

[TITLE OF THE DOCUMENT] SPECIFICATION

[TITLE OF THE INVENTION] PYRIDINE DERIVATIVE

[TECHNICAL FIELD]

The present invention relates to a pyridine derivative useful as a pharmaceutical. More particularly, it relates to a pyridine derivative having inhibitory activity against URAT1 and useful in the treatment or prevention of a URAT1-associated disease, such as gout, hyperuricemia, hypertension, renal disease such as interstitial nephritis, diabetes, arteriosclerosis, or Lesch-Nyhan syndrome, or a prodrug thereof, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof.

[BACKGROUND ART]

Uric acid is the final product of purine metabolism in the liver. The main route of uric acid excretion is the kidney. Approximately two-thirds of uric acid is excreted in the urine and the remaining is excreted in feces. Although blood uric acid is maintained in appropriate levels in healthy individuals, hyperuricemia is induced when an excessive production of uric acid or a decreased excretion of uric acid occurs.

Hyperuricemia, in which blood uric acid levels become elevated, is a factor that causes gout and urinary calculus, and furthermore it is said to contribute to nephropathy and arteriosclerosis. In addition, there have recently been an increasing number of reports that the higher the blood uric acid level, the higher the incidence rates of lifestyle-related diseases such as metabolic syndrome and hypertension, chronic kidney disease, and the like, and hyperuricemia is being recognized to be a risk factor for these diseases. Thus, an improvement in hyperuricemia is expected to lead to improvements in various diseases (Non-Patent Document 1).

Recently, the gene (SLC22A12) encoding a human renal urate transporter has

been identified. The transporter (urate transporter 1, URAT1) encoded by this gene is a 12-transmembrane type molecule belonging to the OAT family. Its mRNA is specifically expressed in the kidney, and further, its localization on apical side of the proximal tubule has been observed in human kidney tissue sections. URAT1-mediated uric acid uptake has been shown by experiments using the *Xenopus* oocyte expression system. Furthermore, it has been reported that probenecid or benzbromarone, which inhibits URAT1, is useful agent for prevention or treatment of hyperuricemia, gout, and the like (Non-Patent Document 2).

[RELATED ART DOCUMENTS]

[NON-PATENT DOCUMENTS]

[Non-Patent Document 1] The Guideline Revising Committee of Japanese Society of Gout and Nucleic Acid Metabolism, ed., *Guideline for the management of hyperuricemia and gout*, second edition, Medical Review (2010).

[Non-Patent Document 2] Enomoto A. et al., *Nature* 417, 447-452 (2002).

[SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION]

[PROBLEMS TO BE SOLVED BY THE INVENTION]

It is an object of the present invention to provide a novel compound having URAT1-inhibitory activity.

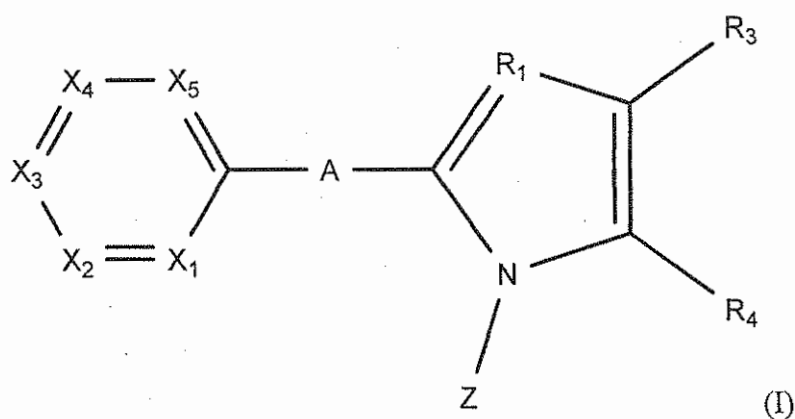
Additionally, it is another object of the present invention to provide an agent for treatment or prevention of a URAT1-associated disease, such as gout, hyperuricemia, hypertension, renal disease such as interstitial nephritis, diabetes, arteriosclerosis, or Lesch-Nyhan syndrome, containing the novel compound having URAT1-inhibitory activity as an active ingredient

[MEANS OF SOLVING THE PROBLEMS]

As a result of diligent studies with the above objects, the present inventors have reached the following invention.

That is, the present invention is a pyridine derivative represented by the following formula (I) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof:

[Chemical Formula 1]



wherein:

A represents a single bond, an oxygen atom, a sulfur atom, NH, or CH₂;

R₁ represents a nitrogen atom or CH;

one of X₁ to X₅ represents a nitrogen atom, and the remaining four represent CR₂;

R₂ each independently represent a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkenyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkynyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, an alkylcarbonyl group having 2 to 7 carbon atoms, an alkylsulfonyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a nitro group, an amino group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, a formyl group, a hydroxyl group, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, a phenyl group, a cyclohexyl group,

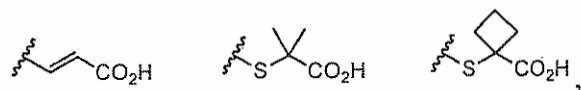
and a halogen atom), an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), or a phenoxy group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), with the proviso that when two CR_2 's are adjacent, the two R_2 's may optionally be joined together to form a ring;

R_3 represents a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, an amino group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, an imidazole ring, a pyrazole ring, a pyrrolidine ring, a piperidine ring, a morpholine ring, and a piperazine ring (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms and an alkylsulfonyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms)), an alkenyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkynyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group and a halogen atom), an alkylcarbonyl group having 2 to 7 carbon atoms, an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkylsulfinyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a pyridyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a phenoxy group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6

carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a carboxyl group, or $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_5$;

R_4 represents a carboxyl group, a tetrazolyl group, $-\text{CONHSO}_2\text{R}_5$, $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_5$, or any of the following substituents:

[Chemical Formula 2]

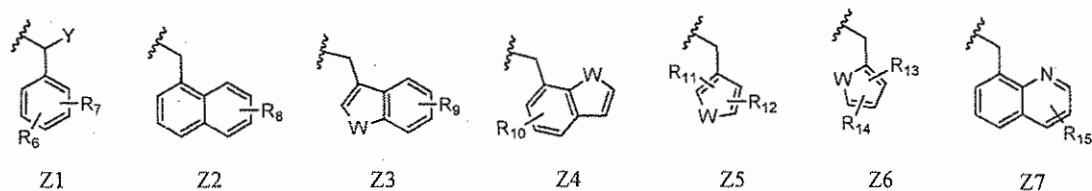


with the proviso that when R_3 is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms substituted with a hydroxyl group and when R_4 is a carboxyl group, then R_3 and R_4 may optionally be fused to form a lactone ring;

R_5 in R_3 and R_4 each independently represents an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms;

Z represents any of the following substituents, designated Z1 to Z7:

[Chemical Formula 3]



wherein:

R_6 and R_7 each independently represent a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a trifluoromethyl group, a trifluoromethoxy group, or a cyano group, with the proviso that the case where R_6 and R_7 are simultaneously hydrogen atoms is excluded;

R_8 represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group;

R₉ represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group;

R₁₀ represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group;

R₁₁ and R₁₂ each independently represent a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group;

R₁₃ and R₁₄ each independently represent a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group;

R₁₅ represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group;

Y represents a hydrogen atom or an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms; and

W represents a sulfur atom, an oxygen atom, or NR₁₆ (where R₁₆ represents a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a benzyl group).

The present invention also provides a prodrug of the pyridine derivative represented by the above formula (I) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof. In addition, the present invention provides: a pharmaceutical composition containing a pyridine derivative represented by the above formula (I) or a prodrug thereof, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof, or a solvate thereof, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier; a URAT1 inhibitor containing as an active ingredient a pyridine derivative represented by the above formula (I) or a prodrug thereof, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof; and an agent for treatment or prevention of a URAT1-associated disease, such as gout, hyperuricemia, hypertension, renal disease such as interstitial nephritis, diabetes, arteriosclerosis, or Lesch-Nyhan syndrome, containing as an active ingredient a pyridine derivative

represented by the above formula (I) or a prodrug thereof, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof.

The present invention also provides a pyridine derivative selected from the following compounds (1) to (193) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof:

- (1) 1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (2) 4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (3) ethyl 4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate;
- (4) 4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-((4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (5) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (6) 1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (7) 4-chloro-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (8) 4-ethyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (9) 4-cyclopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (10) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (11) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (12) 4-cyclopropyl-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (13) 4-methyl-1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (14) 4-cyclopropyl-1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (15) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (16) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (17) 4-chloro-1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-

carboxylic acid;

(18) 4-isopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(19) 4-isopropyl-1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(20) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(21) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(22) 1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(23) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(24) 1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(25) 4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-((4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(26) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(27) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(28) 1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(29) 4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-((4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(30) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(31) 1-(2-chloro-5-fluorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(32) 1-(5-chloro-2-fluorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(33) 1-(2-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

- (34) 1-(5-chloro-2-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (35) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (36) 1-(2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (37) 1-(2-bromobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (38) 1-(3-bromobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (39) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(quinolin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (40) 1-(3,4-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (41) 1-(2,3-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (42) 1-(3,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (43) 1-(3-chloro-5-fluorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (44) 1-(2,4-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (45) 1-(2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (46) 1-((2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (47) 1-((2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (48) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (49) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (50) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (51) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (52) 1-((5-fluorobenzo[b]thiophen-7-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (53) 4-cyclopropyl-1-((5-fluorobenzo[b]thiophen-7-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

- (54) 4-chloro-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (55) 4-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (56) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-iodo-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (57) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-phenyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (58) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (59) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (60) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2,4-di(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (61) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methoxy-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (62) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(2,2,2-trifluoroethoxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (63) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(p-tolyloxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (64) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(4-fluorophenoxy)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (65) 4-cyano-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (66) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-vinyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (67) 4-(1-cyclopenten-1-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (68) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(methylthio)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (69) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(ethylthio)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (70) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (71) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(3-hydroxypentan-3-yl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (72) 3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-5-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine;
- (73) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-cyclopropyl-N-(methylsulfonyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxamide;
- (74) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-cyclopropyl-N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-2-

(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxamide;

(75) 2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(76) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(77) 4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(5-phenoxy-pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(78) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(79) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(80) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(81) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(82) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(83) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(84) 4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(85) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(86) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-2-(5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(87) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(88) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(89) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(90) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-isopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

- (91) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-cyclopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (92) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-isopropyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (93) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-cyclopropyl-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (94) 4-ethyl-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (95) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-ethyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (96) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethyl-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (97) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (98) 2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-isopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (99) 4-cyclopropyl-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (100) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-isopropyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (101) 4-cyclopropyl-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (102) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (103) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (104) 2-(5-cyanopyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (105) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (106) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(2-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (107) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(6-methoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(108) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(2-methoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(109) 2-(6-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(110) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-(pyrrolidin-1-yl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(111) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-nitropyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(112) 2-(5-cyclopropylpyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(113) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(114) 1-(2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(115) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(116) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-hydroxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(117) 1-(2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(118) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-ethoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(119) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-isopropoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(120) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-phenylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(121) 2-(5-bromopyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(122) 1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(123) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(124) 1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(125) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-ethylpyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(126) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-(methylthio)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(127) 2-(5-acetylpyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(128) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-propoxypyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(129) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-isobutoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(130) 2-(5-(cyclohexylmethoxy)pyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(131) 2-(5-(benzyloxy)pyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(132) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(hydroxymethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(133) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((dimethylamino)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(134) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((diethylamino)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(135) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(pyrrolidin-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(136) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(piperidin-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(137) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(morpholinomethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(138) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((4-methylpiperazin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(139) 4-((1H-imidazol-1-yl)methyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(140) 4-((1H-pyrazol-1-yl)methyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(141) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((4-propylpiperazin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(142) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((4-(methylsulfonyl)piperazin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(143) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((4-(ethylsulfonyl) piperazin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(144) 2-(5-bromopyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(145) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(146) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(difluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(147) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-(difluoromethyl) pyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(148) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethynyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(149) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-4,5-dicarboxylic acid;

(150) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(1-hydroxyethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(151) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(152) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(153) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(154) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-(3-hydroxypentan-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(155) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(3-hydroxypentan-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(156) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(3-hydroxypentan-3-yl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(157) 4-acetyl-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(158) 4-chloro-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(159) 4-chloro-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(160) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-furo[3,4-d]imidazol-6(4H)-one;

(161) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(1-(2,5-dichlorophenyl)ethyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(162) 1-((2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(163) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-((2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(164) 1-((2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(165) 1-((2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(166) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-((2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(167) 1-((2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(168) 1-(2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(169) 1-(2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(170) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(171) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(172) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-isopropyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(173) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-cyclopropyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(174) 3-chloro-5-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-5-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine;

(175) 1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-4-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(176) 2-(6-methoxypyridin-2-yl)-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(177) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-4-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(178) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(179) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(6-methoxypyridin-2-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(180) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yloxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(181) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yloxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(182) 2-((5-chloropyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(183) 2-((5-bromopyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(184) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-((2-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(185) 2-((2-chloropyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(186) 2-((2-bromopyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(187) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-((5-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(188) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-((4-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(189) 2-((4-chloropyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(190) 2-((4-bromopyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(191) 2-((2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-yl)thio)-2-methylpropanoic acid;

(192) 1-((2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazol-5-yl)thio)cyclobutanecarboxylic acid; and

(193) 2-((5-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)thio)-2-methylpropanoic acid.

The present invention also provides a pyridine derivative selected from the following compounds (194) to (227) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof:

- (194) 1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (195) 1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (196) 1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (197) 1-((2-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (198) 1-((8-bromonaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (199) 1-((4-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (200) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (201) 2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-((4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (202) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (203) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (204) 1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (205) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (206) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (207) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (208) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (209) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (210) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (211) 2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-(quinolin-8-ylmethyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (212) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (213) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;

(214) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;

(215) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;

(216) N-(methylsulfonyl)-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(217) N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(218) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-N-(methylsulfonyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(219) N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(220) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-N-(methylsulfonyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(221) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-N-(methylsulfonyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(222) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(223) N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(224) N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(225) (E)-3-(1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrol-5-yl)acrylic acid;

(226) (E)-3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrol-5-yl)acrylic acid; and

(227) (E)-3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrol-5-yl)acrylic acid.

The present invention also provides a prodrug of the pyridine derivative as disclosed herein or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof, wherein

the prodrug is (i) compounds in which the carboxyl group in the formula (I) has been C₁₋₆ alkyl esterified, phenyl esterified, carboxymethyl esterified, dimethylaminomethyl esterified, pivaloyloxymethyl esterified, ethoxycarbonyloxyethyl esterified, phthalidyl esterified, (5-methyl-2-oxo-1,3-dioxolen-4-yl)methyl esterified, cyclohexyloxycarbonylethyl esterified, or methylamidated, (ii) compounds in which the hydroxyl group in the formula (I) has been acetylated, palmitoylated, propanoylated, pivaloylated, succinylated, fumarylated, alanylated, dimethylaminomethylcarbonylated, or tetrahydropyranylated, (iii) compounds in which the amino group in the formula (I) has been eicosanoylated, alanylated, pentylaminocarbonylated, (5-methyl-2-oxo-1,3-dioxolen-4-yl)methoxycarbonylated, tetrahydrofuranylated, tetrahydropyranylated, pyrrolidylmethylated, pivaloyloxymethylated, or tert-butylated, or (iv) compounds in which R₃ and/or R₄ in the formula (I) is -CO₂R₅ or compounds in which R₃ and R₄ are fused to form a lactone ring.

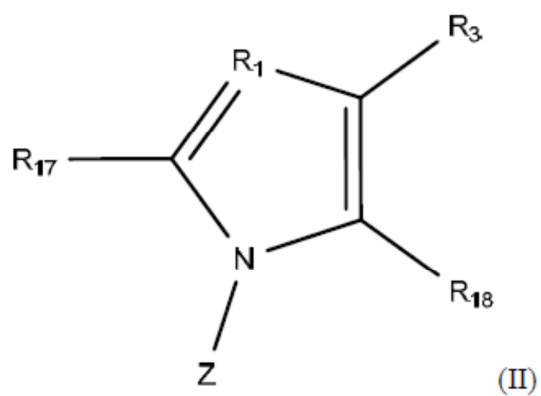
The present invention also provides a pharmaceutical composition comprising the pyridine derivative or the prodrug thereof, or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof as disclosed herein.

The present invention also provides a URAT1 inhibitor comprising as an active ingredient the pyridine derivative or the prodrug thereof, or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof as disclosed herein.

The present invention also provides an agent for treatment or prevention of one or more diseases selected from the group consisting of gout, hyperuricemia, hypertension, renal diseases, diabetes, arteriosclerosis, and Lesch-Nyhan syndrome, comprising as an active ingredient the pyridine derivative or the prodrug thereof, or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof as disclosed herein.

Furthermore, the present invention provides compounds represented by the following formula (II) and formula (III) useful in the synthesis of pyridine derivatives represented by the above formula (I) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof.

[Chemical Formula 4]



wherein:

R₁ and R₃ are as defined in the formula (I);

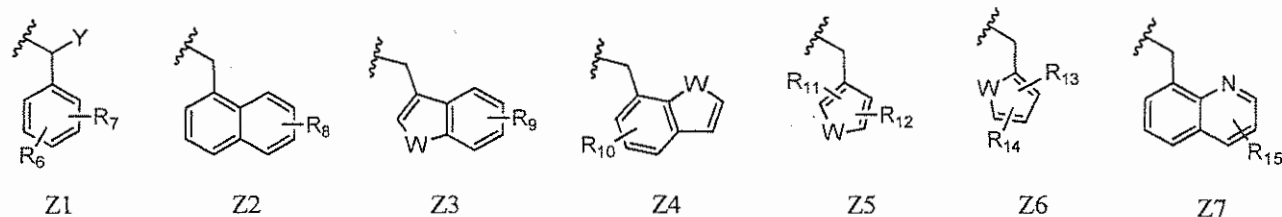
R₁₇ represents a chlorine atom, a bromine atom, or an iodine atom;

R₁₈ represents a formyl group or -CO₂R₅;

R₅ in R₃ and R₁₈ each independently represents an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms; and

Z represents any of the following substituents, designated Z1 to Z7:

[Chemical Formula 5]



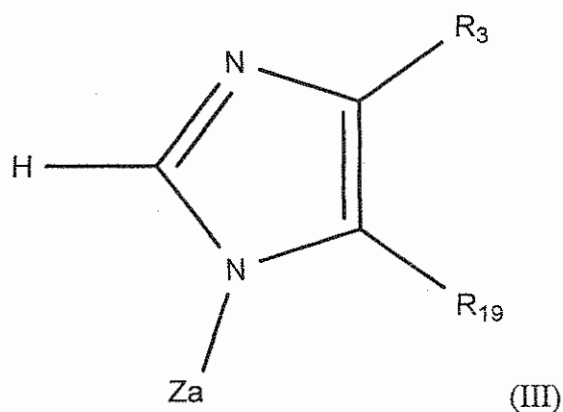
wherein R_6 to R_{15} , Y, and W are as defined in the formula (I), with the proviso that

2-chloro-1-(thiophen-2-ylmethyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carbaldehyde, ethyl

2-bromo-1-(4-methylbenzyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylate, and dimethyl

2-bromo-1-(2-chlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-4,5-dicarboxylate are excluded.

[Chemical Formula 6]



wherein:

R_3 is as defined in the formula (I);

R_{19} represents $-\text{CO}_2R_5$;

R_5 in R_3 and R_{19} each independently represents an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms; and

Za represents a 2,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 3,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 2,5-dimethylbenzyl group, a 2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl group, a 2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl group, a naphthalen-1-ylmethyl group, a (2-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a

(8-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (8-bromonaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl group, a (4-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (5-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (5-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (5-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl group, a (5-fluorobenzo[b]thiophen-7-yl)methyl group, a (2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl group, or a quinolin-8-ylmethyl group.

[EFFECTS OF THE INVENTION]

According to the present invention, there is provided a novel pyridine derivative or a prodrug thereof, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof, useful as an agent for treatment or prevention of a URAT1-associated disease, such as gout, hyperuricemia, hypertension, renal disease such as interstitial nephritis, diabetes, arteriosclerosis, or Lesch-Nyhan syndrome.

[MODE FOR CARRYING OUT THE INVENTION]

Definitions of the terms for the purpose of the present invention are as follows.

An alkyl group, for the purpose of the present invention, refers to a straight-chain, branched, or cyclic saturated aliphatic hydrocarbon group. Specific examples of the alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms can include, for example, methyl group, ethyl group, propyl group, isopropyl group, butyl group, isobutyl group, tert-butyl group, pentyl group, isopentyl group, hexyl group, cyclopropyl group,

cyclopropylmethyl group, cyclopentyl group, or cyclohexyl group.

An alkenyl group, for the purpose of the present invention, refers to a straight-chain, branched, or cyclic unsaturated aliphatic hydrocarbon group containing at least one carbon-carbon double bond. Specific examples of the alkenyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms can include, for example, ethenyl group, 1-propenyl group, 2-propenyl group, 2-methyl-1-propenyl group, 1-butenyl group, 2-butenyl group, 3-butenyl group, 3-methyl-2-butenyl group, 1-pentenyl group, 2-pentenyl group, 3-pentenyl group, 4-pentenyl group, 4-methyl-3-pentenyl group, 1-hexenyl group, 3-hexenyl group, 5-hexenyl group, 1-cyclopenten-1-yl group, 3-cyclopenten-1-yl group, 2-cyclohexen-1-yl group, 3-cyclohexen-1-yl group, etc.

An alkynyl group, for the purpose of the present invention, refers to a straight-chain or branched unsaturated aliphatic hydrocarbon group containing at least one carbon-carbon triple bond. Specific examples of the alkynyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms can include, for example, ethynyl group, 1-propynyl group, 2-propynyl group, 1-butylnyl group, 2-butylnyl group, 3-butylnyl group, 1-pentylnyl group, 2-pentylnyl group, 3-pentylnyl group, 4-pentylnyl group, 1-hexynyl group, 2-hexynyl group, 3-hexynyl group, 4-hexynyl group, 5-hexynyl group, etc.

An alkylcarbonyl group, for the purpose of the present invention, refers to an aforesaid alkyl group attached through a carbonyl group. Specific examples of the alkylcarbonyl group having 2 to 7 carbon atoms can include, for example, acetyl group, propanoyl group, butanoyl group, isobutanoyl group, sec-butanoyl group, tert-butanoyl group, pentanoyl group, isopentanoyl group, hexanoyl group, cyclopropylcarbonyl group, cyclohexylcarbonyl group, etc.

An alkylsulfonyl group, for the purpose of the present invention, refers to an

aforesaid alkyl group attached through a sulfonyl group. Specific examples of the alkylsulfonyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms can include, for example, methylsulfonyl group, ethylsulfonyl group, isopropylsulfonyl group, or cyclopropylsulfonyl group.

An alkylsulfinyl group, for the purpose of the present invention, refers to an aforesaid alkyl group attached through a sulfinyl group. Specific examples of the alkylsulfinyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms can include, for example, methylsulfinyl group, ethylsulfinyl group, isopropylsulfinyl group, or cyclopropylsulfinyl group.

An alkoxy group, for the purpose of the present invention, refers to a straight-chain, branched, or cyclic saturated aliphatic hydrocarbonoxy group. Specific examples of the alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms can include, for example, methoxy group, ethoxy group, propoxy group, isopropoxy group, butoxy group, isobutoxy group, pentyloxy group, isopentyloxy group, hexyloxy group, cyclopropoxy group, cyclopropylmethoxy group, or cyclohexyloxy group.

An alkylthio group, for the purpose of the present invention, refers to a straight-chain, branched, or cyclic saturated aliphatic hydrocarbonsulfide group. Specific examples of the alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms can include, for example, methylthio group, ethylthio group, propylthio group, isopropylthio group, butylthio group, isobutylthio group, pentylthio group, isopentylthio group, hexylthio group, cyclopropylthio group, cyclopropylmethylthio group, or cyclohexylthio group.

A dialkylamino group, for the purpose of the present invention, refers to an amino group substituted with two identical or different aforesaid alkyl groups. A dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, for the purpose of the present invention, refers to an amino group substituted with two identical or different alkyl groups each

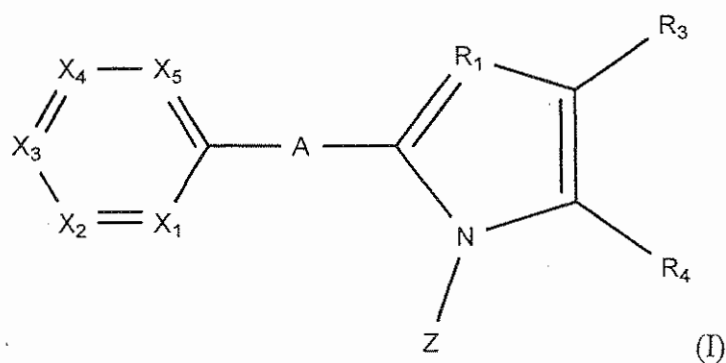
having 1 to 6 carbon atoms. A dialkylamino group, for the purpose of the present invention, may optionally form a ring with the alkyl groups. Specific examples of the dialkylamino groups having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring can include, for example, dimethylamino group, diethylamino group, pyrrolidin-1-yl group, or piperidin-1-yl group.

A halogen atom, for the purpose of the present invention, refers to a fluorine atom, a chlorine atom, a bromine atom, and an iodine atom.

For the purpose of the present invention, "when two CR₂'s are adjacent, the two R₂'s are joined together to form a ring" means that two R₂'s are joined together and taken together with the carbon atoms to which they are attached on the pyridine ring to form a nonaromatic or aromatic ring. The joining of two R₂'s to form a ring results in the formation of a bicyclic ring in which the ring is fused to a pyridine ring. Such nonaromatic or aromatic ring may be a hydrocarbon ring or a heterocycle having an oxygen atom, a nitrogen atom, or a sulfur atom as a constituent atom.

For the purpose of the present invention, "substituted with an imidazole ring, a pyrazole ring, a pyrrolidine ring, a piperidine ring, a morpholine ring, or a piperazine ring" refers to being substituted with any of the groups derived from each of these rings by the removal of one hydrogen atom therefrom.

[Chemical Formula 7]



In the above formula (I), A represents a single bond, an oxygen atom, a sulfur atom, NH, or CH₂. Preferably, A is a single bond or an oxygen atom, and more preferably a single bond.

R₁ represents a nitrogen atom or CH, and preferably a nitrogen atom.

One of X₁ to X₅ represents a nitrogen atom, and the remaining four represent CR₂. Preferably, X₁ or X₂ is a nitrogen atom, and more preferably X₂ is a nitrogen atom.

R₂ each independently represent a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkenyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkynyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, an alkylcarbonyl group having 2 to 7 carbon atoms, an alkylsulfonyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a nitro group, an amino group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, a formyl group, a hydroxyl group, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, a phenyl group, a cyclohexyl group, and a halogen atom), an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), or a phenoxy group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), with the proviso that when two CR₂s are adjacent, the two R₂'s may optionally be joined together to form a ring. The ring formed by two adjacent CR₂'s is preferably an aromatic hydrocarbon ring, and more preferably a benzene ring. Preferably, R₂ is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a

trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, a hydroxyl group, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, a phenyl group, a cyclohexyl group, and a halogen atom), an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), or a phenoxy group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom). More preferably, R_2 is a hydrogen atom, a methyl group, an ethyl group, a cyclopropyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a methylthio group, a fluorine atom, a chlorine atom, a bromine atom, a cyano group, a hydroxyl group, a pyrrolidin-1-yl group, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a nitro group, a phenyl group, or a phenoxy group. Even more preferably, R_2 is a hydrogen atom, a methyl group, an ethyl group, a cyclopropyl group, a fluorine atom, a chlorine atom, a bromine atom, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a methylthio group, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a nitro group, or a phenyl group.

When three of the four CR_2 's are CH, preferred positions of the remaining CR_2 can include X_4 . When three of the four CR_2 's are CH, the combination of the positions of a nitrogen atom and the remaining CR_2 is preferably the combination in which X_2 is a nitrogen atom and X_4 is CR_2 .

When two of the four CR_2 's are CH, combinations of the positions of a nitrogen atom and the remaining CR_2 's can include, for example, the combination in which X_2 is a nitrogen atom and X_1 and X_3 are CR_2 , and the combination in which X_2 is

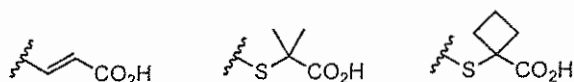
a nitrogen atom and X_3 and X_4 are CR_2 .

R_3 represents a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, an amino group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, an imidazole ring, a pyrazole ring, a pyrrolidine ring, a piperidine ring, a morpholine ring, and a piperazine ring (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms and an alkylsulfonyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms)), an alkenyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkynyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group and a halogen atom), an alkylcarbonyl group having 2 to 7 carbon atoms, an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkylsulfinyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a pyridyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a phenoxy group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a carboxyl group, or $-CO_2R_5$. Preferably, R_3 is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, an amino group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, an imidazole ring, a pyrazole ring, a pyrrolidine ring, a piperidine ring, a morpholine ring, and a piperazine ring (which may optionally be

substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms and an alkylsulfonyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms)), an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a carboxyl group, or $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_5$. More preferably, R_3 is a hydrogen atom, a methyl group, an ethyl group, an isopropyl group, a cyclopropyl group, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a chlorine atom, a bromine atom, an iodine atom, a methoxy group, a methylthio group, an ethylthio group, a cyano group, a phenyl group, a carboxyl group, $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_5$, a hydroxymethyl group, a 2-hydroxypropan-2-yl group, a 3-hydroxypentan-3-yl group, or a morpholin-4-ylmethyl group.

R_4 represents a carboxyl group, a tetrazolyl group, $-\text{CONHSO}_2\text{R}_5$, or $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_5$, or any of the following substituents:

[Chemical Formula 8]



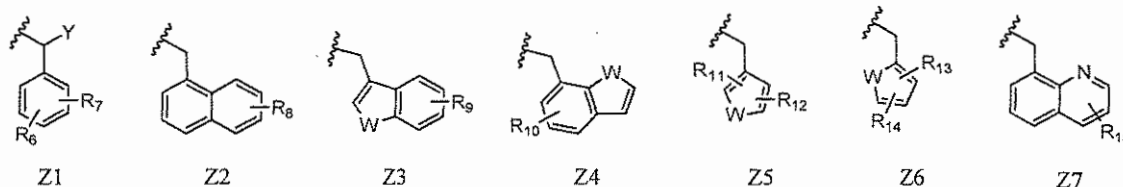
with the proviso that when R_3 is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms substituted with a hydroxyl group and when R_4 is a carboxyl group, then R_3 and R_4 may optionally be fused to form a lactone ring. Preferably, R_4 is a carboxyl group (which, when R_3 is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms substituted with a hydroxyl group, may optionally be fused with R_3 to form a lactone ring), a tetrazolyl group, $-\text{CONHSO}_2\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{CONHSO}_2\text{-cyclopropyl}$, or $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_5$.

R_5 in R_3 and R_4 each independently represents an alkyl group having 1 to 6

carbon atoms.

Further, Z in the above formula (I) represents any of the following substituents, designated Z1 to Z7.

[Chemical Formula 9]



In Z1, R_6 and R_7 each independently represent a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a trifluoromethyl group, a trifluoromethoxy group, or a cyano group, with the proviso that the case where R_6 and R_7 are simultaneously hydrogen atoms is excluded. Preferably, R_6 and R_7 are each a methyl group, a fluorine atom, a chlorine atom, a bromine atom, or a trifluoromethyl group. More preferably, R_6 and R_7 are each a chlorine atom, a methyl group, or a trifluoromethyl group. Preferred substitution positions for R_6 and R_7 on the benzene ring are 2,5-disubstitution and 3,5-disubstitution, and the more preferred is 2,5-disubstitution. A preferred combination of R_6 and R_7 with their substitution positions on the benzene ring is 2,5-dichloro substitution, 3,5-dichloro substitution, 2,5-dimethyl substitution, 2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl) substitution, or 2-chloro-5-methyl substitution.

Y represents a hydrogen atom or an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms. Preferably, Y is a hydrogen atom.

In Z2, R_8 represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group. A preferred combination of R_8 with its substitution position on the naphthalene ring is a hydrogen atom, a 2-methyl group, a

4-methyl group, an 8-methyl group, or an 8-bromo group.

In Z3, R_9 represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group. W represents a sulfur atom, an oxygen atom, or NR_{16} (where R_{16} represents a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a benzyl group), and preferably a sulfur atom.

A preferred combination of R_9 with its substitution position on the benzothiophene, benzofuran, or indole ring is a hydrogen atom, a 4-methyl group, a 4-chloro group, a 4-bromo group, a 4-trifluoromethyl group, a 5-methyl group, a 5-chloro group, or a 5-trifluoromethyl group.

In Z4, R_{10} represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group. W represents a sulfur atom, an oxygen atom, or NR_{16} (where R_{16} represents a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a benzyl group), and preferably a sulfur atom. A preferred combination of R_{10} with its substitution position on the benzothiophene, benzofuran, or indole ring is a hydrogen atom or a 5-fluoro group.

In Z5, R_{11} and R_{12} each independently represent a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group. W represents a sulfur atom, an oxygen atom, or NR_{16} (where R_{16} represents a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a benzyl group), and preferably a sulfur atom. A preferred combination of R_{11} and R_{12} with their substitution positions on the thiophene, furan, or pyrrole ring is 2,5-dichloro substitution.

In Z6, R_{13} and R_{14} each independently represent a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group. W represents a sulfur atom, an oxygen atom, or NR_{16} (where R_{16} represents a hydrogen

atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a benzyl group), and preferably a sulfur atom. A preferred combination of R₁₃ and R₁₄ with their substitution positions on the thiophene, furan, or pyrrole ring is 2,4-dichloro substitution.

In Z7, R₁₅ represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group. Preferably, R₁₅ is a hydrogen atom.

Preferred among Z1 to Z7 are Z1 to Z6, and more preferred are Z1 to Z4.

Preferred Z is, in particular, for example, a 2,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 3,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 2,5-dimethylbenzyl group, a 2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl group, a 2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl group, a naphthalen-1-ylmethyl group, a (2-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (8-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (8-bromonaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl group, a (4-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (5-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (5-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (5-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl group, a (5-fluorobenzo[b]thiophen-7-yl)methyl group, a (2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl group, or a quinolin-8-ylmethyl group, and more preferred Z is, for example, a 2,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 2,5-dimethylbenzyl group, a naphthalen-1-ylmethyl group, a (4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, or a benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl group.

Preferred combinations of the A, X₁-X₅, R₁-R₄, and Z present in the formula (I)

according to the present invention can include the following combinations 1) to 11).

1) A is a single bond; R_1 is a nitrogen atom; X_1 is a nitrogen atom; X_4 is CR_2 , and X_2 , X_3 , and X_5 are CH; R_2 is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, a dialkylamino group optionally forming a ring with the alkyl groups each having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a hydroxyl group, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, a phenyl group, a cyclohexyl group, and a halogen atom), an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), or a phenoxy group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom); R_3 is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, an amino group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, an imidazole ring, a pyrazole ring, a pyrrolidine ring, a piperidine ring, a morpholine ring, and a piperazine ring (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms and an alkylsulfonyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms)), an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a carboxyl group, or $-CO_2R_5$; R_4 is a carboxyl group (which, when R_3 is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms

substituted with a hydroxyl group, may optionally be fused with R₃ to form a lactone ring), a tetrazolyl group, -CONHSO₂CH₃, -CONHSO₂-cyclopropyl, or -CO₂R₅; and Z is a 2,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 3,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 2,5-dimethylbenzyl group, a 2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl group, a 2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl group, a naphthalen-1-ylmethyl group, a (2-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (8-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (8-bromonaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl group, a (4-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (5-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (5-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (5-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl group, a (5-fluorobenzo[b]thiophen-7-yl)methyl group, a (2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl group, or a quinolin-8-ylmethyl group.

2) A is a single bond; R₁ is a nitrogen atom; X₂ is a nitrogen atom; X₄ is CR₂, and X₁, X₃, and X₅ are CH; R₂ is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, a hydroxyl group, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, a phenyl group, a cyclohexyl group, and a halogen atom), an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms,

a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), or a phenoxy group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom); R_3 is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, an amino group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, an imidazole ring, a pyrazole ring, a pyrrolidine ring, a piperidine ring, a morpholine ring, and a piperazine ring (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms and an alkylsulfonyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms)), an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a carboxyl group, or $-CO_2R_5$; R_4 is a carboxyl group (which, when R_3 is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms substituted with a hydroxyl group, may optionally be fused with R_3 to form a lactone ring), a tetrazolyl group, $-CONHSO_2CH_3$, $-CONHSO_2$ -cyclopropyl, or $-CO_2R_5$; and Z is a 2,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 3,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 2,5-dimethylbenzyl group, a 2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl group, a 2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl group, a naphthalen-1-ylmethyl group, a (2-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (8-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (8-bromonaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl group, a (4-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a

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(5-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl	group,	a
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3) A is a single bond; R₁ is CH; X₁ is a nitrogen atom; X₄ is CR₂, and X₂, X₃, and X₅ are CH; R₂ is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, a hydroxyl group, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, a phenyl group, a cyclohexyl group, and a halogen atom), an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), or a phenoxy group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom); R₃ is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, an amino group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, an imidazole ring, a pyrazole ring, a pyrrolidine ring, a piperidine ring, a

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a quinolin-8-ylmethyl group.

