PLANT FACT SHEET

Bactris glandulosa Oerst.

GENUS *Bactris* **FAMILY** Arecaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A palm. It grows 3.5-5 m tall. The trunk is 1.2-4 cm wide. It has spines. The leaves are 0.8-1.5 m long. The fruit are about 1 cm across.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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