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# **PROPRIETARY NAME REVIEW(S)**

## PROPRIETARY NAME REVIEW

Division of Medication Error Prevention and Analysis (DMEPA)
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Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (CDER)

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**Date of This Review:** February 5, 2019

**Application Type and Number:** NDA 212839

**Product Name and Strength:** Xcopri (cenobamate) tablet,

12.5 mg, 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg, 150 mg, 200 mg

**Product Type:** Single Ingredient Product

**Rx or OTC:** Prescription (Rx)

**Applicant/Sponsor Name:** SK Life Sciences, Inc. (SKLSI)

**Panorama #:** 2018-27558023

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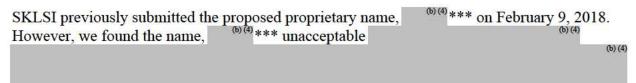
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### 1 INTRODUCTION

This review evaluates the proposed proprietary name, Xcopri, from a safety and misbranding perspective. The sources and methods used to evaluate the proposed proprietary name are outlined in the reference section and Appendix A, respectively. SK Life Sciences, Inc. (SKLSI) submitted an external name study, conducted by for this proposed proprietary name.

### 1.1 REGULATORY HISTORY



Thus, SKLSI submitted the name, Xcopri, for review on November 26, 2018.

### 1.2 PRODUCT INFORMATION

The following product information is provided in the proprietary name submission received on November 26, 2018.

- Intended Pronunciation: ex koe' pree
- Active Ingredient: cenobamate
- Indication of Use: treatment of partial-onset seizures in adult patients
- Route of Administration: oral
- Dosage Form: tablet
- Strength: 12.5 mg, 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg, 150 mg, 200 mg
- Dose and Frequency: The starting dose is 12.5 mg once daily for 2 weeks, followed by 25 mg once daily for 2 weeks, followed by 50 mg once daily for 2 weeks. Increase the dose in bi-weekly increments by no more than 50 mg once daily to a recommended maintenance dose of mg once daily. The daily dose should not exceed 400 mg per day.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Whaley, E. Proprietary Name Review for (IND 076809). Silver Spring (MD): FDA, CDER, OSE, DMEPA (US); 2018 AUG 07. Panorama No. 2018-20948867.

# How Supplied:

Dosage Strength/Quantity	Packaging	NDC	
12.5 mg/14 count and 25 mg/14 count	Blister, Titration Pack	71699-201-28	
50 mg/30 count	Bottle	71699-050-30	
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50 mg/14 count and 100 mg/14 count	Blister, Titration Pack	71699-202-28	
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50 mg/28 count and 200 mg/28 count	Blister, Maintenance Pack	71699-102-56	
100 mg/30 count	Bottle	71699-100-30	
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150 mg/14 count and 200 mg/14 count	Blister, Titration Pack	71699-203-28	*17120
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150 mg/28 count and 200 mg/28 count	Blister, Maintenance Pack	71699-103-56	
200 mg/30 count	Bottle	71699-200-30	
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 Storage: 20-25°C (68-77°F) with excursions permitted to 15-30°C (59-86°F) (See USP Controlled Room Temperature).

# 2 RESULTS

The following sections provide information obtained and considered in the overall evaluation of the proposed proprietary name, Xcopri.

## 2.1 MISBRANDING ASSESSMENT

The Office of Prescription Drug Promotion (OPDP) determined that Xcopri would not misbrand the proposed product. The Division of Medication Error Prevention and Analysis (DMEPA) and the Division of Neurology Products (DNP) concurred with the findings of OPDP's assessment for Xcopri.

# 2.2 SAFETY ASSESSMENT

The following aspects were considered in the safety evaluation of the proposed proprietary name, Xcopri.

# 2.2.1 United States Adopted Names (USAN) Search

There is no USAN stem present in the proposed proprietary name<sup>b</sup>.

# 2.2.2 Components of the Proposed Proprietary Name

SKLSI did not provide a derivation or intended meaning for the proposed proprietary name, Xcopri, in their submission. This proprietary name is comprised of a single word that does not contain any components (i.e. a modifier, route of administration, dosage form, etc.) that are misleading or can contribute to medication error.