4) A is a single bond; R_1 is CH; X_2 is a nitrogen atom; X_4 is CR_2 , and X_1 , X_3 , and X_5 are CH; R_2 is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, a hydroxyl group, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, a phenyl group, a cyclohexyl group, and a halogen atom), an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), or a phenoxy group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom); R_3 is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, an amino group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, a pyrazole ring, a pyrrolidine ring, a piperidine ring, a morpholine ring, and a piperazine ring (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms and an alkylsulfonyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms)), an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a carboxyl group, or $-CO_2R_5$; R_4 is a carboxyl group (which, when R_3 is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms substituted with a hydroxyl group, may optionally be

fused with R₃ to form a lactone ring), a tetrazolyl group, -CONHSO₂CH₃, -CONHSO₂-cyclopropyl, or -CO₂R₅; and Z is a 2,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 3,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 2,5-dimethylbenzyl group, a 2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl group, a 2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl group, a naphthalen-1-ylmethyl group, a (2-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (8-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (8-bromonaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl group, a (4-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (5-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (5-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (5-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl group, a (5-fluorobenzo[b]thiophen-7-yl)methyl group, a (2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl group, or a quinolin-8-ylmethyl group.

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(5-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl	group,	a
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benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl group, a (5-fluorobenzo[b]thiophen-7-yl)methyl group, a (2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a (2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl group, or a quinolin-8-ylmethyl group.

9) In 1) to 8) above, R₂ is a hydrogen atom, a methyl group, an ethyl group, a cyclopropyl group, a fluorine atom, a chlorine atom, a bromine atom, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a methylthio group, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a nitro group, or a phenyl group.

10) In 1) to 9) above, R₃ is a hydrogen atom, a methyl group, an ethyl group, an isopropyl group, a cyclopropyl group, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a chlorine atom, a bromine atom, an iodine atom, a methoxy group, a methylthio group, an ethylthio group, a cyano group, a phenyl group, a carboxyl group, -CO₂R₅, a hydroxymethyl group, a 2-hydroxypropan-2-yl group, a 3-hydroxypentan-3-yl group, or a morpholin-4-ylmethyl group.

11) In 1) to 10) above, Z is a 2,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 2,5-dimethylbenzyl group, a naphthalen-1-ylmethyl group, a (4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, or a benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl group.

Synthetic intermediates useful in the synthesis of a pyridine derivative represented by the above formula (I) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof, can include compounds represented by the following formula (II) and formula (III).

(II)

Z represents any of the following substituents, designated Z1 to Z7:

Z1 Z2 Z3 Z4 Z5 Z6 Z7

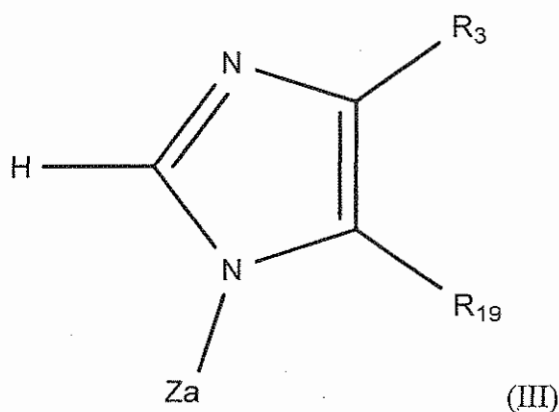
Preferably R₃ is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms

(which may optionally be substituted with one or more hydroxyl groups), a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, or $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_5$. More preferably R_3 is a hydrogen atom, a methyl group, an ethyl group, an isopropyl group, a cyclopropyl group, a trifluoromethyl group, a chlorine atom, a bromine atom, or $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_5$.

Preferred R_{17} is a bromine atom or an iodine atom.

Preferred R_{18} is a formyl group, $-\text{CO}_2\text{CH}_3$, or $-\text{CO}_2\text{C}_2\text{H}_5$.

[Chemical Formula 12]



wherein:

R_3 is as defined in the formula (I);

R_{19} represents $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_5$;

R_5 in R_3 and R_{19} each independently represents an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms; and

Za represents a 2,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 3,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 2,5-dimethylbenzyl group, a 2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl group, a 2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl group, a naphthalen-1-ylmethyl group, a (2-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (8-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a (8-bromonaphthalen-1-yl)methyl group, a benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl group, a (4-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, a

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Preferably R_3 is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more hydroxyl groups), a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, or $-CO_2R_5$. More preferably R_3 is a hydrogen atom, a methyl group, an ethyl group, an isopropyl group, a cyclopropyl group, a trifluoromethyl group, a chlorine atom, a bromine atom, or $-CO_2R_5$.

Preferred R_{19} is $-CO_2CH_3$ or $-CO_2C_2H_5$

Preferred Z_a is a 2,5-dichlorobenzyl group, a 2,5-dimethylbenzyl group, a naphthalen-1-ylmethyl group, a (4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl group, or benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl group.

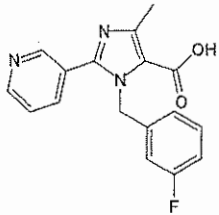
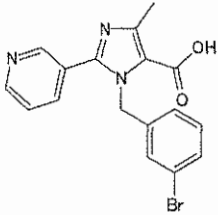
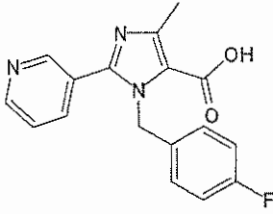
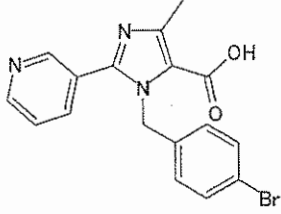
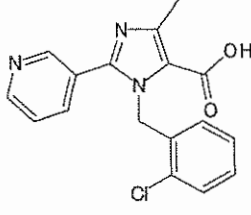
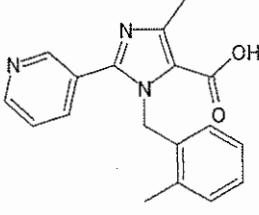
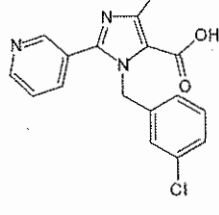
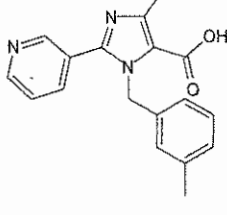
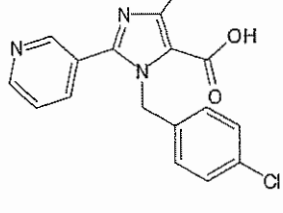
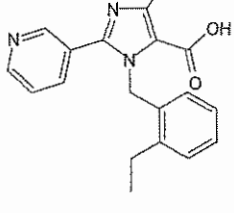
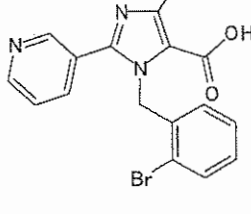
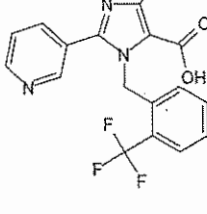
Specific examples of the pyridine derivative represented by the formula (I) of the present invention can include the following compounds.

Compound No.	Structure	Compound No.	Structure
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A3		A9	
A4		A10	
A5		A11	
A6		A12	

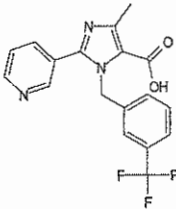
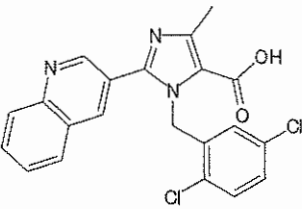
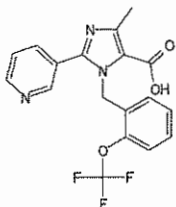
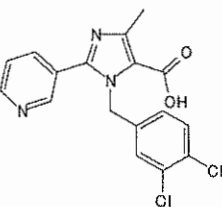
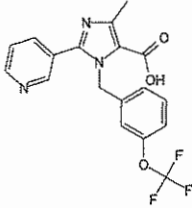
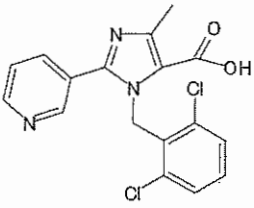
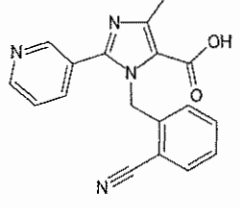
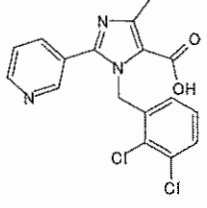
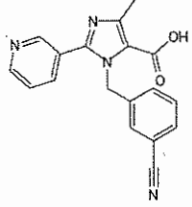
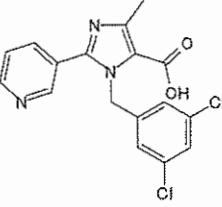
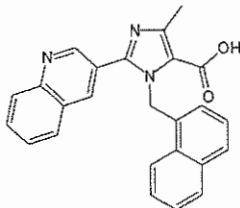
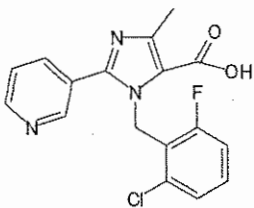
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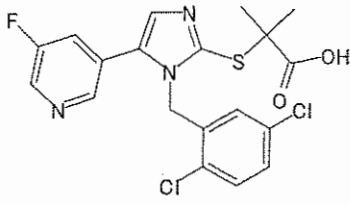
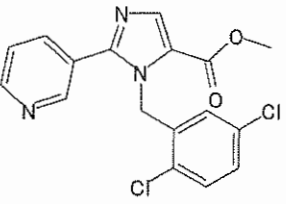
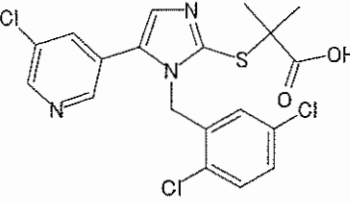
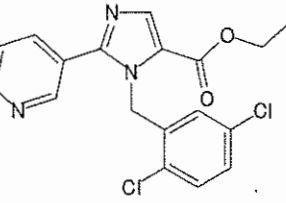
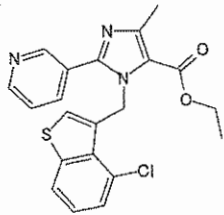
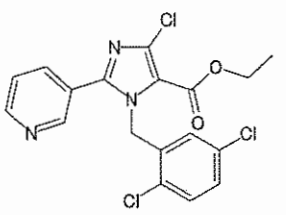
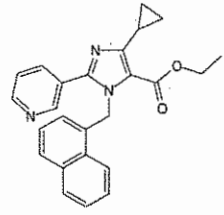
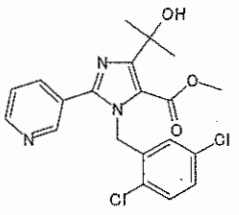
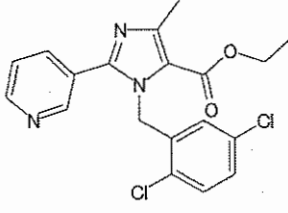
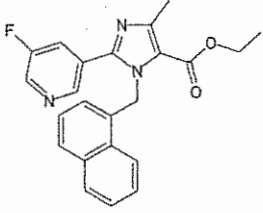
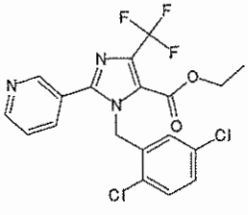
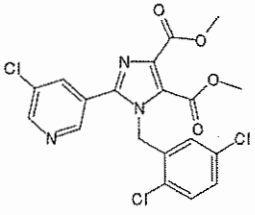
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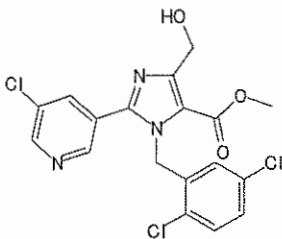
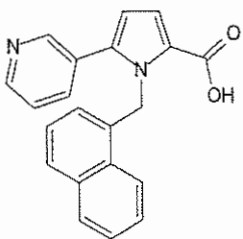
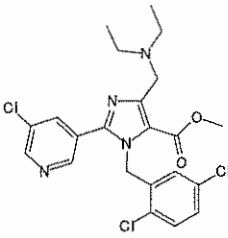
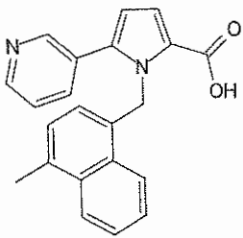
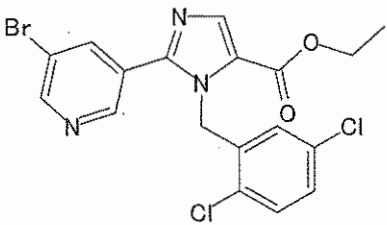
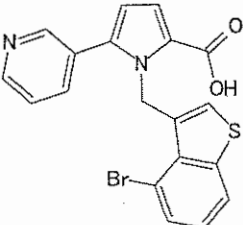
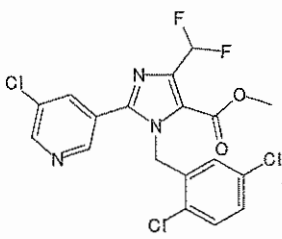
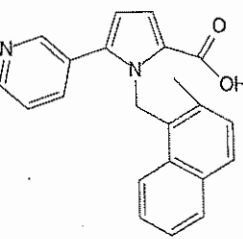
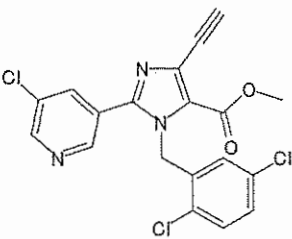
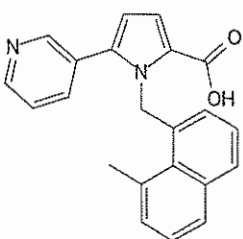
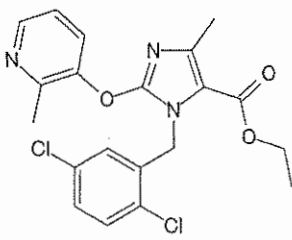
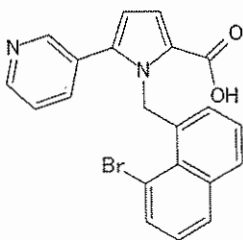
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Compound No.	Structure	Compound No.	Structure
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Compound No.	Structure	Compound No.	Structure
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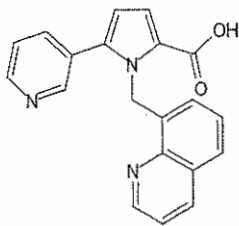
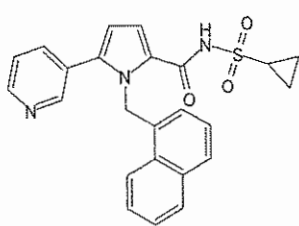
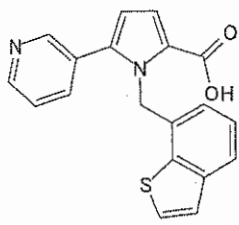
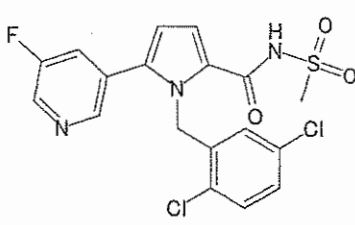
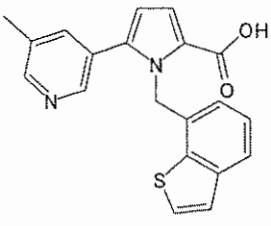
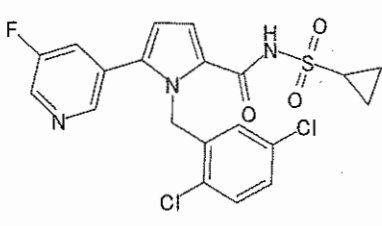
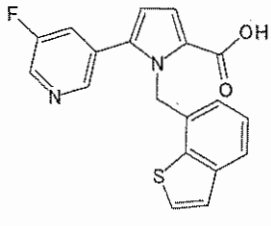
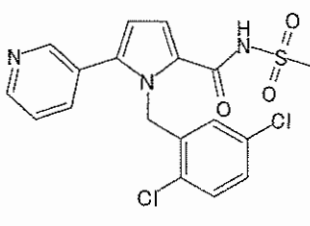
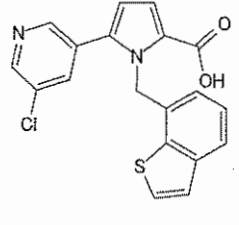
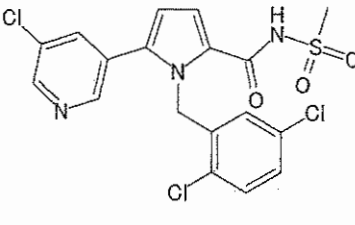
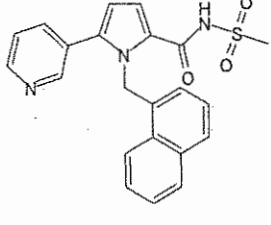
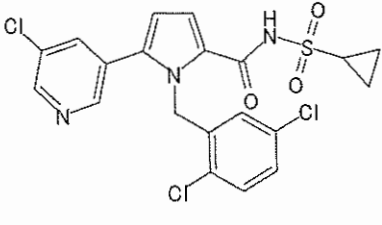
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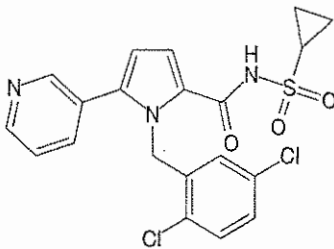
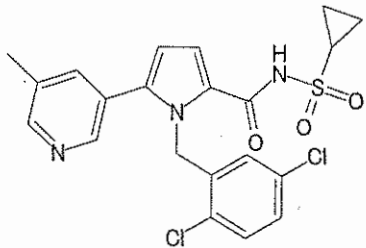
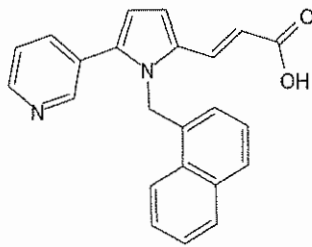
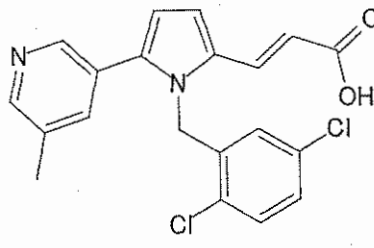
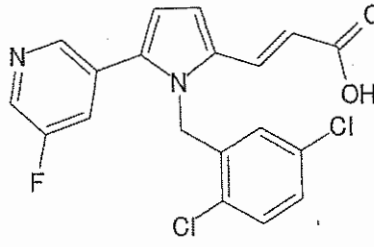
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Compound No.	Structure	Compound No.	Structure
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Compound No.	Structure	Compound No.	Structure
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B11		B17	
B12		B18	

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Compound No.	Structure	Compound No.	Structure
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Compound No.	Structure
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Of these, preferred compounds are those listed in the tables below.

[Table 1]

Compound No.	Compound Name
A1	1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A2	4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A3	ethyl 4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate
A6	4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-((4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A7	1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A8	1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A9	4-chloro-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A10	4-ethyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A11	4-cyclopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A13	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A14	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A15	4-cyclopropyl-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A17	4-methyl-1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A18	4-cyclopropyl-1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A19	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A22	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A23	4-chloro-1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A24	4-isopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A25	4-isopropyl-1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A26	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A27	1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid

[Table 2]

Compound No.	Compound Name
A31	1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A33	1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A34	1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A35	4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-((4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A36	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A37	1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A38	1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A39	4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-((4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A40	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A41	1-(2-chloro-5-fluorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A42	1-(5-chloro-2-fluorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A43	1-(2-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A44	1-(5-chloro-2-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A45	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A46	1-(2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A54	1-(2-bromobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A55	1-(3-bromobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A67	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(quinolin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A68	1-(3,4-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A70	1-(2,3-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid

[Table 3]

A71	1-(3,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A76	1-(3-chloro-5-fluorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A77	1-(2,4-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A78	1-(2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A79	1-((2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A80	1-((2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A81	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A82	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A83	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A84	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A85	1-((5-fluorobenzo[b]thiophen-7-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A86	4-cyclopropyl-1-((5-fluorobenzo[b]thiophen-7-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A88	4-chloro-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A89	4-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A90	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-iodo-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A91	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-phenyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A92	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A93	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A94	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2,4-di(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A96	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methoxy-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A98	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(2,2,2-trifluoroethoxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid

[Table 4]

Compound No.	Compound Name
A99	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(p-tolyloxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A100	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(4-fluorophenoxy)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A101	4-cyano-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A102	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-vinyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A103	4-(1-cyclopenten-1-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A104	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(methylthio)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A105	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(ethylthio)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A108	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A109	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(3-hydroxypentan-3-yl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A110	3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-5-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine
A117	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-cyclopropyl-N-(methylsulfonyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxamide
A118	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-cyclopropyl-N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxamide
A119	2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A121	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A130	4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(5-phenoxy-pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A132	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A133	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A134	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A135	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A136	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid

[Table 5]

Compound No.	Compound Name
A137	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A138	4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A139	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A140	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-2-(5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A141	1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A142	1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A143	1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A144	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-isopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A145	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-cyclopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A146	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-isopropyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A147	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-cyclopropyl-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A148	4-ethyl-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A149	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-ethyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A150	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethyl-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A151	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A152	2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-isopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A153	4-cyclopropyl-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A154	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-isopropyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A155	4-cyclopropyl-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A156	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid

[Table 6]

Compound No.	Compound Name
A157	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A158	2-(5-cyanopyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A159	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A160	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(2-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A161	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(6-methoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A162	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(2-methoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A164	2-(6-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A166	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-(pyrrolidin-1-yl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A167	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-nitropyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A168	2-(5-cyclopropylpyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A169	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A170	1-(2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A171	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A172	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-hydroxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A173	1-(2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A174	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-ethoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A175	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-isopropoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A176	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-phenylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A177	2-(5-bromopyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A178	1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid

[Table 7]

Compound No.	Compound Name
A179	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A180	1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A181	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-ethylpyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A182	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-(methylthio)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A183	2-(5-acetylpyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A185	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-propoxypyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A188	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-isobutoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A189	2-(5-(cyclohexylmethoxy)pyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A190	2-(5-(benzyloxy)pyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A191	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(hydroxymethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A192	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((dimethylamino)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A193	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((diethylamino)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A194	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(pyrrolidin-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A195	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(piperidin-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A196	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(morpholinomethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A197	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((4-methylpiperazine-1-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A199	4-((1H-imidazol-1-yl)methyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A200	4-((1H-pyrazol-1-yl)methyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A202	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((4-propylpiperazin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid

[Table 8]

Compound No.	Compound Name
A203	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((4-(methylsulfonyl)piperazin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A204	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((4-(ethylsulfonyl)piperazin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A205	2-(5-bromopyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A206	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A207	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(difluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A208	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-(difluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A209	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethynyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A210	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-4,5-dicarboxylic acid
A211	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(1-hydroxyethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A212	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A213	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A214	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-2-(5-methylpyridine-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A215	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-(3-hydroxypentan-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A216	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(3-hydroxypentane-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A217	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(3-hydroxypentan-3-yl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A218	4-acetyl-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A219	4-chloro-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid

[Table 9]

A220	4-chloro-2-(5-chloropyridine-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A221	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-furo[3,4-d]imidazole-6(4H)-one
A223	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(1-(2,5-dichlorophenyl)ethyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A225	1-((2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A226	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-((2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A227	1-((2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A228	1-((2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A229	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-((2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A230	1-((2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A231	1-(2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A232	1-(2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A233	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A234	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A235	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-isopropyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A236	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-cyclopropyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A237	3-chloro-5-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-5-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine
A238	1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-4-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A240	2-(6-methoxypyridin-2-yl)-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A244	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-4-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A245	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A246	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(6-methoxypyridin-2-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A247	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yloxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid

[Table 10]

A248	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yloxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A250	2-((5-chloropyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A251	2-((5-bromopyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A252	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-((2-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A253	2-((2-chloropyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A254	2-((2-bromopyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A255	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-((5-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A256	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-((4-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A257	2-((4-chloropyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A258	2-((4-bromopyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
A262	2-((2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazol-5-yl)thio)-2-methylpropanoic acid
A263	1-((2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazol-5-yl)thio)cyclobutanecarboxylic acid
A266	2-((5-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)thio)-2-methylpropanoic acid
B1	1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B2	1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B3	1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B4	1-((2-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B6	1-((8-bromonaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B7	1-((4-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B8	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B9	2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-((4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid

[Table 11]

Compound No.	Compound Name
B10	1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B11	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B12	1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B13	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B14	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B15	1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B16	1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B17	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B18	1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B19	2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-(quinolin-8-ylmethyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B20	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B21	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B22	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B23	1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
B24	N-(methylsulfonyl)-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide
B25	N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide
B26	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-N-(methylsulfonyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide
B27	N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide
B28	1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-N-(methylsulfonyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide
B29	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-N-(methylsulfonyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide

[Table 12]

Compound No.	Compound Name
B30	2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide
B31	N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide
B32	N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide
B33	(E)-3-(1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-yl) acrylic acid
B34	(E)-3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrol-5-yl) acrylic acid
B35	(E)-3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrol-5-yl) acrylic acid

More preferred are the compounds of A1, A2, A7, A13, A14, A15, A18, A19, A25, A26, A37, A38, A39, A43, A45, A71, A78, A81, A85, A86, A88, A89, A90, A91, A92, A93, A96, A98, A99, A100, A101, A104, A105, A108, A119, A121, A134, A135, A136, A137, A139, A140, A142, A143, A144, A145, A146, A147, A149, A150, A151, A154, A155, A156, A157, A166, A167, A168, A169, A171, A173, A174, A176, A177, A179, A180, A181, A182, A183, A185, A188, A191, A193, A194, A195, A196, A197, A200, A202, A204, A205, A206, A207, A208, A209, A210, A211, A212, A213, A214, A215, A216, A217, A218, A219, A220, A221, A225, A226, A227, A231, A232, A233, A235, A236, A237, A245, A248, A250, A251, A252, A253, A254, A255, A256, A257, A258, B1, B2, B3, B6, B7, B8, B9, B10, B11, B12, B13, B14, B15, B16, B17, B18, B20, B21, B22, B23, B24, B25, B26, B27, B28, B29, B30, B31, B32, B33, B34, and B35. Even more preferred are A1, A2, A7, A13, A14, A15, A19, A26, A81, A119, A121, A134, A135, A137, A139, A147, A156, A169, A233, B1, and B11.

The pyridine derivative represented by the above formula (I) can be converted into its prodrugs by conventional means. A prodrug refers to a compound that is converted into a pyridine derivative represented by the formula (I) in the body by enzymes, gastric acids, etc. Prodrugs for the pyridine derivative represented by the formula (I) include compounds in which the carboxyl group in the pyridine derivative

has been esterified or amidated (such as those in which the carboxyl group has been C₁₋₆ alkyl esterified, phenyl esterified, carboxymethyl esterified, dimethylaminomethyl esterified, pivaloyloxymethyl esterified, ethoxycarbonyloxyethyl esterified, phthalidyl esterified, (5-methyl-2-oxo-1,3-dioxolen-4-yl)methyl esterified, cyclohexyloxycarbonyl ethyl esterified, or methylamidated), compounds in which the hydroxyl group in the pyridine derivative has been acylated, alkylated, phosphorylated, or borated (such as those in which the hydroxyl group has been acetylated, palmitoylated, propanoylated, pivaloylated, succinylated, fumarylated, alanylated, dimethylaminomethylcarbonylated, or tetrahydropyranylated), or compounds in which the amino group in the pyridine derivative has been acylated, alkylated, or phosphorylated (such as those in which the amino group has been eicosanoylated, alanylated, pentylaminocarbonylated, (5-methyl-2-oxo-1,3-dioxolen-4-yl)methoxycarbonylated, tetrahydrofuranylated, tetrahydropyranylated, pyrrolidylmethylated, pivaloyloxymethylated, or tert-butylated). In addition, prodrugs for the pyridine derivative represented by the formula (I) may be compounds which are converted into a pyridine derivative represented by the formula (I) under physiological conditions, such as those described on pages 163 to 198 of "Iyaku hin no Kaihatsu [Development of Pharmaceuticals]," volume 7, Bunshi Sekkei [Molecular Design], published in 1990 by Hirokawa Shoten. Note that, among the pyridine derivatives represented by the formula (I), a compound in which R₃ and/or R₄ is -CO₂R₅ or a compound in which R₃ and R₄ are fused to form a lactone ring can also be a prodrug which yields in the body a compound in which R₃ and/or R₄ is a carboxylic acid or a compound in which R₃ is an alkyl group substituted with a hydroxyl group and R₄ is a carboxyl group. Such pyridine derivatives represented by the formula (I) that

can also be a prodrug include A3, A221, A267, A268, A269, A270, A271, A272, A273, A274, A275, A276, A277, A278, A279, A280, A281, and A282.

If necessary, the pyridine derivative represented by formula (I), or a prodrug thereof, of the present invention can be converted into its pharmaceutically acceptable salts. Such salts include, for example, salts with inorganic acids, such as hydrochloric acid, hydrobromic acid, hydriodic acid, sulfuric acid, nitric acid, phosphoric acid, and carbonic acid; salts with organic acids, such as formic acid, acetic acid, propionic acid, trifluoroacetic acid, phthalic acid, oxalic acid, malonic acid, succinic acid, fumaric acid, maleic acid, lactic acid, malic acid, tartaric acid, citric acid, benzoic acid, methanesulfonic acid, ethanesulfonic acid, benzenesulfonic acid, and p-toluenesulfonic acid; salts with amino acids, such as lysine, arginine, ornithine, glutamic acid, and aspartic acid; salts with alkali metals, such as sodium, potassium, and lithium; salts with alkaline-earth metals, such as calcium and magnesium; salts with metals, such as aluminium, zinc, and iron; salts with organic bases, such as methylamine, ethylamine, diethylamine, trimethylamine, triethylamine, ethylenediamine, piperidine, piperazine, pyridine, picoline, ethanolamine, diethanolamine, triethanolamine, cyclohexylamine, dicyclohexylamine, N-methyl glucamine, and N,N'-dibenzylethylenediamine; ammonium salts, and the like.

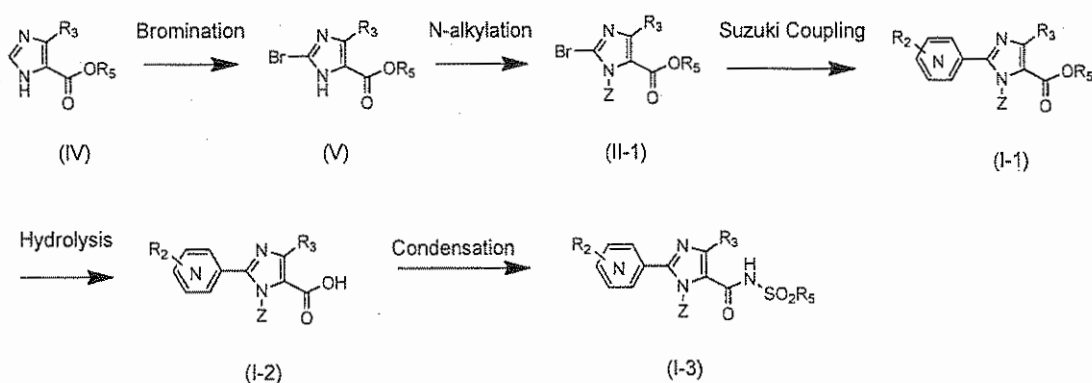
If necessary, the pyridine derivative represented by the above formula (I), or a prodrug thereof, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, can be converted into its solvates. Such solvents can include water, methanol, ethanol, 1-propanol, 2-propanol, butanol, t-butanol, acetonitrile, acetone, methyl ethyl ketone, chloroform, ethyl acetate, diethyl ether, t-butyl methyl ether, benzene, toluene, DMF, DMSO, etc. Particularly, water, methanol, ethanol, 1-propanol, 2-propanol, acetonitrile, acetone, methyl ethyl

ketone, and ethyl acetate can be mentioned as being preferred.

Although synthesis of the pyridine derivatives represented by the above formula (I) may be carried out by any method, the present derivatives can be synthesized as shown in Scheme A below when A is a single bond; R_1 is a nitrogen atom; R_3 is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms or a trifluoromethyl group; and R_4 is a carboxyl group, $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_5$, or $-\text{CONHSO}_2\text{R}_5$. That is, after the imidazole derivative (IV) is brominated to give the compound (V), N-alkylation is carried out by a reaction using a base and a halide compound, or by a Mitsunobu reaction using an alcohol, to give the compound (II-1). The compound (I-1) is obtained by a Suzuki coupling reaction of the compound (II-1) and a boronate derivative. The compound (I-2) can be obtained by hydrolyzing the ester group. Furthermore, if necessary, the acylsulfonamide (I-3) can also be obtained by carrying out a condensation reaction with an alkylsulfonamide.

[Chemical Formula 40]

Scheme A



Suitable reagents for the bromination of the compound (IV) to (V) in Scheme A can include bromine, N-bromosuccinimide (NBS), etc. Solvents in this reaction include, but are not particularly limited to, for example, ethers such as tetrahydrofuran (THF), 1,4-dioxane, 1,2-dimethoxyethane, or 1,2-diethoxyethane, halogenated solvents

such as dichloromethane or carbon tetrachloride, acetonitrile, mixed solvents thereof, or the like. This reaction proceeds at 0°C to 100°C, but it is preferably carried out at room temperature to 50°C.

The N-alkylation of the compound (V) to the compound (II-1) proceeds in a reaction using a base and a halide compound, or by a Mitsunobu reaction using an alcohol. When a base and a halide compound are used, the base can include potassium carbonate, cesium carbonate, triethylamine, diisopropylethylamine, sodium hydride, etc., among which the preferred base is potassium carbonate, cesium carbonate, triethylamine, or diisopropylethylamine. The halide compound includes chloride, bromide, or iodide, among which the preferred halide compound is a chloride or bromide. The temperature for the reaction in the presence of a base and a halide compound is preferably from room temperature to 150°C, and more preferably from 50°C to 120°C. Solvents in this reaction include, but are not particularly limited to, for example, ethers such as tetrahydrofuran (THF), 1,4-dioxane, 1,2-dimethoxyethane, or 1,2-diethoxyethane, amides such as dimethylformamide or N-methylpyrrolidone, dimethyl sulfoxide (DMSO), toluene, xylene, mixed solvents thereof, or the like. The N-alkylation of the compound (V) to the compound (II-1) also proceeds by a Mitsunobu reaction with an alcohol. As for conditions for the Mitsunobu reaction, a phosphine compound, a condensation agent, an alcohol, and the compound (V) react in an inert solvent to give the compound (II-1). The phosphine includes tributylphosphine, triphenylphosphine, tricyclohexylphosphine, etc., but preferably triphenylphosphine. A preferred condensation agent is diethyl azodicarboxylate (DEAD) or diisopropyl azodicarboxylate (DIAD). The reaction temperature for this Mitsunobu reaction may be anywhere from 0°C to 100°C, but the preferred reaction temperature is from room

temperature to 80°C. The solvent in the Mitsunobu reaction includes, but is not particularly limited to, for example, ethers such as tetrahydrofuran (THF), 1,4-dioxane, 1,2-dimethoxyethane, or 1,2-diethoxyethane, amides such as dimethylformamide or N-methylpyrrolidone, halogenated solvents such as dichloromethane, toluene, xylene, mixed solvents thereof, or the like.

The Suzuki coupling reaction of the compound (II-1) to the compound (I-1) proceeds by heating the compound (II-1), a boronate derivative, a palladium catalyst, and a base in a reaction-inert solvent. Preferably, this reaction is carried out under an inert gas atmosphere. Preferred examples of the boronate derivative can include boronic acid and boronic acid pinacol ester. As the palladium catalyst, [1,1'-bis(diphenylphosphino)ferrocene]dichloropalladium (II) ($\text{PdCl}_2(\text{dppf})$), tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium ($\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$), or the like is preferably used. As the base, potassium carbonate, cesium carbonate, or potassium phosphate can be mentioned as being preferred. Although the solvent in this reaction is not particularly limited, it is preferable to use, for example, ethers such as tetrahydrofuran (THF), 1,4-dioxane, 1,2-dimethoxyethane, or 1,2-diethoxyethane, amides such as dimethylformamide or N-methylpyrrolidone, alcohols such as ethanol, 2-propanol, or butanol, toluene, xylene, water, or mixed solvents thereof. This reaction proceeds at 50°C to 150°C, but it is preferably carried out at 80°C to 120°C.

The hydrolysis reaction of the compound (I-1) to the compound (I-2) proceeds by reacting the compound (I-1) with an equivalent or a slight excess of a base in a mixed solvent of a reaction-inert solvent and water. Preferred bases can include sodium hydroxide, potassium hydroxide, or lithium hydroxide. Although the solvent is not particularly limited, it is preferable to use, for example, a mixed solvent of an

organic solvent, such as tetrahydrofuran (THF) or alcohol (such as methanol or ethanol), and water for the reaction. This reaction proceeds at 0°C to 100°C, but it is preferably carried out at room temperature to 60°C.

