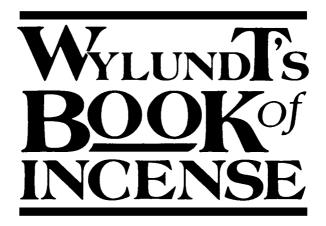
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INTRODUCTION

When I first began to make my own incense, I knew very little about it. Most of my experience has been gained through trial and error. This book will provide you with all types of incense recipes, so you won't have to make the same mistakes I've made.

This book is a primer, designed to help you build a solid base. Once you have mastered the techniques shown here, you can improve on them. Feel free to rearrange any of these recipes and methods to suit your personal tastes and needs.

You'll find complete instructions for making loose, cone, stick and cylinder incense, how to dry and store it, and how to gather, dry and store fresh herbs, plus a complete listing of herbs. I have included different kinds of incense recipes, providing recipes that are made for their fragrance and/or color, incense used for its astrological, magical or ritualistic correspondences. You can even learn to make liquid scents.

For the reader's convenience, I have included a list of the common names of herbs and plants, so you can cross-reference familiar names with the proper herbal listing. Also included is a list of planetary correspondences, a list of the magical uses of herbs. As you work with the recipes you may want to increase or decrease the proportions so in addition to an explanation of weights and measures, you will find appendices showing you how to adjust your recipes.

This book was not written with any particular doctrine in mind; it was written as a practical reference book for students of many diverse paths.

Part One



MAKING AND USING INCENSE

TYPES OF INCENSE

There are four basic forms of incense—loose, cone, cylinder, and stick. Each of these forms has its own advantages and disadvantages.

Loose incense is by far the oldest, most popular, and easiest form of incense to make and use. It is made by combining one or more herbs and/or spices, which are then burned directly over a heat source. The heat is usually supplied by self-lighting charcoal.

Although it is very easy to make and use, there are several disadvantages to using loose incense. The main disadvantage is waste. Herbs burn quickly and must be renewed frequently when burned directly over charcoal. Smoke is another problem. If loose incense is burned often, or for any length of time, your ceilings and furniture will get sooty and the room will smell like smoke.

As loose incense is usually burned on charcoal, this creates a potential fire hazard. Charcoal gives off a great deal of heat, which might ignite nearby flammable objects. Burning charcoal also gives off a toxic gas, which can cause severe headaches when burned in an enclosed area.

Despite these disadvantages, loose incense is by far the most versatile, the possible herb and/or spice combinations and variations available are virtually unlimited. Using loose incense and charcoal is also an easy way to experiment with blends and recipes. In the time it takes just one charcoal briquette to burn (approximately 1½ hours), you can experiment with dozens of herb, spice, and scent combinations.

Cone incense is another popular form of incense, and is the main form covered in this book. Many stores no longer carry cones, and those that do stock only a limited variety of scents.

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Cone incense is self-burning and needs no charcoal. The possible blends and varieties of cones are almost limitless.

Cone incense is easier to use, more economical, and less messy than loose incense.

There are two main disadvantages to using cone incense. One is that it must be made by hand, which is time consuming. The other disadvantage is that the cone must be self-burning, and when you experiment with various ingredients, you may find that your incense won't burn!

Cylinder incense is similar to cone incense in that they both are made from basically the same ingredients and are usually formed by hand. Cylinders are longer and thinner than cones, and burn at a steadier rate and for a longer length of time.

The main disadvantages of cylinders are that they are hard to form, are sometimes very brittle, and all the ingredients must be in powdered form.

The longest burning form of incense is stick incense and it's the most economical to use. Another plus is that it can be partially burned, put out, then reused at another time.

Stick incense has its disadvantages, too. It is messy and hard to form. It usually is also hard to keep lit, unless you add some saltpeter when you make it. Stick incense must be dried slowly to prevent it from cracking. Much of its scent may be lost during the drying process.

INGREDIENTS NEEDED TO MAKE INCENSE

With the exception of loose incense, all forms of incense need four basic ingredients: an aromatic substance, a base and/or chemical to help keep it burning, a bonding agent to hold it together, and a liquid to change the bonding agent into a glue.

Aromatic Substance

Any herb, spice, or scent that will give off a pleasing smell and/or cause a desired effect to occur when it is burned. Almost any kind of substance imaginable can and has been used as an aromatic substance. A listing of many of the more popular substances is included in part 2, as well as instructions for gathering, drying and storing herbs.

Base

Once you have chosen the fragrance you wish to use, you should then decide on a base. A base is a substance that burns easily and gives off either a pleasant aroma or no aroma at all when it is burned. The use of a base is necessary because most herbs burn poorly without one. The base also helps take the bitterness out of an herb, or makes its fragrance milder. Many herbs are too strong, pungent, bitter, or overpowering when burned by themselves. A good base will usually correct these faults, while still retaining the basic scent of the herb. The most popular and easy to obtain bases are wood powder, sandalwood, red sandalwood, quassia, vetiver, willow, evergreen needles, and talc.

Wood powder is nothing more than sawdust that has been ground very fine. You can either buy it or make your own. Any lumber store will be more than happy to give you all the sawdust you can use.

To make wood powder, put a cup of dry clean sawdust into a blender. Set the blender on chop and let it run for about two minutes. When done, sift the sawdust and save the fine powder in an airtight container. Never put sticks or wood chips in a blender, as it will damage the blades and/or burn out the motor.

The sawdust you get from a lumber store is usually pine. If you know people who cut their own firewood, you may be able to get some wild cherry or cedar sawdust, which will add a pleasing scent to most blends of incense. For that matter, sawdust from any type of fruit tree makes an excellent base material.

Being easily obtainable and quite inexpensive, wood powder is a popular base material. Its major drawback is that it leaves a strong and lingering burnt wood smell after it has been burned.

Sandalwood is by far the most popular and versatile of bases. Its sweet, clean, and woody aroma compliments almost any herb, spice, or fragrance. Unlike wood powder, sandalwood leaves no burny after-smell. Instead, it leaves a sweet and slightly floral aroma. Sandalwood may cost more than any other base, but it's well worth the price.

Red sandalwood is a different species of tree than sandalwood; but smells a lot like it. Its one minor drawback is its color, for it will add a reddish tint to any blend.

Quassia is also similar to sandalwood in scent, only not as strong or sweet. It is a very hard wood, so it must be purchased in powdered form, or it will be almost useless for incense making.

Vetiver smells much like sandalwood, only it is sweeter and not as clean smelling. Like quassia, it is hard and can only be used in powdered form.

Willow is an excellent base because it burns cleanly, with very little smoke and almost no scent. This makes it ideal for use in any blend. Its only bad point is that it burns very quickly, but this can be easily remedied by using less of it.

The needles from evergreen trees, especially pine, fir, and cedar, make a pleasant smelling base. They add a woodsy outdoors kind of scent to your incense. Evergreen needles can be

easily powdered in a blender. Just put a cup of dried needles in a blender, set it on chop, and run it for about two minutes. When done, sift and store the powder in an airtight container. Never put twigs or needles that aren't completely dried in the blender. This can damage or gum-up the machine.

Because of their strong scent, evergreen needles aren't as versatile as most bases; their aroma will sometimes clash with other fragrances, particularly floral scents.

Most bases are used to help herbs to burn; but talc is an exception to the rule. It is used to lengthen burning time. Care should be taken not to add too much talc, or the blend may not burn at all.

There are many other substances that can be used as a base. Any material used for a base must burn easily and help sweeten or weaken (but not overpower) the fragrance of the aromatic substance being burned.

Potassium Nitrate

There are many herbs that are hard to burn, even with the aid of a base. For herbs like this, a burnable substance in addition to a base is needed. This substance is a chemical called potassium nitrate. It is also known by the names of niter and saltpeter.

It is not necessary to use saltpeter in loose incense. However, most cones and cylinders with two or more ingredients usually need some. Stick incense almost always needs it.

By adding saltpeter, the burning times of your incense is reduced by 25 percent to 40 percent, depending on the amount of saltpeter used and the ingredients of the blend. Saltpeter is not to be added directly to the dry ingredients. It should first be dissolved in the liquid that is to be used in the making of the cone, cylinder, or stick. This will give your incense a more even distribution of saltpeter, thus preventing smokey flare-ups. The proper methods of preparing saltpeter will be covered in the next chapter.

Bonding Agents

After you have chosen a fragrance and base, you will need something to "glue" them together so that you can form cones, cylinders, or sticks. For this you need a bonding agent. There are dozens of resins and gums which can be used for this purpose. To narrow down the field somewhat, the bonding agent should meet all of the following requirements:

- 1) It must be water soluble and quick dissolving.
- 2) It should be in a solid (powdered) form.
- 3) It should have little or no scent of its own when burned.
- 4) It should be easy to use and handle.
- 5) It shouldn't revert to its powdered form when dried.
- 6) It should be safe to use and non-toxic when burned.

There are nine gums that meet all six requirements. They are agar agar, ghatti gum, guar gum, gum arabic, locust bean gum, karaya, sodium alginate, tragacanth, and xanthan gum.

We can further eliminate five of these gums because they are only sold in bulk (100 lb. lots) to large food, drug, and cosmetic manufacturers: ghatti gum, guar gum, locust bean gum, sodium alginate, and xanthan gum.

Agar agar is readily available to the small consumer; however, it is very expensive. It costs nearly three times more than any other bonding agent.

Karaya is the least expensive gum listed. For this reason it is widely used by incense making companies. It usually comes in small chunks that must be ground to powder and dissolved in boiling water.

Gum arabic has been used for centuries for bonding incense. First, because it was the best available gum at the time; later it was used because it was called for in old recipes. It is still quite popular and is used by many amateur incense makers. Although gum arabic is a good bonding agent, it has two small faults: it is very sticky and messy to work with; and it rises to the surface of

the incense as it dries. This leaves the center virtually gum-free and causes the incense to become brittle and break easily.

Tragacanth is by far the best available bonding agent. It dissolves easily and isn't sticky or messy to work with. All the recipes requiring a bonding agent that we will work with are designed to be made with tragacanth.

Tragacanth is a safe and versatile substance. It can be used to thicken gravy. Pharmaceutical companies use it to make pills, and cosmetic firms have used it in toothpaste, hand lotion, eye makeup, and shaving cream. Its only drawback is that it costs more than most other bonding agents. But, because of its superior bonding ability, only half as much is needed.

Liquid

You need a liquid to turn the bonding agent into a glue. The best and easiest liquid to use is water, but almost any fluid may be used. Such strange ingredients as wine, brandy, rose water, olive oil, and even beer can be used.

MAKING INCENSE

Incense is something that, when burned, gives off an agreeable odor and/or produces a desired effect. It can only do this if the proper aromatic substance is used. In this section we will go into more depth discussing these substances, because the proper choice and use of an aromatic substance is essential to the success of any blend.

The following is a brief description of the basic scents of different forms of aromatic substances. It is not all inclusive, and there are numerous exceptions.

Bark: woody, semisweet, mild Berries: heavy, earthy, resin-like Flowers: dry, grassy, semisweet Gums: heavy, semisweet, resin-like

Leaves: dry, herby, grassy

Roots: earthy, heavy, woody, different

Seeds: burny, bitter, smokey Spices: sweet, dry, mild

Wood: woody, semisweet, mild

Many herbs smell quite pleasant in their natural state, yet can be very offensive when burned. A good example of this is mint. Nothing smells as clean, fresh, and cool as mint leaves; however, when burned, mint smells awful.

The best way to tell how a prospective herb will smell in incense is to burn a little of it by itself. If the smell is agreeable, then you should use it. If it is not, then try its herbal scent, essence, or oil.

Before continuing, I would like to address those of you who suffer from hay fever, asthma, or have skin problems. The making and using of incense may cause some adverse effects. The problems it can cause aren't usually severe or long lasting; and because of the small amounts used, may not occur at all. While no two people react in the same way, it is fairly safe to say that in most cases the making or using of incense will have little or no effect on your general health, unless the substance used is either poisonous or narcotic—both of which should be avoided.

There is no such thing as the perfect incense formula—one that can be used successfully for every kind of herb, spice, flower, or blend. However, an excellent basic formula to begin your incense making with is one of twenty parts aromatic substance, four parts base, and one part bonding agent. This general formula can be used as a kind of stepping-stone to more elaborate formulas.

Always keep the proportion of aromatic substance at least twice as large as the base. The only exceptions to this rule are when you are working with an extremely strong or bitter herb, or if you are using only scents. (More will be said about scents in a later chapter.) The use of too much base, especially if it is wood powder, will leave a strong after-smell of smoke.

When you are just starting out or when making experimental blends, always make small batches. This will cut down on waste due to non-burning blends or blends that don't meet with your approval. Just a pinch or two of an ingredient is all you really need to find out if it smells good. Sprinkle a little on a lit charcoal briquette to find out how it will smell.

Many of the old traditional recipes give the impression that their ingredients and proportions must be carried out to the letter. There is nothing wrong with this, but I prefer to find out for myself. Whenever I come across a new recipe, I try it as it is recorded, then experiment with it by changing its proportions and by adding or subtracting ingredients. Feel free to experiment with any recipe in this book. After all, that's how most new recipes are either discovered or improved upon: by trial and error.

A beginner experimenting with blends should start by using equal amounts of each aromatic substance. Later, after you've gained more experience you can adjust the blends to suit your own

tastes or needs. As your knowledge grows you can make your own blends by relying solely on your past experiments, experience, and insight.

Whenever you are measuring ingredients, always use level teaspoons, tablespoons, etc. In this way the measurements will always be accurate and you can easily reproduce any desired blend.

When making incense—be it cone, cylinder, or stick—the ingredients should always be ground as finely as possible. This will make the incense easier to work with and the finished product will burn cleaner and more evenly. For grinding down small amounts of ingredients, a mortar and pestle should be used. For larger quantities, a blender works nicely. After you have finely ground your ingredient, it should be sifted to remove any unground pieces. You can use anything from a hand-held flour sifter to a piece of screen. Even an old aluminum pie plate, with holes punched in it, will do the job.

Although many herbs will burn without a base, it is best to assume that one is needed, especially when working with blends. As stated earlier, a good starting formula is twenty parts aromatic substance, four parts base, and one part bonding agent.

As you already know, a base is sometimes used to keep an herb's scent from being too overpowering. Sometimes too much fragrance is just as bad as not enough. Whether or not you choose to use a base—or how much you use—is really a matter of personal taste. You are the artist, and the incense is your creation.

With the exception of saltpeter, all your dry ingredients should be mixed thoroughly before adding any liquid. I always use wooden popsicle sticks when mixing ingredients. Sticks may be purchased at almost any hobby or craft store. Whether mixing just dry ingredients, or later when liquid is added, these sticks are easy to use and keep clean. The incense ingredients will not adhere to them, as they would to a spoon or any other kind of mixing tool.

Liquid is added to incense to change the bonding agent from a dry powder into a glue. It is also used to dissolve saltpeter. The initials that you will see throughout this book are a code for water and saltpeter solutions. Please use the following measurements when adding a bonding agent to your recipe:

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QB (Quarter Blend): Make your liquid by combining the

following:

water 1/2 cup saltpeter 1/4t

FW (Fire Water): water 8t

saltpeter 1/4t

LF (Liquid Fire): water 4t

saltpeter 1/4t

For all types of bonding agents, after the saltpeter has been thoroughly dissolved, add the liquid to the dry ingredients. The proper amount of liquid to use is given in each recipe. Mix all the ingredients again with your "popsicle" stick, then knead it with your fingers.

The consistency of the incense mixture should be that of a soft lumpy putty or of moist dough. It should be easily workable, yet not too wet. If the mixture is too wet, the incense will run and sag. If it's too dry, it will be crumbly and hard to shape.

For a typical 2¹/₂ teaspoon dry mixture, a rough estimate of the amount of water to use is as follows:

For leaves and/or flowers use 1-11/4 teaspoons.

For roots use $1^{1/2}-2$ teaspoons.

For powdered herbs and spices use 11/2-13/4 teaspoons.

Base and scent mixtures need 11/2-2 teaspoons.

All others need from 11/4-11/2 teaspoons of liquid.

If you aren't sure how much liquid to use, start with one teaspoon of fluid and then, if more is needed, add 1/4 teaspoon at a time until the mixture is moist and workable

Cones

After you have thoroughly mixed and kneaded the incense mixture, break off a piece and form it into a cone shape. It should be about 1³/₄ inches long and ⁷/₁₆ inch in diameter at its base. It should resemble a tall, thin, inverted ice-cream cone (with one scoop of ice-cream on it). Hold it vertically and press the rounded end gently on a flat surface. Rounding before pressing will prevent the end from flaring out when flattened.

As the water in cone incense evaporates, the cone shrinks. The more water used, the more it will shrink. The average cone will lose about 1/8 inch in length and 1/16 inch in diameter.

Burning time depends almost entirely on the length of a cone, not on its thickness. Most cones will burn from 10 to 25 minutes, depending on the ingredients used and the size of the cone. Cones should be kept as thin as possible. This greatly reduces drying time and insures a more even burn.

When experimenting or making more than one blend at a time, it is wise to record the ingredients used and their proportions. Record also any comments or ideas that you may have, for future reference. Good record keeping will aid you greatly in your work. Even if an experiment is unsuccessful, record it and learn from your mistakes so you won't make the same error again.

Cylinders

After you have mastered the making of cone incense, you may wish to try your hand at making cylinders. Cylinder incense is very similar to cone incense in both manufacture and ingredients. Other than their obvious difference in shape, the only real difference between them is that all of the ingredients used in making cylinders *must* be in powder form. Powdered ingredients are necessary for the shaping and even burning of cylinders.

Being longer and thinner than cones, cylinders burn longer and at a more steady rate. Also, you can get more cylinders out of the same amount of ingredients. Use the same recipe as for cones. Use the amount of liquid that the recipe calls for, and then add a little plain water until the mixture is moist enough to easily work.

To form a cylinder, break off a piece of incense mixture and roll it gently on a clean smooth surface. Work it as you would a piece of clay. At first you will probably have some trouble forming cylinders, but it will become quite easy to do with practice. While any size cylinder will do, the most suitable size is one approxi-

mately 23/4 inches long and about 5/16 inch in diameter. This size is small enough to work easily, yet large enough to burn for a long time.

If you want to add a professional look to your cylinders, they may be formed by using a cake decorator. If you have a plastic or tin one, all you need do is enlarge the hole in one of the removable spout attachments. The hole should be widened to no less than 5/16 inch and no more than 3/8 inch. Incense won't flow through if the hole is too small, and the cylinders will be too large if the hole is too wide.

Form the cylinders on a smooth hard surface. When they begin to set up (in about half an hour) roll them over 180 degrees. Roll them again in about another hour. This will prevent the cylinders from sticking to your drying board.

Cylinders, because they are much thinner than cones, will dry in about half the time. On a warm summer's day, a batch made early in the morning should be dry that same evening.

Sticks

As with cylinders, the ingredients for stick incense should all be in powder form. Use the ingredients and proportions called for in the recipes. Then add a little plain water and about a dozen drops of mineral oil. This makes the sticks much easier to work with and to form.

There are several methods for making stick incense. Among the more popular are the pre-made unscented, mold, dipping, and hand rolling methods.

The pre-made unscented method is by far the easiest to do. Just purchase pre-made unscented incense and add to them the essence or scent of your choice. The scent is "painted" on with a small artist's brush, then the stick is allowed to dry and stored until needed. If the scent is applied sparingly, the incense may be used right away. I'm a purist when it comes to incense, and don't really approve of this method. I must admit, however, that it comes in handy if you need a certain scent in a hurry and don't have the time to make it from scratch.

The mold method is very time consuming, but the finished product looks almost "store-bought." It consists of putting incense in a mold and pushing it back out as a finished stick of incense.

At a hobby shop, lumber or supply store, purchase a piece of metal tubing with an inside diameter of 1/4, 5/6, or 3/8 inch. A wooden dowel of the same diameter should also be obtained. Cut the tubing to a length of from 7 to 10 inches, and make the dowel about 4 inches longer than that. The tube will act as your mold, while the dowel will become the plunger. The dowel may need to be sanded to fit into the tube.

Knead the incense mixture like clay and put it into the mold. Pack it tightly with the plunger. Continue doing this until the tube is nearly full. Next, push a thin bamboo stick through one end, until it reaches the far end. With the dowel, gently push the stick and incense out of the mold.

Always clean the mold between blends and wash it when done. Before using the mold again, always soak it for a few minutes in warm water, just in case there may be some residue left inside from a previous batch.

The dipping method is not as time consuming as the mold method, but the sticks aren't as perfectly shaped either. In the dipping method, bamboo sticks are dipped into a solution of water, bonding agent, and saltpeter (if it is called for in the recipe). The sticks are then sprinkled with a powdered incense mixture and put aside for a few minutes to set up. After the incense has begun to harden (in about 15 minutes) the process is repeated. This will continue until the stick reaches the desired diameter, usually either ½ or ½ inch.

The solution must be changed between dippings because the fluid continues to thicken until it gets almost like gravy. If the sticks are dipped into a solution that is too thick, the solution can knock off the incense that is already on the stick.

Hand rolling is just what the name implies. The incense is placed on a smooth flat surface and rolled back and forth like you would a piece of clay or dough. When the desired thickness is reached, a bamboo stick is pushed through it, lengthwise, and it is shaped once more. Incense made by this method is very thick—usually from $^{3}/_{8}$ to $^{1}/_{2}$ inch in diameter. It is, however, easier and quicker than the previous two methods are.

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You may be tempted to try your cake decorator to make stick incense, but it won't work. Any mixture that is moist enough to come out of the nozzle will be too wet to form stick incense.

You are probably wondering where to get bamboo sticks, since most occult shops and herb stores don't carry them. To overcome this problem, buy bamboo barbecue skewers and split them with a razor blade. Skewers usually come in packs of 100 and are not expensive. They can be obtained at any Oriental food store or at any store that sells outdoor cooking equipment.

Over the years, I've come across a number of blends that would not burn. In most cases, this problem can be corrected by replacing some of the non-combustible ingredients with their corresponding scents, oils or essences (see page 27). This will preserve the integrity of the blend, while also helping it burn more easily. If you do this, be sure to replace the missing bulk with a base, preferably one of either sandalwood or willow. If the blend still doesn't burn, don't get discouraged. The cone, cylinder, or stick can be ground with a mortar and pestle and used as a loose incense.

There are some recipes that don't burn independently. These are to be used as a loose incense only, and no bonding agent, liquid, or saltpeter is needed in them.

Unless otherwise stated, all recipes need $^{1/8}$ teaspoon of bonding agent (preferably tragacanth gum).

As far as liquid scents or oils go, use as much or little as you feel is needed. I usually use 10 drops of essence or 5 to 7 drops of oil, but, depending on personal tastes, or needs, anywhere from 5 to 20 drops will suffice.

DRYING AND STORING INCENSE

This section is devoted to drying and storing cone incense. The methods and techniques used can be readily adapted to the drying and storing of other types of incense as well. Proper drying is very important. Improperly dried incense takes much longer to dry and may even even be ruined.

Drying

When you have finished making the cones, place them in a vertical position for about an hour. This allows them to establish proper shape and symmetry. If this step is overlooked, the cones will tend to droop or lean toward one side.

The next step is to lay the cones flat, turning them occasionally. Lying them flat aids in drying, and when saltpeter is used, keeps it evenly distributed throughout the cone.

Wood is one of the best surfaces to dry incense on. It is economical, durable, and can be easily moved from place to place. It also absorbs excess moisture, thereby speeding up the drying process. Never use paper or cardboard for drying incense. Paper products soak up moisture too quickly, causing most of the saltpeter to be leached from the incense. A one-by-four or one-by-six inch board, cut about ten inches long, is about the right size for drying. It is small enough to sit on a windowsill or to be moved easily, yet large enough to hold several dozen incense cones. To keep the cones from rolling off the board, the outside edges should be either built up slightly or nails, brads, or push-pins can be driven in at half-inch intervals.

If you plan on drying stick incense, drill holes into the board about one inch apart. If you happen to be all thumbs, as I am, you

can dry your sticks by poking them into a lump of clay, a block of styrofoam, or into a small can filled with sand.

In warm weather, cones can be easily dried on a windowsill or in the back window of an automobile. It usually takes about two days for them to dry in a window, and about a day and a half to dry in the sun in a car.

Several things can adversely effect the drying of incense. Among these are dew, high humidity, shade, improper ventilation, and cold. Any one of these conditions can severely retard drying or even ruin your incense. Remember, when you dry incense outdoors or in a car, you must bring it indoors at night. This precaution will help to eliminate the possibility of your incense being ruined by dew.

Incense dries very slowly when the humidity is high or on rainy days. Always check the weather forecast before making incense. Postpone making incense if the forecast calls for two or more days of adverse weather. Incense needs direct sunlight and/or heat to dry quickly and completely. If left in a shady or cool spot, it will take much longer to dry.

Proper ventilation is a must when drying incense. It should never be covered or placed in a box to dry. This will greatly lengthen drying time and increase the possibility of the incense being ruined by mildew.

During cold weather, always dry incense indoors. It can be easily dried on a sunny windowsill, or near a heater vent. Depending upon the heat used, it will take from one to three days to dry.

How do you tell when your cones are dry? Simply squeeze them between your thumb and forefinger, at their base. Press gently at first, then increase the pressure. The cones are dry if you can squeeze them as hard as you can and they neither give way nor break. This method only works when using tragacanth gum as a bonding agent. Cones made of gum arabic (or almost any other gum) will be too fragile to be tested in this way.

Don't be impatient. The drying times given here are only approximate. Weather conditions, ingredients used, and the quality and freshness of the herbs used all have an effect on the drying time. Incense dries from the outside inward. It may appear dry while the inside may still be quite damp. (The fresher the herb, the longer it takes to dry.)

Storing

After your incense is completely dry, it should be carefully stored for future use. I cannot emphasize enough the need for proper storage. All of your work will have been in vain if your incense is stored haphazardly.

Each blend should be stored separately. Loose incense can be stored in small wide-mouthed jars, for easy retrieval. Cones and cylinders can be stored in jars or tightly sealed plastic bags. Stick incense should be placed in a tall thin jar, such as an empty catsup or soft drink bottle.

Remember to label the containers. Record the ingredients or recipe, date made, and any other fact that you think may be important. It is very easy to forget or get confused if your blends are left unmarked.

When you make larger batches, or use liquid scents or strong scents (such as camphor or menthol), glass must always be used for storage. If possible, add a small packet of silica gel to guard against moisture.

Store all incense in a dark dry place, well out of the reach of children and pets. The darkness will help to preserve the color and potency of the incense. The dryness will aid in the prevention of moisture build-up and mildew. The safest and best storage locations that I've found are on the top shelves of closets and in overhead kitchen cabinets.

ADDING COLOR

If you wish to make colored incense, it is best to use liquid coloring. The color is first mixed with your liquid solution, and then added to the dry ingredients.

Candle coloring makes a good dye, but the easiest, cheapest, and most practical coloring to use is food coloring. It can be obtained in almost any supermarket, and because it's inorganic, it's stable and will last indefinitely.

Coloring works best with a base and scent mixture, rather than with an herbal blend. An all-base incense takes color easily because it's very light in color to begin with. On the other hand, herbal blends are much darker in color, usually green or brown. Dark colors resist coloring to the extent that the best you can expect is a tint of the desired color.

Coloring will increase burning time. If too much color is used, it can adversely effect the combustibility of an incense.

Unless you can obtain other pre-mixed colors, it is best to stay with the basic colors of yellow, red, blue, and green. No incense is light enough in color to be dyed with a blend of shades.

If you are coloring a base and scent mixture, use 6 drops of dye for cones and cylinders, and 5 drops for stick incense. For herbal blends, use 1 drop of coloring for every 1/2 teaspoon of dry ingredients used. Always wear rubber gloves when working with coloring. If you get any on your hands, it's hard to get off.

When making more than one color at a time, make sure to dry the different colors separately. If different colors are allowed to touch while drying, they will run together.

If you prefer natural coloring, you can use an herb or base that supplies the color you desire. For example, Red Sandalwood for red, Willow for brown, Safflower for yellow, and Willow Charcoal for black. When adding extra ingredients for coloring, be sure to adjust the recipe accordingly.

Many practitioners of the occult sciences use color in conjunction with magic. Each color is believed to have dominion over a certain aspect of life. The combination of appropriate herbs and color is thought to greatly enhance the power of magical spells and workings.

The following is an abbreviated list of some of the alleged magical influences of the ten most common colors. It is not all inclusive, and is only meant to show the vast spheres of influence that color is thought to control.

