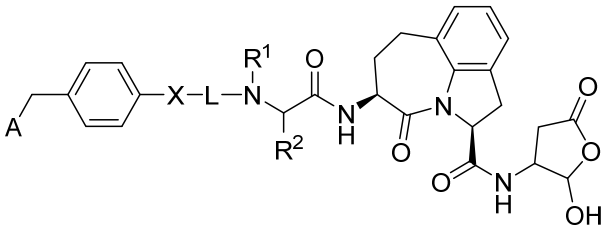
WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, wherein the compound is of formula (I):



, wherein

(I)

A is a chelating moiety which is 1,4,7-triazacyclononane-N,N′,N′′-triacetic acid (NOTA) or 1,4,7-triazacyclononane-4,7-diyl diacetic acid (NODA);

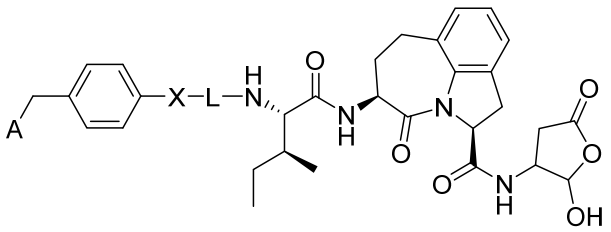
X is -$CH_2C(O)$- or -NHC(S)-;

L is a peptide linker having 1-6 amino acid residues, inclusive;

R^1 is H or methyl; and

R^2 is C_{1-6} alkyl or C_{3-6} cycloalkyl.

2. The compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof of claim 1, wherein the compound is of formula (Ia):

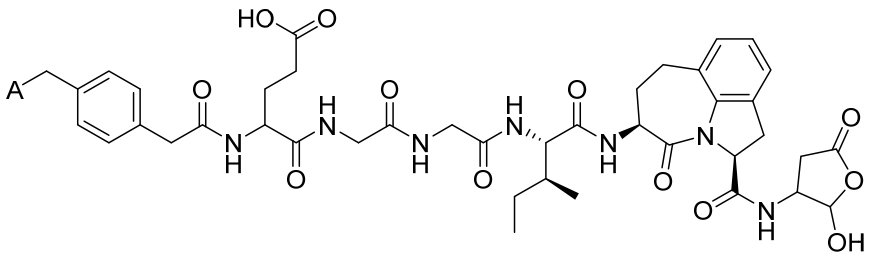


(Ia).

3. The compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof of claim 1 or claim 2, wherein L has 1-3 amino acid residues, inclusive.

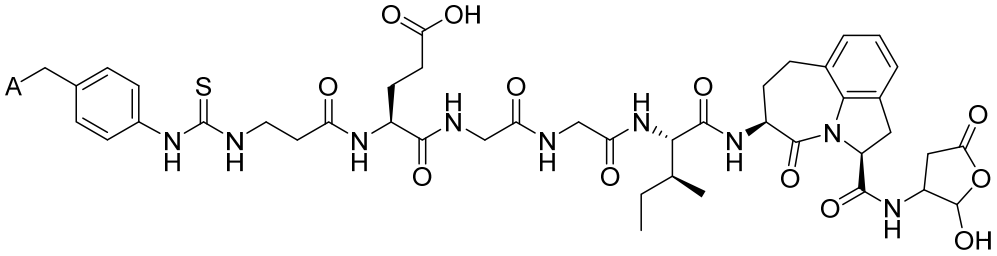
4. The compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof of any one of claim 1-3, wherein L has 3 amino acid residues.

5. The compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof of claim 1, wherein the compound is of formula (Ia-A) or formula (Ia-B):



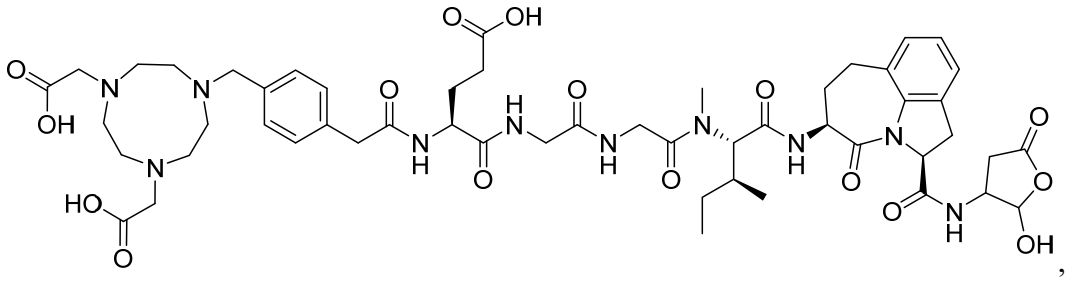
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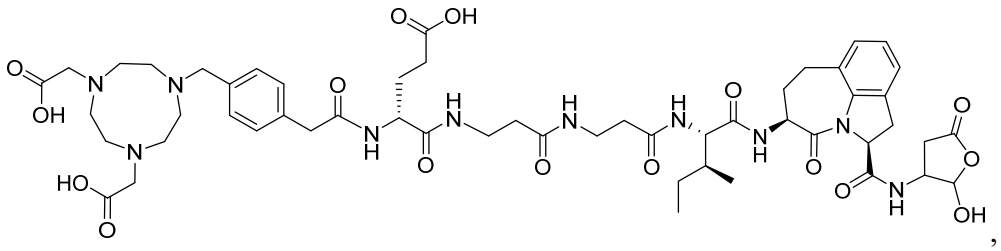


(Ia-B).

