

CHEMICAL EXAMINATION OF ANANTAMUL, *HEMIDESMUS INDICUS* R.BR.

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Two phenolic constituents, 3-hydroxy-6-methoxy benzaldehyde (HI-1) and 4-hydroxy-2methoxy benzaldehyde (HI-2) have been isolated from Anantamul (Hemidesmus indicus R.Br.) The compounds were indentified by detailed spectral studies. HI-1 and HI-2 are the important pseudo-precursors of coumarino-lignoids and their occurrence in this plant is being reported for the first time.

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