

YOUYANG ARTEMISIA ANNUA (酉阳青蒿)

Country of origin: China

Type of product: Artemisia plant (Chinese medicine)

Geographical Area: Chongqing Youyang County

Specificity of the Product: A drug extracted because of its quick functioning and lack of side effects, the World Health Organization calls the Artemisia plant "the best hope for the treatment of malaria." The plant is known for its high-artemisinin content, which is extracted as a regional product. The stems are cylindrical, the surface is yellowish green or brown, with a longitudinal ridge, and the middle section of myeloid. The stems break easily. The leaves are crimped and fragile, complete were three back pinnate, and small oblong lobes. It is valued because of its fragrant air, high medicinal value, for the treatment of fever, malaria, chills, and jaundice.



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