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5. Research Publications:

Sl. No	Title of Article	Journal	Publisher	Year	ISBN/ISSN
1	Climbing species infestations on the roadside flora of Thiruvananthapuram city, Kerala, India: An inventory.	Int. J. Pharm. & Biol. Sci	JP Research Publications	2019	2321-3272

2	Nutritional potential of <i>Salacia fruticosa</i> Wall. ex M.A. Lawson: An unexplored wild edible fruit plant.	The Pharma Innovation Journal	The Pharma Innovation, New Delhi.	2019	2349-8242
3	Nutritional composition of fruits of <i>Alangium</i> salviifolium, ssp <i>Sundanum</i> (Miq.) Bloemp.: An underutilized edible fruit plant.	J Pharmacogn Phytochem.	Society of Pharmacognosy and Phyto chemistry	2018	2349-8234
4	Nutritional Evaluation of Rubus glomeratus Blume - A Wild Edible Fruit Consumed by Kani Population in Agasthyamala Biosphere Reserve.	Trends in Biosciences	Dheerpura Society for Advancement of Science and Rural Development	2018	0974-8431.
5	Ethnobotanical documentation of wild edible fruits used by Kani tribal community of Kilamalai Forest in Agasthyamalai Biosphere Reserve	J Basic and Applied Biol.	Centre for Biological Research	2014	0973-8207
6	Total monomeric anthocyanin composition of some underexploited fruits used by Kani tribal community of Agasthyamalai Biosphere Reserve.	J. plant dev. sci.	Dr. Amit Tomar, meerut (U.P.) India	2012	0974-6382

7	An insight into the nutritional aspects of the underexploited leafy vegetable, <i>Aniseia martinicensis</i> (Jacq.) Choisy,	J Basic and Applied Biol.	Centre for Biological Research	2011	0973-8207
8	Screening Ethanolic extracts of <i>Riccia billardieri</i> for Antibacterial activity,	J Basic and Applied Biol.	Centre for Biological Research	2011	
9	Antibacterial potency of the extract of a medicinal hydrophyte, <i>Vallisneria</i> spiralis L.	J Basic and Applied Biol.	Centre for Biological Research	2011	0973-8207
10	Documentation of monochlamydeous plants of Kunnathukal panchayat, Thiruvananthapuram district, Kerala, India	J Basic and Applied Biol.	Centre for Biological Research	2011	0973 – 8207.
11	The analytical estimation of ascorbic acid in some fruits and vegetables in different cooking methods	Plant Archives	Dr. R.S.Yadav Etawah, UP India	2008	0972 –5210
12.	Study on some traditional antivenomous herbal treatments of Kani tribe in a part of Agasthya Forest, South Kerala, India	Plant Archives	Dr. R.S.Yadav Etawah, UP India	2007	0972-5210.
13	Wild Edible Fruits in Scott Christian College Campus, Nagercoil, Cape Comorin, Peninsular India.	J.NatCon.		2006	0970 –5945

6. Seminars /Workshops Papers Presented/ Invited talks

Sl. No	Title of Presentation	Name of the Programme	Venue	Date
1	Nutritional Evaluation of Rubus glomeratus Blume - A Wild Edible Fruit Consumed by Kani Population in Agasthyamala Biosphere Reserve	National Seminar on Insight into the Interdisciplinary Perspectives of Chemical and Biosciences	Govt. Arts College, TVPM	28.03.2018
2	Wild edible fruits consumed by Kani tribal community of Arukani Hills in Agasthyamalai Biosphere Reserve	National Seminar on Environment, Development and Sustainability with special reference to Biodiversity of Western Ghats	Nirmalagiri College, Kannur	28.01.2015
3	Total monomeric anthocyanin composition of some underexploited fruits used by Kani tribal community of Agasthyamalai Biosphere Reserve.	National Seminar on Environment, Development and Sustainability with special reference to Biodiversity of Western Ghats	Nirmalagiri College, Kannur	26.02.2015

7.Books/Chapters in Books

Sl. No	Name of Book	Title of the Chapter	Publisher	ISBN
1	Biodiversity and Livelihood: Lessons from Community Research in India.	Diversity and utilization of wild edible fruits in Agasthyamala Biosphere Reserve	Bentham Science Publishers Ltd. Singapore.	978-981- 14-8307-3.

8. Positions held or holding if any

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