PLANT FACT SHEET

Nitraria schoberi Linn.

GENUS *Nitraria* **FAMILY** Nitrariaceae

COMMON NAMES Nitre-bush, Dillon bush

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are like olives and are edible.

DESCRIPTION

A spreading shrub. It grows 1-2 m tall. The small branches can have spines. The leaves are thick and oblong to wedge shaped. They are 1-4 cm long. The flowers are small and white. The fruit are like olives. They are 1-2 cm long. They are red or purple and slightly salty.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant.

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