The condensation reaction of the compound (I-2) to the compound (I-3) proceeds by reacting the compound (I-2) with an alkylsulfonamide in the presence of a base and a condensation agent in an inert solvent. The solvent includes, for example, ethers such as tetrahydrofuran (THF), 1,4-dioxane, 1,2-dimethoxyethane, or 1,2-diethoxyethane, halogenated solvents such as dichloromethane or carbon tetrachloride, acetonitrile, mixed solvents thereof, or the like. The preferred solvent is tetrahydrofuran (THF), dimethylformamide, or dichloromethane. The base can include potassium carbonate, cesium carbonate, triethylamine, diisopropylethylamine, sodium hydride, etc., but the preferred base is triethylamine or diisopropylethylamine. The condensation agent includes dicyclohexylcarbodiimide (DCC), diphenylphosphoryl azide (DPPA), 1-ethyl-3-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)carbodiimide hydrochloride (EDCI or WSC), O-(7-azabenzotriazol-1-yl)-N,N,N',N'-tetramethyluronium hexafluorophosphate (HATU), O-(7-azabenzotriazol-1-yl)-N,N,N',N'-tetramethyluronium tetrafluoroborate (TATU), etc., but preferably WSC. The reaction temperature may be anywhere from 0°C to 100°C, but the preferred reaction temperature is from room temperature to 50°C.

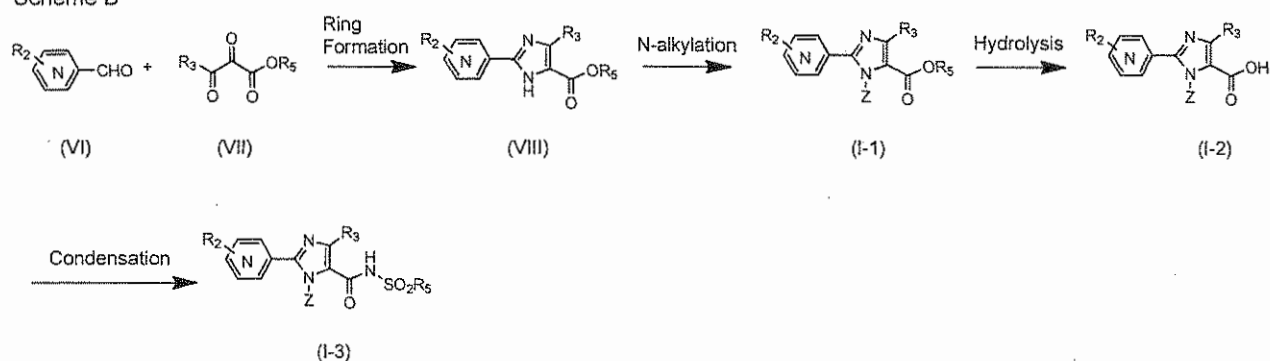
Note that the compound of the formula (II) discussed above can be used as the compound (II-1) in Scheme A above.

The present derivatives can also be synthesized according to Scheme B below, for example, when A is a single bond, R₁ is a nitrogen atom, R₃ is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and R₄ is a carboxyl group, -CO₂R₅, or -CONHSO₂R₅. That is, after the compound (VIII) is obtained by an imidazole ring-forming reaction using the

compound (VI) and the compound (VII), N-alkylation is carried out by a reaction using a base and a halide compound, or by a Mitsunobu reaction using an alcohol, to give the compound (I-1). As in Scheme A, the compound (I-2) can be obtained by hydrolyzing the ester group. Furthermore, if necessary, the acylsulfonamide compound (I-3) can also be obtained by carrying out condensation with an alkylsulfonamide.

[Chemical Formula 41]

Scheme B



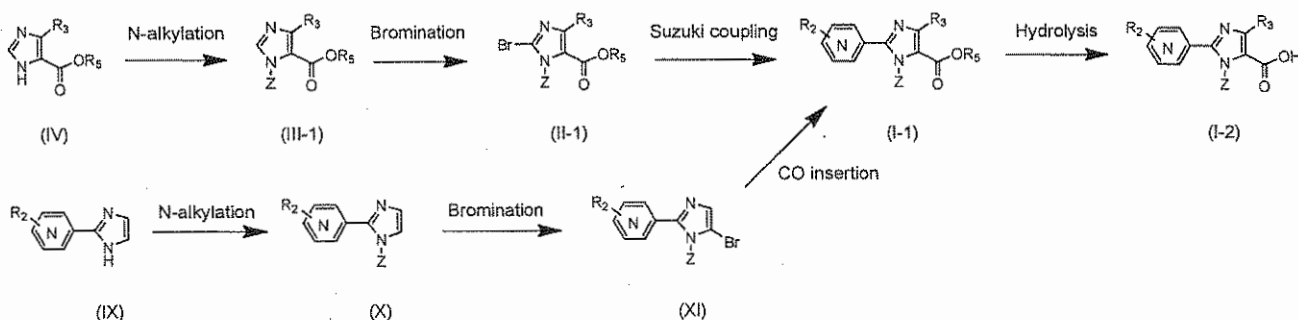
Here, the imidazole ring-forming reaction using the compound (VI) and the compound (VII) proceeds, for example, by heating the compound (VI) and the compound (VII) in a mixed solvent of toluene and water in the presence of 2 or more equivalents, preferably 10 or more equivalents, of ammonium acetate. The reaction temperature for this reaction is preferably from room temperature to 150°C, and more preferably from 50°C to 120°C. Preferably, the N-alkylation reaction of the compound (VIII) to the compound (I-1), the hydrolysis reaction of the compound (I-1) to the compound (I-2), and the condensation reaction of the compound (I-2) to the compound (I-3) are carried out under the conditions described in Scheme A.

The present derivatives can be synthesized according to Scheme C below when A is a single bond, R_1 is a nitrogen atom, R_3 is a hydrogen atom or an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and R_4 is a carboxyl group or $-CO_2R_5$. That is, after the

compound (III-1) is obtained by an N-alkylation reaction of the imidazole derivative (IV), the compound (II-1) is obtained by bromination. As in Scheme A, Suzuki coupling of the compound (II-1) and a boronate derivative is carried out to give the compound (I-1). Furthermore, the compound (I-2) can be obtained by hydrolyzing the ester group. In addition, as an alternative route when R₃ is a hydrogen atom, the compound (I-1) can also be obtained by an N-alkylation reaction of the easily synthesizable compound (IX) to give the compound (X), followed by a bromination reaction to give the compound (XI), and further followed by a CO-insertion reaction in an alcohol using palladium.

[Chemical Formula 42]

Scheme C



For the N-alkylation reaction of the compound (IV) to the compound (III-1) in Scheme C, the conditions described in Scheme A are preferred. For the bromination of the compound (III-1) to the compound (II-1), the conditions described in Scheme A are preferred, and the conditions of further adding a catalytic amount of 2,2'-azobis(isobutyronitrile) (AIBN) are more preferred. Preferably, the Suzuki coupling reaction of the compound (II-1) to the compound (I-1) and the subsequent hydrolysis reaction are carried out under the conditions described in Scheme A. The N-alkylation reaction of the compound (IX) to the compound (X) and the bromination of the compound (X) to the compound (XI) are preferably carried out under the

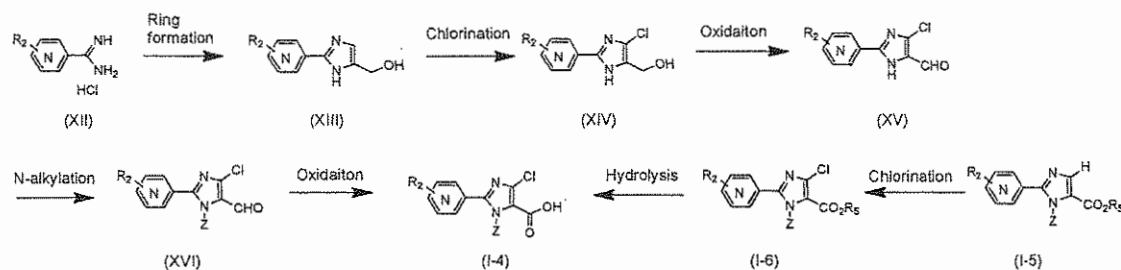
conditions described in Scheme A. The CO-insertion reaction of the compound (XI) to the compound (I-1) proceeds by using a palladium catalyst, a base, and the compound (XI) in an alcohol solvent under a CO atmosphere. As the alcohol solvent, methanol or ethanol is preferred. As the palladium catalyst, [1,1'-bis(diphenylphosphino)ferrocene]dichloropalladium (II) ($\text{PdCl}_2(\text{dppf})$), tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium ($\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$), etc. is preferred. The base is preferably triethylamine or diisopropylethylamine. The reaction temperature for this reaction is preferably from room temperature to 150°C , and more preferably from 50°C to 90°C .

Note that the compound of the formula (II) discussed above can be used as the compound (II-1) in Scheme C above, and the compound of the formula (III) discussed above can be used as the compound (III-1) in Scheme C above.

The present derivative can be synthesized according to Scheme D below when A is a single bond, R_1 is a nitrogen atom, R_3 is a chlorine atom, and R_4 is a carboxyl group. That is, the amidine hydrochloride (XII) and dihydroxyacetone dimer are used to form an imidazole ring to obtain the alcohol compound (XIII). After the compound (XIV) is obtained by chlorination, the aldehyde compound (XV) is obtained by oxidation. The compound (I-4) can be obtained by N-alkylation to give the compound (XVI), followed by, further oxidation. In addition, as an alternative route, the compound (I-4) can also be obtained by chlorination of the compound (I-5) which corresponds to the compound (I-1) in Scheme C above wherein R_3 is a hydrogen atom to give the compound (I-6), followed by hydrolysis.

[Chemical Formula 43]

Scheme D



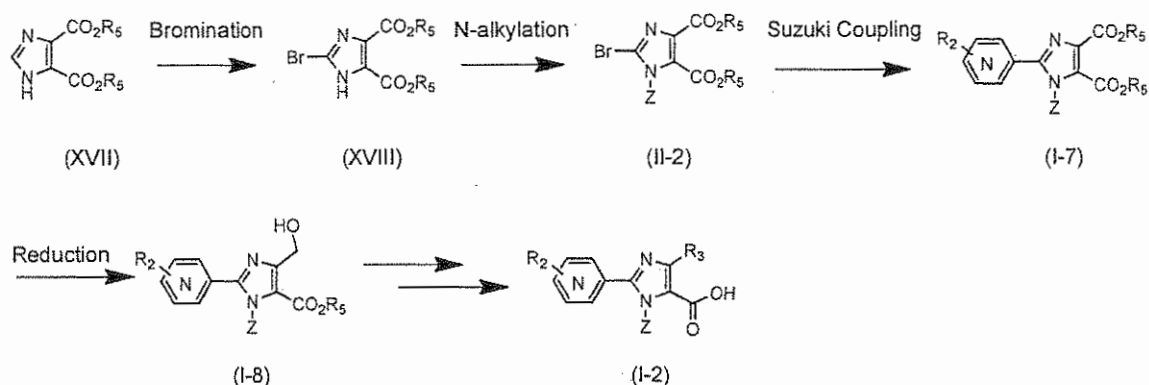
The imidazole ring-forming reaction of the compound (XII) to the compound (XIII), is preferably carried out under the conditions where ammonium chloride and dihydroxyacetone dimer are used in aqueous ammonia. This reaction proceeds at 50°C to 100°C, but it is preferably carried out at 80 to 100°C. Chlorinating agents for the compound (XIII) can include N-chlorosuccinimide (NCS), chlorine, etc., but preferably N-chlorosuccinimide (NCS). This reaction proceeds at room temperature to 50°C, but it is more preferable to perform the reaction at room temperature in order to reduce side reactions. The oxidation of the compound (XIV) to the compound (XV) is preferably carried out using manganese dioxide, and the reaction solvent is preferably a halogenated solvent such as dichloromethane. The N-alkylation of the compound (XV) to the compound (XVI) is preferably carried out under the conditions described in Scheme A. For the oxidation reaction of the compound (XVI) to the compound (I-4), the Pinnick reaction is widely known, and the conditions of using sodium chlorite and sodium dihydrogenphosphate in the presence of 2-methyl-2-butene are preferred. As the reaction solvent, it is preferable to use a mixed solvent of tetrahydrofuran (THF), or an alcohol such as t-butanol or propanol, and water. The reaction temperature is preferably from room temperature to 50°C. As for the chlorination of the compound (I-5) to the compound (I-6), it is preferable to perform the reaction using N-chlorosuccinimide (NCS) in acetonitrile. This reaction proceeds at room

temperature to 100°C, but it is preferably carried out at 50°C to 80°C. The hydrolysis of the compound (I-6) to the compound (I-4) is preferably carried out under the conditions described in Scheme A.

The present derivatives can be synthesized according to Scheme E below when A is a single bond, R₁ is a nitrogen atom, R₃ is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, an amino group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, an imidazole ring, a pyrazole ring, a pyrrolidine ring, a piperidine ring, a morpholine ring, and piperazine ring (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms and an alkylsulfonyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms)), an acetyl group, a difluoromethyl group, or an ethynyl group, and R₄ is a carboxyl group. That is, the diester compound (XVII) is converted into the compound (XVIII) by a bromination reaction and then into the compound (II-2) by an N-alkylation reaction. After the compound (I-7) is subsequently obtained by a Suzuki coupling reaction, the hydroxymethyl compound (I-8), reduced only at the 4-position, is obtained by a selective reduction reaction using diisobutylaluminum hydride (DIBAL-H). The compound (I-2) can be synthesized by converting the hydroxymethyl moiety into various R₃ moieties through various common conversion reactions in organic synthesis, finally followed by a hydrolysis reaction.

[Chemical Formula 44]

Scheme E



In Scheme E, the bromination of the compound (XVII) to the compound (XVIII), the N-alkylation reaction of the compound (XVIII) to the compound (II-2), and the Suzuki coupling reaction of the compound (II-2) to the compound (I-7) are preferably carried out under the conditions described in Scheme A. As for the reduction reaction of the compound (I-7) to the compound (I-8), it is preferable to carry out a reduction reaction in tetrahydrofuran (THF) solvent using diisobutylaluminum hydride (DIBAL-H). This reaction proceeds at -50°C to 50°C , but it is preferably carried out at -40°C to room temperature. As for the conversion of the hydroxymethyl moiety of the compound (I-8), further conversion into various R_3 moieties is made possible by converting the alcohol moiety into an aldehyde through oxidation with manganese dioxide, or by converting the alcohol moiety into a bromo group using tribromophosphine, followed by further transformations of these aldehyde and bromo group into R_3 moieties. The hydrolysis is preferably carried out under the conditions described in Scheme A.

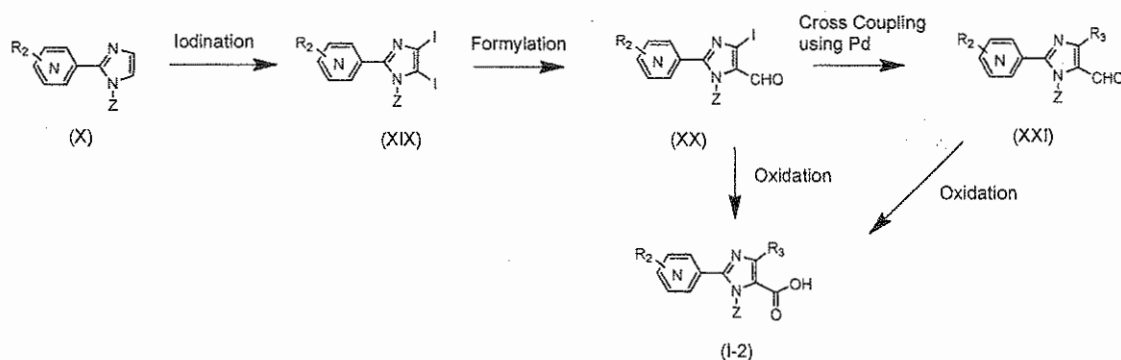
Note that the compound of the formula (II) discussed above can be used as the compound (II-2) in Scheme E above.

The present derivatives can be synthesized according to Scheme F below when

A is a single bond, R_1 is a nitrogen atom, R_3 is an iodine atom, a phenyl group, a pyridyl group, a phenoxy group, a cyano group, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or an alkenyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, and R_4 is a carboxyl group. That is, the compound (X) obtained in Scheme (C) is iodinated to give the compound (XIX), followed by selective formylation to give the compound (XX). After the compound (XXI) is subsequently obtained by Suzuki coupling, cyanation, or etherification through the introduction of alcohol, thiol, phenol, or the like, etc. under the conditions of using palladium, the compound (I-2) can be obtained by carrying out the Pinnick oxidation. When R_3 is an iodine atom, the compound (XX) is directly oxidated to give the compound (I-2).

[Chemical Formula 45]

Scheme F



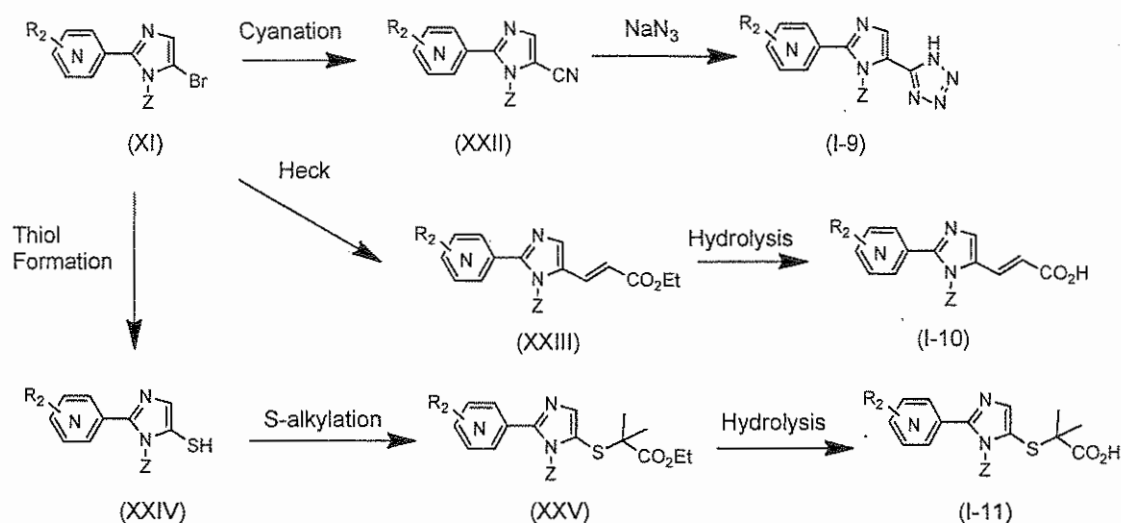
Preferably, the iodination reaction of the compound (X) to the compound (XIX) in Scheme F is carried out in methanol using iodine and silver sulfate. This reaction proceeds at 0°C to 100°C, but it is preferably carried out at room temperature to 50°C. As for the selective formylation of the compound (XIX) to the compound (XX), it is preferable to perform the reaction using a Grignard reagent such as EtMgBr, or a lithium reagent such as nBuLi, in DMF, or in a mixed solvent of tetrahydrofuran (THF) and DMF. This reaction proceeds at -50°C to 50°C, but it is preferably carried out at

0°C to room temperature. In the conversion of the compound (XX) to the compound (XXI), the Suzuki coupling reaction is preferably carried out under the conditions described in Scheme A. The cyanation using palladium, is carried out preferably under the conditions where a palladium catalyst, such as [1,1'-bis(diphenylphosphino)ferrocene]dichloropalladium (II) (PdCl_2 (dppf)) or tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium ($\text{Pd}(\text{PPh}_3)_4$), and ZnCN_2 are heated in DMF. This reaction proceeds at 50°C to 150°C, but it is preferably carried out at 80°C to 100°C. For the etherification through the introduction of alcohol, thiol, phenol, or the like, the conditions of using CuI , 1,10-phenanthroline, and cesium carbonate in the presence of the compound (XX) and any of the alcohol, thiol, phenol, or the like in toluene solvent are preferred. The reaction temperature is preferably from 50°C to 100°C. The Pinnick oxidation reaction of the compound (XX) or the compound (XXI) is preferably carried out under the conditions described in Scheme D.

The present derivatives can be synthesized according to Scheme G below when A is a single bond, R_1 is a nitrogen atom, R_3 is a hydrogen atom, R_4 is a tetrazolyl group, acrylic acid, or thiomethylpropanoic acid. That is, for a tetrazole compound, the compound (I-9) can be obtained by introducing a cyano group using palladium into the compound (XI) obtained in Scheme C above to give the compound (XXII) and then converting the cyano group into tetrazolyl group using sodium azide. For acrylic acid, the compound (I-10) can be obtained by performing a Heck reaction on the compound (XI) to give the compound (XXIII), followed by a hydrolysis reaction. For thiomethylpropanoic acid, the compound (I-11) can be obtained by the introduction of a SH group using palladium to give the compound (XXIV), followed by S-alkylation to give the compound (XXV), and finally followed by hydrolysis.

[Chemical Formula 46]

Scheme G



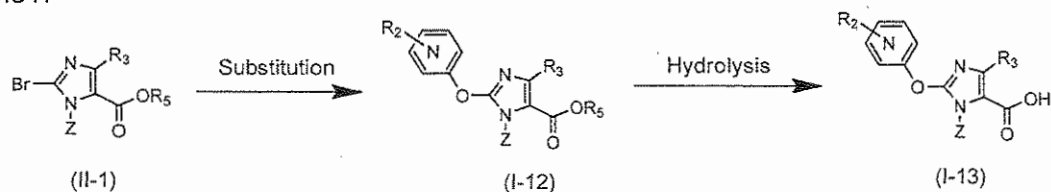
For the cyanation reaction of the compound (XI) to the compound (XXII), the conditions of heating in DMF with a palladium catalyst, such as [1,1'-bis(diphenylphosphino)ferrocene]dichloropalladium (II) (PdCl₂ (dppf)) or tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium (Pd(PPh₃)₄), and ZnCN₂ are preferred. This reaction proceeds at 50°C to 150°C, but it is preferably carried out at 80°C to 100°C. The conversion of the compound (XXII) to the compound (I-9), is carried out preferably by using triethylamine hydrochloride and sodium azide in DMF. This reaction proceeds at 100°C to 170°C, but it is preferably carried out at 120°C to 150°C. The Heck reaction for converting the compound (XI) to the compound (XXIII) proceeds by using a palladium catalyst such as [1,1'-bis(diphenylphosphino)ferrocene]dichloropalladium (II) (PdCl₂ (dppf)) or tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium (Pd(PPh₃)₄), a base such as potassium carbonate, potassium acetate, triethylamine, or diisopropylethylamine, the compound (XI), and an acrylic acid ester in acetonitrile, or in an amide type solvent such as DMF or DMA, under heated conditions. This reaction proceeds at room temperature to 150°C, but it

is preferably carried out at 80°C to 140°C. The hydrolysis is preferably carried out under the conditions described in Scheme A. As for the introduction of a SH group into the compound (XI) to give the compound (XXIV), an alkylthiol moiety is introduced by heating the compound (XI), 2-ethylhexyl 3-mercaptopropionate, Pd₂(dba)₃, Xantphos, and diisopropylethylamine in 1,4-dioxane under a nitrogen atmosphere, and then a β-elimination reaction is carried out under basic conditions to give the compound (XXIV), with reference to the document: Org. Lett. 2004, 6, 4587-4590; or Org. Lett. 2007, 9, 3687-3689. For the β-elimination reaction, the conditions of using a slight excess of KOtBu in DMF at room temperature are preferred. The S-alkylation of the compound (XXIV) to the compound (XXV) is preferably carried out under conditions similar to those for the N-alkylation in Scheme A, and more preferably under the conditions of using a base and a halide compound. The hydrolysis is preferably carried out under the conditions described in Scheme A.

The present derivatives can be synthesized according to Scheme H below when A is an oxygen atom, R₁ is a nitrogen atom, R₃ is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and R₄ is a carboxyl group. That is, the compound (I-13) can be synthesized by performing a substitution reaction using a phenol and a base on the compound (II-1) obtained in Scheme A above to give the compound (I-12), and then performing a hydrolysis reaction.

[Chemical Formula 47]

Scheme H



The substitution reaction of the compound (II-1) to the compound (I-12)

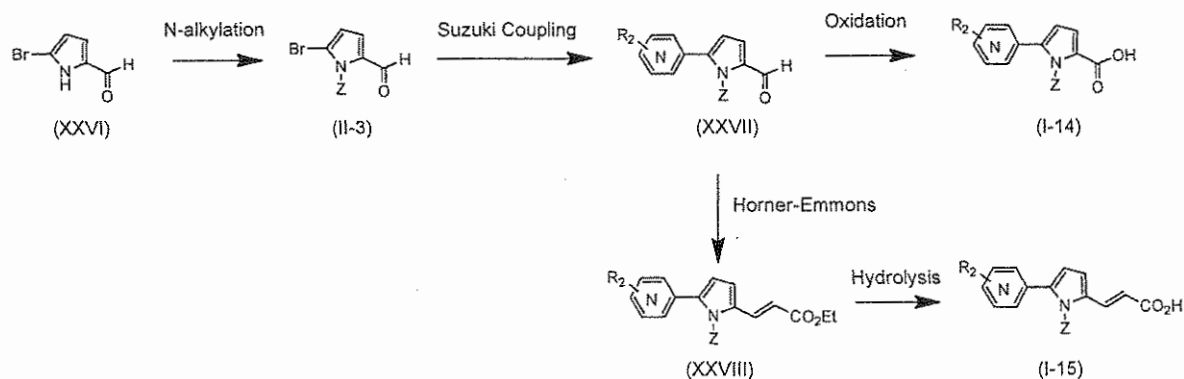
proceeds by reacting compound (II-1) with a phenol in DMF, in the presence of a base, such as potassium carbonate or cesium carbonate. This reaction proceeds at 50°C to 150°C, but it is preferably carried out at 90°C to 130°C. The hydrolysis of the compound (I-12) to the compound (I-13) is preferably carried out under the conditions described in Scheme A.

Note that the compound of the formula (II) discussed above can be used as the compound (II-1) in Scheme H above.

Furthermore, the present derivatives can be synthesized according to Scheme I below when A is a single bond, R₁ is CH, R₃ is a hydrogen atom, and R₄ is a carboxyl group or acrylic acid. That is, for a carboxylic acid, after the known pyrrole derivative (XXVI) is N-alkylated to give the compound (II-3), the compound (XXVII) is obtained by a Suzuki coupling reaction with a boronate derivative. The target compound (I-14) can be obtained by a subsequent oxidation reaction. For an acrylic acid, the compound (I-15) can be obtained by performing a Horner-Emmons reaction on the compound (XXVII) to give the compound (XXVIII), followed by hydrolysis.

[Chemical Formula 48]

Scheme I



Preferably, the N-alkylation reaction of the compound (XXVI) to the compound (II-3) in Scheme I and the subsequent Suzuki coupling reaction of the

compound (II-3) are carried out under the conditions described in Scheme A. Preferably, the oxidation reaction of the compound (XXVII) is carried out under the conditions described in Scheme D. The Horner-Emmons reaction of the compound (XXVII) to the compound (XXVIII) proceeds by reacting the compound (XXVII) with ethyl diethylphosphonoacetate in THF, in the presence of a base, such as sodium hydride or nBuLi. The reaction temperature is preferably from 0°C to room temperature. The subsequent hydrolysis is preferably carried out under the conditions described in Scheme A.

Note that the compound of the formula (II) discussed above can be used as the compound (II-3) in Scheme I above.

An agent for treatment or prevention of gout, hyperuricemia, and the like, containing a pyridine derivative or a prodrug thereof, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof, of the present invention as an active ingredient is prepared with carriers, excipients, and other additives commonly used to formulate pharmaceutical preparations. The carriers and excipients to formulate pharmaceutical preparations may be either solid or liquid and include, for example, lactose, magnesium stearate, starch, talc, gelatin, agar, pectin, Arabian gum, olive oil, sesame oil, cocoa butter, ethylene glycol, etc., and others that are commonly used. Administration may be in any form of oral administration such as via tablets, pills, capsules, granules, powders, or liquid preparations, or of parenteral administration such as via injections, such as intravenous injection and intramuscular injection, suppositories, or transdermal administration.

For the purpose of the present invention, "preventing" refers to obviating contraction or development of a disease in an individual who has not yet contracted or

developed it, and "treating" refers to curing, suppressing, or ameliorating a disease or symptom in an individual who has already contracted or developed it.

The effective dose of the active ingredient in a URAT1-inhibitor or an agent for treatment or prevention of the present invention may vary depending upon the route of administration, the age and sex of the patient, the extent of the disease, and the like, but it is generally about 0.1 to 100 mg/day. The dose frequency is generally 1 to 3 times/day or 1 to 7 times/week. It is preferred that pharmaceutical preparations be prepared to meet these conditions.

[Examples]

Hereinafter, the present invention will be described in greater detail by way of working examples, without being limited thereto. Abbreviations in the present invention are as follows:

DMF = N,N-dimethylformamide

THF = tetrahydrofuran

NBS = N-bromosuccinimide

NCS = N-chlorosuccinimide

DEAD = diethyl azodicarboxylate

DIAD = diisopropyl azodicarboxylate

$\text{PdCl}_2(\text{dppf}) = [1,1'\text{-bis(diphenylphosphino)ferrocene}]\text{dichloropalladium(II)}$

$\text{PdCl}_2(\text{dppf}) \cdot \text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2 = [1,1'\text{-bis(diphenylphosphino)ferrocene}]\text{dichloropalladium(II)}$
dichloromethane complex

BSA = N,O-bis(trimethylsilyl)acetamide

AIBN = 2,2'-azobis(isobutyronitrile)

HATU = O-(7-azabenzotriazol-1-yl)-N,N,N',N'-tetramethyluronium

hexafluorophosphate

WSC = 1-ethyl-3-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)carbodiimide hydrochloride

DMAP = N,N-dimethylamino-4-aminopyridine

DIBAL-H = diisobutylaluminum hydride

DAST = diethylaminosulfur trifluoride

The structures of the isolated, novel compounds were confirmed by ^1H -NMR and/or mass spectrometry using single quadrupole instrumentation equipped with an electrospray source, and other appropriate analytical methods.

For the compounds whose ^1H -NMR spectra (400 MHz, DMSO- d_6 , CDCl_3 , or CD_3OD) were measured, their chemical shifts (δ : ppm) and coupling constants (J : Hz) are shown. For the mass spectroscopy results, the observed measurement is shown as $\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$, i.e., the value of compound's molecular mass (M) plus a proton (H^+). Abbreviations below refer respectively to the following.

s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, brs = broad singlet, m = multiplet.

The compounds synthesized according to the methods of the following Examples were also analyzed by high-performance liquid chromatography (HPLC) analysis and by mass spectroscopy using a time-of-flight mass spectrometer (TOF-MS: Time of Flight-Mass Spectroscopy) equipped with an electrospray ion source.

The retention time (in minutes) of a compound in the HPLC analysis under the following analytical conditions is shown as HPLC retention time.

HPLC measurement conditions

Instrument: Hewlett-Packard 1100HPLC

Column: Intakt Cadenza CD-C18 100 mm $\times$ 4.6 mm 3 μm

UV: PDA detection (254 nm)

Column temperature: 40 °C

Gradient conditions:

Solvents: A: H₂O/acetonitrile = 95/5

0.05% TFA (trifluoroacetic acid)

B: H₂O/acetonitrile = 5/95

0.05% TFA (trifluoroacetic acid)

Flow rate: 1.0 mL/min

Gradients: 0 to 1 minute, Solvent B: 2%, Solvent A: 98%

1 to 14 minutes, Solvent B: 2%→100%, Solvent A: 98%→0%

14 to 17 minutes, Solvent B: 100%, Solvent A: 0%

17 to 19 minutes, Solvent B: 100%→2%, Solvent A: 0%→98%

For the mass spectroscopy results, the value of "M⁺+H" observed using the apparatus and analytical conditions listed below (Obs. Mass: i.e., the observed value of compound's molecular mass (M) plus a proton (H⁺)) and the calculated value of "M⁺+H" (Pred. Mass), as well as the compositional formula calculated from the observed value of "M⁺+H," are shown.

TOF-MS measurement conditions

Mass spectrometer: Shimadzu Corporation LCMS-IT-TOF

LC: Prominence

Column: Phenomenex Synergi Hydro-RP 4.0 mm × 20 mm 2.5 μm

UV: PDA detection (254 nm)

Flow rate: 0.6 mL/min

Column temperature: 40 °C

Detection voltage: 1.63 kV

Gradient conditions:

Solvents: A: H₂O/acetonitrile = 95/5

0.1% HCO₂H

B: H₂O/acetonitrile = 5/95

0.1% HCO₂H

Flow rate: 0.5 mL/min

Gradients: 0 to 0.2 minutes, Solvent B: 2%, Solvent A: 98%

0.2 to 2.5 minutes, Solvent B: 2%→100%, Solvent A: 98%→0%

2.5 to 3.8 minutes, Solvent B: 100%, Solvent A: 0%

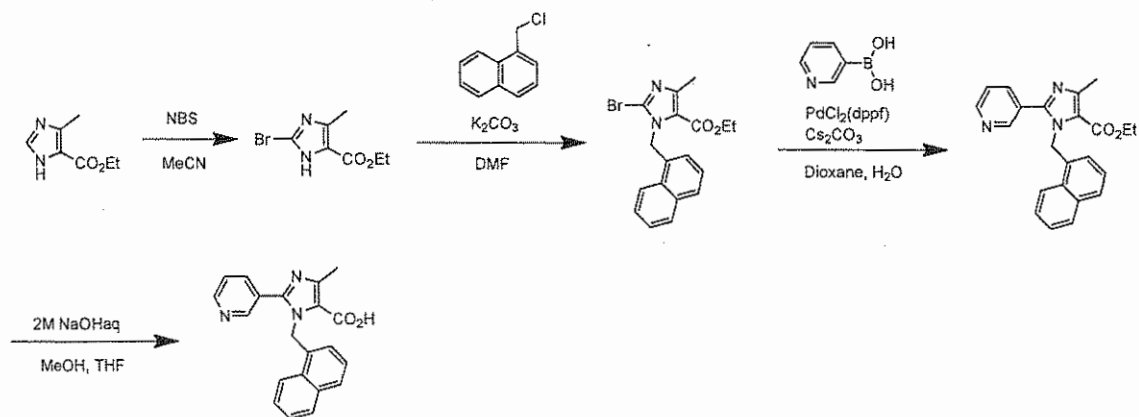
3.8 to 4.0 minutes, Solvent B: 100%→2%, Solvent A: 0%→98%

4.0 to 5.0 minutes, Solvent B: 2%, Solvent A: 98%

[Example 1]

Production of
4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
(Compound A2) (Scheme A)

[Chemical Formula 49]



(1) Ethyl 4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (7.5 g, 48.7 mmol) was dissolved in acetonitrile (120 mL), N-bromosuccinimide (10.4 g, 58.4 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 3 hours. After the reaction, saturated aqueous sodium hydrogen carbonate was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate. After washing with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 2-bromo-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (3.6 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 4.35 (2H, q, $J = 7.1$ Hz), 2.51 (3H, s), 1.37 (3H, t, $J = 7.1$ Hz);

ESI-MS $m/z = 233$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(2) Ethyl 2-bromo-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (5 g, 21.45 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (40 mL), potassium carbonate (5.93 g, 42.9 mmol) and 1-(chloromethyl)naphthalene (4.56 g, 25.8 mmol) were added thereto, and the mixture was stirred at 80°C for 2 hours. After the reaction, water was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate. The organic layer was washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride and dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 2-bromo-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (3.25 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 8.01 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.91 (1H, d, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 7.77 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.63-7.53 (2H, m), 7.33 (1H, t, $J = 7.6$ Hz), 6.43 (1H, dd, $J = 7.3, 1.0$ Hz), 6.07 (2H, s), 4.13 (2H, q, $J = 7.1$ Hz), 2.58 (3H, s), 1.11 (3H, t, $J = 7.1$ Hz);

ESI-MS $m/z = 373$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(3) Ethyl 2-bromo-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (1.5 g, 4.0 mmol), pyridin-3-ylboronic acid (0.74 g, 6.0 mmol), cesium carbonate (2.62 g, 8.0 mmol), and PdCl₂ (dppf) (0.3 g, 0.4 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of dioxane (15 mL) and water (3 mL), and the solution was heated and stirred at 100°C for 6 hours under a nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure, ethyl acetate was added to the residue, and the solution was washed with water and saturated aqueous sodium chloride. The organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate and subsequently concentrated under vacuum. The residue obtained was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compound A3, 1.46 g):

¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) δ: 8.78 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.58 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 7.93-7.85 (2H, m), 7.82-7.77 (2H, m), 7.57-7.53 (2H, m), 7.38 (1H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), 7.24-7.20 (1H, m), 6.73 (1H, d, J = 6.3 Hz), 6.03 (2H, s), 4.13 (2H, q, J = 7.2 Hz), 2.67 (3H, s), 1.07 (3H, t, J = 7.1 Hz);

ESI-MS m/z = 372 (M⁺ + H).

