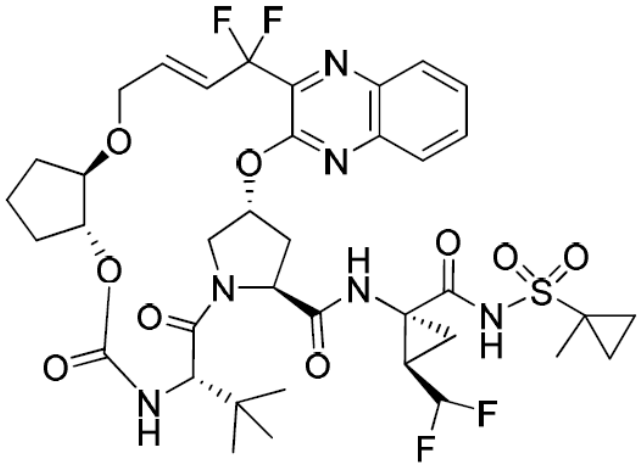
WHAT IS CLAIMED:

1. A compound represented by:



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2. A pharmaceutical composition, comprising an inhibitory amount of the compound of claim 1 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof; and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier or excipient.

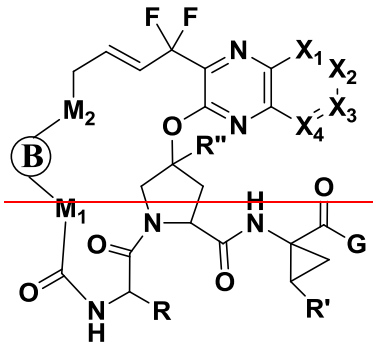
3. Use of the compound of claim 1 in the manufacture of a medicament for treating a viral infection.

4. The use of claim 3, wherein the viral infection is hepatitis C virus.

5. A method of treating a viral infection, comprising administering to a subject in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of the compound of claim 1.

6. The method of claim 5, wherein the viral infection is hepatitis C virus.

~~1. A compound of Formula VI:~~



(VI)

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester thereof, alone or in combination with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier or excipient, wherein

(i) X_1-X_4 are selected from CR_6, wherein each R_6 is hydrogen

Ⓑ is selected from C_3-C_{12} cycloalkyl, substituted C_3-C_{12} cycloalkyl; or C_3-C_{12} heterocycloalkyl;

M_1 and M_2 are each independently selected from O and NR_1;

(i) each R_1 is hydrogen;

each R_3 is independently selected from C_3-C_{12} cycloalkyl or substituted C_3-C_{12} cycloalkyl;

R and R'are each independently selected from the group consisting of:

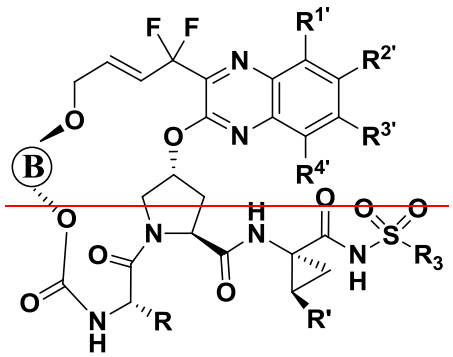
(i) C_1-C_8 alkyl, C_2-C_8 alkenyl, substituted C_1-C_8 alkyl, C_3-C_{12} cycloalkyl, or

(ii) heterocycloalkyl;

G is selected from $NHS(O)_2$ R_3; and

R" is selected from hydrogen.

2. The compound of claim 1, wherein the compound is of Formula VII:



(VII)

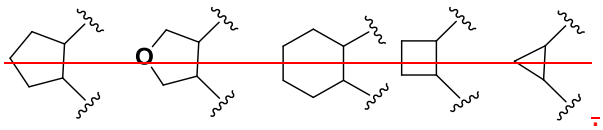
wherein

$R^{1'}$, $R^{2'}$, $R^{3'}$ and $R^{4'}$ are each hydrogen.

3. The compound of claim 2, wherein B is a non-aromatic C_3-C_6 cycloalkyl or a non-aromatic 4- to 6-membered heterocycloalkyl and is optionally substituted with one or more substituents independently selected from C_1-C_6 alkyl.

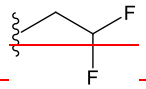
4. The compound of claim 3, wherein B is saturated C_4-C_6 cycloalkyl or saturated 4- to 6-membered heterocycloalkyl and is optionally substituted with one or more substituents independently selected from C_1-C_6 alkyl.

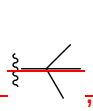
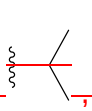
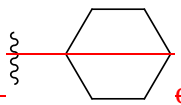
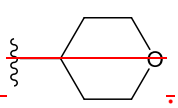
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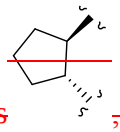
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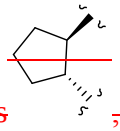
6. The compound of claim 2, wherein R_3 is  or .

7. The compound of claim 2, wherein R' is , ,  or .

8. The compound of claim 2, wherein R is , ,  or .

9. The compound of claim 2, wherein:

(a) B is , R' is vinyl () or difluoromethyl (), R_3 is , and R is ;

(c) B is , R' is vinyl () or difluoromethyl (), R_3 is , and R is  and $R^{1'}$, $R^{2'}$, $R^{3'}$ and $R^{4'}$ are hydrogen.

10. A pharmaceutical composition comprising an inhibitory amount of a compound according to claim 1 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or ester thereof, in combination with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier or excipient.

11. An inhibitory amount of a pharmaceutical composition according to claim 10 for use in the manufacture of a medicament for treating a viral infection in a subject.

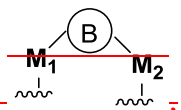
12. The composition according to claim 11, wherein the viral infection is hepatitis C virus.

13. A hepatitis C viral NS3 protease inhibitory amount of the pharmaceutical composition of claim 10 for use in the manufacture of a medicament for inhibiting the replication of hepatitis C virus.

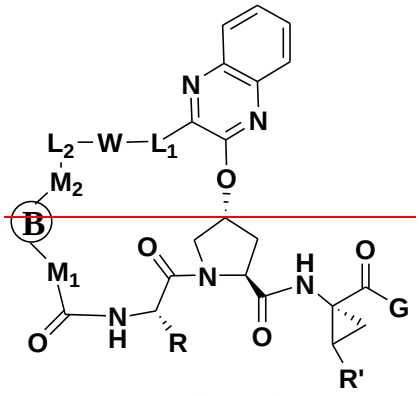
14. The composition of claim 11, further comprising administering concurrently an additional anti-hepatitis C virus agent;
wherein the additional anti-hepatitis C virus agent is selected from the group consisting of α-interferon, β-interferon, ribavirin, and amantadine.

