

## Species Datasheet

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(family.genus.species)

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### 1.Taxon:

Species: *Elephantopus scaber* L.

Subspecies  
Variety  
Cultivar  
Hybrid

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2. **Synonyms:** *Elephantopus carolinensis* G.Mey., *E.scaber* var. *albiflorus* Kuntze, *E.scaber* subsp. *oblanceolata* Kitam., *E.scaber* subsp. *oblanceolato-oblonga* Kitam., *E.scaber* subsp. *scaber*, *E.scaber* var. *scaber*, *E.sordidus* Salisb., *Scabiosacochinchinensis* Lour.

### 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: *Elephantopus* L.
- Species: *E. scaber* L.

#### Bentham and Hooker (1862)

- Kingdom: Plantae  
Division: Phanerogamia  
Class: Dicotyledons  
Subclass: Gamopetalae  
Series: Inferae  
Cohorts: Asterales Link  
Ordo: Compositae Giseke  
Genus: *Elephantopus* L.  
Species: *E. scaber* L.

### 4.Distribution:

**Global:** Angola, Bolivia, Burundi, China, Comoros, Honduras, India, Kenya, Madagascar, Malawi, Mexico, Mozambique, Rwanda, Sri Lanka, Tanzania, Uganda, Zaire, Zambia

**India:** Throughout India

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

### 6.Threat Status:

IUCN:

BSI:

**7.Habit and Habitat:** Herb.

**8.Life Form:** Chamaephytes

**9.Economic Importance:** Useful in all poisoning from bites or nails of animals. A good medicinal plant for diseases of blood, heart, urinary discharges and bronchitis.

### 10. Probable Progenitor of:

### 11.DNA

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### 12.Basic chromosome number(s):

13. **Zygotic chromosome number(s):**  $2n=22^{1-5}$

14. **Gametic chromosome number(s):**  $n= 11^{3-6}$

**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, aneusomy, polysomy):**

**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>7</sup>**

**29.Any other information (Apomixis; Inversion; Male sterility;Pollen grain mitosis;  
Pollen stainability;Translocationetc.):**