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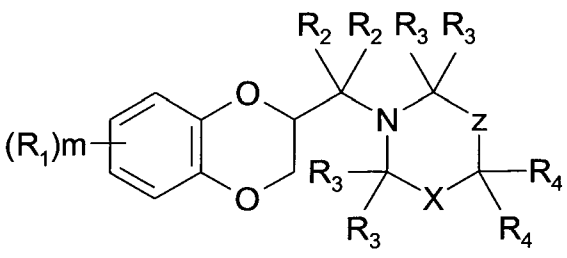
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(54) **Title:** 2, 3-DIHYDROBENZO[1, 4] DIOXIN-2-YLMETHYL DERIVATIVES AS ALPHA2C ANTAGONISTS FOR USE IN THE TREATMENT OF PERIPHERIC AND CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEME DISEASES



(I)

(57) **Abstract:** Compounds of formula (I), wherein X, Z, R_1-R_4, and m are as defined in the claims, exhibit alpha2C antagonistic activity and are thus useful for the treatment of diseases and conditions of the peripheric system and the central nervous system (CNS).