15. The pharmaceutical composition of claim 10, further comprising another anti-HCV agent;
wherein the another anti-hepatitis C virus agent is selected from the group consisting of α-interferon, β-interferon, ribavirin, and amantadine.

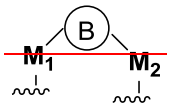
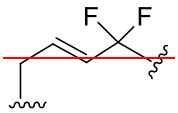
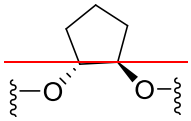
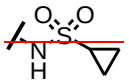
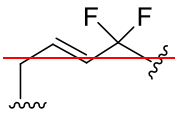
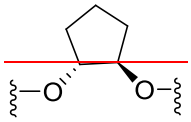
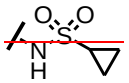
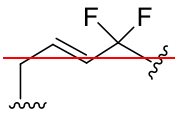
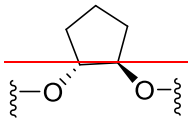
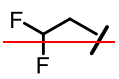
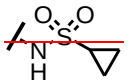
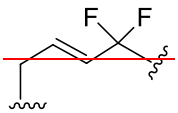
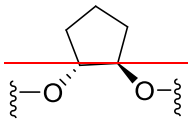
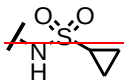
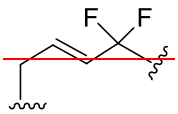
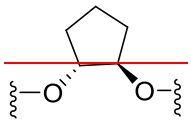
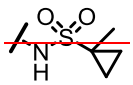
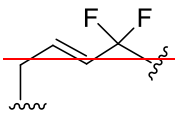
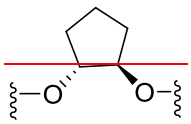
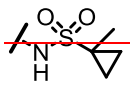
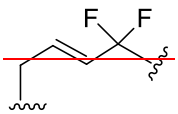
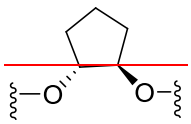
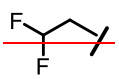
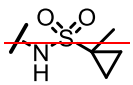
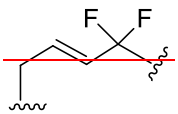
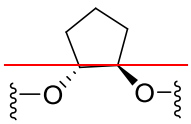
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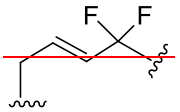
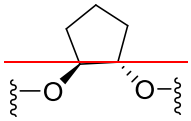
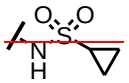
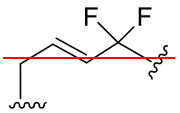
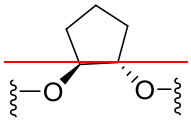
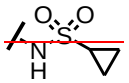
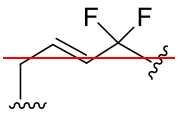
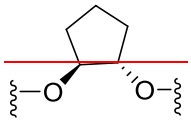
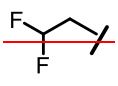
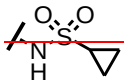
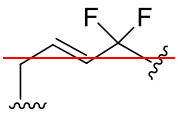
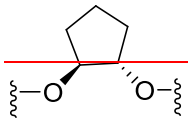
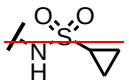
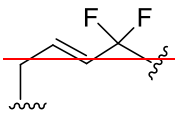
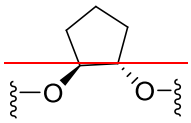
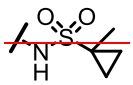
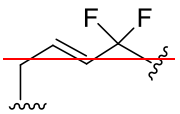
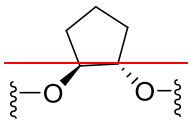
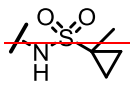
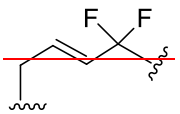
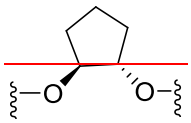
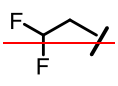
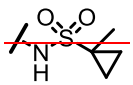
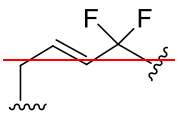
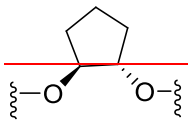
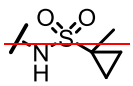
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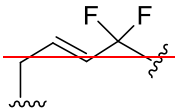
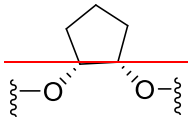
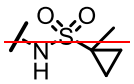
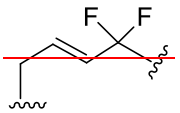
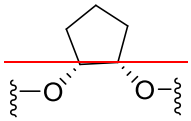
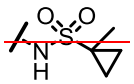
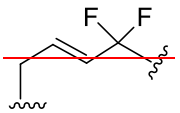
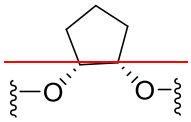
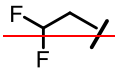
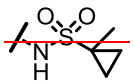
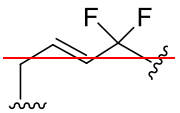
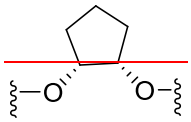
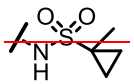
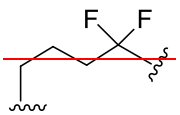
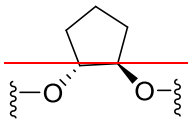
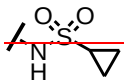
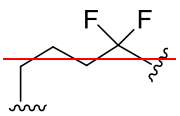
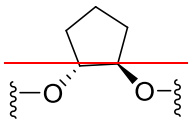
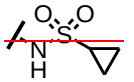
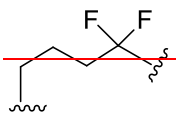
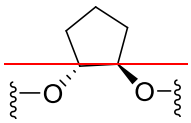
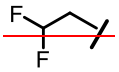
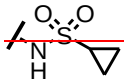
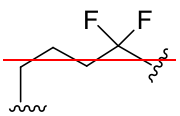
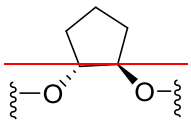
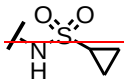
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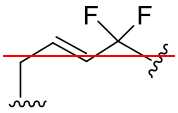
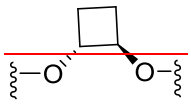
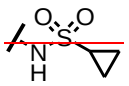
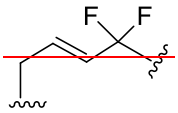
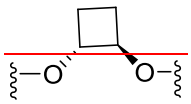
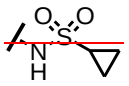
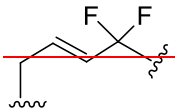
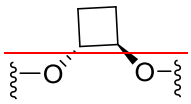
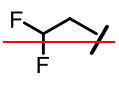
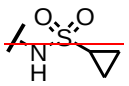
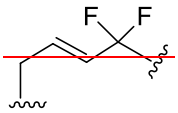
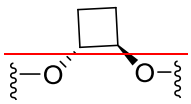
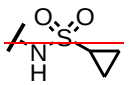
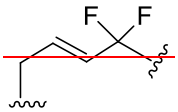
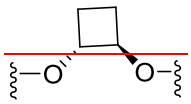
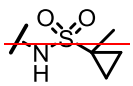
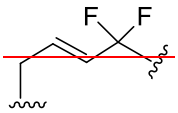
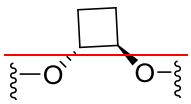
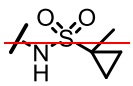
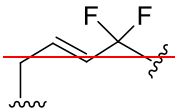
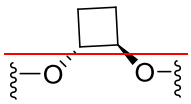
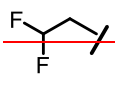
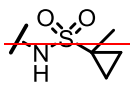
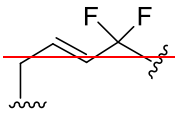
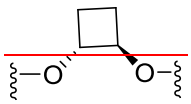
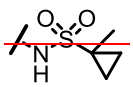


