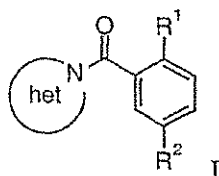


HETEROCYCLYL SUBSTITUTED PHENYL METHANONES AS INHIBITORS OF THE GLYCINE TRANSPORTER 1

The present invention relates to compounds of general formula I



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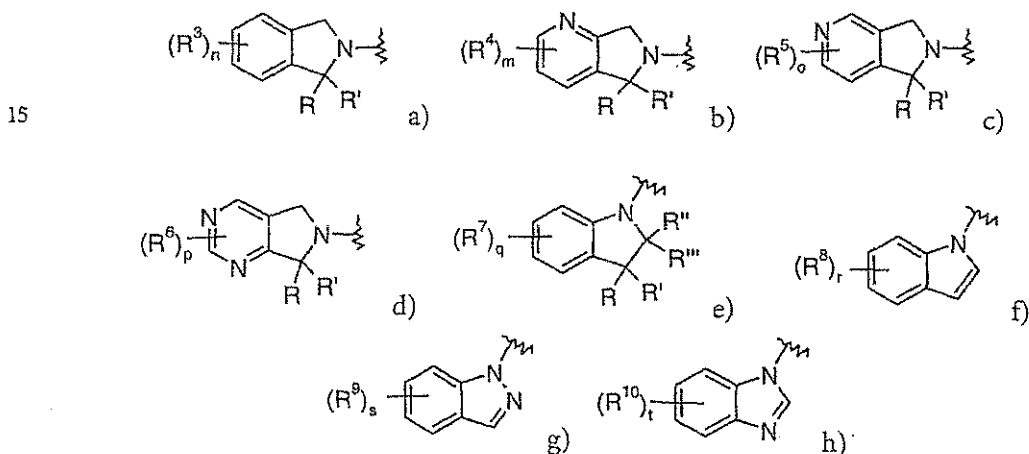
- 5 R^1 is halogen, $-OR^{1'}$, $-SR^{1''}$, cycloalkyl, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl, aryl or 5- or 6- membered heteroaryl, containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen;

$R^{1'}/R^{1''}$ are hydrogen, lower alkyl, lower alkyl substituted by halogen, $-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl or $-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl;

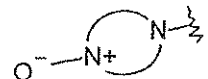
- 10 R^2 is $-S(O)_2$ -lower alkyl, $-S(O)_2NH$ -lower alkyl, NO_2 or CN ;



is an aromatic or partially aromatic bicyclic amine, which may contain one or two additional N-atoms, selected from the group consisting of



and wherein one of the additional N-ring atom of the aromatic or partially aromatic

bicyclic amine may be available in form of its oxide  ;

R^3 to R^{10} are hydrogen, hydroxy, halogen, =O, lower alkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, lower alkoxy, CN, NO₂, NH₂, aryl, 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen, -NH-lower alkyl, -N(lower alkyl)₂, cyclic amide, -C(O)-cyclic amide, S-lower alkyl, -S(O)₂-lower alkyl, lower alkyl substituted by halogen, lower alkoxy substituted by halogen, lower alkyl substituted by hydroxy, -O-(CH₂)_y-lower alkoxy, -O(CH₂)_yC(O)N(lower alkyl)₂, -C(O)-lower alkyl, -O-(CH₂)_x-aryl, -O-(CH₂)_x-cycloalkyl, -O-(CH₂)_x-heterocycloalkyl, -C(O)O-lower alkyl, -C(O)-NH-lower alkyl, -C(O)-N(lower alkyl)₂, 2-oxy-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl or 3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl;

R' and R'' in group e) may form together with -(CH₂)₄- a six membered ring; or R , R' , R'' and R''' are independently from each other hydrogen or lower alkyl;

and wherein all aryl-, cycloalkyl-, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl- or 5 or 6 membered heteroaryl groups as defined for R^1 , $R^{1'}$, $R^{1''}$ and R^3 to R^{10} may be unsubstituted or substituted by one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, =O, halogen, lower alkyl, phenyl, lower alkyl substituted by halogen or lower alkoxy;

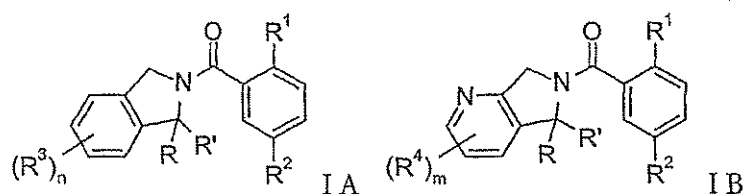
n , m , o , p , q , r , s and t are 1 or 2;

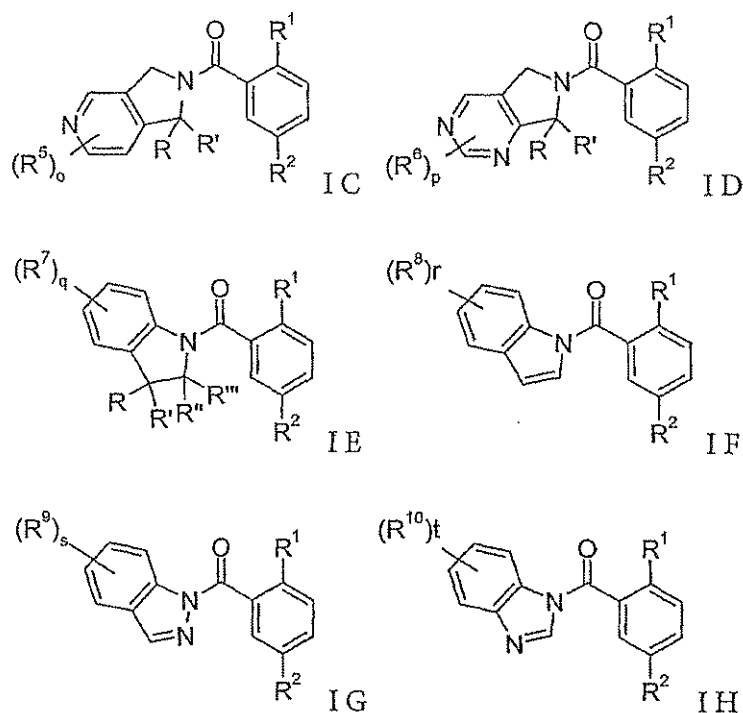
x is 0, 1 or 2;

y is 1 or 2;

and to pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.

Compounds encompassed by the present invention are those of the following structure:





wherein the definitions are described above.

- 5 The present invention relates also to processes for preparation of those compounds, to pharmaceutical compositions containing them and to their use in the treatment of neurological and neuropsychiatric disorders.

It has surprisingly been found that the compounds of general formula I are good inhibitors of the glycine transporter 1 (GlyT-1), and that they have a good selectivity to
 10 glycine transporter 2 (GlyT-2) inhibitors.

Schizophrenia is a progressive and devastating neurological disease characterized by episodic positive symptoms such as delusions, hallucinations, thought disorders and psychosis and persistent negative symptoms such as flattened affect, impaired attention and social withdrawal, and cognitive impairments (Lewis DA and Lieberman JA, *Neuron*,
 15 2000, 28:325-33). For decades research has focused on the "dopaminergic hyperactivity" hypothesis which has led to therapeutic interventions involving blockade of the dopaminergic system (Vandenberg RJ and Aubrey KR., *Exp. Opin. Ther. Targets*, 2001, 5(4): 507-518; Nakazato A and Okuyama S, et al., 2000, *Exp. Opin. Ther. Patents*, 10(1): 75-98). This pharmacological approach poorly address negative and cognitive symptoms
 20 which are the best predictors of functional outcome (Sharma T., *Br.J. Psychiatry*, 1999, 174(suppl. 28): 44-51).

A complementary model of schizophrenia was proposed in the mid-1960' based upon the psychotomimetic action caused by the blockade of the glutamate system by compounds like phencyclidine (PCP) and related agents (ketamine) which are non-competitive NMDA receptor antagonists. Interestingly in healthy volunteers, PCP-
5 induced psychotomimetic action incorporates positive and negative symptoms as well as cognitive dysfunction, thus closely resembling schizophrenia in patients (Javitt DC et al., 1999, *Biol. Psychiatry*, 45: 668-679 and refs. herein). Furthermore transgenic mice expressing reduced levels of the NMDAR1 subunit displays behavioral abnormalities similar to those observed in pharmacologically induced models of schizophrenia,
10 supporting a model in which reduced NMDA receptor activity results in schizophrenia-like behavior (Mohn AR et al., 1999, *Cell*, 98: 427-236).

Glutamate neurotransmission, in particular NMDA receptor activity, plays a critical role in synaptic plasticity, learning and memory, such as the NMDA receptors appears to serve as a graded switch for gating the threshold of synaptic plasticity and
15 memory formation (Hebb DO, 1949, *The organization of behavior*, Wiley, NY; Bliss TV and Collingridge GL, 1993, *Nature*, 361: 31-39). Transgenic mice overexpressing the NMDA NR2B subunit exhibit enhanced synaptic plasticity and superior ability in learning and memory (Tang JP et al., 1999, *Nature*: 401- 63-69).

Thus, if a glutamate deficit is implicated in the pathophysiology of
20 schizophrenia, enhancing glutamate transmission, in particular via NMDA receptor activation, would be predicted to produce both anti-psychotic and cognitive enhancing effects.

The amino acid glycine is known to have at least two important functions in the CNS. It acts as an inhibitory amino acid, binding to strychnine sensitive glycine receptors,
25 and it also influences excitatory activity, acting as an essential co-agonist with glutamate for N-methyl-D-aspartate (NMDA) receptor function. While glutamate is released in an activity-dependent manner from synaptic terminals, glycine is apparently present at a more constant level and seems to modulate/control the receptor for its response to glutamate.

30 One of the most effective ways to control synaptic concentrations of neurotransmitter is to influence their re-uptake at the synapses. Neurotransmitter transporters by removing neurotransmitters from the extracellular space, can control their extracellular lifetime and thereby modulate the magnitude of the synaptic transmission (Gainetdinov RR et al, 2002, *Trends in Pharm. Sci.*, 23(8): 367-373).

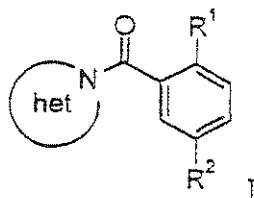
Glycine transporters, which form part of the sodium and chloride family of neurotransmitter transporters, play an important role in the termination of post-synaptic glycinergic actions and maintenance of low extracellular glycine concentration by re-uptake of glycine into presynaptic nerve terminals and surrounding fine glial processes.

- 5 Two distinct glycine transporter genes have been cloned (GlyT-1 and GlyT-2) from mammalian brain, which give rise to two transporters with ~50 % amino acid sequence homology. GlyT-1 presents four isoforms arising from alternative splicing and alternative promoter usage (1a, 1b, 1c and 1d). Only two of these isoforms have been found in rodent brain (GlyT-1a and GlyT-1b). GlyT-2 also presents some degree of heterogeneity.
- 10 Two GlyT-2 isoforms (2a and 2b) have been identified in rodent brains. GlyT-1 is known to be located in CNS and in peripheral tissues, whereas GlyT-2 is specific to the CNS. GlyT-1 has a predominantly glial distribution and is found not only in areas corresponding to strychnine sensitive glycine receptors but also outside these areas, where it has been postulated to be involved in modulation of NMDA receptor function (Lopez-C6rcu6ra B et al., 2001, *Mol. Mem. Biol.*, 18: 13-20). Thus, one strategy to enhance
- 15 NMDA receptor activity is to elevate the glycine concentration in the local microenvironment of synaptic NMDA receptors by inhibition of GlyT-1 transporter (Bergereon R. Et al., 1998, *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA*, 95: 15730-15734; Chen L et al., 2003, *J. Neurophysiol.*, 89 (2): 691-703).
- 20 Glycine transporter inhibitors are suitable for the treatment of neurological and neuropsychiatric disorders. The majority of diseases states implicated are psychoses, schizophrenia (Armer RE and Miller DJ, 2001, *Exp. Opin. Ther. Patents*, 11 (4): 563-572), psychotic mood disorders such as severe major depressive disorder, mood disorders associated with psychotic disorders such as acute mania or depression associated with
- 25 bipolar disorders and mood disorders associated with schizophrenia, (Pralong ET et al., 2002, *Prog. Neurobiol.*, 67: 173-202), autistic disorders (Carlsson ML, 1998, *J. Neural Transm.* 105: 525-535), cognitive disorders such as dementias, including age related dementia and senile dementia of the Alzheimer type, memory disorders in a mammal, including a human, attention deficit disorders and pain (Armer RE and Miller DJ, 2001,
- 30 *Exp. Opin. Ther. Patents*, 11 (4): 563-572).

Thus, increasing activation of NMDA receptors via GlyT-1 inhibition may lead to agents that treat psychosis, schizophrenia, dementia and other diseases in which cognitive processes are impaired, such as attention deficit disorders or Alzheimer's disease.

Objects of the present invention are the compounds of general formula I per se, the use of compounds of formula I and their pharmaceutically acceptable salts for the manufacture of medicaments for the treatment of diseases related to activation of NMDA receptors via Glyt-1 inhibition, their manufacture, medicaments based on a compound in accordance with the invention and their production as well as the use of compounds of formula I in the control or prevention of illnesses such as psychoses, disfunction in memory and learning, schizophrenia, dementia and other diseases in which cognitive processes are impaired, such as attention deficit disorders or Alzheimer's disease.

According to a first aspect, there is provided compounds of general formula



wherein

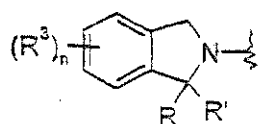
R^1 is halogen, $-OR^{1'}$, $-SR^{1''}$, cycloalkyl, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl, aryl or 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl, containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen;

$R^{1'}/R^{1''}$ are hydrogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, $-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl or $-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl;

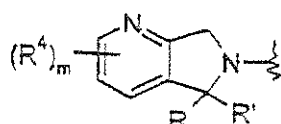
R^2 is $-S(O)_2$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2NH$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, NO_2 or CN ;



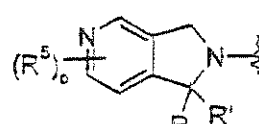
is an aromatic or partially aromatic bicyclic amine, which may contain one or two additional N-atom, selected from the group consisting of



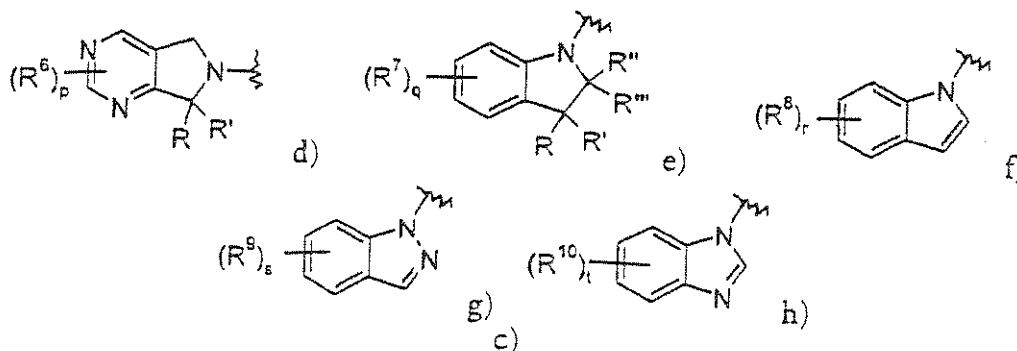
a)



b)



c)



and wherein one additional N-ring atom of the aromatic or partially aromatic bicyclic amine

may be available in form of its oxide $\text{O}^- - \text{N}^+ \text{---} \text{N} \text{---} \text{Z}$;

R^3 to R^{10} are hydrogen, hydroxy, halogen, $=\text{O}$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, C_{1-6} -alkoxy, CN , NO_2 , NH_2 , aryl, 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen, $-\text{NH}-\text{C}_{1-6}$ -alkyl, $-\text{N}(\text{C}_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, cyclic amide, $-\text{C}(\text{O})$ -cyclic amide, $\text{S}-\text{C}_{1-6}$ -alkyl, $-\text{S}(\text{O})_2-\text{C}_{1-6}$ -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkoxy substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by hydroxy, $-\text{O}-(\text{CH}_2)_y-\text{C}_{1-6}$ -alkoxy, $-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_y\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{C}_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})-\text{C}_{1-6}$ -alkyl, $-\text{O}-(\text{CH}_2)_x\text{-aryl}$, $-\text{O}-(\text{CH}_2)_x\text{-cycloalkyl}$, $-\text{O}-(\text{CH}_2)_x\text{-heterocycloalkyl}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{O}-\text{C}_{1-6}$ -alkyl, $-\text{C}(\text{O})-\text{NH}-\text{C}_{1-6}$ -alkyl, $-\text{C}(\text{O})-\text{N}(\text{C}_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, 2-oxy-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl or 3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl;

R' and R''' in group e) may form together with $-(\text{CH}_2)_4-$ a six membered ring; or R , R' , R'' and R''' are independently from each other hydrogen or C_{1-6} -alkyl;

and wherein all aryl-, cycloalkyl-, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl- or 5 or 6 membered heteroaryl groups as defined for R^1 , $\text{R}^{1'}$, $\text{R}^{1''}$ and R^3 to R^{10} may be unsubstituted or substituted by one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, $=\text{O}$, halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, phenyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen or C_{1-6} -alkoxy;

n , m , o , p , q , r , s and t are 1 or 2;

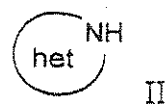
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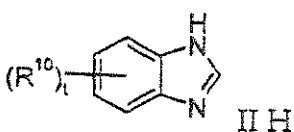
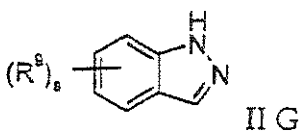
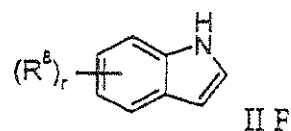
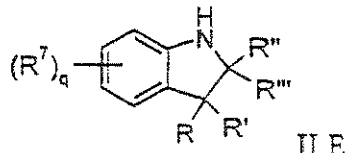
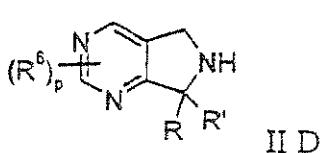
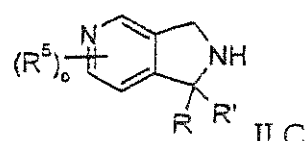
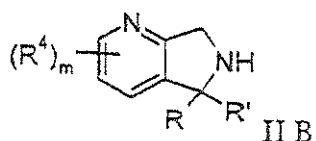
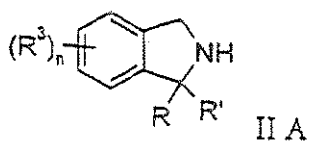
and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof, with the exception of (2-hydroxy-5-nitro-phenyl)-(6-nitro-indazol-1-yl)-methanone.

According to a second aspect, there is provided a process for preparing a compound of formula 1 as defined above, which process comprises

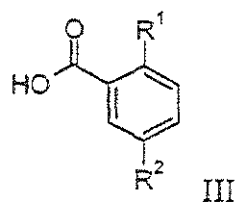
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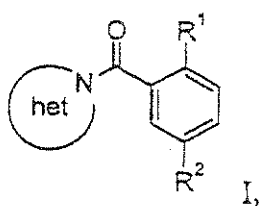


with a compound of formula

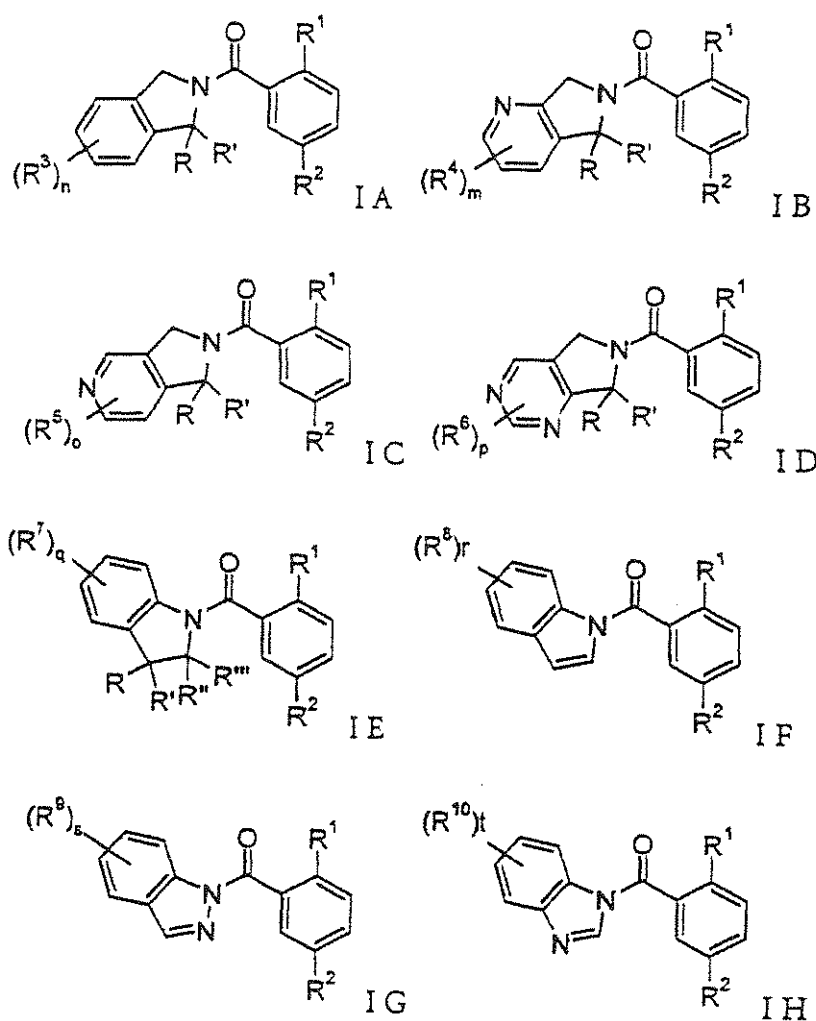


in the presence of an activating agent, such as TBTU,

to a compound of formula



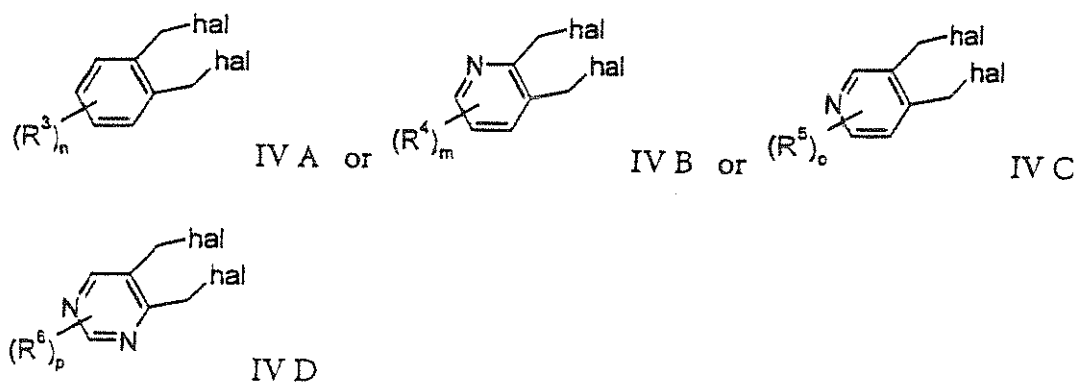
which include the following structures



wherein the definitions are given as defined above,

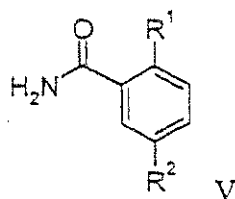
or

b) reacting a compound of formula



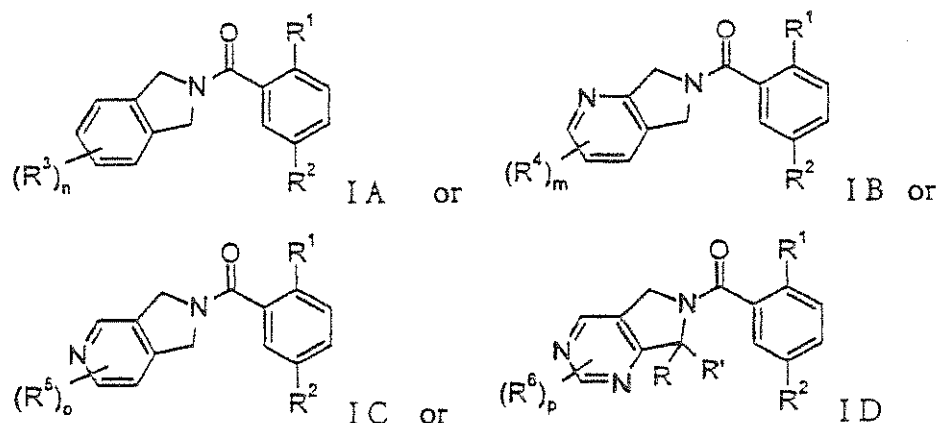
wherein hal is an halogen group such as Br or Cl

with a compound of formula



in the presence of a base, such as sodium hydride,

to compound of formulas



wherein the substituents are as defined in claim 1, and,

if desired, converting the compounds obtained into pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts.

According to a third aspect, there is provided a medicament containing one or more compounds as defined above and pharmaceutically suitable excipients.

According to a fourth aspect, there is provided the use of a compound as defined above for the manufacture of medicaments for the treatment of psychoses, pain, neurodegenerative dysfunction in memory and learning, schizophrenia, dementia and other diseases in which cognitive processes are impaired, such as attention deficit disorders or Alzheimer's disease.

The preferred indications using the compounds disclosed herein are schizophrenia, cognitive impairment and Alzheimer's disease.

Furthermore, the disclosure includes all racemic mixtures, all their corresponding enantiomers and/or optical isomers.

As used herein, the term "lower alkyl" denotes a saturated straight- or branched-chain group containing from 1 to 6 carbon atoms, for example, methyl, ethyl, propyl, isopropyl, n-butyl, i-butyl, 2-butyl, t-butyl and the like. Preferred alkyl groups are groups with 1 - 4 carbon atoms.

As used herein, the term "cycloalkyl" denotes a saturated carbon ring, containing from 3 to 6 carbon atoms.

As used herein, the term "heterocycloalkyl" denotes a saturated carbon ring, containing from 3 to 6 carbon atoms as defined above, and wherein at least one of the carbon atoms is replaced by a heteroatom, selected from the group consisting of N, O or S. Examples of such groups are tetrahydropyran-2, 3 or 4-yl, tetrahydrofuran-2 or 3-yl, oxetan-3-yl, [1,4]dioxin-2-yl and the like.

The term "alkyl, substituted by halogen" denotes for example the following groups: CF_3 , CHF_2 , CH_2F , CH_2CF_3 , CH_2CHF_2 , $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{F}$, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CF}_3$, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CF}_3$, $\text{CH}(\text{CF}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$, $\text{C}[(\text{CH}_3)_2]-\text{CF}_3$, $\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}$, $\text{CH}_2\text{CF}_2\text{CF}_3$, $\text{CH}_2\text{CF}_2\text{CHF}_2$, $\text{CF}_2\text{CHF}\text{CF}_3$, $\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CF}_3$, $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CF}_3$ or $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_2\text{F})\text{CH}_2\text{F}$. Preferred are CH_2CF_3 , CF_3 or $\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CF}_3$.

The term "lower alkoxy" denotes a saturated straight- or branched-chain group containing from 1 to 6 carbon atoms as described above and which groups are connected via an oxygen atom.

The term "aryl" denotes a one or two membered aromatic carbon ring, for example phenyl, benzyl or naphthyl.

The term "cyclic amide" denotes a heterocycloalkyl group as defined above and wherein the N-atom is linked to the aromatic or partially aromatic bicyclic group or to the phenyl ring as defined in claim 1, for example piperidine, piperazine, morpholine, thiomorpholine, di-oxo-thiomorpholine, pyrrolidine, pyrazoline, imidazolidine, azetidine, and the like. Such groups can be substituted by one or more substituents, selected from the group consisting of halogen, hydroxy, phenyl, lower alkyl, lower alkoxy or =O.

The term "5 or 6-membered heteroaryl" denotes for example furanyl, thienyl, pyrrolyl, imidazolyl, pyrazolyl, triazolyl, thiazolyl, isothiazolyl, isoxazolyl, pyridinyl, pyrazinyl, pyrimidinyl or the like.

The term "pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts" embraces salts with inorganic and organic acids, such as hydrochloric acid, nitric acid, sulfuric acid, phosphoric acid, citric acid, formic acid, fumaric acid, maleic acid, acetic acid, succinic acid, tartaric acid, methane-sulfonic acid, p-toluenesulfonic acid and the like.

Most preferred compounds of formula I are those of formula I A.
Especially preferred compounds of formula I A are those, wherein R¹ is OR^{1'} and R^{1'} is as described above.

The following specific compounds relate to this group:

(5,6-dichloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,

rac-(5,6-dichloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,

[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,

(5,6-dichloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,

[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,

(5-chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,

(5-chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-

- trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
(5-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
(2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-
5 methanone,
4-isopropoxy-N-methyl-3-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carbonyl)-benzenesulfonamide,
(5-chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
10 (5-chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
(5-chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(5-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-
15 methanone,
[[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-methyl-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
[[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-methoxy-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
20 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-trifluoromethoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(4-methylthiazol-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(2-methylpyridin-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
25 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(5-methylthiophen-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-thiazol-2-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
30 (5-ethylsulfanyl-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
(5-chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone
(5-chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-
35 phenyl)-methanone,
(5-fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,

- (5-ethoxy-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
(5-chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
5 (5-chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
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10 (2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
(2-cyclopropylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
15 (2-cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
[2-(2,2-dimethyl-propoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
[5-(3,3-difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
20 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
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25 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-methyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
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30 ((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
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[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-pyridin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
35 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-pyridin-3-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-phenyl-1,3-

- dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
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5 dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
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10 [5-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
[5-(3-fluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
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15 [5-(3,5-difluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
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35 isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
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- rac-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 ((1S,4S)-5-chloro-6-(2-oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
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 10 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(3,3,3-trifluoro-propoxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 (5-fluoro-6-morpholin-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 15 (5-fluoro-6-morpholin-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 (2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 20 [5-chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
 25 [5-fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
 [5-fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone or
 30 [5-chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone.

Preferred compounds of formula I A are further those, wherein R¹ is unsubstituted or substituted phenyl, for example the following compounds:

- 35 (5-chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-methanone,

- (5-chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(3'-fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-methanone,
 (5-chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(4'-fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-methanone or
 5 (4'-fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone.

The following compounds of formula I B are preferred:

- (2-cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 10 (2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 (4'-fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-
 15 pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 (3',4'-difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 20 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3-tetrafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(2-methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 [3-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-
 25 ((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone or
 [2-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone

30 Preferred compounds of formula IC are the followings:

- (2-cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone,
 (4'-fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone,
 35 (3',4'-difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-

pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-
 dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3-tetrafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-
 5 dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone,
 [6-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-
 ((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone or
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(6-morpholin-4-yl-
 1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone.

10 Specific compounds of formula I D are the followings:

[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(2-trifluoromethyl-
 5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone,
 (2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(2-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-
 d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone,
 15 (4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(2-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-
 d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone,
 (2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(2-methyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-
 d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone or
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(2-methyl-5,7-
 20 dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone.

Preferred compounds of formula I E are

1-(4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carbonyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole-4-carbonitrile,
 1-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoyl]-2,3-dihydro-
 1H-indole-4-carboxylic acid methyl ester,
 25 1-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole-4-carboxylic acid
 methyl ester or
 (4-bromo-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-
 ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone.

Specific compounds of formula I F are the followings:

30 (5-bromo-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-
 phenyl]-methanone,
 1-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoyl]-1H-indole-6-
 carbonitrile,
 (6-chloro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-
 35 phenyl]-methanone or

(4-bromo-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone.

Specific compounds of formula I G are the followings:

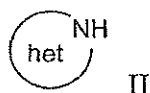
- 5 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-nitro-indazol-1-yl]-methanone,
 (5-chloro-indazol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone or
 (5,7-Dichloro-indazol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone.
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A specific compound of formula I H is the following:

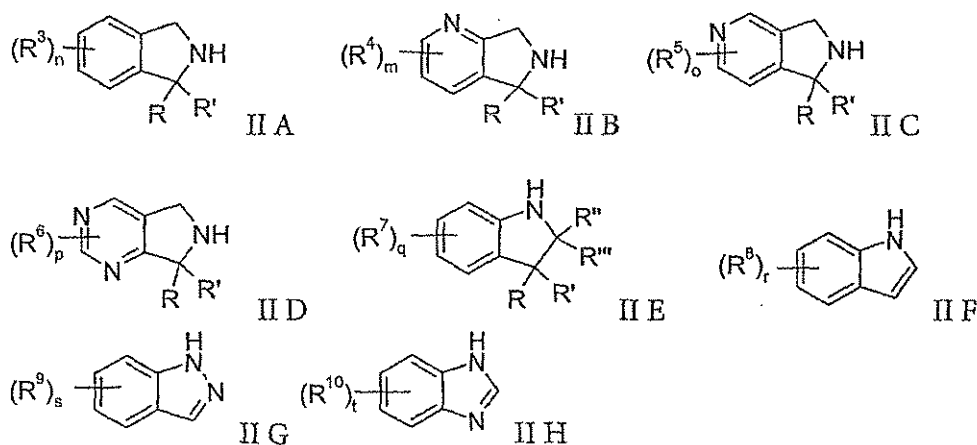
(5,6-dimethyl-benzoimidazol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone.

- 15 The present compounds of formula I and their pharmaceutically acceptable salts can be prepared by methods known in the art, for example, by a process described below, which process consists in

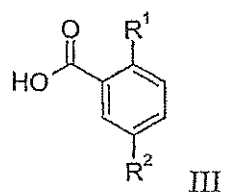
a) reacting a compound of formula



- 20 selected from the group consisting of

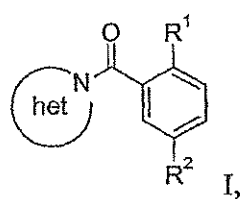


with a compound of formula



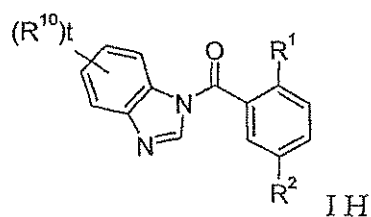
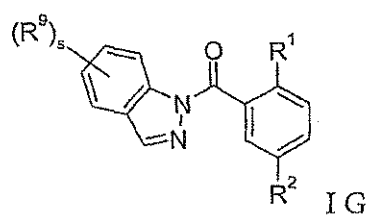
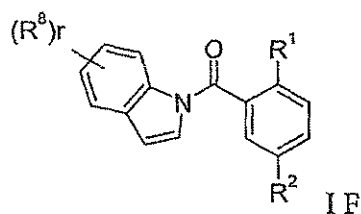
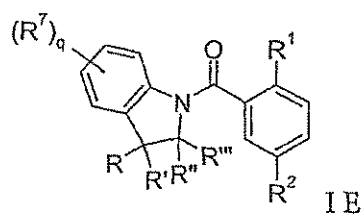
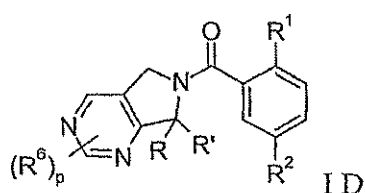
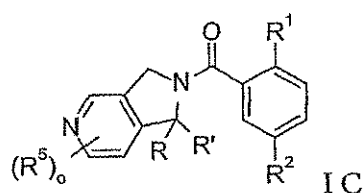
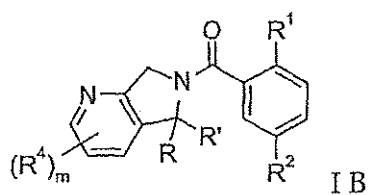
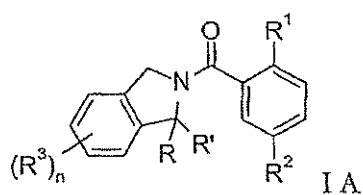
in the presence of an activating agent, such as TBTU,

to a compound of formula



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which include the following structures



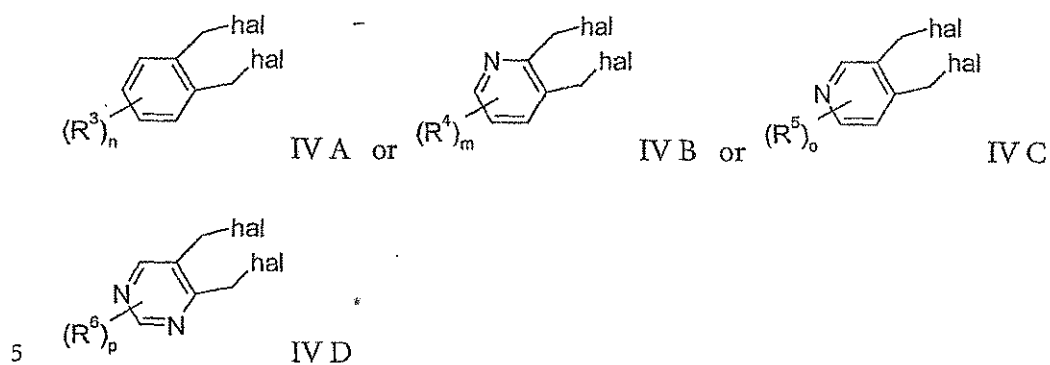
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wherein the definitions are given above,

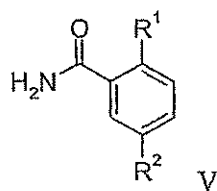
or

b) reacting a compound of formula



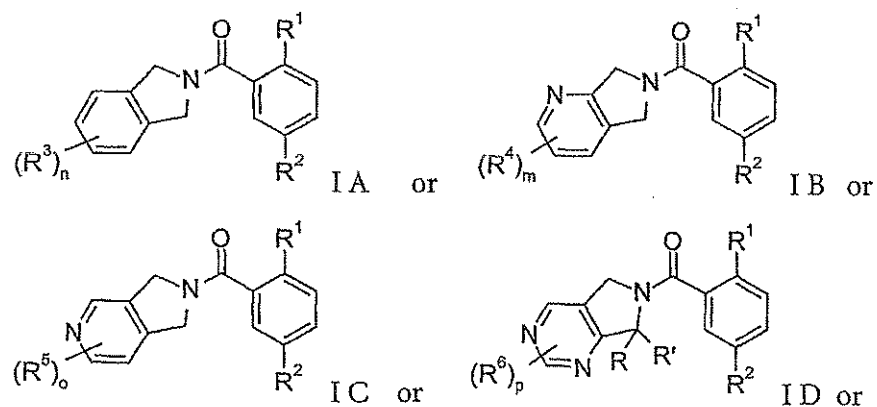
wherein hal is an halogen group such as Br or Cl

with a compound of formula



10 in the presence of a base, such as sodium hydride,

to compound of formulas



wherein the substituents are as defined above, and,

if desired, converting the compounds obtained into pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts.

The compounds of formula I may be prepared in accordance with the process variant as described above and with the following schemes 1 - 2. The starting materials
5 are either commercially available, are otherwise known in the chemical literature, or may be prepared in accordance with methods well known in the art.

