

Dieffenbachia seguine (Araceae)

Common name(s)

Dicha; Mata Del Cancer; Dumbcane

Use	Country/Region	Reference
Angina	West Indies	
Aphrodisiac	Cuba	
Arrow	Brazil	Altschul, Siri Von Reis. 1973. Drugs and foods from little-known plants. Harvard Univ. Press
Castration	Germany	
Caustic	Elsewhere	
Contraceptive	Cuba	
Contraceptive	Dominica	
Contraceptive	Portorico	
Contraceptive	Guadelupe	
Contraceptive	Santa Lucia	
Corn	Cuba	Hartwell, J.L. 1967-71. Plants used against cancer. A survey. Lloydia 30-34.
Cyanogenetic	Elsewhere	
Dropsy	Wi(Carib)	
Dysmenorrhea	West Indies	
Edema	West Indies	
Frigidity	Elsewhere	
Gargle	West Indies	
Homeopathy	Elsewhere	
Homicide	Wi(Carib)	
Impotency	Elsewhere	
Insecticide	Cuba	
Internulcer	Colombia	
Poison		Lewis and Elvin-Lewis, Medical Botany, ca 1977
Poison	Elsewhere	
Poison(Arrow)	Colombia(Vichada)	
Poison(Arrow)	Brazil(Tucuna)	
Poison(Arrow)	Brazil	
Prurigo	West Indies	
Rodenticide	Cuba	
Sterilizant	Germany	
Sterilizant(Male)	West Indies	
Varicosity	Wi(Carib)	
Wart	Cuba	Hartwell, J.L. 1967-71. Plants used against cancer. A survey. Lloydia 30-34.
Yaws	Wi(Carib)	