PLANT FACT SHEET

Salicornia perennis Mill.

GENUS *Salicornia* **FAMILY** Amaranthaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Stems

The salty stems are eaten cooked or pickled.

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It keeps growing from year to year.

HABITAT

It is a tropical and subtropical plant. It grows in coastal zones.

NOTES

It has previously been put in the Chenopodiaceae.

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