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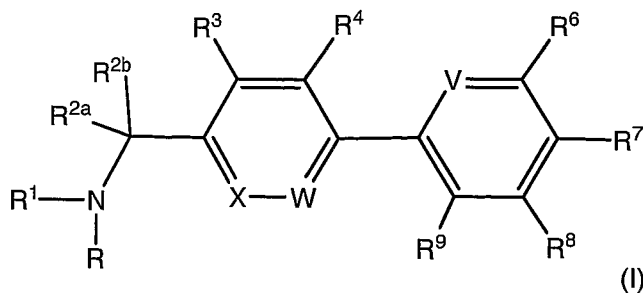
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(57) Abstract: Compounds of Formula (I) that act as antagonists at the mu, kappa and/or delta opioid receptors and therefore useful in the treatment of diseases, conditions and/or disorders that benefit from such antagonism in animals are described herein. Formula (I) where R, R¹, R^{2a}, R^{2b}, R³, R⁴, V, R⁶, R⁷, R⁸, R⁹, W and X are described herein.