PLANT FACT SHEET

Costus dewevrei De Wild. & T. Durand

GENUS *Costus* **FAMILY** Costaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Stem sap

DESCRIPTION

A tall herb. It grows 2-3 m high.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

REFERENCES

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