PLANT FACT SHEET

Grewia plagiophylla K. Schum.

GENUS *Grewia* **FAMILY** Malvaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. The leaves are thick and leathery. They are broadly oval and 7-10 cm long. There are teeth along the edge. The base is rounded and at an angle. There are some hairs on top when young. The flowers are in groups of 3 in the axils of leaves. They are yellow and 1.5 cm long. The fruit is round and 8 mm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in bush, savannah and grassland.

NOTES

These were in the Sparrmanniaceae and the Tiliaceae.

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