PLANT FACT SHEET

Antirrhinum majus L.

GENUS *Antirrhinum* **FAMILY** Scrophulariaceae

COMMON NAMES Snapdragon

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Flowers, Seeds - oil

The flowers are eaten more as a garnish than food.

DESCRIPTION

An annual plant. It grows 1 m high and spreads 50 cm wide. The stem can be erect or lie over. The leaves are green, soft and sword shaped. The flowers can be red, orange, yellow or white. The are tube shaped and have 2 lips.

HABITAT

It grows in temperate and tropical places. It is best in well-drained soil. It needs an open sunny position. It is resistant to drought and frost. In Argentina it grows from sea level to 500 m above sea level.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants are grown from seed.

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