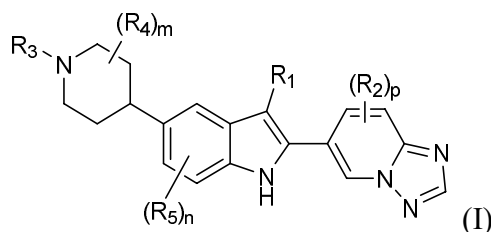


CLAIMS

1. A compound of Formula (I)



5 or a salt thereof, wherein:

R₁ is H, Cl, -CN, C₁₋₄ alkyl, C₁₋₃ fluoroalkyl, C₁₋₃ hydroxy-fluoroalkyl, -CR_z=CH₂, C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, -CH₂(C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl), -C(O)O(C₁₋₃ alkyl), or tetrahydropyranyl;

each R₂ is independently halo, -CN, -OH, -NO₂⁺, C₁₋₃ alkyl, C₁₋₂ fluoroalkyl, C₁₋₂ cyanoalkyl, C₁₋₃ hydroxyalkyl, C₁₋₃ aminoalkyl, -O(CH₂)₁₋₂OH, -(CH₂)₀₋₄O(C₁₋₄ alkyl),
 10 C₁₋₃ fluoroalkoxy, -(CH₂)₁₋₄O(C₁₋₃ alkyl), -O(CH₂)₁₋₂OC(O)(C₁₋₃ alkyl),
 -O(CH₂)₁₋₂NR_xR_x, -C(O)O(C₁₋₃ alkyl), -C(O)NR_yR_y, -NR_yR_y, -NR_y(C₁₋₃ fluoroalkyl),
 -NR_y(C₁₋₄ hydroxyalkyl), -NR_xCH₂(phenyl), -NR_xS(O)₂(C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl),
 -NR_xC(O)(C₁₋₃ alkyl), -NR_x(CH₂-cyclopropyl), C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl, morpholinyl,
 dioxothiomorpholinyl, methylpiperidinyl, methylpiperazinyl, amino-oxadiazolyl,
 15 imidazolyl, triazolyl, or -C(O)(thiazolyl);

R₃ is:

(a) -L₁-A; or

(b) H, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₃ fluoroalkyl, C₁₋₃ cyanoalkyl, C₁₋₆ hydroxyalkyl, C₁₋₃ hydroxy-fluoroalkyl, -CR_xR_xCR_x(OH)CR_x=CR_xR_x, -C=N(NR_xR_x), -(CR_xR_x)₁₋₄O(C₁₋₃ alkyl),
 20 -(CR_xR_x)₁₋₄O(CR_xR_x)₁₋₃O(C₁₋₃ alkyl), -CH₂CH(OH)CH₂O(C₁₋₃ alkyl),
 -(CR_xR_x)₁₋₃S(C₁₋₃ alkyl), -(CH₂)₁₋₃C(O)OC(CH₃)₃, -(CR_xR_x)₀₋₃NR_xR_y,
 -(CR_xR_x)₀₋₃NR_x(C₁₋₄ hydroxyalkyl), -CH₂CH(OH)CH₂NR_xR_y, -C(O)H, -C(O)(C₁₋₆ alkyl),
 -C(O)(C₁₋₄ hydroxyalkyl), -C(O)(C₁₋₃ fluoroalkyl), -C(O)(C₁₋₃ chloroalkyl),
 -C(O)(C₁₋₃ cyanoalkyl), -(CR_xR_x)₀₋₃C(O)OH, -C(O)(CH₂)₀₋₂O(C₁₋₄ alkyl),
 25 -C(O)(CR_xR_x)₀₋₂O(CR_xR_x)₁₋₂O(C₁₋₃ alkyl), -C(O)(CR_xR_x)₀₋₂O(CR_xR_x)₁₋₂NR_yR_y,

