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## Cinnamomum cassia Twig

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#### DEFINITION

The article consists of the dried twigs of *Cinnamomum cassia* (L.) J.Presl (Family Lauraceae), collected in spring or summer. 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.

#### SYNONYMS

*Camphorina cassia* (Nees & T.Nees) Farw.

*Cinnamomum aromaticum* Nees

*Cinnamomum longifolium* Lukman

*Cinnamomum medium* Lukman

*Laurus cassia* L.

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