



Solena
***amplexicaulis* (Lam.)**
Gandhi

Family: Cucurbitaceae

Common name: Creeping cucumber

Local name: Ban kakdu

Importance:

- The whole plant is a potential source of natural antioxidant, antidiabetic and antibacterial agent.
- Leaves are used for inflammation, skin lesions and skin diseases.
- Unripe fruits are eaten raw to strengthen the body.