PLANT FACT SHEET

# *Tabernaemontana coffeoides* Bojer ex A. DC.

**GENUS** *Tabernaemontana* **FAMILY** Apocynaceae

## EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

**Edible parts:** Bark - flavouring, Medicine

The bark is chewed and also used in alcoholic drinks.

## DESCRIPTION

A shrub or tree. It can grow 7 m tall. The trunk can be 10 cm across.

## HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It can grow in savannah and up to 1,300 m above sea level.

## REFERENCES

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