PLANT FACT SHEET

Attalea eichleri (Drude) A. J. Hend.

GENUS *Attalea* **FAMILY** Arecaceae

COMMON NAMES Large-fruit yagua palm

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds, Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A palm. It grows 1.5 m tall. The leaves are 2.7 m long. The fruiting shoots are near ground level. The fruiting shoots point upwards and have several fruit. The fruit are brown and 7 cm long by 4 cm wide.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant.

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