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COMPOUNDS FOR THE TREATMENT OF HEPATITIS C

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

5 This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application Serial Numbers 61/049,944 filed May 2, 2008 and 60/954,814 filed August 9, 2007.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

10 Hepatitis C virus (HCV) is a major human pathogen, infecting an estimated 170 million persons worldwide - roughly five times the number infected by human immunodeficiency virus type 1. A substantial fraction of these HCV infected individuals develop serious progressive liver disease, including cirrhosis and hepatocellular carcinoma (Lauer, G. M.; Walker, B. D. *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2001**, 345,
15 41-52).

HCV is a positive-stranded RNA virus. Based on a comparison of the deduced amino acid sequence and the extensive similarity in the 5'-untranslated region, HCV has been classified as a separate genus in the Flaviviridae family. All
20 members of the Flaviviridae family have enveloped virions that contain a positive stranded RNA genome encoding all known virus-specific proteins via translation of a single, uninterrupted, open reading frame.

Considerable heterogeneity is found within the nucleotide and encoded amino
25 acid sequence throughout the HCV genome. At least six major genotypes have been characterized, and more than 50 subtypes have been described. The major genotypes of HCV differ in their distribution worldwide, and the clinical significance of the genetic heterogeneity of HCV remains elusive despite numerous studies of the possible effect of genotypes on pathogenesis and therapy.

30 The single strand HCV RNA genome is approximately 9500 nucleotides in length and has a single open reading frame (ORF) encoding a single large polyprotein of about 3000 amino acids. In infected cells, this polyprotein is cleaved at multiple sites by cellular and viral proteases to produce the structural and non-structural (NS)

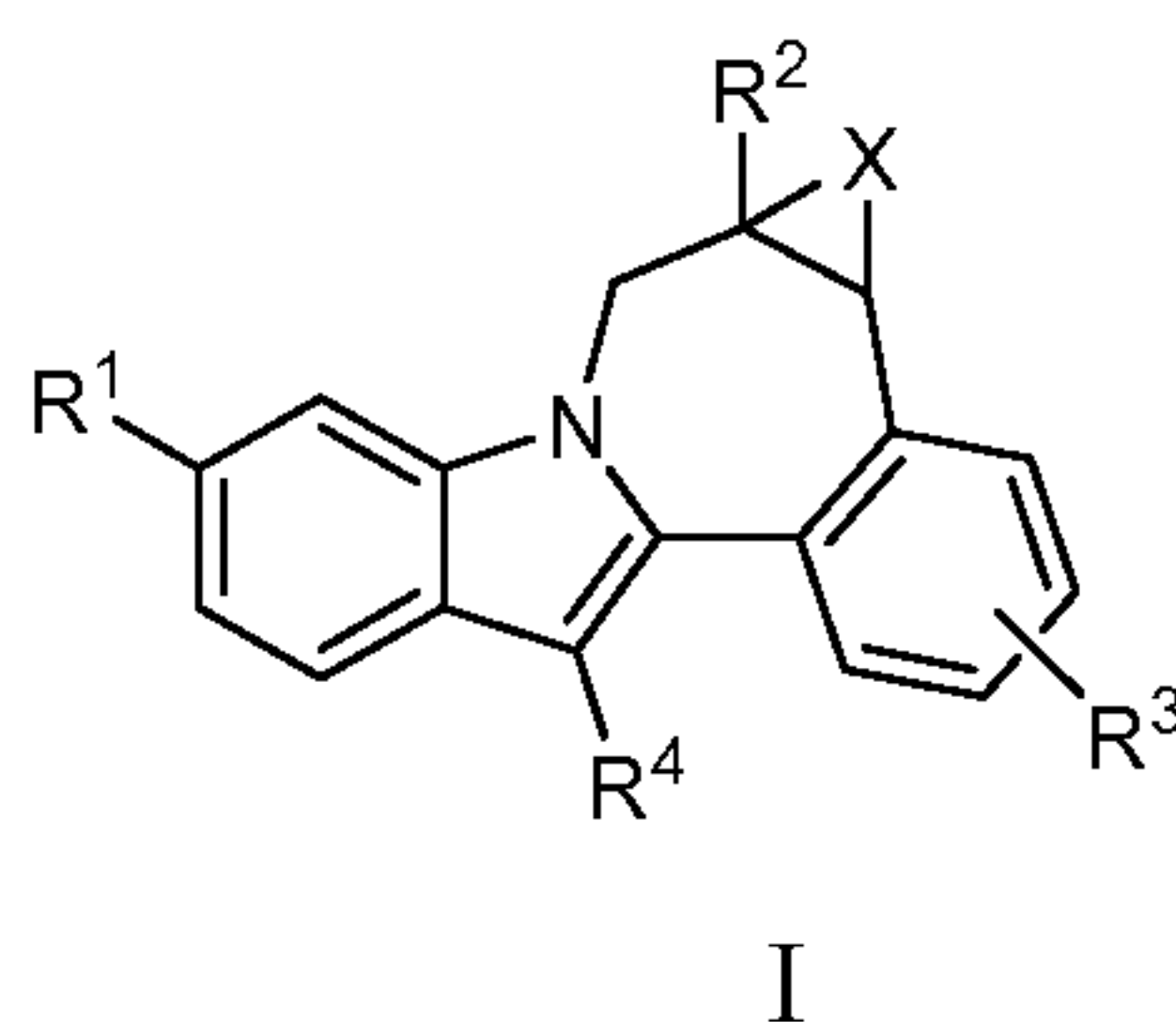
proteins. In the case of HCV, the generation of mature non-structural proteins (NS2, NS3, NS4A, NS4B, NS5A, and NS5B) is effected by two viral proteases. The first one is believed to be a metalloprotease and cleaves at the NS2-NS3 junction; the second one is a serine protease contained within the N-terminal region of NS3 (also referred to as NS3 protease) and mediates all the subsequent cleavages downstream of NS3, both in cis, at the NS3-NS4A cleavage site, and in trans, for the remaining NS4A-NS4B, NS4B-NS5A, NS5A-NS5B sites. The NS4A protein appears to serve multiple functions, acting as a cofactor for the NS3 protease and possibly assisting in the membrane localization of NS3 and other viral replicase components. The complex formation of the NS3 protein with NS4A seems necessary to the processing events, enhancing the proteolytic efficiency at all of the sites. The NS3 protein also exhibits nucleoside triphosphatase and RNA helicase activities. NS5B (also referred to as HCV polymerase) is a RNA-dependent RNA polymerase that is involved in the replication of HCV. The HCV NS5B protein is described in "Structural Analysis of the Hepatitis C Virus RNA Polymerase in Complex with Ribonucleotides (Bressanelli; S. et al., *Journal of Virology* **2002**, 3482-3492; and Defrancesco and Rice, *Clinics in Liver Disease* **2003**, 7, 211-242.

Currently, the most effective HCV therapy employs a combination of alpha-interferon and ribavirin, leading to sustained efficacy in 40% of patients (Poynard, T. et al. *Lancet* **1998**, 352, 1426-1432). Recent clinical results demonstrate that pegylated alpha-interferon is superior to unmodified alpha-interferon as monotherapy (Zeuzem, S. et al. *N. Engl. J. Med.* **2000**, 343, 1666-1672). However, even with experimental therapeutic regimens involving combinations of pegylated alpha-interferon and ribavirin, a substantial fraction of patients do not have a sustained reduction in viral load. Thus, there is a clear and important need to develop effective therapeutics for treatment of HCV infection.

DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

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One aspect of the invention is a compound of formula I



where:

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R^1 is CO_2R^5 or CONR^6R^7 ;

R^2 is furanyl, pyrrolyl, thienyl, pyrazolyl, isoxazolyl, isothiazolyl, imidazolyl, oxazolyl, thiazolyl, oxadiazolyl, triazolyl, or tetrazolyl, and is substituted with 0-2
10 substituents selected from oxo, amino, alkylthio, alkyl, and haloalkyl, and 1 substituent selected from CO_2R^5 , $\text{CON}(R^{12})_2$, and COR^{13} ;

R^3 is hydrogen, halo, alkyl, alkenyl, hydroxy, benzyloxy, or alkoxy;

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R^4 is cycloalkyl;

R^5 is hydrogen or alkyl;

R^6 is hydrogen, alkyl, alkyl SO_2 , cycloalkyl SO_2 , haloalkyl SO_2 ,
20 $(R^9)(R^{10})\text{NSO}_2$, or $(R^{11})\text{SO}_2$;

R^7 is hydrogen or alkyl;

R^8 is hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl, (cycloalkyl)alkyl, alkylcarbonyl,
25 cycloalkylcarbonyl, haloalkylcarbonyl, alkoxy carbonyl, alkyl SO_2 , cycloalkyl SO_2 , haloalkyl SO_2 , aminocarbonyl, (alkylamino)carbonyl, (dialkylamino)carbonyl, benzyl, benzyloxycarbonyl, or pyridinyl;

R^9 is hydrogen or alkyl;

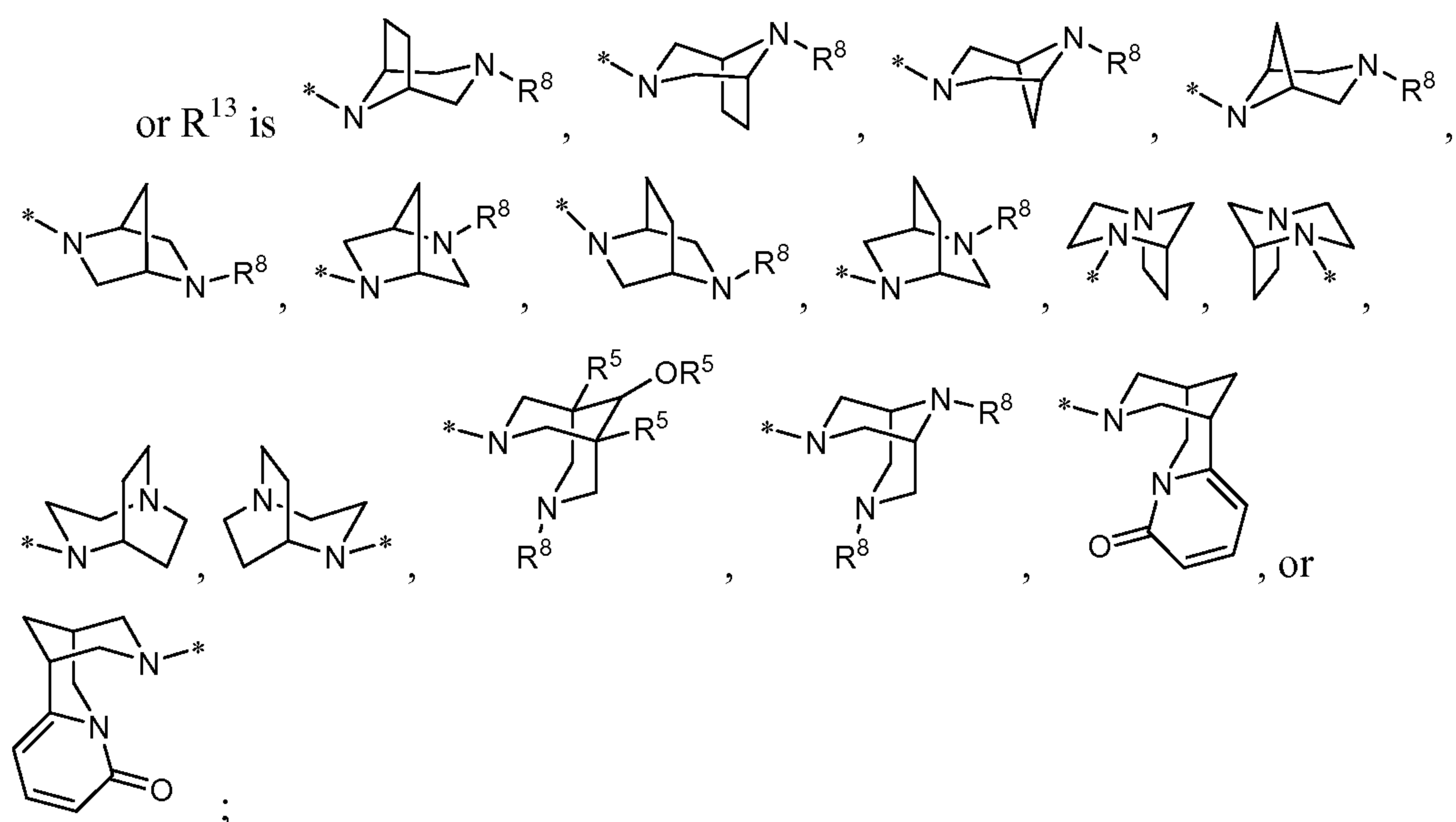
R^{10} is hydrogen or alkyl;

R^{11} is azetidiny, pyrrolidiny, piperidiny, piperaziny, morpholiny, thiomorpholiny, homopiperidiny, homopiperaziny, or homomorpholiny, and is
5 substituted with 0-1 alkyl substituents;

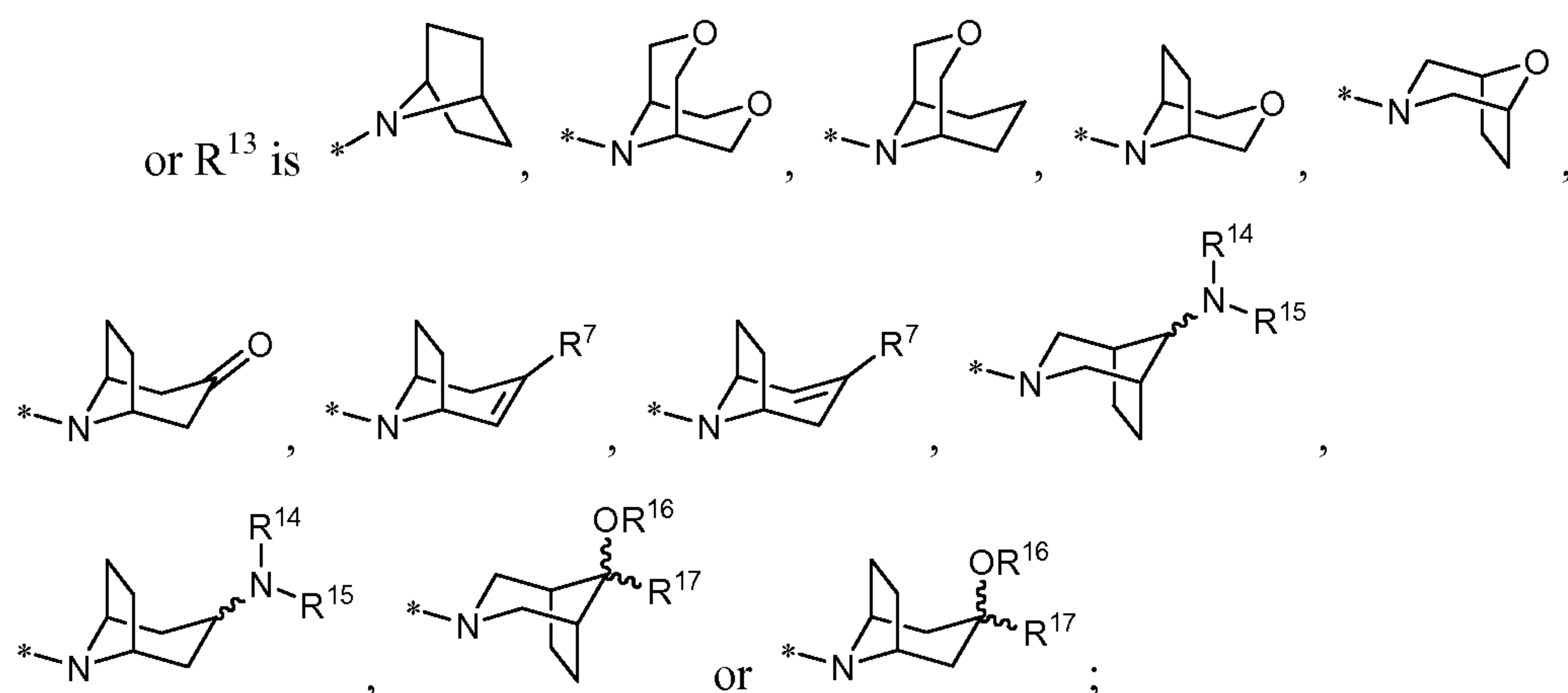
R^{12} is hydrogen, alkyl, alkoxyalkyl, aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, or (R^{11}) alkyl;

10 R^{13} is azetidiny, pyrrolidiny, piperidiny, piperaziny, morpholiny, thiomorpholiny, homopiperidiny, homopiperaziny, or homomorpholiny, and is substituted with 0-3 substituents selected from alkyl, alkoxyalkyl, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, R^{11} , aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, (R^{11}) alkyl, or CO_2R^5 ;

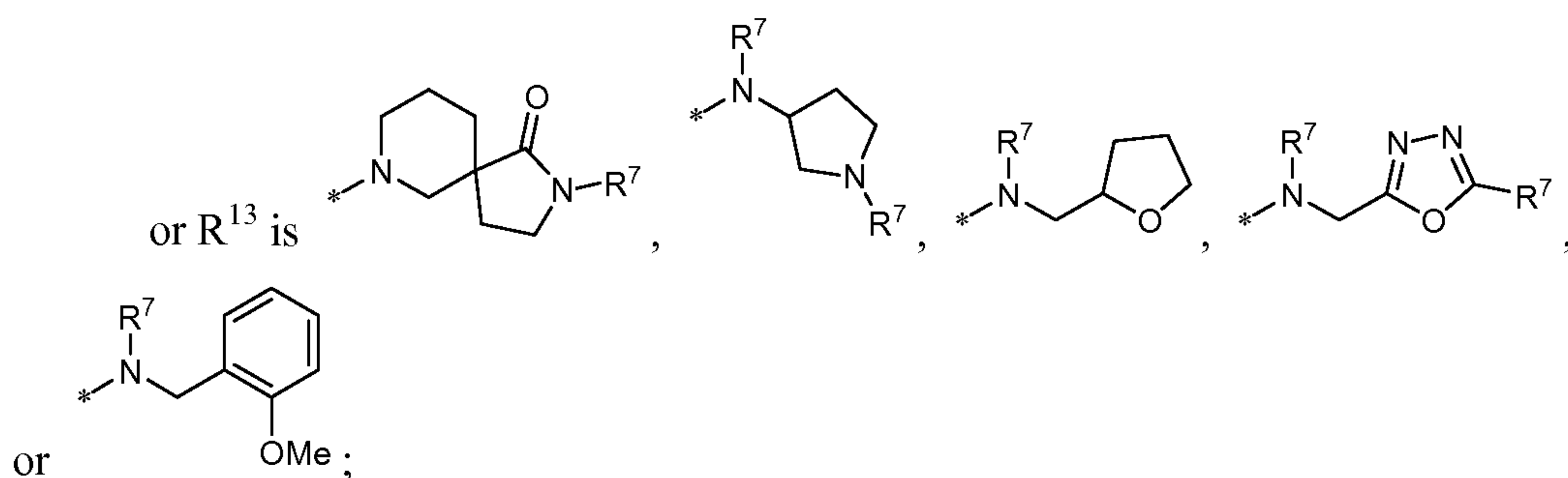
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- 5 or R^{13} is a [4.3.0] or [3.3.0] bicyclic diamine attached to the carbonyl through one nitrogen, and is substituted with 0-2 R^8 substituents;



