PLANT FACT SHEET

Bactris elegans Schaedtler

GENUS *Bactris* **FAMILY** Arecaceae

COMMON NAMES Elegans palm

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A palm. A small prickly palm. It forms loose clumps. There can be 8 stems. They are slender and spiny.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in the lowland rainforest between 100-275 m above sea level.

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