

Nyctanthes Arbor-Tristis: Biological Activites

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Abstract:

Rheumatism and inflammatory illnesses have long been treated with NAT. Using Freund's adjuvant-induced arthritic rat model, current study assesses antiarthritic potential of NAT. For a total of twenty days in a row, treatments with methanolic, ethyl acetate, and n-hexane extracts were administered. The assessment of arthritic development was done using water displacement plethysmometry and macroscopic arthritic grading. The study examined hematological and biochemical data and processed ankle joints for histological assessment. The ingredients were identified by GC-MS analysis and qualitative phytochemical examination. The infiltration of inflammatory cells, bone degradation, paw edema, pannus development, and arthritic scoring were all inhibited by NAT extracts. The plant extracts restored hemoglobin (Hb) content and red blood cell (RBC) counts to almost normal levels while also improving total leukocyte and platelet counts. As assessed by levels of alanine aminotransferase (ALT), creatinine, urea, aspartate aminotransferase (AST). Hepatotoxicity and nephrotoxicity, the extracts were deemed safe. Ethyl acetate extract caused best prevention of paw edema, according to comparative analysis of data. Terpenes, terpenoids, iridoid glycosides and fatty acids are three main classes into which contents of ethyl acetate extract can be divided. According to the current investigation, ethyl acetate extract had highest inhibitory action and NAT improved experimental rheumatoid arthritis.

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1. INTRODUCTION:

In Indian mythology, NAT tree—a little decorative tree revered for its fragrant white flowers—is a means of offering prayers to the gods[1, 2]. Popular names for NAT include night blossoming parijata and jasmine[3,4,5]. It is native to India and has spread naturally from the north to the Godavari region in south. South and Southeast Asia, including tropical and subtropical regions, as well as Bangladesh and the Indo-Pak peninsula, are also affected [6, 7].

Originally from the Indo-Malaysian area, it has now spread throughout Terai tracts, Burma, and Ceylon[8]. In areas over 1500 feet above sea level, it grows as a shrub; but, at a height of 3000 feet, it transforms into a fully developed tree that locals refer to as a cow. wood is mostly used for making axe handles, koolharees, and firewood. It makes up a small portion of forest on the top of low hill ranges that make up bulk of the salt range [9]. Known for its fragrant white blooms, NAT, a beautiful ornamental tree, is utilized in Indian prayer. This plant is also famous for its ancient medicinal uses in India. It is used in Ayurveda for a variety of pharmacological purposes, including immune stimulation, anti-inflammatory, antibacterial, anti-arthritic, anti-hyperglycemic, anti-viral, anti-allergic, antibacterial, hepatoprotective, antioxidant, and central nervous system depressant actions. That is a a medicinal herb

regimen used to cure a variety of non-infectious and infectious disorders, including sciatica, malaria, and splenic enlargement. Additionally, it is a blood purifier. In the vernacular, NAT is frequently referred to as night blooming jasmine, Parijata, or Harsinghar [10,11,12].

1.1 MORPHOLOGICAL CHARECTERS:

It is a terrestrial shrub that grows to a height of 10 meters and has a life span of 5–20 years. It has white blooms with a very powerful and pleasant scent that lingers all night long [13]. Cultivation of plant is possible anywhere in world's tropical and subtropical zones, from ocean floor all way up to a height of 1500 meters near equator [6]. This plant often thrives in dry or semi-arid climates and favors soils that are red or black in color and have a pH between 5.6 and 7.5 [14]. In a typical blooming season (July–October), a cluster of 2–7 flowers opens at night and closes before daylight; the blooms are positioned at tips of branches or in axils of leaves. Sessile and fragrant, these flowers include a ciliated calyx and a tube that is 6-8 mm long, 5-to-8-lobed white corolla with a crimson core that is both irregularly obcordate and cuneate, and a calyx that is broadly campanulate and hairy on outside and glabrous on inside. stigma is fuzzy bisexual, and two stamens are placed close to apex of corolla tube. Brown, compressed pods that range in form from a heart to a sphere and have two halves, each with a solitary seed, make up the fruits. seed coat is thick with vascularized outer layer of big transparent cells; cotyledons are flat; and radicle is inferior. seeds are not albuminous. Rough or hairy, simple, opposite, 6-12 cm long, 2-6.5 cm broad, and having an entire edge, these leaves are decussately opposite [15],[16].mention in fig.1.

