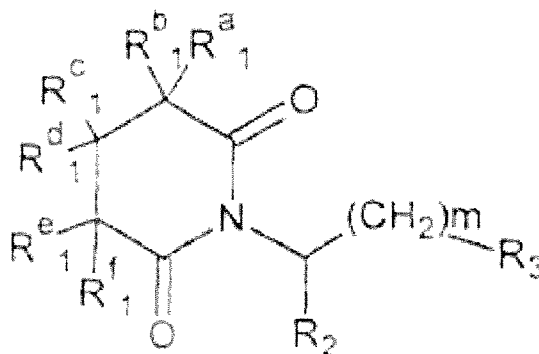


CLAIMS

1. A compound of general formula I:



5 wherein m is an integer from 0 to 2;

R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 , each independently represents hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl; $-NH_2$, $-NHC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, hydroxyl, or C_1 - C_6 alkoxy;

R_2 is hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl;

10 R_3 is:

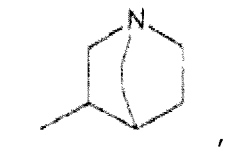
1) a 5-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 4 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, optionally substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from halogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-NHC(O)C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, phenyl, or pyridinyl;

2) a 6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 heteroatoms selected from N and O, optionally substituted with a group selected from halogen and C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

20 3) a 5-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S, optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from C_1 - C_6 alkyl, condensed with a 6-membered unsaturated nitrogen-containing cyclic or heterocyclic group optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from hydroxyl, halogen or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

4) a 6-membered unsaturated cyclic or heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 nitrogen atoms, condensed with a 5- or 6-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S;
 5 or

5) a group of the formula:

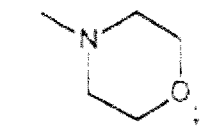


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof,
with a proviso that the compound is not a compound,
 10 wherein:

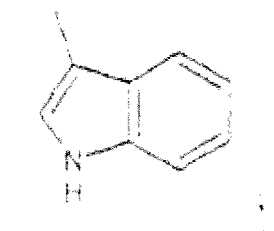
when m is 1, R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 are hydrogen
and R_2 is $-C(O)OCH_3$, R_3 is not:



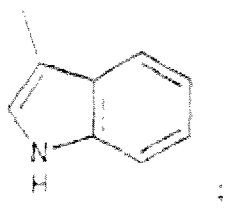
when m is 1, R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 are hydrogen
 15 and R_2 is hydrogen, R_3 is not:



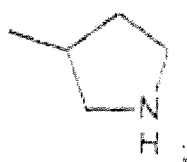
when m is 1, R^a_1 is an amino group and R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 ,
 R^e_1 , and R^f_1 are hydrogen, or R^e_1 is an amino group and R^a_1 ,
 R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , and R^f_1 are hydrogen and R_2 is hydrogen, R_3 is
 20 not:



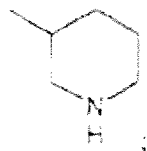
when m is 1, R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 are hydrogen
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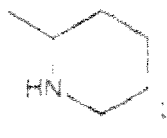
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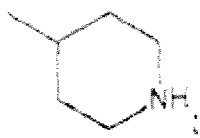
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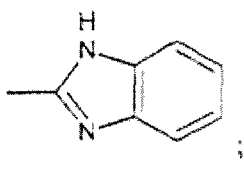
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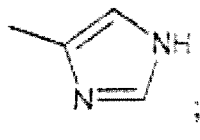
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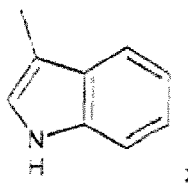
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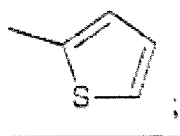
when m is 1, R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 are hydrogen
and R_2 is $-C(O)OH$, R_3 is not:



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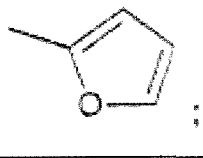


when m is 1, R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 are hydrogen
and R_2 is hydrogen, R_3 is not:



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when m is 1, R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 are hydrogen
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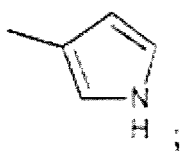


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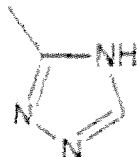
when m is 2, R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 are hydrogen
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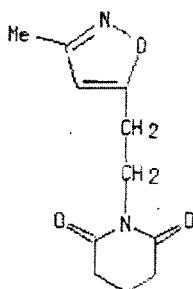
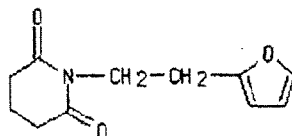
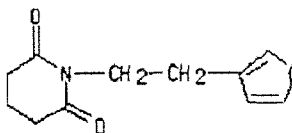
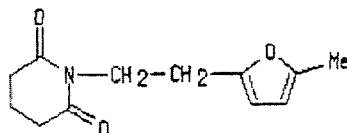
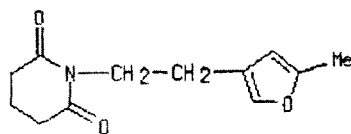
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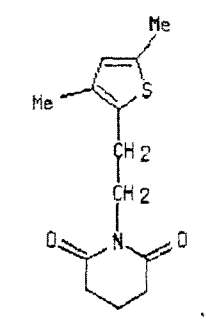
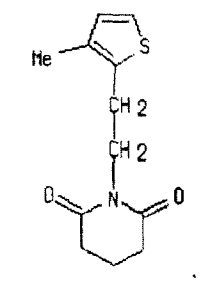
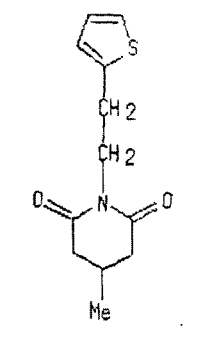
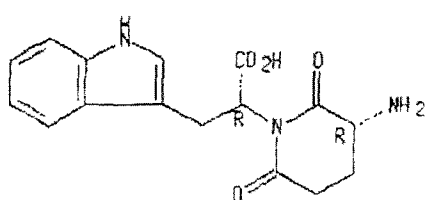
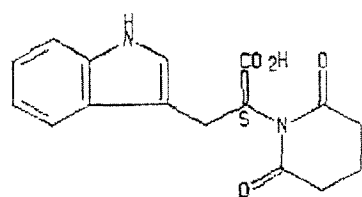
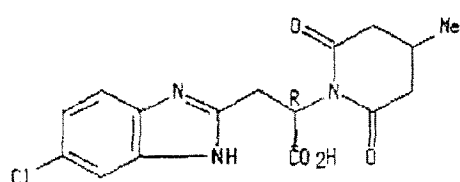


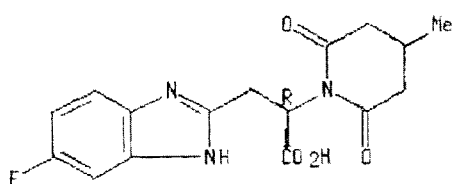
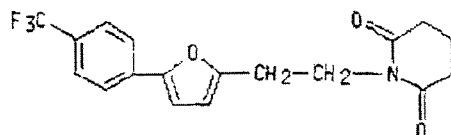
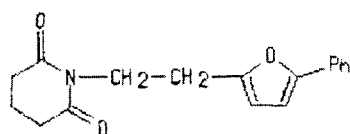
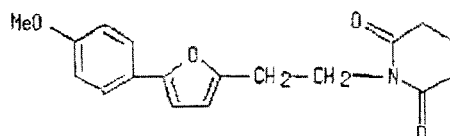
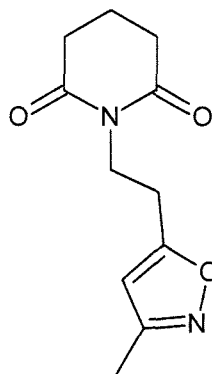
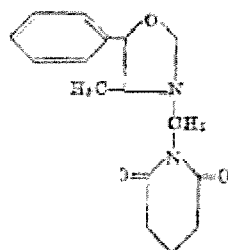
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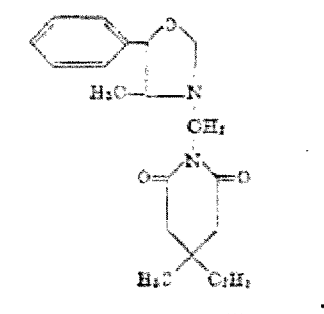
5 and with a proviso that the compound is not the following compound:







, and



2. The compound of claim 1, wherein m is an integer from 0 to 2;

5 R^a_1 and R^b_1 are hydrogen, methyl, amino, or hydroxyl;

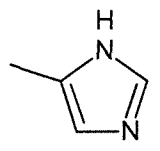
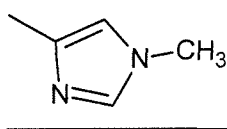
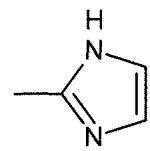
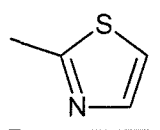
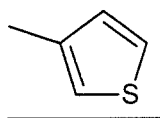
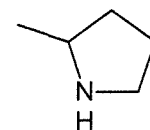
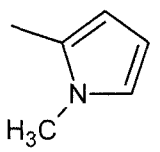
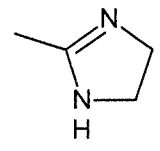
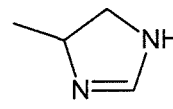
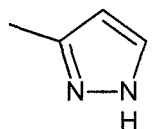
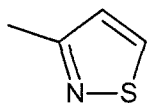
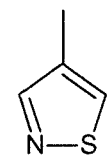
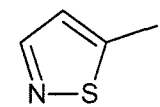
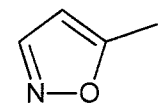
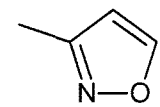
R^c_1 and R^d_1 are hydrogen, methyl, amino, or hydroxyl;

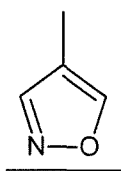
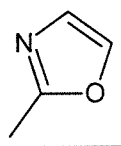
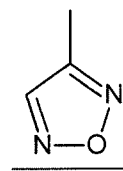
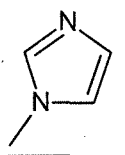
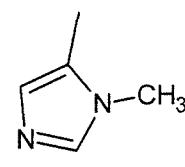
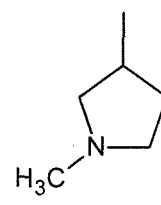
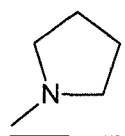
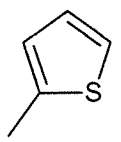
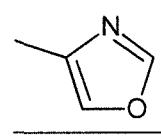
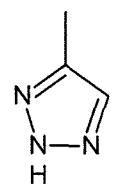
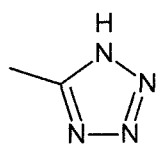
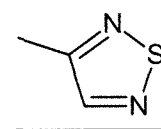
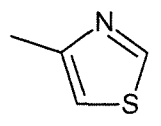
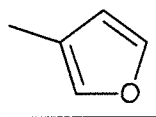
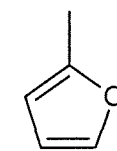
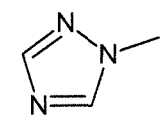
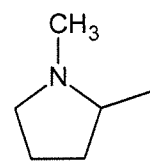
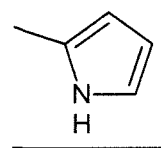
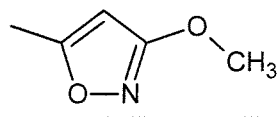
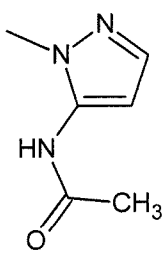
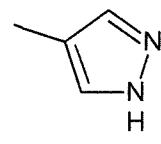
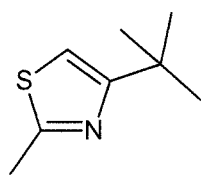
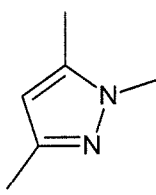
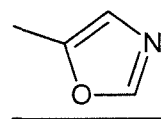
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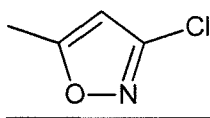
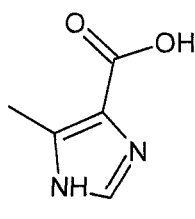
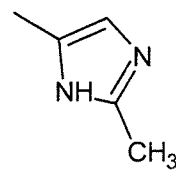
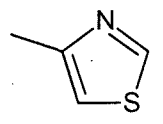
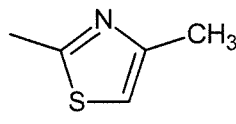
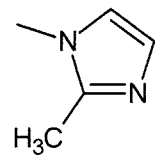
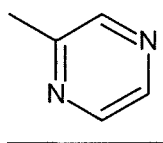
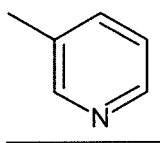
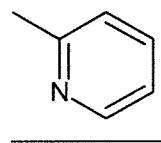
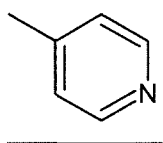
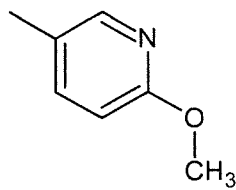
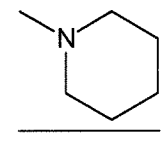
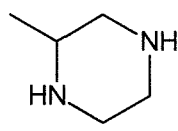
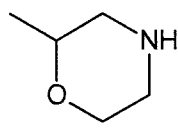
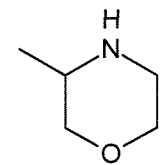
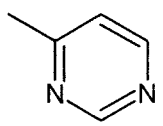
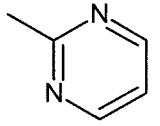
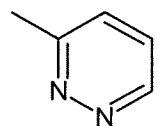
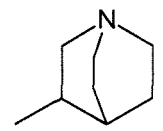
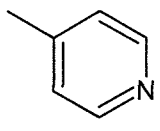
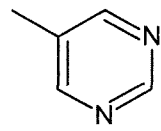
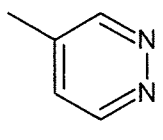
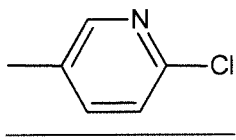
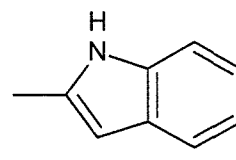
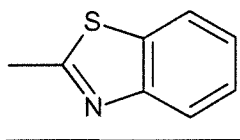
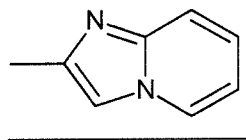
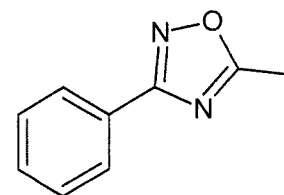
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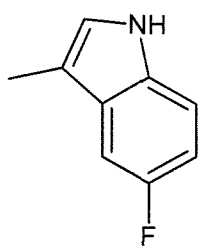
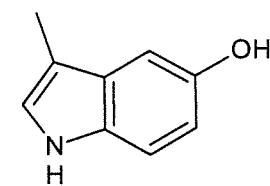
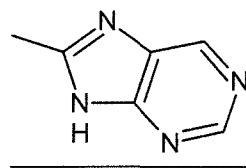
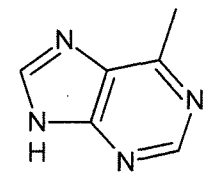
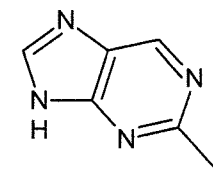
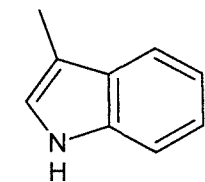
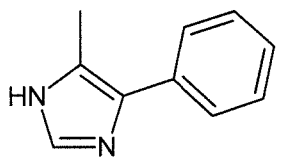
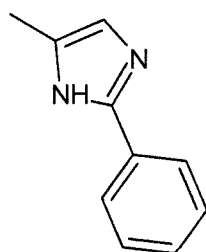
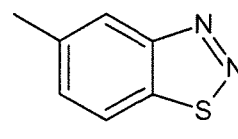
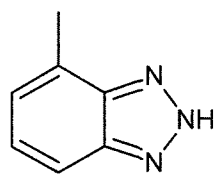
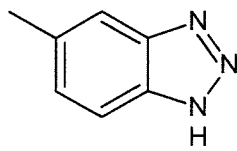
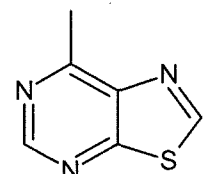
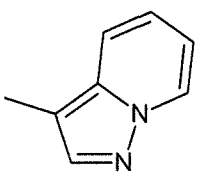
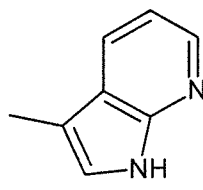
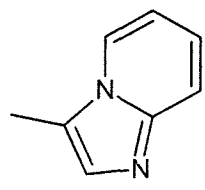
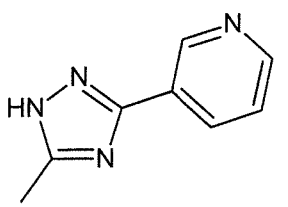
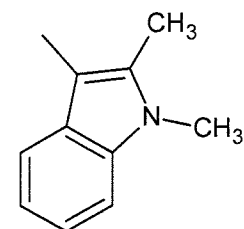
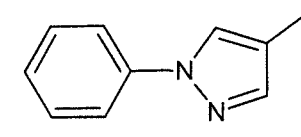
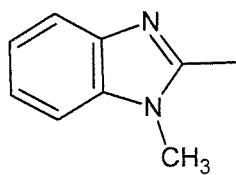
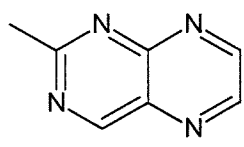
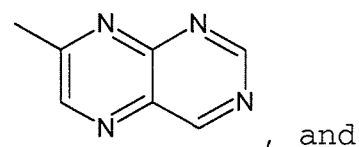
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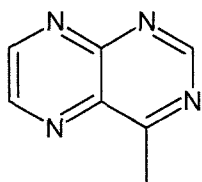






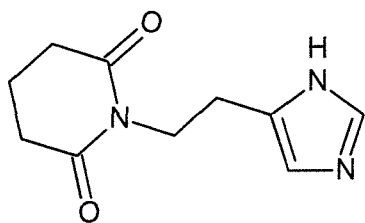
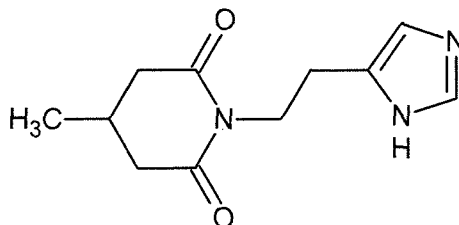
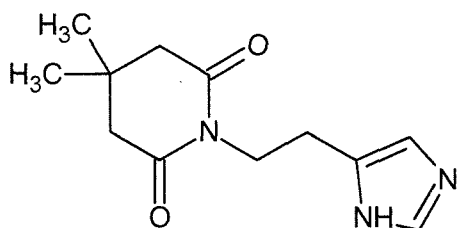
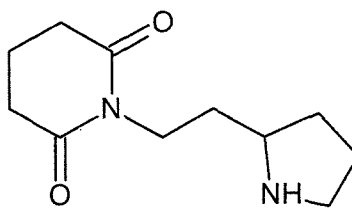
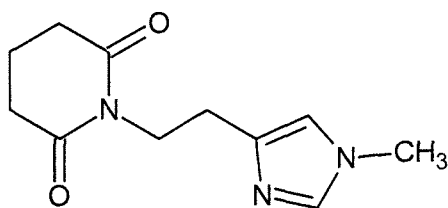
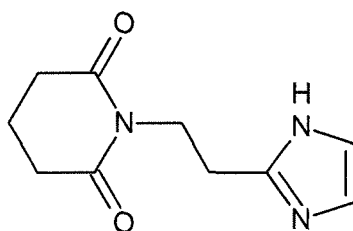
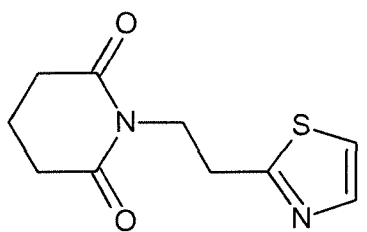
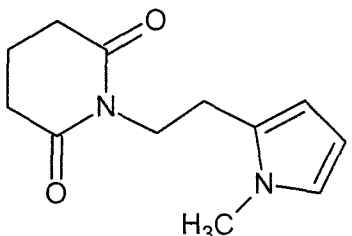
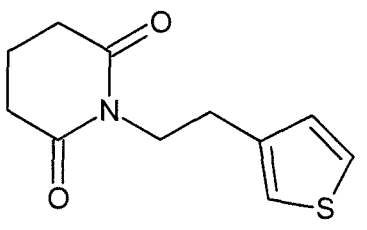
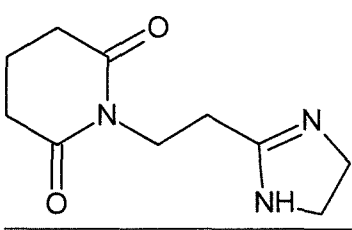


