PLANT FACT SHEET

Cleome brachycarpa Vahl. ex DC.

GENUS *Cleome* **FAMILY** Cleomaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves - flavouring

It is used as a potherb and for flavouring.

DESCRIPTION

An annual herb. It grows 50 cm high. It has an unpleasant smell. The leaves have 3 leaflets. The flowers are yellow and in loose groups.

HABITAT

In is a Mediterranean plant. It grows in sandy and stony soils. It grows from sea level to 1,300 m above sea level. It can grow in arid places.

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