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(57) Abstract: This invention relates to pharmaceutical compositions containing S-methyl-dihydro-ziprasidone and to the use of such compound and its pharmaceutically acceptable salts for the treatment of psychiatric and ocular disorders. More specifically, it relates to the use of such compound and its pharmaceutically acceptable salts for the treatment of a disorder or condition selected from: schizophrenia, anxiety disorders such as generalized anxiety disorder, panic disorder, posttraumatic stress disorder and phobias (*e.g.*, social phobia, agoraphobia etc.); psychotic episodes of anxiety: anxiety, agitation, excessive aggression, tension, or social or emotional withdrawal associated with psychosis; psychotic mood disorders such as severe major depressive disorder; mood disorders associated with psychotic disorders such as acute mania and depression associated with bipolar disorder, and mood disorders associated with schizophrenia; behavioral disturbances associated with mental retardation, autistic disorder, and conduct disorder; dementias such as dementias associated with Alzheimer's disease; drug-induced and neurodegeneration based dyskinesias; obsessive compulsive disorder; Tourette's syndrome; glaucoma; and ischemic retinopathy.