



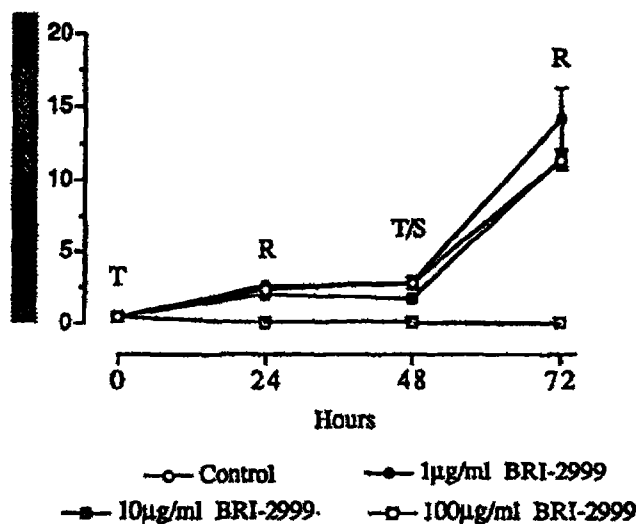
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(57) Abstract

A method of prophylactic or therapeutic inhibition of a microbial or parasitic agent in a human or non-human animal patient, comprises administration to the patient of an effective amount of a dendrimer having a plurality of terminal groups wherein at least one of the terminal groups has an anionic- or cationic-moiety bonded or linked thereto.

Effect of BRI-2999 on growth of *P. falciparum* in human red blood cells *in vitro*.

T = Trophozoites R = Rings T/S = Trophozoites or Schizonts
PRBC=parasitised red blood cells