Black: banishes illness and negative feelings, breaks spells, brings about release or ends negative situations; used in exorcisms.

Blue: increases concentration; calms emotions; strengthens friendships, honesty; protects secrets; increases knowledge, love, loyalty, marriage, meditation, peace, perseverance, psychic development and growth; protection from harm; spirituality; stops gossip, aids in studying, creates tranquility, increases wisdom.

Brown: working with and healing of animals; enhances domestic tranquility; brings an increase of material objects (when used with green); causes neutrality.

Green: abundance and increase; to bring a thing into being; to increase confidence, energy, fertility, gain, growth; bring good luck, hope, money, peace; aids in the nurturing of plants; prosperity; increase of psychic development and growth; renewal, success, tranquility; attracts wealth.

Orange: enhances adaptability; causes attraction; increases concentration; builds confidence, endurance, energy, fulfillment; brings about inspiration; aids meditation; attracts prosperity; helps psychic development and growth, satisfaction, thought.

Pink: increases affection; causes fidelity; brings friendship; attracts true love.

Purple: increases ambition; brings authority, business and trade, determination; divine intervention; to increase or enhance occult

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powers, law, magic; overcome opposition; protection from harm; success.

Red: increases courage and strength; renews energy, intellect; helps obtain material objects; overcome opposition; passion, power, sex, increases wealth.

White: brings about awareness and understanding; for all general magical workings; brings about happiness, honesty, loyalty, peace; protection (physical and psychic); purification, religion and spirituality; tranquility.

Yellow: attraction; aids in career; brings about change; confidence, devotion, happiness; brings inspiration; increases knowledge, peace and tranquility; protects the traveler; wisdom.

USING LIQUID SCENTS

Oils and scents greatly enhance the incense you make in terms of fragrance. They also help eliminate most nonburning recipes because you can replace poor burning herbs with their corresponding scents and an easily combustible base. If you replace an herb with its scent, the recipe will stay the same. The bulk is replaced by a base. For example, if you replace 1/2 teaspoon of herb with scent, you must add 1/2 teaspoon of base.

Most herbs are also sold in liquid scents. There are four basic types of liquid scents: essential oil (sometimes called essence), extract, tincture, and artificial. The best is essential oil. The aroma of an herb can be greatly enhanced by adding a few drops of its liquid scent to it.

When buying scents, it pays to shop around. Some retailers sell pure essence, while others sell it cut or even artificially reproduced. If you are unsure about a particular retailer's goods, ask people who may have done business with the retailer before. Price is another factor to consider when buying scents. A high-priced product may not always be stronger or of better quality. There's no way to tell a scent's quality by price alone.

Always try before you buy. If you order by mail, buy just one bottle of the smallest size available. If it meets with your approval, then the next time you can buy more and in a larger size. If it doesn't please you, then you've not lost too much.

Liquid scents should be stored in dark glass containers. If they come in clear glass, they should be stored in a dark place. This will help to preserve freshness and strength.

Never store scents in a plastic container, as the plastic will "bleed" into the scent. This will make the incense smell like melted plastic when it is burned.

Scents should never be exposed to direct sunlight for extended periods of time. Sunlight weakens the scent and, if it has been cut with an organic substance, can turn it rancid.

In time, even the highest quality scents will loose their potency. To help combat this, buy scents in small amounts, and replenish your supply often.

When working with scents, wear rubber gloves if possible. Unprotected skin may be irritated by some scents. This is particularly true if you are susceptible to rashes and other skin problems. If you don't wear gloves, your hands will become impregnated with scent. To remove the smell, wash your hands thoroughly with soap and water. Then wash them in a mixture of 1 cup water and 1 tablespoon of lemon juice. Next, wash again with soap and water.

If you have a fresh lemon, rub a slice of it over your hands to remove unwanted scents. If you have neither lemon juice nor fresh lemons, then straight tomato juice will help (although not as well).

After you have made your incense, it should be stored separately. If you don't, the scents will run into each other, making all the different blends have a similar fragrance.

My recipes call for oil, also known as essential oil, scent, or essence. Tincture and extract may also be used, although they aren't as strong or long lasting.

Essential oils are usually cut with almond, sunflower, olive, or mineral oils. Tinctures, extracts, and most artificial scents are cut with alcohol. This makes them fairly easy to tell apart. If a scent feels slightly oily to the touch, it is probably an essential oil. If it feels cool and watery, it is a tincture, extract, or an artificial scent.

The strength of a scent depends mostly on the manufacturer and the type of herb used. A rough estimate of the different types of scents is as follows. A tincture, being made up of mostly alcohol, is only about half as strong as its corresponding herb. An extract is approximately four times stronger than the fresh herb. Essential oil can be anywhere from five to ten times more powerful than the herb. Artificially produced scents fall somewhere between extracts and essential oils in strength.

If you are using only scent and a base, a good formula to use is: 2 teaspoons Sandalwood, ½ teaspoon talc (or baby powder), ½ teaspoon tragacanth, 5 drops mineral oil, 10 to 15 drops essential oil, and 2 teaspoons water. This recipe will make about 5 cones, which will burn approximately fifteen minutes each.

The recipe for stick incense is: 2 teaspoons Sandalwood, 2 teaspoons water, 8 drops mineral oil, 1/8 teaspoon tragacanth, and 7 to 10 drops scent. This will be enough to make one hand-rolled stick. The stick will be about 61/2 inches long, 7/16 inch diameter, and will burn about an hour and a half.

The strengths of various scents vary so much that it is often difficult to know how much fragrance to use when replacing a particular herb. A rough estimate is about five drops of essential oil for every 1/2 teaspoon of herb that is replaced. This is only an approximation, and there are numerous exceptions.

When using scents, the incense must be dried and stored as quickly as possible. The longer the incense takes to dry, the more scent will be lost. If too much scent has been lost in drying, it can be replaced by "painting" more on. Just before the incense is to be used, scent may be added with a small paint brush. The scent should be applied sparingly, or the incense may become too damp to burn properly.

The following are four nice blends of scent¹ that you might like to try. They can be used either as a scent for incense or applied as a perfume.

Mystic		
½ oz. Mineral Oil	13 drops Rose Geranium Oil	
13 drops Myrrh Oil	¹ /4 tsp. High John (Jalap) Oil	

Shake daily for seven days before using.

¹All four recipes are courtesy of Ellen Hansen, and are reprinted by permission.

Isis

1 oz. Mineral Oil6 drops Bay Oil6 drops Bayberry Oil8 drops Benzoin Oil

4 drops Frankincense

Oil 4 drops Rose Oil

4 drops Sandalwood Oil

Let sit for two weeks before using.

Love

¹/₂ oz. Mineral Oil 6 drops Orris Oil

2 drops Strawberry Oil

2 drops Rose Oil

Let sit one week before using

Uncrossing

¹/₂ oz. Mineral Oil 12 drops Maguet or

Coconut Oil

2 drops Musk Oil

1 pinch powdered

Sandalwood

1 pinch powdered

Dragon's Blood

Shake daily for seven days before using.

HOW TO BURN INCENSE

Whether you call them censers, thuribles, or just plain incense burners, they are all the same thing—something in which to burn incense. You can obtain incense burners in an almost unlimited variety of styles and sizes. You can even make your own. If you choose to make your own, you can make an incense burner from anything from a coffee or tuna can to a crystal goblet, from a paper milk carton to a fancy ceramic bowl. The choice and style of the burner is entirely up to you after you consider which type of incense you want to burn.

There are some things that all incense burners have in common. They should be designed and built so they will prevent the heat of burning incense and/or charcoal from spreading and causing a possible fire. They should also be made so that there is a good flow of air around the incense. If you use either loose incense or cones, the burner should have a small wire screen or a layer of small pebbles underneath the incense. This will insure a good flow of air around the incense. Without this flow, charcoal won't burn properly and cone incense will not burn completely.

When burning cylinder or stick incense, your burner should be filled with fine-grained sand. Sand from the seashore is best, but any clean sand from a riverbed or stream will do. Sand is used for many reasons—it is easy to keep clean, it's inexpensive to use or replace, and if it is added to a crystal bowl or fancy censer, it adds a natural beauty.

Using Charcoal

Loose incense is usually burned on charcoal briquettes. The charcoal used is not your everyday barbecue charcoal; it is a blend that is specially designed for use with incense. It is less toxic, uses more exotic ingredients, and is easier to light than its backyard cousin. Most charcoal briquettes used for incense are imported and expensive. If you don't mind a little mess, you can make your own for less than half the price. The recipes for homemade charcoal briquettes won't light as quickly or easily as the store-bought variety, but they will burn for nearly as long. Best of all, they will be made by you.

Recipe #1 Sweet Charcoal

Willow charcoal 5

Sandalwood 1

Saltpeter 1/8

Benzoin 1/4

Tragacanth 1/4

Water 5

This blend has a slightly sweet, flowery, and woody scent when burned.

Recipe #2 Unscented

Willow charcoal 6 Sandalwood 1/2
Tragacanth 1/4 Saltpeter 1/8
Water 5

This blend has almost no scent at all.

To make these recipes, combine the water and saltpeter; mix occasionally until the saltpeter is thoroughly dissolved. Next, mix all the dry ingredients together, then add the liquid and mix again.

When your mixture has been thoroughly mixed, put it into a mold. The recipes given will make two or three briquettes, depending on the size of the mold.

The molds can be homemade and can be either permanent or disposable. Permanent molds can be made by cutting empty stick deodorant tubes into rings that are ⁷/₁₆ or ¹/₂ inch high. Disposable molds are easily fashioned from empty paper towel or bathroom tissue rolls, and cut into rings.

After you have packed the mixture into the molds, a round depression should be put onto the top of each. This depression will act as a kind of bowl, to hold the burning incense. The depression is made by gently pushing a round object into the mixture, twisting it, then removing it. A ping-pong ball or the ball from a roll-on deodorant works nicely.

Charcoal shrinks when it dries, because of the large amount of water used. This makes it easy to remove from the molds when it is dry.

Always dry your charcoal on foil. This will prevent the saltpeter from being leached away.

To light your charcoal, hold an edge of it over a lit candle until you are sure that it is lit. Do the same thing to one or two other "corners." Be careful not to burn yourself. Put the lit charcoal into a censer and wait a minute or two to make sure that it is lit. Then use and enjoy the product of your labor.

Part Two



HERBAL

GATHERING, DRYING, AND STORING HERBS

There are some basic steps to follow when gathering, drying, and storing your own herbs. Should you desire more detailed methods, your local library should have several books on drying plants and herbs.

The best time to gather herbs is just before they flower. It is at this time that they are at their peak of strength and growth. Herbs should be harvested in the morning, just after the dew has evaporated and before the sun gets too hot. Picking too early can cause them to mildew, rot, or develop spots. Picking too late will cause them to burn and lose much of their color and potency.

When picking leaves, flowers, etc., always cut them from the plant, never tear or rip them off. Tearing can damage or kill a plant. After all, you just want to use some of its folage, not destroy it. All living things should be treated with respect.

Cleanliness is a must when drying and storing herbs. Before they are to be dried, herbs should be soaked in clean water, and then patted dry. This will remove any dust, dirt, or insects that may be on them.

All herbs should be dried away from direct sunlight. Direct exposure to the sun will cause the herbs to lose most of their color and potency. On the other hand, drying herbs in a shady or dark place will help preserve both.

Branches, large leaves, or whole plants, should be tied in small bunches and hung upside down to dry. If you are cramped for space, they may be hung from a coat hanger in a closet.

If you dry your bunches in a garage, shed, or attic, always cover them with a paper bag. The bag will keep them safe from

dust and insects. Never use plastic bags, as they retain the moisture that evaporates from the plants.

Depending on weather conditions and the type of plant being dried, bunches will usually take from one to three weeks to dry. A bunch is dry when you can crumble its leaves to powder between your fingers and the stems break with a loud snap.

Leaves and flower petals should be spread out to dry on a screen or tray. Use only whole leaves or petals. Discard all spotted, decayed, or insect eaten ones.

For best results, leaves and flower petals should be dried indoors away from direct sunlight. It usually takes from three to five days for them to dry thoroughly. They are dry if they crumble or make a crackling sound when squeezed.

Roots should first be washed in clean water and then patted dry. Small roots should be cut in half lengthwise. Roots ¹/₂ inch or larger should be quartered. Roots should then be put on a screen or tray to dry, and turned daily. Most roots will take from two to five weeks to dry. Dried roots will break with a loud snap when broken in two.

Always pick seeds or seed pods on a warm sunny day. Use only ripe seeds or brown (or grey) seed pods. Most seeds will take from three to fourteen days to dry, depending on their size. Dry seeds will break with a snap when cut in two with a knife.

If you lack adequate space for drying, you can dry your herbs on an aluminum or foil pie plate. Each plate can hold three or four layers of herbs if they are spread thinly and you put a piece of tissue paper between each layer.

Small paper bags are another space saver. Place your herbs loosely inside and close the bag. Shake the bag two or three times daily so that the herbs will dry evenly. A sealed bag will protect both the color and potency of herbs. Bags may also be placed in direct sunlight, thereby greatly reducing drying time. Check your herbs occasionally to make sure they haven't been "cooked" by too much heat.

In warm weather, an automobile makes an excellent place to dry herbs. Place the herbs on a pie plate or in a paper bag on the floor of the vehicle. On a warm day, with the windows open about one inch, the temperature can rise to over 100 degrees inside a car. With the windows completely closed, it can rise to at least

140 degrees! Don't put leaves of flowers in direct sunlight as they will spoil from too much heat. In my opinion, herbs placed in a paper bag and dried inside an automobile is by far the best method of drying. The herbs dry very quickly and yet retain their color, potency, and fragrance. They are also protected from dust, insects, and accidental spillage.

When drying herbs in a car, or anywhere outdoors, be sure to bring them indoors at night. Failure to do so could expose your herbs to dew buildup. Moisture on herbs or even on drying bags will increase drying time and can even cause them to be ruined by rot or mildew.

After your herbs are thoroughly dry, they should be ground as finely as possible. When ground to a powder-like consistency, the herbs are easier to work with.

Most herbs, such as leaves, flower petals, and small seeds can be easily ground in a blender. Place about one cup of dried herbs in your blender and run it at low speed for about a minute. For harder substances, such as roots, bark, or wood, a coffee grinder or a mortar and pestle should be used.

When you have finished grinding your herbs, sift them to remove any lumps or unground pieces. A window screen or a hand-held flour sifter can be used for this purpose.

Always store your herbs in glass or ceramic containers. These help preserve freshness, color, and potency. Opaque or translucent containers are best, although clear glass can be used if it is stored in a dark dry place.

Never store your herbs in a plastic container. The plastic will "bleed" into the herbs, causing them to give off a plastic-like scent when burned.

Storage containers and drying equipment should always be washed and carefully dried before use. These precautions should be followed at all times to help prevent contamination and spoilage.

For economy minded people, empty jelly jars or pint sized canning jars are excellent for storing herbs. A jelly jar that held 18 ounces of jelly will hold about four ounces of herbs. A one pint mason jar will hold approximately five ounces of powdered herbs.

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Herbs should be stored in a dark dry place. The top shelf of a closet or an overhead cabinet is best. This will not only protect your herbs, but keeps them away from inquisitive children and pets. Stored herbs should be checked occasionally for signs of mildew or mold. It will usually appear as either little fluffy balls on the surface of the herbs, or as a stringy mass that holds small clumps of your herb together. If this should occur, re-sift and redry your herbs immediately.

The best way to re-dry herbs is to put them in a pie plate and place them in your oven. Set the oven at its lowest temperature and heat the herbs for one or two hours. Check them occasionally to make sure that they don't burn or turn brown. If you don't want to be stuck in the kitchen "baby-sitting" your herbs, use your oven light and no heat. The light alone will give off enough heat to dry the herbs overnight.

If your herbs become moldly or mildewed a second time, throw them out. Be sure to also re-wash the container thoroughly before using it again.

If properly dried and stored, most herbs will last for two or three years without loosing too much of their strength. It is, however, better to replace them yearly. This will insure that your herbs are always fresh and fragrant.

HERBAL

This herbal is an alphabetical listing of the most common herbs used when making incense. Each listing includes useful information about each herb: the herb's most commonly used name, its Latin name, the part of the herb used for making incense, the ruling planet and element, a list of its alleged magical uses, comments about the herb's scent, and a recipe for using the herb to make incense. I have also included general information, or notes, at the end of the listing if I had it to share with you, or if I thought it was important.

To save space, the recipes have been consolidated, so you will see only a list of measures following the recipe heading. These numbers should be read from left to right. The first number refers to the amount of herb (or essence) to be used, then the base, the gum (preferably tragacanth), and the liquid needed for the bonding agent. All measurements are in teaspoons, or fractions thereof. If you want to increase or decrease the recipe, see Appendices 2 and 3 at the back of this book for instructions. If you don't remember how to make the bonding agent, please refer to QB, LF, and FW on page 14.

The magical uses listing in the herbal are brief, and are meant to be keywords for magical uses. These same keywords are used in the recipes sections of this book. For a more detailed explanation of what each keyword really refers to in terms of magical use, see Appendix 6 on page 267. I would like to point out that these are alleged magical uses; I make no claim, one way or the other, as to their validity. Also, no negative or harmful uses have been included in the magical uses section. All forms of life are sacred and should always be treated with honor and respect. When you come across a magical use that lists "Animals," this

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means that the herb listed is believed to be beneficial to animals and/or animal owners; for example, for healing animals or to aid in training of animals.

Some of the following herbs list only essence for the part used and give no recipe. This is because the herbs themselves are unsuitable for the making of incense, but their scents are used. Many flowers fall into this category. Fresh flowers smell wonderful—most dried ones have no floral scent at all. When an essence is mentioned in *part used*, it means essential oil. Artificial scents, extracts, and tinctures should be used only if essential oil is not obtainable.

I've left the use of oils in the blends up the the individual. Usually 5 to 10 drops is enough. With oils, not enough is better than too much. You can always add more, but you can't take any away.

When you come across a recipeless herb listing, use the following basic formula: a base of $2^{1}/_{2}$ teaspoons Sandalwood, $^{1}/_{8}$ teaspoon Tragacanth, and $1^{3}/_{4}$ teaspoons of water. Scent can be used at the time of making the incense or applied just prior to use.

Acacia Acacia Senegal

Common names: Cape Gum, Egyptian Thorn, Gum

Arabic, Hachah

Part used: Flowers, Essence

Planet: Sun Element: Fire

Magical uses: Contact with other planes, gain,

harmony, increase the power of spells,

insure agreements and pacts, meditation, attract money, peace, protection, psychic development &

growth, tranquility.

Recipe: 21/2, 1, 1/8, 11/4, FW

Scent: Strong, grassy, bittersweet

Dried acacia flowers are relatively harmless; however, care should be taken when using essence. Acacia oil can cause allergic reactions such as skin rashes, hay fever, or asthma attacks. If taken internally, it can cause serious gastro-intestinal disorders. Acacia flowers are sometimes adulterated, or even replaced, with locust flowers. Their scents are very similar, but their colors are slightly different. Acacia is brownish-yellow, while locust flowers are more yellow than brown.

Agar Agar Gelidium Amansii

Common name: Japanese Isinglass

Part used: Mucilage
Planet: Moon

Element: Water

Magical uses: In times past, it was used in rites

involving the sea.

Scent: Salty, marsh-like

Recipe: Loose only

Agar agar is no longer widely used for incense, except occasionally as a bonding agent.

Agrimony Agrimonia Eupatoria

Common names: Church Steeples, Cockleburr,

Garclive, Philanthropos, Sticklewort

Part used: Leaves and Stems

Planet: Jupiter Element: Fire

Magical uses: Gain, good luck, keep secrets,

material objects, money, prosperity,

protection, psychic protection,

retention, wealth

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 2, Water Scent: Mild, dry, grassy, bitter



Allspice Pimenta Officinalis

Common names: Jamaica Pepper, Pimento

Part used: Fruit, essence

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Compassion, determination, fertility,

gain, love, renewal

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/2 Water

Scent: Warm, spicy, semi-sweet, mild



Almond

Amygdalus communis

Common names: Greek Nuts, Shakad

Part used: Essence
Planet: Venus
Element: Air

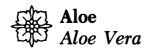
Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, compassion, fertility,

love, material objects, money,

prosperity, wealth

Scent: Rich, sweet, fruity, flowery

Recipe: Oil applied to a base of Sandalwood



Common names: Bitter Aloes, Cape Aloes, Shoot of

Paradise

Part used: Leaves Planet: Moon

Element: Water

Magical uses: Gain, renewal, strength

Recipe: Loose only

Scent: Semi-sweet, powerful, unearthly

Do not confuse aloes with lignum aloes. The aloes we will use are common houseplants many people use for minor cuts and burns. Lignum aloes are hard to obtain, very expensive, and too overated to be of any real use.



Recipe:

Common names: Marsh Mallow, Mortification Root,

Sweet Weed, Wymote

Part used: Leaves
Planet: Venus
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, contact other planes,

determination, divination, harmony,

peace, psychic development &

growth, tranquility 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1¹/₂ Water

Scent: Tart, bitter, green, fishy



Ambergris

Latin name: None

Part used: Essence (use artificial)

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, commanding,

increases power of spells, love, passion, sensuality, virility

Scent: Intense, sweet, old-fashioned,

flowery

Genuine ambergris comes from the intestinal tract of the Sperm Whale. I strongly recommend that you use only artificially produced essence. No animal should have to give up its life to satisfy the cosmetic whims of humans.



Angelica

Angelica Archangelica

Common names: Archangel, Masterwort

Part used: Root, essence

Planet: Sun Element: Fire

Magical uses: Contact other planes, divine

intervention, exorcism, gain,

inspiration, knowledge, love, magic,

protection, psychic protection, renewal, spell-breaking, success,

wisdom

Recipe: Loose only
Scent: Bitter light, tart

Care should be taken when handling angelica oil. When exposed to sunlight, it can cause the skin to swell or may form a rash.



Anise

Pimpinella Anisium

Common name: Aniseed

Part used: Seed, essence

Planet: Mercury

Element: Air

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, clairvoyance,

consecration, contact other planes, divination, fertility, gain, good luck, love, money, prevent nightmares, protection, psychic development &

growth, psychic protection

Recipe: Loose only

Scent: Bittersweet, nutty, spicy, full-bodied



Asafoetida Ferula Foetida

Common names: Devil's Dung, Ferula, Food of the

Gods

Part used: Gum

Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

Magical uses: Consecration, endings, exorcism,

overcome opposition, protection,

psychic protection, release,

spell-breaking

Recipe: 1/2, 2, 1/8, 13/4, QB

Scent: Overpowering, rotten meat, dung

The old grimores relied heavily on asafoetida as an ingredient in spells of exorcism and black magic. Its smell is so offensive, however, that its use has been almost eliminated in recent years.



Balm of Gilead Populus Candicans

Common names: Balm Mint, Mecca Balsam, Poplar

Buds

Part used: Buds, essence

Planet: Jupiter Element: Fire

Magical uses: Inspiration, knowledge, love,

protection, strength, virility, wisdom

Recipe: $1^{1/2}$, $1^{1/2}$, $1^{1/8}$, $1^{3/4}$, FW

Scent: Intense, bittersweet, resin-like



Bamboo Bambura

Common name: Bamba Wood, Tae

Part used: Wood
Planet: Moon
Element: Water

Recipe: 21/2, 0, 1/8, 11/2 QB Scent: Sweet, grassy, woody



Basil Ocimum Basilicum

Common names: Alabahaca, American Dittany, Herb

of Kings, St. Josephswort, Tulsi,

Witches' Herb

Part used: Leaves and stems, essence

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, brighten disposition,

clairvoyance, commanding,

consecration, divination, exorcism, fertility, fidelity, happiness, harmony,

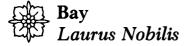
honesty, love, material objects, money, passion, peace, prosperity, protection, psychic development &

growth, psychic protection, spell-breaking, strength, success,

tranquility, wealth

Recipe: 21/2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/2, FW

Scent: Bittersweet, herby, mild



Common names: Daphne, Laurel

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Sun Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, clairvoyance,

consecration, divination, endings, exorcism, good luck, harmony, inspiration, knowledge, love, magic,

memory, money, overcome

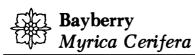
opposition, peace, protection, psychic development & growth, psychic protection, release, spell-breaking,

tranquility, transformation, wisdom

Recipe: $2^{1/2}$, $^{1/4}$, $^{1/8}$, $1^{3/4}$ QB

Scent: Herby, dreamy, mysterious, hint of

mint



Common name: Wax Myrtle

Part used: Bark of root, essence

Planet: Mercury Element: Earth

Magical uses: Domestic tranquility, good luck,

harmony, material objects, money, peace, prosperity, tranquility, wealth,

well-being

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 21/4 QB Scent: Mild, sweet, woody

Bayberry bark doesn't smell as strong or pleasing as a bayberry candle would. To get that kind of scent you must use its essence. If using essence, care should be taken as it can cause minor skin irritation.



Benzoin Lindera Benzoin

Common names: Benjamin, Friar's Balsam, Spice Bush,

Sumatra Gum

Part used: Gum, essence

Planet: Venus Element: Air

Magical uses: Exorcism, harmony, inspiration,

knowledge, love, memory, peace, peace of mind, protection, psychic protection, spell-breaking, tranquility,

wisdom

Recipe: 1/2, 2, 1/8, 11/2 Water

Scent: Sweet, flowery, perfume-like

Essence of benzoin may cause minor allergic reactions in some people.



Bergamot

Monarda Fistulosa / Citrus Bergamia

Common names: Bee Balm, Monarda, Mountain Balm,

Mountain Mint, Oswego Tea, Scarlet

Monarda

Part used: Essence

Planet: Sun

Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, love, material objects,

prosperity, protection, sensuality,

strength, success, wealth

Scent: Rich, full-bodied, flowery, citrus-like

When exposed to direct sunlight, bergamot essence can cause the skin to spot.



Bindweed

Convolvulus Avensis

Common name: Creeping Jenny

Part used: Root

Planet: Saturn
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Gambling, good luck, law, love,

material objects, money, prosperity,

protection, wealth

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/2 QB

Scent: Tart, green, bitter

Bindweed is sometimes used as an adulterant for Jalap Root and Scammony Root. Although it is in the same family as both, it is nowhere near as pleasant or powerful as either one.

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Black Haw

Viburnum Prunifolium

Common name:

Haw

Part used:

Root

Planet:

Mercury

Element:

Air

Magical uses: Recipe: Contact other planes, weather 3, 0, 1/8, 13/4 Water

Scent:

Gentle, sweet, woody



Blueberry

Vaccinium Corymbosum

Common name:

None

Part used:

Leaves, essence

Planet:

Venus

Element: Magical uses:

Earth Fertility, gain

Recipe:

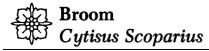
refullty, gain

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2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1³/₄ QB

Scent:

Bittersweet, herby, gentle



Common names: Asphaltus, Banal, Bealadh, Besom,

Genista, Link

Part used: Tops of plant

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Compassion, consecration, exorcism,

magic, modesty, passion, protection, psychic protection, raising & calming

winds, spell-breaking, weather,

weddings

Recipe: Loose only

Scent: Bittersweet, grassy, slightly tart



Burdock Arctium Lappa

Common names: Bardana, Bat Weed, Beggar's Buttons,

Cockleburr, Fox's Clote, Hardock,

Lappa, Love Leaves, Personata

Parts used: Root

Planet: Venus

Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, compassion, consecration,

exorcism, love, protection,

spell-breaking

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₂, ¹/₈, 2 FW Scent: Subtle, tart, bitter



Calamus Acorus Calamus

Common names: Acoron, Costus, Gladdon, Sedge,

Sweet Flag, Sweet Sedge

Part used: Root
Planet: Venus
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, commanding, harmony,

love, peace, tranquility

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 2 Water

Scent: Arid, mild, floral, mysterious

Camomile



Anthemis Nobilis/ Matricaria Chamomilla

Common names: Chamomile, Ground Apple, Kamai

Melon, Manzanilla, Maythen

Part used: Flowers, essence

Planet: Sun Element: Fire

Magical uses: Beauty, determination, dreams,

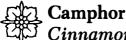
gentleness, good luck, harmony,

material objects, meditation, modesty,

money, peace, tranquility, wealth

Recipe: Loose only

Scent: Bittersweet, herby, hint of apple



Cinnamonum Camphora

Common name: None

Part used: Gum, essence

Planet: Moon Element: Water

Magical uses: Break off an affair, endings, psychic

development & growth, release

Recipe: 1/2, 21/2, 1/8, 2 Water Scent: Strong, penetrating, cool

Most camphor used today is artificially produced by combining hydrogen-chloride gas and oil of turpentine. It is highly toxic and should be handled and stored carefully. Swallowing even a small amount will cause dizziness, unconsciousness, or even death.

