

C-19 MODIFIED TRITERPENOIDS WITH HIV MATURATION
INHIBITORY ACTIVITY

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

- 5 This application claims the priority of U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 61/761,403 filed February 6, 2013 which is herein incorporated by reference.

FIELD OF THE INVENTION

- 10 The present invention relates to novel compounds useful against HIV, and more particularly, to compounds derived from betulinic acid and other structurally-related compounds which are useful as HIV maturation inhibitors, and to pharmaceutical compositions containing same, as well as to methods for their preparation.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

- 15 HIV-1 (human immunodeficiency virus -1) infection remains a major medical problem, with an estimated 45-50 million people infected worldwide at the end of 2010. The number of cases of HIV and AIDS (acquired immunodeficiency syndrome) has risen rapidly. In 2005, approximately 5.0 million new infections were reported, and 3.1 million people died from AIDS. Currently available drugs for the treatment of HIV include
- 20 nucleoside reverse transcriptase (RT) inhibitors or approved single pill combinations: zidovudine (or AZT or RETROVIR[®]), didanosine (or VIDEX[®]), stavudine (or ZERIT[®]), lamivudine (or 3TC or EPIVIR[®]), zalcitabine (or DDC or HIVID[®]), abacavir succinate (or ZIAGEN[®]), Tenofovir disoproxil fumarate salt (or VIREAD[®]), emtricitabine (or FTC - EMTRIVA[®]), COMBIVIR[®] (contains -3TC plus AZT), TRIZIVIR[®] (contains abacavir,
- 25 lamivudine, and zidovudine), EPZICOM[®] (contains abacavir and lamivudine), TRUVADA[®] (contains VIREAD[®] and EMTRIVA[®]); non-nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitors: nevirapine (or VIRAMUNE[®]), delavirdine (or RESCRIPTOR[®]) and efavirenz (or SUSTIVA[®]), ATRIPLA[®] (TRUVADA[®] + SUSTIVA[®]), and etravirine, and peptidomimetic protease inhibitors or approved formulations: saquinavir, indinavir,
- 30 ritonavir, nelfinavir, amprenavir, lopinavir, KALETRA[®] (lopinavir and Ritonavir), darunavir, atazanavir (REYATAZ[®]) and tipranavir (APTIVUS[®]) and cobicistat, and

integrase inhibitors such as raltegravir (ISENTRESS[®]), and entry inhibitors such as enfuvirtide (T-20) (FUZEON[®]) and maraviroc (SELZENTRY[®]).

Each of these drugs can only transiently restrain viral replication if used alone.

5 However, when used in combination, these drugs have a profound effect on viremia and disease progression. In fact, significant reductions in death rates among AIDS patients have been recently documented as a consequence of the widespread application of combination therapy. However, despite these impressive results, 30 to 50% of patients may ultimately fail combination drug therapies. Insufficient drug potency, non-
10 compliance, restricted tissue penetration and drug-specific limitations within certain cell types (e.g. most nucleoside analogs cannot be phosphorylated in resting cells) may account for the incomplete suppression of sensitive viruses. Furthermore, the high replication rate and rapid turnover of HIV-1 combined with the frequent incorporation of mutations, leads to the appearance of drug-resistant variants and treatment failures when
15 sub-optimal drug concentrations are present. Therefore, novel anti-HIV agents exhibiting distinct resistance patterns, and favorable pharmacokinetic as well as safety profiles are needed to provide more treatment options. Improved HIV fusion inhibitors and HIV entry coreceptor antagonists are two examples of new classes of anti-HIV agents further being studied by a number of investigators.

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HIV attachment inhibitors are a further subclass of antiviral compounds that bind to the HIV surface glycoprotein gp120, and interfere with the interaction between the surface protein gp120 and the host cell receptor CD4. Thus, they prevent HIV from attaching to the human CD4 T-cell, and block HIV replication in the first stage of the
25 HIV life cycle. The properties of HIV attachment inhibitors have been improved in an effort to obtain compounds with maximized utility and efficacy as antiviral agents. In particular, US 7,354,924 and US 7,745,625 are illustrative of HIV attachment inhibitors.

Another emerging class of compounds for the treatment of HIV are called HIV
30 maturation inhibitors. Maturation is the last of as many as 10 or more steps in HIV replication or the HIV life cycle, in which HIV becomes infectious as a consequence of several HIV protease-mediated cleavage events in the gag protein that ultimately results in release of the capsid (CA) protein. Maturation inhibitors prevent the HIV capsid from

properly assembling and maturing, from forming a protective outer coat, or from emerging from human cells. Instead, non-infectious viruses are produced, preventing subsequent cycles of HIV infection.

5 Certain derivatives of betulinic acid have now been shown to exhibit potent anti-HIV activity as HIV maturation inhibitors. For example, US 7,365,221 discloses monoacylated betulin and dihydrobetuline derivatives, and their use as anti-HIV agents. As discussed in the '221 reference, esterification of betulinic acid (1) with certain substituted acyl groups, such as 3',3'-dimethylglutaryl and 3',3'-dimethylsuccinyl groups
10 produced derivatives having enhanced activity (Kashiwada, Y., et al., J. Med. Chem. 39:1016-1017 (1996)). Acylated betulinic acid and dihydrobetulinic acid derivatives that are potent anti-HIV agents are also described in U.S. Pat. No. 5,679,828. Esterification of the hydroxyl in the 3 carbon of betulin with succinic acid also produced a compound capable of inhibiting HIV-1 activity (Pokrovskii, A. G., et al., Khimiya y Interesakh
15 Ustoichivogo Razvitiya, Vol. 9, No. 3, pp. 485-491 (2001)).

Other references to the use of treating HIV infection with compounds derived from betulinic acid include US 2005/0239748 and US 2008/0207573, as well as WO2006/053255, WO2009/100532 and WO2011/007230.

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One HIV maturation compound that has been in development has been identified as Bevirimat or PA-457, with the chemical formula of $C_{36}H_{56}O_6$ and the IUPAC name of 3β -(3-carboxy-3-methyl-butanoyloxy) lup-20(29)-en-28-oic acid.

25 Reference is also made herein to the applications by Bristol-Myers Squibb entitled "MODIFIED C-3 BETULINIC ACID DERIVATIVES AS HIV MATURATION INHIBITORS" USSN 13/151,706 filed on June 2, 2011 (now US 2012-0142707) and "C-28 AMIDES OF MODIFIED C-3 BETULINIC ACID DERIVATIVES AS HIV MATURATION INHIBITORS" USSN 13/151,722, filed on June 2, 2011 (now US 2012-0142653). Reference is also made to the application entitled "C-28 AMINES OF C-3
30 MODIFIED BETULINIC ACID DERIVATIVES AS HIV MATURATION INHIBITORS" USSN 13/359,680, filed on January 27, 2012 (now U.S. 2013-0029954). In addition, reference is made to the application entitled "C-17 AND C-3 MODIFIED

TRITERPENOIDS WITH HIV MATURATION INHIBITORY ACTIVITY” USSN 13/359,727 filed on January 27, 2012 (now U.S. 2013-0035318), and to the application entitled “C-17 BICYCLIC AMINES OF TRITERPENOIDS WITH HIV MATURATION INHIBITORY ACTIVITY”, USSN 13/799,479 filed on March 13, 2013 (now U.S. 2013-0296554).

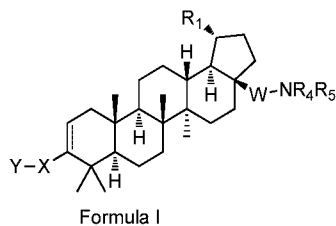
What is now needed in the art are new compounds which are useful as HIV maturation inhibitors, as well as new pharmaceutical compositions containing these compounds.

SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

The present invention provides compounds of Formulas I and II below, including pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof, their pharmaceutical formulations, and their use in patients suffering from or susceptible to a virus such as HIV. The compounds of Formulas I and II are effective antiviral agents, particularly as inhibitors of HIV. They are useful for the treatment of HIV and AIDS.

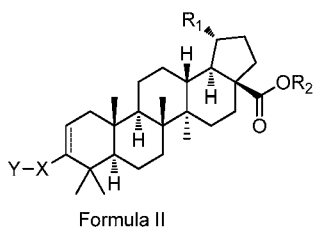
One embodiment of the present invention is directed to a compound, including pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof, which is selected from the group of:

a compound of formula I



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a compound of formula II



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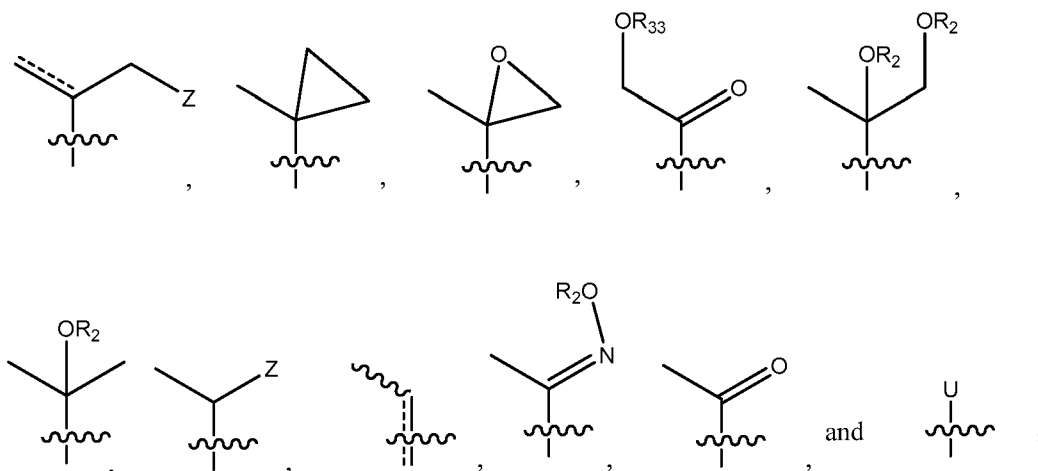
wherein X is selected from the group of phenyl, heteroaryl ring, C₄₋₈ cycloalkyl, C₄₋₈ cycloalkenyl, C₄₋₉ spirocycloalkyl, C₄₋₉ spirocycloalkenyl, C₄₋₈ oxacycloalkyl, C₄₋₈ dioxacycloalkyl, C₆₋₈ oxacycloalkenyl, C₆₋₈ dioxacycloalkenyl, C₆ cyclodialkenyl, C₆ oxacyclodialkenyl, C₆₋₉ oxaspirocycloalkyl and C₆₋₉ oxaspirocycloalkenyl ring;

and further wherein X is substituted with A, wherein A is at least one member selected from the group of -H, -halo, -hydroxyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkoxy, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₁, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₁, -CN, -CF₂Q₁, -NR₂R₂, -COOR₂ and -CONR₂R₂;

wherein Q₁ is selected from the group of aryl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, -OR₂, -COOR₃, -NR₂R₂, -SO₂R₇, -CONHSO₂R₃, and -CONHSO₂NR₂R₂;

15 Y is selected from the group of $-\text{COOR}_2$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_2\text{SO}_2\text{R}_3$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NHSO}_2\text{NR}_2\text{R}_2$, $-\text{NR}_2\text{SO}_2\text{R}_2$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{NR}_2\text{R}_2$, $-\text{C}_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl- COOR_2 , $-\text{C}_{2-6}$ alkenyl- COOR_2 , $-\text{C}_{2-6}$ alkynyl- COOR_2 , $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl- COOR_2 , $-\text{alkylsubstituted C}_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-\text{COOR}_2$, $\text{CF}_2\text{-COOR}_2$, $-\text{NHC}(\text{O})(\text{CH}_2)_n\text{-COOR}_2$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{NR}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{R}_2$, $-\text{tetrazole}$, and $-\text{CONHOH}$, wherein $n=1-6$;

R_1 is selected from the group of:



W is absent, or is -CH₂ or -CO;

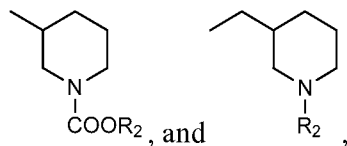
- 5 Z is selected from the group of -NR₂₈R₂₉, -OR₃₀, -COOR₂, -CONR₁₈R₁₉, F, Cl, Br, and I;

U is selected from the group of -NR₂₈R₂₉, -OR₃₀, -COOR₂, -CONR₁₈R₁₉, F, Cl, Br, I, aryl and heteroaryl;

- 10 R₂ is selected from the group of -H, benzyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl and -arylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl;

R₃ is benzyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl or -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl;

- 15 R₄ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C(OR₃)₂-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₂, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl-Q₂, aryl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, -COR₆, -COCOR₆, -SO₂R₇, -SO₂NR₂R₂,



- 20 wherein Q₂ is selected from the group of heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, F, Cl, Br, I, -CF₃, -OR₂, -COOR₂, -NR₈R₉, -CONR₁₀R₁₁ and -SO₂R₇;

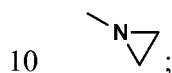
R₅ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkylsubstituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-NR₈R₉, -COR₆, -COCOR₆, -SO₂R₇ and -SO₂NR₂R₂;

with the proviso that R₄ or R₅ cannot be -COR₆ or -COCOR₆ when W is CO;

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with the further proviso that only one of R₄ or R₅ can be selected from the group of -COR₆, -COCOR₆, -SO₂R₇ and -SO₂NR₂R₂;

or when W is absent or is CH₂, then R₄ and R₅ can be taken together with the adjacent N to form



R₆ is selected from the group of -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-substitutedalkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₃₋₆ substitutedcycloalkyl-Q₃, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₃, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-substitutedalkyl-Q₃, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl-Q₃, aryl-Q₃, -NR₁₃R₁₄, and -OR₁₅;

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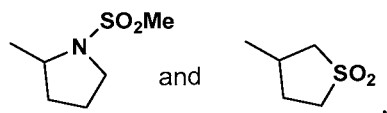
wherein Q₃ is selected from the group of aryl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, -OR₂, -COOR₂, -NR₈R₉, SO₂R₇, -CONHSO₂R₃, and -CONHSO₂NR₂R₂;

20 R₇ is selected from the group of -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -CF₃, aryl, and heteroaryl;

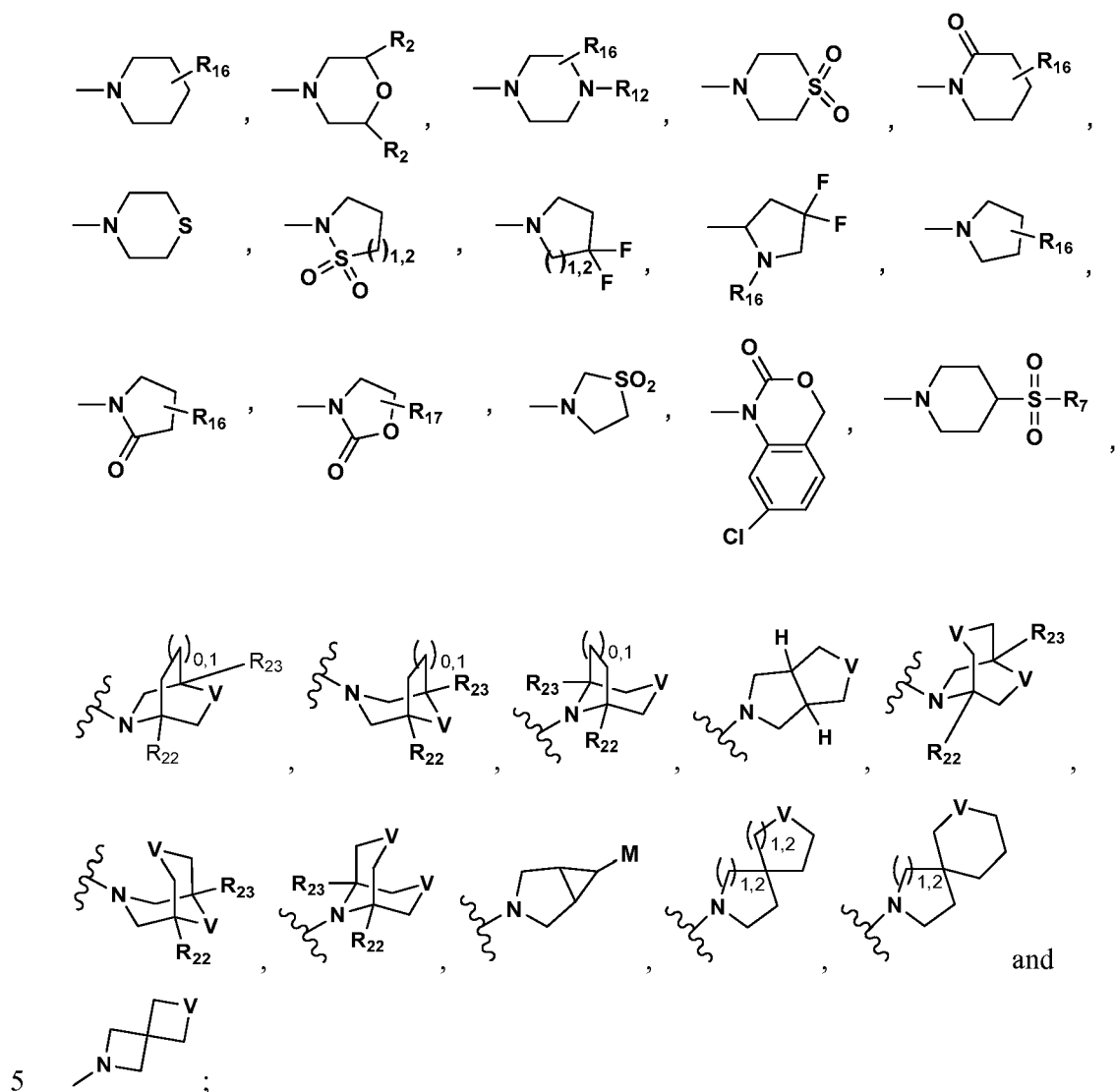
R₈ and R₉ are independently selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, substituted aryl, substituted heteroaryl, and -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₂;

R₈ can also be -COOR₃;

25 R₈ and R₉ can also be independently selected from the group of



or R₈ and R₉ are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the group of:



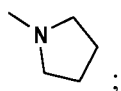
V is selected from the group of $-\text{CR}_{24}\text{R}_{25}$, $-\text{SO}_2$, $-\text{O}$ and $-\text{NR}_{12}$;

M is selected from the group of $-\text{CHR}_{24}\text{R}_{25}$, $-\text{NR}_{26}\text{R}_{27}$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{R}_7$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{NR}_3\text{R}_3$ and $-\text{OH}$;

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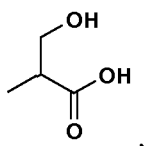
R_{10} and R_{11} are independently selected from the group of $-\text{H}$, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ substituted alkyl and $-\text{C}_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl,

or R_{10} and R_{11} are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle such as

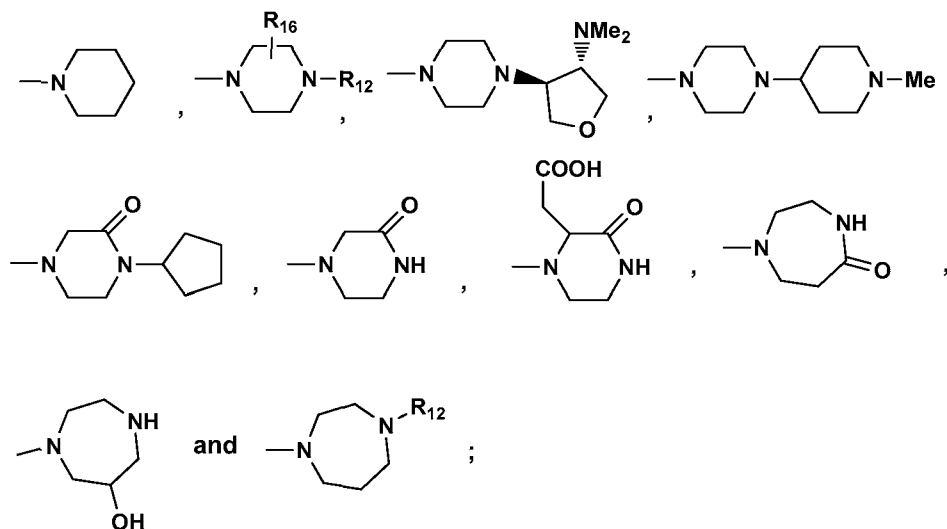


R₁₂ is selected from the group of -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-OH; -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -COR₇, -COONR₁₈R₁₉, -SOR₇, and -SONR₂₀R₂₁;

R₁₃ and R₁₄ are independently selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₄, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl-Q₄, C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl-Q₄ and



or R₁₃ and R₁₄ are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the group of:



R₁₅ is selected from the group of -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₄, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl-Q₄ and -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl-Q₄;

Q₄ is selected from the group of heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, -NR₂R₂, -CONR₂R₂, -COOR₂, -OR₂, and -SO₂R₃;

R₁₆ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -NR₂R₂, and -COOR₃;

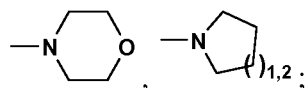
R₁₇ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -COOR₃, and aryl;

R₁₈ and R₁₉ are independently selected from the group of H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, and -C₁₋₆ cycloalkyl;

R₁₈ can also be -COOR₃;

or R₁₈ and R₁₉ are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the

5 group of



R₂₀ and R₂₁ are independently from the group of H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₅, -C₁₋₆ cycloalkyl, aryl, substituted aryl, heteroaryl, and substituted heteroaryl,

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Q₅ is selected from the group of halogen and SO₂R₃

R₂₄ and R₂₅ are selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl, -SO₂R₃, -SO₂NR₂R₂ or -OH, -NR₂R₂, -NR₂SO₂R₃, -NR₂COR₃ and -NR₂CONR₂R₂;

15 with the proviso that only one of R₂₄ and R₂₅ can be selected from the group of -OH, -NR₂R₂, -NR₂SO₂R₃, -NR₂COR₃ and -NR₂CONR₂R₂;

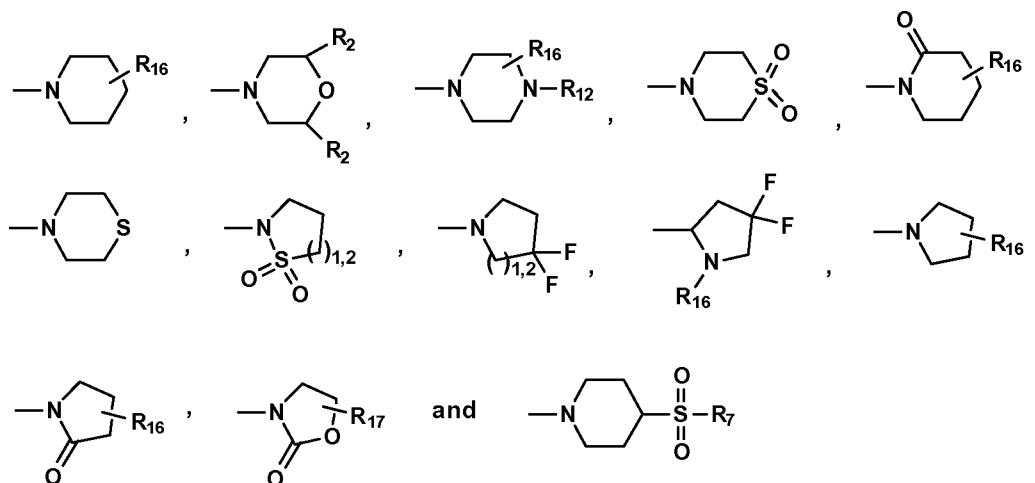
R₂₆ and R₂₇ are independently selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₃ alkylaryl, C₁₋₃alkylheteroaryl, -CO₂R₂ and -SO₂R₇;

20 with the proviso that only one of R₂₆ and R₂₇ can be selected from the group of -CO₂R₂ or -SO₂R₇;

R₂₈ and R₂₉ are independently selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₆, -COC₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₆, -COOR₃; -COCF₃;

25 R₂₈ can also be selected from -COOR₃ and -CONR₁₈R₁₉;

or R₂₈ and R₂₉ are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the group of:



R₃₀ is selected from the group of H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl, - C₃₋₆

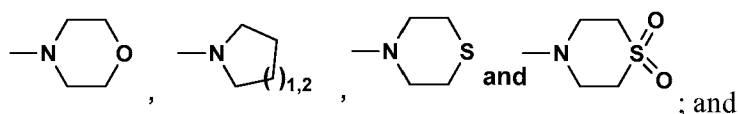
5 cycloalkyl, and -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₆;

wherein Q₆ is selected from the group of H, -OR₂, -COOR₂, -COCOOR₂, -NR₃₁R₃₂;

R₃₁ and R₃₂ are independently selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl-OR₂, and -COR₃,

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or R₃₁ and R₃₂ are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the group of



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R₃₃ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, and -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl-Q₇,

wherein Q₇ is selected from the group of -COOR₂ and -COONR₂R₂.

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In a further embodiment, there is provided a method for treating mammals infected with a virus, especially wherein said virus is HIV, comprising administering to said mammal an antiviral effective amount of a compound which is selected from the

group of compounds of Formulas I and II above, and one or more pharmaceutically acceptable carriers, excipients or diluents. Optionally, the compound of Formulas I and/or II can be administered in combination with an antiviral effective amount of another- AIDS treatment agent selected from the group of: (a) an AIDS antiviral agent;
5 (b) an anti-infective agent; (c) an immunomodulator; and (d) other HIV entry inhibitors.

Another embodiment of the present invention is a pharmaceutical composition comprising an antiviral effective amount of a compound which is selected from the group of compounds of Formulas I and II, and one or more pharmaceutically acceptable
10 carriers, excipients, and diluents; and optionally in combination with an antiviral effective amount of another AIDS treatment agent selected from the group of: (a) an AIDS antiviral agent; (b) an anti-infective agent; (c) an immunomodulator; and (d) other HIV entry inhibitors.

15 In another embodiment of the invention there is provided one or more methods for making the compounds of Formulas I and II herein.

Also provided herein are intermediate compounds useful in making the compounds of Formulas I and II herein.

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The present invention is directed to these, as well as other important ends, hereinafter described.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE EMBODIMENTS

25 Since the compounds of the present invention may possess asymmetric centers and therefore occur as mixtures of diastereomers and enantiomers, the present disclosure includes the individual diastereoisomeric and enantiomeric forms of the compounds of Formulas I and II, in addition to the mixtures thereof.

30 *Definitions*

Unless otherwise specifically set forth elsewhere in the application, one or more of the following terms may be used herein, and shall have the following meanings:

“H” refers to hydrogen, including its isotopes, such as deuterium.

The term "C₁₋₆ alkyl" as used herein and in the claims (unless specified otherwise)
5 mean straight or branched chain alkyl groups such as methyl, ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, butyl, isobutyl, t-butyl, amyl, hexyl and the like.

"C₁–C₄ fluoroalkyl" refers to F-substituted C₁–C₄ alkyl wherein at least one H
atom is substituted with F atom, and each H atom can be independently substituted by F
10 atom;

“Halogen” refers to chlorine, bromine, iodine or fluorine.

An “aryl” or “Ar” group refers to an all carbon monocyclic or fused-ring
15 polycyclic (i.e., rings which share adjacent pairs of carbon atoms) groups having a completely conjugated pi-electron system. Examples, without limitation, of aryl groups are phenyl, naphthalenyl and anthracenyl. The aryl group may be substituted or unsubstituted. When substituted the substituted group(s) is preferably one or more selected from alkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, heteroalicyclic, hydroxy, alkoxy,
20 aryloxy, heteroaryloxy, heteroalicycloxy, thiohydroxy, thioaryloxy, thioheteroaryloxy, thioheteroalicycloxy, cyano, halogen, nitro, carbonyl, O-carbamyl, N-carbamyl, C-amido, N-amido, C-carboxy, O-carboxy, sulfinyl, sulfonyl, sulfonamido, trihalomethyl, ureido, amino and -NR^xR^y, wherein R^x and R^y are independently selected from the group of hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, carbonyl, C-carboxy, sulfonyl, trihalomethyl, and,
25 combined, a five- or six-member heteroalicyclic ring.

As used herein, a “heteroaryl” group refers to a monocyclic or fused ring (i.e., rings which share an adjacent pair of atoms) group having in the ring(s) one or more atoms selected from the group of nitrogen, oxygen and sulfur and, in addition, having a
30 completely conjugated pi-electron system. Unless otherwise indicated, the heteroaryl group may be attached at either a carbon or nitrogen atom within the heteroaryl group. It should be noted that the term heteroaryl is intended to encompass an N-oxide of the

parent heteroaryl if such an N-oxide is chemically feasible as is known in the art. Examples, without limitation, of heteroaryl groups are furyl, thienyl, benzothienyl, thiazolyl, imidazolyl, oxazolyl, oxadiazolyl, thiadiazolyl, benzothiazolyl, triazolyl, tetrazolyl, isoxazolyl, isothiazolyl, pyrrolyl, pyranyl, tetrahydropyranyl, pyrazolyl, pyridyl, pyrimidinyl, quinolinyl, isoquinolinyl, purinyl, carbazolyl, benzoxazolyl, benzimidazolyl, indolyl, isoindolyl, pyrazinyl, diazinyl, pyrazine, triazinyl, tetrazinyl, and tetrazolyl. When substituted the substituted group(s) is preferably one or more selected from alkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, heteroalicyclic, hydroxy, alkoxy, aryloxy, heteroaryloxy, heteroalicycloxy, thioalkoxy, thiohydroxy, thioaryloxy, thioheteroaryloxy, thioheteroalicycloxy, cyano, halogen, nitro, carbonyl, O-carbamyl, N-carbamyl, C-amido, N-amido, C-carboxy, O-carboxy, sulfinyl, sulfonyl, sulfonamido, trihalomethyl, ureido, amino, and $-NR^xR^y$, wherein R^x and R^y are as defined above.

As used herein, a “heteroalicyclic” group refers to a monocyclic or fused ring group having in the ring(s) one or more atoms selected from the group of nitrogen, oxygen and sulfur. Rings are selected from those which provide stable arrangements of bonds and are not intended to encompass systems which would not exist. The rings may also have one or more double bonds. However, the rings do not have a completely conjugated pi-electron system. Examples, without limitation, of heteroalicyclic groups are azetidiny, piperidyl, piperazinyl, imidazolinyl, thiazolidinyl, 3-pyrrolidin-1-yl, morpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl and tetrahydropyranyl. When substituted the substituted group(s) is preferably one or more selected from alkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, heteroalicyclic, hydroxy, alkoxy, aryloxy, heteroaryloxy, heteroalicycloxy, thiohydroxy, thioalkoxy, thioaryloxy, thioheteroaryloxy, thioheteroalicycloxy, cyano, halogen, nitro, carbonyl, thiocarbonyl, O-carbamyl, N-carbamyl, O-thiocarbamyl, N-thiocarbamyl, C-amido, C-thioamido, N-amido, C-carboxy, O-carboxy, sulfinyl, sulfonyl, sulfonamido, trihalomethanesulfonamido, trihalomethanesulfonyl, silyl, guanyl, guanidino, ureido, phosphonyl, amino and $-NR^xR^y$, wherein R^x and R^y are as defined above.

An “alkyl” group refers to a saturated aliphatic hydrocarbon including straight chain and branched chain groups. Preferably, the alkyl group has 1 to 20 carbon atoms (whenever a numerical range; e.g., “1-20”, is stated herein, it means that the group, in this case the alkyl group may contain 1 carbon atom, 2 carbon atoms, 3 carbon atoms, etc. up

to and including 20 carbon atoms). More preferably, it is a medium size alkyl having 1 to 10 carbon atoms. Most preferably, it is a lower alkyl having 1 to 4 carbon atoms. The alkyl group may be substituted or unsubstituted. When substituted, the substituent group(s) is preferably one or more individually selected from trihaloalkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, heteroalicyclic, hydroxy, alkoxy, aryloxy, heteroaryloxy, heteroalicycloxy, thiohydroxy, thioalkoxy, thioaryloxy, thioheteroaryloxy, thioheteroalicycloxy, cyano, halo, nitro, carbonyl, thiocarbonyl, O-carbamyl, N-carbamyl, O-thiocarbamyl, N-thiocarbamyl, C-amido, C-thioamido, N-amido, C-carboxy, O-carboxy, sulfinyl, sulfonyl, sulfonamido, trihalomethanesulfonamido, trihalomethanesulfonyl, and combined, a five- or six-member heteroalicyclic ring.

A “cycloalkyl” group refers to an all-carbon monocyclic or fused ring (i.e., rings which share and adjacent pair of carbon atoms) group wherein one or more rings does not have a completely conjugated pi-electron system. Examples, without limitation, of cycloalkyl groups are cyclopropane, cyclobutane, cyclopentane, cyclopentene, cyclohexane, cyclohexene, cycloheptane, cycloheptene and adamantane. A cycloalkyl group may be substituted or unsubstituted. When substituted, the substituent group(s) is preferably one or more individually selected from alkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, heteroalicyclic, hydroxy, alkoxy, aryloxy, heteroaryloxy, heteroalicycloxy, thiohydroxy, thioalkoxy, thioaryloxy, thioheteroaryloxy, thioheteroalicycloxy, cyano, halo, nitro, carbonyl, thiocarbonyl, O-carbamyl, N-carbamyl, O-thiocarbamyl, N-thiocarbamyl, C-amido, C-thioamido, N-amido, C-carboxy, O-carboxy, sulfinyl, sulfonyl, sulfonamido, trihalomethanesulfonamido, trihalomethanesulfonyl, silyl, amidino, guanidino, ureido, phosphonyl, amino and $-NR^xR^y$ with R^x and R^y as defined above.

An “alkenyl” group refers to an alkyl group, as defined herein, having at least two carbon atoms and at least one carbon-carbon double bond.

An “alkynyl” group refers to an alkyl group, as defined herein, having at least two carbon atoms and at least one carbon-carbon triple bond.

A “hydroxy” group refers to an $-OH$ group.

An “alkoxy” group refers to both an –O-alkyl and an –O-cycloalkyl group as defined herein.

5 An “aryloxy” group refers to both an –O-aryl and an –O-heteroaryl group, as defined herein.

A “heteroaryloxy” group refers to a heteroaryl-O- group with heteroaryl as defined herein.

10 A “heteroalicycloxy” group refers to a heteroalicyclic-O- group with heteroalicyclic as defined herein.

A “thiohydroxy” group refers to an –SH group.

15 A “thioalkoxy” group refers to both an S-alkyl and an –S-cycloalkyl group, as defined herein.

A “thioaryloxy” group refers to both an –S-aryl and an –S-heteroaryl group, as defined herein.

20 A “thioheteroaryloxy” group refers to a heteroaryl-S- group with heteroaryl as defined herein.

25 A “thioheteroalicycloxy” group refers to a heteroalicyclic-S- group with heteroalicyclic as defined herein.

30 A “carbonyl” group refers to a –C(=O)-R” group, where R” is selected from the group of hydrogen, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, heteroaryl (bonded through a ring carbon) and heteroalicyclic (bonded through a ring carbon), as each is defined herein.

An “aldehyde” group refers to a carbonyl group where R” is hydrogen.

A “thiocarbonyl” group refers to a –C(=S)-R” group, with R” as defined herein.

A “Keto” group refers to a $-\text{CC}(=\text{O})\text{C}-$ group wherein the carbon on either or both sides of the $\text{C}=\text{O}$ may be alkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl or a carbon of a heteroaryl or heteroalicyclic group.

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A “trihalomethanecarbonyl” group refers to a $\text{Z}_3\text{CC}(=\text{O})-$ group with said Z being a halogen.

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A “C-carboxy” group refers to a $-\text{C}(=\text{O})\text{O}-\text{R}''$ groups, with R'' as defined herein.

An “O-carboxy” group refers to a $\text{R}''\text{C}(-\text{O})\text{O}-$ group, with R'' as defined herein.

A “carboxylic acid” group refers to a C-carboxy group in which R'' is hydrogen.

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A “trihalomethyl” group refers to a $-\text{CZ}_3$, group wherein Z is a halogen group as defined herein.

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A “trihalomethanesulfonyl” group refers to an $\text{Z}_3\text{CS}(=\text{O})_2-$ groups with Z as defined above.

A “trihalomethanesulfonamido” group refers to a $\text{Z}_3\text{CS}(=\text{O})_2\text{NR}^x-$ group with Z as defined above and R^x being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

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A “sulfinyl” group refers to a $-\text{S}(=\text{O})-\text{R}''$ group, with R'' being (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

A “sulfonyl” group refers to a $-\text{S}(=\text{O})_2\text{R}''$ group with R'' being (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

A “S-sulfonamido” group refers to a $-\text{S}(=\text{O})_2\text{NR}^x\text{R}^y$, with R^x and R^y independently being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

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A “N-Sulfonamido” group refers to a $\text{R}''\text{S}(=\text{O})_2\text{NR}_x-$ group, with R_x being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

A “O-carbamyl” group refers to a $-\text{OC}(=\text{O})\text{NR}^x\text{R}^y$ group, with R^x and R^y independently being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

5 A “N-carbamyl” group refers to a $\text{R}^x\text{OC}(=\text{O})\text{NR}^y$ group, with R^x and R^y independently being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

A “O-thiocarbamyl” group refers to a $-\text{OC}(=\text{S})\text{NR}^x\text{R}^y$ group, with R^x and R^y independently being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

10 A “N-thiocarbamyl” group refers to a $\text{R}^x\text{OC}(=\text{S})\text{NR}^y$ - group, with R^x and R^y independently being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

An “amino” group refers to an $-\text{NH}_2$ group.

15 A “C-amido” group refers to a $-\text{C}(=\text{O})\text{NR}^x\text{R}^y$ group, with R^x and R^y independently being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

A “C-thioamido” group refers to a $-\text{C}(=\text{S})\text{NR}^x\text{R}^y$ group, with R^x and R^y independently being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

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A “N-amido” group refers to a $\text{R}^x\text{C}(=\text{O})\text{NR}^y$ - group, with R^x and R^y independently being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

25 An “ureido” group refers to a $-\text{NR}^x\text{C}(=\text{O})\text{NR}^y\text{R}^{y2}$ group, with R^x , R^y , and R^{y2} independently being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

A “guanidino” group refers to a $-\text{R}^x\text{NC}(=\text{N})\text{NR}^y\text{R}^{y2}$ group, with R^x , R^y , and R^{y2} independently being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

30 A “amidino” group refers to a $\text{R}^x\text{R}^y\text{NC}(=\text{N})$ - group, with R^x and R^y independently being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

A “cyano” group refers to a $-\text{CN}$ group.

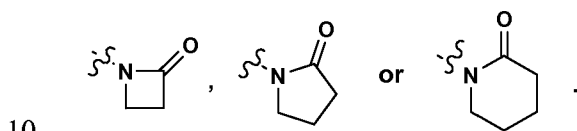
A "silyl" group refers to a $-\text{Si}(\text{R}')_3$, with R' being (C_{1-6}) alkyl or phenyl.

A "phosphonyl" group refers to a $\text{P}(=\text{O})(\text{OR}^x)_2$ with R^x being (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

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A "hydrazino" group refers to a $-\text{NR}^x\text{NR}^y\text{R}^{y2}$ group, with R^x , R^y , and R^{y2} independently being H or (C_{1-6}) alkyl.

A "4, 5, or 6 membered ring cyclic N-lactam" group refers to



Any two adjacent R groups may combine to form an additional aryl, cycloalkyl, heteroaryl or heterocyclic ring fused to the ring initially bearing those R groups.

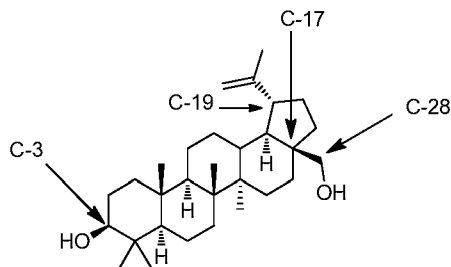
It is known in the art that nitrogen atoms in heteroaryl systems can be
15 "participating in a heteroaryl ring double bond", and this refers to the form of double bonds in the two tautomeric structures which comprise five-member ring heteroaryl groups. This dictates whether nitrogens can be substituted as well understood by chemists in the art. The disclosure and claims of the present disclosure are based on the known general principles of chemical bonding. It is understood that the claims do not
20 encompass structures known to be unstable or not able to exist based on the literature.

Pharmaceutically acceptable salts and prodrugs of compounds disclosed herein are within the scope of the invention. The term "pharmaceutically acceptable salt" as used herein and in the claims is intended to include nontoxic base addition salts. Suitable salts
25 include those derived from organic and inorganic acids such as, without limitation, hydrochloric acid, hydrobromic acid, phosphoric acid, sulfuric acid, methanesulfonic acid, acetic acid, tartaric acid, lactic acid, sulfinic acid, citric acid, maleic acid, fumaric acid, sorbic acid, aconitic acid, salicylic acid, phthalic acid, and the like. The term "pharmaceutically acceptable salt" as used herein is also intended to include salts of acidic
30 groups, such as a carboxylate, with such counterions as ammonium, alkali metal salts, particularly sodium or potassium, alkaline earth metal salts, particularly calcium or

magnesium, and salts with suitable organic bases such as lower alkylamines (methylamine, ethylamine, cyclohexylamine, and the like) or with substituted lower alkylamines (e.g. hydroxyl-substituted alkylamines such as diethanolamine, triethanolamine or tris(hydroxymethyl)-aminomethane), or with bases such as piperidine or morpholine.

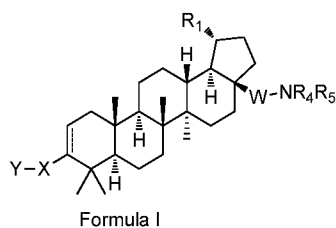
As stated above, the compounds of the invention also include “prodrugs”. The term “prodrug” as used herein encompasses both the term “prodrug esters” and the term “prodrug ethers”.

The term “C-19” and “C-3” refer to certain positions of a triterpene core as numbered in accordance with IUPAC rules (positions depicted below with respect to an illustrative triterpene: betulin):



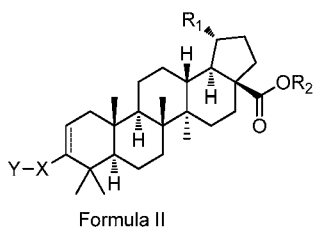
As set forth above, the invention is directed to a compound, including pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof, which is selected from the group of:

a compound of formula I



; and

a compound of formula II



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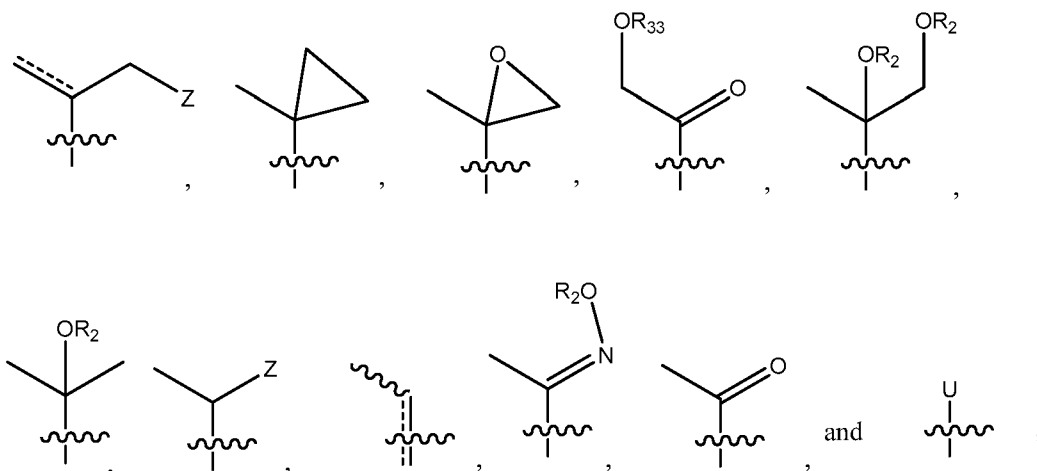
wherein X is selected from the group of phenyl, heteroaryl ring, C₄₋₈ cycloalkyl, C₄₋₈ cycloalkenyl, C₄₋₉ spirocycloalkyl, C₄₋₉ spirocycloalkenyl, C₄₋₈ oxacycloalkyl, C₄₋₈ dioxacycloalkyl, C₆₋₈ oxacycloalkenyl, C₆₋₈ dioxacycloalkenyl, C₆ cyclodialkenyl, C₆ oxacyclodialkenyl, C₆₋₉ oxaspirocycloalkyl and C₆₋₉ oxaspirocycloalkenyl ring;

and further wherein X is substituted with A, wherein A is at least one member selected from the group of -H, -halo, -hydroxyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkoxy, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₁, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₁, -CN, -CF₂Q₁, -NR₂R₂, -COOR₂ and -CONR₂R₂;

wherein Q₁ is selected from the group of aryl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, -OR₂, -COOR₃, -NR₂R₂, -SO₂R₇, -CONHSO₂R₃, and -CONHSO₂NR₂R₂;

15 Y is selected from the group of $-\text{COOR}_2$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_2\text{SO}_2\text{R}_3$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NHSO}_2\text{NR}_2\text{R}_2$, $-\text{NR}_2\text{SO}_2\text{R}_2$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{NR}_2\text{R}_2$, $-\text{C}_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl- COOR_2 , $-\text{C}_{2-6}$ alkenyl- COOR_2 , $-\text{C}_{2-6}$ alkynyl- COOR_2 , $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl- COOR_2 , $-\text{alkylsubstituted C}_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-\text{COOR}_2$, $\text{CF}_2\text{-COOR}_2$, $-\text{NHC}(\text{O})(\text{CH}_2)_n\text{-COOR}_2$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{NR}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{R}_2$, $-\text{tetrazole}$, and $-\text{CONHOH}$, wherein $n=1-6$;

R_1 is selected from the group of:



W is absent, or is -CH₂ or -CO;

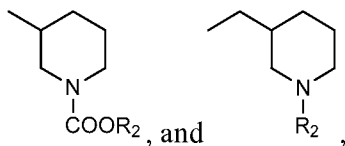
- 5 Z is selected from the group of -NR₂₈R₂₉, -OR₃₀, -COOR₂, -CONR₁₈R₁₉, F, Cl, Br, and I;

U is selected from the group of -NR₂₈R₂₉, -OR₃₀, -COOR₂, -CONR₁₈R₁₉, F, Cl, Br, I, aryl and heteroaryl;

- 10 R₂ is selected from the group of -H, benzyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl and -arylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl;

R₃ is benzyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl or -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl;

- 15 R₄ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C(OR₃)₂-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₂, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl-Q₂, aryl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, -COR₆, -COCOR₆, -SO₂R₇, -SO₂NR₂R₂,



- 20 wherein Q₂ is selected from the group of heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, F, Cl, Br, I, -CF₃, -OR₂, -COOR₂, -NR₈R₉, -CONR₁₀R₁₁ and -SO₂R₇;

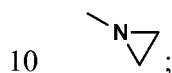
R₅ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkylsubstituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-NR₈R₉, -COR₆, -COCOR₆, -SO₂R₇ and -SO₂NR₂R₂;

with the proviso that R₄ or R₅ cannot be COR₆ or COCOR₆ when W is CO;

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with the further proviso that only one of R₄ or R₅ can be selected from the group of -COR₆, -COCOR₆, -SO₂R₇ and -SO₂NR₂R₂;

or when W is absent or is CH₂, then R₄ and R₅ can be taken together with the adjacent N to form



R₆ is selected from the group of -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-substitutedalkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₃₋₆ substitutedcycloalkyl-Q₃, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₃, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-substitutedalkyl-Q₃, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl-Q₃, aryl-Q₃, -NR₁₃R₁₄, and -OR₁₅;

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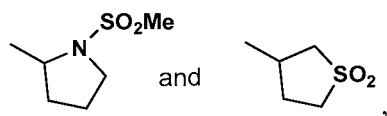
wherein Q₃ is selected from the group of aryl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, -OR₂, -COOR₂, -NR₈R₉, SO₂R₇, -CONHSO₂R₃, and -CONHSO₂NR₂R₂;

20 R₇ is selected from the group of -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -CF₃, aryl, and heteroaryl;

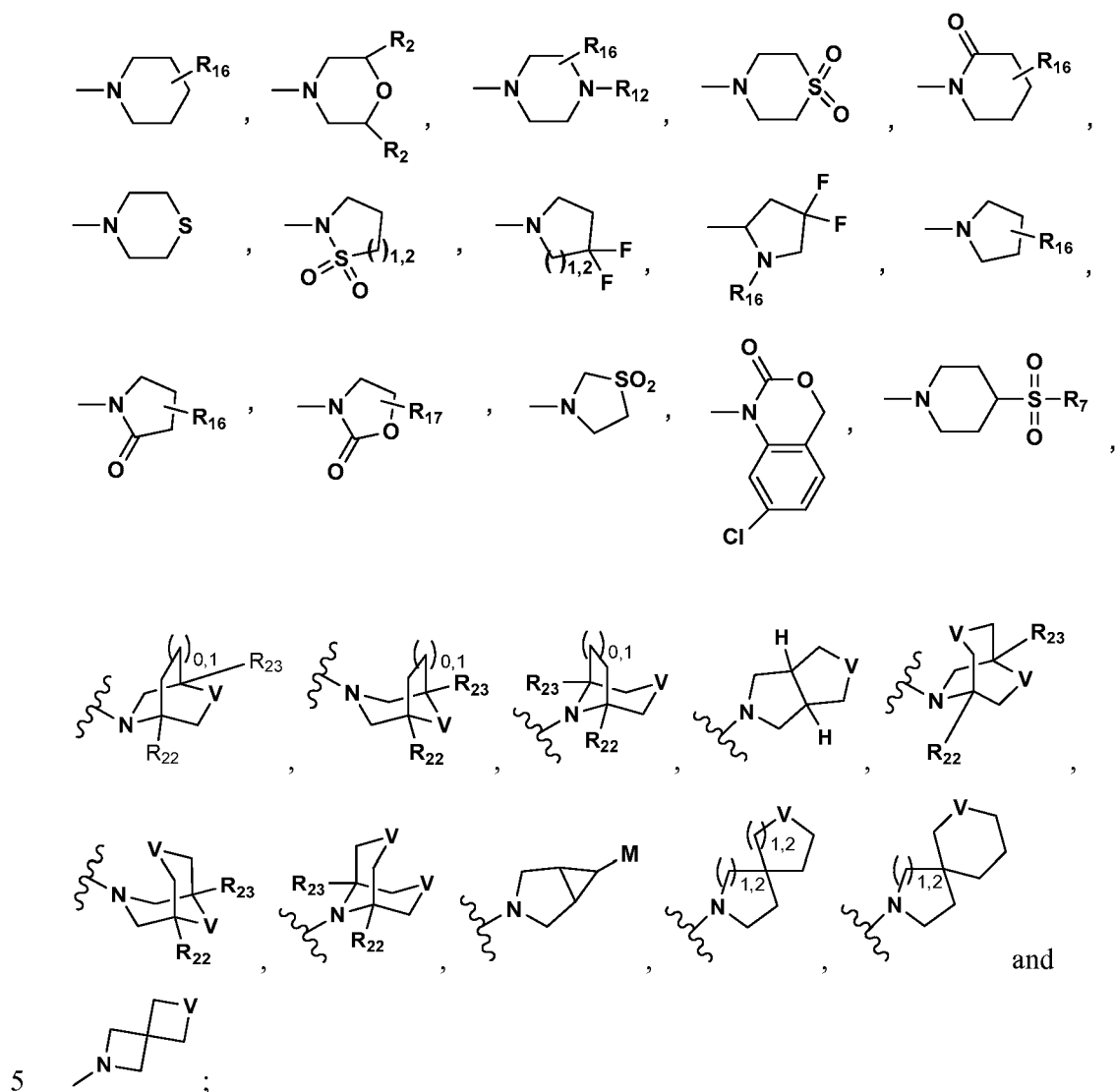
R₈ and R₉ are independently selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, substituted aryl, substituted heteroaryl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₂, and -COOR₃;

25 R₈ can also be -COOR₃;

R₈ and R₉ can also be independently selected from the group of



or R₈ and R₉ are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the group of:



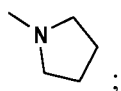
V is selected from the group of $-\text{CR}_{24}\text{R}_{25}$, $-\text{SO}_2$, $-\text{O}$ and $-\text{NR}_{12}$;

M is selected from the group of $-\text{CHR}_{24}\text{R}_{25}$, $-\text{NR}_{26}\text{R}_{27}$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{R}_7$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{NR}_3\text{R}_3$ and $-\text{OH}$;

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R_{10} and R_{11} are independently selected from the group of $-\text{H}$, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ substituted alkyl and $-\text{C}_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl,

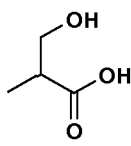
or R_{10} and R_{11} are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle such as



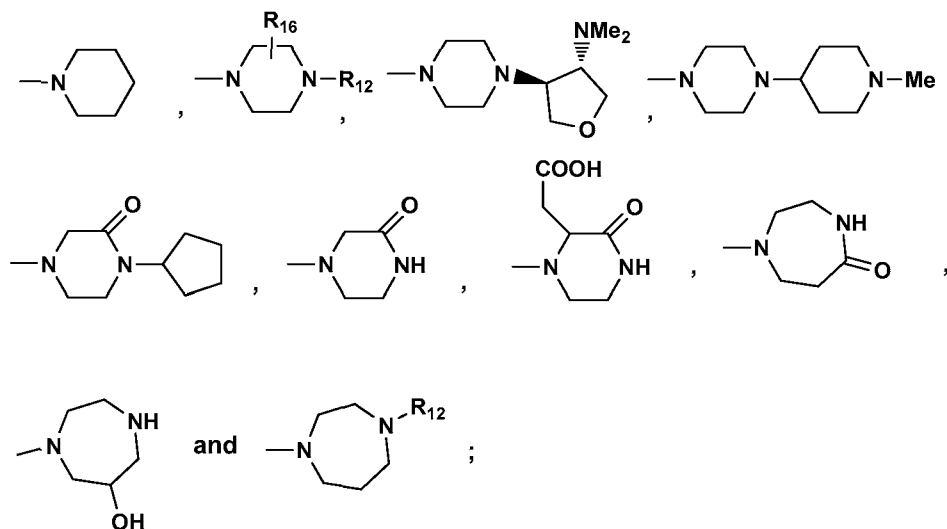
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R₁₂ is selected from the group of -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-OH; -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -COR₇, -COONR₁₈R₁₉, -SOR₇, and -SONR₂₀R₂₁;

R₁₃ and R₁₄ are independently selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₄, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl-Q₄, C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl-Q₄ and



or R₁₃ and R₁₄ are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the group of:



R₁₅ is selected from the group of -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₄, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl-Q₄ and -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl-Q₄;

Q₄ is selected from the group of heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, -NR₂R₂, -CONR₂R₂, -COOR₂, -OR₂, and -SO₂R₃;

R₁₆ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -NR₂R₂, and -COOR₃;

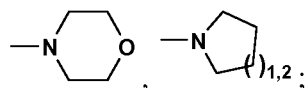
R₁₇ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -COOR₃, and aryl;

R₁₈ and R₁₉ are independently selected from the group of H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, and -C₁₋₆ cycloalkyl;

R₁₈ can also be -COOR₃;

or R₁₈ and R₁₉ are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the

5 group of



R₂₀ and R₂₁ are independently from the group of H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₅, -C₁₋₆ cycloalkyl, aryl, substituted aryl, heteroaryl, and substituted heteroaryl,

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Q₅ is selected from the group of halogen and SO₂R₃

R₂₄ and R₂₅ are independently selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl, -SO₂R₃, -SO₂NR₂R₂ or -OH, -NR₂R₂, -NR₂SO₂R₃, -NR₂COR₃ and -

15 NR₂CONR₂R₂;

with the proviso that only one of R₂₄ and R₂₅ can be selected from the group of -OH, -NR₂R₂, -NR₂SO₂R₃, -NR₂COR₃ and -NR₂CONR₂R₂;

R₂₆ and R₂₇ are independently selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₃ alkylaryl, C₁₋₃alkylheteroaryl, -CO₂R₂ and -SO₂R₇;

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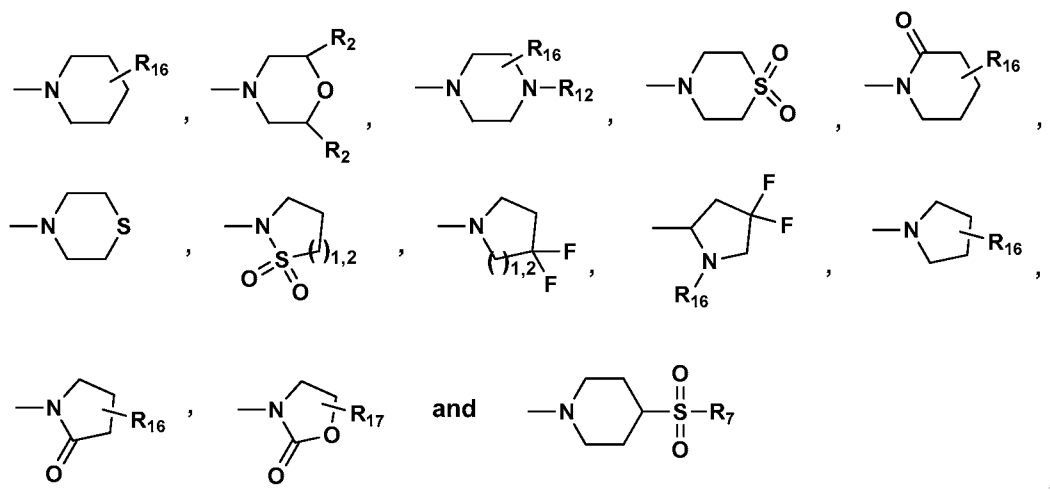
with the proviso that only one of R₂₆ and R₂₇ can be selected from the group of -CO₂R₂ or -SO₂R₇;

R₂₈ and R₂₉ are independently selected from the group of H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₆, -COC₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₆, -COOR₃; -COCF₃;

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R₂₈ can also be selected from -COOR₃ and -CONR₁₈R₁₉;

or R₂₈ and R₂₉ are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the group of:



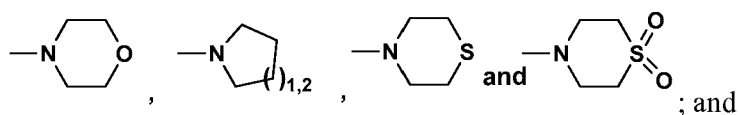
R₃₀ is selected from the group of H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, and -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₆;

5 wherein Q₆ is selected from the group of H, -OR₂, -COOR₂, -COCOOR₂, and -NR₃₁R₃₂;

R₃₁ and R₃₂ are independently selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl-OR₂, and -COR₃,

or R₃₁ and R₃₂ are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the

10 group of



R₃₃ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, and -C₁₋₆

15 substituted alkyl-Q₇,

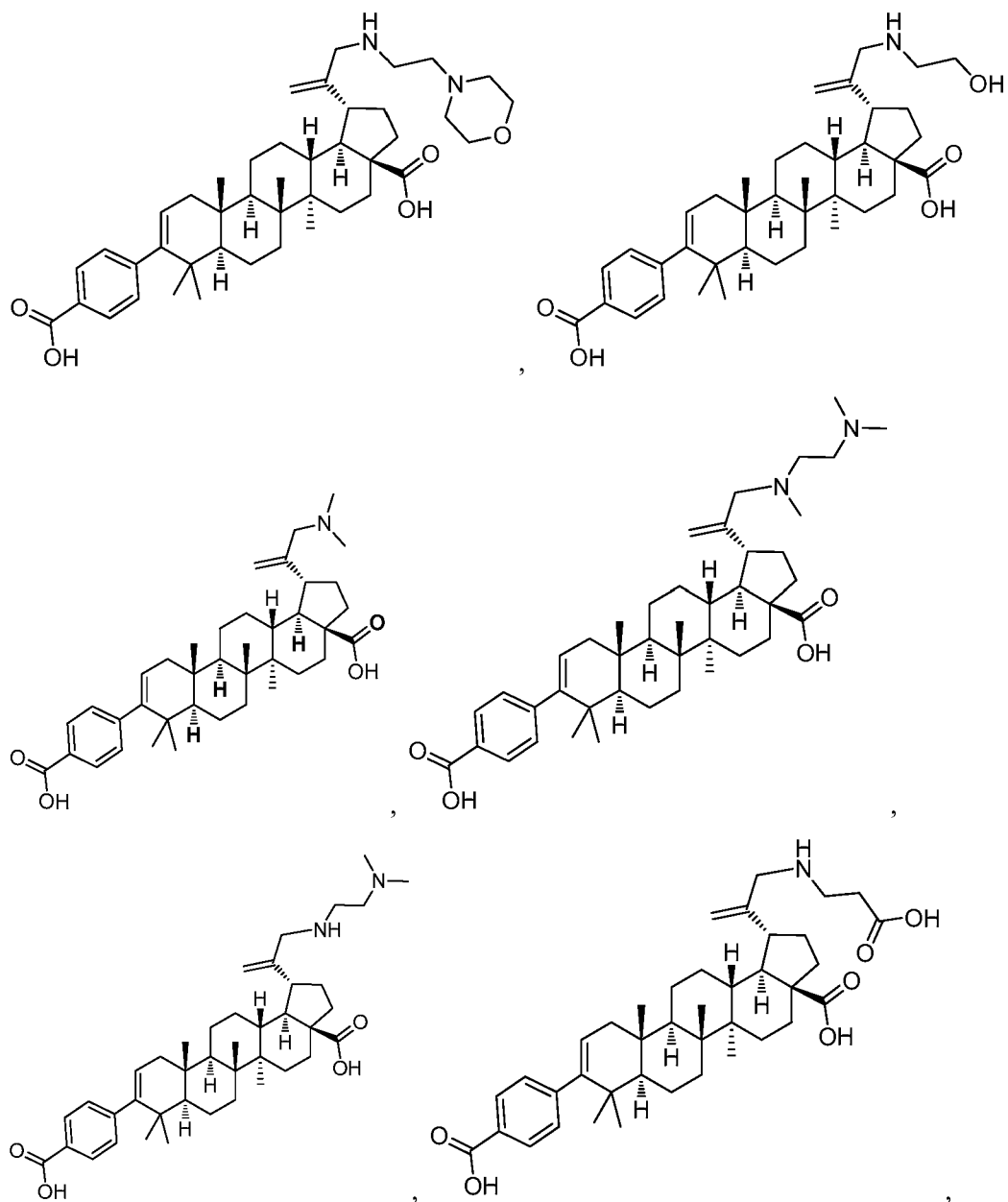
wherein Q₇ is selected from the group of -COOR₂ and -COONR₂R₂.

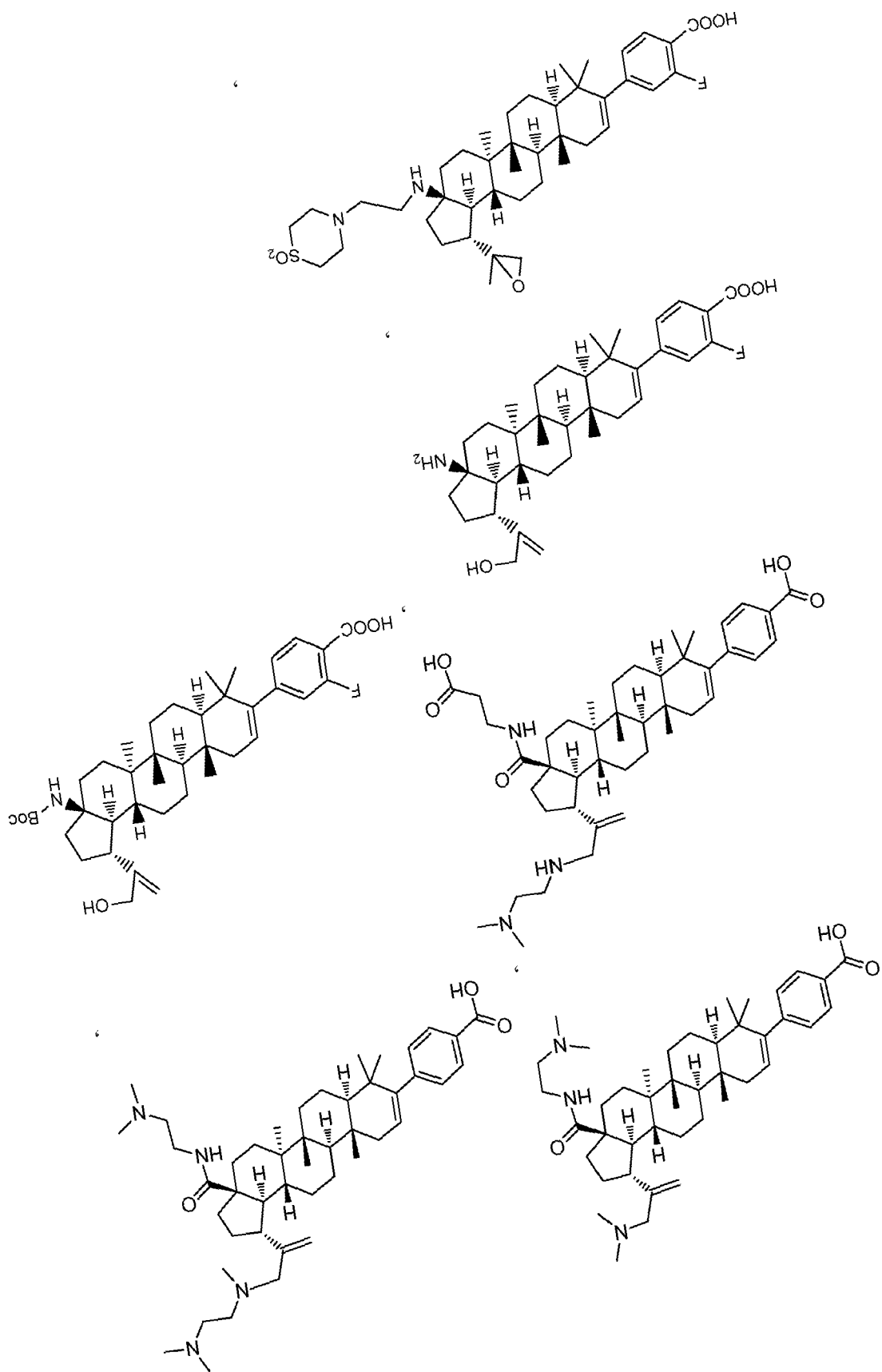
In particular, compounds of Formula I and II are preferred wherein X is phenyl.

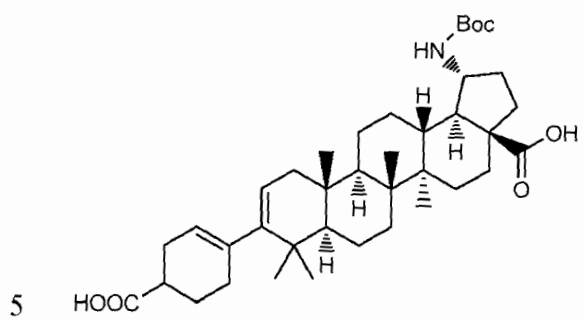
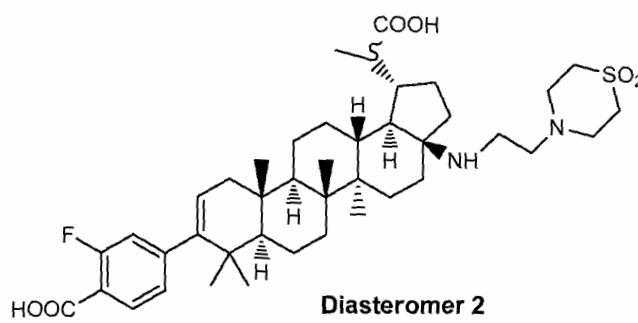
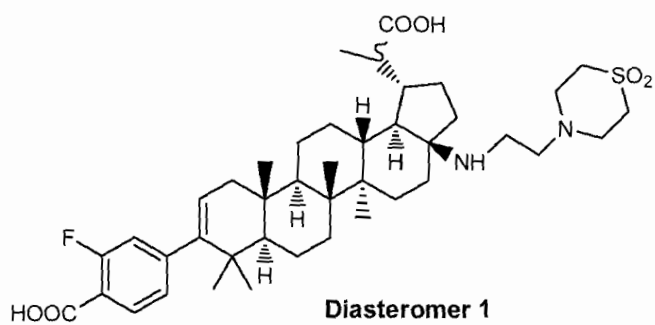
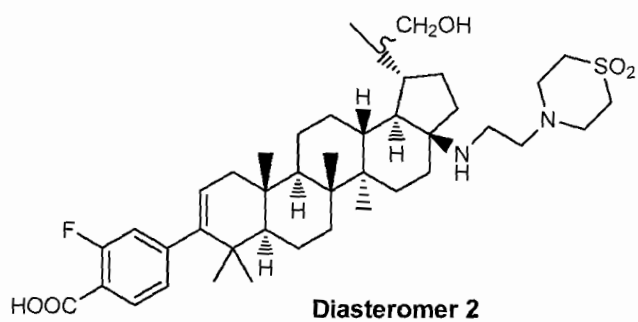
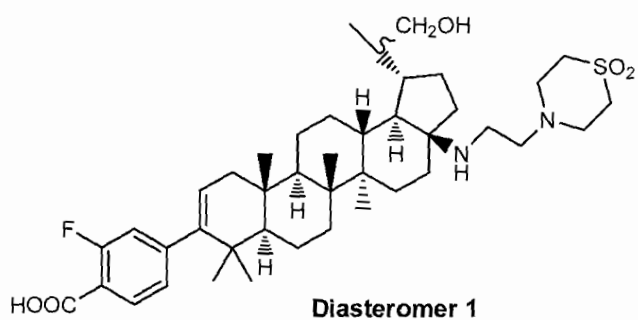
20 Also preferred are compounds wherein A is -H or halo, especially -F.

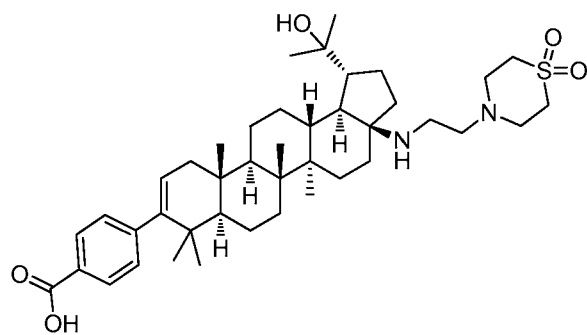
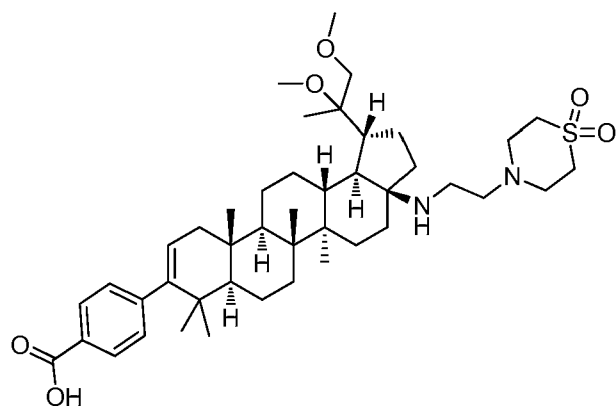
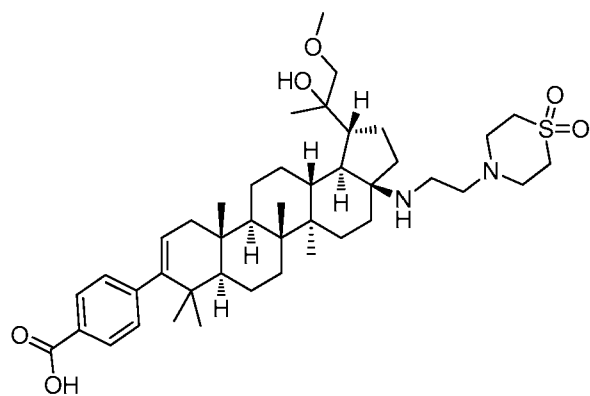
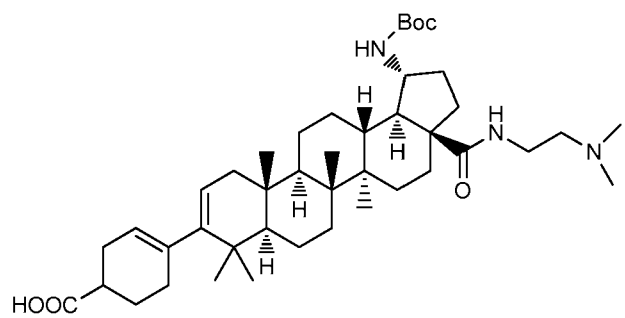
Further preferred are compounds wherein Y is $-\text{COOR}_2$. It is also preferred that R_2 is $-\text{H}$.

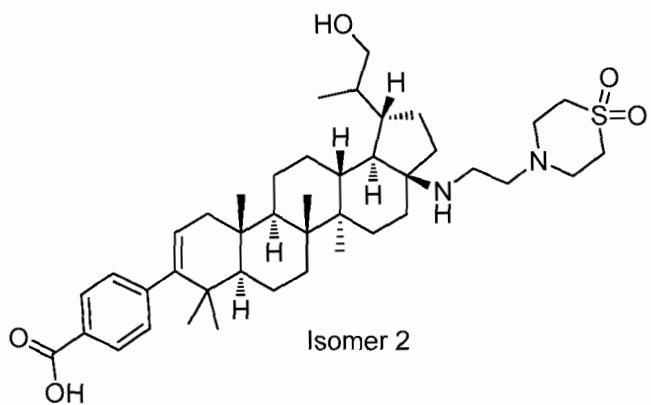
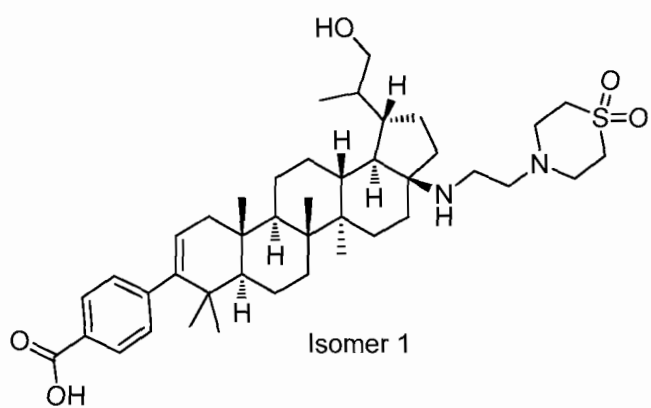
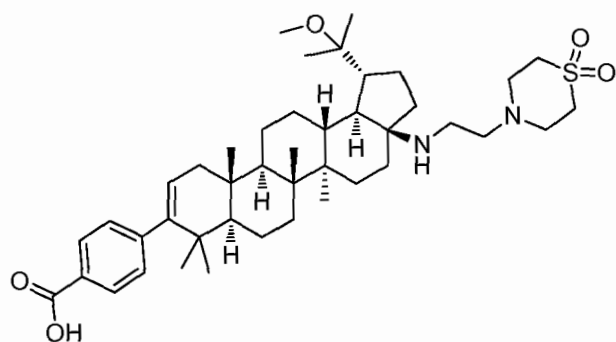
Also preferred are compounds, including pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof, which are selected from the group of

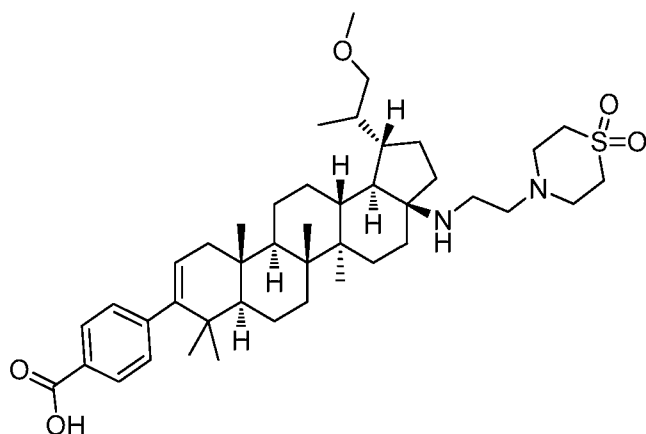




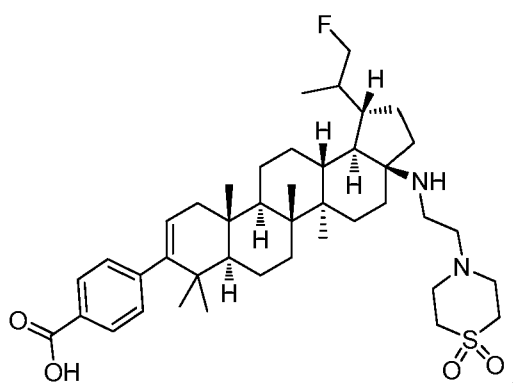








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- 5 The compounds of the present invention, according to all the various
embodiments described above, may be administered orally, parenterally (including
subcutaneous injections, intravenous, intramuscular, intrasternal injection or infusion
techniques), by inhalation spray, or rectally, and by other means, in dosage unit
formulations containing non-toxic pharmaceutically acceptable carriers, excipients and
10 diluents available to the skilled artisan. One or more adjuvants may also be included.

Thus, in accordance with the present invention, there is further provided a method
of treatment, and a pharmaceutical composition, for treating viral infections such as HIV
infection and AIDS. The treatment involves administering to a patient in need of such
15 treatment a pharmaceutical composition which contains an antiviral effective amount of
one or more of the compounds of Formulas I and II, together with one or more
pharmaceutically acceptable carriers, excipients or diluents. As used herein, the term
"antiviral effective amount" means the total amount of each active component of the

composition and method that is sufficient to show a meaningful patient benefit, i.e., inhibiting, ameliorating, or healing of acute conditions characterized by inhibition of the HIV infection. When applied to an individual active ingredient, administered alone, the term refers to that ingredient alone. When applied to a combination, the term refers to combined amounts of the active ingredients that result in the therapeutic effect, whether administered in combination, serially or simultaneously. The terms "treat, treating, treatment" as used herein and in the claims means preventing, ameliorating or healing diseases associated with HIV infection.

The pharmaceutical compositions of the invention may be in the form of orally administrable suspensions or tablets; as well as nasal sprays, sterile injectable preparations, for example, as sterile injectable aqueous or oleaginous suspensions or suppositories. Pharmaceutically acceptable carriers, excipients or diluents may be utilized in the pharmaceutical compositions, and are those utilized in the art of pharmaceutical preparations.

When administered orally as a suspension, these compositions are prepared according to techniques typically known in the art of pharmaceutical formulation and may contain microcrystalline cellulose for imparting bulk, alginic acid or sodium alginate as a suspending agent, methylcellulose as a viscosity enhancer, and sweeteners/flavoring agents known in the art. As immediate release tablets, these compositions may contain microcrystalline cellulose, dicalcium phosphate, starch, magnesium stearate and lactose and/or other excipients, binders, extenders, disintegrants, diluents, and lubricants known in the art.

The injectable solutions or suspensions may be formulated according to known art, using suitable non-toxic, parenterally acceptable diluents or solvents, such as mannitol, 1,3-butanediol, water, Ringer's solution or isotonic sodium chloride solution, or suitable dispersing or wetting and suspending agents, such as sterile, bland, fixed oils, including synthetic mono- or diglycerides, and fatty acids, including oleic acid.

The compounds herein set forth can be administered orally to humans in a dosage range of about 1 to 100 mg/kg body weight in divided doses, usually over an extended

period, such as days, weeks, months, or even years. One preferred dosage range is about 1 to 10 mg/kg body weight orally in divided doses. Another preferred dosage range is about 1 to 20 mg/kg body weight in divided doses. It will be understood, however, that the specific dose level and frequency of dosage for any particular patient may be varied and will depend upon a variety of factors including the activity of the specific compound employed, the metabolic stability and length of action of that compound, the age, body weight, general health, sex, diet, mode and time of administration, rate of excretion, drug combination, the severity of the particular condition, and the host undergoing therapy.

Also contemplated herein are combinations of the compounds of Formulas I and II herein set forth, together with one or more other agents useful in the treatment of AIDS. For example, the compounds of this disclosure may be effectively administered, whether at periods of pre-exposure and/or post-exposure, in combination with effective amounts of the AIDS antivirals, immunomodulators, antiinfectives, or vaccines, such as those in the following non-limiting table:

ANTIVIRALS

<i>Drug Name</i>	<i>Manufacturer</i>	<i>Indication</i>
097	Hoechst/Bayer	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (non-nucleoside reverse trans- criptase (RT) inhibitor)
Amprenavir 141 W94 GW 141	Glaxo Wellcome	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (protease inhibitor)
Abacavir (1592U89) GW 1592	Glaxo Wellcome	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC

			(RT inhibitor)
	Acemannan	Carrington Labs (Irving, TX)	ARC
5	Acyclovir	Burroughs Wellcome	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC
10	AD-439	Tanox Biosystems	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC
	AD-519	Tanox Biosystems	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC
15	Adefovir dipivoxil AL-721	Gilead Sciences Ethigen (Los Angeles, CA)	HIV infection ARC, PGL HIV positive, AIDS
20	Alpha Interferon	Glaxo Wellcome	Kaposi's sarcoma, HIV in combination w/Retrovir
25	Ansamycin LM 427	Adria Laboratories (Dublin, OH) Erbamont (Stamford, CT)	ARC
30	Antibody which Neutralizes pH Labile alpha aberrant Interferon	Advanced Biotherapy Concepts (Rockville, MD)	AIDS, ARC
	AR177	Aronex Pharm	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC

	Beta-fluoro-ddA	Nat'l Cancer Institute	AIDS-associated diseases
5	BMS-234475 (CGP-61755)	Bristol-Myers Squibb/ Novartis	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (protease inhibitor)
	CI-1012	Warner-Lambert	HIV-1 infection
10	Cidofovir	Gilead Science	CMV retinitis, herpes, papillomavirus
	Curdlan sulfate	AJI Pharma USA	HIV infection
15	Cytomegalovirus Immune globin	MedImmune	CMV retinitis
	Cytovene	Syntex	Sight threatening
20	Ganciclovir		CMV peripheral CMV retinitis
25	Darunavir	Tibotec- J & J	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (protease inhibitor)
	Delaviridine	Pharmacia-Upjohn	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (RT inhibitor)
30	Dextran Sulfate	Ueno Fine Chem. Ind. Ltd. (Osaka,	AIDS, ARC, HIV positive

		Japan)	asymptomatic
	ddC Dideoxycytidine	Hoffman-La Roche	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC
5	ddI Dideoxyinosine	Bristol-Myers Squibb	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC; combination with AZT/d4T
10	DMP-450	AVID (Camden, NJ)	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (protease inhibitor)
15	Efavirenz (DMP 266, SUSTIVA [®]) (-)-6-Chloro-4-(S)- cyclopropylethynyl- 4(S)-trifluoro- methyl-1,4-dihydro- 20 2H-3,1-benzoxazin- 2-one, STOCRINE	Bristol Myers Squibb	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (non-nucleoside RT inhibitor)
25	EL10	Elan Corp, PLC (Gainesville, GA)	HIV infection
30	Etravirine	Tibotec/ J & J	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (non-nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitor)
	Famciclovir	Smith Kline	herpes zoster, herpes simplex

	GS 840	Gilead	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (reverse transcriptase inhibitor)
5	HBV097	Hoechst Marion Roussel	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (non-nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitor)
10	Hypericin	VIMRx Pharm.	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC
15	Recombinant Human Interferon Beta	Triton Biosciences (Alameda, CA)	AIDS, Kaposi's sarcoma, ARC
	Interferon alfa-n3	Interferon Sciences	ARC, AIDS
20	Indinavir	Merck	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC, asymptomatic HIV positive, also in combination with AZT/ddI/ddC
25	ISIS 2922	ISIS Pharmaceuticals	CMV retinitis
	KNI-272	Nat'l Cancer Institute	HIV-assoc. diseases
30	Lamivudine, 3TC	Glaxo Wellcome	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (reverse transcriptase

			inhibitor); also with AZT
5	Lobucavir	Bristol-Myers Squibb	CMV infection
	Nelfinavir	Agouron Pharmaceuticals	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (protease inhibitor)
10	Nevirapine	Boehringer Ingelheim	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (RT inhibitor)
15	Novapren	Novaferon Labs, Inc. (Akron, OH)	HIV inhibitor
20	Peptide T Octapeptide Sequence	Peninsula Labs (Belmont, CA)	AIDS
	Trisodium Phosphonoformate	Astra Pharm. Products, Inc.	CMV retinitis, HIV infection, other CMV infections
25	PNU-140690	Pharmacia Upjohn	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (protease inhibitor)
30	Probucol	Vyrex	HIV infection, AIDS
	RBC-CD4	Sheffield Med. Tech (Houston, TX)	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC

	Ritonavir	Abbott	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (protease inhibitor)
5	Saquinavir	Hoffmann- LaRoche	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (protease inhibitor)
10	Stavudine; d4T Didehydrodeoxy- Thymidine	Bristol-Myers Squibb	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC
15	Tipranavir	Boehringer Ingelheim	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC (protease inhibitor)
	Valaciclovir	Glaxo Wellcome	Genital HSV & CMV infections
	Virazole	Viratek/ICN	asymptomatic HIV
20	Ribavirin	(Costa Mesa, CA)	positive, LAS, ARC
	VX-478	Vertex	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC
25	Zalcitabine	Hoffmann-LaRoche	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC, with AZT
30	Zidovudine; AZT	Glaxo Wellcome	HIV infection, AIDS, ARC, Kaposi's sarcoma, in combination with other therapies
	Tenofovir disoproxil, fumarate salt (VIREAD [®])	Gilead	HIV infection, AIDS,

			(reverse transcriptase inhibitor)
5	EMTRIVA [®] (Emtricitabine) Gilead (FTC)		HIV infection, AIDS, (reverse transcriptase inhibitor)
10	COMBIVIR [®]	GSK	HIV infection, AIDS, (reverse transcriptase inhibitor)
15	Abacavir succinate (or ZIAGEN [®])	GSK	HIV infection, AIDS, (reverse transcriptase inhibitor)
20	REYATAZ [®] (or atazanavir)	Bristol-Myers Squibb	HIV infection AIDS, protease inhibitor
25	FUZEON [®] (Enfuvirtide or T-20)	Roche / Trimeris	HIV infection AIDS, viral Fusion inhibitor
30	LEXIVA [®] (or Fosamprenavir calcium)	GSK/Vertex	HIV infection AIDS, viral protease inhibitor
	Selzentry		
	Maraviroc; (UK 427857)	Pfizer	HIV infection

			AIDs, (CCR5 antagonist, in development)
5	TRIZIVIR [®]	GSK	HIV infection AIDs, (three drug combination)
10	Sch-417690 (vicriviroc)	Schering-Plough	HIV infection AIDs, (CCR5 antagonist, in development)
	TAK-652	Takeda	HIV infection AIDs, (CCR5 antagonist, in development)
15	GSK 873140 (ONO-4128)	GSK/ONO	HIV infection AIDs, (CCR5 antagonist, in development)
20	Integrase Inhibitor MK-0518 Raltegravir	Merck	HIV infection AIDs
25	TRUVADA [®]	Gilead	Combination of Tenofovir disoproxil fumarate salt (VIREAD [®]) and EMTRIVA [®] (Emtricitabine)
30	Integrase Inhibitor GS917/JTK-303 Elvitegravir	Gilead/Japan Tobacco	HIV Infection AIDs in development
	Triple drug combination	Gilead/Bristol-Myers Squibb	Combination of Tenofovir

	ATRIPLA [®]		disoproxil fumarate salt (VIREAD [®]), EMTRIVA [®] (Emtricitabine), and SUSTIVA [®] (Efavirenz)
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	FESTINAVIR [®] 4'-ethynyl-d4T	Oncolys BioPharma BMS	HIV infection AIDs in development
10	CMX-157 Lipid conjugate of nucleotide tenofovir	Chimerix	HIV infection AIDs
	GSK1349572	GSK	HIV infection
15	Integrase inhibitor		AIDs

IMMUNOMODULATORS

20	<i>Drug Name</i>	<i>Manufacturer</i>	<i>Indication</i>
	AS-101	Wyeth-Ayerst	AIDS
	Bropirimine	Pharmacia Upjohn	Advanced AIDS
25	Acemannan	Carrington Labs, Inc. (Irving, TX)	AIDS, ARC
	CL246,738	Wyeth Lederle Labs	AIDS, Kaposi's sarcoma
30	FP-21399	Fuki ImmunoPharm	Blocks HIV fusion

			with CD4+ cells
5	Gamma Interferon	Genentech	ARC, in combination w/TNF (tumor necrosis factor)
10	Granulocyte Macrophage Colony Stimulating Factor	Genetics Institute Sandoz	AIDS
	Granulocyte Macrophage Colony Stimulating Factor	Hoechst-Roussel Immunex	AIDS
15	Granulocyte Macrophage Colony Stimulating Factor	Schering-Plough	AIDS, combination w/AZT
20	HIV Core Particle Immunostimulant	Rorer	Seropositive HIV
	IL-2 Interleukin-2	Cetus	AIDS, in combination w/AZT
25	IL-2 Interleukin-2	Hoffman-LaRoche Immunex	AIDS, ARC, HIV, in combination w/AZT
30	IL-2 Interleukin-2 (aldeslakin)	Chiron	AIDS, increase in CD4 cell counts
	Immune Globulin Intravenous (human)	Cutter Biological (Berkeley, CA)	Pediatric AIDS, in combination w/AZT

	IMREG-1	Imreg (New Orleans, LA)	AIDS, Kaposi's sarcoma, ARC, PGL
5	IMREG-2	Imreg (New Orleans, LA)	AIDS, Kaposi's sarcoma, ARC, PGL
	Imuthiol Diethyl Dithio Carbamate	Merieux Institute	AIDS, ARC
10	Alpha-2 Interferon	Schering Plough	Kaposi's sarcoma w/AZT, AIDS
	Methionine- Enkephalin	TNI Pharmaceutical (Chicago, IL)	AIDS, ARC
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	MTP-PE Muramyl-Tripeptide	Ciba-Geigy Corp.	Kaposi's sarcoma
20	Granulocyte Colony Stimulating Factor	Amgen	AIDS, in combination w/AZT
	Remune	Immune Response Corp.	Immunotherapeutic
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	rCD4 Recombinant Soluble Human CD4	Genentech	AIDS, ARC
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	rCD4-IgG hybrids		AIDS, ARC

	Recombinant Soluble Human CD4	Biogen	AIDS, ARC
5	Interferon Alfa 2a	Hoffman-La Roche	Kaposi's sarcoma AIDS, ARC, in combination w/AZT
10	SK&F106528 Soluble T4	Smith Kline	HIV infection
	Thymopentin	Immunobiology Research Institute (Annandale, NJ)	HIV infection
15	Tumor Necrosis Factor; TNF	Genentech	ARC, in combination w/gamma Interferon

ANTI-INFECTIVES

	<i>Drug Name</i>	<i>Manufacturer</i>	<i>Indication</i>
20	Clindamycin with Primaquine	Pharmacia Upjohn	PCP
25	Fluconazole	Pfizer	Cryptococcal meningitis, candidiasis
30	Pastille Nystatin Pastille	Squibb Corp.	Prevention of oral candidiasis
	Ornidyl Eflornithine	Merrell Dow	PCP

	Pentamidine Isethionate (IM & IV)	LyphoMed (Rosemont, IL)	PCP treatment
5	Trimethoprim Trimethoprim/sulfa		Antibacterial Antibacterial
	Piritrexim	Burroughs Wellcome	PCP treatment
10	Pentamidine Isethionate for Inhalation	Fisons Corporation	PCP prophylaxis
15	Spiramycin	Rhone-Poulenc diarrhea	Cryptosporidial
20	Intraconazole- R51211	Janssen-Pharm.	Histoplasmosis; cryptococcal meningitis
	Trimetrexate	Warner-Lambert	PCP
	Daunorubicin	NeXstar, Sequus	Kaposi's sarcoma
25	Recombinant Human Erythropoietin	Ortho Pharm. Corp.	Severe anemia assoc. with AZT therapy
30	Recombinant Human Growth Hormone	Serono	AIDS-related wasting, cachexia
	Megestrol Acetate	Bristol-Myers Squibb	Treatment of anorexia assoc.

