

E Calotropis procera

Common Name(s)

Giant Milkweed; Al Dibaj

Ethnobotanical Country/Region Reference Use

Ache(Head)	Bahamas	
Ache(Tooth)	Egypt	
Asthma	Egypt	
Asthma	Elsewhere	
Chancre	Nigeria	Ayensu, Edward S. 1978. Medicinal plants of West Africa. Reference Publications, Inc.
Cold	Elsewhere	
Cough	Elsewhere	
Deodorant	Elsewhere	
Depilatory	Elsewhere	
Diaphoretic	Elsewhere	
Dyspepsia	Elsewhere	
Elephantiasis	Elsewhere	
Epilepsy	India(Santal)	
Expectorant	Elsewhere	

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Fatality	Africa	Lewis and Elvin-Lewis, Medical Botany, ca 1977
Fumitory	Egypt	
Hemiplegia	India(Santal)	
Homicide	Latin America	Lewis and Elvin-Lewis, Medical Botany, ca 1977
Infanticide	Sudan	Uphof, J.C. Th. 1968. Dictionary of economic plants. 2nd ed. Verlag von J. Cramer.
Intoxicant	Sudan	Broun, A.F., and R.E. Massey. 1929. Flora of the Sudan. The controller, Sudan Govt. Office, Wellington House, Buchingham Gate, London, S.W.I.
Labor	India(Santal)	
Leprosy	Venezuela	Pittier, H. 1926. Manual de las Plantas Usuales de Venezuela. Litografia del Comercio, Caracas, Venezuela.
Leprosy	Upper Volta	Ayensu, Edward S. 1978. Medicinal plants of West Africa. Reference Publications, Inc.
Leprosy	India	Uphof, J.C. Th. 1968. Dictionary of economic plants. 2nd ed. Verlag von J. Cramer.
Malaria	Elsewhere	
Medicine	Sudan	Broun, A.F., and R.E. Massey. 1929. Flora of the Sudan. The controller, Sudan Govt. Office, Wellington House, Buchingham Gate, London, S.W.I.
Odontectomy	Egypt	
Parturition	India(Santal)	
Poison	Sudan	Broun, A.F., and R.E. Massey. 1929. Flora of the Sudan. The controller, Sudan Govt. Office, Wellington House, Buchingham Gate, London, S.W.I.
Poison	Africa(Swahili)	
Poison(Arrow)	Africa	Lewis and Elvin-Lewis, Medical Botany, ca 1977
Poison(Arrow)	Africa	

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Purgative India

Rheumatism India(Santal)

Smallpox India(Santal)

Sore India(Santal)

Splenitis India(Santal)

Splinter Egypt

Sting India(Santal)

Sudorific Iraq Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.

Suicide Latin America Lewis and Elvin-Lewis, Medical Botany, ca 1977

Throat Egypt