PLANT FACT SHEET

Cystophora platylobium (Mertens) J. Agardh

GENUS *Cystophora* **FAMILY** Sargassaceae

COMMON NAMES Rock tangles

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seaweed, Fronds

DESCRIPTION

A seaweed. The thallus is robust and brown. It is divided along the stem.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It tends to be in deep water (10-48 m) on coasts with rough seas.

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