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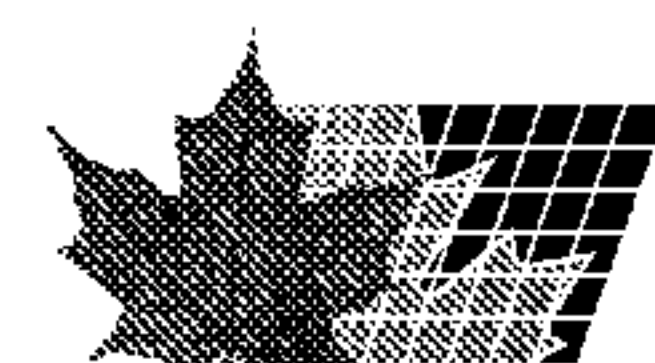
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5 FIELD OF THE INVENTION

The present invention is directed to a pharmaceutically acceptable crystalline addition salt of (i) a 2-amino-1-hydroxyethyl-8-hydroxyquinolin-2(1H)-one derivative and (ii) a dicarboxylic acid or a sulfimide derivative, or a pharmaceutically acceptable solvate thereof. The invention is also directed to pharmaceutical compositions comprising the
10 salts, methods of using them to treat respiratory diseases associated with dual muscarinic receptor antagonist and β2 adrenergic receptor agonist activities, and processes and intermediates useful for preparing such salts.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

15 WO 2013/068552 and WO 2013/068554 disclose compounds which are known to have a dual muscarinic receptor antagonist and β2 adrenergic receptor agonist activity. However, many of these compounds cannot be formulated for effective delivery by inhalation as a dry powder which is challenging. It requires careful control of the particle size of the powder which is to be inhaled, and careful control of the particle size distribution. Further,
20 it is important to avoid particle agglomeration or aggregation. In addition, when preparing pharmaceutical compositions and formulations for use in such devices, it is highly desirable to have a crystalline form of a therapeutic agent that is neither hygroscopic nor deliquescent and which has a relatively high melting point thereby allowing the material to be micronized without significant decomposition or loss of crystallinity.

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Although the 2-amino-1-hydroxyethyl-8-hydroxyquinolin-2(1H)-one derivatives disclosed in WO 2013/068552 and WO 2013/068554 have shown adequate pharmacological behaviour, it has proved difficult to obtain them in the form of a salt which is crystalline, not hygroscopic nor deliquescent and which has a relatively high melting point to enable
30 micronization.

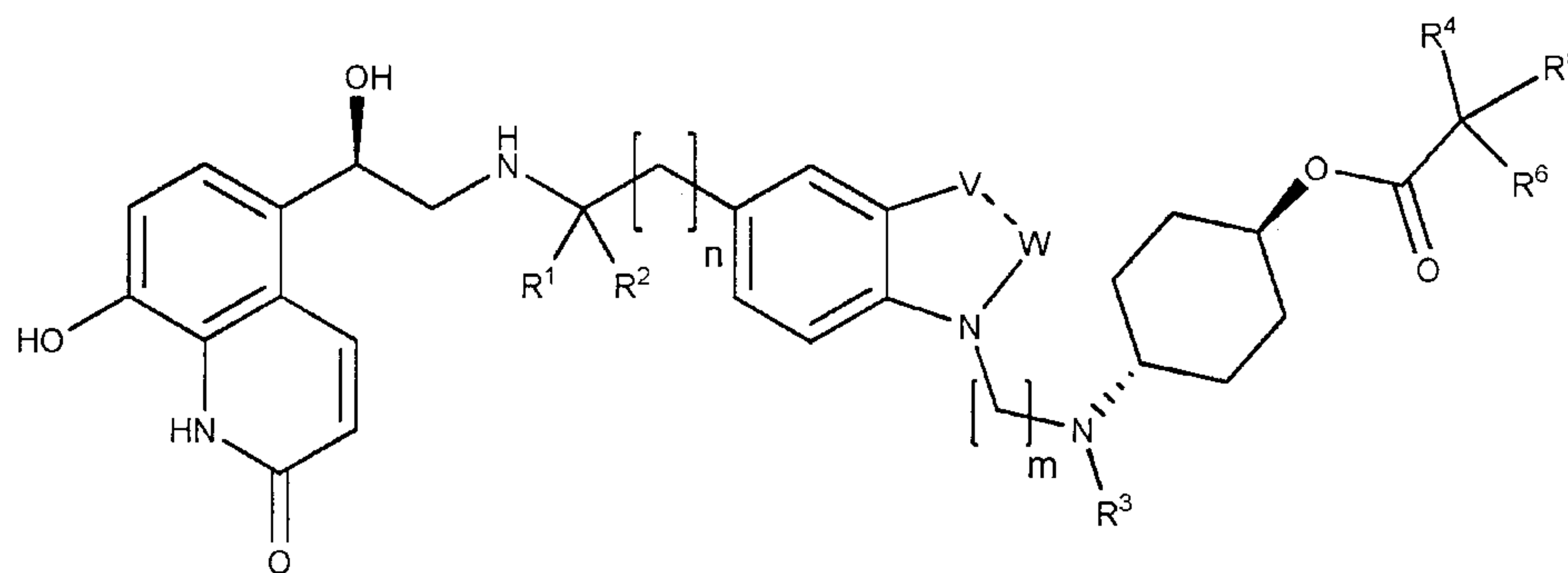
So far no crystalline salt of any of the compounds disclosed in WO 2013/068552 and WO 2013/068554 having the desired properties has been reported.

Accordingly, a need exists for stable, non-deliquescent salt forms of at least some of these compounds having acceptable levels of hygroscopicity and relatively high melting points.

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SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

The present invention provides a pharmaceutically acceptable crystalline addition salt of (i) a 2-amino-1-hydroxyethyl-8-hydroxyquinolin-2(1H)-one derivative and (ii) a dicarboxylic acid or a sulfimide derivative, or a pharmaceutically acceptable solvate thereof, wherein
10 the 2-amino-1-hydroxyethyl-8-hydroxyquinolin-2(1H)-one derivative is a compound of formula(I):



Formula (I)

Wherein:

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- R^1 , R^2 and R^3 independently represent a hydrogen atom or a C_{1-2} alkyl group,
 - R^4 represents a hydrogen atom, a hydroxy group, a hydroxymethyl group or a linear or branched C_{1-4} alkyl group,
 - R^5 and R^6 independently represents a thienyl group, a phenyl group, a benzyl group or a C_{4-6} cycloalkyl group,
 - 20 • V and W are independently selected from a -N-, -S- and -C(O)- group,
 - n and m independently have a value from 0 to 4.

25 The dash line (---) in formula(I) means that the bond may be either a single bond or a double bond.

The invention also provides a pharmaceutical composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a salt of the invention and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

5 The invention further provides a combination comprising a salt of the invention and one or more other therapeutic agents.

The invention also provides a salt of the invention, a pharmaceutical composition of the invention or a combination of the invention, for use in the treatment of a pathological condition or disease associated with both β 2 adrenergic receptor agonist and muscarinic
10 receptor antagonist activity.

The invention further provides the use of a salt of the invention, a pharmaceutical composition of the invention or a combination of the invention, in the manufacture of a medicament for the treatment of a pathological condition or disease associated with both
15 β 2 adrenergic receptor agonist and muscarinic receptor antagonist activity.

The invention also provides a method for treating a subject afflicted with a pathological condition or disease associated with both β 2 adrenergic receptor agonist and M3 muscarinic receptor antagonist activity, which comprises administering to said subject an
20 effective amount of a salt of the invention, a pharmaceutical composition of the invention or a combination of the invention.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF FIGURES

Figure 1 shows the Powder X-Ray Diffraction (PXRD) pattern for *trans*-4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino)methyl]-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl}(methyl)amino] cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate
25 saccharinate.

Figure 2 shows the ^1H -NMR (500 MHz MeOD- d_4) for *trans*-4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino)methyl]-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl}(methyl)amino] cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate saccharinate.
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Figure 3 shows the Thermogravimetric (TG) analysis and the differential scanning calorimetry (DSC) analysis of *trans*-4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-

dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino)methyl)-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl}(methyl)amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate saccharinate.

Figure 4 shows the powder X-ray diffraction (PXRD) pattern for *trans*-4-[[3-[6-([(2*R*)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino)methyl)-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2*H*)-yl]propyl}(methyl)-amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate.

Figure 5 is the ¹H-NMR spectrum (400 MHz, *d*6-DMSO) for *trans*-4-[[3-[6-([(2*R*)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino)methyl)-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2*H*)-yl]propyl}(methyl)-amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate.

Figure 6 shows the DSC analysis for *trans*-4-[[3-[6-([(2*R*)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino)methyl)-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2*H*)-yl]propyl}(methyl)-amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate

Figure 7 shows the TG analysis for *trans*-4-[[3-[6-([(2*R*)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino)methyl)-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2*H*)-yl]propyl}(methyl)-amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

When describing the salts, compositions and methods of the invention, the following terms have the following meanings, unless otherwise indicated.

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The term "therapeutically effective amount" refers to an amount sufficient to effect treatment when administered to a patient in need of treatment.

The term "treatment" as used herein refers to the treatment of a disease or medical condition in a human patient which includes:

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- (a) preventing the disease or medical condition from occurring, i.e., prophylactic treatment of a patient;
- (b) ameliorating the disease or medical condition, i.e., causing regression of the disease or medical condition in a patient;

(c) suppressing the disease or medical condition, i.e., slowing the development of the disease or medical condition in a patient; or

(d) alleviating the symptoms of the disease or medical condition in a patient.

5 The phrase "disease or condition associated with β 2 adrenergic receptor agonist and M3 muscarinic receptor antagonist activities" includes all disease states and/or conditions that are acknowledged now, or that are found in the future, to be associated with both β 2 adrenergic receptor agonist and M3 muscarinic receptor antagonist activity. Such disease states include, but are not limited to, pulmonary diseases, such as asthma and chronic
10 obstructive pulmonary disease (including chronic bronchitis and emphysema), as well as neurological disorders and cardiac disorders. β 2 adrenergic receptor activity is also known to be associated with pre-term labor (see International Patent Application Publication Number WO 98/09632), glaucoma and some types of inflammation (see International Patent Application Publication Number WO 99/30703 and Patent Application Publication
15 Number EP 1 078 629).

