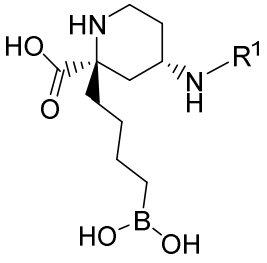
Claims:

1. A compound of formula (Ib), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof:



(Ib),

wherein

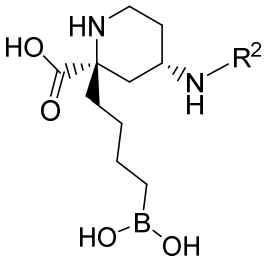
R^1 is -H or -C(O)CH(R^{1a})NHR^{1b}; and

R^{1a} is selected from -H, -(C_1-C_6) alkyl and CH_2OR^{1c};

R^{1b} is -H; or alternatively, R^{1a} and R^{1b}, together with the atom to which they are attached, form a 5-membered heterocyclic ring; and

R^{1c} is H or -CH_3.

2. A compound of formula (II), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof:



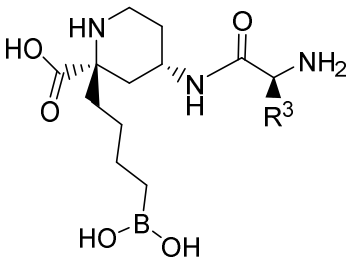
(II),

wherein

R^2 is -H or -C(O)CH(R^{2a})NH_2; and

R^{2a} is selected from -H or -(C_1-C_6) alkyl.

3. A compound of formula (III), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof:

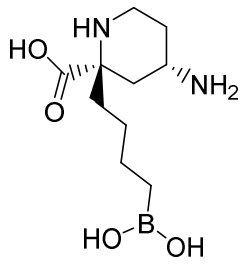


(III),

wherein

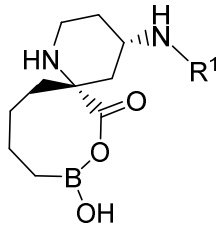
R^3 is selected from -H or -(C_1-C_4) alkyl.

4. A compound of formula (IVb), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof:



(IVb).

5. A compound of formula (Vc), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof:



(Vc),

wherein

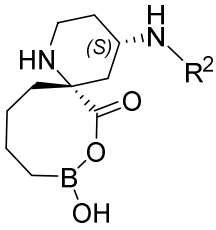
R^1 is -H or -C(O)CH(R^{1a})NHR^{1b}; and

R^{1a} is selected from -H, -(C_1-C_4) alkyl and CH_2OR^{1c};

R^{1b} is -H; or alternatively, R^{1a} and R^{1b}, together with the atom to which they are attached, form a 5-membered heterocyclic ring; and

R^{1c} is H or -CH_3.

6. A compound of formula (VI), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof:



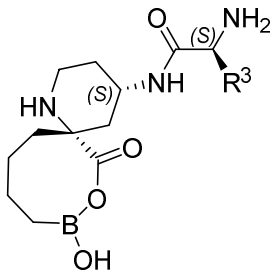
(VI),

wherein

R^2 is -H or -C(O)CH(R^{2a})NH_2; and

R^{2a} is selected from -H or -(C_1-C_6) alkyl.

7. A compound of formula (VII), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof:

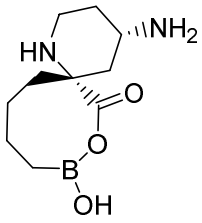


(VII)

wherein

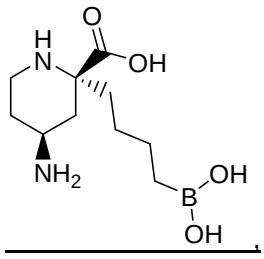
R^3 is selected from -H or -(C_1-C_4) alkyl.

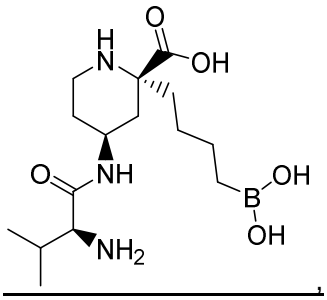
8. A compound of formula (VIIIb), or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof:

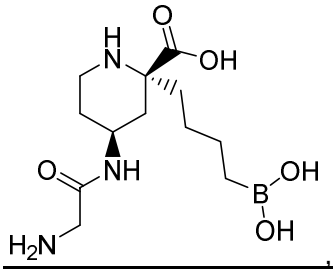


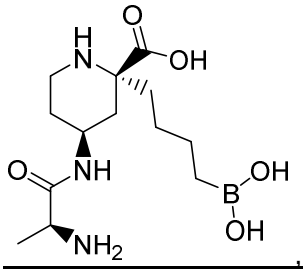
(VIIIb).

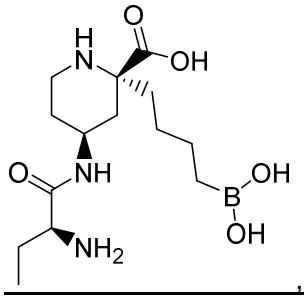
9. A compound ~~of Table 1~~selected from:











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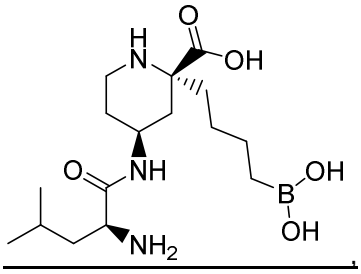

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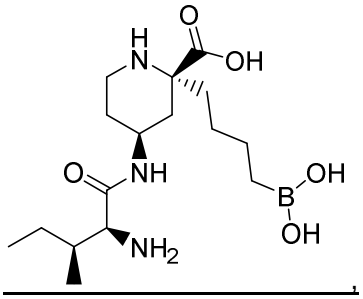

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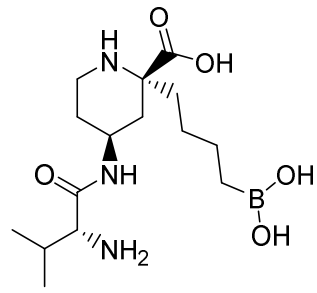

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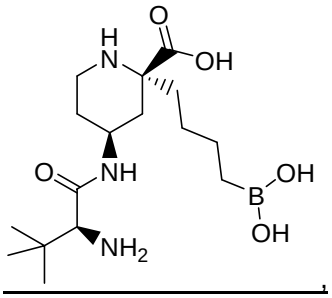

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~~,~~ or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

10. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of any one of Claims 1 to 9, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

11. Use of a compound of any one of Claims 1 to 9, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof in the manufacture of a medicament for treating cancer in a patient, wherein a therapeutically effective amount of the compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof is to be administered to the patient.

12. A compound of any one of Claims 1 to 9, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, for use in treating cancer.

13. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of any one of Claims 1 to 9, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, for use in treating cancer.

14. Use of a compound of any one of Claims 1 to 9, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof in the manufacture of a medicament for treating respiratory inflammatory disease in a patient, wherein the compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof is to be administered to the patient.

15. A compound of any one of Claims 1 to 9, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, for use in treating respiratory inflammatory disease.

16. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of any one of Claims 1 to 9, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, for use in treating respiratory inflammatory disease.

17. A compound of any one of Claims 1 to 9, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, for use in therapy.

18. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of any one of Claims 1 to 9, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, for use in therapy.