

Species Data Sheet

DBT- Network Programme

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(family.genus.species)

1. Taxon: *Fimbristylis* Vahl

Species: *Fimbristylis squarrosa* Vahl. (Accepted name)

Subspecies

Variety

Cultivar

Hybrid

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2. **Synonyms:** *Fimbristylis aestivalis* var. *squarrosa* (Vahl) T.Koyama, *Iriasquarrosa* (Vahl) Kuntze, *Pogonostylis squarrosus* (Vahl) Bertol., *Scirpus squarrosus* (Vahl) Poir., nom. illeg.

3. Systematic position:

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- Kingdom: Plantae
- Clade: Angiosperm
- Clade: Monocots
- Clade: Commelinids
- Order: Poales Small
- Family: Cyperaceae Juss.
- Genus: *Fimbristylis* Vahl
- Species: *F. squarrosa*

Bentham and Hooker (1862)

Kingdom: Plantae
Division: Phanerogamia
Class: Monocotyledones
Series: Glumaceae
Ordo: Cyperaceae Juss.
Genus: *Fimbristylis* Vahl
Species: *F. squarrosa*

4. Distribution:

Global: South East Asia and Australia.

India: Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Gujarat, Meghayala, Manipur, Punjab, Uttar Pradesh.

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

6. Threat Status:

IUCN:

BSI:

7. **Habit and Habitat:** Herb

8. **Life Form:** Annual

9. **Economic Importance:** A decoction of the plant is used to treat a sore throat.

10. **Probable Progenitor of:**

11. **DNA**

C-value

Methodology:

12. **Basic chromosome number(s):** $x=5^{22}$

13. **Zygotic chromosome number(s):** $2n=10^1 20^{21,22,45} 24^6 740^7 16,20,21,22,24$

14. **Gametic chromosome number(s):** $n=5^1 10^{21,22,45} 56^1 5^4 7$

15. **Specialized chromosomes (B chromosomes/Sex chromosomes/polytene chromosomes/Neocentric chromosomes):**

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16. **Ploidy level:** Tetraploid²²

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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: Mostly metacentric and subtelocentric⁷

Chromosome size: Small size⁷

NOR chromosome(s): 4NOR⁷

Degree of asymmetry: Symmetrical

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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: $10n^{22}$

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27. Chromosome distribution at anaphase I:

28. Genetic diversity:

Chromosomal level:

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DNA level

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