

## **Umbrella Palm**

***Scientific Name: Cyperus alternifolius***



### ***Features:***

- 1. These “Cyperus” means sedges and “alternifolius” refers to the alternate pattern of arrangement of leaves. The leaves of these plants grasp the stem in such a manner that it becomes indistinguishable.**
- 2. The bracts are arranged at the top in such a manner giving it an appearance of an umbrella. These plants can filter out pollutants from soil and hence are used for the purpose of phytoremediation.**



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