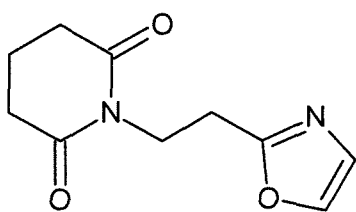
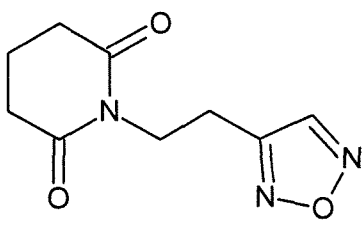
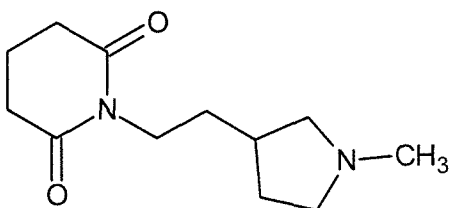
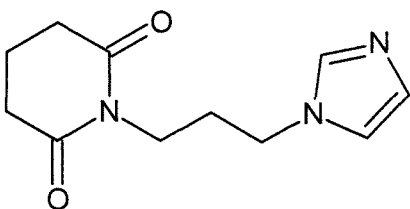
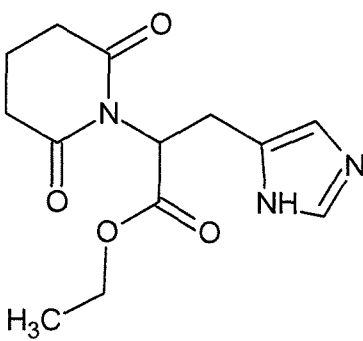
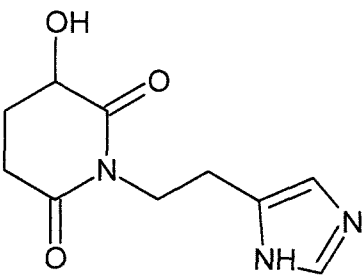
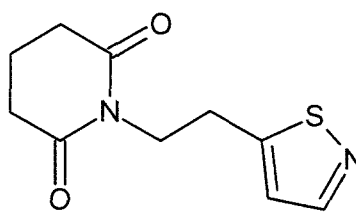
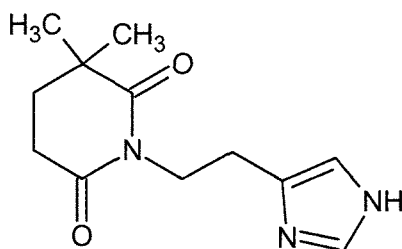
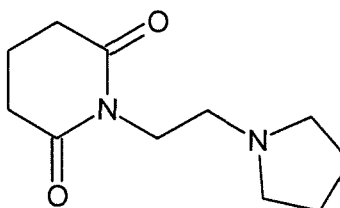
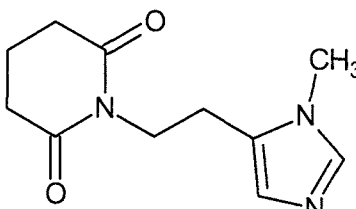
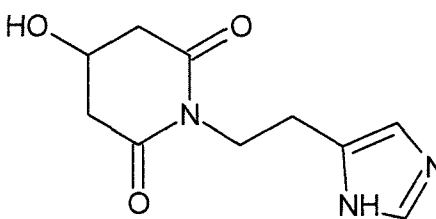
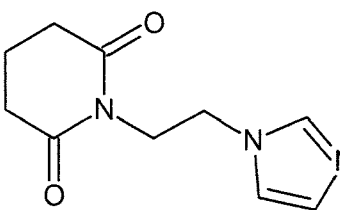
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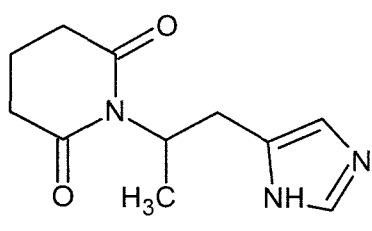
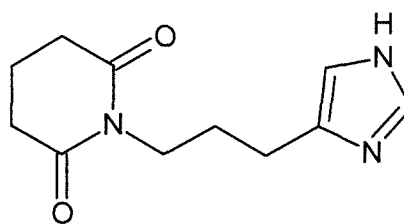
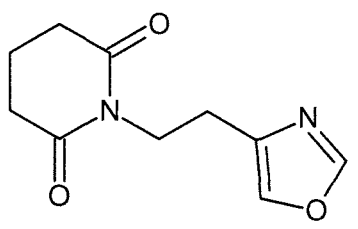
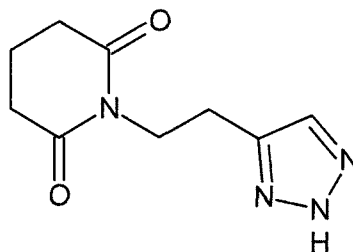
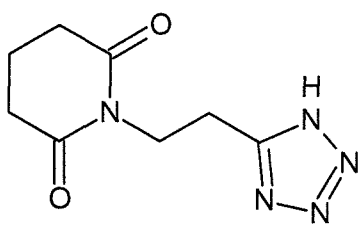
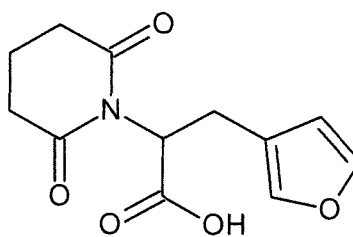
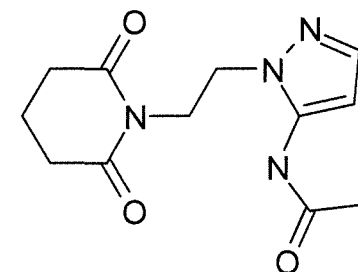
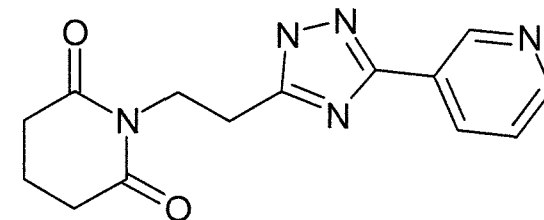
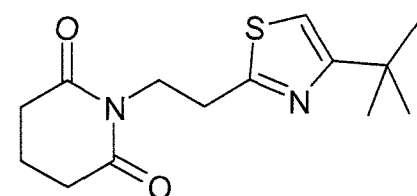
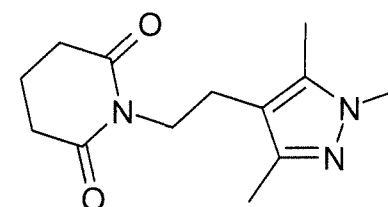
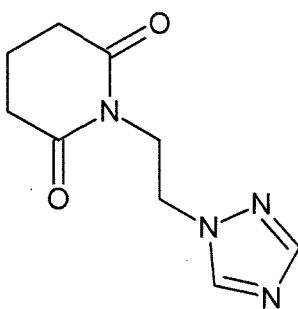
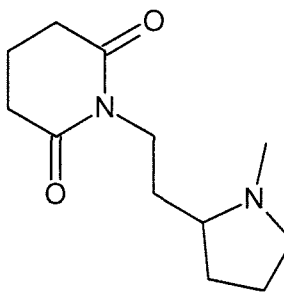


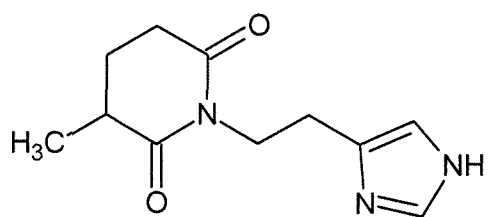
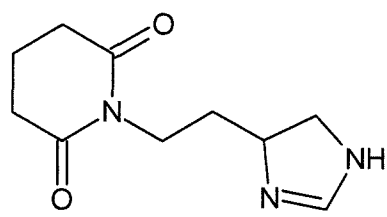
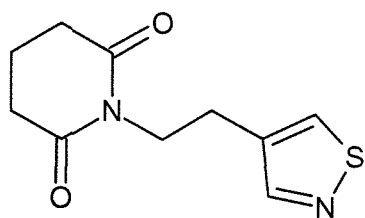
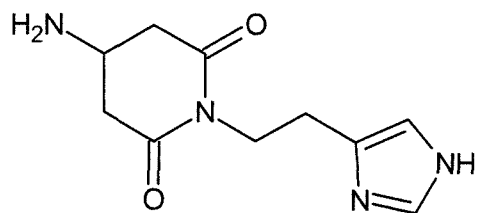
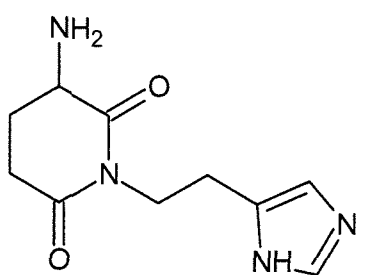
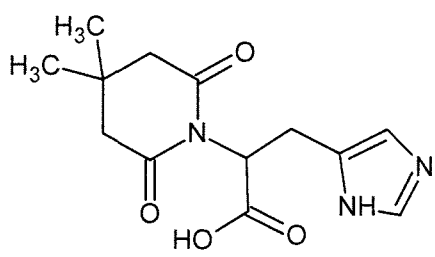
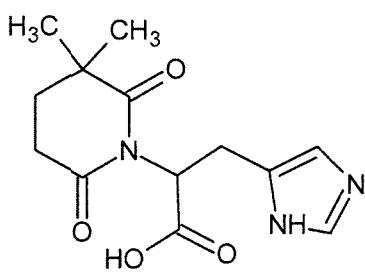
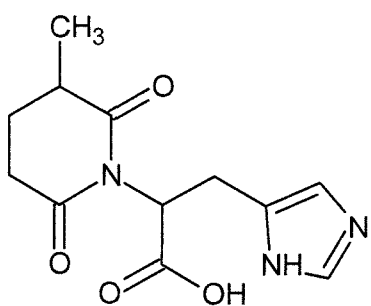
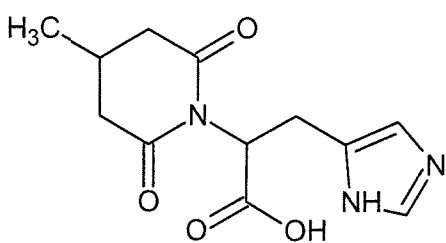
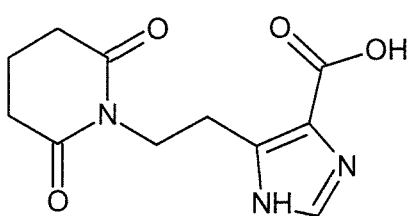
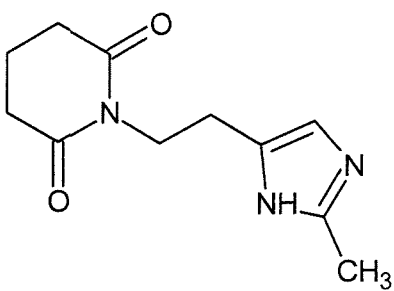
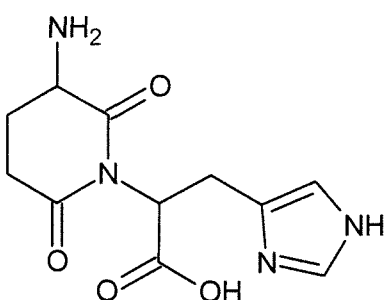
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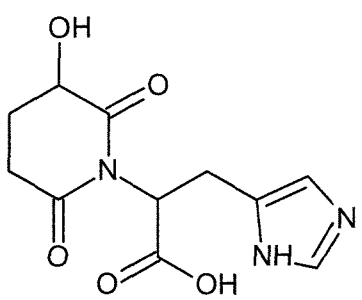
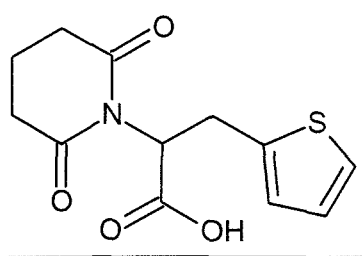
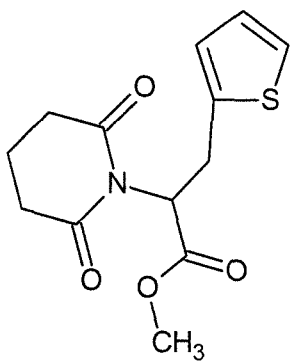
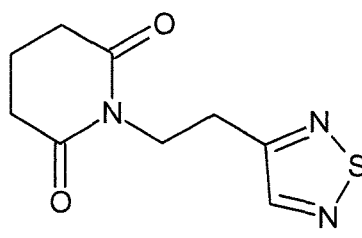
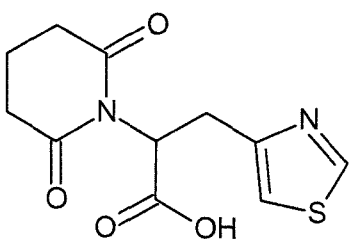
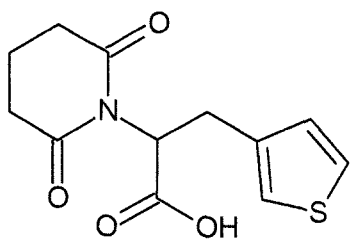
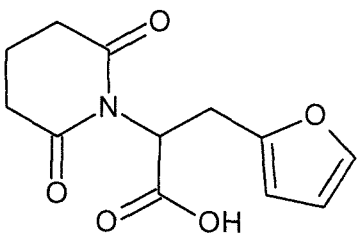
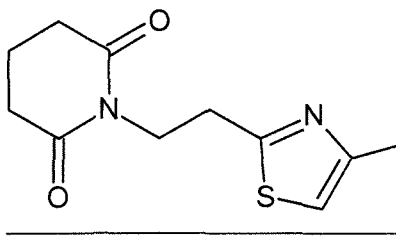
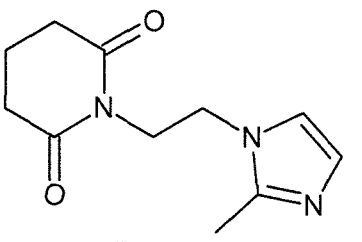
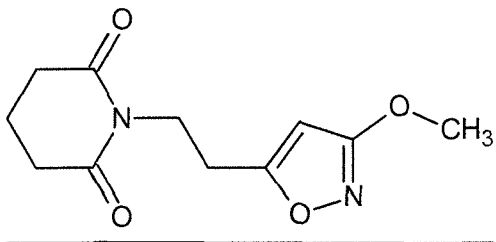
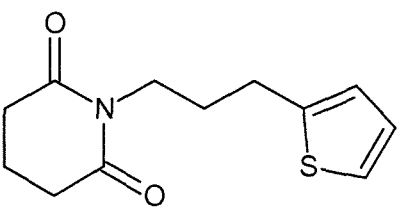
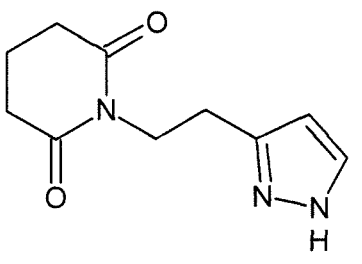
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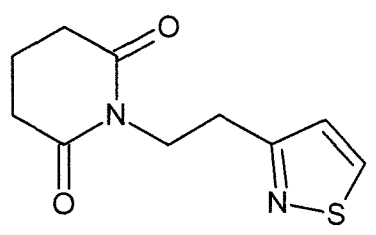
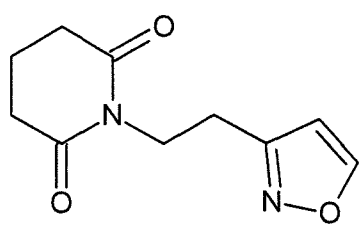
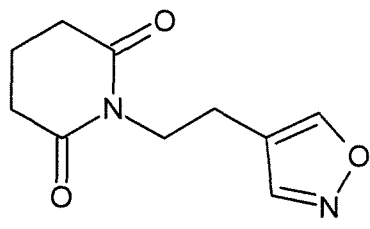
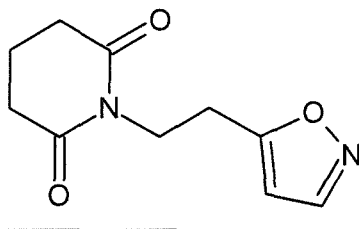
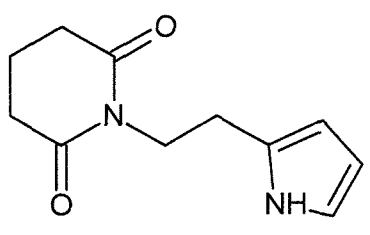
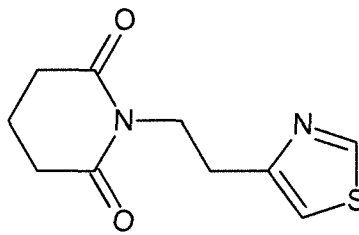
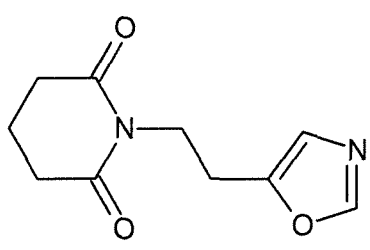
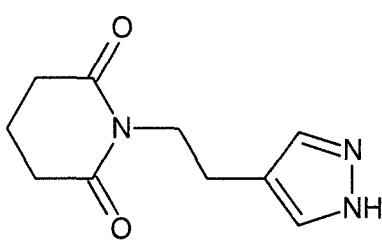
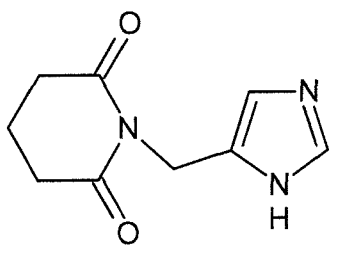
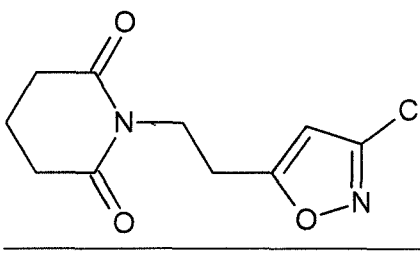
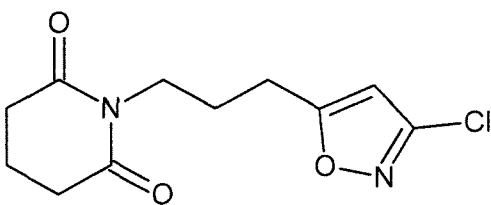
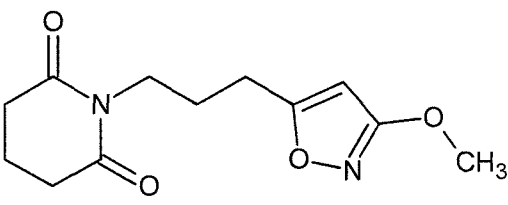


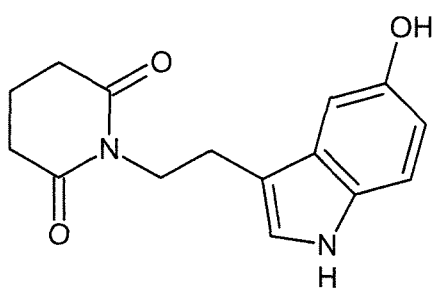
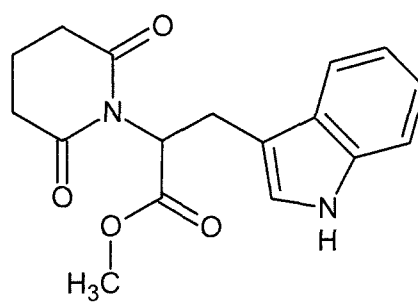
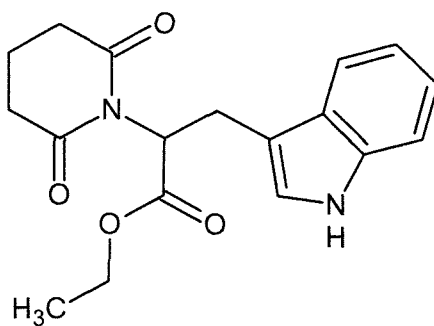
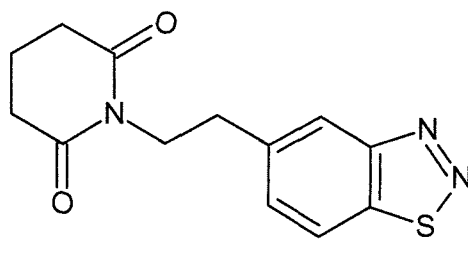
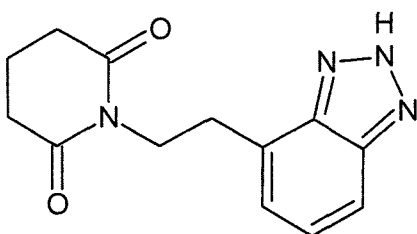
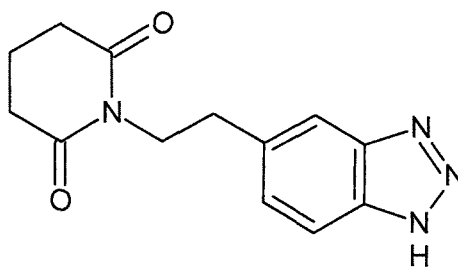
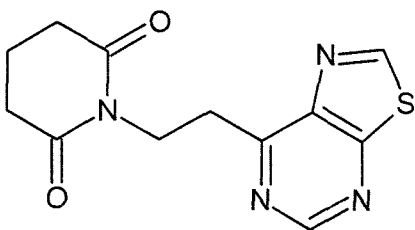
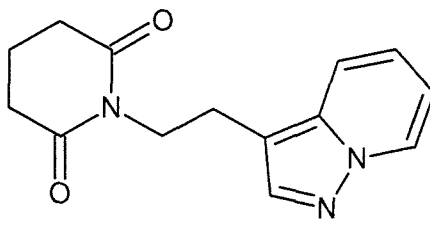
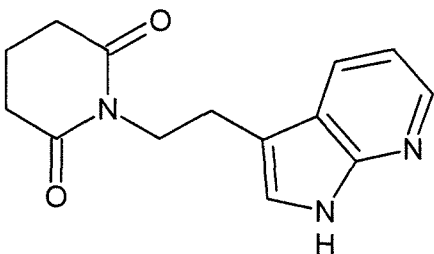
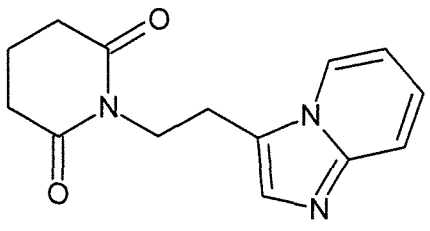