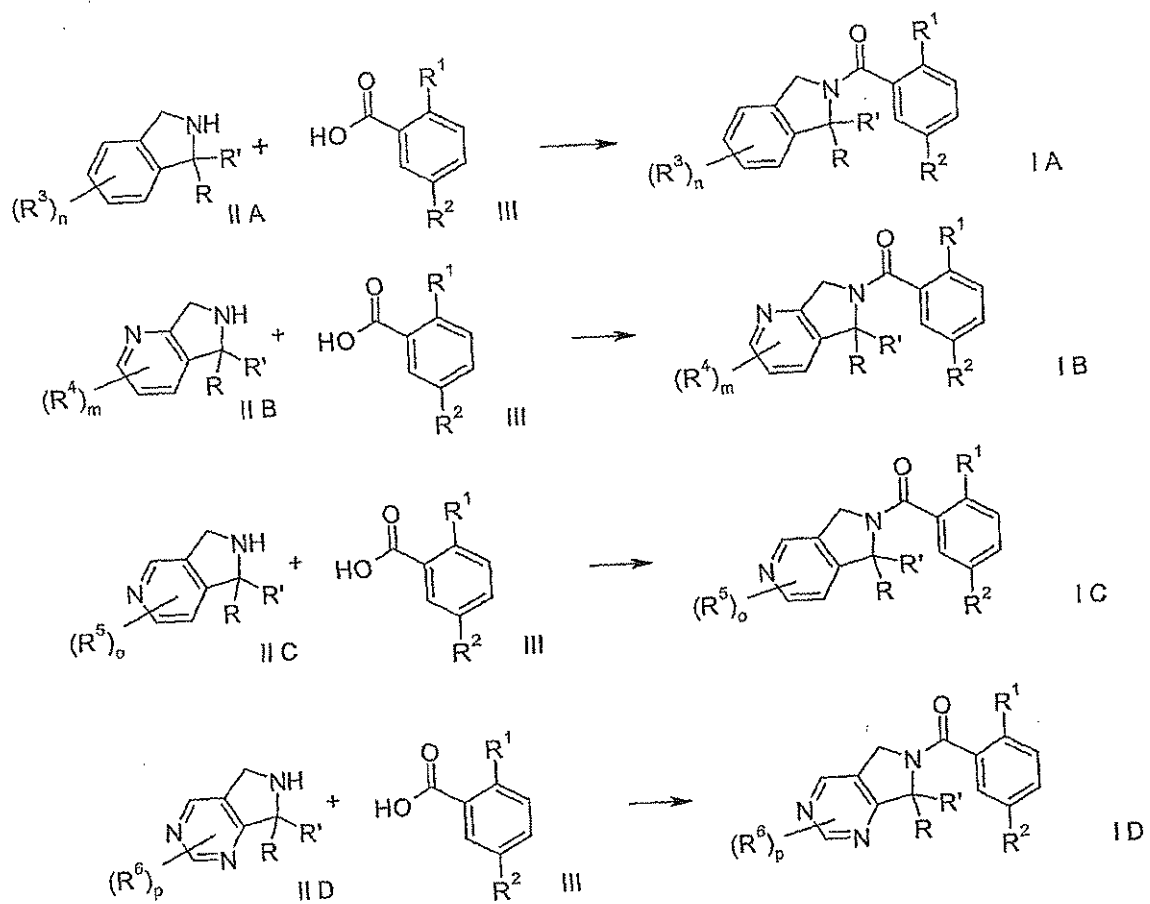
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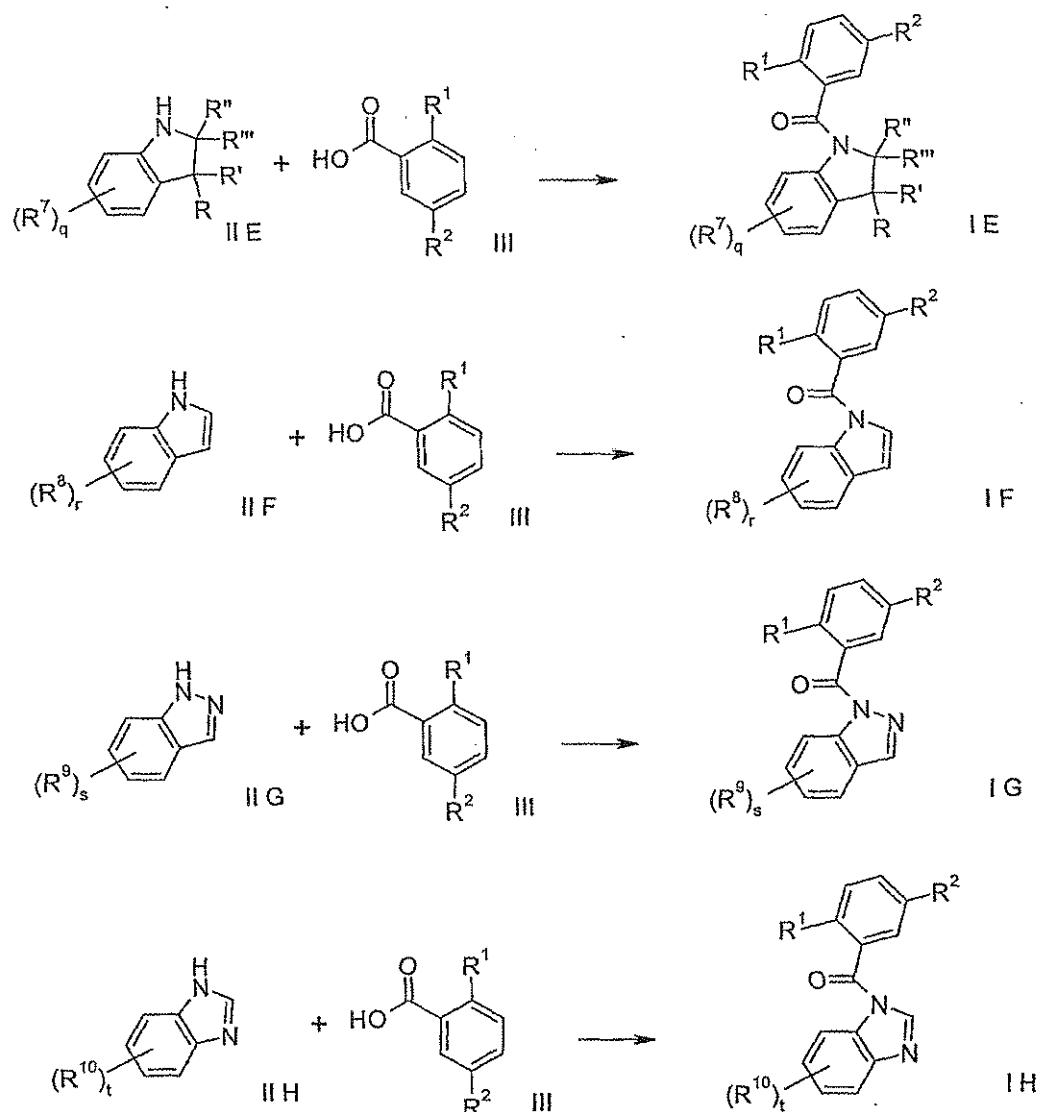
TBTU = (2-(1H-benzotriazole-1-yl)-1,1,3,3-tetramethyluroniumtetrafluoroborate)

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Scheme 1

Preparation of compounds of formulas I A, I B, I C, I D, I E, I F, I G and I H:



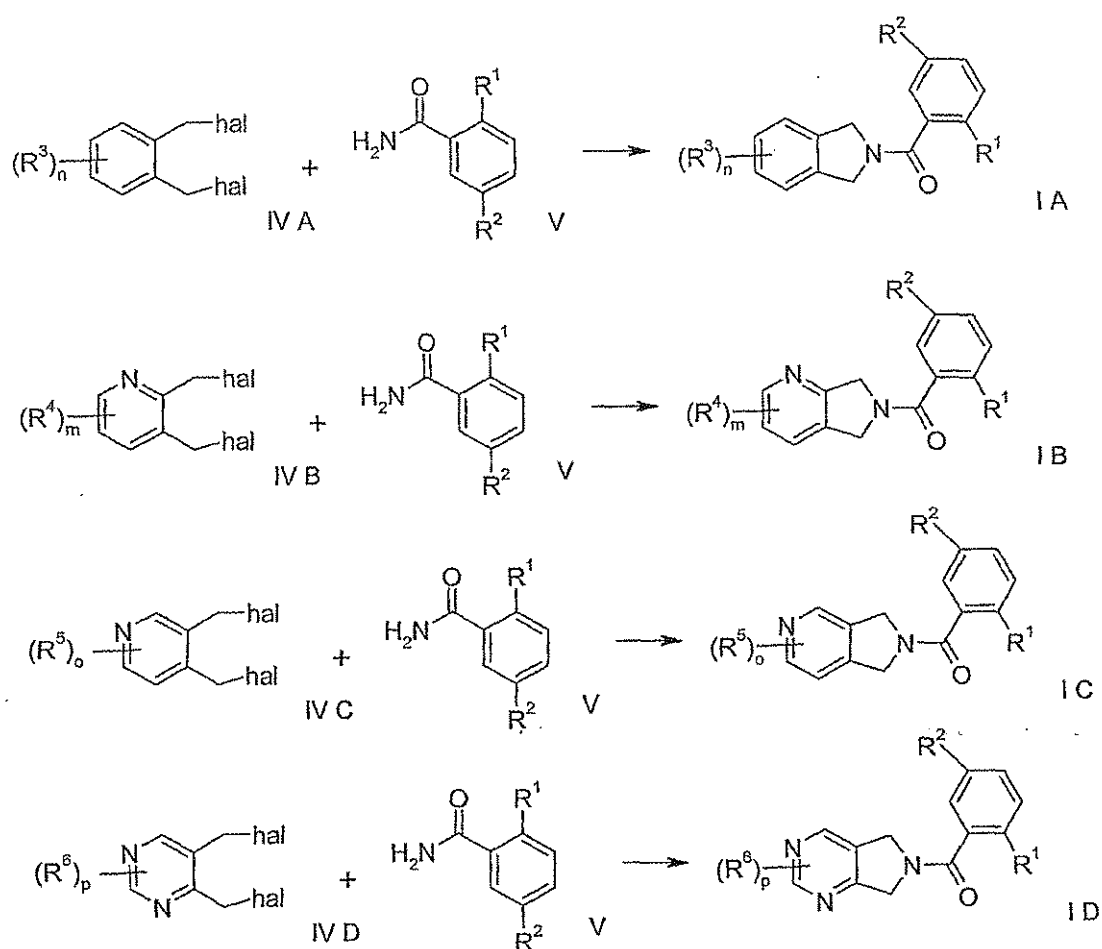


wherein substituents are as defined above

A compound of formula II (II A, II B, II C, II D, II E, II F, II G and II H) is treated with a compound of formula III in the presence of TBTU and a base, such as N-ethyl-diisopropylamine to obtain a compound of formula I (I A, I B, I C, I D, I E, I F, I G and I H).

Scheme 2

Preparation of compounds of formulas I A, I B, I C and I D for R and R' in general formula I being hydrogen:

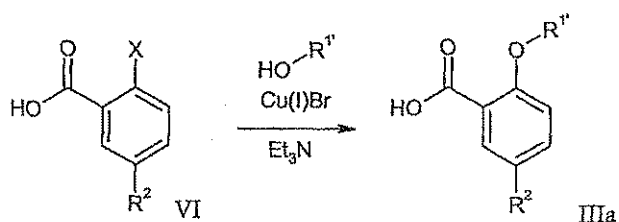


wherein the substituents are as defined above

A compound of formula IV (A, B, C and D) is treated with a compound of formula V in the presence of sodium hydride to obtain a compound of formula I (A, B, C and D).

- 5 The acids of formula III can be prepared by various routes as shown in Schemes 3-7.

Scheme 3

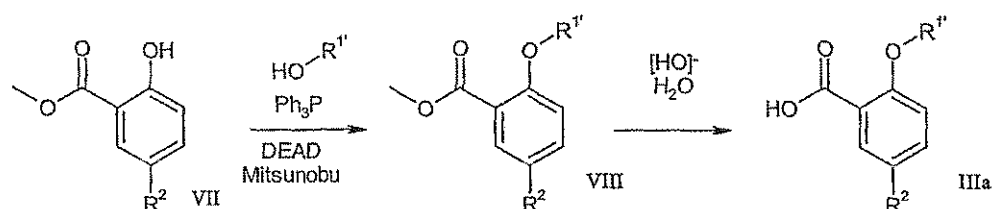


where X = halogen

For example, compounds of formula IIIa where $R^{1'}$ is lower alkyl, lower alkyl, substituted by halogen or $-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl, can be prepared by reaction of a halogen compound of formula VI with an alcohol of formula $R^{1'}OH$, optionally in the presence of a copper salt like $Cu(I)Br$ and a base, such as triethylamine (Scheme 3), at elevated

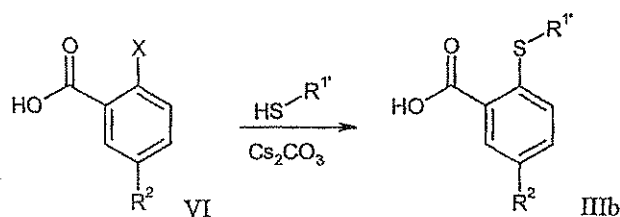
5 temperature.

Scheme 4



Alternatively, compounds of formula IIIa, where $R^{1'}$ is lower alkyl, lower alkyl, substituted by halogen or $-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl can be prepared by reacting a hydroxy compound of formula VII with an alcohol of formula $R^{1'}OH$, under Mitsunobu reaction conditions in the presence of a phosphine like triphenylphosphine or diphenyl-2-pyridylphosphine, and a dialkylazodicarboxylate like diethylazodicarboxylate or di-tert-butyl azodicarboxylate, to afford intermediate compounds of formula VIII, followed by hydrolysis in the presence of an aqueous base such as potassium hydroxide, sodium hydroxide or lithium hydroxide (Scheme 4).

Scheme 5



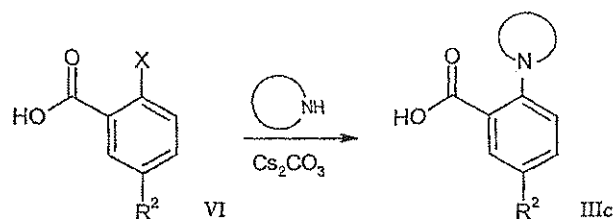
where X = halogen

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Compounds of formula IIIb where $R^{1'}$ is lower alkyl, lower alkyl, substituted by halogen or $-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl, can be prepared by reaction of a halogen compound of formula VI with a thiol of formula $R^{1'}SH$, optionally in the presence of a base, such as caesium carbonate, potassium carbonate or sodium carbonate (Scheme 5), at elevated

25 temperature.

Scheme 6



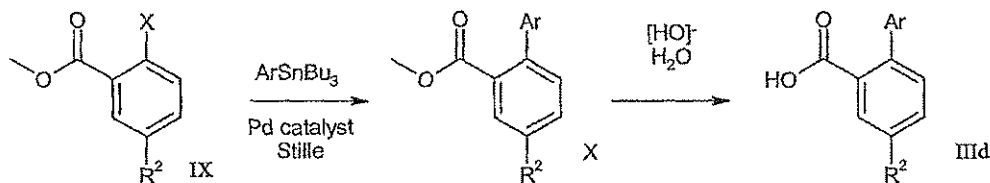
where X = halogen

Compounds of formula IIIc where R¹ is a heterocycloalkyl group, containing a N
 5 atom, can be prepared by reaction of a halogen compound of formula VI with an amine

of formula , optionally in the presence of a base, such as cesium carbonate, potassium carbonate or sodium carbonate (Scheme 6), at elevated temperature.

Scheme 7

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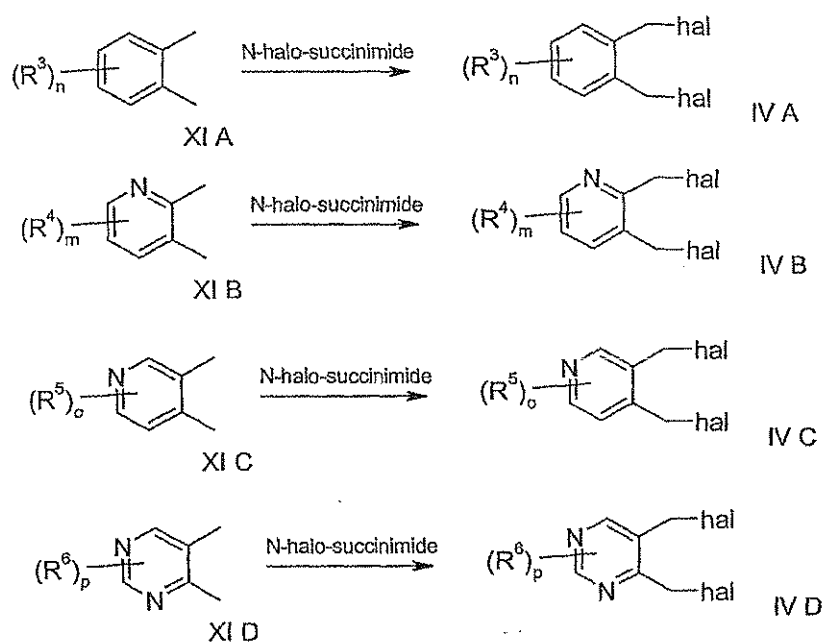


Compounds of formula IIIId can be prepared by reacting a halogen compound of
 formula IX with aryltributyltin, under Stille reaction conditions in the presence of a
 15 palladium catalyst like tris(dibenzylideneacetone)dipalladium(0), to afford intermediate
 compounds of formula X, followed by hydrolysis in the presence of an aqueous base such
 as potassium hydroxide, sodium hydroxide or lithium hydroxide (Scheme 7).

The halogen-substituted and hydroxyl-substituted starting materials of formula VI, VII
 and IX (as shown in Schemes 3-7) are either commercially available, are otherwise known
 20 in the chemical literature, or may be prepared using a variety of methods well known in
 the art.

The bis-halogenated compounds of formula IVa, where R³ and R⁴ are H can be prepared
 by methods well known in the art.

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Scheme 8

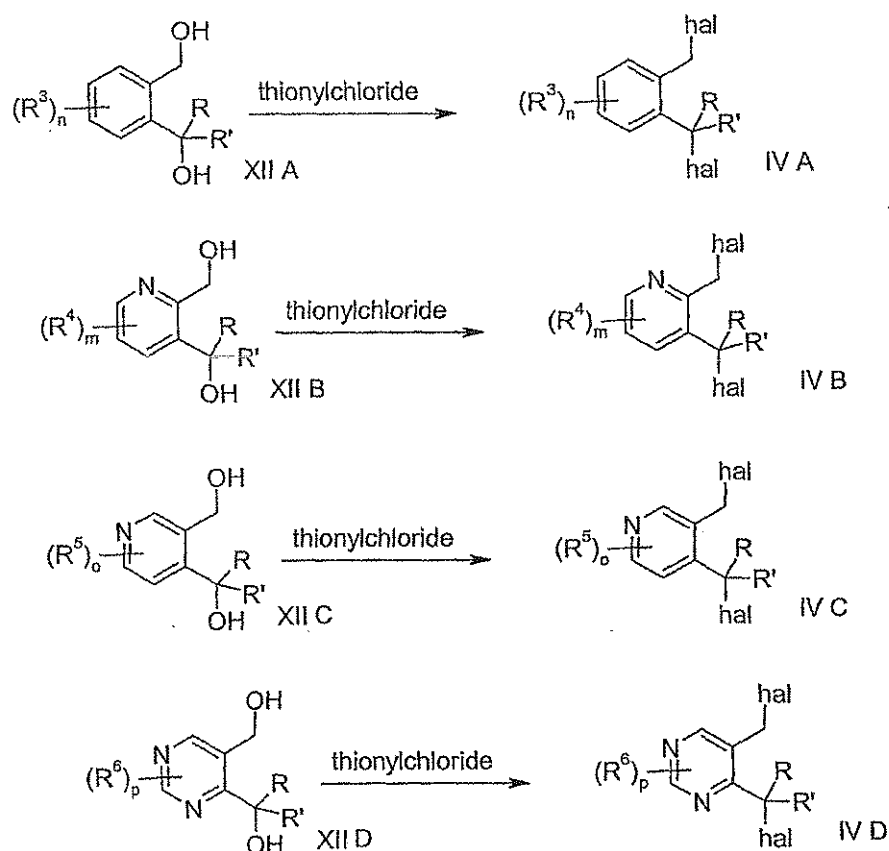
For example, compounds of formula IV A, IV B, IV C and IV D, can be prepared by
5 reaction of an ortho-dimethylated compound of formulas XI A, XI B, XI C and XI D,
respectively, with an N-halo-succinimide such as N-bromo-succinimide (Scheme 8).

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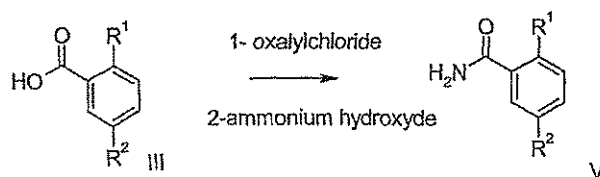
Scheme 9



Alternatively, compounds of formulas IV A, IV B, IV C and IV D can be prepared
 5 by reaction of an ortho-dihydroxymethylated compound of formula XII (XII A, XII B, XII C and XII D) with a chlorinating agent such as thionylchloride (Scheme 9).
 The ortho-dimethylated and -dihydroxymethylated compound of formula XI (A, B, C and D) and XII (A, B, C and D) as shown in Schemes 8 and 9 are either commercially
 available, are otherwise known in the chemical literature, or may be prepared using a
 10 variety of methods well known in the art.

The amide compounds of formula V can be prepared by methods well known in the art.

Scheme 10

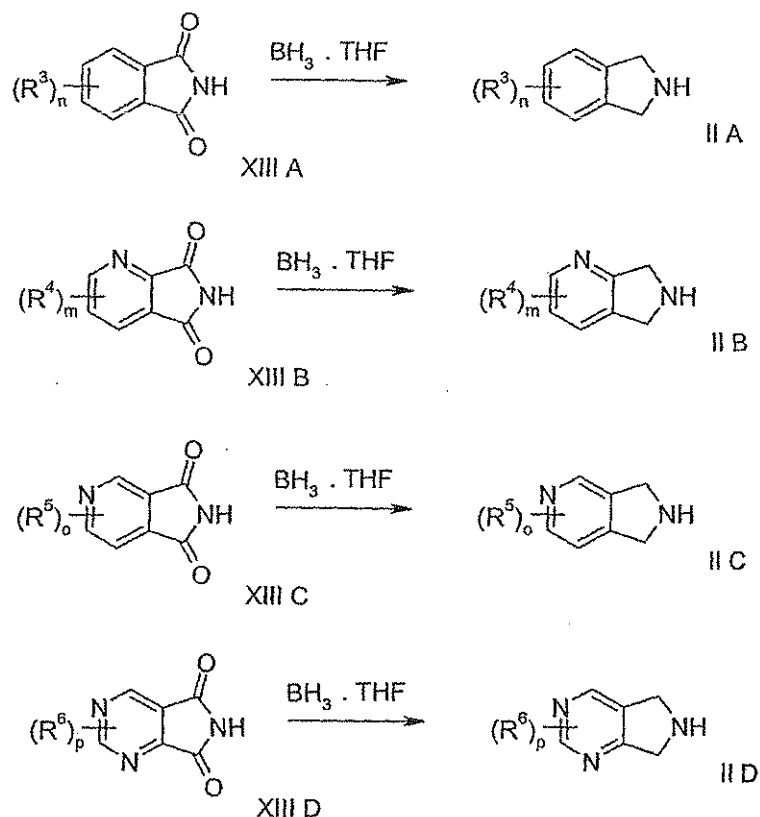


For example, compounds of formula V can be prepared by reaction of acid compounds of formula III with an activating agent such as oxalylchloride followed by treatment with ammonium hydroxide (Scheme 10).

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Scheme 11

Preparation of compounds of formula II A, II B, II C and II D for R and R' being hydrogen.



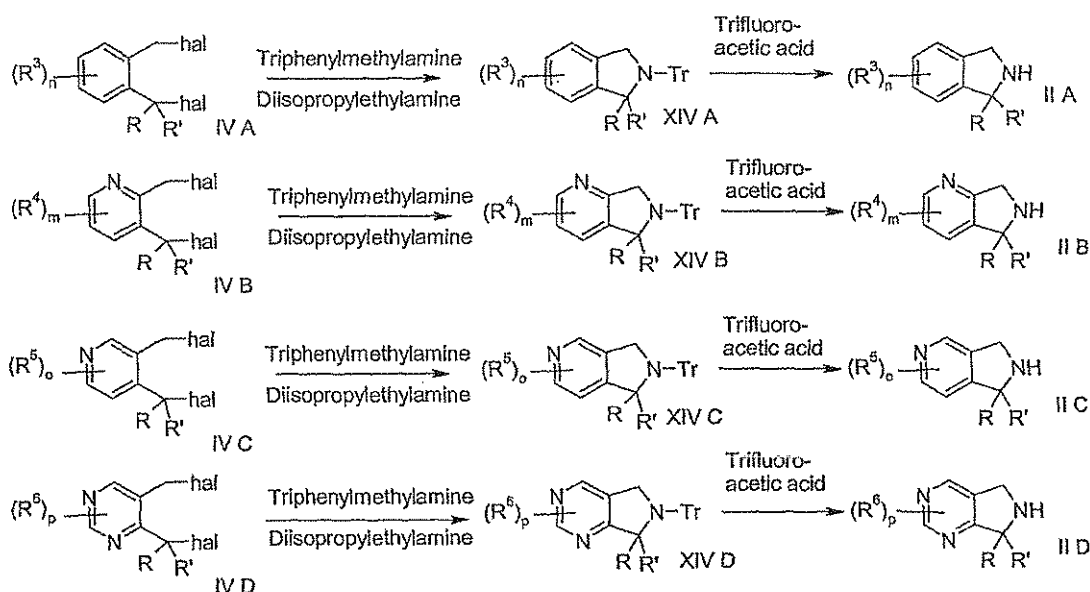
For example, compounds of formula II A, II B, II C and II D can be prepared by reaction of phthalimide compounds of formula XIII (A, B, C and D) in the presence of a reducing agent such as borane THF complex (Scheme 11).

The phthalimide compound of formula XIII (A, B, C and D) (as shown in Scheme 11) are either commercially available, are otherwise known in the chemical literature, or may be prepared using a variety of methods well known in the art.

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Scheme 12

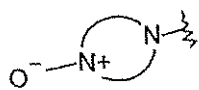
Preparation of compounds of formula II A, II B, II C and II D



Alternatively, compounds of formula II A, II B, II C and II D can be prepared by reaction of bis-halogenated compounds of formula IV (A, B, C and D) in the presence of triphenylmethyllamine and a base such as diisopropylethylamine to afford intermediate compounds of formula XIV (A, B, C and D) followed by deprotection in the presence of an acid such as trifluoroacetic acid (Scheme 12).

In the case where compounds of general formula II contain reactive functionality (e.g. halogen substituents or thioether substituents) in R^3 , R^4 or R^5 , further reactions may be performed on either the compounds of formula II (A, B, C, D) or the compounds of formula II in which the nitrogen atom is protected (i.e. Boc or Trityl) or the compounds of formula I so as to modify the substituent R^3 to R^6 . Examples of such reactions include functional group interconversions (e.g. change of oxidation state, such as thioether to sulphone substituent), coupling reactions mediated by organometallic (palladium, copper) catalysts (e.g. Stille, Suzuki or Buchwald coupling reactions, in case where there is a reactive halogen substituent). Such reactions may be performed using a variety of methods well known in the art and specific examples may be had by reference to the Examples hereunder described. In cases where such reactions are performed on compounds of formula II in which the nitrogen atom is protected (i.e. Boc or Trityl), deprotection of the protective groups in acidic media (i.e. HCl, or trifluoroacetic acid) is subsequently performed.

Furthermore, aromatic or partially aromatic bicyclic amines in form of their oxides



may be prepared by oxidizing a compound of formula I with 3-chloroperbenzoic acid in dichloromethane and stirring the mixture at room temperature

for about 72 hours.

Isolation and purification of the compounds

Isolation and purification of the compounds and intermediates described herein can be effected, if desired, by any suitable separation or purification procedure such as, for example, filtration, extraction, crystallization, column chromatography, thin-layer chromatography, thick-layer chromatography, preparative low or high-pressure liquid chromatography or a combination of these procedures. Specific illustrations of suitable separation and isolation procedures can be had by reference to the preparations and examples herein below. However, other equivalent separation or isolation procedures could, of course, also be used. Racemic mixtures of chiral compounds of formula I can be separated using chiral HPLC.

The acid addition salts of the basic compounds of formula I may be converted to the corresponding free bases by treatment with at least a stoichiometric equivalent of a suitable base such as sodium or potassium hydroxide, potassium carbonate, sodium bicarbonate, ammonia, and the like.

The compounds of formula I and their pharmaceutically usable addition salts possess valuable pharmacological properties. Specifically, it has been found that the compounds of the present invention are good inhibitors of the glycine transporter I (GlyT-1).

The compounds were investigated in accordance with the test given hereinafter.

Solutions and materials

DMEM complete medium: Nutrient mixture F-12 (Gibco Life-technologies), fetal bovine serum (FBS) 5 %, (Gibco life technologies), Penicillin/Streptomycin 1 % (Gibco life technologies), Hygromycin 0.6 mg/ml (Gibco life technologies), Glutamine 1 mM Gibco life technologies)

Uptake buffer (UB): 150 mM NaCl, 10 mM Hepes-Tris, pH 7.4, 1 mM CaCl₂, 2.5 mM KCl, 2.5 mM MgSO₄, 10 mM (+) D-glucose.

Flp-inTM-CHO (Invitrogen Cat n° R758-07) cells stably transfected with mGlyT1b cDNA.

Glycine uptake inhibition assay (mGlyT-1b)

On day 1 mammalian cells, (Flp-inTM-CHO), transfected with mGlyT-1b cDNA, were plated at the density of 40,000 cells/well in complete F-12 medium, without hygromycin in 96-well culture plates. On day 2, the medium was aspirated and the cells were washed

twice with uptake buffer (UB). The cells were then incubated for 20 min at 22°C with either (i) no potential competitor, (ii) 10 mM non-radioactive glycine, (iii) a concentration of a potential inhibitor. A range of concentrations of the potential inhibitor was used to generate data for calculating the concentration of inhibitor resulting in 50 % of the effect (e.g. IC_{50} , the concentration of the competitor inhibiting glycine uptake of 50 %). A solution was then immediately added containing [3H]-glycine 60 nM (11-16 Ci/mmol) and 25 μ M non-radioactive glycine. The plates were incubated with gentle shaking and the reaction was stopped by aspiration of the mixture and washing (three times) with ice-cold UB. The cells were lysed with scintillation liquid, shaken 3 hours and the radioactivity in the cells was counted using a scintillation counter.

The most preferred compounds show an IC_{50} (μ M) at GlyT-1 < 0.05

Example	IC_{50} (μ M)	Example	IC_{50} (μ M)	Example	IC_{50} (μ M)
5	0.042	206	0.041	334	0.02
9	0.031	211	0.034	335	0.031
15	0.021	217	0.037	337	0.022
16	0.048	218	0.04	340	0.025
17	0.012	221	0.022	344	0.02
24	0.019	224	0.019	345	0.034
27	0.022	240	0.0456	347	0.043
32	0.037	248	0.026	356	0.013
35	0.028	249	0.022	357	0.03
43	0.034	252	0.033	359	0.01
49	0.034	255	0.017	360	0.022
56	0.016	256	0.032	361	0.002
59	0.036	268	0.028	363	0.004

71	0.049	269	0.014	364	0.005
74	0.031	270	0.035	365	0.033
99	0.042	271	0.029	366	0.002
100	0.045	272	0.034	367	0.0015
103	0.046	273	0.047	368	0.005
118	0.038	283	0.016	370	0.047
121	0.047	287	0.043	371	0.006
124	0.03	290	0.022	372	0.004
125	0.03	295	0.04	373	0.015
139	0.014	300	0.017	374	0.003
140	0.036	304	0.008	375	0.015
146	0.047	305	0.037	376	0.016
148	0.032	306	0.087	377	0.007
155	0.044	312	0.032	378	0.035
156	0.047	315	0.017	379	0.007
157	0.025	317	0.024	380	0.005
158	0.024	321	0.034	382	0.024
163	0.045	322	0.012		
168	0.033	323	0.013		
169	0.003	324	0.045		
170	0.048	330	0.02		
172	0.03	331	0.022		

204	0.019	332	0.041		
205	0.046	333	0.047		

The compounds of formula I and the pharmaceutically acceptable salts of the compounds of formula I can be used as medicaments, e.g. in the form of pharmaceutical preparations. The pharmaceutical preparations can be administered orally, e.g. in the form of tablets, coated tablets, dragées, hard and soft gelatine capsules, solutions, emulsions or suspensions. The administration can, however, also be effected rectally, e.g. in the form of suppositories, parenterally, e.g. in the form of injection solutions.

The compounds of formula I can be processed with pharmaceutically inert inorganic or organic carriers for the production of pharmaceutical preparations. Lactose, corn starch or derivatives thereof, talc, stearic acids or its salts and the like can be used, for example, as such carriers for tablets, coated tablets, dragées and hard gelatine capsules. Suitable carriers for soft gelatine capsules are, for example, vegetable oils, waxes, fats, semi-solid and liquid polyols and the like. Depending on the nature of the active substance no carriers are however usually required in the case of soft gelatine capsules. Suitable carriers for the production of solutions and syrups are, for example, water, polyols, glycerol, vegetable oil and the like. Suitable carriers for suppositories are, for example, natural or hardened oils, waxes, fats, semi-liquid or liquid polyols and the like.

The pharmaceutical preparations can, moreover, contain preservatives, solubilizers, stabilizers, wetting agents, emulsifiers, sweeteners, colorants, flavorants, salts for varying the osmotic pressure, buffers, masking agents or antioxidants. They can also contain still other therapeutically valuable substances.

Medicaments containing a compound of formula I or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof and a therapeutically inert carrier are also an object of the present invention, as is a process for their production, which comprises bringing one or more compounds of formula I and/or pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts and, if desired, one or more other therapeutically valuable substances into a galenical administration form together with one or more therapeutically inert carriers.

The most preferred indications in accordance with the present invention are those, which include disorders of the central nervous system, for example the treatment or prevention of schizophrenia, cognitive impairment and Alzheimer's disease.

The dosage can vary within wide limits and will, of course, have to be adjusted to the individual requirements in each particular case. In the case of oral administration the dosage for adults can vary from about 0.01 mg to about 1000 mg per day of a compound of general formula I or of the corresponding amount of a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof. The daily dosage may be administered as single dose or in divided doses and, in addition, the upper limit can also be exceeded when this is found to be indicated.

Tablet Formulation (Wet Granulation)

	<u>Item</u>	<u>Ingredients</u>	<u>mg/tablet</u>			
			5 mg	25 mg	100 mg	500 mg
10	1.	Compound of formula I	5	25	100	500
	2.	Lactose Anhydrous DTG	125	105	30	150
	3.	Sta-Rx 1500	6	6	6	30
	4.	Microcrystalline Cellulose	30	30	30	150
	5.	Magnesium Stearate	1	1	1	1
15		Total	167	167	167	831

Manufacturing Procedure

1. Mix items 1, 2, 3 and 4 and granulate with purified water.
2. Dry the granules at 50°C.
3. Pass the granules through suitable milling equipment.
- 20 4. Add item 5 and mix for three minutes; compress on a suitable press.

Capsule Formulation

	<u>Item</u>	<u>Ingredients</u>	<u>mg/capsule</u>			
			5 mg	25 mg	100 mg	500 mg
	1.	Compound of formula I	5	25	100	500
25	2.	Hydrous Lactose	159	123	148	---
	3.	Corn Starch	25	35	40	70
	4.	Talc	10	15	10	25
	5.	Magnesium Stearate	1	2	2	5
		Total	200	200	300	600

Manufacturing Procedure

1. Mix items 1, 2 and 3 in a suitable mixer for 30 minutes.
2. Add items 4 and 5 and mix for 3 minutes.
3. Fill into a suitable capsule.

5 The following examples illustrate the invention but are not intended to limit its scope.

The following abbreviations were used in the examples:

n-Boc-piperazine: tert-Butyl 1-piperazinecarboxylate,

Oxone®: (potassium peroxymonosulfate) $2\text{KHSO}_5 \cdot \text{KHSO}_4 \cdot \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4$,

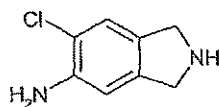
TBTU: 2-(1H-benzotriazole-1-yl)-1,1,3,3-tetramethyluroniumtetrafluoroborate;

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Preparation of Intermediates

Example A1

6-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-ylamine

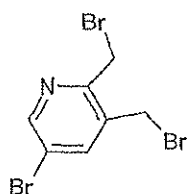


- 15 To 25.4 mmol 5-amino-6-chloroisoindoline-1,3-dione (commercial, CAS: 5566-48-3) was added 127 mmol borane-THF complex and the resulting mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 16 h. The reaction mixture was then cooled to room temperature and quenched by dropwise addition of 50 ml methanol. After stirring at room temperature for 30 min, 50 ml concentrated hydrochloric acid was added and the resulting mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 30 min before being cooled to room temperature and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was made basic by addition of concentrated aqueous sodium hydroxide. The resulting crystals were collected by filtration, washed sequentially with water, a small amount of acetone, and a small amount of ether, and then dried *in vacuo* to yield the title compound as an off-white solid. MS (m/e): 171.1 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 40%), 169.2
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- 25 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 100%).

Example A2

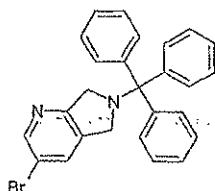
3-Bromo-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

a) 5-Bromo-2,3-bis-bromomethyl-pyridine



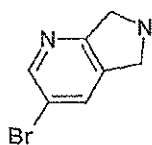
A mixture of 2.8 mmol 5-bromo-2,3-dimethyl-pyridine (CAS: 27063-90-7), 5.61 mmol N-bromosuccinimide and 0.06 mmol AIBN in 5 ml tetrachloromethane was refluxed for 4 hours. The mixture was then cooled to RT, filtered and the filtrate was concentrated *in vacuo* to provide the title compound as yellow oil which was used in the next reaction without further purification.

b) 3-Bromo-6-trityl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine



A mixture of 0.87 mmol 5-bromo-2,3-bis-bromomethyl-pyridine, 1.1 mmol tritylamine, and 2.61 mmol DIPEA in 3 ml DMF was stirred at 60°C for 2 h. The reaction mixture was evaporated *in vacuo*. The residue was taken in water and extracted with ethylacetate. The combined organic phases were washed with water, dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/dichloromethane) to yield the title compound as a light brown solid. MS (m/e): 243.4 (trityl ion, 100%)

(c) 3-Bromo-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine



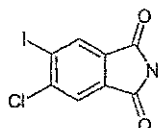
To a 0 °C solution of 0.18 mmol 3-bromo-6-trityl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine in 0.5 ml chloroform and 0.5 ml methanol was added dropwise 1 ml trifluoroacetic acid. After 5 minutes stirring at 0 °C and 30 minutes at RT, the reaction mixture was concentrated. The residue was taken in water/ether and 1ml 1N HCl was added. The aqueous phase was extracted with ether (2 times), then basified with 5N NaOH and extracted with dichloromethane (3 times). Combined organic phases were

dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated *in vacuo* to yield the title compound as a light yellow solid. MS (m/e): 199.0 (M^+ , 100%)

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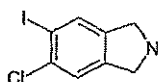
5-Chloro-6-pyrrolidin-1-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole-hydrochloride

5 (a) 5-Chloro-6-iodo-isoindole-1,3-dione



To a stirred suspension of 96.1 mmol 5-amino-6-chloroisoindoline-1,3-dione (commercial, CAS: 5566-48-3) in 170 ml water was added dropwise at 10 °C a solution of 11 ml concentrated sulfuric acid in 50 ml water. After cooling the mixture to 5 °C, a
10 solution of 120 mmol sodium nitrite in 40 ml water was added dropwise and stirring continued at 0 °C for 90 min. A solution of 327 mmol potassium iodide in 80 ml water was then added dropwise over 40 min while maintaining the reaction temperature between 0 and 5 °C. The reaction mixture was then warmed to room temperature and subsequently heated at 35 °C for 45 min and then 60 °C for 30 min before being recooled
15 to room temperature and diluted with tetrahydrofuran/ethyl acetate (1/2). The phases were separated and the organic phase washed sequentially with aqueous sodium thiosulphite and brine and then dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was resuspended in 300 ml dichloromethane, stirred for 10 min at room temperature, and the resulting crystals collected by filtration to yield the title compound
20 as a light brown solid. MS (m/e): 308.9 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}M^+$, 35%), 306.9 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}M^+$, 100%).

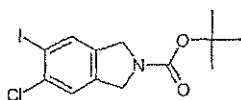
(b) 5-Chloro-6-iodo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



Prepared in analogy to Example A1 from 5-chloro-6-iodo-isoindole-1,3-dione and borane-THF complex. Off-white solid. MS (m/e): MS (m/e): 282.0 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}M+H^+$, 35%),
25 279.9 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}M+H^+$, 100%).

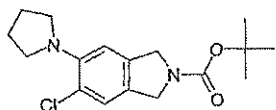
(c) 5-Chloro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

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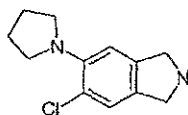
To a stirred suspension of 10.4 mmol 5-chloro-6-iodo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole in 30ml dichloromethane was added 12.5 ml (Boc)₂O and the mixture stirred at room temperature for 16 h. The resulting solution was concentrated *in vacuo* and the residue
 5 purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as an off-white solid. MS (m/e): 326.0 (³⁷Cl)[M+H- Me₂C=CH₂]⁺, 35%), 324.0 (³⁵Cl)[M+H- Me₂C=CH₂]⁺, 100%).

