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## A Review on the Bioactive Metabolites and Medicinal Applications of Mirabilis Jalapa

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Abstract: Mirabilis jalapa was historically used to treat kidney infections as a diuretic, tonic, cathartic, purgative, and emetic. Phytochemical examination of Mirabilis jalapa leaf and stem extracts showed tannins, alkaloids, flavonoids, phenolic compounds, carbohydrates, terpenes, glycosides, saponins, protein, cardiac glycosides, steroids, and emodin. Mirabilis jalapa had antimicrobial, antiparasitic, dermatological, anticancer, antiinflammatory, analgesic, antidiabetic, antihistaminic, immune-modulatory, antispasmodic, and other pharmacological effects, according to previous studies. This review covers Mirabilis jalapa's chemical ingredients, nutritional, pharmacological, and therapeutic benefits.

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