PLANT FACT SHEET

Corryocactus erectus (Backeb.) F. Ritter

GENUS *Corryocactus* **FAMILY** Cactaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A cactus. It grows 90-120 cm tall. The flowers are red.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It grows in the desert or dry shrubland.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown from woody stem cuttings. It can be grown from seed.

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