On the other hand M3 receptor activity is associated with gastrointestinal-tract disorders such as Irritable bowel syndrome (IBS) (see, for ex., US5397800), gastrointestinal (GI) ulcers , spastic colitis (see, for ex., US 4556653); urinary-tract disorders such as urinary
20 incontinence (see, for ex., J.Med.Chem., 2005, 48, 6597-6606), pollakiuria; motion sickness and vagally induced sinus bradycardia.

The compounds of the invention may exist in both unsolvated and solvated forms. The term solvate is used herein to describe a molecular complex comprising a compound of
25 the invention and an amount of one or more pharmaceutically acceptable solvent molecules. The term hydrate is employed when said solvent is water. Examples of solvate forms include, but are not limited to, compounds of the invention in association with water, acetone, dichloromethane, 2-propanol, ethanol, methanol, dimethylsulfoxide (DMSO), ethyl acetate, acetic acid, ethanolamine, or mixtures thereof. It is specifically contemplated
30 that in the present invention one solvent molecule can be associated with one molecule of the compounds of the present invention, such as a hydrate.

Furthermore, it is specifically contemplated that in the present invention, more than one solvent molecule may be associated with one molecule of the compounds of the present

invention, such as a dihydrate. Additionally, it is specifically contemplated that in the present invention less than one solvent molecule may be associated with one molecule of the compounds of the present invention, such as a hemihydrate. Furthermore, solvates of the present invention are contemplated as solvates of compounds of the present invention that retain the biological effectiveness of the non-solvate form of the compounds.

As used herein the term C₁₋₄ alkyl embraces linear or branched radicals having 1 to 4 carbon atoms. Examples include methyl, ethyl, propyl, butyl, isopropyl and tert-butyl radicals.

As used herein the term C₁₋₂ alkyl embraces radicals having 1 to 2 carbon atoms. Examples include methyl and ethyl radicals.

As used herein, the term C₄-C₆ cycloalkyl radical embraces saturated monocyclic carbocyclic radicals having from 4 to 6 carbon atoms. Examples of monocyclic cycloalkyl groups include cyclobutyl, cyclopentyl and cyclohexyl group.

Typically, in the compound of formula (I), R¹, R² and R³ independently represent a hydrogen atom or a methyl group, preferably both R¹ and R² are a hydrogen atom while R₃ represents a methyl group.

Typically, in the compound of formula (I), V represents a -N- or -S- group, and W represents -N- or -C(O)- group.

Typically, in the compound of formula (I), n has a value of 0 or 1, and m has a value of 2 or 3. Preferably, n has a value of 0 while m has a value of 3.

Preferably, in the compound of formula (I), both R¹ and R² are a hydrogen atom, R₃ represents a methyl group, V represents a -N- or -S- group and W represents -N- or -C(O)- group, n has a value of 0 and m has a value of 3.

Typically, the dicarboxylic acid is selected from the group consisting of L-tartaric acid, fumaric acid, succinic acid, maleic acid and oxalic acid, preferably fumaric acid

Typically, the sulfimide derivative is selected from the group consisting of benzoic sulfimide (also known as saccharin), thieno[2,3-d]isothiazol-3(2H)-one 1,1-dioxide and isothiazol-3(2H)-one 1,1-dioxide, preferably benzoic sulfimide (saccharin).

- 5 In a preferred embodiment, the dicarboxylic acid is fumaric acid and the sulfimide derivative is saccharin.

Particular individual salt compounds of the invention include:

- 10 *trans*-4-[[3-[5-({[(2*R*)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl}(methyl)amino] cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate saccharinate, and
- trans*-4-[[3-[6-({[(2*R*)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2*H*)-yl]propyl}(methyl)-amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate,

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General synthetic procedures

- The salts of the invention can be prepared using the methods and procedures described herein, or using similar methods and procedures. It will be appreciated that where typical or preferred process conditions (i.e., reaction temperatures, times, mole ratios of
- 20 reactants, solvents, pressures, etc.) are given, other process conditions can also be used unless otherwise stated. Optimum reaction conditions may vary with the particular reactants or solvent used, but such conditions can be determined by one skilled in the art by routine optimization procedures.

- 25 Processes for preparing salts of the invention are provided as further embodiments of the invention and are illustrated by the procedures below.

- The salts of the invention can be synthesized from compounds of formula(I) and from the appropriate dicarboxylic acid or sulfimide derivatives, which will generally be commercially
- 30 available from, for example, Aldrich.

- Suitable solvents for carrying out the reaction can be selected by a skilled chemist and may depend on the specific salt to be formed. Mixtures of appropriate solvents may be used, optionally containing water. For example, the appropriate solvents may be selected
- 35 from ethanol, acetone, ethyl acetate, tetrahydrofuran or a mixture thereof.

Upon completion of any of the foregoing reactions, the salt can be isolated from the reaction mixture by any conventional means such as precipitation, concentration, centrifugation and the like.

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It will be appreciated that while specific process conditions (i.e. reaction temperatures, times, mole ratios of reactants, solvents, pressures, etc.) are given, other process conditions can also be used unless otherwise stated.

- 10 To prepare the salts of the present invention, the free base is typically dissolved in an appropriate solvent which in some examples is heated to approximately 60-80°C. Then a solution of the appropriate dicarboxylic acid or a sulfimide in an suitable solvent, preferably the same solvent as that in which the free base is dissolved, is typically added to the heated solution. The mixture is then optionally stirred for 15-300 minutes at 60-80°C
- 15 or at room temperature. The mixture is then typically cooled, for example down to 20-25°C. The precipitate formed is isolated by filtration, washed with an appropriate solvent and dried for example in vacuum.

Pharmaceutical compositions

- 20 The invention also encompasses pharmaceutical compositions comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a salt of the invention or an enantiomer or pharmaceutically acceptable solvate thereof and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier. Typically the pharmaceutical composition is formulated for administration by inhalation, preferably as a dry powder.

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Typically, the pharmaceutical composition further comprises a therapeutically effective amount of one or more other therapeutic agents.

- The pharmaceutical formulations may conveniently be presented in unit dosage form and
- 30 may be prepared by any of the methods well known in the art of pharmacy. All methods include the step of bringing the active ingredient(s) into association with the carrier. In general the formulations are prepared by uniformly and intimately bringing into association the active ingredient with liquid carriers or finely divided solid carriers or both and then, if necessary, shaping the product into the desired formulation.

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Dry powder compositions for topical delivery to the lung by inhalation may, for example, be presented in capsules and cartridges of for example gelatine or blisters of for example laminated aluminium foil, for use in an inhaler or insufflator. Formulations generally comprise a powder mix for inhalation of the salt of the invention and a suitable powder
5 base (carrier substance) such as lactose or starch. Use of lactose is preferred. The powder base may include additional components such as preservatives, stabilizing agents, absorption enhancers or aerodynamic modifier.

Each capsule or cartridge may generally contain between 0.1 µg and 9000 µg of each
10 therapeutically active ingredient. Alternatively, the active ingredient (s) may be presented without excipients.

Packaging of the formulation may be suitable for unit dose or multi-dose delivery. In the case of multi- dose delivery, the formulation can be pre-metered or metered in use. Dry
15 powder inhalers are thus classified into three groups: (a) single dose, (b) multiple unit dose and (c) multi dose devices.

For inhalers of the first type, single doses have been weighed by the manufacturer into small containers, which are mostly cartridges or hard gelatine capsules. In the case of a
20 cartridge, the single-dose inhaler is thus composed of a cartridge containing the inhalation powder and metering the individual dosages. The powder for inhalation is permanently situated in the bottom of cartridge, in a reservoir with a metering slide at the base and a lid at the top. When a capsule is used as a container, the capsule has to be taken from a separate box or container and inserted into a receptacle area of the inhaler. Next, the
25 capsule has to be opened or perforated with pins or cutting blades in order to allow part of the inspiratory air stream to pass through the capsule for powder entrainment or to discharge the powder from the capsule through these perforations by means of centrifugal force during inhalation. After inhalation, the emptied capsule has to be removed from the inhaler again. Mostly, disassembling of the inhaler is necessary for inserting and removing
30 the capsule, which is an operation that can be difficult and burdensome for some patients.

Other drawbacks related to the use of hard gelatine capsules for inhalation powders are (a) poor protection against moisture uptake from the ambient air, (b) problems with opening or perforation after the capsules have been exposed previously to extreme
35 relative humidity, which causes fragmentation or indenture, and (c) possible inhalation of

capsule fragments. Moreover, for a number of capsule inhalers, incomplete expulsion has been reported (e. g. Nielsen et al, 1997).

Some capsule inhalers have a magazine from which individual capsules can be transferred to a receiving chamber, in which perforation and emptying takes place, as described in WO 92/03175. Other capsule inhalers have revolving magazines with capsule chambers that can be brought in line with the air conduit for dose discharge (e. g. WO91/02558 and GB 2242134). They comprise the type of multiple unit dose inhalers together with blister inhalers, which have a limited number of unit doses in supply on a disk or on a strip.

Blister inhalers provide better moisture protection of the medicament than capsule inhalers. Access to the powder is obtained by perforating the cover as well as the blister foil, or by peeling off the cover foil. When a blister strip is used instead of a disk, the number of doses can be increased, but it is inconvenient for the patient to replace an empty strip. Therefore, such devices are often disposable with the incorporated dose system, including the technique used to transport the strip and open the blister pockets.

