PLANT FACT SHEET

Edibility uncertain

It has not been confirmed that this plant is safe to eat. Do not eat it on the strength of this fact sheet alone.

Agave durangensis Gentry

GENUS *Agave* **FAMILY** Asparagaceae

COMMON NAMES Zacatecas agave

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Stalks, Flowers

It is porbably the leaf bases and flower stalks that are used for mescal drink.

DESCRIPTION

An agave.

HABITAT

It is a subtropical plant. It grows at about 3,000 m above sea level.

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