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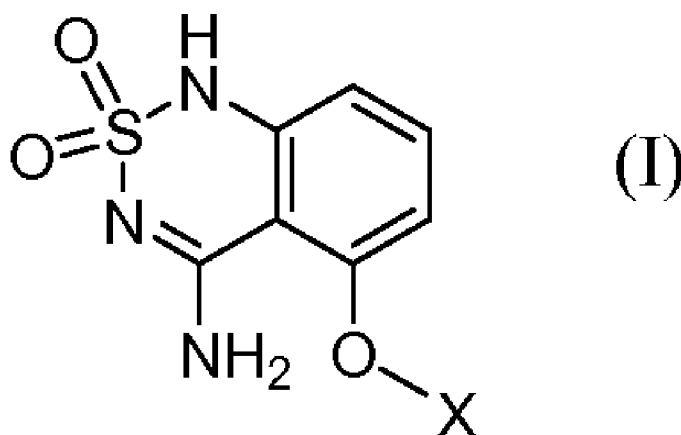
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(54) **Title:** PROCESSES AND INTERMEDIATES FOR MAKING SWEET TASTE ENHANCERS



(57) **Abstract:** The present invention includes methods/processes and intermediates for preparing compounds having structural Formula (I): (I), wherein X is alkyl, substituted alkyl, alkenyl, substituted alkenyl, heteroalkyl, substituted heteroalkyl, heteroalkenyl, or substituted heteroalkenyl.



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