PLANT FACT SHEET

Chrysosplenium alternifolium L.

GENUS *Chrysosplenium* **FAMILY** Saxifragaceae

COMMON NAMES Alternate-leaved golden saxifrage

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

The leaves are used in salads and soups.

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It is a creeping plant. The leaves are kidney shaped and alternate.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It grows in alkaline soil.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants can be grown from seed or division of the clump.

NOTES

There are 57 Chrysosplenium species.

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