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(57) Abstract: The present invention relates to the use as an anti-inflammatory of tamarind seed polysaccharide (TSP) and to anti-inflammatory compositions which contain it as active ingredient. Anti-inflammatory compositions containing TSP are particularly useful for topical administration in the treatment of inflammatory diseases of the skin and mucosa.