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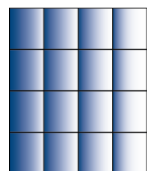
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# Diversity Oriented Synthesis of Low Molecular Weight Acyclic and Heterocyclic Compounds from Resin-bound Polyamides: Application for Drug Discovery

Adel Nefzi

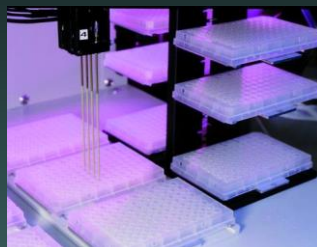
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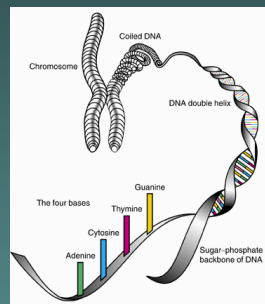
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# Drug discovery and development

High-throughput screening (HTS)



The mapping of the human genome  
(30,000 genes: therapeutic targets)  
Bioinformatics



Need for new Compounds

- Natural Products
- Synthetic Products

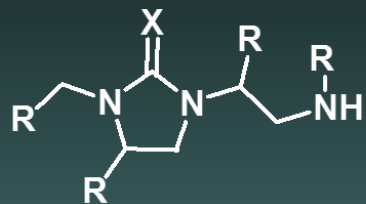
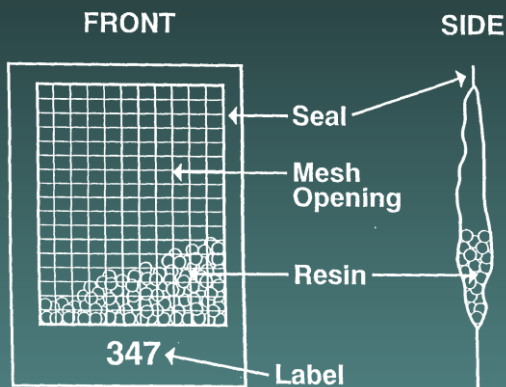


## Combinatorial Chemistry

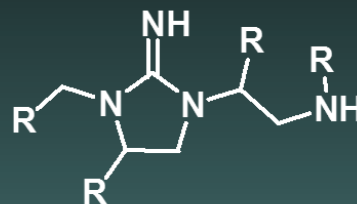
- . Solid Phase Organic Synthesis
- . Parallel Synthesis
- . Diversity Oriented Synthesis
- . Mixture based Libraries

Computational Chemistry (Virtual Screening)

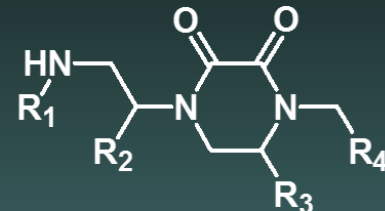
# Solid Phase Synthesis of Heterocyclic Compounds from Modified Resin-Bound Peptides



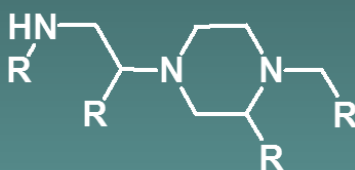
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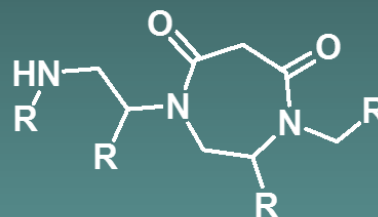
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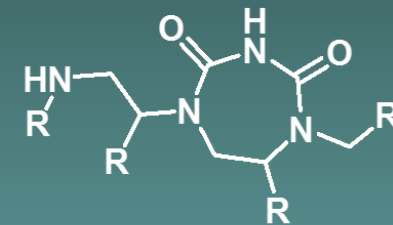
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Piperazines

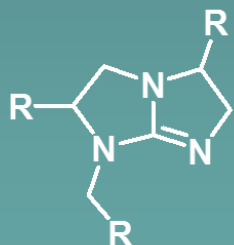
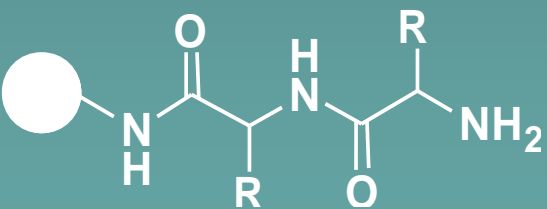


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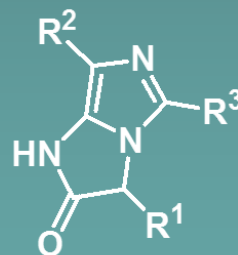


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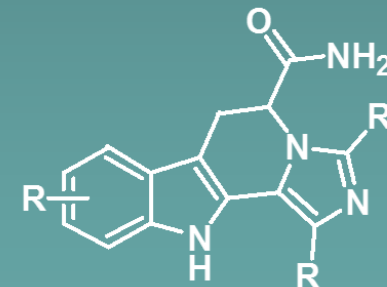
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Bicyclic guanidines

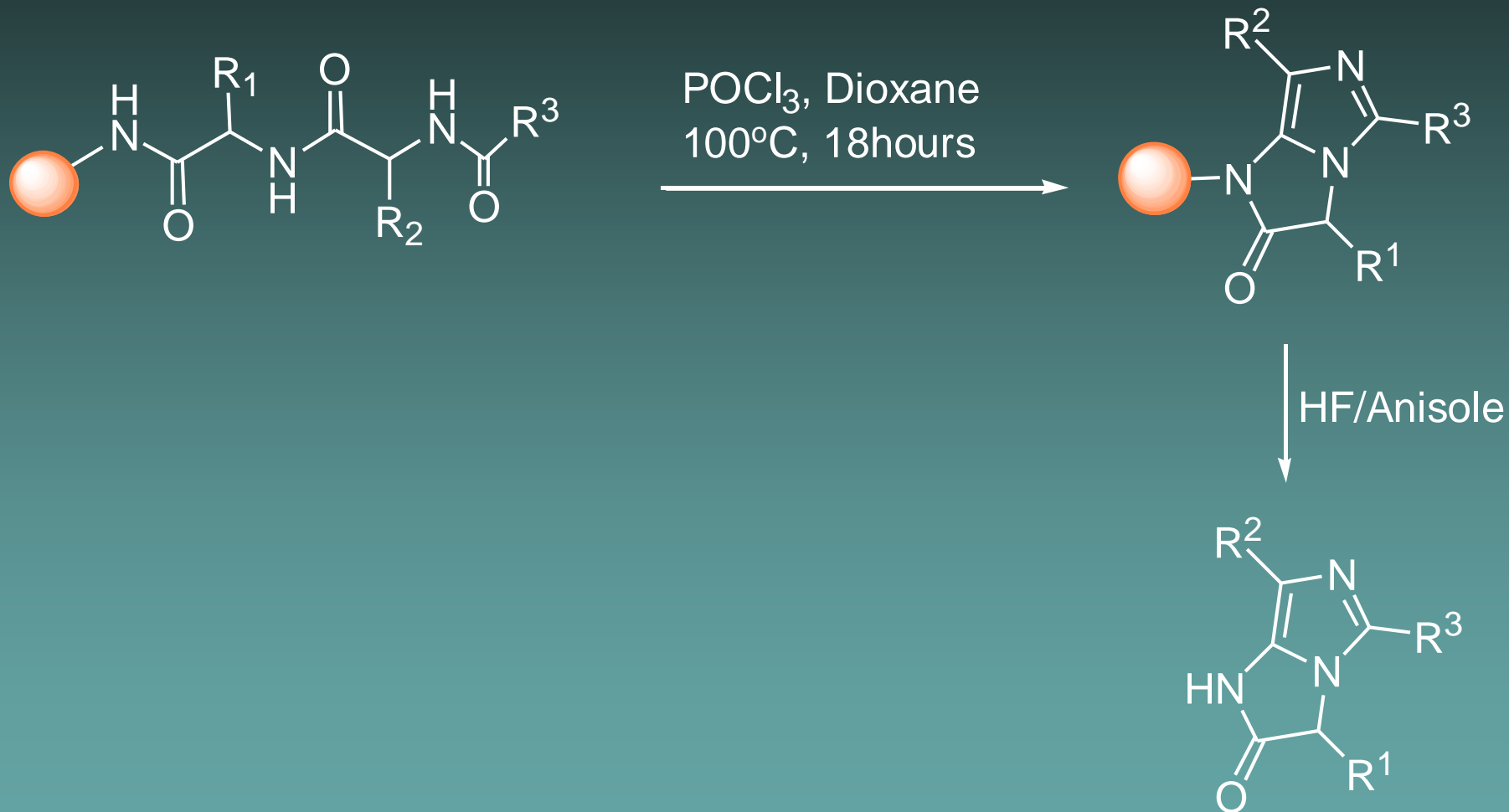


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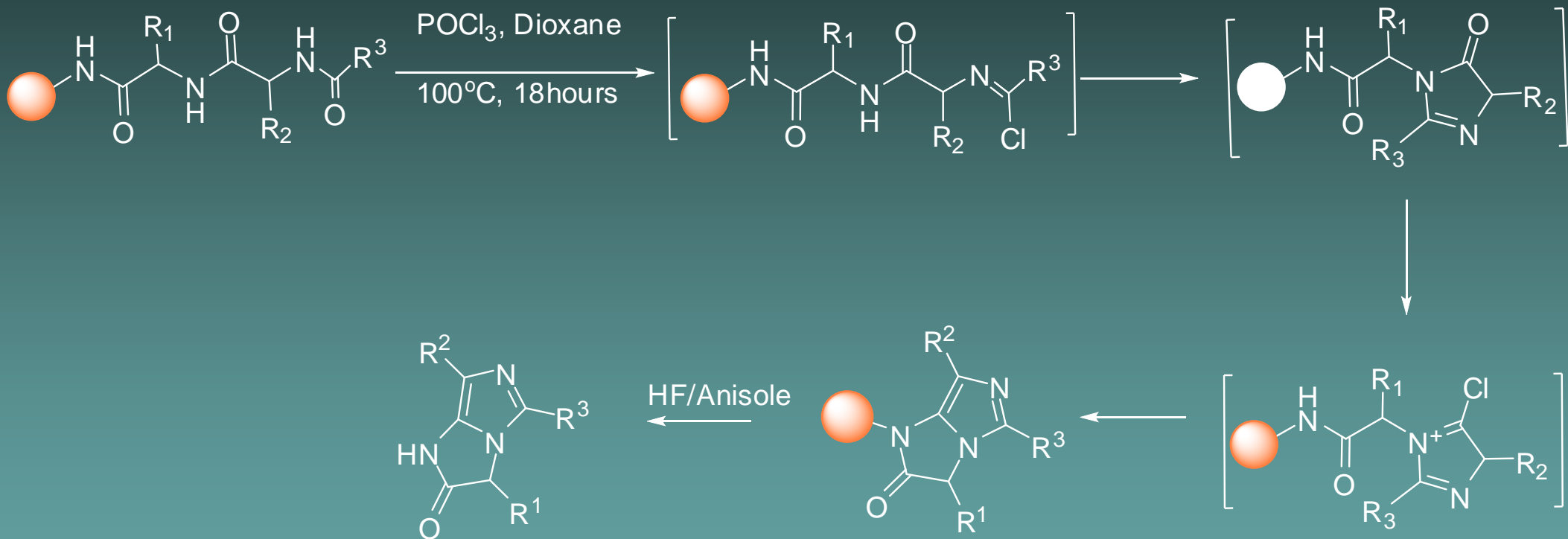


Indole-pyrido-imidazoles

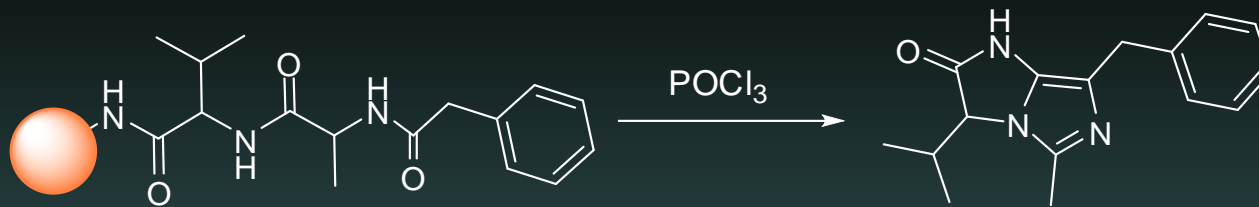
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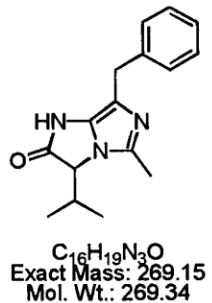
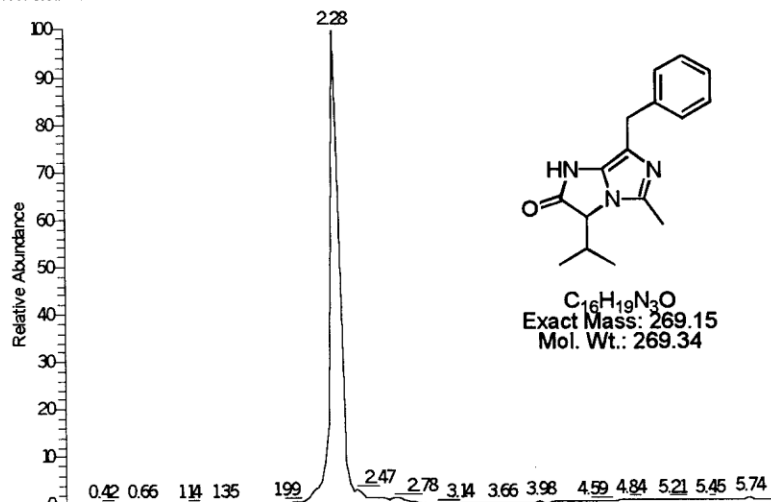
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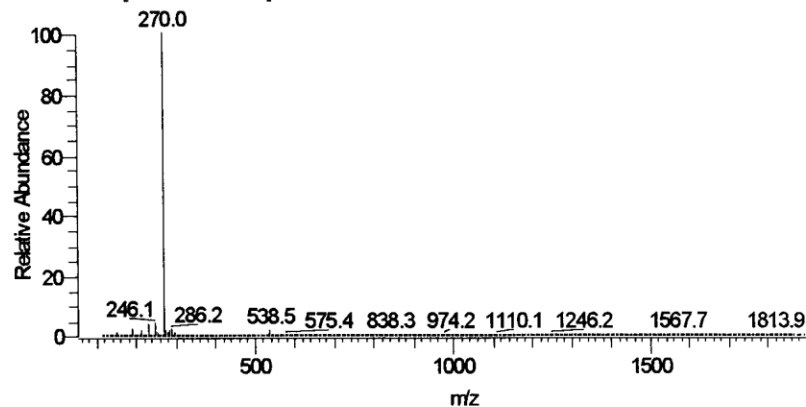
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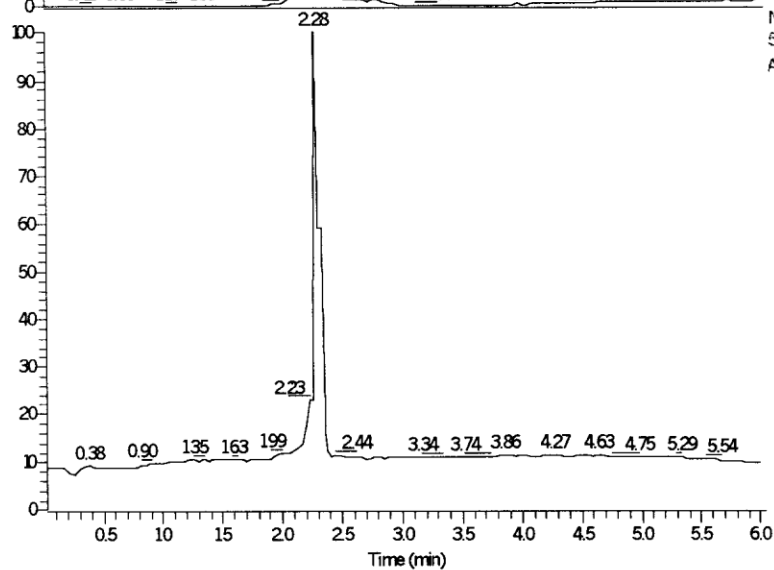
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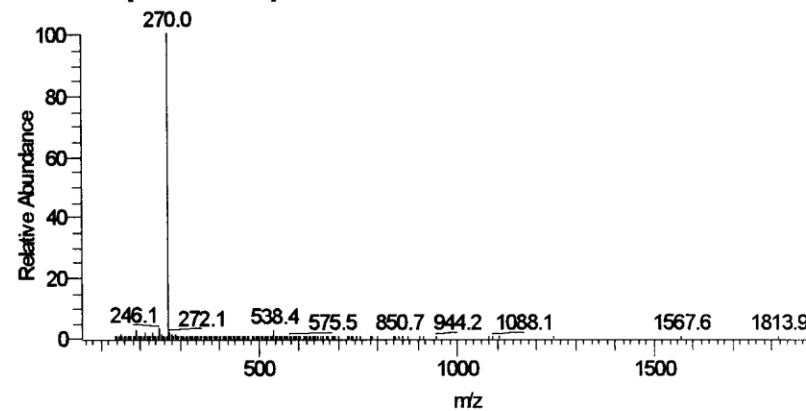
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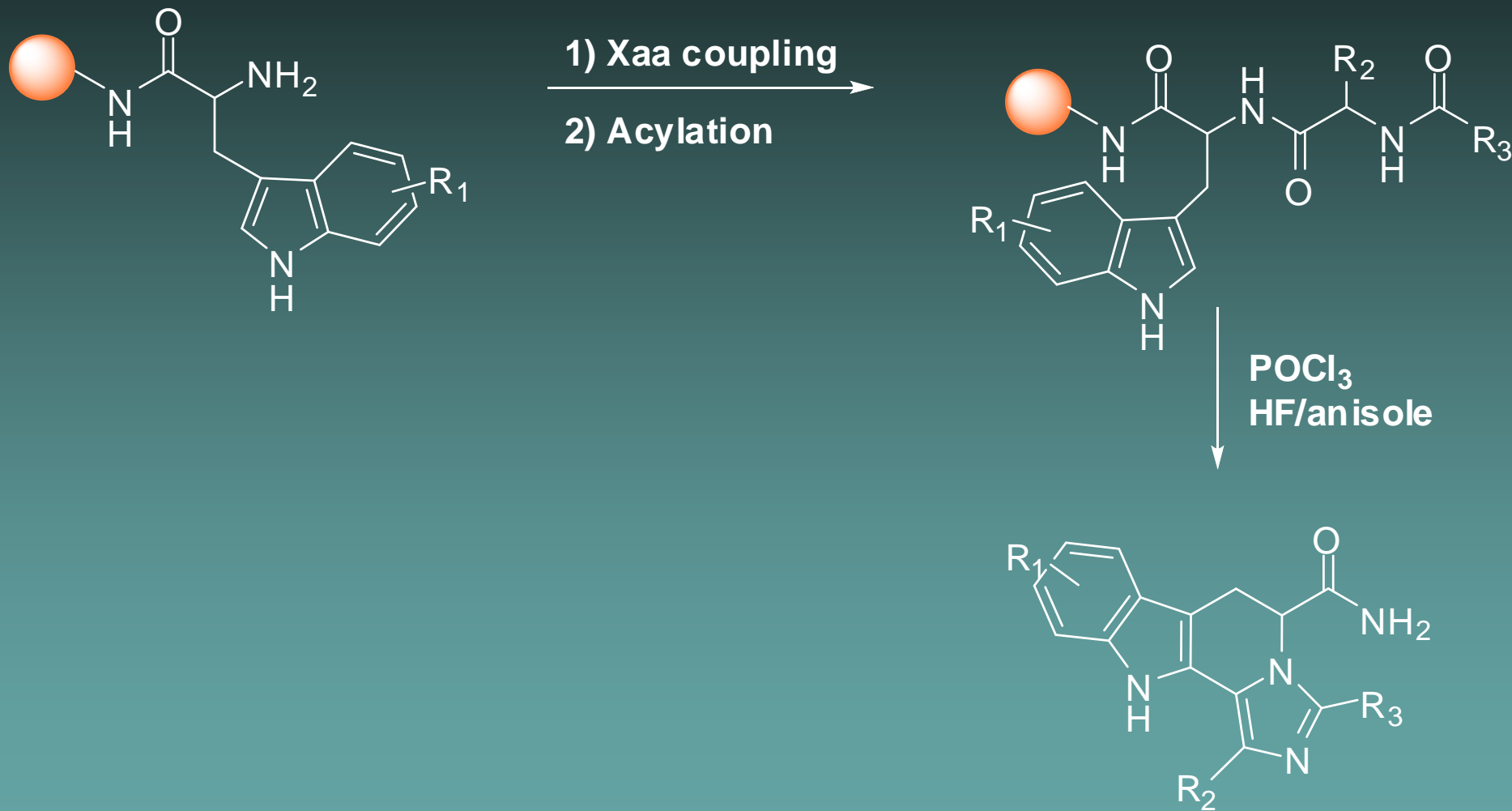


