PLANT FACT SHEET

Ampelocissus tomentosa (B. Heyne & Roth) Planch.

GENUS *Ampelocissus* **FAMILY** Vitaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The ripe fruit are eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A climbing vine. It grows 10 m long. The branches have tufts of soft hairs. The leaves are simple and with 3-5 angular parts. They are 10-25 cm long by 10-23 cm wide. They are hairy underneath. The lobes are oval and there are forked tendrils. The flowers are 2 mm across. The fruit has round lumps.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in southern India up to 750 m above sea level.

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