

Species Datasheet

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(family.genus.species)

DBT- Network Programme

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1. Taxon:

Species *Allium griffithianum* Boiss.

Subspecies

Variety

Cultivar

Hybrid

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2. Synonyms: *Allium bahri* Regel, *A. jacquemontii* var. *grandiflorum* (Boiss.) Aswal *A. kuschakewiczii* Regel, *A. rubellum* var. *grandiflorum* Boiss., *A. tenue* Regel, *A. tschulpias* Regel

3. Systematic Position:

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- Kingdom: Plantae
- Clade: Angiosperms
- Clade: Monocots
- Order: Asparagales Link
- Family: Amaryllidaceae J. St.-Hil.
- Subfamily: Allioideae Herb.
- Genus: *Allium* L.
- Species: *A. griffithianum* Boiss.

Bentham and Hooker (1862)

Kingdom: Plantae
Division: Phanerogamia
Class: Monocotyledones
Series: Coronarieae
Ordo: Liliaceae Juss.
Genus: *Allium* L.
Species: *A. griffithianum* Boiss.

4. Distribution:

Global: Afghanistan, Central Asia, India, Pakistan

India: Jammu and Kashmir, Punjab

5. Indigenous/Exotic/ Endemic; Cultivated/Wild: Wild, occasionally cultivated

6. Threat Status:

IUCN: Not been assessed yet

BSI:

7. Habit and Habitat: Herbaceous; height~ 20-30 cm; on gravelly soil between 1500 m and 2100 m altitude.

8. Life Form: Bulbous geophyte.

9. Economic Importance: Condiment

10. Probable Progenitor of:

11. DNA

C- value	Methodology
2C (20.57 pg) ^{3,4}	Feulgen cytophotometry ^{3,4}
4C (41.15±0.39 pg) ^{3,4}	

12. Basic chromosome number(s): $x=8^5$

13. Zygotic chromosome number(s): $2n=16^{3,4,46,200,201}$

$2n=32^{5,6,9}$

14. Gametic chromosome number(s): $n=16^5$

15. Specialized chromosomes (B chromosomes/Sex chromosomes/Polytene chromosomes/Neocentric chromosomes): B chromosome (1)⁴⁶

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16. Ploidy level: Diploid^{3,4,46}, Tetraploid^{5,6}

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17. Agametoploidy

18. Nature of polyploidy (auto, segmental, allo, autoallo): Autotetraploid ⁶

19. Genomic formula:

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

21. Somatic chromosomes:

Karyotype Majority metacentric chromosome ^{6,46}

Chromosome size Medium to large ⁶, large to very large ⁴⁶

NOR chromosome(s) 2 NOR ⁴⁶

Degree of asymmetry: Asymmetrical ⁴⁶

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22. Banding pattern(s):

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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 Multivalent (IV and VIII) in addition to II's and I's ⁵

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27. Chromosome distribution at anaphase I: Regular in maximum, laggards, bridges and unequal also noted ⁵

28. Genetic diversity:

Chromosomal level

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DNA level

29. Any other information (Apomixis; Inversion; Male sterility; Pollen grain mitosis; Pollen stainability; Translocations etc): Pollen stainability (%): 80% ⁵