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Pausinystalia johimbe

[Synonyms : *Corynanthe yohimbe*, *Pausinystalia macroceras*, *Pausinystalia yohimbe*]

YOHIMBE BARK is an evergreen tree. Native to western Africa it has white or pink flowers. It is also known as *Johimbo* (Esperanto), *Yohimbe* (English, German), and *Yohimbine* (African).

Johimbe is derived from a local African name *yohimbine*.

It is used locally in veterinary medicine.

In the Cameroons the bark has had a long-standing reputation as an aphrodisiac, and has been used by ophthalmologists in local anaesthetics.