PLANT FACT SHEET

Zehneria repanda (Blume) C. M. Simmons

GENUS *Zehneria* **FAMILY** Cucurbitaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A pumpkin family plant. It is a climber and grows 2-4 m tall. The leaves are triangle shaped to oval. The leaves can have rusty red hairs at the tip. Male and female flowers are separate. The fruit are in clusters of up to 6. The fruit are round and 1 cm across. They are purple to black.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows at higher altitude between 1,400-2,700 m above sea level.

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