

## **BASAL**

## Fresh Bulb

The drug *Basal* consists of fresh bulbs of *Allium cepa* L. (Liliaceae); a biennial herb, cultivated throughout India for its leaves and bulbs; used as vegetable. It flowers during February to March

- **Temperament:** Hot, Dry
- Action(s): Alterative (Moaddil), Stimulant (Moharrik), Antiseptic (Dafi-e-Taffun)
- Theraputic Use(s): Retention of urine (Ehtibas-e-Baul), Bronchial tumor (Sala Shoebi), Anaphrodisia/ Loss of libido (Zof- e- Bah)
- Dose: QS
- Important Formulation(s): Majoon Piyaz