(d) 5-Chloro-6-pyrrolidin-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



10 Lit. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* 1996, 118 (30), 7215-7218. To a stirred suspension of 2.63 mmol 5-chloro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester in 20 ml toluene were added 0.24 mmol 2-(dicyclohexylphosphino)biphenyl, 0.08 mmol tris(dibenzylideneacetone)dipalladium chloroform complex and 3.68 mmol sodium tert-butoxide and the mixture was stirred at 110 °C for 2 h. The reaction mixture was then
 15 cooled to room temperature, diluted with ethyl acetate and washed twice with brine. The organic phase was dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a yellow oil. MS (m/e): 325.2 (³⁷Cl)M+H⁺, 35%), 323.2 (³⁵Cl)M+H⁺, 100%).

(e) 5-Chloro-6-pyrrolidin-1-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole-hydrochloride



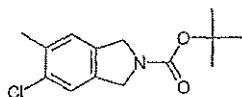
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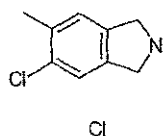
To a stirred suspension of 0.12 mmol 5-chloro-6-pyrrolidin-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester in 1 ml dioxane was added 1.86 mmol hydrogen chloride solution (4 M in dioxane) and the mixture was stirred at 90 °C for 2 h. The reaction mixture was then concentrated *in vacuo* to yield the title compound as a brown
 25 solid which was used in the next step without further purification. MS (m/e): 325.2 (³⁷Cl)M+H⁺, 35%), 323.2 (³⁵Cl)M+H⁺, 100%).

Example A4

5-Chloro-6-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-Chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

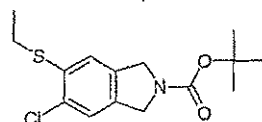
- 5 Lit. *Tetrahedron Lett.* 1999, 40, 2719-2722. To a stirred suspension of 1.58 mmol 5-chloro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A3(c)) in 3ml N-methylpyrrolidone were added 0.05 mmol tris(dibenzylideneacetone) dipalladium chloroform complex and 0.32 mmol triphenylphosphine and the mixture was stirred at 50 °C for 10 min. 0.16 mmol copper(I) iodide was then added and the
- 10 mixture stirred at 50 °C for a further 10 min. Finally, 3.48 mmol tetramethyl tin was added and the reaction mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 16 h. The mixture was then cooled to room temperature, diluted with ethyl acetate and washed twice with brine. The organic phase was dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a
- 15 yellow solid. MS (m/e): 214.1 (³⁷Cl)[M+H- Me₂C=CH₂]⁺, 35%), 212.0 (³⁵Cl)[M+H- Me₂C=CH₂]⁺, 100%).

(b) 5-Chloro-6-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

- Prepared in analogy to Example A3 (e) from 5-chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and HCl. Grey solid. MS (m/e): 170.1 (³⁷Cl)M+H⁺, 35%), 168.3 (³⁵Cl)M+H⁺, 100%).
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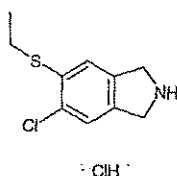
Example A5

5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

Lit. *Org. Lett.* 2002, 4(20), 3517-3520. To a stirred suspension of 0.66 mmol 5-chloro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A3(c)) in 5 ml isopropanol were added 1.32 mmol ethylene glycol, 0.07 mmol copper(I) iodide, 1.32 mmol cesium carbonate, 0.13 mmol 1,20-phenanthroline and 3.29 mmol ethyl mercaptan and the reaction mixture was stirred at 120 °C for 1 h. The mixture was then cooled to room temperature and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a white solid. MS (m/e): 260.0 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}[\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 42%), 258.1 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}[\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 100%).

10 (b) 5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride



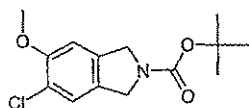
Prepared in analogy to Example A3 (e) from 5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and HCl. Off-white solid. MS (m/e): 216.2 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 42%), 214.2 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 100%).

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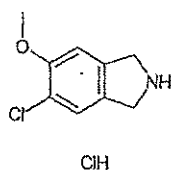
Example A6

5-Chloro-6-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-Chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



Lit. *Org. Lett.* 2002, 4(6), 973-976. To a stirred suspension of 1.84 mmol 5-chloro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A3(c)) in 7 ml methanol were added 0.18 mmol copper(I) iodide, 3.69 mmol cesium carbonate and 0.37 mmol 1,20-phenanthroline and the reaction mixture was stirred at 140 °C for 16 h. The mixture was then cooled to room temperature and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a light red solid. MS (m/e): 230.2 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}[\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 42%), 228.2 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}[\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 100%).

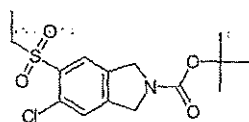
(b) 5-Chloro-6-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

Prepared in analogy to Example A3 (e) from 5-chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and HCl. Off-white solid. MS (m/e): 186.1

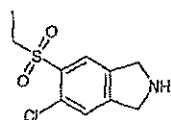
5 $(\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}^+, 30\%), 184.1 (\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}^+, 100\%).$

Example A7

5-Chloro-6-ethanesulfonyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-Chloro-6-ethanesulfonyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

- 10 To a stirred solution of 0.61 mmol 5-chloro-6-ethylsulfonyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A5(a)) in 5 ml dichloromethane was added 1.51 mmol 3-chloroperoxybenzoic acid and the reaction mixture was stirred at 50 °C for 90 min. The mixture was then cooled to room temperature, diluted with dichloromethane and washed sequentially with aq. sodium carbonate solution and with water. The organic
- 15 phase was dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo* to yield the title compound as a yellow oil which was used in the next step without further purification. MS (m/e): 292.0 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}[\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 44%), 290.0 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}[\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-Chloro-6-ethanesulfonyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

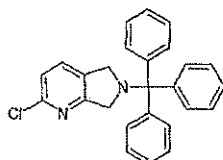
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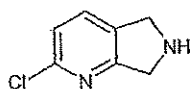
Prepared in analogy to Example A3 (e) from 5-chloro-6-ethanesulfonyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and HCl. Grey solid. MS (m/e): 248.1 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 30%), 246.2 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 100%).

Example A8

2-Chloro-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

(a) 2-Chloro-6-trityl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

- 5 Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (b) from 6-chloro-2,3-bis-chloromethyl-pyridine (CAS: 220001-94-5) and triphenylmethanamine. Light yellow foam. MS (m/e): 397.0 ($[MH^+]$, 100%).

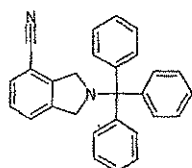
(b) 2-Chloro-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

- 10 Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (c) from 2-chloro-6-trityl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine and trifluoroacetic acid. Light brown solid. MS (m/e): 154.9 ($[M^+]$, 100%).

Example A9

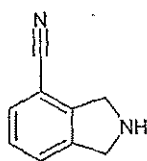
2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindole-4-carbonitrile

- 15 (a) 2-Trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole-4-carbonitrile



Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (b) from 2,3-Bis-bromomethyl-benzonitrile (CAS: 66126-18-9) and triphenylmethanamine. Yellow foam.

(b) 2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindole-4-carbonitrile

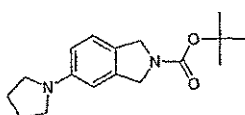


Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (c) from 2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole-4-carbonitrile and trifluoroacetic acid. Light brown solid.

Example A10

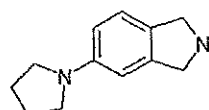
5 5-Pyrrolidin-1-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

(a) 5-Pyrrolidin-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



Prepared in analogy to Example A3 (d) from 5-Bromo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (CAS: 201940-08-1) and pyrrolidine. Orange solid. MS
10 (m/e): 289.2 ($M+H^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-Pyrrolidin-1-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

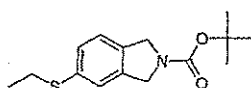


Prepared in analogy to Example A3 (e) from 5-Pyrrolidin-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and HCl. Brown oil. MS (m/e): 189.6 ($M+H^+$, 100%).

15 Example A11

5-Ethylsulfanyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-Ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

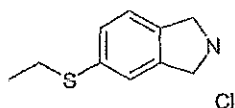


Lit. *Tetrahedron* 2004, 60, 7397-7403. To a stirred suspension of 1.34 mmol 5-bromo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (CAS: 201940-08-1) in 2 ml dioxane
20 were added 0.03 mmol 1,1'-bis(diisopropylphosphino)ferrocene, 0.03 mmol palladium

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acetate, 1.61 mmol sodium tert-butoxide and 2.68 mmol ethanethiol and the mixture was stirred at 100 °C for 16 h. The reaction mixture was then cooled to room temperature, diluted with ethyl acetate/tetrahydrofuran and washed with brine. The organic phase was dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo* to yield the title compound as a brown oil which was used in the next step without further purification.

(b) 5-Ethylsulfanyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

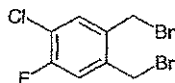


Prepared in analogy to Example A3 (e) from 5-Ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and HCl. Light Brown solid. MS (m/e): 216.3 ([M+H⁺, 100%).

Example A12

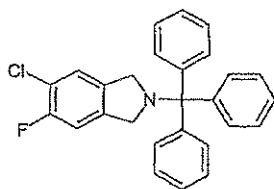
5-Chloro-6-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

(a) 1,2-Bis-bromomethyl-4-chloro-5-fluoro-benzene



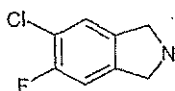
Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (a) from 1-Chloro-2-fluoro-4,5-dimethyl-benzene (CAS: 116850-30-7) and NBS. Brown oil.

(b) 5-chloro-6-fluoro-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (b) from 1,2-Bis-bromomethyl-4-chloro-5-fluoro-benzene and triphenylmethanamine. Brown oil.

(c) 5-Chloro-6-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

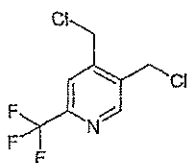


Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (c) from 5-chloro-6-fluoro-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and trifluoroacetic acid. Light brown solid.

Example A13

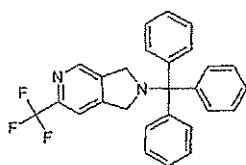
6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine

5 (a) 4,5-Bis-chloromethyl-2-trifluoromethyl-pyridine



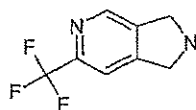
To a room temperature suspension of 2.5 mmol (5-Hydroxymethyl-2-trifluoromethyl-pyridin-4-yl)-methanol (CAS: 765298-25-7) in 3 ml dichloromethane was added dropwise 12.5 mmol thionylchloride. After 1 hour, the reaction mixture was evaporated
 10 *in vacuo*. The residue was dissolved in dichloromethane and washed with saturated sodium bicarbonate solution, dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a light yellow oil (66% yield). MS (m/e): 243.0 (M-H, 100%)

15 (b) 6-Trifluoromethyl-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine



Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (b) from 4,5-Bis-chloromethyl-2-trifluoromethyl-pyridine and triphenylmethanamine. White solid.

(c) 6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine

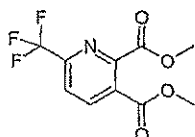


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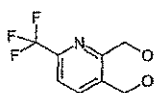
Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (c) from 6-Trifluoromethyl-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine and trifluoroacetic acid. Off white solid.

Example A14

2-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

(a) 6-Trifluoromethyl-pyridine-2,3-dicarboxylic acid dimethyl ester

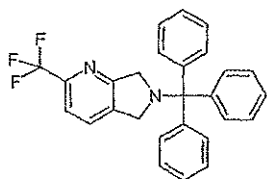
- 5 A mixture of 245 mmol periodic acid and 1.1 mmol ruthenium trichloride hydrate in 40 ml acetonitrile and 40 ml carbon tetrachloride was stirred at room temperature for 10 minutes. 17 mmol of 2-trifluoromethyl-quinoline (CAS: 1701-38-8), was added portionwise during 2.5 hours. The temperature was kept below 45° C by occasional cooling with an ice-bath. After addition, the reaction mixture was cooled to 0° C and
- 10 extracted 3 times with ethyl acetate, dried over magnesium sulfate, filtered and concentrated. The residue was dissolved in 65 ml N,N-dimethylformamide. 48 mmol of cesium carbonate was added, followed by 97 mmol of methyl iodide. After stirring at room temperature overnight, the reaction mixture is diluted with water and extracted with ethyl acetate. The crude compound obtained after concentration is purified by
- 15 chromatography (SiO₂; ethyl acetate / n-heptane 1:4) to give the title compound as a yellow liquid. Yield: 37%. MS (m/e): 264.0 (MH⁺, 44%).

(b) (3-Hydroxymethyl-6-trifluoromethyl-pyridin-2-yl)-methanol

- A solution of 6 mmol 6-trifluoromethyl-pyridine-2,3-dicarboxylic acid dimethyl ester in
- 20 10 ml methanol was cooled to 0° C. 12 mmol of sodium borohydride and 6 mmol of calcium chloride were added and the resulting mixture stirred overnight at room temperature. After cooling again to 0° the reaction mixture was neutralized by addition of 5 ml 3M aqueous hydrochloric acid. The mixture is concentrated, diluted with water and extracted 3 times with ethyl acetate. The crude compound is purified by chromatography
- 25 (SiO₂; ethyl acetate / n-heptane 1:1) to give the title compound as a yellow oil. Yield: 72%. MS (m/e): 208.1 (MH⁺, 100%).

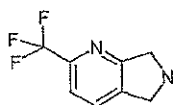
(c) 2-Trifluoromethyl-6-trityl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

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A solution of 7 mmol (3-hydroxymethyl-6-trifluoromethyl-pyridin-2-yl)-methanol in 20 ml dichloromethane was cooled to 0° C. 0.15 mmol 4-(N,N-dimethylamino)-pyridine and 15 mmol of mesyl chloride was added, followed by careful addition of 28 mmol triethyl amine. After stirring for 1 hour at 0° C, the reaction mixture was extracted with dichloromethane, dried and concentrated. The crude mesylate was dissolved in 10 ml N,N-dimethyl formamide, treated with 21 mmol DIPEA and 9 mmol triphenyl methylamine and hold overnight at 60° C. The resulting mixture was concentrated, diluted with water and extracted 3 times with ethyl acetate. The crude compound was purified by chromatography (SiO₂; ethyl acetate / n-heptane 1:4) to give the title compound as a viscous yellow oil. Yield: 37%.

(d) 2-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

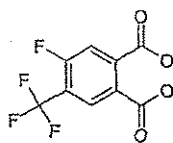


Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (c) from 2-Trifluoromethyl-6-trityl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine and trifluoroacetic acid. Light yellow solid. MS (m/e): 189.3 ([M+H⁺, 100%).

Example A15

6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-ylamine

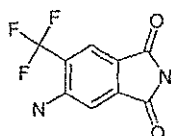
(a) 4-Fluoro-5-trifluoromethyl-phthalic acid



To a stirred solution of 2.34 mmol 1-fluoro-4,5-dimethyl-2-trifluoromethyl-benzene (CAS: 116850-000) in 14 ml glacial acetic acid was added dropwise 2.5 ml concentrated sulfuric acid. 16.4 mmol Chromium(VI) oxide was then added in small portions while the reaction mixture was cooled in an ice bath. The cooling bath was then removed and

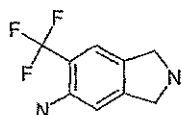
stirring continued at room temperature for 16 h. The reaction mixture was then poured onto water and the mixture extracted twice with tetrahydrofuran. The combined organic phases were washed with brine, dried over sodium sulfate, and concentrated *in vacuo* to yield the title compound as a grey solid which was used in the next step without further purification. MS (m/e): 250.9 ([M-H]⁻, 100%)

(b) 5-Amino-6-trifluoromethyl-isoindole-1,3-dione



To a stirred solution of 2.14 mmol 4-fluoro-5-trifluoromethyl-phthalic acid in 7 ml N-methylpyrrolidone was added 4.28 mmol urea and the mixture was at 140 °C for 2 h, and then at 160 °C for 4 h. The reaction mixture was then cooled to room temperature, diluted with ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with water and brine. The organic phase was dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was triturated in ether/petane (1/1) to yield the title compound as a yellow solid. MS (m/e): 229.1 ([M-H]⁻, 100%)

(c) 6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-ylamine

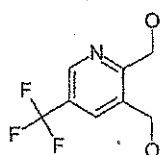


Prepared in analogy to Example A1 from 5-amino-6-trifluoromethyl-isoindole-1,3-dione and borane tetrahydrofuran complex. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 203.3 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

Example A16

3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

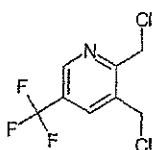
(a) (3-Hydroxymethyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridin-2-yl)-methanol



To a room temperature suspension of 9.06 mmol 3-Trifluoromethyl-5H-furo[3,4-b]pyridin-7-one (CAS: 765298-32-6) in 40 ml ethanol was added portionwise 19.9 mmol

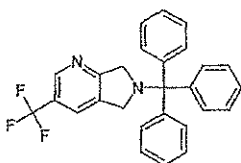
- sodium borohydride. After 30 minutes, the reaction mixture was cooled to 0 °C, 2N HCl was added to pH1 and the solvent was removed *in vacuo*. The residue was taken in water, the mixture was neutralized with 1N NaOH and then saturated with NaCl. The aqueous phase was extracted 6 times with dichloromethane. The combined extracts were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated *in vacuo* to yield the title compound as a yellow oil (92% yield). MS (m/e): 230.1 (M+Na, 100%)

(b) 2,3-Bis-chloromethyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridine



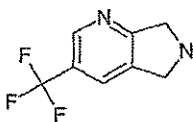
- 10 Prepared in analogy to Example A13 (a) from (3-Hydroxymethyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridin-2-yl)-methanol and thionylchloride. Red oil. MS (m/e): 243.1 ([M-H⁺, 100%).

(c) 3-Trifluoromethyl-6-trityl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine



- 15 Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (b) from 2,3-Bis-chloromethyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridine and triphenylmethylaniline. White solid. MS (m/e): 431.3 ([MH⁺, 100%).

(d) 3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

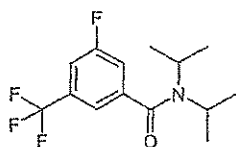


- 20 Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (c) from 3-Trifluoromethyl-6-trityl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine and trifluoroacetic acid. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 189.4 ([M+H⁺, 100%).

Example A17

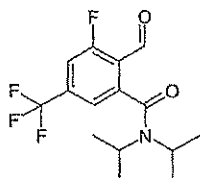
4-Fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

(a) 3-Fluoro-N,N-diisopropyl-5-trifluoromethyl-benzamide



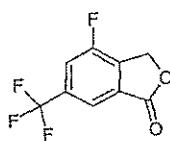
To a suspension of 15.9 mmol 3-Fluoro-5-(Trifluoromethyl) benzoic acid in 20 ml toluene containing 2 drops of DMF was added 79.7 mmol thionylchloride at 0°C. The mixture was heated at 85°C for 5 hours. The solvent was carefully removed *in vacuo*. The colorless liquid was dissolved in 25 ml dichloromethane and cooled to 0°C. 63.8 mmol diisopropylamine was added dropwise. The mixture was allowed to warm to RT. After 1 hour the solvent was removed *in vacuo*. The residue was taken in ethyl acetate and washed twice with water. The washings were extracted once with ethyl acetate. The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a light yellow solid (85% yield). MS (m/e): 291.9 (M⁺, 100%)

(b) 3-Fluoro-2-formyl-N,N-diisopropyl-5-trifluoromethyl-benzamide



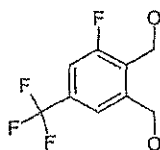
A dried 200ml round-bottomed flask containing 20 ml diethylether was cooled to -75°C then 22.15 mmol diisopropylamine, 22.15 mmol 1.6M n-butyllithium in hexane, and a solution of 14.77 mmol 3-fluoro-N,N-diisopropyl-5-trifluoromethyl-benzamide in 20 ml diethylether were added sequentially. The mixture was stirred at -75°C for 2 hours. 2.9 ml DMF was added dropwise. After the reaction was stirred for another hour, the mixture was warmed and stirred at room temperature for 30 minutes. The mixture was quenched with 100 ml 10% citric acid and extracted 3 times with ether. The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a light yellow solid (90% yield). MS (m/e): 320.1 (M+H⁺, 100%)

(c) 4-Fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-3H-isobenzofuran-1-one



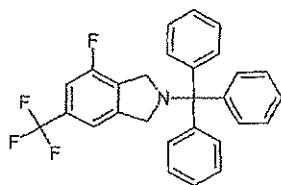
To a solution of 5.39 mmol 3-fluoro-2-formyl-N,N-diisopropyl-5-trifluoromethylbenzamide in 17 ml ethanol was added portionwise 5.39 mmol sodium borohydride. The temperature was maintained at 30°C with a water bath. The mixture was then stirred at
5 room temperature for 50 minutes then cooled in an ice-water bath. Excess sodium borohydride was destroyed by adding HCl 2N. Ethanol was removed *in vacuo*. The residue was taken in 25 ml HCl 6N and refluxed at 120°C for 2 hours. The mixture was cooled to room temperature and extracted 3 times with dichloromethane. The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The
10 residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a white solid (71% yield). MS (m/e): 220.2 (M⁺, 100%)

(d) (2-Fluoro-6-hydroxymethyl-4-trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-methanol



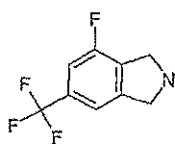
Prepared in analogy to Example A16 (a) from 4-Fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-3H-isobenzofuran-1-one and sodium borohydride. Colorless oil. MS (m/e): 225.1 ([M+H⁺,
15 100%).

(e) 4-Fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



Prepared in analogy to Example A14 (c) from (2-Fluoro-6-hydroxymethyl-4-trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-methanol. Yellow oil.
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(f) 4-Fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



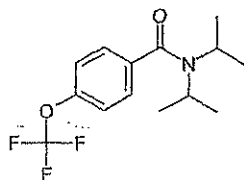
Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (c) from 4-Fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and trifluoroacetic acid. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 206.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

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Example A18

5-Trifluoromethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

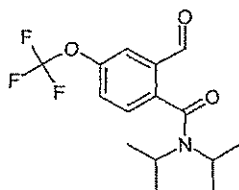
(a) N,N-Diisopropyl-4-trifluoromethoxy-benzamide



Prepared in analogy to Example A17(a) from 4-(trifluoromethoxy)-benzoic acid. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 290.2 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

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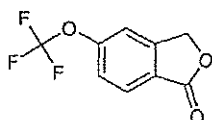
(b) 2-Formyl-N,N-diisopropyl-4-trifluoromethoxy-benzamide



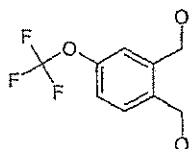
Prepared in analogy to Example A17(b) from N,N-Diisopropyl-4-trifluoromethoxy-benzamide. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 318.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

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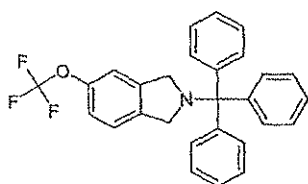
(c) 5-Trifluoromethoxy-3H-isobenzofuran-1-one



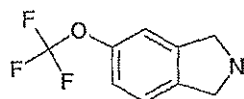
Prepared in analogy to Example A17(c) from 2-Formyl-N,N-diisopropyl-4-trifluoromethoxy-benzamide. White needle. MS (m/e): 219.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

(d) (2-Hydroxymethyl-5-trifluoromethoxy-phenyl)-methanol

Prepared in analogy to Example A16(a) from 5-Trifluoromethoxy-3H-isobenzofuran-1-one. Colorless oil.

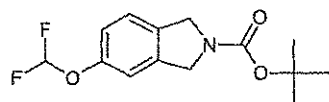
5 (e) 5-Trifluoromethoxy-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

Prepared in analogy to Example A14(c) from (2-Hydroxymethyl-5-trifluoromethoxy-phenyl)-methanol. Light red oil.

(f) 5-Trifluoromethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

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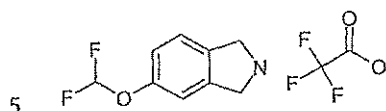
Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-Trifluoromethoxy-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole. Dark brown oil.

Example A19**5-difluoromethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindoline trifluoroacetic acid**15 (a) 5-Difluoromethoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

A mixture containing 0.68 mmol 5-Hydroxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (CAS: 226070-47-9), 0.68 mmol potassium carbonate and 0.68 mmol ethyl chlorodifluoroacetate in 1.5 ml DMF was stirred overnight at 65 °C. The mixture
20 was then partitioned between ethyl acetate and water and the organic phase was then

separated, dried over sodium sulfate, and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography on silica gel (eluant: n-heptane/ethylacetate) to afford the title compound as a white solid (40 % yield).

(b) 5-difluoromethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindoline trifluoroacetic acid

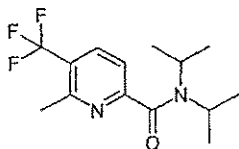


Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-Difluoromethoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester by using trifluoroacetic acid instead of hydrochloride acid. Dark brown oil.

Example A20

10 2-Methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

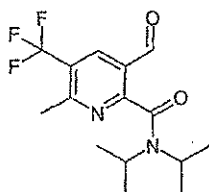
(a) 6-Methyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridine-2-carboxylic acid diisopropylamide



Prepared in analogy to Example A17(a) from 6-Methyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridine-2-carboxylic acid (CAS: 855916-28-8). Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 289.1 ([M+H]⁺, 100%)

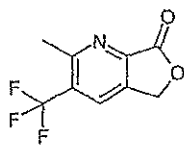
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(b) 3-Formyl-6-methyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridine-2-carboxylic acid diisopropylamide



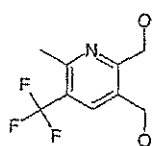
Prepared in analogy to Example A17(b) from 6-Methyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridine-2-carboxylic acid diisopropylamide. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 316.9 ([M+H]⁺, 100%)

20 (c) 2-Methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-5H-furo[3,4-b]pyridin-7-one



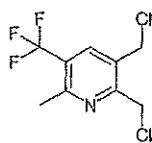
Prepared in analogy to Example A17(c) from 3-Formyl-6-methyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridine-2-carboxylic acid diisopropylamide. White solid. MS (m/e): 218.1 ([M+H]⁺, 100%)

5 (d) (3-Hydroxymethyl-6-methyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridin-2-yl)-methanol



Prepared in analogy to Example A16(a) from 2-Methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-5H-furo[3,4-b]pyridin-7-one. White solid. MS (m/e): 222.1 ([M+H]⁺, 100%)

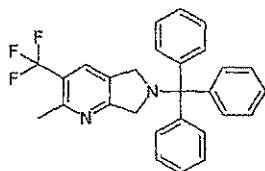
(e) 2,3-Bis-chloromethyl-6-methyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridine



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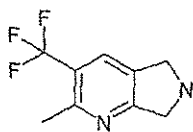
Prepared in analogy to Example A13(a) from (3-Hydroxymethyl-6-methyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridin-2-yl)-methanol. Colorless oil. MS (m/e): 257.0 ([M+H]⁺, 100%)

(f) 2-Methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-6-trityl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine



15 Prepared in analogy to Example A2(b) from 2,3-Bis-chloromethyl-6-methyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridine. Light yellow solid. MS (m/e): 445.1 ([M+H]⁺, 100%)

(g) 2-Methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

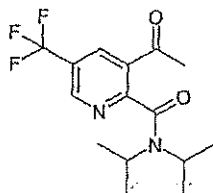


Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 2-Methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-6-trityl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine. Light yellow oil. MS (m/e): 202.8 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

Example A21

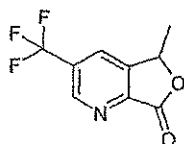
5 Rac-5-Methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

(a) 3-Acetyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridine-2-carboxylic acid diisopropylamide



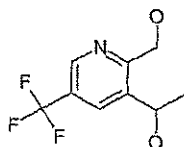
Prepared in analogy to Example A17(b) from 5-Trifluoromethyl-pyridine-2-carboxylic acid diisopropylamide (CAS: 765298-31-5) and N-methoxy-N-methylacetamide instead
10 of dimethylformamide. Orange solid. MS (m/e): 317.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

(b) rac-5-Methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-5H-furo[3,4-b]pyridin-7-one

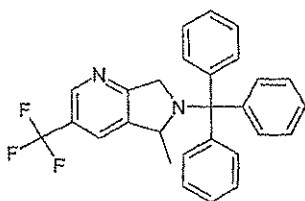


Prepared in analogy to Example A17(c) from 3-Acetyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridine-2-
15 carboxylic acid diisopropylamide. White solid. MS (m/e): 217.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

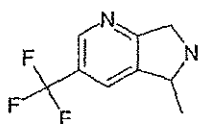
(c) rac-1-(2-Hydroxymethyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridin-3-yl)-ethanol



Prepared in analogy to Example A16(a) from rac-5-Methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-5H-furo[3,4-b]pyridin-7-one. Colorless oil. MS (m/e): 222.2 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

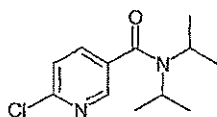
(d) rac-5-Methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-6-trityl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

Prepared in analogy to Example A14(c) from rac-1-(2-Hydroxymethyl-5-trifluoromethyl-pyridin-3-yl)-ethanol. Yellow oil.

5 (e) rac-5-Methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine

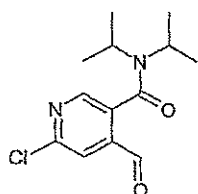
Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from rac-5-Methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-6-trityl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 203.3 ([M+H]⁺, 100%)

Example A22

10 6-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine(a) 6-Chloro-N,N-diisopropyl-nicotinamide

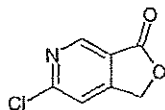
Prepared in analogy to Example A17(a) from 2-chloropyridine-5-carboxylic acid. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 241.3 ([M+H]⁺, 100%)

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(b) 6-Chloro-4-formyl-N,N-diisopropyl-nicotinamide

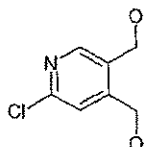
Prepared in analogy to Example A17(b) from N,N-Diisopropyl-4-trifluoromethoxy-benzamide. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 269.2 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

(c) 6-Chloro-1H-furo[3,4-c]pyridin-3-one



- 5 Prepared in analogy to Example A17(c) from 6-Chloro-4-formyl-N,N-diisopropyl-nicotinamide. White solid.

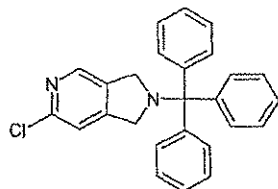
(d) (6-Chloro-4-hydroxymethyl-pyridin-3-yl)-methanol



Prepared in analogy to Example A16(a) from 6-Chloro-1H-furo[3,4-c]pyridin-3-one.

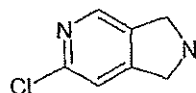
- 10 White solid. MS (m/e): 172.0 ($[M-H]$, 100%)

(e) 6-Chloro-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine



Prepared in analogy to Example A14(c) from (6-Chloro-4-hydroxymethyl-pyridin-3-yl)-methanol. White foam.

- 15 (f) 6-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine

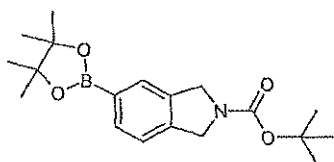


Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 6-Chloro-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine. White solid. MS (m/e): 155.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

Example A23

5-(4-Methyl-thiazol-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

(a) 5-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-[1,3,2]dioxaborolan-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

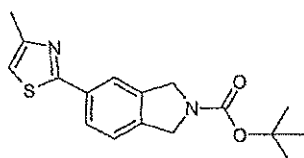


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A mixture containing 5.03 mmol 5-Bromo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (CAS: 201940-08-1), 16.6 mmol potassium carbonate, 5.5 mmol bis(pinacolato)diboron and 0.15 mmol 1,1-bis(diphenylphosphino)ferrocene dichloro palladium (II) dichloromethane adduct in 15 ml degazed DMF was stirred at 70°C for 6 hours. The solvent was removed in vacuo. The residue was stirred in 30 ml dichloromethane. The mixture was filtered and the filtrate concentrated in vacuo. The crude oil was purified on a 50 g Flashpack cartridge (Eluent: Heptane/AcOEt) to afford the title compound as a white solid (63 % yield). MS (m/e): 346.1 ([M+H]⁺, 100%)

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(b) 5-(4-Methyl-thiazol-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



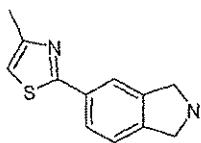
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A mixture containing 3.2 mmol 5-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-[1,3,2]dioxaborolan-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester, 15.9 mmol potassium carbonate, 3.8 mmol 2-Iodo-4-methyl-thiazole (CAS: 34203-25-3) and 0.1 mmol tetrakis(triphenylphosphine) in 11 ml degazed DMF was stirred at 90°C for 43 hours. The solvent was removed in vacuo. The residue was taken in ethyl acetate. The mixture was washed twice with water. The aqueous layer was extracted once with ethyl acetate. The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and the solvent was removed in vacuo. The crude oil was purified on a 50g Flashpack cartridge (Eluent: Heptane/AcOEt) to afford the title compound as a white solid (36 % yield). MS (m/e): 316.1 (M⁺, 100%)

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(c) 5-(4-Methyl-thiazol-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

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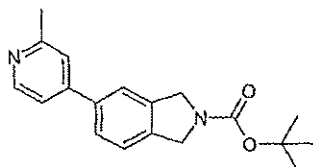
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(4-Methyl-thiazol-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and using trifluoacetic acid instead of hydrochloride acid. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 217.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

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Example A24

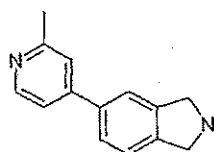
5-(2-Methyl-pyridin-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

(a) 5-(2-Methyl-pyridin-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



- 10 A mixture containing 1.4 mmol 5-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-[1,3,2]dioxaborolan-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester, 4.8 mmol potassium fluoride, 1.4 mmol 4-chloro-2-picoline (commercial) and 0.03 mmol bis(tri-tert-butylphosphine)palladium in 5 ml degazed dioxane was stirred at 100°C for 1.5 hours. The solvent was removed in vacuo. The residue was taken in ethyl acetate. The mixture
- 15 was washed twice with water. The aqueous layer was extracted once with ethyl acetate. The combined organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 , filtered and the solvent was removed in vacuo. The crude oil was purified on a 20g Flashpack cartridge (Eluent: Heptane/ AcOEt) to afford the title compound as a yellow oil (69 % yield). MS (m/e): 311.2 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

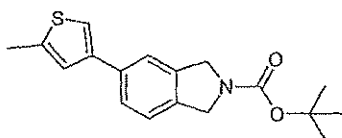
20 (b) 5-(2-Methyl-pyridin-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



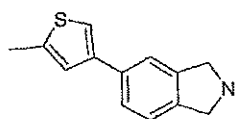
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(2-Methyl-pyridin-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and using trifluoacetic acid instead of hydrochloride acid. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 211.0 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

Example A25

5-(5-Methyl-thiophen-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

(a) 5-(5-Methyl-thiophen-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

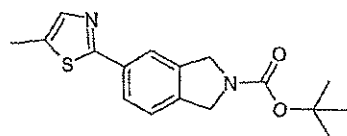
Prepared in analogy to Example A23(b) from 5-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-[1,3,2]dioxaborolan-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and 4-bromo-2-methylthiophene (commercial). Light yellow solid. MS (m/e): 315.2 ($[M]^+$, 100%)

(b) 5-(5-Methyl-thiophen-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

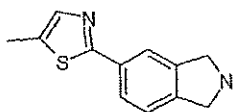
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(5-Methyl-thiophen-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and using trifluoroacetic acid instead of hydrochloric acid. Light yellow solid. MS (m/e): 216.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

Example A26

5-(5-Methyl-thiazol-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

(a) 5-(5-Methyl-thiazol-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

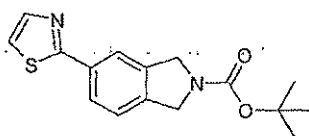
Prepared in analogy to Example A23(b) from 5-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-[1,3,2]dioxaborolan-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and 2-Iodo-5-methyl-thiazole (CAS: 847547-16-4). Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 317.0 ($[M]^+$, 100%)

(b) 5-(5-Methyl-thiazol-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(5-Methyl-thiazol-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and using trifluoacetic acid instead of
 5 hydrochloride acid. Brown gum. MS (m/e): 217.0 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

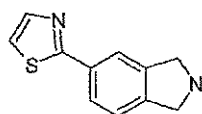
Example A27

5-Thiazol-2-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

(a) 5-Thiazol-2-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

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Prepared in analogy to Example A23(b) from 5-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-[1,3,2]dioxaborolan-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and 2-Iodo-thiazole (CAS: 3034-54-6). Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 303.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

15 (b) 5-Thiazol-2-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

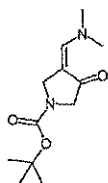
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-Thiazol-2-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and using trifluoacetic acid instead of hydrochloride acid. Yellow gum. MS (m/e): 202.8 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%)

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Example A28

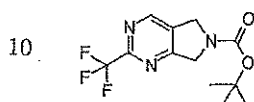
2-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidine

a) 3-[1-Dimethylamino-meth-(Z)-ylidene]-4-oxo-pyrrolidine-1-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



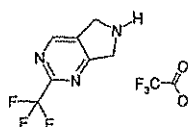
A solution of 13.5 mmol N-BOC-3-pyrrolidone and 13.5 mmol N,N-dimethylformamide-dimethylacetal in 50 ml N,N-dimethylformamide was hold overnight at 60° C. The reaction mixture was quenched by addition of 50 ml water and
 5 extracted 3 times with ethyl acetate. The extract was dried over magnesium sulfate and concentrated to give the crude title compound as a yellowish oil. Yield = 90%. MS (m/e): 241.4 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

b) 2-Trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidine-6-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



A fresh solution of sodium ethanolate was prepared by dissolving 182 mg of sodium in 50 ml of ethanol. To this solution was added 7.9 mmol) 3-[1-Dimethylamino-meth-(Z)-ylidene]-4-oxo-pyrrolidine-1-carboxylic acid tert.-butyl ester and 7.9 mmol trifluoroacetamide and the mixture refluxed overnight. The resulting solution was
 15 concentrated, hydrolysed and extracted 3 times with ethyl acetate. Chromatography (silica gel; ethyl acetate / heptane) gave the title compound in a yield of 44%. MS (m/e): 290.3 ([M+H]⁺, 40 %).

c) 2-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidine trifluoroacetate



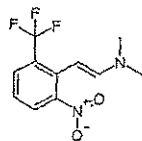
20 3.4 mmol of 2-Trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidine-6-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester was dissolved in a mixture of 20 ml dichloromethane and 3 g trifluoroacetic acid. The mixture was hold at 45° C for 3 hours and concentrated to give the title compound as a waxy solid. Yield = 100%. MS (m/e): 190.3 ([M+H]⁺, 100 %).

Example A29

25 4-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole

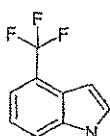
a) Dimethyl-[(E)-2-(2-nitro-6-trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-vinyl]-amine

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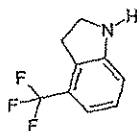
A solution of 17 mmol 2-methyl-3-nitrobenzotrifluoride and 43 mmol N,N-dimethylformamide-dimethylacetal in 30 ml N,N-dimethylformamide was held at 120° C overnight. The reaction mixture is concentrated in vacuo to give the crude title compound. Yield = 83%. MS (m/e): 261.1 ([M+H]⁺, 90 %).

b) 4-Trifluoromethyl-1H-indole



7.7 mmol Dimethyl-[(E)-2-(2-nitro-6-trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-vinyl]-amine was dissolved in 20 ml methanol. 200mg of palladium 5 % on charcoal was added and the reaction mixture hydrogenated at room temperature and atmospheric pressure. When no further hydrogen is absorbed (ca. 3 hours), the reaction mixture is filtered, concentrated and dissolved in diethyl ether. The organic phase is washed with 2 M hydrochloric acid and brine and concentrated to yield the title compound as a yellowish solid. Yield = 58 %. MS (m/e): 184.9 ([M+H]⁺, 100 %).

c) 4-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole

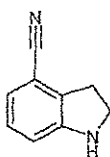


4.4 mmol of 4-trifluoromethyl-1H-indole were dissolved in 8 ml acetic acid. 8.8 mmol of sodium cyanoborohydride were added at once and the reaction mixture stirred at room temperature for 3.5 hours. 20 ml of water were added. The reaction mixture is treated with aqueous sodium hydroxide 40% until basic. Extraction with ethyl acetate yields the crude title compound as a yellowish waxy solid. Yield = 76 %. MS (m/e): 188.4 ([M+H]⁺, 97 %).

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Example A30

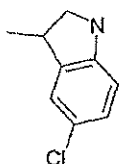
2,3-Dihydro-1H-indole-4-carbonitrile



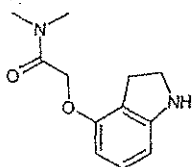
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This compound was prepared in analogy to example A29c), starting from 4-cyanoindole. Yield = 15 %. MS (m/e): 144.1 ($[M]^+$, 53 %).

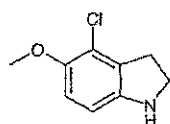
Example A31

5 **rac-5-Chloro-3-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole**

This compound was prepared in analogy to example A29c), starting from 4-methylindole. Yield = 49 %. MS (m/e): 133.1 ($[M]^+$, 80 %).

