PLANT FACT SHEET

Elaeodendron schweinfurthianum (Loes.) Loes.

GENUS *Elaeodendron* **FAMILY** Celastraceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. The leaves are opposite and 2-5 cm long by 1.7-4 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in seasonally dry areas.

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