PLANT FACT SHEET

Berberis pruinosa Franch.

GENUS *Berberis* **FAMILY** Berberidaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Stems, Leaves, Fruit, Flower

The young stems, leaves and fruit are eaten fresh.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 1-2 m tall. It keeps its leaves throughout the year. It has spines. The leaves are 2-6 cm long by 103 cm wide. The flowers are in groups of 10-20. The fruit are oval and 6-7 mm long by 5-5 mm wide.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It grows on the edges of forests between 1,800-4,000 m above sea level. It grows in wetlands. It grows in Sichuan and Yunnan in China.

PRODUCTION

Harvesting and Seed Production

In Yunnan the plant is harvested from May to September.

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