

# Chemical composition of two samples of essential oil of *Satureja boliviana* (Benth.) Briq. from Peru and Bolivia

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The essential oils of two samples of *Satureja boliviana* (Benth.) Briq. collected in Peru and Bolivia, were obtained by hydrodistillation, and analyzed by capillary GC and GC/MS. The major constituents of the Peruvian oil were isomenthone (29.0%), pulegone (12.6%) and menthone (12.6%). Main constituents of the Bolivian oil were isomenthone (27.0%), pulegone (20.0%) and thymol (14.7%). © 1996, Taylor & Francis Group, LLC. All rights reserved.