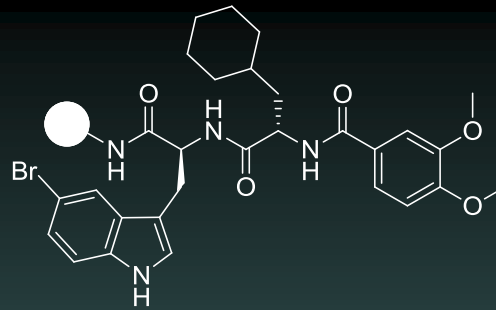
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# Solid-Phase Synthesis of Fused Tricyclic Imidazopyridoindole

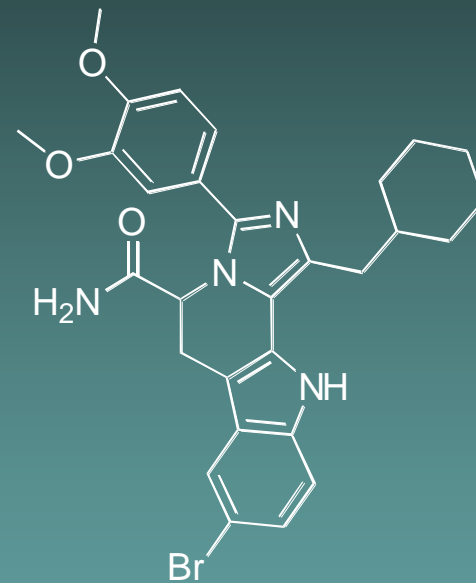
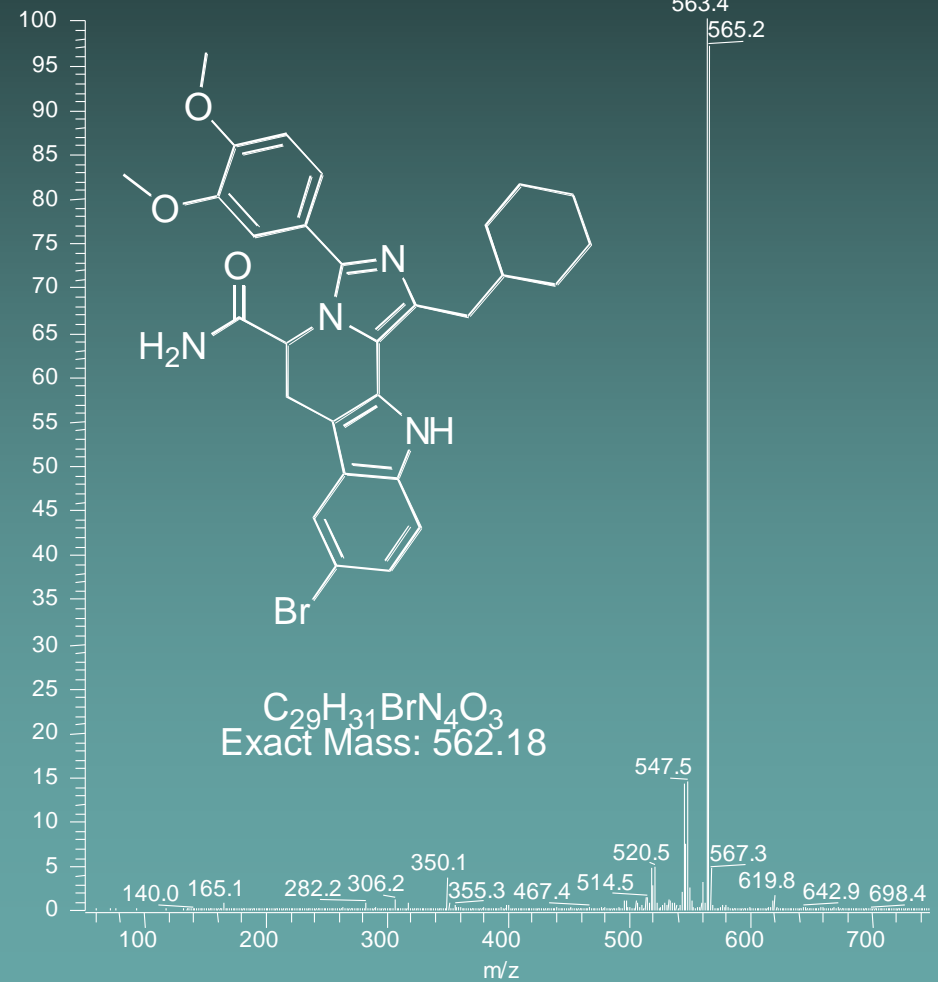
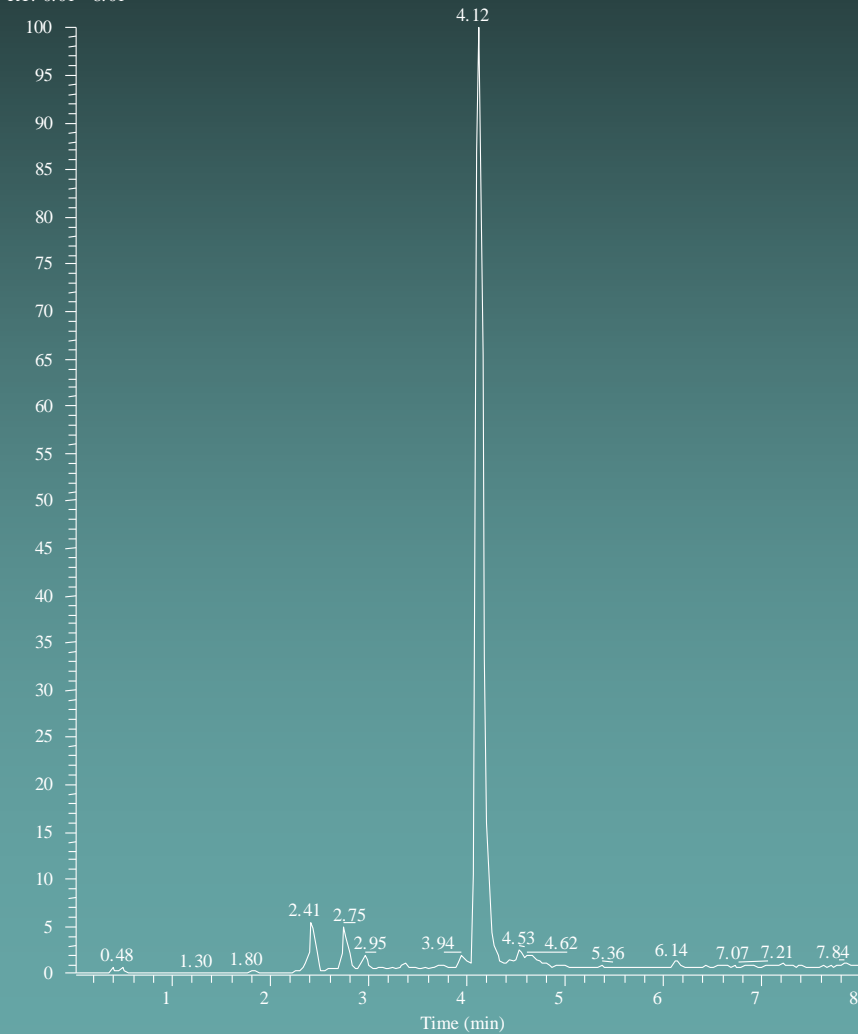




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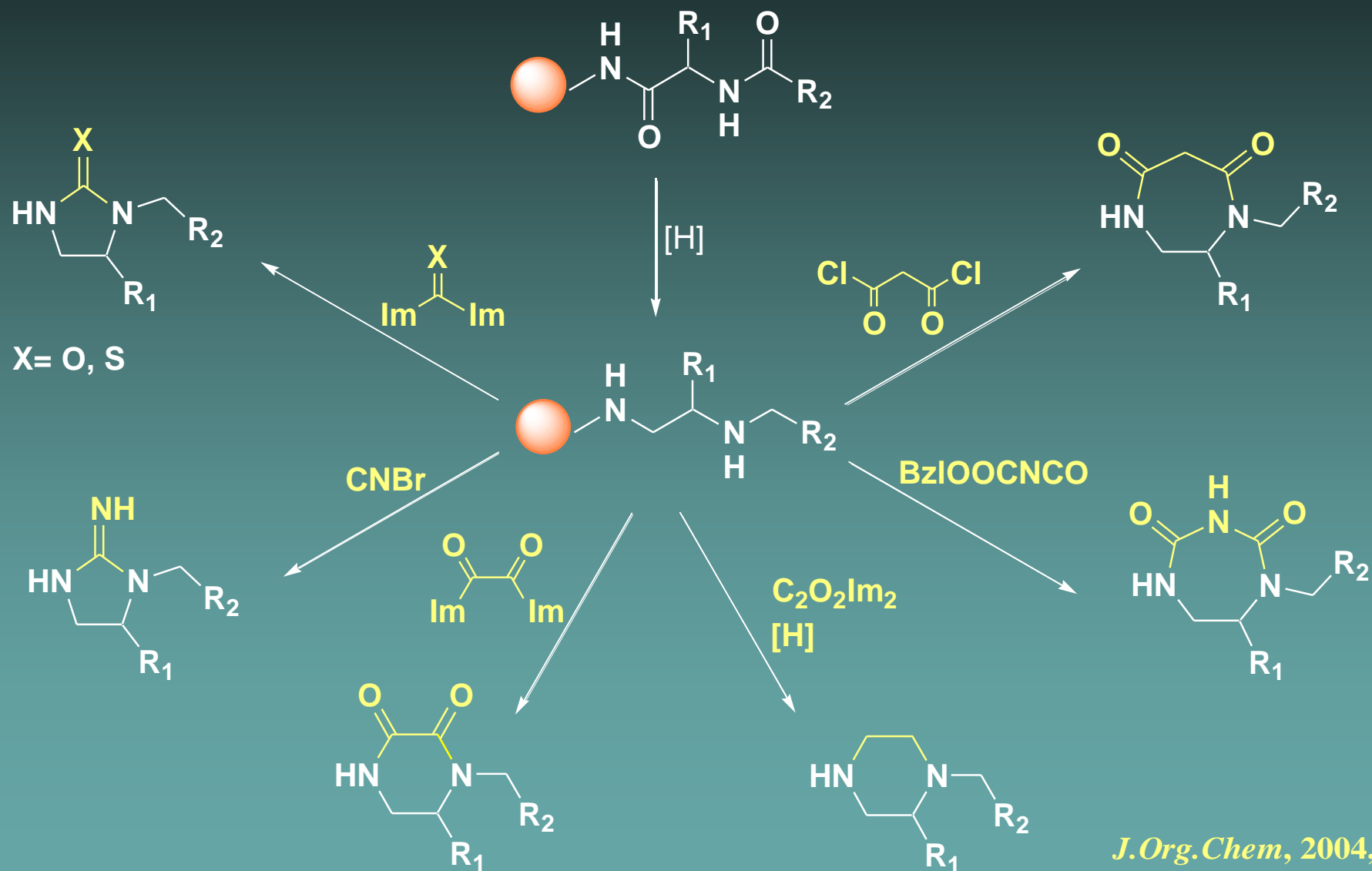
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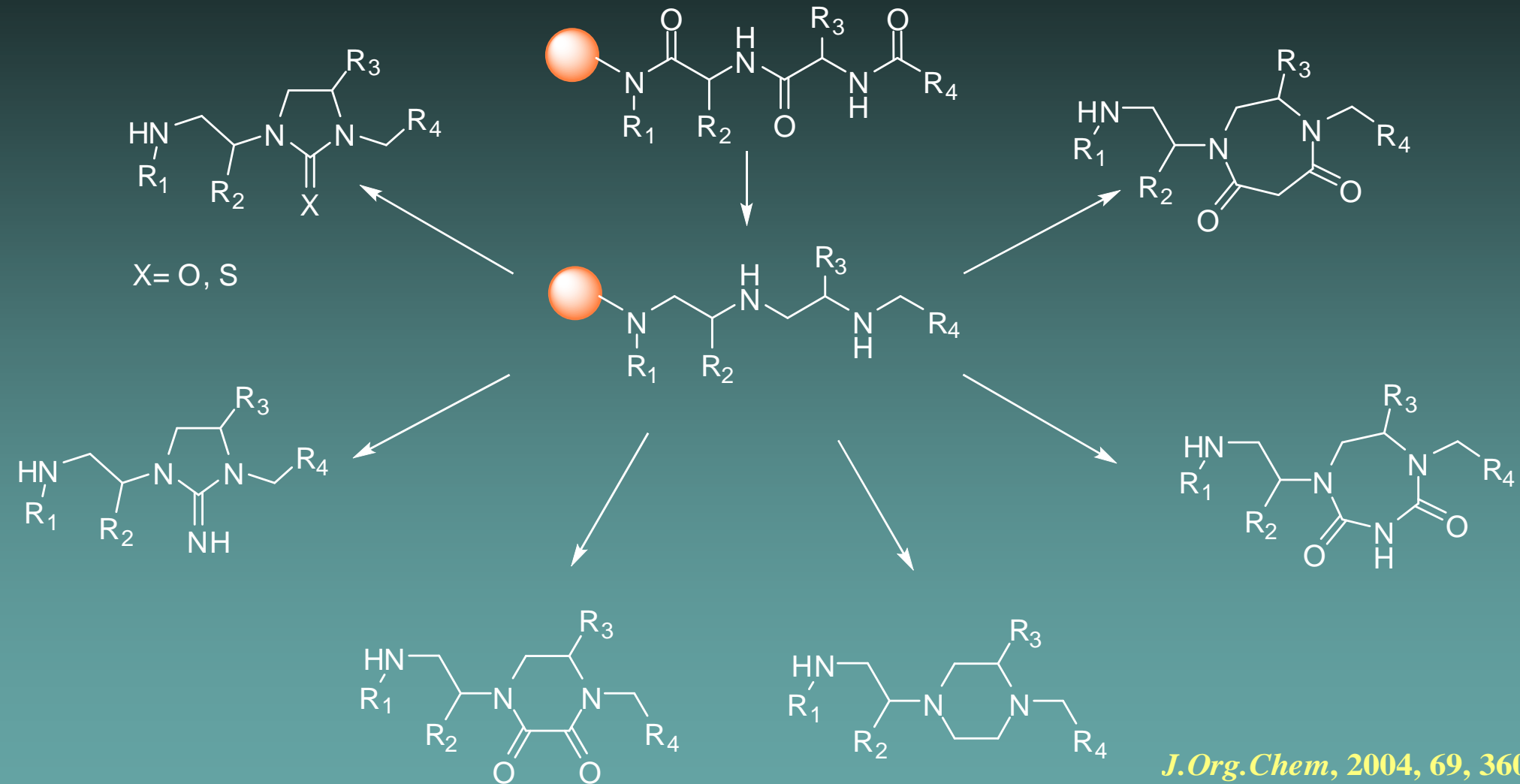


