

Polyathia Longifolia, Ashok - 0.5 Kg Seeds



Polyathia longifolia's common names include False Ashoka, the Buddha Tree, Indian mast tree, and Indian Fir tree. Its names in other languages include Ashoka in Sanskrit, Unboi(????) or Debadaru (???????) in Assamese, Debdaru in Bengali and Hindi, Asopalav (Gujarati), Glodogan tiang (Indonesian), Ashok in Marathi and Nettiinkam ?????????????? in Tamil, and araNamaram: ?????? (Malayalam). Difference Between all tree varieties of Ashoka Tree: Saraca asoca, Sita Ashok (Height approx.) -- 10 to 15 (Provide good shade as well) Polyathia Longifolia, Ashok (Height approx.) -- 40 to 50 feet (Straight Tall), and Longifolia = long + folia = long + leaves Pendula Ashok (Height approx.)-- 20 to 25 feet (Straight Tall)

Rating: Not Rated Yet

Price

Sales price R 1,957

Discount

[Ask a question about this product](#)

Description It s hard to get close to the flower when it s releasing its smell. But the foul odor only lasts for a few hours after the flower opens. The plant only blooms when mature and even so it doesn t bloom every year.

Common name: False Ashoka, the Buddha Tree, Indian mast tree, and Indian Fir tree

Color: pink

Bloom time: March, April, May, Early Summer, Spring.

Height: 30 ft

Difficulty level: easy to grow

Planting & Care

Place 2 or 3 seeds in 7cm (3") pots of seed compost, giving enough water to make the mixture barely moist. Cover the pot with clear plastic wrap. Place the pots in bright light at a temperature of 18 to 21°C (65 to 70°F). Water enough to keep soil from drying out completely.

Sunlight: Full Sun to Partial Shade

Soil: well-drained soil

Water: Medium

Temperature: 20.c

Fertilizer: Apply any organic fertilizer

Care:

- Potting soil used for palm plants should be well draining, and any container used for the plant should have ample drainage holes in the bottom.
- Soil should be moist at all times during the growing season, although it is essential to avoid over-saturation, which can lead to root rot.
-

Care:

- Allow the plant soil to dry out a little more in the winter than in the summer.
- A daily mist of water helps to keep humidity levels high.
- If frond tips become brown, the humidity is too low.
- A light fertilizer application from late winter through early fall helps fan palm plants remain vital.

Special Feature:

The solitary leaf, which emerges after the flowering parts, resembles a small tree. In India this species as a crop is grown mostly in Bihar, West Bengal, Kerala, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Maharashtra and Orissa.

Use

Medicinal use:

- Unverified information The elephant-foot yam is widely used in Indian medicine and is recommended as a remedy in all three of the major Indian medicinal systems: Ayurveda, Siddha and Unani.
- The corm is prescribed for bronchitis, asthma, abdominal pain, emesis, dysentery, enlargement of spleen, piles, elephantiasis, diseases due to vitiated blood, and rheumatic swellings.
- br> Pharmacological studies have shown a variety of effects, specifically antiprotease activity, analgesic activity, and cytotoxic activity.
- In addition it has been found to be a potentiator for further reducing bacteria activity when used with antibiotics.
-

Note:

for medicinal use, please consult appropriate doctor before use.

Reference:

<http://www.flowersofindia.net/risearch/search.php?query=Indian+mast+tree%2C&stpos=0&stype=AND>