

# CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

Report Date	2/20/2025	Country of Origin	Solomon Islands
Sample Number	S2230	Country of Processing	USA
Product Name	Chief Lateral Roots	Manufacture Date	Feb-25
Lot Number	SIK2502-CLR2	Best By Date	Feb-28

ITEM	SPECIFICATION	TEST RESULTS	METHOD
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**PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL**

Identification	Piper methysticum	Complies	HPLC
Appearance	Beige to Yellow Powder	Complies	Organoleptic
Kavalactone Standard	2-17 % Kavalactones	13.17%	HPLC
Kavalactone Profile	Noble	Complies	HPLC
Chemotype	If # 5 is in 1st or 2nd in Abundance	245361	HPLC
K/DHM	> 1.2 for Noble	1.5	Calculation

**HEAVY METALS**

		Results	
Arsenic (As)	NMT 1,000 (ppb)*	52.3	ppb FDA EAM 4.7
Cadmium (Cd)	NMT 1,000 (ppb)*	865	ppb FDA EAM 4.7
Lead (Pb)	NMT 1,000 (ppb)*	42	ppb FDA EAM 4.7
Mercury (Hg)	NMT 1,000 (ppb)*	< 10	ppb FDA EAM 4.7

\*Heavy Metals Action Limits Based on Maximum PDE at 5% Kavalactones. Results May Exceed 1,000 ppb action limit with higher kavalactone contents.

**MICROBIOLOGICAL**

		Results	
AEROBIC PLATE COUNT	NMT 10,000,000 cfu	24,000	cfu / 10 g USP 2021
E. COLI	ABSENT (cfu/10g)	Absent	cfu / 10 g USP 2022
PSEUDOMONAS AERUGINOSA	ABSENT (cfu/10g)	Absent	cfu / 10 g USP 2022
SALMONELLA	ABSENT (cfu/10g)	Absent	cfu / 10 g USP 2022
STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS	ABSENT (cfu/10g)	Absent	cfu / 10 g USP 2022
YEAST	NMT 100,000 cfu (Combined)	26,000	cfu / 10 g
MOLD		160	cfu / 10 g USP 2021
TOTAL YEAST & MOLD	NMT 100,000 cfu (Combined)	26160	cfu / 10 g

cfu/g = Colony Forming Units Per Gram      NMT = No More Than      PDE = Permitted Daily Exposure      PPB = Parts Per Billion

*Analysis Performed by a Third-Party Laboratory*

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## Certificate Of Analysis

### Sample Identification Information

Date of Analysis 2/20/2025

Sample: S2230

Product Name CHIEF LATERAL

Lot# SIK2502-CLR2

Country of Origin SOLOMON ISLANDS

Country of Processing USA

Manufacture Date Feb-25

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### General Product Specifications

Product Species Piper Methysticum

Part Used Root

Common Names Kava kava, Awa, Yagona

Appearance Yellow, Brown, beige powder

Analyzed Characteristics	Specification	Result	Test Method
<u>Standardization</u>	2-17% Kavalactones	13.17%	HPLC
<u>Identification</u>	Complies by HPLC	Conform	HPLC
<u>Kavalactone Profile</u>	Noble	PASS	HPLC
<u>Mesh Size</u>	60-30	60	Sieve
<u>Color</u>	Beige to Yellow	Pass	Visual
<u>Odor</u>		Pass	Organoleptic
<u>Taste</u>		Pass	Organoleptic
<u>Chemotype</u>		245361	HPLC
<u>K/DHM</u>	TUDEI < 1.2 > NOBLE	1.5	Calculation

Kavalactones	Code	Peaks Ref. (elution order)	Correction Factor	Area *	Area %	Corrected Kavalactones	Chemotype Identifier
Standard Kavain	K			2337.87			
Methysticin	M	1	2.21	1273.855	11.92%	1.67%	<b>6</b>
Dihydromethysticin	DHM	2	3.38	970.06	9.08%	1.94%	<b>5</b>
Kavain	K	3	1	4941.771	46.26%	2.93%	<b>4</b>
Dihydrokavain	DHK	4	3.48	1901.216	17.80%	3.92%	<b>2</b>
Desmethoxyyangonin	DMY	5	2.52	650.687	6.09%	0.97%	<b>1</b>
Yangonin	Y	6	3.12	945.701	8.85%	1.75%	<b>3</b>
<b>Kavalactones</b>			<b>Total:</b>	<b>10683.290</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>13.17%</b>	<b>245361</b>

\*See data in attachment HPLC1100 Agilent Certificate with Chromatogram graph.

This result are in house tested and the best of our knowledge and experience. Using calibrated equipment.