(4) Ethyl 4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (1.46 g, 3.93 mmol) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (10 mL) and methanol (10 mL), and 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (4 mL, 8.0 mmol) was added to the solution, and then the mixture was heated and stirred at 50°C for 1 hour. After cooling to room temperature, 2 M hydrochloric acid (4 mL, 8.0 mmol) was added and the mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified according to the conventional method to obtain

4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
(Compound A2, 0.88 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$) δ : 8.69 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.60 (1H, dd, $J = 4.9, 1.5$ Hz), 8.05-8.01 (1H, m), 7.99-7.95 (1H, m), 7.93 (1H, dt, $J = 8.0, 2.0$ Hz), 7.84 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.60-7.57 (2H, m), 7.46-7.40 (2H, m), 6.59 (1H, d, $J = 7.3$ Hz), 6.09 (2H, s), 2.56 (3H, s);

HPLC retention time = 7.40 min;

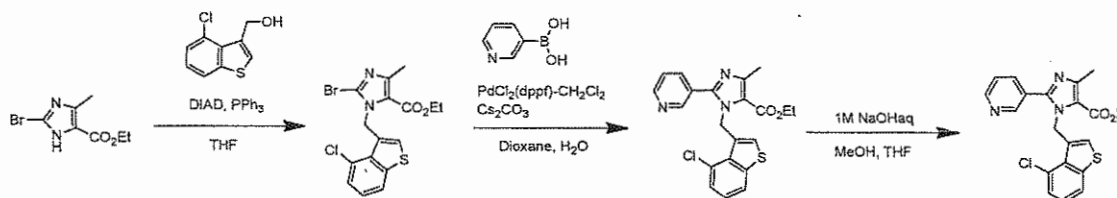
Pred. Mass = 344.1394 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$, $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{17}\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$);

Obs. Mass = 344.1391 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

[Example 2]

Production of
1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A7) (Scheme A)

[Chemical Formula 50]



(1) Ethyl 2-bromo-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (1.52 g, 6.0 mmol), (4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methanol (1.79 g, 9.0 mmol) obtained according to a method described in a literature (for example, WO 2002/066457), and triphenylphosphine (2.36 g, 9.0 mmol) were dissolved in THF (15 mL), a 1.9 M solution of DIAD in toluene (4.73 mL, 9.0 mmol) was added dropwise thereto under cooling at 0°C , and the mixture was stirred at 30°C for 10 hours. The solvent was distilled away and the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl

2-bromo-1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (1.73 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 7.72 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.41-7.24 (3H, m), 6.15 (2H, s), 4.21 (2H, q, $J = 7.1$ Hz), 2.57 (3H, s), 1.20 (3H, t, $J = 7.1$ Hz);

ESI-MS $m/z = 413$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(2)

Ethyl 2-bromo-1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (800 mg, 1.93 mmol), pyridin-3-ylboronic acid (366 mg, 3.0 mmol), cesium carbonate (1.06 g, 3.0 mmol), $\text{PdCl}_2(\text{dppf})\cdot\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}_2$ (245 mg, 0.3 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of dioxane (19 mL) and water (1 mL), and the solution was heated and stirred at 100°C for 5 hours under a nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling, ethyl acetate was added to extract the reaction mixture, the organic layer was washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, dried with anhydrous magnesium sulfate, and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue obtained was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compound A267, 0.63 g):

ESI-MS $m/z = 412$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(3)

Ethyl

1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (0.63 g, 1.53 mmol) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (6 mL), methanol (6 mL), and water (3 mL), 1 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (3 mL, 3.0 mmol) was added to the solution, and the mixture was stirred at 60°C for 3 hours. After cooling, the reaction mixture was neutralized by the addition of 1 M hydrochloric acid

(3 mL, 3.0 mmol) and the organic solvent was distilled away. The residue was extracted with ethyl acetate and the organic layer was washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride. After being dried over anhydrous magnesium sulfate, the organic layer was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by a conventional method to obtain 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A7, 0.26 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$) δ : 8.72 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.60 (1H, dd, $J = 4.9, 2.0$ Hz), 7.99-7.93 (2H, m), 7.47-7.44 (2H, m), 7.37 (1H, t, $J = 8.0$ Hz), 6.87 (1H, s), 6.05 (2H, s), 2.60 (3H, s);

HPLC retention time = 7.76 min:

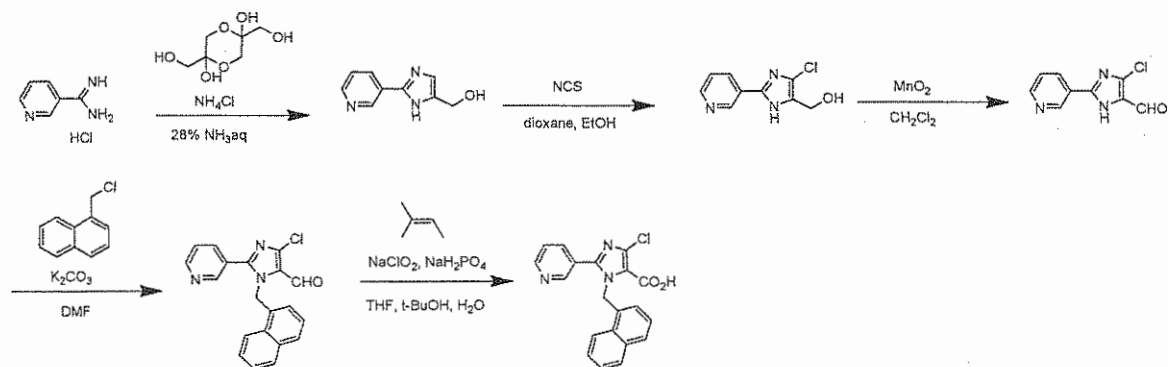
Pred. Mass = 384.0568 ($M^+ + H$, $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{14}\text{ClN}_3\text{O}_2\text{S}$);

Obs. Mass = 384.0564 ($M^+ + H$).

[Example 3]

Production of 4-chloro-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A9) (Scheme D)

[Chemical Formula 51]



(1) 3-Amidinopyridine hydrochloride (10 g, 63.5 mmol), dihydroxyacetone dimer (11.43 g, 63.6 mmol) and ammonium chloride (17 g, 317 mmol) were dissolved in 28% aqueous ammonia (100 mL), and the solution was stirred at 80°C for 2 hours. After the reaction, saturated aqueous sodium chloride (50 mL) was added and the aqueous layer was extracted three times with a mixed solvent of ethyl acetate and THF. The organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate and concentrated to obtain a crude product, which was subsequently washed with acetonitrile and hexane to obtain (2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazol-5-yl)methanol (3 g):

ESI-MS $m/z = 176 (M^+ + H)$.

(2) In a mixed solvent of ethanol (30 mL) and 1,4-dioxane (30 mL) was dissolved (2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazol-5-yl)methanol (2.1 g, 12 mmol), N-chlorosuccinimide (1.6 g, 12 mmol) was added thereto, and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 48 hours. After the reaction, water (50 mL) and saturated aqueous sodium chloride (50 mL) were added and the mixture was extracted twice with a mixed solvent of ethyl acetate and THF. After being dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate, the organic layer was concentrated and the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain (4-chloro-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazol-5-yl)methanol (600 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO- d_6) δ : 13.16 (1H, s), 9.09 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.54 (1H, dd, $J = 4.9$, 1.5 Hz), 8.24 (1H, dt, $J = 8.1$, 2.0 Hz), 7.47 (1H, dd, $J = 7.8$, 4.9 Hz), 5.31 (1H, t, $J = 5.1$ Hz), 4.45 (2H, d, $J = 4.9$ Hz);

ESI-MS $m/z = 210 (M^+ + H)$.

(3) In dichloromethane (7 mL) was suspended (4-chloro-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazol-5-yl)methanol (600 mg, 2.86 mmol), manganese dioxide (4 g, 46 mmol) was added thereto, and the mixture was stirred at

room temperature for 20 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was filtered using celite and subsequently the filtrate was concentrated to obtain 4-chloro-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carbaldehyde (460 mg). This material was used as is for the next reaction without further purification:

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 14.22 (1H, s), 9.72 (1H, s), 9.24 (1H, s), 8.66 (1H, d, $J = 4.4$ Hz), 8.42 (1H, d, $J = 7.3$ Hz), 7.54 (1H, dd, $J = 7.8, 4.9$ Hz);

ESI-MS $m/z = 208$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(4) In DMF (1 mL) was dissolved 4-chloro-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carbaldehyde (50 mg, 0.241 mmol), potassium carbonate (66.6 mg, 0.482 mmol) and 1-(chloromethyl)naphthalene (51.0 mg, 0.289 mmol) were added to the solution, and the mixture was heated and stirred at 80°C for 5 hours. After the reaction, water (5 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (5 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate and subsequently concentrated to obtain 4-chloro-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carbaldehyde (100 mg). This material was used as is for the next reaction without further purification:

ESI-MS $m/z = 348$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(5) 4-Chloro-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carbaldehyde (100 mg) and 2-methyl-2-butene (141 mg, 2 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (1 mL) and t-butanol (1 mL), an aqueous solution (2 mL) of sodium chlorite (221 mg, 2.44 mmol) and sodium dihydrogen phosphate (292 mg, 1.87 mmol) was added dropwise thereto, and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 6 hours. After the reaction, water (5 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with

ethyl acetate (5 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by HPLC to obtain 4-chloro-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A9, 2.53 mg):

HPLC retention time = 8.52 min;

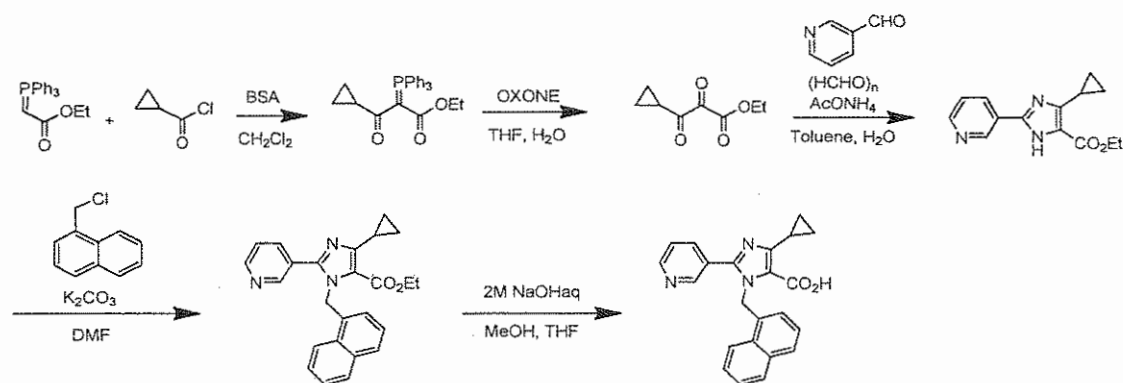
Pred. Mass = 364.0847 ($M^+ + H$, $C_{20}H_{14}ClN_3O_2$);

Obs. Mass = 364.0847 ($M^+ + H$).

[Example 4]

Production of 4-cyclopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A11) (Scheme B)

[Chemical Formula 52]



(1) Ethyl 2-(triphenylphosphoranylidene)acetate (16.3 g, 47 mmol) was dissolved in dichloromethane (160 mL), cyclopropanecarbonyl chloride (5.4 g, 51 mmol) and N,O-bis(trimethylsilyl)acetamide (BSA) (11.9 g, 58 mmol) were added thereto under ice cooling, and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 3 hours. After the reaction, water (100 mL) was added and the aqueous layer was extracted twice with

dichloromethane. After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous magnesium sulfate and was concentrated to obtain ethyl 3-cyclopropyl-3-oxo-2-(triphenylphosphoranylidene)propanoate (19.0 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 7.67-7.40 (15H, m), 3.74 (2H, q, $J = 7.2$ Hz), 3.35-3.33 (1H, m), 0.85-0.81 (2H, m), 0.71-0.67 (2H, m), 0.65 (3H, t, $J = 7.3$ Hz);

ESI-MS $m/z = 417$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(2) Ethyl 3-cyclopropyl-3-oxo-2-(triphenylphosphoranylidene)propanoate (19.0 g, 47 mmol) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of tetrahydrofuran (300 mL) and water (200 mL), oxone (34.7 g, 56 mmol) was added thereto under ice cooling, and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 4 hours. After the reaction, insoluble matter was removed by filtration and the solid was washed with ethyl acetate. The filtrate was concentrated and the solvent was distilled away. The aqueous layer was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (100 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous magnesium sulfate. The residue obtained by concentrating the organic layer was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 3-cyclopropyl-2,3-dioxopropanoate (7.47 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 4.34 (2H, q, $J = 7.1$ Hz), 2.16-2.11 (1H, m), 1.31 (3H, t, $J = 7.1$ Hz), 1.25-1.22 (2H, m), 1.15-1.10 (2H, m).

(3) Ethyl 3-cyclopropyl-2,3-dioxopropanoate (500 mg, 2.9 mmol), nicotine aldehyde (315 mg, 2.9 mmol), and ammonium acetate (2.26 g, 29 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of toluene (4 mL) and water (2mL), and the mixture was heated and stirred at 70°C for 3 hours. After the reaction, the residue obtained by distilling away toluene was purified by a conventional method to obtain ethyl 4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (416 mg):

¹H-NMR (DMSO-d₆) δ: 13.07 (1H, brs), 9.16 (1H, brs), 8.56 (1H, d, J = 4.9 Hz), 8.33 (1H, brs), 7.46 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 4.9 Hz), 4.30 (2H, brs), 2.59 (1H, brs), 1.32 (3H, t, J = 7.1 Hz), 0.97 (4H, brs);

ESI-MS m/z = 258 (M⁺ + H).

(4) Ethyl 4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (50 mg, 0.194 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (1 mL), potassium carbonate (53.7 mg, 0.389 mmol) and 1-(chloromethyl)naphthalene (41.2 mg, 0.233 mmol) were added to the solution, and the mixture was stirred at 90°C for 3 hours. After the reaction, water (5 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (5 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 4-cyclopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compound A268, 40 mg):

ESI-MS m/z = 398 (M⁺ + H).

(5) Ethyl 4-cyclopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (40 mg) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (1 mL) and methanol (0.5 mL), and 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 3 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was neutralized by the addition of 2 M aqueous hydrochloric acid (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) and was concentrated. The residue was purified by HPLC to obtain 4-cyclopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A11, 30 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 8.62 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.56 (1H, dd, $J = 4.9, 1.5$ Hz), 8.05-7.95 (2H, m), 7.89-7.82 (2H, m), 7.60-7.56 (2H, m), 7.45-7.38 (2H, m), 6.55 (1H, d, $J = 6.8$ Hz), 6.05 (2H, s), 2.78-2.71 (1H, m), 1.04-0.96 (4H, m);

HPLC retention time = 8.28 min;

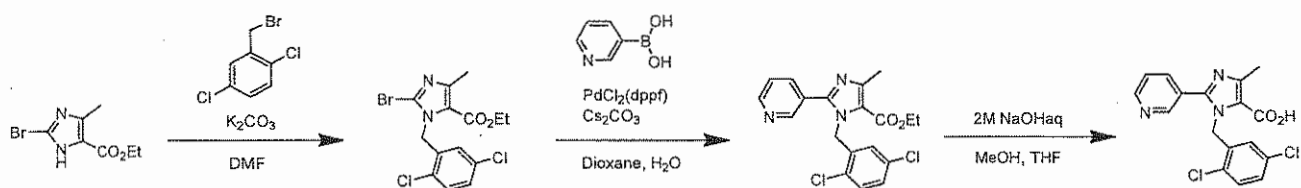
Pred. Mass = 370.1550 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$, $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$);

Obs. Mass = 370.1548 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

[Example 5]

Production of
1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
(Compound A13) (Scheme A)

[Chemical Formula 53]



(1) Ethyl 2-bromo-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (2.75 g, 11.81 mmol) described in Example 1 (1) was dissolved in DMF (20 mL), potassium carbonate (3.26 g, 23.62 mmol) and 2,5-dichlorobenzyl bromide (3.4 g, 14.17 mmol) were added thereto, and the mixture was stirred at 90°C for 3 hours. After the reaction, water (50 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (50 mL). The organic layer was washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride and subsequently dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 2-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (1.72 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 7.34 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.20 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.40 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.60 (2H, s), 4.25 (2H, q, $J = 7.2$ Hz), 2.56 (3H, s), 1.27 (3H, t, $J = 7.1$ Hz);
ESI-MS $m/z = 391$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(2) Ethyl 2-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (1 g, 2.55 mmol), pyridin-3-ylboronic acid (627 mg, 5.1 mmol), $\text{PdCl}_2(\text{dppf})$ (467 mg, 0.64 mmol), and cesium carbonate (1.66 g, 5.1 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of 1,4-dioxane (7 mL) and water (1.5 mL), and the solution was stirred at 100°C for 3 hours under a nitrogen atmosphere. After the reaction, water (50 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (50 mL). The organic layer was washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride and subsequently dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compound A269, 565 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 8.69-8.66 (2H, m), 7.82-7.78 (1H, m), 7.37-7.33 (2H, m), 7.26-7.22 (1H, m), 6.66 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.53 (2H, s), 4.25 (2H, q, $J = 7.2$ Hz), 2.65 (3H, s), 1.27 (3H, t, $J = 7.1$ Hz);
ESI-MS $m/z = 391$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(3) Ethyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (859 mg, 2.2 mmol) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (8 mL) and methanol (3 mL), 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (2.2 mL, 4.4 mmol) was added to the solution, and the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 3 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was neutralized by the addition of a 2M hydrochloric acid (2.2 mL, 4.4 mmol) and was concentrated. The residue was purified by a conventional method to obtain

1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridine-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
(Compound A13, 393 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 13.01 (1H, s), 8.64-8.61 (2H, m), 7.84 (1H, d, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 7.52-7.44 (2H, m), 7.37 (1H, dd, $J = 8.5, 2.2$ Hz), 6.54 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 5.55 (2H, s), 2.49 (3H, s);

HPLC retention time = 7.33 min;

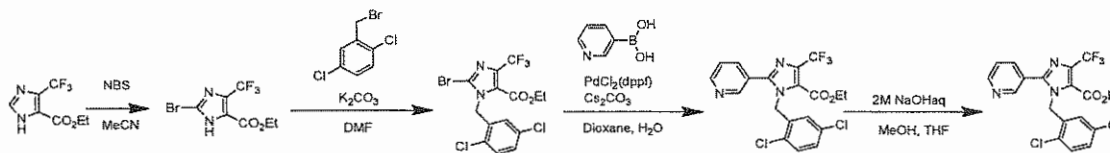
Pred. Mass = 362.0458 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$, $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{13}\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$);

Obs. Mass = 362.0455 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

[Example 6]

Production of
1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A19) (Scheme A)

[Chemical Formula 54]



(1) Ethyl 4-trifluoromethyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (5.73 g, 27 mmol), which is publicly known through publication (for example, Journal of Medicinal Chemistry, 2011, 54, 7621-7638), was dissolved in acetonitrile (100 mL), N-bromosuccinimide (5.88 g, 33 mmol) was added thereto, and the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 2 hours. After the reaction, acetonitrile was distilled away, saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate (50 mL) was added, and mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (50 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous magnesium chloride, the organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by

column chromatography to obtain ethyl

2-bromo-4-trifluoromethyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (5.71 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 4.44 (2H, q, $J = 7.2$ Hz), 1.40 (3H, t, $J = 7.2$ Hz);

ESI-MS $m/z = 287$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(2) Ethyl 2-bromo-4-trifluoromethyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (1.57 g, 5.47 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (11 mL), potassium carbonate (1.51 g, 10.9 mmol) and 2,5-dichlorobenzyl bromide (1.58 g, 6.56 mmol) were added thereto, and the mixture was stirred at 90°C for 3 hours. After the reaction, water (50 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (50 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 2-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-trifluoromethyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (2.07 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 7.38 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.26-7.23 (1H, m), 6.43 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.66 (2H, s), 4.32 (2H, q, $J = 7.1$ Hz), 1.32 (3H, t, $J = 7.1$ Hz);

ESI-MS $m/z = 445$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(3) Ethyl 2-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-trifluoromethyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (2.05 g, 4.6 mmol), pyridin-3-ylboronic acid (847 mg, 6.89 mmol), $\text{PdCl}_2(\text{dppf})$ (673 mg, 0.92 mmol), and cesium carbonate (2.99 g, 9.19 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of 1,4-dioxane (13 mL) and water (3 mL), and the solution was heated and stirred at 100°C for 3 hours under a nitrogen atmosphere. After the reaction, water (50 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (50 mL). After being washed with a saturated aqueous sodium chloride solution, the organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate.

After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-trifluoromethyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compound A270, 1.42 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 8.72 (1H, dd, $J = 4.9, 1.5$ Hz), 8.68 (1H, d, $J = 1.2$ Hz), 7.85-7.81 (1H, m), 7.41-7.35 (2H, m), 7.28-7.25 (1H, m), 6.64 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 5.60 (2H, s), 4.33 (2H, q, $J = 7.1$ Hz), 1.32 (3H, t, $J = 7.1$ Hz);

ESI-MS $m/z = 444$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(4) Ethyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-trifluoromethyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (1.42 g, 3.2 mmol) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (13 ml) and methanol (3 mL), and 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (3.2 mL, 6.4 mmol) was added to the solution, and then the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 3 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was neutralized by the addition of 2 M hydrochloric acid (3.2 mL, 6.4 mmol) and was concentrated. The residue was purified by a conventional method to obtain 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-trifluoromethyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A19, 683 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 14.13 (1H, s), 8.70-8.66 (2H, m), 7.92 (1H, dt, $J = 7.8, 2.0$ Hz), 7.53-7.47 (2H, m), 7.39 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.80 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.60 (2H, s);
HPLC retention time = 9.32 min;

Pred. Mass = 416.0175 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$, $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{10}\text{Cl}_2\text{F}_3\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$);

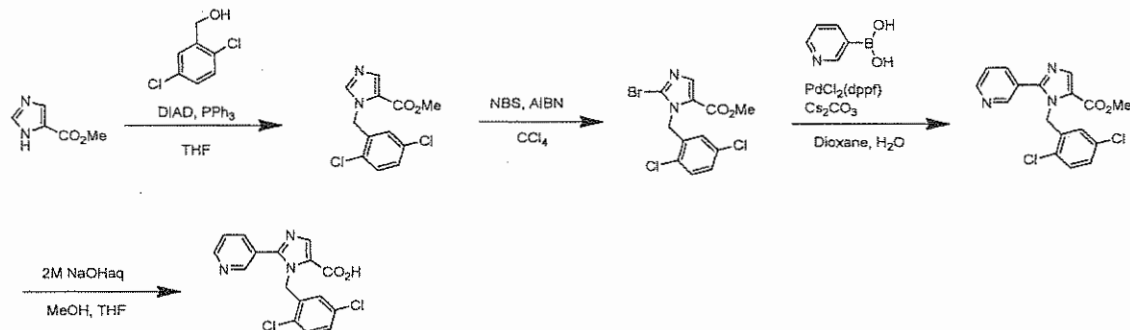
Obs. Mass = 416.0175 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

[Example 7]

Production of 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid

(Compound A45) (Scheme C)

[Chemical Formula 55]



(1) Methyl 1H-imidazole-4-carboxylate (1 g, 7.93 mmol), (2,5-dichlorophenyl)methanol (1.68 g, 9.52 mmol), and triphenylphosphine (3.12 g, 11.89 mmol) were dissolved in THF (15 mL), and a toluene solution of DIAD (2.4 g, 11.89 mmol) was dropwise added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 2 hours. After the reaction, water (50 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (50 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain methyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (4 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 7.83 (1H, s), 7.67 (1H, s), 7.36 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.24 (1H, dd, $J = 8.3, 2.4$ Hz), 6.78 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.61 (2H, s), 3.83 (3H, s);

ESI-MS $m/z = 285$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(2) Methyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (2.4 g), 2,2'-azobis(isobutyronitrile) (AIBN) (69 mg, 0.421 mmol) was dissolved in carbon tetrachloride (20 mL), and N-bromosuccinimide (3 g, 16.83 mmol) was added thereto, and then mixture was stirred at 50°C for 20 hours. After the reaction, water (50 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with dichloromethane (50 mL). After

being washed with aqueous sodium thiosulfate and saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain methyl 2-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (890 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 7.83 (1H, s), 7.36 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.21 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.34 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.66 (2H, s), 3.82 (3H, s);

ESI-MS $m/z = 363$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(3) Under a nitrogen atmosphere, methyl 2-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (100 mg, 0.275 mmol), pyridin-3-ylboronic acid (67.5 mg, 0.55 mmol), $\text{PdCl}_2(\text{dppf})$ (40.2 mg, 0.055 mmol), and cesium carbonate (179 mg, 0.55 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of 1,4-dioxane (1 mL) and water (0.2 mL), and the solution was stirred at 100°C for 20 hours. After the reaction, water (5 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (5 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain methyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compound A271, 15 mg):

ESI-MS $m/z = 362$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(4) Methyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (15 mg) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (1 mL) and methanol (0.5 mL), and 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 3 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was neutralized by the addition of 2 M hydrochloric acid (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) and was

concentrated. The residue was purified by HPLC to obtain 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A45, 9.43 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 8.71 (2H, s), 7.98 (1H, s), 7.94 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.57-7.49 (2H, m), 7.39 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.54 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.65 (2H, s);

HPLC retention time = 7.25 min;

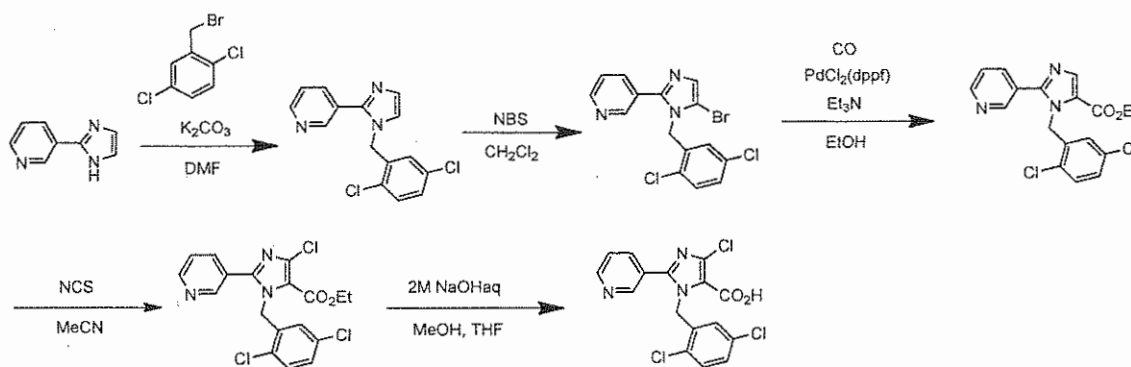
Pred. Mass = 348.0301 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$, $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{11}\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$);

Obs. Mass = 348.0296 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

[Example 8]

Production of
4-chloro-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
(Compound A88) (Scheme D)

[Chemical Formula 56]



(1) In DMF (70 mL) was dissolved 3-(1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine (10 g, 68.9 mmol) which is publicly known through publication, potassium carbonate (19 g, 138 mmol) and 2,5-dichlorobenzyl bromide (19.83 g, 83 mmol) were added thereto, and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 7 hours. After the reaction, water was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (100 mL). After being

washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain 3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine (12.49 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 8.71 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.58 (1H, dd, $J = 4.9, 1.5$ Hz), 7.92 (1H, dt, $J = 8.1, 2.0$ Hz), 7.52-7.36 (4H, m), 7.15 (1H, d, $J = 1.5$ Hz), 6.81 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.41 (2H, s);

ESI-MS $m/z = 304$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(2) In dichloromethane (65 mL) was dissolved 3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine (6.4 g, 21.1 mmol), N-bromosuccinimide (3.76 g, 21.1 mmol) was added thereto, and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 16 hours. After the reaction, water was added and the mixture was extracted twice with dichloromethane (100 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain 3-(5-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine (3.5 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 8.67-8.63 (2H, m), 7.80 (1H, dt, $J = 7.8, 2.0$ Hz), 7.40-7.33 (3H, m), 7.30-7.26 (1H, m), 6.64 (1H, s), 5.28 (2H, s);

ESI-MS $m/z = 382$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(3) Under a nitrogen atmosphere, 3-(5-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine (1.74 g, 4.54 mmol), PdCl_2 (dppf) (500 mg, 0.68 mmol), and triethylamine (5.4 mL, 39.1 mmol) were dissolved in ethanol (10 mL) and, after replacing the atmosphere with CO gas, the

solution was stirred at 70°C for 16 hours. After the reaction, the solvent was distilled away, water (20 mL) was added to the residue, and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (30 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, and the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compound A272, 1.2 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 8.72-8.67 (2H, m), 8.03 (1H, s), 7.82 (1H, td, $J = 5.0, 2.8$ Hz), 7.39-7.34 (2H, m), 7.24 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.59 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.61 (2H, s), 4.28 (2H, q, $J = 7.2$ Hz), 1.31 (3H, t, $J = 7.1$ Hz);

ESI-MS $m/z = 376$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(4) Ethyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (100 mg, 0.266 mmol) was dissolved in acetonitrile (0.5 mL), and N-chlorosuccinimide (71 mg, 0.532 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 60°C for 2 hours. After the reaction, water (5 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (5 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 4-chloro-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate

(Compound A273, 100 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 8.72-8.67 (2H, m), 7.83 (1H, dt, $J = 8.1, 2.0$ Hz), 7.40-7.35 (2H, m), 7.26 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.70 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 5.58 (2H, s), 4.30 (2H, q, $J = 7.2$ Hz), 1.30 (3H, t, $J = 7.3$ Hz);

ESI-MS $m/z = 410$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(5) Ethyl 4-chloro-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (100 mg) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (1 mL) and methanol (0.5 mL), and 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 3 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was neutralized by the addition of 2 M hydrochloric acid (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) and was concentrated. The residue was purified by HPLC to obtain 4-chloro-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A88, 71 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO- d_6) δ : 13.57 (1H, s), 8.69-8.64 (2H, m), 7.88 (1H, dt, $J = 8.1, 2.0$ Hz), 7.53-7.48 (2H, m), 7.39 (1H, dd, $J = 8.5, 2.7$ Hz), 6.79 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.57 (2H, s);
HPLC retention time = 8.74 min;

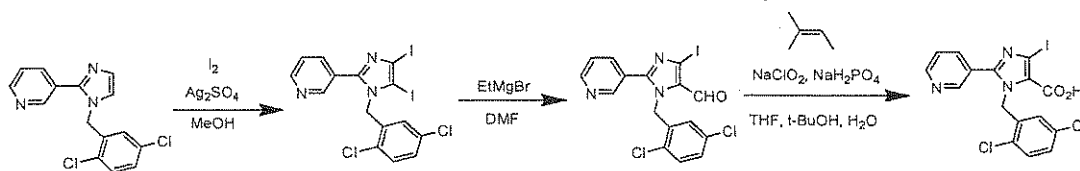
Pred. Mass = 381.9911 ($M^+ + H$, $C_{16}H_{10}Cl_3N_3O_2$);

Obs. Mass = 381.9908 ($M^+ + H$).

[Example 9]

Production of
1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-iodo-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
(Compound A90) (Scheme F)

[Chemical Formula 57]



(1) In methanol (250 mL) was dissolved 3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine (16.1 g, 52.9 mmol) obtained in Example 8, iodine (26.9 g, 106 mmol) and silver nitrate (16.5 g, 52.9 mmol) were added

thereto, and the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 1 hour. After allowing the reaction mixture to cool, iodine (13.4 g, 52.9 mmol) and silver nitrate (8.2 g, 26.4 mmol) were added, and the mixture was further stirred at 50°C for 1 hour. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was filtered by using methanol and the filtrate was concentrated. To the residue were added aqueous sodium thiosulfate and aqueous sodium hydrogen carbonate, and the mixture was extracted twice with dichloromethane (100 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain 3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4,5-diiodo-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine (5.1 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 8.67-8.62 (2H, m), 7.81 (1H, dt, $J = 8.0, 2.0$ Hz), 7.40-7.27 (3H, m), 6.66 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.32 (2H, s);

ESI-MS $m/z = 556$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(2) Under a nitrogen atmosphere, 3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4,5-diiodo-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine (3.87 g, 6.96 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (130 mL) and, at 0°C, a 1 M solution (13.9 mL, 13.9 mmol) of EtMgBr in THF was added dropwise thereto over a period of 10 minutes. After being stirred as is for further 10 minutes, the mixture was further stirred at room temperature for 1 hour. Water was added to the reaction mixture and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate. After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-iodo-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carbaldehyde (2.5 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 9.69 (1H, s), 8.74-8.68 (2H, m), 7.84 (1H, dt, $J = 8.1, 1.7$ Hz), 7.42-7.36 (2H, m), 7.27-7.25 (1H, m), 6.63 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 5.61 (2H, s);

ESI-MS $m/z = 458$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(3) 1-(2,5-Dichlorobenzyl)-4-iodo-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carbaldehyde (50 mg, 0.109 mmol) and 2-methyl-2-butene (23 mg, 0.33 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (0.5 mL) and t-butanol (0.5 mL), and an aqueous solution (0.25 mL) of sodium chlorite (30 mg, 0.332 mmol) and sodium dihydrogen phosphate (51 mg, 0.327 mmol) was added dropwise thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 16 hours. After the reaction, saturated aqueous sodium chloride was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (1mL). The organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by HPLC to obtain 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-iodo-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A90, 14.2 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 8.69-8.64 (2H, m), 7.90 (1H, dt, $J = 7.8, 2.0$ Hz), 7.54-7.48 (2H, m), 7.39 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.69 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.57 (2H, s);

HPLC retention time = 8.71 min;

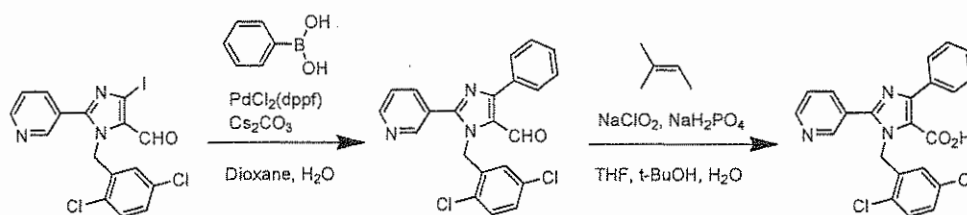
Pred. Mass = 473.9268 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$, $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{10}\text{Cl}_2\text{IN}_3\text{O}_2$);

Obs. Mass = 473.9277 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

[Example 10]

Production of
1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-phenyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
(Compound A91) (Scheme F)

[Chemical Formula 58]



(1) Under a nitrogen atmosphere, 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-iodo-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carbaldehyde (69 mg, 0.151 mmol), phenylboronic acid (22 mg, 0.180 mmol), PdCl₂ (dppf) (11 mg, 0.015 mmol), and cesium carbonate (100 mg, 0.31 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of 1,4-dioxane (2 mL) and water (0.5 mL), and the solution was stirred at 100°C for 1 hour. After the reaction, water (5 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (5 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-phenyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carbaldehyde (48.3 mg):

ESI-MS $m/z = 408 (M^+ + H)$.

(2) 1-(2,5-Dichlorobenzyl)-4-phenyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carbaldehyde (48.3 mg, 0.118 mmol) and 2-methyl-2-butene (25 mg, 0.36 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (0.5 mL) and t-butanol (0.5 mL), and an aqueous solution (0.25 mL) of sodium chlorite (32 mg, 0.354 mmol) and sodium dihydrogen phosphate (55 mg, 0.352 mmol) was added dropwise thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 16 hours. After the reaction, saturated aqueous sodium chloride was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (1mL). The organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by HPLC to obtain

1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-phenyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
(Compound A91, 20 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 8.73 (1H, s), 8.68 (1H, d, $J = 3.9$ Hz), 7.95 (1H, d, $J = 8.0$ Hz), 7.78-7.74 (2H, m), 7.54-7.50 (2H, m), 7.45-7.35 (4H, m), 6.73 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 5.61 (2H, s);

HPLC retention time = 9.08 min;

Pred. Mass = 424.0614 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$, $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{15}\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$);

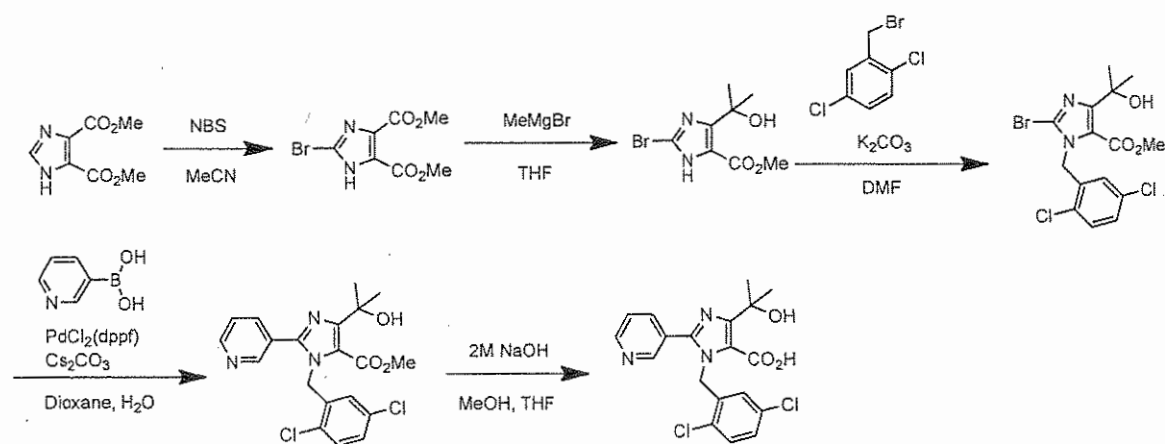
Obs. Mass = 424.0602 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

[Example 11]

Production of

1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A108) (Scheme A)

[Chemical Formula 59]



(1) Dimethyl 1H-imidazole-4,5-dicarboxylate (9.6 g, 52 mmol) was dissolved in acetonitrile (200 mL), and N-bromosuccinimide (13.92 g, 78 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 4 hours. After the reaction, water was

added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate. After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium thiosulfate and saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. The organic layer was concentrated to obtain dimethyl 2-bromo-1H-imidazole-4,5-dicarboxylate (8.3 g). This material was used as is in the next reaction without further purification:

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 10.56 (1H, s), 3.96 (6H, s);

ESI-MS m/z = 263 (M^+ + H).

