PLANT FACT SHEET

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It has not been confirmed that this plant is safe to eat. Do not eat it on the strength of this fact sheet alone.

Tillandsia imperialis E. Morren ex Roezl

GENUS *Tillandsia* **FAMILY** Bromeliaceae

COMMON NAMES Imperial airplant

DESCRIPTION

A pineapple family herb. It grows attached to trees. The leaves are broad and silvery-green. They form a ring.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It suits the seasonally dry tropics. It grows between 800-2,600 m above sea level.

NOTES

It is an at risk species.

REFERENCES

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