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R^{14} is hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl, (cycloalkyl)alkyl, aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, or benzyl;

- 15 R^{15} is hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl, (cycloalkyl)alkyl, aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, or benzyl;

or $NR^{14}R^{15}$ taken together is azetidiny, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, N-(alkyl)piperazinyl, morpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl, homopiperidinyl, or homomorpholinyl;

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R^{16} is hydrogen or alkyl;

R^{17} is hydrogen, alkyl, or cycloalkyl; and

X is methylene, a bond, or absent;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

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15 R^3 is hydrogen, halo, alkyl, alkenyl, hydroxy, benzyloxy, or alkoxy;

R^4 is cycloalkyl;

R^5 is hydrogen or alkyl;

20 R^6 is hydrogen, alkyl, alkyl SO_2 , cycloalkyl SO_2 , haloalkyl SO_2 , $(R^9)(R^{10})NSO_2$, or $(R^{11})SO_2$;

R^7 is hydrogen or alkyl;

25 R^8 is hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl, (cycloalkyl)alkyl, alkylcarbonyl, cycloalkylcarbonyl, haloalkylcarbonyl, alkoxy carbonyl, alkyl SO_2 , cycloalkyl SO_2 , haloalkyl SO_2 , aminocarbonyl, (alkylamino)carbonyl, (dialkylamino)carbonyl, benzyl, benzyloxycarbonyl, or pyridinyl;

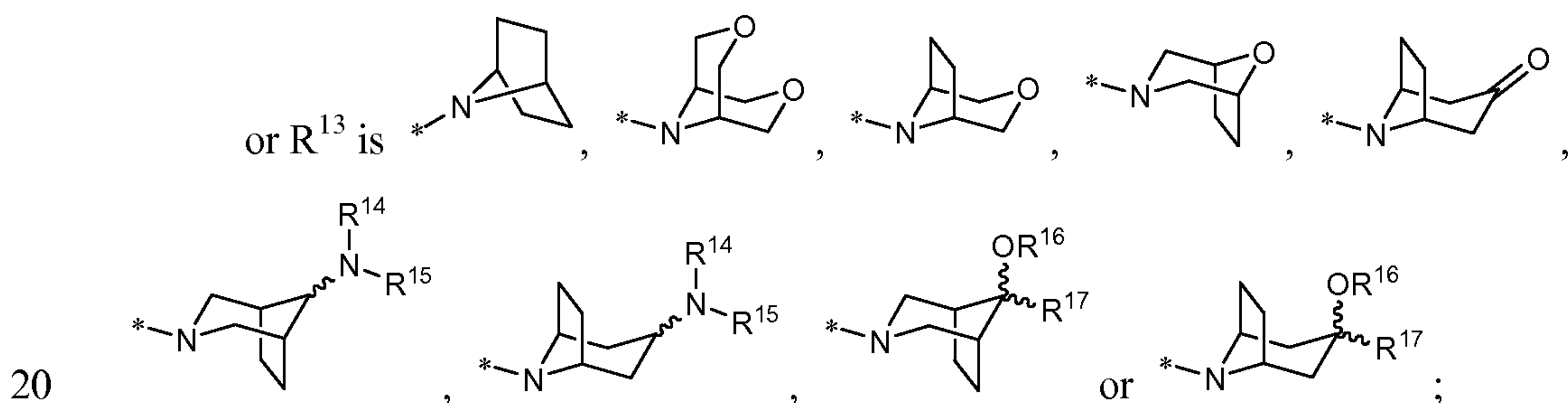
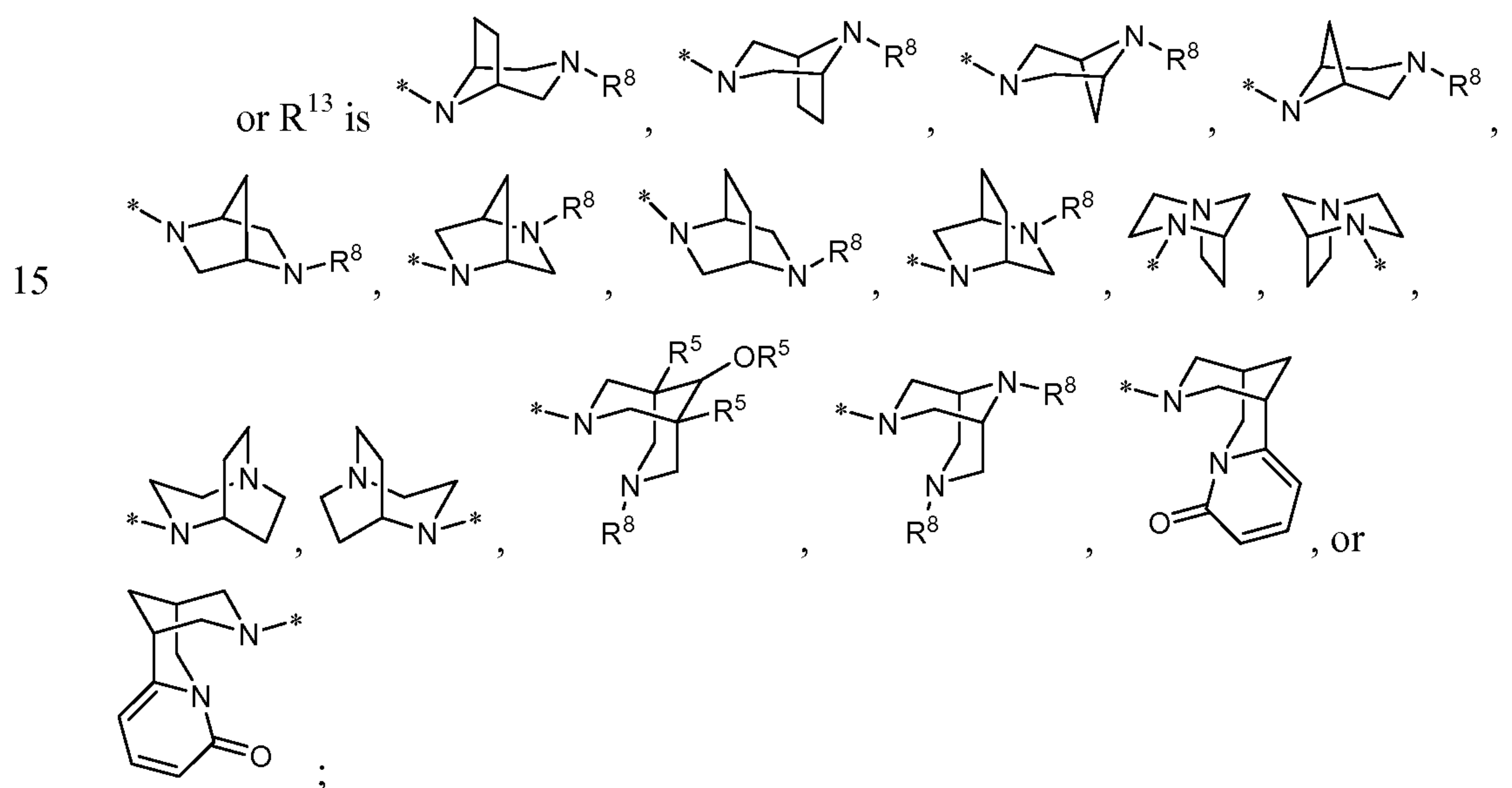
30 R^9 is hydrogen or alkyl;

R^{10} is hydrogen or alkyl;

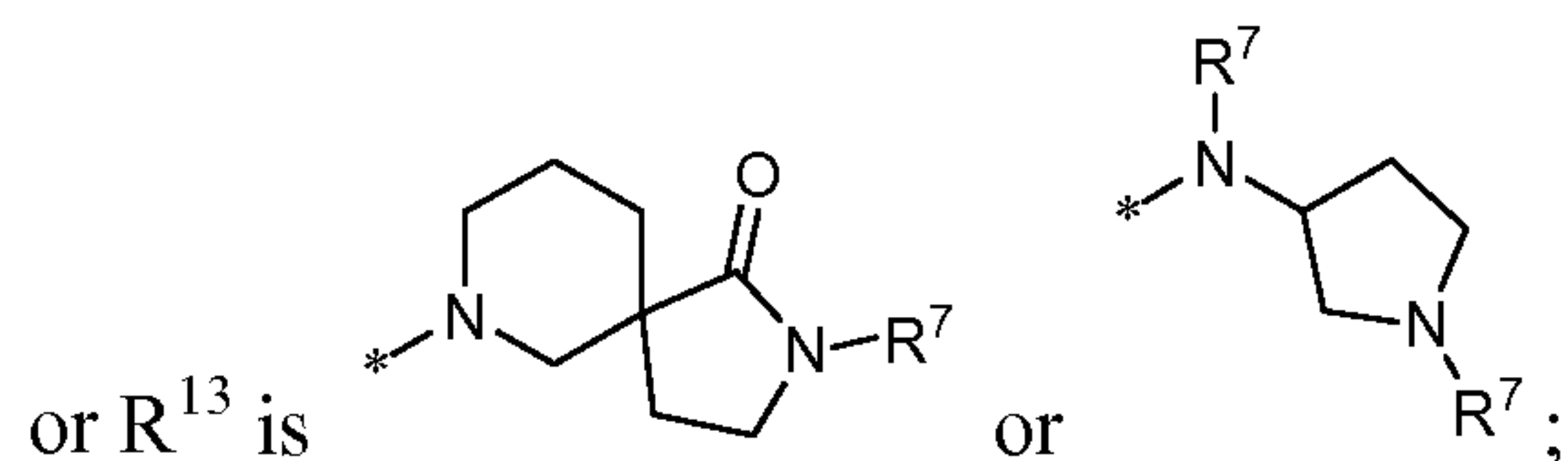
R^{11} is azetidiny, pyrrolidiny, piperidiny, piperazinyl, morpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl, homopiperidiny, homopiperazinyl, or homomorpholinyl, and is substituted with 0-1 alkyl substituents;

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R^{13} is azetidiny, pyrrolidiny, piperidiny, piperazinyl, morpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl, homopiperidiny, homopiperazinyl, or homomorpholinyl, and is
 10 substituted with 0-3 substituents selected from alkyl, alkoxyalkyl, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, R^{11} , aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, (R^{11}) alkyl, or CO_2R^5 ;



or R^{13} is a [4.3.0] or [3.3.0] bicyclic diamine attached to the carbonyl through one nitrogen, and is substituted with 0-2 R^8 substituents;



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R^{14} is hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl, (cycloalkyl)alkyl, aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, or benzyl;

R^{15} is is hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl, (cycloalkyl)alkyl, aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, or benzyl;

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or $NR^{14}R^{15}$ taken together is azetidiny, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, N-(alkyl)piperazinyl, morpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl, homopiperidinyl, or homomorpholinyl;

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substituents selected from oxo, amino, and alkyl, and 1 substituent selected from CO_2R^5 , $\text{CON}(\text{R}^{12})_2$, and COR^{13} ;

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R^4 is cycloalkyl;

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R^7 is hydrogen or alkyl;

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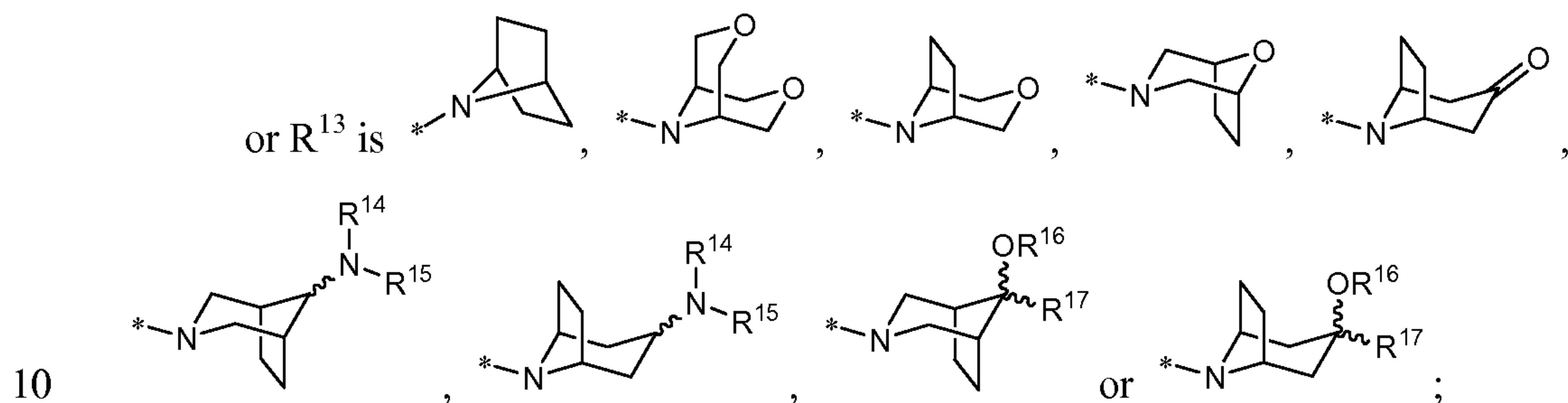
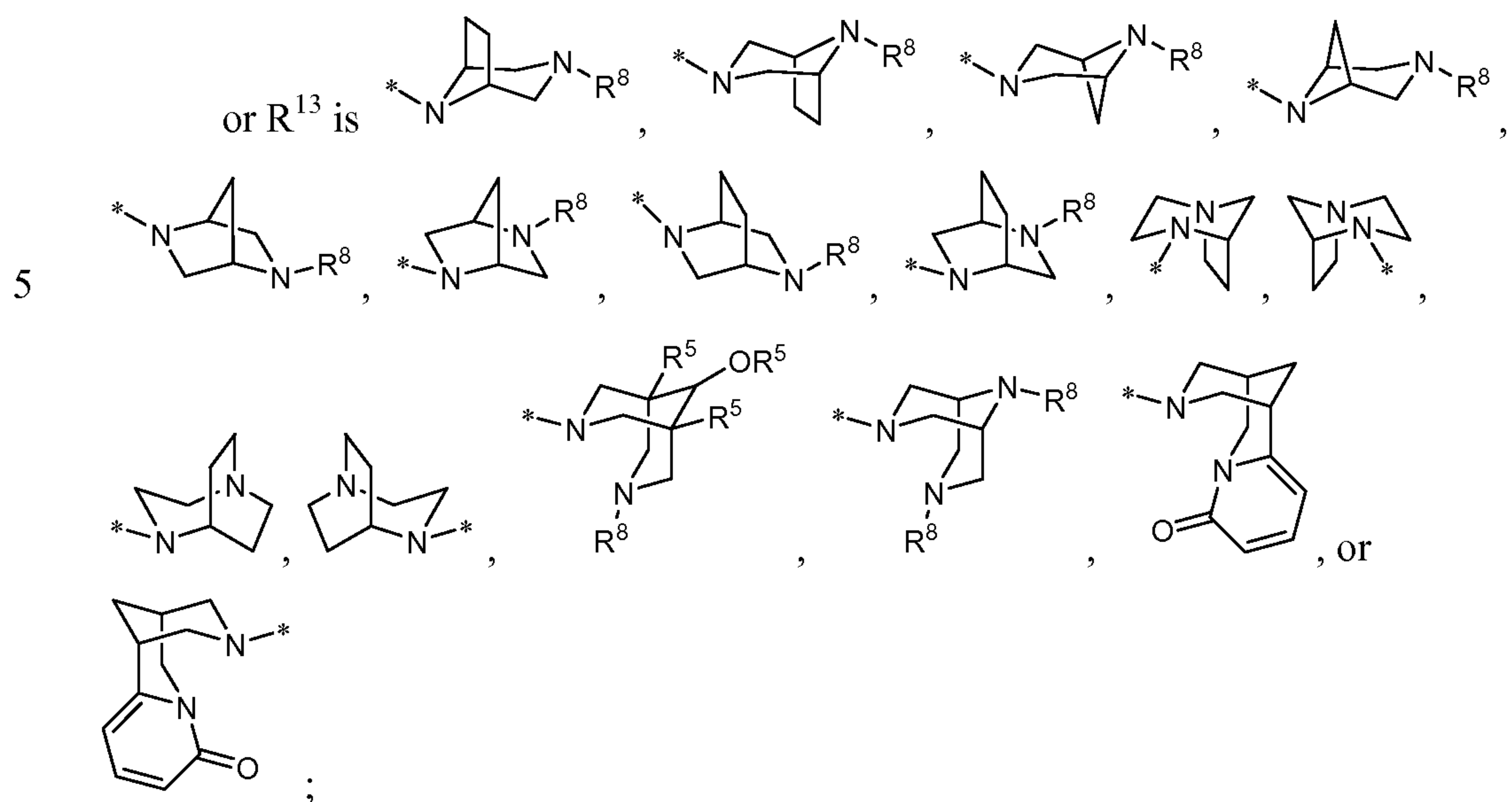
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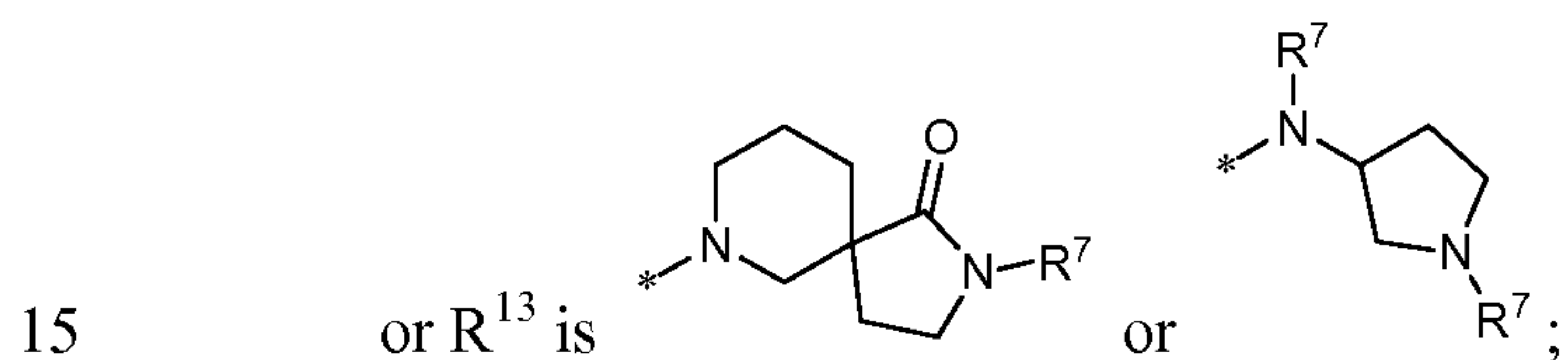
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R^{13} is azetidiny, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, morpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl, homopiperidinyl, homopiperazinyl, or homomorpholinyl, and is

substituted with 0-3 substituents selected from alkyl, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, R^{11} , aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, or (R^{11})alkyl;



or R^{13} is a [4.3.0] or [3.3.0] bicyclic diamine attached to the carbonyl through one nitrogen, and is substituted with 0-2 R^8 substituents;



R^{14} is hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl, (cycloalkyl)alkyl, aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, or benzyl;

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R^{16} is hydrogen or alkyl;

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or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

Another aspect of the invention is a compound of formula I where R^1 is $CONR^6R^7$; R^6 is alkylSO₂, cycloalkylSO₂, haloalkylSO₂, $(R^9)_2NSO_2$, or $(R^{10})SO_2$; and R^7 is hydrogen.