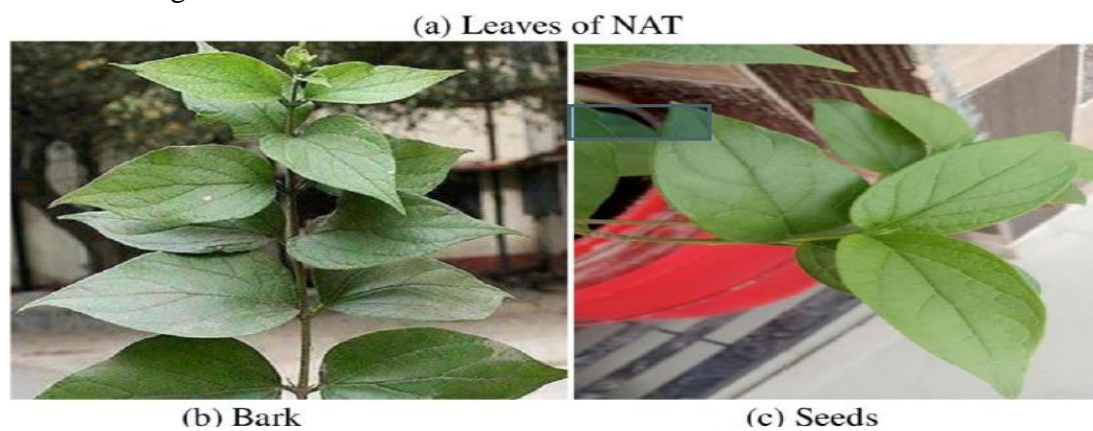


Fig.1 Morphological charecter

1.2 Taxonomical Classification:

Kingdom: Plantae

Subkingdom: Viridiplantae

Infrakingdom: Streptophyta

Superdivision: Embryophyta

Division: Tracheophyta

Subdivision: Spermatophytina

Order: Lamiales

Family: Oleaceae

Genus: Nyctanthes

Species: Nyctanthes arbor-tristis

1.3 Ayurvedic, Siddha, and Unani Systems of Medicine Make Use of Different Parts of Nature:

The powdered form of seeds is used for treatment of skin diseases, piles, and scurfy disorders of scalp. It is also used as an anthelmintic in alopecia and bilious pyrexia [3]. Malaria, piles, snake bites, worm infestation, liver problems, asthma, skin diseases, ulcers, anorexia, bleeding gums, blood problems, fever, and oliguria may all be alleviated with the use of powdered stem bark. Additionally, it has expectorant properties. For two days, one may cure malaria by drinking a mixture made from crushed stem bark of Piper longum and Zingiber officinale that has been boiled in water. For internal injuries and broken bones in joints, mix the produced paste with Arjuna bark and apply it topically [17].

1.4 Chemical Components of NAT:

Many chemical constituents from diverse classes, including alkaloids, terpenes, steroids, glycosides, and aliphatic chemicals, have been isolated and identified in different regions of NAT. Bark yielded a glycoside and two alkaloids, one soluble in chloroform and other in water. Alkaloids, tannins, and glucosides are found in the roots, various chemical are present in leaves methyl salicylate, tannic acid, β -sitosterol, mannitol, astringent, flavanol glycosides, sugar, 1% amorphous glycoside, 1.2% amorphous resins, 3% mannitol, oleanolic acid, ascorbic acid, benzoic acid, nyctanthic acid, lupeol, friedelin, carotene, and traces of volatile oil. Research has shown that frying leaves in oil increases their ascorbic acid concentration. Seeds include arbortristosides A, B, D, and E as well as iridoid glycosides. An oil with a light golden brown color is produced by 12-16% of seed kernels. This oil contains glucosides of oleic, linoleic, lignoceric, stearic, palmitic acid, 3,4-secotriterpene acid, and β -sitosterol. Aside from essential oils, flowers also include tannin, glucose, D-mannitol, and nyctanthin [15],[16],[18] in Table.1 included :

TABLE 1: A RANDOM ASSOCIATION OF ISOLATED CHEMICALS AND THEIR REPORTED ACTIVITY IN MEDICAL INDUSTRY:

Parts of the plant	Reported pharmacological activity	Reported chemicals
Flower	Antibacterial, larvicidal, Antimalarial	4-hydroxy hexahydrobenzofuran-7-one Rengyolone[35]
Orange colored tubular calyx	Carotenoid aglycone Ag-NY1	Carotenoid aglycone Ag-NY1
Corolla tubule	Antileishmanial, Antihistaminic	Arbortristoside-A [36] Arbortristoside-B Arbortristoside-C
Seed	Under investigation	Nyctoside A [36]
Leaves	Antihistaminic	Friedelin [37]

The vivid orange corolla tubes of flowers are filled with nyctanthin, a coloring agent that is the same as α -crocetin (C₂₀H₂₄O₄) found in saffron. In the past, the corolla tubes were sometimes combined with safflower or turmeric to dye silk [11].

2. NATURAL BIOLOGICAL EFFECTS:

• **Antioxidant activity:**

Based on their investigation of plant that hydro-alcoholic flower extract of NAT has an oxidative and protective action against oxidative stress of hydrogen peroxide, or H₂O₂. A weak oxidizing agent, H₂O₂ can enter cells through their membranes and combine with Fe²⁺ and Cu²⁺ ions to produce hydroxyl radicals. By interacting with micro- and macromolecules within cell, these hydroxyl radicals further harm the cell. Typically, they inactivate enzymes by oxidizing the thiol (-SH) groups. They used H₂O₂ to treat the lymphocytes extracted from chicken blood, which lowered glutathione (GSH), a cellular antioxidant and thereby reduced cell viability. When compared to lymphocytes that were not treated, lactate dehydrogenase (LDH) was also seen to decrease, indicating that the extract had no harmful effects on the cellular system. The study's experimental results demonstrated the NAT crude extract's antioxidant capacity [10].

• **Antibacterial property:**

Ethyl acetate and Chloroform extracts from leaves, flowers, seeds, and fruits were tested in 2007 in regard to their ability to combat both gram-positive (*Staphylococcus aureus*) and gram-negative (*E. coli*, *Klebsiella pneumoniae*, and *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*) bacteria. Both the chloroform and ethyl acetate extracts in 300 µl demonstrated strong antibacterial activity against the tested microorganisms. There was antibacterial action against all gram-negative bacteria in the leaf extract, but there was broad-spectrum antibacterial action against both gram-positive and gram-negative bacteria in the ethyl acetate and chloroform extracts of the flowers and seeds.. Fruit and seed ethyl acetate, but only *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* and *Klebsiella pneumoniae* were inhibited by flower and seed chloroform extract. Additionally, study discovered that fresh plant parts exhibited a greater degree of antibacterial activity compared to dried ones. Phytochemical analysis unveiled presence of glycosides, phenolics, tannins, phytosterols, and saponins. Tannins and phenolic compounds demonstrated efficacy against bacteria. Tannins, in particular, inhibit the synthesis of cell proteins by forming irreversible complexes with proline-rich proteins; this mechanism serves an essential function as a stable agent [12].

• **Antifungal activity:**

Aspergillus niger, *Penicillium*, and *Aspergillus flavus* are the three most common clinical pathogenic fungi. The antifungal activity of various NAT plant components was investigated against these three species. Following the collection, drying, and extraction of both young and old leaves, bark, and flowers, distilled water, methanol, and chloroform were used in the extraction procedure. By using the well diffusion method, the antifungal activity of the extracts was quantified in terms of the fungal growth "zone of inhibition." Results demonstrated that only chloroform leaf extract was effective against *A. flavus*, whereas the antifungal effect of the distilled water extract of the stem and bark of NAT was limited to *A. niger*.. According to the study, methanolic extract of NAT's leaves, stem, and bark shown the strongest antifungal effectiveness against *penicillium* and *Aspergillus* [19].