10 **Example A32****2-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-indol-4-yloxy)-N,N-dimethyl-acetamide**

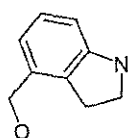
This compound was prepared in analogy to example A29c), starting from 2-(1H-Indol-4-yloxy)-N,N-dimethyl-acetamide. Yield = 36 %. MS (m/e): 221.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100 %).

15 **Example A33****4-Chloro-5-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole**

This compound was prepared in analogy to example A29c), starting from 4-chloro-5-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CA = [68935-48-8]). Yield = 42 %. MS (m/e): 184.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100 %).

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Example A34

(2,3-Dihydro-1H-indol-4-yl)-methanol

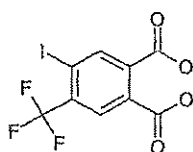
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This compound was prepared in analogy to example A29c), starting from 4-formyl-indole. Yield = 81 %. MS (m/e): 150.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100 %).

Example A35

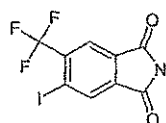
5 5-Ethylsulfanyl-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 4-Iodo-5-trifluoromethyl-phthalic acid

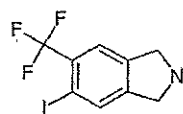


Prepared in analogy to Example A15(a) from 1-iodo-4,5-dimethyl-2-trifluoromethyl-benzene (CAS: 165323-73-9) and chromium(VI) oxide. Grey solid. MS (m/e): 359.0 ($[M-H]^-$, 100%).

(b) 5-Iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-isoindole-1,3-dione

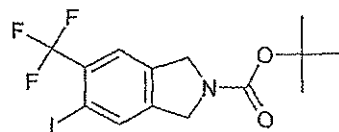


Prepared in analogy to Example A15(b) from 4-iodo-5-trifluoromethyl-phthalic acid and urea. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 339.9 ($[M-H]^-$, 100%).

15 (c) 5-Iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1*H*-isoindole

Prepared in analogy to Example A1 from 5-iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-isoindole-1,3-dione and borane tetrahydrofuran complex. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 314.0 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(d) 5-Iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

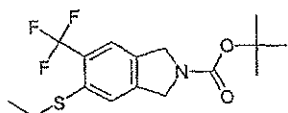


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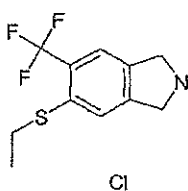
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(c) from 5-iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and di-tert-butyl dicarbonate. White solid. MS (m/e): 358.0 ([M+H-Me₂C=CH₂]⁺, 100%).

5 (e) 5-Ethylsulfanyl-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



Prepared in analogy to Example A5(a) from 5-iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and ethyl mercaptan. White solid. MS (m/e): 292.1 ([M+H-Me₂C=CH₂]⁺, 100%).

10 (f) 5-Ethylsulfanyl-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride



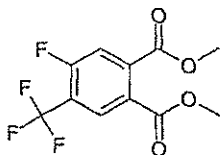
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-ethylsulfanyl-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 284.3 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

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Example A36

5-Fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

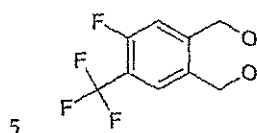
(a) 4-Fluoro-5-trifluoromethyl-phthalic acid dimethyl ester



To 7.93 mmol 4-fluoro-5-trifluoromethyl-phthalic acid (Example A15(a)) in 20 ml methanol was added 1.19 mmol conc. sulphuric acid and the mixture was heated at reflux for 2 days. The mixture was then cooled to room temperature, diluted with ethyl acetate, and washed sequentially with 0.5 M aq. sodium hydroxide solution and brine. The

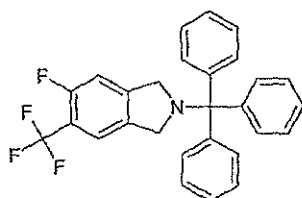
organic phase was then separated, dried over sodium sulfate, and concentrated *in vacuo* to afford the title compound as a yellow solid (54% yield). EI-MS (m/e): 280.1 (M^+ , 5%), 249.1 ($[M-MeO]^+$, 100%).

(b) (4-Fluoro-2-hydroxymethyl-5-trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-methanol



To 23.6 mmol $LiAlH_4$ in 10 ml THF was added dropwise over 5 min a solution of 3.93 mmol 4-fluoro-5-trifluoromethyl-phthalic acid dimethyl ester in 5 ml THF. The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 h, and then heated at 50 °C for 20 min. The reaction mixture was quenched by dropwise addition of 8 ml ethyl acetate, stirred for a
10 further 15 min at 50 °C, then cooled to room temperature and acidified to pH 1 by dropwise addition of 5 M aq HCl. The mixture was then partitioned between ethyl acetate and brine and the organic phase was then separated, dried over sodium sulfate, and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography on silica gel (eluant: methanol/dichloromethane) to afford the title compound as a colourless oil (57% yield).
15 MS (m/e): 283.1 ($[M+OAc]^+$, 100%), 223.1 ($[M-H]^+$, 20%).

(c) 5-Fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

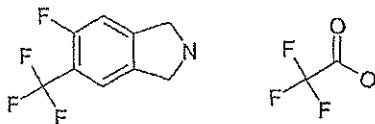


To a mixture of 1.56 mmol (4-fluoro-2-hydroxymethyl-5-trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-methanol and 0.08 mmol DMAP in 5 ml dichloromethane at 0 °C were added dropwise
20 3.28 mmol methanesulfonyl chloride and 6.25 mmol triethylamine. The mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 1 h, and then heated quenched with water. The mixture was extracted with dichloromethane and the organic phase was dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was dissolved in DMF and then 4.68 mmol N,N-diisopropylethylamine and 2.03 mmol triphenylmethylethylamine were added sequentially.
25 The mixture was heated at 60 °C for 1 day and then at 80 °C for a further day. The mixture was then cooled to room temperature and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography on silica gel (eluant: ethyl acetate/heptane) to afford the

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title compound as a white amorphous solid (23% yield). EI-MS (m/e): 370.1 ($[M-Ph]^+$, 100%).

(d) 5-Fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate



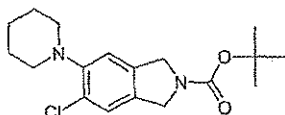
- 5 To a mixture of 0.33 mmol 5-fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole in 1.5 methanol and 1.5 ml chloroform at 0 °C was added dropwise 1.63 mmol trifluoroacetic acid and the mixture was then stirred at RT for 3 h before being concentrated *in vacuo* to afford the title compound as a yellow solid (100% yield). EI-MS (m/e): 206.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

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Example A37

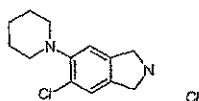
5-Chloro-6-piperidin-1-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-Chloro-6-piperidin-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



- 15 Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-chloro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A3(c)) and piperidine. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 339.1 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}M+H^+$, 29%), 337.1 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}M+H^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-Chloro-6-piperidin-1-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

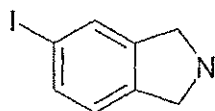


- 20 Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-chloro-6-piperidin-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 239.2 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}M+H^+$, 35%), 237.1 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}M+H^+$, 100%).

Example A38

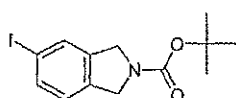
5-(2-Methoxy-ethoxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-Iodo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



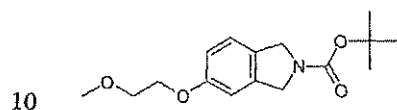
Prepared in analogy to Example A1 from 5-iodo-isoindole-1,3-dione (CAS: 98556-60-6) and borane tetrahydrofuran complex. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 246.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

5 (b) 5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



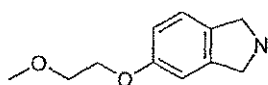
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(c) from 5-iodo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and di-tert-butyl dicarbonate. White solid. MS (m/e): 290.0 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

(c) 5-(2-Methoxy-ethoxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



Prepared in analogy to Example A6(a) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and 2-methoxyethanol. White solid. MS (m/e): 237.9 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%)

(d) 5-(2-Methoxy-ethoxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride



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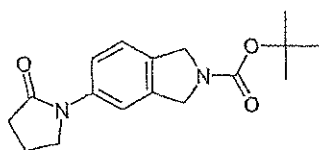
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Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(2-methoxy-ethoxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. White solid. MS (m/e): 194.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

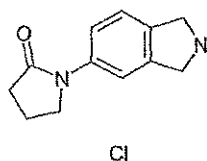
Example A39

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1-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-pyrrolidin-2-one hydrochloride

(a) 5-(2-Oxo-pyrrolidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

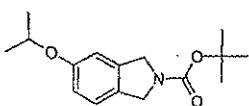
Lit. *J. Am. Chem. Soc.* 2001, 123, 7727-7729. To a stirred suspension of 0.58 mmol 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) in 4 ml
 5 dioxane were added 0.12 mmol copper(I) iodide, 1.74 mmol potassium carbonate, 0.17 mmol trans-1,2-diaminocyclohexane and 2.90 mmol 2-pyrrolidone and the reaction mixture was stirred at 140 °C for 16 h. The mixture was then cooled to room temperature, filtered, and the filtrate was concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a white
 10 solid. MS (m/e): 247.3 ([M+H-Me₂C=CH₂]⁺, 100%).

(b) 1-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-pyrrolidin-2-one hydrochloride

Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(2-oxo-pyrrolidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Off-white solid. MS
 15 (m/e): 203.4 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

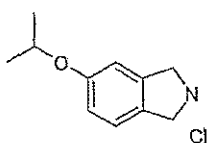
Example A40

5-Isopropoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-Isopropoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

20 Prepared in analogy to Example A6(a) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and 2-propanol. White solid. MS (m/e): 222.1 ([M+H-Me₂C=CH₂]⁺, 100%).

(b) 5-Isopropoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

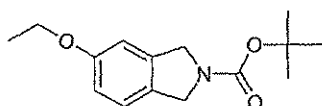


Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-isopropoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 178.3 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

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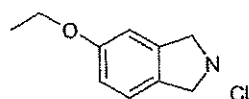
Example A41

5-Ethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-Ethoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

Prepared in analogy to Example A6(a) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and ethanol. Light brown solid. MS (m/e): 208.1 ([M+H-Me₂C=CH₂]⁺, 100%).

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(b) 5-Ethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-ethoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 164.4 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

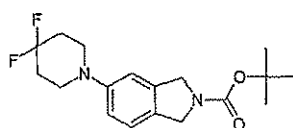
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Example A42

5-(4,4-Difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-(4,4-Difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

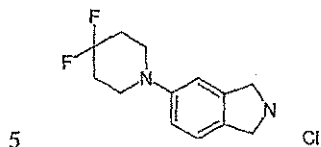
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Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and 4,4-difluoropiperidine hydrochloride. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 339.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-(4,4-Difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

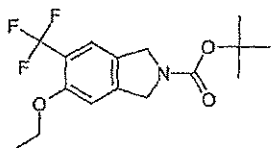


Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(4,4-difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Light yellow solid. MS (m/e): 239.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A43

10 5-Ethoxy-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

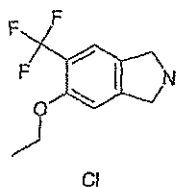
(a) 5-Ethoxy-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



Prepared in analogy to Example A6(a) from 5-iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A35(d)) and ethyl mercaptan.

15 White solid. MS (m/e): 276.3 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-Ethoxy-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

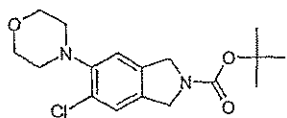


Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-ethoxy-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. White solid. MS (m/e):

20 232.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

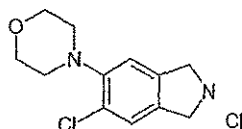
Example A44

5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-chloro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A3(c)) and morpholine. Yellow solid. MS (m/e):

5 341.3 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 20%), 339.1 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 100%).

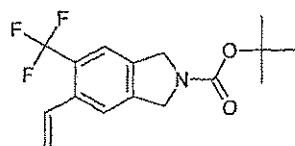
(b) 5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Off-white solid. MS

10 (m/e): 241.4 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 52%), 239.3 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 100%).

Example A45

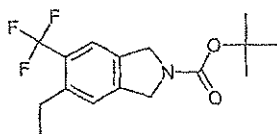
5-Ethyl-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-Trifluoromethyl-6-vinyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

15 To a stirred solution 0.61 mmol 5-iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A35(d)) in 3 ml dioxane were added 0.04 mmol palladium(II) acetate and 0.18 mmol triphenylarsine and the mixture was stirred at RT for 10 min. 0.91 mmol vinyltributylstannane was then added and the mixture was heated at 100 °C for 16 h. The reaction mixture was then cooled to room temperature, filtered,

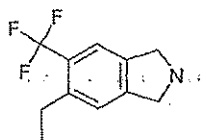
20 and the filtrate was concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO_2 , heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a yellow solid (93% yield). MS (m/e): 258.0 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-Ethyl-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



To a stirred solution 0.54 mmol 5-trifluoromethyl-6-vinyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester in 50 ml methanol was added 50 mg 10% palladium on charcoal and the mixture was stirred under an atmosphere of hydrogen (0.6 bar positive pressure) for 72 h. The reaction mixture was then filtered and the filtrate was concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a white solid (20% yield). MS (m/e): 260.0 ([M+H-Me₂C=CH₂]⁺, 100%).

(c) 5-Ethyl-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride



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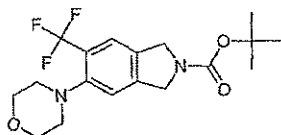
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Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-ethyl-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. White solid. MS (m/e): 216.4 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

Example A46

15 5-Morpholin-4-yl-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

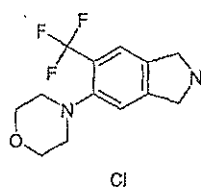
(a) 5-Morpholin-4-yl-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A35(d)) and morpholine. White solid. MS (m/e): 373.0 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

(b) 5-Morpholin-4-yl-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

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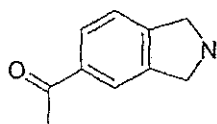


Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-morpholin-4-yl-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Off-white solid. MS (m/e): 273.0 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

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Example A47

1-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-ethanone

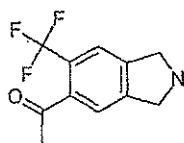


To a stirred solution 0.72 mmol 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) in 3 ml dioxane were added 0.05 mmol palladium(II) acetate and 0.22 mmol triphenylarsine and the mixture was stirred at RT for 10 min. 1.01 mmol 1-ethoxyvinyltributylstannane was then added and the mixture was heated at 100 °C for 16 h. The reaction mixture was then cooled to room temperature, filtered, and the filtrate was concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was resuspended in THF, 25% aqueous hydrochloric acid was added, and the mixture was stirred at RT for 3 h. The mixture was then partitioned between ethyl acetate and water and the phases were separated. The aqueous phase was made alkaline to pH 14 by addition of 30% aqueous NaOH solution and then extracted with ethyl acetate. The organic phase was then washed with brine, dried over sodium sulfate, and concentrated *in vacuo* to yield the title compound as a brown solid (95% yield). MS (m/e): 162.6 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

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Example A48

1-(6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-ethanone

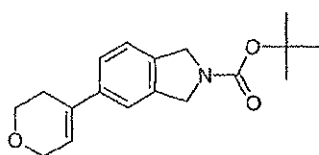


Prepared in analogy to Example A47 from 5-iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A35(d)) and 1-ethoxyvinyltributylstannane. White solid. MS (m/e): 230.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A49

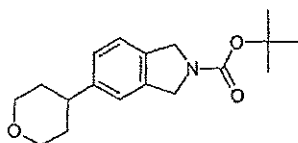
5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-(3,6-Dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

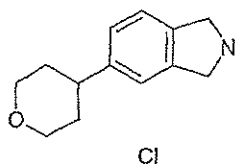


To a stirred solution 6.32 mmol 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) in 20 ml DMF were added 12.6 mmol tributyl-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-stannane, 3.79 mmol triphenylarsine, 0.76 mmol bis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(II) chloride, 50.5 mmol lithium chloride and 0.63 mmol 2,6-di-t-butyl-p-cresol and the mixture was heated at 100 °C for 6 h. The reaction mixture was then cooled to room temperature and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a yellow solid (74% yield). MS (m/e): 246.1 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl Ester



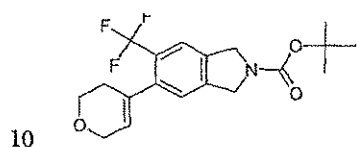
To a stirred solution 7.27 mmol 5-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester in 60 ml methanol were added 1.60 g 10% palladium on charcoal and 72.7 mmol ammonium formate and the mixture was heated at reflux for 30 min. The reaction mixture was then cooled to room temperature, filtered, and the filtrate concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was taken up in THF and washed with brine. The organic phase was then dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a white solid (92% yield). MS (m/e): 248.3 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

(c) 5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

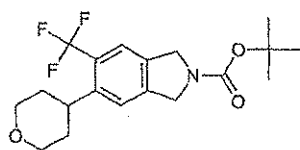
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. White solid. MS (m/e):

5 204.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A50

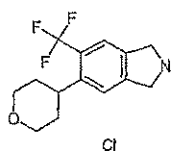
5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride(a) 5-(3,6-Dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

Prepared in analogy to Example A49(a) from 5-iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example 35(d)) and tributyl-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-stannane. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 314.0 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

Prepared in analogy to Example A49(b) from 5-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and ammonium formate. Off-white solid. MS (m/e): 316.1 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

(c) 5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride



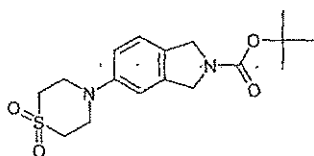
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 272.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

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Example A51

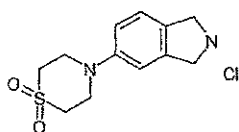
5-(1,1-Dioxo-1-thiomorpholin-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-(1,1-Dioxo-1-thiomorpholin-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



- 10 Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and tetrahydro-2H-1,4-thiazine 1,1-dioxide. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 353.0 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-(1,1-Dioxo-1-thiomorpholin-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride



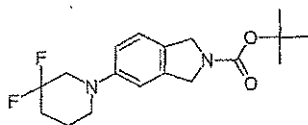
- 15 Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(1,1-dioxo-1-thiomorpholin-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 253.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A52

5-(3,3-Difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

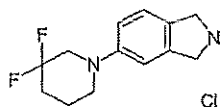
- 20 (a) 5-(3,3-Difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

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Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and 3,3-difluoropiperidine hydrochloride. Pink solid. MS (m/e): 339.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

5 (b) 5-(3,3-Difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride



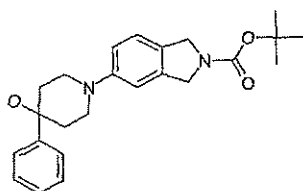
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(3,3-difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 239.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

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Example A53

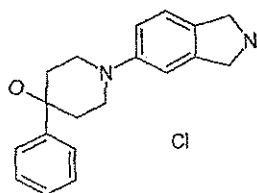
1-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-4-phenyl-piperidin-4-ol hydrochloride

(a) 5-(4-Hydroxy-4-phenyl-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



15 Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and 4-hydroxy-4-phenylpiperidine. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 395.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 1-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-4-phenyl-piperidin-4-ol hydrochloride

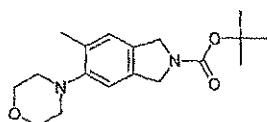


Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(4-hydroxy-4-phenyl-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Off-white solid. MS (m/e): 295.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A54

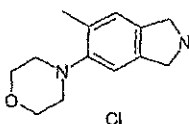
5 5-Methyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-Methyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl Ester



To a stirred solution 0.38 mmol 5-chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A44(a)) in 3 ml dioxane were added 0.02 mmol
10 bis(tri-tert-butylphosphine)palladium(0), 0.84 mmol cesium fluoride and 0.77 mmol tetramethylstannane and the mixture was heated at 80 °C for 5 h. The reaction mixture was then cooled to room temperature and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a light yellow solid (43% yield). MS (m/e): 219.4 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

15 (b) 5-Methyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

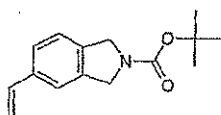


Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-methyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 219.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A55

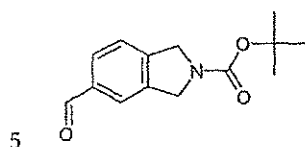
5-(2,2,2-Trifluoro-ethyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-Vinyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl Ester



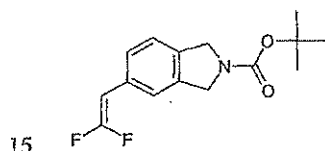
Prepared in analogy to Example A45(a) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and vinyltributylstannane. Colourless oil. MS (m/e): 190.4 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-Formyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl Ester



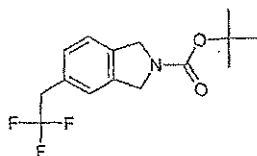
To a stirred solution of 3.79 mmol 5-vinyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester in 25 ml THF and 5 ml water were added 11.4 mmol sodium metaperiodate and 0.08 mmol osmium tetroxide solution (2.5% in tBuOH) and the mixture was stirred at RT for 2 h before being taken up in ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with water and brine. The organic phase was then dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a white solid (62% yield). MS (m/e): 192.1 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

(c) 5-(2,2-Difluoro-vinyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl Ester



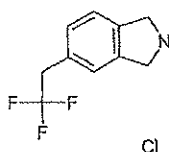
To a stirred solution of 4.69 mmol triphenylphosphine in 5 ml DMF at 0 °C was added dropwise a solution of 4.69 mmol dibromodifluoromethane in 1 ml DMF and the mixture was stirred at RT for 30 min. 2.35 mmol 5-formyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester was then added at 0 °C and then 4.69 mmol zinc dust was added in small portions. The mixture was stirred at RT for 16 and then concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a white solid (31% yield). MS (m/e): 226.1 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

(d) 5-(2,2,2-Trifluoro-ethyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl Ester



To a stirred solution of 0.71 mmol 5-(2,2-difluoro-vinyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester in 5 ml DMSO and 0.25 ml water was added 4.98 mmol potassium fluoride and the mixture was heated at 120 °C for 2 h. The mixture was cooled to room temperature and then taken up in THF and washed sequentially with water and with brine. The organic phase was then dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a white solid (48% yield). MS (m/e): 246.3 ([M+H-Me₂C=CH₂]⁺, 100%).

10 (e) 5-(2,2,2-Trifluoro-ethyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride



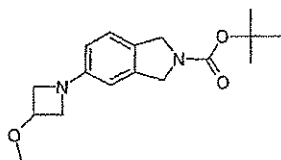
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl Ester and hydrochloric acid. Off-white solid. MS (m/e): 202.4 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

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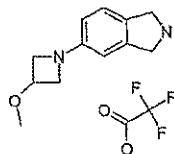
Example A56

5-(3-Methoxy-azetidin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate

(a) 5-(3-Methoxy-azetidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl Ester



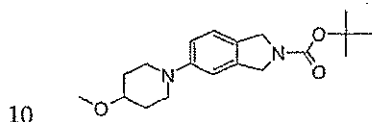
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and 3-methoxy-azetidine hydrochloride. Orange oil. MS (m/e): 305.4 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

(b) 5-(3-Methoxy-azetidin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate

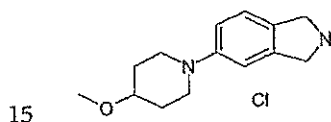
Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-(3-methoxy-azetidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl Ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Brown foam. MS
 5 (m/e): 205.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A57

5-(4-Methoxy-piperidin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

(a) 5-(4-Methoxy-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and 4-methoxy-piperidine trifluoroacetate. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 333.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-(4-Methoxy-piperidin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride

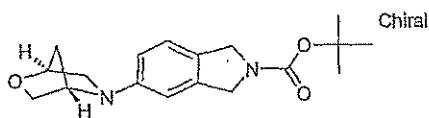
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from 5-(4-methoxy-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Brown solid. MS
 15 (m/e): 233.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A58

20 (1S,4S)-5-(2-Oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole
 trifluoroacetate

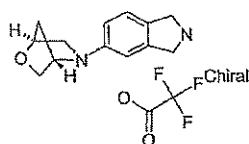
(a) (1S,4S)-5-(2-Oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

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Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and (1S,4S)-2-oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]heptane trifluoroacetate. Orange oil. MS (m/e): 317.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

- 5 (b) (1S,4S)-5-(2-Oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate



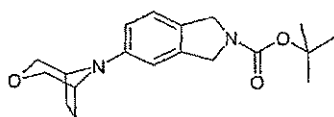
Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from (1S,4S)-5-(2-oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid.

- 10 Orange oil. MS (m/e): 217.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A59

8-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]octane trifluoro-acetate

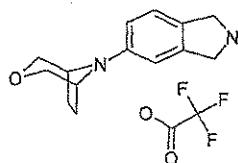
(a) 5-(3-Oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



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Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and 3-oxa-8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane hydrochloride. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 331.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 8-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]octane trifluoro-acetate



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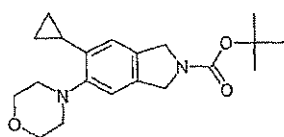
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Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-(3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Brown oil.
MS (m/e): 231.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A60

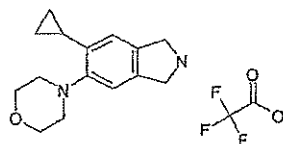
5 5-Cyclopropyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

(a) 5-Cyclopropyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



Prepared in analogy to Example A54(a) from 5-chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A44(a)) and tributylcyclopropylstannane. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 345.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-Cyclopropyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

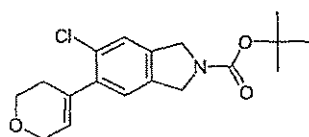


Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-cyclopropyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Brown solid.
MS (m/e): 245.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A61

5-Cyclopropyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate

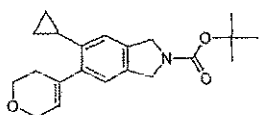
(a) 5-Chloro-6-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl Ester



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Prepared in analogy to Example A49(a) from 5-chloro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A3(c)) and tributyl-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-stannane. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 282.3 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}[\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 49%), 280.3 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}[\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 100%).

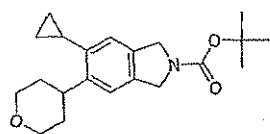
5 (b) 5-Cyclopropyl-6-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



Prepared in analogy to Example A54(a) from 5-chloro-6-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and tributylcyclopropylstannane.

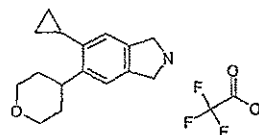
10 Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 286.1 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 100%).

(c) 5-Cyclopropyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl Ester



Prepared in analogy to Example A49(b) from 5-cyclopropyl-6-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and ammonium formate. Colourless oil. MS (m/e): 288.0 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 100%).

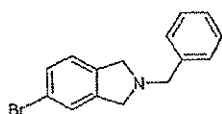
(d) 5-Cyclopropyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate



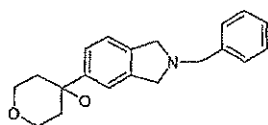
Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-cyclopropyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 244.4 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 100%).

Example A62

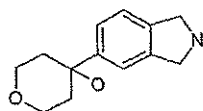
4-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-tetrahydro-pyran-4-ol

(a) 2-Benzyl-5-bromo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

Prepared in analogy to Example A3(b) from 2-benzyl-5-bromo-isoindole-1,3-dione (CAS: 82104-06-1) and borane tetrahydrofuran complex. White solid. MS (m/e): 290.0
5 ({⁸¹Br}[M+H]⁺, 100%), 288.1 ({⁷⁹Br}[M+H]⁺, 100%).

(b) 4-(2-Benzyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-tetrahydro-pyran-4-ol

To a stirred suspension of 1.54 mmol 2-benzyl-5-bromo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole in 3 ml THF at -78 °C was added dropwise 3.85 mmol butyllithium solution (1.6 M in
10 hexane) and stirring continued at -78 °C for 1 h. To the resulting yellow solution was added dropwise a solution of 3.08 mmol tetrahydro-4H-pyran-4-one in 0.7 ml THF and the mixture was stirred at -78 °C for 30 min and then allowed to warm to room temperature. The reaction was quenched by addition of 1 M aq HCl, diluted with ethyl acetate, and then made basic by addition of 2 M aq NaOH. The phases were separated
15 and the organic phase was dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a yellow solid (25% yield). MS (m/e): 310.3 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

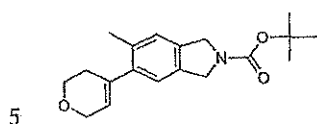
(c) 4-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-tetrahydro-pyran-4-ol

20 To a stirred solution 0.39 mmol 4-(2-benzyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-tetrahydro-pyran-4-ol in 20 ml methanol was added 40 mg 10% palladium on charcoal and the mixture was stirred under an atmosphere of hydrogen for 3 h. The reaction mixture was then filtered and the filtrate was concentrated *in vacuo* to yield the title compound as a yellow solid (100% yield). MS (m/e): 220.3 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

Example A63

5-Methyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate

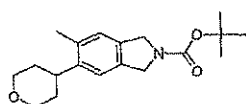
(a) 5-(3,6-Dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl Ester



Prepared in analogy to Example A54(a) from 5-chloro-6-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A61(a)) and tetramethystannane. White solid. MS (m/e): 260.3 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-Methyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

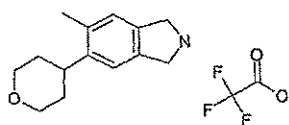
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Prepared in analogy to Example A49(b) from 5-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and ammonium formate. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 262.1 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

(c) 5-Methyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate

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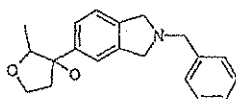
Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-methyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 218.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

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Example A64

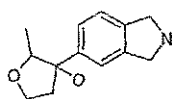
3-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-2-methyl-tetrahydro-furan-3-ol

(a) 3-(2-Benzyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-2-methyl-tetrahydro-furan-3-ol



Prepared in analogy to Example A62(b) from 2-benzyl-5-bromo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (Example A62(a)) and 2-methyltetrahydrofuran-3-one. Brown oil. MS (m/e): 310.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

5 (b) 3-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-2-methyl-tetrahydro-furan-3-ol



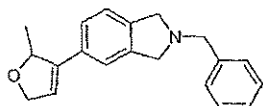
Prepared in analogy to Example A62(c) from 3-(2-benzyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-2-methyl-tetrahydro-furan-3-ol and hydrogen. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 220.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

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Example A65

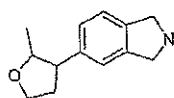
5-(2-Methyl-tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

(a) 2-Benzyl-5-(2-methyl-2,5-dihydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



To a solution of 0.65 mmol 3-(2-benzyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-2-methyl-
 15 tetrahydro-furan-3-ol (Example A64(a)) and 1.81 mmol triethylamine in 2 ml dichloromethane at 0 °C was added dropwise a solution of 0.84 methanesulfonyl chloride in 0.3 ml dichloromethane. The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 h and then re-cooled to 0 °C. 1.94 mmol DBU was added and the mixture stirred at room temperature overnight. The reaction mixture was then concentrated *in vacuo* and the
 20 residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a colourless oil (33% yield). MS (m/e): 292.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-(2-Methyl-tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

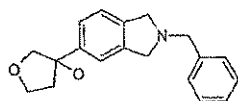


Prepared in analogy to Example A62(c) from 2-benzyl-5-(2-methyl-2,5-dihydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and hydrogen. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 204.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A66

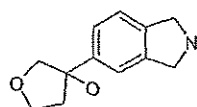
5 3-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-tetrahydro-furan-3-ol

(a) 3-(2-Benzyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-tetrahydro-furan-3-ol



Prepared in analogy to Example A62(b) from 2-benzyl-5-bromo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (Example A62(a)) and tetrahydrofuran-3-one. Brown oil. MS (m/e): 296.4
10 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 3-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-tetrahydro-furan-3-ol

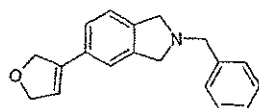


Prepared in analogy to Example A62(c) from 3-(2-benzyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-tetrahydro-furan-3-ol and hydrogen. Brown oil. MS (m/e): 206.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

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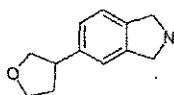
5-(Tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

(a) 2-Benzyl-5-(2,5-dihydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



Prepared in analogy to Example A65(a) from 3-(2-benzyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-tetrahydro-furan-3-ol (Example A66(a)) and methanesulfonyl chloride, triethylamine,
20 and DBU. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 278.0 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-(Tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

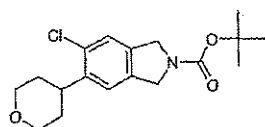


Prepared in analogy to Example A62(c) from 2-benzyl-5-(2,5-dihydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and hydrogen. Brown oil. MS (m/e): 190.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A68

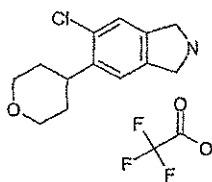
5 5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate

(a) 5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



To a stirred solution 0.81 mmol 5-chloro-6-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A61(a)) in 40 ml methanol was
 10 added 0.41 mmol platinum(IV) oxide and the mixture was stirred under an atmosphere of hydrogen for 16 h. The reaction mixture was then filtered and the filtrate was concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO_2 , heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a white solid (38% yield). MS (m/e): 284.3
 15 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}[M+H-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 49%), 282.3 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}[M+H-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate

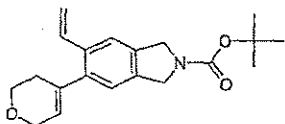


Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Yellow oil.
 20 MS (m/e): 240.2 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}[M+H]^+$, 39%), 238.1 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A69

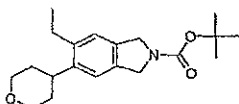
5-Ethyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate

(a) 5-(3,6-Dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-6-vinyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



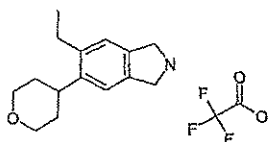
- Prepared in analogy to Example A54(a) from 5-chloro-6-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A61(a)) and vinyltributylstannane. White solid. MS (m/e): 272.4 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-Ethyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



- Prepared in analogy to Example A49(b) from 5-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-6-vinyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and ammonium formate. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 276.3 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

(c) 5-Ethyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate

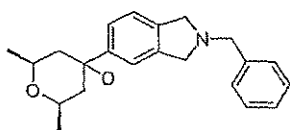


- Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-ethyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 232.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A70

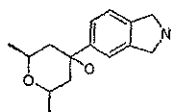
(2S,6R)-4-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-2,6-dimethyl-tetrahydro-pyran-4-ol

- (a) (2S,6R)-4-(2-Benzyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-2,6-dimethyl-tetrahydro-pyran-4-ol



Prepared in analogy to Example A62(b) from 2-benzyl-5-bromo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindo-1,2-benzopyran (Example A62(a)) and (2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-tetrahydro-pyran-4-one. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 338.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

5 (b) (2S,6R)-4-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-2,6-dimethyl-tetrahydro-pyran-4-ol



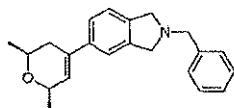
Prepared in analogy to Example A62(c) from (2S,6R)-4-(2-benzyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-2,6-dimethyl-tetrahydro-pyran-4-ol and hydrogen. Brown oil. MS (m/e): 248.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

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Example A71

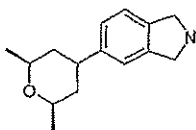
5-((2S,6R)-2,6-Dimethyl-tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindo-1,2-benzopyran

(a) 2-Benzyl-5-((2S,6R)-2,6-dimethyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindo-1,2-benzopyran



15 Prepared in analogy to Example A65(a) from (2S,6R)-4-(2-benzyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-2,6-dimethyl-tetrahydro-pyran-4-ol (Example A70(a)) and methanesulfonyl chloride, triethylamine, and DBU. Brown oil. MS (m/e): 320.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-((2S,6R)-2,6-Dimethyl-tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindo-1,2-benzopyran



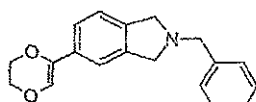
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Prepared in analogy to Example A62(c) from 2-benzyl-5-((2S,6R)-2,6-dimethyl-3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and hydrogen. Brown oil. MS (m/e): 232.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A72

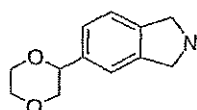
5-[1,4]Dioxan-2-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

(a) 2-Benzyl-5-(5,6-dihydro-[1,4]dioxin-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



Prepared in analogy to Example A49(a) from 2-benzyl-5-bromo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (Example A62(a)) and tributyl-(5,6-dihydro-[1,4]dioxin-2-yl)-stannane. Light brown solid. MS (m/e): 294.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-[1,4]Dioxan-2-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

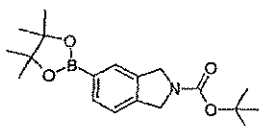


Prepared in analogy to Example A49(b) from 2-benzyl-5-(5,6-dihydro-[1,4]dioxin-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and ammonium formate. Purple solid. MS (m/e): 206.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A73

5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

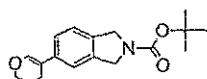
(a) 5-(4,4,5,5-Tetramethyl-[1,3,2]dioxaborolan-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



To a solution of 17.1 mmol 5-bromo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A10(a)) in 50 ml DMF were added 19.3 mmol bis(pinacolato)diboron, 56.0 mmol potassium acetate and 0.57 mmol 1,1-bis(diphenylphosphino)ferrocene

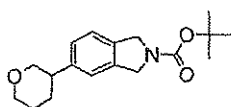
dichloro palladium (II) dichloromethane adduct. The mixture was stirred at 70 °C for 17 hours. The solvent was removed *in vacuo* and the residue was stirred in 50 ml dichloromethane. The mixture was filtered and the filtrate concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography on silica gel (eluant: heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a white solid (yield 76%).

(b) 5-(5,6-Dihydro-4H-pyran-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



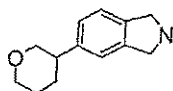
To a stirred solution of 1.59 mmol 5-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-[1,3,2]dioxaborolan-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and 1.44 mmol 5-bromo-3,4-dihydro-2H-pyran (CAS: 26274-19-1) in 9 ml ethanol and 21 ml toluene was added 0.08 mmol 1,1-bis(diphenylphosphino)ferrocene dichloro palladium (II) dichloromethane adduct. The mixture was heated to 80 °C and then 10 ml of a solution of 2 M aqueous sodium carbonate was added dropwise. After stirring for a further 2 h at 80 °C, the reaction mixture was diluted with 50 ml water and extracted with 3 x 50 ml ethyl acetate. The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a yellow oil (40% yield). MS (m/e): 246.1 ([M+H-Me₂C=CH₂]⁺, 100%).

(c) rac-5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



Prepared in analogy to Example A49(b) from 5-(5,6-dihydro-4H-pyran-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and ammonium formate. Light yellow oil. MS (m/e): 248.1 ([M+H-Me₂C=CH₂]⁺, 100%).

(d) rac-5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

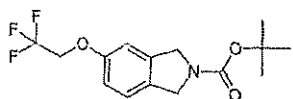


Prepared in analogy to Example A3(e) from rac-5-(tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and hydrochloric acid. Brown oil. MS (m/e): 204.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A74

5 5-(2,2,2-Trifluoro-ethoxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

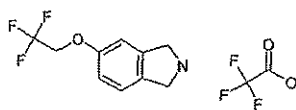
(a) 5-(2,2,2-Trifluoro-ethoxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



Prepared in analogy to Example A6(a) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and 2,2,2-trifluoroethanol. Yellow solid. MS

10 (m/e): 262.0 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%)

(b) 5-(2,2,2-Trifluoro-ethoxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate



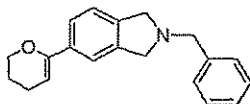
Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Brown oil. MS (m/e):

15 218.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A75

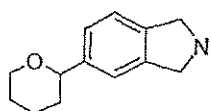
5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

(a) 2-Benzyl-5-(5,6-dihydro-4H-pyran-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



20 Prepared in analogy to Example A49(a) from 2-benzyl-5-bromo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (Example A62(a)) and tributyl-(5,6-dihydro-4H-pyran-2-yl)-stannane. Orange oil. MS (m/e): 292.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



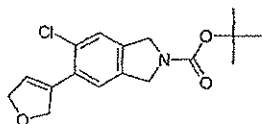
Prepared in analogy to Example A49(b) from 2-benzyl-5-(5,6-dihydro-4H-pyran-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and ammonium formate. Light brown solid. MS (m/e): 204.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

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Example A76

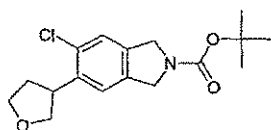
5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

(a) 5-Chloro-6-(2,5-dihydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



10 Prepared in analogy to Example A49(a) from 5-chloro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A3(c)) and tributyl-(2,5-dihydro-furan-3-yl)-stannane. Off-white solid. MS (m/e): 268.3 ($[^{37}\text{Cl}] \text{ M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 32%), 266.1 ($[^{35}\text{Cl}] \text{ M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 100%).

