PLANT FACT SHEET

Mentha citrata Ehrhart

GENUS *Mentha* **FAMILY** Lamiaceae

COMMON NAMES Eau-de-Cologne Mint, Bergamot

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Spice

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It keeps growing from year to year. It has leafy runners. The leaf blade is broadly oval and 2-4 cm long by 1.5-3 cm wide. The base is rounded. The edges have some teeth. The spikes are 2.5-4 cm long The flowers are purplish.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant.

NOTES

There are 25 Mentha species.

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