PLANT FACT SHEET

Rhododendron ponticum L.

GENUS *Rhododendron* **FAMILY** Ericaceae

COMMON NAMES Pontic rhododendrum

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Flower, Leaves - tea

DESCRIPTION

A large shrub. It grows 1.2 m tall. It can be taller. The leaves are oblong and dark green. They are 10-20 cm long by 3-6 cm wide. There are 6-15 flowers in a cluster. The flowers are pink to mauve and funnel shaped. They are about 5 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant.

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