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[57] ABSTRACT

A method for the therapeutic treatment of skin disorders of the type directly or indirectly caused by collagen deficiency, and/or oxygen-containing free radicals and/or by oxidative generation of biologically active metabolites, in which a fat-soluble fatty acid ester of ascorbic acid is topically applied to the affected skin areas, preferably in association with a dermatologically acceptable carrier.

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