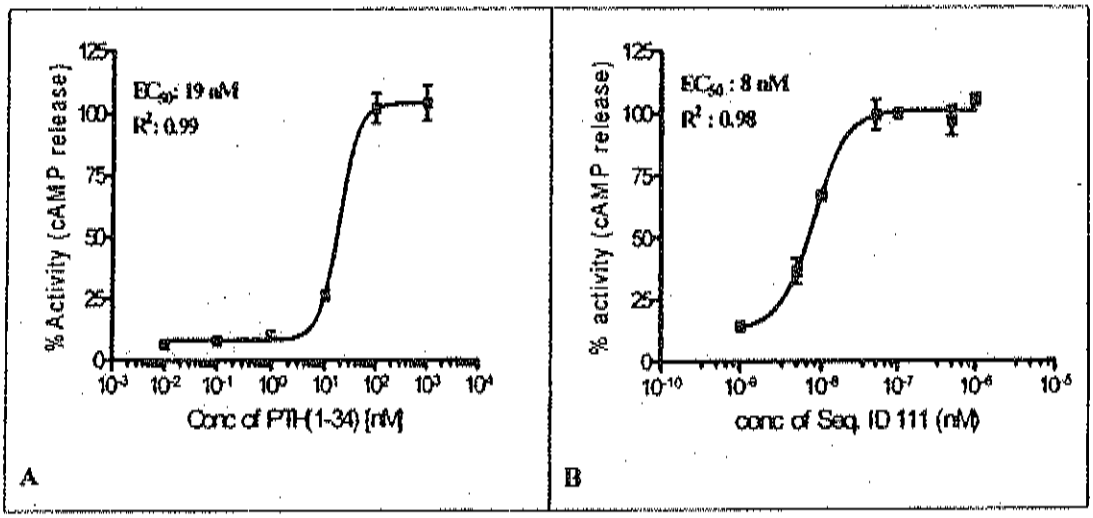


Figure 1: *In vitro* DRC and EC_{50} determination of PTH(1-34) **(Figure A)** and **Seq. ID No. 111 (Figure B)**, in Rat PTH-1 R assay (agonistic activity, measured by amount of cAMP released).

