PLANT FACT SHEET

Cyperus rotundus subsp. tuberosus (Rottb.) Kuk

GENUS *Cyperus* **FAMILY** Cyperaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Tubers, Culms, Root

The culm bases are eaten.

DESCRIPTION

A sedge. These grow in clumps and have grass like leaves and solid stalks.

HABITAT

A tropical and subtropical plant. It grows in damp places.

NOTES

There are 550 Cyperus species.

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