PLANT FACT SHEET

Polylepis tarapacana Phil.

GENUS *Polylepis* **FAMILY** Rosaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Bark

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or short tree. It can vary with conditions.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It tends to be in soil formed by volcanoes. It grows at high altitudes.

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