Anetholtrithion

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Source

A substituted dithiolthione and analog of chemopreventive agent oltipraz. Anetholtrithione is a bile secretion-stimulating drug that restores salivation and relieves the discomfort of dry mouth in chemotherapy-induced xerostomia. In addition, this agent has exhibited chemopreventive properties. The mechanism of action for the chemopreventive and xerostomia properties have not been fully elucidated.