PLANT FACT SHEET

Bambusa emeiensis L. C. Chia & H. L. Fung.

GENUS *Bambusa* **FAMILY** Poaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Flowers, Stem

The stem is cooked and eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A bamboo. It grows 5-10 m tall. The stems are 5-8 cm across. The tips hang down. The internodes are 15-30 cm long. Branches are higher up the stem.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It grows in river valleys and hilly areas between 800-2,100 m above sea level. In Sichuan and Yunnan.

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