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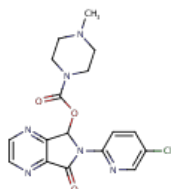
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Identification

Name **Zopiclone**
Accession Number **DB01198** (APRD00356)
Type small molecule
Groups approved

Description Zopiclone is a novel hypnotic agent used in the treatment of insomnia. Its mechanism of action is based on modulating benzodiazepine receptors. In addition to zopiclone's benzodiazepine pharmacological properties it also has some barbiturate like properties.

Structure



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Synonyms
(+)-zopiclone
Zopiclona [INN-Spanish]
Zopiclone [Ban:Inn:Jan]
Zopiclonum [INN-Latin]

Salts
Not Available

	Name	Company
Brand names	Amoban	
	Amovane	
	Imovance	
	Imovane	
	Novo-zopiclone	
	Nu-Zopiclone	
	Ran-zopiclone	
	Rhovane	
	Sopivan	
	Ximovan	

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Brand mixtures
Not Available

Categories
• Hypnotics and Sedatives

CAS number
43200-80-2

Weight
Average: 388.808
Monoisotopic: 388.105066147

Chemical Formula
C₁₇H₁₇ClN₆O₃

InChI Key
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IUPAC Name
6-(5-chloropyridin-2-yl)-7-oxo-5H,6H,7H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyrazin-5-yl 4-methylpiperazine-1-carboxylate

SMILES
CN1CCN(CC1)C(=O)OC1N(C(=O)C2=NC=CN=C2)C1=NC=C(Cl)C=C1

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Mass Spec
Not Available

Taxonomy

Kingdom
Organic

Classes
• Lactams
• Cyclopyrrolones

Substructures
• Carbamates and Derivatives
• Amino Ketones
• Pyridines and Derivatives
• Piperazines
• Ethers
• Aliphatic and Aryl Amines
• Aryl Halides
• Aminopyridines and Derivatives
• Pyrazines
• Heterocyclic compounds
• Aromatic compounds
• Carboxamides and Derivatives
• Lactams
• Imines

- Cyclopyrrolones
- Pyrrolines

Pharmacology

Indication	For the short-term treatment of insomnia. Zopiclone is a nonbenzodiazepine hypnotic from the pyrazolopyrimidine class and is indicated for the short-term treatment of insomnia. While Zopiclone is a hypnotic agent with a chemical structure unrelated to benzodiazepines, barbiturates, or other drugs with known hypnotic properties, it interacts with the gamma-aminobutyric acid-benzodiazepine (GABA _B Z) receptor complex.
Pharmacodynamics	Subunit modulation of the GABA _B Z receptor chloride channel macromolecular complex is hypothesized to be responsible for some of the pharmacological properties of benzodiazepines, which include sedative, anxiolytic, muscle relaxant, and anticonvulsive effects in animal models. Zopiclone binds selectively to the brain alpha subunit of the GABA A omega-1 receptor. Zopiclone exerts its action by binding on the benzodiazepine receptor complex and modulation of the GABA _B Z receptor chloride channel macromolecular complex. Both zopiclone and benzodiazepines act indiscriminately at the benzodiazepine binding site on $\alpha 1$, $\alpha 2$, $\alpha 3$ and $\alpha 5$ GABAA containing receptors as full agonists causing an enhancement of the inhibitory actions of GABA to produce the therapeutic (hypnotic and anxiolytic) and adverse effects of zopiclone.
Mechanism of action	
Absorption	Rapidly absorbed following oral administration.
Volume of distribution	Not Available
Protein binding	Approximately 45% Extensively metabolized in the liver via decarboxylation (major pathway), demethylation, and side chain oxidation. Metabolites include an N-oxide derivative (weakly active; approximately 12% of a dose) and an N-desmethyl metabolite (inactive; approximately 16%). Approximately 50% of a dose is converted to other inactive metabolites via decarboxylation. Hepatic microsomal enzymes are apparently not involved in zopiclone clearance.

Important The metabolism module of DrugBank is currently in **beta**. Questions or suggestions? Please [contact us](#).

	Substrate	Enzymes	Product	
Metabolism	Zopiclone	• Cytochrome P450 2C9	Zopiclone N-oxide	Details
	Zopiclone	• Cytochrome P450 2C9	N-Desmethylzopiclone	Details
	Zopiclone	• Prostaglandin G/H synthase 1 CO2		Details
	Zopiclone	• Cytochrome P450 2C8 • Cytochrome P450 3A4	zopiclone-N-oxide	Details
	Zopiclone	• Cytochrome P450 2C8 • Cytochrome P450 3A4	N-desmethylzopiclone	Details

Route of elimination	Not Available
Half life	Elimination half life is approximately 5 hours (range 3.8 to 6.5 hours) and is prolonged to 11.9 hours in patients with hepatic insufficiency.
Clearance	Not Available
Toxicity	Rare individual instances of fatal outcomes following overdose with racemic zopiclone have been reported in European postmarketing reports, most often associated with overdose with other CNS-depressant agent. Signs and symptoms of overdose effects of CNS depressants can be expected to present as exaggerations of the pharmacological effects noted in preclinical testing.
Affected organisms	• Humans and other mammals

