PLANT FACT SHEET

Lippia abyssinica (Otto & A. Dietr.) Cufod.

GENUS *Lippia* **FAMILY** Verbenaceae

COMMON NAMES Koseret

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Spice, Leaves - drink

The leaves are used for tea. They are also used as flavouring in spices.
They are also boiled with butter.

DESCRIPTION

A herb or shrub. It grows 3 m tall. The leaves are hairy. The flowers are small and purple or pink

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows between 1,600-2,000 m above sea level in Ethiopia.

NOTES

There are about 200 Lippia species. They are tropical plants.

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