Multi-dose inhalers do not contain pre-measured quantities of the powder formulation. They consist of a relatively large container and a dose measuring principle that has to be operated by the patient. The container bears multiple doses that are isolated individually from the bulk of powder by volumetric displacement. Various dose measuring principles exist, including rotatable membranes (e. g. EP0069715) or disks (e. g. GB 2041763; EP 0424790; DE 4239402 and EP 0674533), rotatable cylinders (e. g. EP 0166294; GB 2165159 and WO 92/09322) and rotatable frustums (e. g. WO 92/00771), all having cavities which have to be filled with powder from the container. Other multi dose devices have measuring plungers with a local or circumferential recess to displace a certain volume of powder from the container to a delivery chamber or an air conduit (e. g. EP 0505321, WO 92/04068 and WO 92/04928), or measuring slides such as the Genuair® devise (formerly known as Novolizer SD2FL) which is described in the following patent applications: WO 97/000703, WO 03/000325 and WO2006/008027

Additional therapeutic agents

The salts of the present invention can also be used in combination with other drugs known to be effective in the treatment of the diseases or the disorders indicated above. For

example the salts of the present invention can be combined with (a) corticosteroids, or glucocorticoids (b) antihistamines (c) chemokine receptor antagonists, such as maraviroc or enfuvirtide, (e) CRTH₂ antagonists, (f) leukotriene receptor antagonists, (g) JAK inhibitors such as tofacitinib or INCB018424, (h) Syk inhibitors (i) phosphodiesterase IV inhibitors (j) p38 inhibitors such as ARRY-797, (k) PKC inhibitors such as NVP-AEB071, (l) 5-lipoxygenase activating protein inhibitors, such as veliflapon, (m) 5-lipoxygenase inhibitors, (n) CYSLTR1 antagonists (o) CYSLTR2 antagonists (p) BLT1 antagonists, (q) BLT2 antagonists, (r) thromboxane A₂ antagonists such as ramatroban, (s) DP1 receptor antagonists, such as laropiprant, (t) DP1 receptor agonists, such as BW-245C, (u) IP receptor agonists, such as RO-1138452, (v) Anti-IgE, such as omalizumab, (w) IL5 antibody, such as mepolizumab, (x) leukotriene formation inhibitors, (y) decongestants, such as ephedrine, levo-methamphetamine, naphazoline, oxymetazoline, phenylephrine, phenylpropanolamine, propylhexedrine, pseudoephedrine, synephrine or tetrahydrozoline; (z) mucolytics such as acetylcysteine, ambroxol, bromhexine, carbocisteine, domiodol, eprazinone, erdosteine, letosteine, nelteneine, sobrerol, stepronin or tiopronin; (aa) antitussives, such as dextromethorphan, (bb) analgesics such as aspirin, paracetamol, rofecoxib, celecoxib, morphine, codeine, oxycodone, hydrocodone, dihydromorphine or flupirtine; and (cc) expectorants such as antimony pentasulfide, guaiaacolsulfonate, guaifenesin, potassium iodide or tyloxapol.

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Accordingly, another embodiment of the invention is a combination product comprising (i) at least a salt compound as defined previously, and (ii) one or more active ingredients as described above, for simultaneous, separate or sequential use in the treatment of the human or animal body.

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A preferred embodiment of the invention is a combination product as defined above for the treatment or prevention of pathological conditions, diseases and disorders associated with both β ₂ adrenergic receptor and muscarinic antagonist activity, in particular wherein the pathological condition or disease is selected from asthma, acute or chronic bronchitis, emphysema, or Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD), preferably asthma and COPD, as well as a method for treating a subject afflicted with a pathological condition or disease associated with both β ₂ adrenergic receptor and muscarinic antagonist activity, in particular wherein the pathological condition or disease is as described above; which comprises administering to said subject an effective amount of a combination product as defined above.

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As indicated above, the salts according to the invention may also be used in combination with another therapeutically active agent as defined above.

- 5 The amount of each active which is required to achieve a therapeutic effect will, of course, vary with the particular active, the route of administration, the subject under treatment, and the particular disorder or disease being treated.

- 10 The active ingredients may be administered from 1 to 6 times a day, sufficient to exhibit the desired activity. Preferably, the active ingredients are administered once or twice a day.

- Examples of suitable PDE4 inhibitors that can be combined with salt compounds of the present invention are benafentrine dimaleate, etazolate, denbufylline, rolipram,
 15 cipamfylline, zardaverine, arofylline, filaminast, tielukast, tofimilast, piclamilast, tolafentrine, mesopram, drotaverine hydrochloride, lirimilast, roflumilast, cilomilast, oglemilast, apremilast, tetomilast, filaminast, (R)-(+)-4-[2-(3-Cyclopentyloxy-4-methoxyphenyl)-2-phenylethyl]pyridine (CDP-840), N-(3,5-Dichloro-4-pyridinyl)-2-[1-(4-fluorobenzyl)-5-hydroxy-1H-indol-3-yl]-2-oxoacetamide (GSK-842470), 9-(2-
 20 Fluorobenzyl)-N6-methyl-2-(trifluoromethyl)adenine (NCS-613), N-(3,5-Dichloro-4-pyridinyl)-8-methoxyquinoline-5-carboxamide (D-4418), 3-[3-(Cyclopentyloxy)-4-methoxybenzyl]-6-(ethylamino)-8-isopropyl-3H-purine hydrochloride (V-11294A), 6-[3-(N,N-Dimethylcarbamoyl)phenylsulfonyl]-4-(3-methoxyphenylamino)-8-methylquinoline-3-carboxamide hydrochloride (GSK-256066), 4-[6,7-Diethoxy-2,3-
 25 bis(hydroxymethyl)naphthalen-1-yl]-1-(2-methoxyethyl)pyridin-2(1H)-one (T-440), (-)-trans-2-[3'-[3-(N-Cyclopropylcarbamoyl)-4-oxo-1,4-dihydro-1,8-naphthyridin-1-yl]-3-fluorobiphenyl-4-yl]cyclopropanecarboxylic acid (MK-0873), CDC-801, UK-500001, BLX-914, 2-carbomethoxy-4-cyano-4-(3-cyclopropylmethoxy-4-difluoromethoxyphenyl)cyclohexan-1-one, *cis* [4-cyano-4-(3-cyclopropylmethoxy-4-difluoromethoxyphenyl)cyclohexan-1-ol, CDC-801 and 5(S)-[3-(Cyclopentyloxy)-4-methoxyphenyl]-3(S)-(3-methylbenzyl)piperidin-2-one (IPL-455903).

- Examples of suitable corticosteroids and glucocorticoids that can be combined with salt compound of the present invention are prednisolone, methylprednisolone,
 35 dexamethasone, dexamethasone cipeclate, naflocort, deflazacort, halopredone acetate,

budesonide, beclomethasone dipropionate, hydrocortisone, triamcinolone acetonide, fluocinolone acetonide, fluocinonide, clocortolone pivalate, methylprednisolone aceponate, dexamethasone palmitoate, tipredane, hydrocortisone aceponate, prednicarbate, alclometasone dipropionate, halometasone, methylprednisolone

5 suleptanate, mometasone, mometasone furoate, rimexolone, prednisolone farnesylate, ciclesonide, butixocort propionate, RPR-106541, deprodone propionate, fluticasone, fluticasone propionate, fluticasone furoate, halobetasol propionate, loteprednol etabonate, betamethasone butyrate propionate, flunisolide, prednisone, dexamethasone sodium phosphate, triamcinolone, betamethasone 17-valerate, betamethasone, betamethasone

10 dipropionate, 21-Chloro-11beta-hydroxy-17alpha-[2-(methylsulfanyl)acetoxy]-4-pregnene-3,20-dione, Desisobutyrylciclesonide, hydrocortisone acetate, hydrocortisone sodium succinate, NS-126, prednisolone sodium phosphate and hydrocortisone probutate, Prednisolone sodium metasulfobenzoate and clobetasol propionate.

15 Examples of suitable anti-histamines that can be combined with the salts of the invention are methapyrilene, mequitazine, azelastine hydrochloride, acrivastine, emedastine difumarate, emedastine fumarate, loratadine, cyproheptadine hydrochloride, diphenhydramine hydrochloride, doxepin hydrochloride, promethazine hydrochloride, levocabastine hydrochloride, desloratadine, cinnarizine, setastine hydrochloride,

20 mizolastine, ebastine, cetirizine hydrochloride, epinastine hydrochloride, olopatadine hydrochloride, bepotastine besilate, triprolidine hydrochloride, rupatadine fumarate, fexofenadine hydrochloride, levocetirizine dihydrochloride, ketotifen, azatadine maleate, dimethindene maleate, clemastine fumarate, alcaftadine, bilastine, vapitadine hydrochloride, AZD-1744, GSK-1004723D, GSK-835726 or SUN-1334H.

25 Examples of suitable leukotriene antagonist that can be combined with the salts of the present invention are CYSLTR1 antagonists, such as montelukast, pranlukast or zafirlukast; or CYSLTR2 antagonists, such as pranlukast, zafirlukast or tipilukast.

30 Examples of suitable CRTH₂ antagonist that can be combined with the salts of the present invention are ramatroban, AMG-009, OC-000459).

Examples of suitable Syk kinase inhibitors that can be combined with the salts of the present invention are fosfaminib (from Rigel), R-348 (from Rigel), R-343 (from Rigel), R-

35 112 (from Rigel), piceatannol, 2-(2-Aminoethylamino)-4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenylamino]

pyrimidine-5-carboxamide, R-091 (from Rigel), 6-[5-Fluoro-2-(3,4,5-trimethoxyphenylamino)pyrimidin-4-ylamino]-2,2-dimethyl-3,4-dihydro-2H-pyrido[3,2-b][1,4]oxazin-3-one benzenesulfonate (R-406 from Rigel), 1-(2,4,6-Trihydroxyphenyl)-2-(4-methoxyphenyl)ethan-1-one, N-[4-[6-(Cyclobutylamino)-9H-purin-2-ylamino]phenyl]-N-methylacetamide (QAB-205 from Novartis), CI-1002 (from Pfizer), VRT-750018 (from Vertex), PRT-062607, 2-[7-(3,4-Dimethoxyphenyl)imidazo[1,2-c]pyrimidin-5-ylamino]pyridine-3-carboxamide dihydrochloride (BAY-61-3606 from Bayer) and AVE-0950 (from Sanofi-Aventis).

10 ***Treatment of a pathological conditions or diseases associated with both β 2 adrenergic receptor and muscarinic antagonist activity***

The salts of the invention, pharmaceutical compositions and the combinations of the invention may be used in the treatment of pathological conditions or diseases associated with both β 2 adrenergic receptor and muscarinic antagonist activity, typically respiratory diseases. The respiratory disease is preferably one in which the use of bronchodilating agents is expected to have a beneficial effect, for example asthma, acute or chronic bronchitis, emphysema, or Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD). Asthma or chronic obstructive pulmonary disease are more preferred.

