PLANT FACT SHEET

Tristerix corymbosus (L.) Kuijt

GENUS *Tristerix* **FAMILY** Loranthaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Medicine

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 50 cm tall. It grows attached to other plant. The flowers are red.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. In Chile it grows from sea level to 2,000 m above sea level.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown with difficulty from fresh fruit.

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