PLANT FACT SHEET

Oenanthe sarmentosa C. Presl.

GENUS *Oenanthe* **FAMILY** Apiaceae

COMMON NAMES Water dropwort, Apio del campo, Pacific waterdropwort, Water parsley

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Root, Stem

CAUTION:
The tuber-like roots are boiled and eaten.
The stems are eaten raw or cooked.

DESCRIPTION

A herb that keeps growing from year to year. It can grow 50-1.2 m long. The leaves are green and have small leaflets. The leaves are usually twice divided. The flowers are white. The stems form roots where they touch the ground.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It grows in open marshes and forests.

PICTURES



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