

TOOTHPASTES WITH ANTI-CALCULUS AGENTS

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PURPOSE/USE:

Calculus, commonly known as Tartar, is linked to cavities and periodontal disease by providing a hard surface for disease causing bacteria to attach too.

Those prone to higher accumulation of tartar, smoke, constantly snack, and/or consume sugary drinks would benefit from the additional protection of these agents

INGREDIENTS/AGENTS

- sodium hexametaphosphate
- triclosan/copolymer
- zinc compounds
- stannous fluoride

MECHANISM

Calculus inhibiting agents prevent the mineralization of bacteria rich biofilms by using 2x/day for 2 mins.

PURCHASE & COST

- May be purchased at Pharmacy or oral care isle of department stores

Cost: \$3-\$8

LIMITATIONS

- Though rare, could cause tissue inflammation or sluffing
- Taste



VIDEO DEMONSTRATION

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PT6uC2BAAtCs>



<https://crest.com/en-us/oral-care-products/toothpaste/crest-tartar-protection-toothpaste-regular-paste/>



<https://images.app.goo.gl/NqfCVC6gdjRWdeRf6>



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