Sambucus manshurica Kitag.





Mongolian name

Manj gandigar

Tibetan name Ganda gari

English name

Manchurian Elder

Description: Shrub 1–4 m tall, branched from the base, with sparse hairs and violet-brown branches, their pith soft, spongy, ligth brown. Leaflets 5-6, in 2-3 pairs, lanceolate or broad lanceolate, 5–9 cm long, with round or sometimes cuneate, sligthly cordate base, acuminate apex, serrate-dentate margins. Inflorescence dense, ovate or broad ovate, corymbose, glabrous or sometimes papillose. Corolla yellowish or green. Stamens widely open. Berries brigth red, 4 mm in diameter, with three narrow oval seeds.

Distribution: Khent., Khang., Mong-Dag., Khyang.