PLANT FACT SHEET

Edibility uncertain

It has not been confirmed that this plant is safe to eat. Do not eat it on the strength of this fact sheet alone.

Prosopis denudans Benth.

GENUS *Prosopis* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seed pods

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 2m tall. It has spines. The pods are curved.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. In Argentina it grows between 500-1,000 m above sea level.

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