PLANT FACT SHEET

Vachellia eburnea (L. f.) P.J.H. Hurter & Mabb.

GENUS *Vachellia* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

COMMON NAMES Pahari kikar

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fungus gall, Fruit, Pod, Shoots

The fruit or pods are cooked as a vegetable.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub or small tree. The leaves are twice divided. There are 5-8 pairs of leaflets. The flowers are bright yellow.

HABITAT

In India fungus gall grows on this plant. It is Revenella esculenta Nar. It is edible. The tree grows in dry regions.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants can be grown by seed.

NOTES

There are about 1,350 Acacia species. Over 1,000 occur in Australia. Also as Mimosaceae.

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