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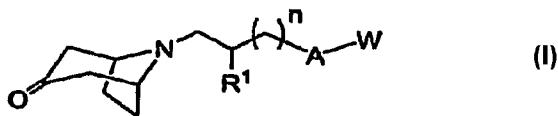
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(57) Abstract: The invention provides 8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octyl intermediates of formula (I): useful for the preparation of 5-HT<sub>4</sub> receptor agonist compounds. The invention also provides processes for the preparation of such useful intermediates.