PLANT FACT SHEET

Calamus muricatus Becc.

GENUS *Calamus* **FAMILY** Arecaceae

COMMON NAMES Rotan melukut

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Palm heart, Cabbage, Shoots

DESCRIPTION

A climbing palm or rattan.

HABITAT

A tropical plant.

NOTES

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

REFERENCES

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