PLANT FACT SHEET

Danthoniopsis ramosa (Stapf) Clayton

GENUS *Danthoniopsis* **FAMILY** Poaceae

COMMON NAMES Rock oats

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds, Cereal

DESCRIPTION

A tussock forming grass. It keeps growing from year to year. It grows up to 1 m high. The leaf blade is 30 cm long and 3 mm wide. The spikelets are 10 mm long. They occur singly or in pairs.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It grows in hot arid places with a marked dry season. It grows in well-drained soils in rocky or sandy soils. It grows between 500-2,100 m above sea level. It can grow in arid places.

PRODUCTION

Harvesting and Seed Production

The seeds are collected from ant hills.

NOTES

It is a C4 plant.

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