PLANT FACT SHEET

Edibility uncertain

It has not been confirmed that this plant is safe to eat. Do not eat it on the strength of this fact sheet alone.

Teyleria stricta (Kurz) A. N. Egan & B. Pan

GENUS *Teyleria* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

COMMON NAMES Cudzu-tropical

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

The root is steamed and eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It can be climbing. It grows 1-2.5 m tall. The branches have grey hairs when young. The leaves are broadly oval and taper towards and tip. There are 4-6 flowers in a group. They are purple. The fruit are long pods. There are 5-10 seeds. They are brown or black and oval. They are 4 mm long by 3 mm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in the wet tropics. In Yunnan.

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