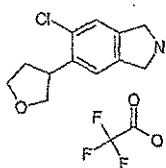
15 (b) 5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



20 Prepared in analogy to Example A68(a) from 5-chloro-6-(2,5-dihydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and platinum(IV) oxide. Off-white solid. MS (m/e): 270.3 ($[^{37}\text{Cl}] \text{ M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 38%), 268.3 ($[^{35}\text{Cl}] \text{ M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 100%).

(c) 5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

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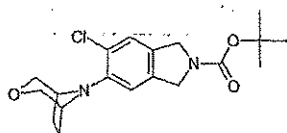
Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-chloro-6-(tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Brown oil. MS (m/e): 226.2 ($[\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 33%), 224.2 ($[\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 100%).

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Example A77

8-(6-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]octane trifluoro-acetate

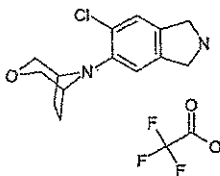
(a) 5-Chloro-6-(3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



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Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-chloro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A3(c)) and 3-oxa-8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane hydrochloride. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 367.1 ($[\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 35%), 365.1 ($[\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 100%).

15 (b) 8-(6-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]octane trifluoro-acetate



Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-chloro-6-(3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid.

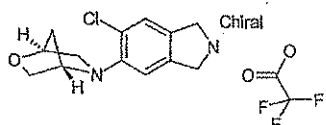
20 Brown oil. MS (m/e): 267.1 ($[\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 43%), 265.1 ($[\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 100%).

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Example A78

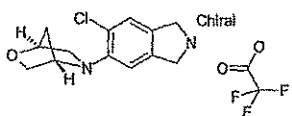
5-Chloro-6-(1S,4S)-2-oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

- (a) 5-Chloro-6-(1S,4S)-2-oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



- Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-chloro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A3(c)) and (1S,4S)-2-oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]heptane trifluoroacetate. Light yellow solid. MS (m/e): 353.1
- 10 ([$\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}\}^+$, 36%), 351.1 ([$\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}\}^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-Chloro-6-(1S,4S)-2-oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

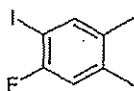


- Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-chloro-6-(1S,4S)-2-oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Brown oil. MS (m/e): 253.1 ([$\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}\}^+$, 26%), 251.1
- 15 ([$\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}\}^+$, 100%).

Example A79

5-Fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

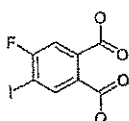
- 20 (a) 1-Fluoro-2-iodo-4,5-dimethyl-benzene



- To a stirred suspension of 50.8 mmol 2-fluoro-4,5-dimethyl-phenylamine (commercial, CAS: 117832-17-4) in 70 ml water was added dropwise at 0 °C a solution of 5 ml concentrated sulfuric acid in 15 ml water. A solution of 66.0 mmol sodium nitrite in 15
- 25 ml water was then added dropwise and stirring continued at 0 °C for 60 min. A solution

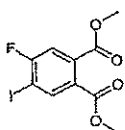
of 173 mmol potassium iodide in 50 ml water was then added dropwise over 30 min while maintaining the reaction temperature between 0 and 5 °C. The reaction mixture was then warmed to room temperature and stirred for 3 h before being quenched with aqueous sodium thiosulphite solution and diluted with ethyl acetate. The phases were separated and the organic phase was washed with water and then dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo* to yield the title compound as a brown solid (69% yield). MS (m/e): 251 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 4-Fluoro-5-iodo-phthalic acid



To a stirred solution of 34.7 mmol 1-fluoro-2-iodo-4,5-dimethyl-benzene in 200 ml acetic acid was added dropwise at 0 °C 40 ml concentrated sulfuric acid. 277 mmol chromium(VI) oxide was then added in small portions. The reaction mixture was then cautiously warmed to 40 °C, whereupon an exothermic reaction started and the temperature rose to 95 °C. Once the initial exotherm was over, the reaction mixture was stirred at 60 °C overnight. The reaction mixture was then diluted with ethyl acetate, tetrahydrofuran and brine. The phases were separated and the organic phase was washed with brine, dried over sodium sulfate, and concentrated *in vacuo* to afford the title compound as a brown solid which was used in the next step without further purification (60% yield). MS (m/e): 309.0 ($[M-H]^-$, 100%).

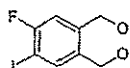
(c) 4-Fluoro-5-iodo-phthalic acid dimethyl ester



To a stirred solution of 19.4 mmol 4-fluoro-5-iodo-phthalic acid in 60 ml DMF was added 58.1 mmol potassium carbonate. The mixture was then warmed to 35 °C and 38.7 mmol methyl iodide was added dropwise. The mixture was heated at 35 °C for 2 h and then at 60 °C for 4 h before being concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was resuspended in ethyl acetate and water and the phases were separated. The organic phase was washed sequentially with 0.5 M aq. sodium hydroxide solution and with brine, then dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography

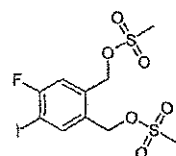
on silical gel (eluant ethyl acetate / heptane) to afford the title compound as an orange oil (53% yield). EI-MS (*m/e*): 338.0 (M^+ , 50%), 307.0 ($[M-OMe]^+$, 100%).

(d) (5-Fluoro-2-hydroxymethyl-4-iodo-phenyl)-methanol



- 5 To 9.38 mmol 4-fluoro-5-iodo-phthalic acid dimethyl ester in 25 ml absolute ethanol was added 9.38 mmol calcium chloride. 18.8 mmol sodium borohydride was then added in small portions and the reaction mixture was stirred for 4 h at room temperature, then at reflux for 2 h and then at room temperature overnight. The mixture was quenched by addition of 20 ml 1 M aq. hydrochloric acid and diluted with water and ethyl acetate. The
- 10 phases were separated and the organic phase was extracted four times with dichloromethane. The combined organic extracts were dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo* to afford the title compound as a yellow oil (98% yield). MS (*m/e*): 283.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

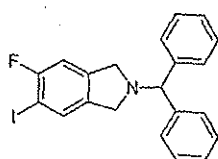
(e) Methanesulfonic acid 4-fluoro-5-iodo-2-methanesulfonyloxymethyl-benzyl ester



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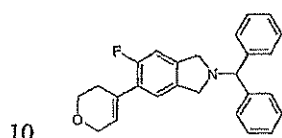
- To a suspension of 8.86 mmol (5-fluoro-2-hydroxymethyl-4-iodo-phenyl)-methanol in 30 ml dichloromethane at 0 °C were added dropwise 22.2 mmol triethylamine and 19.5 mmol methanesulfonyl chloride. The mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 1 h, and then at room temperature for 5 h. The reaction mixture was diluted with water and extracted
- 20 four times with dichloromethane. The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo* to afford the title compound as a yellow oil (67% yield) which was used in the next step without further purification.

(f) 2-Benzhydryl-5-fluoro-6-iodo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



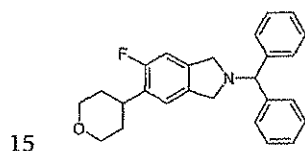
To a mixture of 5.93 mmol methanesulfonic acid 4-fluoro-5-iodo-2-methanesulfonyloxymethyl-benzyl ester and 14.8 mmol N,N-diisopropylethylamine in 7 ml DMF at 0 °C was added dropwise a solution of 6.53 mmol diphenylmethanamine in 5 ml DMF. The mixture was heated at 60 °C for 16 h and was then cooled to room temperature and partitioned between ethyl acetate and water. The organic phase was washed sequentially with water and brine, dried over sodium sulfate, and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography on silica gel (eluant: ethyl acetate/heptane) to afford the title compound as a light yellow solid (55% yield).

(g) 2-Benzhydryl-5-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-6-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



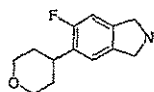
Prepared in analogy to Example A49(a) from 2-benzhydryl-5-fluoro-6-iodo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and tributyl-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-stannane. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 386.1 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

(h) 2-Benzhydryl-5-fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



Prepared in analogy to Example A68(a) from 2-benzhydryl-5-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-6-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole. White solid. MS (m/e): 388.1 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

(i) 5-Fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

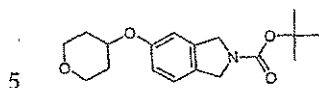


To a stirred solution 0.12 mmol 2-benzhydryl-5-fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole in 4 ml methanol was added 4 mg 10% palladium on charcoal and the mixture was stirred under an atmosphere of hydrogen for 16 h. The reaction mixture was then filtered and the filtrate was concentrated *in vacuo* to yield the title compound as a yellow solid (100% yield). MS (m/e): 222.1 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

Example A80

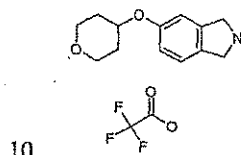
5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

(a) 5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



Prepared in analogy to Example A6(a) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and tetrahydro-4H-pyran-4-ol. White solid. MS (m/e): 264.1 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%)

(b) 5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

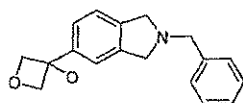


Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 220.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A81

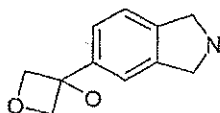
15 5-(3-Fluoro-oxetan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

(a) 3-(2-Benzyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-oxetan-3-ol



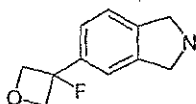
20 Prepared in analogy to Example A62(b) from 2-benzyl-5-bromo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (Example A62(a)) and oxetan-3-one (CAS: 6704-31-0). Brown solid. MS (m/e): 282.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(b) 3-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-oxetan-3-ol



Prepared in analogy to Example A62(c) from 3-(2-benzyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-oxetan-3-ol and hydrogen. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 192.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

(c) 5-(3-Fluoro-oxetan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

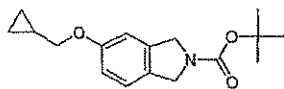


- 5 To 0.58 mmol 3-(2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-oxetan-3-ol in 2 ml acetonitrile and 2 ml nitromethane at -60 °C was added 1.15 mmol diethylaminosulfur trifluoride and the mixture was allowed to warm to 0 °C over 30 min. The reaction mixture was re-cooled to -60 °C and quenched by addition of 5 ml saturated aq. sodium carbonate solution. The mixture was warmed to RT and diluted with THF and ethyl acetate, then washed
- 10 sequentially with water and with brine. The organic phase was separated, dried over sodium sulfate, and concentrated *in vacuo* to afford the title compound as a brown oil (67% yield). MS (m/e): 194.3 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A82

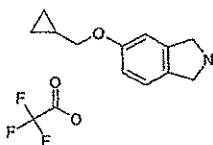
5-Cyclopropylmethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

- 15 (a) 5-Cyclopropylmethoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



Prepared in analogy to Example A6(a) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and cyclopropylmethanol. Off-white solid. MS (m/e): 234.1 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%)

- 20 (b) 5-Cyclopropylmethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

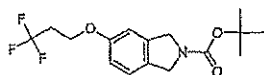


Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-cyclopropylmethoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 190.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A83

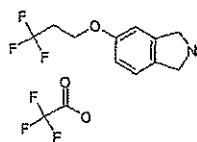
5-(3,3,3-Trifluoro-propoxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

(a) 5-(3,3,3-Trifluoro-propoxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



- 5 Prepared in analogy to Example A6(a) from 5-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A38(b)) and 3,3,3-trifluoropropanol. Off-white solid. MS (m/e): 276.3 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%)

(b) 5-(3,3,3-Trifluoro-propoxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

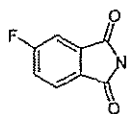


- 10 Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-(3,3,3-trifluoro-propoxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Brown oil. MS (m/e): 232.1 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example A84

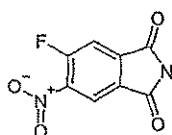
5-Fluoro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

- 15 (a) 5-Fluoro-isoindole-1,3-dione



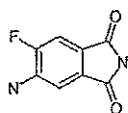
- A mixture of 144 mmol 4-fluorophthalic anhydride and 1.16 mol formamide was heated at 200 °C for 2 h. The reaction mixture was poured onto ice-water and the resulting crystals collected by filtration and dried *in vacuo* to afford the title compound as a yellow solid (100% yield). MS (m/e): 164.4 ($[M-H]^-$, 100%).

(b) 5-Fluoro-6-nitro-isoindole-1,3-dione



To 753 mmol fuming nitric acid at 0 °C was added dropwise 150 ml 20% oleum. 150.6 mmol 5-fluoro-isoindole-1,3-dione was then added portionwise and the resulting suspension was allowed to warm to room temperature over 4 hours and then stirred for a further 16 h at room temperature and finally was heated at 50 °C for 3 h. The reaction mixture was poured onto ice and the resulting mixture was filtered and the filter cake dried *in vacuo* to afford the title compound as a yellow solid (68% yield). MS (m/e): 209.1 ([M-H]⁻, 100%).

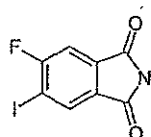
(c) 5-Amino-6-fluoro-isoindole-1,3-dione



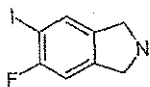
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To a suspension of 99.9 mmol 5-fluoro-6-nitro-isoindole-1,3-dione in 400 ml concentrated hydrochloric acid was added 350 mmol tin(II) chloride dehydrate and the resulting mixture was heated at 60 °C for 2 h. The reaction mixture was then poured onto ice-water and then 28% aq sodium hydroxide was added with stirring until a suspension was formed. The crystals were collected by filtration and dried *in vacuo* to afford the title compound as a yellow solid (80% yield). MS (m/e): 179.1 ([M-H]⁻, 100%).

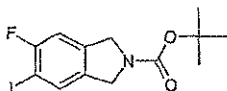
(d) 5-Fluoro-6-iodo-isoindole-1,3-dione



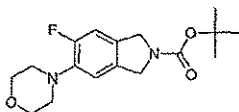
To 99.9 mmol copper(I) iodide in dry acetonitrile was added 112 mmol tert-butyl nitrite and the resulting suspension was heated at 65 °C. 66.6 mmol 5-amino-6-fluoro-isoindole-1,3-dione was then added portionwise and the reaction mixture stirred at 65 °C for 2 h and then allowed to cool to room temperature. The mixture was poured onto cold 1 M aq hydrochloric acid and then the acetonitrile was removed *in vacuo*. The aqueous residue was stirred at 0 °C for 20 min, and the resulting solid was collected by filtration and dried *in vacuo* to afford the title compound as a brown solid (87% yield). MS (m/e): 290.0 ([M-H]⁻, 100%).

(e) 5-Fluoro-6-iodo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

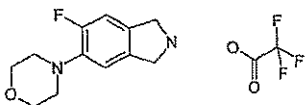
Prepared in analogy to Example A1 from 5-fluoro-6-iodo-isoindole-1,3-dione and borane tetrahydrofuran complex. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 264.0 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

5 (f) 5-Fluoro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

Prepared in analogy to Example A3(c) from 5-fluoro-6-iodo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and di-tert-butyl dicarbonate. Light yellow solid. MS (m/e): 308.1 ($[M+H-Me_2C=CH_2]^+$, 100%).

10 (g) 5-Fluoro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester

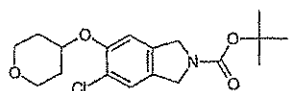
Prepared in analogy to Example A3(d) from 5-fluoro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and morpholine. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 323.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

15 (h) 5-Fluoro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-fluoro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Yellow oil. MS (m/e): 223.4 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

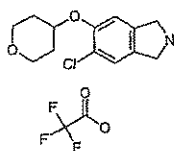
5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

(a) 5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



- Prepared in analogy to Example A6(a) from 5-chloro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A3(c)) and tetrahydro-4H-pyran-4-ol. Off-white solid. MS (m/e): 300.1 ($[\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 36%), 298.3 ($[\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate



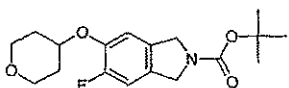
- Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Yellow oil. 256.3 ($[\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 50%), 254.3 ($[\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$, 100%).

Example A86

5-Fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

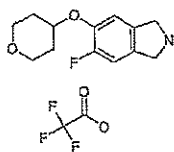
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(a) 5-Fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester



- Prepared in analogy to Example A6(a) from 5-fluoro-6-iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (Example A84(f)) and tetrahydro-4H-pyran-4-ol. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 282.3 ($[\text{M}+\text{H}-\text{Me}_2\text{C}=\text{CH}_2]^+$, 100%).

(b) 5-Fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate

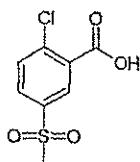


Prepared in analogy to Example A2(c) from 5-fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester and trifluoroacetic acid. Yellow oil. 238.1 ([M+H]⁺, 100%).

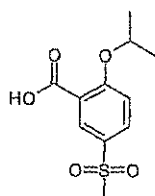
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Example B1

2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid

(a) 2-Chloro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid

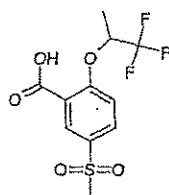
To 99 mmol 2-chloro-5-(methylthio) benzoic acid (purchased from Aldrich) in 400 ml methanol at 0 °C was added 296 mmol oxone® and the mixture was allowed to stir at RT for 3.5 h. The precipitate was filtered off and the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was extracted 3 times with 400 ml ethyl acetate and the combined organic phases washed twice with 300 ml 1 N HCl and with 300 ml saturated aqueous NaCl solution and dried with MgSO₄. Evaporation under reduced pressure yielded the title compound which was used in the next step without further purification.

(b) 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid

A mixture of 2.13 mmol 2-chloro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid, 0.64 mmol Cu(I)Br in 5 ml triethylamine and 25 ml isopropanol was heated to 120 °C for 16 h in a sealed tube. The volatiles were removed in vacuo and the residue was taken up in 70 ml 1 N HCl. Extraction with ethyl acetate, drying of the combined organic fractions and evaporation yielded a residue which was purified by reversed phase preparative HPLC eluting with an acetonitrile/water gradient. Evaporation of the product fractions yielded the title compound. MS (m/e): 257.0 ([M-H]⁻, 100%)

Example B2

Rac-5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid

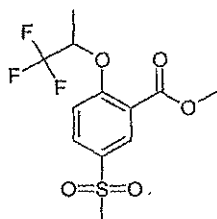


- Prepared in analogy to Example B1 (b) from 2-chloro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (Example B1(a)) and rac-1,1,1-trifluoro-propan-2-ol. The crude material was purified by preparative HPLC to yield the title compound as a white solid. MS (m/e): 311.3 ([M-H]⁻, 100%).

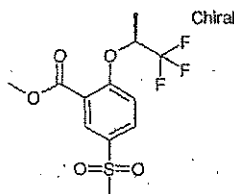
Example B3

5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid

- 10 (a) rac-5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid methyl ester

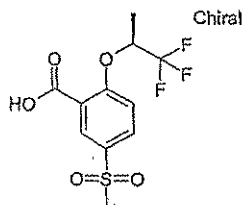


- A mixture of 21.7 mmol 2-hydroxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid methyl ester (WO 2002074774), 32.5 mmol trifluoro-methanesulfonic acid 2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethyl ester [212556-43-9] and 43.4 mmol potassium carbonate in 87 ml DMF was stirred at 80 °C for 48 hours. After cooling to room temperature, the mixture was concentrated in vacuo, resuspended in water and stirred for 1 hour. Filtration yielded the title compound.

(b) 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid methyl ester

The title compound was obtained by separation of rac-5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid methyl ester by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD, 15 % ethanol/heptane, flow 35 ml min⁻¹, 220 nm, retention time: 86 min.).

(c) 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid



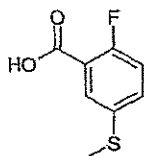
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To 0.604 mmol 5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid methyl ester in 1.97 ml ethanol was added 1.21 mmol 2 N aq NaOH solution and the reaction mixture was stirred at 80 °C for 0.5 hour. After such time the solvent was removed *in vacuo*, the residue was taken in water and acidified by addition of 2N HCl to
 10 yield after filtration the title compound as a white solid (88%). MS (m/e): 311.0 ([M-H]⁻, 100%)

Example B4

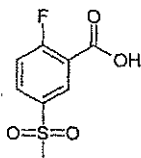
2-Isopropylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid

15 a) 2-Fluoro-5-methylsulfanyl-benzoic acid



The title compound was prepared by following the procedure described in: Journal of Organometallic Chemistry 1991, 419(1-2), 1-8.

20 b) 2-Fluoro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid

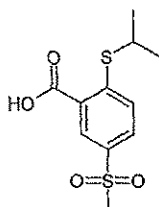


To 2.68 mmol 2-fluoro-5-methanesulfanyl-benzoic acid in 5 ml methanol at 0 °C was added 8.05 mmol oxone® and the mixture was allowed to stir at RT for 72 h. The precipitate was filtered off and the filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The
 25 residue was treated with water and extracted 3 times with 400 ml dichloromethane. The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate. Evaporation under reduced

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pressure yielded the title compound as a white crystalline solid (yield 79%). MS (m/e): 217.2 ($M-H^+$, 100%).

c) 2-Isopropylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid



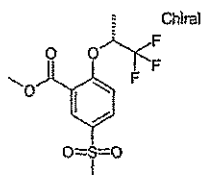
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To a solution of 4.58 mmol 2-fluoro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid in 6 ml N,N-dimethylacetamide were added 15.2 mmol cesium carbonate and 10.1 mmol 2-propanethiol and the mixture was stirred at 90 °C for 3 h. The reaction mixture was then cooled to room temperature and acidified to pH1 by addition of hydrochloric acid before
10 being extracted three times with ethyl acetate. The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated in vacuo to afford the title compound as a light yellow liquid which was used in the next step without further purification (yield 99%). EI-MS (m/e): 274.1 (M^+ , 35%), 232.1 ($[M-C_3H_6]^+$, 30%), 214.1 ($(M-C_3H_6-H_2O)^+$, 100%).

Example B5

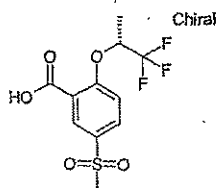
15 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid

(a) 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid methyl ester



The title compound was obtained by separation of rac-5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid methyl ester (Example B3(a)) by chiral HPLC (Chiralcel OD, 15 % ethanol/ Heptane, flow 35 ml min⁻¹, 220 nm, retention time: 74 min.).

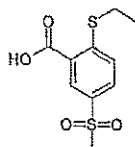
(b) 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid



Prepared in analogy to Example B3(c) from 5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid methyl ester. MS (m/e): 311.0 ($[M-H]^-$, 100%)

Example B6

2-Ethylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid



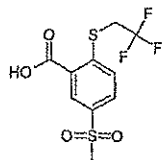
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To a solution of 4.58 mmol 2-fluoro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (Example B4(b)) in 6 ml N,N-dimethylformamide were added 13.8 mmol cesium carbonate and 9.25 mmol ethanethiol and the mixture was stirred at 90 °C for 30 min. The reaction mixture was then cooled to room temperature and acidified to pH1 by addition of hydrochloric acid before being extracted three times with ethyl acetate. The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated in vacuo to afford the title compound as a white solid which was used in the next step without further purification (yield 99%). MS (m/e): 259.0 ($[M-H]^-$, 100%).

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Example B7

5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethylsulfanyl)-benzoic acid



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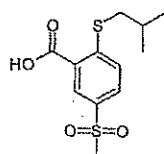
To a solution of 4.58 mmol 2-fluoro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (Example B4(b)) in 6 ml N,N-dimethylformamide were added 13.8 mmol cesium carbonate and 9.16 mmol 2,2,2-trifluoro-ethanethiol and the mixture was stirred at 90 °C for 30 min. The reaction mixture was then cooled to room temperature and acidified to pH1 by addition of hydrochloric acid before being extracted three times with ethyl acetate. The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated in vacuo to afford the title compound as a red-brown solid which was used in the next step without further purification (yield 99%). MS (m/e): 312.9 ($[M-H]^-$, 100%).

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Example B8

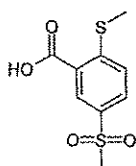
2-Isobutylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid



To a solution of 4.58 mmol 2-fluoro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (Example B4(b)) in 6 ml N,N-dimethylformamide were added 13.8 mol cesium carbonate and 9.97 mmol 2-methyl-1-propanethiol and the mixture was stirred at 90 °C for 30 min. The reaction mixture was then cooled to room temperature and acidified to pH1 by addition of hydrochloric acid before being extracted three times with ethyl acetate. The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated in vacuo to afford the title compound as a white solid which was used in the next step without further purification (yield 99%). MS (m/e): 287.0 ([M-H]⁻, 100%).

Example B9

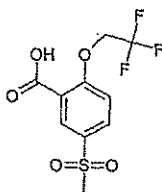
10 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-methylsulfanyl-benzoic acid



To a solution of 4.58 mmol 2-fluoro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (Example B4(b)) in 6 ml N,N-dimethylformamide were added 13.8 mol cesium carbonate and 10.0 mmol sodium methanethiolate and the mixture was stirred at 90 °C for 30 min. The reaction mixture was then cooled to room temperature and acidified to pH1 by addition of hydrochloric acid before being extracted three times with ethyl acetate. The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate and concentrated in vacuo to afford the title compound as a colourless oil which was used in the next step without further purification (yield 99%). MS (m/e): 244.9 ([M-H]⁻, 100%).

20 Example B10

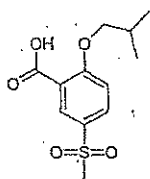
5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-benzoic acid



Prepared in analogy to Example B1 (b) from 2-chloro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (Example B1(a)) and 2,2,2-trifluoro-ethanol. The crude material was purified by preparative HPLC to yield the title compound as a white solid. MS (m/e): 297.0 ([M-H]⁻, 100%).

Example B11

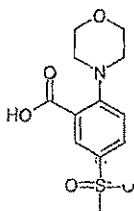
2-Isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid



Prepared in analogy to Example B1 (b) from 2-chloro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (Example B1(a)) and isobutanol. The crude material was purified by flash chromatography to yield the title compound as a white solid. MS (m/e): 271.1 ($[M-H]^-$, 100%).

Example B12

5-Methanesulfonyl-2-morpholin-4-yl-benzoic acid

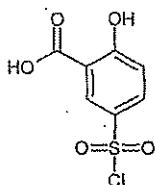


A mixture of 4.26 mmol 2-chloro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (Example B1(a)) in 8 ml morpholine was heated at 110 °C for 15 h. After evaporation of all volatiles the residue was acidified by addition of 1 N HCl and extracted three times with ethyl acetate. The combined organic extracts were washed sequentially with 1 N HCl and saturated brine, dried over sodium sulphate, and concentrated in vacuo to afford the title compound as a light yellow amorphous solid (58%). MS (m/e): 284.1 ($[M-H]^-$, 100%).

Example B13

2-Methoxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid

(a) 5-Chlorosulfonyl-2-hydroxy-benzoic acid

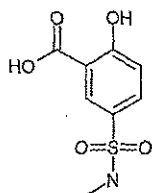


To 3.26 mol chlorosulfonic acid at 0 °C was added 652 mmol salicylic acid in small portions and the mixture was then allowed to stir at RT for 1 h, then at 50 °C for 1 h, and finally at 70 °C for 1 h. The mixture was then added dropwise to 1000 ml ice-water with stirring and stirring continued for an additional 30 min. The ensuing white crystals were collected by filtration, washed three times with water, and then dried *in vacuo* at 45 °C for

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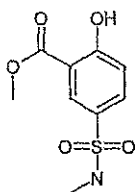
16 h to yield the title compound. MS (m/e): 236.8 ($[\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$, 33%), 235.0 ($[\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$, 100%)

(b) 2-Hydroxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid



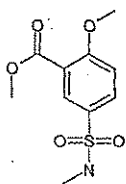
- 5 To 63 mmol 5-chlorosulfonyl-2-hydroxy-benzoic acid in 120 ml dichloromethane at RT was added dropwise 317 mmol methylamine (8 M solution in ethanol) and the mixture was allowed to stir at RT for 1 h. The mixture was then concentrated in vacuo. The residue was suspended in 1 M aq NaOH solution and extracted twice with ether. The aqueous phase was acidified with 5 M aq HCl, saturated with NaCl, and extracted 3 times
 10 with THF. The combined THF extracts were washed twice with saturated aqueous NaCl solution and dried with Na_2SO_4 . Evaporation in vacuo yielded the title compound. MS (m/e): 249.0 ($\text{M}+\text{NH}_4^+$, 100%), 231.9 ($\text{M}+\text{H}^+$, 63%)

(c) 2-Hydroxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid methyl ester



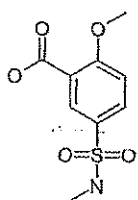
- 15 To 77 mmol 2-hydroxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid in 300 ml THF was added 85 mmol CDI and the mixture heated at 70 °C for 1 h. 770 mmol methanol was then added and the mixture was heated at 70 °C for 16 h. The mixture was then cooled to room temperature and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (eluant: ethyl acetate/heptane/dichloromethane 45:45:10) to afford the title compound.
 20 MS (m/e): 244.1 ($[\text{M}-\text{H}]^-$, 100%)

d) 2-Methoxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid methyl ester



To 2.04 mmol 2-hydroxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid methyl ester, 2.2 mmol methanol and 2.34 mmol triphenylphosphine in 10 ml THF was added 2.24 mmol di-tert-butyl azodicarboxylate and the mixture was stirred at RT for 2 h. The mixture was
 5 then concentrated in vacuo. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel (eluant: ethyl acetate/heptane) to afford the title compound.

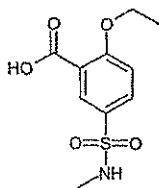
e) 2-Methoxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid



Prepared in analogy to Example B3(c) from 2-Methoxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid
 10 methyl ester. MS (m/e): 244.1 ([M-H]⁻, 100%)

Example B14

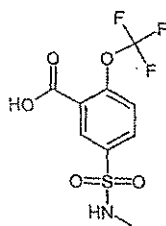
2-Ethoxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid



Prepared in analogy to Example B13(d-e) from 2-Hydroxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic
 15 acid methyl ester and ethanol. MS (m/e): 257.9 ([M-H]⁻, 100%)

Example B15

5-Methylsulfamoyl-2-trifluoromethoxy-benzoic acid



(a) 5-Chlorosulfonyl-2-trifluoromethoxy-benzoic acid

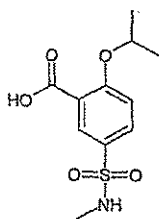
A solution of 2-trifluoromethoxy benzoic acid [1979-29-9] (1.0 g) was added in small batches to chlorosulfonic acid (3.2 mL) at 0°C. After completion of the addition, the reaction mixture was stirred at 70°C for 4 hours then left at room temperature overnight and heated at 75°C for another 3 hours. After such time the reaction was slowly poured onto ice, and the precipitate was then filtered, washed with water and dried to yield the title compound as a white solid (1.2 g). MS (m/e): 303.3 (M-H, 100%).

(b) 5-Methylsulfamoyl-2-trifluoromethoxy-benzoic acid

To a solution of 5-Chlorosulfonyl-2-trifluoromethoxy-benzoic acid (0.15 g) in dichloromethane (1.5 ml) was added a solution of methylamine in methanol (8M, 0.31 mL) and the reaction mixture was stirred for 2 minutes after precipitation was complete. The reaction mixture was then concentrated *in vacuo* and the residue was dissolved in 1N NaOH (2 mL) and extracted with diethylether. The aqueous phase was then acidified using 3 N hydrochloric acid solution (2 mL) and the solution was extracted with dichloromethane (2 x 10 mL). The combined organic phases were dried with sodium sulfate and concentrated *in vacuo* to yield the title compound as a white solid (0.12 g). MS (m/e): 298.0 (M-H, 100%).

Example B16

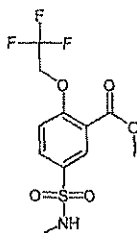
2-Isopropoxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid



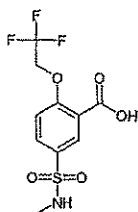
Prepared in analogy to Example B13(d-e) from 2-Hydroxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid methyl ester and 2-Propanol. MS (m/e): 272.2 ([M-H]⁻, 100%)

Example B17

5-Methylsulfamoyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-benzoic acid

(a) 5-Methylsulfamoyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-benzoic acid methyl ester

- 5 To 3.3 mmol 2-hydroxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid methyl ester (example B13c)) and 3.3 mmol potassium carbonate in 50 ml acetone was added dropwise 4.9 mmol 2,2,2-trifluoro-ethyl trifluoromethanesulfonate and the mixture was heated at 60 °C for 16 h. The mixture was then concentrated in vacuo. The residue was suspended in dichloromethane and filtered. The filtrate was concentrated in vacuo and the residue was chromatographed on silica gel (eluant: ethyl acetate/heptane 3:7) to afford the title compound. MS (m/e): 328.0 (M+H⁺, 100%)

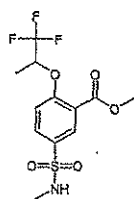
(b) 5-Methylsulfamoyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-benzoic acid

- To 2.3 mmol 5-methylsulfamoyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-benzoic acid methyl ester in 10 ml THF was added 20 mmol 2 M aq NaOH and the mixture was heated at 50 °C for 2 h. The mixture was then cooled to RT and extracted twice with ether. The aqueous phase was acidified with 10% aq citric acid and extracted 3 times with ethyl acetate. The combined organic phases were dried with Na₂SO₄. Evaporation in vacuo followed by trituration in ether afforded the title compound. MS (m/e): 312.0 ([M-H]⁻, 100%)

Example B18

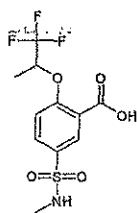
Rac-5-methylsulfamoyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid

(a) rac-5-Methylsulfamoyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid methyl ester



To 4.1 mmol 2-hydroxy-5-methylsulfonyl-benzoic acid methyl ester and 4.1 mmol potassium carbonate in 5 ml DMF was added dropwise 6.1 mmol trifluoro-methanesulfonic acid 2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethyl ester and the mixture was heated at 90 °C for 16 h. The mixture was then cooled to RT, poured onto water and extracted 3 times with ethyl acetate. The combined organic phases were dried with Na₂SO₄. Evaporation in vacuo followed by chromatography on silica gel (eluant: dichloromethane) afforded the title compound. MS (m/e): 359.2 (M+NH₄⁺, 80%), 342.0 (M+H⁺, 100%)

(b) rac-5-Methylsulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid



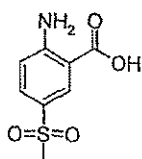
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To 1.6 mmol rac-5-methylsulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid methyl ester in 10 ml THF was added 20 mmol 2 M aq NaOH and the mixture was heated at 50 °C for 2 h. The mixture was then cooled to RT and extracted twice with ether. The aqueous phase was acidified with 10% aq citric acid and extracted twice with ethyl acetate. The combined organic phases were dried with Na₂SO₄. Evaporation in vacuo followed by trituration in ether and hexane afforded the title compound. MS (m/e): 326.2 ([M-H]⁻, 100%)

Example B19

4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid

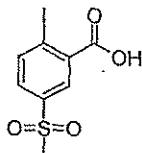
20 (a) 2-Amino-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid



A mixture of 4.26 mmol 2-chloro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1a)), step1), 0.39 mmol Copper powder and 10 ml ammonium hydroxide 25% was heated at

125-130°C with stirring for 18 hours. Mixture was cooled to room temperature and filtered. The solid was washed with methanol. The filtrate was concentrated in vacuo. The residue was acidified with HCl 1N to pH=2. The obtained solid was washed with water and dried (HV, 50°C, 1 hour) to yield the title compound. MS (m/e): 214.1 (M-H, 100%)

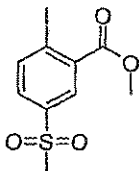
5 (b) 2-Iodo-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid



To a suspension of 3.0 mmol 2-amino-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid in a mixture of 1.7 ml sulfuric acid and 1.7 ml water was added dropwise a solution of 3.92 mmol sodium nitrite in 1.7 ml water at such rate that the temperature did not exceed 3°C. The mixture
10 was stirred at 0°C for 1 hour. A solution of 3.0 mmol KI in 1.7 ml water was added dropwise at 0°C. The brown suspension was allowed to warm to rt and stirred for 30 minutes. Excess iodine was destroyed by addition of a few drops of a sodium hydrogensulfite solution. The solid was filtered, washed with water and dried (HV, 50°C, 1 hour) to yield the title compound. MS (m/e): 325.0 (M-H, 100%)

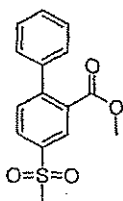
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(c) 2-Iodo-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid methyl ester



To 30.7 mmol 2-Iodo-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid in 250 ml THF was added 33.7 mmol CDI and the mixture was heated at 70 °C for 1 h. Methanol (12.4 ml) was then
20 added and the mixture was heated at 70 °C for a further 1 h. The mixture was then cooled to room temperature and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was chromatographed over SiO₂ (ethyl acetate/dichloromethane 4:1) to afford the title compound (86%) as a white crystalline solid.

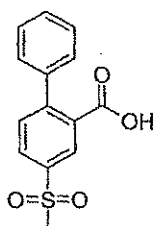
25 (d) 4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid methyl ester



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A mixture of 3.53 mmol 2-Iodo-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid methyl ester, 3.88 mmol Phenyltri-n-butyltin, 0.25 mmol Tris(dibenzylideneacetone)dipalladium(0), 0.35 mmol Triphenylarsine and 1.62 mmol Copper iodide in N,N-Dimethylformamide (30 ml) was heated at 90 °C for 16 hours. The mixture was cooled to room temperature and concentrated in vacuo. The residue was chromatographed over SiO₂ (ethyl acetate/heptane gradient) to provide the title compound (99%) as an off-white crystalline solid. MS (m/e): 291.0 (MH⁺, 100%)

(e) 4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid

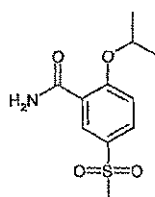


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To 3.44 mmol 4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid methyl ester in 5 ml THF was added 37.9 mmol 5 M aq. NaOH solution and the mixture was heated at 60 °C for 16 h. The mixture was then cooled to RT, acidified to pH 1 with conc. hydrochloric acid, and extracted 3 times with ethyl acetate. The combined organic phases were dried with Na₂SO₄. Evaporation in vacuo afforded the title compound (95%) as an off-white crystalline solid. MS (m/e): 275.1 (M-H, 100%)

Example B20

2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzamide

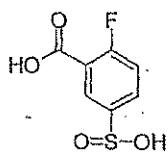


20 Prepared in analogy to Example A17(a) from 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1) and ammonium hydroxyde. MS (m/e): 258.1 ([M+H⁺, 100%)

Example B21

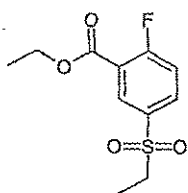
Rac-5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid

(a) 2-Fluoro-5-sulfinobenzoic acid



264 mmol 5-Chlorosulfonyl-2-fluoro-benzoic acid (CAS: 37098-75-2) was added portionwise onto a solution of 1.98 mol sodium sulfite in 1 L of water. The reaction mixture was kept under basic conditions by the addition of the proper amount of 20% NaOH and was stirred at room temperature for 45 minutes. After such time the reaction mixture was cooled down with an ice bath and was then acidified by the addition of 20% H₂SO₄ solution until reaching pH 2. Water was evaporated and 600 ml methanol was added. The mixture was stirred overnight and filtrated. The filtrate was evaporated and dried to yield the title compound as a white solid (72%). MS (m/e): 203.0 ([M-H, 100%])

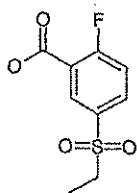
10 (b) 5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-fluoro-benzoic acid ethyl ester



To 24 mmol 2-Fluoro-5-sulfinobenzoic acid in 200 ml of DMF was added 73 mmol potassium carbonate and 86 mmol ethyl iodide. The reaction mixture was then stirred at room temperature for 50 hours. After such time the reaction mixture was concentrated *in vacuo* and the residue was dissolved in 100 ml water. The aqueous phase was extracted 2x50 ml with ethyl acetate. The combined extracts were dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and the solvent was removed *in vacuo*. The residue was chromatographed over SiO₂ (ethyl acetate/heptane gradient) to provide the title compound (51%) as a colorless oil. MS (m/e): 261.1 ([M+H]⁺, 100%)

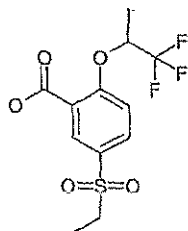
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(c) 5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-fluoro-benzoic acid



Prepared in analogy to Example B3(c) from 5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-fluoro-benzoic acid ethyl ester using lithium hydroxide instead of sodium hydroxide. White solid. MS (m/e): 232.1 (M^+ , 100%).