• **Anti-asthmatic activity and Antihistaminic activity:**

When limbs are in catalepsy, they stay in that position no matter what. It can be brought on by neuroleptic medications and is characterized by tight muscles and a lack of reaction to external stimuli [20]. Experiments have shown that NAT bark's petroleum ether extract may reduce clonidine-induced catalepsy. Studies on clonidine-induced catalepsy in Albino mice have shown that drug's cataleptic effects are mediated by histamine released by mast cells.. It is possible to reduce clonidine-induced catalepsy by using this extract, since NAT stabilizes mast cells. According to results of this

investigation, NAT bark may have antihistamine effects. It has also been determined that presence of β -sitosterol in NAT leaves is responsible for their anti-allergic and anti-asthmatic properties [21].

- **Wound healing activity:**

Matadeen et al. (2011) evaluated wound healing potential of NAT in Wistar albino rats. For 16 days, the rats received a methanolic extract treatment with 2% NAT by weight. It was discovered that both excision and incision wounds need roughly 16 days to fully epithelize before they healed. It was determined that NAT extract at a dose of 300 mg/kg would be a good way to treat both kinds of wounds [22].

- **Immunostimulant activity:**

It has been discovered that NAT's aqueous leaf extract is a strong immunomodulator, as shown by humoral and cell-mediated reactions. Additionally, flower has demonstrated immuno-stimulant action, which turns on the immune system through cells. The ethanolic extracts of NAT from the seeds and roots shown immunomodulator effect against systemic candidiasis in mice. Arbotristosides A and C, two iridoid glucosides, were extracted from the plant's seeds [14],[15].

- **Anti-ulcerogenic and healing properties for ulcers:**

One of the main gastrointestinal illnesses, peptic ulcer, is caused by an imbalance between defensive (primarily mucus-bicarbonate secretion and prostaglandin) and offensive (mostly acid, pepsin, H. pylori, and bile salts) components. The two main therapeutic strategies for gastric ulcer disorders are decreasing the production of stomach acid and protecting the gastric mucosa. NAT exhibit anti-ulcerogenic and ulcer-healing properties by two phytochemicals arbotristoside-A and 7-O-trans-cinnamoyl-6 β -hydroxyloganin. These two promote the healing of stomach ulcers and inhibit the development of irritant-induced ulcers [23].

- **Anti-inflammatory activity and Analgesic:**

Inflammation is pathologic reaction exposed animal fibrous tissue to a wide range of pathogens, toxins, physical stress, and tumor seeds, among other potential invaders. Inflammation includes the development of granulomas, edema, and leukocyte infiltration. The two primary classes of anti-inflammatory medications are glucocorticosteroids and nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs. However, because of their unfavorable side effects, researchers are looking for NSAID and opiate substitutes all over the world. Experiments on a range of animal models were conducted and NAT was investigated for the same. The NAT stem bark methanolic extract demonstrated alleviates pain and inflammation by blocking the action of substances that cause pain, which may have occurred as a result of the inhibition of prostaglandin and related chemical formation. The extract was also found to slow down the pace of edema in the rat paw edema model caused by carrageenan, according to experimental results [24].

- **Anthelmintic activity:**

Anthelmintics are substances that either kill or stun parasitic worms (helminths) in order to remove them from the body. The anthelmintic activity of NAT bark extracts, both aqueous and alcoholic, was tested against *Pheretima posthuma*. *P. posthuma* was chosen for this experiment because of its easy availability and morphological and physiological similarity to the human intestinal worm. According to the study, the alcoholic extract killed the worm in 13.05 minutes after paralyzing it for 8.53 minutes. Tannin was shown to be present and NAT's antihelmintic action was attributed, according to phytochemical research. Tannin has the ability to attach itself to free proteins in an animal's digestive system or to glycoproteins on a parasite's cuticle [25].

- **Antileishmanial activity:**

Antileishmanial effect of 6 β -hydroxy-loganin and iridoid glucosides arbortristoside A, B, C, was described in a research. In different investigation, calceolarioside A, that, by use of bioactivity-guided fractionation, was extracted from NAT leaves' methanolic extract, demonstrated antileishmanial activity in vitro with an IC₅₀ of 20 μ g/mL and in vivo efficacy of 20 mg/kg body weight in a golden hamster model infected with *L. donovani* Ag83, where it reduced the parasite burden in the spleen and liver by 80% and 79%, respectively. This was the first publication to isolate calceolarioside A from NAT and describe the powerful anti-visceral leishmaniasis effects of NAT [11].

