PLANT FACT SHEET

Lycium andersonii A. Gray

GENUS *Lycium* **FAMILY** Solanaceae

COMMON NAMES Anderson's wolfberry, Anderson's thornbush

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Leaves, Shoots

The berries are dried in sand and later eaten. They are boiled and crushed or ground into flour and mixed with water. The fruit juice is used as a drink.
The fruit are also eaten fresh.

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It grows 0.5-3 m tall. It has many rounded thorny branches. The leaves are narrow and 3-35 mm long. The fruit are red and 3-9 mm long.

HABITAT

It is a warm temperate of subtropical plant. It grows in arid places. It grows between 250-1,700 m above sea level

NOTES

There are about 100 Lycium species.

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