PLANT FACT SHEET

Erica scoparia L.

GENUS *Erica* **FAMILY** Ericaceae

COMMON NAMES Besom heath

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 2 m tall. The flowers are small and bell shaped. They are yellow to brown and droop in clusters at the ends of branches.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It needs acid conditions.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown from cuttings.

REFERENCES

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