PLANT FACT SHEET

# *Solanum hieronymi* O. Kuntze

**GENUS** *Solanum* **FAMILY** Solanaceae

**COMMON NAMES** Najneno, Pocote

## EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

**Edible parts:** Tubers, Roots

The small tubers are cooked in ashes. They are also eaten with fish fats. They are sometimes boiled.

## DESCRIPTION

A herb. It keeps growing from year to year. The leaves are oval with a heart shaped base and lobes. The flowers are white.

## HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It forms colonies in sandy soils. In Argentina it grows from sea level to 3,500 m above sea level.

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