PLANT FACT SHEET

Eremophila debilis (Andr.) Chinnock

GENUS *Eremophila* **FAMILY** Scrophulariaceae

COMMON NAMES Amulla, Creeping boobialla, Sprawling boobyalla, Sprawling myoporum, Winter apple

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A creeping ground cover plant. It spreads 1-1.5 m wide. The leaves are long and narrow. The can be 12 cm long. They often have a few scattered teeth near the base. The flowers are white or pink and bell shaped. They occur in clusters. The fruit are pink berries. They are about 12 mm across.

HABITAT

It grows in subtropical and warm temperate regions and can grow in semiarid places. It needs well drained soil. It can grow in full sun or light shade. It can tolerate light frosts. It suits hardiness zones 9-11.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown from seed.

NOTES

There are about 215 Eremophila species. They occur in Australia. They are mostly in the desert. Also put in the family Myoporaceae.

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