PLANT FACT SHEET

Oxalis anthelmintica A. Rich.

GENUS *Oxalis* **FAMILY** Oxalidaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Spice, Vegetable

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It keeps growing from year to year. It has underground stems or rhizomes 18 cm long. It has a bulb 1-1.5 at the end of the rhizome. The leaves have 3 leaflets in a ring. The leaflets are 22 mm long by 22 mm wide. The flowers are pink.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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