PLANT FACT SHEET

Ferocactus alamosanus (Britton & Rose) Britton & Rose

GENUS *Ferocactus* **FAMILY** Cactaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are sometimes used to make jelly and sweet treats

DESCRIPTION

A small barrel cactus. It is 30 cm across and 25 cm tall. It has 12-20 narrow ribs. The spines can be 6 cm long. The fruit are small and spiny.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. In Mexico it grows between 45-1,300 m above sea level.

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