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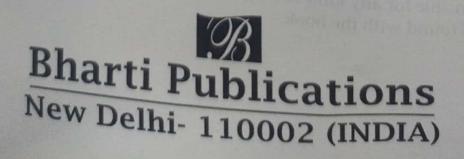
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Antioxidant and Cytotoxic Effects of Methanol Extracts of Sesbania grandiflora Flower

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ABSTRACT

Bioactive compounds present in Sesbania grandiflora flowers were identified and antioxidant and cytotoxic property of it's methanol extract was to evaluated. The article reflects the potential of bioactive compounds in flowers of Sesbania grandiflora. Preliminary phytochemical analysis as alkaloids, sterols, flavonoids, terpenoids, phenolic compounds, of the methanol extract were determined by two different methods viz, reducing power assay.



Environment is the totality of our surroundings. It includes living and nonliving components of nature All round holistic development of nature and environment is 'sustainable development'. It was emphasized by the Unit Conference on Environment and Development (UNC) which defined it as: 'Development that meets the notion of the present generation without compromising the ability of the future generation to meet their own necessary. Environmental sustainability is important because of how much energy, food and human-made resources we use every day. Rapid population growth and use of resources

has resulted in a polluted environment, leading to more greenhouse gas emissions, unsustainable energy use, and deforestation and even malpractice that cause social pollution. So, need to identify the problems, highlight the prospects and finally mitigate the issues for a better healthy environment. As the environment performs our crucial functions, every citizen should know the situation and promptly work for a green, clean and healthy environment. The book, 'ESDPPM' highlights some basic information to know the present scenario of the environment.

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