PLANT FACT SHEET

Panicum atrosanguineum Hochst. ex A Rich.

GENUS *Panicum* **FAMILY** Poaceae

COMMON NAMES Blood grass

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds, Cereal

DESCRIPTION

An annual grass. It forms tufts. It grows 10-40 cm high. The leaf blades are 4-14 cm long by 5-14 mm wide. The flower panicle is oval and 6-20 cm long. It has fine regular spreading branches.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in disturbed land between 100-2,200 m above sea level.

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