PLANT FACT SHEET

Ulmus wallichiana Planch.

GENUS *Ulmus* **FAMILY** Ulmaceae

COMMON NAMES West Himalayan Elm, Large-leaved elm

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

DESCRIPTION

A large tree. It loses its leaves during the year. It grows 30 m tall. The crown is spreading. The leaves are alternate and rough. They have double teeth. The leaves are 8-10 cm long and have 15-20 pairs of parallel veins. There are many flowers and they are 3 mm long. They are in round heads. The fruit are winged and narrowly oval. They are in the axils of fallen leaves. The fruit is a nutlet. It has a papery wing around it. It is 1.5 cm across.

HABITAT

It grows in temperate oak forests in the Himalayas. It grows between 1,500-3,000 m altitude.

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