(2) Under a nitrogen atmosphere, dimethyl 2-bromo-1H-imidazole-4,5-carboxylate (2 g, 7.6 mmol) was dissolved in THF (38 mL) and, at -10°C , a 1 M solution (30 mL) of EtMgBr in THF was added dropwise thereto over a period of 10 minutes. After allowing the mixture to react for further 30 minutes, the reaction was quenched by the addition of aqueous ammonium chloride. Water was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate. After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain methyl 2-bromo-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-dicarboxylate (830 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 9.78 (1H, s), 3.93 (3H, s), 1.68 (3H, s), 1.61 (3H, s);

ESI-MS m/z = 263 (M^+ + H).

(3) Methyl 2-bromo-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-1H-imidazole-4,5-dicarboxylate (830 mg, 3.15 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (3 mL), and potassium carbonate (872 mg, 6.31 mmol) and 2,5-dichlorobenzyl bromide (908 mg, 3.79 mmol) were added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 90°C for 1 hour. After the reaction, water was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate. After being washed with

saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain methyl 2-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (673 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 7.37 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.24 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 6.46 (1H, s), 5.55 (2H, s), 3.77 (3H, s), 1.65 (6H, s);

ESI-MS $m/z = 421$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(4) Methyl 2-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (100 mg, 0.237 mmol), pyridin-3-ylboronic acid (58.2 mg, 0.474 mmol), cesium carbonate (154 mg, 0.474 mmol), and PdCl_2 (dppf) (34.7 mg, 0.047 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of dioxane (1 mL) and water (0.2 mL). Under a nitrogen atmosphere, the solution was heated and stirred at 100°C for 3 hours. After cooling, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure and ethyl acetate was added to the residue. The organic layer was washed with water and saturated aqueous sodium chloride, dried over anhydrous magnesium sulfate, and subsequently concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain methyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compound A274, 71 mg):

ESI-MS $m/z = 420$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(5) Methyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-

carboxylate (71 mg, 0.169 mmol) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (1 mL) and methanol (0.5 mL), and 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 2 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was neutralized by the addition of 2 M hydrochloric acid (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) and was concentrated. The residue was purified by HPLC to obtain 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A108, 61 mg):

¹H-NMR (DMSO-d₆) δ: 8.71-8.65 (2H, m), 7.91 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.56-7.48 (2H, m), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 2.2 Hz), 6.56 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 5.59 (2H, s), 1.62 (6H, s);

HPLC retention time = 8.16 min;

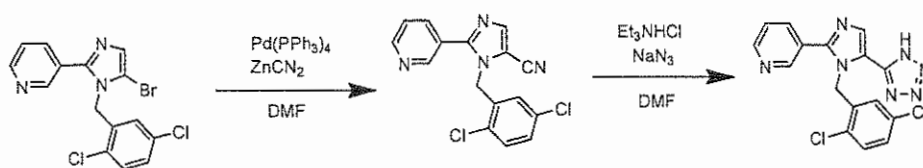
Pred. Mass = 406.0720 (M⁺ + H, C₁₉H₁₇Cl₂N₃O₃);

Obs. Mass = 406.0725 (M⁺ + H).

[Example 12]

Production of 3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-5-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine (Compound A110) (Scheme G)

[Chemical Formula 60]



(1) Under a nitrogen atmosphere, 3-(5-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine (300 mg, 0.784 mmol) obtained in Example 8, ZnCN₂ (138 mg, 1.174 mmol), tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium (272 mg, 0.117 mmol) were dissolved in DMF (3 mL), and the mixture was stirred at 100°C for 16 hours. After the reaction, water was

added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (10 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carbonitrile (83 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 8.74-8.71 (2H, m), 7.92 (1H, s), 7.86 (1H, dt, $J = 8.3, 2.0$ Hz), 7.43-7.38 (2H, m), 7.31 (1H, dd, $J = 8.3, 2.4$ Hz), 6.67 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.41 (2H, s); ESI-MS $m/z = 329$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(2) In DMF (1 mL) was dissolved 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carbonitrile (83 mg, 0.252 mmol), and triethylamine hydrochloride (34.7 mg, 0.252 mmol) and sodium azide (82 mg, 1.26 mmol) were added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 140°C for 3 hours. After filtering the reaction solution, the filtrate was purified by HPLC to obtain 3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-5-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine (Compound A110, 80 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 8.75 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.69-8.65 (1H, m), 8.00-7.96 (2H, m), 7.56-7.48 (2H, m), 7.35 (1H, dd, $J = 8.3, 2.4$ Hz), 6.51 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.83 (2H, s); HPLC retention time = 7.97 min;

Pred. Mass = 372.0526 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$, $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{11}\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_7$);

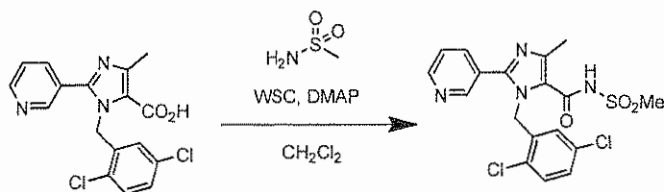
Obs. Mass = 372.0527 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

[Example 13]

Production of

1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-N-(methylsulfonyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxamide (Compound A111) (Scheme A)

[Chemical Formula 61]



(1) In dichloromethane (1 mL) were dissolved 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (30 mg, 0.083 mmol), methanesulfonamide (15.76 mg, 0.166 mmol) and DMAP (20.24 mg, 0.166 mmol), 1-ethyl-3-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)carbodiimide hydrochloride (WSC) (31.8 mg, 0.166 mmol) was added thereto, and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 16 hours. Purification by HPLC was performed to obtain 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-N-(methylsulfonyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxamide (Compound A111, 18 mg):

¹H-NMR (DMSO-d₆) δ: 8.74 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.69 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 2.0 Hz), 7.99 (1H, dt, J = 8.0, 1.8 Hz), 7.58-7.53 (1H, m), 7.46 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.38 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 2.7 Hz), 6.78 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.50 (2H, s), 3.13 (3H, s), 2.45 (3H, s);

HPLC retention time = 7.76 min;

Pred. Mass = 439.0393 (M⁺ + H, C₁₈H₁₆Cl₂N₄O₃S);

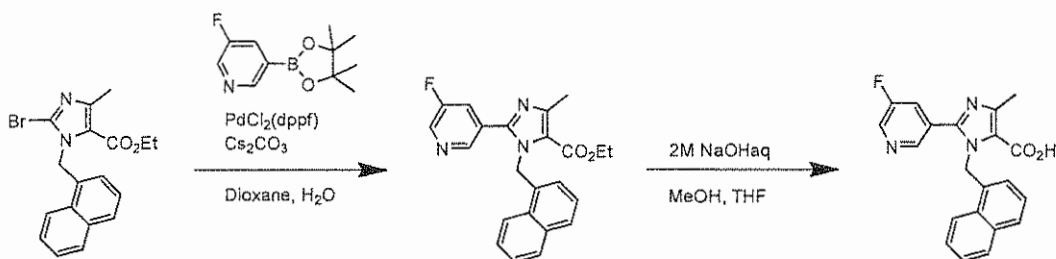
Obs. Mass = 439.0397 (M⁺ + H).

[Example 14]

Production of

2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A119) (Scheme A)

[Chemical Formula 62]



(1) Ethyl 2-bromo-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (1.26 g, 3.39 mmol) described in Example 1 (2), 3-fluoro-5-(4,4,5,5-tetramethyl-1,3,2-dioxaborolan-2-yl)pyridine (800 mg, 3.59 mmol), PdCl₂ (dppf) (496 mg, 0.678 mmol), and cesium carbonate (2.2 g, 6.78 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of 1,4-dioxane (9 mL) and water (2 mL), and the solution was stirred at 100°C for 3 hours under a nitrogen atmosphere. After the reaction, water (50 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (50 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compound A275, 1.2 g):

¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) δ: 8.53 (1H, s), 8.44 (1H, d, J = 2.9 Hz), 7.94-7.85 (2H, m), 7.80 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.63-7.53 (3H, m), 7.38 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.70 (1H, d, J = 6.8 Hz), 6.06 (2H, s), 4.14 (2H, q, J = 7.2 Hz), 2.67 (3H, s), 1.09 (3H, t, J = 7.2 Hz);

ESI-MS m/z = 390 (M⁺ + H).

(2) Ethyl 2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (1.2 g, 3.08 mmol) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (12 mL) and methanol (3 mL), 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (3 mL, 6 mmol) was added thereto, and the mixture was stirred at 40°C for 3 hours. After the reaction, the reaction

mixture was neutralized by the addition of 2 M hydrochloric acid (3 mL, 6 mmol) and was subsequently concentrated. The residue was purified by a conventional method to obtain 2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A119, 648 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO- d_6) δ : 12.95 (1H, s), 8.58 (1H, d, $J = 2.9$ Hz), 8.48 (1H, s), 8.06-7.95 (2H, m), 7.85-7.80 (2H, m), 7.61-7.57 (2H, m), 7.40 (1H, t, $J = 7.6$ Hz), 6.52 (1H, d, $J = 7.3$ Hz), 6.12 (2H, s), 2.53 (3H, s);

HPLC retention time = 8.53 min;

Pred. Mass = 362.1299 ($M^+ + H$, $C_{21}H_{16}FN_3O_2$);

Obs. Mass = 362.1300 ($M^+ + H$).

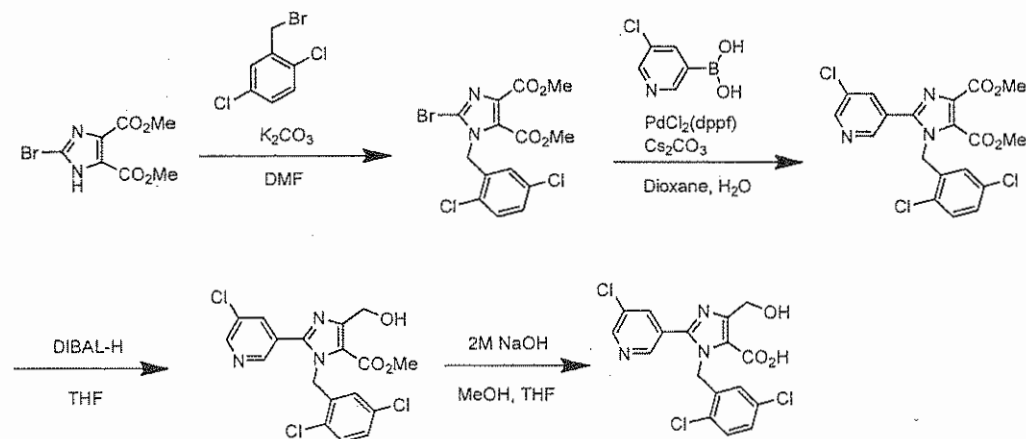
[Example 15]

Production

of

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(hydroxymethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A191) (Scheme E)

[Chemical Formula 63]



(1) Dimethyl 2-bromo-1H-imidazole-4,5-carboxylate (1.1 g, 4.18 mmol) obtained in Example 11 was dissolved in DMF (4 mL), and potassium carbonate (1.15 g, 8.36 mmol) and 2,5-dichlorobenzyl bromide (1.3 g, 5.44 mmol) were added thereto, and then

the mixture was stirred at 100°C for 2 hours. After the reaction, water was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate. After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain

2-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-4,5-dicarboxylate (1.54 g):

¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) δ: 7.36 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.24 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 3.0 Hz), 6.52 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.54 (2H, s), 3.96 (3H, s), 3.85 (3H, s);

ESI-MS m/z = 421 (M⁺ + H).

(2) Dimethyl 2-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-4,5-dicarboxylate (300 mg, 0.711 mmol), (5-chloropyridin-3-yl)boronic acid (244 mg, 1.422 mmol), cesium carbonate (463 mg, 1.422 mmol) and PdCl₂ (dppf) (104 mg, 0.142 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of dioxane (2 mL) and water (0.5 mL). The solution was heated and stirred at 100°C for 3 hours under a nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. To the residue was added ethyl acetate and the organic layer was washed with water and saturated aqueous sodium chloride. After being dried over anhydrous magnesium sulfate, the organic layer was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain dimethyl

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-4,5-dicarboxylate

(Compound A276, 168 mg):

¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) δ: 8.66 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.50 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.91 (1H, t, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.36 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.29-7.26 (1H, m), 6.72 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.51 (2H, s), 3.99 (3H, s), 3.86 (3H, s);

ESI-MS $m/z = 454 (M^+ + H)$.

(3)

Dimethyl

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-4,5-dicarboxylate (168 mg, 0.369 mmol) was dissolved in THF (3 mL), a 1 M solution of diisobutylaluminum hydride (DIBAL-H) (0.739 mL, 0.739 mmol) was added dropwise thereto over a period of 5 minutes at -40°C under a nitrogen atmosphere, and the mixture was stirred as is for 5 hours. After being allowed to warm to room temperature, the reaction was quenched with aqueous ammonium chloride, followed by the addition of water, and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate. After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain methyl

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(hydroxymethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compounds A277, 57 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 8.65 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.50 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 7.91 (1H, t, $J = 2.2$ Hz), 7.39 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.27 (1H, dd, $J = 8.3, 2.4$ Hz), 6.63 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.59 (2H, s), 4.99-4.96 (2H, m), 3.85 (3H, s), 3.21 (1H, t, $J = 5.6$ Hz);

ESI-MS $m/z = 426 (M^+ + H)$.

(4)

Methyl

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(hydroxymethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (57 mg, 0.134 mmol) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (1 mL) and methanol (0.5 mL), and 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 2 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was neutralized by the addition of 2 M hydrochloric acid (0.2 mL, 0.4

mmol) and was concentrated. The residue was purified by HPLC to obtain 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(hydroxymethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A191, 35 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 8.72 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.56 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.04 (1H, t, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, $J = 8.3, 2.4$ Hz), 6.60 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.64 (2H, s), 4.71 (2H, s);

HPLC retention time = 8.81 min;

Pred. Mass = 412.0017 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$, $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{12}\text{Cl}_3\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$);

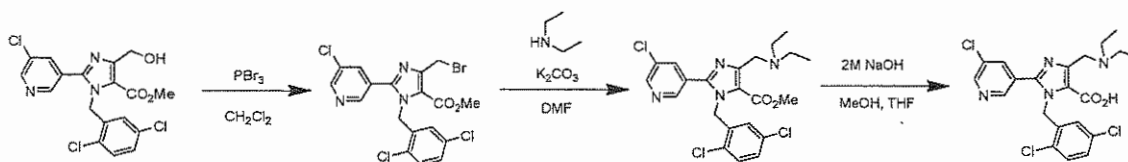
Obs. Mass = 412.0018 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

[Example 16]

Production of

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((diethylamino)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A193) (Scheme E)

[Chemical Formula 64]



(1) Methyl

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(hydroxymethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (500 mg, 1.17 mmol) was dissolved in dichloromethane (5 mL), and tribromophosphine (317 mg, 1.17 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 hours. After the reaction, water was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate. After being washed with saturated

aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. The organic layer was concentrated to obtain methyl 4-(bromomethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (500 mg). This material was used as is for the next reaction without further purification.

(2) Methyl 4-(bromomethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (90 mg, 0.184 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (1 mL), and potassium carbonate (50 mg, 0.368 mmol) and diethylamine (26.9 mg, 0.368 mmol) were added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 40°C for 3 hours. After the reaction, water was added, the reaction mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate, and the organic layer was dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. The organic layer was concentrated to obtain methyl 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((diethylamino)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compound A278, 100 mg). This material was used as is for the next reaction without further purification:

ESI-MS $m/z = 481$ ($M^+ + H$).

[214]

(3) Methyl 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((diethylamino)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (100 mg) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (1mL) and methanol (0.5 mL), and 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 2 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was neutralized by the addition of 2 M hydrochloric acid (0.2 mL, 0.4

mmol) and was concentrated. The residue was purified by HPLC to obtain 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((diethylamino)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A193, 55 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 9.58 (1H, s), 8.76 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.61 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.10 (1H, t, $J = 2.2$ Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, $J = 8.3, 2.4$ Hz), 6.69 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.70 (2H, s), 4.60 (2H, d, $J = 4.4$ Hz), 3.35-3.19 (4H, m), 1.27 (6H, t, $J = 7.3$ Hz);

HPLC retention time = 8.55 min;

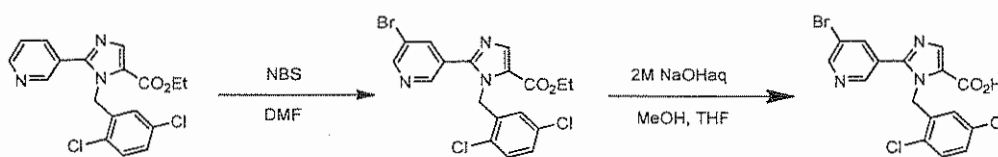
Pred. Mass = 467.0803 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$, $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{21}\text{Cl}_3\text{N}_4\text{O}_2$);

Obs. Mass = 467.0806 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

[Example 17]

Production of
2-(5-bromopyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid
(Compound A205) (Scheme C)

[Chemical Formula 65]



(1) Ethyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (50 mg, 0.133 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (1 mL), and N-bromosuccinimide (48 mg, 0.266 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 100°C for 2 hours. After the reaction, water (5 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (5 mL). After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the

residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 2-(5-bromopyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate

(Compound A279, 39 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 8.74 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.53 (1H, d, $J = 1.5$ Hz), 8.05-8.01 (2H, m), 7.38 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.25 (1H, dd, $J = 9.0, 2.2$ Hz), 6.59 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 5.63 (2H, s), 4.29 (2H, q, $J = 7.2$ Hz), 1.32 (3H, t, $J = 7.3$ Hz);

ESI-MS $m/z = 454$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(2) Ethyl 2-(5-bromopyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (39 mg) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (1 mL) and methanol (0.5 mL), and 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 3 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was neutralized by the addition of 2 M hydrochloric acid (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) and was concentrated. The residue was purified by HPLC to obtain 2-(5-bromopyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A205, 23 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 13.23 (1H, s), 8.79 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.61 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.15 (1H, t, $J = 2.2$ Hz), 7.93 (1H, s), 7.51 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.38 (1H, dd, $J = 8.3, 2.4$ Hz), 6.56 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.70 (2H, s);

HPLC retention time = 9.99 min;

Pred. Mass = 425.9406 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$, $\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{10}\text{BrCl}_2\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$);

Obs. Mass = 425.9404 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

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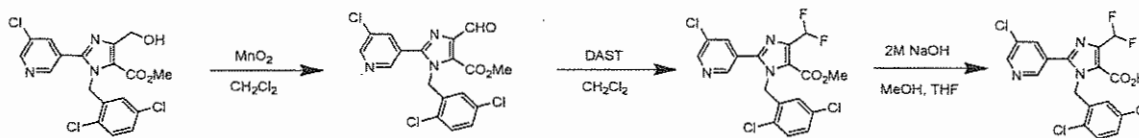
[Example 18]

Production

of

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(difluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A207) (Scheme E)

[Chemical Formula 66]



(1) Methyl

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(hydroxymethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (620 mg, 1.45 mmol) was dissolved in dichloromethane (10 mL), and manganese dioxide (1.426 g, 16.41 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 96 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was filtered through celite and the residue was washed with dichloromethane. After concentrating the solution, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain methyl

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-formyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (413 mg):

¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) δ: 10.51 (1H, s), 8.68 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.50 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.98 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.40 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.29 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.59 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.66 (2H, s), 3.97 (3H, s);

ESI-MS m/z = 424 (M⁺ + H).

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(2) Under a nitrogen atmosphere, methyl 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-formyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (100 mg, 0.235 mmol) was dissolved in dichloromethane (1 mL), and

diethylaminosulfur trifluoride (DAST) (49.3 mg, 0.306 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 6 hours. After the reaction, water was added, followed by the addition of an aqueous sodium hydrogen carbonate solution, and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate. After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain methyl 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(difluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compound A280, 86 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CDCl_3) δ : 8.67 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.49 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 7.95 (1H, t, $J = 2.2$ Hz), 7.39 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.28 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.2$ Hz), 7.21 (1H, t, $J = 54.1$ Hz), 6.60 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.63 (2H, s), 3.91 (3H, s);

ESI-MS $m/z = 446$ ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

(3) Methyl 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(difluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (86 mg) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (1 mL) and methanol (0.5 mL), and 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 7 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was neutralized with 2 M hydrochloric acid (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) and was concentrated. The residue was purified by HPLC to obtain 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(difluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A207, 42 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 14.16 (1H, s), 8.75 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.58 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.07 (1H, t, $J = 2.2$ Hz), 7.53-7.20 (3H, m), 6.75 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.66 (2H, s);

HPLC retention time = 11.04 min;

Pred. Mass = 431.9879 ($M^+ + H$, $C_{17}H_{10}Cl_3F_2N_3O_2$);

Obs. Mass = 431.9878 ($M^+ + H$).

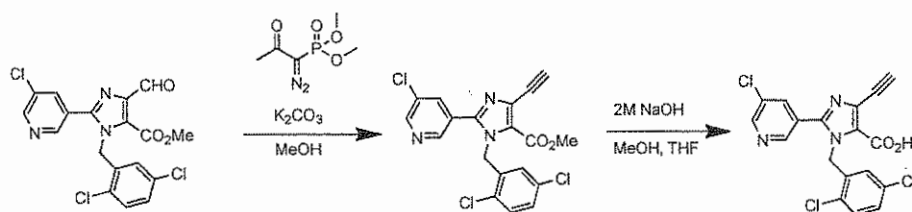
[Example 19]

Production

of

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethynyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A209) (Scheme E)

[Chemical Formula 67]



(1)

Methyl

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-formyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (70 mg, 0.165 mmol) was dissolved in methanol (2 mL), and potassium carbonate (45.6 mg, 0.33 mmol) and dimethyl (1-diazo-2-oxopropyl)phosphonate (44.3 mg, 0.231 mmol) were added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 16 hours. After the reaction, water was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate. After being washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain methyl 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethynyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compound A281, 51 mg):

ESI-MS m/z = 420 ($M^+ + H$).

(2)

Methyl

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethynyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (51 mg) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (1 mL) and methanol (0.5 mL), and 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) was added thereto, and then mixture was stirred at 50°C for 3 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was neutralized by the addition of 2 M hydrochloric acid (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) and was concentrated. The residue was purified by HPLC to obtain 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethynyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A209, 35 mg):

¹H-NMR (DMSO-d₆) δ: 13.59 (1H, s), 8.73 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.57 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.06 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.48 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.38 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 6.73 (1H, s), 5.62 (2H, s), 4.44 (1H, s);

HPLC retention time = 10.67 min;

Pred. Mass = 405.9911 (M⁺ + H, C₁₈H₁₀Cl₃N₃O₂);

Obs. Mass = 405.9922 (M⁺ + H).

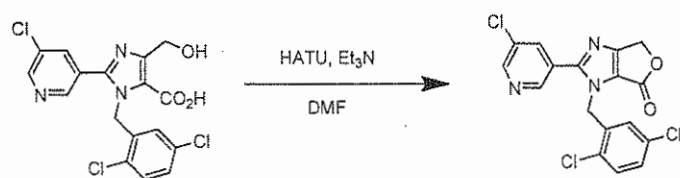
[Example 20]

Production of

2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-furo[3,4-d]imidazol-6(4H)-one

(Compound A221) (Scheme E)

[Chemical Formula 68]



(1)

2-(5-Chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(hydroxymethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-ca

carboxylic acid (100 mg, 0.242 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (1 mL), and HATU (138 mg, 0.364 mmol) and triethylamine (49 mg, 0.485 mmol) were added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 1 hour. The reaction mixture was purified by HPLC to obtain 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-furo[3,4-d]imidazole-6(4H)-one (Compound A221, 38 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$) δ : 8.79 (1H, d, $J = 2.2$ Hz), 8.75 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.23 (1H, t, $J = 2.2$ Hz), 7.47-7.37 (2H, m), 7.30 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 5.51 (2H, s), 5.34 (2H, s);

HPLC retention time = 11.16 min;

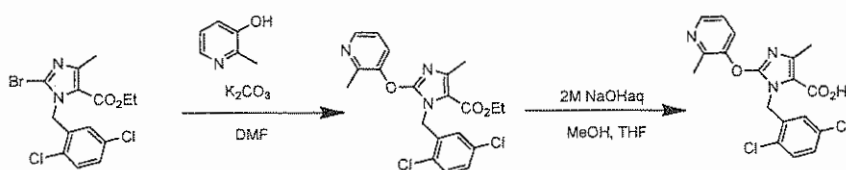
Pred. Mass = 393.9911 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$, $\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{10}\text{Cl}_3\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$);

Obs. Mass = 393.9911 ($\text{M}^+ + \text{H}$).

[Example 21]

Production of 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-((2-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A252) (Scheme H)

[Chemical Formula 69]



(1) Ethyl 2-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (60 mg, 0.153 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (1 mL), and potassium carbonate (43 mg, 0.306 mmol) and 2-methylpyridin-3-ol (25 mg, 0.23 mmol) were added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 120°C for 12 hours. After the reaction, water (5 mL) was added and the mixture was extracted twice with ethyl acetate (5 mL). After being

washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride, the organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate. After concentrating the organic layer, the residue was purified by column chromatography to obtain ethyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-((2-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (Compound A282, 44 mg):

ESI-MS $m/z = 420 (M^+ + H)$.

(2) Ethyl 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-((2-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate (44 mg, 0.105 mmol) was dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (1 mL) and methanol (0.5 mL), and 2 M aqueous sodium hydroxide (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was stirred at 50°C for 7 hours. After the reaction, the reaction mixture was neutralized by the addition of 2 M hydrochloric acid (0.2 mL, 0.4 mmol) and was concentrated. The residue was purified by HPLC to obtain 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-((2-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid (Compound A252, 30 mg):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ (DMSO-d_6) δ : 8.43 (1H, dd, $J = 4.9, 1.0$ Hz), 7.95 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.58-7.40 (3H, m), 6.77 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.55 (2H, s), 2.33 (3H, s), 2.28 (3H, s);

HPLC retention time = 8.20 min;

Pred. Mass = 392.0563 ($M^+ + H$, $\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{15}\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$);

Obs. Mass = 392.0570 ($M^+ + H$).

Compounds having compound numbers A1 to A266 were synthesized in a manner similar to any of Example 1 to Example 21.

[Table 13]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>22</u>	<u>A1</u>	A	7.18	322.1552	322.1550	C ₁₉ H ₁₉ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 12.83 (1H, s), 8.63 (1H, dd, J = 2.2, 0.7 Hz), 8.60 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 7.85 (1H, dt, J = 7.8, 2.0 Hz), 7.44 (1H, dd, J = 7.3, 4.9 Hz), 7.05 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.93 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.16 (1H, s), 5.50 (2H, s), 2.49 (3H, s), 2.13 (3H, s), 2.12 (3H, s).
<u>23</u>	<u>A3</u>	A	9.55	372.1704	372.1707	C ₂₃ H ₂₁ N ₃ O ₂	(CDCl ₃) δ: 8.78 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.58 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 7.93-7.85 (2H, m), 7.82-7.77 (2H, m), 7.57-7.53 (2H, m), 7.38 (1H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), 7.24-7.20 (1H, m), 6.73 (1H, d, J = 6.3 Hz), 6.03 (2H, s), 4.13 (2H, q, J = 7.2 Hz), 2.67 (3H, s), 1.07 (3H, t, J = 7.1 Hz).
<u>24</u>	<u>A4</u>	A	7.02	358.1548	358.1550	C ₂₂ H ₁₉ N ₃ O ₂	
<u>25</u>	<u>A5</u>	A	7.78	364.1119	364.1114	C ₂₀ H ₁₇ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.77 (1H, dd, J = 2.0, 1.5 Hz), 8.62 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.01 (1H, dt, J = 8.0, 2.0 Hz), 7.73 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.48 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 4.0 Hz), 7.20 (1H, t, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.10 (1H, d, J = 6.8 Hz), 6.70 (1H, s), 6.00 (2H, s), 2.64 (3H, s), 2.49 (3H, s).
<u>26</u>	<u>A6</u>	A	8.23	418.0828	418.0832	C ₂₀ H ₁₄ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.73 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.64 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.40 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.98 (1H, dt, J = 8.3, 2.0 Hz), 7.88 (1H, d, J = 7.5 Hz), 7.58 (1H, t, J = 7.5 Hz), 7.50 (1H, dd, J = 8.0, 4.9 Hz), 7.17 (1H, s), 5.75 (2H, s), 2.56 (3H, s).
<u>27</u>	<u>A8</u>	B	7.88	428.0062	428.0063	C ₁₉ H ₁₄ BrN ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.75 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.65 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.04 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.99 (1H, dt, J = 7.8, 1.5 Hz), 7.65 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.51 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 4.9 Hz), 7.29 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.98 (1H, s), 6.11 (2H, s), 2.54 (3H, s).

[Table 14]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
28	A10	B	7.76	358.1541	358.1550	C ₂₂ H ₁₉ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.68 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.59 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.04-7.91 (3H, m), 7.84 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.60-7.56 (2H, m), 7.45-7.40 (2H, m), 6.56 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.08 (2H, s), 2.98 (2H, q, J = 7.5 Hz) 1.28 (3H, t, J = 7.6 Hz).
29	A12	C	7.28	330.1234	330.1237	C ₂₀ H ₁₅ N ₃ O ₂	
30	A14	B	7.79	376.0618	376.0614	C ₁₈ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 12.99 (1H, brs), 8.63 (2H, d, J = 3.4 Hz), 7.85 (1H, dt, J = 8.0, 2.0 Hz), 7.51-7.45 (2H, m), 7.38 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 2.2 Hz), 6.49 (1H, s), 5.57 (2H, s), 2.92 (2H, dd, J = 14.9, 7.4 Hz), 1.23 (3H, t, J = 7.6 Hz)
31	A15	B	8.50	388.0607	388.0614	C ₁₉ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.63 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.58 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.80 (1H, dt, J = 8.1, 2.0 Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.46 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 4.9 Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.55 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.53 (2H, s), 2.74-2.68 (1H, m), 0.99-0.93 (4H, m).
32	A16	A	7.26	350.0952	350.0958	C ₁₉ H ₁₅ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.76 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.66 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.01 (1H, dt, J = 8.0, 2.0 Hz), 7.99-7.96 (1H, m), 7.72-7.69 (1H, m), 7.51 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 4.9 Hz), 7.42-7.38 (2H, m), 7.04 (1H, s), 5.82 (2H, s), 2.53 (3H, s).
33	A17	A	7.93	358.1539	358.1550	C ₂₂ H ₁₉ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.70 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.62 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.0 Hz), 8.07 (1H, dd, J = 7.3, 2.0 Hz), 8.02 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 1.5 Hz), 7.95 (1H, dt, J = 8.0, 1.7 Hz), 7.64-7.58 (2H, m), 7.46 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 4.9 Hz), 7.26 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.50 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 6.06 (2H, s), 2.61 (3H, s), 2.57 (3H, s).

[Table 15]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>34</u>	<u>A18</u>	B	8.79	384.1700	384.1707	C ₂₄ H ₂₁ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.64 (1H, s), 8.58 (1H, d, J = 4.9 Hz), 8.06 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 8.02 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.89 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.64-7.57 (2H, m), 7.43 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 4.9 Hz), 7.27 (1H, d, J = 6.8 Hz), 6.45 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.02 (2H, s), 2.78-2.71 (1H, m), 2.60 (3H, s), 1.03-0.96 (4H, m).
<u>35</u>	<u>A20</u>	A	9.24	398.1104	398.1111	C ₂₁ H ₁₄ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂	
<u>36</u>	<u>A21</u>	A	8.91	412.1274	412.1267	C ₂₂ H ₁₆ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂	
<u>37</u>	<u>A22</u>	A	9.06	404.0679	404.0675	C ₁₉ H ₁₂ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂ S	
<u>38</u>	<u>A23</u>	D	9.11	378.1018	378.1004	C ₂₁ H ₁₆ ClN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.67 (1H, s), 8.60 (1H, d, J = 4.9 Hz), 8.12-7.97 (2H, m), 7.91 (1H, dt, J = 7.8, 1.5 Hz), 7.65-7.58 (2H, m), 7.43 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 4.9 Hz), 7.27 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.52 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.06 (2H, s), 2.61 (3H, s).
<u>39</u>	<u>A24</u>	B	8.19	372.1704	372.1707	C ₂₃ H ₂₁ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.67 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.59 (1H, d, J = 4.4 Hz), 8.05-7.92 (3H, m), 7.84 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.60-7.40 (4H, m), 6.56 (1H, d, J = 6.8 Hz), 6.07 (2H, s), 3.78-3.71 (1H, m), 1.31 (6H, d, J = 6.8 Hz).
<u>40</u>	<u>A25</u>	B	8.64	386.1860	386.1863	C ₂₄ H ₂₃ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.68 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.60 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.08-8.00 (2H, m), 7.94 (1H, dt, J = 7.5, 2.0 Hz), 7.65-7.56 (2H, m), 7.46 (1H, dd, J = 8.0, 5.1 Hz), 7.27 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.44 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.04 (2H, s), 3.78-3.71 (1H, m), 2.61 (3H, s), 1.31 (6H, d, J = 7Hz).

[Table 16]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>41</u>	<u>A26</u>	B	8.34	390.0770	390.0771	C ₁₉ H ₁₇ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.66-8.61 (2H, m), 7.85 (1H, dt, J = 8.1, 2.0 Hz), 7.52-7.46 (2H, m), 7.38 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 2.7 Hz), 6.45 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.56 (2H, s), 3.72-3.65 (1H, m), 1.26 (6H, d, J = 7Hz).
<u>42</u>	<u>A27</u>	A	9.64	438.0288	438.0285	C ₁₉ H ₁₁ ClF ₃ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.75 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.66 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.01-7.98 (2H, m), 7.51-7.46 (2H, m), 7.38 (1H, t, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.08 (1H, s), 6.08 (2H, s).
<u>43</u>	<u>A28</u>	B	8.85	476.0213	476.0216	C ₂₁ H ₁₃ BrF ₃ N ₃ O ₂	
<u>44</u>	<u>A29</u>	A	8.77	412.1273	412.1267	C ₂₂ H ₁₆ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂	
<u>45</u>	<u>A30</u>	A	9.76	412.1265	412.1267	C ₂₂ H ₁₆ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂	
<u>46</u>	<u>A31</u>	B	9.78	481.9778	481.9780	C ₁₉ H ₁₁ BrF ₃ N ₃ O ₂ S	
<u>47</u>	<u>A32</u>	B	10.17	472.0548	472.0549	C ₂₀ H ₁₁ F ₆ N ₃ O ₂ S	
<u>48</u>	<u>A33</u>	B	8.72	410.0728	410.0725	C ₂₁ H ₁₆ ClN ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.72 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.64 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.00-7.98 (2H, m), 7.54-7.50 (1H, m), 7.46 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 1.0 Hz), 7.37 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.90 (1H, s), 6.04 (2H, s), 2.77-2.70 (1H, m), 1.04-0.95 (4H, m).

[Table 17]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>49</u>	<u>A34</u>	B	8.87	454.0212	454.0219	C ₂₁ H ₁₆ BrN ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.79 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.71 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.11 (1H, dt, J = 8.1, 1.8 Hz), 8.04 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.66-7.60 (2H, m), 7.29 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.00 (1H, s), 6.10 (2H, s), 2.78-2.71 (1H, m), 1.08-0.98 (4H, m).
<u>50</u>	<u>A35</u>	B	9.25	444.0978	444.0988	C ₂₂ H ₁₆ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.62 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.56 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.38 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.88-7.84 (2H, m), 7.57 (1H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), 7.40 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 4.9 Hz), 7.02 (1H, s), 5.74 (2H, brs), 2.80-2.73 (1H, m), 0.99-0.96 (4H, m).
<u>51</u>	<u>A36</u>	B	8.14	376.1101	376.1114	C ₂₁ H ₁₇ N ₃ O ₂ S	
<u>52</u>	<u>A37</u>	B	8.53	412.0878	412.0881	C ₂₁ H ₁₈ ClN ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.77 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.67 (1H, dd, J = 5.1, 1.7 Hz), 8.04-7.98 (2H, m), 7.54 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 4.9 Hz), 7.46 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.37 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.90 (1H, s), 6.06 (2H, s), 3.78-3.71 (1H, m), 1.30 (6H, d, J = 7.3 Hz).
<u>53</u>	<u>A38</u>	B	8.66	456.0360	456.0376	C ₂₁ H ₁₈ BrN ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.76 (1H, d, J = 2.3 Hz), 8.67 (1H, dd, J = 2.4, 1.2 Hz), 8.06-8.01 (2H, m), 7.65 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.55 (1H, dd, J = 8.0, 5.1 Hz), 7.30 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.94 (1H, s), 6.11 (2H, s), 3.79-3.72 (1H, m), 1.31 (6H, d, J = 6.8 Hz).
<u>54</u>	<u>A39</u>	B	9.01	446.1155	446.1145	C ₂₂ H ₁₈ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.70 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.62 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.39 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.96 (1H, dt, J = 7.8, 2.0 Hz), 7.88 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 7.58 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.48 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 4.9 Hz), 7.05 (1H, s), 5.74 (2H, brs), 3.80-3.69 (1H, m), 1.31 (6H, d, J = 6.8 Hz).

