PLANT FACT SHEET

Trigonella occulta Ser.

GENUS *Trigonella* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Pods

The freshly gathered plants are used as a pot-herb.

DESCRIPTION

An annual herb. It is densely branched. The leaves have 3 leaflets. The leaflets are 4.5-6.5 mm long and are broadly wedge shaped. They have teeth. There are a few silky hairs underneath. The flowers occur as 2-4 in clusters in the axils of leaves. The fruit are 3.5-4 mm long. They are white and have 1-2 seeds.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It can grow in arid places.

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