PLANT FACT SHEET

# *Argyrolobium harveyanum* Oliv.

**GENUS** *Argyrolobium* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

## EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

**Edible parts:** Roots

The roots are eaten as a snack.

## DESCRIPTION

A slender herb. It grows 30 cm tall. It has a small tuberous root. The leaves have 3 leaflets. The flowers occur singly and are yellow. The pods are 35 mm long by 3.5 mm wide.

## HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant.

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