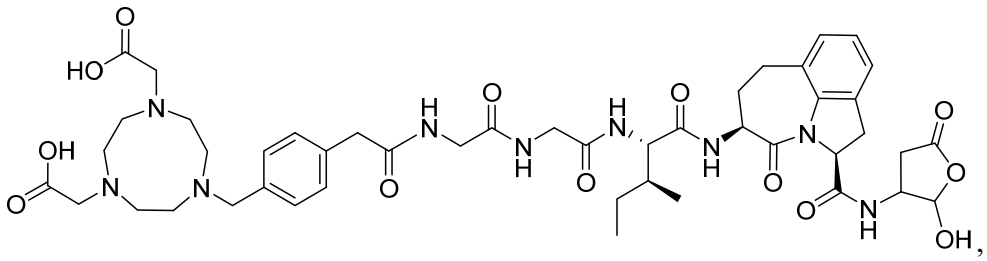
6. The compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof of claim 1, wherein the compound is:

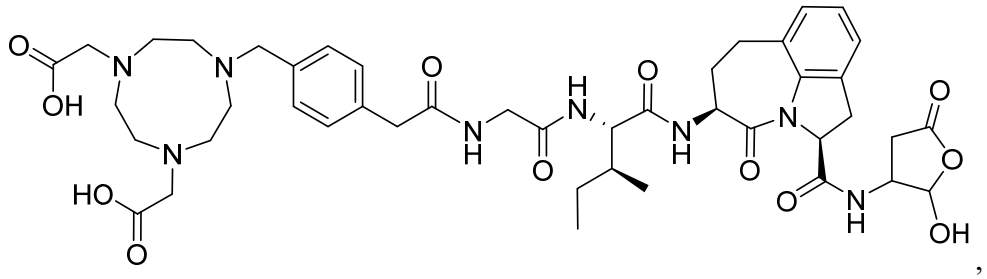


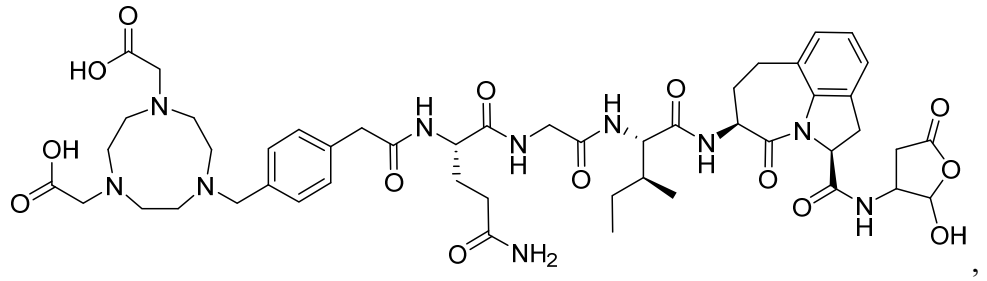
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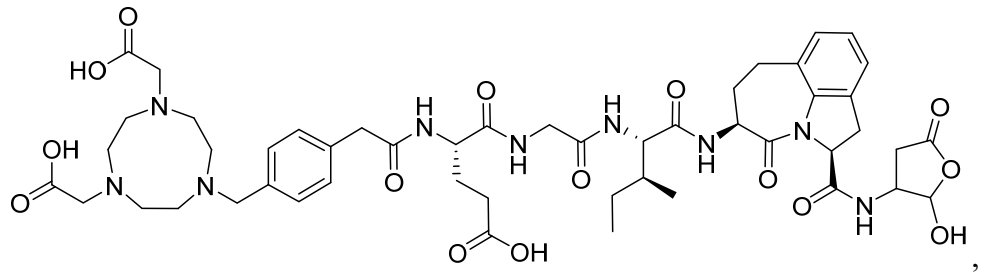


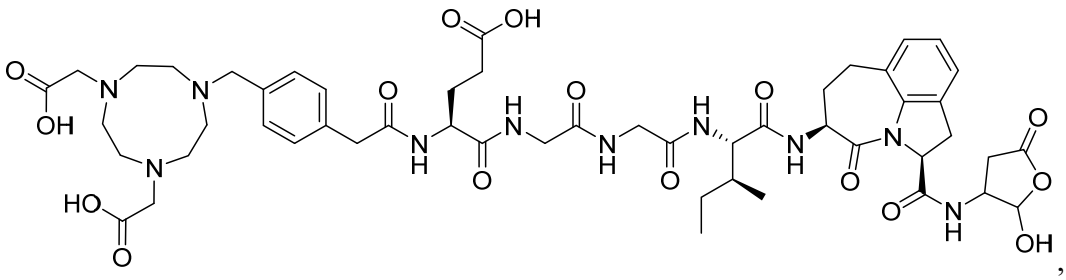
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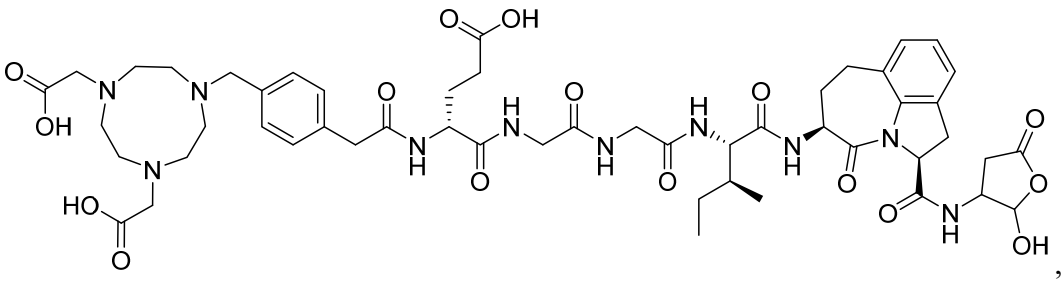




