

# KOLA

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Specially Valuable in all Depressed Conditions of the Muscular and Nervous Systems.

SYNONYMS . . . . .

Guru (also Gooa, Gourou), Kokkoroku, Makasso, Ombéné, Nangoué, *Tropical Africa*; Biehy, *W. Ind.*; Noix de Kola, Noix de Gourou, Noix du Soudan, Café du Soudan, *Fr.*; Kolanuss, *Ger.*; Cola de Africa, Cola de Sudan, Nue; de Kola, *Span.*; *Sterculia acuminata*; Pal. de Beauvois.

PART EMPLOYED . . . . .

The seeds.

NATURAL ORDER . . . . .

Sterculiaceæ.

HABITAT. . . . .

Western tropical Africa.

PROPERTIES. . . . .

Kola resembles in its action guarana and coca, and is said to have almost a specific effect in combating the intoxicating influence of alcohol. It is employed also in diarrhoeas, and in all depressed conditions of the nervous system where caffeine is indicated. Dr. Bernard Schuchardt, of Gotha, author of a most exhaustive work on Kola, thus concludes with regard to its medicinal properties:

"Kola should accordingly be employed as a diuretic in heart disease, and especially in conditions of feeble heart; in neuralgias; in severe fevers of adynamic character and during the period of convalescence after the latter; in exhausting diseases; in dyspepsias; chronic and obstinate diarrhoeas; in cholera; and finally, as an excitant and exhilarant in cases of mental depression."

PREPARATIONS . . . . .

Fluid Extract Kola; Solid Extract Kola; Normal Liquid Kola; Kola Cordial (120 grains Kola to fluidounce); Kola Wine; Elixir Kola Compound (40 grains Kola, 40 grains Coca, 40 grains Celery, to fluidounce); Compressed Tablets Kola (5 and 10 grains).

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