PLANT FACT SHEET

Polygonum limbatum Meissn.

GENUS *Polygonum* **FAMILY** Polygonaceae

COMMON NAMES Mangalleta, Marang, Sukuripota

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves

The leaves are eaten as a vegetable.

DESCRIPTION

A plant which keeps growing from year to year. The stems are hairy at first. They are 80-120 cm long. The leaves are sword shaped and 8-10 cm long. They have short hairs on both sides.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows in wet wooded places.

NOTES

There are about 50 Polygonum species.

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