$-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl}), -\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{NR}_x\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl}),$
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{OC}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl}), -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-3}\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y, -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-1}\text{NR}_x(\text{C}_{1-3}$
 $\text{cyanoalkyl}), -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_y(\text{C}_{1-6} \text{ hydroxyalkyl}), -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x(\text{C}_{1-3}$
 $\text{fluoroalkyl}), -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-1}\text{NR}_x(\text{C}_{1-5} \text{ hydroxy-fluoroalkyl}),$
5 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-1}\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ hydroxyalkyl}),$
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{NR}_x\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-2} \text{ alkyl}),$
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x((\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-2} \text{ alkyl})), -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{N}((\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-2}$
 $\text{alkyl}))_2, -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-3}\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x, -\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CR}_x(\text{NH}_2)(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-4}\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x,$
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CR}_x(\text{NH}_2)(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-4}\text{NR}_x\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x, -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-3}\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{0-1}\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3}$
10 $\text{alkyl}), -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-3}\text{N}((\text{CH}_2)_{0-1}\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl}))_2,$
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-1}\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{0-1}\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ cyanoalkyl}),$
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y, -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-3}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y, -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-3}$
 $\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y, -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x(\text{CHR}_y(\text{CH}_2\text{OH})), -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y,$
 $-\text{CH}(\text{CN})\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y, -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ fluoroalkyl}), -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y(\text{C}_{1-4}$
15 $\text{hydroxyalkyl}), -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ cyanoalkyl}), -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}$
 $\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl}), -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x\text{CH}(\text{C}_{1-4} \text{ alkyl})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ hydroxyalkyl}), -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}$
 $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x\text{CH}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ hydroxyalkyl})(\text{C}_{3-6} \text{ cycloalkyl}), -(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}$
 $\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x, -(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{S}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl}), -(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}$
 $\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{OH}, -(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{NR}_x\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl}), -(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}$
20 $3\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x, -(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2)_{1-3}\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x, -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-3}\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{C}_{1-4} \text{ alkyl}),$
 $-(\text{CH}_2)_{0-2}\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ fluoroalkyl}), -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y, -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{C}_{1-3}$
 $\text{alkyl}), -\text{C}(\text{O})\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OH}, -\text{C}(\text{O})\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y, \text{ or } -\text{C}(\text{O})\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y;$
 $\text{L}_1 \text{ is a bond, } -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}-, -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{CR}_x(\text{OH})-, -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{O}-, -\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{C}(\text{O})-,$
 $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_2\text{NR}_x(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-1}-, -\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-4}-, -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-3}-,$
25 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}-, -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{N}(\text{C}_{1-2} \text{ hydroxyalkyl})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}-,$
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{CR}_x(\text{OH})-, -\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x-,$
 $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{CR}_x(\text{OH})-, -(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{C}_{1-2}$

hydroxyalkyl)(CR_xR_x)₁₋₂-, -C(O)(CR_xR_x)₀₋₁O-, -C(O)(CR_xR_x)₁₋₂NHS(O)₂-,
 -C(O)CR_x(NH₂)CR_xR_x-, -C(O)C(O)(CR_xR_x)₀₋₂-, -C(O)NR_x(CR_xR_x)₁₋₂-, or -S(O)₂-;

A is 2-oxa-6-azaspiro[3,3]heptanyl, 4-oxaspiro[2.5]octanyl, 7-azaspiro[3.5]nonanyl,

8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octanyl, 8-oxa-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octanyl,

- 5 9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]nonanyl, adamantanyl, azepanyl, azetidiny, C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl,
 diazepanyl, dihydroinonyl, dihydropyrimidinonyl, dioxanyl, dioxidothiadiazinanyl,
 dioxidothiazolidinyl, dioxidothiomorpholinyl, dioxoisothiazolidinyl, dioxidothiazinanyl,
 dioxotetrahydrothiophenyl, dioxotetrahydrothiopyranyl, dioxothiomorpholinyl, furanyl,
 imidazolyl, imidazolidinonyl, indolyl, isoquinolinyl, isoxazolyl, morpholinyl,
 10 morpholinonyl, naphthalenyl, octahydrocyclopenta[b]pyranyl, octahydropyrrolo[3,4-b]
 pyridinyl, oxazolidinonyl, oxadiazolyl, oxazolyl, oxetanyl, phenyl, piperidinyl,
 piperidinonyl, piperazinyl, piperazinonyl, pyrazinyl, pyrazolyl, pyridazinyl,
 pyridazinonyl, pyridinonyl, pyridinyl, pyrimidinyl, pyrrolidinonyl, pyrrolidinyl, pyrrolyl,
 quinolinyl, quinolizinonyl, tetrahydrofuranyl, tetrahydropyranyl, tetrahydrothiopyranyl,
 15 tetrazolyl, thiadiazolyl, thiazolyl, triazolonyl, or triazolyl, each substituted with -L₂-R_a
 and zero to 4 R_b;

L₂ is a bond or -CR_xR_x-;

R_a is:

- (a) H, F, Cl, -CN, -OH, C₁₋₆ alkyl, C₁₋₃ fluoroalkyl, C₁₋₅ hydroxyalkyl, -(CH₂)₀₋₄O(C₁₋₃
 20 alkyl), -(CR_xR_x)₁₋₃S(C₁₋₃ alkyl), -(CR_xR_x)₁₋₃NHC(O)O(C₁₋₄ alkyl), -(CR_xR_x)₁₋₃NR_yR_y,
 -(CR_xR_x)₁₋₃C(O)NR_yR_y, -O(C₁₋₃ fluoroalkyl), -S(O)₂NR_xR_x, -O(CR_xR_x)₁₋₃NR_xR_x,
 -NHS(O)₂(C₁₋₃ alkyl), -NR_xR_x, -NR_x(C₁₋₄ alkyl), -NR_xC(O)(C₁₋₄ alkyl),
 -(CR_xR_x)₀₋₃C(O)OH, -C(O)(C₁₋₅ alkyl), -C(O)(C₁₋₃ fluoroalkyl), -C(O)O(C₁₋₄ alkyl),
 -C(O)NH(C₁₋₃ cyanoalkyl), -C(O)NR_yR_y, -C(O)NR_xCH₂C(O)NR_xR_x, or
 25 -C(O)NR_xCH₂CH₂NHC(O)(C₁₋₃ alkyl);
 (b) C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl or -C(O)NH(C₃₋₆ cycloalkyl), wherein each cycloalkyl is substituted with
 zero to 2 substituents independently selected from -OH, C₁₋₃ alkyl, C₁₋₃ hydroxyalkyl, C₁₋₃
 fluoroalkyl, and -C(O)O(C₁₋₃ alkyl); or

