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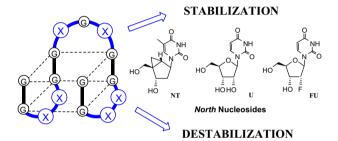
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Rhodanine-based sulfonamides were developed as antagonists of anti-apoptotic Bcl-2 protein.

Novel retinoic acid 4-hydroxylase (CYP26) inhibitors based on a 3-(1*H*-imidazol- and triazol-1-yl)-2,2-dimethyl-3-(4- pp 4201–4207 (phenylamino)phenyl)propyl scaffold

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The synthesis and inhibitory activity of novel 3-(1H-imidazol-and triazol-1-yl)-2,2-dimethyl-3-(4-(phenylamino)phenyl)) derivatives in a MCF-7 CYP26A1 microsomal assay are described. The most promising inhibitor methyl 2,2-dimethyl-3-(4-(phenylamino)phenyl)-3-(1H-1,2,4-triazol-1-yl) propanoate ($\mathbf{6}$, R = H, X = N) exhibited an IC₅₀ of 13 nM (compared with standards Liarozole IC₅₀ 540 nM and R116010 IC₅₀ 10 nM) and >100-fold selectivity for CYP26 compared with CYP1A2, 2C9 and 2D6 observed and 15-fold selectivity compared with CYP3A4. The results demonstrate the potential for further development of these potent inhibitors.

Design, synthesis and biological activity of 6-substituted carbamoyl benzimidazoles as new nonpeptidic angiotensin II AT_1 receptor antagonists

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A series of 6-substituted carbamoyl benzimidazoles were designed and synthesised. The in vitro and in vivo evaluation results showed that compound **6g** is an orally active AT₁ receptor antagonist with low toxicity.

Novel tricyclic indeno[2,1-d]pyrimidines with dual antiangiogenic and cytotoxic activities as potent antitumor agents pp 4217–4225

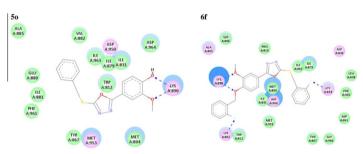
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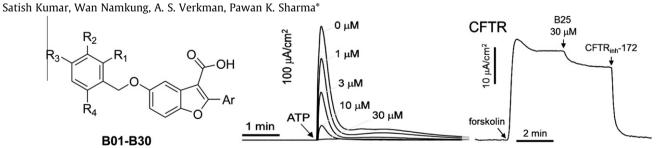
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A series of 1,3,4-oxadiazole derivatives (5a–5q, 6a–6q) have been first synthesized for their potential immunosuppressive activity. Among them, compound 5o and 6f displayed the most potential biological activity against T cells (IC_{50} = 1.25 μ M and 4.75 μ M for T cells) and the IC_{50} of positive control (csa) is 2.12 μ M. The preliminary mechanism of compound 5o and 6f inhibition effects was also detected by flow cytometry (FCM) and the compounds exerted immunosuppressive activity via inducing the apoptosis of activated lymph node cells in a dose dependent manner. Docking simulation was performed to position compound 5o and 6f into the PI3K $_{\gamma}$ structure active site to determine the probable binding model.



Novel 5-substituted benzyloxy-2-arylbenzofuran-3-carboxylic acids as calcium activated chloride channel inhibitors pp 4237–4244



Thirty novel 5-substituted benzyloxy-2-arylbenzofuran-3-carboxylic acids (**B01–B30**) were synthesized and evaluated for their TMEM16A inhibitory activity by using short circuit current measurements in Fischer rat thyroid (FRT) cells expressing human TMEM16A. Eight of the novel compounds exhibit excellent CaCCs inhibition with IC₅₀ value <6 μ M, with compound **B25** exhibiting the lowest IC₅₀ value of 2.8 μ M.

