PLANT FACT SHEET

Scorzonera laciniata L.

GENUS *Scorzonera* **FAMILY** Asteraceae

COMMON NAMES Cutleaf vipergrass

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Stems, Flowers, Roots

The young leaves are boiled and eaten. They are also fried.
The bottom of the unripe flowers are eaten in salads.

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It grows 45 cm tall. The leaves are 10-20 cm long by 1-4 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a Mediterranean climate plant. It grows below 500 m above sea level.

NOTES

The plant in Tasmania is Scorzonera laciniata var. laciniata.

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