PLANT FACT SHEET

Cyphostemma adenopodum (Sprague) Desc.

GENUS *Cyphostemma* **FAMILY** Vitaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

DESCRIPTION

A creeping plant. It has tuberous roots. It grows 5 m long. It has purple hairs. The leaves have 3 leaflets. The leaves often have purple spots underneath. The flowers are greenish-yellow with purple marks. The fruit are red.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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