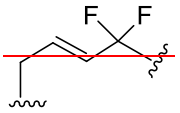
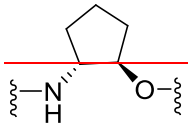
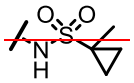
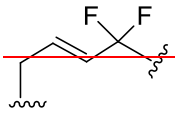
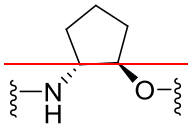
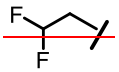
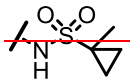
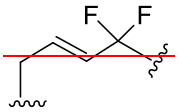
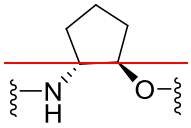
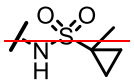
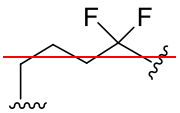
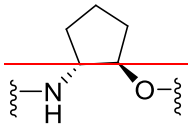
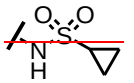
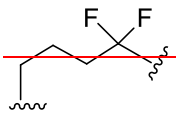
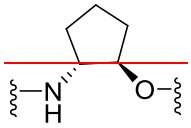
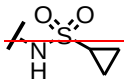
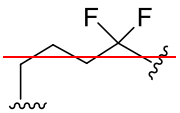
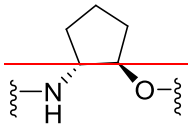
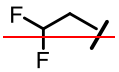
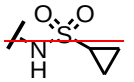
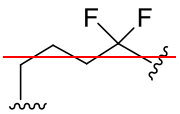
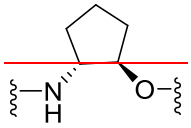
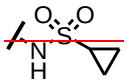
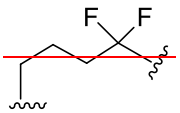
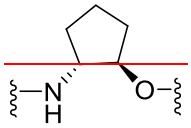
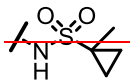
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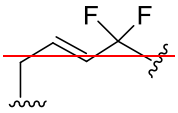
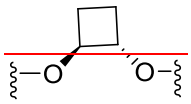
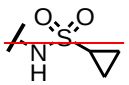
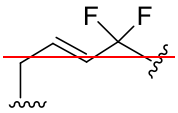
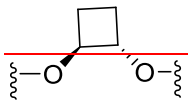
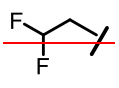
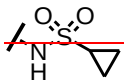
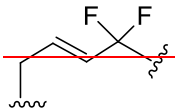
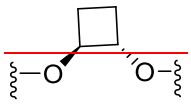
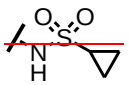
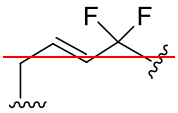
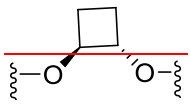
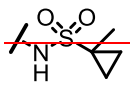
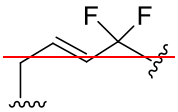
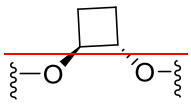
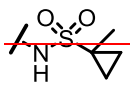
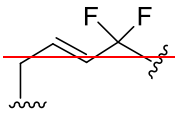
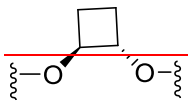
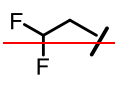
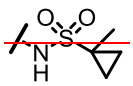
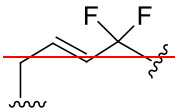
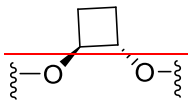
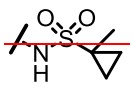
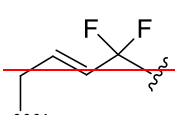
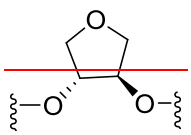
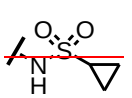
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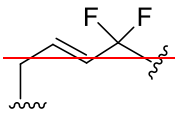
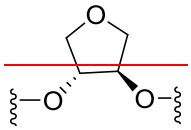
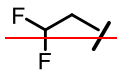
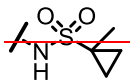
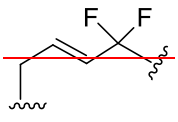
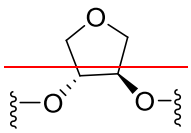
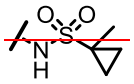
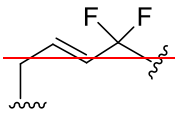
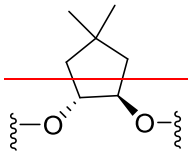
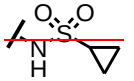
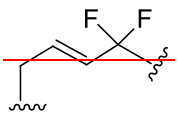
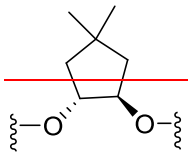
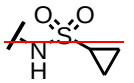
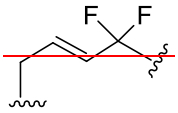
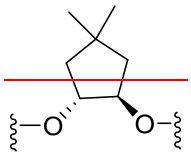
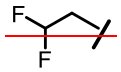
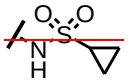
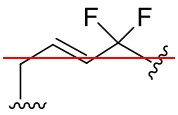
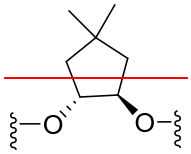
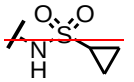
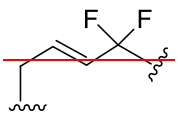
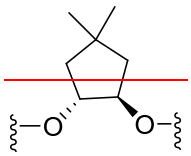
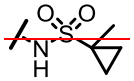
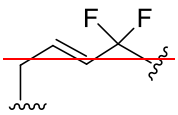
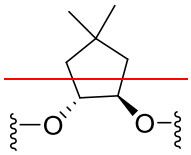
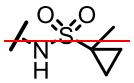
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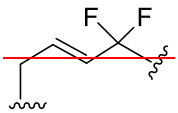
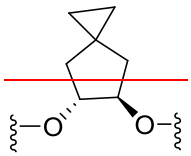
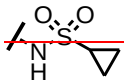
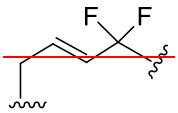
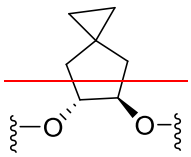
