PLANT FACT SHEET

Haplocarpha schimperi (Sch.Bip.) Beauv.

GENUS *Haplocarpha* **FAMILY** Asteraceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The ripe fruit are eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A herb with a woody rootstock. The leaves are narrowly oval and 4-7 cm long by 1.5-2.5 cm wide. They have angular lobes. The flowers are pale yellow.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in mountain regions. It grows in thinly wooded grassland above 2,100-3,000 m above sea level. It is hardy to frost.

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