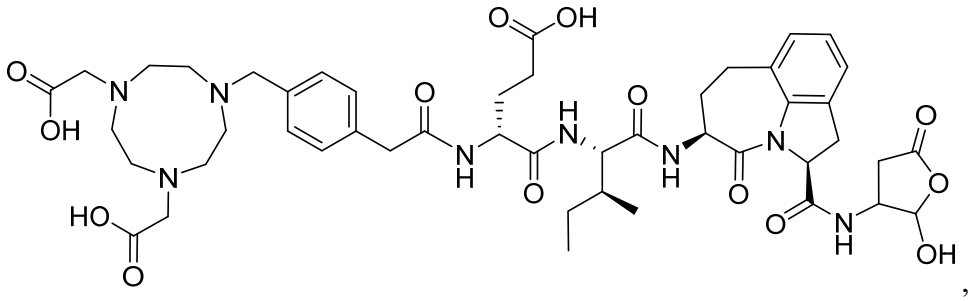




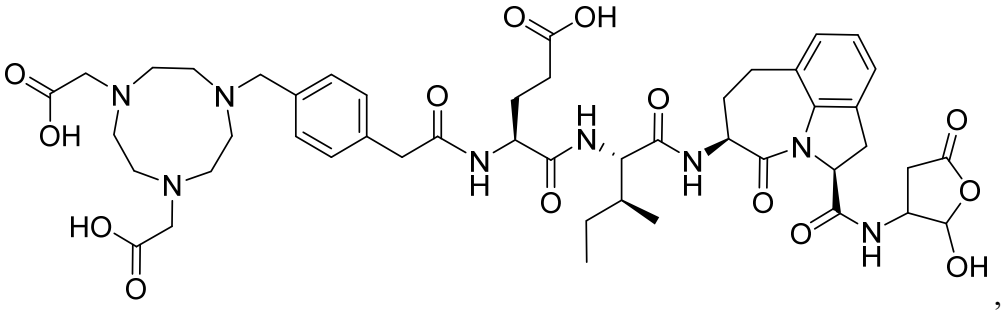




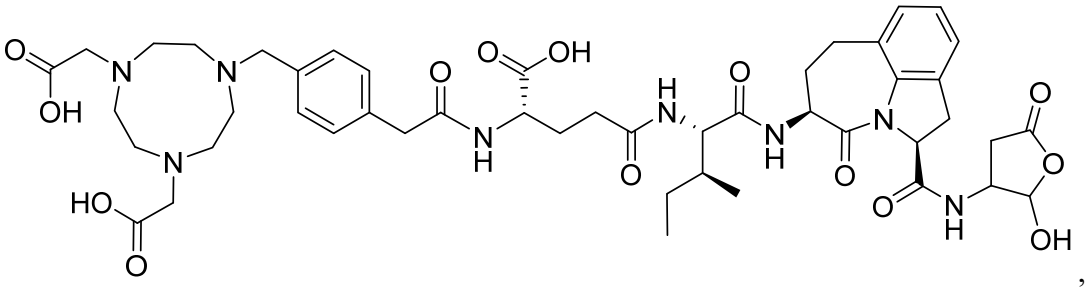
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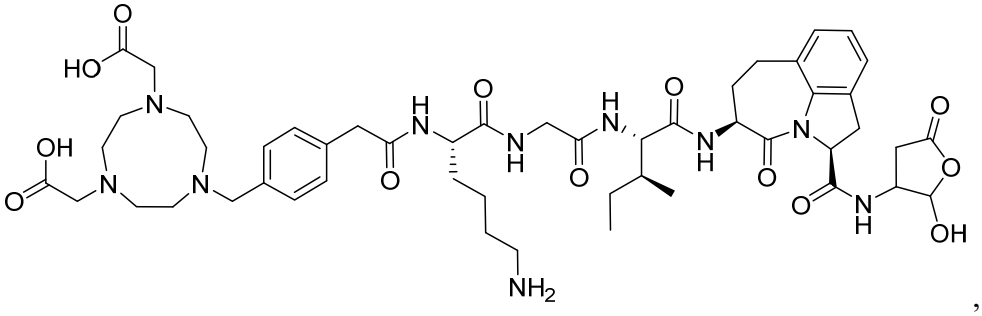
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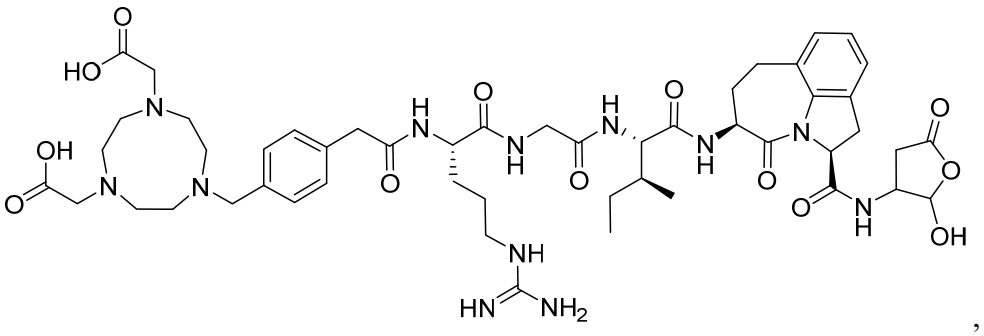
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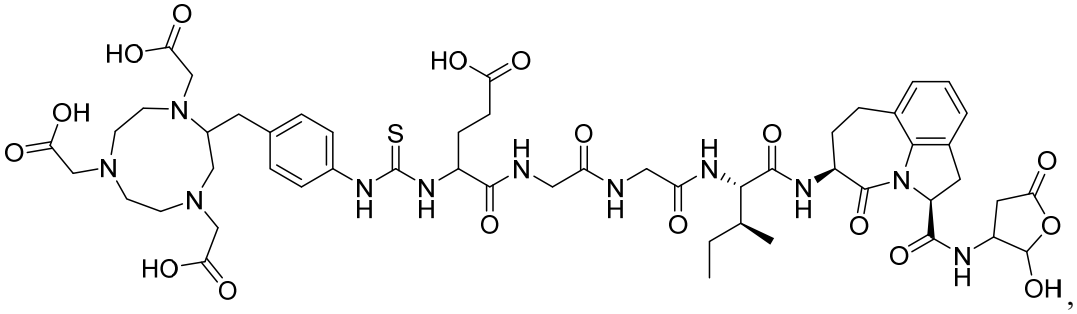
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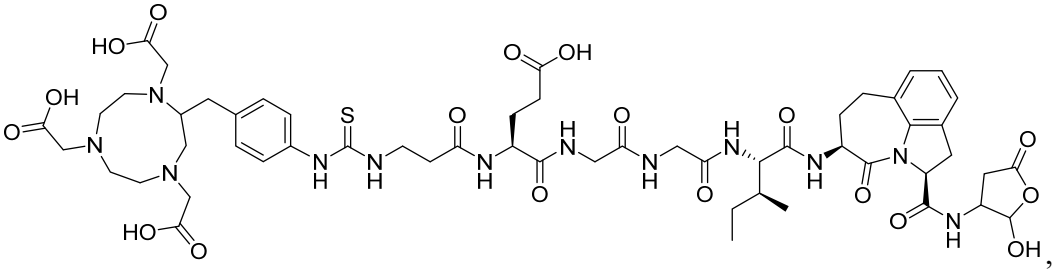
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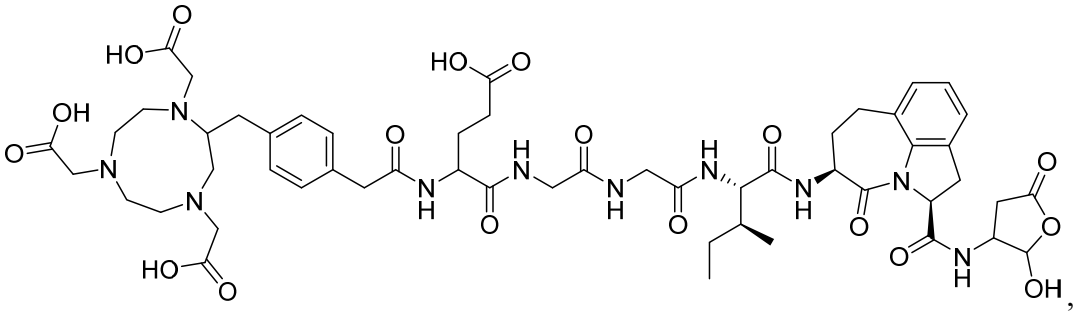
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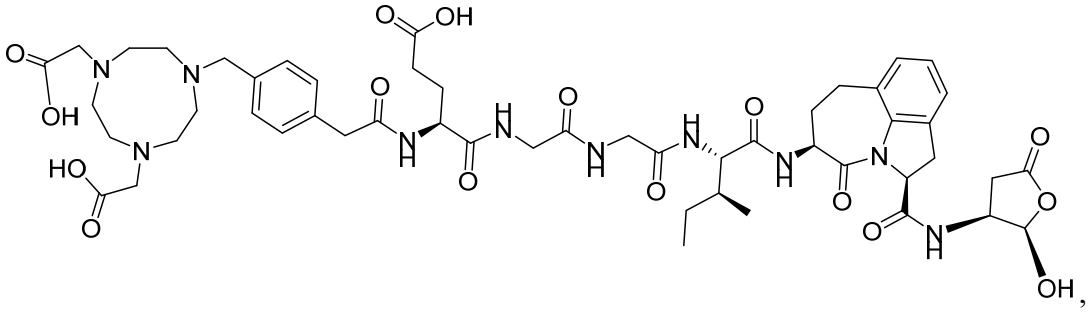
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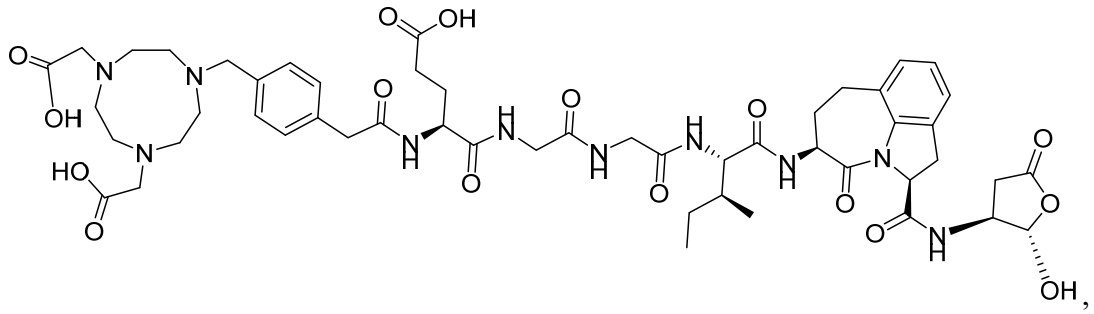
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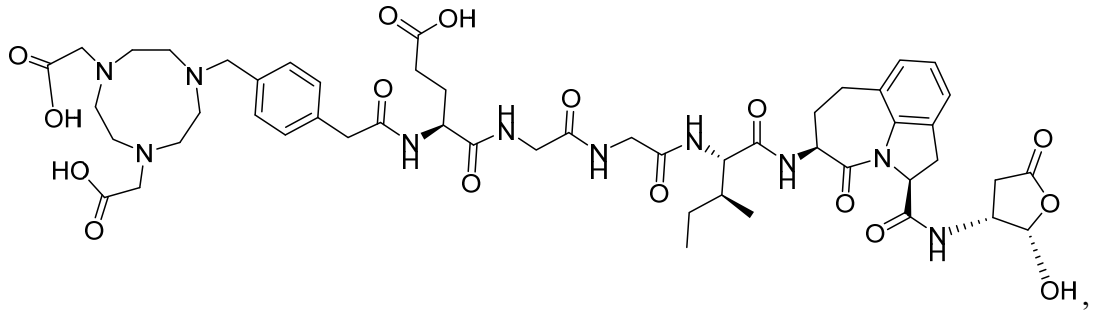


