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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	An innovative kinome platform to accelerate small-molecule inhibitor discovery and optimization from hits to leads. <i>Drug Discovery Today</i> , 2021, 26, 1115-1125.	3.2	3
2	Optimization of Nicotinamides as Potent and Selective IRAK4 Inhibitors with Efficacy in a Murine Model of Psoriasis. <i>ACS Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2020, 11, 1402-1409.	1.3	6
3	Highly Selective Inhibition of Tyrosine Kinase 2 (TYK2) for the Treatment of Autoimmune Diseases: Discovery of the Allosteric Inhibitor BMS-986165. <i>Journal of Medicinal Chemistry</i> , 2019, 62, 8973-8995.	2.9	212
4	Discovery of a JAK1/3 Inhibitor and Use of a Prodrug To Demonstrate Efficacy in a Model of Rheumatoid Arthritis. <i>ACS Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2019, 10, 306-311.	1.3	11
5	Discovery of potent and efficacious pyrrolopyridazines as dual JAK1/3 inhibitors. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2017, 27, 3101-3106.	1.0	10
6	Discovery and structure-based design of 4,6-diaminonicotinamides as potent and selective IRAK4 inhibitors. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2017, 27, 4908-4913.	1.0	12
7	Discovery of highly potent, selective, covalent inhibitors of JAK3. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2017, 27, 4622-4625.	1.0	24
8	Identification and synthesis of potent and selective pyridyl-isoxazole based agonists of sphingosine-1-phosphate 1 (S1P1). <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2016, 26, 2470-2474.	1.0	6
9	An Efficient Scale-Up Synthesis of BMS-520, a Potent and Selective Isoxazole-Containing S1P ₁ Receptor Agonist. <i>Organic Process Research and Development</i> , 2016, 20, 989-995.	1.3	15
10	Discovery and Structure-Activity Relationship (SAR) of a Series of Ethanolamine-Based Direct-Acting Agonists of Sphingosine-1-phosphate (S1P ₁). <i>Journal of Medicinal Chemistry</i> , 2016, 59, 6248-6264.	2.9	22
11	Potent and Selective Agonists of Sphingosine 1-Phosphate 1 (S1P ₁): Discovery and SAR of a Novel Isoxazole Based Series. <i>Journal of Medicinal Chemistry</i> , 2016, 59, 2820-2840.	2.9	20
12	Practical olefin hydroamination with nitroarenes. <i>Science</i> , 2015, 348, 886-891.	6.0	387
13	Tyrosine Kinase 2-mediated Signal Transduction in T Lymphocytes Is Blocked by Pharmacological Stabilization of Its Pseudokinase Domain. <i>Journal of Biological Chemistry</i> , 2015, 290, 11061-11074.	1.6	90
14	Structure-Based Design of Selective Janus Kinase 2 Imidazo[4,5-d]pyrrolo[2,3-b]pyridine Inhibitors. <i>ACS Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2015, 6, 845-849.	1.3	11
15	Discovery of pyrrolo[1,2-b]pyridazine-3-carboxamides as Janus kinase (JAK) inhibitors. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2014, 24, 5721-5726.	1.0	27
16	Toolkit of reagents to aid drug discovery. <i>Nature</i> , 2012, 492, 45-46.	13.7	2
17	Novel tricyclic inhibitors of IKK2: Discovery and SAR leading to the identification of 2-methoxy-N-((6-(1-methyl-4-(methylamino)-1,6-dihydroimidazo[4,5-d]pyrrolo[2,3-b]pyridin-7-yl)pyridin-2-yl)methyl)acetamide (BMS-066). <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2011, 21, 7006-7012.	1.0	11
18	Imidazo[4,5-d]thiazolo[5,4-b]pyridine based inhibitors of IKK2: Synthesis, SAR, PK/PD and activity in a preclinical model of rheumatoid arthritis. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2011, 21, 383-386.	1.0	11

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19	One-Pot Synthesis of Azaindoles via Palladium-Catalyzed α -Heteroarylation of Ketone Enolates. <i>Journal of Organic Chemistry</i> , 2010, 75, 5316-5319.	1.7	36
20	Periodic, Partial Inhibition of I^{B} Kinase I^{2} -Mediated Signaling Yields Therapeutic Benefit in Preclinical Models of Rheumatoid Arthritis. <i>Journal of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics</i> , 2009, 331, 349-360.	1.3	26
21	Identification of potent pyrimidine inhibitors of phosphodiesterase 7 (PDE7) and their ability to inhibit T cell proliferation. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2009, 19, 1935-1938.	1.0	20
22	Synthesis, initial SAR and biological evaluation of 1,6-dihydroimidazo[4,5-d]pyrrolo[2,3-b]pyridin-4-amine derived inhibitors of I^{B} kinase. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2009, 19, 2646-2649.	1.0	19
23	Novel Tricyclic Inhibitors of I^{B} Kinase. <i>Journal of Medicinal Chemistry</i> , 2009, 52, 1994-2005.	2.9	25
24	Chapter 12 Advances in the Discovery of Small Molecule JAK3 Inhibitors. <i>Annual Reports in Medicinal Chemistry</i> , 2009, 44, 247-264.	0.5	14
