PLANT FACT SHEET

Capsicum baccatum var. pendulum (Willdenow) Eshbaugh

GENUS *Capsicum* **FAMILY** Solanaceae

COMMON NAMES Brown's pepper, Peruvian pepper

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Spice

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 1-1.2 m high. The leaves have 3 leaflets. The leaflets are 6-7 cm long by 4-5 cm wide. The base is unequal and it tapers to the tip. The flowers are in the axils of leaves. They are white. The fruit is 10-15 cm long by 3-4 cm wide. There are many seeds.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It can tolerate cooler conditions.

NOTES

There are 10 Capsicum species.

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