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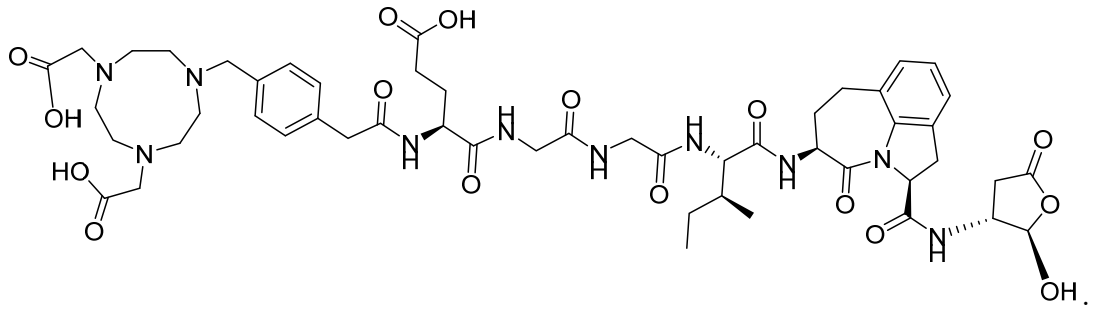


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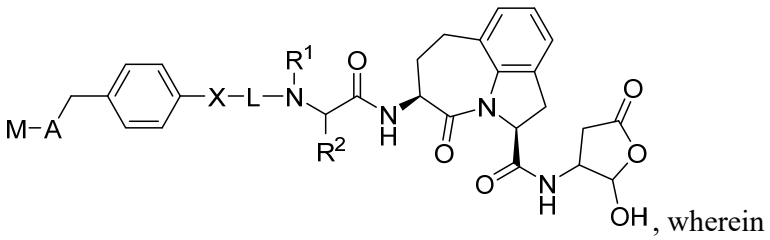




or



7. A compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, wherein the compound is of formula (II):



, wherein

(II)

M is a metal or a metal linked to a radioisotope;

A is a chelating moiety chelating the metal, wherein the chelating moiety is 1,4,7-triazacyclononane-N,N′,N′′-triacetic acid (NOTA) or 1,4,7-triazacyclononane-4,7-diyl diacetic acid (NODA);

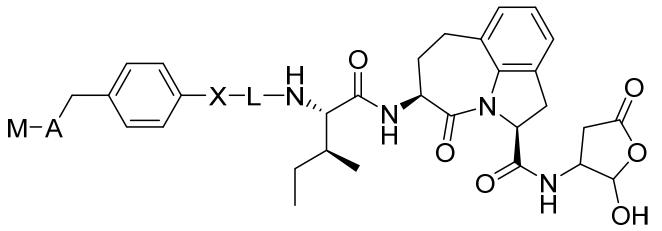
X is -$CH_2C(NH)$- or -NHC(S)-;

L is a peptide linker having 1-6 amino acid residues, inclusive;

R^1 is H or methyl; and

R^2 is C_{1-6} alkyl or C_{3-6} cycloalkyl.

8. The compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof of claim 7, wherein the compound is of formula (IIa):

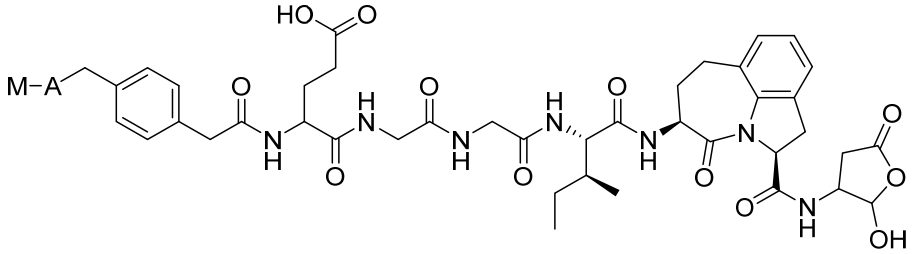


(IIa).

9. The compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof of claim 7 or claim 8, wherein L has 1-3 amino acid residues, inclusive.

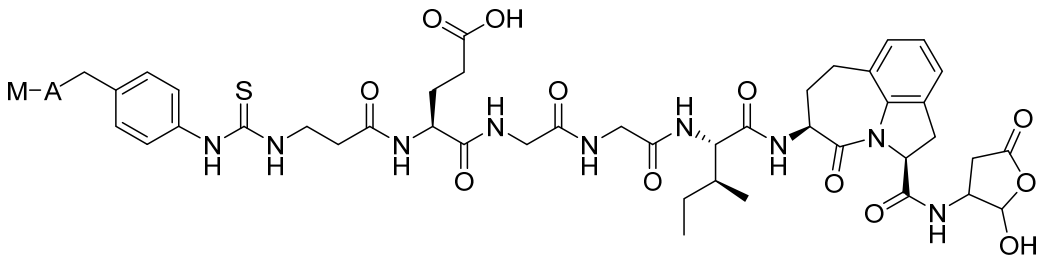
10. The compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof of any one of claims 7-9, wherein L has 3 amino acid residues.

11. The compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof of claim 7, wherein the compound is of formula (IIa-A) or formula (IIa-B):



(IIa-A)

or

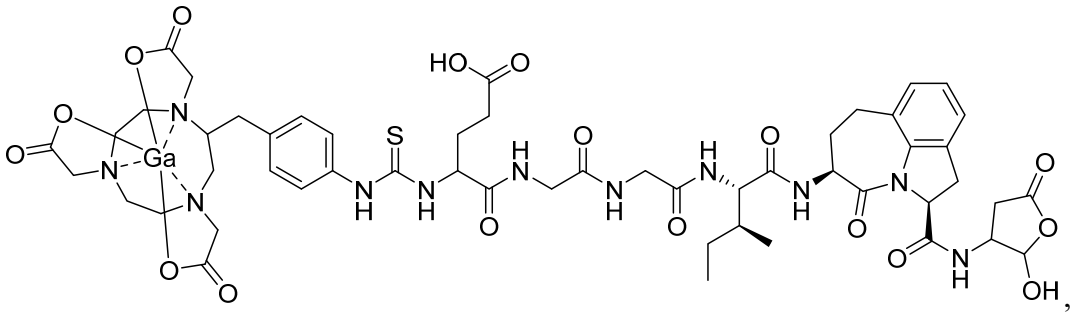


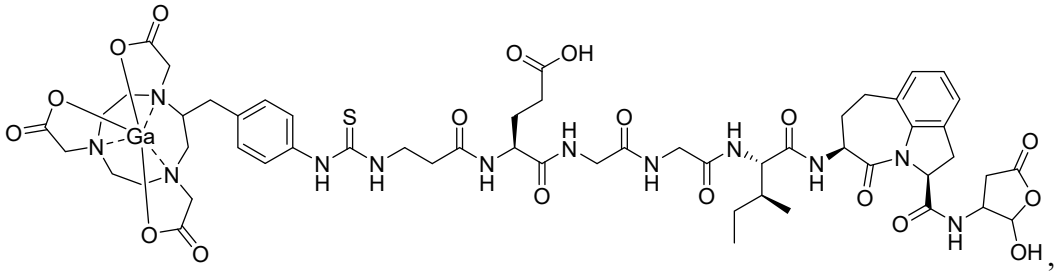
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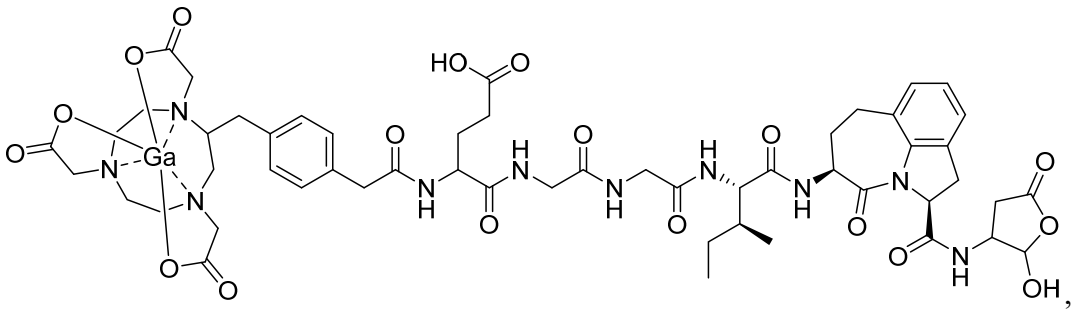
12. The compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof of any one of claims 7-111, wherein the metal is a radioisotope of Gallium (Ga); or wherein the metal is Aluminum (AL), which is linked to the radioisotope.

