PLANT FACT SHEET

Hosta sieboldiana var. montana (F. Maek.) Zonn.

GENUS *Hosta* **FAMILY** Asparagaceae

COMMON NAMES Plantain lily

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Leaves, Stem

It can be eaten raw. It is used in salads.

DESCRIPTION

A clump forming lily like plant. It grows 100 cm high and spreads 100 cm wide. The leaves are broad and deep green. The leaves taper top a point. The leaves have heavy veins. The leaves are 30 cm long. The flowers are grey to white. The flower stems are leafy.

HABITAT

It is a temperate plant. In Japan it grows in wet places in the mountains. It suits hardiness zones 6-10.

NOTES

There are 70 Hosta species. Also put in the family Hostaceae.

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