W/AIDS

	Testosterone	Alza, Smith Kline	AIDS-related wasting
5	Total Enteral Nutrition	Norwich Eaton Pharmaceuticals	Diarrhea and malabsorption related to AIDS

Additionally, the compounds of the disclosure herein set forth may be used in
 10 combination with HIV entry inhibitors. Examples of such HIV entry inhibitors are
 discussed in DRUGS OF THE FUTURE 1999, 24(12), pp. 1355-1362; CELL, Vol. 9, pp.
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 183-194 and *Inhibitors of the entry of HIV into host cells*, Meanwell, Nicholas A.;
 Kadow, John F. Current Opinion in Drug Discovery & Development (2003), 6(4), 451-
 15 461. Specifically the compounds can be utilized in combination with attachment
 inhibitors, fusion inhibitors, and chemokine receptor antagonists aimed at either the
 CCR5 or CXCR4 coreceptor. HIV attachment inhibitors are also set forth in US
 7,354,924 and US 2005/0209246.

20 It will be understood that the scope of combinations of the compounds of this
 application with AIDS antivirals, immunomodulators, anti-infectives, HIV entry
 inhibitors or vaccines is not limited to the list in the above Table but includes, in
 principle, any combination with any pharmaceutical composition useful for the treatment
 of AIDS.

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Preferred combinations are simultaneous or alternating treatments with a
 compound of the present disclosure and an inhibitor of HIV protease and/or a non-
 nucleoside inhibitor of HIV reverse transcriptase. An optional fourth component in the
 combination is a nucleoside inhibitor of HIV reverse transcriptase, such as AZT, 3TC,
 30 ddC or ddI. A preferred inhibitor of HIV protease is REYATAZ[®] (active ingredient
 Atazanavir). Typically a dose of 300 to 600mg is administered once a day. This may be
 co-administered with a low dose of Ritonavir (50 to 500mgs). Another preferred
 inhibitor of HIV protease is KALETRA[®]. Another useful inhibitor of HIV protease is

indinavir, which is the sulfate salt of N-(2(R)-hydroxy-1-(S)-indanyl)-2(R)-phenylmethyl-4-(S)-hydroxy-5-(1-(4-(3-pyridyl-methyl)-2(S)-N'-(t-butylcarboxamido)-piperazinyl))-pentaneamide ethanolate, and is synthesized according to U.S. 5,413,999. Indinavir is generally administered at a dosage of 800 mg three times a day. Other preferred protease inhibitors are nelfinavir and ritonavir. Another preferred inhibitor of HIV protease is saquinavir which is administered in a dosage of 600 or 1200 mg tid. Preferred non-nucleoside inhibitors of HIV reverse transcriptase include efavirenz. These combinations may have unexpected effects on limiting the spread and degree of infection of HIV. Preferred combinations include those with the following (1) indinavir with efavirenz, and, optionally, AZT and/or 3TC and/or ddI and/or ddC; (2) indinavir, and any of AZT and/or ddI and/or ddC and/or 3TC, in particular, indinavir and AZT and 3TC; (3) stavudine and 3TC and/or zidovudine; (4) tenofovir disoproxil fumarate salt and emtricitabine.

In such combinations the compound of the present invention and other active agents may be administered separately or in conjunction. In addition, the administration of one element may be prior to, concurrent to, or subsequent to the administration of other agent(s).

Abbreviations:

- NBS = N-bromosuccinimide
TBDMS =tert-butyldimethylsilane
PTFE = polytetrafluoroethylene
NMO = 4-methylmorpholine-N-oxide
THF = tetrahydrofuran
TLC = thin layer chromatography
DCM = dichloromethane
DCE = dichloroethane
TFA = trifluoroacetic acid
LCMS = liquid chromatography mass spectroscopy
Prep = preparative
HPLC = high performance liquid chromatography
DAST = (diethylamino)sulfur trifluoride
TEA = triethylamine

DIPEA = N,N-diisopropylethylamine

HATU = [O-(7-azabenzotriazol-1-yl)-1,1,3,3-tetramethyluronium hexafluorophosphate]

DMAP = dimethylaminopyridine

TMS = trimethylsilyl

5 NMR = nuclear magnetic resonance

DPPA = diphenyl phosphoryl azide

AIBN = azobisisobutyronitrile

TBAF = tetrabutylammonium fluoride

DMF = dimethylformamide

10 TBTU = O-(benzotriazol-1-yl)-N,N,N',N'-tetramethyluronium tetrafluoroborate

min = minute(s)

h = hour(s)

sat. = saturated

TEA = triethylamine

15 EtOAc = ethyl acetate

TFA = trifluoroacetic acid

PCC = pyridinium chlorochromate

TLC = thin layer chromatography

Tf₂NPh = (trifluoromethylsulfonyl)methanesulfonamide

20 dioxane = 1,4-dioxane

PG = protective group

atm = atmosphere(s)

mol = mole(s)

mmol = milimole(s)

25 mg = milligram(s)

μg = microgram(s)

μl = microliter(s)

μm = micrometer(s)

mm = millimeter(s)

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EXAMPLES

The following examples illustrate typical syntheses of the compounds of Formulas I and II, as described generally above. These examples are illustrative only and are not intended to limit the disclosure in any way. The reagents and starting materials are readily available to one of ordinary skill in the art.

Chemistry

Typical Procedures and Characterization of Selected Examples:

Unless otherwise stated, solvents and reagents were used directly as obtained from commercial sources, and reactions were performed under a nitrogen atmosphere. Flash chromatography was conducted on Silica gel 60 (0.040-0.063 particle size; EM Science supply). ^1H NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker DRX-500f at 500 MHz (or Bruker AV 400 MHz, Bruker DPX-300B or Varian Gemini 300 at 300 MHz as stated). The chemical shifts were reported in ppm on the δ scale relative to $\delta\text{TMS} = 0$. The following internal references were used for the residual protons in the following solvents: CDCl_3 (δ_{H} 7.26), CD_3OD (δ_{H} 3.30), Acetic- d_4 (*Acetic Acid* d_4) (δ_{H} 11.6, 2.07), DMSO mix or DMSO- d_6 - CDCl_3 (δ_{H} 2.50 and 8.25) (ratio 75%:25%), and DMSO- d_6 (δ_{H} 2.50). Standard acronyms were employed to describe the multiplicity patterns: s (singlet), br. s (broad singlet), d (doublet), t (triplet), q (quartet), m (multiplet), b (broad), app (apparent). The coupling constant (J) is in Hertz. All Liquid Chromatography (LC) data were recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector with Mass Spectrometry (MS) data determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

25 **LC/MS methods:**

Method 1

Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 2 minute gradient, hold at 100%B

Flow Rate = 4 mL / min

Wavelength = 220 nm

30 Solvent A = 95% water, 5% methanol, 10 mM ammonium acetate

Solvent B = 5% water, 95% methanol, 10 mM ammonium acetate

Column = Xbridge C18 5 μ m 4.6 x 50 mm

Method 2

5 Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 2 minute gradient, hold at 100%B

Flow Rate = 4 mL / min

Wavelength = 220 nm

Solvent A = 95% water, 5% methanol, 10 mM ammonium acetate

Solvent B = 5% water, 95% methanol, 10 mM ammonium acetate

10 Column = Phenomenex Luna C18, 5 μ m, 3.0 x 50 mm

Method 3

Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 2 minute gradient, hold at 100%B

Flow Rate = 1 mL/min

15 Wavelength = 220 nm

Solvent A = 95% water, 5% acetonitrile, 10mM ammonium acetate

Solvent B = 5% water, 95% acetonitrile, 10mM ammonium acetate

Column = Phenomenex Luna C18, 3 μ m, 2.0 x 30 mm

20 Method 4

Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 2 minute gradient, hold at 100%B

Flow Rate = 1 mL / min

Wavelength = 220 nm

Solvent A = 95% water, 5% methanol, 10 mM ammonium acetate

25 Solvent B = 5% water, 95% methanol, 10 mM ammonium acetate

Column = Phenomenex Luna C18, 3 μ m, 2.0 x 30 mm

Method 5

Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 2 minute gradient, hold at 100%B

30 Flow Rate = 1 mL / min

Wavelength = 220 nm

Solvent A = 90% water, 10% methanol, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% methanol, 0.1% TFA

Column = Phenomenex Luna C18, 3 μ m, 2.0 x 30 mm

Method 6

- 5 Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 2 minute gradient, hold at 100%B

Flow Rate = 1 mL / min

Wavelength = 220 nm

Solvent A = 90% water, 10% Acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% Acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA

- 10 Column = Phenomenex Luna C18, 3 μ m, 2.0 x 30 mm

Prep HPLC methods:

Prep HPLC method 1

Start %B = 25 Final %B = 100 over 10 minute gradient, hold at 100% B

- 15 Flow Rate = 25 mL/min

Solvent A = 5% MeOH - 95% H₂O - 10 mM Ammonium Acetate

Solvent B = 95% MeOH - 5% H₂O - 10 mM Ammonium Acetate

Column = XBridge Phenyl 19x100 mm S5

- 20 Prep HPLC method 2

Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 20 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

- 25 Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

Prep HPLC method 3

Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 15 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

- 30 Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

Prep HPLC method 4

Start%B = 15, Final%B = 100 over 20 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

5 Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

Prep HPLC method 5

10 Start%B = 15, Final%B = 100 over 10 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

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Prep HPLC method 6

Start%B = 15, Final%B = 100 over 30 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

20 Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

Prep HPLC method 7

Start%B = 15, Final%B = 100 over 20 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

25 Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 95% water, 5% acetonitrile, 10 mM ammonium acetate

Solvent B = 5% water, 95% acetonitrile, 10 mM ammonium acetate

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

30 Prep HPLC method 8

Start%B = 15, Final%B = 100 over 30 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 15 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

5 Prep HPLC method 9

Start %B = 25 Final %B = 100 over 10 minute gradient, hold at 100% B

Solvent A = 5% MeOH - 95% H₂O - 10 mM Ammonium Acetate

Flow Rate = 25 mL/min

Solvent B = 95% MeOH - 5% H₂O - 10 mM Ammonium Acetate

10 Column = Waters-Sunfire OBD 19x100 mm S5

Prep HPLC method 10

Start%B = 20, Final%B = 100 over 20 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 5 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

15 Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

Prep HPLC method 11

20 Start%B = 20, Final%B = 100 over 30 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

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Prep HPLC method 12

Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 20 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 95% water, 5% acetonitrile, 10 mM ammonium acetate

30 Solvent B = 5% water, 95% acetonitrile, 10 mM ammonium acetate

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

Prep HPLC method 13

Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 15 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 95% water, 5% acetonitrile, 10 mM ammonium acetate

- 5 Solvent B = 5% water, 95% acetonitrile, 10 mM ammonium acetate

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

Prep HPLC method 14

Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 10 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

- 10 Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

- 15 Prep HPLC method 15

Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 20 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

- 20 Column = Waters Xbridge Phenyl, 5 μ m, 30 x 100 mm

Prep HPLC method 16

Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 30 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

- 25 Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

Prep HPLC method 17

Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 30 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 95% water, 5% MeOH, 10 mM ammonium bicarbonate

5 Solvent B = 5% water, 95% MeOH, 10 mM ammonium bicarbonate

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

Prep HPLC method 18

Start %B = 20 Final %B = 60 over 10 minute gradient, hold at 100% B for 5 min

10 Flow Rate = 20 mL/min

Solvent A = Water - 20 mM Ammonium Acetate

Solvent B = 95% Acetonitrile - 5% H₂O - 20 mM Ammonium Acetate

Column = XBridge Phenyl C18 19 x 200 mm S5

15 Prep HPLC method 19

Start%B = 0, Final%B = 100 over 40 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 4 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

20 Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 150 mm

Prep HPLC method 20

Start %B = 30 Final %B = 100 over 15 minute gradient, hold at 100% B

Flow Rate = 25 mL/min

25 Solvent A = 5% MeOH - 95% H₂O - 10 mM Ammonium Acetate

Solvent B = 95% MeOH - 5% H₂O - 10 mM Ammonium Acetate

Column = XBridge Phenyl 19x100 mm S5

Prep HPLC method 21

30 Start %B = 15 Final %B = 90 over 20 minute gradient, hold at 100% B

Flow Rate = 40 mL/min

Solvent A = 90% water - 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water - 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ M, 30 x 100 mm

Prep HPLC method 22

- 5 Start %B = 25 Final %B = 90 over 15 minute gradient, hold at 100% B

Flow Rate = 40 mL/min

Solvent A = 90% water - 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water - 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ M, 30 x 100 mm

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Prep HPLC Method 23

Start%B = 30, Final%B = 100 over 20 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 10 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

- 15 Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 100 mm

Prep HPLC Method 24

Start%B = 30, Final%B = 100 over 12 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 8 minutes

- 20 Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Column = Waters Sunfire C18, 5 μ m, 30 x 100 mm

- 25 Prep HPLC Method 25

Start%B = 20, Final%B = 100 over 15 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 5 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

- 30 Column = Waters Xbridge Phenyl, 5 μ m, 30 x 100 mm

Prep HPLC Method 26

Start%B = 20, Final%B = 100 over 10 minute gradient, hold at 100%B for 15 minutes

Flow Rate = 50 mL / min

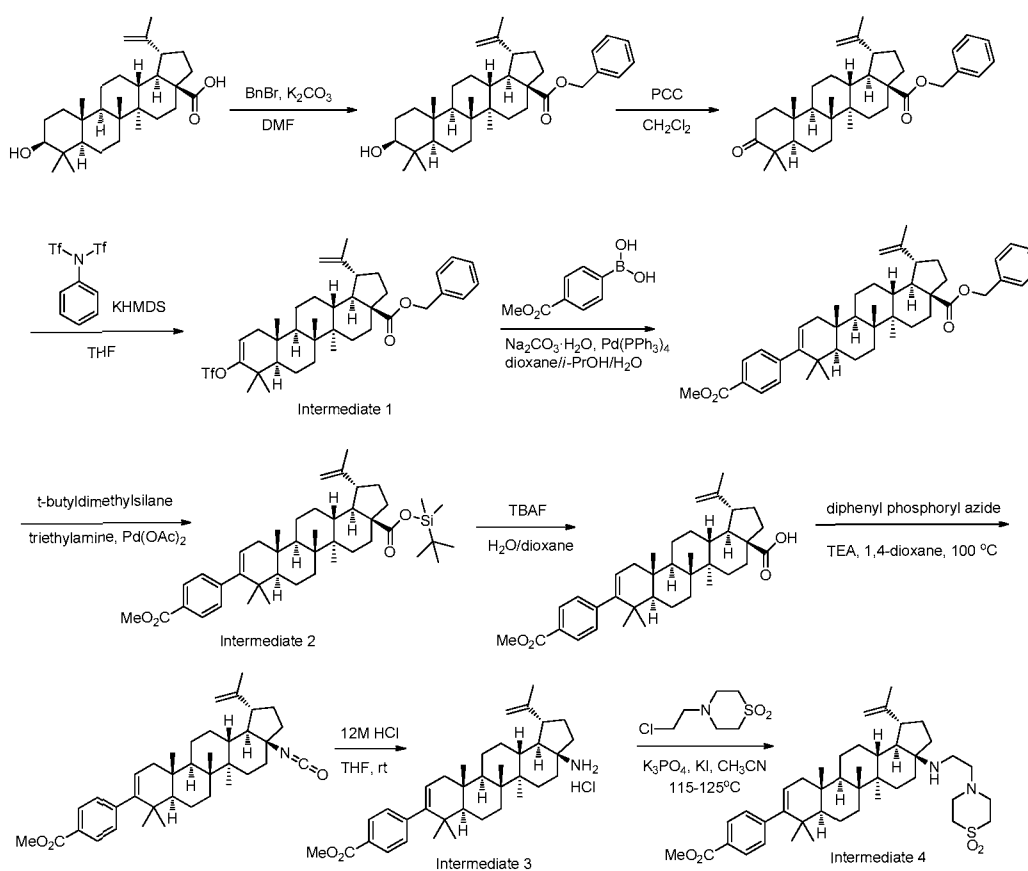
Solvent A = 90% water, 10% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

Solvent B = 10% water, 90% acetonitrile, 0.1% TFA

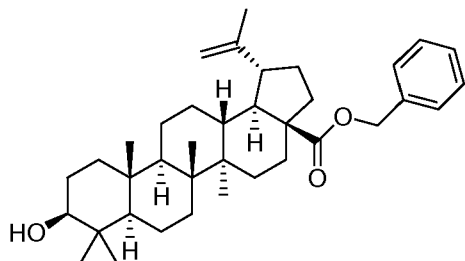
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Preparation of Key Intermediates:

Intermediates 1-4 can be prepared as shown in the following scheme:

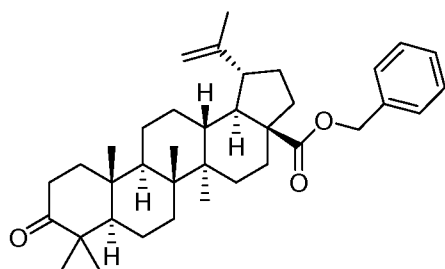


Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,9S,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-hydroxy-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)icosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate.



- 5 To a suspension of betulinic acid (12 g, 26.3 mmol) and potassium carbonate (7.26 g, 52.6 mmol) in DMF (150 mL) was added benzyl bromide (3.28 mL, 27.6 mmol). The mixture was heated to 60 °C for 3.5 h, and then it was cooled to rt. Solids started to precipitate upon cooling. The mixture was diluted water (200 mL) and the solids that formed were collected by filtration to give the title compound (13.92 g, 25.5 mmol, 97% yield) as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, *CHLOROFORM-d*) δ ppm 7.39-7.28 (m, 5 H), 5.16-5.06 (m, 2 H), 4.71 (d, *J*=1.83 Hz, 1 H), 4.59 (s, 1 H), 3.17 (ddd, *J*=11.44, 5.65, 5.49 Hz, 1 H), 3.01 (td, *J*=10.99, 4.88 Hz, 1 H), 2.27 (ddd, *J*=12.36, 3.20, 3.05 Hz, 1 H), 2.21-2.13(m, 1 H), 1.93 - 1.81 (m, 2 H), 1.67 (s, 3 H), 0.95 (s, 3 H), 0.93 (s, 3 H), 1.71 - 0.82 (m, 20 H), 0.79 (s, 3 H), 0.75 (s, 3 H), 0.74 (s, 3 H).

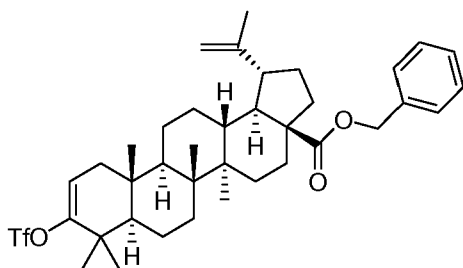
- 15 Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-9-oxo-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)icosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate.



- 20 To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,9S,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-hydroxy-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)icosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (7.1 g, 12.98 mmol) in dichloromethane (100 mL) was added PCC (4.20 g, 19.48 mmol). After stirring for five minutes, the mixture turned a deep crimson color. The mixture was further stirred for 5.5 h. The mixture was filtered

through a pad of celite and silica gel which was washed with dichloromethane and then with a 1:1 mixture of ethyl acetate: hexanes. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure to give the title compound (6.92 g, 12.7 mmol, 98% yield) as a white foam. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, *CHLOROFORM-d*) δ ppm 7.38 - 7.28 (m, 5 H), 5.17 - 5.06 (m, 2 H), 4.72 (d, *J*=1.83 Hz, 1 H), 4.59 (s, 1 H), 3.01 (td, *J*=10.99, 4.88 Hz, 1 H), 2.51 - 2.43 (m, 1 H), 2.42 - 2.34 (m, 1 H), 2.28 (dt, *J*=12.59, 3.17 Hz, 1 H), 2.21 (td, *J*=12.28, 3.51 Hz, 1 H), 1.94 - 1.82 (m, 3 H), 1.67 (s, 3 H), 1.05 (s, 3 H), 1.01 (s, 3 H), 1.73 - 0.95 (m, 17 H), 0.94 (s, 3 H), 0.89 (s, 3 H), 0.78 (s, 3 H).

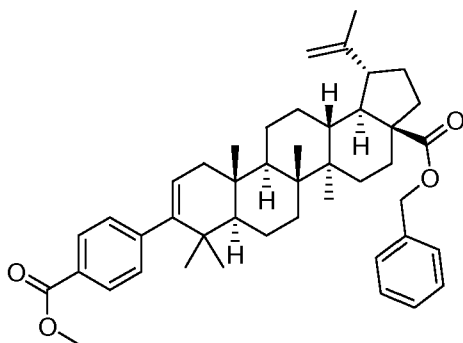
- 10 Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(trifluoromethylsulfonyloxy)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[*a*]chrysene-3a-carboxylate. **Intermediate 1**



- 15 A solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-9-oxo-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)icosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[*a*]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (29.0 g, 53.2 mmol) in THF (200 mL) was cooled to -78 °C. To the solution was added KHMDS (0.5 M in toluene) (213 mL, 106 mmol). The yellow solution was stirred at -78 °C for 25 minutes and a solution of 1,1,1-trifluoro-*N*-phenyl-*N*-(trifluoromethyl)sulfonyl methanesulfonamide (20.92 g, 58.6 mmol) in THF (70 mL) and toluene (30 mL) was added via cannula. The solution was stirred at -78 °C for 3 h. Then, an additional 1.0 g of 1,1,1-trifluoro-*N*-phenyl-*N*-(trifluoromethyl)sulfonyl methanesulfonamide was added and the mixture was stirred at -78 °C. After stirring for 1 h, the mixture was quenched with water (300 mL) and the mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 200 mL). The combined organic layers were dried with MgSO₄. The drying agent was removed by filtration, and the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure to give the title compound (40.0 g, 59.1 mmol) as a yellow solid. Product R_f = 0.57 by silica gel TLC, 5% EtOAc in hexanes, visualized using Hanessian's stain. ¹H

NMR (500 MHz, *CHLOROFORM-d*) δ ppm 7.29-7.41 (m, 5 H), 5.54 (dd, $J = 6.71, 1.53$ Hz, 1 H), 5.13-5.18 (m, 1 H), 5.05-5.12 (m, 1 H), 4.72 (d, $J = 1.53$ Hz, 1 H), 4.59 (s, 1 H), 3.02 (td, $J = 10.99, 4.58$ Hz, 1 H), 2.25-2.31 (m, 1 H), 2.22 (td, $J = 12.21, 3.36$ Hz, 1 H), 2.14 (dd, $J = 17.09, 6.71$ Hz, 1 H), 1.81-1.96 (m, 2 H), 1.67 (s, 3 H), 1.10 (s, 3 H), 1.00 (s, 3 H), 0.94 (s, 3 H), 0.91-1.77 (m, 17 H), 0.88 (s, 3 H), 0.77 (s, 3 H).

Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate.

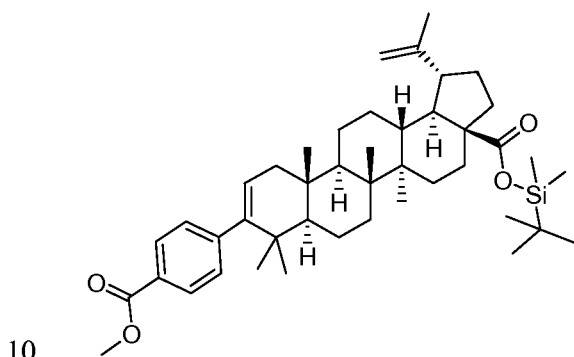


To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13bR)-benzyl 5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(trifluoromethylsulfonyloxy)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (6.21 g, 9.18 mmol) in dioxane (25 mL) was added 2-propanol (25 mL) and water (15 mL) followed by sodium carbonate monohydrate (3.42 g, 27.5 mmol), 4-methoxycarbonylphenylboronic acid (2.478 g, 13.77 mmol), and tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(0) (0.318 g, 0.275 mmol). The flask was attached to a reflux condenser, flushed with N_2 and heated to reflux overnight. The mixture was then cooled to rt and diluted with water (75 mL). The mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 75 mL) and washed with brine (75 mL). The combined organic layers were dried with $MgSO_4$, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was adsorbed to silica gel and purified by silica gel flash chromatography using a 0-20% ethyl acetate in hexanes gradient. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the title compound (4.16 g, 6.28 mmol, 68.4% yield) as a white foam. ^1H NMR (500 MHz, *CHLOROFORM-d*) δ ppm 7.92 (d, $J = 8.24$ Hz, 2 H), 7.40 - 7.29 (m, 5 H), 7.19 (d, $J = 8.24$ Hz, 2 H), 5.28 (dd,

$J=6.10$, 1.83 Hz, 1 H), 5.19 - 5.07 (m, 2 H), 4.73 (d, $J=1.83$ Hz, 1 H), 4.60 (s, 1 H), 3.90 (s, 3 H), 3.04 (td, $J=10.91$, 4.73 Hz, 1 H), 2.20 - 2.32 (m, 2 H), 2.09 (dd, $J=17.24$, 6.26 Hz, 1 H), 1.95 - 1.82 (m, 2 H), 1.69 (s, 3 H), 0.97 (s, 3 H), 0.95 (s, 3 H), 0.92 (s, 3 H), 0.91 (s, 3 H), 1.75 - 0.87 (m, 17 H), 0.82 (s, 3 H).

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Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl 9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate. **Intermediate 2**



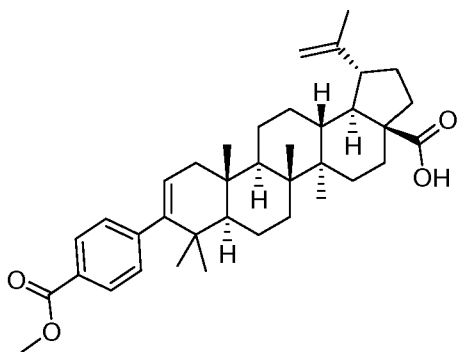
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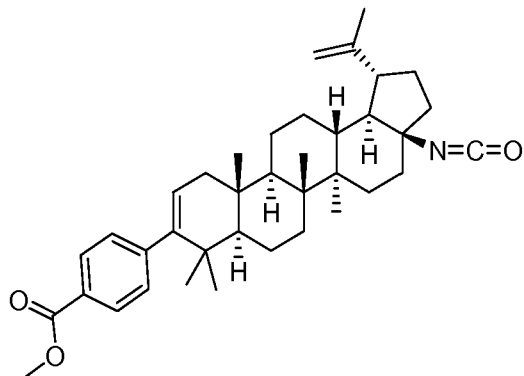
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To solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-*tert*-butyldimethylsilyl 9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (3.12 g, 4.54 mmol) in dioxane (25 mL) was added TBAF (75% wt in water) (2.375 g, 6.81 mmol) and the mixture was stirred at rt for 4 h. The reaction mixture was diluted with 1N HCl (25 mL) and water (5 mL) and extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 100 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and partially concentrated under reduced pressure to about 10 mL volume. To the partially concentrated mixture was added 1N HCl (50 mL). The solids that formed were collected by filtration and washed with water to give the title compound (2.58 g, 4.50 mmol, 99% yield) as a white solid. LCMS: *m/e* 571.47 (M-H)⁻, 3.60 min (method 2). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*) δ ppm 9.80 (br. s., 1 H), 7.92 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 7.18 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 5.32 - 5.26 (m, 1 H), 4.75 (s, 1 H), 4.62 (br. s., 1 H), 3.90 (s, 3 H), 3.07 - 2.99 (m, 1 H), 2.33 - 2.21 (m, 2 H), 2.10 (dd, *J*=17.09, 6.10 Hz, 1 H), 2.06 - 1.94 (m, 2 H), 1.70 (s, 3 H), 1.01 (br. s., 3 H), 1.00 (br. s., 3 H), 0.98 (s, 3 H), 0.91 (s, 6 H), 1.79 - 0.89 (m, 17 H).

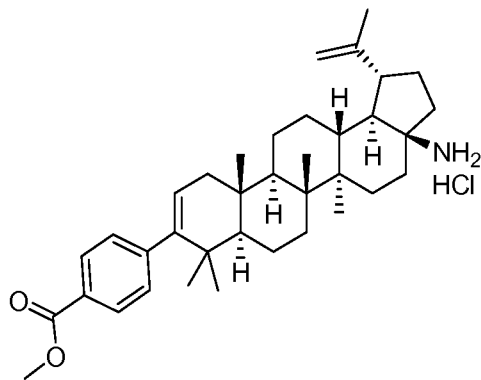
Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-isocyanato-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



To a slurry of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (10 g, 17.46 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (200 mL) was added triethylamine (4.38 mL, 31.4 mmol) followed by diphenyl phosphoryl azide (5.82 mL, 26.2 mmol). The resulting white slurry was heated to 100 °C. After 5 h, the reaction was allowed to cool to rt and was then diluted with EtOAc and washed with 1N NaOH (2 x 70 mL). The combined aqueous layer was extracted with EtOAc (2 x 150 mL). The combined organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated to a slurry (75 mL) which was stored in a refrigerator overnight. The slurry was filtered and the white solid product was washed with Et₂O. The liquid filtrate was concentrated to a yellow slurry which was filtered and washed with Et₂O to give more white solid product. The two batches of white solid were combined and dried *in vacuo* to give the title compound (8.6 g, 15.09 mmol, 86% yield) as a white solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*) δ ppm 8.0 (2 H, d, *J*=8.2 Hz), 7.2 (2 H, d, *J*=8.2 Hz), 5.3 (1 H, d, *J*=4.6 Hz), 4.8 (1 H, s), 4.7 (1 H, s), 3.9 (3 H, s), 2.6 (1 H, td, *J*=10.8, 5.8 Hz), 2.1 - 2.2 (2 H, m), 1.8 - 2.0 (4 H, m), 1.7 - 1.8 (1 H, m), 1.7 (3 H, s), 1.5 - 1.7 (5 H, m), 1.4 - 1.5 (5 H, m), 1.3 - 1.4 (2 H, m), 1.2 - 1.3 (2 H, m), 1.1 (3 H, s), 1.1 - 1.1 (1 H, m), 1.0 (3 H, s), 1.0 (3 H, s), 1.0 (3 H, br. s.), 1.0 (3 H, br. s.). ¹³C NMR (CHLOROFORM-*d*) δ ppm 14.2, 15.4, 16.2, 19.2, 19.5, 20.8, 21.0, 24.7, 27.4, 29.0, 29.2, 33.3, 36.0, 37.2, 39.0, 39.0, 40.3, 41.5, 41.8, 47.8, 49.0, 49.2, 51.7, 52.6, 66.8, 71.3, 110.2, 121.3, 123.7, 127.6, 128.2, 129.8, 146.0, 148.4, 148.6, 166.9.

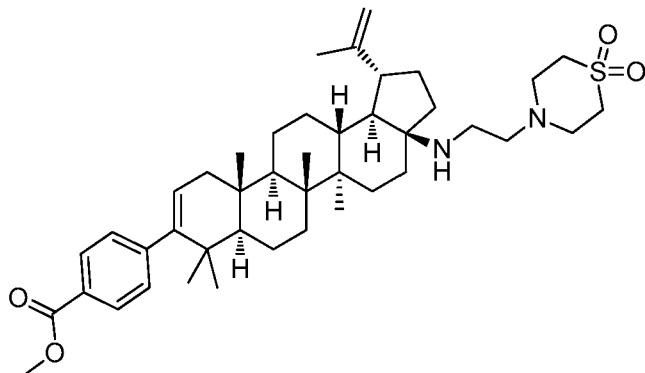
Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate. **Intermediate 3**



To a cloudy solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-isocyanato-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (5.47 g, 9.60 mmol) in THF (100 mL) was added concentrated hydrochloric acid (19.83 mL, 240 mmol). The resulting homogeneous mixture was stirred at rt for 72 h, the reaction mixture was concentrated to dryness to give methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate, HCl (4.98 g, 8.58 mmol, 89% yield) as a white solid. LCMS: m/e 544.5 ($M+H$)⁺, 3.26 min (method 3). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, 1:1 *CDCl*₃:*MeOD*, *MeOD* lock) δ ppm 7.9 (2 H, d, $J=8.5$ Hz), 7.3 (1 H, t, $J=7.8$ Hz), 7.2 (2 H, d, $J=8.5$ Hz), 7.1 (1 H, t, $J=7.3$ Hz), 5.3 (1 H, d, $J=4.6$ Hz), 4.8 (1 H, s), 4.7 (1 H, br. s.), 3.9 (2 H, s), 3.6 (2 H, dt, $J=15.6, 6.6$ Hz), 3.3 (1 H, dt, $J=3.1, 1.6$ Hz), 2.6 (1 H, td, $J=11.0, 6.1$ Hz), 2.1 (1 H, dd, $J=17.1, 6.4$ Hz), 2.0 (1 H, d, $J=13.4$ Hz), 1.9 - 2.0 (1 H, m), 1.8 - 1.9 (2 H, m), 1.7 - 1.7 (3 H, m), 1.6 - 1.7 (3 H, m), 1.5 - 1.6 (3 H, m), 1.5 - 1.5 (2 H, m), 1.4 (1 H, br. s.), 1.3 - 1.4 (1 H, m), 1.2 - 1.3 (1 H, m), 1.1 - 1.2 (2 H, m), 1.1 - 1.1 (1 H, m), 1.0 (3 H, s), 1.0 (3 H, s), 0.9 (3 H, s), 0.9 (3 H, s).

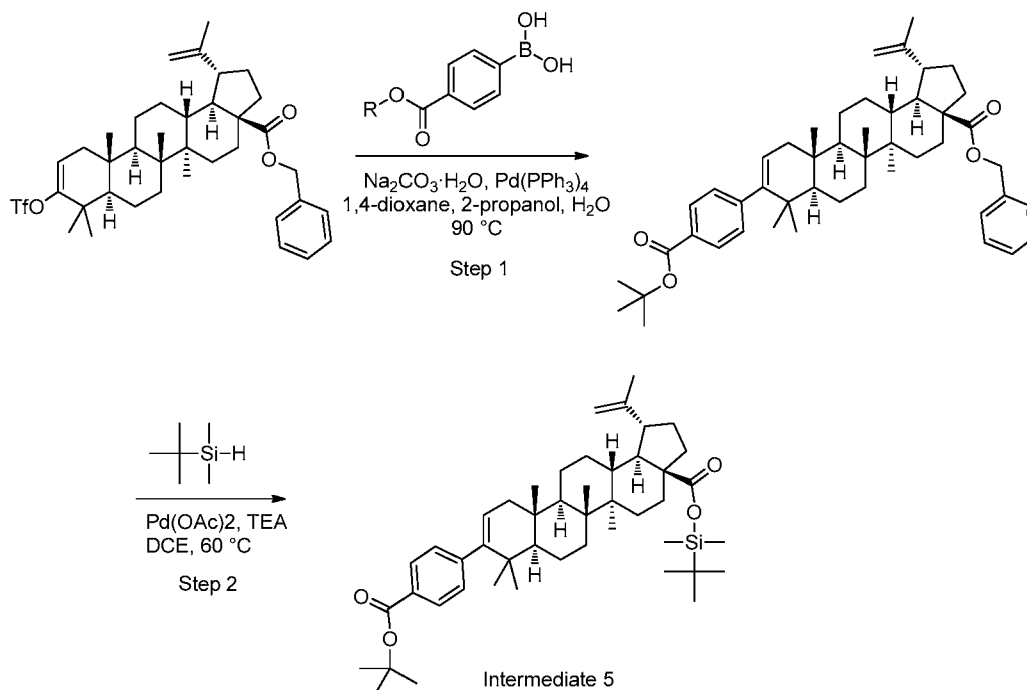
Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxido-4-thiomorpholinyl)ethyl)amino)-1-isopropenyl-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate. **Intermediate 4**



A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-1-isopropenyl-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (600 mg, 1.10 mmol), 4-(2-chloroethyl)thiomorpholine 1,1-dioxide (600 mg, 2.56 mmol) (prepared as described in WO2002045652), anhydrous potassium phosphate (3.00 g, 14.1 mmol) and potassium iodide (10 mg, 0.060 mmol) in acetonitrile (50 mL) was placed in 150 mL AceGlass resealable pressure vessel. The white suspension was blanketed with nitrogen. The vessel was sealed and warmed to 115-125°C for 48 h. The crude reaction was filtered through a short bed of silica gel and washed with ethyl acetate. The filtrate was concentrated *in vacuo* and purified by silica gel chromatography eluted with ethyl acetate and hexanes (0-50%) to afford the title compound as a colorless foam (566 mg, 73%). ¹H NMR (500MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 7.95 (d, J=8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, J=8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.31 (d, J=4.6 Hz, 1H), 4.74 (d, J=1.8 Hz, 1H), 4.62 (s, 1H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 3.22 - 2.99 (m, 9H), 2.79 - 2.55 (m, 4H), 2.52 - 2.42 (m, 1H), 2.18 - 2.09 (m, 1H), 1.99-1.02 (m, 20H), 1.72 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s., 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s., 3H). LCMS: m/e 705.51 (M+H)⁺, 3.01 min (method 4).

Intermediate 5 was prepared as shown in the following scheme:



Step 1: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate

To a suspension of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(trifluoromethylsulfonyloxy)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (17.2 g, 25.4 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (100 mL) was added 2-propanol (100 mL), water (40 mL), sodium carbonate, monohydrate (9.45 g, 76 mmol), 4-tert-butoxycarbonylphenylboronic acid (8.46 g, 38.1 mmol), and tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(0) (0.881 g, 0.762 mmol). The flask with the mixture was attached to a reflux condensor, flushed with nitrogen and heated to reflux (90 °C oil bath temp). Upon heating, the solids in the mixture dissolved, and the mixture became a crimson color. After 3.5h of heating, the mixture was cooled to rt. Upon cooling crystals formed, which were collected by filtration and washed with water. The crystals were dissolved in DCM and EtOH and were concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in DCM and passed through a plug of celite and

silica gel. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure to give the expected product, (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (13.8 g, 19.57 mmol, 77 % yield), as a light gray foam. ¹H NMR (500MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 7.87 (d, *J*=8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.40 - 7.29 (m, 5H), 7.16 (d, *J*=8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.26 (dd, *J*=6.3, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 5.16 (d, *J*=12.2 Hz, 1H), 5.09 (d, *J*=12.2 Hz, 1H), 4.73 (d, *J*=2.1 Hz, 1H), 4.60 (s, 1H), 3.03 (td, *J*=10.9, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 2.32 - 2.20 (m, 2H), 2.08 (dd, *J*=17.1, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 1.95 - 1.82 (m, 2H), 1.68 (s, 3H), 1.58 (s, 9H), 0.97 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.90 (s, 3H), 0.90 (s, 3H), 1.76 - 0.88 (m, 17H), 0.82 (s, 3H).

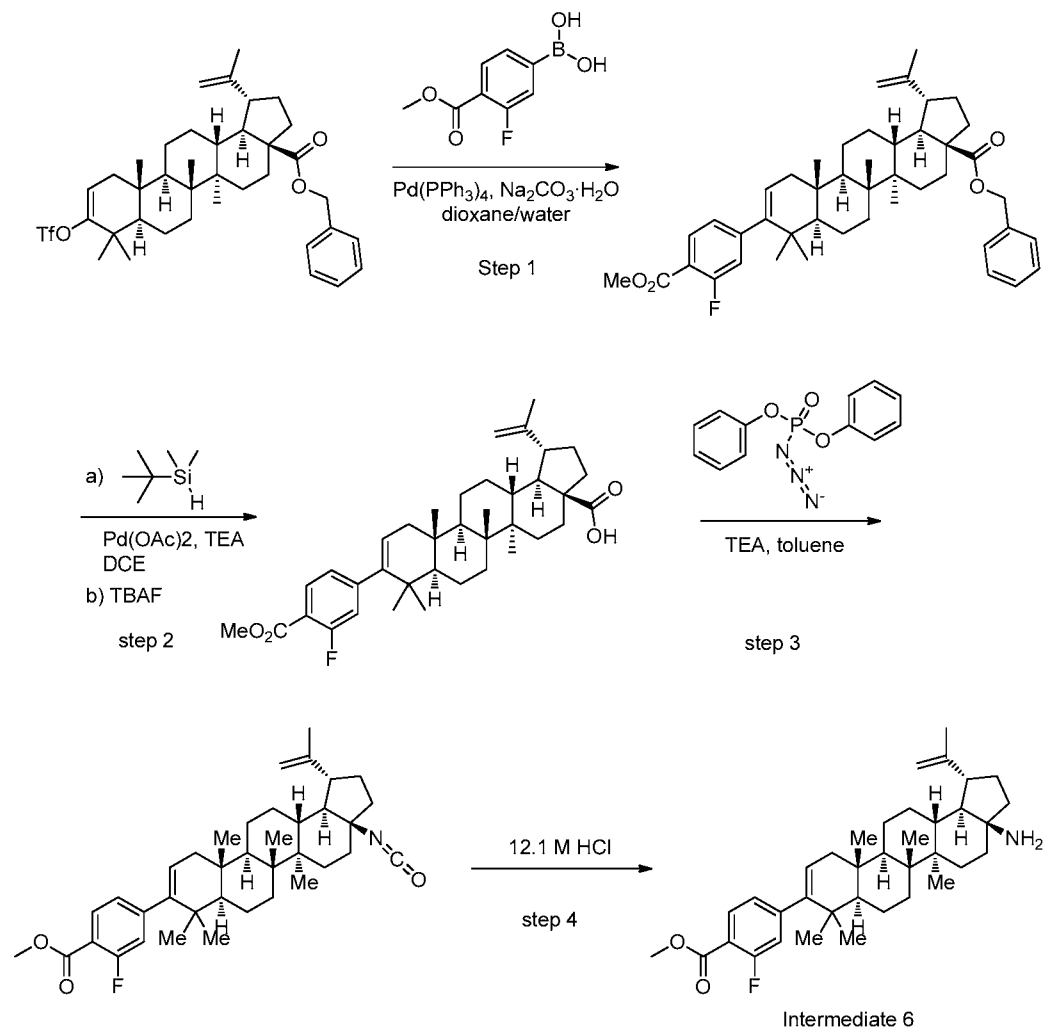
Step 2: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-tert-butyltrimethylsilyl 9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate. **Intermediate 5**

To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (13.8 g, 19.57 mmol) in DCE (200 mL) was added triethylamine (4.37 mL, 31.3 mmol), tert-butyltrimethylsilane (6.49 mL, 39.1 mmol), and palladium(II) acetate (1.099 g, 4.89 mmol). The mixture was flushed with nitrogen and was heated to 60 °C. After 3.5 h of heating, the mixture was cooled to rt and was filtered through a pad of silica gel and celite which was washed with dichloromethane followed by 25% ethyl acetate in hexanes. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The mixture was diluted with 200 mL of water and was extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 200 mL). The combined organic layers were dried with sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure to give (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-tert-butyltrimethylsilyl 9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (13.75 g, 18.86 mmol, 96 % yield) as a white foam. ¹H NMR (500MHz, Chloroform-d) δ = 7.87 (d, *J*=7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.16 (d, *J*=7.9 Hz,

2H), 5.26 (d, $J=4.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.73 (d, $J=1.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.60 (s, 1H), 3.06 (td, $J=10.9$, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 2.31 - 2.22 (m, 2H), 2.09 (dd, $J=17.2$, 6.3 Hz, 1H), 1.98 - 1.82 (m, 2H), 1.69 (s, 3H), 1.58 (s, 9H), 0.99 (s, 6H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.96 (s, 9H), 0.91 (s, 6H), 1.76 - 0.88 (m, 17H), 0.28 (s, 6H).

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Intermediate 6 was prepared as shown in the following scheme:



Step 1. Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-(3-fluoro-4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate.

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A suspension of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(trifluoromethylsulfonyloxy)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (4.0 g, 5.91 mmol), 3-fluoro-4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenylboronic acid (1.287 g, 6.50 mmol), sodium carbonate monohydrate (2.198 g, 17.73 mmol), and Pd(PPh₃)₄ (0.205 g, 0.177 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (24 mL) and water (6 mL) was flushed with N₂ and the mixture was heated to reflux.

- 5 After 2 h of heating, the mixture was cooled to rt. The mixture was diluted with water (40 mL) and was extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 40 mL). The combined organic layers were dried with Na₂SO₄. The drying agent was removed by filtration and the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in DCM and was filtered through a pad of celite and silica gel, washing with a 25% EtOAc in hexanes
- 10 solution. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure to give the title compound (3.59 g, 5.27 mmol, 89% yield) as a dark grey foam. The crude product was used in the next step with no additional purification. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*) δ ppm 7.80 (1 H, t, *J*=7.8 Hz), 7.29 - 7.42 (5 H, m), 6.96 (1 H, d, *J*=7.9 Hz), 6.91 (1 H, d, *J*=11.9 Hz), 5.28 - 5.33 (1 H, m), 5.16 (1 H, d, *J*=12.5 Hz), 5.09 (1 H, d, *J*=12.2 Hz), 4.73 (1 H,
- 15 s), 4.59 (1 H, br. s.), 3.92 (3 H, s), 3.03 (1 H, td, *J*=10.8, 4.7 Hz), 2.20 - 2.33 (2 H, m), 2.09 (1 H, dd, *J*=17.1, 6.4 Hz), 1.81 - 1.97 (2 H, m), 1.68 (3 H, s), 0.96 (3 H, s), 0.92 (3 H, s), 0.92 (3 H, s), 0.91 (3 H, s), 0.81 (3 H, s), 0.79 - 1.75 (17 H, m).

Step 2. Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-9-(3-fluoro-4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid.

To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-(3-fluoro-4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-

- 25 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (3.59 g, 5.27 mmol) in DCE (25 mL) was added TEA (1.176 mL, 8.44 mmol), *t*-butyldimethylsilane (1.749 mL, 10.54 mmol), and palladium(II) acetate (0.118 g, 0.527 mmol). The mixture was flushed with N₂ and heated to 60 °C for 1 h. The mixture was cooled to rt and was filtered through a plug of
- 30 celite and silica gel (washed with 25% EtOAc in hexanes). The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was diluted with 25 mL of dioxane and TBAF (75% in water) (2.76 g, 7.91 mmol) was added. The mixture was stirred for 30 minutes at rt then was diluted with 50 mL of 1N HCl. The solids that formed were collected by

filtration and were washed with water to give the title compound (2.95 g, 4.99 mmol, 95% yield) as a white solid. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, *CHLOROFORM-d*) δ ppm 7.83 (1 H, t, *J*=7.9 Hz), 6.90 - 7.00 (2 H, m), 5.34 (1 H, dd, *J*=6.1, 1.6 Hz), 4.77 (1 H, d, *J*=2.0 Hz), 4.64 (1 H, s), 3.94 (3 H, s), 3.04 (1 H, td, *J*=10.7, 4.8 Hz), 2.24 - 2.34 (2 H, m), 2.13 (1 H, dd, *J*=17.3, 6.3 Hz), 1.96 - 2.06 (2 H, m), 1.72 (3 H, s), 1.03 (3 H, s), 1.02 (3 H, s), 0.98 (3 H, s), 0.93 - 0.96 (6 H, m), 0.91 - 1.80 (17 H, m).

Step 3. Preparation of methyl 2-fluoro-4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-isocyanato-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.

To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-9-(3-fluoro-4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (2.95 g, 4.99 mmol) in toluene (50 mL) and TEA (1.39 mL, 9.99 mmol) was added diphenyl phosphorazidate (1.614 mL, 7.49 mmol) and the mixture was heated to reflux. After 3 h, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure, was adsorbed to silica gel, and was purified by flash chromatography using a 0-10% EtOAc in hexanes gradient to give the title compound as a white solid. The material was used in the next step with no additional purification. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, *Chloroform-d*) δ ppm 7.81 (1 H, t, *J*=7.8 Hz), 6.96 (1 H, dd, *J*=7.9, 1.5 Hz), 6.92 (1 H, dd, *J*=11.9, 1.5 Hz), 5.31 (1 H, dd, *J*=6.3, 1.7 Hz), 4.75 (1 H, s), 4.64 (1 H, s), 3.92 (3 H, s), 2.55 (1 H, td, *J*=10.8, 5.8 Hz), 2.05 - 2.16 (2 H, m), 1.76 - 1.92 (4 H, m), 1.68 (3 H, s), 1.09 - 1.11 (3 H, m), 0.97 (3 H, s), 0.96 (3 H, s), 0.94 (3 H, s), 0.92 (3 H, s), 0.88 - 1.75 (16 H, m).

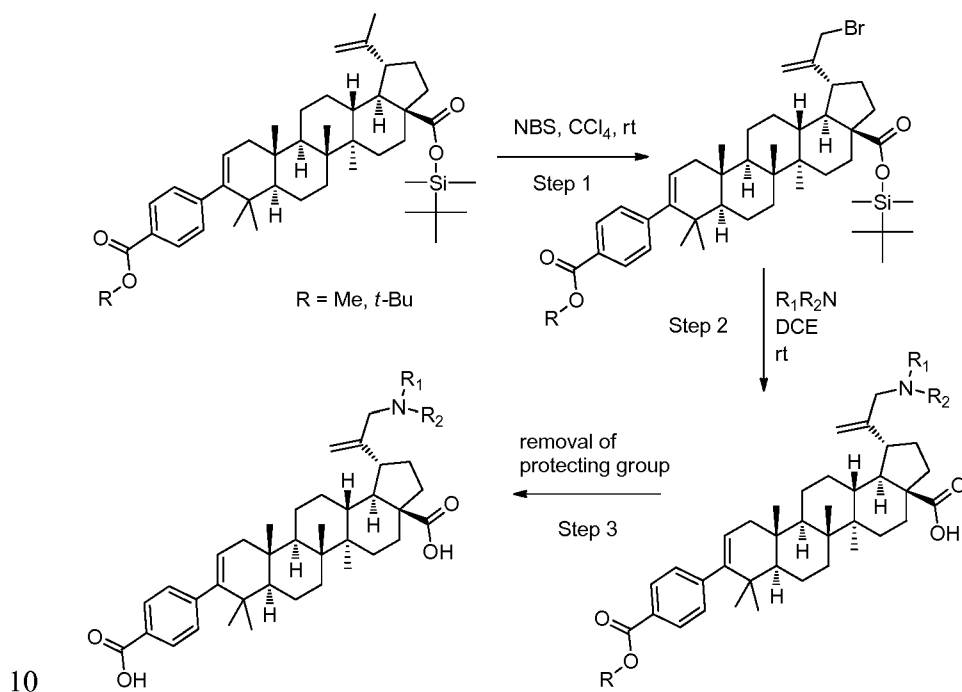
Step 4. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate dihydrochloride. **Intermediate 6.**

To a solution of crude methyl 2-fluoro-4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-isocyanato-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (2.93 g, 4.99 mmol) in THF (35 mL) was added 12N HCl (10 mL, 121 mmol). After stirring the mixture for 24 h, the mixture was diluted with water (100 mL) until solids precipitated. The solids were collected by filtration and were washed with water to afford the title compound (2.75 g, 4.33 mmol, 87% yield), as
 5 an off-white solid that was used in the next step with no additional purification. LCMS: m/e 562 (M+H)⁺, 1.96 min (method 5).

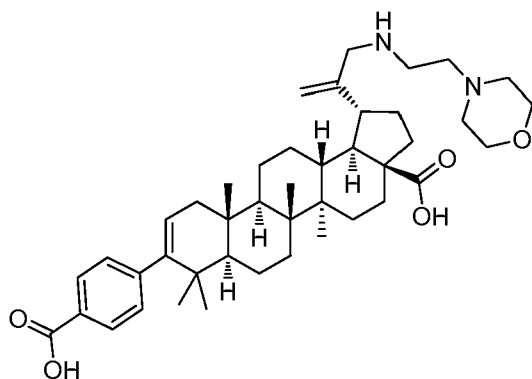
General scheme for the preparation of C-30 amines (Examples 1-6).

Example 1-6 were prepared either from intermediate 2 or 5 following the scheme below:

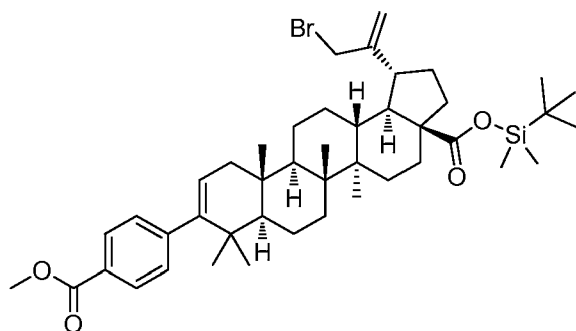


Example 1

Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid
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Step 1: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-tert-butyltrimethylsilyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate



To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-tert-butyltrimethylsilyl 9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.315 g, 0.458 mmol), in CCl_4 (5 mL) was added NBS (0.102 g, 0.573 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 16 h then was filtered through a pad of celite (washed with DCM) and the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was loaded onto a 12g silica gel column and was purified by flash chromatography using a 0-10% ethyl acetate in hexanes gradient. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-tert-butyltrimethylsilyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.205 g, 0.268 mmol, 58.4 % yield), as a white foam. LCMS: m/e 765, 767.5 ($\text{M}+\text{H}$)⁺, 4.78 min (method 1). ¹H NMR (500MHz,

chloroform-d) δ 7.91 (d, $J=8.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.18 (d, $J=8.2$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 - 5.25 (m, 1H), 5.13 (s, 1H), 5.04 (s, 1H), 4.01 - 3.96 (m, 2H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 3.09 (td, $J=11.2, 4.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.31 - 2.24 (m, 2H), 2.17 - 2.05 (m, 2H), 1.86 (dd, $J=12.4, 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 0.96 (s, 9H), 1.80 - 0.76 (m, 32H), 0.31 - 0.27 (m, 6H).

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Step 2: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid.

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To a flask containing (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-tert-butyldimethylsilyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (26 mg, 0.034 mmol) was added 2-morpholinoethylamine (0.056 mL, 0.430 mmol). The slurry formed was dissolved in DCE (1 mL) and was stirred at rt overnight. After 18.5 h of stirring the mixture at rt, it was concentrated under a stream of nitrogen and was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (17.6 mg, 0.025 mmol, 74.0 % yield) as a white foam. LCMS: m/e 701.6 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.37 min (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, *chloroform-d*) δ ppm 7.91 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 2 H), 7.17 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 2 H), 5.27 (d, $J=4.58$ Hz, 1 H), 5.06 (s, 1 H), 4.97 (s, 1 H), 3.90 (s, 3 H), 3.73 (t, $J=4.27$ Hz, 3 H), 3.40 - 3.50 (m, 2 H), 2.86 - 3.00 (m, 3 H), 2.59 - 2.72 (m, 2 H), 2.53 (br. s., 4 H), 2.24 - 2.37 (m, 2 H), 2.05 - 2.16 (m, 2 H), 1.88 - 1.96 (m, 1 H), 1.61 - 1.75 (m, 2 H), 1.03 - 1.57 (m, 16 H), 1.00 (s, 3 H), 0.97 (s, 3 H), 0.96 (s, 3 H), 0.91 (s, 6 H).

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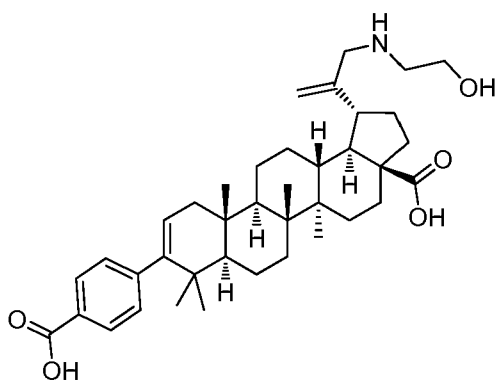
Step 3: Protecting group removal

To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-

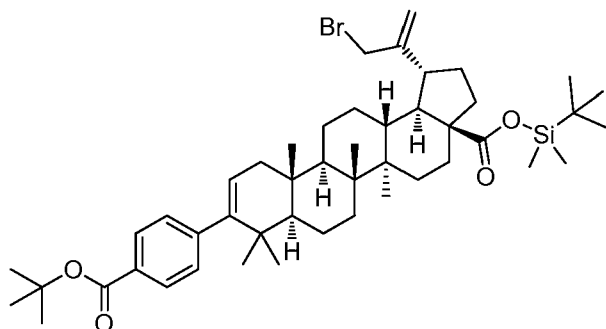
morpholinoethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (17.6 mg, 0.025 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (1 mL)
 was added 1N NaOH (0.126 mL, 0.126 mmol). The mixture was heated to 75 °C for 19.5
 5 h then was cooled to rt. To the mixture was added 5 mL of 1N HCl and the mixture was
 concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by prep HPLC (method 1)
 to give (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-
 5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 10 cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (6.4 mg, 9.32 µmol, 37.1 % yield) as an off-
 white solid. LCMS: m/e 687.5 (M+H)⁺, 1.99 min (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz,
acetic acid d₄) δ ppm 8.03 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 7.30 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 2 H), 5.38 (d, *J*=4.88
 Hz, 1 H), 5.23 (s, 1 H), 5.07 (s, 1 H), 3.96 (br. s., 4 H), 3.69 - 3.90 (m, 6 H), 3.45 (br. s., 4
 H), 2.96 - 3.07 (m, 1 H), 2.30 - 2.40 (m, 2 H), 1.10 (s, 3 H), 1.08 - 2.24 (m, 20 H), 1.07 (s,
 15 3 H), 1.06 (s, 3 H), 1.01 (s, 3 H), 1.00 (s, 3 H).

Example 2

Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-1-(3-(2-hydroxyethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid

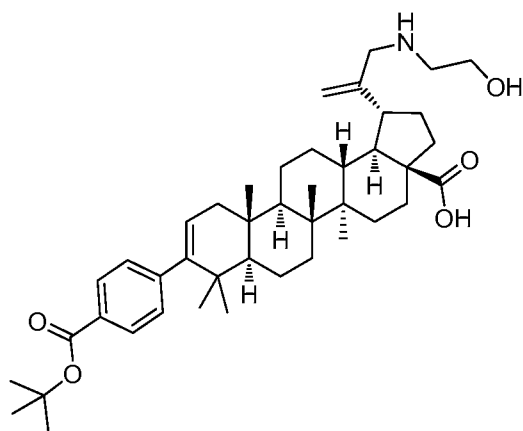


Step 1: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-tert-butyltrimethylsilyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate



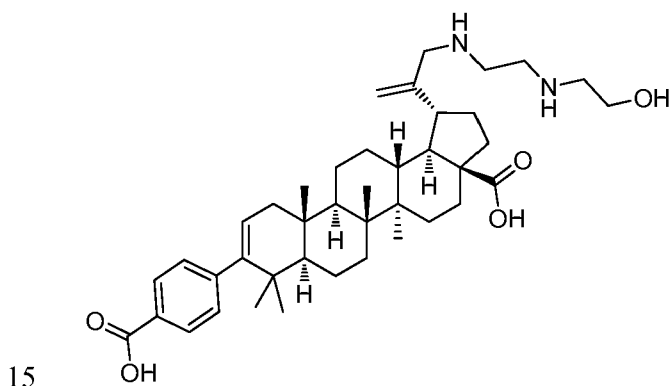
To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-tert-butyl dimethylsilyl 9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (2.0 g, 2.74 mmol) in CCl₄ (10 mL) was added NBS (0.57 g, 3.20 mmol) portionwise over 1h. The mixture was stirred at rt for 6 h. The mixture was filtered through a pad of celite (washed with DCM) and was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was loaded onto a 90g silica gel column and was purified by flash chromatography using a 0-10% ethyl acetate in hexanes gradient. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the title compound (1.29 g, 1.60 mmol, 58.4 % yield) as a white foam. LCMS: m/e 807, 809.4 (M+H)⁺, 6.31 min (method 1).

Step 2: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(2-hydroxyethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid



To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-tert-butyltrimethylsilyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.125 g, 0.155 mmol) in DCE (2 mL) was added ethanolamine (0.093 mL, 1.547 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 20.5h then was concentrated under reduced pressure and was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the title compound (56 mg, 0.083 mmol, 53.7 % yield) as a white foam. LCMS: m/e 674.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.45 min (method 1). ¹H NMR (500MHz, *chloroform-d*) δ 7.87 (d, *J*=8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.15 (d, *J*=8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.26 (d, *J*=4.9 Hz, 1H), 5.15 (s, 1H), 5.08 (s, 1H), 3.93 - 3.80 (m, 2H), 3.50 (br. s., 2H), 3.07 - 2.90 (m, 3H), 1.58 (s, 9H), 0.99 (s, 6H), 0.97 (s, 3H), 0.90 (s, 6H), 2.43 - 0.84 (m, 22H).

Step 3: Removal of protecting group

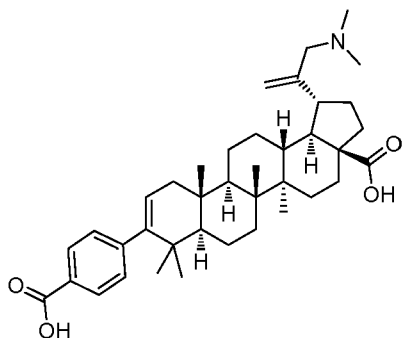


To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(2-hydroxyethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (0.025 g, 0.037 mmol) in DCM (0.5 mL) was added TFA (0.1 mL, 1.298 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 16.25 h then was concentrated under a stream of nitrogen. The residue was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-1-(3-(2-hydroxyethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

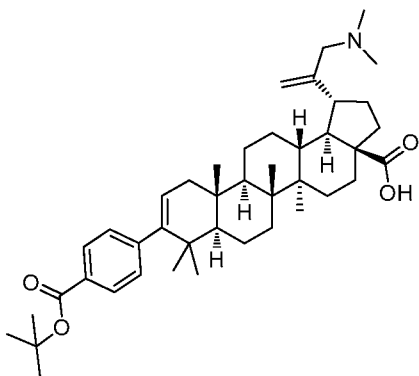
cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (8.0 mg, 0.013 mmol, 34.9 % yield) as a white solid. LCMS: m/e 618.3 (M+H)⁺, 2.00 min (method 1). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, *acetic acid-d4*) δ ppm 8.03 (d, $J=8.03$ Hz, 2 H), 7.29 (d, $J=8.03$ Hz, 2 H), 5.37 (d, $J=5.27$ Hz, 1 H), 5.25 (s, 1 H), 5.18 (s, 1 H), 4.02 (t, $J=4.77$ Hz, 2 H), 3.75 - 3.92 (m, 2 H), 3.37 - 3.44 (m, 2 H), 2.98 - 3.07 (m, 1 H), 2.29 - 2.42 (m, 2 H), 1.11 - 2.24 (m, 20 H), 1.10 (s, 3 H), 1.06 (s, 6 H), 1.00 (s, 3 H), 0.99 (s, 3 H).

Example 3

Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-1-(3-(dimethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid



Step 2: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(dimethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid

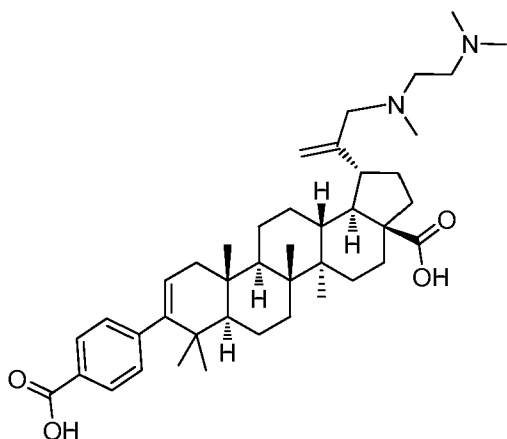


To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-tert-butyl(dimethylsilyl)-1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.125 g, 0.155 mmol) in DCE (1 mL) was added dimethylamine (2M in THF) (0.773 mL, 1.547 mmol). After 21 h of stirring the mixture at rt, it was concentrated under reduced pressure and was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(dimethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (74 mg, 0.112 mmol, 72.7 % yield) as a white foam. LCMS: m/e 658.6 (M+H)⁺, 2.75 min (method 1).

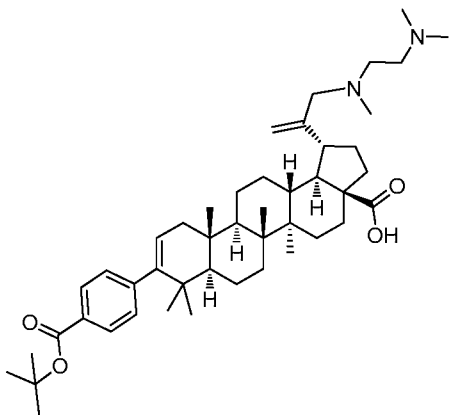
Step 3: To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(dimethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (25 mg, 0.038 mmol) in DCM (0.5 mL) was added TFA (0.1 mL, 1.298 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 16.5h then was concentrated under a stream of nitrogen. The residue was dissolved in methanol and dioxane and was purified by prep HPLC. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-1-(3-(dimethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (5.8 mg, 9.64 μmol, 25.4 % yield) as a white solid. LCMS: m/e 602.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.05 min (method 1). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, *acetic acid-d*₄) δ ppm 7.99 (d, *J*=8.28 Hz, 2 H), 7.25 (d, *J*=8.28 Hz, 2 H), 5.38 (s, 1 H), 5.33 (d, *J*=4.77 Hz, 1 H), 5.26 (s, 1 H), 3.89 (d, *J*=14.05 Hz, 1 H), 3.73 (d, *J*=14.31 Hz, 1 H), 2.93 - 3.03 (m, 1 H), 2.93 (s, 6 H), 0.99 - 2.40 (m, 22 H), 1.05 (s, 3 H), 1.03 (s, 6 H), 0.97 (s, 3 H), 0.95 (s, 3 H).

Example 4

Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-1-(3-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)(methyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid



Step 2: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)(methyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid



To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-tert-butyl dimethylsilyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.125 g, 0.155 mmol) in DCE (2 mL) was added N,N,N'-Trimethylethylenediamine (0.201 mL, 1.547 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 20h then was concentrated under reduced pressure and was

purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give

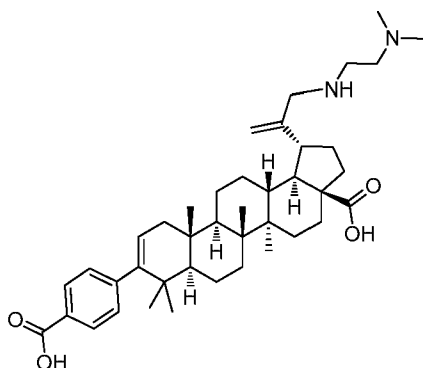
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2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (64 mg, 0.090 mmol, 57.9 % yield) as a white
foam. LCMS: m/e 713.5 (M-H)⁻, 2.76 min (method 1).

Step 3: To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-
butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)(methyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-
5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-
octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (0.025 g, 0.035 mmol) in
DCM (0.5 mL) was added TFA (0.1 mL, 1.298 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for
16.5h, then was concentrated under a stream of nitrogen. The residue was dissolved in
methanol and dioxane and was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions

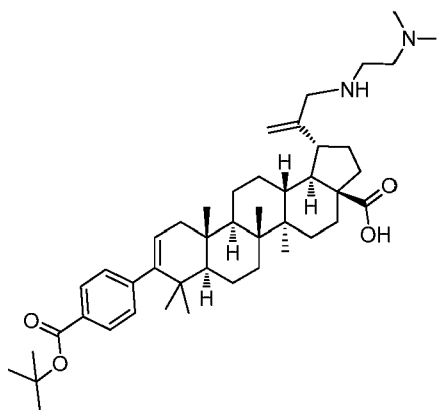
containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure
to give (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-1-(3-((2-
(dimethylamino)ethyl)(methyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (17.8 mg, 0.027 mmol, 77 % yield) as a white
solid. LCMS: m/e 657.4 (M-H)⁻, 2.16 min (method 1). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, *acetic acid-*
*d*₄) δ ppm 7.99 (d, *J*=8.28 Hz, 2 H), 7.25 (d, *J*=8.28 Hz, 2 H), 5.42 (s, 1 H), 5.31 - 5.35
(m, 1 H), 5.31 (s, 1 H), 3.83 - 4.00 (m, 2 H), 3.77 (s, 4 H), 2.88 - 3.00 (m, 10 H), 2.25 -
2.39 (m, 2 H), 0.99 - 2.24 (m, 20 H), 1.05 (s, 3 H), 1.03 (s, 6 H), 0.97 (s, 3 H), 0.95 (s, 3
H).

Example 5

**Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-1-
(3-(2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid**



Step 2: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid



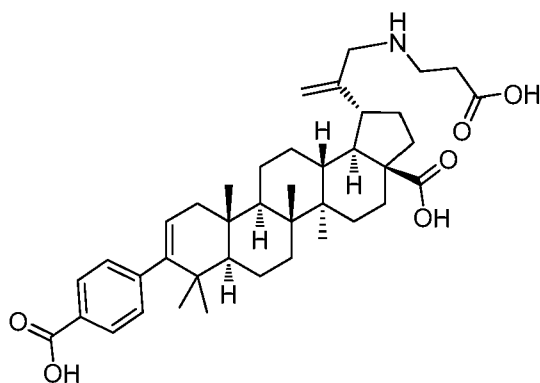
To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-tert-butyl dimethylsilyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.125 g, 0.155 mmol) in DCE (2 mL) was added N,N-dimethylethylenediamine. The mixture was stirred at rt for 21h then was concentrated under reduced pressure and was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-

octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (78 mg, 0.111 mmol, 71.9 % yield) as a white foam. LCMS: m/e 699.5 (M-H)⁻, 2.53 min (method 1).

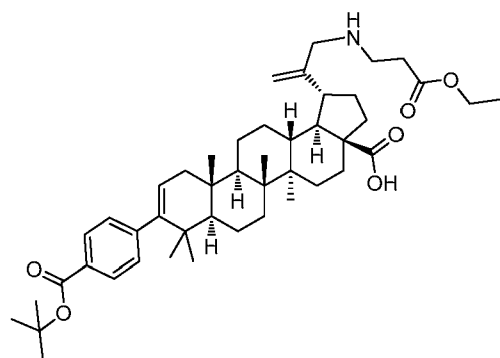
Step 3: To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (25 mg, 0.036 mmol) in DCM (0.5 mL) was added TFA (0.1 mL, 1.298 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 15.5h then was concentrated under a stream of nitrogen and the residue was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure. The product, (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-1-(3-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (4.7 mg, 7.29 μmol, 20 % yield), was isolated as a white solid. LCMS: m/e 643.4 (M-H)⁻, 2.08 min (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, *acetic acid*) δ ppm 8.03 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 7.30 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 5.38 (d, *J*=4.88 Hz, 1 H), 5.23 (s, 1 H), 5.10 (s, 1 H), 3.70 - 3.90 (m, 6 H), 2.99 (s, 6 H), 2.97 - 3.08 (m, 1 H), 2.30 - 2.40 (m, 2 H), 1.08 - 2.24 (m, 20 H), 1.10 (s, 3 H), 1.07 (s, 6 H), 1.01 (s, 3 H), 1.00 (s, 3 H).

Example 6

Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-(2-carboxyethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid



Step 2: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid



To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-tert-butyldimethylsilyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.125 g, 0.155 mmol) in DCE (2 mL) and triethylamine (0.216 mL, 1.547 mmol) was added beta-alanine, ethyl ester hydrochloride (0.238 g, 1.547 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 22 h, then was warmed to 40 °C and was stirred for an additional 6 h. The mixture was cooled to rt and was stirred for 90 h at rt then was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (73 mg, 0.100 mmol, 64.6 % yield) as an off-white solid. LCMS: m/e 728.5 (M-H)⁻, 2.57 min (method 1).

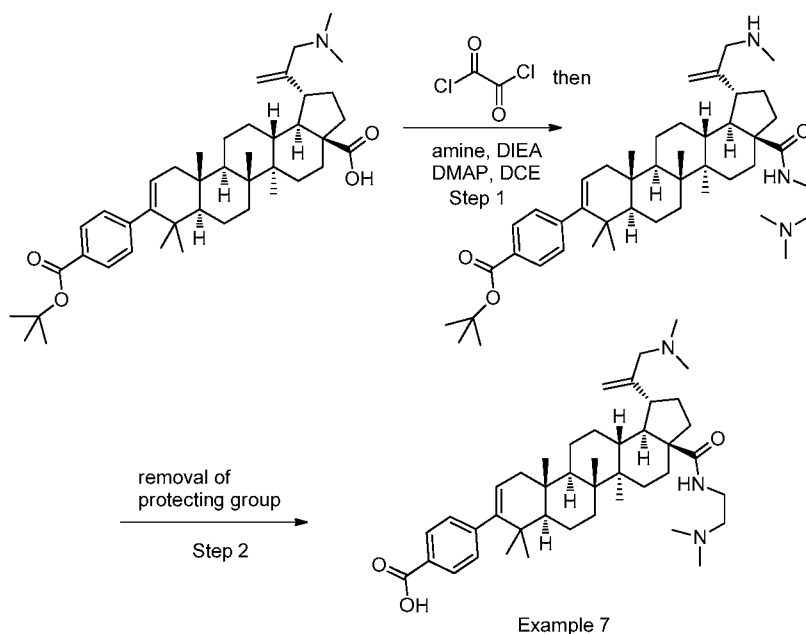
Step 3: To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-

- 5 5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (0.035 g, 0.048 mmol) in DCM (0.5 mL) was added TFA (0.1 mL, 1.298 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 21.5h then the solvent was removed under a stream of nitrogen. The crude product was dissolved in 0.5 mL of dioxane and 0.4 mL of 1N NaOH was added to the mixture. It
- 10 was warmed to 75 °C 18.25h then was cooled to rt. The mixture was diluted with 1 mL of methanol and was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-(2-carboxyethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
- 15 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (11 mg, 0.017 mmol, 35.5 % yield) as a white solid. LCMS: m/e 644.4 (M-H)⁻, 1.91 min (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, *Acetic Acid-d*₄) δ ppm 8.03 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 7.30 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 5.37 (d, *J*=5.19 Hz, 1 H), 5.25 (s, 1 H), 5.19 (s, 1 H), 3.86 - 3.91 (m, 1 H), 3.78 - 3.83 (m, 1 H), 3.50 (t, *J*=6.71 Hz, 2 H), 2.98 - 3.07 (m, 1 H), 2.94 (t, *J*=6.71 Hz, 2 H), 2.30 - 2.40 (m, 2 H), 2.12 - 2.23 (m, 2 H), 1.10 - 2.10 (m, 18 H), 1.10 (s, 3 H), 1.07 (s, 6 H), 1.01 (s, 3 H), 1.00 (s, 3 H).
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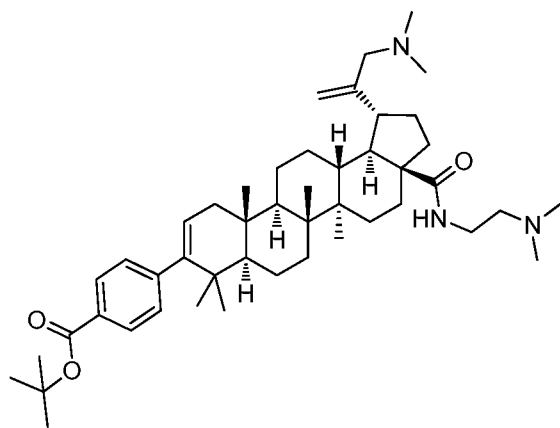
Example 7

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-

- 25 **(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-1-(3-(dimethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid**



Step 1: Preparation of tert-butyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-1-(3-(dimethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate



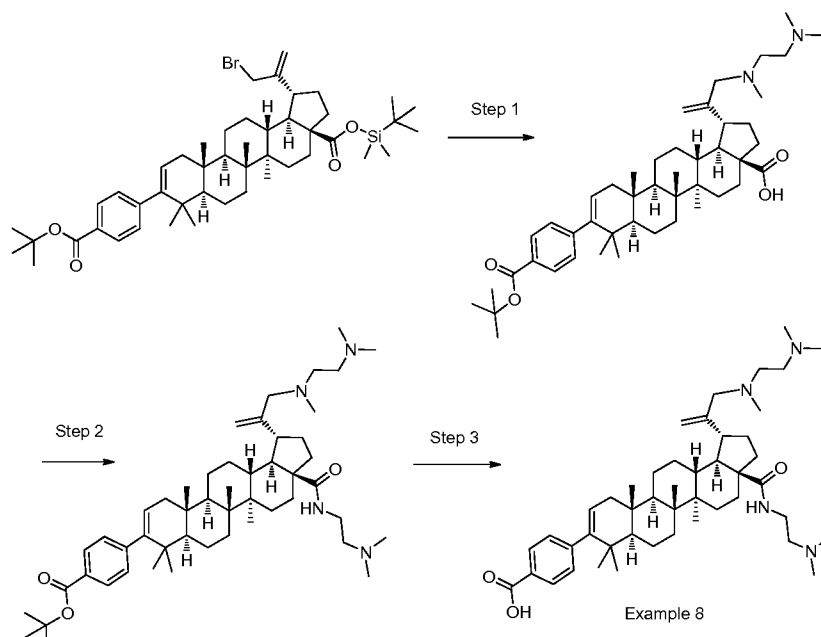
To a vial containing (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(dimethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-3a-carboxylic acid (50 mg, 0.076 mmol) was added oxalyl chloride (2M in DCM) (2 mL, 4.00 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 2h then was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in DCM and concentrated under reduced pressure two additional times. The crude product was diluted

with DCE (2 mL) and DIEA (0.066 mL, 0.380 mmol), N,N-dimethylethylenediamine (0.022 mL, 0.204 mmol), and DMAP (1 mg, 8.19 μ mol) were added. The mixture was stirred at rt for 18.5h then was concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude product was used in the next step with no purification. LCMS: m/e 726.6 (M-H)⁻, 2.87 min (method 1).

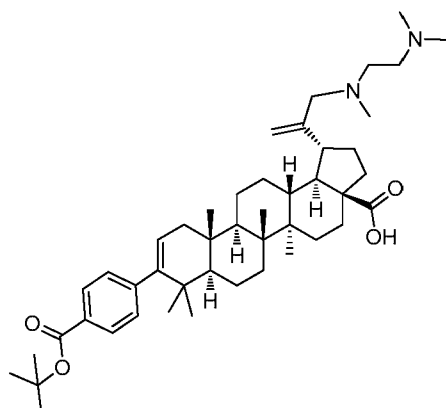
Step 2: To a solution of tert-butyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-1-(3-(dimethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (55.3 mg, 0.076 mmol) in DCM (1 mL) was added TFA (0.1 mL, 1.298 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 15h then was concentrated under a stream of nitrogen and the residue was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure. The expected product, 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-1-(3-(dimethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (24.8 mg, 0.037 mmol, 48.6 % yield), was isolated as a white solid. LCMS: m/e 672.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.10 min (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, *acetic acid-d₄*) δ ppm 8.03 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 7.29 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 5.40 (s, 1 H), 5.37 (d, *J*=5.19 Hz, 1 H), 5.29 (s, 1 H), 3.91 (d, *J*=14.34 Hz, 1 H), 3.68 - 3.80 (m, 3 H), 3.33 - 3.42 (m, 2 H), 3.09 - 3.17 (m, 1 H), 2.99 (s, 6 H), 2.96 (s, 6 H), 2.50 - 2.57 (m, 1 H), 1.08 - 2.23 (m, 21 H), 1.08 (s, 3 H), 1.07 (s, 3 H), 1.04 (s, 3 H), 1.01 (s, 3 H), 0.99 (s, 3 H).

25 Example 8

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)(methyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid



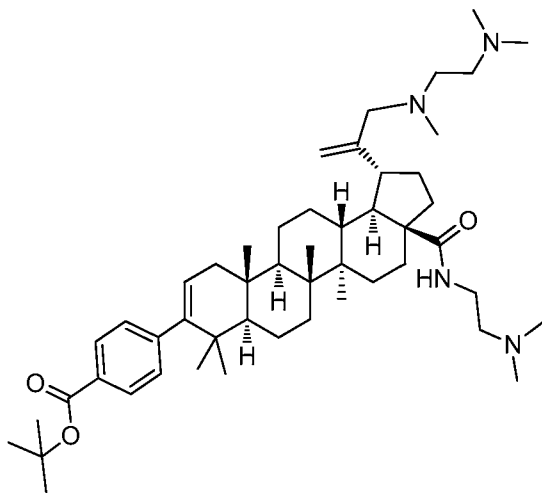
Step 1: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)(methyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid



To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-tert-butyldimethylsilyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.125 g, 0.155 mmol) in DCE (2 mL) was added N,N,N'-Trimethylethylenediamine (0.201 mL, 1.547 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 20h then was concentrated under reduced pressure and was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under

reduced pressure to give (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)(methyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (64 mg, 0.090 mmol, 57.9 % yield) as a white foam. LCMS: m/e 713.5 (M-H)⁻, 2.76 min (method 1).

Step 2: Preparation of tert-butyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)(methyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate

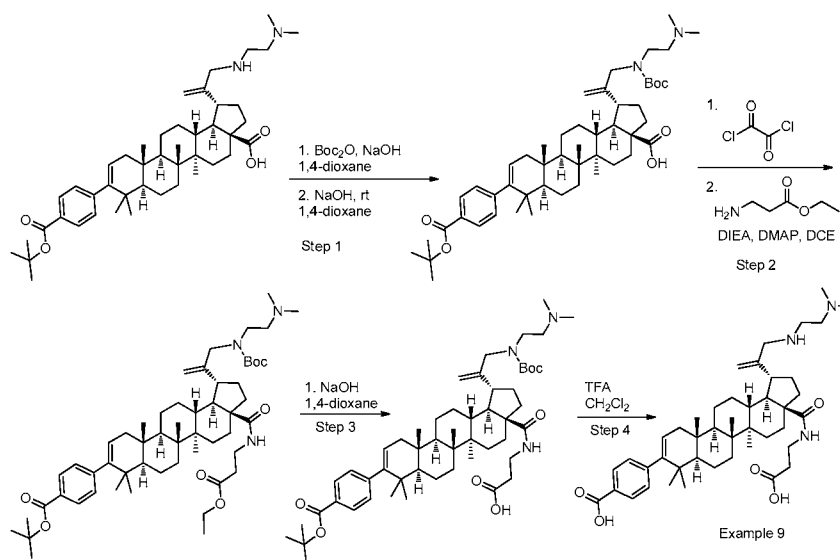


To a vial containing (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)(methyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (0.037 g, 0.052 mmol) was added oxalyl chloride (2M in DCM) (2 mL, 4.00 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 2.5 hours and was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in DCM and concentrated two additional times. The crude residue was diluted with DCE (2 mL) and DIEA (0.045 mL, 0.259 mmol). N,N-Dimethylaminoethylamine (0.011 mL, 0.103 mmol) and DMAP (1 mg, 8.19 μ mol) were added and the mixture was stirred for 18.5 h then was concentrated under reduced pressure to give the crude product which was used directly in the next step with no additional purification. LCMS: m/e 786.65 (M+H)⁺, 2.77 min (method 1).