- **Hypoglycemic and hypolipidemic activity:**

Millions of individuals worldwide suffer from diabetes mellitus, a serious illness. Controlling blood lipid levels is crucial in diabetes since the disease tends to raise low-density lipoprotein cholesterol and lower high-density lipoprotein cholesterol levels, which can lead to coronary occlusions and blockages.

Because for quite some time determined present approach to managing diabetes with synthetic hypoglycemia medications might have unfavorable effects such as hypoglycemia, gastrointestinal problems, renal toxicity, and hepatotoxicity, plants are being explored as a potential substitute. The hypoglycemic and hypolipidemic effects of various dosages of boiling a water-based extract of newly-picked NAT flowers were investigated in mice. Mice were given extract at doses of 200, 500, and 750 mg/kg. After that, random glucose concentration and fasting were measured. The extract's biochemical and toxicological effects did not reveal any deaths or indications of clinical toxicity, stress, or unpleasant behavior during the course of the treatment. Subsequent histopathological examination of the liver and kidney sections following extract therapy revealed no impact. According to the experimental findings, water-based extract from recently-picked NAT blossoms has lowering blood sugar and cholesterol levels, making it a potentially useful alternative medication for the treatment of diabetes. Additionally, toxicological results indicated that the extract is safe to be used orally [26].

- **Activity against hyperlipidemia:**

Atherosclerosis, coronary heart disease, ischemic cerebrovascular disease, hypertension, obesity, diabetes mellitus (Type II), and many other conditions are mostly caused by hyperlipidaemia, which is defined as an elevated blood lipid level. Wistar albino rats were tested for antihyperlipidemic efficacy using a methanolic extract of NAT leaves. Lipid profiles including low density lipoprotein, very low-density lipoprotein, triglycerides, total cholesterol, and high density lipoprotein were significantly improved by extract at 200 and 400 mg/kg body weight [27].

- **Anti-arthritic activity:**

In most cases, infections and inflammatory mediators are culprits behind onset of arthritis, an autoimmune disease cartilage rupture, inflammation of synovial joints, synovial joints Pain, pannus development, and mobility limitation are all symptoms of chronic inflammation. Arthritis is now treated with biological treatments, glucocorticoids, and nonbiologic disease modifying antirheumatic medications. Biological therapy include IL-1, IL-6, and TNF- α inhibitors, methyl prednisolone and triamcinolone. Although NSAIDs are seen to be the best treatment for rheumatoid arthritis since they successfully reduce pain, swelling, and stiffness in the joints, they also have negative side effects that include bleeding, dyspepsia, stomach ulcers, and an increased potential for cardiovascular problems. When therapy is based on non-biologic DMARDs, side effects include rash, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, injection site reaction, cellulitis, and respiratory tract infections; on the other hand, anti-TNFs therapy is linked to side effects like headache, abdominal pain, bruising, bleeding, rash, vomiting, diarrhea, and

mouth ulcers. Reversible alopecia can also result from non-biologic DMARDs. In addition to these negative consequences, long-term glucocorticoid treatment increases potential for infections, peptic ulcers, diabetes, cataracts, gastrointestinal hemorrhage, and osteoporosis. Due to all side effects of current treatment options, a growing number of people with rheumatoid arthritis are turning to alternative medications. Anti-arthritis efficacy of n-hexane and ethyl, methyl acetate extracts of mature leaves of NAT was investigated using an arthritic condition caused by FCA in rats. Particularly encouraging extract came from NAT leaf ethyl acetate extract, according to the comparative analysis of extracts. When paw edema was compared to the other two extracts, the ethyl acetate extract demonstrated the greatest suppression. When compared to the other two and the reference medication, piroxicam, it more dramatically reduced bone degradation, the total leukocyte count, and the infiltration of inflammatory cells in the ankle joint. The ethyl acetate extract's phytochemical investigation revealed the presence of α -terpineol, eugenol, and phytol. Eugenol has anti-inflammatory properties by controlling redox reaction, whereas phytol reduces oxidative stress and cytokine production. While terpenoids control immune system and inflammatory reactions by inhibiting nuclear factor Kappa B, α -terpineol is renowned for its ability to reduce inflammation as well, which include lowering expression of genes that encode IL-6 receptors, which lead to inflammation. These terpenes and terpenoids were thought to be responsible for the extract's antiarthritic properties. Nephrotoxic and Hepatotoxic effects of NAT extracts were assessed; the group of animals treated with the extracts did not exhibit any of these symptoms, and the extracts were deemed safe [28].

