

Dr. Duke's Phytochemical and Ethnobotanical Database**Ethnobotanical Uses for *Ocimum basilicum***

Ethnobotanical Use	Country/Region	Reference
Ache(Ear)	Elsewhere	
Ache(Ear)	India(Santal)	
Ache(Ear)	Panama(Cuna)	
Ache(Head)	Panama(Cuna)	
Ache(Head)	India(Santal)	
Ache(Tooth)	Elsewhere	
Alcoholism	India(Gujarat)	
Alexiteric	Elsewhere	
Anasarca	India(Santal)	
Anodyne	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medicinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Antidote(Alcohol)	India(Gujarat)	
Antiphlogistic	Elsewhere	ANON. 1978. List of Plants. Kyoto Herbal Garden, Pharmacognostic Research Lab., Central Research Division, Takeda Chem. Industries, Ltd., Ichijoji, Sakyo, Kyoto, Japan.
Aphrodisiac	Elsewhere	
Ardor	India(Santal)	
Asthma	Malaya	
Bite(Bug)	China	Leung, Albert Y. 1980. Encyclopedia of common natural ingredients. John Wiley and Sons, N.Y.
Bite(Dog)	India(Santal)	

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Bite(Snake)	China	Leung, Albert Y. 1980. Encyclopedia of common natural ingredients. John Wiley and Sons, N.Y.
Bite(Snake)	India(Santal)	
Cancer(Stomach)	Venezuela	Hartwell, J.L. 1967-71. Plants used against cancer. A survey. Lloydia 30-34.
Carminative	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Carminative	Elsewhere	
Carminative	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medicinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Cephalgia	Elsewhere	
Cholera	India(Santal)	
Circulation	China	Leung, Albert Y. 1980. Encyclopedia of common natural ingredients. John Wiley and Sons, N.Y.
Colic	Elsewhere	
Collapse	India(Santal)	
Convulsion	India(Santal)	
Cordial	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Cosmetic	Europe	Uphof, J.C. Th. 1968. Dictionary of economic plants. 2nd ed. Verlag von J. Cramer.
Cosmetic	Africa	
Cough	Malaya	
Croup	Iraq	Ayensu, Edward S. 1978. Medicinal plants of West Africa. Reference Publications, Inc.
Croup	Iraq	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Cyanogenetic	Elsewhere	

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Deafness	Salvador	Altschul, Siri Von Reis. 1973. Drugs and foods from little-known plants. Harvard Univ. Press
Delirium	India(Santal)	
Demulcent	Elsewhere	
Demulcent	Sudan	Broun, A.F., and R.E. Massey. 1929. Flora of the Sudan. The controller, Sudan Govt. Office, Wellington House, Buchingham Gate, London, S.W.I.
Depression	Greece	
Diaphoretic	Sudan	Broun, A.F., and R.E. Massey. 1929. Flora of the Sudan. The controller, Sudan Govt. Office, Wellington House, Buchingham Gate, London, S.W.I.
Diaphoretic	Elsewhere	
Diarrhea	Iraq	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Digestive	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Diuretic	Elsewhere	
Diuretic	Sudan	Broun, A.F., and R.E. Massey. 1929. Flora of the Sudan. The controller, Sudan Govt. Office, Wellington House, Buchingham Gate, London, S.W.I.
Diuretic	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Dropsy	India(Santal)	
Dysentery	Kurdistan	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Emmenagogue	Malaya	
Epilepsy	India(Santal)	

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Expectorant	Elsewhere	
Eye	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medicinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Fever	Malaya	
Fever	Elsewhere	
Fever	India(Santal)	
Fever	Mexico	Martinez, Maximino. 1969. Las Plantas Medicinales de Mexico.
Fungicide	Philippines	Altschul, Siri Von Reis. 1973. Drugs and foods from little-known plants. Harvard Univ. Press
Gonorrhoea	Turkey	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Gout	Elsewhere	
Gravel	India(Santal)	
Halitosis	Elsewhere	
Hemiplegia	India(Santal)	
Hiccup	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medicinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Infection	Philippines	Altschul, Siri Von Reis. 1973. Drugs and foods from little-known plants. Harvard Univ. Press
Inflammation	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medicinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Insecticide	Elsewhere	
Insectifuge	Malaya	
Kidney	China	Leung, Albert Y. 1980. Encyclopedia of common natural ingredients. John Wiley and Sons, N.Y.
Kidney	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.

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Labor	India(Santal)	
Lactagogue	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Liqueur	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Medicine	Samoa	
Myosis	India	
Narcotic	Malaya	
Nausea	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medicinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Opacity	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medicinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Parturition	China	Leung, Albert Y. 1980. Encyclopedia of common natural ingredients. John Wiley and Sons, N.Y.
Pectoral	Elsewhere	
Pectoral	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Perfume	Europe	Uphof, J.C. Th. 1968. Dictionary of economic plants. 2nd ed. Verlag von J. Cramer.
Perfume	Panama(Cuna)	
Piles	Elsewhere	
Polypus	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medicinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Refrigerant	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Repellant(Insect)	Elsewhere	
Ringworm	Elsewhere	
Rodent-Ulcer	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medicinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.

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Sinus	Elsewhere	
Sore	Elsewhere	
Sore	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medicinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Sore(Throat)	Malaya	
Spasm	Haiti	Brutus, T.C., and A.V. Pierce-Noel. 1960. Les Plantes et les Legumes d'Hati qui Guerissent. Imprimerie De L'Etat, Port-Au-Prince, Haiti.
Spasm	India(Santal)	
Spasm	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Spasm	China	Leung, Albert Y. 1980. Encyclopedia of common natural ingredients. John Wiley and Sons, N.Y.
Spasm	Spain	Font Query, P. 1979. Plantas Medicinales el Dioscorides Renovado. Editorial Labor, S.A. Barcelona. 5th Ed.
Spice	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Stimulant	Elsewhere	
Stimulant	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Stimulant	Sudan	Broun, A.F., and R.E. Massey. 1929. Flora of the Sudan. The controller, Sudan Govt. Office, Wellington House, Buchingham Gate, London, S.W.I.
Stomach	China	Leung, Albert Y. 1980. Encyclopedia of common natural ingredients. John Wiley and Sons, N.Y.
Stomachic	Elsewhere	
Stomachic	Haiti	Brutus, T.C., and A.V. Pierce-Noel. 1960. Les Plantes et les Legumes d'Hati qui Guerissent. Imprimerie De L'Etat, Port-Au-Prince, Haiti.
Stomachic	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Sudorific	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.

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Sudorific	Mexico	Martinez, Maximino. 1969. Las Plantas Medinales de Mexico.
Throat	Elsewhere	
Tumor	Algeria	Hartwell, J.L. 1967-71. Plants used against cancer. A survey. Lloydia 30-34.
Tumor(Diaphragm)	Europe	Hartwell, J.L. 1967-71. Plants used against cancer. A survey. Lloydia 30-34.
Vermifuge	Elsewhere	
Wart	Greece	Hartwell, J.L. 1967-71. Plants used against cancer. A survey. Lloydia 30-34.