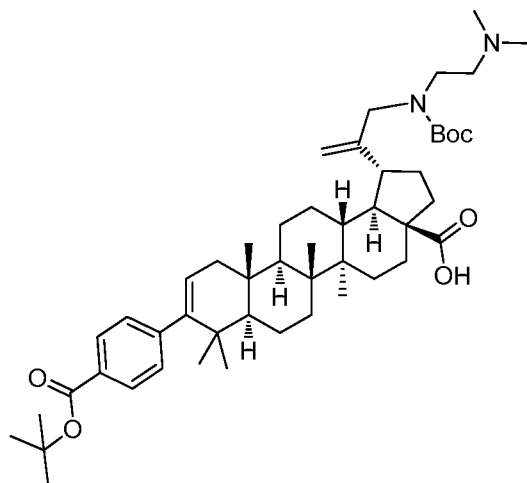
Step 3: To a solution of tert-butyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)(methyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 5 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (40.8 mg, 0.052 mmol) in DCM (1 mL) was added TFA (0.1 mL, 1.298 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 15h then was concentrated under a stream of nitrogen and the residue was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced
 10 pressure to give 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)(methyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (27 mg, 0.037 mmol, 71.2 % yield) as a white
 15 solid. LCMS: m/e 729.64 (M+H)⁺, 2.14 min (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, *acetic acid-d₄*) δ ppm 8.03 (d, J=7.93 Hz, 2 H), 7.29 (d, J=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 5.43 (s, 1 H), 5.37 (d, J=4.88 Hz, 1 H), 5.31 (s, 1 H), 4.00 (d, J=14.34 Hz, 1 H), 3.88 (d, J=14.34 Hz, 1 H), 3.82 (br. s., 4 H), 3.73 (t, J=5.65 Hz, 2 H), 3.33 - 3.42 (m, 2 H), 3.08 - 3.18 (m, 1 H), 3.01 (s, 3 H), 2.98 (s, 6 H), 2.95 (s, 6 H), 2.51 - 2.58 (m, 1 H), 2.13 - 2.23 (m, 2 H), 1.09 - 2.13 (m,
 20 19 H), 1.08 (s, 3 H), 1.07 (s, 3 H), 1.04 (s, 3 H), 1.01 (s, 3 H), 1.00 (s, 3 H).

Example 9

**Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-carboxyethylcarbamoyl)-1-(3-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-
 25 5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid**



Step 1: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-(tert-butoxycarbonyl(2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid



To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (45 mg, 0.064 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (2 mL) was added sodium hydroxide (1N) (0.25 mL, 0.250 mmol) and Boc_2O (0.030 mL, 0.128 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 17.5 h then was diluted with

water (4 mL) and extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 5 mL). The combined organic layers were dried with sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in 1,4-dioxane (1 mL) and was treated with 1N sodium hydroxide (0.2 mL, 0.2 mmol). The mixture was stirred for 97 h then was diluted with

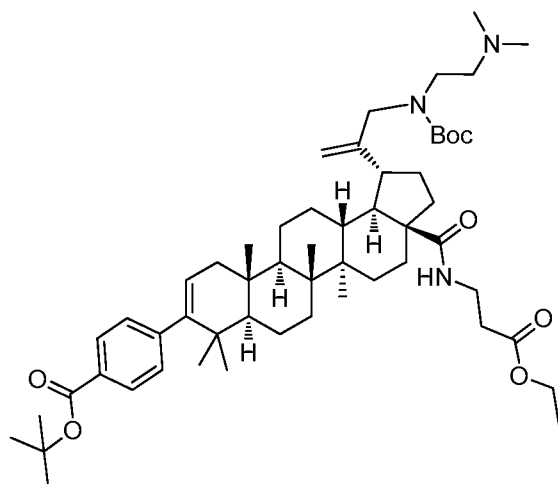
5 methanol and purified by prep HPLC. The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give

(1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-(tert-butoxycarbonyl(2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-

10 octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid as a white solid. LCMS: m/e 799.6 (M-H)⁻, 2.76 min (method 1).

Step 2: Preparation of tert-butyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-(tert-butoxycarbonyl(2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-3a-(3-

15 **ethoxy-3-oxopropylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate**

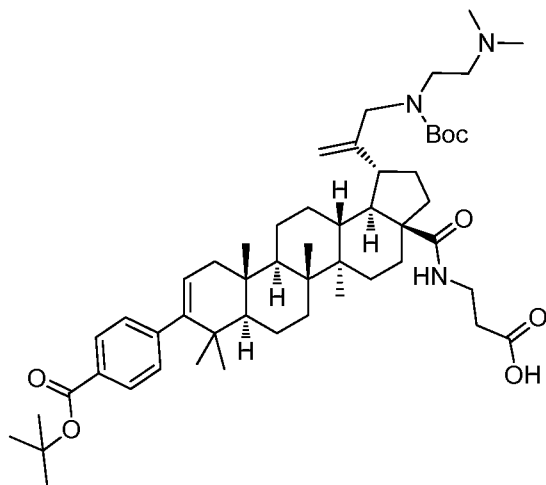


To a flask containing (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-(tert-butoxycarbonyl(2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-

20 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (26 mg, 0.024 mmol) was added oxalyl chloride (2M in DCM) (1 mL, 2.000 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for two hours

then was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in DCM and was concentrated two additional times. The crude product was dissolved in DCE (1 mL) and DIEA (0.021 mL, 0.122 mmol), beta-Alanine, ethyl ester hydrochloride (7.48 mg, 0.049 mmol), and DMAP (0.5 mg, 4.09 μ mol) were added. The mixture was stirred at rt
 5 for 2.5h then the reaction was quenched with water (5 mL) and extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 5 mL). The combined organic layers were dried with sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the crude product which was used in the next step with no additional purification. LCMS: m/e 898.7 (M-H)⁻, 2.75 min (method 1).

10 **Step 3: Preparation of 3-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-(tert-butoxycarbonyl(2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-**
 15 **cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxamido)propanoic acid**



To a solution of tert-butyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-(tert-butoxycarbonyl(2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-3a-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 20 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.022 g, 0.024 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (1 mL) was added NaOH (1N) (0.120 mL, 0.120 mmol). The mixture was heated to 75°C for 87 h, then was cooled to rt and concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude product was

used in the next step with no additional purification. LCMS: m/e 870.6 (M-H)⁻, 2.46 min (method 1).

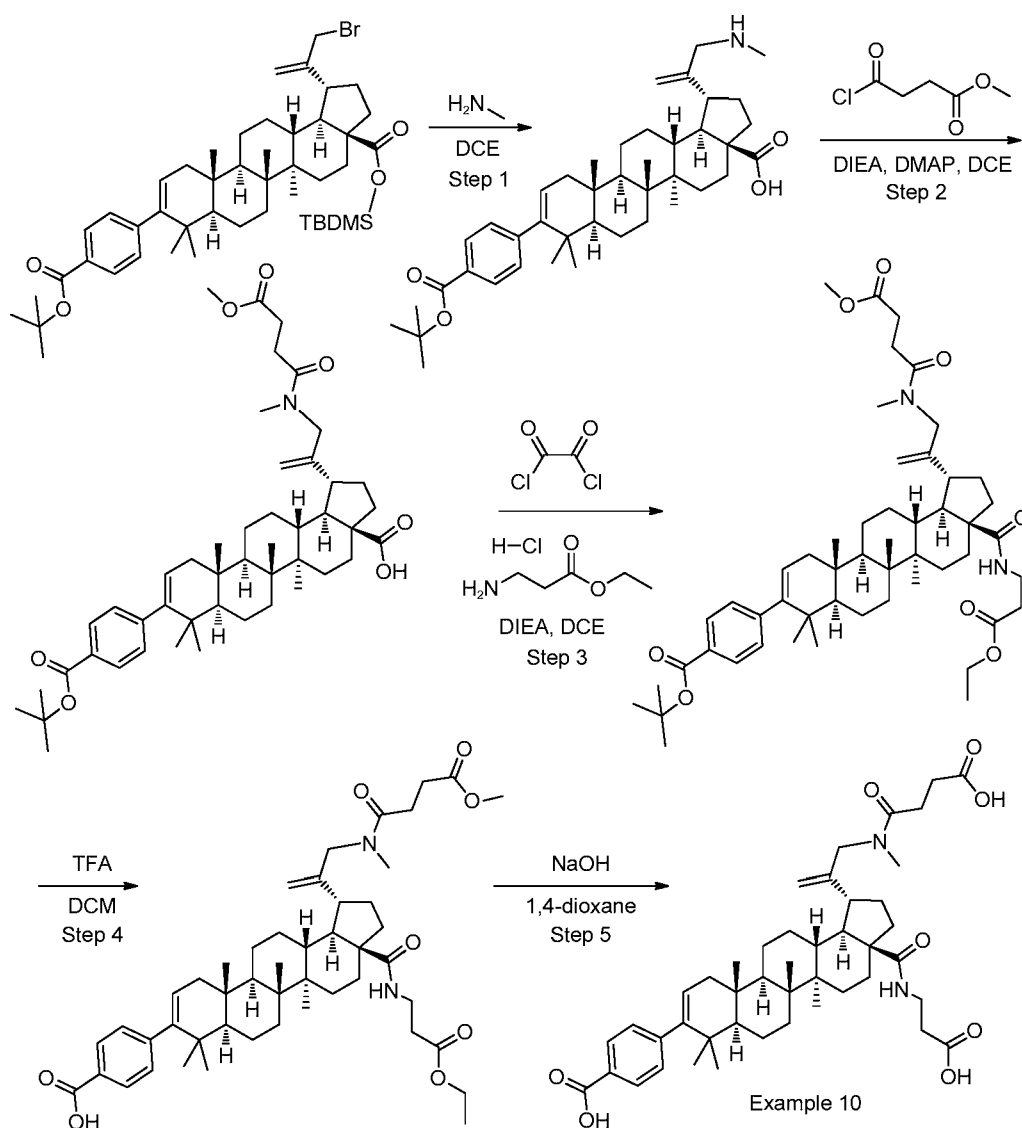
Step 4: BOC deprotection: To a solution of 3-

- 5 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-(tert-butoxycarbonyl(2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)amino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxamido)propanoic acid (20.93 mg, 0.024 mmol) in dichloromethane (2 mL) was added TFA (0.25 mL, 3.24 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 16.5h then was concentrated under a stream of nitrogen. The residue was dissolved in dioxane and methanol and was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue which contained impurities was repurified by prep HPLC (method 9). The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-carboxyethylcarbamoyl)-1-(3-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (6.2 mg, 8.66 μmol, 13.5 % yield over 4 steps) as a white solid. LCMS: m/e 714.5 (M-H)⁻, 1.93 min (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, acetic acid d₄) δ ppm 8.03 (d, J=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 7.30 (d, J=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 5.37 (d, J=4.88 Hz, 1 H), 5.21 (s, 1 H), 5.05 (s, 1 H), 3.69 - 3.90 (m, 6 H), 3.45 - 3.67 (m, 2 H), 3.19 (t, J=12.51 Hz, 1 H), 2.99 (s, 6 H), 2.68 (t, J=6.41 Hz, 2 H), 2.51 - 2.63 (m, 1 H), 1.08 - 2.25 (m, 21 H), 1.08 (s, 3 H), 1.07 (s, 3 H), 1.06 (s, 3 H), 1.01 (s, 3 H), 0.99 (s, 3 H).

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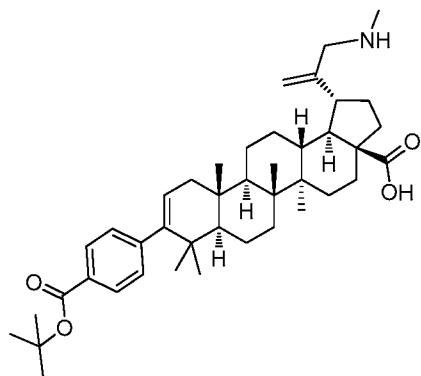
Example 10

- Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-(3-carboxy-N-methylpropanamido)prop-1-en-2-yl)-3a-(2-carboxyethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.**
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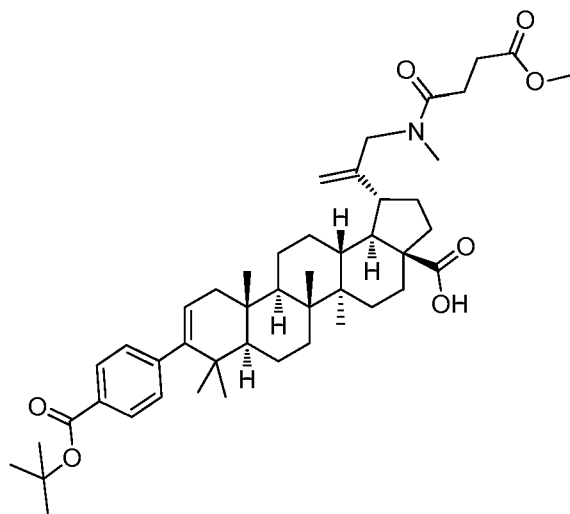
Step 1: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(methylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

5 cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid



To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-tert-butyldimethylsilyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.125 g, 0.155 mmol) in DCE (1 mL) was added methylamine (2M in THF) (0.773 mL, 1.547 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 20h then an additional 0.8 mL of the methylamine (2M in THF) was added and the mixture was stirred at rt for 1h, then was warmed to 40 °C and was stirred for an additional 8h. The mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and the product was crystallized from a solution of methanol, 1,4-dioxane, and water to give the crude product as an off-white solid (85 mg, 0.132 mmol, 85% yield). LC/MS: m/e 644.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.44 minutes (method 1).

Step 2: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(4-methoxy-N-methyl-4-oxobutanamido)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid

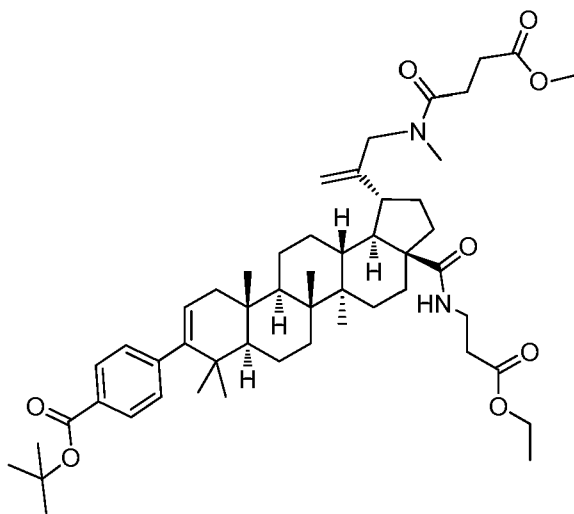


To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(methylamino)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (0.04 g, 0.062 mmol) in DCE (2 mL) was added DIEA (0.054 mL, 0.311 mmol), methyl 4-chloro-4-oxobutylate (0.038 mL, 0.311 mmol), and DMAP (1 mg, 8.19 μ mol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 3h then was diluted with 2 mL of water and 6 mL of 1N HCl, and was extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 7 mL). The combined organic layers were dried with sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash chromatography using a 0-100% ethyl acetate in hexanes gradient with 0.1% acetic acid added to the mixture. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the expected product as a white solid (0.047g, 0.062 mmol, 50% yield). LC/MS: m/e 758.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.57 minutes (method 1).

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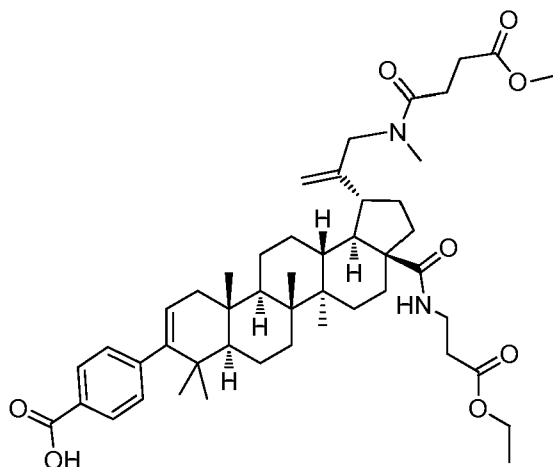
Step 3: Preparation of tert-butyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylcarbamoyl)-1-(3-(4-methoxy-N-methyl-4-oxobutanamido)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate

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To a vial containing (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(4-methoxy-N-methyl-4-oxobutanamido)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (0.047 g, 0.062 mmol) was added oxalyl chloride (2M in dichloromethane) (1 mL, 2.0 mmol). The solution was stirred at rt for 2h, then was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in dichloromethane and concentrated two additional times, then was dried under house vacuum for 1h. The residue was dissolved in DCE (1 mL) and Hunig's Base (0.032 mL, 0.186 mmol) was added followed by beta-Alanine, ethyl ester hydrochloride (0.014 g, 0.093 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 17h then was concentrated under a stream of nitrogen and was purified by flash chromatography using a 0-50% ethyl acetate in hexanes gradient and a 12g silica gel column. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure. The expected product was isolated as a white solid (15 mg, 0.017 mmol, 28 % yield). LC/MS: m/e 857.5 (M+H)⁺, 2.57 minutes (method 1).

Step 4: Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylcarbamoyl)-1-(3-(4-methoxy-N-methyl-4-oxobutanamido)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



To a solution of tert-butyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylcarbamoyl)-1-(3-(4-methoxy-N-methyl-4-oxobutanamido)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.015 g, 0.017 mmol) in dichloromethane (1 mL) was added TFA (0.05 mL, 0.649 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 23h then was concentrated under reduced pressure and was used in the next step with no additional purification. LC/MS: m/e 801.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.11 minutes (method 1).

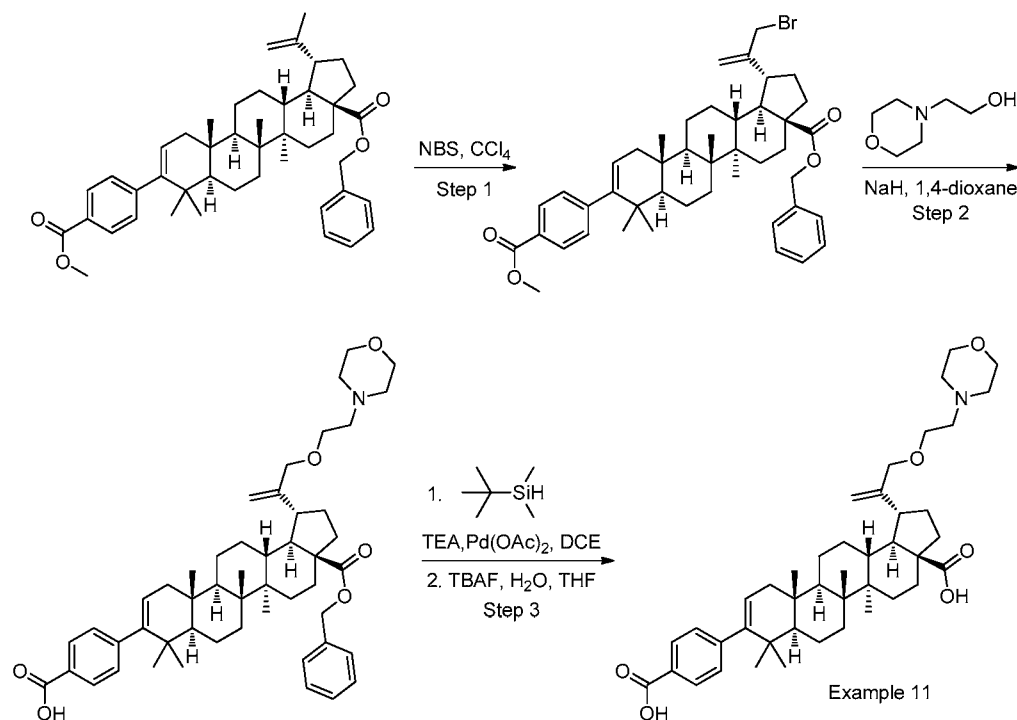
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Step 5: To a solution of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylcarbamoyl)-1-(3-(4-methoxy-N-methyl-4-oxobutanamido)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (0.017 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (1 mL) was added sodium hydroxide (1N) (0.1 mL, 0.100 mmol). The mixture was heated to 75 °C for 72h then was purified by prep HPLC. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in acetic acid and concentrated under reduced pressure to give 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(3-(3-carboxy-N-methylpropanamido)prop-1-en-2-yl)-3a-(2-carboxyethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (3.0 mg, 0.0037 mmol, 22% yield) as a clear, colorless film. LC/MS: m/e 759.4 (M+H)⁺, 1.74 minutes (method 1).

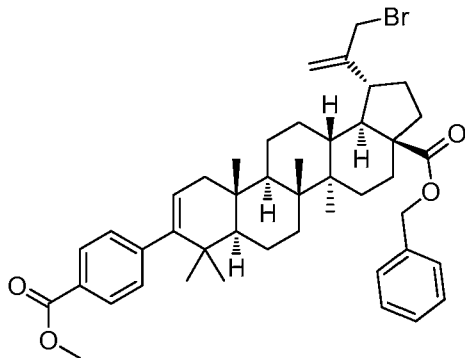
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Example 11

Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid

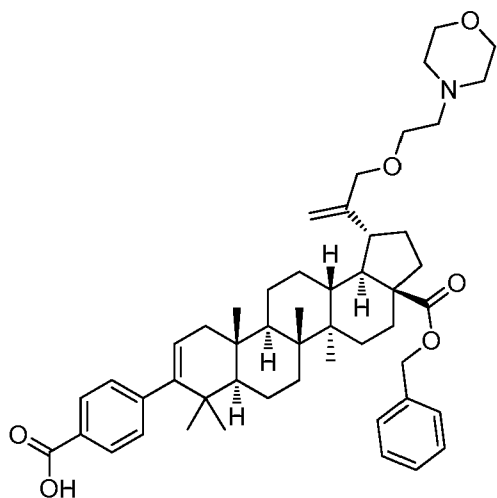


Step 1: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-benzyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate



To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (3.25 g, 4.90 mmol) in carbon tetrachloride (25 mL) was added N-bromosuccinimide (1.00 g, 5.62 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 1h, and an additional 0.25g of N-bromosuccinimide was added. After stirring the mixture for 18h at rt, it was filtered through a pad of celite (washed with DCM) and the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash chromatography using a 160 silica gel column and a 0-10% ethyl acetate in hexanes gradient. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give 1.44g of the expected product as a white solid. Several less pure fractions were combined, concentrated, and repurified by flash chromatography (0-5% ethyl acetate in hexanes, 90g silica gel column). The isolates were combined to give the product (2.1 g, 2.83 mmol, 57.7 % yield) as a white solid. LC/MS: m/e 741, 743.2 (M+H)⁺, 4.13 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 7.93 (d, J=8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.44 - 7.31 (m, 5H), 7.20 (d, J=8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.29 (dd, J=6.1, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.23 - 5.08 (m, 3H), 5.05 (s, 1H), 4.03 - 3.97 (m, 2H), 3.92 (s, 3H), 3.10 (d, J=4.3 Hz, 1H), 2.34 (dt, J=12.6, 3.0 Hz, 1H), 2.27 - 2.19 (m, 1H), 2.15 - 2.05 (m, 2H), 1.92 (dd, J=12.7, 7.8 Hz, 1H), 1.79 (t, J=11.3 Hz, 1H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.93 (s, 3H), 0.92 (s, 3H), 1.75 - 0.90 (m, 16H), 0.82 (s, 3H).

Step 2: Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid



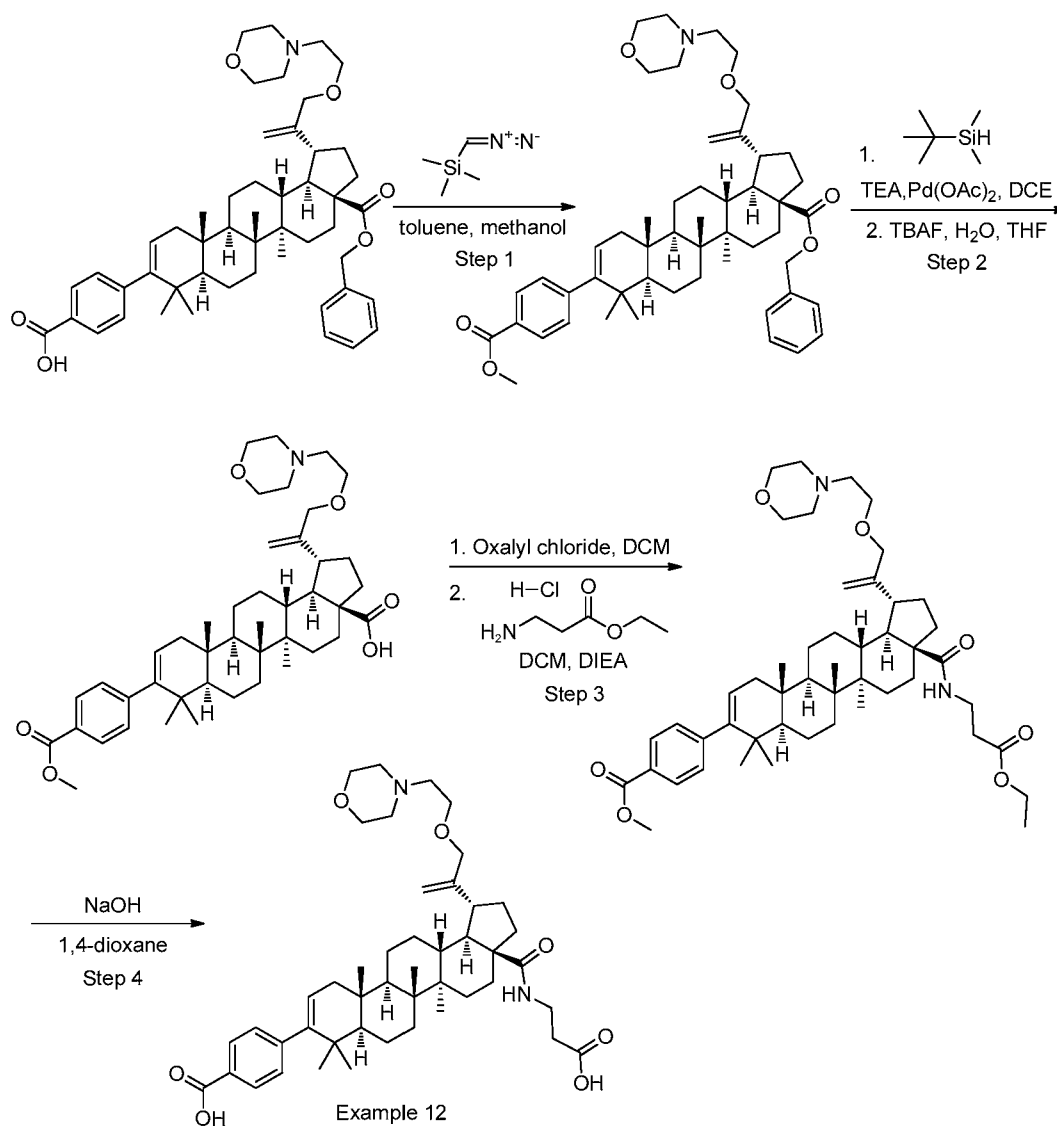
To a suspension of NaH (60% mineral oil dispersion) (0.135 g, 3.37 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (3 mL) was added 4-(2-hydroxyethyl)morpholine (0.204 mL, 1.685 mmol) and (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-benzyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-
 5 (methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.25 g, 0.337 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt then was heated to 50 °C for 20h. The reaction was cooled to rt and quenched with water (10 mL) then was extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 20 mL). The combined
 10 organic layers were dried with sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash chromatography using a 0-10% MeOH in dichloromethane gradient and a 12g silica gel column. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the title compound (0.133 g, 0.171 mmol, 50.7 % yield) as a white foam. LC/MS: m/e 778.4
 15 (M+H)⁺, 2.44 minutes (method 1).

Step 3: To a solution of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 20 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (0.078 g, 0.00 μmol) in DCE (2 mL) was added triethylamine (0.022 mL, 0.160 mmol), tert-butyldimethylsilane (0.033 mL, 0.200 mmol), and palladium (II) acetate (0.011 g, 0.050 mmol). The mixture was flushed with nitrogen and was heated to 60 °C for 5.5h, then was cooled to rt and stirred overnight. The mixture was filtered through a pad of celite to remove the solids (washed with

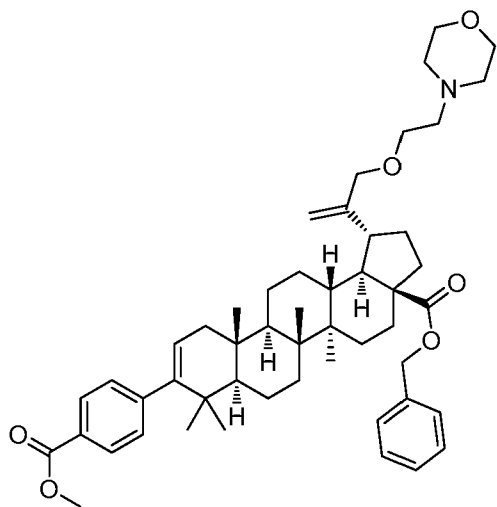
dichloromethane) and the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in THF (2 mL) and was treated with tetrabutylammonium fluoride hydrate (0.042 g, 0.150 mmol). After 1.25h, the mixture was diluted with water (5 mL) and extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 7 mL). The combined organic layers were dried with sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by crystallization from hot dioxane and water. The solids that formed upon cooling were collected by filtration and were washed with water. The solids that were collected were recrystallized from hot ethanol, dioxane, and water was added slowly. The solids that formed were collected by filtration and were washed with ethanol to give the product (10 mg, 0.0145 mmol, 14.5% yield) as an off-white solid. LC/MS: m/e 688.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.18 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500MHz, acetic acid d₄) δ ppm 8.03 (d, J=8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d, J=8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.37 (d, J=4.3 Hz, 1H), 5.03 (br. s., 1H), 5.02 (br. s., 1H), 4.11 - 3.99 (m, 6H), 3.95 - 3.90 (m, 2H), 3.49 - 3.45 (m, 2H), 3.00 - 2.92 (m, 1H), 2.39 - 2.30 (m, 2H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 6H), 2.23 - 1.05 (m, 24H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H).

Example 12

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-carboxyethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid

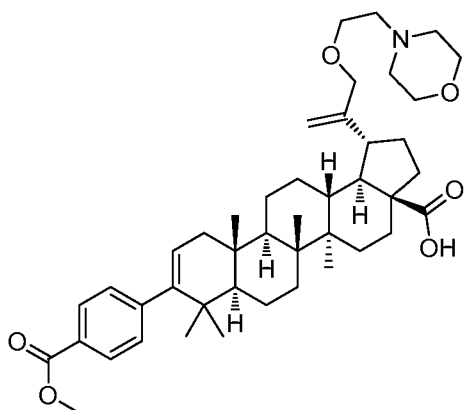


Step 1: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-benzyl 9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate



- A cloudy solution of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(benzyloxycarbonyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (0.38 g, 0.488 mmol) in toluene (3 mL) and methanol (0.75 mL) was cooled to 0 °C and TMS-diazomethane (2M in hexanes) (0.317 mL, 0.635 mmol) was added dropwise. The solution bubbled vigorously for five minutes, then bubbling ceased. The mixture was warmed to rt and stirred. After 4h of stirring, an additional 0.1 mL of 2N TMS-diazomethane solution was added and the mixture was stirred at rt for 1h. The mixture was diluted with 20 mL of ethyl acetate and was washed with sat. sodium bicarbonate followed by sat. sodium chloride. The organic layer was dried with sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash chromatography using a 0-5% MeOH in dichloromethane gradient and a 25g silica gel column. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (0.295 g, 0.350 mmol, 71.7 % yield) as a white foam. LC/MS: m/e 792.4 (M+H)⁺, 3.51 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 7.92 (d, J=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 7.29 - 7.39 (m, 5 H), 7.18 (d, J=7.93 Hz, 2 H), 5.27 (d, J=5.19 Hz, 1 H), 5.06 - 5.18 (m, 2 H), 4.93 (s, 1 H), 4.91 (s, 1 H), 3.94 (s, 2 H), 3.90 (s, 3 H), 3.72 (t, J=4.58 Hz, 4 H), 3.57 (t, J=5.80 Hz, 2 H), 2.87 - 2.95 (m, 1 H), 2.60 (t, J=5.80 Hz, 2 H), 2.52 (br. s., 4 H), 2.27 - 2.33 (m, 1 H), 2.20 (td, J=12.28, 3.20 Hz, 1 H), 2.08 (dd, J=17.09, 6.10 Hz, 1 H), 1.85 - 2.00 (m, 2 H), 1.73 (t, J=11.29 Hz, 1 H), 1.64 (d, J=16.79 Hz, 1 H), 0.98 - 1.53 (m, 15 H), 0.97 (s, 3 H), 0.94 (s, 3 H), 0.91 (s, 3 H), 0.90 (s, 3 H), 0.80 (s, 3 H).

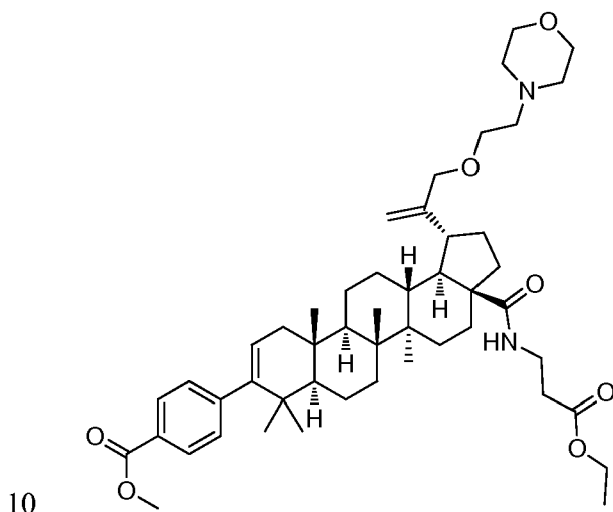
Step 2: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid



To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-benzyl 9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.288 g, 0.364 mmol) in DCE (3.5 mL) was added TEA (0.081 mL, 0.582 mmol), tert-butyldimethylsilane (0.121 mL, 0.727 mmol), and palladium acetate (0.020 g, 0.091 mmol). The mixture was flushed with N₂, and was heated to 60 °C. After 2.5h the mixture was cooled to rt and filtered through a pad of celite to remove the solids then was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was diluted with 5 mL of THF and to the cloudy solution was added tetrabutylammonium fluoride hydrate (0.152 g, 0.545 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 2h, diluted with water (15 mL), and extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 15 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash chromatography using a 0-5% methanol in dichloromethane gradient and a 25g silica gel column. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (0.188 g, 0.268 mmol, 73.7 % yield) as a white solid. LC/MS: m/e 702.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.66 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*) δ ppm 7.90 (d, J=8.24 Hz, 2 H) 7.16 (d, J=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 5.26 (d, J=4.88 Hz, 1 H), 4.92 (d, J=1.83 Hz, 2 H), 3.93 (s, 2 H), 3.88 (s, 3 H), 3.74 (t, J=4.43 Hz, 4 H), 3.62 (t, J=5.49 Hz, 2 H),

2.89 (td, $J=10.83$, 4.27 Hz, 1 H), 2.58 - 2.74 (m, 6 H), 2.21 - 2.32 (m, 2 H), 1.99 - 2.13 (m, 2 H), 1.91 (dd, $J=12.05$, 8.09 Hz, 1 H), 1.72 (t, $J=11.29$ Hz, 1 H), 1.65 (d, $J=16.79$ Hz, 1 H), 1.01 - 1.56 (m, 15 H), 0.99 (s, 3 H), 0.98 (s, 3 H), 0.95 (s, 3 H), 0.90 (s, 6 H).

- 5 **Step 3: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate**



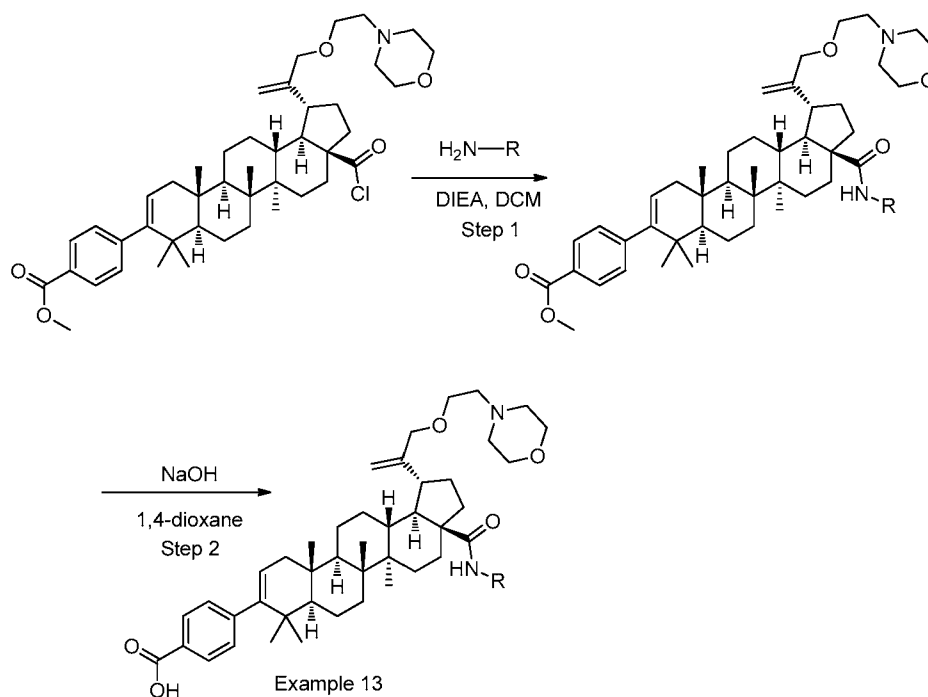
- To a flask containing (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (0.188 g, 0.268 mmol) was added oxalyl chloride (2M in DCM) (3 mL, 6.00 mmol). The solution (which bubbled for several minutes upon addition of oxalyl chloride) was stirred at rt for 2h, then was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in DCM and was concentrated two additional times to remove any remaining oxalyl chloride. The crude acid chloride product was used in the next step with no additional purification.
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- To a suspension of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(chlorocarbonyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (32.2 mg, 0.0447 mmol) in DCE (1 mL) was added beta-alanine, ethyl ester hydrochloride (10.30 mg, 0.067 mmol) and
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diisopropylethylamine (0.023 mL, 0.134 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 5h then was purified directly by flash chromatography using a 0-5% MeOH in DCM gradient with 0.1% ammonium acetate added to the mixture. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (32 mg, 0.040 mmol, 89 % yield) as a white foam. LC/MS: m/e 801.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.66 minutes (method 1).

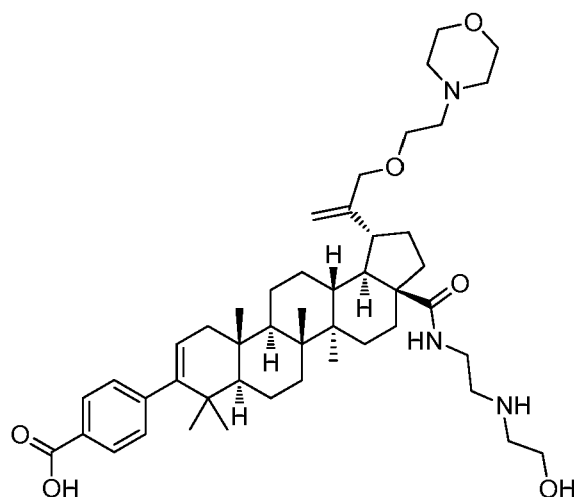
Step 4: To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.032 g, 0.040 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (1 mL) was added NaOH (1N) (0.199 mL, 0.199 mmol). The mixture was heated to 75 °C for 15h then was cooled to rt and purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (18 mg, 0.024 mmol, 59.6 % yield) as a white solid. LC/MS: m/e 759.4 (M+H)⁺, 1.99 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 7.94 (d, J=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 7.16 (d, J=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 6.83 (t, J=5.49 Hz, 1 H), 5.17 (d, J=4.58 Hz, 1 H), 4.90 (s, 1 H), 4.93 (s, 1 H), 3.91 - 4.00 (m, 2 H), 3.90 (t, J=4.58 Hz, 4 H), 3.78 - 3.85 (m, 1 H), 3.56 - 3.72 (m, 3 H), 3.00 - 3.13 (m, 6 H), 2.75 - 2.82 (m, 1 H), 2.49 - 2.63 (m, 2 H), 2.38 - 2.44 (m, 1 H), 2.10 - 2.20 (m, 2 H), 1.81 - 2.00 (m, 3 H), 1.03 (s, 3 H), 1.01 - 1.67 (m, 16 H), 0.99 (s, 3 H), 0.91 (s, 3 H), 0.89 (s, 6 H).

Examples 13-17

General scheme for the preparation of C-28 amides with the C-30 ethyl morpholino ether.

**Example 13**

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(2-hydroxyethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid



Step 1: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(2-hydroxyethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-

morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate

To a suspension of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(chlorocarbonyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (32.2 mg, 0.0447 mmol) (synthesis described above in the preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate) in DCE (1 mL) was added 2-(2-Aminoethylamino)ethanol (16 μ L, 0.158 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt overnight. After 16h of stirring, to the mixture was added diisopropylethylamine (0.023 mL, 0.134 mmol). The mixture was stirred for 1h at rt then was directly purified by flash chromatography using a 0-10% methanol in dichloromethane gradient with 0.1% ammonium hydroxide added to the mixture. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (19 mg, 0.024 mmol, 53.9 % yield) as a white foam. LC/MS: m/e 788.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.52 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, *CHLOROFORM-d*) δ ppm 7.91 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 7.18 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 6.57 (br. s., 1 H), 5.27 (d, *J*=4.58 Hz, 1 H), 4.92 (s, 1 H), 4.91 (s, 1 H), 3.94 (s, 2 H), 3.89 (s, 3 H), 3.74 - 3.80 (m, 2 H), 3.70 - 3.74 (m, 4 H), 3.39 - 3.63 (m, 5 H), 2.88 - 3.06 (m, 6 H), 2.59 (t, *J*=5.80 Hz, 2 H), 2.41 - 2.56 (m, 5 H), 1.93 - 2.13 (m, 3 H), 1.80 (dd, *J*=12.21, 7.63 Hz, 1 H), 0.98 - 1.74 (m, 17 H), 0.99 (s, 3 H), 0.97 (s, 3 H), 0.95 (s, 3 H), 0.87 - 0.93 (m, 6 H).

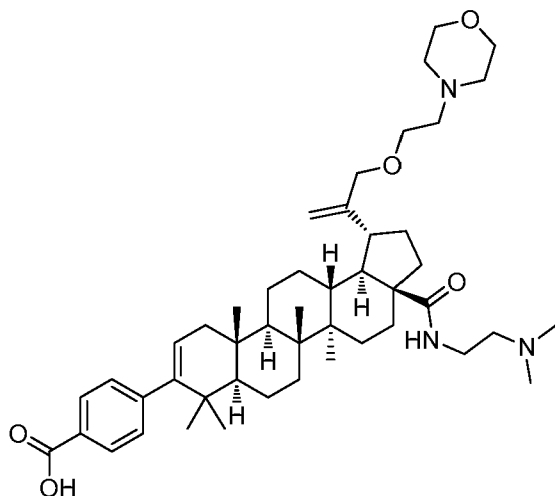
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Step 2: To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(2-hydroxyethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.019 g, 0.024 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (1 mL) was added 1N NaOH (0.121 mL, 0.121 mmol). The mixture was heated to 75 °C for 23h then was cooled to rt and stirred for an additional 63h. To the reaction was added an additional 0.1 mL of 1N NaOH and the mixture was heated to 75 °C for 23h then was cooled to rt and was purified by prep HPLC (method 1).

The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (15 mg, 0.019 mmol, 80 % yield) as a white solid. LC/MS: m/e 774.6 (M+H)⁺, 2.07 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500MHz, Acetic) δ ppm 8.03 (d, $J=8.2$ Hz, 2H), 7.29 (d, $J=8.5$ Hz, 2H), 5.37 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 5.01 (br. s., 1H), 5.00 (br. s., 1H), 4.09 - 3.96 (m, 8H), 3.91 (br. s., 2H), 3.78 - 3.71 (m, 1H), 3.70 - 3.63 (m, 1H), 3.54 - 3.44 (m, 3H), 3.38 - 3.32 (m, 4H), 3.04 (td, $J=10.6, 3.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.56 - 2.49 (m, 1H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.99 (s, 3H), 2.24 - 0.97 (m, 24H).

10 Example 14

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



Step 1: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate

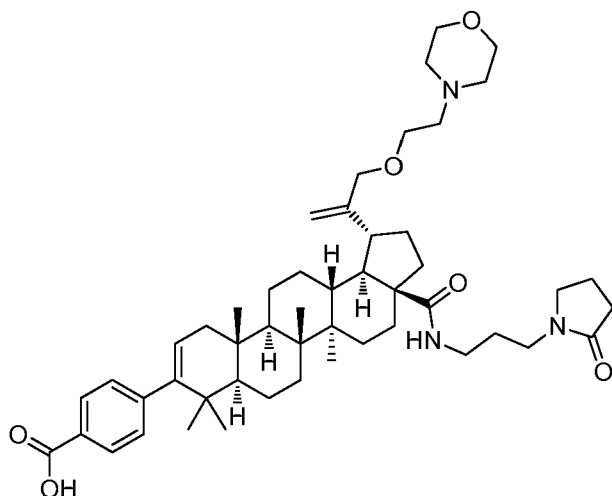
To a suspension of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(chlorocarbonyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (40 mg, 0.056 mmol) (synthesis described above in the preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate) in DCE (1 mL) was added N,N-dimethylaminoethylamine (7.34 mg, 0.083 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 16h then to the mixture was added diisopropylethylamine (0.023 mL, 0.134 mmol). It was stirred for an additional 2h at rt then was directly purified by flash chromatography using a 0-10% MeOH in DCM gradient with 0.1% ammonium hydroxide added to the mixture and a 12g silica gel column. The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give expected product (38.4 mg, 0.050 mmol, 90 % yield) as a white foam. LC/MS: m/e 772.5 (M+H)⁺, 2.68 minutes (method 1).

Step 2: To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (38.4 mg, 0.050 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (1 mL) was added 1N NaOH (0.249 mL, 0.249 mmol). The mixture was heated to 75 °C for 15h then was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (14 mg, 0.018 mmol, 37 % yield) as a white solid. LC/MS: m/e 758.6 (M+H)⁺, 2.14 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, *CHLOROFORM-d*) δ ppm 7.93 (d, J=7.93 Hz, 2 H), 7.15 (d, J=7.94 Hz, 2 H), 7.11 (br. s., 1 H), 5.28 (d, J=4.88 Hz, 1 H), 4.91 (s, 1 H), 4.89 (s, 1 H), 3.88 - 3.96 (m, 2 H), 3.74 (t, J=4.58 Hz, 4 H), 3.59 (t, J=5.49 Hz, 2 H), 3.47 - 3.53 (m, 2 H), 2.96 - 3.04 (m, 1 H), 2.74 - 2.82 (m, 2 H), 2.61 - 2.68 (m, 2 H), 2.58 (br. s., 4 H), 2.51 (s, 6 H), 2.39 - 2.47 (m, 1 H), 1.93 - 2.11 (m, 3 H), 1.75 - 1.83 (m, 1 H), 1.58 - 1.69 (m, 2 H), 0.96 - 1.53 (m, 15 H), 0.96 (s, 3 H), 0.94 (s, 6 H), 0.91 (s, 6 H).

Example 15

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-3a-(3-(2-oxopyrrolidin-1-yl)propylcarbamoyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid



Step 1: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-3a-(3-(2-oxopyrrolidin-1-yl)propylcarbamoyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate

To a suspension of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(chlorocarbonyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (32.2 mg, 0.0447 mmol) (synthesis described above in the preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate) in DCE (1 mL) was added 1-(3-Aminopropyl)-2-pyrrolidinone (9.40 μ L, 0.067 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 16h then diisopropylethylamine (0.023 mL, 0.134 mmol) was added to the mixture and it was stirred for an additional 1h at rt. The mixture was purified by flash chromatography using a 0-5% methanol in dichloromethane gradient with 0.1% ammonium acetate added to the mixture and a 12g silica gel column. The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (36.4 mg, 0.044 mmol, 99 % yield) as a white foam. LC/MS: m/e 826.5 (M+H)⁺, 2.59 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 7.92 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 7.18 (d, *J*=7.93 Hz, 2 H), 6.91 (t, *J*=6.10 Hz, 1 H), 5.28 (d, *J*=4.88 Hz, 1 H), 4.92 (br. s., 2 H),

3.95 (br. s., 2 H), 3.90 (s, 3 H), 3.72 (t, $J=4.58$ Hz, 4 H), 3.58 (t, $J=5.04$ Hz, 2 H), 3.33 - 3.48 (m, 3 H), 3.20 - 3.33 (m, 2 H), 2.96 - 3.08 (m, 2 H), 2.60 (t, $J=5.80$ Hz, 2 H), 2.52 (br. s., 5 H), 2.43 (t, $J=8.09$ Hz, 2 H), 1.95 - 2.18 (m, 5 H), 1.81 (dd, $J=11.90, 7.93$ Hz, 1 H), 0.99 (s, 3 H), 0.98 - 1.72 (m, 19 H), 0.97 (s, 3 H), 0.95 (s, 3 H), 0.91 (s, 6 H).

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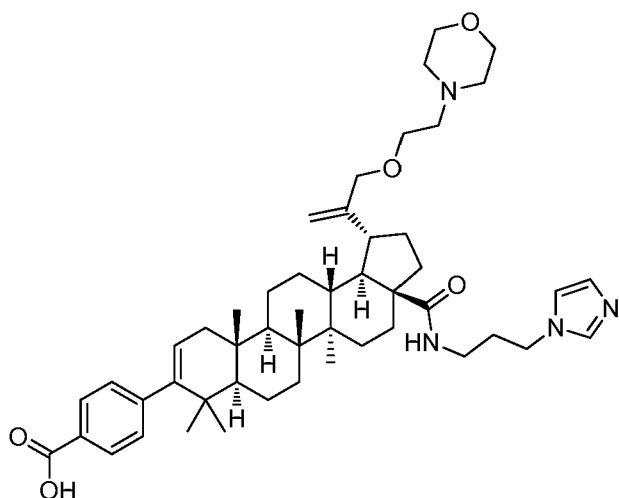
Step 2: To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-3a-(3-(2-oxopyrrolidin-1-yl)propylcarbamoyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.0364 g, 0.044 mmol) in 1,4-

10 Dioxane (1 mL) was added 1N NaOH (0.220 mL, 0.220 mmol). The mixture was heated to 75 °C for 15h then was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (31 mg, 0.035 mmol, 81 % yield) as a white solid. LC/MS: m/e 812.5 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.11 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, *CHLOROFORM-d*) δ ppm 8.65 (br. s., 1
15 H), 7.94 (d, $J=7.93$ Hz, 2 H), 7.17 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 2 H), 6.91 (t, $J=6.26$ Hz, 1 H), 5.25 (d, $J=4.88$ Hz, 1 H), 4.88 - 4.93 (m, 2 H), 3.88 - 3.98 (m, 2 H), 3.80 (t, $J=4.58$ Hz, 4 H), 3.67 (t, $J=5.49$ Hz, 2 H), 3.34 - 3.46 (m, 3 H), 3.21 - 3.33 (m, 2 H), 3.00 - 3.09 (m, 2 H), 2.40 - 2.51 (m, 3 H), 2.14 (d, $J=12.21$ Hz, 1 H), 1.96 - 2.10 (m, 5 H), 1.80 (dd, $J=11.90, 7.63$ Hz, 1 H), 0.96 - 1.71 (m, 24 H), 0.95 (s, 3 H), 0.95 (s, 3 H), 0.92 (s, 3 H), 0.90 (br. s., 6
20 H).

Example 16

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-(1H-imidazol-1-yl)propylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.

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Step 1: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-(1H-imidazol-1-yl)propylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate

To a suspension of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(chlorocarbonyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

- 10 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (25 mg, 0.035 mmol) (synthesis described above in the preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate) in DCE (1 mL) was added 1-(3-
- 15 Aminopropyl)imidazole (8 μ L, 0.067 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 16h then diisopropylethylamine (0.023 mL, 0.132 mmol) was added. The mixture was stirred for 30 minutes at rt then was directly purified by flash chromatography using a 0-5% methanol in dichloromethane gradient with 0.1% ammonium hydroxide added and a 12g silica gel column. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and
- 20 concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (10.8 mg, 0.013 mmol, 38.5 % yield) as a white foam. LC/MS: m/e 809.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.55 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 7.91 (d, J=7.93 Hz, 2 H), 7.49 (s, 1 H), 7.18 (d, J=7.93 Hz, 2 H), 7.07 (s, 1 H), 6.94 (s, 1 H), 5.69 (t, J=5.95 Hz, 1 H), 5.27 (d, J=4.88 Hz, 1 H), 4.93 (s, 1 H), 4.91 (s, 1 H), 3.99 (td, J=6.94, 2.90 Hz, 2 H), 3.94 (s, 2 H), 3.90 (s, 3

H), 3.72 (t, $J=4.73$ Hz, 4 H), 3.53 - 3.61 (m, 2 H), 3.30 - 3.38 (m, 1 H), 3.13 - 3.22 (m, 1 H), 3.00 (td, $J=11.14, 3.97$ Hz, 1 H), 2.60 (t, $J=5.80$ Hz, 2 H), 2.42 - 2.55 (m, 5 H), 2.09 (dd, $J=17.24, 6.26$ Hz, 1 H), 1.94 - 2.04 (m, 3 H), 1.88 (d, $J=13.73$ Hz, 1 H), 0.99 - 1.75 (m, 18 H), 0.99 (s, 3 H), 0.98 (s, 3 H), 0.95 (s, 3 H), 0.91 (s, 6 H).

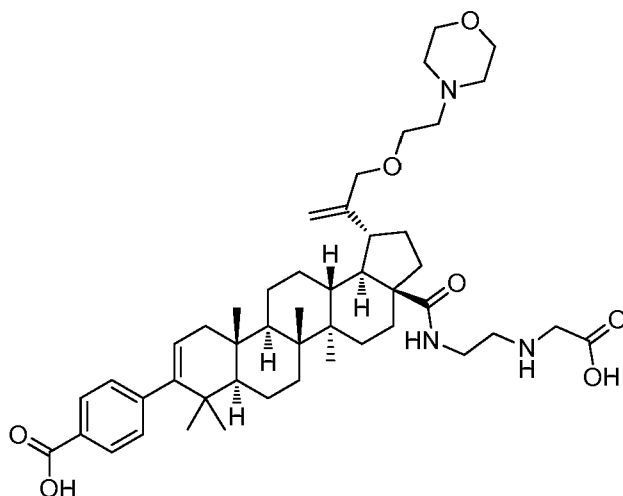
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Step 2: To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-(1H-imidazol-1-yl)propylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.0108 g, 0.013 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (1 mL) was added 1N NaOH (0.067 mL, 0.067 mmol). The mixture was heated to 75 °C for 15h, then mixture was cooled to rt. An additional 0.067 μ L of 1N NaOH was added to the mixture and it was heated to 75 °C. After 8h of heating, the mixture was cooled to rt and stirred for an additional 63h at rt. The mixture was purified by prep HPLC. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (9 mg, 10.19 μ mol, 76 % yield) as a white solid. LC/MS: m/e 795.5 (M+H)⁺, 2.09 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*) δ ppm 7.95 (d, $J=7.93$ Hz, 2 H), 7.64 (s, 1 H), 7.16 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 2 H), 7.12 (s, 1 H), 6.95 (s, 1 H), 5.71 (br. s., 1 H), 5.25 (d, $J=4.88$ Hz, 1 H), 4.93 (s, 1 H), 4.91 (s, 1 H), 3.96 - 4.06 (m, 2 H), 3.94 (s, 2 H), 3.73 - 3.81 (m, 4 H), 3.61 - 3.67 (m, 2 H), 3.34 - 3.46 (m, 1 H), 3.11 - 3.20 (m, 1 H), 2.97 - 3.05 (m, 1 H), 2.59 - 2.76 (m, 6 H), 2.45 (br. s., 1 H), 1.95 - 2.10 (m, 4 H), 1.89 (d, $J=13.43$ Hz, 1 H), 0.96 - 1.74 (m, 18 H), 0.97 (s, 6 H), 0.94 (s, 3 H), 0.89 (s, 3 H), 0.86 (s, 3 H).

Example 17

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(carboxymethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid

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Step 1: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate

To a suspension of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(chlorocarbonyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

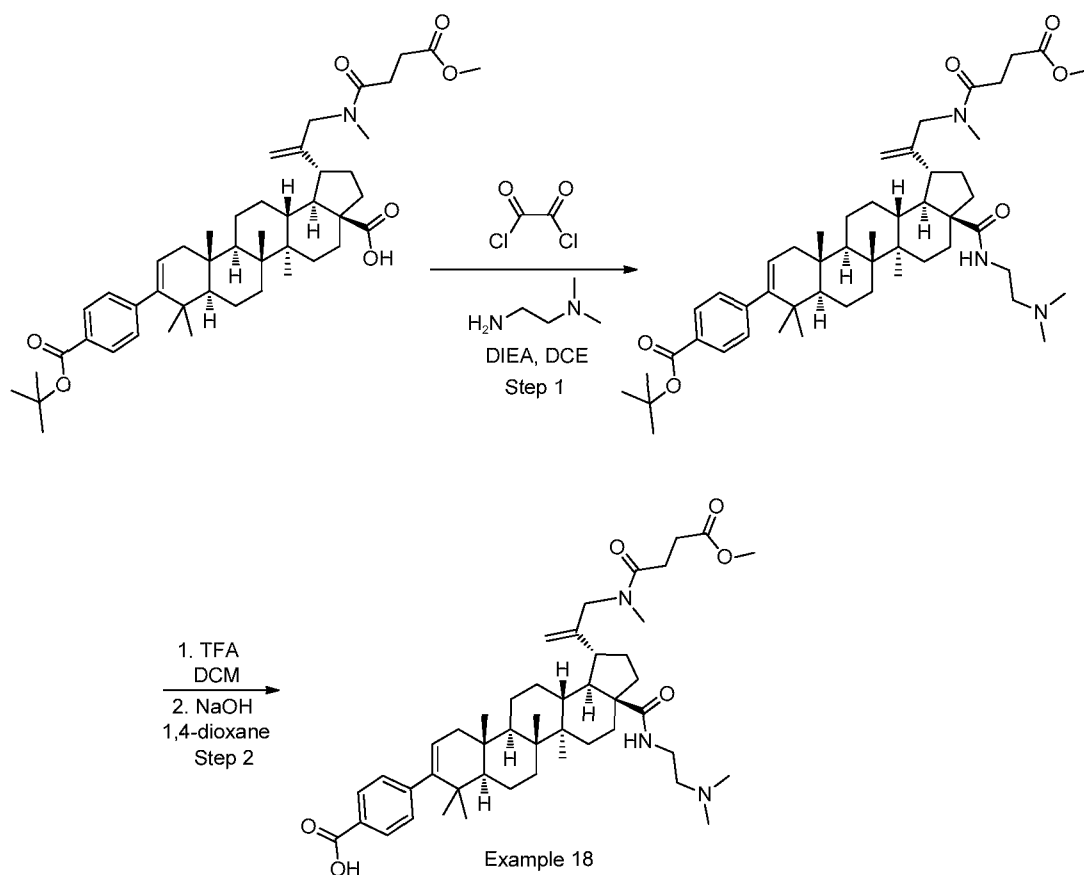
- 10 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (32.2 mg, 0.0447 mmol) (synthesis described above in the preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropylcarbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate) in DCE (1 mL) was added
- 15 methyl 2-(2-aminoethylamino)acetate (8.86 mg, 0.067 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 16h at rt. To the mixture was added diisopropylethylamine (0.023 mL, 0.134 mmol) and the mixture was stirred for 3.5h at rt. An additional 10 mg of methyl 2-(2-aminoethylamino)acetate was added and the reaction was stirred an additional 19h at rt.
- 20 To the mixture was added an additional 10 mg of methyl 2-(2-aminoethylamino)acetate and it was further stirred at rt. After stirring the mixture for an additional 60h at rt, it was directly purified by flash chromatography using a 0-10% methanol in dichloromethane gradient with 0.1% ammonium hydroxide added to the mixture and a 12g silica gel column. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated

under reduced pressure to give the product (31 mg, 0.027 mmol, 59.5 % yield) as a white foam. LC/MS: m/e 816.5 (M+H)⁺, 2.57 minutes (method 1).

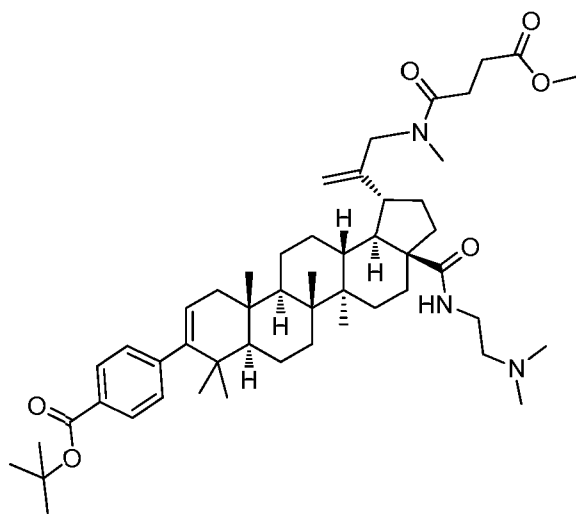
Step 2: To a solution of 2-(2-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-(2-morpholinoethoxy)prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxamido)ethylamino)acetic acid (30 mg, 0.026 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (1 mL) was added 1N NaOH (0.2 mL, 0.200 mmol). The mixture was heated to 75 °C for 15h, then was cooled to rt and purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the expected product were combined and were concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (10 mg, 0.013 mmol, 48.5 % yield) as a white solid. LC/MS: m/e 788.5 (M+H)⁺, 2.01 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, *acetic acid* d₄) δ ppm 8.03 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 7.29 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 5.37 (d, *J*=4.88 Hz, 1 H), 5.01 (br. s., 1 H), 5.00 (br. s., 1 H), 3.29 - 4.12 (m, 20 H), 3.00 - 3.10 (m, 1 H), 2.51 - 2.60 (m, 1 H), 1.09 (s, 3 H), 1.08 - 2.26 (m, 21 H), 1.07 (s, 3 H), 1.05 (s, 3 H), 1.01 (s, 3 H), 0.99 (s, 3 H).

Example 18

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-1-(3-(4-methoxy-N-methyl-4-oxobutanamido)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid



- Step 1: Preparation of tert-butyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-1-(3-(4-methoxy-N-methyl-4-oxobutanamido)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate**

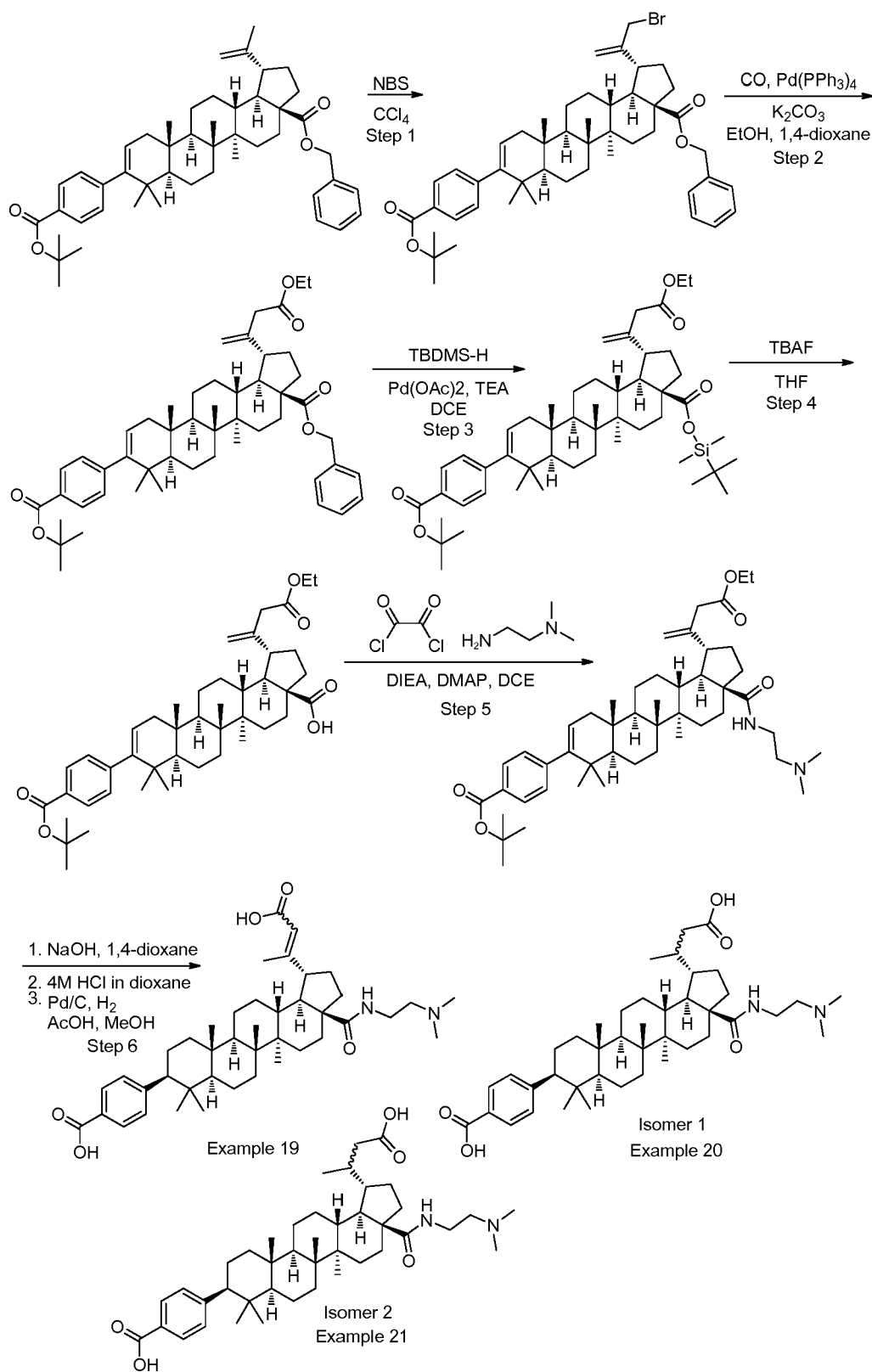


- To a vial containing (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(3-(4-methoxy-N-methyl-4-oxobutanamido)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (0.1 g, 0.132 mmol) was added oxalyl chloride (2M in DCM) (2 mL, 4.00 mmol). The solution was stirred at rt for 2.5 and was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in DCM and concentrated two additional times to remove remaining oxalyl chloride. After drying the residue under vacuum, it was dissolved in DCE (2 mL) and diisopropylethylamine (0.069 mL, 0.396 mmol) was added followed by N1,N1-dimethylethane-1,2-diamine (0.022 mL, 0.198 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 67h then was diluted with 7 mL of water and was extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 7 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash chromatography using a 0-10% methanol in dichloromethane gradient and a 12g silica gel column. The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (73.4 mg, 0.089 mmol, 67 % yield) as an off-white foam. LC/MS: m/e 828.6 (M+H)⁺, 2.54 minutes (method 1).
- Step 2:** To a solution of tert-butyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-1-(3-(4-methoxy-N-methyl-4-oxobutanamido)prop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (73 mg, 0.088 mmol) in DCM (1 mL) was added TFA (0.1 mL, 1.298 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt overnight for 16h at rt then was concentrated under a stream of nitrogen. The residue was diluted with 1,4-dioxane (2 mL) and was heated to 75 °C. After 22h of heating, the mixture was cooled to rt. Then it was acidified with 1N HCl and was heated with a heat gun and was allowed to sit at rt overnight. When no crystals formed, the mixture was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was repurified a second time using the same HPLC method. The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure

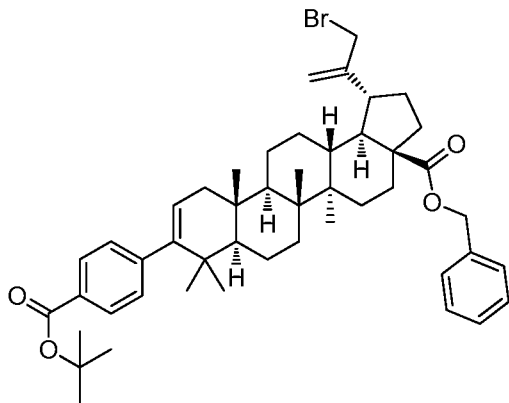
to give the product (14 mg, 0.018 mmol, 21% yield) as a white solid. LC/MS: m/e 772.5 (M+H)⁺, 2.05 minutes (method 1).

Examples 19-21

- 5 Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aS,9S,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-(1-carboxyprop-1-en-2-yl)-3a-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)carbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethylicosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (Example 19), 4-((1S,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aS,9S,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-(1-carboxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)carbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethylicosahydro-1H-
- 10 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid, Isomer 1 (Example 20), and 4-((1S,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aS,9S,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-(1-carboxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)carbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethylicosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid, Isomer 2 (Example 21)



Step 1: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-benzyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate



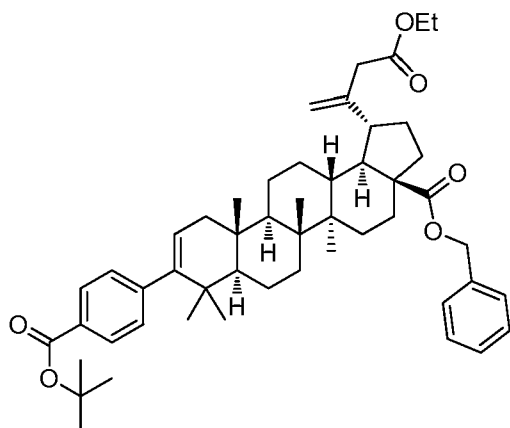
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To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (3.02 g, 4.29 mmol) in CCl₄ (50 mL) was added NBS (0.954g, 5.36 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 15.5 h then was filtered through a pad of celite to remove the solids and the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash chromatography using a 160g silica gel column and a 0-10% ethyl acetate in hexanes gradient. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give 2.22g of the product as a white foam (70% purity), which was used in the next step with no additional purification. ¹H NMR (500MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ = 7.87 (d, *J*=8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.42 - 7.30 (m, 5H), 7.16 (d, *J*=7.9 Hz, 2H), 5.26 (d, *J*=4.9 Hz, 1H), 5.22 - 5.07 (m, 3H), 5.04 (s, 1H), 4.01 - 3.96 (m, 2H), 3.09 (td, *J*=11.1, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 1.58 (s, 9H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H), 0.90 (s, 6H), 0.80 (s, 3H), 2.36 - 0.78 (m, 22H).

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Step 2: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(4-ethoxy-4-oxobut-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate

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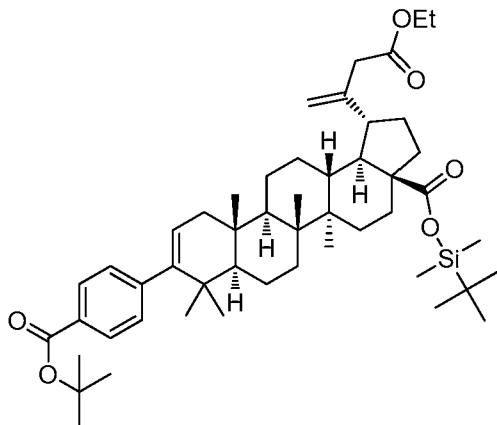


To a pressurizable vessel containing a solution of

(1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-benzyl 1-(3-bromoprop-1-en-2-yl)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-

- 5 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (1.5 g, 1.339 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (20 mL) and ethanol (10 mL) was added potassium carbonate (0.370 g, 2.68 mmol). The mixture was degassed for 10 minutes by bubbling with nitrogen, and palladium tetrakis (0.077 g, 0.067
- 10 mmol) was added. The mixture was evacuated and refilled with nitrogen 3 times, then was filled with carbon monoxide and evacuated two times, then finally filled to 85 psi of carbon monoxide. and was heated to 85 °C in an oil bath. After 24h of heating, the mixture was cooled to rt, was diluted with 25 mL of water, and was extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 25 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried over sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was
- 15 purified by flash chromatography using a 0-10% EtOAc in hexanes gradient and a 90g silica gel column. The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a major and minor product, the major product (0.591g, 0.761 mmol, 57% yield), being the title compound. LC/MS: m/e 794.5 (M+18), 4.08 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ = 7.87 (d, J=7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.45 - 7.29 (m, 5H), 7.16 (d, J=7.6 Hz, 2H), 5.26 (d, J=5.5 Hz, 1H), 5.20 - 5.05 (m, 2H), 4.97 (s, 1H), 4.84 (s, 1H), 4.14 (q, J=7.1 Hz, 2H), 3.11 - 2.95 (m, 3H), 2.37 - 2.18 (m, 2H), 2.08 (dd, J=17.1, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 2.01 - 1.85 (m, 2H), 1.58 (s, 9H), 0.97 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H), 0.90 (s, 6H), 1.72 - 0.88 (m, 20H), 0.80 (s, 3H).
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Step 3: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-tert-butyltrimethylsilyl 9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(4-ethoxy-4-oxobut-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate



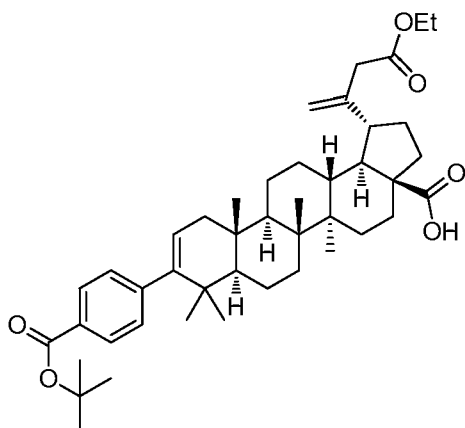
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To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(4-ethoxy-4-oxobut-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.588 g, 0.757 mmol) in DCE (7 mL) was added triethylamine (0.169 mL, 1.211 mmol), tert-butyldimethylsilane (0.251 mL, 1.513 mmol), and palladium(II)acetate (0.042 g, 0.189 mmol). The mixture was flushed with nitrogen and was heated to 60 °C. After 5h of heating, the mixture was cooled to rt, filtered through a pad of celite to remove the solids, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude material was used in the next step with no additional purification. ¹H NMR (500MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ = 7.86 (d, J =7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.15 (d, J =8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.26 (d, J =5.5 Hz, 1H), 4.97 (s, 1H), 4.83 (s, 1H), 4.13 (q, J =7.2 Hz, 2H), 3.11 - 2.95 (m, 3H), 2.30 - 2.21 (m, 2H), 2.08 (dd, J =17.1, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 2.02 - 1.91 (m, 1H), 1.88 - 1.79 (m, 1H), 1.57 (s, 9H), 0.94 (s, 9H), 1.71 - 0.84 (m, 35H), 0.27 (s, 6H).

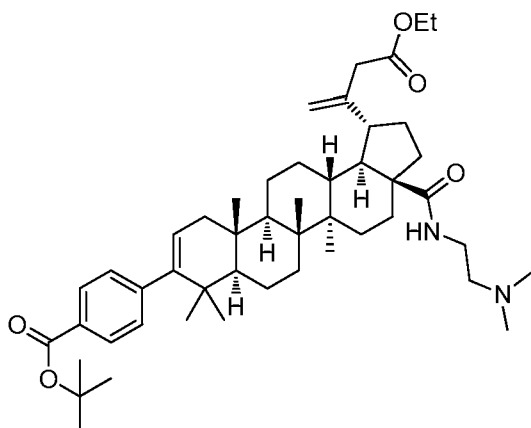
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Step 4: Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(4-ethoxy-4-oxobut-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid

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- To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-tert-butyldimethylsilyl 9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(4-ethoxy-4-oxobut-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.607 g, 0.757 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was added
- 5 tetrabutylammonium fluoride hydrate (0.317 g, 1.136 mmol). The yellow solution was stirred at rt for 3.5h then was diluted with 20 mL of water and 10 mL of 1N HCl and was extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 30 mL). The combined organic layers were washed with brine, dried over sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure.
- 10 The residue was purified by flash chromatography using a 0-50% ethyl acetate in hexanes gradient and a 40g silica gel column. The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the product (0.485 g, 0.706 mmol, 93 % yield) as a white solid. LC/MS: m/e 685.5 (M-H)⁻, 2.90 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ = 7.87 (d, J=7.93 Hz, 2 H), 7.16 (d, J=8.24
- 15 Hz, 2 H), 5.27 (d, J=4.58 Hz, 1 H), 4.99 (s, 1 H), 4.86 (s, 1 H), 4.15 (q, J=7.02 Hz, 2 H), 2.97 - 3.06 (m, 3 H), 2.30 (d, J=12.82 Hz, 1 H), 2.24 (td, J=12.13, 3.20 Hz, 1 H), 2.01 - 2.14 (m, 2 H), 1.97 (dd, J=12.51, 7.93 Hz, 1 H), 1.58 (s, 9 H), 1.27 (t, J=7.02 Hz, 3 H), 1.01 (s, 3 H), 1.00 - 1.72 (m, 17 H), 0.99 (s, 3 H), 0.97 (s, 3 H), 0.91 (s, 6 H).
- 20 **Step 5: Preparation of tert-butyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-1-(4-ethoxy-4-oxobut-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate, HCl**



To an oven-dried rb flask containing (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-9-(4-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-1-(4-ethoxy-4-oxobut-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (0.15 g, 0.218 mmol) was added oxalyl chloride (2M in DCM) (5 mL, 10.00 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 2.5h and was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in DCM and was concentrated two additional times to remove any excess oxalyl chloride. The crude product was dissolved in DCE (2 mL) and diisopropylethylamine (0.114 mL, 0.655 mmol) was added followed by N,N-dimethylethylenediamine (0.036 mL, 0.328 mmol) and DMAP (1 mg, 8.19 μ mol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 20 h, then was diluted with water (10 mL) and was extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 10 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by flash chromatography using a 0-10% methanol in dichloromethane gradient and a 12g silica gel column. The fractions containing the product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the title compound (0.12 g, 0.151 mmol, 69.3 % yield) as a white solid. LC/MS: m/e 757.6 (M+H)⁺, 2.29 minutes (method 6). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ = 12.41 (br. s., 1 H), 7.87 (d, J=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 7.73 (br. s., 1 H), 7.15 (d, J=8.24 Hz, 2 H), 5.24 - 5.28 (m, 1 H), 4.98 (s, 1 H), 4.83 (s, 1 H), 4.14 (q, J=7.32 Hz, 2 H), 3.62 - 3.80 (m, 2 H), 3.05 - 3.20 (m, 3 H), 2.95 - 3.03 (m, 2 H), 2.81 - 2.89 (m, 6 H), 2.42 - 2.51 (m, 1 H), 2.36 (d, J=14.04 Hz, 1 H), 2.09 (dd, J=17.40, 6.41 Hz, 1 H), 1.86 - 1.99 (m, 2 H), 1.58 (s, 9 H), 1.26 (t, J=7.17 Hz, 3 H), 0.99 (s, 3 H), 0.95 - 1.72 (m, 17 H), 0.96 (s, 3 H), 0.95 (s, 3 H), 0.90 (s, 6 H).

Step 6: To a solution of tert-butyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(2-(dimethylamino)ethylcarbamoyl)-1-(4-ethoxy-4-oxobut-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.115 g, 0.145 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (2 mL) was added 1N NaOH (0.725 mL, 0.725 mmol). The mixture was heated to 85 °C for 39 h. NaOH (10N, 0.1 mL) was added to the mixture and it was again heated to 85 °C. After 22h of heating, the mixture was cooled to rt and acidified to pH = 1 with 1N HCl. The solids that formed were collected by filtration to give 85 mg of a mixture of products that were used directly in the next step with no additional purification. To a vial containing the mixture of products was added 3mL of 4N HCl in 1,4 dioxane. The mixture was stirred at rt for 2.5h, then was concentrated under a stream of nitrogen. The residue was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). The fractions containing a mixture of products were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure. The mixture of products was dissolved in acetic acid (2 mL) and methanol (4 mL) was degassed with nitrogen and 20 mg of 10% Pd/C was added and the mixture. The mixture was stirred under 1ATM of H₂ for 3h then an additional 100 mg of Pd/C were added and mixture was stirred under 1ATM of H₂. After 21h of stirring, the mixture was filtered through a plug of celite and was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by prep HPLC (method 1). Three main peaks were separated in the first prep HPLC purification. The fractions containing mono-hydrogenated product were combined, concentrated, and repurified by prep HPLC (method 10). Each of the other two products was concentrated to give two diastereomers of the bis-hydroxylated product.

Example 19: (Isolate 1) 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aS,9S,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-(1-carboxyprop-1-en-2-yl)-3a-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)carbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethylcosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (4.0 mg, 0.006 mmol, 4% yield)

LC/MS: m/e 675.5 (M+H)⁺, 2.05 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d with three drops of METHANOL-d₄ to solubilize (referenced to chloroform peak at 7.27 ppm)) δ = 7.81 (d, J=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.12 (d, J=8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.66 (s, 1H), 3.35 - 3.29 (m, 2H), 3.12 (td, J=10.7, 3.9 Hz, 1H), 2.62 (t, J=5.9 Hz, 2H), 2.40 (s, 6H), 2.00 (s, 3H), 0.89 (s, 3H), 0.86 (s, 3H), 0.84 (br. s., 3H), 2.49 - 0.71 (m, 25H), 0.65 (s, 3H), 0.59 (s, 3H).

Example 20: (Isolate 2) 4-((1S,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aS,9S,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-(1-carboxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)carbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethylicosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid, Isomer 1 (6.5 mg, 0.010 mmol, 7% yield)

LC/MS: m/e 677.6 (M+H)⁺, 2.19 minutes (method 1).

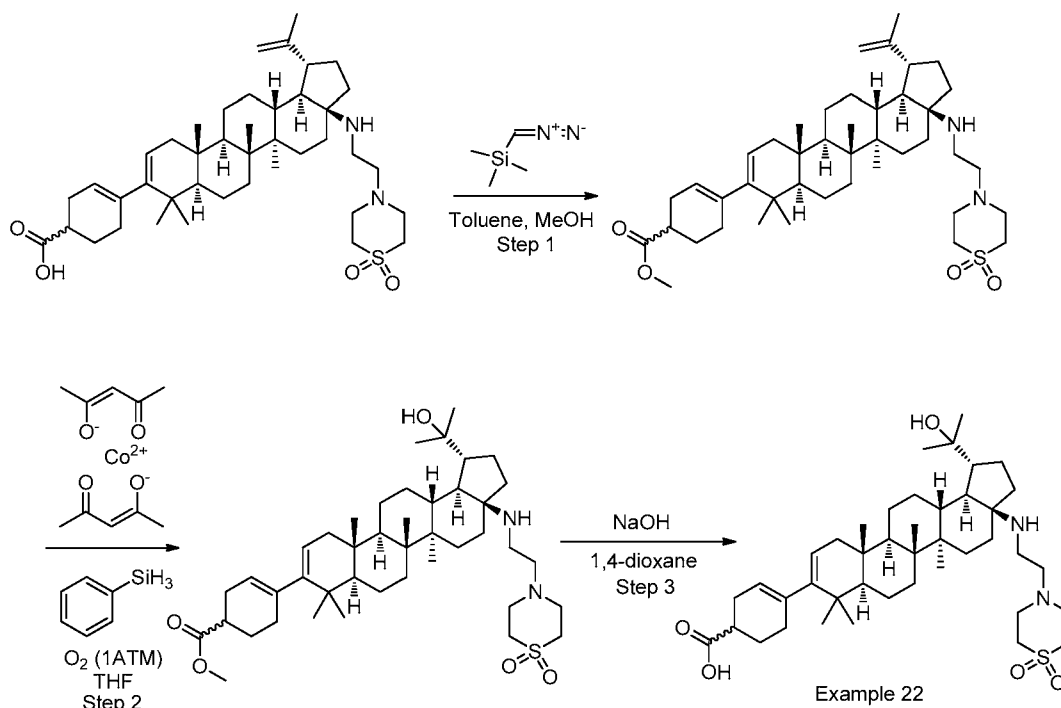
¹H NMR (500MHz, CHLOROFORM-d with three drops of METHANOL-d₄ to solubilize (referenced to chloroform peak at 7.27 ppm)) = 7.82 (d, J=7.9 Hz, 2H), 7.11 (d, J=8.2 Hz, 2H), 3.37 (t, J=5.2 Hz, 2H), 2.78 - 2.70 (m, 2H), 2.50 (s, 6H), 2.39 - 2.24 (m, 3H),
 5 2.16 - 2.08 (m, 2H), 2.07 - 1.94 (m, 3H), 1.76 - 1.60 (m, 4H), 0.88 (s, 3H), 0.84 (br. s., 6H), 0.74 (d, J=6.1 Hz, 3H), 1.51 - 0.70 (m, 17H), 0.63 (s, 3H), 0.59 (s, 3H).

Example 21: (Isolate 3) 4-((1S,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aS,9S,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-(1-carboxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)carbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethylicosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid, Isomer 2 (5.5 mg, 0.008 mmol, 5.5% yield)

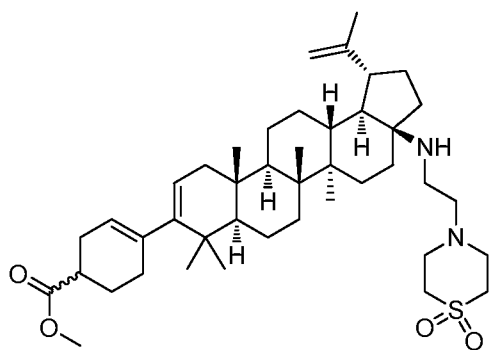
LC/MS: m/e 677.5 (M+H)⁺, 2.04 minutes (method 1). ¹H NMR (500MHz, CHLOROFORM-d with three drops of METHANOL-d₄ to solubilize (referenced to chloroform peak at 7.27 ppm)) δ = 7.89 (d, J=8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.19 (d, J=8.5 Hz, 2H), 3.53 - 3.46 (m, 2H), 2.96 - 2.88 (m, 2H), 2.66 (br. s., 6H), 2.48 - 2.31 (m, 4H), 2.20 - 0.74 (m,
 15 37H), 0.71 (s, 3H), 0.65 (s, 3H).

