PLANT FACT SHEET

Deverra tortuosa (Desf.) DC.

GENUS *Deverra* **FAMILY** Apiaceae

COMMON NAMES Desert dill

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Stem - young, Leaves - tea, Flavouring

The oil in the leaves are used as flavouring in tea.
The leaves and stems are used to flavour soups.

DESCRIPTION

A shrub. It grows 30-80 cm tall. The stems divided. The leaves are 3-8 cm long and divided into lobes.

HABITAT

It is a Mediterranean climate plant. It grows in deserts. It can tolerate salt. It grows in dry soil. It grows in areas with an annual rainfall between 100-400 mm. It can grow in arid places.

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