represents a benzene ring optionally further substituted by 1 to 3 substituents selected from

(1) a C_{1-6} alkyl group optionally substituted by 1 to 3 substituents selected from

(i) a carboxy group,

(ii) a mono- or di-C_{1-6} alkyl-carbamoyl group optionally substituted by 1 to 3 substituents selected from: a carboxy group; a C_{1-6} alkylsulfonyl group; a carbamoyl group; and a sulfo group, and

(iii) a 3- to 14-membered non-aromatic heterocyclylcarbonyl group optionally substituted by a carboxy group(s),

(2) a 3- to 14-membered non-aromatic heterocyclic group optionally substituted by 1 to 3 substituents selected from

(i) a C_{1-6} alkyl-carbonyl group optionally substituted by 1 to 3 substituents selected from a carboxy group; and a mono or di-C_{1-6} alkyl-carbamoyl group optionally substituted by 1 to 3 carboxy groups,

(ii) a C_{1-6} alkyl group optionally substituted by 1 to 3 carboxy groups,

(3) a C_{3-10} cycloalkyl group optionally substituted by 1 to 3 C_{1-6} alkyl groups, and

(4) a C_{6-14} aryl group, and

L^1 and L^2 each independently represent a bond or a linear C_{1-3} alkylene group.

[Claim 5] (5R)-3-(3-((4-Carbamimidamidobenzoyl)oxy)phenyl)-5-(carboxymethy 1)-4,5-dihydro-1,2-oxazole-5-carboxylic acid or a salt thereof.

[Claim 6] (5S)-3-(3-((4-Carbamimidamidobenzoyl)oxy)pheny1)-5-(carboxymethy 1)-4,5-dihydro-1,2-oxazole-5-carboxylic acid or a salt thereof.

[Claim 7] 2,2'-(3-(3-((4-Carbamimidamidobenzoyl)oxy)pheny1)-4,5-dihydro-1,2-oxazole-5,5-diy1)diacetic acid or a salt thereof.

[Claim 8] A medicament comprising the compound of claim 1 or a salt thereof.

[Claim 9] The medicament of claim 8, which is an enteropeptidase inhibitor.

[Claim 10] The medicament of claim 8, which is an agent for the prophylaxis or treatment of obesity.

[Claim 11] The medicament of claim 8, which is an agent for the prophylaxis or treatment of diabetes mellitus.

[Claim 12] Use of the compound according to claim 1 or a salt thereof in the production of an agent for the prophylaxis or treatment of obesity.

[Claim 13] Use of the compound according to claim 1 or a salt thereof in the production of an agent for the prophylaxis or treatment of diabetes mellitus.

[Claim 14] The compound according to claim 1 or a salt thereof for use in the prophylaxis or treatment of obesity.

[Claim 15] The compound according to claim 1 or a salt thereof for use in the prophylaxis or treatment of diabetes mellitus.