PLANT FACT SHEET

Chamaecrista hildebrandtii (Vatke) Lack

GENUS *Chamaecrista* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It has a woody rootstock. The stems can be lying along the ground. The leaves are 2-6 cm long. They have leaflets. There are 4-14 pairs. There are 1-4 flowers in a group. They are yellow.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

NOTES

Also as Caesalpinaceae.

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