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DEFINITION

The article consists of the dried twigs of *Cinnamomum cassia* (L.) J. Presl with a synonym *Cinnamomum aromaticum* Nees (Family Lauraceae), collected in spring or summer, reduced to a fine or very fine powder. It contains NLT 0.8% of total phenylpropanoids calculated as the sum of cinnamyl alcohol ($C_9H_{10}O$), cinnamic acid ($C_9H_8O_2$), 2-methoxycinnamic acid ($C_{10}H_{10}O_3$), cinnamaldehyde (C_9H_8O), and 2-methoxycinnamaldehyde ($C_{10}H_{10}O_2$) on the anhydrous basis.

POTENTIAL CONFOUNDING MATERIALS

Cinnamomum bejolghota (Buch.-Ham.) Sweet, bark

Cinnamomum burmannii (C. G. et Th. Nees) Bl., bark...

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