



Haritarium

Family Code: 39

Species code: 9 - 3A

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Tricholepis amplexicaulis C.B. Clarke

Botanical name: *Tricholepis amplexicaulis* C.B. Clarke

Vernacular name: Dahan.

Family: Asteraceae

Threatened category: Not evaluated.

Key characters: Herbs, Leaves spinous margined, heads homogamous, flowers all bi sexual, tubular, tips of involucre bracts spinous, receptacle densely bristly filaments papillose, hairy thicken towards base,

Description: Herbs erect stout glabrous, 0.9-1.5m tall; stem rigid, branches angled ribbed quite smooth shining. Leaves linear-oblong, 7.5-12.5 X 1.2 - 5.7 cm, quite glabrous, pale when dry, half amplexicaul at base, Heads 1.8 – 2.5 cm across peduncles short, stout, angular, bracteate by linear leaves. Involucre bracts acicular, recurved, often tipped with black. Receptacular scales longer than achenes. Corolla 1.2-1.6 cm long. Achenes pale brown, compressed, smooth, glossy 5 mm long, Pappus absent or of a few bristles.

Flowering and fruiting: October – February.

Distribution: India: Endemic to Western Ghats..

Reported Localities: Ahmednagar, Pune, Satara, Thane.

Ecology: Occurs on steep open hill slopes. Altitude ranges between 900-1200m above sea level.

Association: No specific plant association is observed.



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1.Habit,2.&3.Flower,4.Inflorescence 4.Leaf-Dorsal entral view, 5.Leaf- ventral view, 6.Dissected Flower,6.Dissected Flower, 7. Capsule.



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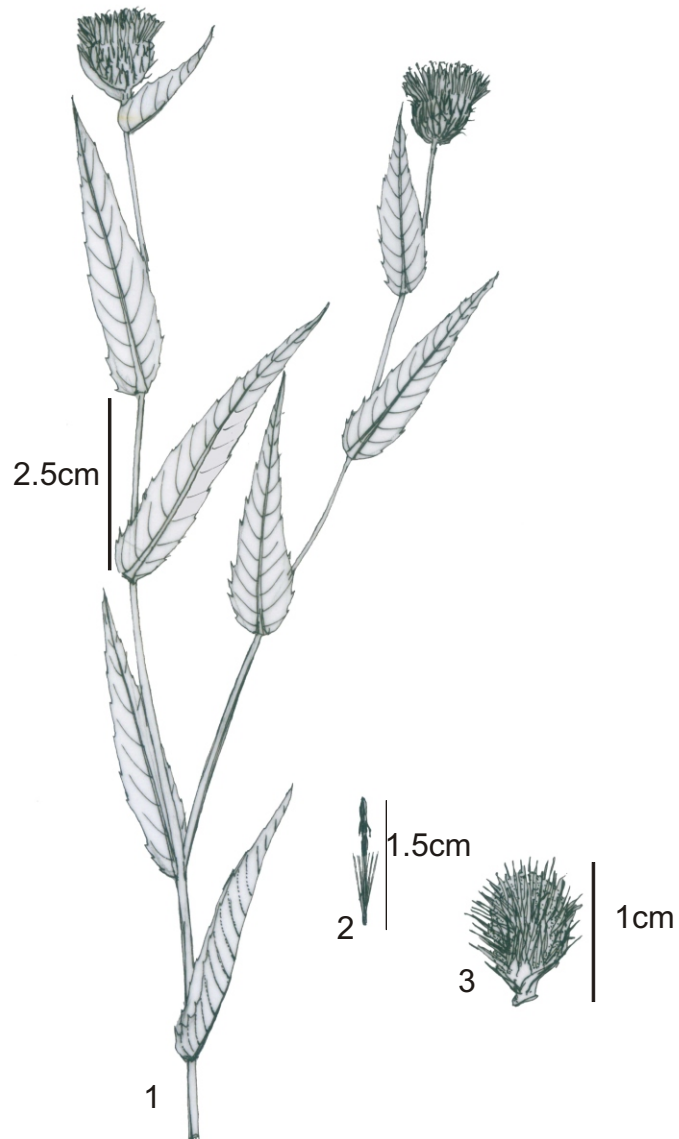
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1.Habit, 2.Single flower, 3.Capsule.



