

DITERPENOID COMPOUNDS THAT ACT ON PROTEIN KINASE C (PKC)

1. BACKGROUND

[0001] Diterpenoid Protein Kinase C (PKC) modulating compounds display anti-cancer and cytotoxic activities. Most studied of these compounds are triterpene diterpenoids, such as phorbol esters and prostratin. The biological effects of these compounds are thought to be mediated by transactivation, translocation and suppression of PKC enzymes, which play important roles in regulating signaling pathways that regulate or modulate cellular structure and gene expression.

[0002] Association of PKC enzyme activation and its inhibitory effect on cancer cell growth is supported by studies of PKC mutations in human cancers, which found that most of the PKC mutations are loss-of function mutations (Antal et al., *Cell*, 2015, 160:489–502). The presence of PKC loss-of-function mutations in various cancer types suggests that PKC enzymes may act as tumor suppressors. Studies with prostratin suggest that its anti-tumor effect may occur by activation of PKC enzymes that specifically target oncogene K-RAS (see Wang et al., *Cell*, 2015, 163(5):1237–1251). A different triterpene diterpenoid compound, phorbol myristate 13-acetate (PMA) also displays inhibitory effects on tumor growth by its action on PKC enzymes but also non-PKC involved mechanisms (Bond et al., *Int. J. Cancer*, 2007, 121:1445-1454).

[0003] In addition to effects on cancer, PKC enzymes also appear to modulate the immune response (Isakov & Altman, *Front Immunol.*, 2013, 4: 384). For example, PKC- θ is associated with T-cell receptor clustering and TCR mediated T-cell activation (Sun et al., *Nature*, 2000, 404:402-407; Anderson et al., *Autoimmunity*, 2006, 39(6):469-478) while PKC ϵ appears to be involved in LPS-mediated signaling in activated macrophages (Castrillo et al., *J Exp Med.*, 2001, 194(9):1231-1242). However, the role of PKC enzymes in immune response may be more complex. Deficiency in PKC δ may have a role in activating tolerance in B cells (i.e., self-tolerance) but not immunogenic B-cell response (Mecklenbrauker et al., *Nature*, 2002, 416:860-865). Human patients with a deficiency in PKC δ display severe autoimmunity and immunodeficiency-like B cell deficiency (Salzer et al., *Blood*, 2013, 121(16):3112-6). Another PKC isoform, PKC β , also appears to be involved in modulating B cell activity. Mice with a PKC β knockout are impaired in B cell activation, displaying an inability to proliferate following B cell receptor stimulation and also defective in other T-cell independent immune responses (Lim et al., *Immunology*, 2015, 146:508-522). PKC μ is essential for MyD88-dependent TLR signaling pathway and PKC μ signaling is required for full maturation of the NLRP3 inflammasome (Park et al., *J Immunol.*, 2009, 182(10): 6316–6327; Zhang et al., *J Exp Med.*, 2017, 214(9): 2671–2693).

2. SUMMARY

[0004] The present disclosure is based on findings presented herein that protein kinase C (PKC) modulating compounds disclosed herein enhance or stimulate the immune system. In one study, intratumoral injection of a PKC modulating compound resulted in not only necrotization of the tumor in a majority of the animals but also a durable immune memory that prevented re-engraftment upon re-challenge with tumor cells in animals in which the initial tumor had been eradicated. This durable immune memory was specific to the cancer cell type treated with the PKC modulating compound because challenge with a different cancer cell type in animals in which the initial tumor had been eradicated did not prevent engraftment of the different cancer cell type. The absence of this effect in studies involving xenografts of human cancer cells in immunodeficient mice substantiate the involvement of the immune response in preventing re-engraftment.

[0005] The result indicates that the PKC modulating compounds enhance or stimulate immune response against the cancer cells and have implications regarding use of such compounds in the treatment of cancers, particularly cancers that have metastasized or have become established at different sites, and on use of the compounds to enhance or stimulate immune response in other diseases or conditions where such an effect would be beneficial.

[0006] Accordingly, in one aspect, the present disclosure provides methods and uses of PKC modulating compounds, particularly PKC activating compounds of the disclosure, for enhancing or stimulating the immune system. In some embodiments, the present disclosure provides a method of enhancing or stimulating an immune response in a subject by administering to a subject in need thereof an amount of a PKC activator effective to enhance or stimulate the immune system in the subject.

[0007] In some embodiments, the stimulation or enhancement of the immune response is against a cancer or cancer antigen, or a precancerous lesion or growth, or a benign tumor. In some embodiments, a method of treating a cancer, or a precancerous lesion or growth, or a benign tumor comprises administering an effective amount of a PKC activator to a subject in need thereof sufficient to stimulate or enhance an immune response against a cancer or cancer antigen, or a precancerous lesion or growth, or a benign tumor.

[0008] In some embodiments, the PKC activating compound is administered locally, for example intratumorally, or where permissible topically, to the cancer or where a cancer antigen is present, or to the precancerous lesion or growth, or to the benign tumor.

[0009] In some embodiments, the method or use comprises administering one or more additional doses of or administrations of an effective amount of the PKC activator to further stimulate or enhance an immune response to the cancer or cancer antigen, or precancerous lesion or growth, or benign tumor. In some embodiments, the one or more additional doses or administration is to at least

a second cancer locus or mass or site different from the locus or mass or site of the first cancer or cancer antigen, or a second precancerous lesion or growth at a site different from the first precancerous lesion or growth, or a second benign tumor locus or mass or site different from the locus or mass or site of the first benign tumor.

[0010] In some embodiments, the effective amount administered is sufficient to induce necrosis of the cancer or cells containing a cancer antigen, or the precancerous lesion or growth, or the benign tumor. In some embodiments, the administration or treatment is effective to induce regression in a non-target cancer locus or mass, or non-target cells expressing a cancer antigen, or a non-target precancerous lesion or growth, or a non-target benign tumor. In some embodiments, the administration or treatment is effective to produce immune memory against the cancer, cancer antigen, or precancerous lesion or growth, or benign tumor.

[0011] In some embodiments, a cancer for treatment is adenocarcinoma, adrenocortical cancer, anal cancer, angiosarcoma, biliary cancer, bladder cancer, bone cancer, brain cancer, breast cancer, cervical cancer, colon cancer, cutaneous lymphoma, endometrial cancer, esophageal cancer, fibrosarcoma, fibroxanthoma, head and neck cancer, intestinal cancer, liver cancer, lung cancer, mast cell tumor, oral cancer, ovarian cancer, pancreatic cancer, renal cancer, prostate cancer, salivary gland cancer, skin cancer, stomach cancer, testicular cancer, throat cancer, thyroid cancer, uterine cancer, vaginal cancer, sarcoma, or soft tissue carcinomas.

[0012] In some embodiments, a cancer for treatment is a hematological cancer, such as leukemia or lymphoma. In some embodiments, the hematological cancer is lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), acute myeloid leukemia (AML), lymphoma (e.g., Hodgkin's lymphoma, Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, Burkitt's lymphoma), chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL), chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), Hairy Cell chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), and multiple myeloma.

[0013] In some embodiments, the precancerous lesion or growth for treatment with the compounds is actinic keratosis.

[0014] In some embodiments, the stimulating or enhancement of the immune response is for treating a benign tumor.

[0015] In some embodiments, the benign tumor for treatment with the compounds is an adenoma, fibroma, lipoma, myoma, neuroma, papilloma, or osteochondrosarcoma. In some embodiments, the benign tumor for treatment with the compounds is basal cell carcinoma, neurofibroma, dermatofibroma, epidermoid cyst, or angioma.

[0016] In some embodiments, the stimulating or enhancement of the immune response is for treatment of a wound. In some embodiments, a method of treating a wound comprises administering to a subject in need thereof an effective amount of a PKC activator compound to treat the wound.

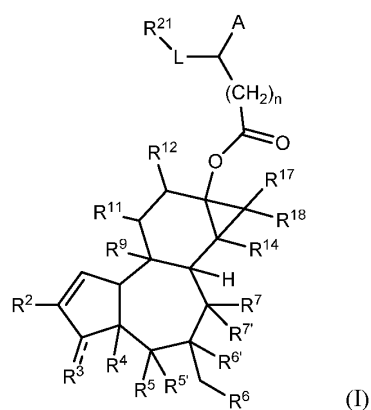
[0017] In some embodiments, the PKC activator is administered locally to the wound. In some embodiments, the PKC activator is administered topically to the wound.

[0018] In some embodiments, the treatment of a wound comprises administering an effective amount of a PKC activator compound to promote wound healing and/or for treating or preventing an infection of the wound. In some embodiments, an effective amount of the PKC activator is administered to prevent infection of the wound or to treat persistent or existing infection of the wound.

[0019] In some embodiments, an effective amount of the PKC activator is administered to increase the rate of wound healing. In some embodiments, an effective amount of the PKC activator is administered to reduce scarring, particularly excessive scarring of wound tissue.

[0020] In some embodiments, an effective amount of the PKC activator administered reduces scarring, wherein the scarring is a keloid or hypertrophic scar.

[0021] In some embodiments, the PKC activator compound for use in the methods is a diterpenoid PKC activator compound. In some embodiments, the compound is of formula (I):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

A is -OH, -C(O)OR¹, or -NR¹³R^{13'};

R¹ is H or a M⁺ counterion;

R² is a C₁-C₄alkyl;

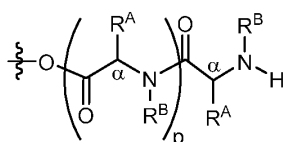
R³ is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or -OR^a, wherein R^a is H or -C(O)R^{a1}, wherein R^{a1} is C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R⁴ and R⁵ are each independently H or -OR^b, wherein R^b is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R^{5'} and R^{6'} are each independently H or OH, or R^{5'} and R^{6'} form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

$R^{6'}$ is H or OH, $R^{7'}$ is H, or $R^{6'}$ and $R^{7'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C_1 - C_{12} alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} alkenyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-aryl, or $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g ; wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 -

C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

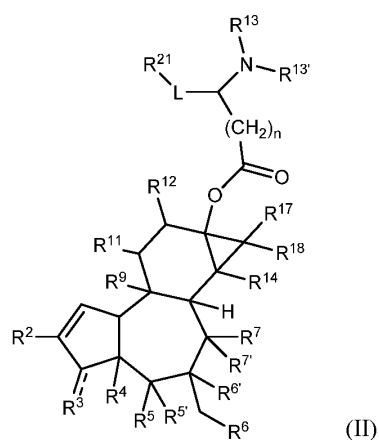
R^k is H or M⁺ counterion;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

n is 0 or 1.

[0022] In some embodiments, A is -OH. In some embodiments, A is -C(O)OR¹, wherein R¹ is H or a M⁺ counterion. In some embodiments, A is -NR¹³R^{13'}, wherein R¹³ and R^{13'} are each independently H or C₁-C₄alkyl.

[0023] In some embodiments, the compound is of formula (II):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R² is a C₁-C₄alkyl;

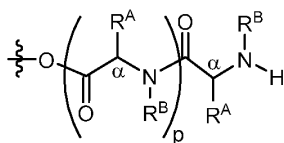
R³ is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or -OR^a, wherein R^a is H or -C(O)R^{a1}, wherein R^{a1} is C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R⁴ and R⁵ are each independently H or -OR^b, wherein R^b is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R^{5'} and R^{6'} are each independently H or OH, or R^{5'} and R^{6'} form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R⁶ is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, or -OC(O)R^c, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R⁶ is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

$R^{6'}$ is H or OH, $R^{7'}$ is H, or $R^{6'}$ and $R^{7'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C₁-C₄alkyl;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C₁-C₁₂alkyl, C₂-C₁₂alkenyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-aryl, or -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C₁-C₄alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g ; wherein R^g is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C₁-C₄alkyl or C₁-C₄alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

L is absent, C₁-C₁₂alkylene, or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

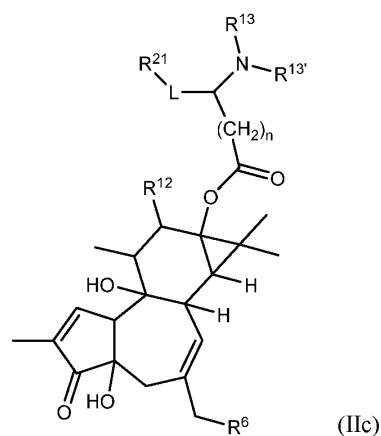
each R^j is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkyl-C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

n is 0 or 1.

[0024] In some embodiments, the compound is of formula (IIc):

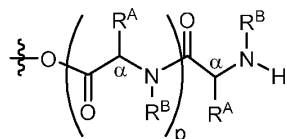


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C₁-C₁₂alkyl, C₂-C₁₂alkenyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-aryl, or -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C₁-C₄alkyl;

L is absent, C₁-C₁₂alkylene, or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl;

R^{21} is H, -S(O)₂R^j, -SR^j, -N(R^j)₂, -Si(R^j)₃, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl,

spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR^k, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

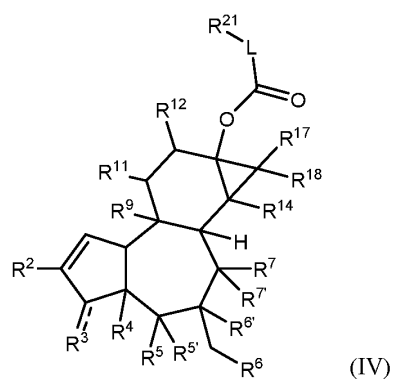
each Rⁱ is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

n is 0 or 1.

[0025] In some embodiments, the compound is of formula (IV):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R² is a C₁-C₄alkyl;

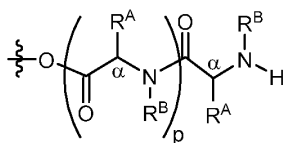
R³ is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- - -) is a bond, or -OR^a; wherein R^a is H or -C(O)R^{a1}, wherein R^{a1} is C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R⁴ and R⁵ are each independently H or -OR^b, wherein R^b is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R^{5'} and R^{6'} are each independently H or OH, or R^{5'} and R^{6'} form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R⁶ is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, or -OC(O)R^c, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

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R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C_1 - C_{12} alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} alkenyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-aryl, or $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g , wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkylene, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^{21} is H, -OH, -SH, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^k is H or M^+ counterion.

3. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

[0026] **FIG. 1** shows PKC activation in A549 non-small cell lung cancer cells by diterpenoid compounds as assessed by measuring levels of phosphorylated PKC (p-PKC) and phosphorylated ERK1/2 proteins (p-ERK1/2).

[0027] **FIG. 2** shows PKC activation in A549 non-small cell lung cancer cells by diterpenoid compounds as assessed by measuring levels of phosphorylated PKC (p-PKC) and phosphorylated ERK1/2 proteins (p-ERK1/2).

[0028] **FIG. 3** shows PKC activation in A549 non-small cell lung cancer cells by diterpenoid compounds assessed by measuring levels of phosphorylated PKC (p-PKC) and phosphorylated ERK1/2 proteins (p-ERK1/2), with prostratin (K101) provided for comparison.

[0029] **FIG. 4A** shows PKC activation in A549 non-small cell lung cancer cells by diterpenoid compounds based on levels of phosphorylated PKC (p-PKC) and phosphorylated ERK1/2 proteins (p-ERK1/2).

[0030] **FIG. 4B** shows PKC activation in A549 non-small cell lung cancer cells by diterpenoid compounds assessed by measuring levels of phosphorylated PKD/PKC μ (p-PKC) and phosphorylated PKC δ .

[0031] **FIG. 5** shows effect of selected diterpenoid compounds on levels of phosphorylated CaMKii (p-CaMKii), a marker of K-Ras stemness pathway inhibition, in Panc1 pancreatic cancer cell line.

[0032] **FIGS. 6A-6D** show sphere formation by Panc1 pancreatic cancer cell line treated with different diterpenoid compounds.

[0033] **FIG. 7** shows effect of intratumoral administration (7 daily injections) of diterpenoid compounds into Panc2.13 tumors in mice with Panc2.13 pancreatic cancer cell line xenografts.

[0034] **FIG. 8** (Panels A-F) shows levels of various cytokines in peripheral blood mononuclear cell (PMBC) preparations treated with a PKC activating compound. Panel A: IFN γ ; Panel B: GM-CSF; Panel C: IL-13; Panel D: IL-2; Panel E: TNF- α ; and Panel F: IL-6. IFN γ , GM-CSF, and IL-13 expressions were strongly induced in a dose-dependent manner (up to >10-fold increase over DMSO) by the PKC activator compounds. Notations are as follows: PMA + Iono. = PMA 50ng/mL + Ionomycin 1 μ g/mL; Resi.: Resiquimod (TLR 7/8); LPS = Lipopolysaccharides from Gram-negative bacteria outer membrane; K-47 = K101-C1347; K-802 = K101-C134802; and K-801 = K101-C134801

[0035] **FIG. 9** (Panels A-D) shows results of in vivo efficacy of compound K101-C134801 in an orthotopic 4T1-luc2 breast cancer metastasis model. Panel A: Bioluminescence signal of each female Balb/c mouse bearing 4T1-luc2 tumor after treatment with vehicle (top panel) or K101-C134801 (bottom panel). Panel B: Bioluminescence pictures of representative female Balb/c mice bearing

4T1-luc2 tumor after treatment with vehicle (left) or K101-C134801 (right). Panel C: Animal survival curves after administering vehicle or K101-C134801 to female Balb/c mice bearing 4T1-luc2 tumor. The death incidents included animal death or sacrifice. Panel D: Bioluminescence pictures of lung metastases in representative female Balb/c mice bearing 4T1-luc2 tumor after treatment with vehicle (top) or K101-C134801 (bottom) on Day 28. To properly show the bioluminescence signals, the primary tumor locations (abdomens) of the vehicle-treated mice were shielded.

[0036] FIG. 10 shows results of in vivo efficacy studies of K101-C134801 as a single agent or in combination with anti-PD1 antibody in MC38 syngeneic model. Animal survival after administering K101-C134801 as a single agent or in combination with anti-PD1 to female C57/6J mice bearing MC38 tumors (left panel: low dose groups; right panel: high dose groups).

FIG. 11 (Panels A-C) shows results of in vivo efficacy studies of compound K101-C134801 as a single agent in the CT26 syngeneic model by intra-tumoral (IT) injection. Panel A: Tumor volumes after administering vehicle or compound K101-C134801 to female Balb/c mice bearing CT26 tumors; data points represent group mean tumor volume. Error bars represent standard error of the mean (SEM). Panel B: Animal survival curves of the vehicle or K101-C134801 treatment groups; the death incidents included animal death and sacrifice. Panel C: Tumor volumes following re-implantation of CT26 cells (left panel) and implantation of 4T1 cells (right panel) to the control mice and the tumor-eradicated mice previously treated with the compound K101-C134801; data points represent group mean, error bars represent standard error of the mean (SEM).

[0037] FIG. 12 shows analysis of tumor tissue sections by hematoxylin-eosin (H&E) staining and immunohistochemistry (IHC) with anti-CD31 antibody 24h following single intratumoral injection of compound K101-C134801C2003.

4. DETAILED DESCRIPTION

[0038] As used in this specification and the appended claims, the singular forms “a”, “an” and “the” include plural referents unless the context clearly indicates otherwise. Thus, for example, reference to “a protein” includes more than one protein, and reference to “a compound” refers to more than one compound.

[0039] Also, the use of “or” means “and/or” unless stated otherwise. Similarly, “comprise,” “comprises,” “comprising” “include,” “includes,” and “including” are interchangeable and not intended to be limiting.

[0040] It is to be further understood that where descriptions of various embodiments use the term “comprising,” those skilled in the art would understand that in some specific instances, an embodiment can be alternatively described using language “consisting essentially of” or “consisting of.”

[0041] It is to be understood that both the foregoing general description, including the drawings, and the following detailed description are exemplary and explanatory only and are not restrictive of this disclosure. The section headings used herein are for organizational purposes only and not to be construed as limiting the subject matter described.

4.1. Definitions

[0042] In reference to the present disclosure, the technical and scientific terms used in the descriptions herein will have the meanings commonly understood by one of ordinary skill in the art, unless specifically defined otherwise. Accordingly, the following terms are intended to have the meanings as described below.

[0043] “Alkyl” refers to straight or branched chain hydrocarbon groups of 1 to 20 carbon atoms, particularly 1 to 12 carbon atoms (C_1 - C_{12} or C_{1-12}), and more particularly (C_1 - C_8 or C_{1-8}) carbon atoms. Exemplary “alkyl” includes, but are not limited to, methyl, ethyl, n-propyl, i-propyl, n-butyl, s-butyl, t-butyl, n-pentyl, and s-pentyl.

[0044] “Alkenyl” refers to straight or branched chain hydrocarbon group of 2 to 20 carbon atoms, particularly 2 to 12 carbon atoms (C_2 - C_{12} or C_{2-12}), and most particularly 2 to 8 (C_2 - C_8 or C_{2-8}) carbon atoms, having at least one double bond. Exemplary “alkenyl” includes, but are not limited to, vinyl, ethenyl, allyl, isopropenyl, 1-propenyl, 2-methyl-1-propenyl, 1-butenyl, 2-butenyl, 3-butenyl, 2-ethyl-1-butenyl, 3-methyl-2-butenyl, 1-pentenyl, 2-pentenyl, 3-pentenyl, 4-pentenyl, 4-methyl-3-pentenyl, 1-hexenyl, 2-hexenyl, 3-hexenyl, 4-hexenyl and 5-hexenyl.

[0045] “Alkynyl” refers to a straight or branched chain hydrocarbon group of 2 to 12 carbon atoms (C_2 - C_{12} or C_{2-12}), particularly 2 to 8 carbon atoms (C_2 - C_8 or C_{2-8}), containing at least one triple bond. Exemplary “alkynyl” includes ethynyl, 1-propynyl, 2-propynyl, 1-butyne, 2-butyne, 3-butyne, 1-pentyne, 2-pentyne, 3-pentyne, 4-pentyne, 1-hexyne, 2-hexyne, 3-hexyne, 4-hexyne and 5-hexyne.

[0046] “Alkylene”, “alkenylene” and “alkynylene” refers to a straight or branched chain divalent hydrocarbon radical of the corresponding alkyl, alkenyl, and alkynyl, respectively. The “alkylene”, “alkenylene” and “alkynylene” may be optionally substituted, for example with alkyl, alkoxy, hydroxyl, carbonyl, carboxyl, halo, nitro, and the like.

[0047] “Aliphatic” refers to an organic compound characterized by substituted or unsubstituted, straight or branched, and/or cyclic chain arrangements of constituent carbon atoms. Aliphatic compounds do not contain aromatic rings as part of the molecular structure of the compounds. Aliphatic compound can have 1-20 (C_1 - C_{20} or C_{1-20}) carbon atoms, 1-12 (C_1 - C_{12} or C_{1-12}) carbon atoms, or particularly 1-8 (C_1 - C_8 or C_{1-8}) carbon atoms.

[0048] “Lower” in reference to substituents refers to a group having between one and six carbon atoms.

[0049] “Cycloalkyl” refers to any stable monocyclic or polycyclic system which consists of carbon atoms, any ring of which being saturated. “Cycloalkenyl” refers to any stable monocyclic or polycyclic system which consists of carbon atoms, with at least one ring thereof being partially unsaturated. Examples of cycloalkyls include, but are not limited to, cyclopropyl, cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl, cycloheptyl, cyclooctyl, bicycloalkyls and tricycloalkyls (e.g., adamantyl).

[0050] “Heterocycloalkyl” or “heterocyclyl” refers to a substituted or unsubstituted 3 to 14 membered, mono- or bicyclic, non-aromatic hydrocarbon, wherein 1 to 3 carbon atoms are replaced by a heteroatom. Heteroatoms and/or heteroatomic groups which can replace the carbon atoms include, but are not limited to, -O-, -S-, -S-O-, -NR'-, -PH-, -S(O)-, -S(O)₂-, -S(O) NR'-, -S(O)₂NR'-, and the like, including combinations thereof, where each R' is independently hydrogen or lower alkyl. Examples include oxiranyl, oxetanyl, azetidynyl, oxazolyl, thiazolidinyl, thiazolyl, morpholinyl, pyrrolidinonyl, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, 2,3-dihydrofuranyl, dihydropyranyl, tetrahydrofuranyl, tetrahydropyranyl, dihydropyridinyl, tetrahydropyridinyl, tetrahydropyrimidinyl, tetrahydrothiophenyl, tetrahydrothiopyranyl, azapanyl, and the like.

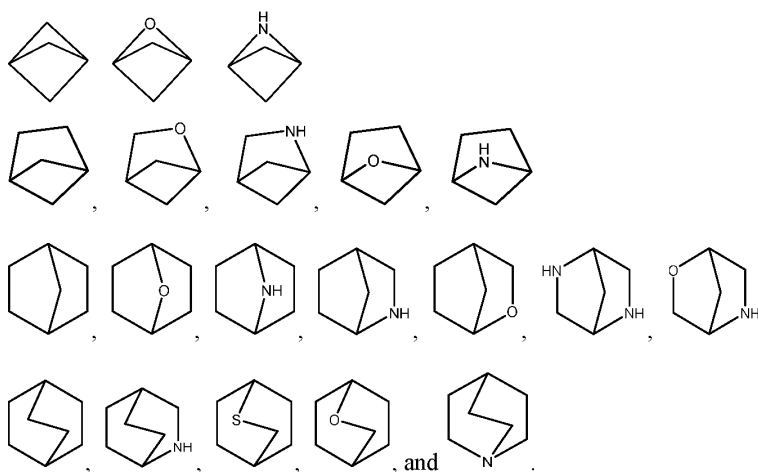
[0051] “Carbocycle,” “carbocyclyl,” and “carbocyclic,” as used herein, refer to a non-aromatic saturated or unsaturated ring in which each atom of the ring is carbon. The ring may be monocyclic, bicyclic, tricyclic, or even of higher order. Thus, the terms “carbocycle”, “carbocyclyl”, and “carbocyclic”, encompass fused, bridged and spirocyclic systems: Preferably a carbocycle ring contains from 3 to 14 atoms, including 3 to 8 or 5 to 7 atoms, such as for example, 6 atoms.

[0052] “Aryl” refers to a six- to fourteen-membered, mono- or bi-carbocyclic ring, wherein the monocyclic ring is aromatic and at least one of the rings in the bicyclic ring is aromatic. Unless stated otherwise, the valency of the group may be located on any atom of any ring within the radical, valency rules permitting. Examples of “aryl” groups include phenyl, naphthyl, indenyl, biphenyl, phenanthrenyl, naphthacenyl, and the like.

[0053] “Heteroaryl” refers to an aromatic heterocyclic ring, including both monocyclic and bicyclic ring systems, where at least one carbon atom of one or both of the rings is replaced with a heteroatom independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, and sulfur, or at least two carbon atoms of one or both of the rings are replaced with a heteroatom independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, and sulfur. In some embodiments, the heteroaryl can be a 5 to 6 membered monocyclic, or 7 to 11 membered bicyclic ring systems. Examples of “heteroaryl” groups include pyrrolyl, pyrazolyl, imidazolyl, pyrazinyl, oxazolyl, isoxazolyl, thiazolyl, furyl, thienyl, pyridyl, pyrimidyl, benzoxazolyl, benzisoxazolyl, benzothiazolyl, purinyl, benzimidazolyl, indolyl, isoquinolyl, quinoxalinyl, quinolyl, and the like.

[0054] “Bridged bicyclic” refers to any bicyclic ring system, i.e., carbocyclic or heterocyclic, saturated or partially unsaturated, having at least one bridge. As defined by IUPAC, a “bridge” is an unbranched chain of atoms or an atom or a valence bond connecting two bridgeheads, where a “bridgehead” is any skeletal atom of the ring system which is bonded to three or more skeletal atoms (excluding hydrogen). In some embodiments, a bridged bicyclic group has 5 to 12 ring members and 0-4 heteroatoms independently selected from nitrogen, oxygen, and sulfur. Such bridged bicyclic groups include those groups set forth below where each group is attached to the rest of the molecule at any substitutable carbon or nitrogen atom. Unless otherwise specified, a bridged bicyclic group is optionally substituted with one or more substituents as set forth for aliphatic groups. Additionally or alternatively, any substitutable nitrogen of a bridged bicyclic group is optionally substituted.

Exemplary bridged bicyclics include:



[0055] “Fused ring” refers a ring system with two or more rings having at least one bond and two atoms in common. A “fused aryl” and a “fused heteroaryl” refer to ring systems having at least one aryl and heteroaryl, respectively, that share at least one bond and two atoms in common with another ring.

[0056] “Carbonyl” refers to $-C(O)-$. The carbonyl group may be further substituted with a variety of substituents to form different carbonyl groups including acids, acid halides, aldehydes, amides, esters, and ketones. For example, an $-C(O)R'$, wherein R' is an alkyl is referred to as an alkylcarbonyl. In some embodiments, R' is selected from an optionally substituted: alkyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, and heteroarylalkyl.

[0057] “Halogen” or “halo” refers to fluorine, chlorine, bromine and iodine.

[0058] “Haloalkyl” refers to an alkyl substituted with 1 or more halogen atoms. Preferably, the alkyl is substituted with 1 to 3 halogen atoms.

[0059] “Hydroxy” refers to —OH .

[0060] “Oxy” refers to group —O— , which may have various substituents to form different oxy groups, including ethers and esters. In some embodiments, the oxy group is an —OR' , wherein R' is selected from an optionally substituted: alkyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, and heteroarylalkyl.

[0061] “Acyl” refers to —C(O)R' , where R is hydrogen, or an optionally substituted alkyl, heteroalkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, or heteroarylalkyl as defined herein. Exemplary acyl groups include, but are not limited to, formyl, acetyl, cyclohexylcarbonyl, cyclohexylmethylcarbonyl, benzoyl, benzylcarbonyl, and the like.

[0062] “Alkyloxy” or “alkoxy” refers to —OR' , wherein R' is an optionally substituted alkyl.

[0063] “Aryloxy” refers to —OR' , wherein R' is an optionally substituted aryl.

[0064] “Carboxy” refers to —COO^- or COOM , wherein H or a M^+ counterion.

[0065] “Carbamoyl” refers to —C(O)NR'R' , wherein each R' is independently selected from H or an optionally substituted alkyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, or heteroarylalkyl.

[0066] “Cyano” refers to —CN .

[0067] “Ester” refers to a group such as —C(=O)OR' , alternatively illustrated as —C(O)OR' , wherein R' is selected from an optionally substituted: alkyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, and heteroarylalkyl.

[0068] “Silyl” refers to Si , which may have various substituents, for example —SiR'R'R' , where R' is as defined in the specification. For example, each R' is independently selected from alkyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, and heteroarylalkyl. As defined herein, any heterocycloalkyl or heteroaryl group present in a silyl group has from 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected independently from O , N , and S .

[0069] “Thiol” refers to —SH .

[0070] “Sulfanyl” refers to —SR' , wherein R' is selected from an optionally substituted: alkyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, and heteroarylalkyl. For example, —SR , wherein R is an alkyl is an alkylsulfanyl.

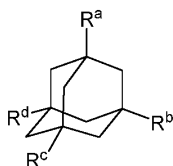
[0071] “Sulfonyl” refers to $\text{—S(O)}_2\text{—}$, which may have various substituents to form different sulfonyl groups including sulfonic acids, sulfonamides, sulfonate esters, and sulfones. For example, $\text{—S(O)}_2\text{R'}$, wherein R' is an alkyl refers to an alkylsulfonyl. In some embodiments of $\text{—S(O)}_2\text{R'}$, R' is selected from an optionally substituted: alkyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, and heteroarylalkyl.

[0072] “Amino” or “amine” refers to the group --NR'R' or --NR'R'R' , wherein each R' is independently selected from H and an optionally substituted: alkyl, cycloalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, alkyloxy, aryl, heteroaryl, heteroarylalkyl, acyl, alkyloxycarbonyl, sulfanyl, sulfinyl, sulfonyl, and the like. Exemplary amino groups include, but are not limited to, dimethylamino, diethylamino, trimethylammonium, triethylammonium, methylsulfonylamino, furanyl-oxy-sulfamino, and the like.

[0073] “Amide” refers to a group such as, --C(=O)NR'R' , wherein each R' is independently selected from H and an optionally substituted: alkyl, cycloalkyl, cycloalkylalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heterocycloalkylalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heteroaryl, and heteroarylalkyl.

[0074] “Spiroalkyl” as used herein refers to a monospiro compound having two alicyclic rings attached together through a single common carbon atom. In some embodiments, the spiro compounds have 5 to 12 total ring atoms (e.g., $\text{C}_5\text{--C}_{12}$ or $\text{C}_{5\text{--}12}$). In some embodiments, one or more of the carbon atoms can be replaced with a heteroatom, such as oxygen, nitrogen or sulfur. Exemplary spiroalkyl compounds include, among others, spiro[3,3]heptyl, spiro[3.4]octyl, and spiro[3,5]decyl.

[0075] “Adamantyl” refers to a compound of structural formula:



where optional substitutions can be present on one or more of R^a , R^b , R^c , and R^d . Adamantyl includes substituted adamantyl, e.g., 1- or 2-adamantyl, substituted by one or more substituents, including alkyl, halo, OH, NH_2 , and alkoxy. Exemplary derivatives include methyladamantane, haloadamantane, hydroxyadamantane, and aminoadamantane (e.g., amantadine).

[0076] “N-protecting group” as used herein refers to those groups intended to protect a nitrogen atom against undesirable reactions during synthetic procedures. Exemplary N-protecting groups include, but is not limited to, acyl groups such as acetyl and t-butylacetyl, pivaloyl, alkyloxycarbonyl groups such as methyloxycarbonyl and t-butyloxycarbonyl (Boc), aryloxycarbonyl groups such as benzyloxycarbonyl (Cbz) and fluorenylmethoxycarbonyl (Fmoc) and aroyl groups such as benzoyl. N-protecting groups are described in Greene's Protective Groups in Organic Synthesis, 5th Edition, P. G. M. Wuts, ed., Wiley (2014).

[0077] “Optional” or “optionally” refers to a described event or circumstance may or may not occur, and that the description includes instances where the event or circumstance occurs and instances where the event or circumstance does not. For example, “optionally substituted alkyl” refers to an alkyl group that may or may not be substituted and that the description encompasses both substituted alkyl group and unsubstituted alkyl group.

[0078] “Substituted” as used herein means one or more hydrogen atoms of the group is replaced with a substituent atom or group commonly used in pharmaceutical chemistry. Each substituent can be the same or different. Examples of suitable substituents include, but are not limited to, alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, cycloalkyl, aryl, arylalkyl, heterocycloalkyl, heteroaryl, OR’ (e.g., hydroxyl, alkyloxy (e.g., methoxy, ethoxy, and propoxy), aryloxy, heteroaryloxy, arylalkyloxy, ether, ester, carbamate, etc.), hydroxyalkyl, alkyloxy carbonyl, alkyloxyalkyloxy, perhaloalkyl, alkyloxyalkyl, SR’ (e.g., thiol, alkylthio, arylthio, heteroarylthio, arylalkylthio, etc.), S⁺R’₂, S(O)R’, SO₂R’, NR’R” (e.g., primary amine (i.e., NH₂), secondary amine, tertiary amine, amide, carbamate, urea, etc.), hydrazide, halo, nitrile, nitro, sulfide, sulfoxide, sulfone, sulfonamide, thiol, carboxy, aldehyde, keto, carboxylic acid, ester, amide, imine, and imide, including seleno and thio derivatives thereof, wherein each of the substituents can be optionally further substituted. In embodiments in which a functional group with an aromatic carbon ring is substituted, such substitutions will typically number less than about 10 substitutions, more preferably about 1 to 5, with about 1 or 2 substitutions being preferred.

[0079] “Stereoisomer” refers to a compound made up of the same atoms bonded by the same bonds but having different three-dimensional structures, which are not interchangeable. Thus, “stereoisomer thereof” with respect to a compound includes any stereoisomer of the compound and mixtures of stereoisomers, and includes “enantiomers,” which refers to two stereoisomers whose molecules are nonsuperimposable mirror images of one another. A compound may have more than one chiral center such that the compound may exist as either an individual diastereomer or as a mixture of diastereomers.

[0080] “Tautomer” refers to a proton shift from one atom of a molecule to another atom of the same molecule. Thus, “tautomers thereof” with respect to a compound includes any tautomers of the compound.

[0081] “Prodrug” refers to a derivative of an active compound (e.g., drug) that requires a transformation under the conditions of use, such as within the body or appropriate *in vitro* conditions, to release the active drug. Prodrugs are frequently, but not necessarily, pharmacologically inactive until converted into the active drug. Prodrugs can be obtained by masking a functional group in the drug believed to be in part required for activity with a progroup to form a promoiety which undergoes a transformation, such as cleavage, under the specified conditions of use to release the functional group, and hence the active drug. The cleavage of the promoiety may proceed spontaneously, such as by way of a hydrolysis reaction, or it may be catalyzed or induced by another agent, such as by an enzyme, by light, by acid, or by a change of or exposure to a physical or environmental parameter, such as a change of temperature. The agent may be endogenous to the conditions of use, such as an enzyme present in the cells to which the prodrug is administered or the acidic conditions of the stomach, or it may be supplied exogenously.

[0082] Various progroups, as well as the resultant promoieties, suitable for masking functional groups in the active drugs to yield prodrugs can be used. For example, a hydroxyl functional group may be masked as a sulfonate, ester or carbonate promoiety, which may be hydrolyzed *in vivo* to provide the hydroxyl group. An amino functional group may be masked as an amide, carbamate, imine, urea, phosphenyl, phosphoryl or sulfenyl promoiety, which may be hydrolyzed, e.g., *in vivo* or under appropriate *in vitro* conditions, to provide the amino group. A carboxyl group may be masked as an ester (including silyl esters and thioesters), amide or hydrazide promoiety, which may be hydrolyzed *in vivo* to provide the carboxyl group. Included within the scope of prodrugs are, among others, “biohydrolyzable carbonate”, “biohydrolyzable ureide”, “biohydrolyzable carbamate”, “biohydrolyzable ester”, “biohydrolyzable amide”, and “biohydrolyzable phosphate” groups.

[0083] “Solvate” refers to a complex of variable stoichiometry formed by a solute, such as a PKC activator compound, and a solvent. Such solvents are selected to minimally interfere with the biological activity of the solute. Solvents may be, by way of example and not limitation, water, ethanol, or acetic acid.

[0084] “Hydrate” refers to a combination of water with a solute, such as a PKC activator compound, wherein the water retains its molecular state as water and is either absorbed, adsorbed or contained within a crystal lattice of the solute (e.g., PKC activating compound).

[0085] “Pharmaceutically acceptable salts” is meant to include salts of the active compounds which are prepared with relatively nontoxic acids or bases, depending on the particular substituents found on the compounds described herein. When compounds of the present invention contain relatively acidic functionalities, base addition salts can be obtained by contacting the neutral form of such compounds with a sufficient amount of the desired base, either neat or in a suitable inert solvent. Examples of pharmaceutically acceptable base addition salts include sodium, potassium, calcium, ammonium, organic amino, or magnesium salt, or a similar salt. When compounds of the present invention contain relatively basic functionalities, acid addition salts can be obtained by contacting the neutral form of such compounds with a sufficient amount of the desired acid, either neat or in a suitable inert solvent. Examples of pharmaceutically acceptable acid addition salts include those derived from inorganic acids like hydrochloric, hydrobromic, nitric, carbonic, phosphoric, partially neutralized phosphoric acids, sulfuric, partially neutralized sulfuric, hydroiodic, or phosphorous acids and the like, as well as the salts derived from relatively nontoxic organic acids like acetic, propionic, isobutyric, maleic, malonic, benzoic, succinic, suberic, fumaric, mandelic, phthalic, benzenesulfonic, p-tolylsulfonic, citric, tartaric, methanesulfonic, and the like. Also included are salts of amino acids such as arginate and the like, and salts of organic acids like glucuronic or galactunoric acids and the like. Certain specific compounds of the present disclosure may contain both basic and acidic functionalities that allow the compounds to be converted into either base or acid addition salts. Lists of suitable salts are found in Remington's Pharmaceutical Sciences, 17th Ed., Mack Publishing

Company, Easton, Pa., (1985) and Journal of Pharmaceutical Science, 66:2 (1977), each of which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.

[0086] “Pharmaceutically acceptable carrier” or “pharmaceutically acceptable excipient” refers to an excipient, carrier or adjuvant that can be administered to a subject, together with at least one therapeutic agent, and which does not destroy the pharmacological activity thereof and is generally safe, nontoxic and neither biologically nor otherwise undesirable when administered in doses sufficient to deliver a therapeutic amount of the agent..

[0087] “K-RAS” refers to Kirsten rat sarcoma viral oncogene homolog, a small GTPase and a member of the RAS family of proteins involved in signal transduction. Exemplary human *K-RAS* nucleic acid and protein sequences are provided in GenBank Nos. M54968.1 and AAB414942.1, respectively. “K-RAS” as used herein encompasses variants, including orthologs and interspecies homologs, of the human K-RAS protein.

[0088] “Mutant K-RAS polypeptide”, “mutant K- RAS protein” and “mutant K- RAS” are used interchangeably and refer to a K- RAS polypeptide comprising at least one K- RAS mutation as compared to the corresponding wild-type K- RAS sequence. Certain exemplary mutant K- RAS polypeptides include, but are not limited to, allelic variants, splice variants, derivative variants, substitution variants, deletion variants, insertion variants, and fusion polypeptides.

[0089] “N-RAS” refers to Neuroblastoma RAS Viral (V-RAS) oncogene homolog, a small GTPase and a member of the RAS family of proteins involved in signal transduction. Exemplary human *N-RAS* nucleic acid and protein sequences are provided in NCBI Accession No. NP_002515 and GenBank Accession No. X02751, respectively. “N-RAS” as used herein encompasses variants, including orthologs and interspecies homologs of the human N-RAS protein.

[0090] “Mutant N- RAS polypeptide”, “mutant N- RAS protein” and “mutant N-RAS” are used interchangeably and refer to an N-RAS polypeptide comprising at least one N- RAS mutation as compared to the corresponding wild-type N- RAS sequence. Certain exemplary mutant N- RAS polypeptides include, but are not limited to, allelic variants, splice variants, derivative variants, substitution variants, deletion variants, insertion variants, and fusion polypeptides.

[0091] “H- RAS” refers to Harvey Rat Sarcoma viral oncogene homolog, a small GTPase and a member of the RAS family of proteins involved in signal transduction. Exemplary human *H-RAS* nucleic acid and protein sequences are provided in NCBI Accession No. P01112 and GenBank Accession No. NM_176795, respectively. “H- RAS” as used herein encompasses variants, including orthologs and interspecies homologs of the human H- RAS protein.

[0092] “Mutant H-RAS polypeptide”, “mutant H-RAS protein” and “mutant H-RAS” are used interchangeably and refer to an H-RAS polypeptide comprising at least one H- RAS mutation as

compared to the corresponding wild-type H- RAS sequence. Certain exemplary mutant H- RAS polypeptides include, but are not limited to, allelic variants, splice variants, derivative variants, substitution variants, deletion variants, insertion variants, and fusion polypeptides.

[0093] “Activating K- RAS” refers to a form of K- RAS that has increased activity compared to wild-type K- RAS. The activation of K- RAS activity can result from a mutation or in some embodiments, overexpression of the K- RAS protein.

[0094] “Activating N- RAS” refers to a form of N- RAS that has increased activity compared to wild-type N- RAS. The activation of N- RAS activity can result from a mutation, or in some embodiments, overexpression of the N- RAS protein.

[0095] “Activating H- RAS” refers to a form of H- RAS that has increased activity compared to wild-type H- RAS. The activation of H- RAS activity can result from a mutation, or in some embodiments, overexpression of the H- RAS protein.

[0096] “Mutation” or “mutant” refers to an amino acid or polynucleotide sequence which has been altered by substitution, insertion, and/or deletion. In some embodiments, a mutant or variant sequence can have increased, decreased, or substantially similar activities or properties in comparison to the parental sequence.

[0097] “Identified” or “determined” refers to analyzing for, detection of, or carrying out a process for the presence or absence of one or more specified characteristics.

[0098] “Wild-type” or “naturally occurring” refers to the form found in nature. For example, a naturally occurring or wild-type polypeptide or polynucleotide sequence is a sequence present in an organism that can be isolated from a source in nature and which has not been intentionally modified by human manipulation.

[0099] “Control” or “control sample” or “control group” refers to a sample or group that is compared to another sample or group, where generally the control sample or group are the same as a comparison group except for one or more factors being compared.

[0100] “Selecting” refers to the process of determining that a subject will receive an agent to treat the occurrence of a condition. Selecting can be based on an individual susceptibility to a particular disease or condition due to, for example, presence of an identifying cellular, physiological or environment factor or factors. In some embodiments, selecting can be based on determining or identifying whether that subject will be responsive to an agent, for example as assessed by identifying the presence of a biomarker and/or drug target marker that makes the subject sensitive, insensitive, responsive, or unresponsive to an agent or treatment.

[0101] “Biological sample” refers to any sample including a biomolecule, such as a protein, a peptide, a nucleic acid, a lipid, a carbohydrate or a combination thereof, that is obtained from an

organism, particularly a mammal. Examples of mammals include humans; veterinary animals like cats, dogs, horses, cattle, and swine; and laboratory animals like mice, rats and primates. In some embodiments, a human subject in the clinical setting is referred to as a patient. Biological samples include tissue samples (such as tissue sections and needle biopsies of tissue), cell samples (for example, cytological smears such as Pap or blood smears or samples of cells obtained by microdissection), or cell fractions, fragments or organelles (such as obtained by lysing cells and separating their components by centrifugation or otherwise). Other examples of biological samples include blood, serum, urine, semen, fecal matter, cerebrospinal fluid, interstitial fluid, mucous, tears, sweat, pus, biopsied tissue (for example, obtained by a surgical biopsy or a needle biopsy), nipple aspirates, milk, vaginal fluid, saliva, swabs (such as buccal swabs), or any material containing biomolecules that is derived from a first biological sample. In particular embodiments, the biological sample is a “cell free sample”, such as cell free or extracellular polynucleotides, and cell free or extracellular proteins. In some embodiments, cell free DNA or cfDNA refers to extracellular DNA obtained from blood, particularly the serum.

[0102] “Subject” as used herein refers to a mammal, for example a dog, a cat, a horse, or a rabbit. In some embodiments, the subject is a non-human primate, for example a monkey, chimpanzee, or gorilla. In some embodiments, the subject is a human, sometimes referred to herein as a patient.

[0103] “Treating” or “treatment” of a disease, disorder, or syndrome, as used herein, includes (i) preventing the disease, disorder, or syndrome from occurring in a subject, i.e., causing the clinical symptoms of the disease, disorder, or syndrome not to develop in an animal that may be exposed to or predisposed to the disease, disorder, or syndrome but does not yet experience or display symptoms of the disease, disorder, or syndrome; (ii) inhibiting the disease, disorder, or syndrome, i.e., arresting its development; and (iii) relieving the disease, disorder, or syndrome, i.e., causing regression of the disease, disorder, or syndrome. As is known in the art, adjustments for systemic versus localized delivery, age, body weight, general health, sex, diet, time of administration, drug interaction and the severity of the condition may be necessary, and will be ascertainable with routine experimentation by one of ordinary skill in the art, particularly in view of the guidance provided in the present disclosure.

[0104] “Therapeutically effective amount” refers to that amount which, when administered to an animal for treating a disease, is sufficient to effect such treatment for the disease, disorder, or condition.

4.2. Uses and Methods

[0105] As discussed above, the present disclosure describes results showing the effect of PKC activation in stimulating or enhancing an immune response. Diterpenoid PKC activating compounds, particularly the compounds disclosed herein, activate production of cytokines in PMBCs and activate NF κ B expression, a transcription factor playing a critical role in the development of innate immunity.

Surprisingly, a single intratumoral administration of a PKC activating compound appears to induce a durable immune memory against cancer cells treated with the compounds herein, as illustrated by the resistance of treated animals to re-engraftment of the cancer cells following re-inoculation. As noted above, the absence of resistance to re-engraftment following re-inoculation in cancer cell xenograft models using immunodeficient animals, which are compromised in adaptive immune response, strongly support the role of the immune system in resistance against tumor cell re-establishment. The durable immune memory is specific to the cancer type treated since re-inoculation with cancer cells from a different tissue origin does not result in robust resistance to re-engraftment.

[0106] These results provide a basis for treatment of tumors, particularly cancer established in multiples sites, as in metastatic cancers; treatment of precancerous lesions or growth; treatment of benign tumors; and other disorders or conditions that would benefit from activation or enhancement of the immune response, such as treatment of a wound.

[0107] Accordingly, in some embodiments, the present disclosure provides a method of stimulating or enhancing an immune response, comprising administering to a subject in need thereof an effective amount of a PKC activating compound. In some embodiments, the PKC activating compound is a diterpenoid PKC activating compound, as further described below. In some embodiments, the PKC activating compound is a compound disclosed herein.

[0108] In some embodiments, the stimulation or enhancement of the immune response is against a cancer or cancer antigen, or a precancerous lesion or growth or a benign tumor in a subject in need thereof. In some embodiments, a method of stimulating or enhancing an immune response against a cancer or cancer antigen, or a precancerous lesion or growth, or a benign tumor comprises administering an effective amount of a PKC activating compound to a subject in need thereof. The amount of compound administered is effective to stimulate or enhance an immune response against the cancer, cancer antigen, or precancerous lesion or growth, or benign tumor.

[0109] In some embodiments, the compound is administered locally to a first cancer locus or mass or site, or a first precancerous lesion or growth, or a first locus or mass or site of a benign tumor. In some embodiments, the first cancer locus or mass or site or the first precancerous lesion or growth, or the first locus or mass or site of a benign tumor refers to a primary cancer locus or mass or site, or a primary precancerous lesion or growth, or a primary benign tumor locus mass or site. Administered locally refers to administration to the mass or site of the cancer, location of cells expressing a cancer antigen, or mass or site of the precancerous lesion or growth, or mass or site of the benign tumor. This is in contrast to systemic administration, such as by intravenous or oral administration.

[0110] In some embodiments of the method, the compound is administered locally to the cancer intratumorally (e.g., via intratumoral injection), or directly to the precancerous lesion or growth or intratumorally to the benign tumor.

[0111] In some embodiments, where permissible or appropriate, the compound is administered topically, i.e., by topical administration.

[0112] In some embodiments, one or more additional doses of an effective amount of the compound is administered to further stimulate or enhance the immunological response to the cancer or cancer antigen, or precancerous lesion or growth, or benign tumor.

[0113] In some embodiments, the one or more additional doses includes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 or up to 10 doses administered. In some embodiments, the one or more additional doses can be to the same locus or mass of cancer or cancer antigen, or locus or mass of precancerous lesion or growth, or locus or mass of benign tumor. In some embodiments, the additional doses can be to overlapping areas, e.g., for example, based on zone or size or area of necrosis induced by administration of the compound. In some embodiments, the additional doses can be to non-overlapping zones or areas, e.g., for example beyond the zone or size of area of necrosis induced by administration of the compound. In some embodiments, administration to non-overlapping zones or areas is used to administer the compound to some or all of the locus or mass of the cancer or where the cancer antigen is present, or locus or mass of precancerous lesion or growth, or locus or mass of the benign tumor.

[0114] In some embodiments, the one or more additional doses are spaced apart in time, for example, by 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 12, 18, 24 hrs, or spaced apart by 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 days or spaced apart by 1 week, 2 weeks, 3 weeks or 4 weeks. In each period, one or more doses can be administered to comprise a treatment. For example, initial or first treatment with one or more doses of the compound can be followed by a second treatment of one or more doses of the compound, where first treatment is spaced apart in time from the second or subsequent treatments. In some embodiments, the treatment periods can be 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 12, 18, 24 hrs, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 days, 1 week, 2 weeks, 3 weeks or 4 weeks in between treatments.

[0115] In some embodiments, the compound can be administered locally followed by administration systemically, for example by intravenous or oral administration. In some embodiments, the compound can be administered systemically followed by localized administration. For example, in some embodiments, a compound can be administered locally, for example intratumorally to treat a cancer or enhance or stimulate an immune response against a cancer antigen, or to treat a precancerous lesion, or a benign tumor, and the systemically to further induce an immune response against (a) cancer or cancer cell expressing a cancer antigen at multiple site within a subject or to reduce the risk of establishment of metastatic tumors; (b) a precancerous lesion, such as to reduce the risk of transformation of the precancerous lesion into a cancer; or (c) a benign tumor, such as to treat benign tumors present at multiple sites or reduce the risk of reoccurrence of the benign tumor.

[0116] In some embodiments, the one or more additional doses or treatments is to at least a locus or mass of cancer or cancer antigen, or locus or mass of precancerous lesion or growth, or locus or mass

of benign tumor in a different position, e.g., distant, from site of the first cancer locus or mass or site of cancer or cancer antigen, or first precancerous lesion or growth, or first benign tumor locus or mass or site. In some embodiments, the compound is administered locally at a first or primary locus or mass or site of cancer or cancer antigen, or a first or primary precancerous lesion or growth, or a first or primary locus or mass or site of benign tumor, and administered locally to a second locus or mass or site of cancer or cancer antigen, or second precancerous lesion or growth, or second locus or mass or site of benign tumor. In some embodiments the second locus or mass or site of cancer or cancer antigen, or second precancerous lesion or growth, or second locus or mass or site of benign tumor is distant from the first or primary locus or mass or site of cancer or cancer antigen, or first or primary precancerous lesion or growth, or first or primary locus or mass or site of benign tumor.

[0117] In some embodiments, the compound is administered in an amount effective to induce necrosis of cancer cells, cells expressing a cancer antigen, or necrosis of a precancerous lesion or growth, or necrosis of benign tumor cells.

[0118] In some embodiments, the compound is administered in an amount effective to induce regression or reduction in a non-target cancer locus or mass or a satellite cancer locus or mass. In some embodiments, the non-target cancer locus or mass, also referred to as a satellite cancer locus or mass, is distant from the locus or mass or site of cancer treated, for example by local administration.

[0119] In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment with the compounds by enhancing or stimulating an immune response against the cancer is a secondary cancer or metastatic cancer. As used herein, a secondary cancer refers to a cancer that arises in two or more locations in a subject. A secondary cancer can arise from spontaneous development at different sites or migration of the cancer cells from one site to another site. In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment with the compounds is a metastatic cancer.

[0120] In some embodiments, treatment of metastatic cancer comprises administering a PKC activator compound locally, e.g., intratumorally, to a primary cancer locus or mass or site that can be detected and of sufficient size for treatment with the compounds herein, followed by systemic treatment with the compound to further enhance the immune response against the cancer cells that may be present at distant site, for example, a cancer that has metastasized but are not detectable.

[0121] In some embodiments, treatment of metastatic cancer comprises administering a PKC activating compound systemically, for example to prime the immune system, followed by administration locally, e.g., intratumorally, to a first locus or mass or site of the cancer.

[0122] In some embodiments, the compound is administered in an amount effective to produce immune memory against the cancer or cancer antigen. In some embodiments, the cancer or cancer antigen is an immunogenic cancer or immunogenic cancer antigen. Immunogenic cancer antigen, including immunogenic cancer antigen expressed inside the cell that can be released upon cell death

or expressed on the cell surface, include, among others, NY-ESO-1 (bladder cancer); Her2 (breast cancer); HPV16 E7 (cervical cancer); CEA-Carcinoembryonic antigen (colorectal cancer), WT1 (leukemia); MART-1, gp100, and tyrosinase (melanoma); URLC10, VEGFR1, and VEGFR2 (non-small cell lung cancer); survivin (ovarian cancer); MUC1 (pancreatic cancer; and MUC2 (prostate cancer). In some embodiments, cancer cells expressing the cancer antigen can be treated with the PKC activating compound to stimulate or enhance an immune response against the cancer antigen and cells expressing the cancer antigen.

[0123] In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment with the compound can be selected from, among others, adenosarcoma, adrenocortical cancer, anal cancer, angiosarcoma, biliary cancer, bladder cancer, bone cancer (e.g., osteosarcoma), brain cancer (e.g., glioma, astrocytoma, neuroblastoma, etc.), breast cancer, cervical cancer, colon cancer, cutaneous lymphoma, endometrial cancer, esophageal cancer, fibrosarcoma, fibroxanthoma, head and neck cancer, hematologic cancer (e.g., leukemia and lymphoma), intestinal cancer (small intestine), liver cancer, lung cancer (e.g., bronchial cancer, small cell lung cancer, non-small cell lung cancer, etc.), mast cell cancer, oral cancer, ovarian cancer, pancreatic cancer, renal cancer, prostate cancer, salivary gland cancer, skin cancer (e.g., basal cell carcinoma, melanoma, squamous cell carcinoma), stomach cancer, testicular cancer, throat cancer, thyroid cancer, uterine cancer, vaginal cancer, sarcoma, and soft tissue carcinomas.

[0124] In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment with the compound is pancreatic cancer. In some embodiments, the pancreatic cancer for treatment with the compounds is pancreatic adenocarcinoma or metastatic pancreatic cancer. In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment with the compounds is stage I, stage II, stage III, or stage IV pancreatic adenocarcinoma.

[0125] In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment with the compounds is lung cancer. In some embodiments, the lung cancer for treatment with the compounds is small cell lung cancer or non-small cell lung cancer. In some embodiments, the non-small cell lung cancer for treatment with the compounds is an adenocarcinoma, squamous cell carcinoma, or large cell carcinoma. In some embodiments, the lung cancer for treatment with the compounds is metastatic lung cancer.

[0126] In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment with the compounds is a hematologic cancer. In some embodiments, the hematologic cancer is selected from acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), acute myeloid leukemia (AML), lymphoma (e.g., Hodgkin's lymphoma, Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, Burkitt's lymphoma), chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL), chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), Hairy Cell chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), and multiple myeloma.

[0127] In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment with the compounds is a leukemia selected from acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), acute myeloid leukemia (AML), chronic lymphocytic

leukemia (CLL), chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), Hairy Cell chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), and multiple myeloma.

[0128] In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment with the compound is a lymphoma selected from Hodgkin's lymphoma, Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, and Burkitt's lymphoma).

[0129] In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment with the compound is a cancer characterized by mesenchymal features or mesenchymal phenotype. In some cancers, gain of mesenchymal features is associated with migratory (e.g., intravasation) and invasiveness of cancers. Mesenchymal features can include, among others, enhanced migratory capacity, invasiveness, elevated resistance to apoptosis, and increased production of extracellular matrix (ECM) components. In addition to these physiological characteristics, the mesenchymal features can include expression of certain biomarkers, including among others, E-cadherin, N-cadherin, integrins, FSP-1, α -SMA, vimentin, β -catenin, collagen I, collagen II, collagen III, collagen IV, fibronectin, laminin 5, SNAIL-1, SNAIL-2, Twist-1, Twist-2, and Lef-1. In some embodiments, the cancer selected for treatment with the compounds herein include, among others, breast cancer, lung cancer, head and neck cancer, prostate cancer, and colon cancer. In some embodiments, the mesenchymal features can be inherent to the cancer type or induced by or selected for by treatment of cancers with chemotherapy and/or radiation therapy.

[0130] In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment with the compound is identified as having or determined to have an activating or oncogenic RAS activity. In some embodiments, the RAS is K-RAS, H-RAS or N-RAS. In some embodiments, the activating or oncogenic RAS is an activating or oncogenic RAS mutation.

[0131] In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment is identified as having or determined to have an activating or oncogenic K-RAS mutation. In some embodiments, the cancer selected for treatment is identified as having or determined to have an activating or oncogenic mutation in human K-RAS at one or more of codon 5, codon 9, codon 12, codon 13, codon 14, codon 18, codon 19, codon 22, codon 23, codon 24, codon 26, codon 33, codon 36, codon 57, codon 59, codon 61, codon 62, codon 63, codon 64, codon 68, codon 74, codon 84, codon 92, codon 95, codon 97, codon 110, codon 115, codon 117, codon 118, codon 119, codon 135, codon 138, codon 140, codon 146, codon 147, codon 153, codon 156, codon 160, codon 164, codon 171, codon 176, codon 185, and codon 188.

[0132] In some embodiments, the activating or oncogenic K-RAS mutation can be a mutation in which: codon 5 is K5E; codon 9 is V9I; codon 12 is G12A, G12C, G12D, G12F, G12R, G12S, G12V, or G12Y; codon 13 is G13C, G13D, or G13V; codon 14 is V14I or V14L; codon 18 is A18D; codon 19 is L19F; codon 22 is Q22K; codon 23 is L23R; codon 24 is I24N; codon 26 is N26K; codon 33 is D33E; codon 36 is I36L or I36M; codon 57 is D57N; codon 59 is A59E, A59G, or A59T; codon 61 is Q61H, Q61K, Q61L, or Q61R; codon 62 is E62G or E62K; codon 63 is E63K; codon 64 is Y64D, Y64H, or Y64N; codon 68 is R68S; codon 74 is T74P; codon 84 is I84T; codon 92 is D92Y;

codon 97 is R97I; codon 110 is P110H or P110S; codon 115 is G115E; codon 117 is K117N; codon 118 is C118S; codon 119 is D119N; codon 135 is R135T; codon 138 is G138V; codon 140 is P140H; codon 146 is A146T or A146V; codon 147 is K147N; codon 153 is D153N; codon 156 is F156L; codon 160 is V160A; codon 164 is R164Q; codon 171 is I117M; codon 176 is K176Q; codon 185 is C185R or C185S; and codon 188 is M188V.

[0133] In particular, the cancer for treatment is identified as having or determined to have an oncogenic or activating K-RAS mutations at codon 12, codon 13 and/or codon 61. In some embodiments, the oncogenic or activating K-RAS mutation at codon 12 is G12A, G12C, G12D, G12F, G12R, G12S, G12V, or G12Y; at codon 13 is G13C, G13D, or G13V; and at codon 61 is Q61H, Q61K, Q61L, or Q61R. In some embodiments, the oncogenic or activating K-RAS mutation is a combination of oncogenic or activating K-RAS mutations at codon 12 and codon 13; codon 12 and codon 61; codon 13 and 61; or codon 12, codon 13 and codon 61.

[0134] In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment is identified as having or determined to have an activating or oncogenic N-RAS mutation. In some embodiments, the cancer is identified as having or determined to have an activating or oncogenic mutation in human N-RAS at one or more of codon 12, codon 13 and codon 61. In some embodiments, the activating or oncogenic N-RAS mutation at codon 12 is G12A, G12C, G12D, G12R, G12S, or G12V. In some embodiments, the activating or oncogenic N-RAS mutation at codon 13 is G13A, G13C, G13D, G13R, G13S, or G13V. In some embodiments, the activating or oncogenic N-RAS mutation at codon 61 is Q61E, Q61H, Q61K, Q61L, Q61P, or Q61R. In some embodiments, the oncogenic or activating N-RAS mutation is a combination of activating or oncogenic N-RAS mutations at codon 12 and codon 13; codon 12 and codon 61; codon 13 and 61; or codon 12, codon 13 and codon 61.

[0135] In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment is identified as having or determined to have an activating or oncogenic H-RAS mutation. In some embodiments, the cancer selected for treatment is identified as having an activating or oncogenic mutation in human H-RAS at one or more of codon 12, codon 13 and codon 61. In some embodiments, the activating or oncogenic H-RAS mutation at codon 12 is G12A, G12C, G12D, G12R, G12S, or G12V. In some embodiments, the activating or oncogenic H-RAS mutation at codon 13 is G13A, G13C, G13D, G13R, G13S, or G13V. In some embodiments, the activating or oncogenic H-RAS mutation at codon 61 is Q61E, Q61H, Q61K, Q61L, Q61P, or Q61R. In some embodiments, the oncogenic or activating H-RAS mutation is a combination of activating or oncogenic H-RAS mutations at codon 12 and codon 13; codon 12 and codon 61; codon 13 and 61; or codon 12, codon 13 and codon 61.

[0136] In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment can be a cancer having prevalence (e.g., at least about 10% or more, or about 15% or more of the cancers), of an activating or oncogenic RAS mutation, such as cancer of the biliary tract, cervix, endometrium, pancreas, lung, colon, head and

neck, stomach (gastric), biliary tract, endometrium, hematologic (e.g., leukemia, lymphomas, etc.), large intestine, lung, ovary, pancreas, prostate, salivary gland, skin, small intestine, stomach thyroid, aerodigestive tract, urinary tract, and ovary, small intestine, and urinary tract.

[0137] In some embodiments, the methods are used to treat a precancerous lesion or growth. In some embodiments, a method for treating a precancerous lesion or growth comprises administering an effective amount of a PKC activating compound to cause reduction or eradication of the precancerous lesion or growth.

[0138] As discussed above, in some embodiments, the compound is administered systemically. In some embodiments, the compound is administered locally, for example directly to the precancerous lesion or growth. In some embodiments, where appropriate, the compound is administered topically in an effective amount to a subject in need thereof to treat the precancerous lesion or growth, for example to cause a reduction or eradication of the precancerous lesion or growth.

[0139] In some embodiments, the precancerous lesion or growth for treatment with the compound is a precancerous lesion or growth on the skin. In some embodiments, the precancerous lesion or growth for treatment is actinic keratosis.

[0140] In some embodiments, other types of precancerous lesions or growths for treatment with the PKC activating compound is a precancerous polyp, such as those formed a precancerous colon cancer; kidney cysts in kidney cancer; atypical ductal hyperplasia (ADH), atypical lobular hyperplasia, flat epithelial atypia, lobular carcinoma in situ, or papillary lesions in breast cancer; hyperplasia and dysplasia in bladder cancer; dermafibroma; neurofibroma; epidermoid cyst; and angioma.

[0141] In some embodiments, the methods are used to treat a benign tumor. In some embodiments, a method for treating a benign tumor comprises administering an effective amount of a PKC activating compound to cause reduction or eradication of the benign tumor.

[0142] In some embodiments, the benign tumor for treatment is an adenoma, fibroma, lipoma, myoma, neuroma, papilloma, or osteochondro sarcoma.

[0143] In some embodiments, the benign tumor for treatment is basal cell carcinoma, neurofibroma, dermatofibroma, epidermoid cysts, or angioma.

[0144] In some embodiments, stimulation or enhancement of the immune response is used for treatment of a wound. In some embodiments, the treatment of a wound with the compounds is to promote wound healing and/or for treating or preventing an infection of the wound in a subject in need thereof. In some embodiments, a method of treating a wound comprises administering an effective amount of a PKC activator in a subject in need thereof to treat the wound.

[0145] In some embodiments, treatment of a wound is used to promote wound healing. In some embodiments, treatment of a wound is used for treating an infection of the wound (e.g., a pre-existing

infection), including a persistent infection of a wound. In some embodiments, treatment of a wound is for preventing infection of the wound. The ability of the PKC activating compound to increase levels of pro-inflammatory and some anti-inflammatory cytokines suggests that treatment with PKC activating compound may provide a balanced rise in such cytokines to promote wound healing and/or treat or prevent infection of the wound.

[0146] In some embodiments for treating a wound, the compound is administered locally to the wound. In some embodiments, where appropriate the compound is administered topically to the wound (e.g., skin).

[0147] In some embodiments, the compound is administered in an effective amount for promoting wound healing by increasing the rate of wound healing.

[0148] In some embodiments, the compound is administered in an effective amount for promoting wound healing by reducing scarring of wound tissue. In some embodiments, the compound is administered in an effective amount to promoting wound healing by reducing formation of keloid or hypertrophic scar.

[0149] In some embodiments, one or more additional doses of the compound can be administered to the wound. In some embodiments, the one or more additional doses include 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 or up to 10 doses administered. In some embodiments, the one or more additional doses are spaced apart in time, for example, by 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 12, 18, 24 hrs, or spaced apart by 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 days or spaced apart by 1 week, 2 weeks, 3 weeks or 4 weeks. In each period, one or more doses can be administered to comprise a treatment. For example, initial or first treatment with one or more doses of the compound can be followed by a second treatment of one or more doses of the compound, where first treatment is spaced apart in time from the second or subsequent treatments. In some embodiments, the treatment periods can be 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 12, 18, 24 hrs, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 days, 1 week, 2 weeks, 3 weeks or 4 weeks between treatments.

[0150] In some embodiments, the compounds can be used as monotherapy, or as further provided below, in a combination therapy with one or more therapeutic treatments, particularly in combination with one or more chemotherapeutic agents such as for treatment of cancer or precancerous lesions or growths. In some embodiments, the compounds are used in combination with a second therapeutic agent, where the compounds are used at levels that sensitizes a cancer or cancer cell to the second therapeutic agent, for example at levels of the compound that do not cause significant cell death. In some embodiments, the compounds can be used in combination with radiation therapy, either to sensitize the cells to radiation therapy or as an adjunct to radiation therapy (e.g., at doses sufficient to activate cell death pathway).

4.3. Use As Adjuvant

[0151] In some embodiments, a PKC activating compound can be used as an adjuvant in combination with a cancer cell preparation or cancer antigen to stimulate or enhance response against a cancer cell or cancer antigen.

[0152] In some embodiment, an adjuvant composition comprises a diterpenoid PKC activating compound, and a cancer cell or cancer antigen. In some embodiments, the cancer cell in the composition is a disrupted or killed cancer cells, for example by sonication, homogenization, or chemical disruption. In some embodiments, the cancer cell in the adjuvant composition is a tumor cell lysate. In some embodiment, the tumor cell lysate is prepared from cancer or tumor cells isolated from a subject to be treated, such as from a biopsy. In some embodiments, the tumor cell lysate is prepared from a primary culture of cancer cells obtained from a patient to be treated.

[0153] In some embodiments, the adjuvant composition comprises a diterpenoid PKC activating compound, and a cancer antigen. In some embodiments, the cancer antigen is a cancer antigen expressed in cancer cells of a subject to be treated with the adjuvant. In some embodiments, the cancer antigen selected for preparation of the adjuvant is determined by the cancer to be treated. In some embodiments, the cancer antigen is selected from, among others, NY-ESO-1 (bladder cancer); Her2 (breast cancer); HPV16 E7 (cervical cancer); CEA-Carcinoembryonic antigen (colorectal cancer), WT1 (leukemia); MART-1, gp100, and tyrosinase (melanoma); URLC10, VEGFR1, and VEGFR2 (non-small cell lung cancer); survivin (ovarian cancer); MUC1 (pancreatic cancer; and MUC2 (prostate cancer).

[0154] In some embodiments, the cancer antigen is obtained by preparing a primary culture of cancer cells obtained from a patient to be treated, and recovering from the serum cell surface antigens shed from the cultured cancer cells, e.g., as described in US20020164358A1.

[0155] In some embodiments, the cancer cells or tumor lysate for use in the adjuvant composition are prepared from, among others, adrenocortical cancer, anal cancer, biliary cancer, bladder cancer, bone cancer (e.g., osteosarcoma), brain cancer (e.g., gliomas, astrocytoma, neuroblastoma, etc.), breast cancer, cervical cancer, colon cancer, endometrial cancer, esophageal cancer, head and neck cancer, hematologic cancer (e.g., leukemia and lymphoma), intestinal cancer (small intestine), liver cancer, lung cancer (e.g., bronchial cancer, small cell lung cancer, non-small cell lung cancer, etc.), oral cancer, ovarian cancer, pancreatic cancer, renal cancer, prostate cancer, salivary gland cancer, skin cancer (e.g., basal cell carcinoma, melanoma), stomach cancer, testicular cancer, throat cancer, thyroid cancer, uterine cancer, vaginal cancer, sarcoma, and soft tissue carcinomas.

[0156] In some embodiments, the cancer cells or tumor lysate for use in the adjuvant composition is pancreatic cancer. In some embodiments, the pancreatic cancer for in the adjuvant composition is

pancreatic adenocarcinoma or metastatic pancreatic cancer. In some embodiments, the cancer for treatment with the compounds is stage I, stage II, stage III, or stage IV pancreatic adenocarcinoma.

[0157] In some embodiments, the cancer cells or tumor lysate for use in the adjuvant composition is lung cancer. In some embodiments, the cancer cells or tumor lysate for use in the adjuvant composition is small cell lung cancer or non-small cell lung cancer. In some embodiments, the cancer cells or tumor lysate for use in the adjuvant composition is an adenocarcinoma, squamous cell carcinoma, or large cell carcinoma. In some embodiments, the lung cancer the cancer cells or tumor lysate for use in the adjuvant composition is metastatic lung cancer.

[0158] In some embodiments, the cancer cells or tumor lysate for use in the adjuvant composition is a hematologic cancer. In some embodiments, the hematologic cancer is selected from acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), acute myeloid leukemia (AML), lymphoma (e.g., Hodgkin's lymphoma, Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, Burkitt's lymphoma), chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL), chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), Hairy Cell chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), and multiple myeloma.

[0159] In some embodiments, the cancer cells or tumor lysate for use in the adjuvant composition is a leukemia selected from acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), acute myeloid leukemia (AML), chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL), chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), Hairy Cell chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), and multiple myeloma.

[0160] In some embodiments, an adjuvant composition is administered in an effective amount to treat a cancer. In some embodiments, the adjuvant composition is administered in an effective amount to a subject in need thereof for treatment of a cancer in the subject. In some embodiments, the adjuvant is administered intradermally, intravenously, intramuscularly, or subcutaneously. In some embodiments, the adjuvant composition is administered at a locus or mass of cancer in the subject.

4.4. Compounds

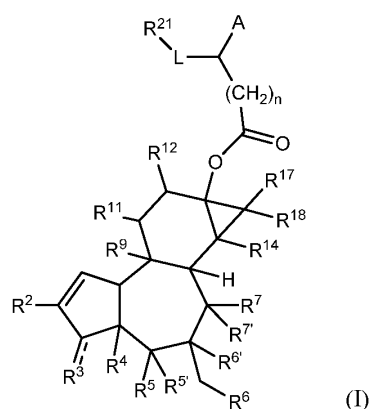
[0161] In some embodiments, the compound for use in the methods are protein kinase C (PKC) modulating compounds. In particular, the compounds are diterpenoid PKC modulating compounds displaying potent PKC activating activity as well as displaying enhanced solubility and pharmacokinetic profiles.

[0162] In some embodiments, the diterpenoid compounds with PKC activating compounds are disclosed in US Patent No. 6,432,452; US Patent No. 8,022,103; US Patent No.8,067,632; US Patent No. 8,431,612; US Patent No. 8,536,378; US Patent No. 8,816,122; US20090187046; US20110014699; US20120101283; US2011/0224297; WO2017083783; WO2017156350; Wender, et al., 2008, "Practical Synthesis of Prostratin, DPP, and Their Analogs, Adjuvant Leads Against Latent HIV," *Science*. 320(5876):649-652; Beans et al., 2013, "Highly potent, synthetically accessible prostratin analogs induce latent HIV expression in vitro and ex vivo," *Proc Natl Acad Sci USA*

110(29):11698-11703; Tsai et al., 2016, "Isolation of Phorbol Esters from *Euphorbia grandicornis* and Evaluation of Protein Kinase C- and Human Platelet-Activating Effects of Euphorbiaceae Diterpenes," *J Nat Prod.* 79(10):2658-2666; Duran-Pena et al., 2014, *Natural Product Reports* 31:940-952; Shi et al., 2008, *Chem. Rev.* 108:4295-4327; and U.S. Patent No. 10,183,922 (e.g., wound healing); all publications incorporated herein by reference.

[0163] In some embodiments, the diterpenoid compounds with PKC activating compounds are based on ingenane or ingenol structure, such as those disclosed in US Patent No. 6,432,452; US Patent No. 8,022,103; US Patent No. 8,106,092; US Patent No. 8,431,612; US Patent No. 8,901,356; US Patent No. 9,102,687; US 20080069809; US 2010204318; US 20130324600; US 20130331446; US 20140371311; US 20150175622; W020130182688; W02014066967; Jorgensen et al., 2013, "14-Step Synthesis of (+)-Ingenol from (+)-3-Carene," *Science* 341(6148):878-882; McKerral et al., 2014, "Development of a Concise Synthesis of (+)-Ingenol," *J. Am Chem Soc.* 136 (15):5799-5810; Liang et al., 2013, *Bioorg Med Chem Lett.* 23:5624-5629; Grue-Sorensen et al., 2014, "Synthesis, biological evaluation and SAR of 3-benzoates of ingenol for treatment of actinic keratosis and non-melanoma skin cancer," *Bioorg Med Chem Lett.* 24:54-60; Duran-Pena et al., 2014, *Natural Product Reports* 31:940-952; Shi et al., 2008, *Chem. Rev.* 108:4295-4327; and Yang et al., 2014, *Fitoterapia* 97:211-218; all of which are incorporated herein by reference.

[0164] In some embodiments, the present invention relates to the compounds disclosed herein. In some embodiments, the compounds are for use in the methods described herein. In some embodiments, the compound is a compound of formula (I):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

A is -OH, -C(O)OR¹, or -NR¹³R^{13'};

R¹ is H or a M⁺ counterion;

R² is a C₁-C₄alkyl;

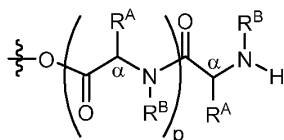
R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when $(- - -)$ is a bond, or $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^{5*} and R^{6*} are each independently H or OH, or R^{5*} and R^{6*} form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkylC(O)OR^k, R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^{6*} is H or OH, R^{7*} is H, or R^{6*} and R^{7*} form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{12} is H, $-OH$, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C_1 - C_{12} alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} alkenyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-aryl, or $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g , wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl,

spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR^k, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

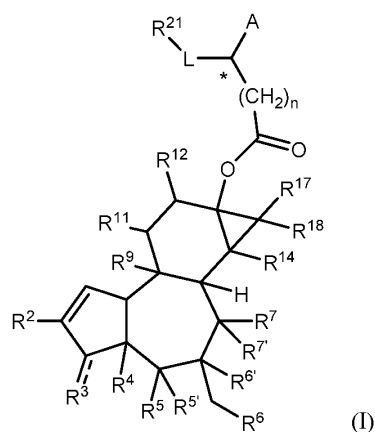
each Rⁱ is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

n is 0 or 1.