Caraway Carum Carvi

Common name: Kummel

Part used: Seeds, essence

Planet: Mercury

Element: Air

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, fertility, fidelity, gain,

honesty, keep secrets, love, memory, passion, peace of mind, prevents

theft, protection, retention,

sensuality

Recipe: 2, 1, 1/8, 11/2 LF

Scent: Full-bodied, nutty, bittersweet

To get the distinctive aroma of fresh caraway, you must use oil. If you do, handle it carefully, as it can cause allergic reactions or skin irritation.



Cascara Sagrada Rhamus Purshiana

Common names: Buckthorn, Chittem Bark, Sacred

Bark

Part used: Bark

Planet: Saturn
Element: Earth

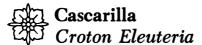
Magical uses: Consecration, contact other planes,

exorcism, good luck, law, money,

protection, spell-breaking

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 2 QB

Scent: Bittersweet, woody, mysterious



Common name: Sweet Bark

Part used: Bark
Planet: Mars
Element: Fire

Magical uses: Harmony, peace, rites involving

males, sensuality, tranquility, virility

Recipe: 3, 0, 1/8, 2 Water

Scent: Woody, semi-sweet, fiery yet delicate



Common names: Chinese Cinnamon, Senna, Sweet

Wood

Part used: Bark, essence

Planet: Mercury
Element: Air

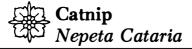
Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, clairvoyance,

consecration, divination, good luck, harmony, increase the power of spells, inspiration, knowledge, love, material objects, meditation, money, passion, peace, prosperity, protection, psychic development & growth, tranquility,

wealth, wisdom

Recipe: 21/2, 1/2, 1/8, 21/4 QB Scent: Warm, sweet, spicy

Cassia is a member of the cinnamon family and is widely used as a substitute for cinnamon. There is almost no difference in either taste or smell. Since cassia comes from mainland China, it's cheaper to use. In fact, the "cinnamon" in your spice rack is probably cassia!



Common names: Catmint, Field Balm, Nip

Part used: Leaves
Planet: Venus
Element: Air

Magical uses: Animals, commanding, dreams,

harmony, love, peace, rest, sleep,

tranquility

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 2 Water

Scent: Herby, grassy, hint of minty tartness



Common names: Green Incense, Sandarac, Tree of

Life

Part used: Foliage, essence

Planet: Jupiter **Element:** Fire

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, consecration,

divination, gain, longevity, material objects, prosperity, strength, success,

wealth

Recipe: $2^{1}/_{2}$, 0, $^{1}/_{8}$, $1^{1}/_{4}$ FW

Scent: Woody, evergreen, robust

Cedar essence can cause allergic reactions to people with delicate skin, particularly if exposed to direct sunlight.

Cele y Apium Graveolens

Common name: Minari, Han-ch'in

Part used: Seed, essence

Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, beauty, fertility, love,

psychic development & growth

Recipe: 11/2, 1, 1/8, 11/4 LF

Scent: Bittersweet, herby, celery-like



Common name: None

Part used: Bark, essence

Planet: Venus

Element: Air

Magical uses: Fertility, gain, love Recipe: 2¹/₂, 0, ¹/₈, 2 QB

Scent: Sweet, woody, "cherry pipe tobacco"

Chickweed Stellaria Media

Common names: Adder's Mouth, Passerina, Starwort

Part used: Leaves

Planet: Moon Element: Water

Magical uses: Animals, beauty, to stop gossip

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/4 QB Scent: Bitter, sour, green



Cinnamon Cinnamonum Zeylanicum

Common name: Sweet Wood

Part used: Bark, essence

Planet: Mercury
Element: Air

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, clairvoyance,

consecration, divination, good luck, harmony, to increase the power of spells, inspiration, knowledge, love, material objects, meditation, money, passion, peace, prosperity, protection,

psychic development & growth, tranquility, wealth, wisdom

Recipe: 21/2, /2, 1/8, 21/4 QB

Scent: Warm, sweet, spicy, mild

Both powdered cinnamon and its essence can cause irritation to the gastro-intestinal tract if taken internally.



Common names: Five-finger Grass, Pentaphyllon,

Sunkfield, Synkefoyle

Part used: Leaves
Planet: Mercury
Element: Earth

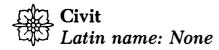
Magical uses: Clairvoyance, divination, exorcism, to

increase the power of spells,

inspiration, knowledge, love, magic, material objects, money, prosperity,

protection, psychic protection, spell-breaking, wealth, wisdom

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1¹/₂ QB Scent: Bittersweet, herby, green



Part used: Essence (use artificial)

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, commanding,

to increase the power of spells, love,

passion, sensuality, virility

Scent: Sweet, flowery, earthy, sensuous

Genuine civit comes from the musk gland of the civit cat. If you need to use civit in your incense, please use the artificially produced essence. It is almost as powerful, much less expensive, and a rare and beautiful animal doesn't have to be killed in the process.

Clary Sage Salvia Sclarea

Common names: Clear Eye, Muscatel Sage, Orvale

Part used: Leaves and stems

Planet: Mercury Element: Earth

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, consecration,

divination, harmony, inspiration, keep secrets, knowledge, love, material objects, meditation, peace,

prosperity, protection, psychic development & growth, retention,

tranquility, wealth, wisdom

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1¹/₂ Water Scent: Mild, bittersweet, herby



Common name: White Clover

Part used: Flowers
Planet: Venus
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, good luck, magic, money, to

overcome opposition, protection, psychic protection, to stop gossip,

strength

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1 QB Scent: Dry, tart, grassy

Cloves Eugenia Aromatica

Common name: Molucca Spice

Part used: Buds, essence

Planet: Sun Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, clairvoyance, divination,

exorcism, to keep away negative forces, love, memory, peace of mind, protection, psychic development &

growth, psychic protection, spell-breaking, to stop gossip

Recipe: 2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/2 QB

Scent: Warm, dry, sweet, spicy

Oil of cloves can cause minor skin irritation to people with sensitive skin.

Coconut Cocos Nucifera

Common name: None

Part used: Essence

Planet: Moon

Element: Water

Magical uses: Beauty, fertility, gain

Scent: Sweet, nutty, rich, tasty

Coltsfoot Tussilago Farara

Common names: British Tobacco, Butterbur,

Coughwort, Donnhove, Fieldhove,

Horse Hoof

Part used: Leaves

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Working with animals, especially

those with hooves

Recipe: 21/2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/2 FW

Scent: Bitter, green, strong

Comfrey Symphtum Officinale

Common names: Boneset, Bruisewort, Consolida, Gum

Plant, Knitbone, Salsify, Slippery

Root, Yallac

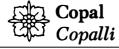
Part used: Root

Planet: Saturn
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Endings, exorcism, money, protection,

release, safe journeys, spell-breaking

Recipe: Loose only Scent: Bittersweet



Common name: Mexican Frankincense

Part used: Gum
Planet: Jupiter

Element: Fire

Magical uses: Consecration, contact other planes,

exorcism, to increase the power of spells, meditation, protection,

spell-breaking

Recipe: 1/2, 2, 1/8, 2 QB

Scent: Etheral, clean, hint of frankincense

Coriander Coriandrum Sativum

Common names: Chinese Parsley, Culantro

Part used: Seeds, essence

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, clairvoyance, divination,

fertility, gain, to keep secrets, love,

retention

Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/4 QB Scent: Bittersweet, nutty

Crabgrass Digitaria Sanguinalis

Common name: Finger Grass, Wire Grass

Part used: Leaves, stems, roots

Planet: Mercury Element: Earth

Magical uses: Determination, to keep secrets,

material objects, overcome

opposition, prosperity, retention,

wealth

Recipe: $2^{1/2}$, $^{1/4}$, $^{1/8}$, 2 Water

Scent: Bittersweet, grassy, hay-like



Cranesbill

Geranium Maculatum

Common names: Alum Root, Chocolate Flower,

Crowfoot, Storkbill, Tormentil, Wild

Geranium

Part used: Root

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, confidence,

consecration, courage, exorcism, love,

passion, protection, psychic

protection, sensuality, spell-breaking,

to stop gossip

Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/4, 21/4 FW

Scent: Bittersweet, tart, unusual



Cucumber

Cucumis Sativus

Common name: None

Part used: Seeds, essence

Planet: Moon Element: Water

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, fertility, gain, love,

psychic development & growth

Recipe: 11/4, 11/2, 1/8, 11/4 LF

Scent: Damp, tart, bitter, subdued



Damiana

Turnera Aphrodisiaca

Mexican Damiana, Venus' Tonic Common name:

> Part used: Leaves Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, contact other planes, to

increase the power of spells, love, psychic development & growth,

sensuality

21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/2 Water Recipe: Bittersweet, herby, exotic Scent:



Dandelion

Taraxacum Officinale

Cankerwort, Irish Daisy, Lion's Common names:

Tooth, Priest's Crown, Swine's Snout,

Wild Endive

Part used: Root Planet: Sun Element: Fire

Animals, good luck, magic, psychic Magical uses:

development & growth

Loose only Recipe:

Scent: Bittersweet, dry

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Deer's Tongue Liatus Odoratissima

Common names: Hart's Tongue, Vanilla Leaf, Wild

Vanilla

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, love, to stop gossip

Recipe: $2, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1^3}{4}$ FW

Scent: Sweet, heady, vanilla-like



Dill

Anethum Graveolens

Common names: Anethum, Meeting House Seed

Part used: Seed, essence

Planet: Mercury
Element: Earth

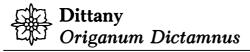
Magical uses: Determination, dreams, fertility,

gain, harmony, to keep secrets, love, peace, protection, psychic protection,

retention, rest, sleep, tranquility

Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/4 LF

Scent: Nutty, fruity, bittersweet



Common name: Dittany of Crete, Greek Mint

Part used: Leaves and stems, essence

Planet: Venus
Element: Earth

Magical uses: To brighten disposition, clairvoyance,

contact other planes, divination, happiness, materialization,

meditation, psychic development &

growth, visions

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/2 Water

Scent: Herby, sweet, dreamy, mysterious

Dogwood Cornus Florida

Common names: Boxwood, Cornel, Green Ozier

Part used: Bark
Planet: Venus
Element: Air

Magical uses: Animals, fidelity, honesty, to keep

secrets, prevent theft, protection,

retention

Recipe: 2¹/₂, 0, ¹/₈, 2¹/₄ QB Scent: Subtle, sweet, woody

Dogwood is very toxic if taken internally, so be sure to keep it stored well out of reach of children and pets.



Dragon's Blood

Daemonorops Draco/Calamus Draco

Common name: Blume, Socotrine, Zanzibar Drop

Parts used: Leaves, stems, resin

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Animals, consecration, fidelity, good

luck, honesty, to increase power of

spells, love, magic, money, protection, psychic protection, strength, unexpected happenings,

virility

Recipe: 11/2, 11/2, 1/8, 13/4 FW

Scent: Etheral, mysterious, similar to

frankincense

Many unscrupulous dealers will sell you "Poor Man's Dragon's Blood." It looks and smells much like the real thing, only it's made of talc, red sandalwood, and frankincense.



Elder Sambucus Canadensis

Common names: Bat Tree, Devil's Eye, Elderberry,

Ellhorn, Hollunder, Pipe Tree,

Sureau, Tree of Doom

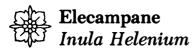
Part used: Flowers
Planet: Venus
Element: Air

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, commanding,

compassion, consecration, contact other planes, divination, love, magic, messages from the dead, protection, psychic protection, transformation

Recipe: Loose only

Scent: Bittersweet, tart, burning leaves



Common names: Elf Dock, Elfwort, Horse Heal,

Marchalan, Scabwort, Velvet Dock,

Wild Sunflower

Part used: Root

Planet: Mercury Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, attraction, beauty, love,

magic

Loose only Recipe:

Bittersweet, tart, unusual Scent:



Eucalyptus Globulus

Blue Gum, Dinkum, Stringy Bark Common names:

Tree

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

Consecration, protection renewal Magical uses:

> Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/8, 13/4 FW Woody, leafy, green Scent:

Care should be taken when using eucalyptus oil; although it is used in many cold remedies, it is very toxic. If taken internally, an overdose can cause coma or even death.



Fennel

Foeniculum Vulgare

Common name: Fenkel

Part used: Seed, essence

Planet: Mercury

Element: Air

Magical uses: Commanding, confidence, courage,

fertility, gain, longevity, love, protection, psychic protection,

strength

Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/2 Water

Scent: Bittersweet, spicy, hint of licorice



Frankincense

Boswellia Carteri/Boswellia Thurifera

Common names: Gum Thus, Luban, Olibanum

Part used: Gum, essence

Planet: Sun **Element:** Fire

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, consecration, contact

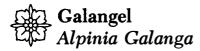
other planes, divination, exorcism, good luck, to increase power of spells,

inspiration, knowledge, magic, meditation, protection, psychic development & growth, psychic protection, spell-breaking, success,

transformation, wisdom

Recipe: 1/2, $2^{1/2}$, 1/8, $1^{1/2}$ FW

Scent: Strong, heady, metallic, pure



Common names: African Ju Ju Powder, Catarrh Root,

Chewing John, China Root, Laos,

Low John

Part used: Root, essence

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Commanding, consecration, contact

other planes, divine intervention, exorcism, good luck, to increase power of spells, law, love, magic,

money, psychic protection,

spell-breaking

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 21/4 Water

Scent: Semi-sweet, spicy, woody, fiery



Common names: Poor Man's Treacle, Suan

Part used: Skin of Bulb

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, clairvoyance,

commanding, confidence,

consecration, courage, divination, exorcism, longevity, magic, money, to overcome opposition, protection,

spell-breaking, to stop gossip, strength, success

Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/4 Water

Scent: Oniony, intense, martial



Ginger Zingiber Officinale

Common name: Ch'

Ch'iang

Part used:

Root, essence

Planet:

Mars

Element:

Fire

Magical uses:

Aphrodisiac, love, passion, psychic development & growth, psychic

protection, sensuality

Recipe:

Loose only

Scent:

Subtle, warm, spicy, peppery



Ginseng

Panax Quinquefolius/Panax Schin-seng

Common names:

Man-root, Red Berry, Tartar Root

Part used:

Root

Planet:

Saturn

Element:

Earth Aphrodisiac, gain, longevity, love,

Magical uses:

money, renewal, strength

Recipe:

1/2, 2, 1/8, 13/4 Water

Scent:

Powerful, penetrating, tart, bitter



Hydrocotyle Asiatica Minor

Common name: Poor Man's Ginseng

Part used: Leaves and stems

Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, gain, longevity, psychic

development & growth, renewal

Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/4 FW Scent: Bitter, tart, subtle



Grains of Paradise Elettaria Cardamomum

Common names: Cardamon, Egyptian Paradise Seed,

Guinea Pepper, Love Pods

Part used: Seeds, essence

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, brightens disposition,

fertility, gain, good luck, happiness,

love, success

Recipe: Loose only

Scent: Semi-sweet, mild, unusual



Ground Ivy Nepeta Hederacea

Cat's Paw, Gillrun, Gort, Common names:

Hedgemaids, Ivy, Turnhoof

Part used: Leaves Planet: Saturn

Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, clairvoyance, divination,

fidelity, honesty, to keep secrets, prevent theft, protection, renewal,

retention, weddings

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 2 Water

Subtle, bittersweet, herby, green Scent:



Hemlock

Tsuga Canadensis

Canada Pitch Tree, Weeping Common names:

Hemlock

Part used: Needles, essence

Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

Magical uses: Fertility, protection, psychic

protection, renewal, strength

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/2 QB Warm, gentle, pine-like Scent:

Do not confuse this hemlock with that of the poisonous plant of the same name. The hemlock used here, and throughout this book, is the evergreen tree called Hemlock.



Henna

Lawsonia Inermis

Common names: Alcanna, Egyptian Privet, Medudi,

Mignonette, Reseda

Part used: Leaves
Planet: Venus
Element: Air

Magical uses: Beauty, gain, gentleness, renewal

Recipe: 21/2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/2 FW

Scent: Gentle, robust, musky



Common name: Rose Mallow

Part used: Flowers, essence

Planet: Moon Element: Water

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, contact other planes,

determination, divination, harmony,

peace, psychic development &

growth, tranquility

Recipe: Loose only Scent: Bitter, tart

The smell of hibiscus flowers is very disappointing. To get the sweet smell of fresh hibiscus, you must use essence.



Common names: Christ's Thorn, Holy Tree, Hulm,

Tinne

Fire

Part used: Leaves Planet: Mars

Element:

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, consecration,

divination, magic, protection, renewal, transformation, virility

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1¹/₂ Water Scent: Green, leafy, woody



Honeysuckle

Recipe:

Lonicera Fragrantissima

Common names: Eglantine, Goat's Leaf, Woodbine

Part used: Flowers, essence

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Animals, clairvoyance, determination,

divination, fidelity, good luck, honesty, inspiration, to keep secrets, knowledge, love, material objects, memory, money, peace of mind, to prevent theft, prosperity, psychic development & growth, retention,

strength, weddings, wealth, wisdom 1½, 1, ½, 8, 1½ QB

Scent: Strong, tart, bittersweet



Horehound Marrubium Vulgare

Common names: Bull's Blood, Marrob, Marrubium,

Seed of Horus

Part used: Leaves and stems

Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, fidelity, honesty, to keep

secrets, to prevent theft, protection,

retention

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1¹/₄ Water Scent: Bitter, strong, medicinal



Hyssop

Hyssopus Officinalis

Common name: Holy Herb

Part used: Leaves and stems, essence

Planet: Jupiter Element: Fire

Magical uses: Consecration, contact other planes,

material objects, money, prosperity, protection, psychic development & growth, psychic protection, wealth

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 13/4 Water

Scent: Subtle, bitter



Irish Moss Chondrus Crispus

Common names: Carrageen, Chondrus, Sea Moss, Sea

Spirit

Part used: "Leaves"

Planet: Moon Element: Water

Magical uses: Good luck, money, protection, rain,

water rites

Recipe: 1/2, 2, 1/8, 21/2 FW

Scent: Strong, musty, marsh mud



Jalap

Ipomoea Jalapa

Common name: High John the Conqueor

Part used: Root, essence

Planet: Saturn
Planet: Earth

Magical uses: Commanding, consecration,

gambling, good luck, law, love, material objects, money, overcome opposition, prosperity, protection,

success, wealth

Recipe: 1, 1½, 1/8, 2 FW

Scent: Bittersweet, heavy, syrupy

Morning glory root has been used for so long as an adulterant to jalap, that it is usually mistakenly called "High John." Of the two, jalap is both the original and the better herb.



Recipe:

Common names: Chameli, Sambac, Tore

Part used: Flowers, essence

Planet: Moon Element: Water

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, to brighten disposition,

dreams, fertility, happiness, love, material objects, meditation, passion,

prosperity, rest, sensuality, sleep,

wealth, weddings 2, 1, 1/8, 13/4 FW

Scent: Mild, semisweet, herby

If you desire the rich sensuous smell of jasmine, you must use essence. When using it, care should be taken as it can cause allergic reactions in some people. Both the flowers and nectar of jasmine are very toxic. If taken internally, they can cause severe illness or even death; so handle and store them carefully.

Juniper Juniperus Communis

Common names: Genevrier, Oil of Cade, Kuei

Part used: Berries, essence

Planet: Jupiter Element: Fire

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, fertility, gain,

to keep secrets, love, protection, to prevent theft, retention, strength

Recipe: Loose only

Scent: Woody, pine-like, rich, resin



Common name: Sterculia

Part used: Gum

Planet: Moon

Element: Water

Magical uses: Fertility, gain

Recipe: None

Scent: Mild, bread-like

Karaya gum is used almost exclusively by the incense making industry as a bonding agent; because it is the least expensive of any gum. It is usually sold in 100 lb. lots, so it is not commonly used by amateur incense makers. If you do manage to obtain some, handle it carefully. It can cause asthma attacks, hay fever, dermatitis, and even gastrointestinal disorders in some people.



Common names: Lion's Foot, Nine Hooks, Stelleria

Part used: Leaves

Planet: Venus
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, beauty, compassion,

gentleness, modesty, weddings

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1¹/₂ Water Scent: Mild, semisweet, grassy



Lavender Lavendula Officinalis/Lavendula Vera

Asarum, Elf Leaf, Khezama, Nard, Common names:

Nardus

Part used: Flowers, essence

Planet: Mercury Element: Air

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, clairvoyance,

> consecration, divination, gentleness, good luck, harmony, to keep secrets, love, magic, memory, money, peace, peace of mind, protection, psychic development & growth, retention,

tranquility, virility

21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/2 Water Recipe: Bittersweet, flowery, different

Although lavender oil is widely used in perfumes and sprays; it can cause minor skin irritation or allergic reactions when

exposed to direct sunlight.



Citrus Limon

Scent:

None Common name:

> Part used: Essence

Planet: Sun Element: Fire

Magical uses: Beauty, contact other planes, to

increase power of spells, strength,

Scent: Sweet, zesty, tart

Though it is widely used, lemon oil has been known to cause allergic reactions in some people. It is also a suspected co-cancer causing agent.



Lemon Balm Melissa Officinali

Balm, Bee Balm, Garden Balm, Common names:

Honey Plant, Melissa, Sweet Balm

Leaves, essence Part used:

Planet: Jupiter Fire Element:

Magical uses: To brighten disposition, compassion,

endings, gentleness, happiness,

longevity, love, psychic development

& growth, release

21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 13/4 OB Recipe:

Scent: Tart, bitter, green, intense



Lemon Grass Cymbopogon Citratu

Common name: Sereh

> "Leaves," essence Part used:

Planet: Sun

Element: Fire

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, contact other planes,

> divination, fidelity, honesty, psychic development & growth, strength

21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 21/4 Water Recipe:

Dry, grassy, tingles Scent:

Both the herb and essence of lemon grass are very toxic if taken internally, so be sure to store it well out of reach of children.



Lemon Verbena Aloysia Triphylla

Common names: Cedron, Herb Louisa, Verbena

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Venus Element: Air

Magical uses: To brighten disposition, dreams,

exorcism, happiness, harmony, to increase power of spells, love, magic,

peace, to prevent nightmares,

protection, psychic protection, rest,

sleep, spell-breaking, success,

tranquility

Recipe: $2^{1/2}$, $^{1/4}$, $^{1/8}$, $1^{1/2}$ QB

Scent: Grassy, tart, hint of citrus



Life Everlasting Gnaphalium Polycephalum

Common names: Cat's Foot, Chafeweed, Cudweed,

Sweet Balsam, White Balsam

Part used: Flowers
Planet: Venus
Element: Air

Magical uses: Animals, to keep secrets, longevity,

memory, peace of mind, retention

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 13/4 Water Scent: Sour, bittersweet, wet fur



Lilac Syringia Vulgaris

Common names: Nila, Syringia

Part used: Essence
Planet: Jupiter
Element: Fire

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, divination, gentleness,

harmony, love, memory, modesty, peace, peace of mind, psychic development & growth, psychic protection, recall past lives,

tranquility

Scent: Gentle, sweet, flowery, magical



Lily of the Valley Convallaria Majalis

Common names: Convallaria, Jacob's Ladder, Male

Lily, May Lily, May Bells, Our Lady's

Tears

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Venus
Element: Air

Magical uses: To brighten disposition, gentleness,

happiness, modesty, protection

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1³/₄ Water Scent: Bittersweet, herby, green

To get the rich, robust, and unusual fragrance of lily of the valley, you must use its essence. When using essence, care should be taken, as it can cause irregular heartbeat, digestive upset, and mental confusion if taken internally.



Linden Tilla Europaea

Common names: Basswood, Lime Tree, Spoonwood,

Tilla, Wycopy

Part used: Leaves, flowers, essence

Planet: Jupiter Element: Fire

Magical uses: Beauty, contact other planes, dreams,

good luck, love, rest, sleep, weddings

Recipe: $2^{1/4}$, $^{1/4}$, $^{1/8}$, $1^{3/4}$ Water Scent: Tangy, tart, grassy

Whenever you see a recipe that calls for lime or lime flowers, particularly in the older grimoirs, it actually means linden. The modern lime is a rather recent discovery, and is called a lime because it smells similar to linden.



Locust Gleditsia Triacanthos

Common names: American Acacia, False Acacia,

Honey Locust

Part used: Flowers
Planet: Sun
Element: Fire

Magical uses: Contact other planes, gain, harmony,

to increase power of spells, keep agreements & facts, meditation, money, peace, protection, psychic development & growth, tranquility

Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/4 QB Scent: Bittersweet, grassy, tart

The locust is the same family as the acacia and is sometimes used as an adulterant or replacement for it. They are both similar in scent, and as such, are difficult to tell apart.



Lovage Levisticum Officinale

Common names: Lavose, Sea Parsley

> Part used: Root Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, consecration, love,

money, protection, psychic protection

21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 13/4 QB Recipe:

Scent: Rich, sweet, fresh celery seeds

Mace



Myristica Officinalis/ Myristica Fragrans

Macis, Banda Fruit Common name:

> Part used: Fruit Planet: Mercury

Element: Air

Magical uses: Fertility, gain, good luck, love,

protection

Recipe: 11/2, 1, 1/8, 11/4 QB

Scent: Nutty, burny, similar to nutmeg



Maiden Hair Adiantum Pedatum

Common names: Five-finger Fern, Rock Fern, Venus's

Hair

Part used: Leaves and stems

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

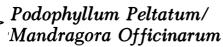
Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, beauty, gentleness,

harmony, love, modesty, peace,

tranguility

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄ ¹/₈, 1³/₄ Water Scent: Light, mild, grassy

Mandrake



Common names: Alraun, Baaras, Duck's Foot, Ground

Lemon, Herb of Circe, Mandragora,

May Apple, Satan's Apple, Wild

Jalap

Part used: Root

Planet: Mercury

Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, fertility, love,

magic, material objects, money, prosperity, protection, psychic development & growth, sensuality,

virility, wealth

Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/8, 2 FW

Scent: Mild, woody, subtle yet penetrating

Mandrake root is sometimes adulterated or even replaced with bryony root. Some unscrupulous dealers will even use a blend of orris root, solomons seal, and sandalwood and pass it off as powdered mandrake.



Marigold Calendula Officinalis

Common names: Calendula, Golds, Ruddes, Summer's

Bride, Verrucaria

Part used: Flowers

Planet: Sun Element: Fire

Magical uses: To brighten disposition, clairvoyance,

commanding, divination, dreams, good luck, happiness, love, material objects, memory, money, peace of mind, prosperity, protection, psychic development & growth, renewal, rest,

sleep, success, wealth

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₂, ¹/₈, 1¹/₄ FW Scent: Grassy, strong, bitter



Marjoram

Marjorana Hortensis

Common names: Amaracus, Khezama, Mountain Mint,

Wintersweet

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Venus Element: Air

Magical uses: Animals, to brighten disposition,

happiness, harmony, love, peace, protection, psychic development &

growth, psychic protection,

tranquility, weddings

Recipe: Loose only

Scent: Bittersweet, herby

Marjoram oil can cause minor allergic reactions and/or skin irritation.



Meadowsweet

Filipendula Ulmaria

Common names: Bridewort, Dolloff, Gravel Root,

Meadow Queen, Meadwort, Queen of

the Meadow, Trumpet Weed

Part used: Leaves and stems

Planet: Jupiter Element: Fire

Magical uses: Domestic tranquility, gentleness, good

luck, harmony, love, money, peace,

tranquility, weddings

Recipe: 21/2, 1/2, 1/8, 13/4 FW

Scent: Unusual, herby, rubbery, green



Melilot Melilotus Officinalis

Common names: Hart's Tree, Hay Flowers, King's

Clover, Sweet Clover, Sweet Lucerne

Part used: Leaves

Planet: Venus
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, to brighten disposition,

commanding, endings, good luck, happiness, overcome opposition, psychic protection, release, strength

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 13/4 Water

Scent: Mild, grassy, haylike, hint of herbs



Common name: Chinese Peppermint Oil

Part used: Crystals, essence

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical Uses: Anti-aphrodisiac, break off an affair,

commanding, endings, exorcism, to increase power of spells, psychic development & growth, release

spell-breaking

Recipe: 1/4, 21/2, 1/8, 13/4 Water

Scent: Strong, cold, minty, penetrating

Because of the high cost of distilling, most menthol is now artificially produced.

