Morpho-Anatomical Studies on Stem Bark of Helicteres isora L.

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ABSTRACT

Helicteres isora L. belongs to the family Sterculiaceae, medicinally it is useful in Ayurveda for skin diseases, dysentery, piles and diabetes. Present study provides macro and microscopic details of the stem bark the species. Besides powder microscopy and organoleptical characters are also presented. The present study will help in the identification and authentication of crude drug.

Key words: Macroscopic, microscopic, Helicteres isora, stem bark

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