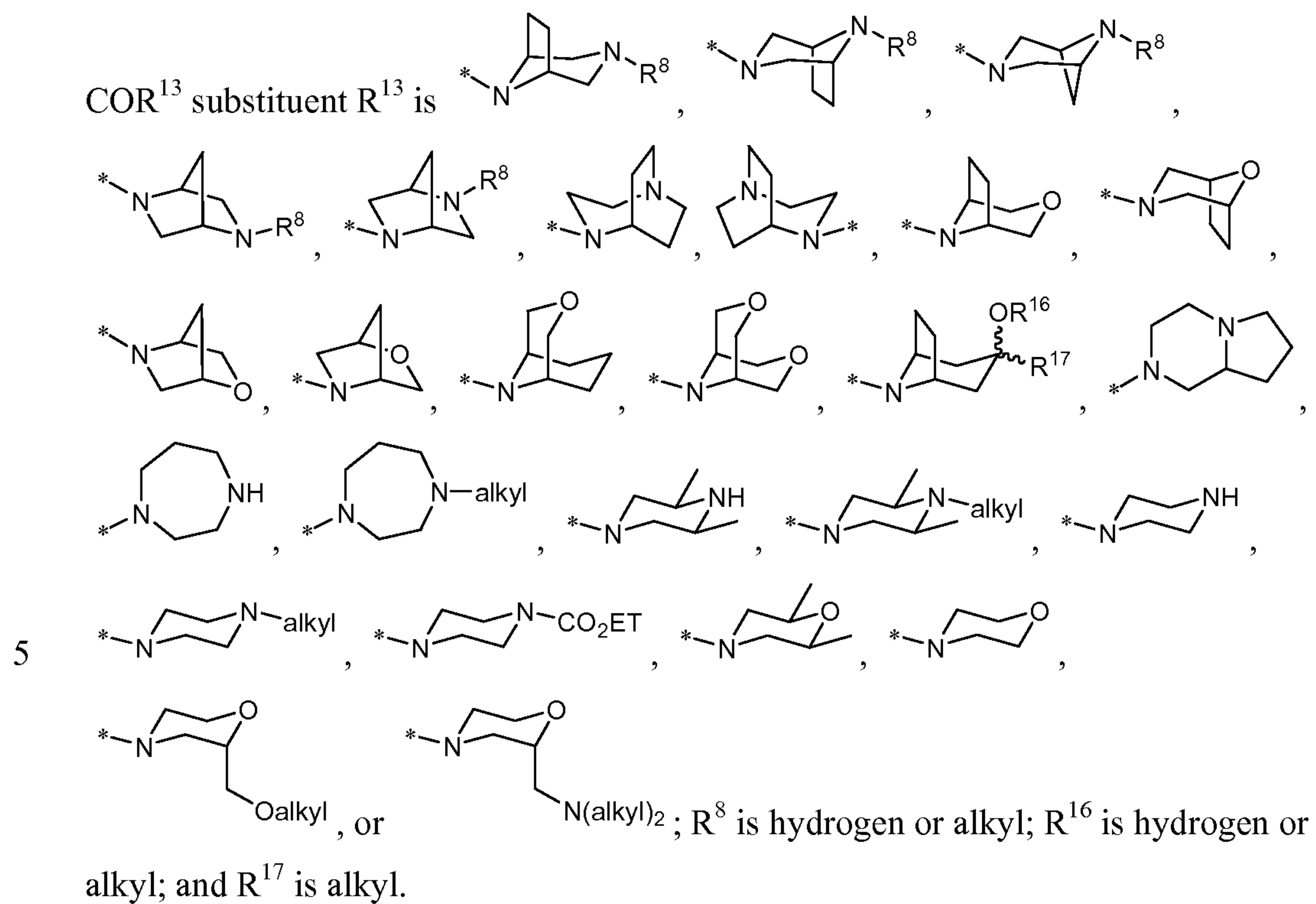
Another aspect of the invention is a compound of formula I where R^3 is hydrogen.

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Another aspect of the invention is a compound of formula I where R^4 is cyclohexyl.

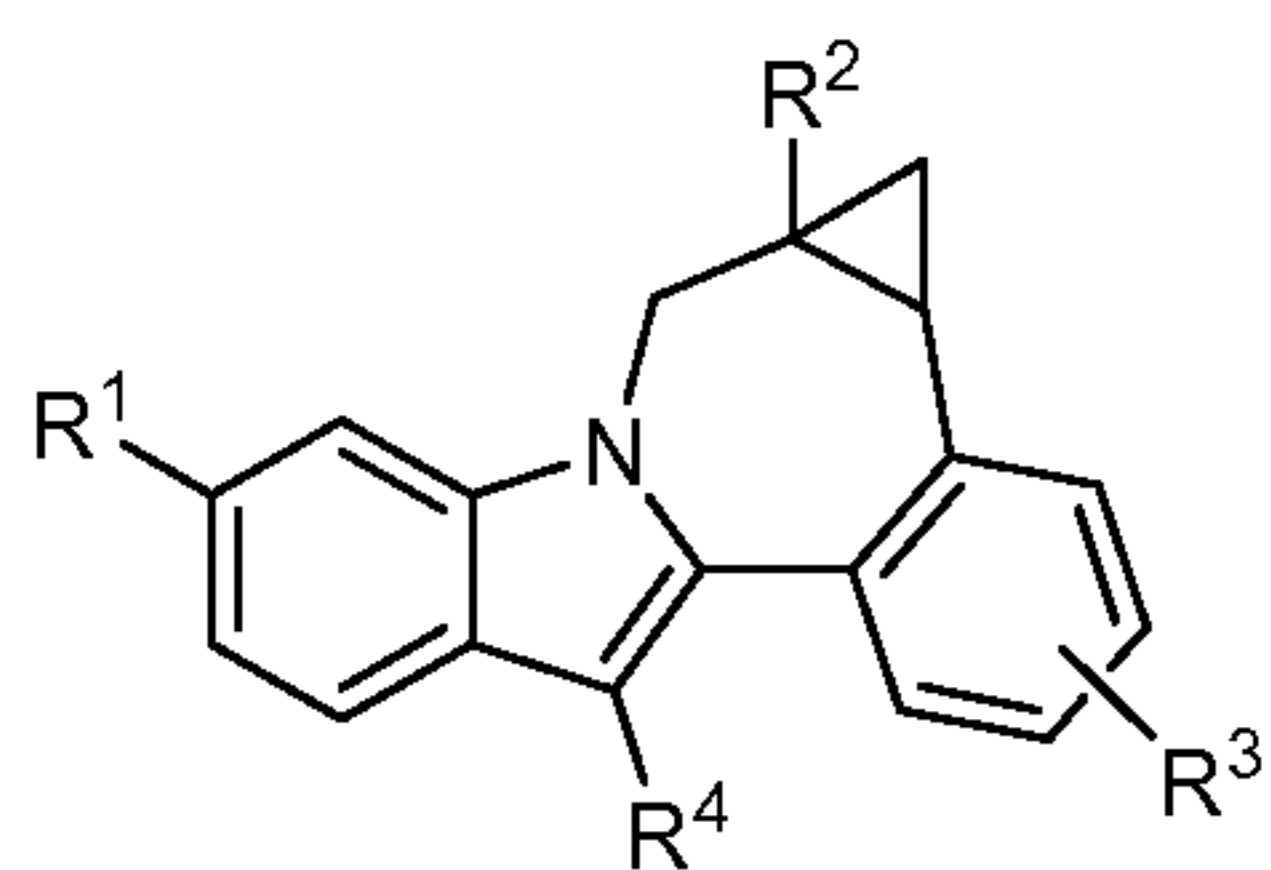
Another aspect of the invention is a compound of formula I where R^6 is alkylSO₂, cycloalkylSO₂, $(R^9)(R^{10})NSO_2$ or $(R^{11})SO_2$.

Another aspect of the invention is a compound of formula I where R^2 is pyrazolyl substituted with 2 substituents selected from alkyl and haloalkyl and 1



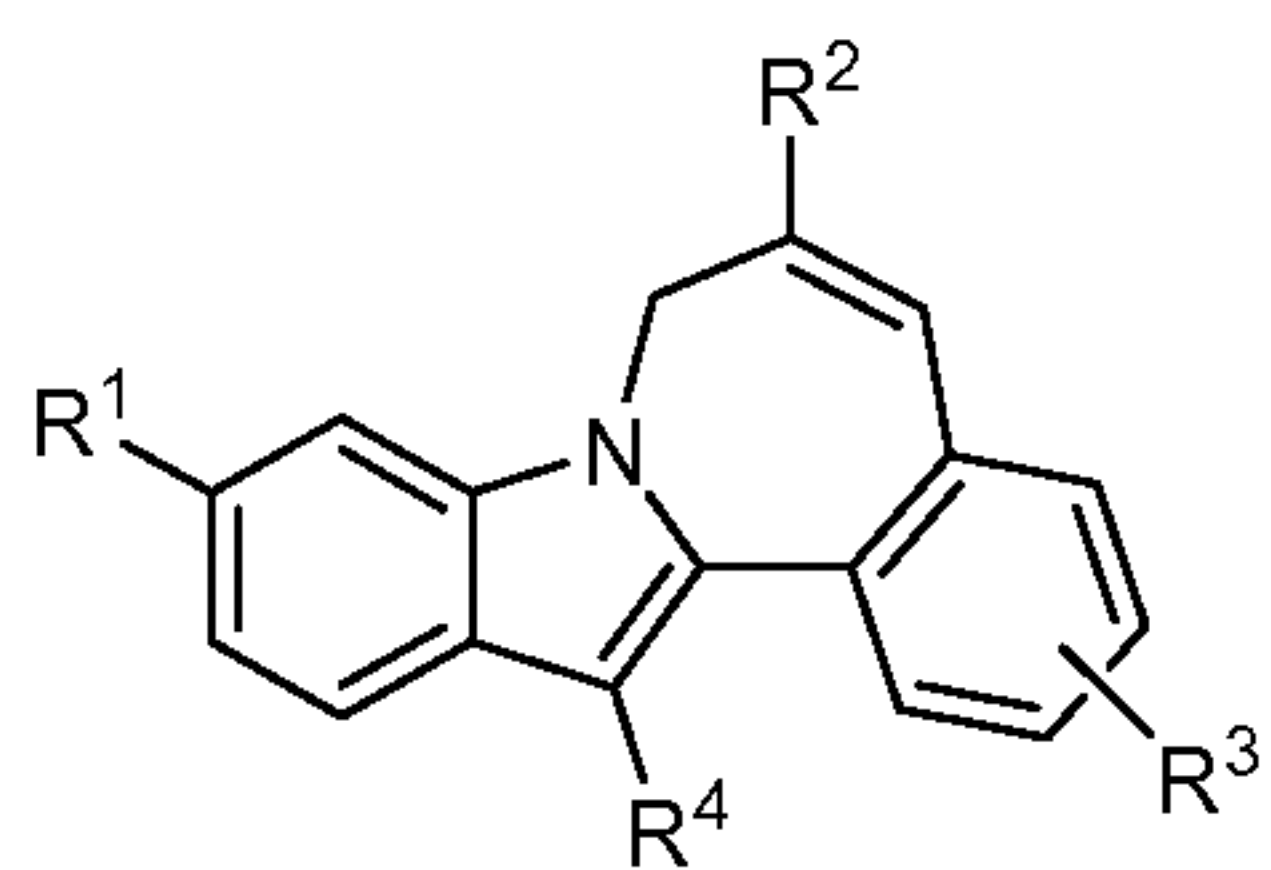
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10 methylene.

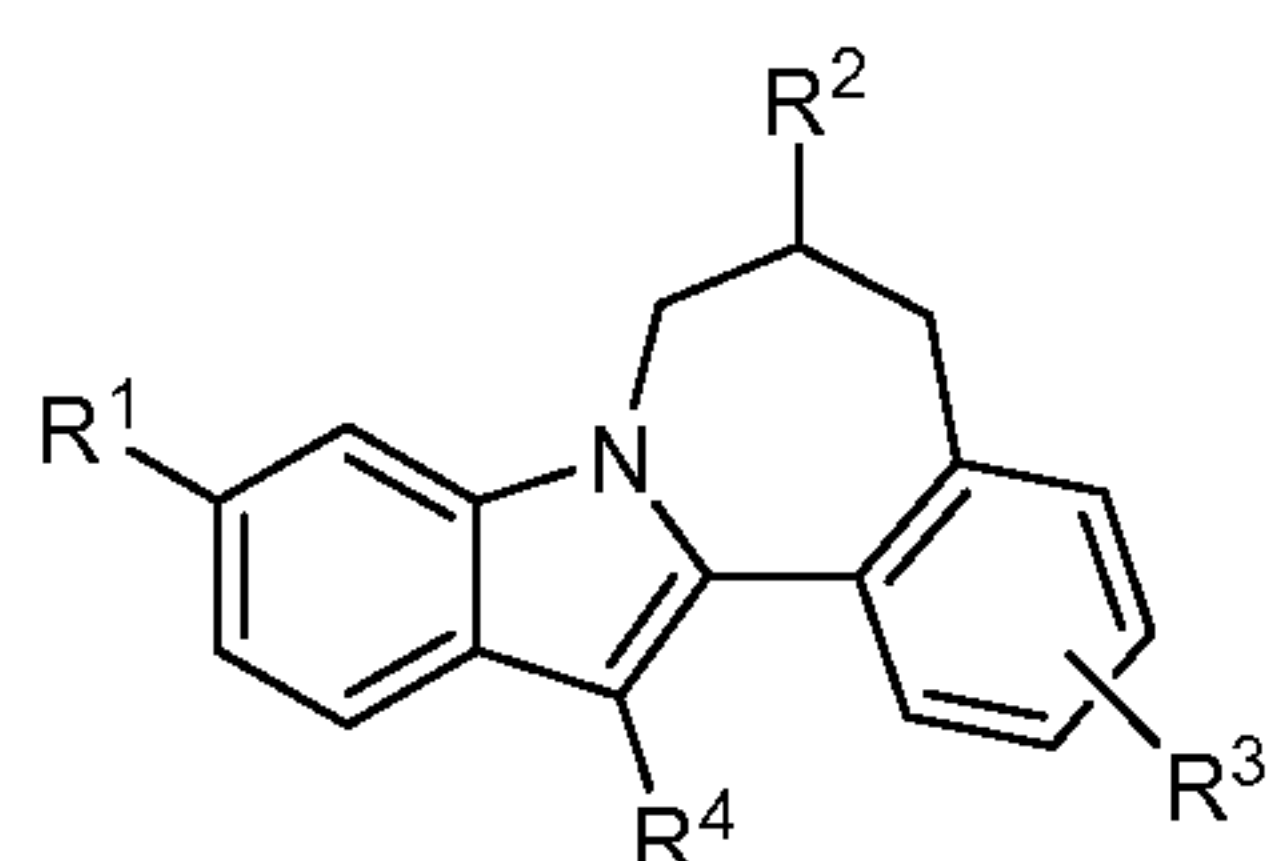


Another aspect of the invention is a compound of formula I where X is a

15 bond.