- (c) A_1 , $-\text{CH}_2A_1$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})A_1$, $-\text{NR}_xA_1$, or $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_xA_1$, wherein A_1 is furanyl, imidazolyl, indolyl, isoxazolyl, morpholinyl, octahydropyrrolo[3,4-c]pyrrolyl, oxazolyl, oxetanyl, phenyl, piperazinyl, piperidinyl, pyrazolyl, pyridinyl, pyrimidinyl, pyrrolidinyl, pyrrolyl, tetrahydrofuranyl, tetrahydropyranyl, thiadiazolyl, thiazolyl, thiophenyl, or triazolyl, each substituted with zero to three substituents independently selected from $-\text{OH}$, C_{1-3} alkyl, C_{1-3} hydroxyalkyl, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-2}$ alkyl), $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3}$ alkyl), $-\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x$, phenyl, trifluoromethyl-phenyl, $-\text{CH}_2(\text{bromophenyl})$, and $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2(\text{pyrrolidinyl})$;
- each R_b is independently F, $-\text{OH}$, $-\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{CF}_3$, or $-\text{OCH}_3$;
- each R_x is independently H or $-\text{CH}_3$;
- each R_y is independently H or C_{1-6} alkyl;
- R_z is H, C_{1-2} alkyl, or C_{1-2} fluoroalkyl;
- each R_4 is independently F, $-\text{OH}$, C_{1-2} alkyl, or $-\text{OCH}_3$; or two R_4 attached to the same carbon atom form $=\text{O}$; or wherein when m is at least 2, two R_4 , each attached to a different carbon atom adjacent to the nitrogen atom in the piperidinyl ring, can form a $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2-$ bridge;
- each R_5 is independently F, Cl, $-\text{CN}$, C_{1-2} alkyl, C_{1-2} fluoroalkyl, or $-\text{OCH}_3$;
- m is zero, 1, 2, 3, or 4;
- n is zero, 1, or 2; and
- p is zero, 1, 2, 3, or 4.
2. The compound according to claim 1 or salt thereof, wherein:
- R_1 is H, Cl, $-\text{CN}$, C_{1-4} alkyl, or C_{1-2} fluoroalkyl;
- each R_2 is independently F, Cl, $-\text{CN}$, $-\text{OH}$, C_{1-3} alkyl, C_{1-2} fluoroalkyl, C_{1-2} cyanoalkyl, C_{1-3} hydroxyalkyl, C_{1-3} aminoalkyl, $-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{OH}$, $-\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-4}$ alkyl), C_{1-2} fluoroalkoxy, $-(\text{CH}_2)_{1-4}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3}$ alkyl), $-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{OC}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3}$ alkyl), $-\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3}$ alkyl), $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y$, $-\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y$, $-\text{NR}_y(\text{C}_{1-3}$ fluoroalkyl), $-\text{NR}_y(\text{C}_{1-4}$ hydroxyalkyl), $-\text{NR}_x\text{CH}_2(\text{phenyl})$, $-\text{NR}_x\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{C}_{3-6}$ cycloalkyl), $-\text{NR}_x\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3}$ alkyl), $-\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2\text{-cyclopropyl})$, C_{3-6} cycloalkyl, morpholinyl, dioxothiomorpholinyl,

methylnpiperidinyl, methylnpiperazinyl, amino-oxadiazolyl, imidazolyl, triazolyl, or
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{thiazolyl})$;

R_3 is:

