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OPEXTAN®
OLIVE FRUIT EXTRACT



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WHAT IS OPEXTAN®?

OPEXTAN® is a **non-caloric** standardized olive extract from the **olive pulp of a specific Italian tree variety**.

In addition to polyphenols like hydroxytyrosol, tyrosol and isoacteoside, the characteristic phytonutrient of **OPEXTAN®** is **verbascoside**, which has been shown to be **the most potent antioxidant from the olive tree**.¹

OPEXTAN® has been proven to have a **remarkable lipid peroxidation inhibition capability to support healthy skin as well as helping support healthy blood sugar metabolism**.

SPECIFICATIONS

OPEXTAN® is double standardized in polyphenols and verbascoside:
≥ 10.0% of total polyphenols
≥ 2.0% ≤ 3.5% of verbascoside,
≥ 4.5% of hydroxytyrosol and its derivatives

RECOMMENDED USE AND DOSE

OPEXTAN® is a light brown powder and can be taken orally or used topically.

Oral dose: 100-400 mg/day

Topical dose: 0.5-2%

TRADEMARKS

OPEXTAN® is a trademark of Indena S.p.A. and its logo and usage guidelines are available from Indena.

References

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WHAT MAKES OPEXTAN® UNIQUE?

OPEXTAN® is a standardized olive fruit extract for **skin-health** supplements and for **managing lipid peroxidation**:

- **OPEXTAN®** is an olive pulp extract (**not from olive waste water**) with proven antioxidant capacity
- a **unique polyphenolics compound** characterized by a **high content of verbascoside**, known to have the greatest antioxidant activity of any compound from the olive tree¹
- **OPEXTAN®** is Halal, Kosher certified and ECOCERT validated

OPEXTAN® is supported by science:

Taken orally, **OPEXTAN®** has demonstrated:

- skin protective capability^{2,3}
 - **supporting skin health**
 - **reduction of lipid peroxidation**
- healthy blood sugar level metabolism⁴

OPEXTAN® is **water soluble** and can be utilized in numerous applications and formulations:

- **beauty and skin-health supplements**
- **topical applications**

Age is visibly reflected through changes in skin, hair, and posture, allowing time to leave its marks on the face and body: **make of OPEXTAN® your best ally to neutralize free radicals, protect against UV-induced oxidative stress, and preserve skin thickness and hydration for a younger, healthier appearance** — all ensured by Indena's reliable 100% Italian sourcing and solvent-free production.

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