PLANT FACT SHEET

Lonicera chrysantha Turcz. ex Ledeb.

GENUS *Lonicera* **FAMILY** Caprifoliaceae

COMMON NAMES Coralline honeysuckle

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

CAUTION:

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It loses is leaves during the year. It grows 4 m tall. The branches are spreading and hairy. The leaves are 3-10 cm long by 1-5 cm wide. The flowers are in pairs in the axils of leaves. They have a scent. The fruit are red berries. They are oval and 5 mm across. The seeds are red-brown.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It grows in scrub at the edges of forests between 200-3,000 m above sea level in China. Mt Lofty Botanical Gardens. In Sichuan and Yunnan.

NOTES

There are about 150 Lonicera species.

PICTURES



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