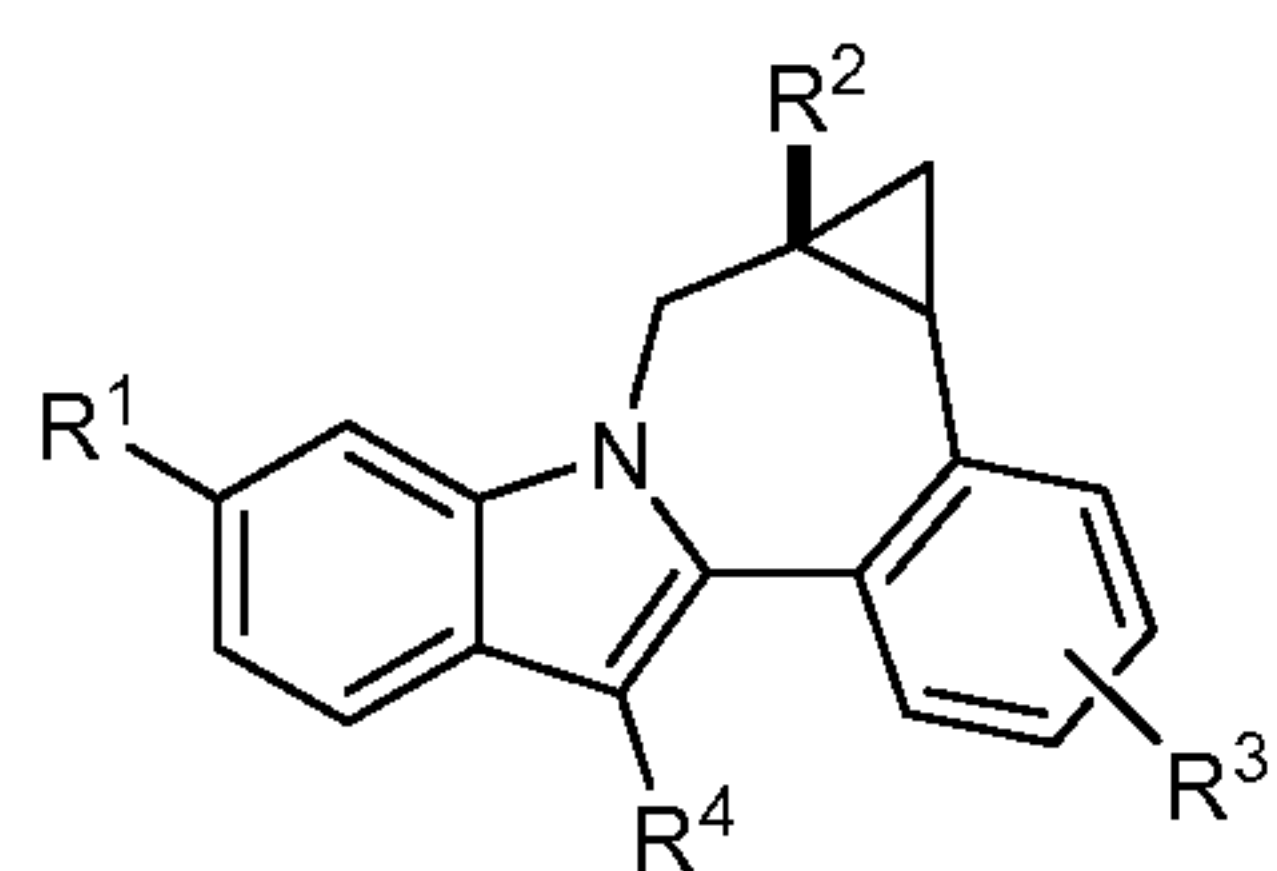


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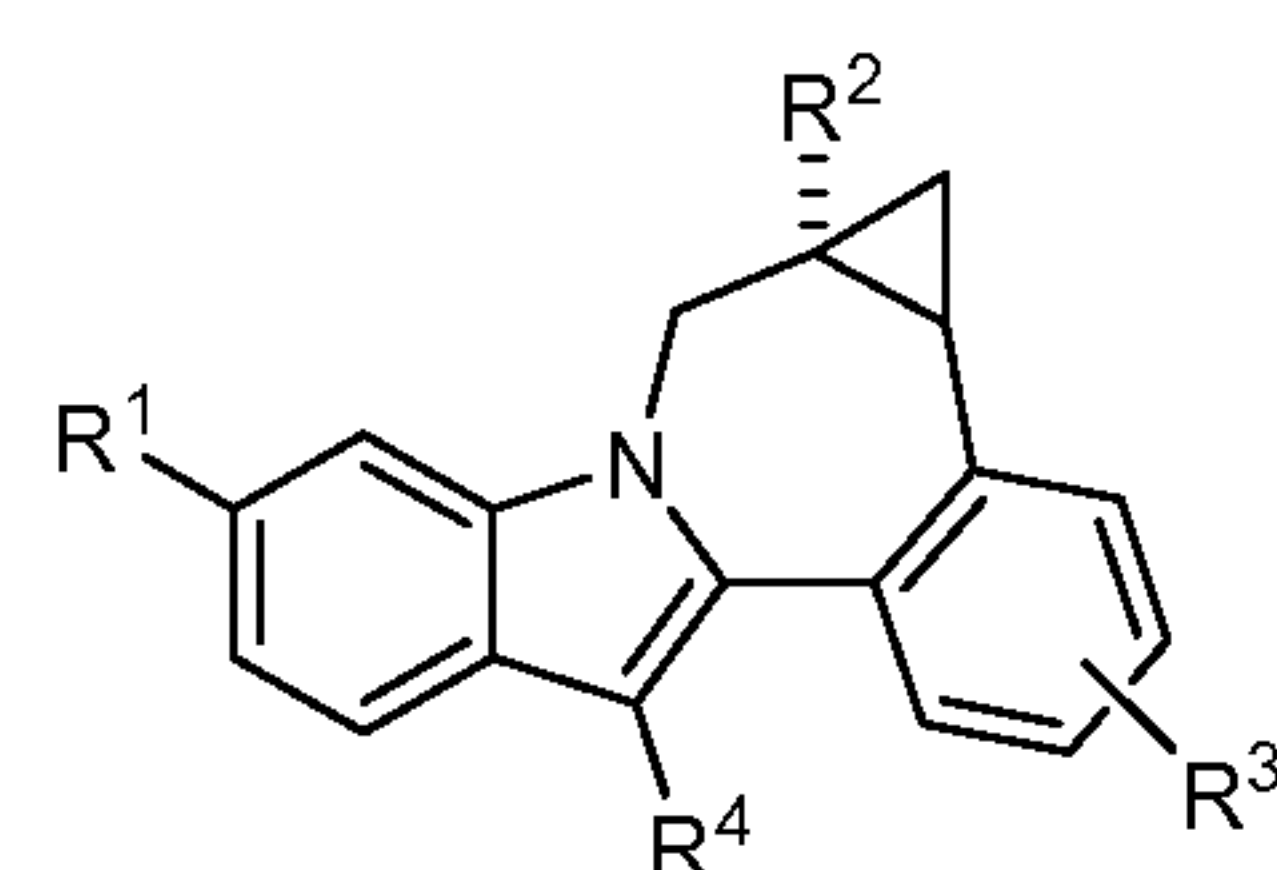


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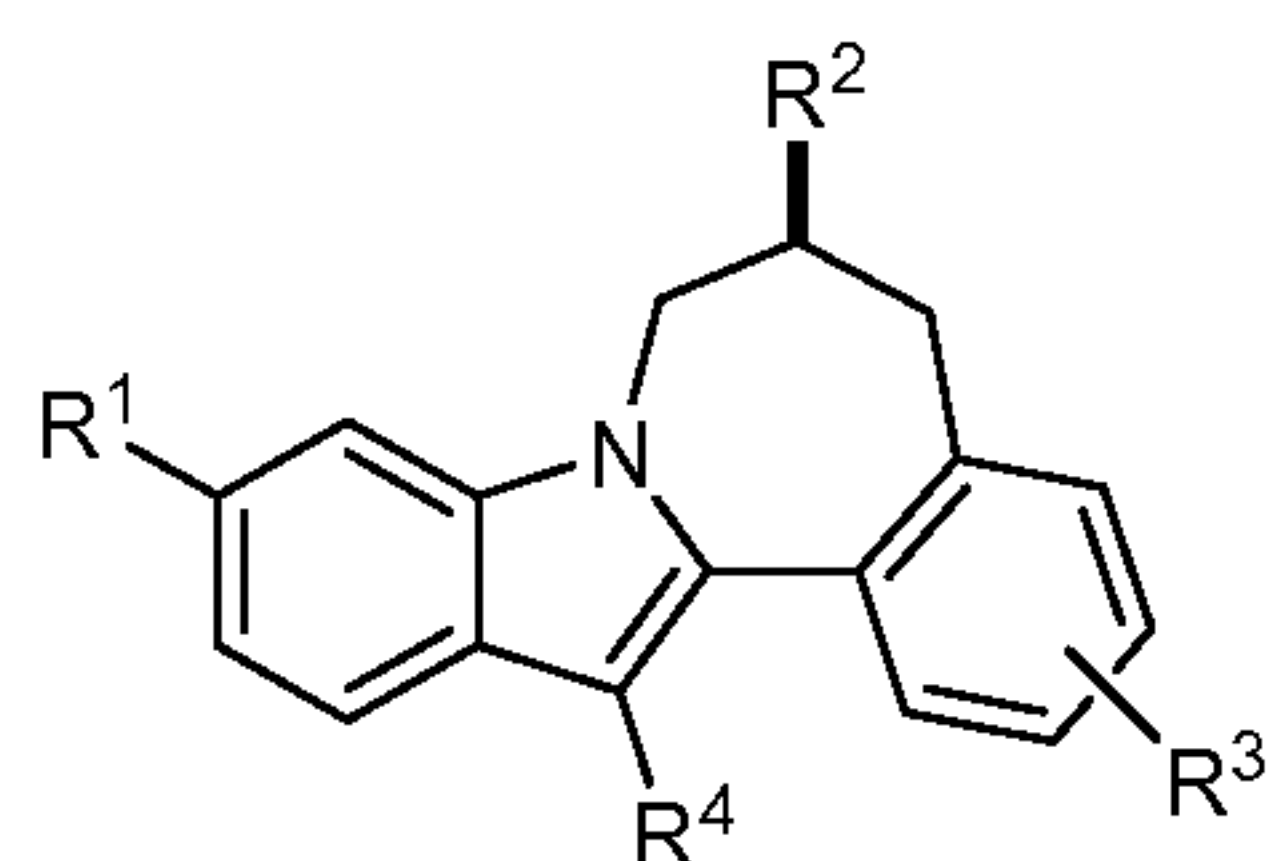
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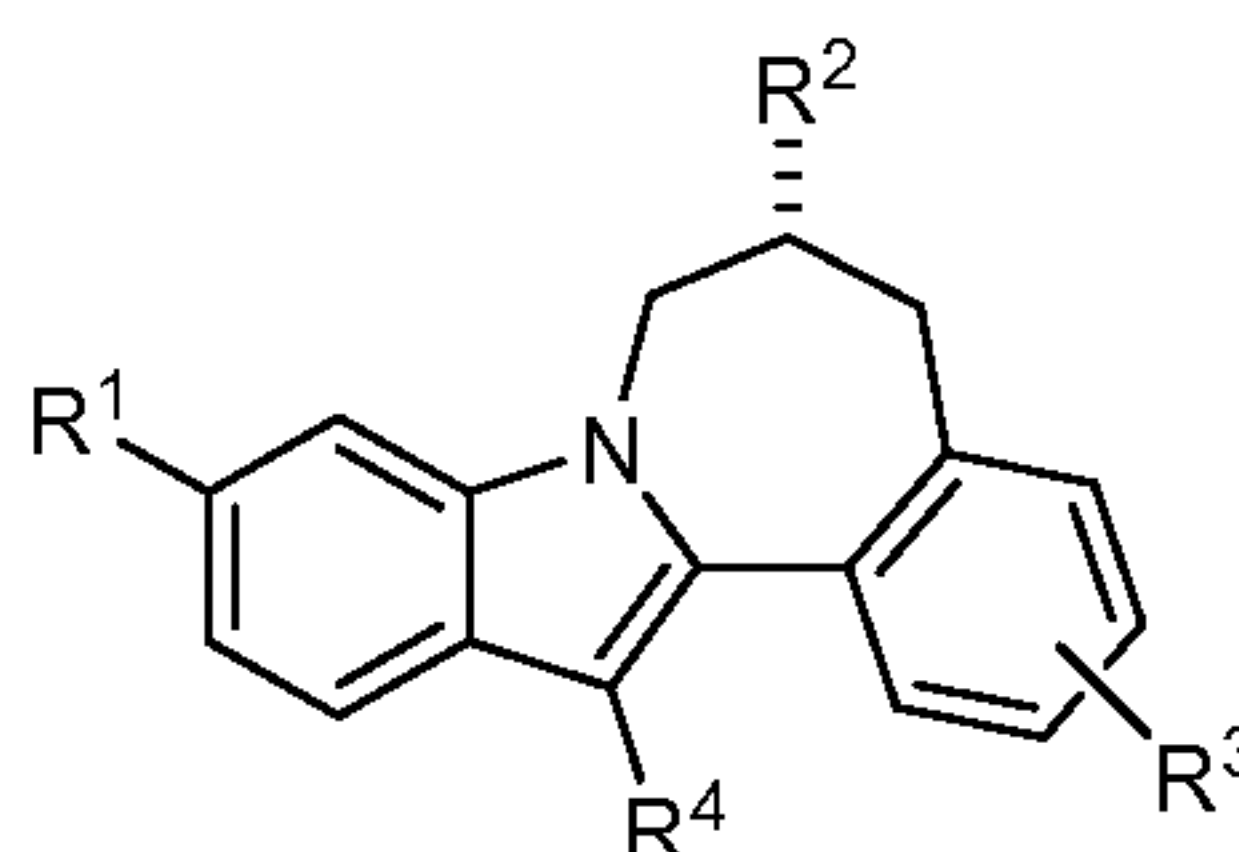
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Any scope of any variable, including R^1 , R^2 , R^3 , R^4 , R^5 , R^6 , R^7 , R^8 , R^9 , R^{10} , R^{11} , R^{12} , R^{13} , R^{14} , R^{15} , R^{16} , R^{17} , and X can be used independently with the scope of any other instance of a variable.

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Unless specified otherwise, these terms have the following meanings.

“Alkyl” means a straight or branched alkyl group composed of 1 to 6 carbons.

“Alkenyl” means a straight or branched alkyl group composed of 2 to 6 carbons with at least one double bond. “Cycloalkyl” means a monocyclic ring system composed of 3 to 7 carbons. “Hydroxyalkyl,” “alkoxy” and other terms with a substituted alkyl

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moiety include straight and branched isomers composed of 1 to 6 carbon atoms for the alkyl moiety. “Haloalkyl” and “haloalkoxy” include all halogenated isomers from monohalo substituted alkyl to perhalo substituted alkyl. “Aryl” includes carbocyclic and heterocyclic aromatic substituents. Parenthetical and multiparenthetical

terms are intended to clarify bonding relationships to those skilled in the art. For

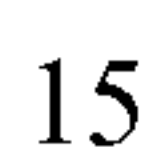
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example, a term such as ((R)alkyl) means an alkyl substituent further substituted with the substituent R.

The invention includes all pharmaceutically acceptable salt forms of the compounds. Pharmaceutically acceptable salts are those in which the counter ions do not contribute significantly to the physiological activity or toxicity of the compounds and as such function as pharmacological equivalents. These salts can be made according to common organic techniques employing commercially available reagents. Some anionic salt forms include acetate, acistrate, besylate, bromide, chloride, citrate, fumarate, glucuronate, hydrobromide, hydrochloride, hydroiodide,

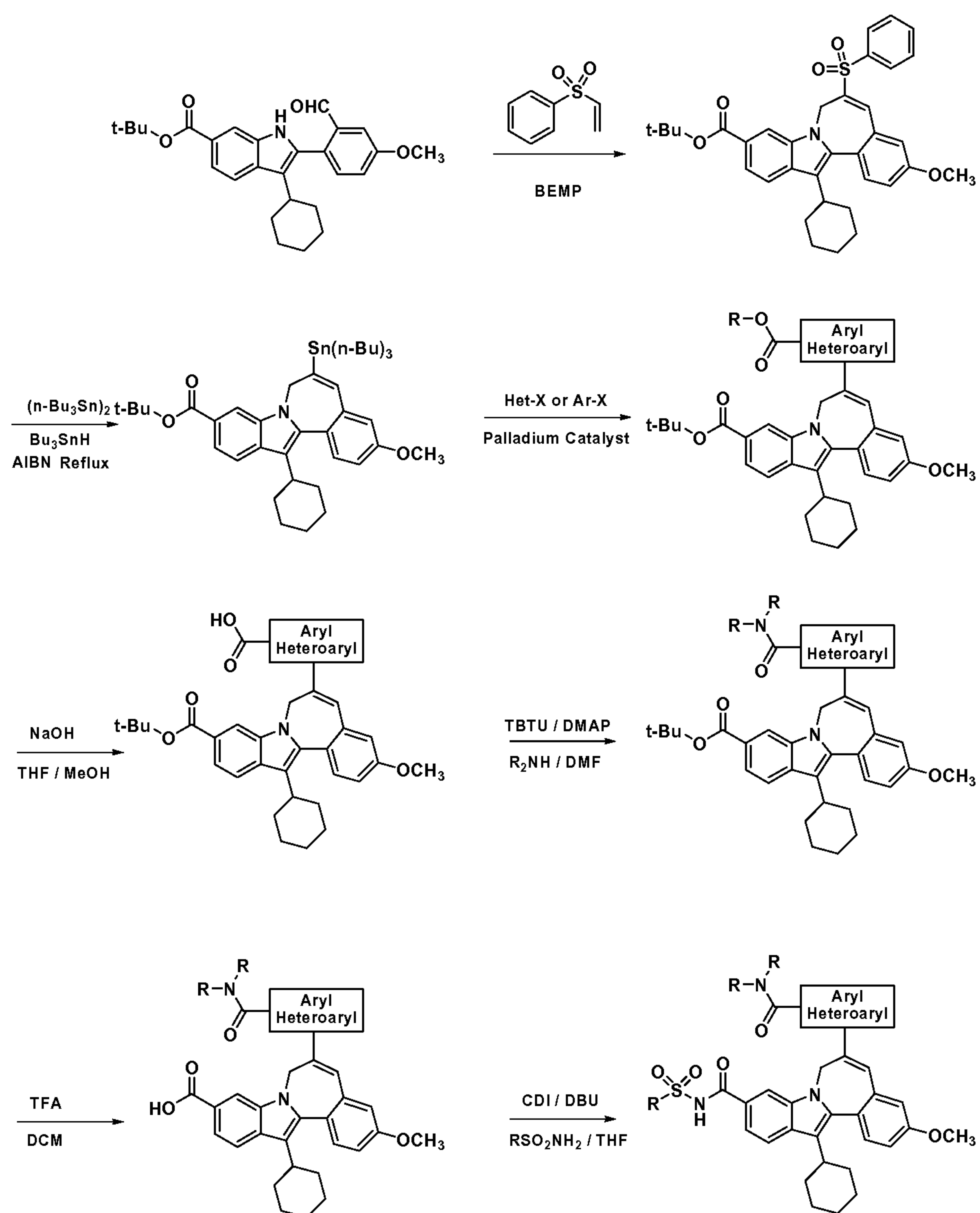
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Some of the compounds of the invention possess asymmetric carbon atoms (see, for example, the compound below). The invention includes all stereoisomeric forms, including enantiomers and diastereomers as well as mixtures of stereoisomers such as racemates. Some stereoisomers can be made using methods known in the art. Stereoisomeric mixtures of the compounds and related intermediates can be separated into individual isomers according to methods commonly known in the art.

