

COMMON NAME:
COMMON PURSLANE

SCIENTIFIC NAME:
PORTULACA OLERACEA

ALSO CALLED: PURSLANE, LITTLE HOGWEED, PURSLEY, WILD PORTULACA, AND GREEN PURSLANE

FLOWER COLOR: YELLOW
FLOWER ARRANGEMENT: SCATTERED ALONG THE MANY ARMS
FLOWERING TIME: JUNE TO SEPTEMBER
LEAVES: SMALL, SUCCULENT, AND ROUNDISH
NORMAL SIZE: 6"
EDIBLE: YES AND ACTUALLY TASTY IN SALADS
NORMAL ELEVATION: LOW DESERTS TO HIGH PLAINS
HABITATION: LIKES DISTURBED AREAS AND FLAT AREAS
ABUNDANCE: COMMON

NOTABLE DETAILS: HERBACEOUS LOW VINE LIKE PLANT WITH SUCCULENT LEAVES AND SMALL YELLOW FLOWERS

SPECIAL INTEREST: IT REPRESENTS A SPECIAL INTEREST BECAUSE IT TASTES VERY FAVORABLE AND CAN BE USED IN SALADS.