PLANT FACT SHEET

Solanum erythracanthum Boj. ex Dunal

GENUS *Solanum* **FAMILY** Solanaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 1 m tall. It has prickles. The leaves are simple and 2-5 cm long by 1-2.5 cm wide. The fruit is a round berry 8-9 mm across. They are green but become orange to red when ripe.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. In Madagascar it grows from sea level to 1,000 m above sea level.

NOTES

There are about 1400 Solanum species.

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