PLANT FACT SHEET

Deparia japonica (Thunb.) M.Kato

GENUS *Deparia* **FAMILY** Athyriaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Fronds

DESCRIPTION

A creeping fern. The fertile fronds are 1 m long. The leaves are twice divided with 4-8 pairs of pinnae. These have 5-18 pairs of lobes.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. In Thailand it grows on muddy rocks near streams at 600-800 m above sea level.

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