

Wild Cordyceps sinensis is one of the most precious and expensive herbs in the entire world. The best Cordyceps grows in the Himalayas at around 15,000 feet elevation, just below the snowline. It is actually a fungus (mushroom) that grows in the body of a caterpillar during the winter and



Collecting Wild Tibetan Cordyceps

its fruiting body emerges from the ground during the summer, hence its mysterious name "Winter Worm Summer Grass." It has been revered in Tibetan and Chinese herbalism as a life-enhancing superstar for centuries.

Rare, potent and balanced, more precious than gold, Wild Cordyceps tonifies both the Kidney and the Lungs and supports sexual functions, brain power, structural integrity, and immunity.

Cordyceps is a major **Lung tonic**. It can be used to strengthen respiratory power. It is a powerful **athletes' tonic** by improving athletic performance and muscle-building capability.



Wild Cordyceps



**Cultured Cordyceps** 



Intro Price \$29.50 (Normally \$36) 2 fl. oz. SKU #053

Up until recently, the rare supply and prohibitively elevated price make it difficult for most people to consume wild Cordyceps. But FORTUNATELY, due to a recent breakthrough in mycoculture, it is now possible to "culture" the mushroom in a wild-simulated environment and make it available to the world at a reasonable everyman's price.



Only the fruiting body, not the mycelium, is used in our extract, ensuring potency and purity.

Dragon Herbs is proud to offer an extraordinary extract of this cultured Cordyceps. We consider it a reincarnation of the **Wild Tibetan Cordyceps** because the cultures are collected EACH YEAR from real Wild Tibetan Cordyceps to ensure genetic authenticity. Like the wild Cordyceps, its main active constituents are *cordycepin*, *Cordyceps polysaccharides*, *cordycepic acid* and *SOD* (a superantioxidant utilized in the human body to overcome excessive free radicals). In fact, Dragon Herbs uses **Cultured Cordyceps** that scores higher than the wild Cordyceps. Check out this comparison table:

## Comparison Table of Active Constituents of Wild vs. Cultured Cordyceps

Cordyceps	Cordycepin	Cordyceps Polysaccharides	SOD	Cordycepic acid
Wild	0.1 mg/g	>5 %	183 u/g	87 mg/g
Cultured *	9.2 mg/g	19.3 %	422 u/g	36 mg/g

<sup>\*</sup> Used in Dragon Herbs Cultured Cordyceps tincture extraction

Wild Cordyceps  $\approx $1500 / oz$ .

## Price per Ounce



Gold ≈ \$1300 / oz.



Cultured Cordyceps  $\approx $15 / \text{fl. oz.}$ 

It is worth mentioning that MOST of the Cordyceps products available in America are actually made from mycelium, not the fruiting body of Cordyceps. They are therefore not as potent or as pure as our Cultured Cordyceps which is **100% fruiting body**.

"The proof of the pudding is in the eating." Thick, rich, creamy, and extraordinarily mushroomy, one taste of our Cultured Cordyceps tincture and you will be a true believer!

Cordyceps contains a balanced amount of *yin* and *yang* which is extremely rare. It can, therefore, be used by anyone safely and over a long period of time. Take the Cultured Cordyceps tincture straight or add it to your favorite beverages every day. Cordyceps mushroom is commonly used in tonic soup as well.\*\*

<sup>\*\*</sup> This statement has not been evaluated by the FDA. This product is not intended to diagnose, treat, cure, or prevent any disease.



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