

Dr. Duke's Phytochemical and Ethnobotanical Databases

Ethnobotanical Uses for *Withania somnifera*

Ethnobotanical Use	Country/Region	Reference
Abortifacient	Pakistan	--
Adenopathy	Iraq	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Anodyne	India(Punjab)	--
Arthritis	India(Ayurvedic)	--
Arthritis	Ethiopia	--
Asthma	India(Ayurvedic)	--
Bactericide	Elsewhere	--
Bronchitis	Iraq	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Cancer	Greece	Hartwell, J.L. 1967-71. Plants used against cancer. A survey. Lloydia 30-34.
Candida	India	--
Cold	Lesotho	Guillarmod, A.J. 1971. Flora of Lesotho (Basutoland). Verlag von J. Cramer, 3301 Lehre, Germany.
Contraceptive	Pakistan	--
Cough	Elsewhere	--
Debility	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	Iraq	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Diuretic	Africa	Uphof, J.C. Th. 1968. Dictionary of economic plants. 2nd ed. Verlag von J. Cramer.
Dropsy	Elsewhere	--
Dyspepsia	India(Rajasthan)	--
Enema	Lesotho	Guillarmod, A.J. 1971. Flora of Lesotho (Basutoland). Verlag von J. Cramer, 3301 Lehre, Germany.
Eye	Elsewhere	--
Fever	Elsewhere	--
Fungicide	India	--
Gynecopathy	Elsewhere	--
Hiccup	Elsewhere	--

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Hypertension	Elsewhere	--
Inflammation	Iraq	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Intestine	Lesotho	Guillarmod, A.J. 1971. Flora of Lesotho (Basutoland). Verlag von J. Cramer, 3301 Lehre, Germany.
Lumbago	India(Punjab)	--
Marasmus	India	--
Narcotic	Africa	Uphof, J.C. Th. 1968. Dictionary of economic plants. 2nd ed. Verlag von J. Cramer.
Narcotic	Iraq	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Narcotic	Spain	Font Query, P. 1979. Plantas Medicinales el Dioscorides Renovado. Editorial Labor, S.A. Barcelona. 5th Ed.
Pediculicide	Afghanistan	--
Poison	Asia	Lewis and Elvin-Lewis, Medical Botany, ca 1977
Poison	Pakistan	--
Psoriasis	Iraq	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Rectitis	Elsewhere	--
Rectum	South Africa(Kaffir)	Uphof, J.C. Th. 1968. Dictionary of economic plants. 2nd ed. Verlag von J. Cramer.
Rennet	Sudan	Uphof, J.C. Th. 1968. Dictionary of economic plants. 2nd ed. Verlag von J. Cramer.
Rennet	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.
Rennet	Elsewhere	--
Rheumatism	India(Ayurvedic)	--
Rheumatism	Elsewhere	--
Ringworm	Elsewhere	--
Scabies	India(Ayurvedic)	--
Scabies	Iraq	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Sedative	Elsewhere	--
Sedative	Iraq	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Sedative	India(Ayurvedic)	--

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Senility	Elsewhere	--
Sore	Iraq	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Sore	Elsewhere	--
Spasmolytic	Elsewhere	--
Syphilis	Elsewhere	--
Tonic	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.
Tubercle	Iraq	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Tumor	Yemen	Hartwell, J.L. 1967-71. Plants used against cancer. A survey. Lloydia 30-34.
Tumor	Iraq	Al-Rawi, Ali. 1964. Medicinal Plants of Iraq. Tech. Bull. No. 15. Ministry of Agriculture, Directorate General of Agricultural Research Projects.
Tumor	Elsewhere	--
Tumor(Abdomen)	India	Hartwell, J.L. 1967-71. Plants used against cancer. A survey. Lloydia 30-34.
Uterus	India(Ayurvedic)	--
Viricide	Elsewhere	--
Witchcraft	Lesotho	Guillarmod, A.J. 1971. Flora of Lesotho (Basutoland). Verlag von J. Cramer, 3301 Lehre, Germany.
Wound	Lesotho	Guillarmod, A.J. 1971. Flora of Lesotho (Basutoland). Verlag von J. Cramer, 3301 Lehre, Germany.