Example 22

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylic acid



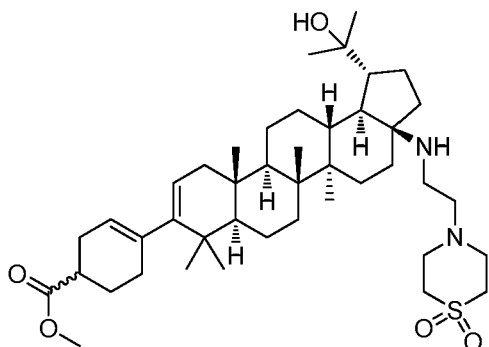
Step 1: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylate



A solution of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylic acid, prepared as described in WO13123019, (0.1 g, 0.144 mmol) in toluene (2 mL) and methanol (0.5 mL) was cooled to 0 °C. To the solution was added TMS-diazomethane (2M in ether) (0.086 mL, 0.173 mmol) dropwise. After gas evolution ceased, the mixture was warmed to rt and the

yellow solution was stirred at rt for 2h. The mixture was made acidic by carefully adding 1 mL of acetic acid then was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was diluted with sat. aq. sodium bicarbonate (15 mL) and was extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 10 mL). The combined organic layers were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the title product (0.086 g, 0.121 mmol, 84 % yield) as an off-white foam. ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ = 5.35 (br. s., 1H), 5.19 (d, *J*=5.0 Hz, 1H), 4.71 (br. s., 1H), 4.59 (br. s., 1H), 3.69 (s, 3H), 3.14 - 2.97 (m, 8H), 2.74 - 2.41 (m, 6H), 2.34 - 2.27 (m, 2H), 2.22 - 2.13 (m, 2H), 1.69 (s, 3H), 2.06 - 0.78 (m, 40H).

Step 2: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylate



To a flask containing methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylate (0.086 g, 0.121 mmol) was added acetylacetone cobalt(II) salt (0.062 g, 0.243 mmol). The mixture was diluted with THF (2 mL) and phenylsilane (0.060 mL, 0.485 mmol) was added. The mixture was purged with nitrogen, then was put under a balloon of oxygen. After 1.5h the mixture was diluted with dichloromethane and was filtered through a 4g silica gel column (washed with 10% MeOH in DCM). The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was repurified using a 0-8% MeOH in dichloromethane gradient and a 12g silica gel column.

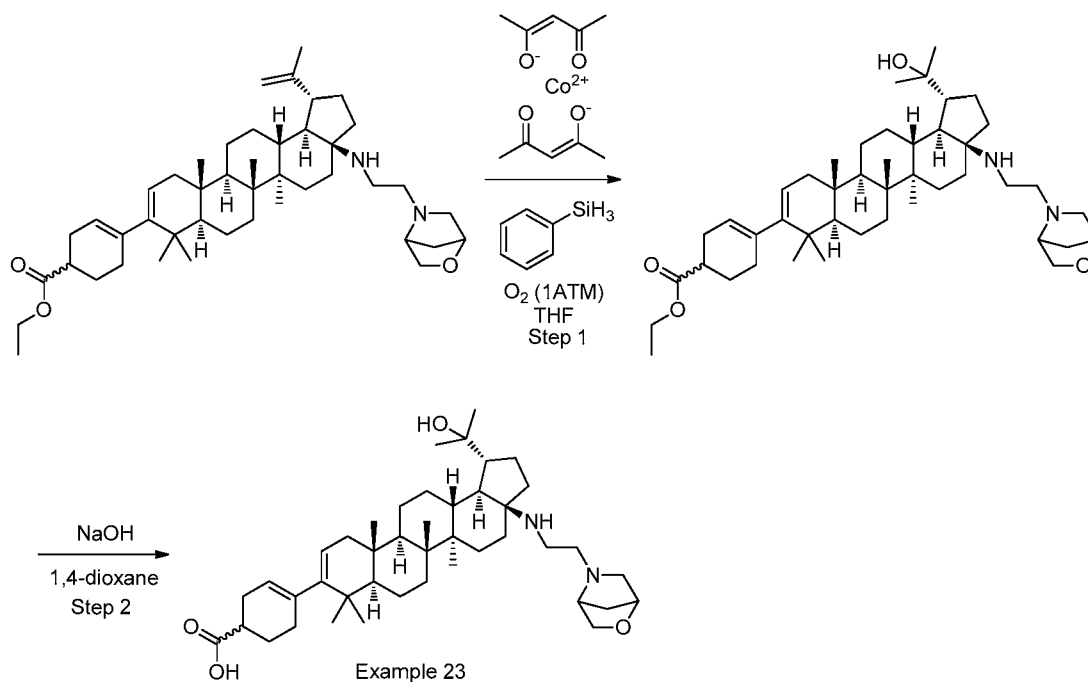
The fractions containing the major isolate were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give 56 mg of a light-green solid which was used in the next step with no additional purification.

- 5 **Step 3:** To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylate (0.056 g, 0.077 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (2 mL) was added NaOH (1N) (0.385 mL, 0.385 mmol) and the mixture was
- 10 heated to 70 °C. After heating the mixture for 18h, it was cooled to rt, and was purified by prep HPLC (method 21) . The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylic acid, TFA (9.2 mg, 11.1 μmol, 14 %
- 15 yield) as a white solid. LC/MS: m/e 713.6 (M+H)⁺, 1.44 minutes (method 6). ¹H NMR (400MHz, Acetic) δ = 5.39 (br. s., 1H), 5.24 (d, J=5.8 Hz, 1H), 3.38 - 3.01 (m, 12H), 2.65 - 2.55 (m, 1H), 1.28 (s, 3H), 1.26 (s, 3H), 1.22 (s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 2.40 - 0.84 (m, 38H).

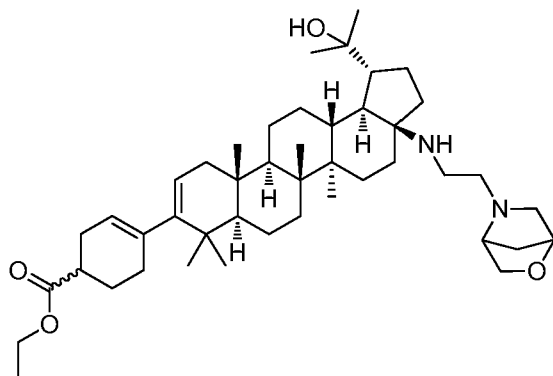
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Example 23

- Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(2-oxa-5-azabicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-5-yl)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylic acid**
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Step 1: Preparation of ethyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(2-oxa-5-azabicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-5-yl)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylate



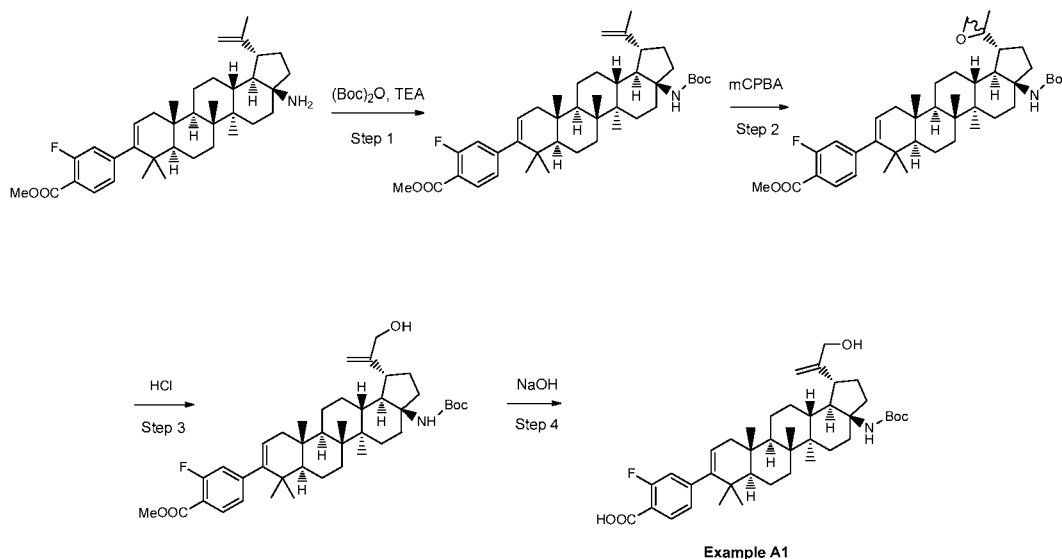
To a flask containing ethyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(2-oxa-5-azabicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-5-yl)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylate (46.5 mg, 0.068 mmol) prepared as described in WO13169578, was added acetylacetone cobalt(II) salt (34.8 mg, 0.135 mmol). The mixture was diluted with THF (2 mL) and phenylsilane (0.033 mL, 0.271 mmol) was added. The mixture was purged with nitrogen, then was put under a balloon

of oxygen. After 4.5h of stirring the mixture was diluted with dichloromethane and was directly purified using a 0-10% MeOH in dichloromethane gradient and a 12g silica gel column. The fractions containing the two major isolates were concentrated under reduced pressure to give the title compound (7.5 mg, 0.011 mmol, 16% yield) as a light-green solid. LC/MS: m/e 705.7 (M+H)⁺, 1.76 minutes (method 6).

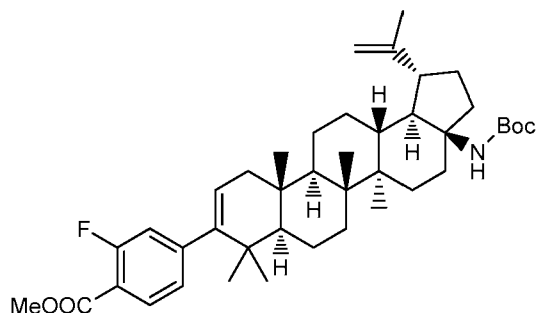
Step 2: To a solution of ethyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(2-oxa-5-azabicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-5-yl)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylate (7.5 mg, 11 μmol) in 1,4-dioxane (0.5 mL) was added NaOH (1N) (0.074 mL, 0.074 mmol). The mixture was warmed to 75 °C for three hours, then was cooled to rt and purified by prep HPLC (method 22). The fractions containing the expected product were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(2-oxa-5-azabicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-5-yl)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylic acid, TFA (1.8 mg, 2.3 μmol, 22 % yield) as a clear, colorless film. LC/MS: m/e 677.7 (M+H)⁺, 1.40 minutes (method 6). ¹H NMR (500MHz, Acetic) δ = 5.39 (br. s., 1H), 5.23 (d, J=6.3 Hz, 1H), 4.74 (s, 1H), 4.57 (s, 1H), 4.23 - 4.16 (m, 1H), 3.98 - 3.44 (m, 11H), 2.64 - 2.56 (m, 1H), 2.41 - 0.74 (m, 48H).

Example A1

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-1-(3-hydroxyprop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoic acid



Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate

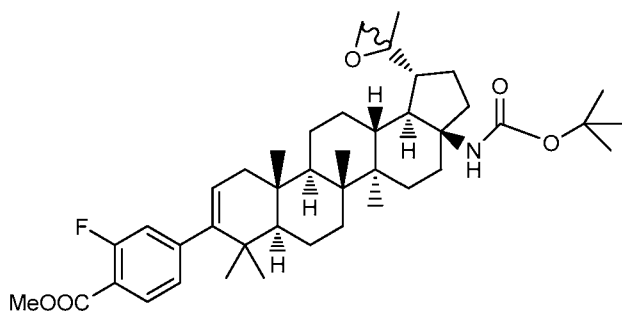


To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

- 5 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate prepared as described in WO201206190 (1.5 g, 2.67 mmol) and triethylamine (0.744 mL, 5.34 mmol) in THF (30 mL) was added di-tert-butyl dicarbonate (0.930 mL, 4.00 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred for 15 hours at room temperature. The reaction mixture was then quenched with distilled water (15 mL), extracted with dichloromethane (2 x 15 mL). The organic phases were
- 10 combined, dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to provide the desired product as colorless oil (1.8 g, 100%). LCMS: m/e 662.42 (M+H)⁺, 3.39 min (method 4).

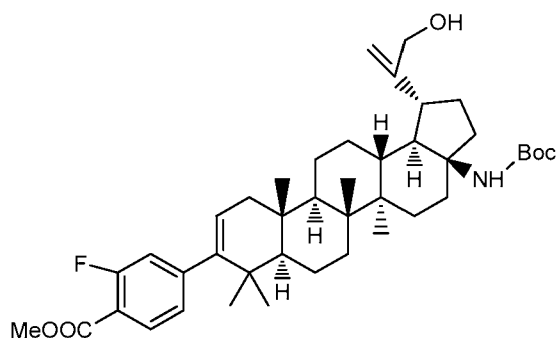
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To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

- 10 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (1800 mg, 2.72 mmol) in dichloromethane (20 mL) at 0 °C was added 3-chlorobenzoperoxoic acid (670 mg, 2.99 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred for 2 hours at 0 °C and then warmed up to room temperature for 2 hours. The reaction mixture was then quenched with saturated aqueous Na₂S₂O₃ (25mL), extracted with dichloromethane (2 x 30 mL), the organic phases were combined, 15 dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to provide the desired product as colorless oil. the residue was purified on silica gel with 0-30% ethyl acetate/hexanes to provide the desired product as white solid (1.0 g, 54%). LCMS: m/e 678.39 (M+H)⁺, 3.69 min (method 4).

- 20 **Step 3. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-1-(3-hydroxyprop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate**



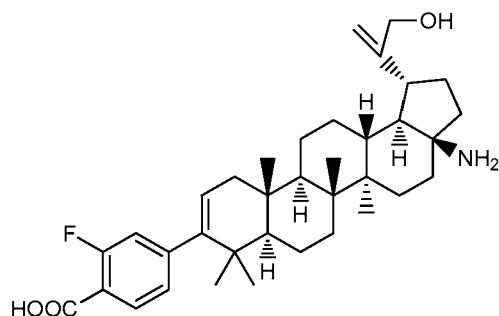
A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2-methyloxiran-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (200 mg, 0.295 mmol) and HCl (0.516 mL, 2.065 mmol) in THF (2 mL) was stirred for 2 hours until LCMS indicated starting material was consumed. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure, the residue was dissolved in acetonitrile (1 mL) and purified by HPLC to provide the desired product as white solid (30 mg, 15%). LCMS: m/e 578.5 (M+H)⁺, 1.93 min (method 6).

Step 4: A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-1-(3-hydroxyprop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (30 mg, 0.044 mmol) and 1 N NaOH (0.443 mL, 0.443 mmol) in dioxane (1 mL) was heated up at 78 °C for 3 hours. The reaction mixture was precipitated after cooling down to rt. The white solid was filtered and washed with water (2 mL) and acetonitrile (2 mL) to provide the desired product (19 mg, 61%). LCMS: m/e 664.5 (M+H)⁺, 2.55 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400MHz, Acetone) δ 7.90 (t, J=7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.10 (dd, J=8.0, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.02 (dd, J=11.9, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 5.38 (dd, J=6.1, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 5.01 (d, J=1.8 Hz, 1H), 4.88 (s, 1H), 4.10 (s, 2H), 2.72 - 1.08 (m, 23H), 1.42 (s, 9H), 1.15 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.99 (s, 3H).

Example A2

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-amino-1-(3-

**hydroxyprop-1-en-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoic acid**



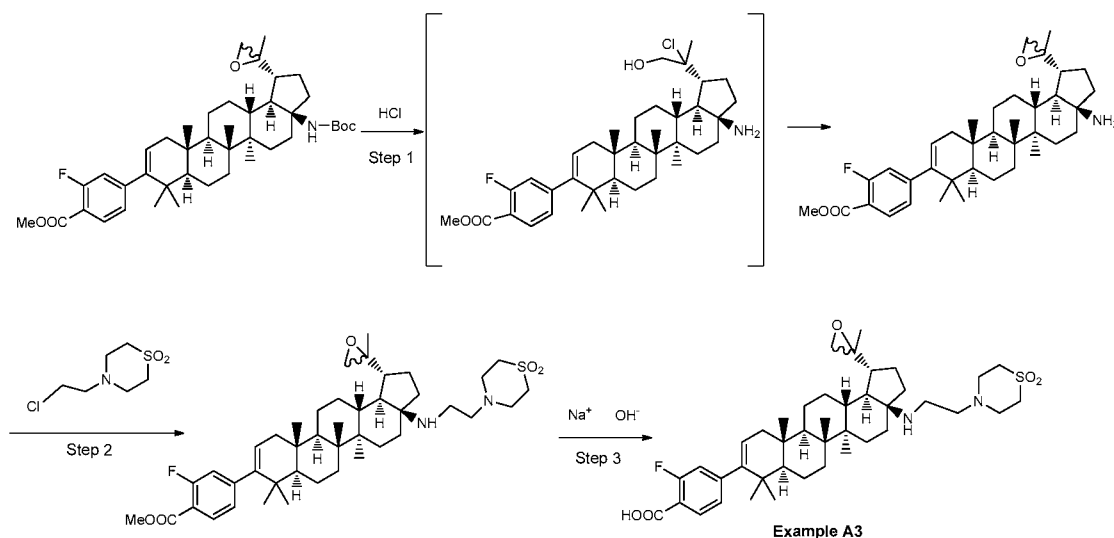
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2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

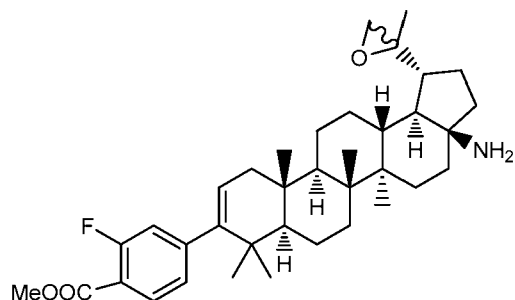
- 5 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (6 mg, 10.38 μmol) and 1 N NaOH (0.104 mL, 0.104 mmol) was heated up at 78 °C for 3 hours. The reaction mixture was cooled to room temperature, then neutralized with 1 N HCl to pH~4-6, the white precipitate was filtered and washed with distilled water to provide the desired product as white solid (4 mg, 65%). LCMS: m/e 564.18 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.44 min (method 4). ¹H NMR (400MHz, Acetic)
- 10 δ 7.92 (t, $J=7.9$ Hz, 1H), 7.04 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 1H), 6.98 (d, $J=12.0$ Hz, 1H), 5.38 (d, $J=4.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.08 (s, 1H), 5.00 (s, 1H), 4.21 (s, 2H), 2.78 - 2.60 (m, 1H), 2.33 - 1.13 (m, 22H), 1.16 (s, 3H), 1.08 (s, 3H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.99 (s, 3H), 0.97 (s, 3H).

Example A3

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2-methyloxiran-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoic acid



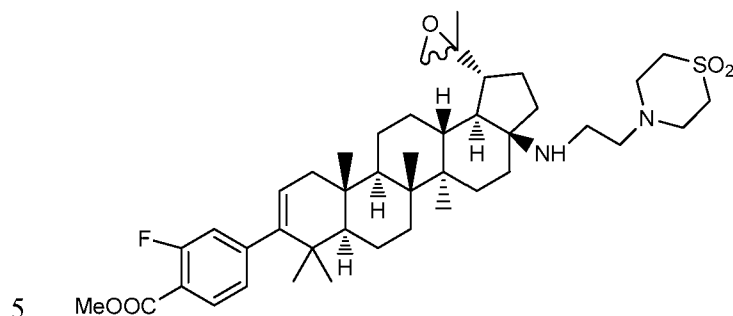
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A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2-methyloxiran-2-yl)-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (150 mg, 0.221 mmol) and hydrogen chloride (1.106 mL, 4.43 mmol) in THF (3 mL) was stirred for 30 hours. The reaction was stopped and quenched with distilled water (4 mL), extracted with dichloromethane (3x 2 mL), the combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to provide the title compound as colorless oil (100 mg, 78%). LCMS: m/e 578.2 ($M+H$)⁺, 1.98 min (method 4).

Step 2. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2-methyloxiran-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate



A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2-methyloxiran-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (68.4 mg, 0.346 mmol), potassium phosphate (110 mg, 0.519 mmol) and potassium iodide (28.7 mg, 0.173 mmol) in acetonitrile (1 mL) was heated up at 120 °C for 2 hours. The reaction mixture was quenched with distilled water (3 mL), extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 2 mL), the combined organic phases were dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to provide the crude as yellow oil. the crude was purified by prep HPLC to provide the title as colorless oil (20 mg, 16 %). LCMS: m/e 739.55 (M+H)⁺, 2.09 min (method 6).

Step 3. A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2-methyloxiran-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (20 mg, 0.027 mmol) and 1 N NaOH (0.271 mL, 0.271 mmol) in dioxane (1 mL) were heated up at 78 °C for 3 hours. The reaction mixture was filtered and purified by prep HPLC to provide 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2-methyloxiran-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoic acid as colorless oil (10 mg, 50 %). LCMS:

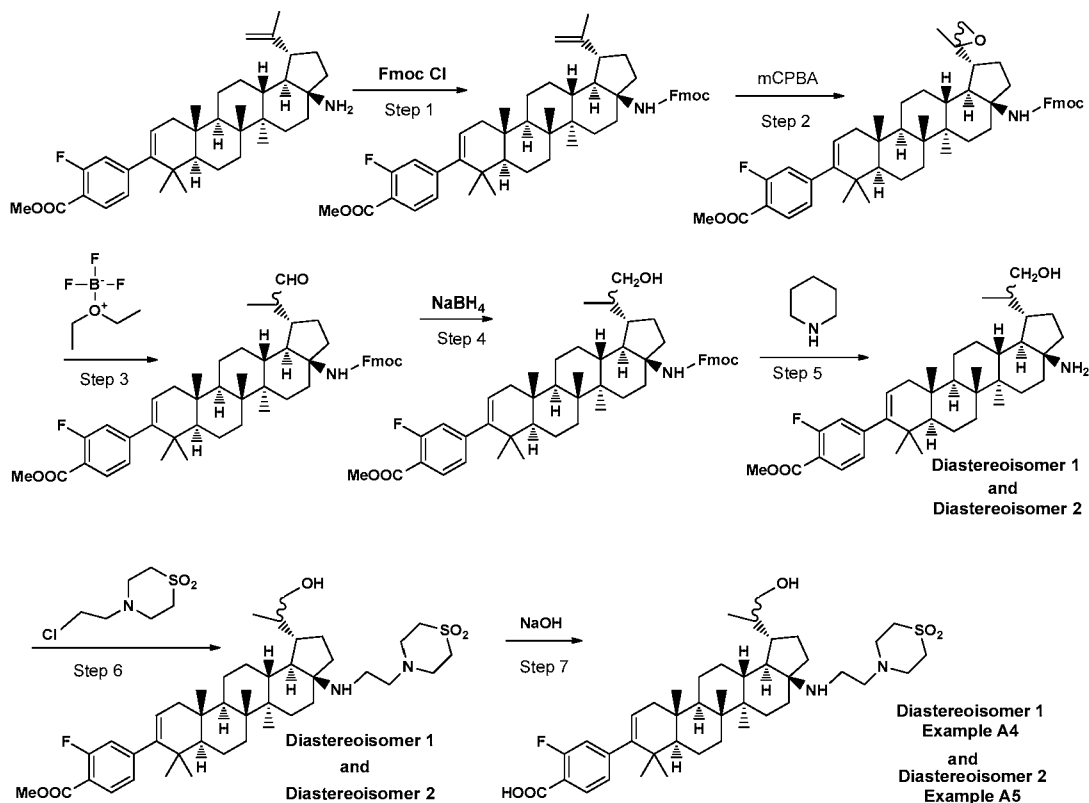
m/e 725.55 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.67 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400MHz, ACETONITRILE- d_3) δ 7.81 (t, $J=8.0$ Hz, 1H), 7.04 (dd, $J=8.0$, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 6.99 (dd, $J=12.2$, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 5.33 (dd, $J=6.1$, 1.9 Hz, 1H), 3.28 - 2.54 (m, 15H), 2.21 - 0.98 (m, 22H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.07 - 0.99 (m, 9H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.93 (s, 3H).

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Example A4 and Example A5

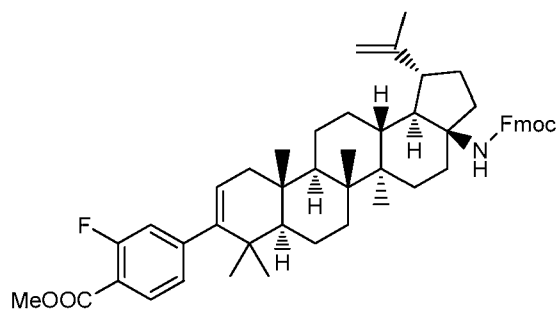
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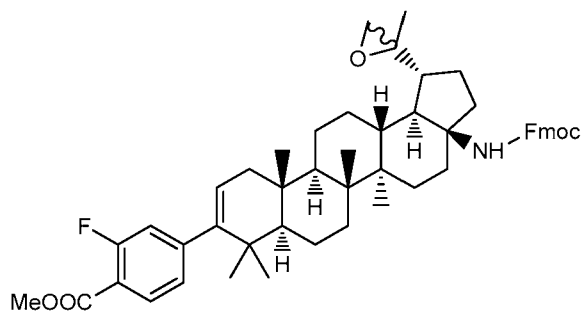
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- To a mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (2000 mg, 3.56 mmol) and sodium carbonate (1509 mg, 14.24 mmol) in THF (50mL) and water (50 mL) at room temperature was added (9H-fluoren-9-yl)methyl carbonochloridate (1105 mg, 4.27 mmol) in THF (5 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred for 2 hours, quenched with distilled water (10 mL) and extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 6 mL), the combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude material was purified using silica gel with 0-30% ethyl acetate/hexanes as the mobile phase to provide the desired product as a white solid (2.3 g, 81%). LCMS: m/e 784.3 (M+H)⁺, 4.7 min (method 4).

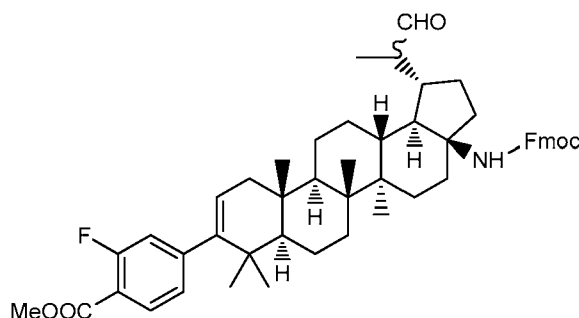
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- To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

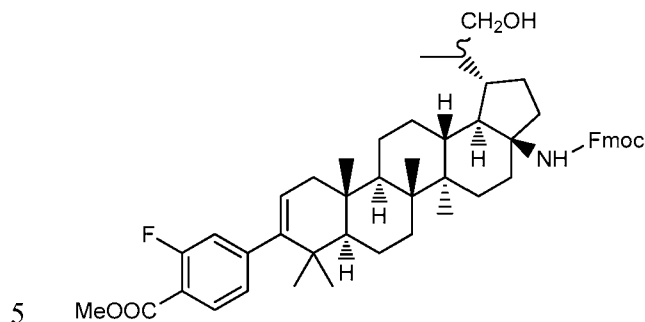
cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (950 mg, 1.212 mmol) in dichloromethane (4 mL) at 0 °C was added 3-chlorobenzoperoxoic acid (326 mg, 1.454 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred for 18 hours, quenched with sat. Na₂S₂O₃ (25 mL) and extracted with dichloromethane (2x30mL). The combined organic phases were washed with saturated aqueous solution of sodium bicarbonate, dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The resulting yellow oil was purified using silica gel with 0-30% ethyl acetate/hexanes as the mobile phase to provide the desired product as a white solid (780 mg, 80 %). LCMS: m/e 800.29 (M+H)⁺, 3.21 min (method 4).

Step 3. Preparation methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-oxopropan-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate



To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2-methyloxiran-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (780 mg, 0.975 mmol) in THF (30 mL) at room temperature was added BF₃·OEt₂ (0.247 mL, 1.950 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred for 2 hours at room temperature, quenched with distilled water (40 mL) and extracted with dichloromethane (2 x 30 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude was purified using silica gel with 0-35% ethyl acetate/hexanes as the mobile phase to provide the title compound as a mixture of diastereoisomers (white solid, 480 mg, 62 %). LCMS: m/e 800.6 (M+H)⁺, 3.40/3.61 min (method 6).

Step 4. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate



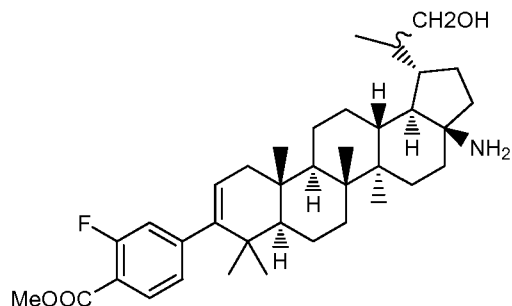
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15 LCMS: m/e 802.6/802.6 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.98/3.41 min (method 6).

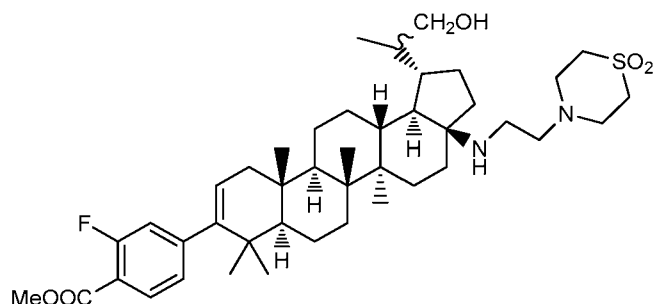
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To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (50 mg, 0.062 mmol) in THF (1 mL) at 20 °C was added piperidine (106 mg, 1.247 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred for 2 hours at 20 °C and then concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in acetonitrile (2 mL) and purified by prep HPLC to provide two diastereomers of the title compound: diastereomer 1 (12 mg, 33%) and diastereomer 2 (20 mg, 55%) as white solids. LCMS: m/e 580.5/580.6(M+H)⁺, 1.56/1.60 min (method 6).

Step 6. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate



A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 1), 4-(2-chloroethyl)thiomorpholine 1,1-dioxide (20.46 mg, 0.103 mmol), potassium phosphate (21.97 mg, 0.103 mmol) and potassium iodide (5.73 mg, 0.034 mmol) in acetonitrile (1 mL) was heated at 120 °C for 15 hours. The reaction mixture was quenched with water (2 mL) and extracted with dichloromethane (2 x 2 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to provide methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 1) as a white solid (9 mg, 35%). LCMS: m/e 741.44 (M+H)⁺, 2.00 min (method 4).

- Methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 2) was prepared following the same method described above for diastereomer 1 using methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 2) as the starting material. The product was isolated as a white solid (22 mg, 86%). LCMS: m/e 741.4(M+H)⁺, 2.24 min (method 4).

- Step 7.** A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 1) (9 mg, 0.012 mmol) and sodium hydroxide (0.297 mL, 0.297 mmol) in acetonitrile (1 mL) was heated at 80 °C for 2 hours. The reaction mixture was filtered and purified by prep HPLC to provide
- Example A 4:** 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoic acid (diastereomer 1) as a white solid (5 mg, 22%). LCMS: m/e 727.6 (M+H)⁺, 1.34 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (500MHz, Acetic) δ 7.97 (t, J=8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.10 (dd, J=8.0, 1.4 Hz, 1H), 7.04 (dd, J=11.8, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 5.44 (d, J=4.7 Hz, 1H), 3.86 (dd, J=11.2, 5.7 Hz, 1H), 3.67 - 3.54 (m, 1H), 3.47 - 3.24 (m, 8H), 3.22 - 3.00 (m, 4H), 2.63 - 2.43 (m, 1H), 2.35 - 2.22 (m, 2H), 2.17 - 1.30 (m, 21H), 1.31 (s, 3H), 1.13 (s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 1.00 (d, J=6.9 Hz, 3H).

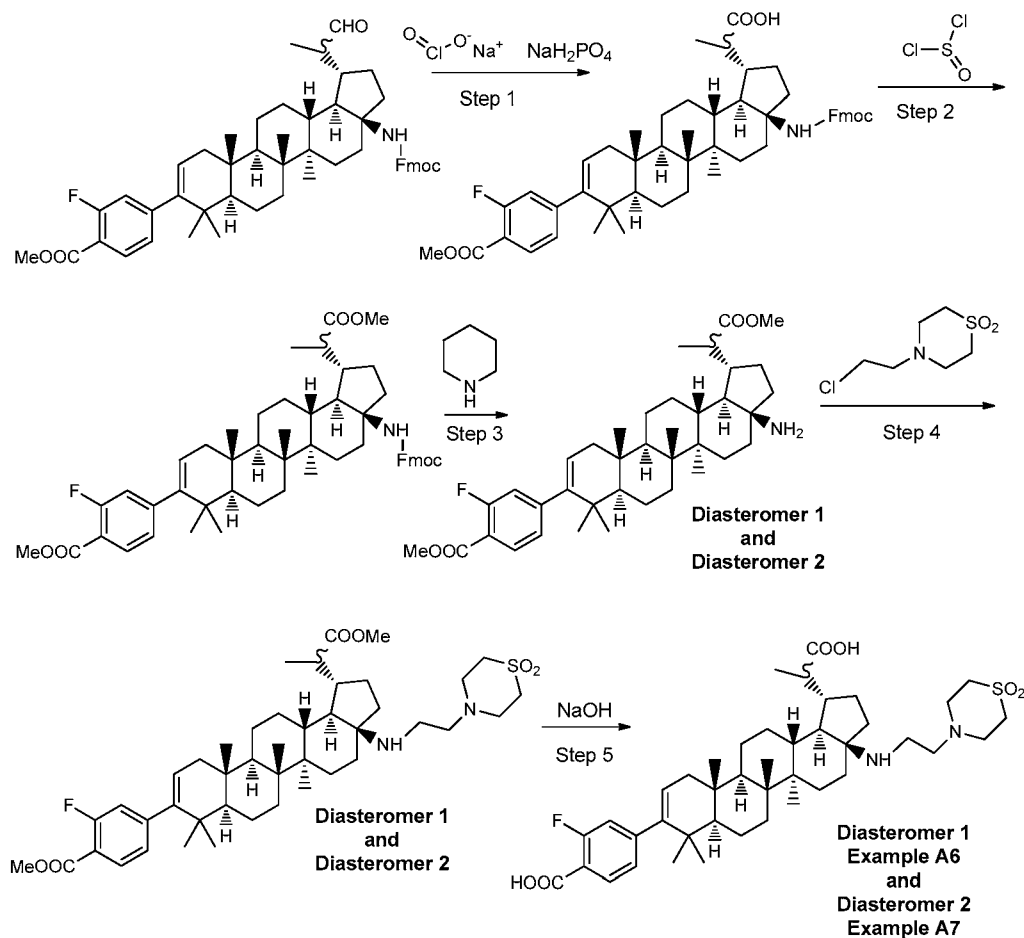
- Example A5:** 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoic acid (diastereomer 2) was prepared following the method described above for diastereomer 1 using methyl 4-

((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 2) as the starting material. The
5 product was isolated as a white solid (13 mg, 57%). LCMS: m/e 727.6(M+H)⁺, 1.93 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400MHz, ACETONITRILE-d₃) δ 7.81 (t, J =7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (dd, J =8.0, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.00 - 6.93 (m, 1H), 5.31 (dd, J =6.0, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 3.34 - 2.89 (m, 14H), 2.65 - 2.47 (m, 1H), 2.18 - 1.05 (m, 23H), 1.16 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.93 (s, 3H), 0.76 (d, J =6.8 Hz, 3H).

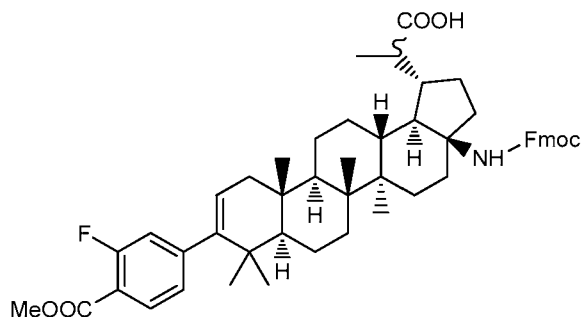
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Example A6 and Example A7

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-(1-carboxyethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoic acid (diastereomer 1 and diastereomer 2)



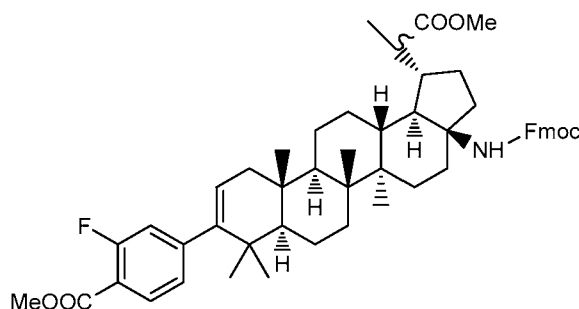
Step 1. Preparation of 2-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-9-(3-fluoro-4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-1-yl)propanoic acid



To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-oxopropan-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastomeric mixture) (150 mg, 0.187 mmol) in tBuOH (4 mL) and THF (8 mL) at 20 °C was added a solution of sodium dihydrogenphosphate (202 mg, 1.687 mmol) and sodium chlorite (115 mg, 1.275 mmol) in water (5 mL) over 0.5-1h. The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 additional hour at 20 °C, quenched with water (10 mL) and extracted with dichloromethane (2 x 10 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to provide the title compound as a mixture of diastomers (white solid, 100 mg, 65%). LCMS: m/e 816.3 (M+H)⁺, 2.68 min (method 4).

Step 2. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-1-(1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate

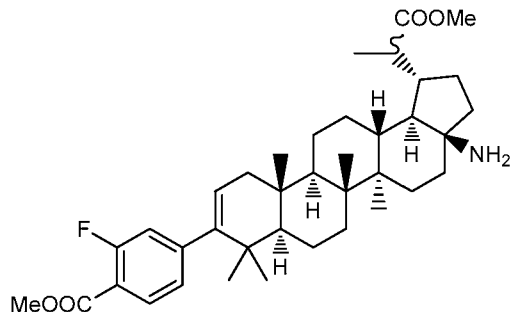


To a solution of 2-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-9-(3-fluoro-4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-1-yl)propanoic acid (100 mg, 0.123 mmol) in dichloromethane (2 mL) at 20 °C was added thionyl chloride (0.045 mL, 0.613 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred for 2 hours at 20 °C and then concentrated under reduced pressure to provide the brown residue. Methanol (4 mL) was slowly added to the residue and the mixture was stirred for 10 additional minutes. The reaction mixture was then concentrated under reduced pressure to provide the title compound as a mixture of diastomers (brown solid, 96 mg, 94 %). LCMS: m/e 830.35/830.34 (M+H)⁺, 3.59/3.83 min (method 4).

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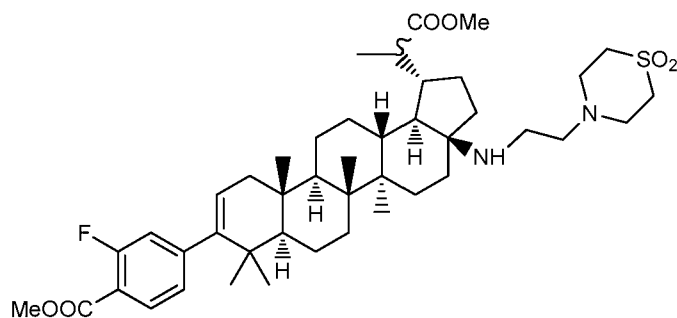
Step 3. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-1-(1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 1 and diastereomer 2)



To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-1-(1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (96 mg, 0.116 mmol) in THF (1 mL) at 20 °C was added piperidine (197 mg, 2.313 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 hour and then concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in acetonitrile (1 mL) and the clear solution was purified by prep HPLC to provide two diastereomers of the title compound: methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-1-(1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 1) as a white solid (12 mg, 17%). LCMS: m/e 607.24 (M)⁺/591.25(M-NH₂)⁺, 1.88 min (method 4). And methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-1-(1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 2) as a white solid (23 mg, 33%). LCMS: m/e 607.24 (M)⁺/591.25(M-NH₂)⁺, 2.00 min (method 4).

Step 4. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 1 and diastereomer 2)



- A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-1-(1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 1) (12 mg, 0.020 mmol), potassium phosphate (24.10 mg, 0.114 mmol), 4-(2-chloroethyl)thiomorpholine 1,1-dioxide (22.44 mg, 0.114 mmol) and potassium iodide (6.28 mg, 0.038 mmol) in acetonitrile (1 mL) were heated at 120 °C for 15 hours. The reaction mixture was quenched with water (2 mL), extracted with dichloromethane (2 x 2 mL), dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to provide methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 1) as a white solid (10 mg, 34%). LCMS: m/e 769.33 (M+H)⁺, 2.24 min (method 4).
- Methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 2) was prepared following the method described above for the synthesis of diastereomer 1 using methyl methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-1-(1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 2) as the starting material. The product was isolated as a white solid (16 mg, 55%). LCMS: m/e 769.33(M+H)⁺, 2.26 min (method 4).

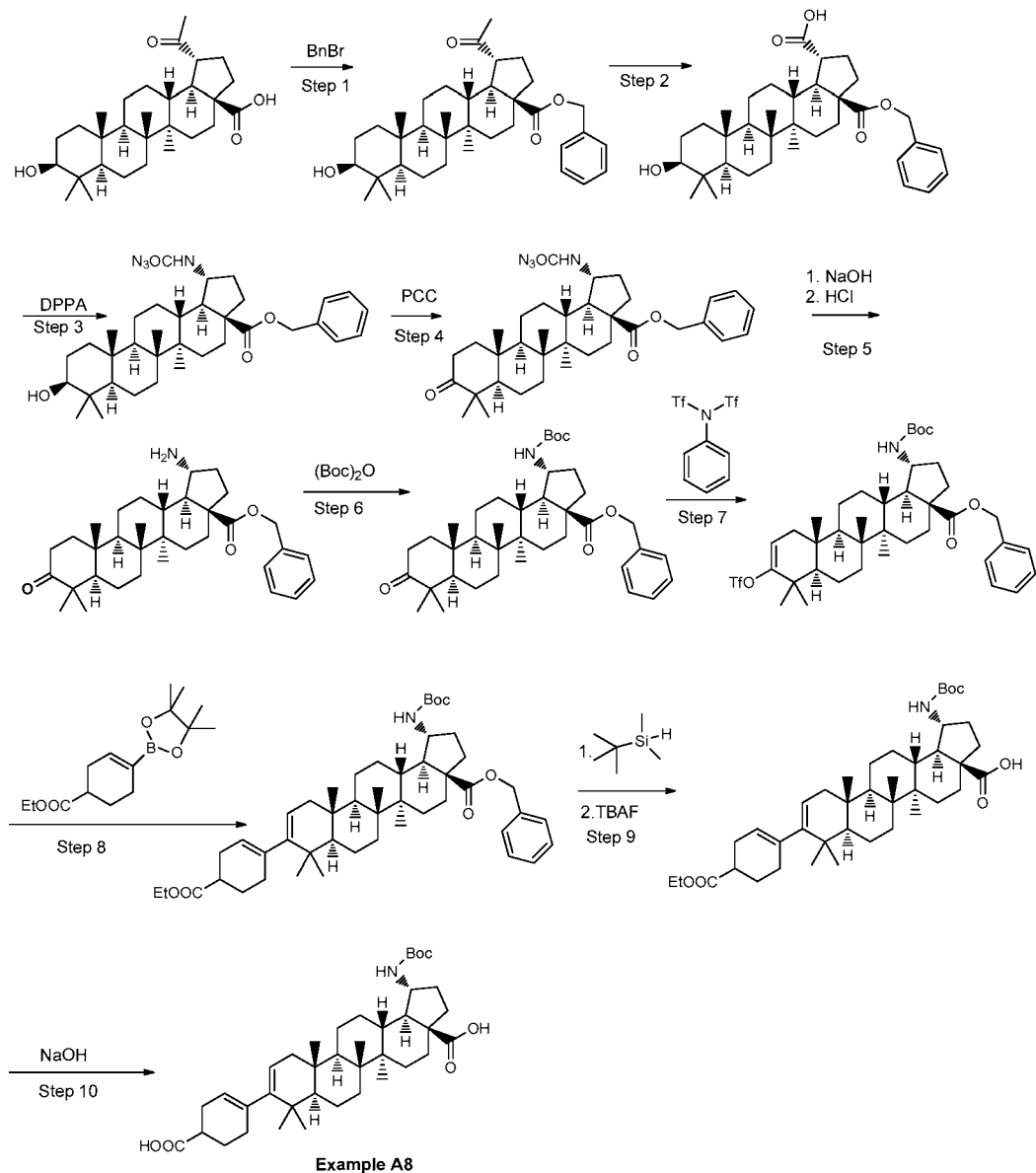
Step 5. A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 1) (10 mg, 0.013 mmol) and sodium hydroxide (0.130 mL, 0.130 mmol) was heated up at 80 °C for 2 hours. The reaction mixture was filtered and purified by prep HPLC to provide 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-(1-carboxyethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoic acid (diastereomer 1) as a white solid (4 mg, 39%). LCMS: m/e 741.25 (M+H)⁺, 1.55 min (method 4). ¹H NMR (500MHz, ACETONITRILE-d₃) δ 7.85 (t, J=7.9 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (dd, J=8.0, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (dd, J=12.1, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 5.37 (dd, J=6.2, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 3.34 - 3.07 (m, 7H), 3.06 - 2.88 (m, 5H), 2.81 - 2.66 (m, 1H), 2.36 - 2.14 (m, 2H), 2.07 - 1.26 (m, 21H), 1.22 (s, 3H), 1.15 (d, J=7.1 Hz, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H).

Example A7: 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-(1-carboxyethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoic acid (diastereomer 2) was prepared following the method described above for the synthesis of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-(1-carboxyethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoic acid (diastereomer 1) using methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-methoxy-1-oxopropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)-2-fluorobenzoate (diastereomer 2) as starting material. The title compound was isolated as a white solid (7 mg, 69%). LCMS: m/e 741.5(M+H)⁺, 2.21 min (method 4). ¹H NMR (500MHz, ACETONITRILE-d₃) δ 7.85 (t, J=8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.08 (dd, J=8.0, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 7.03 (dd, J=12.1, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 5.37 (dd, J=6.1, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 3.31

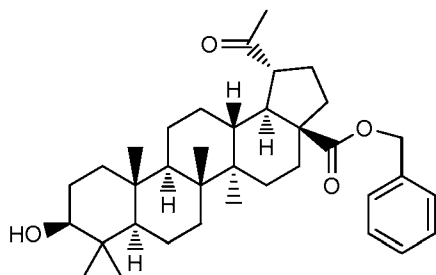
- 3.08 (m, 7H), 3.07 - 2.97 (m, 4H), 2.95 - 2.85 (m, 1H), 2.84 - 2.70 (m, 2H), 2.18 (dd, $J=17.3, 6.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.09 - 1.27 (m, 21H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.08 (d, $J=5.4$ Hz, 3H), 1.15 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H).

5 Example A8

Preparation of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-9-(4-carboxycyclohex-1-en-1-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid

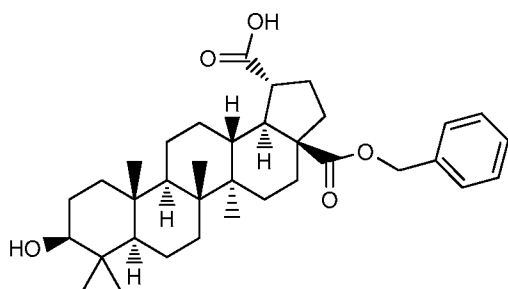


Step 1. Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,9S,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bS)-benzyl 1-acetyl-9-hydroxy-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethylcyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate



A mixture of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,9S,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-9-hydroxy-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethylcosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (1.6 g, 3.49 mmol), potassium carbonate (0.964 g, 6.98 mmol) and (bromomethyl)benzene (0.435 mL, 3.66 mmol) in DMF (10 mL) was heated at 60 °C for 18 hours. The reaction mixture was cooled down to room temperature and 100 mL water was added. A white precipitate was collected and dried under vacuum to provide the desired product as a white solid (1.7 g, 89%). LCMS: m/e 549.3 (M+H)⁺, 2.54 min (method 4).

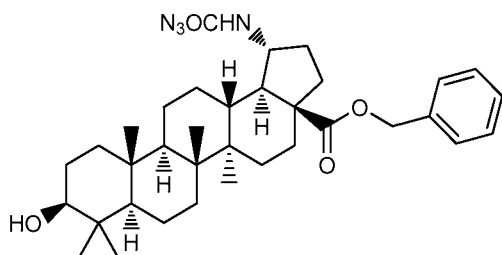
Step 2. Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,9S,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((benzyloxy)carbonyl)-9-hydroxy-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethylcosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-1-carboxylic acid



To a solution of sodium hydroxide (1.749 g, 43.7 mmol) in water (30 mL) was slowly added dibromine (0.789 mL, 15.31 mmol) at 0 °C, the reaction mixture was stirred for 20 min at 0 °C, this fresh made orange solution was slowly added to a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,9S,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bS)-benzyl 1-acetyl-9-hydroxy-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethylcosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (1.2 g, 2.187 mmol) in dioxane (40 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 4 hours and then warmed up to rt and stirred for 15 hours. The reaction mixture was then neutralized by concentrated HCl to pH=3-4 and extracted with dichloromethane (2 x 40 mL). The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude was purified using silica gel with 0-60% ethyl acetate/hexanes as the mobile phase to provide the desired product as a white solid (1.1 g, 91%). LCMS: m/e 549.18 (M-H)⁻, 2.26 min (method 4).

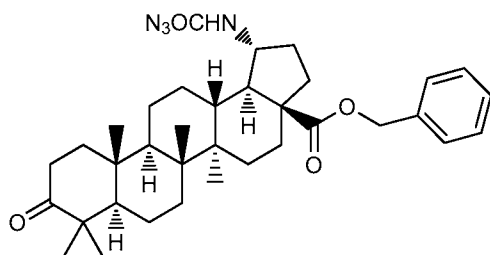
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Step 3. Preparation of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,9S,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 1-((azidocarbonyl)amino)-9-hydroxy-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethylcosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate



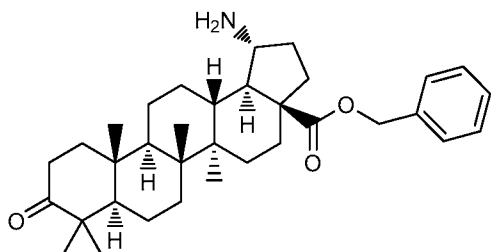
A mixture of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,9S,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-
 ((benzyloxy)carbonyl)-9-hydroxy-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethylcyclopenta[a]chrysene-1-carboxylic acid (1100 mg, 1.997 mmol), diphenyl
 5 phosphorazidate (1.076 mL, 4.99 mmol) and triethylamine (0.835 mL, 5.99 mmol) in
 dioxane (30 mL) was heated at 75 °C for 2 hours until TLC indicated the sm was
 consumed. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and the residue
 was purified using silica gel with 0-42% ethyl acetate/hexanes as the mobile phase to
 10 provide the title compound as a white solid (1.2 g, 100%). LCMS: m/e 589.29 (M-H)⁻,
 2.40 min (method 4).

**Step 4. Preparation of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 1-
 ((azidocarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-9-oxocyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate**
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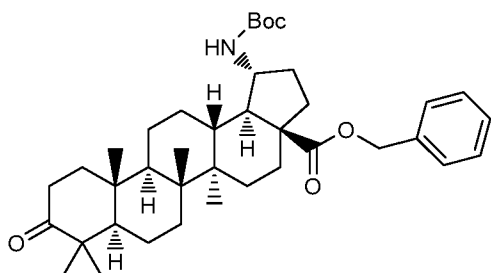
A mixture of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,9S,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 1-
 ((azidocarbonyl)amino)-9-hydroxy-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethylcyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (1.2 g, 2.031 mmol) and PCC (1.095 g, 5.08 mmol)
 20 in THF (20 mL) was stirred at 20 °C for 17 hours. The reaction mixture was concentrated
 under reduced pressure and the residue was purified on silica gel with 0-35% ethyl
 acetate/hexanes as the mobile phase to provide the product as a colorless oil. (1.15 g,
 96%). LCMS: m/e 589.29 (M+H)⁺, 2.48 min (method 4).

Step 5. Preparation of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 1-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-9-oxoicosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate



- 5 To a solution of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 1-((azidocarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-9-oxoicosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (1.15 g, 1.953 mmol) in THF (20 mL) was added 1N sodium hydroxide (9.77 mL, 9.77 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred for 1 hour until the sm was consumed. To the reaction mixture was added HCl (0.593 mL, 19.53
- 10 mmol), the reaction mixture was stirred for another 2 hours and extracted with dichloromethane (3 x 15 mL), the combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to provide the title compound as a pale yellow solid. (1.0 g, 96%). LCMS: m/e 520.28 (M+H)⁺, 2.30 min (method 4).

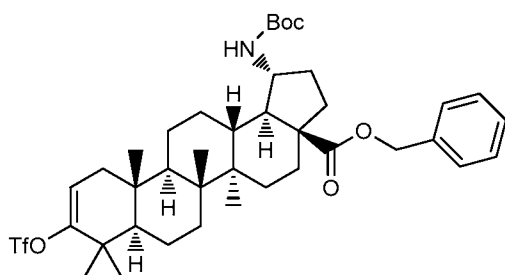
Step 6. Preparation of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 1-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-9-oxoicosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate



- A mixture of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 1-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-9-oxoicosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (97055-013, 011) (1.05 g, 2.020 mmol), di-tert-butyl dicarbonate (0.704 mL, 3.03 mmol) and triethylamine (0.845 mL, 6.06 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was stirred at 20 °C for 48 hours. The reaction mixture was quenched with distilled water (15 mL) and extracted with dichloromethane (2 x 15 mL), the organic layers were combined, dried

over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to provide the crude, the crude was purified using silica gel with 0-40% ethyl acetate/hexanes as the mobile phase to provide the product as a white solid (0.83 g, 66%). ¹H NMR (500MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 7.47 - 7.31 (m, 5H), 5.14 (d, $J=6.5$ Hz, 2H), 2.63 - 2.47 (m, 1H),
 5 2.46 - 2.36 (m, 1H), 2.29 (d, $J=12.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.23 - 2.12 (m, 2H), 2.01 - 1.90 (m, 1H),
 1.86 (dd, $J=12.5, 7.9$ Hz, 1H), 1.75 - 1.64 (m, 1H), 1.62 - 1.09 (m, 17H), 1.46 (s, 9H),
 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H), 0.93 (s, 3H), 0.75 (s, 3H).

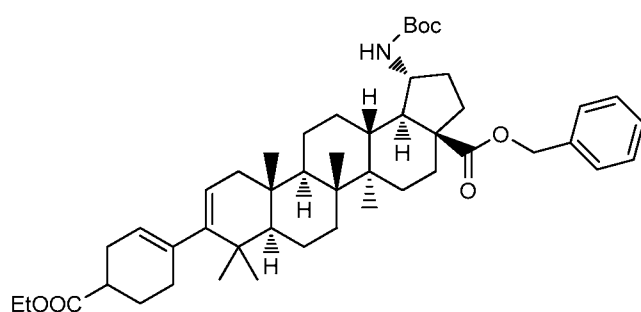
**Step 7. Preparation of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 1-
 10 ((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-9-
 (((trifluoromethyl)sulfonyl)oxy)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-
 octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate**



15 To a solution of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 1-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-9-oxoicosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (0.83 g, 1.339 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was added potassium bis(trimethylsilyl)amide (2.94 mL, 2.68 mmol) at -78 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred at -78 °C for 15 minutes, 1,1,1-trifluoro-N-phenyl-N-
 20 (((trifluoromethyl)sulfonyl)methanesulfonamide (0.526 g, 1.473 mmol) in 4 mL THF was added. The reaction mixture was stirred for 2 hours at -78 °C. The reaction mixture was quenched with distilled water (20 mL) and extracted with ethyl acetate (2 x 20 mL). The organic phases were combined, dried over sodium sulfate, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude was purified using silica gel with 0-33% ethyl
 25 acetate/hexanes as the mobile phase to provide the title compound as a colorless oil, which was dried under vacuum to give a white foam solid (0.5 g, 50%). ¹H NMR (500MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 7.49 - 7.30 (m, 5H), 5.58 (dd, $J=6.7, 1.8$ Hz, 1H), 5.14

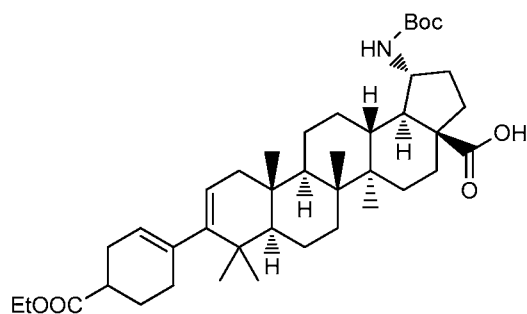
(d, $J=8.4$ Hz, 2H), 2.29 (d, $J=12.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.24 - 2.12 (m, 3H), 1.99 - 1.07 (m, 19H), 1.46 (s, 9H), 1.13 (s, 3H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.93 (s, 3H), 0.91 (s, 3H), 0.73 (s, 3H).

**Step 8. Preparation of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 1-
5 ((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-9-(4-(ethoxycarbonyl)cyclohex-1-en-1-yl)-
5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-
octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate**



- 10 A mixture of ethyl 4-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylate (149 mg, 0.532 mmol), (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aR,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 1-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-9-(((trifluoromethyl)sulfonyl)oxy)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (200 mg, 0.266 mmol),
15 tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(0) (15.37 mg, 0.013 mmol) and sodium bicarbonate (112 mg, 1.330 mmol) in dioxane (5 mL) and water (5 mL) was heated at 76 °C for 3 hours. The reaction mixture was quenched with distilled water (10 mL), and extracted with ethyl acetate (3 x 10 mL). The extracts were combined, dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure. The crude was purified using
20 silica gel with 0-25% ethyl acetate/hexanes as the mobile phase to provide the title compound as a colorless oil. (0.15 g, 75%). LCMS: m/e 778.65 ($M+Na$)⁺, 3.77 min (method 6).

**Step 9. Preparation of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-((tert-
25 butoxycarbonyl)amino)-9-(4-(ethoxycarbonyl)cyclohex-1-en-1-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-
pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid**



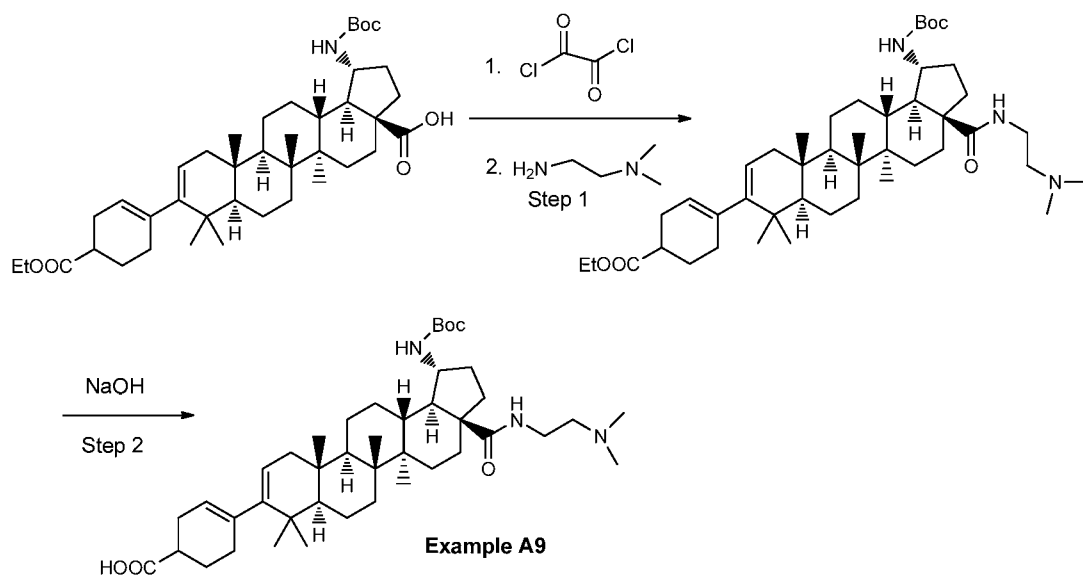
- A mixture of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 1-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-9-(4-(ethoxycarbonyl)cyclohex-1-en-1-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (80 mg, 0.106 mmol), tert-butyldimethylsilane (24.61 mg, 0.212 mmol), palladium (II) acetate (11.88 mg, 0.053 mmol) and triethylamine (0.044 mL, 0.317 mmol) in dichloroethane (2 mL) was heated at 60 °C for 3 hours. Then the mixture was filtered through a pad of silica gel to remove the Pd catalyst, the filtrates were concentrated under reduced pressure to provide the crude as yellow oil.
- This yellow oil was dissolved in 2 mL THF and treated with TBAF (111 mg, 0.317 mmol). The mixture was stirred for 2 hours until starting material was consumed. The reaction mixture was treated with 1 N HCl until reaching pH 4. Water (2 mL) was added and a white precipitate formed. The precipitate was collected and dried to provide the title compound as a white solid (45 mg, 64%). LCMS: m/e 688.6 (M+Na)⁺, 2.71 min (method 6).

- Step 10.** A solution of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-9-(4-(ethoxycarbonyl)cyclohex-1-en-1-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (6 mg, 9.01 μmol) and sodium hydroxide (0.090 mL, 0.090 mmol) in acetonitrile (1 mL) was heated at 80 °C for 3 hours. The reaction mixture was filtered and purified by HPLC to provide (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-9-(4-carboxycyclohex-1-en-1-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid as a white solid (1.5 mg, 25%). LCMS: m/e

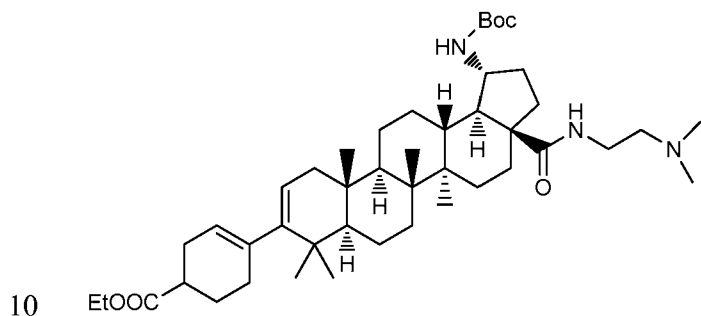
636.23 (M-H)⁺, 2.28 min (method 4). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 5.39 (br. s., 1H), 5.21 (t, *J*=5.6 Hz, 1H), 2.80 - 1.04 (m, 30H), 1.46 (s, 9H), 1.01 - 0.77 (m, 15H).

Example A9

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-3a-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)carbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylic acid



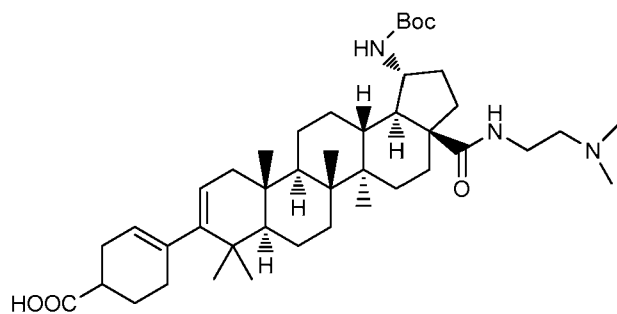
Step 1. Preparation of ethyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-3a-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)carbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylate



To a solution of (1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-9-(4-(ethoxycarbonyl)cyclohex-1-en-1-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-

pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (10 mg, 0.015 mmol) in dichloromethane (1 mL) was added oxalyl dichloride (0.015 mL, 0.030 mmol) at room temperature, the reaction mixture was stirred for 1 hour until starting material was consumed. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and dried under vacuum for 2 hours to provide the intermediate acid chloride as yellow oil. To a solution of N1,N1-dimethylethane-1,2-diamine (1.986 mg, 0.023 mmol) and Hunig's Base (5.25 μ L, 0.030 mmol) in dichloromethane (1 mL) was added acid chloride made previously in dichloromethane (1 mL), the reaction mixture was stirred for 16 hours, quenched with distilled water (2 mL) and extracted with dichloromethane (2 x 2 mL), the combined organic phases were washed with brine (3 mL), dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to provide the title compound as a brown oil. (6 mg, 54%). LCMS: m/e 736.6 (M+H)⁺, 3.02 min (method 3).

Step 2. Preparation of 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-3a-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)carbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylic acid

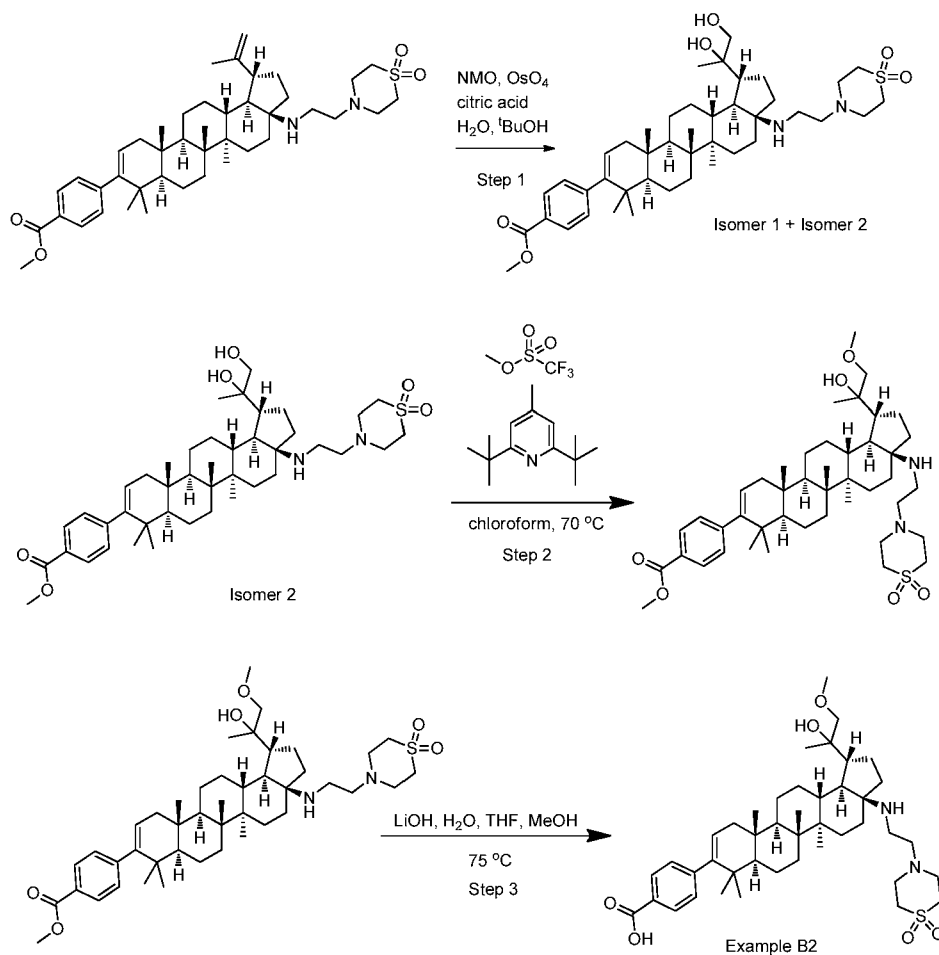


A mixture of ethyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-1-((tert-butoxycarbonyl)amino)-3a-((2-(dimethylamino)ethyl)carbamoyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)cyclohex-3-enecarboxylate (6 mg, 8.15 μ mol) and NaOH (0.082 mL, 0.082 mmol) in dioxane (1 mL) was heated up at 80 °C for 2 hours. The reaction mixture was filtered and purified by HPLC to provide the desired product as a colorless oil (1.1 mg, 18%). LCMS: m/e 708.5 (M+H)⁺, 1.76 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 7.51 (s, 1H), 5.48 - 5.31 (m, 1H), 5.20 (d, J=6.3 Hz,

1H), 3.84 - 3.46 (m, 2H), 3.19 (d, $J=5.5$ Hz, 2H), 2.86 (br. s., 6H), 2.60 (br. s., 1H), 2.42 - 1.04 (m, 29H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.01 - 0.76 (m, 15H).

Example B1

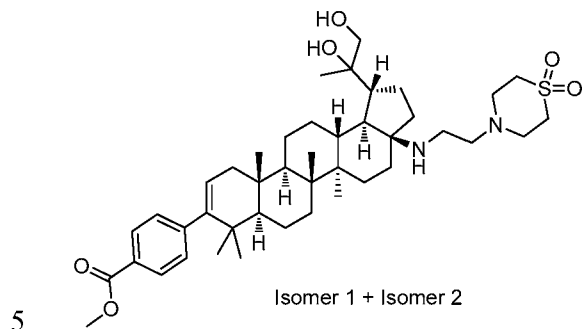
- 5 **Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxy-1-methoxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.**



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- Step 1: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 and methyl 4-**
- 15 **((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-**

(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2.



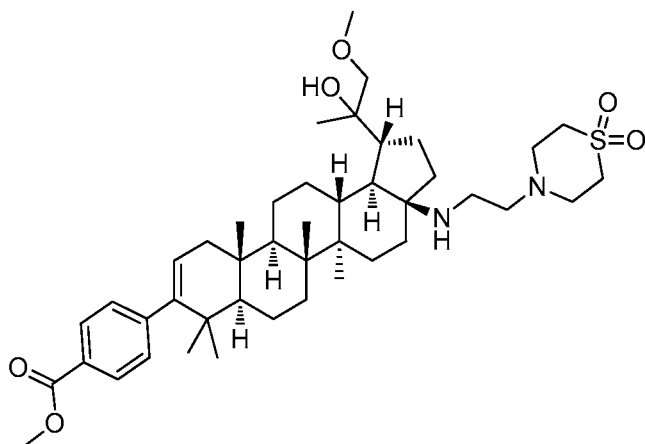
To a mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxido-4-thiomorpholinyl)ethyl)amino)-1-isopropenyl-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (1.11 g, 1.57 mmol), citric acid monohydrate (0.662 g, 3.15 mmol) and 4-methylmorpholine N-oxide (0.203 g, 1.73 mmol) was added tert-butanol (30 mL) followed by water (30 mL). Then osmium tetroxide, 2.5% in tert-butanol (0.800 g, 0.988 mL, 0.079 mmol) was added and the resulting mixture was stirred at rt for 27 hours. The olive green solution was concentrated in vacuo to a residue and was then redissolved in THF (150 mL). The solution was washed with brine (75 mL), then the organic was washed twice with a mixture of brine (50 mL) and 1N aqueous NaOH (10 mL), and then once more with brine (50 mL). The combined aqueous extracts were back-extracted with THF (75 mL) and the organic phases were combined. To the organic was added silica gel (11 g) and the mixture was concentrated in vacuo to a free-flowing powder which was placed in a vacuum oven at 50 °C for 16 h. The free flowing powder was loaded on the top of an 80g silica gel column. Elution gradient 100% DCM to 9:1 DCM:MeOH gave separation of two diastereomers of the titled compound. The first of the two isomers of the titled compound to elute from the column was labeled Isomer 1 (0.232 g, 20% yield) and the second of the two isomers of the titled compound to elute from the column was labeled Isomer 2 (0.476 g, 41% yield).

25 Analytical data for methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1: LCMS: m/e 739.7 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.12 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, 1:1 *CDCl*₃:*MeOD*, *MeOD* lock) δ ppm 7.96 - 7.87 (m, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.27 - 7.17 (m, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.23 (s, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.51 (d, $J=11.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.19 - 3.08 (m, 6H), 3.08 - 2.96 (m, 2H), 2.80 - 2.63 (m, 2H), 2.63 - 2.50 (m, 1H), 2.50 - 2.35 (m, 1H), 2.23 - 2.05 (m, 2H), 1.98 - 1.86 (m, 2H), 1.86 - 1.61 (m, 6H), 1.60 - 1.40 (m, 7H), 1.39 - 1.24 (m, 4H), 1.17 (s, 3H), 1.15 - 1.08 (m, 1H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H).

Analytical data for methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2: LCMS: m/e 739.7 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.13 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, 1:1 *CDCl*₃:*MeOD*, *MeOD* lock) δ ppm 7.94 - 7.87 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.25 - 7.18 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, $J=4.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.23 (s, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.49 (d, $J=10.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.40 (d, $J=11.0$ Hz, 1H), 3.18 - 2.97 (m, 8H), 2.78 - 2.64 (m, 2H), 2.61 - 2.49 (m, 1H), 2.49 - 2.38 (m, 1H), 2.16 (dd, $J=17.2, 6.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.06 - 1.98 (m, 1H), 1.98 - 1.91 (m, 1H), 1.91 - 1.83 (m, 1H), 1.83 - 1.62 (m, 7H), 1.60 - 1.32 (m, 8H), 1.31 - 1.24 (m, 2H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.16 (br. s., 3H), 1.15 - 1.06 (m, 2H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.94 (br. s., 3H).

Step 2: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxy-1-methoxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate



To a stirred mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2 (0.020 g, 0.027 mmol) and 2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-methylpyridine (0.028 g, 0.135 mmol) in chloroform (0.5 mL) was added methyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (0.022 g, 0.135 mmol). The vial containing the solution was sealed and heated to 70 °C for 18h. Additional methyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (0.022 g, 0.135 mmol) was added and the mixture was again heated to 70 °C for 30 min. The mixture was diluted with chloroform (2 mL) and washed with saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (3 x 1 mL). The organic phase was concentrated via nitrogen stream and purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 2) to provide the title compound (0.0094 g, 35.4% yield) as a bis-TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 753.8 (M+H)⁺, 2.31 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, *acetone d6*) δ ppm 8.00 - 7.90 (m, 2H), 7.35 - 7.25 (m, *J*=8.6 Hz, 2H), 5.34 (dd, *J*=6.1, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 3.43 - 3.35 (m, 3H), 3.35 (s, 3H), 3.32 (dd, *J*=7.5, 2.3 Hz, 2H), 3.29 - 3.24 (m, 2H), 3.24 - 3.11 (m, 6H), 3.11 - 3.01 (m, 2H), 2.45 - 2.36 (m, 1H), 2.35 - 2.27 (m, 1H), 2.27 - 2.18 (m, 2H), 2.18 - 2.11 (m, 1H), 2.00 - 1.92 (m, 3H), 1.88 - 1.79 (m, 2H), 1.79 - 1.70 (m, 2H), 1.69 - 1.53 (m, 6H), 1.53 - 1.41 (m, 4H), 1.36 (s, 3H), 1.32 (d, *J*=11.0 Hz, 2H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.17 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H).

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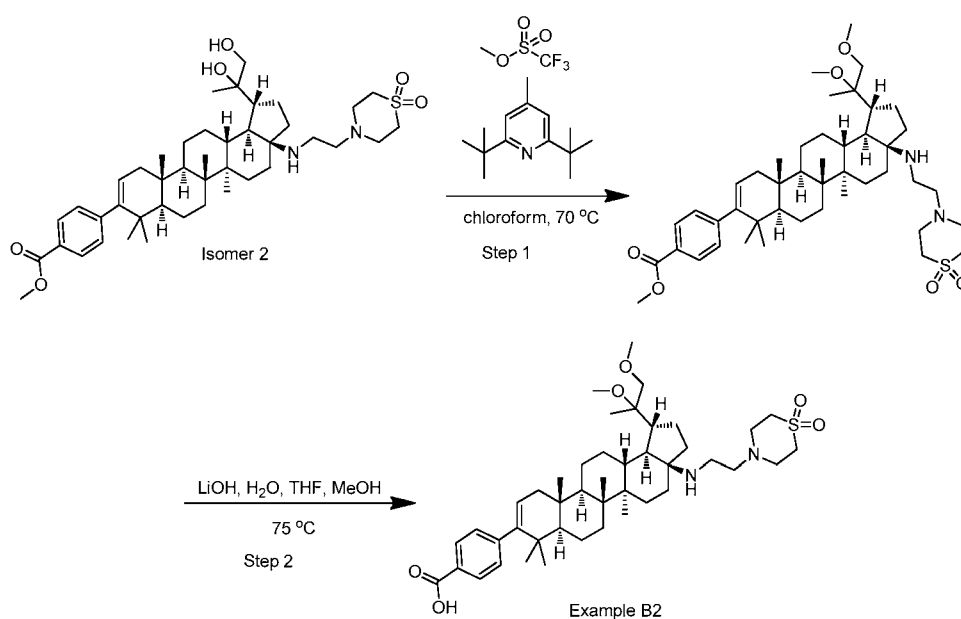
Step 3: A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxy-1-methoxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.094 g, 0.0096 mmol), lithium hydroxide monohydrate (0.0040 g, 0.096 mmol), methanol (0.3 mL), THF (0.3 mL) and water (0.3 mL) was heated with stirring to 75 °C for 80 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 3) to provide the title compound (0.0104 g, >100% yield) as a bis-TFA salt.

LCMS: m/e 739.6 (M+H)⁺, 2.08 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, *acetone d6*) δ ppm 8.03 - 7.92 (m, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.34 - 7.25 (m, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.39 - 5.29 (m, 1H), 4.05 (s, 1H), 3.42 - 3.36 (m, 2H), 3.35 (s, 3H), 3.33 - 3.29 (m, 2H), 3.29 - 3.24 (m, 2H), 3.24 - 3.12 (m, 6H), 3.11 - 3.02 (m, 2H), 2.44 - 2.36 (m, 1H), 2.36 - 2.27 (m, 1H), 2.27 - 2.10 (m, 3H), 2.01 - 1.89 (m, 3H), 1.88 - 1.79 (m, 2H), 1.79 - 1.70 (m, 2H), 1.69 - 1.53

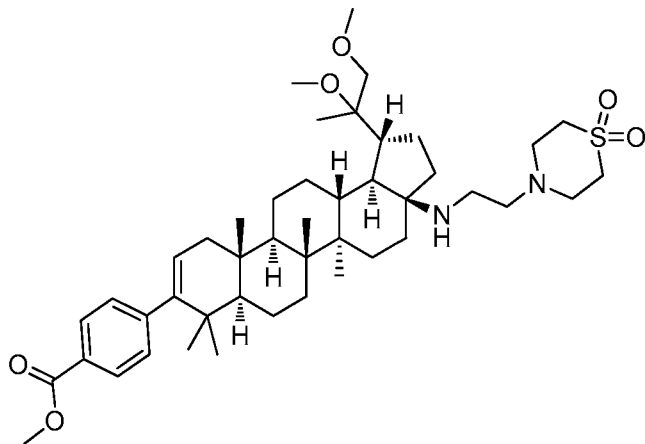
(m, 6H), 1.53 - 1.42 (m, 4H), 1.36 (s, 3H), 1.32 (d, $J=12.7$ Hz, 2H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.17 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H).

Example B2

- 5 **Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dimethoxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidethiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid**

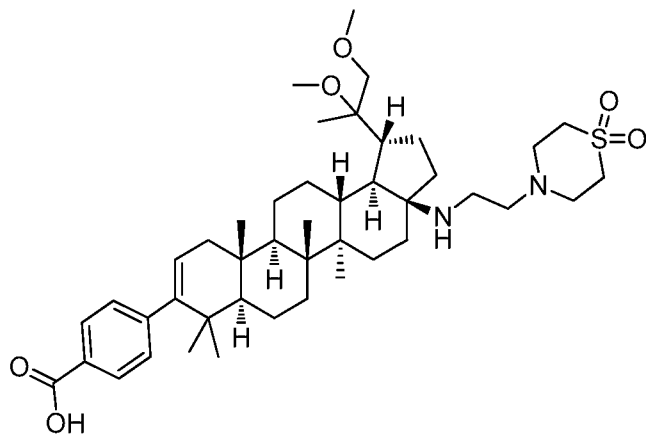


- 10 **Step 1: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dimethoxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidethiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate**



To a stirred mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2 (0.020 g, 0.027 mmol) and 2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-methylpyridine (0.056 g, 0.271 mmol) in chloroform (0.5 mL) was added methyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (0.058 g, 0.352 mmol). The vial containing the solution was sealed and heated to 70 °C for 4h. The mixture was diluted with chloroform (1.5 mL) and washed with saturated aqueous ammonium chloride (1 mL). The aqueous wash was back-extracted with chloroform (2 x 1 mL) and the organic phases were combined. The combined organic phase was concentrated via nitrogen stream and purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 2) to provide the title compound (0.010 g, 48.2% yield). LCMS: m/e 767.7 (M+H)⁺, 2.34 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, acetone *d*₆) δ ppm 8.00 - 7.90 (m, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.35 - 7.25 (m, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.35 (dd, *J*=6.0, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 3.40 (s, 2H), 3.39 - 3.34 (m, 2H), 3.33 (s, 3H), 3.32 - 3.26 (m, 1H), 3.22 (br. s., 3H), 3.19 (s, 4H), 3.17 - 3.12 (m, 2H), 3.12 - 3.01 (m, 2H), 2.65 - 2.55 (m, 1H), 2.36 (dd, *J*=12.0, 8.8 Hz, 1H), 2.28 - 2.17 (m, 2H), 2.15 - 2.09 (m, 1H), 2.03 - 1.92 (m, 2H), 1.91 - 1.79 (m, 3H), 1.78 (s, 1H), 1.76 - 1.68 (m, 1H), 1.66 - 1.54 (m, 6H), 1.54 - 1.38 (m, 4H), 1.34 (s, 4H), 1.31 (br. s., 1H), 1.15 (s, 3H), 1.15 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H).

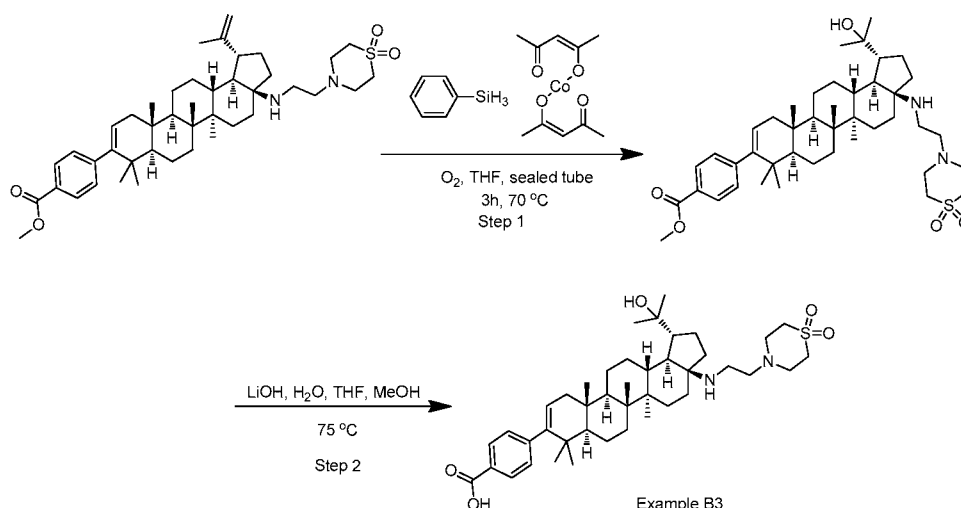
Step 2: Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dimethoxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid



A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dimethoxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.0155 g, 0.016 mmol), lithium hydroxide monohydrate (0.0065 g, 0.156 mmol), methanol (0.3 mL), THF (0.3 mL) and water (0.3 mL) was heated with stirring to 75 °C for 80 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 3) to provide the title compound (0.0118 g, 76% yield). LCMS: m/e 753.6 (M+H)⁺, 2.19 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, *acetone d*₆) δ ppm 7.98 (d, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d, *J*=8.1 Hz, 2H), 5.35 (d, *J*=4.9 Hz, 1H), 3.43 - 3.25 (m, 9H), 3.25 - 3.11 (m, 9H), 3.11 - 2.98 (m, 2H), 2.58 (t, *J*=8.4 Hz, 1H), 2.35 (dd, *J*=11.9, 8.7 Hz, 1H), 2.29 - 2.16 (m, 2H), 2.16 - 2.09 (m, 1H), 2.03 - 1.90 (m, 2H), 1.90 - 1.84 (m, 1H), 1.80 (d, *J*=18.1 Hz, 3H), 1.75 - 1.67 (m, 1H), 1.60 (dd, *J*=15.9, 7.8 Hz, 6H), 1.54 - 1.38 (m, 4H), 1.35 (s, 4H), 1.31 (br. s., 1H), 1.17 - 1.12 (m, 6H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.99 (s, 3H).

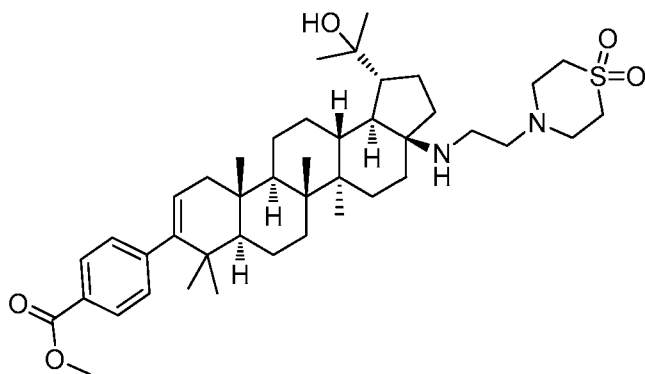
Example B3

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



Step 1: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.

