

Achillea asiatica Serg.



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Mongolian name

Aziin tologch ovs

Tibetan name

Bambo

English name

Asiatic Yarrow

Synonym: *A. setacea* auct. non Waldst. et Kit. [1]

Description: Perennial herb, with rhizome. Stem 20–50 cm tall, whitish because of long, slender, entangled hairs, erect, branched only at the inflorescence. Basal leaves 10–20 cm long, 1–2 cm wide, cauline leaves smaller, sessile, lanceolate, two to three times pinnatisected, linear and acute segments not more than 3 mm in width, closely arranged. Heads, with 2–5 mm long peduncles, form a dense corymb, like a brush. Ligulate flowers usually purple, sometimes white, ca. 3 mm long. Disk flowers yellow.