

Dodonea viscosa (L.) Jacq.



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Common/Local Name (s): Mehndru, Vilayati - Mehndi, Hopseed Bush.

Family: Sapindaceae.

Botanical Description:

Shrub, bark greyish-brown, fissured, leaves simple, spiral, elliptical, alternate, petiolated, clustered at branch end, leathery texture, narrow, elliptic to lanceolate, flower small, yellow-orange red, axillary or terminal, fruit capsule, with three wings, broad, membranous, compressed, notched, seeds one to two, black in colour.

Flowering/ Fruiting: January-May.

Part Used: Stem, leaves.

Cultivation: Wild.

Longitude: 76°36'36 E.

Latitude: 31°39'35 N.

Altitude: 915m.

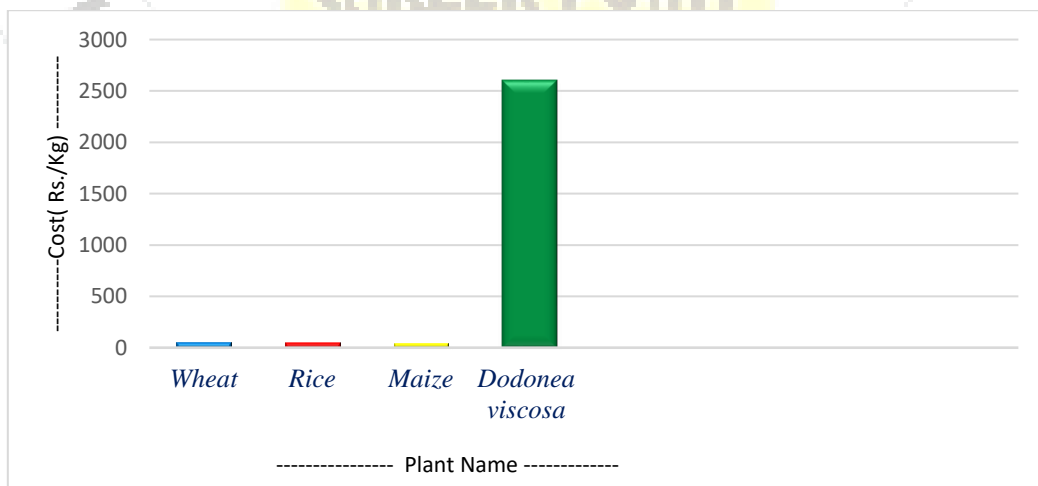


Fig. 4.39 Economic potential of *Dodonea viscosa* in comparison to conventional crops