

Plant Species

Accepted Name: *Alstonia scholaris* R.BR.
Family: APOCYNACEAE
Used in: Ayurveda, Siddha, Unani, Folk, Homeopathy, Sowa Rigpa, Chinese
Habit: Tree
Distribution: This species is globally distributed in the Paleotropics. Within India, it is found almost throughout, up to an altitude of 600 m.



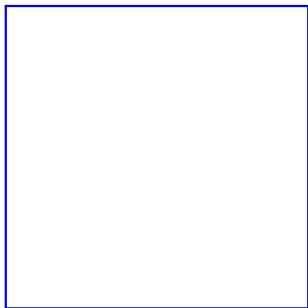
Common Uses

The bark, latex and flowers of Saptaparna is used in the form of juice, decoction, latex and paste to treat bronchial asthma, prameha, dirty wounds, kustha, for purification of breast-milk, caries, poisoning and fever.

Herbarium



Geographical Distribution Map



Languages (No. of Names) :	Vernacular Names
English (1) :	dita bark
Hindi (10) :	chatian, chatiun, chattiyan, chhatan, chhatium, saitankajhad, saittan ka jat, satiun, satni, satwin
Kannada (38) :	aelele haale, bantale, doddapala, doddapale, elelebale, elelehale, elelepale, haale, haale mara, hale, jantala, jantale, janthaale mara, janthalla, janthalle, janthatthi, janthra haale, jantrahale, kaadu haale, kaadu saale, kadusaale, kadusale, kodaale, kodale, kodu haale, koduhale, koduhale madale, maddaale, maddale, madi haale, mudhol, mudihale, paale, palai, pale, palembu, saptaparni, yelegebaale mara
Malayalam (19) :	daivapala, daivappala, elilampala, elilapala, elilapalei, erilampala, ezhilampala, ezhilapala, kodapala, kotapala, mangalapala, mangalappala, mokkanpala, mukampala, mukkampala, mukkanpala, pala, shaitanwood, yaksippala
Marathi (9) :	saptaparni, sapthaparni, sathuin, sathvin, sathwin, satuin, satveen, satvin, satwin

Sanskrit (48) : ayugmachchhada, ayugmaparna, ayukachhada, bahuparna, brihattvaka, brihatvaka, chatraparna, dalegandhi, devavriksha, gandhiparna, grahanasha, grahanashamaparna, grahashi, guchhapushpa, jivani, kshatrya, madagandha, munichhada, na, palagaruda, payasya, sapta-parna, saptacchada, saptacchadah, saptachadah, saptachhada, saptahva, saptanga, saptaparna, saptaparnah, saptaparni, sarada, shalmalipatraka, sharada, sharadipushpa, shirarujam, shuktiparna, sringiritika, suparnaka, sutipatra, vidha, vinada, vinyaka, visalatvak, visaltvak, visamacchada, vishalatvaka, vishamachhada

Tamil (19) : azhilaip-palai, captaparanam, captaparani, elalaipalai, elilai-p-palai, elilai-ppalai, elilaippalai, elilappalai, ezhilai palai, ezhilai-palai, ezhilaip-palai, maranallari, mukam-palei, mukkanbalai, palai, palegaruda, palegarudu, tirunamappalai, vadirasi

Telugu (17) : daevasurippi, devasurippi, edaakulapaala, edaakulaponna, edakula-ariti, edakula-pala, edakula-ponna, edakulapala, edakulaponna, edakularati, elaaramu, elaramu, konda ganneru, paalagaruda, palagaruda, palagaruda, yedakulapala

Tibetan (1) : lo ma bdun

Urdu (1) : kashim (chatim)

Parts Used (No. of Names) :	Trade Name
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BARK (2) : SAPTAPARNA CHHAL, SAPTHPOORNA CHAAL (SATHVIN)
Not recorded (6) : EZHILAMPAALA, SAPTAPARNA, SAPTAPARNA CHHAL (SATVIN), SAPTAPARNACHAL (SATVEEN), SAPTAPARNI NEW, SAPTHPOORNA CHAAL (SATHVIN)



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