PLANT FACT SHEET

Nesaea sp.

GENUS *Nesaea* **FAMILY** Lythraceae

COMMON NAMES Kwete

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

The leaves are occasionally cooked and eaten and are slimy.

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It grows 20 cm tall.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in damp places.

NOTES

There are about 50 Nesaea species.

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