PLANT FACT SHEET

Sempervivum globiferum L.

GENUS *Sempervivum* **FAMILY** Crassulaceae

COMMON NAMES Hen and chickens houseleek

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

The young leaves are used in soups.

DESCRIPTION

A succulent plant with leaves in rings. The flowers are small and have 6 petals. The flowers are bell shaped.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. They can grow in well-drained poor soils in rock gardens.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants can be grown by division.

NOTES

There are 6 Jovibarba species.

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