[Table 18]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>55</u>	<u>A40</u>	B	8.02	378.1273	378.1271	C ₂₁ H ₁₉ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.76 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.66 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.04-7.96 (2H, m), 7.68 (1H, t, J = 5.0 Hz), 7.51 (1H, dd, J = 13.4, 1.5 Hz), 7.41-7.37 (2H, m), 6.98 (1H, s), 5.80 (2H, s), 3.75-3.68 (1H, m), 1.28 (6H, d, J = 6.8 Hz).
<u>56</u>	<u>A41</u>	A	6.85	346.0748	346.0753	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ ClFN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.72-8.69 (2H, m), 7.95 (1H, dt, J = 7.5, 2.0 Hz), 7.58-7.50 (2H, m), 7.19 (1H, td, J = 8.5, 2.9 Hz), 6.48 (1H, dd, J = 9.3, 2.4 Hz), 5.56 (2H, s), 2.51 (3H, t, J = 6.3 Hz).
<u>57</u>	<u>A42</u>	A	6.90	346.0750	346.0753	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ ClFN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.77 (1H, s), 8.73 (1H, d, J = 4.9 Hz), 8.03 (1H, dt, J = 8.3, 1.8 Hz), 7.59 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 4.9 Hz), 7.40-7.33 (1H, m), 7.21 (1H, t, J = 9.5 Hz), 6.82 (1H, dd, J = 7.0, 1.8 Hz), 5.61 (2H, s), 2.49 (3H, s).
<u>58</u>	<u>A43</u>	A	7.85	396.0718	396.0721	C ₁₈ H ₁₃ ClF ₃ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.69 (2H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 7.94 (1H, dt, J = 8.0, 2.0 Hz), 7.70 (2H, q, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.55 (1H, dd, J = 8.0, 5.1 Hz), 6.93 (1H, s), 5.68 (2H, s), 2.52 (3H, d, J = 4.9 Hz).
<u>59</u>	<u>A44</u>	A	7.90	396.0726	396.0721	C ₁₈ H ₁₃ ClF ₃ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.68-8.65 (2H, m), 7.88 (1H, dt, J = 7.8, 2.0 Hz), 7.80 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.59 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.51 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 4.9 Hz), 6.67 (1H, s), 5.70 (2H, s), 2.54 (3H, s).
<u>60</u>	<u>A46</u>	A	8.42	430.0991	430.0985	C ₁₉ H ₁₃ F ₆ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.63 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.7 Hz), 8.61 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.01 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.89 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.85 (1H, dt, J = 7.8, 1.7 Hz), 7.47 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 4.9 Hz), 6.84 (1H, s), 5.78 (2H, s), 2.53 (3H, s).

[Table 19]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>61</u>	<u>A47</u>	A	9.12	404.1599	404.1605	C ₂₃ H ₂₁ N ₃ O ₄	
<u>62</u>	<u>A48</u>	B	6.09	312.1136	312.1143	C ₁₇ H ₁₄ FN ₃ O ₂	(CD3OD-d4) δ: 8.71-8.68 (2H, m), 7.98 (1H, d, J = 7.9 Hz), 7.58-7.54 (1H, m), 7.31-7.27 (1H, m), 7.12-7.01 (2H, m), 6.83 (1H, t, J = 7.5 Hz), 5.72 (2H, s), 2.60 (3H, s).
<u>63</u>	<u>A49</u>	B	6.23	312.1143	312.1143	C ₁₇ H ₁₄ FN ₃ O ₂	(CD3OD-d4) δ: 8.73-8.69 (2H, m), 7.99 (1H, d, J = 7.9 Hz), 7.61-7.56 (1H, m), 7.34-7.28 (1H, m), 6.99 (1H, t, J = 8.2 Hz), 6.75-6.71 (2H, m), 5.71 (2H, s), 2.62 (3H, s).
<u>64</u>	<u>A50</u>	B	6.26	312.1142	312.1143	C ₁₇ H ₁₄ FN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.73-8.69 (2H, m), 7.97 (1H, d, J = 8.1 Hz), 7.56-7.52 (1H, m), 7.14-7.09 (2H, m), 6.95-6.90 (2H, m), 5.61 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
<u>65</u>	<u>A51</u>	B	6.65	328.0853	328.0847	C ₁₇ H ₁₄ ClN ₃ O ₂	(CD3OD-d4) δ: 8.71-8.63 (2H, m), 7.93 (1H, d, J = 8.1 Hz), 7.58-7.53 (1H, m), 7.43-7.39 (1H, m), 7.30-7.25 (2H, m), 6.75-6.71 (1H, m), 5.71 (2H, s), 2.64 (3H, s).
<u>66</u>	<u>A52</u>	B	6.83	328.0844	328.0847	C ₁₇ H ₁₄ ClN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.71-8.68 (2H, m), 7.95 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.56-7.52 (1H, m), 7.34-7.30 (2H, m), 7.01 (1H, s), 6.80 (1H, d, J = 6.4 Hz), 5.62 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
<u>67</u>	<u>A53</u>	B	6.95	328.0832	328.0847	C ₁₇ H ₁₄ ClN ₃ O ₂	(CD3OD-d4) δ: 8.85-8.78 (2H, m), 8.11 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.72-7.68 (1H, m), 7.33 (2H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.02 (2H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 5.76 (2H, s), 2.70 (3H, s).
<u>68</u>	<u>A54</u>	B	6.82	372.0339	372.0342	C ₁₇ H ₁₄ BrN ₃ O ₂	(CD3OD-d4) δ: 8.72-8.65 (2H, m), 7.94 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.62-7.56 (2H, m), 7.32 (1H, t, J = 7.4 Hz), 7.22 (1H, t, J = 7.2 Hz), 6.73 (1H, d, J = 7.6 Hz), 5.68 (2H, s), 2.66 (3H, s).

[Table 20]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
69	A55	B	7.00	372.0339	372.0342	C ₁₇ H ₁₄ BrN ₃ O ₂	(CD ₃ OD-d ₄) δ: 8.61-8.57 (2H, m), 7.89 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.52-7.47 (1H, m), 7.33 (1H, d, J = 7.9 Hz), 7.14 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.06 (1H, s), 6.85 (1H, d, J = 7.5 Hz), 5.73 (2H, s), 2.53 (3H, s).
70	A56	B	7.14	372.0330	372.0342	C ₁₇ H ₁₄ BrN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.71-8.68 (2H, m), 7.95 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.56-7.47 (3H, m), 6.86 (2H, d, J = 8.2 Hz), 5.58 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
71	A57	B	6.50	308.1386	308.1394	C ₁₈ H ₁₇ N ₃ O ₂	(CD ₃ OD-d ₄) δ: 8.72-8.67 (2H, m), 7.96 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.58-7.54 (1H, m), 7.19-7.12 (3H, m), 6.55 (1H, d, J = 7.4 Hz), 5.65 (2H, s), 2.66 (3H, s), 2.22 (3H, s).
72	A58	B	6.65	308.1383	308.1394	C ₁₈ H ₁₇ N ₃ O ₂	(CD ₃ OD-d ₄) δ: 8.71-8.65 (2H, m), 7.96 (1H, d, J = 7.9 Hz), 7.58-7.54 (1H, m), 7.16 (1H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), 7.06 (1H, d, J = 7.4 Hz), 6.75 (1H, s), 6.69 (1H, d, J = 7.4 Hz), 5.67 (2H, s), 2.61 (3H, s), 2.25 (3H, s).
73	A59	B	7.13	322.1552	322.1550	C ₁₉ H ₁₉ N ₃ O ₂	(CD ₃ OD-d ₄) δ: 8.72-8.65 (2H, m), 7.94 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.57-7.54 (1H, m), 7.23-7.12 (3H, m), 6.54 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 5.72 (2H, s), 2.66 (3H, s), 2.56 (2H, q, J = 7.6 Hz), 1.14 (3H, t, J = 7.5 Hz).
74	A60	B	7.31	362.1114	362.1111	C ₁₈ H ₁₄ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂	(CD ₃ OD-d ₄) δ: 8.57-8.49 (2H, m), 7.81 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.66 (1H, d, J = 7.7 Hz), 7.53 (1H, t, J = 7.2 Hz), 7.46-7.38 (2H, m), 6.73 (1H, d, J = 7.9 Hz), 5.92 (2H, s), 2.59 (3H, s).
75	A61	B	7.42	362.1106	362.1111	C ₁₈ H ₁₄ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.72-8.68 (2H, m), 7.97 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.63-7.50 (3H, m), 7.32 (1H, s), 7.13 (1H, d, J = 7.7 Hz), 5.71 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).

[Table 21]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>76</u>	<u>A62</u>	B	7.47	378.1070	378.1060	C ₁₈ H ₁₄ F ₃ N ₃ O ₃	(CD3OD-d4) δ: 8.72-8.64 (2H, m), 7.95 (1H, d, J = 7.4 Hz), 7.60-7.54 (1H, m), 7.41-7.36 (1H, m), 7.33-7.27 (2H, m), 6.83 (1H, d, J = 6.8 Hz), 5.76 (2H, s), 2.64 (3H, s).
<u>77</u>	<u>A63</u>	B	7.71	378.1061	378.1060	C ₁₈ H ₁₄ F ₃ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.72-8.68 (2H, m), 7.96 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.56-7.50 (1H, m), 7.43 (1H, t, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.23 (1H, d, J = 8.4 Hz), 6.93-6.87 (2H, m), 5.67 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
<u>78</u>	<u>A64</u>	B	5.73	319.1198	319.1190	C ₁₈ H ₁₄ N ₄ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.76-8.67 (2H, m), 8.00 (1H, d, J = 7.9 Hz), 7.83 (1H, d, J = 7.6 Hz), 7.62 (1H, t, J = 7.7 Hz), 7.56-7.52 (1H, m), 7.44 (1H, t, J = 7.7 Hz), 6.76 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 5.75 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
<u>79</u>	<u>A65</u>	B	5.71	319.1191	319.1190	C ₁₈ H ₁₄ N ₄ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.61-8.56 (2H, m), 7.82 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.66 (1H, d, J = 7.7 Hz), 7.49-7.40 (2H, m), 7.31 (1H, s), 7.15 (1H, d, J = 8.2 Hz), 5.84 (2H, s), 2.44 (3H, s).
<u>80</u>	<u>A66</u>	A	8.78	394.1543	394.1550	C ₂₅ H ₁₉ N ₃ O ₂	
<u>81</u>	<u>A67</u>	A	8.96	412.0598	412.0614	C ₂₁ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	
<u>82</u>	<u>A68</u>	B	7.64	362.0456	362.0458	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(CD3OD-d4) δ: 8.73-8.69 (2H, m), 7.99 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.62-7.58 (1H, m), 7.45 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.16 (1H, s), 6.86 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 5.66 (2H, s), 2.61 (3H, s).
<u>83</u>	<u>A69</u>	B	6.88	362.0468	362.0458	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.68 (1H, s), 8.61 (1H, s), 7.94 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.46-7.26 (4H, m), 5.57 (2H, s), 2.38 (3H, s).
<u>84</u>	<u>A70</u>	B	7.52	362.0452	362.0458	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(CD3OD-d4) δ: 8.76-8.70 (2H, m), 8.00 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.64-7.60 (1H, m), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.27 (1H, t, J = 7.9 Hz), 6.74 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 5.74 (2H, s), 2.66 (3H, s).

[Table 22]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
85	A71	B	7.72	362.0459	362.0458	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.70-8.69 (2H, m), 7.93 (1H, d, J = 7.9 Hz), 7.56-7.50 (2H, m), 6.94 (2H, s), 5.59 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
86	A72	B	6.16	346.0756	346.0753	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ ClFN ₃ O ₂	(CD3OD-d4) δ: 8.71-8.69 (2H, m), 8.00 (1H, d, J = 7.9 Hz), 7.58-7.54 (1H, m), 7.27-7.20 (1H, m), 7.12 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 6.92 (1H, t, J = 9.0 Hz), 5.98 (2H, s), 2.59 (3H, s).
87	A73	B	6.93	346.0753	346.0753	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ ClFN ₃ O ₂	(CD3OD-d4) δ: 8.85-8.66 (2H, m), 8.02 (1H, d, J = 7.9 Hz), 7.68-7.63 (1H, m), 7.27 (1H, dd, J = 8.5 Hz, 2.5 Hz), 7.06 (1H, td, J = 8.4 Hz, 2.4 Hz), 6.90-6.85 (1H, m), 5.72 (2H, s), 2.67 (3H, s).
88	A74	B	7.00	346.0754	346.0753	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ ClFN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.77-8.69 (2H, m), 8.01 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.58-7.54 (1H, m), 7.48 (1H, t, J = 7.4 Hz), 7.13 (1H, t, J = 7.9 Hz), 6.67 (1H, t, J = 7.1 Hz), 5.65 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
89	A75	B	7.11	346.0749	346.0753	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ ClFN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.74-8.69 (2H, m), 7.97 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.59-7.54 (1H, m), 7.34 (1H, t, J = 8.9 Hz), 7.20-7.17 (1H, m), 6.88-6.84 (1H, m), 5.59 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
90	A76	B	7.15	346.0751	346.0753	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ ClFN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.74-8.70 (2H, m), 7.98 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.60-7.55 (1H, m), 7.33 (1H, d, J = 8.7 Hz), 6.87 (1H, s), 6.76 (1H, d, J = 9.3 Hz), 5.61 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
91	A77	B	7.63	362.0452	362.0458	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.67-8.63 (2H, m), 7.87 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.65 (1H, s), 7.53-7.48 (1H, m), 7.37 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 6.60 (1H, d, J = 8.4 Hz), 5.55 (2H, s), 2.54 (3H, s).

[Table 23]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>92</u>	<u>A78</u>	A	7.53	342.1006	342.1004	C ₁₈ H ₁₆ ClN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.67 (2H, s), 7.92 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.54-7.51 (1H, m), 7.35-7.31 (1H, m), 7.10 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.42 (1H, s), 5.58 (2H, s), 2.51 (3H, s), 2.17 (3H, s).
<u>93</u>	<u>A79</u>	A	7.42	368.0017	368.0022	C ₁₅ H ₁₁ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ S	
<u>94</u>	<u>A80</u>	A	7.40	368.0006	368.0022	C ₁₅ H ₁₁ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.80 (1H, s), 8.74 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 8.08-8.04 (1H, m), 7.60 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 4.9 Hz), 7.11 (1H, s), 5.67 (2H, s), 2.45 (3H, s).
<u>95</u>	<u>A81</u>	A	7.50	350.0952	350.0958	C ₁₉ H ₁₅ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.70 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.61 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 7.95 (1H, dt, J = 7.8, 2.0 Hz), 7.81-7.75 (2H, m), 7.51-7.43 (2H, m), 7.31 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.65 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 5.82 (2H, s), 2.52 (3H, s).
<u>96</u>	<u>A82</u>	B	8.51	376.1116	376.1114	C ₂₁ H ₁₇ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.64-8.62 (1H, m), 8.57 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 7.87 (1H, d, J = 7.6 Hz), 7.80-7.75 (2H, m), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 5.4 Hz), 7.44-7.38 (1H, m), 7.32 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.61 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 5.77 (2H, s), 2.74-2.67 (1H, m), 1.01-0.93 (4H, m).
<u>97</u>	<u>A83</u>	B	8.24	378.1271	378.1271	C ₂₁ H ₁₉ N ₃ O ₂ S	
<u>98</u>	<u>A84</u>	A	9.31	404.0664	404.0675	C ₁₉ H ₁₂ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂ S	
<u>99</u>	<u>A85</u>	A	7.73	368.0886	368.0864	C ₁₉ H ₁₄ FN ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.73 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.64 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 7.98 (1H, dt, J = 7.8, 2.0 Hz), 7.87 (1H, d, J = 5.4 Hz), 7.63 (1H, dd, J = 9.3, 2.4 Hz), 7.52-7.45 (2H, m), 6.61 (1H, dd, J = 9.8, 2.0 Hz), 5.81 (2H, s), 2.52 (3H, s).

[Table 24]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Pred. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Formula(M)	$^1\text{H-NMR}$
<u>100</u>	<u>A86</u>	B	8.81	394.1018	394.1020	$\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{16}\text{FN}_3\text{O}_2\text{S}$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 12.96 (1H, s), 8.63 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.58 (1H, dd, $J = 4.9, 1.5$ Hz), 7.88-7.84 (2H, m), 7.62 (1H, dd, $J = 9.3, 2.4$ Hz), 7.47 (1H, d, $J = 5.4$ Hz), 7.43-7.38 (1H, m), 6.53 (1H, dd, $J = 9.3, 2.4$ Hz), 5.77 (2H, s), 2.73-2.67 (1H, m), 1.01-0.92 (4H, m).
<u>101</u>	<u>A87</u>	A	6.90	376.0613	376.0614	$\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{15}\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.61 (1H, d, $J = 4.9$ Hz), 8.35 (1H, s), 7.65 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.40-7.32 (2H, m), 7.25 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.01 (1H, s), 6.34 (1H, q, $J = 6.8$ Hz), 2.43 (3H, s), 1.95 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$ Hz).
<u>102</u>	<u>A89</u>	D	8.75	425.9395	425.9406	$\text{C}_{16}\text{H}_{10}\text{BrCl}_2\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 13.58 (1H, s), 8.70-8.64 (2H, m), 7.89 (1H, d, $J = 8.0$ Hz), 7.53-7.48 (2H, m), 7.39 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.76 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.57 (2H, s).
<u>103</u>	<u>A92</u>	F	9.66	442.0528	442.0520	$\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{14}\text{Cl}_2\text{FN}_3\text{O}_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.74 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.69 (1H, d, $J = 4.9$ Hz), 7.97 (1H, d, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 7.66-7.38 (6H, m), 7.22 (1H, td, $J = 8.5, 2.3$ Hz), 6.77 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.61 (2H, s).
<u>104</u>	<u>A93</u>	F	9.51	442.0517	442.0520	$\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{14}\text{Cl}_2\text{FN}_3\text{O}_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.73 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.68 (1H, d, $J = 5.0$ Hz), 7.96 (1H, d, $J = 8.0$ Hz), 7.85-7.79 (2H, m), 7.56-7.50 (2H, m), 7.40 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 7.25 (2H, t, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 6.75 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.61 (2H, s).
<u>105</u>	<u>A94</u>	F	6.72	425.0559	425.0567	$\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{14}\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_4\text{O}_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 9.24 (1H, s), 8.83-8.68 (4H, m), 8.00-7.88 (2H, m), 7.59-7.51 (2H, m), 7.41 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.66 (2H, s).

[Table 25]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>106</u>	<u>A95</u>	F	6.50	425.0553	425.0567	C ₂₁ H ₁₄ Cl ₂ N ₄ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.87 (2H, d, J = 6.3 Hz), 8.75 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.71 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.33 (2H, d, J = 6.3 Hz), 7.99-7.95 (1H, m), 7.58-7.50 (2H, m), 7.41 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 6.88 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.64 (2H, s).
<u>107</u>	<u>A96</u>	F	8.07	378.0410	378.0407	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.66 (2H, s), 7.88 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.53-7.48 (2H, m), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 2.2 Hz), 6.66 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.55 (2H, s), 3.99 (3H, s).
<u>108</u>	<u>A97</u>	F	7.25	408.0500	408.0512	C ₁₈ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₄	
<u>109</u>	<u>A98</u>	F	10.06	446.0271	446.0281	C ₁₈ H ₁₂ Cl ₂ F ₃ N ₃ O ₃	
<u>110</u>	<u>A99</u>	F	10.48	454.0722	454.0720	C ₂₃ H ₁₇ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	
<u>111</u>	<u>A100</u>	F	10.12	458.0473	458.0469	C ₂₂ H ₁₄ Cl ₂ FN ₃ O ₃	
<u>112</u>	<u>A101</u>	F	8.65	373.0243	373.0254	C ₁₇ H ₁₀ Cl ₂ N ₄ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.71 (1H, d, J = 4.9 Hz), 8.67 (1H, s), 7.91 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 1.5 Hz), 7.56-7.47 (2H, m), 7.39 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 6.93 (1H, s), 5.62 (2H, s).
<u>113</u>	<u>A102</u>	F	8.46	374.0443	374.0458	C ₁₈ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	
<u>114</u>	<u>A103</u>	F	8.85	414.0765	414.0771	C ₂₁ H ₁₇ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	
<u>115</u>	<u>A104</u>	F	8.97	394.0164	394.0178	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 13.16 (1H, s), 8.67 (2H, s), 7.89 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.54-7.48 (2H, m), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 2.2 Hz), 6.64 (1H, s), 5.55 (2H, s), 2.54 (3H, s).

[Table 26]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>116</u>	<u>A105</u>	F	9.68	408.0340	408.0335	C ₁₈ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 13.15 (1H, s), 8.67 (2H, s), 7.88 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.53-7.48 (2H, m), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.62 (1H, s), 5.55 (2H, s), 3.15 (2H, q, J = 7.3 Hz), 1.34 (3H, t, J = 7.3 Hz).
<u>117</u>	<u>A106</u>	F	6.84	410.0131	410.0127	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃ S	
<u>118</u>	<u>A107</u>	F	7.29	424.0292	424.0284	C ₁₈ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃ S	
<u>119</u>	<u>A109</u>	A	9.54	434.1025	434.1033	C ₂₁ H ₂₁ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃ S	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.68 (2H, s), 7.94 (1H, dt, J = 8.0, 1.8 Hz), 7.57-7.47 (2H, m), 7.37 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.35 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.63 (2H, s), 2.13-2.02 (2H, m), 1.87-1.75 (2H, m), 0.82 (6H, t, J = 7.3 Hz).
<u>120</u>	<u>A112</u>	A	8.62	465.0559	465.0549	C ₂₀ H ₁₈ Cl ₂ N ₄ O ₃ S	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.71-8.66 (2H, m), 7.94 (1H, dt, J = 8.0, 1.8 Hz), 7.54-7.45 (2H, m), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.73 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.49 (2H, s), 2.90-2.83 (1H, m), 2.44 (3H, s), 1.06-0.89 (4H, m).
<u>121</u>	<u>A113</u>	A	7.62	399.1484	399.1485	C ₂₀ H ₂₂ N ₄ O ₃ S	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.77 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.70 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 2.0 Hz), 8.02 (1H, dt, J = 8.0, 2.0 Hz), 7.58-7.54 (1H, m), 7.01 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.94 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.37 (1H, s), 5.41 (2H, s), 2.97 (3H, s), 2.44 (3H, s), 2.15 (3H, s), 2.04 (3H, s).
<u>122</u>	<u>A114</u>	A	8.44	425.1634	425.1642	C ₂₂ H ₂₄ N ₄ O ₃ S	

[Table 27]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Pred. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Formula(M)	^1H -NMR
<u>123</u>	<u>A115</u>	A	7.42	427.0881	427.0893	$C_{20}H_{18}N_4O_3S_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.83 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.67 (1H, dd, $J = 4.9, 1.5$ Hz), 8.09 (1H, dt, $J = 7.8, 2.0$ Hz), 7.80 (1H, d, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 7.73 (1H, d, $J = 5.4$ Hz), 7.56-7.51 (1H, m), 7.47 (1H, d, $J = 5.4$ Hz), 7.31 (1H, t, $J = 7.6$ Hz), 6.82 (1H, d, $J = 7.3$ Hz), 5.71 (2H, s), 2.95 (3H, s), 2.42 (3H, s).
<u>124</u>	<u>A116</u>	A	8.21	453.1048	453.1050	$C_{22}H_{20}N_4O_3S_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.80 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.65 (1H, dd, $J = 4.9, 2.0$ Hz), 8.05 (1H, dt, $J = 8.0, 1.8$ Hz), 7.80 (1H, d, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 7.73 (1H, d, $J = 5.4$ Hz), 7.54-7.45 (2H, m), 7.31 (1H, t, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 6.81 (1H, d, $J = 7.3$ Hz), 5.71 (2H, s), 2.78-2.70 (1H, m), 2.42 (3H, s), 0.97-0.77 (4H, m).
<u>125</u>	<u>A117</u>	B	8.38	453.1050	453.1050	$C_{22}H_{20}N_4O_3S_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.74 (1H, d, $J = 1.5$ Hz), 8.62 (1H, dd, $J = 4.9, 1.5$ Hz), 7.98 (1H, dt, $J = 8.0, 2.0$ Hz), 7.81-7.70 (2H, m), 7.49-7.43 (2H, m), 7.31 (1H, t, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 6.80 (1H, d, $J = 7.3$ Hz), 5.65 (2H, s), 2.96 (3H, s), 2.25-2.15 (1H, m), 0.99-0.90 (4H, m).
<u>126</u>	<u>A118</u>	B	9.15	479.1203	479.1206	$C_{24}H_{22}N_4O_3S_2$	
<u>127</u>	<u>A120</u>	A	8.01	374.1497	374.1499	$C_{22}H_{19}N_3O_3$	
<u>128</u>	<u>A121</u>	A	9.09	378.1002	378.1004	$C_{21}H_{16}ClN_3O_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 12.94 (1H, s), 8.60 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.55 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.05-7.95 (3H, m), 7.83 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.62-7.56 (2H, m), 7.40 (1H, t, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 6.54 (1H, d, $J = 6.8$ Hz), 6.12 (2H, s), 2.53 (3H, s).
<u>129</u>	<u>A122</u>	A	7.48	358.1550	358.1550	$C_{22}H_{19}N_3O_2$	

[Table 28]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Pred. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Formula(M)	^1H -NMR
<u>130</u>	<u>A123</u>	A	8.34	362.1308	362.1299	$C_{21}H_{16}FN_3O_2$	
<u>131</u>	<u>A124</u>	A	7.69	358.1552	358.1550	$C_{22}H_{19}N_3O_2$	
<u>132</u>	<u>A125</u>	A	8.30	374.1501	374.1499	$C_{22}H_{19}N_3O_3$	
<u>133</u>	<u>A126</u>	A	9.81	360.1343	360.1343	$C_{21}H_{17}N_3O_3$	
<u>134</u>	<u>A127</u>	A	6.36	359.1497	359.1503	$C_{21}H_{18}N_4O_2$	
<u>135</u>	<u>A128</u>	A	7.78	372.1342	372.1343	$C_{22}H_{17}N_3O_3$	
<u>136</u>	<u>A129</u>	A	7.58	387.1813	387.1816	$C_{23}H_{22}N_4O_2$	
<u>137</u>	<u>A130</u>	A	9.81	436.1667	436.1656	$C_{27}H_{21}N_3O_3$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.45-8.41 (2H, m), 8.01-7.97 (2H, m), 7.80 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.62-7.58 (2H, m), 7.35-7.30 (2H, m), 7.13 (2H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.02 (1H, t, J = 7.1 Hz), 6.83 (2H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 6.54 (1H, d, J = 6.8 Hz), 6.06 (2H, s), 2.53 (3H, s).
<u>138</u>	<u>A131</u>	A	9.59	466.1769	466.1761	$C_{28}H_{23}N_3O_4$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.40 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.36 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.02-7.95 (2H, m), 7.81 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.63-7.58 (2H, m), 7.30 (1H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), 7.07-6.97 (2H, m), 6.87 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 1.5 Hz), 6.78 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 6.71-6.65 (1H, m), 6.48 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 5.99 (2H, s), 3.49 (3H, s), 2.52 (3H, s).
<u>139</u>	<u>A132</u>	A	8.93	384.0581	384.0568	$C_{19}H_{14}ClN_3O_2S$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.68 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.65 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.06 (1H, t, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.99-7.95 (1H, m), 7.73-7.68 (1H, m), 7.42-7.37 (2H, m), 7.02 (1H, s), 5.85 (2H, s), 2.51 (3H, s).

[Table 29]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>140</u>	<u>A133</u>	A	8.37	368.0856	368.0864	C ₁₉ H ₁₄ FN ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.63 (1H, d, J = 3.5 Hz), 8.57 (1H, t, J = 1.5 Hz), 7.99-7.95 (1H, m), 7.92-7.86 (1H, m), 7.72-7.67 (1H, m), 7.42-7.37 (2H, m), 6.98 (1H, s), 5.85 (2H, s), 2.50 (3.0H, s).
<u>141</u>	<u>A134</u>	A	8.75	380.0369	380.0363	C ₁₇ H ₁₂ Cl ₂ FN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 13.11 (1H, s), 8.67 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.48 (1H, s), 7.89-7.84 (1H, m), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.39-7.35 (1H, m), 6.57 (1H, s), 5.61 (2H, s), 2.49 (3H, s).
<u>142</u>	<u>A135</u>	A	9.44	396.0076	396.0068	C ₁₇ H ₁₂ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.71 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.56 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.02 (1H, t, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.38 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.62 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.61 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
<u>143</u>	<u>A136</u>	A	11.07	434.0085	434.0081	C ₁₇ H ₉ Cl ₂ F ₄ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 14.22 (1H, s), 8.73 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.54 (1H, t, J = 1.5 Hz), 7.98-7.93 (1H, m), 7.47 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.38 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.65 (2H, s).
<u>144</u>	<u>A137</u>	A	11.75	449.9786	449.9785	C ₁₇ H ₉ Cl ₃ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.76 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.61 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.10 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.47 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.38 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.87 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.65 (2H, s).
<u>145</u>	<u>A138</u>	A	9.85	412.1271	412.1267	C ₂₂ H ₁₆ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.94 (1H, s), 8.89 (1H, s), 8.15 (1H, s), 8.03-7.95 (2H, m), 7.84 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.61-7.56 (2H, m), 7.43-7.38 (1H, m), 6.62 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.14 (2H, s), 2.56 (3H, s).
<u>146</u>	<u>A139</u>	A	10.23	430.0328	430.0331	C ₁₈ H ₁₂ Cl ₂ F ₃ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-D6) δ: 13.18 (1H, s), 9.05 (1H, s), 8.91 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.18 (1H, s), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.38 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.66 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.63 (2H, s), 2.51 (3H, s).

[Table 30]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>147</u>	<u>A140</u>	A	12.09	484.0049	484.0049	C ₁₈ H ₉ Cl ₂ F ₆ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-D6) δ: 9.11 (1H, s), 8.97 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.29 (1H, s), 7.46 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.37 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.92 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.66 (2H, s).
<u>148</u>	<u>A141</u>	A	9.01	402.0460	402.0474	C ₁₉ H ₁₃ ClF ₃ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.66 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.59 (1H, t, J = 1.7 Hz), 7.98 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 1.0 Hz), 7.95-7.91 (1H, m), 7.47 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 1.0 Hz), 7.37 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.91 (1H, s), 6.10 (2H, s), 2.52 (3H, s).
<u>149</u>	<u>A142</u>	A	9.60	418.0180	418.0178	C ₁₉ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-D6) δ: 8.67 (2H, dd, J = 12.9, 2.2 Hz), 8.10 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.98 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.47 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.37 (1H, t, J = 8.0 Hz), 6.93 (1H, s), 6.10 (2H, s), 2.52 (3H, s).
<u>150</u>	<u>A143</u>	A	10.31	452.0446	452.0442	C ₂₀ H ₁₃ ClF ₃ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-D6) δ: 13.05 (1H, s), 9.00 (2H, s), 8.27 (1H, s), 7.98 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.47 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.37 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.96 (1H, s), 6.11 (2H, s), 2.53 (3H, s).
<u>151</u>	<u>A144</u>	B	10.20	406.1318	406.1317	C ₂₃ H ₂₀ ClN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-D6) δ: 8.61 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.54 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.04-7.96 (3H, m), 7.83 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.62-7.56 (2H, m), 7.42 (1H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), 6.53 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.10 (2H, s), 3.76-3.67 (1H, m), 1.30 (6H, d, J = 7 Hz).
<u>152</u>	<u>A145</u>	B	10.97	404.1157	404.1160	C ₂₃ H ₁₈ ClN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-D6) δ: 12.96 (1H, s), 8.60 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.50 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.04-7.95 (3H, m), 7.83 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.61-7.56 (2H, m), 7.42 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.55 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.09 (2H, s), 2.77-2.71 (1H, m), 1.04-0.96 (4H, m).

[Table 31]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>153</u>	<u>A146</u>	B	10.76	424.1367	424.0381	C ₁₉ H ₁₆ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-D6) δ: 8.72 (1H, t, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.56 (1H, t, J = 1.7 Hz), 8.04-8.01 (1H, m), 7.50 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 1.7 Hz), 7.38 (1H, dt, J = 8.3, 1.7 Hz), 6.55 (1H, s), 5.61 (2H, s), 3.71-3.64 (1H, m), 1.26 (6H, d, J = 6.8 Hz).
<u>154</u>	<u>A147</u>	B	11.47	422.0221	422.0224	C ₁₉ H ₁₄ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 13.14 (1H, s), 8.70 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.51 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.97 (1H, t, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.38 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 6.61 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.57 (2H, s), 2.73-2.66 (1H, m), 0.99-0.93 (4H, m).
<u>155</u>	<u>A148</u>	B	9.01	376.1453	376.1456	C ₂₂ H ₁₈ FN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-D6) δ: 8.60 (1H, d, J = 2.9 Hz), 8.50 (1H, s), 8.05-7.82 (4H, m), 7.62-7.55 (2H, m), 7.41 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.53 (1H, d, J = 6.8 Hz), 6.12 (2H, s), 2.97 (2H, q, J = 7.5 Hz), 1.27 (3H, t, J = 7.6 Hz).
<u>156</u>	<u>A149</u>	B	9.61	392.1156	392.1160	C ₂₂ H ₁₈ ClN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-D6) δ: 8.62 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.56 (1H, s), 8.05-7.95 (3H, m), 7.83 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.62-7.56 (2H, m), 7.41 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.55 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.12 (2H, s), 2.97 (2H, q, J = 7.5 Hz), 1.27 (3H, t, J = 7.3 Hz).
<u>157</u>	<u>A150</u>	B	9.34	394.0528	394.0520	C ₁₈ H ₁₄ Cl ₂ FN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-D6) δ: 8.69 (1H, d, J = 2.7 Hz), 8.50 (1H, t, J = 1.8 Hz), 7.89 (1H, dt, J = 9.4, 1.8 Hz), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.37 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.7 Hz), 6.56 (1H, d, J = 2.7 Hz), 5.62 (2H, s), 2.92 (2H, q, J = 7.5 Hz), 1.23 (3H, t, J = 7.6 Hz).
<u>158</u>	<u>A151</u>	B	10.04	410.0229	410.0224	C ₁₈ H ₁₄ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.73 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.57 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.05 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.38 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.61 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.62 (2H, s), 2.93 (2H, q, J = 7.5 Hz), 1.23 (3H, t, J = 7.3 Hz).

[Table 32]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
159	A152	B	9.57	390.1601	390.1612	C ₂₃ H ₂₀ FN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.59 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.49 (1H, t, J = 1.7 Hz), 8.05-7.95 (2H, m), 7.86-7.80 (2H, m), 7.63-7.56 (2H, m), 7.41 (1H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), 6.52 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.11 (2H, s), 3.76-3.69 (1H, m), 1.30 (6H, d, J = 6.8 Hz).
160	A153	B	10.23	388.1446	388.1456	C ₂₃ H ₁₈ FN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 12.97 (1H, s), 8.57 (1H, d, J = 2.9 Hz), 8.44 (1H, t, J = 1.7 Hz), 8.06-7.94 (2H, m), 7.85-7.76 (2H, m), 7.62-7.56 (2H, m), 7.42 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.53 (1H, d, J = 6.8 Hz), 6.09 (2H, s), 2.77-2.71 (1H, m), 1.05-0.95 (4H, m).
161	A154	B	10.01	408.0675	408.0676	C ₁₉ H ₁₆ Cl ₂ FN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 13.18 (1H, s), 8.68 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.48 (1H, s), 7.86 (1H, dt, J = 9.6, 2.1 Hz), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.37 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.49 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.60 (2H, s), 3.72-3.63 (1H, m), 1.26 (6H, d, J = 6.8 Hz).
162	A155	B	10.65	406.0509	406.0520	C ₁₉ H ₁₄ Cl ₂ FN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.67 (1H, d, J = 2.9 Hz), 8.44 (1H, t, J = 2.1 Hz), 7.82 (1H, dt, J = 9.4, 2.1 Hz), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.38 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.58 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.58 (2H, s), 2.73-2.66 (1H, m), 0.99-0.94 (4H, m).
163	A156	A	7.67	376.0598	376.0614	C ₁₈ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.48 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.37 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 7.70 (1H, t, J = 2.4 Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 6.55 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.57 (2H, s), 2.49 (3H, s), 2.28 (3H, s).
164	A157	A	8.03	392.0556	392.0563	C ₁₈ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.35 (1H, d, J = 2.9 Hz), 8.17 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.39-7.37 (2H, m), 6.55 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.57 (2H, s), 3.75 (3H, s), 2.49 (3H, s).