20 The active compounds in the combination and the second therapeutic agent as defined above, may be administered together in the same pharmaceutical composition or in different compositions intended for separate, simultaneous, concomitant or sequential administration by the same or a different route.

25 It is contemplated that all active agents would be administered at the same time, or very close in time. Alternatively, one or two actives could be taken in the morning and the other (s) later in the day. Or in another scenario, one or two actives could be taken twice daily and the other (s) once daily, either at the same time as one of the twice-a-day dosing occurred, or separately. Preferably at least two, and more preferably all, of the actives would be taken together at the same time. Preferably, at least two, and more preferably all
30 actives would be administered as an admixture.

The active substance compositions according to the invention are preferably administered in the form of compositions for inhalation delivered with the help of inhalers, especially dry powder inhalers, however, any other form or parenteral or oral application is possible.
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Here, the application of inhaled compositions embodies the preferred application form, especially in the therapy of obstructive lung diseases or for the treatment of asthma.

5 The active compound(s) formulations generally contain a suitable carrier which may be either a propellant for MDI administration or water for administration through a nebuliser. The formulation may comprise additional components such as preservatives (for example, benzalkonium chloride, potassium sorbate, benzyl alcohol); pH stabilizers (for example, acidic agents, alkaline agents, buffer systems); isotonic stabilizers (for example, sodium chloride); surfactant and wetting agents (for example, polysorbates, sorbitan esters);
10 and/or absorption enhancers (for example, chitosan, hyaluronic acid, surfactants). The formulation may also contain additives to improve the solubility of other active compounds when mixed with the salt of the invention. The solubility enhancers may comprise components such as cyclodextrins, liposomes or co-solvents such as ethanol, glycerol and propylene glycol.

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Additional suitable carriers for formulations of the active salts of the present invention can be found in Remington: The Science and Practice of Pharmacy, 20th Edition, Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, Philadelphia, Pa., 2000.

20 The carrier for a pharmaceutical composition in the form of a dry powder is typically chosen from starch or a pharmaceutically acceptable sugar, such as lactose or glucose. The amount of the active ingredient to the carrier will generally vary from 0.001% to 99%.

The invention further encompasses a method of treating diseases or conditions
25 associated with both β_2 adrenergic receptor and muscarinic antagonist activity, typically respiratory diseases, such as asthma or chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, in a mammal, the method comprising administering to the mammal, a therapeutically effective amount of a salt, pharmaceutical composition or combination of the invention. The mammal is preferably a human being.

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Examples

Reagents, starting materials, and solvents were purchased from commercial suppliers and used as received.

- Crystallizations test of salts of compounds of formula(I) with a broad range of pharmaceutically acceptable acids (comprising among others fumaric, succinic, sulphuric, 1-hydroxy-2-naphthoic, L-tartaric, hydrobromic, hydrochloric, oxalic, triphenylacetic, methanesulfonic, p-toluensulfonic, naphthalene-2-sulfonic, saccharin, mandelic, L-mandelic, maleic, 1S-camphor-10-sulfonic, L-malic, L-pyroglutamic and naphthalene-1,5-disulfonic acids) in a range of different pharmaceutically acceptable solvents (including among others acetone, ethyl acetate, isopropanol, 2-butanol, ethanol, chloroform, methanol and tetrahydrofurane or mixtures thereof) have been undertaken.
- 10 The salts from methanesulfonic, p-toluensulfonic and naphthalene-2-sulfonic acids were obtained as solid but with a very low crystallinity. Salts obtained from mandelic acid and L-mandelic acid are either oils or amorphous solids. On the other hand, the salts from hydrochloric acid and hydrobromic acid were unstable.
- 15 Only the salts of the invention were crystalline. In addition this crystalline properties, salts were neither hygroscopic nor deliquescent and had a relatively high melting point allowing them to be micronized and to have long term stability.

20 Particularly good methods to prepare the addition salts of the invention are illustrated in the following examples.

The FTIR spectra were recorded using either a Bruker Alpha spectrometer, equipped with a Bruker Diamond single reflection ATR system, a mid-infrared source as the excitation source and a DTGS detector, or using a Perking Elmer, Spectrum one spectrometer, 25 equipped with a Diamond single reflection ATR system, a mid-infrared source as the excitation source and a DTGS detector. The spectra were acquired in 32 scans at a resolution of 4 cm⁻¹ in the range of 4000-400 cm⁻¹.

DSC analyses were recorded either in a Mettler Toledo DSC822e or using a DSC-821 30 Mettler-Toledo, serial number 5117423874. In the case of a Mettler Toledo DSC822e equipment, samples of 1-3 mg were weighted (using a microscale MX5, Mettler) into 40 µL aluminium crucibles with a pinhole lid, and were heated, under nitrogen flow (50 mL / min), from 30 to 300 °C at a heating rate of 10 °C/min. Data collection and evaluation was done with software STARe. In case of a DSC-821 Mettler-Toledo, serial number

5117423874 equipment, samples were weighed into an aluminium pan, an aluminium pinhole lid placed on top of the sample and compressed with a brass rod. Samples were equilibrated at 25°C and heated at 10°C / min to 300°C. The instrument was calibrated using indium and zinc standards.

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Thermogravimetric analyses were recorded in a Mettler Toledo SDTA851e. Samples of 1-3 mg were weighted (using a microscale MX5, Mettler) 40 µL aluminium crucibles with a pinhole lid, and were heated at 10 °C/min between 30 and 300 °C, under nitrogen flow (50 mL / min). Data collection and evaluation was done with software STARe.

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Proton nuclear magnetic resonance analyses were recorded in a Bruker Avance 500 Ultrashield NMR spectrometer , a Varian VNMRs 600 MHz with coldprobe and a Varian Mercury-plus 400 MHz Spectra were acquired solving 8–10 mg of sample in 0.5 mL of deuterated solvent.

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In order to acquire a powder diffraction pattern of the obtained solid, approximately 20 mg of the non-manipulated samples were prepared in standard sample holders using foils of polyacetate.

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Powder diffraction patterns were acquired on a Bruker D8 Advance Series 2Theta/Theta powder diffraction system using CuKα1-radiation (1.54060 Å) in transmission geometry. The system is equipped with a VANTEC-1 single photon counting PSD, a Germanium monochromator, a ninety positions auto changer sample stage, fixed divergence slits and radial soller. Programs used: Data collection with DIFFRAC plus XRD Commander V.2.4.1 and evaluation with EVA V.12.0.

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Powder diffraction patterns were also performed on a Bruker X-ray powder diffractometer, model D2 Phaser with a Cu X-ray source. The method runs from 5 to 40 degrees 2-Theta with a 0.01 degree 2-Theta step size and a 0.4 second collection time at each step using a Lynxeye detector.

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Example 1 – Preparation of trans-4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl](methyl)-amino] cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate saccharinate

1.1 Preparation of free base of trans-4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl](methyl)-amino] cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate from hydrofluoride salt thereof.

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0.92 g of trans-4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl](methyl)amino] cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate dihydrofluoride are suspended in 10 ml of saturated sodium hydrogen carbonate solution. 40 ml of THF are added and the mixture is stirred at room temperature for 10 minutes. The solvents are eliminated under vacuum (bath temperature: 40°C) and the residue is treated with 50 ml of THF. After adding a teaspoon of Celite® and drying with sodium sulphate, the solids are filtered. The filtrate is concentrated to give 0.9 g of the free base.

1.2 Preparation of amorphous form of trans-4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl](methyl)-amino] cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate saccharinate.

trans-4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl](methyl)amino] cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate (100 mg) was dissolved in isopropanol (6 mL) at 60 °C. Saccharin (50 mg) was added directly over the solution. The obtained suspension was stirred for 1 hour, cooled to room temperature and filtered off under vacuum. A yellowish amorphous solid was obtained. Yield 86 mg (70 %).

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2.3 Preparation of Crystalline salt of trans-4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl](methyl)-amino] cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate saccharinate from the amorphous form.

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The non-crystalline saccharinate salt trans-4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl](methyl)-amino] cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate (60 mg, 0.081 mmol) was suspended in ethanol (1 mL) and stirred at 70 °C for 2 hours. The suspension was allowed to cool to a

room temperature, and the obtained off-white powder was filtered off and dried overnight under vacuum at 60 °C. Yield: 50 mg (85 %).

2.4 Direct Preparation of crystalline salt of trans-4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl](methyl)-amino] cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate saccharinate.

2.4.1 Using absolute ethanol as a solvent.

A solution of 15.64 mg of saccharine solved in 0.544 mL of absolute ethanol is added to a hot mixture of 60.42 mg of *trans*-4-((3-(5-((2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethylamino)-methyl)-1H-benzo[d][1,2,3]triazol-1-yl)propyl)(methyl)-amino)cyclohexyl 2-hydroxy-2,2-di(thiophen-2-yl)acetate in 0.302 mL of absolute ethanol. The mixture is heated at 65°C for 4 h. After formation of the salt, the mixture is then let to cool down, filtered, washed and dried under vacuum. 56.4 mg (74.8% yield) of the title product is obtained. Ethanol 96% may also be used as a solvent.

2.4.2 Using EtOH/ Ethyl acetate as a solvent

A solution of 110 mg of saccharine solved in 2 mL of a mixture EtOH 96%-ethyl acetate (3:1) is added to a hot mixture of 410 mg of *trans*-4-((3-(5-((2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethylamino)-methyl)-1H-benzo[d][1,2,3]triazol-1-yl)propyl)(methyl)-amino)cyclohexyl 2-hydroxy-2,2-di(thiophen-2-yl)acetate in 6.5 mL of ethanol 96%. The mixture is heated at 65°C for 3.5 h. After formation of the salt, the mixture is then let to cool down, filtered, washed and dried under vacuum. 367 mg (71.9% yield).

Figure 1 shows the powder X-ray diffraction (PXRD) pattern for the saccharinate salt. A large number of peaks were observed thus confirming the crystallinity of the salt. The summary of the XRPD angles and relative intensities are given in **Table 1**.