- **CNS depressant action:**

An investigation was carried out to evaluate plant's central nervous system depressive action by means of water-soluble component of ethanol extracts from NAT's blossoms, barks, seeds, and leaves. Hypnotic and relaxing effects of the leaves and sedative effects of bloom have been established earlier. The plant's ethanol extract was obtained using the Soxhlet extraction method, and adult male Swiss mice were used to test the extract's pharmacological efficacy. In order to measure central nervous system depressant action, period of time that mice slept after being given pentobarbital sodium. An investigation of the activity's potential mechanism was conducted by assessing the effects on brain neurotransmitters that are monoamine, such as serotonin and dopamine. According to study, NAT's ethanolic extract, which includes its foliage, blossoms, seeds, and bark (600 mg/kg) has some muscle relaxant and considerable CNS depressing properties. The start and duration of sleep were significantly and dose-dependently prolonged in the leaves, flowers, seeds, and bark; this was similar to the conventional medication, chlorpromazine. The leaves were shown to have the strongest central nervous system depressing action. Additionally, it was determined that the extract's activity might result from the brain's increased serotonin and decreased dopamine levels [29].

- **Hepatoprotective activity:**

Swiss albino mice were used to induce hepatotoxicity with carbon tetrachloride (CCl₄) in order to test the hepatoprotective potential of crude oil, NAT bark extract (in methanol and petroleum ether). Mice's liver was exposed to CCl₄ injections to cause hepatic toxicity. The liver's function was assessed by measuring the levels of alkaline phosphate, serum glutamate oxidaloacetic transaminase, total bilirubin, serum glutamate pyruvic transaminase, and direct bilirubin in the mice's serum. For the trial, silymarin was the conventional medication. Serum marker enzymes (SGOT, SGPT, ALP, DB, and TB) were considerably reduced administered orally at doses of 100 mg/kg for silymarin and 200 mg/kg for both extracts. It was discovered that the 200 mg/kg dose of methanol extract was more efficacious than the

100 mg/kg dose of methanol and the 100 mg/kg and 200 mg/kg doses into NAT's petroleum ether extract. Presence of tannin, alkaloids, lipids, terpenoid, saponin, cardiac glycosides, phlobatannins, fixed oils, and flavonoids that may be in charge of what's happening was revealed using phytochemical testing on NAT extracts in petroleum ether and methanol [30].

- **Anti-pyretic activity:**

A flu is a complicated physiological reaction that is brought on by aseptic or infectious stimuli. It is characterized by an increase in prostaglandin E (2) concentration in specific brain regions, which in turn modifies the rate at which neurons in the hypothalamus that regulate thermoregulation fire [31]

- **Anxiolytic activity:**

Using a variety of models such as social interaction test, novelty-induced suppressed eating, open field exploratory behavior, raised zero maze, and elevated plus maze, hydroalcoholic NAT leaf extract was investigated for its anxiolytic activity in adult Wister mice and Albino rats. Rats were given the extract orally at two separate dosages (250 and 500 mg/kg), and the results demonstrated a dose-dependent significant increase in anxiolytic activity of NAT in rearing, self-grooming, open field ambulation, and activity in the center. In addition, compared to vehicle treatment, the extract reduced novelty-induced eating latency and promoted social engagement. The reference medication for comparison, lorazepam (500 mg/kg; i.p.), shown notable anxiolytic efficacy and was found to have greater effects than the NAT extract. The hydroalcoholic extract of NAT leaves showed positive overall testing findings for its anxiolytic efficacy [32].