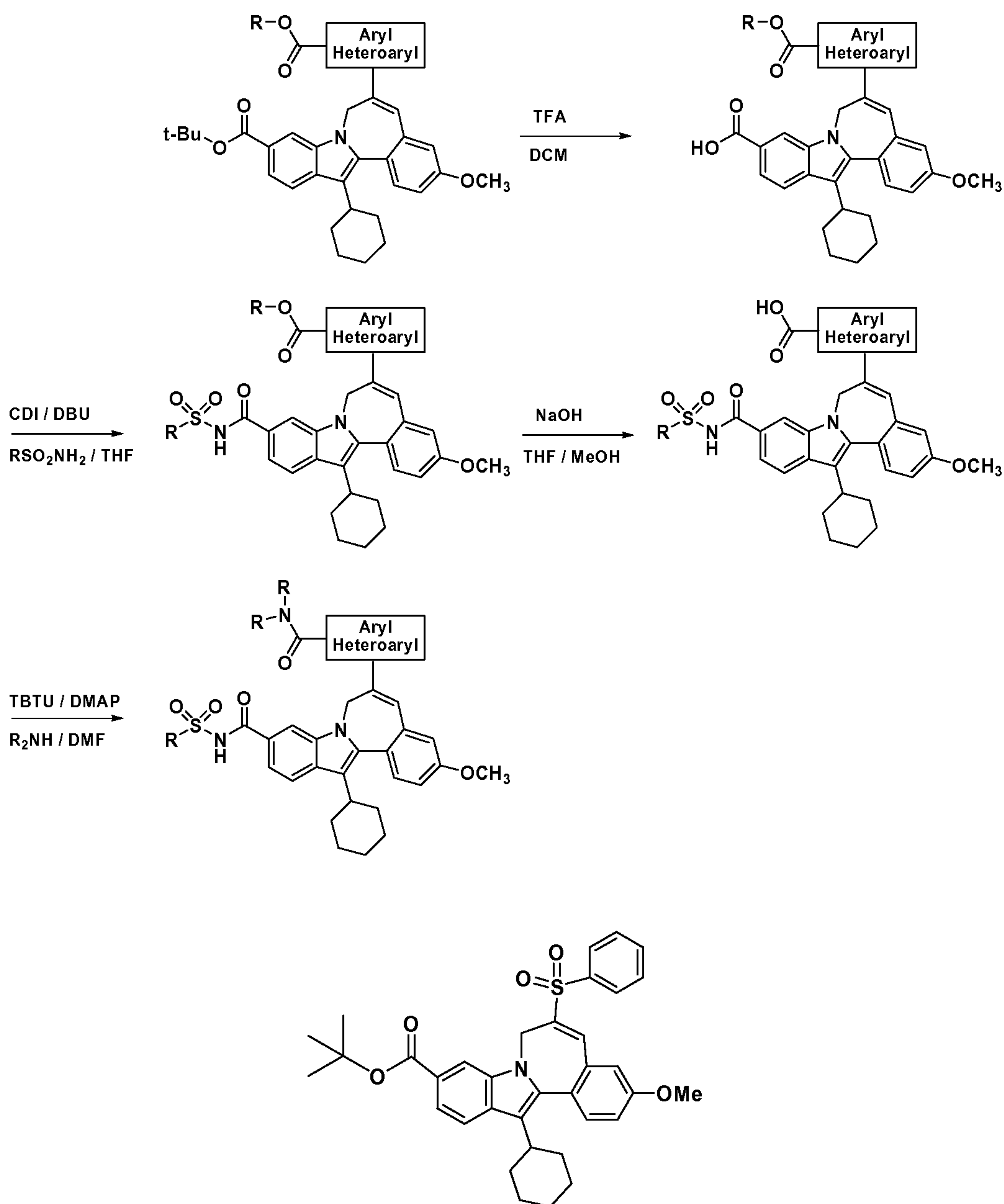


The compounds may be made by methods known in the art including those described below. Some reagents and intermediates are known in the art. Other reagents and intermediates can be made by methods known in the art using available materials. The variables (e.g. numbered “R” substituents) used to describe the synthesis of the compounds are intended only to illustrate how to make the compounds and are not to be confused with variables used in the claims or in other sections of the specification. Abbreviations used within the schemes generally follow conventions used in the art.

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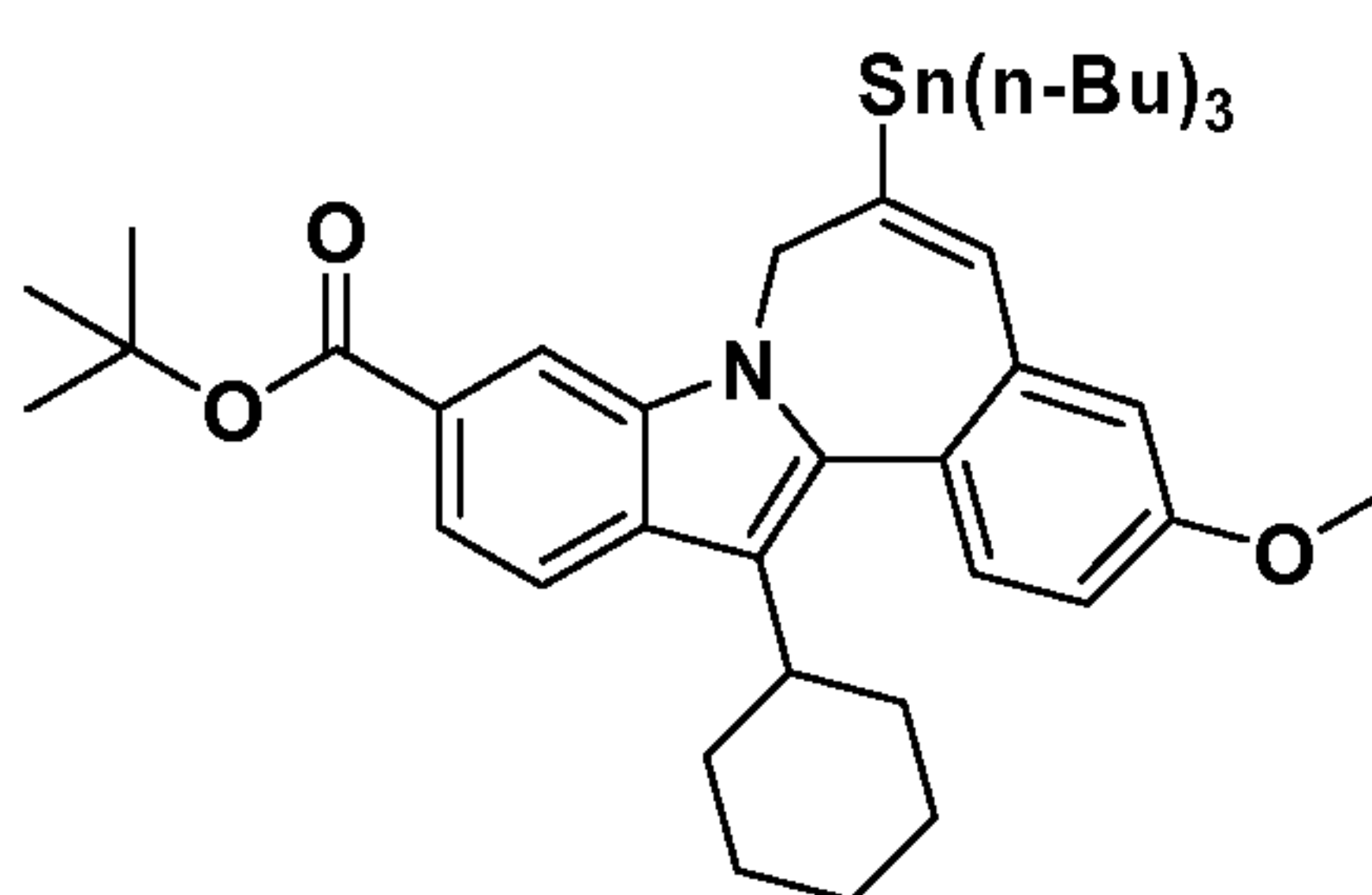
Alternatively, the reaction sequence can be modified as shown below.



5 *7H-Indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(phenylsulfonyl)-, tert-butyl ester.*

To a solution of 3-cyclohexyl-2-(2-formyl-4-methoxyphenyl)-1H-indole-6-carboxylate (6.00 g, 13.8 mmol) in dioxane (28.0 mL) and BEMP (7.97 mL, 27.6 mmol) was added phenyl vinyl sulfone (27.6 g, 2.21 mmol). The resulting mixture
 10 was stirred in a sealed tube in a microwave at 120 °C for 15 min. The resulting solution was concentrated under reduced pressure. Silica gel chromatography

(CH₂Cl₂) of the concentrate afforded the title compound 6.36g (79%) as a yellow oil. MS m/z 584 (MH⁺). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*) δ ppm 1.18-1.33 (1 H, m), 1.34-1.45 (2 H, m), 1.49-1.57 (1 H, m), 1.64 (9 H, s.), 1.74-1.82 (2 H, m), 1.90-2.09 (4 H, m), 2.73 (1 H, m), 3.93 (3 H, s), 4.38 (1 H, broad d), 5.08 (1 H, br. d),
 5 7.09 (1 H, d, *J*=2.75 Hz), 7.12-7.18 (3 H, m), 7.22 (1 H, d, *J*=7.45 Hz), 7.30 (1 H, s), 7.48 (1 H, d, *J*=8.85 Hz), 7.54 (1 H, dd, *J*=8.55, 1.22 Hz), 7.61 (2 H, m), 7.67 (1 H, d, *J*=8.55), 8.01 (1 H, s).



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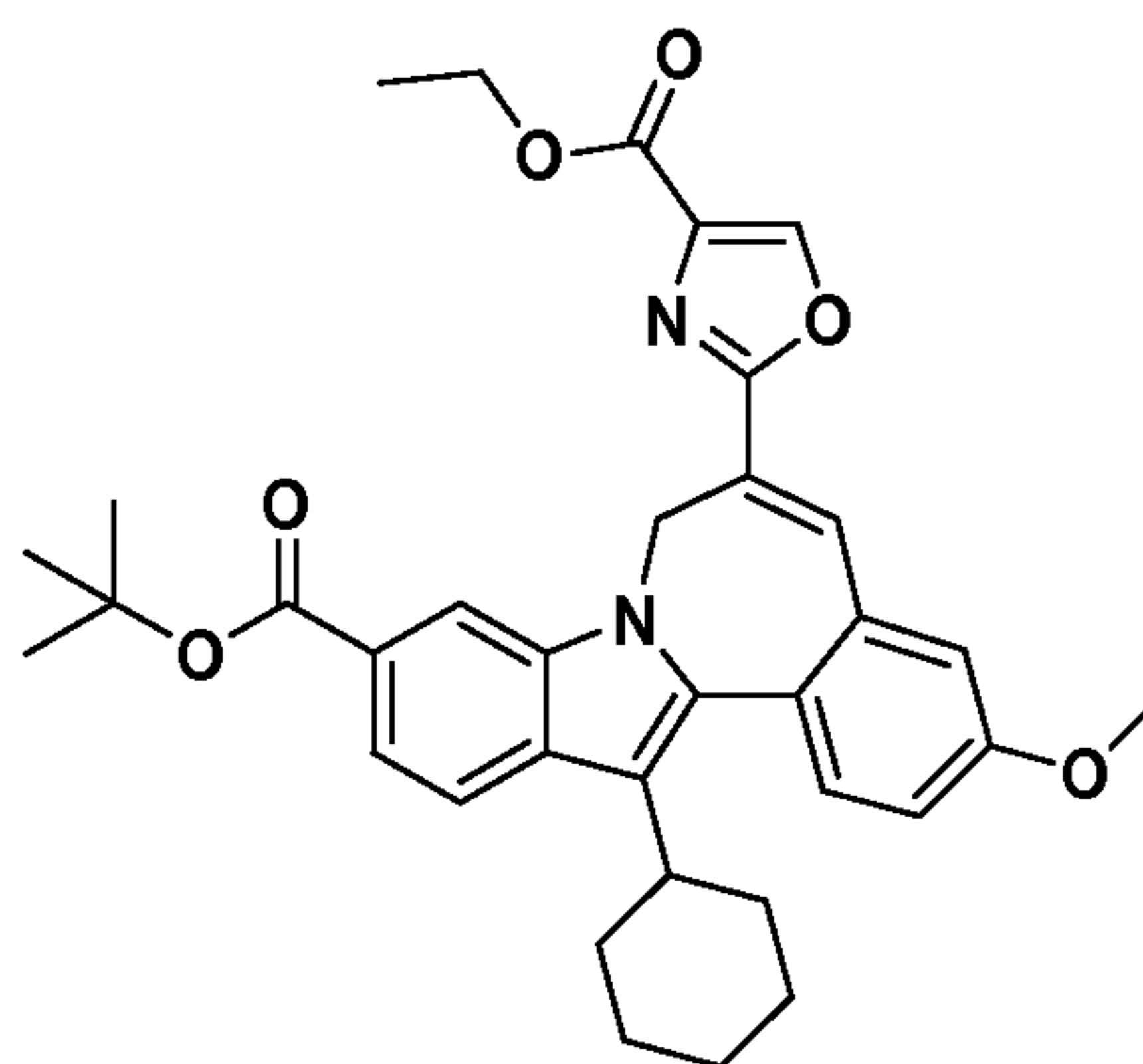
*7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(tributylstannyl)-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester. 1,1-dimethylethyl 13-cyclohexyl-3-(methoxy)-6-(tributylstannyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate. 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(phenylsulfonyl)-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (1.00g, 1.71 mMol) was
 15 dissolved in 26mL of benzene along with bis(tributyltin) (2.8mL, 5.54 mMol), tributyltin hydride (136uL, 0.513 mMol) and triethylamine (1.05mL, 7.5 mMol). The solution was sparged for approximately for 10 minutes with nitrogen then 2,2'-bisazoisobutyronitrile (AIBN) (96mg, 0.58mMol) added to the reaction. The reaction
 20 was heated to reflux under nitrogen for 2hr. The reaction was followed by LC-MS using the following HPLC conditions: Shimadzu Analytical HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 5% acetonitrile, 95% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate %B= 95% acetonitrile, 5% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate; Initial %B= 0; Final %B=100; Gradient= 3 min; Runtime= 10 min; Flow rate= 5 ml/min; Wavelength=
 25 220nm; Column= Waters Xterra, 3mm x 50mm, S7. To the reaction was added tributyltin hydride (0.45mL, 1.7mMol) and AIBN(95mg, 0.58mMol), the reaction heated to reflux for 2hrs, and analyzed for progress. AIBN (99mg, 0.60mMol) added to the reaction and the reaction heated to reflux under for an additional 6hrs using a*

timer. The reaction was analyzed by LC-MS for progress then tributyltin hydride(1.0ml, 3.8mMol) and AIBN (97mg, 0.59mMol) was added and the reaction heated to reflux for 2hrs 20min. The reaction was analyzed by LC-MS and AIBN (97mg, 0.59mMol) added to the reaction. The reaction was heated for 1hr under
5 nitrogen at reflux and the cooled and analyzed by LC-MS. Volatiles were removed *in vacuo* from the reaction and the reaction was purified by column chromatography using a C₁₈ packing of 190g of YMC GEL ODS-A, 120A spherical 75 uM. The reaction residue (6.67g of yellow oil) was dissolved in a minimum of dichloromethane and the solution applied onto the reverse phase column packed in
10 10% dichloromethane in acetonitrile. Initial elution was done using 10% dichloromethane in acetonitrile followed by elution with 15% dichloromethane in acetonitrile. The chromatography was monitored by TLC using Whatman MKC18F reverse phase 1"x3" 200uM thickness TLC plates eluting using 15% dichloromethane in acetonitrile. Compound observation was accomplished by UV
15 lamp at 254nm and iodine staining of TLC plates. Product fractions were collected and volatiles removed *in vacuo* to yield 647mg (52%) as a pale yellow foam. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.71 - 0.83 (m, 9 H) 0.85 - 0.96 (m, 3 H) 0.95 - 1.08 (m, 6 H) 1.15 - 1.27 (m, 7 H) 1.27 - 1.49 (m, 11 H) 1.53 (s, 5 H) 1.60 - 1.67 (m, 9 H) 1.68 - 1.82 (m, 2 H) 1.84 - 1.96 (m, 1 H) 1.96 - 2.16 (m, 3 H) 2.74 -
20 2.91 (m, 1 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 4.16 - 4.40 (m, 1 H) 4.82 - 5.03 (m, 1 H) 6.72 - 6.90 (m, 2 H) 6.96 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.43 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.66 (dd, *J*=8.39, 1.37 Hz, 1 H) 7.81 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 8.04 (s, 1 H) LC-MS: Shimadzu Analytical HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 5% acetonitrile, 95% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate %B= 95% acetonitrile, 5% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate;
25 Initial %B= 0; Final % B=100; Gradient= 3 min; Runtime= 10 min; Flow rate= 5 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column= Waters Xterra, 3mm x 50mm, S7. Retention Time= 4.2min, MS *m/z* 734(MH⁺).

7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(tributylstannyl)-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester. 1,1-dimethylethyl 13-cyclohexyl-3-(methoxy)-6-(tributylstannanyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate.

5 An assembly of a three necked flask fitted with an argon bubbler, reflux condenser and dropping funnel was flame dried and then cooled under a stream of argon. The flask was then charged with benzene (5 mL) and 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(phenylsulfonyl)-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester 1 (500 mg, 0.857 mmol). The resultant mixture was
10 sonicated under argon for 5 min (to remove oxygen) and then heated under reflux. A solution of tri-N-butyltin hydride (0.459 ml, 1.713 mmol) and 2,2'-azobis(2-methylpropionitrile) (52.0 mg, 0.317 mmol) in degassed benzene (5 mL) was then added to the dropping funnel. Approximately 2.5 mL of this solution was added dropwise over a period of approximately 30 min, and the resultant solution was left to
15 stir under reflux for 1.5 h. The remaining solution was added dropwise, slowly over a period of approximately 30 min, and heating was continued for a further 1.5 h. The mixture was then evaporated under reduced pressure to remove volatiles. The residue was slurried in hexane and applied to a silica gel biotage cartridge and then loaded onto a silica gel column equilibrated in 100% hexanes. The product was then
20 eluted using a step gradient of ethyl acetate-hexane: 0 -100%, then 2-98%, then 5-95%. Homogeneous fractions were combined and evaporated to give yellow oil. This was placed under high vacuum overnight to give the title compound as a viscous yellow colored oil. [373 mg, 57%]. The product was stored under nitrogen in a refrigerator.

