PLANT FACT SHEET

Ornithogalum pilosum L. f.

GENUS *Ornithogalum* **FAMILY** Asparagaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Roots, Bulb

DESCRIPTION

A bulb plant. It grows 15-30 cm tall. The flowers are star shaped. There can be one or several white flowers in a group.

HABITAT

It is a temperate or Mediterranean climate plant. In South Africa it grows between 60-960 m above sea level.

NOTES

Also put in the family Liliaceae and Hyacinthaceae.

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