PLANT FACT SHEET

Quercus virgiliana Tenore

GENUS *Quercus* **FAMILY** Fagaceae

COMMON NAMES Oak of Virgil

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Nut, Acorn

The oak kernel is roasted and eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It loses its leaves during the year. It grows 13-19 m tall. The leaves are 15 cm long and have 5-7 lobes. They are slightly hairy underneath. The acorns are oval and in groups of 2-4. They are 4 cm across. The cup has a grey white coating.

Probably now Quercus pubescens subsp. pubescens,

HABITAT

It is a Mediterranean plant.

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