



# Botanical Survey of India

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change  
Government of India



Image Details of Economy Botany Herbarium

Barcode: CAL0000009505

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Family: [CACTACEAE](#)

Scientific Name: [Opuntia nigricans Haw.](#)

Collector: [R.E.P.](#)

Country: [India](#)

Uses: [Baked fruit is used in whooping cough. Mashed up stems are used as poultice to allay inflammation and hot ones are applied to boils to hasten suppuration. Pulp is used in ophthalmia.](#)