(a) $-\text{L}_1-\text{A}$; or

- 5 (b) H, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-3} fluoroalkyl, C_{1-3} cyanoalkyl, C_{1-5} hydroxyalkyl, $-\text{C}=\text{N}(\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x)$,
 $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-2} \text{ alkyl})$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-4}\text{O}(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-3}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-3}\text{S}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-(\text{CH}_2)_{1-3}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OC}(\text{CH}_3)_3$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-3}\text{NR}_x\text{R}_y$,
 $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-3}\text{NR}_x(\text{C}_{1-4} \text{ hydroxyalkyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{NR}_x\text{R}_y$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-6} \text{ alkyl})$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-4} \text{ hydroxyalkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ fluoroalkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ chloroalkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3}$
10 $\text{cyanoalkyl})$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-3}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OH}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CH}_2)_{0-2}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-4} \text{ alkyl})$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{O}(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CH}_2)_{0-2}\text{O}(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{HR}_y\text{R}_y$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{C}_{1-2} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{NR}_x\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{C}_{1-2} \text{ alkyl})$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{OC}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x(\text{C}_{1-2}$
 $\text{cyanoalkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_y(\text{C}_{1-6} \text{ hydroxyalkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x(\text{C}_{1-3}$
15 $\text{fluoroalkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-1}\text{NR}_x(\text{C}_{1-5} \text{ hydroxy-fluoroalkyl})$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-1}\text{NR}_x((\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-2} \text{ alkyl}))$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-1}\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3}$
 $\text{hydroxyalkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-1}\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{NR}_x\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-2} \text{ alkyl})$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x((\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-2} \text{ alkyl}))$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-1}\text{NR}_x(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-3}\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CR}_x(\text{NH}_2)(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-4}\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CR}_x(\text{NH}_2)(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-4}\text{NR}_x\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x$,
20 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-3}\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{0-1}\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-1}\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{0-1}\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3}$
 $\text{cyanoalkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{NR}_x(\text{CHR}_y(\text{CH}_2\text{OH}))$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y$,
 $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ fluoroalkyl})$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y(\text{C}_{1-4} \text{ hydroxyalkyl})$,
 $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ cyanoalkyl})$, $-\text{CH}(\text{CN})\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-}$
25 $2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x\text{CH}(\text{C}_{1-4} \text{ alkyl})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ hydroxyalkyl})$,
 $-(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x$, $-(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{S}(\text{C}_{1-2} \text{ alkyl})$,
 $-(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{OH}$, $-(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{NR}_x\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$,
 $-(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{CH}_2)_{1-3}\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x$, $-(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2)_{1-3}\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x$,

$-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-3}\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{C}_{1-4} \text{ alkyl}), -(\text{CH}_2)_{0-2}\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ fluoroalkyl}), -(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y,$
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OH}, -\text{C}(\text{O})\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y,$ or $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_y(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y$;

L_1 is a bond, $-\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x-$, $-\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{C}(\text{O})-$, $-\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x-$, or $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}-$;

A is a ring selected from azetidiny, C_{3-6} cycloalkyl, dioxotetrahydrothiopyranyl,

5 dioxidothiadiazinanyl, dioxidothiomorpholinyl, furanyl, imidazolyl, isoquinolinyl, morpholinyl, oxazolyl, 2-oxa-6-azaspiro[3.3]heptanyl, oxetanyl, phenyl, piperazinyl, piperidinyl, pyrazinyl, pyrazolyl, pyridinyl, pyrrolidinyl, pyrrolyl, quinolinyl, tetrahydrofuranyl, tetrahydropyranyl, tetrazolyl, thiadiazolyl, thiazolyl, and triazolyl, each substituted with $-\text{L}_2-\text{R}_a$ and zero to 4 R_b ;

10 L_2 is a bond or $-\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x-$;

R_a is:

(a) H, $-\text{CN}$, $-\text{OH}$, C_{1-3} alkyl, C_{1-2} fluoroalkyl, C_{1-3} hydroxyalkyl, $-(\text{CH}_2)_{1-2}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$,
 $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-3}\text{NHC}(\text{O})\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-4} \text{ alkyl})$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-3}\text{NH}_2$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-3}\text{NR}_x(\text{C}_{1-4} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-2}$
fluoroalkyl), $-\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x$, $-\text{NHS}(\text{O})_2(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x$, $-\text{NR}_x(\text{C}_{1-4} \text{ alkyl})$,
15 $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OH}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OH}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x(\text{C}_{1-2}$
alkyl), $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})_2$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x$, or
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NR}_x\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NHC}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$;

(b) C_{3-6} cycloalkyl or $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}(\text{C}_{3-6} \text{ cycloalkyl})$, wherein each cycloalkyl is substituted with
zero to 2 substituents independently selected from $-\text{OH}$, C_{1-3} alkyl, C_{1-3} hydroxyalkyl, C_{1-}
20 $_3$ fluoroalkyl, and $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$; or

(c) A_1 , $-\text{CH}_2\text{A}_1$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{A}_1$, or $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NHA}_1$, wherein A_1 is furanyl, imidazolyl, indolyl,
isoxazolyl, octahydropyrrolo[3,4-c]pyrrolyl, oxazolyl, oxetanyl, phenyl, piperazinyl,
piperidinyl, pyrazolyl, pyridinyl, pyrimidinyl, pyrrolidinyl, pyrrolyl, tetrahydrofuranyl,
tetrahydropyranyl, thiadiazolyl, thiazolyl, thiophenyl, or triazolyl, each substituted with
25 zero to three substituents independently selected from $-\text{OH}$, C_{1-3} alkyl, C_{1-3} hydroxyalkyl,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-2} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{NR}_x\text{R}_x$, phenyl, trifluoromethyl-phenyl,
 $-\text{CH}_2(\text{bromophenyl})$, and $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2(\text{pyrrolidinyl})$;