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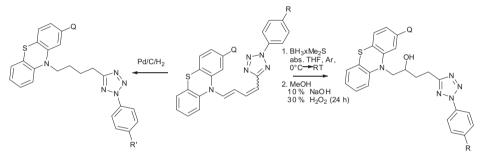
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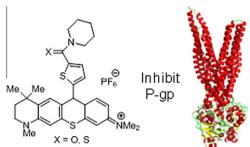




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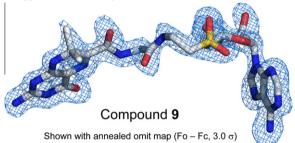
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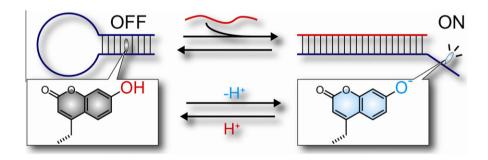
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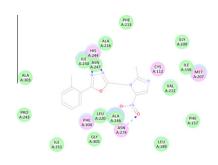




Design, synthesis and antimicrobial activities of nitroimidazole derivatives containing 1,3,4-oxadiazole scaffold as FabH pp 4316–4322 inhibitors

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Nitroimidazoles and their derivatives have drawn continuing interest over the years because of their varied biological activities, recently found application in drug development for antimicrobial chemotherapeutics and antiangiogenic hypoxic cell radiosensitizers. In order to search for novel antibacterial agents, we designed and synthesized a series of secnidazole analogs based on oxadiazole scaffold (4–21). Among these compounds, 4 and 7–21 were reported for the first time. These compounds were tested for antibacterial activities against *Escherichia coli*, *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*, *Bacillus subtilis* and *Staphylococcus aureus*. This new nitroimidazole derivatives class demonstrated strong antibacterial activities. *Escherichia coli* β -ketoacyl-acyl carrier protein synthase III (FabH) inhibitory assay and docking simulation indicated that the compounds 2-(2-methoxyphenyl)-5-((2-methyl-5-nitro-1*H*-imidazol-1-yl)methyl)-1,3,4-oxadiazole (11) with MIC of 1.56–3.13 μ g/mL against the tested bacterial strains and 2-((2-methyl-5-nitro-1*H*-imidazol-1-yl)methyl)-5-(2-methylbenzyl)-1,3,4-oxadiazole (12) with MIC of 1.56–6.25 μ g/mL were most potent inhibitors of *Escherichia coli* FabH.



Design, synthesis and antitumor activities of novel bis-aryl ureas derivatives as Raf kinase inhibitors

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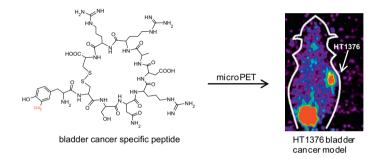
Wenhu Zhan, Yanyang Li, Weiping Huang, Yanjin Zhao, Zhenglin Yao, Shanyou Yu, Shoujun Yuan, Falong Jiang, Shan Yao, Shuxin Li^*

A series of novel bis-aryl ureas derivatives were designed and synthesized as Raf kinase inhibitors based on the lead compound of Sorafenib.

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Inhibition of monoamine oxidase by 8-phenoxymethylcaffeine derivatives

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$0 \\ N \\ N \\ N \\ N \\ X \\ R$		n	R	X	IC ₅₀ MAO-A μM	IC ₅₀ MAO-B μM
	3c	1	3-Br	О	34.0	0.148
	3i	1	4-Br	О	10.7	0.187
	4c	1	3-Br	S	23.8	4.90
	5b	2	3-Br	S	No inhibition	5.67

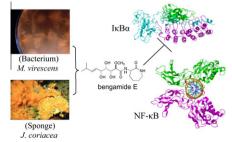
The human MAO inhibition potencies of a synthetic series of caffeine derivatives are reported.



Myxobacteria versus sponge-derived alkaloids: The bengamide family identified as potent immune modulating agents by scrutiny of LC-MS/ELSD libraries

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Cdc25a: $0.11 \pm 0.01 \mu M$ Cdc25b: $0.60 \pm 0.07 \mu M$

>>10 µM

Highly potent macrocyclic BACE-1 inhibitors incorporating a hydroxyethylamine core: Design, synthesis and X-ray crystal structures of enzyme inhibitor complexes

Cdc25c:

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Veronica Sandgren, Tatiana Agback, Per-Ola Johansson, Jimmy Lindberg, Ingemar Kvarnström, Bertil Samuelsson, Oscar Belda*, Anders Dahlgren*



Modified tetrahalogenated benzimidazoles with CK2 inhibitory activity are active against human prostate cancer cells pp 4390–4396 LNCaP in vitro

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Synthesis of 6-substituted 9-methoxy-11*H*-indeno[1,2-*c*]quinoline-11-one derivatives as potential anticancer agents pp 4397-4404 Chih-Hua Tseng, Yeh-Long Chen, Chiao-Li Yang, Chih-Mei Cheng, Chein-Hwa Han, Cherng-Chyi Tzeng*

Compound **5b** was the most active with a mean Gl_{50} value of 3.39 μ M, and intercalates DNA, induces cell cycle arrest at G2/M phase via cleavage of PARP, induces caspase-3 and caspase-8 activities and consequently to cause the cell death.

