ABSTRACT

The present invention provides a method for producing a metal salt of an alicyclic dicarboxylic acid (a calcium salt, hydroxyaluminum salt, disodium salt, or dilithium salt of an alkyl-substituted 1,2-dicarboxylic acid), which can reduce disposal losses and can readily produce the metal salt with excellent selectivity (i.e., a high molar ratio of the cis isomer). Provided is a method for producing a metal salt of an alicyclic dicarboxylic acid, the alicyclic dicarboxylic acid being a metal salt of cyclohexane-1,2-dicarboxylic acid having at least one alkyl substituent directly bound to a cyclohexane ring, the alkyl substituent being a C1-C4 linear or branched alkyl group, the metal salt being a calcium salt, a hydroxyaluminum salt, a disodium salt, or a dilithium salt, the method including step (1) and step (2).

[No Suitable Figure]