PLANT FACT SHEET

Himalayacalamus fimbriatus Stapleton

GENUS *Himalayacalamus* **FAMILY** Poaceae

COMMON NAMES Tite nigalo

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Shoots

The tender shoots are cooked as a vegetable.

DESCRIPTION

A bamboo. The sheath of the stem has dense orange-brown hairs. The sheath is rough in the inside. The tip is narrowed.

HABITAT

In Nepal it grows between 110-1800 m altitude. It grows on open slopes.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants are grown by splitting the rhizome.

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