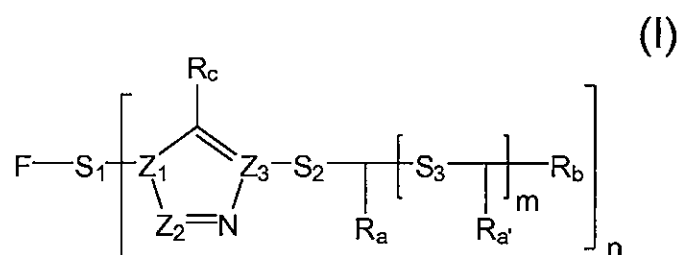


ABSTRACT

**FOLATE-CONJUGATES AND CORRESPONDING METAL-CHELATE
COMPLEXES FOR USE IN DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING AND RADIOTHERAPY**

The present invention is directed towards novel folate-conjugates of formula I wherein F is a folate or derivative thereof, Z_1 , Z_2 , Z_3 are independently of each other C or N, S_1 to S_4 are independently of each other a single bond or a spacer, R_a , $R_{a'}$, and R_b are donor groups and/or another group F, R_c is optionally another group F and n is 1 or 2. The invention further contemplates the corresponding metal-chelate complexes as well as pharmaceutical compositions thereof, and their uses in diagnostic imaging and radiotherapy.



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