# 2.2.3 Comments from Other Review Disciplines at Initial Review

In response to the OSE, December 14, 2018 e-mail, the Division of Neurology Products (DNP) forwarded the following concern relating to Xcopri at the initial phase of the review: "We are concerned that the name Xcopri may be confused with Gocovri."

We considered DNP's concerns, and evaluated the name pair Xcopri and Gocovri for risk of confusion. Phonetically, the 1st syllables ('Ex' vs 'Go') and onsets of the 3rd syllables ('pree' vs 'vree') of this name pair provide sufficient differences. Orthographically, the 1st letters ('X' vs 'G') provide orthographic differences. Additionally, Xcopri contains a downstroke letter 'p' in the infix, whereas Gocovri contains no downstroke letters. These differences give the name pairs different shapes when scripted. Lastly, there is no overlap in strength (12.5 mg, 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg, 150 mg, 200 mg, 200 mg vs 68.5 mg and 137 mg) or dose (12.5 mg, 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg, 150 mg, 200 mg, 250 mg, 300 mg, and 400 mg vs 68.5 mg, 137 mg, and 274 mg). We determined these differences help mitigate the risk for medication errors related to name confusion (See appendix E).

# 2.2.4 FDA Name Simulation Studies

One hundred four practitioners participated in DMEPA's prescription studies for Xcopri. The responses did not overlap with any currently marketed products nor did the responses sound or look similar to any currently marketed products or any products in the pipeline. Appendix B contains the results from the verbal and written prescription studies.

# 2.2.5 Phonetic and Orthographic Computer Analysis (POCA) Search Results Our POCA search<sup>c</sup> identified 45 names with a combined phonetic and orthographic score of ≥55% or an individual phonetic or orthographic score ≥70%. These names are included in Table 1 below.

# 2.2.6 Names Retrieved for Review Organized by Name Pair Similarity

Table 1 lists the number of names retrieved from our POCA search and the the text of the t

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> USAN stem search conducted on January 9, 2019.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> POCA search conducted on January 9, 2019 in version 4.3.

Table 1. Names Retrieved for Review Organized Similarity	by Name Pair
Similarity Category	Number of Names
Highly similar name pair: combined match percentage score ≥70%	2
Moderately similar name pair: combined match percentage score ≥55% to ≤ 69%	44
Low similarity name pair: combined match percentage score ≤54%	2

# 2.2.7 Safety Analysis of Names with Potential Orthographic, Spelling, and Phonetic Similarities

Our analysis of the 48 names contained in Table 1 determined none of the names will pose a risk for confusion with Xcopri as described in Appendices C through H.

# 2.2.8 Communication of DMEPA's Analysis at Midpoint of Review

DMEPA communicated our findings to the Division of Neurology Products (DNP) via e-mail on January 30, 2019. At that time, we also requested additional information or concerns that could inform our review. Per e-mail correspondence from the Division of Neurology Products (DNP) on February 4, 2019, they stated no additional concerns with the proposed proprietary name, Xcopri.

## 3 CONCLUSION

The proposed proprietary name, Xcopri, is acceptable.

If you have any questions or need clarifications, please contact Monique Killen, OSE project manager, at 240-402-1985.

# 3.1 COMMENTS TO SK LIFE SCIENCES, INC.

We have completed our review of the proposed proprietary name, Xcopri, and have concluded that this name is acceptable.

If any of the proposed product characteristics as stated in your submission, received on November 26, 2018, are altered prior to approval of the marketing application, the name must be resubmitted for review.

#### 4 REFERENCES

USAN Stems (<u>https://www.ama-assn.org/about/united-states-adopted-names-approved-stems</u>)
 USAN Stems List contains all the recognized USAN stems.

## 2. Phonetic and Orthographic Computer Analysis (POCA)

POCA is a system that FDA designed. As part of the name similarity assessment, POCA is used to evaluate proposed names via a phonetic and orthographic algorithm. The proposed proprietary name is converted into its phonemic representation before it runs through the phonetic algorithm. Likewise, an orthographic algorithm exists that operates in a similar fashion. POCA is publicly accessible.

