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Polygonum perfoliatum L.

GENUS *Polygonum* **FAMILY** Polygonaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

The leaves are cooked with fish.

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It grows each year from seed. The branches are trailing and red-brown. They are angular and have prickles. They can be 2 m long. The leaf stalks are 2-8 cm long and have prickles. The leaves are triangle shaped and 4-6 cm long by 5-8 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant.

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