PLANT FACT SHEET

Laurencia papillosa (Agardh.) Grev.

GENUS *Laurencia* **FAMILY** Rhodomelaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Algae, Frond, Spice, Seaweed

It is cooked and eaten in salads. It is used as a flavouring or condiment.

DESCRIPTION

A seaweed. A rigid plant. The small branches are almost like warts. They can be closely packed covering the main branch. They are olive to purplish.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows on the lower intertidal zone. It is on sheltered or partly exposed shores.

PRODUCTION

Harvesting and Seed Production

It cannot be stored and must be eaten fresh.

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