Guidance on Rizatriptan Benzoate

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Active ingredient: Rizatriptan Benzoate

Form/Route: Tablets/Oral

Recommended studies: 2 studies

1. Type of study: Fasting

Design: Single-dose, two-way crossover in-vivo

Strength: 10 mg

Subjects: Normal healthy males and females, general population

Additional comments:

2. Type of study: Fed

Design: Single-dose, two-way crossover in-vivo

Strength: 10 mg

Subjects: Normal healthy males and females, general population

Additional comments:

Analytes to measure (in appropriate biological fluid): Rizatriptan in plasma

Bioequivalence based on (90% CI): Rizatriptan

Waiver request of in-vivo testing: 5 mg, based on (i) acceptable bioequivalence studies on the 10 mg strength, (ii) proportionally similar across all strengths, and (iii) acceptable in vitro dissolution testing of all strengths.

Dissolution test method and sampling times:

Please note that a **Dissolution Methods Database** is available to the public at the OGD website at http://www.fda.gov/cder/ogd/index.htm. Please find the dissolution information for this product at this website. Please conduct comparative dissolution testing on 12 dosage units each of all strengths of the test and reference products. Specifications will be determined upon review of the application.