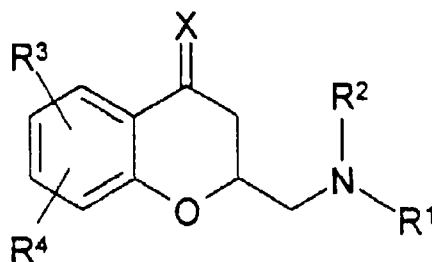


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Chroman derivatives of the formula I



in which

R¹ is acyl having 1-6 C atoms, -CO-R⁵ or an amino protective group,

R² is H or alkyl having 1-6 C atoms,

R³, R⁴ in each case independently of one another are H, alkyl having 1-6 C atoms, CN, Hal or COOR²,

R⁵ is phenyl which is unsubstituted or mono- or disubstituted by alkyl having 1-6 C atoms, OR² or Hal,

X is H, H or O,

Hal is F, Cl, Br or I,

and their salts, are suitable as intermediates in the synthesis of medicaments.



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