5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



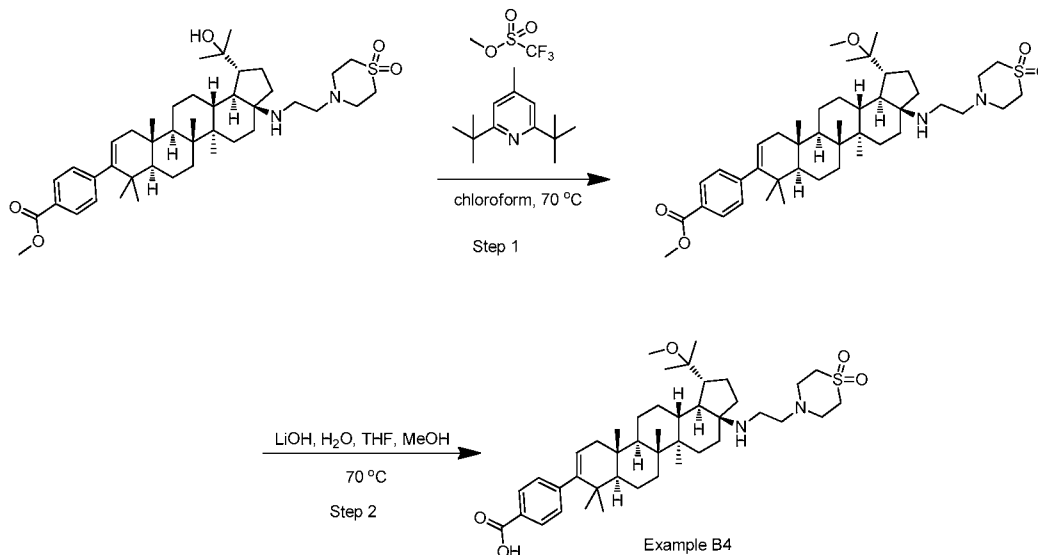
- 5 To a stirred mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxido-4-thiomorpholinyl)ethyl)amino)-1-isopropenyl-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.050 g, 0.071 mmol) and cobalt (II) acetylacetonate (3.7 mg, 0.014 mmol) in dry THF (1 mL) was added phenylsilane (0.015 g, 0.142 mmol).
- 10 The mixture was blanketed with oxygen gas and the vial was sealed and the mixture heated to 70 °C for 69 h. The mixture was removed from heat. Additional cobalt (II) acetylacetonate (24 mg, 0.11 mmol) and phenylsilane (0.015 g, 0.142 mmol) were added, the vial was fitted with a balloon of oxygen gas, and the mixture was stirred at rt for 3h. Purification by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 4) provided the title
- 15 compound (0.0196 g, 29% yield) as a bis-TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 723.6 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.20 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, *CDCl*₃) δ ppm 8.00 - 7.92 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.26 - 7.17 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.32 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 3.35 - 3.10 (m, 8H), 3.10 - 2.99 (m, 2H), 2.93 (d, $J=13.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.89 - 2.77 (m, 1H), 2.28 - 2.12 (m, 2H), 2.12 - 1.91 (m, 4H), 1.87 (dd, $J=13.8, 5.3$ Hz, 1H), 1.83 - 1.76 (m, 1H), 1.76 - 1.63 (m, 4H),
- 20 1.63 - 1.34 (m, 11H), 1.29 (s, 4H), 1.25 (s, 4H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.97 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H).

- Step 2:** A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.0195 g, 0.021 mmol), lithium hydroxide
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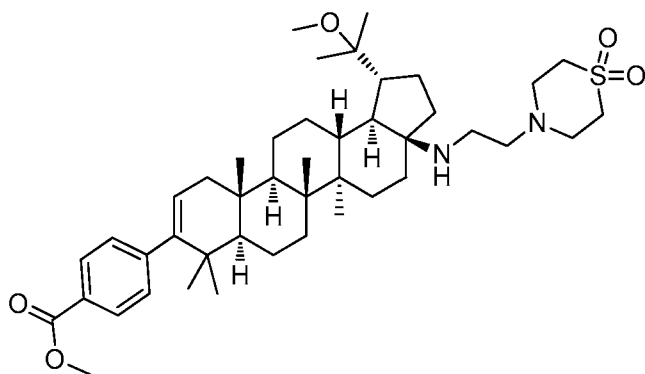
monohydrate (0.0103 g, 0.246 mmol), methanol (0.3 mL), THF (0.3 mL) and water (0.3 mL) was heated with stirring to 75 °C for 80 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 3) to provide the title compound (0.0186 g, 96% yield) as a bis-TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 709.6 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.01 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 *CDCl*₃:*MeOD*, *MeOD* lock) δ ppm 7.96 - 7.89 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.24 - 7.16 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.98 (s, 1H), 3.37 (s, 1H), 3.32 - 3.14 (m, 6H), 3.14 - 2.99 (m, 6H), 2.23 - 2.11 (m, 2H), 2.11 - 1.99 (m, 2H), 1.95 - 1.81 (m, 4H), 1.81 - 1.68 (m, 3H), 1.67 - 1.53 (m, 5H), 1.53 - 1.36 (m, 6H), 1.31 - 1.25 (m, 2H), 1.24 (s, 3H), 1.22 (s, 3H), 1.17 (s, 3H), 1.14 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

Example B4

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-methoxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



Step 1: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-methoxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



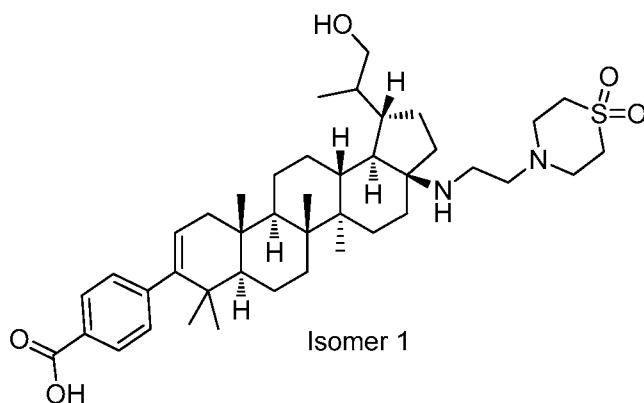
To a stirred mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-
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 pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 5 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.020 g, 0.021 mmol) and 2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-
 methylpyridine (0.043 g, 0.210 mmol) in chloroform (0.5 mL) was added methyl
 trifluoromethanesulfonate (0.035 g, 0.210 mmol). The vial containing the solution was
 sealed and heated to 70 °C for 80 min. The crude mixture was concentrated via nitrogen
 stream and purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 4) to
 10 provide the title compound (0.0164 g, 81% yield) as a bis-TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 737.7
 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.34 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, *acetone-d6*) δ ppm 7.99 - 7.91 (m,
 $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.34 - 7.27 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.34 (dd, $J=6.1$, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H),
 3.43 - 3.27 (m, 4H), 3.27 - 3.15 (m, 6H), 3.13 (s, 3H), 3.11 - 3.01 (m, 2H), 2.44 (t, $J=8.1$
 Hz, 1H), 2.27 - 2.18 (m, 2H), 2.18 - 2.09 (m, 2H), 2.04 - 1.95 (m, 2H), 1.89 - 1.80 (m,
 15 3H), 1.80 - 1.71 (m, 2H), 1.67 - 1.53 (m, 6H), 1.53 - 1.44 (m, 3H), 1.41 (d, $J=11.2$ Hz,
 1H), 1.38 - 1.28 (m, 5H), 1.17 - 1.14 (m, 6H), 1.13 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H),
 0.98 (s, 3H).

Step 2: A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-
 20 (1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-methoxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-
 pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.0162 g, 0.017 mmol), lithium hydroxide
 monohydrate (0.0084 g, 0.201 mmol), methanol (0.35 mL), THF (0.35 mL) and water
 (0.2 mL) was heated with stirring to 70 °C for 20 min. The crude mixture was purified by
 25 reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 5) to provide the title compound
 (0.0151 g, 91% yield) as a bis-TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 723.7 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.18 min (method

5). ^1H NMR (400 MHz, *acetone-d6*) δ ppm 8.04 - 7.90 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.35 - 7.24 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.35 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.43 - 3.26 (m, 4H), 3.26 - 3.21 (m, 3H), 3.18 (d, $J=9.0$ Hz, 3H), 3.13 (s, 3H), 3.11 - 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.46 (t, $J=7.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.29 - 2.19 (m, 2H), 2.19 - 2.11 (m, 2H), 2.03 - 1.88 (m, 3H), 1.88 - 1.70 (m, 6H), 1.67 - 1.44 (m, 9H), 1.41 (d, $J=11.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.35 (s, 3H), 1.34 - 1.28 (m, 2H), 1.15 (s, 6H), 1.13 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.99 (s, 3H).

Example B5

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 1.

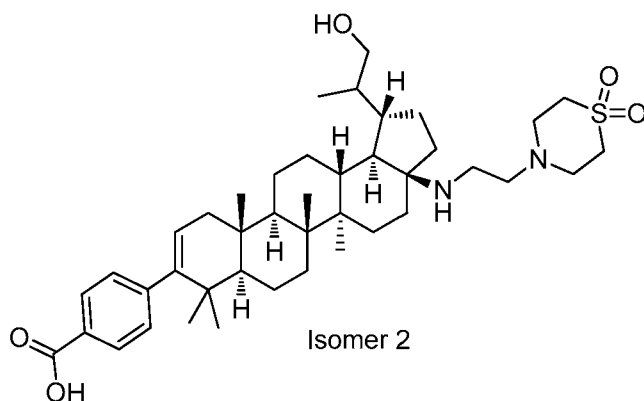


A solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxido-4-thiomorpholinyl)ethyl)amino)-1-isopropenyl-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.100 g, 0.142 mmol) in THF (1 mL) was chilled in an ice bath and was treated slowly with borane-tetrahydrofuran complex, 1.0M in THF (0.340 mL, 0.340 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 16h, then at 70 °C for 30 min. The mixture was again chilled in an ice bath and to it was added ethanol (0.180 mL, 3.1 mmol) and saturated aqueous sodium acetate (0.066 mL), followed by slow addition of 30% hydrogen peroxide (0.092 mL, 0.90 mmol). The resulting mixture was stirred at rt for 3h. The mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 4) to provided a white solid (56.7 mg) which contained the major isomer product of the reaction. The minor isomer was not isolated. A portion of this solid (20.0 mg, 35.3% of the total recovered) was dissolved in a mixture of MeOH (0.25 mL) and THF

(0.25 mL) and treated with 1.0M aqueous LiOH (0.252 mL, 0.252 mmol) at 70 °C for 45 min. Purification of this mixture by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 4) followed by treatment of the product fraction with 1M aqueous HCl and subsequent concentration *in vacuo* provided the Isomer 1 title compound bis HCl salt as a white solid (0.0138 g, 33.9% overall yield). LCMS: m/e 709.7 (M+H)⁺, 1.95 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 CDCl₃:MeOD, MeOD lock) δ ppm 7.96 - 7.88 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.24 - 7.17 (m, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 5.31 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.28 (br. s., 3H), 3.65 (dd, $J=10.9$, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.46 (dd, $J=11.1$, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 3.31 - 3.24 (m, 3H), 3.23 - 3.13 (m, 2H), 3.13 - 2.99 (m, 5H), 2.42 - 2.25 (m, 2H), 2.17 (dd, $J=17.2$, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 2.09 - 2.01 (m, 1H), 2.00 - 1.91 (m, 2H), 1.90 - 1.78 (m, 3H), 1.78 - 1.67 (m, 3H), 1.66 - 1.38 (m, 11H), 1.33 - 1.23 (m, 2H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.99 - 0.90 (m, 9H).

Example B6

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 2.

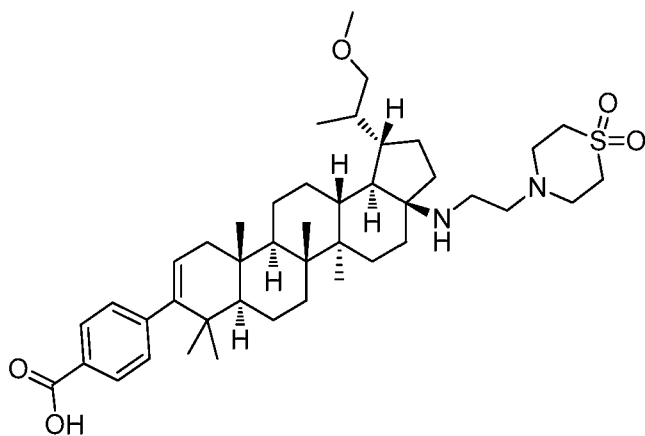


A solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxido-4-thiomorpholinyl)ethyl)amino)-1-isopropenyl-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (1.00 g, 1.42 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was chilled in an ice bath and was treated slowly with borane-tetrahydrofuran complex, 1.0M in THF (3.40 mL, 3.40 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 16h, then at 70 °C for 30 min. The mixture was again chilled in an ice bath and to it was added ethanol (0.90 mL, 15.4 mmol) and saturated aqueous sodium acetate (0.33 mL), followed by slow addition of

30% hydrogen peroxide (0.46 mL, 4.5 mmol). The resulting mixture was stirred at rt for 2.5h. To the organic was added silica gel (11 g) and the mixture was concentrated in vacuo to a free-flowing powder which was placed in a vacuum oven at 50 °C for 16h. The free flowing powder was loaded on the top of an 160g silica gel column. Elution gradient 100% DCM to 9:1 DCM:MeOH gave separation of two diastereomers. The major isomer from the reaction methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 eluted from the column first (0.458 g, 44.6% yield). LCMS: m/e 723.6 (M+H)⁺, 2.14 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 CDCl₃:MeOD, MeOD lock) δ ppm 7.94 - 7.88 (m, J =8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.25 - 7.18 (m, J =8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.33 - 5.26 (m, 1H), 4.25 (br. s., 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.74 (dd, J =10.5, 4.2 Hz, 1H), 3.17 - 2.95 (m, 9H), 2.78 - 2.62 (m, 2H), 2.62 - 2.52 (m, 1H), 2.47 - 2.38 (m, 1H), 2.14 (dd, J =17.1, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 2.00 - 1.80 (m, 4H), 1.80 - 1.71 (m, 2H), 1.71 - 1.48 (m, 10H), 1.48 - 1.32 (m, 5H), 1.30 - 1.18 (m, 3H), 1.15 (s, 3H), 1.09 (d, J =14.9 Hz, 2H), 1.01 (s, 6H), 0.98 (d, J =6.8 Hz, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H). The minor of the two isomers formed in the reaction eluted from the column after the major isomer and was mixed with impurities. These impure fractions containing the minor isomer were repurified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 6) to provide a solid (53.8 mg). A portion of this solid (25 mg, 46.5% of the total) was dissolved in a mixture of MeOH (0.3 mL) and THF (0.3 mL) and treated with 1.0M aqueous LiOH (0.263 mL, 0.263 mmol) at 70 °C for 45 min. Purification of this mixture by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 7) provided the Isomer 2 title compound as a white solid free base (0.0115 g, 5.2% overall yield). LCMS: m/e 710.5 (M+H)⁺, 2.18 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 CDCl₃:MeOD, MeOD lock) δ ppm 7.86 (d, J =8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.13 (d, J =8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.27 (d, J =4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.43 - 3.35 (m, 2H), 3.18 - 2.97 (m, 8H), 2.80 - 2.65 (m, 2H), 2.65 - 2.54 (m, 1H), 2.54 - 2.43 (m, 1H), 2.12 (dd, J =16.9, 5.9 Hz, 2H), 1.94 (s, 4H), 1.92 - 1.84 (m, 2H), 1.79 (dd, J =12.7, 7.1 Hz, 1H), 1.75 - 1.66 (m, 2H), 1.65 - 1.36 (m, 11H), 1.35 - 1.20 (m, 4H), 1.15 (s, 3H), 1.11 (d, J =13.9 Hz, 1H), 1.02 (s, 6H), 0.94 (s, 6H), 0.81 (d, J =6.8 Hz, 3H).

Example B7

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-methoxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



- A solution of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxido-4-thiomorpholinyl)ethyl)amino)-1-isopropenyl-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.100 g, 0.142 mmol) in THF (1 mL) was chilled in an ice bath and was treated slowly with borane-tetrahydrofuran complex, 1.0M in THF (0.340 mL, 0.340 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 16h, then at 70 °C for 30 min. The mixture was again chilled in an ice bath and to it was added ethanol (0.180 mL, 3.1 mmol) and saturated aqueous sodium acetate (0.066 mL), followed by slow addition of 30% hydrogen peroxide (0.092 mL, 0.90 mmol). The resulting mixture was stirred at rt for 3h. The mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 6) to provided a white solid (56.7 mg) which contained the major isomer product of the reaction. The minor isomer was not isolated. A portion of this solid (30.0 mg, 52.9% of the total recovered) was dissolved in chloroform (0.5 mL) and treated with 2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-methylpyridine (0.065 g, 0.315 mmol) and methyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (0.052 g, 0.315 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 16h, then at 70 °C for 30 min. Purification of this mixture by reverse phase preparative HPLC provided (Prep HPLC method 3) the title compound bis TFA salt as a colorless glassy solid (0.0177 g, 24.0% overall yield). LCMS: m/e 737.7 (M+H)⁺, 2.34 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, *acetone d*₆) δ ppm 8.03 - 7.93 (m, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.35 - 7.26 (m,

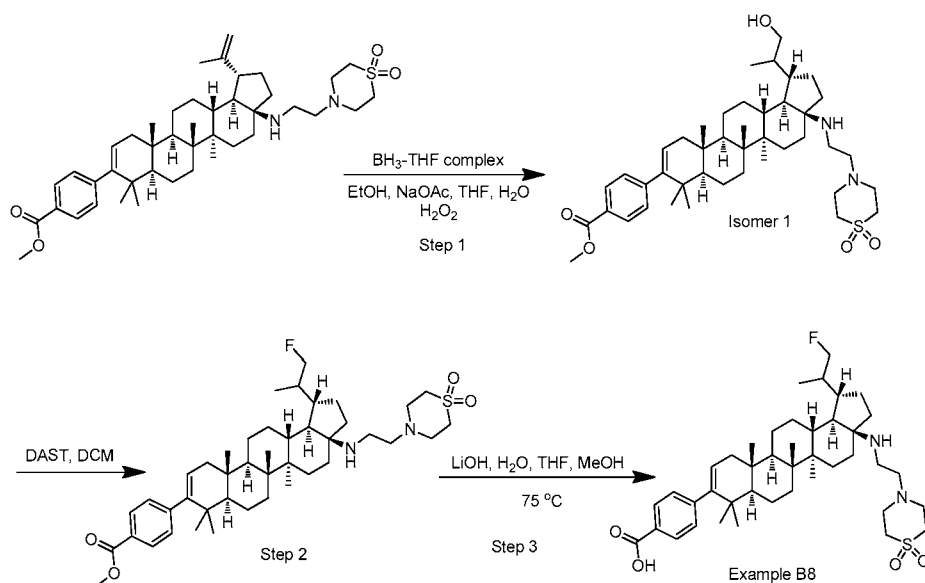
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Example B8

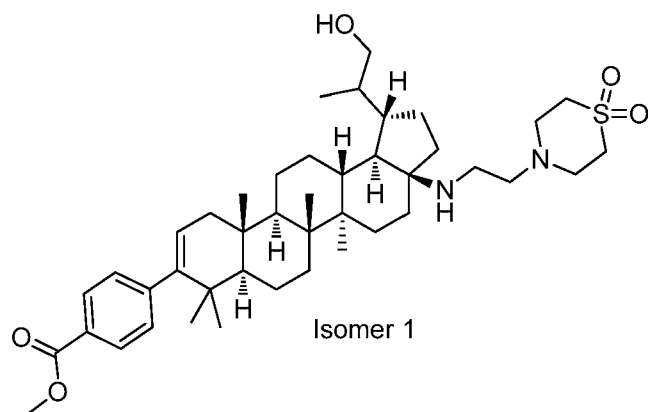
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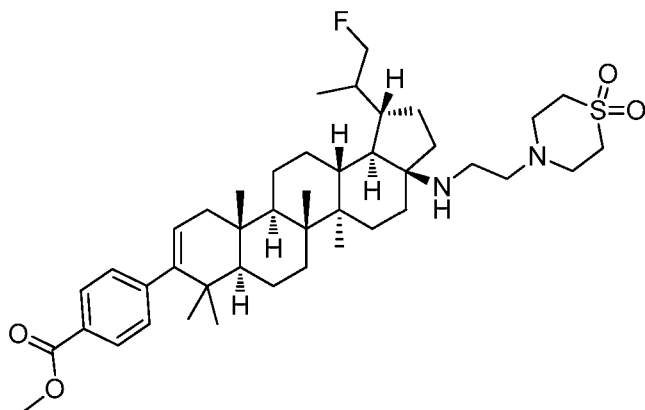
Step 1: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1.

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A solution of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxido-4-thiomorpholinyl)ethyl)amino)-1-isopropenyl-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (1.00 g, 1.42 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was chilled in an ice bath and was treated slowly with borane-tetrahydrofuran complex, 1.0M in THF (3.40 mL, 3.40 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 16h, then at 70 °C for 30 min. The mixture was again chilled in an ice bath and to it was added ethanol (0.90 mL, 15.4 mmol) and saturated aqueous sodium acetate (0.33 mL), followed by slow addition of 30% hydrogen peroxide (0.46 mL, 4.5 mmol). The resulting mixture was stirred at rt for 2.5h. To the organic was added silica gel (11 g) and the mixture was concentrated in vacuo to a free-flowing powder which was placed in a vacuum oven at 50 °C for 16h. The free flowing powder was loaded on the top of an 160g silica gel column. Elution gradient 100% DCM to 9:1 DCM:MeOH gave separation of two diastereomers. The major isomer from the reaction methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 eluted from the column first (0.458 g, 44.6% yield). LCMS: m/e 723.6 (M+H)⁺, 2.14 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 CDCl₃:MeOD, MeOD lock) δ ppm 7.94 - 7.88 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.25 - 7.18 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.33 - 5.26 (m, 1H), 4.25 (br. s., 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.74 (dd, $J=10.5, 4.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.17 - 2.95 (m, 9H), 2.78 - 2.62 (m, 2H), 2.62 - 2.52 (m, 1H), 2.47 - 2.38 (m, 1H), 2.14 (dd, $J=17.1, 6.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.00 - 1.80 (m, 4H), 1.80 - 1.71 (m, 2H), 1.71 - 1.48 (m, 10H), 1.48 - 1.32 (m, 5H), 1.30 - 1.18 (m, 3H), 1.15 (s, 3H), 1.09 (d, $J=14.9$ Hz, 2H), 1.01 (s, 6H), 0.98 (d, $J=6.8$ Hz, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H).

Step 2: Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-fluoropropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



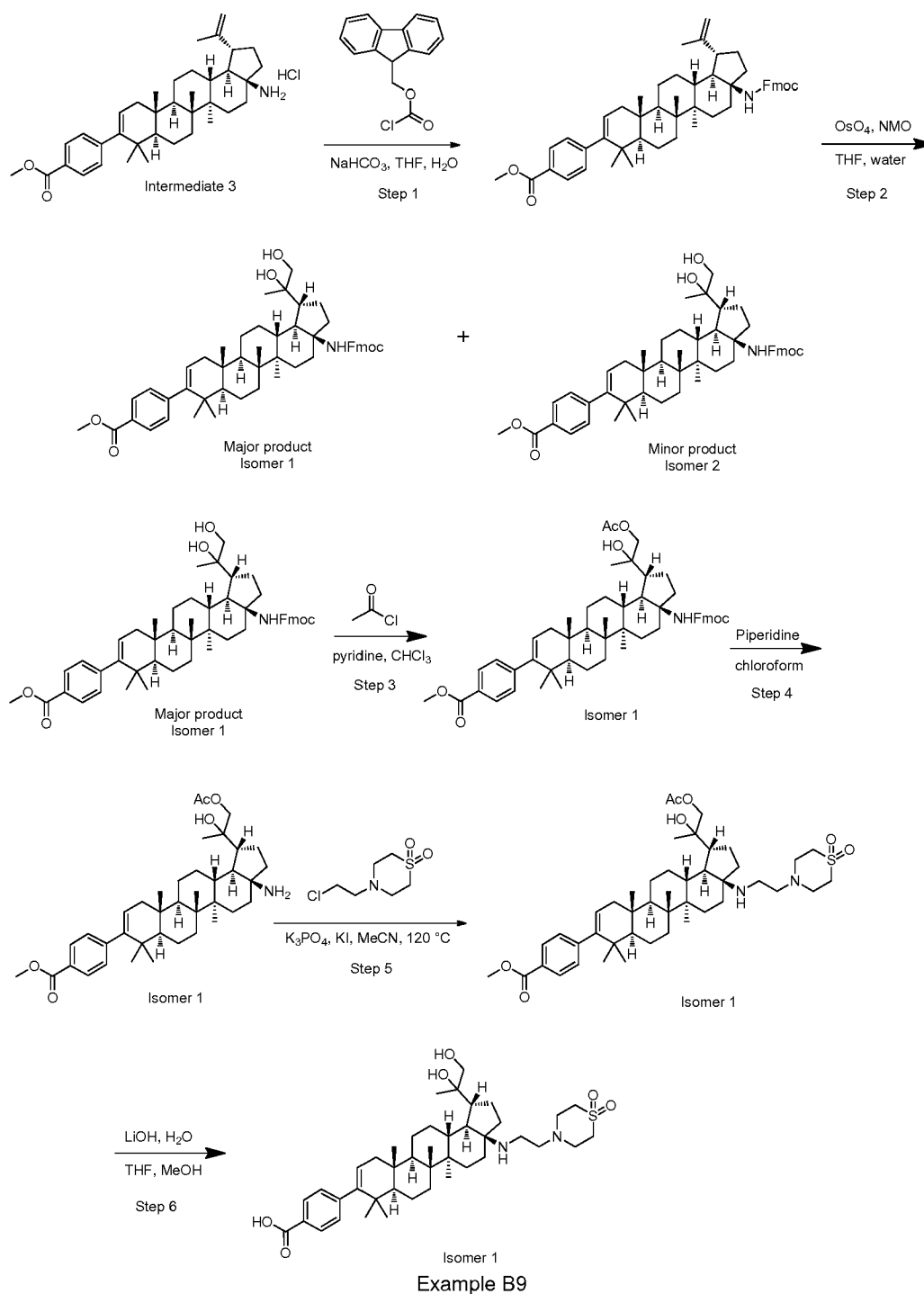
A solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 (0.025 g, 0.035 mmol) in DCM (1 mL) was cooled to -78 °C and was treated with DAST (0.0078 g, 0.048 mmol). The mixture was allowed to warm to rt and was stirred for 21h. The reaction mixture was concentrated and purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 8) to provide the title compound (0.0097 g, 29% yield) as a bis-TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 725.6 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.35 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, *CDCl*₃) δ ppm 8.05 - 7.87 (m, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.26 - 7.12 (m, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 5.32 (d, $J=4.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.58 - 4.28 (m, 2H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 3.39 - 3.11 (m, 8H), 3.11 - 2.98 (m, 2H), 2.91 (d, $J=12.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.38 - 2.22 (m, 2H), 2.22 - 2.11 (m, 2H), 1.95 (d, $J=10.5$ Hz, 4H), 1.84 - 1.61 (m, 5H), 1.55 (s, 2H), 1.57 (s, 3H), 1.51 - 1.31 (m, 6H), 1.31 - 1.15 (m, 5H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.97 (br. s., 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H), 0.91 (d, $J=6.6$ Hz, 3H).

Step 3: A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-fluoropropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.0095 g, 0.010 mmol), 1.0M aqueous lithium

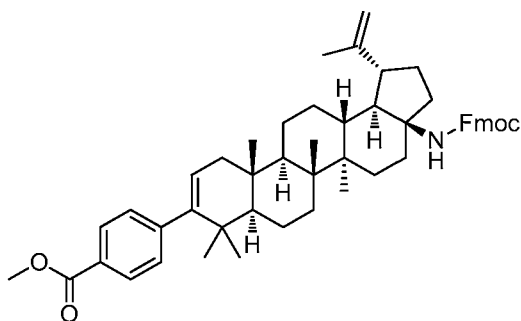
hydroxide monohydrate (0.100 mL, 0.100 mmol), methanol (0.3 mL) and THF (0.3 mL) was heated with stirring to 70 °C for 45 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 2) to provide the title compound (0.0152 g, >100% yield) as a bis-TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 711.4 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.19 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 *CDCl*₃:*MeOD*, *MeOD* lock) δ ppm 7.96 - 7.88 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.25 - 7.17 (m, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 5.31 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.49 - 4.38 (m, 1H), 3.30 - 3.00 (m, 13H), 2.33 - 2.21 (m, 2H), 2.21 - 2.11 (m, 2H), 2.11 - 2.03 (m, 2H), 2.02 - 1.95 (m, 1H), 1.94 - 1.78 (m, 3H), 1.76 (br. s., 1H), 1.74 - 1.65 (m, 2H), 1.65 - 1.55 (m, 4H), 1.52 (dd, $J=14.1, 3.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.47 (br. s., 3H), 1.45 - 1.37 (m, 2H), 1.32 - 1.24 (m, 2H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.93 (d, $J=6.8$ Hz, 3H).

Example B9

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid, Isomer 1.

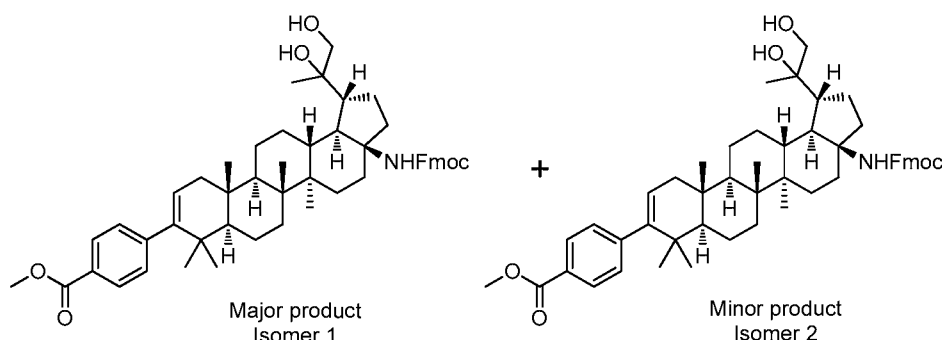


Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-(((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



To a flask containing Intermediate 3 (4.00 g, 6.89 mmol) was added sodium bicarbonate (2.90 g, 34.5 mmol). The mixture was diluted with THF (80 mL) and water (25 mL),
 5 then 9-fluorenylmethoxycarbonyl-chloride (2.140 g, 8.27 mmol) was added, and the mixture was stirred at rt. After 2h of stirring, TLC showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was diluted with 350 mL of EtOAc and was washed with water (3 x 100 mL). The organic was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuo. The residue (approx 5.5 g off white glassy solid) was purified by silica gel chromatography
 10 (elution gradient 96:4 hexanes:EtOAc to 65:35 hexanes:EtOAc over 10 column volumes) to give the product as a white solid. Total recovery = 4.25 g (80% yield). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 7.96 (d, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.80 (d, *J*=7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (t, *J*=6.8 Hz, 2H), 7.44 (td, *J*=7.2, 4.0 Hz, 2H), 7.35 (tdd, *J*=7.5, 2.9, 1.0 Hz, 2H), 7.23 (d, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.32 (d, *J*=4.6 Hz, 1H), 4.76 (br. s., 1H), 4.65 (br. s., 1H), 4.63 - 4.54 (m,
 15 2H), 4.36 - 4.22 (m, 2H), 3.94 (s, 3H), 2.61 - 2.34 (m, 3H), 2.13 (dd, *J*=17.1, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 2.04 - 1.85 (m, 1H), 1.81 - 1.60 (m, 7H), 1.61 - 1.40 (m, 8H), 1.39 - 1.20 (m, 6H), 1.18 - 1.06 (m, 4H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 1.01 (br. s., 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H).

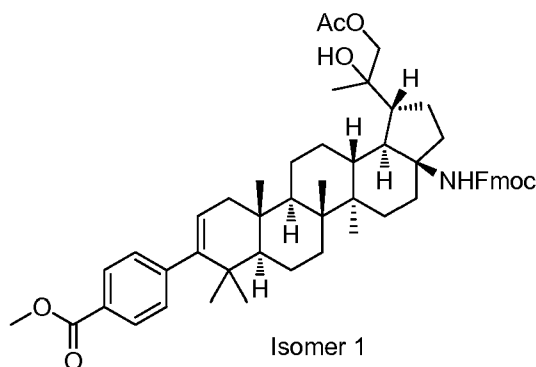
**Step 2. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-
 20 (((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 and methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-
 25 pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2.**



In a 20 mL scintillation vial with PTFE screwcap and stirbar were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (2.50 g, 3.26 mmol) with NMO (0.765 g, 6.53 mmol) in THF (60 mL) and water (10 mL). Then solid osmium tetroxide (0.415 g, 1.632 mmol) was introduced. The mixture was flushed with nitrogen, sealed and stirred at rt for 7 days. The yellow mixture was diluted with ethyl acetate (700 mL) and water (300 mL) and shaken and phases were separated. The organic was washed again with water (2 x 250 mL) and then with brine (50 mL). The organic was dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated in vacuo to a brown solid. The crude solid was purified by silica chromatography (elution gradient 100% hexanes to 40% EtOAc in hexanes, hold 40% EtOAc in hexanes for 4 column volumes, then gradient to 50% EtOAc in hexanes). Two products were isolated. The minor product (Isomer 2) was the first of the two isomers to elute from the column. Isomer 2 was isolated as a grey solid (0.183 g, 7.0% yield). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 7.96 (d, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.80 (d, *J*=7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (t, *J*=6.8 Hz, 2H), 7.47 - 7.39 (m, 2H), 7.38 - 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.23 (d, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.33 (d, *J*=4.6 Hz, 1H), 4.67 (br. s., 1H), 4.55 (dd, *J*=10.3, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 4.37 - 4.28 (m, 1H), 4.28 - 4.21 (m, 1H), 3.94 (s, 3H), 3.58 - 3.41 (m, 2H), 2.60 (d, *J*=13.7 Hz, 1H), 2.40 - 2.28 (m, 1H), 2.21 - 2.11 (m, 1H), 2.10 - 2.06 (m, 1H), 2.02 - 1.89 (m, 3H), 1.88 - 1.68 (m, 4H), 1.69 - 1.31 (m, 12H), 1.26 - 1.16 (m, 2H), 1.11 (br. s., 6H), 1.04 (s, 6H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H). The major product (Isomer 1) was the second of the two isomers to elute from the silica column. Isomer 1 was isolated as a grey solid (1.165 g, 44.6% yield). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 8.00 - 7.93 (m, 2H), 7.80 (d, *J*=7.6 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (t, *J*=6.7 Hz, 2H), 7.48 - 7.39 (m,

2H), 7.38 - 7.31 (m, 2H), 7.23 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.39 - 5.29 (m, 1H), 4.65 (br. s., 1H),
 4.55 (dd, $J=10.5$, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 4.43 - 4.29 (m, 1H), 4.28 - 4.22 (m, 1H), 3.94 (s, 3H), 3.66
 (d, $J=10.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.46 (d, $J=9.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.59 (d, $J=10.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.37 - 2.26 (m, 1H),
 2.16 (dd, $J=17.1$, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 2.03 - 1.77 (m, 6H), 1.76 - 1.31 (m, 13H), 1.24 (s, 3H),
 5 1.10 (br. s., 4H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 1.01 (br. s., 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H).

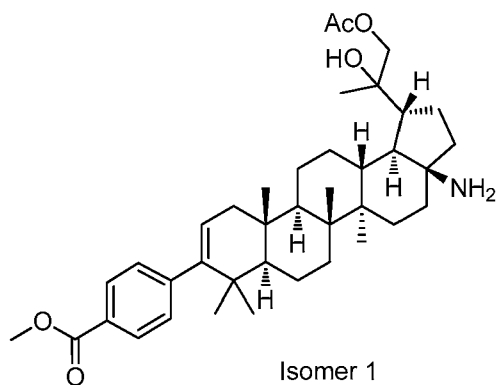
**Step 3. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-
 (((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-1-(1-acetoxy-2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-
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 10 octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1.**



In a 20 mL scintillation vial with PTFE screwcap was dissolved methyl 4-
 15 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-
 yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 (0.30 g, 0.375 mmol) in chloroform (5 mL).
 To the mixture was added pyridine (0.243 mL, 3.00 mmol), followed by addition of
 20 acetyl chloride (0.133 mL, 1.875 mmol). An exotherm was noticed. TLC confirmed that
 the reaction was complete within 5 min. The crude mixture was dissolved in minimum
 CHCl₃ and purified by silica gel chromatography (elution gradient 100% hexanes to 50%
 EtOAc in hexanes over 6 column volumes, hold 50% EtOAc in hexanes for 6 column
 volumes). The major product was thus isolated as a white solid. Total recovery = 0.260 g
 25 (82% yield). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 7.96 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.80 (d,
 $J=7.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.64 (t, $J=6.8$ Hz, 2H), 7.47 - 7.39 (m, 2H), 7.37 - 7.30 (m, 2H), 7.23 (d,

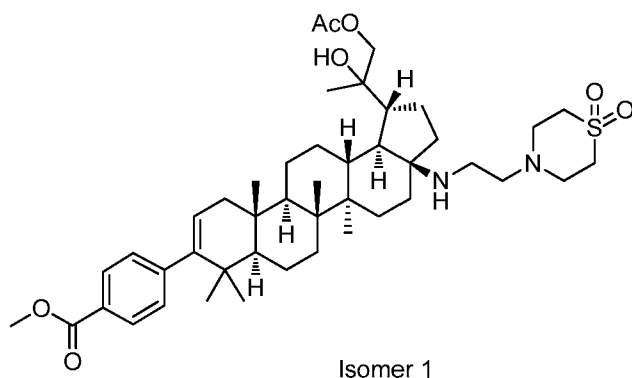
$J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.33 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.63 (br. s., 1H), 4.57 (dd, $J=10.3$, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 4.35 (br. s., 1H), 4.28 - 4.21 (m, 1H), 4.11 - 4.02 (m, 2H), 3.94 (s, 3H), 2.58 (d, $J=11.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.38 - 2.27 (m, 1H), 2.20 - 2.09 (m, 4H), 1.98 (d, $J=6.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.93 - 1.82 (m, 3H), 1.82 - 1.32 (m, 14H), 1.26 (d, $J=5.4$ Hz, 4H), 1.09 (br. s., 4H), 1.03 (d, $J=4.2$ Hz, 6H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H).

Step 4. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-acetoxy-2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1.



Methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-1-(1-acetoxy-2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 (0.260 g, 0.309 mmol) was dissolved in chloroform (5 mL) and piperidine (0.5 mL, 5.05 mmol) was added. The mixture was stirred at rt for 18h. The reaction was concentrated in vacuo and the crude residue was purified by silica gel chromatography (elution gradient 100% DCM to 9:1 DCM:MeOH over 6 column volumes, hold 9:1 DCM:MeOH for 6 column volumes. Like product fractions were combined and concentrated in vacuo to give 0.1809 g (95% yield) of a slightly yellow foamy solid. ^1H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM- d) δ 7.95 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.23 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.32 (dd, $J=6.2$, 1.8 Hz, 1H), 4.14 - 4.01 (m, 2H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 2.14 (s, 6H), 1.99 - 1.76 (m, 4H), 1.76 - 1.44 (m, 11H), 1.43 - 1.17 (m, 11H), 1.15 (s, 3H), 1.02 (s, 6H), 0.96 (s, 6H).

Step 5. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-acetoxy-2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1.



In a 75 mL medium pressure vessel containing methyl 4-

- 10 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-acetoxy-2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 (0.180 g, 0.290 mmol) was added 4-(2-chloroethyl)thiomorpholine 1,1-dioxide (0.150 g, 0.759 mmol), phosphoric acid, potassium salt (0.229 g, 1.079 mmol) and KI (0.110 g, 0.663 mmol).
- 15 The mixture was diluted with acetonitrile (12 mL). The vessel was then flushed with N₂ and was sealed and heated to 110 °C in an oil bath for 16 h. The mixture was diluted with EtOAc (100 mL) and water (50 mL), shaken and phases were separated. The organic phase was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and concentrated in vacuo to a residue. The crude residue was purified by silica gel chromatography (elution gradient 100%DCM to 9:1
- 20 DCM:MeOH over 6 column volumes, hold 9:1 DCM:MeOH for 6 column volumes) to provide a yellow oil (0.297 g) which was carried directly into the next step without further purification. LCMS: m/z = 781.7 (M+H)⁺, 2.21 min (method 5).

Step 6: In a 20 mL scintillation vial were combined crude methyl 4-

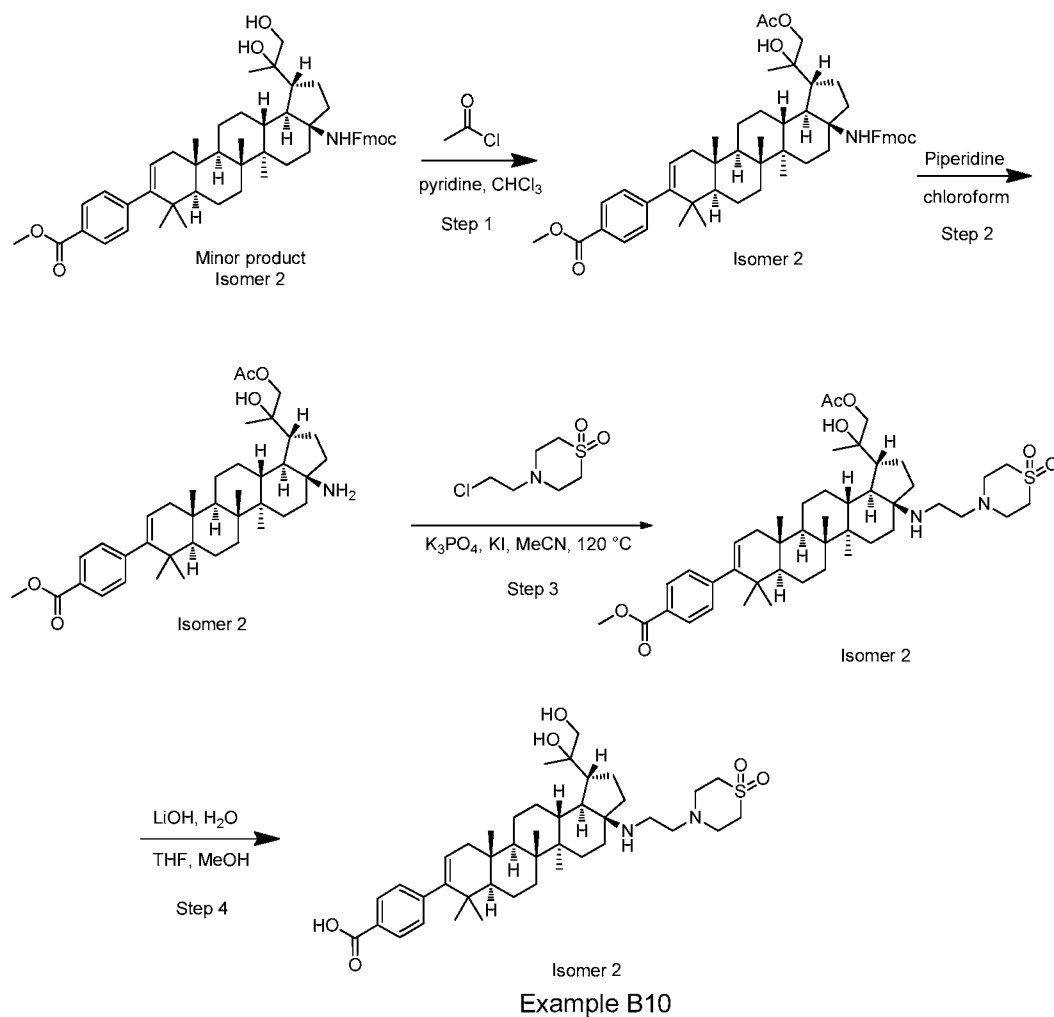
- 25 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-acetoxy-2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 (0.227 g, 0.290 mmol) and lithium hydroxide monohydrate (0.085 g, 2.030 mmol) with tetrahydrofuran (4 mL), MeOH (3 mL) and water (2 mL). The vial was capped with a PTFE screwcap and the mixture was heated to 75°C with stirring for 2h. Additional lithium hydroxide monohydrate (36 mg, 0.857 mmol) was added and the mixture was reheated to 75°C for another 45 min. The mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC to afford 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid, Isomer 1 (0.173 g, 61.2 % yield) as a white powder TFA salt. LCMS: $m/z = 725.6$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.94 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.31 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.68 - 3.57 (m, 2H), 3.48 - 3.39 (m, 2H), 3.31 - 3.14 (m, 6H), 3.08 (br. s., 6H), 2.26 (d, $J=8.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.18 (dd, $J=17.1, 6.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.09 - 1.96 (m, 2H), 1.91 - 1.67 (m, 6H), 1.66 - 1.36 (m, 11H), 1.28 (d, $J=10.5$ Hz, 1H), 1.22 (s, 3H), 1.21 - 1.16 (m, 6H), 1.14 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

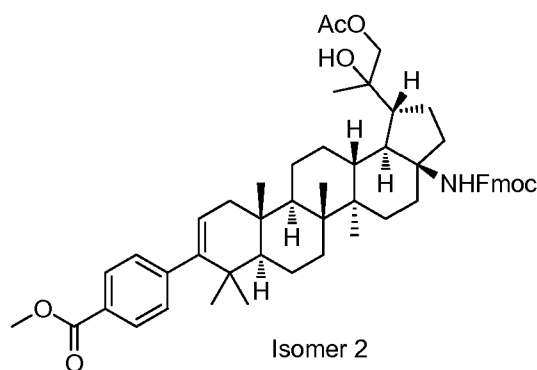
20 Example B10

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid, Isomer 2.

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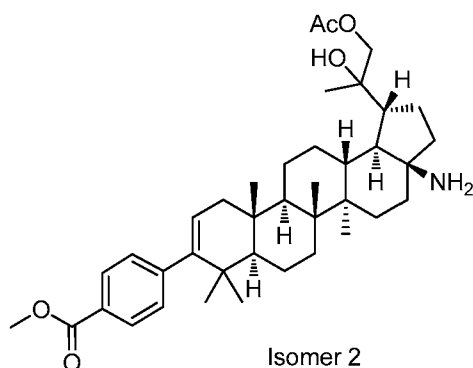


- Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-(((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-1-(1-acetoxy-2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2.



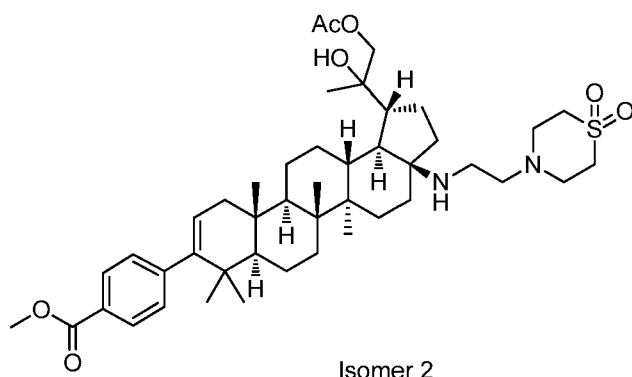
In a 20 mL scintillation vial was dissolved methyl 4-
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 5 yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2 (0.169, 0.211 mmol) in chloroform (5 mL).
 To the mixture was added pyridine (0.137 mL, 1.690 mmol). The mixture was chilled in
 an ice bath and acetyl chloride (0.075 mL, 1.056 mmol) was added slowly. A PTFE
 10 screwcap was affixed to the vial and the mixture was stirred at rt for 10 min. The mixture
 was then concentrated in vacuo. The crude mixture was purified by silica gel
 chromatography (elution gradient 100% hexanes to 40% EtOAc in hexanes over 10
 column volumes, hold 40% EtOAc in hexanes for 10 column volumes) to afford a slightly
 yellow solid, 0.1386 g (78% yield). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 7.96 (d,
 15 J=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.80 (d, J=7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.64 (t, J=6.7 Hz, 2H), 7.47 - 7.40 (m, 2H), 7.38 -
 7.32 (m, 2H), 7.23 (d, J=8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.33 (d, J=4.9 Hz, 1H), 4.66 - 4.56 (m, 2H), 4.39 -
 4.29 (m, 1H), 4.28 - 4.22 (m, 1H), 4.10 - 3.99 (m, 2H), 3.94 (s, 3H), 2.58 (d, J=11.5 Hz,
 1H), 2.38 - 2.28 (m, 1H), 2.21 - 2.11 (m, 4H), 2.08 - 1.94 (m, 1H), 1.90 (s, 1H), 1.86 -
 1.64 (m, 5H), 1.63 - 1.17 (m, 14H), 1.13 (s, 3H), 1.09 (br. s., 3H), 1.04 (s, 6H), 0.98 (s,
 20 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H).

**Step 2. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-
 acetoxyl-2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 25 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2.**



Methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-(((9H-fluoren-9-yl)methoxy)carbonyl)amino)-1-(1-acetoxy-2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2 (0.135 g, 0.160 mmol) was dissolved in chloroform (5 mL) and piperidine (0.5 mL, 5.05 mmol) was added. The mixture was stirred at rt for 18h. The mixture was concentrated via nitrogen stream, then purified by silica gel chromatography (elution gradient 100% DCM to 9:1 DCM:MeOH over 8 column volumes, hold 9:1 DCM:MeOH for 6 column volumes) to give a slightly yellow solid (0.0848 g, 85% yield). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 7.95 (d, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.32 (dd, *J*=6.1, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 4.15 - 3.96 (m, 2H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 2.21 - 2.10 (m, 5H), 2.09 - 1.75 (m, 5H), 1.71 (d, *J*=16.9 Hz, 1H), 1.67 - 1.44 (m, 10H), 1.44 - 1.30 (m, 5H), 1.30 - 1.18 (m, 3H), 1.16 (s, 3H), 1.14 (s, 4H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H).

Step 3. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-acetoxy-2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2.



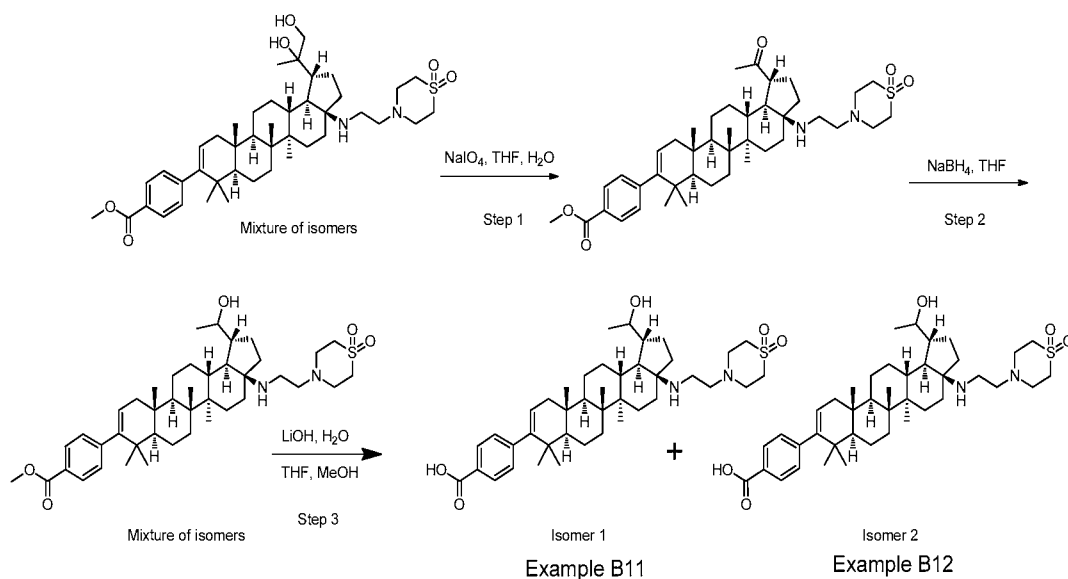
In a 15 mL medium pressure vessel were combined methyl 4-
 5 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-acetoxy-2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2 (0.082 g, 0.132 mmol),
 4-(2-chloroethyl)thiomorpholine 1,1-dioxide (0.065 g, 0.331 mmol), phosphoric acid,
 potassium salt (0.098 g, 0.463 mmol) and KI (0.055 g, 0.331 mmol). The mixture was
 10 diluted with acetonitrile (6 mL). The vessel was then flushed with N₂ and was sealed and heated to 110 °C in an oil bath overnight. The mixture was diluted with chloroform (50 mL) and filtered to remove solids. The crude mixture was purified by silica gel chromatography (elution gradient 100%DCM to 9:1 DCM:MeOH over 6 column volumes, hold 9:1 DCM:MeOH for 6 column volumes) to give a very slightly yellow oil
 15 (0.099 g, 96% yield). LCMS: m/z = 781.6 (M+H)⁺, 2.16 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 7.95 (d, J=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, J=8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.32 (dd, J=6.0, 1.6 Hz, 1H), 4.13 - 3.96 (m, 2H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 3.16 - 2.97 (m, 12H), 2.77 - 2.61 (m, 2H), 2.60 - 2.49 (m, 1H), 2.49 - 2.39 (m, 1H), 2.25 - 2.07 (m, 5H), 2.05 - 1.95 (m, 1H), 1.95 - 1.83 (m, 2H), 1.82 (s, 1H), 1.79 - 1.63 (m, 4H), 1.62 - 1.36 (m, 9H), 1.35 -
 20 1.20 (m, 4H), 1.16 (s, 3H), 1.14 (s, 4H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

Step 4: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-
 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-acetoxy-2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-
 25 ((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

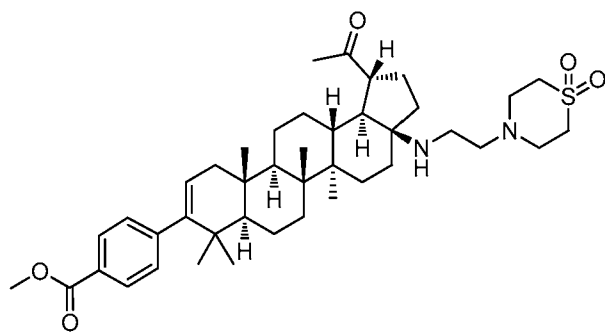
cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2 (0.025 g, 0.032 mmol) and lithium hydroxide monohydrate (0.016 g, 0.384 mmol) with tetrahydrofuran (0.4 mL), MeOH (0.4 mL) and water (0.4 mL). The vial was capped with a PTFE screwcap and the mixture was heated to 75°C with stirring for 2h. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2) to give 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid, Isomer 2 (0.026 g, 84% yield) as a white glassy solid TFA salt. LCMS: $m/z = 725.6$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.95 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.31 (d, $J=4.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.53 (d, $J=11.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.32 - 3.23 (m, 5H), 3.23 - 3.14 (m, 2H), 3.13 - 3.00 (m, 6H), 2.40 (t, $J=8.6$ Hz, 1H), 2.23 - 2.03 (m, 3H), 1.98 - 1.90 (m, 1H), 1.89 - 1.77 (m, 3H), 1.73 (d, $J=16.9$ Hz, 1H), 1.69 - 1.36 (m, 12H), 1.32 - 1.24 (m, 2H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.13 (s, 3H), 1.09 - 1.05 (m, 3H), 1.05 - 1.01 (m, 3H), 0.98 - 0.96 (m, 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

Examples B11 and B12

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-((R)-1-hydroxyethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 1 and 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-((R)-1-hydroxyethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 2.



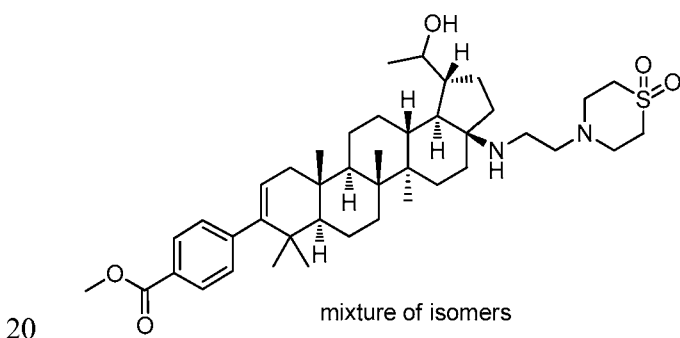
Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



- 10 A mixture of both isomers of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.280 g, 0.379 mmol) and sodium periodate (0.324 g, 1.515 mmol) was dissolved in a mixture of THF (10 mL) and
- 15 water (2 mL). The mixture was stirred for 1 h and was then diluted with THF (75 mL) and brine (30 mL) and the resulting mixture was shaken and phases were separated. The aqueous was extracted with THF (2 x 50 mL) and then with chloroform (2 x 50 mL). The

organics were combined and the cloudy result was concentrated to approximately 30 mL. Methanol was added until the organic was a complete solution, then silica gel (3 g) was added and the mixture was concentrated to a free-flowing powder which was placed in a vacuum oven overnight. The powder was loaded atop of a DCM pre-equilibrated 25 g silica gel cartridge. Elution (gradient 100% DCM to 40% of a 9:1 mixture of DCM:MeOH) gave the product (0.2462 g, 92% yield) as a slightly off-white glassy solid. LCMS: $m/z = 707.6$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.25 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.91 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.29 (d, $J=4.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 3.33 (s, 5H), 3.07 - 2.97 (m, 2H), 2.92 (td, $J=11.0, 5.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.76 - 2.66 (m, 2H), 2.66 - 2.57 (m, 1H), 2.48 - 2.39 (m, 1H), 2.20 (s, 3H), 2.17 - 2.01 (m, 3H), 1.94 (d, $J=13.9$ Hz, 1H), 1.87 (dd, $J=12.7, 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.75 - 1.63 (m, 2H), 1.62 - 1.41 (m, 8H), 1.39 - 1.18 (m, 5H), 1.15 (d, $J=2.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.12 (s, 4H), 1.08 (d, $J=4.9$ Hz, 1H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H), 0.93 (s, 3H).

Step 2. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxyethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



In a 1 dram vial with PTFE screwcap were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.020 g, 0.028 mmol) with sodium borohydride (0.00535 g, 0.141 mmol) in absolute ethanol (1 mL). The mixture was stirred at rt for 30

min, but the mixture was not fully dissolved. Added THF (1 mL) and the now complete solution was stirred at rt for 16 h. The crude mixture was partially purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 4) to provide 0.026 g of TFA salt material as a mixture of isomers which was carried forward into the next step without further manipulation. LCMS: $m/z = 709.5$ (M+H)⁺, 2.14 min (method 5).

Step 3: In a 1 dram vial with PTFE screwcap were combined the material from Step 2 containing the TFA salt of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-((R)-1-hydroxyethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.026 g, 0.014 mmol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.280 mL, 0.28 mmol) and Tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was capped with PTFE screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 °C with stirring for 45 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2). Two separate products were isolated. The first material to elute was the major product and was labeled 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxyethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 1 (0.0169 g, 61.5% yield white powder TFA salt). The minor product eluted second and was labeled 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxyethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 2 (0.0051 g, 18.6% yield white powder TFA salt).

Analytical data for 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxyethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 1: LCMS: $m/z = 695.4$ (M+H)⁺, 1.95 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.31 (d, $J=5.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.88 (d, $J=6.4$ Hz, 2H), 3.27 (d, $J=1.2$ Hz, 2H), 3.22 - 2.97 (m, 8H), 2.24 - 1.84 (m, 9H), 1.82 -

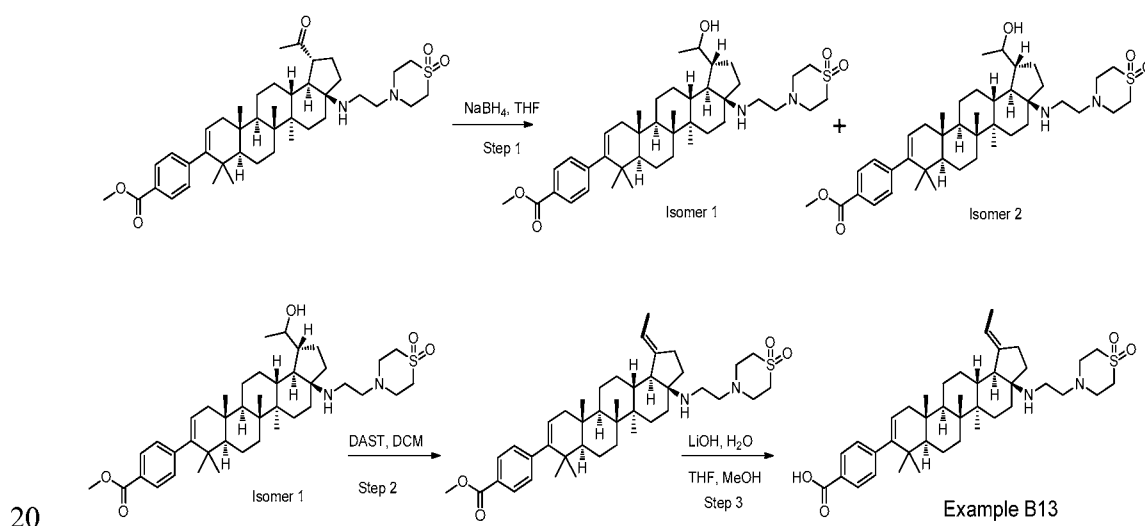
1.69 (m, 3H), 1.68 - 1.32 (m, 12H), 1.32 - 1.24 (m, 2H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.16 (d, $J=6.4$ Hz, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 1.00 - 0.96 (m, 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

Analytical data for 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxyethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-

- 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 2: LCMS: $m/z = 695.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.01 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.34 - 5.27 (m, 1H), 4.07 (dd, $J=6.2, 4.5$ Hz, 1H), 3.31 - 2.99 (m, 11H), 2.60 - 2.48 (m, 1H), 2.17 (dd, $J=16.8, 6.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.12 - 1.95 (m, 3H), 1.94 - 1.84 (m, 1H), 1.79 - 1.68 (m, 3H), 1.67 - 1.38 (m, 11H), 1.32 - 1.24 (m, 3H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.07 - 1.06 (m, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

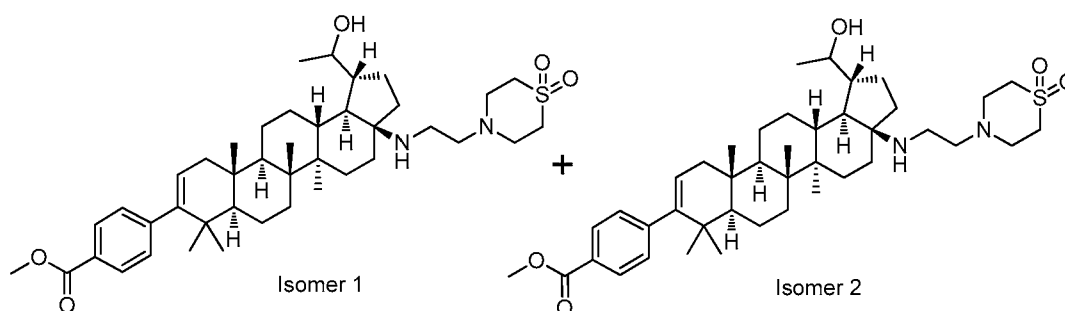
Example B13

- 15 **Preparation of 4-((3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-ethylidene-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.**



Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxyethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-

pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 and methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxyethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2.



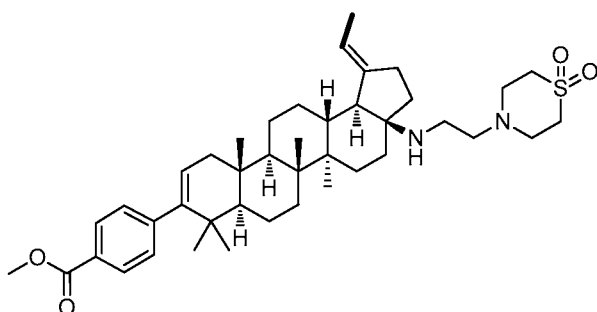
In a 7 mL scintillation vial with rubber septum under nitrogen atmosphere were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.100 g, 0.141 mmol) with sodium borohydride (0.021 g, 0.566 mmol) in a mixture of ethanol (2 mL) and dry THF (2 mL). The mixture was stirred at rt for 2 h. To the mixture was added saturated ammonium chloride dropwise until bubbling ceased. The mixture was diluted with a small amount of THF and filtered. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 10). The first material to elute was the major product; this major product was labeled Isomer 1 and was isolated as a white powder (0.0547 g, 41.3% yield) TFA salt. The second material to elute was the minor product; this minor product was labeled Isomer 2 and was isolated as a white powder (0.0219 g, 16.5% yield) TFA salt. A portion of unreacted starting material (0.0328 g, 24.8%) was the third material to elute. Isomer 1 was dissolved in a 1:1 mixture of DCM and methanol and was loaded onto a 1 gram Waters Oasis MCX cation exchange cartridge. The cartridge was rinsed with 1:1 DCM:MeOH (20 mL) and then with MeOH (10 mL). The Isomer 1 material was then

eluted from the cartridge with 2.0M ammonia in methanol (20 mL). Isomer 1 was thus recovered quantitatively as the free base material as a slightly off-white solid.

Analytical data for methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxyethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1: LCMS: $m/z = 709.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.18 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.91 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.95 - 3.83 (m, 4H), 3.20 - 2.98 (m, 8H), 2.88 - 2.46 (m, 4H), 2.15 (dd, $J=17.1, 6.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.95 - 1.83 (m, 3H), 1.83 - 1.63 (m, 5H), 1.63 - 1.41 (m, 9H), 1.41 - 1.22 (m, 4H), 1.20 - 1.10 (m, 7H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H).

Step 2. Preparation of methyl 4-((3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-ethylidene-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



In a 1 dram vial with rubber stopper was placed the free base methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-((R)-1-hydroxyethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 (0.025 g, 0.035 mmol) in DCM (1 mL). The mixture was chilled in a dry ice/acetone bath to -78 degrees C and to the stirred mixture was added DAST (6.99 μ L, 0.053 mmol). The cold bath was removed and the mixture was stirred at rt for 2h. The mixture was concentrated under nitrogen stream to a

residue which was redissolved in minimum THF:MeOH mixture (approx 4 to 1) and purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 11). The product was thus isolated as a white solid (0.0139 g, 43% yield) TFA salt. LCMS: $m/z = 691.3$ $(M+H)^+$, 2.31 min (method 5). ^1H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM- d) δ 7.96 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.23 (d, $J=8.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.72 - 5.58 (m, 1H), 5.36 - 5.29 (m, 1H), 3.94 (s, 3H), 3.42 - 3.29 (m, 1H), 3.25 - 2.95 (m, 10H), 2.94 - 2.83 (m, 1H), 2.60 - 2.47 (m, 1H), 2.38 - 2.25 (m, 2H), 2.23 - 1.97 (m, 6H), 1.80 (br. s., 1H), 1.78 - 1.70 (m, 2H), 1.69 - 1.37 (m, 12H), 1.31 - 1.24 (m, 2H), 1.23 - 1.18 (m, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H).

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Step 3: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-

((3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-ethylidene-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

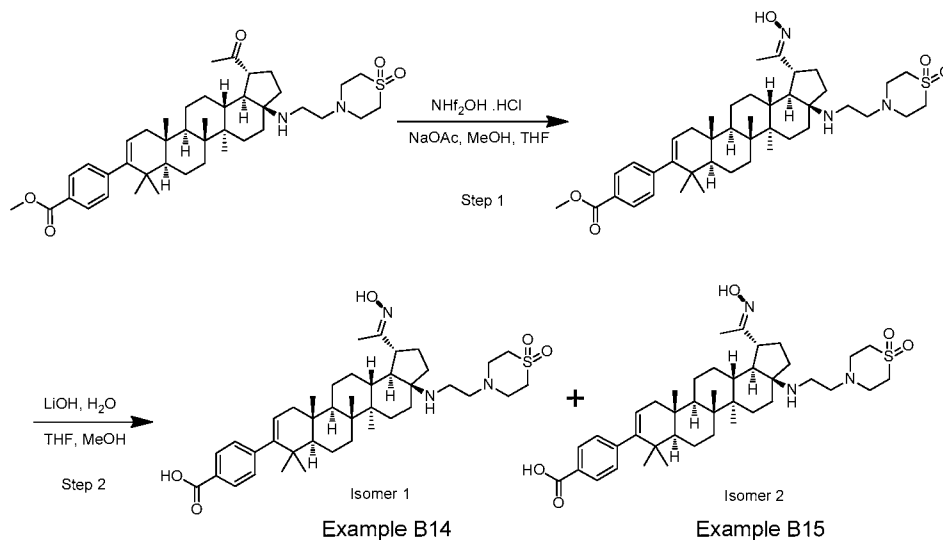
15 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate, TFA salt (0.0139 g, 0.015 mmol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.151 mL, 0.151 mmol) and tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was capped with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 degrees C for 35 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 4) to afford 4-

20 ((3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-ethylidene-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white solid (0.0092 g, 61.8% yield) TFA salt. LCMS: $m/z = 677.4$ $(M+H)^+$, 2.17 min (method 5). ^1H NMR (400MHz, Acetone) δ 7.98 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.30 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.68 (d, $J=5.1$ Hz, 1H), 5.35 (dd, $J=6.4$, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 3.26 (d, $J=5.1$ Hz, 9H), 2.63 - 2.44 (m, 3H), 2.43 - 2.29 (m, 2H), 2.25 - 2.14 (m, 4H), 1.88 - 1.72 (m, 4H), 1.70 - 1.51 (m, 10H), 1.24 (br. s., 8H), 1.14 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.99 (s, 3H).

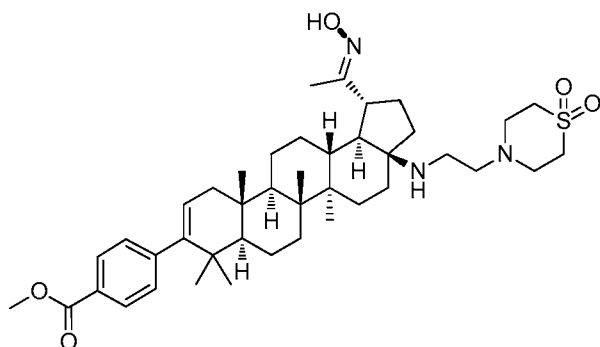
30 Example B14 and Example B15

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-(hydroxyimino)ethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

- cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 1 and 4-
 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-(hydroxyimino)ethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-
 pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 5 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 2.



- Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-
 10 ((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-(hydroxyimino)ethyl)-
 5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-
 octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate



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In a 1 dram vial with PTFE screwcap were combined methyl 4-
 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-3a-((2-(1,1-

dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.028 g, 0.040 mmol) with hydroxylamine hydrochloride (0.028 g, 0.396 mmol) and sodium acetate (0.049 g, 0.594 mmol) in a mixture of dry methanol (2.3 mL) and tetrahydrofuran (1.5 mL). The suspension was stirred rapidly for 5 days and was then concentrated under nitrogen stream. The mixture was redissolved in a minimum amount of a mixture of THF and methanol and was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (prep HPLC method 12) The product was thus obtained as a white solid (0.0248 g, 87% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 722.4 (M+H)^+$, 2.15 min (method 5). ^1H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ 7.95 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.31 (dd, $J=6.0, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 3.18 - 2.97 (m, 8H), 2.86 (br. s., 1H), 2.76 - 2.55 (m, 3H), 2.49 (br. s., 1H), 2.13 (dd, $J=17.2, 6.5$ Hz, 1H), 1.96 - 1.80 (m, 7H), 1.69 (d, $J=17.1$ Hz, 3H), 1.64 - 1.40 (m, 10H), 1.36 (td, $J=12.7, 2.6$ Hz, 2H), 1.29 - 1.20 (m, 3H), 1.12 (br. s., 4H), 1.01 (s, 6H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

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Step 2: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-((E)-1-(hydroxyimino)ethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.020 g, 0.028 mmol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.277 mL, 0.277 mmol), tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was capped with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 degrees C with stirring for 30 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 12). Two peaks were collected. The first material to elute from the prep HPLC was labeled 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-(hydroxyimino)ethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 1 (0.0041 g, 20.7% yield) and was contaminated with the major Isomer 2 product. The second material to elute from the prep HPLC was the major product, labeled 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-(hydroxyimino)ethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-

octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 2 and isolated cleanly as a white powder (0.0119 g, 60.1% yield)

Analytical data for 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-(hydroxyimino)ethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-

5 pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid, Isomer 1: HPLC showed that this material was a 73:27 mixture of Isomer 1 oxime to Isomer 2 oxime. LCMS: $m/z = 708.4 (M+H)^+$, 1.95 min (method 5). ^1H NMR (400MHz, Acetone) δ 7.98 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.29 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 5.33 (dd, $J=5.6, 1.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.94 - 3.78 (m, 1H), 3.19 - 3.01 (m, 11H), 2.25 - 2.13 (m, 1H), 2.12 - 2.09 (m, 2H), 2.02 (d, $J=2.2$ Hz, 3H), 1.95 - 1.87 (m, 2H), 1.80 (s, 6H), 1.65 - 1.45 (m, 8H), 1.40 - 1.26 (m, 6H), 1.22 (s, 3H), 1.19 - 1.10 (m, 2H), 1.07 (d, $J=1.5$ Hz, 6H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H).

Analytical data for 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-(hydroxyimino)ethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-

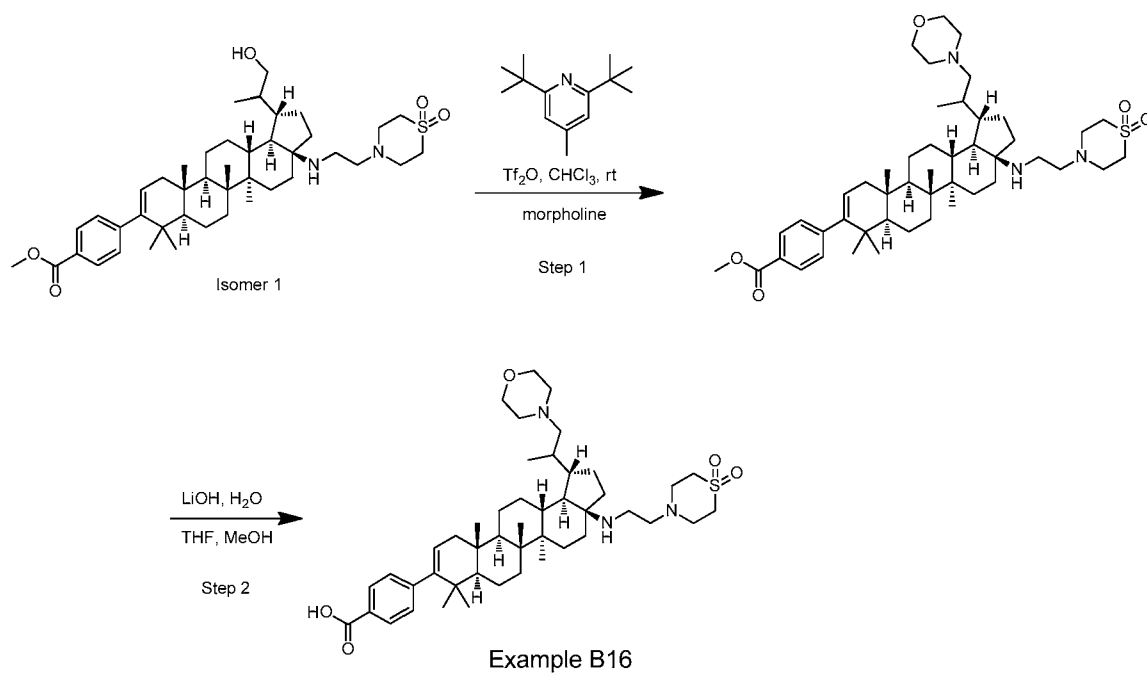
15 pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid, Isomer 2: HPLC showed that this material was a clean single compound. LCMS: $m/z = 708.4 (M+H)^+$, 1.99 min (method 5). ^1H NMR (400MHz, Acetone) δ 7.98 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.29 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 5.33 (dd, $J=6.0, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.16 - 2.98 (m, 10H), 2.85 (dt, $J=10.8, 5.2$ Hz, 3H), 2.77 - 2.70 (m, 3H), 2.69 - 2.61 (m, 2H), 2.57 - 2.47 (m, 1H), 2.18 (dd, $J=17.0, 6.5$ Hz, 1H), 1.98 (br. s., 1H), 1.96 (br. s., 1H), 1.93 - 1.84 (m, 1H), 1.79 (s, 4H), 1.77 - 1.71 (m, 2H), 1.67 (d, $J=14.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.63 - 1.57 (m, 2H), 1.47 (d, $J=5.4$ Hz, 4H), 1.45 - 1.27 (m, 5H), 1.27 - 1.22 (m, 1H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.10 (d, $J=13.9$ Hz, 1H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.99 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H).

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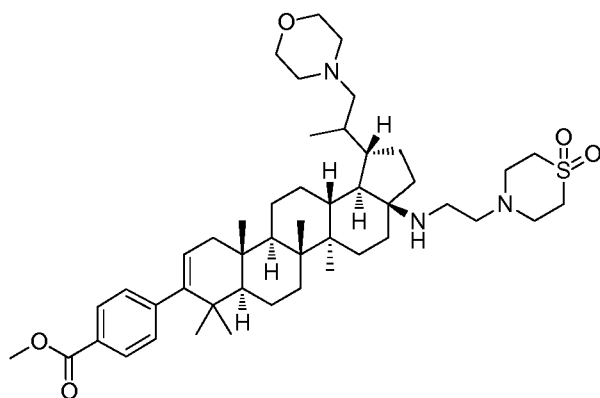
Example B16

Preparation of 4-((1S,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-morpholinopropan-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.

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Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1S,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-
 5 ((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-
 morpholinopropan-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-
 octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



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In a 1 dram vial with rubber septum and stirbar were combined methyl 4-
 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-
 pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

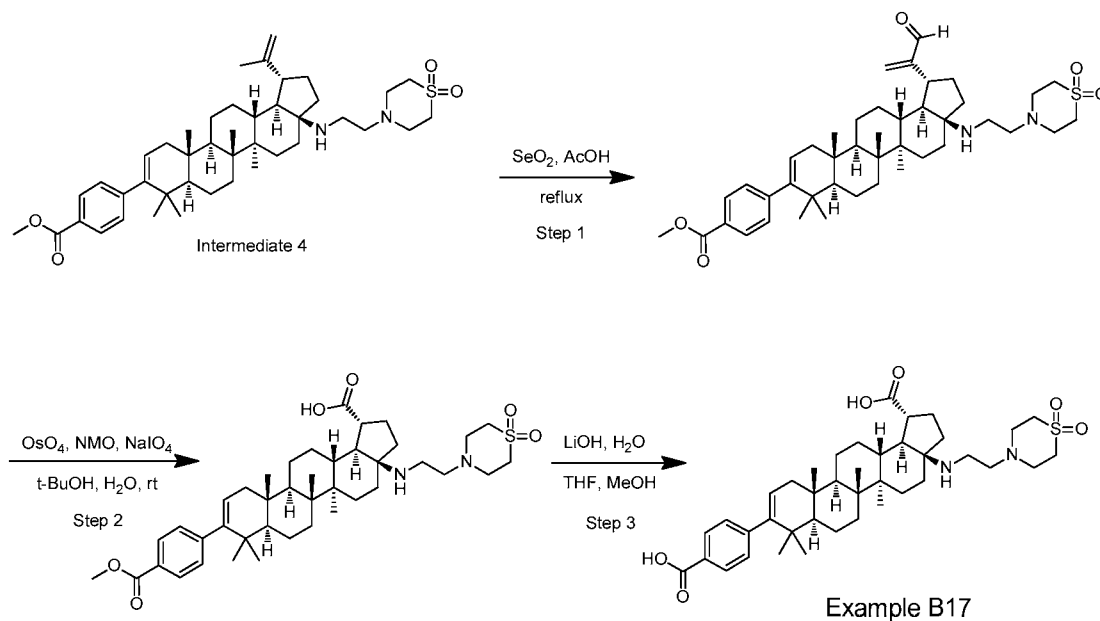
cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 (0.025 g, 0.035 mmol) and 2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-methylpyridine (0.021 g, 0.104 mmol) in dry chloroform (1 mL). To the stirred solution was added dropwise trifluoromethanesulfonic anhydride (0.013 g, 0.045 mmol) at rt. The mixture was stirred at rt for 1h, then to the mixture was added morpholine
 5 (0.030 mL, 0.346 mmol) and the resulting solution was stirred at rt for 30 min and was then heated to 60 degrees C for 90 min. The reaction mixture was concentrated under nitrogen stream and redissolved in a minimum quantity of a mixture of THF and MeOH. Purification by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 3) gave the desired product as a white powder (0.0199 g, 50.7% yield) TFA salt. LCMS: $m/z = 792.7$
 10 $(M+H)^+$, 1.97 min (method 5).

Step 2: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-
 ((1S,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-morpholinopropan-
 15 2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate, TFA salt (0.0192 g, 0.019 mmol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.188 mL, 0.188 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was capped with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated with stirring to 70 degrees C for 40 min. The crude
 20 mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 3) to provide 4-((1S,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-morpholinopropan-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white powder TFA salt (0.0139 g, 73%
 25 yield). LCMS: $m/z = 778.7$ $(M+H)^+$, 1.75 min (method 5). ^1H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.22 (s, 2H), 5.31 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.96 (br. s., 4H), 3.31 - 2.95 (m, 16H), 2.38 (br. s., 1H), 2.17 (dd, $J=17.1, 6.1$ Hz, 2H), 2.07 (d, $J=13.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.03 - 1.89 (m, 3H), 1.89 - 1.82 (m, 1H), 1.81 - 1.72 (m, 2H), 1.72 - 1.40 (m, 12H), 1.39 - 1.25 (m, 3H), 1.22 (s, 3H),
 30 1.15 (d, $J=6.4$ Hz, 3H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.97 (br. s., 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H).

Example B17

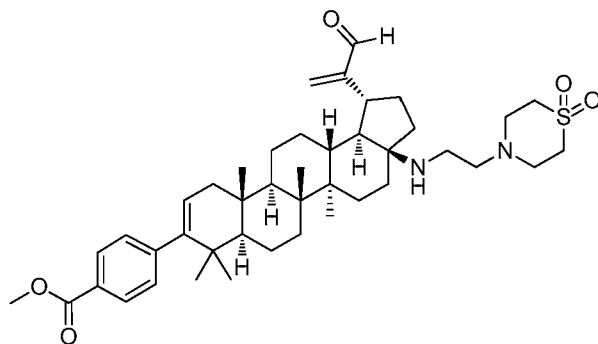
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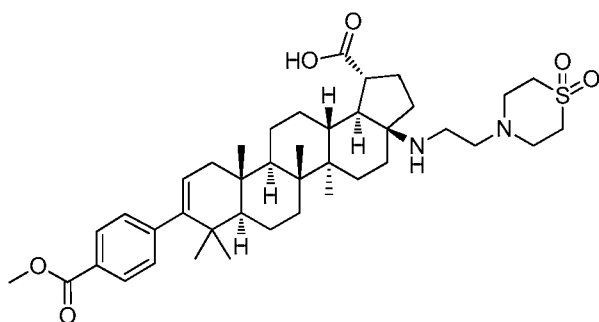
Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-oxoprop-1-en-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.

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In a 75 mL Chemglass pressure vessel were combined Intermediate 4 methyl 4-
 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 5 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (1.50 g, 2.13 mmol) with selenium dioxide (0.295 g,
 2.66 mmol) and acetic acid (30 mL). The vessel was sealed and the mixture was heated
 to 100 °C for 45 min. The mixture was allowed to cool to rt and an additional 0.25
 equivalents of selenium dioxide (0.059 g, 0.67 mmol) was added. The vessel was
 reheated to 100 °C for 15 min. The mixture was filtered through a fine frit funnel to
 10 remove a fine black solid, and the filtrate was concentrated in vacuo to an orange colored
 foamy residue. The crude mixture was purified by silica gel chromatography (elution
 gradient 100% hexanes to 3:1 hexanes:acetone over 6 column volumes, hold 3:1
 hexanes:acetone for 6 column volumes). The product fractions were combined and
 concentrated to give the product as an off-white solid: 0.747 g (48.8% yield). LCMS:
 15 $m/z = 719.6$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.56 min (method 3).

**Step 2. Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-
 pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 20 cyclopenta[a]chrysene-1-carboxylic acid.**



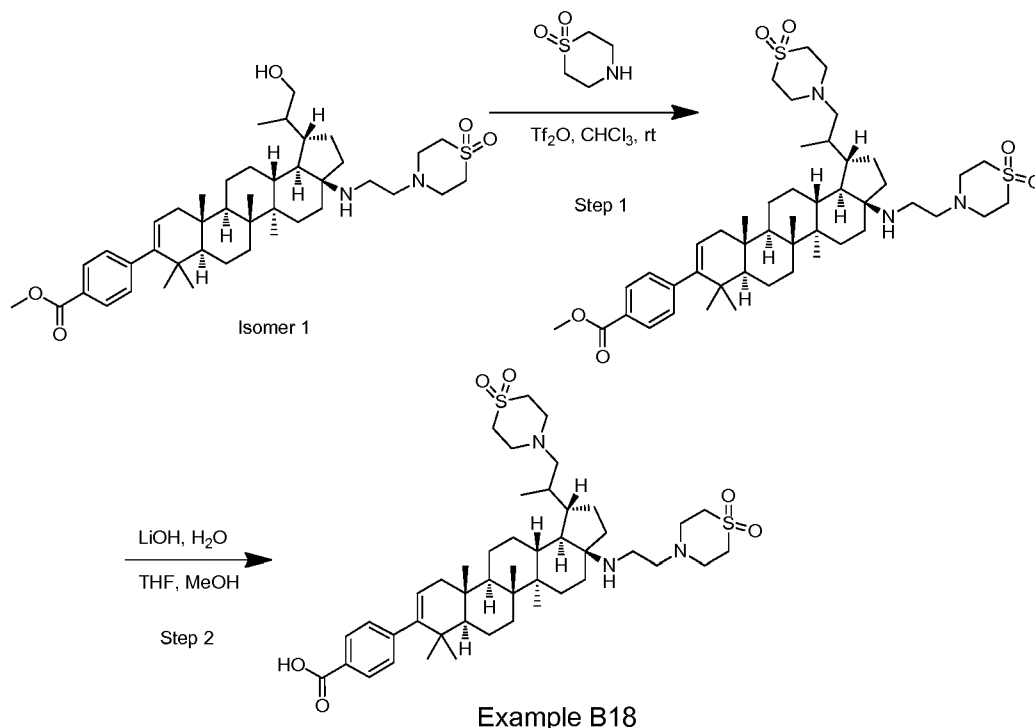
In a 100 mL round bottom flask sealed with rubber stopper were combined methyl 4-
 25 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-oxoprop-1-en-2-
 yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.590 g, 0.821 mmol) with citric acid monohydrate (0.345 g, 1.64 mmol). Then, tert-butanol (18 mL) was added followed by water (15 mL). To the stirred mixture was added NMO, 50% by weight solution in water (0.374 mL, 1.81 mmol) followed by osmium tetroxide, 2.5% in t-butanol (0.515 mL, 0.041 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 30.5 hours. To the mixture was added solid sodium periodate (1.229 g, 5.74 mmol). Solids began to precipitate from solution within 5 min. After stirring for 90 min, the reaction mixture was diluted with 125 mL of water, which caused a heavy fine precipitate to occur. The suspension was filtered to isolate a fine grayish solid which was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 13) to give an off-white powder: 0.2386 g (41.0% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 709.5$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.68 min (method 3). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.91 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.33 - 5.26 (m, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.19 - 2.99 (m, 8H), 2.79 - 2.58 (m, 4H), 2.55 - 2.46 (m, 1H), 2.13 (dd, $J=17.1, 6.4$ Hz, 2H), 2.07 - 1.98 (m, 1H), 1.94 (d, $J=12.7$ Hz, 1H), 1.87 (dd, $J=12.7, 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 1.82 - 1.76 (m, 1H), 1.76 - 1.66 (m, 2H), 1.65 - 1.41 (m, 9H), 1.41 - 1.32 (m, 2H), 1.31 - 1.21 (m, 2H), 1.17 (br. s., 1H), 1.14 (s, 3H), 1.11 - 1.08 (m, 1H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.93 (s, 3H).