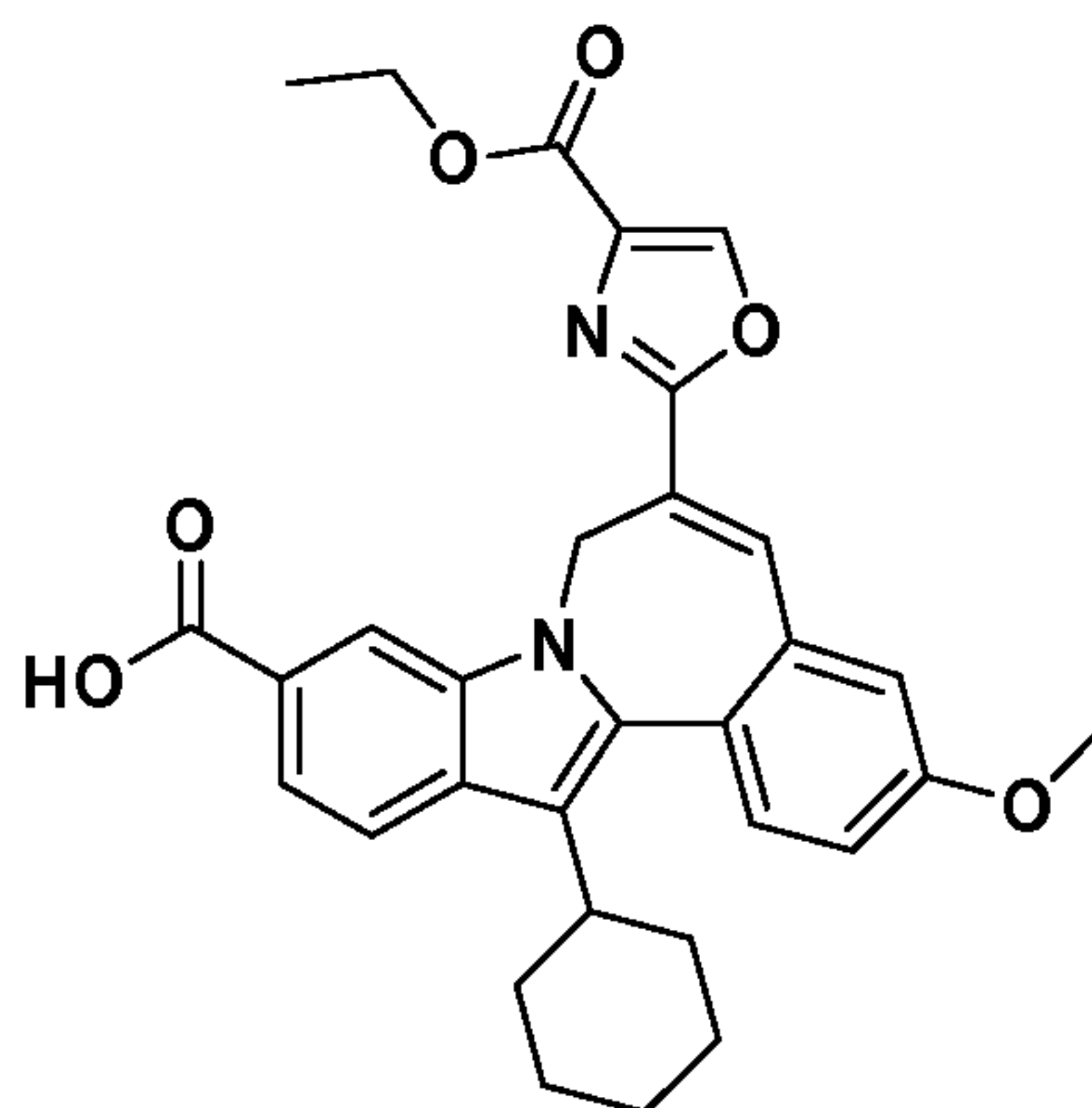
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tert-butyl 13-cyclohexyl-6-(4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1,3-oxazol-2-yl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate.

- 5 1,1-dimethylethyl 13-cyclohexyl-3-(methoxy)-6-(tributylstannanyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate (266mg, 0.36mMol) was dissolved in 3.4mL of 1,4-dioxane in a 2 dram vial. Ethyl 2-chlorooxazole-4-carboxylate (83.4mg, 0.47mMol) was dissolved in the reaction followed by the addition of bis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(II) chloride (17.7mg, 0.025mMol). The reaction
- 10 was capped under nitrogen and heated in an oil bath at 100 C for 17hrs, after which the reaction was cooled and the reaction progress was measured by LC-MS. To the reaction mixture was added bis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(II) chloride (10mg, 0.014mMol). The reaction was capped under nitrogen and heated for an additional 5hrs at 100C. The reaction was concentrated *in vacuo* and the residue adsorbed
- 15 onto silica gel purified by silica gel chromatography eluting with a gradient of dichloromethane to 2% ethyl acetate in dichloromethane to yield 233mg of a yellow solid product. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.13 - 1.37 (m, 4 H) 1.37 - 1.44 (m, 4 H) 1.46 - 1.55 (m, 1 H) 1.64 (s, 9 H) 1.68 - 1.81 (m, 2 H) 1.83 - 1.98 (m, 3 H) 1.98 - 2.13 (m, 3 H) 2.74 - 2.88 (m, 1 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.34 - 4.48 (m, 3 H)
- 20 5.84 - 6.00 (m, 1 H) 7.00 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.08 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 1 H) 7.69 (dd, *J*=8.55, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.74 (s, 1 H) 7.82 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 8.21 (s, 1 H) 8.30 (s, 1 H); LC-MS: Shimadzu Analytical HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 10% methanol, 90% water, 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid %B= 90% methanol, 10% water, 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid; Initial %B= 0; Final % B=100;
- 25 Gradient= 3 min; Runtime= 5 min; Flow rate= 5 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm;

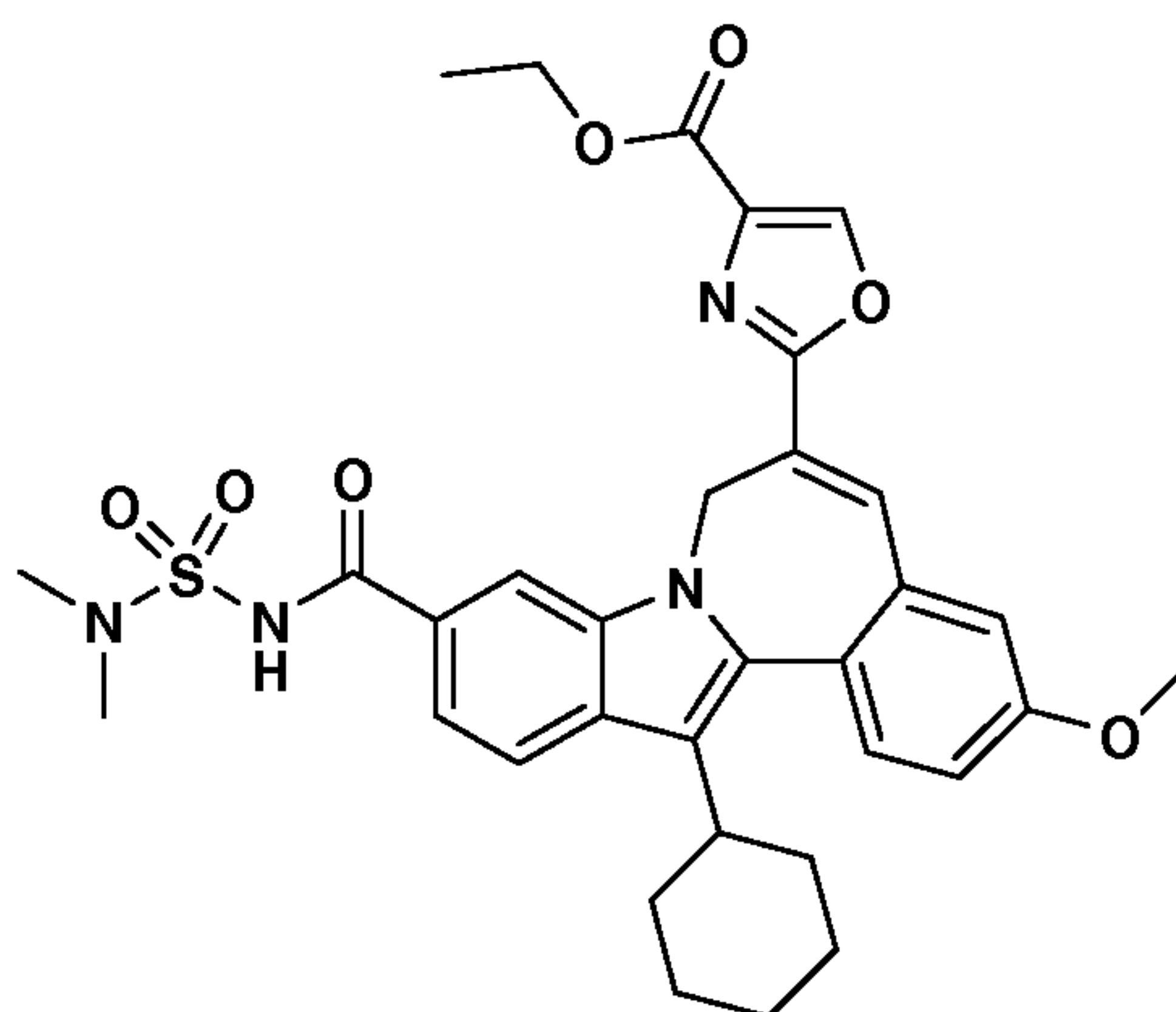
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m/z 583(MH⁺).



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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-2-oxazolyl]-3-methoxy-.

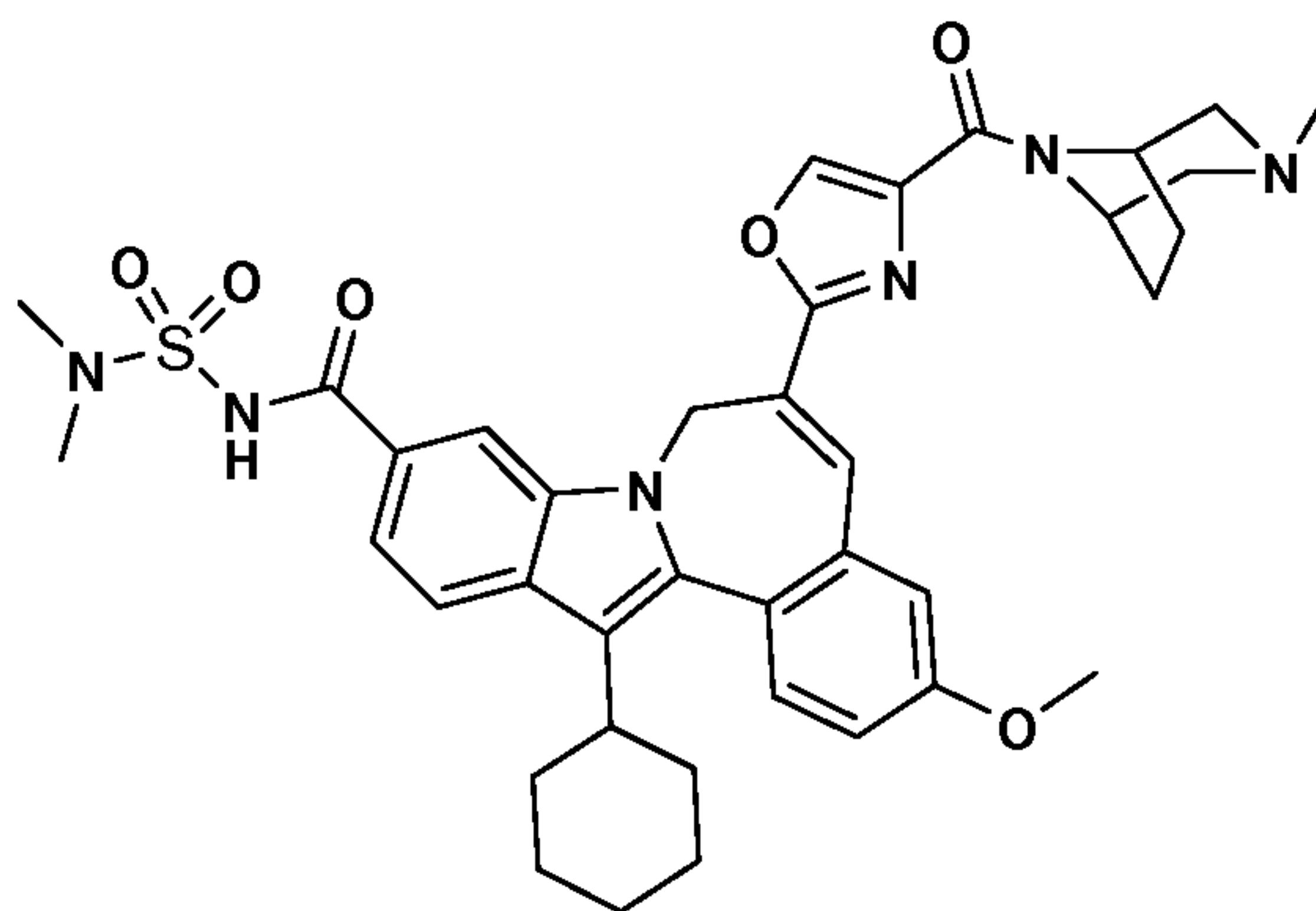
tert-butyl 13-cyclohexyl-6-(4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1,3-oxazol-2-yl)-3-methoxy-
7*H*-indolo[2,1-*a*][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate (109mg, 0.19mMol) was dissolved
10 in 2mL of 1,2-dichloroethane and 2mL of trifluoroacetic acid added to the reaction.
The reaction was stirred at room temperature for 1.5hrs. Volatiles were removed and
the product dried *in vacuo* to yield 102mg of a yellow solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz,
CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.11 - 1.37 (m, 4 H) 1.42 (t, *J*=7.02 Hz, 4 H) 1.48 - 1.62
(m, 1 H) 1.77 (d, *J*=10.07 Hz, 2 H) 1.86 - 2.13 (m, 4 H) 2.73 - 2.90 (m, 1 H) 2.98 -
15 3.39 (m, 6 H) 3.92 (s, 3 H) 4.30 - 4.53 (m, 3 H) 5.87 - 6.03 (m, 1 H) 7.02 (d, *J*=2.44
Hz, 1 H) 7.09 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.75 (s, 1 H) 7.79 (dd, *J*=8.39, 1.37 Hz, 1 H)
7.88 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 8.24 (s, 1 H) 8.50 (s, 1 H); LC-MS: Shimadzu Analytical
HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 5% acetonitrile, 95% water, 10mmol
Ammonium Acetate %B= 95% acetonitrile, 5% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate;
20 Initial %B= 0; Final % B=100; Gradient= 2 min; Runtime= 3 min; Flow rate= 5
ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column= Phenomenex Luna 3.0mm x 50mm S10;
Retention Time= 1.7min, MS m/z 525(MH⁺).



Ethyl 2-(13-cyclohexyl-10-(((dimethylamino)sulfonyl)carbamoyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl)-1,3-oxazole-4-carboxylate.

- 5 Ethyl 2-(13-cyclohexyl-10-(((dimethylamino)sulfonyl)carbamoyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl)-1,3-oxazole-4-carboxylate. 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-2-oxazolyl]-3-methoxy- (115mg, 0.22mMol) was dissolved in 3ml of anhydrous THF and 1,1'-carbonyldiimidazole (61mg, 0.38mMol) added to the
- 10 reaction. The reaction was stirred under nitrogen for 1hr 20min at room temperature then heated to reflux under nitrogen for 45 minutes. The reaction was cooled and dimethylsulfamide (186mg, 1.49mMol) was added to the reaction followed by 1,8-diazabicyclo[5.4.0]undec-7-ene (39uL, 0.26mMol) (DBU). The reaction was heated at 55C for 16hrs under nitrogen. The reaction was partitioned between
- 15 dichloromethane and 0.1M monosodium phosphate. The dichloromethane extract was washed with 0.1M monosodium phosphate then dried over sodium sulfate. Volatiles were removed *in vacuo* to yield 167mg of crude yellow product. One-half of the crude sample was dissolved in a mixture of acetonitrile and methanol and purified by reverse phase prep HPLC under the following conditions: Shimadzu
- 20 preparative HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA; Initial %B= 50; Final %B=100; Gradient= 12 min; Runtime= 17 min; Flow rate= 25 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column= Waters Sunfire 19mm x 100mm. Product retention time= 12.25min to 17min (tailing due to solubility). Obtained 25.2mg of amorphous yellow
- 25 solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.18 - 1.30 (m, 2 H) 1.34 -

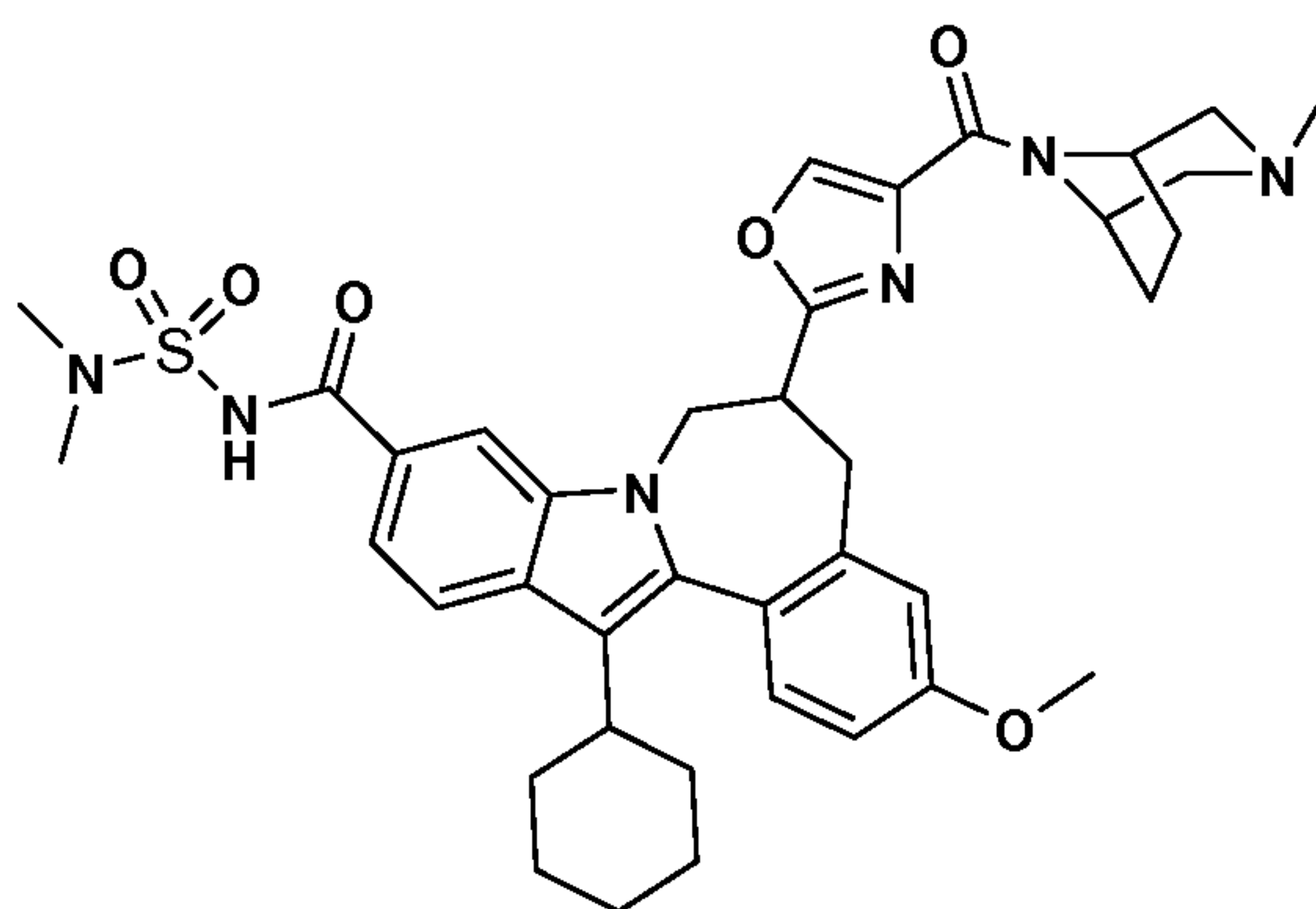
1.46 (m, 5 H) 1.47 - 1.62 (m, 1 H) 1.70 - 1.85 (m, 2 H) 1.86 - 2.21 (m, 4 H) 2.72 -
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 5.75 - 5.99 (m, 1 H) 7.02 (d, $J=2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.10 (dd, $J=8.70, 2.59$ Hz, 1 H) 7.45 -
 7.65 (m, 2 H) 7.71 (s, 1 H) 7.89 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 8.20 (s, 1 H) 8.29 (s, 1 H) 9.36
 5 (s, 1 H); LC-MS: Shimadzu Analytical HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A=
 5% acetonitrile, 95% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate %B= 95% acetonitrile, 5%
 water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate; Initial %B= 0; Final % B=100; Gradient= 2
 min; Runtime= 4 min; Flow rate= 5 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column=
 Phenomenex Luna 3.0mm x 50mm S10; Retention Time= 1.9 min, MS m/z 631
 10 (MH^-), m/z 633(MH^+).