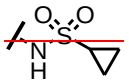
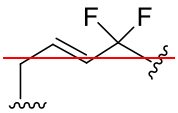
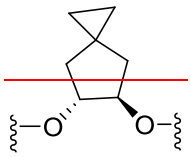
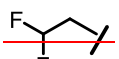
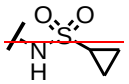
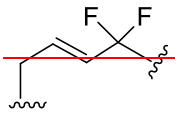
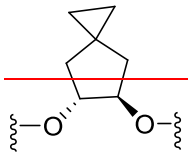
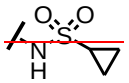
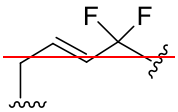
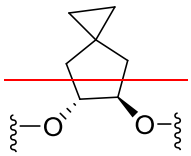
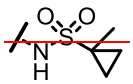
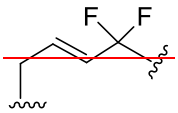
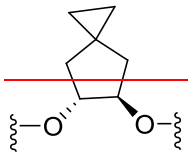
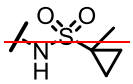
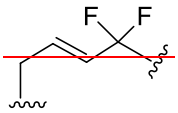
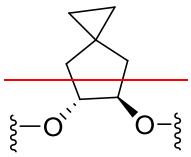
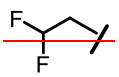
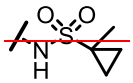
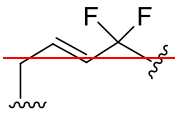
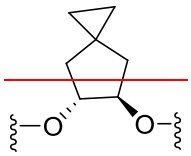
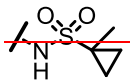
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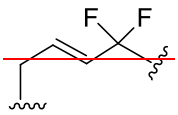
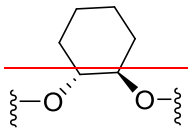
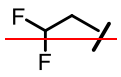
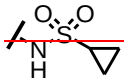
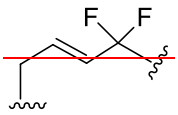
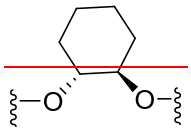
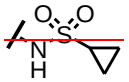
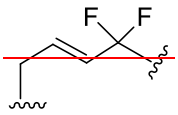
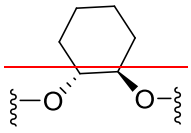
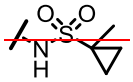
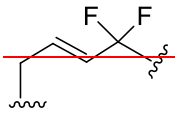
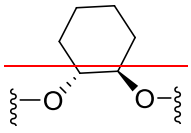
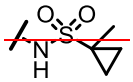
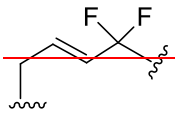
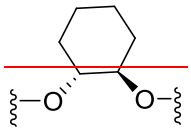
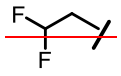
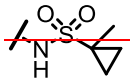
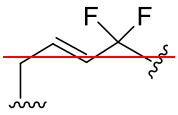
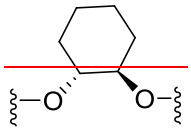
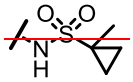
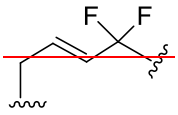
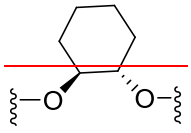
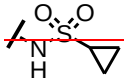
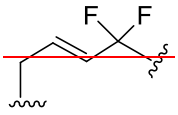
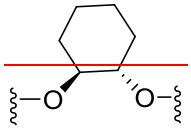
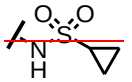
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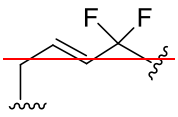
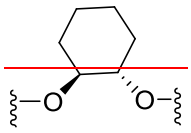
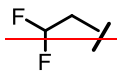
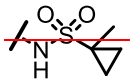
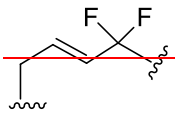
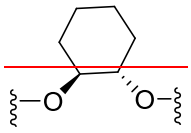
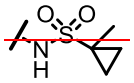
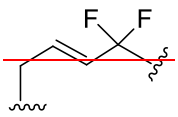
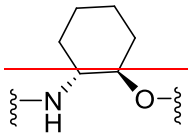
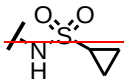
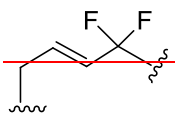
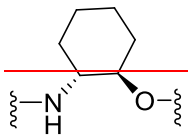
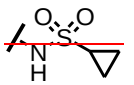
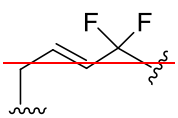
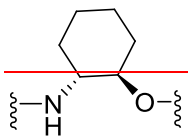
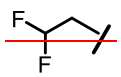
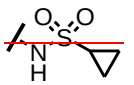
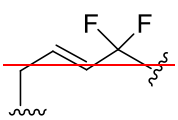
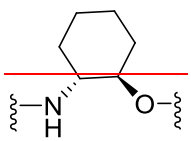
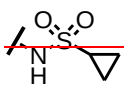
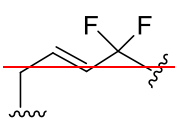
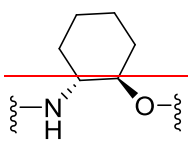
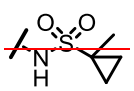
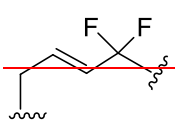
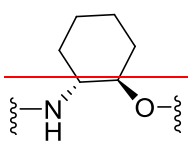
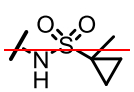
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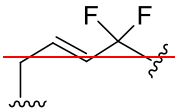
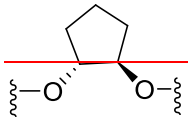
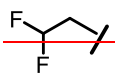
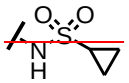
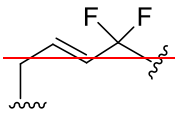
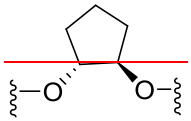
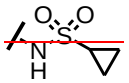
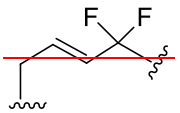
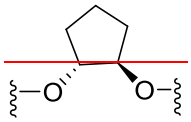