Table 1

Diffraction Angle (°2θ)	d value (Å)	Relative Intensity (%)
8.77	10.08	40.3
12.35	7.16	49.9
12.92	6.85	37.8

Diffraction Angle (°2θ)	d value (Å)	Relative Intensity (%)
13.35	6.63	33.8
13.85	3.39	30.5
15.43	5.74	33.2
17.68	5.01	52.4
18.17	4.88	74.3
18.86	4.70	35
20.36	4.36	42.8
21.12	4.20	56.7
21.79	4.07	52.6
21.97	4.04	47.6
22.23	4.00	54.7
22.63	3.93	34.3
24.04	3.70	30.5
24.79	3.59	59.2

Figure 2 corresponds to the ^1H -NMR spectrum of the saccharinate salt. It clearly shows a stoichiometry ratio of 1:1 free base / saccharin, as inferred from the comparison between the integral values of the protons corresponding to the aromatic ring of the saccharin molecule and that of a single proton of the hydroxyl radical of the parent structure.

^1H NMR (500 MHz, $\text{MeOD-}d_4$) (δ ppm): 1.3 – 1.6 (m), 1.95 (m, 2H), 2.13 (m, 2H), 2.35 – 2.45 (m, 3H), 2.53 (s, 3H), 2.78 - 2.93 (m, 3H), 3.17 (m, 2H), 4.36 (s, 2H), 4.81 (m, 1H), 4.87 (t, 2H), 5.42 (dd, 1H), 6.62 (d, 1H), 7.04 (dd, 2H), 7.07 (d, 1H), 7.11 (d, 1H), 7.20 (dd, 2H), 7.32 (d, 1H), 7.44 (dd, 2H), 7.71 (s, 1H), 7.75 (m, 2H), 7.84 (m, 2H), 7.91 (d, 1H), 8.16 (d, 1H), 8.33 (d, 1H).

Figure 3 shows the Thermogravimetric (TG) analysis with no significant changes until at about 130-140 °C (significant slope and loss of mass). Prior to 140°C, and in particular at the temperature range of 80-100°C, the sample does not exhibit any change. This indicates that there is no solvent / water release, confirming thus the lack of hygroscopicity of the sample.

On the other hand, Differential Scanning Calorimetry (DSC) only shows an intense endothermic curve with an onset at about 170 °C, indicating a possible decomposition of

the salt. This indicates that below 170°C, the sample does not convert into any other polymorphs and does not suffer any decomposition, confirming thus its high stability

Example 2 – Preparation of *trans*-4-[[3-[6-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2H)-yl]propyl](methyl)amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate

1.1 Preparation of free base of *trans*-4-[[3-[6-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2H)-yl]propyl](methyl)amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate from hydrofluoride salt thereof.

To a suspension of 125 mg (0.153 mmol) of *trans*-4-[[3-[6-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2H)-yl]propyl](methyl)amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate dihydrofluoride in 7 ml of CHCl₃, 17 ml of saturated NaHCO₃ aqueous solution were added. The mixture was stirred during five minutes at room temperature. The solid became an oil and CHCl₃/MeOH (10:1) solution was slowly added until dissolution was observed (a total volume of 28 ml was added). The phases were separated and the aqueous phase was extracted again with CHCl₃/MeOH (10:1) solution (20 ml, 10 ml). The organic phases were combined, dried under MgSO₄, filtered and solvents were concentrated under reduced pressure to obtain 121 mg of the free base as a yellow dry foam.

1.2 Direct preparation of crystalline *trans*-4-[[3-[6-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2H)-yl]propyl](methyl)amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate.

108 mg of the *trans*-4-[[3-[6-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2H)-yl]propyl](methyl)amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate free base (0.14 mmol) were dissolved in 4.5 ml of tetrahydrofuran and 2.5 ml of ethanol were added. The solution was filtered through a 0.45 µm syringe filter to eliminate a very slight cloudiness. To an aliquot part of 0.7 ml of the filtrate (0.014 mmol of the free base), a solution of 1.8 mg of fumaric acid (0.0155 mmol, 1.11 eq) in 0.37 ml of EtOH was added dropwise and shaking occasionally. The formation of a white cloudiness started after the addition of the first drops of the acid

solution and then the precipitate increased gradually. The mixture was allowed to stand at room temperature during 96 hours. The white solid was filtered, washed with ethanol/diethyl ether (1:1) solution and then with diethyl ether to give, after drying under nitrogen pressure, 7.5 mg of the title salt. (60.1%).

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Figure 4 shows the powder X-ray diffraction (PXRD) pattern for the fumarate salt. Some very intensive peaks were observed thus confirming the crystallinity of the salt. The summary of the XRPD angles and relative intensities are given in **Table 2**.

10 **Table 2.**

Diffraction Angle (°2θ)	d value (Å)	Relative Intensity (%)
19.65	4.51	7.1
21.71	4.09	97.6
24.10	3.69	29.2

Figure 5 corresponds to the ¹H-NMR spectrum of the fumarate salt. It clearly shows a stoichiometry ratio of **1:1** free base / fumaric acid, as inferred from the comparison between the integral values of the protons corresponding to the fumaric acid molecule and that of a single proton of the dihydroquinoliny radical of the parent structure

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¹H-NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ ppm 1.32 - 1.41 (m, 4 H), 1.67 - 1.78 (m, 4 H), 1.88 - 1.94 (m, , 2 H), 2.16 (s, 3 H), 2.42 - 2.47 (m, 2 H), 2.54 - 2.59 (m, 1 H), 2.74 - 2.80 (m, 2 H), 3.91 - 3.94 (m, 4 H), 3.98 - 4.13 (m, 2 H), 4.64 - 4.72 (m, 1 H), 5.17 (t, 1 H), 6.46 (d, *J*=10.2 Hz, 1 H), 6.53 (s, 2 H), 6.90 - 6.95 (m, 2 H), 6.95 - 6.99 (m, 2 H), 7.03 - 7.09 (m, 3 H), 7.25 (br. s., 1 H), 7.30 - 7.35 (m, 1 H), 7.36 - 7.41 (m, 1 H), 7.43 - 7.48 (m, 2 H), 7.63 (s, 1 H), 8.11 (d, *J*=9.8 Hz, 1 H), 10.36 (br. s., 1 H).

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Figure 6 shows the DSC analysis for the fumarate salt showing only an intense endothermic curve with a maximum at 134 °C, indicating a possible fusion / decomposition of the salt. This indicates that below 134°C, the sample does not convert into any other polymorphs and does not suffer any decomposition, confirming thus its high stability

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Figure 7 shows the TG analysis for the fumarate salt. No significant changes are observed until about 140 °C, in which the salt decomposes.

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The following preparations forms are cited as composition (formulation) examples:

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COMPOSITION EXAMPLE 1

Formulation Example 1 (Formulation for inhalation with a DPI)

Ingredient	Amount
<i>trans</i> -4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl](methyl-amino) cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate saccharinate (micronized)	15 mg
Lactose	3000 mg

Formulation Example 2 (Formulation for inhalation with a DPI)

Ingredient	Amount
<i>trans</i> -4-[[3-[6-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2H)-yl]propyl](methyl)amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate (micronized)	15 mg
Lactose	3000 mg

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Formulation Example 3 (Formulation for a MDI)

Ingredient	Amount
<i>trans</i> -4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl](methyl-amino) cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate saccharinate (micronized)	10 g
1,1,1,2,3,3,3-heptafluoro-n-propane	q.s. to 200 ml

Formulation Example 4 (Formulation for a MDI)

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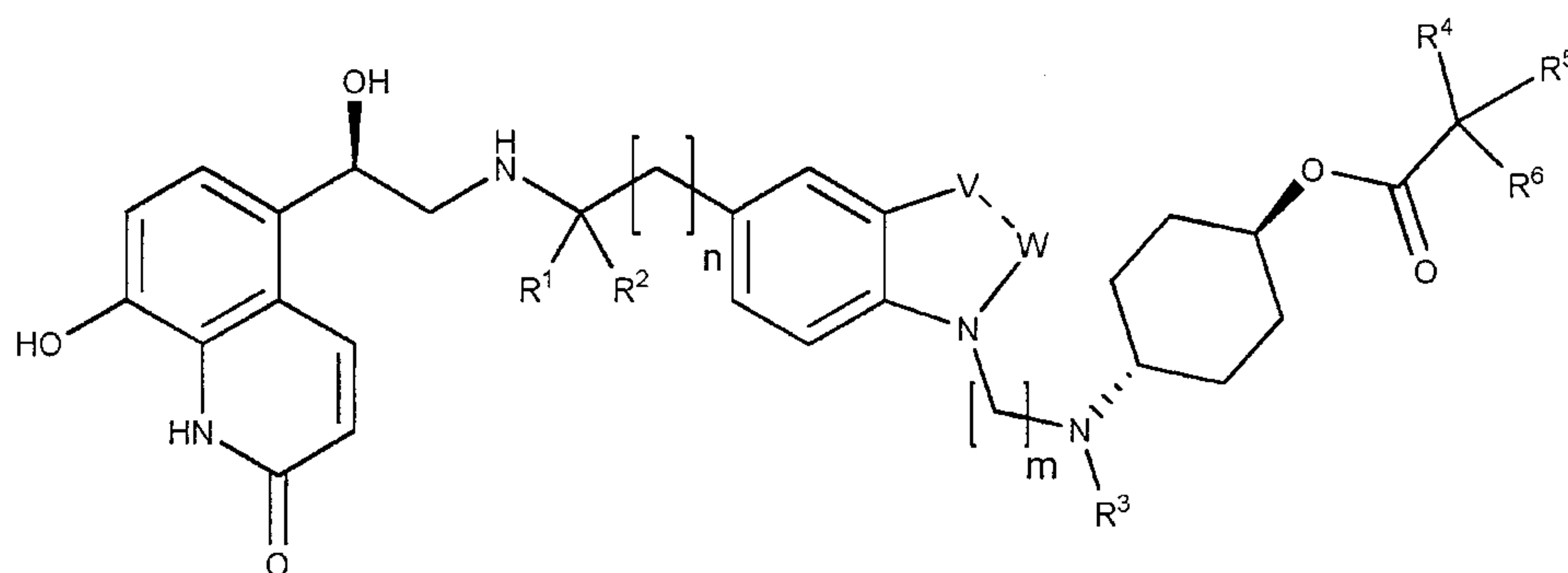
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Ingredient	Amount
<i>trans</i> -4-[[3-[6-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2H)-yl]propyl}(methyl)amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate (micronized)	10 g
1,1,1,2,3,3,3-heptafluoro-n-propane	q.s. to 200 ml

CLAIMS

1. A pharmaceutically acceptable crystalline addition salt of (i) a 2-amino-1-hydroxyethyl-8-hydroxyquinolin-2(1H)-one derivative and (ii) a dicarboxylic acid or a sulfimide derivative, or a pharmaceutically acceptable solvate thereof, wherein the 2-amino-1-hydroxyethyl-8-hydroxyquinolin-2(1H)-one derivative is a compound of formula(I):



wherein:

- R^1 , R^2 and R^3 independently represent a hydrogen atom or a C_{1-2} alkyl group,
- 10 • R^4 represents a hydrogen atom, a hydroxy group, a hydroxymethyl group or a linear or branched C_{1-4} alkyl group,
- R^5 and R^6 independently represents a thienyl group, a phenyl group, a benzyl group or a C_{4-6} cycloalkyl group,
- V and W are independently selected from a -N-, -S- and -C(O)- group,
- 15 • n and m independently have a value from 0 to 4.