[0165] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (I), the carbon atom marked with “*”

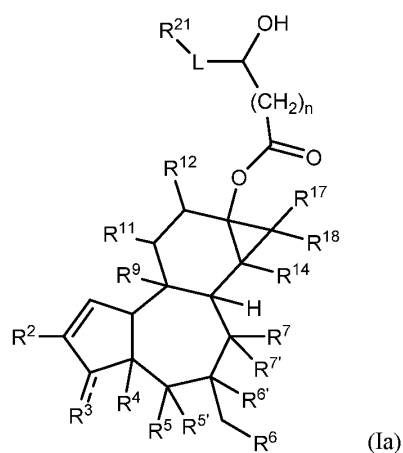


is chiral and thus can be present in *S* or *R* stereochemical configuration. In some embodiments, the stereochemical configuration is *S* isomer. In some embodiments, the stereochemical configuration is *R* isomer.

[0166] In some embodiments, A is -OH. In some embodiments, A is -C(O)OR¹, wherein R¹ is H or a M⁺ counterion. In some embodiments, A is -NR¹³R^{13'}, wherein R¹³ and R^{13'} are each independently H or C₁-C₄alkyl.

[0167] In the embodiments herein, M⁺ is a metal cation, an ammonium group, or a suitable organic cation. In some embodiments, M⁺ is a cation of an alkaline or alkaline earth metal, for example, K⁺, Na⁺, Li⁺, or Ca⁺². In some embodiments, M⁺ is an ammonium ion NH₄⁺, or an organic cation derived from an amine.

[0168] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (Ia):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

A is -OH;

R² is a C₁-C₄alkyl;

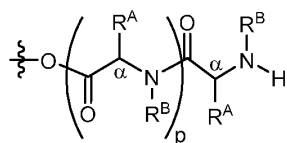
R³ is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or -OR^a; wherein R^a is H or -C(O)R^{al}, wherein R^{al} is C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R⁴ and R⁵ are each independently H or -OR^b, wherein R^b is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R^{5'} and R^{6'} are each independently H or OH, or R^{5'} and R^{6'} form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R⁶ is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, or -OC(O)R^c, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{cl})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{cl} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{cl} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R⁶ is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino

acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

$R^{6'}$ is H or OH, $R^{7'}$ is H, or $R^{6'}$ and $R^{7'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C_1 - C_{12} alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} alkenyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-aryl, or $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g ; wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

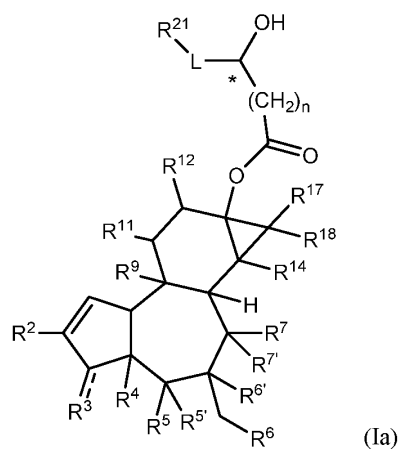
each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

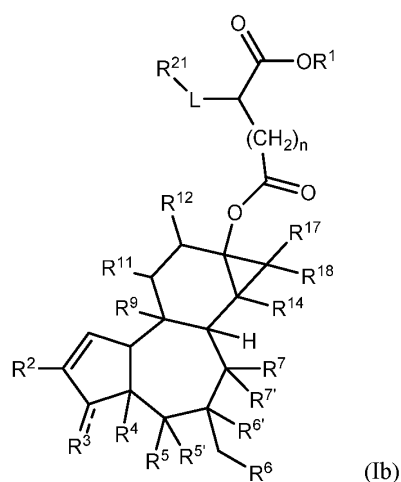
n is 0 or 1.

[0169] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (Ia), the carbon atom marked with “*”



is chiral and thus can be present in *S* or *R* stereochemical configuration. In some embodiments, the stereochemical configuration is *S* isomer. In some embodiments, the stereochemical configuration is *R* isomer.

[0170] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (Ib):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

A is $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^1$;

R^1 is H or a M^+ counterion;

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when $(- -)$ is a bond, or $-\text{OR}^a$; wherein R^a is H or $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{R}^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkenyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

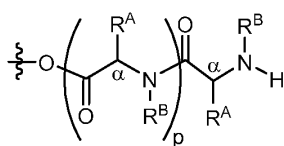
R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-\text{OR}^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 -

C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R^{5'} and R^{6'} are each independently H or OH, or R^{5'} and R^{6'} form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R⁶ is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, or -OC(O)R^c, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R⁶ is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^{6'} is H or OH, R^{7'} is H, or R^{6'} and R^{7'} form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R⁷ is H or OH;

R⁹ is OR^e, wherein R^e is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or aryl;

R¹¹ is C₁-C₄alkyl;

R¹² is H, -OH, -OC(O)R^f, wherein R^f is C₁-C₁₂alkyl, C₂-C₁₂alkenyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-aryl, or -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R¹³ and R^{13'} are each independently H or C₁-C₄alkyl;

R¹⁴ is H or OR^g; wherein R^g is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

R¹⁷ and R¹⁸ are each independently C₁-C₄alkyl or C₁-C₄alkyl-OR^h, wherein R^h is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

L is absent, C₁-C₁₂alkylene, or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl;

R²¹ is H, -S(O)₂R^j, -SR^j, -N(R^j)₂, -Si(R^j)₃, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR^k, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-

C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

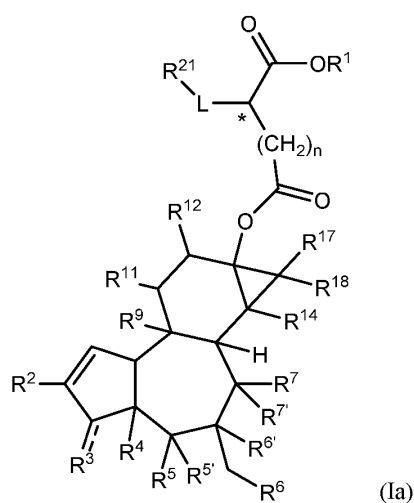
each Rⁱ is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

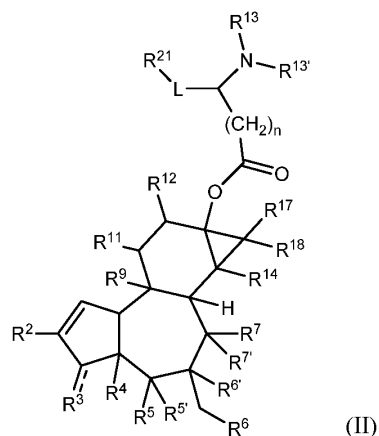
n is 0 or 1.

[0171] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (Ib), the carbon atom marked with “*”



is chiral and thus can be present in *S* or *R* stereochemical configuration. In some embodiments, the stereochemical configuration is *S* isomer. In some embodiments, the stereochemical configuration is *R* isomer.

[0172] In some embodiments, the compound is a compound of formula (II):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

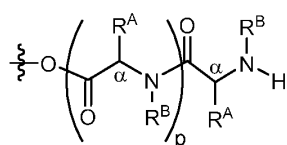
R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (---) is a bond, or $-OR^a$; wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

$R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ are each independently H or OH, or $R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(NR^{c1})_2$ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl $C(O)OR^k$, R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

$R^{6''}$ is H or OH, $R^{7'}$ is H, or $R^{6''}$ and $R^{7'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C_1 - C_{12} alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} alkenyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-aryl, or $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g , wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

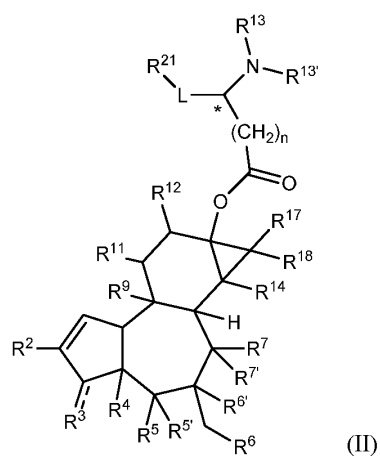
each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

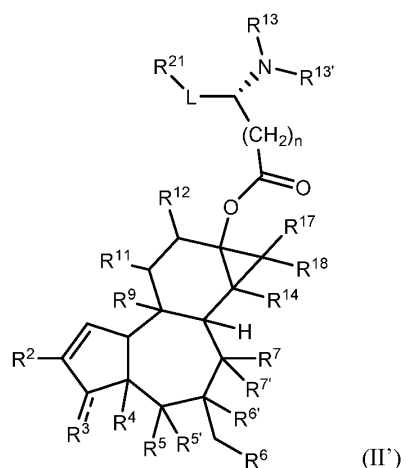
J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

n is 0 or 1.

[0173] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (II), the carbon atom marked with “*”

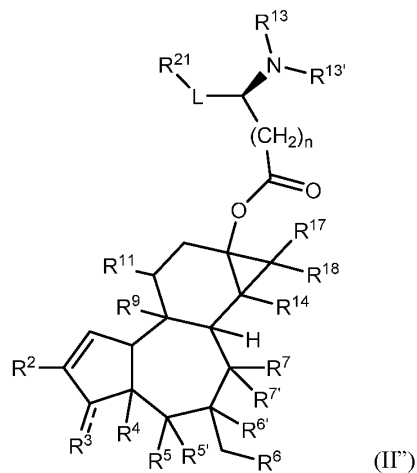


is chiral and thus compound may be present in *S* or *R* stereochemical configuration. In some embodiments, the stereochemical configuration is *S* isomer. In some embodiments, the stereochemical configuration is *R* isomer. In some embodiments, the compound of formula (II) has the structure of formula (II'):



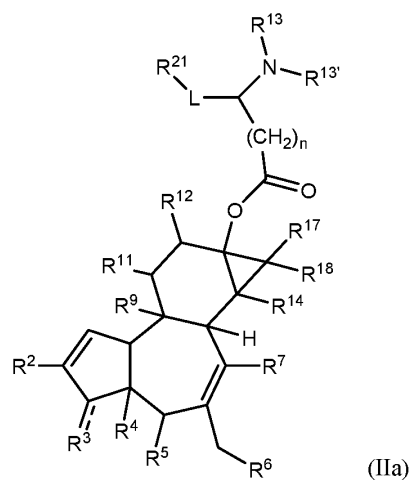
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , $R^{5'}$, R^6 , $R^{6'}$, R^7 , $R^{7'}$, R^9 , R^{11} , R^{12} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, R^{14} , R^{17} , R^{18} , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (II).

[0174] In some embodiments, the compound of formula (II) has the structure of formula (II''):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , R^6 , $R^{6'}$, R^7 , $R^{7'}$, R^9 , R^{11} , R^{12} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, R^{14} , R^{17} , R^{18} , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (II).

[0175] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIa):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

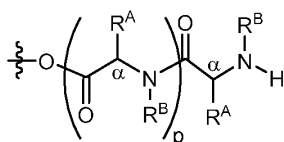
R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when $(- - -)$ is a bond, or $-OR^a$; wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(NR^{c1})_2$

or $-C_1-C_6\text{alkyl}C(O)OR^k$; R^{c1} is H, $C_1-C_6\text{alkyl}$, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, $C_1-C_6\text{alkyl}$, or aryl;

R^{11} is $C_1-C_4\text{alkyl}$;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is $C_1-C_{12}\text{alkyl}$, $C_2-C_{12}\text{alkenyl}$, $-C_0-C_{12}\text{aliphatic-}C_3-C_7\text{cycloalkyl}$, $-C_0-C_{12}\text{aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl}$, $-C_0-C_{12}\text{aliphatic-aryl}$, or $-C_0-C_{12}\text{aliphatic-heteroaryl}$;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or $C_1-C_4\text{alkyl}$;

R^{14} is H or OR^g ; wherein R^g is H or $C_1-C_6\text{alkyl}$;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently $C_1-C_4\text{alkyl}$ or $C_1-C_4\text{alkyl-}OR^h$, wherein R^h is H or $C_1-C_6\text{alkyl}$;

L is absent, $C_1-C_{12}\text{alkylene}$, or $C_2-C_{12}\text{alkenylene}$, wherein the $C_1-C_{12}\text{alkylene}$ or $C_2-C_{12}\text{alkenylene}$ is optionally substituted with $C_1-C_4\text{alkyl}$;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, $C_3-C_7\text{cycloalkyl}$, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5-C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the $C_3-C_7\text{cycloalkyl}$, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5-C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5-C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with $C_1-C_4\text{alkyl}$, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

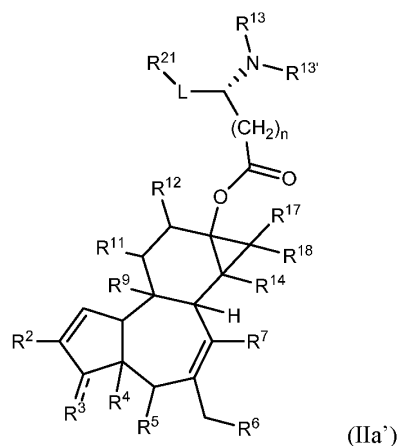
each R^j is independently $C_1-C_6\text{alkyl}$, $C_2-C_6\text{alkenyl}$, $C_0-C_6\text{alkyl}C_3-C_7\text{cycloalkyl}$, $C_0-C_6\text{alkylheterocyclyl}$, $C_0-C_6\text{alkylaryl}$, or $C_0-C_6\text{alkylheteroaryl}$, wherein the $C_3-C_7\text{cycloalkyl}$, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

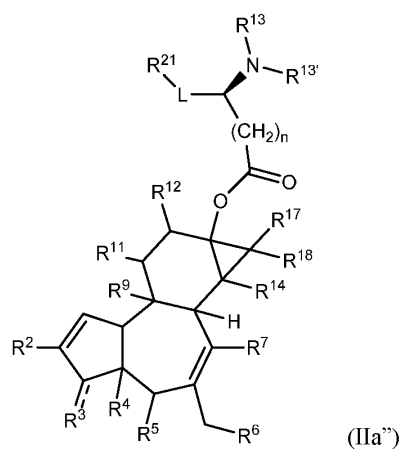
n is 0 or 1.

[0176] In some embodiments, the compound of formula (IIa) has the structure for formula (IIa'):



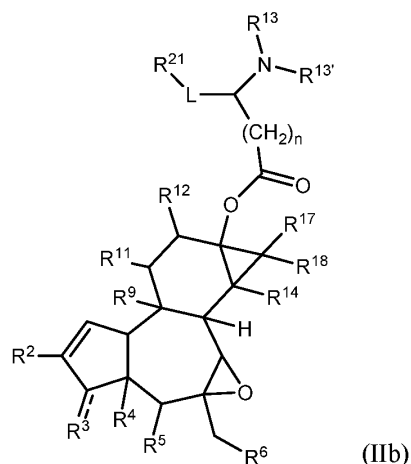
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R², R³, R⁴, R⁵, R⁶, R⁷, R⁹, R¹¹, R¹², R¹³, R^{13'}, R¹⁴, R¹⁷, R¹⁸, L and R²¹ are as defined for formula (II).

[0177] In some embodiments, the compound of formula (IIa) has the structure for formula (IIa''):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R², R³, R⁴, R⁵, R⁶, R⁷, R⁹, R¹¹, R¹², R¹³, R^{13'}, R¹⁴, R¹⁷, R¹⁸, L and R²¹ are as defined for formula (II).

[0178] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIb):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

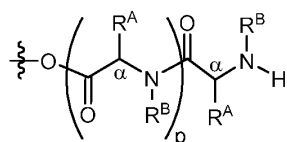
R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(NR^{c1})_2$ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkylC(O)OR^k, R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C_1 - C_{12} alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} alkenyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-aryl, or $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g ; wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

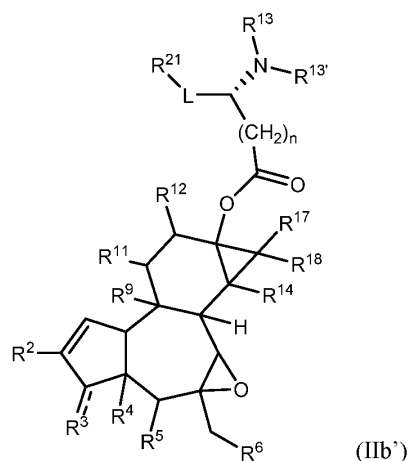
each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

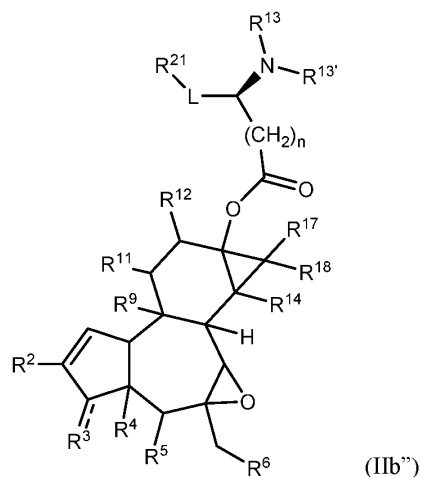
n is 0 or 1.

[0179] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIb'):



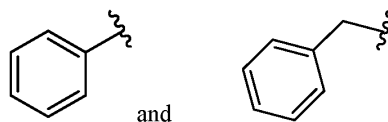
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , R^6 , R^9 , R^{11} , R^{12} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, R^{14} , R^{17} , R^{18} , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (II).

[0180] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIb''):

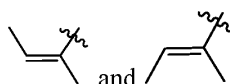


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , R^6 , R^9 , R^{11} , R^{12} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, R^{14} , R^{17} , R^{18} , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (II).

[0181] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), and (IIb''), R^3 is $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl. In some embodiments, the aryl of C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl is phenyl. In some embodiments, the aryl of C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl. In some embodiments, R^{a1} is selected from:



[0182] In some embodiments, R^{a1} is selected from:



[0183] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), and (IIb''),

R^3 is O double bonded to the carbon atom.

[0184] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), and (IIb''), one or more of R^2 , R^{11} , R^{17} , and R^{18} are $-\text{CH}_3$. In some embodiments, each of R^2 , R^{11} , R^{17} , and R^{18} is $-\text{CH}_3$.

[0185] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), and (IIb''), R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-\text{OH}$.

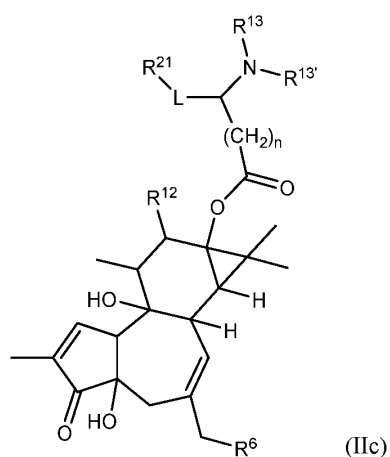
[0186] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), and (IIb''),

R^2 , R^{11} , R^{17} , and R^{18} are $-\text{CH}_3$;

R^3 is O double bonded to the carbon atom; and

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-\text{OH}$.

[0187] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIc):

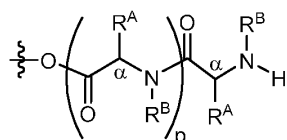


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^6 is OH, halo, $-\text{OP}(\text{O})(\text{OR}^{b'})_2$, or $-\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{R}^c$, wherein each $\text{R}^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(\text{NR}^{c1})_2$ or $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-

natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-\text{OC}(\text{O})R^f$, wherein R^f is $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{12}$ alkyl, $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{12}$ alkenyl, $\text{-C}_0\text{-C}_{12}$ aliphatic- $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_7$ cycloalkyl, $\text{-C}_0\text{-C}_{12}$ aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, $\text{-C}_0\text{-C}_{12}$ aliphatic-aryl, or $\text{-C}_0\text{-C}_{12}$ aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_4$ alkyl;

L is absent, $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{12}$ alkylene, or $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{12}$ alkenylene, wherein the $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_{12}$ alkylene or $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_{12}$ alkenylene is optionally substituted with $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_4$ alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-\text{S}(\text{O})_2R^j$, $-\text{SR}^j$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^j)_2$, $-\text{Si}(\text{R}^j)_3$, $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_7$ cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro $\text{C}_5\text{-C}_{12}$ cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$, wherein the $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_7$ cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro $\text{C}_5\text{-C}_{12}$ cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro $\text{C}_5\text{-C}_{12}$ cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_4$ alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

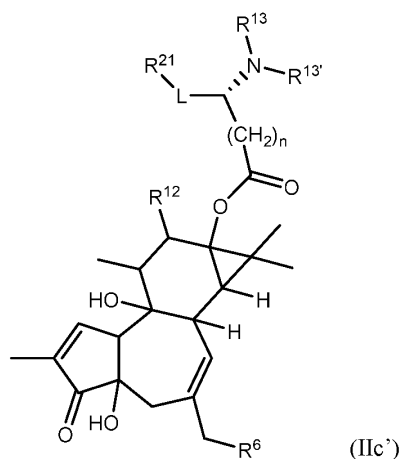
each R^j is independently $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl, $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_6$ alkenyl, $\text{C}_0\text{-C}_6$ alkyl $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_7$ cycloalkyl, $\text{C}_0\text{-C}_6$ alkylheterocyclyl, $\text{C}_0\text{-C}_6$ alkylaryl, or $\text{C}_0\text{-C}_6$ alkylheteroaryl, wherein the $\text{C}_3\text{-C}_7$ cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_4$ alkyl, and halo $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_4$ alkyl; and

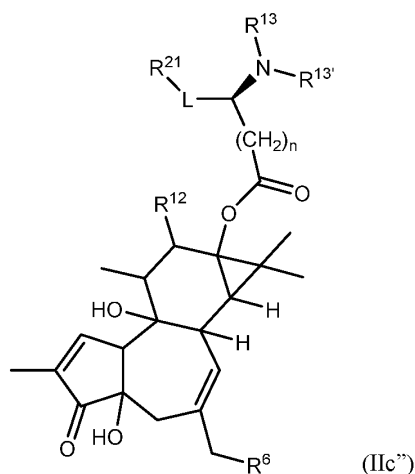
n is 0 or 1.

[0188] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIc'):



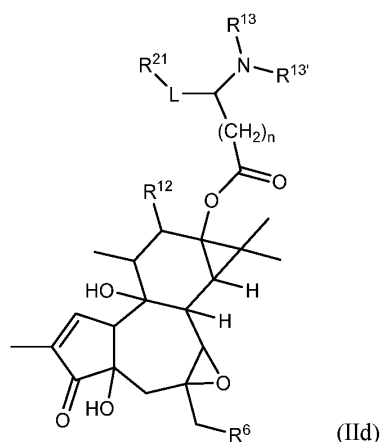
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^6 , R^{12} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (IIc).

[0189] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIc''):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^6 , R^{12} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (IIc).

[0190] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IId):



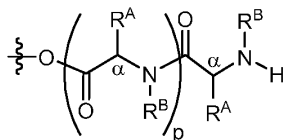
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(NR^{c1})_2$ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl $C(O)OR^k$, R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7

membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C_1 - C_{12} alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} alkenyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-aryl, or $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

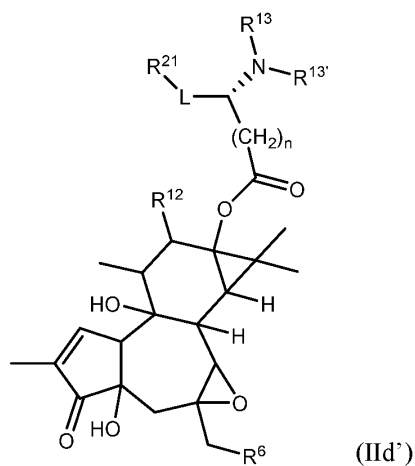
each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

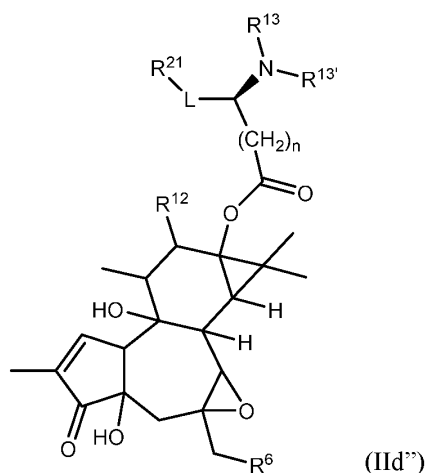
n is 0 or 1.

[0191] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIId'):



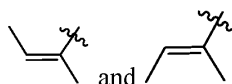
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^6 , R^{12} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (IIId).

[0192] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIId''):

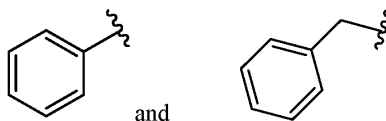


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^6 , R^{12} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (IIId).

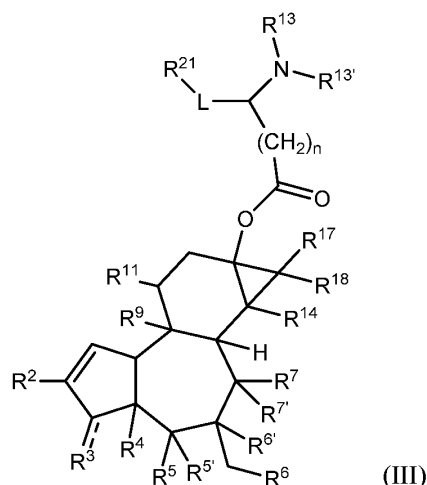
[0193] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (IIc), (IIc''), (IIId), (IIId') and (IIId''), R^{12} is $-\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{R}^f$, wherein R^f is C_1 - C_{12} alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} alkenyl, $-\text{C}_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, $-\text{C}_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, $-\text{C}_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-aryl, or $-\text{C}_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heteroaryl. In some embodiments, R^f is selected from



[0194] In some embodiments, R^f is selected from:



[0195] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (III):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

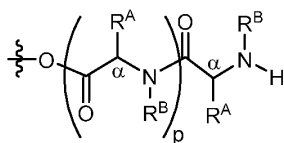
R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when $(- - -)$ is a bond, or $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

$R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ are each independently H or OH, or $R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(NR^{c1})_2$ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkylC(O)OR^k, R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

$R^{6'}$ is H or OH, $R^{7'}$ is H, or $R^{6'}$ and $R^{7'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g , wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

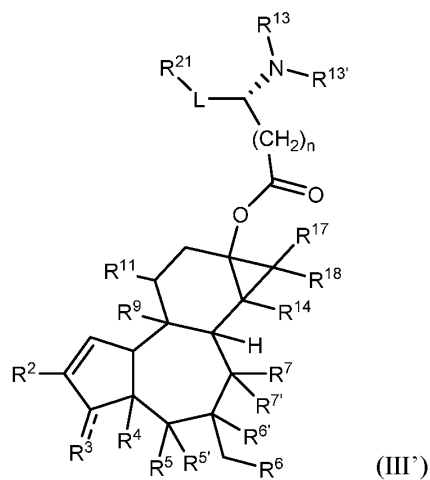
each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

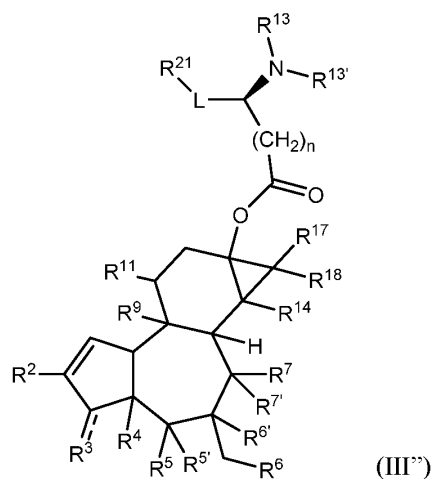
n is 0 or 1.

[0196] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (III'):



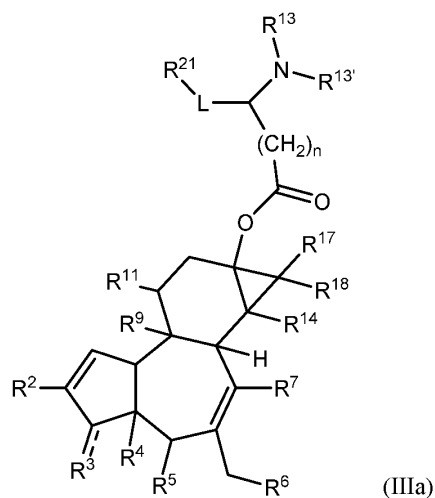
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , $R^{5'}$, $R^{6'}$, R^6 , $R^{6'}$, $R^{7'}$, R^7 , R^9 , R^{11} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, R^{14} , R^{17} , R^{18} , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (III).

[0197] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (III''):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , $R^{5'}$, $R^{6'}$, R^6 , $R^{6'}$, $R^{7'}$, R^7 , R^9 , R^{11} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, R^{14} , R^{17} , R^{18} , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (III).

[0198] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIa):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

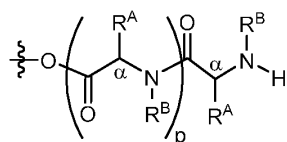
R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(NR^{c1})_2$ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl $C(O)OR^k$; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g ; wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

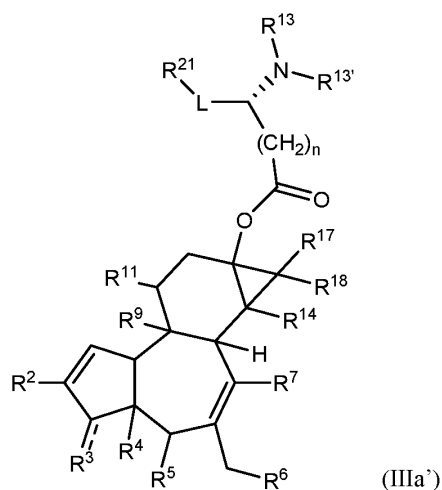
each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

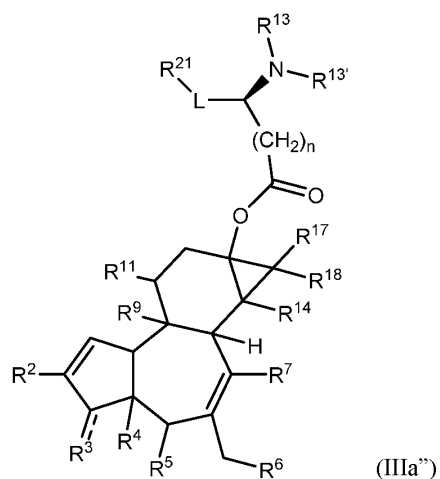
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[0199] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIa'):



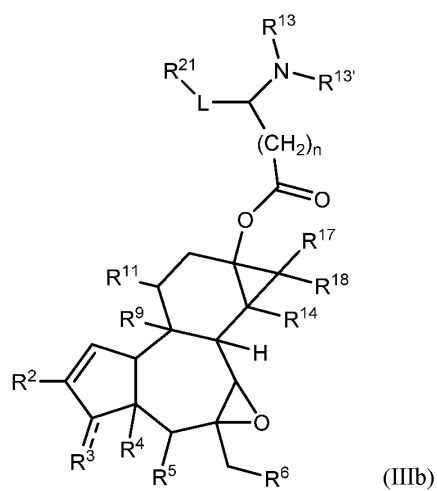
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , R^6 , R^7 , R^9 , R^{11} , R^{12} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, R^{14} , R^{17} , R^{18} , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (III).

[0200] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIa''):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , R^6 , R^7 , R^9 , R^{11} , R^{12} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, R^{14} , R^{17} , R^{18} , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (III).

[0201] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIb):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

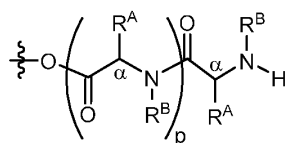
R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when $(- - -)$ is a bond, or $-OR^a$; wherein R^a is H or -

$C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(NR^{c1})_2$ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl $C(O)OR^k$; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g ; wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

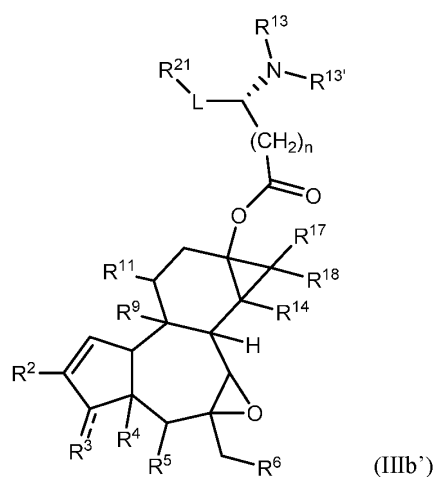
each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

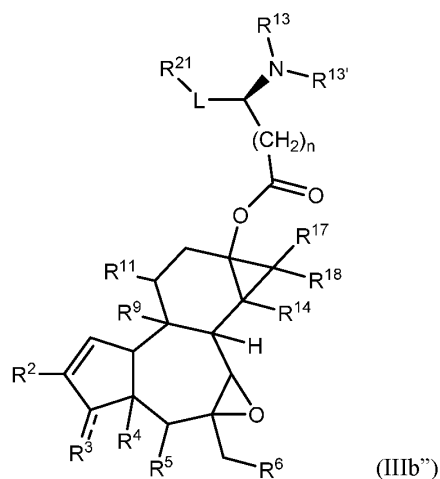
n is 0 or 1.

[0202] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIb'):



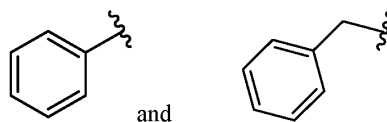
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , R^6 , R^9 , R^{11} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, R^{14} , R^{17} , R^{18} , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (III).

[0203] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIb''):

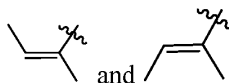


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , R^6 , R^9 , R^{11} , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, R^{14} , R^{17} , R^{18} , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (III).

[0204] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb') and (IIIb''), R^3 is $-OR^a$; wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl. In some embodiments, the aryl of C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl is phenyl. In some embodiments, the aryl of C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl. In some embodiments, R^{a1} is selected from:



[0205] In some embodiments, R^{a1} is selected from:



[0206] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb') and (IIIb''),

R^3 is O double bonded to the carbon atom.

[0207] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb') and (IIIb''), one or more of R^2 , R^{11} , R^{17} , and R^{18} are $-CH_3$. In some embodiments, each of R^2 , R^{11} , R^{17} , and R^{18} is $-CH_3$.

[0208] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (III), (III'), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIb), and (IIIb'), R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OH$.

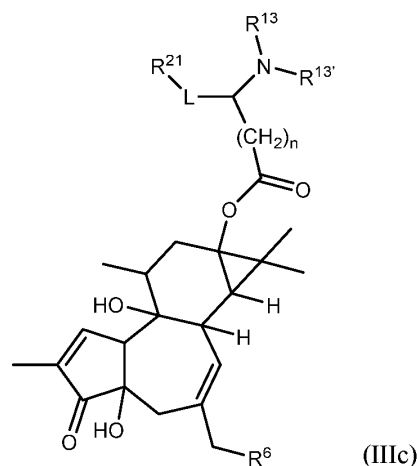
[0209] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (III), (III'), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIb), and (IIIb'),

R^2 , R^{11} , R^{17} , and R^{18} are $-CH_3$;

R^3 is O double bonded to the carbon atom; and

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OH$.

[0210] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIc):

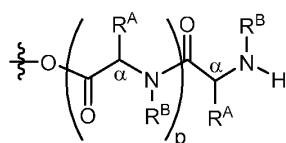


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^6 is OH, halo, $-\text{OP}(\text{O})(\text{OR}^{b'})_2$, or $-\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{R}^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(\text{NR}^{c1})_2$ or $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{R}^j$, $-\text{SR}^j$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^j)_2$, $-\text{Si}(\text{R}^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 -

C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

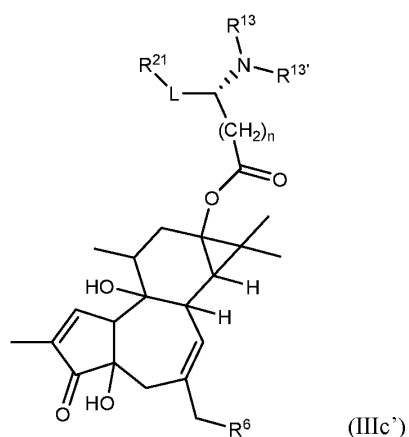
each Rⁱ is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

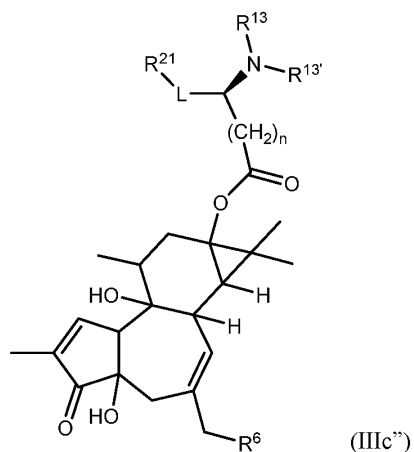
n is 0 or 1.

[0211] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIc'):



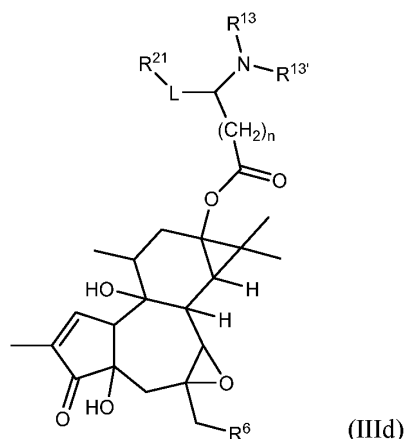
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R⁶, R¹³, R^{13'}, L and R²¹ are as defined for formula (IIIc).

[0212] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIc''):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^6 , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (IIIc).

[0213] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIId):

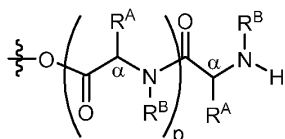


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(NR^{c1})_2$ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl,

spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR^k, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

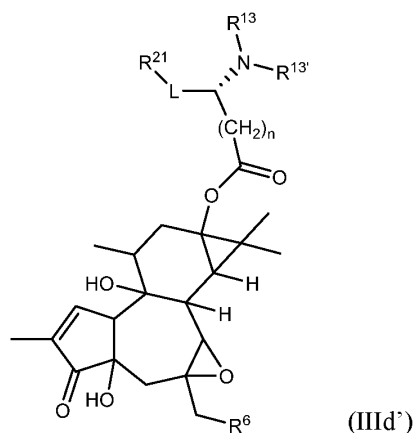
each Rⁱ is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

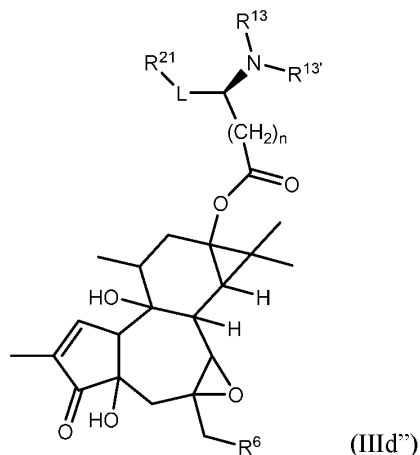
n is 0 or 1.

[0214] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIId'):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R⁶, R¹³, R^{13'}, L and R²¹ are as defined for formula (IIIId).

[0215] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIId''):

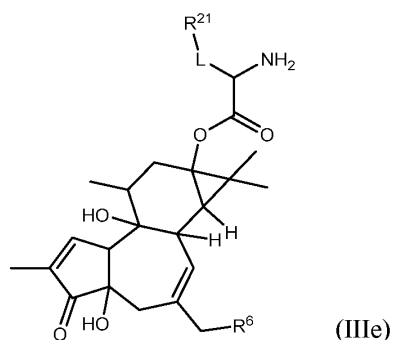


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^6 , R^{13} , $R^{13'}$, L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (IIIId).

[0216] In some embodiments for the compound of any of the foregoing embodiments, n is 0.

[0217] In some embodiments for the compound of any of the foregoing embodiments, each of R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ is H.

[0218] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIe):

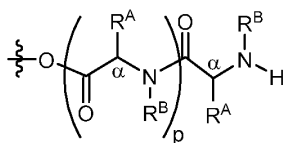


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^6 is OH, halo, $-\text{OP}(\text{O})(\text{OR}^{b'})_2$, or $-\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{R}^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(\text{NR}^{c1})_2$ or $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

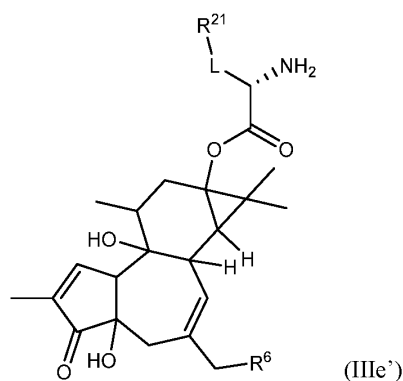
R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion; and

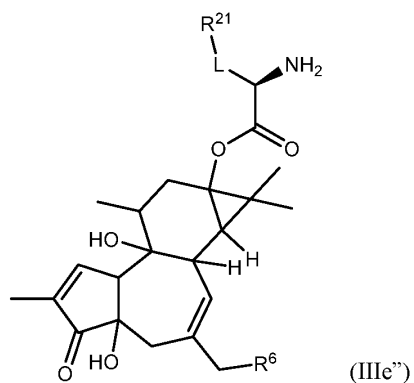
J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl.

[0219] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIe'):



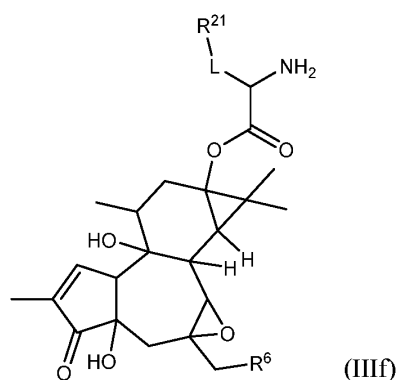
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^6 , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (IIIe).

[0220] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIe''):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^6 , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (IIIe).

[0221] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IIIff):

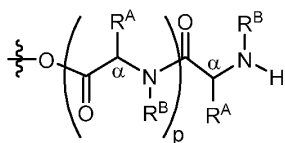


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

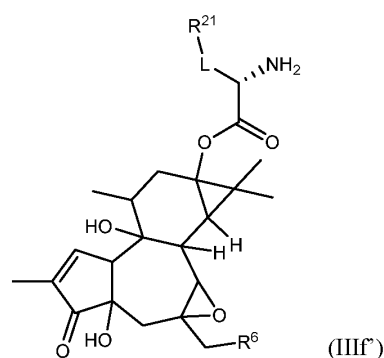
R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion; and

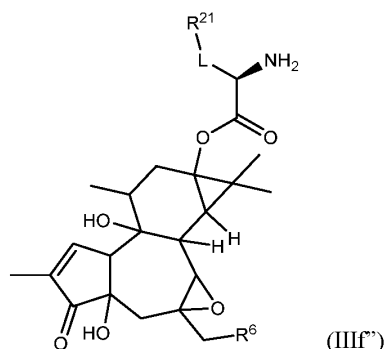
J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl.

[0222] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (III f'):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;
wherein R^6 , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (III_f).

[0223] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (III_f''):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof, wherein R^6 , L and R^{21} are as defined for formula (III_f).

[0224] In some embodiments of the compounds of (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIE), (IIIE'), (IIIE''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), R^{21} is C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , wherein J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl. In some of the foregoing embodiments, the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl is selected from the group consisting of cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl, and cycloheptyl.

[0225] In some embodiments of the compounds of (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIE), (IIIE'), (IIIE''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), R^{21} is a heterocyclyl, wherein the heterocyclyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , wherein J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl. In some embodiments, the heterocyclyl is selected from oxiranyl, oxetanyl, azetidynyl, oxazolyl, thiazolidinyl, thiazolyl, morpholinyl, pyrrolidinonyl, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, 2,3-dihydrofuranyl, dihydropyranyl, tetrahydrofuranyl, tetrahydropyranyl, dihydropyridinyl, tetrahydropyridinyl, tetrahydropyrimidinyl, tetrahydrothiophenyl, tetrahydrothiopyranyl, and azapanyl, wherein the heterocyclyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl.

[0226] In some embodiments of the compounds of (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIE), (IIIE'), (IIIE''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), R^{21} is aryl, wherein the aryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , wherein J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and

haloC₁-C₄alkyl. In some of the foregoing embodiments, R²¹ is a phenyl or naphthyl, wherein the phenyl or naphthyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl.

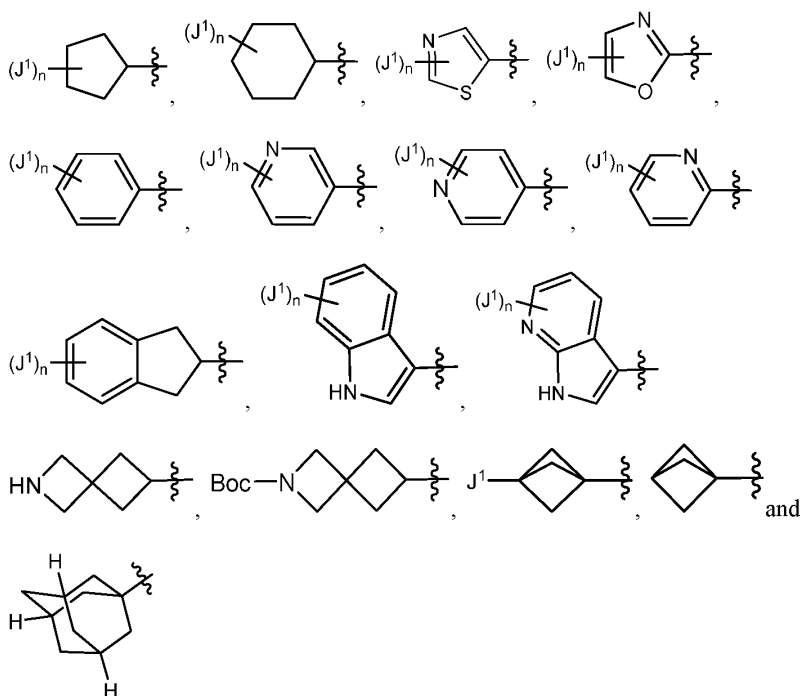
[0227] In some embodiments of the compounds of (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIE), (IIIE'), (IIIE''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), R²¹ is heteroaryl, wherein the heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, wherein J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl. In some of the foregoing embodiments, the heteroaryl is selected from the group consisting of pyrrolyl, pyrazolyl, imidazolyl, pyrazinyl, oxazolyl, isoxazolyl, thiazolyl, furyl, thienyl, pyridyl, pyrimidyl, benzoxazolyl, benzothiazolyl, purinyl, benzimidazolyl, indolyl, isoquinolyl, quinoxalyl, and quinolyl, wherein the heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl.

[0228] In some embodiments of the compounds of (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIE), (IIIE'), (IIIE''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), R²¹ is adamantyl, wherein the adamantyl is optionally substituted with J¹, wherein J¹ is selected from OH, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl.

[0229] In some embodiments of the compounds of (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIE), (IIIE'), (IIIE''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), R²¹ is spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, wherein the spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl has 0-2 carbon atoms replaced with 0-2 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, and is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, wherein J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present, is optionally substituted with an N-protecting group.

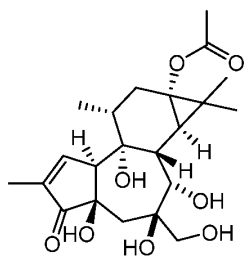
[0230] In some embodiments of the compounds of (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIE), (IIIE'), (IIIE''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), R²¹ is 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, wherein the bridged bicycyl has 0-2 carbon atoms replaced with 0-2 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, and is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, wherein J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present, is optionally substituted with an N-protecting group.

[0231] In some embodiments of the compounds of formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIE), (IIIE'), (IIIE''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), R²¹ is selected from the following:



wherein J^1 is OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and n is 0-3. In some embodiments, n is 0. In some embodiments, n is 1. In some embodiments, n is 2. In some embodiments, halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl is $-CH_2F$, $-CHF_2$, or $-CF_3$.

[0232] In some embodiments of the compounds of formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIe), (IIIe'), (IIIe''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), (IIIf''), and (IIIf''), R^{6*} is OH. In some such embodiments, R^6 is OH. In other such embodiments, R^6 is OH, R^5 is H, and R^{5*} is H. In other such embodiments, R^6 is OH, R^5 is H, R^{5*} is H, and R^4 is OH. In other such embodiments, the compound is not:



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

[0233] In some embodiments of the compounds of formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), and (IIIc''),

(IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIe), (IIIe'), (IIIe''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), R⁵ is OH. In some such embodiments, R^{5'} is OH. In other such embodiments, R^{6'} is OH. In other such embodiments, R^{6''} is H.

[0234] In some embodiments of the compounds of formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIe), (IIIe'), (IIIe''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), R⁶ is OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl. In some embodiments, R⁶ is -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, wherein each R^{b'} is independently C₁-C₆alkyl. In some embodiments, R⁶ is OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, wherein each R^{b'} is independently C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl. In some embodiments, R⁶ is OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, wherein each R^{b'} is independently C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl. In some such foregoing embodiments, R^{6'} is H. In other such embodiments, R^{6''} is OH.

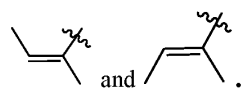
[0235] In some embodiments of the compounds of formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIe), (IIIe'), (IIIe''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), R⁶ is -OC(O)R^c, wherein R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; and R^k is H or a M⁺ counterion. In some such foregoing embodiments, R^{6'} is H. In other such embodiments, R^{6''} is OH.

[0236] In some embodiments, for any of the compounds herein, L is C₃-C₁₂alkylene. In some embodiments, for any of the compounds herein, L is C₃-C₆alkylene. In some embodiments, for any of the compounds herein, L is C₁-C₆alkylene.

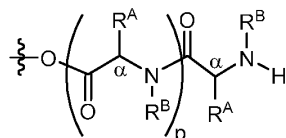
[0237] In some embodiments, for any of the compounds herein, L is C₃-C₁₂alkenylene. In some embodiments, for any of the compounds herein, L is C₃-C₆alkenylene. In some embodiments, for any of the compounds herein, L is C₁-C₆alkenylene.

[0238] In some embodiments, L is C₁-C₁₂alkylene, or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl; and R²¹ is H.

[0239] In some embodiments of the compounds of formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIe), (IIIe'), (IIIe''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), -L-R²¹ is a C₂-C₆alkenyl selected from:

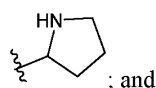


[0240] In some embodiments for any of the foregoing compounds, e.g., formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIe), (IIIe'), (IIIe''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), wherein R^6 is



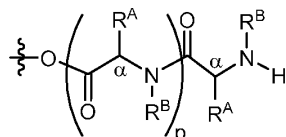
each occurrence of R^A is independently hydrogen (glycine), methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), propan-1-yl (norvaline), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), 1-methylpropan-1-yl (isoleucine), butan-1-yl (norleucine), phenyl (2-phenylglycine), benzyl (phenylalanine), p-hydroxybenzyl (tyrosine), indol-3-ylmethyl (tryptophan), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 2-hydroxyethyl (homoserine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), mercaptomethyl (cysteine), methylthiomethyl (S-methylcysteine), 2-mercaptoethyl (homocysteine), 2-methylthioethyl (methionine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoylethyl (glutamine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 2-carboxyethyl (glutamic acid), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), 4-amino-3-hydroxybutan-1-yl (hydroxylysine), 3-aminopropan-1-yl (ornithine), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), or 3-ureidopropan-1-yl (citrulline);

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R_A and the N atom form a prolyl side chain:



p is 0, 1 or 2.

[0241] In some embodiments for any of the foregoing compounds, e.g., formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIe), (IIIe'), (IIIe''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), wherein R^6 is



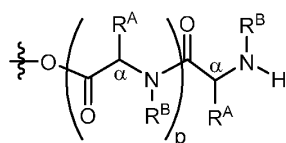
each occurrence of R^A is independently methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoylethyl (glutamine), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), benzyl

(phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine);

R^B is H; and

p 0, 1, or 2.

[0242] In some embodiments for any of the foregoing compounds, e.g., formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIe), (IIIe'), (IIIe''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), wherein R^6 is



each occurrence of R^A is independently propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine);

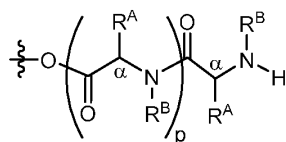
each R^B is H; and

p is 0, 1, or 2.

[0243] In some embodiments for any of the foregoing compounds, e.g., formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIe), (IIIe'), (IIIe''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), p is 0.

[0244] In some embodiments for any of the foregoing compounds, e.g., formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIe), (IIIe'), (IIIe''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), p is 1.

[0245] In some embodiments for any of the foregoing compounds, e.g., formula (I), (Ia), (Ib), (II), (II'), (II''), (IIa), (IIa'), (IIa''), (IIb), (IIb'), (IIb''), (III), (III'), (III''), (IIIa), (IIIa'), (IIIa''), (IIIb), (IIIb'), (IIIb''), (IIIc), (IIIc'), (IIIc''), (IIId), (IIId'), (IIId''), (IIIe), (IIIe'), (IIIe''), (IIIf), (IIIf'), and (IIIf''), wherein R^6 is



and p is 1;

first of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine) and second of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine); and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Val-Val); or

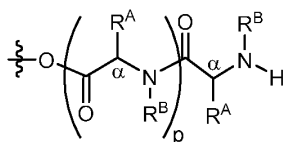
first of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), and second of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine); and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Leu-Leu); or

first of R^A is methyl (alanine) and second of R^A is methyl (alanine); and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Ala-Ala); or

first of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Lys-Lys); or

first of R^A is hydrogen; second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl, and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Gly-Lys).

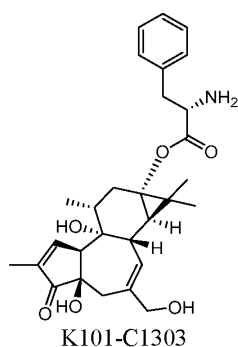
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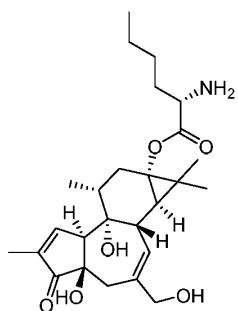


each of the α -carbon of the amino acid other than glycine is in the L or D configuration. In some embodiments, the α -carbon of the amino acid other than glycine is in the L configuration

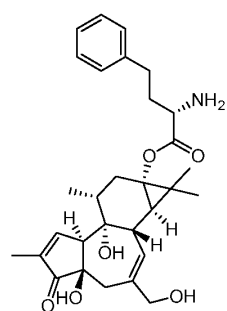
[0247] In some embodiments, the compound is selected from the group consisting of the compounds or a pharmaceutical salt thereof in **Table 1**:

[0248] **Table 1**

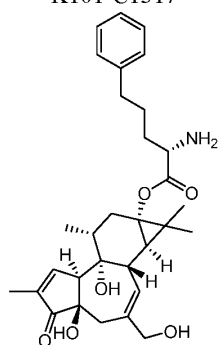




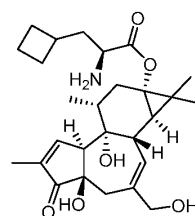
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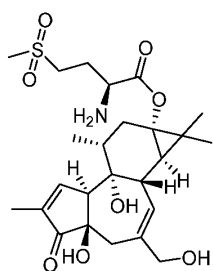
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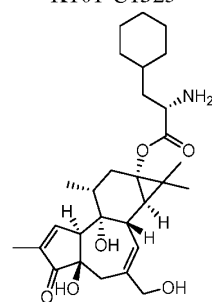
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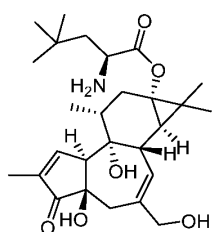
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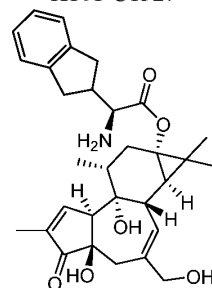
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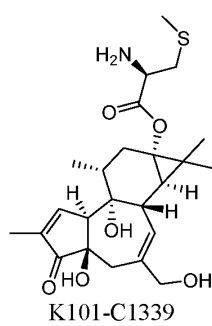
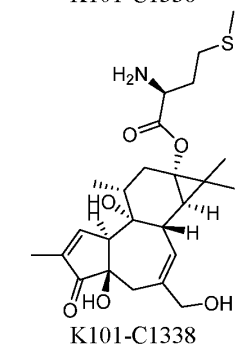
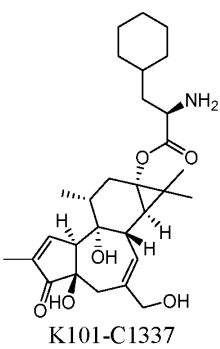
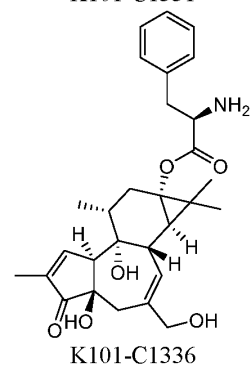
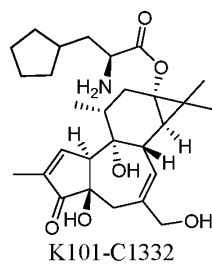
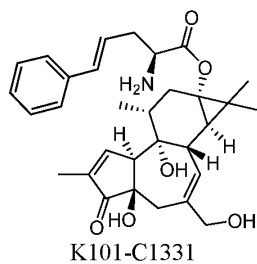
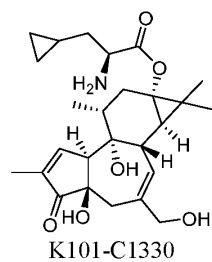
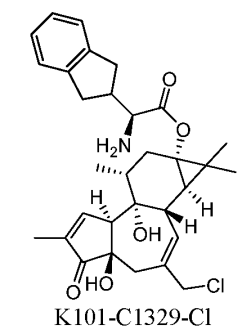
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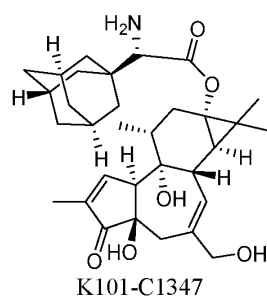
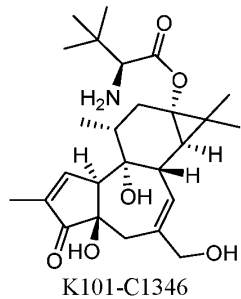
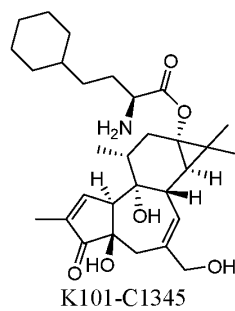
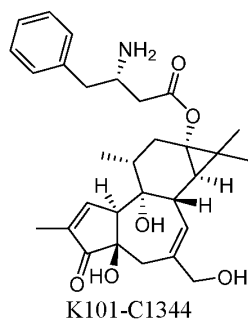
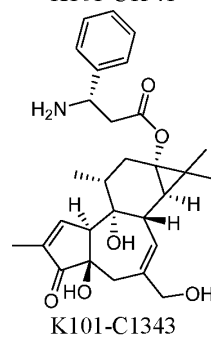
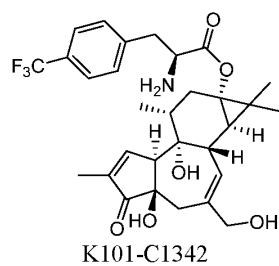
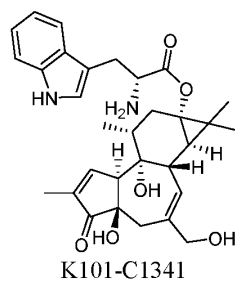
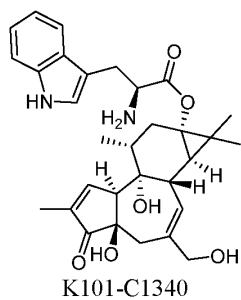


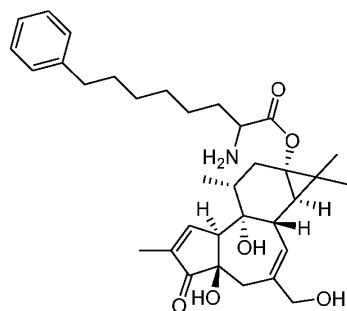
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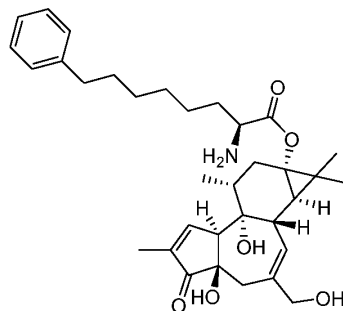
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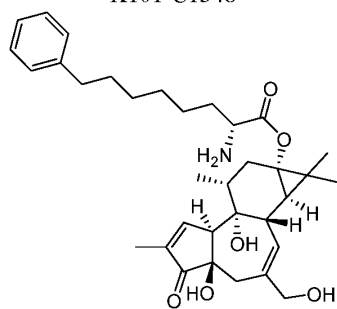




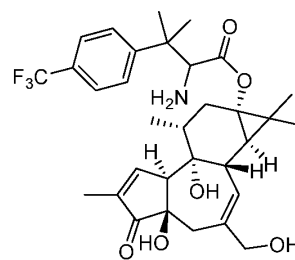
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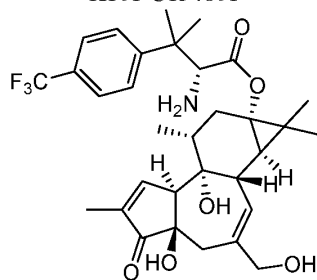
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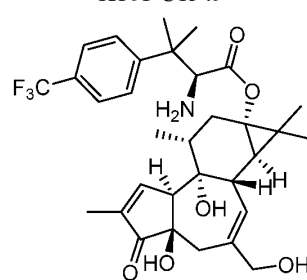
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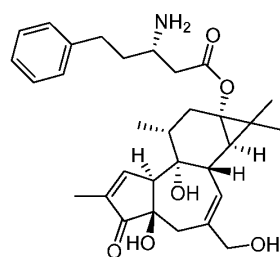
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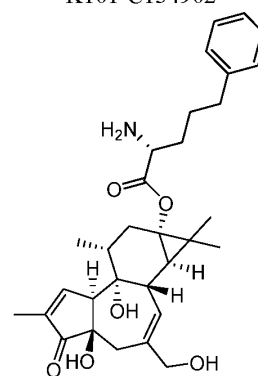
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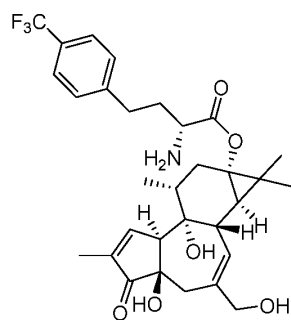
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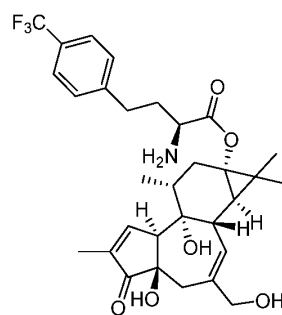
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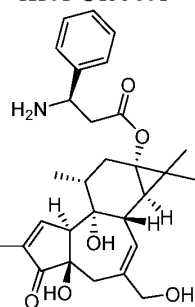
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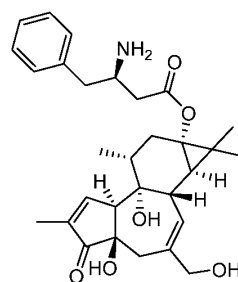
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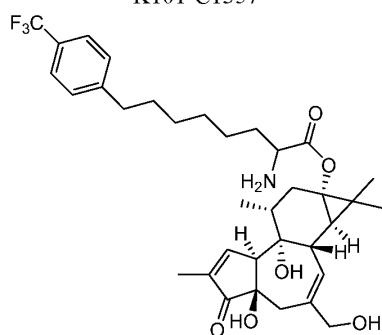
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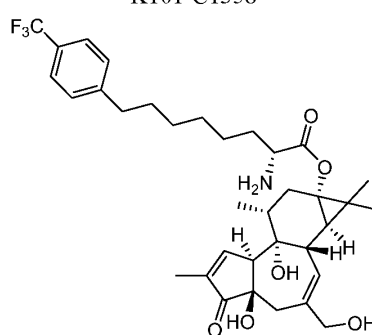
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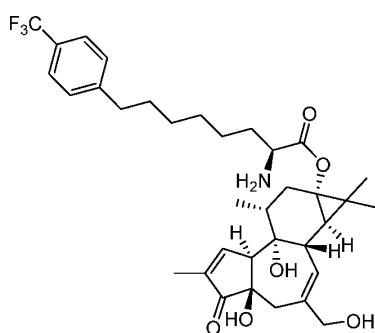
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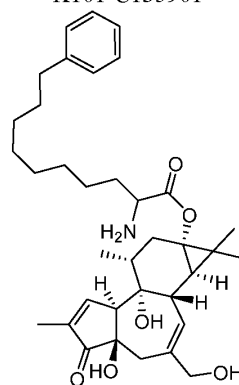
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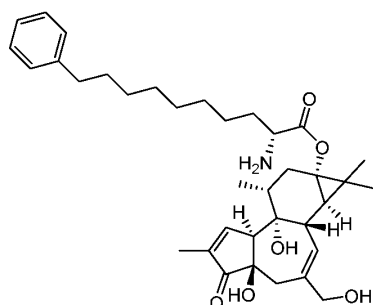
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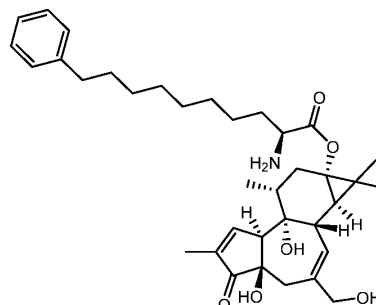
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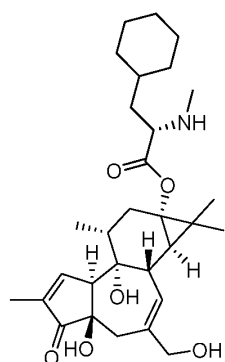
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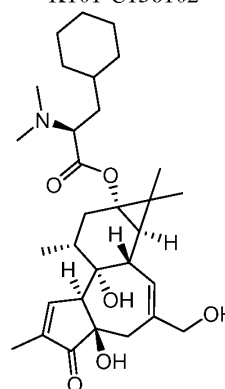
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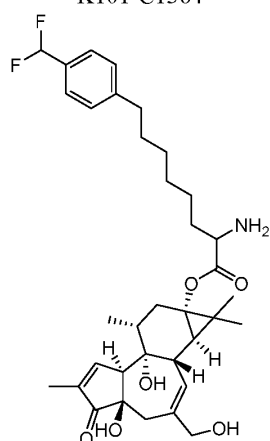
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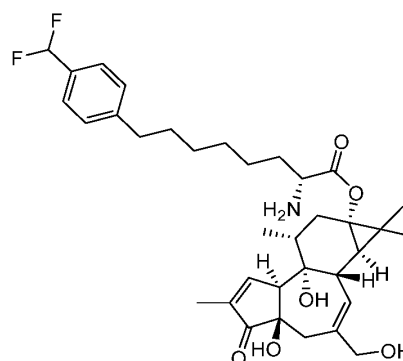
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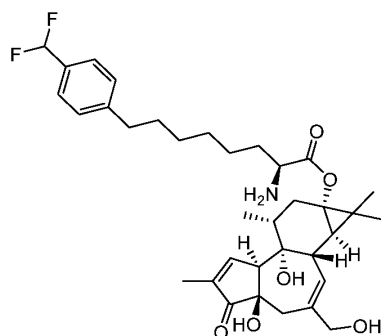
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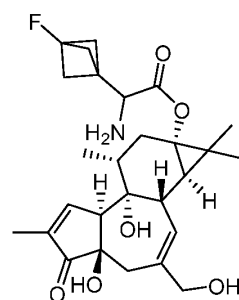
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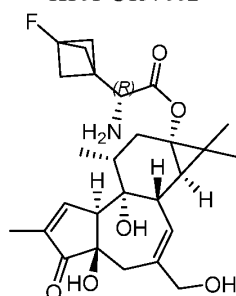
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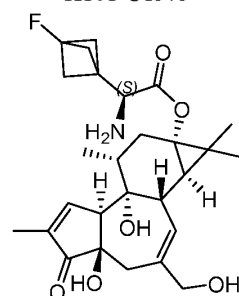
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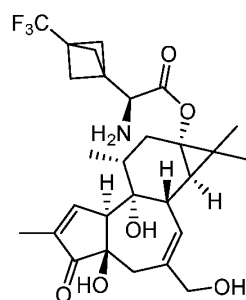
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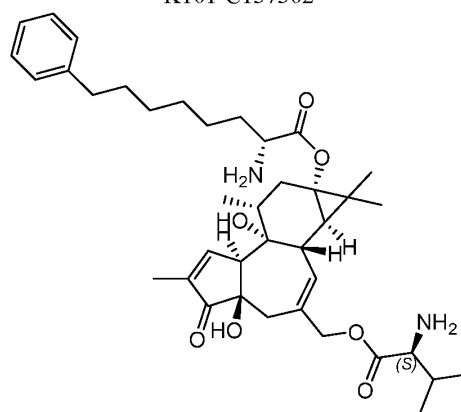
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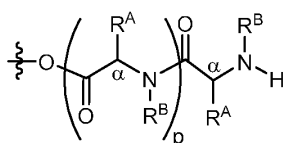


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[0249] In some embodiments, for each of the compounds of **Table 1**, the substituent on the C20 carbon atom, for example -OH, -halo, or amino acid progroup, is replaced with -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl. In some embodiments, each R^{b'} is H. In some embodiments, each R^{b'} is independently C₁-C₆alkyl. In some embodiments, each R^{b'} is independently C₂-C₆alkenyl. In some embodiments, each R^{b'} is independently C₀-C₆alkylaryl. In some embodiments, each R^{b'} is independently C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl.

[0250] In some embodiments, for each of the compounds of **Table 1**, the substituent on the C20 carbon atom, for example –OH, –halo, or amino acid progroup, is replaced with –OC(O)R^c, wherein R^c is –C₁–C₆alkyl, –C₁–C₆alkyl–(NR^{cl})₂ or –C₁–C₆alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{cl} is H, C₁–C₆alkyl, or two R^{cl} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; and R^k is H or a M⁺ counterion.

[0251] In some embodiments, for each of the compounds of **Table 1**, the substituent on the C20 carbon atom, where appropriate, for example –OH or –halo, is replaced with



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

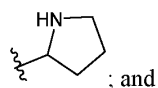
each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2.

[0252] In some embodiments of the amino acid moiety on the C20 carbon,

each occurrence of R^A is independently hydrogen (glycine), methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), propan-1-yl (norvaline), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), 1-methylpropan-1-yl (isoleucine), butan-1-yl (norleucine), phenyl (2-phenylglycine), benzyl (phenylalanine), p-hydroxybenzyl (tyrosine), indol-3-ylmethyl (tryptophan), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 2-hydroxyethyl (homoserine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), mercaptomethyl (cysteine), methylthiomethyl (S-methylcysteine), 2-mercaptoethyl (homocysteine), 2-methylthioethyl (methionine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoyl ethyl (glutamine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 2-carboxyethyl (glutamic acid), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), 4-amino-3-hydroxybutan-1-yl (hydroxylysine), 3-aminopropan-1-yl (ornithine), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), or 3-ureido-propan-1-yl (citrulline);

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R_A and the N atom form a prolyl side chain:



p is 0, 1 or 2.

[0253] In some embodiments, each occurrence of R^A is independently methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoylethyl (glutamine), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine);

R^B is H; and

p 0, 1, or 2.

[0254] In some embodiments, each occurrence of R^A is independently propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine);

each R^B is H; and

p is 0, 1, or 2.

[0255] In some embodiments, p is 0.

[0256] In some embodiments, p is 1.

[0257] In some embodiments,

p is 1;

first of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine) and second of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine); and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Val-Val); or

first of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), and second of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine); and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Leu-Leu); or

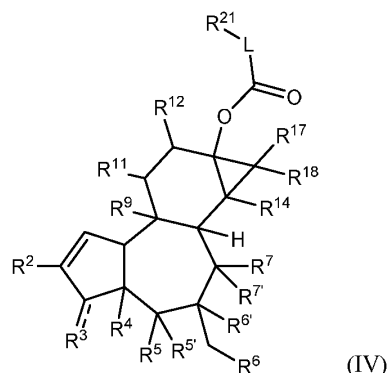
first of R^A is methyl (alanine) and second of R^A is methyl (alanine); and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Ala-Ala); or

first of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Lys-Lys); or

first of R^A is hydrogen; second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl, and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Gly-Lys).

[0258] In some embodiments, each of the α -carbon of the amino acid other than glycine is in the L or D configuration. In some embodiments, each of the α -carbon of the amino acid other than glycine is in the L configuration.

[0259] In another aspect, the present disclosure provides a compound of formula (IV):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

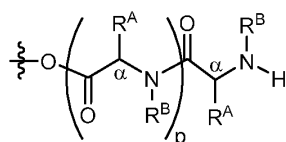
R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or $-OR^a$; wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

$R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ are each independently H or OH, or $R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(NR^{c1})_2$ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl $C(O)OR^k$; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

$R^{6'}$ is H or OH, $R^{7'}$ is H, or $R^{6'}$ and $R^{7'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C_1 - C_{12} alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} alkenyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-aryl, or $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g ; wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is C_0 - C_6 alkylarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkylene, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^{21} is H, -OH, -SH, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

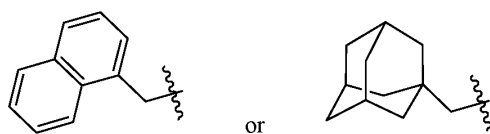
each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^k is H or M^+ counterion.

[0260] In some embodiments, excluded from the compounds of formula (IV) are compounds in which:

$-L-R^{21}$ is



R^2 and R^{11} are CH_3 ;

R^3 is =O;

R^4 is OH;

R^5 , R^5 , R^7 and R^{14} are H;

$R^{6'}$ and $R^{7'}$ together form a bond;

R^9 is OH;

R^{12} is H;

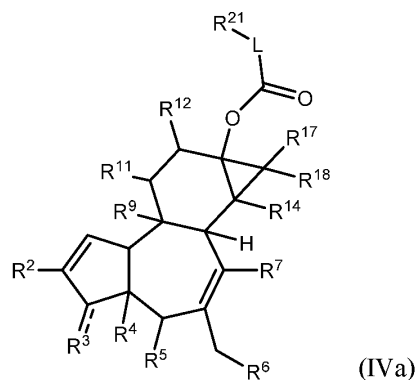
R^{17} and R^{18} are $-\text{CH}_3$;

R^A is propan-2-yl (valine);

R^B is H; and

p is 0.

[0261] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IVa):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

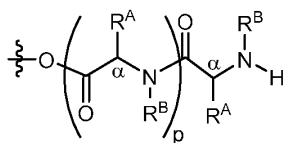
R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when $(- - -)$ is a bond, or $-\text{OR}^a$; wherein R^a is H or $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{R}^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-\text{OR}^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-\text{OP}(\text{O})(\text{OR}^{b'})_2$, or $-\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{R}^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(\text{NR}^{c1})_2$ or $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to

which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C_1 - C_{12} alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} alkenyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-aryl, or $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g ; wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is C_0 - C_6 alkylarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkylene, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^{21} is H, -OH, -SH, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

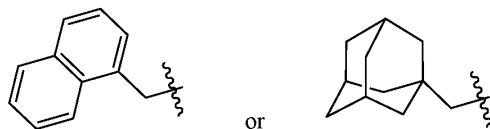
each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^k is H or M^+ counterion.

[0262] In some embodiments, excluded from the compounds of formula (IVa) are compounds in which:

$-L-R^{21}$ is



R^2 and R^{11} are CH_3 ;

R^3 is =O;

R^4 is OH;

R^5 , R^7 and R^{14} are H;

R^9 is OH;

R^{12} is H;

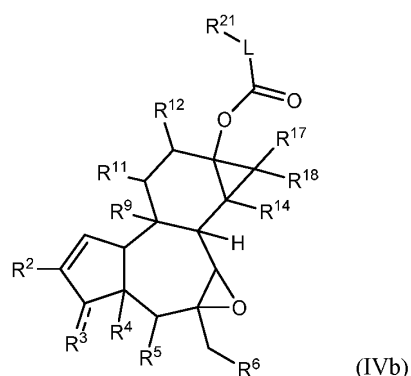
R^{17} and R^{18} are $-\text{CH}_3$;

R^A is propan-2-yl (valine);

R^B is H; and

p is 0.

[0263] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (IVb)



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

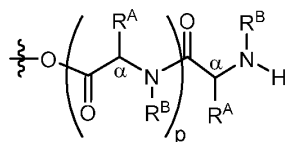
R^2 is a $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_4$ alkyl;

R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when $(- -)$ is a bond, or $-\text{OR}^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{R}^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl, $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_6$ alkenyl, $\text{C}_0\text{-C}_6$ alkylaryl, or $\text{C}_0\text{-C}_6$ alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-\text{OR}^b$, wherein R^b is H, $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl, $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_6$ alkenyl, $\text{C}_0\text{-C}_6$ alkylaryl, or $\text{C}_0\text{-C}_6$ alkylheteroaryl;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-\text{OP}(\text{O})(\text{OR}^{b'})_2$, or $-\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{R}^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl, $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_6$ alkenyl, $\text{C}_0\text{-C}_6$ alkylaryl, or $\text{C}_0\text{-C}_6$ alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl, $-\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl $-(\text{NR}^{c1})_2$ or $-\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$, R^{c1} is H, $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C_1 - C_{12} alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} alkenyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-aryl, or $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g ; wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkylene, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

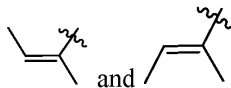
R^{21} is H, -OH, -SH, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro- C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro- C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro- C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

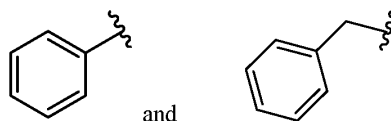
J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo- C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^k is H or M^+ counterion.