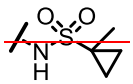
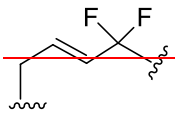
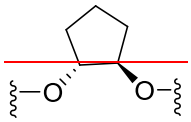
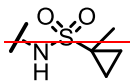
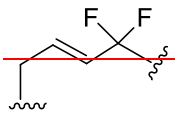
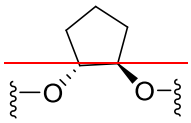
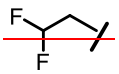
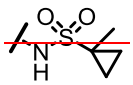
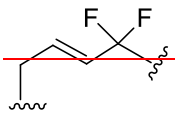
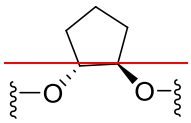
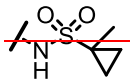
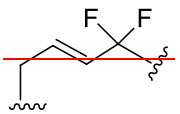
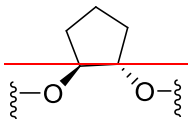
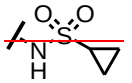
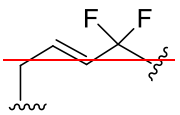
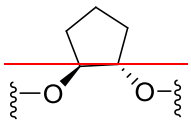
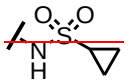
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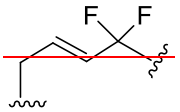
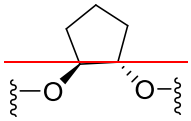
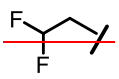
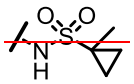
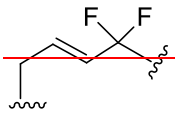
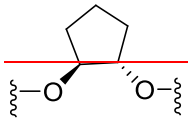
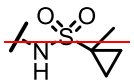
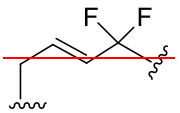
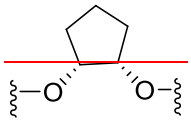
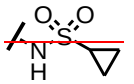
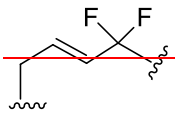
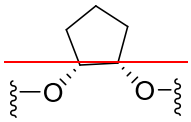
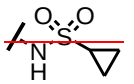
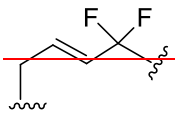
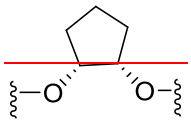
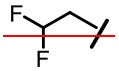
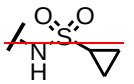
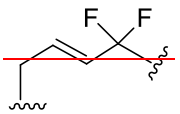
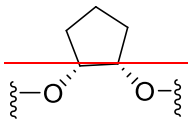
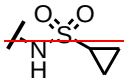
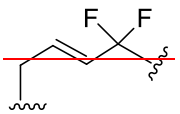
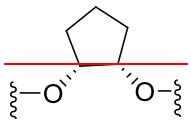
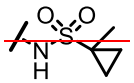
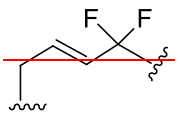
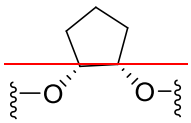
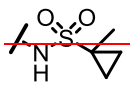
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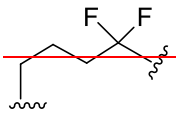
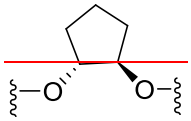
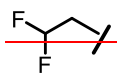
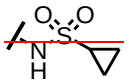
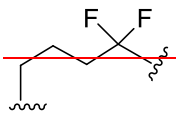
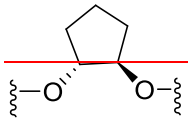
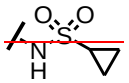
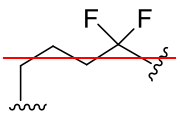
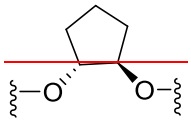
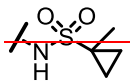
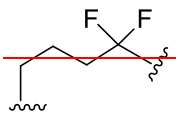
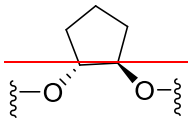
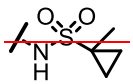
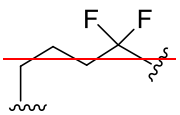
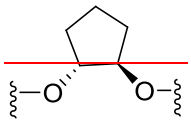
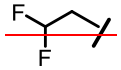
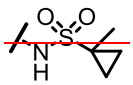
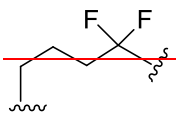
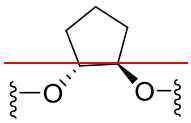
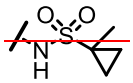
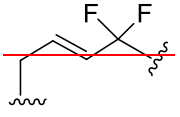
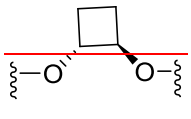
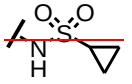
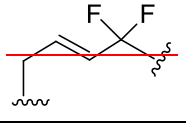
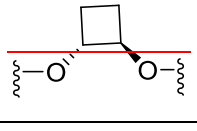
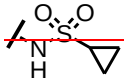
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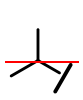
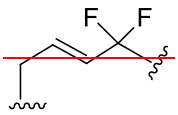
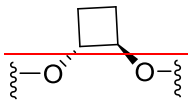
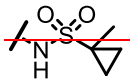
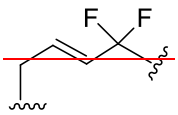
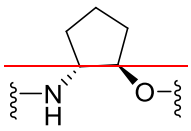
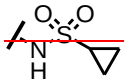
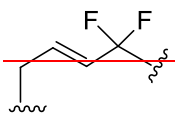
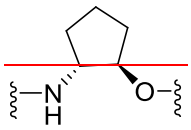
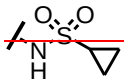
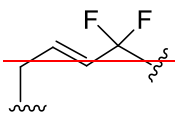
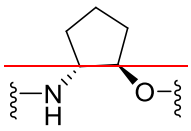
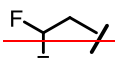
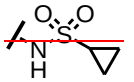
