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Instruction for Author

Manuscript Preparation:

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Books : Kalia AN: A Text Book of Industrial Pharmacognosy. CBS Publishers & Distributors, First Edition 2005.

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