PLANT FACT SHEET

Orobanche californica subsp. grayana (Beck.) Heckard

GENUS *Orobanche* **FAMILY** Orobanchaceae

COMMON NAMES Gray's broomrape

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Stems, Roots

DESCRIPTION

A parasitic plant. It grows attached to other plants. It grows 4-20 cm long. It does not have green colouring and gets its nutrients from the other plants. There can be a cluster of flowers. The flowers are white or pink. The fruit are 2-valved capsules with many seeds.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant.

NOTES

There are about 140 Orobanche species.

REFERENCES

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