PLANT FACT SHEET

Cyperus aromaticus (Ridl.) Mattf. & Kuk

GENUS *Cyperus* **FAMILY** Cyperaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Plant - tea

The plant is used for a herbal tea.

DESCRIPTION

A sedge. It has thick creeping rhizomes. The stalks are 3 angled and 25-90 cm tall.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It suits the seasonally dry tropics.

NOTES

Medicine.

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