PLANT FACT SHEET

Asparagus ramosissimus Baker

GENUS *Asparagus* **FAMILY** Asparagaceae

COMMON NAMES Cascade asparagus

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Roots

DESCRIPTION

A climbing herb that keeps growing from year to year. It grows 1-2 m tall. It produces root tubers. The stem and branches are angled. The flattened stems are in groups of 3 and narrow.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It grows in moist shady places.

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