Step 3: In a 1 dram vial were combined (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-1-carboxylic acid (0.020 g, 0.028 mmol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.282 mL, 0.282 mmol), tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was capped with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 °C for 30 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2). Product fractions were combined and concentrated in vacuo to afford (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-9-(4-carboxyphenyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-1-carboxylic acid as a white powder TFA salt (0.0212 mg, 80% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 695.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.93 min (method 5).

Example B18

Preparation of 4-((1S,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)propan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1S,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)propan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.

In a 1 dram vial with rubber septum and stirbar were combined methyl 4-

((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 (0.150 g, 0.207 mmol) and dry chloroform (2 mL). The mixture was chilled in an ice/salt bath, and to the -10 °C stirred slurry was

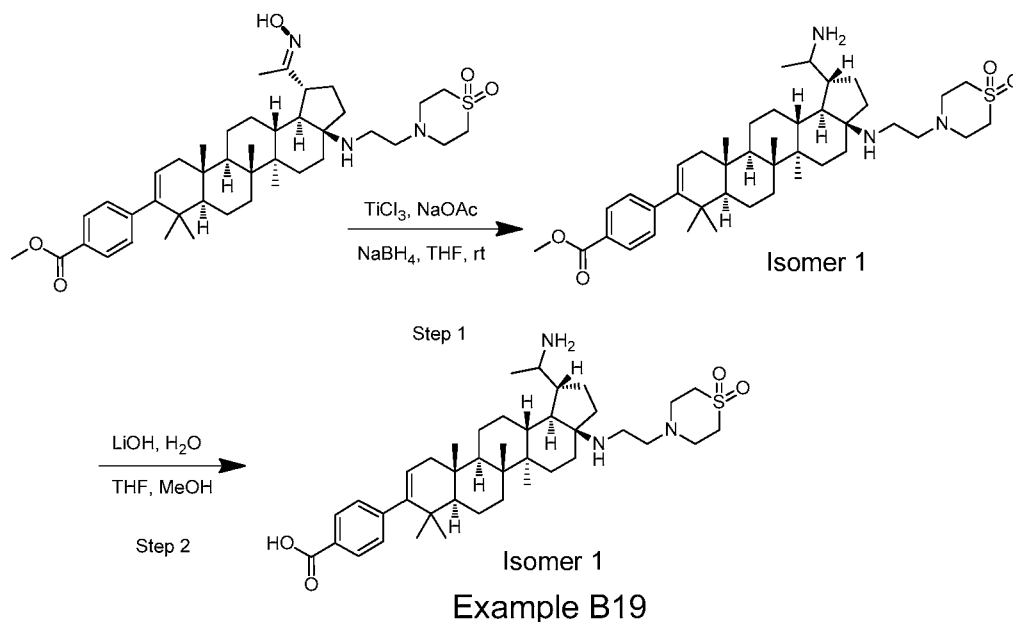
added trifluoromethanesulfonic anhydride (0.046 mL, 0.270 mmol). The resulting mixture was stirred at -10°C for 1h, then to the mixture was added thiomorpholine 1,1-dioxide (0.280 g, 2.075 mmol) and the mixture was heated to 70 degrees C with stirring. The crude mixture was concentrated and was redissolved in a minimum amount of THF and MeOH and purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2). The product was thus isolated as a white glassy solid TFA salt (0.0105 g, 4.3% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 840.6 (M+H)^+$, 2.16 min (method 5).

Step 2: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1S,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)propan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate, TFA salt (0.0106 g, 9.92 μ mol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.099 mL, 0.099 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (0.5 mL) and MeOH (0.5 mL). The mixture was heated with stirring to 70 degrees C for 60 min. The crude reaction mixture was concentrated via nitrogen stream, then redissolved in acetonitrile/methanol, filtered and purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2) to provide 4-((1S,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)propan-2-yl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white powder TFA salt (0.0080 g, 65.6% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 826.6 (M+H)^+$, 1.94 min (method 5). ^1H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.35 - 5.27 (m, 1H), 3.28 (d, $J=1.5$ Hz, 4H), 3.23 - 3.02 (m, 13H), 3.01 - 2.93 (m, 2H), 2.55 (dd, $J=13.3, 4.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.36 - 2.24 (m, 2H), 2.17 (dd, $J=17.2, 6.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.13 - 1.97 (m, 3H), 1.96 - 1.85 (m, 3H), 1.81 - 1.67 (m, 4H), 1.66 - 1.54 (m, 5H), 1.53 - 1.40 (m, 5H), 1.34 - 1.24 (m, 4H), 1.22 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 0.99 (d, $J=6.8$ Hz, 3H), 0.98 - 0.97 (m, 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H).

Example B19

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-

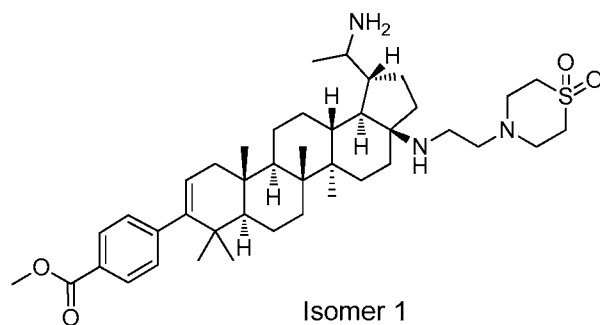
2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 1.



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Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1.

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In a 20 mL scintillation vial were combined titanium (III) chloride, 20% wt solution in 3% HCl (0.766 mL, 1.21 mmol) and sodium acetate (0.099 g, 1.212 mmol) in ethanol (1 mL). The resulting lavender colored solution was cooled in an ice bath and THF (2 mL) was added followed by addition of methyl 4-

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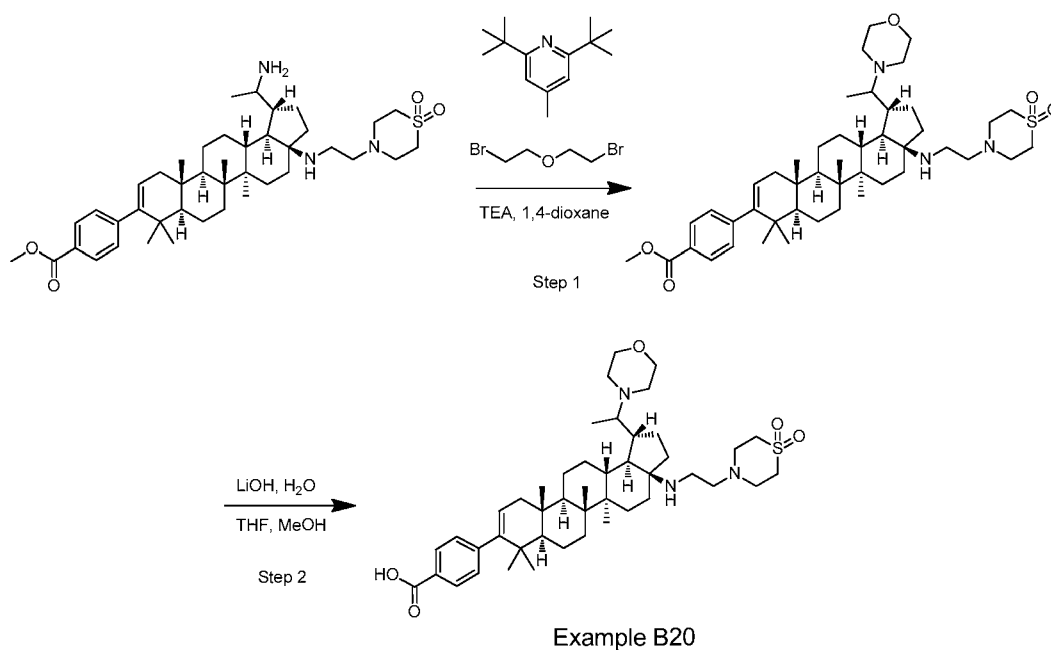
((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-(hydroxyimino)ethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.175 g, 0.242 mmol). The vial was capped with a PTFE lined screwcap and the resulting suspension was stirred at rt for 30 min, then concentrated under nitrogen stream to a solid and placed under high vacuum at rt overnight. THF (2 mL) and ethanol (1 mL) were added, then solid sodium borohydride (0.092 g, 2.424 mmol) was added slowly, resulting in significant outgassing from the reaction mixture. At t=130 min, an excess of sodium borohydride was added (via spatula, approximately another 10 equivalents or more) significant outgassing occurred immediately and the mixture was stirred at rt for a total of 16 hours. To the reaction mixture was slowly added aqueous ammonium chloride to quench the reaction. The mixture was concentrated under nitrogen stream to a residue and was then redissolved in minimum acetonitrile/methanol/water, filtered and purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2) to provide the desired material as a single isomer beige solid TFA salt (0.079 g, 31% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 708.5$ (M+H)⁺, 2.06 min (method 5).

Step 2: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-((R)-1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 TFA salt (0.040 g, 0.038 mmol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.381 mL, 0.381 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (0.5 mL) and MeOH (0.5 mL). The mixture was heated with stirring to 70 degrees C for 30 min. The crude reaction mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2) to provide 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 1 as a white powder TFA salt (0.040 g, 99% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 694.5$ (M+H)⁺, 1.83 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.31 (d, $J=4.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.43 (q, $J=6.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.31 - 3.23 (m,

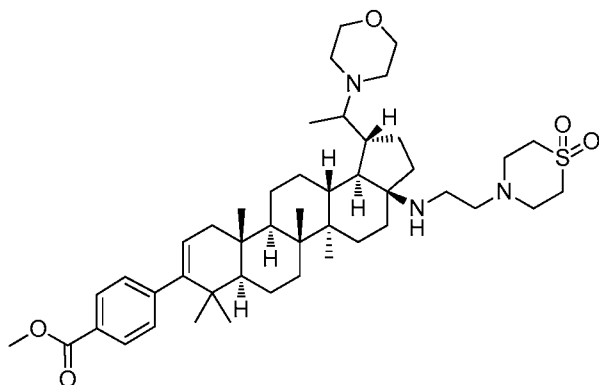
4H), 3.23 - 3.13 (m, 3H), 3.13 - 3.00 (m, 5H), 2.51 (t, $J=9.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.17 (dd, $J=17.0$,
 6.2 Hz, 1H), 2.11 - 2.02 (m, 2H), 2.02 - 1.91 (m, 3H), 1.89 - 1.77 (m, 2H), 1.74 (d, $J=17.4$
 Hz, 1H), 1.68 - 1.53 (m, 7H), 1.52 - 1.44 (m, 4H), 1.43 - 1.35 (m, $J=16.3$, 7.5 Hz, 1H),
 1.30 (d, $J=6.8$ Hz, 4H), 1.22 (s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.97 (s, 3H), 0.96 (br. s.,
 5 3H).

Example B20

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-morpholinoethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-morpholinoethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.

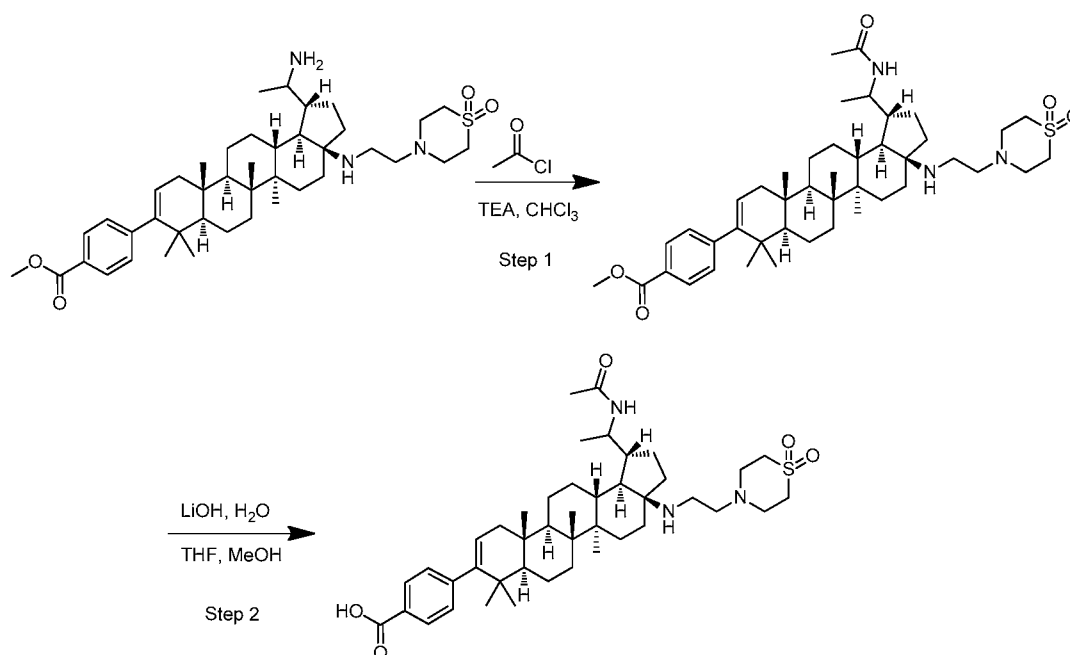


- In a 20 mL scintillation vial were combined methyl 4-
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 5 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.020 g, 0.019 mmol) with 1-bromo-2-(2-
 bromoethoxy)ethane (0.00883 g, 0.038 mmol) and triethylamine (0.016 mL, 0.114 mmol)
 in 1,4-dioxane (0.5 mL). The mixture was heated to 85 degrees C for 30 min which
 10 resulted in no reaction. The mixture was transferred to a 5 mL microwave vessel and was
 diluted with dry acetonitrile (2 mL). To the mixture was added additional 1-bromo-2-(2-
 bromoethoxy)ethane (another 10 equivalents; 0.0445 g, 0.190 mmol) as well as 2,6-di-
 tert-butyl-4-methylpyridine (0.023 g, 0.114 mmol). The resulting mixture was heated in
 the microwave to 120 degrees C for 90 min. The contents of the vessel were concentrated
 15 under nitrogen stream, redissolved with a small quantity of a mixture of THF, acetonitrile
 and methanol, filtered and purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC
 Method 2). The desired product was thus obtained as a white solid and was carried
 directly into the next step. LCMS: $m/z = 778.6$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.13 min (method 5).
- 20 **Step 2:** In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-
 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-morpholinoethyl)-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.021 g, 0.019 mmol) with lithium
 25 hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.190 mL, 0.190 mmol) in
 tetrahydrofuran (0.5 mL) and MeOH (0.5 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined

screwcap and the mixture was heated with stirring to 70 °C for 30 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 14) to provide 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-morpholinoethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white powder TFA salt (0.0182 g, 86% yield over 2 steps). LCMS: $m/z = 764.6$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.85 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 5.31 (d, $J=5.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.88 (br. s., 4H), 3.30 - 2.96 (m, 16H), 2.41 (br. s., 2H), 2.17 (dd, $J=17.0, 6.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.09 (d, $J=15.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.04 - 1.86 (m, 4H), 1.86 - 1.69 (m, 3H), 1.67 - 1.55 (m, 6H), 1.54 - 1.42 (m, 5H), 1.33 - 1.24 (m, 5H), 1.22 (s, 3H), 1.13 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H).

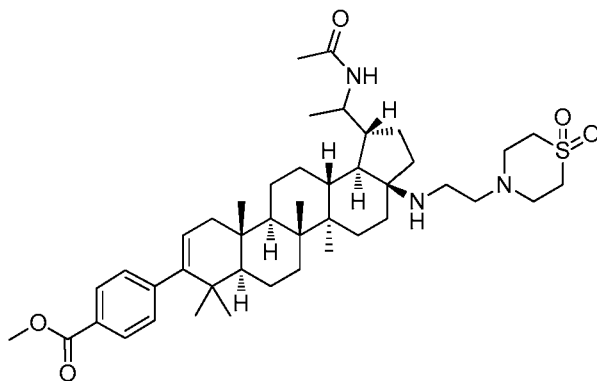
Example B21

15 Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-acetamidoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



Example B21

Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-acetamidoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate



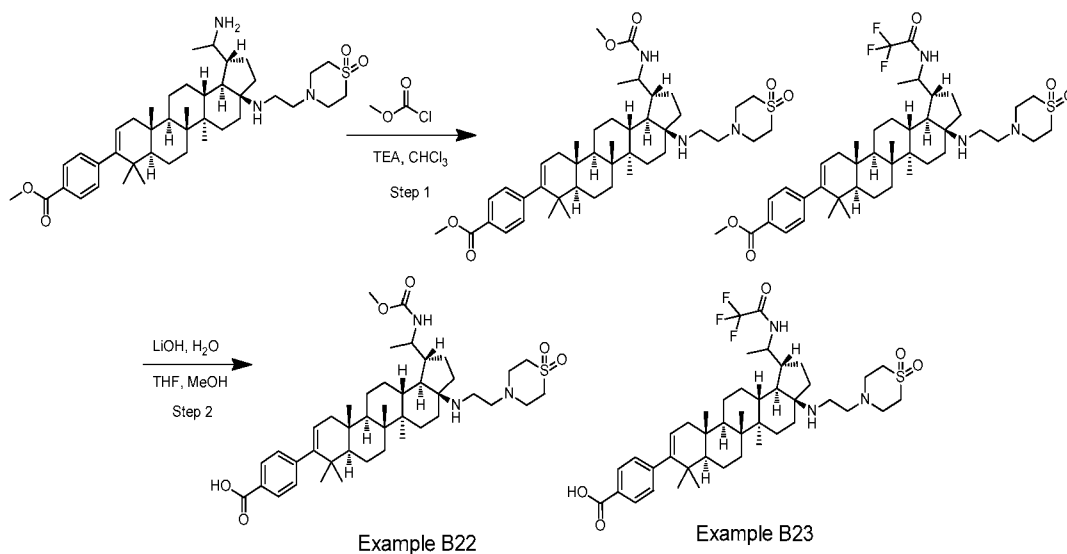
In a 1 dram vial with PTFE lined screwcap and stirbar were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.019 g, 0.018 mmol) with TEA (0.025 mL, 0.181 mmol) in dry chloroform (1 mL). Then acetyl chloride (1.930 μ L, 0.027 mmol) was added all at once and the solution was stirred at rt for 30 min. The reaction mixture was concentrated under nitrogen stream and carried directly into the next step without purification. LCMS: m/z = 750.5 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.17 min (method 5).

Step 2: In a 1 dram vial with PTFE lined screwcap were combined the crude mixture containing methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-acetamidoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.014 g, 0.018 mmol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.180 mL, 0.180 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (0.5 mL) and MeOH (0.5 mL). The mixture was heated with stirring to 70 °C for 30 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC in one injection (Prep

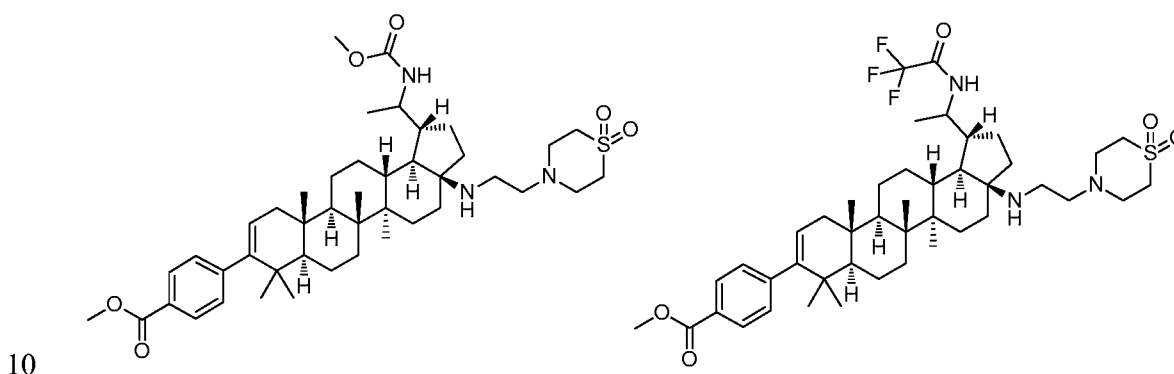
HPLC Method 2). Thus was obtained 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-acetamidoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidithiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white powder TFA salt (0.0108 g, 61.6% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 736.5$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.94 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.35 - 5.28 (m, 1H), 4.25 (quin, $J=7.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.30 - 2.99 (m, 12H), 2.27 - 2.11 (m, 2H), 2.09 - 2.01 (m, 1H), 1.98 (s, 3H), 1.90 - 1.76 (m, 5H), 1.76 - 1.54 (m, 7H), 1.53 - 1.32 (m, 6H), 1.31 - 1.23 (m, 2H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.12 (d, $J=6.8$ Hz, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H).

Example B22 and Example B23

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidithiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-((methoxycarbonyl)amino)ethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid and 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidithiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-(2,2,2-trifluoroacetamido)ethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-
 ((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-((methoxycarbonyl)amino)ethyl)-
 5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-
 octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate and methyl 4-
 5 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-(2,2,2-
 trifluoroacetamido)ethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-
 octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



In a 20 mL scintillation vial with stirbar was placed methyl 4-
 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 15 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.019 g, 0.018 mmol) with TEA (0.025
 mL, 0.181 mmol) in dry chloroform (1 mL). To the mixture was added methyl
 20 chloroformate (2.102 μ l, 0.027 mmol) and the solution was stirred at rt for 15 min. The
 crude reaction mixture was concentrated under nitrogen stream to a residue which was
 carried directly into the next step. LCMS: m/z = 766.5 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.24 min and 804.5
 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.32 min (method 5).

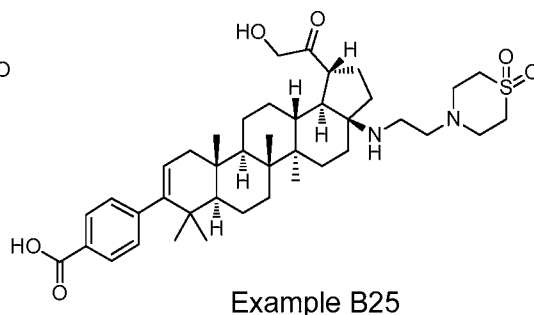
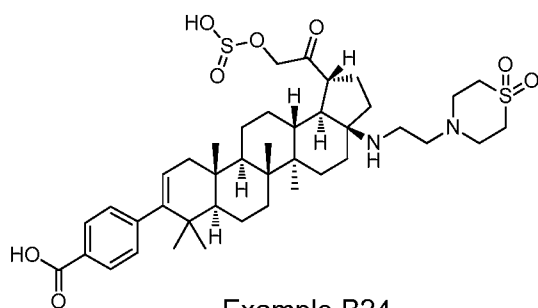
Step 2: In a 1 dram vial with PTFE screwcap were combined the crude mixture
 25 containing methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-((methoxycarbonyl)amino)ethyl)-
 5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-

- octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate and methyl 4-
 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-(2,2,2-
 trifluoroacetamido)ethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-
- 5 octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.018 mmol total) with lithium
 hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.180 mL, 0.180 mmol) in
 tetrahydrofuran (0.5 mL) and MeOH (0.5 mL). The mixture was heated with stirring to
 70 °C for 25 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC
 (Prep HPLC Method 2). Thus were isolated the two title compounds:
- 10 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(1-((methoxycarbonyl)amino)ethyl)-
 5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-
 octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid: Isolated as a white powder
 TFA salt (0.0039 g, 21.9% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 752.5$ (M+H)⁺, 2.03 min (method 5). ¹H
- 15 NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.97
 - 7.89 (m, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 6.42 (d, $J=9.3$ Hz, 1H), 5.32 (dd, $J=6.0, 1.3$ Hz,
 1H), 4.01 - 3.89 (m, 1H), 3.65 (s, 2H), 3.29 - 2.98 (m, 12H), 2.27 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.21
 - 2.10 (m, 1H), 2.09 - 2.01 (m, 1H), 2.00 - 1.92 (m, 1H), 1.91 - 1.62 (m, 9H), 1.62 - 1.38
 (m, 8H), 1.33 - 1.24 (m, 3H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.15 (d, $J=6.8$ Hz, 3H), 1.05 (s, 6H), 0.96 (br.
- 20 s., 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).
 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-(2,2,2-
 trifluoroacetamido)ethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-
 octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid: Isolated as a white powder
- 25 TFA salt (0.0066 g, 35.7% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 790.5$ (M+H)⁺, 2.12 min (method 5). ¹H
 NMR (400MHz, METHANOL-d₄) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H),
 5.35 - 5.27 (m, 1H), 4.33 (t, $J=8.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.30 (br. s., 7H), 3.13 - 3.00 (m, 5H), 2.50 -
 2.40 (m, 1H), 2.17 (dd, $J=16.9, 6.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.09 - 1.90 (m, 4H), 1.73 (d, $J=2.2$ Hz, 3H),
 1.71 - 1.55 (m, 6H), 1.55 - 1.42 (m, 5H), 1.37 - 1.26 (m, 3H), 1.24 (d, $J=6.8$ Hz, 3H), 1.19
- 30 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H).

Example B24 and Example B25

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2-(sulfinooxy)acetyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid and 4-

- 5 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxyacetyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



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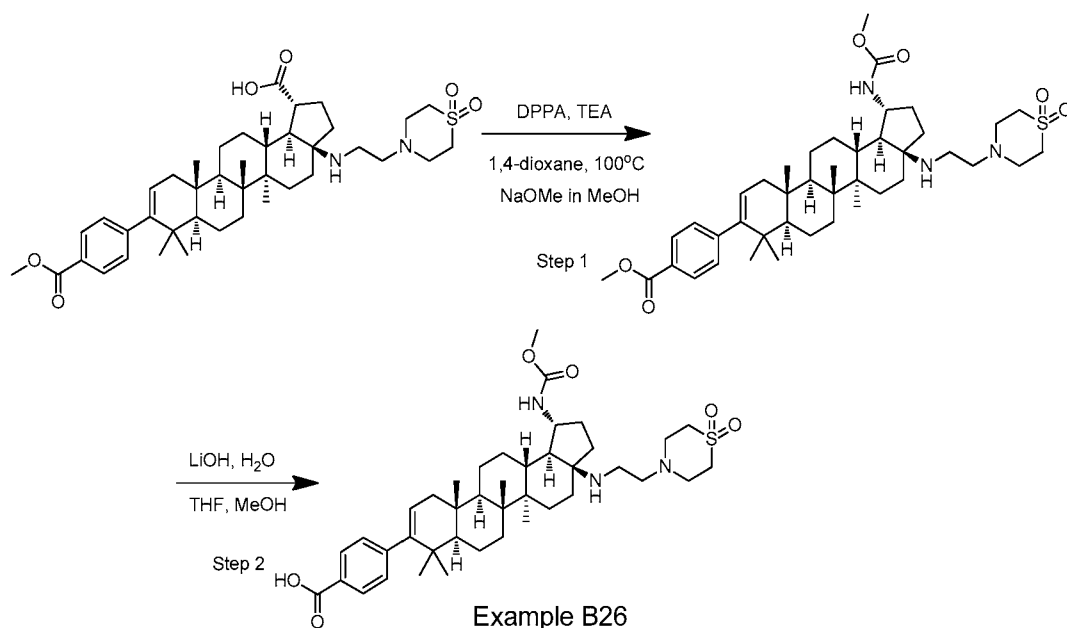
- In a 1 dram vial with stirbar was placed sodium hydroxide, 3.0M aqueous (0.471 mL, 1.414 mmol). The vial was cooled to -10 degrees C in an ice/acetone bath. To the stirred solution was added bromine (0.026 mL, 0.495 mmol) dropwise over 2 min. The resulting yellow/green solution was stirred for 10 min in the cold bath, then 1,4-dioxane (0.30 mL) was added dropwise very slowly and the resulting yellow solution was stirred another 5 min cold. The cold yellow hypobromite solution was added dropwise to a 0 °C cold frozen suspension of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.050 g, 0.071 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (1.15 mL) and water (0.20 mL). The resulting yellow suspension was immediately allowed to warm to rt and was stirred at rt for 80 min. To the mixture was added 0.2 mL of a saturated aqueous sodium sulfite solution, and the mixture was heated to 80 degrees C for 25 min. The mixture was concentrated to a solid residue under nitrogen stream. To the residue were added THF (2 mL), methanol (0.5 mL), water (0.3 mL) and acetonitrile (0.3 mL). The vial was shaken and the contents were filtered to remove solids. The crude mixture was
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purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2). Fractions containing the desired compounds were combined and repurified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 12). Thus were isolated the two title compounds:

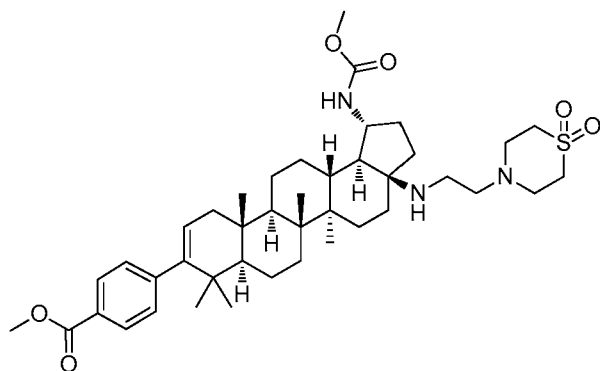
- 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2-(sulfinooxy)acetyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid: Isolated as a white powder (0.0091 g, 12.6% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 773.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.03 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, Acetic acid) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.18 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 5.32 (d, $J=5.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.85 (td, $J=10.8, 5.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.47 - 3.08 (m, 13H), 2.67 (t, $J=11.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.57 - 2.40 (m, 1H), 2.18 (d, $J=3.9$ Hz, 3H), 1.99 - 1.93 (m, 2H), 1.84 - 1.71 (m, 3H), 1.70 - 1.38 (m, 12H), 1.33 (br. s., 3H), 1.28 - 1.19 (m, 4H), 1.16 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H).
- 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-hydroxyacetyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid: Isolated as a white powder (0.0042 g, 6.2% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 709.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.96 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.92 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.19 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.29 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.28 (d, $J=4.4$ Hz, 2H), 3.19 - 3.07 (m, 5H), 3.07 - 2.98 (m, 2H), 2.94 (td, $J=10.9, 4.8$ Hz, 2H), 2.78 - 2.58 (m, 3H), 2.45 (dt, $J=11.6, 3.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.20 (t, $J=11.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.15 - 2.04 (m, 2H), 2.01 (s, 1H), 1.98 - 1.82 (m, 2H), 1.75 - 1.63 (m, 2H), 1.62 - 1.20 (m, 12H), 1.20 - 1.06 (m, 5H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H), 0.94 (br. s., 3H).

25 Example B26

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-((methoxycarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-((methoxycarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



- In a 1 dram vial were combined (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-1-carboxylic acid (0.025 g, 0.035 mmol) with triethylamine (8.85 μ l, 0.063 mmol) and diphenylphosphoryl azide (0.011 mL, 0.053 mmol) in dry 1,4-dioxane (0.5 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was

heated to 100 degrees C for 75 min. To the mixture at rt was added sodium methoxide, 0.5M solution in methanol (0.705 mL, 0.353 mmol). After 1h, the reaction mixture was concentrated via nitrogen stream and the crude residue was carried forward to hydrolysis of the ester in the next step. LCMS: $m/z = 738.7$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.25 min (method 3).

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Step 2: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-

((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-((methoxycarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

10 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.026 g, 0.035 mmol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.352 mL, 0.352 mmol) and tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was capped with PTFE screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 °C with stirring for 20 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2) to give methyl 4-

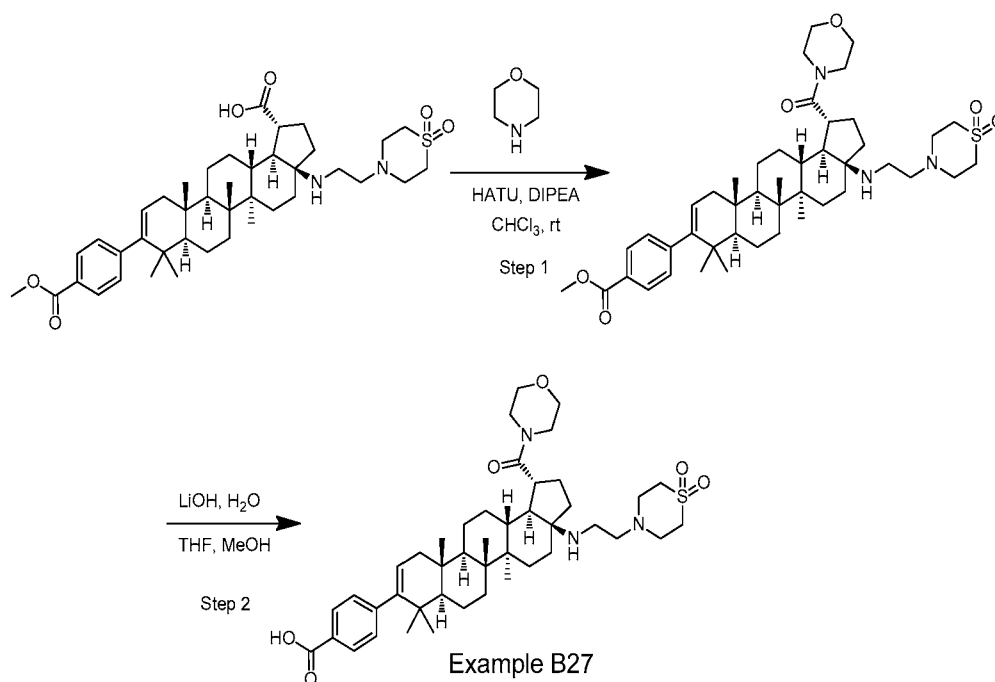
15 ((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-((methoxycarbonyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate as a white powder TFA salt (0.0113 g, 32.7% yield).

LCMS: $m/z = 724.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.96 min (method 3). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of 20 chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 6.87 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 1H), 5.30 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.11 - 3.96 (m, 1H), 3.64 (s, 3H), 3.27 - 2.87 (m, 12H), 2.38 - 2.23 (m, 1H), 2.22 - 2.04 (m, 3H), 2.03 - 1.82 (m, 3H), 1.76 (t, $J=16.5$ Hz, 3H), 1.69 - 1.37 (m, 10H), 1.36 - 1.23 (m, 3H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.08 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

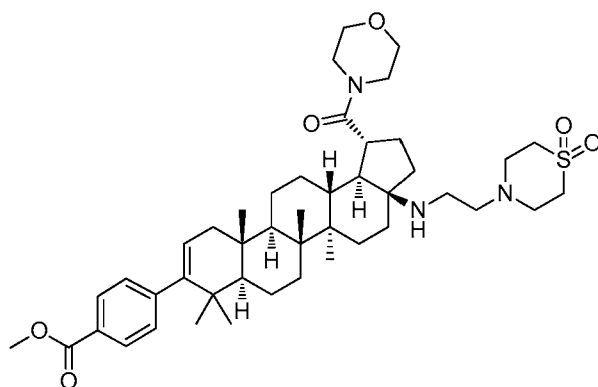
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Example B27

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(morpholine-4-carbonyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
30 **cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.**



- Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(morpholine-4-carbonyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate



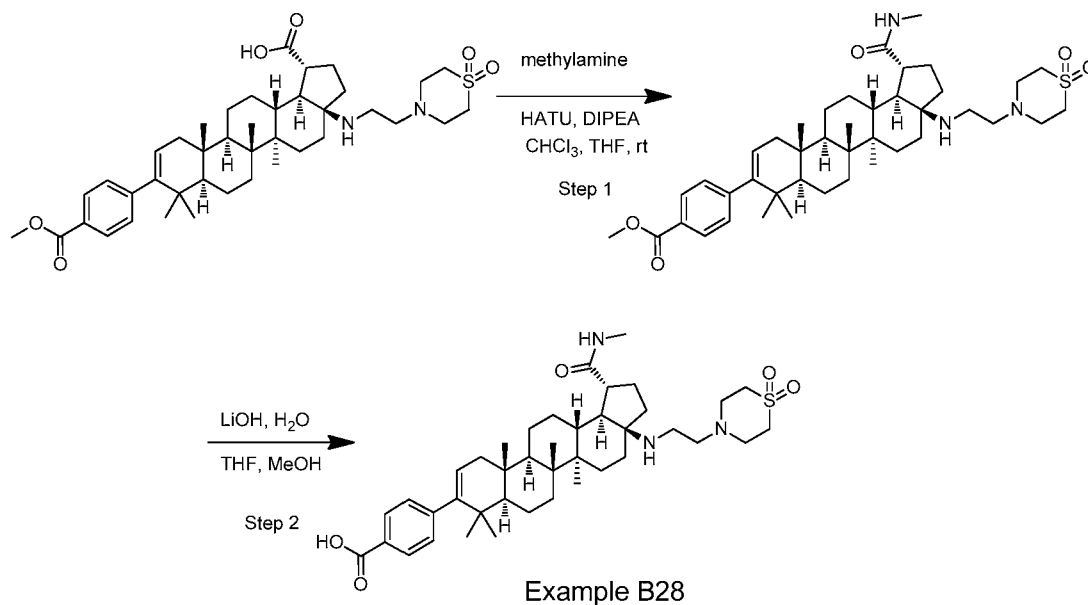
- In a 1 dram vial were combined (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-1-carboxylic acid (0.025 g, 0.035 mmol) with morpholine (3.99

μl, 0.046 mmol), HATU (0.017 g, 0.046 mmol) and DIPEA (0.020 mL, 0.113 mmol) in chloroform (1 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was stirred at rt overnight. The mixture was concentrated under a nitrogen stream then redissolved in a minimum amount of a mixture of acetonitrile and methanol. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 5) to give the product as a white solid TFA salt (0.0276 g). LCMS: $m/z = 778.5$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.26 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.91 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.73 - 3.50 (m, 8H), 3.29 - 3.14 (m, 8H), 3.14 - 2.96 (m, 5H), 2.71 (t, $J=11.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.35 - 2.22 (m, 1H), 2.19 - 2.04 (m, 3H), 1.90 - 1.64 (m, 5H), 1.64 - 1.52 (m, 5H), 1.47 (d, $J=12.0$ Hz, 4H), 1.28 (d, $J=10.3$ Hz, 2H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.14 (s, 4H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H).

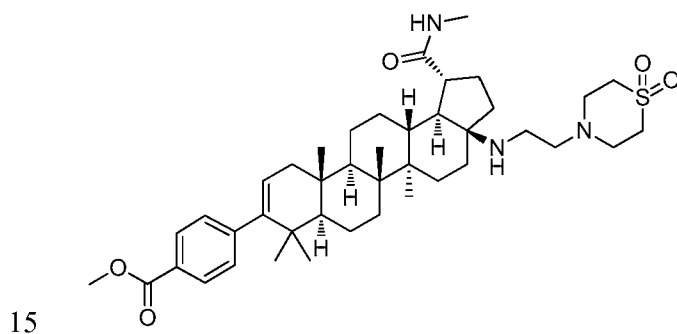
Step 2: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(morpholine-4-carbonyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.027 g, 0.027 mmol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.134 mL, 0.134 mmol) and tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 60 °C with stirring for 30 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2) to give 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(morpholine-4-carbonyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white powder TFA salt (0.0323 g, 92% yield over 2 steps). LCMS: $m/z = 764.5$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.06 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.73 - 3.52 (m, 8H), 3.28 - 3.13 (m, 8H), 3.12 - 2.95 (m, 5H), 2.71 (t, $J=11.6$ Hz, 1H), 2.34 - 2.22 (m, 1H), 2.20 - 2.04 (m, 3H), 1.79 (d, $J=4.2$ Hz, 2H), 1.65 (br. s., 3H), 1.64 - 1.35 (m, 9H), 1.33 - 1.23 (m, 2H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.14 (s, 4H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H).

Example B28

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(methylcarbamoyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



- 10 **Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(methylcarbamoyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.**



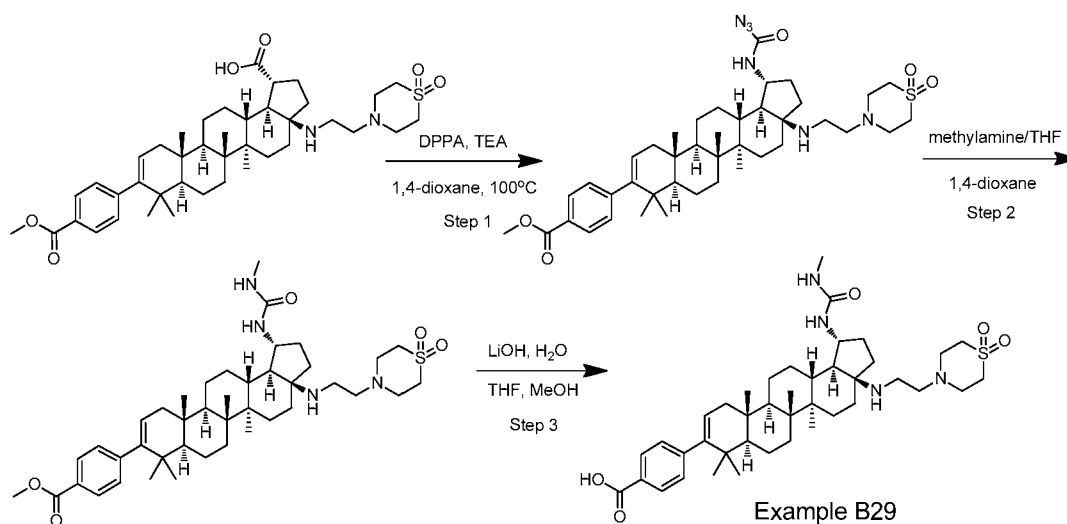
Methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(methylcarbamoyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate was prepared by a similar procedure as described for the preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(morpholine-4-carbonyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate, except methylamine, 2.0M in THF (0.176 mL, 0.353 mmol) was used instead of morpholine. Also, after preparative HPLC purification the material had to be repurified using different conditions (prep HPLC method 12) to provide the desired product as a white powder (0.0142 g, 55.8% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 722.6$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.02 min (method 3). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.91 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.44 - 7.36 (m, 1H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.29 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 3.19 - 2.95 (m, 8H), 2.75 - 2.68 (m, 5H), 2.67 - 2.58 (m, 1H), 2.57 - 2.40 (m, 2H), 2.16 - 1.88 (m, 4H), 1.83 (dd, $J=12.8$, 7.9 Hz, 1H), 1.78 - 1.66 (m, 2H), 1.65 - 1.42 (m, 8H), 1.42 - 1.29 (m, 4H), 1.29 - 1.21 (m, 2H), 1.21 - 1.14 (m, 1H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H), 0.93 (s, 3H).

Step 2: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(methylcarbamoyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.0142 g, 0.020 mmol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.197 mL, 0.197 mmol) and tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 60 °C with stirring for 30 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2) to give 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(methylcarbamoyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white powder TFA salt (0.0171 mg, 92% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 708.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.98 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1

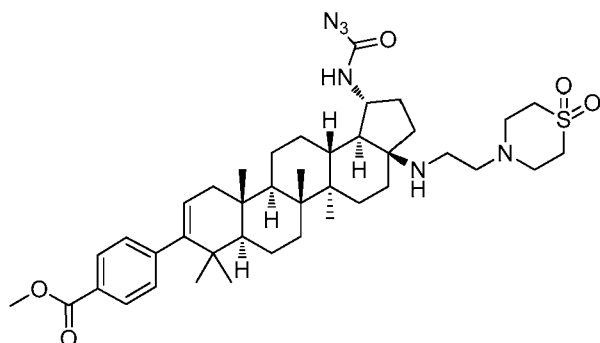
mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.92 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.20 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.37 (s, 3H), 3.26 - 3.04 (m, 10H), 3.00 (d, $J=4.2$ Hz, 2H), 2.85 (br. s., 1H), 2.75 (s, 3H), 2.51 (t, $J=11.6$ Hz, 1H), 2.21 - 2.07 (m, 3H), 2.06 - 1.97 (m, 1H), 1.90 - 1.67 (m, 5H), 1.65 - 1.34 (m, 10H), 1.21 (br. s., 2H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H).

Example B29

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-methylureido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.

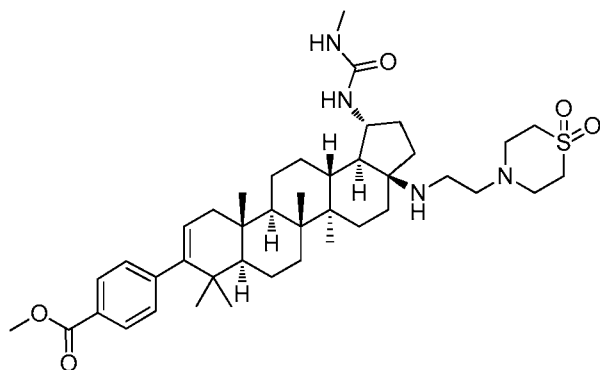


Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-((azidocarbonyl)amino)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



In a 1 dram vial were combined (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-1-carboxylic acid (0.085 g, 0.120 mmol) with triethylamine (0.030 mL, 0.216 mmol) and diphenylphosphoryl azide (0.028 mL, 0.132 mmol) in dry 1,4-dioxane (2 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was stirred at rt for 100 min, then heated to 100 °C and stirred for 2h. To the mixture was added more diphenylphosphoryl azide (0.028 mL, 0.132 mmol) and the mixture was reheated to 100 °C and stirred for 1h. The crude mixture was taken directly into the next step without purification. LCMS: $m/z = 749.6$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.30 min (method 3).

Step 2. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-methylureido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-
 ((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-((azidocarbonyl)amino)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 5 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.030 g, 0.040 mmol) with methanamine, 1.0M in
 THF (0.400 mL, 0.400 mmol). The mix was stirred at rt for 1h. The crude mixture was
 purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2) to provide the
 desired product as a white powder TFA salt (0.0193 g, 50% yield over 2 steps). LCMS:
 m/z = 737.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.14 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of
 10 chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.91 (d, J=8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d,
 J=8.1 Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, J=4.9 Hz, 1H), 4.12 - 4.01 (m, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.31 - 3.01 (m,
 11H), 2.97 (d, J=11.2 Hz, 1H), 2.71 (s, 3H), 2.36 - 2.21 (m, 1H), 2.15 (dd, J=17.1, 6.4
 Hz, 1H), 2.11 - 2.02 (m, 2H), 2.01 - 1.92 (m, 1H), 1.91 - 1.79 (m, 2H), 1.79 - 1.37 (m,
 13H), 1.33 - 1.22 (m, 2H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s,
 15 3H).

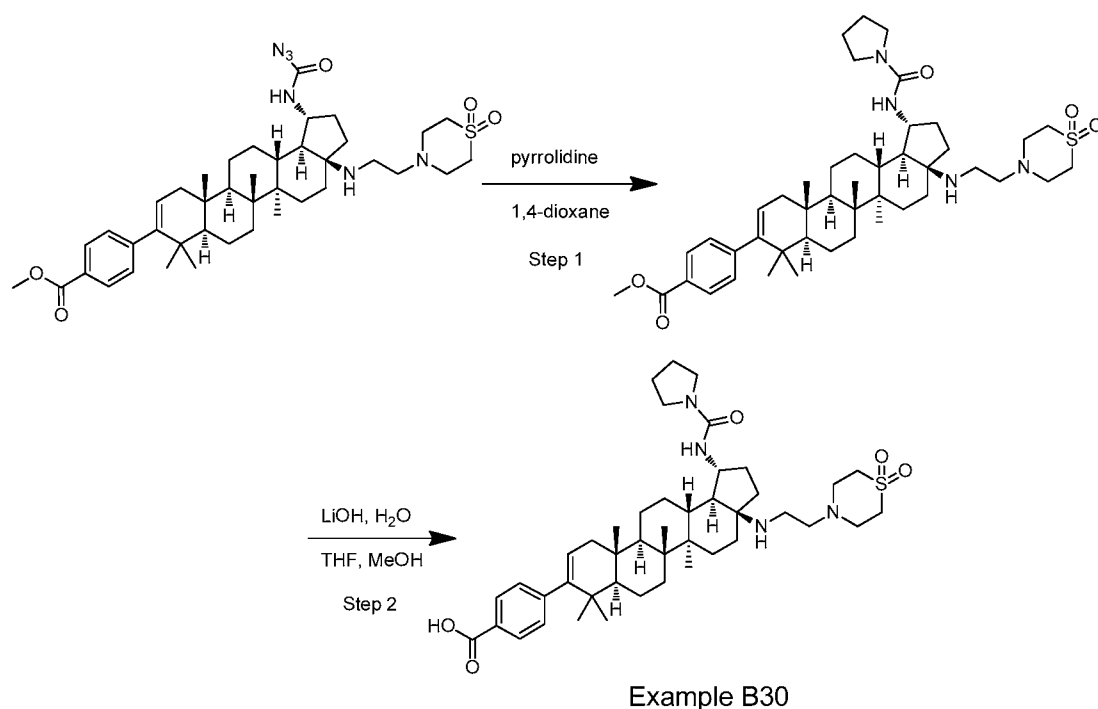
Step 3: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-
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 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-methylureido)-
 20 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.019 g, 0.020 mmol) with lithium
 hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.197 mL, 0.197 mmol) and
 tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined
 screwcap and the mixture was heated to 60 °C with stirring for 30 min. The crude
 25 mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2) to
 provide 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(3-methylureido)-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white powder TFA salt (0.0203 g, 106%
 30 yield). LCMS: m/z = 723.4 (M+H)⁺, 1.93 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1
 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, J=8.3 Hz, 2H),
 7.20 (d, J=8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, J=4.6 Hz, 1H), 4.16 - 3.99 (m, 1H), 3.28 - 3.00 (m, 11H),
 3.00 - 2.86 (m, 1H), 2.72 (s, 3H), 2.38 - 2.21 (m, 1H), 2.16 (dd, J=17.2, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 2.12

- 2.01 (m, 2H), 2.01 - 1.93 (m, 1H), 1.90 - 1.55 (m, 10H), 1.35 (d, $J=11.7$ Hz, 6H), 1.29 (d, $J=10.8$ Hz, 2H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

5 Example B30

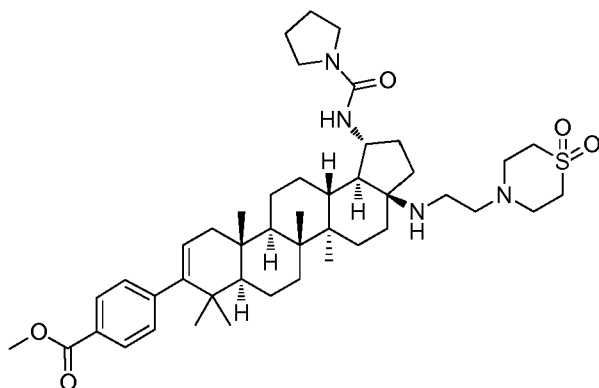
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Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(pyrrolidine-1-carboxamido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.

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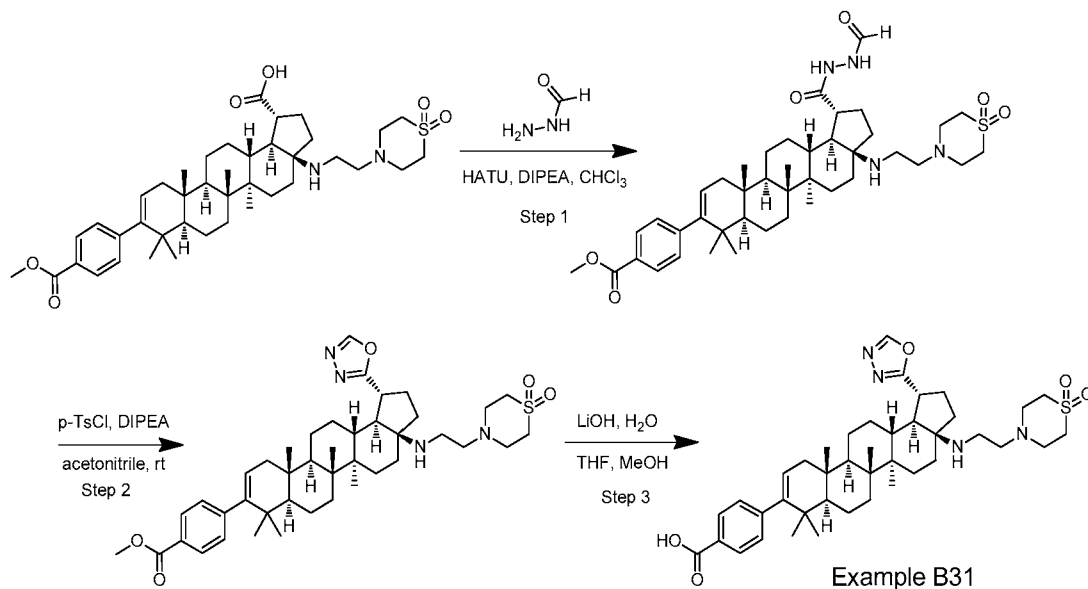
In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-
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 5 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.030 g, 0.040 mmol) with pyrrolidine (0.033 mL,
 0.400 mmol). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was
 stirred at rt for 1h. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC
 10 (Prep HPLC Method 2). The desired product was thus obtained as a white powder TFA
 salt (0.0178 g, 44.3% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 777.5$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.16 min (method 5). ¹H
 NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.91
 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, $J=4.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.16 (br. s., 1H), 3.91
 (s, 3H), 3.31 - 3.00 (m, 12H), 2.94 (br. s., 1H), 2.38 - 2.21 (m, 2H), 2.16 (dd, $J=17.0, 6.2$
 15 Hz, 1H), 2.09 (d, $J=14.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.01 - 1.66 (m, 12H), 1.65 - 1.34 (m, 10H), 1.33 - 1.22
 (m, 2H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

Step 2: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-
 ((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 20 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(pyrrolidine-1-
 carboxamido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.019 g, 0.019 mmol) with lithium
 hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.189 mL, 0.189 mmol) and
 tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined
 25 screwcap and the mixture was heated to 60 °C with stirring for 30 min. The crude
 mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2) to

provide 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(pyrrolidine-1-carboxamido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white powder TFA salt (0.0163 g, 85%
 5 yield). LCMS: $m/z = 763.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.04 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.20 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, $J=4.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.21 - 4.08 (m, 1H), 3.27 - 3.00 (m, 12H), 2.93 (d, $J=9.3$ Hz, 1H), 2.28 (t, $J=11.4$ Hz, 2H), 2.16 (dd, $J=17.1, 6.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.09 (d, $J=15.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.99 - 1.90 (m, 5H), 1.90 - 1.80 (m, 2H), 1.79 - 1.66 (m, 4H), 1.66 - 1.54
 10 (m, 4H), 1.54 - 1.34 (m, 6H), 1.33 - 1.22 (m, 3H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

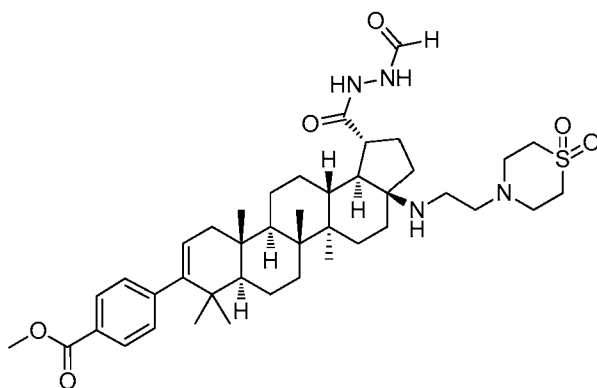
Example B31

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1,3,4-oxadiazol-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.
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Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-formylhydrazinecarbonyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.

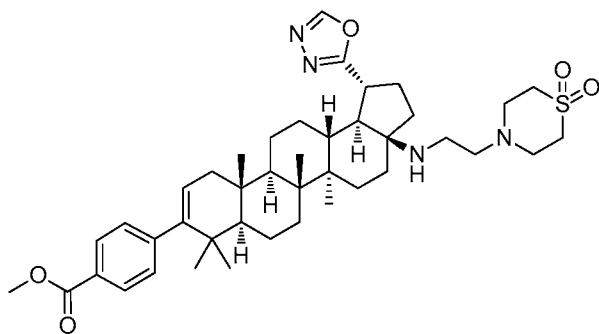
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In a 1 dram vial were combined (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-1-carboxylic acid (0.050 g, 0.071 mmol) with formic acid hydrazide (8.47 mg, 0.141 mmol), HATU (0.035 g, 0.092 mmol) and DIPEA (0.039 mL, 0.226 mmol) in chloroform (1 mL). The mixture was stirred at rt for 26h. The mixture was concentrated via nitrogen stream, then redissolved in a minimum quantity of a mixture of acetonitrile/MeOH, filtered and purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2). The desired product was thus isolated as a white solid TFA salt (0.0396 g, 57.4% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 751.4 (M+H)^+$, 2.11 min (method 5). ^1H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform- d and methanol- d_4 , methanol- d_4 lock) δ 8.04 (s, 1H), 7.91 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.29 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.27 - 3.04 (m, 10H), 3.03 - 2.88 (m, 3H), 2.57 (t, $J=11.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.32 - 2.18 (m, 1H), 2.18 - 2.02 (m, 3H), 1.95 - 1.65 (m, 5H), 1.64 - 1.32 (m, 10H), 1.31 - 1.21 (m, 2H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H).

Step 2. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1,3,4-

oxadiazol-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



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In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(2-formylhydrazinecarbonyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.020 g, 0.020 mmol) and DIPEA (0.036 mL, 0.204 mmol) with acetonitrile (0.5 mL). To the mixture was added p-toluenesulfonyl chloride (0.031 g, 0.163 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 1h. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 12). Thus was obtained the desired product (0.0084 g, 56.1% yield). LCMS: m/z = 733.7 (M+H)⁺, 2.32 min (method 3).

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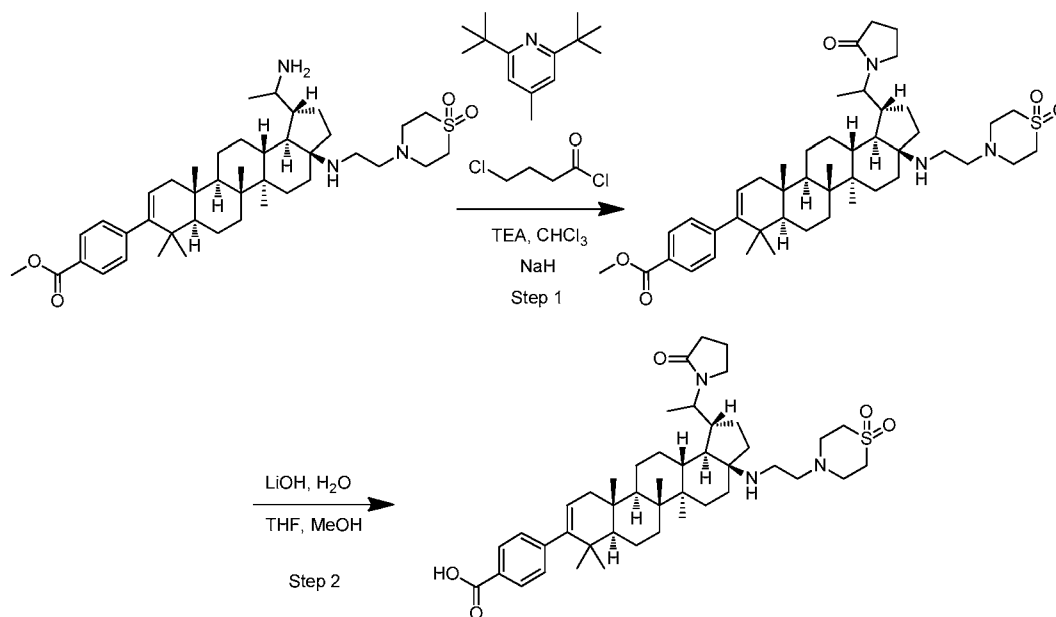
Step 3: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1,3,4-oxadiazol-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.0084 g, 0.011 mmol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.115 mL, 0.115 mmol) and tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 °C with stirring for 30 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 3) to afford 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1,3,4-oxadiazol-2-yl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

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cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white powder TFA salt (0.0106 g, 97% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 719.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.92 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 8.70 (s, 1H), 7.92 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.19 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.32 - 5.21 (m, 1H), 3.75 (td, $J=11.1, 3.7$ Hz, 1H), 3.27 - 2.92 (m, 11H), 2.65 (t, $J=12.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.57 - 2.42 (m, 1H), 2.26 - 1.76 (m, 7H), 1.72 - 1.33 (m, 10H), 1.26 (br. s., 3H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.16 - 1.05 (m, 4H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H), 0.91 - 0.84 (m, 1H).

Example B32

10 Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-(2-oxopyrrolidin-1-yl)ethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.

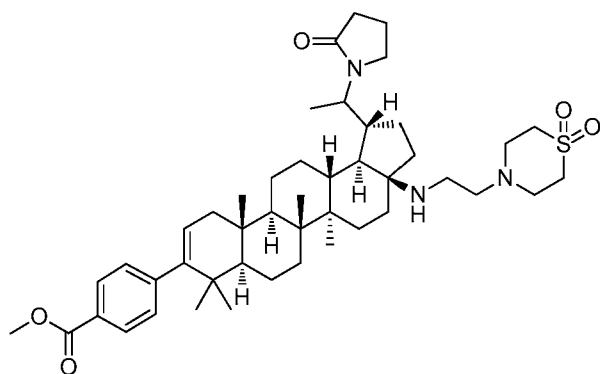


Example B32

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Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-(2-oxopyrrolidin-1-yl)ethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.

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In a 5mL microwave vial were combined methyl 4-
 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 5 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.025 g, 0.035 mmol) with 4-chlorobutanoyl
 chloride (5.94 μ l, 0.053 mmol) and 2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-methylpyridine (0.029 g, 0.141
 mmol) in a mixture of acetonitrile (0.5 mL) and 1,4-dioxane (0.5 mL). The mixture was
 10 stirred at rt for 5 min and was then heated to 120 °C in a microwave reactor for 1h. The
 mixture was allowed to cool to rt, then sodium hydride 60% NaH dispersion in mineral
 oil (excess, approx 20 mg) was added to the mixture causing significant outgassing. The
 mixture was stirred at rt for 24h. The crude mixture was carried forward to the next step
 without further manipulation. LCMS: $m/z = 776.5 (M+H)^+$, 2.18 min (method 5).

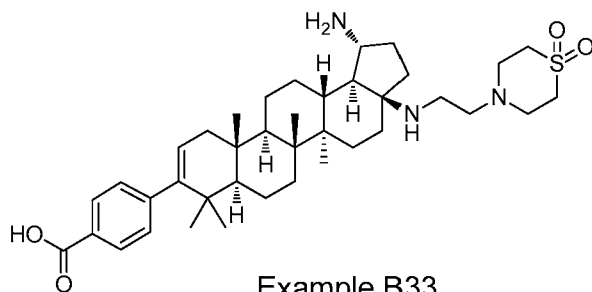
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Step 2: The crude reaction mixture containing methyl 4-
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 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-(2-oxopyrrolidin-1-
 yl)ethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 20 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.027 g, 0.035 mmol) and excess sodium hydride in
 THF was quenched by slow addition of water (1 mL), resulting in energetic outgassing.
 Methanol (1 mL) was then added, and the resulting mixture was heated to 60 °C for 30
 min. The mixture was concentrated via nitrogen stream to approximately 0.5 mL, diluted
 with acetonitrile (1 mL) and methanol (1 mL) then filtered and purified by reverse phase
 25 preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 3) to afford 4-
 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-

dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-(2-oxopyrrolidin-1-yl)ethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white powder TFA salt (0.0270 g, 76% yield over 2 steps). LCMS: $m/z = 762.5$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.98 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.31 (d, $J=4.9$ Hz, 1H), 4.38 - 4.28 (m, 1H), 3.62 - 3.53 (m, 1H), 3.49 - 3.40 (m, 1H), 3.27 - 2.93 (m, 11H), 2.49 - 2.29 (m, 2H), 2.29 - 2.12 (m, 2H), 1.98 (br. s., 4H), 1.95 - 1.79 (m, 5H), 1.78 - 1.68 (m, 2H), 1.52 (d, $J=6.1$ Hz, 6H), 1.50 - 1.32 (m, 5H), 1.31 - 1.25 (m, 2H), 1.22 (br. s., 3H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 6H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

Example B33

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-amino-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.

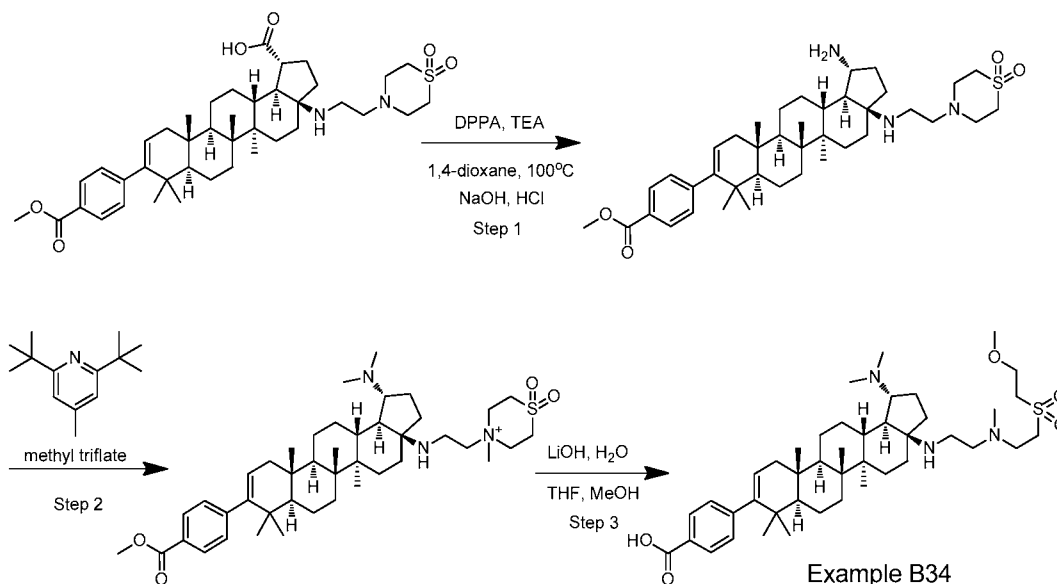


In a 20 mL scintillation vial were combined (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-1-carboxylic acid, triethylammonium salt (0.100 g, 0.123 mmol) with diphenylphosphoryl azide (0.080 mL, 0.370 mmol) and triethylamine (0.034 mL, 0.247 mmol) in dry 1,4-dioxane (5 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 80 °C for 2h. The mixture was allowed to cool to rt and

stood at rt for 1.5h. To the rapidly stirred mixture was added sodium hydroxide, 1.0M aqueous (4.93 mL, 4.93 mmol) all at once. The resulting cloudy mixture was stirred rapidly at rt for 30 min. The mixture was concentrated via nitrogen stream and purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 15). The desired product was thus isolated as a white solid TFA salt (0.0739 g, 59.5% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 666.3$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.79 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.31 (d, $J=4.9$ Hz, 1H), 3.85 (t, $J=8.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.27 - 3.12 (m, 6H), 3.11 - 2.83 (m, 6H), 2.48 (br. s., 1H), 2.23 - 1.97 (m, 5H), 1.93 - 1.80 (m, 2H), 1.75 (d, $J=16.1$ Hz, 2H), 1.69 - 1.34 (m, 11H), 1.33 - 1.24 (m, 2H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 0.97 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H).

Example B34

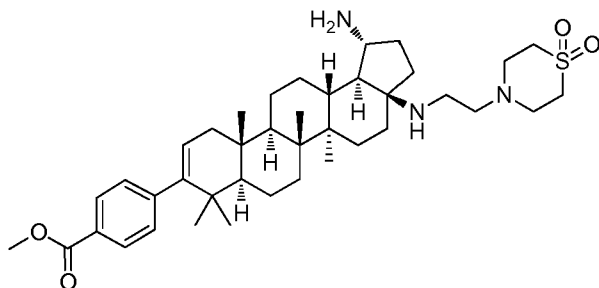
Preparation of 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(dimethylamino)-3a-((2-((2-((2-methoxyethyl)sulfonyl)ethyl)(methyl)amino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



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Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-amino-3a-((2-((1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate



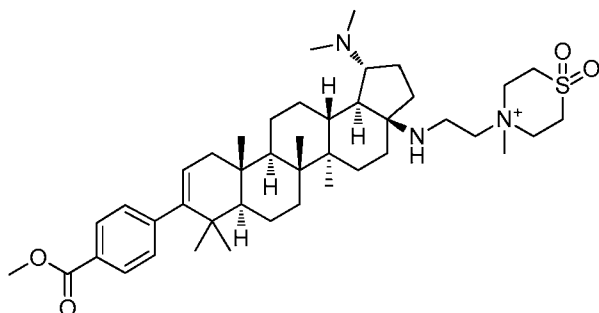
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In a 1 dram vial were combined (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-1-carboxylic acid (0.150 g, 0.212 mmol) with diphenylphosphoryl azide (0.114 mL, 0.529 mmol) and triethylamine (0.118 mL, 0.846 mmol) in dry 1,4-dioxane (2 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 80 °C for 45 min. Additional diphenylphosphoryl azide (0.057 mL, 0.265 mmol) was added and the mixture was heated to 85 °C for another 20 minutes. The mixture was removed from heat, allowed to cool to rt, and to it was added sodium hydroxide, 3.0M aqueous (1.41 mL, 4.23 mmol). After 45 min of stirring, the mixture was cooled in an ice bath and to it was added hydrochloric acid, 12M (0.353 mL, 4.23 mmol) slowly. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 3). The desired product was isolated as a white powder TFA salt (0.0558 g, 25.8% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 680.4 (M+H)^+$, 1.93 min (method 5). ^1H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.92 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.95 - 3.81 (m, 4H), 3.30 - 2.84 (m, 12H), 2.59 - 2.37 (m, 1H), 2.32 - 2.21 (m, 1H), 2.21 - 2.01 (m, 4H), 2.00 - 1.70 (m, 4H), 1.69 - 1.33 (m, 12H), 1.33 - 1.24 (m, 2H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H).

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Step 2. Preparation of 4-(2-(((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(dimethylamino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-3a-yl)amino)ethyl)-4-methylthiomorpholin-4-ium 1,1-dioxide.



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In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-(((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-amino-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.021 g, 0.021 mmol) with 2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-methylpyridine (0.042 g, 0.205 mmol) in chloroform (0.5 mL). To this stirred mixture was added methyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (0.011 mL, 0.103 mmol). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 30 min. Another 5 equivalents of methyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (0.011 mL, 0.103 mmol) were added and the mixture was reheated to 70 °C for an additional 105 min. The mixture was concentrated via nitrogen stream and redissolved in minimum methanol with a little THF added. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2). The product thus isolated was carried directly into the next step. LCMS: m/z = 722.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.04 min (method 5).

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Step 3: In a 1 dram vial were combined 4-(2-(((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(dimethylamino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-3a-yl)amino)ethyl)-4-methylthiomorpholin-4-ium 1,1-dioxide (0.010 g, 9.12 μmol) with 1.0M aqueous lithium hydroxide hydrate (0.091 mL, 0.091 mmol) and tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was sealed with a

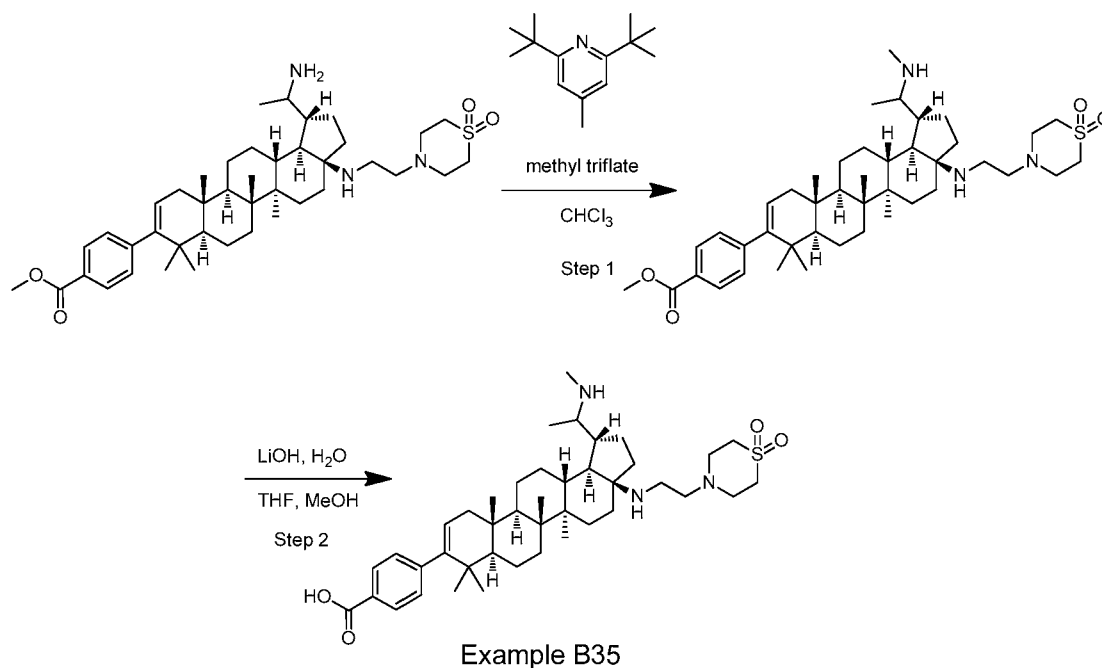
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PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 °C with stirring for 30 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 3) to afford 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(dimethylamino)-3a-((2-((2-methoxyethyl)sulfonyl)ethyl)(methylamino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white powder TFA salt (0.0048 g, 20% yield over 2 steps). LCMS: $m/z = 740.4$ (M+H)⁺, 1.88 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.20 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (dd, $J=6.0, 1.3$ Hz, 1H), 4.24 - 4.10 (m, 1H), 3.84 (t, $J=4.6$ Hz, 2H), 3.67 - 3.56 (m, 2H), 3.49 - 3.43 (m, $J=6.2, 6.2$ Hz, 2H), 3.25 - 3.12 (m, 3H), 3.01 - 2.74 (m, 8H), 2.72 (s, 3H), 2.35 - 2.21 (m, 1H), 2.21 - 2.06 (m, 2H), 2.06 - 1.97 (m, 2H), 1.95 - 1.85 (m, 2H), 1.73 (d, $J=17.1$ Hz, 1H), 1.68 - 1.42 (m, 12H), 1.35 - 1.20 (m, 8H), 1.17 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

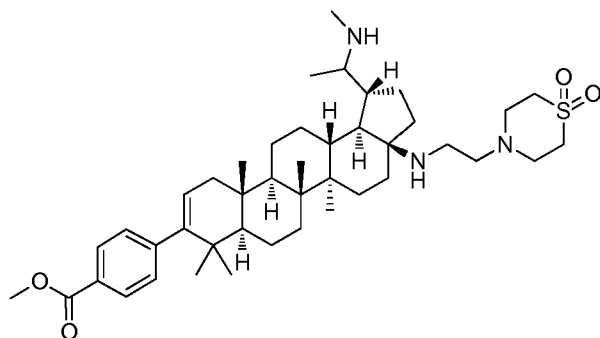
15 Example B35

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-(methylamino)ethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.

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Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-(methylamino)ethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



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In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.020 g, 0.028 mmol) with 2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-methylpyridine (0.029 g, 0.141 mmol) in chloroform (0.5 mL). To this stirred mixture

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was added methyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (4.98 μ l, 0.045 mmol) and a PTFE lined screwcap was installed and the mixture was stirred at rt for 45 min. To the mixture was added more methyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (7 μ l, approx 0.063 mmol, 2.25 equivalents) and stirred at rt for 1.5h. To the mixture was added 1.0M ammonia in THF, then the mixture was concentrated under nitrogen stream to a residue, redissolved in a minimum amount of a 1:1 THF/MeOH mixture and purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 12). Fractions containing the desired product were combined and repurified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 3) to provide the desired product as a white powder TFA salt (0.0123 g, 40.9% yield). LCMS: m/z = 722.3 (M+H)⁺, 2.01 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.92 (d, J =8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, J =8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.31 (d, J =4.4 Hz, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.28 - 2.96 (m, 12H), 2.74 (s, 3H), 2.50 (td, J =10.9, 2.6 Hz, 1H), 2.21 - 1.91 (m, 6H), 1.90 - 1.68 (m, 4H), 1.68 - 1.37 (m, 11H), 1.34 (s, 3H), 1.31 - 1.24 (m, 2H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

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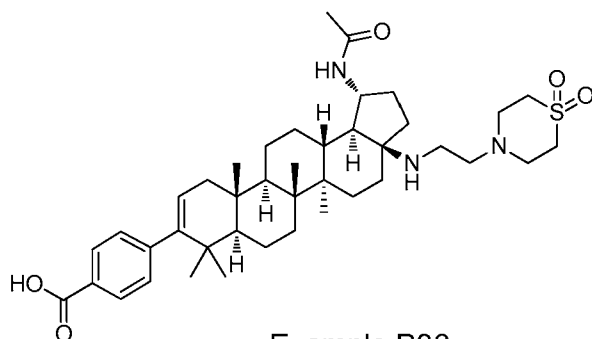
Step 2: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-(methylamino)ethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.0093 g, 8.74 μ mol) with 1.0M aqueous lithium hydroxide hydrate (0.087 mL, 0.087 mmol), tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 °C with stirring for 30 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 16) to provide 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-(methylamino)ethyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white glassy solid TFA salt (0.0078 g, 80% yield). LCMS: m/z = 708.4 (M+H)⁺, 1.79 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, J =8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, J =8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.31 (d, J =4.6 Hz, 1H), 3.27 - 2.95 (m, 12H), 2.74 (s, 3H), 2.57 - 2.44 (m, 1H), 2.23 - 1.92 (m, 6H), 1.90 - 1.68 (m, 4H), 1.68 - 1.40 (m, 11H), 1.34 (d,

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$J=6.6$ Hz, 3H), 1.31 - 1.24 (m, 3H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.97 (br. s., 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H).

Example B36

- 5 **Preparation of 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetamido-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.**



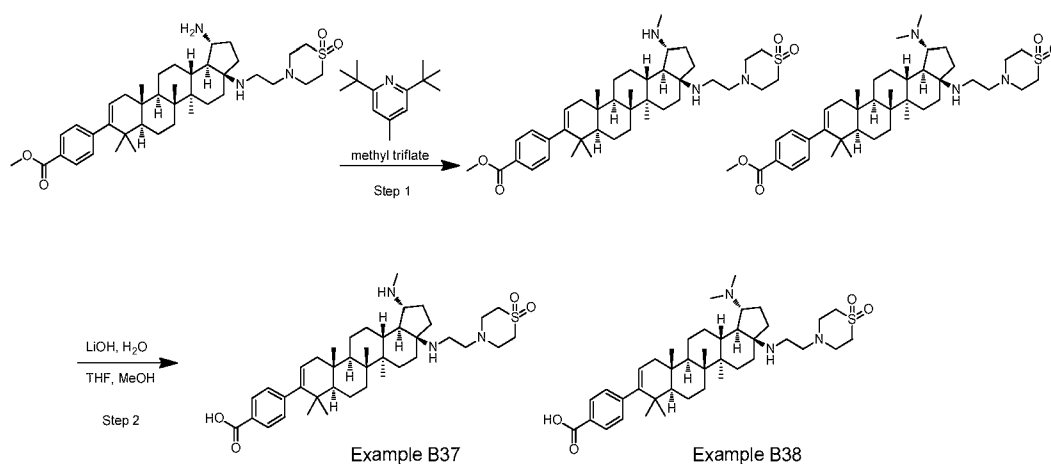
Example B36

- In a 1 dram vial were combined (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-1-carboxylic acid (0.020 g, 0.028 mmol) with diphenylphosphoryl azide (0.015 mL, 0.071 mmol) and triethylamine (0.016 mL, 0.113 mmol) in dry 1,4-dioxane (1 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 80 degrees C for 20 min. The reaction mixture was then added via pipette directly to a 80 degree C vial containing sodium hydroxide, 3.0M aqueous (0.235 mL, 0.705 mmol). The mixture was removed from heat after 1 minute. The mixture was treated with acetic anhydride (0.135 g, 1.33 mmol) and the resulting mixture was heated to 70 degrees C for 10 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 16) to provide the desired product as a colorless solid TFA salt (0.0149 g, 54% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 708.3$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.92 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 8.08 (d,

$J=8.3$ Hz, 1H), 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.20 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (dd, $J=6.0$, 1.3 Hz, 1H), 4.25 (q, $J=11.2$ Hz, 1H), 3.27 - 3.00 (m, 11H), 2.91 (dt, $J=14.6$, 7.2 Hz, 1H), 2.38 - 2.23 (m, 1H), 2.22 - 2.05 (m, 3H), 2.05 - 1.96 (m, 1H), 1.92 (s, 3H), 1.90 - 1.66 (m, 5H), 1.65 - 1.35 (m, 11H), 1.34 - 1.22 (m, 3H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

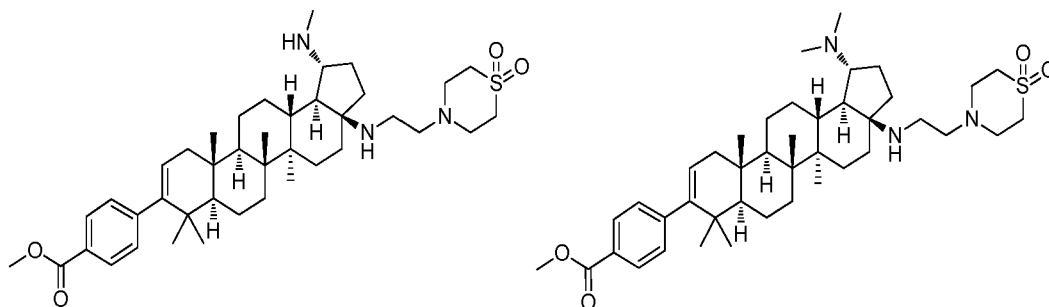
Example B37 and Example B38

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(methylamino)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid and 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(dimethylamino)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(methylamino)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate and methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(dimethylamino)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



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Two separate Step 1 and Step 2 experiments were performed. The final resulting crude after Step 2 reaction mixtures from both experiments were combined and purified to provide the title compounds:

- 10 **Experiment 1:** In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-amino-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.021 g, 0.021 mmol) with 2,6-di-tert-butyl-4-methylpyridine (0.042 g, 0.205 mmol) in chloroform (0.5 mL). To this stirred mixture was added methyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (0.011 mL, 0.103 mmol). A PTFE lined screwcap was installed and the mixture was stirred at rt overnight. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 16). A mixture of the two desired products was thus obtained as TFA salts (0.0123 g) from prep
- 15 HPLC. The material was carried directly into the next step (Step 2 Experiment 1). LCMS: $m/z = 694.6 (M+H)^+$, 1.92 min and $708.6 (M+H)^+$, 2.07 min (method 3).

- 25 **Experiment 2:** In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-amino-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.021 g, 0.021 mmol) with 2,6-di-tert-

butyl-4-methylpyridine (0.042 g, 0.205 mmol) in chloroform (0.5 mL). To this stirred mixture was added methyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (0.011 mL, 0.103 mmol). A PTFE lined screwcap was installed and the mixture was heated to 70 °C for 30 min. Additional methyl trifluoromethanesulfonate (0.011 mL, 0.103 mmol) was added and the mixture
5 was heated to 70 °C for 105 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2). A mixture of the two desired products was thus obtained as TFA salts (0.010 g) from prep HPLC. The material was carried directly into the next step (Step 2 Experiment 2).

10 **Step 2:**

Experiment 1: In a 1 dram vial were combined the mixture from Step 1, Experiment 1 containing methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(methylamino)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt and methyl 4-
15 ((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(dimethylamino)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.0123 g, 0.012 mmol) with 1M aqueous
20 lithium hydroxide hydrate (0.117 mL, 0.117 mmol), tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 °C with stirring for 30 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 16).

25 **Experiment 2:** In a 1 dram vial were combined the mixture from Step 1, Experiment 2 containing methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(methylamino)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt and methyl 4-
30 ((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(dimethylamino)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.010 g, 9.52 µmol) with lithium

hydroxide hydrate (0.095 mL, 0.095 mmol), tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 degrees C with stirring for 30 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 3).

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Repurification of combined residues from Step 2 Experiment 1 and Step 2

Experiment 2: The fractions containing product from the prep HPLC purifications from Step 2 Experiment 1 and Step 2 Experiment 2 were combined and repurified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 17). Concentrated like product fractions
10 were converted to TFA salts by treatment with a mixture of 88% acetonitrile, 10% water, 2%TFA followed by reconcentration in vacuo. Thus were obtained the separated desired products as TFA salts.

4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
15 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(methylamino)-
2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (**Example B37**): This material was recovered as
a colorless solid TFA salt (0.0086 g, 18% combined yield over 2 steps). LCMS: m/z =
680.4 (M+H)⁺, 1.73 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d
20 and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, J=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, J=8.1 Hz, 2H),
5.31 (dd, J=5.6, 1.2 Hz, 1H), 3.77 - 3.66 (m, 1H), 3.25 - 3.01 (m, 8H), 3.00 - 2.82 (m,
4H), 2.71 (s, 3H), 2.42 - 2.26 (m, 1H), 2.23 - 2.12 (m, 1H), 2.11 - 1.92 (m, 4H), 1.80 -
1.70 (m, 2H), 1.70 - 1.43 (m, 10H), 1.43 - 1.34 (m, 1H), 1.33 - 1.23 (m, 4H), 1.20 (s, 3H),
1.08 (s, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 0.97 (s, 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H).