$C_{29}H_{31}BrN_4O_3$   
Exact Mass: 562.18

# Solid-Phase Synthesis of Heterocyclic Compounds from Reduced Acylated Amino Acids

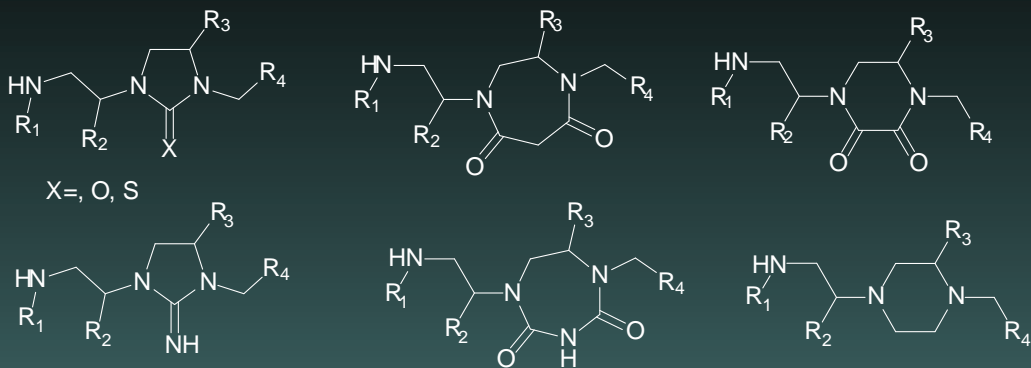


# Solid Phase Synthesis of Heterocyclic Compounds from Acylated Reduced Dipeptides

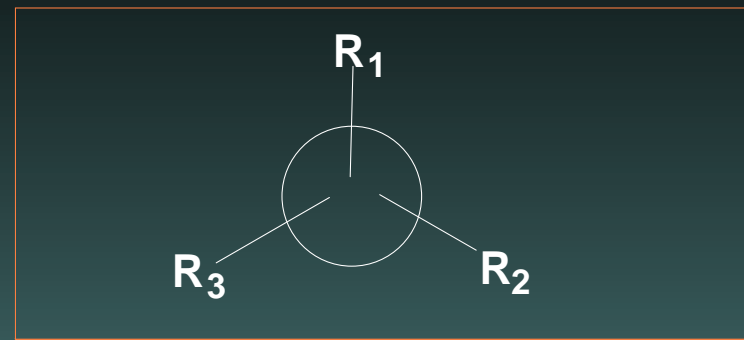


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Diversity of Scaffolds

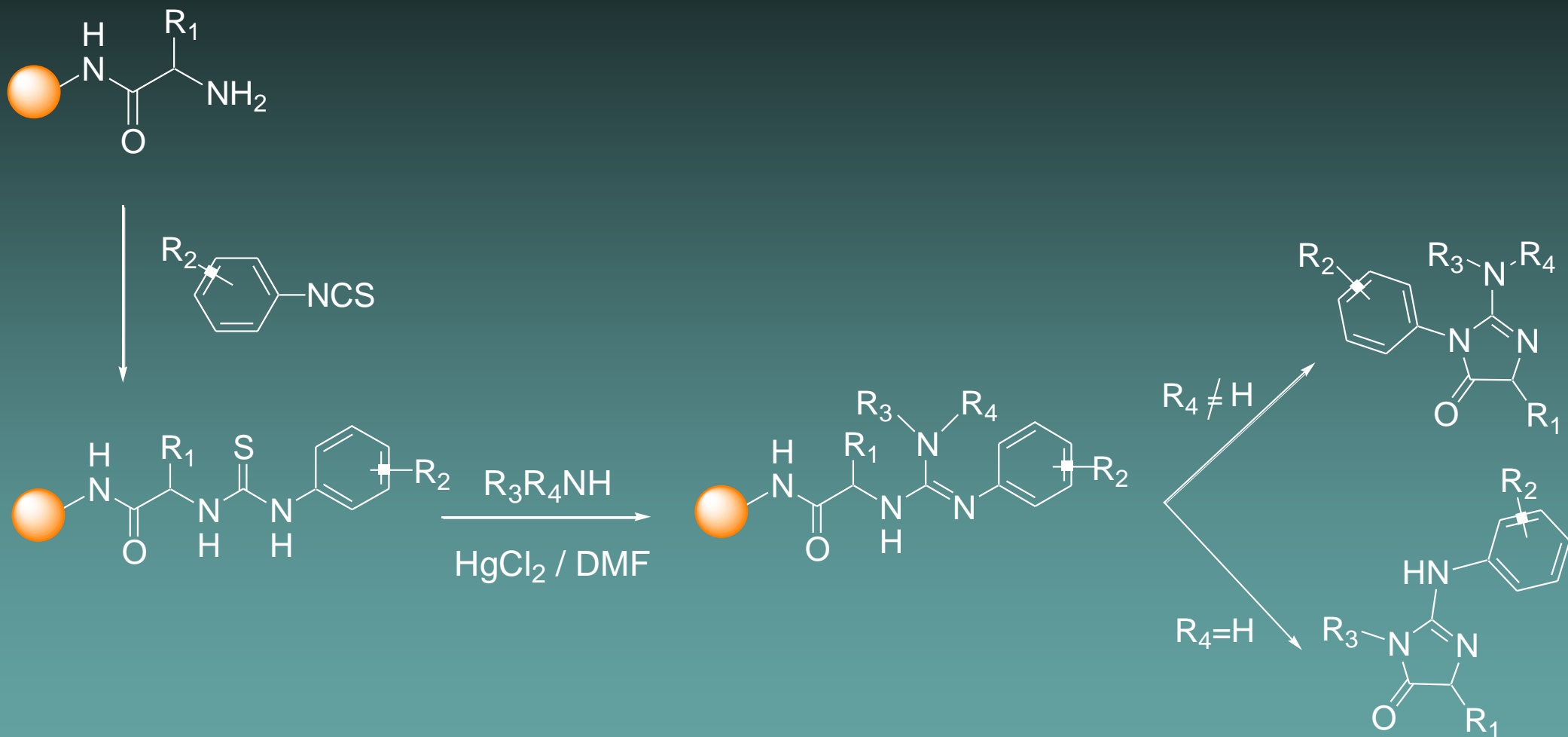


Diversity of Functional Groups around each Scaffold

Structure Activity Relationship

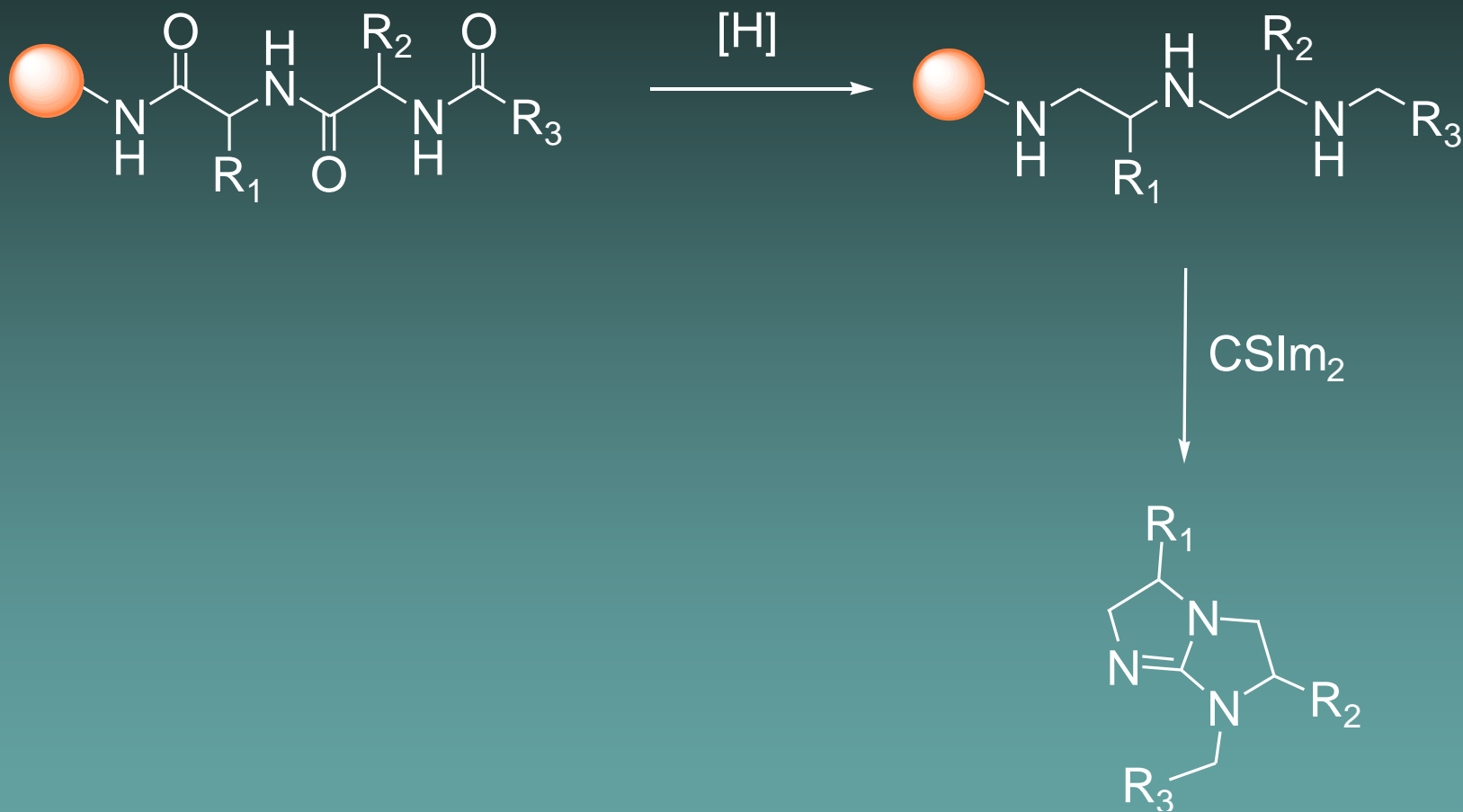
Optimal Scaffold Having Optimal Functional Groups

# Solid-Phase Synthesis of Trisubstituted Imidazolones

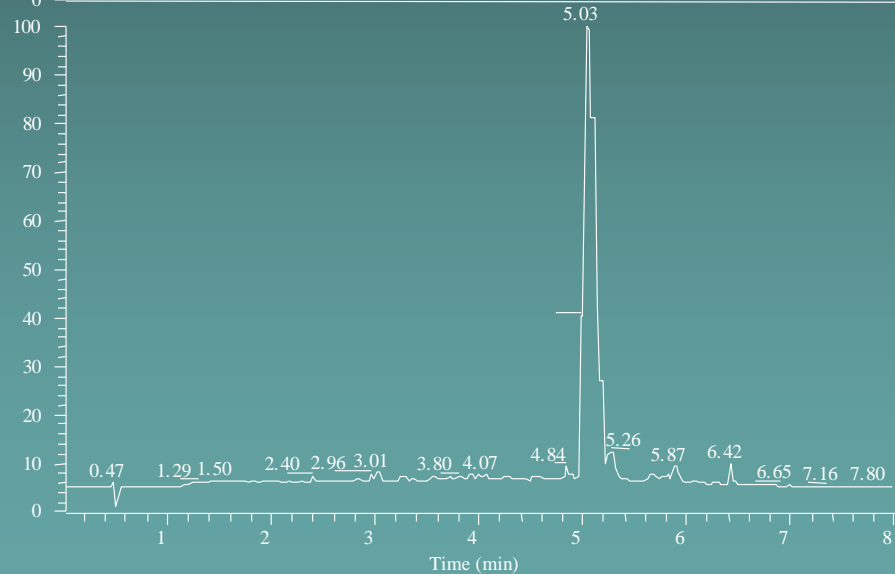
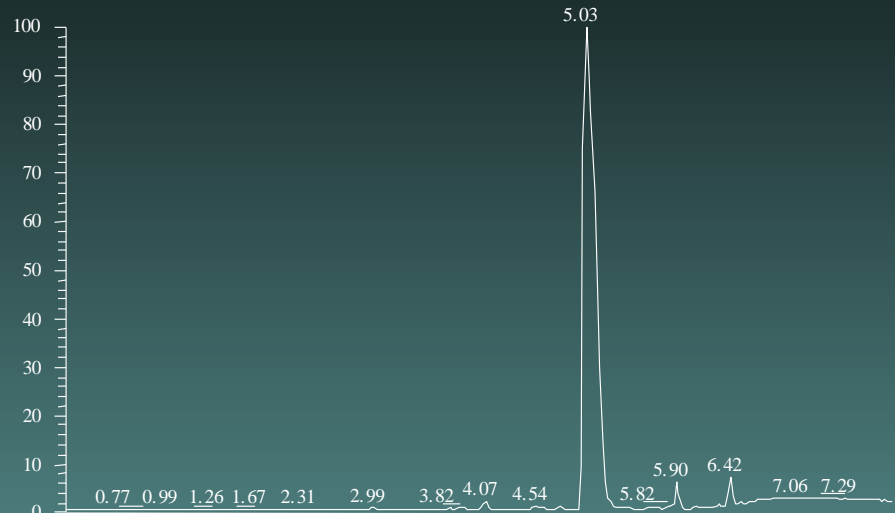


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Novel RORgamma antagonists for inflammation and  
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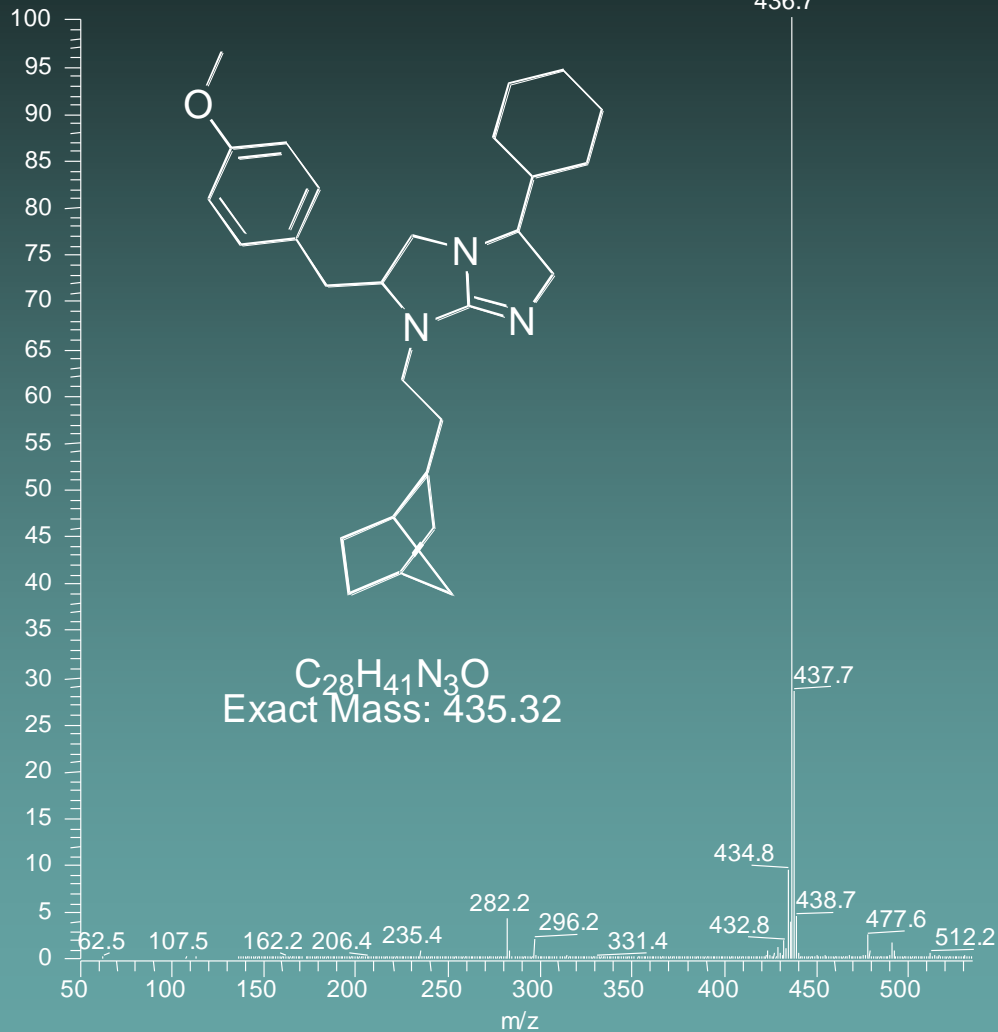
# Solid-Phase Synthesis of Trisubstituted Bicyclic Guanidines



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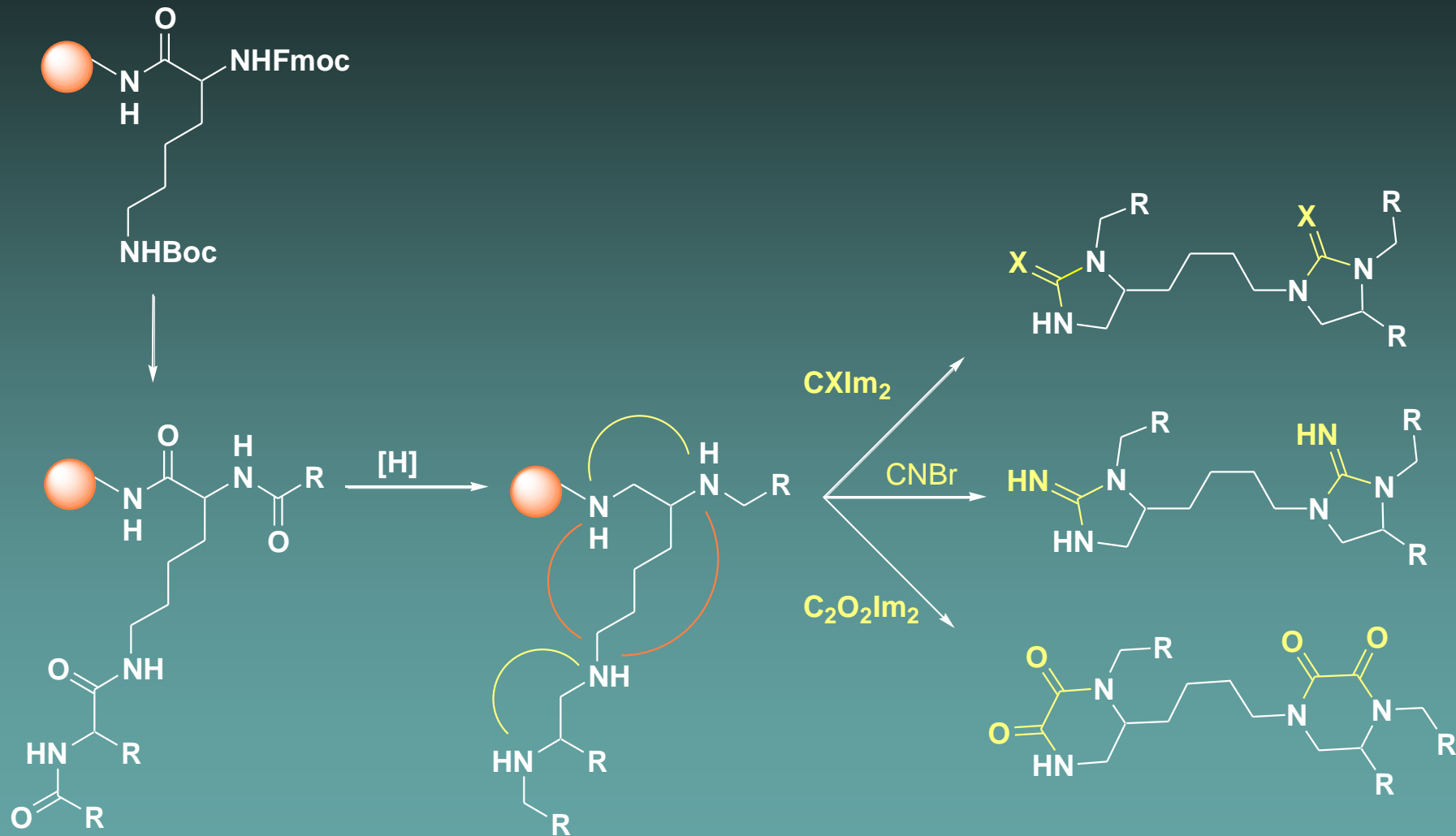