R_5 is F, Cl, $-\text{CN}$, C_{1-2} alkyl, or $-\text{OCH}_3$;

each R_b is independently $-\text{CH}_3$ or $-\text{CF}_3$;

each R_x is independently H or $-\text{CH}_3$;

each R_y is independently H or C_{1-5} alkyl;

m is zero, 1, or 2;

5 n is zero or 1; and

p is zero, 1, or 2.

3. The compound according to claim 1 or a salt thereof, wherein:

R_1 is $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$, or $-\text{CH}_2\text{CHF}_2$;

10 each R_2 is independently F, Cl, $-\text{CN}$, $-\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$, $-\text{CF}_3$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CN}$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{OH}$, $-\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{OH}$, $-\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$, $-\text{OCH}_3$,
 $-\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$, $-\text{OCHF}_2$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_3$,
 $-\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OC}(\text{O})\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{NH}_2$, $-\text{NH}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$, $-\text{NH}(\text{CH}_2\text{CF}_3)$, $-\text{NH}(\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{OH})$,
15 $-\text{NHCH}_2(\text{phenyl})$, $-\text{NHS}(\text{O})_2(\text{cyclopropyl})$, cyclopropyl, morpholinyl,
dioxothiomorpholinyl, or methylpiperazinyl;

R_3 is H, C_{1-5} alkyl, C_{2-3} fluoroalkyl, C_{1-3} cyanoalkyl, C_{2-5} hydroxyalkyl, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)_2$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH}(\text{CH}_3)$, $-\text{C}=\text{N}(\text{NH}_2)$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)_2$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CF}_3$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{OH}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{OH}$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{OH}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CN}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CN}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OC}(\text{CH}_3)_3$,
20 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)_2$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)_2$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{CH}_3$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{NHS}(\text{O})_2\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}(\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3)$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{NH}(\text{CH}_3)$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{NH}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{NH}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{NH}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{NH}(\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2)$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{NH}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2)$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{NH}(\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_3)$,
25 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)_2$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)(\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2)$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2)$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{N}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)_2$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH}(\text{CH}_3)$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$,

$\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH(CH(CH}_3)_2)$,
 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH(CH}_2\text{C(CH}_3)_3)$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N(CH}_3)_2$,
 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$,
 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N(CH}_3)(\text{CH(CH}_3)_2)$, $\text{--C(O)CH(CH}_3)\text{NH(CH}_3)$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{NH(CH}_2\text{CN)}$,
5 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CN})$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{NH(CH}_2\text{C(O)NH}_2)$,
 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{C(O)N(CH}_3)_2)$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH(CH}_2\text{C(O)NH}_2)$,
 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N(CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{C(O)N(CH}_3)_2$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH)}$,
 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH})$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH)}$,
 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH})$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{F)}$,
10 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{NH(CH}_2\text{CF}_3)$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{F)}$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3)$,
 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3)$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3)$,
 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3)$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{N(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3)_2$,
 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{S(O)}_2\text{NH}_2$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)NH}_2$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)NH(CH}_3)$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)N(CH}_3)_2$,
 $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)N(CH}_2\text{CH}_3)_2$,
15 $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)NH(CH(CH}_3)_2)$, $\text{--CH(CN)C(O)N(CH}_3)_2$,
 $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CF}_3)$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH})$,
 $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH})$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)N(CH}_2\text{CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH})$,
 $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)N(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH})$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH})$,
 $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)NH(CH}_2\text{C(CH}_3)_2\text{OH)}$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)N(CH}_2\text{CH(CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH})$,
20 $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CN)}$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CN})$,
 $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)N(CH}_3)(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3)$, $\text{--CH(CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{S(O)}_2(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)$,
 $\text{--CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{S(O)}_2\text{NH}_2$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{S(O)}_2\text{NH(CH}_3)$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{S(O)}_2\text{N(CH}_3)_2$,
 $\text{--CH(CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{S(O)}_2\text{N(CH}_2\text{CH}_3)_2$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NHS(O)}_2\text{CH}_3$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N(CH}_3)\text{S(O)}_2\text{CH}_3$,
 $\text{--CH}_2\text{C(O)NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{SCH}_3)$, $\text{--C(O)NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2)$, $\text{--C(O)N(CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2$,
25 $\text{--C(O)NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{N(CH}_3)_2)$, $\text{--C(O)NH(CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{NH}_2)$, $\text{--CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{S(O)}_2\text{CH}_3$,
 $\text{--CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{S(O)}_2\text{CH}_3$, $\text{--CH(CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{S(O)}_2\text{CH}_3$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2(2\text{-oxa-6-azaspiro[3.3]heptanyl)}$,
 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2(\text{piperazinonyl})$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2(\text{piperazinyl})$,
 $\text{--C(O)CH}_2(\text{piperidinyl})$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2(\text{pyrimidinyl})$, $\text{--C(O)CH}_2(\text{pyrrolidinyl})$,

