PLANT FACT SHEET

Callisia repens L.

GENUS *Callisia* **FAMILY** Commelinaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Sap

The sap is drunk.

DESCRIPTION

A herb. It lies along the ground and forms mats. The stems are 1-2 mm across. It forms roots at the nodes. The leaves are spreading. They are 1-4 cm long by 1-2 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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