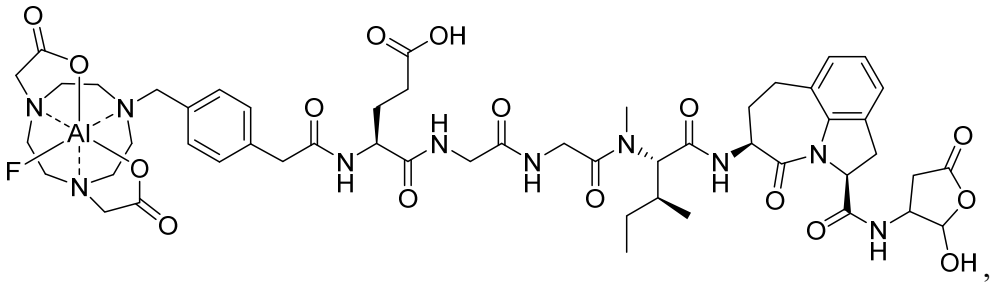
13. The compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof of claim 12, wherein the radioisotope of Ga is ^{68}Ga; or wherein the radioisotope linked to Al is ^{18}F.

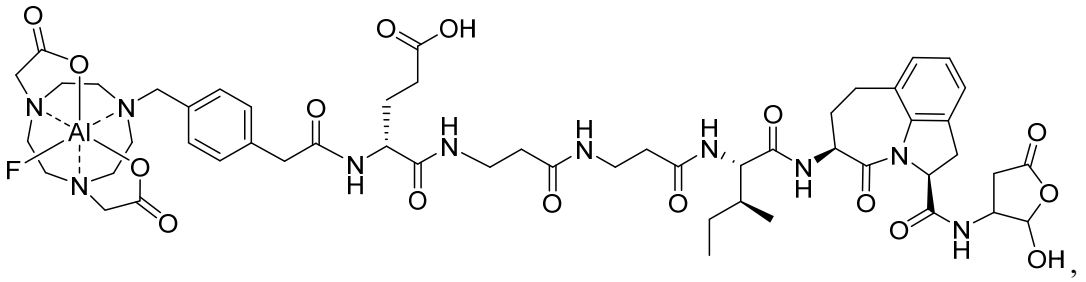
14. The compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof of claim 7, wherein the compound is:

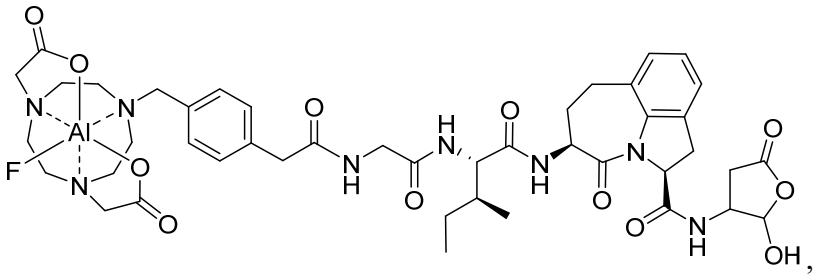


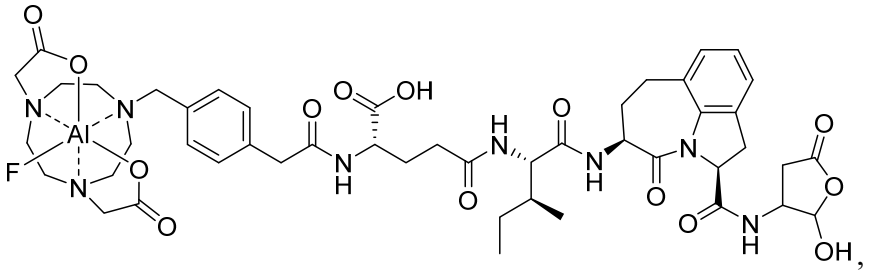


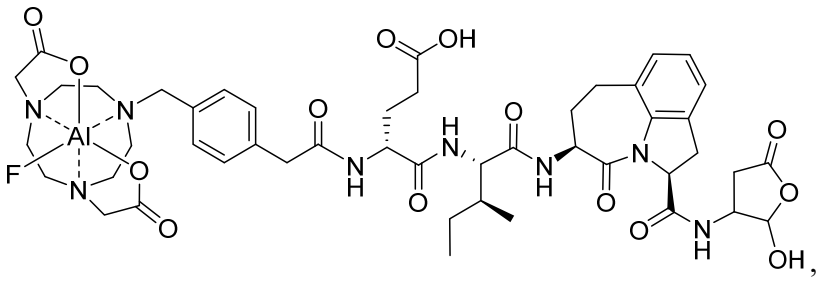




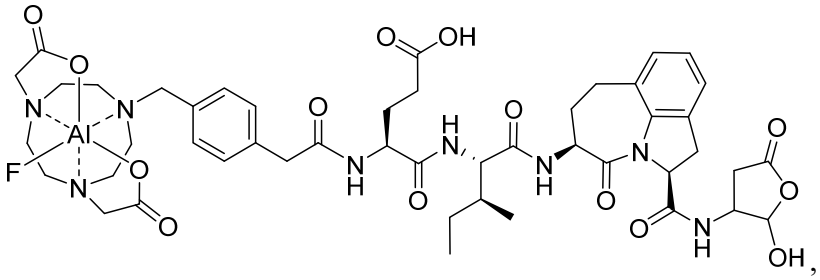




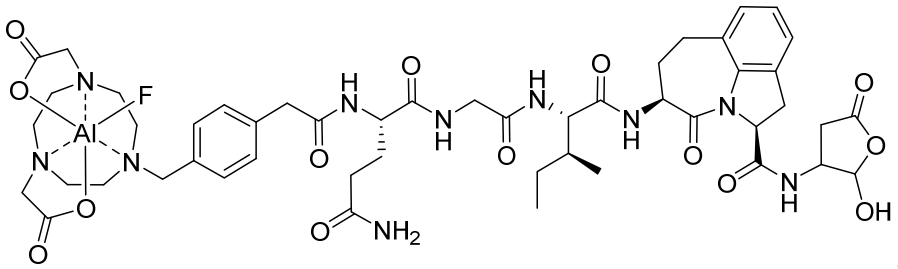




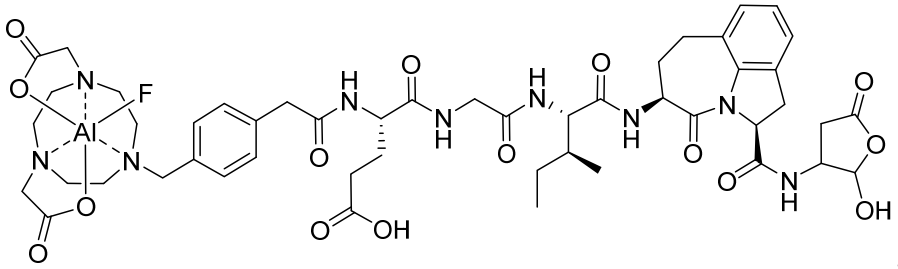
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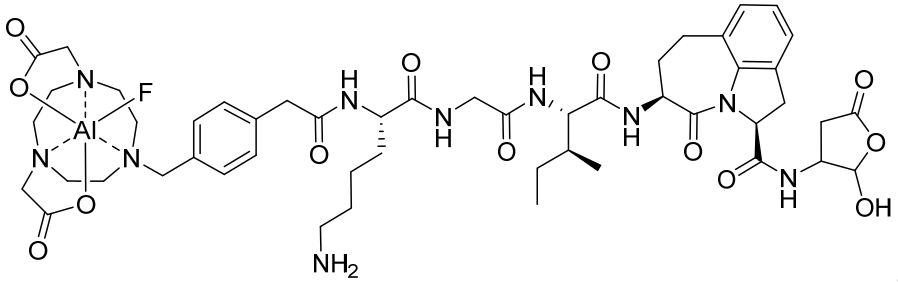
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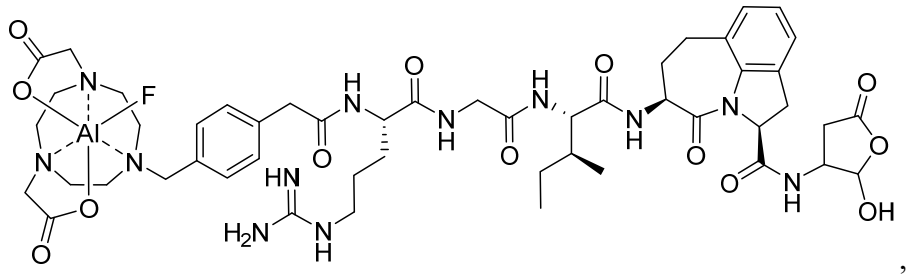
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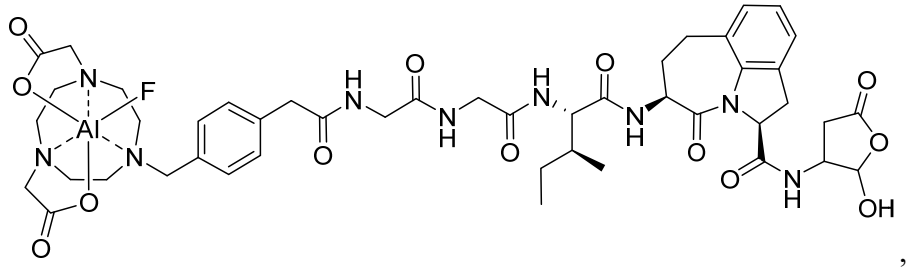