Pathways Not Available

Pharmacoeconomics

Manufacturers Not Available

Packagers • [Centaur Pharmaceuticals Pvt Ltd.](#)

	Form	Route	Strength
Dosage forms	Tablet	Oral	5 mg
	Tablet	Oral	7.5 mg
	Unit description	Cost	Unit

Prices	Imovane 7.5 mg Tablet	1.41 USD tablet
	Imovane 5 mg Tablet	1.11 USD tablet
	Apo-Zopiclone 7.5 mg Tablet	0.49 USD tablet
	Co Zopiclone 7.5 mg Tablet	0.49 USD tablet
	Mylan-Zopiclone 7.5 mg Tablet	0.49 USD tablet
	Novo-Zopiclone 7.5 mg Tablet	0.49 USD tablet
	Nu-Zopiclone 7.5 mg Tablet	0.49 USD tablet
	Pms-Zopiclone 7.5 mg Tablet	0.49 USD tablet
	Ran-Zopiclone 7.5 mg Tablet	0.49 USD tablet
	Ratio-Zopiclone 7.5 mg Tablet	0.49 USD tablet

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Patents Not Available

Properties

State solid

	Property	Value	Source
Experimental Properties	melting point	178 °C	PhysProp
	water solubility	0.151 mg/mL at 25 °C	MEYLAN, WM et al. (1996)
	logP	0.8	Not Available






	Property	Value	Source
Predicted Properties	water solubility	8.85e-01 g/l	ALOGPS
	logP	0.97	ALOGPS
	logP	0.81	ChemAxon
	logS	-2.6	ALOGPS
	pKa (strongest acidic)	13.04	ChemAxon
	pKa (strongest basic)	6.89	ChemAxon
	physiological charge	0	ChemAxon
	hydrogen acceptor count	6	ChemAxon
	hydrogen donor count	0	ChemAxon
	polar surface area	91.76	ChemAxon
	rotatable bond count	3	ChemAxon
	refractivity	95.89	ChemAxon
	polarizability	37.67	ChemAxon

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	Resource	Link
External Links	KEGG Drug	D01372
	PubChem Compound	5735
	PubChem Substance	46505233
	ChemSpider	5533
	BindingDB	50054136
	ChEBI	32315
	ChEMBL	32315

Therapeutic Targets Database [DAP000427](#) 
 PharmGKB [PA10236](#) 
 Drug Product Database [2257580](#) 
 Drugs.com <http://www.drugs.com/cdi/eszopiclone.html> 
 Wikipedia <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Zopiclone> 

ATC Codes • N05CF01

AHFS Codes • 28:24.92

PDB Entries Not Available

FDA label Not Available

MSDS Not Available

Interactions

Drug	Interaction
Amprenavir	Amprenavir, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if amprenavir is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Atazanavir	Atazanavir, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if atazanavir is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Clarithromycin	Clarithromycin, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if clarithromycin is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Conivaptan	Conivaptan, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if conivaptan is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Darunavir	Darunavir, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if darunavir is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Delavirdine	Delavirdine, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if delavirdine is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Erythromycin	The macrolide antibiotic, erythromycin, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if erythromycin is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Fosamprenavir	Fosamprenavir, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if fosamprenavir is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Imatinib	Imatinib, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if imatinib is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Indinavir	Indinavir, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if indinavir is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Isoniazid	Isoniazid, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if isoniazid is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Itraconazole	Itraconazole, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if itraconazole is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Ketoconazole	Ketoconazole, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if ketoconazole is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Lopinavir	Lopinavir, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if lopinavir is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.
Methotrimeprazine	Additive CNS depressant effects. Reduce zopiclone dose by half upon initiation of methotrimeprazine. Zopiclone dose may be adjusted once methotrimeprazine dose has been

Drug Interactions

established. Monitor for increased CNS depression.

[Nefazodone](#)

Nefazodone, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if nefazodone is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.

[Nelfinavir](#)

Nelfinavir, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if nelfinavir is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.

[Nicardipine](#)

Nicardipine, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if nicardipine is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.

[Posaconazole](#)

Posaconazole, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if posaconazole is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.

[Quinidine](#)

Quinidine, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if quinidine is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.

[Ritonavir](#)

Ritonavir, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if ritonavir is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.

[Saquinavir](#)

Saquinavir, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if saquinavir is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.

[Telithromycin](#)

Telithromycin, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if telithromycin is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.

[Tolbutamide](#)

Tolbutamide, a strong CYP2C9 inhibitor, may decrease the metabolism and clearance of Zopiclone. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in Zopiclone therapeutic and adverse effects if Tolbutamide is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.

[Triprolidine](#)

The CNS depressants, Triprolidine and Zopiclone, may increase adverse/toxic effects due to additivity. Monitor for increased CNS depressant effects during concomitant therapy.

[Voriconazole](#)

Voriconazole, a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor, may increase the serum concentration of zopiclone by decreasing its metabolism. Consider alternate therapy or monitor for changes in the therapeutic and adverse effects of zopiclone if voriconazole is initiated, discontinued or dose changed.

