PLANT FACT SHEET

Musa balbisiana var. liukiuensis (Matsum.) Hakkinen

GENUS *Musa* **FAMILY** Musaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Flowers

The flowering shoot is eaten boiled or fried and used as pickles.

DESCRIPTION

A banana.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant.

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