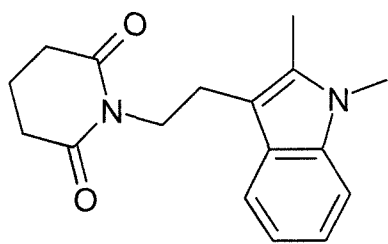
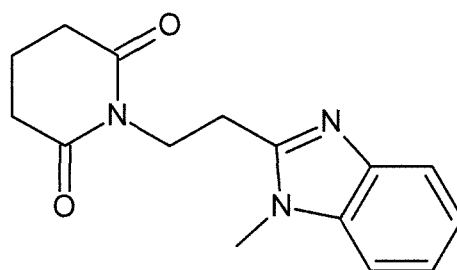
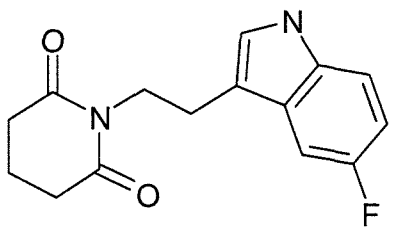
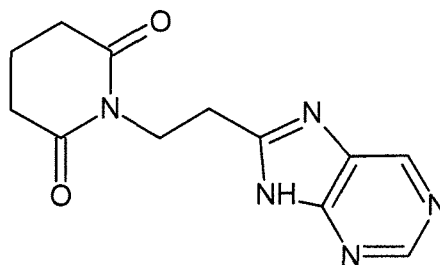
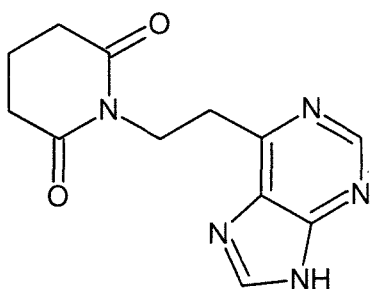
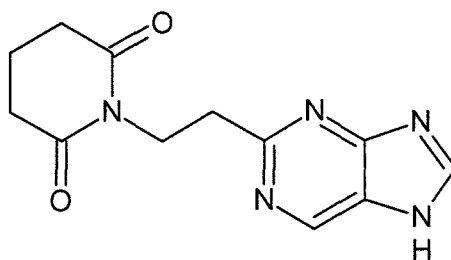
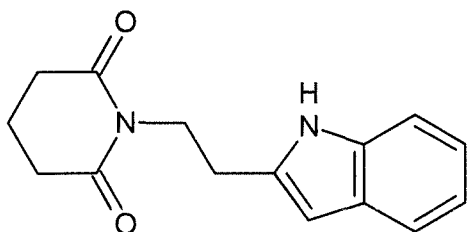
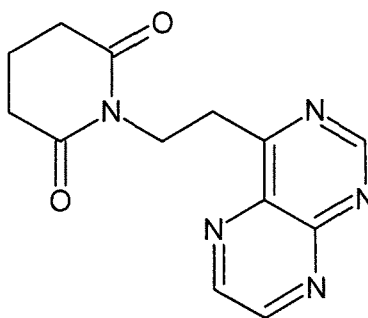
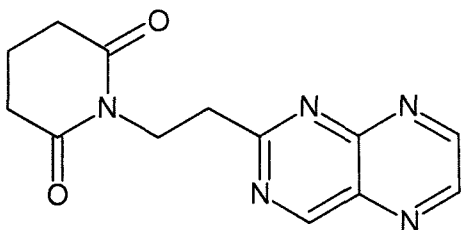
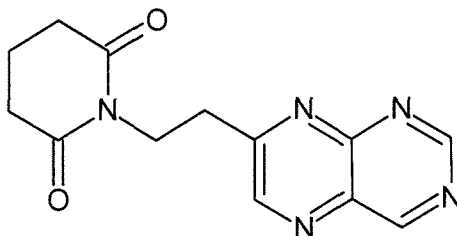




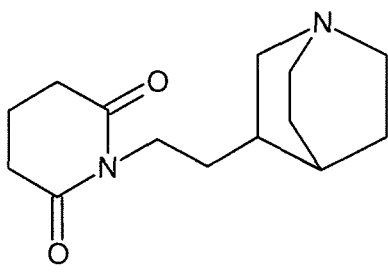




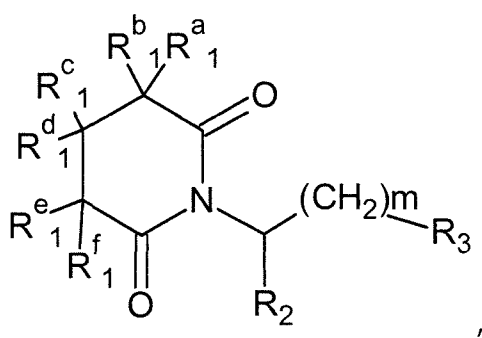




, or



4. A medicament for the treatment of a respiratory tract disease, comprising a compound of general formula I:



5 wherein m is an integer from 0 to 2;

R^a₁, R^b₁, R^c₁, R^d₁, R^e₁, and R^f₁, each independently represents hydrogen, C₁-C₆alkyl; -NH₂, -NHC₁-C₆alkyl, hydroxyl, or C₁-C₆alkoxy;

R₂ is hydrogen, C₁-C₆alkyl, -C(O)OH, -C(O)OC₁-C₆alkyl;

10 R₃ is:

1) a 5-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 4 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, optionally substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from halogen, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₁-C₆alkoxy, -C(O)OH, -C(O)OC₁-C₆alkyl, -NHC(O)C₁-C₆alkyl, phenyl, or pyridinyl;

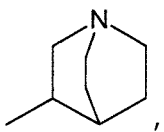
2) a 6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 heteroatoms selected from N and O, optionally substituted with a group selected from halogen and C₁-C₆alkyl;

20 3) a 5-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S, optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected

from C₁-C₆alkyl, condensed with a 6-membered unsaturated nitrogen-containing cyclic or heterocyclic group optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from hydroxyl, halogen or C₁-C₆alkyl;

4) a 6-membered unsaturated cyclic or heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 nitrogen atoms, condensed with a 5- or 6-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S; or

5) a group of the formula:



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

5. The medicament of claim 4, wherein the compound of formula (I) is a compound as defined in any one of claims 1 to 3.

6. The medicament of claim 4 or 5, wherein the respiratory tract disease is rhinosinusitis.

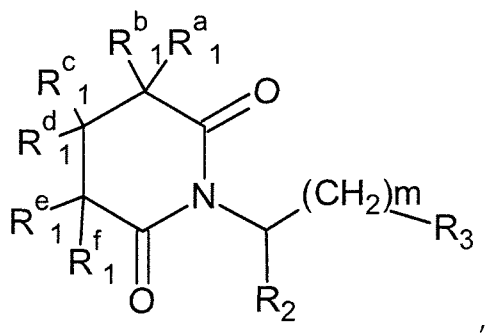
7. The medicament of claim 4 or 5, wherein the respiratory tract disease is caused by an RNA-comprising virus.

8. The medicament of claim 7, wherein the virus is selected from the group consisting of rhinovirus, Coxsackie virus, respiratory syncytial virus, and influenza virus.

9. The medicament of claim 4 or 5, wherein the disease is exacerbations of asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, bronchitis and mucoviscidosis, which are caused by

rhinovirus, influenza virus and/or respiratory syncytial virus.

10. A pharmaceutical composition, comprising an effective amount of a compound of general formula I



wherein m is an integer from 0 to 2;

R^a₁, R^b₁, R^c₁, R^d₁, R^e₁, and R^f₁, each independently represents hydrogen, C₁-C₆alkyl; -NH₂, -NHC₁-C₆alkyl, hydroxyl, or C₁-C₆alkoxy;

R₂ is hydrogen, C₁-C₆alkyl, -C(O)OH, -C(O)OC₁-C₆alkyl;

R₃ is:

1) a 5-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 4 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, optionally substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from halogen, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₁-C₆alkoxy, -C(O)OH, -C(O)OC₁-C₆alkyl, -NHC(O)C₁-C₆alkyl, phenyl, or pyridinyl;

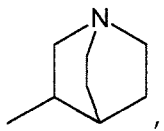
2) a 6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 heteroatoms selected from N and O, optionally substituted with a group selected from halogen and C₁-C₆alkyl;

3) a 5-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S, optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from C₁-C₆alkyl, condensed with a 6-membered unsaturated nitrogen-containing cyclic or heterocyclic group optionally

substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from hydroxyl, halogen or C₁-C₆alkyl;

4) a 6-membered unsaturated cyclic or heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 nitrogen atoms, condensed with a 5- or 6-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S;
or

5) a group of the formula:



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, for the treatment of a respiratory tract disease.

11. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 10, wherein the compound of formula (I) is a compound as defined in any one of claims 1 to 3.

12. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 10 or 11, wherein the respiratory tract disease is rhinosinusitis.

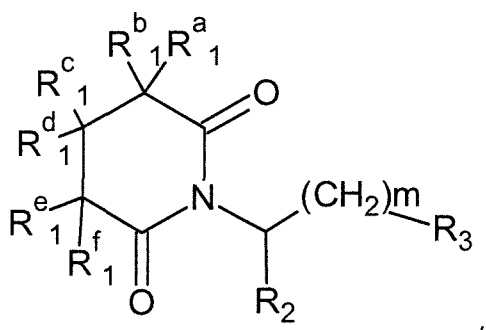
13. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 10 or 11, wherein the respiratory tract disease is caused by an RNA-comprising virus.

14. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 13, wherein the virus is selected from the group consisting of rhinovirus, Coxsackie virus, respiratory syncytial virus, and influenza.

15. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 10 or 11, wherein the disease is exacerbations of asthma, chronic

obstructive pulmonary disease, bronchitis and mucoviscidosis, which are caused by rhinovirus, influenza virus and/or respiratory syncytial virus.

5 16. Use of a compound of general formula I



wherein m is an integer from 0 to 2;

R_1^a , R_1^b , R_1^c , R_1^d , R_1^e , and R_1^f , each independently represents hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl; $-NH_2$, $-NHC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, hydroxyl, or C_1 - C_6 alkoxy;

R_2 is hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl;

R_3 is:

1) a 5-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 4 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, optionally substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from halogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-NHC(O)C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, phenyl, or pyridinyl;

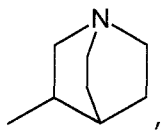
2) a 6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 heteroatoms selected from N and O, optionally substituted with a group selected from halogen and C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

3) a 5-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S, optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from C_1 - C_6 alkyl, condensed with a 6-membered unsaturated nitrogen-containing cyclic or heterocyclic group optionally

substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from hydroxyl, halogen or C₁-C₆alkyl;

4) a 6-membered unsaturated cyclic or heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 nitrogen atoms, condensed with a 5- or 6-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S;
or

5) a group of the formula:



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof for the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment of a respiratory tract disease.

17. The use of claim 16, wherein the compound of formula I is a compound as defined in any one of claims 1 to 3.

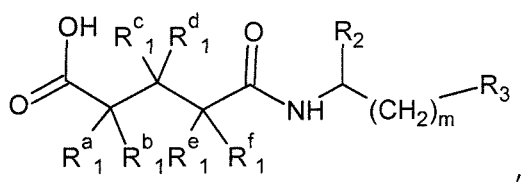
18. The use of claim 16 or 17, wherein the respiratory tract disease is rhinosinusitis.

19. The use of claim 16 or 17, wherein the respiratory tract disease is caused by an RNA-comprising virus.

20. The use of claim 19, wherein the virus is selected from the group consisting of rhinovirus, Coxsackie virus, respiratory syncytial virus, and influenza virus.

21. The use of claim 16 or 17, wherein the disease is exacerbations of asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, bronchitis and mucoviscidosis, which are caused by rhinovirus, influenza virus and/or respiratory syncytial virus.

22. A method for preparing a compound of general formula I according to claim 1 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, comprising heating of dicarboxylic acid monoamide of general formula II



wherein

m represents an integer of 0 to 2;

R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 , each independently represents hydrogen, $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6\text{alkyl}$; $-\text{NH}_2$, $-\text{NHC}_1\text{-C}_6\text{alkyl}$, hydroxyl, or $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6\text{alkoxy}$;

R_2 is hydrogen, $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6\text{alkyl}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OH}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OC}_1\text{-C}_6\text{alkyl}$;

R_3 is:

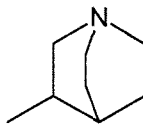
1) a 5-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 4 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, optionally substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from halogen, $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6\text{alkyl}$, $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6\text{alkoxy}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OH}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OC}_1\text{-C}_6\text{alkyl}$, $-\text{NHC}(\text{O})\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6\text{alkyl}$, phenyl, or pyridinyl;

2) a 6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 heteroatoms selected from N and O, optionally substituted with a group selected from halogen and $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6\text{alkyl}$;

3) a 5-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S, optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6\text{alkyl}$, condensed with a 6-membered unsaturated nitrogen-containing cyclic or heterocyclic group optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from hydroxyl, halogen or $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6\text{alkyl}$;

4) a 6-membered unsaturated cyclic or heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 nitrogen atoms, condensed with a 5- or 6-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S;
 5 or

5) a group of the formula:



with a dehydrating agent in an organic solvent.

10 23. The method of claim 22, wherein the dehydrating agent is glutaric anhydride, and the method is performed under heating in an organic solvent, preferably in dimethylformamide.

15 24. The method of claim 22, wherein the dehydrating agent is propionic anhydride, and the method is performed under heating in an organic solvent, preferably in toluene.

20 25. The process of claim 24, wherein the method is performed with addition of sodium acetate.

26. The method of claim 22, wherein the dehydrating agent is acetic anhydride, and the method is performed under heating in an organic solvent, preferably in dioxane.

25 27. The process of claim 26, wherein the method is performed with addition of sodium acetate.

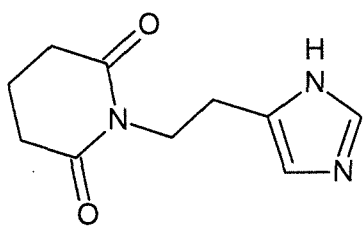
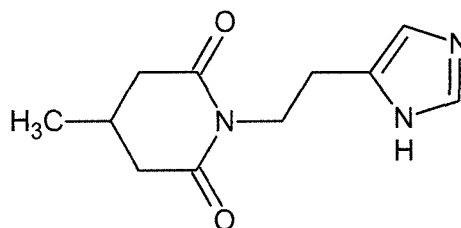
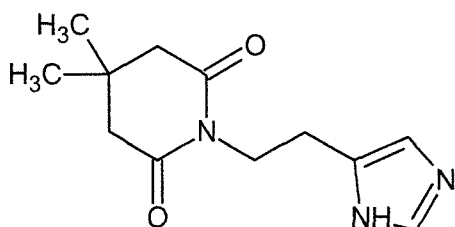
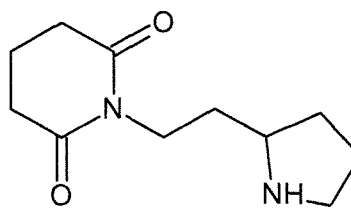
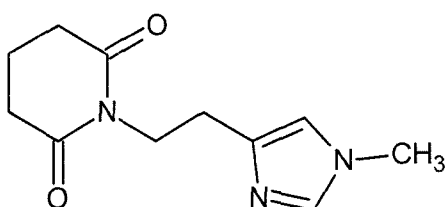
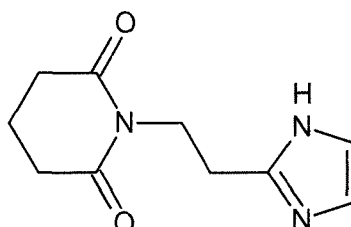
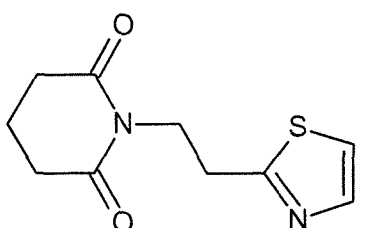
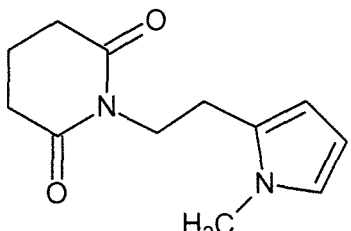
30 28. The method of claim 22, wherein the dehydrating agent is acetic acid chloroanhydride, and the method is performed

