PLANT FACT SHEET

Mycelis muralis (L.) Dumort.

GENUS *Mycelis* **FAMILY** Asteraceae

COMMON NAMES Wall Lettuce

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

The leaves are used in salads.

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It is like sour thistle but with purple tinged leaves near the base. The leaves on the stem have large lobes with teeth. The flowers are small and yellow in heads. They are 7-8 mm wide.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It often grows in new earthworks. It is often on chalk and limestone soils.

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