(d) rac-5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid

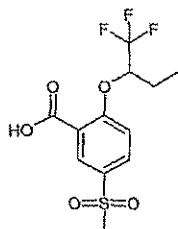


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Prepared in analogy to Example B4(c) from 5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-fluoro-benzoic acid and rac-1,1,1-Trifluoro-propan-2-ol (commercial). White solid. MS (m/e): 325.1 ([M-H], 100%).

Example B22

10 rac-5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(1-trifluoromethyl-propoxy)-benzoic acid

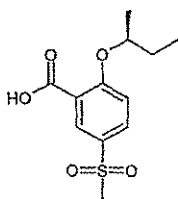


Prepared in analogy to Example B4(c) from 2-Fluoro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B4(b)) and rac-1,1,1-Trifluoro-butan-2-ol (CAS: 431-36-7). White solid. MS (m/e): 325.0 ([M-H], 100%).

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Example B23

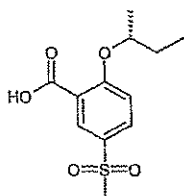
2-((S)-sec-Butoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid



Prepared in analogy to Example B4(c) from 2-Fluoro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B4(b)) and S-(+)-2-butanol. White solid. MS (m/e): 271.1 ([M-H], 100%).

Example B24

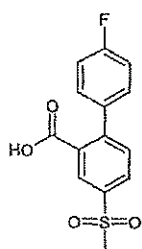
2-((R)-sec-Butoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid



Prepared in analogy to Example B4(c) from 2-Fluoro-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B4(b)) and R-(-)-2-butanol. White solid. MS (m/e): 271.1 ([M-H], 100%).

Example B25

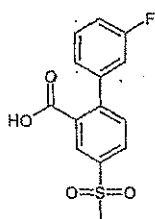
4'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid



A mixture of 6.1 mmol 2-Iodo-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B19(b)), 12.2 mmol 4-fluorobenzeneboronic acid, 18.4 mmol sodium carbonate and 0.3 mmol palladium (II) acetate in 30 ml water was stirred at room temperature for 48 hours. The mixture was filtered and the filtrate was acidified with HCl 37%. The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 30 minutes. The solid was filtered, washed with water and dried to provide the title compound (92%). Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 293.2 ([M-H], 100%).

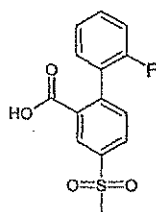
Example B26

3'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid



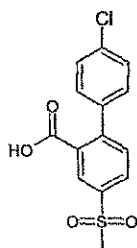
Prepared in analogy to Example B25 from 2-Iodo-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B19(b)) and 3-fluorobenzeneboronic acid. Yellow solid. MS (m/e): 293.2 ([M-H], 100%).

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Example B27**2'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid**

Prepared in analogy to Example B25 from 2-Iodo-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B19(b)) and 2-fluorobenzeneboronic acid. Light brown solid.

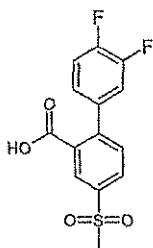
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Example B28**4'-Chloro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid**

Prepared in analogy to Example B25 from 2-Iodo-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B19(b)) and 4-chloro-benzeneboronic acid. Light brown solid. MS (m/e): 309.1 ([M-H], 100%).

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Example B29**3',4'-Difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid**

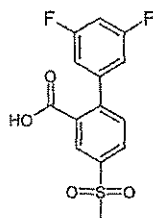


Prepared in analogy to Example B25 from 2-Iodo-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B19(b)) and 3,4-difluoro-benzeneboronic acid. Light brown solid. MS (m/e): 311.1 ([M-H], 100%).

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Example B30

3',5'-Difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid



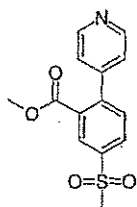
Prepared in analogy to Example B25 from 2-Iodo-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B19(b)) and 3,5-difluoro-benzeneboronic acid. Light brown solid. MS (m/e): 311.1 ([M-H], 100%).

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Example B31

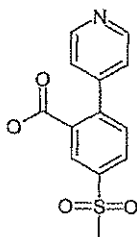
5-Methanesulfonyl-2-pyridin-4-yl-benzoic acid

a) 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-pyridin-4-yl-benzoic acid methyl ester



15 Prepared in analogy to Example B19(d) from 2-Iodo-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid methyl ester (example B19(c)) and 4-tributylstannane-pyridine (commercial). Light yellow solid. MS (m/e): 291.9([M+H]⁺, 100%).

(b) 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-pyridin-4-yl-benzoic acid

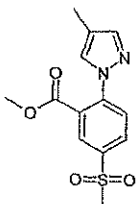


Prepared in analogy to Example B3(c) from 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-pyridin-4-yl-benzoic acid methyl ester. Light yellow solid. MS (m/e): 276.1 ([M-H], 100%).

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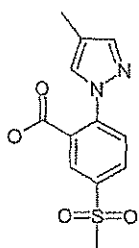
Example B32

5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(4-methyl-pyrazol-1-yl)-benzoic acid

a) 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(4-methyl-pyrazol-1-yl)-benzoic acid methyl ester

10 In a glass tube was added successively 0.29 mmol 2-Iodo-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid methyl ester (example B19(c)), 0.35 mmol 4-methylpyrazole, 0.59 mmol potassium carbonate, 0.06 mmol CuI and a solution of 0.12 mmol trans-1,2-diaminocyclohexane in 0.4 ml dioxane (degassed). The tube was filled with argon and sealed with a cap. The reaction mixture was heated at 120°C overnight. The reaction mixture was cooled down to room temperature, dichloromethane and water were added. The aqueous phase was
15 extracted 2 times with dichloromethane. The combined organic phases were dried over sodium sulfate and evaporated. The crude compound was purified on a 10g Flashpack cartridge. Eluent: Heptane/ethylacetate to provide the title compound (57%) as a light yellow oil. MS (m/e): 295.0([M+H]⁺, 100%).

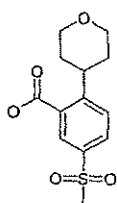
(b) 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(4-methyl-pyrazol-1-yl)-benzoic acid



Prepared in analogy to Example B3(c) from 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(4-methyl-pyrazol-1-yl)-benzoic acid methyl ester. White solid. MS (m/e): 279.1 ([M-H], 100%).

Example B33

5 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-benzoic acid



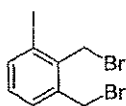
Prepared in analogy to Example B49(b) from 2-(3,6-Dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 847547-05-1). Colorless oil. MS (m/e): 283.2([M-H], 100%).

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Example C1

(4-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone

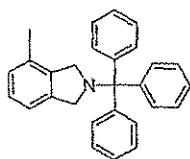
(a) 1,2-Bis-bromomethyl-3-iodo-benzene



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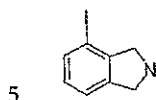
Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (a) from 1-Iodo-2,3-dimethyl-benzene (commercial) and NBS. Brown oil.

(b) 4-Iodo-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



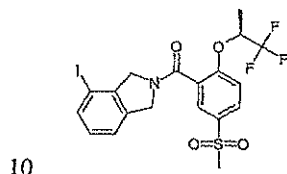
Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (b) from 1,2-Bis-bromomethyl-3-iodo-benzene and triphenylmethylamine. White solid.

(c) 4-Iodo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole



Prepared in analogy to Example A2 (c) from 4-Iodo-2-trityl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and trifluoroacetic acid. Light yellow solid.

(d) (4-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone

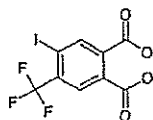


Prepared in analogy to Example 1 from 4-Iodo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3). Off white solid. MS (m/e): 540.0 (MH⁺, 100%).

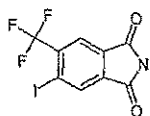
Example C2

- 15 (5-Iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone

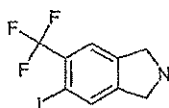
(a) 4-Iodo-5-trifluoromethyl-phthalic acid



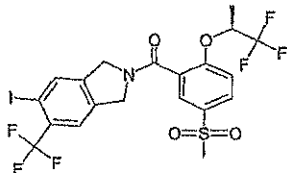
- 20 Prepared in analogy to Example A15 (a) from 1-Iodo-4,5-dimethyl-2-trifluoromethyl-benzene (CAS: 165323-73-9) and chromium(VI) oxide. Grey solid. MS (m/e): 359.0 ([M-H]⁻, 100%).

(b) 5-Iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-isoindole-1,3-dione

Prepared in analogy to Example A15 (b) from 4-Iodo-5-trifluoromethyl-phthalic acid and urea. Light brown solid. MS (m/e): 339.9 ($[M-H]^-$, 100%).

5 (c) 5-Iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole

Prepared in analogy to Example A1 from 5-iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-isoindole-1,3-dione and borane tetrahydrofuran complex. Brown solid. MS (m/e): 313.9 ($[M+H]^+$, 100%).

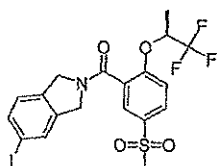
10 (d) (5-Iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone

Prepared in analogy to Example 1 from 5-Iodo-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3). Yellow foam. MS (m/e): 607.0 (M^+ , 100%).

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Example C3

(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone

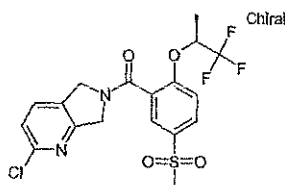


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Prepared in analogy to Example 1 from 5-Iodo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A38(a)) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3). Off white solid. MS (m/e): 539.1 (M^+ , 100%).

Example C4

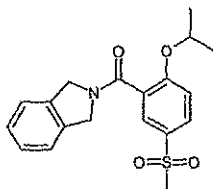
- 5 (2-Chloro-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone RO4988168-000



- Prepared in analogy to Example 1 from 2-chloro-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (Example A8(b)) and 5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3). Yellow foam. MS (m/e): 451.0 ($\{^{37}\text{Cl}\}[M+H]^+$, 41%), 449.2 ($\{^{35}\text{Cl}\}[M+H]^+$, 100%).
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Example 1

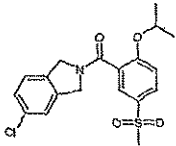
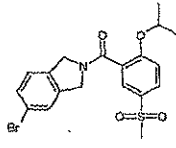
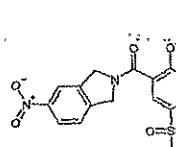
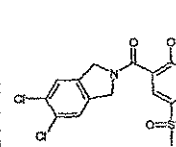
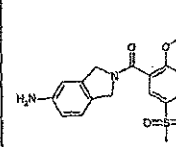
Preparation of (1,3-Dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone

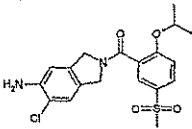
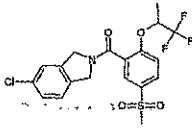
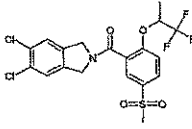
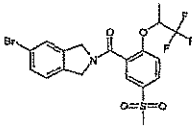


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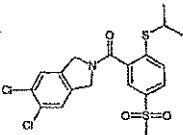
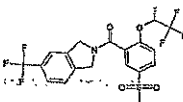
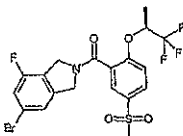
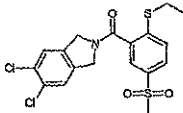
- A mixture of 0.387 mmol 2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1), 0.464 mmol 2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindole (commercial), 0.426 mmol TBTU and 1.935 mmol DIPEA in 1.4 ml DMF was stirred at RT for 2 h. The reaction mixture was evaporated *in vacuo*. The residue was taken in water and extracted with ethylacetate. The combined organic phases were washed with saturated sodium bicarbonate solution, dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO_2 , heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title compound as a light brown solid (88% yield). MS (m/e): 360.2 $[M+H]^+$, 100%
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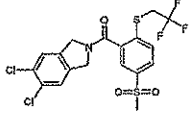
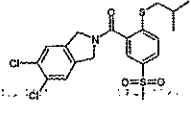
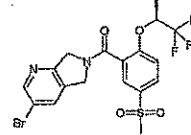
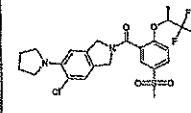
- 25 In analogy to Example 1, compounds 2 to 91 of the following table were prepared from the acid derivatives and amine derivatives:

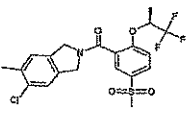
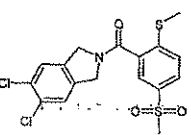
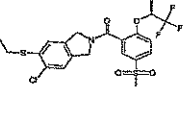
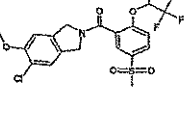
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3		(5-Bromo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 440.2 (⁸¹ Br), 438.3 (⁷⁹ Br)	5-Bromo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 127168-84-7) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	438.3
4		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(5-nitro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone 405.4	5-Nitro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 46053-72-9) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	404.4
5		(5,6-Dichloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 432.2 (³⁷ Cl, ³⁷ Cl), 430.3 (³⁷ Cl, ³⁵ Cl), 428.3 (³⁵ Cl, ³⁵ Cl)	5,6-Dichloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 15997-90-7) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	428.3
6		(5-Amino-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 375.5	2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-ylamine (CAS: 45766-35-6) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	374.5

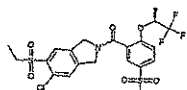
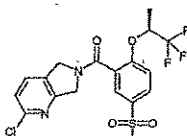
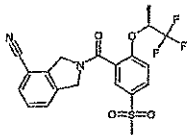
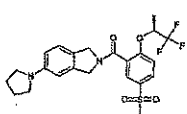
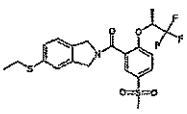
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8		rac-(5-Chloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 448.3	5-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 127168-76-7) and rac-5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B2)	447.9
9		rac-(5,6-Dichloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 486.2 (³⁷ Cl, ³⁷ Cl), 484.3 (³⁷ Cl, ³⁵ Cl), 482.3 (³⁵ Cl, ³⁵ Cl)	5,6-Dichloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 15997-90-7) and rac-5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B2)	482.3
10		rac-(5-Bromo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 494.2 (⁸¹ Br), 492.1 (⁷⁹ Br)	5-Bromo-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 127168-84-7) and rac-5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B2)	492.3

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11		rac-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-nitro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone 458.1 (M ⁺)	5-Nitro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 46053-72-9) and rac-5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B2)	458.4
12		rac-(5-Amino-6-chloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 464.1 (³⁷ Cl, M ⁺), 462.1 (³⁵ Cl, M ⁺)	6-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-ylamine (example A1) and rac-5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B2)	462.9
13		rac-(1,3-Dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 414.3	2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindole (commercial) and rac-5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B2)	413.4
14		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone 428.0	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	427.4
15		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone 482.0	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	481.4

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16		(5,6-Dichloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 447.9 (^{37}Cl , ^{37}Cl), 445.9 (^{37}Cl , ^{35}Cl), 444.0 (^{35}Cl , ^{35}Cl)	5,6-Dichloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 15997-90-7) and 2-Isopropylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B4)	444.4
17		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone 482.0	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B5)	481.4
18		(6-Bromo-4-fluoro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 510.2	6-Bromo-4-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 689214-92-4) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	510.3
19		(5,6-Dichloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-ethylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 434.0 (^{37}Cl , ^{37}Cl), 432.0 (^{37}Cl , ^{35}Cl), 430.0 (^{35}Cl , ^{35}Cl)	5,6-Dichloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 15997-90-7) and 2-Ethylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B6)	430.4

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20		(5,6-Dichloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethylsulfanyl)-phenyl]-methanone 487.9 (³⁷ Cl, ³⁷ Cl), 485.9 (³⁷ Cl, ³⁵ Cl), 483.9 (³⁵ Cl, ³⁵ Cl)	5,6-Dichloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 15997-90-7) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethylsulfanyl)-benzoic acid (example B7)	484.3
21		(5,6-Dichloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isobutylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 462.0 (³⁷ Cl, ³⁷ Cl), 460.0 (³⁷ Cl, ³⁵ Cl), 458.1 (³⁵ Cl, ³⁵ Cl)	5,6-Dichloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 15997-90-7) and 2-Isobutylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B8)	458.4
22		(3-Bromo-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 493.0	3-Bromo-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A2) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	493.3
23		(5-Chloro-6-pyrrolidin-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 519.3 (³⁷ Cl), 517.2 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-pyrrolidin-1-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole-hydrochloride (example A3) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	517.0

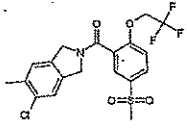
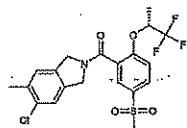
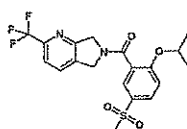
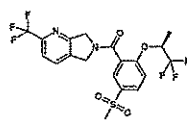
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24		(5-Chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 464.0 (³⁷ Cl), 462.0 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A4) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	461.9
25		(5,6-Dichloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-methylsulfonyl-phenyl]-methanone 419.9 ³⁷ Cl, ³⁷ Cl), 418.0 (³⁷ Cl, ³⁵ Cl), 416.0 (³⁵ Cl, ³⁵ Cl)	5,6-Dichloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (CAS: 15997-90-7) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-methylsulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B9)	416.3
26		(5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfonyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 510.0 ³⁷ Cl), 508.0 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfonyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A5) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	508.0
27		(5-Chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 480.0 ³⁷ Cl), 477.9 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A6) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	477.9

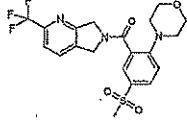
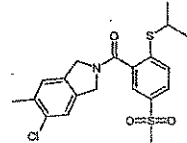
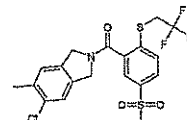
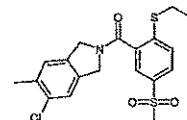
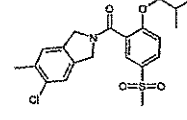
Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name MW found [M+H ⁺]	Starting materials	MW
28		(5-Chloro-6-ethanesulfonyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 542.0 (³⁷ Cl), 540.0 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-ethanesulfonyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A7) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	540.0
29		(2-Chloro-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 448.9	2-Chloro-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A8) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	448.9
30		2-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoyl]-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole-4-carbonitrile 439.4	2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindole-4-carbonitrile (example A9) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	438.4
31		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-pyrrolidin-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone 483.1	5-Pyrrolidin-1-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A10) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	482.5
32		(5-Ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 474.1	5-Ethylsulfanyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A11) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	473.5

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33		(5-Chloro-6-fluoro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 466.1	5-Chloro-6-fluoro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A12) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	465.9
34		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone 468.0	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-is oindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B10)	467.4
35		(2-Isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone 442.0	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-is oindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 2-Isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B11)	441.5
36		(5-Methanesulfonyl-2-morpholin-4-yl-phenyl)-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone 455.3	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-is oindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-morpholin-4-yl-benzoic acid (example B12)	454.5
37		(2-Ethylsulfonyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone 430.1	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-is oindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 2-Ethylsulfonyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B6)	429.5

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38		(2-Isopropylsulfonyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydroisoindol-2-yl)-methanone 444.4	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-is oindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 2-Isopropylsulfonyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B4)	443.5
39		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethylsulfonyl)-phenyl]-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydroisoindol-2-yl)-methanone 484.5	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-is oindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethylsulfonyl)-benzoic acid (example B7)	483.5
40		4-Methoxy-N-methyl-3-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydroisoindole-2-carbonyl)-benzenesulfonamide 415.1	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-is oindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 2-Methoxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid (example B13)	414.4
41		4-Ethoxy-N-methyl-3-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydroisoindole-2-carbonyl)-benzenesulfonamide 429.0	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-is oindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 2-Ethoxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid (example B14)	428.4
42		N-Methyl-4-trifluoromethoxy-3-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydroisoindole-2-carbonyl)-benzenesulfonamide 469.0	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-is oindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 5-Methylsulfamoyl-2-trifluoromethoxy-benzoic acid (example B15)	468.4

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43		4-Isopropoxy-N-methyl-3-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydroisoindole-2-carbonyl)-benzenesulfonamide 443.0	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-is oindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methylsulfamoyl-benzoic acid (example B16)	442.5
44		N-Methyl-4-(2,2,2-trifluoroethoxy)-3-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydroisoindole-2-carbonyl)-benzenesulfonamide 483.0	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-is oindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and 5-Methylsulfamoyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B17)	482.4
45		rac-N-Methyl-3-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydroisoindole-2-carbonyl)-4-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzenesulfonamide 497.0	5-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-is oindole (CAS: 342638-03-3) and rac-5-Methylsulfamoyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B18)	496.4
46		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone 483.0	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	482.4
47		(5-Chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydroisoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 410.1 (³⁷ Cl), 408.3 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A4) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	407.9

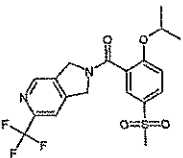
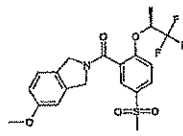
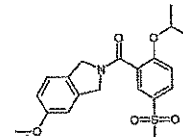
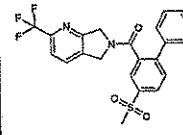
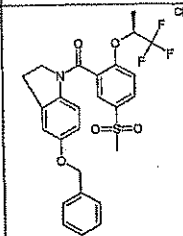
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49		(5-Chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 463.9 (³⁷ Cl), 462.0 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A4) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B5)	461.9
50		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(2-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone 429.5	2-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A14) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	428.4
51		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(2-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone 483.4	2-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A14) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	482.4

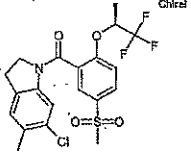
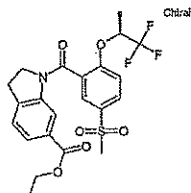
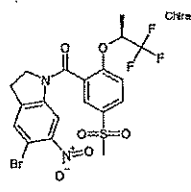
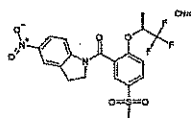
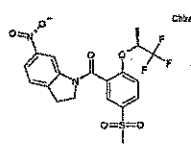
Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name MW found [M+H ⁺]	Starting materials	MW
52		(5-Methanesulfonyl-2-morpholin-4-yl-phenyl)-(2-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone 456.4	2-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A14) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-morpholin-4-yl-benzoic acid (example B12)	455.5
53		(5-Chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 425.8 (³⁷ Cl), 424.0 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A4) and 2-Isopropylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B4)	424.0
54		(5-Chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethylsulfanyl)-phenyl]-methanone 465.9 (³⁷ Cl), 463.9 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A4) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethylsulfanyl)-benzoic acid (example B7)	463.9
55		(5-Chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-ethylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 411.9 (³⁷ Cl), 410.0 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A4) and 2-Ethylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B6)	410.0
56		(5-Chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 424.2 (³⁷ Cl), 422.1 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A4) and 2-Isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B11)	421.9

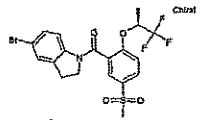
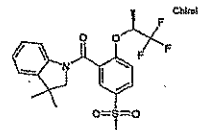
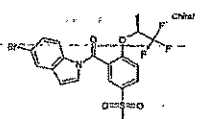
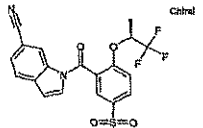
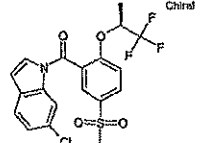
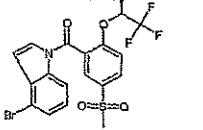
Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name MW found [M+H ⁺]	Starting materials	MW
57		(5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 456.3 (³⁷ Cl), 454.2 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A5) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	454.0
58		(5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 496.3 (³⁷ Cl), 494.2 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A5) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B10)	494.0
59		(5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 510.3 (³⁷ Cl), 508.2 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A5) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B5)	508.0
60		(5-Amino-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 497.1	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-ylamine (example A15) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	496.4
61		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone 483.5	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	482.4

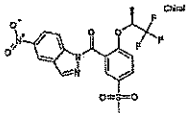
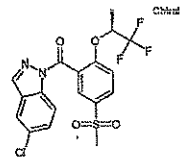
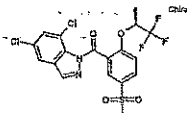
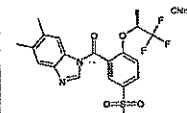
Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name MW found [M+H ⁺]	Starting materials	MW
62		(5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 472.1 (³⁷ Cl), 470.3 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A5) and 2-Isopropylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B4)	470.1
63		(4-Fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 517.1 (M+NH ₄ ⁺)	4-Fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A17) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	499.4
64		(5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethylsulfanyl)-phenyl]-methanone 512.1 (³⁷ Cl), 510.1 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A5) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethylsulfanyl)-benzoic acid (example B7)	510.0
65		(5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-ethylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 458.2 (³⁷ Cl), 456.1 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A5) and 2-Ethylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B6)	456.0
66		(5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 470.3 (³⁷ Cl), 468.2 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A5) and 2-Isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B11)	468.0

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name MW found [M+H ⁺]	Starting materials	MW
67		(5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(5-methanesulfonyl-2-morpholin-4-yl-phenyl)-methanone 483.2 (³⁷ Cl), 481.0 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A5) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-morpholin-4-yl-benzoic acid (example B12)	481.0
68		(5-Chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 426.1 (³⁷ Cl), 424.1 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A6) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	423.9
69		(5-Chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 466.1 (³⁷ Cl), 464.0 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A6) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B10)	463.9
70		(5-Chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(5-methanesulfonyl-2-morpholin-4-yl-phenyl)-methanone 453.2 (³⁷ Cl), 451.1 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A6) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-morpholin-4-yl-benzoic acid (example B12)	450.9
71		(5-Chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 442.0 (³⁷ Cl), 440.1 (³⁵ Cl)	5-Chloro-6-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A6) and 2-Isopropylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B4)	440.0

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name MW found [M+H ⁺]	Starting materials	MW
72		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone 429.2	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	428.4
73		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-indol-2-yl)-methanone 444.0	5-Methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 127168-88-1) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	443.4
74		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(5-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-indol-2-yl)-methanone 390.0	5-Methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 127168-88-1) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	389.5
75		(4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(2-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone 447.0	2-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A14) and 4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B19)	446.5
76		(5-Benzyloxy-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 520.3	5-Benzyloxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 92818-36-5) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	519.5

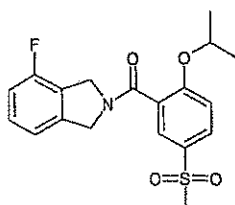
Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name MW found [M+H ⁺]	Starting materials	MW
77		(6-Chloro-5-methyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 462.2	6-Chloro-5-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 162100-44-9) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	461.9
78		1-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoyl]-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole-6-carboxylic acid ethyl ester 486.4	2,3-Dihydro-1H-indole-6-carboxylic acid ethyl ester (CAS: 350683-40-8) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	485.5
79		(5-Bromo-6-nitro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 537.5	5-Bromo-6-nitro-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 72159-65-0) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	537.3
80		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-nitro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-methanone 459.4	5-Nitro-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 32692-19-6) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	458.4
81		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(6-nitro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-methanone 459.4	6-Nitro-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 19727-83-4) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	458.4

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name MW found [M+H ⁺]	Starting materials	MW
82		(5-Bromo-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 492.2	5-Bromo-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 22190-33-6) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	492.3
83		(3,3-Dimethyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 442.1	3,3-Dimethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 1914-02-9) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	441.5
84		(5-Bromo-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 492.1	5-bromoindole (commercial) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	490.3
85		1-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoyl]-1H-indole-6-carbonitrile 454.4 (M+NH ₄ ⁺)	1H-Indole-6-carbonitrile (CAS: 15861-36-6) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	436.4
86		(6-Chloro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 446.1	6-Chloro-1H-indole (commercial) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	445.9
87		(4-Bromo-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 490.1	4-Bromo-1H-indole (commercial) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	490.3

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name MW found $[M+H]^+$	Starting materials	MW
88		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-nitro-indazol-1-yl)-methanone 475.2 ($M+NH_4^+$)	5-Nitro-1H-indazole (CAS:161287-82-7) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	457.4
89		(5-Chloro-indazol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 447.1	5-Chloro-1H-indazole (CAS:698-26-0) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	446.8
90		(5,7-Dichloro-indazol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 481.2	5,7-Dichloro-1H-indazole (CAS: 50477-27-5) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	481.3
91		(5,6-Dimethyl-benzimidazol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone 441.4	5,6-Dimethyl-1H-benzimidazole (CAS: 117140-27-9) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	440.4

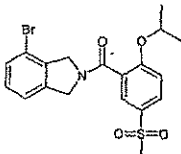
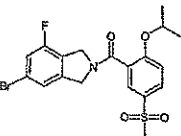
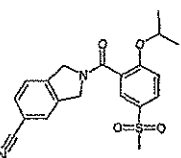
Example 92

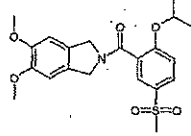
Preparation of (4-Fluoro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone



To a RT suspension of 0.61 mmol sodium hydride (50% in mineral oil) in 0.5 ml dry DMF, a solution of 0.29 mmol 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzamide (example B20) in 1 ml dry DMF was added dropwise. After 15 minutes at RT and 15 minutes at 50 °C, the reaction mixture was cooled to 0 °C, and treated by a solution of 0.29 mmol 1,2-
 5 Bis-bromomethyl-3-fluoro-benzene (CAS: 62590-16-3) in 1 ml dry DMF. The reaction mixture was allowed to warm to RT and stirred for 15 minutes then cooled to 0°C, quenched with water and extracted with ethylacetate. The combined organic phases were washed with water, dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and concentrated *in vacuo*. The residue was purified by chromatography (SiO₂, heptane/ethyl acetate) to yield the title
 10 compound as a white solid (27% yield). MS (m/e): 378.3 [M+H⁺], 100%)

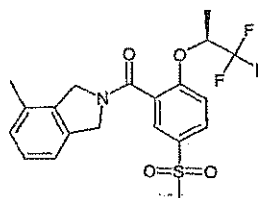
In analogy to Example 92, compounds 93 to 96 of the following table were prepared from 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzamide (example B20) and the corresponding 1,2-Bis-bromomethyl-aryl derivatives.

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name MW found (MH ⁺)	Starting materials	MW
93		(4-Bromo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 440.2	1-Bromo-2,3-bis-bromomethyl-benzene (CAS: 127168-82-5) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzamide (example B20)	438.3
94		(6-Bromo-4-fluoro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 458.3	5-Bromo-1,2-bis-bromomethyl-3-fluoro-benzene (CAS: 194805-17-9) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzamide (example B20)	456.3
95		2-(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole-5-carbonitrile 385.1	3,4-Bis-bromomethyl-benzonitrile (CAS: 66126-17-8) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzamide (example B20)	384.5

96		(5,6-Dimethoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone 420.3	1,2-Bis-bromomethyl-4,5-dimethoxy-benzene (CAS:26726-81-8) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzamide (example B20)	419.5
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Example 97

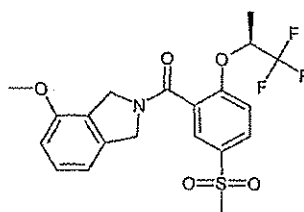
[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(4-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone



Prepared in analogy to Example A4(a) from (4-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C1). Light brown solid. MS (m/e): 428.3 [M+H]⁺, 100%.

Example 98

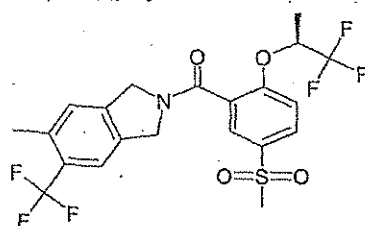
10 [5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(4-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone



15 Prepared in analogy to Example A6(a) from (4-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C1). Light brown solid. MS (m/e): 444.4 [M+H]⁺, 100%.

Example 99

[[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-methyl-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone

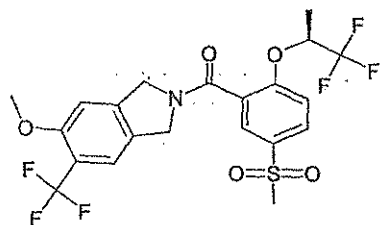


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Example 100

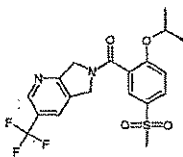
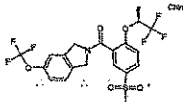
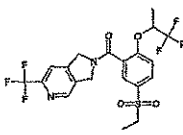
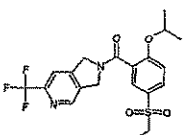
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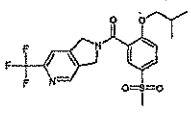
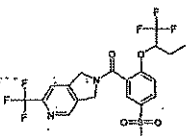
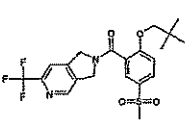
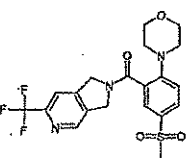


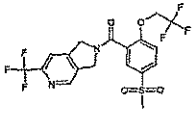
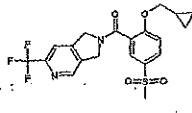
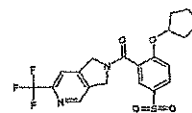
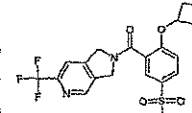
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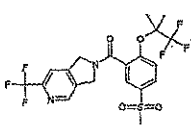
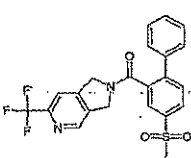
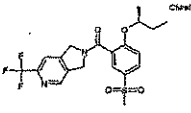
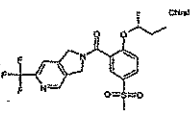
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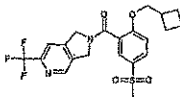
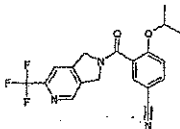
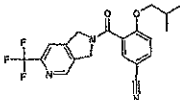
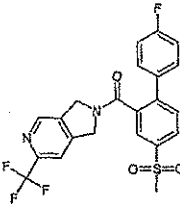
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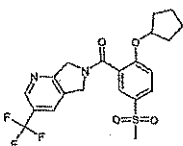
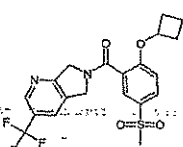
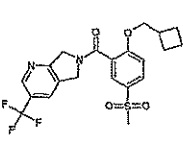
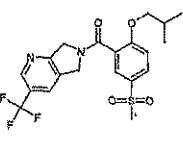
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102		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	428.4	429.2
103		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-trifluoromethoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	5-Trifluoromethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A18) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	497.4	498.0
104		rac-[5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and rac-5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B21)	496.4	496.9
105		(5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-isopropoxy-phenyl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-isopropoxy-benzoic acid (CAS: 845617-27-8)	442.4	443.0

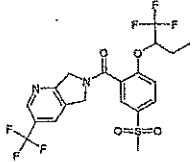
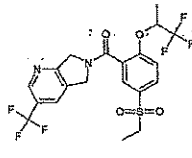
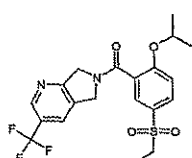
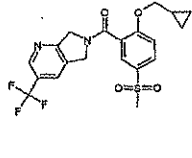
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107		rac-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(1-trifluoromethyl-propoxy)-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and rac-5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(1-trifluoromethyl-propoxy)-benzoic acid (example B22)	496.4	496.1
108		[2-(2,2-Dimethyl-propoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 2-(2,2-Dimethyl-propoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-85-5)	456.5	456.2
109		(5-Methanesulfonyl-2-morpholin-4-yl-phenyl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-morpholin-4-yl-benzoic acid (example B12)	455.5	456.3

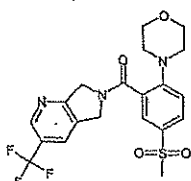
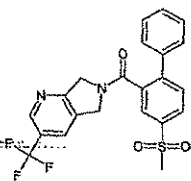
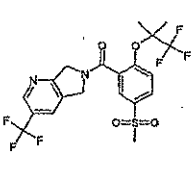
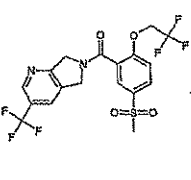
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111		(2-Cyclopropylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 2-Cyclopropylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-03-7)	440.4	441.1
112		(2-Cyclopentylloxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 2-Cyclopentylloxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-05-9)	454.5	454.1
113		(2-Cyclobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 2-Cyclobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-86-6)	440.4	440.1

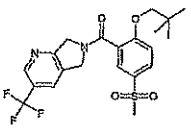
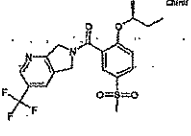
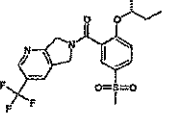
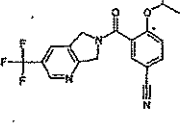
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115		(4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B19)	446.4	464.0 (M+NH ₄ ⁺)
116		[2-((S)-sec-Butoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 2-((S)-sec-Butoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B23)	442.5	442.2
117		[2-((R)-sec-Butoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 2-((R)-sec-Butoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B24)	442.5	442.1

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118		(2-Cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 2-Cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-33-3)	454.5	471.9 (M+NH ₄ ⁺)
119		4-Isopropoxy-3-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine-2-carbonyl)-benzonitrile	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 5-Cyano-2-isopropoxy-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-14-0)	375.3	375.3
120		4-Isobutoxy-3-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine-2-carbonyl)-benzonitrile	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 5-Cyano-2-isobutoxy-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-16-2)	389.4	390.0
121		(4'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 4'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B25)	464.4	465.0

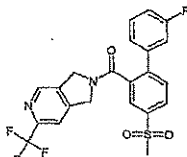
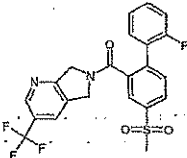
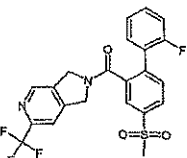
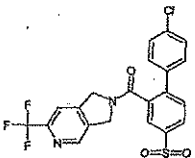
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122		(2-Cyclopentyloxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 2-Cyclopentyloxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-05-9)	454.5	455.2
123		(2-Cyclobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 2-Cyclobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-86-6)	440.4	441.1
124		(2-Cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 2-Cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-33-3)	454.5	471.9 (M+NH ₄ ⁺)
125		(2-Isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 2-Isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B11)	442.5	443.0

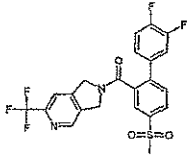
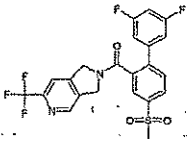
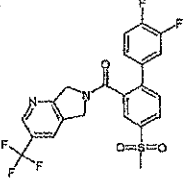
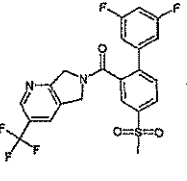
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126		rac-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(1-trifluoromethyl-propoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and rac-5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(1-trifluoromethyl-propoxy)-benzoic acid (example B22)	496.4	497.0
127		rac-[5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and rac-5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B21)	496.4	497.1
128		(5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-isopropoxy-phenyl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 5-Ethanesulfonyl-2-isopropoxy-benzoic acid (CAS: 845617-27-8)	442.5	443.0
129		(2-Cyclopropylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 2-Cyclopropylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-03-7)	440.4	441.0

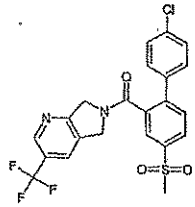
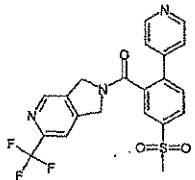
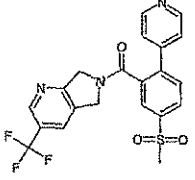
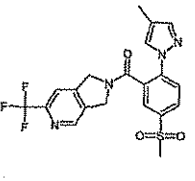
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131		(4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B19)	446.4	446.9
132		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1,1-dimethyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1,1-dimethyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845618-01-1)	496.4	497.3
133		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B10)	468.4	468.9

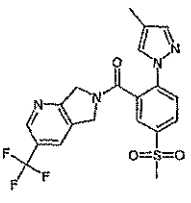
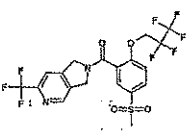
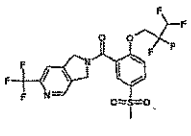
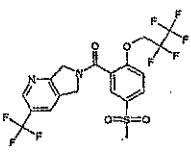
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135		[2-((S)-sec-Butoxy)-5-methanesulfonylphenyl]-(3-(trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 2-((S)-sec-Butoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B23)	442.4	443.3
136		[2-((R)-sec-Butoxy)-5-methanesulfonylphenyl]-(3-(trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 2-((R)-sec-Butoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B24)	442.5	443.3
137		4-Isopropoxy-3-(3-(trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine-6-carbonyl)-benzonitrile	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 5-Cyano-2-isopropoxy-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-14-0)	375.3	375.1

