

STUDIES ON SURFACE MORPHOLOGY OF BLACK CUMIN SEEDS

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Abstract : The study concentrates on the surface morphology of black cumin seeds (Nigella sativa. L) containing aromatic oil. Scanning Electron Microscope was used to look in to the surface morphology and revealed that the aromatic oil globules present in the apical part of outgrowths are more in number near the vein. Surface ultrastructure using SEM can be exploited to confirm the presence of aromatic oil in any seed samples.
