PLANT FACT SHEET

Solanum coagulans Forssk.

GENUS *Solanum* **FAMILY** Solanaceae

COMMON NAMES Xi ha la gou

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Vegetable

The fruit is used as a vegetable. It is also used to coagulate milk.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It keeps growing from year to year. It has prickles. The fruit are about 1 cm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. In Yunnan.

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