PLANT FACT SHEET

Smithia hirsuta Dalz.

GENUS *Smithia* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

COMMON NAMES Pivla-kaula

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

The leaves are used as a vegetable.

DESCRIPTION

An erect annual plant. It grows 20-30 cm high. The stem and branches have bristly spreading hairs. The leaves have 3-4 pairs of leaflets along the stalk. The flowers are bright yellow. They occur as 4-10 in a compact group.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in high rainfall regions in monsoons.

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