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Mosla dianthera (Buch.-Ham.) Maxim.

GENUS *Mosla* **FAMILY** Lamiaceae

COMMON NAMES Xiao yu xian cao

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

DESCRIPTION

A herb. The stem are 1 m high. They have many branches. The leaf stalk is 0.3-1.8 cm long. The leaf blade is oval to sword shaped and 1.3-3.5 cm long by 0.5-1.8 cm wide.

HABITAT

A tropical and subtropical plant. In China it grows in the hills near water. It grows between 200-2,300 m above sea level in S China. In Sichuan and Yunnan.

NOTES

It is used in medicine. There are about 22 Mosla species.

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