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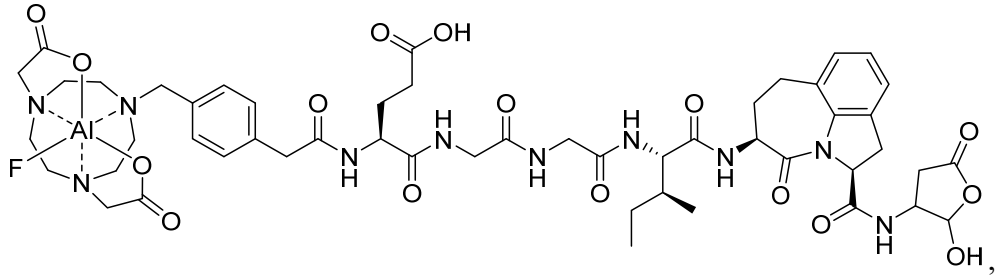
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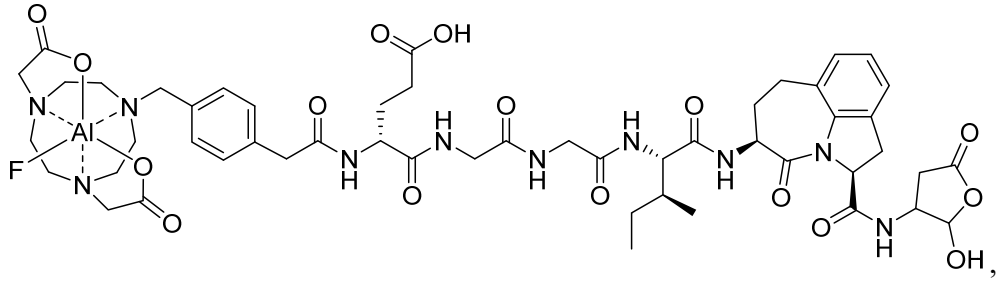
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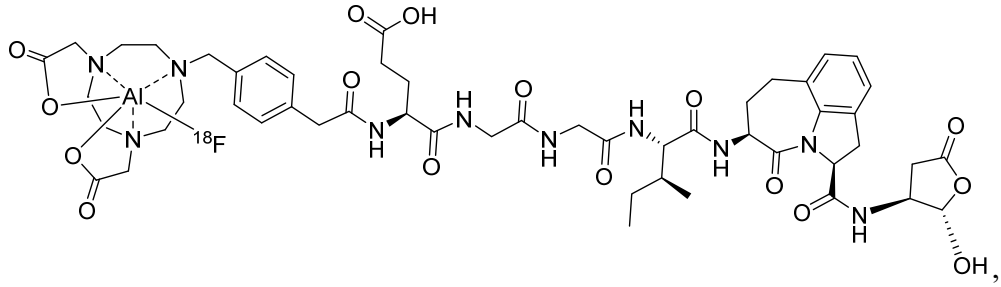
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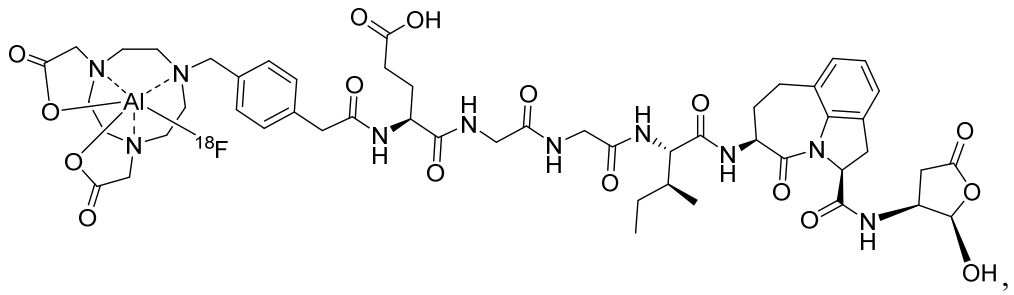
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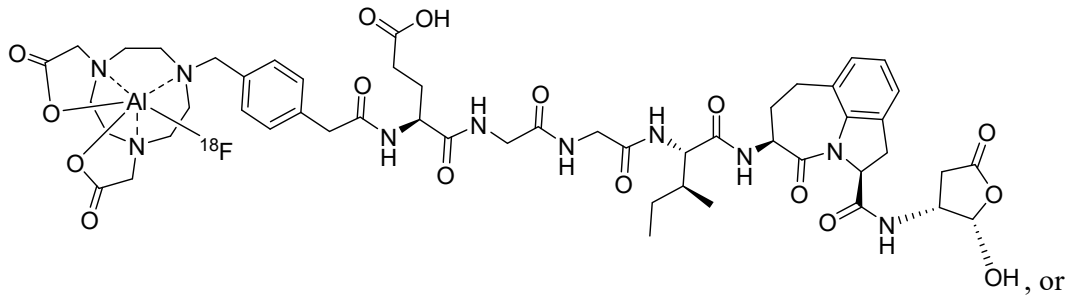


