

Biology of bezoars formation in goat

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Abstract : Bezoars were isolated from gastrointestinal tract of certain goats and they were used the treatment of ailments like snake bite, old age, plague, high fever, convulsion, stroke, epilepsy and evil spirits as it was believed that bezoars had healing powers. Bezoars are classified according to the materials which they are composed. In view of the lack of information and owing to importance of the problem towards medicine preparations and its health hazards the present study has been undertaken. The aim of the present study was to evaluate the effect of plant material, season, sex, age on bezoars formation in goat.

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