, Hairy Clairy

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Roots

The roots are cooked in hot ashes.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or tree. It can grow to 15 m tall. The bark is grey and can be corky. The leaves are large and oval. The leaves have fine hairs. The flowers are white and have 5 petal. The fruit are balck and shiny with 4 lobes.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It suits the seasonally dry tropics.

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