PLANT FACT SHEET

# *Persicaria hydropiperoides* Small

**GENUS** *Persicaria* **FAMILY** Polygonaceae

## EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

**Edible parts:** Fruit, Seeds

## DESCRIPTION

A herb. It keeps growing from year to year. It grows 15-100 cm tall. The stems are usually branched. It can have rhizomes or underground roots.

## HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant.

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