## Drugs@FDA

Drugs@FDA is an FDA Web site that contains most of the drug products approved in the United States since 1939. The majority of labels, approval letters, reviews, and other information are available for drug products approved from 1998 to the present. Drugs@FDA contains official information about FDA-approved *brand name* and *generic drugs*; *therapeutic biological products*, *prescription* and *over-the-counter* human drugs; and *discontinued drugs* (see Drugs @ FDA Glossary of Terms, available at <a href="http://www.fda.gov/Drugs/InformationOnDrugs/ucm079436.htm#ther-biological">http://www.fda.gov/Drugs/InformationOnDrugs/ucm079436.htm#ther-biological</a>).

#### RxNorm

RxNorm contains the names of prescription and many OTC drugs available in the United States. RxNorm includes generic and branded:

- Clinical drugs pharmaceutical products given to (or taken by) a patient with therapeutic or diagnostic intent
- Drug packs packs that contain multiple drugs, or drugs designed to be administered in a specified sequence

Radiopharmaceuticals, contrast media, food, dietary supplements, and medical devices, such as bandages and crutches, are all out of scope for RxNorm (http://www.nlm.nih.gov/research/umls/rxnorm/overview.html#).

# Division of Medication Errors Prevention and Analysis proprietary name consultation requests

This is a list of proposed and pending names that is generated by the Division of Medication Error Prevention and Analysis from the Access database/tracking system.

#### **APPENDICES**

# Appendix A

FDA's Proprietary Name Risk Assessment evaluates proposed proprietary names for misbranding and safety concerns.

- 1. **Misbranding Assessment**: For prescription drug products, OPDP assesses the name for misbranding concerns. For over-the-counter (OTC) drug products, the misbranding assessment of the proposed name is conducted by DNDP. OPDP or DNDP evaluates proposed proprietary names to determine if the name is false or misleading, such as by making misrepresentations with respect to safety or efficacy. For example, a fanciful proprietary name may misbrand a product by suggesting that it has some unique effectiveness or composition when it does not (21 CFR 201.10(c)(3)). OPDP or DNDP provides their opinion to DMEPA for consideration in the overall acceptability of the proposed proprietary name.
- 2. **Safety Assessment**: The safety assessment is conducted by DMEPA, and includes the following:
- a. Preliminary Assessment: We consider inclusion of USAN stems or other characteristics that when incorporated into a proprietary name may cause or contribute to medication errors (i.e., dosing interval, dosage form/route of administration, medical or product name abbreviations, names that include or suggest the composition of the drug product, etc.) See prescreening checklist below in Table 2\*. DMEPA defines a medication error as any preventable event that may cause or lead to inappropriate medication use or patient harm while the medication is in the control of the health care professional, patient, or consumer. d

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>d</sup> National Coordinating Council for Medication Error Reporting and Prevention. http://www.nccmerp.org/aboutMedErrors.html. Last accessed 10/11/2007.

\*Table 2- Prescreening Checklist for Proposed Proprietary Name

	Answer the questions in the checklist below. Affirmative answers to any of these questions indicate a potential area of concern that should be carefully evaluated as described in this guidance.		
Y/N	Is the proposed name obviously similar in spelling and pronunciation to other names?		
	Proprietary names should not be similar in spelling or pronunciation to proprietary names, established names, or ingredients of other products.		
Y/N	Are there inert or inactive ingredients referenced in the proprietary name?		
	Proprietary names should not incorporate any reference to an inert or inactive ingredient in a way that might create an impression that the ingredient's value is greater than its true functional role in the formulation (21 CFR 201.10(c)(4)).		
Y/N	Does the proprietary name include combinations of active ingredients?		
	Proprietary names of fixed combination drug products should not include or suggest the name of one or more, but not all, of its active ingredients (see 21 CFR 201.6(b)).		
Y/N	Is there a United States Adopted Name (USAN) stem in the proprietary name?		
	Proprietary names should not incorporate a USAN stem in the position that USAN designates for the stem.		
Y/N	Is this proprietary name used for another product that does not share at least one common active ingredient?		
	Drug products that do not contain at least one common active ingredient should not use the same (root) proprietary name.		
Y/N	Is this a proprietary name of a discontinued product?		
	Proprietary names should not use the proprietary name of a discontinued product if that discontinued drug product does not contain the same active ingredients.		

