PLANT FACT SHEET

# *Bambusa odashimae* Hatus ex D. Z. Li & Stapleton

**GENUS** *Bambusa* **FAMILY** Poaceae

**COMMON NAMES** Wu chiao lu chu

## EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

**Edible parts:** Shoots

Young shoots are cooked and eaten.

## DESCRIPTION

A bamboo. It is evergreen and clumping. It grows 10-20 m tall. The stems are 4-12 cm across. There are many branches from lower nodes.

## HABITAT

It is a tropical and subtropical plant. It grows in lowland hilly areas.

## PRODUCTION

### Cultivation

Plants can be grown by seed or division.

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