

## Mimusops Hexandra, Khirni - 0.5 Kg Seeds



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Rating: Not Rated Yet

### Price

Sales price R 1,177

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### Description

Note:: This seeds will be available in 3 weeks time.

Note: We do not provide germination guarantee in forestry, ornamental seeds & medicinal seeds. Proper germination instruction and plant care conditions must be followed by customer for expected results.

Sprays of white or pale yellow flowers with oblong petals open from August-December on branches clad in thick leathery leaves. The wood is very hard, heavy, and very durable, weighing 70 pounds per cubic foot, the bark colour ranging from dark pink to dark purple. This wood is frequently used for heavy structural work such as gate posts and big beams.

Found across SE Asia and the Indian sub-continent, this slow-growing evergreen tree grows in tropical and temperate forests.

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**Bloom time:** September-December

**Height:** 3 to 25 m

**Difficulty level:** Easy

Planting & Care

Use

**Medicinal use:**

- The seeds are of medicinal value

**Culinary use:**

- The fruit can be eaten fresh or dried.
- A sweet flavour, but somewhat astringent.
- A pale yellow oil, known as rayan oil, is obtained from the seed kernels.
- The seeds contain 25% oil.
- The bark is added to palm sugar to inhibit fermentation.