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.

Eriosema salignum E. Mey.

GENUS *Eriosema* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Root

Use unsure.

DESCRIPTION

An erect herb or small shrub. It grows 50 cm tall. The stems are slender and with few branches. They have silky hairs. The leaves are compound with 3 leaflets.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant.

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