CLAIMS

1. A synergistic composition comprising tangeretin and epigallocatechin gallate (EGCG), wherein the content of the tangeretin is 0.001 to 1.0 wt.% with regard to the total weight of the composition and wherein the content of the EGCG is 0.001 to 1.0 wt.% with regard to the total weight of the composition.

2. The synergistic composition as claimed in claim 1, wherein the composition contains the tangeretin and the EGCG in the same amount, respectively.

3. The synergistic composition as claimed in claim 1, wherein the content of the tangeretin is 0.5 wt% with regard to the total weight of the composition.

4. The synergistic composition as claimed in claim 1, wherein the content of the EGCG is 0.5 wt% with regard to the total weight of the composition.

5. Use of a synergistic composition according to any one of claims 1 to 4 for the manufacture of a medicament for preventing skin erythema.

6. A method for providing an antioxidant effect on the skin using a synergistic composition comprising tangeretin and epigallocatechin gallate(EGCG),

wherein the content of the tangeretin is 0.001 to 1.0 wt.% with regard to the total weight of the composition and wherein the content of the EGCG is an amount of 0.001 to 1.0 wt.% with regard to the total weight of the composition.

7. The method as claimed in claim 6, wherein the composition contains the tangeretin and the EGCG in the same amount, respectively.

8. The method as claimed in claim 6, wherein the content of the tangeretin is 0.5 wt% with regard to the total weight of the composition.

9. The method as claimed in claim 6, wherein the content of the EGCG is 0.5 wt% with regard to the total weight of the composition.

10. A method for improving skin tone using a synergistic composition comprising tangeretin and epigallocatechin gallate(EGCG),

wherein the content of the tangeretin is 0.001 to 1.0 wt.% with regard to the total weight of the composition and wherein the content of the EGCG is an amount of 0.001 to 1.0 wt.% with regard to the total weight of the composition.

11. The method as claimed in claim 10, wherein the composition contains the tangeretin and the EGCG in the same amount, respectively.

12. The method as claimed in claim 10, wherein the content of the tangeretin is 0.5 wt% with regard to the total weight of the composition.

13. The method as claimed in claim 10, wherein the content of the EGCG is 0.5 wt% with regard to the total weight of the composition.