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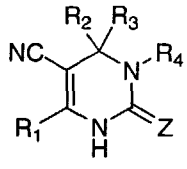
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(I)

(57) Abstract: The present invention provides compounds of formula (I) and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof.The formula I compounds induce mitotic arrest thereby making them useful as anti-cancer agents.The formula I compounds are also useful for the treatment of other diseases which can be treated by inducing mitotic arrest.