PLANT FACT SHEET

Senegalia wrightii (Benth.) Britton & Rose

GENUS *Senegalia* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

COMMON NAMES Wright acacia

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Pods, Seeds

DESCRIPTION

A spreading shrub. It loses its leaves during the year. It grows 1-2 m tall. It has short stout curved spines. The leaves are 2-5 cm long and are twice divided. They have 4-6 pairs of leaflets. The fruit is a pod. It is constricted between the seeds.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

NOTES

Name uncertain.

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