Mistletoe



Common names: All-heal, Birdlime, Golden Bough,

Loranthus

Part used: Leaves, berries

Planet: Sun Element: Fire

Magical uses: Animals, consecration, contact other

planes, fertility, gain, good luck, love, magic, protection, psychic protection,

renewal, success, virility

Recipe: 2, 1, 1/8, 11/2 FW

Scent: Etheral, unique, woody, herby

If taken internally, Mistletoe berries can cause acute stomach and intestinal irritation, poisoning, or even death.



Motherwort

Leonorus Cardiaca

Common names: Lion's Ear, Throw-wort

Part used: Leaves

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, to brighten disposition,

compassion, dreams, fertility,

gentleness, happiness, harmony, love,

peace, rest, sleep, tranquility

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, ² Water Scent: Strong, grassy, bitter



Mugwort

Artemisia Vulgaris

Common names: Artemisia, Felon Herb, Moxa, Sailor's

Tobacco, St. John's Plant, Witch

Herb

Part used: Leaves

Planet: Venus

Element: Air

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, clairvoyance,

consecration, divination, dreams, longevity, magic, to prevent theft, protection, psychic development & growth, psychic protection, rest

growth, psychic protection, rest,

sleep, strength

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1¹/₂ Water Scent: Bitter, tart, hint of sage



Musk

Latin name: None

Common name: Green Powder

Part used: Essence, use artificial

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, commanding,

confidence, consecration, courage, good luck, to increase power of spells,

love, passion, sensuality, strength,

success, virility

Scent: Full-bodied, earthy, sweet, sensuous

Genuine musk comes from the musk glands of the Musk Deer. I strongly urge you to use only artificially produced musk oil. It is far less expensive, easy to obtain, smells almost the same as real musk, and a beautiful animal doesn't have to give up its life to produce it.



Musk Root Ferula Sumbul

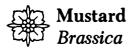
Common names: Ferula, Jatamansi, Sumbul Root

Part used: Root
Planet: Venus
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Same as musk

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 13/4 Water

Scent: Lusty, earthy, warm, hint of musk



Common name: None

Part used: Seed, essence

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, commanding, exorcism,

fertility, gain, love, passion,

protection, sensuality, spell-breaking,

strength, success, virility

Recipe: 1/2, 2, 1/8, 11/2 FW
Scent: Warm, fiery, peppery

Myrrh Commiphora Myrrha

Common names: Antew, Bowl, Didin, Karam, Mor,

Stacte, Mu-Yao

Part used: Gum, essence

Planet: Sun Element: Fire

Magical uses: To brighten disposition, compassion,

consecration, endings, exorcism, good

luck, happiness, magic, material

objects, prosperity, protection, psychic protection, release, spell-breaking, success, transformation, wealth

Recipe: 1, 2, 1/8, 13/4 OB

Scent: unusual, rubbery, balloons



Myrtle Myrica Cerifera/Myrtus Communis

Common names: Bayberry, Candleberry, Hadassim,

Tallow Shrub, Wax Berry, Wax

Myrtle

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Venus
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, to brighten disposition,

compassion, fertility, happiness, longevity, love, magic, material objects, money, prosperity, wealth,

weddings

Recipe: $2^{1/2}$, $^{1/4}$, $^{1/8}$, $1^{3/4}$ QB Scent: Semisweet, herby, leafy



Common names: Stinging Nettle, Wergulu

Part used: Leaves
Planet: Mars
Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, exorcism, magic,

protection, psychic protection,

spell-breaking

Recipe: 11/2, 1, 1/8, 11/2 QB

Scent: Bitter, biting, green, tart

For ages, nettle has been known for its stinging quality. Handle it carefully, as it can cause skin irritation.



Common name: Calabach, Plume

Part used: Seed, essence

Planet: Jupiter Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, clairvoyance, divination,

dreams, fertility, gain, love, meditation, money, protection, psychic development & growth, rest,

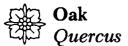
sleep

Recipe: 2, 1, 1/8, 11/2 FW

Scent: Bittersweet, nutty, hint of spice and

licorice

If taken internally, nutmeg oil is toxic. It can cause flushed skin, irregular heartbeat, hallucinations, and death.



Common name: Tanner's Bark, Hu

Part used: Leaves, bark

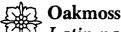
Planet: Jupiter Element: Fire

Magical uses: Commanding, confidence, courage,

fertility, to keep secrets, longevity, magic, material objects, overcome opposition, prosperity, protection, retention, strength, success, virility,

wealth

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/2 Water Scent: Burning autumn leaves



Latin names: Many

Oak Scale Common name:

> Part used: Plant Planet: Moon Element: Water

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, contact other planes,

divination, exorcism, magic,

spell-breaking

21/4, 1/2, 1/8, 11/2 QB Recipe:

Unusual, bittersweet, "other worldly" Scent:

Oak moss is not just one plant, but a combination of several types of moss and lichens. They range in color from white and gray to various shades of green. They can be found growing mostly on oak and other hardwood trees that are weak or diseased.

Onion llium Cepa

Common name: Victory Root

Skin of bulb Part used: Planet: Mars

Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, clairvoyance,

commanding, consecration, divination, exorcism, magic, overcome opposition, protection,

spell-breaking, to stop gossip, success

2, 1, 1/8, 11/4 QB Recipe:

Strong, oniony, martial Scent:

Any type of onion skin may be used; however, I prefer to use white onion skins. They are much sweeter and milder than either the yellow or red onions.

Orange

Citrus Aurantium/Citrus Sinensis

Common name: Kyul, Neroli

Part used: Flowers, essence

Planet: Sun Element: Fire

Magical uses: Beauty, brighten disposition, fertility,

good luck, happiness, love, material objects, money, prosperity, wealth,

weddings

Recipe: 21/2, 1/2, 1/8, 13/4 FW

Scent: Mild, bittersweet, similar to linden

Like most flowers, dried orange flowers have almost no scent. To get the tasty smell of oranges, you must use essence. Handle orange essence with care as it can cause allergic reactions such as swelling skin, blisters, headaches, dizziness, and shortness of breath.

Orchidaceae Orchidaceae

Common name: None

Part used: Essence
Planet: Venus
Element: Air

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, beauty, love

Scent: Sweet, flowery, sensuous

Oregano Origanum Vulgare

Common names: Origanum, Wild Marjoram

Part used: Leaves
Planet: Venus
Element: Air

Magical uses: Animals, to brighten disposition,

happiness, harmony, love, peace, protection, psychic development & growth, tranquility, weddings

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1¹/₂ QB Scent: Sweet, herby, fresh

Orris Iris Florentina

Common names: Florentine Iris, Iris Root, Love Root,

Queen Elizabeth Root

Part used: Root, essence

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Commanding, exorcism, love,

protection, spell-breaking, to stop

gossip

Recipe: 11/4, 11/4, 1/8, 2 FW

Scent: Semisweet, woody, dry, mild

The sale of pure orris root extract is banned in the U.S.A. because it causes severe allergic reactions, which include hay fever, asthma, stuffy nose, red and swollen eyes, and infantile eczema. Any orris extract that you can buy is either artificially produced or greatly watered down.

Parsley

Petroselinum Crispum/ Petroselinum Sativum

Common name: Death Plant, Inn-Sai

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

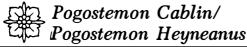
Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, to brighten disposition,

clairvoyance, contact other planes, divination, happiness, meditation, psychic development & growth

Recipe: 1½, 1, ½, 1½ FW Scent: Tart, green, bitter

Parsley oil can cause allergic reactions which include redness, rash, and swelling of the skin if it is exposed to direct sunlight.

Patchouli



Common name: Graveyard Dust, Puchaput

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, commanding contact

other planes, divination, exorcism, to increase power of spells, love, magic, memory, peace of mind, protection,

psychic protection, sensuality,

spell-breaking

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 13/4 Water Scent: Heavy, dry, dusty, earthy

Patchouli oil can cause minor allergic reactions in some people.



Pennyroyal Hedeona Pulegioides/Mentha Puleg

Mosquito Plant, Piliolerial, Pudding Common names:

Grass, Squaw Mint, Tickweed

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Venus Element: Air

Magical uses: Endings, harmony, love, peace,

protection, release, tranquility

21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/2 Water Recipe: Scent: Sweet, herby, minty



Peppermint Mentha Piperita

Brandy Mint, Lamb's Mint, Common names:

Lammint

Part used: Essence Planet: Venus Element: Air

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, to brighten

disposition, consecration, dreams, endings, good luck, happiness, love, material objects, money, prosperity, protection, psychic development & growth, release, renewal, rest, sleep,

transformation, wealth

Cool, fresh, sweet, "minty" Scent:



Pepperweed Lepidium Campestre

Common name: Pepper Grass

Part Used: Leaves
Planet: Mars
Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, commanding, exorcism,

passion, sensuality, spell-breaking

Recipe: Loose only

Scent: Bitter, strong, biting, peppery

If you feel that you must use pepper in your incense, then use pepperweed instead. Real pepper is much too powerful and harmful to your health to even consider.



Common name: Evergreen

Part used: Needles, essence

Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, clairvoyance, compassion,

consecration, divination, fertility, magic, protection, psychic protection,

strength

Recipe: 2¹/₂, 0, ¹/₈, 1¹/₄ QB Scent: Mild, fresh, evergreen

Pine oil can cause irritation of the skin and mucous membranes. If taken internally, it can cause nausea, vomiting, dizziness, and convulsions.

Plantain Plantago Major

Common names: Cuckoo's Bread, Ripple Grass,

Snakeweed, Weybroed, Whiteman's

Foot

Part used: Leaves

Planet: Jupiter

Element: Fire

Magical uses: Animals, determination, fertility,

gain, honesty, love, protection, to

stop gossip, transformation

Recipe: 21/2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/2 FW

Scent: Green, tart, grassy, bitter



Pomegranate

Punica Granatum

Common names: Chinese Apple, Grenadier, Malicorio

Part used: Peel
Planet: Venus
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Fertility, gain, to keep secrets,

material objects, prosperity, renewal,

retention

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 2¹/₄ Water Scent: Mild, woody, hint of spice

Poppy Papaver Rhoess

Common name: Corn Rose, Headache, Manseed

Part used: Flowers
Planet: Moon
Element: Water

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, commanding,

compassion, consolation, divination, dreams, fertility, gain, harmony, love, material objects, peace, prosperity,

rest, sleep, tranquility, wealth

Recipe: Loose only

Scent: Subtle, sleepy, many different levels



Primrose Primula Officinalis/Primula Vulgaris

Common names: Butter Rose, Drelip, English Cowslip,

Fairy Cups, Herb Peter, Our Lady's

Keys, Password

Part used: Flowers, essence

Planet: Venus
Element: Air

Magical uses: Animals, compassion, dreams,

harmony, longevity, love, magic, peace, protection, renewal, rest, sleep, to stop gossip, tranquility

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1¹/₂ Water Scent: Bittersweet, tart, herby



. Plantago Psyllium

Fleaseed Common name:

> Part used: Seed

> > Planet: Jupiter

Element: Fire

Magical uses: Animals, determination, fertility,

> fidelity, gain, honesty, love, protection, to stop gossip,

transformation

Loose only Recipe:

Scent: Sour, bitter, nutty



uassia Amara

Common names: Bitter Ash, Bitterwood

> Part used: Wood

Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

Magical uses: Compassion, endings, love,

protection, release

21/2, 0, 1/8, 13/4 Water Recipe:

Sweet, woody, similar to sandalwood Scent:



Red Clover

Trifolium Pratense

Common names: Purple Clover, Trefoil, Wild Clover

Part used: Flowers
Planet: Venus
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, good luck, magic, money,

overcome opposition, protection, psychic protection, to stop gossip,

strength

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/4 Water

Scent: Bittersweet, grassy, hay-like

Whenever you come across an incense recipe that calls for clover, it almost always means red clover. It is a little harder to obtain, but is much sweeter, milder and easier to burn than regular white clover.



Red Sandalwood Pterocarpus Santalinus

Common names: Red Sanders, Rubywood, Sappan

Part used: Wood
Planet: Venus
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Fidelity, honesty, love, protection

Recipe: 21/2, 0, 1/8, 11/2 Water

Scent: Like Sandalwood, woody, sweet,

clean



Reed

Phragmites Communis

Common names: Cane, Carrizo, Feather Grass

Part used: Leaves
Planet: Moon
Element: Water

Magical uses: Animals, clairvoyance, divination,

modesty, water rites, weather

Recipe: $2^{1/2}$, 1/4, 1/4, $1^{3/4}$ Water Scent: Mild, green, moist



Rose Rosa

Common name: Love Flower

Part used: Flowers, essence

Planet: Venus
Element: Air

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, beauty, clairvoyance,

compassion, consecration, contact other planes, divination, good luck, harmony, to keep secrets, longevity, love, magic, memory, peace, peace of

mind, retention, tranquility, transformation, weddings

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/4 QB

Scent: Bittersweet, flowery, seductive

Pure rose essence is very expensive and almost impossible to obtain. It takes over 25,000 pounds of rose petals to produce just one liter of rose oill Needless to say, whenever you buy rose oil it is either artificially produced or contains very little pure rose essence.



Rose Geranium Pelargonium Graveolens

Common name: None

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, confidence,

consecration, courage, exorcism, love,

passion, protection, psychic

protection, sensuality, spell-breaking,

to stop gossip

Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/8 11/4 FW Scent: Tart, bitter, sour



Rosmarius Officinalis

Common names: Compass Weed, Guardrobe,

Incensier, Polar Plant, Sea Dew

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Sun Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, to brighten disposition,

confidence, consecration, courage, endings, fidelity, good luck, happiness,

honesty, inspiration, knowledge, longevity, love, meditation, memory, peace of mind, to prevent theft, protection, psychic development &

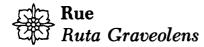
growth, release, strength,

transformation, water rites, weddings,

wisdom

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈ 1¹/₄ Water Scent: Sweet, herby, fresh

Rosemary oil can be toxic if taken internally.



Common names: Herb of Grace, Herb of Repentence

Part used: Leaves and stems, essence

Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

Magical uses: Compassion, consecration, good luck,

karma, longevity, love, magic, protection, psychic development &

growth, psychic protection,

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1¹/₂ Water Scent: Bitter, somber, cigar-like

Safflower Carthamus Tinctorius

Common names: American Saffron, Begger's Crocus

Part used: Flowers, essence

Planet: Sun Element: Fire

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, commanding,

divination, exorcism, magic, psychic

development & growth,

spell-breaking

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/4 Water Scent: Bittersweet, tart, herby

Safflower is used almost exclusively as a substitute for saffron. It doesn't smell quite as sweet or mild, but it is more economical to use. When storing safflower oil, be sure to keep it tightly sealed. Exposure to fresh air for any length of time causes it to get rancid.

Sage Salvia Officinalis

Common names: Salvia, Sawge

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Mercury Element: Earth

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, clairvoyance,

consecration, divination, domestic harmony, inspiration, to keep secrets, knowledge, longevity, love, material objects, meditation, peace, prosperity,

psychic development & growth, psychic protection, retention, tranquility, wealth, weddings,

wisdom

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 11/2 Water

Scent: Sweet, herby, "Sunday chicken"



St. Johnswort

Hypericum Perforatum

Common names: Amber, Goatweed, Hypericum,

Klamathweed

Part Used: Leaves
Planet: Sun
Element: Fire

Magical uses: Animals, commanding confidence,

courage, exorcism, good luck, to increase power of spells, magic, overcome opposition, protection, psychic protection, spell-breaking,

strength, success

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1³/₄ Water Scent: Bittersweet, herby, heady

Salep Orchis Morio

Common names: Lucky Hand, Orchid Root, Orchis,

Satyrion

Part used: Root

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, beauty, exorcism,

gambling, good luck, magic, money, psychic protection, spell-breaking,

success

Recipe: Loose only

Scent: Dry, woody, powdery



Sandalwood Santalum Album

Common names: Sanders, White Sandalwood, White

Sanders, Yellow Sandalwood

Part used: Powdered wood, essence

Planet: Mercury
Element: Air

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, consecration, contact

other planes, divination, good luck, meditation, protection, psychic

development & growth, success Recipe: 2¹/₂, 0, ¹/₈, 1³/₄ Water

Scent: Woody, sweet, clean



Sarsaparilla

Smilax Officinalis

Common names: Bamboo Briar, Bramble Vine

Part used: Root

Planet: Mars
Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, to keep secrets,

protection, retention

Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/2 FW

Scent: Discreet, mint of sweet wood



Sassafras

Sassafras Albidum/Sassafras Officinalis

Common names: Argue Tree, Cinnamon Wood,

Saxifrax

Part used: Bark of root, essence

Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

Magical uses: Compassion, gentleness

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 2 Water

Scent: Semisweet, woody, hint of "root

beer"

Sassafras essence can cause dermatitus to those with sensitive skin.

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Savory Satureia Hortensis

Common names: Bean Herb, Satyr's Herb

Part used: Leaves Planet: Venus

Element: Air

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, to attract

males, love, passion, sensuality,

virility

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₂, ¹/₄, 2 FW Scent: Semisweet, herby



Saw Palmetto

Serenoa Serulata/Serenoa Repens

Common names: Dwarf Palmetto, Fan Palm, Pan

Palm, Sabal

Part used: Berries
Planet: Venus
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, to attract males,

fertility, gain, love, passion,

sensuality

Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/4 Water Scent: Strong, heavy, resin-like



Scammony

Convolvukus Scammonia

Common names: Syrian Bindweed, Wild Jalap

Part used: Root

Planet: Saturn
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Consecration, gambling, good luck,

law, love, material objects, money, prosperity, protection, success,

wealth

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 2 Water

Scent: Sweet, penetrating, candy-like



Slippery Elm Ulmus Fulva

Common name: Elm, Yu, Indian Elm

Part used: Bark

Planet: Saturn
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Commanding, endings, exorcism,

gentleness, magic, protection, release,

spell-breaking, to stop gossip

Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/2 FW

Scent: Mild, woody, clean



Solomon's Seal Polygonatum Multiflorum

Common names: Dropberry, Lady's Seal, St. Mary's

Seal, Sealwort

Part used: Root, essence

Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

Magical uses: Consecration, exorcism, good luck,

inspiration, knowledge, material

objects, money, prosperity, protection,

psychic development & growth, psychic protection, spell-breaking,

success, wealth, wisdom $2^{1/2}$, $^{1/4}$, $^{1/8}$, $1^{3/4}$ Water

Scent: Strong, semisweet, celery-like



Southernwood

Recipe:

Artemisia Abronatum

Common names: Appleringie, Garde-robe, Lad's Love,

Maiden's Ruin, Old Man

Part used: Leaves and stems

Planet: Mercury Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, clairvoyance,

contact other planes, determination, divination, exorcism, love, magic, to

overcome opposition, psychic development & growth,

spell-breaking, transformation

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1³/₄ Water Scent: Strong, earthy, peppery



Green Mint, Green Spine, Lamb's Common names:

Mint, Our Lady's Mint, Sage of

Bethlehem

Part used: Essence

Planet: Venus Air Element:

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, to brighten

> disposition, consecration, dreams, endings, good luck, happiness, love, material objects, money, prosperity, protection, psychic development & growth, release, renewal, rest, sleep,

transformation, wealth

Fresh, cool, "minty" Scent:

Spearmint essence can cause minor skin irritation or rash to those with sensitive skin.

Spikenard



Aralia Racemosa/ Nardostachys Jatamansi

American Spikenard, Indian Root, Common names:

Life of Man, Nard, Old Man's Root, Onycha, Pettymorell, Pigeon Weed,

Spignet

Part used: Root

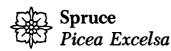
Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, commanding, love, money,

psychic protection

21/2, 1/4, 1/8, 13/4 Water Recipe:

Dry, woody, subtle Scent:



Common name: Norway Pine

Part used: Needles
Planet: Saturn

Element: Earth

Magical uses: Fertility, protection, psychic

protection, strength

Recipe: 21/2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/2 FW Scent: Mild, woody, piney



Star Anise

Illicium Anisatum/Illicium Verum

Common names: Badiana, Chinese Anise

Part used: Seeds, essence

Planet: Mercury

Element: Air

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, clairvoyance,

consecration, contact other planes, divination, fertility, gain, good luck, love, money, prevent nightmares, protection, psychic development &

growth, psychic protection

Recipe: 21/2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/2 QB

Scent: Mild, bittersweet, hint of licorice

Whenever a recipe calls for anise, I always use star anise instead. It may be a little harder to obtain, but it is much sweeter and more fragrant than regular anise.



Storax

Liquidamber Orientalis

Common names: Amber, Liquid Amber, Neteph,

Stracte, Styrax

Part used: Gum, essence

Planet: Mercury Element: Earth

Magical uses: Commanding, consecration, contact

other planes, exorcism, to increase power of spells, magic, protection, psychic protection, spell-breaking,

strength, success ¹/₄, 2, 0, 1 FW

Scent: Heavy, sweet, resiny

I strongly suggest that if you wish to use storax, you try using its essence. Storax gum is very sticky and hard to handle; it can also cause minor skin irritation. If taken internally, it is mildly toxic, and can cause urinary problems.



Strawberry Fragaria Vesca

Recipe:

Common name: Wild Strawberry, Ttalgi

Part used: Leaves, essence

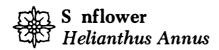
Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Beauty, clairvoyance, divination,

fertility, gain, love

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1³/₄ QB Scent: Dry, bitter, green

Strawberry leaves have no juicy tasty strawberry scent. To get that sweet and full-bodied aroma, you must use essence.



Common name: Marigold of Peru

Part used: Petals
Planet: Sun
Element: Fire

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, commanding,

divination, dreams, fertility, gain, good luck, love, material objects, money, prosperity, protection, psychic development & growth, rest, sleep,

success, wealth

Recipe: 21/2, 1/4, 1/8 11/4 Water

Scent: Subtle, grassy, hint of tartness



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Common names: American Liquid Amber, Copalm,

Gum Tree, Opossum Tree

Part used: Bark
Planet: Mercury
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Exorcism, to increase power of spells,

protection, spell-breaking, success

Recipe: $2^{1/2}$, 0, $^{1/8}$, $2^{1/4}$ Water

Scent: Semisweet, woody, hint of storax

Tarragon Artemisia Dracunculus

Common names: Dragon Herb, Estragon, Little

Dragon

Part used: Leaves and stems

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, commanding,

confidence, courage, to keep secrets,

love, passion, to prevent theft, protection, retention, sensuality,

strength, virility

Recipe: Loose only

Scent: Fiery, spicy, herby, bittersweet

Thyme Thymus Vulgaris

Common name: Bitter Mint

Part used: Leaves and stems, essence

Planet: Venus
Element: Air

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, compassion,

confidence, consecration, contact other planes, courage, divination, love, magic, meditation, money, prevent nightmares, protection, psychic development & growth

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈ 1¹/₂ Water Scent: Bittersweet, herby, fiery

Care should be taken when using thyme essence as it has been known to cause minor skin irritation in some people.

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Turmeric Curcuma Longa

Common names: Curcuma, Zedoary

Part used: Root

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, commanding,

confidence, courage, exorcism, magic, passion, sensuality, spell-breaking,

strength

Recipe: 11/2, 1, 1/8, 2 Water

Scent: Strong, fiery, spicy, peppery

Because of its fiery essence, turmeric is an excellent and preferred substitute in recipes that call for the use of pepper.

Uva Ursi Arctostaphylos Uva-ursi

Common names: Bearberry

Part used: Leaves
Planet: Saturn
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, protection, strength

Recipe: $1^{1/2}$, 1, $^{1/8}$, $1^{1/2}$ FW

Scent: Autumn leaves, herby, hint of pine

Valerian Valeriana Officinalis

Common names: All-heal, Amantilla, Blessed Herb,

Capon's Tail, Garden Heliotrope, Phu, St. George's Herb, Setwell,

Vandal Root

Part used: Root, essence

Planet: Mercury Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, consecration,

exorcism, harmony, love, magic, overcome opposition, peace, psychic protection, spell-breaking, tranquility

Recipe: 1, 1¹/₂, ¹/₈, 2 Water

Scent: Sour, tart, chemical-like

SS Vervain SS Verbend

Verbena Officinalis

Common names: Blue Vervain, Enchanter's Plant,

Herb of Grace, Holy Herb, Juno's

Tears, Van Van

Part used: Leaves and stems, essence

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, consecration, creativity,

inspiration, knowledge, love, magic,

material objects, to prevent

nightmares, prosperity, protection,

success, transformation

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1¹/₂ Water Scent: Bitter, strong, penetrating

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Vetiver

Vetiveria Zizanioides

Common names: Khus Khus, Vetevert

Part used: Root, essence

Planet: Venus Element: Earth

Magical uses: Commanding, good luck, to increase

power of spells, love, protection, psychic protection, success, virility

Recipe: $2^{1/2}$, 0, 1/8, $1^{1/2}$ Water

Scent: Woody, sweet, hint of bitter grass

Violet Viola Odorata

Common name:

None

Part used: Essence

Planet: Venus

Element: Air

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, beauty, contact other

planes, fidelity, gentleness, good luck,

harmony, honesty, love, modesty, peace, tranquility, transformation

Scent: Gentle, subtle, hint of flowers

When using violet essence, care should be taken as it can cause minor skin irritation or rashes.



Water Lily Nymphaea Odorata

Cow Cabbage, Water Nymph, Yon Common names:

> Part used: Root, essence

Planet: Moon Element: Water

Animals, anti-aphrodisiac, beauty, Magical uses:

endings, release, renewal.

11/2, 1, 1/8, 13/4 Water Recipe: Scent: Tart, earthy, muddy



Arovous, Osier, Saille, Tree of Common names:

Enchantment, Weeping Willow,

Witches' Asprin

Part used: Bark Planet: Moon Element: Water

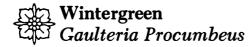
Magical uses: Clairvoyance, compassion,

> consecration, determination, divination, endings, exorcism, gentleness, love, magic, to prevent nightmares, to prevent theft, release,

spell-breaking

21/2, 0, 1/8, 13/4 Water Recipe:

Slight hint of woody sweetness Scent:



Common names: Boxberry, Checkerberry, Deerberry,

Gaulteria, Mountain Tea, Spice

Berry, Teaberry

Part used: Leaves, essence

Planet: Mercury Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, contact other planes, good

luck, money

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1³/₄ Water Scent: Mild, woody, hint of pine

To get the sweet tasty scent of wintergreen, you must use essence. Although it is widely used in food and beverages, wintergreen should be handled carefully. Externally, it can cause irritation of the skin and mucous membranes. Taken internally, it is very toxic and can even lead to death.



Common name: Caspar's Flower, Tungnamu

Part used: Essence
Planet: Venus
Element: Air

Magical uses: Contact other planes, gentleness,

inspiration, knowledge, love,

protection, psychic development &

growth, wisdom

Scent: Strong, flowery, unusual

Wood Betony Stachys Officinalis

Common names: Betony, Bishopwort

Part used: Leaves
Planet: Jupiter
Element: Fire

Magical uses: Consecration, to prevent intoxication,

protection, psychic protection

Recipe: $2^{1}/_{2}$, $1/_{4}$, $1/_{8}$, $1^{3}/_{4}$ Water Scent: Tart, woody, herby

Woodruff Asperula Odorata

Common names: Herb Walter, Master of the Wood,

Wood Musk

Part used: Leaves and stems

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Commanding, consecration, endings,

magic, overcome opposition, protection, psychic protection,

release, renewal, success,

transformation

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 2¹/₄ Water Scent: Tart, bitter, musky, earthy

Wood Sorrel Oxalis Corni

Oxalis Corniculata/Oxalis Acetosella

Common names: Fairy Bells, Oxalis, Seamsog,

Sourgrass, Wood Shamrock

Part used: Leaves and stems

Planet: Saturn
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Good luck, love, magic, to overcome

opposition, psychic protection

Recipe: 2, 1/2, 1/8, 11/4 QB Scent: Tart, bitter, sour

Wormwood Artemisia Absinthium

Common names: Absinthe, Artemisia, Green Ginger,

Old Woman

Part used: Leaves and stems

Planet: Mars Element: Fire

Magical uses: Animals, aphrodisiac, clairvoyance,

contact other planes, determination, divination, exorcism, love, magic, to overcome opposition, protection, psychic development & growth, spell-breaking, transformation

Recipe: $2^{1/2}$, $^{1/4}$, $^{1/8}$, $1^{1/2}$ Water

Scent: Bitter-herb, woody, "cattails"

Yarrow Achillea Millfolium

Common names: Arrow Root, Bloodwort, Carpenter's

Weed, Death Flower, Devil's Nettle, Dog Daisy, Gearwe, Milfoil, Old Man's Pepper, Sanguinary, Thousand

Leaf, Woundwort

Part used: Leaves and stems

Planet: Saturn
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, clairvoyance, consecration,

contact other planes, divination, endings, exorcism, fertility, good luck, to increase power of spells, longevity, love, magic, protection, psychic

protection, release, spell-breaking,

weddings

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₄, ¹/₈, 1³/₄ QB Scent: Semisweet, grassy, mild



Yerba Santa

Eriodctyon Californicum

Common names: Bearsweed, Consumptive's Weed,

Gum Bush, Holy Herb, Mountain

Balm, Tarweed

Part used: Leaves
Planet: Saturn
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Animals, exorcism, protection,

psychic development & growth,

spell-breaking, strength

Recipe: 2¹/₂, ¹/₂, ¹/₈, 1³/₄ FW

Scent: Dry, mild, hint of wood, spice and

herbs



Yew

Taxus Baccata/Taxus Canadensis

Common name: Chinwood

Part used: Needles

Planet: Saturn Element: Earth

Magical uses: Clairvoyance, compassion,

consolation, divination, memory,

peace of mind, protection

Recipe: $2, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{11}{2}$ FW

Scent: Subtle yet penetrating, hint of cedar

and herbs

Yew is very toxic. If taken internally, it can cause trembling, difficulty in breathing, stoppage of heartbeats, and even death.



