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HOUSEPLANT CARE GUIDES

Syagrus romanzoffiana

QUEEN PALM

Ö Light

The Queen Palm thrives in full sun to bright, indirect light. Place it near a south- or west-facing window for ample light. While it can tolerate partial shade, Insufficient light may slow growth and diminish its vibrancy.



SOIL

For Palm trees mix 2/3 Rooted Goods All-Purpose Potting Mix or Uncle Mike's Organic Potting Mix and 1/3 coarse gardening sand. Alternatively, You can also use Espoma's Organic Cactus mix.

REGION OF ORIGIN

South America



The Queen Palm prefers soil that is kept evenly moist but not soggy. Allow the top 1-2 inches of soil to dry between waterings. Ensure water drains out of the bottom of the pot, and always empty the saucer after watering to prevent root rot.

⊷ FERTILIZER

We recommend fertilizers like Espoma Organic Palm Tone, Jack's Houseplant Special, or Organic Plant Magic. These options provide essential nutrients to keep your plants vibrant and thriving.

TEMPERATURE

The Queen Palm thrives indoors at temperatures between 65-85°F (18-29°C). Avoid exposing it to temperatures below 50°F (10°C). This palm prefers a warm, stable environment and should be kept away from cold drafts, air conditioners, or heaters.



Monitor for pests such as scale and spider mites. Regularly inspect your plant for signs of infestation and treat promptly with natural or chemical remedies.



Propagating Queen Palm can be a bit tricky, as they don't produce offshoots or baby plants. For patient gardeners, the most common method of propagation is through seeds, though it's a slow-growing process. This method requires time and attention, as seeds can take several months to germinate.



The Queen Palm is considered pet-friendly and non-toxic to cats and dogs. However, it's still a good idea to keep it out of reach to prevent pets from chewing on the fronds, which may cause mild stomach upset.