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PLANT MORPHOLOGY



- Botanical Name** : - *Gloriosa superba* L.
Family : - Liliaceae
Local Name : - Kar-Kari
Morphology : -

Herbaceous glabrous climbers with tuberous roots. Leaves subsessile, alternate, opposite or whorled, ovate-lanceolate, base cordate or amplexicaul, apex acuminate, ending in a tendril. Flowers bisexual, showy, axillary, solitary or in few-flowered, terminal racemes; pedicel to 7 cm long. Perianth-lobes 6, free, linear-oblong, reflexed or spreading base narrow, margin undulate, apex acuminate, yellowish below and reddish above. Stamens 6; filaments 3-4 cm long; anthers oblong-linear, versatile. Ovary 3-locular; ovules numerous; style to 4 cm long, deflexed; stigmas 3. Capsule ellipsoid-oblong. Seeds many, globose, warty.

Flowering & Fruiting: -

Uses : - It is used in the treatment of snake bite, ulcer, gout and kidney problems.