PLANT FACT SHEET

Imperata conferta (J. Presl.) Ohwi

GENUS *Imperata* **FAMILY** Poaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Rhizome - drink - medicine

DESCRIPTION

A grass. It can form clumps due to underground rhizomes or runners. It can grow 1-2 m tall.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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