PLANT FACT SHEET

Polygonum bellardii All.

GENUS *Polygonum* **FAMILY** Polygonaceae

COMMON NAMES Narrowleaf knotweed

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It grows 20-100 cm tall. The leaves are simple and narrowly oval. They are alternate and clasp the stem at the base. They are 3-5 cm long by 2-6 mm wide. The flowers have 5 petals. The fruit are 2-3 mm long and dry.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant.

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