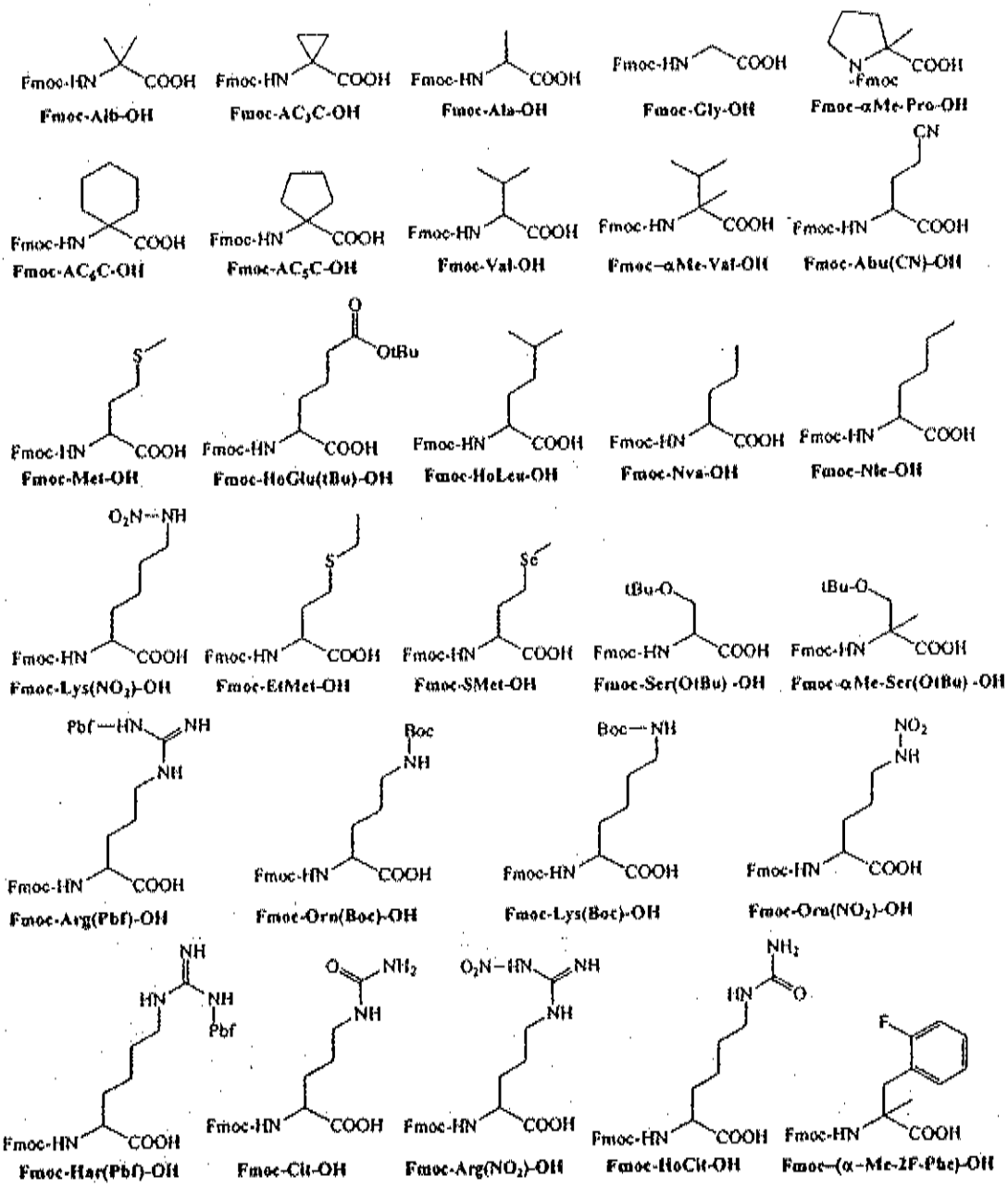


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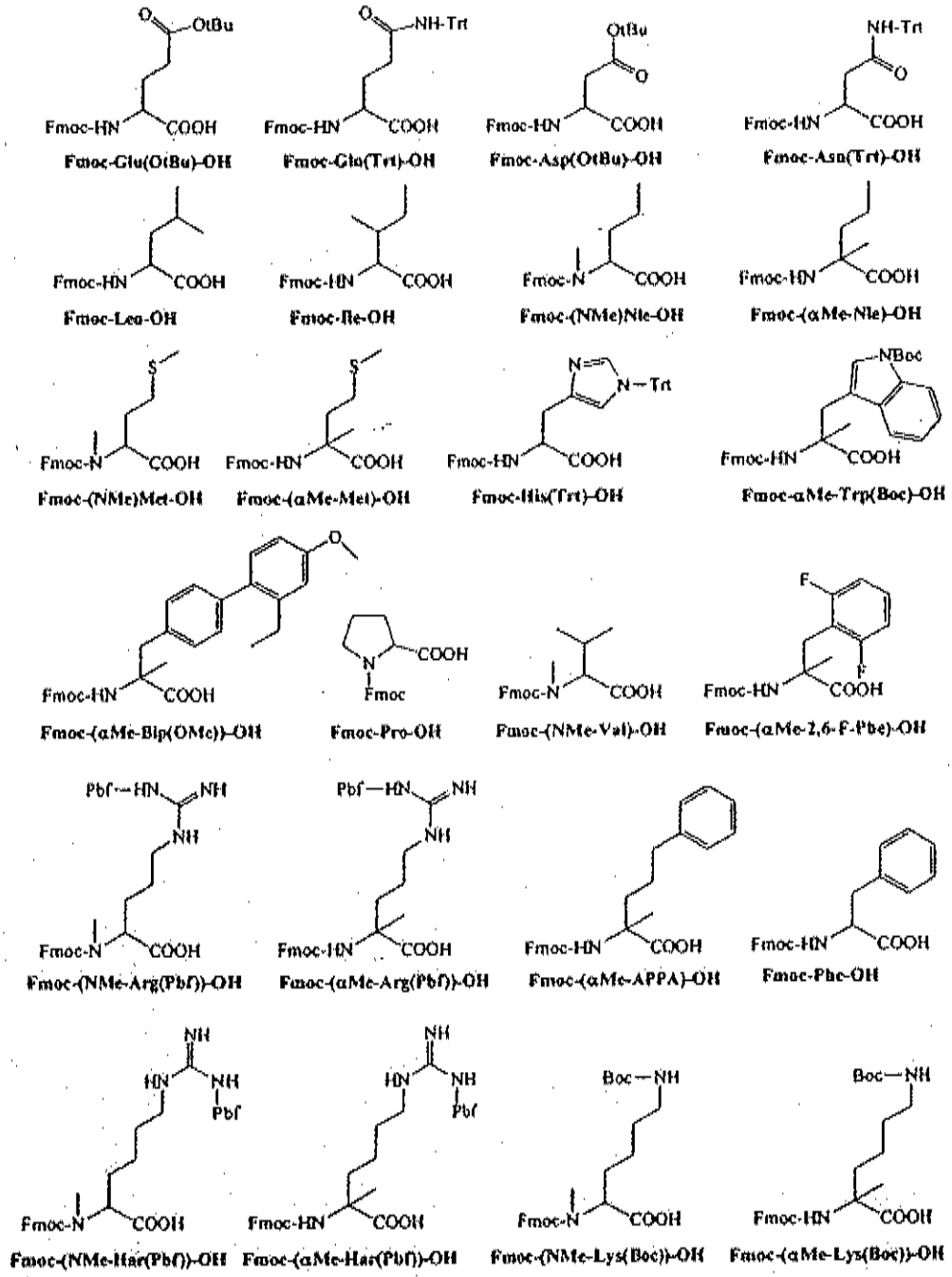