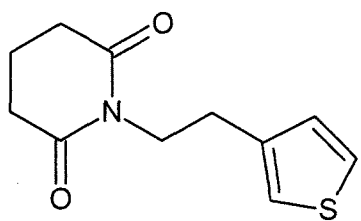
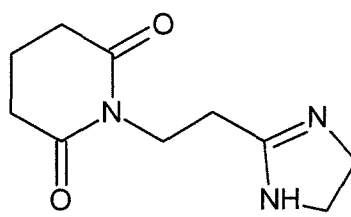
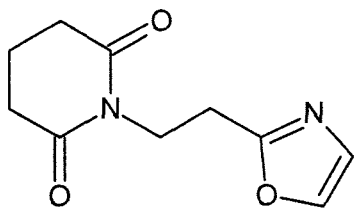
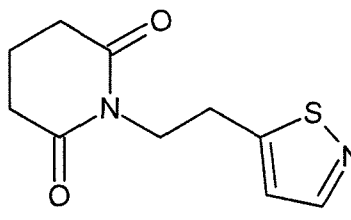
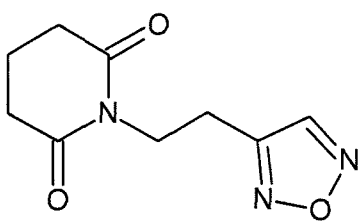
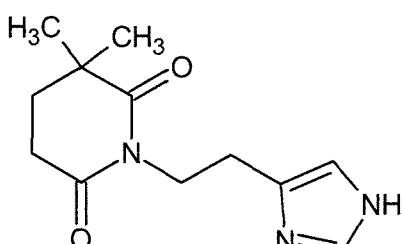
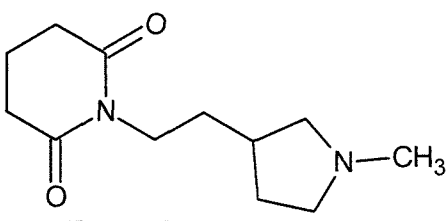
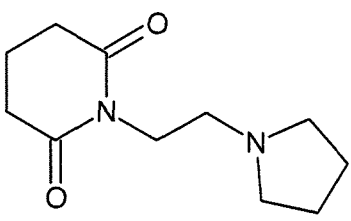
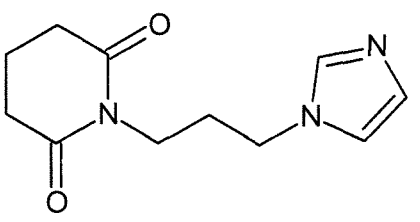
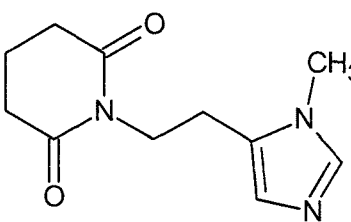
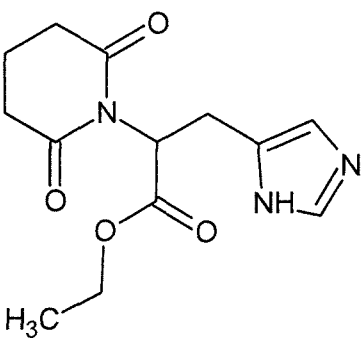
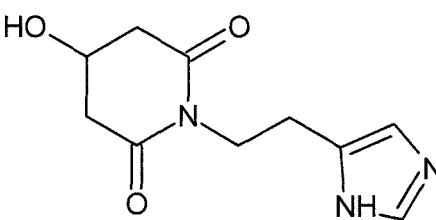
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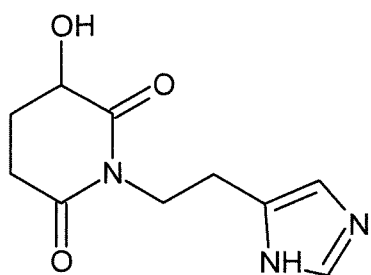
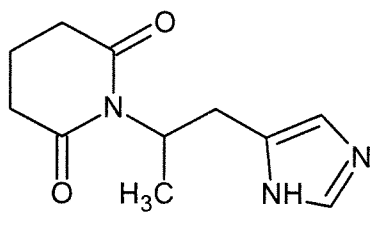
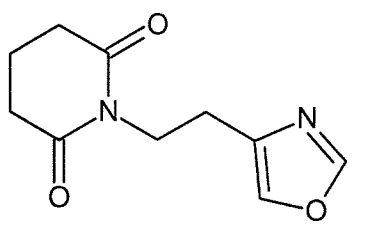
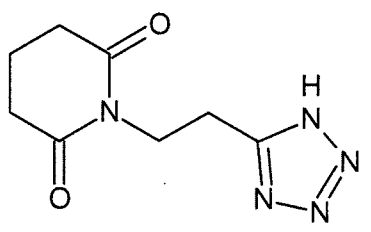
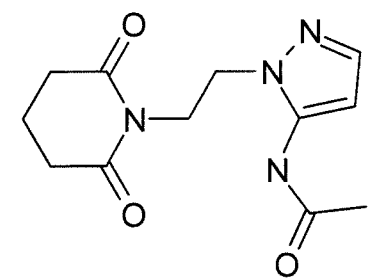
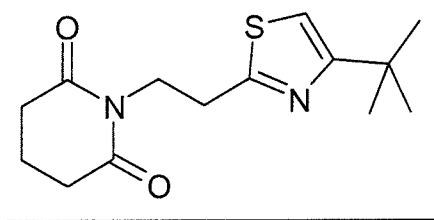
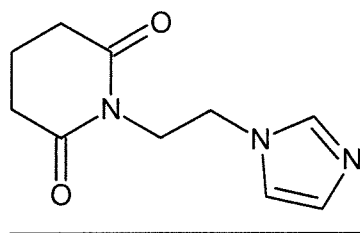
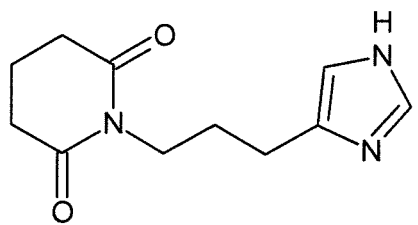
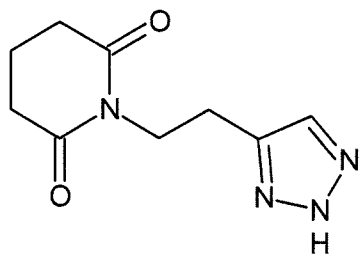
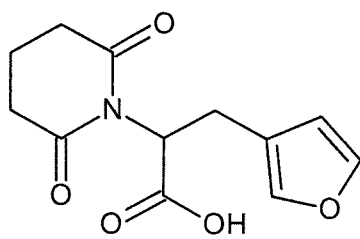
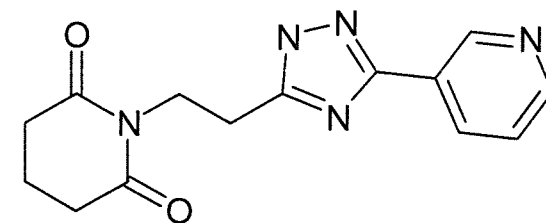
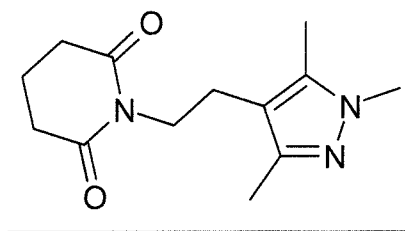
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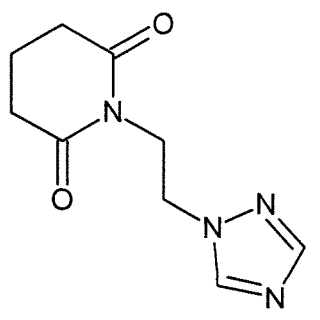
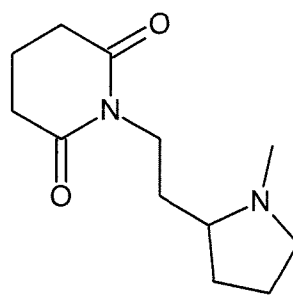
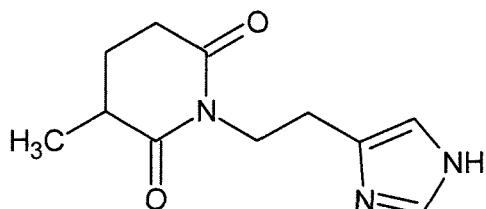
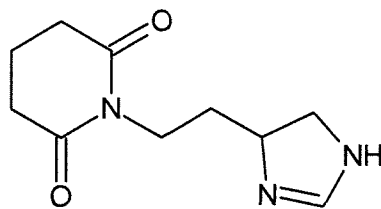
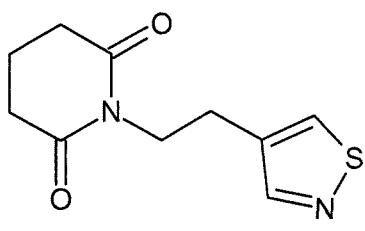
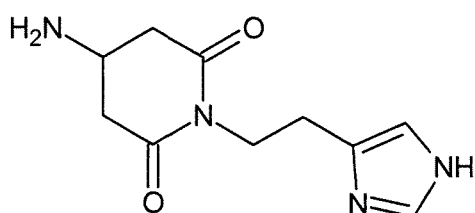
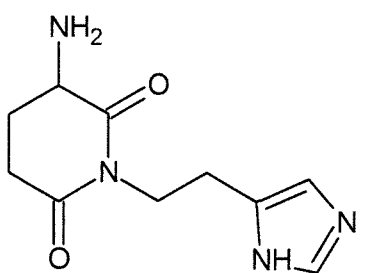
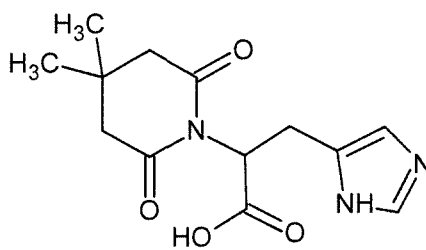
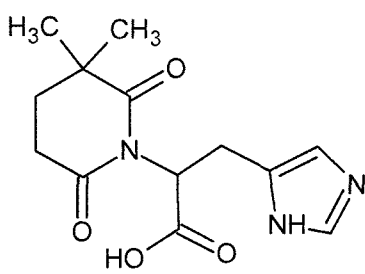
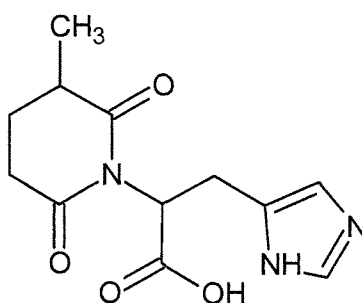
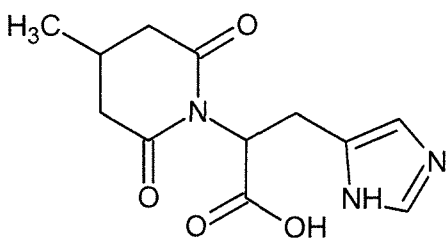
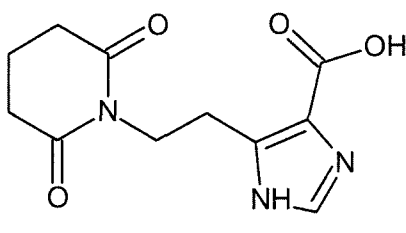
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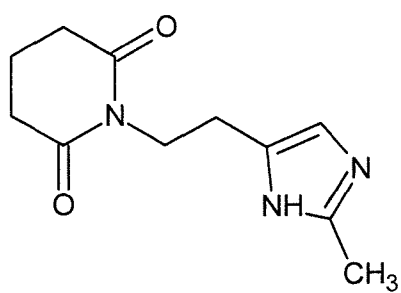
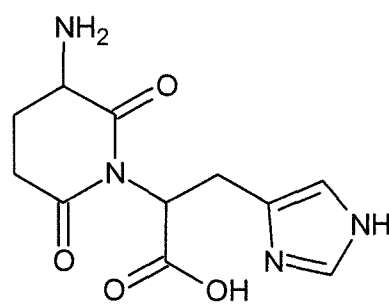
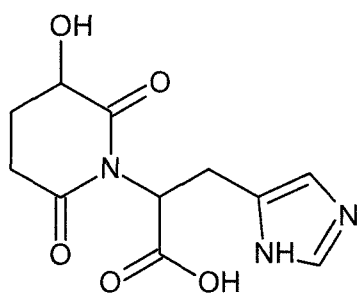
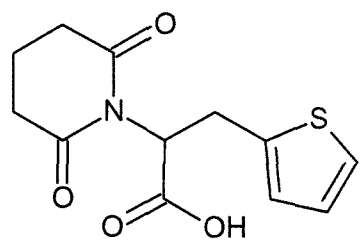
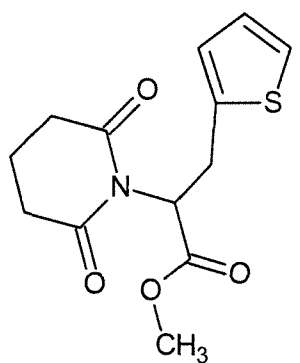
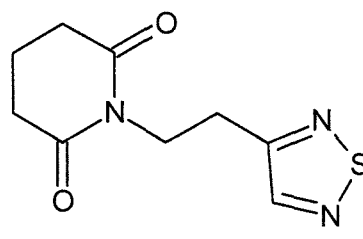
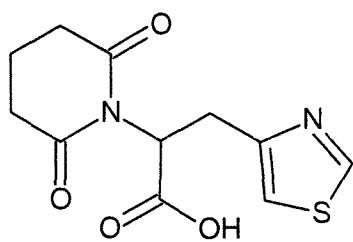
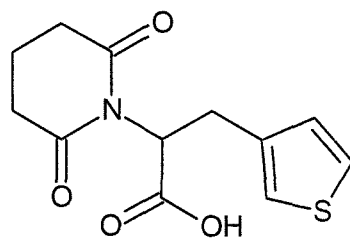
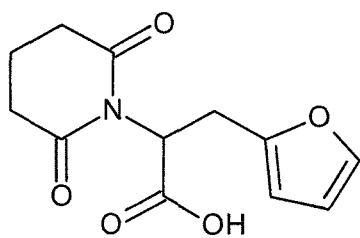
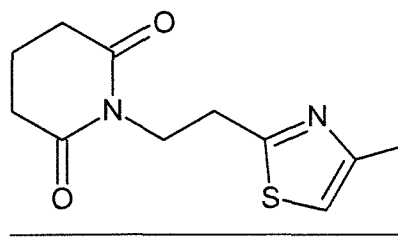
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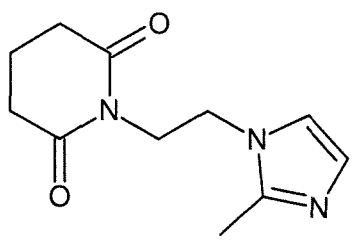
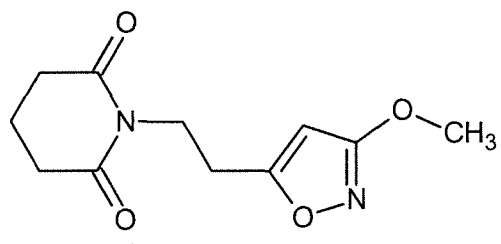
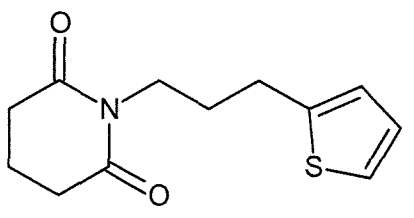
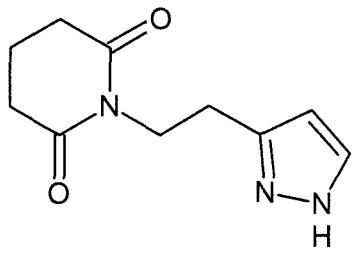
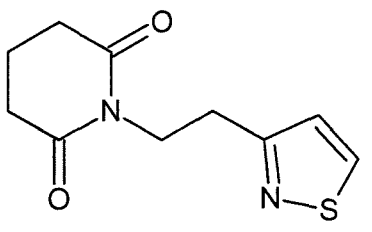
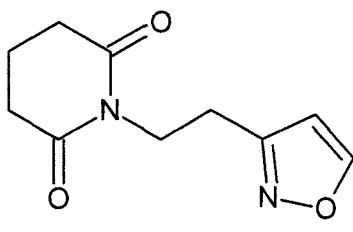
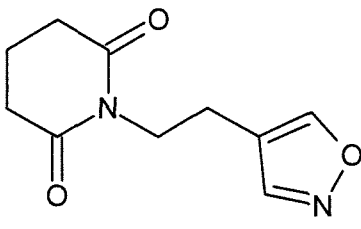
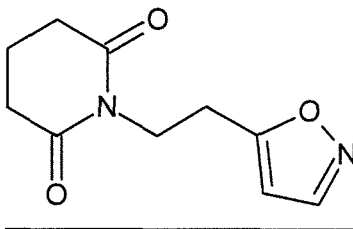
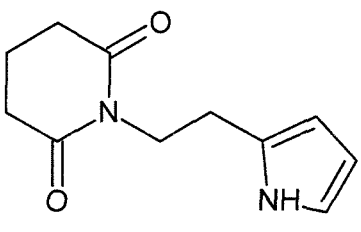
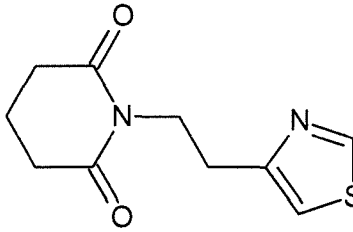
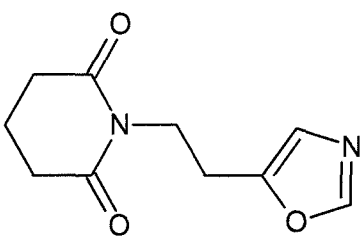
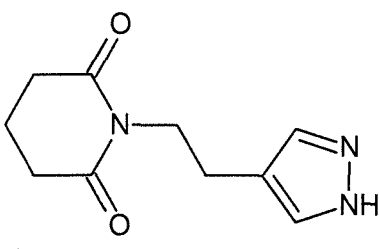


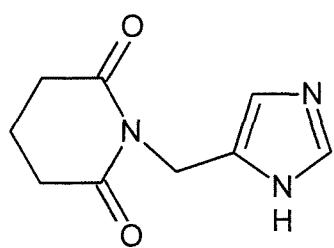
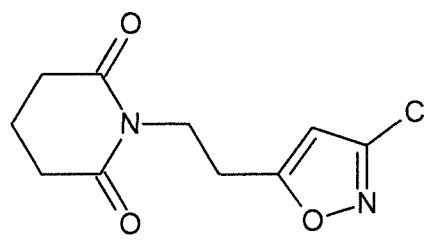
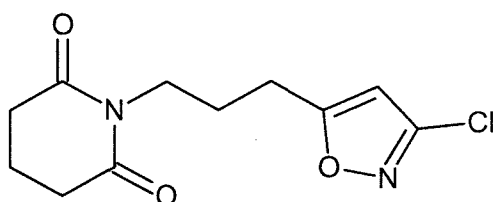
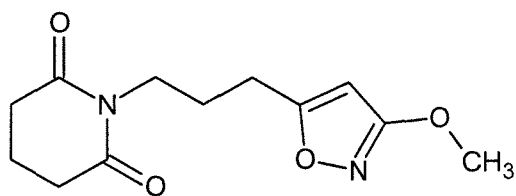
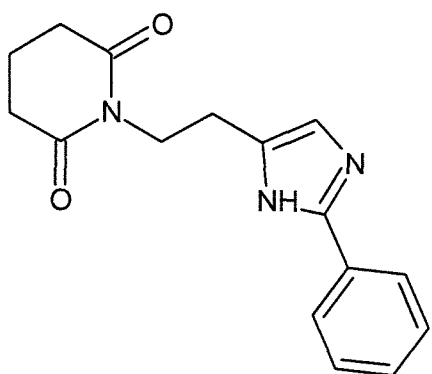
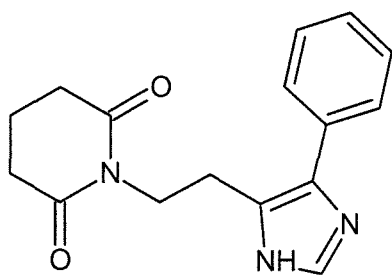
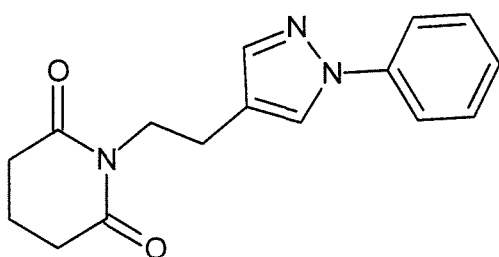
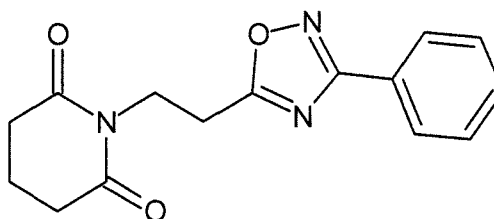
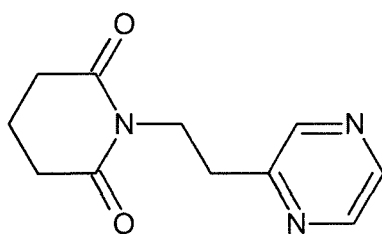
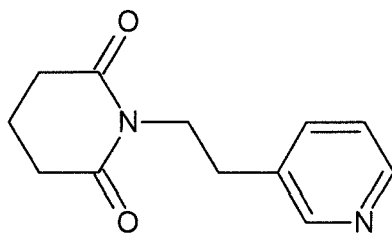
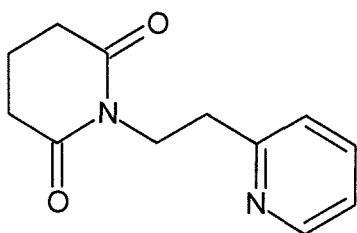
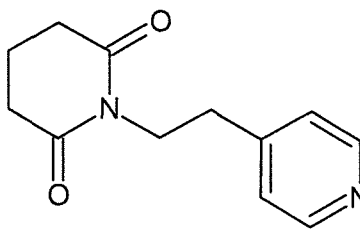


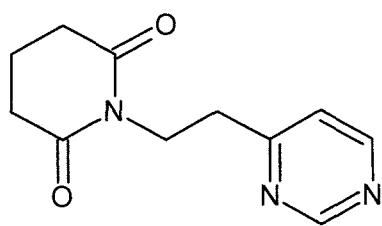
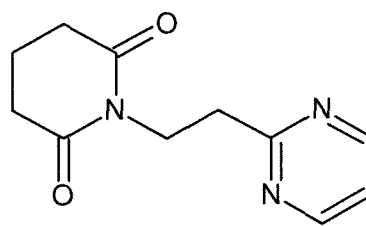
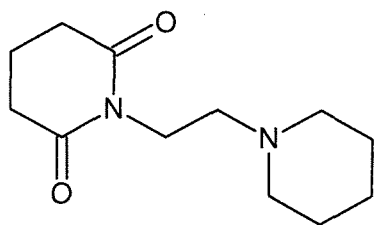
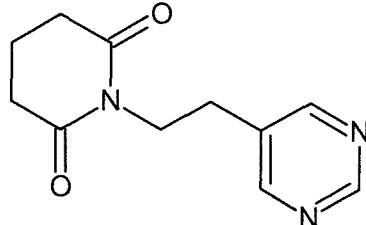
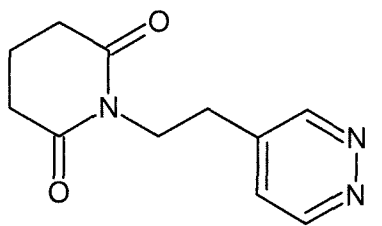
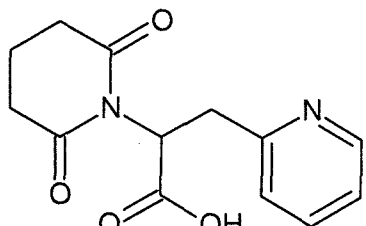
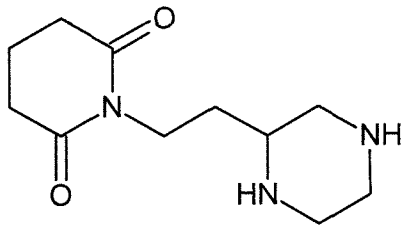
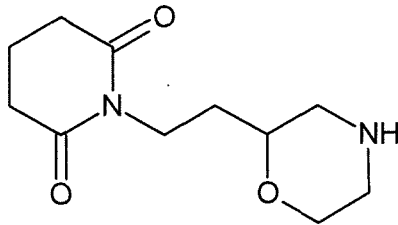
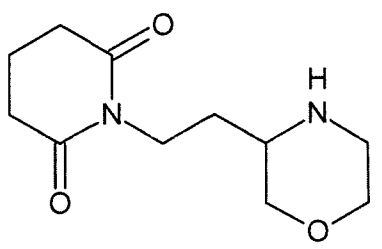
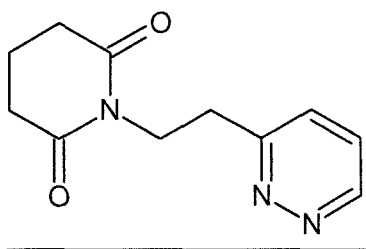
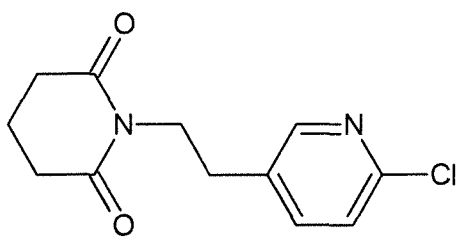
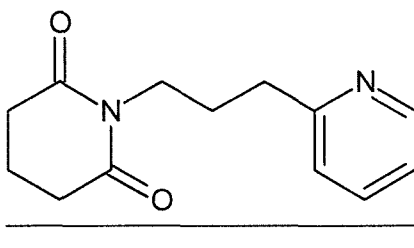


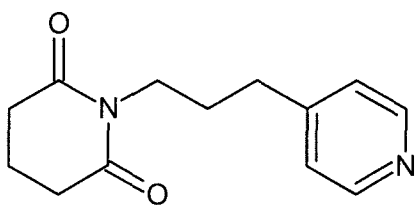
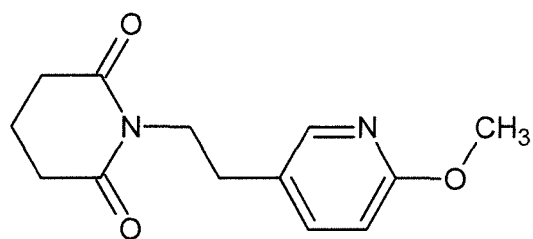
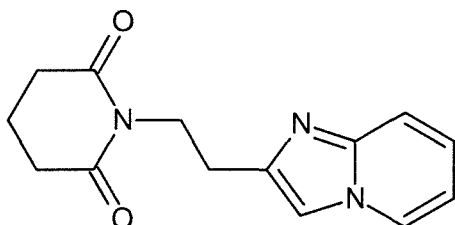
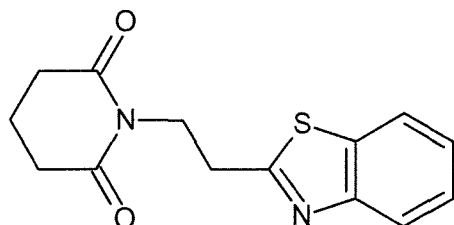
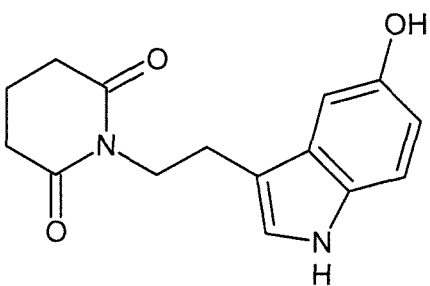
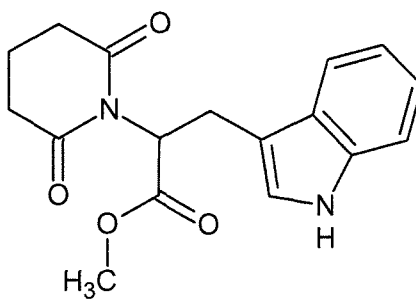
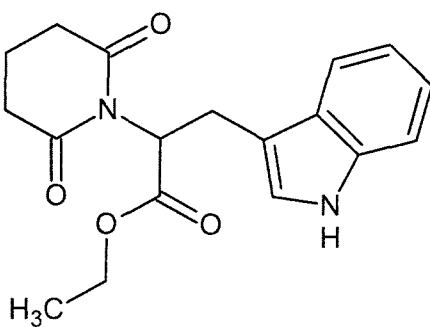
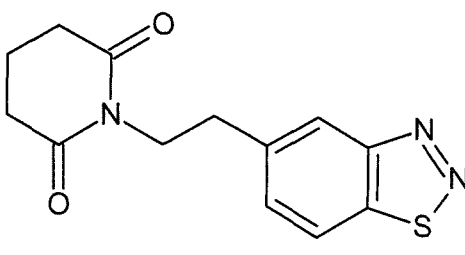
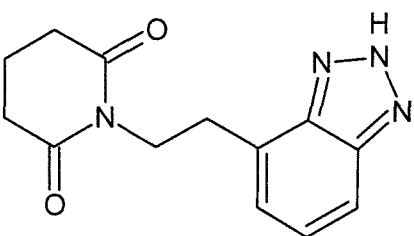
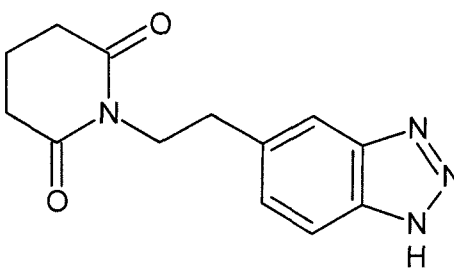
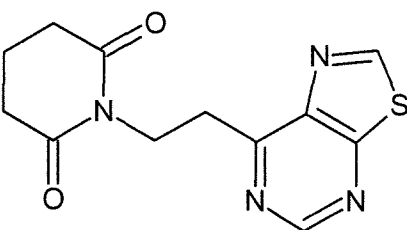
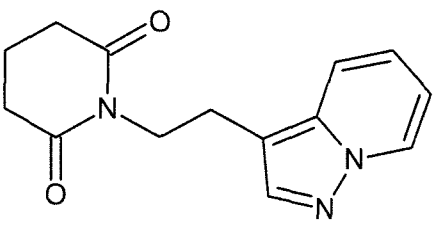


