



# **Zonisamide (sodium)**

Catalog No: tcsc1889



## **Available Sizes**

Size: 200mg

Size: 500mg



# **Specifications**

**CAS No:** 

68291-98-5

#### Formula:

 $C_8H_7N_2NaO_3S$ 

#### **Pathway:**

Membrane Transporter/Ion Channel; Membrane Transporter/Ion Channel

#### **Target:**

Calcium Channel; Sodium Channel

### **Purity / Grade:**

>98%

## **Solubility:**

10 mM in DMSO

#### **Alternative Names:**

AD 810 sodium; CI 912 sodium

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

234.21

# **Product Description**

Zonisamide sodium is a 1,2 benzisoxazole derivative and the first agent of this chemical class to be developed as an antiepileptic drug.





Target: Calcium channel inhibitor; Sodium channel inhibitor

Zonisamide sodium is a sulfonamide anticonvulsant approved for use as an adjunctive therapy in adults with partial-onset seizures for adults; infantile spasm, mixed seizure types of Lennox-Gastaut syndrome, myoclonic, and generalized tonic clonic seizure. Zonisamide sodium is a 1,2 benzisoxazole derivative and the first agent of this chemical class to be developed as an antiepileptic drug. It has shown activity in various animal models of epilepsy, and although a detailed mode of action awaits clarification it appears to block the propagation/spread of seizure discharges and to suppress the epileptogenic focus [1].

Zonisamide sodium 500 mg/day was significantly superior to placebo in reducing the frequency of complex partial seizures (-51% versus -16%), all partial seizures and all seizures, with dose-dependent benefit provided over a 100-500 mg/day dose range. Supporting trials have confirmed significant increases in reduction in median seizure frequency (up to 41%) and responder rates (35-42%) compared with placebo following zonisamide sodium 400-600 mg/day, enabling 20-27% of patients to attain >or=75% reduction in seizure frequency [2].

Clinical indications: Epilepsy; Lewy body dementia; Parkinsons disease

Toxicity: Anorexia; Somnolence; Dizziness; Irritability; Confusional state; Depression; Diplopia; Memory impairment

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