PLANT FACT SHEET

Solanum viarum Dunal

GENUS *Solanum* **FAMILY** Solanaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Fruit

The leaves and fruit are eaten as a vegetable.

DESCRIPTION

A stout undershrub. It grows up to 1.2 m tall. The young parts have dense yellow hairs. They are prickly. The leaves are oval and have lobes. They are prickly on both surfaces. The flowers are in groups of a few. The flowers are 1 cm across. The fruit are round and 2.5 cm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. In SW China it grows between 1,400-2,200 m above sea level. In Yunnan.

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