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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Use of the elevated plus maze in the search for novel anxiolytic agents. Trends in Pharmacological Sciences, 1995, 16, 33-36.	4.0	468
2	Sedation and Anesthesia Mediated by Distinct GABA _A Receptor Isoforms. Journal of Neuroscience, 2003, 23, 8608-8617.	1.7	266
3	Evidence for a Significant Role of α 3-Containing GABA _A Receptors in Mediating the Anxiolytic Effects of Benzodiazepines. Journal of Neuroscience, 2005, 25, 10682-10688.	1.7	221
4	Loss of the Major GABA _A Receptor Subtype in the Brain Is Not Lethal in Mice. Journal of Neuroscience, 2001, 21, 3409-3418.	1.7	215
5	Different GABA _A receptor subtypes mediate the anxiolytic, abuse-related, and motor effects of benzodiazepine-like drugs in primates. Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, 2005, 102, 915-920.	3.3	182
6	TPA023 [7-(1,1-Dimethylethyl)-6-(2-ethyl-2H-1,2,4-triazol-3-ylmethoxy)-3-(2-fluorophenyl)-1,2,4-triazolo[4,3-b]pyridazine], an Agonist Selective for α 2- and α 3-Containing GABA _A Receptors, Is a Nonsedating Anxiolytic in Rodents and Primates. Journal of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics, 2006, 316, 410-422.	1.3	172
7	L-655,708 enhances cognition in rats but is not proconvulsant at a dose selective for α 5-containing GABA _A receptors. Neuropharmacology, 2006, 51, 1023-1029.	2.0	162
8	Identification of a Novel, Selective GABA _A α 5 Receptor Inverse Agonist Which Enhances Cognition. Journal of Medicinal Chemistry, 2003, 46, 2227-2240.	2.9	142
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14	Selective, Orally Active α 3-Aminobutyric Acid α 5 Receptor Inverse Agonists as Cognition Enhancers. Journal of Medicinal Chemistry, 2004, 47, 2176-2179.	2.9	106
15	Blockade of alcohol's amnestic activity in humans by an α 5 subtype benzodiazepine receptor inverse agonist. Neuropharmacology, 2007, 53, 810-820.	2.0	103
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17	A Selective Nociceptin Receptor Antagonist to Treat Depression: Evidence from Preclinical and Clinical Studies. Neuropsychopharmacology, 2016, 41, 1803-1812.	2.8	82
18	The effects of novel cholinesterase inhibitors and selective muscarinic receptor agonists in tests of reference and working memory. Behavioural Brain Research, 1993, 57, 143-153.	1.2	81

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19	One-trial tolerance to the effects of chlordiazepoxide on the elevated plus maze may be due to locomotor habituation, not repeated drug exposure. <i>Psychopharmacology</i> , 1994, 113, 570-572.	1.5	80
20	Learned fear, emotional reactivity and fear of heights: a factor analytic map from a large F2 intercross of Roman rat strains. <i>Brain Research Bulletin</i> , 2002, 57, 17-26.	1.4	66
21	Synthesis and Biological Evaluation of 3-Heterocycl-7,8,9,10-tetrahydro-(7,10-ethano)-1,2,4-triazolo[3,4-a]phthalazines and Analogues as Subtype-Selective Inverse Agonists for the GABA _A ±5 Benzodiazepine Binding Site. <i>Journal of Medicinal Chemistry</i> , 2004, 47, 3642-3657.	2.9	65
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23	Reducing Abuse Liability of GABA _A /Benzodiazepine Ligands via Selective Partial Agonist Efficacy at $\alpha 1$ and $\alpha 2/3$ Subtypes. <i>Journal of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics</i> , 2010, 332, 4-16.	1.3	62
24	Agomelatine facilitates positive versus negative affective processing in healthy volunteer models. <i>Journal of Psychopharmacology</i> , 2011, 25, 1159-1167.	2.0	61
25	Preliminary evidence of anxiolytic effects of the CRF ₁ receptor antagonist R317573 in the 7.5% CO ₂ proof-of-concept experimental model of human anxiety. <i>Journal of Psychopharmacology</i> , 2011, 25, 1199-1206.	2.0	55
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30	The design of novel muscarinic partial agonists that have functional selectivity in pharmacological preparations in vitro and reduced side-effect profile in vivo. <i>Life Sciences</i> , 1993, 52, 489-495.	2.0	46
31	Development of Subtype Selective GABA _A Modulators. <i>CNS Spectrums</i> , 2005, 10, 21-27.	0.7	46
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37	Effects of risperidone, amisulpride and nicotine on eye movement control and their modulation by schizotypy. <i>Psychopharmacology</i> , 2013, 227, 331-345.	1.5	34
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39	The effects of using the PReDicT Test to guide the antidepressant treatment of depressed patients: study protocol for a randomised controlled trial. <i>Trials</i> , 2017, 18, 558.	0.7	32
40	Subtype-selective GABAergic drugs facilitate extinction of mouse operant behaviour. <i>Neuropharmacology</i> , 2004, 46, 171-178.	2.0	30
41	Effects of drugs that potentiate GABA on extinction of positively-reinforced operant behaviour. <i>Neuroscience and Biobehavioral Reviews</i> , 2004, 28, 229-238.	2.9	28
42	6,7-Dihydro-2-benzothiophen-4(5H)-ones: A Novel Class of GABA-A $\alpha 5$ Receptor Inverse Agonists. <i>Journal of Medicinal Chemistry</i> , 2002, 45, 1176-1179.	2.9	27
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47	The GABA-A $\alpha 3$ subunit mediates anaesthesia induced by etomidate. <i>NeuroReport</i> , 2004, 15, 1653-1656.	0.6	20
48	Overview of the clinical implementation of a study exploring social withdrawal in patients with schizophrenia and Alzheimer's disease. <i>Neuroscience and Biobehavioral Reviews</i> , 2019, 97, 87-93.	2.9	20
49	Experimental medicine in psychiatry. <i>Journal of Psychopharmacology</i> , 2005, 19, 565-566.	2.0	17
50	The in vivo properties of pargolone in rat are most likely mediated by 5-hydroxy pargolone. <i>Neuropharmacology</i> , 2006, 50, 677-689.	2.0	17
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57	The proconvulsant effects of the GABAA $\alpha 5$ subtype-selective compound RY-080 may not be $\alpha 5$ -mediated. <i>European Journal of Pharmacology</i> , 2006, 548, 77-82.	1.7	10
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64	Cross-disorder and disorder-specific deficits in social functioning among schizophrenia and Alzheimer's disease patients. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2022, 17, e0263769.	1.1	3
65	Experimental Medicine in Psychiatry New Approaches in Schizophrenia, Depression and Cognition. <i>Current Topics in Behavioral Neurosciences</i> , 2015, 28, 475-497.	0.8	2
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