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(54) Title: 2-AMIDO-THIAZOLE-BASED COMPOUNDS EXHIBITING ATP-UTILIZING ENZYME INHIBITORY ACTIVITY, AND COMPOSITIONS, AND USES THEREOF

(57) Abstract: 2-Amido-4-substituted-aryl-thiazole-based compounds exhibiting ATP-utilizing enzyme inhibitory activity, methods of using compounds exhibiting ATP-utilizing enzyme inhibitory activity, and compositions comprising compounds exhibiting ATP-utilizing enzyme inhibitory activity, are disclosed.