

Botanical Survey of India

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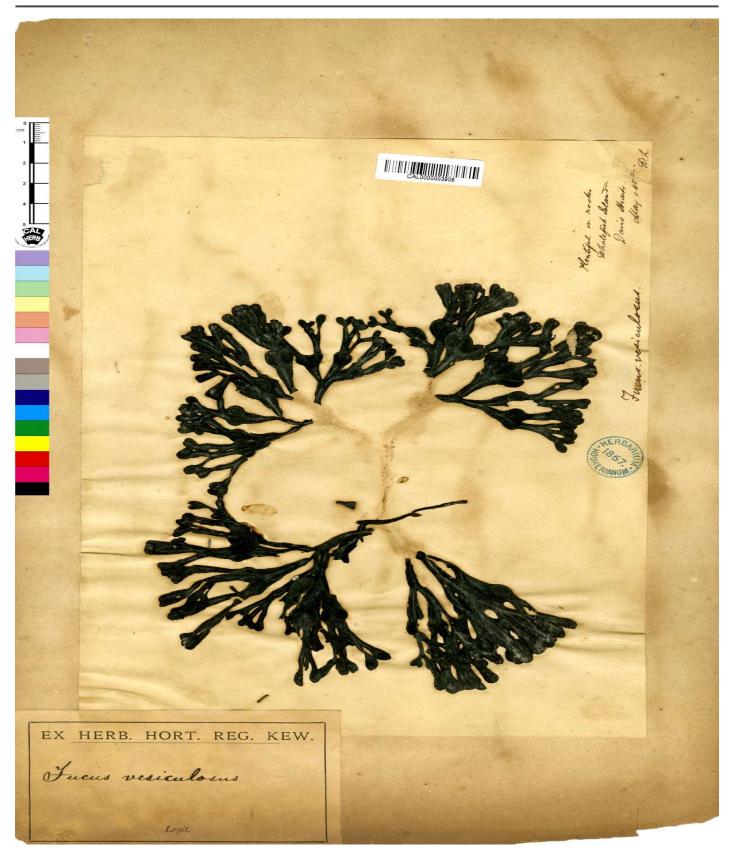


Image Details of Economy Botany Herbarium

Barcode: CAL0000003906

Family: FUCACEAE

Scientific Name: Fucus vesiculosus L.

Uses: The kelp or varec is obtained when the plant is dried and burnt which is an important source of iodine. It is also used in goitre and rheumatism.