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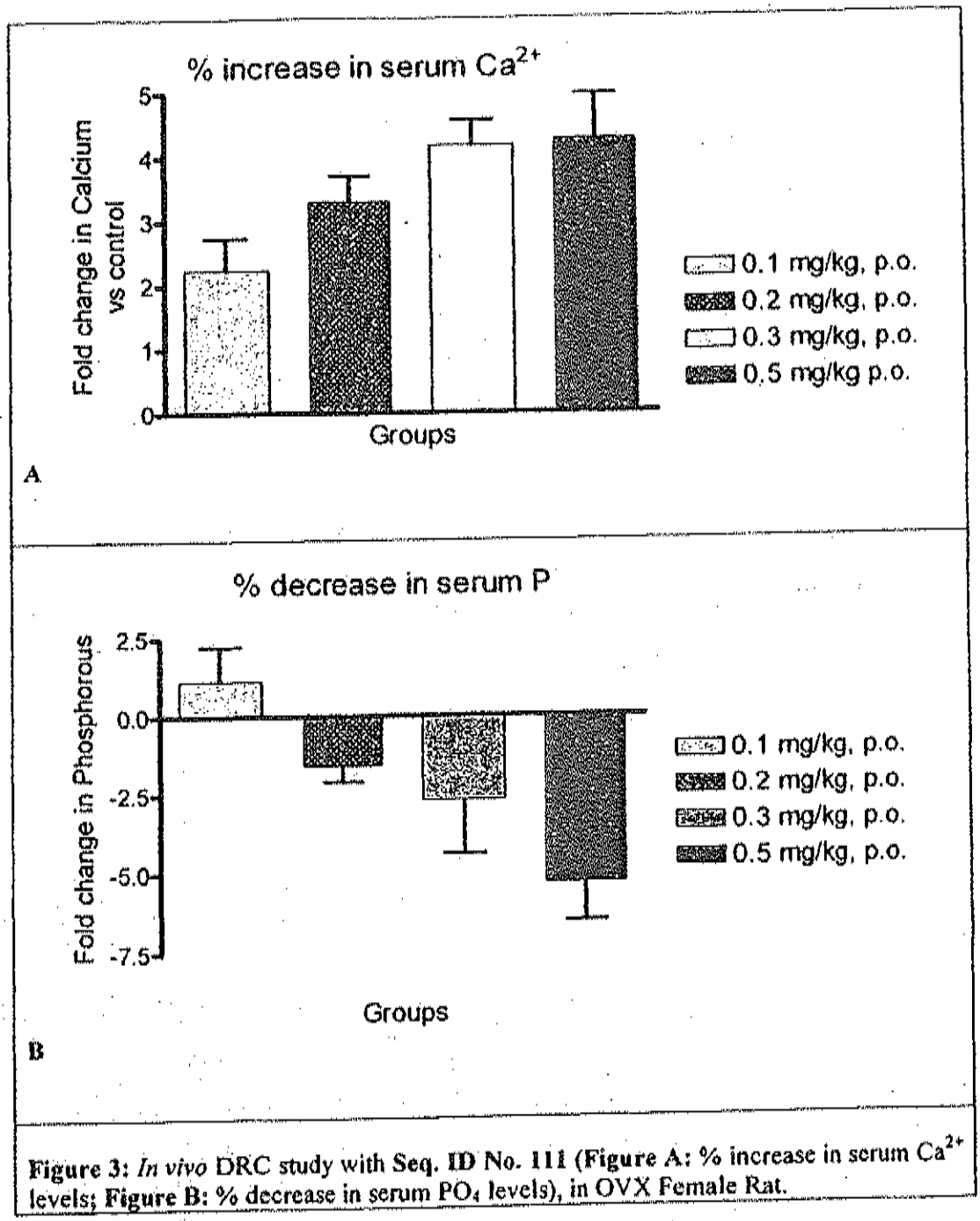
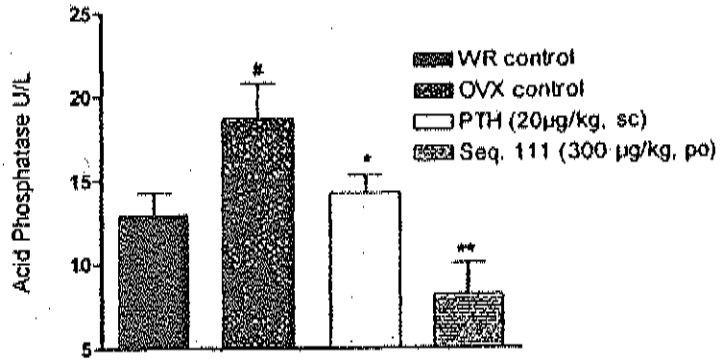
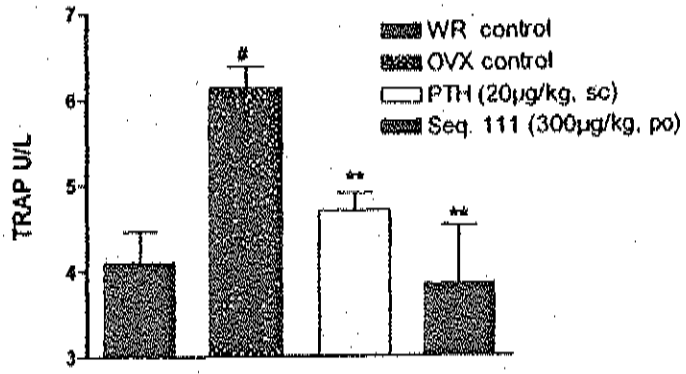


