PLANT FACT SHEET

Edibility uncertain

It has not been confirmed that this plant is safe to eat. Do not eat it on the strength of this fact sheet alone.

Eurya nitida Korth.

GENUS *Eurya* **FAMILY** Pentaphylacaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. It grows 2-5 m tall. The leaves are oblong and 4-6 cm long by 2-3 cm wide. The leaves are pale green underneath. The flowers occur singly or in groups of up to 4 in the axils of leaves. Male and female flowers are separate. The fruit are bluish black when mature and 3-4 mm across.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It grows in forests and thickets between 500-1,500 m above sea level. In Sichuan and Yunnan.

NOTES

Also put in the family Theaceae.

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