

ABSTRACT

The present invention relates to a new material for the suture of wounds.

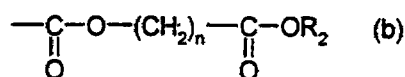
According to the invention, this material consists of a biocompatible, bio-adhesive mixture containing at least 50% by weight, of a methyldene malonate-based composition containing:

- 40 to 100% by weight, and preferably 50 to 100% by weight of one or more methyldene malonates of formula (I)



in which:

- A and B independently represent a group (a) or (b):



in which R_1 , R_2 and n are as defined in the description;

and/or one or more methyldene malonate oligomers with a molecular weight less than or equal to 6,000 and consisting of recurrent units of formula (II):



in which A and B are as defined above:

- 0 to 60% by weight, and preferably 0 to 50% by weight of one or more methyldene malonate polymers with a molecular weight greater than 6,000 and consisting of recurrent units of formula (II).