Yohimbe

Coryanthe Yohimbine

Common name: Black Aphrodite, Passion Bark

Part used: Bark
Planet: Venus
Element: Earth

Magical uses: Aphrodisiac, commanding, to increase

power of spells, love, passion,

sensuality

Recipe: $2^{1}/_{2}$, $1/_{4}$, $1/_{8}$, 2, Water

Scent: Dark, earthy, exotic, sensuous

Part Three



Incense Recipes

MUNDANE INCENSE

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African

Yohimbe 1 Musk Root 1/2 Frankincense 1/2 Aloes 1/8 Acacia 1 QB 11/2

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Aphrodite

Damiana ¹/₂ Musk Root ¹/₄
Yohimbe ¹/₂ Saw Palmetto ¹/₄

Rose 1 Jasmine $^{1/2}$ Rose Oil Jasmine Oil Musk Oil QB $1^{1/2}$

Applesauce

Cinnamon ³/₄ Sandalwood ¹/₂

Camomile 13/4 QB 11/2

Arabian

Frankincense ¹/₄ Cassia ¹/₄ Cascarilla 1 Musk Root ¹/₄

Benzoin ¹/₄ Sandalwood ³/₄ Cloves ¹/₄ Musk Oil

LF 1¹/₂

Bible (Loose only)

Mugwort 1/2 Benzoin 1/2

Basil ¹/₄ Lily of the Valley ¹/₂

Solomon's Seal 1/2 Frankincense 1/2

Primrose 1/2 Lily of the Valley Oil

Jalap 1/4

Blodeuwedd

Locust 1/2 Maidenhair 1/2

Oak 1/4 Rose 1

Nettle ¹/₄ Red Clover ¹/₄
Meadowsweet ¹/₄ Burdock ¹/₄

Primrose ¹/₄ Melilot ¹/₂
Lady's Mantle ¹/₄ LF 2

Cernunnos

Pine 1 Patchouli 1/4

Frankincense 1/4 Musk Root 1/4
Oak 1/4 Cinnamon 1/2

Bay 1/2 Pine Oil
Wormwood 1/4 Musk Oil

QB 1¹/₂

Cinnamon & Rose #1

Sandalwood 1½ Rose ¾
Cinnamon ¾ Rose Oil

Water 2

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Cinnamon & Rose #2

Rose 1 Cedar 1/2 Rosemary 1/4

QB 13/4

Cinnamon 1/2 Sandalwood 1

Rose Oil

Cleopatra

Pine 1/2 Sandalwood 1

Orris 1/4

Patchouli 1/4 Myrrh 1/4

FW 2

Musk Root 1/4 Frankincense 1/4

Rose 1/2

Cinnamon 1/4

Rose Oil

Egyptian

Frankincense 1/2 Sandalwood 1

Acacia 1/2 Myrrh 1/4

Juniper 1/4

LF 2

Henna 1/4

Spikenard 1/4

Onion 1/4

Cinnamon 1/2

Cedar 1/2

Egyptian Sun*

Benzoin ¹/₂ Sunflower ¹/₂ Lotus Root ¹/₂ Cinnamon ¹/₂ FW 1¹/₂

Frankincense ¹/₂ Sandalwood ¹/₂ Frankincense Oil Cinnamon Oil

Evergreen Spice #1

Hemlock 2¹/₂ FW 1¹/₂ Cinnamon 1/2

Evergreen Spice #2

Cinnamon 1/2 Pine Oil Pine 2¹/₂
OB 1¹/₂

Evergreen Spice #3

Cedar 1 Cloves 1/2 Sandalwood 1 Water 11/2

Evergreen Spice #4

Pine 1 Cedar $^{1}/_{2}$ Hemlock $^{1}/_{2}$ Cloves $^{1}/_{4}$ Sassafras $^{1}/_{2}$ Clove Oil Pine Oil (optional) QB $1^{1}/_{2}$

Five Saints

Valerian ¹/₄ (St. George's Herb)

Basil 1

(St. Josephswort)

Mugwort 1/2

(St. John's Plant)

St. Johnswort 1 Solomon's Seal 1/2 (St. Mary's Seal)

QB 13/4

Forest Flower #1

Sandalwood 1½ Benzoin ½ Cascarilla ½ QB 2 Cloves 1/2
Eucalyptus 1/4

Eucalyptus Oil

Forest Flower #2

Sandalwood 1 Cloves 1/4
Benzoin 1/2 Cinnamon 1/2
Cascarilla 1/4 Lavender 1/4
Myrrh 1/4 FW 13/4

Frankincense Blend #1

 $\begin{array}{lll} Frankincense \ ^{1\!/4} & Rosemary \ 1 \\ Cinnamon \ ^{1\!/2} & Sandalwood \ ^{1\!/2} \end{array}$

Lavender 1 FW 1¹/₂

Frankincense Blend #2

Frankincense 1/4 Cinnamon 1/2

Benzoin ¹/₄ Rose 1

Orris 1/4 Sandalwood 1/2

Cascarilla 1/2 Rose Oil

FW 11/2

Frankincense Blend (Loose only) #3

Frankincense 1/2 Cloves 1/4
Benzoin 1/4 Rose 1

Lavender 1 Sandalwood 1/2

Patchouli 1/4

Guardian Angel (Loose only)

Angelica 1/4 Yerba Santa 1/4
Valerian 1/8 Vervain 1/2
Cascara Sagrada 11/4 Frankincense 1/2

Hindu

Basil 3/4 Frankincense 1/4
Sandalwood 1 Cinnamon 1/4
Pomegranate 1/2 Jasmine Oil
Jasmine 1/2 Water 2

Icicles

Sandalwood 2¹/₂

Camphor ¹/₄

Benzoin ¹/₄

Wintergreen Oil

Water 1³/₄

Imperial China

Cassia 1/2 Ginseng 1/8
Cloves 1/2 Musk Root 1/4
Patchouli 1/4 Sandalwood 1
Myrrh 1/8 Water 13/4

Indian Meditation

Sandalwood 11/2

Rose 1

Cinnamon 1/2

Camphor 1/4

Rose Oil

Water 13/4

Indian Raja

Cinnamon 3/4

Sandalwood 11/4

Cloves 1/4 Musk Oil

QB 13/4

Musk Root 1/4

Benzoin 1/4 Curry 1/4

Curry 44

Jasmine Oil

Isis

Vetiver 1

Myrrh 1/4

Frankincense 1/4

Musk Root 1/2

Civit Oil

LF 11/2

Myrtle 1/2 Cassia 1/2

Sandalwood 1/2

Musk Oil

Bayberry Oil

Japanese

Star Anise 3/4

Cassia 3/4

Water 13/4

Sandalwood 1

Cherry Oil

Lavender & Rose

Benzoin 1/4

Lavender 1

Cinnamon ¹/₂ OB 1¹/₂ Rose 1

Patchouli 1/4

Sandalwood 1/4

Leo's Delight

Lavender 11/4

Frankincense 1/2

Cinnamon 1/2

OB 13/4

Bay 1/2

Menthol 1/8

Sandalwood 1/2

Magickal Mystery Tour

Bay 3/4

Frankincense 1/4

Sandalwood 11/4

QB 13/4

Cinnamon 1/2

Dragon's Blood 1/4

Lilac Oil

Mexican

Saw Palmetto 1

Damiana 11/2

Sarsaparilla 1/2

Copal 1/4

Cactus Flower Oil

QB 11/2

Nine Herbs

Fennel 1/4 Wood Betony 1/2
Camomile 1/2 Plantain 1/4
Thyme 1/2 Nettle 1/4
Wormwood 1/4 Elder 1/4
Parsley 1/4 Water 11/4

Pan

Sage 1/2 Patchouli 1/4
Bay 1/2 Musk Root 1/2
Pine 1 Cedar 1/2
Cinquefoil 1/4 Pine Oil
Musk Oil Water 13/4

Persian Flower

Sandalwood 13/4 Cinnamon 1/4
Musk Root 1/2 Jasmine 1/4
Frankincense 1/2 Musk Oil
Myrrh 1/4 Jasmine Oil
OB 13/4

Pertunda

Red Sandalwood 1

Lavender 3/4

Orchid Oil Rose Oil

Musk Root 3/4

Rose 3/4

Strawberry Oil

Water 11/2

Roman Sun (Loose only)*

Sunflower 1

Safflower 1/2

Frankincense 1/2

Cinnamon 1

Cloves 1/9 Myrrh 1/2

Heliotrope Oil

Suburbia

Rose 11/2

Crabgrass 1

OB 11/2

Red Clover 1/2

Rose Oil

Tibetan Temple

Frankincense 1/4

Juniper 1/2

Sandalwood 11/4

FW 11/2

Cinnamon 1/4

Patchouli 1/4

Cedar 1/2

Utnapishtim

Cedar 11/4 Myrtle 11/4 Bayberry Oil FW 11/4

Virgin Mary

Rosemary 1 Marigold 1/2

Primrose 1/2

Solomon's Seal 1

Lily of the Valley 1/2 Lily of the Valley Oil

Spearmint Oil

QB 11/2

Winter King

Pine 1 Hemlock 3/4 Bay 1/2

LF 11/4

Holly 1/4 Mistletoe 1/4 Wintergreen Oil

Yule Incense (Loose only)

Myrrh 1/4 Frankincense 1/2

Benzoin 1/2

Sandalwood 11/2 Bayberry Oil

MAGICAL INCENSE

There is a vast difference of opinion over just what magic is, or for that matter, if magic actually exists. Numerous books have been written on the subject, so I will not delve too deeply into the mechanics of magic here.

What is magic? To a person seeing a TV or hearing a radio for the first time, this is magic of the highest order. To us, however, radios and televisions are commonplace. To those who know and use it, magic is just a tool. Like any ordinary tool, such as a hammer or screwdriver, it is neither good nor evil. Its function and purpose is entirely in the hands of the user. This is where the main problem of using magic lies. If you don't know how to use a hammer properly, you may end up hitting your thumb with it. The same thing can happen when using a psychic tool such as magic. A magical rite done with the best of intentions can have disastrous results if performed by an amateur.

Before going any further, let me say a few things to those of you who may be a little skeptical about magic. Be patient, keep an open mind, and always remember that with the proper motivation and enough perseverance nothing is impossible.

To the doubting Thomas (and Thomasina), the best definition of magic I can give you is that it is the art and science of increasing the rate of coincidence. When working magic, the word coincidence seems to pop up continually. As long as the desired results are obtained, it doesn't really matter if they come about by way of magic or coincidence.

If you really want to work magic, there are a few things that you should know and do before you even start. The following is a brief listing of some of the things you should be aware of when you work magic. It is a sort of "psychic etiquette code."

- First, and most important of all, study and learn everything you can on the subject. Know exactly what you are doing before you attempt to do it.
- When using someone else's rite, always follow the procedures step-by-step. Never take short-cuts or ignore instructions.
- Start small; do only minor magical operations at first. Once you have mastered these, then and only then should you move on to something more complex.
- Never do or use anything that will endanger anyone's health or well-being, either in the material world or on other planes. Such actions are spiritually, morally, and ethically wrong, and will always return, in one form or another, to the sender (you).
- Don't depend entirely on magic to achieve your goal. If you want something, you must work to get it. The effort you put out to reach your goal matters the most; magic just gives things a little "push" in the right direction.
- Magic is a tool, but belief is the hand that uses it. You've got to believe in what you're doing, and in yourself, in order for magic to work. If you treat magic as a game or a new fad to try out, then that's what it will become. If you don't truly believe, then your rites will all fail miserably.

I could go on and on, but then this would be a book on magic instead of incense. Magic is an interesting, absorbing, and complex subject. Once you have begun to work magic, the following recipes may be of use to you. They are just a small sampling of recipes for several different magical operations.

Included in this section are several recipes for working with animals. Let me repeat what I've already stated: I do not advocate or condone the misuse or maltreatment of any living thing. The animal recipes in this section are designed to promote positive interactions with animals. Such actions include the healing of sick or injured animals, protection of or from animals, soothing and calming of distraught or frightened animals, creating a bond of friendship with an animal, and attracting animal familiars.

As you progress in your magical studies, you will probably want to invent your own recipes. To assist you in doing so, I have

included a listing of herbs for each magical operation in Appendix 6 at the back of the book.

The following recipes are designed to be used in cone form, but can usually be adapted for use in cylinder or stick incense. By eliminating the base, tragacanth, and liquid, they can also be used as loose incense.

All measurements in these recipes are in teaspoons (or fractions thereof). If you want to increase or decrease the recipes, please turn to the conversion tables Appendices 2 and 3 on pages 245 and 249. Also note: if you cannot remember the recipes for the bonding agents (QB, FW, and LF) please turn back to page 14.

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Catnip $1^{1/2}$ Pine $1^{1/2}$ Frankincense $^{1/4}$ QB $1^{1/4}$

Animals - Cats

Catnip 1½ Ground Ivy ½

Life Everlasting ½ Water 1½

Animals - Dogs

Dogwood 3 Burdock ½

Yarrow ½ QB 1³/4

Animals - Fowl

Chickweed 1/2 Mistletoe 1/2 Valerian 1/8 OB 2 Cranesbill 1/2
Sandalwood 1
Mandrake 1/4

Animals - Fowl

Plantain 1/2 Mandrake 1/2 Reed 1/2 Spikenard 1/2
Sandalwood 1
Water 13/4

Animals - Hooved

Water Lily ¹/₄
Wintergreen ¹/₄
Deer's Tongue ¹/₂
Coltsfoot ¹/₂
Honeysuckle ¹/₄
OB 1³/₄

Melilot ¹/₂
Elecampane ¹/₄
Wintergreen oil
Spearmint oil

St. Johnswort 1/2

Animals - Serpents #1 (Loose only)

Chickweed 1/2 Plantain 1 Dragon's Blood 1 Tarragon 1

Animals – Serpents #2 (Loose only)

Juniper 1/2 Plantain 1 Marjoram 2

Animals - Wild

Uva Ursi ¹/₂ Yerba Santa ¹/₄ Burdock ¹/₄ OB 1 ¹/₂ Motherwort 1/2 Lady's Mantle 1/2 Dandelion 1/2

Animals - Wild & Hooved

Deer's Tongue 1/2 Musk Root 1/2 Water 11/2 Sandalwood 1½ Musk Oil

Anti-Aphrodisiac

Rue 1/2
Water Lily 1/2
Water 11/2

Menthol 1/4 Lavender 13/4

Attract a Lover #1

Lovage 1 Patchouli 1/4

Orris 1/2 Lemon Verbena Oil

Lemon Verbena 1 FW 13/4

Attract a Lover #2 (Loose only)

Cloves 1/2 Musk Root 1/2

Rose 1 Red Sandalwood 1/2

Saw Palmetto 1/4 Rose Oil
Juniper 1/2 Musk Oil

Beauty #1

Angelica 1/2 Cherry 1

Elder 1 Strawberry oil

Musk Root 3/4 FW 13/4

Beauty #2

Rose 1 Lady's Mantle 1/2

Maidenhair ¹/₂ Rose Oil Linden ³/₄ QB 1¹/₄

Break Off an Affair #1

Camphor 1/4 Slippery Elm 1 Pennyroyal 1¹/₂ FW 1¹/₂

Break Off an Affair #2

Menthol 1/4
Willow 11/2

Lavender 11/2 Water 13/4

Cold

Cloves 1/2 Juniper 1/4 Willow 2 Water 13/4

Menthol 1/8
Eucalyptus Oil
Wintergreen Oil

Cold #2

Pine 1¹/₄ Hemlock 1¹/₄ Cedar ¹/₂ QB 1¹/₂ Camphor 1/8 Menthol 1/8 Pine Oil

Commanding #1

Elder 1/4 Musk Root 1/2
Spikenard 1/2 Patchouli 1/4
Slippery Elm 1/4 Musk Oil
St. Johnswort 1 LF 11/2

Commanding #2

Vetiver 1¹/₄

Calamus 1

Water 1¹/₂

Musk Root ¹/₂

Safflower ¹/₂

Commanding #3 (Loose only)

Safflower 1 Poppy 1/2
Catnip 3/4 Marigold 1

Compassion #1

Allspice 1/2 Bayberry Oil
Myrtle 2 QB 1³/₄

Compassion #2

Allspice $^{1}/_{2}$ Pine $^{1}/_{2}$ Rue $^{1}/_{4}$ Rose $^{1}/_{2}$ Pine Oil OB $^{1}/_{2}$

Compassion #3

Elder 1/4 Willow 1

Poppy 1/4 Lemon Balm Oil

Lemon Balm 1 FW 1¹/₂

Conceive a Child

Mistletoe 1/2 Mandrake 1 FW 13/4 Motherwort 1¹/₂ Strawberry Oil

Confidence #1

Rosemary 1 Musk Root 1 QB 1¹/₄ Garlic ¹/₂ Camomile ¹/₄

Confidence #2

St. Johnswort 1

Thyme 1 Water 11/2

Oak 1/2

Woodruff 1/4

Contact Other Planes #1

Frankincense 1/4

Acacia 1/4

Star Anise 1/2

OB 11/2

Thyme 1/2
Oak Moss 1/4

Sandalwood 1

Contact Other Planes #2

Frankincense 1/4

Angelica 1/4
Patchouli 1/4

Mistletoe 1/4

Dittany 1

Sandalwood 1/2 Wisteria Oil

QB 1¹/₂

Defeat an Enemy

St. Johnswort 1

Woodruff 1/2

Oak 1/2

Onion 1/4

Rosemary 3/4

FW 11/2

Determination #1

Althea 1/2 Camomile 1/2 Oak 1/2 Thyme 1
Garlic ¹/₄
OB 1 ¹/₄

Determination # 2

Rosemary 1 Willow 1 Water 13/4 Musk Root 1 Musk Oil

Determination #3

Allspice 1/2 St. Johnswort 11/4

Water 21/4

Southernwood 1/2

Willow 3/4

Dispel "Catty Ways"*

Catnip 1 Dragon's Blood 1 Sandalwood 1

QB 11/2

Divination #1

St. Johnswort 1

Wormwood 3/4

QB 11/2

Bay 3/4

Frankincense 1/2

Divination #2

Dittany 1
Damiana 1/2

Orris 1/2

Camphor 1/4

Solomon's Seal 1/4 OB 11/2

Divination #3

Rosemary 1

Parsley 1/4

Bay 1/2

Dittany 1

Pomegranate 1/2

Water 13/4

Divination #4

Cinquefoil 3/4 Valerian 1/4

Deer's Tongue 1/2

Frankincense 1/2

Sandalwood 1

OB 2

Divination #5

Cinnamon 1/2 Chickweed 1/2 Water 2 Thyme 1 Sandalwood 1

Divination #6

Yarrow 1 St. Johnswort 1 QB 1³/₄ Frankincense ¹/₄ Bay ¹/₂

Divination #7

Lavender 1 Rose 1 QB 1¹/₂ Star Anise 1/2 Sandalwood 1/2

Divination #8

Dittany 1 Acacia ³/₄ QB 1³/₄ Cinquefoil 3/4 Clary Sage 1

Divination #9

St. Johnswort 1/2

Dittany 1

Frankincense 1/4

LF 13/4

Bay 1/2

Rosemary 1/2

Sandalwood 1/2

Divine Intervention (Loose only)

Dragon's Blood 1/2

Frankincense 1/2

Angelica 1/4

Galangal 3/4

Bay 1/2

Sandalwood 1/2 Cinnamon 1/4

Divorce #1 (Loose only)

Frankincense 1/2

Rue 1/2

Allspice 1/2

Marjoram 1/4

Pennyroyal 3/4

Yarrow 1/2

Menthol 1/8

Sandalwood 1/2

Divorce #2 (Loose only)

Frankincense 1/2

Cloves 1/2

Slippery Elm ¹/₂
Comfrey ¹/₄

Melilot 1

Domestic Tranquility

Sage 3/4

Ground Ivy 1/2

Linden 11/4

Water 2

Rue 1/4

Bayberry 1/4

Bayberry Oil

Ease Emotional Pain (Loose only)

Bay 3

Allspice 3/4

Dragon's Blood 1/4

Storax 3/4

End Negativity & Give Hope #1

Dittany 1

Camomile 1/2

QB 11/4

Melilot 3/4

Patchouli 1/4

End Negativity & Give Hope #2

Thyme 1

Rue 1/2

Water 11/2

Woodruff 1/2

Cloves 1/2

End Negativity & Give Hope #3

Dittany 11/2 Burdock 1/2 OB 11/2

Rue 1/4 Patchouli 1/4

End Nightmares #1

Thyme 1 Willow 1 Camomile 1 Water 13/4

End Nightmares #2

Star Anise 1/4

Lemon Verbena 3/4

Thyme 3/4

Willow 1

Lemon Verbena Oil

Water 13/4

Exorcism #1

St. Johnswort 11/4

Bay 1/2

QB 11/2

Yarrow 1/2

Onion 1/4

Exorcism #2 (Loose only)

Asafoetida 1/8 Angelica 1/2

Benzoin ¹/₂ St. Johnswort ¹/₂ Frankincense ¹/₂ Cascara Sagrada ¹/₂

Exorcism #3

Wormwood 1 Orris 1/2

Cascara Sagrada 1 Solomon's Seal 1/2

OB 13/4

Exorcism #4

St. Johnswort 1 Frankincense 1/4
Wormwood 1/2 Angelica 1/2

Bay 1/2 QB 11/2

Exorcism #5 (Loose only)

Basil 1/2 Nettle 1/4

Rosemary 1/2 Frankincense 1/2

Garlic ¹/₄ Willow 1

Fertility #1

Star Anise 1/2 Mistletoe 1/4
Mandrake 1/4 Cherry 3/4
Pomegranate 1/2 Allspice 1/4
Poppy 1/4 LF 11/2

Fertility #2

Basil ¹/₂ Pine 1
Dragon's Blood ¹/₂ Juniper ¹/₄
Holly ¹/₄ Base ¹/₂
LF 1 ¹/₂

Fertility #3

Allspice ¹/₂ Cherry 1 Saw Palmetto ¹/₄ Strawberry ¹/₄ FW 1 ¹/₂ Blueberry 1/4
Yarrow 1/2
Cucumber 1/4
Strawberry Oil

Fidelity

Basil ¹/₄ Dragon's Blood ¹/₄ Red Sandalwood 1 OB 1¹/₂ Rosemary 1/2 Dogwood 1 Honeysuckle Oil

Friendship (Loose only)

Acacia ¹/₂
Rosemary 1
Elder ¹/₄

Frankincense ½
Dogwood 1

Gain #1 (Loose only)

Star Anise 1/2 Poppy 1/4 Mistletoe 1/2 Juniper 1/2 Cherry 1

Gain #2

Cucumber 1/4 Allspice 3/4 Sunflower 1 Saw Palmetto 1/4 Marigold 1/2 FW 11/4

Gentleness #1

Willow 1¹/₂ Lemon Balm ¹/₂ Meadowsweet ¹/₄ QB 2 Henna ¹/₂ Lavender ¹/₂ Lilac Oil

Gentleness #2

Lavender 1 Motherwort 1/4
Camomile 1/4 Willow 3/4
Lady's Mantle 1/4 Wisteria Oil
Maidenhair 1/4 Water 11/2

Good Luck #1

Dragon's Blood 1/2 Mistletoe 1/2 LF 11/2 Cascara Sagrada 1 Linden 1

Good Luck #2 (Loose only)

Cinnamon 1/2 Myrrh 1/4
Angelica 1/4 Red Clover 1
Camomile 1/2 Sandalwood 1/2

Good Luck #3

Musk Root $^{1}/_{2}$ Galangal $^{1}/_{2}$ Rose Oil Red Clover $^{1}/_{2}$ QB $^{1}/_{2}$

Good Luck #4 (Loose only)

Rosemary 1

Dragon's blood 1/2 Musk Root 1/2

Rose 3/4

Sandalwood 1/2

Rose Oil

Musk Oil

Happiness #1

Myrrh 1/4 Marjoram 1/4 Dittany 1

LF 11/2

Sandalwood 3/4

Oregano 3/4 Spearmint Oil

Happiness #2

Oregano 1 Rosemary 1 Marigold 1 FW 11/2

Home Protection #1

Orris Root 1 Sandalwood 1 Lavender 1/2

Patchouli 1/4

Cloves 1/4 FW 13/4

Home Protection #2 (Loose only)

Frankincense 1/2 Rue 1/2

Sage 3/4 Sandalwood 1
Basil 1/2 Myrrh 1/2
Mistletoe 1/2 Orris 1/2

Garlic ¹/₂ Mandrake ¹/₂ Rosemary ³/₄ Yarrow ¹/₂

Spearmint Oil

This recipe is also known as "Witches Bottle."

