

## Species Datasheet

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(family.genus.species)

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### 1.Taxon:

Species: *Calendula officinalis*L.

Subspecies  
Variety  
Cultivar  
Hybrid

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**2. Synonyms:** *Calendula aurantiaca*Kotschy ex Boiss., *Ceriocarpa* DC., *C.hydruntina* (Fiori) Lanza, *C.officinalis* var. *officinalis*, *C.officinalis* var. *prolifera* Hort., *C.prolifera* Hort. ex Steud., *C.× santamariae* Font Quer, *C.sinuata* var. *aurantiaca* (Klotzsch ex Boiss.) Boiss., *Caltha officinalis* (L.) Moench

### 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: *Calendula* L.
- Species: *C.officinalis* L.

**Bentham and Hooker (1862)**

- Kingdom: Plantae  
Division: Phanerogamia  
Class: Dicotyledons  
Subclass: Gamopetalae  
Series: Inferae  
Cohors: Asterales Link  
Ordo: Compositae Giseke  
Genus: *Calendula* L.  
Species: *C.officinalis* L.

### 4.Distribution:

**Global:** Argentina, Australia, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, New Zealand, Peru, USA

**India:** Cultivated

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

### 6.Threat Status:

**IUCN:**

**BSI:**

**7.Habit and Habitat:** Herb. Cultivated and often run wild near cultivated fields

**8.Life Form:** Chamaephytes

### 9.Economic Importance:

### 10. Probable Progenitor of:

### 11.DNA

C-value              Methodology

**12.Basic chromosome number(s):**  $x=8^{13}$

**13. Zygotic chromosome number(s):**  $2n=28^{3,14}, 2n=32^{5, 15, 16, 17}$

**14. Gametic chromosome number(s):**  $n=16^{13}$

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

**chromosomes/Neocentric chromosomes):**

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**16.Ploidy level:**

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**17.Agametoploidy:**

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

**19.Genomic formula:**

**20.Aberrant chromosome number(s)(aneuploidy, aneusomaty, polysomaty):**

**21.Somatic chromosomes:**

**Karyotype**

**Chromosome size**

**NOR chromosome(s)**

**Degree of asymmetry**

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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**

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**27.Chromosome distribution at anaphase I:**

**28. Genetic diversity:**

**Chromosomal level**

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**DNA level<sup>12 , 18</sup>**

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

**Pollen stainability;Translocationsetc.):**