PLANT FACT SHEET

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It has not been confirmed that this plant is safe to eat. Do not eat it on the strength of this fact sheet alone.

Vicia orobus DC

GENUS *Vicia* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

COMMON NAMES Wiid bitter-vetch

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It grows 60 cm tall. The leaves have leaflets along the stalk. There are 6-15 pairs of leaflets on each leaf. The flowers are in groups of 6-20. The fruit is a 4 seeded pod 2-3 cm long.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It can grow from sea level to 2,380 m above sea level.

REFERENCES

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