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(57) Abstract: The present invention relates to a process for the preparation of 2-[5-(4-fluorophenyl)-3-pyridylmethylaminomethyl]-chroman, the enantiomers and salts thereof, characterised in that 5-(4-fluorophenyl)pyridine-3-carbaldehyde is reacted directly with aminomethylchroman or salts thereof under reducing conditions to give 2-[5-(4-fluorophenyl)-3-pyridylmethylaminomethyl]chroman, and, if desired, is converted into one of the physiologically acceptable salts by treatment with an acid

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