



PLANT FACT SHEET

Pelargonium fulgidum (L.) L'Her.

GENUS *Pelargonium* FAMILY Geraniaceae

COMMON NAMES Rooi malva

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Roots

The fresh leaves are eaten as a snack.

DESCRIPTION

A herb.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant.

PICTURES



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