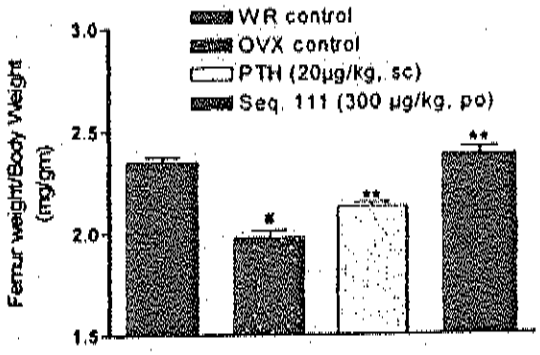
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Changes in Acid Phosphatase (A)

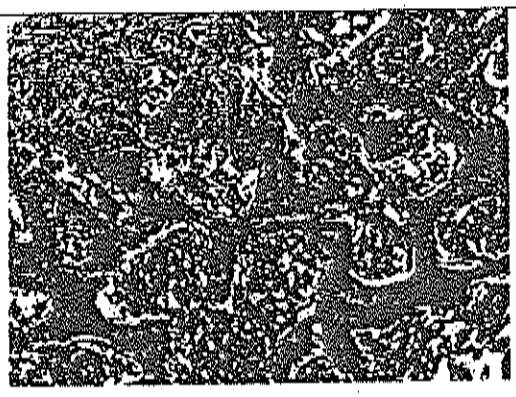


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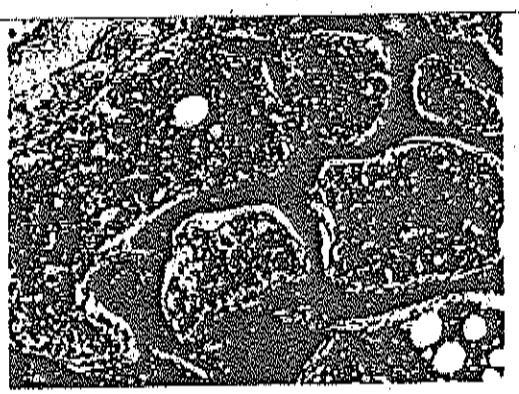


