PLANT FACT SHEET

Rubus nepalensis (Hook. f.) Kuntze

GENUS *Rubus* **FAMILY** Rosaceae

COMMON NAMES Nepalese raspberry, Nhyalang

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The ripe fruit are eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It has creeping stems. The leaves are stalked. The leaves have 3 leaflets. These are broadly oval. They have a long point and double teeth. They are hairy on both surfaces. The flowers are white and nodding. The fruit are scarlet.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. In Nepal it grows from 2,100-3,200 m altitude. It grows on rocky ground along river banks.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants are grown from root offshoots or seeds.

NOTES

There are about 250 Rubus species.

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