

# Fluvoxamine

**Catalog No: tcsc1840** 

Available Sizes

Size: 10mg

Size: 50mg

Size: 100mg

**Specifications** 

CAS No:

54739-18-3

Formula:

 $C_{15}H_{21}F_{3}N_{2}O_{2}$ 

Pathway: Neuronal Signaling

**Target:** Serotonin Transporter

Purity / Grade:

### Solubility:

10 mM in DMSO

#### **Alternative Names:**

DU-23000

#### **Observed Molecular Weight:**

318.33

## **Product Description**

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Fluvoxamine is an antidepressant which functions pharmacologically as a selective serotonin reuptake inhibitor.

#### Target: SSRIs

Fluvoxamine is effective in inhibiting 5-ht uptake by blood platelets and brain synaptosomes. The antagonism by fluvoxamine of the reserpine-induced lowering of the pentamethylenetetrazole convulsive threshold can be regarded as due to an effect upon 5-HT uptake. In contrast to the effects of desmethylimipramine and imipramine, no stimulatory effects are found in rats when rapidly acting reserpine-like compounds are given following a dose of fluvoxamine [1]. fluvoxamine appears to improve combat-related PTSD symptoms but not depressive symptoms. The high attrition rate and lack of a placebo group limits the conclusions of our study. Controlled studies of fluvoxamine in the treatment of PTSD are warranted [2]. Fluvoxamine was less potent at decreasing ethanol self-administration when food was available concurrently versus when ethanol was available in isolation [ED50: 4.0 (2.7-5.9) and 5.1 (4.3-6.0)]. Effects on food were similar under each condition in which food was available. The results demonstrate that the potency of fluvoxamine in reducing ethanol-maintained behavior depends on whether ethanol is available in isolation or in the context of concurrently scheduled food reinforcement [3].

Clinical indications: Depression; Obsessive compulsive disorder; Social phobia

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Toxicity: Anorexia, Constipation, Dry mouth, Headache, Nausea, Nervousness, Skin rash, Sleep problems, Somnolence, Liver toxicity, Mania, Increase urination, Seizures, Sweating increase, Tremors, or Tourette\'s syndrome.



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