

## Species Datasheet

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(family.genus.species)

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### 1.Taxon:

Species: *Achillea millefolium*L.

Subspecies

Variety

Cultivar

Hybrid

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**2. Synonyms:** *Achillea albida* Willd., *A.alpicola* (Rydb.) Rydb., *A.ambigua* Boiss., *A.ambigua* Pollini, *A.anethifolia* Fisch. ex Herder, *A angustissima* Rydb., *A.arenicola* A.Heller, *A.bicolor* Wender, *A.borealis* Bong., *A.borealis* var. *arenicola* J.T.Howell, *A.borealis* subsp. *arenicola* (A.Heller) D.D.Keck, *A.borealis* f. *borealis*, *A.borealis* subsp. *borealis*, *A.borealis* var. *borealis*, *A.borealis* subsp. *californica* (Pollard) D.D.Keck, *A.borealis* var. *californica* (Pollard) J.T.Howell, *A.borealis* f. *fusca* (Rydb.) Hulten, *A.californica* Pollard, *A.ceratanica* Sennen, *A.compacta* Lam., *A.coronopifolia* Willd., *A.crassifolia* Colla, *A.cristata* Hort. ex DC., *A.cuspidata* Wall., *A.dentifera* Rchb., *A.eradiata* Piper, *A.fusca* Rydb., *A.gigantea* Pollard, *A.gracilis* Raf., *A.haenkeana* Tausch, *A.intermedia* Schleich., *A.lanata* Lam., *A.lanulosa* Nutt., *A.lanulosa* subsp. *alpicola* (Rydb.) D.D.Keck, *A.lanulosa* var. *alpicola* (Rydb.) Rydb., *A.lanulosa* var. *arachnoidea* Lunell, *A.lanulosa* var. *eradiata* (Piper) M.Peck, *A.lanulosa* var. *lanulosa*, *A.lanulosa* f. *lanulosa*, *A.lanulosa* subsp. *lanulosa*, *A.lanulosa* subsp. *megacephala* (Raup) Argus, *A.lanulosa* f. *peroutkyi* F.Seym., *A.lanulosa* f. *rubicunda* Farw., *A.laxiflora* A.Nelson, *A.laxiflora* Pollard & Cockerell, *A.magna* All., *A.magna* L., *A.magna* Haenke, *A.magna* var. *magna*, *A.marginata* Turcz. ex Ledeb., *A.megacephala* Raup, *A.millefolium* f. *albiflora* Dabrowska, *A.millefolium* var. *alpicola* (Rydb.) Garret, *A.millefolium* var. *arenicola* (A.Heller) Nobs, *A.millefolium* var. *arenicola* (A.Heller) Ferris, *A.millefolium* var. *aspplenifolia* (Vent.) Farw., *A.millefolium* subsp. *atrogula* B.Boivin, *A.millefolium* subsp. *balearica* Sennen, *A.millefolium* subsp. *borealis* (Bong.) Breitung, *A.millefolium* var. *borealis* (Bong.) Farw., *A.millefolium* var. *californica* (Pollard) Jeps., *A.millefolium* f. *californica* (Pollard) H.M.Hall, *A.millefolium* var. *colliniformis* Dabrowska, *A.millefolium* subsp. *compacta* (Lam.) Bonnier & Layens, *A.millefolium* var. *dipetala* Dabrowska, *A.millefolium* f. *discolor* B.Boivin, *A.millefolium* var. *dissecta* Dabrowska, *A.millefolium* var. *fusca* (Rydb.) G.N.Jones, *A.millefolium* var. *gigantea* (Pollard) Ferris, *A.millefolium* var. *gigantea* (Pollard) Nobs, *A.millefolium* f. *iserana* (Podp.) Hayek, *A.millefolium* var. *iserana* Podp., *A.millefolium* var. *lanulosa* (Nutt.) Piper, *A.millefolium* subsp. *lanulosa* (Nutt.) Piper, *A.millefolium* var. *litoralis* Ehrenb. ex Nobs, *A.millefolium* var. *lobata* Dabrowska, *A.millefolium* var. *maritima* Jeps., *A.millefolium* var. *megacephala* (Raup) B.Boivin, *A.millefolium* f. *millefolium*, *A.millefolium* subsp. *millefolium*, *A.millefolium* var. *millefolium*, *A.millefolium* var. *nigrescens* E.Mey., *A.millefolium* subsp. *occidentalis* (DC.) Hyl., *A.millefolium* var. *occidentalis* DC., *A.millefolium* var. *pacifica* (Rydb.) G.N.Jones, *A.millefolium* var. *puberula* (Rydb.) Nobs, *A.millefolium* var. *puberula* (Rydb.) Ferris, *A.millefolium* f. *rhodantha* Lepage, *A.millefolium* f. *rosea* (Desf.) E.L.Rand & Redfield, *A.millefolium* var. *rosea* (Desf.) Torr. & A.Gray, *A.millefolium* f. *roseiflora* B.Boivin, *A.millefolium* f. *roseoides* Breitung, *A.millefolium* f. *rubicunda* (Farw.) Farw., *A.millefolium* var. *sordida* W.D.J.Koch, *A.millefolium* var. *spathulata* Dabrowska, *A.nabelekii* Heimerl, *A.occidentalis* (DC.) Raf. ex Rydb., *A.ochroleuca* Eichw., *A.ossica* K.Koch, *A.pacifica* Rydb., *A.palmeri* Rydb., *A.pecten-veneris* Pollard, *A.pratensis* Saukel & R.Langer, *A.pseudo-tanacetifolia* Wierzb. ex Rchb., *A.puberula* Rydb., *A.pumila* Schur, *A.rosea* Desf., *A.setacea* Schwein., *A.sordida* (W.D.J.Koch) Dalla Torre & Sarnth., *A.subalpina* Greene, *A.subhirsuta* Gilib., *A.submillefolium* Klokov & Krytzka, *A.sylvatica* Becker, *A.tanacetifolia* Mill., *A.tenuifolia* Salisb., *A.tenuifolia* var. *albicaulis* (C.A.Mey.) Trautv., *A.tenuis* Schur, *A.tomentosa* Pursh, *A.virgata* Hort. ex DC., *Achilleosmillefoliatus* St.-Lag., *Alitibusmillefolium* (L.) Dulac, *A.tomentosus* Dulac, *Chamaemelummillefolium* (L.) E.H.L.Krause, *C.tanacetifolium* (All.) E.H.L.Krause, *C.tomentosum* (L.) E.H.L.Krause

