
**Traditional Chinese medicine —
Guidelines and specification for
Chinese materia medica**

*Médecine traditionnelle chinoise — Lignes directrices et spécification
relatives aux matières médicales chinoises*

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Introduction

Chinese materia medica is a special commodity used for preventing and treating diseases. Chinese materia medica is imported and exported by many countries, with important differences in quality.

This document is intended to provide a basis for fixing the price of different Chinese materia medica. It is intended to help regulate manufacturing and distribution, maintain quality, safety and market orders, and promote the development of trade and exchange in Chinese materia medica.

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