PLANT FACT SHEET

Geranium robertianum L.

GENUS *Geranium* **FAMILY** Geraniaceae

COMMON NAMES Herb Robert

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Flowers, Roots

The young leaves are eaten or used to make a tea.
The flowers can be used in salads or as a tea.
The flowers are leaves can be dried and stored.

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It is a sprawling plant. It has an unpleasant smell. It grows 30-40 cm tall. The leaves are dark green and divided like fingers on a hand. They are 6 cm long and have leaflets that are light green with purple edges. The flowers are star shaped and up to 2 cm across. They are dark red. They are usually in pairs near the end of the plant.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It is usually in shady positions.

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