### 3. Systematic Position:

#### APG IV (2016)

- Kingdom: Plantae
- Clade: Angiosperms
- Clade: Eudicots
- Clade: Superasterids
- Clade: Asterids
- Order: Asterales Link
- Family: Asteraceae Bercht. & J. Presl
- Genus: *Achillea*L.
- Species: *A.millefolium*L.

#### Bentham and Hooker (1862)

- Kingdom: Plantae  
Division: Phanerogamia  
Class: Dicotyledons  
Subclass: Gamopetalae  
Series: Inferae  
Cohorts: Asterales Link  
Ordo: Compositae Giseke  
Genus: *Achillea*L.  
Species: *A.millefolium*L.

### 4.Distribution:

**Global:** Argentina, Australia, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Caribbean, Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Europe, Greenland, Guatemala, Honduras, India, Mexico, Mongolia, New Zealand, Nicaragua, USA

**India:** Kerala, Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu

**5. Indigenous/Exotic/Endemic; Cultivated/Wild:**

**6. Threat Status:**

IUCN: Least Concern

**BSI:**

**7. Habit and Habitat:** Erect, pubescent herb. The species grows in Alpine or subalpine zones, anthropogenic (man-made or disturbed habitats), cliffs, balds, or ledges, meadows and fields, mountain summits and plateaus, ridges or ledges, shores of rivers or lakes.

**8. Life Form:** Chamaephytes

**9. Economic Importance:** Used as a medicine, fumigant, and insecticide, common plant grown in gardens as ornamental

**10. Probable Progenitor of:**

**11. DNA**

**C-value Methodology**

2C(16.2 pg)<sup>29</sup> Flow cytometer

**12. Basic chromosome number(s):** x=9<sup>1,9</sup>

**13. Zygotic chromosome number(s):** 2n=18<sup>9-13,21</sup>, 2n=36<sup>3-9,21</sup>, 2n=54<sup>15-20,21</sup>, 2n=72<sup>14,21</sup>

**14. Gametic chromosome number(s):** n=9<sup>13,23</sup>, n=18<sup>7,22</sup>

**15. Specialized chromosomes (B chromosomes/Sex chromosomes/Polytene**

**chromosomes/Neocentric chromosomes):**

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**16. Ploidy level:** Diploid<sup>9-13,21</sup>, Tetraploid<sup>3-9,21</sup>, Hexaploid<sup>15-20,21</sup>, Octaploid<sup>14,21</sup>

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**17. Agametoploidy:**

**18. Nature of polyploidy (auto, segmental, allo, autoallo):**

**19. Genomic formula:**

**20. Aberrant chromosome number(s) (aneuploidy, aneusomy, polysomy):**

**21. Somatic chromosomes:**<sup>3,9,21</sup>

**Karyotype** Majority metacentric chromosomes

**Chromosome size**

**NOR chromosome(s)**<sup>5</sup>

**Degree of asymmetry** Symmetrical

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**22. Banding pattern(s):** CMA/DAPI banding<sup>3</sup>

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**23. Physical mapping of chromosomes:**

**In situ hybridization**

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**Fluorescent in situ hybridization**

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**24. Genomic in situ hybridization:**

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**25. Linkage map:**

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**26. Chromosome associations:**

**Female meiosis**

**Male meiosis**<sup>9,11</sup><sup>23</sup>

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**27. Chromosome distribution at anaphase I:**<sup>9,23</sup>

**28. Genetic diversity:**

**Chromosomal level**<sup>9</sup>

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**DNA level**<sup>21,24,25,26</sup>

**29. Any other information (Apomixis; Inversion; Male sterility; Pollen grain mitosis;**

**Pollen stainability; Translocations etc.):**