Food Interactions Not Available

Targets

1. [Gamma-aminobutyric-acid receptor subunit alpha-1](#)

Pharmacological action: **yes**

Actions: **potentiator**

GABA, the major inhibitory neurotransmitter in the vertebrate brain, mediates neuronal inhibition by binding to the GABA/benzodiazepine receptor and opening an integral chloride channel

Organism class: **human**

UniProt ID: [P14867](#)

Gene: [GABRA1](#)

Protein Sequence: [FASTA](#)

Gene Sequence: [FASTA](#)

SNPs: [SNPJam Report](#)

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2. Gamma-aminobutyric-acid receptor subunit alpha-2

Pharmacological action: **yes**

Actions: **potentiator**

GABA, the major inhibitory neurotransmitter in the vertebrate brain, mediates neuronal inhibition by binding to the GABA/benzodiazepine receptor and opening an integral chloride channel

Organism class: **human**

UniProt ID: [P47869](#)

Gene: [GABRA2](#)

Protein Sequence: [FASTA](#)

Gene Sequence: [FASTA](#)

SNPs: [SNPJam Report](#)

References:

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3. Gamma-aminobutyric-acid receptor subunit alpha-3

Pharmacological action: **yes**

Actions: **potentiator**

GABA, the major inhibitory neurotransmitter in the vertebrate brain, mediates neuronal inhibition by binding to the GABA/benzodiazepine receptor and opening an integral chloride channel

Organism class: **human**

UniProt ID: [P34903](#)

Gene: [GABRA3](#)

Protein Sequence: [FASTA](#)

Gene Sequence: [FASTA](#)

SNPs: [SNPJam Report](#)

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4. Gamma-aminobutyric-acid receptor subunit alpha-5

Pharmacological action: **yes**

Actions: **potentiator**

GABA, the major inhibitory neurotransmitter in the vertebrate brain, mediates neuronal inhibition by binding to the GABA/benzodiazepine receptor and opening an integral chloride channel

Organism class: **human**

UniProt ID: [P31644](#)

Gene: [GABRA5](#)

Protein Sequence: [FASTA](#)

Gene Sequence: [FASTA](#)

SNPs: [SNPJam Report](#)

References:

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5. [Translocator protein](#)

Pharmacological action: **unknown**

Actions: **agonist**

Responsible for the manifestation of peripheral-type benzodiazepine recognition sites and is most likely to comprise binding domains for benzodiazepines and isoquinoline carboxamides. May play a role in the transport of porphyrins and heme

Organism class: **human**

UniProt ID: [P30536](#) 

Gene: [TSPO](#) 

Protein Sequence: [FASTA](#)

Gene Sequence: [FASTA](#)

SNPs: [SNPJam Report](#) 

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Enzymes

1. [Cytochrome P450 3A4](#)

Actions: **substrate**

Cytochromes P450 are a group of heme-thiolate monooxygenases. In liver microsomes, this enzyme is involved in an NADPH-dependent electron transport pathway. It performs a variety of oxidation reactions (e.g. caffeine 8-oxidation, omeprazole sulphoxidation, midazolam 1'-hydroxylation and midazolam 4- hydroxylation) of structurally unrelated compounds, including steroids, fatty acids, and xenobiotics. The enzyme also hydroxylates etoposide

UniProt ID: [P08684](#) 

Gene: CYP3A4

Protein Sequence: [FASTA](#)

Gene Sequence: [FASTA](#)

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2. [Cytochrome P450 2C8](#)

Actions: **substrate**

Cytochromes P450 are a group of heme-thiolate monooxygenases. In liver microsomes, this enzyme is involved in an NADPH-dependent electron transport pathway. It oxidizes a variety of structurally unrelated compounds, including steroids, fatty acids, and xenobiotics. In the epoxidation of arachidonic acid it generates only 14,15- and 11,12-cis-epoxyeicosatrienoic acids. It is the principal enzyme responsible for the metabolism the anti-cancer drug paclitaxel (taxol)

UniProt ID: [P10632](#)
Gene: CYP2C8
Protein Sequence: [FASTA](#)
Gene Sequence: [FASTA](#)
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References:

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[3. Cytochrome P450 2C9](#)

Actions: **substrate**

Cytochromes P450 are a group of heme-thiolate monooxygenases. In liver microsomes, this enzyme is involved in an NADPH-dependent electron transport pathway. It oxidizes a variety of structurally unrelated compounds, including steroids, fatty acids, and xenobiotics. This enzyme contributes to the wide pharmacokinetics variability of the metabolism of drugs such as S-warfarin, diclofenac, phenytoin, tolbutamide and losartan

UniProt ID: [P11712](#)
Gene: CYP2C9
Protein Sequence: [FASTA](#)
Gene Sequence: [FASTA](#)
SNPs: [SNPJam Report](#)

References:

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[4. Prostaglandin G/H synthase 1](#)

Actions: **substrate**

May play an important role in regulating or promoting cell proliferation in some normal and neoplastically transformed cells

UniProt ID: [P23219](#)
Gene: [PTGS1](#)
Protein Sequence: [FASTA](#)
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