- b. Phonetic and Orthographic Computer Analysis (POCA): Following the preliminary screening of the proposed proprietary name, DMEPA staff evaluates the proposed name against potentially similar names. In order to identify names with potential similarity to the proposed proprietary name, DMEPA enters the proposed proprietary name in POCA and queries the name against the following drug reference databases, Drugs@fda, CernerRxNorm, and names in the review pipeline using a 55% threshold in POCA. DMEPA reviews the combined orthographic and phonetic matches and group the names into one of the following three categories:
  - Highly similar pair: combined match percentage score  $\geq$ 70%.
  - Moderately similar pair: combined match percentage score  $\geq$ 55% to  $\leq$  69%.
  - Low similarity: combined match percentage score ≤54%.

Using the criteria outlined in the check list (Table 3-5) that corresponds to each of the three categories (highly similar pair, moderately similar pair, and low similarity), DMEPA evaluates the name pairs to determine the acceptability or non-acceptability of a proposed proprietary name. The intent of these checklists is to increase the transparency and predictability of the safety determination of whether a proposed name is vulnerable to confusion from a look-alike or sound-alike perspective. Each bullet below corresponds to the name similarity category cross-references the respective table that addresses criteria that DMEPA uses to determine whether a name presents a safety concern from a look-alike or sound-alike perspective.

- For highly similar names, differences in product characteristics often cannot mitigate the risk of a medication error, including product differences such as strength and dose. Thus, proposed proprietary names that have a combined score of ≥ 70 percent are at risk for a look-alike sound-alike confusion which is an area of concern (See Table 3).
- Moderately similar names are further evaluated to identify the presence of attributes that are known to cause name confusion.
  - Name attributes: We note that the beginning of the drug name plays a significant role in contributing to confusion. Additionally, drug name pairs that start with the same first letter and contain a shared letter string of at least 3 letters in both names are major contributing factor in the confusion of drug names. We evaluate all moderately similar names retrieved from POCA to identify the above attributes. These names are further evaluated to identify overlapping or similar strengths or doses.
  - Product attributes: Moderately similar names of products that have overlapping or similar strengths or doses represent an area for concern for FDA. The dose and strength information is often located in close proximity to the drug name itself on prescriptions and medication orders, and the information can be an important factor that either increases or decreases the potential for confusion between similarly named drug pairs. The ability of other product characteristics to mitigate confusion (e.g., route, frequency, dosage form) may be limited when the strength or dose overlaps. DMEPA reviews such names further, to determine whether sufficient differences exist to prevent confusion. (See Table 4).
- Names with low similarity that have no overlap or similarity in strength and dose are generally acceptable (See Table 5) unless there are data to suggest that the name might be vulnerable to confusion (e.g., prescription simulation study suggests that the name is likely to be misinterpreted as a marketed product). In these instances, we would reassign a low similarity name to the moderate similarity category and review according to the moderately similar name pair checklist.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>e</sup> Shah, M, Merchant, L, Characteristics That May Help in the Identification of Potentially Confusing Proprietary Drug Names. Therapeutic Innovation & Regulatory Science, September 2016

c. FDA Prescription Simulation Studies: DMEPA staff also conducts a prescription simulation studies using FDA health care professionals.

Three separate studies are conducted within the Centers of the FDA for the proposed proprietary name to determine the degree of confusion of the proposed proprietary name with marketed U.S. drug names (proprietary and established) due to similarity in visual appearance with handwritten prescriptions or verbal pronunciation of the drug name. The studies employ healthcare professionals (pharmacists, physicians, and nurses), and attempts to simulate the prescription ordering process. The primary Safety Evaluator uses the results to identify orthographic or phonetic vulnerability of the proposed name to be misinterpreted by healthcare practitioners.

