PLANT FACT SHEET

Cordia suckertii Chiov.

GENUS *Cordia* **FAMILY** Boraginaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Nuts

The fruit is hard and has to be crushed for the small seeds inside.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. It grows 6 m tall. Young branches are densely hairy. The leaves are alternate and 2-6 cm long by 1-3 cm wide. The fruit is a nut 16-25 mm long by 15-18 mm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. In Ethiopia it grows between 200-300 m above sea level.

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