PLANT FACT SHEET

Physocarpus malvaceus (Greene) Kuntze

GENUS *Physocarpus* **FAMILY** Rosaceae

COMMON NAMES Mallow ninebark

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Root

The roots are cooked and eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 2 m tall. The fruit are hairy with star shaped hairs. The fruit are follicles united for half their length.

HABITAT

It grows on dry sites. It grows on rocky hillsides and open forests.

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