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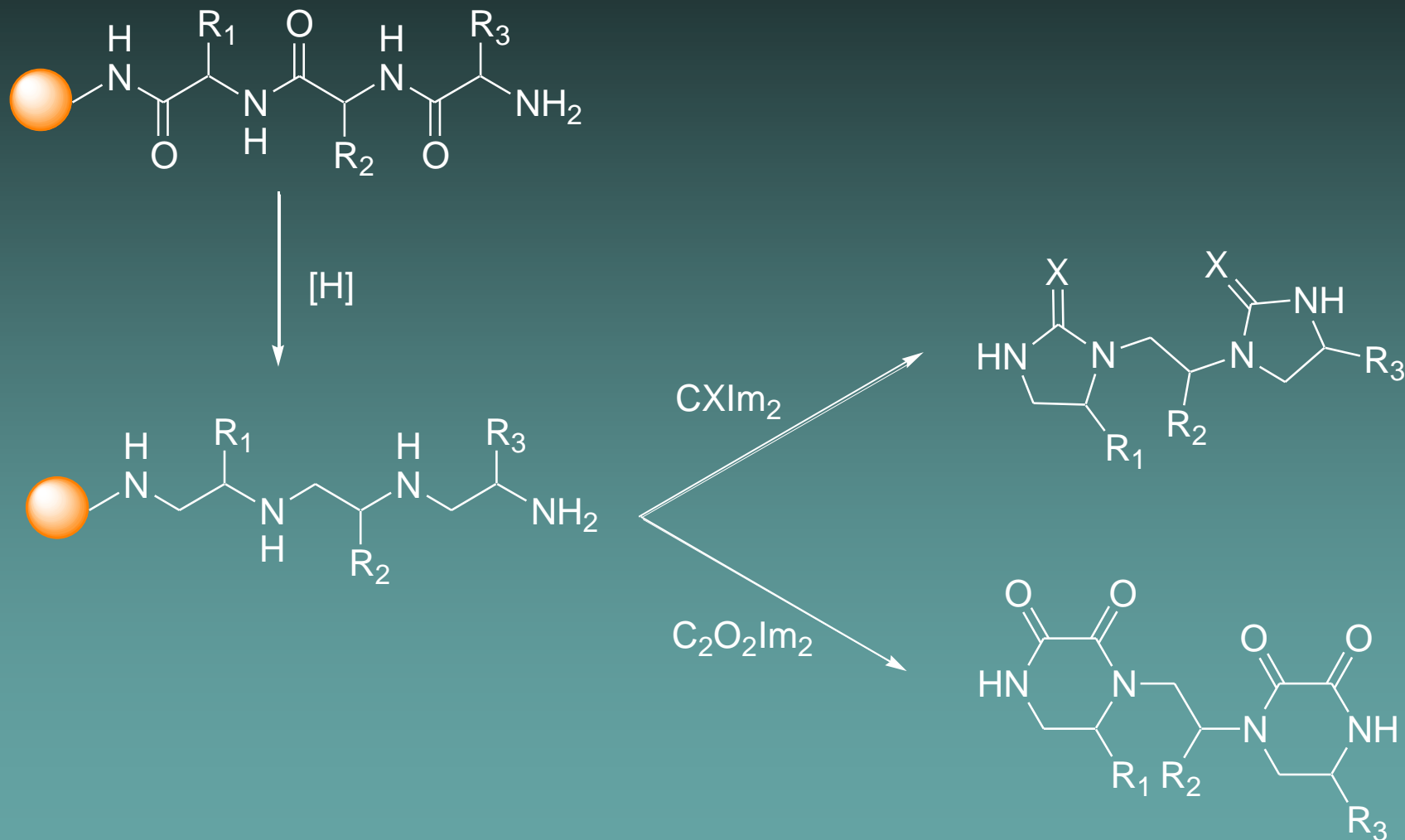




# Solid Phase Synthesis of Bis Heterocyclic Compounds from Resin Bound Orthogonally Protected Lysine

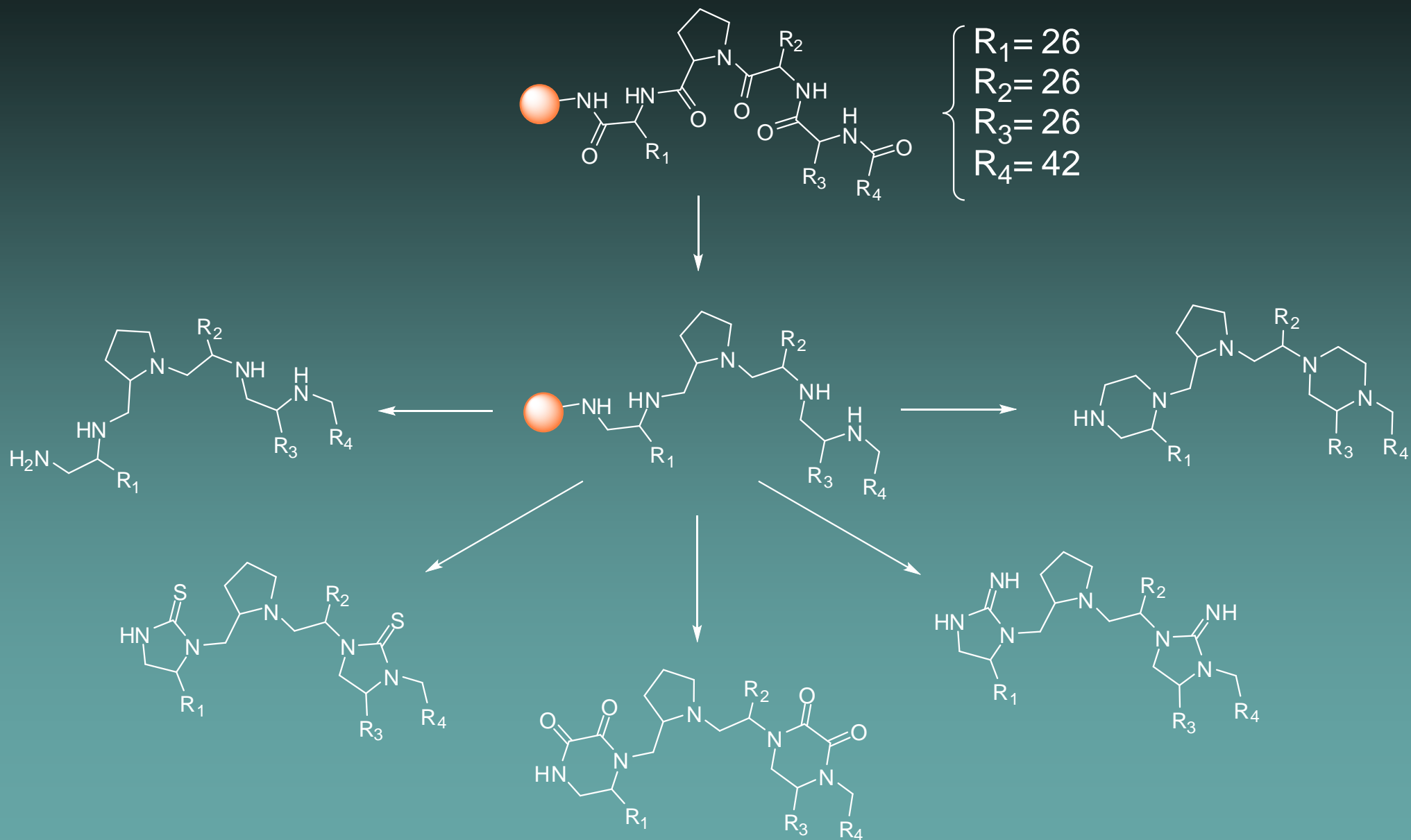


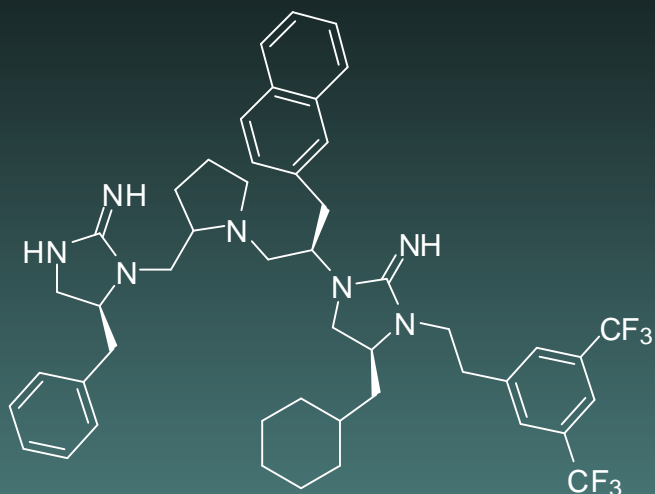
# Solid-Phase Synthesis of Bis Heterocyclic Compounds from Reduced Tripeptides



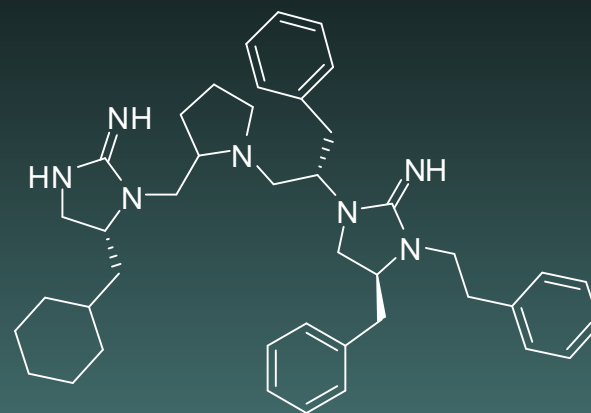
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# Pyrrolidine containing bis-heterocyclic compounds

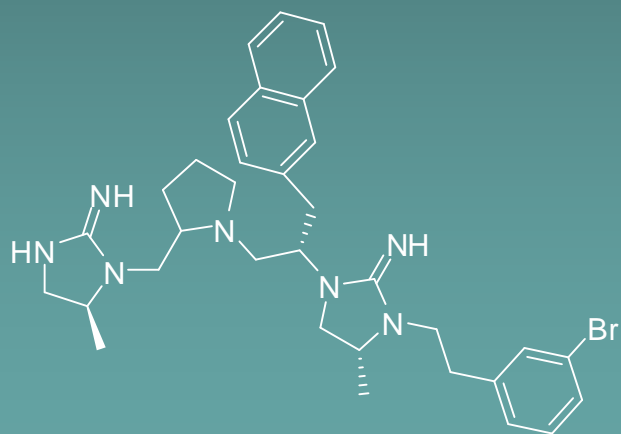




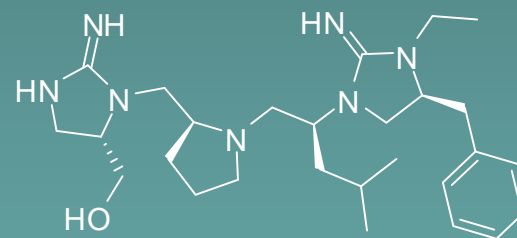
MRSA  
MIC < 2.5  $\mu\text{g}$



(Antitubercular)  
% inhibition: 95  
MIC = 2  $\mu\text{g/ml}$

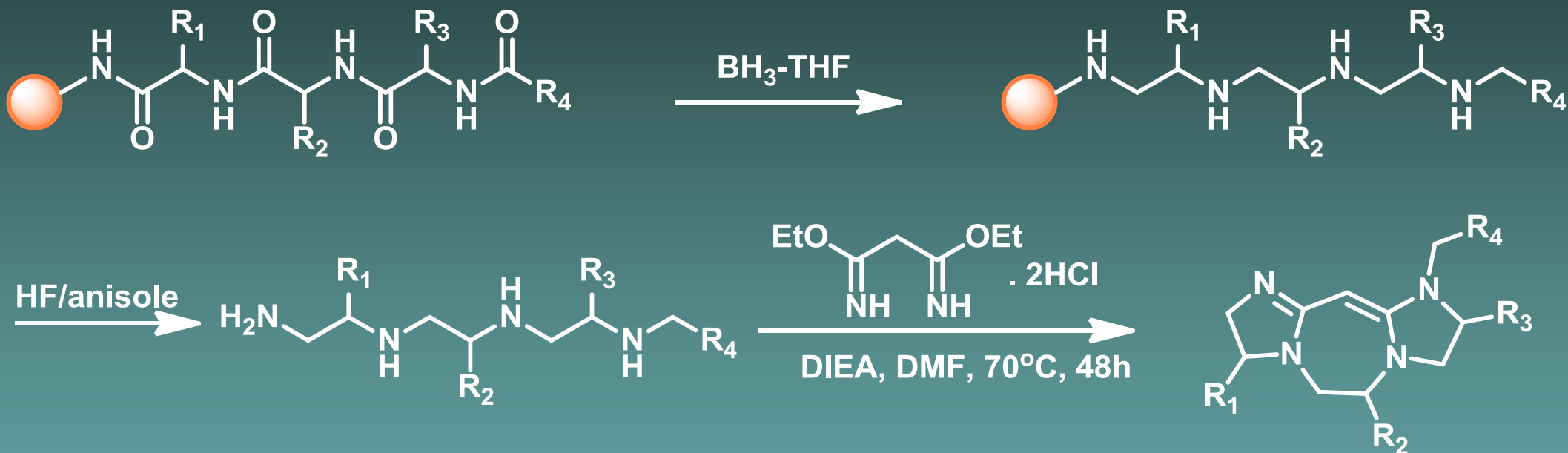


Mu opioid receptor binding activity  
79.3 nM



PTHrP inhibitor  
TPI1634-104

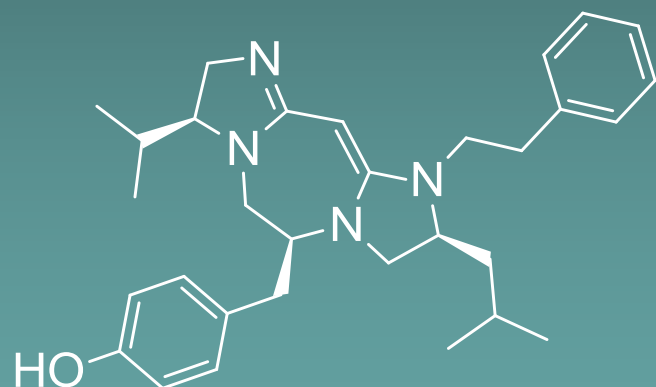
## Synthesis of hexahydro-diimidazo[1,2-d:1',2'-g][1,4]diazepines



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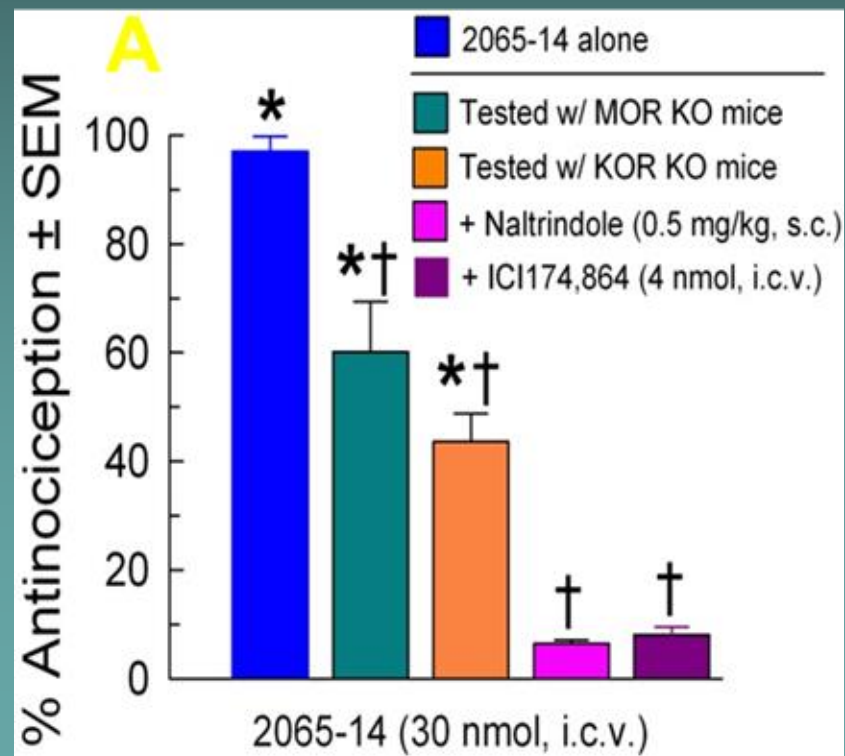
## Parallel Synthesis of Hexahydrodiimidazodiazepines Heterocyclic Peptidomimetics and Their in Vitro and in Vivo Activities at $\mu$ (MOR), $\delta$ (DOR), and $\kappa$ (KOR) Opioid Receptors

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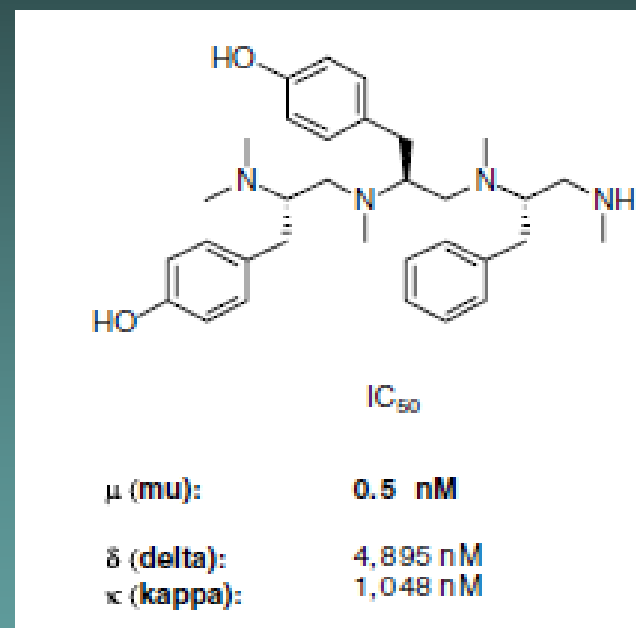
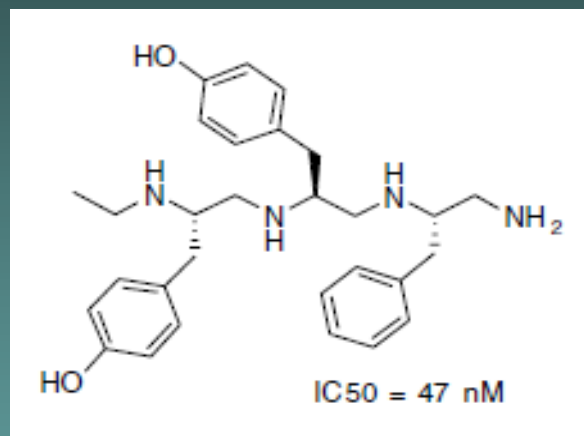
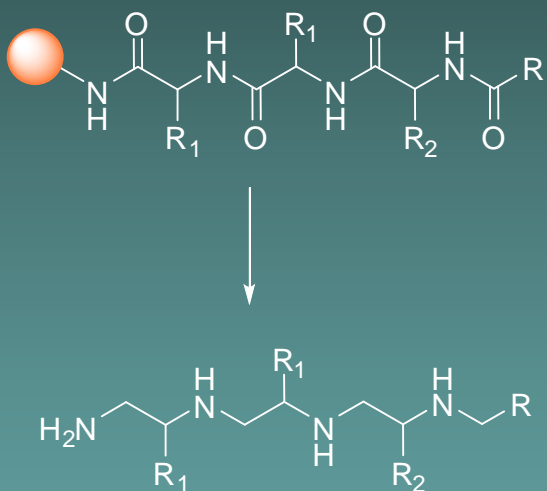


