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# *Daemonorops formicaria* Becc.

**GENUS** *Daemonorops* **FAMILY** Arecaceae

## EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

**Edible parts:** Fruit

## DESCRIPTION

A cane or rattan. The stem has many long soft needles. Light brown fruit has criss-cross pattern. Edible fruit, sweet taste. Rattan used for tying, etc.

Possibly now Calamus formicarius (Becc.) W. J. Baker;

## HABITAT

A tropical plant.

## NOTES

There are 115 Daemonorops species.

## REFERENCES

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