PLANT FACT SHEET

Nerine laticoma (Ker Gawl.) T. Durand & Schinz

GENUS *Nerine* **FAMILY** Amaryllidaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Bulb

DESCRIPTION

A bulb plant. It grows in summer and rests during the winter. The bulb is large. It has 4-8 broad strap shaped leaves. They can be 30 cm long by 2 cm wide. The flowers are pink and in a cluster at the top of the stalk.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants can be grown by seed.

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