PLANT FACT SHEET

Grewia serrulata DC.

GENUS *Grewia* **FAMILY** Malvaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A small tree. The leaves are narrowly oval or sword shaped and have teeth along the edge. They are thin and have 3 nerves. The flowers are greenish-white. They ar e in groups in the axils of leaves. The fruit are smooth and have 1-4 lobes. They are black when ripe.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It grows in the lower Himalayas and up to 1,200 m above sea level.

PRODUCTION

Harvesting and Seed Production

Plants fruit December to March.

NOTES

Also put in the family Tiliaceae.

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