[0264] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (IV), (IVa), and (IVb), the C_2 - C_6 alkenyl of R^{a1} is independently selected from:



[0265] In some embodiments, R^{a1} is independently selected from:

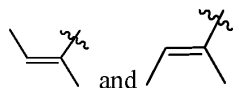


[0266] In some embodiments, R^3 is $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl. In some embodiments, the aryl of C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl is phenyl. In some embodiments, the aryl of C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl.

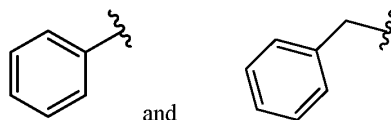
[0267] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (IV), (IVa), and (IVb),

R^3 is O double bonded to the carbon atom.

[0268] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (IV), (IVa), and (IVb), the C_2 - C_{12} alkenyl of R^f is independently selected from:



[0269] In some embodiments, R^f is independently selected from:



[0270] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (IV), (IVa), and (IVb), one or more of R^2 , R^{11} , R^{17} , and R^{18} are $-CH_3$. In some embodiments, each of R^2 , R^{11} , R^{17} , and R^{18} is $-CH_3$.

[0271] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (IV), (IVa), and (IVb), R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OH$.

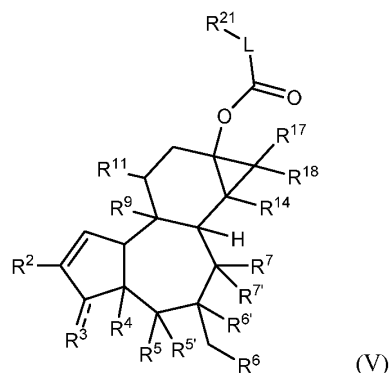
[0272] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (IV), (IVa), and (IVb),

R^2 , R^{11} , R^{17} , and R^{18} are $-CH_3$;

R^3 is O double bonded to the carbon atom; and

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OH$.

[0273] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (V):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

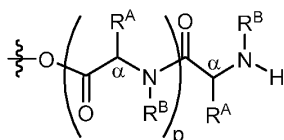
R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (---) is a bond, or $-OR^a$; wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

$R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ are each independently H or OH, or $R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^{6a} is H or OH, R^{7a} is H, or R^{6a} and R^{7a} form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C₁-C₄alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g ; wherein R^g is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C₁-C₄alkyl or C₁-C₄alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

L is C₀-C₆alkylarylene, C₀-C₆alkylheteroarylene, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkylene, C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C₁-C₄alkyl; and

R^{21} is H, -OH, -SH, -S(O)₂R^j, -SR^j, -N(R^j)₂, -Si(R^j)₃, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR^k, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

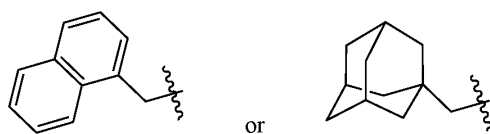
each R^j is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion.

[0274] In some embodiments, excluded from the compounds of formula (V) are compounds in which:

-L-R²¹ is



R^2 and R^{11} are CH₃;

R^3 is =O;

R^4 is OH;

R^5 , $R^{5'}$, R^7 and R^{14} are H;

R^{6a} and R^{7a} together form a bond;

R^9 is OH;

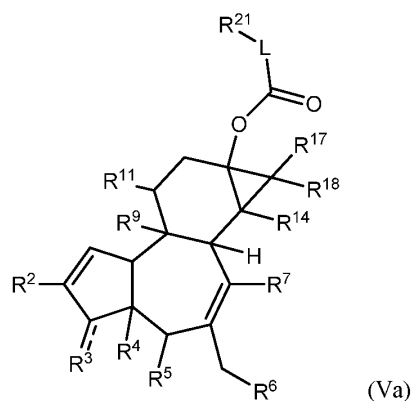
R^{17} and R^{18} are -CH₃;

R^A is propan-2-yl (valine);

R^B is H; and

p is 0.

[0275] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (Va):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

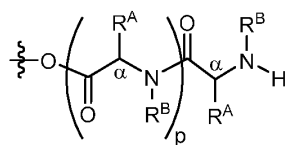
R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(NR^{c1})_2$ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkylC(O)OR^k, R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each

occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g ; wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is C_0 - C_6 alkylarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkylene, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^j is H, -OH, -SH, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

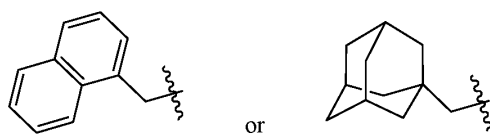
each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^k is H or M^+ counterion.

[0276] In some embodiments, excluded from the compounds of formula (V) are compounds in which:

$-L-R^{21}$ is



R^2 and R^{11} are CH_3 ;

R^3 is =O;

R^4 is OH;

R^5 , R^7 and R^{14} are H;

R^9 is OH;

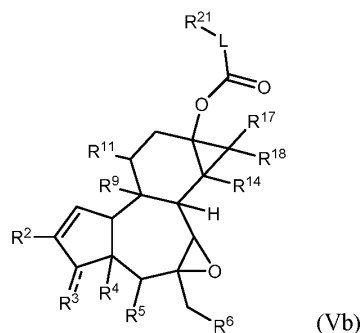
R^{17} and R^{18} are $-CH_3$;

R^A is propan-2-yl (valine);

R^B is H; and

p is 0.

[0277] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (Vb):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

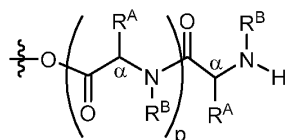
R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(NR^{c1})_2$ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl $C(O)OR^k$, R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g , wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is C_0 - C_6 alkylarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkylene, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

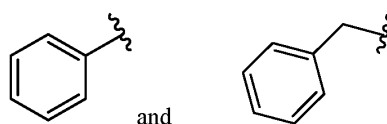
R^{21} is H, -OH, -SH, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

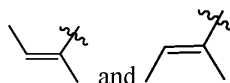
J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^k is H or M^+ counterion.

[0278] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (V), (Va), and (Vb), R^3 is $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl. In some embodiments, the aryl of C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl is phenyl. In some embodiments, the aryl of C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl. In some embodiments, R^{a1} is selected from:



[0279] In some embodiments, R^{a1} is selected from:



[0280] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (V), (Va), and (Vb), R^3 is O double bonded to the carbon atom.

[0281] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (V), (Va), and (Vb), one or more of R^2 , R^{11} , R^{17} , and R^{18} are $-\text{CH}_3$. In some embodiments, each of R^2 , R^{11} , R^{17} , and R^{18} is $-\text{CH}_3$.

[0282] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (V), (Va), and (Vb), R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-\text{OH}$.

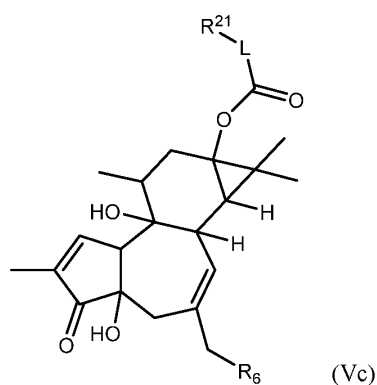
[0283] In some embodiments of the compound of formula (V), (Va), and (Vb),

R^2 , R^{11} , R^{17} , and R^{18} are $-\text{CH}_3$;

R^3 is O double bonded to the carbon atom; and

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-\text{OH}$.

[0284] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (Vc):

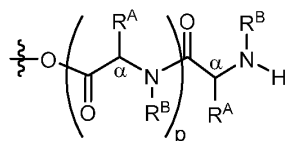


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^6 is OH, halo, $-\text{OP}(\text{O})(\text{OR}^{b'})_2$, or $-\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{R}^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(\text{NR}^{c1})_2$ or $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each

occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

L is C_0 - C_6 alkylarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkylene, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^{21} is H, -OH, -SH, -S(O) $_2R^j$, -SR j , -N(R j) $_2$, -Si(R j) $_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR k , wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

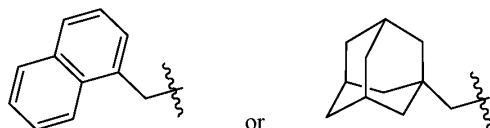
each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^k is H or M^+ counterion.

[0285] In some embodiments, excluded from the compounds of formula (Vc) are compounds in which:

-L- R^{21} is

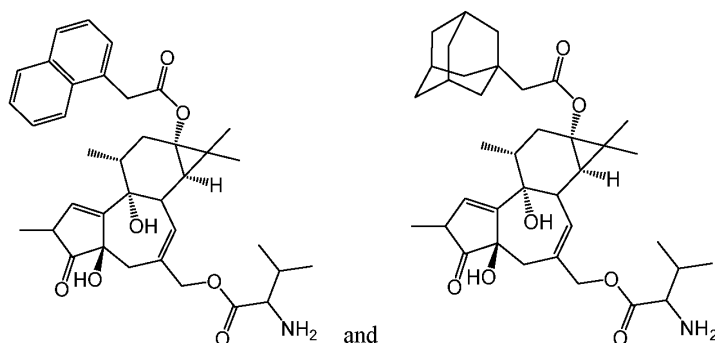


R^A is propan-2-yl (valine);

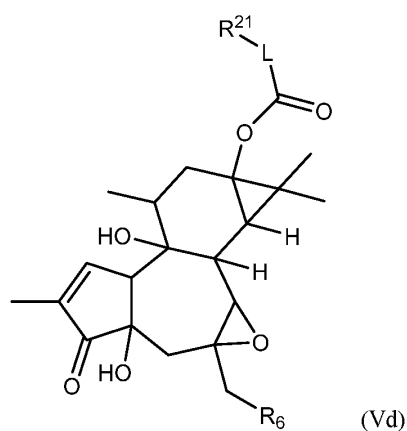
R^B is H; and

p is 0.

[0286] In some embodiments, specifically excluded from the compounds of formula (IV), (IVa), (V), (Va) and (Vc) are compounds of the following structure:



[0287] In some embodiments, the compound has the structure of formula (Vd):

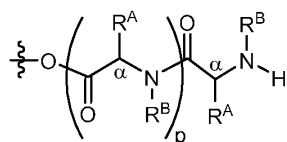


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^6 is OH, halo, $-\text{OP}(\text{O})(\text{OR}^{b'})_2$, or $-\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{R}^c$, wherein each $\text{R}^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(\text{NR}^{c1})_2$ or $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to

which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

L is C_0 - C_6 alkylarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkylene, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^{21} is H, -OH, -SH, -S(O) $_2R^j$, -SR j , -N(R j) $_2$, -Si(R j) $_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR k , wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylarylene, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylarylene, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^k is H or M^+ counterion.

[0288] In some embodiments of the compounds of (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc) and (Vd), R^{21} is C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 . In some of the foregoing embodiments, the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl is selected from the group consisting of cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl, and cycloheptyl.

[0289] In some embodiments of the compounds of (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc) and (Vd), R^{21} is a heterocyclyl, wherein the heterocyclyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 . In some embodiments, the heterocycloalkyl is selected from oxiranyl, oxetanyl, azetidynyl, oxazolyl, thiazolidinyl, thiazolyl, morpholinyl, pyrrolidinonyl, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, 2,3-dihydrofuranyl, dihydropyranyl, tetrahydrofuranyl, tetrahydropyranyl, dihydropyridinyl, tetrahydropyridinyl, tetrahydropyrimidinyl, tetrahydrothiophenyl, tetrahydrothiopyranyl, and azapanyl.

[0290] In some embodiments of the compounds of (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc), and (Vd), R^{21} is aryl, wherein the aryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 . In some of the foregoing embodiments, R^{21} is a phenyl, wherein the phenyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl.

[0291] In some embodiments of the compounds of (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc), and (Vd), R^{21} is heteroaryl, wherein the heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 . In some of the foregoing embodiments, the heteroaryl is selected from the group consisting of pyrrolyl,

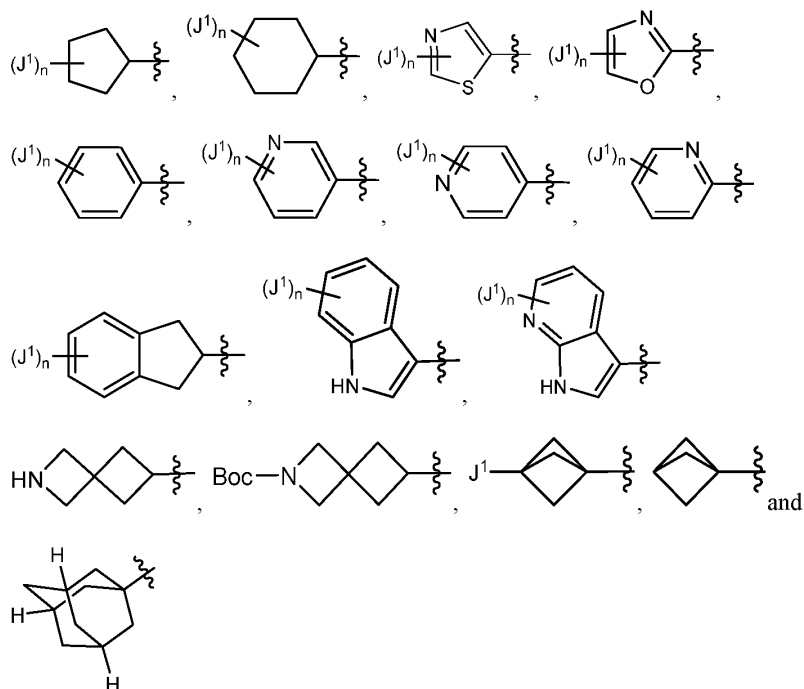
pyrazolyl, imidazolyl, pyrazinyl, oxazolyl, isoxazolyl, thiazolyl, furyl, thienyl, pyridyl, pyrimidyl, benzoxazolyl, benzothiazolyl, purinyl, benzimidazolyl, indolyl, isoquinolyl, quinoxaliny, and quinolyl, wherein the heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl.

[0292] In some embodiments of the compounds of (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc), and (Vd), R²¹ is adamantyl, wherein the adamantyl is optionally substituted with OH, halo, or C₁-C₄alkyl.

[0293] In some embodiments of the compounds of (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc), and (Vd), R²¹ is spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, wherein the spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl has 0-2 carbon atoms replaced with 0-2 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, and is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group.

[0294] In some embodiments of the compounds of (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc) and (Vd), R²¹ is 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, wherein the bridged bicycyl has 0-2 carbon atoms replaced with 0-2 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, and is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group.

[0295] In some embodiments of the compounds of formula (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc) and (Vd), R²¹ is selected from the following:

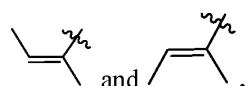


wherein J¹ is OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl, and n is 0-3. In some embodiments, n is 0. In some embodiments, n is 1. In some embodiments, n is 2. In some embodiments, haloC₁-C₄alkyl is -CH₂F, -CHF₂, or -CF₃.

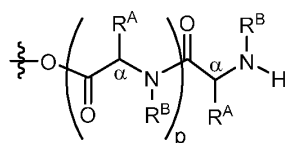
[0296] In some embodiments, for any of the compounds herein, L is C₃-C₁₂alkylene. In some embodiments, for any of the compounds herein, L is C₃-C₆alkylene. In some embodiments, for any of the compounds herein, L is C₁-C₆alkylene.

[0297] In some embodiments, for any of the compounds herein, L is C₃-C₁₂alkenylene. In some embodiments, for any of the compounds herein, L is C₃-C₆alkenylene. In some embodiments, for any of the compounds herein, L is C₁-C₆alkenylene.

[0298] In some embodiments of the compounds of formula (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc) and (Vd), -L-R²¹ is a C₂-C₆alkenyl selected from:

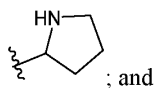


[0299] In some embodiments for any of the foregoing compounds, e.g., formula (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc) and (Vd), wherein

 $\mathbb{R}^6$ is

each occurrence of R^A is independently hydrogen (glycine), methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), propan-1-yl (norvaline), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), 1-methylpropan-1-yl (isoleucine), butan-1-yl (norleucine), phenyl (2-phenylglycine), benzyl (phenylalanine), p-hydroxybenzyl (tyrosine), indol-3-ylmethyl (tryptophan), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 2-hydroxyethyl (homoserine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), mercaptomethyl (cysteine), methylthiomethyl (S-methylcysteine), 2-mercaptoethyl (homocysteine), 2-methylthioethyl (methionine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoylethyl (glutamine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 2-carboxyethyl (glutamic acid), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), 4-amino-3-hydroxybutan-1-yl (hydroxylysine), 3-aminopropan-1-yl (ornithine), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), or 3-ureidopropan-1-yl (citrulline);

each occurrence of R^B is H, or R^B together with the adjacent R_A and the N atom form a prolyl side chain:



p is 0, 1 or 2.

[0300] In some embodiments for any of the foregoing compounds, e.g., formula (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc) and (Vd),

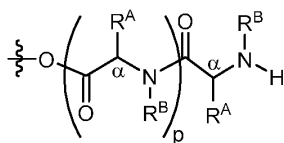
each R^A is independently methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoylethyl (glutamine), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine);

R^B is H; and

p 0, 1, or 2.

[0301] In some embodiments for any of the foregoing compounds, e.g., formula (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc) and (Vd), wherein

R^6 is



each occurrence of R^A is independently propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine);

each R^B is H; and

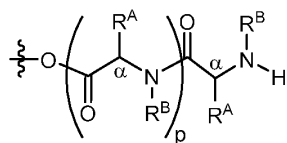
p is 0, 1, or 2.

[0302] In some embodiments for any of the foregoing compounds, e.g., formula (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc) and (Vd), p is 0.

[0303] In some embodiments for any of the foregoing compounds, e.g., formula (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc) and (Vd), p is 1.

[0304] In some embodiments for any of the foregoing compounds, e.g., formula (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc) and (Vd), wherein

R^6 is



and p is 1;

first of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine) and second of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine); and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Val-Val); or

first of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), and second of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine); and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Leu-Leu); or

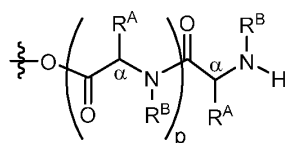
first of R^A is methyl (alanine) and second of R^A is methyl (alanine); and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Ala-Ala); or

first of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Lys-Lys); or

first of R^A is hydrogen; second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl, and each of R^B is H (i.e., dipeptide Gly-Lys).

[0305] In some embodiments for any of the foregoing compounds, e.g., formula (IV), (IVa), (IVb), (V), (Va), (Vb), (Vc) and (Vd), wherein

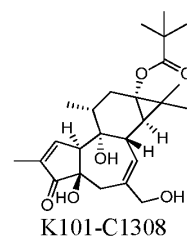
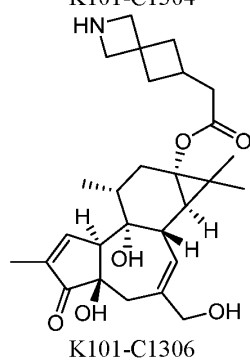
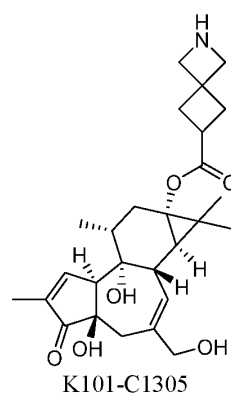
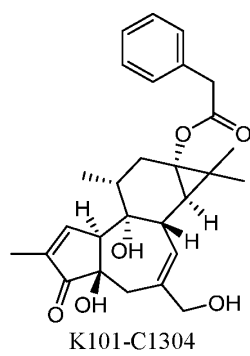
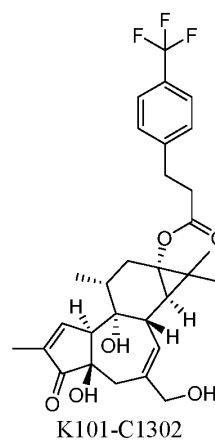
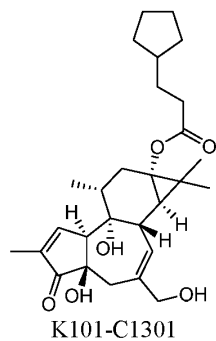
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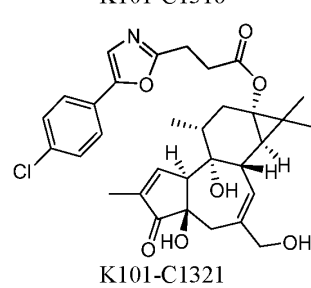
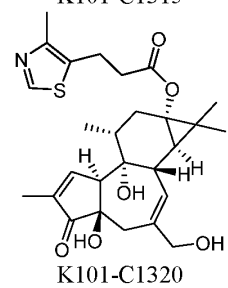
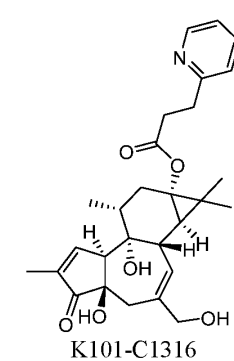
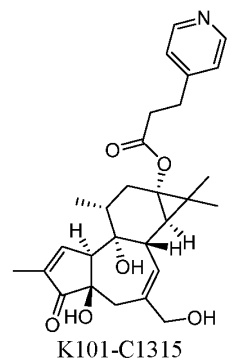
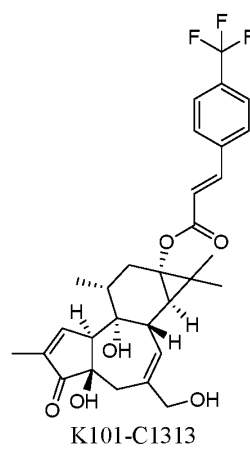
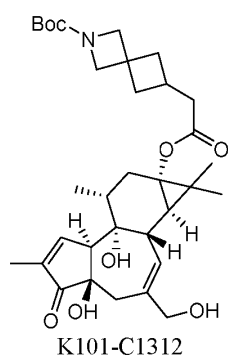
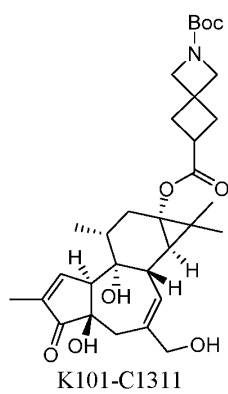


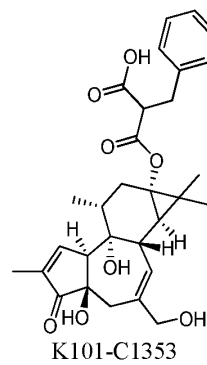
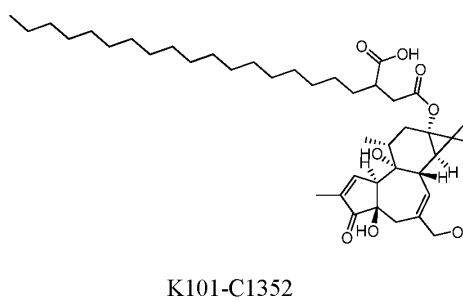
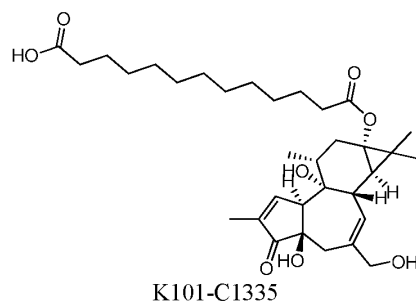
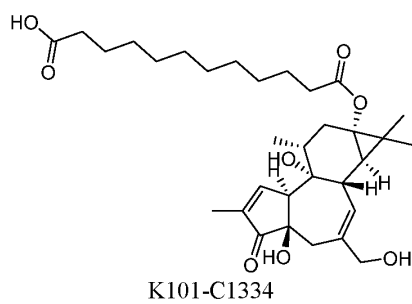
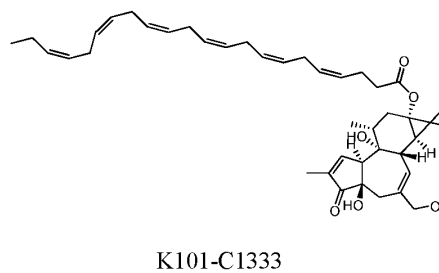
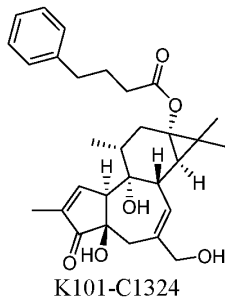
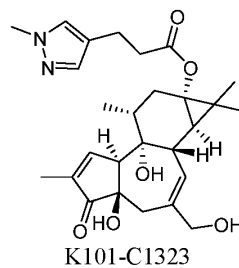
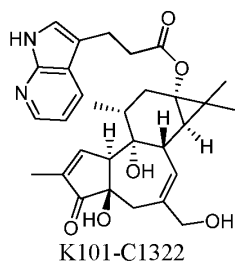
each of the α -carbon of the amino acid other than glycine is in the L or D configuration. In some embodiments, each of the α -carbon of the amino acid other than glycine is in the L configuration.

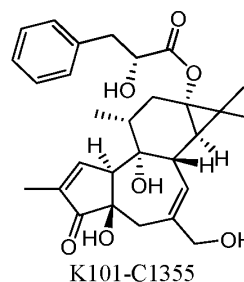
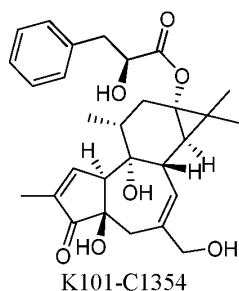
[0306] In some embodiments, the compound is selected from the group consisting of the compounds or a pharmaceutical salt thereof, in **Table 2**.

[0307] **Table 2**







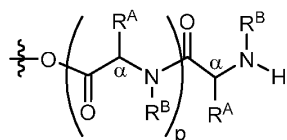


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof.

[0308] In some embodiments, for each of the compounds of **Table 2**, the substituent on the C20 carbon atom, e.g., -OH, is replaced with -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl. In some embodiments, each of R^{b'} is H. In some embodiments, each of R^{b'} is H. In some embodiments, each R^{b'} is independently C₁-C₆alkyl. In some embodiments, each R^{b'} is independently C₂-C₆alkenyl. In some embodiments, each R^{b'} is independently C₀-C₆alkylaryl. In some embodiments, each R^{b'} is independently C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl.

[0309] In some embodiments, for each of the compounds of **Table 2**, the substituent on the C20 carbon atom, e.g., -OH, is replaced with -OC(O)R^c, wherein R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k, R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; and R^k is H or a M⁺ counterion.

[0310] In some embodiments, for each of the compounds of **Table 2**, the substituent on the C20 carbon atom, e.g., -OH, is replaced with



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

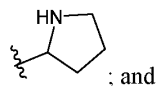
each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2.

[0311] In some embodiments of the amino acid moiety on the C20 carbon,

each occurrence of R^A is independently hydrogen (glycine), methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), propan-1-yl (norvaline), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), 1-methylpropan-1-yl (isoleucine), butan-1-yl (norleucine), phenyl (2-phenylglycine), benzyl (phenylalanine), p-hydroxybenzyl (tyrosine), indol-3-ylmethyl (tryptophan), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 2-hydroxyethyl (homoserine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), mercaptomethyl (cysteine), methylthiomethyl (S-methylcysteine), 2-mercaptoethyl (homocysteine), 2-methylthioethyl (methionine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoylethyl (glutamine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 2-carboxyethyl (glutamic acid), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), 4-amino-3-hydroxybutan-1-yl (hydroxylysine), 3-aminopropan-1-yl (ornithine), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), or 3-ureidopropan-1-yl (citrulline);

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R_A and the N atom form a prolyl side chain:



p is 0, 1 or 2.

[0312] In some embodiments, each occurrence of R^A is independently methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoylethyl (glutamine), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine);

R^B is H; and

p 0, 1, or 2.

[0313] In some embodiments, each occurrence of R^A is independently propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine);

each R^B is H; and

p is 0, 1, or 2.

[0314] In some embodiments, p is 0.

[0315] In some embodiments, p is 1.

[0316] In some embodiments,

p is 1;

first of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine) and second of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Val-Val); or

first of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), and second of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Leu-Leu); or

first of R^A is methyl (alanine) and second of R^A is methyl (alanine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Ala-Ala); or

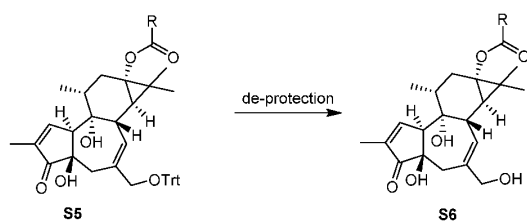
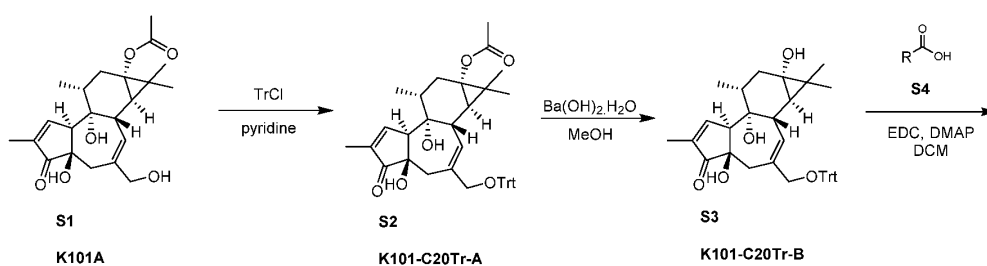
first of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Lys-Lys); or

first of R^A is hydrogen; second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl, and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Gly-Lys).

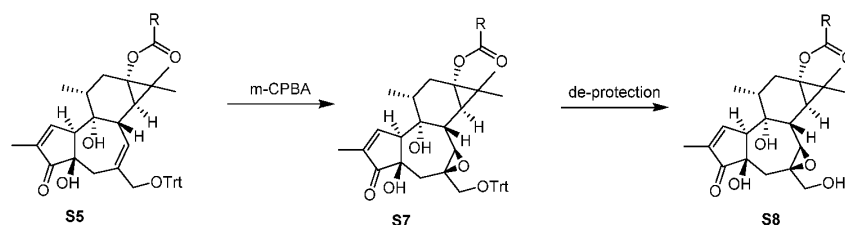
[0317] In some embodiments, each of the α -carbon of the amino acid other than glycine is in the L or D configuration.

[0318] In some embodiments, compounds disclosed herein can be synthesized according to the general schemes shown outlined below in **Scheme 1** and **Scheme 2**, where suitable reagents can be purchased from commercial sources or synthesized via known methods or methods adapted from the example procedures provided herein:

Scheme 1



Scheme 2



[0319] In **Scheme 1**, protection of S1 (K101A shown as example) with trityl chloride (or triphenylmethyl chloride) provides S2 (K101-C20Tr-A shown as example). Hydrolysis of S2 (K101-C20Tr-A shown as example) provides S3 (K101-C20Tr-B, shown as example), which can then be coupled with compound S4 under esterification conditions using 1-ethyl-3-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)carbodiimide (EDC, or EDCI) as the carboxyl activating agent and 4-dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) as the catalyst to provide S5. Deprotection of S5 followed by further separation and purification provides S6.

[0320] In **Scheme 2**, S7 is prepared by epoxidation of S5 with a peroxycarboxylic acid such as meta-chloroperoxybenzoic acid (m-CPBA). Further separation and purification of S7 provides S8.

[0321] Appropriate starting materials and reagents for use in **Scheme 1** and **Scheme 2** can be purchased or prepared by methods known to one of skill in the art.

[0322] In some embodiments of the methods of **Scheme 1** and **Scheme 2**, the various substituents on the starting compounds (e.g., compounds S1 and S3) are as defined for Formula I. However, it should also be appreciated that chemical derivatization and/or functional group interconversion, can be used to further modify of any of the compounds of **Scheme 1** and **Scheme 2** in order to provide the various compounds of Formula I.

[0323] In some embodiments, synthesis of the prodrugs are prepared by reacting protected amino acids (e.g., N-protected amino acids) with relevant compounds, e.g., compounds having an –OH group at the R⁶ position. Guidance is provided in Examples 63 and 64 illustrating synthesis of amino acid prodrugs as well as knowledge of general procedures available in the art for producing such prodrugs (see, e.g., Vale et al., 2018, *Molecules*. 23(9):2318; Beauchamp et al., 1992, *Antiviral Chemistry & Chemotherapy* 3(3):157-164; incorporated herein by reference).

[0324] Other compounds of the disclosure can be synthesized using the synthetic routes above and adapting chemical synthetic procedures available to the skilled in the art. Exemplary methods of synthesis are provided in the Examples. It is to be understood that each of the procedures describing synthesis of exemplary compounds are part of the specification, and thus incorporated herein into the Detailed Description of this disclosure.

4.5. Pharmaceutically Acceptable Salts

[0325] In some embodiments, the PKC modulating compounds are in free form or where appropriate as pharmaceutically acceptable salt. Pharmaceutically acceptable salts are well known in the art. For example, S. M. Berge et al., describe pharmaceutically acceptable salts in detail in *J. Pharmaceutical Sciences*, 1977, 66, 1–19, incorporated herein by reference.

[0326] Pharmaceutically acceptable salts of the compounds of this invention include those derived from suitable inorganic and organic acids and bases. In some embodiments, pharmaceutically acceptable salt of the compounds herein can be prepared during final isolation and purification of the compounds. For example, a pharmaceutically acceptable salt of the compounds herein can be prepared by (1) reacting the compound in free base form with a suitable organic or inorganic acid, and (2) isolating the salt thus formed. Examples of pharmaceutically acceptable, nontoxic acid addition salts are salts formed with inorganic acids such as hydrochloric acid, hydrobromic acid, phosphoric acid, sulfuric acid and perchloric acid or with organic acids such as acetic acid, oxalic acid, maleic acid, tartaric acid, citric acid, succinic acid or malonic acid or by using other methods used in the art such as ion exchange. Other pharmaceutically acceptable salts include adipate, alginate, ascorbate, aspartate, benzenesulfonate, benzoate, bisulfate, borate, butyrate, camphorate, camphorsulfonate, citrate, cyclopentanepropionate, digluconate, dodecylsulfate, ethanesulfonate, formate, fumarate, glucoheptonate, glycerophosphate, gluconate, hemisulfate, heptanoate, hexanoate, hydroiodide, 2-hydroxy-ethanesulfonate, lactobionate, lactate, laurate, lauryl sulfate, malate, maleate, malonate, methanesulfonate, 2-naphthalenesulfonate, nicotinate, nitrate, oleate, oxalate, palmitate, pamoate, pectinate, persulfate, 3-phenylpropionate, phosphate, pivalate, propionate, stearate, succinate, sulfate, tartrate, thiocyanate, p-toluenesulfonate, undecanoate, valerate salts, and the like.

[0327] Base addition salts can be prepared by (1) reacting the compound, such as the purified compound, in its acid form with a suitable organic or inorganic base, and (2) isolating the salt thus formed. Salts derived from appropriate bases include alkali metal, alkaline earth metal, ammonium and $N^+(C_1-C_4\text{alkyl})_4$ salts. Representative alkali or alkaline earth metal salts include sodium, lithium, potassium, calcium, magnesium, and the like. Further pharmaceutically acceptable salts include, when appropriate, nontoxic ammonium, quaternary ammonium, and amine cations formed using counterions such as halide, hydroxide, carboxylate, sulfate, phosphate, nitrate, loweralkyl sulfonate and aryl sulfonate.

4.6. Combination Treatments with Second Therapeutic Agents

[0328] In some embodiments, the diterpenoid PKC modulating compounds are used in combination with one or more second therapeutic agents. In some embodiments, the second therapeutic agent selected is appropriate or suitable for the disease or condition being treated.

[0329] In some embodiments for treatment of a cancer, the second therapeutic agent is selected from a platinating agent, alkylating agent, antibiotic agent, antimetabolic agent (e.g., folate antagonists, purine analogs, pyrimidine analogs, etc.), topoisomerase inhibiting agent, antimicrotubule agent (e.g., taxanes, vinca alkaloids), hormonal agent (e.g., aromatase inhibitors), plant-derived agent and synthetic derivatives thereof, anti-angiogenic agent, differentiation inducing agent, cell growth arrest inducing agent, apoptosis inducing agent, cytotoxic agent, agent affecting cell bioenergetics, i.e., affecting cellular ATP levels and molecules/activities regulating these levels, anti-cancer biologic

agent (e.g., monoclonal antibodies), kinase inhibitors and inhibitors of growth factors and their receptors.

[0330] In some embodiments, the second chemotherapeutic agent is selected from afatinib, afuresertib, alectinib, alisertib, alvocidib, amsacrine, amonafide, amuvatinib, axitinib, azacitidine, azathioprine, bafetinib, barasertib, bendamustine, bleomycin, bosutinib, bortezomib, busulfan, cabozantinib, camptothecin, canertinib, capecitabine, cabazitaxel, carboplatin, carmustine, cenisertib, ceritinib, chlorambucil, cisplatin, cladribine, clofarabine, crenolanib, crizotinib, cyclophosphamide, cytarabine, dabrafenib, dacarbazine, dacomitinib, dactinomycin, danusertib, dasatinib, daunorubicin, decitabine, dinaciclib, docetaxel, dovitinib, doxorubicin, epirubicin, epitinib, eribulin mesylate, errlotinib, etirinotecan, etoposide, everolimus, exemestane, floxuridine, fludarabine, fluorouracil, gefitinib, gemcitabine, hydroxyurea, ibrutinib, icotinib, idarubicin, idelalisib, ifosfamide, imatinib, imetelstat, ipatasertib, irinotecan, ixabepilone, lapatinib, lenalidomide, lestaurtinib, lomustine, lucitanib, masitinib, mechlorethamine, melphalan, mercaptopurine, methotrexate, midostaurin, mitomycin, mitoxantrone, mubritinib, nelarabine, neratinib, nilotinib, nintedanib, omacetaxine mepesuccinate, olaparib, orantinib, oxaliplatin, paclitaxel, palbociclib, palifosfamide tris, pazopanib, pelitinib, pemetrexed, pentostatin, plicamycin, ponatinib, poziotinib, pralatrexate, procarbazine, quizartinib, raltitrexed, regorafenib, ruxolitinib, seliciclib, sorafenib, streptozocin, sulfatinib, sunitinib, tamoxifen, tandutinib, temozolomide, temsirolimus, teniposide, theliatinib, thioguanine, thiotepa, topotecan, uramustine, valrubicin, vandetanib, vemurafenib (Zelborae), vincristine, vinblastine, vinorelbine, vindesine, and the like.

[0331] In some embodiments, the second therapeutic agent is selected from the group consisting of a phosphoinositol-3 kinase (PI3K) inhibitor, AKT inhibitor, mammalian target of rapamycin (mTOR) inhibitor, poly ADP ribose polymerase (PARP) inhibitor, platinum-based anti-cancer compound (PBAC), CBP/β-catenin inhibitor, Tankyrase (TNKS) inhibitor, probable protein-cysteine N-palmitoyltransferase (PORCN) inhibitor, src kinase/bcr-abl kinase inhibitor, Smoothed (SMO) inhibitor, anti-cancer nucleoside analog or anti-metabolite, histone deacetylase (HDAC) inhibitor, Bromodomain and Extra-Terminal motif (BET) inhibitor, all-trans-retinoic acid (ATRA), Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor, EGFR receptor inhibitor, and combinations thereof.

[0332] In some embodiments, the second therapeutic agent is selected from the group consisting of idelalisib, pictilisib, duvelisib, pilaralisib, alpelisib, copanlisib, voxalisib, dactolisib, gedatolisib, apitolisib, perifosine, miltefosine, ipatasertib, sirolimus, everolimus, temsirolimus, tacrolimus, ridaforolimus, ridaforolimus, dactolisib, olaparib, veliparib, rucaparib, talazoparib, niraparib, cisplatin, carboplatin, oxaliplatin, dicycloplatin, nedaplatin, lobaplatin, heptaplatin, phenathriplatin, phosphaplatin, LA-12, ICG-001, PRI-724, XAV-939, G007-LK, LGK-974, ETC-159, staurosporine, nilotinib, imatinib, ponatinib, saracatinib, dasatinib, bosutinib, saracatinib, cyclopamine, vismodegib, glasdegib, SANT-1, sonidegib, saridegib, taladegib, GSK1210151A, GSK525762, CPI-0610, RVX-

208, vorinostat (SAHA), entinostat, panobinostat, mocetinostat, belinostat, romidepsin, rocilinostat, abexinostat, resminostat, givinostat, quisinostat, pracinostat, kevetrin, CC-292, CNX-774, LFM-A13, CGI1746, trastuzumab, pertuzumab, ado-trastuzumab emtansine, cetuximab, panitumumab, nimotuzuma, mAb806, rrindopepimut, lapatinib, erlotinib, gefitinib, afatinib, neratinib, osimertinib, rociletinib, canertinib, and dacomitinib.

[0333] In some embodiments for the treatment of cancer, one or more of a second immune stimulating or enhancing agent is administering in an effective amount, for example to treat a cancer in a subject in need thereof.

[0334] In some embodiments, the second immune stimulating or enhancing agent is an immune checkpoint inhibitor. In some embodiments, the immune checkpoint inhibitor is an anti-CTLA4, anti-PD-L1 or anti-PD-1 antibody, or combinations thereof. In some embodiments, the immune check point inhibitor administered is an anti-CTLA4 antibody, such as atezolizumab. In some embodiments, the immune checkpoint inhibitor administered is an anti-PD-1 antibody or anti-PD-L1 antibody. Exemplary anti-PD-1 or anti-PD-L1 antibodies can be selected from pembrolizumab, nivolumab, atezolizumab, durvalumab, avelumab, camrelizumab, cemiplimab, sintilimab, tislelizumab, and toripalimab.

[0335] In some embodiments, the immune stimulating or enhancing agent is a cytokine. In some embodiments, the cytokine is selected from IFN- α , IL-2, IL-10, IL-12, IL-15, IL-21, IFN- γ , TNF- α , and GM-CSF. In some embodiments, the cytokine selected is appropriate or suitable for the disease indication being treated. In some embodiments, the cytokine is effective in stimulating or enhancing immune response against cancer cells.

4.7. Combination Treatments with CAR-T or CAR-NK Therapy

[0336] In some embodiments for the treatment of cancer, the diterpenoid PKC modulating compounds are used in combination with chimeric antigen receptor T-cell (CAR-T) or chimeric antigen receptor NK-cell (CAR-NK) therapy. The CAR-T or CAR-NK therapy selected is appropriate for the cancer being treated with the diterpenoid PKC activating compound. CAR-T and CAR-NK refers to T-cells and NK cells, respectively, genetically engineered to express a recombinant T-cell or NK-cell receptor containing an antigen binding domain, for example a single chain variable fragment (scFV) of an antibody, that binds an antigen on a target cell, e.g., a cancer cell. The antigen binding domain is attached via a linker or spacer sequence, such as a hinge region, to a transmembrane domain which is coupled to a intracellular signaling domain. An exemplary intracellular signaling domain for use in T-cells is immunoreceptor tyrosine based activation motifs in the cytoplasmic domain of CD3-zeta. To further enhance the response in T-cells, the CAR includes a co-stimulatory molecule, for example CD28, 4-1BB (CD-137), ICOS, or OX40 (CD134) in addition to CD3-zeta. Exemplary transmembranes domains for use in T-cells is the transmembrane domains of

CD4, TCR, and CD8. CAR-NK-cells can employ similar structural elements used in CAR-T, including CAR-T based intracellular signaling domains (see, e.g., Guedan et al., *Mol Therapy Methods, Clin Dev.*, 2019, 12:145-156). In some embodiments, the CAR-T and CAR-NK therapies employ universal adapters or other modular systems in which the antigen binding domain, e.g., directed to a cancer antigen, is separate from the signaling module of the spacer/hinge, transmembrane domain, and intracellular signaling domain, and is attached to the signaling module through an adapter. This allows use of the same signaling module but different antigen binding domains that have tags, such as neo-epitopes, SpyTag, leucine zippers, biotin, and FITC, and thus simple switching of the antigen binding domains for targeting different cancer antigens on different cancer types (see, e.g., Sutherland et al., *Int'l J Mol Sci.*, 2020, 21:7222). In some embodiments, the CAR-T or CAR-NK incorporates a "safety switch" to control the response in CAR-T or CAR-NK cells.

[0337] CAR-T and CAR-NK therapies have been developed for treating hematologic cancers, such as leukemia and lymphoma, for example chronic lymphocytic leukemia, acute lymphoblastic leukemia, acute myeloid leukemia, and lymphoma. CAR-T and CAR-NK cells for various cancers are described in, among others, WO2008121420; WO2011041093; WO2011059836; WO2012058460; WO2012079000; WO2012082841; WO2012/099973; U.S. Patent No. 9868774; U.S. Patent No. 9447194; U.S. Patent No. 9359447; U.S. Patent No. 9765342; U.S. Patent No. 9855297; WO2016201300; WO2017049166; WO2017027291; WO2018061012; WO2019077062; WO2020227595; WO2021035078; WO2021041486; WO2021038036; and WO2021045975; all publications incorporated herein by reference.

4.8. Formulations and Administration

[0338] In some embodiments, the pharmaceutical compositions of the therapeutic agents can be formulated by standard techniques using one or more physiologically acceptable carriers or excipients. Suitable pharmaceutical carriers are described herein and in Remington: The Science and Practice of Pharmacy, 21st Ed. (2005). The therapeutic compounds and their physiologically acceptable salts, hydrates and solvates can be formulated for administration by any suitable route, including, among others, topically, nasally, orally, parenterally, rectally or by inhalation. In some embodiments, the compounds and pharmaceutical compositions thereof are administered by intradermal, subdermal, intravenous, intramuscular, intranasal, intracerebral, intratracheal, intraarterial, intraperitoneal, intravesical, intrapleural, intracoronary or intratumoral injection, such as with a syringe or other devices. Transdermal administration is also contemplated, as are inhalation or aerosol administration. Tablets, capsules, and solutions can be administered orally, rectally or vaginally.

[0339] For oral administration, a pharmaceutical composition can take the form of, for example, a tablet or a capsule prepared by conventional means with a pharmaceutically acceptable excipient.

Tablets and capsules comprising the active ingredient can be prepared together with excipients such as: (a) diluents or fillers, e.g., lactose, dextrose, sucrose, mannitol, sorbitol, cellulose (e.g., ethyl cellulose, microcrystalline cellulose), glycine, pectin, polyacrylates and/or calcium hydrogen phosphate, calcium sulfate; (b) lubricants, e.g., silica, talcum, stearic acid, its magnesium or calcium salt, metallic stearates, colloidal silicon dioxide, hydrogenated vegetable oil, corn starch, sodium benzoate, sodium acetate and/or polyethyleneglycol; (c) binders, e.g., magnesium aluminum silicate, starch paste, gelatin, tragacanth, methylcellulose, sodium carboxymethylcellulose, polyvinylpyrrolidone and/or hydroxypropyl methylcellulose; (d) disintegrants, e.g., starches (including potato starch or sodium starch), glycolate, agar, alginic acid or its sodium salt, or effervescent mixtures; (e) wetting agents, e.g., sodium lauryl sulphate, and/or (f) absorbents, colorants, flavors and sweeteners. The compositions are prepared according to conventional mixing, granulating or coating methods.

[0340] Tablets may be either film coated or enteric coated according to methods known in the art. Liquid preparations for oral administration can take the form of, for example, solutions, syrups, or suspensions, or they can be presented as a dry product for reconstitution with water or other suitable vehicle before use. Such liquid preparations can be prepared by conventional means with pharmaceutically acceptable carriers and additives, for example, suspending agents, e.g., sorbitol syrup, cellulose derivatives, or hydrogenated edible fats; emulsifying agents, for example, lecithin or acacia; non-aqueous vehicles, for example, almond oil, oily esters, ethyl alcohol, or fractionated vegetable oils; and preservatives, for example, methyl or propyl-p-hydroxybenzoates or sorbic acid. The preparations can also contain buffer salts, flavoring, coloring, and/or sweetening agents as appropriate. If desired, preparations for oral administration can be suitably formulated to give controlled release of the active compound.

[0341] The therapeutic agents can be formulated for parenteral administration, for example by bolus injection or continuous infusion. Formulations for injection can be presented in unit dosage form, for example, in ampoules or in multi-dose containers, with an optionally added preservative. Injectable compositions can be aqueous isotonic solutions or suspensions. In some embodiments for parenteral administration, the therapeutic agents can be prepared with a surfactant, such as Cremaphor, or lipophilic solvents, such as triglycerides or liposomes. The compositions may be sterilized and/or contain adjuvants, such as preserving, stabilizing, wetting or emulsifying agents, solution promoters, salts for regulating the osmotic pressure and/or buffers. Alternatively, the therapeutic agent can be in powder form for reconstitution with a suitable vehicle, for example, sterile pyrogen-free water, before use. In addition, they may also contain other therapeutically effective substances.

[0342] In some embodiments, the therapeutic agent, e.g., the diterpenoid PKC modulating compounds, are administered intratumorally. In some embodiments, the therapeutic agent is administered directly into the tumor, allowing for high local concentration of the therapeutic agent

and in some embodiments, increased bioavailability of the therapeutic agent at the site of the tumor. Any formulation of the therapeutic agent suitable for intratumoral administration can be used in the embodiments herein. Intratumoral administration can be by injection of the therapeutic agent into the tumor (see, e.g., Celikoglu et al., 2008, Cancer Therapy, 6:545-552) or by intravenous administration to blood vessels feeding to the tumor. In some embodiments, the injection device has a porous delivery channel (e.g., needle) for wider distribution or infusion of the therapeutic agent for treating tumors with large volume.

[0343] For administration by inhalation, the therapeutic agent may be conveniently delivered in the form of an aerosol spray presentation from pressurized packs or a nebulizer, with the use of a suitable propellant, for example, dichlorodifluoromethane, trichlorofluoromethane, dichlorotetrafluoroethane, carbon dioxide, or other suitable gas. In the case of a pressurized aerosol, the dosage unit can be determined by providing a valve to deliver a metered amount. Capsules and cartridges of, for example, gelatin for use in an inhaler or insufflator can be formulated containing a powder mix of the compound and a suitable powder base, for example, lactose or starch.

[0344] Suitable formulations for transdermal application include an effective amount of a therapeutic agent with a carrier. Preferred carriers include absorbable pharmacologically acceptable solvents to assist passage through the skin of the subject. For example, transdermal devices are in the form of a bandage or patch comprising a backing member, a reservoir containing the therapeutic agent optionally with carriers, optionally a rate controlling barrier to deliver the compound to the skin of the host at a controlled and predetermined rate over a prolonged period of time, and a means to secure the device to the skin. Matrix transdermal formulations may also be used.

[0345] Suitable formulations for topical application, e.g., to the skin and eyes, are preferably aqueous solutions, ointments, creams or gels well-known in the art. The formulations may contain solubilizers, stabilizers, tonicity enhancing agents, buffers and preservatives.

[0346] In some embodiments, the therapeutic agent can also be formulated as a rectal composition, for example, suppositories or retention enemas, for example, containing conventional suppository bases, for example, cocoa butter or other glycerides, or gel forming agents, such as carbomers.

[0347] In some embodiments, the therapeutic agent can be formulated as a depot preparation. Such long-acting formulations can be administered by implantation (for example, subcutaneously or intramuscularly) or by intramuscular injection. The therapeutic agent can be formulated with suitable polymeric or hydrophobic materials (for example as an emulsion in an acceptable oil), ion exchange resins, biodegradable polymers, or as sparingly soluble derivatives, for example, as a sparingly soluble salt.

[0348] In some embodiments, the carrier is a cyclodextrin, such as to enhance solubility and/or bioavailability of the compounds herein. In some embodiments, the cyclodextrin for use in the

pharmaceutical compositions can be selected from α -cyclodextrin, β -cyclodextrin, γ -cyclodextrin, derivatives thereof, and combinations thereof. In particular, the cyclodextrin is selected from β -cyclodextrin, γ -cyclodextrin, derivatives thereof, and combinations thereof.

[0349] In some embodiments, the compounds can be formulated with a cyclodextrin or derivative thereof selected from carboxyalkyl cyclodextrin, hydroxyalkyl cyclodextrin, sulfoalkylether cyclodextrin, and an alkyl cyclodextrin. In various embodiments, the alkyl group in the cyclodextrin is methyl, ethyl, propyl, butyl, or pentyl.

[0350] In some embodiments, the cyclodextrin is α -cyclodextrin or a derivative thereof. In some embodiments, the α -cyclodextrin or derivative thereof is selected from carboxyalkyl- α -cyclodextrin, hydroxyalkyl- α -cyclodextrin, sulfoalkylether- α -cyclodextrin, alkyl- α -cyclodextrin, and combinations thereof. In some embodiments, the alkyl group in the α -cyclodextrin derivative is methyl, ethyl, propyl, butyl, or pentyl.

[0351] In some embodiments, the cyclodextrin is β -cyclodextrin or a derivative thereof. In some embodiments, the β -cyclodextrin or derivative thereof is selected from carboxyalkyl- β -cyclodextrin, hydroxyalkyl- β -cyclodextrin, sulfoalkylether- β -cyclodextrin, alkyl- β -cyclodextrin, and combinations thereof. In some embodiments, the alkyl group in the β -cyclodextrin derivative is methyl, ethyl, propyl, butyl, or pentyl.

[0352] In some embodiments, the β -cyclodextrin or a derivative thereof is hydroxyalkyl- β -cyclodextrin or sulfoalkylether- β -cyclodextrin. In some embodiments, the hydroxyalkyl- β -cyclodextrin is hydroxypropyl- β -cyclodextrin. In some embodiments, the sulfoalkylether- β -cyclodextrin is sulfobutylether- β -cyclodextrin. In some embodiments, β -cyclodextrin or a derivative thereof is alkyl- β -cyclodextrin, in particular methyl- β -cyclodextrin. In some embodiments using methyl- β -cyclodextrin, the β -cyclodextrin is randomly methylated β -cyclodextrin.

[0353] In some embodiments, the cyclodextrin is γ -cyclodextrin or a derivative thereof. In some embodiments, the γ -cyclodextrin or derivative thereof is selected from carboxyalkyl- γ -cyclodextrin, hydroxyalkyl- γ -cyclodextrin, sulfoalkylether- γ -cyclodextrin, and alkyl- γ -cyclodextrin. In some embodiments, the alkyl group in the γ -cyclodextrin derivative is methyl, ethyl, propyl, butyl, or pentyl. In some embodiments, the γ -cyclodextrin or derivative thereof is hydroxyalkyl- γ -cyclodextrin or sulfoalkylether- γ -cyclodextrin. In some embodiments, the hydroxyalkyl- γ -cyclodextrin is hydroxypropyl- γ -cyclodextrin.

[0354] When used in a formulation with the compound of the present disclosure, the cyclodextrin can be present at about 0.1 w/v to about 30% w/v, about 0.1 w/v to about 20% w/v, about 0.5% w/v to about 10% w/v, or about 1% w/v to about 5% w/v. In some embodiments, the cyclodextrin is present at about 0.1% w/v, about 0.2% w/v, about 0.5% w/v, about 1% w/v, about 2% w/v, about 3% w/v, about 4% w/v, about 5% w/v, about 6% w/v, about 7% w/v, about 8% w/v, about 9% w/v, about 10%

w/v, about 12% w/v, about 14% w/v, about 16% w/v, about 18% w/v, about 20% w/v, about 25% w/v, or about 30% w/v or more.

[0355] The pharmaceutical compositions can, if desired, be presented in a pack or dispenser device that can contain one or more unit dosage forms containing the active ingredient. The pack can, for example, comprise metal or plastic foil, for example, a blister pack. The pack or dispenser device can be accompanied by instructions for administration.

4.9. Effective Amount and Dosing

[0356] In some embodiments, a pharmaceutical composition of the therapeutic agent is administered to a subject, preferably a human, at a therapeutically effective dose to prevent, treat, or control a condition or disease as described herein. The pharmaceutical composition is administered to a subject in an amount sufficient to elicit an effective therapeutic response in the subject. An effective therapeutic response is a response that at least partially arrests or slows the symptoms or complications of the condition or disease. An amount adequate to accomplish this is defined as “therapeutically effective dose” or “therapeutically effective amount.”

[0357] The dosage of therapeutic agents can take into consideration, among others, the species of warm-blooded animal (mammal), the body weight, age, condition being treated, the severity of the condition being treated, the form of administration, route of administration. The size of the dose also will be determined by the existence, nature, and extent of any adverse effects that accompany the administration of a particular therapeutic compound in a particular subject.

[0358] In some embodiments, the diterpenoid PKC activating compound, the compound can be administered in a dose in the range from about 0.001 mg per kg of subject weight (0.001 mg/kg) to about 1000 mg/kg. In some embodiments, the dose is in the range of about 0.001 mg/kg to about 500 mg/kg. In some embodiments, the dose is in the range of about 1 mg/kg to about 500 mg/kg. In some embodiments, the dose is about 2 mg/kg to about 250 mg/kg. In another embodiment, the dose is about 5 mg/kg to about 100 mg/kg. In another embodiment, the dose is about 5 mg/kg to about 100 mg/kg. In some embodiments, the dose is about 0.001 mg/kg, 0.01 mg/kg, 0.05 mg/kg, 0.1 mg/kg, 0.2 mg/kg, 0.3 mg/kg, 0.4 mg/kg, 0.5 mg/kg, 1 mg/kg, 2 mg/kg, 3 mg/kg, 4 mg/kg, 5 mg/kg, 10 mg/kg, 20 mg/kg, 40 mg/kg, 50 mg/kg, 100 mg/kg, 200 mg/kg or 500 mg/kg. In some embodiments, the dose can be administered once per day or divided into subdoses and administered in multiple doses, e.g., twice, three times, or four times per day.

[0359] In some embodiments, the diterpenoid PKC activator can be administered with one or more of the second therapeutic agent sequentially or concurrently, either by the same route or by different routes of administration. When administered sequentially, the time between administrations is selected to benefit, among others, the therapeutic efficacy and/or safety of the combination treatment. In some embodiments, the diterpenoid PKC activator can be administered first followed by a second

therapeutic agent, or alternatively, the second therapeutic agent administered first followed by the diterpenoid PKC activator. By way of example and not limitation, the time between administrations is about 1 hr, about 2 hr, about 4hr, about 6 hr, about 12 hr, about 16 hr or about 20 hr. In some embodiments, the time between administrations is about 1, about 2, about 3, about 4, about 5, about 6, or about 7 more days. In some embodiments, the time between administrations is about 1 week, 2 weeks, 3 weeks, or 4 weeks or more. In some embodiments, the time between administrations is about 1 month or 2 months or more.

[0360] When administered concurrently, the diterpenoid PKC modulator can be administered separately at the same time as the second therapeutic agent, by the same or different routes, or administered in a single composition by the same route.

[0361] In some embodiments, the amount and frequency of administration of the second therapeutic agent can use standard dosages and standard administration frequencies used for the particular therapeutic agent. See, e.g., Physicians' Desk Reference, 70th Ed., PDR Network, 2015; incorporated herein by reference.

[0362] In some embodiments, where administration of the therapeutic agent is to a localized site, for example, intratumoral injection, the dosages can be the dosages used for systemic administration, such as dosages used for intravenous, intramuscular, and intraperitoneal administration. In some embodiments, the dose for localized administration, e.g., intratumoral administration, is higher than those used for systemic administration. In some embodiments, the administered dose is sufficient for the intended effect, for example killing or necrotization of tumor tissue. In some embodiments, intratumoral administration is done once, twice, three times, four times, five times or up to six times or more, where each administration is separated in time, for example, until the desired outcome is achieved.

[0363] It to be understood that optimum dosages, toxicity, and therapeutic efficacy of such therapeutic agents may vary depending on the relative potency of individual therapeutic agent and can be determined by pharmaceutical procedures in cell cultures or experimental animals, for example, by determining the LD₅₀ (the dose lethal to 50% of the population) and the ED₅₀ (the dose therapeutically effective in 50% of the population). The dose ratio between toxic and therapeutic effects is the therapeutic index and can be expressed as the ratio, LD₅₀/ED₅₀. Therapeutic agents or combinations thereof that exhibit large therapeutic indices are preferred. While certain agents that exhibit toxic side effects can be used, care should be used to design a delivery system that targets such agents to the site of affected tissue to minimize potential damage to normal cells and, thereby, reduce side effects.

[0364] The data obtained from, for example, cell culture assays and animal studies can be used to formulate a dosage range for use in humans. The dosage of such small molecule compounds lies preferably within a range of circulating concentrations that include the ED₅₀ with little or no toxicity.

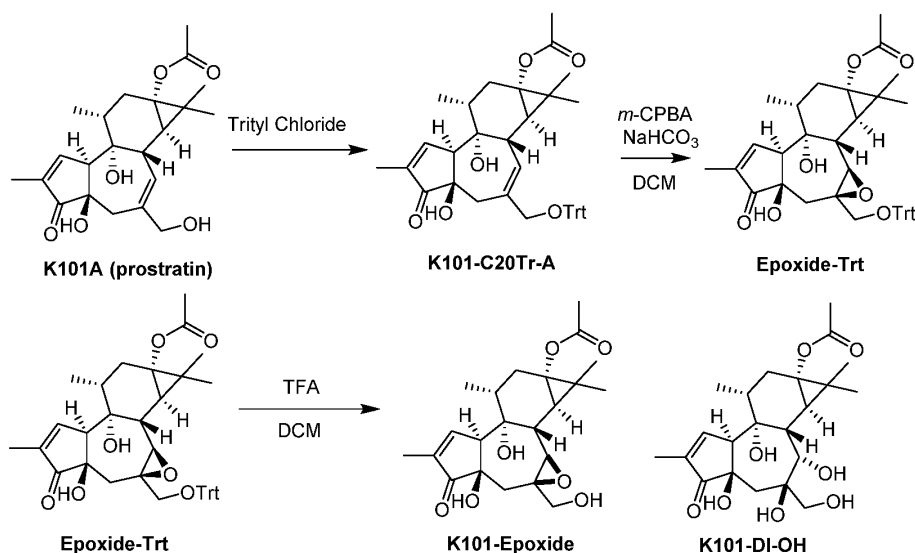
The dosage can vary within this range depending upon the dosage form employed and the route of administration. For any compounds used in the methods of the invention, the therapeutically effective dose can be estimated initially from cell culture assays. A dose can be formulated in animal models to achieve a circulating plasma concentration range that includes the IC_{50} (the concentration of the test compound that achieves a half-maximal inhibition of symptoms) as determined in cell culture. Such information can be used to more accurately determine useful doses in humans. Levels in plasma can be measured, for example, by high performance liquid chromatography (HPLC).

[0365] The following examples are provided to further illustrate the methods of the present disclosure, and the compounds and compositions for use in the methods. The examples described are illustrative only and are not intended to limit the scope of the invention in any way.

5. EXAMPLES

Example 1: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-Epoxyde** and **K101-DI-OH**.

[0366] The scheme for synthesis of compounds **K101-Epoxyde** and **K101-DI-OH** are illustrated below.



[0367] Preparation of Compound **K101-C20Tr-A**. To a solution of **K101A** (1 g, 2.56 mmol, 1 eq) in pyridine (40 mL) was added Trityl chloride (2.14 g, 7.68 mmol, 3.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 40°C for 14 hours (hr) to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed desired mass was found, and **K101A** was remained. The mixture was stirred at 40°C for 12hr again. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by drumming N₂ to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by flash column (eluting

with: petroleum ether (PE)/ethyl acetate=100%PE to 20%) to give **K101-C20Tr-A** (1.6 g, 2.53 mmol, 98.73% yield) as a white solid.

¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.59 (s, 1H), 7.44-7.42 (m, 6H), 7.31-7.29 (m, 6H), 7.24-7.21 (m, 3H), 5.63 (brs, 1H), 3.51 (s, 2H), 3.28 (s, 1H), 2.93 (s, 1H), 2.49-2.41 (m, 2H), 2.09-2.06 (m, 5H), 2.09-2.03 (m, 7H), 1.99-1.94 (m, 1H), 1.78 (s, 3H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 0.89-0.81 (m, 4H).

[0368] Preparation of Compound Epoxide-Trt. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-A** (30.00 mg, 47.41 μmol, 1.00 equivalent (hereafter as eq)) in dichloromethane (hereafter as DCM) (2.00 mL) was added NaHCO₃ (11.95 mg, 142.23 μmol, 5.53 uL, 3.00 eq), meta-chloroperoxybenzoic acid (m-CPBA) (14.44 mg, 71.11 μmol, 1.5eq, 85% purity), and the reaction mixture was stirred at 20°C for 2 hours (h) to give a suspension. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete, and the desired MS value was observed. Thin-layer chromatography (TLC) (petroleum ether/ethyl acetate mixture ration 2:1 (PE/EtOAc=2/1), SiO₂) analysis showed no new spots. The reaction mixture was mixed with DCM (5 mL) and brine (2 mL), and the organic layer was separated and concentrated under reduced pressure to give 35.5 mg of crude product as a colorless gum. The product was purified by preparative (prep)-TLC (PE/EtOAc=2/1, SiO₂) to give **Epoxide-Trt** (20.10 mg, 65.34% yield) as a colorless gum.

[0369] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.63 (s, 1H), 7.37-7.30 (m, 6H), 7.30-7.18 (m, 11H), 5.54 (brs, 1H), 3.96-3.89 (m, 1H), 3.17 (d, *J*=9.3 Hz, 1H), 3.08 (d, *J*=8.5 Hz, 1H), 2.85-2.74 (m, 2H), 2.09 (s, 3H), 2.07-2.03 (m, 1H), 2.02 (s, 1H), 1.98 (s, 1H), 1.96-1.87 (m, 1H), 1.86-1.81 (m, 1H), 1.80-1.74 (m, 3H), 1.66-1.59 (m, 1H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.97 (d, *J*=4.3 Hz, 1H), 0.89 (d, *J*=6.5 Hz, 3H).

[0370] Preparation of Compound K101-Epoxide and K101-DI-OH. To a solution of **Epoxide-Trt** (10.00 mg, 15.41 μmol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (500.00 uL) was added trifluoroacetic acid (hereafter as TFA) (100.00 μL), and the reaction solution stirred at 0°C for 1h. TLC (PE/EtOAc=2/1, SiO₂) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction was quenched by saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ (2 mL) at 0°C, then extracted with DCM (5 mL x 2), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a colorless gum. The residue was combined with a second preparation of crude product and purified by prep-HPLC (column: Waters Xbridge 150 x 25 x 5 mm; mobile phase: A [A: water (0.05% ammonia hydroxide v/v)]; B [acetonitrile (ACN)]; gradient B%: 25%-55% in 10min to give **K101-Epoxide** (1.51 mg, 3.71 μmol, 24.11% yield, 100% purity) and **K101-DI-OH** (1.20 mg, 2.60 μmol, 16.90% yield, 92.1% purity), both as white solid after lyophilization.

[0371] K101-Epoxide: LC-MS (m/z): 429.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0372] K101-Epoxide: ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.53 (s, 1H), 3.48 (d, *J*=11.9 Hz, 1H), 3.44-3.39 (m, 1H), 3.36 (s, 1H), 3.16 (d, *J*=8.6 Hz, 1H), 2.66 (d, *J*=16.8 Hz, 1H), 2.14-2.06 (m, 4H), 2.04-

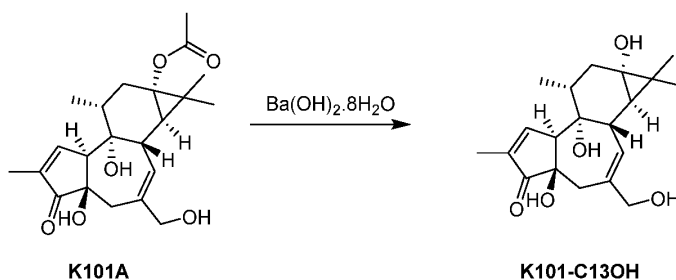
1.89 (m, 3H), 1.77-1.74 (m, 3H), 1.59 (dd, $J=11.2, 14.3$ Hz, 1H), 1.22 (s, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 1.02 (d, $J=4.9$ Hz, 1H), 0.89 (d, $J=6.6$ Hz, 3H).

[0373] **K101-DI-OH**: LC-MS (m/z): 447.1 $[M+Na]^+$

[0374] **K101-DI-OH**: 1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD) δ 7.70 (s, 1H), 3.89 (s, 1H), 3.72-3.68 (m, 1H), 3.53 (d, $J=2.6$ Hz, 2H), 2.45 (d, $J=7.9$ Hz, 1H), 2.21-2.07 (m, 2H), 2.03 (s, 3H), 1.85-1.79 (m, 1H), 1.79-1.74 (m, 3H), 1.60-1.48 (m, 2H), 1.14 (s, 3H), 1.08 (s, 4H), 0.92 (d, $J=6.8$ Hz, 3H).

Example 2: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C13OH**.

[0375] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C13OH** is illustrated below.



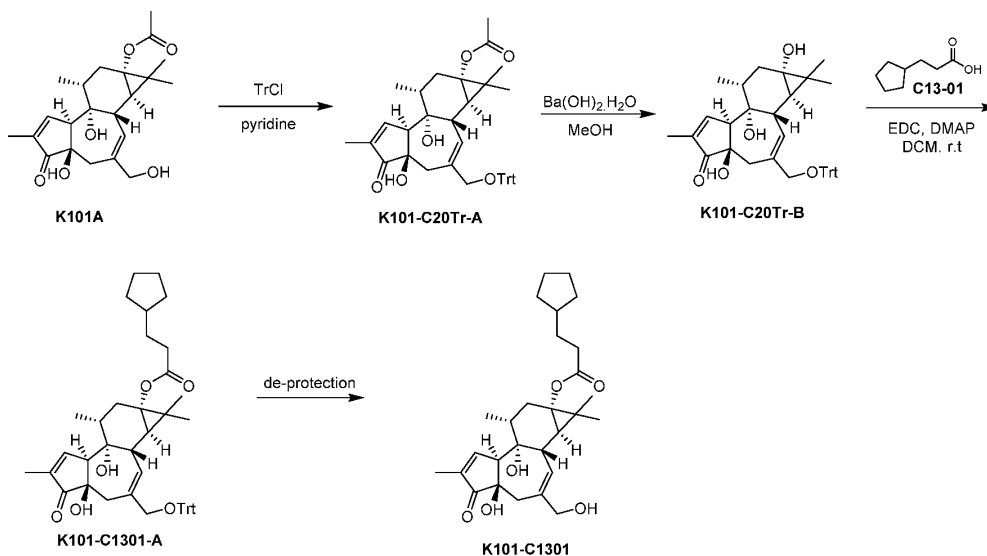
[0376] Preparation of Compound **K101-C13OH**. To a solution of **K101A** (40.00 mg, 102.44 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in MeOH (20.00 mL) was added $Ba(OH)_2 \cdot 8H_2O$ (322.69 mg, 1.02 mmol, 10.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 4 hours to give a yellow suspension. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: EtOAc=100%) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with saturated NH_4Cl (10 mL) and extracted with dichloromethane (DCM) (100 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C13OH** (9.30 mg, 26.69 μ mol, 26.05% yield, 100% purity) as a white solid.

[0377] LC-MS (m/z): 371.2 $[M+Na]^+$

[0378] 1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD) δ 7.29 (s, 1H), 5.18 (s, 1H), 4.58 (s, 2H), 3.81-3.75 (m, 1H), 3.50-3.46 (m, 1H), 3.20-3.11 (m, 3H), 2.16-2.11 (m, 1H), 1.76-1.63 (m, 5H), 1.27 (m, 1H), 1.17 (m, 3H), 1.74-1.53 (m, 8H), 1.17 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 1.06-0.88 (m, 6H).

Example 3: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1301**.

[0379] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1301** is illustrated below.



[0380] Preparation of Compound K101-C20Tr-A. To a solution of **K101A** (500.00 mg, 1.28 mmol, 1.00 eq) in pyridine (10.00 mL) was added trityl chloride (TrtCl) (1.07 g, 3.84 mmol, 3.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14 hours to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N_2 to give the crude product. The product was purified by flash column (eluting with: EtOAc in PE 1% to 50%) to give **K101-C20Tr-A** (790.00 mg, 1.02 mmol, 79.78% yield, 81.795% purity) as a white solid.

[0381] Preparation of Compound K101-C20Tr-B. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-A** (290.00 mg, 458.30 μmol , 1.00 eq) in MeOH (76.00 mL) was added $\text{Ba(OH)}_2 \cdot 8\text{H}_2\text{O}$ (1.44 g, 4.58 mmol, 10.00 eq) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 3 hours to give yellow suspension. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with saturated aqueous NH_4Cl (50 mL) and extracted with dichloromethane (DCM) (300 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 . The organic layers was filtered on silica gel and washed with EtOAc (50 mL). The organic layer was concentrated to give **K101-C20Tr-B** (260.00 mg, 425.57 μmol , 92.86% yield, 96.694% purity) as a white solid.

[0382] Preparation of Compound K101-C1301-A. To solution of **K101-C1301-B** (35.00 mg, 59.25 μmol , 1.00 eq) in DCM (500.00 μL) were added 3-cyclopentylpropanoic acid (10.11 mg, 71.10 μmol , 1.01 eq), N-(3-Dimethylaminopropyl)-N'-ethylcarbodiimide hydrochloride (EDC) (22.72 mg, 118.49 μmol , 2.00 eq) and 4-Dimethylaminopyridine (DMAP) (14.48 mg, 118.50 μmol , 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14 hours to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=4/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was combined with a second preparation of the compound, quenched with H_2O (10 mL) and extracted

with DCM (15 mL x 3). The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=4/1) to give **K101-C1301-A** (32.00 mg, 44.76 μ mol, 65.12% yield, 100% purity) as a white solid.

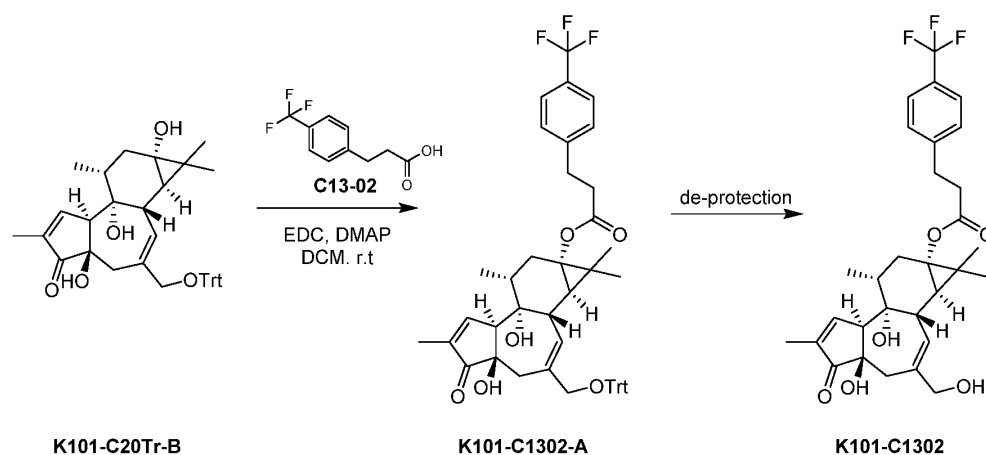
[0383] Preparation of Compound K101-C1301. To a solution of **K101-C1301-A** (32.00 mg, 44.76 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) was added TFA (385.00 mg, 3.38 mmol, 250.00 μ L, 75.44 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 1 hour to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=1/1) showed the reaction was complete. The solvent was removed by N₂ to give a crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=1/1) to give **K101-C1301** (8.10 mg, 17.14 μ mol, 38.29% yield, 100% purity) as a white solid.

[0384] LC-MS (m/z): 495.3 [M+Na]⁺

[0385] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.53 (s, 1H), 5.59 (s, 1H), 4.54-4.49 (m, 2H), 3.95-3.88 (m, 2H), 3.14 (s, 1H), 3.04 (s, 1H), 2.53-2.43 (m, 2H), 2.35-2.31 (m, 2H), 2.10-1.90 (m, 2H), 1.77-1.72 (m, 6H), 1.62-1.52 (m, 7H), 1.15 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.89-0.83 (m, 4H).

Example 4: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1302**.

[0386] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1302** is illustrated below.



[0387] Preparation of Compound K101-C1302-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (40.00 mg, 67.71 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added 3-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]propanoic acid (**C13-02**) (17.73 mg, 81.25 μ mol, 1.20 eq), DMAP (16.54 mg, 135.42 μ mol, 2.00 eq) and EDC (25.96 mg, 135.42 μ mol, 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 2 hours to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was combined with a second preparation of the compound, quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ (5 mL) and extracted with DCM (10 mL x 3). The organic layers were washed with H₂O (5 mL), dried over Na₂SO₄ and then concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC

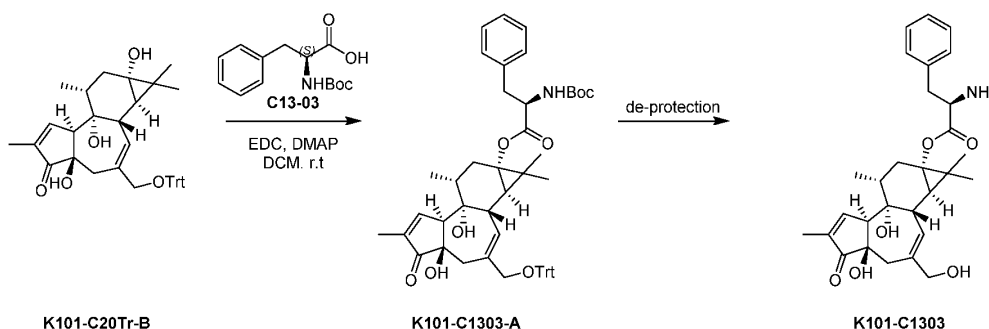
(eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1302-A** (34.00 mg, 42.45 μ mol, 53.72% yield, 98.736% purity) as a white solid.

