

# Species Datasheet

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(family.genus.species)

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## 1. Taxon:

Species: *Smithiasensitiva* Aiton

Subspecies:

Variety:

Cultivar:

Hybrid:

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2. **Synonyms:** *Aeschynomenetribuloides* Baill., *Damapanasensitiva* (Aiton) Kuntze, *Petagnanasensitiva* (Aiton) J.F.Gmel.  
*Smithia javanica* Benth.,

## 3. Systematic Position:

### APG IV (2016)

- Kingdom: Plantae
- Clade: Angiosperms
- Clade: Eudicots
- Clade: Rosids
- Order: Fabales Bromhead
- Family: Fabaceae Lindl.
- Genus: *Smithia* Aiton
- Species: *S. sensitiva* Aiton

### Bentham and Hooker (1862)

Kingdom: Plantae  
Division: Phanerogamia  
Class: Dicotyledons  
Subclass: Polypetalae  
Series: Calyciflorae  
Cohors: Rosales Bercht. & J. Presl  
Ordo: Leguminosae Juss.  
Subordo: Papilionaceae Giseke  
Genus: *Smithia* Aiton  
Species: *S. sensitiva* Aiton

## 4. Distribution:

**Global:** Temperate and tropical regions of Asia and Australia.

**India:** Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Delhi, Goa, Gujarat, Himachal Pradesh, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Orissa, Pondicherry, Punjab, Rajasthan, Sikkim, Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh, West Bengal

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

## 6. Threat Status:

**IUCN:** Least Concern

**BSI:**

7. **Habit and Habitat:** Herb, Height ~ 30-90 cm. It is frequent in moist places, road sides and in open forests. Also found in field margins, wetlands; near sea level to 1,000 m.

8. **Life Form:** Chamaephytes

**9. Economic Importance:** Tribal people uses the leaves of this species as vegetable and whole plant as a cattle fodder. The plant makes good hay and cattle browse on it. The leaves are a vegetable. In Malagasy, the plant is used as a lotion for headache.

**10. Probable Progenitor of:**

**11. DNA**

**C-value**                      **Methodology**

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

**13. Zygotic chromosome number(s):**  $2n=38$ <sup>1</sup>,  $2n=32$ <sup>2</sup>

**14. Gametic chromosome number(s):**  $n=19$ <sup>1,3</sup>

**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**

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