PLANT FACT SHEET

Fragaria orientalis Lozinsk.

GENUS *Fragaria* **FAMILY** Rosaceae

COMMON NAMES Oriental strawberry

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten raw as a snack.

DESCRIPTION

A strawberry like herb. The leaflets are small 1-5 cm long by 1-4 cm wide. They are hairy on both surfaces. The stalks are up to 1.5 cm long. The berry is 1.5 cm across. It is bright red.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It grows in mountains in northern China. It grows between 600-4,000 m above sea level.

PRODUCTION

Harvesting and Seed Production

In China plants flower in May to July and fruit July to September.

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