[0388] Preparation of compound **K101-C1302**. To a solution of **K101-C1302-A** (28.00 mg, 35.40 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in MeOH (1.00 mL) was added HClO₄ (464.95 mg, 4.63 mmol, 280.09 μ L, 130.73 eq). The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 0.5 hour to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was combined with a second preparation of the compound and purified by prep-HPLC (column: Waters XSELECT C18 150 x 30mm x 5 μ m; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: B: ACN]; B%: 33%-63%, 10 min) to give **K101-C1302** (10.60 mg, 18.56 μ mol, 52.42% yield, 96.032% purity) as a white solid.

[0389] LC-MS (m/z): 571.3 [M+Na]⁺

[0390] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.58-7.52 (m, 2H), 7.43-7.41 (m, 2H), 5.55 (s, 1H), 3.95-3.87 (m, 2H), 3.29-2.99 (m, 4H), 2.72-2.68 (m, 2H), 2.47-2.37 (m, 2H), 2.05-1.96 (m, 2H), 1.72 (s, 3H), 1.43-1.40 (m, 1H), 1.01 (s, 6H), 0.85-0.83 (m, 3H), 0.75-0.73 (m, 3H).

Example 5: Synthesis Scheme of K101-C1303



[0391] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1303-A**: To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added (2S)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-3-phenylpropanoic acid (C13-03) (26.95 mg, 101.57 μ mol, 2.00 eq), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.13 μ mol, 4.00 eq) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.57 μ mol, 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 48 hours to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ (5 mL) and extracted with DCM (10 mL*3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1303-A** (30.00 mg, 34.85 μ mol, 68.63% yield, 97.349% purity) as a white solid.

[0392] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.50 (s, 1H), 7.37-7.35 (m, 5H), 7.24-7.22 (m, 8H), 7.17-7.12 (m, 7H), 5.54 (s, 1H), 5.04 (m, 1H), 4.87-4.85 (m, 1H), 4.49 (m, 1H), 3.18 (s, 1H), 3.02 (m, 1H), 2.83

(m, 1H), 2.46-2.41 (m, 1H), 2.32 - 2.28 (m, 1H), 1.98-1.93 (m, 2H), 1.70 (m, 3H), 1.35 (s, 9H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 0.99-0.98 (m, 3H), 0.78-0.77 (m, 3H), 0.70-0.69 (m, 1H).

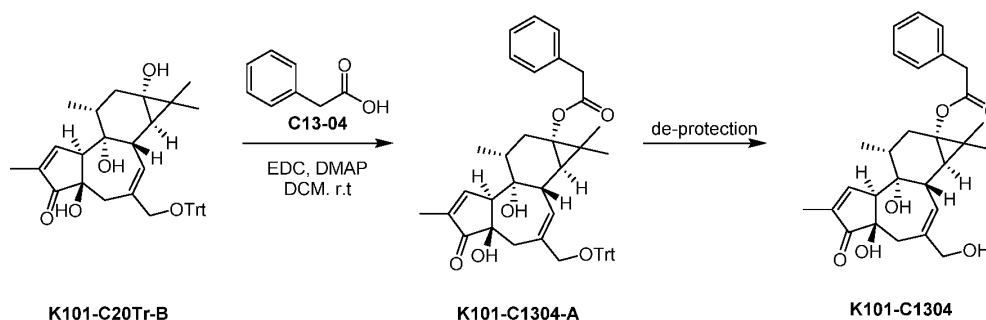
[0393] Preparation of Compound K101-C1303: To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 35.80 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) was added TFA (154.00 mg, 1.35 mmol, 100.00 μ L, 37.73 eq) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 2hr to give a red-brown solution. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14 hours to give a red-brown solution again. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (5 mL) and the organic layer was separated. The water layer was lyophilized. The organic layer was dissolved in MeOH (3.00 mL) and added HClO₄ (83.00 mg, 826.20 μ mol, 50.00 μ L, 23.08 eq) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 2 hours to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150*25mm*10 μ m; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: B: ACN]; B%: 18%-48%, 10 min) to give **K101-C1303** (4.50 mg, 6.90 μ mol, 19.27% yield, 93.438% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0394] LC-MS (m/z): 519.3 [M+H]⁺

[0395] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.45 (s, 1H), 7.31-7.21 (m, 5H), 5.51 (s, 1H), 4.27-4.21 (m, 1H), 3.84 (s, 2H), 3.25 (m, 1H), 3.06-3.00 (m, 3H), 2.40-2.33 (m, 1H), 2.33-2.28 (m, 1H), 2.08 (m, 1H), 2.04 (m, 1H), 1.65 (s, 3H), 1.44-1.40 (m, 1H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.97 (s, 3H), 0.87-0.81 (m, 4H).

Example 6: Synthesis Scheme of K101-C1304.

[0396] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1304** is illustrated below.



[0397] Preparation of Compound K101-C1304-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (40.00 mg, 67.71 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added 2-phenylacetic acid (C13-04) (11.06 mg, 81.25 μ mol, 10.24 μ L, 1.20 eq), DMAP (33.09 mg, 270.84 μ mol, 4.00 eq) and EDC (25.96 mg, 135.42 μ mol, 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12 hours to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was combined with a second preparation of the compound, quenched with H₂O (5 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1304-A** (40.00 mg, 56.43 μ mol, 65.78% yield) as a white solid.

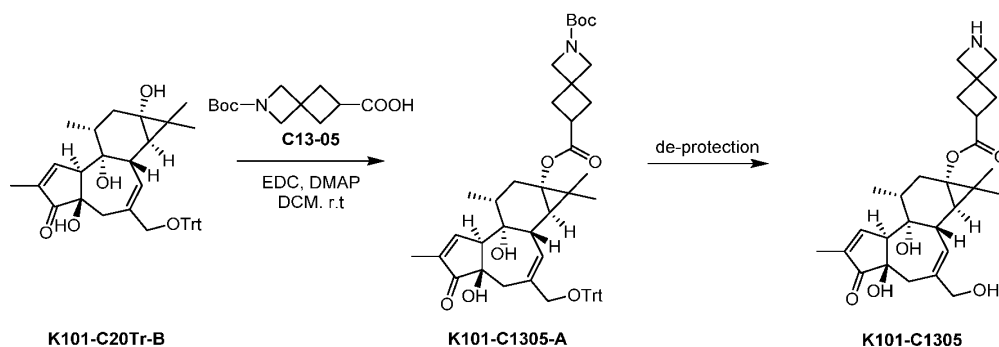
[0398] Preparation of Compound K101-C1304. To a solution of **K101-C1304-A** (40.00 mg, 56.43 μmol , 1.00 eq) in MeOH (3.00 mL) was added HClO_4 (83.00 mg, 826.14 μmol , 50.00 μL , 14.64 eq) at 0°C . The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 0.5hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Waters XSELECT C18 150 x 30mm x 5um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: B: ACN]; B%: 33%-63%, 10 min) to give **K101-C1304** (16.30 mg, 34.94 μmol , 61.91% yield) as a white solid.

[0399] LC-MS (m/z): 489.3 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$

[0400] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD) δ 7.53 (s, 1H), 7.33-7.28 (m, 5H), 5.57 (s, 1H), 3.95-3.88 (m, 2H), 3.64 (s, 2H), 3.14-3.03 (m, 2H), 2.48-2.39 (m, 2H), 2.12-2.02 (m, 2H), 1.73 (s, 3H), 1.56-1.50 (m, 1H), 1.03-1.01 (m, 6H), 0.88-0.78 (m, 4H).

Example 7: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1305**.

[0401] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1305** is illustrated below.



[0402] Preparation of Compound K101-C1305-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (45.00 mg, 76.17 μmol , 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added 2-tert-butoxycarbonyl-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptane-6-carboxylic acid (**C13-05**) (27.57 mg, 114.26 μmol , 1.50 eq), DMAP (37.22 mg, 304.68 μmol , 4.00 eq), N,N-diisopropylethylamine (DIEA) (19.69 mg, 152.34 μmol , 26.61 μL , 2.00 eq) and EDC (29.21 mg, 152.34 μmol , 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 48 hours to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was combined with a second preparation of the compound, quenched with saturated NaHCO_3 (5 mL) and extracted with DCM (10 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1305-A** (70.00 mg, crude) as a white solid.

[0403] Preparation of Compound K101-C1305. To a solution of **K101-C1305-A** (70.00 mg, 85.99 μmol , 1.00 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) was added TFA (154.00 mg, 1.35 mmol, 100.00 μL , 15.71 eq) at 0°C . The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 2hr give a red-brown solution. The mixture was stirred at

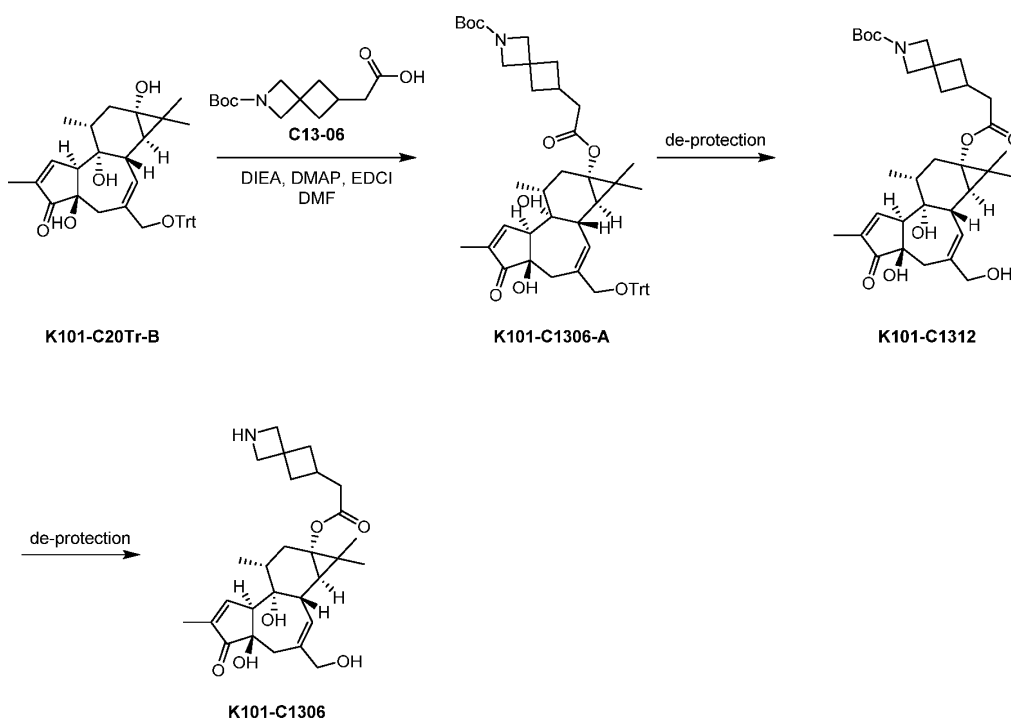
20°C for 16 hours (hr). LC-MS showed that the desired product was no present. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (5 mL) and the organic layer was separated. LC-MSThe organic layer was dissolved in MeOH (3.00 mL) followed by addition of HClO₄ (83.00 mg, 826.20 μmol, 50.00 uL, 9.61 eq) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 2hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was completecomplete. The mixture was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 10%-40%, 10min) to give **K101-C1305** (11.80 mg, 20.15 μmol, 23.43% yield, TFA) as a yellow solid.

[0404] LC-MS (m/z): 494.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0405] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 5.63 (s, 1H), 4.11-4.09 (m, 4H), 4.00-3.96 (m, 2H), 3.19-3.07 (m, 3H), 2.60-2.46 (m, 6H), 2.16-2.12 (m, 2H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.76-1.53 (m, 1H), 1.17 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 0.93-0.89 (m, 4H).

Example 8: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1306**.

[0406] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1306** is illustrated below.



[0407] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1306-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (40.00 mg, 67.71 μmol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added 2-(2-tert-butoxycarbonyl-2-azaspiro[3.3]heptan-6-yl)acetic acid (25.93 mg, 101.56 μmol, 1.50 eq), DMAP (33.09 mg, 270.84 μmol, 4.00 eq), DIEA (26.25 mg, 203.13 μmol, 35.47 uL, 3.00 eq) and EDC (25.96 mg, 135.42 μmol, 2.00 eq). The mixture

was stirred at 20°C for 16hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was combined with a second preparation of the compound, quenched with Saturated NaHCO₃ (5 mL) and extracted with DCM (10 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1306-A** (40.00 mg, 47.90 µmol, 70.74% yield, 99.157% purity) as a white solid.

[0408] Preparation of compound K101-C1312. To a solution of **K101-C1306-A** (10.00 mg, 12.08 µmol, 1.00 eq) in MeOH (3.00 mL) was added HClO₄ (83.00 mg, 826.20 µmol, 50.00 uL, 68.39 eq) at 0°C, and the mixture stirred at 0°C for 0.5hr. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for an additional 15.5 hr. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Waters Xbridge Prep OBD C18 150 x 30 x 5µm; mobile phase: [A: water (0.05% ammonia hydroxide v/v)-B: ACN]; B%: 45%-75%, 10min) to give **K101-C1306-A** (3.80 mg, 6.49 µmol, 53.71% yield) as a white solid.

[0409] LC-MS (m/z): 608.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0410] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 5.62 (s, 1H), 4.60-4.58 (m, 3H), 3.99-0.96 (m, 4H), 3.92-3.82 (m, 2H), 3.19-3.18 (m, 2H), 2.52-2.37 (m, 7H), 2.10-1.94 (m, 4H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.76-1.46 (m, 1H), 1.44(s, 9H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.08 (s, 3H), 0.93-0.86 (m, 4H).

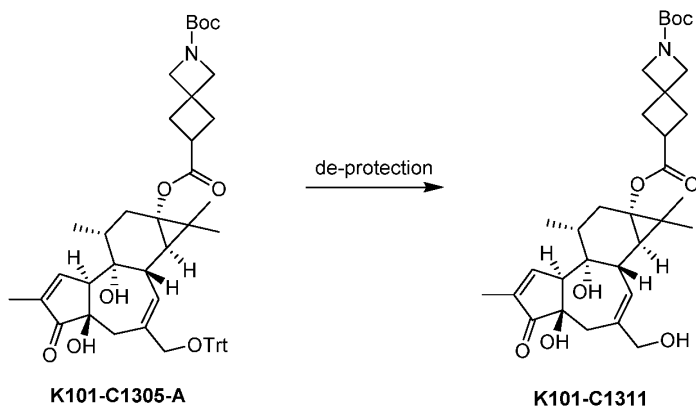
[0411] Preparation of compound K101-C1306. To a solution of **K101-C1312** (15.00 mg, 25.61 µmol, 1.00 eq) in THF (500.00 uL) was added TFA (288.72 mg, 2.53 mmol, 187.48 uL, 98.88 eq), and the mixture stirred at 20°C for 4hr to give a colorless solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete, but mass of P2 was found. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N₂, and the resultant product dissolved in MeOH (500.00 uL) /H₂O (50.00 uL). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14hr to give a colorless solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was combined with a second preparation of the compound and concentrated by N₂ to give the desired product. The product was lyophilized to give **K101-C1306** (4.20 mg, 7.00 µmol, 25.80% yield, TFA) as a yellow gum. The product (13.4 mg) was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10µm; mobile phase: [water (0.1%TFA)-ACN]; B%: 20%-50%, 10min) to give **K101-C1306** (4.20 mg, 7.00 µmol, 25.80% yield, TFA) as a white solid.

[0412] LC-MS (m/z): 508.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0413] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.55 (s, 1H), 5.62-5.60 (m, 1H), 4.14 (s, 2H), 4.00 (s, 2H), 3.95 (s, 2H), 3.18 (s, 1H), 3.07 (s, 1H), 2.52-2.46 (m, 7H), 2.10-2.02 (m, 4H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.54-1.52 (m, 1H), 1.18(s, 3H), 1.08 (s, 3H), 0.93-0.86 (m, 4H).

Example 9: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1311**.

[0414] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1311** is illustrated below.



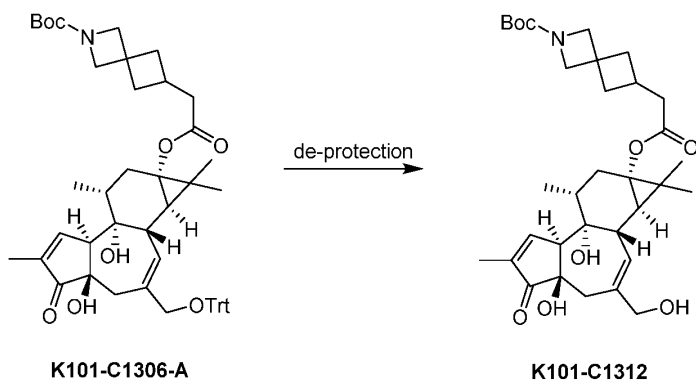
[0415] Preparation of Compound K101-C1311. To a solution of **K101-C1305-A** (22.00 mg, 27.03 μmol , 1.00 eq) in MeOH (3.00 mL) was added HClO_4 (26.09 mg, 259.73 μmol , 15.72 μL , 9.61 eq) at 0°C , and the mixture stirred at 0°C for 1hr. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Waters Xbridge 150 x 25 x 5 μ ; mobile phase: [A: water (0.05% ammonia hydroxide v/v)-B: ACN]; B%: 40%-70%, 10min) to give **K101-C1311** (3.30 mg, 5.77 μmol , 21.36% yield, 100% purity) as a yellow solid.

[0416] LC-MS (m/z): 594.3 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$

[0417] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD) δ 7.57 (s, 1H), 5.63 (s, 1H), 3.99-0.89 (m, 5H), 3.18-3.05 (m, 3H), 2.56-2.42 (m, 5H), 2.15-2.04 (m, 2H), 1.76 (m, 3H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.36-1.31 (m, 3H), 1.17 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 0.93-0.88 (m, 4H).

Example 10: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1312**.

[0418] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1312** is illustrated below.



[0419] Preparation of compound K101-C1312. To a solution of **K101-C1306-A** (10.00 mg, 12.08 μmol , 1.00 eq) in MeOH (3.00 mL) was added HClO_4 (83.00 mg, 826.20 μmol , 50.00 μL , 68.39 eq) at 0°C , and the mixture stirred at 0°C for 0.5 hr. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for an additional 15.5

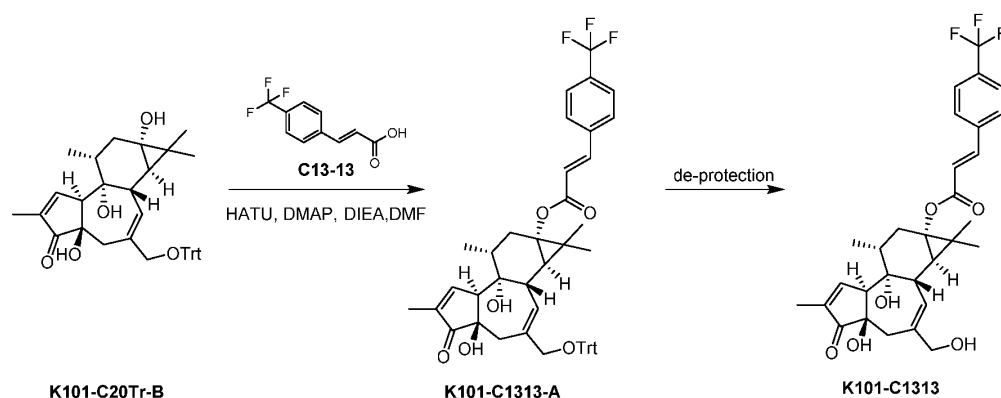
hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Waters Xbridge Prep OBD C18 150 x 30 x 5u; mobile phase: [A: water (0.05% ammonia hydroxide v/v)-B: ACN]; B%: 45%-75%, 10 min) to give **K101-C1306-A** (3.80 mg, 6.49 μ mol, 53.71% yield) as a white solid.

[0420] LC-MS (m/z): 608.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0421] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 5.62 (s, 1H), 4.60-4.58 (m, 3H), 3.99-0.96 (m, 4H), 3.92-3.82 (m, 2H), 3.19-3.18 (m, 2H), 2.52-2.37 (m, 7H), 2.10-1.94 (m, 4H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.76-1.46 (m, 1H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.08 (s, 3H), 0.93-0.86 (m, 4H).

Example 11: Synthesis Scheme of K101-C1313.

[0422] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1313** is illustrated below.



[0423] Preparation of Compound K101-C1313-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DMF (2.00 mL) were added (E)-3-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]prop-2-enoic acid(C13-13) (21.95 mg, 101.56 μ mol, 2.00 eq), DIEA (19.69 mg, 152.34 μ mol, 26.61 μ L, 3.00 eq), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.12 μ mol, 4.00 eq) and Hexafluorophosphate Azabenzotriazole Tetramethyl Uronium (HATU) (38.62 mg, 101.56 μ mol , 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14 hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc =2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ (5 mL) and extracted with methyl-tert-butyl ether (MTBE) (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were washed with (H₂O), dried over Na₂SO₄ and then concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1313-A** (21.00 mg, 26.62 μ mol, 45.19% yield) as a white solid.

[0424] Preparation of compound K101-C1313. To a solution of **K101-C1313-A** (21.00 mg, 26.62 μmol , 1.00 eq) in MeOH (3.00 mL) was added HClO_4 (83.00 mg, 826.28 μmol , 50.00 μL , 31.04 eq) at

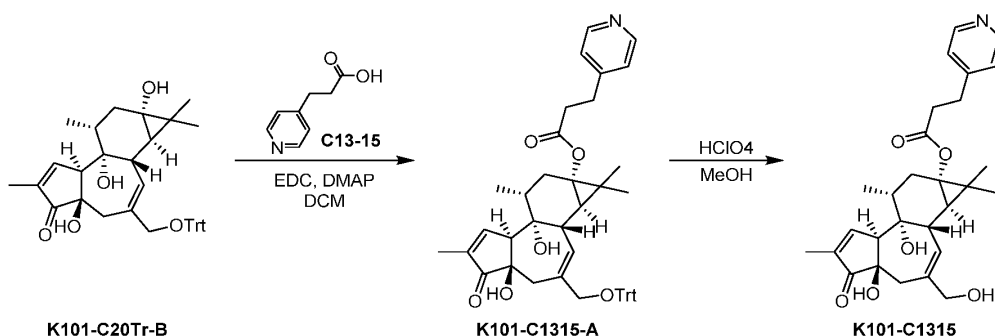
0°C. The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 1hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 55%-85%, 10min) to give **K101-C1313** (4.40 mg, 6.10 μ mol, 22.90% yield, 91.518% purity, TFA) as a yellow solid.

[0425] LC-MS (m/z): 569.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0426] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.74-7.68 (m, 3H), 7.63-7.58 (m, 2H), 7.48-7.16 (m, 1H), 6.60-6.56 (m, 1H), 5.60-5.50 (m, 1H), 3.89-3.82 (m, 2H), 3.12-3.08 (m, 1H), 3.07-2.90 (m, 1H), 2.42-2.33 (m, 2H), 2.13-2.11 (m, 1H), 2.07-1.99 (m, 1H), 1.66 (s, 3H), 1.58-1.51 (m, 1H), 1.14 (s, 3H), 1.02 (s, 3H), 0.88-0.83 (m, 4H).

Example 12: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1315**.

[0427] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1315** is illustrated below.



[0428] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1315-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (20.00 mg, 33.86 μ mol, 1.00 *eq*) and **C13-15** (15.35 mg, 101.58 μ mol, 3.00 *eq*) in DCM (1.00 mL) was added EDC (19.47 mg, 101.58 μ mol, 3.00 *eq*) and DMAP (20.68 mg, 169.30 μ mol, 5.00 *eq*). The reaction solution was stirred at 25 °C for 3 hours to give a brown solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solution was diluted with DCM (5 mL), washed with brine (2 mL), dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and the concentrated under reduced pressure to give **K101-C1315-A** (28.70 mg, crude) as a brown gum, which was used directly in the next step without further purification.

[0429] Preparation of compound **K101-C1315**. To a solution of **K101-C1315-A** (25.00 mg, crude) in MeOH (1.00 mL) was added HClO₄ (30.00 μ L) at 25 °C. The reaction solution was stirred at 25 °C for 0.5 hour to give a brown solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solution was quenched by adding K₂CO₃ (34 mg) in water (1 mL) dropwise at 0 °C to adjust the pH to 9. The mixture was filtered and the filtrate purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini

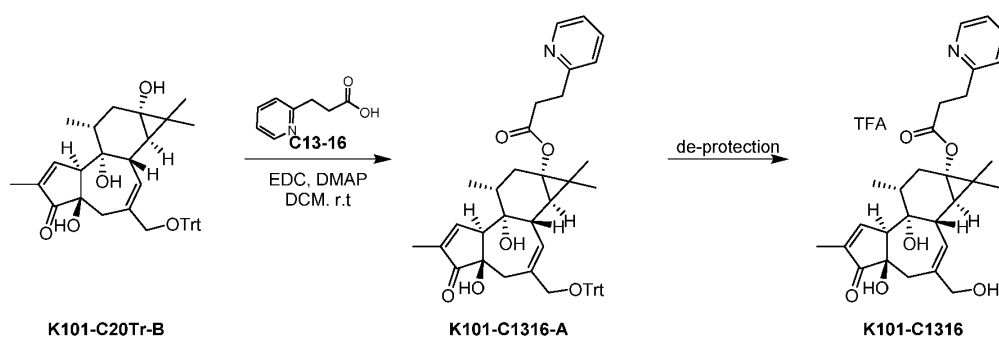
150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 15%-45%, 10min) to give **K101-C1315** (3.60 mg, 97% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid after lyophilization.

[0430] LC-MS (m/z): 504.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0431] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ = 8.72 (d, *J*=6.5 Hz, 2H), 7.95 (d, *J*=6.5 Hz, 2H), 7.53 (s, 1H), 5.61-5.55 (m, 1H), 3.99-3.89 (m, 2H), 3.24 (t, *J*=7.3 Hz, 2H), 3.17-3.11 (m, 1H), 3.06-3.01 (s, 1H), 2.90 (t, *J*=7.2 Hz, 2H), 2.57-2.47 (m, 1H), 2.45-2.37 (m, 1H), 2.15-1.95 (m, 2H), 1.77-1.72 (m, 3H), 1.48 (dd, *J*=10.5, 14.3 Hz, 1H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.92-0.83 (m, 4H).

Example 13: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1316**.

[0432] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1316** is illustrated below.



[0433] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1316-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (40.00 mg, 67.71 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added **C13-16** (51.18 mg, 338.55 μ mol, 5.00 eq), DMAP (33.09 mg, 270.84 μ mol, 4.00 eq), hydroxybenzotriazole (HOBt) (18.30 mg, 135.42 μ mol, 2.00 eq) and EDC (25.96 mg, 135.42 μ mol, 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12h to give a black solution. LC-MS showed 43.779% of the desired mass, with 16.864% of reactant remaining. The mixture was quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ (10 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1316-A** (27.00 mg, 37.30 μ mol, 48.97% yield) as a white solid.

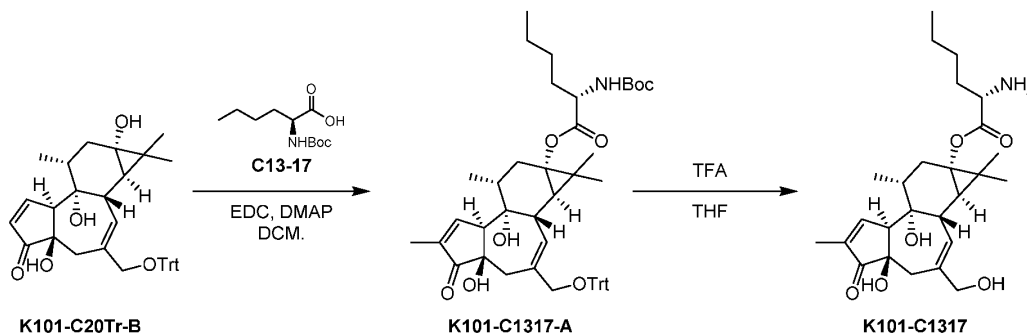
[0434] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1316**. To a solution of **K101-C1316-A** (27.00 mg, 37.30 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in MeOH (2.00 mL) was added HClO₄ (83.00 mg, 826.20 μ mol, 50.00 μ L, 22.15 eq) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 0.5 hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 20%-50%, 10min) to give **K101-C1316** (11.40 mg, 18.81 μ mol, 50.43% yield, 98.3% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0435] LC-MS (m/z): 504.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0436] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD) δ 8.72-8.71 (d, J = 5.2Hz, 1H), 8.45-8.41 (t, J = 8.0Hz, 1H), 7.95-7.93 (d, J = 8.0Hz, 1H), 7.86-7.83 (t, J = 6.8Hz, 1H), 7.55 (s, 1H), 5.60-5.59 (m, 1H), 3.99-3.95 (m, 2H), 3.31-3.29 (m, 2H), 3.16 (s, 1H), 3.05 (s, 1H), 3.00-2.96 (m, 2H), 2.51-2.40 (m, 2H), 2.15-2.03 (m, 2H), 1.76-1.75 (m, 3H), 1.51-1.47 (m, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 0.90-0.86 (m, 4H).

Example 14: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1317**.

[0437] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1317** is illustrated below.



[0438] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1317-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added (2S)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino) hexanoic acid (**C13-17**) (23.49 mg, 101.57 μmol , 2.00 *eq*), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.13 μmol , 4.00 *eq*) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.57 μmol , 2.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 5 h to give a colorless solution. LC-MS and TLC showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was quenched with H_2O (15 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 5). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with Petroleum ether: Ethyl acetate = 5/1) to give **K101-C1317-A** (35.00 mg, 43.53 μmol , 85.73% yield) as a white solid.

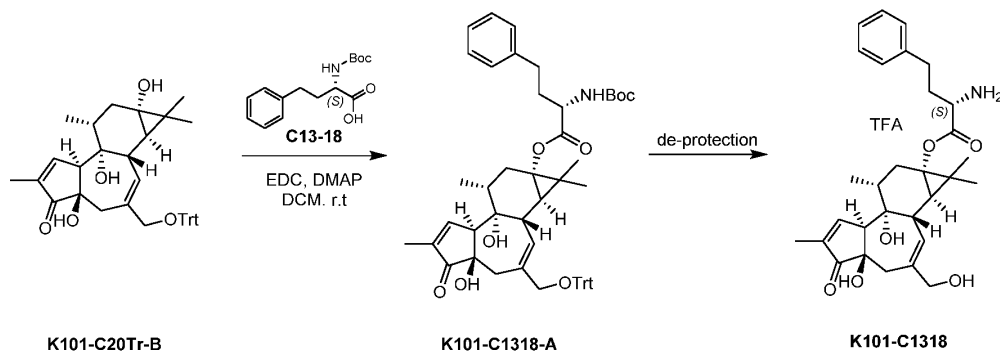
[0439] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1317**. To a solution of **K101-C1317-A** (46.00 mg, 57.21 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in THF (2.00 mL) were added TFA (6.52 mg, 57.21 μmol , 4.23 μL , 1.00 *eq*) and Et_3SiH (6.65 mg, 57.21 μmol , 9.11 μL , 1.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 2 h to give a colorless solution, which was concentrated to give yellow oil. TFA (1 mL) was added to the yellow oil in DCM (2 mL), and the mixture stirred at 20°C for 0.5h. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated, dissolved with MeOH (20 mL), and stirred at 20°C for 14 h to give a yellow liquid. The product was concentrated to give a yellow solid, which was then purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%:30%-60%, 8 min). The separated layers were lyophilized to give **K101-C1317** (7.00 mg, 12.16 μmol , 21.26% yield, 100% purity, TFA) as a white solid.

[0440] LC-MS (m/z): 584.2 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$

[0441] ^1H NMR (400MHz, MeOD) δ 7.57 (s, 1H), 5.64 (d, $J=4.5$ Hz, 1H), 4.04 (t, $J=6.4$ Hz, 1H), 4.00-3.94 (m, 2H), 3.20-3.15 (m, 1H), 3.10-3.05 (m, 1H), 2.59 - 2.39 (m, 2H), 2.27 (dd, $J=7.0, 14.8$ Hz, 1H), 2.13- 1.93 (m, 2H), 1.90-1.80 (m, 1H), 1.80-1.70 (d, $J=1.5$ Hz, 3H), 1.60-1.50 (dd, $J=10.4, 14.9$ Hz, 1H), 1.53 - 1.37 (m, 4H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.05 - 0.91 (m, 7H).

Example 15: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1318**.

[0442] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1318** is illustrated below.



[0443] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1318-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added (2S)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-4-phenylbutanoic acid (**C13-18**) (28.37 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 eq), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.12 μmol , 4.00 eq) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture combined a second preparation of the compound, the mixture quenched with H_2O (10 mL) and then extracted with DCM (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1318-A** (32.00 mg, 37.56 μmol , 63.38% yield) as a white solid.

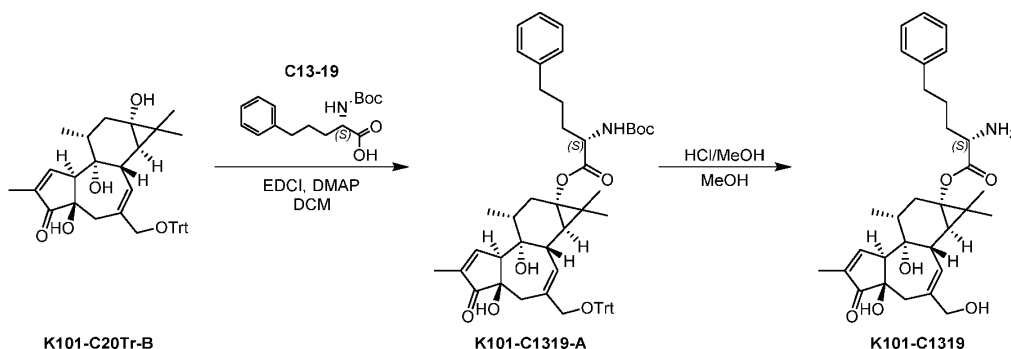
[0444] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1318**. To a solution of **K101-C1318-A** (30.00 mg, 35.21 μmol , 1.00 eq) in THF (2.00 mL) were added TFA (308.00 mg, 2.70 mmol, 200.00 μL , 76.72 eq) and Et_3SiH (4.91 mg, 42.25 μmol , 6.73 μL , 1.20 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 4hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N_2 , and the resultant residue dissolved in MeOH (20 mL). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12 hr. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 23%-53%, 10 min) to give **K101-C1318** (10.80 mg, 17.24 μmol , 48.98% yield, 99.58% purity, TFA) as a white solid.

[0445] LC-MS (m/z): 532.1 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$

[0446] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD) δ 7.58 (s, 1H), 7.36-7.33 (m, 2H), 7.27-7.23 (m, 3H), 5.65 (s, 1H), 4.07-4.03 (m, 1H), 3.97 (s, 2H), 3.18 (s, 1H), 3.08 (m, 1H), 2.83-2.81 (m, 2H), 2.53-2.41 (m, 2H), 2.10-2.09 (m, 2H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.64-1.61 (m, 1H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.05-1.04 (m, 1H), 0.97-0.95 (m, 3H).

Example 16: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1319**.

[0447] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1319** is illustrated below.



[0448] Preparation of compound **K101-C1319-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (200.00 mg, 338.55 μmol , 1.00 eq) and **C13-19** (119.18 mg, 406.26 μmol , 1.20 eq) in anhydrous DCM (2.00 mL) were added EDC (194.70 mg, 1.02 mmol, 3.00 eq) and DMAP (124.08 mg, 1.02 mmol, 3.00 eq). The reaction solution was stirred at 20°C for 16 hours to give a light brown solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solution was concentrated under reduced pressure to give the crude product, and the product purified by silica gel column chromatography (PE/EtOAc=3/1) to give **K101-C1319-A** (273.50 mg, 315.79 μmol , 93.28% yield) as a colorless gum.

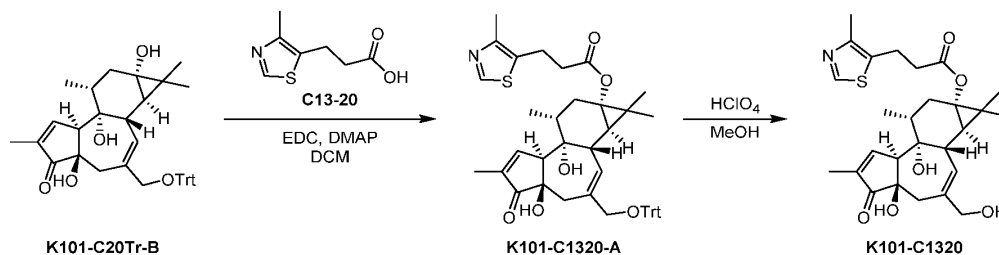
[0449] Preparation of compound **K101-C1319**. To a solution of **K101-C1319-A** (273.00 mg, 315.21 μmol , 1.00 eq) in MeOH (5.00 mL) was added HCl/MeOH (4 M, 5.00 mL, 63.45 eq) at 0°C. The reaction solution was stirred at 0°C for 3.5 h to give a clear solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was not complete, and thus the reaction solution was stirred at 20°C for 1.5 h. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solution was bubbled with N_2 for 0.5 hour to remove HCl, and the residual solution cooled to 0°C and the solution adjusted to pH 7 with saturated aqueous NaHCO_3 . The mixture was extracted with DCM (10 mL x 2), and the combined extract dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the crude product as a brown gum. The product was purified by prep-TLC (DCM/MeOH=10/1, SiO_2) to give **K101-C1319** (78.70 mg, 140.52 μmol , 44.58% yield, 93.5% purity) as a colorless gum. The product was lyophilized to give a white solid.

[0450] MS (m/z): 546.2 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$

[0451] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD) δ 7.55 (s, 1H), 7.29-7.23 (m, 2H), 7.21-7.13 (m, 3H), 5.60 (d, $J=5.0$ Hz, 1H), 4.00-3.88 (m, 2H), 3.47 (t, $J=5.8$ Hz, 1H), 3.19-3.14 (m, 1H), 3.10-3.03 (m, 1H), 2.65 (t, $J=7.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.57-2.48 (m, 1H), 2.48-2.38 (m, 1H), 2.17-1.99 (m, 2H), 1.80-1.62 (m, 7H), 1.51 (dd, $J=10.5, 14.3$ Hz, 1H), 1.15 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 0.90 (d, $J=6.3$ Hz, 4H).

Example 17: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1320**.

[0452] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1320** is illustrated below.



[0453] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1320-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 eq) and **C13-20** (26.09 mg, 152.34 μmol , 3.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added EDC (58.41 mg, 304.68 μmol , 6.00 eq) and DMAP (37.22 mg, 304.68 μmol , 6.00 eq). The reaction solution was stirred at 25 °C for 16 hours to give a brown solution. TLC (PE/EtOAc=2/1, SiO_2) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solutions were combined 5 mg of **K101-C20Tr-B**, diluted with DCM (5 mL), and washed with brine (2 mL). The extracted layers were dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered, and then concentrated under reduced pressure to give the crude product as a brown gum. The product was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1320-A** (27.30 mg, 72.26% yield) as a colorless gum.

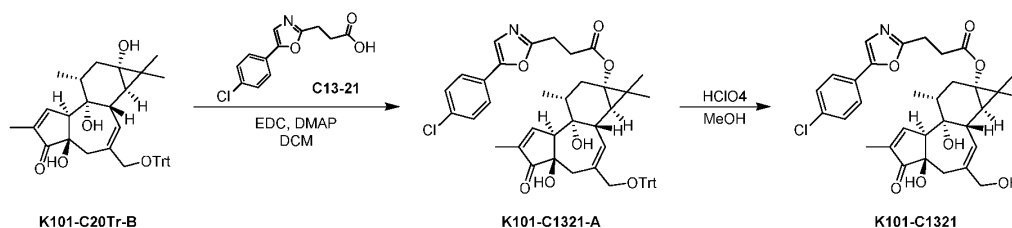
[0454] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1320**. To a solution of **K101-C1320-A** (25.00 mg, 33.60 μmol , 1.00 eq) in MeOH (1.00 mL) was added HClO_4 (30.00 μL). The reaction solution was stirred at 25 °C for 0.5 hour to give a clear solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μm ; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 25%-55%, 10min) to give **K101-C1320** (9.50 mg, 18.46 μmol , 54.95% yield, 97.5% purity) as a white powder after lyophilization.

[0455] LC-MS (m/z): 524.1 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$

[0456] ^1H NMR (400MHz, METHANOL- d_4) δ = 9.04 (s, 1H), 7.56-7.51 (m, 1H), 5.58 (d, $J=4.3$ Hz, 1H), 3.99-3.89 (m, 2H), 3.19-3.13 (m, 3H), 3.04 (t, $J=5.4$ Hz, 1H), 2.72 (dt, $J=1.6, 7.0$ Hz, 2H), 2.56-2.47 (m, 1H), 2.46-2.39 (m, 4H), 2.13-1.98 (m, 2H), 1.74 (dd, $J=1.3, 3.0$ Hz, 3H), 1.47 (dd, $J=10.4, 14.2$ Hz, 1H), 1.06 (d, $J=10.5$ Hz, 6H), 0.88 (d, $J=6.3$ Hz, 3H), 0.82 (d, $J=5.8$ Hz, 1H).

Example 18: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1321**.

[0457] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1321** is illustrated below.



[0458] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1321-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 *eq*) and **C13-21** (76.68 mg, 304.68 μ mol, 6.00 *eq*) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added EDC (58.41 mg, 304.68 μ mol, 6.00 *eq*) and DMAP (37.22 mg, 304.68 μ mol, 6.00 *eq*). The reaction solution was stirred at 25 °C for 2 hours to give a light brown solution. LC-MS shows improved conversion to product. The reaction solution was combined with a second preparation of the compound, and the mixture partitioned between water (2 mL) and DCM (2 mL). The organic layer was dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and then concentrated under reduced pressure to give the crude product as a brown gum. The product was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=3/2) to give **K101-C1321-A** (32.70 mg, 39.67 μ mol, 78.11% yield) as a colorless gum.

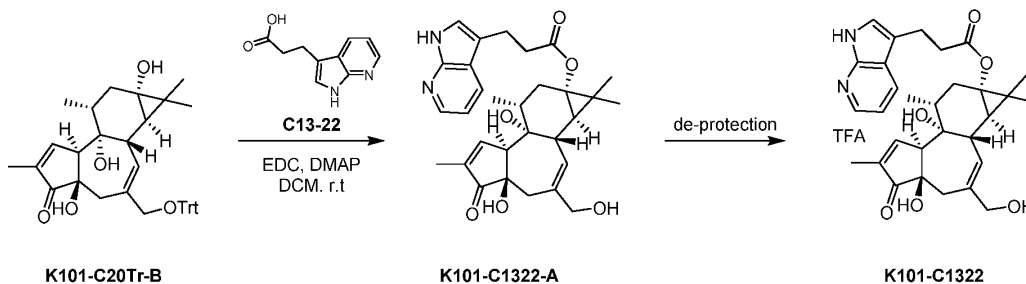
[0459] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1321**. To a solution of **K101-C1321-A** (32.70 mg, 39.67 μ mol, 1.00 *eq*) in MeOH (1.00 mL) was added HClO₄ (30.00 μ L) at 25 °C. The reaction solution was stirred at 25 °C for 0.5 hour to give a brown solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solution was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μ m; mobile phase: [A: water(0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 50%-80%, 10min) to give **K101-C1321** (12.50 mg, 52.08% yield, 96.2% purity) as a white solid after lyophilization.

[0460] LC-MS (m/z): 604.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0461] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.69-7.65 (m, 2H), 7.54-7.50 (m, 1H), 7.48-7.41 (m, 3H), 5.56-5.52 (m, 1H), 3.95-3.87 (m, 2H), 3.20-3.12 (m, 3H), 3.06-3.01 (m, 1H), 2.94-2.89 (m, 2H), 2.55-2.47 (m, 1H), 2.45-2.38 (m, 1H), 2.13-1.98 (m, 2H), 1.73 (dd, *J*=1.3, 3.0 Hz, 3H), 1.60-1.52 (m, 1H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.89-0.83 (m, 4H).

Example 19: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1322**.

[0462] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1322** is illustrated below.



[0463] Preparation of Compound K101-C1322-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added 3-(1H-pyrrolo [2, 3-b] pyridin-3-yl)propanoic acid (C13-22) (19.32 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 eq), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.12 μmol , 4.00 eq), HOBT (13.72 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 eq) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=1/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was quenched with H₂O (5 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=1/1) to give **K101-C1322-A** (30.00 mg, 39.32 μmol , 58.22% yield) as a white solid.

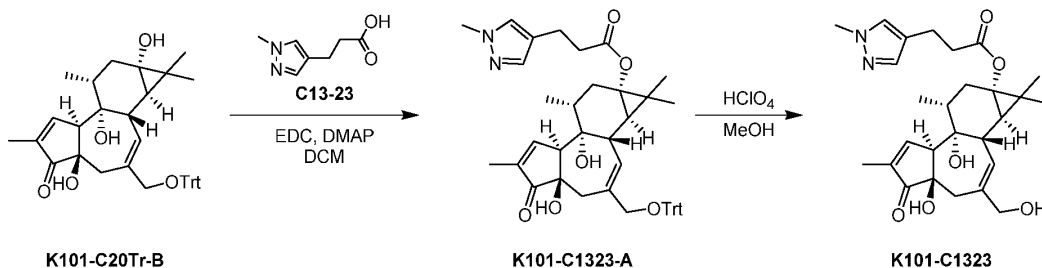
[0464] Preparation of Compound K101-C1322. To a solution of **K101-C1322-A** (30.00 mg, 39.32 μmol , 1.00 eq) in MeOH (2.00 mL) was added HClO₄ (83.00 mg, 826.11 μmol , 50.00 μL , 21.01 eq) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 0.5h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μm ; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 22%-52%, 10min) to give **K101-C1322** (17.40 mg, 27.42 μmol , 69.73% yield, TFA salt) as a yellow solid.

[0465] LC-MS (m/z): 543.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0466] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 8.19-8.18 (m, 1H), 8.06-8.04 (m, 1H), 7.55 (s, 1H), 7.24 (s, 1H), 7.15-7.12 (m, 1H), 5.55-5.54 (m, 1H), 3.99-3.95 (m, 2H), 3.16-3.10 (m, 3H), 3.01 (s, 1H), 2.78-2.73 (m, 2H), 2.50-2.46 (m, 2H), 2.01-2.96 (m, 2H), 1.42-1.41 (m, 1H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.91 (s, 3H), 0.86-0.85 (m, 1H), 0.63-0.62 (m, 3H).

Example 20: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1323**.

[0467] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1323** is illustrated below.



[0468] Preparation of compound K101-C1323-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 eq) and **C13-23** (23.49 mg, 152.34 μ mol, 3.00 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added EDC (58.41 mg, 304.68 μ mol, 6.00 eq) and DMAP (37.22 mg, 304.68 μ mol, 6.00 eq). The reaction solution was stirred at 25°C for 2 h to give a brown solution. TLC (PE/EtOAc=1/1, SiO₂) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solution was combined with a second preparation of the compound, diluted with DCM (2 mL), washed with water (1 mL), brine (1 mL), and dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄. The mixture was filtered and then concentrated under reduced pressure to give the crude product as a brown gum. The product was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=1/1) to give 32.5 mg of **K101-C1323-A** as a colorless gum.

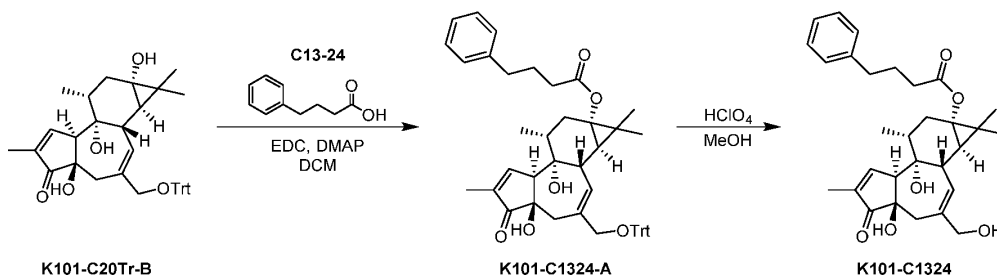
[0469] Preparation of Compound K101-C1323. To a solution of **K101-C1323-A** (32.00 mg, 44.02 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in MeOH (1.00 mL) was added HClO₄ (30.00 μ L) at 25°C. The reaction solution was stirred at 25°C for 0.5 hour to give a clear solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solution was directly purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μ m; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1% TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 25%-55%, 10min) to give **K101-C1323** (9.10 mg, 40.48% yield, 94.9% purity) as a white solid.

[0470] LC-MS (m/z): 507.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0471] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.56-7.53 (m, 1H), 7.46 (s, 1H), 7.36 (s, 1H), 5.61-5.57 (m, 1H), 3.98-3.90 (m, 2H), 3.84 (s, 3H), 3.18-3.14 (m, 1H), 3.07-3.01 (m, 1H), 2.81-2.76 (m, 2H), 2.63-2.57 (m, 2H), 2.55-2.47 (m, 1H), 2.46-2.39 (m, 1H), 2.12-1.98 (m, 2H), 1.74 (dd, *J*=1.3, 2.8 Hz, 3H), 1.47 (dd, *J*=10.4, 14.2 Hz, 1H), 1.08 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 3H), 0.89 (d, *J*=6.3 Hz, 3H), 0.79 (d, *J*=5.8 Hz, 1H).

Example 21: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1324**.

[0472] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1324** is illustrated below.



[0473] Preparation of Compound K101-C1324-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) and **C13-24** (25.01 mg, 152.34 μmol , 3.00 *eq*) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added EDC (58.41 mg, 304.68 μmol , 6.00 *eq*) and DMAP (37.22 mg, 304.68 μmol , 6.00 *eq*). The reaction solution was stirred at 25 °C for 2h to give a brown solution. TLC (PE/EtOAc=2/1, SiO₂) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solution was diluted with DCM (2 mL), washed with water (1 mL), brine (1 mL), and dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄. The mixture was filtered and then concentrated under reduced pressure to give the crude product as a brown gum. The product was purified by silica gel column chromatography (eluting with PE/EtOAc=5/1) to give **K101-C1324-A** (37.20 mg, 99.41% yield) as a colorless gum.

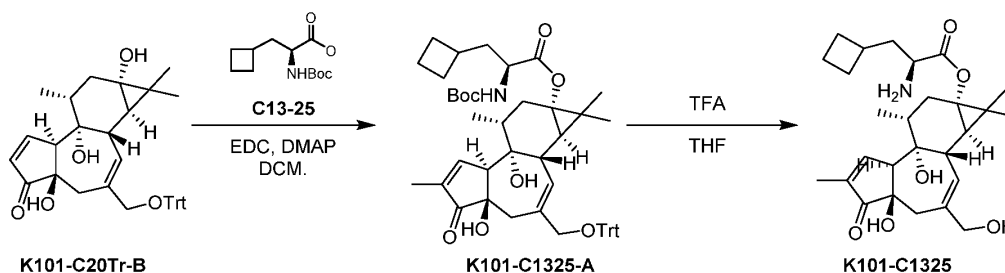
[0474] Preparation of Compound K101-C1324. To a solution of **K101-C1324-A** (37.20 mg, 50.48 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in MeOH (1.00 mL) was added HClO₄ (30.00 μL), and the reaction solution stirred at 25 °C for 1 hour to give a clear solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μm ; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1% TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 55%-85%, 10min) to give **K101-C1324** (7.80 mg, 30.40% yield, 97.3% purity) as a white solid after lyophilization.

[0475] LC-MS (*m/z*): 517.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0476] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.55 (s, 1H), 7.30-7.24 (m, 2H), 7.21-7.14 (m, 3H), 5.63-5.58 (m, 1H), 4.00-3.89 (m, 2H), 3.19-3.15 (m, 1H), 3.09-3.03 (m, 1H), 2.65 (t, *J*=7.7 Hz, 2H), 2.57-2.48 (m, 1H), 2.47-2.39 (m, 1H), 2.34 (t, *J*=7.3 Hz, 2H), 2.15-2.07 (m, 1H), 2.07-1.98 (m, 1H), 1.97-1.88 (m, 2H), 1.74 (dd, *J*=1.3, 2.8 Hz, 3H), 1.53 (dd, *J*=10.5, 14.3 Hz, 1H), 1.16 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 0.91 (d, *J*=6.3 Hz, 3H), 0.85 (d, *J*=5.5 Hz, 1H).

Example 22: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1325**.

[0477] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1325** is illustrated below.



[0478] Preparation of Compound K101-C1325-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in DCM (5.00 mL) were added (2S)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-3-cyclobutyl-propanoic acid (C13-25) (24.71 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 *eq*), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.12 μmol , 4.00 *eq*), HOBT (13.72 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 *eq*) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (15 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 5). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with Petroleum ether: Ethyl acetate = 7/2) to give **K101-C1325-A** (33.50 mg, 41.05 μmol , 69.09% yield) as a white solid.

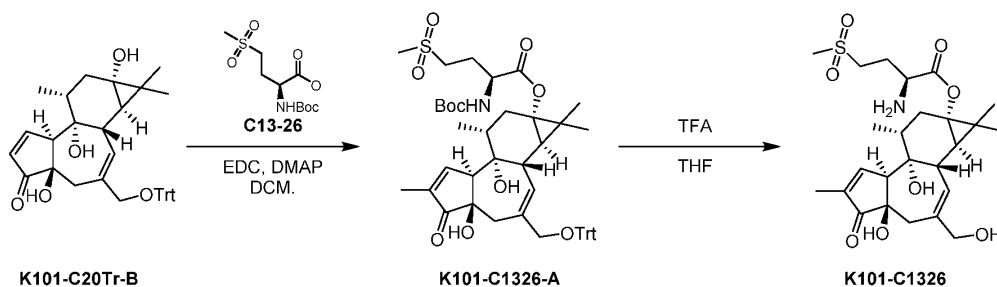
[0479] Preparation of Compound K101-C1325. To a solution of **K101-C1325-A** (33.50 mg, 41.05 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in DMF (20.00 mL) in THF (2.00 mL) were added TFA (1.54 g, 13.51 mmol, 1.00 mL, 329.02 *eq*) and Et₃SiH (4.77 mg, 41.05 μmol , 6.53 μL , 1.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 5h to give a colorless solution, which was concentrated to give a yellow oil. The oil was dissolved with DCM (2 mL) followed by addition of TFA (0.5 mL). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 1h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give a yellow oil, which was then purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μm ; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 20%-50%, 10min). The separated products were lyophilized to give **K101-C1325** (10.00 mg, 17.02 μmol , 41.46% yield, 94.5% purity, TFA) as a white solid.

[0480] LC-MS (*m/z*): 596.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0481] ¹H NMR (400MHz, MeOH) δ = 7.54 (s, 1H), 5.60 (d, *J*=4.0 Hz, 1H), 3.99-3.83 (m, 3H), 3.14 (s, 1H), 3.07-2.98 (m, 1H), 2.57-2.33 (m, 3H), 2.26-1.84 (m, 8H), 1.79-1.65 (s, 5H), 1.58 (dd, *J*=10.4, 14.8 Hz, 1H), 1.17 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 0.99-0.95 (m, 1H), 0.97 (d, *J*=6.0 Hz, 1H), 0.92 (d, *J*=6.6 Hz, 3H)

Example 23: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1326**.

[0482] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1326** is illustrated below.



[0483] Preparation of Compound K101-C1326-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in DCM (5.00 mL) were added (2S)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-4-methylsulfonyl-butanoic acid (C13-26) (30.00 mg, 106.64 μmol , 2.10 *eq*), DMAP (30.00 mg, 245.78 μmol , 4.84 *eq*), EDC (19.96 mg, 104.10 μmol , 2.05 *eq*), and HOBt (14.00 mg, 103.59 μmol , 2.04 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 19h to give a colorless solution. LC-MS and TLC showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (15 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 5). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give a yellow oil. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with Petroleum ether: Ethyl acetate = 3/2) to give **K101-C1326-A** (23.00 mg, 26.93 μmol , 53.03% yield, crude product) as a colorless solid.

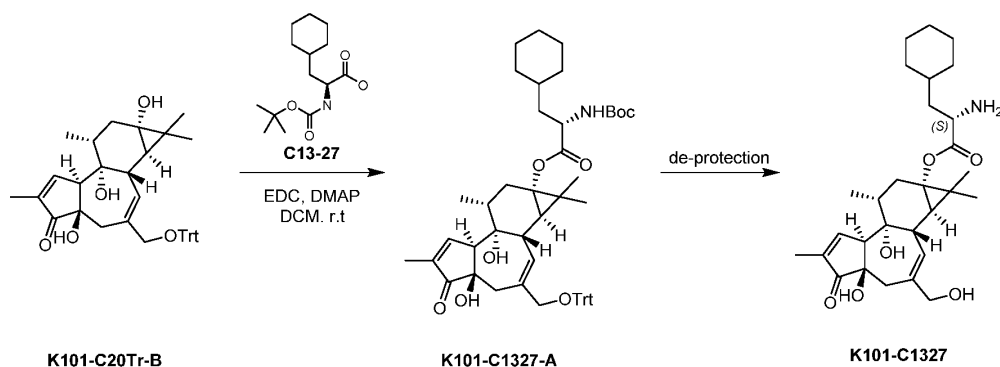
[0484] Preparation of compound K101-C1326. To a solution of **K101-C1326-A** (25.00 mg, 29.27 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in THF (2.00 mL) were added TFA (3.34 mg, 29.27 μmol , 2.17 μL , 1.00 *eq*) and Et₃SiH (3.40 mg, 29.27 μmol , 4.66 μL , 1.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 3h to give a colorless solution. LC-MS showed some of the **K101-C1326-A** remained. Accordingly, the reaction mixture was concentrated to give a yellow oil, which was then dissolved with DCM (2 mL) followed by the addition of TFA (2 mL). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 2h to give a colorless solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give a yellow oil, which was then purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μm ; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 10%-40%, 10min). The separated layers were lyophilized to give **K101-C1326** (4.20 mg, 6.04 μmol , 20.64% yield, 90% purity, TFA) as a yellow solid.

[0485] LC-MS (*m/z*): 534.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0486] ¹H NMR (400MHz, MeOD) δ = 7.58 (s, 1H), 5.66 (s, 1H), 4.62 (s, 1H), 4.16 (s, 1H), 3.97 (s, 2H), 3.23 - 3.11 (m, 1H), 3.06 (s, 4H), 2.61 - 2.35 (m, 3H), 2.27 (dd, *J*=7.2, 14.7 Hz, 2H), 2.06 (s, 1H), 1.77 (d, *J*=1.5 Hz, 3H), 1.62 (dd, *J*=10.8, 14.8 Hz, 1H), 1.40 - 1.28 (m, 2H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.05 (d, *J*=6.0 Hz, 1H), 0.96 (d, *J*=6.5 Hz, 3H).

Example 24: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1327**.

[0487] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1327** is illustrated below.



[0488] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1327-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (200.00 mg, 338.55 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added **C13-27** (367.46 mg, 1.35 mmol, 4.00 eq), DMAP (330.89 mg, 2.71 mmol, 8.00 eq), HOBT (91.49 mg, 677.11 μ mol, 2.00 eq) and EDC (259.60 mg, 1.35 mmol, 4.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was quenched with H₂O (15 mL) and extracted with DCM (30 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1327-A** (180.00 mg, 213.25 μ mol, 62.99% yield) as a white solid.

[0489] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1327**. To a solution of **K101-C1327-A** (180.00 mg, 213.25 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in THF (3.00 mL) were added TFA (3.08 g, 27.01 mmol, 2.00 mL, 126.67 eq) and Et₃SiH (49.59 mg, 426.50 μ mol, 67.93 μ L, 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 24h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N₂, and the resultant residue dissolved in MeOH (20 mL) and then stirred at 20°C for 70h. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was triturated with PE (30 mL x 3) to give the desired product. The product was dissolved in saturated NaHCO₃ (20 mL) and extracted with DCM (30 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the free desired product, which was then lyophilized to give **K101-C1327** (70.00 mg, 136.05 μ mol, 63.80% yield, 97.5% purity) as a white solid.

[0490] LC-MS (m/z): 524.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0491] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.57 (s, 1H), 5.64-5.63 (m, 1H), 4.00-3.93 (m, 2H), 3.53-3.49 (m, 1H), 3.19 (s, 1H), 3.09 (s, 1H), 2.57-2.47 (m, 2H), 2.19-2.17 (m, 2H), 1.80-1.77 (m, 8H), 1.73-

1.60 (m, 2H), 1.48-1.47 (m, 2H), 1.29-1.26 (m, 3H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.02-1.01 (m, 2H), 0.95-0.92 (m, 3H).

[0492] Second Procedure for Preparation of Compound K101-C1327-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added (2S)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-3-cyclohexyl-propanoic acid (C13-27) (27.56 mg, 101.56 μ mol, 2.00 eq), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.12 μ mol, 4.00 eq) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.56 μ mol, 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was quenched with H₂O (10 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1327-A** (24.00 mg, 28.43 μ mol, 47.97% yield) as a white solid.

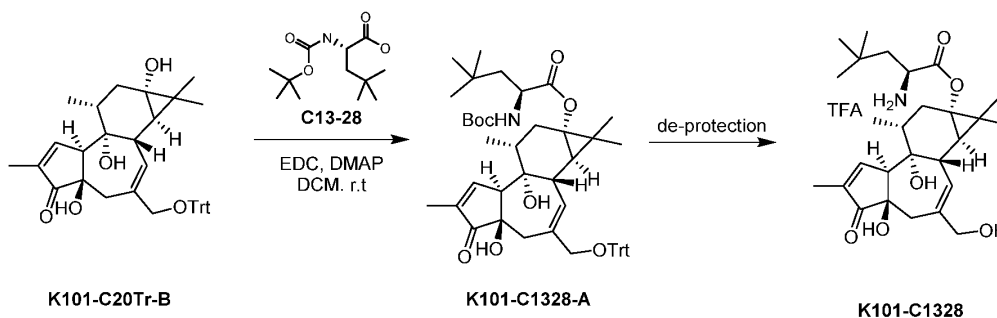
[0493] Second Procedure for Preparation of Compound K101-C1327. To a solution of **K101-C1327-A** (24.00 mg, 28.43 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in THF (2.00 mL) were added TFA (308.00 mg, 2.70 mmol, 200.00 μ L, 95.02 eq) and Et₃SiH (3.97 mg, 34.12 μ mol, 5.43 μ L, 1.20 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 4hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N₂, and the resultant residue dissolved in MeOH (20 mL). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μ m; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 25%-55%, 10min) to give **K101-C1327** (5.10 mg, 7.95 μ mol, 27.97% yield, 95.99% purity, TFA) as a white solid.

[0494] LC-MS (m/z): 524.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0495] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.57 (s, 1H), 5.64 (s, 1H), 4.10-4.07 (m, 1H), 4.00-3.93 (s, 2H), 3.18 (s, 1H), 3.08 (s, 1H), 2.53-2.45 (m, 1H), 2.45-2.41 (m, 1H), 2.29-2.27 (m, 1H), 2.05 (m, 1H), 1.84-1.29 (m, 16H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.02-1.01 (m, 2H), 0.96-0.94 (m, 3H).

Example 25: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1328**.

[0496] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1328** is illustrated below.



[0497] Preparation of Compound K101-C1328-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added (2S)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-4, 4-dimethyl-pentanoic acid (C13-28) (24.92 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 eq), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.12 μmol , 4.00 eq), HOBT (13.72 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 eq) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was quenched with H₂O (10 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1328-A** (28.00 mg, 34.23 μmol , 67.40% yield) as a white solid.

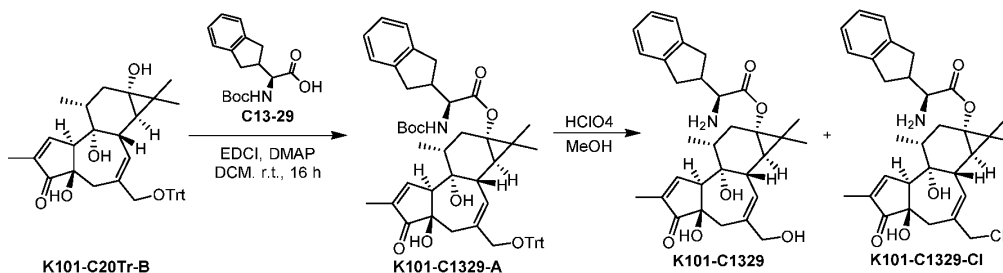
[0498] Preparation of Compound K101-C1328. To a solution of **K101-C1328-A** (28.00 mg, 34.23 μmol , 1.00 eq) in THF (2.00 mL) were added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 μL , 197.29 eq) and Et₃SiH (7.96 mg, 68.46 μmol , 10.90 μL , 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N₂ and the resultant product purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 30%-70%, 10min) to give **K101-C1328** (9.50 mg, 15.88 μmol , 46.38% yield, 98.54% purity, TFA) as a white solid.

[0499] LC-MS (m/z): 498.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0500] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.57 (s, 1H), 5.64-5.63 (m, 1H), 4.07-4.00 (m, 1H), 3.97-3.93 (m, 2H), 3.18 (s, 1H), 3.09 (s, 1H), 2.52-2.45 (m, 1H), 2.45-2.38 (m, 1H), 2.27-2.23 (m, 1H), 2.05-2.00 (m, 2H), 1.77(s, 3H), 1.64-1.61 (m, 2H), 1.21(s, 3H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.05 (s, 9H), 1.03-1.01 (m, 1H), 0.96-0.94 (m, 3H).

Example 26: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1329**.

[0501] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1329** is illustrated below.



[0502] Preparation of Compound K101-C1329-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (20.00 mg, 33.86 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) and **C13-29** (14.80 mg, 50.79 μmol , 1.50 *eq*) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added EDC (38.95 mg, 203.16 μmol , 6.00 *eq*) and DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.16 μmol , 6.00 *eq*). The reaction solution was stirred at 25 °C for 16 hours to give a brown solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solution was diluted with DCM (10 mL), then washed with water (3 mL), 0.5 M HCl (2 mL), brine (2 mL), and dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 . The product was filtered and then concentrated under reduced pressure to give crude **K101-C1329-A**. The crude **K101-C1329-A** was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=3/1, SiO_2) to give 15.7 mg of **K101-C1329-A** as a colorless gum.

[0503] Preparation of Compound K101-C1329. To a solution of **K101-C1329-A** (15.70 mg, 18.17 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in dioxane (400.00 μL) was added HCl/dioxane (4 M, 200.46 μL , 44.13 *eq*). The reaction mixture was stirred at 25 °C for 2 hours to give a light brown solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was not complete so the reaction solution was stirred at 25 °C for an additional 1 hour and then for an additional 16 hours. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. A byproduct was also detected by the LC-MS analysis. The reaction solution was diluted with CH_3CN (1mL) and the solution adjusted with K_2CO_3 (55 mg) in water (0.5 mL) to basic conditions. The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 30%-60%, 10min) to give **K101-C1329** (2.00 mg, 3.62 μmol , 19.92% yield, 94.4% purity) and **K101-C1329-Cl** (2.70 mg, 4.47 μmol , 24.60% yield, 92.4% purity), both as white solids after lyophilization.

[0504] K101-C1329 MS (m/z): 544.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0505] K101-C1329 ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.53 (s, 1H), 7.26-7.20 (m, 2H), 7.20-7.14 (m, 2H), 5.63-5.57 (m, 1H), 4.22 (d, *J*=6.0 Hz, 1H), 3.99-3.89 (m, 2H), 3.23-3.13 (m, 3H), 3.10-2.97 (m, 4H), 2.57-2.47 (m, 1H), 2.45-2.36 (m, 1H), 2.05-1.93 (m, 2H), 1.75 (dd, *J*=1.3, 2.8 Hz, 3H), 1.34-1.23 (m, 1H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 0.95 (d, *J*=6.0 Hz, 1H), 0.86 (d, *J*=6.0 Hz, 3H).

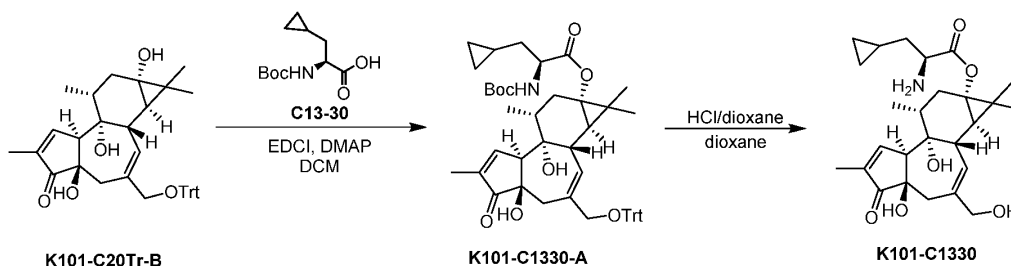
[0506] K101-C1329-C1 LC-MS (m/z): 562.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0507] K101-C1329-Cl ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.52 (s, 1H), 7.26-7.20 (m, 2H), 7.19-7.14 (m, 2H), 5.81-5.76 (m, 1H), 4.22 (d, *J*=5.8 Hz, 1H), 4.17-4.02 (m, 2H), 3.22-3.11 (m, 3H), 3.08-2.97

(m, 4H), 2.68-2.41 (m, 2H), 2.04-1.93 (m, 2H), 1.78-1.73 (m, 3H), 1.30-1.22 (m, 1H), 1.22-1.18 (m, 3H), 1.10-1.04 (m, 3H), 0.98-0.93 (m, 1H), 0.85 (d, $J=6.3$ Hz, 3H).

Example 27: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1330**.

[0508] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1330** is illustrated below.



[0509] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1330-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (20.00 mg, 33.86 μ mol, 1.00 eq) and **C13-30** (46.57 mg, 203.16 μ mol, 6.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added EDC (38.94 mg, 203.16 μ mol, 6.00 eq) and DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.16 μ mol, 6.00 eq). The reaction solution was stirred at 25 °C for 16 hours to give a brown solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solution was diluted with DCM (10 mL), then washed with water (3 mL), 0.5 M HCl (2 mL), brine (2 mL), and dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄. The product was filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=3/1, SiO₂) to give 16.2 mg of **K101-C1330-A** as a colorless gum.

[0510] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1330**. To a solution of **K101-C1330-A** (10.00 mg, 12.47 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in dioxane (400.00 μ L) was added HCl/dioxane (4 M, 200.17 μ L, 64.21 eq). The reaction mixture was stirred at 25 °C for 2 hours to give a light brown solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was not complete so 0.2 mL of HCl/dioxane (4 M) was added and the reaction solution stirred at 25 °C for an additional 1 hour. LC-MS showed the reaction was almost complete. The reaction solution was combined with another preparation of **K101-C1330-A** and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was diluted with CH₃CN (1 mL) and water (1 mL) and the solution adjusted to pH 8 with addition of solid K₂CO₃ (5 mg). The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μ m; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1% TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 25%-55%, 10min) to give **K101-C1330** (4.70 mg, 65.05% yield, 99.0% purity, TFA salt) as a white powder after lyophilization.

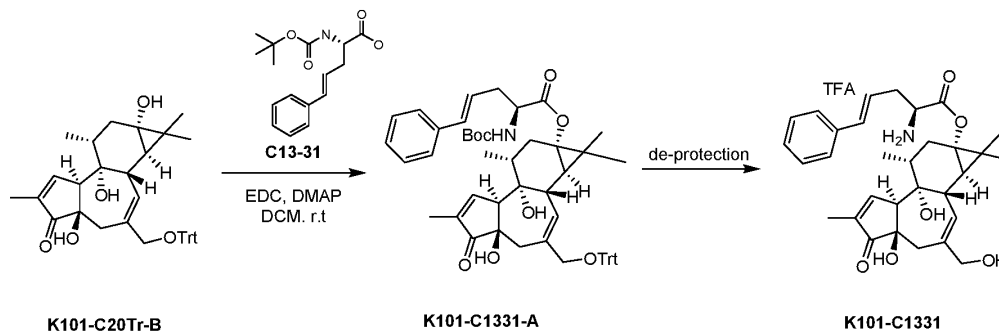
[0511] MS (m/z): 482.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0512] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.55 (s, 1H), 5.64-5.59 (m, 1H), 4.12 (dd, $J=5.3, 7.8$ Hz, 1H), 4.00-3.90 (m, 2H), 3.19-3.14 (m, 1H), 3.09-3.03 (m, 1H), 2.58-2.48 (m, 1H), 2.45-2.37 (m, 1H), 2.25 (dd, $J=6.8, 14.6$ Hz, 1H), 2.12-2.01 (m, 1H), 1.95-1.85 (m, 1H), 1.80-1.70 (m, 4H), 1.61 (dd, $J=10.4,$

14.7 Hz, 1H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 1.02-0.97 (m, 1H), 0.93 (d, $J=6.8$ Hz, 3H), 0.8-0.76 (m, 1H), 0.66-0.59 (m, 2H), 0.27-0.17 (m, 2H).

Example 28: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1331**.

[0513] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1331** is illustrated below.



[0514] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1331-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added (E,2S)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-5-phenylpent-4-enoic acid (**C13-31**) (29.59 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 eq), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.12 μmol , 4.00 eq), HOBt (13.72 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 eq) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was combined with a second preparation of **K101-C1331-A** and the mixture quenched with H₂O (10 mL) and then extracted with DCM (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1331-A** (32.00 mg, 37.03 μmol , 62.49% yield) as a white solid.

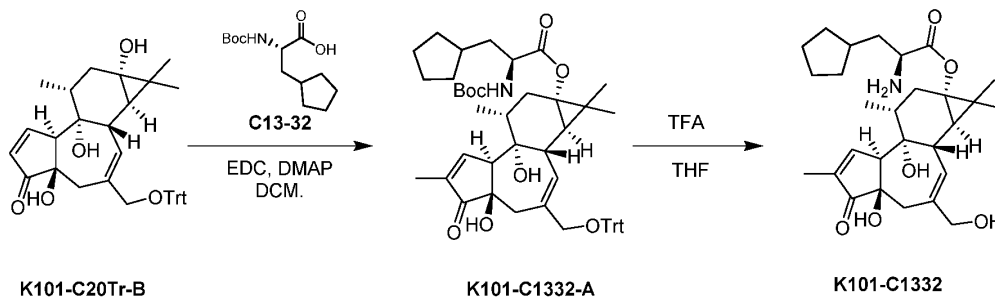
[0515] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1331**. To a solution of **K101-C1331-A** (32.00 mg, 37.03 μmol , 1.00 eq) in THF (2.00 mL) were added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 μL , 182.37 eq) and Et₃SiH (8.61 mg, 74.06 μmol , 11.79 μL , 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N₂, and the product purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 27%-57%, 10min) to give **K101-C1331** (10.00 mg, 15.73 μmol , 42.48% yield, 100% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0516] LC-MS (m/z): 524.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0517] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.57 (s, 1H), 5.64 (s, 1H), 4.10-4.07 (m, 1H), 4.00-3.93 (s, 2H), 3.18 (s, 1H), 3.08 (s, 1H), 2.53-2.45 (m, 1H), 2.45-2.41 (m, 1H), 2.29-2.27 (m, 1H), 2.05 (m, 1H), 1.84-1.29 (m, 16H), 1.19(s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.02-1.01 (m, 2H), 0.96-0.94 (m, 3H).

Example 29: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1332**.

[0518] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1332** is illustrated below.



[0519] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1332-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in DCM (5.00 mL) were added (2*S*)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-3-cyclopentyl-propanoic acid (**C13-32**) (26.14 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 *eq*), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.12 μmol , 4.00 *eq*) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 5h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was incomplete. Additional EDC (10mg) was added, and mixture stirred at 20°C for 14hr. LC-MS showed some of the **K101-C20Tr-B** still remained. A further amount of EDC (11 mg) was added, and the mixture stirred at 20°C for another 5hr. LC-MS and TLC showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (15 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 5). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with Petroleum ether: Ethyl acetate = 7/2) to give **K101-C1332-A** (23.00 mg, 27.71 μmol , 54.57% yield) as a colorless solid.

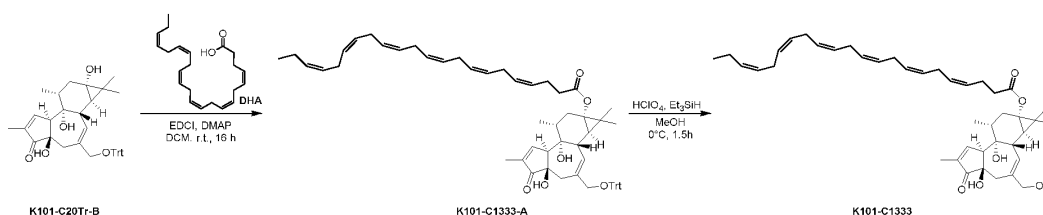
[0520] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1332**. To a solution of **K101-C1332-A** (23.00 mg, 27.71 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in THF (2.00 mL) were added Et₃SiH (3.22 mg, 27.71 μmol , 4.41 μL , 1.00 *eq*) and TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 μL , 243.71 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 1.5h to give a colorless solution. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give a yellow oil, which was dissolved in DCM (2 mL) followed by addition of TFA (0.5 mL). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 1hr and concentrated to give a yellow oil. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated, and the product purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25 mm x 10 μm ; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 30%-60%, 10min). The separated layers were lyophilized to give **K101-C1332** (8.00 mg, 13.03 μmol , 47.03% yield, 98% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0521] LC-MS (*m/z*): 510.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0522] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.57 (s, 1H), 5.64 (d, J =4.5 Hz, 1H), 4.02 - 3.99 (m, 1H), 3.97 (s, 2H), 3.18 (s, 1H), 3.15-3.02 (m, 1H), 2.60 - 2.36 (m, 2H), 2.26 (dd, J =6.9, 14.7 Hz, 1H), 2.05 (dd, J =6.9, 13.2 Hz, 1H), 2.02 - 1.97 (m, 1H), 1.94-1.83 (m, 2H), 1.83 (t, J =7.8 Hz, 1H), 1.77 (d, J =1.5 Hz, 4H), 1.74 - 1.54 (m, 5H), 1.35 - 1.14 (m, 6H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.02 (d, J =6.0 Hz, 1H), 0.95 (d, J =6.5 Hz, 3H)

Example 30: Synthesis Scheme of K101-C1333.

