PLANT FACT SHEET

Dioscorea gracilis Hook. ex Poepp.

GENUS *Dioscorea* **FAMILY** Dioscoreaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Tuber, Root

DESCRIPTION

A yam. It is a vine.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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