PLANT FACT SHEET

Potentilla cuneata Wall. ex Leh.

GENUS *Potentilla* **FAMILY** Rosaceae

COMMON NAMES Yeihcuruk

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Stems, Flowers

They are fried along with wheat grain and eaten as a vegetable.

DESCRIPTION

A herb or low shrub. The roots are slender and woody. The flowering stems are erect and 4-12 cm tall. The leaves are the base are 2-3 cm long. The leaves on the stem have 3 leaflets that are narrowly oval and 1-2 cm long by 4-8 mm wide. There are 1-2 flowers together at the ends of the branches. The flowers are 2-3 cm across. The petals are yelow.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It grows on the edges of forests and in alpine meadows between 2,700-3,600 m above sea level. In Sichuan and Yunnan.

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