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*Rhododendron*

*Ericaceae*

*Rhododendron* is derived from Greek *rhodo-* (rose) and *dendro-* (tree) components, and is actually a Greek name for oleander (*Nerium oleander*) transferred to this genus. Rhododendrons feature in the national coat of arms of Nepal .