PLANT FACT SHEET

Schmaltzia trilobata (Nutt.) Small

GENUS *Schmaltzia* **FAMILY** Anacardiaceae

COMMON NAMES kunkbush sumac

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It forms rounded thickets. It has woody spreading rhizomes. It loses its leaves during the year. The leaves are alternate and compound with 3 leaflets. They have coarse teeth. The flowers are yellow to white and in dense clusters. Male and female flowers are on the same plant. The fruit are 5-7 mm across and red when ripe. They have a few hairs. There is one nut.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant.

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