PLANT FACT SHEET

Costus amazonicus (Loes.) J. F. Macbr.

GENUS *Costus* **FAMILY** Costaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Stem - water

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It has a rhizome or underground stem. The plant grows 1.5 m long. The leaves are dark green above and pale underneath. The flowers are pale yellow and red inside with green bracts.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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