25	Advances in the Discovery of I^{B} Kinase Inhibitors. <i>Annual Reports in Medicinal Chemistry</i> , 2008, 43, 155-170.	0.5	8
26	Discovery of low nanomolar non-hydroxamate inhibitors of tumor necrosis factor- α converting enzyme (TACE). <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2007, 17, 266-271.	1.0	55
27	Structure-based design of potent and selective inhibitors of collagenase-3 (MMP-13). <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2005, 15, 1101-1106.	1.0	91
28	Fused pyrimidine based inhibitors of phosphodiesterase 7 (PDE7): synthesis and initial structure-activity relationships. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2005, 15, 1829-1833.	1.0	35
29	Structure-Based Design of Potent and Selective Inhibitors of Collagenase-3 (MMP-13).. <i>ChemInform</i> , 2005, 36, no.	0.1	1
30	Identification of purine inhibitors of phosphodiesterase 7 (PDE7). <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2004, 14, 2955-2958.	1.0	48
31	Novel inhibitors of IMPDH. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2003, 13, 543-546.	1.0	27
32	Quinolone-Based IMPDH inhibitors: introduction of basic residues on ring D and SAR of the corresponding mono, di and benzofused analogues. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2003, 13, 547-551.	1.0	12
33	Inhibitors of inosine monophosphate dehydrogenase: SARs about the N-[3-Methoxy-4-(5-oxazolyl)phenyl moiety. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2003, 13, 2059-2063.	1.0	28
34	Identification of novel and potent isoquinoline amino-oxazole-Based IMPDH inhibitors. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2003, 13, 1345-1348.	1.0	27
35	Phosphodiesterase 7A-Deficient Mice Have Functional T Cells. <i>Journal of Immunology</i> , 2003, 171, 6414-6420.	0.4	95
36	A Modified Approach to 2-(N-Aryl)-1,3-oxazoles: Application to the Synthesis of the IMPDH Inhibitor BMS-337197 and Analogues. <i>Organic Letters</i> , 2002, 4, 2091-2093.	2.4	38

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37	Discovery of N-[2-[2-[[3-Methoxy-4-(5-oxazolyl)phenyl]amino]-5-oxazolyl]phenyl]-N-methyl-4-morpholineacetamide as a Novel and Potent Inhibitor of Inosine Monophosphate Dehydrogenase with Excellent in Vivo Activity. <i>Journal of Medicinal Chemistry</i> , 2002, 45, 2127-2130.	2.9	44
38	Rapid synthesis of triazine inhibitors of inosine monophosphate dehydrogenase. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2002, 12, 2137-2140.	1.0	42
39	Novel amide-based inhibitors of inosine 5 α -monophosphate dehydrogenase. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2002, 12, 2879-2882.	1.0	16
40	A survey of cyclic replacements for the central diamide moiety of inhibitors of inosine monophosphate dehydrogenase. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2002, 12, 3125-3128.	1.0	16
41	Novel diamide-Based inhibitors of IMPDH. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 2002, 12, 1323-1326.	1.0	24
42	Retinoic Acid and Vitamin E Modulate Expression and Release of CD178 in Carcinoma Cells: Consequences for Induction of Apoptosis in CD95-Sensitive Cells. <i>Experimental Cell Research</i> , 2001, 270, 248-258.	1.2	10
43	Isoxazolines as Potent Antagonists of the Integrin α _v β ₃ . <i>Journal of Medicinal Chemistry</i> , 2000, 43, 27-40.	2.9	86
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45	Rapid synthesis of RGD mimetics with isoxazoline scaffolds on solid phase: Identification of α _v β ₃ antagonists lead compounds. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 1999, 9, 937-942.	1.0	30
46	Structure-activity relationships (SAR) of some tetracyclic heterocycles related to the immunosuppressive agent brequinar sodium. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 1998, 8, 307-312.	1.0	21
47	MEK inhibitors: The chemistry and biological activity of UO126, its analogs, and cyclization products. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 1998, 8, 2839-2844.	1.0	384
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50	Chemistry and pharmacokinetics of diarylthiophenes and terphenyls as selective COX-2 inhibitors. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 1996, 6, 2907-2912.	1.0	41
51	Immunosuppressive structure-activity relationships of Brequinar and related cinchoninic acid derivatives. <i>Bioorganic and Medicinal Chemistry Letters</i> , 1995, 5, 1549-1554.	1.0	27
52	Synthesis of cycloprop[c]indol-5-ones from 4-diazo-3-[n-(2-propenyl)amido]cyclohexadien-1-ones. Exploration of copper(I) and copper(II) complexes as catalysts. <i>Journal of Organic Chemistry</i> , 1991, 56, 3048-3054.	1.7	79
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