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Ampelocissus leonensis (Hook.f.) Planch.

GENUS *Ampelocissus* **FAMILY** Vitaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A stout climbing plant. It is softly woody. The stems are hollow. They have bristly hairs. The leaves are almost round or with 5 lobes. They are ash coloured but red underneath. The tendrils are long, woody and branched. The flowers are on a long stalk with a tuft at the end. The flowers are green. The fruit are purple and like grapes. They are sour.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in the forest.

NOTES

There are about 95 Ampelocissus species.

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