



# Botanical Survey of India

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Indian Botanic Garden, Howrah-3

Flora of Indravati Tiger Reserve, Rajapur  
(Bastar dist., M.P.)

Coll. No. 16419

Name Hemidesmus indicus (L.) R. Br.

Family ASCLEPIADACEAE

Date 9-10-1987

Alt. ....

Locality Bigapur Ghati

Notes Twiner in deciduous forest. Petals  
green without, deep purple within.

Common. Local name: Tadi?

Collector Anand Kumar

B.S.I. 16419

Image Details of Economy Botany Herbarium

Barcode: CAL0000009254

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Family: [ASCLEPIADACEAE](#)

Scientific Name: [Hemidesmus indicus \(L.\) R.Br.](#)

Collector: [Anand Kumar](#)

Country: [India](#)

Uses: [Dried roots constitute the drug hemidesmus or anantmul which is demulcent, diaphoretic, diuretic and used in treatment of rheumatism, gravel, urinary troubles and skin diseases](#)