

Overview of Phytogenics

What are phytogenics?

- Functional feed additives derived from plants
- There are several different types of phytogenic products available on the market
 - Nature Identical Products: The simplest products, including individual compounds like carvacrol or thymol
 - Essential Oils or Extracts: Derived from a single plant, like citrus oil
 - Herbal Products: Made from a single plant or a mixture of plants
 - Specialized Products: Contains a mixture of essential oils, extracts, and/or herbs
- The fine art of formulating phytogenics lies in finding a suitable combination of the right plant materials

Common phytogenics

 Anise oil, citrus oil, thyme oil, vanillin, caraway, licorice, cinnamon, clove and mint oil

Why do we use phytogenics?

- Flavoring Properties: Sensory, taste, smell, palatable, appetizer, and masking unpleasant flavor
- Biological Properties: Antioxidant, antiinflammatory, anti-microbial, anti-viral, fungicidal, astringent, analgesic, soothing, and endogenous secretions

Benefits of phytogenics

- Improves nutrient digestion and absorption
- Balances gut microbiota
- Enhances gut health
- Supports immune function
- Promotes liver health

How to select the right phytogenic

- Odor
- Composition
- Heat stability
- Consistency in quality
- Consistent effects

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The power of phytogenics

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