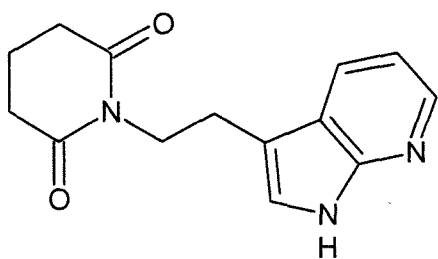
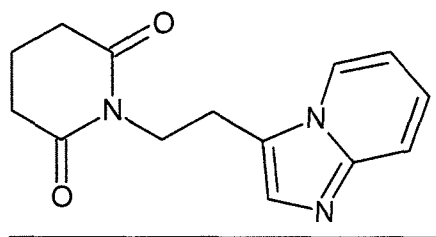
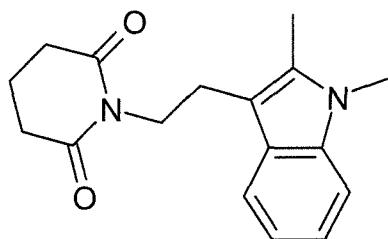
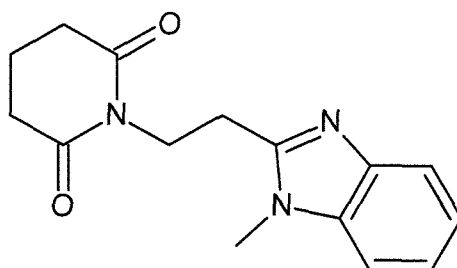
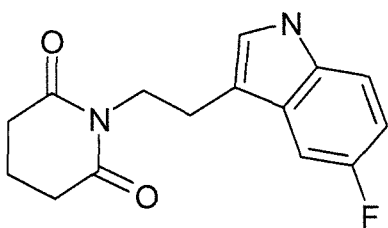
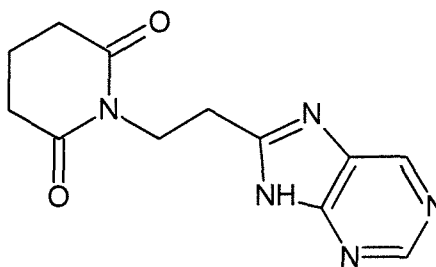
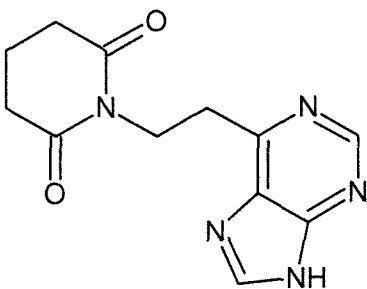
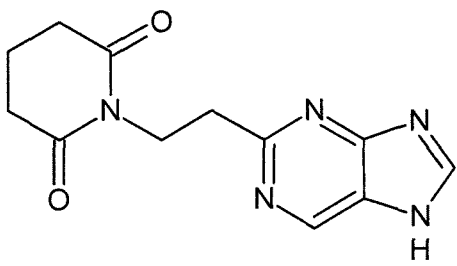
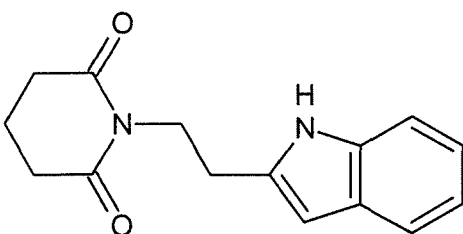
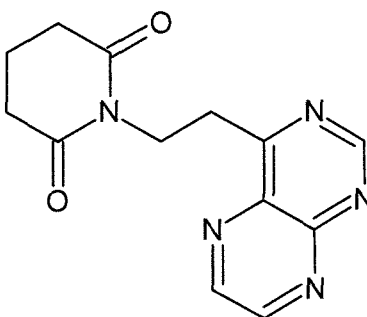


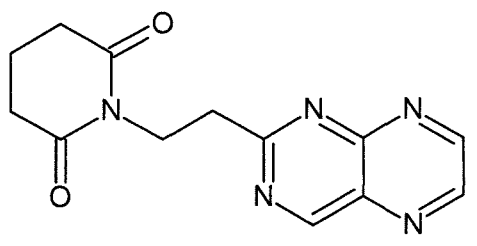
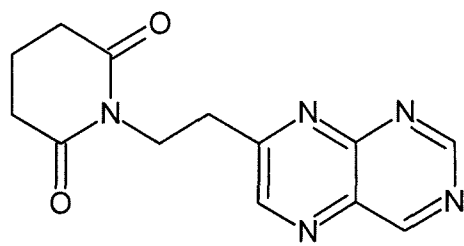




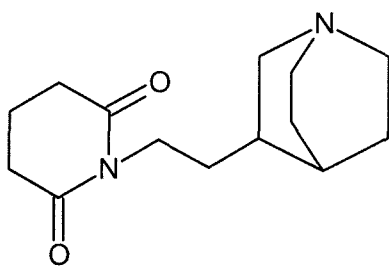




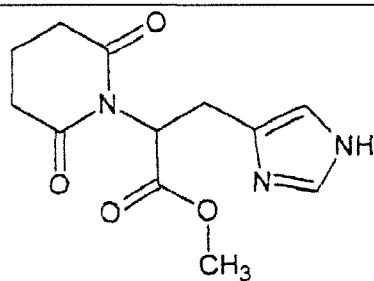
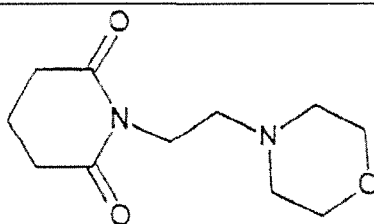
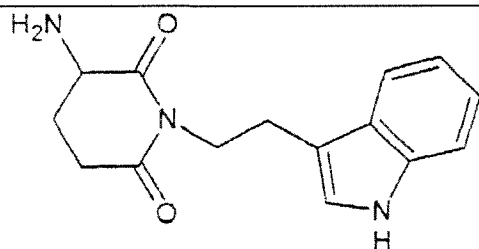


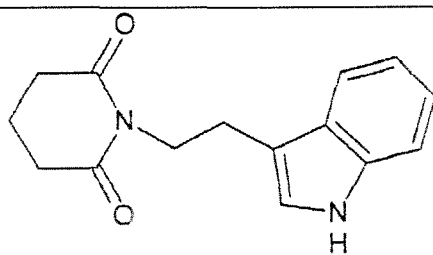
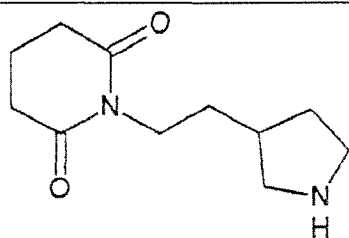
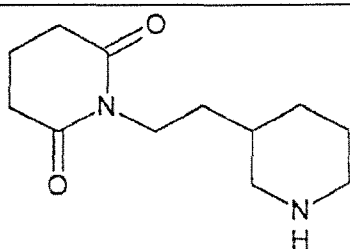
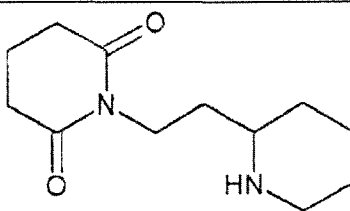
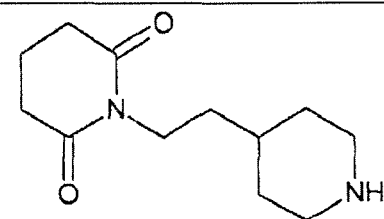
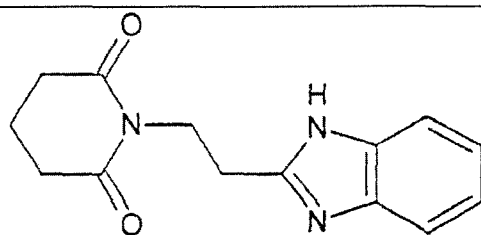


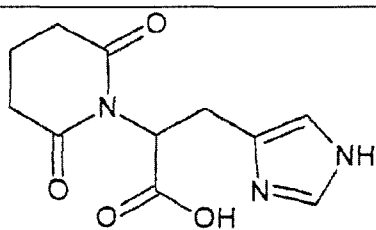
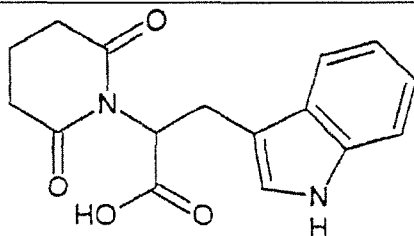
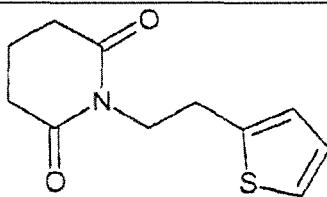
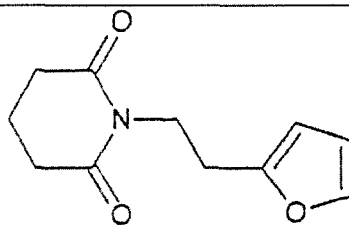
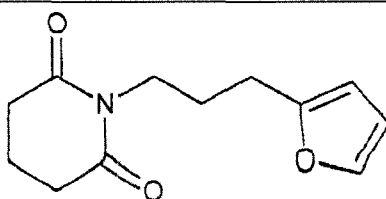
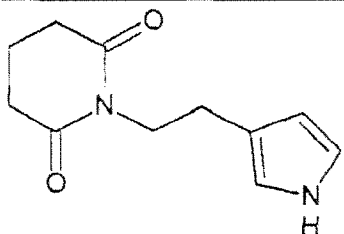
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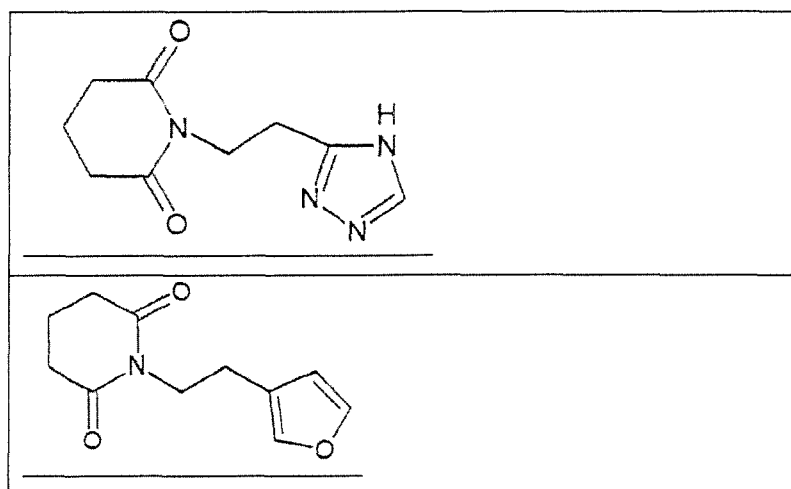


32. A medicament for the treatment of a respiratory tract disease, comprising a compound of claim 31 or one of the following compounds:









or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

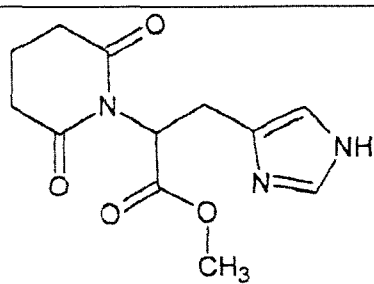
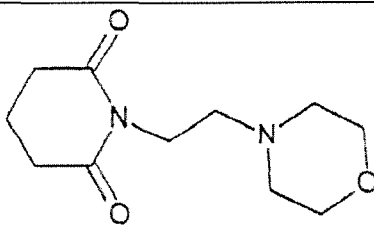
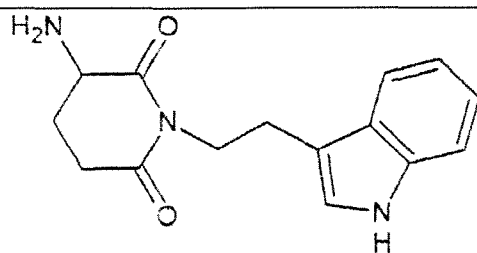
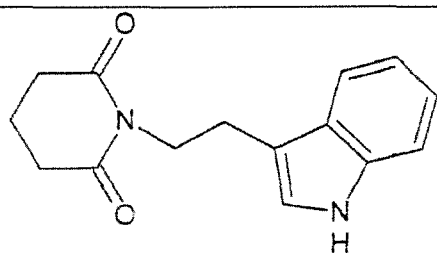
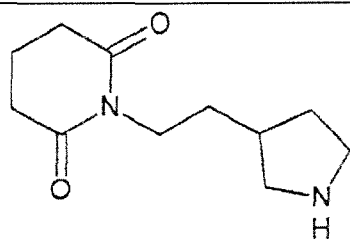
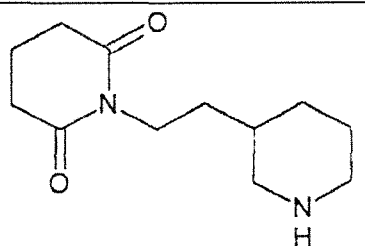
33. The medicament of claim 32, wherein the respiratory tract disease is rhinosinusitis.

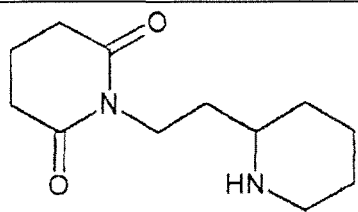
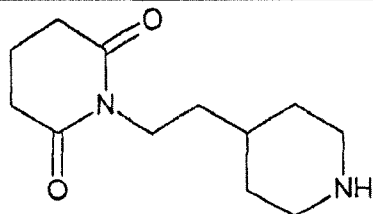
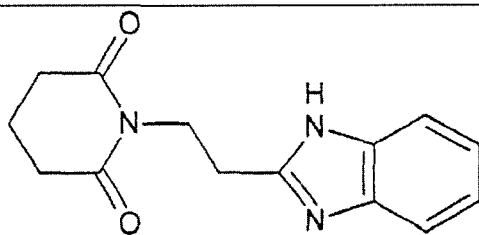
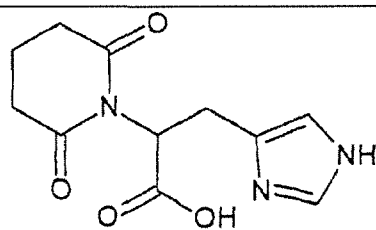
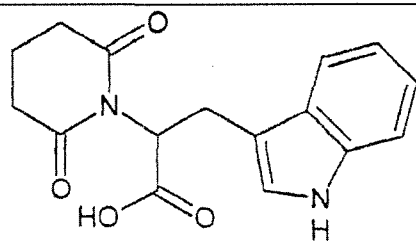
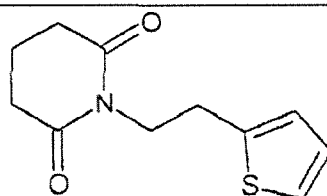
34. The medicament of claim 32, wherein the respiratory tract disease is caused by an RNA-comprising virus.

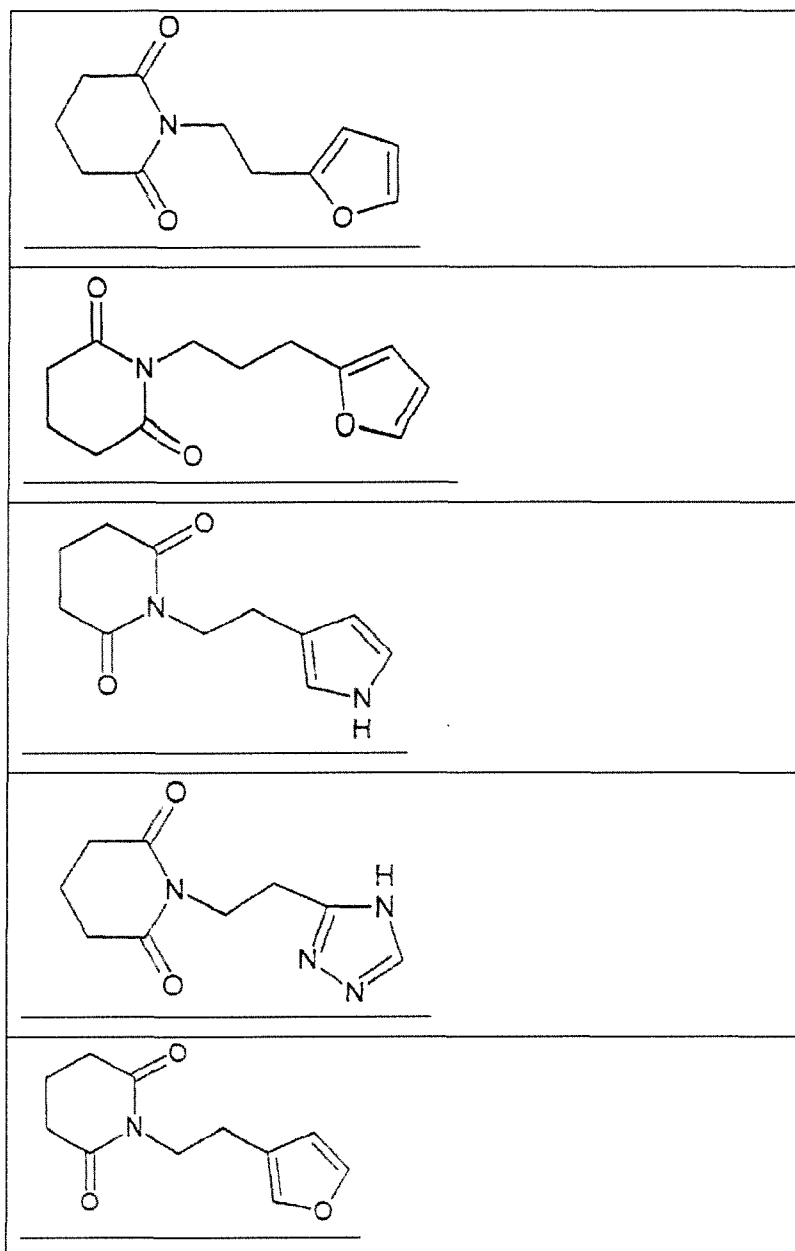
35. The medicament of claim 34, wherein the virus is selected from the group consisting of rhinovirus, Coxsackie virus, respiratory syncytial virus, and influenza virus.

36. The medicament of claim 32, wherein the disease is exacerbations of asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, bronchitis and mucoviscidosis, which are caused by rhinovirus, influenza virus and/or respiratory syncytial virus.

37. A pharmaceutical composition, comprising an effective amount of a compound of claim 31 or one of the following compounds:







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or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, for the treatment of a respiratory tract disease.

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38. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 37, wherein the respiratory tract disease is rhinosinusitis.

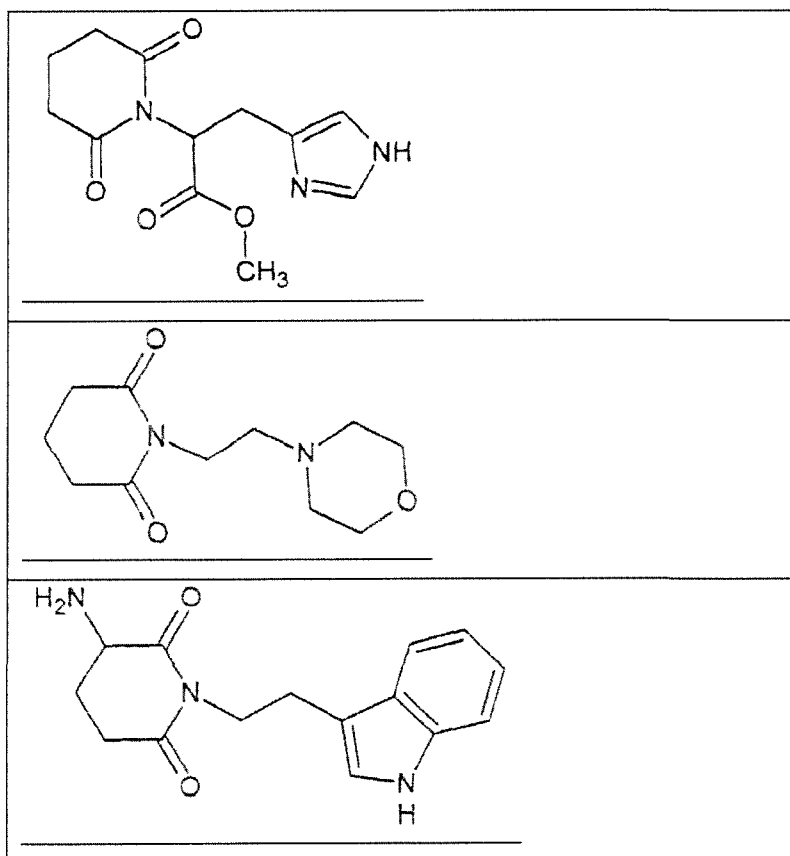
39. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 37, wherein the respiratory tract disease is caused by an RNA-comprising virus.