In order to evaluate the potential for misinterpretation of the proposed proprietary name in handwriting and verbal communication of the name, inpatient medication orders and/or outpatient prescriptions are written, each consisting of a combination of marketed and unapproved drug products, including the proposed name. These orders are optically scanned and one prescription is delivered to a random sample of participating health professionals via e-mail. In addition, a verbal prescription is recorded on voice mail. The voice mail messages are then sent to a random sample of the participating health professionals for their interpretations and review. After receiving either the written or verbal prescription orders, the participants record their interpretations of the orders which are recorded electronically.

d. Comments from Other Review Disciplines: DMEPA requests the Office of New Drugs (OND) and/or Office of Generic Drugs (OGD), ONDQA or OBP for their comments or concerns with the proposed proprietary name, ask for any clinical issues that may impact the DMEPA review during the initial phase of the name review. Additionally, when applicable, at the same time DMEPA requests concurrence/non-concurrence with OPDP's decision on the name. The primary Safety Evaluator addresses any comments or concerns in the safety evaluator's assessment.

The OND/OGD Regulatory Division is contacted a second time following our analysis of the proposed proprietary name. At this point, DMEPA conveys their decision to accept or reject the name. The OND or OGD Regulatory Division is requested to provide any further information that might inform DMEPA's final decision on the proposed name.

Additionally, other review disciplines opinions such as ONDQA or OBP may be considered depending on the proposed proprietary name.

When provided, DMEPA considers external proprietary name studies conducted by or for the Applicant/Sponsor and incorporates the findings of these studies into the overall risk assessment.

The DMEPA primary reviewer assigned to evaluate the proposed proprietary name is responsible for considering the collective findings, and provides an overall risk assessment of the proposed proprietary name.

Table 3. Highly Similar Name Pair Checklist (i.e., combined Orthographic and Phonetic score is  $\geq 70\%$ ).

Answer the questions in the checklist below. Affirmative answers to some of these questions suggest that the pattern of orthographic or phonetic differences in the names may render the names less likely to confusion, provided that the pair does not share a common strength or dose.

	Orthographic Checklist		Phonetic Checklist		
Y/N	Do the names begin with different first letters?	Y/N	Do the names have different number of syllables?		
	Note that even when names begin with different first letters, certain letters may be confused with each other when scripted.				
Y/N	Are the lengths of the names dissimilar* when scripted?	Y/N	Do the names have different syllabic stresses?		
	*FDA considers the length of names different if the names differ by two or more letters.				
Y/N	Considering variations in scripting of some letters (such as <i>z</i> and <i>f</i> ), is there a different number or placement of upstroke/downstroke letters present in the names?	Y/N	Do the syllables have different phonologic processes, such vowel reduction, assimilation, or deletion?		
Y/N	Is there different number or placement of cross-stroke or dotted letters present in the names?	Y/N	Across a range of dialects, are the names consistently pronounced differently?		
Y/N	Do the infixes of the name appear dissimilar when scripted?				
Y/N	Do the suffixes of the names appear dissimilar when scripted?				

# Table 4: Moderately Similar Name Pair Checklist (i.e., combined score is $\geq 55\%$ to $\leq 69\%$ ).

Step 1 Review the DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION and HOW SUPPLIED/STORAGE AND HANDLING sections of the prescribing information (or for OTC drugs refer to the Drug Facts label) to determine if strengths and doses of the name pair overlap or are very similar. Different strengths and doses for products whose names are moderately similar may decrease the risk of confusion between the moderately similar name pairs. Name pairs that have overlapping or similar strengths or doses have a higher potential for confusion and should be evaluated further (see Step 2). Because the strength or dose could be used to express an order or prescription for a particular drug product, overlap in one or both of these components would be reason for further evaluation.

For single strength products, also consider circumstances where the strength may not be expressed.

For any i.e. drug products comprised of more than one active ingredient, consider whether the strength or dose may be expressed using only one of the components.

To determine whether the strengths or doses are similar to your proposed product, consider the following list of factors that may increase confusion:

- Alternative expressions of dose: 5 mL may be listed in the prescribing information, but the dose may be expressed in metric weight (e.g., 500 mg) or in non-metric units (e.g., 1 tsp, 1 tablet/capsule). Similarly, a strength or dose of 1000 mg may be expressed, in practice, as 1 g, or vice versa.
- Trailing or deleting zeros: 10 mg is similar in appearance to 100 mg which may potentiate confusion between a name pair with moderate similarity.
- Similar sounding doses: 15 mg is similar in sound to 50 mg

# Step 2 Answer the questions in the checklist below. Affirmative answers to some of these questions suggest that the pattern of orthographic or phonetic differences in the names may reduce the likelihood of confusion for moderately similar names <a href="with">with</a> overlapping or similar strengths or doses.