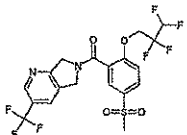
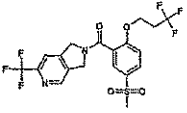
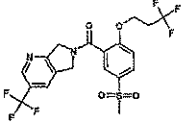
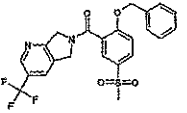
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139		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B5)	482.4	483.1
140		(4'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 4'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B25)	464.4	482.2 (M+NH ₄ ⁺)
141		(3'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 3'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B26)	465.4	482.2 (M+NH ₄ ⁺)

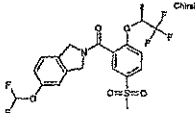
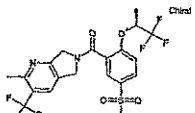
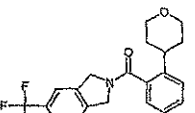
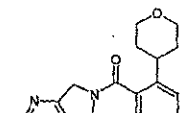
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143		(2'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 2'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B27)	464.4	465.0
144		(2'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 2'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B27)	464.4	465.0
145		(4'-Chloro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 4'-Chloro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B28)	480.9	481.2

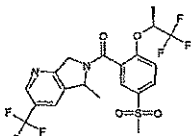
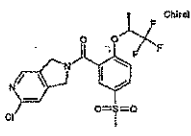
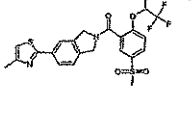
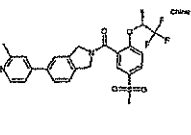
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147		(3',5'-Difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 3',5'-Difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B30)	482.4	483.4
148		(3',4'-Difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 3',4'-Difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B29)	482.4	483.0
149		(3',5'-Difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 3',5'-Difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B30)	482.4	483.0

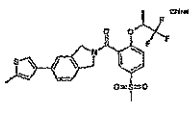
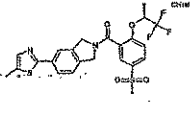
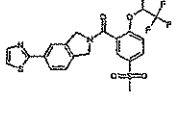
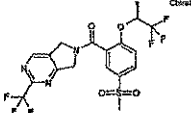
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151		(5-Methanesulfonyl-2-pyridin-4-yl-phenyl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-pyridin-4-yl-benzoic acid (example B31)	447.4	448.0
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153		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(4-methyl-pyrazol-1-yl)-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(4-methyl-pyrazol-1-yl)-benzoic acid (example B32)	450.4	451.0

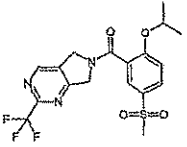
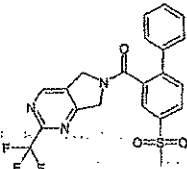
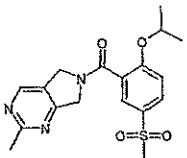
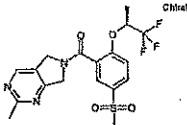
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155		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-42-4)	518.4	519.2
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157		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-42-4)	518.4	519.0

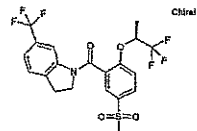
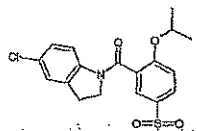
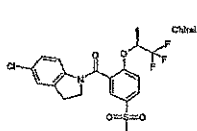
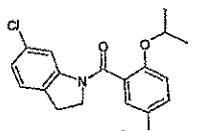
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159		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(3,3,3-trifluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(3,3,3-trifluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-30-0)	482.4	483.0
160		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(3,3,3-trifluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(3,3,3-trifluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-30-0)	482.4	483.0
161		(2-Benzyloxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 2-Benzyloxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845618-06-6)	476.5	477.0

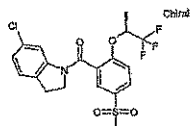
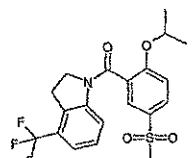
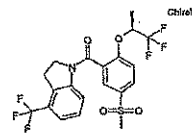
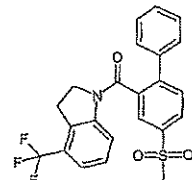
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163		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(2-methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	2-Methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A20) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	496.4	497.0
164		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A13) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B33)	454.5	455.1
165		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone	3-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridine (example A16) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B33)	454.5	455.0

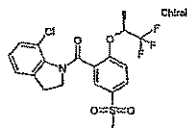
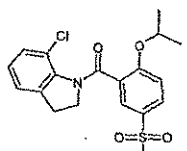
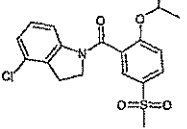
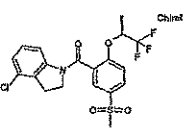
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167		(6-Chloro-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	6-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridine (example A22) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	448.8	449.2
168		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(4-methyl-thiazol-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(4-Methyl-thiazol-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A23) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	510.5	511.1
169		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(2-methyl-pyridin-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(2-Methyl-pyridin-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A24) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	504.5	501.1

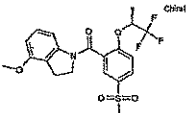
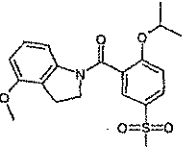
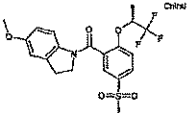
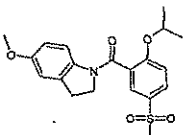
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171		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(5-methyl-thiazol-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(5-Methyl-thiazol-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A26) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	510.6	511.2
172		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(5-thiazol-2-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	5-Thiazol-2-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A27) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	496.5	496.9
173		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[2-(2-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone	2-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidine (example A28) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	483.4	484.5

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174		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(2-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone	2-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidine (example A28) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	429.4	428.1
175		(4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(2-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone	2-Trifluoromethyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidine (example A28) and 4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B19)	447.4	448.3
176		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(2-methyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone	2-Methyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidine (CAS: 424819-90-9) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	375.4	376.0
177		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(2-methyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone	2-Methyl-6,7-dihydro-5H-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidine (CAS: 424819-90-9) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	429.4	430.5

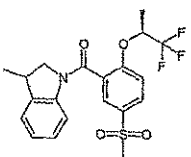
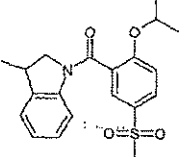
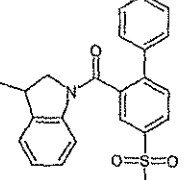
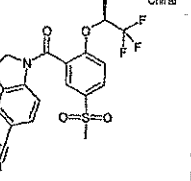
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178		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-methanone	6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS:181513-29-1) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	481.4	482.5
179		(5-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	5-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 25658-80-4) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	393.9	394.0
180		(5-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 25658-80-4) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	447.9	448.1
181		(6-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	6-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 52537-00-5) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	393.9	394.1

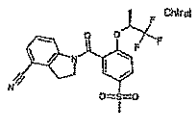
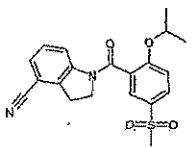
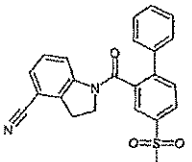
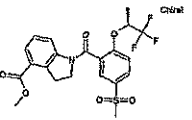
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182		(6-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	6-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 52537-00-5) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	447.9	448.1
183		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(4-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-methanone	4-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (example A29) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	427.4	428.1
184		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-(4-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-methanone	4-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (example A29) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	481.4	482.0
185		(4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(4-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-methanone	4-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (example A29) and 4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B19)	445.4	446.0

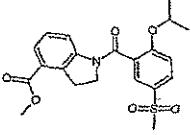
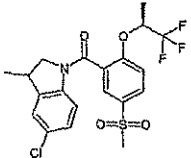
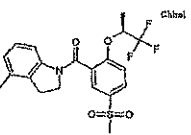
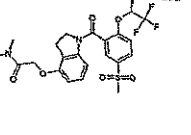
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187		(7-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	7-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 114144-22-8) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	393.9	393.9
188		(4-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	4-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 41910-64-9) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	393.9	394.9
189		(4-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	4-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 41910-64-9) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	447.9	448.9

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190		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(4-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-methanone	4-Methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 7555-94-4) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	443.4	444.1
191		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-((4-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-methanone	4-Methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 7555-94-4) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	389.5	390.2
192		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-methanone	5-Methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 21857-45-4) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	443.4	444.1
193		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-((5-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-methanone	5-Methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 21857-45-4) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	389.5	390.1

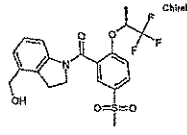
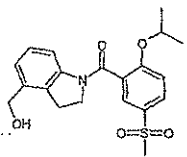
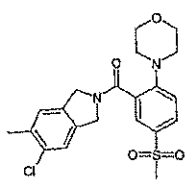
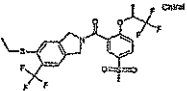
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195		(6-Chloro-1,2,3,4,4a,9a-hexahydro-carbazol-9-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	rac-6-Chloro-2,3,4,4a,9,9a-hexahydro-1H-carbazole (CAS: 216856-80-3) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	448.0	448.3
196		(5-Chloro-2-methyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	rac-5-Chloro-2-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS:68579-13-5) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	461.9	462.0
197		(5-Chloro-2-methyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	rac-5-Chloro-2-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS:68579-13-5) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	407.9	465.8 M+CH ₃ C O

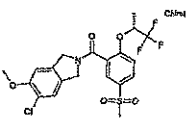
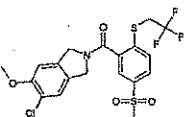
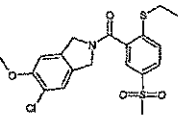
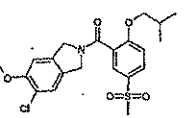
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199		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(3-methyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-methanone	rac-3-Methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 4375-15-9) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	373.5	374.4
200		(4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(3-methyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-methanone	rac-3-Methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 4375-15-9) and 4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B19)	391.5	392.3
201		1-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoyl]-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole-5-carbonitrile	2,3-Dihydro-1H-indole-5-carbonitrile (CAS: 15861-23-1) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	438.4	497.3

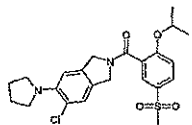
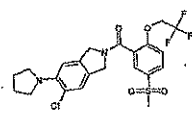
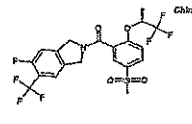
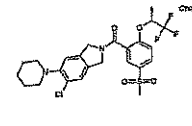
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203		1-(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonylbenzoyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole-4-carbonitrile	2,3-Dihydro-1H-indole-4-carbonitrile (example A30) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonylbenzoic acid (example B1)	384.5	385.3
204		1-(4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carbonyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole-4-carbonitrile	2,3-Dihydro-1H-indole-4-carbonitrile (example A30) and 4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B19)	402.5	403.3
205		1-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoyl]-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole-4-carboxylic acid methyl ester	2,3-Dihydro-1H-indole-4-carboxylic acid methyl ester (CAS: 155135-61-8) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	471.5	472.1

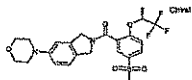
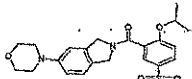
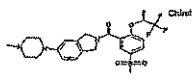
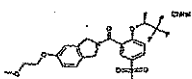
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207		(5-Chloro-3-methyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	rac-5-Chloro-3-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (example A31) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	461.9	462.2
208		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-[4-methyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl]-methanone	4-Methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS:62108-16-1) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	427.4	428.0
209		2-{1-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoyl]-2,3-dihydro-1H-indol-4-yloxy}-N,N-dimethyl-acetamide	2-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-indol-4-yloxy)-N,N-dimethyl-acetamide (example A32) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	514.5	515.3

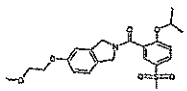
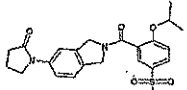
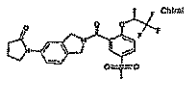
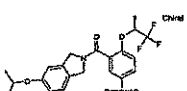
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211		(4-Bromo-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	4-Bromo-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (CAS: 86626-38-2) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	492.3	494.0
212		(4-Chloro-5-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	4-Chloro-5-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (example A33) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	423.9	424.1
213		(4-Chloro-5-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	4-Chloro-5-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole (example A33) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	477.9	478.0

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214		(4-Hydroxymethyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	(2,3-Dihydro-1H-indol-4-yl)-methanol (example A34) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	443.4	444.1
215		(4-Hydroxymethyl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	(2,3-Dihydro-1H-indol-4-yl)-methanol (example A34) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	389.5	390.2
216		(5-Chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-morpholin-4-yl-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-methyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A4) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-morpholin-4-yl-benzoic acid (example B12)	434.9	437.1 (³⁷ Cl) 435.2 (³⁵ Cl)
217		(5-Ethylsulfanyl-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Ethylsulfanyl-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A35) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	541.5	542.2

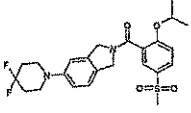
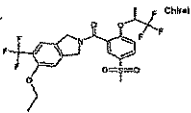
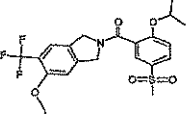
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218		(5-Chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A6) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B5)	477.9	479.9 (³⁷ Cl) 477.9 (³⁵ Cl)
219		(5-Chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethylsulfanyl)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A6) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethylsulfanyl)-benzoic acid (example B7)	480.0	481.9 (³⁷ Cl) 479.8 (³⁵ Cl)
220		(5-Chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-ethylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	5-Chloro-6-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A6) and 2-Ethylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B6)	426.0	427.9 (³⁷ Cl) 425.8 (³⁵ Cl)
221		(5-Chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	5-Chloro-6-methoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A6) and 2-Isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B11)	437.9	440.1 (³⁷ Cl) 438.0 (³⁵ Cl)

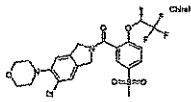
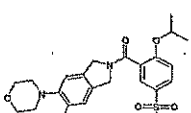
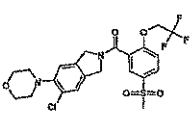
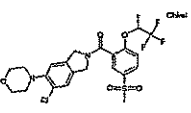
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223		(5-Chloro-6-pyrrolidin-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-pyrrolidin-1-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole-hydrochloride (example A3) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B10)	502.9	505.2 (³⁷ Cl) 503.2 (³⁵ Cl)
224		(5-Fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A36) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	499.4	500.0
225		(5-Chloro-6-piperidin-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-piperidin-1-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A37) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	531.0	533.2 (³⁷ Cl) 531.2 (³⁵ Cl)

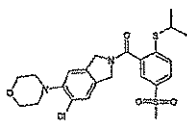
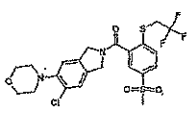
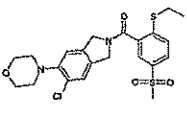
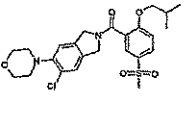
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227		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(5-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	5-Morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (CAS: 850876-30-1) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	444.5	445.2
228		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-(4-methyl-piperazin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	5-(4-Methyl-piperazin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole dihydrochloride (CAS: 850877-57-5) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	511.6	512.5
229		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-(2-methoxy-ethoxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	5-(2-Methoxy-ethoxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A38) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	487.5	488.3

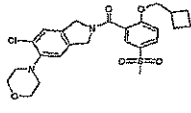
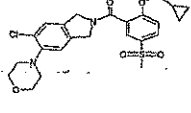
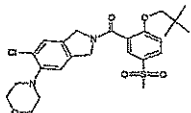
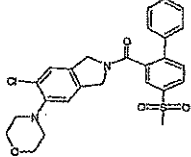
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231		1-[2-(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl]-pyrrolidin-2-one	1-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-pyrrolidin-2-one hydrochloride (example A39) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	442.5	443.3
232		1-[2-{5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoyl}-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl]-pyrrolidin-2-one	1-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-pyrrolidin-2-one hydrochloride (example A39) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	496.5	497.3
233		(5-Isopropoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-(5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl)-methanone	5-Isopropoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A40) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	471.5	472.2

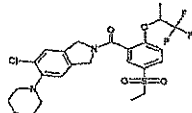
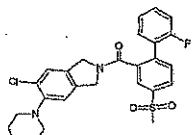
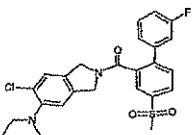
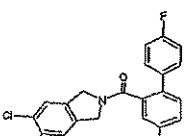
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235		(5-Ethoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	5-Ethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A41) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	403.5	404.3
236		(5-Ethoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Ethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A41) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	457.5	458.3
237		[5-(4,4-Difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-(4,4-Difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A42) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	532.5	533.2

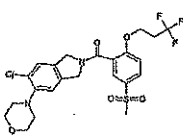
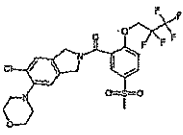
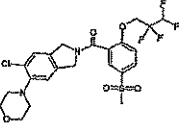
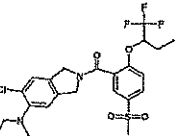
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238		[5-(4,4-Difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	5-(4,4-Difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A42) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	478.6	479.3
239		(5-Ethoxy-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Ethoxy-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A43) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	525.5	526.3
240		(5-Ethoxy-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	5-Ethoxy-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A43) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	471.5	472.2

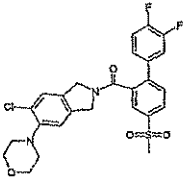
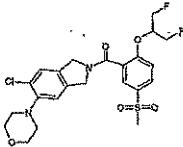
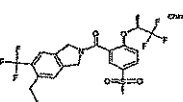
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242		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	479.0	481.2 (³⁷ Cl) 479.3 (³⁵ Cl)
243		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B10)	518.9	521.3 (³⁷ Cl) 519.2 (³⁵ Cl)
244		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B5)	533.0	535.3 (³⁷ Cl) 533.2 (³⁵ Cl)

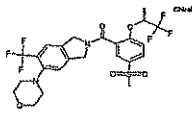
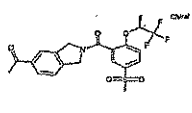
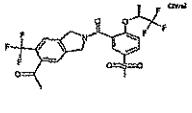
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245		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropylsulfonyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 2-Isopropylsulfonyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B4)	495.1	497.3 (³⁷ Cl) 495.3 (³⁵ Cl)
246		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoroethylsulfonyl)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoroethylsulfonyl)-benzoic acid (example B7)	535.0	537.3 (³⁷ Cl) 535.3 (³⁵ Cl)
247		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-ethylsulfonyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 2-Ethylsulfonyl-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B6)	481.0	483.4 (³⁷ Cl) 481.2 (³⁵ Cl)
248		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 2-Isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B11)	493.0	495.4 (³⁷ Cl) 493.3 (³⁵ Cl)

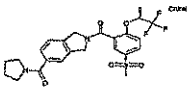
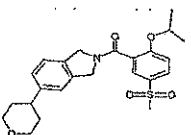
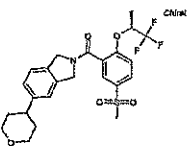
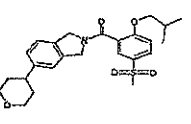
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249		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 2-Cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-33-3)	505.0	507.3 (³⁷ Cl) 505.3 (³⁵ Cl)
250		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-cyclopropylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 2-Cyclopropylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-03-7)	491.0	493.3 (³⁷ Cl) 491.3 (³⁵ Cl)
251		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[2-(2,2-dimethyl-propoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 2-(2,2-Dimethyl-propoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-85-5)	507.0	509.4 (³⁷ Cl) 507.3 (³⁵ Cl)
252		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 4-Methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B19)	497.0	499.3 (³⁷ Cl) 497.4 (³⁵ Cl)

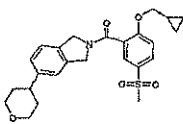
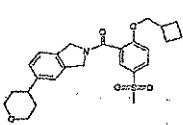
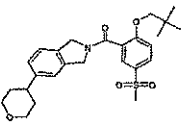
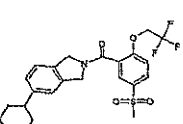
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254		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2'-fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 2'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B27)	515.0	517.2 (³⁷ Cl) 515.3 (³⁵ Cl)
255		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(3'-fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 3'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B26)	515.0	517.2 (³⁷ Cl) 515.3 (³⁵ Cl)
256		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(4'-fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 4'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B25)	515.0	517.2 (³⁷ Cl) 515.3 (³⁵ Cl)

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257		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(3,3,3-trifluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(3,3,3-trifluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-30-0)	533.0	535.3 (³⁷ Cl) 533.2 (³⁵ Cl)
258		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-42-4)	568.9	571.2 (³⁷ Cl) 569.2 (³⁵ Cl)
259		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3-tetrafluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3-tetrafluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-52-6)	551.0	553.1 (³⁷ Cl) 551.3 (³⁵ Cl)
260		rac-(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(1-trifluoromethylpropoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A44) and rac-5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(1-trifluoromethylpropoxy)-benzoic acid (example B22)	547.0	549.3 (³⁷ Cl) 547.3 (³⁵ Cl)

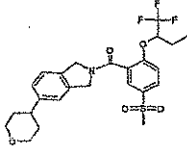
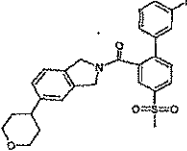
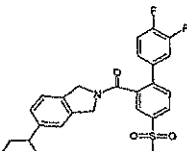
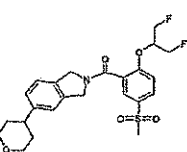
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261		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isindol-2-yl)-(3',4'-difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 3',4'-Difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B29)	533.0	535.3 (³⁷ Cl) 533.2 (³⁵ Cl)
262		(5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isindol-2-yl)-[2-(2-fluoro-1-fluoromethyl-ethoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isindole hydrochloride (example A44) and 2-(2-Fluoro-1-fluoromethyl-ethoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS:845616-41-3)	515.0	517.2 (³⁷ Cl) 515.3 (³⁵ Cl)
263		(5-Ethyl-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Ethyl-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isindole hydrochloride (example A45) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	509.5	510.4

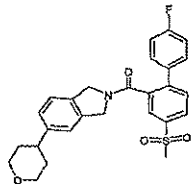
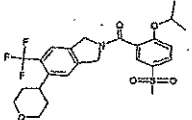
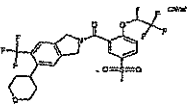
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265		1-{2-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoyl]-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl}-ethanone	1-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-ethanone (example A47) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	455.4	456.4
266		1-{2-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoyl]-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl}-ethanone	1-(6-Trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-ethanone (example A48) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	523.4	524.2

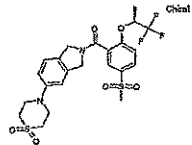
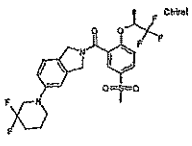
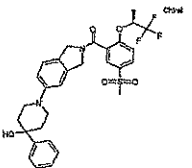
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268		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	443.6	444.3
269		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	497.5	498.3
270		(2-Isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 2-Isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B11)	457.6	458.4

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271		(2-Cyclopropylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 2-Cyclopropylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-03-7)	455.6	456.5
272		(2-Cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 2-Cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-33-3)	469.6	470.4
273		[2-(2,2-Dimethyl-propoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 2-(2,2-Dimethyl-propoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-85-5)	471.6	472.4
274		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B10)	483.5	484.5

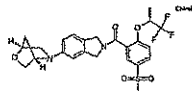
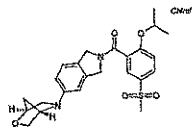
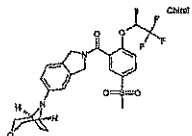
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275		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1,1-dimethyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1,1-dimethyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845618-01-1)	511.6	512.4
276		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(3,3,3-trifluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(3,3,3-trifluoro-propoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-30-0)	497.5	498.5
277		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-42-4)	533.5	534.3
278		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3-tetrafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3-tetrafluoro-propoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-52-6)	515.5	516.3

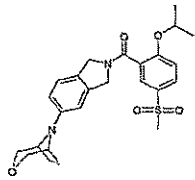
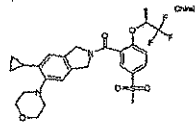
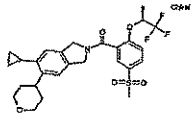
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279		rac-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(1-trifluoromethylpropoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and rac-5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(1-trifluoromethylpropoxy)-benzoic acid (example B22)	511.6	512.5
280		(3'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 3'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B26)	479.6	480.5
281		(3',4'-Difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 3',4'-Difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B29)	497.6	498.4
282		[2-(2-Fluoro-1-fluoromethyl-ethoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A49) and 2-(2-Fluoro-1-fluoromethyl-ethoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (CAS:845616-41-3)	479.5	480.3

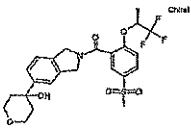
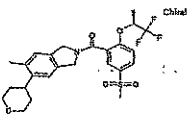
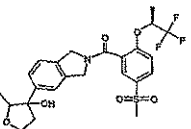
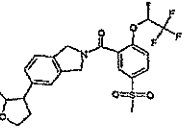
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283		(4'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A 49) and 4'-Fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carboxylic acid (example B25)	479.6	480.1
284		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A50) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	511.6	512.5
285		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-6-trifluoromethyl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A50) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	565.5	566.5

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
286		[5-(1,1-Dioxo-1-thiomorpholin-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-(1,1-Dioxo-1-thiomorpholin-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A51) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	546.6	547.2
287		[5-(3,3-Difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-(3,3-Difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A52) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	532.5	533.3
288		[5-(4-Hydroxy-4-phenyl-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	1-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-4-phenyl-piperidin-4-ol hydrochloride (example A53) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	588.6	589.4

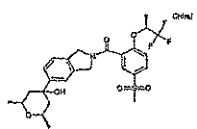
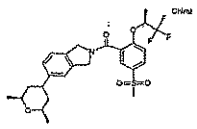
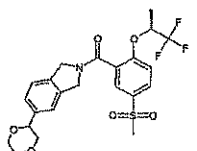
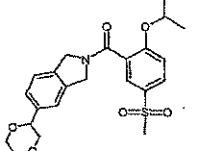
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289		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(5-methyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone]	5-Methyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A54) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	512.5	513.3
290		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(2,2,2-Trifluoro-ethyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A55) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	495.4	496.3
291		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(3-methoxy-azetidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(3-Methoxy-azetidin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate (example A56) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	498.5	499.4
292		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(4-methoxy-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(4-Methoxy-piperidin-1-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A57) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	526.6	527.2

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
293		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[(1S,4S)-5-(2-oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(1S,4S)-5-(2-Oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetic acid (example A58) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	510.5	511.5
294		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[(1S,4S)-5-(2-oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(1S,4S)-5-(2-Oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetic acid (example A58) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	456.6	457.3
295		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[(1R,5S)-5-(3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	8-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]octane trifluoro-acetate (example A59) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	524.6	525.3

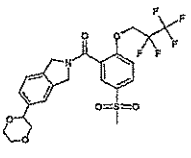
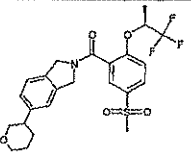
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296		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	'8-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]octane trifluoro-acetate (example A59) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	470.6	471.3
297		(5-Cyclopropyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Cyclopropyl-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A60) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	538.6	539.3
298		[5-Cyclopropyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Cyclopropyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate (example A61) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	537.6	538.3

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
299		[5-(4-Hydroxy-tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	4-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-tetrahydro-pyran-4-ol (example A62) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	513.5	514.5
300		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-methyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-Methyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate (example A63) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	511.6	512.5
301		[5-(3-Hydroxy-2-methyl-tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	3-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-2-methyl-tetrahydro-furan-3-ol (example A64) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	513.5	514.2
302		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(2-methyl-tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(2-Methyl-tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A65) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	497.5	498.4

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
303		[5-(3-Hydroxy-tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	3-(2,3-Dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-tetrahydro-furan-3-ol (example A66) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	499.5	500.3
304		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A67) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	483.5	484.5
305		[5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate (example A68) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	532.0	534.1 (³⁷ Cl) 532.0 (³⁵ Cl)
306		[5-Ethyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Ethyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoro-acetate (example A69) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	525.6	526.3

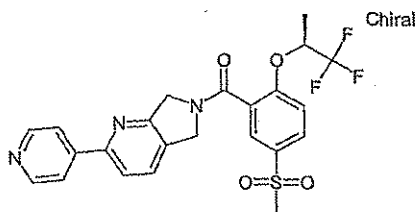
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308		[2,6-Dimethyl-tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl]-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	2,6-Dimethyl-tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A71) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	525.6	526.3
309		(5-[1,4]Dioxan-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	rac-5-[1,4]Dioxan-2-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A72) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	499.5	500.4
310		(5-[1,4]Dioxan-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)- (2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	rac-5-[1,4]Dioxan-2-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A72) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	445.5	446.3

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Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
311		(5-[1,4]Dioxan-2-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	rac-5-[1,4]Dioxan-2-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A72) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-42-4)	535.5	536.3
312		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	rac-5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A73) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	497.5	498.3

Example 313

[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(2-pyridin-4-yl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone



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Prepared in analogy to Example A54(a) from (2-chloro-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C4) and 4-tributylstannanylpiperidine. White solid. MS (m/e): 492.1 [M+H]⁺, 100%).

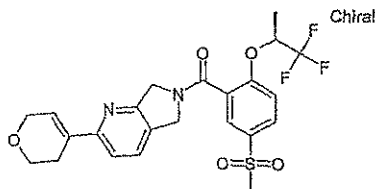
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Example 314

[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl]-methanone

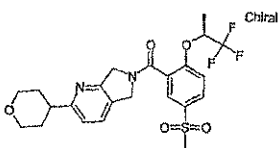
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(a) [2-(3,6-Dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone



- Prepared in analogy to Example A54(a) from (2-chloro-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C4) and tributyl-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-stannane. White solid. MS (m/e): 497.4 [M+H]⁺, 100%).

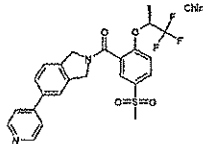
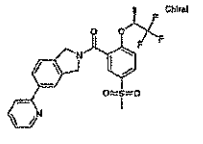
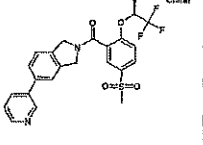
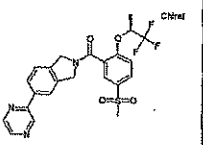
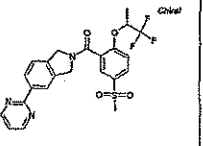
(b) [5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[2-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl]-methanone

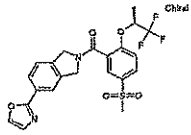


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Prepared in analogy to Example A49(b) from [2-(3,6-dihydro-2H-pyran-4-yl)-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone and ammonium formate. White solid. MS (m/e): 499.3 [M+H]⁺, 100%).

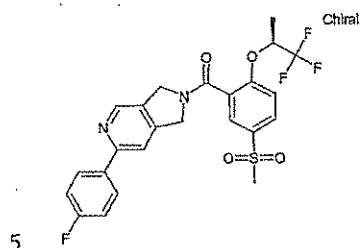
- 15 In analogy to Example A4(a), compounds 315 to 320 of the following table were prepared from (5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and organostannane derivative:

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
315		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-pyridin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	4-tributylstannylpyridine	490.5	491.2
316		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-pyridin-2-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	2-tributylstannylpyridine	490.5	491.3
317		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-pyridin-3-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	3-tributylstannylpyridine	490.5	491.2
318		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-pyrazin-2-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	2-tributylstannylpyrazine	491.5	492.1
319		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-pyrimidin-2-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	2-tributylstannylpyrimidine	491.5	492.1

Expt. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
320		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-oxazol-2-yl-1,3-dihydro-isindol-2-yl]-methanone	2-Tributylstannanyl-oxazole (CAS: 145214-05-7)	480.5	481.1

Example 321

[6-(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone

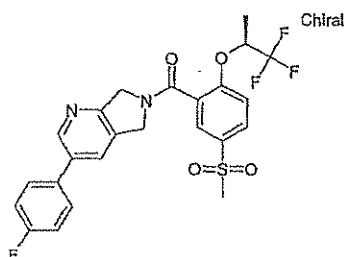


In a glass tube were placed 0.07 mmol 6-Chloro-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example 167), 0.07 mmol 4-fluorophenyl boronic acid, 0.2 mmol sodium carbonate, 0.003 mmol Pd(OAc)₂, 0.07 mmol tetrabutylammonium bromide, 0.15ml water and a magnetic stir bar. The vessel was sealed with a septum and placed into the microwave cavity. The temperature was ramped from room temperature to 150°C. Once 150°C was reached, the reaction mixture was held at this temperature for 5 minutes. After the mixture was allowed to cool to room temperature, the reaction vessel was opened and the contents were poured into a separating funnel. Water and dichloromethane were added, and the aqueous layer was extracted 3 times with dichloromethane. The solvent was removed in vacuo. The residue was purified on a 5.0 g Flashpack cartridge: Eluent: Heptane/AcOEt to provide the title compound (50%). White solid. MS (m/e): 509.3 [M+H]⁺, 100%).

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Example 322

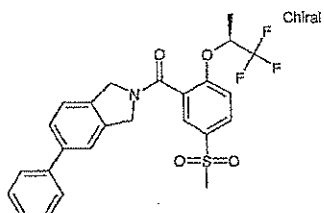
[3-(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone



- 5 Prepared in analogy to Example 321 from (3-Bromo-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (example 22) and 4-fluorophenyl boronic acid. White solid. MS (m/e): 509.2 [M+H]⁺, 100%).

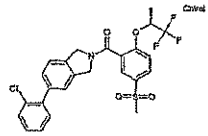
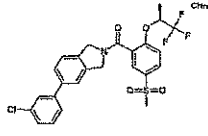
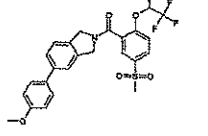
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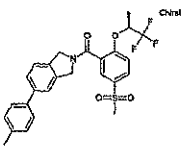
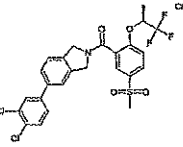
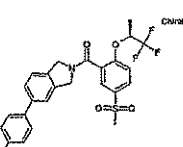
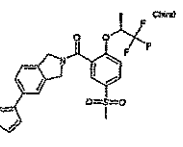
- 10 [5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone

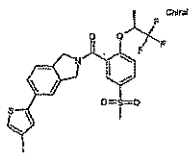
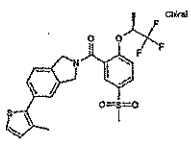
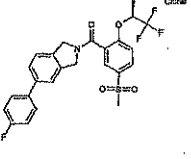
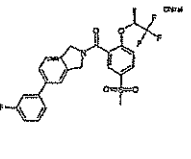


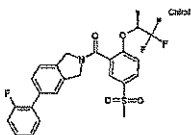
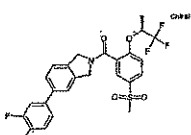
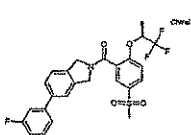
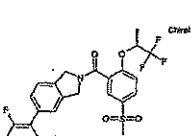
- To a solution of 0.19 mmol (5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) in 1ml DMF
 15 under argon was added successively 0.018 mmol tetrakis(triphenyl)phosphine, 0.28 mmol phenyl boronic acid and 0.56 mmol potassium carbonate. The reaction mixture was heated at 120°C for 2 hours then cooled to room temperature and filtered. The filtrate was evaporated to dryness and the residue was treated with sat. NaCl. The resulting mixture was extracted 3 times with dichloromethane. The organics phases were dried
 20 over sodium sulfate and evaporated. The crude compound was purified on a 10g of Si-Amine cartridge: n-Heptane/Ethylacetate to provide the title compound (50%). Off-white solid. MS (m/e): 490.0 [M+H]⁺, 100%).

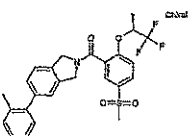
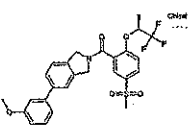
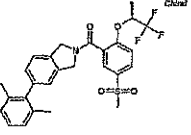
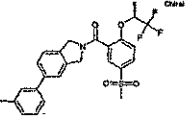
In analogy to Example 323, compounds 324 to 346 of the following table were prepared from (5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and boronic acid derivative:

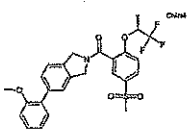
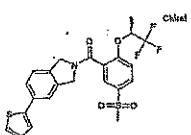
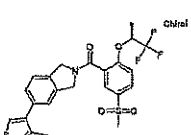
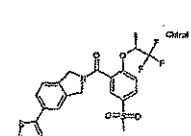
Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
324		[5-(2-Chloro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 2-chloro-phenylboronic acid	524.0	524.3
325		[5-(3-Chloro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 3-chloro-phenylboronic acid	524.0	524.3
326		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(4-methoxy-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 4-methoxy-phenylboronic acid	519.6	520.1

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
327		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(5-p-tolyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 4-methyl-phenylboronic acid	503.5	504.0
328		[5-(3,4-Dichloro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 3,4-dichloro-phenylboronic acid	558.4	557.9
329		[5-(4-Chloro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 4-chloro-phenylboronic acid	524.0	524.3
330		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(5-thiophen-3-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 3-thienyl-boronic acid	495.5	496.1

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
331		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(4-methyl-thiophen-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 4-methylthiophene-2-boronic acid	509.6	510.1
332		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(3-methyl-thiophen-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 3-methylthiophene-2-boronic acid	509.6	510.1
333		[5-(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 4-fluoro-phenylboronic acid	507.5	508.1
334		[5-(3-Fluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 3-fluoro-phenylboronic acid	507.5	508.1

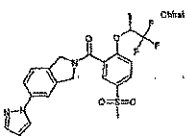
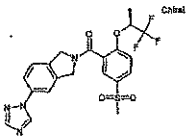
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335		[5-(2-Fluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 2-fluoro-phenylboronic acid	507.5	508.1
336		[5-(3,4-Difluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 3,4-difluoro-phenylboronic acid	525.5	526.2
337		[5-(3,5-Difluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 3,5-difluoro-phenylboronic acid	525.5	526.2
338		[5-(2,6-Difluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 2,6-difluoro-phenylboronic acid	525.5	526.2

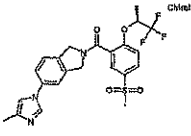
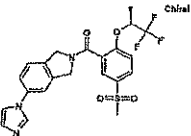
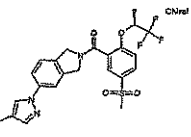
Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
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340		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(2,6-dimethyl-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 2,6-dimethyl-phenylboronic acid	519.5	520.1
341		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(3-methoxy-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 3-methoxy-phenylboronic acid	517.6	518.2
342		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(2,6-dimethyl-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 2,6-dimethyl-phenylboronic acid	503.5	504.0

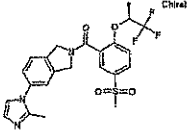
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343		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(2-methoxy-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 2-methoxy-phenylboronic acid	519.5	520.1
344		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(thiophen-2-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 2-thienyl-boronic acid	495.5	496.0
345		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(4-methyl-thiophen-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 4-Methyl-3-thiopheneboronic acid	509.6	510.1
346		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(5-methyl-thiophen-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 5-Methylthiophene-2-boronic acid	509.6	510.2

In analogy to Example B32(a), compounds 347 to 352 of the following table were prepared from (5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and heterocyclic

5 derivatives in the presence of the mentioned ligand:

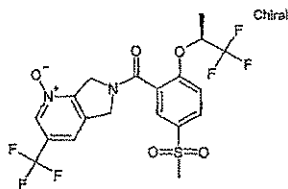
Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
347		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-pyrazol-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and pyrazole and with trans-1,2-diaminocyclohexane as ligand	479.5	480.0
348		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-[1,2,4]triazol-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 1,2,4-triazole and (1R,2R)-Diaminomethylcyclohexane as ligand	480.5	481.1

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
349		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(4-methyl-imidazol-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 4-methylimidazole and 1,10-phenanthroline as ligand	493.5	494.1
350		(5-Imidazol-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and imidazole and 1,10-phenanthroline as ligand	479.5	480.0
351		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(4-methyl-pyrazol-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and Methylpyrazole and 1,10-phenanthroline as ligand	493.5	494.1

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
352		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(2-methyl-imidazol-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	(5-Iodo-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C3) and 2-Methylimidazole and 1,10-phenanthroline as ligand	493.5	494.4

Example 353

[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(1-oxy-3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone



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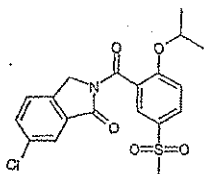
To a solution of 0.21 mmol [5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone (example 61) in 2 ml dichloromethane was added 0.31 mmol 3-chloroperbenzoic acid. The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 72 hours. The mixture was diluted with
 10 dichloromethane. The solution was washed twice with a sat. bicarbonate solution and once with a 10% sodium carbonate solution to destroy any residual peroxides, dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and the solvent was removed in vacuo. The crude solid was purified on a 5g Flashpack cartridge. Eluent: Heptane/ethylacetate to provide the title compound (92%). White foam. MS (m/e): 516.1 [M+NH₄]⁺, 100%).

