PLANT FACT SHEET

Schizostachyum funghomii McClure

GENUS *Schizostachyum* **FAMILY** Poaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Shoots, Vegetable

The shoots are cooked and eaten. They are also dried and preserved.

DESCRIPTION

A bamboo. The culms are 10-20 m tall. They are 4-10 cm wide. The internodes are 67 cm long. There are 6-9 leaves on the last branch. The leaf blade is 20-30 cm long by 3-4 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. In Yunnan.

PRODUCTION

Harvesting and Seed Production

An edible shoot weighs between 0.5-2 kg.

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