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### Kavalactone Analysis

SAMPLE S2230  
Vial 12

.75705g/50mL

wavelength 246 nm

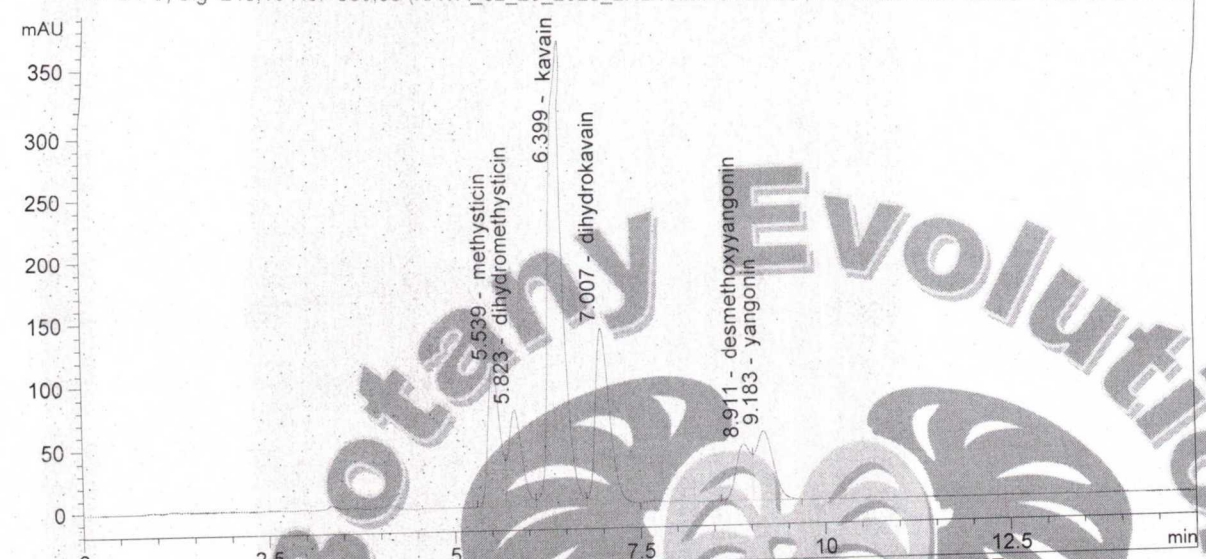
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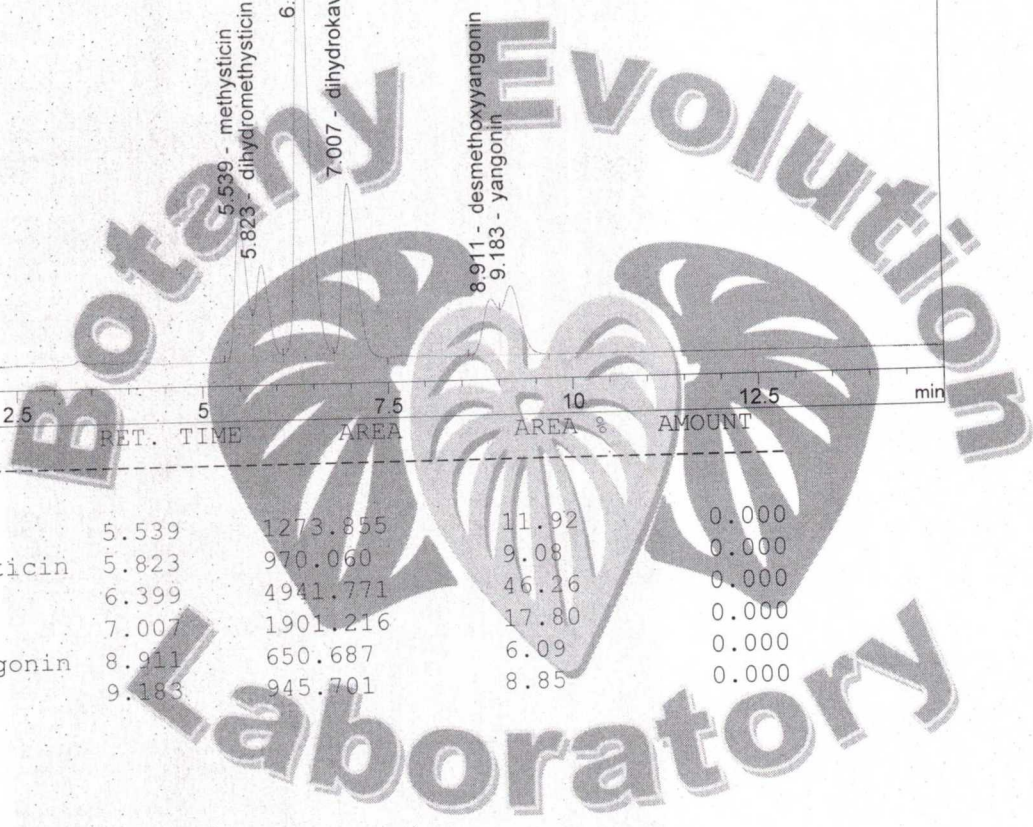
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COMPOUND	RET. TIME	AREA	AREA %	AMOUNT
methysticin	5.539	1273.855	11.92	0.000
dihydromethysticin	5.823	970.060	9.08	0.000
kavain	6.399	4941.771	46.26	0.000
dihydrokavain	7.007	1901.216	17.80	0.000
desmethoxyyangonin	8.911	650.687	6.09	0.000
yangonin	9.183	945.701	8.85	0.000



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