# Orthographic Checklist (Y/N to each question)

- Do the names begin with different first letters?
  - Note that even when names begin with different first letters, certain letters may be confused with each other when scripted.
- Are the lengths of the names dissimilar\* when scripted?
   \*FDA considers the length of names different if the names differ by two or

more letters.

- Considering variations in scripting of some letters (such as *z* and *f*), is there a different number or placement of upstroke/downstroke letters present in the names?
- Is there different number or placement of cross-stroke or dotted letters present in the names?
- Do the infixes of the name appear dissimilar when scripted?
- Do the suffixes of the names appear dissimilar when scripted?

# Phonetic Checklist (Y/N to each question)

- Do the names have different number of syllables?
- Do the names have different syllabic stresses?
- Do the syllables have different phonologic processes, such vowel reduction, assimilation, or deletion?
- Across a range of dialects, are the names consistently pronounced differently?

# **Table 5: Low Similarity Name Pair Checklist (i.e., combined score is ≤54%).**

Names with low similarity are generally acceptable unless there are data to suggest that the name might be vulnerable to confusion (e.g., prescription simulation study suggests that the name is likely to be misinterpreted as a marketed product). In these instances, we would reassign a low similarity name to the moderate similarity category and review according to the moderately similar name pair checklist.

# **Appendix B:** Prescription Simulation Samples and Results

Figure 1. Xcopri Study (Conducted on December 18, 2018)

Handwritten Medication Order/Prescription	Verbal Prescription
Medication Order:	Xcopri
X/-02: 150 - 2	50 mg/100 mg/200 mg
Keopri 150mp po QD	Titration Pack
Outpatient Prescription:	UAD
Xtomari	#1 pack
X copii 50 mg/100 mg/200 mg Ditration Pack Use as directed #1 pack	
#1 pack	

# FDA Prescription Simulation Responses (Aggregate Report)

Study Name: Xcopri As of Date 1/9/2019

307 People Received Study 104 People Responded

Study Name: Xcopri

Total	62	19	23	104
INTERPRETATION	OUTPATIENT	VOICE	INPATIENT	TOTAL
EXCOPREY	0	1	0	1
EXCOPRI	0	3	0	3
EXCOPRY	0	2	0	2
EXKOPRI	0	1	0	1
HEXCOPRE	0	2	0	2
HEXCOPREE	0	2	0	2
HEXCOPRI	0	5	0	5
HEXCOPRY	0	2	0	2
UNABLE TO READ	1	0	0	1
X CAPRI	1	0	0	1
XCOPII	3	0	0	3
XCOPRE	0	1	0	1
XCOPRI	46	0	3	49
XCOPRI 50MG/100 MG/200MG	1	0	0	1
XCOPRI?	1	0	0	1
XCOPSI	1	0	0	1
XEOPRI	7	0	8	15
XIOPNI	1	0	0	1
XIOPRE	0	0	1	1
XIOPRI	0	0	11	11

**Appendix C:** Highly Similar Names (e.g., combined POCA score is ≥70%)

No.	Proposed name: Xcopri	POCA	Orthographic and/or phonetic
	<b>Established name:</b> cenobamate <b>Dosage form:</b> tablet <b>Strength(s):</b> 12.5 mg, 25 mg,	Score (%)	differences in the names sufficient to prevent confusion
	mg Usual Dose: The starting dose is 12.5 mg once daily for 2 weeks, followed by 25 mg once daily for 2 weeks, followed by 50 mg once daily for 2 weeks. Increase the dose in bi-weekly increments by no more than 50 mg once daily to a recommended maintenance dose of  (b)(4) mg once daily. The daily dose should not exceed 400 mg per day.		Other prevention of failure mode expected to minimize the risk of confusion between these two names.
1.	Xcopri***	100	This is the name under consideration.
2.	Vicoprin	70	Phonetically, the 1 <sup>st</sup> syllables ('Ex' vs 'vye') and the end of the 3 <sup>rd</sup> syllables ('ee' vs 'in') of this name pair provide sufficient differences.  Orthographically, the 1 <sup>st</sup> letters ('X' vs 'V') of this name pair provide sufficient differences.  In addition to the above orthographic and phonetic differences, the following differences in product characteristics may also help to mitigate the risk of errors:  There is no overlap in strength (12.5 mg, 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg, 150 mg, 200 mg vs 5/500 mg).

