PLANT FACT SHEET

Aloe grandidentata Salm-Dyck

GENUS *Aloe* **FAMILY** Asphodelaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Stem, Vegetable

The stem is cooked as a vegetable.

DESCRIPTION

A herb without a stem. It grows 15-30 cm tall. It develops suckers to form a group. There are 10-20 leaves in a ring. They are 10-25 cm long by 4-7 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant.

NOTES

Also put in the family Asphodelaceae.

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