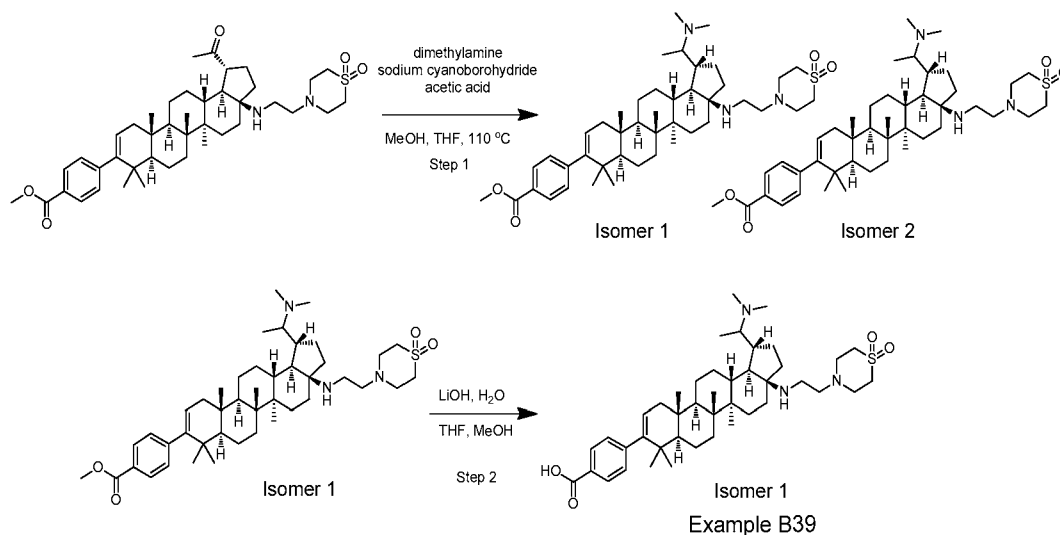
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4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(dimethylamino)-3a-((2-(1,1-
dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (**Example B38**): This material was recovered as
30 a colorless solid TFA salt (0.0097 g, 21% combined yield over 2 steps). LCMS: m/z =
694.4 (M+H)⁺, 1.76 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d
and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, J=8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, J=8.1 Hz, 2H),
5.37 - 5.24 (m, 1H), 4.22 - 4.07 (m, 1H), 3.28 - 3.03 (m, 8H), 3.03 - 2.89 (m, 4H), 2.85 (s,

6H), 2.35 - 2.22 (m, 1H), 2.21 - 1.99 (m, 6H), 1.81 - 1.34 (m, 14H), 1.33 - 1.24 (m, 2H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.97 (br. s., 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H).

Example B39

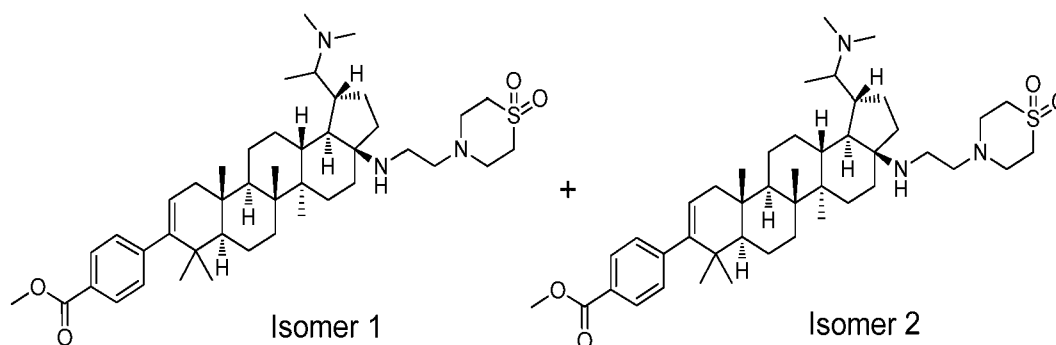
- 5 **Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-(dimethylamino)ethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 1.**



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- Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-(dimethylamino)ethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 and methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-(dimethylamino)ethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2.**

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In a 15 mL pressure vessel, a solution of methyl 4-
 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-3a-((2-(1,1-
 5 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.100 g, 0.141 mmol) in MeOH (1 mL) was treated
 with dimethylamine, 2.0M in THF (1.061 mL, 2.122 mmol), acetic acid (0.121 mL, 2.122
 mmol) and sodium cyanoborohydride (0.019 g, 0.283 mmol). The vessel was sealed and
 10 the mixture was heated in an oil bath to 110 °C for 6 d. The crude mixture was purified
 by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 16). The desired products were
 thus isolated:

Methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-(dimethylamino)ethyl)-3a-
 ((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 15 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 was the major product and was recovered as
 a white solid TFA salt (0.0246 g, 16.1% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 736.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.05 min
 (method 5).

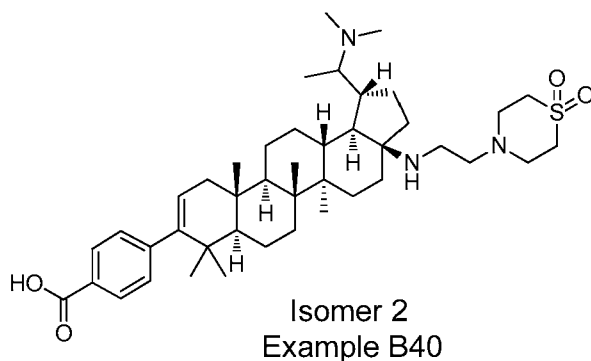
Methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-(dimethylamino)ethyl)-3a-
 20 ((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2 was the minor product and was recovered
 as a white sticky solid TFA salt (0.0116 g, 7.6% yield).

25 **Step 2:** In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-
 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-((R)-1-(dimethylamino)ethyl)-3a-((2-
 (1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 TFA salt (0.0246 g, 0.023 mmol) with 1M aqueous lithium hydroxide hydrate (0.228 mL, 0.228 mmol), tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 80 °C with stirring for 20 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 16). It was necessary to combine the product fractions and repurify by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 15) to afford 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-(dimethylamino)ethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 1 as a white glass solid TFA salt (0.0151 g, 62.2% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 722.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.80 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, METHANOL-d₄) δ 7.95 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.25 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.34 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.56 - 3.45 (m, 1H), 3.30 - 3.05 (m, 10H), 3.04 - 2.78 (m, 7H), 2.63 - 2.50 (m, 1H), 2.29 - 1.97 (m, 6H), 1.93 - 1.75 (m, 4H), 1.73 - 1.48 (m, 11H), 1.40 (d, $J=6.8$ Hz, 3H), 1.38 - 1.30 (m, 2H), 1.29 (s, 3H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.99 (s, 3H).

Example B40

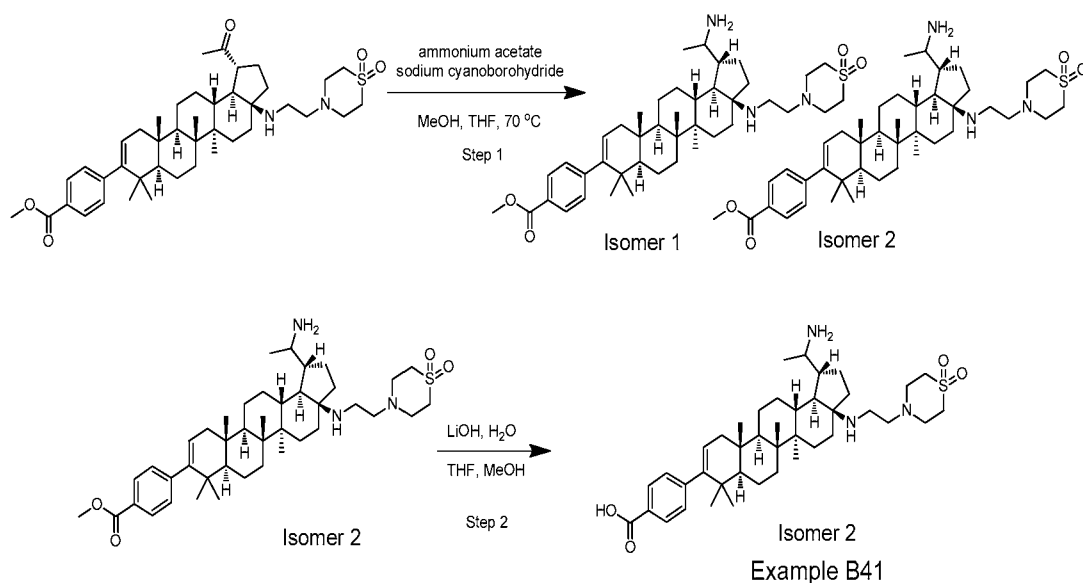
Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-(dimethylamino)ethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 2.



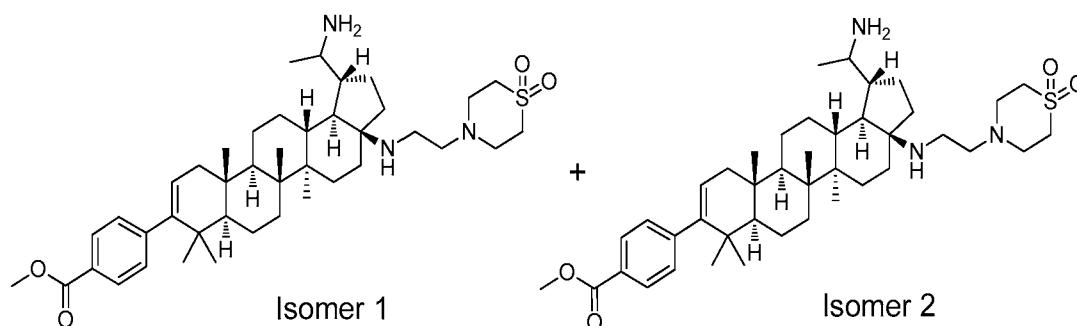
In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-((R)-1-(dimethylamino)ethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2 TFA salt (0.0116 g, 10.76 μ mol) with 1M aqueous lithium hydroxide hydrate (0.108 mL, 0.108 mmol), tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 80 °C with stirring for 20 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 3). The desired product was isolated as a sticky gum TFA salt (0.0053 g, 46.3% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 722.4 (M+H)^+$, 1.82 min (method 5). ^1H NMR (400MHz, METHANOL- d_4) δ 7.95 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.25 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 5.34 (d, $J=4.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.55 (d, $J=7.1$ Hz, 1H), 3.29 - 3.18 (m, 8H), 3.14 (br. s., 4H), 2.91 (br. s., 6H), 2.26 - 1.98 (m, 6H), 1.95 - 1.73 (m, 5H), 1.72 - 1.47 (m, 13H), 1.41 (d, $J=6.6$ Hz, 4H), 1.35 - 1.23 (m, 13H), 1.14 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 0.99 (s, 3H), 0.96 - 0.86 (m, 3H).

Example B41

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 2.



Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1 and methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2.



To a solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.050 g, 0.071 mmol) in MeOH (0.5 mL) and THF (0.5 mL) was added ammonium acetate (0.055 g, 0.707 mmol) and sodium cyanoborohydride (7.02 mg, 0.106 mmol). The reaction mixture was stirred at rt for 24h and was then heated to 70 °C for 6d. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 16) to provide the desired products:

Methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 1: Isolated as a colorless solid TFA salt (0.0233 g, 31.4% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 708.4 (M+H)^+$, 2.01 min (method 5). ^1H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform- d_3 and methanol- d_4 , methanol- d_4 lock) δ 7.92 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.49 - 3.39

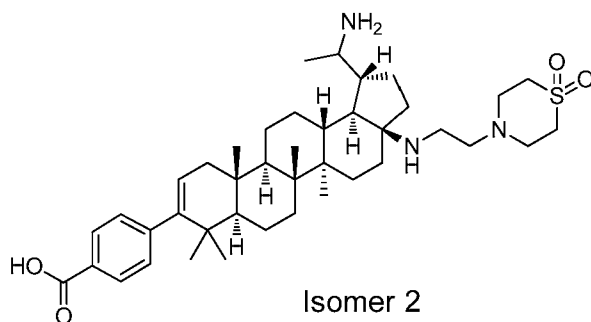
(m, 1H), 3.30 - 2.92 (m, 12H), 2.44 (dd, $J=8.9, 6.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.16 (dd, $J=17.1, 6.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.11 - 1.92 (m, 5H), 1.90 - 1.77 (m, 2H), 1.73 (d, $J=17.1$ Hz, 1H), 1.69 - 1.35 (m, 13H), 1.33 - 1.24 (m, 5H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H).

- 5 Methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2: Isolated as a colorless solid TFA salt (0.0090 g, 12.1% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 708.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.06 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.92 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.22 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.30 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 3.58 - 3.47 (m, 1H), 3.28 - 3.12 (m, 8H), 3.12 - 2.95 (m, 4H), 2.75 - 2.62 (m, 1H), 2.23 - 2.05 (m, 3H), 2.05 - 1.84 (m, 3H), 1.83 - 1.39 (m, 15H), 1.35 - 1.23 (m, 7H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

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Step 2. Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid Isomer 2.

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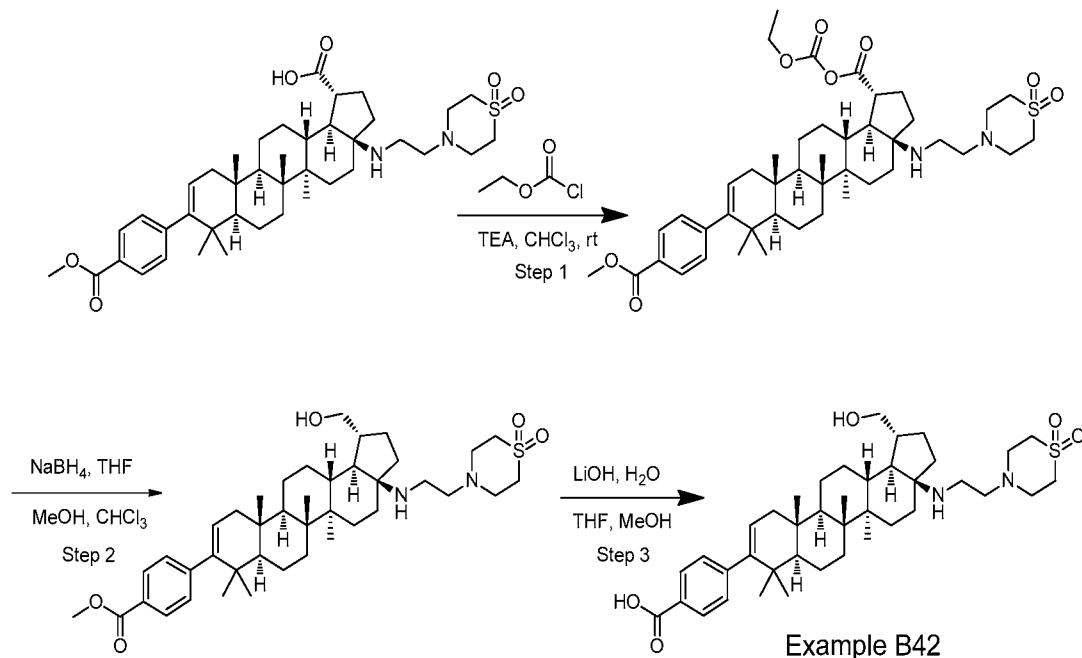


- In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-((R)-1-aminoethyl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate Isomer 2 TFA salt (0.0081 g, 7.71 μ mol) with 1M aqueous lithium hydroxide hydrate (0.077 mL, 0.077 mmol), tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL)

and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 80 °C with stirring for 20 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 16). The desired compound was isolated as a white glassy solid TFA salt (0.0076 g, 93% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 694.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 1.83 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, METHANOL- d_4) δ 7.95 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.25 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 5.34 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.58 (q, $J=6.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.30 - 3.17 (m, 8H), 3.17 - 3.04 (m, 3H), 2.98 (d, $J=5.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.66 (br. s., 1H), 2.28 - 2.10 (m, 3H), 2.09 - 1.99 (m, 1H), 1.77 (br. s., 5H), 1.75 - 1.45 (m, 11H), 1.44 - 1.29 (m, 7H), 1.27 (s, 3H), 1.14 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.99 (s, 3H).

Example B42

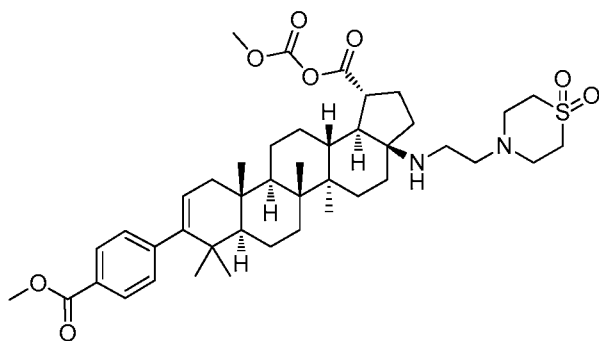
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Step 1. Preparation of (ethyl carbonic)

(1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-

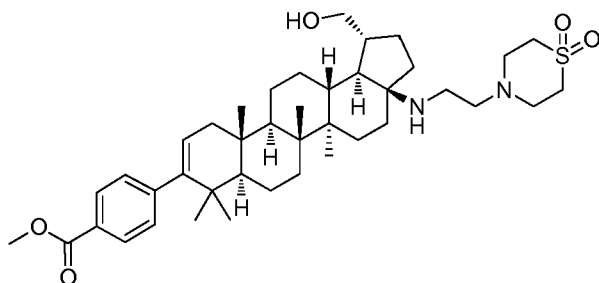
pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-1-carboxylic anhydride.



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In a 1 dram vial were combined (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-1-carboxylic acid, triethylammonium salt (0.020 g, 0.025 mmol) with ethyl chloroformate (0.014 ml, 0.148 mmol) and triethylamine (6.87 μ l, 0.049 mmol) in dry chloroform. The mixture was stirred at rt for 10 min. The crude reaction mixture was used directly in the next step. LCMS: $m/z = 781.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.30 min (method 5).

Step 2. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(hydroxymethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



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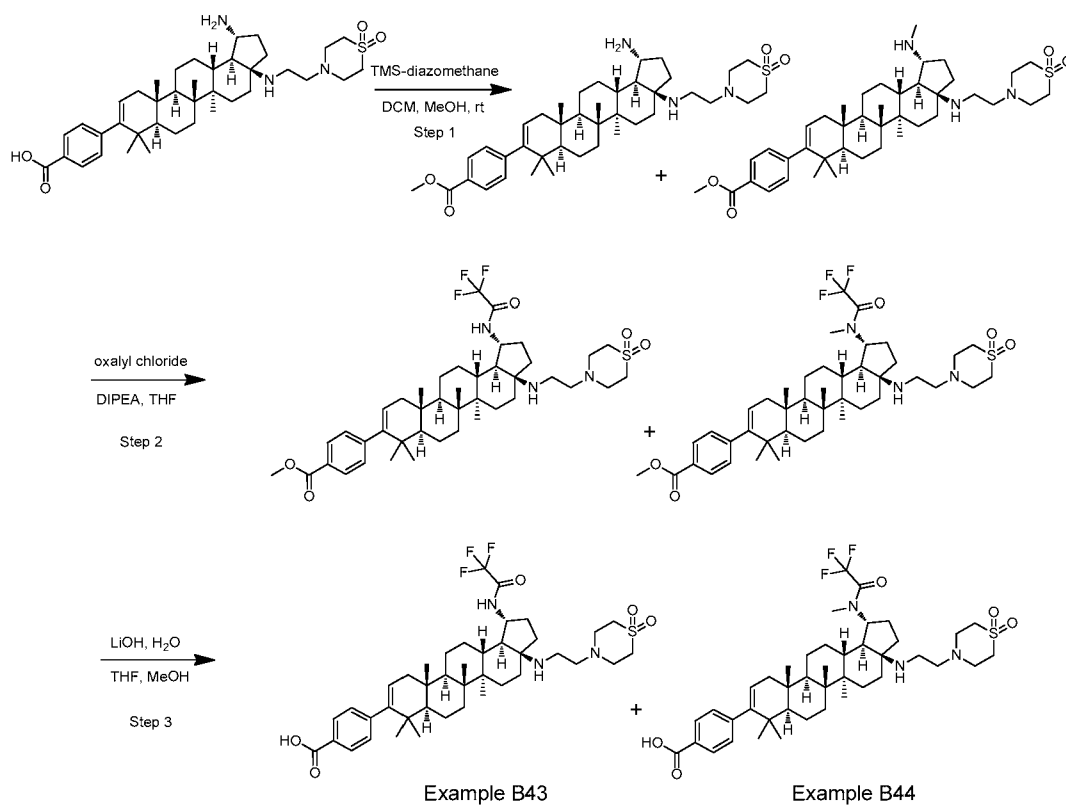
The crude mixture containing (ethyl carbonic
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dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-
pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
5 cyclopenta[a]chrysene-1-carboxylic anhydride (0.020 g, 0.025 mmol) in chloroform (1
mL) was diluted with THF (0.75 mL) and was treated with sodium borohydride (9.46 mg,
0.250 mmol). After 5 min, no gas evolution was apparent and solid sodium borohydride
remained floating in the mixture. To the mixture was added dry methanol (0.75 mL), and
effervescence immediately occurred. After 15 min, additional sodium borohydride (9.46
10 mg, 0.250 mmol) was added and the mixture was stirred overnight under nitrogen. The
crude mixture was concentrated under nitrogen stream and was then redissolved in a
minimum amount of a mixture of MeOH and THF and was purified by reverse phase
preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 12). The desired product was obtained as a white
glass solid (0.0080 g, 93% yield). LCMS: m/z = 695.4 (M+H)⁺, 2.20 min (method 5).

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Step 3: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-
((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(hydroxymethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
20 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.008 g, 0.012 mmol) with 1M aqueous lithium
hydroxide hydrate (0.115 mL, 0.115 mmol), tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3
mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 80
°C with stirring for 30 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative
HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 18) to afford 4-
25 ((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-1-(hydroxymethyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (0.0055 g, 52.6% yield). LCMS: m/z = 681.6
(M+H)⁺, 1.99 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (500MHz, DMSO-d₆) δ 7.97 (s, 1H), 7.88 (d,
30 J =8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.24 (d, J =7.9 Hz, 2H), 5.28 (d, J =5.2 Hz, 1H), 4.63 (br. s., 1H), 3.56 -
3.48 (m, 1H), 3.21 - 3.03 (m, 12H), 2.13 (dd, J =17.2, 6.6 Hz, 1H), 2.03 (br. s., 2H), 1.84
(d, J =7.0 Hz, 3H), 1.78 - 1.64 (m, 3H), 1.61 - 1.39 (m, 10H), 1.34 (d, J =16.2 Hz, 1H),
1.30 - 1.20 (m, 4H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.00 (br. s., 3H), 0.98 (br. s., 3H), 0.92 (br. s., 6H).

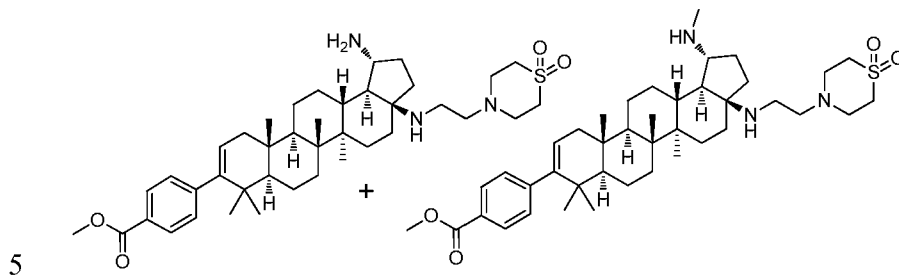
Example B43 and Example B44

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroacetamido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid and 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2,2,2-trifluoro-N-methylacetamido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-amino-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate and methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-

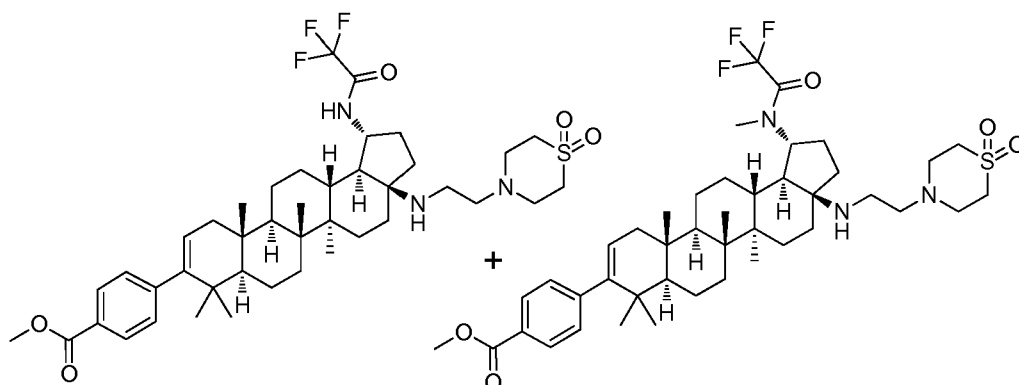
dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(methylamino)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



In a 100 mL round bottom flask were combined 4-
 ((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-amino-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 10 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid TFA salt (0.410 g, 0.407 mmol) with dry DCM
 (15 mL) and methanol (15 mL). To the solution was added TMS-Diazomethane (1.424
 mL, 2.85 mmol). A slight exotherm and significant outgassing ensued after
 approximately half of the diazomethane solution had been added. The mixture was
 15 stirred at rt for 3h and was then concentrated in vacuo to a solid residue. The crude
 mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 4). A
 mixture of the two desired products was thus obtained as a slightly yellow solid TFA salt
 (0.259 g, 70.2% yield). The mixture was carried forward directly into the next step.
 LCMS: $m/z = 680.5 (M+H)^+$ and $694.6 (M+H)^+$, 2.04 min (method 5).

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**Step 2. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-
 ((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2,2,2-
 trifluoroacetamido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-
 octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate and methyl 4-
 25 ((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2,2,2-trifluoro-N-
 methylacetamido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-
 1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.**



A standard solution of oxalyl dichloride (14.0 mg; 0.110 mmol) in dry THF (1 mL) was
 5 prepared. In a 1 dram vial were combined the mixture from Step 1 containing methyl 4-
 ((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-amino-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt and methyl 4-
 10 ((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(methyldiamino)-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (0.020 g, 0.022 mmol) with DIPEA (0.019
 mL, 0.110 mmol) in dry THF (0.5 mL). To this mixture was added 0.1 mL of the
 15 standard oxalyl dichloride/THF solution which contained oxalyl dichloride (1.396 mg,
 0.011 mmol), and the resulting mixture was stirred at rt for 3h. To the mixture was added
 another equivalent of oxalyl dichloride (1.396 mg, 0.011 mmol) (0.1 mL of the standard
 solution). The mixture was stirred for 1h at rt, and then added another equivalent of
 oxalyl dichloride (1.396 mg, 0.011 mmol) (0.1 mL of the standard solution) and stirred at
 20 rt for 30 min. The mixture was concentrated under a nitrogen stream and the crude
 residue was carried directly into the next step as-is. LCMS: $m/z = 776.5$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.28
 min and $m/z = 790.6$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.47 min (method 5).

Step 3: In a 1 dram vial, the crude reaction mixture from Step 2 containing methyl 4-
 25 ((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-
 dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2,2,2-

trifluoroacetamido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate and methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2,2,2-trifluoro-N-methylacetamido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.017 g, 0.022 mmol) was treated with 1M aqueous lithium hydroxide hydrate (0.176 mL, 0.176 mmol) and MeOH (0.3 mL) was added. The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 °C with stirring for 30 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 6). Thus was obtained the two desired products.

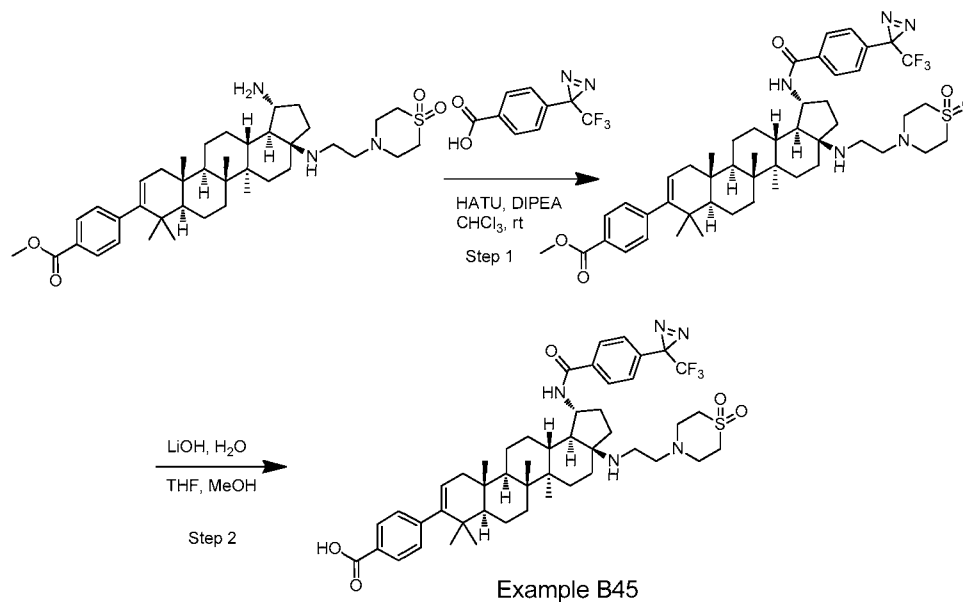
4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroacetamido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid was the first compound to elute from preparative HPLC. This product was isolated as a white powder TFA salt (0.0110 g, 50% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 762.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.11 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.20 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 5.31 (s, 1H), 4.39 (td, $J=11.2, 2.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.27 - 2.82 (m, 12H), 2.45 - 2.28 (m, 2H), 2.21 - 1.99 (m, 3H), 1.98 - 1.85 (m, 2H), 1.84 - 1.70 (m, 3H), 1.67 - 1.36 (m, 10H), 1.33 - 1.24 (m, 3H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.08 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H).

4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(2,2,2-trifluoro-N-methylacetamido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid was the second compound to elute from preparative HPLC. This product was isolated as a white powder TFA salt (0.0042 g, 18% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 776.5$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.13 min (method 5).

Example B45

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(4-(3-(trifluoromethyl)-3H-diazirin-3-yl)benzamido)-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.

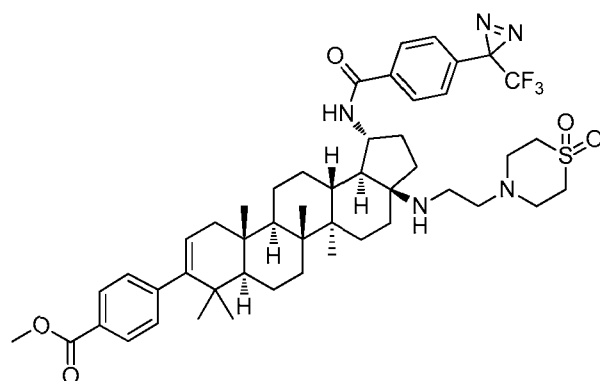


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Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(4-(3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-diazirin-3-yl)benzamido)-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.

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In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-

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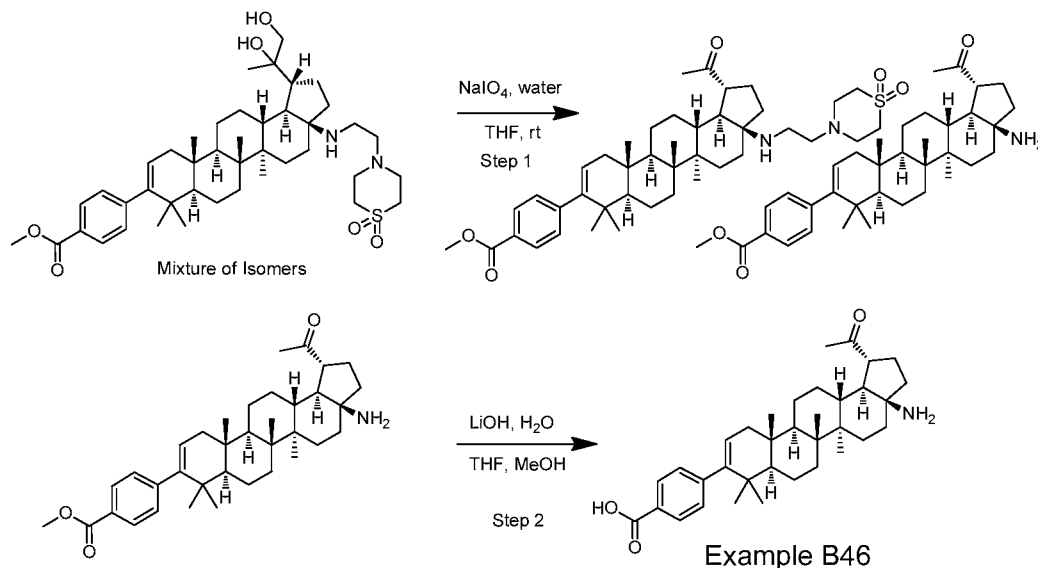
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dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.025 g, 0.037 mmol) and 4-(3-(trifluoromethyl)-3H-diazirin-3-yl)benzoic acid (11.00 mg, 0.048 mmol) with HATU (0.022 g, 0.059 mmol) and DIPEA (0.019 mL, 0.110 mmol) in chloroform (1 mL). The vial sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap, wrapped in aluminum foil, and the contents were stirred at rt overnight. The crude mixture was concentrated under a nitrogen stream to a residue, then the mixture was redissolved in a minimum quantity of methanol. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 16). The desired product was isolated as a white solid TFA salt (0.0290 g, 80% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 892.6 (M+H)^+$, 2.41 min (method 5).

Step 2: In a 1 dram vial, methyl 4-((1R,3aR,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(4-(3-(trifluoromethyl)-3H-diazirin-3-yl)benzamido)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.0295 g, 0.033 mmol) was dissolved in a mixture of tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL) and the mixture was then treated with 1M aqueous lithium hydroxide hydrate (0.132 mL, 0.132 mmol). The vial was wrapped in aluminum foil to block light from entering, sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 °C with stirring for 45 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 19) to provide the desired product as a white solid TFA salt (0.0190 g, 53.9% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 878.6 (M+H)^+$, 2.25 min (method 5). ^1H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 8.63 (d, $J=7.8$ Hz, 1H), 7.92 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.85 (d, $J=8.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.28 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.19 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.27 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 4.50 (br. s., 1H), 3.30 - 2.87 (m, 12H), 2.53 - 2.33 (m, 2H), 2.20 - 1.75 (m, 8H), 1.75 - 1.64 (m, 2H), 1.64 - 1.35 (m, 9H), 1.26 (br. s., 3H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H), 0.94 (br. s., 3H).

Example B46

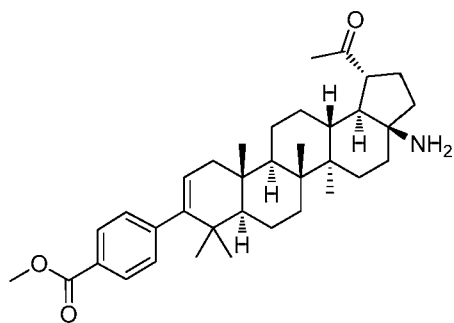
Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



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Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.

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A mixture diol diastereomers methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-(1,2-dihydroxypropan-2-yl)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (12.26 g, 16.59 mmol) was

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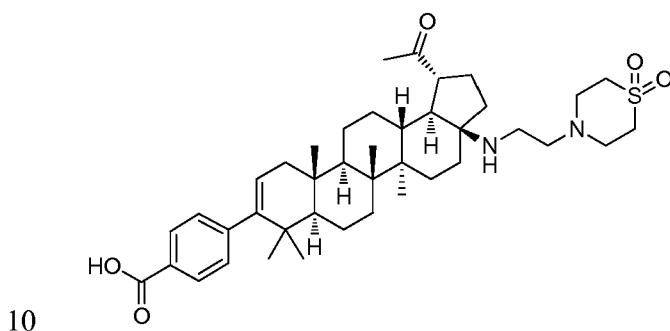
dissolved in a mixture of THF (450 mL) and water (150 mL) and the resulting solution was chilled in an ice bath. Sodium periodate (7.10 g, 33.2 mmol) was added. A clear solution quickly became cloudy and a white flocculent solid precipitated. The mixture was stirred for 30 min at rt and was then diluted with chloroform (1200 mL) and water (500 mL) and the resulting mixture was shaken and phases were separated. The aqueous was extracted again with chloroform (2 x 400 mL). The organics were combined, dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated in vacuo. Purification of the residue by silica gel column chromatography (300 g silica, elution gradient 100% DCM to 20:1 DCM:MeOH over 6 column volumes, hold 20:1 DCM:MeOH for 8 column volumes) provided the desired product as a white solid (1.70 g, 18.8% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 546.4$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.36 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.91 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.29 (dd, $J=6.2, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.91 (s, 3H), 2.90 (td, $J=11.3, 5.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.43 - 2.19 (m, 5H), 2.18 - 2.06 (m, 1H), 2.00 - 1.91 (m, 2H), 1.85 - 1.44 (m, 12H), 1.44 - 1.34 (m, 4H), 1.27 (d, $J=10.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.14 (s, 3H), 1.13 - 1.08 (m, 1H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H).

Step 2: In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.035 g, 0.064 mmol) with a mixture of tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL) and the mixture was then treated with 1M aqueous lithium hydroxide hydrate (0.257 mL, 0.257 mmol). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 °C with stirring for 45 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 16) to afford 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a white powder TFA salt (0.0253 g, 60% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 532$ ($M+H$)⁺, 2.11 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.92 (d, $J=8.6$ Hz, 2H), 7.20 (d, $J=8.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.29 (dd, $J=6.1, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 2.88 (td, $J=11.2, 6.1$ Hz, 1H), 2.36 (t, $J=11.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.31 - 2.20 (m, 4H), 2.13 (dd, $J=17.1, 6.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.00

- 1.89 (m, 2H), 1.87 - 1.47 (m, 11H), 1.47 - 1.33 (m, 3H), 1.31 - 1.23 (m, 1H), 1.14 (s, 3H), 1.10 (br. s., 1H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H).

Example B47

- 5 **Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.**

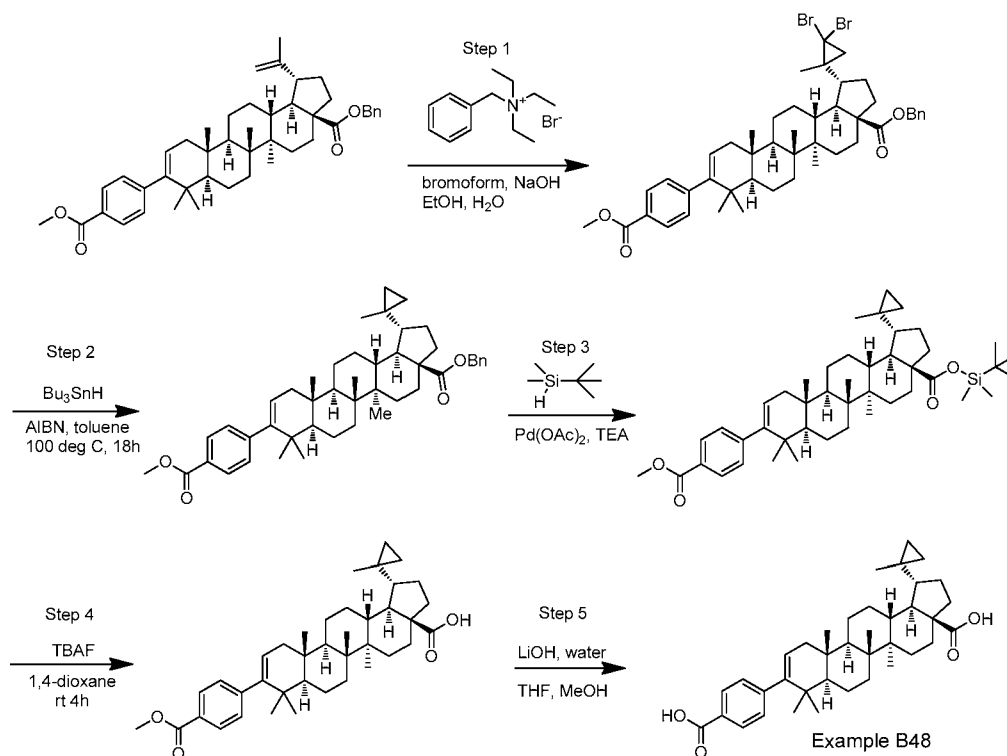


- In a 1 dram vial were combined methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-1-acetyl-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (0.0262 g, 0.028 mmol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous solution (0.249 mL, 0.249 mmol), tetrahydrofuran (0.3 mL) and MeOH (0.3 mL). The vial was sealed with a PTFE lined screwcap and the mixture was heated to 70 °C with stirring for 35 min. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC Method 2) to afford the title compound as a white powder TFA salt (0.0208 g, 80% yield). LCMS: $m/z = 693.6 (M+H)^+$, 2.16 min (method 5). ^1H NMR (400MHz, 1:1 mixture of chloroform-d and methanol-d₄, methanol-d₄ lock) δ 7.92 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.20 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.33 - 5.26 (m, 1H), 3.31 - 2.98 (m, 12H), 2.57 (t, $J=11.6$ Hz, 1H), 2.44 - 2.33 (m, 1H), 2.26 (s, 3H), 2.19 - 2.01 (m, 3H), 1.88 - 1.75 (m, 2H), 1.75 - 1.64 (m, 3H), 1.64 - 1.50 (m, 5H), 1.50 - 1.38 (m, 4H), 1.32 - 1.23 (m, 2H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.16 - 1.06 (m, 5H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H).
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Example B48

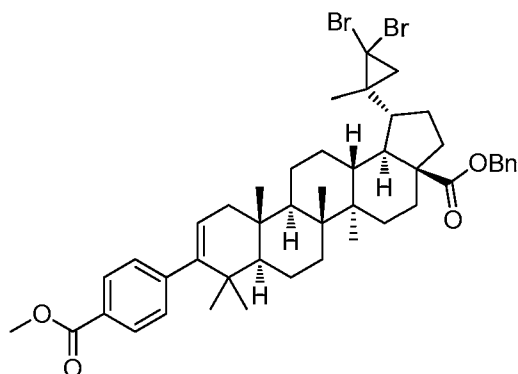
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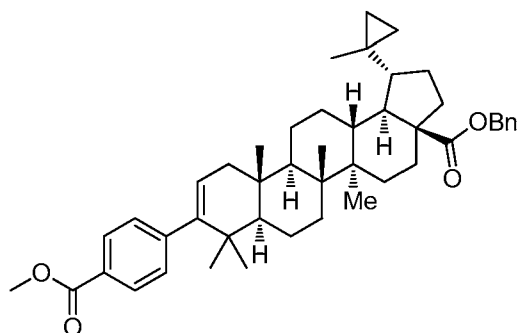
Step 1. Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-benzyl 1-((S)-2,2-dibromo-1-methylcyclopropyl)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate.

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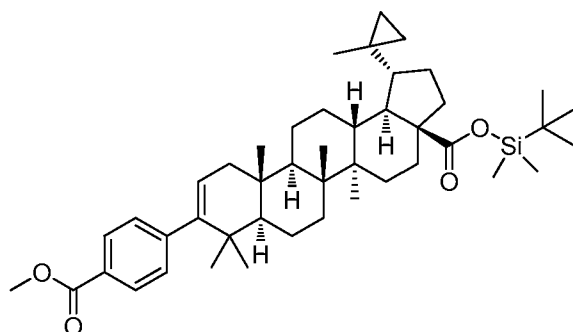
A solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(prop-1-en-2-yl)-
 5 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (11.0 g, 16.6 mmol) and N-benzyl-N,N-diethylethanaminium bromide (0.903 g, 3.32 mmol) in bromoform (29.0 mL, 332 mmol) was stirred rapidly and treated slowly with an aqueous (50 mL) solution of sodium hydroxide (13.3 g, 332 mmol). The resulting biphasic mixture was heated to 63 degrees
 10 C with rapid stirring. Additional bromoform (29.0 mL, 332 mmol) and aqueous (50 mL) NaOH (13.3 g, 332 mmol) were added, and the mixture was stirred rapidly at 63 degrees C for 60 h. The mixture was slowly diluted with water (700 mL) and washed with DCM (3 x 200 mL). The organic extracts were combined and concentrated in vacuo to a light brown oil. Purification by silica gel column chromatography (gradient 100% hexanes to
 15 30:1 hexanes:EtOAc) gave 6.85 g (49.5% yield) of a white solid. ¹H NMR (500MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 7.95 - 7.89 (m, *J*=8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.40 - 7.28 (m, 5H), 7.22 - 7.16 (m, *J*=8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.29 (dd, *J*=6.1, 1.5 Hz, 1H), 5.17 (d, *J*=12.2 Hz, 1H), 5.03 (d, *J*=12.2 Hz, 1H), 3.90 (s, 3H), 2.35 - 2.23 (m, 3H), 2.20 - 2.06 (m, 2H), 1.98 (dd, *J*=12.5, 7.6 Hz, 1H), 1.71 - 1.55 (m, 5H), 1.55 (s, 3H), 1.51 - 1.27 (m, 12H), 1.26 (s, 5H), 1.20
 20 (dd, *J*=10.8, 2.9 Hz, 1H), 1.18 - 1.07 (m, 2H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.91 (d, *J*=2.4 Hz, 6H), 0.88 (t, *J*=6.9 Hz, 2H), 0.81 (s, 3H).

**Step 2. Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-
 25 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate.**



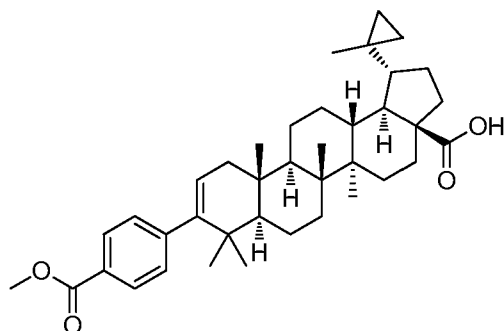
A solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bS)-benzyl 1-((S)-2,2-dibromo-
 5 1-methylcyclopropyl)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (6.82 g, 8.17 mmol) in toluene (100 mL) was
 treated with tri-n-butyltin hydride (14.3 g, 13.1 mL, 49.0 mmol) followed by AIBN
 (0.067 g, 0.409 mmol). The mixture was heated at 100 °C with stirring for 18h. The
 10 mixture was concentrated in vacuo and purified by silica gel column chromatography
 (gradient 100% hexanes to 25:1 hexanes:EtOAc). Product fractions were combined and
 concentrated in vacuo, then the residue was redissolved in DCM and passed through a
 column comprised of 90% silica and 10% KF by weight using DCM as the eluent.
 Concentration in vacuo provided 5.48 g (99%) of a white foam solid. ¹H NMR (500MHz,
 15 CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 8.00 - 7.91 (m, *J*=8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.42 - 7.31 (m, 5H), 7.26 -
 7.18 (m, *J*=8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.36 - 5.29 (m, 1H), 5.15 (d, *J*=12.2 Hz, 1H), 5.08 (d, *J*=12.5 Hz,
 1H), 3.94 (s, 3H), 2.32 - 2.24 (m, 1H), 2.24 - 2.11 (m, 2H), 2.07 - 1.97 (m, 1H), 1.94 -
 1.87 (m, 1H), 1.87 - 1.78 (m, 1H), 1.77 - 1.67 (m, 2H), 1.67 - 1.59 (m, 1H), 1.56 - 1.36
 (m, 10H), 1.36 - 1.26 (m, 2H), 1.26 - 1.20 (m, 2H), 1.19 - 1.13 (m, 1H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 1.00
 20 (s, 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H), 0.94 (br. s., 3H), 0.85 (s, 3H), 0.46 - 0.40 (m,
 1H), 0.38 (dt, *J*=9.2, 4.7 Hz, 1H), 0.31 - 0.20 (m, 2H).

**Step 3. Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-tert-
 butyldimethylsilyl 9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-
 25 methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-
 octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate.**



To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-benzyl 9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-
 5 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (5.34 g, 7.89 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (100 mL) were added triethylamine (1.76 mL, 12.6 mmol), tert-butyldimethylsilane (2.62 mL, 1.84 g, 15.8 mmol) and palladium (II) acetate (0.443 g, 1.97 mmol). The mixture was heated to 60 °C for 22h. The crude reaction mixture was passed through a silica gel/celite
 10 plug with 10:1 hexanes:EtOAc as the eluent. Concentration in vacuo gave 6.34 g (>100% yield) of a white solid which was carried to the next step without further purification.

**Step 4. Preparation of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-
 15 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid.**



20 To a solution of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-tert-butyldimethylsilyl 9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-

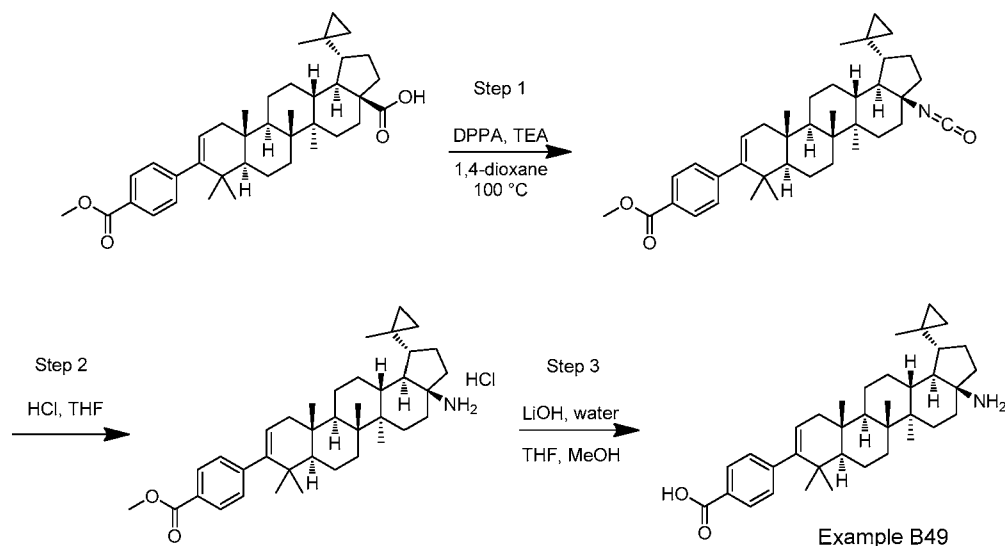
2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylate (5.53 g, 7.89 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (100 mL) was added TBAF, 1.0M in THF (11.8 mL, 11.8 mmol). The mixture was stirred for 2.5 h, then 400 mL of 1M aqueous HCl was added and the resulting suspension of white solid was stirred for 10 min at rt. The solid precipitate was isolated by filtration and dried to afford the title compound as a white powder (4.43 g, 96% yield). LCMS: m/e 587.4 (M+H)⁺, 4.58 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (500MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 9.61 (br. s., 1H), 8.01 - 7.90 (m, 2H), 7.26 - 7.18 (m, 2H), 5.33 (dd, J=6.3, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 3.94 (s, 3H), 2.34 - 2.23 (m, 1H), 2.23 - 2.13 (m, 2H), 2.08 - 1.99 (m, 1H), 1.99 - 1.90 (m, 2H), 1.80 - 1.62 (m, 3H), 1.60 - 1.36 (m, 12H), 1.34 - 1.19 (m, 4H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 1.04 - 0.99 (m, 6H), 0.98 - 0.93 (m, 9H), 0.47 - 0.41 (m, 1H), 0.41 - 0.36 (m, 1H), 0.33 - 0.22 (m, 2H).

Step 5: In a 20 mL scintillation vial were combined (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysene-3a-carboxylic acid (0.080 g, 0.136 mmol) with lithium hydroxide monohydrate (0.023 g, 0.545 mmol) in THF (1 mL), methanol (1 mL) and water (0.5 mL). The suspended mixture was warmed to 60 °C for 1h. The crude mixture was purified by reverse phase preparative HPLC (Prep HPLC method 26). The desired product was obtained as a white powder (0.042 g, 51.6% yield). LCMS: m/e 571.7 (M-H)⁻, 2.35 min (method 3). ¹H NMR (500MHz, 1:1 mixture of CDCl₃ and MeOD, MeOD lock) δ ppm 7.88 (d, J=8.2 Hz, 2H), 7.16 (d, J=8.2 Hz, 2H), 5.29 - 5.21 (m, 1H), 2.21 - 2.13 (m, 2H), 2.10 (dd, J=17.1, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 1.99 - 1.91 (m, 1H), 1.88 - 1.78 (m, 2H), 1.67 (d, J=17.1 Hz, 1H), 1.65 - 1.53 (m, 2H), 1.51 - 1.38 (m, 8H), 1.38 - 1.26 (m, 4H), 1.25 - 1.12 (m, 4H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 3H), 0.94 (br. s., 3H), 0.88 (s, 4H), 0.88 (br. s., 3H), 0.38 - 0.27 (m, 2H), 0.23 - 0.12 (m, 2H).

30 Example B49

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-

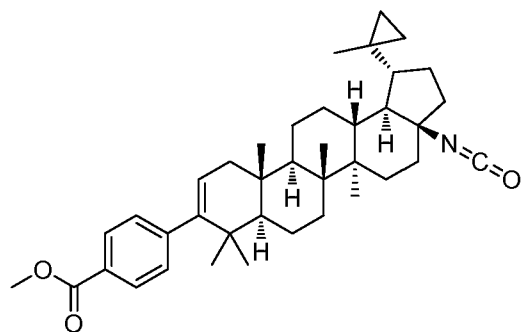
2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



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Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-isocyanato-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.

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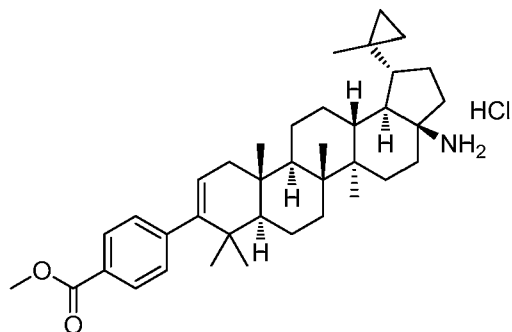


To a slurry of (1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-9-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)phenyl)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-3a-carboxylic acid (3.50 g, 5.96 mmol) in 1,4-dioxane (60 mL) was added triethylamine (1.50 mL, 10.7 mmol) and diphenylphosphoryl azide (1.93 mL,

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2.46 g, 8.95 mmol). The resulting slurry was heated to 100 °C for 5h. The mixture was cooled to rt, diluted with EtOAc and washed with 1N NaOH (2 x 70 mL) and then with brine (25 mL). Solids crashed out of the organic phase and were isolated by filtration. Concentration of the filtrate afforded another crop of precipitate. The two initial
 5 precipitates were both the same material and dried to a white powder (2.25 g, 64.6% yield). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 8.01 - 7.92 (m, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.26 - 7.18 (m, *J*=8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.34 (dd, *J*=6.1, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 2.18 (dd, *J*=17.1, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 2.13 - 1.99 (m, 2H), 1.92 - 1.64 (m, 6H), 1.63 - 1.36 (m, 11H), 1.32 - 1.18 (m, 4H), 1.13 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.97 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s,
 10 3H), 0.46 - 0.38 (m, 2H), 0.38 - 0.25 (m, 2H).

**Step 2. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-
 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-
 15 cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate hydrochloride.**



A solution of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-isocyanato-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-
 20 2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate (2.24 g, 3.84 mmol) in THF (40 mL) was treated with concentrated HCl (7.93 mL, 96 mmol). The resulting solution was stirred at rt for 48 h. The mixture was filtered to remove solids and the filtrate was then concentrated in
 25 vacuo to a white powder (2.30 g, 100% yield). LCMS: *m/e* 559 (M+H)⁺, 2.12 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 8.07 (br. s., 2H), 7.98 - 7.91 (m, *J*=8.1 Hz, 2H), 7.26 - 7.17 (m, *J*=8.1 Hz, 2H), 5.34 (d, *J*=5.1 Hz, 1H), 3.93 (s, 3H),

2.43 (dd, $J=12.7, 9.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.31 - 2.10 (m, 4H), 2.06 - 1.83 (m, 4H), 1.78 - 1.67 (m, 4H), 1.65 - 1.44 (m, 11H), 1.30 (br. s., 6H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.98 (br. s., 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.96 (br. s., 3H), 0.54 (br. s., 1H), 0.42 (d, $J=5.1$ Hz, 2H), 0.35 - 0.23 (m, 1H).

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Step 3: A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-

cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate hydrochloride (0.050 g, 0.090 mmol) and lithium

10 hydroxide monohydrate, 1.0M aqueous (0.359 mL, 0.359 mmol) in THF (0.8 mL) and

MeOH (0.8 mL) in a sealed vial was warmed to 75 °C to provide a homogeneous

solution. The mixture was removed from heat after 1 h. Purification of the crude mixture by reverse phase preparative HPLC using Prep HPLC Method 24 gave 4-

((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-

15 (1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-

octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid as a slightly yellow powder

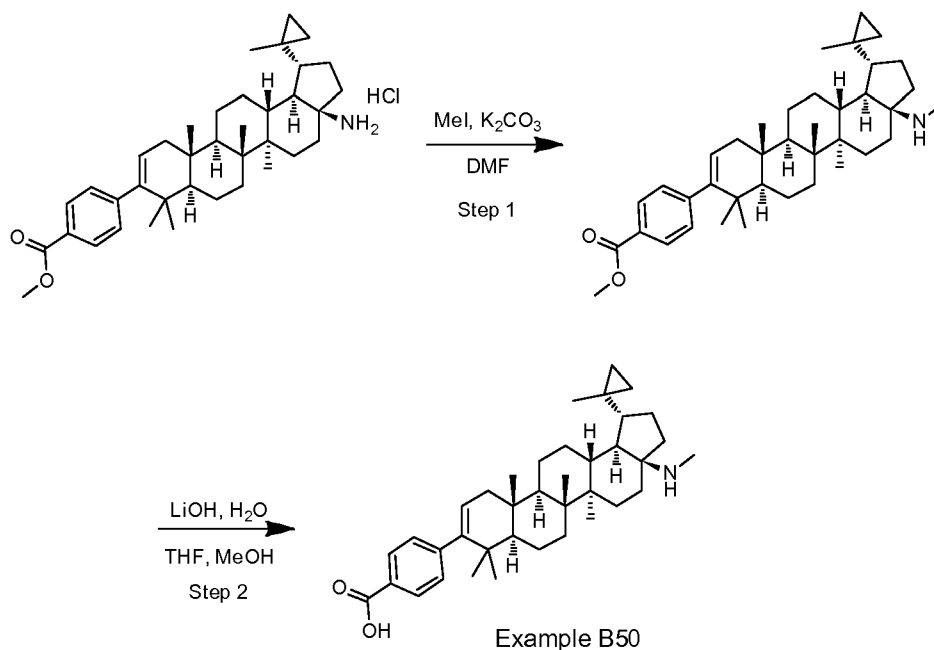
(48.5 mg, 79% yield). LCMS: m/e 544.7 (M+H)⁺, 1.94 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 mixture of *CDCl*₃ and *MeOD*, *MeOD* lock) δ ppm 6.68 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.96 (d, $J=8.0$ Hz, 2H), 4.14 - 4.00 (m, 1H), 2.09 (dt, $J=3.2, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 1.00 - 0.86 (m, 2H),

20 0.86 - 0.64 (m, 2H), 0.60 - 0.44 (m, 5H), 0.43 - 0.22 (m, 10H), 0.18 - 0.02 (m, 4H), -0.04 - -0.14 (m, 4H), -0.17 (s, 3H), -0.20 (s, 3H), -0.27 (s, 4H), -0.28 (s, 3H), -0.29 (br. s., 3H), -0.73 - -0.87 (m, 2H), -0.87 - -0.97 (m, 2H).

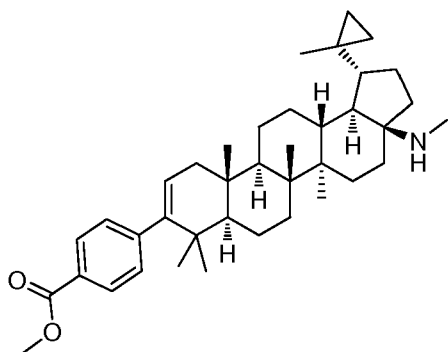
Example B50

25 **Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-3a-(methylamino)-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-**

2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.



Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-3a-(methylamino)-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.



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A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate hydrochloride (50 mg, 0.084 mmol) and potassium carbonate (23.3 mg, 0.168 mmol) in DMF (1 mL) in a sealed vial was treated with methyl

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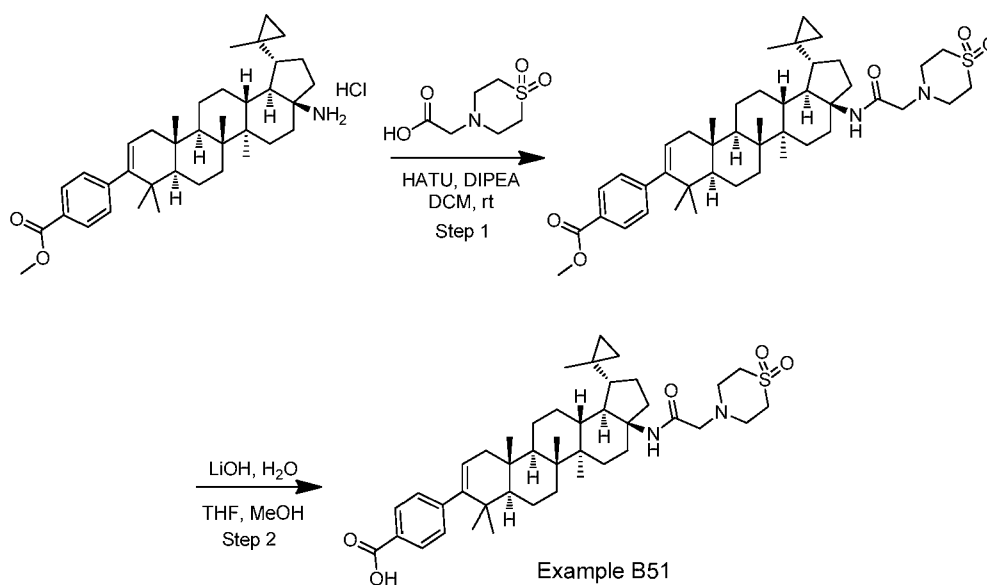
iodide (0.016 mL, 0.036 g, 0.25 mmol) and heated to 75 °C for 3h. The mixture was diluted with THF and brine. The mixture was shaken and the phases were separated. The organic was concentrated in vacuo to a residue. The product was isolated after reverse phase preparative HPLC purification using Prep HPLC Method 25 as a glassy white solid (57.2 mg, 99% yield) mono TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 572.6 (M+H)⁺, 2.18 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 8.02 - 7.88 (m, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 7.26 - 7.17 (m, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 5.33 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.93 (s, 3H), 2.65 (br. s., 3H), 2.27 - 2.09 (m, 3H), 2.09 - 1.99 (m, 1H), 1.95 (dd, $J=13.8, 8.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.89 - 1.74 (m, 3H), 1.72 - 1.69 (m, 1H), 1.66 (d, $J=2.9$ Hz, 1H), 1.61 - 1.39 (m, 10H), 1.38 - 1.24 (m, 4H), 1.14 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.99 - 0.91 (m, 9H), 0.49 - 0.40 (m, 2H), 0.40 - 0.35 (m, 1H), 0.35 - 0.27 (m, 1H).

Step 2: A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-3a-(methylamino)-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate TFA salt (57 mg, 0.083 mmol), 1.0M aqueous LiOH (0.417 mL, 0.417 mmol), THF (0.8 mL) and methanol (0.8 mL) in a sealed vial was warmed to 75 °C for 1h, then at 60°C for 18 h. The title compound, 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-3a-(methylamino)-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid was isolated after reverse phase preparative HPLC purification using Prep HPLC Method 24 as a white solid (44.1 mg, 69% yield) mono TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 558.7 (M+H)⁺, 1.98 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 mixture of CDCl₃ and MeOD, MeOD lock) δ ppm 6.69 (d, $J=8.0$ Hz, 2H), 5.97 (d, $J=8.0$ Hz, 2H), 4.07 (d, $J=4.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.09 (dt, $J=3.2, 1.5$ Hz, 1H), 1.35 (s, 3H), 1.01 - 0.86 (m, 2H), 0.86 - 0.72 (m, 2H), 0.72 - 0.56 (m, 3H), 0.52 (d, $J=16.3$ Hz, 2H), 0.39 - 0.10 (m, 11H), 0.05 (dd, $J=10.9, 6.7$ Hz, 1H), -0.01 - -0.07 (m, 1H), -0.08 (s, 3H), -0.15 (s, 3H), -0.19 (s, 3H), -0.26 (s, 3H), -0.28 (br. s., 3H), -0.29 (br. s., 3H), -0.72 - -0.81 (m, 1H), -0.83 (dd, $J=6.7, 3.9$ Hz, 1H), -0.86 - -0.96 (m, 2H).

Example B51

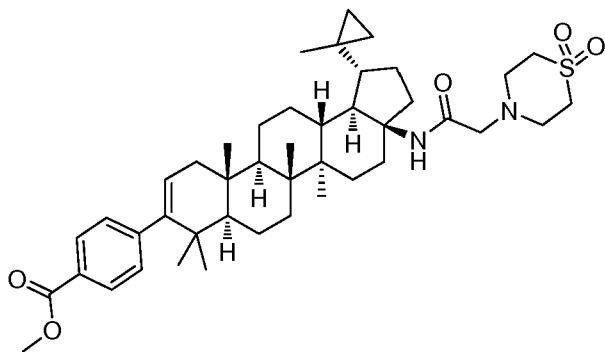
Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)acetamido)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.

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- 10 **Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)acetamido)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.**

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A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate hydrochloride (50 mg, 0.084 mmol) and 2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)acetic acid (0.023 g, 0.117 mmol) in DCM (1 mL) was treated with HATU (0.044 g, 0.117 mmol) and DIPEA (0.063 mL, 0.359 mmol). The mixture was stirred at rt for 3 h. The mixture was concentrated under nitrogen stream to a residue, then redissolved in a mixture of methanol and THF. The product was isolated after reverse phase preparative HPLC purification using Prep HPLC Method 25 as a glassy off-white solid (44.9 mg, 59% yield) mono TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 733.6 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.66 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 8.01 - 7.90 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.26 - 7.18 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.34 (dd, $J=6.1$, 1.7 Hz, 1H), 3.94 (s, 3H), 3.35 - 3.20 (m, 6H), 3.12 (d, $J=5.1$ Hz, 4H), 2.71 - 2.56 (m, 1H), 2.46 (dd, $J=12.5$, 8.3 Hz, 1H), 2.19 (dd, $J=17.0$, 6.5 Hz, 1H), 2.13 - 2.01 (m, 1H), 1.87 - 1.69 (m, 3H), 1.64 - 1.62 (m, 1H), 1.61 - 1.34 (m, 12H), 1.32 - 1.26 (m, 2H), 1.23 - 1.13 (m, 1H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 1.03 (br. s., 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 6H), 0.54 - 0.44 (m, 1H), 0.41 - 0.32 (m, 2H), 0.32 - 0.23 (m, 1H).

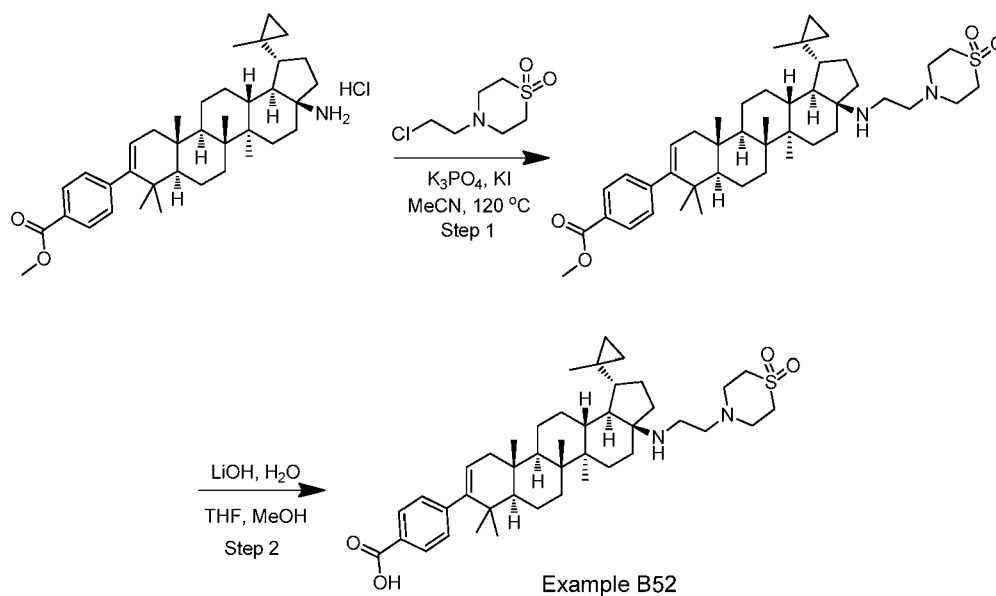
Step 2: A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)acetamido)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate trifluoroacetic acid salt (0.0449 g, 0.053 mmol) and 1M aqueous lithium hydroxide (0.265 mL, 0.265 mmol) with THF (0.5 mL) and MeOH (0.5 mL) in a sealed vial was heated to 75 °C for 1h. The title compound, 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-(2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)acetamido)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid was isolated after reverse phase preparative HPLC purification using Prep HPLC Method 24 as a white solid (37.6 mg, 83% yield) mono TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 719.7 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.32 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 mixture of CDCl₃ and MeOD, MeOD lock) δ ppm 6.65 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.94 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 4.04 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 1.94 (br. s., 6H), 1.86 (d, $J=5.6$ Hz, 4H), 1.31 (d, $J=13.0$ Hz, 1H), 1.13 (dd, $J=12.7$, 8.1 Hz, 1H), 0.90 (dd, $J=17.1$, 6.4 Hz, 1H), 0.84 (d,

$J=10.8$ Hz, 1H), 0.58 - 0.45 (m, 2H), 0.44 - 0.20 (m, 9H), 0.20 - -0.08 (m, 7H), -0.13 (d, $J=12.7$ Hz, 1H), -0.21 (s, 3H), -0.22 (s, 3H), -0.24 (s, 4H), -0.31 (s, 3H), -0.32 - -0.36 (m, 6H), -0.76 - -0.85 (m, 1H), -0.85 - -0.93 (m, 1H), -0.93 - -1.04 (m, 2H).

5 Example B52

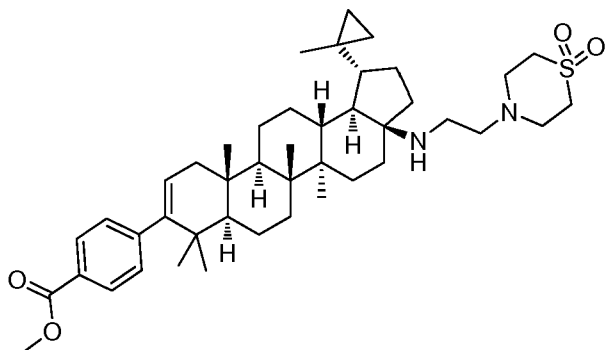
Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.

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Step 1. Preparation of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate.

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- A pressure vessel containing methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate hydrochloride (100 mg, 0.168 mmol), 4-(2-chloroethyl)thiomorpholine 1,1-dioxide hydrochloride (0.122 mg, 0.522 mmol) (prepared as described in WO1002045652), potassium phosphate, tribasic (0.157 g, 0.740 mmol) and potassium iodide (0.075 g, 0.454 mmol) in acetonitrile (3 mL) was sealed and heated to 120 °C for 64 h. The crude mixture was diluted with THF and filtered to remove solids. The filtrate was concentrated and product was isolated after reverse phase preparative HPLC purification using Prep HPLC Method 25 as a white solid (0.0982 mg, 61.6% yield) bis TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 719.7 (M+H)⁺, 2.10 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400MHz, CHLOROFORM-d) δ ppm 8.02 - 7.88 (m, J=8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.26 - 7.17 (m, J=8.3 Hz, 2H), 5.41 - 5.26 (m, 1H), 3.94 (s, 3H), 3.33 - 3.10 (m, 8H), 3.10 - 2.99 (m, 2H), 2.98 - 2.83 (m, 2H), 2.25 - 2.04 (m, 3H), 2.02 - 1.80 (m, 5H), 1.79 - 1.69 (m, 2H), 1.66 - 1.36 (m, 11H), 1.27 (d, J=9.0 Hz, 2H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.97 (br. s., 3H), 0.96 (s, 6H), 0.49 - 0.40 (m, 2H), 0.40 - 0.27 (m, 2H).
- Step 2:** A mixture of methyl 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoate trifluoroacetic acid salt (0.098 g, 0.118 mmol) and 1M aqueous lithium hydroxide (0.588 mL, 0.588 mmol) with THF (1 mL) and MeOH (1 mL) in a sealed vial was heated to 75 °C for 1h. The title compound, 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-

dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid was isolated after reverse phase preparative HPLC purification using Prep HPLC Method 24 as a white solid (89.9 mg, 79% yield) bis

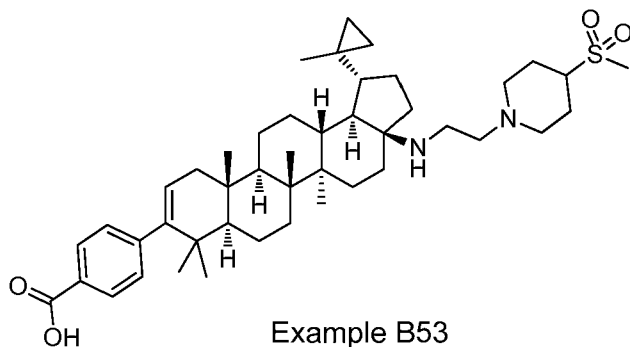
5 TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 705.8 ($M+H$)⁺, 1.93 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 mixture of *CDCl*₃ and *MeOD*, *MeOD* lock) δ ppm 7.91 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.19 (d, $J=8.1$ Hz, 2H), 5.29 (d, $J=4.4$ Hz, 1H), 3.28 - 3.09 (m, 7H), 3.09 - 2.89 (m, 5H), 2.16 (dd, $J=17.0$, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 2.07 (d, $J=14.7$ Hz, 3H), 1.98 - 1.89 (m, 1H), 1.89 - 1.78 (m, 3H), 1.78 - 1.64 (m, 2H), 1.63 - 1.36 (m, 12H), 1.35 - 1.25 (m, 2H), 1.17 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H),

10 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.95 (br. s., 3H), 0.94 (br. s., 3H), 0.93 (br. s., 3H), 0.47 - 0.37 (m, 2H), 0.37 - 0.24 (m, 2H).

Example B53

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-3a-(2-(4-(methylsulfonyl)piperidin-1-yl)ethylamino)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.

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The title compound was prepared by the same two step process employed to prepare 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid, except 1-(2-chloroethyl)-4-(methylsulfonyl)piperidine (0.152 g, 0.673 mmol) was used in place of 4-(2-

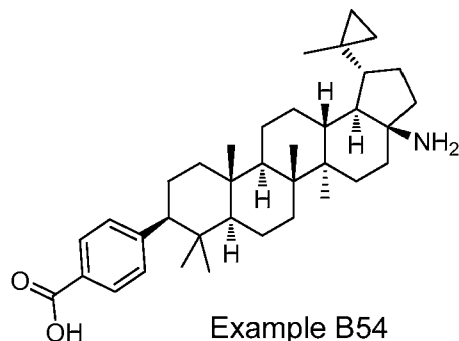
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chloroethyl)thiomorpholine 1,1-dioxide hydrochloride in Step 1. The title compound was isolated after reverse phase preparative HPLC purification of the Step 2 reaction mixture using Prep HPLC Method 24 as a white solid (70.5 mg, 71.5% yield) bis TFA salt.

LCMS: m/e 733.6 (M+H)⁺, 2.28 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 mixture of CDCl₃ and MeOD, MeOD lock) δ ppm 7.97 - 7.87 (m, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.25 - 7.15 (m, $J=8.6$ Hz, 2H), 5.31 (dd, $J=6.0, 1.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.26 (t, $J=11.7$ Hz, 2H), 3.21 - 3.16 (m, 2H), 3.16 - 3.02 (m, 2H), 2.94 (s, 3H), 2.92 - 2.83 (m, 1H), 2.56 (t, $J=11.2$ Hz, 1H), 2.42 (t, $J=12.0$ Hz, 1H), 2.27 - 2.13 (m, 3H), 2.13 - 1.94 (m, 5H), 1.94 - 1.83 (m, 3H), 1.82 - 1.66 (m, 3H), 1.63 - 1.38 (m, 11H), 1.35 (d, $J=12.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.31 - 1.23 (m, 1H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.94 (s, 3H), 0.50 - 0.39 (m, 2H), 0.39 - 0.26 (m, 2H).

Example B54

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aS,9S,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)icosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.

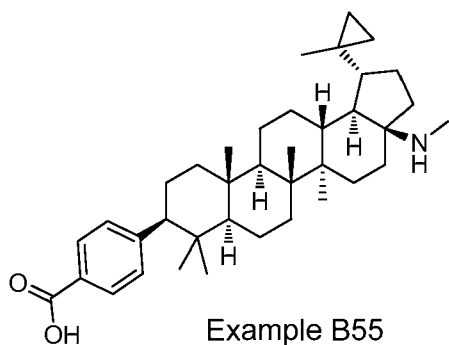


A mixture of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (0.036 g, 0.055 mmol) and ethyl acetate (2 mL) was blanketed with nitrogen gas, then 10% palladium on carbon (0.023 g, 0.022 mmol) was added. To the flask was fitted a balloon of hydrogen gas, and the mixture was stirred rapidly under hydrogen atmosphere for 18h. The mixture was filtered to remove catalyst and concentrated in vacuo. The title compound was isolated after reverse phase preparative HPLC purification of the reaction mixture using Prep HPLC Method 24 as a

white solid (13.1 mg, 36.4% yield) mono TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 546.7 ($M+H$)⁺, 1.95 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 mixture of *CDCl*₃ and *MeOD*, *MeOD* lock) δ ppm 7.89 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.23 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 2.42 (dd, $J=13.1$, 2.8 Hz, 1H), 2.19 - 2.08 (m, 2H), 2.04 - 1.97 (m, 1H), 1.92 - 1.71 (m, 5H), 1.66 - 1.40 (m, 11H), 1.39 - 1.28 (m, 3H), 1.24 (br. s., 1H), 1.10 (s, 5H), 1.06 (s, 4H), 0.99 (s, 3H), 0.95 (s, 4H), 0.76 (s, 3H), 0.70 (s, 3H), 0.49 - 0.41 (m, 1H), 0.41 - 0.34 (m, 1H), 0.34 - 0.26 (m, 2H).

Example B55

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aS,9S,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-3a-(methylamino)-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)icosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.

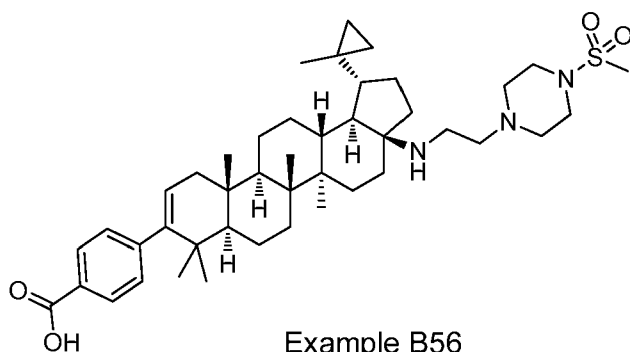


The title compound was prepared following a similar procedure as described for the synthesis of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aS,9S,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)icosahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid, except 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-3a-(methylamino)-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid (0.034 g, 0.051 mmol) was used in place of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-amino-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid. Purification of the crude mixture by reverse phase preparative HPLC using Prep HPLC Method 23 gave the title compound as a white solid (25.5 mg, 63.6% yield) mono TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 560.8 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.14 min (method 6). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 mixture of *CDCl*₃ and *MeOD*,

MeOD lock) δ ppm 7.89 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.23 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 2.56 (s, 3H), 2.42 (dd, $J=13.2, 2.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.17 - 2.09 (m, 2H), 2.05 - 1.77 (m, 6H), 1.73 - 1.54 (m, 4H), 1.54 - 1.28 (m, 10H), 1.21 - 1.13 (m, 1H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.06 (br. s., 1H), 0.99 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 4H), 0.76 (s, 3H), 0.70 (s, 3H), 0.50 - 0.42 (m, 1H), 0.42 - 0.35 (m, 1H),
 5 0.35 - 0.25 (m, 2H).

Example B56

Preparation of 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-3a-(2-(4-(methylsulfonyl)piperazin-1-yl)ethylamino)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid.
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15 The title compound was prepared by the same two step process employed to prepare 4-((1R,3aS,5aR,5bR,7aR,11aS,11bR,13aR,13bR)-3a-((2-(1,1-dioxidothiomorpholino)ethyl)amino)-5a,5b,8,8,11a-pentamethyl-1-(1-methylcyclopropyl)-2,3,3a,4,5,5a,5b,6,7,7a,8,11,11a,11b,12,13,13a,13b-octadecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]chrysen-9-yl)benzoic acid, except 1-(2-chloroethyl)-4-(methylsulfonyl)piperazine (0.118 g, 0.522 mmol) was used in place of 4-(2-chloroethyl)thiomorpholine 1,1-dioxide hydrochloride in Step 1. The title compound was isolated after reverse phase preparative HPLC purification of the Step 2 reaction mixture using Prep HPLC Method 4 as a white solid (58.7 mg, 59.2% yield) bis TFA salt. LCMS: m/e 734.4 ($M+H$)⁺, 2.30 min (method 5). ¹H NMR (400 MHz, 1:1 mixture of *CDCl*₃ and
 25 *MeOD*, *MeOD* lock) δ ppm 7.93 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 7.21 (d, $J=8.3$ Hz, 2H), 5.32 (d, $J=4.6$ Hz, 1H), 3.31 - 3.21 (m, 2H), 3.21 - 3.10 (m, 2H), 3.10 - 2.99 (m, 2H), 2.88 (s, 3H), 2.83 -

2.66 (m, 6H), 2.18 (dd, $J=17.0$, 6.2 Hz, 1H), 2.14 - 2.02 (m, 2H), 2.02 - 1.82 (m, 3H), 1.82 - 1.68 (m, 2H), 1.68 - 1.39 (m, 12H), 1.37 (d, $J=11.7$ Hz, 1H), 1.33 - 1.23 (m, 2H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.13 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.98 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 6H), 0.51 - 0.42 (m, 2H), 0.42 - 0.27 (m, 2H).

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Biology Data for the Examples

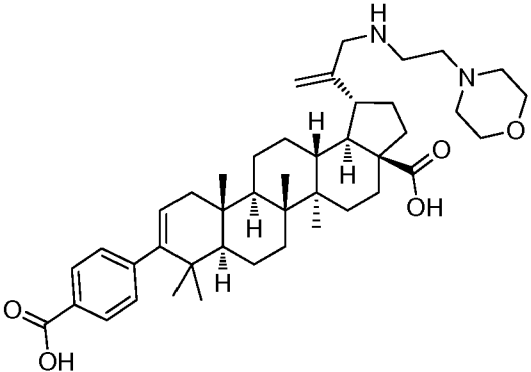
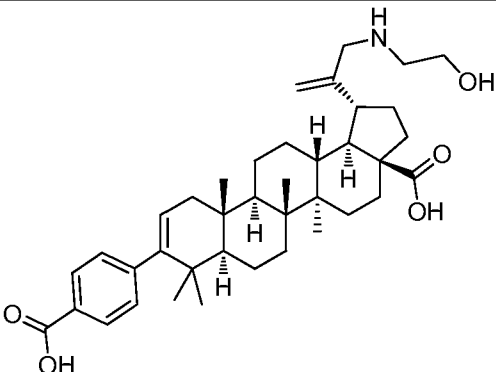
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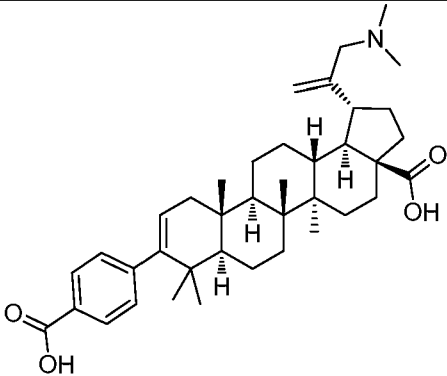
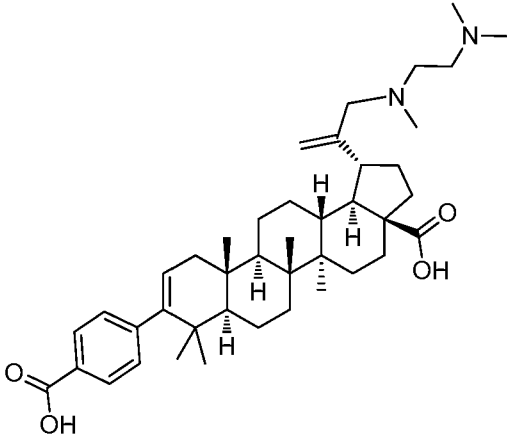
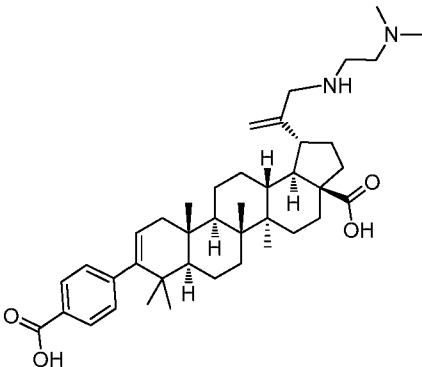
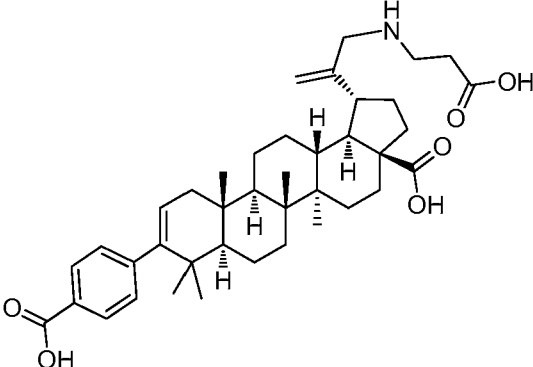
15 The materials and experimental procedures used to obtain the results reported in Table 1 are described below.