13-cyclohexyl-N-((dimethylamino)sulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-(4-((3-methyl-3,8-
 15 diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl)-1,3-oxazol-2-yl)-7H-indolo[2,1-
a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide.

Ethyl 2-(13-cyclohexyl-10-(((dimethylamino)sulfonyl)carbonyl)-3-
 methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-*a*][2]benzazepin-6-yl)-1,3-oxazole-4-carboxylate (35.7mg,
 0.056mMol) was dissolved in 0.6ml of THF in a 2 dram vial. Tetrabutylammonium
 20 hydroxide (170uL, 0.17mMol) as a 1M solution in methanol was added to the
 reaction. The reaction was capped and stirred for 3hrs at room temperature. The
 reaction was partitioned between 1N hydrochloric acid and dichloromethane. The
 organic phase was washed with 1N hydrochloric acid and dried over sodium sulfate.
 The material was concentrated to dryness, dried *in vacuo* and used without further
 25 purification. The hydrolysis product (0.056mMol) was dissolved in 1mL of DMF
 and TBTU(39mg, 0.12mMol)added. The reaction was stirred at room temperature

under nitrogen for approximately 50 minutes then add DMAP(37.9mg, 0.31mMol) was added followed by 3-methyl-3,8-diaza-bicyclo[3.2.1]octane dihydrochloride (23mg, 0.11mMol). The reaction was stirred for 4hrs at room temperature under nitrogen atmosphere until complete, then added to 20mL of water and extracted with dichloromethane, washed organic layer with water and dry over sodium sulfate to yield 50mg of crude product. The product was purified by Prep HPLC under the following conditions: Shimadzu preparative HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA; Initial %B= 30; Final % B=100; Gradient= 12 min; Runtime= 20 min; Flow rate= 25 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column= Waters Sunfire 19mm x 100mm. Product retention time= 6.1min. Product fractions were concentrated *in vacuo* to yield 30.5mg of the title compound as a trifluoroacetic acid salt. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.09 - 1.30 (m, 1 H) 1.31 - 1.61 (m, 3 H) 1.68 - 1.85 (m, 2 H) 1.87 - 2.20 (m, 5 H) 2.26 - 2.44 (m, 2 H) 2.51 - 2.66 (m, 1 H) 2.77 - 2.90 (m, 1 H) 2.91 - 3.01 (m, 3 H) 3.04 (s, 6 H) 3.12 (d, *J*=11.90 Hz, 1 H) 3.23 (d, *J*=11.60 Hz, 1 H) 3.78 (d, *J*=12.21 Hz, 1 H) 3.94 (s, 3 H) 4.24 (d, *J*=13.12 Hz, 1 H) 4.43 (d, *J*=14.34 Hz, 1 H) 5.01 (d, *J*=5.80 Hz, 1 H) 5.13 - 5.47 (m, 1 H) 5.85 (d, *J*=14.04 Hz, 1 H) 6.02 (s, 1 H) 7.03 (d, *J*=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.12 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.25 - 7.32 (m, 1 H) 7.56 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.69 (s, 1 H) 7.88 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 8.18 (s, 1 H) 8.28 (s, 1 H) 8.52 (s, 1 H) 11.72 (s, 1 H); LC-MS: Shimadzu Analytical HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 5% acetonitrile, 95% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate %B= 95% acetonitrile, 5% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate; Initial %B= 0; Final % B=100; Gradient= 2 min; Runtime= 3 min; Flow rate= 5 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column= Phenomenex Luna 3.0mm x 50mm S10 Retention Time= 1.7 min, MS *m/z* 711 (MH⁻), *m/z* 713(MH⁺).

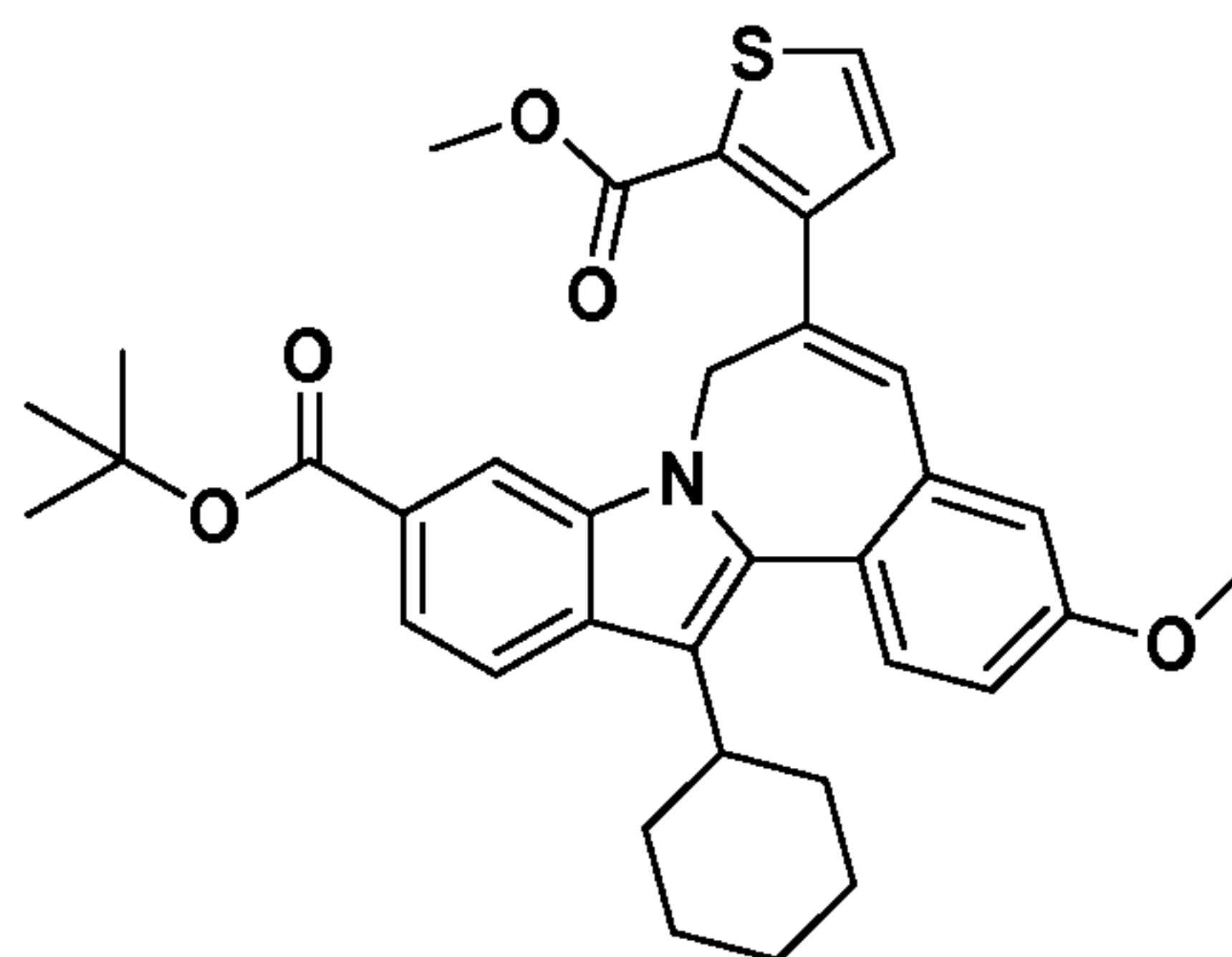


13-Cyclohexyl-N-((dimethylamino)sulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-(4-((3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl)-1,3-oxazol-2-yl)-6,7-dihydro-5H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide.

13-Cyclohexyl-N-((dimethylamino)sulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-(4-((3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl)-1,3-oxazol-2-yl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide (26.5mg, 0.037mMol) was dissolved in 1mL of THF and 0.3mL of methanol added followed by 10mg of 10% palladium on carbon. The reaction was placed under hydrogen at 1 atmosphere (balloon) and stirred for 18hrs at room temperature. The reaction was filtered through a celite plug and rinsed with acetonitrile. Volatiles were removed from the filtrate *in vacuo* and the residue was dissolved in acetonitrile and purified by Prep HPLC under the following conditions: Shimadzu preparative HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA; Initial %B= 30; Final % B=100; Gradient= 12 min; Runtime= 17 min; Flow rate= 25 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column= Waters Sunfire 19mm x 100mm. Product retention time= 5.3 minutes. The title compound was isolated as a TFA salt, 17.6mg obtained. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.20 - 1.33 (m, 1.1H) 1.33 - 1.54 (m, 2.1 H) 1.65 (t, *J*=10.99 Hz, 1.1 H) 1.74 - 1.86 (m, 1.9 H) 1.89 - 2.11 (m, 5.6 H) 2.11 - 2.44 (m, 3.0H) 2.71 - 2.86 (m, 3.2 H) 2.87 - 2.98 (m, 2.9 H) 2.98 - 3.10 (m, 7.7 H) 3.08 - 3.45 (m, 6.1 H) 3.72 - 3.83 (m, 0.9 H) 3.82 - 3.93 (m, 3.1 H) 3.92 - 4.00 (m, 0.8 H) 4.05 (dd, *J*=14.80, 5.65 Hz, 0.8 H) 4.55 - 5.12 (m, 2.6 H) 5.60 (d, *J*=12.82 Hz, 0.3 H) 6.64 - 7.12 (m, 2.0 H) 7.29 - 7.62 (m, 1.8 H) 7.77 - 7.97 (m, 1.2 H) 7.97 - 8.43 (m, 1.2 H) 8.55 - 9.33 (m, 0.7 H) 11.70 (s, 0.5 H). LC-MS: Shimadzu Analytical HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 5% acetonitrile,

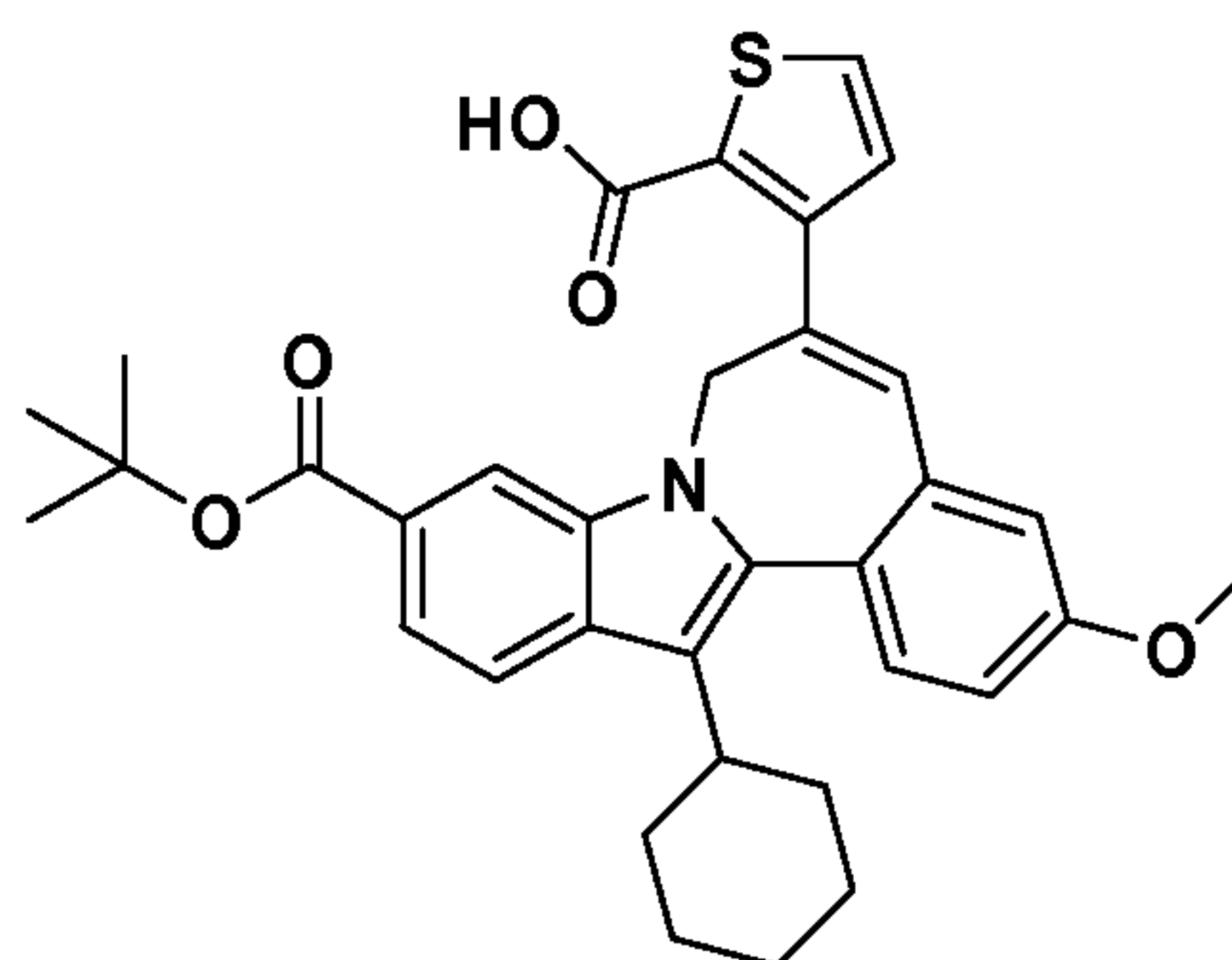
95% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate %B= 95% acetonitrile, 5% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate; Initial %B= 0; Final % B=100; Gradient= 3 min; Runtime= 5 min; Flow rate= 5 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column= Gemini 4.6mm x 50mm S5; Retention Time= 2.2 min, MS m/z 715(MH⁺), m/z 713(MH⁻).