Keep Secret #1

Dogwood 1¹/₄ Ground Ivy ¹/₂

Life Everlasting 1/2 Rose 1/2
Lavender 1/2 Rose Oil
Honeysuckle Oil Water 2

Keep Secret #2

Dogwood 1 Tarragon 1/4
Sage 1/2 Juniper 1/4
Pomegranate 1/2 Lavender 1/2

QB 13/4

Knowledge & Wisdom #1

Angelica 1/4

Sage 1

Vervain 1/4

Solomon's Seal 1/2

Cinnamon ³/₄ QB 1¹/₂

Knowledge & Wisdom #2

Solomon's Seal 1

Benzoin 1/4

Vervain 1/2

LF 11/2

Cloves 1/2 Bay 1/2

Wisteria Oil

Law #1

Cascara Sagrada 11/2

Galangal 1

Jalap 1/2

QB 2

Law #2

Cascara Sagrada 11/4

Scammony 1/2

Water 2

Sandalwood 1

Onion 1/4

Musk Oil

Love #1

Rose 1¹/₄ Red Sandalwood 1

Musk Root ¹/₄ Cinnamon ¹/₂

Patchouli ¹/₄ Rose Oil

Love #2

OB 11/2

Lavender 1 Rose 1/2
Rosemary 1 QB 11/4

Love #3

 $\begin{array}{lll} \mbox{Benzoin} \ ^{1}/2 & \mbox{Patchouli} \ ^{1}/4 \\ \mbox{Jasmine} \ ^{1}/4 & \mbox{Musk} \ \mbox{Root}^{1}/2 \\ \mbox{Rose} \ 1 & \mbox{Sandalwood} \ ^{1}/2 \end{array}$

Musk Oil Rose Oil
Civit Oil Jasmine Oil

QB 11/2

Love #4

Rose 1½ Red Sandalwood ½

Cinnamon ¹/₂ Rose Oil
Deer's Tongue ¹/₂ OB 1¹/₂

Magic #1 (Loose only)

Frankincense ¹/₂ St. Johnswort ¹/₂

St. Johnswort 1/2
Willow 1

Dragon's Blood 1/2

Salep 1/4

Vervain 1/2

Cinquefoil 1/2 Patchouli 1/4

Bay 1/2

Magic #2

Bay 1/2 Dittany 1

Storax 1/4

FW 1½

Frankincense 1/2

Cinnamon 1/2

Willow 1

Meditation #1

Parsley 1/4

Sage 1/2

Rosemary 1/2

QB 11/2

Thyme 1/2

Dittany 1

Bay 1/2

Meditation #2 (Loose only)

Camomile 3/4

Rosemary 1

Frankincense 1/2

Cinnamon 3/4

Memory #1

Lavender 1
Life Everlasting 1/4

Marigold 1/2

Rosemary 1/2 Honeysuckle 1/2 Honeysuckle Oil

QB 11/2

Memory #2

Bay 1/2

Benzoin 1/4

OB 11/2

Cloves 1/2

Rosemary 11/2

Memory #3

Benzoin ¹/₄ Marigold ³/₄

Rose Oil QB 1¹/₂ Rose 1

Lavender 1

Lavender Oil

Modesty

Willow 11/4

Broom ¹/₂ Lilac Oil OB 1¹/₂ Camomile 1/2

Lily of the Valley 1/2

Lily of the Valley Oil

Money #1

Basil 1 Hyssop ¹/₂
Cinquefoil 1 Base ¹/₂
Galangal ¹/₂ LF 1³/₄

Money #2 (Loose only)

Cinnamon 3/4 Dragon's Blood 1/2

Cascara Sagrada 1¹/₄ Salep ¹/₂

Money #3 (Loose only)

Lavender 1¹/₄ Comfrey ¹/₄ Camomile ¹/₄ Red Clover 1

Acacia 1/4

Money #4

Lovage 1 Jalap 1/4

Bay 1 Meadowsweet 1/2 FW 11/2

Money #5

Thyme 1¹/₄
Red Clover 1
QB 1¹/₂

Spikenard 1/2 Nutmeg 1/4

Overcome Opposition #1

Bay 1/2

Red Clover 1 OB 1¹/₂ Oak 1/2

St. Johnswort 3/4

Overcome Opposition #2

Cloves 3/4
Garlic 1/2
Jalap 1/4

Woodruff ¹/₂ Red Clover ¹/₂ QB 1¹/₄

Passion #1

Cascarilla 1¹/₄ Savory ¹/₂
Cranesbill ¹/₂ Civit Oil
Musk Root ¹/₂ Water 1³/₄

Passion #2

Yohimbe 3/4 Cinnamon 1/2
Ginger 1/4 Ambergris Oil
Damiana 21/2 Water 11/2

Peaceful Home (Loose only) †

Frankincense 1

Rose 1/2

Lavender 1/2

Rose Oil Clove Oil

Peace & Protection

Lavender 1 Frankincense 1/4

Thyme 3/4 Rue 1/4
Basic 3/4 Benzoin 1/4

Vervain ¹/₄ QB 1¹/₂

Physical Love #1

Cascarilla 3/4 Musk Root 1/2
Damiana 3/4 Bergamot Oil
Yohimbe 1/2 Ambergris Oil

Water 11/2

Physical Love #2

Cranesbill ¹/₄ Cascarilla 1
Savory ³/₄ Jasmine Oil
Ginger ¹/₄ Civit Oil
Mandrake ¹/₂ LF 1³/₄

Prevent Theft #1

Ground Ivy 1 Juniper 1/2
Rosemary 11/2 QB 11/2

Prevent Theft #2

Dogwood ¹/₂ Tarragon ¹/₄
Caraway ¹/₄ Willow 1
Rosemary ¹/₂ Honeysuckle Oil
QB 1 ¹/₂

Prophetic Dreams

Mugwort 1/2 Willow 1
Dittany 1 Frankincense 1/4
Poppy 1/4 QB 1³/₄

Psychic #1

Safflower 3/4

Wormwood 1/4 Cinnamon 1/2 Dittany 1

Red Sandalwood 1/2

OB 11/2

Psychic #2

Cloves 1/4 Myrrh 1/4 Sandalwood 1 Dittany ³/₄
Cinnamon ¹/₄

QB 11/2

Psychic Protection #1

Elder 1/2

Cinquefoil 1

FW 11/2

Bay 1/2

Valerian 1/8

Psychic Protection #2

Broom 1/4 Agrimony 1/2

Basil 1/2

Cranesbill 1/4 Vetiver 1

Oregano 1/2

LF 11/2

Psychic Protection #3

Angelica $^{1}/_{2}$ Cloves $^{1}/_{4}$ Galangal $^{1}/_{2}$ Base $^{1}/_{2}$ Red Clover $^{1}/_{2}$ LF $^{1}/_{4}$

Psychic Protection #4 (Loose only)

Dittany 1 Mistletoe 1/2
Cinquefoil 1 Frankincense 1/2

Psychic Protection #5

Dittany 1 St. Johnswort 1
Dragon's Blood 1/2 Wormwood 1/2

OB 11/2

Psychic Protection #6

Pine 1 Cassia ½ Sage ¾ Mugwort ½ Spikenard ½ Water 1¾

Psychic Protection #7

Benzoin 1/2 Dragon's Blood 1/4

Frankincense 1/2 Patchouli 1/4
Camphor 1/4 Sandalwood 2
Cassia 1/2 OB 13/4

Psychic Protection #8 (Loose only)

Mistletoe 1/4 Hyssop 1/4

Patchouli ¹/₄ Frankincense ¹/₂
Rue ¹/₄ Red Clover ³/₄

Dittany 1

Recall Past Lives #1[†]

Sandalwood 1 Myrrh Oil

Cinnamon ¹/₂ Cinnamon Oil
Myrrh ¹/₂ Cucumber Oil

FW 11/4

Recall Past Lives #2

Sandalwood 1¹/₂ Frankincense ¹/₂

Water Lily ½ Lilac Oil
Holly ½ FW 1½

Release & Endings #1

Bay 1/2 Melilot 3/4

Melilot ³/₄ Rosemary ¹/₂ Quassia 1

Spearmint Oil Water 11/2

Release & Endings #2

Bay 1/2

Lemon Balm 1/2 Pennyroyal 1/2

Willow 1

Yarrow 1/4

Lemon Balm Oil Peppermint Oil

QB 11/2

Renewal #1

Red Clover 11/2

Allspice 1/2

LF 1½

Garlic 1/2

Dragon's Blood 1/4

Renewal #2

Ginseng 1/4 Gotu Kola 1/2

QB 11/2

Life Everlasting 1/2

Rosemary 11/2

Renewal #3

Sage 1 Oak 1 Hemlock 1 QB 1¹/₂

Renewal #4

Rosemary 1 Sage 1/2 FW 11/2 Dragon's Blood 1/2 Hemlock 1

Renewal #5

Aloes 1/4 Eucalyptus 1/4 Holly 1/2 Marigold 11/2 Sandalwood 1 Lemon Oil Eucalyptus Oil

FW 11/2

Rest & Sleep #1

Poppy 1/2 Camomile 11/4 Willow 1¹/₄ FW 1¹/₂

Rest & Sleep #2

Catnip ¹/₂
Dill ¹/₂
Poppy ¹/₄
OB 1¹/₂

Lemon Verbena 1 Motherswort 1/2 Lemon Verbena Oil

Spell Breaking #1 (Loose only)

Myrrh ¹/₄ Nettle ¹/₂ Slippery Elm ³/₄ Cinquefoil 1/2 Willow 3/4

Spell Breaking #2

St. Johnswort 1¹/₂ Burdock ¹/₂ QB 1¹/₂ Rue 1/4 Cloves 1/2

Spell Breaking #3

Patchouli ¹/₄ Willow ³/₄ QB 1¹/₂ St. Johnswort ³/₄ Slippery Elm ³/₄

Spirit Communication (Loose only)

Frankincense 1/2

Bay 3/4

Elder 1/4

Wormwood 1/2

Willow 1 Wisteria Oil

Stop Gossip #1 (Loose only)

Cloves 3/4 Nettle 1/2 Slippery Elm 1
Red Clover 1/2

Stop Gossip #2 (Loose only)

Deer's Tongue 1/2
Orris 1/2

Red Clover 1
Garlic 1/2

Strength #1

Dragon's Blood 1/2 Musk Root 1/2 Vetiver 11/2 OB 2 Cinquefoil 1/2
Musk Oil

Ambergris Oil

Strength #2

Cinnamon 1/2
Dragon's Blood 1/4
Frankincense 1/4
Musk Root 1/2

OB 11/2

Patchouli 1/4 Vetiver 1 Yarrow 1/4 Musk Oil

Success #1

Basil 1/2

Bay 1/2 QB 11/4 Cedar 1
Oak 1/2

Success #2

Mistletoe 1/4
Marigold 1/2
Sunflower 1/2

Water 11/2

Onion 1/4 Sandalwood 1

Sandalwood 1 Bergamot Oil

Success #3

Solomon's Seal 1/2 Cedar 11/2

FW 11/4

Musk Root 1/2

Myrrh 1/4

Success #4

Frankincense 1/4 Woodruff 1/2
Vetiver 11/2 Sandalwood 1
Angelica 1/4 LF 13/4

Success #5

Bay 1/2 Sandalwood 1
Frankincense 1/4 Cedar 3/4
Mistletoe 1/2 FW 11/2

Success #6*

Sandalwood 1½ Quassia ½
Sarsaparilla ½ Jasmine Oil
Motherwort ½ Water 1¾

Tranquility #1

Sage 1 Meadowsweet 1/2

Rose $1^{1}/_{2}$ Base $^{1}/_{2}$ Benzoin $^{1}/_{4}$ Rose Oil

LF 13/4

Tranquility #2

Cascarilla 1 Pennyroyal 1/2

Basil 1/4 Bay 1/2

Oregano ½ Patchouli ¼ FW 1½

Tranquility #3

Basil ¹/₂ Meadowsweet ¹/₂

Pennyroyal 1¹/₄

Benzoin ¹/₂

Valerian ¹/₈

Lilac Oil

FW 1¹/₄

Transformation #1 (Loose only)

Pennyroyal 1¹/₂ Bay ¹/₂

Elder 1/4 Rosemary 1/2
Frankincense 1/2 Peppermint Oil

Transformation #2

Pomegranate 1 Wormwood 1/2 Slippery Elm 11/2 Violet Oil

QB 11/2

Transformation #3

Willow 1¹/₄ Woodruff ¹/₂ QB 2 Ground Ivy 3/4 Myrrh 1/2

Transformation #4

Holly ¹/₂ Pomegranate ¹/₂ Willow 1

FW 13/4

Frankincense ¹/₄
Slippery Elm ¹/₂
Pennyroyal ¹/₂

Virility

Holly ¹/₂ Patchouli ¹/₄ Savory ¹/₂

Mandrake 1/2 Civit Oil Oak 1/2

Dragon's Blood 1/4

Musk Root 1/4 Musk Oil

FW 1¹/₂

Weather #1

Broom 1 Black Haw 1/2 OB 11/2 Dragon's Blood 1/4

Willow 1

Weather #2*

Benzoin 1½ Pinch of Salt
Dittany ½ Benzoin Oil
Black Haw ½ QB 1¼

RITUAL INCENSE

Ritual incense is any incense that is used for religious purposes. It is akin to magic, yet more subtle, since it is of a spiritual rather than material nature. It is used primarily to celebrate religious holidays and special spiritual or mystical happenings.

Although many of the recipes may seem to be esoteric in scope, they can still be used and enjoyed solely for their fragrances. The recipes included here are just a brief sampling of a virtually limitless number of ritual blends. Keep in mind that these recipes are geared to be measured in teaspoons (or fractions thereof). If you want to increase or decrease the quantities, see table of correspondences in Appendix 2 and 3 on pages 245 and 249. If you can't remember the recipes for the various bonding agents (QB, FW, or LF) see page 14.

Baby Blessing (Loose only)

Cinnamon ¹/₂ Frankincense ¹/₂ Myrrh ¹/₄ Rose 1 Dittany ¹/₂ Cinquefoil ¹/₄ Sage 1/2 Cedar 1/2 Patchouli 1/4 Allspice 1/4 Benzoin 1/4

Beltane #1*

Rose 1

Frankincense 1/2 Sand

Musk Root 1/2 Cinnamon 1/2

FW 11/2

Benzoin 1/4

Sandalwood 1/2 Musk Oil

Rose Oil

Beltane #2*

Benzoin 3/4

Rose 1/2

Rosemary 1/2

Cinnamon 1/2
Sandalwood 3/4

Lemon Verbena Oil

Church #1 (Loose only)

Frankincense 1 Myrrh ³/₄

nse 1 Benzoin 1/2

Sandalwood 3/4

Church #2

Benzoin 1/2

Cascarilla 1/2

Sandalwood 1

OB 13/4

Vetiver 1/4

Musk Root 1/2

Frankincense 1/4

Circle #1 (Loose only)

Frankincense 1/2

Willow 1

Cinnamon 1/2

Patchouli 1/4

Cascarilla 1/2

Copal 1/4

Jalap 1/4

Circle #2

Bay 1/2

Camphor 1/2

Lavender 1/2

Yarrow 1/2

Broom 1/2

Linden 1/2

Ground Ivy 1/2

Water 2

Basil 1/2
Linden 1/2

Lovage 1/2

Circle #3

Rosemary 1/2

Reed 1/2

Marjoram 1/2

Thyme 1/2

¹/₂ QB 1³/₄

Circle #4

St. Johnswort 1/2

Cucumber 1/2

Mandrake 1/2

Dittany 1/2

Galangal 1/2

Juniper 1/2

Spikenard 1/2

FW 2

Circle #5

Sandalwood 1 Patchouli 1/4
Frankincense 1/2 Vervain 1/4
Myrrh 1/4 Orris 1/4
Cinnamon 1/4 Mistletoe 1/4

FW 11/2

Circle #6

Myrrh ½ Willow 1

Marjoram ¼ Oak ½

Elder ¼ Pine ¾

Dragon's Blood ½ LF 2

Circle #7

Bay 1/2 Dragon's Blood 1/2

Oak Moss ¹/₂ Juniper ¹/₂ Cinquefoil ¹/₂ Spikenard ¹/₂ Rose ¹/₂ FW 1³/₄

Circle #8 (Loose only)

Frankincense 1/2 Ginger 1/4
Willow 1 Cedar 1/2
Star Anise 1/2 Jalap 1/4

Benzoin 1/2

Circle #9

Frankincense 1/4 Dragon's Blood 1/4

Willow 1 Oak 1/2

Cinquefoil 1/2 Solomon's Seal 1/4

Dittany 1/2 QB 11/2

Circle #10 (Loose only)

Frankincense 1/2 Basil 1/4
Poppy 1/4 Cedar 1/2

Pomegranate 1/2 Cascara Sagrada 1/2

Red Clover 1

Consecration #1 (Loose only)

Frankincense 1 Benzoin 1/2

Myrrh 1/4 Sandalwood 11/2

Storax ¹/₄ Bay ¹/₂

Consecration #2

Rosemary 1 Sage ¹/₂
St. Johnswort 1 Hyssop ¹/₄
Solomon's Seal ¹/₂ QB 1¹/₂

Consecration #3

Bay $^{1}/_{2}$ Thyme $^{1}/_{2}$ Pine 1 Lavender $^{1}/_{2}$ Rose 1 OB $^{1}/_{2}$

Consecration #4

 $\begin{array}{lll} \text{Cedar 1} & \text{Sage } ^{3}\!/_{4} \\ \text{Cinnamon } ^{1}\!/_{2} & \text{Lovage } ^{1}\!/_{2} \\ \text{Dragon's Blood } ^{1}\!/_{4} & \text{QB } 1^{1}\!/_{2} \end{array}$

Consecration #5

Elder 1 Thyme 1/2
Onion 1/4 Broom 1/2
Star Anise 1/2 Sandalwood 1

LF 13/4

Consecration #6

Rosemary 1 Vervain $^{1}/_{4}$ Lavender 1 Valerian $^{1}/_{8}$ Frankincense $^{1}/_{4}$ Sage $^{1}/_{4}$ Basil $^{1}/_{2}$ FW $^{1}/_{2}$

East $#1 - (Raphiel)^*$ (Loose only)

Angelica 6 Frankincense 3/4 Myrrh 3/4

Copal 1/4

Mastic ¹/₄ Mugwort 12 Galangal Oil 1¹/₂

East #2

Lavender 3/4
Benzoin 1/4
Cinnamon 1/2
OB 11/2

Rose 1 Cherry 1/2 Rose Oil

East #3

Oregano 1 Sandalwood 1/2 Thyme 1/2

Pennyroyal 1/2

Star Anise 1/2
Peppermint Oil or
Spearmint Oil
QB 11/2

Esbat #1

Sandalwood 1 Frankincense ¹/₂ Myrrh ¹/₄ Cinnamon ¹/₂ QB 1³/₄ Vervain ¹/₄
Dittany ¹/₂
Patchouli ¹/₄
Bay ¹/₂

Esbat #2

Patchouli 1/2 Calamus 1/4

Mugwort 1/4

Cinnamon 1/2 Water 13/4

Camphor 1/4

Sandalwood 1 Ambergris Oil or

Musk Oil

Exodus XXX 23-24

Myrrh 1/2

Cassia 3/4

LF 11/2

Calamus 1/4 Sandalwood 1

Exodus XXX 34 (Loose only)

Cinnamon 1/9

Cloves 1/4

Ginger 1/4

Storax 1/4

Spikenard 1/4

Benzoin 1/4

Frankincense 3/4

Sandalwood 11/2

Fall

Oak 1/4

Pine 1/9

Frankincense 1/4

Cinnamon 1/4

QB 11/2

Cloves 1/4

Rosemary 1/2

Sage 1/4

Pomegranate 1/2

Funeral #1

Marjoram ¹/₂ Melilot ³/₄ OB 1¹/₂ Thyme ³/₄ Willow 1

Funeral #2

Oregano 3/4
Lily of the Valley 1/2

Lemon Balm 1/2 QB 11/2 Poppy 1/4 Willow 1

Lily of the Valley Oil

Funeral #3

 Myrrh 1/4
 Rue 1/4

 Yew 1/4
 Parsley 1/4

 Yarrow 1
 Pine Oil

 Pine 1
 QB 11/2

Funeral #4*

Patchouli 1 Yew 1 OB 1³/₄ Pine (bark) 1 Birch Oil

Hallows #1

Frankincense 1/2

Myrrh 1/4
Bay 1/2
Vervain 1/4

QB 13/4

Wormwood 1/4 Patchouli 1/4 Cinnamon 1/2

Sandalwood 1/2

Hallows #2

Dittany 1 Pine ½ Sandalwood 1 QB 1³/4 Patchouli 1/4
Benzoin 1/4
Pine Oil

Hallows #3*

Benzoin 1/2 Dittany 11/2 Patchouli 1 LF 1¹/₂

Kyphi (Loose only)

Honey 3/4 Galangal 1/2
3 Raisins Juniper 1/2
Copal 1/4 Broom 1/4
Myrrh 1/4 Calamus 1/2
Reed 1/4 Frankincense 1/2
Orris 1/4 Benzoin 1/2

Sandalwood 1 Cinnamon 1/2

Storax 1/4 Wine (enough to make

mixture moist)

Allow to dry before storing.

Lady Day (Loose only)

Juniper 1/2 Red Sandalwood 1
Broom 1/2 Frankincense 1/2
Rose 1 Rose Oil

Lammas

Broom ¹/₄ Meadowsweet ¹/₂
Oregano ¹/₂ Frankincense ¹/₄
Cinnamon ¹/₂ Sandalwood ¹/₂
OB 1¹/₂

Mid-Eastern High Altar

Dittany 1 Myrrh 1/4 Sandalwood 1 Bay 1/2 Frankincense 1/2 QB 11/2

Moon Goddess* (Loose only)

Benzoin 6 Camphor 11/2 White Onion Skins 3 Poppy 1/2 Allspice 11/2 Olive Oil 11/4

North $#1 - (Uriel)^*$ (Loose only)

Angelica 6 Frankincense 3/4 Myrrh 3/4

Copal 1/4

Mastic 1/4

Life Everlasting 12 Myrrh Oil 11/2

North #2

Allspice 1/2 Cascara Sagrada 1 Deer's Tongue 1/4 QB 11/2

Musk Root 1/2

Red Sandalwood 1/2

Musk Oil

North #3

Cinquefoil 1/2 Damiana 1/2 Dittany 1 QB 11/2 Patchouli 1/2 Red Clover 1/2 Wintergreen Oil

Pentacle #1

Frankincense 1/2 Willow 1/2 Patchouli 1/2 Sandalwood 1/2 Mistletoe 1/2 QB 11/2

Pentacle #2

St. Johnswort 1/2 Willow 1 Dittany 3/4 Marjoram ¹/₄
Mistletoe ¹/₄
Water 1 ¹/₂

Pentacle #3 (Loose only)

Dragon's Blood 1/2 Aloe 1/4 Mandrake 1/4 Benzoin ¹/₂
Mistletoe ¹/₄
Sandalwood 1

Pentacle #4

Rosemary 1/2
Oak Moss 1/2
Sage 1/2

Thyme ½ Mistletoe ½ OB 1½

Pentacle #5

Oak ¹/₂
Oak Moss ¹/₂
Yarrow ¹/₂

Lavender 1/2
Mistletoe 1/2
Water 11/2

Pentacle #6 (Loose only)

Frankincense 1/2 Willow 1 Patchouli 1/4

Benzoin 1/2 Mistletoe 1/2

Proverbs 7:17 (Loose only)

Myrrh 1/2 Aloes 1/2 Cinnamon 1/2 Sandalwood 11/2

Roman Catholic (Loose only)

Frankincense 2

Benzoin 1

Storax 1/2

Sandalwood 2

South #1 - Michiel* (Loose only)

Angelica 6

Frankincense 3/4

Myrrh 3/4

Copal 1/4

Mastic 1/4 Saffron 12

Frankincense Oil 11/2

South #2

Cedar 1

Cloves 1/2

Dragon's Blood 1/4

OB 11/2

St. Johnswort 3/4

Sunflower 3/4

Orange Oil

South #3

Basil 1/4

Bay 1/2

Frankincense 1/4

LF 11/2

Broom 1/4

Rosemary 1

Cascarilla 1/2

Spring

Primrose 1/4 Lilac Oil
Cherry 1 Rose Oil

Rose 1 Strawberry Oil Sandalwood ¹/₂ QB 1³/₄

Summer #1

St. Johnswort 1 Lavender 1½

Mistletoe ½ Water 1½

Summer #2*

Cedar 1 Sandalwood 1
Juniper 1/2 QB 11/2

Summer #3

Mugwort 1/2 Frankincense 1/2
Vervain 1/2 Mistletoe 1/4

St. Johnswort 1 Bay 1/4

QB 11/2

Summer #4

Rose 1/2 Orris 1/2 Oak Moss ¹/₂ Base ¹/₂

Rosemary 1/2

LF 11/2

Lemon Verbena Oil

Sun God* (Loose only)

Frankincense 1 Benzoin 1 Corriander 1/2 Olive Oil

Cinnamon 1

Thanks Offering for a Completed Project* (Loose only)

Frankincense 3/4

Thyme 1/8

Myrrh 3/4

Cinquefoil 11/2

Ginger 1/8 Vervain Oil

Rose (Pink) 3/4

Wedding – Bridal Bower (Loose only)

Frankincense 1/2 Linden 1/4
Rose 1 Myrtle 1/4
Sage 1/2 Broom 1/4
Rosemary 1/2 Benzoin 1/4
Lavender 1/2 Sandalwood 1/2

Jasmine Oil Rose Oil

Wedding

Rose 1 Yarrow 1/2
Marjoram 3/4 Myrtle 1/4

Linden 1/2 Sandalwood 3/4

Orange Oil Rose Oil
Bayberry Oil LF 1¹/₂

West - Gabriel* (Loose only)

Angelica 6 Mastic 1/4

Frankincense 3/4 Lemon Balm 12

Myrrh ³/₄ Storax ¹/₂

Copal 1/4 Ambergris Oil 11/2

West

Willow 1¹/₂
Oak Moss ¹/₂
Poppy ¹/₄

Camphor 1/4

Cucumber 1/4

Reed 1/4
Iasmine Oil

QB 1½

Winter #1

Lavender 11/4

Cloves 1/2 Cinnamon 1/2

Orris 1/4 OB 13/4 Benzoin 1/4
Patchouli 1/4

Mistletoe 1/4

Bergamot Oil

Winter #2

Mistletoe 1/2

Holly 1/4
Bay 1/2

Pine Oil

Pine 1

Oak 1/2

Cedar 1/2 Cedar Oil

QB 11/2

Winter #3* (Loose only)

Copal 1/2

Frankincense 1

Myrrh 1/2

Pine 2

Oak 1/2

PLANETARY INCENSE

Each planet is thought to control certain aspects of life. For centuries, magic and the planets have been virtually inseparable. During the Middle Ages, the study of the planets and their magical spheres of influence was considered a science. Since then, countless books and articles have been written about the planets and their powers.

It is not within the scope of this book to give a detailed account of the planets and their various magical applications. Here are just a few examples of the various kinds of incense that are appropriate for each planet. These recipes may be used either in conjunction with planetary workings or burned solely for their fragrances.

All measurements for these recipes are in teaspoons (or fractions thereof). If you want to increase or decrease a recipe, see Appendix 2 and 3 (on pages 245 and 249) for conversion tables. If you cannot remember the recipe for the bonding agents used (QB, LF, and FW) turn back to page 14.

Sun #1	
Bay 1	Orange 1
Angelica 1/2	Base 3/4
Mistletoe 1/4	Orange Oil
LF 1 ³ / ₄	_

Sun #2 (Loose only)

Frankincense ¹/₂ St. Johnswort 1 ¹/₄ Marigold ¹/₄ Sunflower 1/2 Orange 1/2 Bergamot Oil

Sun #3

Rosemary 1¹/₄ Acacia ³/₄ Camomile ³/₄ Base ³/₄ Lemon Oil LF 1¹/₄

Sun #4 (Loose only)

Frankincense 1/2
Safflower 1/2
Sunflower 1/2

Rosemary 1 St. Johnswort 1/2

Moon #1

Camphor 1/4 Willow 11/2 Reed 1

Water 13/4

Aloe 1/4 White Rose Oil or Iasmine Oil

Moon #2

Willow 1 Water lily 1/2 Reed 1/2 Jasmine 1/2 Cucumber 1/4 Jasmine Oil or Water 13/4 Lotus Oil

Mercury #1

Lavender 11/2 Bayberry 1/4 Star Anise 1 Bayberry Oil Grains of Paradise 1/2 OB 11/2

Mercury #2

Lavender 11/2 Marjoram 1/2 Cinnamon 3/4 Water 11/2

Mercury #3

Marjoram 11/2 Valerian 1/4 Cinnamon 3/4 Wintergreen Oil

Wintergreen 1/2 FW 11/2

Venus #1

Rose 11/2

Red Sandalwood 1

QB 11/2

Benzoin 1/2 Rose Oil

Venus #2

Deer's Tongue 3/4

Vetiver 11/4

Musk Root 1/2

Water 11/2

Patchouli 1/2

Ambergris Oil or

Musk Oil

Venus #3

Dittany 1¹/₄ Pennyroyal 1

QB 1¹/₄

Damiana 3/4

Peppermint Oil

Venus #4

Red Clover 1

Thyme 3/4

Sage 1/2

Yarrow 1/2

Civit Oil

OB 11/4

Venus #5

Red Sandalwood 11/4

Allspice 1/2 Orris 1/2

QB 11/2

Musk Root 1/4

Althea 1/4

Musk Oil

Mars #1

Dragon's Blood 1/2

Broom 1/2

Cranesbill 1/4

Sarsaparilla 1/2

Cascarilla 3/4 LF 11/2

Mars #2

Rue 1

Holly 1

QB 11/4

Tarragon 1/2 Ginger 1/4

Ginger 1

Mars #3

Dragon's Blood 1/2

Rue 1/4

Wormwood 1/2

Turmeric 1/4

Cascarilla 1

LF 11/4

Jupiter #1 (Loose only)

Oak 1½
Juniper ½
Cedar 1

Copal 1/4 Pine 11/2

Jupiter #2

Lemon Balm 1 Linden 1¹/₂ OB 1¹/₂ Meadowsweet 1/2 Lilac Oil

Jupiter #3

Balm of Gilead 1/4 Oak 1

Hyssop 1/2

Nutmeg 1/2

FW 11/4

Saturn #1

Ground Ivy 1 Cascara Sagrada ³/₄ Comfrey ¹/₄ LF 1 ¹/₂ Eucalyptus ¹/₄ Quassia ³/₄ Eucalyptus Oil

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Saturn #2

Scammony 11/4 Quassia 11/2

Jalap 1/4 Water 2

Saturn #3 (Loose only)

Hemlock 11/2

Pine 1

Yew 1/2

Parsley 1/4

KUN'S KITCHEN: GENERIC BLENDS

For those of you who don't have the time, space, need, or money to build up a large selection of herbs, you can make generic blends. These recipes contain ingredients which, for the most part, can be found in almost any spice rack or kitchen. The recipes are just as effective and pleasing as recipes with more exotic ingredients. Remember that the unit of measure for all these recipes is the teaspoon (or fraction thereof). If you wish to increase or decrease recipes, please see Appendices 2 and 3 on pages 245 and 249. If you can't remember how to make the bonding agent (QB, LF, or FW) please refer to page 14.