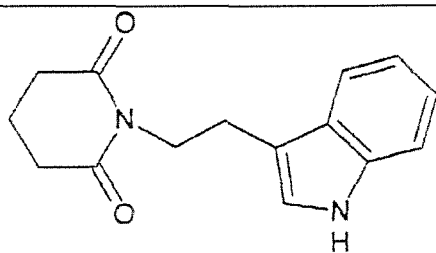
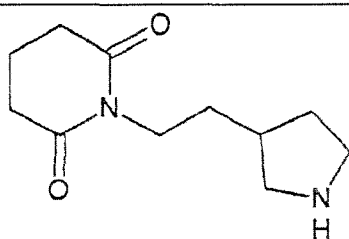
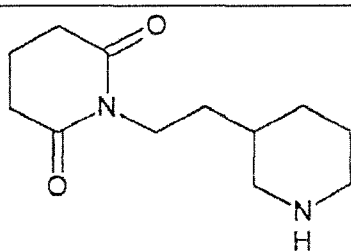
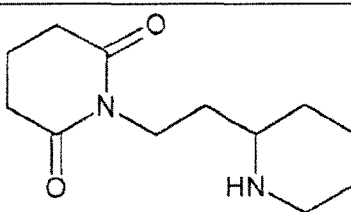
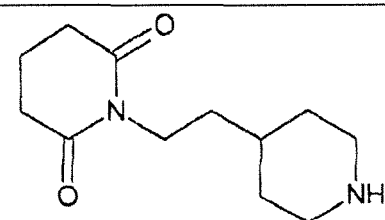
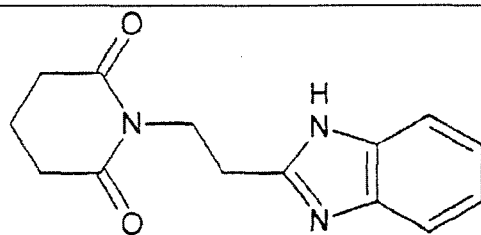
5 40. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 39, wherein the virus is selected from the group consisting of rhinovirus, Coxsackie virus, respiratory syncytial virus, and influenza.

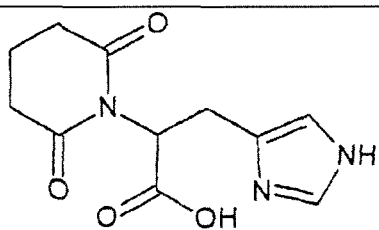
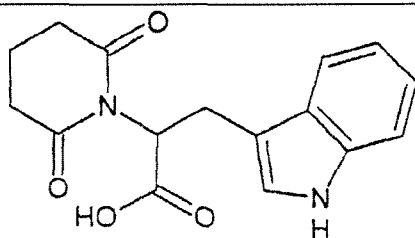
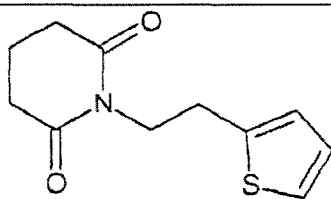
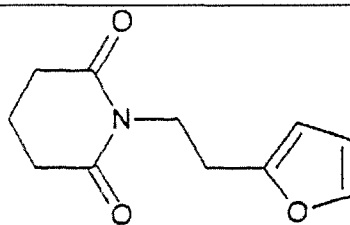
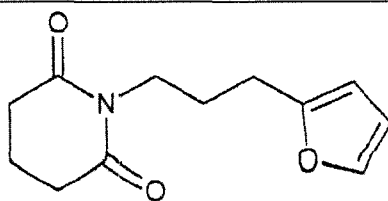
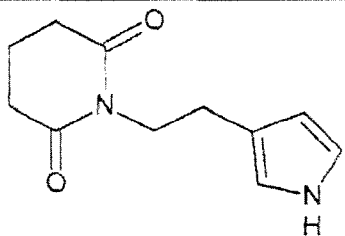
10 41. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 37, wherein the disease is exacerbations of asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, bronchitis and mucoviscidosis, which are caused by rhinovirus, influenza virus and/or respiratory syncytial virus.

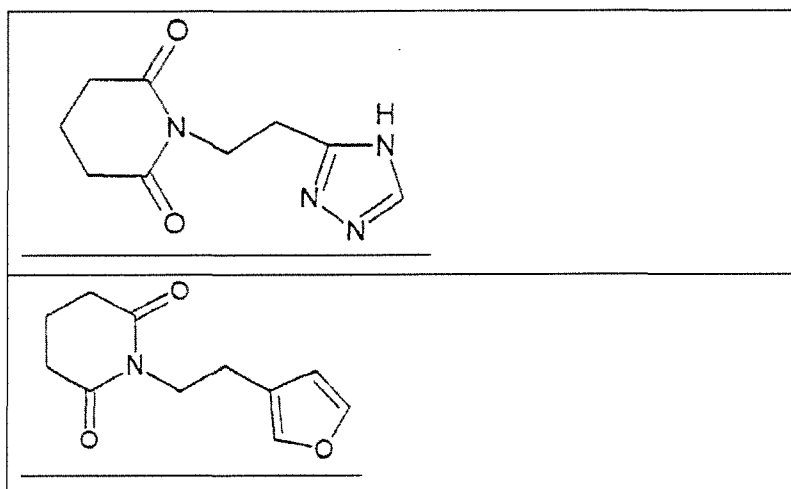
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42. Use of a compound of claim 31 or one of the following compounds:









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or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof for the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment of a respiratory tract disease.

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43. The use of claim 42, wherein the respiratory tract disease is rhinosinusitis.

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44. The use of claim 42, wherein the respiratory tract disease is caused by an RNA-comprising virus.

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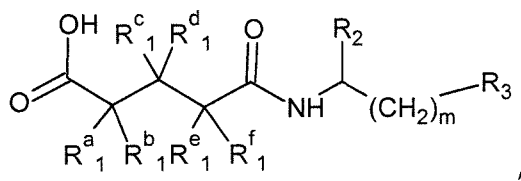
45. The use of claim 44, wherein the virus is selected from the group consisting of rhinovirus, Coxsackie virus, respiratory syncytial virus, and influenza virus.

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46. The use of claim 42, wherein the disease is exacerbations of asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, bronchitis and mucoviscidosis, which are caused by rhinovirus, influenza virus and/or respiratory syncytial virus.

47. A method for preparing a compound according to claim 41 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof,

comprising heating of dicarboxylic acid monoamide of
general formula II



wherein

5 m represents an integer of 0 to 2;

R^a₁, R^b₁, R^c₁, R^d₁, R^e₁, and R^f₁, each independently
represents hydrogen, C₁-C₆alkyl; -NH₂, -NHC₁-C₆alkyl,
hydroxyl, or C₁-C₆alkoxy;

R₂ is hydrogen, C₁-C₆alkyl, -C(O)OH, -C(O)OC₁-C₆alkyl;

10 R₃ is:

1) a 5-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic
group comprising from 1 to 4 heteroatoms selected from N, O
and S, optionally substituted with 1 to 3 substituents
selected from halogen, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₁-C₆alkoxy, -C(O)OH, -
15 C(O)OC₁-C₆alkyl, -NHC(O)C₁-C₆alkyl, phenyl, or pyridinyl;

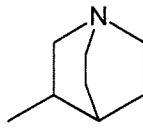
2) a 6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic
group comprising from 1 to 2 heteroatoms selected from N
and O, optionally substituted with a group selected from
halogen and C₁-C₆alkyl;

20 3) a 5-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group
comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S,
optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected
from C₁-C₆alkyl, condensed with a 6-membered unsaturated
nitrogen-containing cyclic or heterocyclic group optionally
25 substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from
hydroxyl, halogen or C₁-C₆alkyl;

4) a 6-membered unsaturated cyclic or heterocyclic
group comprising from 1 to 2 nitrogen atoms, condensed with
a 5- or 6-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group

comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S;
or

5) a group of the formula:



with a dehydrating agent in an organic solvent.

48. The method of claim 47, wherein the dehydrating agent
is glutaric anhydride, and the method is performed under
heating in an organic solvent, preferably in
dimethylformamide.

49. The method of claim 47, wherein the dehydrating agent
is propionic anhydride, and the method is performed under
heating in an organic solvent, preferably in toluene.

50. The process of claim 49, wherein the method is
performed with addition of sodium acetate.

51. The method of claim 47, wherein the dehydrating agent
is acetic anhydride, and the method is performed under
heating in an organic solvent, preferably in dioxane.

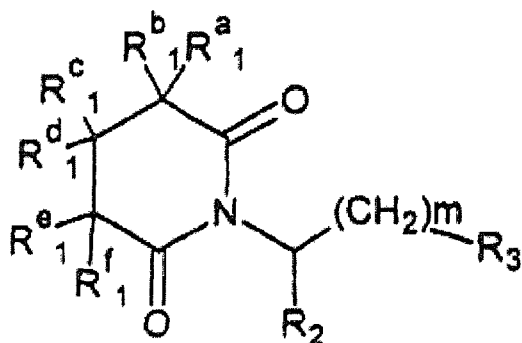
52. The process of claim 51, wherein the method is
performed with addition of sodium acetate.

53. The method of claim 47, wherein the dehydrating agent
is acetic acid chloroanhydride, and the method is performed
under heating in an organic solvent, preferably in acetic
acid.

54. The method of claim 47, wherein the dehydrating agent and the solvent are acetic acid anhydride, and the method is performed at 90-100°C.
- 5 55. The method of claim 47, wherein the dehydrating agent is carbonyldiimidazole.

AMENDED CLAIMS (ARTICLE 19 PCT)

1. A compound of general formula I:



wherein m is an integer from 0 to 2;

R_1^a , R_1^b , R_1^c , R_1^d , R_1^e , and R_1^f , each independently represents hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl; $-NH_2$, $-NHC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, hydroxyl, or C_1 - C_6 alkoxy;

R_2 is hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl;

R_3 is:

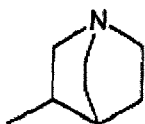
1) a 5-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 4 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, optionally substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from halogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-NHC(O)C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, phenyl, or pyridinyl;

2) a 6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 heteroatoms selected from N and O, optionally substituted with a group selected from halogen and C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

3) a 5-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S, optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from C_1 - C_6 alkyl, condensed with a 6-membered unsaturated nitrogen-containing cyclic or heterocyclic group optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from hydroxyl, halogen or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

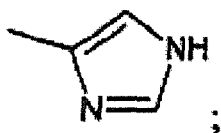
4) a 6-membered unsaturated cyclic or heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 nitrogen atoms, condensed with a 5- or 6-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S; or

5) a group of the formula:

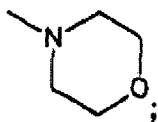


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof,
with a proviso that the compound is not a compound,
wherein:

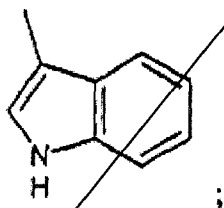
when m is 1, R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 are hydrogen and
 R_2 is $-C(O)OCH_3$, R_3 is not:



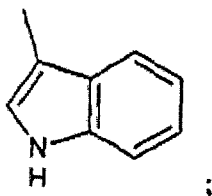
when m is 1, R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 are hydrogen and
 R_2 is hydrogen, R_3 is not:



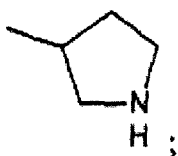
when m is 1, R^a_1 is an amino group and R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and
 R^f_1 are hydrogen, or R^e_1 is an amino group and R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 ,
and R^f_1 are hydrogen and R_2 is hydrogen, R_3 is not:



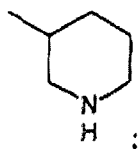
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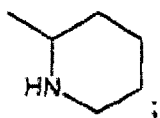
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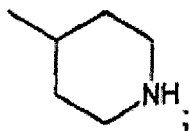
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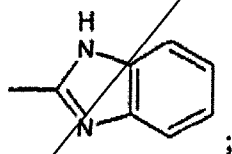
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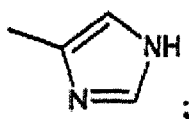
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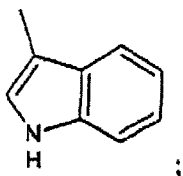
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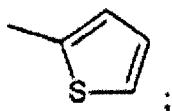
when m is 1, R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 are hydrogen and R_2 is $-C(O)OH$, R_3 is not:



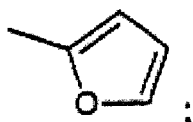
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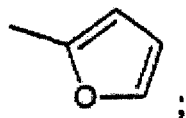
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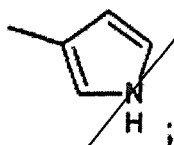
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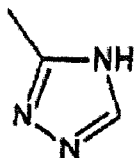
when m is 2, R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 are hydrogen and R_2 is hydrogen, R_3 is not:



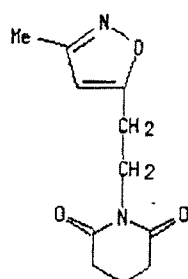
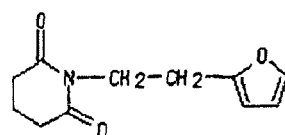
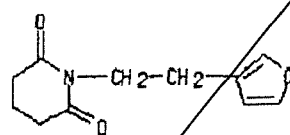
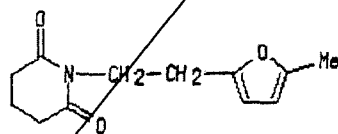
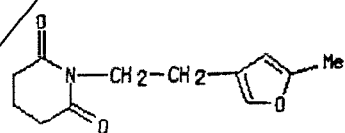
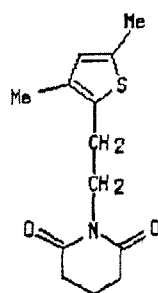
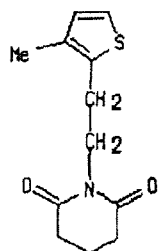
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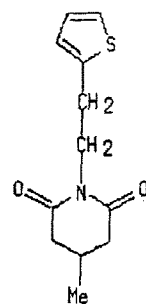
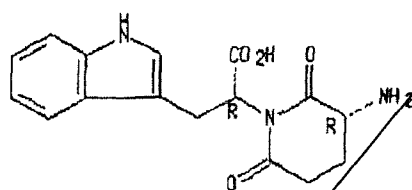
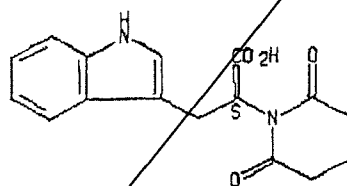
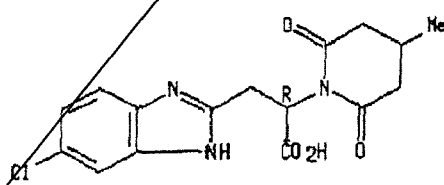
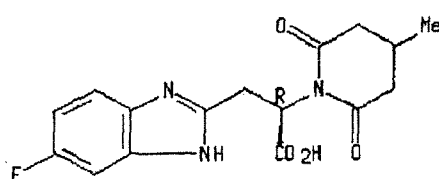
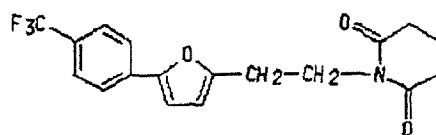
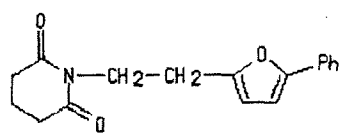


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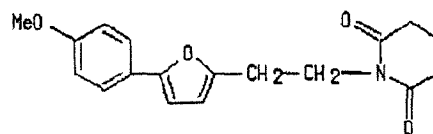


and with a proviso that the compound is not the following compound:





, and



2. The compound of claim 1, wherein m is an integer from 0 to 2;

R^a_1 and R^b_1 are hydrogen, methyl, amino, or hydroxyl;

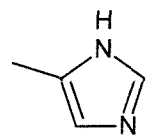
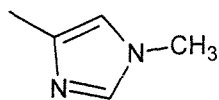
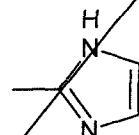
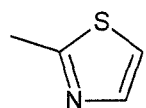
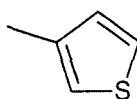
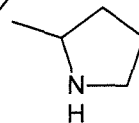
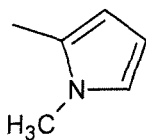
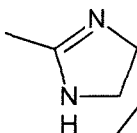
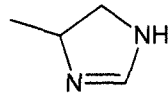
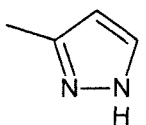
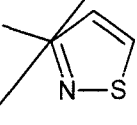
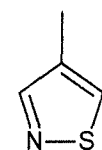
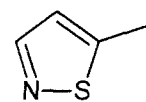
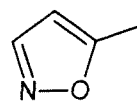
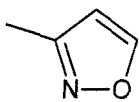
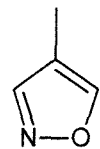
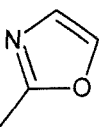
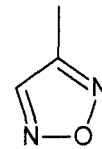
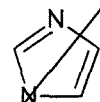
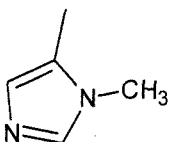
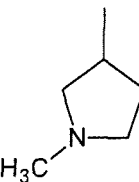
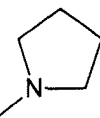
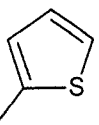
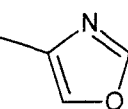
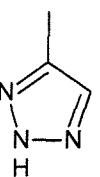
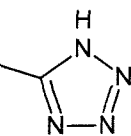
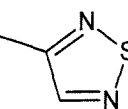
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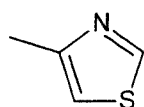
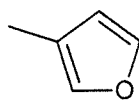
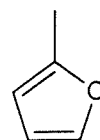
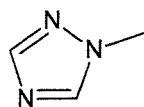
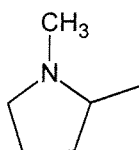
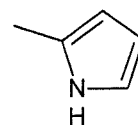
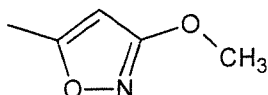
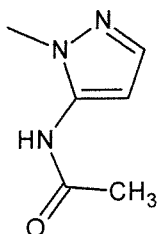
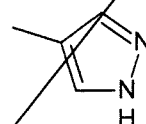
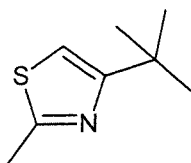
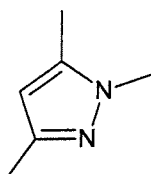
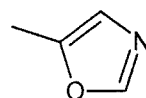
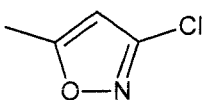
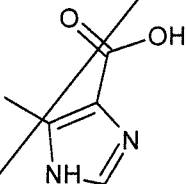
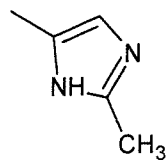
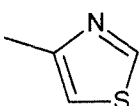
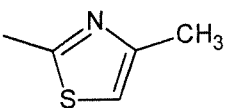
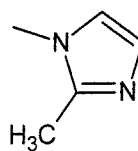
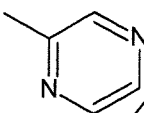
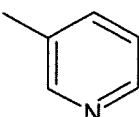
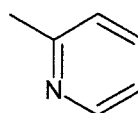
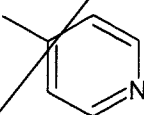
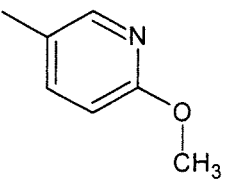
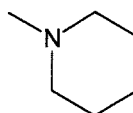
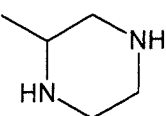
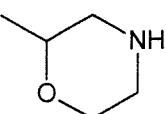
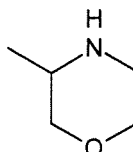
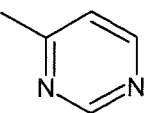
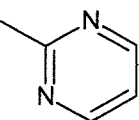
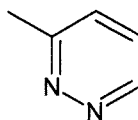
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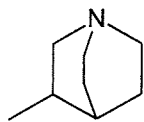
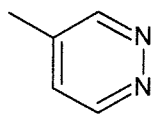
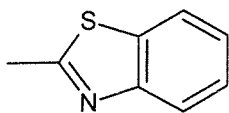
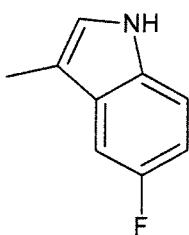
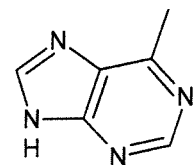
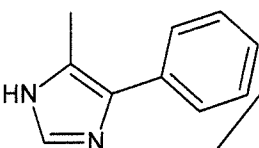
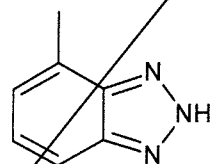
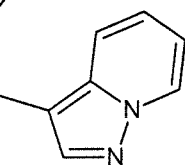
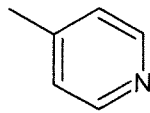
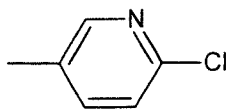
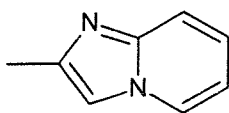
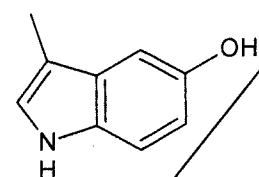
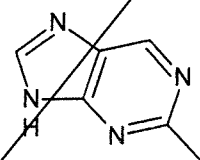
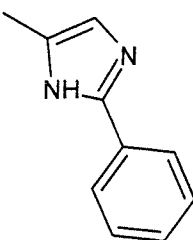
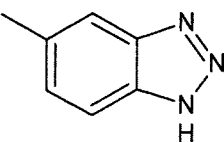
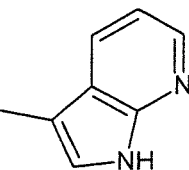
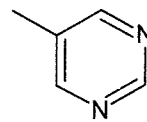
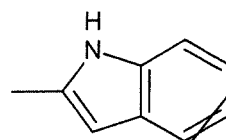
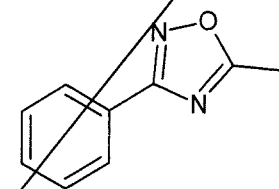
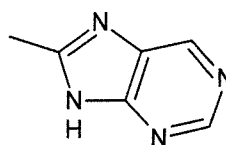
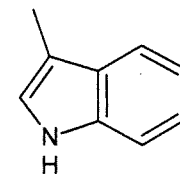
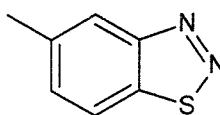
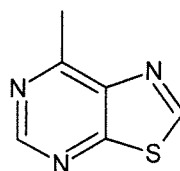
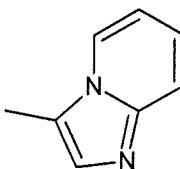
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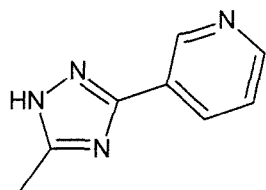
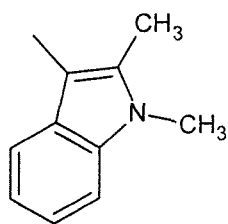
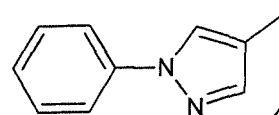
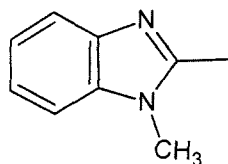
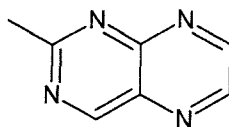
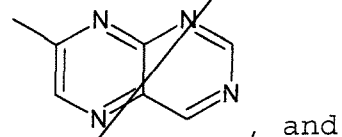
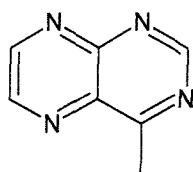
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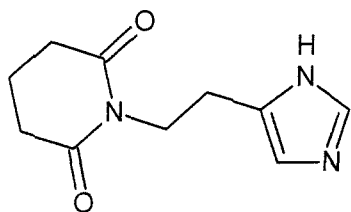
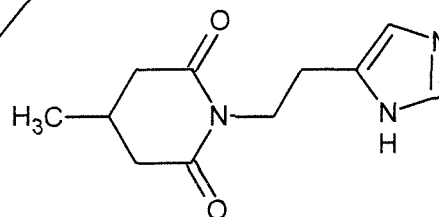
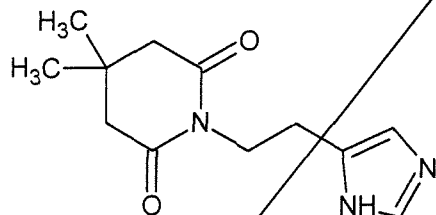
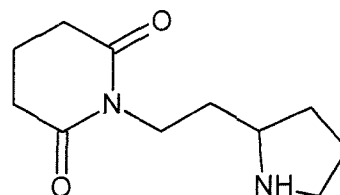
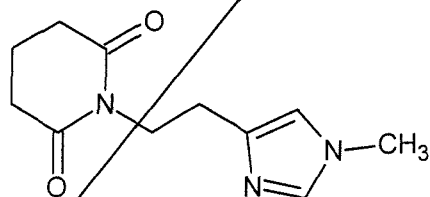
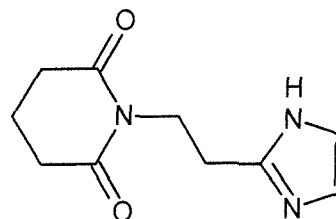
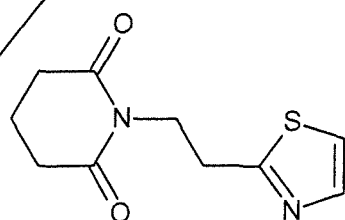
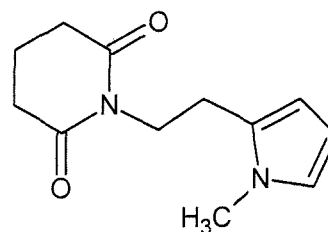


