# Acacia Concinna, Shikakai - Plant



Acacia concinna (Hindi name - Shikakai) is a climber shrub native to Asia, common in the warm plains of central and south India.

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Description

## **Description for Acacia Concinna, Shikakai**

The plants are medium fast growing and which is bushy cum creeper. These plants having curvy thorns, once the plants are developed animals even elephants not able to cross.

Common name Flower colours Bloom time Height Difficulty Shikakai Pink Flowering and fruiting The tree grows upto a Easy. occurs between the months of October to January.

## Planting and care

Land should be well plough before planting. Keep proper distance between beds in the field.

Sunlight Fertilizer Soil Water Temperature Full sun. The plants can be grown in Minimum 18 degrees C. FYM should be incorporated Plants requires plenty of moderately fertile. It can in soil at the time of land water. also cultivate in neutral to preparation. acidic soil.

### **Caring for Acacia Concinna**

- If there is no rainfall, then regular watering is required at regular intervals.
- Watering should be given after 15 days of plantation.

## **Typical uses of Acacia Concinna**

### Special features:

**Medicinal use:** An infusion of the leaves is used in malarial fever. A decoction of the pods relieves biliousness and acts as a purgative. It is used to remove dandruff. An ointment, prepared from the ground pods, is good for skin diseases. The pods are reported to be used in north Bengal for poisoning fish. The shikakai fruits are having good market, which will fetch good prices, these dried fruits are used to manufacture in herbal products and shampoo.

### References

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