[Table 33]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>165</u>	<u>A158</u>	A	8.95	387.0414	387.0410	C ₁₈ H ₁₂ Cl ₂ N ₄ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.37 (1H, d, J = 4.9 Hz), 8.08 (1H, t, J = 8.5 Hz), 7.47 (1H, t, J = 6.1 Hz), 7.43 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.34 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 6.54 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.48 (2H, s), 2.49 (3H, s).
<u>166</u>	<u>A159</u>	A	7.40	376.0605	376.0614	C ₁₈ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.39 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.65 (1H, dd, J = 8.0, 2.2 Hz), 7.47 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.34 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 7.27 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 6.42 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.74 (2H, s), 2.48 (3H, s), 2.45 (3H, s).
<u>167</u>	<u>A160</u>	A	10.21	380.0368	380.0363	C ₁₇ H ₁₂ Cl ₂ FN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 9.09 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.89 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.44 (1H, t, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.48 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.36 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.61 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.62 (2H, s), 2.49 (3H, s).
<u>168</u>	<u>A161</u>	A	8.60	392.0558	392.0563	C ₁₈ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.16 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.74 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.36 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.87 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 6.47 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.62 (2H, s), 3.85 (3H, s), 2.47 (3H, s).
<u>169</u>	<u>A162</u>	A	8.32	392.0558	392.0563	C ₁₈ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.27 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 2.0 Hz), 7.74 (1H, dd, J = 7.3, 2.0 Hz), 7.41 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.32 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 2.7 Hz), 7.07 (1H, dd, J = 7.3, 4.9 Hz), 6.54 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.35 (2H, s), 3.63 (3H, s), 2.46 (3H, s).
<u>170</u>	<u>A163</u>	A	7.50	405.0881	405.0880	C ₁₉ H ₁₈ Cl ₂ N ₄ O ₂	
<u>171</u>	<u>A164</u>	A	9.34	396.0061	396.0068	C ₁₇ H ₁₂ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₂	
<u>172</u>	<u>A165</u>	A	8.19	440.0247	440.0233	C ₁₈ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₄ S	

[Table 34]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>173</u>	<u>A166</u>	A	8.04	431.1020	431.1036	C ₂₁ H ₂₀ Cl ₂ N ₄ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 7.96 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 7.82 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.53 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.40 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.74 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 6.53 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.57 (2H, s), 3.16-3.09 (4H, m), 2.49 (3H, s), 1.91-1.89 (4H, m).
<u>174</u>	<u>A167</u>	A	9.62	407.0306	407.0308	C ₁₇ H ₁₂ Cl ₂ N ₄ O ₄	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 13.17 (1H, s), 9.41 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 9.04 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.54 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.53 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.40 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.66 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.63 (2H, s), 2.52 (3H, s).
<u>175</u>	<u>A168</u>	A	8.44	402.0777	402.0771	C ₂₀ H ₁₇ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 13.05 (1H, s), 8.49 (1H, s), 8.39 (1H, s), 7.53 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.40 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 7.30 (1H, s), 6.57 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.51 (2H, s), 2.49 (3H, s), 1.98-1.91 (1H, m), 0.99-0.93 (2H, m), 0.57-0.52 (2H, m).
<u>176</u>	<u>A169</u>	C	9.75	381.9908	381.9911	C ₁₆ H ₁₀ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 13.20 (1H, brs), 8.71 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.58 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.04 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.92 (1H, s), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.37 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 6.55 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.70 (2H, s).
<u>177</u>	<u>A170</u>	A	9.92	448.0892	448.0891	C ₁₉ H ₁₂ F ₇ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.65 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.42 (1H, s), 8.00 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.91-7.84 (2H, m), 6.83 (1H, s), 5.83 (2H, s), 2.52 (3H, s).
<u>178</u>	<u>A171</u>	C	9.03	366.0205	366.0207	C ₁₆ H ₁₀ Cl ₂ FN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.68 (1H, d, J = 2.9 Hz), 8.51 (1H, d, J = 2.5 Hz), 7.92-7.88 (2H, m), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.37 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.52 (1H, s), 5.71 (2H, s).

[Table 35]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>179</u>	<u>A172</u>	A	6.93	378.0404	378.0407	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 10.51 (1H, s), 8.24 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.12 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 7.53 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.40 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 2.2 Hz), 7.27 (1H, t, J = 2.0 Hz), 6.63 (1 H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.54 (2H, s), 2.51 (3H, s).
<u>180</u>	<u>A173</u>	A	10.55	464.0596	464.0595	C ₁₉ H ₁₂ ClF ₆ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.69 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.49 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.03-7.99 (2H, m), 7.89 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 6.84 (1H, s), 5.83 (2H, s), 2.52 (3H, s).
<u>181</u>	<u>A174</u>	A	8.63	406.0728	406.0720	C ₁₉ H ₁₇ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.36 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.20 (1H, s), 7.51 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.43-7.37 (2H, m), 6.62 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.58 (2H, s), 4.02 (2H, q, J = 7.0 Hz), 2.51 (3H, s), 1.28 (3H, t, J = 6.8 Hz).
<u>182</u>	<u>A175</u>	A	9.09	420.0891	420.0876	C ₂₀ H ₁₉ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.34 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.22 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.41-7.38 (2H, m), 6.67 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.58 (2H, s), 4.55-4.49 (1H, m), 2.52 (3H, s), 1.20 (6H, d, J = 6.3 Hz).
<u>183</u>	<u>A176</u>	A	9.67	438.0773	438.0771	C ₂₃ H ₁₇ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 9.00 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.65 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.07 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.62 (2H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 7.53-7.38 (5H, m), 6.72 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.64 (2H, s), 2.54 (3H, s).
<u>184</u>	<u>A177</u>	A	9.61	439.9573	439.9563	C ₁₇ H ₁₂ BrCl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.78 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.58 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.13-8.10 (1H, m), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.38 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.61 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.60 (2H, s), 2.49 (3H, s).
<u>185</u>	<u>A178</u>	A	8.26	340.1457	340.1456	C ₁₉ H ₁₈ FN ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.66 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.52 (1H, s), 7.82 (1H, d, J = 9.8 Hz), 7.05 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.93 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.18 (1H, s), 5.55 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s), 2.14 (3H, s), 2.12 (3H, s).

[Table 36]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Pred. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Formula(M)	^1H -NMR
<u>186</u>	<u>A179</u>	A	8.86	356.1165	356.1160	$C_{19}H_{18}ClN_3O_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.68 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.57 (1H, d, $J = 1.5$ Hz), 7.97 (1H, t, $J = 2.2$ Hz), 7.05 (1H, d, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 6.93 (1H, d, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 6.19 (1H, s), 5.55 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s), 2.13 (3H, s), 2.12 (3H, s).
<u>187</u>	<u>A180</u>	A	7.48	336.1699	336.1707	$C_{20}H_{21}N_3O_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.54 (1H, s), 8.48 (1H, s), 7.82 (1H, s), 7.05 (1H, d, $J = 7.3$ Hz), 6.94 (1H, d, $J = 7.3$ Hz), 6.23 (1H, s), 5.53 (2H, s), 2.52 (3H, s), 2.29 (3H, s), 2.13 (6H, s).
<u>188</u>	<u>A181</u>	A	8.22	390.0770	390.0771	$C_{19}H_{17}Cl_2N_3O_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.58 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.51 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 7.76 (1H, t, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 7.52 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.40 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.67 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.58 (2H, s), 2.63 (2H, q, $J = 7.5$ Hz), 2.52 (3H, s), 1.10 (3H, t, $J = 7.6$ Hz).
<u>189</u>	<u>A182</u>	A	8.75	408.0345	408.0335	$C_{18}H_{15}Cl_2N_3O_2$ S	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.54 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.37 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 7.64 (1H, t, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 7.52 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.40 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.64 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.56 (2H, s), 2.51 (3H, s), 2.39 (3H, s).
<u>190</u>	<u>A183</u>	A	8.16	404.0567	404.0563	$C_{19}H_{15}Cl_2N_3O_3$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 13.11 (1H, s), 9.15 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.86 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.22 (1H, t, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 7.52 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.40 (1H, dd, $J = 8.3, 2.4$ Hz), 6.63 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.59 (2H, s), 2.56 (3H, s), 2.51 (3H, s).
<u>191</u>	<u>A184</u>	A	9.92	502.0747	502.0731	$C_{24}H_{18}Cl_2FN_3$ O_4	(DMSO-d6) δ : 13.08 (1H, s), 8.54 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.45 (1H, d, $J = 1.5$ Hz), 7.48 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.36 (1H, dd, $J = 8.3, 2.4$ Hz), 7.26-7.19 (1H, m), 6.92-6.83 (3H, m), 6.45 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.40 (2H, s), 3.69 (3H, s), 2.47 (3H, s).

[Table 37]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>192</u>	<u>A185</u>	A	9.33	420.0890	420.0876	C ₂₀ H ₁₉ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 13.20 (1H, s), 8.37 (1H, d, J = 2.9 Hz), 8.21 (1H, s), 7.52 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.42-7.37 (2H, m), 6.63 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.58 (2H, s), 3.89 (2H, t, J = 6.6 Hz), 2.51 (3H, s), 1.72-1.62 (2H, m), 0.92 (3H, t, J = 7.3 Hz).
<u>193</u>	<u>A186</u>	A	6.77	422.0655	422.0669	C ₁₉ H ₁₇ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₄	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.41 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.22 (1H, s), 7.54-7.48 (2H, m), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.0 Hz), 6.66 (1H, s), 5.59 (2H, s), 4.00 (2H, t, J = 4.6 Hz), 3.68 (2H, t, J = 4.6 Hz), 2.52 (3H, s).
<u>194</u>	<u>A187</u>	A	7.15	436.0820	436.0825	C ₂₀ H ₁₉ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₄	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.40 (1H, s), 8.22 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 7.53-7.47 (2H, m), 7.42-7.36 (1H, m), 6.69 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.59 (2H, s), 4.03 (2H, t, J = 6.3 Hz), 3.51 (2H, t, J = 6.3 Hz), 2.52 (3H, s), 1.86-1.78 (2H, m).
<u>195</u>	<u>A188</u>	A	9.97	434.1023	434.1033	C ₂₁ H ₂₁ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 13.06 (1H, s), 8.34 (1H, s), 8.19 (1H, s), 7.52 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.40 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.31 (1H, s), 6.59 (1H, s), 5.56 (2H, s), 3.66 (2H, d, J = 6.3 Hz), 2.49 (3H, s), 1.99-1.90 (1H, m), 0.91 (6H, d, J = 6.3 Hz).
<u>196</u>	<u>A189</u>	A	11.35	474.1351	474.1346	C ₂₄ H ₂₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.35 (1H, s), 8.21 (1H, s), 7.52 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.40 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 7.33 (1H, s), 6.64 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.56 (2H, s), 3.69 (2H, d, J = 6.3 Hz), 2.51 (3H, s), 1.75-1.60 (6H, m), 1.26-1.11 (3H, m), 1.02-0.90 (2H, m).
<u>197</u>	<u>A190</u>	A	9.98	468.0860	468.0876	C ₂₄ H ₁₉ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 13.12 (1H, s), 8.50 (1H, s), 8.30 (1H, s), 7.50 (2H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.40-7.31 (6H, m), 6.57 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.55 (2H, s), 5.11 (2H, s), 2.49 (3H, s).

[Table 38]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>198</u>	<u>A192</u>	E	8.01	439.0492	439.0490	C ₁₉ H ₁₇ Cl ₃ N ₄ O ₂	
<u>199</u>	<u>A194</u>	E	8.38	465.0640	465.0646	C ₂₁ H ₁₉ Cl ₃ N ₄ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 10.13 (1H, s), 8.76 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.62 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.10 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.40 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.70 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.70 (2H, s), 4.69 (2H, d, J = 5.4 Hz), 3.62 (2H, s), 3.23 (2H, s), 2.10-1.85 (4H, m).
<u>200</u>	<u>A195</u>	E	8.60	479.0782	479.0803	C ₂₂ H ₂₁ Cl ₃ N ₄ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 9.81 (1H, s), 8.77 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.62 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.10 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 6.72 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.69 (2H, s), 4.58 (2H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 3.52 (2H, d, J = 11.7 Hz), 3.12-3.00 (2H, m), 1.89-1.64 (5H, m), 1.47-1.35 (1H, m).
<u>201</u>	<u>A196</u>	E	8.16	481.0583	481.0596	C ₂₁ H ₁₉ Cl ₃ N ₄ O ₃	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.76 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.61 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.08 (1H, t, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.73 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.70 (2H, s), 4.62 (2H, s), 3.85 (4H, s), 3.35 (4H, s).
<u>202</u>	<u>A197</u>	E	7.52	494.0897	494.0912	C ₂₂ H ₂₂ Cl ₃ N ₅ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.75 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.60 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.05 (1H, s), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.64 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.67 (2H, s), 4.20 (2H, s), 3.60-2.85 (8H, m), 2.79 (3H, s).
<u>203</u>	<u>A198</u>	E	7.90	495.0749	495.0752	C ₂₂ H ₂₁ Cl ₃ N ₄ O ₃	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.76 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.61 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.08 (1H, s), 7.51 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.70 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.70 (2H, s), 4.60-4.52 (2H, m), 3.96-3.91 (1H, m), 3.70-3.62 (1H, m), 3.55-3.25 (3H, m), 3.16-3.05 (1H, m), 2.00-1.50 (3H, m).

[Table 39]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>204</u>	<u>A199</u>	E	8.14	462.0289	462.0286	C ₂₀ H ₁₄ Cl ₃ N ₅ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 9.20 (1H, s), 8.73 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.53 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.99 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.78 (1H, t, J = 1.7 Hz), 7.68 (1H, t, J = 1.7 Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 2.7 Hz), 6.73 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.73 (2H, s), 5.67 (2H, s).
<u>205</u>	<u>A200</u>	E	10.37	462.0289	462.0286	C ₂₀ H ₁₄ Cl ₃ N ₅ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 13.67 (1H, s), 8.71 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.54 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.01 (1H, t, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.74 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.42-7.36 (2H, m), 6.63 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 6.23 (1H, t, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.65 (2H, s), 5.61 (2H, s).
<u>206</u>	<u>A201</u>	E	7.75	411.0171	411.0177	C ₁₇ H ₁₃ Cl ₃ N ₄ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.76 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.56 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.32 (3H, s), 8.03 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.53 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.40 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 6.64 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.73 (2H, s), 4.33 (2H, s).
<u>207</u>	<u>A202</u>	E	7.83	522.1228	522.1225	C ₂₄ H ₂₆ Cl ₃ N ₅ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.74 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.60 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.05 (1H, s), 7.51 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 2.2 Hz), 6.64 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.67 (2H, s), 4.19 (2H, s), 3.56-2.75 (10H, m), 1.67-1.56 (2H, m), 0.92-0.86 (3H, m).
<u>208</u>	<u>A203</u>	E	8.48	558.0535	558.0531	C ₂₂ H ₂₂ Cl ₃ N ₅ O ₄ S	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.75 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.60 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.06 (1H, t, J = 1.7 Hz), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.70 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.71 (2H, s), 4.54 (2H, s), 3.45-3.30 (8H, m), 3.00 (3H, s).

[Table 40]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Pred. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Formula(M)	$^1\text{H-NMR}$
<u>209</u>	<u>A204</u>	E	8.72	572.0678	572.0687	$\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{24}\text{Cl}_3\text{N}_5\text{O}_4\text{S}$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.75 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.60 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.07 (1H, t, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, $J = 8.5, 2.7$ Hz), 6.71 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.71 (2H, s), 4.59 (2H, s), 3.55-3.30 (8H, m), 3.18 (2H, q, $J = 7.3$ Hz), 1.22 (3H, t, $J = 7.3$ Hz).
<u>210</u>	<u>A206</u>	C	7.49	362.0458	362.0458	$\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{13}\text{Cl}_2\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.56 (1H, s), 8.49 (1H, s), 7.97 (1H, s), 7.84 (1H, s), 7.51 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.39 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 6.55 (1H, s), 5.66 (2H, s), 2.32 (3H, s).
<u>211</u>	<u>A208</u>	A	8.96	412.0430	412.0426	$\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{13}\text{Cl}_2\text{F}_2\text{N}_3\text{O}_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 13.13 (1H, s), 8.84 (1H, d, $J = 1.0$ Hz), 8.77 (1H, d, $J = 1.0$ Hz), 8.04 (1H, s), 7.51 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, $J = 8.5, 2.7$ Hz), 7.15 (1H, t, $J = 55.1$ Hz), 6.62 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.60 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
<u>212</u>	<u>A210</u>	A	8.43	425.9818	425.9810	$\text{C}_{17}\text{H}_{10}\text{Cl}_3\text{N}_3\text{O}_4$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.78 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.58 (1H, d, $J = 1.5$ Hz), 8.09 (1H, t, $J = 2.2$ Hz), 7.47 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.37 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.86 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.74 (2H, s).
<u>213</u>	<u>A211</u>	E	9.37	426.0167	426.0174	$\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{14}\text{Cl}_3\text{N}_3\text{O}_3$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.73 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.56 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.03 (1H, t, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, $J = 8.3, 2.4$ Hz), 6.61 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.62 (2H, dd, $J = 25.9, 17.6$ Hz), 5.33 (1H, q, $J = 6.5$ Hz), 1.43 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$ Hz).
<u>214</u>	<u>A212</u>	A	10.27	424.0621	424.0626	$\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{16}\text{Cl}_2\text{FN}_3\text{O}_3$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.70 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.49 (1H, s), 7.91-7.86 (1H, m), 7.50 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.38 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.58 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.63 (2H, s), 1.62 (6H, s).

[Table 41]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>215</u>	<u>A213</u>	A	11.11	440.0325	440.0330	C ₁₉ H ₁₆ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.74 (1H, s), 8.56 (1H, s), 8.04 (1H, s), 7.50 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.38 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 2.2 Hz), 6.60 (1H, s), 5.63 (2H, s), 1.62 (6H, s).
<u>216</u>	<u>A214</u>	A	8.32	420.0872	420.0876	C ₂₀ H ₁₉ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.56 (1H, s), 8.45 (1H, s), 7.81 (1H, s), 7.51 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 2.7 Hz), 6.57 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.60 (2H, s), 2.32 (3H, s), 1.62 (6H, s).
<u>217</u>	<u>A215</u>	A	11.73	452.0927	452.0939	C ₂₁ H ₂₀ Cl ₂ FN ₃ O ₃	
<u>218</u>	<u>A216</u>	A	12.59	468.0641	468.0643	C ₂₁ H ₂₀ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.74 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.58 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.07 (1H, t, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.49 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.36 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 6.38 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.67 (2H, s), 2.11-2.01 (2H, m), 1.86-1.76 (2H, m), 0.81 (6H, t, J = 7.3 Hz).
<u>219</u>	<u>A217</u>	A	9.60	448.1202	448.1189	C ₂₂ H ₂₃ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.57 (1H, s), 8.50 (1H, s), 7.85 (1H, s), 7.49 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.37 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 6.37 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.64 (2H, s), 2.33 (3H, s), 2.12-2.01 (2H, m), 1.86-1.75 (2H, m), 0.81 (6H, t, J = 7.1 Hz).
<u>220</u>	<u>A218</u>	E	14.74	424.0015	424.0017	C ₁₈ H ₁₂ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₃	(DMSO-d6) δ: 14.34 (1H, s), 8.76 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.60 (1H, s), 8.10 (1H, s), 7.47 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.87 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 5.60 (2H, s), 2.64 (3H, s).
<u>221</u>	<u>A219</u>	D	8.82	396.0059	396.0068	C ₁₇ H ₁₂ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 13.61 (1H, s), 8.53 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.42 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.77 (1H, s), 7.51 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.78 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.58 (2H, s), 2.30 (3H, s).

[Table 42]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Pred. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Formula(M)	^1H -NMR
<u>222</u>	<u>A220</u>	D	11.28	415.9532	415.9522	$C_{16}H_9Cl_4N_3O_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 13.67 (1H, s), 8.75 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.59 (1H, d, $J = 1.5$ Hz), 8.07 (1H, t, $J = 2.2$ Hz), 7.49 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.39 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.85 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.62 (2H, s).
<u>223</u>	<u>A222</u>	A	8.02	394.0528	394.0520	$C_{18}H_{14}Cl_2FN_3O_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.61 (1H, d, $J = 2.9$ Hz), 8.21 (1H, s), 7.47 (1H, dt, $J = 8.9, 2.2$ Hz), 7.36 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.27 (1H, dd, $J = 8.3, 2.4$ Hz), 7.02 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 6.36 (1H, q, $J = 6.8$ Hz), 2.40 (3H, s), 1.93 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$ Hz).
<u>224</u>	<u>A223</u>	A	8.60	410.0216	410.0224	$C_{18}H_{14}Cl_3N_3O_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.63 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.32 (1H, s), 7.50 (1H, s), 7.37 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.28 (1H, dd, $J = 8.5, 2.2$ Hz), 6.96 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 6.39 (1H, q, $J = 6.8$ Hz), 2.40 (3H, s), 1.90 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$ Hz).
<u>225</u>	<u>A224</u>	A	7.25	390.0774	390.0771	$C_{19}H_{17}Cl_2N_3O_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.44 (1H, s), 8.22 (1H, s), 7.35 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.29-7.22 (2H, m), 6.94 (1H, s), 6.39 (1H, q, $J = 6.8$ Hz), 2.41 (3H, s), 2.22 (3H, s), 1.92 (3H, d, $J = 6.8$ Hz).
<u>226</u>	<u>A225</u>	A	8.91	385.9922	385.9928	$C_{15}H_{10}Cl_2FN_3O_2S$	
<u>227</u>	<u>A226</u>	A	9.66	401.9637	401.9632	$C_{15}H_{10}Cl_3N_3O_2S$	
<u>228</u>	<u>A227</u>	A	7.75	382.0170	382.0178	$C_{16}H_{13}Cl_2N_3O_2S$	
<u>229</u>	<u>A228</u>	A	8.99	385.9929	385.9928	$C_{15}H_{10}Cl_2FN_3O_2S$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.74 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.63 (1H, s), 8.05-8.00 (1H, m), 7.10 (1H, s), 5.69 (2H, s), 2.43 (3H, s).
<u>230</u>	<u>A229</u>	A	9.74	401.9641	401.9632	$C_{15}H_{10}Cl_3N_3O_2S$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.78 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.70 (1H, d, $J = 1.5$ Hz), 8.18 (1H, t, $J = 2.2$ Hz), 7.11 (1H, s), 5.68 (2H, s), 2.43 (3H, s).
<u>231</u>	<u>A230</u>	A	7.69	382.0169	382.0178	$C_{16}H_{13}Cl_2N_3O_2S$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.62 (1H, s), 8.61 (1H, s), 7.91 (1H, s), 7.12 (1H, s), 5.67 (2H, s), 2.44 (3H, s), 2.37 (3H, s).

[Table 43]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Pred. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Formula(M)	^1H -NMR
<u>232</u>	<u>A231</u>	A	7.84	356.1152	356.1160	$C_{19}H_{18}ClN_3O_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.54 (1H, s), 8.46 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.82 (1H, s), 7.33 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.10 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 6.44 (1H, s), 5.58 (2H, s), 2.52 (3H, s), 2.30 (3H, s), 2.18 (3H, s).
<u>233</u>	<u>A232</u>	A	9.50	376.0619	376.0614	$C_{18}H_{15}Cl_2N_3O_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.68 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.54 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.99 (1H, t, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.31 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.08 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 6.39 (1H, s), 5.60 (2H, s), 2.49 (3H, s), 2.16 (3H, s).
<u>234</u>	<u>A233</u>	A	9.34	384.0579	384.0568	$C_{19}H_{14}ClN_3O_2S$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 13.02 (1H, s), 8.62 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.57 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.00 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.80-7.74 (2H, m), 7.49 (1H, d, J = 5.4 Hz), 7.30 (1H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), 6.65 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 5.85 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
<u>235</u>	<u>A234</u>	A	8.73	368.0855	368.0864	$C_{19}H_{14}FN_3O_2S$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.60 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.52 (1H, s), 7.87 (1H, dt, J = 9.8, 2.2 Hz), 7.80-7.74 (2H, m), 7.49 (1H, d, J = 5.4 Hz), 7.30 (1H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), 6.65 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 5.86 (2H, s), 2.51 (3H, s).
<u>236</u>	<u>A235</u>	B	10.50	412.0871	412.0881	$C_{21}H_{18}ClN_3O_2S$	
<u>237</u>	<u>A236</u>	B	11.18	410.0717	410.0725	$C_{21}H_{16}ClN_3O_2S$	
<u>238</u>	<u>A237</u>	G	10.16	406.0147	406.0136	$C_{16}H_{10}Cl_3N_7$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.72 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.64 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.11 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.97 (1H, s), 7.49 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.34 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 6.57 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.88 (2H, s).
<u>239</u>	<u>A238</u>	A	6.96	322.1555	322.1550	$C_{19}H_{19}N_3O_2$	
<u>240</u>	<u>A239</u>	A	7.18	344.1396	344.1394	$C_{21}H_{17}N_3O_2$	
<u>241</u>	<u>A240</u>	A	9.39	374.1500	374.1499	$C_{22}H_{19}N_3O_3$	

[Table 44]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Pred. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Formula(M)	^1H -NMR
<u>242</u>	<u>A241</u>	A	8.03	358.1556	358.1550	$C_{22}H_{19}N_3O_2$	
<u>243</u>	<u>A242</u>	A	9.59	378.1014	378.1004	$C_{21}H_{16}ClN_3O_2$	
<u>244</u>	<u>A243</u>	A	8.71	344.1384	344.1394	$C_{21}H_{17}N_3O_2$	
<u>245</u>	<u>A244</u>	A	7.14	362.0457	362.0458	$C_{17}H_{13}Cl_2N_3O_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.68 (2H, d, $J = 5.9$ Hz), 7.55-7.49 (3H, m), 7.40 (1H, dd, $J = 8.5$, 2.7 Hz), 6.55 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.61 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
<u>246</u>	<u>A245</u>	A	9.11	362.0454	362.0458	$C_{17}H_{13}Cl_2N_3O_2$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 13.03 (1H, s), 8.46 (1H, d, $J = 5.0$ Hz), 8.16 (1H, d, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 7.91 (1H, td, $J = 7.8$, 2.0 Hz), 7.51 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.40-7.36 (1H, m), 7.31 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8$, 2.4 Hz), 6.35 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 6.24 (2H, s), 2.50 (3H, s).
<u>247</u>	<u>A246</u>	A	9.77	392.0563	392.0563	$C_{18}H_{15}Cl_2N_3O_3$	
<u>248</u>	<u>A247</u>	H	10.27	378.0407	378.0407	$C_{17}H_{13}Cl_2N_3O_3$	
<u>249</u>	<u>A248</u>	H	9.01	378.0401	378.0407	$C_{17}H_{13}Cl_2N_3O_3$	
<u>250</u>	<u>A249</u>	H	7.27	378.0403	378.04.7	$C_{17}H_{13}Cl_2N_3O_3$	
<u>251</u>	<u>A250</u>	H	11.96	412.0024	412.0017	$C_{17}H_{12}Cl_3N_3O_3$	
<u>252</u>	<u>A251</u>	H	12.17	455.9492	455.9512	$C_{17}H_{12}BrCl_2N_3O_3$	

[Table 45]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Pred. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Formula(M)	^1H -NMR
<u>253</u>	<u>A253</u>	H	11.33	412.0021	412.0017	$C_{17}H_{12}Cl_3N_3O_3$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 12.93 (1H, s), 8.34 (1H, dd, $J = 4.6, 1.7$ Hz), 8.04 (1H, dd, $J = 8.0, 1.7$ Hz), 7.57-7.53 (2H, m), 7.41 (1H, dd, $J = 8.5, 2.7$ Hz), 6.78 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.54 (2H, s), 2.32 (3H, s).
<u>254</u>	<u>A254</u>	H	11.49	455.9496	455.9512	$C_{17}H_{12}BrCl_2N_3O_3$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 12.93 (1H, s), 8.32 (1H, dd, $J = 4.6, 1.7$ Hz), 8.01 (1H, dd, $J = 8.0, 1.7$ Hz), 7.58-7.53 (2H, m), 7.41 (1H, dd, $J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz), 6.80 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.55 (2H, s), 2.32 (3H, s).
<u>255</u>	<u>A255</u>	H	8.98	392.0564	392.0563	$C_{18}H_{15}Cl_2N_3O_3$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 12.86 (1H, s), 8.32 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.29 (1H, s), 7.58-7.52 (2H, m), 7.40 (1H, dd, $J = 8.5, 2.7$ Hz), 6.75 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.50 (2H, s), 2.34 (3H, s), 2.30 (3H, s).
<u>256</u>	<u>A256</u>	H	8.35	392.0560	392.0563	$C_{18}H_{15}Cl_2N_3O_3$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 8.53 (1H, s), 8.38 (1H, d, $J = 4.9$ Hz), 7.56 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.46-7.40 (2H, m), 6.76 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.56 (2H, s), 2.31 (3H, s), 2.09 (3H, s).
<u>257</u>	<u>A257</u>	H	10.95	412.0022	412.0017	$C_{17}H_{12}Cl_3N_3O_3$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 12.88 (1H, s), 8.73 (1H, s), 8.47 (1H, d, $J = 4.9$ Hz), 7.72 (1H, d, $J = 5.4$ Hz), 7.55 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.42 (1H, dd, $J = 8.3, 2.4$ Hz), 6.78 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 5.55 (2H, s), 2.31 (3H, s).
<u>258</u>	<u>A258</u>	H	11.10	455.9502	455.9512	$C_{17}H_{12}BrCl_2N_3O_3$	(DMSO-d6) δ : 12.90 (1H, s), 8.69 (1H, s), 8.36 (1H, d, $J = 5.4$ Hz), 7.85 (1H, d, $J = 5.4$ Hz), 7.55 (1H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz), 7.42 (1H, dd, $J = 8.3, 2.0$ Hz), 6.81 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 5.55 (2H, s), 2.31 (3H, s).

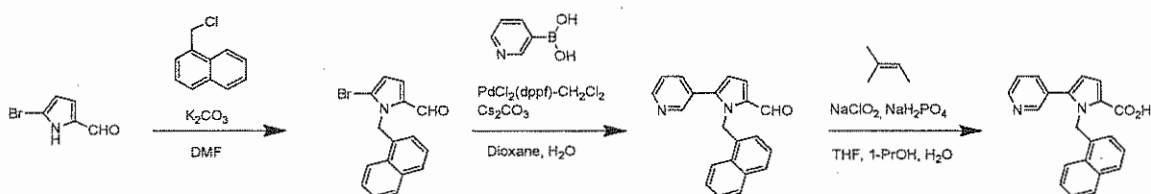
[Table 46]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>259</u>	<u>A259</u>	G	7.28	356.1388	356.1394	C ₂₂ H ₁₇ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.68 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.61 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.19 (1H, s), 8.12-8.08 (1H, m), 8.04-8.00 (1H, m), 7.94-7.89 (2H, m), 7.66-7.62 (2H, m), 7.50-7.42 (2H, m), 7.26 (1H, d, J = 16.1 Hz), 6.68 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.47 (1H, d, J = 16.1 Hz), 6.00 (2H, s).
<u>260</u>	<u>A260</u>	G	7.15	374.0454	374.0458	C ₁₈ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.72-8.67 (2H, m), 8.08 (1H, s), 7.94 (1H, dt, J = 8.0, 2.0 Hz), 7.58-7.54 (2H, m), 7.44 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 7.34 (1H, d, J = 15.6 Hz), 6.72 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 6.46 (1H, d, J = 16.1 Hz), 5.53 (2H, s).
<u>261</u>	<u>A261</u>	G	8.90	422.0491	422.0491	C ₁₉ H ₁₇ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ S	
<u>262</u>	<u>A262</u>	G	10.90	456.0097	456.0102	C ₁₉ H ₁₆ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₂ S	
<u>263</u>	<u>A263</u>	G	11.08	468.0098	468.0102	C ₂₀ H ₁₆ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₂ S	
<u>264</u>	<u>A264</u>	A	8.34	422.0484	422.0491	C ₁₉ H ₁₇ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.61-8.56 (2H, m), 7.84 (1H, dt, J = 8.0, 2.0 Hz), 7.59 (1H, s), 7.54-7.49 (1H, m), 7.44 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.34 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 6.43 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.47 (2H, s), 1.52 (6H, s).
<u>265</u>	<u>A265</u>	A	9.87	440.0397	440.0397	C ₁₉ H ₁₆ Cl ₂ FN ₃ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.54 (1H, d, J = 2.9 Hz), 8.36-8.34 (1H, m), 7.79-7.75 (1H, m), 7.53 (1H, s), 7.44 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.33 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 2.4 Hz), 6.41 (1H, d, J = 2.9 Hz), 5.50 (2H, s), 1.51 (6H, s).
<u>266</u>	<u>A266</u>	A	10.41	456.0103	456.0102	C ₁₉ H ₁₆ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₂ S	

[Example 267]

Production of 1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid
(Compound B1) (Scheme I)

[Chemical Formula 70]



(1) 2-Bromo-1H-pyrrole-5-carbaldehyde (0.53 g, 3.05 mmol) described in literature (for example, Canadian Journal of Chemistry, 1995, 73, 675-684) and 1-chloromethyl-naphthalene (0.6 mL, 4.0 mmol) were dissolved in DMF (5 mL), and potassium carbonate (0.69 g, 5 mmol) was added thereto, and then the mixture was heated and stirred at 80°C for 1 hour. After cooling, ethyl acetate was added and the mixture was washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride. The organic layer was dried over anhydrous magnesium sulfate and was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue obtained was purified by column chromatography to obtain 2-bromo-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carbaldehyde (0.90 g):

¹H-NMR (CDCl₃) δ: 9.41 (1H, s), 8.04 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.89 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.74 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.63-7.59 (1H, m), 7.57-7.52 (1H, m), 7.29 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.08 (1H, d, J = 4.4 Hz), 6.50 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.29 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.20 (2H, s); ESI-MS m/z = 314 (M⁺ + H).

(2) To 2-bromo-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carbaldehyde (0.98 g, 3.12 mmol), pyridin-3-ylboronic acid (0.77 g, 6.24 mmol), cesium carbonate (3.05 g, 9.36 mmol), and PdCl₂(dppf) (346 mg, 0.47 mmol) were added dioxane (24 mL) and water

(2 mL), and the mixture was heated and stirred at 95°C for 12 hours under a nitrogen atmosphere. After cooling, the reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. To the residue was added ethyl acetate and the organic layer was washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride. After being dried over anhydrous magnesium sulfate, the organic layer was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue obtained was purified by column chromatography to obtain 1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carbaldehyde (0.89 g):

ESI-MS $m/z = 313$ ($M^+ + H$).

(3) 1-(Naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carbaldehyde (0.6 g, 1.92 mmol) and 2-methyl-2-butene (2 mL, 6 mmol) were dissolved in a mixed solvent of THF (12 mL) and 1-propanol (24 mL), and the solution was cooled to 0°C. An aqueous solution (12 mL) of a mixture of sodium chlorite (0.9 g, 10 mmol) and sodium dihydrogen phosphate dihydrate (1.56 g, 10 mmol) was added dropwise thereto, and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 17 hours. Additionally, sodium chlorite (0.18 g, 2 mmol), sodium dihydrogen phosphate dihydrate (0.36 g, 2.3 mmol), 2-methyl-2-butene (5 mL, 15 mmol), and 1-propanol (12 mL) were added and the mixture was heated and stirred at 40°C for 29 hours. After cooling, the mixture was extracted with ethyl acetate and the organic layer was washed with saturated aqueous sodium chloride. After being dried over anhydrous magnesium sulfate, the organic layer was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue obtained was purified by a conventional method to obtain 1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid (0.27 g):

$^1\text{H-NMR}$ ($\text{DMSO-}d_6$) δ : 12.30 (1H, s), 8.52 (1H, d, $J = 2.4$ Hz), 8.44 (1H, dd, $J = 4.9$, 1.5 Hz), 8.05-7.92 (2H, m), 7.78 (1H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz), 7.71 (1H, dt, $J = 7.8$, 2.0 Hz),

7.58-7.53 (2H, m), 7.37 (1H, t, J = 7.6 Hz), 7.31 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 4.9 Hz), 7.15 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.54 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.31 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.10 (2H, s);

HPLC retention time = 8.04 min;

Pred. Mass = 329.1285 (M^+ + H, $C_{21}H_{16}N_2O_2$);

Obs. Mass = 329.1288 (M^+ + H).

Compounds from Compound B2 to Compound B35 were synthesized in a manner similar to Example 267.