-C(O)CH₂(tetrahydropyranyl), -C(O)CH₂(tetrazolyl), -C(O)CH₂(thiazolyl),
 -C(O)CH₂CH₂(azepanyl), -C(O)CH₂CH₂(azetidiny),
 -C(O)CH₂CH₂(dioxothiomorpholinyl), -C(O)CH₂CH₂(morpholinyl),
 -C(O)CH₂CH₂(piperidinonyl), -C(O)CH₂CH₂(piperidiny),
 5 -C(O)CH₂CH₂(pyrrolidinonyl), -C(O)CH₂CH₂(pyrrolidiny),
 -C(O)CH₂CH(CH₃)(oxetanyl), -C(O)NH(piperidiny), -C(O)NH(pyrrolidiny),
 -C(O)CH₂NH(cyclopropyl), -C(O)CH₂NH(cyclobutyl), -C(O)CH₂NH(cyclohexyl),
 -C(O)CH₂NH(oxetanyl), -C(O)CH₂N(CH₃)(cyclopropyl),
 -C(O)CH₂N(CH₃)(cyclohexyl), -C(O)CH₂CH₂NH(cyclopentyl),
 10 -C(O)CH₂CH₂NH(cyclohexyl), -C(O)CH₂CH₂N(CH₃)(cyclohexyl),
 -C(O)CH₂N(CH₂CH₂OH)(cyclopropyl), -C(O)CH₂CH₂N(CH₂CH₂OH)(cyclopropyl),
 -C(O)CH₂CH₂NH(CH₂(cyclopropyl)), -C(O)CH₂CH₂NH(CH₂(tetrahydrofuranyl)),
 -C(O)CH₂NH(CH₂(cyclopropyl)), -C(O)CH₂NH(CH₂(cyclohexyl)),
 -C(O)CH₂NH(CH₂(tetrahydrofuranyl)), -C(O)NH(CH₂(piperidiny)),
 15 -C(O)NH(CH₂(pyrrolidiny)), -C(O)NH(CH₂CH₂(morpholinyl)),
 -C(O)NH(CH₂CH₂(piperaziny)), -C(O)NH(CH₂CH₂(piperidiny)),
 -C(O)NH(CH₂CH₂(pyrrolidiny)), -C(O)O(azetidiny), -C(O)O(piperidiny),
 -C(O)O(pyrrolidiny), -C(O)OCH₂(azetidiny), -C(O)OCH₂(piperidiny),
 -C(O)OCH₂(pyrrolidiny), -C(O)OCH₂CH₂(dioxothiomorpholinyl),
 20 -C(O)OCH₂CH₂(imidazolyl), -C(O)OCH₂CH₂(morpholinyl),
 -C(O)OCH₂CH₂(piperaziny), -C(O)OCH₂CH₂(piperidiny),
 -C(O)OCH₂CH₂(pyrrolidiny), -CH₂(cyclopropyl), -CH₂(dioxotetrahydrothiopyranyl),
 -CH₂(imidazolyl), -CH₂(isoxazolyl), -CH₂(morpholinyl), -CH₂(oxadiazolyl),
 -CH₂(oxazolyl), -CH₂(oxetanyl), -CH₂(phenyl), -CH₂(pyraziny), -CH₂(pyrazolyl),
 25 -CH₂(pyridaziny), -CH₂(pyrimidiny), -CH₂(tetrazolyl), -CH₂(thiadiazolyl),
 -CH₂(thiazolyl), -CH₂(triazolonyl), -CH₂(triazolyl), -CH(CH₃)(pyrazolyl),
 -CH(CH₃)(pyridaziny), -CH(CH₃)(pyrimidiny), -CH₂CH₂(dioxoisothiazolidiny),
 -CH(CN)(oxetanyl), -CH(CH₃)CH₂S(O)₂(morpholinyl),

- $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{piperidinyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{morpholinyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(2\text{-oxa-6-azaspiro}[3.3]\text{heptanyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{azetidiny})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{dioxidothiadiazinanyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{dioxidothiazolidinyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{dioxidothiomorpholinyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{dioxothiomorpholinyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(2\text{-oxa-6-azaspiro}[3.3]\text{heptanyl})$,
5 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{piperazinonyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{piperazinyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{piperidinyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{pyrrolidinyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NHCH}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH})(\text{cyclopropyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OH})(\text{cyclopropyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)(\text{cyclopropyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)(\text{tetrahydrofuranly})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)(\text{tetrahydropyranyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2(\text{cyclopentyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2(\text{pyrazolyl})$,
10 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}(\text{azetidiny})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}(\text{CH}_2(\text{oxetanyl}))$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}(\text{cyclobutyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}(\text{cyclopropyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}(\text{oxetanyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}(\text{tetrahydropyranyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{morpholinyl})$, or $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{phenyl})$;
m is zero, 1, 2, or 3;
n is zero; and
15 p is zero, 1 or 2.