2. A salt according to claim 1, wherein R^1 , R^2 and R^3 independently represent a hydrogen atom or a methyl group, preferably both R^1 and R^2 are a hydrogen atom and R^3 represents a methyl group.

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3. A salt according to claim 1 or 2, wherein V represents a -N- or -S- group and W represents -N- or -C(O)- group.

4. A salt according to any one of claims 1 to 3, wherein n has a value of 0 or 1, and m has a value of 2 or 3, preferably, n has a value of 0 while m has a value of 3.

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5. A salt according to any one of claims 1 to 4, wherein both R¹ and R² are a hydrogen atom, R₃ represents a methyl group, V represents a –N- or –S- group and W represents –N- or –C(O)- group, n has a value of 0 and m has a value of 3.
- 5 6. A salt according to any of the preceding claims wherein the dicarboxylic acid is fumaric acid or the sulfimide derivative is saccharin.
7. A salt according to any of the preceding claims, which is one of
- 10 *trans*-4-[[3-[5-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino)methyl]-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl}(methyl)amino] cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate saccharinate, and
- trans*-4-[[3-[6-({[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino)methyl]-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2H)-yl]propyl}(methyl)-amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate,
- 15 or a pharmaceutically acceptable solvate thereof.
8. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a therapeutically effective amount of a salt as defined in any one claims 1 to 7 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 20 9. A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 8, which is formulated for administration by inhalation as a dry powder.
10. A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 8 or 9, which further comprises a
- 25 therapeutically effective amount of one or more other therapeutic agents.
11. A pharmaceutical composition according to claim 10 wherein the other therapeutic agent is selected from:
- (a) corticosteroids, or glucocorticoids,
- 30 (b) antihistamines,
- (c) chemokine receptor antagonists, such as maraviroc or enfuvirtide,
- (e) CRTH₂ antagonists,
- (f) leukotriene receptor antagonists,
- (g) JAK inhibitors such as tofacitinib or INCB018424,
- 35 (h) Syk inhibitors such as R-343,

- (i) phosphodiesterase IV inhibitors,
- (j) p38 Inhibitors such as ARRY-797,
- (k) PKC inhibitors such as NVP-AEB071,
- (l) 5-lipoxygenase activating protein inhibitors, such as veliflapon,
- 5 (m) 5-lipoxygenase inhibitors,
- (n) CYSLTR1 antagonists,
- (o) CYSLTR2 antagonists,
- (p) BLT1 antagonists,
- (q) BLT2 antagonists,
- 10 (r) thromboxane A2 antagonists such as ramatroban,
- (s) DP1 receptor antagonists, such as laropiprant,
- (t) DP1 receptor agonists, such as BW-245C,
- (u) IP receptor agonists, such as RO-1138452,
- (v) Anti-IgE, such as omalizumab,
- 15 (w) IL5 antibody, such as mepolizumab,
- (x) leukotriene formation inhibitors,
- (y) decongestants, such as ephedrine, levo-methamphetamine, naphazoline, oxymetazoline, phenylephrine, phenylpropanolamine, propylhexedrine, pseudoephedrine, synephrine or tetrahydrozoline;
- 20 (z) mucolytics such as acetylcysteine, ambroxol, bromhexine, carbocisteine, domiodol, eprazinone, erdosteine, letosteine, nelteneine, sobrerol, stepronin or tiopronin;
- (aa) antitussives, such as dextromethorphan,
- (bb) analgesics such as aspirin, paracetamol, rofecoxib, celecoxib, morphine,
- 25 codeine, oxycodone, hydrocodone, dihydromorphine or flupirtine; and
- (cc) expectorants such as antimony pentasulfide, guaiacolsulfonate, guaifenesin, potassium iodide or tyloxapol.

12. A combination comprising a salt as defined in any one of claims 1 to 7 and one or
30 more other therapeutic agent, as defined in claim 11.

13. A salt according to any one of claims 1 to 7, a pharmaceutical composition as defined
in any one of claims 8 to 11 or a combination as defined in claim 12, for use in the
treatment of a pathological condition or disease associated with both β 2 adrenergic
35 receptor and muscarinic antagonist activity.

14. A salt, pharmaceutical composition or combination for use as defined in claim 13,
wherein the pathological condition or disease is respiratory diseases, preferably, asthma,
acute or chronic bronchitis, emphysema, or Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
5 (COPD.

15. A salt, pharmaceutical composition or combination for use as defined in claim 14,
wherein the pathological condition or disease is asthma or chronic obstructive pulmonary
disease.

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16. Use of a salt as defined in any one of claim 1 to 7 a pharmaceutical composition as
defined in any one of claims 8 to 11 or a combination as defined in claim 12, in the
manufacture of a medicament for the treatment of a pathological condition or disease as
defined in any one of claims 14 to 15.

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17. A method for treating a subject afflicted with a pathological condition or disease as
defined in any one of claims 14 to 15, which comprises administering to said subject an
effective amount of a salt as defined in any one of claim 1 to 7, a pharmaceutical
composition as defined in any one of claims 8 to 11 or a combination as defined in claim
20 12.

Figure 1

Powder X-Ray Diffraction (PXRD) pattern for *trans*-4-[(3-[5-[(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino)methyl]-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl)(methyl)amino] cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate saccharinate.

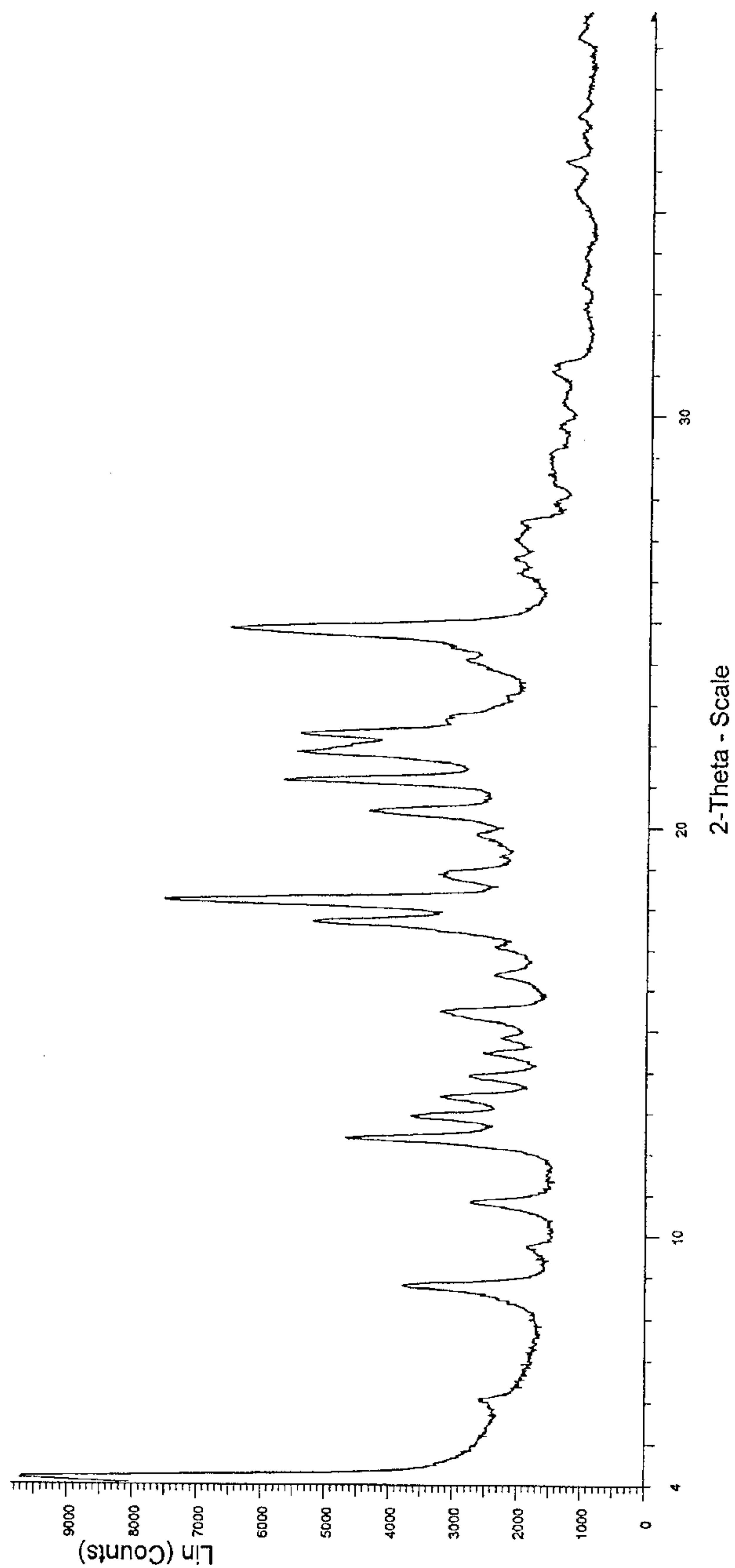


Figure 2

¹H-NMR (500 MHz, MeOD - d4) for *trans*-4-[(3-[5-([(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino)methyl)-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl](methylamino) cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate saccharinate