[0523] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1333** is illustrated below.



[0524] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1333-A**: To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (22.00 mg, 37.24 μmol , 1.17 *eq*) and **DHA** (10.50 mg, 31.96 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in DCM (500.00 μL) was added EDCI (36.77 mg, 191.79 μmol , 6.00 *eq*) and DMAP (23.43 mg, 191.79 μmol , 6.00 *eq*). The reaction solution was stirred at 20°C for 16 hours to give a brown solution. LCMS showed the desired MS value. The reaction mixture was combined with reaction mixture of ES5329-184 (5 mg of **K101-C20Tr-B** was used in this batch) and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=5/1) to give **K101-C1333-A** (7.00 mg, 7.77 μmol , 24.30% yield) as a colorless oil.

[0525] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.58 (s, 1H), 7.46-7.38 (m, 6H), 7.31-7.26 (m, 6H), 7.24-7.18 (m, 3H), 5.60 (d, J =3.5 Hz, 1H), 5.42-5.27 (m, 12H), 3.51 (s, 2H), 3.31-3.25 (m, 1H), 2.96-2.90 (m, 1H), 2.90-2.67 (m, 10H), 2.57-2.47 (m, 1H), 2.44-2.30 (m, 5H), 2.13-1.91 (m, 7H), 1.77 (dd, J =1.1, 2.9 Hz, 3H), 1.59-1.51 (m, 1H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 0.97 (t, J =7.5 Hz, 3H), 0.87 (d, J =6.3 Hz, 3H), 0.79 (d, J =5.3 Hz, 1H).

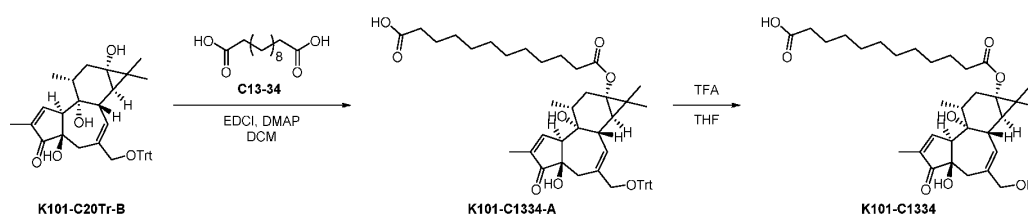
[0526] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1333**: To a solution of **K101-C1333-A** (6.00 mg, 6.66 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in MeOH (200.00 μL) was added HClO₄ (9.96 mg, 99.17 μmol , 6.00 μL , 14.89 *eq*) and Et₃SiH (774.15 μg , 6.66 μmol , 1.06 μL , 1.00 *eq*). Then the reaction mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 1.5 hour to give a white suspension. TLC (DCM/MeOH=20/1, SiO₂) showed no starting material remained and a new spot was observed. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=1/1) to give **K101-C1333** (3.65 mg, 79.85% yield, 96.0% purity) as a white solid after lyophilization.

[0527] MS (m/z): 681.3 [$\text{M}+\text{Na}$]⁺

[0528] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD) δ 7.56-7.53 (m, 1H), 5.62-5.58 (m, 1H), 5.51-5.20 (m, 12H), 3.99-3.88 (m, 2H), 3.20-3.14 (m, 1H), 3.09-3.03 (m, 1H), 2.92-2.80 (m, 10H), 2.56-2.48 (m, 1H), 2.47-2.38 (m, 5H), 2.15-2.06 (m, 3H), 2.06-1.99 (m, 1H), 1.74 (dd, $J=1.3, 2.9$ Hz, 3H), 1.55 (dd, $J=10.7, 14.4$ Hz, 1H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 0.97 (t, $J=7.5$ Hz, 3H), 0.90 (d, $J=6.4$ Hz, 4H), 0.86 (d, $J=5.5$ Hz, 1H).

Example 31: Synthesis Scheme of K101-C1334.

[0529] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1334** is illustrated below.



[0530] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1334-A**: To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (35.00 mg, 59.25 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) and **C13-34** (136.45 mg, 592.47 μmol , 10.00 *eq*) in DCM (1.00 mL) was added EDCI (34.07 mg, 177.74 μmol , 3.00 *eq*) and DMAP (21.71 mg, 177.74 μmol , 3.00 *eq*), then the mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14 hours to give colorless solution. The reaction was complete detected by LCMS (ES6477-17-P1B). The reaction solution was diluted with H_2O (10 mL), extracted with DCM: MeOH = 10:1 (10 mL * 5). The combined organic layers were dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered, concentrated under reduced pressure to give crude product. The crude product purified by prep-TLC (SiO_2 , PE:EA = 2:1) to give **K101-C1334-A** (26.40 mg, 32.88 μmol , 55.49% yield) as a white solid.

[0531] **K101-C1334-A** ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.59 (s, 1H), 7.44-7.39 (m, 6H), 7.31-7.27 (m, 5H), 7.24-7.18 (m, 3H), 5.61 (s, 1H), 5.30 (s, 1H), 3.50 (s, 2H), 3.27 (s, 1H), 2.97-2.86 (m, 3H), 2.58-2.47 (m, 1H), 2.38 (d, $J=18.8$ Hz, 3H), 2.28 (t, $J=7.4$ Hz, 4H), 2.08-1.90 (m, 3H), 1.76 (s, 3H), 1.60-1.49 (m, 3H), 1.25 (s, 16H), 1.20-1.16 (m, 1H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 0.92-0.75 (m, 5H).

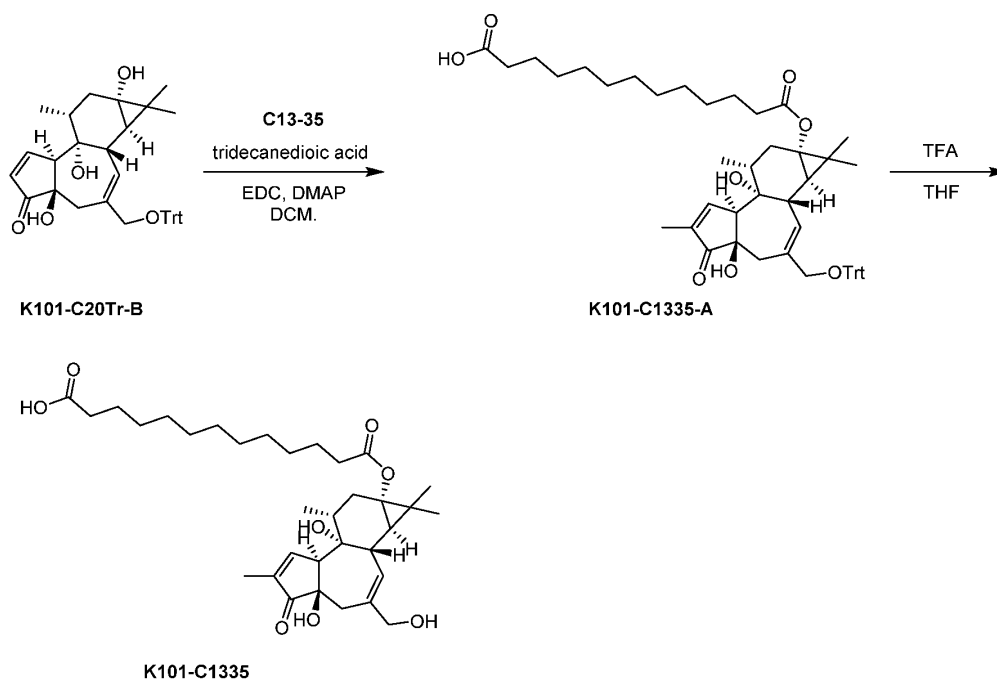
[0532] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1334**: To a solution of **K101-C1334-A** (26.00 mg, 32.38 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in THF (3.00 mL) was added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 μL , 208.56 *eq*). Then the solution was stirred at 0°C for 18 hours to give colorless solution. The reaction was complete detected by LCMS (ES6477-18-P1B). The reaction was concentrated under ordinary pressure to give yellow oil. The residue was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150*25mm*10 μm ; mobile phase: [water (0.1%TFA)-ACN]; B%: 50%-80%, 10 min). The separated layers were lyophilized to give **K101-C1334** (3.00 mg, 5.35 μmol , 16.52% yield, 97.28% purity, Free) as a white solid.

[0533] **K101-C1334**: LC-MS (m/z): 583.1 $[M+Na]^+$

[0534] 1H NMR (400MHz, MeOD) δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 5.63-5.58 (m, 1H), 3.99-3.89 (m, 2H), 3.20-3.15 (m, 1H), 3.09-3.04 (m, 1H), 2.56-2.49 (m, 1H), 2.47-2.40 (m, 1H), 2.37-2.26 (m, 4H), 2.22-2.10 (m, 1H), 2.10-1.99 (m, 2H), 1.77-1.73 (m, 3H), 1.66-1.51 (m, 5H), 1.32 (s, 12H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 0.91 (d, $J=6.3$ Hz, 3H), 0.86 (d, $J=5.5$ Hz, 1H).

Example 32: Synthesis Scheme of K101-C1335.

[0535] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1335** is illustrated below.



[0536] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1335-A**: To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 *eq*) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added tridecanedioic acid (62.04 mg, 253.90 μ mol, 5.00 *eq*), DMAP (37.22 mg, 304.68 μ mol, 6.00 *eq*) and EDCI (58.41 mg, 304.68 μ mol, 6.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14hr to give a colorless solution. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 5hr to give a colorless solution. LCMS and TLC showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (15 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL * 5). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give a yellow solid. The yellow solid was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with Petroleum ether: Ethyl acetate = 3/1) to give **K101-C1335-A** (24.00 mg, 29.37 μ mol, 57.84% yield) as a white solid.

[0537] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.65-7.55 (s, 1H), 7.45-7.35 (m, 6H), 7.32 - 7.27 (m, 6H), 7.25 - 7.19 (m, 3H), 5.65-5.55 (m, 1H), 3.55-3.45 (m, 2H), 3.30-3.25 (m, 1H), 3.00-2.90 (m, 1H), 2.59 - 2.22 (m, 6H), 2.20 (s, 3H), 2.13 - 1.90 (m, 4H), 1.80-1.72 (m, 3H), 1.45-1.20 (m, 14H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 0.88 (d, $J=6.3$ Hz, 3H), 0.79 (d, $J=5.3$ Hz, 1H).

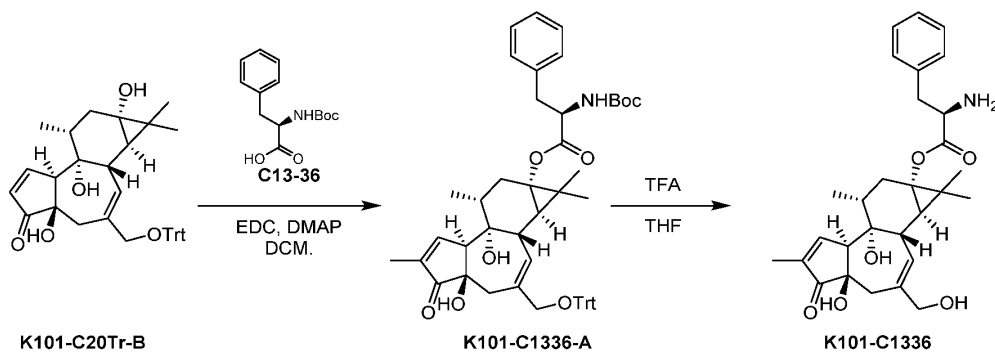
[0538] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1335**: To a solution of **K101-C1335-A** (24.00 mg, 29.37 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in THF (10.00 mL) was added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 μL , 229.94 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 14hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS showed **K101-C1335-A** was remained, then added TFA (0.1 mL). The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 14hr to give a colorless solution. LCMS showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give yellow oil. The yellow oil was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150*25mm*10 μm ; mobile phase: [water (0.1%TFA)-ACN]; B%: 70%-70%, 10min). The separated layers were lyophilized to give **K101-C1335** (5.40 mg, 9.15 μmol , 31.16% yield, 97.4% purity, Free) as a white solid.

[0539] LC-MS (m/z): 597.3 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$

[0540] ^1H NMR (400MHz, MeOD) δ = 7.60-7.50 (m, 1H), 5.62 (m, 1H), 4.03 - 3.84 (m, 2H), 3.25-3.14 (m, 1H), 3.12 - 3.01 (m, 1H), 2.61 - 2.41 (m, 2H), 2.41 - 2.23 (m, 4H), 2.19 - 1.99 (m, 2H), 1.83 - 1.71 (m, 3H), 1.71 - 1.48 (m, 5H), 1.45-1.35 (m, 14H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 0.93 (d, $J=6.3$ Hz, 3H), 0.87 (d, $J=5.8$ Hz, 1H)

Example 33: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1336**.

[0541] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1336** is illustrated below.



[0542] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1336-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in DCM (5.00 mL) were added (2R)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-3-phenylpropanoic acid (**C13-36**) (26.95 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 *eq*), DMAP (30.00 mg, 245.78 μmol , 4.84 *eq*) and EDC (19.96 mg, 104.10 μmol , 2.05 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 19h to give a colorless solution. LC-MS and TLC showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was

quenched with H₂O (15 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 5). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with Petroleum ether: Ethyl acetate = 3/1) to give **K101-C1336-A** (16.00 mg, 19.09 μ mol, 37.60% yield) as a colorless solid.

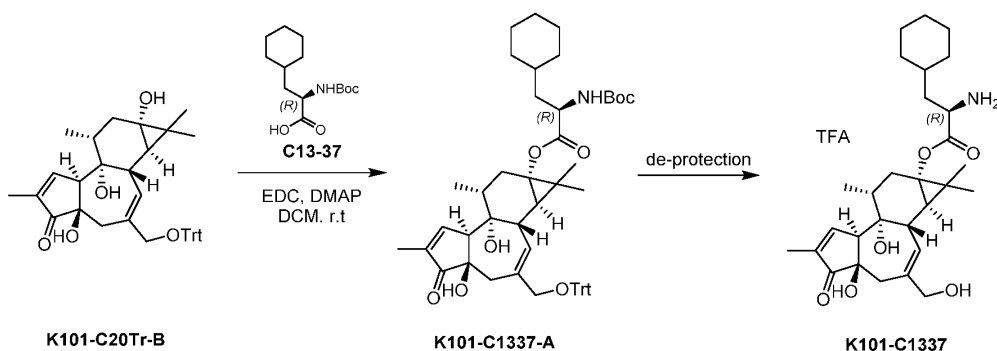
[0543] Preparation of Compound K101-C1336. To a solution of **K101-C1336-A** 16.00 mg, 19.09 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 μ L, 353.76 eq) and Et₃SiH (2.22 mg, 19.09 μ mol, 3.04 μ L, 1.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 5h to give a colorless solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated and the product purified by prep-HPLC column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μ m; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 15%-45%, 10min). The separated layers were lyophilized to give **K101-C1336** (6.00 mg, 9.84 μ mol, 51.55% yield, 100% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0544] LC-MS (m/z): 518.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0545] ¹H NMR (400MHz, MeOD) δ = 7.59 (s, 1H), 7.48 - 7.29 (m, 5H), 5.63 (s, 1H), 4.37 (dd, J =5.9, 8.2 Hz, 1H), 4.04 - 3.89 (m, 2H), 3.42 - 3.37 (m, 1H), 3.25 - 3.00 (m, 3H), 2.61 - 2.35 (m, 2H), 2.23 (dd, J =7.0, 15.1 Hz, 1H), 2.05 (s, 1H), 1.78 (d, J =1.5 Hz, 3H), 1.64 (dd, J =10.4, 14.7 Hz, 2H), 1.08 (d, J =7.8 Hz, 6H), 1.01 - 0.90 (m, 4H)

Example 34: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1337**.

[0546] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1337** is illustrated below.



[0547] Preparation of Compound K101-C1337-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added (2R)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-3-cyclohexyl-propanoic acid (**C13-37**) (27.56 mg, 101.56 μ mol, 2.00 eq), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.12 μ mol, 4.00 eq), HOBt (13.72 mg, 101.56 μ mol, 2.00 eq) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.56 μ mol, 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12 h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was combined with a second

preparation of **K101-C1337-A**, the mixture quenched with H₂O (10 mL) and then extracted with DCM (20mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1337-A** (18.00 mg, 21.32 μmol, 41.99% yield) as a white solid.

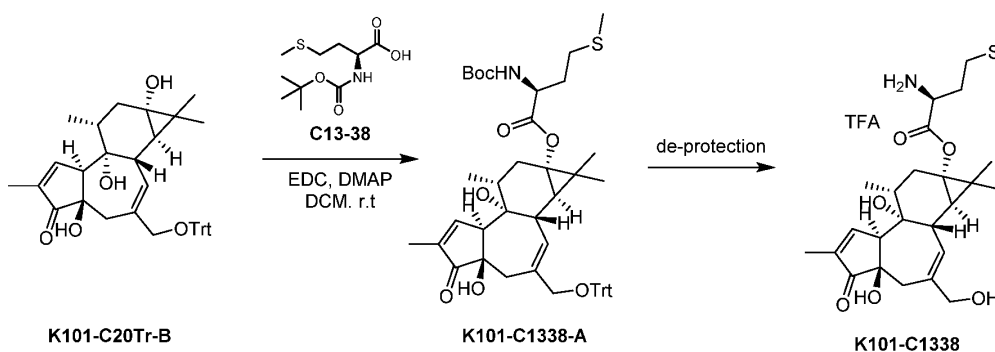
[0548] Preparation of Compound K101-C1337. To a solution of **K101-C1337-A** (18.00 mg, 21.32 μmol, 1.00 eq) in THF (2.00 mL) were added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 uL, 316.75 eq) and Et₃SiH (7.44 mg, 63.96 μmol, 10.19 uL, 3.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 2h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N₂, and the product purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 25%-55%, 10min) to give **K101-C1337** (5.20 mg, 10.37 μmol, 48.62% yield, 100% purity) as a white solid.

[0549] LC-MS (m/z): 524.3 [M+Na]⁺

[0550] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.58 (s, 1H), 5.64-5.63 (s, 1H), 4.12-4.09 (m, 1H), 4.00-3.94 (m, 2H), 3.18 (s, 1H), 3.08 (s, 1H), 2.53-2.45 (m, 1H), 2.40-2.32 (m, 1H), 2.26-2.24 (m, 1H), 2.05-2.03 (m, 1H), 1.84-1.64 (m, 12H), 1.33-1.31 (m, 3H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.01-0.95 (m, 6H).

Example 35: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1338**.

[0551] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1338** is illustrated below.



[0552] Preparation of compound K101-C1338-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added (2S)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-4-methylsulfanylbutanoic acid (**C13-38**) (25.32 mg, 101.56 μmol, 2.00 eq), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.12 μmol, 4.00 eq), HOBT (13.72 mg, 101.56 μmol, 2.00 eq) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.56 μmol, 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was combined with as second preparation of **K101-C1338-A**, and the mixture quenched with H₂O (10 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was

purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1338-A** (36.00 mg, 43.79 μ mol, 64.84% yield) as a white solid.

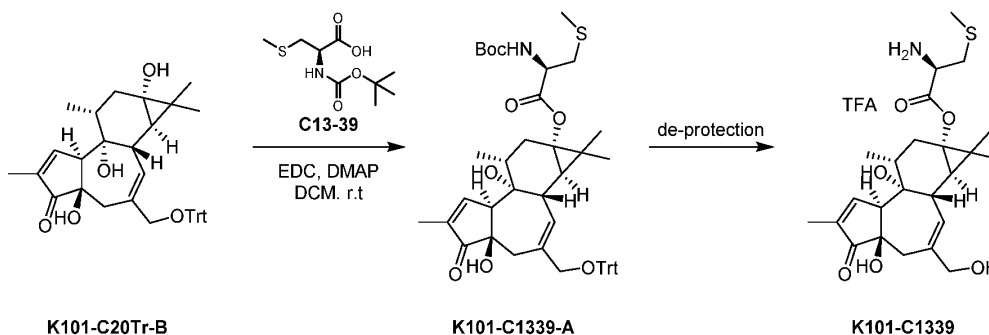
[0553] Preparation of compound K101-C1338. To a solution of **K101-C1338-A** (36.00 mg, 43.79 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in THF (2.00 mL) was added TFA (1.54 g, 13.51 mmol, 1.00 mL, 308.44 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N_2 and the product purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μ m; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 20%-50%, 10min) to give **K101-C1338** (13.20 mg, 20.95 μ mol, 47.83% yield, 94.2% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0554] LC-MS (m/z): 502.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0555] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.57 (s, 1H), 5.65-5.64 (m, 1H), 4.26-4.23 (m, 1H), 4.00-3.94 (m, 2H), 3.18 (s, 1H), 3.08 (s, 1H), 2.72-2.69 (m, 2H), 2.53-2.45 (m, 1H), 2.45-2.41 (m, 1H), 2.30-2.24 (m, 2H), 2.15-2.11 (m, 5H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.76-1.75 (m, 1H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.96-0.94 (m, 4H).

Example 36: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1339**.

[0556] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1339** is illustrated below.



[0557] Preparation of Compound K101-C1339-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added (2R)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-3-methylsulfanyl-propanoic acid (C13-39) (23.90 mg, 101.56 μ mol, 2.00 eq), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.12 μ mol, 4.00 eq), HOBT (13.72 mg, 101.56 μ mol, 2.00 eq) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.56 μ mol, 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was combined with a second preparation, which was quenched with H₂O (10 mL) and then extracted with DCM (15 mL). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was

purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1339-A** (35.00 mg, 43.32 μ mol, 85.30% yield) as a white solid.

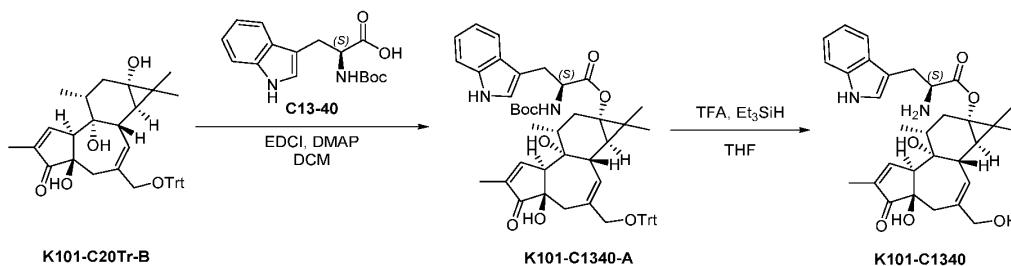
[0558] Preparation of Compound K101-C1339. To a solution of **K101-C1339-A** (35.00 mg, 43.32 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in THF (2.00 mL) was added TFA (4.94 mg, 43.32 μ mol, 3.21 uL, 1.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 3h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N₂ and the product purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 18%-48%, 10min) to give **K101-C1339** (4.40 mg, 7.11 μ mol, 16.41% yield, 93.63% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0559] LC-MS (m/z): 488.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0560] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.57 (s, 1H), 5.65-5.64 (m, 1H), 4.33-4.30 (m, 1H), 4.00-3.97 (m, 2H), 3.19-3.14 (m 2H), 3.07 (s, 1H), 3.00-2.97 (m, 1H), 2.53-2.45 (m, 1H), 2.40-2.32 (m, 1H), 2.25-2.23 (m, 4H), 2.10-2.05 (m, 1H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.05-1.03 (m, 1H), 0.96-0.94 (m, 3H).

Example 37: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1340**.

[0561] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1340** is illustrated below.



[0562] Preparation of compound K101-C1340-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 eq) and **C13-40** in DCM (3.00 mL) were added EDC (19.47 mg, 101.56 μ mol, 2.00 eq) and DMAP (37.22 mg, 304.68 μ mol, 6.00 eq). The reaction solution was stirred at 20 °C for 14 hours to give colorless solution. TLC (PE/EtOAc=1/1, SiO₂) and LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solution was combined with a second preparation, and then diluted with H₂O (5 ml x 2) followed by extraction with DCM (10 ml x 5). The combined organic layers were dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure to give crude product as a pale yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=1/1, SiO₂) to give **K101-C1340-A** (20.30 mg, 23.15 μ mol, 39.29% yield) as a white solid.

[0563] Preparation of Compound K101-C1340. To a solution of **K101-C1340-A** (20.00 mg, 22.80 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in THF (2.00 mL) were added sequentially TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 uL,

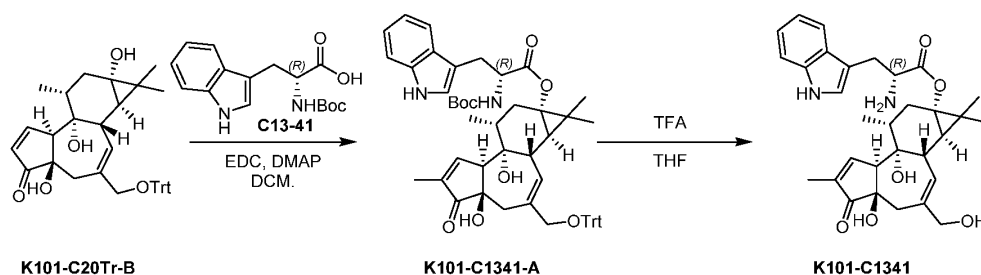
296.19 *eq*) followed by Et₃SiH (2.65 mg, 22.80 μ mol, 3.63 μ L, 1.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 18 hours to give a pale yellow solution. The reaction was complete detected by LC-MS. The reaction was concentrated under reduced pressure to give a yellow solid, and the product purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25 mm x 10 μ m; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 55%-95%, 10 min). The separated layers were lyophilized to give **K101-C1340** (3.80 mg, 7.11 μ mol, 31.17% yield, 96.78% purity, TFA salt) as a pale yellow solid.

[0564] LC-MS (*m/z*): 557.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0565] ¹H NMR (400MHz, MeOD) δ 7.58 (d, *J*=7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.54-7.51 (m, 1H), 7.38 (d, *J*=8.0 Hz, 1H), 7.19 (s, 1H), 7.17-7.12 (m, 1H), 7.10-7.05 (m, 1H), 5.59-5.54 (m, 1H), 4.58 (s, 2H), 4.17-4.09 (m, 1H), 3.99-3.90 (m, 2H), 3.17-3.11 (m, 1H), 3.02-2.96 (m, 1H), 2.55-2.46 (m, 1H), 2.45-2.36 (m, 1H), 2.04-1.92 (m, 2H), 1.78-1.71 (m, 3H), 1.43-1.32 (m, 1H), 1.04-0.97 (m, 6H), 0.83 (d, *J*=6.0 Hz, 3H), 0.78-0.74 (m, 1H).

Example 38: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1341**.

[0566] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1341** is illustrated below.



[0567] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1341-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 *eq*) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added (2R)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-3-(1H-indol-3-yl)propanoic acid (**C13-41**) (154.55 mg, 507.83 μ mol, 10.00 *eq*), EDC (19.47 mg, 101.57 μ mol, 2.00 *eq*) and DMAP (37.22 mg, 304.70 μ mol, 6.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 5hr to give a colorless solution. LC-MS and TLC showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (15 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 5). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with Petroleum ether: Ethyl acetate = 2/1) to give **K101-C1341-A** (35.00 mg, 39.91 μ mol, 67.35% yield) as a white solid.

[0568] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1341**. To a solution of **K101-C1341-A** (35.00 mg, 39.91 μ mol, 1.00 *eq*) in THF (2.00 mL) were added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 μ L, 169.21 *eq*) and Et₃SiH (4.64 mg, 39.91 μ mol, 6.36 μ L, 1.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 5hr to give a colorless solution. The reaction mixture was concentrated and the resultant yellow oil dissolved with DCM (2 mL) followed by addition of TFA (0.5 mL). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 2hr to

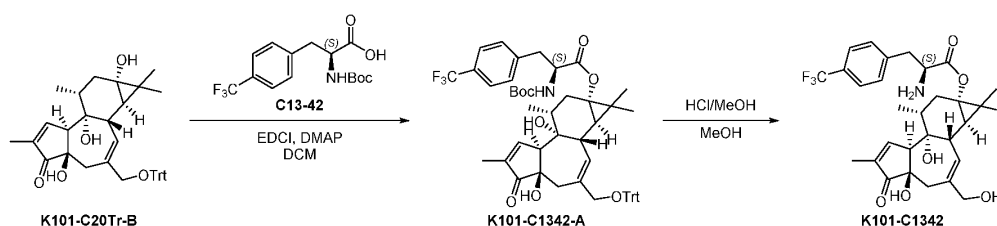
give a yellow solution. The reaction mixture was concentrated and dissolved with DCM (2 mL) followed by addition of TFA (0.5 mL). This reaction mixture was stirred at 20°C for 1hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give a yellow oil, which was then dissolved in MeOH (4 mL) and stirred at 20°C for 14hr to give a yellow liquid. The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 20%-50%, 10min). The separated layers were lyophilized to give **K101-C1341** (4.00 mg, 5.59 μ mol, 14.01% yield, 90.7% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0569] LC-MS (m/z): 557.1 $[M+Na]^+$

[0570] 1H NMR (400MHz, MeOD) δ = 7.61 (d, J =7.5 Hz, 1H), 7.57 (s, 1H), 7.42 (d, J =8.3 Hz, 1H), 7.26 (s, 1H), 7.23 - 7.10 (m, 2H), 5.60-5.50 (m, 1H), 4.33 (t, J =7.4 Hz, 1H), 4.06 - 3.92 (m, 2H), 3.60 - 3.45 (m, 1H), 3.22 - 3.13 (m, 1H), 3.05-2.95 (m, 1H), 2.59 - 2.38 (m, 2H), 2.17 (dd, J =6.8, 14.6 Hz, 1H), 2.04 (d, J =8.8 Hz, 1H), 1.77 (d, J =1.5 Hz, 3H), 1.63 (dd, J =10.5, 14.8 Hz, 1H), 1.40-1.25(m, 2H), 1.04 (s, 3H), 0.93 (d, J =6.5 Hz, 3H), 0.87 (s, 3H), 0.69 (d, J =5.8 Hz, 1H)

Example 39: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1342**.

[0571] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1342** is illustrated below.



[0572] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1342-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 *eq*) and **C13-42** (25.39 mg, 76.17 μ mol, 1.50 *eq*) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added EDCI (58.41 mg, 304.68 μ mol, 6.00 *eq*) and DMAP (18.61 mg, 152.35 μ mol, 3.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14h to give a yellow solution. The reaction was complete as detected by LC-MS. The reaction solution was combined with a second preparation, and diluted with H₂O (10 mL) followed by extraction with DCM (10 mL x 3). The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=2/1, SiO₂) to give **K101-C1342-A** (50.30 mg, 55.52 μ mol, 93.44% yield) as a white solid.

[0573] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1342**. To a solution of **K101-C1342-A** (50.00 mg, 55.19 μ mol, 1.00 *eq*) in MeOH (500.00 μ L) was added HCl/MeOH (4 M, 500.00 μ L, 36.24 *eq*). The reaction was stirred at 20°C for 3.5 hours to give a pale yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction

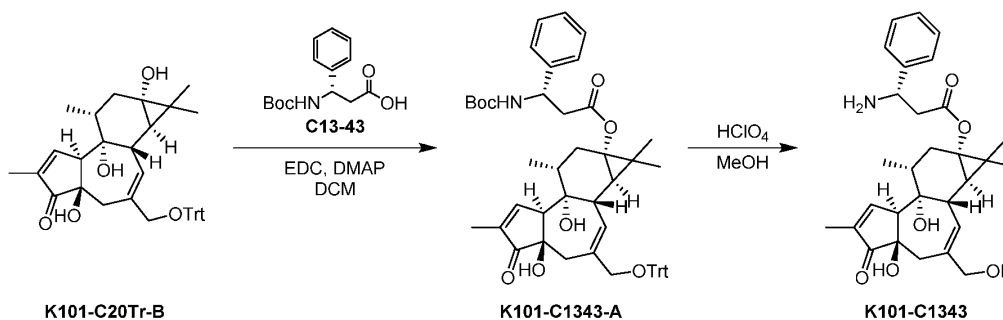
was almost complete. The solution was adjusted to pH 8 with saturated aqueous NaHCO_3 and then extracted with DCM (2 ml x 3). The combined organic layers were concentrated under reduced pressure to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25 mm x 10 μm ; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 25%-55%, 10 min) to give **K101-C1342** (10.70 mg, 18.99 μmol , 34.40% yield, 98.84% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0574] LC-MS (m/z): 586.1 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$

[0575] ^1H NMR (400MHz, MeOD) δ 7.71 (d, $J=8.0$ Hz, 2H), 7.56-7.51 (m, 3H), 5.62-5.57 (m, 1H), 4.47-4.40 (m, 1H), 3.94 (s, 2H), 3.47-4.40 (m, 1H), 3.25-3.18 (m, 1H), 3.18-3.13 (m, 1H), 3.07-2.99 (m, 1H), 2.57-2.47 (m, 1H), 2.45-2.36 (m, 1H), 2.17 (dd, $J=7.2, 14.7$ Hz, 1H), 2.07-1.98 (m, 1H), 1.78-1.73 (m, 3H), 1.53-1.43 (m, 1H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 0.96 (d, $J=5.8$ Hz, 1H), 0.91 (d, $J=6.5$ Hz, 3H).

Example 40: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1343**.

[0576] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1343** is illustrated below.



[0577] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1343-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 eq) and **C13-43** were added EDC (58.41 mg, 304.68 μmol , 6.00 eq) and DMAP (37.22 mg, 304.68 μmol , 6.00 eq). The reaction solution was stirred at 25 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ for 1 hour to give a brown solution. TLC (PE/EtOAc=1/1, SiO_2) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solution was diluted with DCM (2 mL), washed with brine (1 mL), and dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 . The product was filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the crude product as a brown gum. The product was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=1/1, SiO_2) to give **K101-C1343-A** (33.30 mg, 78.25% yield) as a colorless gum.

[0578] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1343**. To a solution of **K101-C1343-A** (25.00 mg, 29.83 μmol , 1.00 eq) in MeOH (1.00 mL) was added HCl/MeOH (4 M, 1 mL), and the reaction solution stirred at 20 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ for 2.5 hours to give a clear solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was almost complete so the reaction solution was stirred at 20 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ for an additional 1hr. The reaction solution was

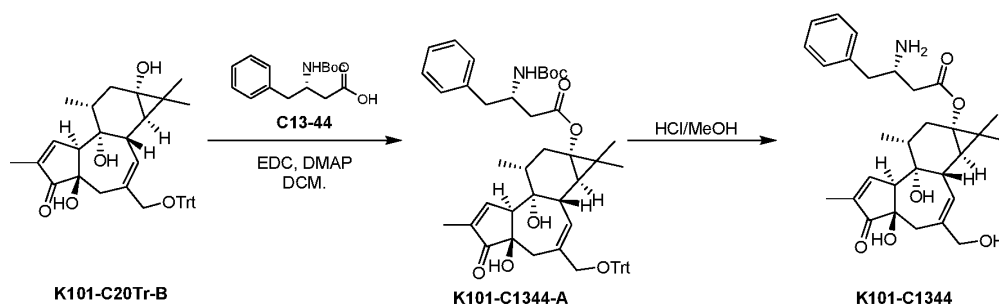
combined with a second preparation of the compound, and then cooled to 0°C. The solution was adjusted to pH 8 with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃. The solution was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.05% HCl)-B: ACN]; B%: 15%-45%, 10min) to give **K101-C1343** (7.60 mg, 47.02% yield, 98.2% purity, HCl salt) as a white solid.

[0579] LC-MS (m/z): 518.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0580] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.53 (s, 1H), 7.50-7.43 (m, 5H), 5.57 (d, *J*=4.2 Hz, 1H), 4.73 (t, *J*=7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.00-3.88 (m, 2H), 3.18-3.04 (m, 3H), 3.01 (t, *J*=5.5 Hz, 1H), 2.56-2.46 (m, 1H), 2.44-2.36 (m, 1H), 2.11-1.93 (m, 2H), 1.78-1.71 (m, 3H), 1.38 (dd, *J*=10.1, 14.3 Hz, 1H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.96 (s, 3H), 0.90-0.80 (m, 4H).

Example 41: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1344**.

[0581] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1344** is illustrated below.



[0582] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1344-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (35.00 mg, 59.25 μmol, 1.00 eq) and **C13-44** (41.37 mg, 148.12 μmol, 2.50 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added EDC (68.15 mg, 355.48 μmol, 6.00 eq) and DMAP (21.71 mg, 177.74 μmol, 3.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 18hr to give a yellow solution. The reaction was complete as detected by LC-MS. The reaction solution was diluted with H₂O (10 mL), extracted with DCM (10 mL x 3), and the combined organic layers dried over Na₂SO₄. The solution was concentrated under reduced pressure and purified by prep-TLC (SiO₂, PE: EA = 3:1). Concentration under reduced pressure yielded **K101-C1344-A** (43.60 mg, 51.17 μmol, 86.36% yield) as a white solid.

[0583] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1344**. To a solution of **K101-C1344-A** (35.00 mg, 41.08 μmol, 1.00eq) in MeOH (500.00 uL) was added HCl/MeOH (4 M, 583.29 uL, 56.80 eq). The solution was stirred at 20°C for 18hr to give a yellow solution. The reaction was complete as detected by LC-MS. The reaction solution was diluted with H₂O (10 mL) and extracted with DCM (10 mL x 3). The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 20%-50%, 10min). The separated

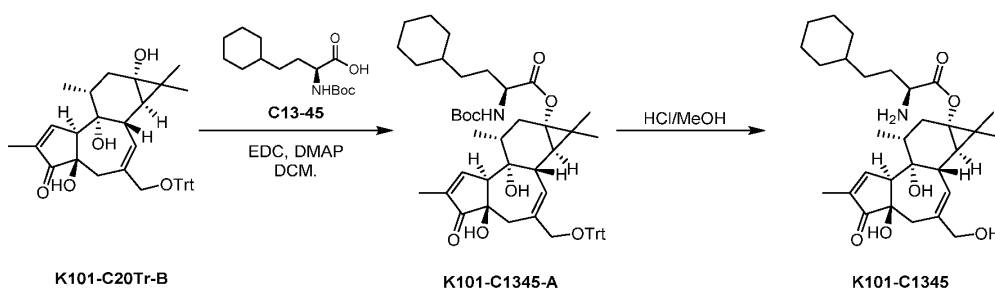
layers were lyophilized to give **K101-C1344** (5.00 mg, 8.02 μ mol, 19.52% yield, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0584] LC-MS (m/z): 532.3 [M+Na]⁺

[0585] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.53 (s, 1H), 7.40-7.37 (m, 2H), 7.34-7.33 (m, 1H), 7.29-7.27 (m, 2H), 5.59 (s, 1H), 3.98 (s, 2H), 3.88-3.85 (m, 1H), 3.15 (s, 1H), 3.06-3.03 (m, 2H), 2.95-2.93 (m, 1H), 2.72-2.64 (m, 2H), 2.55-2.44 (m, 2H), 2.12-1.98 (m, 2H), 1.75 (s, 3H), 1.59-1.55 (m, 1H), 1.30-1.25 (m, 3H), 1.14 (s, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 0.91-0.89 (m, 3H), 0.84-0.83 (m, 1H).

Example 42: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1345**.

[0586] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1345** is illustrated below.



[0587] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1345-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 eq) and **C13-45** (36.23 mg, 126.96 μ mol, 2.50 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added EDC (48.68 mg, 253.91 μ mol, 5.00 eq) and DMAP (18.61 mg, 152.35 μ mol, 3.00 eq). The reaction mixture was stirred at 20°C for 18hr. The reaction was complete as detected by LC-MS. The reaction solution was diluted with H₂O (10 mL) and extracted with DCM (8 mL x 5). The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated under reduced pressure to give pale yellow solution. The product was purified by prep-TLC (SiO₂, PE: EA = 3:1) to give **K101-C1345-A** (26.30 mg, 30.65 μ mol, 60.36% yield) as a white solid.

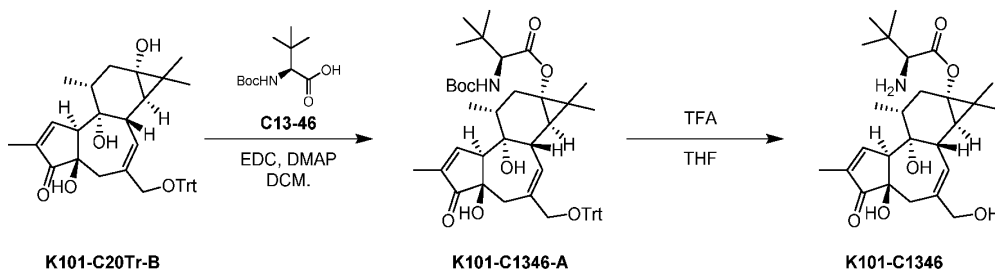
[0588] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1345**. To a solution of **K101-C1345-A** (25.00 mg, 29.13 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in MeOH (500.00 μ L) was added HCl/MeOH (4 M, 7.28 μ L, 1.00 eq). The solution was stirred at 20°C for 18 hr to give a yellow solution. The reaction was complete as detected by LC-MS. The reaction solution was diluted with H₂O (10 mL), neutralized with NaHCO₃ aqueous solution and then extracted with DCM (8 mL x 5). The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a yellow solid. The residue was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μ m; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN];B%: 25%-55%,10min), and the separated layers lyophilized to give **K101-C1345** (4.30 mg, 8.34 μ mol, 28.63% yield) as a white solid.

[0589] LC-MS (m/z): 538.3 $[M+Na]^+$

[0590] 1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD) δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 5.62 (s, 1H), 5.49 (m, 1H), 4.02-3.95 (m, 3H), 3.16-3.06 (m, 2H), 2.56-2.44 (m, 2H), 2.39-2.22 (m, 1H), 2.04-1.94 (m, 3H), 1.76-1.57 (m, 9H), 1.30-1.25 (m, 7H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.99-0.93 (m, 5H).

Example 43: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1346**.

[0591] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1346** is illustrated below.



[0592] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1346-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 *eq*) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added (2S)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino)-3,3-dimethyl-butanoic acid (**C13-46**) (70.47 mg, 304.68 μ mol, 6.00 *eq*) DMAP (43.43 mg, 355.46 μ mol, 7.00 *eq*) and EDC (58.41 mg, 304.68 μ mol, 6.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 5hr to give a yellow solution. TLC showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (15 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 5). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with Petroleum ether: Ethyl acetate = 3/1) to give **K101-C1346-A** (28.00 mg, 34.83 μ mol, 68.58% yield) as a colorless solid.

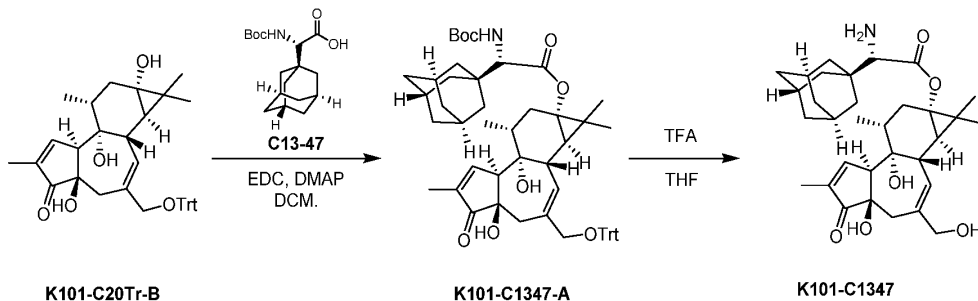
[0593] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1346**. To a solution of **K101-C1346-A** (28.00 mg, 34.83 μ mol, 1.00 *eq*) in MeOH (500.00 μ L) was added HCl/MeOH (4 M, 8.71 μ L, 1.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 19hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was adjusted to pH 6 with saturated NaHCO₃ and the resultant product purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μ m; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 20%-50%, 10min). The organic layers were lyophilized to give **K101-C1346** (7.80 mg, 13.55 μ mol, 38.91% yield, 100% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0594] LC-MS (m/z): 584.2 $[M+Na]^+$

[0595] 1H NMR (400MHz, MeOD) δ = 7.60-7.54 (m, 1H), 5.70-5.60 (m, 1H), 4.04 - 3.92 (m, 2H), 3.86 (s, 1H), 3.33-3.20 (m, 1H), 3.20-3.12 (m, 1H), 2.60 - 2.38 (m, 2H), 2.26 (dd, J =7.0, 14.6 Hz, 1H), 2.19 - 2.02 (m, 1H), 1.77 (d, J =1.5 Hz, 3H), 1.60 (dd, J =10.8, 14.6 Hz, 1H), 1.26 (s, 3H), 1.17 (s, 9H), 1.13 (s, 3H), 1.02 (d, J =5.8 Hz, 1H), 0.95 (d, J =6.3 Hz, 3H).

Example 44: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1347**.

[0596] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1347** is illustrated below.



[0597] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1347-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added (2S)-2-(1-adamantyl)-2-(tert-butoxycarbonylamino) acetic acid (**C13-47**) (94.27 mg, 304.68 μmol , 6.00 *eq*), EDC (58.41 mg, 304.68 μmol , 6.00 *eq*) and DMAP (43.43 mg, 355.46 μmol , 7.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (15 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 5). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with Petroleum ether: Ethyl acetate = 3/1) to give **K101-C1347-A** (13.00 mg, 14.74 μmol , 24.80% yield) as a white solid.

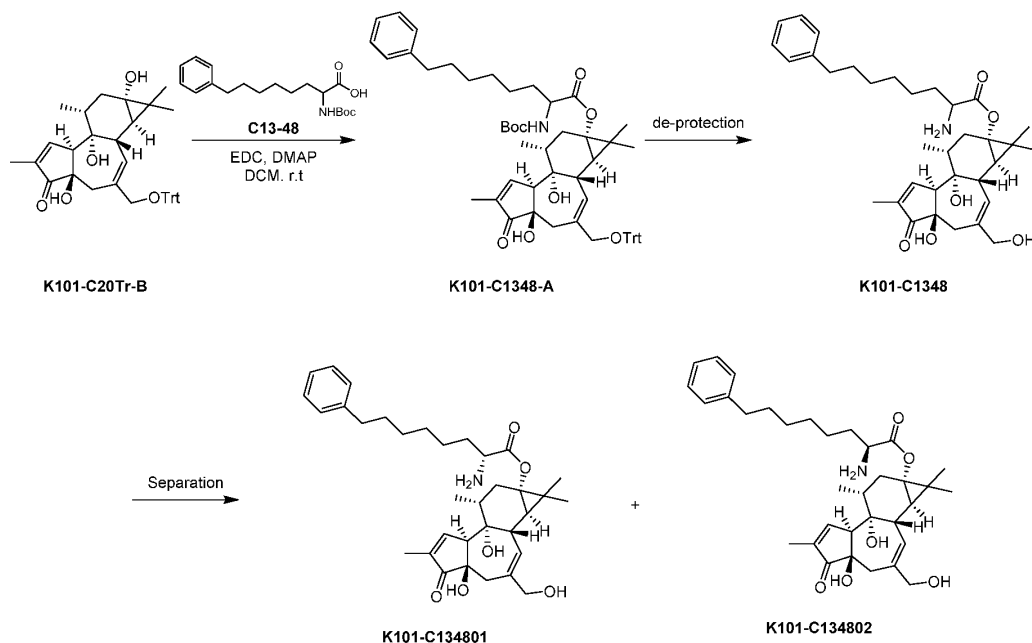
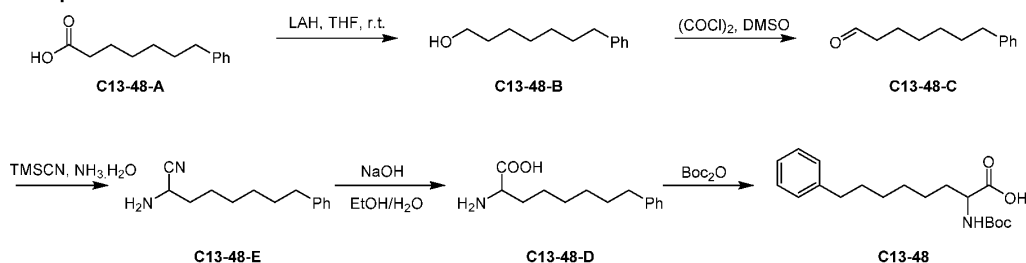
[0598] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1347**. To a solution of **K101-C1347-A** (13.00 mg, 14.74 μmol , 1.00 *eq*) in THF (1.00 mL) were added TFA (500.55 mg, 4.39 mmol, 325.03 μL , 297.89 *eq*) and Et₃SiH (1.71 mg, 14.74 μmol , 2.35 μL , 1.00 *eq*). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 3h to give a colorless solution. The reaction mixture was concentrated, dissolved with DCM (2 mL) and then followed by addition of TFA (0.5 mL). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 2h to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give a yellow oil, which was dissolved with MeOH (2 mL) and stirred at 20°C for 14h to give a buff liquid. The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μm ; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 25%-55%, 10min). The separated layers were lyophilized to give **K101-C1347** (6.50 mg, 9.94 μmol , 67.44% yield, 100% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0599] LC-MS (*m/z*): 562.3 [M+Na]⁺

[0600] ¹H NMR (400MHz, MeOD) δ = 7.62-7.55 (s, 1H), 5.70-5.60 (m, 1H), 4.05 - 3.90 (m, 2H), 3.75 - 3.56 (m, 1H), 3.25-3.15 (m, 1H), 3.16-3.08 (m, 1H), 2.62 - 2.38 (m, 2H), 2.27 (dd, *J*=6.9, 14.7 Hz, 1H), 2.15-2.06 (m, 4H), 1.91 - 1.53 (m, 16H), 1.27 (s, 3H), 1.13 (s, 3H), 1.03 (d, *J*=5.5 Hz, 1H), 0.96 (d, *J*=6.5 Hz, 3H)

Example 45: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1348**.

[0601] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1348** is illustrated below.

Preparation of **C13-48**:

[0602] Preparation of compound **C13-48-B**. LiAlH_4 (413.84 mg, 10.91 mmol, 1.50 eq) was suspended in THF (10.00 mL) at 0°C , then **C13-48-A** (1.50 g, 7.27 mmol, 1.00 eq) in THF (10.00 mL) was added dropwise at 0°C . The mixture was allowed to stir at 20°C for 4hr to give a brown solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. Following quenching with H_2O (0.5 mL), aqueous NaOH (0.5 mL, 15%) and H_2O (1.5 mL) were added. The mixture was filtered on Celite and the filtrate was concentrated to give the 7-phenylheptan-1-ol (1.30 g, 6.76 mmol, 92.99% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0603] Preparation of compound **C13-48-C**. To a solution of oxalyl dichloride (1.72 g, 13.52 mmol, 1.18 mL, 2.00 eq) in DCM (20.00 mL) was added dropwise DMSO (2.64 g, 33.80 mmol, 2.64 mL,

5.00 eq) at -78°C. The mixture was stirred at -78°C for 0.5hr. Compound **C13-48-B** (1.30 g, 6.76 mmol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (10.00 mL) was added at -78°C. The mixture was stirred at -78°C for 1hr, and the Et₃N (3.42 g, 33.80 mmol, 4.68 mL, 5.00 eq) was added dropwise at -78°C. The mixture was allowed to stir at 20°C for 2.5hr to give a yellow suspension. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=5/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (30 mL) and extracted with DCM (50 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100%PE to 5/1) to give **C13-48-C** (1.10 g, 5.78 mmol, 85.52% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0604] Preparation of compound C13-48-E. To a solution of **C13-48-C** (1.05 g, 5.52 mmol, 1.00 eq) in EtOH (10.00 mL) were added trimethylsilyl cyanide (TMSCN) (547.46 mg, 5.52 mmol, 692.99 uL, 1.00 eq) and NH₃·H₂O (851.01 mg, 6.07 mmol, 935.18 uL, 25% purity, 1.10 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 7hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (30 mL) and extracted with DCM (50mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **C13-48-E** (1.10 g, crude) as a yellow oil.

[0605] Preparation of compound C13-48-D. To a solution of **C13-48-E** (1.10 g, 5.09 mmol, 1.00 eq) in EtOH (5.00 mL) was added NaOH (610.21 mg, 15.26 mmol, 3.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 2hr followed by the addition of H₂O (1.00 mL). The mixture was stirred at 90°C for 2hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete.

[0606] Preparation of Compound C13-48. Boc anhydride (Boc₂O) (2.23 g, 10.20 mmol, 2.34 mL, 2.00 eq) was added to the preparation of **C13-48-E**, and the mixture stirred at 20°C for 2hr to give a yellow suspension. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: 100%EtOAc) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was combined with a second preparation, and the combined mixture was diluted with H₂O (20 mL) followed by extraction with PE (20 mL x 3). The water layer was adjusted to pH 5 with HCl (1N) and extracted with EtOAc (30 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=1/1 to 100%EtOAc) to give **C13-48** (700.00 mg, 2.09 mmol, 40.92% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0607] Preparation of Compound K101-C1348-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added **C13-48** (34.07 mg, 101.56 μmol, 2.00 eq), DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.12 μmol, 4.00 eq), HOBt (13.72 mg, 101.56 μmol, 2.00 eq) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.56 μmol, 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was combined with a second preparation, and the combined mixture was quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ (10 mL) followed by extraction with DCM (20 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over

Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1348-A** (18.00 mg, 19.82 μmol, 39.03% yield) as a white solid.

[0608] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.57 (s, 1H), 7.44-7.42 (m, 5H), 7.31-7.29 (m, 7H), 7.24-7.18 (m, 8H), 5.59-5.58 (m, 1H), 3.51-3.50 (m, 2H), 3.28 (s, 1H), 2.93 (s, 1H), 2.60-2.56 (m, 2H), 2.50-2.42 (m, 1H), 2.05-1.99 (m, 2H), 1.97-1.95 (m, 3H), 1.77 (s, 2H), 1.55-1.54 (m, 2H), 1.34 (s, 9H), 1.25-1.19 (m, 12H), 1.08 (s, 3H), 0.87-0.79 (m, 4H).

[0609] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1348** (as a mixture of **K101-C134801** and **K101-C134802**). To a solution of **K101-C1348-A** (48.00 mg, 52.85 μmol, 1.00 eq) in THF (2.00 mL) was added TFA (6.03 mg, 52.85 μmol, 3.91 uL, 1.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: EtOAc/MeOH=10/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N₂ and the resultant product dissolved in MeOH (30 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr. After the mixture was concentrated, the product of **K101-C1348** was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: EtOAc/MeOH=10/1) to give **K101-C1348** as a mixture of stereoisomers of **K101-C134801** (11.10 mg, 19.62 μmol, 37.12% yield, 100% purity) and **K101-C134802** (10.30 mg, 17.73 μmol, 33.55% yield, 97.4% purity), each as a white solid.

[0610] **K101-C134801**: LC-MS (m/z): 588.2 [M+Na]⁺

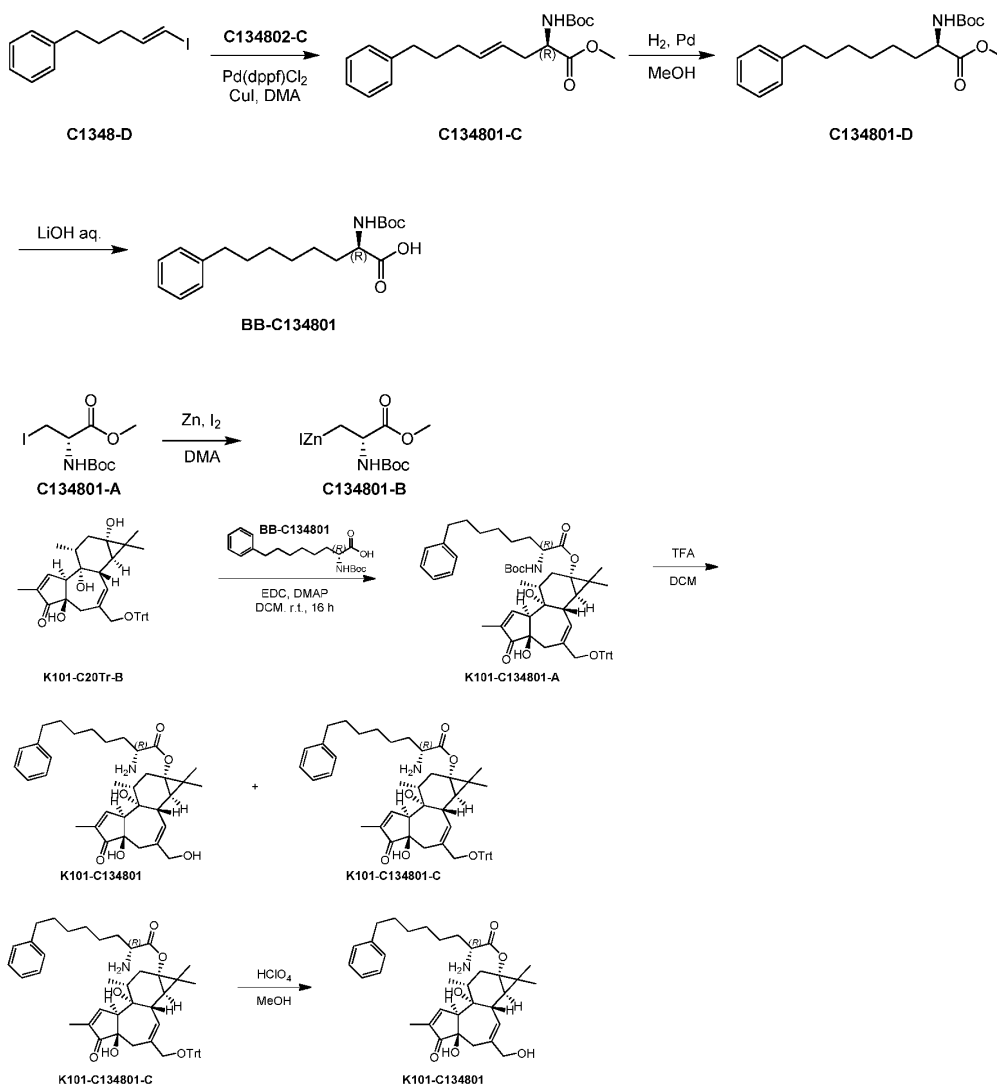
K101-C134801: ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.53 (s, 1H), 7.30-7.10 (m, 5H), 5.65-5.55 (m, 1H), 4.00-3.90 (m, 2H), 3.50-3.45 (m, 1H), 3.25-3.20 (m, 1H), 3.15-3.05 (m, 1H), 2.65-2.55 (m, 2H), 2.55-2.40 (m, 2H), 2.20-1.95 (m, 2H), 1.807-1.55 (m, 8H), 1.40-1.25 (m, 6H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 0.95-0.85 (m, 4H).

[0611] **K101-C134802**: LC-MS (m/z): 588.3 [M+Na]⁺

[0612] **K101-C134802**: ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.53 (s, 1H), 7.30-7.10 (m, 5H), 5.65-5.55 (m, 1H), 4.0-3.85 (m, 2H), 3.70-3.60 (m, 1H), 3.20-3.10 (m, 1H), 3.05-3.0 (m, 1H), 2.70-2.55 (m, 2H), 2.55-2.40 (m, 2H), 2.15-2.15 (m, 2H), 1.85-1.45 (m, 8H), 1.45-1.30 (m, 6H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 0.95-0.90 (m, 4H).

Example 45A: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C134801**

[0613] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C134801** is illustrated below.



[0614] Preparation of compound C134801-C. To a solution of **C1348-D** (2 g, 7.35 mmol, 1 eq) in DMA (2 mL) were added CuI (139.97 mg, 734.96 μmol , 0.1 eq) and **C134801-B** (4.06 g, 10.29 mmol, 1.4 eq) and Pd(dppf)Cl_2 (537.77 mg, 734.96 μmol , 0.1 eq) under N_2 . The mixture was stirred under N_2 at 90°C for 5 hr to give a black suspension. LCMS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=3/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H_2O (100 mL) and extracted with MBTE (40 mLx 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by a flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100%PE to 20%) to give **C134801-C** (750 mg, 2.16 mmol, 29.37% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0615] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.30-7.20 (m, 2H), 7.20-7.16 (m, 3H), 5.58-5.51 (m, 1H), 5.34-5.27 (m, 1H), 5.02-5.00 (m, 1H), 4.37-4.33 (m, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.62-2.58 (m, 2H), 2.46-2.44 (m, 2H), 2.07-2.02 (m, 2H), 1.70-1.66 (m, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H).

[0616] Preparation of compound C134801-D. To a solution of **C134801-C** (0.75 g, 2.16 mmol, 1 eq) in MeOH (15 mL) was added Pd/C (500 mg, 2.16 mmol, 50% purity, 1 eq) under N_2 . The suspension was degassed under vacuum and purged with H_2 several times. The mixture was stirred under H_2 (15psi) at 20°C for 12 hours. LCMS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was filtered on celite. The filtrate was concentrated to give **C134801-D** (750 mg, 2.15 mmol, 99.42% yield) as a black oil, which was used for next step without further purification.

[0617] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.29-7.26 (m, 2H), 7.19-7.16 (m, 3H), 4.99-4.84 (m, 1H), 4.29-4.28 (m, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.61-2.51 (m, 2H), 1.78-1.60 (m, 4H), 1.45 (s, 9H), 1.33-1.28 (m, 6H).

[0618] Preparation of compound BB-C134801. To a solution of **C134801-D** (750 mg, 2.15 mmol, 1 eq) in THF (5 mL) / H_2O (1 mL) was added $\text{LiOH}\cdot\text{H}_2\text{O}$ (90.06 mg, 2.15 mmol, 1 eq) at 0°C . The mixture was allowed to stir at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was acidified to pH=4 with HCl (1N) and extracted with MBTE (20 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give **BB-C134801** (700 mg, 2.09 mmol, 97.24% yield) as a yellow oil, which was used for next step without further purification.

[0619] Preparation of compound C134801-B. Zinc (6 g) was treated with 1N HCl aqueous (30 mL) with stirring for 10 min. Then it was filtered and washed with water (30 mL), EtOH (30 mL) and toluene (30 mL) in sequence, dried in vacuum to afford the zinc powder for next step. A mixture of activated Zn (2.62 g, 40.11 mmol, 4 eq) and I_2 (127.24 mg, 501.32 μmol , 100.98 μL , 0.05 eq) in DMA (10 mL) was stirred at 20°C for 5 min. Then **C134801-A** (3.3 g, 10.03 mmol, 1 eq) in DMA (10 mL) was added dropwise. The reaction mixture was stirred at 20°C for 25 min to give a black suspension. The reaction mixture (about 0.5015 mmol/mL) was used for next step without further purification.

[0620] Preparation of compound K101-C134801-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (200 mg, 338.55 μmol , 1 eq) in DCM (3 mL) were added **BB-C134801** (193.06 mg, 575.54 μmol , 1.7 eq), DMAP (165.44 mg, 1.35 mmol, 4 eq), HOBt (50.32 mg, 372.41 μmol , 1.1 eq) and EDCI (110.33 mg, 575.54 μmol , 1.7 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS showed the desired mass was found, and **K101-C20Tr-B** was remained. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr again. LCMS showed the desired mass was found, and **K101-C20Tr-B** was remained. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution again. LCMS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H_2O (10 mL) and extracted with MBTE (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and

concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100% PE to 40%) to give **K101-C134801-A** (210 mg, 231.23 μ mol, 68.30% yield) as a yellow solid.

[0621] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.58 (s, 1H), 7.44-7.42 (m, 6H), 7.31-7.26 (m, 7H), 7.26-7.17 (m, 7H), 5.60-5.59 (m, 1H), 5.26-5.17 (m, 1H), 5.95-5.93 (m, 1H), 4.28-4.27 (m, 1H), 3.52 (s, 2H), 3.27 (s, 1H), 2.94 (s, 1H), 2.61-2.43 (m, 5H), 2.09-2.05 (m, 1H), 2.04-1.99 (m, 1H), 1.78-1.77 (m, 4H), 1.58-1.56 (m, 1H), 1.54-1.52 (m, 1H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.33-1.28 (m, 6H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.08 (s, 3H), 0.88-0.78 (m, 4H).

[0622] Preparation of compound **K101-C134801** and **K101-C134801-C**. To a solution of **K101-C134801-A** (610.00 mg, 671.68 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (5 mL) was added TFA (2.76 g, 24.23 mmol, 1.79 mL, 36.08 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 1hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS and TLC (eluting with: EtOAc/MeOH=10/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by purging with N_2 . The residue from concentration was dissolved in MeOH (50 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred at 40°C for 12hr. LCMS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give **K101-C134801** (158 mg, 255.88 μ mol, 38.10% yield, 91.62% purity) as a white solid,, which was the final product, and **K101-C134801-C** (130 mg, 160.88 μ mol, 23.95% yield) as a yellow solid, which was an intermediate.

[0623] **K101-C134801**: LC-MS (m/z): 588.2 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$

[0624] **K101-C134801**: ^1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD) δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 7.30-7.10 (m, 5H), 5.65-5.55 (m, 1H), 4.00-3.90 (m, 2H), 3.50-3.45(m, 1H), 3.25-3.20 (m, 1H), 3.15-3.05 (m, 1H), 2.65-2.40 (m, 4H), 2.20-1.95 (m, 2H), 1.807-1.55 (m, 8H), 1.40-1.25 (m, 6H), 1.20 (s,3H), 1.10 (s,3H), 0.95-0.85 (m, 4H).

[0625] **K101-C134801-C**: ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.51 (s, 1H), 7.36-7.35 (m, 6H), 7.24-7.22 (m, 7H), 7.18-7.10 (m, 7H), 5.54 (s, 1H), 5.26 (brs, 1H), 3.45-3.42 (m, 2H), 3.36-3.34(m, 1H), 3.21 (s, 1H), 2.87 (s, 1H), 2.54-2.36 (m, 4H), 1.99-1.97 (m, 3H), 1.71 (s, 3H), 1.27-1.21 (m, 6H), 1.13 (s,3H), 1.01 (s,3H), 0.81-0.71 (m, 4H).

[0626] Preparation of compound **K101-C134801**. To a solution of **K101-C134801-C** (130 mg, 160.88 μ mol, 1 eq) in MeOH (5 mL) was added HClO_4 (32.32 mg, 321.76 μ mol, 19.47 μ L, 2 eq) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 0.5hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS and TLC (eluting with: EtOAc=10/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with saturated NaHCO_3 (10 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (20 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give the crude product. The crude

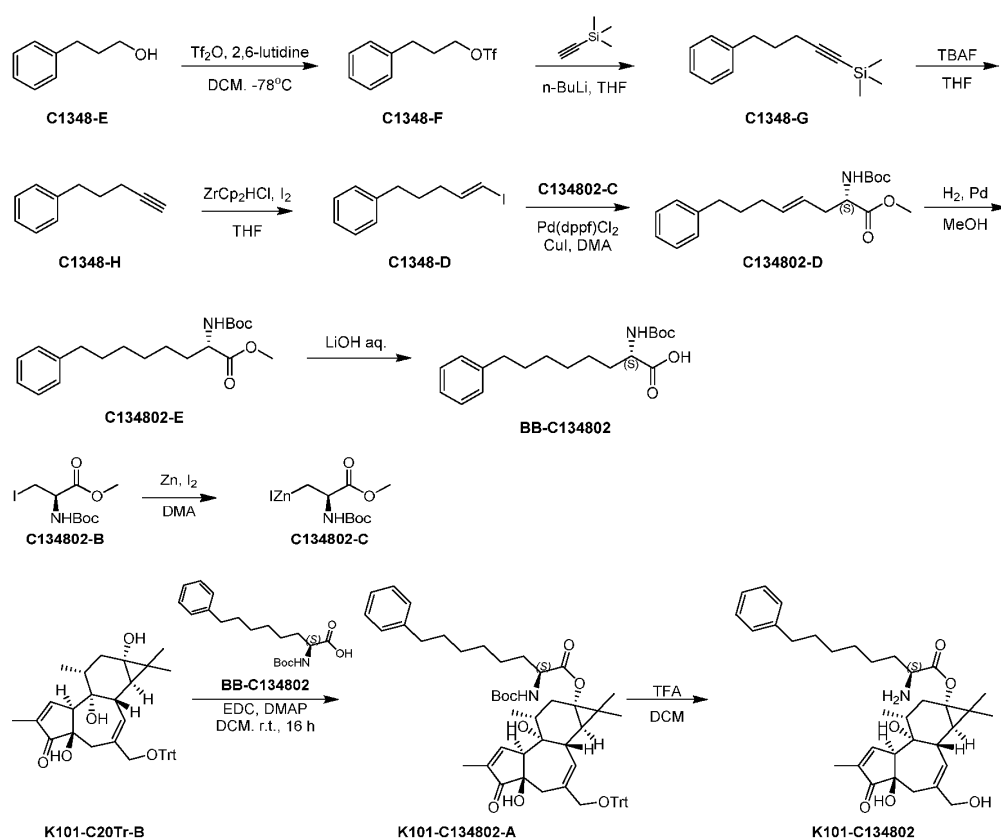
product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: EtOAc=10/1) to give **K101-C134801** (20.5 mg, 30.07 μ mol, 18.69% yield, 82.99% purity) as a white solid

[0627] LC-MS (m/z): 588.2 $[M+Na]^+$

[0628] 1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD): δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 7.30-7.10 (m, 5H), 5.65-5.55 (m, 1H), 4.00-3.90 (m, 2H), 3.50-3.45 (m, 1H), 3.25-3.20 (m, 1H), 3.15-3.05 (m, 1H), 2.65-2.40 (m, 4H), 2.20-1.95 (m, 2H), 1.807-1.55 (m, 8H), 1.40-1.25 (m, 6H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 0.95-0.85 (m, 4H).

Example 45B: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C134802**

[0629] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C134802** is illustrated below.



[0630] **Preparation of compound C1348-F.** To a solution of **C1348-E** (20 g, 146.85 mmol, 20.00 mL, 1 eq) in DCM (200 mL) was added 2,4-lutidine (25.18 g, 234.96 mmol, 27.16 mL, 1.6 eq) at $-78^\circ C$. Then triflic anhydride (Tf_2O) (45.58 g, 161.54 mmol, 26.65 mL, 1.1 eq) was added dropwise at $-78^\circ C$. The mixture was stirred at $-78^\circ C$ for 0.5hr to give a yellow suspension. TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=3/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was diluted with PE (40

mL). The mixture was poured into silica gel and washed with PE/EtOAc (4L, 4/1) to give **C1348-F** (30.5 g, 113.70 mmol, 77.42% yield) as yellow oil.

[0631] Preparation of compound C1348-G. To a solution of ethynyl(trimethyl)silane (15.25 g, 155.30 mmol, 21.51 mL, 1.49 eq) in THF (200 mL) was added dropwise n-BuLi (2.5 M, 51.67 mL, 1.24 eq) at -78°C. The mixture was warmed to 0°C for 30min. Then **C1348-F** (28 g, 104.38 mmol, 1 eq) was added dropwise at -78°C. The mixture was warmed to 0°C for 1hr to give a yellow solution. TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=10/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with saturated NH₄Cl (200 mL) and extracted with MBTE (150 mL x 2). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **C1348-G** (25 g, crude) as a yellow oil, which was used for next step without further purification.

[0632] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.30-7.18 (m, 5H), 3.80-3.70 (m, 1H), 2.80-2.69 (m, 2H), 2.26-2.22 (m, 2H), 1.89-1.84 (m, 2H), 0.23-0.09 (m, 9H).

[0633] Preparation of compound C1348-H. To a solution of **C1348-G** (25 g, 115.53 mmol, 1 eq) in THF (50 mL) was added tetra-n-butylammonium fluoride (TBAF) (1 M, 150.19 mL, 1.3 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 1hr to give a yellow solution. TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=10/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (300 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (150 x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by a flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100%PE to 5%) to give **C1348-H** (9.5 g, 65.88 mmol, 57.02% yield) as a colorless oil.

[0634] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.32-7.13 (m, 5H), 2.74-2.65 (m, 2H), 2.14-2.11 (m, 5H), 1.93 (s, 1H), 1.80-1.67 (m, 2H).

[0635] Preparation of compound C1348-D. To a solution of **C1348-H** (3 g, 20.80 mmol, 1 eq) in THF (50 mL) was added ZrCp₂HCl (8.88 g, 33.28 mmol, 1.6 eq) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 2.5hr, then stirred at 20°C for 1hr. I₂ (6.34 g, 24.96 mmol, 5.03 mL, 1.2 eq) in THF (10 mL) was added at -78°C. The mixture was stirred at -78°C for 1hr. The mixture was allowed to stir at 0°C for 1hr to give a brown suspension. TLC (eluting with:PE=100%) showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was quenched with HCl (0.1N, 200 mL). The mixture was extracted with EtOAc (30 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by column silica (eluting with: PE=100%) to give **C1348-D** (3.8 g, 13.96 mmol, 67.13% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0636] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.34-7.21 (m, 2H), 7.19-7.15 (m, 3H), 6.55-6.51 (m, 1H), 6.02-5.99 (m, 1H), 2.64-2.60 (m, 2H), 2.10-2.07 (m, 2H), 1.73-1.71 (m, 2H).

[0637] Preparation of compound C134802-D. To a solution of **C134802-C** (4.35 g, 11.02 mmol, 1.5 eq) in DMA (10 mL) were added CuI (139.97 mg, 734.96 μmol, 0.1 eq) and **C1348-D** (2 g, 7.35

mmol, 1 eq) and Pd(dppf)Cl₂ (537.77 mg, 734.96 μmol, 0.1 eq) under N₂. The mixture was stirred under N₂ at 90°C for 12hr to give a black suspension. LCMS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=4/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (200 mL) and extracted with MBTE (100mLx 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100%PE to 10%) to give **C134802-D** (1 g, 2.88 mmol, 39.16% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0638] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.30-7.27 (m, 1H), 7.20-7.16 (m, 1H), 5.58-5.1 (m, 1H), 5.34-5.26 (m, 1H), 5.02-5.00 (m, 2H), 4.37-4.32 (m, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.62-2.58 (m, 2H), 2.48-2.44 (m, 2H), 2.07-2.02 (m, 2H), 1.71-1.66 (m, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H).

[0639] Preparation of compound C134802-E. To a solution of **C134802-D** (1 g, 2.88 mmol, 1 eq) in MeOH (20 mL) was added Pd/C (200 mg, 2.88 mmol, 50% purity, 1 eq) under N₂. The suspension was degassed under vacuum and purged with H₂ several times. The mixture was stirred under H₂ (15psi) at 20°C for 12 hours to give a yellow solution. LCMS and TLC(eluting with: PE/EtOAc=4/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was filtered on celite and washed with MeOH (60 mL). The filtrate was concentrated to give **C134802-E** (800 mg, 2.29 mmol, 79.54% yield) as a yellow oil, which was used for next step without further purification.

[0640] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.31-6.98 (m, 5H), 5.05-4.98 (m, 1H), 4.31-4.26 (m, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.61-2.57 (m, 2H), 1.76-1.62 (m, 4H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.33-1.22 (m, 4H).

[0641] Preparation of compound BB-C134802. To a solution of **C134802-E** (700 mg, 2.00 mmol, 1 eq) in THF (10 mL) /H₂O (1.4 mL) was added LiOH.H₂O (84.06 mg, 2.00 mmol, 1 eq) at 0°C. The mixture was allowed to stir at 25°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS and TLC (eluting with: EtOAc=100%) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was extracted with MBTE (20 mL). The water layer was acidified to pH=3 with HCl (0.5N) and extracted with EtOAc(30 mLx 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **BB-C134802** (560 mg, 1.61 mmol, 80.54% yield, 96.63% purity, 98.7% ee%) as a yellow oil.

[0642] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.28-7.16 (m, 5H), 7.05-7.03 (m, 1H), 3.87-3.81 (m, 1H), 2.57-2.55 (m, 2H), 1.61-1.53 (m, 4H), 1.37 (s, 9H), 1.32-1.18 (m, 6H).

[0643] Preparation of compound K101-C134802-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (200 mg, 338.55 μmol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (5 mL) were added **BB-C134802** (136.28 mg, 406.27 μmol, 1.2 eq), DMAP (165.45 mg, 1.35 mmol, 4.00 eq), HOBT (48.03 mg, 355.48 μmol, 1.05 eq) and EDCI (77.88 mg, 406.27 μmol, 1.2 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS showed desired mass was found and **K101-C20Tr-B** was remained. The reaction was stirred at 20°C for 16hr again to give yellow solution. LCMS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ (50 mL) and extracted

with DCM (80 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C134802-A** (200 mg, 220.22 μmol, 65.05% yield) as a yellow solid.

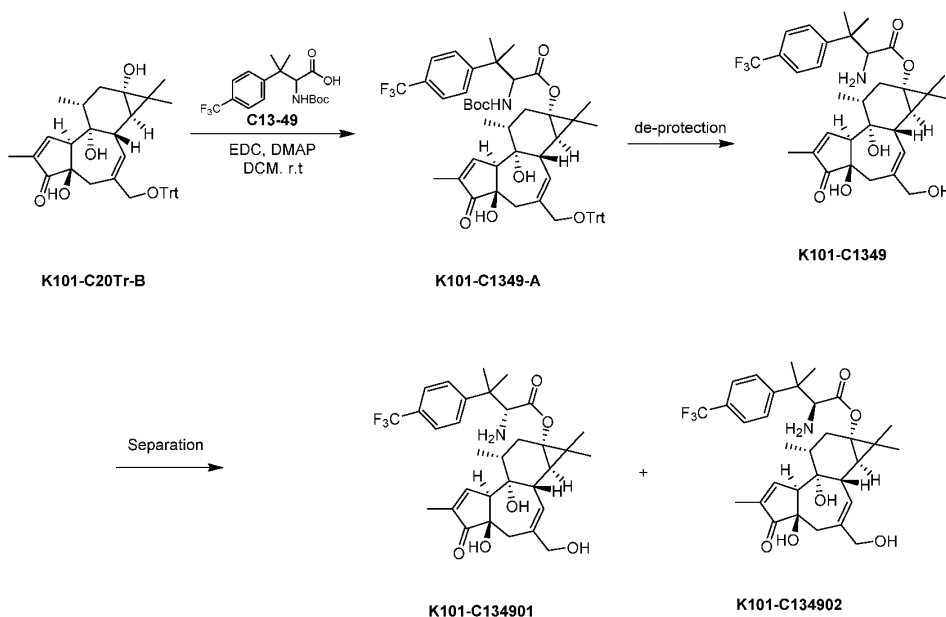
[0644] Preparation of compound K101-C134802. To a solution of **K101-C134802-A** (340.00 mg, 374.38 μmol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (5 mL) was added TFA (1.54 g, 13.51 mmol, 1 mL, 36.08 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 1hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by purging with N₂. The residue was dissolved in MeOH (50 mL). The reaction mixture was stirred at 40°C for 12hr. LCMS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give **K101-C134802** (107 mg, 170.84 μmol, 45.63% yield, 90.33% purity) as a white solid.

