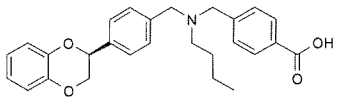
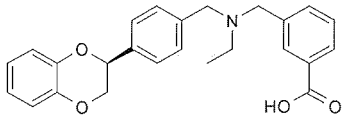
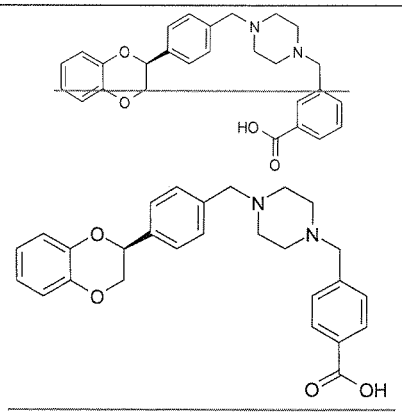
237		4-[(butyl{4-[(2S)-2,3-dihydro-1,4-benzodioxin-2-yl]benzyl}amino)methyl]benzoic acid
238		3-{[{4-[(2S)-2,3-dihydro-1,4-benzodioxin-2-yl]benzyl}(ethyl)amino]methyl}benzoic acid
239		34-[(4-{4-[(2S)-2,3-dihydro-1,4-benzodioxin-2-yl]benzyl}piperazin-1-yl)methyl]benzoic acid

In one embodiment, the invention relates to any of the compounds depicted in Table 1, and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof.

In another embodiment, the invention relates to a compound selected from the group consisting of:

4-(1-{4-[(2S)-2,3-dihydro-1,4-benzodioxin-2-yl]benzyl}piperidin-4-yl)butanoic acid;

4-(1-{4-[(3S)-2,3-dihydro[1,4]dioxino[2,3-b]pyridin-3-yl]benzyl}piperidin-4-yl)benzoic acid;

(3S)-3-{4-[(1s,4s)-7-azabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-7-ylmethyl]phenyl}-2,3-dihydro[1,4]dioxino[2,3-b]pyridine;

N-(1-{4-[(3S)-2,3-dihydro[1,4]dioxino[2,3-b]pyridin-3-yl]benzyl}piperidin-4-yl)methanesulfonamide;

(3S)-3-[4-(azepan-1-ylmethyl)phenyl]-2,3-dihydro[1,4]dioxino[2,3-b]pyridine;

1-{4-[(2S)-2,3-dihydro-1,4-benzodioxin-2-yl]benzyl}-2-methylpiperidine;

7-{4-[(2S)-2,3-dihydro-1,4-benzodioxin-2-yl]benzyl}-1,7-diazaspiro[4.4]nonane-1-carboxamide;

7-{4-[(3S)-2,3-dihydro[1,4]dioxino[2,3-b]pyridin-3-yl]benzyl}-1,7-diazaspiro[4.4]nonan-2-one;

1-{4-[(2S)-2,3-dihydro-1,4-benzodioxin-2-yl]benzyl}piperidine-4-carboxylic acid;

Table 8. Preparation of compounds 236-238.

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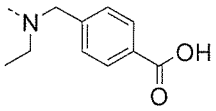
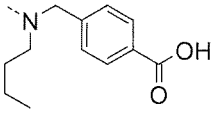
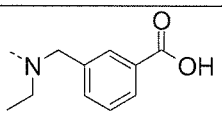
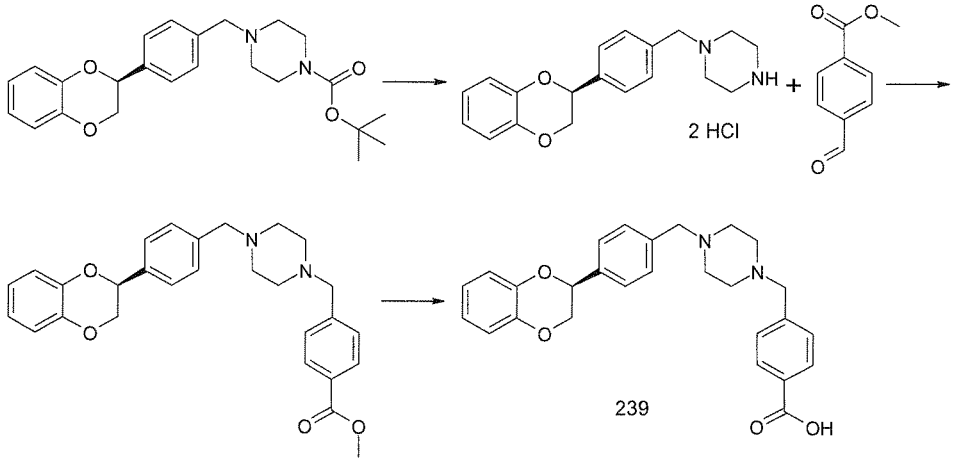
236	CH		3	404.40	1.86
237	CH		3	432.29	2.29
238	CH		3	404.26	1.98

Example 239: Preparation of 34-{4-[(S)-4-(2,3-Dihydro-benzo[l,4]dioxin-2-yl)-benzyl]-piperazin-l-ylmethyl}-benzoic acid (239)



Methanol (30mL) is added dropwise to acetyl chloride (1.4 mL) at 0°C. The solution is added to 4-[(S)-4-(2,3-dihydro-benzo[l,4]dioxin-2-yl)-benzyl]-piperazine-l-carboxylic acid tert-butyl ester (408 mg, 0.99 mmol) (prepared according to the General Method E). The resulting mixture is stirred at room temperature for 16 h and concentrated. The residue is suspended in a mixture of heptane and EtOAc, and the precipitate is collected