

phytochemical *(phy-to-chem-i-cal)*

Definition

n. Any of various biologically active compounds found in plants.

Example Sentence

Phytochemicals in fruits and vegetables contribute to their health benefits.

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Research has shown that phytochemicals can help prevent chronic diseases.

Synonyms

plant compound; bioactive compound; plant chemical

Antonyms

synthetic compound; artificial additive; chemical preservative

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