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ABSTRACT

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The present invention relates to a thermodynamically stable modification of the active compound ramatroban. The thermodynamically stable form is prepared either by melting of the metastable form and subsequent recrystallization or by seeding a solution of the metastable active compound with a seed crystal of the thermodynamically stable form. The thermodynamically stable active compound can be employed as an asthma agent.