PLANT FACT SHEET

Ribes burejense F. Schmidt

GENUS *Ribes* **FAMILY** Grossulariaceae

COMMON NAMES Bureja gooseberry

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are used for drinks.

DESCRIPTION

A spiny shrub. It grow 1 m tall. The young branches are yellow. They are covered with bristles and have prickles at the nodes. The prickles are u to 1 cm long. The leaves are heart shaped. They are 2-4 cm long by 1-5 cm wide. They have 3-5 deep lobes. There are teeth along the edge. The leaves have soft hairs and glands. The flowers are pale reddish-brown. There are 1 or 2 flowers in the axils of leaves. The fruit are prickly, green and juicy. They are 1 cm across.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. In northern China it grows between 900-2,300 m above sea level.

NOTES

There are about 150 Ribes species.

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