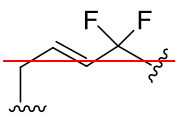
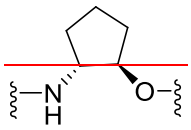
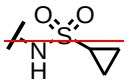
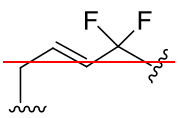
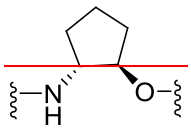
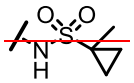
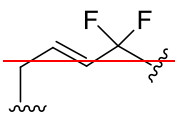
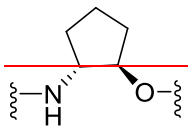
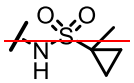
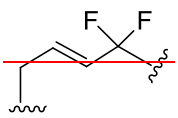
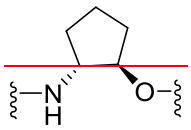
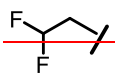
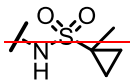
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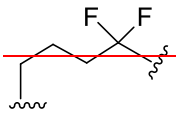
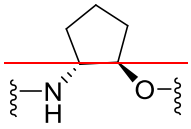
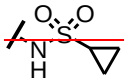
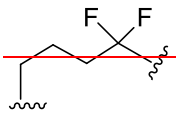
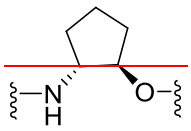
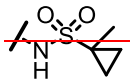
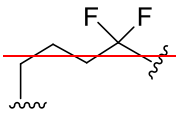
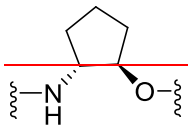
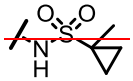
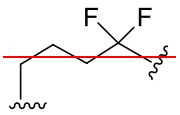
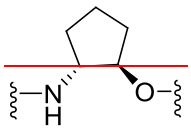
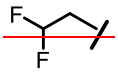
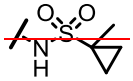
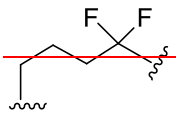
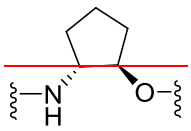
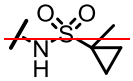
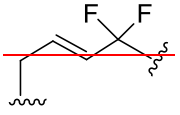
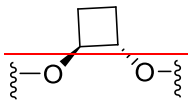
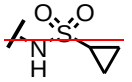
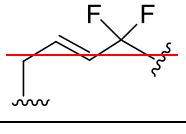
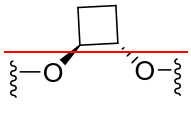
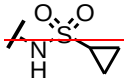
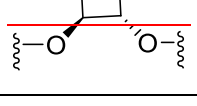
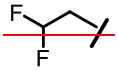
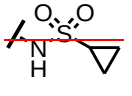
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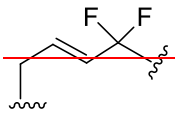
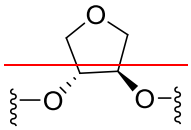
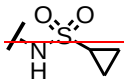
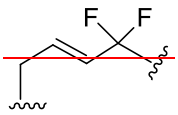
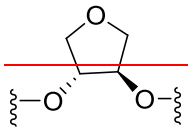
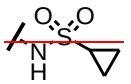
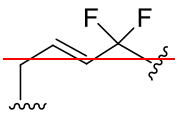
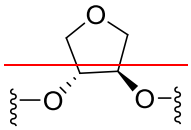
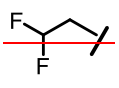
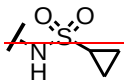
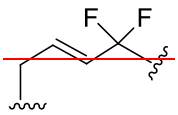
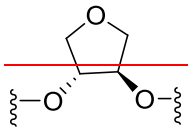
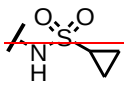
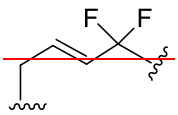
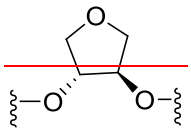
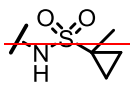
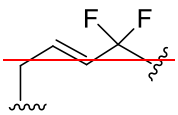
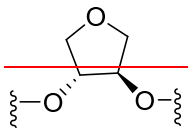
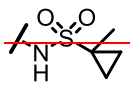
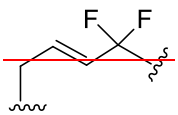
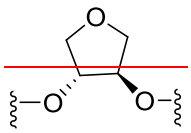
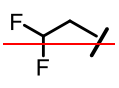
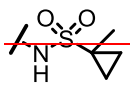
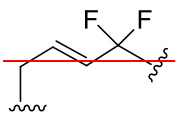
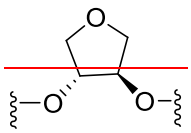
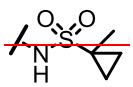
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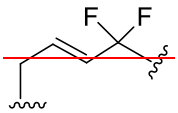
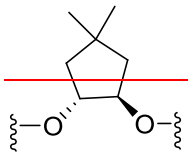
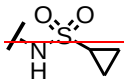
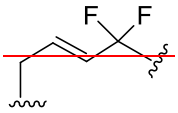
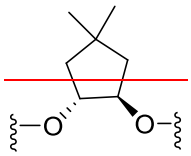
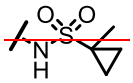
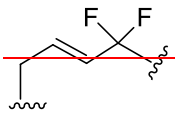
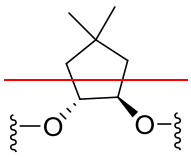
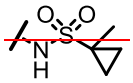
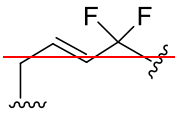
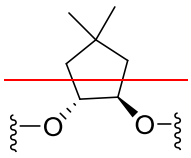
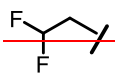
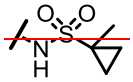
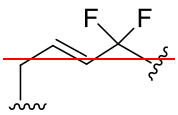
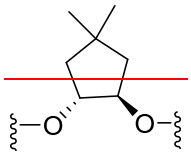
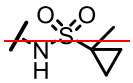
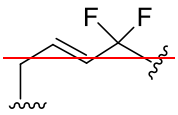
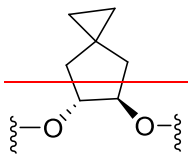
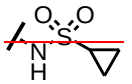
