PLANT FACT SHEET

Asclepias meyeriana (Schltr.) Schtr.

GENUS *Asclepias* **FAMILY** Apocynaceae

COMMON NAMES Milk weed

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It grows 8-15 cm tall. It branches at the base. There are several leafy, hairy stems. The leaves are 3-5 cm long by 2 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant.

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