PLANT FACT SHEET

Lilium henryi Baker

GENUS *Lilium* **FAMILY** Liliaceae

COMMON NAMES Hu bei bai he

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Root, Bulb

DESCRIPTION

A bulb plant. The bulb can be 7 cm across. The plant grows 90-250 cm high and 25-30 cm wide. It forms roots on the stem. The stems are tall and arching. The flowers occur as 10-20 together. They are suspended on horizontal stalks. They are orange with black spotting among warty outgrowths.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. It is frost hardy. It needs neutral to slightly alkaline soil. In China it grows on mountain slopes between 700-1000 m altitude in N China. It suits hardiness zones 5-9.

NOTES

There are about 100 Lilium species.

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