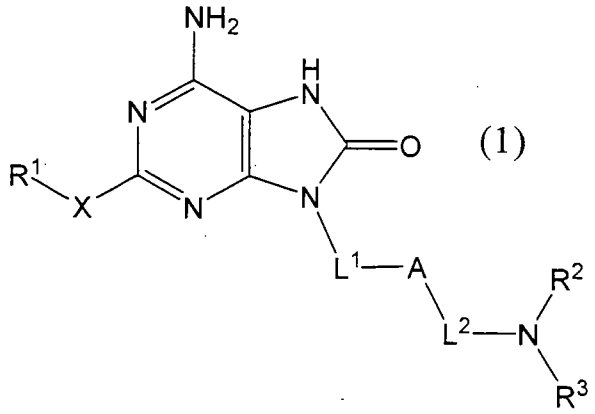
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## ABSTRACT

A novel adenine compound represented by the formula (1):



(1)

wherein A represents an (un)substituted aromatic carbocycle or (un)substituted aromatic heterocycle; $L^1$ and $L^2$ each independently represents straighted or branched alkylene, etc.; $R^1$ represents halogen, (un)substituted alkyl, (un)substituted alkenyl, (un)substituted alkynyl, (un)substituted cycloalkyl, (un)substituted aryl, or (un)substituted heteroaryl; $R^2$ and $R^3$ each independently represents hydrogen, or (un)substituted alkyl, (un)substituted alkenyl, (un)substituted alkynyl, (un)substituted cycloalkyl, (un)substituted saturated heterocycle, (un)substituted aryl, or (un)substituted heteroaryl, or $R^2$ combines together with $L^2$ or $R^3$ to form (un)substituted 4- to 8-membered nitrogen-containing saturated heterocycle; X is oxygen, sulfur, SO, $SO_2$, $NR^7$, $NR^7CO$ wherein $R^7$ is hydrogen or alkyl, or a single bond; provided that X is a single bond when $R^1$ is halogen, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof. The compound and salt are useful as a medicine.

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