

Cymbopogon densiflorus - Lemongrass

- Gramineae - Warm zones of Africa and Asia



In Tanganyika the native medicine men smoke the flowers of *Cymbopogon densiflorus* alone or with tobacco to cause dreams which they believe foretell the future. The leaves have a pleasant citron aroma.

Unfortunately very little is known about this interesting perennial grass which grows in Gabon, the Congo and Nyasaland.