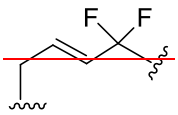
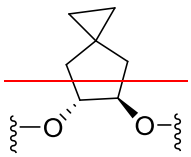
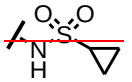
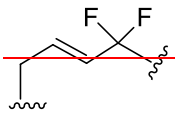
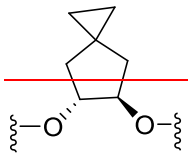
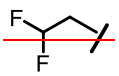
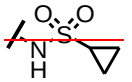
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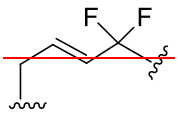
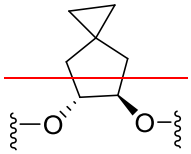
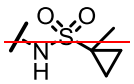
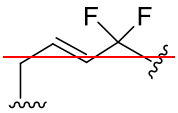
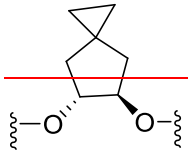
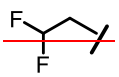
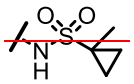
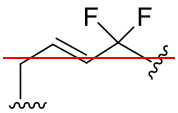
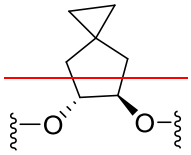
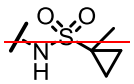
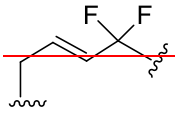
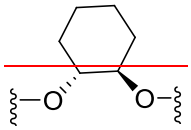
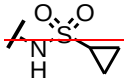
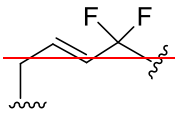
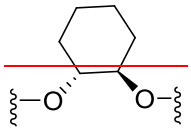
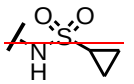
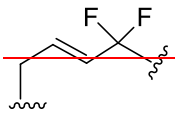
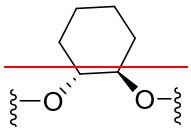
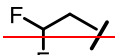
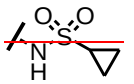
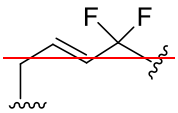
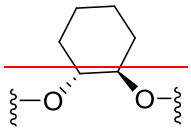
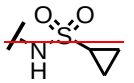
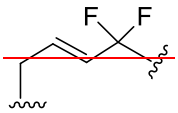
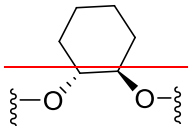
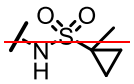
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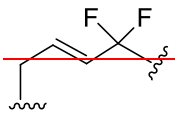
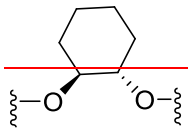
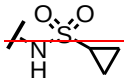
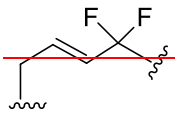
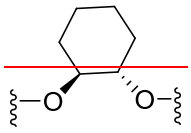
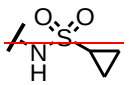
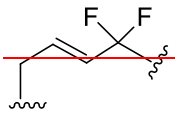
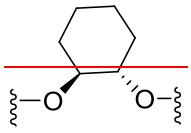
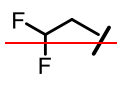
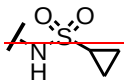
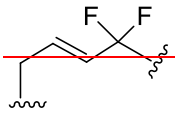
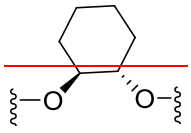
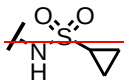
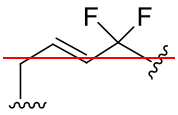
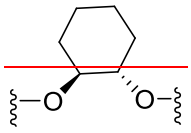
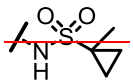
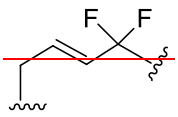
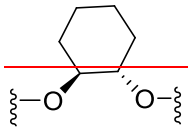
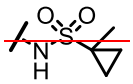
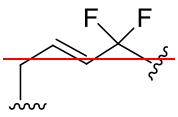
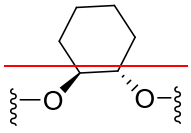
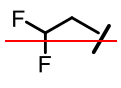
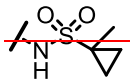
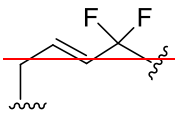
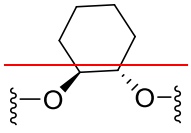
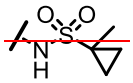
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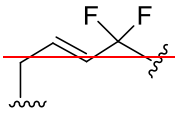
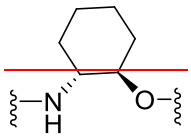
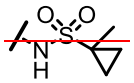
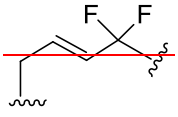
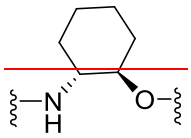
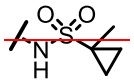
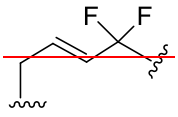
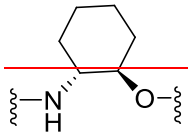
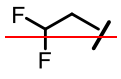
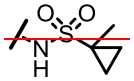
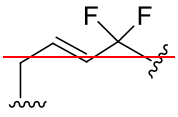
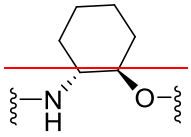
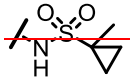
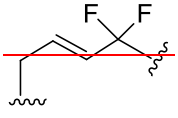
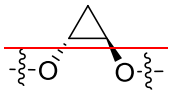
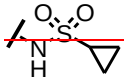
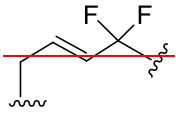
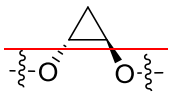
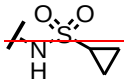
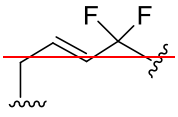
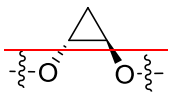
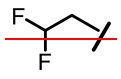
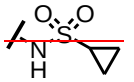