Changes in femur weight (C)

Figure 4: Changes in biochemical parameters and femur weight, in OVX Rat after 6 weeks treatment with **Seq. ID No. 111** and **PTH(1-34)**.



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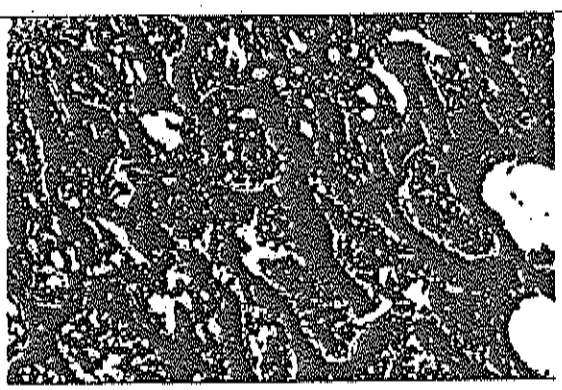


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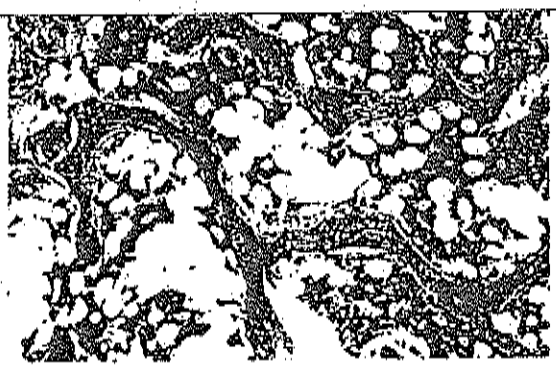


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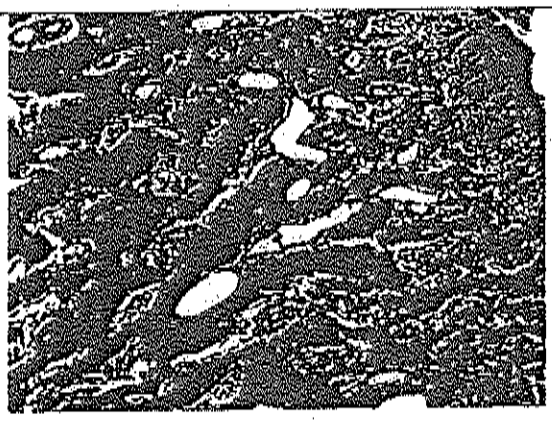
Figure 5: Histological sections of the femur, in OVX rats after 6 weeks treatment with **Seq. ID No. 111.**



WR-control (A)



OVX Control (B)



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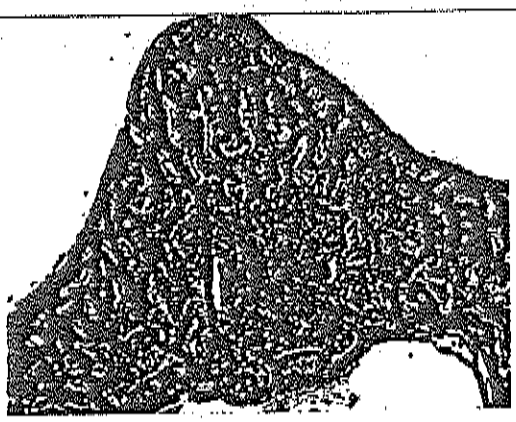
Figure 6: Histological sections of the tibia in OVX rats after 6 weeks treatment with Seq. ID No. 111.



WR control (A)



OVX Control (B)



Seq. ID No: 111, dose 0.3 mg/kg po (C)

Figure 7: Histological sections of the lumbar vertebrae in OVX rats after 6 weeks treatment with **Seq. ID No. 111.**