PLANT FACT SHEET

Rhus integrifolia (Nutt.) W. H. Brewer & S. Watson

GENUS *Rhus* **FAMILY** Anacardiaceae

COMMON NAMES Lemonade berry, Sourberry

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Fruit - coffee

The fruit are used to make a lemonade type drink.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or tree. It grows 1-3 m tall. It is finely hairy. The leaves are 2.5-5 cm long by 2-3 cm wide. The leaves are rounded at the tip. The flowers are pink. The fruit are red. They are 1 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a Mediterranean climate plant. It grows near the ocean and up to 800 m above sea level.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

The plant can be grown by seed. It is best to break the seed coat.

PICTURES



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