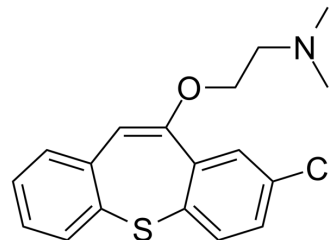


## Zotepine

<b>Cat. No.:</b>	HY-103093
<b>CAS No.:</b>	26615-21-4
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	C <sub>18</sub> H <sub>18</sub> ClNOS
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	331.86
<b>Target:</b>	5-HT Receptor; Histamine Receptor; Adrenergic Receptor; Dopamine Receptor
<b>Pathway:</b>	GPCR/G Protein; Neuronal Signaling; Immunology/Inflammation
<b>Storage:</b>	4°C, sealed storage, away from moisture * In solvent : -80°C, 6 months; -20°C, 1 month (sealed storage, away from moisture)



### SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

<b>In Vitro</b>	DMSO : 25 mg/mL (75.33 mM; Need ultrasonic)				
		Solvent Concentration	Mass		
	<b>Preparing Stock Solutions</b>		1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
		1 mM	3.0133 mL	15.0666 mL	30.1332 mL
		5 mM	0.6027 mL	3.0133 mL	6.0266 mL
	10 mM	0.3013 mL	1.5067 mL	3.0133 mL	
Please refer to the solubility information to select the appropriate solvent.					
<b>In Vivo</b>	1. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (7.53 mM); Clear solution				

### BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

<b>Description</b>	Zotepine, an antipsychotic agent, is a potent antagonist of 5-HT <sub>2A</sub> , 5-HT <sub>2C</sub> , Histamine H <sub>1</sub> , α <sub>1</sub> -adrenergic and Dopamine D <sub>2</sub> receptors, with K <sub>d</sub> s of 2.6 nM, 3.2 nM, 3.3 nM, 7.3 nM and 8 nM, respectively. Zotepine exhibits antidepressive and anxiolytic effects in vivo <sup>[1][2]</sup> .
<b>In Vitro</b>	Zotepine shows multiple antagonistic profiles with strong affinities to α <sub>1</sub> -adrenergic, α <sub>2</sub> -adrenergic, Dopamine D <sub>2</sub> , Histamine H <sub>1</sub> , Muscarinic, 5-HT <sub>1A</sub> , 5-HT <sub>1D</sub> , 5-HT <sub>2A</sub> , and 5-HT <sub>2C</sub> receptors, with K <sub>d</sub> s of 7.3, 180, 8, 3.3, 330, 280, 80, 2.6, 3.2 nM, respectively <sup>[1]</sup> . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.
<b>In Vivo</b>	Zotepine (1-3 mg/kg; a single i.p.) dose-dependently increases noradrenaline, dopamine, GABA, and glutamate release without affecting 5-HT levels in the medial prefrontal cortex of rats <sup>[2]</sup> . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

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Animal Model:	Male Sprague-Dawley rats (250-300 g) <sup>[1]</sup>
Dosage:	1, 3 mg/kg
Administration:	A single i.p.
Result:	Increased noradrenaline, dopamine, GABA, and glutamate release without affecting 5-HT levels in the medial prefrontal cortex. Increased neuronal firing frequencies in the VTA, DRN, LC and MTN in a dose-dependent manner.

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## REFERENCES

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- [2]. Yamamura S, et, al. Effects of zotepine on extracellular levels of monoamine, GABA and glutamate in rat prefrontal cortex. Br J Pharmacol. 2009 Jun;157(4):656-65.
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