Ashoka Bark

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| ***Synonyms Name*** | ***Biological Source*** | ***Family*** | ***Chemical Constituents*** | ***Uses*** | ***Market Preparation*** |
| Ashoka Bark, Sita Ashok, Sorrow-less tree. | It is obtained from dried stem bark of plant *Saraca*  *Indica Linn.* | It belong to the family Leguminosae. | The main Chemical constituents of the bark are tannin, catechol, an essential oil, organic calcium and iron compounds    Figure 1 Tannin | Bark of the tree is used as astringent, demulcent, refrigerant, styptic and febrifuge. Flower of the tree is primarily used as uterine tonic and diabetes for keeping blood sugar under control. Leaves are medicinally used as depurative. | Ashoka (Saraca Indica) Heartwood Powder, Ashokarishta. |