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(57) Abstract: Provided herein are methods and compositions for treatment of a portal hypertension and cirrhosis by administering a of a caspase inhibitor alone or in combination with current treatments for portal hypertension. Also provided are methods and compositions for reducing the progression of the clinical complications associated with portal hypertension by administering the caspase inhibitors described herein.