PLANT FACT SHEET

Plectocomia assamica Griff.

GENUS *Plectocomia* **FAMILY** Arecaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit are eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A climbing palm. The stem can be 15 m long and 15 cm wide. The leaves can be 5 m long with 18-44 leaflets on each side. The fruit are round and have a slightly cone shaped beak. They are 2.5 cm across.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant.

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