PLANT FACT SHEET

Caralluma knobelii (Phillips) Phillips

GENUS *Caralluma* **FAMILY** Apocynaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Stems, Roots

The plant is bitter but eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A succulent herb. It grows about 10 cm tall. It grows in clumps. The stems are succulent and 4 angled.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It can grow in arid places. It grows in the Kalahari.

NOTES

There are about 56-100 Caralluma species. These are sometimes put in the Asclepiadaceae.

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