PLANT FACT SHEET

Cenchrus leptachanthus A Camus

GENUS *Cenchrus* **FAMILY** Poaceae

COMMON NAMES Spiny cram-cram'

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds, Grain, Cereal

It is used in kreb a grain mixture eaten in Chad.

DESCRIPTION

A grass.

HABITAT

A tropical plant. It grows on clayey and sandy soils.

NOTES

There are about 23 Cenchrus species.

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