

SHANGLIN STAR ANISE (上林八角)

Country of origin: China

Category: Special Signs of Geographical Indication Products

Type of product: Anise

Geographical Area: Guangxi Zhuang

Specificity of the Product: The otagonal tree is an important spice tree species in the south of China. Its fruit is in the shape of a star, and is usually composed of eight bony smaller fruits. It is reddish brown in color, with a rich aroma, short fruit-shaped horn flap, no mildew, dry. It has medicinal value and can also be used as an animal feed additive. Aniseed oil is an important raw material in perfume, soap, beverages, food, toothpaste and cosmetics; it is an indispensable flavoring agent.



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