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$\mu$ =  $K_i$ :  $721 \pm 35$  nM  
 $\kappa$ =  $K_i$ :  $23 \pm 12$  nM  
 $\delta$ :  $K_i$ :  $32 \pm 6$  nM

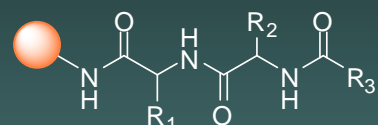


# Identification of potent and highly selective chiral tri-amine and tetra-amine $\mu$ receptors ligands

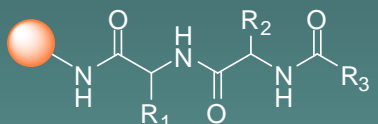


# Small-molecule XIAP inhibitors derepress downstream effector caspases and induce apoptosis of acute myeloid leukemia cells

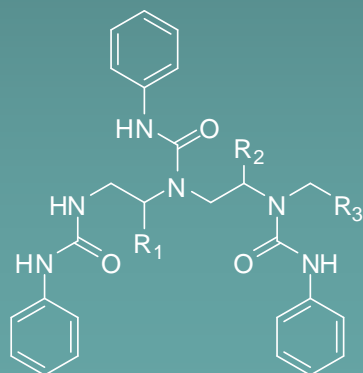
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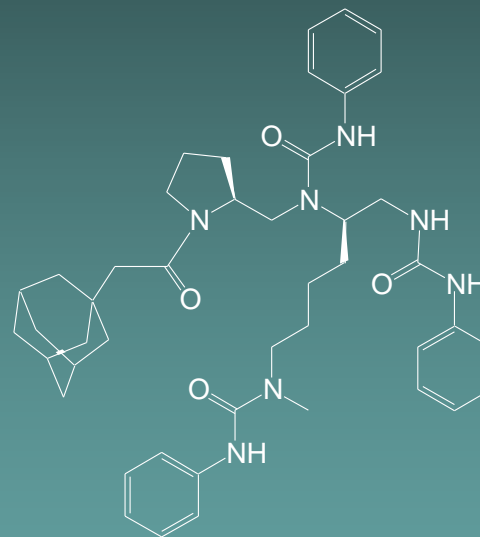
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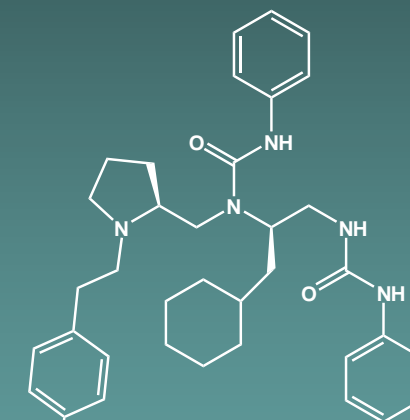
HF



89865 compounds  
135 mixtures



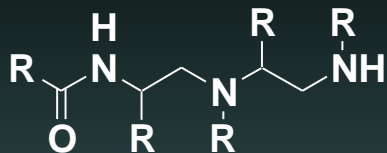
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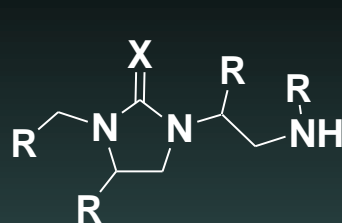
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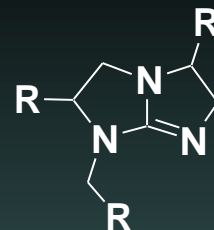
# Representative Small Molecular Libraries: Libraries for Probe, Hit and Lead Identification



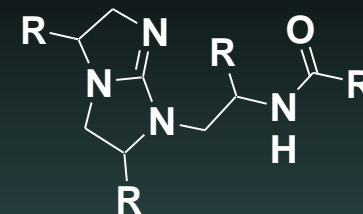
N-acyl triamines  
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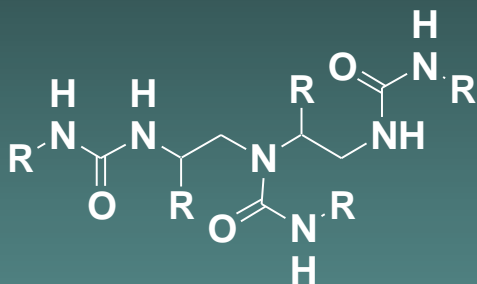
Cyclic ureas and thioureas  
(472,000; X= O, S)



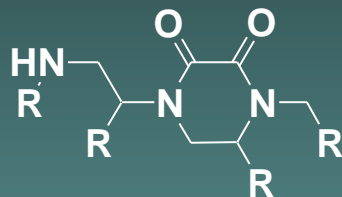
Bicyclic guanidines  
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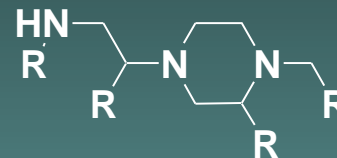
Acyl-bicyclic guanidines  
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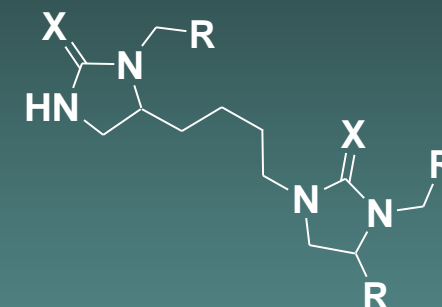
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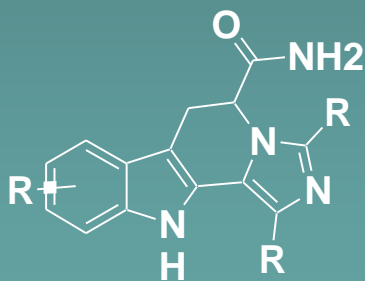
Diketopiperazines  
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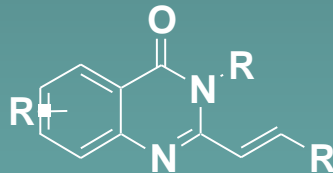
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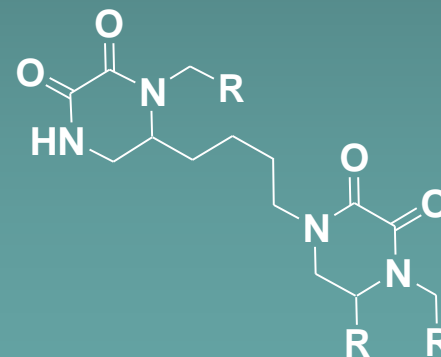
Bis-cyclic ureas and  
Bis-cyclic thioureas  
(72,000)



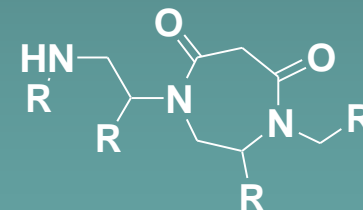
Indole-pyrido-imidazoles  
(45,000)



Styryl quinazolinones  
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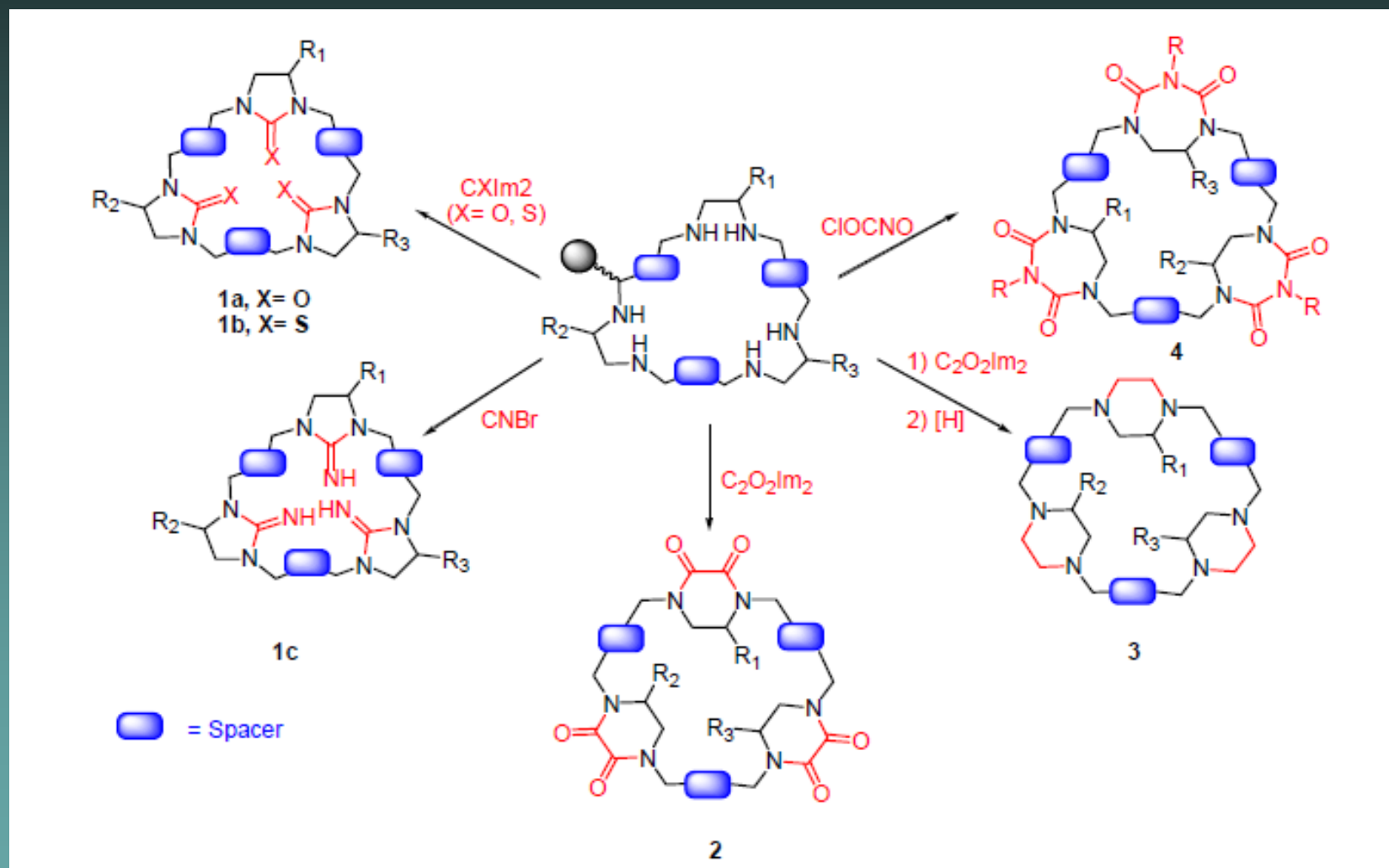
Bis-diketopiperazines  
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Diazepinediones  
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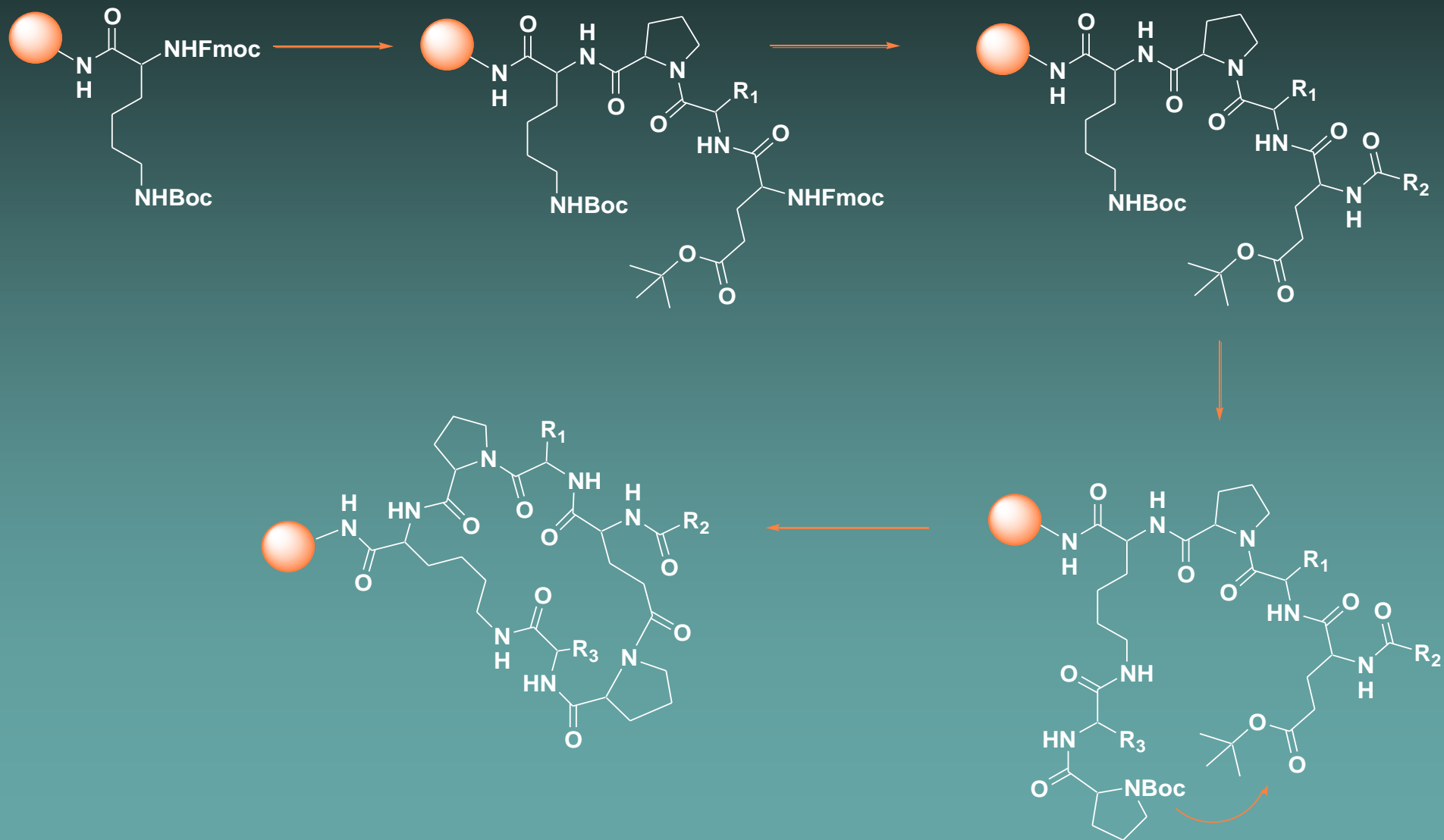
# A versatile access to new macrocyclic oligoheterocycles (MOH)

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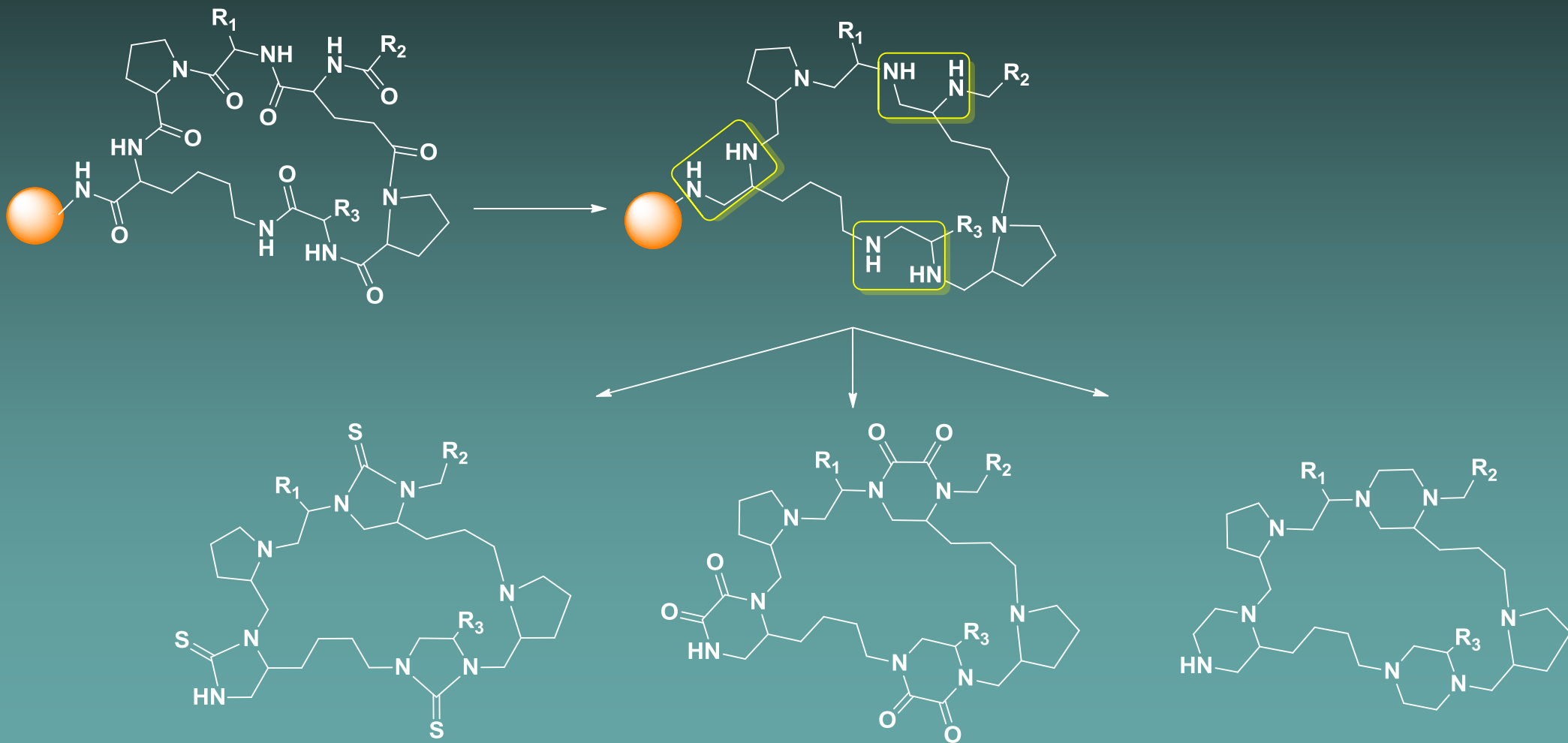