[Table 47]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>268</u>	<u>B2</u>	I	8.58	343.1446	343.1441	C ₂₂ H ₁₈ N ₂ O ₂	
<u>269</u>	<u>B3</u>	I	8.61	412.9968	412.9954	C ₁₉ H ₁₃ BrN ₂ O ₂ S	(DMSO-D6) δ: 8.60 (1H, d, J = 1.8 Hz), 8.53 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.02-7.99 (1H, m), 7.83 (1H, dt, J = 8.0, 1.8 Hz), 7.62 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 1.0 Hz), 7.43 (1H, dd, J = 8.3, 4.9 Hz), 7.26 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.13 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.53 (2H, d, J = 4.4 Hz), 6.14 (2H, s).
<u>270</u>	<u>B4</u>	I	7.62	343.1434	343.1441	C ₂₂ H ₁₈ N ₂ O ₂	(DMSO-D6) δ: 8.24 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.19 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 7.70-7.65 (2H, m), 7.52 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.48 (1H, dt, J = 7.6, 1.5 Hz), 7.36-7.32 (2H, m), 7.07-7.01 (3H, m), 6.30 (2H, s), 6.19 (1H, d, J = 4.4 Hz), 2.02 (3H, s).
<u>271</u>	<u>B5</u>	I	8.21	343.1428	343.1441	C ₂₂ H ₁₈ N ₂ O ₂	
<u>272</u>	<u>B6</u>	I	8.67	407.0378	407.0390	C ₂₁ H ₁₅ BrN ₂ O ₂	
<u>273</u>	<u>B7</u>	I	8.41	349.1001	349.1005	C ₂₀ H ₁₆ N ₂ O ₂ S	
<u>274</u>	<u>B8</u>	I	7.90	335.0848	335.0849	C ₁₉ H ₁₄ N ₂ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.65 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.57 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 7.96-7.92 (2H, m), 7.67-7.62 (1H, m), 7.51 (1H, dd, J = 8.0, 5.1 Hz), 7.39-7.33 (2H, m), 7.11 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.68 (1H, s), 6.51 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 5.86 (2H, s).

[Table 48]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>275</u>	<u>B9</u>	I	8.90	403.0725	403.0723	C ₂₀ H ₁₃ F ₃ N ₂ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 12.33 (1H, s), 8.58-8.55 (1H, m), 8.50 (1H, d, J = 3.4 Hz), 8.35 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.86-7.78 (2H, m), 7.54 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.38 (1H, dd, J = 7.8, 4.9 Hz), 7.14 (1H, d, J = 4.4 Hz), 6.67 (1H, s), 6.53 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 5.81 (2H, s).
<u>276</u>	<u>B10</u>	I	8.47	369.0451	369.0459	C ₁₉ H ₁₃ ClN ₂ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.61 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.53 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 7.95 (1H, d, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.84 (1H, dt, J = 7.8, 2.0 Hz), 7.45-7.40 (2H, m), 7.34 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.13 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.54-6.49 (2H, m), 6.09 (2H, s).
<u>277</u>	<u>B11</u>	I	8.25	347.0346	347.0349	C ₁₇ H ₁₂ Cl ₂ N ₂ O 2	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.61-8.56 (2H, m), 7.82 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.53-7.44 (2H, m), 7.33 (1H, dd, J = 8.5, 2.2 Hz), 7.14 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.54 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.18 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 5.63 (2H, s).
<u>278</u>	<u>B12</u>	I	7.85	307.1437	307.1441	C ₁₉ H ₁₈ N ₂ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.58-8.54 (2H, m), 7.82-7.77 (1H, m), 7.49-7.45 (1H, m), 7.09 (1H, dd, J = 3.9, 1.0 Hz), 6.99 (1H, d, J = 7.3 Hz), 6.88 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 6.49 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 5.96 (1H, s), 5.54 (2H, s), 2.09 (6H, s).
<u>279</u>	<u>B13</u>	I	8.33	361.0520	361.0505	C ₁₈ H ₁₄ Cl ₂ N ₂ O 2	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.47 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.38 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 7.73 (1H, s), 7.46 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.33 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 7.13 (1H, d, J = 4.0 Hz), 6.53 (1H, d, J = 4.0 Hz), 6.20 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.64 (2H, s), 2.30 (3H, s).
<u>280</u>	<u>B14</u>	I	11.45	365.0254	365.0254	C ₁₇ H ₁₁ Cl ₂ FN ₂ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.57 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.36 (1H, s), 7.78 (1H, dt, J = 9.8, 2.2 Hz), 7.45 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.33 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.4 Hz), 7.13 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.58 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.19 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.68 (2H, s).

[Table 49]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>281</u>	<u>B15</u>	I	8.53	383.0614	383.0616	C ₂₀ H ₁₅ ClN ₂ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.45 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.43 (1H, s), 7.95 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.80 (1H, s), 7.44 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.35 (1H, dd, J = 8.0, 4.0 Hz), 7.13 (1H, d, J = 4.4 Hz), 6.52-6.51 (2H, m), 6.11 (2H, s), 2.24 (3H, s).
<u>282</u>	<u>B16</u>	I	11.79	387.0364	387.0365	C ₁₉ H ₁₂ ClFN ₂ O 2S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 12.45 (1H, s), 8.53 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.47 (1H, s), 7.95 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.83 (1H, dt, J = 9.1, 2.4 Hz), 7.44 (1H, d, J = 7.1 Hz), 7.35 (1H, t, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.12 (1H, d, J = 7.1 Hz), 6.59 (1H, d, J = 4.0 Hz), 6.51 (1H, s), 6.14 (2H, s).
<u>283</u>	<u>B17</u>	I	12.28	380.9955	380.9959	C ₁₇ H ₁₁ Cl ₃ N ₂ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.60 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.44 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 7.91 (1H, t, J = 2.2 Hz), 7.46 (1H, d, J = 8.8 Hz), 7.33 (1H, dd, J = 8.8, 2.7 Hz), 7.13 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.58 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.22 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 5.67 (2H, s).
<u>284</u>	<u>B18</u>	I	12.61	403.0069	403.0069	C ₁₉ H ₁₂ Cl ₂ N ₂ O ₂ S	(DMSO-d6) δ: 12.44 (1H, s), 8.56 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 8.55 (1H, d, J = 2.4 Hz), 7.98-7.95 (2H, m), 7.44 (1H, dd, J = 4.0, 2.2 Hz), 7.35 (1H, t, J = 8.0 Hz), 7.12 (1H, d, J = 4.0 Hz), 6.59 (1H, d, J = 4.0 Hz), 6.53 (1H, s), 6.13 (2H, s).
<u>285</u>	<u>B19</u>	I	6.84	330.1236	330.1237	C ₂₀ H ₁₅ N ₃ O ₂	(DMSO-d6) δ: 8.88 (1H, dd, J = 4.1, 1.7 Hz), 8.60 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 8.50 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.39-8.35 (1H, m), 7.92-7.82 (2H, m), 7.60-7.55 (1H, m), 7.51-7.41 (2H, m), 7.15 (1H, d, J = 4.0 Hz), 6.62-6.54 (2H, m), 6.24 (2H, s).

[Table 50]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Pred. Mass ($M^+ + H$)	Formula(M)	$^1\text{H-NMR}$
<u>286</u>	<u>B20</u>	I	8.25	335.0839	335.0849	$\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{14}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}$	(DMSO- d_6) δ : 8.57 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.52 (1H, dd, $J = 5.1, 1.2$ Hz), 7.84 (1H, d, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 7.76-7.72 (2H, m), 7.48-7.41 (2H, m), 7.26 (1H, t, $J = 7.8$ Hz), 7.12 (1H, d, $J = 3.9$ Hz), 6.52 (1H, d, $J = 3.9$ Hz), 6.40 (1H, d, $J = 7.3$ Hz), 5.85 (2H, s).
<u>287</u>	<u>B21</u>	I	8.29	349.0990	349.1005	$\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{16}\text{N}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}$	(DMSO- d_6) δ : 8.39 (2H, s), 7.75 (2H, d, $J = 5.9$ Hz), 7.70 (1H, s), 7.47 (1H, d, $J = 5.4$ Hz), 7.26 (1H, t, $J = 7.6$ Hz), 7.11 (1H, d, $J = 3.9$ Hz), 6.51 (1H, d, $J = 3.9$ Hz), 6.42 (1H, d, $J = 6.8$ Hz), 5.86 (2H, s), 2.18 (3H, s).
<u>288</u>	<u>B22</u>	I	11.21	353.0761	353.0755	$\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{13}\text{FN}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}$	(DMSO- d_6) δ : 12.47 (1H, s), 8.47 (1H, d, $J = 2.9$ Hz), 8.35 (1H, s), 7.76-7.68 (3H, m), 7.47 (1H, d, $J = 5.4$ Hz), 7.25 (1H, t, $J = 7.6$ Hz), 7.12 (1H, d, $J = 3.9$ Hz), 6.55 (1H, d, $J = 3.9$ Hz), 6.41 (1H, d, $J = 7.3$ Hz), 5.90 (2H, s).
<u>289</u>	<u>B23</u>	I	11.96	369.0464	369.0459	$\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{13}\text{ClN}_2\text{O}_2\text{S}$	(DMSO- d_6) δ : 8.50 (1H, d, $J = 2.0$ Hz), 8.42 (1H, s), 7.83 (1H, d, $J = 1.5$ Hz), 7.76-7.72 (2H, m), 7.47 (1H, d, $J = 5.4$ Hz), 7.26 (1H, t, $J = 7.6$ Hz), 7.11 (1H, d, $J = 4.4$ Hz), 6.55 (1H, d, $J = 4.4$ Hz), 6.43 (1H, d, $J = 7.3$ Hz), 5.89 (2H, s).
<u>290</u>	<u>B24</u>	I	8.99	406.1228	406.1220	$\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{19}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{S}$	
<u>291</u>	<u>B25</u>	I	9.39	432.1387	432.1376	$\text{C}_{24}\text{H}_{21}\text{N}_3\text{O}_3\text{S}$	
<u>292</u>	<u>B26</u>	I	11.42	442.0193	442.0190	$\text{C}_{18}\text{H}_{14}\text{Cl}_2\text{FN}_3\text{O}_3\text{S}$	
<u>293</u>	<u>B27</u>	I	12.02	468.0346	468.0346	$\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{16}\text{Cl}_2\text{FN}_3\text{O}_3\text{S}$	

[Table 51]

Example	Compound No.	Scheme	HPLC Retention time	Obs. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Pred. Mass (M ⁺ +H)	Formula(M)	¹ H-NMR
<u>294</u>	<u>B28</u>	I	8.88	424.0303	424.0284	C ₁₈ H ₁₅ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃ S	
<u>295</u>	<u>B29</u>	I	12.10	457.9887	457.9894	C ₁₈ H ₁₄ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₃ S	
<u>296</u>	<u>B30</u>	I	12.68	484.0060	484.0051	C ₂₀ H ₁₆ Cl ₃ N ₃ O ₃ S	
<u>297</u>	<u>B31</u>	I	9.52	450.0450	450.0440	C ₂₀ H ₁₇ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃ S	
<u>298</u>	<u>B32</u>	I	9.50	464.0601	464.0597	C ₂₁ H ₁₉ Cl ₂ N ₃ O ₃ S	
<u>299</u>	<u>B33</u>	I	8.14	355.1439	355.1441	C ₂₃ H ₁₈ N ₂ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.53 (1H, d, J = 2.0 Hz), 8.49 (1H, dd, J = 4.9, 1.5 Hz), 8.14-8.09 (1H, m), 8.02-7.98 (1H, m), 7.87 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.78 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 7.64-7.59 (2H, m), 7.45-7.41 (2H, m), 7.28 (1H, d, J = 15.6 Hz), 7.15 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.68 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.51 (1H, d, J = 6.8 Hz), 6.27 (1H, d, J = 15.6 Hz), 5.84 (2H, s).
<u>300</u>	<u>B34</u>	I	8.32	387.0658	387.0662	C ₂₀ H ₁₆ Cl ₂ N ₂ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.36 (1H, s), 8.25 (1H, s), 7.54-7.50 (2H, m), 7.40-7.34 (2H, m), 7.09 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.55 (1H, d, J = 4.4 Hz), 6.31-6.26 (2H, m), 5.38 (2H, s), 2.26 (3H, s).
<u>301</u>	<u>B35</u>	I	11.39	391.0407	391.0411	C ₁₉ H ₁₃ Cl ₂ FN ₂ O ₂	(DMSO-d ₆) δ: 8.53 (1H, d, J = 2.9 Hz), 8.35 (1H, d, J = 1.5 Hz), 7.71 (1H, dt, J = 9.9, 2.2 Hz), 7.52 (1H, d, J = 8.3 Hz), 7.39-7.35 (2H, m), 7.11 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.65 (1H, d, J = 3.9 Hz), 6.34-6.27 (2H, m), 5.44 (2H, s).

[Example 302]

Test for inhibition of uric acid transport using human URAT1-expressing cells

(1) Preparation of the test compound

The test compound was dissolved in DMSO (produced by Sigma) to a concentration of 20 mM and was subsequently used by diluting to desired concentrations.

(2) Test for inhibition of uric acid transport using human URAT1-expressing cells

Full-length cDNA of human URAT1 (hURAT1) (produced by OriGene Technologies, Inc., NCBI Reference Sequence: NM 144585) was subcloned into an expression vector, pCMV6-Kan/Neo (produced by OriGene Technologies, Inc.), and hURAT1 gene was transfected into human embryonic kidney-derived cells (HEK 293 cells) by liposome method using Lipofectamine 2000 (produced by Invitrogen Corporation), whereupon HEK 293 cells expressing human URAT1 gene were screened by its Geneticin resistance. By a method similar to the following method, functional expression of human URAT1 gene was confirmed by using transport of ^{14}C -labeled uric acid into the cells as an index.

The HEK 293 cells expressing human URAT1 were seeded in a 24-well cell culture dish to a density of 3×10^5 cells/mL/well and were cultured in Dulbecco's modified Eagle's medium (D-MEM medium) containing 10% fetal bovine serum at 37°C for 2 days. Thereafter, the following test for inhibition of uric acid transport was performed.

After the medium was removed by aspiration from each well, the medium was replaced with a solution obtained by substituting NaCl in Hank's Balanced Salt Solution (HBSS) with Na gluconate (hereinafter, HBSS/Na-gluconate) and the cells were

preincubated at 37°C for about 10 minutes. HBSS/Na-gluconate was removed by aspiration and a ^{14}C -uric acid solution that was warmed at 37°C in advance containing various concentrations of the Example compound described in (1) and a radioactive ligand (^{14}C -labeled uric acid; final concentration 25 μM) was added and an uptake reaction was carried out by incubating at 37°C for 5 min. After the incubation, ^{14}C -labeled uric acid solution was removed by aspiration and the cells were washed three times with ice-cold HBSS. The HEK 293 cells expressing human URAT1 were lysed in 0.2 mol/L aqueous NaOH (hereafter, the cell sample) and the cell samples were collected. The cell sample and a liquid scintillation liquid, ULTIMA GOLD (produced by PerkinElmer, Inc.) were mixed and the radioactivity was measured by a liquid scintillation counter (Beckman Coulter, Inc.).

The uric acid transport rate of the Example compound at each concentration (% of control uptake) was calculated relative to the radioactivity (radioactivity in human URAT1 expressing HEK 293 cells without addition of the Example compound (DMSO addition)) showing URAT1-specific uric acid transport as 100%, and the concentration (IC_{50}) of the Example compound at which the uric acid transport rate is inhibited by 50% was determined. The results are shown in the following table. In addition, the symbols (*, **, and ***) in the table represent the following inhibitory activity values:

$\text{IC}_{50} \leq 0.2 \mu\text{M}$: ***

$0.2 \mu\text{M} < \text{IC}_{50} \leq 2\mu\text{M}$: **

$2 \mu\text{M} < \text{IC}_{50} \leq 20\mu\text{M}$: *

[Table 52]

Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity	Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity	Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity	Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity
A1	* *	A23	* *	A44	* *	A64	*
A2	* *	A24	* *	A45	* * *	A65	*
A3	* *	A25	* * *	A46	* *	A66	*
A4	*	A26	* * *	A47	*	A67	* *
A5	*	A27	* *	A48	*	A68	* *
A6	* *	A28	*	A49	*	A70	* *
A7	* *	A30	*	A50	*	A71	* * *
A8	* *	A31	* *	A51	*	A72	*
A9	* *	A32	*	A52	*	A73	*
A10	* *	A33	* *	A53	*	A74	*
A11	* *	A34	* *	A54	* *	A75	*
A12	*	A35	* *	A55	* *	A76	* *
A13	* * *	A36	* *	A56	*	A77	* *
A14	* * *	A37	* * *	A57	*	A78	* * *
A15	* * *	A38	* * *	A58	*	A79	* *
A16	*	A39	* * *	A59	*	A80	* *
A17	* *	A40	* *	A60	*	A81	* *
A18	* * *	A41	* *	A61	*	A82	* *
A19	* * *	A42	* *	A62	*	A83	* *
A22	* *	A43	* * *	A63	*	A84	* *

[Table 53]

Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity	Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity	Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity	Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity
A85	***	A105	***	A133	**	A153	**
A86	***	A106	*	A134	***	A154	***
A87	*	A107	*	A135	***	A155	***
A88	***	A108	***	A136	***	A156	***
A89	***	A109	**	A137	***	A157	***
A90	***	A110	**	A138	**	A158	**
A91	***	A111	*	A139	***	A159	**
A92	***	A112	*	A140	***	A160	**
A93	***	A115	*	A141	**	A161	**
A94	**	A116	*	A142	***	A162	**
A95	*	A117	**	A143	***	A163	*
A96	***	A118	**	A144	***	A164	**
A97	*	A119	**	A145	***	A165	*
A98	***	A120	*	A146	***	A166	***
A99	***	A121	**	A147	***	A167	***
A100	***	A124	*	A148	**	A168	***
A101	***	A125	*	A149	***	A169	***
A102	**	A130	**	A150	***	A170	**
A103	**	A131	*	A151	***	A171	***
A104	***	A132	**	A152	**	A172	**

[Table 54]

Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity	Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity	Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity	Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity
A173	***	A193	***	A213	***	A233	***
A174	***	A194	***	A214	***	A234	**
A175	**	A195	***	A215	***	A235	***
A176	***	A196	***	A216	***	A236	***
A177	***	A197	***	A217	***	A237	***
A178	**	A198	*	A218	***	A238	**
A179	***	A199	**	A219	***	A239	*
A180	***	A200	***	A220	***	A240	**
A181	***	A201	*	A221	***	A241	*
A182	***	A202	***	A222	*	A242	*
A183	***	A203	**	A223	**	A243	*
A184	*	A204	***	A224	*	A244	**
A185	***	A205	***	A225	***	A245	***
A186	*	A206	***	A226	***	A246	**
A187	*	A207	***	A227	***	A247	**
A188	***	A208	***	A228	**	A248	***
A189	**	A209	***	A229	**	A250	***
A190	**	A210	***	A230	**	A251	***
A191	***	A211	***	A231	***	A252	***
A192	**	A212	***	A232	***	A253	***

[Table 55]

Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity	Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity	Compound No.	Inhibitory Activity
A254	***	B9	***	B29	***
A255	***	B10	***	B30	***
A256	***	B11	***	B31	***
A257	***	B12	***	B32	***
A258	***	B13	***	B33	***
A259	*	B14	***	B34	***
A260	*	B15	***	B35	***
A261	*	B16	***		
A262	**	B17	***		
A263	**	B18	***		
A264	*	B19	**		
A265	*	B20	***		
A266	**	B21	***		
B1	***	B22	***		
B2	***	B23	***		
B3	***	B24	***		
B4	**	B25	***		
B6	***	B26	***		
B7	***	B27	***		
B8	***	B28	***		

Test for Drug Efficacy in *Cebus apella*

[Example 303]

A test compound (3 mg/kg to 30 mg/kg) prepared by suspending in a 0.5% methylcellulose solution was administered to *Cebus apella* into stomach via the nasal cavity using a disposable catheter and a syringe barrel. Blood samples were taken before administration and 30 minutes, 1 hour, 2 hours, 4 hours, 8 hours, 12 hours, and 24 hours after administration; and urine samples were collected for the time intervals of immediately to 4 hours after administration, from 4 hours to 8 hours after administration, from 8 hours to 16 hours after administration, and from 16 hours to 24 hours after administration. Concentrations of uric acid and creatinine in the blood and urine samples collected were measured by an automatic analyzer (JEOL Ltd.). Uric acid and creatine were measured using L-type Wako UA•F (Wako Pure Chemicals Industries, Ltd.) and L-type Creatine F (Wako Pure Chemicals Industries, Ltd.) respectively. Uric acid clearance was calculated from the uric acid concentrations in blood and urine and, similarly, creatinine clearance was calculated from the creatinine concentrations. From these values, the uric acid excretion rate was determined according to the following equation:

$$\text{Uric acid excretion rate (\%)} = (\text{uric acid clearance/creatinine clearance}) \times 100$$

In the present test, the excellent uricosuric effect was confirmed for compounds A1, A2, A7, A13, A14, A15, A19, A26, A81, A119, A121, A134, A135, A137, A139, A147, A156, A169, A233, B1, and B11.

From the above-mentioned results, it is shown that the pyridine derivative of the present invention possesses a superior uricosuric effect.

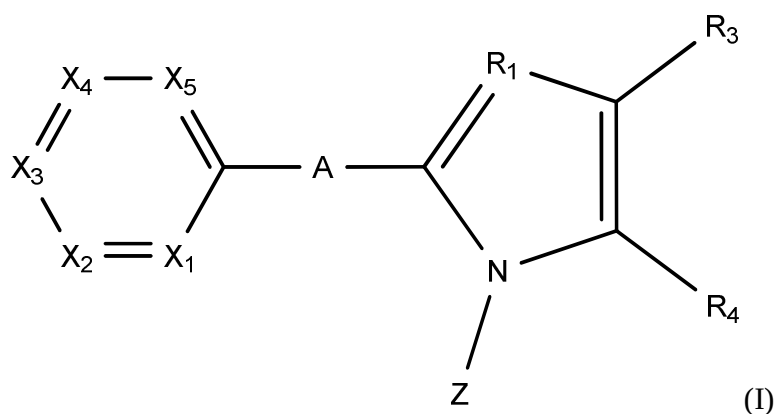
INDUSTRIAL APPLICABILITY

The pyridine derivative of the present invention or the prodrug thereof, or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof is used as a pharmaceutical.

CLAIMS

1. A pyridine derivative represented by the following formula (I) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof:

[Chemical Formula 1]



wherein:

A represents a single bond or an oxygen atom;

R₁ represents a nitrogen atom or CH; one of X₁ to X₅ represents a nitrogen atom and the remaining four represent CR₂;

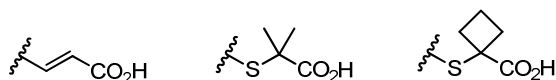
R₂ each independently represent a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkenyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkynyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, an alkylcarbonyl group having 2 to 7 carbon atoms, an alkylsulfonyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a nitro group, an amino group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, a formyl group, a hydroxyl group, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, a phenyl group, a cyclohexyl group, and a halogen atom), an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), or a phenoxy group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), with the proviso that when two CR₂'s are adjacent, the two R₂'s may optionally be joined together to form a

ring;

R₃ represents a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, an amino group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, an imidazole ring, a pyrazole ring, a pyrrolidine ring, a piperidine ring, a morpholine ring, and a piperazine ring (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms and an alkylsulfonyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms)), an alkenyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkynyl group having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group and a halogen atom), an alkylcarbonyl group having 2 to 7 carbon atoms, an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkylsulfinyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a pyridyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a phenoxy group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a carboxyl group, or -CO₂R₅;

R₄ represents a carboxyl group, a tetrazolyl group, -CONHSO₂R₅, -CO₂R₅, or any of the following substituents:

[Chemical Formula 2]

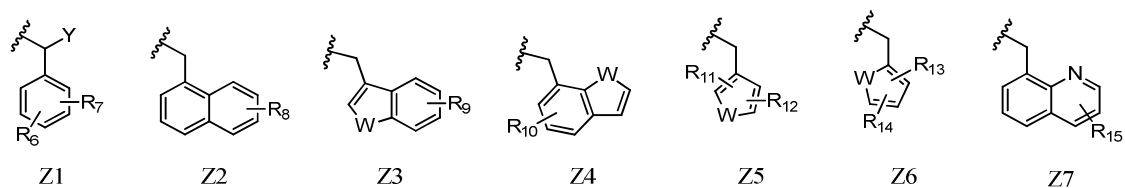


with the proviso that when R₃ is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms substituted with a hydroxyl group and when R₄ is a carboxyl group, then R₃ and R₄ may optionally be fused to form a lactone ring;

R₅ in R₃ and R₄ each independently represents an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms;

Z represents any of the following substituents designated Z1 to Z7:

[Chemical Formula 3]



wherein:

R_6 and R_7 each independently represent a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a trifluoromethyl group, a trifluoromethoxy group, or a cyano group, with the proviso that the case where R_6 and R_7 are simultaneously hydrogen atoms is excluded;

R_8 represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group;

R_9 represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group;

R_{10} represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group;

R_{11} and R_{12} each independently represent a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group;

R_{13} and R_{14} each independently represent a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group;

R_{15} represents a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a trifluoromethyl group;

Y represents a hydrogen atom or an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms; and

W represents a sulfur atom, an oxygen atom, or NR_{16} (where R_{16} represents a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, or a benzyl group).

2. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to claim 1, wherein A is a single bond.

3. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to claim 1 or wherein A is an oxygen atom.

4. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to any of claims 1 to 3, wherein R_1 is a nitrogen atom.

5. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the

solvate thereof according to any of claims 1 to 3, wherein R_1 is CH.

6. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to any of claims 1 to 5, wherein, among X_1 to X_5 , X_1 or X_2 is a nitrogen atom.

7. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to any of claims 1 to 6, wherein, among four CR_2 's, three are CH's and R_2 of the remaining one CR_2 is a hydrogen atom, an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a nitro group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, a hydroxyl group, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, a phenyl group, a cyclohexyl group, and a halogen atom), an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), or a phenoxy group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom).

8. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to claim 7, wherein R_2 is a hydrogen atom, a methyl group, an ethyl group, a cyclopropyl group, a methoxy group, an ethoxy group, a propoxy group, an isopropoxy group, an isobutyloxy group, a benzyloxy group, a methylthio group, a fluorine atom, a chlorine atom, a bromine atom, a cyano group, a hydroxyl group, a pyrrolidin-1-yl group, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a nitro group, a phenyl group, or a phenoxy group.

9. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to any of claims 1 to 8, wherein, among four CR_2 's, three are CH's and the remaining CR_2 is located at X_4 .

10. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to claim 9, wherein X_2 is a nitrogen atom.

11. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to any of claims 1 to 10, wherein R_3 is a hydrogen atom, an

alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of a hydroxyl group, an amino group, a dialkylamino group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms which may optionally form a ring, an imidazole ring, a pyrazole ring, a pyrrolidine ring, a piperidine ring, a morpholine ring, and a piperazine ring (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms and an alkylsulfonyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms)), an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkylthio group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, a halogen atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a cyano group, a phenyl group (which may optionally be substituted with one or more of an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, an alkoxy group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and a halogen atom), a carboxyl group, or $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_5$.

12. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to claim 11, wherein R_3 is a hydrogen atom, a methyl group, an ethyl group, an isopropyl group, a cyclopropyl group, a chlorine atom, a bromine atom, an iodine atom, a trifluoromethyl group, a difluoromethyl group, a methoxy group, a phenyl group, a cyano group, a carboxyl group, $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_5$, a hydroxymethyl group, a 1-hydroxyethyl group, a 2-hydroxypropan-2-yl group, a 3-hydroxypentan-3-yl group, a dimethylaminomethyl group, a diethylaminomethyl group, or a morpholin-4-ylmethyl group.

13. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to any of claims 1 to 12, wherein R_4 is a carboxyl group (which may optionally be fused with R_3 to form a lactone ring when R_3 is an alkyl group having 1 to 6 carbon atoms substituted with a hydroxyl group), a tetrazolyl group, $-\text{CONHSO}_2\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{CONHSO}_2\text{-cyclopropyl}$, or $-\text{CO}_2\text{R}_5$.

14. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to claims 1 to 13, wherein Z is Z1, Z2, Z3, or Z4.

15. The pyridine derivative or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to claim 14, wherein Z is Z1, and R_6 and R_7 are, on a phenyl ring, chlorine substituents at 2- and 5-positions, chlorine substituents at 3- and 5-positions, methyl substituents at 2- and 5-positions, trifluoromethyl substituents at 2- and 5-positions, or chlorine and methyl substituents at 2- and 5-positions, respectively;

Z is Z2, and R_8 is, on a naphthalene ring, a hydrogen atom, a 2-methyl group, a 4-

methyl group, an 8-methyl group, or an 8-bromo group;

Z is Z₃, and R₉ is, on a benzothiophene, benzofuran, or indole ring, a hydrogen atom, a 4-methyl group, a 4-chloro group, a 4-bromo group, a 4-trifluoromethyl group, a 5-methyl group, a 5-chloro group, or a 5-trifluoromethyl group; or

Z is Z₄, and R₁₀ is, on a benzothiophene, benzofuran, or indole ring, a hydrogen atom or a 5-fluoro group.

16. A pyridine derivative selected from the following compounds (1) to (193) or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof:

- (1) 1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (2) 4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (3) ethyl 4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylate;
- (4) 4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-((4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (5) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (6) 1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (7) 4-chloro-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (8) 4-ethyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (9) 4-cyclopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (10) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (11) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (12) 4-cyclopropyl-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (13) 4-methyl-1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (14) 4-cyclopropyl-1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-

imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(15) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(16) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(17) 4-chloro-1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(18) 4-isopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(19) 4-isopropyl-1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(20) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(21) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(22) 1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(23) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(24) 1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(25) 4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-((4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(26) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(27) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(28) 1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(29) 4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-((4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

- (30) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (31) 1-(2-chloro-5-fluorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (32) 1-(5-chloro-2-fluorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (33) 1-(2-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (34) 1-(5-chloro-2-(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (35) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (36) 1-(2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (37) 1-(2-bromobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (38) 1-(3-bromobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (39) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(quinolin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (40) 1-(3,4-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (41) 1-(2,3-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (42) 1-(3,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (43) 1-(3-chloro-5-fluorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (44) 1-(2,4-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (45) 1-(2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (46) 1-((2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (47) 1-((2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (48) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

- (49) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-cyclopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (50) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-isopropyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (51) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (52) 1-((5-fluorobenzo[b]thiophen-7-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (53) 4-cyclopropyl-1-((5-fluorobenzo[b]thiophen-7-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (54) 4-chloro-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (55) 4-bromo-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (56) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-iodo-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (57) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-phenyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (58) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(3-fluorophenyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (59) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(4-fluorophenyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (60) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2,4-di(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (61) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methoxy-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (62) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(2,2,2-trifluoroethoxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (63) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-(p-tolyloxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (64) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(4-fluorophenoxy)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (65) 4-cyano-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (66) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-4-vinyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (67) 4-(1-cyclopenten-1-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

- (68) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(methylthio)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (69) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(ethylthio)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (70) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (71) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(3-hydroxypentan-3-yl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (72) 3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-5-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine;
- (73) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-cyclopropyl-N-(methylsulfonyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxamide;
- (74) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-4-cyclopropyl-N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxamide;
- (75) 2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (76) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (77) 4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(5-phenoxy-pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (78) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (79) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (80) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (81) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (82) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (83) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

- (84) 4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (85) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (86) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(trifluoromethyl)-2-(5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (87) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (88) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (89) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-(trifluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (90) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-isopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (91) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-cyclopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (92) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-isopropyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (93) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-cyclopropyl-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (94) 4-ethyl-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (95) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-ethyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (96) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethyl-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (97) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (98) 2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-isopropyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (99) 4-cyclopropyl-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-

carboxylic acid;

(100) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-isopropyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(101) 4-cyclopropyl-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(102) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(103) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(104) 2-(5-cyanopyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(105) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(106) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(2-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(107) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(6-methoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(108) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(2-methoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(109) 2-(6-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(110) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-(pyrrolidin-1-yl)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(111) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-nitropyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(112) 2-(5-cyclopropylpyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(113) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(114) 1-(2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(115) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

- (116) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-hydroxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (117) 1-(2,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)benzyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (118) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-ethoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (119) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-isopropoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (120) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-phenylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (121) 2-(5-bromopyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (122) 1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (123) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (124) 1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (125) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-ethylpyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (126) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-(methylthio)pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (127) 2-(5-acetylpyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (128) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-propoxypyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (129) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-isobutoxypyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (130) 2-(5-(cyclohexylmethoxy)pyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (131) 2-(5-(benzyloxy)pyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-

carboxylic acid;

(132) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(hydroxymethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(133) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((dimethylamino)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(134) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((diethylamino)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(135) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(pyrrolidin-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(136) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(piperidin-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(137) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(morpholinomethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(138) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((4-methylpiperazin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(139) 4-((1H-imidazol-1-yl)methyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(140) 4-((1H-pyrazol-1-yl)methyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(141) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((4-propylpiperazin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(142) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((4-(methylsulfonyl)piperazin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(143) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-((4-(ethylsulfonyl)piperazin-1-yl)methyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(144) 2-(5-bromopyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(145) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(146) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(difluoromethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(147) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-(difluoromethyl)pyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(148) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-ethynyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(149) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-4,5-dicarboxylic acid;

(150) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(1-hydroxyethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(151) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(152) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(153) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(2-hydroxypropan-2-yl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(154) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-(3-hydroxypentan-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(155) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(3-hydroxypentan-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(156) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-(3-hydroxypentan-3-yl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(157) 4-acetyl-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(158) 4-chloro-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(159) 4-chloro-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(160) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-furo[3,4-d]imidazol-6(4H)-one;

(161) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(1-(2,5-dichlorophenyl)ethyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(162) 1-((2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(163) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-((2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-

imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(164) 1-((2,5-dichlorothiophen-3-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(165) 1-((2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(166) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-((2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(167) 1-((2,4-dichlorothiophen-5-yl)methyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(168) 1-(2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(169) 1-(2-chloro-5-methylbenzyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(170) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(171) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(172) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-isopropyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(173) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-4-cyclopropyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(174) 3-chloro-5-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-5-(1H-tetrazol-5-yl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)pyridine;

(175) 1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-4-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(176) 2-(6-methoxypyridin-2-yl)-4-methyl-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(177) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-4-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

(178) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yl)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;

- (179) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(6-methoxypyridin-2-yl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (180) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-2-yloxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (181) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-(pyridin-3-yloxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (182) 2-((5-chloropyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (183) 2-((5-bromopyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (184) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-((2-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (185) 2-((2-chloropyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (186) 2-((2-bromopyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (187) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-((5-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (188) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-2-((4-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (189) 2-((4-chloropyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (190) 2-((4-bromopyridin-3-yl)oxy)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-4-methyl-1H-imidazole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (191) 2-((2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazole-5-yl)thio)-2-methylpropanoic acid;
- (192) 1-((2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazol-5-yl)thio)cyclobutanecarboxylic acid; and
- (193) 2-((5-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-imidazol-2-yl)thio)-2-methylpropanoic acid.
17. A pyridine derivative selected from the following compounds (194) to (227) or a

pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof:

- (194) 1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (195) 1-((4-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (196) 1-((4-bromobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (197) 1-((2-methylnaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (198) 1-((8-bromonaphthalen-1-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (199) 1-((4-methylbenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (200) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (201) 2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-((4-(trifluoromethyl)benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (202) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (203) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (204) 1-(2,5-dimethylbenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (205) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (206) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (207) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (208) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (209) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (210) 1-((4-chlorobenzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)methyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (211) 2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1-(quinolin-8-ylmethyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (212) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;
- (213) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-

carboxylic acid;

(214) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;

(215) 1-(benzo[b]thiophen-7-ylmethyl)-2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxylic acid;

(216) N-(methylsulfonyl)-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(217) N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(218) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-N-(methylsulfonyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(219) N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(220) 1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-N-(methylsulfonyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(221) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-N-(methylsulfonyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(222) 2-(5-chloropyridin-3-yl)-N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(223) N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(224) N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrole-5-carboxamide;

(225) (E)-3-(1-(naphthalen-1-ylmethyl)-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrol-5-yl)acrylic acid;

(226) (E)-3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-methylpyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrol-5-yl)acrylic acid; and

(227) (E)-3-(1-(2,5-dichlorobenzyl)-2-(5-fluoropyridin-3-yl)-1H-pyrrol-5-yl)acrylic acid.

18. A prodrug of the pyridine derivative according to any of claims 1 to 17 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a solvate thereof, wherein the prodrug is (i) compounds in which the carboxyl group in the formula (I) has been C₁₋₆ alkyl esterified,

phenyl esterified, carboxymethyl esterified, dimethylaminomethyl esterified, pivaloyloxymethyl esterified, ethoxycarbonyloxyethyl esterified, phthalidyl esterified, (5-methyl-2-oxo-1,3-dioxolen-4-yl)methyl esterified, cyclohexyloxycarbonyl ethyl esterified, or methylamidated, (ii) compounds in which the hydroxyl group in the formula (I) has been acetylated, palmitoylated, propanoylated, pivaloylated, succinylated, fumarylated, alanylated, dimethylaminomethylcarbonylated, or tetrahydropyranylated, (iii) compounds in which the amino group in the formula (I) has been eicosanoylated, alanylated, pentylaminocarbonylated, (5-methyl-2-oxo-1,3-dioxolen-4-yl)methoxycarbonylated, tetrahydrofuranylated, tetrahydropyranylated, pyrrolidylmethylated, pivaloyloxymethylated, or tert-butylated, or (iv) compounds in which R_3 and/or R_4 in the formula (I) is $-CO_2R_5$ or compounds in which R_3 and R_4 are fused to form a lactone ring.

19. A pharmaceutical composition comprising the pyridine derivative or the prodrug thereof, or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to any of claims 1 to 18.

20. A URAT1 inhibitor comprising as an active ingredient the pyridine derivative or the prodrug thereof, or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to any of claims 1 to 18.

21. An agent for treatment or prevention of one or more diseases selected from the group consisting of gout, hyperuricemia, hypertension, renal diseases, diabetes, arteriosclerosis, and Lesch-Nyhan syndrome, comprising as an active ingredient the pyridine derivative or the prodrug thereof, or the pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or the solvate thereof according to any of claims 1 to 18.