**Appendix D:** Moderately Similar Names (e.g., combined POCA score is ≥55% to ≤69%) with no overlap or numerical similarity in Strength and/or Dose

No.	Name	POCA Score (%)
3.	Copper	62
4.	Xtoro	60
5.	Lidopro	56
6.	Backprin	56
7.	X-Prep	55
8.	Otiprio	55
9.	Cipro Xr	52

**Appendix E:** Moderately Similar Names (e.g., combined POCA score is ≥55% to ≤69%) with overlap or numerical similarity in Strength and/or Dose

No.	Proposed name: Xcopri Established name: cenobamate Dosage form: tablet Strength(s): 12.5 mg, 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg, 150 mg, 200 mg Usual Dose: The starting dose is 12.5 mg once daily for 2 weeks, followed by 25 mg once daily for 2 weeks, followed by 50 mg once daily for 2 weeks. Increase the dose in bi-weekly increments by no more than 50 mg once daily to a recommended maintenance dose of  (b)(4) mg once daily. The daily dose should not exceed 400 mg per day.	POCA Score (%)	In the conditions outlined below, the following combination of factors, are expected to minimize the risk of confusion between these two names
10.	Compro	66	This name pair has sufficient orthographic and phonetic differences.
11.	Clopra	65	This name pair has sufficient orthographic and phonetic differences.
12.	Cipro	63	This name pair has sufficient orthographic and phonetic differences.

No.	Proposed name: Xcopri	POCA	Prevention of Failure Mode
	Established name: cenobamate	Score (%)	
	Dosage form: tablet Strength(s): 12.5 mg, 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg, 150 mg, 200 mg Usual Dose: The starting dose is 12.5 mg once daily for 2 weeks, followed by 25 mg once daily for 2 weeks, followed by 50 mg once daily for 2 weeks. Increase the dose in bi-weekly increments by no more than 50 mg once daily to a recommended maintenance dose of (b)(4) mg once daily. The daily dose should not exceed 400 mg		In the conditions outlined below, the following combination of factors, are expected to minimize the risk of confusion between these two names
20	per day.		
13.	Gocovri	62	This name pair has sufficient orthographic and phonetic differences.  Orthographically, the 1st letters ('X'vs 'G') and infixes ('op' vs 'cov') of this name pair provide sufficient differences.  Phonetically, the 1st syllable ('Ex' vs 'Go') and onset of the 3rd syllable ('pree' vs 'vree') of this name pair provide sufficient differences.  In addition to the above orthographic and phonetic differences, the following differences in product characteristics may also help to mitigate the risk of errors:  There is no overlap in strength (12.5 mg, 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg, 150 mg, 200 mg vs 68.5 mg and 137 mg) or dose (12.5 mg, 25 mg, 50 mg, 100 mg, 150 mg, 200 mg, 250 mg, 300 mg, and 400 mg vs 68.5 mg, 137 mg, and 274 mg).

