PLANT FACT SHEET

Malpighia mexicana A. Juss.

GENUS *Malpighia* **FAMILY** Malpighiaceae

COMMON NAMES Red nanche

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A small shrub. It grows 8-9 m tall. The leaves are green. The flowers are like red balls. They are in clusters. The fruit are round and green but turn yellow as they ripen.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It occurs at about 1,500-1,800 m above sea level.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants are grown by seeds.

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