PLANT FACT SHEET

Myriophyllum verticillatum L.

GENUS *Myriophyllum* **FAMILY** Haloragaceae

COMMON NAMES Myriad leaf, Whorled Water Milfoil

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

DESCRIPTION

A water herb. It keeps growing from year to year. The stems are thick and up to 3 m long. The rhizome forms roots. The leaves are 20-35 mm long. They are divided. There are 20-35 segments.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It grows under water in lakes and ponds. It grows from sea level to 3,500 m above sea level in China.

NOTES

There are about 60 Myriophyllum species.

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