PLANT FACT SHEET

Citrus junos Siebold ex Tanaka

GENUS *Citrus* **FAMILY** Rutaceae

COMMON NAMES Yuzu, Juzu

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Leaves - drink

The grated skin and the juice are used as flavouring. They are used on soy sauces, miso toppings, and soups.
The juice of the fruit is used for vinegar.
The fruit is also eaten raw, used for drinks and fermented.

DESCRIPTION

An evergreen shrub or small tree. It grows 2-7 m tall. The branches have long stout spines. The leaves are 3-8 cm long by 1-4 cm wide. There are fine teeth along the edge. The flowers occur singly and are white. The fruit are green when young and turn yellow when ripe. They are pear shaped and 4-8 cm across.

HABITAT

It grows in subtropical places. It can grow in Mediterranean climates. In Sichuan and Yunnan.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown by seeds, cuttings or layering.

NOTES

It is possibly a hybrid between Citrus ichangensis x Citrus reticulata.

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