4. The compound according to claim 1 or a salt thereof, wherein:

R_1 is $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$;

each R_2 is independently $-\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{OCH}_3$, or $-\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3$;

- 20 R_3 is H, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$, $-\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CN}$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CN}$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CN}$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{OH}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)_2$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{OH}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CN}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CN}$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{NH}(\text{CH}_3)$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{NH}(\text{CH}_3)$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)_2$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{NHCH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{NHC}(\text{CH}_3)_3$,
25 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{OCH}_3$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}_2$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}(\text{CH}_3)$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}(\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)_2)$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)_2$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_3)_2$,

- $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{CH}_3$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{S}(\text{O})_2\text{NH}_2$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}(\text{cyclobutyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}(\text{cyclopropyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{NH}(\text{methyloxetanyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})\text{N}(\text{CH}_3)(\text{cyclopropyl})$, oxetanyl, tetrahydropyranyl,
dioxotetrahydrothiopyranyl, $-\text{CH}_2(\text{oxazolyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2(\text{pyrazolyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2(\text{tetrazolyl})$,
5 $-\text{CH}_2(\text{triazolyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2(\text{methyltriazolyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(2\text{-oxa-6-azaspiro}[3.3]\text{heptanyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{azetidiny})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{dioxidothiadiazinanyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{dioxidothiomorpholinyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{morpholinyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{methoxyethylpiperazinyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{piperidinyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{hydroxypiperidinyl})$, $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{pyrrolidinyl})$,
10 $-\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{hydroxypyrrolidinyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{azetidiny})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{methylcyclopropyl})$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{methyloxetanyl})$, or $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CH}_2(\text{morpholinyl})$;
m is zero;
n is zero; and
p is zero, 1 or 2.
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5. The compound according to claim 1 or a salt thereof, wherein:
 R_3 is $-\text{L}_1-\text{A}$.
6. The compound according to claim 1 or a salt thereof, wherein: R_3 is H, C_{1-6} alkyl, C_{1-3}
20 fluoroalkyl, C_{1-3} cyanoalkyl, C_{1-6} hydroxyalkyl, C_{1-3} hydroxy-fluoroalkyl,
 $-\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{CR}_x(\text{OH})\text{CR}_x=\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-4}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-4}\text{O}(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-3}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3}$
alkyl), $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-3}\text{S}(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-(\text{CH}_2)_{1-}$
 $3\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OC}(\text{CH}_3)_3$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-3}\text{NR}_x\text{R}_y$, $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-3}\text{NR}_x(\text{C}_{1-4} \text{ hydroxyalkyl})$,
 $-\text{CH}_2\text{CH}(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2\text{NR}_x\text{R}_y$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{H}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-6} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ hydroxyalkyl})$,
25 $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ fluoroalkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ chloroalkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ cyanoalkyl})$,
 $-(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-3}\text{C}(\text{O})\text{OH}$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CH}_2)_{0-2}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-4} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-2}\text{O}(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{1-2}\text{O}(\text{C}_{1-3}$
alkyl), $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{NR}_x\text{S}(\text{O})_2(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$,
 $-\text{C}(\text{O})\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x\text{OC}(\text{O})(\text{C}_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-3}\text{NR}_y\text{R}_y$, $-\text{C}(\text{O})(\text{CR}_x\text{R}_x)_{0-1}\text{NR}_x(\text{C}_{1-3}$

