PLANT FACT SHEET

Ephedra gracilis Phil. ex Stapf

GENUS *Ephedra* **FAMILY** Ephedraceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 2 m high.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. In Chile it grows from sea level to over 2,000 m above sea level. It grows in drier areas with a winter rainfall of 400-800 mm. It grows in full sun. It suits hardiness zones 10 & 11. It cannot tolerate frost.

REFERENCES

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