PLANT FACT SHEET

Cephalocereus tetetzo (F. A. C. Weber ex J. M. Coult.) Diguet

GENUS *Cephalocereus* **FAMILY** Cactaceae

COMMON NAMES Tetecho, Tetecha

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Bud, Fruit

The bud is eaten cooked in a number of ways such as stewed, fried, and used in soups.
The fruit are eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

A columnar cactus. It is a tree.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It is an arid plant.

PRODUCTION

Harvesting and Seed Production

Plants take about 5 years before harvesting.

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