Synthesis and biological evaluation of *N*-aryl salicylamides with a hydroxamic acid moiety at 5-position as novel HDAC- pp 4405–4412 EGFR dual inhibitors

Miao Zuo, Yue-Wen Zheng, She-Min Lu, Yan Li, San-Qi Zhang*

N-Aryl salicylamide and the pharmacophore of HDAC inhibitor (hydroxamic acid) were incorporated to present a novel class of EGFR-HDAC dual inhibitors.

DNA cleavage induced by antitumor antibiotic leinamycin and its biological consequences

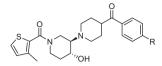
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Synthesis and evaluation of in vitro bioactivity for vesicular acetylcholine transporter inhibitors containing two carbonyl groups

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Zhude Tu*, Wei Wang, Jinquan Cui, Xiang Zhang, Xiaoxia Lu, Jinbin Xu, Stanley M. Parsons



9g, R = F K_i-VAChT = 11.4 nM

 K_1 - V_1 - V_2 - V_3 - V_4

10a. R = OCH₂

 $\begin{array}{l} \text{Ki-VAChT} = 10.2 \text{ nM} \\ \text{Ki-}\sigma_1 = 15300 \text{ nM} \\ \text{Ki-}\sigma_2 = 20700 \text{ nM} \\ \text{Ki-}\sigma_2 = 20700 \text{ nM} \\ \sigma_1/\text{VAChT} = 1500 \\ \sigma_2/\text{VAChT} = 2030 \\ \text{Log P} = 2.51 \end{array}$



Synthesis, biological evaluation and molecular docking studies of 3-(1,3-diphenyl-1*H*-pyrazol-4-yl)-*N*-phenylacrylamide pp 4430–4436 derivatives as inhibitors of HDAC activity

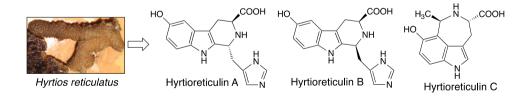
Xi Li, Jia-Lin Liu, Xian-Hui Yang, Xiang Lu, Ting-Ting Zhao, Hai-Bin Gong*, Hai-Liang Zhu*

In present study, a series of 3-(1,3-diphenyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl)-N-phenylacrylamid derivatives (**5a-8d**) were designed, synthesized, and evaluated for HDAC inhibition and tumor cell antiproliferation. All of these compounds are reported for the first time, the chemical structures of these compounds were confirmed by means of 1H NMR, ESI-MS and elemental analyzes. Among the compounds, compound **8c** showed the most potent biological activity against HCT116 cancer cell line (IC₅₀ of 0.42 \pm 0.02 μ M for HDAC-1 and IC₅₀ = 0.62 \pm 0.02 for HCT116). The results of Docking simulation and Western-blot demonstrated that compound **8c** with potent inhibitory activity in tumor growth inhibition may be a potential anticancer agent against HCT116 cancer cell.

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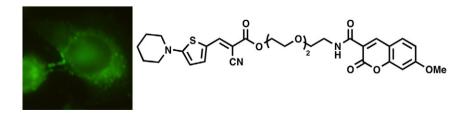




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Aminothienopyridazine inhibitors of tau aggregation: Evaluation of structure-activity relationship leads to selection pp 4451-4461 of candidates with desirable in vivo properties

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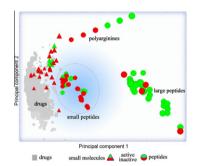
NH S NH₂ Aqueous solubility: >200
$$\mu$$
M IC₅₀: 2.5 μ M B/P: ~1.1 Oral bioavailability: ~60% Unbound fraction (brain homogenates): 4.3% MTD: 100 mg/kg



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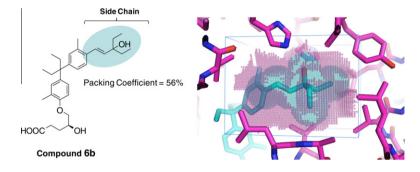
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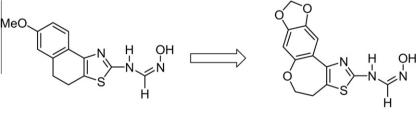
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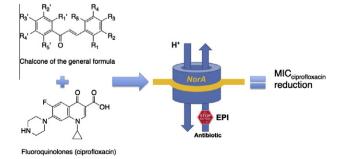
A hit Mtb-MetAP1a/1c: 5.35/1.33 μM After SAR Mtb-MetAP1a/1c: 1.26/0.38 μ M



