PLANT FACT SHEET

Use with caution

This plant can be harmful if it is eaten raw, in large amounts or without the right preparation. Read the whole fact sheet before use.

Lathyrus decaphyllus Pursh

GENUS *Lathyrus* **FAMILY** Fabaceae

COMMON NAMES Prairie vetchling

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds

Young seeds can possibly be cooked and eaten. They should only be eaten in small amounts.

DESCRIPTION

A herb.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant.

NOTES

There are about 150 Lathyrus species.

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