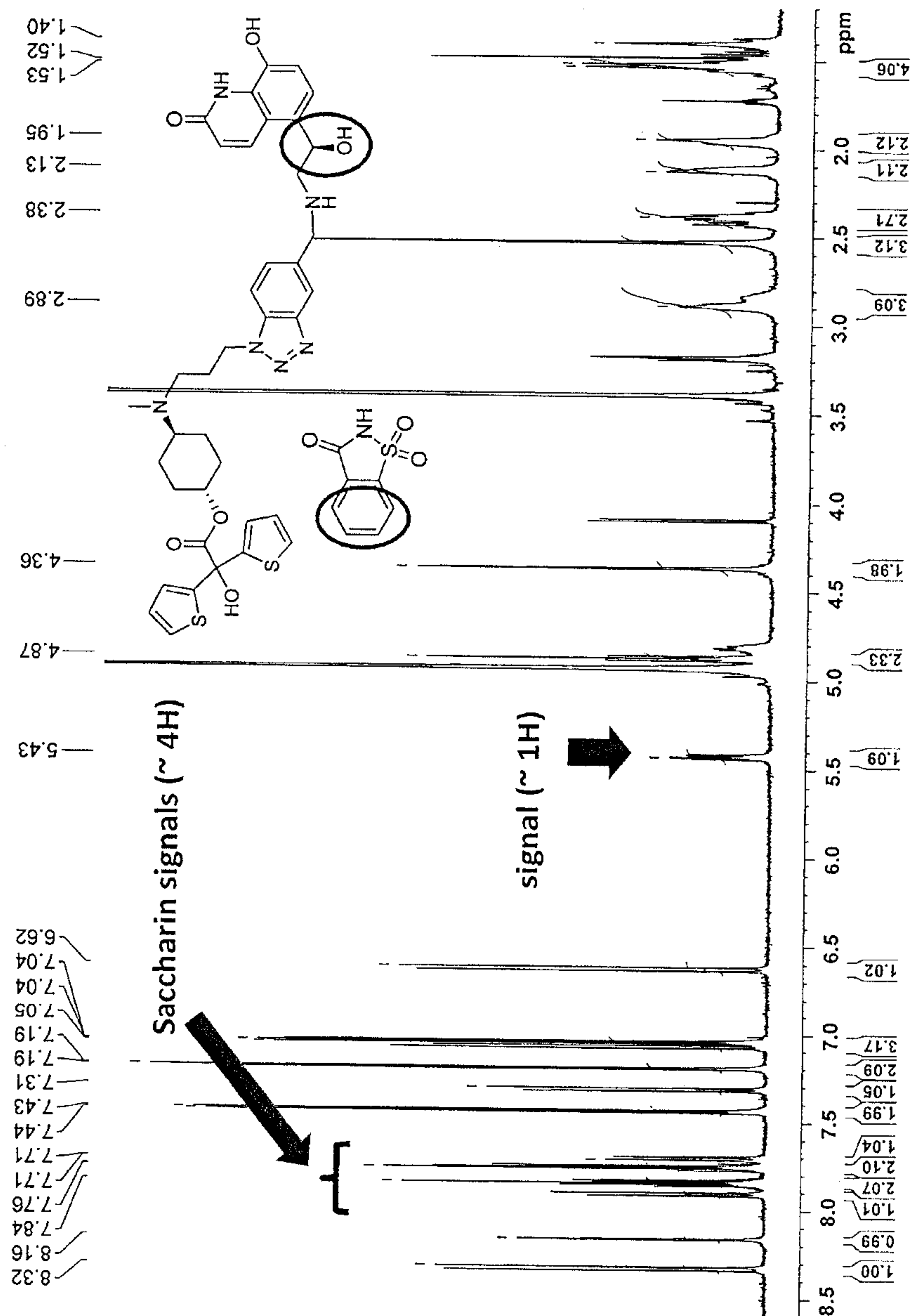


Figure 3

Thermogravimetric (TG) and Differential scanning calorimetry (DSC) analysis of *trans*-4-[(3-[5-([(2R)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino)methyl)-1H-1,2,3-benzotriazol-1-yl]propyl](methyl)cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate saccharinate.

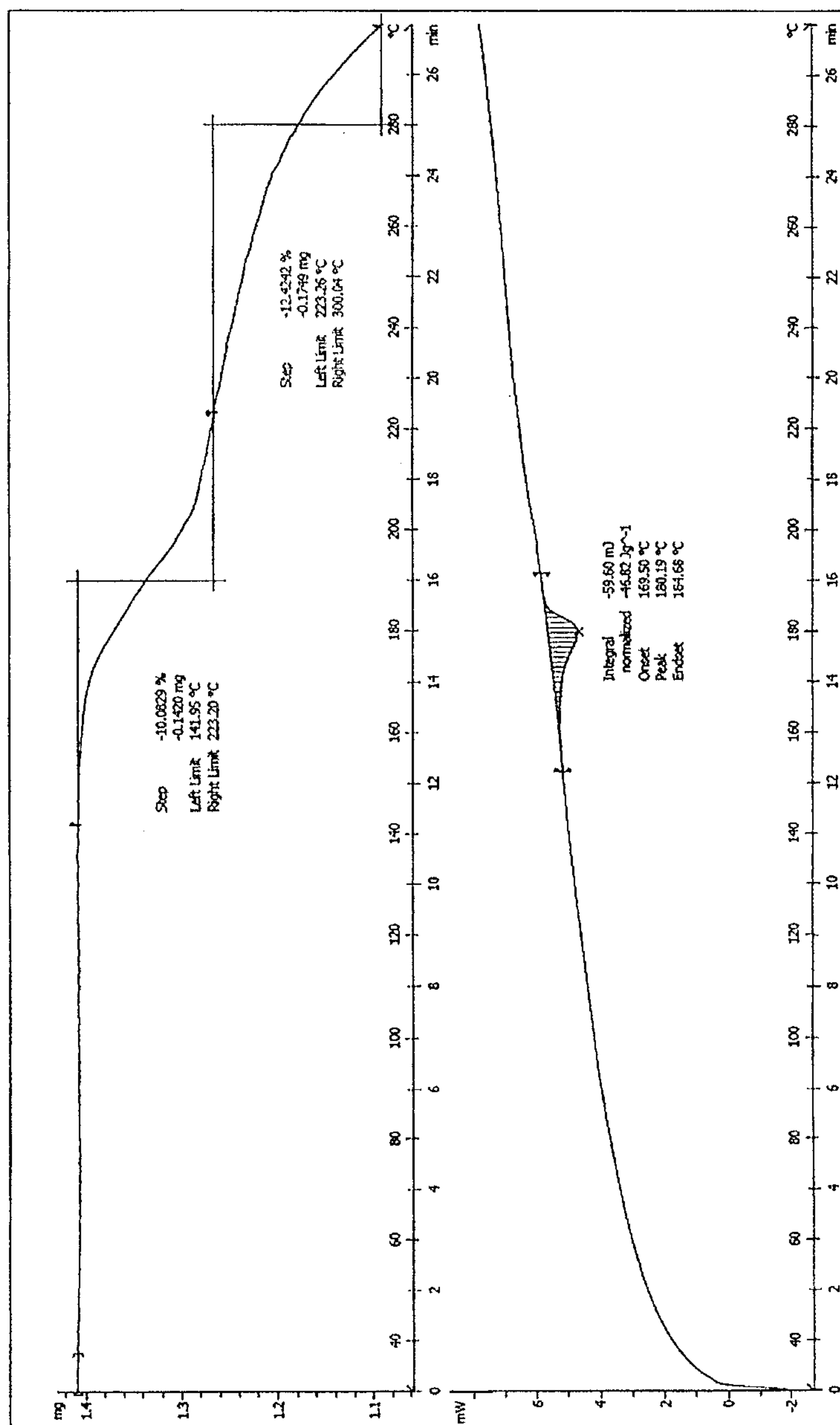


Figure 4

X-ray diffraction (PXRD) pattern for *trans*-4-{{3-[6-{{[(2*R*)-2-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl]ethyl]amino}methyl)}-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2*H*)-yl]propyl}(methyl)-amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate.

