PLANT FACT SHEET

Bambusa sinospinosa McClure

GENUS *Bambusa* **FAMILY** Poaceae

COMMON NAMES Chinese thorny bamboo

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Shoots

DESCRIPTION

A bamboo. It grows 15-24 cm tall. The stems are 8-14 cm across. The tips are slightly drooping. The internodes are 20-26 cm long. There is usually only one branches at the lower nodes. The leaf blade is 7-17 cm long by 1-2 cm wide.

HABITAT

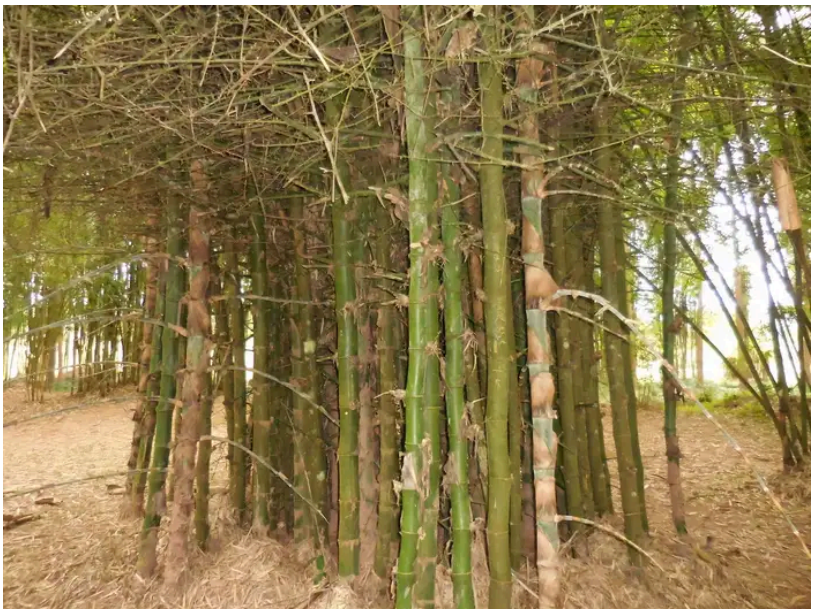
It is a tropical plant. It grows by riversides and in villages. In XTBG Yunnan. In Sichuan.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can be grown as a hedge.

PICTURES



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