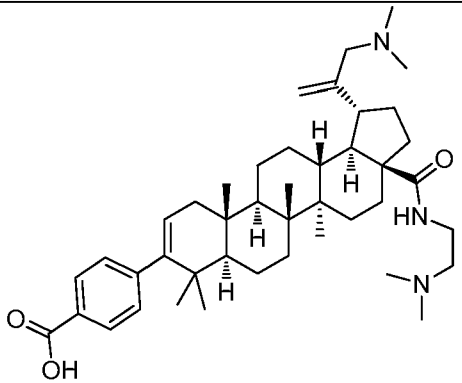
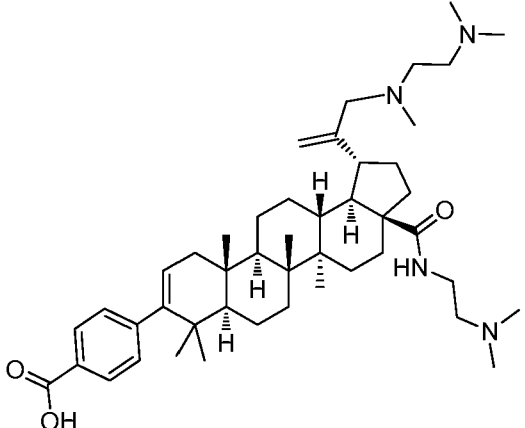
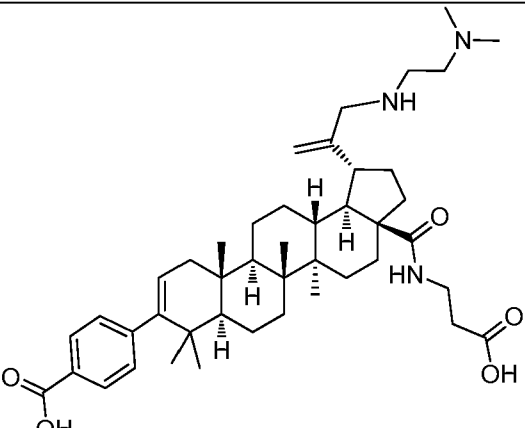
HIV cell culture assay - MT-2 cells and 293T cells were obtained from the NIH AIDS Research and Reference Reagent Program. MT-2 cells were propagated in RPMI 1640 media supplemented with 10% heat inactivated fetal bovine serum, 100 $\mu\text{g/ml}$ penicillin
20 G and up to 100 units/ml streptomycin. The 293T cells were propagated in DMEM media supplemented with 10% heat inactivated fetal bovine serum (FBS), 100 units/ml penicillin G and 100 $\mu\text{g/ml}$ streptomycin. The proviral DNA clone of NL₄₋₃ was obtained from the NIH AIDS Research and Reference Reagent Program. A recombinant NL₄₋₃ virus, in which a section of the nef gene from NL4-3 was replaced with the *Renilla*
25 luciferase gene, was used as a reference virus. In addition, residue Gag P373 was converted to P373S. Briefly, the recombinant virus was prepared by transfection of the altered proviral clone of NL₄₋₃. Transfections were performed in 293T cells using LipofectAMINE PLUS from Invitrogen (Carlsbad, CA), according to manufacturer’s instruction. The virus was titered in MT-2 cells using luciferase enzyme activity as a
30 marker. Luciferase was quantitated using the Dual Luciferase kit from Promega (Madison, WI), with modifications to the manufacturer’s protocol. The diluted Passive Lysis solution was pre-mixed with the re-suspended Luciferase Assay Reagent and the

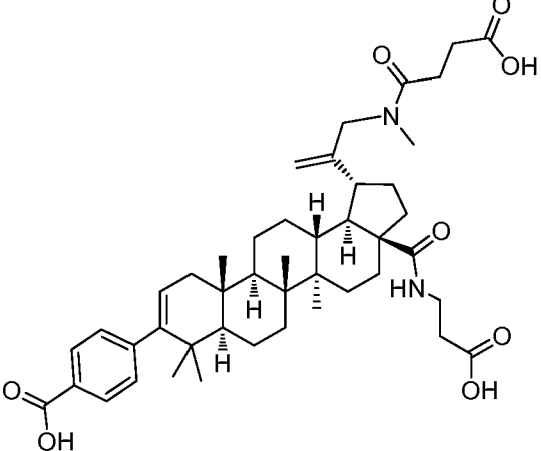
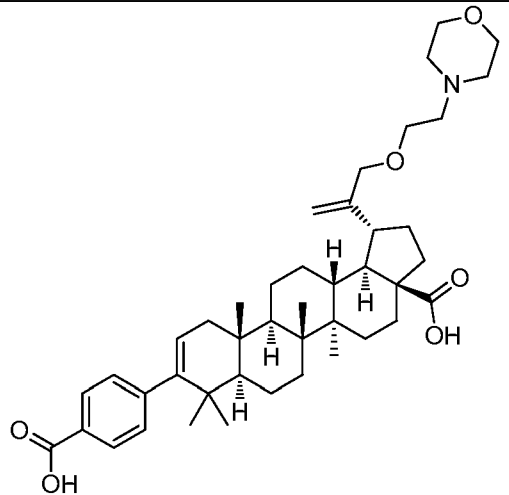
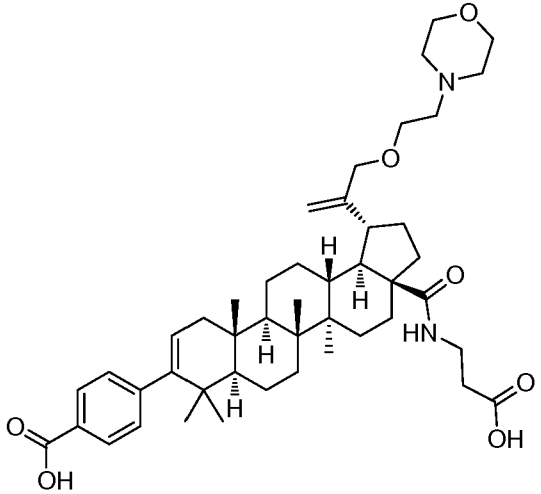
- re-suspended Stop & Glo Substrate (2:1:1 ratio). Fifty (50) μL of the mixture was added to each aspirated well on assay plates and luciferase activity was measured immediately on a Wallac TriLux (Perkin-Elmer). Antiviral activities of inhibitors toward the recombinant virus were quantified by measuring luciferase activity in cells infected for 4-5 days with NLRluc recombinants in the presence serial dilutions of the inhibitor. The EC_{50} data for the compounds is shown in Table 1.

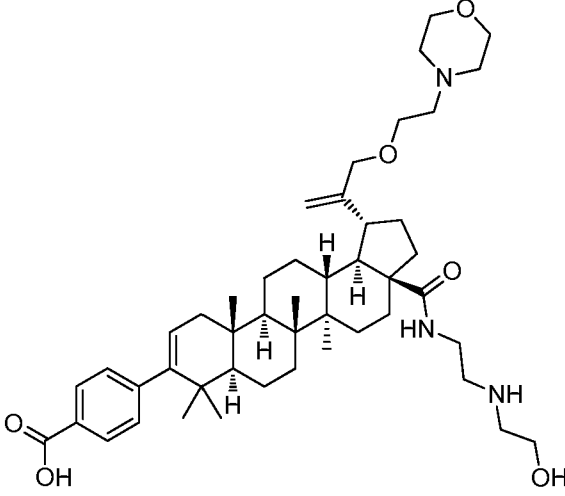
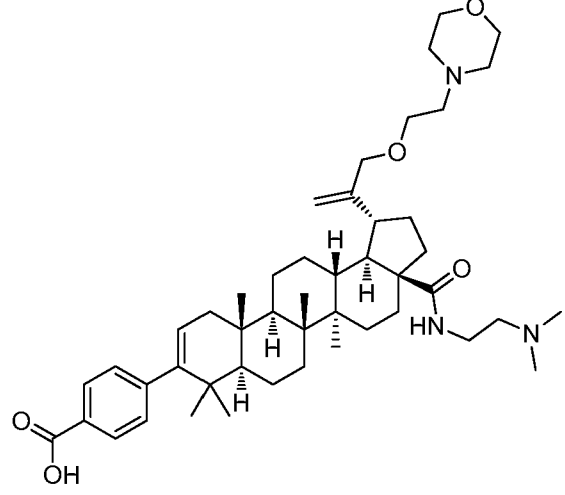
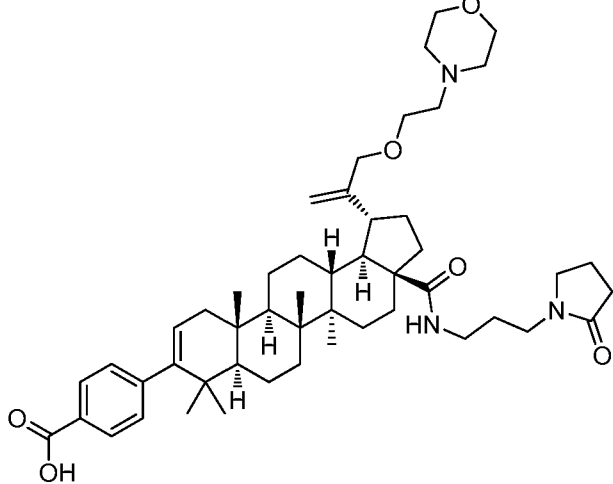
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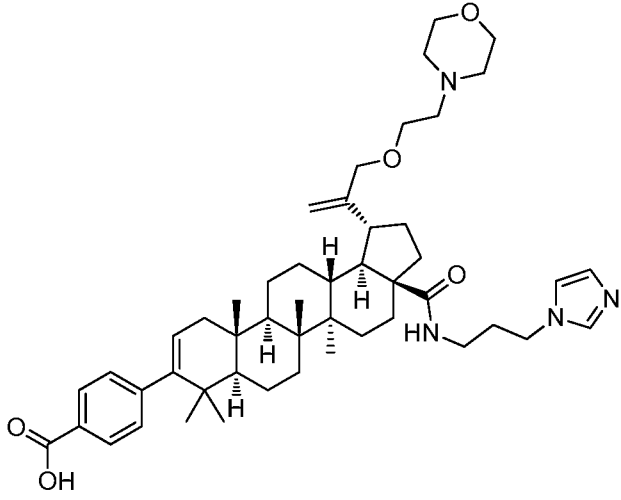
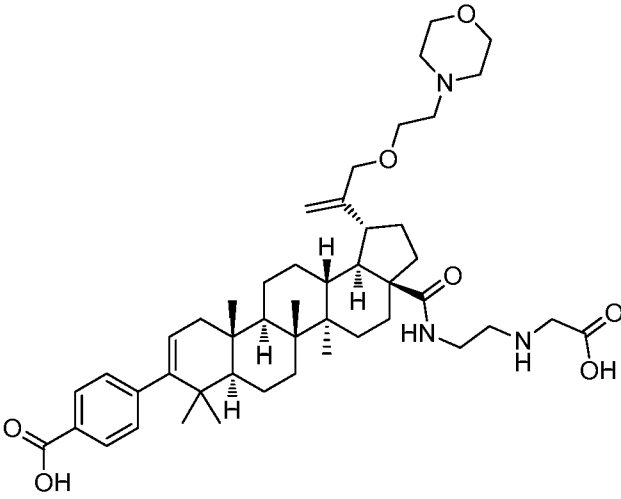
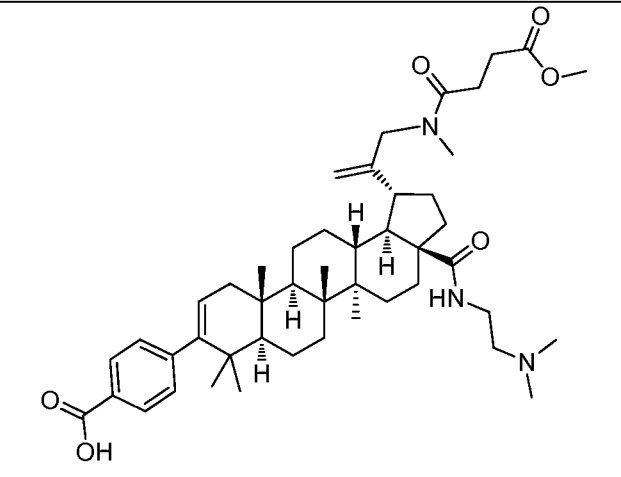
Example #	Structure	EC_{50} μM
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2		0.14

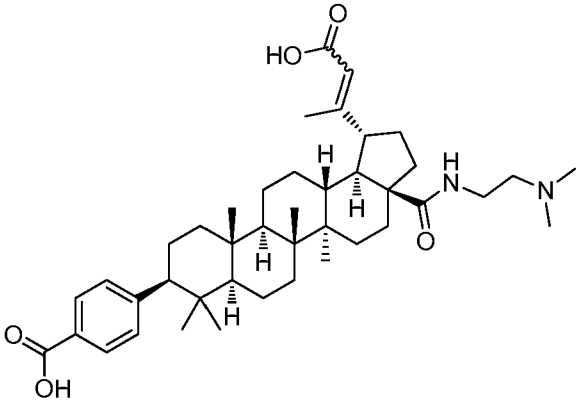
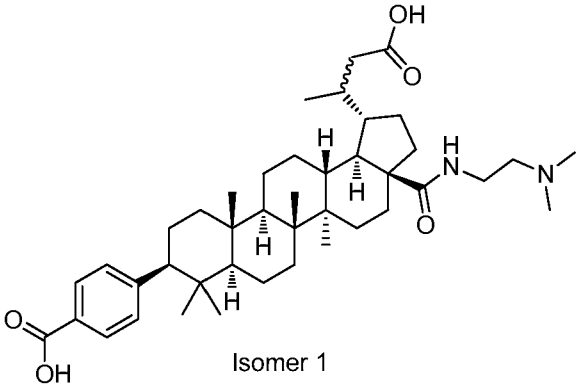
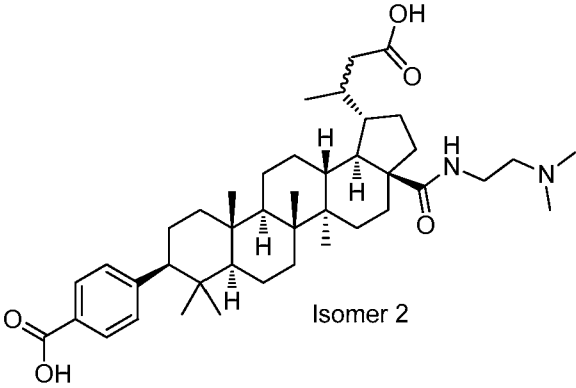
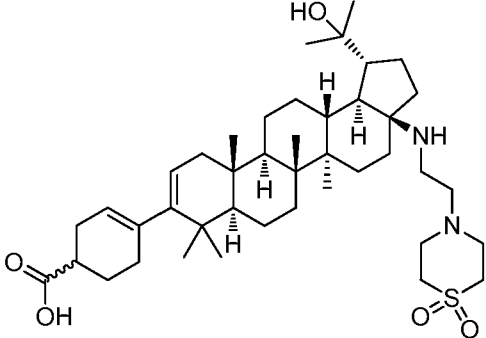
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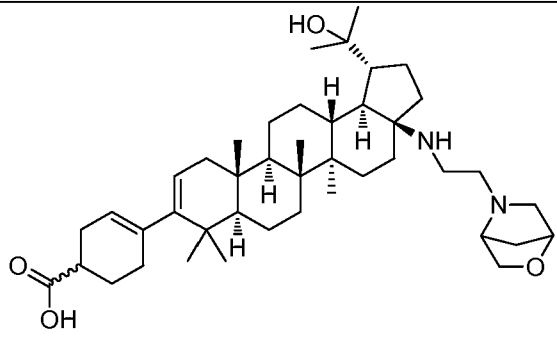
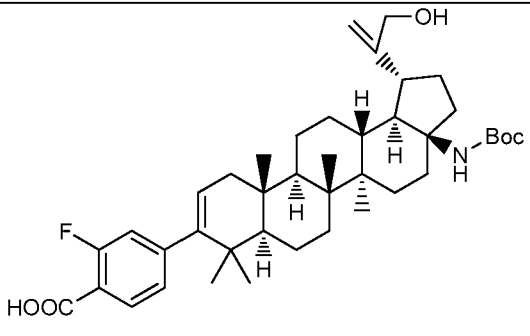
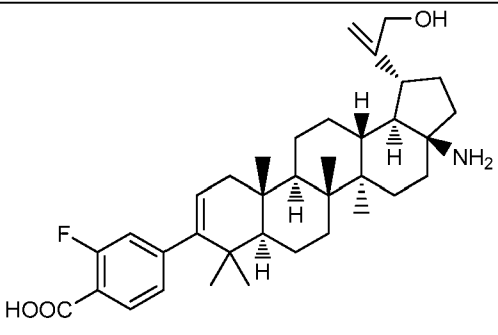
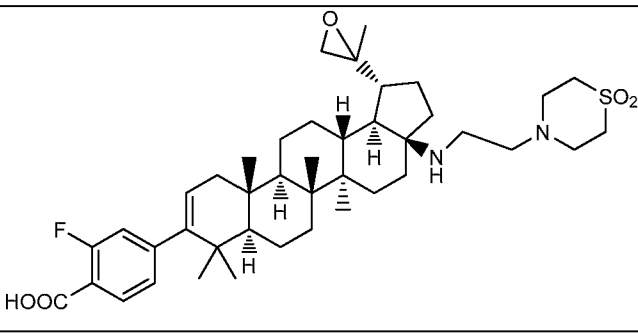
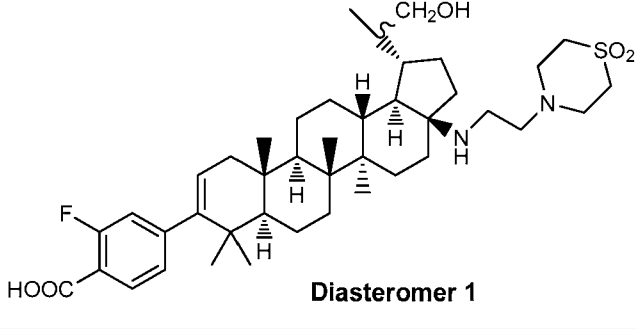
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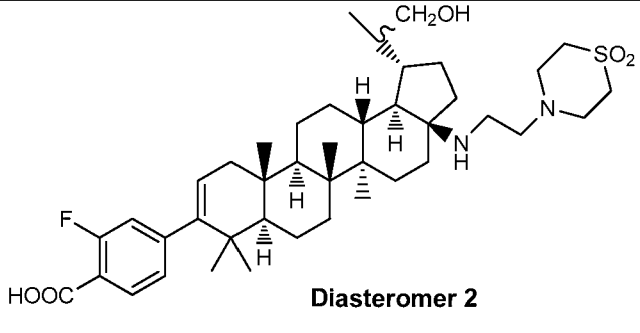
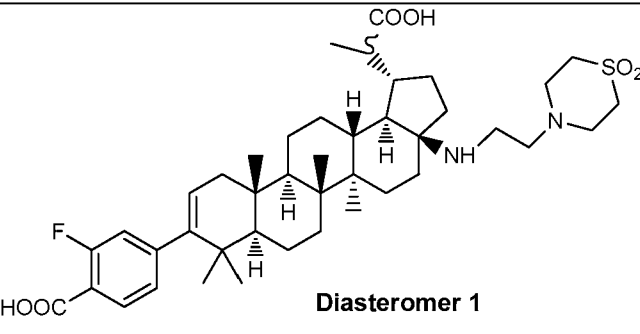
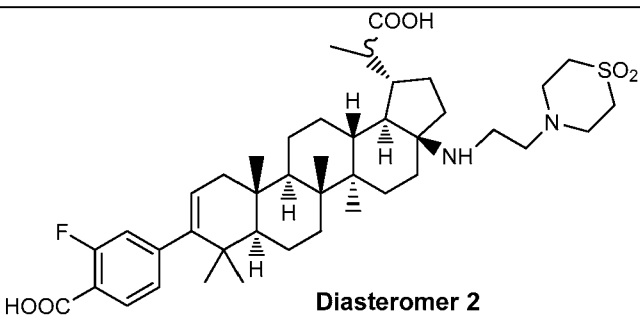
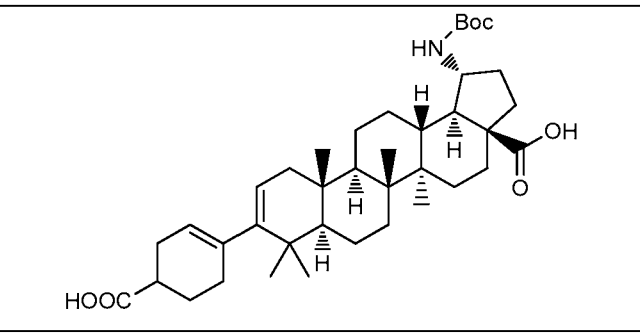
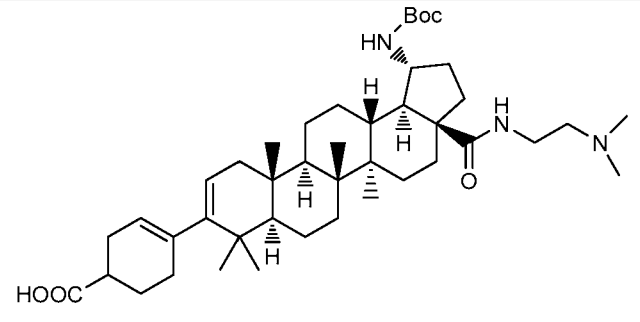
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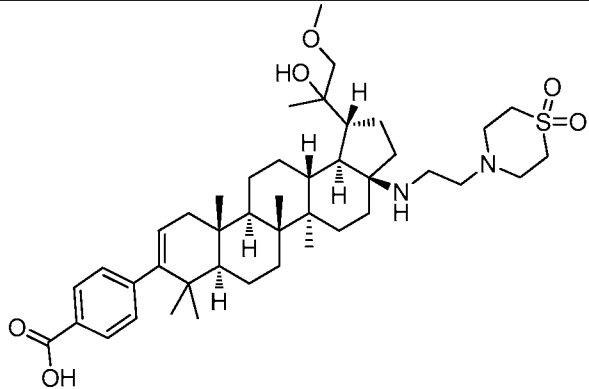
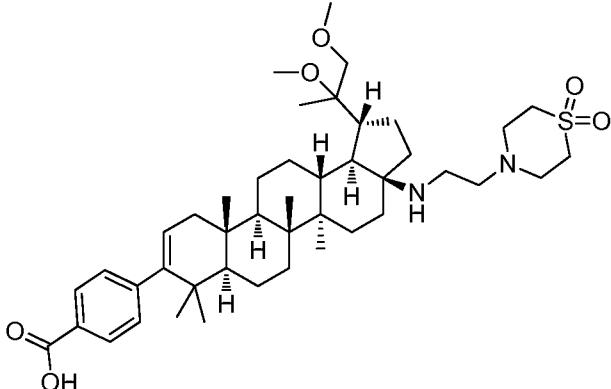
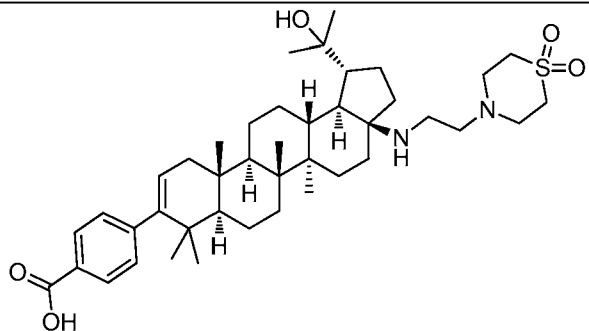
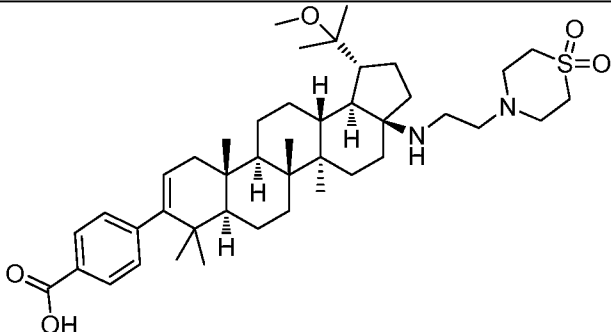
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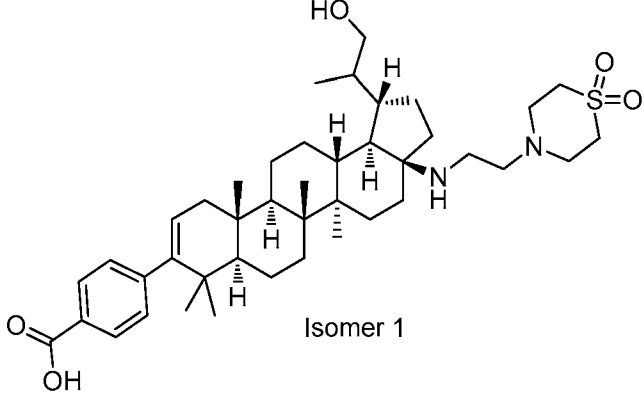
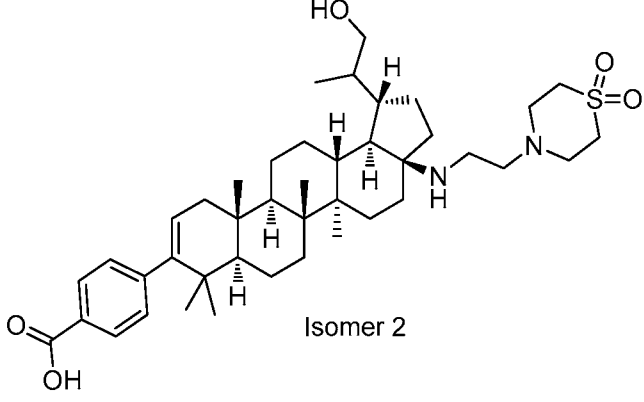
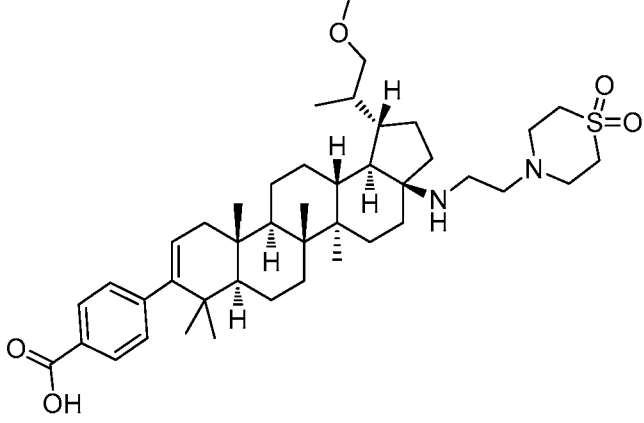
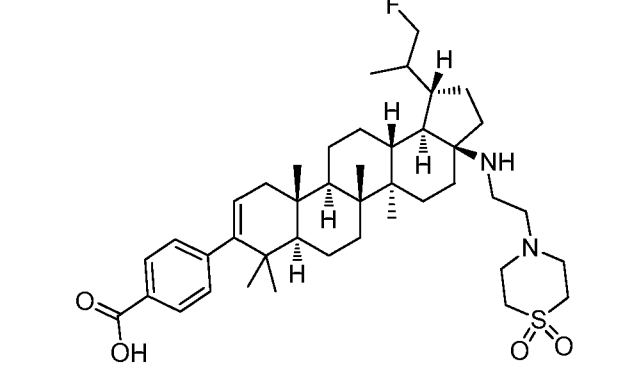
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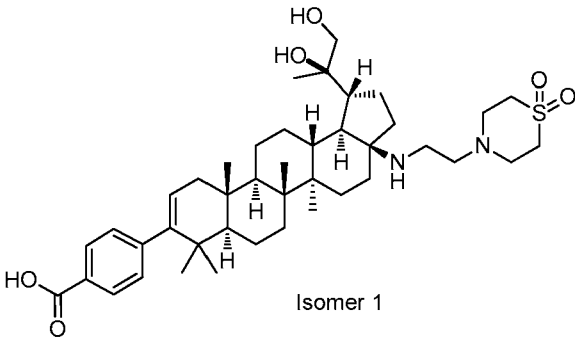
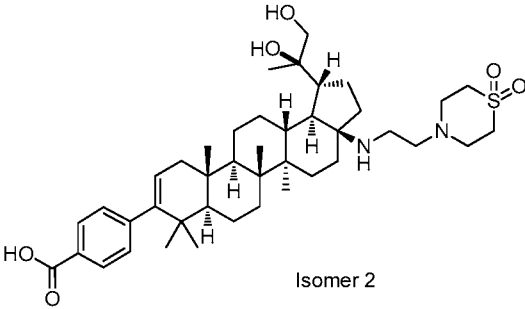
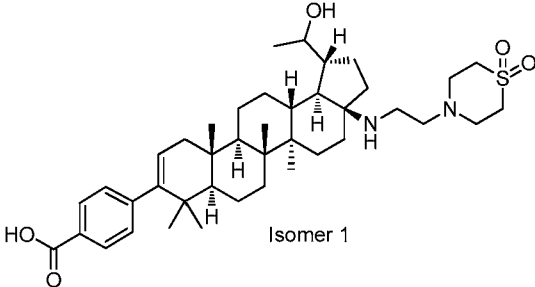
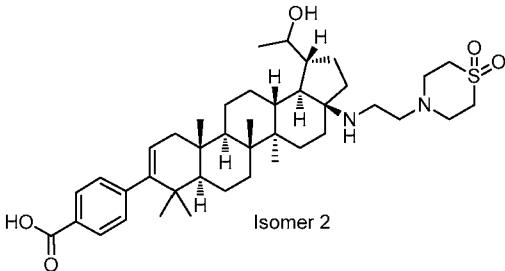
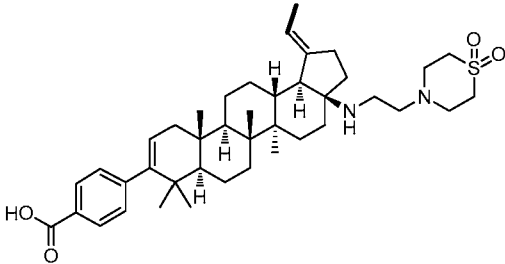
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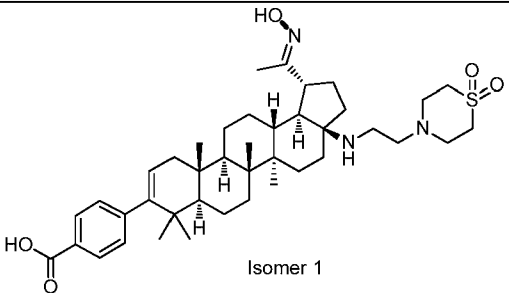
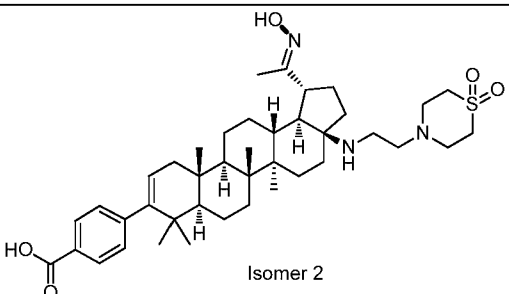
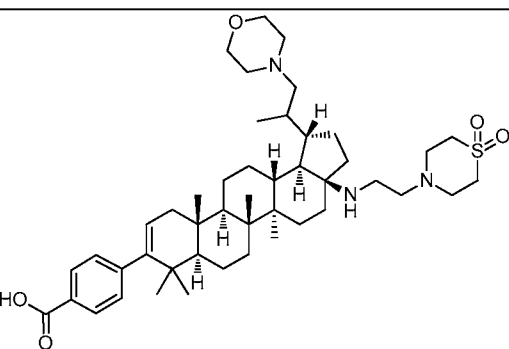
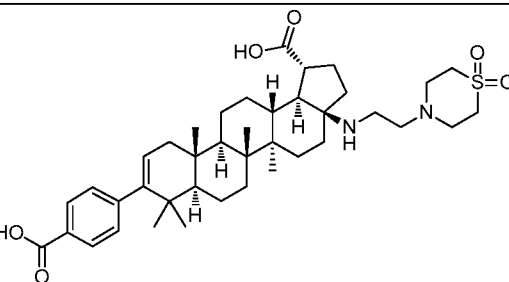
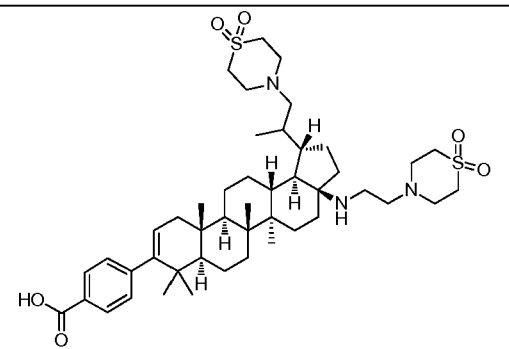
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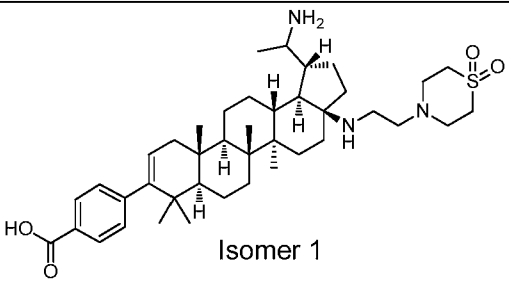
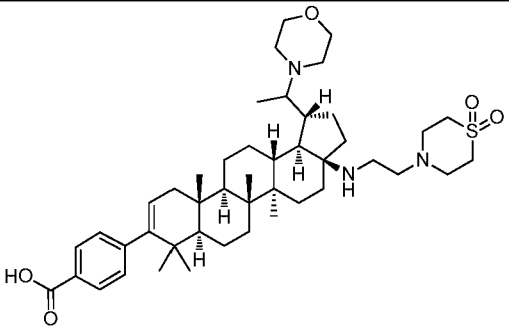
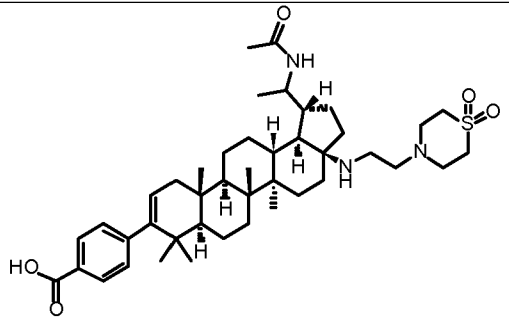
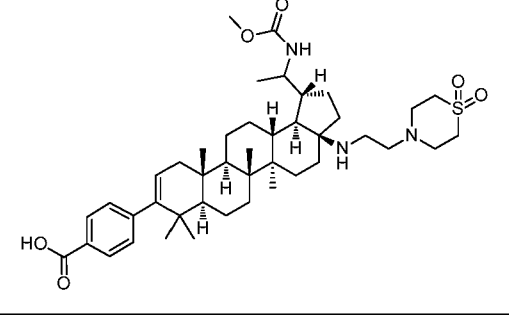
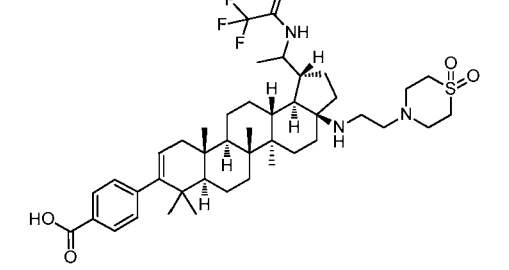
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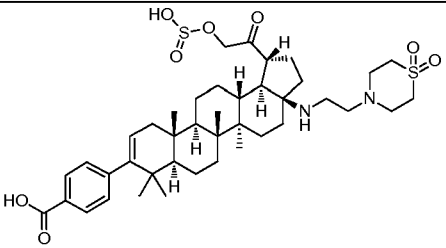
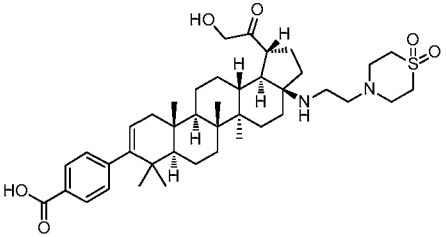
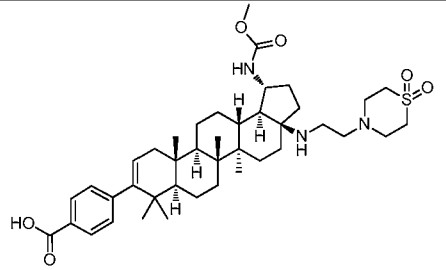
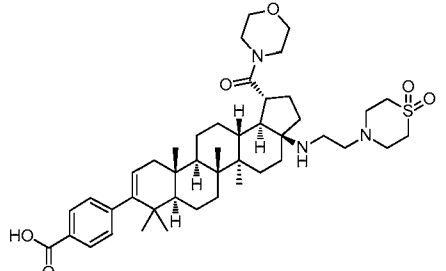
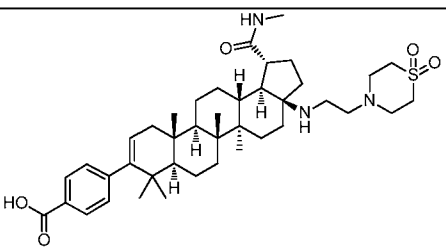
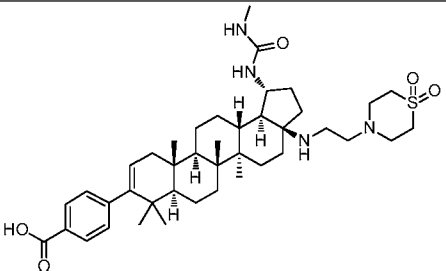
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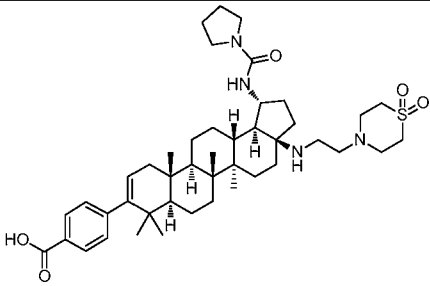
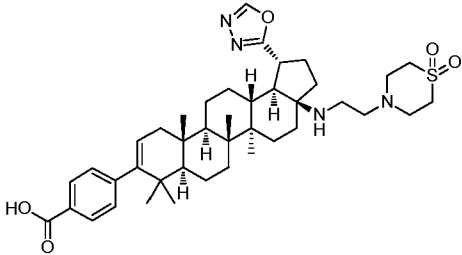
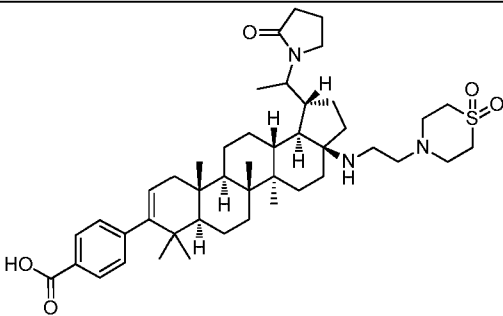
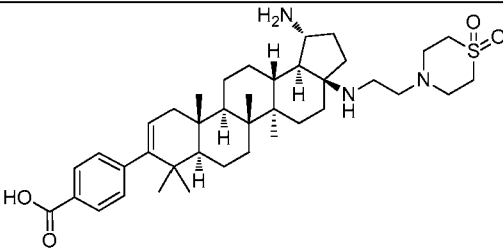
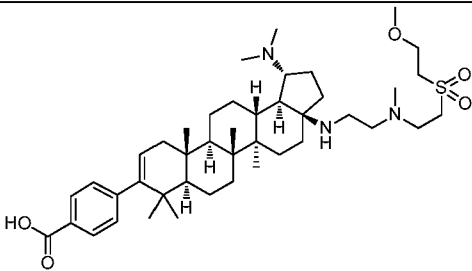
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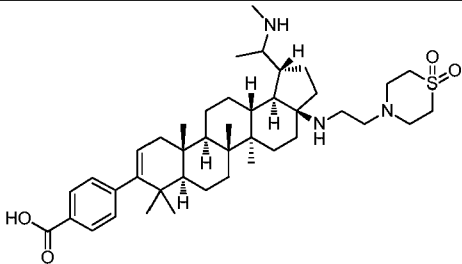
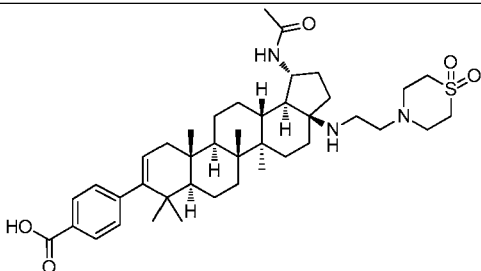
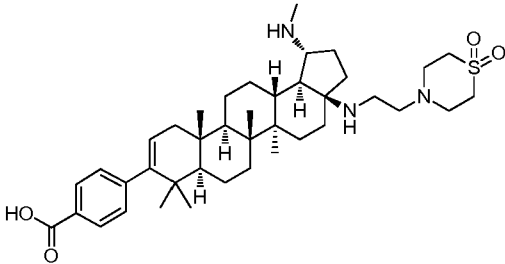
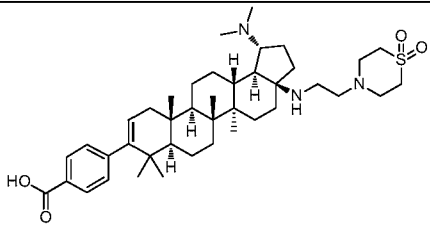
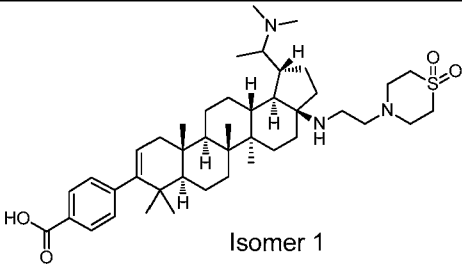
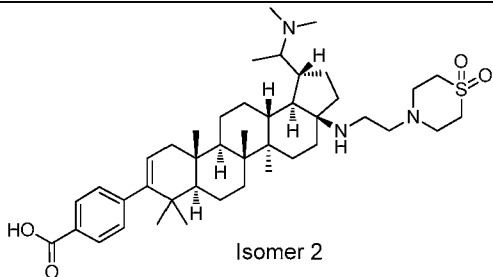
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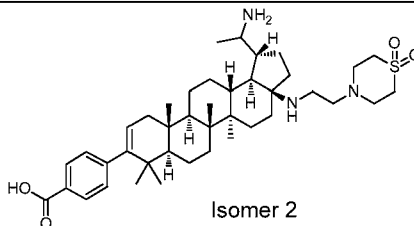
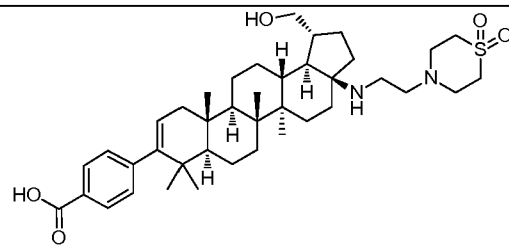
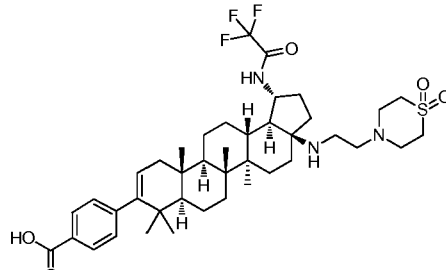
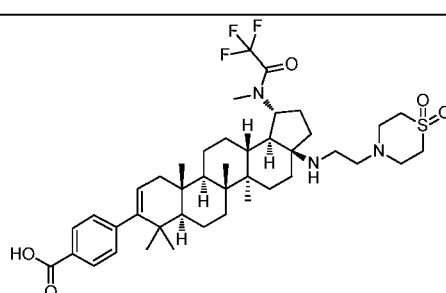
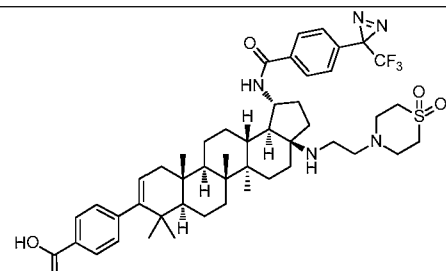
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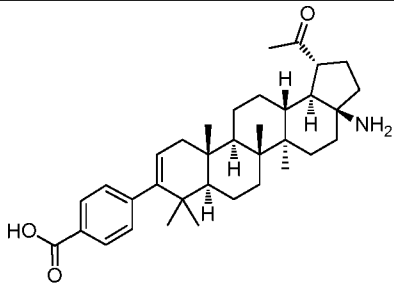
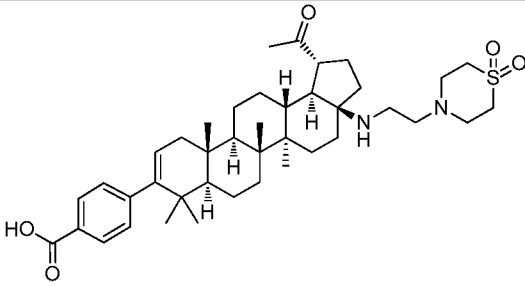
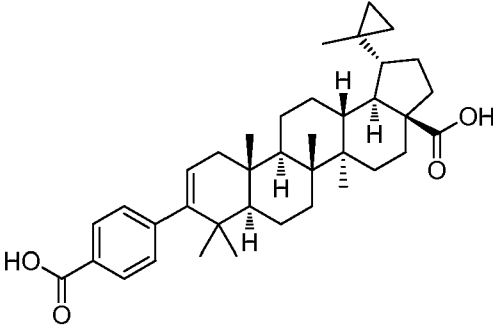
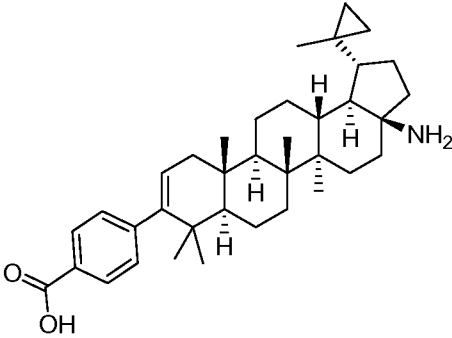
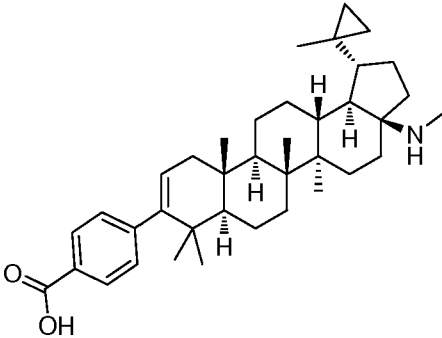
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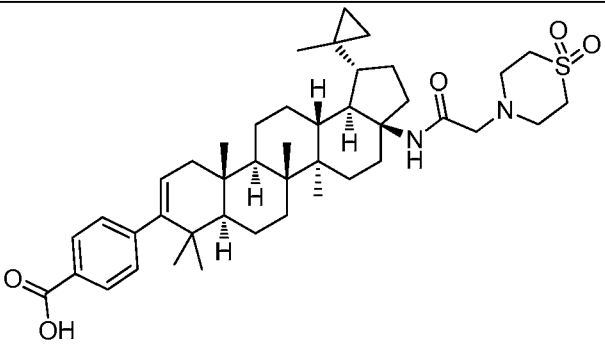
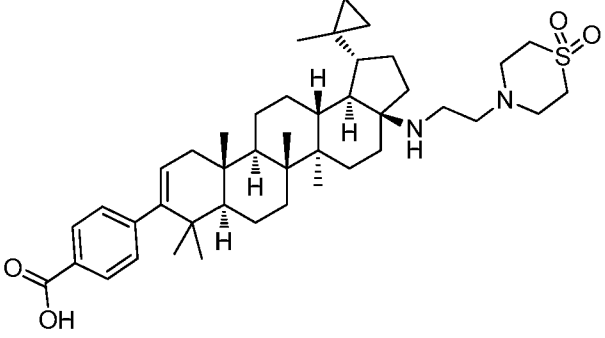
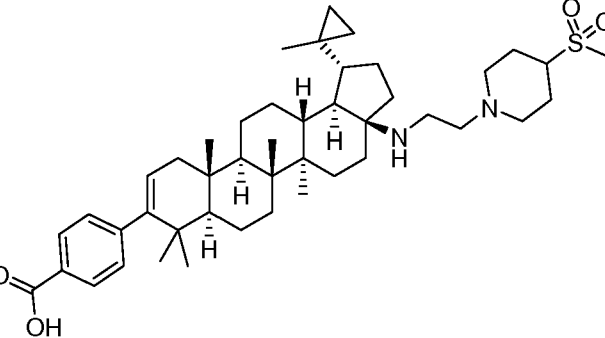
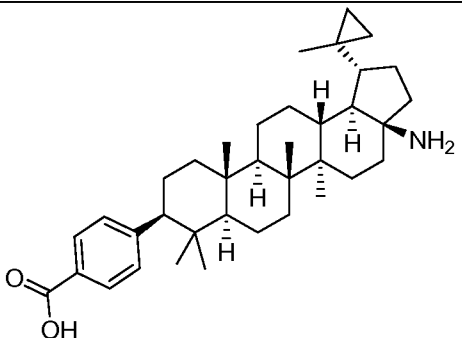
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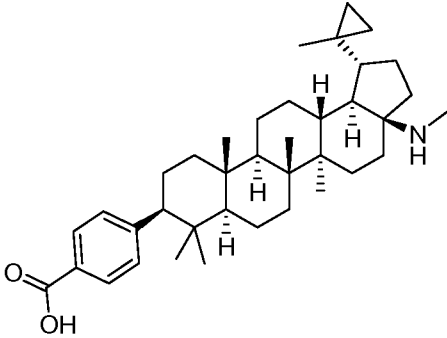
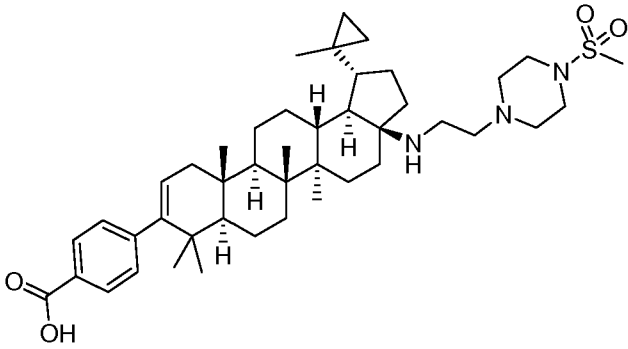
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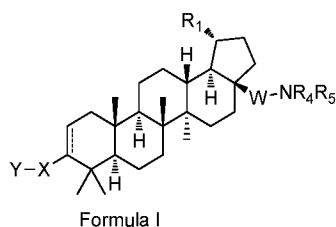
The foregoing description is merely illustrative and should not be understood to limit the scope or underlying principles of the invention in any way. Indeed, various modifications of the invention, in addition to those shown and described herein, will become apparent to those skilled in the art from the following examples and the foregoing description. Such modifications are also intended to fall within the scope of the appended claims.

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

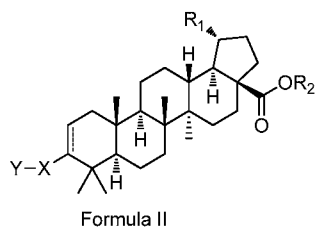
1. A compound, including pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof, which is selected from the group of:

a compound of formula I



; and

a compound of formula II



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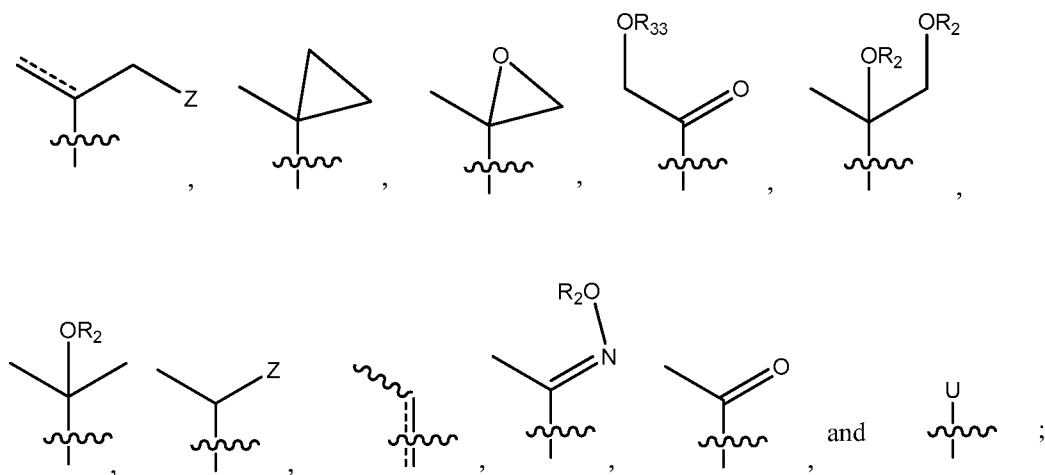
wherein X is selected from the group of phenyl, heteroaryl ring, C₄₋₈ cycloalkyl, C₄₋₈ cycloalkenyl, C₄₋₉ spirocycloalkyl, C₄₋₉ spirocycloalkenyl, C₄₋₈ oxacycloalkyl, C₄₋₈ dioxacycloalkyl, C₆₋₈ oxacycloalkenyl, C₆₋₈ dioxacycloalkenyl, C₆ cycloalkenyl, C₆ oxacycloalkenyl, C₆₋₉ oxaspirocycloalkyl and C₆₋₉ oxaspirocycloalkenyl ring;

and further wherein X is substituted with A, wherein A is at least one member selected from the group of -H, -halo, -hydroxyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkoxy, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₁, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₁, -CN, -CF₂Q₁, -NR₂R₂, -COOR₂ and -CONR₂R₂;

wherein Q_1 is selected from the group of aryl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, $-OR_2$, $-COOR_3$, $-NR_2R_2$, $-SO_2R_7$, $-CONHSO_2R_3$, and $-CONHSO_2NR_2R_2$;

Y is selected from the group of $-COOR_2$, $-C(O)NR_2SO_2R_3$, $-C(O)NHSO_2NR_2R_2$, $-NR_2SO_2R_2$, $-SO_2NR_2R_2$, $-C_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl- $COOR_2$, $-C_{2-6}$ alkenyl- $COOR_2$, $-C_{2-6}$ alkynyl- $COOR_2$, $-C_{1-6}$ alkyl- $COOR_2$, $-alkylsubstituted\ C_{1-6}\ alkyl$, $-COOR_2$, CF_2-COOR_2 , $-NHC(O)(CH_2)_n-COOR_2$, $-SO_2NR_2C(O)R_2$, $-tetrazole$, and $-CONHOH$,
wherein $n=1-6$;

R_1 is selected from the group of:



W is absent, or is $-CH_2$ or $-CO$;

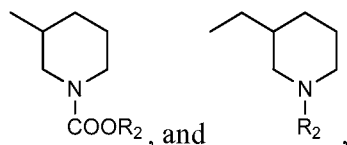
Z is selected from the group of $-NR_{28}R_{29}$, $-OR_{30}$, $-COOR_2$, $-CONR_{18}R_{19}$, F, Cl, Br, and I;

U is selected from the group of $-NR_{28}R_{29}$, $-OR_{30}$, $-COOR_2$, $-CONR_{18}R_{19}$, F, Cl, Br, I, aryl and heteroaryl;

R_2 is selected from the group of $-H$, benzyl, $-C_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-alkylsubstituted\ C_{1-6}\ alkyl$ and $-arylsubstituted\ C_{1-6}\ alkyl$;

R_3 is benzyl, $-C_{1-6}$ alkyl or $-alkylsubstituted\ C_{1-6}\ alkyl$;

R₄ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C(OR₃)₂-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₂, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl-Q₂, aryl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, -COR₆, -COCOR₆, -SO₂R₇, -SO₂NR₂R₂,



wherein Q₂ is selected from the group of heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, F, Cl, Br, I, -CF₃, -OR₂, -COOR₂, -NR₈R₉, -CONR₁₀R₁₁ and -SO₂R₇;

R₅ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkylsubstituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-NR₈R₉, -COR₆, -COCOR₆, -SO₂R₇ and -SO₂NR₂R₂;

with the proviso that R₄ or R₅ cannot be -COR₆ or -COCOR₆ when W is CO;

with the further proviso that only one of R₄ or R₅ can be selected from the group of -COR₆, -COCOR₆, -SO₂R₇ and -SO₂NR₂R₂;

or when W is absent or is CH₂, then R₄ and R₅ can be taken together with the adjacent N to form



R₆ is selected from the group of -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-substitutedalkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₃₋₆ substitutedcycloalkyl-Q₃, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₃, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-substitutedalkyl-Q₃, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl-Q₃, aryl-Q₃, -NR₁₃R₁₄, and -OR₁₅;

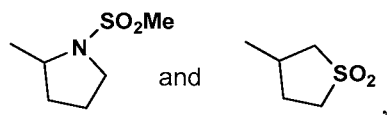
wherein Q₃ is selected from the group of aryl, heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, -OR₂, -COOR₂, -NR₈R₉, SO₂R₇, -CONHSO₂R₃, and -CONHSO₂NR₂R₂;

R₇ is selected from the group of -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -CF₃, aryl, and heteroaryl;

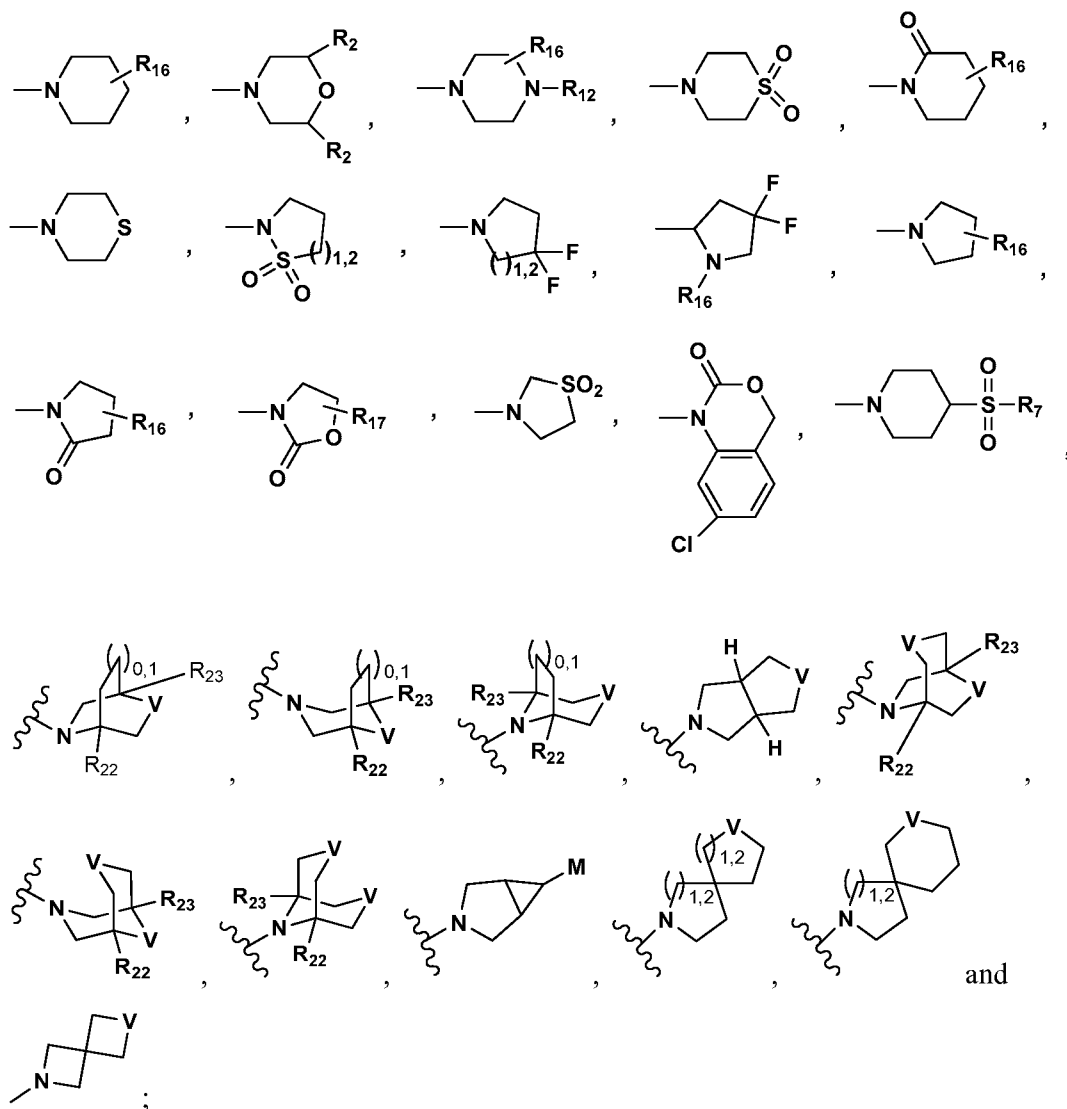
R₈ and R₉ are independently selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, aryl, heteroaryl, substituted aryl, substituted heteroaryl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₂, and -COOR₃;

R₈ can also be -COOR₃;

R₈ and R₉ can also be independently selected from the group of



or R₈ and R₉ are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the group of:

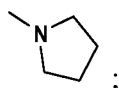


V is selected from the group of $-\text{CR}_{24}\text{R}_{25}$, $-\text{SO}_2$, $-\text{O}$ and $-\text{NR}_{12}$;

M is selected from the group of $-\text{CHR}_{24}\text{R}_{25}$, $-\text{NR}_{26}\text{R}_{27}$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{R}_7$, $-\text{SO}_2\text{NR}_3\text{R}_3$ and $-\text{OH}$;

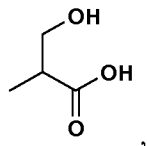
R_{10} and R_{11} are independently selected from the group of $-\text{H}$, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ substituted alkyl and $-\text{C}_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl,

or R_{10} and R_{11} are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle such as

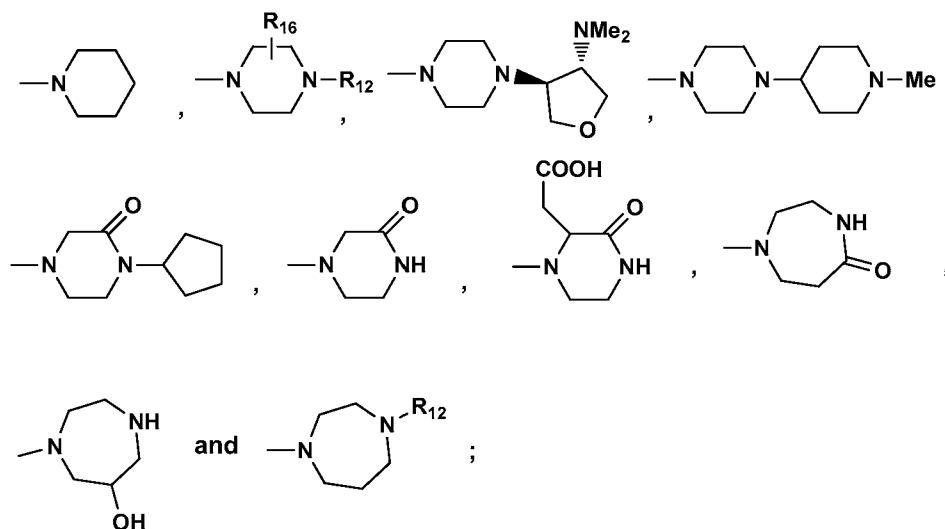


R_{12} is selected from the group of $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl- OH ; $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ substituted alkyl, $-\text{C}_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl, $-\text{COR}_7$, $-\text{COONR}_{18}\text{R}_{19}$, $-\text{SOR}_7$, and $-\text{SONR}_{20}\text{R}_{21}$;

R_{13} and R_{14} are independently selected from the group of $-\text{H}$, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-\text{C}_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ substituted alkyl, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl- Q_4 , $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl- C_{3-6} cycloalkyl- Q_4 , $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ substituted alkyl- Q_4 and



or R_{13} and R_{14} are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the group of:



R₁₅ is selected from the group of -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₄, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl-Q₄ and -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl-Q₄;

Q₄ is selected from the group of heteroaryl, substituted heteroaryl, -NR₂R₂, -CONR₂R₂, -COOR₂, -OR₂, and -SO₂R₃;

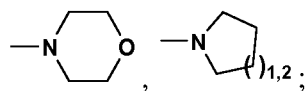
R₁₆ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -NR₂R₂, and -COOR₃;

R₁₇ is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -COOR₃, and aryl;

R₁₈ and R₁₉ are independently selected from the group of H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, and -C₁₋₆ cycloalkyl;

R₁₈ can also be -COOR₃;

or R₁₈ and R₁₉ are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the group of



R₂₀ and R₂₁ are independently from the group of H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, -C₁₋₆ alkyl-Q₅, -C₁₋₆ cycloalkyl, aryl, substituted aryl, heteroaryl, and substituted heteroaryl,

Q₅ is selected from the group of halogen and SO₂R₃

R₂₄ and R₂₅ are independently selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl, -SO₂R₃, -SO₂NR₂R₂ or -OH, -NR₂R₂, -NR₂SO₂R₃, -NR₂COR₃ and -NR₂CONR₂R₂;

with the proviso that only one of R₂₄ and R₂₅ can be selected from the group of -OH, -NR₂R₂, -NR₂SO₂R₃, -NR₂COR₃ and -NR₂CONR₂R₂;

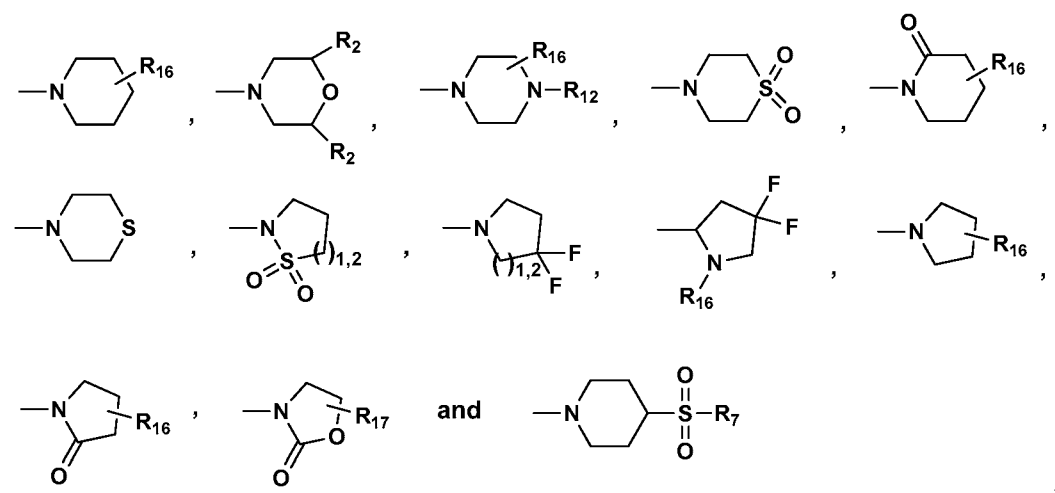
R₂₆ and R₂₇ are independently selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -alkylsubstituted C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₃ alkylaryl, -C₁₋₃alkylheteroaryl, -CO₂R₂ and -SO₂R₇;

with the proviso that only one of R_{26} and R_{27} can be selected from the group of $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_2$ or $-\text{SO}_2\text{R}_7$;

R_{28} and R_{29} are independently selected from the group of $-\text{H}$, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-\text{alkylsubstituted C}_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-\text{C}_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl- Q_6 , $-\text{COC}_{1-6}$ alkyl- Q_6 , $-\text{COOR}_3$; $-\text{COCF}_3$;

R_{28} can also be selected from $-\text{COOR}_3$ and $-\text{CONR}_{18}\text{R}_{19}$;

or R_{28} and R_{29} are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the group of:

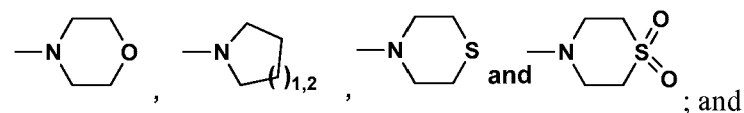


R_{30} is selected from the group of H , $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-\text{alkylsubstituted C}_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-\text{C}_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl, and $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl- Q_6 ;

wherein Q_6 is selected from the group of H , $-\text{OR}_2$, $-\text{COOR}_2$, $-\text{COCOOR}_2$, and $-\text{NR}_{31}\text{R}_{32}$;

R_{31} and R_{32} are independently selected from the group of $-\text{H}$, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ alkyl, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ substituted alkyl, $-\text{C}_{1-6}$ substituted alkyl- OR_2 , and $-\text{COR}_3$,

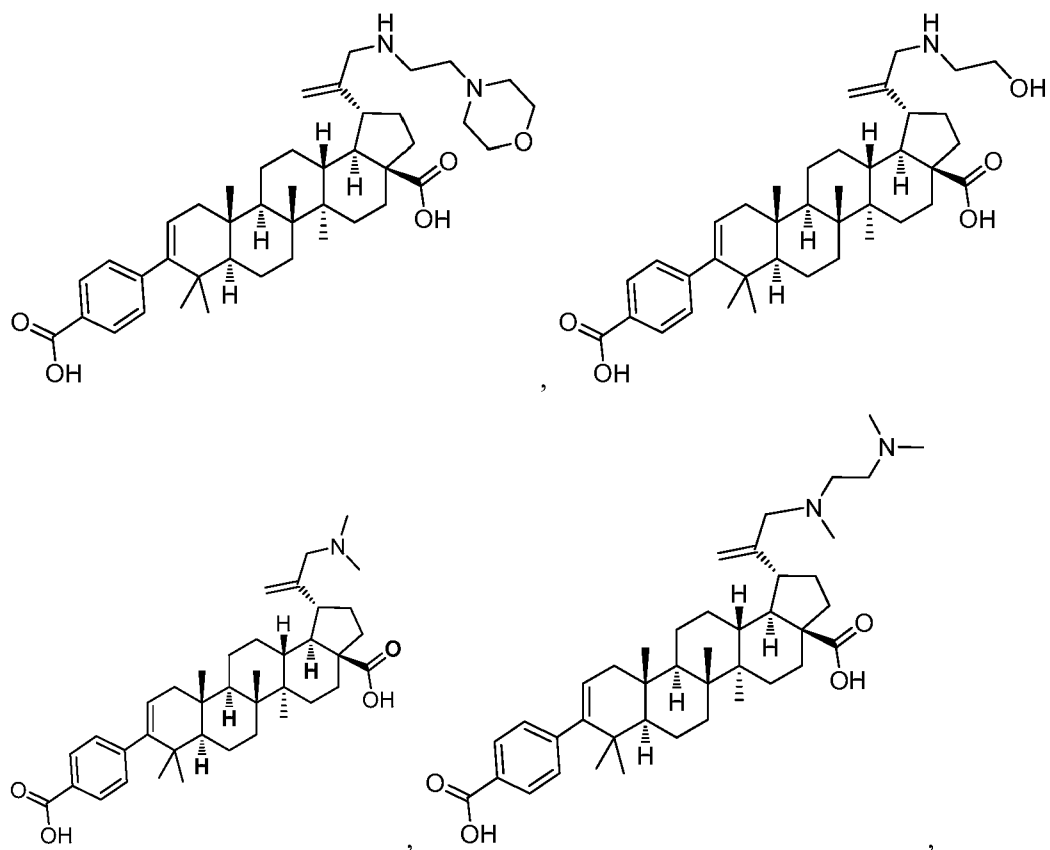
or R_{31} and R_{32} are taken together with the adjacent N to form a cycle selected from the group of

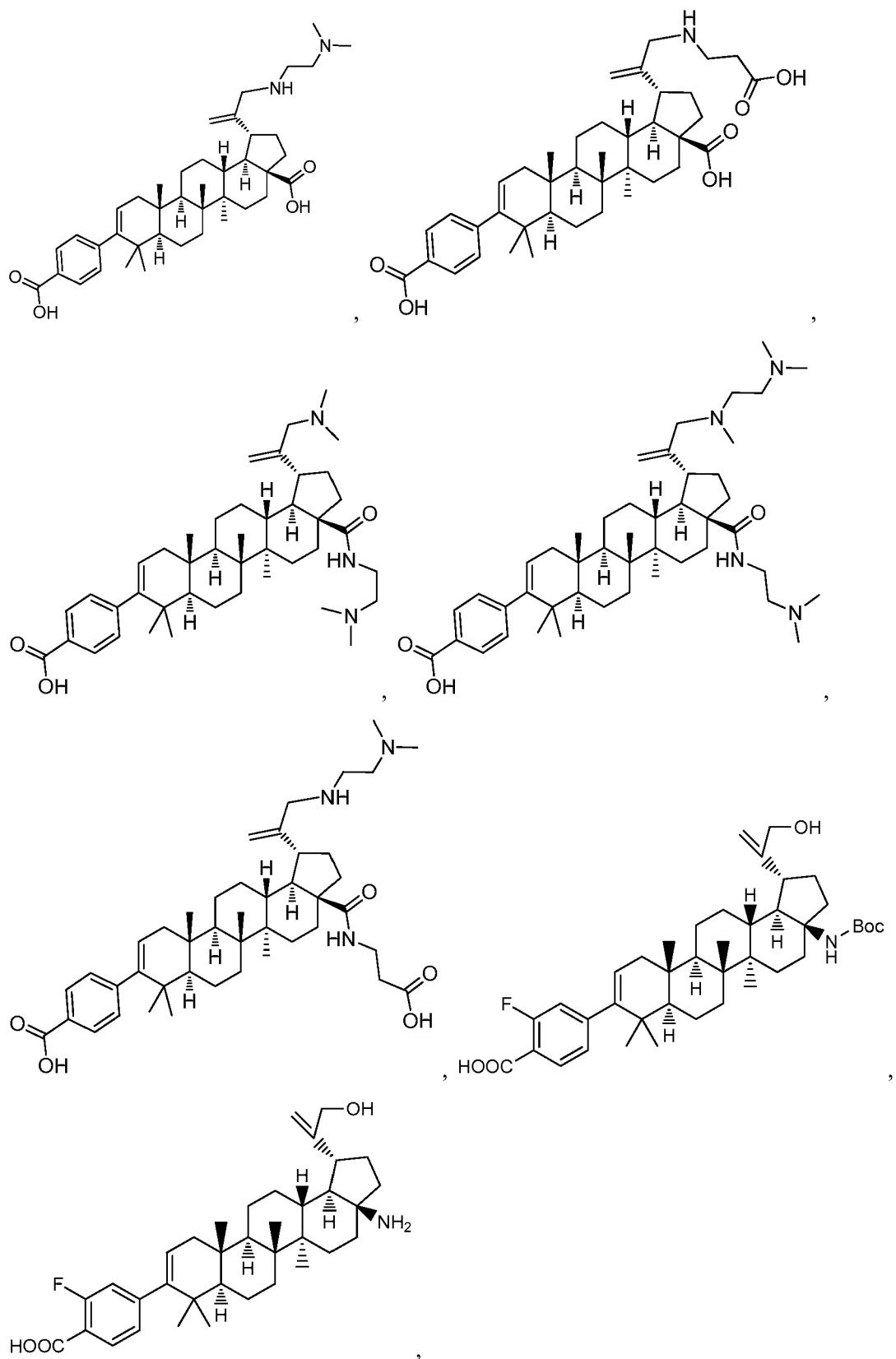


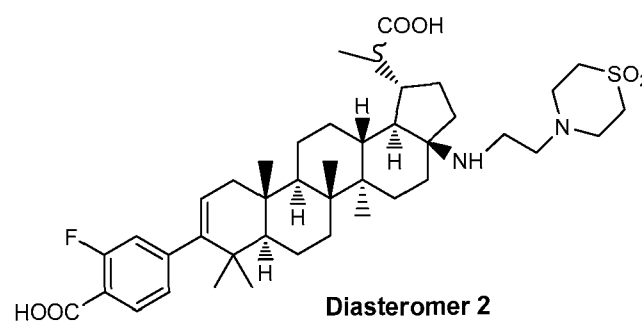
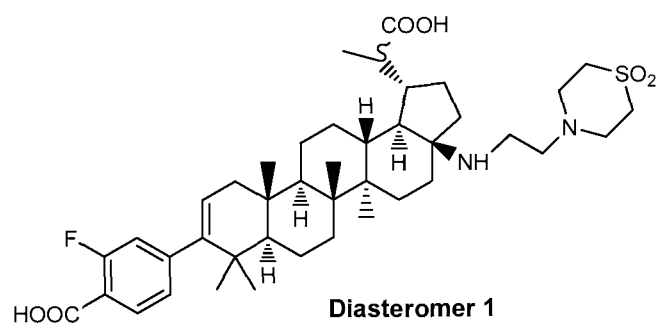
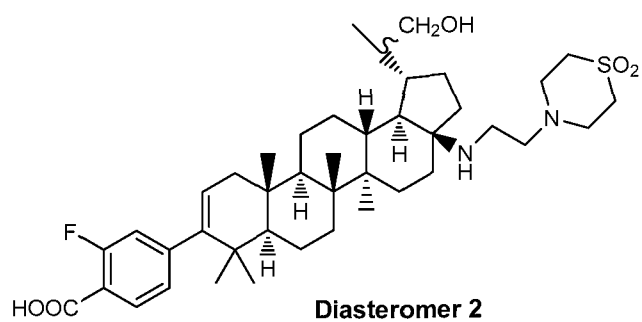
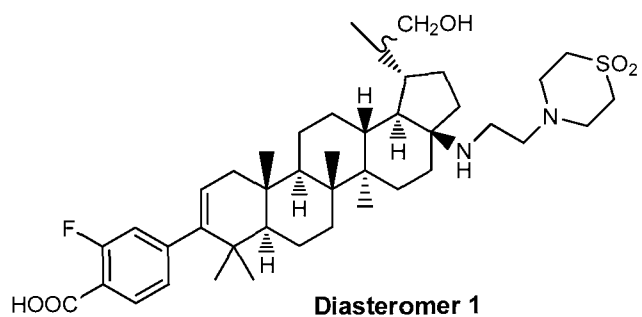
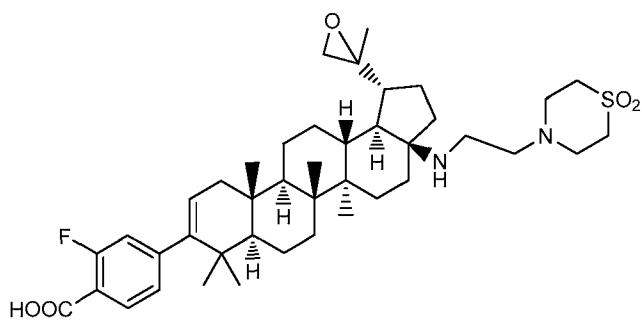
R_{33} is selected from the group of -H, -C₁₋₆ alkyl, -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl, and -C₁₋₆ substituted alkyl-Q₇,

wherein Q₇ is selected from the group of -COOR₂ and -COONR₂R₂.

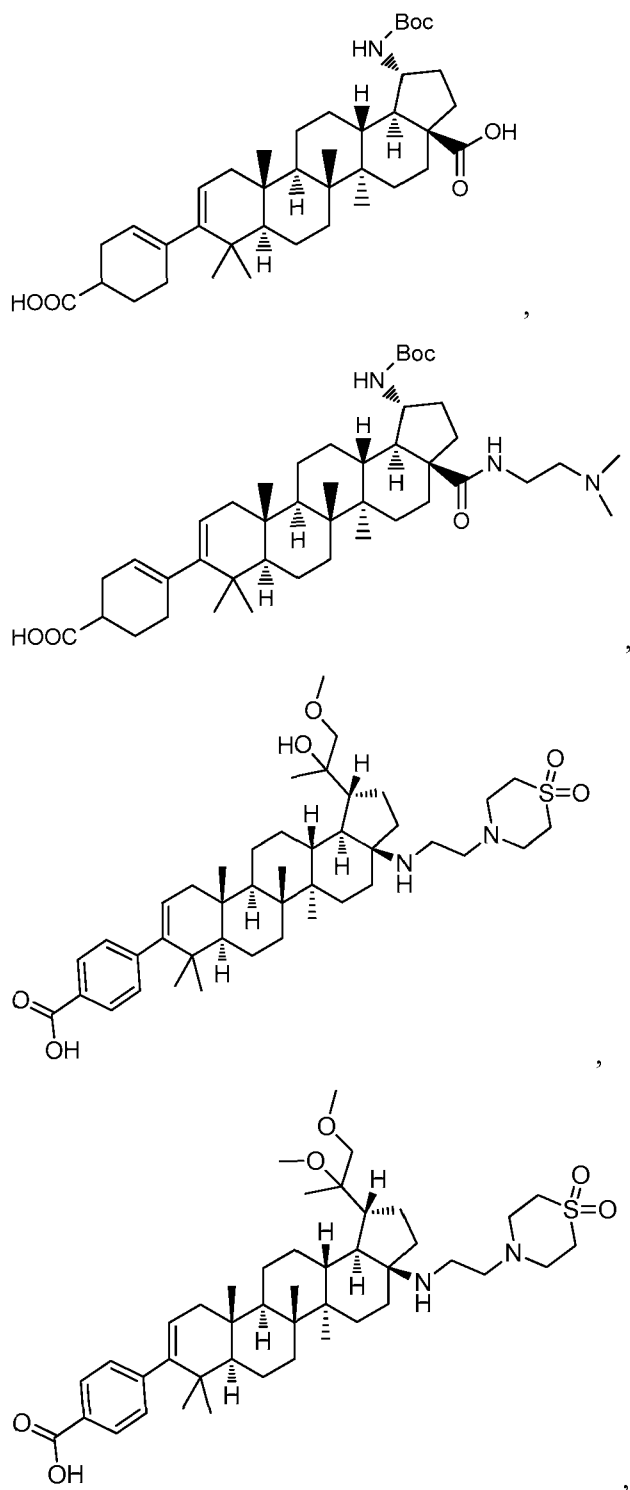
2. A compound of claim 1, wherein X is phenyl.
3. A compound of claim 2, wherein A is -H.
4. A compound of claim 1, wherein Y is -COOR₂.
5. A compound of claim 4, wherein Y is -COOH.
6. A compound, including pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof, which is selected from the group of:

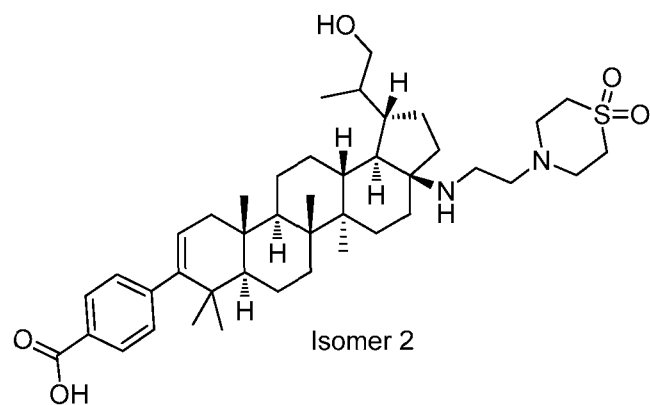
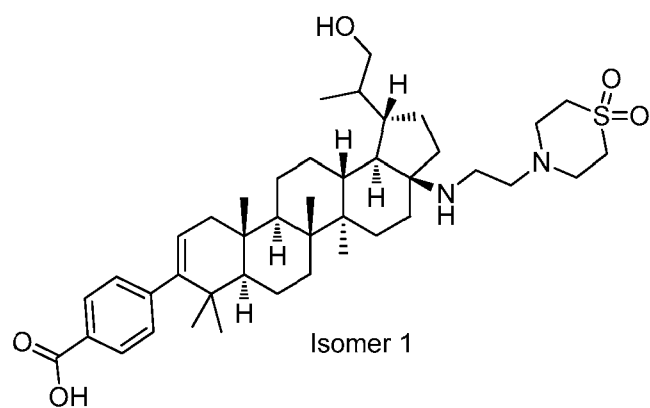
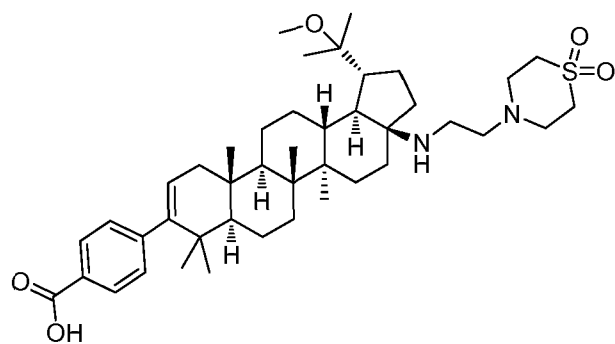
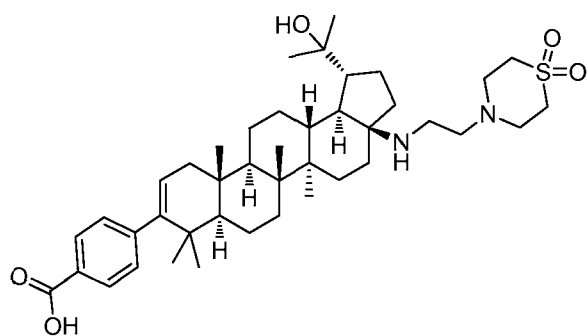


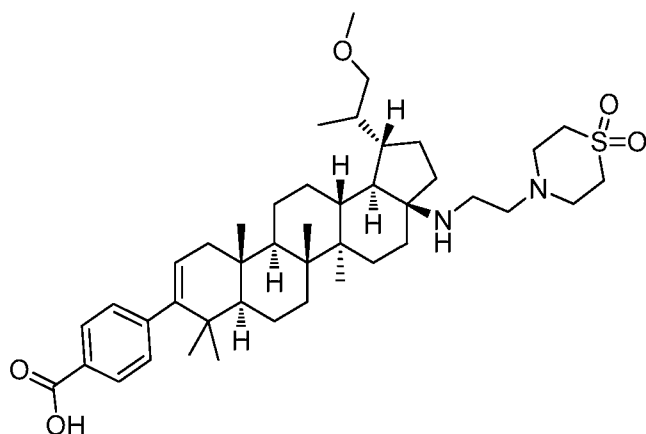




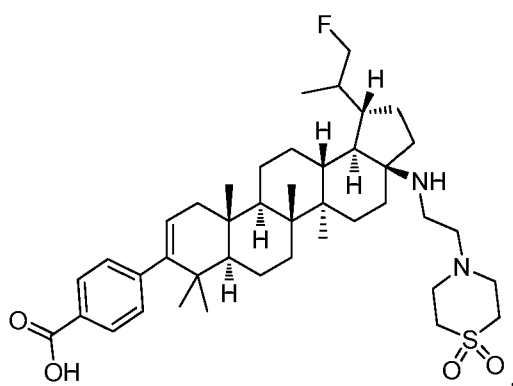
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and



7. A pharmaceutical composition which comprises an antiviral effective amount of one or more of the compounds as claimed in claim 1, together with one or more pharmaceutically acceptable carriers, excipients or diluents.
8. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 7, useful for treating infection by HIV, which additionally comprises an antiviral effective amount of an AIDS treatment agent selected from the group of: (a) an AIDS antiviral agent; (b) an anti-infective agent; (c) an immunomodulator; and (d) another HIV entry inhibitor.
9. A method for treating a mammal infected with the HIV virus comprising administering to said mammal an antiviral effective amount of a compound as claimed in claim 1, and one or more pharmaceutically acceptable carriers, excipients or diluents.

10. A pharmaceutical composition which comprises an antiviral effective amount of one or more of the compounds as claimed in claim 6, together with one or more pharmaceutically acceptable carriers, excipients or diluents.

11. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 10, useful for treating infection by HIV, which additionally comprises an antiviral effective amount of an AIDS treatment agent selected from the group of: (a) an AIDS antiviral agent; (b) an anti-infective agent; (c) an immunomodulator; and (d) another HIV entry inhibitor.

12. A method for treating a mammal infected with the HIV virus comprising administering to said mammal an antiviral effective amount of a compound as claimed in claim 10, and one or more pharmaceutically acceptable carriers, excipients or diluents.