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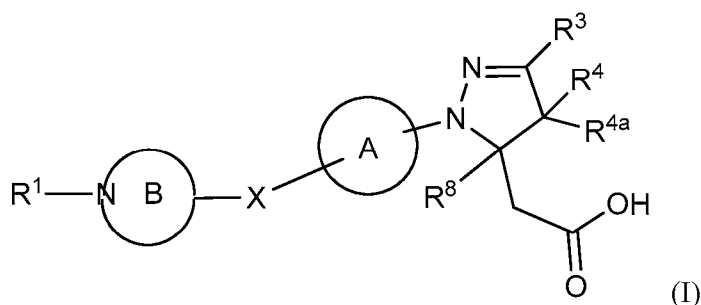
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(54) Title: DIHYDROPYRAZOLE GPR40 MODULATORS



(57) Abstract: The present invention provides compounds of Formula (I): (Formula (I), or a stereoisomer, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, wherein all of the variables are as defined herein. These compounds are GPR40 G protein-coupled receptor modulators which may be used as medicaments.

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