

# CAT PALM

## REGION OF ORIGIN

Southeastern Mexico



### LIGHT

Cat palms thrive in bright indirect sunlight, making them perfect for spaces with ample natural light. These plants should be protected from direct sunlight, which can scorch their leaves.



### 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 use Espoma's Organic Cactus mix.



### WATER

Maintain even moisture levels by watering regularly, ensuring the soil doesn't dry out completely between waterings. Cat Palms love higher humidity, so misting the plant occasionally or placing it near a humidifier will help it maintain its beauty.



### 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

Maintain temperatures between 60-80°F for optimal growth. Avoid temperatures below 50°F, as Cat Palms are not frost-tolerant and can suffer severe damage in cold conditions.



### ISSUES + FIXES

Keep an eye out for spider mites, a common pest for Cat palms. Regularly inspect the leaves and treat any infestations promptly with insecticidal soap or neem oil to prevent damage.



### PRUNING & PROPAGATION

Trim away any dead or yellowing fronds to promote new growth and maintain the plant's compact shape. Cat palms can be propagated through division. Carefully separate the palm into smaller sections and repot into fresh soil, keeping it evenly moist.



### PET FRIENDLY ?

Cat palms are non-toxic to pets, making them a safe and beautiful addition to homes with furry friends.