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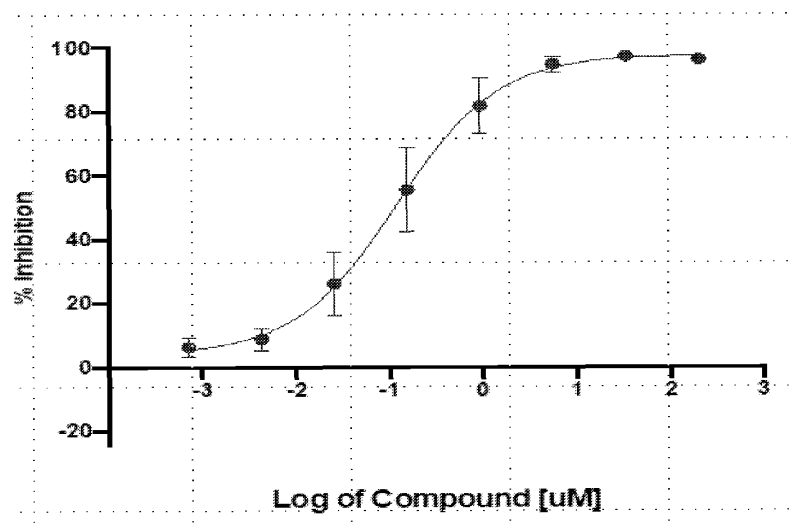


FIG. 7

(57) Abstract: Described herein are compounds and compositions for use in treatment or prevention of an inflammatory bowel disease, gastrointestinal cancer, or a systemic bacterial infection in a subject in need thereof. The subject may be colonized by one or more pathogenic bacterial strains such as *B. fragilis*, *E. faecalis*, or *C. perfringens*. In certain aspects, the disclosure provides a method of diminishing the pathogenic effects of these bacterial strains by administering a compound that binds to and/or inhibits one or more toxins produced thereby.

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