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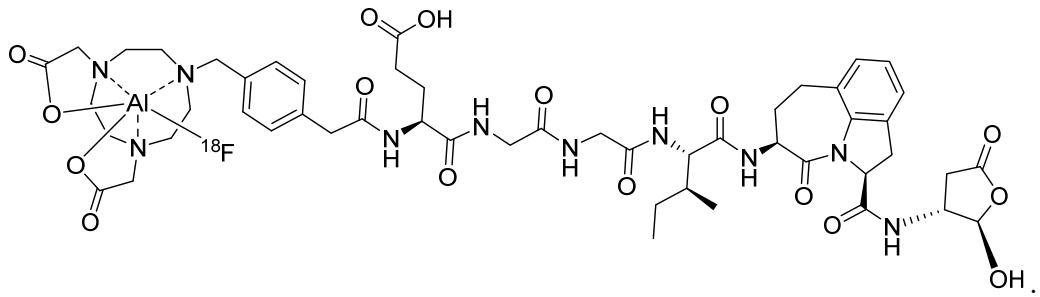


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15. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of any one of claims 7-14, a stereoisomer thereof, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

16. A kit comprising:

(i) a compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, of any one of claims 7-14 and

(ii) one or more additional therapeutic agents, wherein the one or more additional therapeutic agents are selected from the group consisting of anti-inflammatory agents, steroids, immunotherapy agents, chemotherapeutic agents, and therapeutic antibodies.

17. Use of the compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, of any one of claims 7-14, or the pharmaceutical composition of claim 15, in the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment of an immunoregulatory abnormality in a subject in need

thereof, wherein the immunoregulatory abnormality is selected from the group consisting of an autoimmune disorder, an inflammatory disorder, a skin disorder, cancer, and a cardiovascular disorder.

18. The use of claim 17, wherein the immunoregulatory abnormality is cancer.

19. The use of claims 17 or 18, wherein one or more additional therapeutic agents is to be further administered to the subject, wherein the one or more additional therapeutic agents is selected from the group consisting of anti-inflammatory agents, steroids, immunotherapy agents, chemotherapeutic agents, and therapeutic antibodies.

20. The use of any one of claims 17-19, wherein the immune response in the treatment of the immunoregulatory abnormality in the subject is monitored by imaging the subject with a suitable imaging technique.

21. A method of imaging granzyme B in a cell or tissue, a sample, a cell or tissue sample, the method comprising:

contacting the cell or tissue, the sample, the cell or tissue sample with a compound of any one of claims 7-14, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and

imaging the cell or tissue, the sample, the cell or tissue sample with a suitable imaging technique, thereby imaging granzyme B in the cell or tissue, the sample, the cell or tissue sample;

wherein the compound contains a radioisotope, which optionally is ^{18}F or ^{68}Ga.

22. The compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, of any one of claims 7-14, or the pharmaceutical composition of claim 15, for use in therapy.