PLANT FACT SHEET

Corynabutilon ochsenii (Phil.) Kearney

GENUS *Corynabutilon* **FAMILY** Malvaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Flowers

The flowers can be eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It loses its leaves during the year. It grows 4 m high. The flowers are 5 cm across.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It can grow on a range of soils. It can grow in acid and alkaline soils. It is best in moist soils. It suits hardiness zone 8.

NOTES

It is a rare and at risk species.

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