PLANT FACT SHEET

Berberis rariflora Lechl.

GENUS *Berberis* **FAMILY** Berberidaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit can be eaten raw or cooked and also used for making drinks.

DESCRIPTION

A small shrub.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows at high elevations at about 3,000-4,000 m above sea level in the Andes

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown from ripe seed.

NOTES

There are about 450-500 Berberis species.

It is also used as medicine. It has antibacterial activity.

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