Astragalus Root

As a long term tonic, Astragalus helps boost deep immunity and resistance.

Who would benefit from this supplement? Those who get sick easily or suffer from chronic health problems. It is especially useful for those undergoing chemotherapy.

"You may already be accustomed to taking echinacea at the first sign of a cold or flu, or when people around you are getting sick. How is astragalus different? Like echinacea, Astragalus not only helps prevent colds and flu but shortens the course of a bug once it has set in. Astragalus can also be used as a long-term preventive and restorative herb, both to prevent illness and to renew energy and vitality once an acute illness hs passed. Scientific evidence salso suggests that astragalus may be one of the most important herbs for strengthening the immune system against serious diseases, including cancer." (*McCaleb, Robert, et al, The Encyclopedia of Popular Herbs, The Herb Research Foundation, Prima Health, 2000*)

The indications listed for Astragalus include the following: colds and flu, chronic respiratory problems such as bronchitis, digestive ailments, susceptibility to infectious disease, recovery after illness, general weakness and fatigue, cancer.

The active constituents include polysaccharides (glucans), saponins (astragalosides), flavonoids and phytosterols, all of which contribute to the positive actions of Astragalus. It increases the number of stem cells in bone marrow and lymph tissue and encourages their development into active immune cells. It appears to help trigger immune cells from a "resting" state into heightened activity. One study showed Astragalus root helps promote and maintain respiratory health. It also enhances the body's production of immunoglobulin and stimulates macrophages. Astragalus can help activate T-cells and natural killer (NK) cells. Astragalus stimulated NK-cell activity of human peripheral blood lymphocytes and restored steroid-inhibited NK-cell activity in another study.

Traditionally, many herbalists feel Astragalus is best used when not acute. In other words, use it in between acute episodes in order to boost immunity and avoid frequent acute episodes. Astragalus is indicated for those who get sick frequently, for illnesses that do not resolve in a reasonable time, for those who get sick time after time. It is also indicated for those using antibiotics frequently. Think of it as an herbal flu shot, so take it before the immune season begins, especially for the elderly, the young and the immune suppressed.

Phyto-Tech™ Astragalus Root 1:3 contains Astragalus membranaceus, 333 mg/ml, certified organic.

Dosage: 20-60 drops, 2-3 times per day or as needed in juice or water.

Complimentary Formulas: Phyto-Tech™ Immune Complex

Astragalus Root 1:3 - 1 fl oz
Product Code: 56949
List: $10.90 ~ Discount: $8.72

Suggested Use:
30-60 drops in juice or water, 2-3 times daily, or as needed.

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WARNING:
Keep out of the reach of children.

Shake well before using.

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Astragalus Root 1:3

HERBAL SUPPLEMENT
1 fl oz (30 ml)

Supplement Facts	
Serving Size 30 Drops (1 ml)	
Servings Per Container 30	
Amount Per Serving	% DV
Certified Organic Astragalus Root "Huang Chi" (Astragalus membranaceus)	333 mg*
*Daily Value (DV) Not Established	

OTHER INGREDIENTS: Deionized Water, Grain Alcohol (27-37% by volume)

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