- **Anti-amnesic activity:**

Neurological disorders, which include a variety of mental conditions like PTSD, major depressive illness, phobias, generalized anxiety disorder, OCD, and panic attacks, are more common in the population aged 18 to 60. The most prevalent degenerative illness among them is Alzheimer's disease, is characterized by presence of inflammation, loss of neurons, Elevated levels of free radicals in brain's hippocampus, and cholinergic system malfunction are the causes of Alzheimer's disease pathogenesis. According to the study's findings, ethanolic extract from NAT flowers enhances memory via lowering neuroprotective effects of free radicals tissue and blocking acetylcholinesterase activity. UPLC-Q-TOF-MS/MS and GC-MS, physiologically active ingredient in the extract that controls brain activity was identified. Four chemicals in the extract UPLC-Q-TOF-MS/MS analysis was used to identify: melatonin, chalcone, -hemihydrate of chlorogenic acid with 4-coumaric acid. Phytol and Loliolide were found by GC-MS analysis. The first reports of these active chemicals were found in the NAT flower, and further studies that examined the neuroprotective potential of all these compounds came to the conclusion that the extract might be helpful in the treatment and management of a number of neurological illnesses [33].

- **Anti-cancer activity:**

Antioxidant and anti-cancer properties of methanolic crude extract of NAT's stem, leaves, and fruits were studied in a controlled laboratory setting. Antioxidant activity of extract was assessed using the DPPH free radical scavenging assay. results showed that At a concentration of 1000 mg/ml, dried fruit methanol extract of NAT showed a phenolic crude scavenging effect of 93.8%, whereas With 100 mg/ml, dried stem methanolic extract demonstrated a respectable value of 69.9%, and the dried leaf methanol extract showed the lowest value of 27.8% at 1.0 mg/ml conc. Using MDB MB-231 cancer cell lines, the MTT test was used to assess the anti-cancer activity based on antioxidant activities. Dried fruit methanol extract was shown to exhibit the highest degree of inhibition against Glycosides, tannins, phenols, and steroids were the phytochemicals that were separated from the NAT dried fruit methanol

extract and were thought to be in charge of the plant's anticancer properties [34]. In a different investigation, the anti-cancer potential of the methanolic extract of NAT leaves was tested against Intraperitoneal injection of extract at doses of 400 and 200 mg/kg body weight was used to treat Ehrlich Ascites Carcinoma cells, which amount to 107 cells/mouse into Swiss Albino mice. Fluorouracil (20 mg/kg body weight) was administered intraperitoneally as a typical anti-cancer medication for the trial[34].

1. CONCLUSION:

There is an urgent need to conduct more clinical research on plants since they have a wide range of pharmacological activities that may be therapeutically advantageous for the population's general health and wellness. The plant might be a better option to cure the illnesses because it is readily available and doesn't require any special growing or harvesting conditions. Concurrently, thorough safety assessments of plants and their interactions with different synthetic medications are necessary. This is a completely uncharted domain that is urgently needed. Since plants contain a certain pharmacological effects that might have positive therapeutic effects on population health, there is an urgent need to undertake more clinical research on plants. Because the plant is widely available and doesn't require special growing or harvesting conditions, For certain health issues, it might be best course of action. All at once, extensive evaluations of the safety of plants and their potential interactions with various synthetic drugs are required. There is an immediate demand for this as it is a totally unexplored field. In many situations, the identification and characterization of the bioactive chemical or compounds responsible for the biological activity of plants, as well as the clarification of the mechanism of action, call for additional study and investigation. Since human studies are required to verify the safety and efficacy of the extracts for long-term administration, the toxicity of the various extracts should be taken into consideration. It is important to think about, investigate, and clarify the ways in which the Ayurvedic, Siddha, and Unani medical systems use different sections of NAT plants for therapeutic purposes. Tissue culture, molecular marker-based techniques, and recombinant DNA technologies can all be used to select desirable plant features, increase production, and investigate species diversity in germplasm. It is possible to study synergistic effects of several herbal herbs and NAT, as demonstrated by Jadhav et al.'s 2017 study on the healing of wounds properties of an ethanolic extract derived from NAT and *Murraya koenigii*. This could lead to the best choices for a variety of diseases. Because of its great potential for treating a range of diseases, simple availability, and absence of particular conditions for collecting and growing, this plant is of medicinal formulations that might potentially treat human illnesses need more research and clinical studies to be produced..

2. Future Prospect:

Overall, while *Nyctanthus arbostris* shows promise as a medicinal plant, its future prospects in medicine depend on rigorous scientific research, clinical validation, and regulatory approval processes. Collaboration between botanists, pharmacologists, clinicians, traditional healers, and regulatory agencies is essential for realizing its potential therapeutic benefits and ensuring its safe use in healthcare.

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