PLANT FACT SHEET

Alcea setosa (Boiss.) Alef.

GENUS *Alcea* **FAMILY** Malvaceae

COMMON NAMES Marsh mallow, Bristly hollyhock

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Flowers - tea

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It grows 2 m tall. The leaves are on long leaf stalks. The leaves are 20 cm across. The flowers are pink.

HABITAT

It is a Mediterranean climate plant.

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