PLANT FACT SHEET

Zoysia japonica Steud.

GENUS *Zoysia* **FAMILY** Poaceae

COMMON NAMES Korean lawn grass

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds, Stem, Cereal

DESCRIPTION

A grass which keeps growing from year to year. It has long slender runners or stolons. It forms large mats. The stalks are erect and 20 cm high. The leaf blades are clustered near the base of the shoot. Leaves are 2-5-6 cm long by 0.2-0.4 cm wide. The tip is sharp.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It grows in coastal areas and grassy hillsides in open places

NOTES

There are 5-9 Zoysia species. They are tropical and subtropical. It is a good lawn grass.

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