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SULFUR-CONTAINING ARISTOLOXAZINES AND OTHER CONSTITUENTS OF THE ROOTS OF ARISTOLOCHIA ORBICULARIS

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S^{ix} never isolated compounds: two sulfur-containing aristoloxazines (1– 2), one aristolactam (3) and three sesquiterpenes (4–6) were identified, along with 26 known compounds from the roots of *Aristolochia orbicularis*. The structure of these 32 compounds was established based on their spectroscopic and spectrometric data. This is the first occasion that sulfurcontaining aristoloxazines are isolated from a natural source. Furthermore, aristoloxazine A (1) possesses strong *in vitro* antimicrobial activity against all resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* and fungi tested.

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