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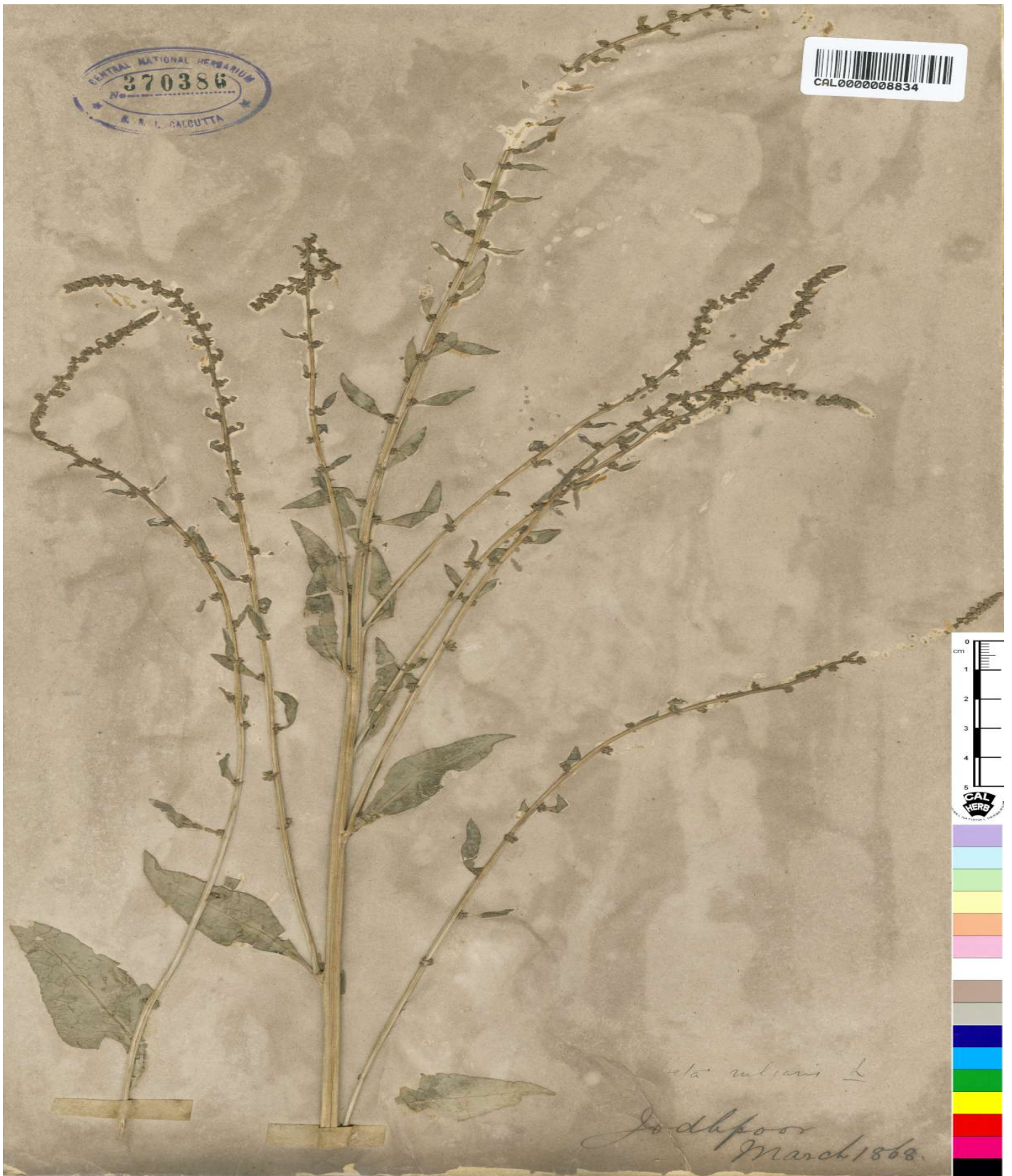


Image Details of Economy Botany Herbarium

Barcode: CAL0000008834

Family: [CHENOPODIACEAE](#)

Scientific Name: [Beta vulgaris L.](#)

Country: [India](#)

Uses: [Juice of the root is sniffed up the nose for headache and toothache ; juice of the white beet is good for liver. Applied to the temples it stops inflammation of eyes. Mixed with oil and alum 11 is good for burns. A decoction of the root is given in doses of half to one tumblerful at bedtime or early morning an hour before breakfast, in cases of habitual constipation and haemorrhoids with much benefit. The red beet is valuable in uterin diseases.](#)