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Preliminary Analytical Study of *Agasthi Modaka*

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ABSTRACT

Agasthi Modaka is a herbal formulation mentioned in the text *Yogaratanakara* which is indicated in *Shotha*, *Arshas*, *Grahani*, *Kasa* and *Udavarta*. *Modaka* is considered synonymous to *Vati kalpana* according to *Acharya Sharangadhara*. The general method of preparation of both remains the same but they do differ in the size. When there is a need of administration of more quantity of medicine, *Modaka* form is preferred. *Agasthi Modaka* was prepared as per the classical method and was evaluated for its organoleptic and physico-chemical characteristics. Analytical results of this study can be used as a preliminary standard for the same and may be used for reference in the future research studies.

Key Words: *Agasthi Modaka*, *Yogaratanakara*, Preliminary standard, Analytical study

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