PLANT FACT SHEET

Pandanus papuanus Solms

GENUS *Pandanus* **FAMILY** Pandanaceae

COMMON NAMES Thatch screw pine

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit, Nut

DESCRIPTION

A tree. It grows 4-14 m tall. It is spiny. It has prop roots. Male and female flowers are separate. The fruit is a large head made up of several nuts.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows on the edges of mangroves and near beaches. It grows between 0-610 m above sea level. In Townsville Queens BG.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

Plants can be grown from seeds.

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