PLANT FACT SHEET

Grewia hornbyi Wild.

GENUS *Grewia* **FAMILY** Malvaceae

COMMON NAMES Yellow and Pink Grewia

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 2-4 m high. The young branches have a white covering. The leaf blade is 2-4 cm long by 1-2 cm wide. It is broadly oval. The leaves have a white covering underneath. The flowers are yellow. The fruit are round or with 2 lobes. The fruit are yellow when ripe. They are about 4 mm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in deciduous woodland. It grows from sea level to 300 m above sea level.

NOTES

These were in the Sparrmanniaceae and the Tiliaceae.

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