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JATI

Marathi Name:

Chameli, Chambeli

Botanical Name:

Jasminum grandiflorum

Synonyms:

Jasminum officinale var. *grandiflorum*

Family:

Oleaceae

Common Name:

Chameli

Description:

Royal Jasmine is a climbing shrub, 2-4 m long. Highly fragrant flowers are borne in 2-9-flowered cymes, in leaf axils, or at branch-ends. Flowers are white, opening flat-faced, tube 1.3-2.5 cm, petals often 5, oblong, 1.3-2.2 cm. Sepals are slender linear, 5-10 mm. Flower-stalks are 0.5-2.5 cm, middle pedicel of cymes prominently shorter. Bracts are linear, 2-3 mm. Branchlets are round in cross-section, angular or grooved. Leaves are opposite, pinnately cut or compound with 5-9 leaflets. Leaf-stalks are 0.5-4 cm, leaflet blade ovate or narrowly so (end one usually narrowly rhomboid), 0.7-3.8 x 0.5-1.5 cm, base cuneate or blunt, apex acute, acuminate, or blunt, sometimes mucronate. Flowering: August-October.

Attributes::

Rasa- Tikta, Kashay, Veerya- Ushna, Vipak- katu, Guna- Laghu, Snigdha.

Medicinal uses:

It is popular as an alternative to standard western allopathic medicine for a variety of problems; including cancer (especially of the bone, lymph nodes and breast) stress relief, anxiety as well as depression.