PLANT FACT SHEET

Canna discolor Lindl.

GENUS *Canna* **FAMILY** Cannaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Roots - starch

DESCRIPTION

A tall herb. It keeps growing from year to year.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It suits hardiness zones 10-12. It is damaged by frost.

NOTES

Some authorities put it as a variety of Canna discolor.

PICTURES



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