Animals		
Oregano 1	Tarragon 1/4	
Savory 1/2	Sandalwood 1	
Marjoram 1/4	QB 1 ¹ / ₂	

Compassion		
Allspice 1	Sandalwood 1	
Thyme 1	Water 13/4	

Confidence

Rosemary 3/4

Thyme 1/2

Fennel 1/4

Water 11/2

Garlic 1/4

Tarragon 1/4

Sandalwood 1/2

Confidence & Determination

Rosemary 1

Thyme 11/4

QB 11/4

Garlic 1/4 Allspice 1/4

Consecration #1

Frankincense 1/2

Rosemary 3/4

Bay 1/2

LF 11/2

Sage 1/2

Cinnamon 1/2

Sandalwood 1/2

Consecration #2

Frankincense 1/4

Sandalwood 3/4

Thyme 1/4 Lovage 1/4 Bay 1/2

Cinnamon 1/2

Star Anise 1/2

OB 11/2

Contact Other Planes

Frankincense ¹/₄ Star Anise ¹/₂
Parsley ¹/₄ Thyme ¹/₂
Sandalwood 1¹/₄ QB 1¹/₂

Determination

Allspice 1 Sandalwood 1
Dill 1/2 QB 11/2

Divination

Bay 1/2 Garlic 1/4
Frankincense 1/4 Sage 1/2
Cloves 1/2 Sandalwood 3/4

QB 11/2

Divination & Spirit Communication

QB 13/4

Divine Intervention

Bay 1 Sandalwood 1¹/₂

Frankincense 1/4 QB 11/2

Dreams & Sleep

East

Frankincense 1/4 Thyme 1/2
Star Anise 1/2 Nutmeg 1/4

Sandalwood 1½ Water 13/4

Star Anise 1/4 Sandalwood 1

Cinnamon 1/2 Thyme 1/4

Oregano 1/2 Water 11/2

End Negativity

Marjoram 1 Bay 1/4

Thyme 1 Allspice 1/4

Oregano 1/2 Base 1/4

Cloves 1/4 FW 11/2

End Nightmares

Star Anise 1/2

Nutmeg 1/2

QB 2

Dill 1/2

Sandalwood 11/2

Exorcism #1 (Loose only)

Basil 1/2

Bay 1/2

Frankincense 1/2

Garlic 1/4

Onion 1/4

Rosemary 1/2

Sandalwood 1/2

Exorcism #2

Frankincense 1/4

Cloves 1/2

Bay 1/2

Garlic 1/4

Sandalwood 1

QB 11/2

Fertility

Allspice 3/4

Fennel 1/2

QB 1¹/₂

Star Anise 3/4

Sandalwood 1

Fertility & Growth

Allspice 1/2
Star Anise 1/2
Mace 1/4

QB 11/2

Nutmeg 1/4
Basil 1/2

Thyme 1/2

Gain

Allspice ³/₄ Coriander ¹/₄

Fennel 1/4

Star Anise 3/4

Sandalwood ³/₄ OB 1¹/₂

Good Luck

Rosemary 1 Sandalwood 1 Water 13/4 Star Anise 1/2 Nutmeg 1/2

Good Luck

Star Anise 1/2 Rosemary 1/2

Bay 1/2

Frankincense 1/4
Sandalwood 1

QB 11/2

Good Luck & Success

Frankincense 1/4

Sandalwood 1

Cinnamon 1/2

Basil 1/4

Sage 1/4

Bay 1/4

Rosemary 1/4

FW 11/2

Happiness

Marjoram 3/4

Rosemary 3/4

LF 11/2

Oregano 3/4

Sandalwood 3/4

Herbal Garden

Lovage 1/2

Oregano 1 Rosemary 1/2

Sage 1/4

Thyme 1/4

Basil 1/4

Bay 1/4

QB 11/2

Jupiter

Nutmeg 1/2

Mace 1/4

Sandalwood 11/2

OB 11/4

Keep Secret

Sage ³/₄
Caraway ¹/₄
Dill ¹/₄

QB 11/2

Coriander 1/2 Tarragon 1/4 Sandalwood 1

Knowledge & Wisdom

Rosemary 3/4 Sage 3/4

Sage %
Cinnamon ½

Cloves 1/2 Bay 1/2

QB 1¹/₂

Love #1

Cloves 1/2 Cinnamon 1/2 Sage 1/4

Lovage 1/4

QB 11/2

Savory 1/4

Oregano 1/2 Bay 1/4

Allspice 1/4

Love #2

Rosemary 1/2 Fennel 1/2 Cinnamon 1/2

QB 13/4

Oregano 1/2 Cloves 1/2

Sandalwood 1/2

Magic

Cinnamon 1/2
Frankincense 1/4

Bay 1/2

Garlic 1/4

Sage 1/2

Thyme 1/2

Sandalwood 1/2

QB 11/2

Mars

Basil 1/2

Coriander 1/4

Onion 1/4

Tarragon 1/4

Sandalwood 1

QB 11/4

Material Objects

Basil 1/2

Cinnamon 3/4

QB 11/2

Sage 1

Sandalwood 3/4

Meditation #1

Parsley 1/2

Sage 1

LF 13/4

Rosemary 1

Thyme 1

Meditation #2

Frankincense 1/4 Nutmeg 1/2

Bay 1 Sandalwood 1/2

Cinnamon 1/2 LF 11/2

Meditation #3

Frankincense 1/4 Cinnamon 1/2

Sage 1/2 Sandalwood 1/2

Rosemary 1 QB 1¹/₂

Memory

Bay ¹/₂ Rosemary ³/₄
Caraway ¹/₄ Sandalwood ³/₄

Cloves 1/2 QB 11/2

Mercury

Star Anise 1/2 Sage 1/2

Cinnamon ½ Sandalwood 1

Water 11/2

Money #1

Basil 1 Cinnamon 1 Bay 1/2 FW 11/2

Lovage 1/4 Garlic 1/4 Nutmeg 1/4

Money #2

Star Anise 3/4

Thyme 1/2 Garlic 1/4

Bar 1/2

Cinnamon 1/2 QB 11/2

North

Allspice 3/4

Lovage 1/2

Dill 1/4

Sage 1/2

Sandalwood 3/4

QB 11/2

Peace & Tranquility #1

Basil 1/4

Thyme 1/2

Sage 1/2

Frankincense 1/4

Bay 1/2

Cinnamon 1/2

Sandalwood 1/2

LF 11/2

Peace & Tranquility #2

Oregano 1/2 Cinnamon 1/2

Bay 1/2 QB 13/4 Sage 1/2

Sandalwood 1

Frankincense 1/4

Prevent Theft

Caraway 1/2 Rosemary 11/2

QB 1½

Tarragon ¹/₄
Sandalwood ¹/₂

Protection #1

Frankincense 1/4

Sage 1/2

Star Anise 1/2

Tarragon 1/4
Sandalwood 1

QB 1¹/₄

Protection #2

Basil 1/4

Cinnamon 1/2

Lovage 1/4

QB 11/2

Rosemary 1/2

Thyme 1/2

Sandalwood 3/4

Protection #3

Bay 1/2 Oregano 3/4
Cloves 1/2 Sandalwood 3/4

Garlic 1/4 QB 11/2

Protection #4

Cloves 1/2 Rosemary 2 Sandalwood 1/2 FW 11/2

Psychic Protection

Frankincense 1/4 Oregano 1/2

Bay 1/2 Lovage 1/4
Cloves 1/2 Star Anise 1/4
Ginger 1/4 Sandalwood 1/2

Ginger 1/4 Sandalwood 1/ FW 11/2

Rest & Sleep

Dill ½ Sandalwood 1½

Nutmeg 3/4 QB 11/2

Saturn

Celery 1/4
Parsley 1/4

QB 1¹/₄

Dill 1/2

Sandalwood 1

South

Basil 1/4

Bay 1/2 Cloves 1/2

QB 11/2

Frankincense 1/4

Rosemary 3/4

Sandalwood 1/2

Stop Gossip

Cloves 1
Garlic 1/2

QB 11/2

Onion 1/4

Sandalwood 1

Success

Basil 1/4

Frankincense 1/4

Garlic 1/4

Bay 1/4

Sandalwood 11/2

QB 11/2



COMMON NAMES OF HERBS & PLANTS

The following list contains some of the common or popular names of herbs listed in the herbal section of this book.

Absinthe Wormwood	Argue TreeSassafras
Acoron Calamus	ArovousWillow
Adder's MouthChickweed	ArtemisiaMugwort
African Ju Ju Powder Galangal	Wormwood
AlabahacaBasil	Asarum Lavender
AlcannaHenna	AsphaltusBroom
All-HealMistletoe	BaarasMandrake
Valerian	BadianaStar Anise
Alraun Mandrake	BalmLemon Balm
Alum RootCranesbill	Balm Mint Balm of Gilead
AmantillaValerian	Bamba WoodBamboo
AmaracusMarjoram	Bamboo BriarSarsaparilla
Amber St. Johnswort	Banal Broom
Storax	Banda FruitMace
American AcaciaLocust	BardanaBurdock
American Dittany Basil	Basswood Linden
American Liquid	Bat TreeElder
AmberSweet Gum	Bealadh Broom
American Saffron Safflower	Bean HerbSavory
American SpikenardSpikenard	Bearberry
AnethumDill	Bearsweed Yerba Santa
Aniseed	Bee BalmBergamot
AntewMyrrh	Lemon Balm
Appleringie Southernwood	Begger's Buttons Burdock
ArchangelAngelica	Begger's CrocusSafflower
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BenjaminBenzoin	Carrageen Irish Moss
BesomBroom	CarrizoReed
Betony Wood Betony	Casper's FlowerWisteria
BirdlimeMistletoe	Catarrh RootGalangal
Bishopwort Wood Betony	CatmintCatnip
Bitter Aloes Aloes	Cat's Foot Life Everlasting
Bitter AshQuassia	Cat's PawGround Ivy
Bitter Mint Thyme	CedronLemon Verbena
Bitter WoodQuassia	Chafeweed Life Everlasting
Black Aphrodite Yohimbe	ChameliJasmine
Blessed HerbValerian	ChamomileCamomile
Bloodwort Yarrow	Checkerberry Wintergreen
Blue GumEucalyptus	Chewing JohnGalangal
Blue VervainVervain	Ch'iangGinger
Blume Dragon's Blood	China RootGalangal
BonesetComfrey	Chinese Anise Star Anise
BowlMyrrh	Chinese Apple Pomegranate
Boxberry Wintergreen	Chinese CinnamonCassia
BoxwoodDogwood	Chinese ParsleyCoriander
Bramble VineSarsaparilla	Chinese Peppermint
Brandy MintPeppermint	OilMenthol
Bridewort Meadowsweet	Chinwood Yew
British TobaccoColtsfoot	Chittem
Bruisewort Comfrey	Bark Cascara Sagrada
Buckthorn Cascara Sagrada	Chocolate Flower Cranesbill
Bull's BloodHorehound	ChondrusIrish Moss
ButterburColtsfoot	Christ's ThornHolly
Butter Rose Primrose	Church Steeples Agrimony
CalabachNutmeg	CilantroCoriander
Calendula Marigold	Cinnamon WoodSassafras
Cane Reed	Clear Eye Clary Sage
Canada Pitch TreeHemlock	CockleburrAgrimony
Candleberry Myrtle	Burdock
CankerwortDandelion	Compass Weed Rosemary
Cape Aloes Aloe	ConsolidaComfrey
Cape GumAcacia	Consumptive's
Capon's TailValerian	WeedYerba Santa
Cardamon Grains of Paradise	Convallaria .Lily of the Valley
Carpenter's Weed Yarrow	CopalmSweet Gum

CornelDogwood	Enchanter's PlantVervain
Corn RosePoppy	English Cowslip Primrose
Costus	Estragon Tarragon
Coughwort Coltsfoot	Evergreen Pine
Cow Cabbage Water Lily	Fairy BellsWood Sorrel
Creeping JennyBindweed	Fairy CupsPrimrose
CrowfootCranesbill	False Acacia Locust
Cuckoo's Bread Plantain	Fan PalmSaw Palmetto
CudweedLife Everlasting	FeathergrassReed
Curcuma Turmeric	Felon HerbMugwort
DaphneBay	Fenkel Fennel
Death FlowerYarrow	Ferula Asafoetida
Death Plant Parsley	Musk Root
Deerberry Wintergreen	Field BalmCatnip
Devil's DungAsafoetida	FieldhoveColtsfoot
Devil's EyeElder	Five-finger Fern Maidenhair
Devil's NettleYarrow	Five-finger GrassCinquefoil
DidinMyrrh	Fleaseed
DinkumEucalyptus	Florentine IrisOrris
Dittany of CreteDittany	Food of the Gods Asafoetida
Dog DaisyYarrow	Fox's Clote Burdock
DollofMeadowsweet	Friar's BalsamBenzoin
Donnhove Coltsfoot	GarcliveAgrimony
Dragon HerbTarragon	Garden Balm Lemon Balm
DrelipPrimrose	Garden Heliotrope Valerian
Dropberry Solomon's Seal	Garde-robeSouthernwood
Duck's FootMandrake	GaulteriaWintergreen
Dwarf Palmetto .Saw Palmetto	GearweYarrow
EglantineHoneysuckle	GenevrierJuniper
Egyptian Paradise	GenistaBroom
SeedGrains of Paradise	Gillrun Ground Ivy
Egyptian PrivetHenna	GladdonCalamus
Egyptian Thorn Acacia	Goat's Leaf Honeysuckle
ElderberryElder	Goat Weed St. Johnswort
Elf DockElecampane	Golden BoughMistletoe
Elf LeafLavender	GoldsMarigold
ElfwortElecampane	GortGround Ivy
EllhornElder	Gravel Root Meadowsweet
ElmSlippery Elm	Graveyard DustPatchouli

Greek Mint Dittany	Holy Herb
Greek Nuts Almond	Vervain, Yerba Santa
Green GingerWormwood	Holy Tree Holly
Green Incense Cedar	Honey Locust Locust
Green MintSpearmint	Honey PlantLemon Balm
Green PowderMusk	Horse HealElecampane
Green SpineSpearmint	Horse Hoof Coltsfoot
GrenadierPomegranate	HuOak
Ground AppleCamomile	Hulm
GuardrobeRosemary	Hypericum St. Johnswort
Guinea PepperGrains of	IncensierRosemary
Paradise	Indian ElmSlippery Elm
Gum Arabic Acacia	Indian RootSpikenard
Gum Bush Yerba Santa	Inn-SaiParsley
Gum PlantComfrey	Irish DaisyDandelion
Gum Thus Frankincense	Iris RootOrris
Gum TreeSweet Gum	IvyGround Ivy
HachahAcacia	Jacob's LadderLily of the
HadassimMyrtle	Valley
Han-Ch'in Celery	Jamaica PepperAllspice
HardockBurdock	Japanese Isinglass Agar Agar
Hart's Tongue Deer's Tongue	JatamansiMusk Root
Hart's Tree Melilot	Juno's TearsVervain
Haw Black Haw	Kamai Melon Camomile
Hay FlowersMelilot	KaramMyrrh
HeadachePoppy	KhezamaLavender
Hedgemaids Ground Ivy	Marjoram
Herb LouisaLemon Verbena	Khus KhusVetiver
Herb of Circe Mandrake	King's Clover Melilot
Herb of GraceRue	Klamathweed St. Johnswort
Vervain	KnitboneComfrey
Herb of KingsBasil	KueiJuniper
Herb of Repentence Rue	KummelCaraway
Herb PeterPrimrose	KyulOrange
Herb WalterWoodruff	Lad's LoveSouthernwood
High John	Lady's Seal Solomon's Seal
the ConquerorJalap	Lamb's MintPeppermint
Hollunder Elder	Spearmint

LammintPeppermint	Maythen Camomile
LaosGalangal	Meadow Queen .Meadowsweet
	Meadwort Meadowsweet
LappaBurdock	
LaurelBay	Mecca Balsam .Balm of Gilead
LavoseLovage	Medudi
Life of ManSpikenard	Meeting House Seed Dill
Lime TreeLinden	MelissaLemon Balm
LinkBroom	Mexican Damiana Damiana
Lion's EarMotherwort	Mexican Frankincense Copal
Lion's FootLady's Mantle	Mignonette
Lion's Tooth Dandelion	MilfoilYarrow
Liquid Amber Storax	Minari Celery
Little Dragon Tarragon	Molucca SpiceCloves
Loranthus Mistletoe	MonardaBergamot
Love FlowerRose	MorMyrrh
Love LeavesBurdock	Mortification Root Althea
Love PodsGrains of Paradise	Mosquito Plant Pennyroyal
Love RootOrris	Mountain BalmYerba Santa
Low JohnGalangal	Mountain Mint Bergamot
LubanFrankincense	Marjoram
Lucky HandSalep	Mountain TeaWintergreen
Macis Mace	Moxa Mugwort
Maiden's Ruin Southernwood	Muscatel Sage Clary Sage
Male Lily Lily of the Valley	Mu-YaoMyrrh
MalicorioPomegranate	NardLavender
MandragoraMandrake	Spikenard
Man-rootGinseng	NardusLavender
Manzanilla Camomile	Neroli Orange
MarchalanElecampane	NilaLilac
Marigold of Peru Sunflower	Nine HooksLady's mantle
Marrob	NipCatnip
Marrubium Horehound	Norway PineHemlock
MarshmallowAlthea	Oak ScaleOakmoss
Master of the Wood .Woodruff	Oil of Cade Juniper
MasterwortAngelica	Old ManSouthernwood
MawseedPoppy	Old Man's Pepper Yarrow
May AppleMandrake	Old Man's Root Spikenard
May Bells Lily of the Valley	Old Woman Wormwood
May LilyLily of the Valley	OlibanumFrankincense
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SedgeCalamus	Sweet WeedAlthea
Seed of HorusHorehound	Sweet WoodCassia
Senna	Cinnamon
SerahLemon Grass	Swine's Snout Dandelion
SetwellValerian	SynkefoyleCinquefoil
ShakadAlmond	Syrian BindweedScammony
Shoot of ParadiseAloe	SyringiaLilac
Slippery RootComfrey	TaeBamboo
Snakeweed Plantain	Tallow ShrubMyrtle
SocotrineDragon's Blood	Tanner's BarkOak
SourgrassWood Sorrel	Tartar RootGinseng
SpiceberryWintergreen	TarweedYerba Santa
SpicebushBenzoin	Teaberry Wintergreen
SpignetSpikenard	Thousand LeafYarrow
SpoonwoodLinden	Throw WortMotherwort
Squaw MintPennyroyal	TickweedPennyroyal
StacteMyrrh	TiliaLinden
StarwortChickweed	TinneHolly
StellariaLady's Mantle	ToreJasmine
Sterculia Karaya	TormentilCranesbill
SticklewortAgrimony	Tree of Doom Elder
Stinging NettleNettle	Tree of EnchantmentWillow
StorkbillCranesbill	Tree of LifeCedar
StracteStorax	Trefoil Red Clover
Stringy Bark Tree Eucalyptus	Trumpet Weed Meadowsweet
Styrax Storax	TtalgiStrawberry
SuanGarlic	TulsiBasil
Sumatra GumBenzoin	Tungnamu Wisteria
Sumbul Root Musk Root	TurnhoofGround Ivy
Summer's Bride Marigold	Vandal RootValerian
SunkfieldCinquefoil	Vanilla leafDeer's Tongue
SureauElder	Van VanVervain
Sweet BalmLemon Balm	Velvet DockElecampane
Sweet Balsam .Life Everlasting	Venus' HairMaidenhair
Sweet BarkCascarilla	Venus' TonicDamiana
Sweet Clover Melilot	VerbenaLemon Verbena
Sweet FlagCalamus	VerrucariaMarigold
Sweet LucerneMelilot	VetevertVetiver
Sweet SedgeCalamus	Victory Root Onion

Water Nymph Water Lily	Wild Sunflower Elecampane
WaxberryMyrtle	Wild VanillaDeer's Tongue
Weeping HemlockHemlock	WintersweetMarjoram
Weeping Willow Willow	Witch HerbMugwort
Wergulu Nettle	Witches' AsprinWillow
WeybroedPlantain	Witches' HerbBasil
White Balsam.Life Everlasting	WoodbineHoneysuckle
White CloverClover	Wood Musk Woodruff
White Man's Foot Plantain	Wood ShamrockWood Sorrel
White	Woundwort Yarrow
SandalwoodSandalwood	WycopyLinden
White SandersSandalwood	WymoteAlthea
Wild CloverRed Clover	Yallac Comfrey
Wild EndiveDandelion	Yellow
Wild GeraniumCranesbill	SandalwoodSandalwood
Wild JalapMandrake	Yu Slippery Elm
Scammony	YonWater Lily
Wild Marjoram Oregano	Zanzibar Drop.Dragon's Blood
Wild Strawberry Strawberry	ZedoaryTurmeric
Wild below bolly Wibelow bolly	200001,

Appendix 2

INCREASING INCENSE RECIPES

Number of times increased				
1	2	3	4	5
1/8 tsp.	1/4 tsp.	³ /8 tsp.	1/2 tsp.	⁵ /8 tsp.
1/4 tsp.	¹ / ₂ tsp.	³ / ₄ tsp.	l tsp.	11/4 tsp.
¹ / ₂ tsp.	l tsp.	1½ tsp.	2 tsp.	21/2 tsp.
3/4 tsp.	1½ tsp.	21/4 tsp.	1 Tbsp.	3 ³ /4 tsp.
1 tsp.	2 tsp.	1 Tbsp.	4 tsp.	5 tsp.
11/4 tsp.	21/2 tsp.	33/4 tsp.	5 tsp.	6 ¹ /4 tsp.
1½ tsp.	1 Tbsp.	41/2 tsp.	2 Tbsp.	7 ¹ /2 tsp.
13/4 tsp.	31/2 tsp.	51/4 tsp.	7 tsp.	8 ³ /4 tsp.
2 tsp.	4 tsp.	2 Tbsp.	8 tsp.	10 tsp.
21/4 tsp.	41/2 tsp.	6 ³ / ₄ tsp.	3 Tbsp.	11 ¹ /4 tsp.
21/2 tsp.	5 tsp.	71/2 tsp.	10 tsp.	12 ¹ / ₂ tsp.
23/4 tsp.	51/2 tsp.	81/4 tsp.	11 tsp.	13 ³ / ₄ tsp.
1 Tbsp.	2 Tbsp.	3 Tbsp.	1/4 Cup	5 Tbsp.

INCREASING INCENSE RECIPES

Number of times increased				
6	8	10	12	
³ /4 tsp.	1 tsp.	11/4 tsp.	1½ tsp.	
1½ tsp.	2 tsp.	21/2 tsp.	1 Tbsp.	
1 Tbsp.	4 tsp.	5 tsp.	2 Tbsp.	
4 ¹ / ₂ tsp.	2 Tbsp.	71/2 tsp.	3 Tbsp.	
2 Tbsp.	8 tsp.	10 tsp.	1/4 Cup	
7 ¹ / ₂ tsp.	10 tsp.	12½ tsp.	5 Tbsp.	
3 Tbsp.	1/4 Cup	5 Tbsp.	6 Tbsp.	
10 ¹ /2 tsp.	14 tsp.	17½ tsp.	7 Tbsp.	
1/4 Cup	16 tsp.	20 tsp.	¹/2 Cup	
13 ¹ / ₂ tsp.	6 Tbsp.	22 ¹ / ₂ tsp.	9 Tbsp.	
5 Tbsp.	20 tsp.	25 tsp.	10 Tbsp.	
16 ¹ / ₂ tsp.	22 tsp.	27 ¹ /2 tsp.	11 Tbsp.	
6 Tbsp.	1/2 Cup	10 Tbsp.	3/4 Cup	

Appendix 3

DECREASING INCENSE RECIPES

	Fraction	of Recipe	
1	3/4	2/3	1/2
4 Cups	3 Cups	22/3 Cup	2 Cups
3 Cups	21/2 Cups	2 Cups	1½ Cups
21/2 Cups	30 Tbsp.	26 Tbsp.+2 tsp.	1 ¹ / ₄ Cups
2 Cups	1 ¹ / ₂ Cups	11/3 Cup	1 Cup
13/4 Cup	21 Tbsp.	1 Cup + 8 tsp.	14 Tbsp.
1 ¹ / ₂ Cups	18 Tbsp.	1 Cup	3/4 Cup
1 ¹ / ₄ Cups	15 Tbsp.	³ / ₄ Cup + 4 tsp.	10 Tbsp.
1 Cup	3/4 Cup	2/3 Cup	1/2 Cup
3/4 Cup	9 Tbsp.	1/2 Cup	6 Tbsp.
1/2 Cup	6 Tbsp.	16 tsp.	1/4 Cup
1/4 Cup	3 Tbsp.	8 tsp.	2 Tbsp.
3 Tbsp.	6 ³ / ₄ tsp.	6 tsp.	41/2 tsp.
2 Tbsp.	41/2 tsp.	4 tsp.	1 Tbsp.
1 Tbsp.	21/4 tsp.	2 tsp.	1½ tsp.

DECREASING INCENSE RECIPES

	Fraction	of Recipe	
1/3	1/4	1/6	1/12
1 ¹ /з Сир	1 Cup	²/з Cups	¹/3 Cup
1 Cup	3/4 Cup	1/2 Cup	1/4 Cup
13 Tbsp. + 1 tsp.	10 Tbsp.	6 Tbsp. + 1 tsp.	10 tsp.
²/3 Cup	1/2 Cup	1/3 Cup	8 tsp.
¹ / ₂ Cup + 4 tsp.	7 Tbsp.	14 tsp.	7 tsp.
1/2 Cup	6 Tbsp.	1/4 Cup	2 Tbsp.
¹ / ₄ Cup + 8 tsp.	5 Tbsp.	10 tsp.	5 tsp.
1/3 Cup	1/4 Cup	8 tsp.	4 tsp.
1/4 Cup	3 Tbsp.	2 Tbsp.	1 Tbsp.
8 tsp.	2 Tbsp.	4 tsp.	2 tsp.
4 tsp.	1 Tbsp.	2 tsp.	1 tsp.
1 Tbsp.	21/4 tsp.	1½ tsp.	3/4 tsp.
2 tsp.	1½ tsp.	1 tsp.	1/2 tsp.