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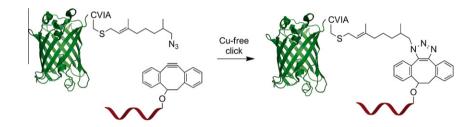
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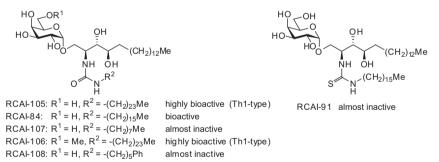


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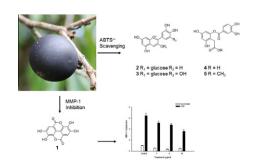




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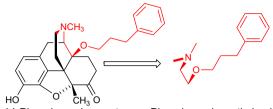


Deconstructing 14-phenylpropyloxymetopon: Minimal requirements for binding to mu opioid receptors

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A series of phenylpropyloxyethylamines and cinnamyloxyethylamines were synthesized as deconstructed analogs of 14-phenylpropyloxymetopon and analyzed for opioid receptor binding affinity. Using the Conformationally Sampled Pharmacophore modeling approach, we discovered a series of compounds lacking a tyrosine mimetic, historically considered essential for μ opioid binding. Based on the binding studies, we have identified the optimal analogs to be N-methyl-N-phenylpropyl-2-(3-phenylpropoxy)ethanamine, with 1520 nM, and 2-(cinnamyloxy)-N-methyl-N-phenethylethanamine with 1680 nM affinity for the μ opioid receptor. These partial opioid structure analogs will serve as the novel lead compounds for future optimization studies.



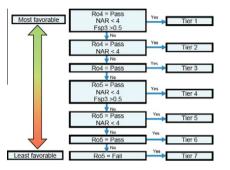
14-Phenylpropyloxymetopon Phenylpropyloxyethylamine



Abbott Physicochemical Tiering (APT)—A unified approach to HTS triage

Philip B. Cox*, Robert J. Gregg, Anil Vasudevan

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An in silico tool has been developed to help prioritize hits from HTS based on multi-parametric physicochemical properties. This Abbott Physicochemical Tiering (APT) system is used routinely at Abbott in all HTS triage campaigns.

Synthesis and evaluation of $[^{11}C]$ Cimbi-806 as a potential PET ligand for 5-HT₇ receptor imaging

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Matthias M. Herth, Hanne D. Hansen, Anders Ettrup, Agnete Dyssegaard, Szabolcs Lehel, Jesper Kristensen, Gitte M. Knudsen*



Pyrrolidinobenzoic acid inhibitors of influenza virus neuraminidase: The hydrophobic side chain influences type A subtype selectivity pp 4582–4589

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3,
$$IC_{50}$$
 (N1) = 0.49 μ M IC_{50} (N2) = 79 μ M

 $X = CH_2, CH_2O$ Best IC_{50} (N1) = 0.80 μ M Best IC_{50} (N2) = 0.20 μ M



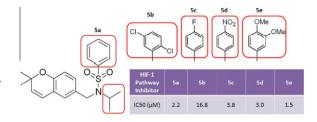
A series of analogues of compound **3**, containing varied hydrophobic side chains, was synthesized and evaluated for selectivity of inhibition for N1 versus N2 influenza A neuraminidase.

Structure—activity relationship of 2,2-dimethyl-2*H*-chromene based arylsulfonamide analogs of 3,4-dimethoxy -*N*-[(2,2-dimethyl-2*H*-chromen-6-yl)methyl]-*N*-phenylbenzenesulfonamide, a novel small molecule hypoxia inducible factor-1 (HIF-1) pathway inhibitor and anti-cancer agent

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3,4-Dimethoxy-N-[(2,2-dimethyl-2H-chromen-6-yl)methyl]-N-phenylbenzene-sulfonamide, a novel small molecule HIF-1 pathway inhibitor, can antagonize tumor growth in animal models of cancer. The structure–activity relationships of 15 N-[(2,2-dimethyl-2H-chromen-6-yl)methyl]-N-R-arylsulfonamides were investigated.





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