PLANT FACT SHEET

Ardisia pterocaulis Miq.

GENUS *Ardisia* **FAMILY** Primulaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 8 m tall. The twigs have wings. The leaves are alternate and simple. The leaves have hairs underneath. The flowers are about 2 mm across and are pale pink. They are in groups. The fruit are 3 mm across. They are fleshy and white to pink.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

NOTES

Also put in the family Myrsinaceae.

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