PLANT FACT SHEET

Viscum triflorum DC.

GENUS *Viscum* **FAMILY** Santalaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A mistletoe parasite that grows on other plants. It forms round clusters 30-50 cm tall. Young branches are slightly flattened and has 6 ribs. The leaves are variable.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows from sea level to 2,350 m above sea level.

NOTES

It has also been put in the family Viscaceae.

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