

Saraca Asoca, Sita Ashok, Ashoka Tree - Plant



Saraca indica is a small evergreen tree. The leaves are paripinnate with 6 to 12 leaflets, oblong and rigidly sub-coriaceous.

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Description

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Ashoka is an evergreen wild tree still found in Himalayas and across Indian sub-continent. It's height is about 6-9 meters, leaves 15-25 cm long and green colour. In spring season ashoka tree is covered with red colour flowers and looks really very beautiful. The fruits are about 6-10 inches long, looks like broad beans containing 6-8 grey colour seed like chest nut.

Common name	Flower colours	Bloom time	Height	Difficulty
Asok, Ashok, Asogam, Wu You Hua, Osaka	Green white	Spring, Late Spring, Early Summer, Summer, Late Summer	3 to 40 feet	Easy to grow

Planting and care

Sunlight	Soil	Water	Temperature	Fertilizer
Full shade	Well drained soil	Medium	20 to 35 degrees C	Apply any organic fertilizer

Caring for Saraca Asoca

- Plants need water, but the watering amount varies in different plants.
- Summer Plants does not need much watering but some Vegetables plant does need lots of water.
- Watering should be in an optimum amount for plant's healthy growth.
- For proper watering, first find the type of soil and type of soil drainage favorable for the plant.
- Watering is one of the major factors of Ashoka care.
- A caring gardener should always know the amount of water needed for respective plants.
- In summer: Lots of watering.

- In Winter: Average Water.
- If you have a large garden, compare and discover plants which need lots of water and you will be able to decide the irrigation method to install in your garden.
- For over-watering plants drip irrigation is implemented.
- Such methods will help to water your plants in precise quantities ensuring their perfect care.

Typical uses of Saraca Asoca

Special features:

Culinary use:

Ornamental use: The plant is used for ornamental purpose.

Medicinal use: The bark of Ashoka Tree is used for its medicinal value and it is reported to have a stimulating effect on the endometrium and ovarian tissue. Always seek advice from a professional before using a plant medicinally

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