cyanoalkyl), $-C(O)(CR_xR_x)_{0-2}NR_y(C_{1-6} \text{ hydroxyalkyl})$, $-C(O)(CR_xR_x)_{0-1}NR_x(C_{1-3} \text{ fluoroalkyl})$, $-C(O)(CR_xR_x)_{0-1}NR_x(C_{1-5} \text{ hydroxy-fluoroalkyl})$, $-C(O)(CR_xR_x)_{0-1}NR_x(CH_2)_{1-2}O(C_{1-3} \text{ hydroxyalkyl})$, $-C(O)(CR_xR_x)_{0-1}NR_x(CH_2)_{1-2}NR_xC(O)(C_{1-2} \text{ alkyl})$, $-C(O)(CR_xR_x)_{0-1}NR_x((CR_xR_x)_{1-2}O(C_{1-2} \text{ alkyl}))$, $-C(O)CR_x(NH_2)(CR_xR_x)_{1-4}NR_xR_x$,
5 $-C(O)CR_x(NH_2)(CR_xR_x)_{1-4}NR_xC(O)NR_xR_x$, $-C(O)(CR_xR_x)_{0-3}NR_x(CH_2)_{0-1}C(O)(C_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-C(O)(CR_xR_x)_{0-1}NR_x(CH_2)_{0-1}C(O)(C_{1-3} \text{ cyanoalkyl})$, $-C(O)(CR_xR_x)_{0-1}NR_x(CH_2)_{1-2}C(O)NR_yR_y$, $-C(O)(CR_xR_x)_{0-1}NR_x(CHR_y(CH_2OH))$, $-(CR_xR_x)_{1-2}C(O)NR_yR_y$, $-(CR_xR_x)_{1-2}C(O)NR_y(C_{1-3} \text{ fluoroalkyl})$, $-(CR_xR_x)_{1-2}C(O)NR_y(C_{1-4} \text{ hydroxyalkyl})$, $-(CR_xR_x)_{1-2}C(O)NR_y(C_{1-3} \text{ cyanoalkyl})$, $-(CR_xR_x)_{1-2}C(O)NR_x(CH_2)_{1-2}O(C_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$,
10 $-(CR_xR_x)_{1-2}C(O)NR_xCH(C_{1-4} \text{ alkyl})(C_{1-3} \text{ hydroxyalkyl})$, $-(CH_2)_{1-2}C(O)NR_x(CH_2)_{1-2}C(O)NR_xR_x$, $-(CH_2)_{1-2}C(O)NR_x(CH_2)_{1-2}S(O)_2OH$, $-(CH_2)_{1-2}C(O)NR_x(CH_2)_{1-2}NR_xC(O)(C_{1-3} \text{ alkyl})$, $-(CH_2)_{1-2}C(O)NR_x(CH_2)_{1-3}NR_xR_x$, $-(CH_2)_{1-2}C(O)N(CH_2CH_3)(CH_2)_{1-3}NR_xR_x$, $-(CH_2)_{0-2}S(O)_2(C_{1-4} \text{ alkyl})$, $-(CH_2)_{0-2}S(O)_2(C_{1-3} \text{ fluoroalkyl})$, $-(CH_2)_{0-2}S(O)_2NR_xR_x$, $-C(O)C(O)OH$, $-C(O)C(O)NR_yR_y$, or
15 $-C(O)C(O)NR_y(CR_xR_x)_{1-2}NR_yR_y$.

7. The compound according to claim 1 or a salt thereof, wherein:

R_1 is $-CH(CH_3)_2$;

each R_2 is independently selected from $-CH_3$ or $-OCH_3$;

20 R_3 is H, $-CH_2C(O)NH_2$, $-CH_2C(O)NH(CH_3)$, $-CH_2C(O)N(CH_3)_2$, or $-CH_2CH_2S(O)_2CH_3$;

m is zero;

n is zero; and

p is 1 or 2.

25 8. The compound according to claim 1 or a salt thereof, wherein:

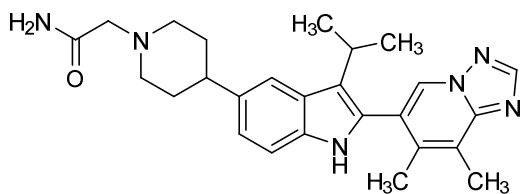
R_1 is $-CH(CH_3)_2$;

each R_2 is independently selected from F, Cl, $-CN$, $-CH_3$, or $-CF_3$;

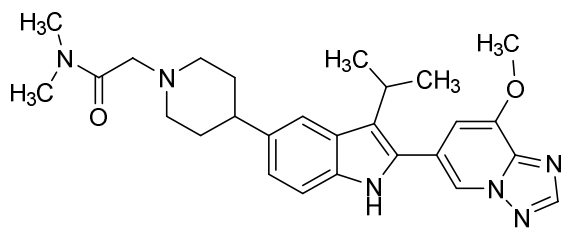
R_3 is $-CH_2CN$, $-CH_2C(CH_3)_2OH$, $-C(O)CH_2NH(CH_3)$, $-C(O)CH_2N(CH_3)_2$,

m is zero;
n is zero; and
p is 1 or 2.

9. The compound according to claim 1 or a salt thereof, wherein said compound is:



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11. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound according to any one of claims 1-10 or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt thereof; and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

12. A compound according to anyone of claims 1 to 10 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, or a composition according to claim 11 for use in therapy.

13. A compound according to any one of claims 1-10 or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt thereof, for use in therapy in treating autoimmune disease or chronic inflammatory disease.

14. The compound or pharmaceutically-acceptable salt thereof according to claim 13, wherein said autoimmune disease or chronic inflammatory disease is selected from systemic lupus erythematosus (SLE), rheumatoid arthritis, multiple sclerosis (MS), and Sjögren's syndrome.

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