PLANT FACT SHEET

Frangula californica (Eschsch.) A. Gray

GENUS *Frangula* **FAMILY** Rhamnaceae

COMMON NAMES Coffee Berry

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds - coffee

The fruit are eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

An evergreen shrub. The new growth is red. The leaves are shiny green. The flowers are pale greenish-yellow. They occur in clusters. The fruit are round red berries. They turn black as they ripen.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It suits hardiness zones 7-10.

NOTES

There are 100-125-160 Rhamnus species. There are 21 species in tropical America.

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