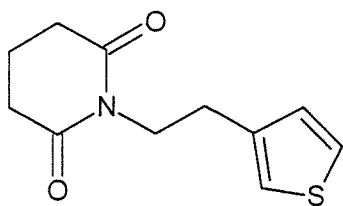
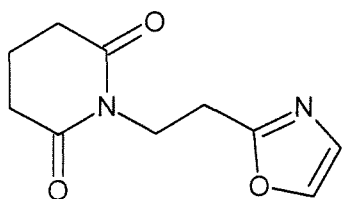
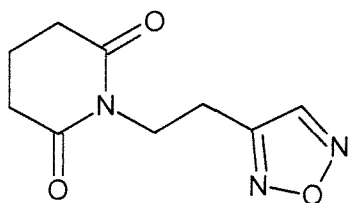
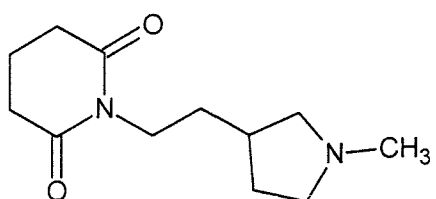
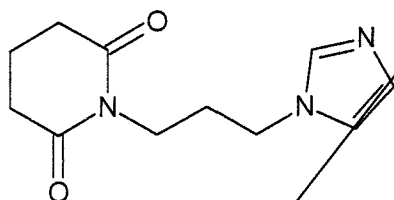
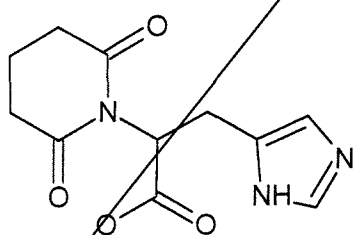
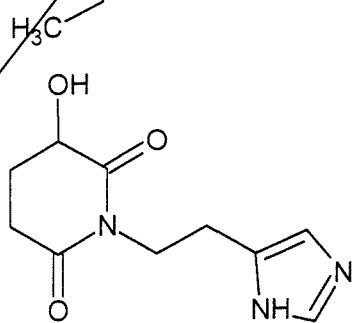
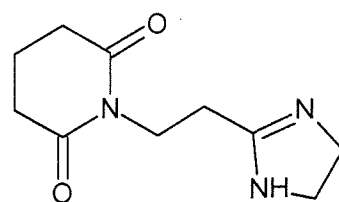
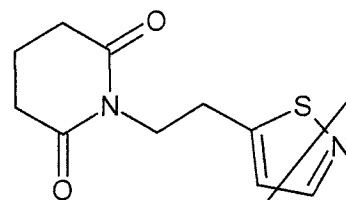
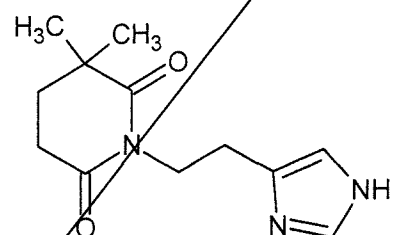
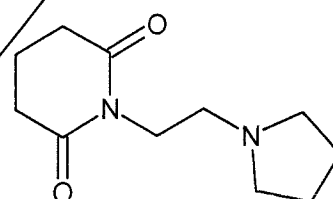
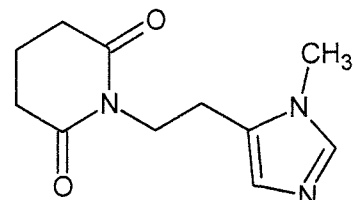
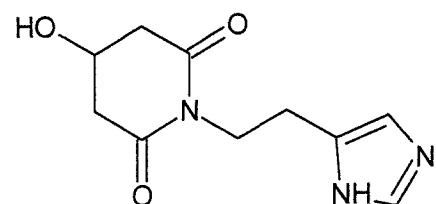
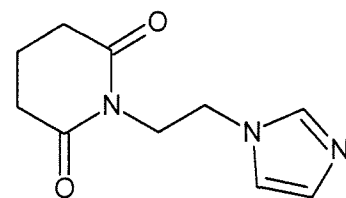


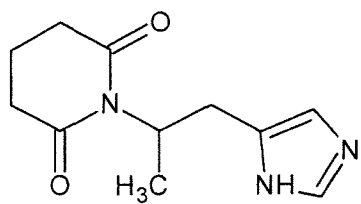
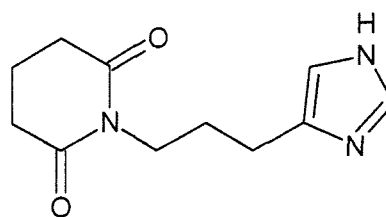
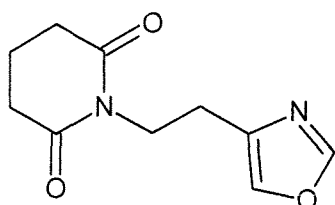
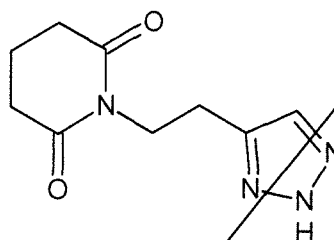
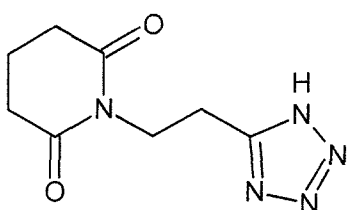
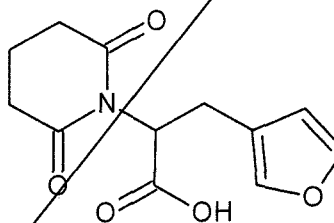
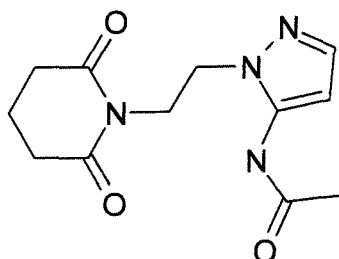
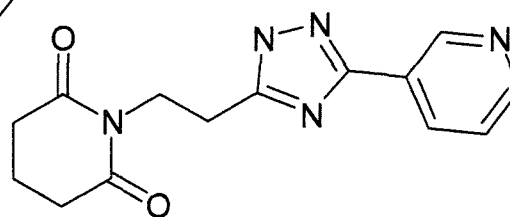
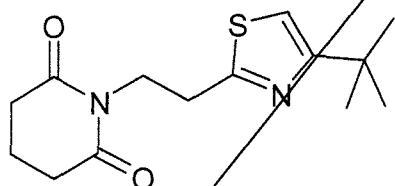
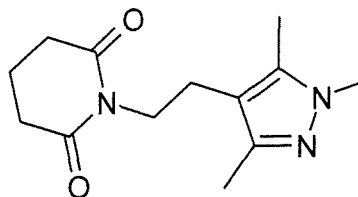
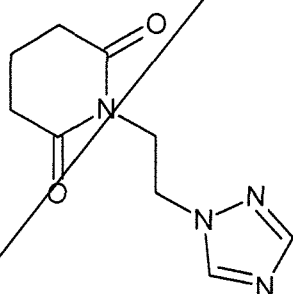
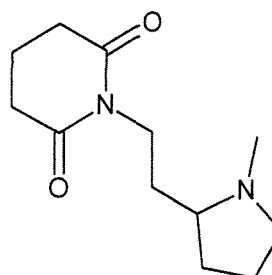
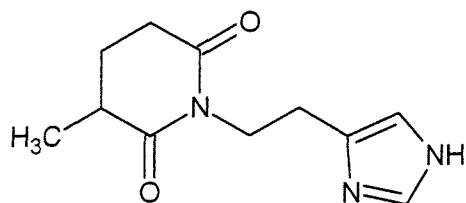
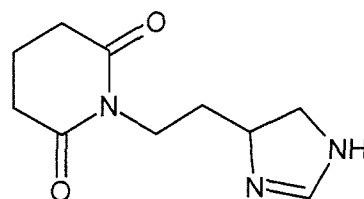


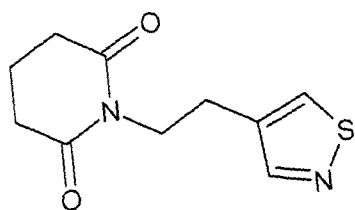
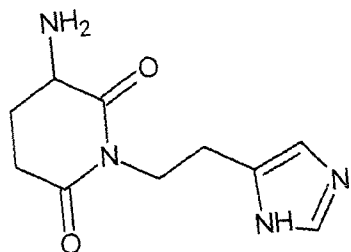
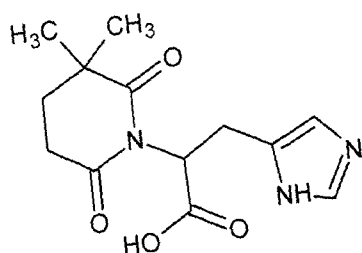
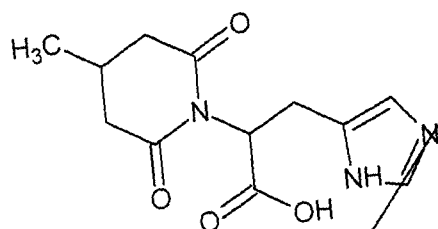
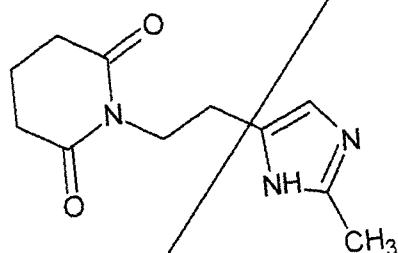
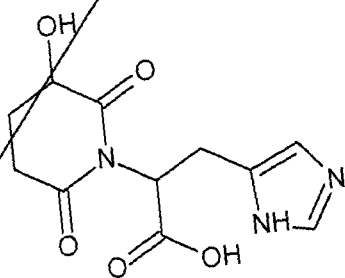
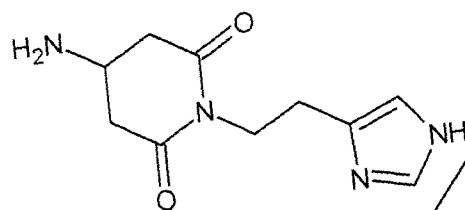
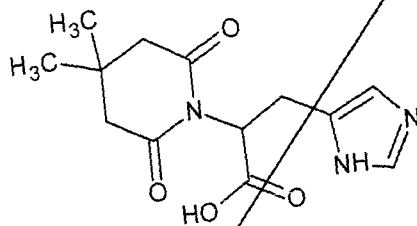
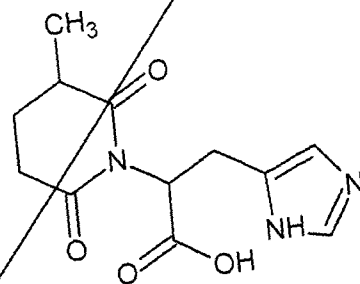
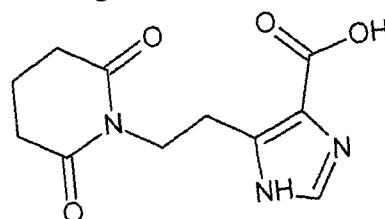
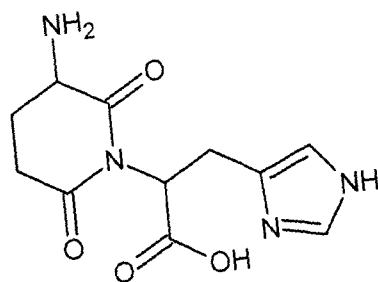
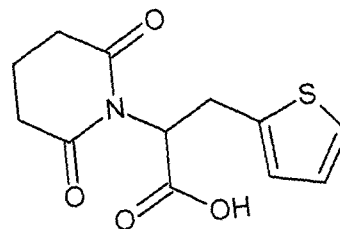
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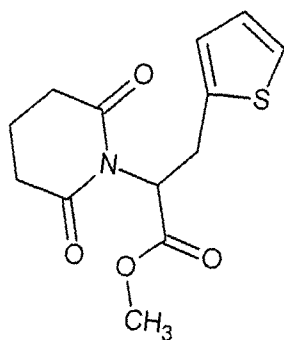
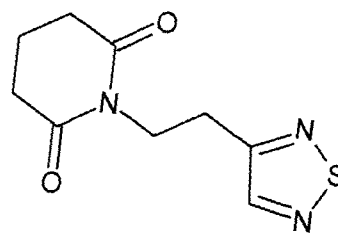
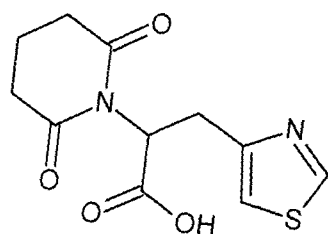
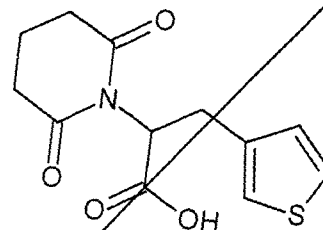
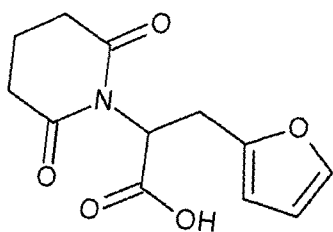
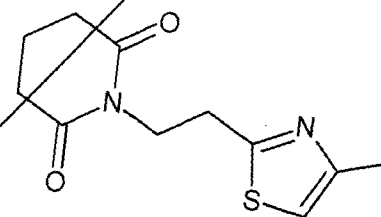
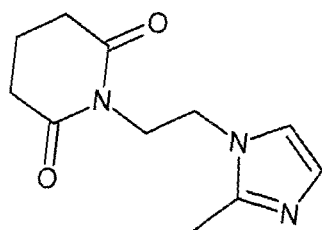
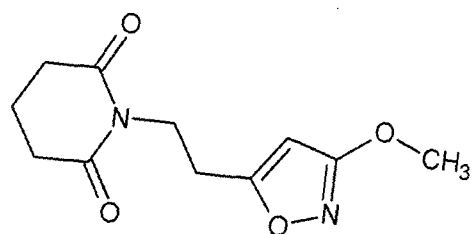
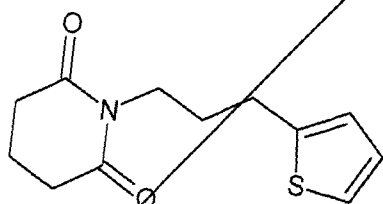
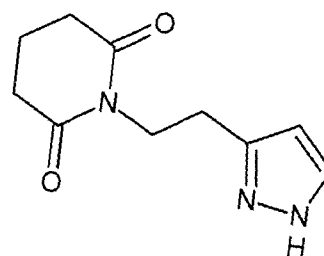
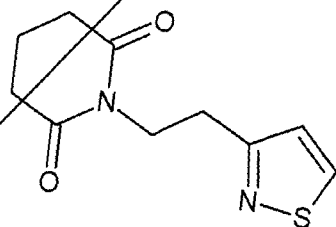
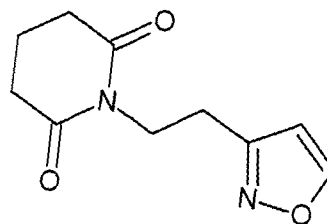
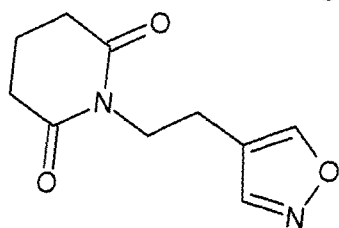
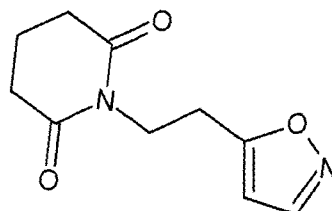
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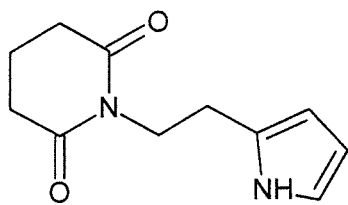
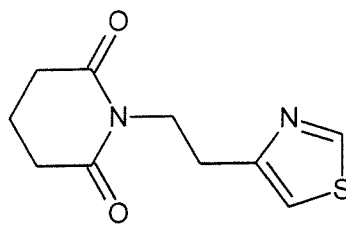
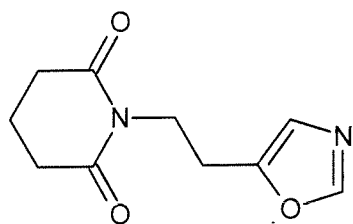
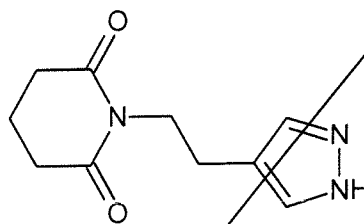
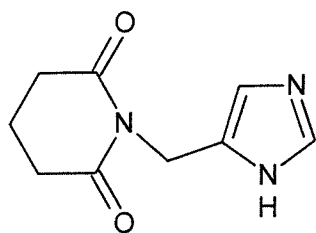
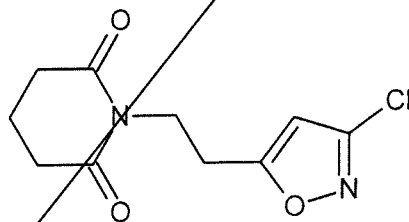
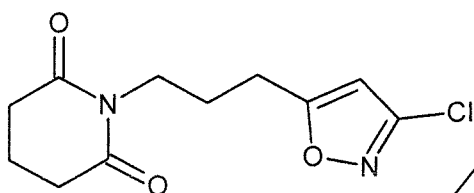
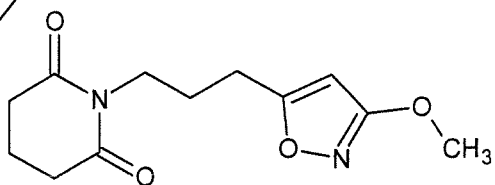
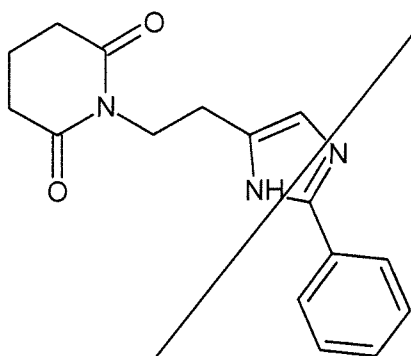
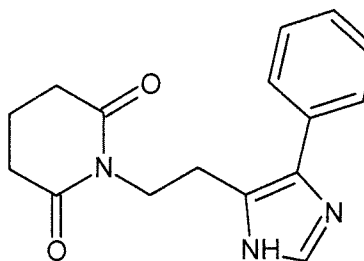
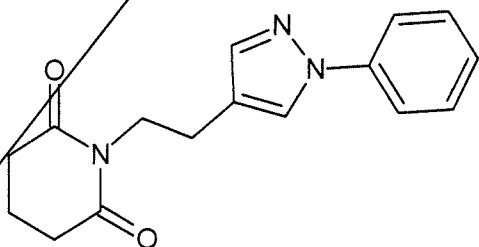
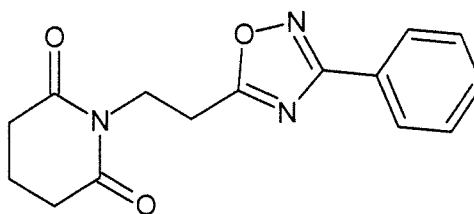
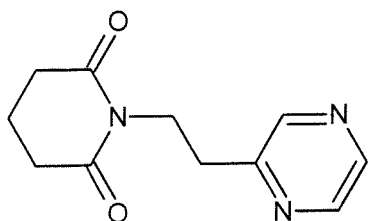
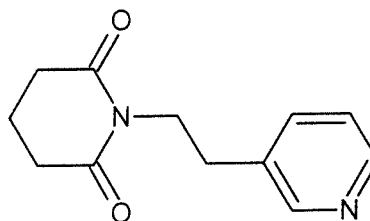


