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## Plant Diversity at Katyayani Temple Area, Kolhapur

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**Abstract**:*Plant diversity has an important role in maintaining the ecological balance and they are the indicator of health of the ecosystem. Plant diversity refers to the variety and variability of plants in a given region. Plant diversity provides a space to birds for nesting, feeding and breeding. The present study was taken plant diversity carried out in the selected area of Katyayani Temple, Kolhapur district. Most of the species belongs to family Fabaceae at this region. Katyayani Temple is located at Kolhapur district (16<sup>0</sup> 37'9.2208 and 74°12'0952."). During survey Indentified 50 plants belonging to 27 families. Each plant is studies with respect to its botanical name, Common name and Family name.* 

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