PLANT FACT SHEET

# *Corema album* (L.) D. Don.

**GENUS** *Corema* **FAMILY** Ericaceae

**COMMON NAMES** Portuguese crowberry

## EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

**Edible parts:** Fruit

The fruit can be eaten raw or cooked.

## DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 30 cm tall. The fruit are about 9 mm across.

## HABITAT

It is a Mediterranean climate plant. It suits USDA hardiness zones 7-10. It grows in sand dunes and near the coast.

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