PLANT FACT SHEET

Casimirella ampla (Miers) R. A. Howard

GENUS *Casimirella* **FAMILY** Icacinaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Tuber, Root

The starch from the tuber is edible once the bitter substances are washed out.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or creeper. It has a large starchy tuber. The young branches are slightly angular. The leaves are narrowly oval and 8-20 cm long by 3-10 cm wide.

HABITAT

A tropical plant.

PRODUCTION

Harvesting and Seed Production

The tuber weighs 5-20 kg.

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