PLANT FACT SHEET

Calamus moseleyanus Becc.

GENUS *Calamus* **FAMILY** Arecaceae

COMMON NAMES Rotan batu

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Palm heart, Shoots

The cabbage is cooked as a vegetable.

DESCRIPTION

A climbing palm or rattan.

HABITAT

A tropical plant.

NOTES

There are 375-400 Calamus species. There are 175 species in tropical Asia.

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