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CDR-1															
Trastuzumab VH	C	A	I	S	G	F	N	I	K	D	T	Y	I	D	W
Template VH	S/C	A	I	S	G	F	S	S	S	S	S	S	I	D	W
Library 1	S	A	I	S	G	F	Xaa	F/L/I/V	Xaa	Xaa	T	Xaa	I	D	W
Library 2	C	A	I	S	G	F	Xaa	F/L/I/V	Xaa	Xaa	T	Xaa	I	D	W

CDR-2														
Trastuzumab VH	A	R	I	Y	P	T	N	G	Y	T	R	Y	A	D
Template VH	A	R	I	S	P	S	S	G	S	T	S	Y	A	D
Library 1	A	R	I	Xaa	P	Xaa	Xaa	G	Xaa	T	Xaa	Y	A	D
Library 2	A	R	I	Xaa	P	Xaa	Xaa	G	Xaa	T	Xaa	Y	A	D

CDR-3														
Trastuzumab VH	C	S	R	W	G	G	D	F	Y	A	M	D		
Template VH	T/C	G	R	S	S	S	—	—	—	A	M	D		
Library 1	T	G/V	R	Xaa (6-20 residues)						A/G	M/F/L/I/V			D

Figure 1

(57) **Abstract:** VEGFA-binding molecules are disclosed. Also disclosed are nucleic acids and expression vectors encoding, compositions comprising, and methods using, the VEGFA-binding molecules.

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