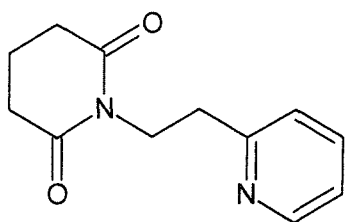
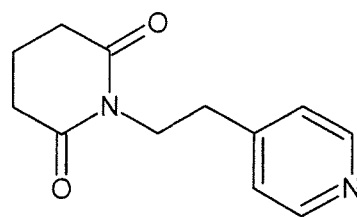
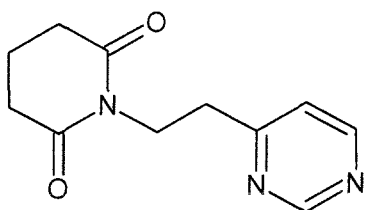
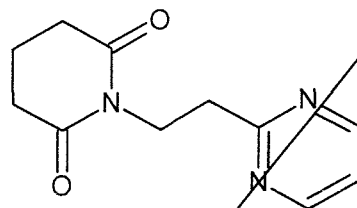
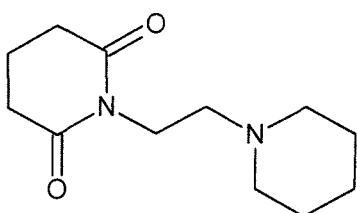
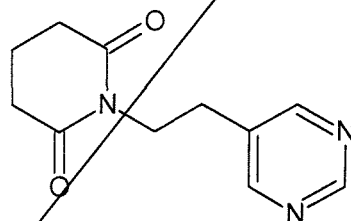
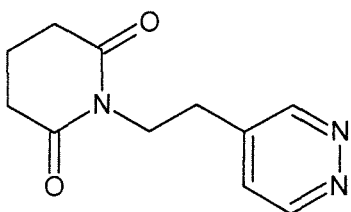
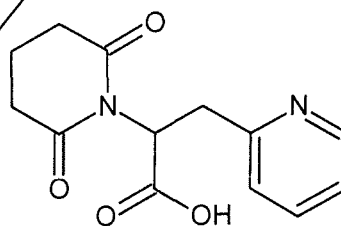
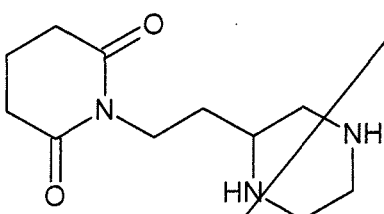
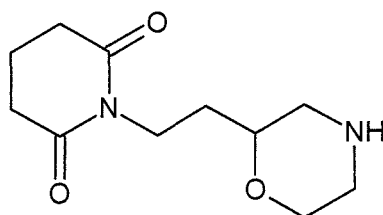
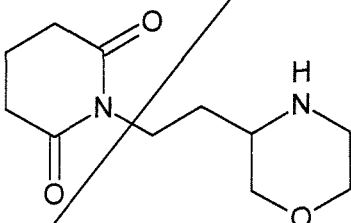
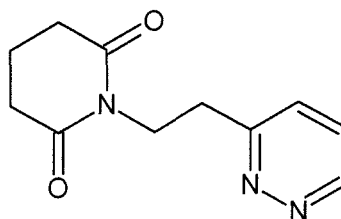
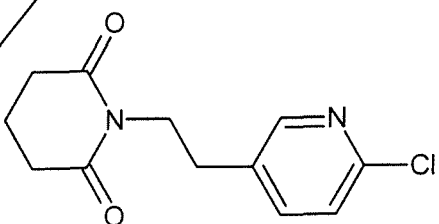
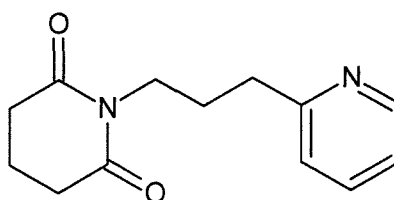


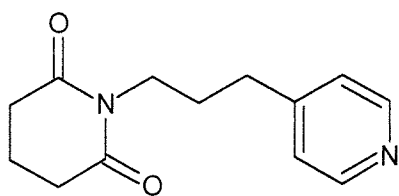
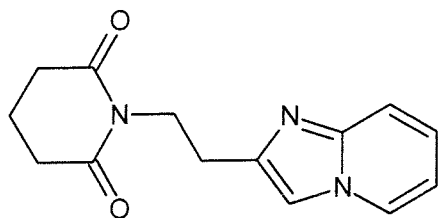
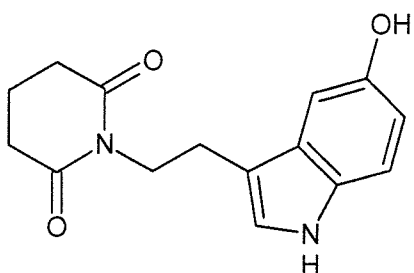
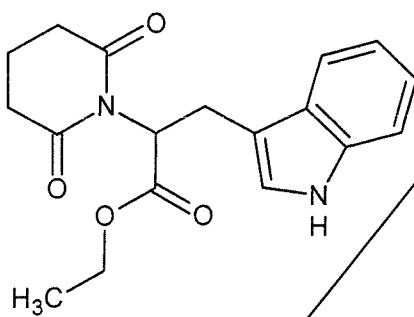
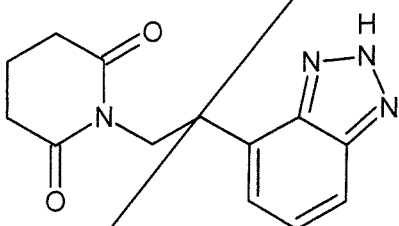
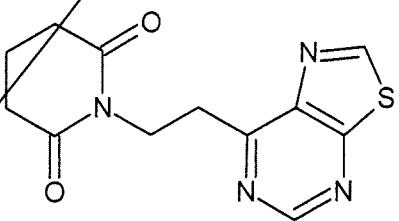
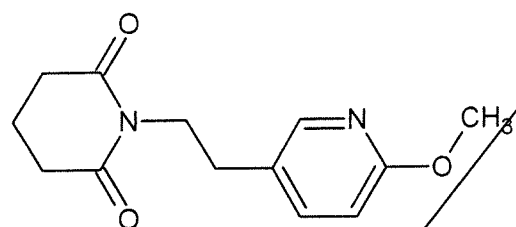
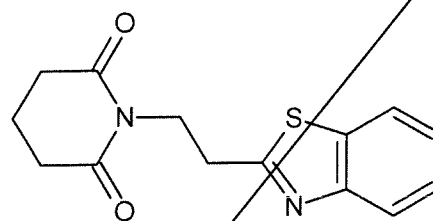
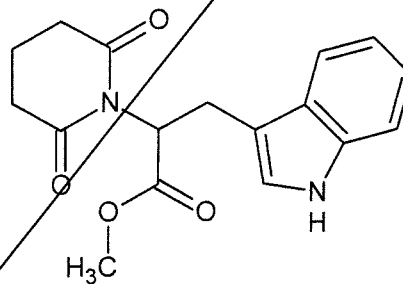
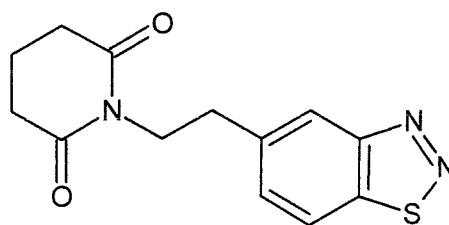
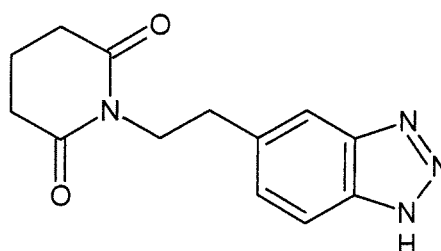
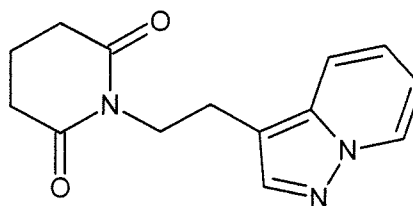


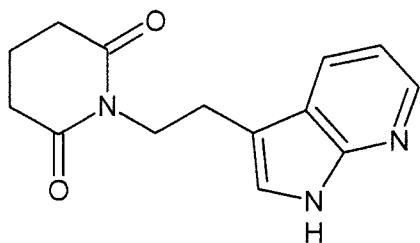
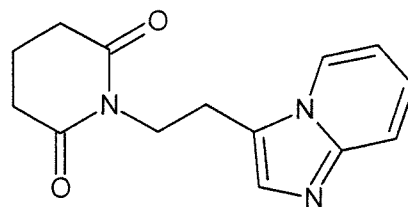
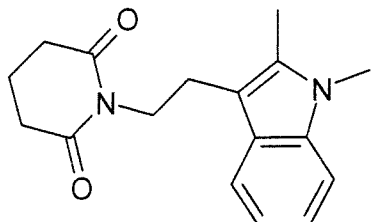
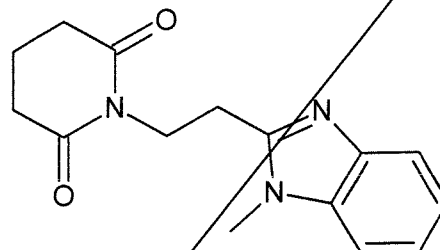
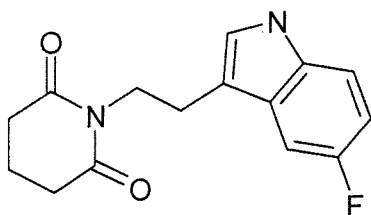
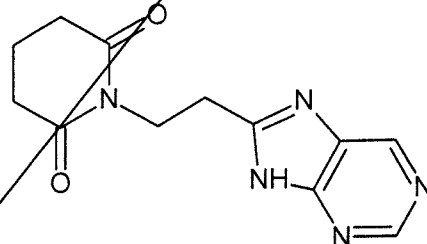
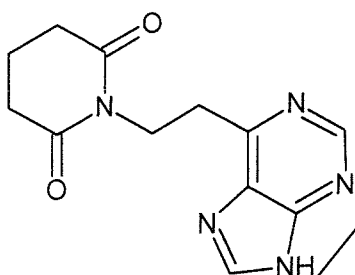
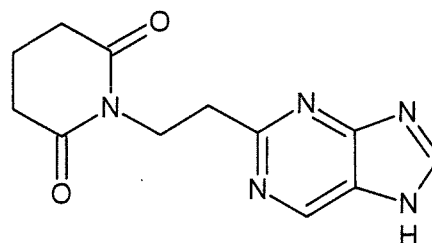
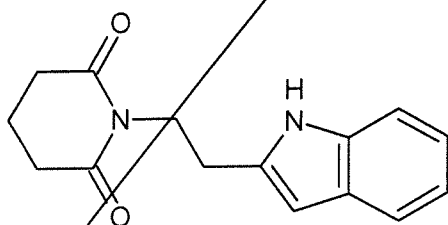
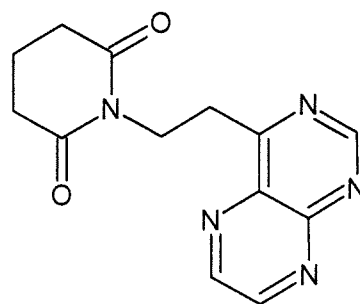
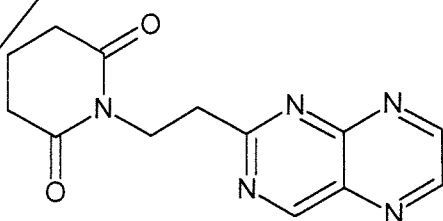
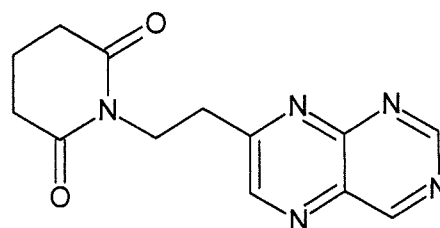




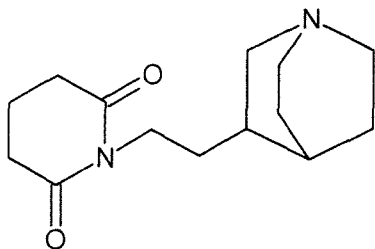




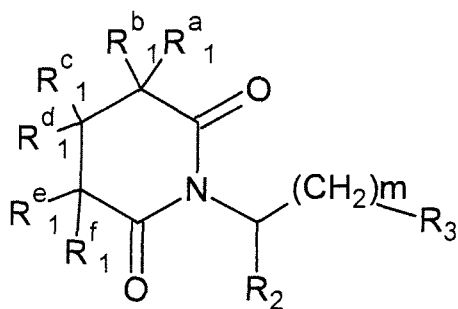




, or



4. A medicament for the treatment of a respiratory tract disease, which is a compound of general formula I:



wherein m is an integer from 0 to 2;

R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 , each independently represents hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl; $-NH_2$, $-NHC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, hydroxyl, or C_1 - C_6 alkoxy;

R_2 is hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl;

R_3 is:

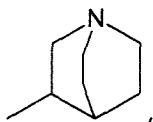
1) a 5-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 4 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, optionally substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from halogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-NHC(O)C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, phenyl, or pyridinyl;

2) a 6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 heteroatoms selected from N and O, optionally substituted with a group selected from halogen and C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

3) a 5-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S, optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from C_1 - C_6 alkyl, condensed with a 6-membered unsaturated nitrogen-containing cyclic or heterocyclic group optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from hydroxyl, halogen or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

4) a 6-membered unsaturated cyclic or heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 nitrogen atoms, condensed with a 5- or 6-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S; or

5) a group of the formula:



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

5. The medicament of claim 4, wherein the compound of formula (I) is a compound as defined in any one of claims 1 to 3.

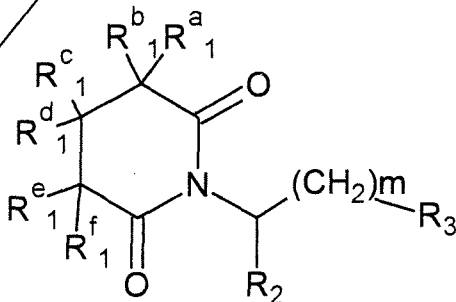
6. The medicament of claim 4 or 5, wherein the respiratory tract disease is rhinosinusitis.

7. The medicament of claim 4 or 5, wherein the respiratory tract disease is caused by an RNA-comprising virus.

8. The medicament of claim 7, wherein the virus is selected from the group consisting of rhinovirus, Coxsackie virus, respiratory syncytial virus, and influenza virus.

9. The medicament of claim 4 or 5, wherein the disease is exacerbations of asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, bronchitis and mucoviscidosis, which are caused by rhinovirus, influenza virus and/or respiratory syncytial virus.

10. A pharmaceutical composition for the treatment of a respiratory tract disease, comprising an effective amount of a compound of general formula I



wherein m is an integer from 0 to 2;

R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 , each independently represents hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl; $-NH_2$, $-NHC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, hydroxyl, or C_1 - C_6 alkoxy;

R_2 is hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl;

R_3 is:

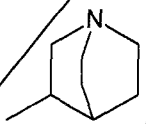
1) a 5-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 4 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, optionally substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from halogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-NHC(O)C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, phenyl, or pyridinyl;

2) a 6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 heteroatoms selected from N and O, optionally substituted with a group selected from halogen and C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

3) a 5-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S, optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from C_1 - C_6 alkyl, condensed with a 6-membered unsaturated nitrogen-containing cyclic or heterocyclic group optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from hydroxyl, halogen or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

4) a 6-membered unsaturated cyclic or heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 nitrogen atoms, condensed with a 5- or 6-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S; or

5) a group of the formula:



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

11. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 9, wherein the compound of formula (I) is a compound as defined in any one of claims 1 to 3.

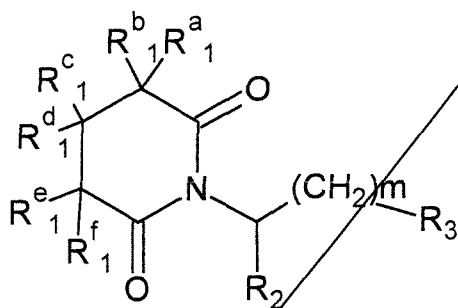
12. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 10 or 11, wherein the respiratory tract disease is rhinosinusitis.

13. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 10 or 11, wherein the respiratory tract disease is caused by an RNA-comprising virus.

14. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 13, wherein the virus is selected from the group consisting of rhinovirus, Coxsackie virus, respiratory syncytial virus, and influenza.

15. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 10 or 11, wherein the disease is exacerbations of asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, bronchitis and mucoviscidosis, which are caused by rhinovirus, influenza virus and/or respiratory syncytial virus.

16. A method of treating a respiratory tract disease, comprising administering to a patient an effective amount of a compound of general formula I



wherein m is an integer from 0 to 2;

R^a , R^b , R^c , R^d , R^e , and R^f , each independently represents hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl; $-NH_2$, $-NHC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, hydroxyl, or C_1 - C_6 alkoxy;

R_2 is hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl;

R_3 is:

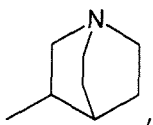
1) a 5-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 4 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, optionally substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from halogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-NHC(O)C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, phenyl, or pyridinyl;

2) a 6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 heteroatoms selected from N and O, optionally substituted with a group selected from halogen and C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

3) a 5-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S, optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from C_1 - C_6 alkyl, condensed with a 6-membered unsaturated nitrogen-containing cyclic or heterocyclic group optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from hydroxyl, halogen or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

4) a 6-membered unsaturated cyclic or heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 nitrogen atoms, condensed with a 5- or 6-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S; or

5) a group of the formula:



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

17. The method of claim 16, wherein the compound of formula I is a compound as defined in any one of claims 1 to 3.

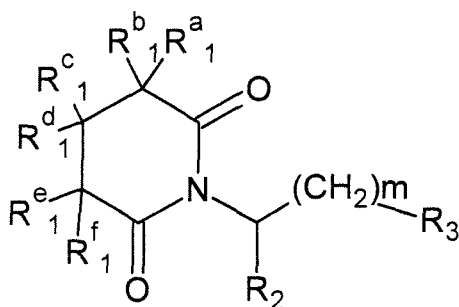
18. The method of claim 16 or 17, wherein the respiratory tract disease is rhinosinusitis.

19. The method of claim 16 or 17, wherein the respiratory tract disease is caused by an RNA-comprising virus.

20. The method of claim 19, wherein the virus is selected from the group consisting of rhinovirus, Coxsackie virus, respiratory syncytial virus, and influenza virus.

21. The method of claim 16 or 17, wherein the disease is exacerbations of asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, bronchitis and mucoviscidosis, which are caused by rhinovirus, influenza virus and/or respiratory syncytial virus.

22. Use of a compound of general formula I



wherein m is an integer from 0 to 2;

R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 , each independently represents hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl; $-NH_2$, $-NHC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, hydroxyl, or C_1 - C_6 alkoxy;

R_2 is hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl;

R_3 is:

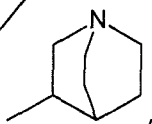
1) a 5-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 4 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, optionally substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from halogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-NHC(O)C_1$ - C_6 alkyl; phenyl, or pyridinyl;

2) a 6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 heteroatoms selected from N and O, optionally substituted with a group selected from halogen and C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

3) a 5-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S, optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from C_1 - C_6 alkyl, condensed with a 6-membered unsaturated nitrogen-containing cyclic or heterocyclic group optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from hydroxyl, halogen or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

4) a 6-membered unsaturated cyclic or heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 nitrogen atoms, condensed with a 5- or 6-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S; or

5) a group of the formula:



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof for the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment of a respiratory tract disease.

23. The use of claim 22, wherein the compound of formula I is a compound as defined in any one of claims 1 to 3.

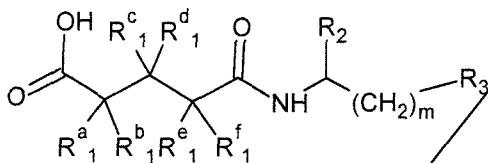
24. The use of claim 22 or 23, wherein the respiratory tract disease is rhinosinusitis.

25. The use of claim 22 or 23, wherein the respiratory tract disease is caused by an RNA-comprising virus.

26. The use of claim 25, wherein the virus is selected from the group consisting of rhinovirus, Coxsackie virus, respiratory syncytial virus, and influenza virus.

27. The use of claim 22 or 23, wherein the disease is exacerbations of asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, bronchitis and mucoviscidosis, which are caused by rhinovirus, influenza virus and/or respiratory syncytial virus.

28. A method for preparing a compound of general formula I according to claim 1 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, comprising heating of dicarboxylic acid monoamide of general formula II



wherein

m represents an integer of 0 to 2;

R^a_1 , R^b_1 , R^c_1 , R^d_1 , R^e_1 , and R^f_1 , each independently represents hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl; $-NH_2$, $-NHC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, hydroxyl, or C_1 - C_6 alkoxy;

R_2 is hydrogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl;

R_3 is:

1) a 5-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 4 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, optionally substituted with 1 to 3 substituents selected from halogen, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, $-C(O)OH$, $-C(O)OC_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-NHC(O)C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, phenyl, or pyridinyl;

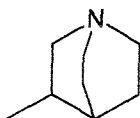
2) a 6-membered saturated or unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 heteroatoms selected from N and O, optionally substituted with a group selected from halogen and C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

3) a 5-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S, optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from C_1 - C_6 alkyl,

condensed with a 6-membered unsaturated nitrogen-containing cyclic or heterocyclic group optionally substituted with 1 or 2 substituents selected from hydroxyl, halogen or C₁-C₆alkyl;

4) a 6-membered unsaturated cyclic or heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 2 nitrogen atoms, condensed with a 5- or 6-membered unsaturated heterocyclic group comprising from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N and S; or

5) a group of the formula:



with a dehydrating agent in an organic solvent.

29. The method of claim 28, wherein the dehydrating agent is glutaric anhydride, and the method is performed under heating in an organic solvent, preferably in dimethylformamide.

30. The method of claim 28, wherein the dehydrating agent is propionic anhydride, and the method is performed under heating in an organic solvent, preferably in toluene.

31. The process of claim 30, wherein the method is performed with addition of sodium acetate.

32. The method of claim 28, wherein the dehydrating agent is acetic anhydride, and the method is performed under heating in an organic solvent, preferably in dioxane.

33. The process of claim 32, wherein the method is performed with addition of sodium acetate.

34. The method of claim 28, wherein the dehydrating agent is acetic acid chloroanhydride, and the method is performed under heating in an organic solvent, preferably in acetic acid.

35. The method of claim 28, wherein the dehydrating agent and the solvent are acetic acid anhydride, and the method is performed at 90-100°C.

36. The method of claim 28, wherein the dehydrating agent is preferably carbonyldiimidazole.