PLANT FACT SHEET

Portulaca umbraticola Kunth

GENUS *Portulaca* **FAMILY** Portulacaceae

COMMON NAMES Wingpod purslane

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

The leaves are cooked and eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It grows each year from seeds. The seeds are sword shaped. They are 203 cm long by 1.6 cm wide. It has wings around the rim of the capsule.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It has been recorded at 800 m above sea level in Mexico.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants grow from seed.

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