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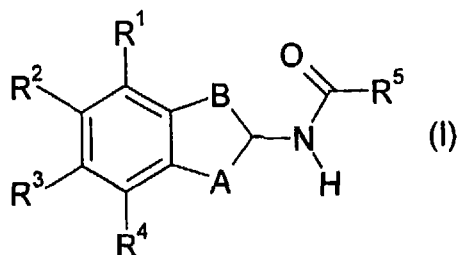
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(57) Abstract: The present invention relates to acylated indanyl amines ac-
cording to the general formula (I) where R¹-R⁴ have the meanings given in the
description, A is CH₂ CHOH or CH-(C₁-C₃-alkyl), B is CH₂ or CH-(C₁-C₃-
alkyl), and R⁵ is an aryl or heteroaryl group, possibly substituted by the sub-
stituents listed in the description. These compounds are useful in the upregula-
tion of endothelial nitric oxide synthase (eNOS), and may therefore be useful
for the manufacture of medicaments for the treatment of cardiovascular dis-
eases, stable or unstable angina pectoris, coronary heart disease, Prinzmetal
angina, acute coronary syndrome, heart failure, myocardial infarction, stroke,
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restricted memory performance, a restricted ability to learn, or for the lowering of cardiovascular risk of postmenopausal women
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