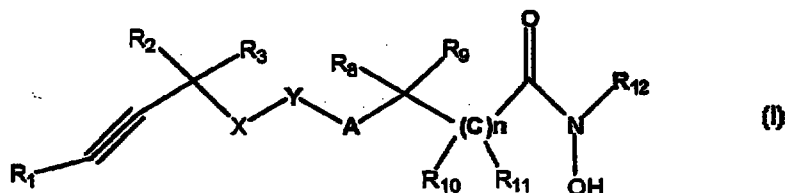




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(57) Abstract

The invention concerns compounds of formula (I) which are useful in treating disease conditions mediated by TNF- α , such as rheumatoid arthritis, osteoarthritis, sepsis, AIDS, ulcerative colitis, multiple sclerosis, Crohn's disease and degenerative cartilage loss.