

Comparative powered drug analysis of aerial and underground roots of *Ficus Rumphii* Blume (Ashmantaka)

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Ficus rumphii Blume. (Ashmantaka), a moderate size tree occurs throughout India. Root of this tree is considered as emetic and anthelmintic and used in asthma and snake-bite. This paper describes microscopic and fluorescence characters of aerial and underground roots of *Ficus rumphii*, along with their ash and extractive values. This study will help to identify and differentiates both type of the roots (Aerial and Underground) from each other.

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