PLANT FACT SHEET

Origanum isthmicum Danin

GENUS *Origanum* **FAMILY** Lamiaceae

COMMON NAMES Za'tar, Sinai majoram

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves - flavouring, Leaves - tea

The leaves are dried, powdered and salted then eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A herb.

HABITAT

It is a Mediterranean plant. It grows on limestone rocks in the desert.

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