

## **SRI SIVANI COLLEGE OF PHARMACY**

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## LEMON

**BOTINICAL NAME: CITRUS LIMONUM RISSO** 

**FAMILY:** Rutaceae

**SYNONYMS:** 

**ENGLISH:** Lemon **HINDI:** Neemboo

**TAMIL:** Elumiccai

TELUGU: Nimmakāya



## **CHEMICAL CONSTITUENTS:**

Lemon has many bioactive components such as citric acid, Ascorbic acid, minerals, flavonoids and essential oils. Citrus essential oils are generally recognized as safe (GRAS) and a complex mixture of about 400 constituents consisting of 85-99% volatile and 1-15% non-volatile components.

## **USES:**

- Support Heart Health. Lemons are a good source of vitamin C
- ❖ Help Control Weight. Lemons are often promoted as a weight loss food, and there are a few theories as to why this is
- Prevent Kidney Stones
- Protect Against Anaemia
- \* Reduce Cancer Risk
- Improve Digestive Health
- Helps Fight Cancer
- **❖** Better Complexion
- ❖ Lowers Risk of Stroke and Lowers Blood Pressure
- Assists Nervous System