PLANT FACT SHEET

Barleria brownii S. Moore

GENUS *Barleria* **FAMILY** Acanthaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Vegetable

DESCRIPTION

A straggling herb or creeper. It grows 3 m high.

HABITAT

A tropical plant.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants can be grown from cuttings.

NOTES

There are over 250 Barleria species.

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