PLANT FACT SHEET

Dracaena spicata Roxb.

GENUS *Dracaena* **FAMILY** Asparagaceae

COMMON NAMES Dragon tree

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Flowers, Tubers

The flowers are cooked with meat.
The tubers are cooked as a vegetable.

DESCRIPTION

An annual shrub. The leaves are alternate or crowded near the end of the plant. The flowers are in groups. The fruit are orange-red berries.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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