[0645] LC-MS (m/z): 566.4 [M+H]⁺

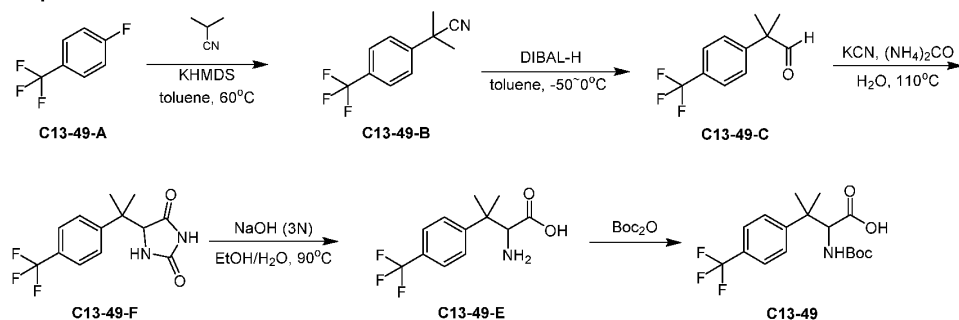
[0646] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD): δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 7.30-7.10 (m, 5H), 5.70-5.60 (m, 1H), 4.0-3.90 (m, 2H), 3.50-3.40 (m, 1H), 3.20-3.0 (m, 2H), 2.70-2.55 (m, 2H), 2.55-2.40 (m, 2H), 2.15-2.05 (m, 2H), 1.85-1.45 (m, 8H), 1.45-1.30 (m, 6H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 0.95-0.90 (m, 4H).

Example 46: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1349**.

[0647] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1349** is illustrated below.



Preparation of C13-49:



[0648] Preparation of Compound C13-49-B. To a solution of **C13-49-A** (1.00 g, 6.09 mmol, 775.19 uL, 1.00 eq) in toluene (5.00 mL) were added 2-methylpropanenitrile (1.68 g, 24.36 mmol, 4.00 eq) and KHMDS (1 M, 9.14 mL, 1.50 eq). The mixture was stirred at 60°C for 12hr to give a black solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=5/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with Sat.NH₄Cl (50 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (30 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100%PE to 10/1) to give **C13-49-B** (1.10 g, 5.16 mmol, 84.72% yield) as a colorless oil.

[0649] Preparation of Compound C13-49-C. To a solution of **C13-49-B** (1.10 g, 5.16 mmol, 1.00 eq) in toluene (10.00 mL) was added dropwise diisobutylaluminium hydride (1 M, 6.71 mL, 1.30 eq) at -50°C. The mixture was stirred at -50°C for 0.5hr and then stirred at 0°C for 0.5hr to give a colorless solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂SO₄ (1.5M, 9 mL), stirred at 0°C for 3hr, and allowed to stand for 12hr. The mixture was extracted with MTBE (30 mL x 3), the combined organic layers dried over Na₂SO₄ and then concentrated to give **C13-49-C** (1.30 g, crude) as a colorless oil.

[0650] Preparation of Compound C13-49-F. To a solution of **C13-49-C** (1.60 g, 7.40 mmol, 1.00 eq) in H₂O (20.00 mL) were added (NH₄)₂CO₃ (1.42 g, 14.80 mmol, 1.58 mL, 2.00 eq) and KCN (481.92 mg, 7.40 mmol, 317.05 uL, 1.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 110°C for 12hr to give a yellow suspension. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give the crude product, which was washed with PE/H₂O (3:1, 50 mL) and filtered to give **C13-49-F** (1.40 g, 4.89 mmol, 66.09% yield) as a yellow solid.

[0651] Preparation of Compound C13-49-E. To a solution of **C13-49-F** (900.00 mg, 3.14 mmol, 1.00 eq) in EtOH (2.00 mL) was added NaOH (3 M, 5.23 mL, 5.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 100°C for 12hr to give a yellow suspension. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was used for next step without further purification.

[0652] Preparation of Compound C13-49. Boc₂O (1.37 g, 6.28 mmol, 1.44 mL, 2.00 eq) was added to the preparation of **C13-49-E** and the mixture stirred at 10°C for 12hr to give a yellow suspension. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was diluted with H₂O (20 mL) and extracted with PE (30 mL x 3). The water layer was adjusted to pH 4 with HCl (1N) and extracted with EtOAc (30 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **C13-49** (1.05 g, 2.91 mmol, 92.54% yield) as a yellow gum. The product was used for next step without further purification.

[0653] Preparation of Compound K101-C1349-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (50.00 mg, 84.64 µmol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) were added **C13-49** (91.75 mg, 253.92 µmol, 3.00 eq), DMAP (41.36 mg, 338.56 µmol, 4.00 eq), HOBT (13.72 mg, 101.57 µmol, 1.20 eq) and EDC (32.45 mg, 169.28 µmol, 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was combined with a second preparation, and quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ (20 mL). The mixture was extracted with DCM (20 mL x 3) and the combined organic layers dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1349-A** (60.00 mg, 64.23 µmol, 63.24% yield) as a white solid.

[0654] Preparation of Compound K101-C1349. To a solution of **K101-C1349-A** (60.00 mg, 64.23 µmol, 1.00 eq) in tetrahydrofuran (THF) (3.00 mL) was added TFA (1.54 g, 13.51 mmol, 1.00 mL,

210.28 eq), and the mixture stirred at 10°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated, dissolved in MeOH (30 mL), and the stirred at 40°C for 12hr. The mixture was concentrated to give the crude product, which was then dissolved in saturated NaHCO₃ (10 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (20 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC(eluting with: EtOAc / MeOH=10/1) to give **K101-C134901** (11.50 mg, 18.45 μmol, 28.72% yield, 94.9% purity) and **K101-C134902** (10.60 mg, 15.28 μmol, 23.79% yield, 85.3% purity) as white solids.

[0655] **K101-C134901** LC-MS (m/z): 614.3 [M+Na]⁺

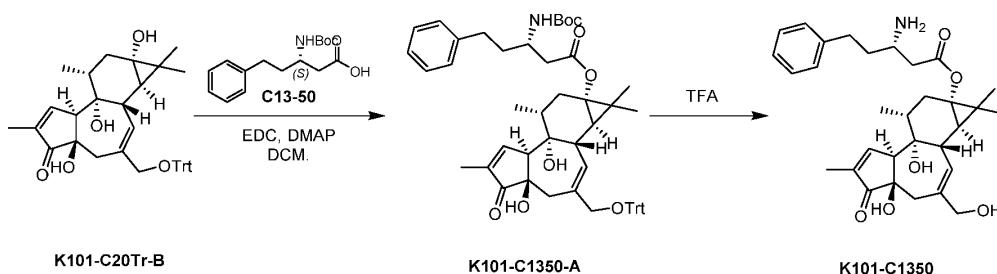
[0656] **K101-C134901** ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ7.65 (s, 4H), 7.53 (s, 1H), 5.55-5.53 (m, 1H), 3.99-3.92 (m, 2H), 3.68(s, 1H), 3.15 (s, 1H), 3.01 (s, 1H), 2.54-2.41 (m, 2H), 2.04-1.98 (m, 2H), 1.76-1.75 (m, 3H), 1.52-1.45 (m, 6H), 1.31-1.28 (m, 1H), 1.01(s, 3H), 0.89-0.86 (m, 6H), 0.57-0.55 (m, 1H).

[0657] **K101-C134902** LC-MS (m/z): 614.3 [M+Na]⁺

[0658] **K101-C134902** ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ7.65 (s, 4H), 7.53 (s, 1H), 5.55-5.53 (m, 1H), 3.93-3.89 (m, 2H), 3.67(s, 1H), 3.16 (s, 1H), 3.00 (s, 1H), 2.48-2.40 (m, 2H), 1.94-1.93 (m, 1H), 1.75-1.69 (m, 4H), 1.49-1.48 (m, 6H), 1.04-1.01 (m, 4H), 0.97-0.96 (m, 3H), 0.84-0.80 (m, 4H).

Example 47: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1350**.

[0659] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1350** is illustrated below.



[0660] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1350-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added **C13-50** (74.49 mg, 253.91 μmol, 5.00 eq), EDC (58.41 mg, 304.70 μmol, 6.00 eq) and DMAP (37.22 mg, 304.70 μmol, 6.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (15 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give a yellow oil. The product was purified by

prep-TLC (eluting with Petroleum ether: Ethyl acetate = 3/1) to give **K101-C1350-A** (25.00 mg, 28.87 μmol , 56.84% yield) as a white solid.

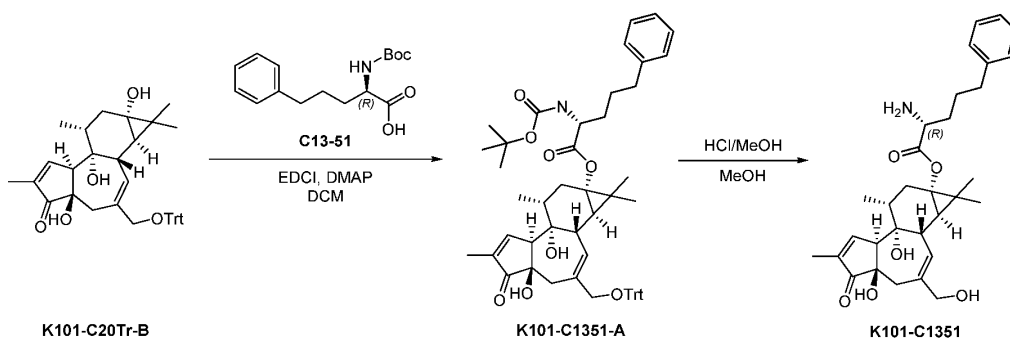
[0661] Preparation of Compound K101-C1350. To a solution of **K101-C1350-A** (25.00 mg, 28.87 μmol , 1.00 eq) in THF (1.00 mL) were added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 μL , 233.92 eq) and Et_3SiH (3.36 mg, 28.87 μmol , 4.60 μL , 1.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 5hr and then concentrated to give a yellow oil. The product was dissolved with DCM (1 mL), followed by addition of TFA (0.5 mL). The mixture stirred at 20°C for 1hr to give a yellow oil. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. Following concentration, the resultant yellow oil was dissolved with MeOH (2 mL), and the mixture stirred at 20°C for 14hr. The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μm ; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 23%-53%, 10min), and the organic layers lyophilized to give **K101-C1350** (6.00 mg, 9.41 μmol , 32.59% yield, 100% purity, TFA) as a white solid.

[0662] LC-MS (m/z): 546.2 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$

[0663] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD) δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 7.35-7.22 (m, 5H), 5.64 (s, 1H), 4.00-3.96 (m, 2H), 3.59-3.56 (m, 1H), 3.19 (s, 1H), 3.08 (s, 1H), 2.87-2.86 (m, 1H), 2.77-2.74 (m, 3H), 2.52-2.46 (m, 2H), 2.19-2.18 (m, 1H), 2.03-1.99 (m, 3H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.68-1.64 (m, 1H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 0.98-0.93 (m, 3H).

Example 48: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1351**.

[0664] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1351** is illustrated below.



[0665] Preparation of Compound K101-C1351-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 eq) and **C13-51** (72.31 mg, 152.34 μmol , 3.00 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added EDCI (38.94 mg, 203.12 μmol , 4.00 eq) and DMAP (24.82 mg, 203.12 μmol , 4.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 18h to give a yellow solution. The reaction was complete as detected by LC-MS. The reaction solution was diluted with H_2O (15 mL), and extracted with DCM (10 mL x 5). The combined organic layers were dried over anhydrous Na_2SO_4 , filtered, and then concentrated

under reduced pressure to give a white solid. The product was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=3/1, SiO₂) to give **K101-C1351-A** (30.30 mg, 34.98 μ mol, 59.39% yield) as a pale yellow solid.

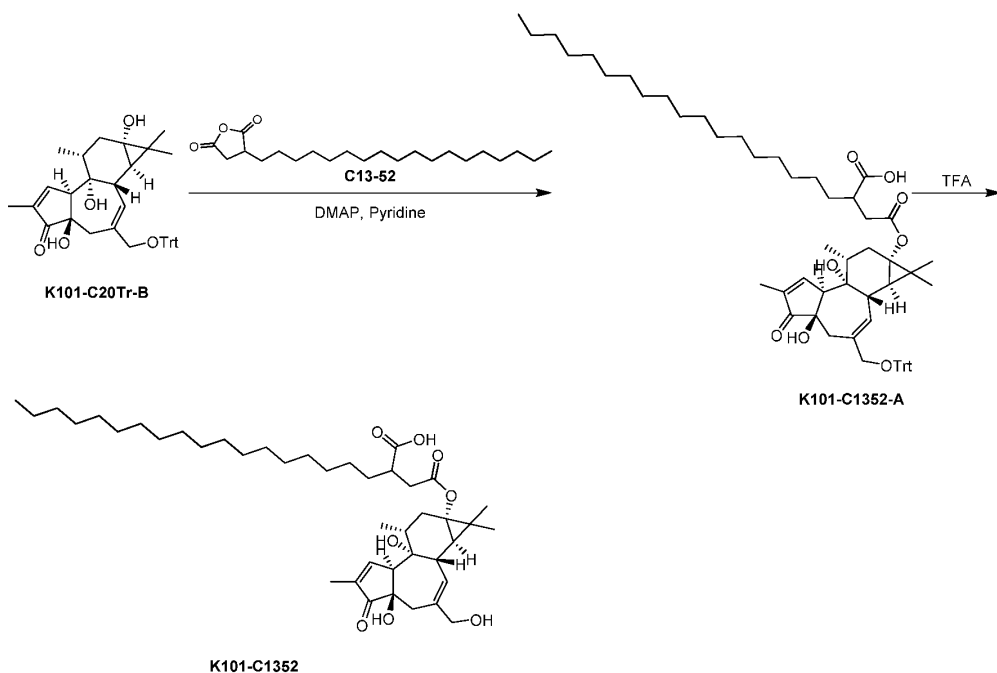
[0666] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1351**. To a solution of **K101-C1351-A** (30.00 mg, 34.64 μ mol, 1.00 *eq*) in MeOH (500.00 uL) was added HCl/MeOH (4 M, 500.03 uL, 57.74 *eq*). The solution was stirred at 20°C for 14h to give a colorless solution. The reaction was complete as detected by LC-MS. The reaction solution was diluted with H₂O (10 mL), neutralized with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃, and then extracted with DCM (8 mL x 5). The combined organic layers were dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and then concentrated under reduced pressure to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25 mm x 10 μ m; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 23%-53%, 10 min) to give **K101-C1351** (3.80 mg, 7.26 μ mol, 20.95% yield, 100% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0667] LC-MS (m/z): 546.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0668] ¹H NMR (400MHz, MeOD) δ 7.58-7.53 (m, 1H), 7.31-7.25 (m, 2H), 7.22-7.15 (m, 3H), 5.63-5.58 (m, 1H), 4.00-3.90 (m, 2H), 3.89-3.85 (m, 1H), 3.18-3.14 (m, 1H), 3.09-3.03 (m, 1H), 2.68 (t, *J*=6.8 Hz, 2H), 2.57-2.49 (m, 1H), 2.45-2.38 (m, 1H), 2.17 (dd, *J*=6.9, 14.7 Hz, 1H), 2.10-2.01 (m, 1H), 1.95-1.86 (m, 1H), 1.83-1.73 (m, 5H), 1.72-1.65 (m, 1H), 1.58 (dd, *J*=10.3, 14.6 Hz, 1H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 0.95-0.88 (m, 4H).

Example 49: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1352**.

[0669] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1352** is illustrated below.



[0670] Preparation of Compound K101-C1352-A: To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 eq) in Py (1.00 mL) were added **C13-52** (179.04 mg, 507.80 μmol , 10.0eq) and DMAP (12.41 mg, 101.56 μmol , 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 90°C for 14hr in sealed tube to give a brown solution. LCMS showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give a black oil. The black oil was dissolved by DCM (5 mL) and was adjusted to pH=4 with HCl (0.1 M) to give a yellow liquid. The yellow liquid was dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give a yellow oil. The yellow oil was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with Dichloromethane: Methanol = 10/1) to give **K101-C1352-A** (15.00 mg, 15.90 μmol , 31.31% yield) as a white solid.

[0671] Preparation of Compound K101-C1350: To a solution of **K101-C1352-A** (15.00 mg, 15.90 μmol , 1.00 eq) in THF (2.00 mL) were added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 μL , 424.73 eq) and Et_3SiH (1.85 mg, 15.90 μmol , 2.53 μL , 1.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 5hr to give a colorless solution. LCMS showed the mass of **K101-C1352-A** was remained, then DCM (1 mL) was added. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14hr to give a colorless solution. LCMS and TLC (eluting with Dichloromethane: Methanol = 8/1) showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give a yellow solid. The yellow solid was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with Dichloromethane: Methanol = 8/1). The organic layers were concentrated to give a white solid.

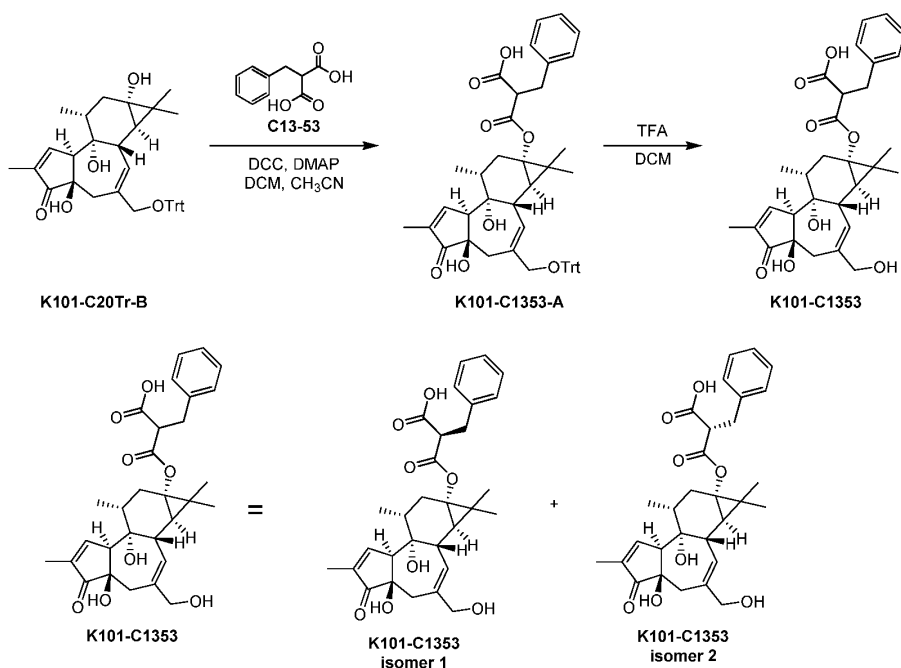
[0672] The white solid was dissolved with MeCN (1 mL) and H₂O (5 mL), then was lyophilized to give **K101-C1352** (2.00 mg, 2.11 μ mol, 13.28% yield, 74% purity) as a white solid.

[0673] LC-MS (m/z): 724.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0674] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.53 (s, 1H), 5.59 (s, 1H), 3.95 (s, 2H), 3.15 (s, 1H), 3.06 (m, 1H), 2.64-2.44 (m, 4H), 2.08-2.02 (m, 3H), 1.72 (s, 3H), 1.60-1.57 (m, 4H), 1.27 (s, 30H), 1.18 (s, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 0.89-0.86 (m, 7H).

Example 50: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1353**.

[0675] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1353** is illustrated below.



[0676] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1353-A**: To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 eq), 2-benzylpropanedioic acid (59.17 mg, 304.68 μ mol, 6.00 eq) and DMAP (6.20 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in a mixed solvent of DCM (1.50 mL) and CH₃CN (1.50 mL) was added a solution of DCC (31.43 mg, 152.34 μ mol, 3.00 eq) in DCM (1.50 mL) at 0°C dropwise. Then the reaction solution was stirred at 0°C for 15 minutes and 15 °C for 2 hours to give a brown solution. LCMS showed the reaction was completed and the desired MS was observed. The reaction solution was combined with ES5329-254 (10 mg of **K101-C20Tr-B** was used in this batch) and diluted with DCM (5 mL), washed with 0.1 M HCl solution (5 mL x 2), brine (1 mL), dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, concentrated under reduced pressure to give the crude product as a brown gum. The crude product was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=1/1, SiO₂) to give **K101-C1353-A** (30.50 mg, 78.32% yield) as a colorless gum. The structure would be confirmed in the next step.

[0677] Preparation of Compound K101-C1353: To a solution of **K101-C1353-A** (25.00 mg, 32.60 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.50 mL) was added TFA (500.00 μ L) at 0°C. Then the reaction solution was stirred at 0°C for 1 hour to give a clear solution. The reaction solution was quenched by water (2 mL) and then sat. aq. NaHCO₃ solution was added at 0°C to render pH to 6-7. Then the mixture was extracted with DCM (5 mL x 2). The combined extract was washed with brine (5 mL), dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, concentrated under reduced pressure to give 22.1 mg of brown gum as the crude product. The crude product was purified by prep-TLC (DCM/MeOH=10/1) to give 15 mg of product.

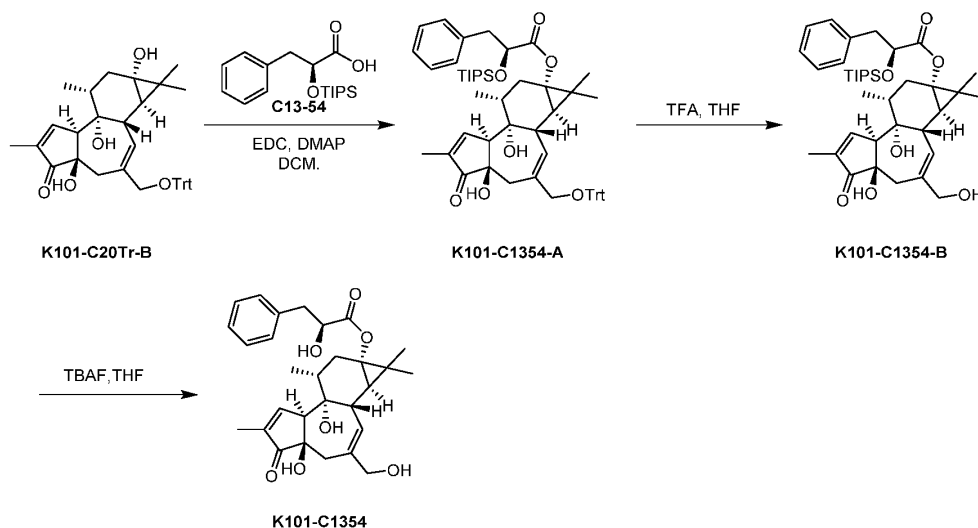
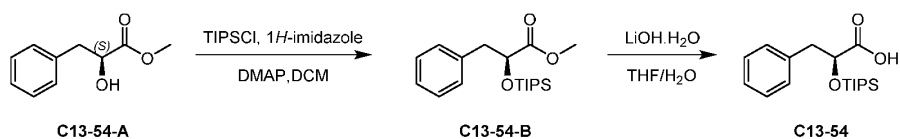
[0678] The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150*25mm*10 μ m; mobile phase: [water (0.1% TFA)-ACN]; B%: 35%-65%, 10min) to give **K101-C1353** (5.30 mg, 30.74% yield, 99.2% purity) as a white solid after lyophilization. Note: the product is a mixture of two isomers as shown in the synthetic scheme with a ratio of about 1:1 based on NMR and HPLC.

[0679] LC-MS (m/z): 547.7 [M+Na]⁺

[0680] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.57-7.50 (m, 1H), 7.33-7.18 (m, 5H), 5.62-5.51 (m, 1H), 3.99-3.87 (m, 2H), 3.79-3.68 (m, 1H), 3.26-3.07 (m, 3H), 3.06-2.96 (m, 1H), 2.56-2.37 (m, 2H), 2.07-1.89 (m, 2H), 1.77-1.71 (m, 2H), 1.77-1.70 (m, 1H), 1.49-1.27 (m, 1H), 1.07 (s, 1H), 1.01 (d, *J*=4.0 Hz, 3H), 0.92-0.80 (m, 5H), 0.59 (d, *J*=5.8 Hz, 1H).

Example 51: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1354**.

[0681] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1354** is illustrated below.

**Preparation of C13-54:**

[0682] Preparation of Compound C13-54-B: To a solution of methyl **C13-54-A** (499.15 mg, 2.77 mmol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (2.00 mL) was added triisopropylsilyl chloride (TIPSCl) (640.87 mg, 3.32 mmol, 712.08 μ L, 1.20 eq), imidazole (565.74 mg, 8.31 mmol, 3.00 eq) and DMAP (33.84 mg, 277.00 μ mol, 0.10 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14hr to give a white suspension. LCMS and TLC showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was combined with ES5890-138, then was quenched with H₂O (20 mL) and extracted with DCM (20 mL *5). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and then was purified by flash chromatography (eluting with Petroleum ether: Ethyl acetate = 0/1-3/1) to give **C13-54-B** (900 mg, 2.67 mmol, 96.54% yield) as a colorless oil.

[0683] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.26 (s, 2H), 7.24 - 7.18 (m, 3H), 4.53 (dd, J=5.8, 7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.65 (s, 3H), 3.10 - 2.91 (m, 2H), 1.56 (s, 4H), 1.06 - 1.02 (m, 3H), 1.02 - 0.94 (m, 18H).

[0684] Preparation of Compound C1354: To a solution of **C13-54-B** (800.00 mg, 2.38 mmol, 1.00 eq) in THF (5.00 mL) and H₂O (1.00 mL) was added LiOH.H₂O (499.32 mg, 11.90 mmol, 5.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 45°C for 14hr to give a white suspension. LCMS showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (20 mL) and extracted with PE (20 mL *3). The water layers were adjusted to pH 6 with HCl (1N), then was extracted with DCM (20 mL *3). The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄ and filtered on silica gel. The filtrate was concentrated to give **C1354** (500 mg, 1.55 mmol, 65.14% yield) as a buff oil.

[0685] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.31 - 7.27 (m, 2H), 7.26 - 7.19 (m, 3H), 4.66 (t, J =5.0 Hz, 1H), 3.10 (d, J =5.0 Hz, 2H), 1.09 - 0.98 (m, 21H)

[0686] Preparation of Compound K101-C1354-A: To a solution of (2S)-3-phenyl-2-triisopropylsilyloxy-propanoic acid (87.35 mg, 270.84 μmol , 4 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) was added DCC (55.88 mg, 270.84 μmol , 54.79 μL , 4 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 0.5hr to give a solution. Then K101-C20Tr-B (40 mg, 67.71 μmol , 1.00 eq) and DMAP (66.18 mg, 541.69 μmol , 8 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14hr to give a white suspension. LCMS and TLC showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was combined with ES5890-150, then was quenched with H_2O (15 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL *5). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give yellow oil. The yellow oil was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with Petroleum ether: Ethyl acetate = 4/1) to give K101-C1354-A (15.00 mg, 15.90 μmol , 31.31% yield) as a white solid.

[0687] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3) δ = 7.58 (s, 1H), 7.45 (d, J =7.5 Hz, 6H), 7.33 - 7.27 (m, 6H), 7.25 - 7.15 (m, 8H), 5.65-5.55 (m, 1H), 5.42 (s, 1H), 4.61 (t, J =5.3 Hz, 1H), 3.52 (s, 2H), 3.30-3.20 (m, 1H), 3.05 (d, J =5.8 Hz, 2H), 2.86 (s, 1H), 2.53 - 2.28 (m, 2H), 1.99 - 1.82 (m, 3H), 1.77 (d, J =1.5 Hz, 3H), 1.03 - 0.96 (m, 21H), 0.91 - 0.80 (m, 6H), 0.55 (d, J =5.0 Hz, 1H)

[0688] Preparation of Compound K101-C1354-B: To a solution of K101-C1354-A (25 mg, 27.93 μmol , 1 eq) in THF (1 mL) was added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 μL , 241.82 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 14hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS (ES5890-154-P1A) showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give a yellow oil, the yellow oil was dissolved with MeOH (10 mL). The mixture was stirred at 40°C for 14hr to give a yellow solution. The yellow solution was concentrated to give K101-C1354-B as yellow oil. The yellow oil was used next step without further purification.

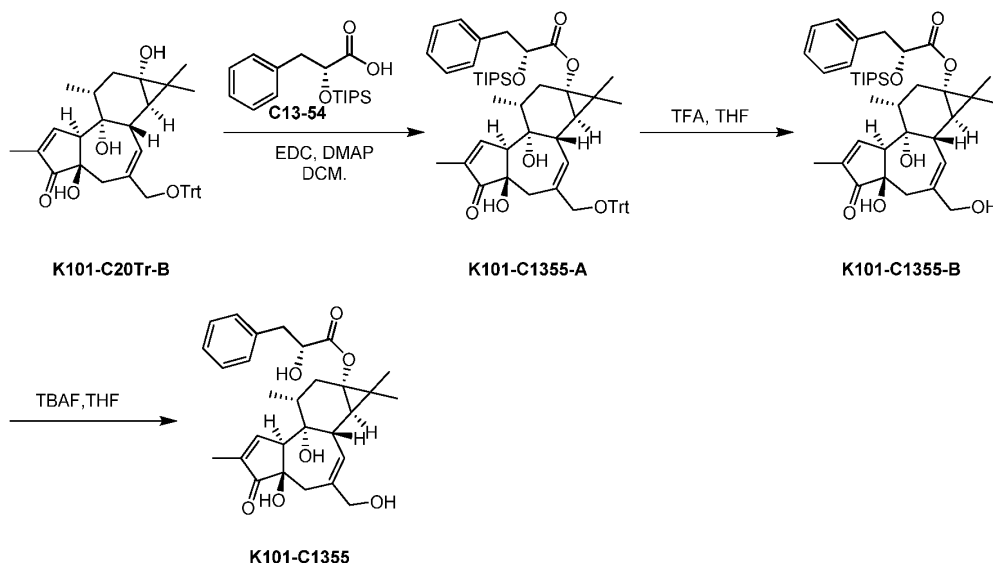
[0689] Preparation of Compound K101-C1354: To a solution of K101-C1354-B (18.23 mg, 27.92 μmol , 1 eq) in THF (1 mL) was added TBAF (1 M, 55.84 μL , 2 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 14 hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS and TLC showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give a yellow oil. The yellow oil was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with Ethyl acetate: Petroleum ether = 3/1) to give K101-C1354 (3.5 mg, 7.05 μmol , 25.24% yield, 100% purity) as a white solid. 3.5 mg was delivered.

[0690] LC-MS (m/z): 519.1 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$

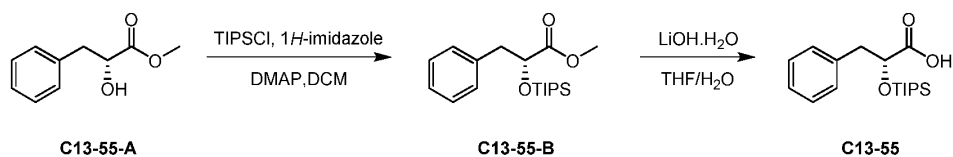
[0691] ^1H NMR (400MHz, MeOD) δ = 7.56 (s, 1H), 7.35 - 7.18 (m, 5H), 5.62 (s, 1H), 4.40 (dd, J =4.6, 7.7 Hz, 1H), 4.01 - 3.88 (m, 2H), 3.22 - 2.91 (m, 4H), 2.60 - 2.37 (m, 2H), 2.12 - 1.95 (m, 3H), 1.76 (d, J =1.5 Hz, 3H), 1.09 (d, J =18.1 Hz, 6H), 0.92 - 0.82 (m, 4H)

Example 52: Synthesis Scheme of K101-C1355.

[0692] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1355** is illustrated below.



Preparation of C13-55:



[0693] **Preparation of Compound C13-55-B:** To a solution of **C13-55-B** (100.00 mg, 601.79 μ mol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) was added imidazole (122.91 mg, 1.81 mmol, 3.00 eq), DMAP (73.52 mg, 601.79 μ mol, 1.00 eq) and TIPSCl (139.23 mg, 722.15 μ mol, 154.70 μ L, 1.20 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 12hr to give a yellow suspension. LCMS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=5/1) showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ (15mL) and extracted with DCM (20 mL*3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=5/1) to give **C13-55-B** (150.00 mg, 465.10 μ mol, 77.29% yield) as a colorless oil.

[0694] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.41-7.26 (m, 5H), 4.54-4.51 (t, *J*=6.0Hz, 1H), 3.65 (s, 3H), 3.09-2.95 (m, 2H), 1.06-0.98 (m, 21H).

[0695] **Preparation of Compound C13-55:** To a solution of **C13-55-B** (1.90 g, 5.65 mmol, 1.00 eq) in THF (10.00 mL) / H₂O (2.00 mL) was added LiOH.H₂O (1.19 g, 28.25 mmol, 5.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 40°C for 12hr to give a yellow suspension. LCMS showed the reaction was

completed. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give the residue. The residue was acidified to pH=4 with HCl (1N) and extracted with EtOAc (20 mL*3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **C13-55** (1.10 g, 3.41 mmol, 60.37% yield) as a yellow oil. Used for next step without further purification.

[0696] ¹H NMR (400MHz, DMSO): δ 7.29-7.19 (m, 5H), 4.59-4.13 (m, 1H), 3.01-2.80 (s, 2H), 3.09-2.95 (m, 2H), 1.22-1.02 (m, 1H), 1.01-0.84 (m, 20H).

[0697] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1355-A**: Preparation of Compound **K101-C1355-A**: To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added **C13-55** (32.76 mg, 101.57 μmol, 2.00 eq) and DMAP (6.20 mg, 50.78 μmol, 1.00 eq), DCC (20.96 mg, 101.57 μmol, 2.00 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 12hr to give yellow solution. LCMS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed 61.484% of desired mass was found, and 23.129% of **K101-C20Tr-B** was remained. The reaction mixture was combined with ES5350-274. The mixture was quenched with H₂O (10 mL) and extracted with DCM (20 mL*3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1355-A** (0.03 g, 33.51 μmol, 65.99% yield) as a white solid.

[0698] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.60 (s, 1H), 7.46-7.37 (m, 6H), 7.30-7.28 (m, 6H), 7.25-7.22 (m, 8H), 5.59 (s, 1H), 4.49-4.46 (m, 1H), 3.52 (s, 2H), 3.27 (s, 1H), 3.10-2.86 (m, 3H), 2.46-2.38 (m, 2H), 2.09-2.05 (m, 2H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.28-1.25 (m, 3H), 1.03-1.02 (m, 18H), 0.97-0.84 (m, 11H), 0.56-0.54 (m, 1H).

[0699] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1355-B**: To a solution of **K101-C1355-A** (0.03 g, 33.51 μmol, 1 eq) in THF (3 mL) was added TFA (3.82 mg, 33.51 μmol, 2.48 uL, 1 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 12hr to give yellow solution. LCMS showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give the residue by purging with N₂. The residue was dissolved in MeOH (20 mL). The mixture was stirred at 40°C for 12hr. The mixture was concentrated to give **K101-C1355-B** (0.022 g, crude) as a yellow solid. Used for next step without further purification.

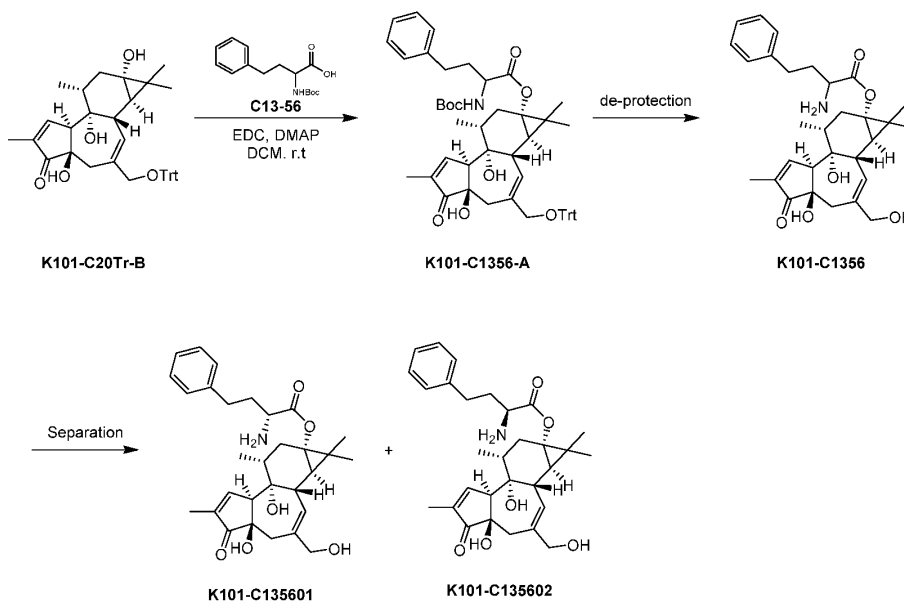
[0700] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1355**: To a solution of **K101-C1355-B** (0.022 g, 33.69 μmol, 1 eq) in THF (3 mL) was added TBAF (1 M, 67.39 uL, 2 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS and TLC (eluting with: EtOAc/PE=2/1) showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give the crude product by purging with N₂. The crude product was prep-TLC (eluting with: EtOAc/PE=3/1) and lyophilized to give **K101-C1355** (5.3 mg, 10.67 μmol, 31.68% yield) as a white solid. 5.3 mg was delivered.

[0701] LC-MS (m/z): 519.1 [M+Na]⁺

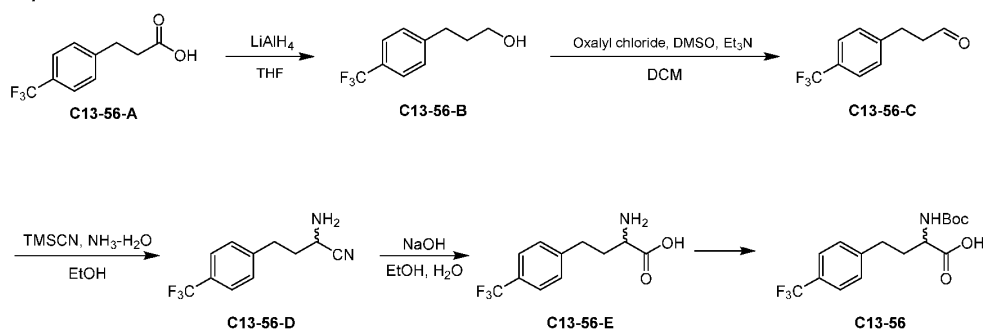
[0702] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD) δ 7.57 (s, 1H), 7.31-7.23 (m, 5H), 5.61 (s, 1H), 4.37-4.34 (m, 1H), 4.00-3.96 (s, 2H), 3.18 (s, 1H), 3.12-3.06 (m, 2H), 2.98-2.94 (m, 1H), 2.51-2.46 (m, 2H), 2.12-2.03 (m, 2H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.57-1.54 (m, 1H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 1.00 (s, 3H), 0.93-0.91 (m, 3H), 0.78-0.76 (m, 1H).

Example 53: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1356**.

[0703] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1356** is illustrated below.



Preparation of C13-56:



[0704] **Preparation of Compound C13-56-B:** To a solution containing LiAlH_4 (469.66 mg, 12.38 mmol, 1.50 eq) in THF (10.00 mL) was added dropwise 3-[4-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]propanoic acid (1.80 g, 8.25 mmol, 1.00 eq) in THF (10.00 mL) at 0°C . The mixture was allowed to stir at 10°C for 12hr to give a yellow suspension. LCMS showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture

was quenched with H₂O (0.47mL), NaOH(15%, 0.47 mL) and H₂O(1.41 mL). The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 20 min. The mixture was filtered on celite. The filtrate was dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **C1356-B** (1.40 g, 6.86 mmol, 83.11% yield) as a yellow oil. Used for next step without further purification.

[0705] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.55-7.43 (m, 2H), 7.33-7.28(m, 2H), 3.69-3.68 (m, 2H), 2.76-2.70 (m, 2H), 1.96-1.89 (m, 2H).

[0706] Preparation of Compound C13-56-C: To a solution of oxalyl dichloride (1.74 g, 13.72 mmol, 1.20 mL, 2.00 eq) in DCM (15.00 mL) was added dropwise at -78°C. The mixture was stirred at -78°C for 0.5hr. Then **C13-56-B** (1.40 g, 6.86 mmol, 1.00 eq) in DCM (15.00 mL) was added dropwise at -78°C. The mixture was stirred at -78°C for 1hr. Then Et₃N (3.47 g, 34.30 mmol, 4.75 mL, 5.00 eq) was added dropwise at -78°C. The mixture was stirred at -78°C for 2.5hr to give a yellow suspension. LCMS and TLC(eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (30 mL) and extracted with DCM (30 mL*3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100%PE to 10/1) to give **C13-56-C** (1.10 g, 5.44 mmol, 79.31% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0707] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃): δ 9.85 (s, 1H), 7.72-7.56 (m, 2H), 7.35-7.28 (m, 2H), 3.06-3.01 (m, 2H), 2.86-2.81 (m, 2H).

[0708] Preparation of Compound C13-56-D: To a solution of **C13-56-C** (100.00 mg, 494.63 μmol, 1.00 eq) in EtOH (2.00 mL) were added NH₃.H₂O (208.04 mg, 1.48 mmol, 228.62 uL, 25% purity, 3.00 eq) and TMSCN (58.89 mg, 593.56 μmol, 74.54 uL, 1.20 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 70hr to give yellow solution. LCMS showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (10 mL) and extracted with DCM (30 mL*3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **C13-56-D** (0.11 g, 482.01 μmol, 97.45% yield) as a yellow oil. Used for next step without further purification.

[0709] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CDCl₃): δ 7.59-7.54 (m, 2H), 7.35-7.30(m, 2H), 3.66-3.58 (m, 1H), 2.99-2.86 (m, 2H), 2.15 -2.05 (m, 2H), 1.66-1.64 (m, 2H).

[0710] Preparation of Compound C13-56-E: To a solution of **C13-56-D** (0.11 g, 482.00 μmol, 1 eq) in EtOH (2 mL) were added NaOH (96.39 mg, 2.41 mmol, 5 eq). The mixture was stirred at 40°C for 2hr. Then H₂O (0.4 mL) was added. The mixture was stirred at 90°C for 3hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was used for next step without further purification.

[0711] Preparation of Compound C13-56: Boc₂O (194.22 mg, 889.92 μmol, 204.44 uL, 2 eq) was added the mixture of **C13-56-E** (0.11 g, 444.96 μmol, 1 eq) from ES5350-284. The mixture was

stirred at 10°C for 12hr to give a yellow suspension. LCMS showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was diluted with H₂O (10 mL) and extracted with PE (15 mL*3). The water layers was acidified to pH=4 with HCl(1N) and extracted with EtOAc (20 mL*3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **C13-56** (0.11 g, 316.70 µmol, 71.18% yield) as a yellow oil. Used for next step without further purification.

[0712] ¹H NMR (400MHz, DMSO): δ 12.50 (brs, 1H), 7.66-7.64 (m, 2H), 7.49-7.48 (m, 2H), 6.14 (brs, 1H), 3.71 (s, 1H), 2.72-2.71 (m, 2H), 1.95-1.85 (m, 2H), 1.40 (s, 9H).

[0713] Preparation of Compound K101-C1356-A: To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (0.05 g, 84.64 µmol, 1 eq) in DCM (2 mL) were added **C13-56** (58.79 mg, 169.28 µmol, 2 eq), DMAP (41.36 mg, 338.55 µmol, 4 eq), HOBt (13.72 mg, 101.57 µmol, 1.2 eq) and EDCI (32.45 mg, 169.28 µmol, 2 eq). The mixture was stirred at 40°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was completed. The reaction was combined with ES5350-289. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (15 mL) and extracted with DCM (30 mL*3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1356-A** (0.039 g, 42.39 µmol, 41.73% yield) as a white solid.

[0714] Preparation of Compound K101-C1356: To a solution of **K101-1356-A** (0.039 g, 42.39 µmol, 1 eq) in THF (3 mL) were added TFA (1.54 g, 13.51 mmol, 1 mL, 318.63 eq) and Et₃SiH (4.93 mg, 42.39 µmol, 6.77 uL, 1 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LCMS and TLC (eluting with: EtOAc/MeOH=10/1) showed the reaction was completed. The reaction mixture was concentrated to give the residue by purging with N₂. The residue was dissolved MeOH (20 mL). The mixture was stirred at 40°C for 12hr. The mixture was concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: EtOAc/MeOH=10/1) and lyophilized to give **K101-C135601** (4.7 mg, 7.03 µmol, 16.59% yield, 86.45% purity) as a white solid and **K101-C135602** (3.4 mg, 5.24 µmol, 12.35% yield, 88.96% purity) as a white solid. 4.7mg and 3.4mg were delivered.

[0715] **K101-C135601** LC-MS (m/z): 600.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0716] **K101-C135601** ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.62-7.58 (m, 3H), 7.46-7.38 (m, 2H), 5.63 (s, 1H), 3.97 (s, 2H), 3.54-3.53 (m, 1H), 3.19-3.09 (m, 2H), 2.84-2.82 (m, 2H), 2.57-2.42 (m, 2H), 2.20-2.08 (m, 4H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.64-1.61 (m, 1H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 0.95-0.93 (m, 4H).

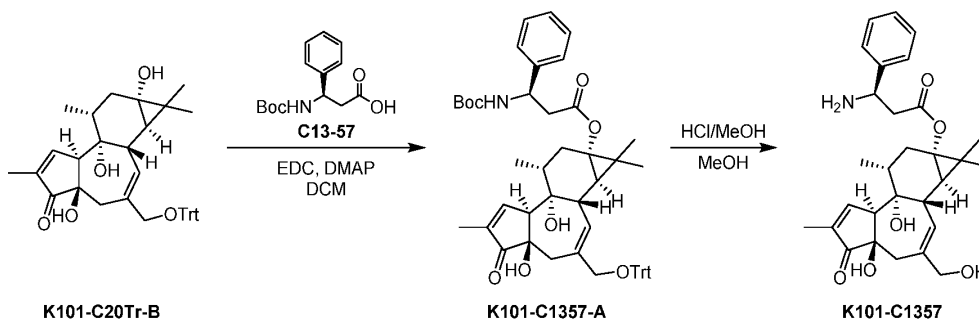
[0717] **K101-C135602** LC-MS (m/z): 600.0 [M+Na]⁺

[0718] **K101-C135602** ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.62-7.57 (m, 3H), 7.46-7.38 (m, 2H), 5.63-5.60 (m, 1H), 3.96 (s, 2H), 3.49-3.46 (m, 1H), 3.19 (s, 1H), 3.09 (s, 1H), 2.86-2.82 (m, 2H), 2.52-2.42

(m, 2H), 2.20-1.91 (m, 4H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.61-1.57 (m, 1H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 0.97-0.93 (m, 4H).

Example 54: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1357**.

[0719] The scheme for synthesis of compound **K101-C1357** is illustrated below.



[0720] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1357-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μ mol, 1.00 eq) and **C13-57** (40.42 mg, 152.35 μ mol, 3 eq) in DCM (1 mL) were added EDC (58.41 mg, 304.70 μ mol, 6 eq) and DMAP (37.22 mg, 304.70 μ mol, 6 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 16 hours to give a yellow solution. The reaction was complete detected by LC-MS. The reaction solution was diluted with H₂O (20 mL) and extracted with DCM (10 mL x 5). The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=3/1, SiO₂) to give **K101-C1357-A** (16.00 mg, 19.09 μ mol, 37.60% yield) as a white solid.

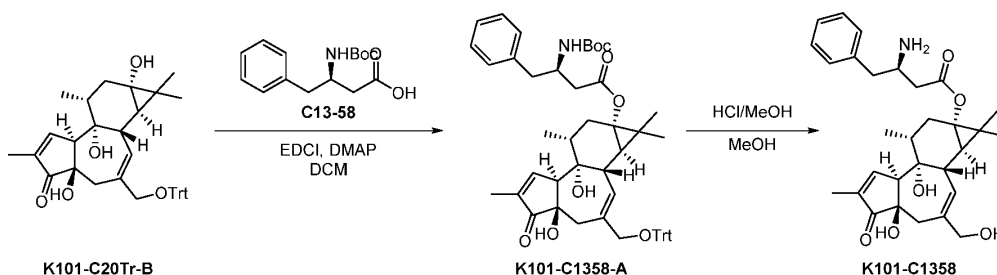
[0721] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1357**. To a solution of **K101-C1357-A** (16.00 mg, 19.09 μ mol, 1 eq) in MeOH (0.50 mL) was added HCl/MeOH (4 M, 0.50 mL, 104.75 eq). The solution was stirred at 20°C for 12 hours to give a black solution. The reaction was complete as detected by LC-MS. The reaction solution was concentrated under N₂ to give yellow solid, which was then purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25 mm x 10 μ m; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1% TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 20%-50%, 10 min) to give **K101-C1357** (1.2 mg, 1.97 μ mol, 10.31% yield, 91.34% purity, TFA salt) as a white solid.

[0722] LC-MS (m/z): 518.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0723] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.53 (s, 1H), 7.40-7.33 (m, 2H), 7.33-7.27 (m, 3H), 5.67 (s, 1H), 5.57-5.58 (m, 1H), 5.22 (s, 1H), 4.29-4.32 (m, 1H), 3.92 (s, 2H), 3.16-3.04 (m, 3H), 3.01-3.08 (m, 1H), 2.54-2.45 (m, 1H), 2.41-2.33 (m, 1H), 2.17 (dd, J=7.0, 14.8 Hz, 1H), 2.06-1.95 (m, 1H), 1.71-1.72 (m, 3H), 1.64-1.54 (m, 1H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.93-0.86 (m, 5H).

Example 55: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1358**.

[0724] The scheme for synthesis of **K101-C1358** is illustrated below.



[0725] Preparation of Compound K101-C1358-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30.00 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1.00 eq) and **C13-58** (35.46 mg, 126.96 μmol , 2.50 eq) in DCM (1.00 mL) were added EDCI (58.41 mg, 304.70 μmol , 6 eq) and DMAP (18.61 mg, 152.35 μmol , 3 eq). The mixture was stirred at 15°C for 18 hours to give a yellow solution. The reaction was complete as detected by LC-MS. The reaction solution was combined with a second preparation, which was then diluted with H₂O (20 mL) and extracted with DCM (10 mL $\times$ 5). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a yellow solution. The product was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=3/1, SiO₂) to give **K101-C1358-A** (39 mg, 45.77 μmol , 90.13% yield) as a yellow solid.

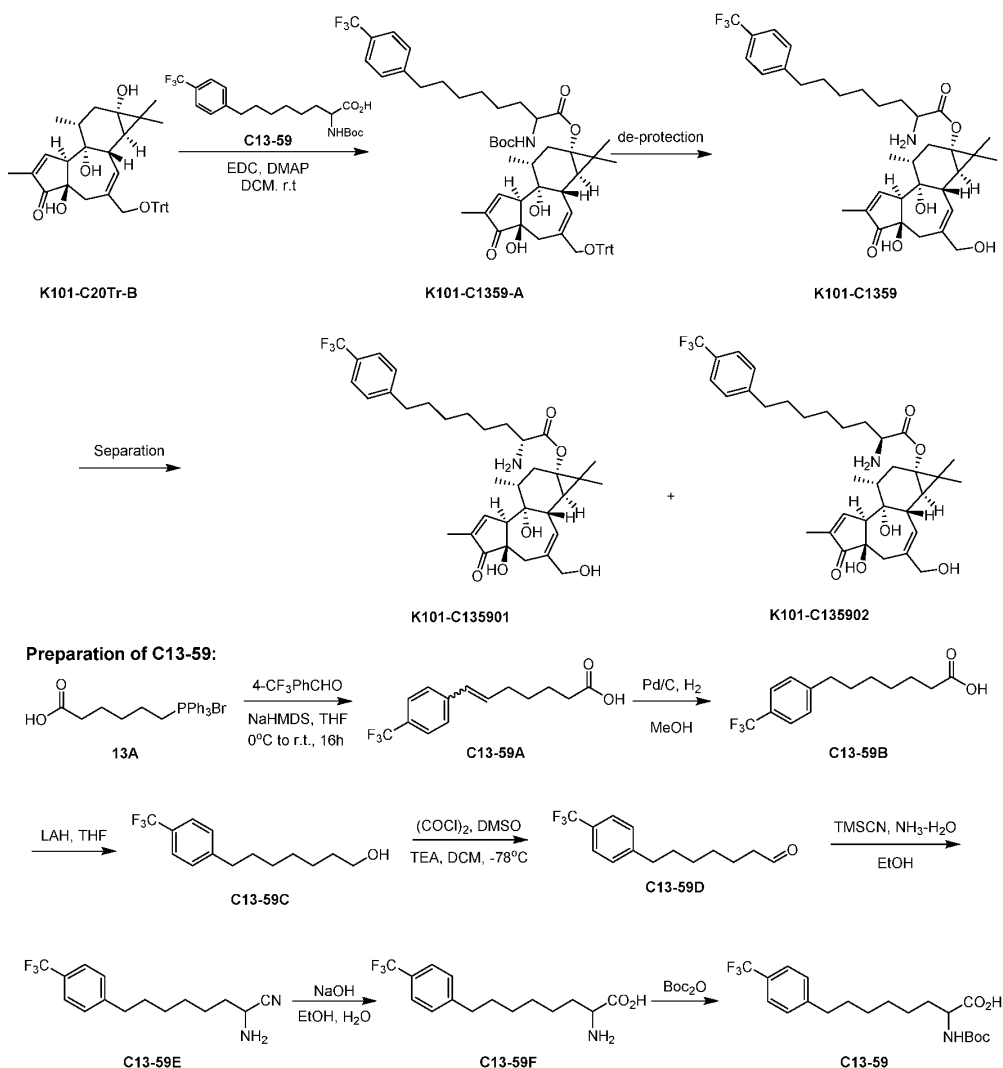
[0726] Preparation of Compound K101-C1358. To a solution of **K101-C1358-A** (39.00 mg, 45.77 μmol , 1.00 eq) in MeOH (0.5 mL) was added HCl/MeOH (4 M, 500 μL , 43.70 eq). The solution was stirred at 10°C for 16 hours to give a black solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction solution was diluted with H₂O (25 mL) and extracted with DCM (10 mL $\times$ 5). The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10 μm ; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 20%-50%, 10 min). The separated layers were lyophilized to give **K101-C1358** (5.00 mg, 9.81 μmol , 21.43% yield, 92.55% purity, TFA salt) as a light yellow solid.

[0727] LC-MS (m/z): 532.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0728] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.54 (s, 1H), 7.40-7.36 (m, 2H), 7.34-7.31 (m, 1H), 7.30-7.27 (m, 2H), 5.61-5.59 (m, 1H), 4.10 (q, J=7.0 Hz, 1H), 3.94 (s, 1H), 3.88-3.85 (m, 1H), 3.16-3.15 (m, 1H), 3.06-3.02 (m, 2H), 2.98-2.92 (m, 1H), 2.77-2.71 (m, 1H), 2.68-2.61 (m, 1H), 2.55-2.49 (m, 1H), 2.44-2.38 (m, 1H), 2.16 (s, 1H), 2.01 (s, 1H), 1.75-1.74 (m, 3H), 1.55-1.48 (m, 1H), 1.30-1.22 (m, 3H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.06 (s, 3H), 0.92-0.89 (m, 4H).

Example 56: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1359**.

[0729] The scheme for synthesis of **K101-C1359** is illustrated below.



[0730] Preparation of Compound C13-59A. To a solution of **13A** (13.13 g, 28.72 mmol, 1 eq) in THF (40 mL) was added dropwise NaHMDS (1 M, 57.43 mL, 2 eq) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 0.5°C, followed by addition of 4-(trifluoromethyl)benzaldehyde (5 g, 28.72 mmol, 3.85 mL, 1 eq) in THF (20 mL) at 0°C. The mixture was allowed to stir at 10°C for 15.5hr to give a yellow suspension. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: EtOAc/PE=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (40 mL) and extracted with PE (50 mL x 3). The water layer was adjusted to pH 4 with HCl (1N) and extracted with EtOAc (50 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by a flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=10% to 50%) to give **C13-59A** (5.9 g, 21.67 mmol, 75.46% yield) as a yellow solid.

[0731] Preparation of Compound C13-59B. To a solution of **C13-59A** (5.9 g, 21.67 mmol, 1 eq) in MeOH (80 mL) was added Pd-C (10%, 590 mg) under N₂. The suspension was degassed under vacuum and purged with H₂ several times. The mixture was stirred under H₂ (15psi) at 10°C for 12 hours to give a black suspension. HPLC showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was filtered on Celite, and the filtrate concentrated to give **C13-59B** (5.7 g, 20.78 mmol, 95.90% yield) as a yellow solid.

[0732] Preparation of Compound C13-59C. To a solution containing LiAlH₄ (1.58 g, 41.56 mmol, 2 eq) in THF (30 mL) was added dropwise **C13-59B** (5.7 g, 20.78 mmol, 1 eq) in THF (30 mL) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 16hr to give a black suspension. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (1.58 mL) and aqueous NaOH (1.58 mL) followed by additional H₂O (4.74 mL). The mixture was filtered and concentrated to give **C13-59C** (4.7 g, 18.06 mmol, 86.89% yield) as a colorless oil.

[0733] Preparation of Compound C13-59D. To a solution of oxalyl dichloride (4.58 g, 36.11 mmol, 3.16 mL, 2 eq) in DCM (30 mL) was added dropwise DMSO (7.05 g, 90.28 mmol, 7.05 mL, 5 eq) at -78°C. The mixture was stirred at -78°C for 0.5hr followed by addition of **C13-59C** (4.7 g, 18.06 mmol, 1 eq) in DCM (20 mL) at -78°C. Following stirring of the mixture at -78°C for 1hr, Et₃N (9.14 g, 90.28 mmol, 12.57 mL, 5 eq) was added dropwise at -78°C. The mixture was allowed to stir at 20°C for 2.5hr to give a yellow suspension. TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=5/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (40 mL) and extracted with DCM (50 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100% PE to 5/1) to give **C13-59D** (2.6 g, 10.07 mmol, 55.75% yield) as a colorless oil.

[0734] Preparation of Compound C13-59E. To a solution of **C13-59D** (2.6 g, 10.07 mmol, 1 eq) in EtOH (30 mL) were added NH₃.H₂O (14.11 g, 100.67 mmol, 15.51 mL, 25% purity, 10 eq) and TMSCN (2.00 g, 20.13 mmol, 2.52 mL, 2 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 16hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the presence of desired mass but that some reactant remained. The mixture was stirred at 10°C for an additional 70hr. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (30 mL) and extracted with DCM (40 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **C13-59E** (3.1 g, crude) as a yellow oil.

[0735] Preparation of Compound C13-59F. To a solution of **C13-59E** (3.1 g, 10.90 mmol, 1 eq) in EtOH (30 mL) was added NaOH (1.31 g, 32.71 mmol, 3 eq). The mixture was stirred at 40°C for 2hr followed by the addition of H₂O (6 mL). The mixture was stirred at 90°C for 4hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete.

[0736] Preparation of Compound C13-59. Boc₂O (4.76 g, 21.82 mmol, 5.01 mL, 2 eq) was added to a preparation of **C13-59F** (3.31 g, 10.91 mmol, 1 eq) in THF (20 mL), and the mixture stirred at 10°C

for 16hr to give a yellow suspension. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: EtOAc/PE= 2/1, 50 uL AcOH) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated, and the resultant residue diluted with H₂O (30 mL) and extracted with PE/MTBE (5/1, 40 mL x 3). The water layer was adjusted to pH 4 with HCl (1N) and extracted with EtOAc (50 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄, concentrated, and the product purified by a flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc = 100%PE to 40%) to give **C13-59** (1.6 g, 3.97 mmol, 36.35% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0737] Preparation of Compound K101-C1359-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (50 mg, 84.64 μmol, 1 eq) in DCM (3 mL) were added **C13-59** (68.29 mg, 169.28 μmol, 2 eq), DMAP (41.36 mg, 338.55 μmol, 4 eq), HOBt (13.72 mg, 101.57 μmol, 1.2 eq) and EDC (32.45 mg, 169.28 μmol, 2 eq). The mixture was stirred at 40°C for 12hr. LC-MS showed that **K101-C20Tr-B** remained. The mixture was stirred at 40°C for an additional 16hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was combined with a second preparation of **K101-C1359-A**, and the combined mixture quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ (15 mL). Following extraction with DCM (30 mL x 3), the organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1359-A** (53 mg, 54.29 μmol, 53.46% yield) as a white solid.

[0738] Preparation of Compound K101-C1359. To a solution of **K101-C1359-A** (53 mg, 54.29 μmol, 1 eq) in THF (3 mL) were added TFA (1.54 g, 13.51 mmol, 1 mL, 248.76 eq) and Et₃SiH (6.31 mg, 54.29 μmol, 8.67 uL, 1 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N₂. The resultant residue dissolved in MeOH (20 mL), and the mixture stirred at 40 °C for 12hr. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was concentrated, and the product dissolved in DCM (20 mL) and adjusted to pH 8 with saturated NaHCO₃. The water layer was extracted with DCM (20 mL x 3), and the organic layers dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: DCM/MeOH=10/1) to give 13mg of **P1** and 14 mg of **P2**. The **P1** and **P2** products were purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water(0.1%TFA)-B: ACN];B%: 30%-60%, 10min) to give **K101-C135901** (10.2 mg, 13.64 μmol, 25.12% yield, 100% purity, TFA) and **K101-C135902** (9.8 mg, 12.53 μmol, 23.07% yield, 95.59% purity, TFA) also as white solids. The preparation contained by-product: [(21R,22S,23S,24R,32S,33R,34R)-33,34-dihydroxy-26-(hydroxymethyl)-21,25, 31,31-tetramethyl-27-oxo-32-tetracyclopentadeca-10(26),11(25)-dienyl]2-amino-8-[4-(difluoromethyl)phenyl]octanoate (about 1.0mg, TFA) and [(21R,22S,23S,24R,32S,33R,34R)-33, 34-dihydroxy-26-(hydroxymethyl)-21,25,31,31-tetramethyl-27-oxo-32-tetracyclopentadeca-10(26),11(25)-dienyl] 2-amino-8-[4-(difluoromethyl)phenyl]octanoate (about 0.8mg, TFA) as yellow oils.

[0739] **K101-C135901**: LC-MS (m/z): 656.2 [M+Na]⁺

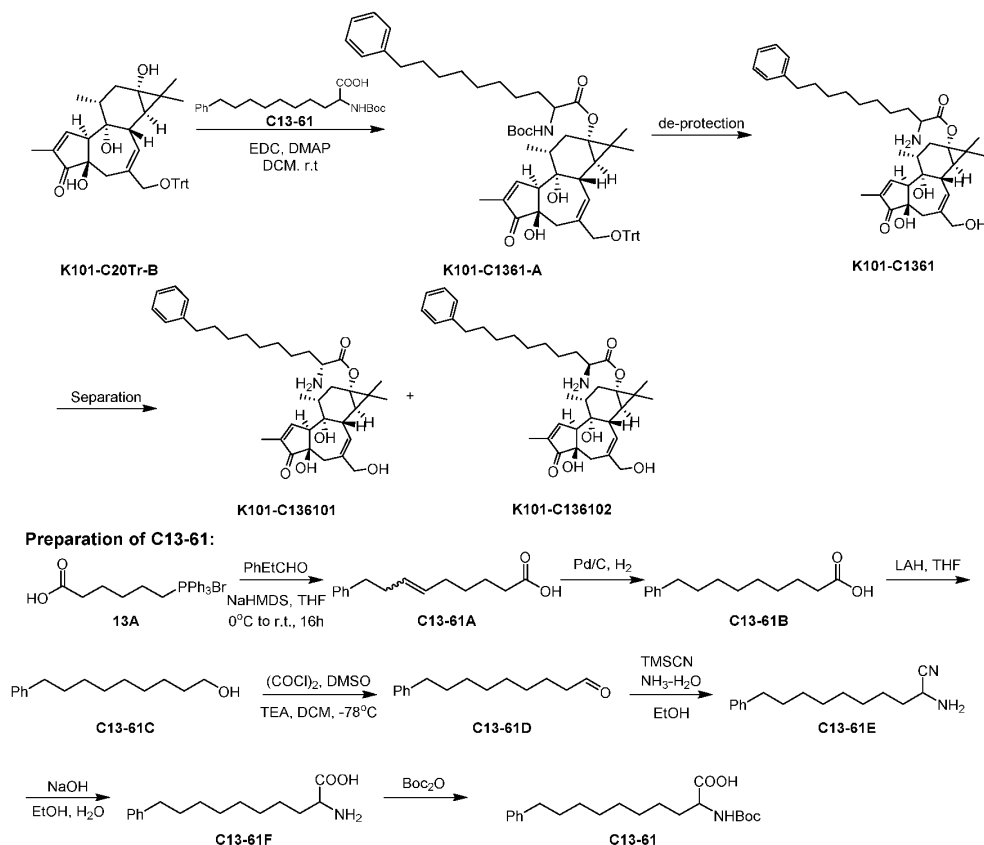
[0740] **K101-C135901**: ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ7.58-7.56 (m, 3H), 7.40-7.38 (m, 2H), 5.62-5.61 (m, 1H), 3.99-3.92 (m, 2H) 3.58 (s, 1H), 3.18 (s, 1H), 3.09 (s, 1H), 2.74-2.71 (m, 2H), 2.52-2.42 (m, 2H), 2.19-2.05 (m, 2H), 1.77-1.67 (m, 7H), 1.40-1.39 (m, 6H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 0.93-0.90 (m, 4H).

[0741] **K101-C135902**: LC-MS (m/z): 656.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0742] **K101-C135902**: ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ7.58-7.56 (m, 3H), 7.41-7.39 (m, 2H), 5.63-5.62 (m, 1H), 3.99-3.95 (m, 2H) 3.50 (s, 1H), 3.19-3.15 (m, 2H), 3.09 (s, 1H), 2.75-2.71 (m, 2H), 2.57-2.42 (m, 2H), 2.13-2.05 (m, 1H), 1.77-1.68 (m, 7H), 1.41-1.40 (m, 6H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.09(s, 3H), 0.96-0.90 (m, 4H).

Example 57: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1361**.

[0743] The scheme for synthesis of **K101-C1361** is illustrated below.



[0744] Preparation of Compound C13-61A. To a solution of **C13A** (13.63 g, 29.81 mmol, 1 eq) in THF (50 mL) was added NaHMDS (1 M, 59.62 mL, 2 eq) at 0°C. Following stirring at 0°C for 0.5hr, 3-phenylpropanal (4 g, 29.81 mmol, 3.92 mL, 1 eq) in THF (50 mL) was added dropwise at 0°C. The mixture was allowed to stir at 10°C for 64.5hr to give a yellow suspension. LC-MS and TLC (EtOAc:PE=2:1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (50mL) and extracted with PE (50mL x 3). The water layer was adjusted to pH 3 with HCl(1N) and extracted with EtOAc (50mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄, concentrated, and then purified by flash column (PE/EtOAc=5% to 40%) to give **C13-61A** (5.55 g, 23.90 mmol, 80.18% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0745] Preparation of Compound C13-61B. To a solution of **K13-61A** (5.55 g, 23.90 mmol, 1 eq) was added Pd/C (550 mg) under H₂ (48.28 mg, 23.90 mmol). The suspension was degassed under vacuum and purged with H₂ several times. The mixture was stirred under H₂ (15psi) at 10°C for 16 hours to give a black suspension. HPLC showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was filtered on Celite and then concentrated to give **C13-61B** (5.27 g, 22.49 mmol, 94.09% yield) as a white gum.

[0746] Preparation of Compound C13-61C. To a solution containing LiAlH₄ (1.71 g, 44.98 mmol, 2 eq) in THF (100 mL) was added dropwise the preparation of **C1361-B** (5.27 g, 22.49 mmol, 1 eq) in THF (100 mL) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 16hr to give a black suspension. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (1.7mL) and aqueous NaOH (1.7 mL), following by additional H₂O (5.1mL). The mixture was filtered and concentrated to give **C13-61C** (3.63 g, 16.47 mmol, 73.26% yield) as a colorless oil.

[0747] Preparation of Compound C13-61D. To a solution of (COCl)₂ (3.46 g, 27.23 mmol, 2.38 mL, 2 eq) in DCM (100 mL) was added dropwise DMSO (5.32 g, 68.07 mmol, 5.32 mL, 5 eq) at -78°C. The mixture was stirred at -78°C for 0.5hr. The preparation of **C1361-C** (3 g, 13.61 mmol, 1 eq) in DCM (100 mL) was added at -78°C, and the resultant mixture stirred at -78°C for 1hr. TEA (6.89 g, 68.07 mmol, 9.48 mL, 5 eq) was added dropwise at -78°C and the mixture was allowed to stir at 20°C for 2.5hr to give a yellow suspension. TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=5/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (40 mL) and extracted with DCM (40 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by column chromatography on silica gel (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100%PE to 20/1) to give **C13-61D** as a yellow oil.

[0748] Preparation of Compound C13-61E. To a solution of **C13-61D** (1.7 g, 7.79 mmol, 1 eq) in EtOH (20 mL) were added NH₃.H₂O (10.91 g, 77.86 mmol, 11.99 mL, 25% purity, 10 eq) and TMSCN (1.16 g, 11.68 mmol, 1.46 mL, 1.5 eq). The mixture was stirred at 15°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed desired mass was found, but some **C13-61D** remained unreacted.

The mixture was stirred at 15°C for an additional 18hr. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was diluted with H₂O (20 mL) and extracted with DCM (25 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **C13-61E** (1.6 g, 6.55 mmol, 84.09% yield) as a yellow oil. The preparation was used without further purification.

[0749] Preparation of Compound C13-61F. To a solution of **C13-61E** (270 mg, 1.10 mmol, 1 eq) in EtOH (2 mL) was added NaOH (132.57 mg, 3.31 mmol, 3 eq) and the mixture stirred at 40°C for 2hr. Following addition of H₂O (0.1 mL), the mixture was stirred at 90°C for 4hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The preparation was used without further purification.

[0750] Preparation of Compound C13-61. Boc₂O (482.26 mg, 2.21 mmol, 507.64 uL, 2 eq) was added to the preparation of **C13-61F** (290.99 mg, 1.10 mmol, 1 eq) in THF (5 mL), and the mixture stirred at 15°C for 4hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: EtOAc/PE=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was diluted with H₂O (10 mL) and PE (10 mL x 3), and the water layer adjusted to pH 3 with HCl (1N). The mixture was extracted with EtOAc (20 mL x 3), and the organic layers dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by a flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=0% to 50%) to give **C13-61** (150 mg, 412.67 µmol, 37.35% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0751] Preparation of Compound K101-C1361-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (70 mg, 118.49 µmol, 1 eq) in DCM (2 mL) were added **C13-61** (86.14 mg, 236.99 µmol, 2 eq), DMAP (57.90 mg, 473.98 µmol, 4 eq), HOBt (16.01 mg, 118.49 µmol, 1 eq) and EDC (45.43 mg, 236.99 µmol, 2 eq). The mixture was stirred at 40°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ (10 mL) and extracted with DCM (20 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄, concentrated, and the resultant product purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1361-A** (62 mg, 66.22 µmol, 55.89% yield) as a white solid.

[0752] Preparation of Compound K101-C1361. To a solution of **K101-C1361-A** (62 mg, 66.22 µmol, 1 eq) in THF (3 mL) were added TFA (1.54 g, 13.51 mmol, 1 mL, 203.95 eq) and Et₃SiH (7.70 mg, 66.22 µmol, 10.58 uL, 1 eq). The mixture was stirred at 15°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N₂, and the resultant residue dissolved in MeOH (20 mL). The mixture was stirred at 30°C for 12hr. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated, dissolved in DCM (30 mL) and the solution adjusted to pH 8 with saturated NaHCO₃. The organic layer was separated, dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: DCM/MeOH=10/1) to give **K101-C136101** (12.2 mg, 20.19 µmol, 30.49% yield, 98.26% purity) and **K101-C136102** (15.6 mg, 25.77 µmol, 38.91% yield, 98.09% purity) as white solids.

[0753] **K101-C136101**: LC-MS (m/z): 616.2 [M+Na]⁺

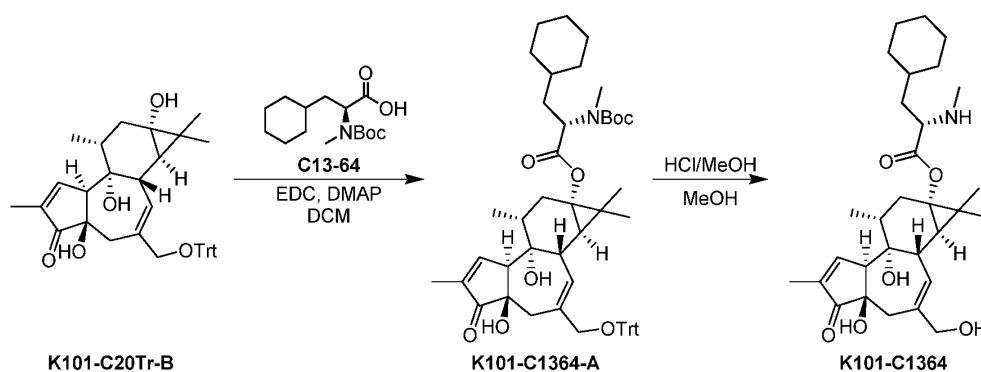
[0754] **K101-C136101**: ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ7.56 (s, 1H), 7.28-7.13 (m, 5H), 5.6-5.61 (m, 1H), 3.98-3.91 (m, 2H), 3.51-3.50 (m, 1H), 3.19 (s, 1H), 3.09 (s, 1H), 2.64-2.62 (m, 2H), 2.60-2.47 (m, 2H), 2.18-2.06 (m, 2H), 1.76-1.60 (m, 8H), 1.35-1.31 (m, 10H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 0.94-0.89 (m, 4H).

[0755] **K101-C136102**: LC-MS (m/z): 616.3 [M+Na]⁺

[0756] **K101-C136102**: ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ7.56 (s, 1H), 7.28-7.13 (m, 5H), 5.6-5.61 (m, 1H), 3.99-3.92 (m, 2H), 3.46-3.45 (m, 1H), 3.19 (s, 1H), 3.09 (s, 1H), 2.64-2.62 (m, 2H), 2.60-2.47 (m, 2H), 2.14-2.03 (m, 2H), 1.77-1.61 (m, 8H), 1.36-1.26 (m, 10H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 0.95-0.92 (m, 4H).

Example 58: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1364**.

[0757] The scheme for synthesis of **K101-C1364** is illustrated below.



[0758] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1364-A**. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30 mg, 50.78 μmol, 1 eq) and **C13-64** (36.23 mg, 126.96 μmol, 2.5 eq) in DCM (1 mL) were added EDC (48.68 mg, 253.92 μmol, 5 eq) and DMAP (18.61 mg, 152.35 μmol, 3 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 5hr to give a pale yellow solution. The reaction was complete as detected by LC-MS. The reaction solution was combined with **K101-C20Tr-B** (5 mg), diluted with H₂O (10 mL), and extracted with DCM (10 mL x 3). The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a yellow gum. The product was purified by prep-TLC (PE/EtOAc=3/1, SiO₂) to give **K101-C1364-A** (23.6 mg, 27.50 μmol, 54.16% yield) as a yellow solid.

[0759] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1364**. To a solution of **K101-C1364-A** (23.6 mg, 27.50 μmol, 1 eq) in MeOH (0.5 mL) was added HCl/MeOH (4 M, 0.5 mL, 72.72 eq), and the mixture stirred at 20°C for 2 hours to give a yellow solution. The reaction was complete as detected by LC-

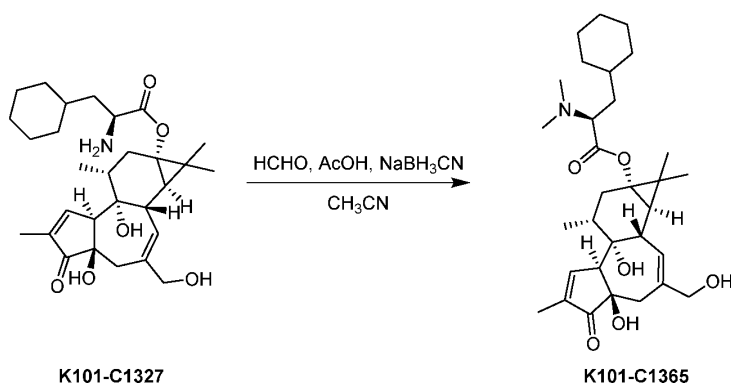
MS. The reaction solution was diluted with H₂O (2 mL), neutralized with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ until pH 7, and the extracted with DCM (5 mL x 5). The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated under reduced pressure to give a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-TLC (DCM/MeOH=10/1, SiO₂) to give **K101-C1364** (3.5 mg, 6.79 μmol, 24.68% yield, 100% purity) as a white solid.

[0760] LC-MS (m/z): 538.1 [M+Na]⁺

[0761] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.55 (s, 1H), 5.60-5.61 (m, 1H), 4.62 (s, 1H), 4.00-3.88 (m, 2H), 3.26 (t, J=7.4 Hz, 1H), 3.20-3.15 (m, 1H), 3.07-3.10 (m, 1H), 2.57-2.39 (m, 2H), 2.34 (s, 3H), 2.20-2.11 (m, 1H), 2.11-2.01 (m, 1H), 1.79-1.82 (m, 1H), 1.74-1.75 (m, 4H), 1.69-1.71 (m, 3H), 1.59-1.46 (m, 3H), 1.31-1.22 (m, 3H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 0.94-0.87 (m, 5H).

