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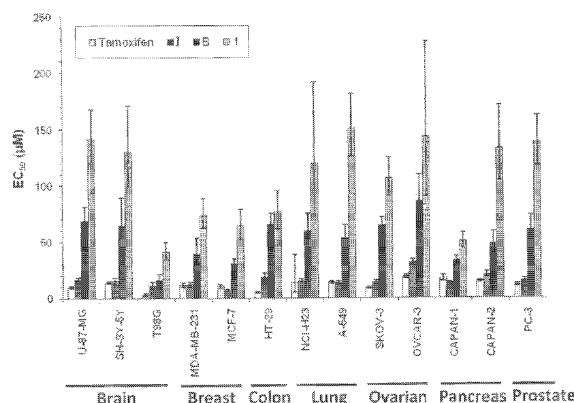


Figure 1

(57) Abstract: Disclosed herein are 6-substituted 13-demethyl- estradiol derivatives as selective ERβ agonists. Also disclosed is a method for treating pain by administering these 6-substituted 13-demethyl-estradiol derivatives.