PLANT FACT SHEET

Use with caution

This plant can be harmful if it is eaten raw, in large amounts or without the right preparation. Read the whole fact sheet before use.

Edibility uncertain

It has not been confirmed that this plant is safe to eat. Do not eat it on the strength of this fact sheet alone.

Colchicum schimperi Janka ex Stefanov

GENUS *Colchicum* **FAMILY** Colchicaceae

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It has a corm that is 1-2.5 cm across. It has 3 leaves. The flowers are white to pink.

HABITAT

It is a Mediterranean climate plant. It grows in the desert.

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