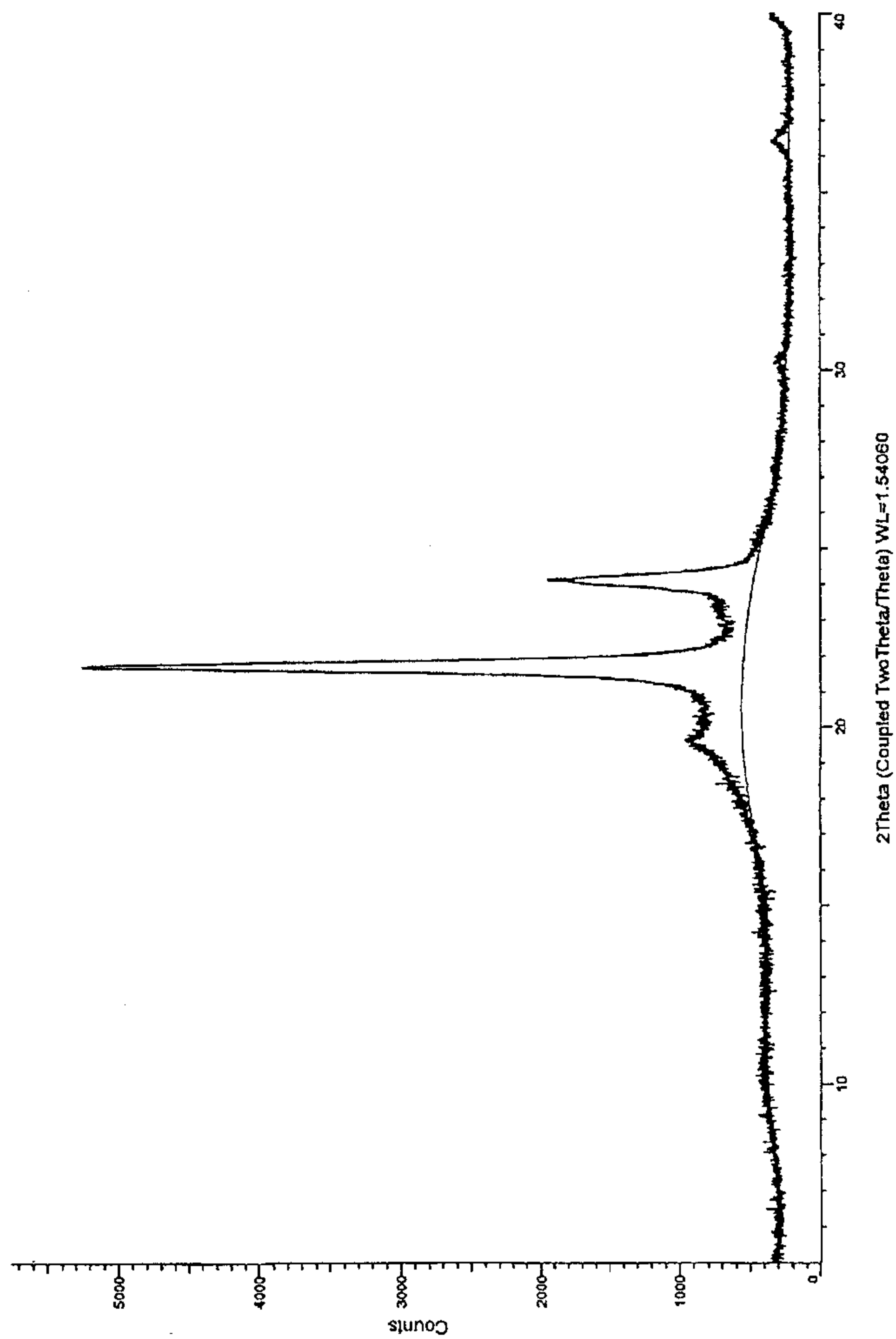


Figure 5
¹H-NMR spectrum (400 MHz, d₆-DMSO) for *trans*-4-[[3-[6-({[(2*R*)-2-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2*H*)-yl]propyl}(methyl)-amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate.

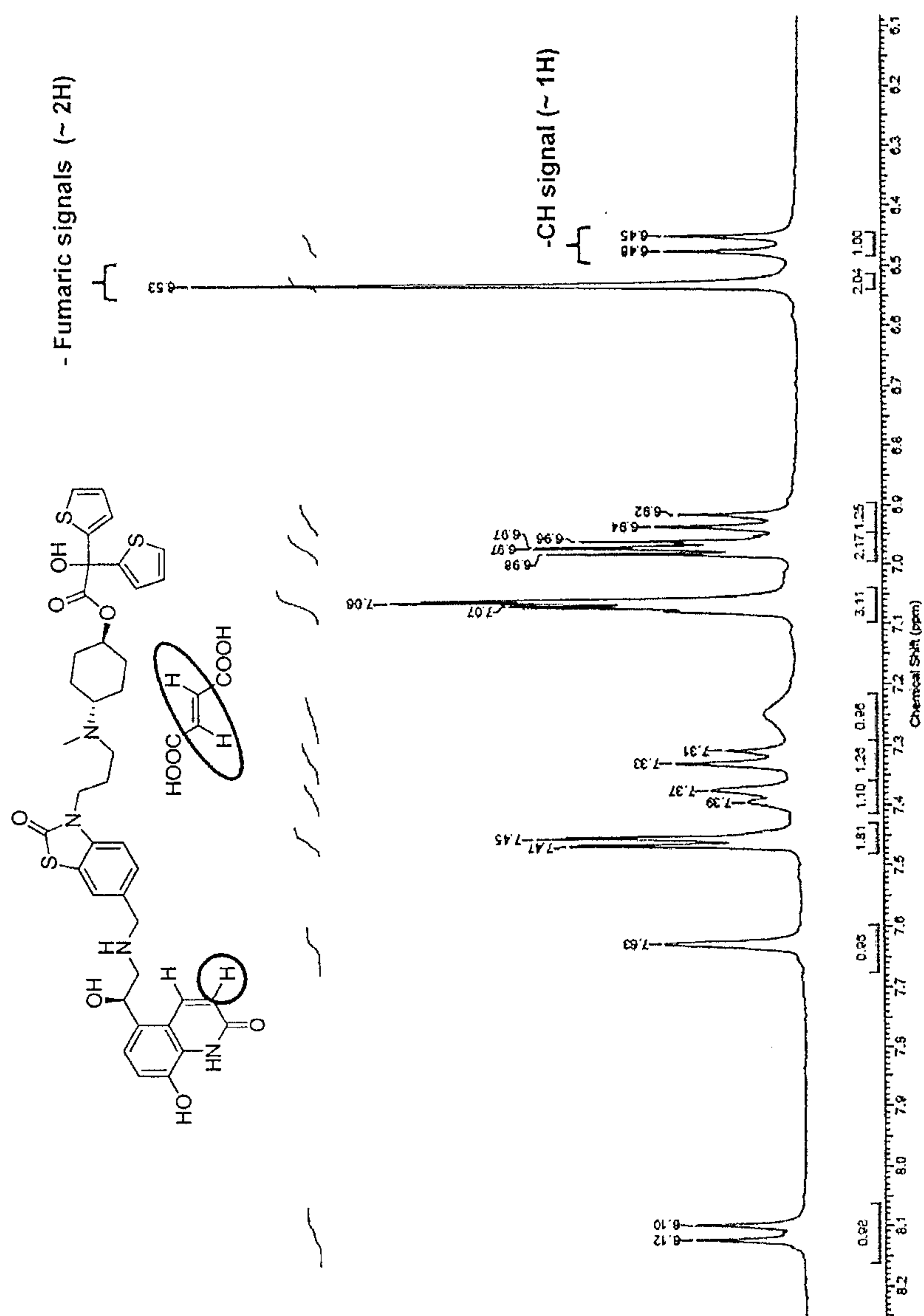


Figure 6

DSC analysis for *trans*-4-{{3-[6-{{[(2*R*)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino}methyl)}-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2*H*)-yl]propyl}(methyl)-amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate

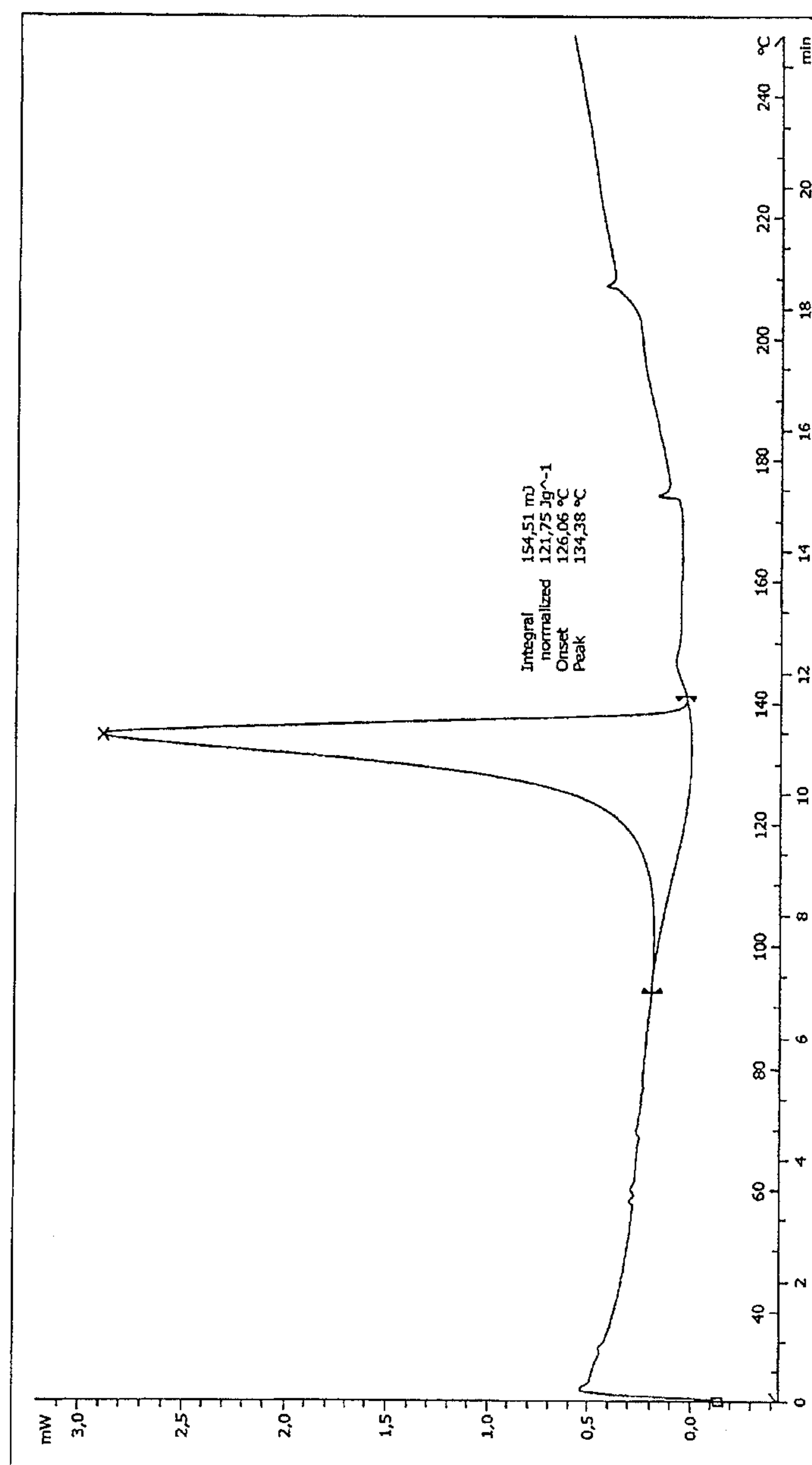


Figure 7

TG analysis for *trans*-4-[[3-[6-({[(2*R*)-2-hydroxy-2-(8-hydroxy-2-oxo-1,2-dihydroquinolin-5-yl)ethyl]amino)methyl]-2-oxo-1,3-benzothiazol-3(2*H*)-yl]propyl}(methyl)-amino]cyclohexyl hydroxy(di-2-thienyl)acetate fumarate.

