PLANT FACT SHEET

Ceropegia kenyana Bruyns

GENUS *Ceropegia* **FAMILY** Apocynaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Tuber, Root

DESCRIPTION

A climbing herb. It grows 5-8 cm tall. It has tubers 6-8 cm across. The flowers are white with yellowish green tips.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown from tubers or bulbs. It can also be grown by seeds.

NOTES

Also put in the family Asclepiadaceae.

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