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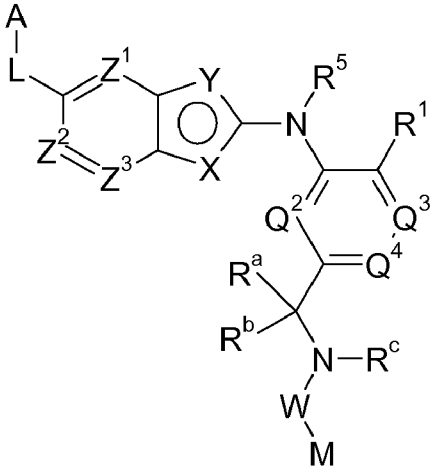
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(54) Title: 3H-IMIDAZO [4, 5 -C] PYRIDINE- 6 -CARBOXAMIDES AS ANTI- INFLAMMATORY AGENTS



(I)

(57) Abstract: The present invention relates to compounds of general formula (I) in which A, L, M, Q^2, Q^3, Q^4, R^1, R^5, R^a, R^b, R^c, W, X, Y, Z^1, Z^2, Z^3 are defined in the description, the salts thereof, particularly the physiologically acceptable salts thereof. The compounds are of potential utility in the treatment and/or prevention of inflammatory diseases and associated conditions, in particular, in the treatment and/or prevention of pain. The invention also relates to the use of such compounds as medicaments, to pharmaceutical compositions containing them, and to their preparation.

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