PLANT FACT SHEET

Hermannia paniculata Franch.

GENUS *Hermannia* **FAMILY** Malvaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

The young leaves are eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A low shrub. It has a woody base. It grows 15 cm tall. It is much branched. The leaves are pale green. They are alternate and oval. The edges are crenate. The flowers are in groups at the ends of the branches. They are yellow. The fruit is a 5-lobed capsule.

HABITAT

It is a Mediterranean plant.

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