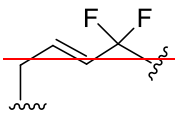
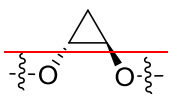
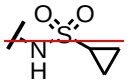
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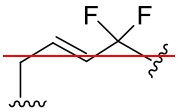
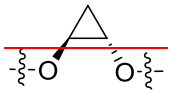
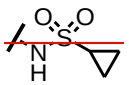
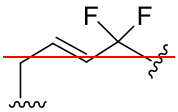
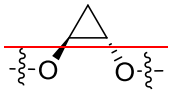
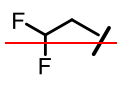
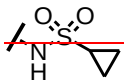
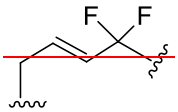
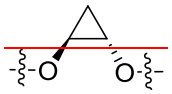
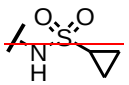
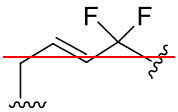
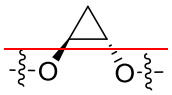
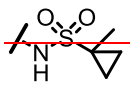
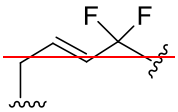
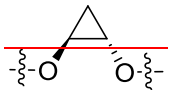
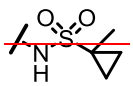
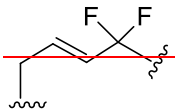
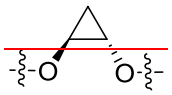
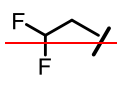
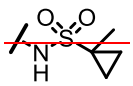
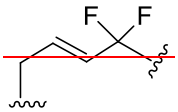
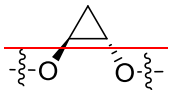
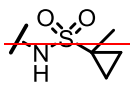
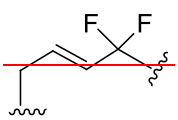
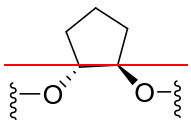
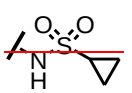
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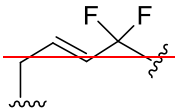
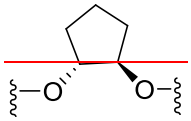
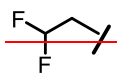
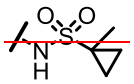
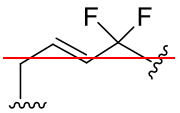
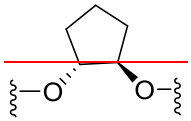
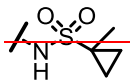
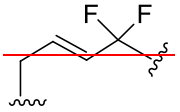
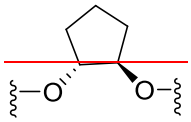
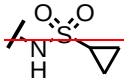
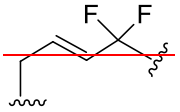
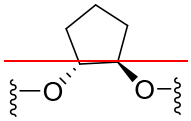
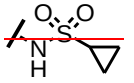
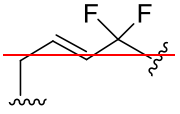
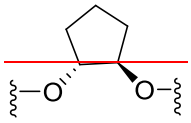
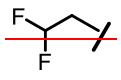
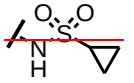
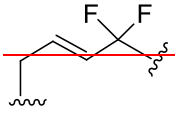
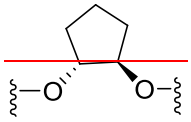
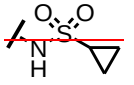
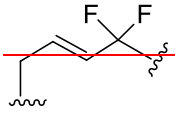
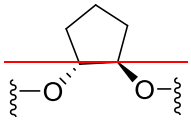
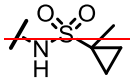
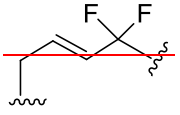
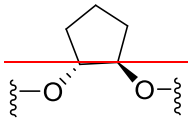
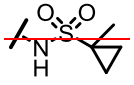
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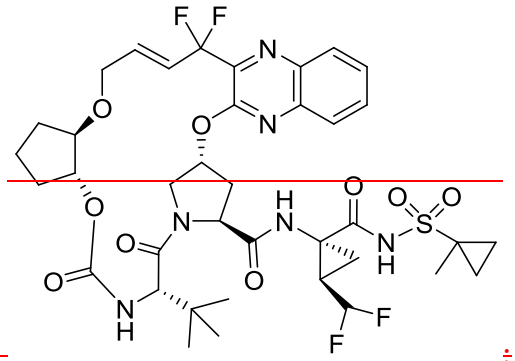
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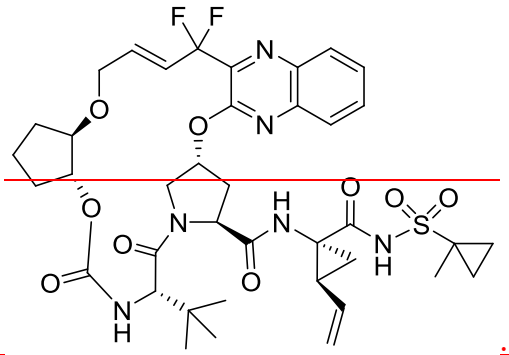
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~~18. A compound that is:~~



; or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

19. A compound that is:



; or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

20. A pharmaceutical composition comprising an inhibitory amount of a compound according to claim 18 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, in combination with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier or excipient.

21. A pharmaceutical composition comprising an inhibitory amount of a compound according to claim 19 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, in combination with a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier or excipient.

22. An inhibitory amount of a pharmaceutical composition according to any one of claims 20 or 21 for use in the manufacture of a medicament for treating a viral infection in a subject.

23. The composition according to claim 22, wherein the viral infection is hepatitis C virus.