PLANT FACT SHEET

Phlogacanthus quadrangularis (Hook.) Heine

GENUS *Phlogacanthus* **FAMILY** Acanthaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Flowers

The flowers are eaten as a vegetable.

DESCRIPTION

A small shrub. It grows 1 m tall. The stems are thin. The leaves are 13-15 cm long by 6-7 cm wide. They are narrow oval and taper to the tip.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant.

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