No.	Proposed name: Xcopri	POCA	Prevention of Failure Mode
	Established name: cenobamate	Score (%)	
	Dosage form: tablet		In the conditions outlined below, the
	<b>Strength(s):</b> 12.5 mg, 25 mg,		following combination of factors, are
	50 mg, 100 mg, 150 mg, 200		expected to minimize the risk of
	mg		confusion between these two names
	Usual Dose: The starting dose		
	is 12.5 mg once daily for 2		
	weeks, followed by 25 mg once		
	daily for 2 weeks, followed by		
	50 mg once daily for 2 weeks.		
	Increase the dose in bi-weekly		
	increments by no more than 50		
	mg once daily to a		
	recommended maintenance		
	dose of (b) (4)		
	(b) (4) mg once daily. The daily		
	dose should not exceed 400 mg		
	per day.		
14.	Xalkori	58	This name pair has sufficient
	Per Charles State Control		orthographic and phonetic differences.
			Orthographically, the infixes ('op' vs
			'lko') of this name pair provide
			sufficient differences.
			Phonetically, the 1st syllables ('ex' vs
			'zal') and the onset of the 3 <sup>rd</sup> syllables
			('pree' vs 'ree') of this name pair
			provide sufficient differentiation.
15.	Dyclopro	58	This name pair has sufficient
	3000000		orthographic and phonetic differences.
16.	Cipro I.V.	57	This name pair has sufficient
10.	The state of the s		orthographic and phonetic differences.
17.	Captopril	56	This name pair has sufficient
	Name I and The Control of the Contro	n =(=0)	orthographic and phonetic differences.
18.	(b) (4) ***	56	This name pair has sufficient
10.		0.00(PG)	orthographic and phonetic differences.
19.	(b) (4) ***	56	This name pair has sufficient
1.		- 55	orthographic and phonetic differences.
20.	Accupril	56	This name pair has sufficient
20.	лосирін	30	orthographic and phonetic differences.
21.	Ciclopirox	52	This name pair has sufficient
21.	Ciciopiiox	32	orthographic and phonetic differences.
	4	N. C.	ormographic and phonetic differences.

**Appendix F:** Low Similarity Names (e.g., combined POCA score is ≤54%)

No.	Name	POCA Score (%)
22.	XTANDI	44
23.	XOPENEX	36

<u>Appendix G:</u> Names not likely to be confused or not used in usual practice settings for the reasons described.

No.	Name	POCA Score (%)	Failure preventions
24.	Tucoprim	64	Name identified in RxNorm database. Unable to find product characteristics in commonly used drug databases.
25.	Caprin	64	International product formerly marketed in Australia.
26.	Codrix	60	Brand discontinued with no generic equivalents available. ANDA 040441, ANDA 040447, and ANDA 040488 were withdrawn, FR effective 03/27/2014.
27.	Zorprin	59	Brand discontinued with no generic equivalents available.
28.	Scoparium	59	Name identified in RxNorm database. Unable to find product characteristics in commonly used drug databases.
29.	(b) (4) * * *	59	Proposed proprietary name for NDA 202342 found unacceptable by DMEPA (OSE# 2011-3165). NDA 202342 approved without a proprietary name.
30.	Corid	57	Veterinary product.
31.	Roxiprin	56	Brand discontinued with no generic equivalents available.
32.	Sloprin	56	Brand discontinued with no generic equivalents available.
33.	Nycopren	56	International product marketed in Denmark.
34.	Acuprin 81	56	Name identified in RxNorm database. Unable to find product characteristics in commonly used drug databases.
35.	ACUPRIN	56	Name identified in the (b) external study. Unable to find product characteristics in commonly used drug databases.
36.	Capropril	55	Name identified in RxNorm database. Unable to find product characteristics in commonly used drug databases.

No.	Name	POCA Score (%)	Failure preventions
37.	(b) (4) * * *	55	Name identified in Names Entered by Safety Evaluator database. Unable to find product characteristics in internal databases.
38.	Solprin	55	International product formerly marketed in UK and New Zealand.
39.	Z-Xtra	54	Brand discontinued with no generic equivalents available.
40.	Cortic	53	Brand discontinued with no generic equivalents available.
41.	Ciproxin	50	International product marketed in Australia, UK, Austria, Greece, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Netherlands, New Zealand, Finland, Sweden, Turkey, and Thailand.

**Appendix H:** Names not likely to be confused due to absence of attributes that are known to cause name confusion <sup>f</sup>.

No.	Name	POCA
		Score (%)
42.	Cotrim	66
43.	Accupro	58
44.	Colprep***	58
45.	Cortril	58
46.	Ecotrin	57
47.	Zocor	56
48.	Cosuric	55

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>f</sup> Shah, M, Merchant, L, Chan, I, and Taylor, K. Characteristics That May Help in the Identification of Potentially Confusing Proprietary Drug Names. Therapeutic Innovation & Regulatory Science, September 2016

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