

Plant Species

Accepted Name: *Vitex negundo* L.

Family: VERBENACEAE

Synonyms:

- *Vitex paniculata* LAM.

Used in: Ayurveda, Siddha, Unani, Folk, Sowa Rigpa, Chinese
Habit: Shrub

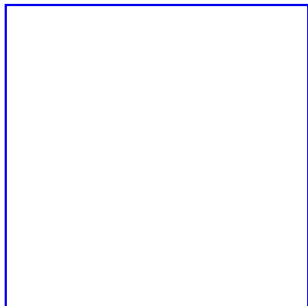
Distribution: This species is globally distributed in Indo-Malesia, cultivated in America, Europe, Asia and West Indies. Within India, it is found throughout the greater part of India, ascending to an altitude of 1500 m. in the outer Himalayas. It is abundant in open-waste lands. It is widely planted as a hedge-plant along the roads and between the fields.



Herbarium



Geographical Distribution Map



Languages (No. of Names) :

Vernacular Names

Arabic (7) : aslag, aslaq, fanjangasht, negund babri, zukhamsate-asabea, zukhamsatil-ouraq, zukhamsatilo-uraq

Hindi (34) : bana, banana, banha, banna, bannah, kali-nirgundi, mewri, negad, nengar, newri, ningori, nirgandi, nirgud, nirgunda, nirgundi, nisinda, panikisambhalu, sambhal, sambhalu, samhalu, sanbhalu, sanghalu, saubhalu, sawbhalu, shawalu, shimalu, shiwali, shriwari, siwain, siwali, tarvan, veeru, veeru dhayad, wana

Kannada (31) : bile-nekki, bilee lakki, bilee nekki, bilenekki, karilakki, karinekkilu, karlakki, karlekki, lakkagida, lakki, lakki gida, lakki-gida, lakkili, lakkli, leckee, lekki, lekkigidda, lokki, nakkilu, neckila, neera gundi, nekka, nekki, nekkilu, niragundi, nirgundi, nocci, nochi, nukki, shiruboli, shurnboli

Malayalam (19) : bem-nosi, bemnosi, bennochi, bennochie, indrani, karunocci, nocchi, nocci, noch-chi, nochi, nuchil, pennochi, vallanochi, vella-noch-chi, vellanocci, vellanochi, velnocci, vennocci, vennochi

Marathi (8) : limgud, lingur, negumd, nengar, nirguda, nirgunda, nirgundi, nirgur
Persian (3) : banj-angasht, panj-angusht, sisban
Sanskrit (20) : indrani, nilanirgundi, nilapushpa, nirgundi, nirgundika, renuka, sephalika, shephali, shvetasurasa, sindhooka, sindhuvaram, sinduka, sinduvara, sinduvarah, sinduya, sugandhika, surasa, suvaha, svetasurasa, vrikshaha

Tamil (105) : aintilainocci, anincil, arttacittikam, cantiracuracam, caturappirantai, cavurecuram, centuvaracceti, centuvaram, chinduvaram, cinkirukacceti, cinkirukam, cinkorikam, cinkorikamaram, cintu, cintu1, cintukacceti, cintukam, cintukam@, cintuvaracceti, cintuvaram, cintuvari, cintuvarimaram, cirantukam, citacuracam, citaracakoli, copalikai, cumirtam1, cuntai1, curacam3, curaci, cuvetacuracam, intira curiyam, intiracuracam, intiranam, intirani1, intiranikai, itanacikam, kotaikkiricam, kunti, kurupatam, kurupatamaram, makicani, makicaniceti, malainoccimaram, mancitalikam, montika, montikanocci, nacci, nallanocci, nallanochi, natikantam2, nattunocci, nekkunti, nerkkunti, nerkunti, nilakantakacceti, nilakantikam, nilaputpam, nilaputpikai, nilaputpikaiceti, nirakulli, nirkkundi, nirkkunti, nirkkunticeti, nirkundi, nirkunti, nirnochchi, nittal, nittil, nittirakacacceti, nittirakacam, nocci, nocciceti, noccili, noch-chi, nochchi, nochhi, nochchi, noochie, notchi, nuvanai1, paccalai, paccalaimaram, pampeyam, pampeyamaram, paurakam, pavurakam, peratam, purtti, putakeci, putateki, putaveci@, sinduvaaram, sinduvaram, tiriburamerittan, tiripuramerittan2, vellai nocci, vellai nochchi, vellai-noch-chi, vellainocci, vellainochi, vennocci, vennocci#, vennocci@, vennochchi

Telugu (18) : lukki, nalla-vavili, nallavavili, sindhuvaramu, sindhuvaruma, sindu vaaramu, sinduvaramu, tell-vavili, tellavavili, vail, vamatyakku, vavili, vayala, vayi, vayila, veyala, vyala, wayala

Tibetan (1) : ni rgun tha

Urdu (2) : sambhalu, tukhm sambhalu

Parts Used (No. of Names) :

Trade Name

LEAF (2) : KARINOCHIYILA PACHA, LAKKI SOPPU

LEAVES (3) : NIGODPAN (NIRGUNDIPAN), NIRGUDI PAAN, NOCHI

Not recorded (6) : KARINOCHIYILA, NEERGUNDI (LAKADI), NIGODPAN(NEERGUNDIPAN), NIRGUDI BEEJ, NIRGUDI PAAN, NIRGUNDI, NAGODHPANCHANG

ROOT (1) : KARINOCHI

SEEDS (1) : NIRGUDI BEEJ



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