PLANT FACT SHEET

Agave subsimplex Trel.

GENUS *Agave* **FAMILY** Asparagaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Stalks, Flowers, leaves

DESCRIPTION

An agave. It does not have a stem and has a low ring of succulent leaves. These can be 20-35 cm tall.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It grows in the desert.

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