PLANT FACT SHEET

Phaulopsis dorsiflora (Retz.) Santapau

GENUS *Phaulopsis* **FAMILY** Acanthaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It grows 30-50 cm tall. The stems are 4 angled and hairy. The leaf stalks are 4-6 cm long. The leaves are narrowly oval and 8-11 cm long by 4-5 cm wide. They are hairy underneath along the veins. The flowers are white.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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