PLANT FACT SHEET

Bromus carinatus Hook. & Arn.

GENUS *Bromus* **FAMILY** Poaceae

COMMON NAMES California brome

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds, Cereal

The seeds are eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A grass. It can grow for one or two years. It grows 1 m tall. The leaf blades are flat and 25 cm long by 6 mm wide. The flower panicle is 25 cm long with spreading or drooping branches.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It can survive summer droughts without irrigation.

NOTES

There are about 150 Bromus species. They are temperate.

PICTURES



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