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Introduction

The medicinal history of *Pueraria lobata* root (the Chinese Pinyin name: Ge Gen) dates back over 2,000 years. *Pueraria lobata* root has been used as a traditional herbal medicine in China, Japan, South Korea, United Kingdom and other countries. It has exhibited diverse therapeutic effects, such as antipyretic, hypolipidemic, hypoglycemic and hypotensive, intended for the treatment of arrhythmia, myocardial ischemia, osteoporosis etc.

The establishment of an international standard for *Pueraria lobata* root is necessary to guarantee the clinical effectiveness, safety and controllability in global commerce and trade.

As national implementation may differ, national standards bodies are invited to modify the values given in [5.6](#), [5.8](#) and [5.10](#) in their national standards. Examples of national and regional values are given in [Annex D](#). In addition, grading information of *Pueraria lobata* root are given in [Annex E](#).

