PLANT FACT SHEET

Ampelocissus schimperiana (Hochst. ex A. Rich.) Planch

GENUS *Ampelocissus* **FAMILY** Vitaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A climbing herb. It grows from a fattened woody rootstock. The stems are white with red hairs that fall off.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in woodland and forests near rivers. It grows between 900-1,900 m above sea level.

NOTES

There are about 95 Ampelocissus species.

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