PLANT FACT SHEET

Use with caution

This plant can be harmful if it is eaten raw, in large amounts or without the right preparation. Read the whole fact sheet before use.

Galactia striata var. villosa (Wight & Arn.) Verdc.

GENUS *Galactia* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

COMMON NAMES Florida hammock milkpea

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Root

The root is eaten after treatment.

DESCRIPTION

A climbing bean family plant that keeps growing from year to year. It has a thickened root stock. The stems can be 1 m long.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant.

REFERENCES

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