



## Flowering Trees

*Gnidia glauca* (Fresen.) Gilg of the family Thymelaeaceae grows to the size of a large shrub to a small tree and is distributed in moist-deciduous to evergreen forests of India, Sri Lanka and East Africa. Bark is greyish-brown with irregular scales when the tree is mature. Leaves are simple, alternate, light green in color, covered with woolly hair. Flowers are yellow, borne on dense terminal heads and hairy throughout. Fruit is indehiscent and 1-seeded.

Bark is used as a fish poison.