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# Compound Cardamom Tincture

### DEFINITION

Prepare Compound Cardamom Tincture as follows (see [Pharmaceutical Compounding—Nonsterile Preparations \(795\)](#)).

|  |         |
|--|---------|
| Cardamom Seed, in moderately coarse powder     | 20 g    |
| Cinnamon, in fine powder                       | 25 g    |
| Caraway, in moderately coarse powder           | 12 g    |
| Glycerin                                       | 50 mL   |
| Diluted Alcohol                                | 950 mL  |
| Diluted Alcohol, a sufficient quantity to make | 1000 mL |

Macerate the mixed powders in 750 mL of a mixture of 50 mL of *Glycerin* and 950 mL of *Diluted Alcohol* in a container that can be closed, and put it in a warm place. Agitate it frequently during 3 days or until the soluble matter is dissolved. Transfer the mixture to a filter, and when most of the liquid has drained away, wash the residue on the filter by using first the remainder of the mixture of *Glycerin* and *Diluted Alcohol* prepared as directed above, followed by *Diluted Alcohol*, combining the filtrates to produce 1000 mL, and mix. [NOTE—Compound Cardamom Tincture may be colored with one or more colors.]

### OTHER COMPONENTS

- [ALCOHOL DETERMINATION, Method II\(611\)](#): 43.0%–47.0%

### ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

- PACKAGING AND STORAGE:** Package in tight, light-resistant containers, and avoid exposure to direct sunlight and excessive heat.

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