Example 59: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1365**.

[0762] The scheme for synthesis of **K101-C1365** is illustrated below.



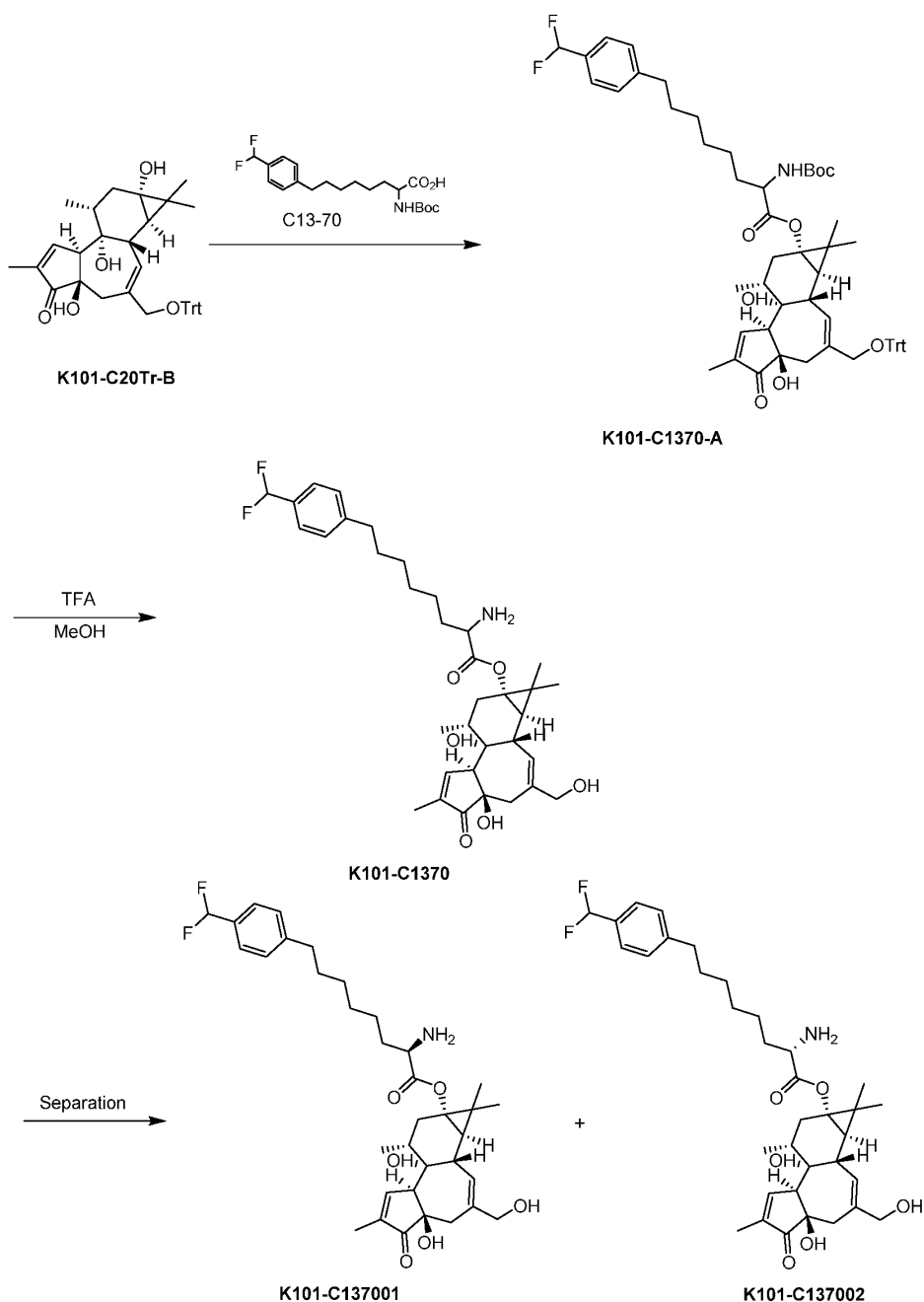
[0763] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1365**. To a solution of **K101-C1327** (5.00 mg, 9.97 μmol, 1 eq) in CH₃CN (0.5 mL) were added formaldehyde (8.09 mg, 99.67 μmol, 7.42 uL, 10 eq) and AcOH (598.54 ug, 9.97 μmol, 0.57 uL, 1 eq). After stirred at 20°C for 5 minutes, NaBH₃CN (3.76 mg, 59.80 μmol, 6 eq) was added in portions, and the mixture stirred at 20°C for 14hr to give a colorless solution. LC-MS showed the presence of the desired MS species. The reaction solution was quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ (10 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (10 mL x 2). The combined organic layers were washed with brine (10 mL), dried over anhydrous Na₂SO₄, filtered, and then concentrated under reduced pressure to give crude product as a yellow solid. The product was purified by prep-TLC (SiO₂, DCM: MeOH = 10:1) to give a yellow solid. The product was further purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.05% HCl)-B: ACN]; B%: 20%-50%, 10min) to give **K101-C1365** (1.5 mg, 2.83 μmol, 20.29% yield) as a white solid.

[0764] LC-MS (m/z): 552.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0765] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 5.64 (s, 1H), 4.21-4.18 (m, 1H), 3.96 (s, 2H), 3.17 (s, 1H), 3.06 (s, 1H), 2.94 (s, 6H), 2.56-2.43 (m, 3H), 2.30-2.28 (m, 1H), 1.94-1.45 (m, 15H), 1.32-1.29 (m, 9H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 0.95-0.90 (m, 4H).

Example 60: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1370**.

[0766] The scheme for synthesis of **K101-C1370** is illustrated below.



[0767] Preparation of Compound K101-C1370-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (30 mg, 50.78 μmol , 1 eq) and **K101-C13-70** (29.36 mg, 76.17 μmol , 1.5 eq) in DCM (1 mL) were added DMAP (3.10 mg, 25.39 μmol , 0.5 eq) and EDC (19.47 mg, 101.57 μmol , 2 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 1hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. DCM (3 mL) was

added and the mixture filtered and concentrated. The product was purified by prep-TLC (SiO₂, PE: EtOAc = 2:1) to give **K101-C1370-A** (42 mg, 43.83 μ mol, 86.31% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0768] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1370**. To a solution of **K101-C1370-A** (40 mg, 41.75 μ mol, 1 eq) in THF (1 mL) was added TFA (3.08 g, 27.01 mmol, 2 mL, 647.06 eq). The mixture was stirred at 10°C for 2 hr to give a yellow solution. . The mixture was concentrated with N₂ to give a brown gum. The residue was diluted with MeOH (20 mL) and the mixture stirred at 15°C for 72hr to give a yellow solution. The final mixture was concentrated, and the product was purified by prep-HPLC (column: Phenomenex Gemini 150 x 25mm x 10um; mobile phase: [A: water (0.1%TFA)-B: ACN]; B%: 35%-45%, 10min) to give **K101-C137001** (6.5 mg, 8.91 μ mol, TFA salt) and **K101-C137002** as white solids. **K101-C137002** was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: EtOAc/MeOH=10/1) to give **K101-C137002** (6.1 mg, 9.91 μ mol) as a white solid.

[0769] K101-C137001 LC-MS (m/z): 638.3 [M+Na]⁺

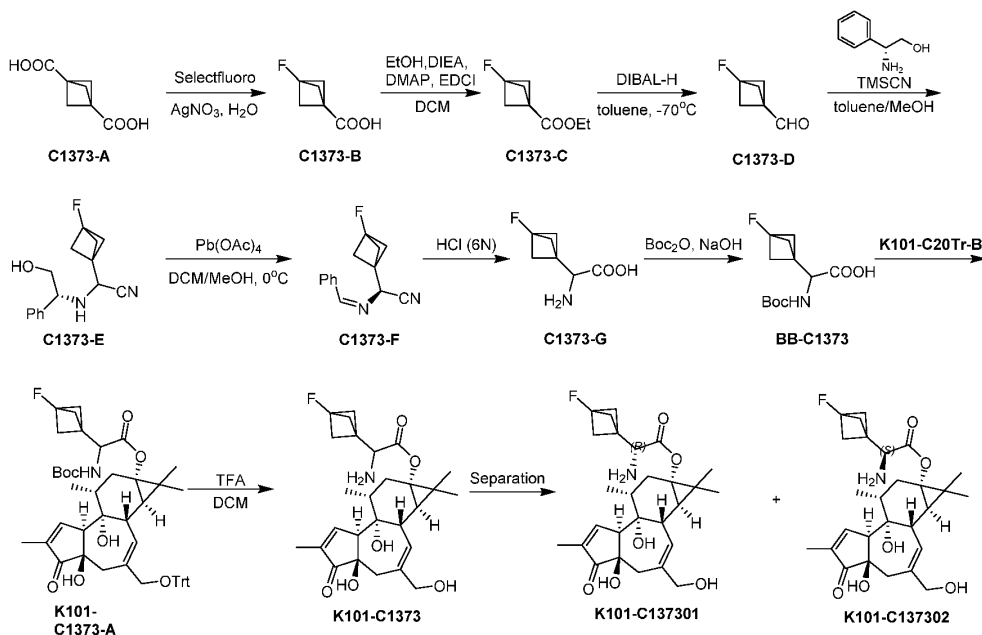
[0770] K101-C137001 ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 7.46-7.44 (m, 2H), 7.33-7.31 (m, 2H), 6.87-6.59 (m, 1H), 5.61 (s, 1H), 3.96 (s, 2H), 3.54-3.53 (m, 1H), 3.18 (s, 1H), 3.09 (s, 1H), 2.71-2.67 (m, 2H), 2.57-2.42 (m, 2H), 2.18-2.06 (m, 3H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.67-1.58 (m, 4H), 1.39-1.29 (m, 6H), 1.19 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 0.93-0.89 (m, 4H).

[0771] K101-C137002 LC-MS (m/z): 638.6 [M+Na]⁺

[0772] K101-C137002 ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 7.46-7.44 (m, 2H), 7.33-7.31 (m, 2H), 6.87-6.58 (m, 1H), 5.63 (s, 1H), 3.99 (s, 2H), 3.54-3.50 (m, 1H), 3.19 (s, 1H), 3.09 (s, 1H), 2.71-2.67 (m, 2H), 2.52-2.47 (m, 2H), 1.76-1.39 (m, 11H), 1.20 (s, 3H), 1.09 (s, 3H), 0.95-0.90 (m, 4H).

Example 61: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1373**.

[0773] The scheme for synthesis of **K101-C1373** is illustrated below.



[0774] Preparation of Compound C1373-B. Compound **C1373-A** (1.5 g, 9.61 mmol, 1 eq) was dissolved in H₂O (40 mL), and the mixture purged with N₂. 1-(chloromethyl)-4-fluoro-1, 4-diazoniabicyclo [2.2.2] octane ditetrafluoroborate (6.13 g, 17.29 mmol, 1.8 eq) and AgNO₃ (326.39 mg, 1.92 mmol, 323.16 uL, 0.2 eq) were added, and the mixture stirred at 55°C for 12hr under N₂ to give a brown suspension. TLC (eluting with: EtOAc=100%) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was filtered, extracted with MTBE (50 mL x 3), and the organic layers dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **C1373-B** (680 mg, 5.23 mmol, 54.40% yield) as a yellow solid. The preparation was used without further purification.

[0775] Preparation of Compound C1373-C. To a solution of **C1373-B** (680 mg, 5.23 mmol, 1 eq) in DCM (10 mL) were added EtOH (481.51 mg, 10.45 mmol, 611.06 uL, 2 eq), DIEA (945.61 mg, 7.32 mmol, 1.27 mL, 1.4 eq), DMAP (127.69 mg, 1.05 mmol, 0.2 eq) and EDC (1.30 g, 6.79 mmol, 1.3 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=3/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was washed with HCl (1N, 30 mL), and extracted with DCM (30 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **C1373-C** (560 mg, 3.54 mmol, 67.75% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0776] Preparation of Compound C1373-D. To a solution of **C1373-C** (560 mg, 3.54 mmol, 1 eq) in toluene (5 mL) was added dropwise Diisobutylaluminum hydride (DIBAL-H) (1 M, 4.25 mL, 1.2 eq) at -70°C. The mixture was stirred at -70°C for 1.5hr to give a yellow solution. TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=3/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with MeOH (5mL), and used for next step without further purification.

[0777] Preparation of Compound C1373-E. To (2R)-2-amino-2-phenyl-ethanol (582.77 mg, 4.25 mmol, 1.2 eq) was added **C1373-D** (404 mg, 3.54 mmol, 1 eq), and the mixture stirred at 0°C for 3hr. TMSCN (1.05 g, 10.62 mmol, 1.33 mL, 3 eq) was added, and the mixture stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction was quenched with saturated KF (20 mL) and extracted with EtOAc (20 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by a flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=1/2) to give **C1373-E** (480 mg, 1.84 mmol, 52.09% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0778] Preparation of Compound C1373-F. To a solution of **C1373-E** (480 mg, 1.84 mmol, 1 eq) in DCM (10 mL) /MeOH (10 mL) was added Pb(OAc)₄ (1.23 g, 2.77 mmol, 1.5 eq). The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 15min to give a yellow solution. TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with saturated NaHCO₃ (20 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **C1373-F** (400 mg, 1.75 mmol, 95.03% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0779] Preparation of Compound C1373-G. Compound **C1373-F** (0.4 g, 1.75 mmol, 1 eq) was dissolved in HCl (6 M, 292.06 uL, 1 eq), and the mixture stirred at 100°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The product was concentrated to give **C1373-G** (342 mg, 1.75 mmol, 99.77% yield, HCl) as a yellow solid.

[0780] Preparation of Compound BB-C1373. To a solution of **C1373-G** (342 mg, 2.15 mmol, 1 eq) in H₂O (3 mL)/dioxane (5 mL) were added NaOH (859.46 mg, 21.49 mmol, 10 eq) and Boc₂O (703.45 mg, 3.22 mmol, 740.48 uL, 1.5 eq), and the mixture stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was extracted with MBTE (20 mL x 2), and the water layer extracted with EtOAc (20 mL x 3). The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **BB-C1373** (200 mg, 771.39 µmol, 35.90% yield) as a yellow solid.

[0781] Preparation of Compound K101-C1373-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (60 mg, 101.57 µmol, 1 eq) in DCM (3 mL) were added **BB-C1373** (39.50 mg, 152.35 µmol, 1.5 eq), DMAP (49.63 mg, 406.27 µmol, 4 eq) and EDC (29.21 mg, 152.35 µmol, 1.5 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the desired mass was found, but some K101-C20Tr-B remained unreacted. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for an additional 12hr. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (10 mL) and extracted with DCM (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by a flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100%PE to 50%) to give **K101-C1373-A** (70 mg, 84.13 µmol, 82.84% yield) as a brown solid.

[0782] Preparation of Compound K101-C1373. To a solution of **K101-C1373-A** (70 mg, 84.13 μ mol, 1 eq) in DCM (5 mL) was added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 μ L, 80.26 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N_2 , dissolved in MeOH (20 mL) and the mixture stirred at 20°C for 12hr. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N_2 and then dissolved in DCM (20 mL) and adjusted to pH 8 with saturated $NaHCO_3$ (10 mL). The organic layer was separated, and the water layer extracted with DCM (20mL x 3). The combined organic layers were concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC(eluting with: EtOAc/MeOH=10/1) to give **K101-C137301** (13.6 mg, 26.76 μ mol, 31.81% yield, 96.33% purity) and **K101-C137302** (11.6 mg, 22.28 μ mol, 26.48% yield, 94.03% purity) as white solids.

[0783] K101-C137301 LC-MS (m/z): 512.1 $[M+Na]^+$

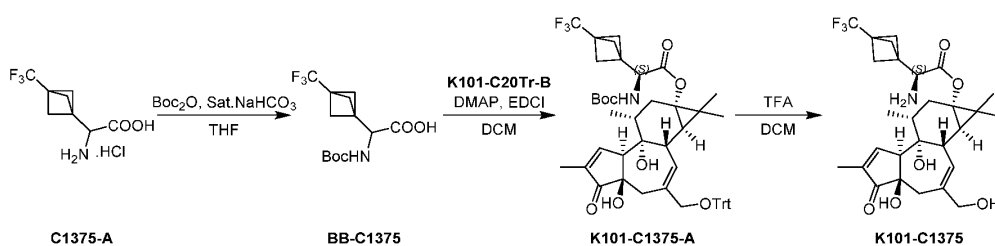
[0784] K101-C137301 1H NMR (400MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 7.51 (s, 1H), 5.60-5.59 (m, 1H), 5.23 (brs, 1H), 4.00-3.91 (m, 2H), 3.67(s, 1H), 3.20 (s, 1H), 2.95 (s, 1H), 2.48-2.40 (m, 2H), 2.21-2.18 (m, 1H), 2.00-1.95 (m, 8H), 1.71 (s, 3H), 1.46-1.45 (m, 1H), 1.15 (s, 3H), 1.01 (s, 3H), 0.83-0.76 (m, 4H).

[0785] K101-C137302 LC-MS (m/z): 512.2 $[M+Na]^+$

[0786] K101-C137302 1H NMR (400MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ 7.51 (s, 1H), 5.59-5.58 (m, 1H), 5.27 (brs, 1H), 3.99-3.90 (m, 2H), 3.65(s, 1H), 3.21 (s, 1H), 2.95 (s, 1H), 2.48-2.41 (m, 2H), 2.05-1.99 (m, 9H), 1.71 (s, 3H), 1.43-1.42 (m, 1H), 1.12 (s, 3H), 1.02(s, 3H), 0.83-0.79 (m, 4H).

Example 62: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C1375**.

[0787] The scheme for synthesis of **K101-C1375** is illustrated below.



[0788] Preparation of Compound BB-C1375. To a solution of **C1375-A** (50 mg, 203.56 μ mol, 1 eq, HCl) in THF (2 mL)/H₂O (1 mL) were added $NaHCO_3$ (42.75 mg, 508.90 μ mol, 19.79 μ L, 2.5 eq) and Boc_2O (53.31 mg, 244.27 μ mol, 56.12 μ L, 1.2 eq) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was adjusted to pH 4 with HCl (1N) and extracted with MBTE (10 mL x 3). The organic layers were

dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was washed with PE (10 mL) to give **BB-C1375** (75 mg, crude) as a white solid.

[0789] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1375-A**. To solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (40 mg, 67.71 μ mol, 1 eq) in DCM (2 mL) were added BB-C1375 (41.88 mg, 135.42 μ mol, 2 eq), DMAP (33.09 mg, 270.84 μ mol, 4 eq), HOBt (10.06 mg, 74.48 μ mol, 1.1 eq), and EDC (25.96 mg, 135.42 μ mol, 2 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the desired mass was found, but some **K101-C20Tr-B** remained unreacted. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for an additional 12hr. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction was quenched with H₂O (5 mL) and extracted with DCM (10 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C1375-A** (44 mg, 49.89 μ mol, 73.67% yield) as a white solid.

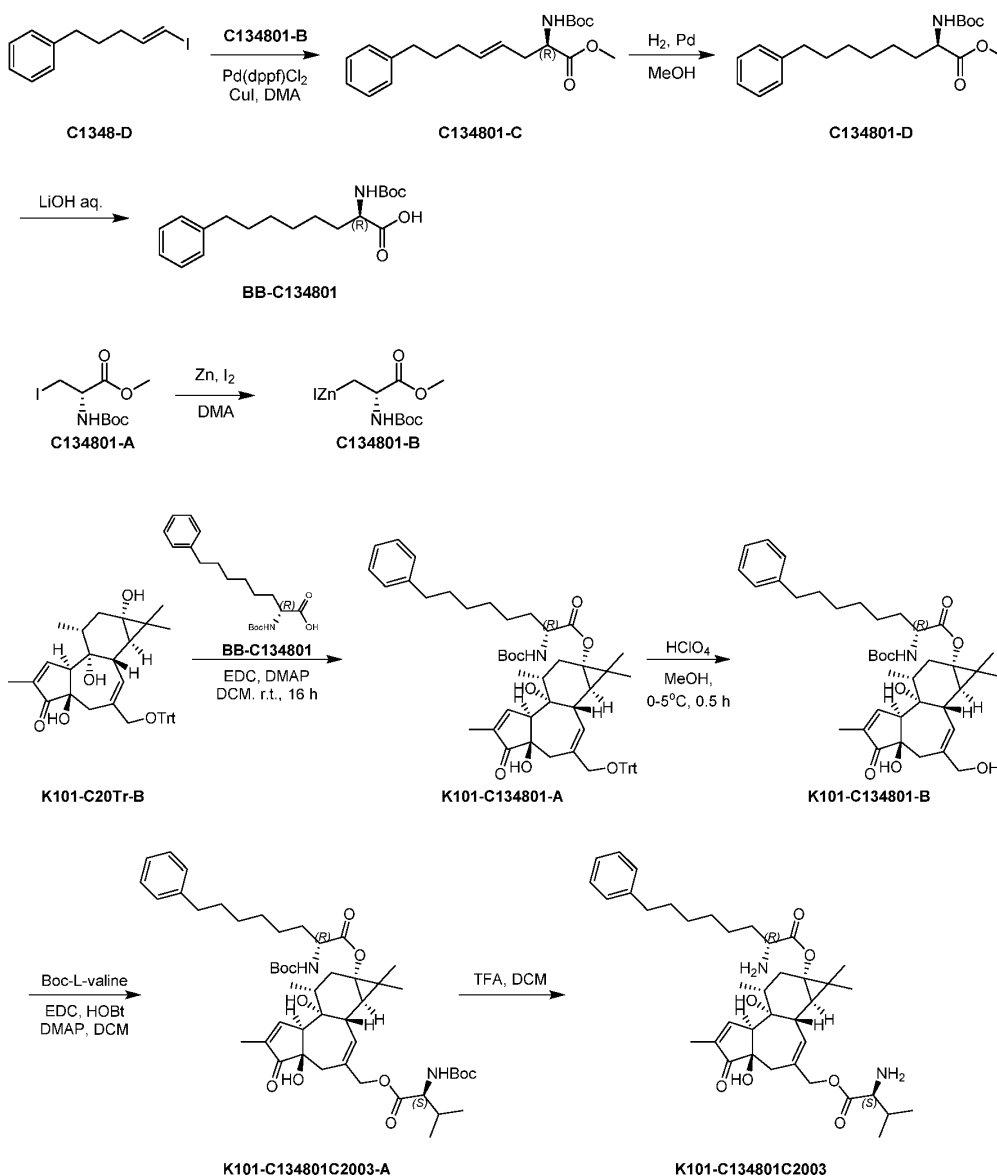
[0790] Preparation of Compound **K101-C1375**. To a solution of **K101-C1375-A** (44 mg, 49.89 μ mol, 1 eq) in DCM (3 mL) was added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 0.5 mL, 135.37 eq) at 0°C, and the mixture stir at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N₂, and the resultant residue dissolved in MeOH (20 mL). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The mixture was concentrated to give the crude product, which was dissolved in MBTE (20 mL) and washed with saturated NaHCO₃ (10 mL). The organic layer was separated, and the water layer extracted with MBTE (20 mL x 3). The combined organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by prep-TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=10/1) to give **K101-C1375** (11.7 mg, 20.18 μ mol, 40.45% yield, 93.05% purity) as a white solid.

[0791] LC-MS (m/z): 562.2 [M+Na]⁺

[0792] ¹H NMR (400MHz, CD₃OD) δ 7.58 (s, 1H), 5.64-5.63 (m, 1H), 4.00-3.92 (m, 2H), 3.60 (s, 1H), 3.21(s, 1H), 3.10 (s, 1H), 2.52-2.43 (m, 2H), 2.21-2.01 (m, 8H), 1.77 (s, 3H), 1.58-1.55 (m, 1H), 1.22 (s, 3H), 1.11 (s, 3H), 0.98-0.93 (m, 4H).

Example 63: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C134801C2003**.

[0793] The scheme for synthesis of **K101-C134801C2003** is illustrated below.



[0794] **Preparation of Compound C134801-C.** To a solution of **C1348-D** (2 g, 7.35 mmol, 1 eq) in DMA (2 mL) were added CuI (139.97 mg, 734.96 μmol , 0.1 eq) and **C134801-B** (4.06 g, 10.29 mmol, 1.4 eq) and Pd(dppf)Cl_2 (537.77 mg, 734.96 μmol , 0.1 eq) under N_2 . The mixture was stirred under N_2 at 90°C for 5 hr to give a black suspension. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: $\text{PE/EtOAc}=3/1$) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H_2O (100 mL) and extracted with MBTE (40 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to

give the crude product. The product was purified by a flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100%PE to 20%) to give **C134801-C** (750 mg, 2.16 mmol, 29.37% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0795] Preparation of Compound C134801-D. To a solution of **C134801-C** (0.75 g, 2.16 mmol, 1 eq) in MeOH (15 mL) was added Pd/C (500 mg, 2.16 mmol, 50% purity, 1 eq) under N₂. The suspension was degassed under vacuum and purged with H₂ several times. The mixture was stirred under H₂ (15psi) at 20°C for 12 hours. After LC-MS showed the reaction was complete, the mixture was filtered on Celite and then concentrated to give **C134801-D** (750 mg, 2.15 mmol, 99.42% yield) as a black oil.

[0796] Preparation of Compound BB-C134801. To a solution of **C134801-D** (750 mg, 2.15 mmol, 1 eq) in THF (5 mL)/H₂O (1 mL) was added LiOH.H₂O (90.06 mg, 2.15 mmol, 1 eq) at 0°C. The mixture was allowed to stir at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was adjusted to pH 4 with HCl (1N) and extracted with MBTE (20 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give **BB-C134801** (700 mg, 2.09 mmol, 97.24% yield) as a yellow oil.

[0797] Preparation of Compound C134801-B. Zinc (6 g) was treated with 1N HCl aqueous (30 mL) with stirring for 10 min. The mixture was filtered and washed with water (30 mL), EtOH (30 mL) and toluene (30 mL) in sequence, and the dried in vacuum to afford the activated zinc powder. A mixture of activated Zn (2.62 g, 40.11 mmol, 4 eq) and I₂ (127.24 mg, 501.32 µmol, 100.98 uL, 0.05 eq) in DMA (10 mL) was stirred at 20°C for 5 min and **C134801-A** (3.3 g, 10.03 mmol, 1 eq) in DMA (10 mL) added dropwise. The reaction mixture was stirred at 20°C for 25 min to give a black suspension.

[0798] Preparation of Compound K101-C134801-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (200 mg, 338.55 µmol, 1 eq) in DCM (3 mL) were added **BB-C134801** (193.06 mg, 575.54 µmol, 1.7 eq), DMAP (165.44 mg, 1.35 mmol, 4 eq), HOBT (50.32 mg, 372.41 µmol, 1.1 eq) and EDC (110.33 mg, 575.54 µmol, 1.7 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the presence of the desired mass, but some K101-C20Tr-B remained unreacted. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for an additional 12hr followed by a second 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H₂O (10 mL) and extracted with MBTE (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na₂SO₄ and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by a flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100% PE to 40%) to give **K101-C134801-A** (210 mg, 231.23 µmol, 68.30% yield) as a yellow solid.

[0799] Preparation of Compound K101-C134801-B. To a solution of **K101-C134801-A** (210 mg, 231.23 µmol, 1 eq) in MeOH (5 mL) was added HClO₄ (46.46 mg, 462.47 µmol, 27.99 uL, 2 eq) at 0°C. The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 0.5hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction

was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with saturated NaHCO_3 (10 mL) and extracted with MBTE (15 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100% to 50%) to give **K101-C134801-B** (120 mg, 180.22 μmol , 77.94% yield) as a yellow solid.

[0800] Preparation of Compound **K101-C134801C2003-A**. To a solution of **K101-C134801-B** (120 mg, 180.22 μmol , 1 eq) in DMF (3 mL) were added Boc-L-valine (78.31 mg, 360.44 μmol , 2 eq), DMAP (88.07 mg, 720.88 μmol , 4 eq), DIEA (46.58 mg, 360.44 μmol , 62.78 μL , 2 eq) and HATU (137.05 mg, 360.44 μmol , 2 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=1/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H_2O (15 mL x 3), the combined organic layers dried over Na_2SO_4 and then concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by a flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100% to 40%) to give **K101-C134801C2003-A** (120 mg, 138.71 μmol , 76.97% yield) as a yellow solid.

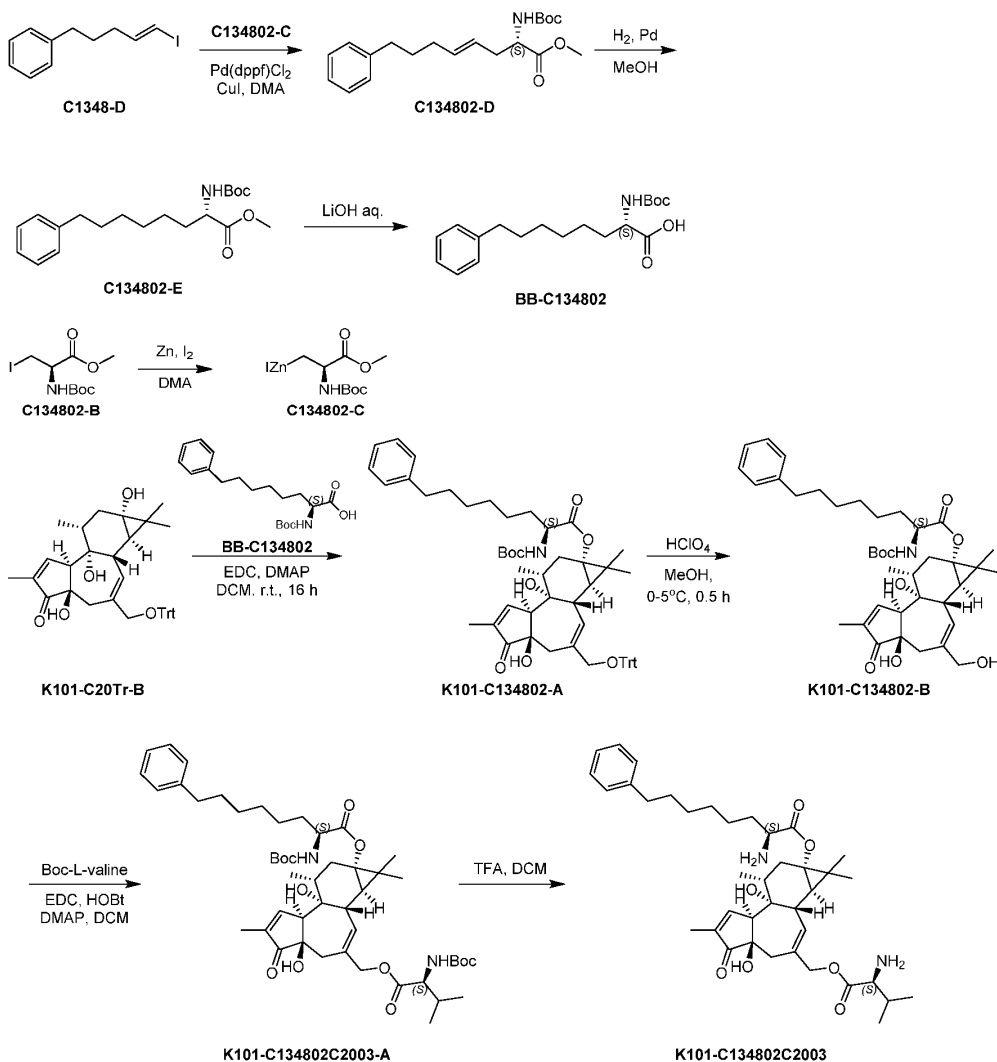
[0801] Preparation of Compound **K101-C134801C2003**. To a solution of **K101-C134801C2003-A** (120 mg, 138.71 μmol , 1 eq) in DCM (3 mL) was added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 μL , 48.68 eq). The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 3hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the desired mass was found but some **K101-C134801C2003-A** remained unreacted. The mixture was allowed to stir at 20°C for an additional 12hr. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N_2 and the resultant product dissolved in DCM (20 mL). Following adjustment of the solution to pH 8 with saturated NaHCO_3 , the organic layer was separated, and the water layer extracted with DCM (20 mL x 3). The combined organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give **K101-C134801C2003** (72.6 mg, 103.89 μmol , 74.89% yield, 95.14% purity) as a white solid.

[0802] LC-MS (m/z): 665.4 $[\text{M}+\text{H}]^+$

[0803] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD): δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 7.30-7.10 (m, 5H), 5.75 (d, 1H, $J=3.6$ Hz), 4.70-4.50 (m, 3H), 3.55-3.45 (m, 1H), 3.20-3.10 (m, 2H), 2.70-2.40 (m, 4H), 2.20-1.95 (m, 3H), 1.80-1.55 (m, 8H), 1.45-1.30 (m, 6H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.0-0.90 (m, 10H).

Example 64: Synthesis Scheme of **K101-C134802C2003**.

[0804] The scheme for synthesis of **K101-C134802C2003** is illustrated below.



[0805] Preparation of Compound C134802-D. To a solution of **C134802-C** (4.35 g, 11.02 mmol, 1.5 eq) in DMA (10 mL) were added CuI (139.97 mg, 734.96 μmol , 0.1 eq) and **C1348-D** (2 g, 7.35 mmol, 1 eq) and Pd(dppf)Cl_2 (537.77 mg, 734.96 μmol , 0.1 eq) under N_2 . The mixture was stirred under N_2 at 90°C for 12 hr to give a black suspension. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=4/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H_2O (200 mL) and extracted with MBTE (100 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by a flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100%PE to 10%) to give **C134802-D** (1 g, 2.88 mmol, 39.16% yield) as a yellow oil.

^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.30-7.27 (m, 1H), 7.20-7.16 (m, 1H), 5.58-5.1 (m, 1H), 5.34-5.26 (m, 1H), 5.02-5.00 (m, 2H), 4.37-4.32 (m, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.62-2.58 (m, 2H), 2.48-2.44 (m, 2H), 2.07-2.02 (m, 2H), 1.71-1.66 (m, 2H), 1.44 (s, 9H).

[0806] Preparation of Compound C134802-E. To a solution of **C134802-D** (1 g, 2.88 mmol, 1 eq) in MeOH (20 mL) was added Pd/C (200 mg, 2.88 mmol, 50% purity, 1 eq) under N_2 . The suspension was degassed under vacuum and purged with H_2 several times. The mixture was stirred under H_2 (15psi) at 20°C for 12 hours. After LC-MS showed the reaction was complete, the mixture was filtered on Celite, washed with MeOH (60 mL), then concentrated to give **C134802-E** (800 mg, 2.29 mmol, 79.54% yield) as a yellow oil.

^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.31-6.98 (m, 5H), 5.05-4.98 (m, 1H), 4.31-4.26 (m, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 2.61-2.57 (m, 2H), 1.76-1.62 (m, 4H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.33-1.22 (m, 4H).

[0807] Preparation of Compound BB-C134802. To a solution of **C134802-E** (700 mg, 2.00 mmol, 1 eq) in THF (10 mL)/ H_2O (1.4 mL) was added $\text{LiOH}\cdot\text{H}_2\text{O}$ (84.06 mg, 2.00 mmol, 1 eq) at 0°C . The mixture was allowed to stir at 20°C for 12hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was extracted with MBTE (20 mL). The water layer was acidified to pH=3 with HCl (0.5N) and extracted with EtOAc (30 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give **BB-C134802** (560 mg, 1.61 mmol, 80.54% yield, 96.63% purity, 98.7% ee%) as a yellow oil.

^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3): δ 7.28-7.16 (m, 5H), 7.05-7.03 (m, 1H), 3.87-3.81 (m, 1H), 2.57-2.55 (m, 2H), 1.61-1.53 (m, 4H), 1.37 (s, 9H), 1.32-1.18 (m, 6H).

[0808] Preparation of Compound C134802-C. Zinc (6 g) was treated with 1N HCl aqueous (30 mL) with stirring for 10 min. The mixture was filtered and washed with water (30 mL), EtOH (30 mL) and toluene (30 mL) in sequence, and the dried in vacuum to afford the activated zinc powder. A mixture of activated Zn (3.18 g, 48.61 mmol, 4 eq) and I_2 (154.23 mg, 607.66 μmol , 122.40 μL , 0.05 eq) in DMA (90 mL) was stirred at 20°C for 5 min. Then **C134802-B** (4 g, 12.15 mmol, 1 eq) in DMA (30 mL) added dropwise. The reaction mixture was stirred at 20°C for 25 min to give a black suspension and used for the next step without further purification.

[0809] Preparation of Compound K101-C134802-A. To a solution of **K101-C20Tr-B** (200 mg, 338.55 μmol , 1 eq) in DCM (5 mL) were added **BB-C134802** (136.28 mg, 406.27 μmol , 1.2 eq), DMAP (165.44 mg, 1.35 mmol, 4 eq), HOBt (48.03 mg, 355.48 μmol , 1.05 eq) and EDC (77.88 mg, 406.27 μmol , 1.2 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 12 hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the presence of the desired mass, but some K101-C20Tr-B remained unreacted. The mixture was stirred at 20°C for an additional 16 hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS and TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with

saturated NaHCO_3 (50 mL) and extracted with DCM (80 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by a preparative TLC (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=2/1) to give **K101-C134802-A** (200 mg, 220.22 μmol , 65.05% yield) as a yellow solid.

^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.60 (s, 1H), 7.47-7.44 (m, 6H), 7.33-7.28 (m, 7H), 7.24-7.20 (m, 7H), 5.62-5.61 (m, 1H), 5.14 (m, 1H), 4.25 (brs 1H), 3.54 (s, 2H), 3.29 (s, 1H), 2.95 (s, 1H), 2.64-2.60 (m, 2H), 2.52-2.40 (m, 2H), 2.07-1.99 (m, 6H), 1.80 (s, 4H), 1.64-1.60 (m, 2H), 1.46 (s, 9H), 1.37-1.29 (m, 5H), 1.23 (s, 3H), 1.007(s, 3H), 0.90-0.86 (m, 4H).

[0810] Preparation of Compound K101-C134802-B. To a solution of **K101-C134802-A** (190 mg, 209.21 μmol , 1 eq) in MeOH (5 mL) was added HClO_4 (42.03 mg, 418.42 μmol , 25.32 μL , 2 eq) at 0°C . The mixture was stirred at 0°C for 0.5hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with saturated NaHCO_3 (4 mL) and extracted with DCM (20 mL x 3). The organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give the crude product. The crude product was purified by a flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100% to 50%) to give **K101-C134802-B** (150 mg) as a yellow solid.

^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.58 (s, 1H), 7.30-7.27 (m, 2H), 7.19-7.16 (m, 3H), 5.66-5.65 (m, 1H), 4.94-4.92 (m, 1H), 4.30-4.24 (m, 1H), 4.10-4.02 (m, 1H), 3.27 (s, 1H), 3.00 (s, 1H), 2.62-2.48 (m, 4H), 2.24 (s, 1H), 2.05-1.95 (m, 2H), 1.90-1.85 (m, 1H), 1.78 (s, 4H), 1.49-1.44 (m, 10H), 1.34-1.26 (m, 6H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.07 (s, 3H), 0.88-0.87 (m, 4H).

[0811] Preparation of Compound K101-C134802C2003-A. To a solution of **K101-C134802-B** (150 mg, 225.27 μmol , 1 eq) in DMF (5 mL) were added Boc-L-valine (97.89 mg, 450.55 μmol , 2 eq), DMAP (110.09 mg, 901.10 μmol , 4 eq), DIEA (58.23 mg, 450.55 μmol , 78.48 μL , 2 eq) and HATU (170.31 mg, 450.55 μmol , 2 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 28hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was quenched with H_2O (30 mL), the organic layer was dried over Na_2SO_4 then concentrated to give the crude product. The product was purified by a flash column (eluting with: PE/EtOAc=100% to 30%) to give **K101-C134802C2003-A** (150 mg, 173.39 μmol , 76.97% yield) as a yellow solid.

^1H NMR (400MHz, CDCl_3) δ 7.61 (s, 1H), 7.32-7.29 (m, 2H), 7.21-7.18 (m, 2H), 5.75 (m, 1H), 5.03-5.00 (m, 2H), 4.59-4.52 (m, 2H), 4.25-4.16 (m, 2H), 3.29 (s, 1H), 3.01-3.00 (m, 1H), 2.64-2.38 (m, 4H), 2.21-2.07 (m, 2H), 2.00-1.95 (m, 1H), 1.81 (s, 3H), 1.63-1.47 (m, 21H), 1.37-1.24 (m, 6H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.03 (s, 3H), 0.98-0.96 (m, 5H), 0.90-0.87 (m, 7H).

[0812] Preparation of Compound K101-C134802C2003. To a solution of **K101-C134802C2003-A** (150 mg, 173.39 μmol , 1 eq) in DCM (5 mL) was added TFA (770.00 mg, 6.75 mmol, 500.00 μL , 38.95 eq). The mixture was stirred at 20°C for 1hr to give a yellow solution. LC-MS showed the reaction was complete. The reaction mixture was concentrated by N_2 and the resultant product

dissolved in MTBE (20 mL). Following adjustment of the solution to pH 8 with saturated NaHCO_3 , the organic layer was separated, and the water layer extracted with MTBE (20 mL x 3). The combined organic layers were dried over Na_2SO_4 and concentrated to give **K101-C134802C2003** (85.2 mg, 123.43 μmol , 71.19% yield, 96.32% purity) as a yellow solid.

[0813] LC-MS (m/z): 687.4 $[\text{M}+\text{Na}]^+$

[0814] ^1H NMR (400MHz, CD_3OD): δ 7.56 (s, 1H), 7.30-7.10 (m, 5H), 5.80-5.75 (m, 1H), 4.70-4.50 (m, 3H), 3.55-3.45 (m, 1H), 3.20-3.05 (m, 2H), 2.70-2.50 (m, 3H), 2.50-2.40 (m, 1H), 2.20-1.95 (m, 3H), 1.85-1.45 (m, 8H), 1.45-1.25 (m, 6H), 1.21 (s, 3H), 1.10 (s, 3H), 1.0-0.90 (m, 10H).

Example 65: Compound Binding to C1b Domain of PKC Isoforms

[0815] Compounds described in this disclosure were tested for binding affinity to C1b domain of PKC isoforms. Compound binding affinity to C1b domain of PKC isoforms was derived from competitive binding assay using radioactive tracer ^3H -PDBu and recombinant GST-C1b or full-length of human PKC proteins based on modified procedures from Methods in Molecular Biology, vol. 233: Protein Kinase C Protocols Edited by: A. C. Newton, Humana Press Inc., Totowa, NJ (2003) and Beans et al., Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A. 2013, 110(29):11698-703.

[0816] Genes encoding C1b domains of human PKC α , δ , ϵ , θ , and PKD1 (PKC μ) were synthesized and inserted into pGEX-2TK or pGEX-4T1 vectors for expression and production of GST-C1b proteins in *E. coli* BL21(DE3) via IPTG induction. The target proteins were purified by glutathione sepharose 4B and followed by ion exchange chromatography if needed to achieve purity >70%. Aliquots of the purified proteins were stored at -80 degree for binding assay (storage buffer: 20 mM Tris pH 8.0, 200 mM NaCl, 10% glycerol, 1 mM DTT). Full-length PKC δ was purchased from Millipore (cat# 14-504).

[0817] Competitive binding assay was performed in 96-well plate (Agilent-5042-1385). 300 μL reaction contains 60 μL of 1mg/mL phosphatidylserine (*Sigma-P7769*), 1 μL DMSO, testing compound (10-point 3-fold or 4-fold serial dilution) or PDBu (*Sigma-P1269*) (final concentration of 5 or 10 μM as the nonspecific binding control), 19 μL of assay buffer (50mM Tris-HCl pH7.4, 100mM KCl, 0.15mM CaCl_2 and 0.2% BSA), 200 μL of protein (final concentration of 1-10nM), and 20 μL ^3H -PDBu (ARC-ART 0485) (final concentration of 1-10nM). The plate was incubated at 37°C on a shaker at 300rpm for 10 minutes and then put on ice for 20 minutes. The reaction mixtures were filtered through the GF/B filter plate (PE-6005177) and the plate was washed with the wash buffer (20mM Tris-HCl pH7.4, stored at 4°C) for 6 times before drying at 50°C for 1 hour. The bottom of the filter plate was sealed and 50 μL of MicroScint-20 (PerkinElmer) cocktail was added to each well. ^3H -PDBu trapped in each well was counted using PerkinElmer MicroBeta2 Reader. Data were analyzed using GraphPad Prism5 with the model "log(inhibitor) vs. response-variable slope" to fit the IC50, and then IC50 was transformed to Ki using Cheng-Prusoff equation: $\text{Ki}=\text{IC}50/(1+\text{added radio})$

ligand/Kd). Kd is the binding affinity of each protein preparation to ^3H -PDBu, determined experimentally. Unrelated protein made in similar expression system did not have specific binding to ^3H -PDBu. Ki values of Diterpenoid compounds for human PKC α , δ , ϵ , θ , and PKD1 (PKC μ) were reported in **Table 3**.

[0818] As shown in **Table 3**, in general, binding affinity of new diterpenoid compounds in this disclosure to C1b domain of novel PKC isoforms or PKD1 (PKC μ) is much higher than that to conventional PKC α (up to >100-fold difference). The Ki values of the diterpenoid compounds for C1b domain of human PKC δ , α , ϵ , θ , and PKD1 (PKC μ) are as follows: A = ≤ 5 nM, B = > 5 nM and ≤ 10 nM, C = > 10 nM and ≤ 30 nM; D = > 30 nM and ≤ 60 nM; E = > 60 nM and ≤ 100 nM, F = > 100 nM and ≤ 200 nM; G = > 200 nM and ≤ 400 nM; H = > 400 nM and ≤ 800 nM; I = > 800 nM and ≤ 1000 nM; J = > 1000 nM and ≤ 2000 nM, K = > 2000 nM and ≤ 4000 nM; L = > 4000 nM and ≤ 6000 nM; M = > 6000 nM and ≤ 8000 nM; N = > 8000 nM.)

[0819] **Table 3**

Compound	PKC δ	PKC α	PKC θ	PKC ϵ	PKD1/PKC μ
PBDu (Phorbol 12,13-dibutyrate)	A	G	A	A	A
K101A (or K101, Prostratin)	G	M	F	F	D
K103 (TPA)	A	B	A	A	A
K101-C13OH	M	N	K	K	L
K101-C1301	B	F	C	B	A
K101-C1302	A	D	A	A	A
K101-C1303	D	H	D	F	C
K101-C1304	B	F	B	C	A
K101-C1305	H	N	G	J	F
K101-C1306	F	J	F	G	C
K101-C1308	C	I	D	C	B
K101-C1311	C	H	C	D	A
K101-C1312	B	F	C	C	A
K101-C1313	C	G	C	C	A
K101-C1315	F	N	NT	NT	D
K101-C1316	F	M	NT	NT	D
K101-C1317	C	I	NT	NT	A
K101-C1318	B	F	C	D	A
K101-C1319	A	E	B	D	A
K101-C1320	D	K	NT	NT	C
K101-C1321	A	E	NT	NT	A
K101-C1322	D	I	NT	NT	B
K101-C1323	G	N	NT	NT	F
K101-C1324	A	F	A	A	A
K101-C1325	D	L	NT	NT	D
K101-C1326	H	N	NT	NT	G

K101-C1327	A	E	B	C	A
K101-C1328	C	G	NT	NT	A
K101-C1329	A	D	B	C	A
K101-C1330	E	J	NT	NT	D
K101-C1331	B	F	NT	NT	A
K101-C1332	B	F	NT	NT	B
K101-C1333	A	E	A	C	A
K101-C1334	H	N	NT	NT	D
K101-C1335	G	N	NT	NT	E
K101-C1336	F	K	NT	NT	D
K101-C1337	C	J	NT	NT	B
K101-C1338	F	K	NT	NT	D
K101-C1339	G	L	NT	NT	E
K101-C1340	C	G	NT	NT	B
K101-C1341	D	J	NT	NT	C
K101-C1342	B	F	NT	NT	A
K101-C1343	D	J	NT	NT	C
K101-C1344	D	J	NT	NT	C
K101-C1345	A	D	C	C	A
K101-C1346	C	G	D	E	B
K101-C1347	A	C	A	B	A
K101-C134801	B	H	C	C	A
K101-C134802	A	D	A	C	A
K101-C134901	C	G	C	C	B
K101-C134902	A	D	B	C	A
K101-C1350	C	H	NT	NT	A
K101-C1351	D	J	NT	NT	C
K101-C1352	G	L	NT	NT	G
K101-C1353	H	N	NT	NT	L
K101-C1354	D	J	NT	NT	C
K101-C1355	F	NT	NT	NT	D
K101-C135601	D	J	NT	NT	C
K101-C135602	C	G	NT	NT	A
K101-C1357	G	N	NT	NT	D
K101-C1358	C	G	NT	NT	B
K101-C135901	D	J	D	E	C
K101-C135902	B	E	C	C	B
K101-C136101	C	H	C	C	B
K101-C136102	C	D	A	B	A
K101-C1364	C	G	NT	NT	NT
K101-C1365	F	L	NT	NT	D
K101-C137001	C	I	D	D	C
K101-C137002	C	G	C	D	B

TPA = 12-*O*-Tetradecanoylphorbol-13-acetate (TPA), also commonly known as tetradecanoylphorbol acetate, tetradecanoyl phorbol acetate, and phorbol 12-myristate 13-acetate (PMA).

NT = Not tested

Example 66: Western Blot to Assess Activation of PKC and Downstream Target Protein by the Diterpenoid Compounds

[0820] According to the methods described in patent (WO/2017/083783) A549 lung cancer cells (~3 million cells) were seeded in 10 cm tissue culture dishes (or ~1 million cells in 6 cm dish) and grown overnight. Cells were then treated with different drugs at indicated concentrations for 30 minutes. Cell lysate preparation, protein quantitation, SDS-PAGE, and Western blotting procedures are described (WO/2017/083783). β -actin or Vinculin was used as loading controls. Imagequant LAS4000 (GE) was used to scan membranes if secondary antibodies anti-mouse IgG HRP conjugate or anti-rabbit IgG HRP conjugate (dilutions from 1:2000 – 1:10000) were used. For ProteinSimple Wes system, manufacture's procedure was followed (ProteinSimple 12-230 kDa Wes Separation Module) for sample preparation, loading, running, and data analysis.

[0821] Results: 1 μ M Prostratin (K101) and 0.3 μ M the diterpenoid compounds disclosed herein, such as K101-C1319, -C1321, -C1327, and -C1329, induced high levels of phosphorylation of PKC μ (detected by phospho-specific antibodies P-PKD/PKC μ (S916), Cell Signaling Technology cat#2051 and P-PKD/PKC μ (S744/748), Cell Signaling Technology cat#2054), PKC δ (detected by phospho-specific antibody P-PKC δ (T505), Cell Signaling Technology cat#9374), and one of the PKC downstream targets Erk1/2 (detected by phospho-specific antibody P-Erk1/2 (T202/Y204), Cell Signaling Technology cat#9106) in A549 cells (**FIG. 1**). Phosphorylation of these sites has been linked to acute activation or catalytic activity of the PKC isoforms and Erk1/2. High level of phosphorylation indicates strong activation. Surprisingly, K101-C1337, an enantiomer of K101-C1327, induced much lower levels of phosphorylation on these proteins, indicating that the stereochemistry of the moiety on the C12 is very important in determining the potency of the compound. Other less potent compounds, such as K101-C1303, -C1315, -C1316, and -C1336, induced phosphorylation at 3 μ M.

[0822] A subset of the diterpenoid compounds with good binding affinity to novel PKC isoforms and PKC μ was tested at two different concentrations in A549 cells to assess activation of PKC μ , PKC δ , and Erk1/2 by Western blot analysis. In addition to the phospho-specific antibodies described above, an additional phospho-specific antibody P-PKC δ (S299) (Abcam cat#133456) was also used. This antibody has been shown in the literature (Durgan et al., FEBS Lett. 2007, 581(18):3377-81, Novel phosphorylation site markers of protein kinase C delta activation) to be able to detect activation of PKC δ . K-101 (prostratin, 1 μ M) was included as reference compounds.

[0823] The results are shown in **FIGS. 2, 3, 4A, and 4B**. In summary, all of these compounds demonstrated activation of PKC μ , PKC δ , and Erk1/2 in a dose-dependent manner in the concentration

range tested. The relative strength of cellular PKC activation correlated well with that of binding affinity of these compounds to PKC isoforms.

Example 67: Effect of Compounds on CaMKii Phosphorylation in PANC1 Cell Line

[0824] PANC1 (a pancreatic cancer cell line) cells (~5-8 millions) were seeded in 10 cm dishes (or ~2 millions in 6 cm dishes) and treated next day with prostratin (K-101, 0.2 μ M and 1 μ M) or 0.02 μ M and 0.1 μ M of K101-C1347, -C134801, and -C134802 for 48 hours. Cells were then collected/lysed for Western blot analysis. Protein quantification, SDS-PAGE, and Western blot procedures were performed as described in Example 65, except that a different lysis buffer (1ml of 10X TNE [20mL 1M Tris pH7.5; 30mL 5M NaCl; 2mL 0.5M EDTA; 48mL dH₂O], 1ml of 10% NP40, 7.7mL of dH₂O, 100 μ L of 10x Protease inhibitors, 100 μ L of 10x Phosphatase inhibitors, and 10 μ L DTT) was used. To assess the effect of diterpenoid compounds on CaMKii phosphorylation, a phospho-specific antibody P-CaMKii (T286) (Abcam, cat# 32678) was used for detection. Phosphorylation of CaMKii at T286 is a marker for activation of CaMKii kinase in the Wnt/Ca²⁺ signaling pathway when and CaM are dissociated and thus a downstream marker for inhibition of K-Ras stemness (Wang et al., Cell. 2015, 163(5):1237-51). As shown in **FIG. 5**, all compounds induced phosphorylation of CaMKii at T286. This result indicated that PKC activators activate CaMKii via inhibition of K-Ras stemness.

Example 68: Effect of Compounds on Proliferation of A549

[0825] The diterpenoid compounds were tested in A549, a non-small cell lung cancer cell line harboring a K-Ras activating mutation. Briefly, A549 cells at a density of 1,000 cells/well were seeded in 96-well plates and incubated at 37°C for 24 hours. A series of different concentrations of compound stocks (500x) were prepared by 3-fold serial dilution in DMSO. These compounds were further diluted in culture media and then added to cells so that the final DMSO concentration was not exceeding 0.25%. After 96 hours of incubation, 50 μ L of CellTiter Glo reagent (Promega) was added to each well and luminescence was measured after 10 minutes using EnVision (PerkinElmer). Luminescence from cells treated with DMSO alone was set as Max and % of inhibition was calculated as follows: Inhibition% = (Max-Sample value)/Max x 100. Data was analyzed using XL-fit software (ID Business Solutions Ltd.) and IC₅₀, relative IC₅₀, and % of top inhibition was calculated. The IC₅₀ for growth inhibition of A549 lung cancer cell line is shown in **Table 4**. Some of the compounds in this disclosure were very potent in blocking proliferation of A549 lung cancer cells at low nM range. In addition, potency of inhibiting A549 proliferation correlated well with its binding affinity to PKCs for this series of compounds. In other words, higher affinity binders had stronger inhibitory effects on A549 proliferation. This further support the notion that activation, rather than inhibition, of certain PKC isoforms is required to block proliferation of cancer cells, some of which may harbor K-Ras mutations. This is in sharp contrast to previous literature and common

belief that inhibition of PKC is necessary to block cancer cell growth (Kang, 2014, New Journal of Science, 2014:1-36). Data presented here is in agreement with recent findings that many loss-of-function but not gain-of-function mutations of PKC isoforms have been identified in many human cancers (Antal et al., 2015, Cell, 160:489-502). The IC₅₀ values of the diterpenoid compounds against A549 cell line are as follows: A = ≤ 0.001 uM, B = >0.001 uM and ≤ 0.01 uM, C = >0.01 uM, and ≤ 0.03 uM, D = >0.03 uM and ≤ 0.06 uM, E = >0.06 uM and ≤ 0.1 uM, F = > 0.1 uM and ≤ 0.2 uM, G = >0.2 uM and ≤ 0.6 uM, H = >0.6 uM and ≤ 1.0 uM, I = >1.0 uM and ≤ 2.0 uM, J = >2 uM and ≤ 5 uM, K = > 5 uM and ≤ 10 uM, L = >10 uM and ≤ 30 uM, and M = >30 uM).

[0826] Table 4

Compound	IC ₅₀ μ M (A549 Cell Line)
K101 or K101A (prostratin)	D
K103 (TPA)	A
K101-C130H	M
K101-Epoxyde	M
K101-DI-OH	M
K101-C1301	D
K101-C1302	C
K101-C1303	H
K101-C1304	D
K101-C1305	M
K101-C1306	M
K101-C1308	E
K101-C1311	F
K101-C1312	D
K101-C1313	E
K101-C1315	I
K101-C1316	H
K101-C1317	H
K101-C1318	F
K101-C1319	E
K101-C1320	G
K101-C1321	D
K101-C1322	J
K101-C1323	J
K101-C1324	C
K101-C1325	I
K101-C1326	M
K101-C1327	E
K101-C1328	G
K101-C1329	E
K101-C1329-C1	E
K101-C1330	J
K101-C1331	E
K101-C1332	F
K101-C1333	B
K101-C1334	L
K101-C1335	L

Compound	IC ₅₀ μ M (A549 Cell Line)
K101-C1336	I
K101-C1337	G
K101-C1338	K
K101-C1339	K
K101-C1340	L
K101-C1341	L
K101-C1342	E
K101-C1343	I
K101-C1344	I
K101-C1345	C
K101-C1346	G
K101-C1347	B
K101-C134802	B
K101-C134801	C
K101-C134902	D
K101-C134901	G
K101-C1350	H
K101-C1351	G
K101-C1352	K
K101-C1353	I
K101-C1354	G
K101-C1355	J
K101-C135602	F
K101-C135601	G
K101-C1357	J
K101-C1358	I
K101-C135902	C
K101-C135901	E
K101-C136102	B
K101-C136101	C
K101-C1364	G
K101-C1365	H
K101-C137002	F
K101-C137001	F
K101-C137302	L
K101-C137301	L
K101-C1375	E
K101-C134801C2003	D
K101-C134802C2003	C

Note: 12-*O*-Tetradecanoylphorbol-13-acetate (TPA), also commonly known as tetradecanoylphorbol acetate, tetradecanoyl phorbol acetate, and phorbol 12-myristate 13-acetate (PMA).

Example 69: Effect of Compounds on Proliferation of Multiple Cancer Cell Lines

[0827] The compounds in this disclosure were tested for their potency in blocking proliferation of a few other cancer cells lines, including K-Ras mutant pancreatic cell lines Panc2.13 and KP-4, leukemia cell line HL-60, and lymphoma cell lines Namalwa and Mino. Similar procedures as in Example 67 were followed. Initial cell numbers seeded in 96-well plates were different for different cell lines: 3000 cells/well for Panc2.13; 800-1000 cells/well for KP-4; 5000 cells/well for HL-60;

5000-10000 cells/well for Namalwa and Mino. The IC50 data are shown in **Table 5** below. A ratio of (IC50 of K101)/(IC50 of compound) (data in parenthesis in **Table 5**) was used to normalize the compound potency from different assay batches to a common comparator K101. The IC50 and Ratio Data for Various Cell Lines are as follows: A = ≤ 0.001 uM, B = >0.001 uM and ≤ 0.01 uM, C = >0.01 uM, and ≤ 0.03 uM, D = >0.03 uM and ≤ 0.06 uM, E = >0.06 uM and ≤ 0.1 uM, F = >0.1 uM and ≤ 0.2 uM, G = >0.2 uM and ≤ 0.6 uM, H = >0.6 uM and ≤ 1.0 uM, I = >1.0 uM and ≤ 2.0 uM, J = >2 uM and ≤ 5 uM, K = >5 uM and ≤ 10 uM, L = >10 uM and ≤ 30 uM, and M = >30 uM

[0828] Table 5

Compound ID	IC50 in μ M (ratio*)				
	Panc2.13 (Pancreatic)	KP-4 (Pancreatic)	HL-60 (Leukemia)	Namalwa (Lymphoma)	Mino (Lymphoma)
K101	H (1)	G (1)	G (1)	E (1)	E (1)
K101-C1301	NT	NT	D (9.23)	D (1.73)	B (11)
K101-C1302	NT	NT	B(72)	B (13.8)	A (75)
K101-C1304	NT	NT	C (18)	C (3.29)	B (15.6)
K101-C1321	NT	NT	E (5.71)	D (1.15)	C (5.36)
K101-C1324	NT	NT	C (32.7)	B (8.63)	B (37.5)
K101-C1303	I (0.75)	H (0.67)	G (0.9)	G (0.19)	F (0.57)
K101-C1308	F (6.29)	F (4.18)	E (5.29)	D (1.38)	C (6.82)
K101-C1318	G (4.28)	F (3.29)	F (3.21)	E (0.93)	C (3.18)
K101-C1319	G (3.65)	F (3.54)	D (1.79)	D (1.53)	C (6)
K101-C1327	F (7.1)	F (4.18)	D (2.32)	D (2.03)	B (7.33)
K101-C1329	F (5.82)	E (4.6)	D (1.79)	D (1.6)	C (5.5)
K101-C1333	B (157)	B (135)	B (80)	B (20.9)	A (82.5)
K101-C1342	F (6.79)	E (5.75)	D (6.43)	D (1.68)	C (6.2)
K101-C1345	D (20.5)	C (20.3)	C (27.7)	B (7.42)	B (33)
K101-C1347	C (71.7)	B (48.4)	B (16.2)	B (18.2)	B (52.2)
K101-C134801	E (13.4)	D (8.52)	C (4.43)	C (4.93)	B (21.3)
K101-C134802	C (57.3)	B (50)	B (12.1)	B (16.1)	B (52.2)
K101-C134901	NT	NT	F (2.75)	F (0.49)	C (3.88)

K101-C134902	NT	NT	C (12)	C (3.5)	B (15.7)
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NT = Not tested

Example 70: Sphere Formation Assay to Assess Effect of Compounds on Cancer Stemness

[0829] A group of diterpenoid compounds of the present disclosure were tested to assess their effects on blocking formation of spheres from cancer cell lines such as PANC1, a K-Ras mutant pancreatic cell line. Briefly, PANC1 cells were harvested, re-suspended as single cell suspensions, counted and seeded into Ultra Low Attachment Culture 96-well plate (Corning, Cat#3474) at 100 cells/well in 100µl of complete media (with 10% FBS) containing 2% Matrigel (Corning, Cat#354234) and DMSO or compounds. Six replicates per condition were seeded. The seeded cells were placed in the 37°C tissue culture incubator. 10µl of low serum containing media (with 0.1% FBS) was added to each well every week. Spheres formed after 3-4 weeks were counted. Sphere forming efficiency was expressed as percentage of # of spheres/# of cells seeded.

[0830] The results are shown in **FIGS. 6A-6D**. All compounds showed dose-dependent inhibition of sphere formation from PANC1 single cell suspension. K101 or K101A is prostratin. Compounds exhibiting at least 50% inhibition on the sphere forming efficiency: K101-C1347 and K101-C134802 at a concentration of ≤ 50 nM; K101-C1308, K101-C1329, K101-C1345, and K101-C134801 at a concentration of ≤ 150 nM; K101 at a concentration of ≤ 500 nM; and K101-C1346 and K101-C1319 at a concentration of ≤ 1500 nM.

Example 71: Testing Compounds in Animals – Pharmacokinetic studies

[0831] Pharmacokinetic (PK) studies were conducted for compounds described in this disclosure, and the PK study of K101-C1327 administered by intravenous injection in rats is given as an example. Briefly, K101-C1327 was dissolved in a pH 5 buffer solution at the concentrations of 2.0 mg/mL, and diluted to 0.04 and 0.08 mg/mL to achieve the doses of 0.1 and 0.2 mg/kg with a dosing volume of 2.5 mL/kg, respectively. The K101-C1327 dosing solutions were administered via intravenous bolus injection in 3 rats (Sprague Dawley). Plasma samples were taken at 1 minute, 5 minutes, 15 minutes, 30 minutes, 1 hour, 2 hours, 4 hours, 7 hours, and 24 hours. The drug concentrations at each time point were determined by LC-MS. The results of drug concentrations and pharmacokinetic parameters are presented in the **Table 6** and **Table 7**, respectively, below.

[0832] **Table 6:** K101-C1327 Concentration in plasma after bolus injection in rats

K101-C1327 Concentration (ng/mL) in Rat Plasma after Bolus Injection				
Time post dose (hour)	Dose 0.1 mg/kg		Dose 0.2 mg/kg	
	Mean (ng/mL)	SD	Mean (ng/mL)	SD

0.0167	216.0	50.0	334.0	107.0
0.0833	49.2	9.7	102.0	31.0
0.25	28.7	7.7	65.0	17.0
0.5	19.4	3.7	43.6	19.9
1	14.6	0.6	37.6	17.1
2	5.0	0.8	29.1	17.8
4	1.0	NA	6.0	NA
7	< 1	NA	< 1	NA
24	< 1	NA	< 1	NA

[0833] Table 7: PK parameters for **K101-C1327** in rat plasma after bolus injection

Dose	$t_{1/2}$ (hr)	C_0 (ng/mL)	AUC_{last} (hr*ng/mL)	V_z (L/kg)	V_{ss} (L/kg)	CL (mL/min/kg)	MRT_{inf} (hr)
0.1 mg/kg	0.857	314	48.3	2.44	1.73	32.9	0.873
0.2 mg/kg	2.29	450	119	3.25	2.77	21.5	2.93

Example 72: Tumor clearance in xenograft model by intra-tumoral (IT) injected compounds

[0834] The antitumor efficacy of the compounds cited in this disclosure was tested in a xenograft model via intra-tumoral injection route.

[0835] Immunodeficient (athymic) Nu/Nu mice were implanted at one flank subcutaneously with Panc2.13 pancreatic cancer cells. When tumors grew to 50-100 mm³, each group of three mice was treated with seven daily intratumoral (IT) injections of vehicle (50% dimethyl sulfoxide (DMSO)/50% Poly(ethylene glycol) PEG400), K101-C1347 (4mg/mL, 20μl), K101-C134801 (20mg/mL, 20μl), or K101-C134802 (4mg/mL, 20μl). All groups tolerated drug treatments very well. Ulceration of tumor (and the skin covering the tumor) was observed for all compound-treated mice after one or two IT injections. Scabs formed after 1-2 weeks and the skin recovered with minimal scarring after 3-4 weeks. Tumor growth/re-growth on or near the injection site was monitored for up to 55 days. **FIG. 7** shows tumor growth curves of various treatment groups. Tumor growth inhibition is calculated by dividing the group average tumor volume for the treated group by the group average tumor volume for the control group (T/C). A one-way ANOVA was performed to compare tumor volume among groups, and when a significant F-statistics (a ratio of treatment variance to the error variance) was obtained, comparisons between groups were carried out with Games-Howell test. All

data were analyzed using GraphPad 5.0. $P < 0.05$ was considered to be statistically significant. Tumor growth inhibition analysis at Day 45 indicated that K101-C134801 ($T/C = 0$, $P < 0.05$) and K101-C1347 ($T/C = 3.3$, $P < 0.05$) induced significant anti-tumor effect.

[0836] A Mann-Whitney method was performed to analyze the tumor clearance rate comparing drug treated groups with the vehicle group at the end of the efficacy study. $P < 0.05$ was considered to be statistically significant. Vehicle-injected tumors kept growing and there was no tumor clearance at the end point. IT injection of K101-K134801 resulted in complete clearance of tumors in mice ($P = 0.025$). K101-C1347 cleared tumors from two out of three mice ($P = 0.114$) and K101-C134802 cleared tumors from one out of three mice ($P = 0.317$).

[0837] To test if tumor-eradicated mice developed any anti-tumor immunity, Panc2.13 tumor cells were re-inoculated at the left flank (opposite of the original tumor implantation site) of these mice to challenge animal immune system. All of these animals did not display any obvious resistance to Panc2.13 tumor re-initiation. Since Nu/Nu mice do not have thymus and are defective in the adaptive immune systems, activation of innate immune systems and/or direct killing of the tumor cells by the PKC activator compounds likely play major roles for the efficacy observed. No anti-tumor immunity is expected from these mice since immunity is dependent on the intact adaptive immune systems.

Example 73: Examination of NF- κ B Activation of PKC Activating Compounds

[0838] The PKC activator compounds were evaluated for their effect on NF κ B expression using a luciferase reporter gene expression system.

[0839] A HeLa- NF κ B luciferase reporter cell line (Wuxi Biology) was used to assess a group of PKC activator compounds for their ability to activate NF κ B-driven transcription. Two sets of cells at 20000 cells/well were plated, grew overnight, and then treated for 16h at 37°C with DMSO, 6 doses of each compound, or TNF- α (final concentration of 10ng/mL, positive control) in triplicates. One set of cells was assayed for luciferase activity (Promega, Cat#E1500) and the other set was assayed to determine the number of viable cells (for cell number normalization) using CellTiter-Glo (CTG) kit (Promega, Cat#G7570) according to manufacture's procedures. Normalized data (luciferase value/CTG value) were analyzed using GraphPad Prism5 to calculate EC50 for each compound (see **Table 8**). The EC50 data are as follows: A = ≤ 0.001 uM, B = >0.001 uM and ≤ 0.01 uM, C = >0.01 uM and ≤ 0.03 uM, D = >0.03 uM and ≤ 0.06 uM, E = >0.06 uM and ≤ 0.1 uM, F = > 0.1 uM and ≤ 0.2 uM, G = >0.2 uM and ≤ 0.6 uM, H = >0.6 uM and ≤ 1.0 uM, I = >1.0 uM and ≤ 2.0 uM, J = >2 uM and ≤ 5 uM, K = > 5 uM and ≤ 10 uM, L = >10 uM and ≤ 30 uM, and M = >30 uM

[0840] Results. TNF- α (10ng/mL) activated NF κ B luciferase reporter gene expression near 10 fold above DMSO control. The normalized ratio of luciferase/CTG is from 0.15 to 0.2. The magnitude of

NFκB activation stimulated by TNF-α (10ng/mL) was very similar to the maximal stimulation by the PKC activator compounds.

[0841] Table 8

Compound ID	NFκB-luc HeLa cells
	EC50 (μM)
K-101	G
K101-C1301	E
K101-C1302	C
K101-C1303	G
K101-C1304	D
K101-C1308	E
K101-C1318	F
K101-C1319	E
K101-C1321	F
K101-C1324	C
K101-C1327	D
K101-C1329	E
K101-C1333	B
K101-C1342	E
K101-C1345	C
K101-C1347	B
K101-C134801	C
K101-C134802	B
K101-C134901	F
K101-C134902	E

[0842] These PKC activator compounds were very potent to activate NFκB reporter gene transcription: 3 compounds with EC50 less than 0.01μM, 13 compounds with EC50 less than 0.1μM, and 4 compounds with EC50 greater than 0.1μM but less than 1μM.

[0843] To assess if activation of PKC is required for these compounds to activate NFκB, several PKC inhibitors including broad-spectrum and conventional PKC inhibitors were tested. In the assay described above, PKC inhibitors were added at the same time as the PKC activator compounds. Sotrastaurin, a PKC inhibitor targeting both conventional and novel classes of PKC, and Gö6983, targeting all PKCs (conventional, novel, atypical, and PKCμ), were able to completely block NFκB

activation induced by a number of PKC activator compounds (K101A, K101-C1302, K101-C1345, K101-C1347, K101-C134801, and K101-C134802).

[0844] However, Gö6976, a PKC inhibitor targeting mainly the conventional PKC isoforms, was unable to block NFκB activation stimulated by these PKC activator compounds (data not shown).

[0845] Conclusions: The compounds tested are PKC activators. In addition, the PKC activator compound-mediated NFκB activation is not via the conventional PKC isoforms and most likely via the novel PKC isoforms.

Example 74: Stimulation of Cytokine/Chemokine in Human Peripheral Blood
Mononuclear Cell (PBMC) by PKC Activators

[0846] This study evaluated the effect of PKC activator compounds on expression of cytokines/chemokines in human PMBC cells.

[0847] Materials and methods: 100 million frozen human PBMC cells were purchased from Allcells (100 million/vial). The cells were thawed and recovered for one day before 1.5-1.8 million cells in 900μl RPMI1640 with 10% heat-inactivated FBS were seeded in each well of 24-well plates. Various compounds in DMSO stock (500x) were diluted 50-fold with the same media to make 10x compound stock for most compounds. 1μL of 5mg/mL PMA was diluted to 99μL of the media to make 50μg/mL PMA. For PMA with ionomycin treatment condition, 1.5μL of 50μg/mL PMA and 3μL of 500μg/mL ionomycin were added to 145.5μL of the media to make 10x compound stock. Sources of the compounds are as follows: PMA from Abcam (Abcam# ab120297); Ionomycin from Sigma (Sigma# I0634); Resiquimod from Selleck Chem. (Selleckchem# S8133); and LPS from Sigma (Sigma# L6143).

[0848] 100μl of the diluted compound (10x) was added to the cells and the plates were incubated at 37°C, 5% CO₂ incubator for 4 hours. Each treatment condition was performed in duplicates. After treatment, mRNA was extracted from cells and samples from duplicates were combined for TaqMan gene expression assays (ThermoFisher) in triplicates. Expression of 19 genes (IL-1β, IL-2, IL-4, IL-6, IL-8, IL-10, IL-13, IL-18, IL-12p70/IL-12A, IL-12p40/IL-12B, IFN-α, IFN-γ, GM-CSF/CSF2, CCL2/MCP-1, MIP1a/CCL3, TNF-α, MX1, OAS1, ISG15) along with two housekeeping gene controls, 18S and GAPDH, was determined. Target gene expression in each sample was determined by relative quantification (RQ) using the comparative Ct (ΔΔCT) method. This method measures the Ct difference (ΔCT) between target gene and the housekeeping genes (18S & GAPDH), then compares the ΔCT values of treated samples to DMSO-treated control samples. The mean ΔCT value of the DMSO-treated control from two independent DMSO-treated control samples was used. The relative expression level of target gene was calculated by using the equation: relative expression = 2^{-ΔΔCT}

[0849] Results and discussions. The results of relative expression of 19 genes upon treatment of various compounds for 4 hours in human PBMC cells are shown in **Table 9A-9C**.

[0850] **Table 9A**

Treatment	Concentration	Gene Relative Expression					
		IFN γ	GM-CSF	IL-1 β	IL-2	IL-6	IL-8
DMSO		1	1	1	1	1	1
PMA (ng/mL) + ionomycin (μ g/mL)	50 + 1	23.93	17.00	4.98	2.98	4.02	1.94
Resiquimod (μ M)	1	1.28	8.79	101.63	1.21	487.14	9.87
LPS (ng/ml)	50	4.98	16.24	66.54	1.20	431.91	7.72
K-101 (μ M)	0.3	4.52	5.69	1.82	5.59	0.77	0.62
	1	13.46	16.75	1.82	7.71	4.83	0.35
	3	18.11	11.22	3.15	2.71	5.41	1.13
K101- C1347 (μ M)	0.01	1.69	1.59	0.59	3.06	1.17	0.71
	0.03	3.82	8.38	2.26	7.78	0.86	0.54
	0.10	18.08	16.06	3.00	3.29	6.72	0.60
K101- C134802 (μ M)	0.01	1.46	1.00	0.38	1.32	0.57	0.44
	0.03	1.49	1.88	0.94	3.59	1.23	0.66
	0.10	11.33	21.01	3.00	4.98	6.15	0.44
K101- C134801 (μ M)	0.03	1.62	1.89	0.54	1.71	0.74	0.80
	0.10	3.47	7.74	1.58	7.65	1.14	0.53
	0.30	18.57	10.50	1.53	3.41	4.85	0.59

[0851] **Table 9B**

Treatment	Concentration	Gene Relative Expression					
		IL-10	IL-13	IL-18	MIP1a (CCL3)	MX1	OAS1
DMSO		1	1	1	1	1	1

PMA (ng/mL) + ionomycin (μg/mL)	50 + 1	0.06	85.82	0.08	6.35	0.37	0.38
Resiquimod (μM)	1	5.65	3.52	1.33	47.71	17.00	12.66
LPS (ng/ml)	50	16.76	4.59	0.65	40.26	89.81	51.01
K-101 (μM)	0.3	0.37	39.71	0.07	2.95	0.53	0.51
	1	0.10	170.67	0.03	5.90	1.31	0.88
	3	0.07	80.77	0.05	3.72	0.58	0.41
K101-C1347 (μM)	0.01	1.12	3.10	0.26	1.65	0.84	0.74
	0.03	0.41	52.65	0.06	2.82	1.01	0.78
	0.10	0.09	101.38	0.06	5.73	0.99	0.69
K101- C134802 (μM)	0.01	1.59	0.37	0.63	1.29	0.77	0.85
	0.03	0.86	5.87	0.19	1.67	0.65	0.55
	0.10	0.12	121.59	0.05	4.95	1.06	0.71
K101- C134801 (μM)	0.03	1.27	0.40	0.47	1.86	0.65	0.64
	0.10	0.48	47.45	0.09	2.39	0.72	0.55
	0.30	0.06	78.90	0.04	3.37	0.57	0.42

[0852] Table 9C

Treatment	Concentration	Gene Relative Expression						
		IL-12p70	IL-12p40	IL-4	CCL2	TNF-α	ISG15	IFN-α
DMSO		1	1	1	1	1	1	1
PMA (ng/mL) + ionomycin (μg/mL)	50 + 1	0.69	1.91	1.85	0.26	5.32	1.27	0.73
Resiquimod (μM)	1	2.48	786.39	ND	3.73	7.38	14.75	1.47
LPS (ng/ml)	50	4.99	113.45	1.06	0.00	2.98	125.05	1.71
K-101 (μM)	0.3	1.03	ND	3.18	7.65	4.51	0.93	0.88
	1	0.73	0.82	3.83	0.64	4.81	1.54	0.76
	3	0.71	0.56	2.29	2.79	4.20	1.21	0.52
	0.01	1.03	0.89	0.84	5.58	2.39	1.01	0.78

K101-C1347	0.03	0.87	0.32	2.54	3.59	4.48	1.33	0.46
(μ M)	0.10	0.76	0.22	2.77	0.38	6.25	1.54	0.31
K101-	0.01	1.05	0.34	ND	1.81	1.34	0.94	0.73
C134802	0.03	0.96	0.38	1.19	6.53	2.91	0.97	1.21
(μ M)	0.10	0.74	ND	2.78	0.40	6.52	1.57	0.80
K101-	0.03	1.02	0.74	ND	4.55	1.38	0.97	1.66
C134801	0.10	0.93	0.45	1.61	3.12	4.04	1.16	0.73
(μ M)	0.30	0.61	0.69	2.57	2.09	4.13	1.14	0.95

[0853] Expression of 19 genes including cytokines, chemokines, interferons and interferon-stimulated genes (ISGs) was determined upon treatment of the various compounds.