# Synthesis of Proline Containing Cyclic Peptides

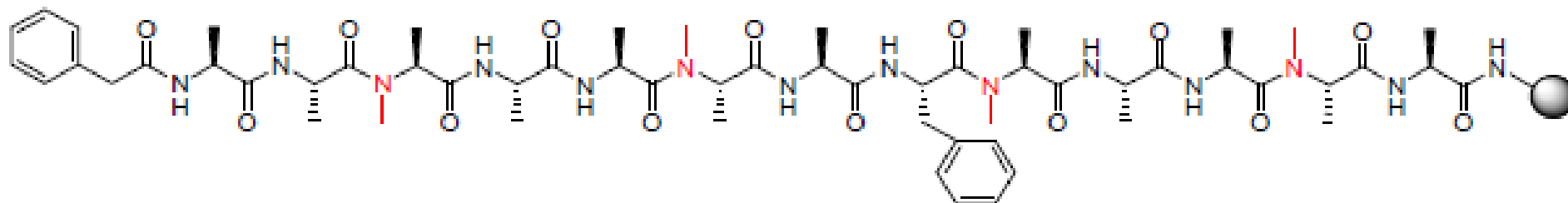
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# Cyclic Multiple Heterocyclics from Proline Containing Cyclic Peptides

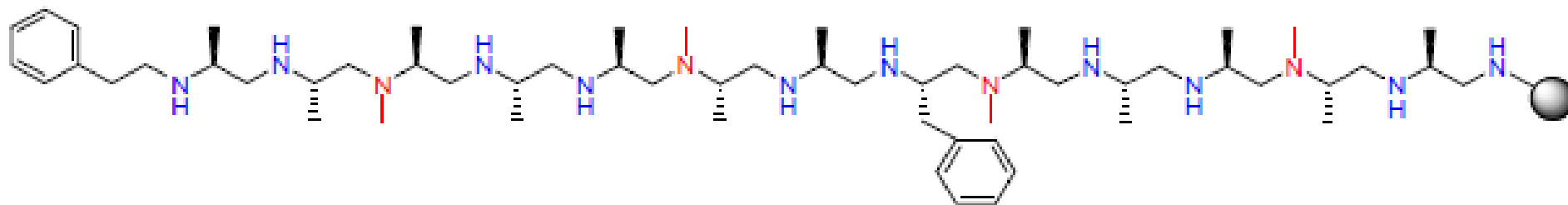


# Oligoheterocyclic Compounds



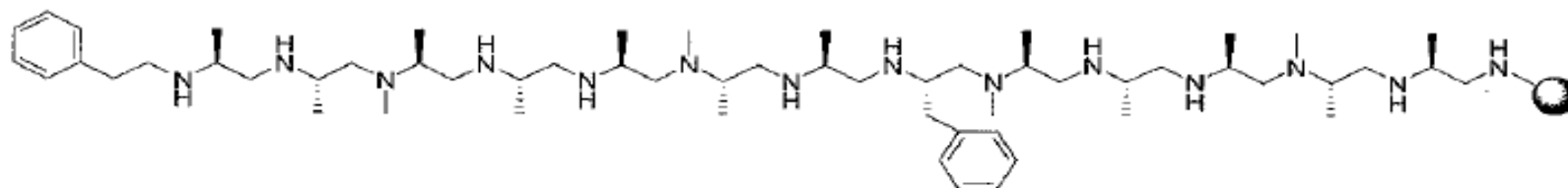
(Utilization of N-Me-Alanine as a spacer: Alternation of two secondary amides and one tertiary amide)

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2) Piperidine



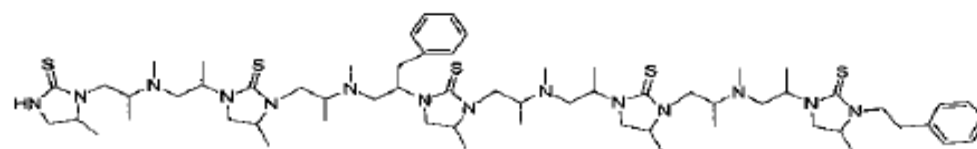
Generation of resin-bound spatially separated pairs of secondary amines

# Oligoheterocyclic Compounds



Generation of resin-bound specially separated pairs of secondary amines

Scheme 3



$C_{62}H_{104}N_{14}S_5$   
Exact Mass: 1204.72

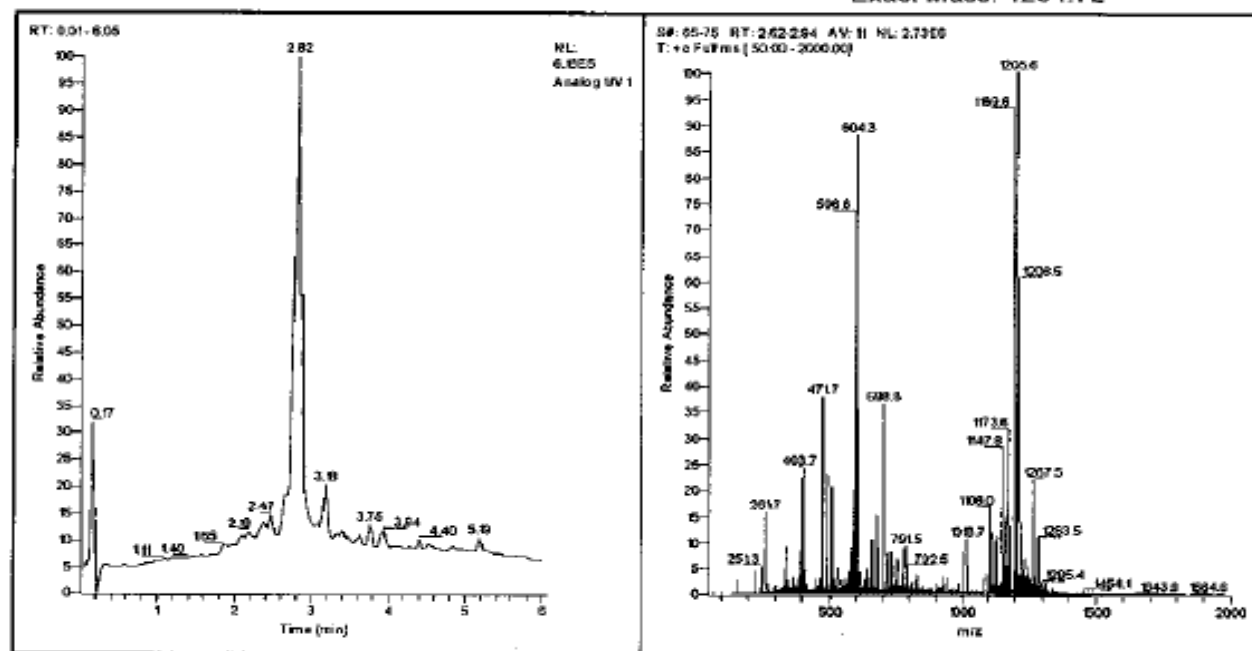
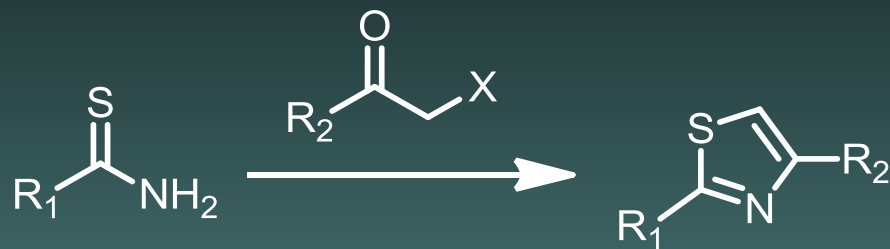
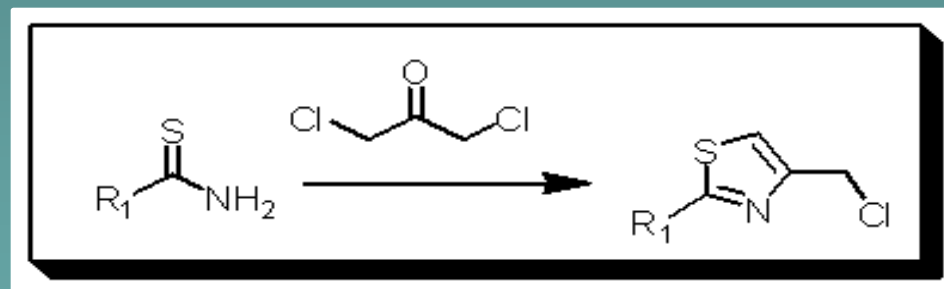
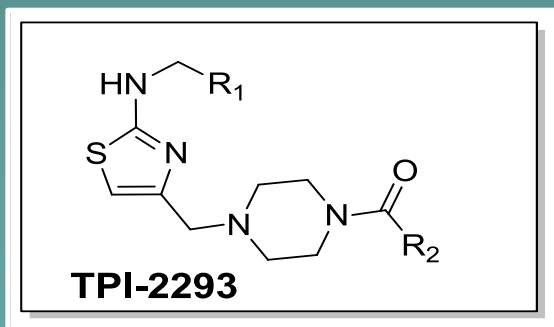
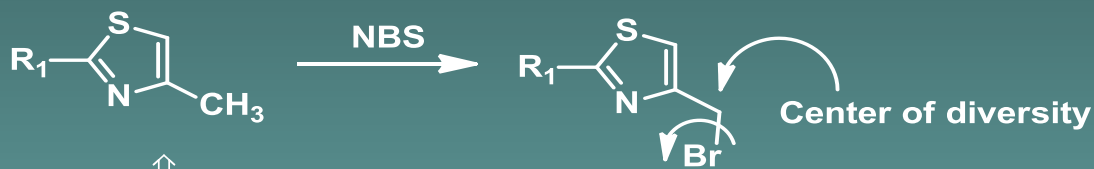


Figure 2

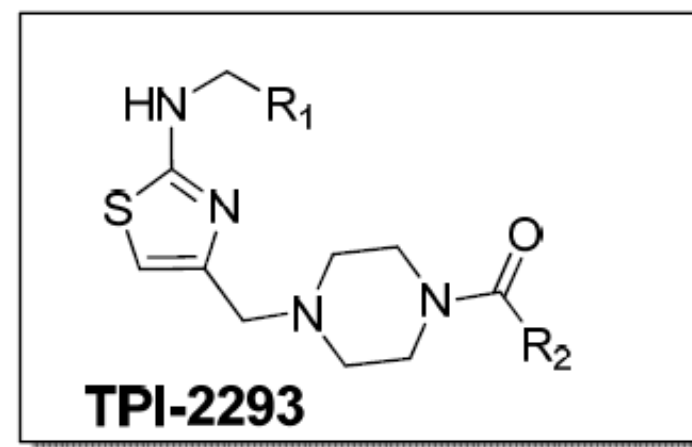
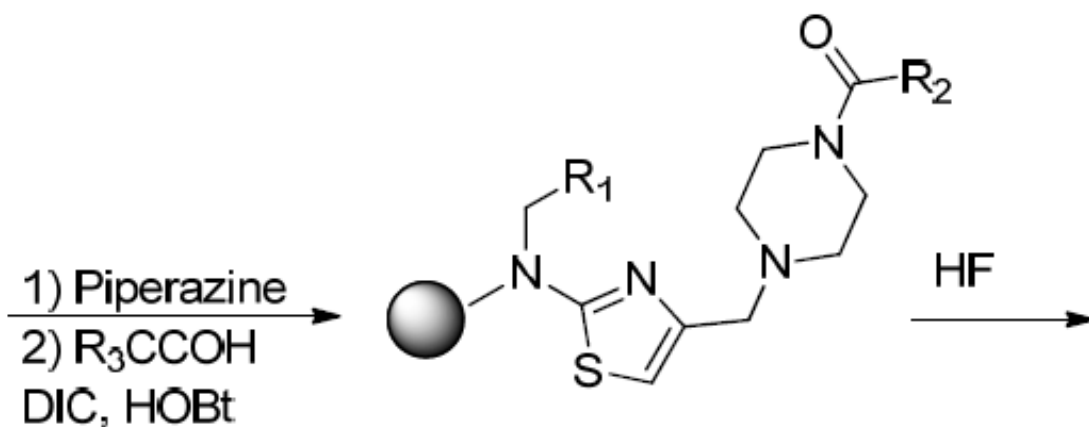
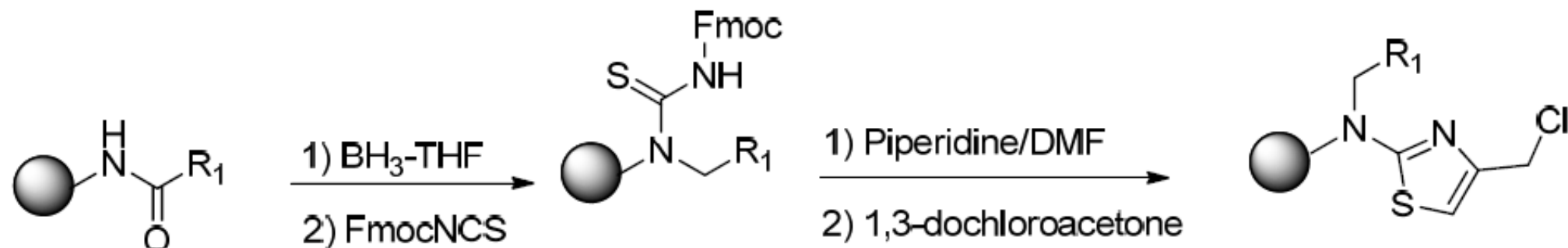
# Hantzsch Based Macrocyclization Approach for the Synthesis of Thiazole Containing Cyclopeptides