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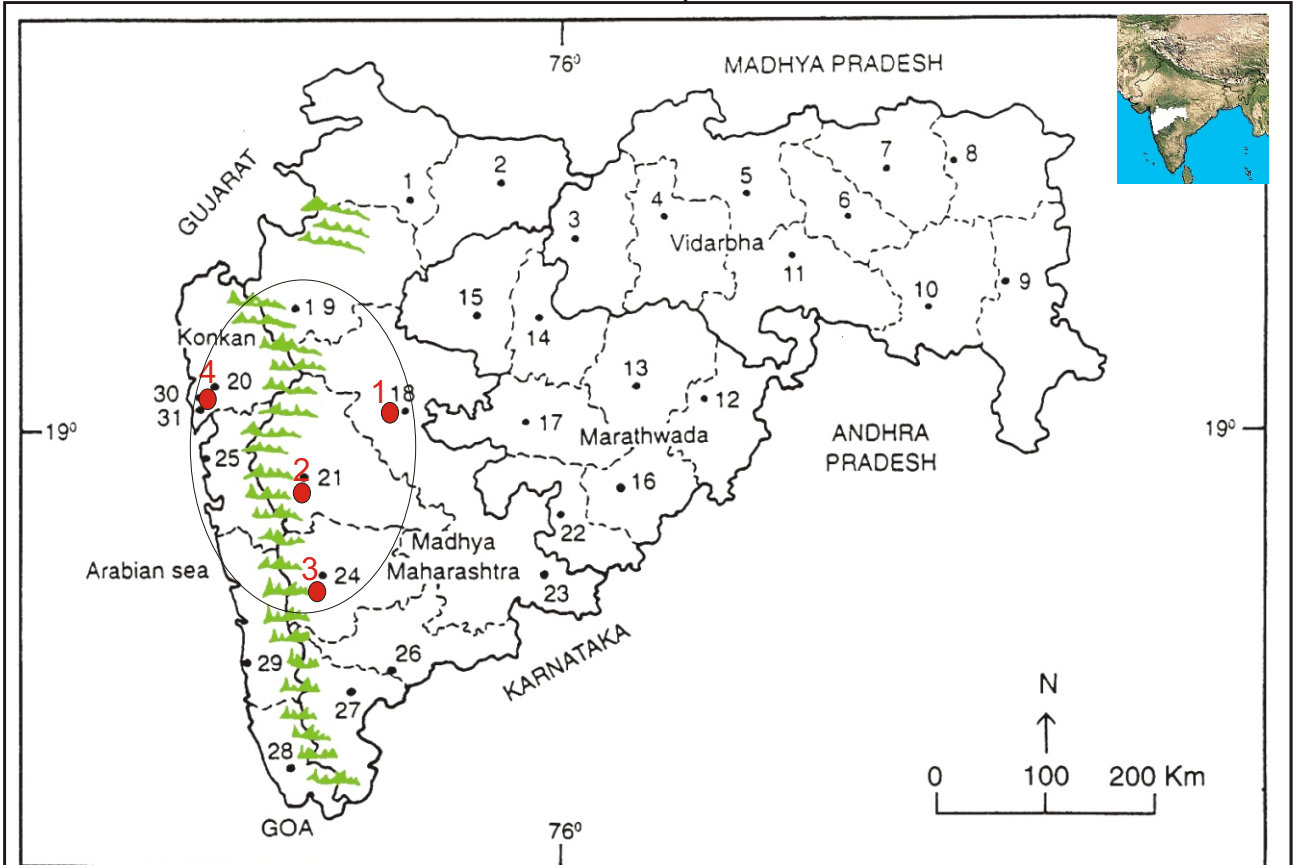
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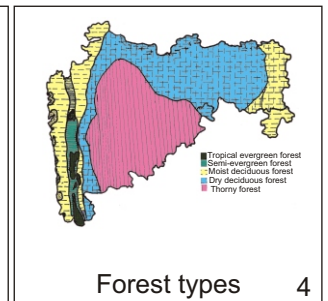
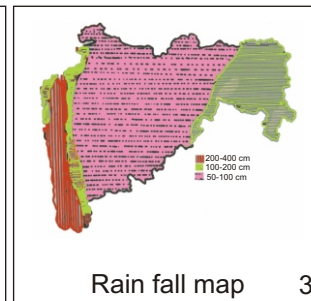
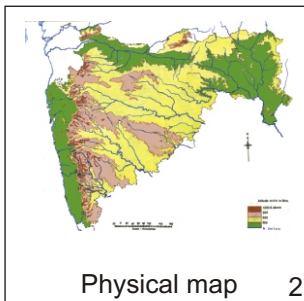
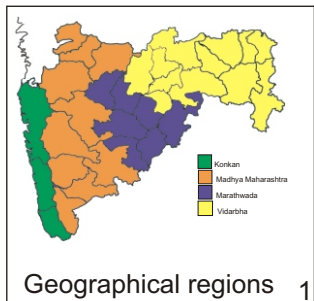
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Location map



1.Dhule 2.Jalgaon 3. Buldhana 4.Akola 5.Amaravati 6.Wardha 7.Nagpur 8. Bhandara 9. Gadchiroli
 10. Chandrapur 11. Yavatmal 12. Nanded 13. Parbhani 14. Jalna 15. Aurangabad 16.Latur
 17. Beed 18. Ahmadnagar 19 Nashik 20. Thane 21. Pune 22. Osmanabad 23. Solapur 24.Satara
 25. Raigad. 26.Sangli. 27. Kolhapur 28. Sindhudurg 29. Ratnagiri 30.Mumbai 31.Greater Mumbai.



Localities- ●

1. Ahmednagar, 2. Pune, 3. Satara, 4.Thane.

Geographical distribution:

Latitude (DMS): Between 18 ° 31'- 16 ° N & Longitude (DMS): 73 ° 50'-74° .5' E;



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