PLANT FACT SHEET

Kalaharituber pfeilii Henn.

GENUS *Kalaharituber* **FAMILY** Pezizaceae

COMMON NAMES Kalahari desert truffle

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Mushroom, Fungus, Truffle

DESCRIPTION

A fungus or truffle. It has potato like tubers. These can be 12 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It grows in the Kalahari. It grows in sandy arid regions.

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