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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 with a synonym *Cinnamomum aromaticum* Nees (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...

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