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(57) Abstract: The present invention provides relatively non-invasive treatments generally involving injection of a treatment composition to a subject's target site which exhibits a defined degradation state (e.g. typically "partially-degraded target sites") and / or symptoms corresponding with such a degradation state. Such target sites, which are suitably specific regions of a human or animal body (e.g. an intervertebral disc or a component part thereof, such a nucleus pulposus), typically degrade to the defined degradation state as a consequence of biological degeneration at the target site, in particular cellular and/or extracellular degradation, and administration thereto of treatment compositions of the invention can facilitate physical and / or biochemical restoration of such target sites.



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