PLANT FACT SHEET

Astragalus myriacanthus Boiss.

GENUS *Astragalus* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Gum

The gum is used as a food thickener.

DESCRIPTION

A small shrub.

HABITAT

It is a Mediterranean climate plant.

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