

Mentha longifolia L.



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Common/Local Name (s): Pudina, Mint.

Family: Lamiaceae.

Botanical Description:

Perennial aromatic herb, creeping stem may be erect or diffused, leaves opposite, dark green, shiny, slimy, small petiolated, ovate-lanceolate, base rounded, toothed margin, strong odour, flowers are small, white to pinkish, borne in spikes, in clusters, purplish, hairy.

Flowering/ Fruiting: June-September.

Part Used: Leaves, aerial shoot.

Cultivation: Wild.

Longitude: 76°36'94"E.

Latitude: 31°38'28"N.

Altitude: 827m.

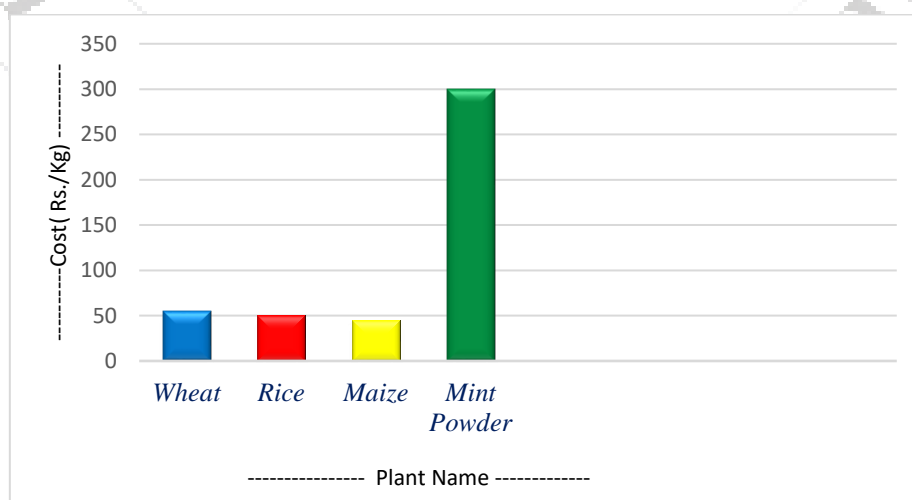


Fig. 4.67 Economic potential of *Mentha longifolia* in comparison to conventional crops