

## *Magnolia campbellii*

**Botanical Name:** *Magnolia campbellii*

**Common Name:** Ghoge Champ

### **Morphological Characters:**

*Magnolia campbellii* is a medium-sized to large deciduous tree growing to 30 m, rarely to 45 m, tall, with smooth grey bark. The leaves are 10-23 cm (rarely to 33 cm) long and 4.5-10 cm (rarely to 14 cm) broad, fuzzy underneath and with an acute apex. The flowers are very large, 15-25 cm (rarely 35 cm) diameter, with 12-16 tepals, which vary from white to dark pink. They appear very early, before the leaves, opening from late winter to early spring.



### **Growing Season and Type:**

1. After opening of the flower innermost tepals remain erect while the others spread widely.
2. This arrangement may shelter the stamens and stigmas from rain, snow, and other harsh environmental conditions common during their very early flowering time period.



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1. Flower of *Magnolia campbellii*
2. Leaf of *Magnolia campbellii*
3. *Magnolia campbellii* tree

Source:

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