PLANT FACT SHEET

Tripterospermum trinervium (Sieb. & Zucc.) H. Ohashi & H. Nakai

GENUS *Tripterospermum* **FAMILY** Gentianaceae

COMMON NAMES Japanese climbing gentian

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Flowers, Leaves

The leaves and flowers are cooked and eaten with rice.

DESCRIPTION

A climbing herb. It grows 80-90 cm tall. The flowers are pink to purple.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It is best in a moist acid soil. It can tolerate light shade.

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