PLANT FACT SHEET

Rubus alexeteterius Focke

GENUS *Rubus* **FAMILY** Rosaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 1-2 m tall. It has curved prickles. The leaves have 3 leaflets. The leaflets are oval and 3-4 cm long by 2-3 cm wide. The flowers are in clusters or 3-4. The flowers are 2 cm across and white. The fruit are aggregate and round and yellow. They are 1.5 cm across.

HABITAT

In the Himalayas it grows between 2,400-2,500 m altitude. In China it grows between 2,000-3,700 m above sea level. In Sichuan and Yunnan.

NOTES

There are about 250 Rubus species.

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