PLANT FACT SHEET

Rubus elmeri Focke

GENUS *Rubus* **FAMILY** Rosaceae

COMMON NAMES Bunut

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten raw.

DESCRIPTION

A scrambling shrub armed with a few small spines. The leaves are toothed at the edge, heart shaped and vary from even edges to 3 or 5 lobes. The flowers are white and either on their own or borne in clusters. The berry is up to 1.5 cm across and is orange yellow.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It occurs in the Mountain Province in the Philippines where it is very common.

NOTES

There are about 250 Rubus species.

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