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Example 354

6-Chloro-2-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoyl)-2,3-dihydro-isoindol-1-one

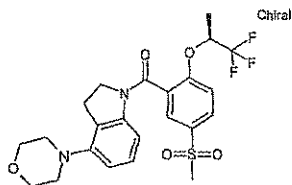
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0.4 mmol 6-chloro-1-isoindolinone (CAS : 58083-59-3) was dissolved in 3 ml of pyridine. 0.05 mmol of 4-dimethylaminopyridine was added, followed by slow addition of a solution of 0.5 mmol 2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoyl chloride (prepared from example B1 and oxalyl chloride in dichloromethane) in 2 ml dichloromethane at room temperature. The reaction mixture is stirred for 10 minutes at room temperature, then the dichloromethane is stripped off in the rotatory evaporator. The remaining solution was then refluxed for 3 hours. The dark red solution was quenched with water, acidified by addition of diluted hydrochloric acid and extracted 3 times with ethyl acetate. The organic phase is dried and concentrated. Chromatography (silica gel; ethyl acetate / heptane) gave the title compound as a slightly yellowish solid. Yield = 55 %. MS (m/e): 408.2 $[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example 355

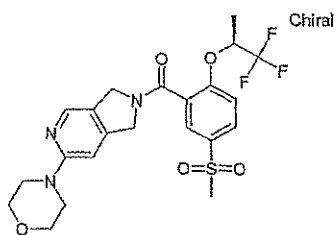
[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(4-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-methanone



A mixture of 0.2 mmol (4-Bromo-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (example 211), 0.4 mmol morpholine, 0.3 mmol sodium tert-butyrate, 2.5 mg rac.BINAP and 2.0 mg tris-(dibenzylidenacetone)-dipalladium chloroform complex in 5 ml toluene is heated at 80° C for 3 hours. Fresh morpholine (0.4 mmol) is added and the mixture hold at 80° overnight. The reaction mixture is concentrated. Chromatography of the residue (silica gel; ethyl acetate / heptane) yields the title compound as a slightly yellow solid. Yield = 57 %. MS (m/e): 499.3 $[M+H]^+$, 100%).

Example 356

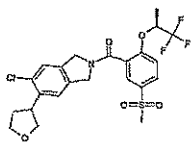
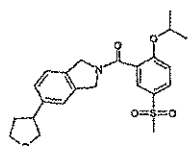
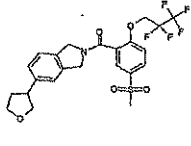
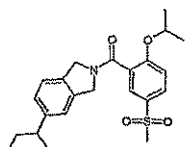
[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone

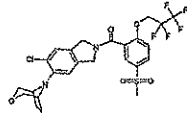
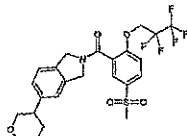
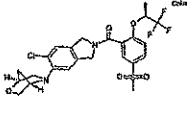


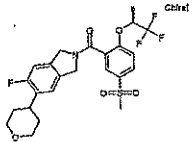
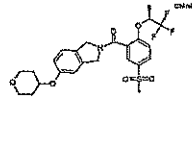
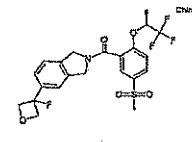
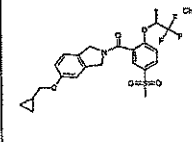
A mixture of 0.33 mmol (6-Chloro-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (example 167), 0.67 mmol morpholine in 2 ml dimethylacetamide is heated at 180° C for 30 minutes in a microwave oven. The solvent was removed in vacuo. Chromatography of the residue (silica gel; ethyl acetate / heptane) yields the title compound as a white solid. Yield = 13 %. MS (m/e): 500.1 [M+H]⁺, 100%).

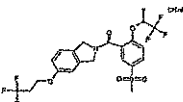
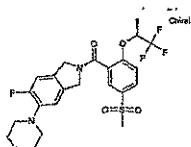
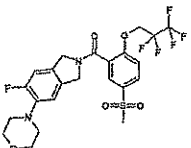
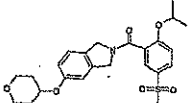
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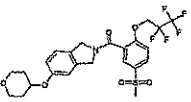
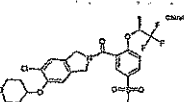
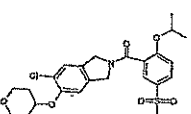
Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
357		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(2,2,2-trifluoroethoxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(2,2,2-Trifluoroethoxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole hydrochloride (example A74) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	511.4	512.2
358		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	rac-5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-2-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A75) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	497.5	498.5

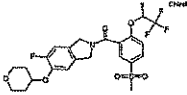
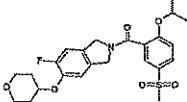
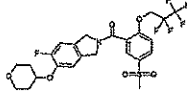
Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
359		[5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	rac-5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A76) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methylethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	518.0	520.1 (³⁷ Cl) 518.2 (³⁵ Cl)
360		rac-(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	rac-5-(Tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A67) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	429.5	430.0
361		rac-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	rac-5-(Tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A67) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-42-4)	519.5	520.0
362		rac-(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	rac-5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A73) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	443.6	444.3

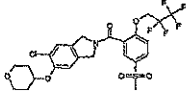
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363		[5-Chloro-6-(3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	8-(6-Chloro-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindol-5-yl)-3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]octane trifluoroacetate (example A77) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-42-4)	595.0	597.2 (³⁷ Cl) 595.1 (³⁵ Cl)
364		rac-[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	rac-5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A73) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-42-4)	533.5	534.3
365		((1S,4S)-5-Chloro-6-2-oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-(1S,4S)-2-oxa-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A78) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	545.0	547.2 (³⁷ Cl) 545.3 (³⁵ Cl)

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
366		[5-Fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A79) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	515.5	516.3
367		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A80) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	513.5	514.5
368		[5-(3-Fluoro-oxetan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-(3-Fluoro-oxetan-3-yl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole (example A81) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	487.5	488.0
369		(5-Cyclopropylmethoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Cyclopropylmethoxy-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A82) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	483.5	484.3

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
370		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(3,3,3-trifluoro-propoxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(3,3,3-Trifluoro-propoxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A83) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	525.5	526.2
371		(5-Fluoro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Fluoro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A84) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	516.5	517.3
372		(5-Fluoro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Fluoro-6-morpholin-4-yl-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A84) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-42-4)	552.5	553.3
373		(2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A80) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	459.6	460.1

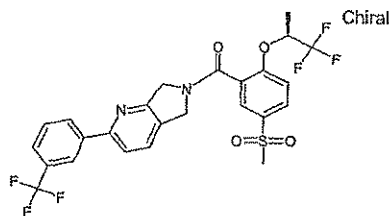
Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
374		[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone	5-(Tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A80) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-42-4)	549.5	550.2
375		[5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A85) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	548.0	550.2 (³⁷ Cl) 548.1 (³⁵ Cl)
376		[5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A85) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	494.0	496.1 (³⁷ Cl) 494.1 (³⁵ Cl)

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
377		[5-Fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A86) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoic acid (example B3)	531.5	532.0
378		[5-Fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]- (2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone	5-Fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A86) and 2-Isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoic acid (example B1)	477.6	478.0
379		[5-Fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A86) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-42-4)	567.5	568.2

Expl. No.	Structure	Systematic Name	Starting materials	MW Calc.	MW Found [M+H] ⁺
380		[5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-phenyl]-methanone	5-Chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-2,3-dihydro-1H-isoindole trifluoroacetate (example A85) and 5-Methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoropropoxy)-benzoic acid (CAS: 845616-42-4)	584.0	586.1 (³⁷ Cl) 584.0 (³⁵ Cl)

Example 381.

[5-Methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[2-(3-trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl]-methanone



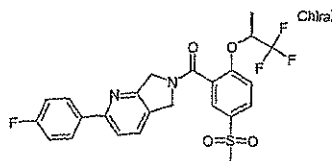
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Prepared in analogy to Example A54(a) from (2-chloro-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C4) and tributyl-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-stannane. White solid. MS (m/e): 559.2 [M+H]⁺, 100%).

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Example 382

[2-(4-Fluoro-phenyl)-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone



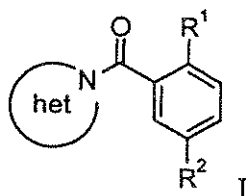
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Prepared in analogy to Example A54(a) from (2-chloro-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone (Example C4) and tributyl(4-fluorophenyl)stannane. White solid. MS (m/e): 509.1 $[M+H]^+$, 100%).

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Claims

1. Compounds of general formula



wherein

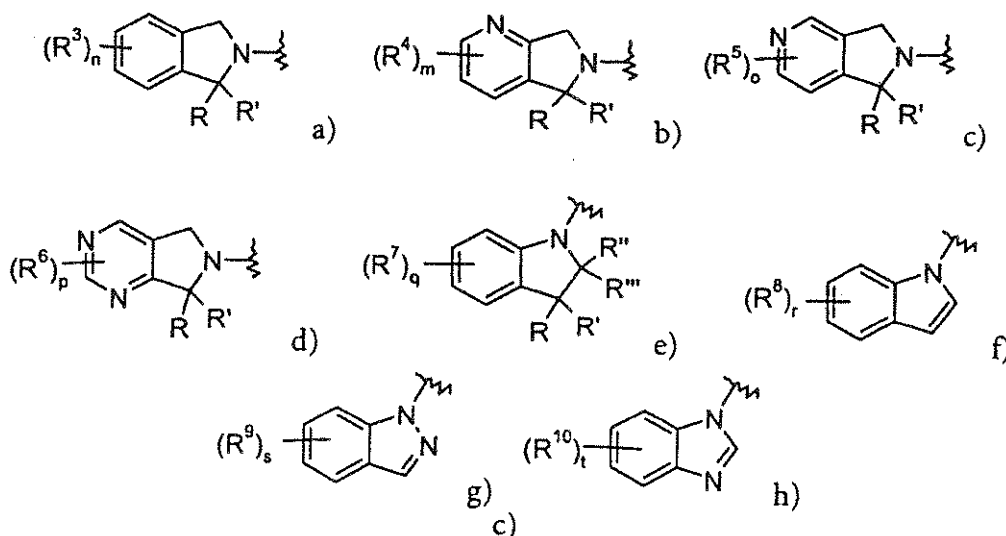
R^1 is halogen, $-OR^{1'}$, $-SR^{1''}$, cycloalkyl, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl, aryl or 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl, containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen;

$R^{1'}/R^{1''}$ are hydrogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, $-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl or $-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl;

R^2 is $-S(O)_2$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2NH$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, NO_2 or CN ;

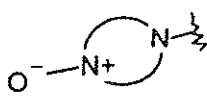


is an aromatic or partially aromatic bicyclic amine, which may contain one or two additional N-atom, selected from the group consisting of



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and wherein one additional N-ring atom of the aromatic or partially aromatic bicyclic amine

may be available in form of its oxide  ;

R^3 to R^{10} are hydrogen, hydroxy, halogen, =O, C_{1-6} -alkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, C_{1-6} -alkoxy, CN, NO_2 , NH_2 , aryl, 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen, -NH- C_{1-6} -alkyl, -N(C_{1-6} -alkyl)₂, cyclic amide, -C(O)-cyclic amide, S- C_{1-6} -alkyl, -S(O)₂- C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkoxy substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by hydroxy, -O-(CH₂)_y- C_{1-6} -alkoxy, -O(CH₂)_yC(O)N(C_{1-6} -alkyl)₂, -C(O)- C_{1-6} -alkyl, -O-(CH₂)_x-aryl, -O-(CH₂)_x-cycloalkyl, -O-(CH₂)_x-heterocycloalkyl, -C(O)O- C_{1-6} -alkyl, -C(O)-NH- C_{1-6} -alkyl, -C(O)-N(C_{1-6} -alkyl)₂, 2-oxy-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl or 3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl;

R' and R'' in group e) may form together with -(CH₂)₄- a six membered ring; or R , R' , R'' and R''' are independently from each other hydrogen or C_{1-6} -alkyl;

and wherein all aryl-, cycloalkyl-, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl- or 5 or 6 membered heteroaryl groups as defined for R^1 , $R^{1'}$, $R^{1''}$ and R^3 to R^{10} may be unsubstituted or substituted by one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, =O, halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, phenyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen or C_{1-6} -alkoxy;

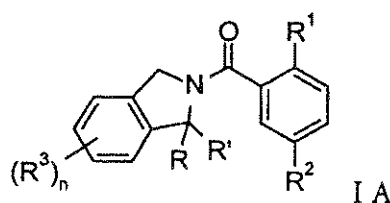
n , m , o , p , q , r , s and t are 1 or 2;

x is 0, 1 or 2;

y is 1 or 2;

and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof, with the exception of (2-hydroxy-5-nitro-phenyl)-(6-nitro-indazol-1-yl)-methanone.

2. Compounds of formula I A according to claim 1,



wherein

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R^1 is halogen, $-OR^1$, $-SR^1$, cycloalkyl, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl, aryl or 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl, containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen;

R^1/R^1 are hydrogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, $-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl or $-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl;

R^2 is $-S(O)_2$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2NH$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, NO_2 or CN ;

R^3 is hydrogen, hydroxy, halogen, $=O$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, C_{1-6} -alkoxy, CN , NO_2 , NH_2 , aryl, 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen, $-NH$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-N(C_{1-6}-alkyl)_2$, cyclic amide, $-C(O)$ -cyclic amide, S - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkoxy substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by hydroxy, $-O-(CH_2)_y$ - C_{1-6} -alkoxy, $-O(CH_2)_yC(O)N(C_{1-6}-alkyl)_2$, $-C(O)$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -heterocycloalkyl, $-C(O)O$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-C(O)-NH$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-C(O)-N(C_{1-6}-alkyl)_2$, 2-oxy-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl or 3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl;

R, R' are independently from each other hydrogen or C_{1-6} -alkyl;

and wherein all aryl-, cycloalkyl-, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl- or 5 or 6 membered heteroaryl groups as defined for R^1, R^1, R^1 and R^3 may be unsubstituted or substituted by one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, $=O$, halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, phenyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen or C_{1-6} -alkoxy;

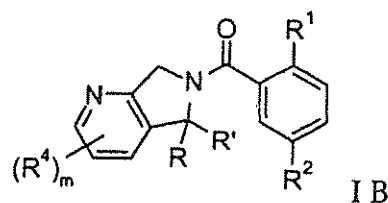
n is 1 or 2;

x is 0, 1 or 2;

y is 1 or 2;

and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.

3. Compounds of formula I B according to claim 1



I B

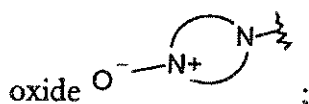
wherein

R^1 is halogen, $-OR^{1'}$, $-SR^{1''}$, cycloalkyl, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl, aryl or 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl, containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen;

$R^{1'}/R^{1''}$ are hydrogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, $-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl or $-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl;

R^2 is $-S(O)_2$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2NH$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, NO_2 or CN ;

and wherein the additional N-ring atom of the bicyclic amine may be available in form of its



R^4 is hydrogen, hydroxy, halogen, $=O$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, C_{1-6} -alkoxy, CN , NO_2 , NH_2 , aryl, 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen, $-NH$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-N(C_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, cyclic amide, $-C(O)$ -cyclic amide, S - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkoxy substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by hydroxy, $-O-(CH_2)_y$ - C_{1-6} -alkoxy, $-O(CH_2)_yC(O)N(C_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, $-C(O)$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -heterocycloalkyl, $-C(O)O$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-C(O)-NH$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-C(O)-N(C_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, 2-oxy-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl or 3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl;

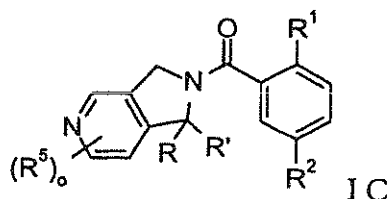
R , R' are independently from each other hydrogen or C_{1-6} -alkyl;

and wherein all aryl-, cycloalkyl-, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl- or 5 or 6 membered heteroaryl groups as defined for R^1 , $R^{1'}$, $R^{1''}$ and R^4 may be unsubstituted or substituted by one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, $=O$, halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, phenyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen or C_{1-6} -alkoxy;

- m is 1 or 2;
 x is 0, 1 or 2;
 y is 1 or 2;

and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.

4. Compounds of formula I C according to claim 1



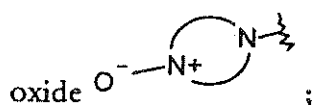
wherein

R^1 is halogen, $-OR^{1'}$, $-SR^{1''}$, cycloalkyl, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl, aryl or 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl, containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen;

$R^{1'}/R^{1''}$ are hydrogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, $-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl or $-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl;

R^2 is $-S(O)_2$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2NH$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, NO_2 or CN ;

and wherein the additional N-ring atom of the bicyclic amine may be available in form of its



R^5 is hydrogen, hydroxy, halogen, $=O$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, C_{1-6} -alkoxy, CN , NO_2 , NH_2 , aryl, 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen, $-NH$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-N(C_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, cyclic amide, $-C(O)$ -cyclic amide, S - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkoxy substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by hydroxy, $-O-(CH_2)_y$ - C_{1-6} -alkoxy, $-O(CH_2)_yC(O)N(C_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, $-C(O)$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -heterocycloalkyl, $-C(O)O$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-C(O)-NH$ - C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-C(O)-N(C_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, 2-oxy-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl or 3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl;

R, R' are independently from each other hydrogen or C₁₋₆-alkyl;

and wherein all aryl-, cycloalkyl-, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl- or 5 or 6 membered heteroaryl groups as defined for R¹, R^{1'}, R^{1''} and R⁵ may be unsubstituted or substituted by one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, =O, halogen, C₁₋₆-alkyl, phenyl, C₁₋₆-alkyl substituted by halogen or C₁₋₆-alkoxy;

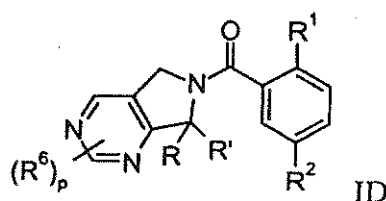
o is 1 or 2;

x is 0, 1 or 2;

y is 1 or 2;

and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.

5. Compounds of formula I D according to claim 1



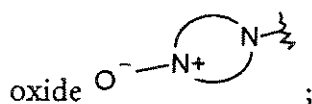
wherein

R¹ is halogen, -OR^{1'}, -SR^{1''}, cycloalkyl, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl, aryl or 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl, containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen;

R^{1'}/R^{1''} are hydrogen, C₁₋₆-alkyl, C₁₋₆-alkyl substituted by halogen, -(CH₂)_x-cycloalkyl or -(CH₂)_x-aryl;

R² is -S(O)₂- C₁₋₆-alkyl, -S(O)₂NH- C₁₋₆-alkyl, NO₂ or CN;

and wherein one additional N-ring atom of the bicyclic amine may be available in form of its



R⁶ is hydrogen, hydroxy, halogen, =O, C₁₋₆-alkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, C₁₋₆-alkoxy, CN, NO₂, NH₂, aryl, 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen, -NH- C₁₋₆-alkyl, -N(C₁₋₆-alkyl)₂, cyclic amide, -C(O)-cyclic amide, S- C₁₋₆-alkyl, -S(O)₂- C₁₋₆-alkyl, C₁₋₆-alkyl substituted by

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halogen, C₁₋₆-alkoxy substituted by halogen, C₁₋₆-alkyl substituted by hydroxy,
 -O-(CH₂)_y- C₁₋₆-alkoxy, -O(CH₂)_yC(O)N(C₁₋₆-alkyl)₂, -C(O)- C₁₋₆-alkyl,
 -O-(CH₂)_x-aryl, -O-(CH₂)_x-cycloalkyl, -O-(CH₂)_x-heterocycloalkyl,
 -C(O)O- C₁₋₆-alkyl, -C(O)-NH- C₁₋₆-alkyl, -C(O)-N(C₁₋₆-alkyl)₂,
 2-oxy-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl or 3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl;

R, R' are independently from each other hydrogen or C₁₋₆-alkyl;

and wherein all aryl-, cycloalkyl-, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl- or 5 or 6 membered heteroaryl groups as defined for R¹, R^{1'}, R^{1''} and R³ to R¹⁰ may be unsubstituted or substituted by one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, =O, halogen, C₁₋₆-alkyl, phenyl, C₁₋₆-alkyl substituted by halogen or C₁₋₆-alkoxy;

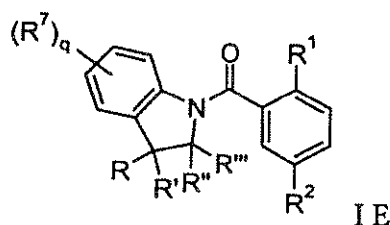
p is 1 or 2;

x is 0, 1 or 2;

y is 1 or 2;

and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.

6. Compounds of formula I E according to claim 1



wherein

R¹ is halogen, -OR^{1'}, -SR^{1''}, cycloalkyl, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl, aryl or 5-or 6-membered heteroaryl, containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen;

R^{1'}/R^{1''} are hydrogen, , C₁₋₆-alkyl, , C₁₋₆-alkyl substituted by halogen, -(CH₂)_x-cycloalkyl or -(CH₂)_x-aryl;

R² is -S(O)₂-, C₁₋₆-alkyl, -S(O)₂NH-, C₁₋₆-alkyl, NO₂ or CN;

R⁷ is hydrogen, hydroxy, halogen, =O, , C₁₋₆-alkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, , C₁₋₆-alkoxy, CN, NO₂, NH₂, aryl, 5-or 6-membered heteroaryl

containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen, -NH-, C₁₋₆-alkyl, -N(C₁₋₆-alkyl)₂, cyclic amide, -C(O)-cyclic amide, S-, C₁₋₆-alkyl, -S(O)₂-, C₁₋₆-alkyl, C₁₋₆-alkyl substituted by halogen, C₁₋₆-alkoxy substituted by halogen, C₁₋₆-alkyl substituted by hydroxy, -O-(CH₂)_y-, C₁₋₆-alkoxy, -O(CH₂)_yC(O)N(C₁₋₆-alkyl)₂, -C(O)-, C₁₋₆-alkyl, -O-(CH₂)_x-aryl, -O-(CH₂)_x-cycloalkyl, -O-(CH₂)_x-heterocycloalkyl, -C(O)O-, C₁₋₆-alkyl, -C(O)-NH-, C₁₋₆-alkyl, -C(O)-N(C₁₋₆-alkyl)₂, 2-oxy-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl or 3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl;

R' and R'' in group e) may form together with -(CH₂)₄- a six membered ring; or

R, R', R'' and R''' are independently from each other hydrogen or, C₁₋₆-alkyl;

and wherein all aryl-, cycloalkyl-, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl- or 5 or 6 membered heteroaryl groups as defined for R¹, R^{1'}, R^{1''} and R⁷ may be unsubstituted or substituted by one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, =O, halogen, C₁₋₆-alkyl, phenyl, C₁₋₆-alkyl substituted by halogen or, C₁₋₆-alkoxy;

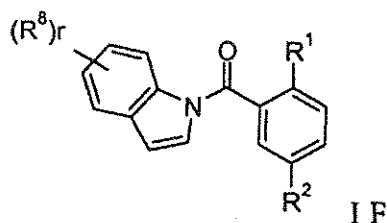
q is 1 or 2;

x is 0, 1 or 2;

y is 1 or 2;

and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.

7. Compounds of formula I F according to claim 1



wherein

R¹ is halogen, -OR^{1'}, -SR^{1''}, cycloalkyl, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl, aryl or 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl, containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen;

R^{1'}/R^{1''} are hydrogen, C₁₋₆-alkyl, C₁₋₆-alkyl substituted by halogen, -(CH₂)_x-cycloalkyl or -(CH₂)_x-aryl;

R^2 is $-S(O)_2-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2NH-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, NO_2 or CN ;

R^8 is hydrogen, hydroxy, halogen, $=O$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, C_{1-6} -alkoxy, CN , NO_2 , NH_2 , aryl, 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen, $-NH-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-N(C_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, cyclic amide, $-C(O)$ -cyclic amide, $S-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkoxy substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by hydroxy, $-O-(CH_2)_y-$, C_{1-6} -alkoxy, $-O(CH_2)_yC(O)N(C_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, $-C(O)-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -heterocycloalkyl, $-C(O)O-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-C(O)-NH-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-C(O)-N(C_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, 2-oxy-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl or 3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl;

and wherein all aryl-, cycloalkyl-, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl- or 5 or 6 membered heteroaryl groups as defined for R^1 , $R^{1'}$, $R^{1''}$ and R^8 may be unsubstituted or substituted by one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, $=O$, halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, phenyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen or C_{1-6} -alkoxy;

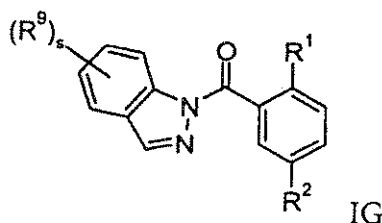
r is 1 or 2;

x is 0, 1 or 2;

y is 1 or 2;

and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.

8. Compounds of formula I G according to claim 1



wherein

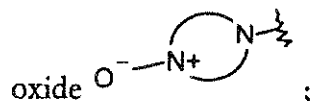
R^1 is halogen, $-OR^{1'}$, $-SR^{1''}$, cycloalkyl, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl, aryl or 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl, containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen;

$R^{1'}/R^{1''}$ are hydrogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, $-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl or $-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl;

R^2 is $-S(O)_2-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2NH-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, NO_2 or CN ;

R^9 is hydrogen, hydroxy, halogen, $=O$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, C_{1-6} -alkoxy, CN , NO_2 , NH_2 , aryl, 5- or 6-membered heteroaryl containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen, $-NH-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-N(C_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, cyclic amide, $-C(O)$ -cyclic amide, $S-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkoxy substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by hydroxy, $-O-(CH_2)_y-$, C_{1-6} -alkoxy, $-O(CH_2)_yC(O)N(C_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, $-C(O)-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -heterocycloalkyl, $-C(O)O-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-C(O)-NH-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-C(O)-N(C_{1-6}\text{-alkyl})_2$, 2-oxy-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl or 3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl;

and wherein the additional N-ring atom of the bicyclic amine may be available in form of its



and wherein all aryl-, cycloalkyl-, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl- or 5 or 6 membered heteroaryl groups as defined for R^1 , $R^{1'}$, $R^{1''}$ and R^9 may be unsubstituted or substituted by one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, $=O$, halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, phenyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen or C_{1-6} -alkoxy;

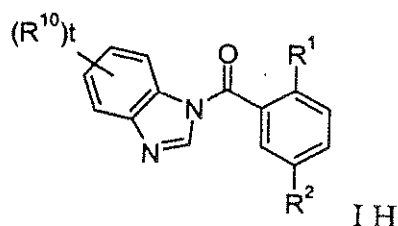
s is 1 or 2;

x is 0, 1 or 2;

y is 1 or 2;

and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof with the exception of (2-hydroxy-5-nitro-phenyl)-(6-nitro-indazol-1-yl)-methanone.

9. Compounds of formula I H according to claim 1



wherein

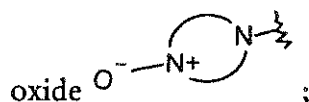
R^1 is halogen, $-OR^1$, $-SR^{1'}$, cycloalkyl, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl, aryl or 5-or 6-membered heteroaryl, containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen;

$R^{1'}/R^{1''}$ are hydrogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, $-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl or $-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl;

R^2 is $-S(O)_2-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2NH-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, NO_2 or CN ;

R^{10} is hydrogen, hydroxy, halogen, $=O$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, C_{1-6} -alkoxy, CN , NO_2 , NH_2 , aryl, 5-or 6-membered heteroaryl containing one, two or three heteroatoms, selected from the group consisting of oxygen, sulphur or nitrogen, $-NH-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-N(C_{1-6}alkyl)_2$, cyclic amide, $-C(O)$ -cyclic amide, $S-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-S(O)_2-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkoxy substituted by halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by hydroxy, $-O-(CH_2)_y-$, C_{1-6} -alkoxy, $-O(CH_2)_yC(O)N(C_{1-6}alkyl)_2$, $-C(O)-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -aryl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -cycloalkyl, $-O-(CH_2)_x$ -heterocycloalkyl, $-C(O)O-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-C(O)-NH-$, C_{1-6} -alkyl, $-C(O)-N(C_{1-6}alkyl)_2$, 2-oxy-5-aza-bicyclo[2.2.1]hept-5-yl or 3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl;

and wherein the additional N-ring atom of the bicyclic amine may be available in form of its



and wherein all aryl-, cycloalkyl-, cyclic amide, heterocycloalkyl- or 5 or 6 membered heteroaryl groups as defined for R^1 , $R^{1'}$, $R^{1''}$ and R^{10} may be unsubstituted or substituted by one or more substituents selected from the group consisting of hydroxy, $=O$, halogen, C_{1-6} -alkyl, phenyl, C_{1-6} -alkyl substituted by halogen or C_{1-6} -alkoxy;

t is 1 or 2;

x is 0, 1 or 2;

y is 1 or 2;

and pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts thereof.

10. Compounds of general formula I A according to claims 1 and 2, wherein R^1 is $OR^{1'}$ and $R^{1'}$ is as described in claims 1 and 2.

11. Compounds of general formula I A according to claim 10, wherein the compounds are:

- (5,6-dichloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
rac-(5,6-dichloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
(5,6-dichloro-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropylsulfanyl-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
(5-chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
(5-chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
(5-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
(2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
4-isopropoxy-N-methyl-3-(5-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindole-2-carbonyl)-benzenesulfonamide,
(5-chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
(5-chloro-6-methyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
(5-chloro-6-ethylsulfanyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(5-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
[[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-methyl-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
[[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-methoxy-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-trifluoromethoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(4-methyl-thiazol-2-

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yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(2-methyl-pyridin-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(5-methyl-thiophen-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-thiazol-2-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
 (5-ethylsulfanyl-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 (5-chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone
 (5-chloro-6-methoxy-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
 (5-fluoro-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 (5-ethoxy-6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
 (5-chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
 (5-chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(2-cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
 (2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 (2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 (2-cyclopropylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 (2-cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [2-(2,2-dimethyl-propoxy)-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-(3,3-difluoro-piperidin-1-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,

[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[(1R,5S)-5-(3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-methyl-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-pyridin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-pyridin-3-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-phenyl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
 [5-(2-chloro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-thiophen-3-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(4-methyl-thiophen-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(3-methyl-thiophen-2-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-(3-fluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-(2-fluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-(3,5-difluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(3-methoxy-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-thiophen-2-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(4-methyl-thiophen-

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3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-pyrazol-1-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(2,2,2-trifluoro-ethoxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-chloro-6-(tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 rac-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 rac-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-furan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 rac-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-chloro-6-(3-oxa-8-aza-bicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 rac-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
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 [5-fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-(3-fluoro-oxetan-3-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(3,3,3-trifluoro-propoxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 (5-fluoro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 (5-fluoro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 (2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone,
 [5-chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,

[5-chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
 [5-fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-methanone,
 [5-fluoro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone or
 [5-chloro-6-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yloxy)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-methanone.

12. Compounds of general formula I A according to claims 1 and 2, wherein R¹ is unsubstituted or substituted phenyl, for example the following compounds:

(5-chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-methanone,
 (5-chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(3'-fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-methanone,
 (5-chloro-6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl)-(4'-fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-methanone or
 (4'-fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-[5-(tetrahydro-pyran-4-yl)-1,3-dihydro-isoindol-2-yl]-methanone.

13. Compounds of general formula I B according to claim 3, wherein the compounds are

(2-cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 (2-isobutoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((R)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 (4'-fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 (3',4'-difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3-tetrafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,

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[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(2-methyl-3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone,
 [3-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(3-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl)-methanone or
 [2-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-b]pyridin-6-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone

14. Compounds of general formula I C according to claim 4, wherein the compounds are:

(2-cyclobutylmethoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone,
 (4'-fluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone,
 (3',4'-difluoro-4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3,3-pentafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone,
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-(2,2,3,3-tetrafluoro-propoxy)-phenyl]-(6-trifluoromethyl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone,
 [6-(4-fluoro-phenyl)-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl]-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone or
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(6-morpholin-4-yl-1,3-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-c]pyridin-2-yl)-methanone.

15. Compounds of general formula I D according to claim 5, wherein the compounds are:

[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(2-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone,
 (2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(2-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone,
 (4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-yl)-(2-trifluoromethyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone,
 (2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-phenyl)-(2-methyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone or
 [5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(2-methyl-5,7-dihydro-pyrrolo[3,4-d]pyrimidin-6-yl)-methanone.

16. Compounds of general formula I E according to claim 6, wherein the compounds are:

1-(4-methanesulfonyl-biphenyl-2-carbonyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole-4-carbonitrile,
1-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoyl]-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole-4-carboxylic acid methyl ester,
1-(2-isopropoxy-5-methanesulfonyl-benzoyl)-2,3-dihydro-1H-indole-4-carboxylic acid methyl ester or
(4-bromo-2,3-dihydro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone.

17. Compounds of general formula I F according to claim 7, wherein the compounds are:

(5-bromo-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone,
1-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-benzoyl]-1H-indole-6-carbonitrile,
(6-chloro-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone or
(4-bromo-indol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone.

18. Compounds of general formula I G according to claim 8, wherein the compounds are:

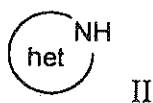
[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-(5-nitro-indazol-1-yl)-methanone,
(5-chloro-indazol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone or
(5,7-Dichloro-indazol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone.

19. A compounds of general formula I H according to claim 9, wherein the compound is:

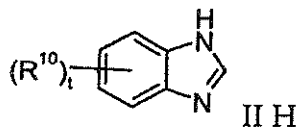
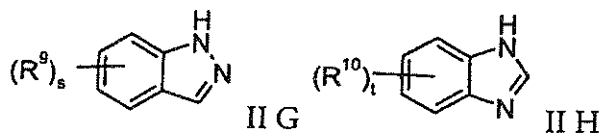
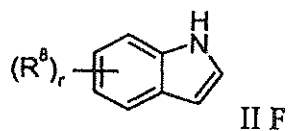
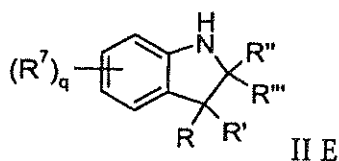
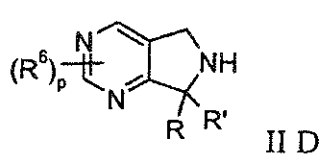
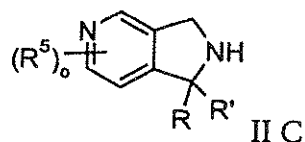
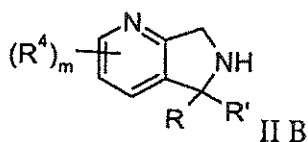
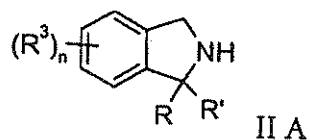
(5,6-dimethyl-benzoimidazol-1-yl)-[5-methanesulfonyl-2-((S)-2,2,2-trifluoro-1-methyl-ethoxy)-phenyl]-methanone.

20. A process for preparing a compound of formula I as defined in claims 1 to 19, which process comprises

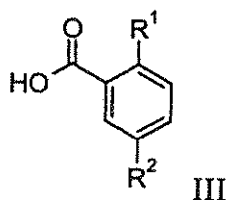
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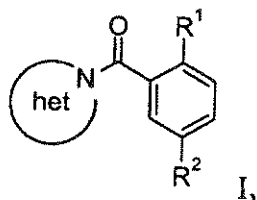


with a compound of formula



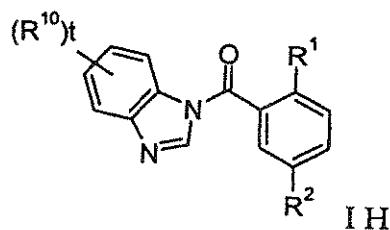
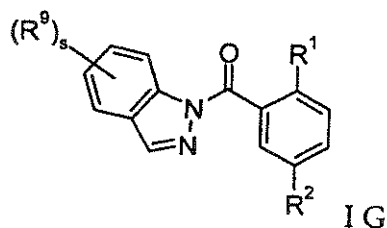
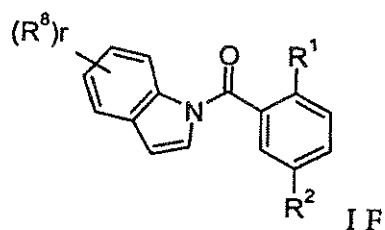
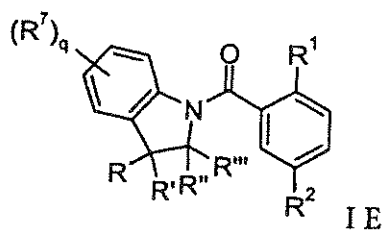
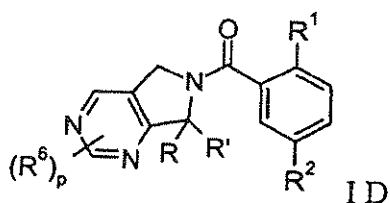
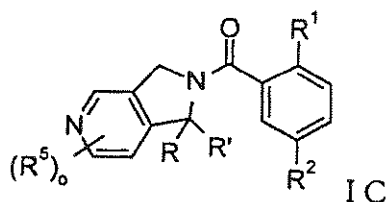
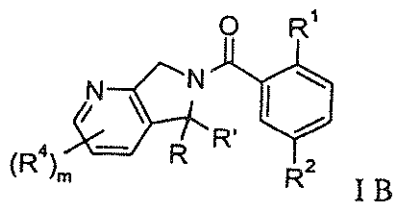
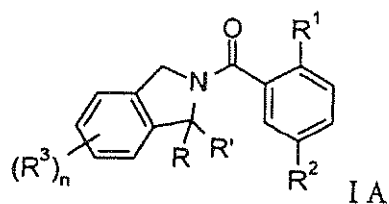
in the presence of an activating agent, such as TBTU,

to a compound of formula



which include the following structures

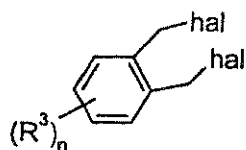
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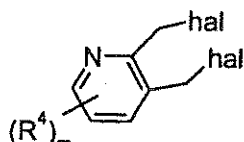
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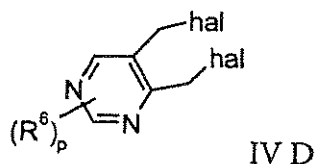
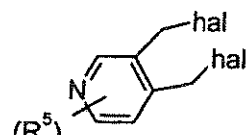
b) reacting a compound of formula



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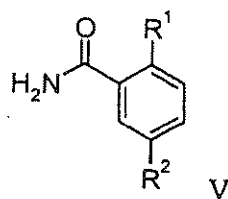


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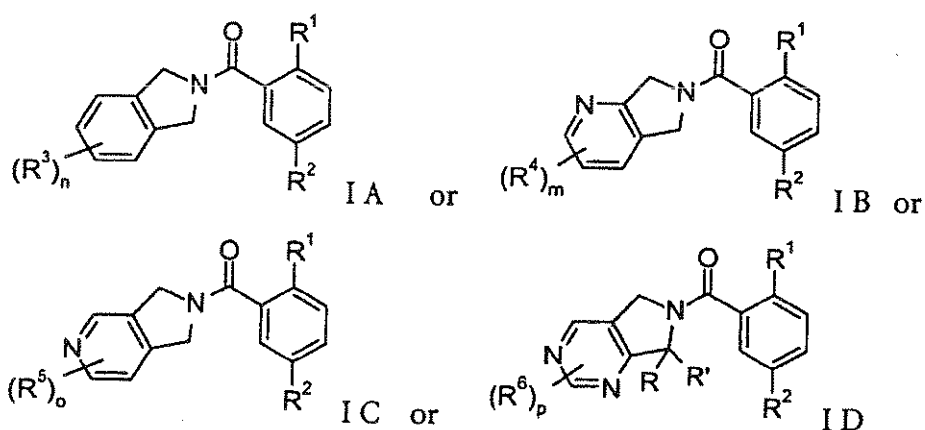
wherein hal is an halogen group such as Br or Cl

with a compound of formula



in the presence of a base, such as sodium hydride,

to compound of formulas



wherein the substituents are as defined in claim 1, and,

if desired, converting the compounds obtained into pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts.

21. A medicament containing one or more compounds as claimed in any one of claims 1 to 19 and pharmaceutically suitable excipients.

22. A medicament according to claim 21, wherein the illnesses are psychoses, pain, dysfunction in memory and learning, schizophrenia, dementia and other diseases in which cognitive processes are impaired, such as attention deficit disorders or Alzheimer's disease.

23. The use of a compound as claimed in any one of claims 1 to 19 for the manufacture of medicaments for the treatment of psychoses, pain, neurodegenerative dysfunction in memory and learning, schizophrenia, dementia and other diseases in which cognitive processes are impaired, such as attention deficit disorders or Alzheimer's disease.