Appendix 4

PLANETARY CORRESPONDENCE

Sun				
Acacia	Frankincense	Myrrh		
Angelica	Lemon	Orange		
Bay	Lemon Grass	Rosemary		
Bergamot	Locust	Safflower		
Camomile	Marigold	St. Johnswort		
Cloves Dandelion	Mistletoe	Sunflower		

Moon				
Agar Agar	Cucumber	Рорру		
Bamboo	Hibiscus	Reed		
Camphor	Irish Moss	Water Lily		
Chickweed	Jasmine	Willow		
Coconut	Oakmoss			

Clary Sage

Mercury

Anise Crabgrass Sandalwood Bavberry Dill Southernwood Elecampane Black Haw Star Anise Caraway Fennel Storax Lavender Sweet Gum Cassia Tragacanth Cinnamon Mace Cinquefoil Mandrake Valerian

Venus

Wintergreen

Patchouli Allspice Henna Almond Ladv's Mantle Pennyroval Peppermint Althea Lemon **Ambergris** Verbena Pomegranate Benzoin Life Primrose Blueberry Everlasting Red Clover Burdock Red

Burdock Lily of the Red
Calamus Valley Sandalwood

Sage

Catnip Lovage Rose
Cherry Maidenhair Salep
Civit Marjoram Savory

Clover Melilot Saw Palmetto
Coltsfoot Motherwort Spearmint

Damiana Mugwort Strawberry
Deer's Tongue Musk Thyme

Dittany Musk Root Vervain
Dogwood Myrtle Vetiver
Elder Orchid Violet
Grains of Oregano Wisteria

Paradise Orris Yohimbe

Mars

Basil C
Broom C
Cascarilla I
Coriander I
Cranesbill I
Dragon's Blood I
Galangal

Garlic Onion
Ginger Pepperweed
Holly Sarsaparilla
Honeysuckle Tarragon
Menthol Turmeric
Mustard Woodruff
Nettle Wormwood

Jupiter

Agrimony
Balm of Gilead
Cedar
Copal
Hyssop

Juniper Lemon Balm Lilac Linden Meadowsweet

Nutmeg
Oak
Plantain
Psyllium
Wood Betony

Saturn

Asafoetida
Bindweed
Cascara
Sagrada
Celery
Comfrey
Eucalyptus
Ginseng
Gotu Kola

Ground Ivy Hemlock Horehound Jalap Parsley Pine Quassia Rue

Sassafras

Scammony
Slippery Elm
Solomon's Seal
Spikenard
Spruce
Uva Ursi
Yarrow
Yerba Santa
Yew

Appendix 5

ELEMENTAL CORRESPONDENCES

Air

Almond
Anise
Benzoin
Black Haw
Caraway
Cassia
Catnip
Cherry
Cinnamon
Dogwood
Elder
Fennel
Henna

Lavender
Lemon
Verbena
Life
Everlasting
Lily of the
Valley
Mace
Marjoram
Mugwort
Orchid
Oregano

Pennyroyal
Peppermint
Primrose
Rose
Sandalwood
Savory
Spearmint
Star Anise
Thyme
Tragacanth
Violet
Wisteria

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Acacia Galangal Agrimony Garlic Angelica Ginger Balm of Holly Gilead Honeysuckle Basil Bay Bergamot Broom Camomile Cascarilla Cedar Cloves Copal Coriander Craneshill Dandelion Dragon's Blood

Hyssop Juniper Lemon Lemon Balm Lemon Grass Lilac Linden Locust Marigold Meadowsweet Menthol Mistletoe Mustard Myrrh

Nettle Nutmeg Oak Onion Orange Pepperweed Plantain **Psyllium** Rose Geranium Rosemary Safflower St. Iohnswort Sarsaparilla Sunflower Tarragon Turmeric Wood Betony Woodruff Wormwood

Water

Frankincense

Earth

Allspice Althea **Ambergris** Asafoetida Bayberry Bindweed Blueberry Burdock Calamus Cascara Sagrada Celery Cinquefoil Civit Clary Sage Clover Coltsfoot Comfrey Crabgrass Damiana Deer's Tongue Dill Dittany Elecampane Eucalyptus

Gingseng

Gotu Kola Grains of Paradise Ground Ivy Hemlock Horehound Jalap Lady's Mantle Lovage Maidenhair Mandrake Melilot Motherwort Musk Musk Root **Myrtle** Orris **Parsley** Patchouli Pine Pomegranate Quassia Red Clover Red Sandalwood

Rue Sage Salep Sassafras Saw Palmetto Scammony Slippery Elm Solomon's Seal Southernwood Spikenard Spruce Storax Strawberry Sweet Gum Uva Ursi Valerian Vervain Vetiver Wintergreen Wood Sorrel Yarrow Yerba Santa Yew

Yohimbe

Appendix 6

MAGICAL USES OF HERBS

Animals

Protection of and from animals; calming and soothing of frightened or distraught animals; training or domesticating; attracting a familiar; creating a bond of love and trust, healing sick or injured animals.

Ambergris	Juniper	Reed
Burdock	Lady's Mantle	Rose
Catnip	Life	Geranium
Chickweed	Everlasting	St. Johnswort
Civit	Mandrake	Savory
Clover	Marjoram	Southernwood
Coltsfoot	Melilot	Spearmint
Cranesbill	Mistletoe	Spikenard
Dandelion	Motherwort	Tarragon
Deer's Tongue	Musk	Uva Ursi
Dogwood	Musk Root	Valerian
Dragon's	Oregano	Water Lily
Blood	Peppermint	Wintergreen
Elecampane	Pine	Wormwood
Ground Ivy	Plantain	Yarrow
Honeysuckle	Primrose	Yerba Santa
Horehound	Red Clover	

Aphrodisiac

Increase sexual drive and desire; enhance sensuality; overcome frigidity.

Almond	Gotu Kola	Pepperweed
Ambergris	Grains of	Rose
Anise	Paradise	Rose
Basil	Jasmine	Geranium
Bay	Juniper	Rosemary
Bergamot	Lavender	Sage
Calamus	Lovage	Salep
Caraway	Maidenhair	Sarsaparilla
Cassia	Mandrake	Savory
Celery	Mugwort	Saw Palmetto
Cinnamon	Musk	Southernwood
Civit	Musk Root	Spearmint
Cloves	Mustard	Star Anise
Coriander	Myrtle	Tarragon
Cranesbill	Nettle	Turmeric
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Cucumber	Nutmeg	Valerian
Damiana	Onion	Vervain
Garlic	Orchid	Violet
Ginger	Parsley	Wormwood
Ginseng	Peppermint	Yohimbe

Beauty

Enhance natural and inner beauty; perceive beauty in all things.

Bay	Chickweed	Henna
Camomile	Coconut	Lady's Mantle
Celery	Elecampane	Lemon

(Beauty cont.)

Linden Orchid Strawberry
Maidenhair Rose Violet

Orange Salep Water Lily

Brighten Disposition and Happiness

Attracts joy and well-being; causes enjoyment and contentment; dispells sadness, bad moods, and irritability.

Lily of the Myrtle Basil Valley Dittany Orange Grains of Marigold Oregano Paradise Marjoram **Parsley Jasmine** Melilot Peppermint Lemon Balm **Motherwort** Rosemary

Myrrh

Lemon Verbena

Clairvoyance and Divination

Spearmint

Attracts, enhances, and removes obstacles for better results; clarifies messages and signs.

Anise	Clary Sage	Hibiscus
Althea	Cloves	Holly
Basil	Coriander	Honeysuckle
Bay	Dittany	Lavender
Cassia	Elder	Lemon Grass
Cedar	Frankincense	Lilac
Cinnamon	Garlic	Marigold
Cinquefoil	Ground Ivy	Mugwort

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(Clairvoyance and Divination cont.)

Nutmeg Reed Strawberry Oak Moss Sunflower Rose Safflower Thyme Onion Parsley Sage Willow Patchouli Sandalwood Wormwood Pine Southernwood Yarrow Star Anise Poppy Yew

Commanding

Enhances leadership abilities; aids in obtaining position of leadership or responsibility; strengthens will.

Ambergris	Melilot	Safflower
Basil	Menthol	St. Johnswort
Calamus	Musk	Slippery Elm
Catnip	Musk Root	Spikenard
Civit	Mustard	Storax
Elder	Oak	Sunflower
Fennel	Onion	Tarragon
Galangel	Orris	Turmeric
Garlic	Patchouli	Vetiver
Jalap	Pepperweed	Woodruff
Marigold	Poppy	Yohimbe

Compassion

Softens emotions; attracts aid and understanding; brings inner feelings to surface.

Allspice	Broom	Elder
Almond	Burdock	Lady's Mantle

(Compassion cont.)

Lemon Balm Poppy Sassafras

Motherwort Primrose Thyme

Myrrh Quassia Willow

Myrtle Rose Yew

Pine Rue

Confidence and Courage

Gives confidence; strengthens resolve; increases one's ability to cope with problems.

Cranesbill Mustard St. Johnswort
Fennel Oak Tarragon
Garlic Rose Thyme
Musk Geranium Turmeric

Musk Root Rosemary

Consecration

Purifies; psychic and spiritual cleansing; removes negative influences.

Anise Cassia Elder Asafoetida Cedar Eucalyptus Basil Cinnamon Frankincense Clary Sage Galangal Bay Copal Garlic Broom Burdock Cranesbill Holly Dragon's Hyssop Cascara Blood Jalap Sagrada

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(Consecration cont.)

Lavender Rose Star Anise Lovage Rose Geranium Storax Mistletoe Rosemary Thyme Mugwort Rue Valerian Musk Sage Vervain Sandalwood Musk Root Willow

Myrrh Scammony Wood Betony
Onion Solomon's Seal Woodruff
Peppermint Spearmint Yarrow

Pine

Contact Other Planes

Aids in all occult matters; enhances contact; helps recall past lives; receives messages from the dead.

Acacia	Galangal	Rose
Althea	Hibiscus	Sandalwood
Angelica	Holly	Southernwood
Anise	Hyssop	Star Anise
Black Haw	Lemon	Storax
Cascara	Lemon Grass	Thyme
Sagrada	Linden	Violet
Copal	Locust	Wintergreen
Damiana	Mistletoe	Wisteria
Dittany	Oak Moss	Wormwood
Elder	Parsley	Yarrow

Patchouli

Frankincense

Determination

Increases will-power; enhances tenacity and perseverance; increases and strengthens determination.

Allspice Dill Psyllium

Althea Hibiscus Southernwood

Camomile Honeysuckle Willow Crabgrass Plantain Wormwood

Dreams and Sleep

Prevents nightmares or negative dreams; attracts pleasant or insightful dreams; calms and relaxes; provides protection during sleep.

Camomile Linden Peppermint
Catnip Marigold Primrose
Dill Motherwort Poppy
Jasmine Mugwort Spearmint
Lemon Nutmeg Sunflower

Verbena

Exorcism and Spell Breaking

Removes unwanted or malignant influences; casts out evil or negativity from a person, place, or thing; removes curses or spells; sends spells back to the sender.

Angelica Bay Burdock Asafoetida Benzoin Cascara Basil Broom Sagrada

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(Exorcism and Spell Breaking cont.)

Cinquefoil Myrrh Slippery Elm Cloves Solomon's Seal Nettle Comfrey Oak Moss Southernwood Copal Onion Storax Cranesbill Sweet Gum Orris Frankincense Patchouli Tumeric Galangal Pepperweed Valerian Garlic Willow Rose Lemon Geranium Wormwood Safflower Verbena Yarrow

St. Johnswort

Yerba Santa

Mustard Salep

Menthol

Fertility

Increases fertility of body, mind and spirit; causes the propagation of ideas or plans; increases productiveness and accomplishment.

Allspice	Grains of	Oak
Almond	Paradise	Orange
Anise	Hemlock	Pine
Basil	Jasmine	Plantain
Blueberry	Juniper	Pomegranate
Caraway	Кагауа	Poppy
Celery	Mace	Psyllium
Cherry	Mandrake	Saw Palmetto
Coconut	Mistletoe	Spruce
Coriander	Motherwort	Star Anise
Cucumber	Mustard	Strawberry
Dill	Myrtle	Sunflower
Fennel	Nutmeg	Yarrow

Fidelity

Ensures good faith and loyalty; enhances integrity; insures performance of obligations or vows.

Basil	Ground Ivy	Psyllium
Caraway	Honeysuckle	Red
Dogwood	Horehound	Sandalwood
Dragon's	Lemon Grass	Rosemary
Blood	Plantain	Violet

Gain

Helps reach goals; aids in mental or spiritual growth; helps development of plans; insures prosperity and growth of material possessions.

Acacia	Coriander	Mistletoe
Agrimony	Cucumber	Mustard
Allspice	Dill	Nutmeg
Aloe	Fennel	Plantain
Angelica	Ginseng	Pomegranate
Anise	Gotu Kola	Poppy
Bamboo	Grains of	Psyllium
Blueberry	Paradise	Saw Palmetto
Caraway	Henna	Star Anise
Cedar	Juniper	Strawberry
Cherry	Karaya	Sunflower
Coconut	Mace	

Gentleness

Causes calmness and serenity; promotes a peaceful nature; stimulates moderation; blunts temper.

Camomile	Lily of the	Sassafras
Henna	Valley	Slippery Elm
Lady's Mantle	Maidenhair	Violet
Lavender	Meadowsweet	Willow
Lemon Balm	Motherwort	Wisteria
Lilac		

Good Luck

Causes gain or increase; attracts good fortune and prosperity; ends bad luck.

Anise	Honeysuckle	Rose
Agrimony	Irish Moss	Rosemary
Bay	Jalap	Rue
Bayberry	Lavender	St. Johnswort
Bindweed	Linden	Salep
Camomile	Mace	Sandalwood
Cascara	Marigold	Scammony
Sagrada	Meadowsweet	Spearmint
Cassia	Melilot	Solomon's Seal
Cinnamon	Mistletoe	Star Anise
Clover	Musk	Sunflower
Dandelion	Musk Root	Vetiver
Dragon's Blood	Myrrh	Violet
Frankincense	Nutmeg	Wintergreen
Galangal	Orange	Wood Sorrel
Grains of	Peppermint	Yarrow
Paradise	Red Clover	

Harmony

Promotes co-operation and accord; brings mutual agreement and understanding.

Cinnamon	Meadowsweet
Clary Sage	Motherwort
Hibiscus	Oregano
Lavender	Pennyroyal
Lemon	Poppy
Verbena	Primrose
Lilac	Rose
Locust	Sage
Maidenhair	Valerian
Marjoram	Violet
	Clary Sage Hibiscus Lavender Lemon Verbena Lilac Locust Maidenhair

Honesty

Promotes and protects honesty; reinforces trust and truthfulness; insures loyalty; protects from temptation.

Basil	Ground Ivy	Psyllium
Caraway	Honeysuckle	Red
Dogwood	Horehound	Sandalwood
Dragon's	Lemon Grass	Rosemary
Blood	Plantain	Violet

Increase the Power of Spells

Acacia Frankincense
Ambergris Galangal
Cassia Lemon
Cinnamon Lemon
Cinquefoil Verbena

Cinquefoil Verbena
Civit Locust
Copal Menthol
Damiana Musk

Dragon's Blood

Musk Root Patchouli

St. Johnswort

Storax Sweet Gum Vetiver Yarrow Yohimbe

Keep Secret

Protect ideas and information; conceal knowledge; make information incomprehensible or seem unimportant to others.

Agrimony Ground Ivy
Caraway Honeysuckle
Clary Sage Horehound
Coriander Juniper
Crabgrass Lavender

Dill Life
Dogwood Everlasting

Pomegranate

Rose Sage

Oak

Sarsaparilla Tarragon

Knowledge and Wisdom

Stimulates creativity and imagination; brings comprehension; increases perception and understanding; causes clear thinking; improves good judgment, intelligence, and common sense.

Angelica

Balm of Gilead

Bay

(Knowledge and Wisdom cont.)

Benzoin Clary Sage Solomon's Seal

Cassia Honeysuckle Vervain
Cinnamon Rosemary Wisteria

Cinquefoil Sage

Longevity

Increases life span of ideas, projects, groups, etc.; aids in perpetuation, endurance and continuation.

Cedar Life Rose Fennel Everlasting Rosemary

Garlic Mugwort Rue Ginseng Myrtle Sage

Gotu Kola Oak Yarrow

Lemon Balm Primrose

Basil

Love

Attracts those of like mind; strengthens love and affection; causes attachments and bonds to grow.

Allspice	Bay	Catnip
Almond	Benzoin	Celery
Ambergris	Bergamot	Cherry
Angelica	Bindweed	Cinnamon
Anise	Burdock	Cinquefoil
Balm of	Calamus	Civit
Gilead	Caraway	Clary Sage

Cassia

Cloves

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(Love cont.)

Coriander Mace Rose

Cranesbill Maidenhair Rose Geranium

Cucumber Mandrake Rosemary
Damiana Marigold Rue

Deer's Tongue Marjoram Sage
Dill Meadowsweet Savory

Dragon's Mistletoe Saw Palmetto
Blood Motherwort Scammony
Elder Musk Southernwood
Elecampane Musk Root Spearmint

Spikenard Mustard Fennel Galangal Mvrtle Star Anise Ginger Nutmeg Strawberry Sunflower Ginseng Orange Grains of Orchid Tarragon Paradise **Thyme** Oregano

Honevsuckle Orris Valerian Jalap Patchouli Vetiver Pennyroyal **Tasmine** Vervain Juniper **Peppermint** Violet Lavender Plantain Willow Lemon Balm Wisteria Poppy

Lemon Balm Poppy Wisteria

Lemon Primrose Wood Sorrel

Verbena Psyllium Wormwood

Lilac Quassia Yarrow

Lilac Quassia Yarrow Linden Red Yohimbe

Lovage Sandalwood

Magic

Helps all occult matters; aids in clairvoyance and divination; increases power of herbs; influences worldly events.

Angelica Broom Clover
Bay Cinquefoil Dandelion

(Magic cont.)

Dragon's Blood Mugwort Salep

Elder Nettle Slippery Elm
Elecampane Oak Southernwoo

Elecampane Southernwood Oak Moss Frankincense Storax Thyme Galangal Onion Patchouli Garlic Turmeric Holly Pine Valerian Lavender Primrose Vervain Red Clover Lemon Willow Verbena Rose Woodruff

VerbenaRoseWoodruffMandrakeRueWood SorrelMistletoeSafflowerWormwood

Yarrow

Myrrh St. Johnswort
Myrtle

Material Objects

Helps to obtain, protect, attract, and increase possessions.

Clary Sage Agrimony Orange Almond Crabgrass Peppermint Basil Honevsuckle Pomegranate Bayberry Hyssop Poppy Bergamot Jalap Sage Bindweed **Iasmine** Scammony Mandrake Solomon's Seal Camomile Spearmint Cassia

Cassia Marigold Spearmint
Cedar Myrrh Sunflower
Cinnamon Myrtle Vervain

Cinquefoil Oak

Meditation

Keeps out interference; increases concentration.

Acacia Camomile

Cassia Cinnamon

Clary Sage

Copal

Dittany

Frankincense **Tasmine**

Locust

Nutmeg

Parsley

Rosemary Sage

Sandalwood

Thyme

Memory

Increases and strengthens memory; aids in recall.

Bay Benzoin

Life

Caraway Cloves Honeysuckle

Everlasting Lilac

Marigold

Lavender

Rose Rosemary

Patchouli

Yew

Modesty

Frees from excesses; promotes humility and reserve; protects purity and virtue; moderation.

Broom

Lilac

Maidenhair

Camomile Lady's Mantle Lily of the Valley

Reed Violet

Money and Wealth

Attracts and protects from loss; removal of debt; increase of resources, property, and material objects.

Acacia	Comfrey	. Myrtle
Agrimony	Dragon's Blood	Nutmeg
Almond	Galangal	Orange
Anise	Garlic	Peppermint
Basil	Ginseng	Red Clover
Bay	Honeysuckle	Scammony
Bayberry	Hyssop	Salep
Bindweed	Irish Moss	Solomon's Seal
Camomile	Jalap	Spearmint
Cascara	Lavender	Spikenard
Sagrada	Locust	Star Anise
Cassia	Lovage	Sunflower
Cinnamon	Mandrake	Thyme
Cinquefoil	Marigold	Wintergreen
Clover	Meadowsweet	· ·

Overcome Opposition

Removes obstacles to goal; helps to prevail; insures winning; surmounts difficulties.

Asafoetida	Jalap	Southernwood
Bay	Melilot	Valerian
Clover	Oak	Woodruff
Cloves	Onion	Wood Sorrel
Crabgrass	Red Clover	Wormwood
Garlic	St. Johnswort	

Passion

Physical love; causes desire and lust; increases emotion; stimulates enthusiasm.

Ambegris	Cranesbill	Rose
Basil	Ginger	Geranium
Broom	Jasmine	Savory
Caraway	Musk	Saw Palmetto
Cassia	Musk Root	Tarragon
Cinnamon	Mustard	Turmeric
Civit	Pepperweed	Yohimbe

Peace and Tranquility

Brings accord and agreement; aids in reconciliation; causes tranquility, serenity, and peace of mind; freedom from disturbance or interruption.

Acacia	Cinnamon	Marjoram
Althea	Clary Sage	Meadowsweet
Basil	Dill	Motherwort
Bay	Hibiscus	Oregano
Bayberry	Lavender	Pennyroyal
Benzoin	Lemon	Poppy
Calamus	Verbena	Primrose
Camomile	Lilac	Rose
Cascarilla	Linden	Sage
Cassia	Locust	Valerian
Catnip	Maidenhair	Violet

Prevent Theft

Guards objects; makes things hard to locate or steal.

Caraway Dogwood Ground Ivy Honeysuckle

Horehound Juniper Mugwort

Rosemary Tarragon Willow

Protection

Insures emotional and physical well-being; preserves from loss, injury, or annoyance; guards against evil or negativeness; attracts good luck.

Carlic Acacia. Cassia Agrimony Cinnamon Ground Ivv Angelica Cinquefoil Hemlock Anise Clary Sage Holly Asafoetida Clover Horehound Balm of Cloves Hyssop Gilead Comfrey Irish Moss Basil Copal Jalap Cranesbill Juniper Bay Benzoin Dill Lavender Bergamot Dogwood Lemon Dragon's Bindweed Verbena Broom Blood Lily of the Burdock Elder Vallev Caraway Eucalyptus Locust Сассата Fennel Lovage Sagrada Frankincense Mace

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(Protection cont.)

Acacia

Mandrake Primrose Spruce Star Anise Marigold Quassia Marjoram Red Clover Storax Mistletoe Sunflower Red Mugwort Sandalwood Sweet Gum Tarragon Mustard Rose Myrrh Geranium Thyme Nettle Rosemary Uva Ursi Vervain Nutmeg Rue Oak Vetiver Sage St. Johnswort Onion Wisteria Wood Betony Oregano Sandalwood Sarsaparilla Woodruff Orris Patchouli Scammony Wormwood Pennyroyal Slippery Elm Yarrow Solomon's Seal Yerba Santa Peppermint Pine Spearmint Yew

Psychic Development and Growth

Psychic development and growth is aided, protected, increased, and speeded towards fulfillment.

Hibicone

Clary Saga

Acacia	Clary Sage	Hibiscus
Althea	Cloves	Honeysuckle
Anise	Cucumber	Hyssop
Basil	Damiana	Lavender
Bay	Dandelion	Lemon Balm
Camphor	Dittany	Lemon Grass
Cassia	Frankincense	Lilac
Celery	Ginger	Mandrake
Cinnamon	Gotu Kola	Marigold

(Psychic Development and Growth cont.)

Marjoram	Rosemary	Spearmint
Menthol	Rue	Star Anise
Mugwort	Safflower	Sunflower
Nutmeg	Sage	Thyme
Oregano	Sandalwood	Wisteria
Parsley	Solomon's Seal	Wormwood
Peppermint	Southernwood	Yerba Santa

Psychic Protection

Prevents harm from evil or negative forces; safeguards against outside influences.

Agrimony	Galangal	Rose
Angelica	Ginger	Geranium
Anise	Hemlock	Rue
Asafoetida	Hyssop	Sage
Basil	Lemon	St. Johnswort
Bay	Verbena	Salep
Benzoin	Lilac	Solomon's Seal
Broom	Lovage	Spikenard
Cinquefoil	Marjoram	Spruce
Clover	Melilot	Star Anise
Cloves	Mistletoe	Storax
Cranesbill	Mugwort	Valerian
Dill	Myrrh	Vetive r
Dragon's	Nettle	Wood Betony
Blood	Oregano	Woodruff
Elder	Patchouli	Wood Sorrel
Fennel	Pine	Wormwood
Frankincense	Red Clover	Yarrow

Release and Endings

Sets free from restraint, restrictions, and unwanted events or situations; removes pain, trouble, worry, and grief; successful completion of a goal; release from unwanted involvements.

Asafoetida	Menthol	Slippery Elm
Bay	Myrrh	Spearmint
Camphor	Pennyroyal	Water Lily
Comfrey	Peppermint	Willow
Lemon Balm	Quassia	Woodruff
Melilot	Rosemary	Yarrow

Renewal

Causes healing and regeneration; health and vitality; return or increase of strength; restore, rebuild, or revive ideas, plans, things, etc.

Ground Ivy	Peppermint
Hemlock	Pomegranate
Henna	Primrose
Holly	Spearmint
Marigold	Water Lily
Mistletoe	Woodruff
	Hemlock Henna Holly Marigold

Retention

Prevents loss; keeps secure; to retain what is rightfully yours.

Agrimony	Coriander	Dogwood
Caraway	Crabgrass	Ground Ivy
Clary Sage	Dill	Honeysuckle

(Retention cont.)

Horehound Life Rose Everlasting Juniper Sage

Lavender Sarsaparilla Oak Pomegranate Tarragon

Sensuality

Increases passion, sex appeal, and pleasure; causes attraction, lust, and physical love.

Rose **Ambergris** Ginger

Rasil **Iasmine** Geranium

Mandrake Bergamot Savory

Saw Palmetto Caraway Musk Cascarilla Musk Root Tarragon Civit Mustard Tumeric Cranesbill Patchouli

Yohimbe

Red Clover

Damiana Pepperweed

Stop Gossip

Protects reputation; stops idle speculation; guards against slander; negates negative statements and remarks.

Chickweed Garlic **Psyllium**

Onion Cloves Orris Rose

Cranesbill Plantain Geranium Slippery Elm Deer's Primrose

Tongue

Clover

Strength

Increases legal, moral, or intellectual power; gives strength, stamina, and vitality; protects strength; enhances physical well-being.

Aloe	Ginseng	Oak
Balm of	Hemlock	Pine
Gilead	Honeysuckle	Red Clover
Basil	Juniper	Rosemary
Bergamot	Lemon	St. Johnswort
Camomile	Lemon Grass	Spruce
Cedar	Melilot	Storax
Clover	Mugwort	Tarragon
Dragon's	Musk	Turmeric
Blood	Musk Root	Uva Ursi
Fennel	Mustard	Yerba Santa
Garlic		

Success

Favorable outcome to project, event, or situation; luck; prosperity; attainment; reach a goal, causes gain, wealth, victory, and achievement.

Angelica	Marigold	Sandalwood
Basil	Mistletoe	Scammony
Bergamot	Musk	Solomon's
Cedar	Musk Root	Seal
Frankincense	Mustard	Storax
Garlic	Myrrh	Sunflower
Grains of	Oak	Sweet Gum
Paradise	Onion	Vervain
Jalap	St. Johnswort	Vetiver
Lemon	Salep	Woodruff
Verbena		

Transformation

Change nature, conditions, functions, personality and character; to convert, modify, or shift one's life.

Bay Plantain Spearmint **Psyllium** Elder Vervain Frankincense Rose Violet Holly Rosemary Woodruff Myrrh Southernwood Wormwood **Peppermint**

Virility

Increase of masculine strength, vigor, stamina.

Ambergris Holly Mustard Balm of Oak Lavender Gilead Mandrake Savory Cascarilla Mistletoe **Tarragon** Civit Musk Vetiver

Musk Root Dragon's Blood

Weddings

Ensures contentment and happiness; encourages proposals; fulfillment, satisfaction, and success of the couple.

Broom	Linden	Oregano
Ground Ivy	Marjoram	Rose
Honeysuckle	Meadowsweet	Rosemary
Jasmine	Myrtle	Sage
Lady's Mantle	Orange	Yarrow



WEIGHTS & MEASURES

Solid

60 Grains = 1 Teaspoon (t)

= 1 Tablespoon (T) 3 Teaspoons 2 Tablespoons = 1 Ounce (Oz)

4 Ounces = 1 Gill

2 Gills = 1 Cup (C)

2 Cups = 1 Pint

Liquid

60 Drops = 1 Teaspoon (t)

= 1 Tablespoon (T) 3 Teaspoons

2 Tablespoons = 1 Fluid Ounce

4 Fluid Oz. = 1 Gill

2 Gills = 1 Cup (C)

2 Cups = 1 Pint

Apothecaries' Measure

60 Minims (Drops) = 1 Fluid Dram

8 Fluid Drams = 1 Fluid Ounce

8 Fluid Ounces = 1 Cup

16 Fluid Ounces = 1 Pint

Fractions of a Cup

¹/₄ Cup = 4 Tablespoons

¹/₃ Cup = 5 Tablespoons + 1 Teaspoon

¹/₂ Cup = 8 Tablespoons

2/3 Cup = 10 Tablespoons + 2 Teaspoons

³/₄ Cup = 12 Tablespoons

1 Cup = 16 Tablespoons

Saltpeter Formulas

QB = 1/2 Cup Water + 1/4 teaspoon Saltpeter (SP)

FW = 2 Tablespoons + 2 teaspoons Water + 1/4 teaspoon SP

LF = 1 Tablespoon + 1 teaspoon Water + 1/4 teaspoon SP

Approximate Weight of Herbs per Cup

Bark
Berries4 ounces
Flowers
Leaves
Powdered Herbs4 ounces
Roots4 ounces
Seeds4 ounces
Whole Herbs 2 ounces

Olde Grimoire Measurements (Approximate)

Double Handful = $1^{1}/2$ Cups Handful = $2^{1}/3$ Cup Fistful = 1/3 Cup Palm = 1/4 Cup

Three Fingers = $3^{1}/_{2}$ Teaspoons Two Fingers = 1 Teaspoon Pinch = $^{1}/_{8}$ Teaspoon

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