Hantzsch reaction

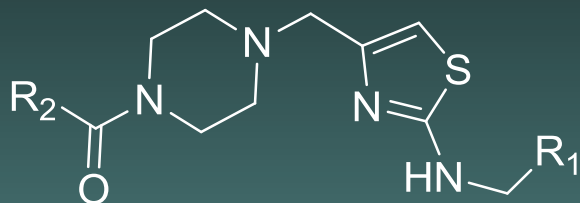


# Synthesis of Thiazole tethered Piperazine Library

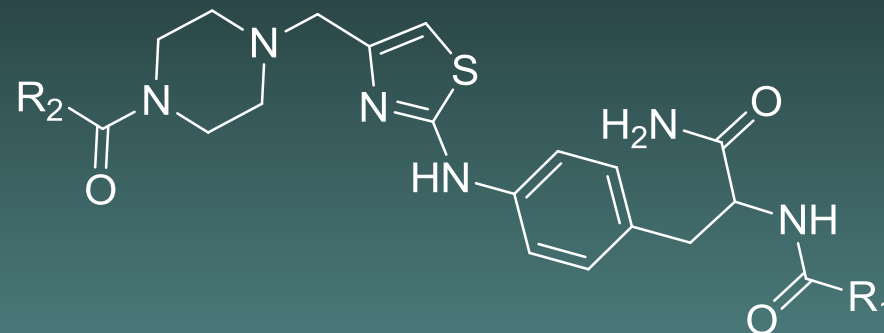




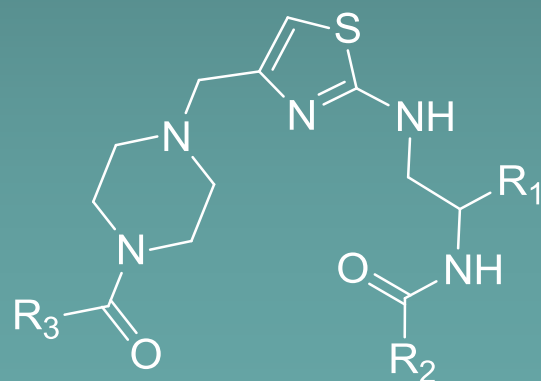
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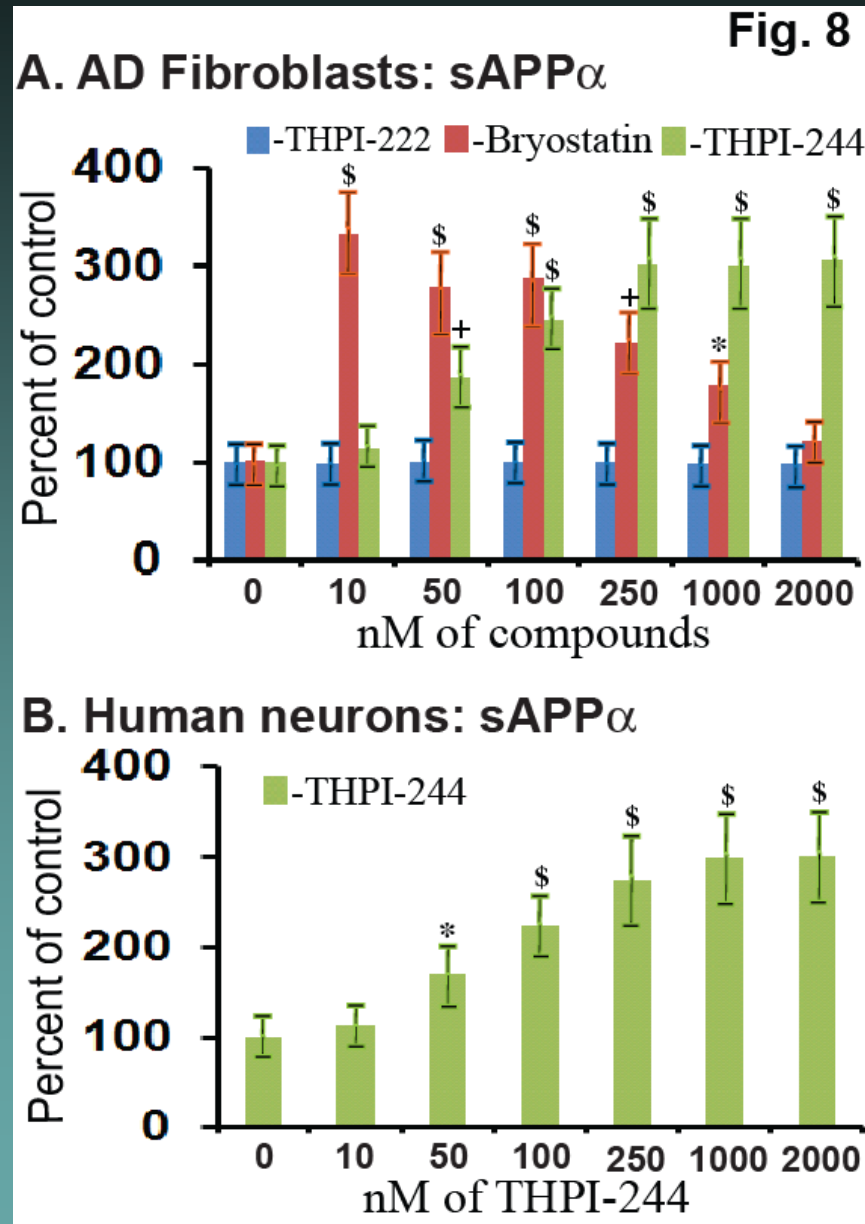
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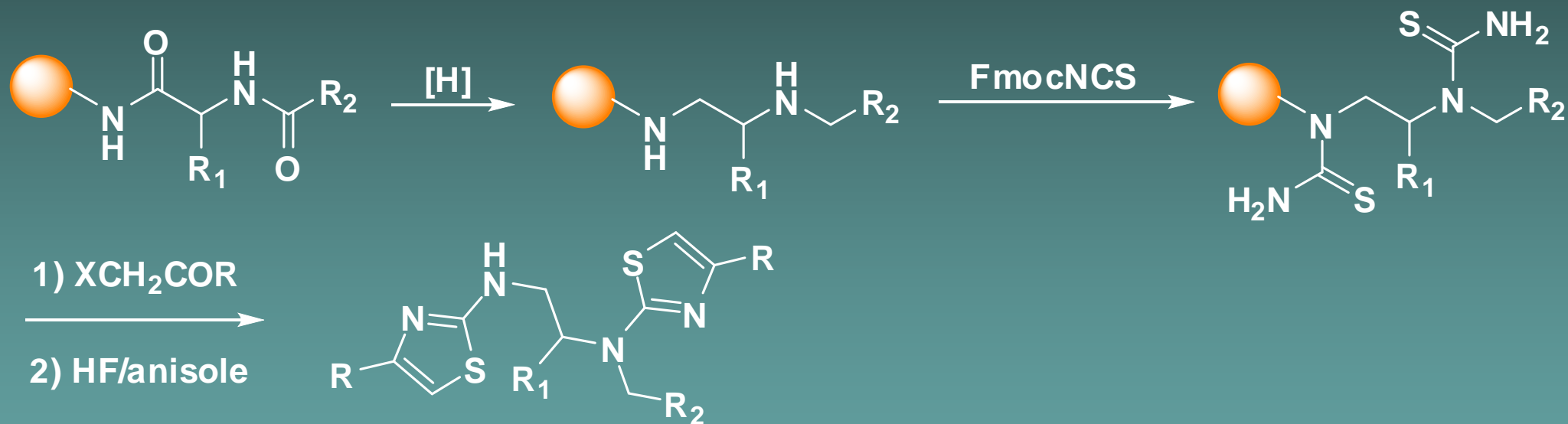
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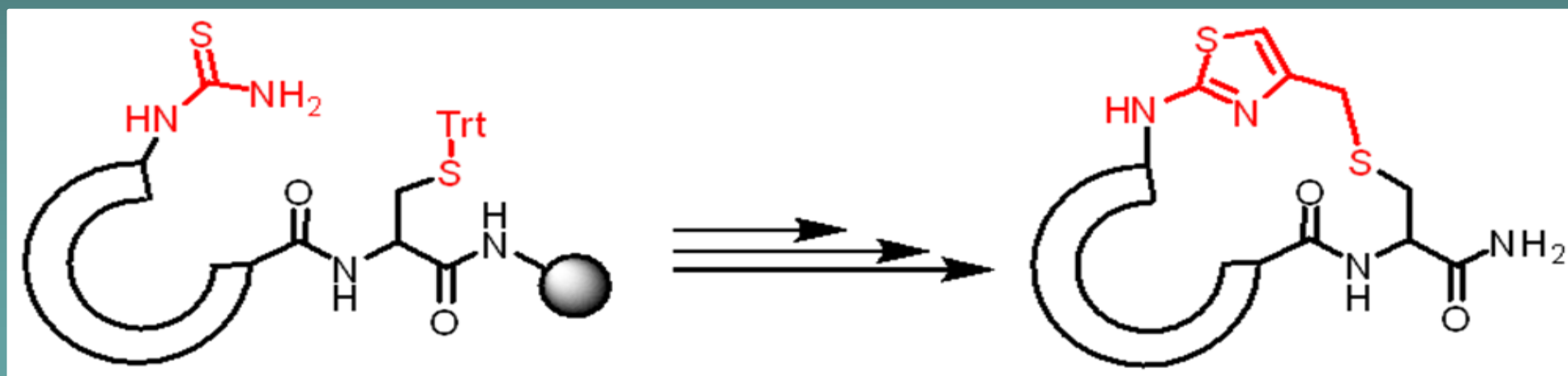
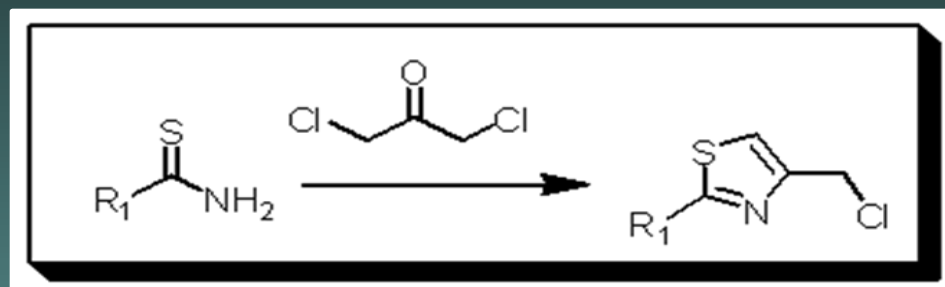
# Preclinical evaluation of thiazole piperazine and its analog as Alzheimers drugs



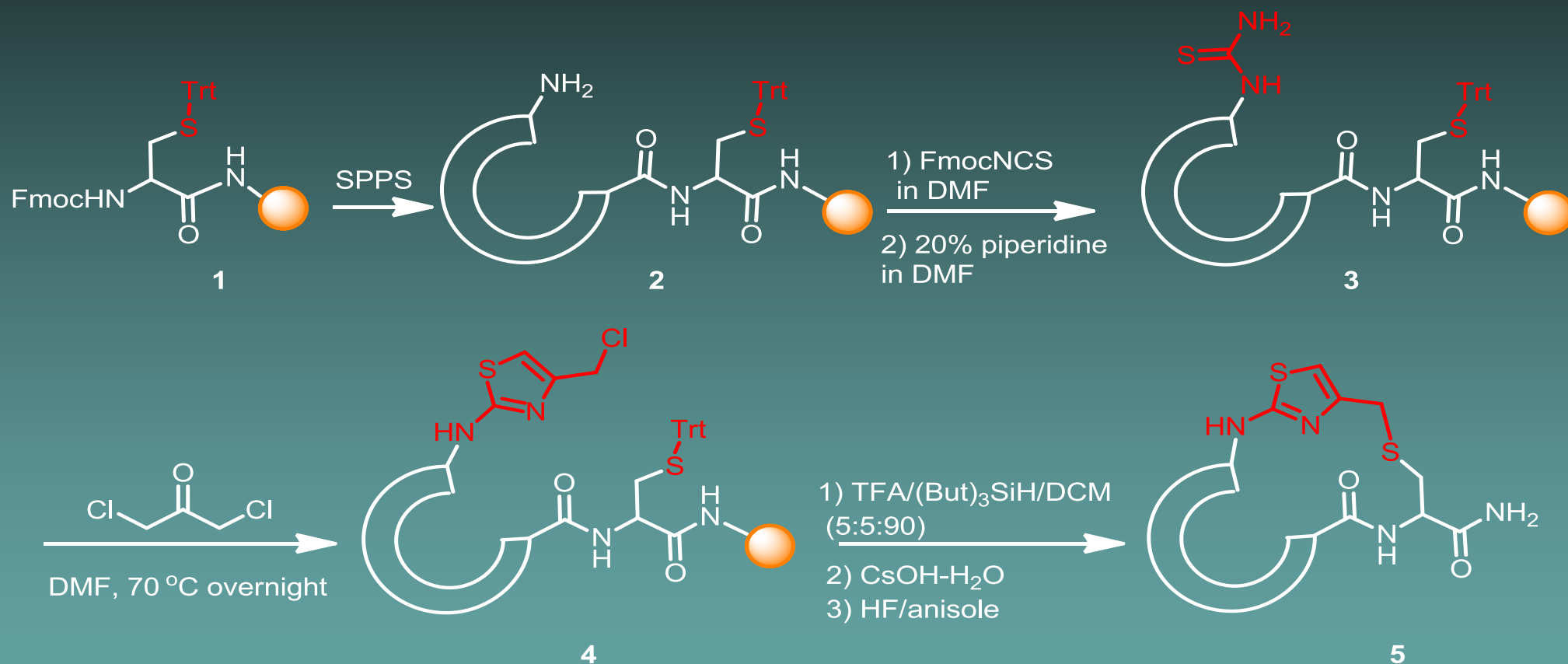
# Synthesis of polythiazole compounds



## Two-Steps Hantzsch Based Macrocyclization Approach for the Synthesis of Thiazole Containing Cyclopeptides

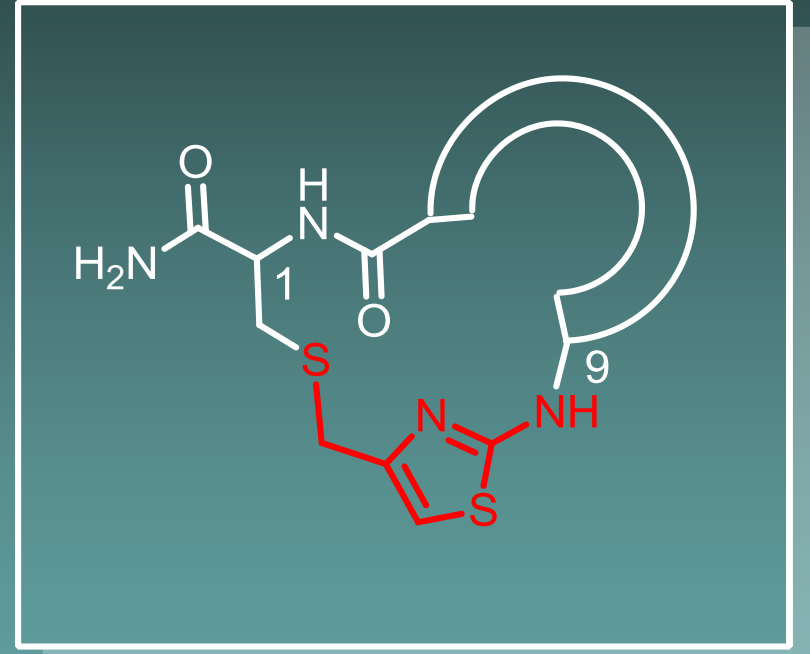
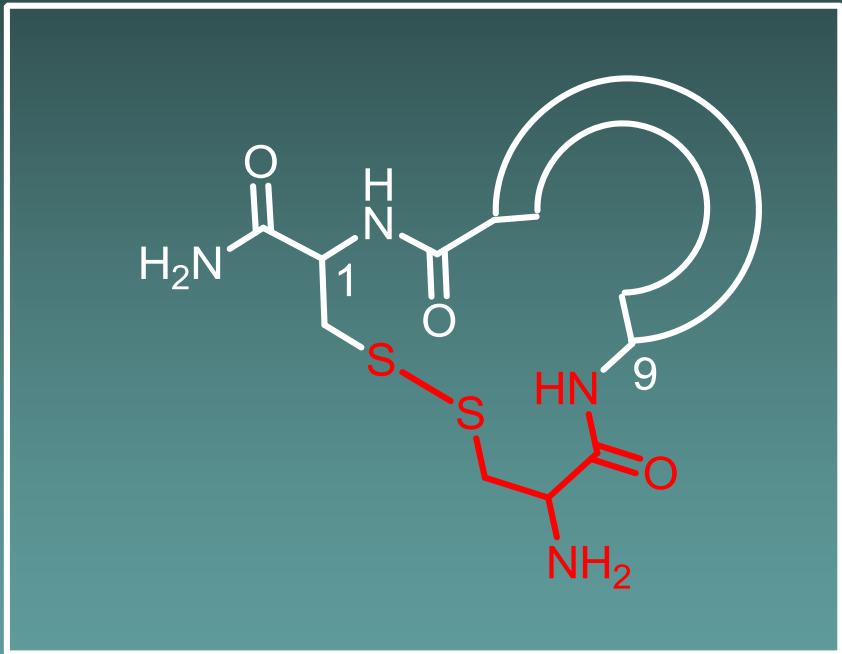


# Synthesis of Thiazole Containing Cyclopeptides

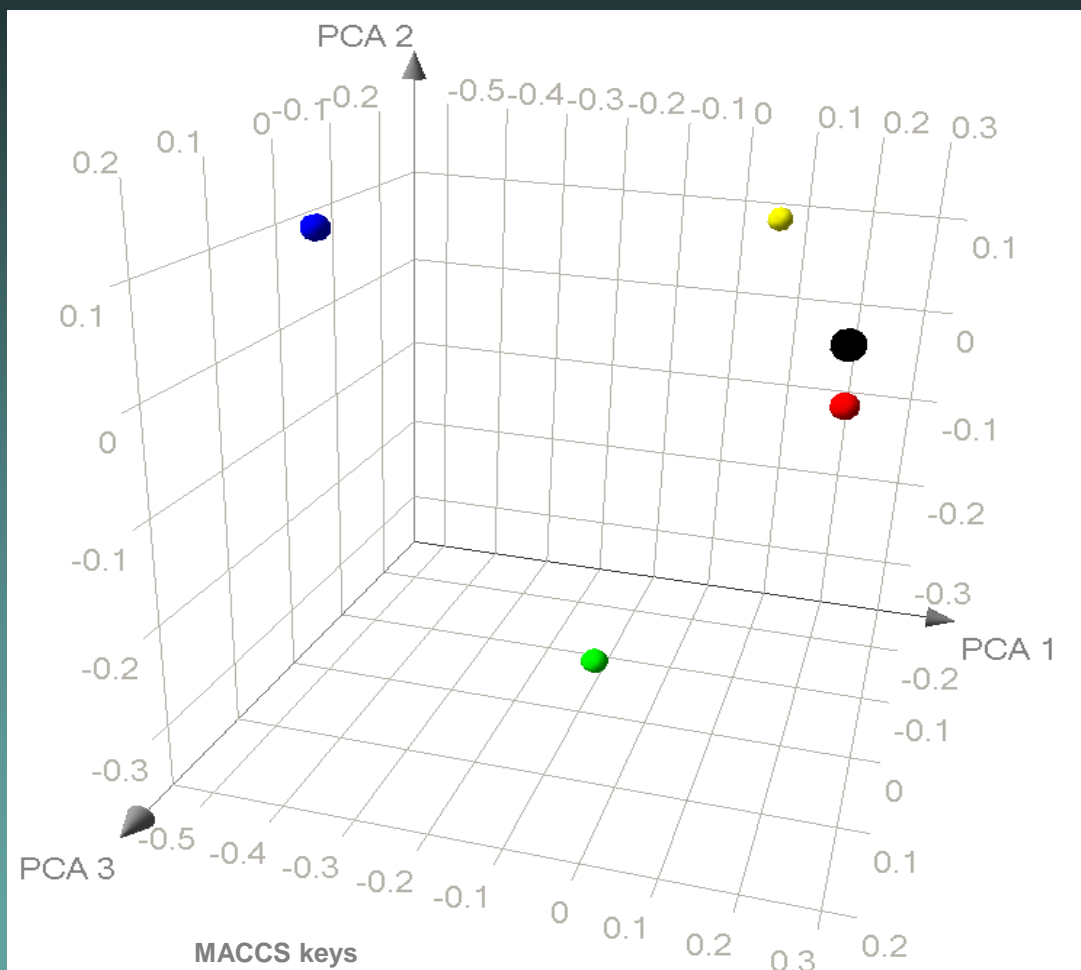


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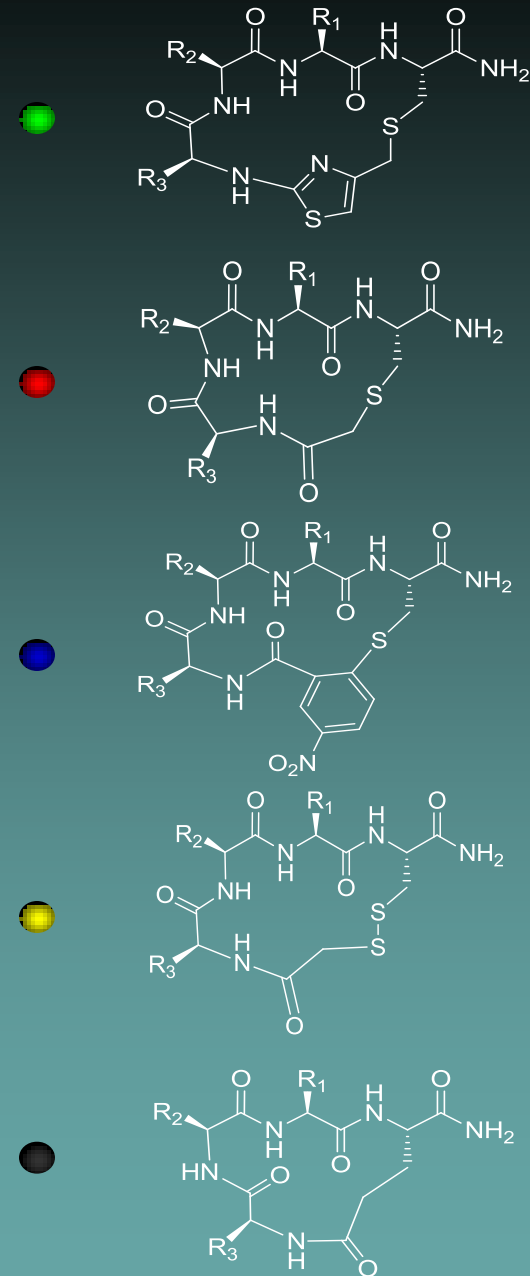
# Synthesis of Macrocyclic Compounds *via* Thio-Methyl-Thiazole as Analog of the Disulfide Bridge



