

Codonopsis

Codonopsis is a genus of flowering plant in the family Campanulaceae. As currently recognized, Codonopsis includes two other groups sometimes separated as distinct genera, i.e. Campanumoea and Leptocodon.[1][2][3][4] The enlarged genus Codonopsis is widespread across eastern, southern, central, and southeastern Asia, including China, Japan, the Russian Far East, Kazakhstan, the Indian Subcontinent, Iran, Indochina, Indonesia, etc.

Codonopsis pilosula (Chinese: 金边吊兰; pinyin: dōngshān) is an important medicinal herb in traditional Chinese medicine.[5]

Codonopsis lanceolata (Korean: deodeok) is used as a food in Korean cuisine.

Species currently (July 2014) accepted by Kew's World Checklist.[1] Species with no range given are endemic to China

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