PLANT FACT SHEET

Bambusa wenchouensis (T. H. Wen) P. C. Keng ex Y. M. Lin & Q. F. Zheng

GENUS *Bambusa* **FAMILY** Poaceae

COMMON NAMES Wen zhou dan zhu

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Shoots

The shoots are bitter but edible after treatment.

DESCRIPTION

A bamboo. It grows 12-16 m high. The culms are 8-12 cm across. The internodes are 37-50 cm long. The leaf blade is 9-16 cm long by 1-2 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It grows near river banks and around villages between 200-500 m above sea level in Fujian Province in China.

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