PLANT FACT SHEET

Nymphoides brevipedicellata (Vatke) A. Raynal

GENUS *Nymphoides* **FAMILY** Nymphaeaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Rhizome, Root

DESCRIPTION

A herb that grows in water and keeps growing from year to year. It has floating runners that are 3-5 mm thick. The leaves are 6-10 cm across. They are oval or round.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in water. It can grow in pools and rivers up to 1,750 m above sea level.

NOTES

Also put in the family Menyanthaceae.

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