PLANT FACT SHEET

Polygonum senegalense Meisn.

GENUS *Polygonum* **FAMILY** Polygonaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Tuber, Root

DESCRIPTION

A plant which keeps growing from year to year. The stems are erect. It grows 1-1.2 m high. The leaves have leaf stalks. The lower leaves are 15-20 cm long. They are 4-5 cm wide. There are onion like tubers under the ground.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in water.

NOTES

There are about 50 Polygonum species.

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