PLANT FACT SHEET

Azorella trifurcata (Gaertn.) Hook.f.

GENUS *Azorella* **FAMILY** Apiaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Root

DESCRIPTION

A herb which forms a cushion or compact mound. The leaves are grey-green and leathery. They are 2-5 mm long by 2-5 mm wide. They have 3 lobes. The flowers are yellow and in heads.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. In Argentina it grows from sea level to 3,500 m above sea level. It suits hardiness zones 6-9.

NOTES

There are about 70 Azorella species.

PICTURES



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