PLANT FACT SHEET

Ipomoea indica (Burm.) Merr.

GENUS *Ipomoea* **FAMILY** Convolvulaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves - tea, Leaves

The leaves are cooked with beans.

DESCRIPTION

A vine. The vine is less than 2 cm across. The leaves are 3-12 cm long by 3-12 cm wide. They are hairy. The flowers are in a group on stalks 10-20 cm long.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant.

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