

Cordia myxa

(Glue Berry; Small Cordia; Sebastan Tree)

Small deciduous tree . The tree drops the leaves only for a short period of time during winter months. Flowering taking place from March to May. The fruits are edible and used as a folk medicine in India and Nepal for their anti-inflammatory effects. The tree is drought and heat resistant.



Plant Image

Landscape Information

Arabic Name: لسوڑا

Pronunciation: KOR-dee-uh MIKS-uh

Plant Type: Tree

Origin: Asia

Heat Zones: 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11

Hardiness Zones: 9, 10, 11, 12

Uses: Topiary, Bonsai, Specimen, Edible, Medicinal

Size/Shape

Growth Rate: Moderate

Tree Shape: Spreading

Canopy Symmetry: Symmetrical

Canopy Density: Medium

Canopy Texture: Coarse

Height at Maturity: 5 to 8 m

Spread at Maturity: 5 to 8 meters

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Flower Image

Botanical Description

Foliage

Leaf Arrangement: Alternate

Leaf Venation: Brachidodrome

Leaf Persistence: Deciduous

Leaf Type: Simple

Leaf Blade: 10 - 20

Leaf Shape: Cordate

Leaf Margins: Entire

Leaf Textures: Leathery, Glossy

Leaf Scent: No Fragrance

Color(growing season): Green

Color(changing season): Green

Flower

Flower Showiness: True

Flower Size Range: 1.5 - 3

Flower Type: Panicle

Flower Sexuality: Monoecious (Bisexual)

Flower Color: White

Seasons: Spring

Trunk

Number of Trunks: Multi-Trunked

Trunk Esthetic Values: Not Showy

Fruit

Fruit Type: Drupe

Fruit Showiness: True

Fruit Size Range: 1.5 - 3

Fruit Colors: Yellow

Seasons: Summer, Fall

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Leaf Image

Horticulture Management

Tolerance

Frost Tolerant: Yes

Heat Tolerant: Yes

Drought Tolerant: Yes

Salt Tolerance: Good

Requirements

Soil Requirements: Clay, Loam

Soil Ph Requirements: Acidic, Neutral

Water Requirements: Moderate

Light Requirements: Full

Management

Edible Parts: Fruit

Plant Propagations: Seed

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