PLANT FACT SHEET

Bovista nigrescens Pers. ex Pers.

GENUS *Bovista* **FAMILY** Lycoperdaceae

COMMON NAMES Loffa

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruiting body, Mushroom

The young fruiting body is fried or pickled in oil.

DESCRIPTION

A mushroom.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant.

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