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Ethnomedicinal Oil Plants used in Treating Skin Diseases in Hyderabad Karnataka Region, Karnataka, India.

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Abstract:A total of 57 oil yielding plant species belonging to 56 genera representing 33 families have been documented. Out of 57 plants, majority of the species are trees followed by herbs, shrubs, and herbaceous climbers. The information gathered from traditional healers and local peoples of Hyderabad- Karnataka region through interview. The knowledge gathered from the traditional healers confirms that these plants are the most excellent plant species with medicinal properties and several new finding were reported.The present study emphasizes that rural people of Hyderabad Karnataka region frequently depends on medicinal plants for treating skin diseases.

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