

# Astragalus Max-V

## DESCRIPTION

Astragalus Max-V, provided by Douglas Laboratories, supplies 500 mg of standardized astragalus in a vegetarian capsule.

## FUNCTIONS

Used since ancient times in Traditional Chinese Medicine, Astragalus (*Astragalus membranaceus*) is important supplement for both eastern and western herbalists. Often used in combination with other herbs, Astragalus has many uses, but is mostly known for its immune-stimulating properties. Numerous studies have indicated that Astragalus can have beneficial effects on the immune system. The herb also has shown to have supportive effects to the cardiovascular, renal and hepatic systems.

## INDICATIONS

Astragalus Max-V may be a useful dietary supplement for individuals wishing to support their immune system.

## FORMULA (#77304)

### Each Vegetarian Capsule Contains:

Astragalus ..... 500 mg

(*Astragalus membranaceus*)

Standardized to provide 0.4% minimum 4'-Hydroxy-3'-methoxyisoflavone-7

In a 50 mg base of non-standardized astragalus

## SUGGESTED USE

Adults take 1 capsule twice daily in between meals or as directed by a physician.

## SIDE EFFECTS

No adverse side effects reported.

## STORAGE

Store in a cool, dry place, away from direct light. Keep out of reach of children.

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