PLANT FACT SHEET

Puccinellia distans (Jacq.) Parl.

GENUS *Puccinellia* **FAMILY** Poaceae

COMMON NAMES Weeping alkaligrass

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds

DESCRIPTION

A grass. It keeps growing from year to year. It forms tufts. It grows 20-40 cm tall. The stem are 1-2 mm wide. The leaf blade is 2-10 cm long by 1-2 mm wide. The flower is an open panicle.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It grows in salty, moist grassy places beween 100-2,000 m in north China.

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