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Grewia paniculata L

GENUS *Grewia* **FAMILY** Malvaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten raw.
They are eaten as a masticatory.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or tree. It grows up to 16 m tall. The leaves are oblong and pointed. They are smooth. The fruit are round and purple coloured. They are 1 cm across.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in India on the Deccan.

NOTES

There are about 200 Grewia species. They are mostly tropical. The fruit of most may be edible. These were in the Sparrmanniaceae and the Tiliaceae.

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