PLANT FACT SHEET

Attalea cephalotus Poepp. ex Mart.

GENUS *Attalea* **FAMILY** Arecaceae

COMMON NAMES Smallhead attalea

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Seeds, Fruit

DESCRIPTION

A palm.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant. It grows in the wet tropics.

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