PLANT FACT SHEET

Pavetta crassicaulis Bremek

GENUS *Pavetta* **FAMILY** Rubiaceae

COMMON NAMES Nadgi

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Flowers

The flowers are cooked as a vegetable. They are fried.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. It grows 4 m tall. The leaves are narrowly oblong and 6-15 cm long and pointed at both ends. The flowers are in a group at the ends of the branches. The flowers are white, tube shaped and small. The have 4 spreading petals. The flower tube is slender and 1.5 cm long. The fruit are 6 mm across.

HABITAT

A tropical plant.

NOTES

The leaves are used as medicine.

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