PLANT FACT SHEET

Thelypteris alatella (Christ) C. F. Reed

GENUS *Thelypteris* **FAMILY** Aspleniaceae

COMMON NAMES Fern

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fronds, Leaves

DESCRIPTION

A fern.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It suits the wet tropics.

NOTES

There are about 800 Thelypteris species. They grow in the tropics and subtropics. Also put in the family Thelypteridaceae.

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