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SAPTAPARNA

Marathi:

Botanical name:

Synonyms:

Family:

Common name:

Description -

Large evergreen tree reaching up to height of 17 to 20 m, have bitter milky latex. Bark is greyish brown, rough, lenticellate. 4-7 Leaves in a whorl, coriaceous, elliptic-oblong, pale beneath. Flowers small, greenish white, spice scented. Fruits follicles, 30 – 60 cm long. Seeds papillose with brownish hair at each end.

Attributes - :

Medicinal uses:

Diarrhoea-Take powdered bark (3 teaspoon) of Devil's tree and soak in one glass boiling water for one hour. Filter and drink 2-3 times a day.

Indigestion, Gastritis, Slimy/Mucus stools-Take powdered bark (1/2 teaspoon) of Devil's tree and soak in boiling water for one hour. Filter and drink once a day.

Fever, rheumatism, scrotal hernia-Take root powder (1/4 teaspoon) in a cup of lukewarm water and drink.

Joint pain, Rheumatism, ulcers-Prepare paste of its bark and apply at affected areas.

Satvin

Alstonia scholaris

Echites scholaris L., *Pala scholaris* (L.) Roberty

Apocynaceae

Blackboard tree or Devil's tree

Rasa- Tikta Kashaya Vipaka: Katu Veerya: Ushna Guna: Laghu, Snigdha

Ulcers-Apply milky latex on ulcers.