

Rheum officinale (Polygonaceae)

Common name(s)

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Use	Country/Region	Reference
Aperient	Japan*	ANON. 1978. List of Plants. Kyoto Herbal Garden, Pharmacognostic Research Lab., Central Research Division, Takeda Chem. Industries, Ltd., Ichijoji, Sakyoku, Kyoto, Japan.
Astringent	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Astringent	China	Uphof, J.C. Th. 1968. Dictionary of economic plants. 2nd ed. Verlag von J. Cramer.
Bactericide	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Boil	China	ANON. 1974. A barefoot doctor's manual. DHEW Publication No. (NIH): 75-695.
Burn	China	Leung, Albert Y. 1980. Encyclopedia of common natural ingredients. John Wiley and Sons, N.Y.
Cancer	China	Leung, Albert Y. 1980. Encyclopedia of common natural ingredients. John Wiley and Sons, N.Y.
Cancer(Cervix)	China	Hartwell, J.L. 1967-71. Plants used against cancer. A survey. Lloydia 30-34.
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Congestion	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Cosmetic	Java	
Decoagulant	China	ANON. 1974. A barefoot doctor's manual. DHEW Publication No. (NIH): 75-695.
Depurative	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Diarrhea	China	Leung, Albert Y. 1980. Encyclopedia of common natural ingredients. John Wiley and Sons, N.Y.
Dysentery	China	ANON. 1974. A barefoot doctor's manual. DHEW Publication No. (NIH): 75-695.
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Dyspareunia	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Dysuria	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Fever	China	ANON. 1974. A barefoot doctor's manual. DHEW Publication No. (NIH): 75-695.
Freckles	Java	
Fumitory	Java	
Gynecopathy	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Jaundice	China	ANON. 1974. A barefoot doctor's manual. DHEW Publication No. (NIH): 75-695.
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Laxative	China	Uphof, J.C. Th. 1968. Dictionary of economic plants. 2nd ed. Verlag von J. Cramer.
Malaria	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Poison	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Purgative	Malaya	
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Purgative	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
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Sore	China	Leung, Albert Y. 1980. Encyclopedia of common natural ingredients. John Wiley and Sons, N.Y.
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Stomachic	Japan*	ANON. 1978. List of Plants. Kyoto Herbal Garden, Pharmacognostic Research Lab., Central Research Division, Takeda Chem. Industries, Ltd., Ichijoji, Sakyoku, Kyoto, Japan.
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Tonic	Malaya	
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Tonic	China	Shih-chen, Li. 1973. Chinese medicinal herbs. Georgetown Press, San Francisco.
Tonic	Turkey	Steinmetz, E.F. 1957. codex Vegetabilis. Published by the author, Amsterdam.
Vermifuge	China	ANON. 1974. A barefoot doctor's manual. DHEW Publication No. (NIH): 75-695.