Philodendron scandens

Common name:
Philodendron,

Palatability to Livestock:
Not known to be eaten.

Toxicity to Goats:
Unknown.

Toxicity to Other Species:
. Livestock in general, especially cats.
. Also dogs and children.

Poisonous Principle:
. Unknown,
. Maybe calcium oxalate, and histamines.

Effects:
Signs and Symptoms:
. Irritation and swelling of mouth and throat,
. Nausea, vomiting,
. Difficult respiration.

Health and Production Problems:
. Be aware of potential problems.

Treatment:
. See Vet or Doctor.

Integrated Control Strategy:
. Take care with prunings

Comments:
. Garden, or indoor plant,
. An evergreen, trailing, climbing vine, often trained up trees or stakes.
. Leaves are dark green, large and heart-shaped, tapering, and on short stalks.
. Flowers are a white spike, with a green spathe, on long drooping stems.
. The berries grow on a spike, white to orange or red.
. All parts are toxic, and also a skin and eye irritant.

Further Reading:

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