PLANT FACT SHEET

Pilocereus coerulescens (Lem.) F. Ritter

GENUS *Pilocereus* **FAMILY** Cactaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruits

DESCRIPTION

A columnar cactus. It grows 10 m tall. The stems are blue-green. There are 3-7 spines in a group. The flowers are white and up to 15 cm long. The fruit are red.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant.

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