# Approximate three-dimensional chemical space distribution of different cyclic peptides

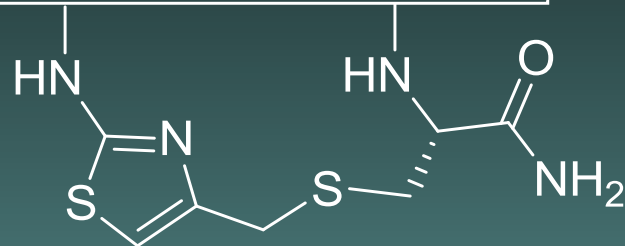


Variability preserved: 96.8%

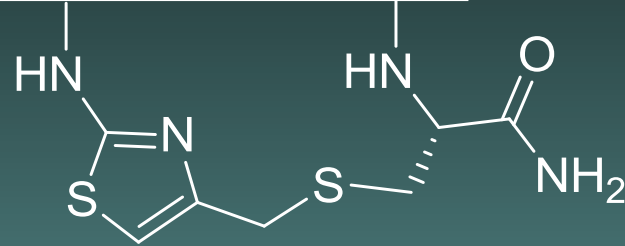


# Synthesis of Thiazole Containing Cyclopeptides Application for the synthesis of DAMGO and Enkephalin Constrained Analogs

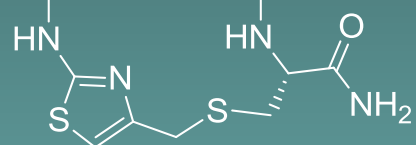
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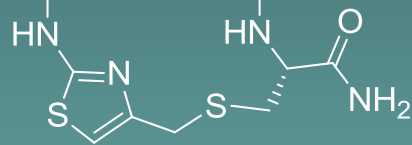
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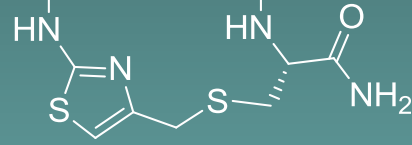
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Enkephalin-analog



C-terminal fragment

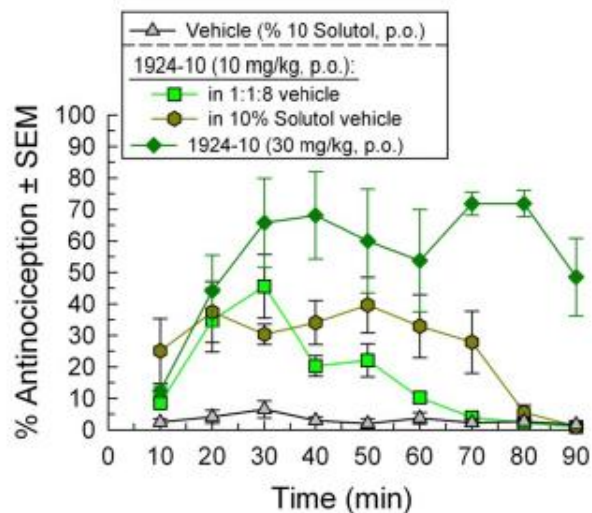
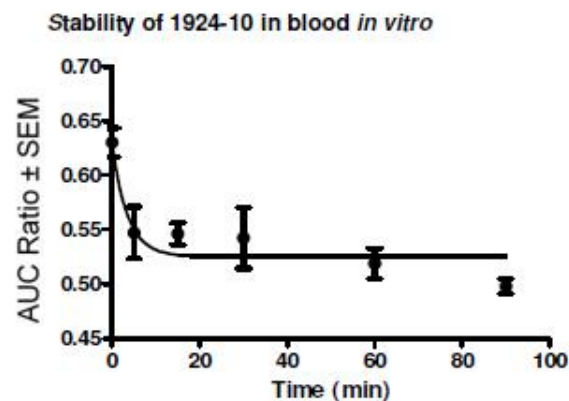
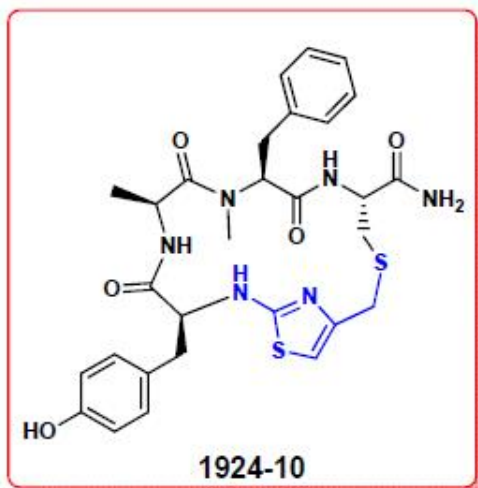
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 TPI-1924-7: Tyr-Ala-Phe  
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TPI-1924-13: Tyr-Gly-Gly-Phe-Leu  
 TPI-1924-16: Tyr-Gly-Gly-Phe-Met  
 TPI-1924-19: Tyr-Gly-Phe-Leu  
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 TPI-1924-28: Tyr-Phe-Met

TPI-1936-1: [Tyr-Gly-Gly-Phe]—Met  
 TPI-1936-2: [Tyr-Gly-Gly]—Phe-Met  
 TPI-1936-3: [Tyr-Gly]—Gly-Phe-Met  
 TPI-1936-4: [Tyr-Gly-Phe]—Met  
 TPI-1936-5: [Tyr-Gly]—Phe-Met  
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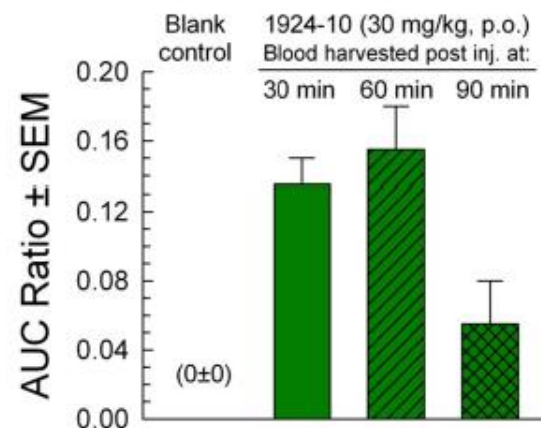


# In vivo screening of series TPI-1924 and TPI-1936 compounds

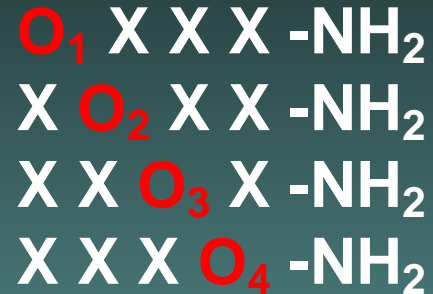


Dose- and time-dependent antinociceptive effect of 1924-10 after oral (p.o.) administration.

Detection of 1924-10 in blood after oral administration *in vivo*



# Positional Scanning: Tetra-Peptide Library



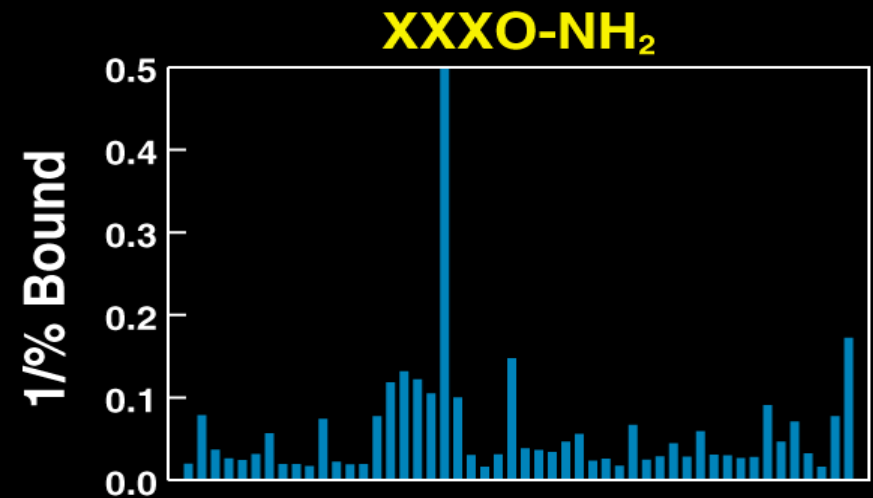
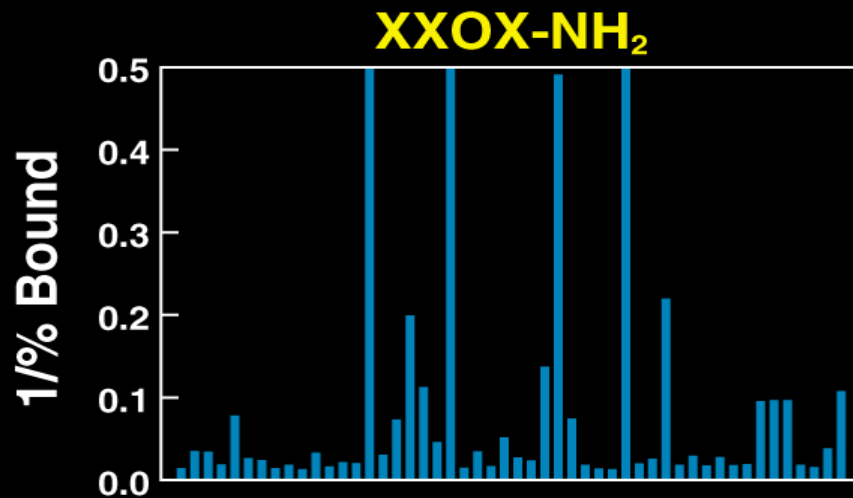
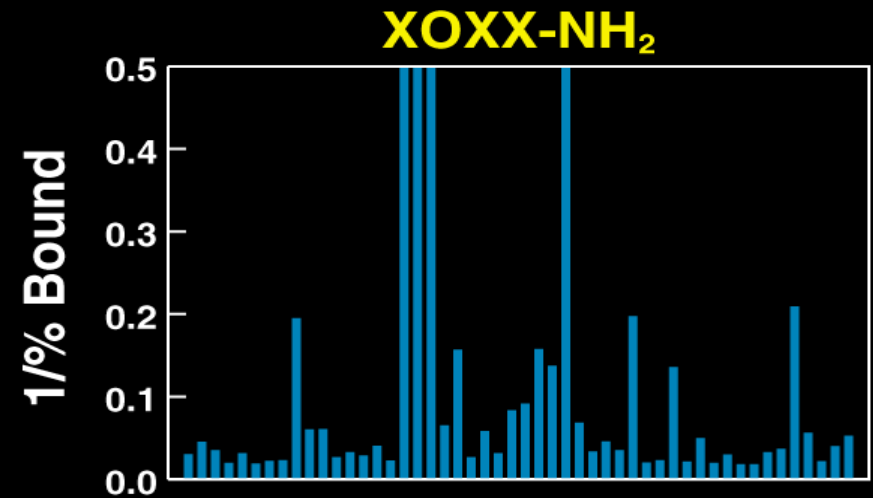
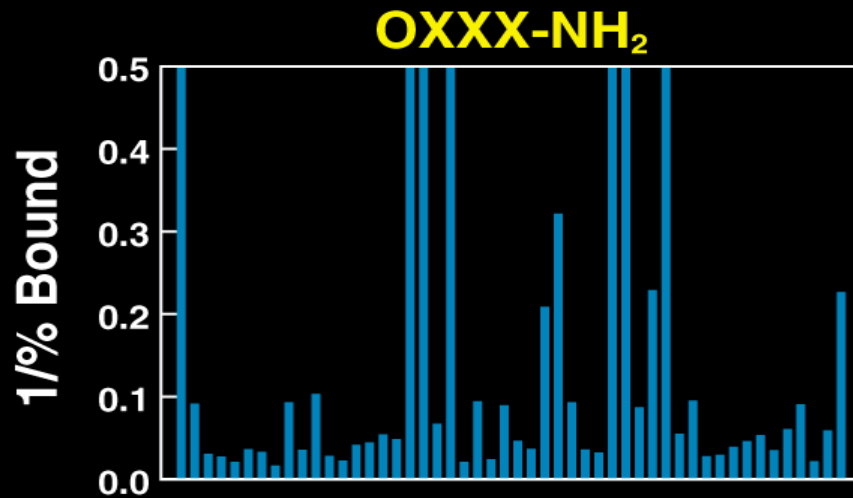
6,250,000 tetra-peptides  
125,000 each mixture

(50 different L-, D-, and Unnatural amino acids)

**O** = individual      **X** = mixture

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# Kappa Receptor Binding Assay



**7 x 4 x 4 x 1 = 96 individual tetrapeptides**

# Kappa Receptor Binding Assay

Positional Library	Most Active Residues	Number of Residues	
OXXX-NH <sub>2</sub>	D Phe, D Ile	2	
XOXX-NH <sub>2</sub>	D Phe, D NaI	2	
XXOX-NH <sub>2</sub>	D Trp, D Ile, D Ile	3	
XXXO-NH <sub>2</sub>	D Arg, D Cha	2	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>	
Sequence		IC <sub>50</sub> (nM)	
(D Phe)(D NaI)(D Ile)(D Arg)-NH <sub>2</sub>		1	
(D Phe)(D Phe)(D Ile)(D Arg)-NH <sub>2</sub>		2	
(D Ile)(D NaI)(D Ile)(D Arg)-NH <sub>2</sub>		2	<b>All Full Agonists</b>
(D Phe)(D Phe)(D Ile)(D Arg)-NH <sub>2</sub>		2	
(D Ile)(D NaI)(D Ile)(D Arg)-NH <sub>2</sub>		3	
(D Phe)(D NaI)(D Ile)(D Arg)-NH <sub>2</sub>		4	

# Kappa Receptor Selectivity

Sequence	$\kappa$	$\mu$	$\delta$
	U69,593	DAMGO	DSLET
	IC <sub>50</sub> (nM)	IC <sub>50</sub> (nM)	IC <sub>50</sub> (nM)
(D <sub>1</sub> Phe)(D <sub>1</sub> Nal)(D <sub>1</sub> Nle)(D <sub>1</sub> Arg)-NH <sub>2</sub>	0.7	22,630	49,640
(D <sub>1</sub> Phe)(D <sub>1</sub> Phe)(D <sub>1</sub> Nle)(D <sub>1</sub> Arg)-NH <sub>2</sub>	2.0	42,963	>25,000
(D <sub>1</sub> Nle)(D <sub>1</sub> Nal)(D <sub>1</sub> Ile)(D <sub>1</sub> Arg)-NH <sub>2</sub>	2.0	3,034	19,316
(D <sub>1</sub> Phe)(D <sub>1</sub> Phe)(D <sub>1</sub> Ile)(D <sub>1</sub> Arg)-NH <sub>2</sub>	2.0	>150,000	>25,000
(D <sub>1</sub> Nle)(D <sub>1</sub> Nal)(D <sub>1</sub> Nle)(D <sub>1</sub> Arg)-NH <sub>2</sub>	3.0	1,709	>25,000
(D <sub>1</sub> Phe)(D <sub>1</sub> Phe)(D <sub>1</sub> Nle)(D <sub>1</sub> Cha)-NH <sub>2</sub>	6.0	15,000	28,932

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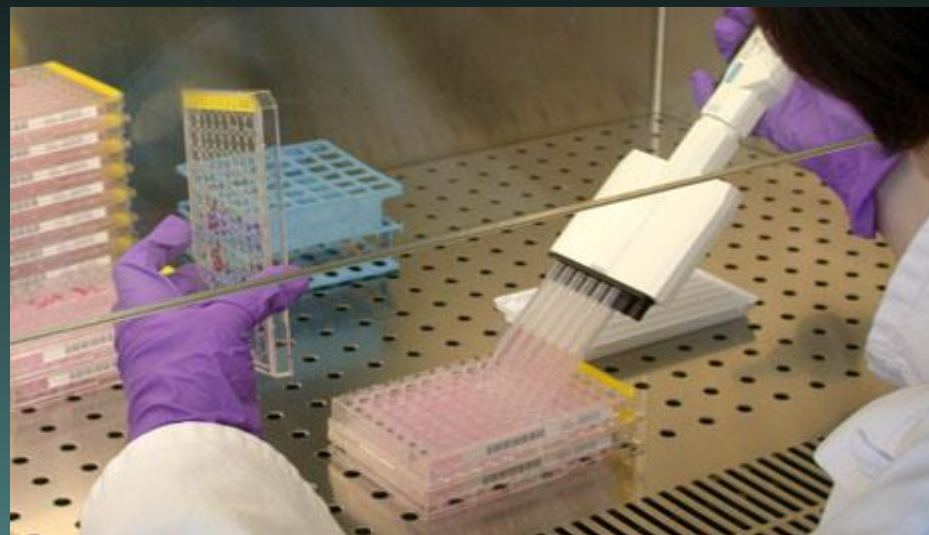
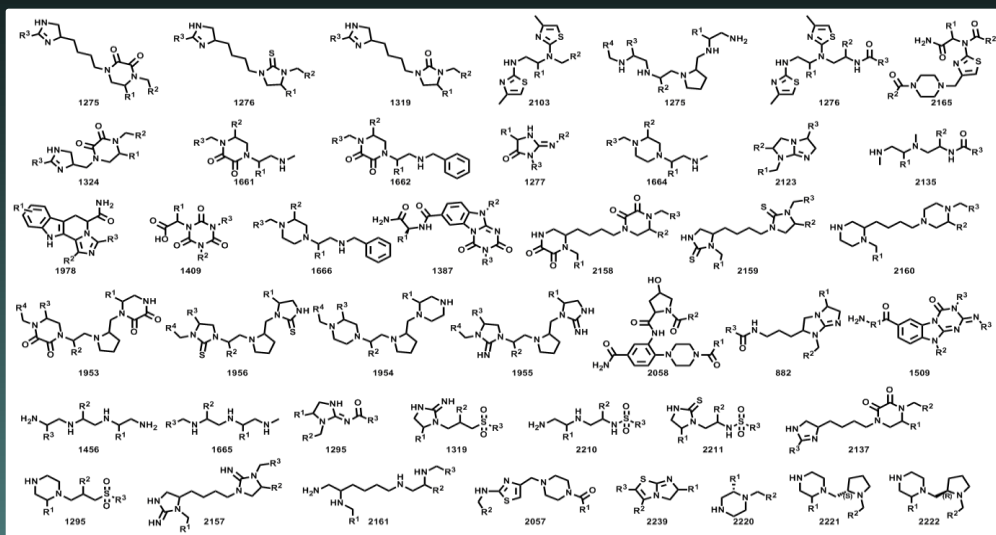
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