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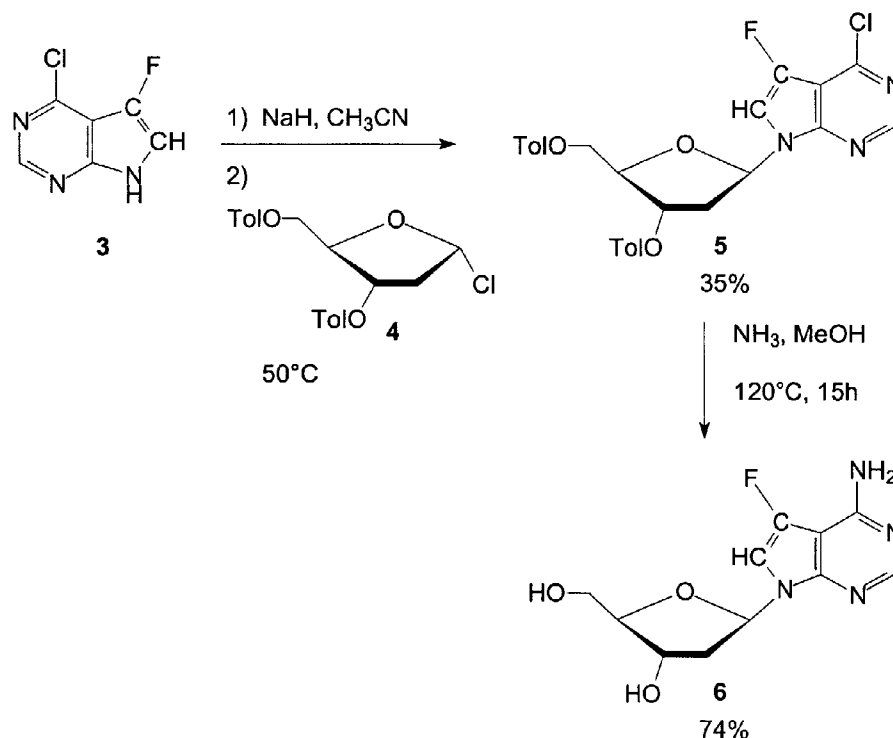
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(57) Abstract: The present invention relates generally to anti-viral compounds, particularly anti-viral 7-deaza D-nucleosides and analogues, or derivatives thereof. The invention also relates to the use of such compounds to treat or prevent hepatitis B virus (HBV) infections, and to the use of such compounds to examine the biological mechanisms of HBV infection.



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