[0854] Among them, IFN γ (**FIG. 8A**), GM-CSF (**FIG. 8B**), and IL-13 (**FIG. 8C**) expressions were strongly induced in a dose-dependent manner (up to >10-fold increase over DMSO) by the PKC activator compounds. IFN γ and GM-CSF are prototypical anti-tumor cytokines and immune stimulants. IL-13 is one of the type-2 cytokines and a mediator of allergic inflammation and recent data suggest that IL-13 in the epidermis promotes barrier integrity and protects against carcinogenesis.

[0855] IL-1 β , IL-2, IL-6, MIP1a (CCL3), TNF- α was induced more than 4-fold in certain compound-treated samples compared to the DMSO control samples. Some of these cytokines/chemokines mediate pro-inflammatory responses and anti-tumor immunity by activating immune cells to kill tumor cells directly or recruiting anti-tumor immune cells to the tumor sites, or involving in immune cell proliferation. IL-2 and TNF- α stimulation data are shown in **FIG. 8D** and **FIG. 8E**, respectively.

[0856] However, it is worth noting that IL-6, induced moderately by the PKC activator compounds, was strongly/excessively induced by the TLR agonists such as resiquimod or LPS (> 400-fold) (**FIG. 8F**).

[0857] High levels of IL-6 can trigger uncontrolled inflammation leading to cytokine release syndrome (CRS). Thus, the PKC activator compounds may have a much lower risk than TLR agonists to induce CRS.

[0858] CCL2 was moderately induced by lower dose of PKC activators, however, it was slightly suppressed by higher dose of PKC activators. Inhibition of CCL2 and its receptor CCR2 has been implicated in enhancing efficacy of checkpoint inhibitors (anti-PD-1/PD-L1).

[0859] Genes with changes less than 4-fold when treated with the PKC activator compounds include: IL-8, MX1, OAS1, IL-12p70, IL-12p40, IL-4, ISG15, and IFN- α . In contrast, a few genes including interferon-stimulated genes (ISGs) (e.g. MX1, OAS1, IL-12p40, and ISG15) were highly induced by TLR agonists (resiquimod or LPS) as expected.

[0860] While most cytokines were induced, IL-10 and IL-18 were suppressed after treatment of the PKC activator compounds. IL-10 is an immunomodulatory cytokine that is frequently upregulated in various types of cancers. While TLR agonists induced IL-10, PKC activators suppressed IL-10 significantly in a dose-dependent manner which may lead to reduced immune suppression and enhanced antitumor immune response. IL-18 is an inflammatory cytokine, synthesized as a precursor protein which is then activated by proteolytic processing. Due to complex regulation of IL-18 by multiple mechanisms (transcriptional, post-translational, and decoy receptors), its role in cancer as an immunostimulatory or immunosuppressive cytokine is still controversial.

Example 75: In vivo efficacy of K101-C134801 as a single agent in the 4T1-luc2 orthotopic breast cancer model

[0861] Syngeneic mouse models are frequently used in assessing effect of immune-modulating compounds because both innate and adaptive immune systems are intact in the wild-type mouse strains. A syngeneic 4T1-luc2 orthotopic breast cancer spontaneous metastasis mouse model was used to evaluate efficacy of K101-C134801 as a single agent to treat implanted tumors and to prevent metastasis by IT injection.

[0862] Each 6-8 weeks old female Balb/c mouse was surgically implanted with 1×10^6 4T1-luc2 tumor cells in the abdominal 4th right mammary fat pad for tumor development. The animals were randomized and treatments were started when the average tumor volume reached 86 mm³. The group assignment, treatment dose, and schedule were as follows:

Groups	N	Treatment	Dose	Route	Schedule
1	12	Vehicle		IT	D 0
2	12	K101-C134801	20 mg/ml, 20 μ l (400 μ g)	IT	D 0, D 19*

* 3 animals were treated 2 times and the other 9 animals received only one IT injection.

[0863] Mice were monitored daily for clinical signs and body weights were measured regularly as an indirect measure of toxicity. All mice tolerated drug treatments very well with less than 10% mean body weight loss. Tumor ulcerations in the fat pads were observed 1-2 days after the IT injection in all mice treated with K101-C134801 and the skin recovered after a few weeks.

[0864] After grouping, the bioluminescence measurements were taken once per week to monitor tumor growth in the fat pads and metastasis to other organs. Briefly, the mice were weighted and intra-peritoneal injected with luciferin at 150 mg/kg. 10 minutes after the luciferin administration, the animals were pre-anesthetized with the mixture gas of oxygen and isoflurane. The animals were moved into the imaging chamber for bioluminescence measurements with IVIS (Lumina II) in a complete anesthetic state. **FIG. 9A** shows the bioluminescence signal changes of individual animal. Nearly all K101-C134801 treated animals had initial declines in the bioluminescence signals post IT

injection. The bioluminescence signal decreased to the baseline range from the third week in three animals. These three animals were monitored for 87 days and their primary tumors were cured without any metastasis (**FIG. 9B-9D**). Interestingly, the three cured mice received only single IT treatment of K101-C134801. However, all tumors in the vehicle group mice kept growing, had steady increase in the bioluminescence signals, and had metastasized before mice died before day 40. A Kaplan-Meier method was used to analyze the animal survival rate between the vehicle group (n=12) and the treated group (n=11, one animal died unexpectedly due to animal attacking). The median survival day is 35.5 for the vehicle group and is 42 for the treated group ($P < 0.05$). In conclusion, K101-C134801 treatment resulted in clearance of the injected primary tumors and prevented distant tumor metastasis.

Example 76: In vivo efficacy of K101-C134801 as a single agent or in combination with anti-PD1 antibody in MC38 syngeneic model

[0865] The objective of the project is to evaluate: in vivo efficacy of K101-C134801 as a single agent or in combination with anti-PD1 antibody in MC38 mouse syngeneic model and anti-tumor immunity against MC38 and an unrelated tumor cell line 3LL.

[0866] The animal study groups were as follows:

Groups	N	Treatment	Dose	Route*	Schedule
1	8	Vehicle		it	D 0,1,2
2	8	K101-C134801	5 mg/ml, 20 μ l	it	D 0,1,2,7,8 9
3	8	K101-C134801	20 mg/ml, 20 μ l	ip	D 0,1,2
4	8	aPD1**	2 mg/ml	ip	BIW
5	8	K101-C134801+aPD1	5 mg/ml, 20 μ l+ 2 mg/ml	it+ ip	D 0,1,2,7,8 9+BIW
6	8	K101-C134801+aPD1	20 mg/ml, 20 μ l+ 2 mg/ml	it+ ip	D 0,1,2 +BIW

*it: intra-tumoral injection. ip: intraperitoneal injection. BIW: twice a week.

** aPD1 is anti-Mouse PD-1 antibody

[0867] 8 weeks old female C57BL/6J mice were implanted subcutaneously at the right flank with 3×10^5 MC38 mouse colon cancer cells. Mice were randomized into different treatment groups (see above) when tumors grew to an average mean tumor size of 50-80 mm³. Tumor size was measured three times weekly in two dimensions using a caliper, and the volume was expressed in mm³ using the formula: $V = 0.5 \times a \times b^2$ where a and b are the long and short diameters of the tumor, respectively. Mice were monitored daily for clinical signs and body weights were measured twice per week. All

groups tolerated drug treatments very well with less than 10% body weight loss. Ulceration of tumor (and the skin covering the tumor) was noticed 1-2 days after the first IT injection in all mice treated with K101-C134801. Scabs formed near the site of IT injection and the skin recovered with minimal scarring within 3-4 weeks.

[0868] For the efficacy portion of the study, the major endpoint was the animal survival, defined as time to death or euthanasia when tumors $\geq 2000 \text{ mm}^3$. The survive rate is the proportion of live animals in each group on a given day. A Kaplan-Meier analysis was performed to compare animal survival between vehicle and treated groups. $P < 0.05$ was considered to be statistically significant. Another endpoint is tumor clearance, for which the mice were monitor for over 50 days after the start of the treatment.

[0869] The survival rate and animal survival analysis are shown in **FIG. 10** and **Table 10**.

[0870] **FIG. 10** shows animal survival after administering K101-C134801 as a single agent or in combination with anti-PD1 to female C57/6J mice bearing MC38 tumors (left panel: low dose groups; right panel: high dose groups). The death incidents included animal death or being sacrificed when tumor volume reached 2000 mm^3 .

[0871] Mice in vehicle treated group did not survive beyond day 23. All treatment groups increased the animal survival rate to different extent. Mice treated with 2mg/kg anti-PD1 antibody had slower tumor growth with 40% increased survival time ($P = 0.0009$) compared with the vehicle treated mice, however, no mice survived beyond day 35. Mice treated with low dose K101-C134801 alone or in combination with anti-PD1 antibody had extended median survival of 45% ($P = 0.0906$) or 33% ($P = 0.034$), respectively. Mice treated with high dose K101-C134801 alone or in combination with anti-PD1 antibody had extended median survival of 23% ($P = 0.0143$) or 8% ($P = 0.2056$), respectively. In addition to extension of animal survival in the treatment groups, tumor clearance or eradication was observed in several groups. Treatment of K101-C134801 as a single agent or in combination with anti-PD1 resulted in complete eradication of tumors in the following groups: 2 out of 8 tumors in group 2 (25%), 3 out of 8 tumors in group 3 (37.5%), and 3 out of 8 tumors in group 5 (37.5%). No tumor relapse was observed 50 days after initiation of the treatment and these mice were completely cured. Potential synergistic efficacy, i.e. extension of animal survival and tumor clearance, was noted between K101-C134801 and anti-PD1 antibody.

[0872] **Table 10:** Animal Survival Analysis

Gr	Treatments	Live Animal at Day 50	Media n (day)	Increased Survival Time (day) ^a	% Increased Survival Time ^b	Log Rank <i>P</i> value
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1	Vehicle	0	20			
2	K101-C134801,5 mg/ml	2	29	9	45%	0.0906
3	K101-C134801,20 mg/ml	3	24.5	4.5	23%	0.0143
4	aPD1, 2 mpk	0	28	8	40%	0.0009
5	K101-C134801,5 mg/ml +aPD1	3	26.5	6.5	33%	0.0034
6	K101-C134801,20 mg/ml +aPD1	0	21.5	1.5	8%	0.2056

a. Increased Survival Time (day): Median of treatment group (day) - Median of vehicle group (day)

b. % Increased Survival Time: Increased Survival Time (day)/ Median of vehicle group (day).

[0873] To test if anti-tumor immunity was developed in the cured mice, the re-challenge portion of the study was conducted. The major endpoint was the tumor initiation of the re-implanted tumor cells. Tumor free survive rate is the proportion of tumor free mice and the mice whose tumor volumes were below 50 mm³ in each group on a given day. A Mann-Whitney method was performed to analyze the tumor initiation rate at the end of the re-challenge study and $P < 0.05$ was considered to be statistically significant.

[0874] MC38 cells (3×10^5) were re-implanted subcutaneously to the other flank (left flank) of the 8 tumor-eradicated mice (two from group 2, three each from groups 3 and 5). No MC38 tumors formed after 36 days in these 8 tumor-eradicated mice. To study the anti-tumor immunity further in the 8 tumor-eradicated mice, MC38 cells (3×10^5) and unrelated 3LL cells (lung cancer) (2×10^6) were re-implanted and implanted at opposite flanks in these mice. As control, five age-matched naïve mice were implanted with 3LL and MC38 tumor cells at opposite flanks. The re-challenge for control and K101-C1348101 groups were performed independently, but with same method and condition. Tumor formation was monitored for up to 32 days. The results are shown in **Table 11**.

[0875] **Table 11:** Tumor initiation analysis

Cells	Groups	Tumor initiation	Tumor-free	Mann-Whitney Test
3LL	Control	5	0	$P > 0.05$
	K101-C134801	8	0	
MC38	Control	4	1	$P = 0.019$
	K101-C134801	0	8	

[0876] The 8 tumor-eradicated animals showed obvious resistance to MC38 tumor initiation during re-challenge. All of the animals didn't generate tumors at the endpoint after two re-challenges (total duration 68 days) while 4 out of 5 mice in the age-matched control group generated tumors ($P = 0.019$, Mann-Whitney Test). In contrast, the 8 tumor-eradicated mice didn't have resistance to 3LL (an unrelated tumor cell line) tumor initiation. 3LL tumors formed in both control mice and the 8 tumor-eradicated mice ($P > 0.05$, Mann-Whitney Test). This indicates that the treatment of K101-C134801 as a single agent or in combination with anti-PD1 antibody in the MC38 model likely induces the immune memory specifically against MC38 but not unrelated 3LL.

Example 77: In vivo efficacy of K101-C134801 as a single agent in the CT26 syngeneic model by intra-tumoral (IT) injection

[0877] The study evaluated the in vivo efficacy of K101-C134801 in the CT26 syngeneic model by IT injection and evaluated the anti-tumor immunity by re-challenge of tumor cells.

[0878] The study groups for efficacy were as follows:

Groups	N	Treatment	Dose	Route	Schedule
1	10	Vehicle		IT	D 0, D 12*, D 18*
2	10	K101-C134801	20 mg/ml, 20 μ l (400 μ g)	IT	D 0, D 12*, D 18*

- Additional IT injections as needed.

[0879] Each 6-8 weeks old female Balb/c mouse was implanted subcutaneously with 3×10^5 CT26 mouse colon cancer cells. 20 animals were randomized when the average tumor volume reached 60 mm³. Tumor size was measured as described in Example 76. Animal body weight was monitored regularly as an indirect measure of toxicity. All mice tolerated drug treatments very well with less than 10% body weight loss. Ulceration of tumor (and the skin covering the tumor) was noticed 1-2 days after the first IT injection in mice treated with K101-C134801. Scabs formed a few days later and the skin recovered with minimal scarring within 3-4 weeks.

[0880] For the efficacy portion of the study, the major endpoints were tumor growth inhibition and the animal survival.

[0881] Tumor growth curves are shown in FIG. 11A. Data points represent group mean tumor volume. Error bars represent standard error of the mean (SEM). On day 3 after the first IT dose, treatment of K101-C134801 eliminated tumors in 8 mice (leaving a scab at the tumor site). The remaining two tumors disappeared on Day 5 and Day 7. Tumor relapse was observed in 4 mice from day 10. Some of these mice with relapsed tumors received a second IT dose and some received a third IT injection. Tumor growth inhibition was analyzed. A one-tailed t test was performed to compare tumor volume between two groups. $P < 0.05$ was considered to be statistically significant. On day 12,

the mean tumor volume in the vehicle group reached 1899 mm³, whereas that in the K101-C134801 treatment group was 35 mm³. The difference in the mean tumor volume between the two groups was statistically significant ($P < 0.01$).

[0882] The animal survival rate was used as another endpoint to evaluate the anti-tumor efficacy of K101-C134801. The survival curves are shown in **FIG. 11B**. A Kaplan-Meier method was performed to analyze the animal survival between the vehicle and treated groups. $P < 0.05$ was considered to be statistically significant. The death incidents included animal death and sacrifice when tumors reached over 2000 mm³. The median survival for the vehicle group was 14 days. However, the median survival for the K101-C134801 group was not reached since 6 mice (more than half of the group size) were alive at the last day of analysis (day 50) and their tumors were completely eradicated and cured. The extension of the animal survival by the treatment of K101-C134801 was significant when compared with the control group ($P < 0.001$). In addition, 5 out of the 6 mice received only one IT injection of K101-C134801. The result indicated that the CT26 bearing mice may benefit from a single IT dosing of 400µg K101-C134801. Thus, K101-C134801 exhibited potent anti-tumor effect.

[0883] To test if anti-tumor immunity was developed in the cured mice, the re-challenge portion of the study was conducted. The major endpoint was the tumor initiation (measurable tumor > 50 mm³) of the re-implanted tumor cells.

[0884] CT26 cells (3×10^5) were re-implanted into the right lower flank of the cured animals and 10 age-matched naïve control animals from the same batch to challenge animal immune system. An unrelated 4T1 breast cancer cell line (1×10^5) was implanted in the left upper flank of these animals at the same time. Tumor initiation and tumor growth were monitored. Tumor growth curves are shown in **FIG. 11C**. Data points represent group means of the tumor volumes and error bars represent standard error of the mean (SEM). Tumor initiation results at the end of the re-challenge were analyzed by the Mann-Whitney Test and are shown in the table below.

[0885] **Table 12:** Tumor initiation analysis

Cells	Groups	Tumor initiation	Tumor-free	Mann-Whitney Test
CT26	Control, age-matched animals from same batch	10	0	$P < 0.001$
	Previously treated with K101-C134801, 20 mg/ml, 20 µl	0	6	
4T1	Control, age-matched animals from same batch	10	0	$P > 0.05$
	Previously treated with K101-C134801, 20 mg/ml, 20 µl	6	0	

[0886] The 6 tumor-eradicated animals after the K101-C134801 treatment showed resistance to CT26 tumor initiation. All 6 animals did not form tumors at the endpoint (32 days after tumor cell re-implantation) while all control mice formed tumors (**FIG. 11C**, left panel). In contrast, the 6 tumor-eradicated mice did not display resistance to 4T1 (an unrelated tumor cell line) tumor initiation. 4T1 tumors were detected at day 7 after tumor implantation in the 6 tumor-eradicated mice and the 10 age-matched control mice. The 4T1 tumors in both groups kept growing until the study endpoint (**FIG. 11C**, right panel). This result indicates that treatment of K101-C134801 in the CT26 model likely induces the immune memory specifically against CT26 but not unrelated 4T1.

Example 78: Effect of PKC Activating Compound on CT26 Tumor after Single Dose Intratumoral Treatment

[0887] This study examined the effects of K101-C134801C2003 on the CT26 tumors after a single dose intra-tumoral (IT) injection.

[0888] Method. Each 6-8 weeks old female Balb/c mouse was implanted with 3×10^5 CT26 mouse colon cancer cells in one flank for tumor development. When the average tumor volume reached 95 mm^3 , 21 mice were randomized into different groups and were treated via a single IT injection (20 μL) according to the group assignment (different dose and treatment duration) in the table below. Tumors were harvested at 1h, 7h, or 24h post IT injection, and then fixed and processed for paraffin embedding.

Groups	Schedule	# of mice
Vehicle (50%DMSO/50%PEG400)	1h, 7h, 24h	2 per time point
K101-C134801C2003 (472 μg)	1h, 7h, 24h	3 per time point
K101-C134801C2003 (141.6 μg)	24h	3
K101-C134801C2003 (47.2 μg)	24h	3

[0889] Paraffin blocks were sectioned into 4 μM sections using Leica RM2235 microtome. One section was stained for Hematoxylin-Eosin (H&E) using Leica ST5020-CV5030 stainer integrated workstation according to the Manufacture's procedure. Photos were taken using Nikon DS-Ri2. Another section was processed for IHC staining with the CD31 antibody (BD, Cat#550274) at 1:10 dilution. The stained slides were scanned using Leica Aperio VERSA 8 and the images were analyzed using HALO image analysis software system (Indica Labs).

[0890] Result. Tumors injected with vehicle had no observable changes while those injected with K101-C134801C2003 showed red/darkened colors at the injection site and nearby area (1h and 7h) or

tumor ulceration (24h). Results of the pathology review of the H&E slides are presented in the table below. On average, necrosis area in the vehicle treated tumors for 1h, 7h, or 24h did not exceed 10%. Necrosis area in tumors treated with K101-C134801C2003 for 1h or 7h was similar to that in the vehicle treated tumors. However, massive cell death (up to 90%) observed in tumors treated with all three doses of K101-C134801C2003 at 24h. To find out if K101-C134801C2003 had any effect on tumor blood vessels, CD31 immunohistochemistry (IHC) stain was performed. CD31 density (counts per mm²) in tumors treated with vehicle or K101-C134802C2003 was quantified from the scanned CD31 IHC slides. As shown in the table below, CD31 density in vehicle treated tumors and in K101-C134801C2003 treated tumors for 1h was in the similar range. However, reduction of CD31 density was observed in 2 out of 3 tumors treated with 472μg of K101-C134801C2003 for 7h. At 24h, tumors treated with K101-C134801C2003 at all dose levels (47.2μg, 141.6μg, and 472μg) showed on average > 50% reduction of CD31 density when compared with the vehicle control. Representative photos of H&E and CD31 IHC are shown in **FIG. 12**.

[0891] Table 13: H&E stain and CD31 IHC results

Group	ID	H&E Necrotic tumor area (%)	CD31 IHC (counts per mm ²)
Vehicle, 1h	1-1	0	354
	1-2	30%	447
K101-C134801C2003, 472μg, 1h	2-1	0	463
	2-2	5%	577
	2-3	3%	457
Vehicle, 7h	3-1	10%	382
	3-2	5%	564
K101-C134801C2003, 472μg, 7h	4-1	10%	188
	4-2	0	536
	4-3	25%	179
Vehicle, 24h	5-1	5%	462
	5-2	10%	574
K101-C134801C2003, 47.2μg, 24h	6-1	40%	163
	6-2	70%	111
	6-3	-	-
K101-C134801C2003, 141.6μg, 24h	7-1	80%	176
	7-2	90%	29
	7-3	80%	72
K101-C134801C2003, 472μg, 24h	8-1	40%	155
	8-2	30%	187
	8-3	90%	118

[0892] The results indicate that necrosis occurs near the site of intratumoral injection at up to 7 h. However, the reduction of CD31 density in areas beyond the injection site is more evidence that additional killing of cells occur by other mechanisms. This indicates that a single intratumoral injection is capable of eliciting immune enhancement of tumor cell killing.

Example 79: In vitro scratch wound healing assay

[0893] Scratch wound healing assay creates a gap by scratching a confluent monolayer of cells to mimic a wound and then measures the ability of cells to fill up the gap (wound) in the presence of DMSO or test compounds. $1.2-1.5 \times 10^5$ Hela cells in 1mL media RPMI-1640 with 10% FBS were seeded in 24-well plates. Cells were starved for overnight in the same media without FBS when cells became confluent. After starvation, a scratch was made in the middle of the well and the plates were washed three times to remove detached cells. DMSO or different concentrations of compounds were diluted and added to the cells. The assay plates were put into Incucyte S3 and scanned with 4x scanner setting regularly. The imaging results were exported and the wound area was analyzed by ImageJ. Wound healing or closure was calculated by the following formula: wound healing% = (wound area at 0h – wound area at 24h)/wound area 0h * 100%. Relative wound healing was calculated by dividing wound healing % of compound treatment to that of DMSO *100%. The average relative wound healing results from duplicates in Hela cells are shown in **Table 14**. All compounds enhanced scratch wound healing compared to DMSO.

[0894] **Table 14:** Wound healing in Hela cells

Treatment	Concentration	Relative wound healing to control (%)
K101A	100nM	169
	300nM	144
	1000nM	154
K101-C1347	3nM	191
	10nM	198
	30nM	272
K101-C134801	10nM	221
	30nM	239
	100nM	263
K101-C1329	30nM	210
	100nM	248
	300nM	238
K101-C1327	30nM	123
	100nM	351
	300nM	287
	3nM	162

K101- C134802	10nM	237
	30nM	267
K101- C134902	20nM	213
	60nM	134
	200nM	201

[0895] All publications, patents, patent applications and other documents cited in this application are hereby incorporated by reference in their entireties for all purposes to the same extent as if each individual publication, patent, patent application or other document were individually indicated to be incorporated by reference for all purposes.

[0896] While various specific embodiments have been illustrated and described, it will be appreciated that various changes can be made without departing from the spirit and scope of the invention(s).

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. A method of stimulating an immune response, comprising administering to a subject in need thereof an effective amount of a PKC activating compound.
2. The method of claim 1, wherein the immune response is against a cancer or cancer antigen, a precancerous lesion or growth, or a benign tumor in a subject in need thereof.
3. The method of claim 2, wherein the compound is administered locally to a first cancer locus or mass or site, a first precancerous lesion or growth, or a first locus or mass of benign tumor.
4. The method of claim 3, wherein the compound is administered locally to the first cancer locus or mass or site intratumorally or the first precancerous lesion or growth, or the first locus or mass of benign tumor.
5. The method of any one of claims 3 or 4, wherein the first cancer locus or mass or site or first precancerous lesion or growth is skin cancer or a first precancerous cutaneous lesion, wherein the compound is administered locally by topical administration.
6. The method of claim 5, wherein the first precancerous lesion or growth is actinic keratosis.
7. The method of any one of claims 2-5, further comprising administering one or more additional doses of an effective amount of the PKC activator to further stimulate the immunological response to the cancer or cancer antigen or precancerous lesion or growth.
8. The method of claim 7, wherein the one or more additional doses is to at least a second cancer locus or mass or site different from site of the first cancer locus or mass or site.
9. The method of any one of claims 2-8, wherein the administered effective amount is sufficient to induce necrosis of the cancer.
10. The method of any one of claims 2-9, wherein the administered effective amount is effective to induce regression in a non-target cancer locus or mass or a satellite cancer locus or mass.
11. The method of any one of claims 2-10, wherein the administered effective amount produces immune memory against the cancer or cancer antigen.

12. The method of any one of claims 2-11, wherein the cancer or cancer antigen is an immunogenic cancer or cancer antigen.
13. The method of claim 12, wherein the cancer is secondary cancer or metastatic cancer.
14. The method of any one of claims 2-13, further comprising administering an effective amount of one or more of a second immune stimulating or immune enhancing therapeutic agent.
15. The method of claim 14, wherein the second immune stimulating agent is an immune checkpoint inhibitor.
16. The method of claim 15, wherein the immune checkpoint inhibitor is an anti-CTLA4, anti-PD-1 or anti-PD-L1 antibody.
17. The method of claim 14, wherein the immune stimulating or immune enhancing agent is an immune stimulating or immune enhancing cytokine.
18. The method of claim 17, wherein the cytokine is IFN- α , IL-2, IL-10, IL-12, IL-15, IL-21, IFN- γ , TNF- α , or GM-CSF.
19. The method of any one of claims 2-18, wherein for stimulating the immune response against a cancer, the PKC activating compound is administered in combination with a second cancer therapeutic agent or second cancer therapy.
20. The method of claim 19, wherein the second cancer therapeutic agent or a second cancer therapy is a second cancer chemotherapeutic agent or radiation.
21. The method of claim 19, wherein the second cancer therapeutic agent or second cancer therapy is chimeric antigen receptor T-cell (CAR-T or CART) or a chimeric antigen receptor NK-cell (CAR-NK) therapy appropriate for the cancer.
22. The method of any one of claims 2-21, wherein the cancer is a metastatic cancer.
23. The method of any one of claims 2-22, wherein the cancer is selected from adenocarcinoma, adrenocortical cancer, anal cancer, angiosarcoma, biliary cancer, bladder cancer, bone cancer (e.g., osteosarcoma), brain cancer (e.g., gliomas, astrocytoma, neuroblastoma, etc.), breast cancer, cervical cancer, colon cancer, cutaneous lymphoma, endometrial cancer, esophageal cancer, fibrosarcoma, fibroxanthoma, head and neck cancer, hematologic cancer (e.g., leukemia and lymphoma), intestinal cancer (small intestine), liver cancer, lung cancer (e.g., bronchial cancer, small cell lung cancer, non-small cell lung cancer, etc.), mast cell tumor, oral cancer, ovarian cancer, pancreatic cancer, renal cancer, prostate cancer, salivary gland cancer, skin cancer (e.g., basal cell

carcinoma, melanoma, squamous cell carcinoma), stomach cancer, testicular cancer, throat cancer, thyroid cancer, uterine cancer, vaginal cancer, sarcoma, and soft tissue carcinomas.

24. The method of claim 23, wherein the cancer is a hematologic cancer.

25. The method of claim 24, wherein the hematologic cancer is selected from acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), acute myeloid leukemia (AML), lymphoma (e.g., Hodgkin's lymphoma, Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, Burkitt's lymphoma), chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL), chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), Hairy Cell chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), and multiple myeloma.

26. The method of claim 25, wherein the cancer is a leukemia selected from acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL), acute myeloid leukemia (AML), chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL), chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), Hairy Cell chronic myelogenous leukemia (CML), and multiple myeloma.

27. The method of claim 25, wherein the cancer is a lymphoma selected from Hodgkin's lymphoma, Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, and Burkitt's lymphoma.

28. The method of claim 2, wherein the immune response is for treatment of a benign tumor.

29. The method of claim 28, wherein the benign tumor is adenoma, fibroma, lipoma, myoma, neuroma, papilloma, or osteochondro sarcoma.

30. The method of claim 28, wherein the benign tumor is basal cell carcinoma or neurofibroma, dermatofibroma, epidermoid cyst, or angioma.

31. The method of claim 1, wherein the immune response is for treatment of a wound in a subject in need thereof.

32. The method of claim 31, wherein the treatment of a wound is to promote wound healing and/or for treating or preventing an infection of the wound.

33. The method of claim 32, wherein the infection of the wound is a persistent infection of the wound.

34. The method of any one of claims 31-32, wherein the promoting wound healing increases the rate of wound healing.

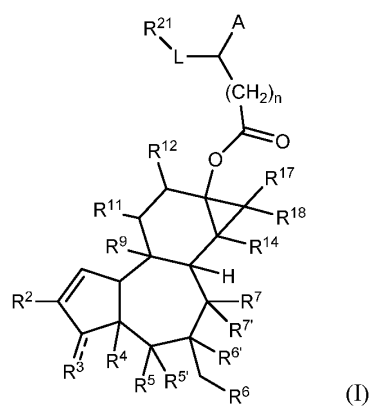
35. The method of any one of claims 31-32, wherein the promoting wound healing reduces scarring of wound tissue.

36. The method of claim 35, wherein the scarring is keloid or hypertrophic scar.

37. The method of any one of claims 31-36, wherein the compound is administered locally to the wound.

38. The method of claim 37, wherein the compound is administered topically to the wound.

39. The method of any one of claims 1-38, wherein the PKC activating compound is a compound of formula (I):



(I)

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

A is -OH, -C(O)OR¹, or -NR¹³R^{13'};

R¹ is H or a M⁺ counterion;

R² is a C₁-C₄alkyl;

R³ is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or -OR^a; wherein R^a is H or -C(O)R^{a1}, wherein R^{a1} is C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

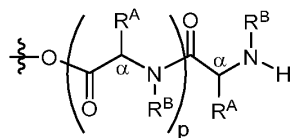
R⁴ and R⁵ are each independently H or -OR^b, wherein R^b is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R^{5'} and R^{6'} are each independently H or OH, or R^{5'} and R^{6'} form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R⁶ is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, or -OC(O)R^c, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂

or $-C_1-C_6\text{alkylC(O)OR}^k$; R^{c1} is H, $C_1-C_6\text{alkyl}$, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

$R^{6'}$ is H or OH, $R^{7'}$ is H, or $R^{6'}$ and $R^{7'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, $C_1-C_6\text{alkyl}$, or aryl;

R^{11} is $C_1-C_4\text{alkyl}$;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is $C_1-C_{12}\text{alkyl}$, $C_2-C_{12}\text{alkenyl}$, $-C_0-C_{12}\text{aliphatic-}C_3\text{-}C_7\text{cycloalkyl}$, $-C_0-C_{12}\text{aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl}$, $-C_0-C_{12}\text{aliphatic-aryl}$, or $-C_0-C_{12}\text{aliphatic-heteroaryl}$;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or $C_1-C_4\text{alkyl}$;

R^{14} is H or OR^g ; wherein R^g is H or $C_1-C_6\text{alkyl}$;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently $C_1-C_4\text{alkyl}$ or $C_1-C_4\text{alkyl-OR}^h$, wherein R^h is H or $C_1-C_6\text{alkyl}$;

L is absent, $C_1-C_{12}\text{alkylene}$, or $C_2-C_{12}\text{alkenylene}$, wherein the $C_1-C_{12}\text{alkylene}$ or $C_2-C_{12}\text{alkenylene}$ is optionally substituted with $C_1-C_4\text{alkyl}$;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, $C_3-C_7\text{cycloalkyl}$, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5-C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the $C_3-C_7\text{cycloalkyl}$, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5-C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro $C_5-C_{12}\text{cycloalkyl}$ or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with $C_1-C_4\text{alkyl}$, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently $C_1-C_6\text{alkyl}$, $C_2-C_6\text{alkenyl}$, $C_0-C_6\text{alkyl}C_3-C_7\text{cycloalkyl}$, $C_0-C_6\text{alkylheterocyclyl}$, $C_0-C_6\text{alkylaryl}$, or $C_0-C_6\text{alkylheteroaryl}$, wherein the $C_3-C_7\text{cycloalkyl}$, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

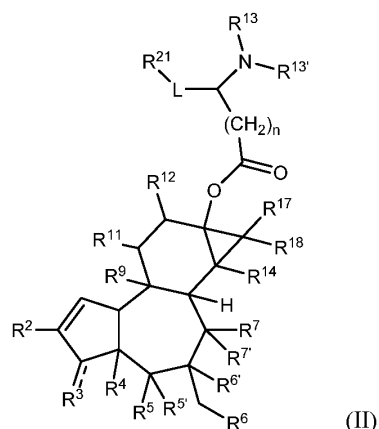
J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

n is 0 or 1.

40. The method of claim 39, wherein A is -OH.

41. The method of claim 39, wherein A is -C(O)OR¹, wherein R¹ is H or a M⁺ counterion.

42. The method of claim 39, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (II):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R² is a C₁-C₄alkyl;

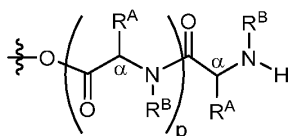
R³ is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- - -) is a bond, or -OR^a, wherein R^a is H or -C(O)R^{a1}, wherein R^{a1} is C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R⁴ and R⁵ are each independently H or -OR^b, wherein R^b is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R^{5'} and R^{6'} are each independently H or OH, or R^{5'} and R^{6'} form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R⁶ is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, or -OC(O)R^c, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k, R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R⁶ is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^{6*} is H or OH, R^{7*} is H, or R^{6*} and R^{7*} form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C₁-C₄alkyl;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C₁-C₁₂alkyl, C₂-C₁₂alkenyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-aryl, or -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C₁-C₄alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g , wherein R^g is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C₁-C₄alkyl or C₁-C₄alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

L is absent, C₁-C₁₂alkylene, or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

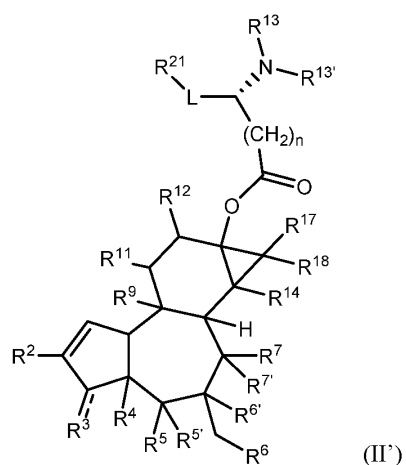
each R^j is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkyl-C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

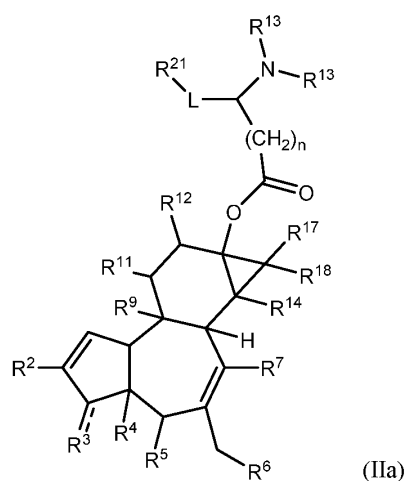
n is 0 or 1.

43. The method of claim 42, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (II'):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof.

44. The method of claim 42, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (IIa):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

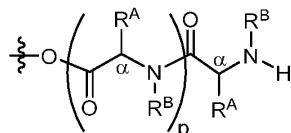
R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 -

C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^e is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k, R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R⁶ is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R⁷ is H or OH;

R⁹ is OR^e, wherein R^e is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or aryl;

R¹¹ is C₁-C₄alkyl;

R¹² is H, -OH, -OC(O)R^f, wherein R^f is C₁-C₁₂alkyl, C₂-C₁₂alkenyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-aryl, or -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R¹³ and R^{13'} are each independently H or C₁-C₄alkyl;

R¹⁴ is H or OR^g; wherein R^g is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

R¹⁷ and R¹⁸ are each independently C₁-C₄alkyl or C₁-C₄alkyl-OR^h, wherein R^h is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

L is absent, C₁-C₁₂alkylene, or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl;

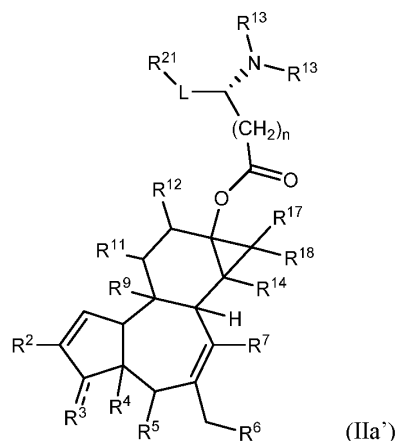
R²¹ is H, -S(O)₂R^j, -SR^j, -N(R^j)₂, -Si(R^j)₃, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR^k, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion;

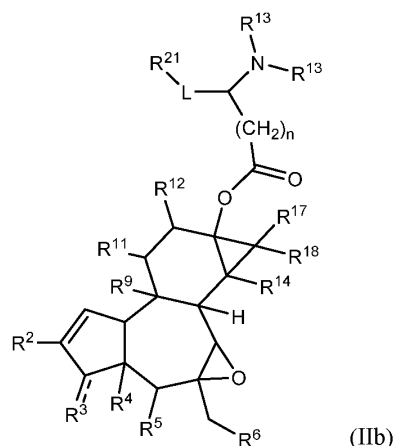
J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and
 n is 0 or 1.

45. The method of claim 44, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (IIa'):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof.

46. The method of claim 42, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (IIb):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

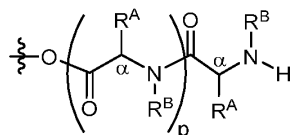
R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 -

C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R⁶ is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, or -OC(O)R^e, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^e is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R⁶ is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R⁹ is OR^e, wherein R^e is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or aryl;

R¹¹ is C₁-C₄alkyl;

R¹² is H, -OH, -OC(O)R^f, wherein R^f is C₁-C₁₂alkyl, C₂-C₁₂alkenyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-aryl, or -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R¹³ and R^{13'} are each independently H or C₁-C₄alkyl;

R¹⁴ is H or OR^g; wherein R^g is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

R¹⁷ and R¹⁸ are each independently C₁-C₄alkyl or C₁-C₄alkyl-OR^h, wherein R^h is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

L is absent, C₁-C₁₂alkylene, or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl;

R²¹ is H, -S(O)₂R^j, -SR^j, -N(R^j)₂, -Si(R^j)₃, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR^k, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

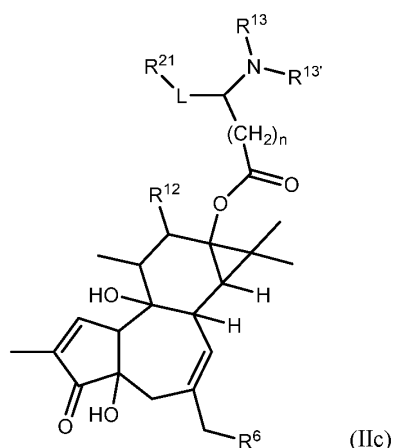
each R^j is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

n is 0 or 1.

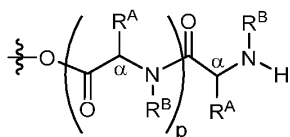
47. The method of claim 44, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (IIc):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R⁶ is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^b)₂, or -OC(O)R^c, wherein each R^b is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k, R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

 $\mathbb{R}^6$ is

wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R¹² is H, -OH, -OC(O)R^f, wherein R^f is C₁-C₁₂alkyl, C₂-C₁₂alkenyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-aryl, or -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

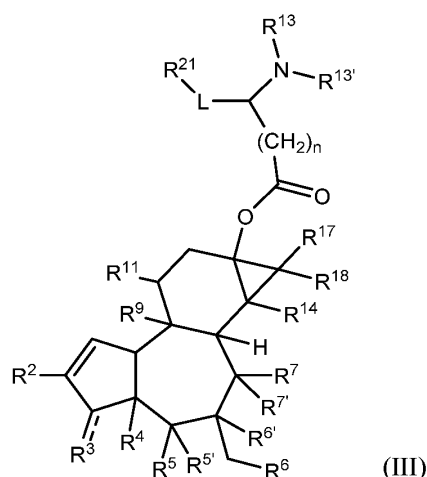
each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

R^k is H or M^+ counterion;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

n is 0 or 1.

48. The method of claim 42, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (III):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

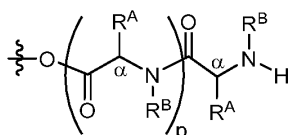
R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when $(- -)$ is a bond, or $-OR^a$; wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

$R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ are each independently H or OH, or $R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

$R^{6'}$ is H or OH, $R^{7'}$ is H, or $R^{6'}$ and $R^{7'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e, wherein R^e is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C₁-C₄alkyl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C₁-C₄alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g, wherein R^g is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C₁-C₄alkyl or C₁-C₄alkyl-OR^h, wherein R^h is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

L is absent, C₁-C₁₂alkylene, or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl,

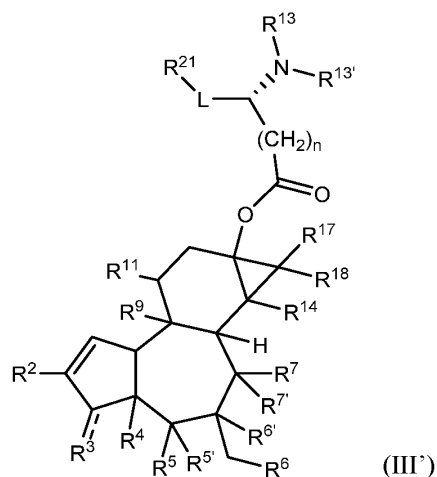
heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

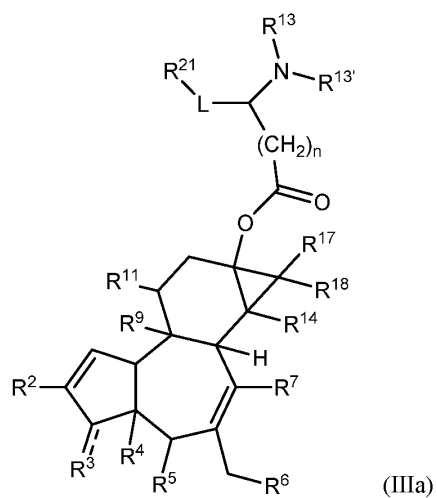
n is 0 or 1.

49. The method of claim 48, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (III'):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof.

50. The method of claim 48, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (IIIa):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

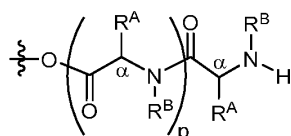
R² is a C₁-C₄alkyl;

R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or $-OR^a$; wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkylC(O)OR^k, R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g , wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl,

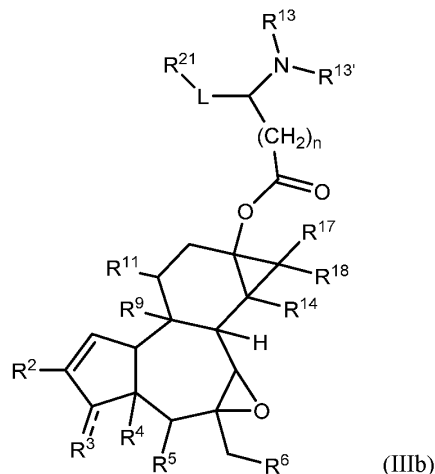
heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

n is 0 or 1.

51. The method of claim 48, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (IIIb):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

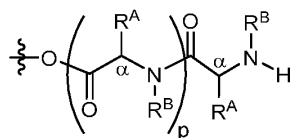
R² is a C₁-C₄alkyl;

R³ is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or -OR^a, wherein R^a is H or -C(O)R^{a1}, wherein R^{a1} is C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R⁴ and R⁵ are each independently H or -OR^b, wherein R^b is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R⁶ is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, or -OC(O)R^c, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k, R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R⁶ is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-

natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R⁹ is OR^e, wherein R^e is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or aryl;

R¹¹ is C₁-C₄alkyl;

R¹³ and R^{13'} are each independently H or C₁-C₄alkyl;

R¹⁴ is H or OR^g; wherein R^g is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

R¹⁷ and R¹⁸ are each independently C₁-C₄alkyl or C₁-C₄alkyl-OR^h, wherein R^h is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

L is absent, C₁-C₁₂alkylene, or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl;

R²¹ is H, -S(O)₂R^j, -SR^j, -N(R^j)₂, -Si(R^j)₃, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR^k, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

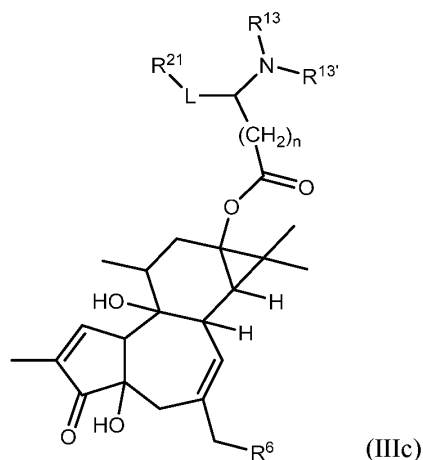
each R^j is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

n is 0 or 1.

52. The method of claim 48, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (IIIc):

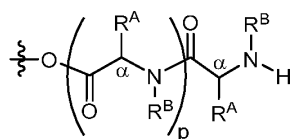


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(NR^{c1})_2$ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl $C(O)OR^k$; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^{13} and $R^{13'}$ are each independently H or C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

L is absent, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene, or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{21} is H, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 -

C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

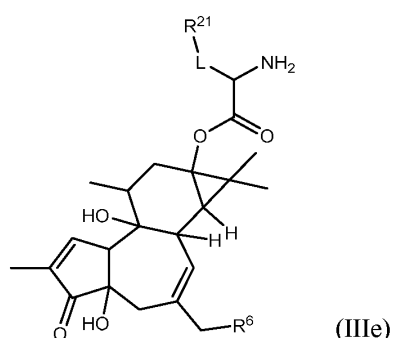
each Rⁱ is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

n is 0 or 1.

53. The method of claim 52, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (IIIe):

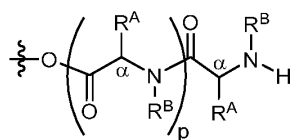


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R⁶ is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, or -OC(O)R^c, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R⁶ is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

L is absent, C₁-C₁₂alkylene, or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl;

R²¹ is H, -S(O)₂R^j, -SR^j, -N(R^j)₂, -Si(R^j)₃, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR^k, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion; and

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl.

54. The method of any one of claims 39-53, wherein R²¹ is C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, and wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹.

55. The method of claim 54, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl is selected from the group consisting of cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl, and cycloheptyl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹.

56. The method of any one of claims 39-53, wherein R²¹ is heterocyclyl, wherein the heterocyclyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹.

57. The method of claim 56, wherein the heterocyclyl is selected from the group consisting of oxiranyl, oxetanyl, azetidynyl, oxazolyl, thiazolidinyl, thiazolyl, morpholinyl, pyrrolidinonyl, pyrrolidinyl, piperidynyl, piperazinyl, 2,3-dihydrofuranyl, dihydropyranyl, tetrahydrofuranyl, tetrahydropyranyl, dihydropyridinyl, tetrahydropyridinyl, tetrahydropyrimidinyl, tetrahydrothiophenyl, tetrahydrothiopyranyl, and azapanyl, wherein the heterocyclyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹.

58. The method of any one of claims 39-53, wherein R²¹ is aryl, wherein the aryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹.

59. The method of claim 58, wherein R²¹ is a phenyl or naphthyl, wherein the phenyl or naphthyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹.

60. The method of any one of claims 39-53, wherein

R²¹ is heteroaryl, wherein the heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹.

61. The method of claim 60 wherein the heteroaryl is selected from the group consisting of pyrrolyl, pyrazolyl, imidazolyl, pyrazinyl, oxazolyl, isoxazolyl, thiazolyl, furyl, thienyl, pyridyl, pyrimidyl, benzoxazolyl, benzothiazolyl, purinyl, benzimidazolyl, indolyl, isoquinolyl, quinoxaliny, and quinolyl, wherein the heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹.

62. The method of any one of claims 39-53, wherein

R²¹ is adamantyl, wherein the adamantyl is optionally substituted with OH, halo, or C₁-C₄alkyl.

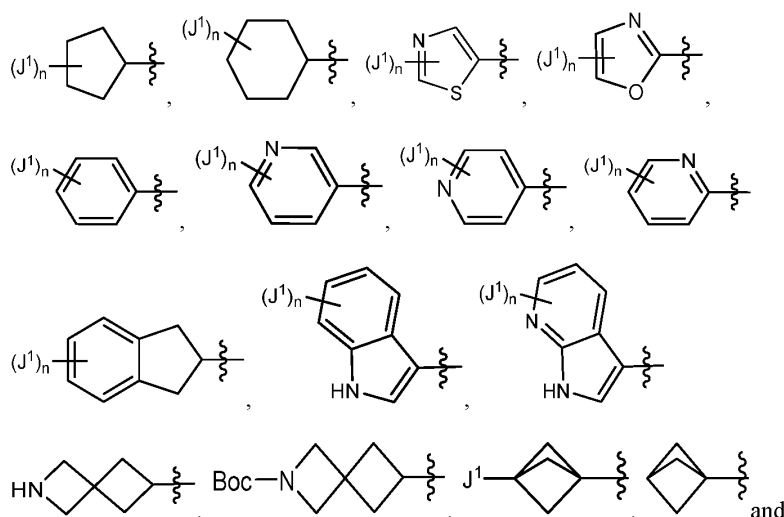
63. The method of any one of claims 39-53, wherein

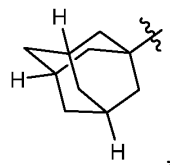
R²¹ is spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, wherein the spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl has 0-2 carbon atoms replaced with 0-2 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, and is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group.

64. The method of any one of claims 39-53, wherein

R²¹ is 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, wherein the bridged bicycyl has 0-2 carbon atoms replaced with 0-2 heteroatoms selected from N, O or S, and is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹, or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group.

65. The method of any one of claims 39-53, wherein R^{21} is selected from:

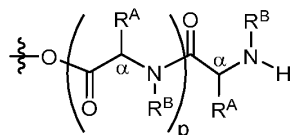




wherein J^1 is OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and n is 0-3.

66. The method of any one of claims 39-65, wherein L is C_1 - C_6 alkylene, C_3 - C_6 alkylene or C_3 - C_{12} alkylene.
67. The method of any one of claims 39-65, wherein L is C_1 - C_6 alkenylene, C_3 - C_6 alkenylene or C_3 - C_{12} alkenylene.
68. The method of any one of claims 39-67, wherein n is 0.
69. The method of any one of claims 39-68, wherein R^6 is OH.
70. The method of any one of claims 39-68, wherein R^6 is $-\text{OP}(\text{O})(\text{OR}^{b'})_2$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl.
71. The method of any one of claims 39-68, wherein R^6 is $-\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{R}^c$, wherein R^c is $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(\text{NR}^{\text{cl}})_2$ or $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$; R^{cl} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{cl} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; and R^k is H or a M^+ counterion.
72. The method of any one of claims 39-68, wherein:

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

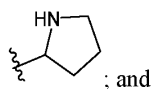
each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2.

73. The method of claim 72, wherein

each R^A is independently hydrogen (glycine), methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), propan-1-yl (norvaline), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), 1-methylpropan-1-yl (isoleucine), butan-1-yl (norleucine), phenyl (2-phenylglycine), benzyl (phenylalanine), p-hydroxybenzyl (tyrosine), indol-3-ylmethyl (tryptophan), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 2-hydroxyethyl (homoserine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), mercaptomethyl (cysteine), methylthiomethyl (S-methylcysteine), 2-mercaptoethyl (homocysteine), 2-methylthioethyl (methionine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoylethyl (glutamine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 2-carboxyethyl (glutamic acid), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), 4-amino-3-hydroxybutan-1-yl (hydroxyllysine), 3-aminopropan-1-yl (ornithine), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), or 3-ureido-propan-1-yl (citrulline);

each R^B is H, or R^B together with the adjacent R_A and the N atom form a prolyl side chain:



p is 0, 1 or 2.

74. The method of claim 73, wherein:

each R^A is independently methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoylethyl (glutamine), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine);

R^B is H; and

p 0, 1, or 2.

75. The method of claim 73, wherein

each R^A is independently propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine);

each R^B is H; and

p is 0, 1, or 2.

76. The method of claim 73, wherein p is 0.

77. The method of claim 73, wherein p is 1.

78. The method of claim 73, wherein p is 1;

first of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine) and second of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Val-Val); or

first of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), and second of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Leu-Leu); or

first of R^A is methyl (alanine) and second of R^A is methyl (alanine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Ala-Ala); or

first of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Lys-Lys); or

first of R^A is hydrogen; second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl, and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Gly-Lys).

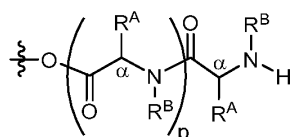
79. The method of any one of claims 72-78, wherein each of the α -carbon of the amino acid other than glycine is in the L or D configuration.

80. The method of claim 39, wherein the compound is selected from the group consisting of the compounds of **Table 1**.

81. The method claim 80, wherein the substituent on the C20 carbon atom of the compound is replaced with $-\text{OP}(\text{O})(\text{OR}^{b'})_2$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl, $\text{C}_2\text{-C}_6$ alkenyl, $\text{C}_0\text{-C}_6$ alkylaryl, or $\text{C}_0\text{-C}_6$ alkylheteroaryl.

82. The method of claim 80, wherein the substituent on the C20 carbon atom of the compound is replaced with $-\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{R}^c$, wherein R^c is $-\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl, $-\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl- $(\text{NR}^{c1})_2$ or $-\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$; R^{c1} is H, $\text{C}_1\text{-C}_6$ alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; and R^k is H or a M^+ counterion.

83. The method of claim 80, wherein the substituent on the C20 carbon atom of the compound is, where appropriate, replaced with



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

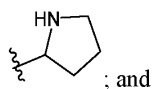
each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2.

84. The method of claim 83, wherein

each R^A is independently hydrogen (glycine), methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), propan-1-yl (norvaline), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), 1-methylpropan-1-yl (isoleucine), butan-1-yl (norleucine), phenyl (2-phenylglycine), benzyl (phenylalanine), p-hydroxybenzyl (tyrosine), indol-3-ylmethyl (tryptophan), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 2-hydroxyethyl (homoserine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), mercaptomethyl (cysteine), methylthiomethyl (S-methylcysteine), 2-mercaptoethyl (homocysteine), 2-methylthioethyl (methionine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoylethyl (glutamine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 2-carboxyethyl (glutamic acid), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), 4-amino-3-hydroxybutan-1-yl (hydroxylysine), 3-aminopropan-1-yl (ornithine), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), or 3-ureido-propan-1-yl (citrulline);

each R^B is H, or R^B together with the adjacent R_A and the N atom form a prolyl side chain:



p is 0, 1 or 2.

85. The method of claim 84, wherein:

each R^A is independently methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoylethyl (glutamine), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine);

R^B is H; and

p 0, 1, or 2.

86. The method of claim 84, wherein

each R^A is independently propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine);

each R^B is H; and

p is 0, 1, or 2.

87. The method of claim 84, wherein p is 0.

88. The method of claim 84, wherein p is 1.

89. The method of claim 84 wherein p is 1;

first of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine) and second of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Val-Val); or

first of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), and second of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Leu-Leu); or

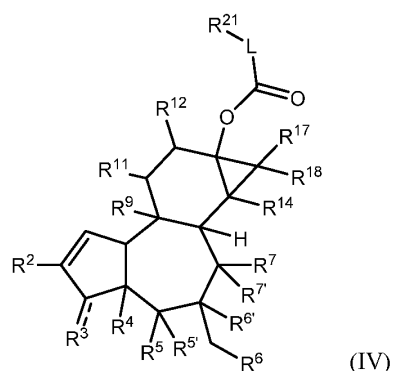
first of R^A is methyl (alanine) and second of R^A is methyl (alanine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Ala-Ala); or

first of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Lys-Lys); or

first of R^A is hydrogen; second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl, and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Gly-Lys).

90. The method of any one of claims 83-89, wherein each of the α -carbon of the amino acid other than glycine is in the L or D configuration.

91. The method of any one of claims 1-38, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (IV):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or $-OR^a$; wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

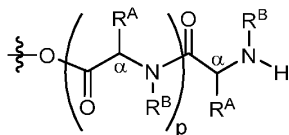
R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

$R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ are each independently H or OH, or $R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl(NR^{c1})₂ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7

membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R⁶ is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^{6a} is H or OH, R⁷ is H, or R^{6a} and R⁷ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R⁷ is H or OH;

R⁹ is OR^e, wherein R^e is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or aryl;

R¹¹ is C₁-C₄alkyl;

R¹² is H, -OH, -OC(O)R^f, wherein R^f is C₁-C₁₂alkyl, C₂-C₁₂alkenyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-aryl, or -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R¹⁴ is H or OR^g; wherein R^g is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

R¹⁷ and R¹⁸ are each independently C₁-C₄alkyl or C₁-C₄alkyl-OR^h, wherein R^h is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

L is C₀-C₆alkylaryl, C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkylene, C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C₁-C₄alkyl; and

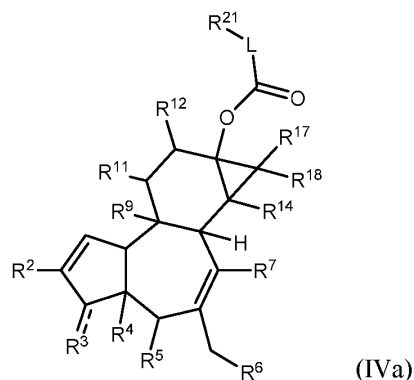
R²¹ is H, -OH, -SH, -S(O)₂R^j, -SR^j, -N(R^j)₂, -Si(R^j)₃, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR^k, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion.

92. The method of claim 91, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (IVa):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

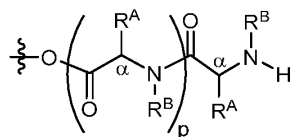
R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (---) is a bond, or $-OR^a$; wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^6 is OH, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, halo, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{12} is H, -OH, $-OC(O)R^f$, wherein R^f is C_1 - C_{12} alkyl, C_2 - C_{12} alkenyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic- C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-aryl, or $-C_0$ - C_{12} aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g , wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is C_0 - C_6 alkylarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkylene, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

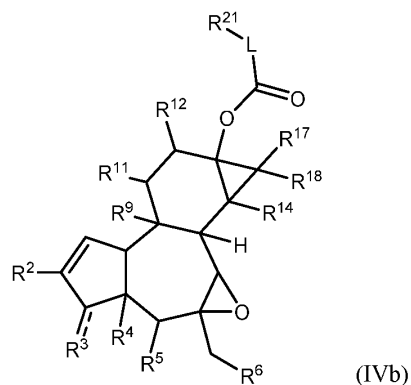
R^{21} is H, -OH, -SH, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^k is H or M^+ counterion.

93. The method of claim 91, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (IVb)



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

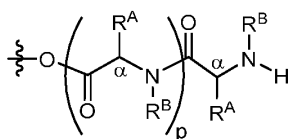
R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when $(- - -)$ is a bond, or $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or -

C(O)R^{a1}, wherein R^{a1} is C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R⁴ and R⁵ are each independently H or -OR^b, wherein R^b is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R⁶ is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, or -OC(O)R^c, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R⁶ is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R⁷ is H or OH;

R⁹ is OR^e, wherein R^e is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or aryl;

R¹¹ is C₁-C₄alkyl;

R¹² is H, -OH, -OC(O)R^f, wherein R^f is C₁-C₁₂alkyl, C₂-C₁₂alkenyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heterocycloalkyl, -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-aryl, or -C₀-C₁₂aliphatic-heteroaryl;

R¹⁴ is H or OR^g, wherein R^g is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

R¹⁷ and R¹⁸ are each independently C₁-C₄alkyl or C₁-C₄alkyl-OR^h, wherein R^h is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

L is C₀-C₆alkylarylene, C₀-C₆alkylheteroarylene, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkylene, C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C₁-C₄alkyl; and

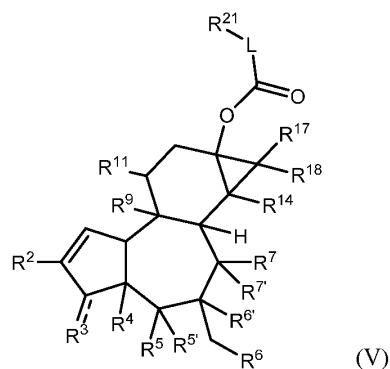
R²¹ is H, -OH, -SH, -S(O)₂R^j, -SR^j, -N(R^j)₂, -Si(R^j)₃, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR^k, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^i is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^k is H or M^+ counterion.

94. The method of claim 92, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (V):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

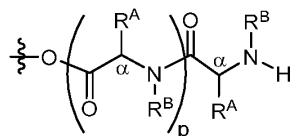
R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (- -) is a bond, or $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

$R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ are each independently H or OH, or $R^{5'}$ and $R^{6'}$ form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring as permitted by valency;

R^6 is OH, halo, $-OP(O)(OR^{b'})_2$, or $-OC(O)R^c$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl $-(NR^{c1})_2$ or $-C_1$ - C_6 alkyl $C(O)OR^k$, R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-

natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^{6a} is H or OH, R^{7a} is H, or R^{6a} and R^{7a} form a bond or are bonded to a common O atom to form an epoxide ring, as permitted by valency;

R⁷ is H or OH;

R⁹ is OR^e, wherein R^e is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or aryl;

R¹¹ is C₁-C₄alkyl;

R¹⁴ is H or OR^g; wherein R^g is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

R¹⁷ and R¹⁸ are each independently C₁-C₄alkyl or C₁-C₄alkyl-OR^h, wherein R^h is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

L is C₀-C₆alkylarylene, C₀-C₆alkylheteroarylene, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkylene, C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C₁-C₄alkyl; and

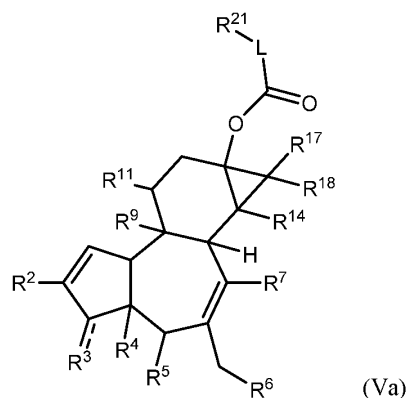
R²¹ is H, -OH, -SH, -S(O)₂R^j, -SR^j, -N(R^j)₂, -Si(R^j)₃, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR^k, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion.

95. The method of claim 91, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (Va):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

or an enantiomer or pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof;

wherein

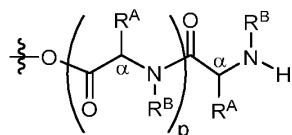
R^2 is a C₁-C₄alkyl;

R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when (---) is a bond, or -OR^a, wherein R^a is H or -C(O)R^{a1}, wherein R^{a1} is C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or -OR^b, wherein R^b is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R^6 is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, or -OC(O)R^c, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k, R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R^7 is H or OH;

R^9 is OR^e , wherein R^e is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or aryl;

R^{11} is C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

R^{14} is H or OR^g , wherein R^g is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

R^{17} and R^{18} are each independently C_1 - C_4 alkyl or C_1 - C_4 alkyl- OR^h , wherein R^h is H or C_1 - C_6 alkyl;

L is C_0 - C_6 alkylarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkylene, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

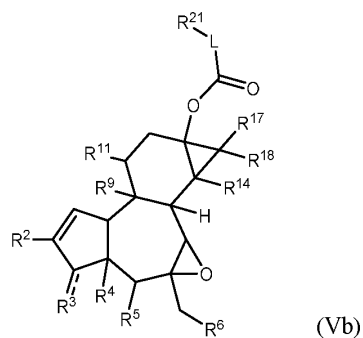
R^{21} is H, -OH, -SH, $-S(O)_2R^j$, $-SR^j$, $-N(R^j)_2$, $-Si(R^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, adamantyl, or $-C(O)OR^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicycyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ;

J^1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^k is H or M^+ counterion.

96. The method of claim 91, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (Vb):



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^2 is a C_1 - C_4 alkyl;

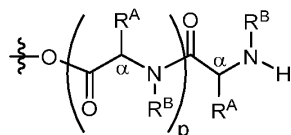
R^3 is O double bonded to the ring carbon when $(- - -)$ is a bond, or $-OR^a$, wherein R^a is H or $-C(O)R^{a1}$, wherein R^{a1} is C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl;

R^4 and R^5 are each independently H or $-OR^b$, wherein R^b is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 -

C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl;

R⁶ is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^{b1})₂, or -OC(O)R^e, wherein each R^{b1} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^e is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R⁶ is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

R⁹ is OR^e, wherein R^e is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or aryl;

R¹¹ is C₁-C₄alkyl;

R¹⁴ is H or OR^g; wherein R^g is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

R¹⁷ and R¹⁸ are each independently C₁-C₄alkyl or C₁-C₄alkyl-OR^h, wherein R^h is H or C₁-C₆alkyl;

L is C₀-C₆alkylarylene, C₀-C₆alkylheteroarylene, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkylene, C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene, wherein the C₁-C₁₂alkylene or C₂-C₁₂alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C₁-C₄alkyl; and

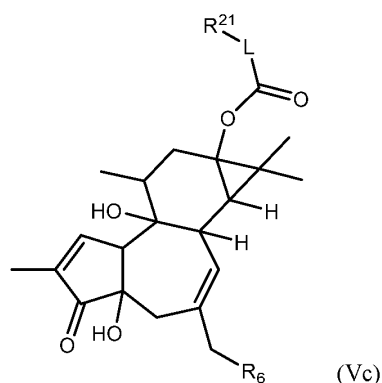
R²¹ is H, -OH, -SH, -S(O)₂R^j, -SR^j, -N(R^j)₂, -Si(R^j)₃, C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR^k, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiroC₅-C₁₂ cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R^j is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion.

97. The method of claim 91, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (Vc):

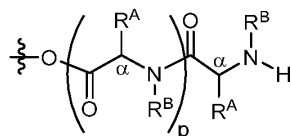


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R^6 is OH, halo, $-\text{OP}(\text{O})(\text{OR}^{b1})_2$, or $-\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{R}^c$, wherein each R^{b1} is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl; R^c is $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(\text{NR}^{c1})_2$ or $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$, R^{c1} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R^6 is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

L is C_0 - C_6 alkylarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkylene, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^{21} is H, $-\text{OH}$, $-\text{SH}$, $-\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{R}^j$, $-\text{SR}^j$, $-\text{N}(\text{R}^j)_2$, $-\text{Si}(\text{R}^j)_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 ; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of

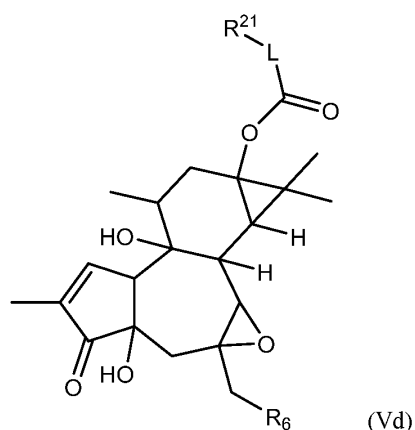
the spiroC₅-C₁₂cycloalkyl or bridged bicycyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C₁-C₄alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each Rⁱ is independently C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylC₃-C₇cycloalkyl, C₀-C₆alkylheterocyclyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C₃-C₇cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J¹;

J¹ is selected from OH, CN, halo, C₁-C₄alkyl, and haloC₁-C₄alkyl; and

R^k is H or M⁺ counterion.

98. The method of claim 91, wherein the compound is a compound of formula (Vd):

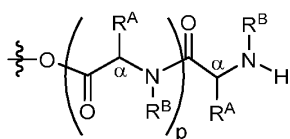


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt, tautomer, or stereoisomer thereof;

wherein

R⁶ is OH, halo, -OP(O)(OR^{b'})₂, or -OC(O)R^c, wherein each R^{b'} is independently H, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₂-C₆alkenyl, C₀-C₆alkylaryl, or C₀-C₆alkylheteroaryl; R^c is -C₁-C₆alkyl, -C₁-C₆alkyl-(NR^{c1})₂ or -C₁-C₆alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{c1} is H, C₁-C₆alkyl, or two R^{c1} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; or

R⁶ is



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each

occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2;

L is C_0 - C_6 alkylarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroarylene, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkylene, C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene, wherein the C_1 - C_{12} alkylene or C_2 - C_{12} alkenylene is optionally substituted with OH or C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R^{21} is H, -OH, -SH, -S(O) $_2R^j$, -SR j , -N(R j) $_2$, -Si(R j) $_3$, C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, 5 to 12 membered bridged bicyclyl, adamantyl, or -C(O)OR k , wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, aryl, heteroaryl, spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, bridged bicyclyl, or adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J 1 ; and wherein optionally 1 to 2 carbon atoms of the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl or bridged bicyclyl is replaced with a heteroatom selected from N, O and S, and optionally substituted with C_1 - C_4 alkyl or, when an N atom is present an N-protecting group;

each R j is independently C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkyl C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylheterocyclyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl, alkylaryl, or heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J 1 ;

J 1 is selected from OH, CN, halo, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, and halo C_1 - C_4 alkyl; and

R k is H or M $^+$ counterion.

99. The method of any one of claims 91-98, wherein

R^{21} is C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J 1 .

100. The method of claim 99, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl is selected from the group consisting of cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl, cyclohexyl, and cycloheptyl, wherein the C_3 - C_7 cycloalkyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J 1 .

101. The method of any one of claims 91-98, wherein

R^{21} is heterocyclyl, wherein the heterocyclyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J 1 .

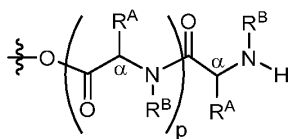
102. The method of claim 101, wherein the heterocyclyl is selected from the group consisting of oxiranyl, oxetanyl, azetidynyl, oxazolyl, thiazolidinyl, thiazolyl, morpholinyl, pyrrolidinonyl, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, 2,3-dihydrofuranyl, dihydropyranyl, tetrahydrofuranyl, tetrahydropyranyl, dihydropyridinyl, tetrahydropyridinyl, tetrahydropyrimidinyl, tetrahydrothiophenyl, tetrahydrothiopyranyl, and azapanyl, wherein the heterocyclyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J 1 .

103. The method of any one of claims 91-98, wherein

R^{21} is aryl, wherein the aryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J 1 .

104. The method of claim 103, wherein R^{21} is a phenyl or naphthyl, wherein the phenyl or naphthyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 .
105. The method of any one of claims 91-98, wherein R^{21} is heteroaryl, wherein the heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 .
106. The method of claim 105, wherein the heteroaryl is selected from the group consisting of pyrrolyl, pyrazolyl, imidazolyl, pyrazinyl, oxazolyl, isoxazolyl, thiazolyl, furyl, thienyl, pyridyl, pyrimidyl, benzoxazolyl, benzothiazolyl, purinyl, benzimidazolyl, indolyl, isoquinolyl, quinoxalinyll, and quinolyl, wherein the heteroaryl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 .
107. The method of any one of claims 91-98, wherein R^{21} is adamantyl, wherein the adamantyl is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 .
108. The method of any one of claims 91-98, wherein R^{21} is spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl, wherein the spiro C_5 - C_{12} cycloalkyl has 0-2 carbon atoms replaced with 0-2 heteroatoms selected from N, O and S, and is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group.
109. The method of any one of claims 91-98, wherein R^{21} is 5 to 12 membered bridged bicycyl, wherein the bridged bicycyl has 0-2 carbon atoms replaced with 0-2 heteroatoms selected from N, O or S, and is optionally substituted with 1 to 3 of J^1 , or when an N atom is present an N-protecting group.
110. The method of any one of claims 91-109, wherein L is C_1 - C_6 alkylene, C_3 - C_6 alkylene or C_3 - C_{12} alkyl.
111. The method of any one of claims 91-109, wherein L is C_1 - C_6 alkenylene, C_3 - C_6 alkenylene or C_3 - C_{12} alkenylene.
112. The method of any one of claims 91-111, wherein R^6 is -OH.
113. The method of any one of claims 91-111, wherein R^6 is -OP(O)(OR^b)₂, wherein each R^b is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl.
114. The method of any one of claims 91-111, wherein R^6 is -OC(O)R^c, wherein R^c is - C_1 - C_6 alkyl, - C_1 - C_6 alkyl-(NR^{cl})₂ or - C_1 - C_6 alkylC(O)OR^k; R^{cl} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{cl} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocyclyl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; and R^k is H or a M⁺ counterion.

118. The method of claim 116, wherein each R^A is independently propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); each R^B is H; and p is 0, 1, or 2.
119. The method of claim 116, wherein p is 0.
120. The method of claim 116, wherein p is 1.
121. The method of claim 116, wherein p is 1; first of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine) and second of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Val-Val); or first of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), and second of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Leu-Leu); or first of R^A is methyl (alanine) and second of R^A is methyl (alanine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Ala-Ala); or first of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Lys-Lys); or first of R^A is hydrogen; second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl, and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Gly-Lys).
122. The method of any one of claims 115-121, wherein each of the α -carbon of the amino acid other than glycine is in the L or D configuration.
123. The method of claim 91, wherein the compound is selected from the group consisting of the compounds of **Table 2**.
124. The method of claim 123, wherein the substituent on the C20 carbon atom of the compound is replaced with $-\text{OP}(\text{O})(\text{OR}^{b'})_2$, wherein each $R^{b'}$ is independently H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_0 - C_6 alkylaryl, or C_0 - C_6 alkylheteroaryl.
125. The method of claim 123, wherein the substituent on the C20 carbon atom of the compound is replaced with $-\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{R}^c$, wherein R^c is $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl, $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl- $(\text{NR}^{\text{cl}})_2$ or $-\text{C}_1$ - C_6 alkyl $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OR}^k$; R^{cl} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, or two R^{cl} together with the N atom form a 5 to 7 membered heterocycl containing 1 to 3 heteroatoms selected from N, O, and S; and R^k is H or a M^+ counterion.
126. The method of claim 123, wherein the substituent on the C20 carbon atom of the compound, where appropriate, is substituted with



wherein,

each occurrence of R^A is independently selected from a side chain of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^A is same or different;

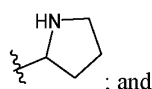
each occurrence of R^B is independently H, or R^B together with R^A and the N atom to which it is attached form a heterocyclic ring of a natural or non-natural amino acid, wherein each occurrence of R^B is same or different; and

p is 0, 1, or 2.

127. The method of claim 126, wherein

each R^A is independently hydrogen (glycine), methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), propan-1-yl (norvaline), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), 1-methylpropan-1-yl (isoleucine), butan-1-yl (norleucine), phenyl (2-phenylglycine), benzyl (phenylalanine), p-hydroxybenzyl (tyrosine), indol-3-ylmethyl (tryptophan), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 2-hydroxyethyl (homoserine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), mercaptomethyl (cysteine), methylthiomethyl (S-methylcysteine), 2-mercaptoethyl (homocysteine), 2-methylthioethyl (methionine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoyl ethyl (glutamine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 2-carboxyethyl (glutamic acid), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), 4-amino-3-hydroxybutan-1-yl (hydroxylysine), 3-aminopropan-1-yl (ornithine), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), or 3-ureido-propan-1-yl (citrulline);

each R^B is H, or R^B together with the adjacent R^A and the N atom form a prolyl side chain:



p is 0, 1 or 2.

128. The method of claim 126, wherein:

each R^A is independently methyl (alanine), propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), imidazol-4-ylmethyl (histidine), hydroxymethyl (serine), 1-hydroxyethyl (threonine), carbamoylmethyl (asparagine), 2-carbamoyl ethyl (glutamine), 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), 3-guanidinopropan-1-yl (arginine), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine);

R^B is H; and

p 0, 1, or 2.

129. The method of claim 126, wherein each R^A is independently propan-2-yl (valine), 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), carboxymethyl (aspartic acid), benzyl (phenylalanine), or 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); each R^B is H; and p is 0, 1, or 2.
130. The method of claim 126, wherein p is 0.
131. The method of claim 126, wherein p is 1.
132. The method of claim 126, wherein p is 1;
first of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine) and second of R^A is propan-2-yl (valine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Val-Val); or
first of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine), and second of R^A is 2-methylpropan-1-yl (leucine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Leu-Leu); or
first of R^A is methyl (alanine) and second of R^A is methyl (alanine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Ala-Ala); or
first of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl (lysine); and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Lys-Lys); or
first of R^A is hydrogen; second of R^A is 4-aminobutan-1-yl, and each of R^B is H (dipeptide Gly-Lys).
133. The method of any one of claims 126-132, wherein each of the α -carbon of the amino acid other than glycine is in the L or D configuration.