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.

Colpothrinax wrightii Griseb. & H. Wendl. ex Voss

GENUS *Colpothrinax* **FAMILY** Arecaceae

COMMON NAMES Cuban bottle palm

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A palm. It can grow 12-15 m tall. The stem is swollen. The stem is 30 cm across and the bulge 90 cm across. The leaves are dark green and have tips that hang down.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It can grow in poor soils and dry areas.

PRODUCTION

Cultivation

It can grow in poor soils and

NOTES

Possibly only animal food.

PICTURES



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