PLANT FACT SHEET

Borinda stricta (Hsueh f. & C. M. Hui) Stapleton

GENUS *Borinda* **FAMILY** Poaceae

COMMON NAMES Stiff bamboo

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Shoots

DESCRIPTION

A bamboo. It forms dense clumps. The stems are 5-8 m tall and 2-3 cm wide. The internodes are 30-37 cm long. They are hollow except towards the tip. There are 3-5 branches at each node. There are 3-4 leaves towards the end branches.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. In Yunnan. It grows above 2,300 m above sea level.

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