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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[2-(methoxycarbonyl)-3-thienyl]-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester. *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(tributylstannyl)-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester* (140mg, 0.19mMol) was dissolved in 2mL of 1,4-dioxane along with methyl 3-bromothiophene-2-carboxylate (79mg, 0.36mMol) in a 2 dram vial. To the reaction was added bis(triphenylphosphine)palladium dichloride (9.2mg, 0.013mMol). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and heated to 100C for 4.5hrs. The reaction was cooled and filtered through a 0.45uM nylon syringe filter and the volatiles removed *in vacuo* to yield 226mg of a yellow oil. The title compound was purified by silica gel chromatography eluting with 30% hexanes in dichloromethane to yield 73mg (66%) of product. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.92 (t, *J*=7.32 Hz, 2 H) 1.24 - 1.44 (m, 6 H) 1.57 (s, 9 H) 1.58 - 1.71 (m, 2 H) 1.77 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 2 H) 1.85 - 1.99 (m, 1 H) 2.00 - 2.17 (m, 3 H) 2.83 - 2.93 (m, 1 H) 3.82 (s, 3 H) 3.88 (s, 3 H) 4.71 (s, 1 H) 5.10 (s, 1 H) 6.80 (s, 1 H) 6.83 (d, *J*=4.88 Hz, 1 H) 6.90 (d, *J*=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.01 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.40 (d, *J*=5.19 Hz, 1 H) 7.51 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 1 H) 7.63 (dd, *J*=8.55, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.82 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.88 (s, 1 H); LC-MS: Shimadzu Analytical HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 10% methanol, 90% water, 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid %B= 90% methanol, 10% water, 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid; Initial %B= 0; Final % B=100; Gradient= 2 min; Runtime= 5 min; Flow rate= 5 ml/min; Wavelength=

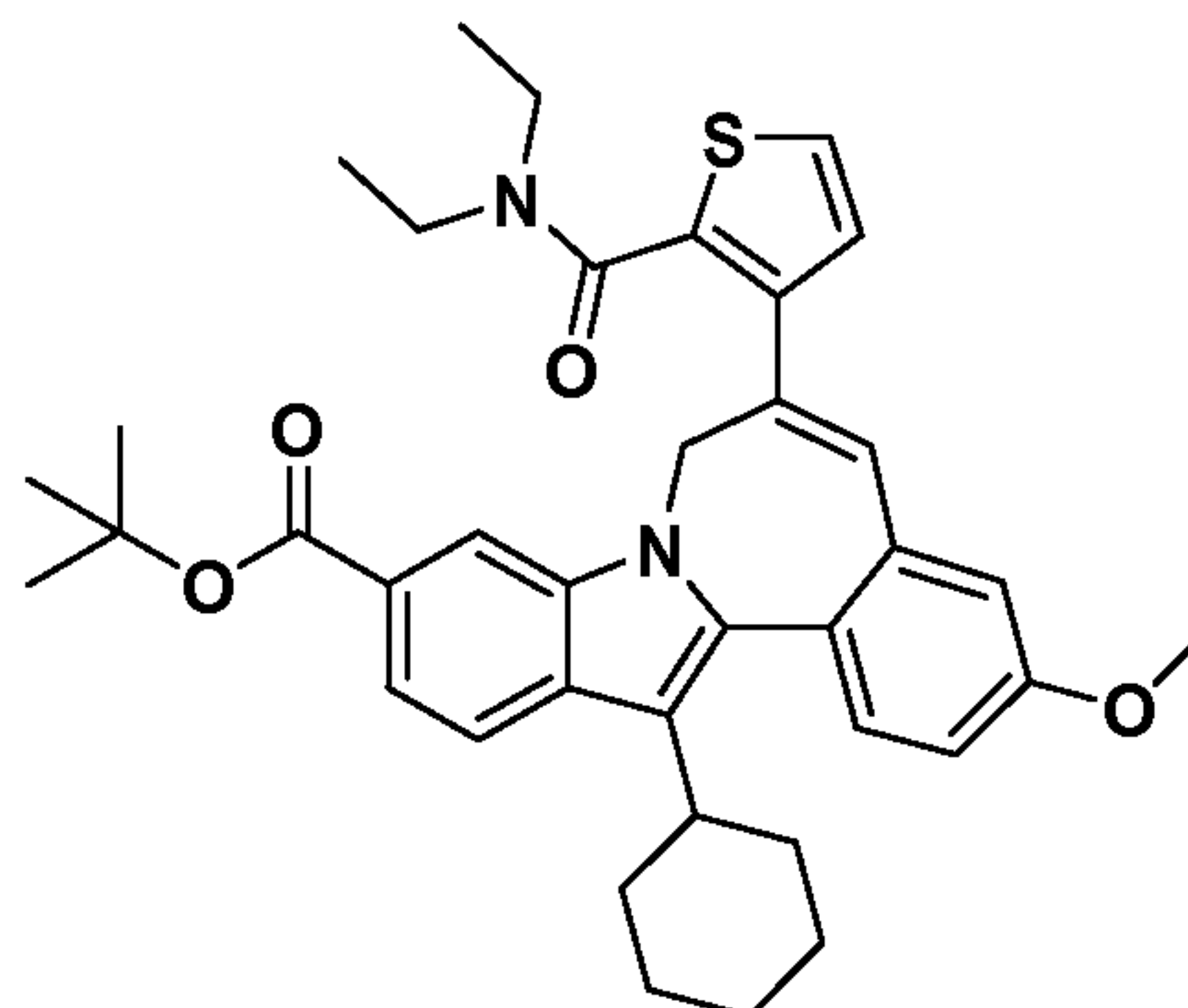
220nm; Column= Phenomenex Luna 3.0mm x 50mm S10; Retention Time= 2.95 min, MS m/z 584(MH⁺).



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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 6-(2-carboxy-3-thienyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-, 10-(1,1-dimethylethyl) ester.

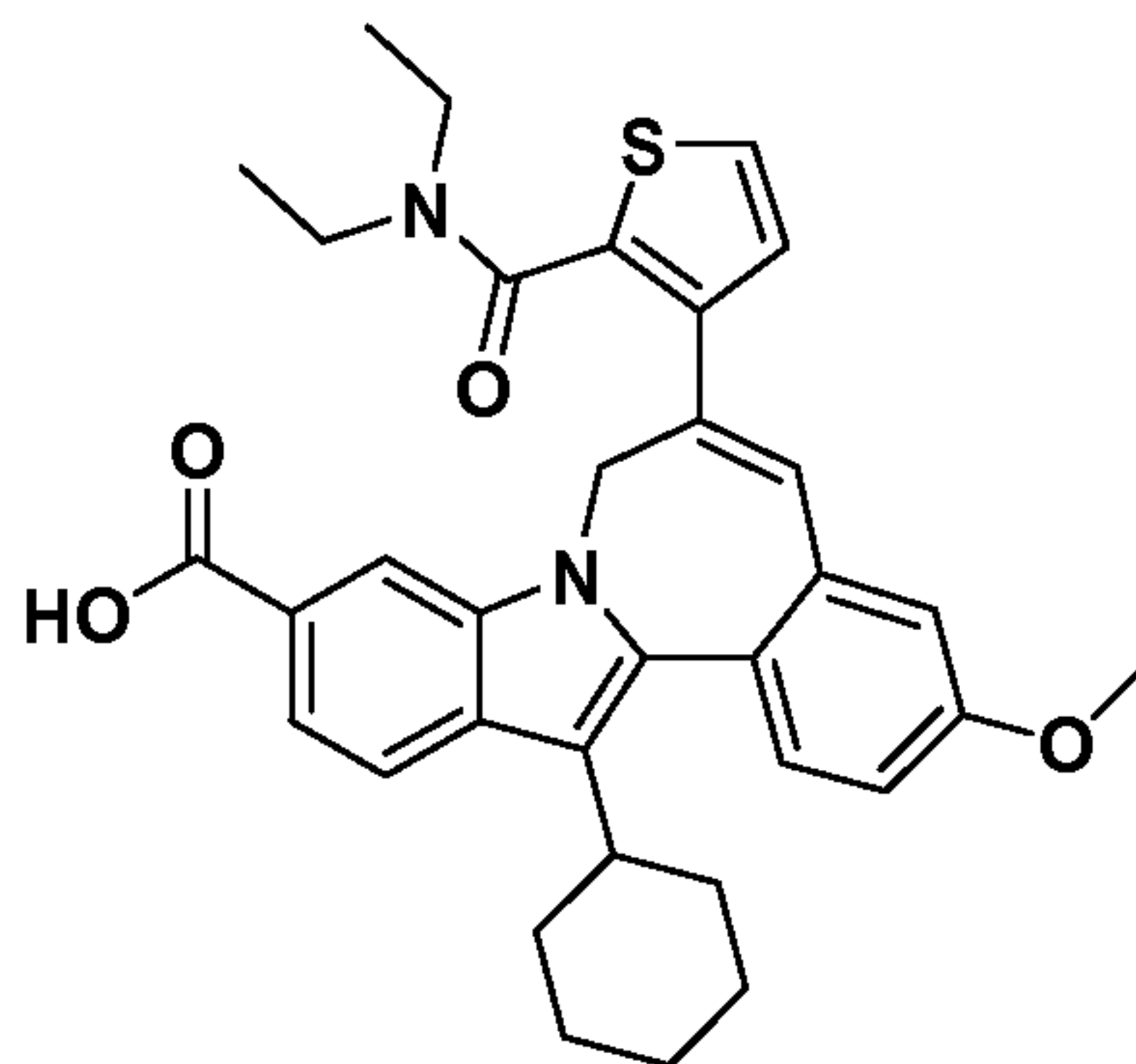
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[2-(methoxycarbonyl)-3-thienyl]-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (65mg, 0.11mMol) was dissolved in 1mL of THF in a 2 dram vial. To this solution was added 1.0M tetrabutylammonium hydroxide (0.33mL, 0.33mMol) in methanol. The reaction was capped and stirred at room temperature for 3hrs then monitored by HPLC. Additional 1.0M tetrabutylammonium hydroxide (0.10mL, 0.1mMol) in methanol was added to the reaction and the reaction stirred capped at room temperature for an additional 21hrs. The reaction was partitioned between dichloromethane and 0.1M citric acid. The aqueous phase was extracted with dichloromethane and the organic extracts were combined and dried over sodium sulfate. Volatiles were removed *in vacuo* to yield 72mg of crude product. LC-MS: Shimadzu Analytical HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 5% acetonitrile, 95% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate %B= 95% acetonitrile, 5% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate; Initial %B= 0; Final % B=100; Gradient= 3 min; Runtime= 5 min; Flow rate= 5 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column= Phenomenex Luna 3.0mm x 50mm S10; Retention Time= 2.50min, MS m/z 570(MH⁺).



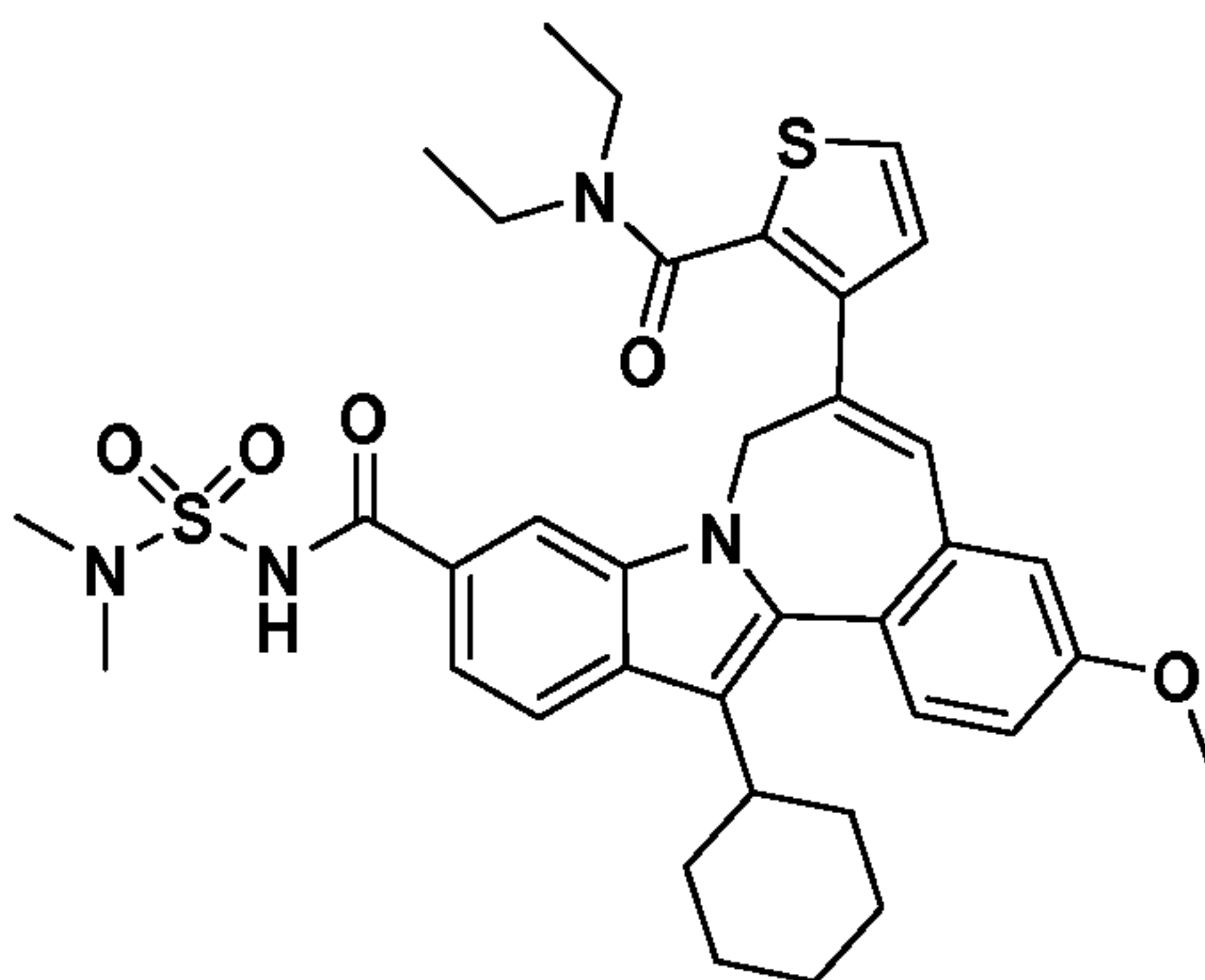
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[2-[(diethylamino)carbonyl]-3-thienyl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester.

- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 6-(2-carboxy-3-thienyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-, 10-(1,1-dimethylethyl) ester (36mg, 0.063mMol) was dissolved in 0.7mL of anhydrous DMF and TBTU (36.5mg, 0.114mMol) added to the reaction. The reaction was capped under nitrogen and stirred at room temperature for 1.5hrs. DMAP (29mg, 0.24mMol) was then dissolved in the reaction then diethyl
- 10 amine (26uL, 0.25mMol) added. The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred for 21hrs at room temperature. The reaction was added to 15mL of water and the aqueous suspension extracted with dichloromethane. The organic phase was washed sequentially with 0.1M citric acid, water and dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and volatiles removed *in vacuo* to yield a amber oil. LC-MS:
- 15 Shimadzu Analytical HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 10% methanol, 90% water, 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid %B= 90% methanol, 10% water, 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid; Initial %B= 50; Final % B=100; Gradient= 5 min; Runtime= 6 min; Flow rate= 5 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column= Phenomenex Luna 3.0mm x 50mm S10; Retention Time= 4.64 min, MS m/z 625(MH⁺), 647(M+Na)⁺.

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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[2-
 [(diethylamino)carbonyl]-3-thienyl]-3-methoxy-. 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-
 5 10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[2-[(diethylamino)carbonyl]-3-thienyl]-3-
 methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (39mg, 0.06mMol) was dissolved in 1mL of 1,2-
 dichloroethane and 1mL of trifluoroacetic acid was added. The reaction was stirred
 at room temperature for 2hrs then volatiles were removed *in vacuo*. The reaction
 product was repeatedly dissolved in benzene and volatiles removed in *vacuo* to aid
 10 in the removal of residual TFA. Weight of product was 39mg as an amorphous solid.
 LC-MS: Shimadzu Analytical HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 5%
 acetonitrile, 95% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate %B= 95% acetonitrile, 5%
 water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate; Initial %B= 0; Final % B=100; Gradient= 3
 min; Runtime= 5 min; Flow rate= 5 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column=
 15 Phenomenex Luna 3.0mm x 50mm S10; Retention Time= 2.31, MS m/z 569(MH⁺).



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[2-
 [(diethylamino)carbonyl]-3-thienyl]-N-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-3-methoxy-. 7H-
 20 indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[2-

[(diethylamino)carbonyl]-3-thienyl]-3-methoxy- (36.7mg, 0.064mmol) was dissolved in THF (1ml) and carbonyldiimidazole (19mg, 0.117mmol) added to the reaction. The reaction was stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere at room temperature for 1.5 hours. The reaction was then heated to 60C for 1.5 hours, then cooled and

5 dimethylsulfamide (55mg, 0.444mmol) was added to the reaction followed by DBU (13.3uL, 0.089mmol). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and heated at 65C to 70C overnight. The reaction was cooled then partitioned between dichloromethane and 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid. The aqueous phase was back extracted with dichloromethane and the organic layers combined and washed

10 sequentially with 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid, aqueous 0.1M NaH₂PO₄. The dichloromethane phase was dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and volatiles removed in vacuo to yield 47mg of brown film. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) and purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector

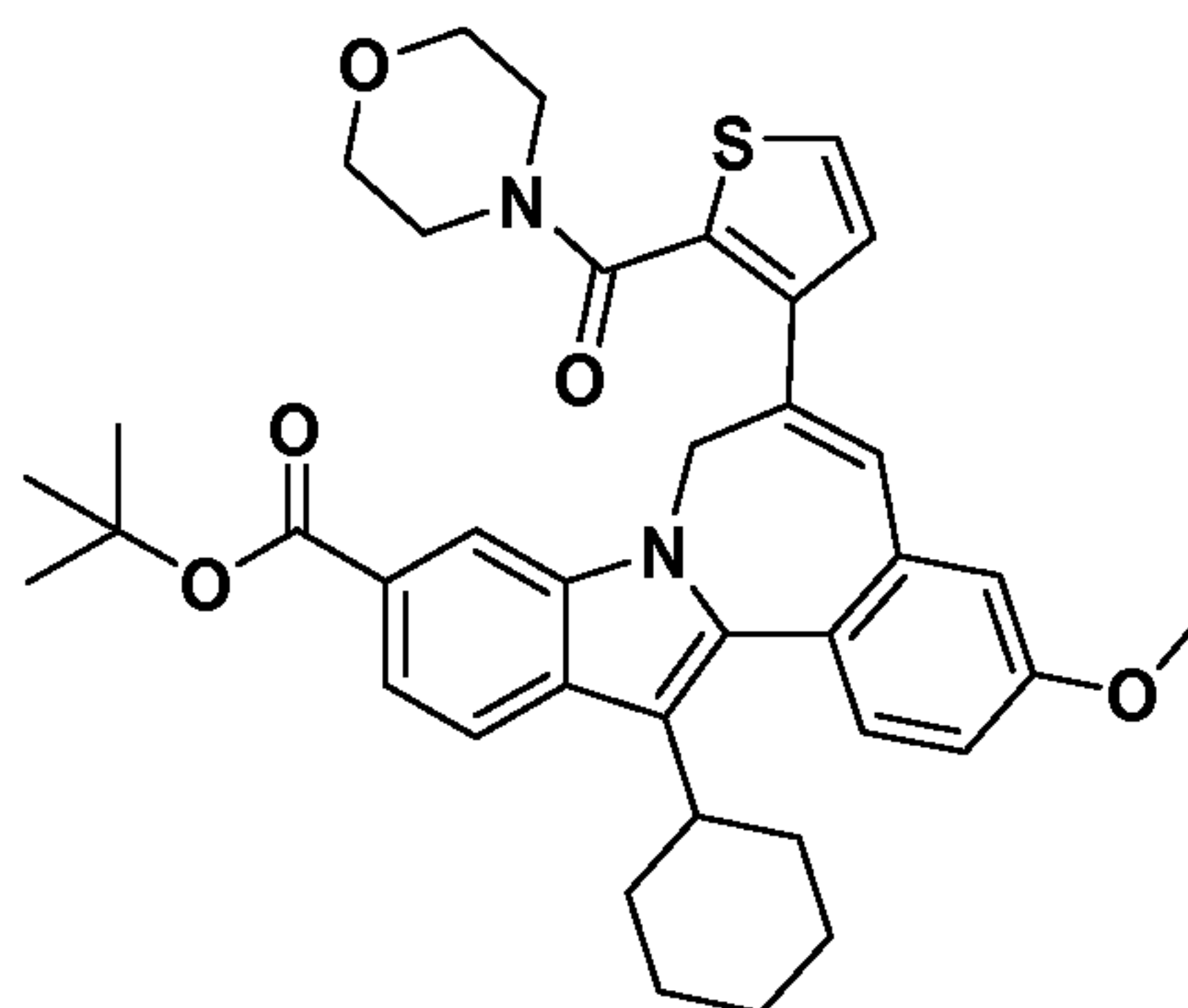
15 wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 50 solvent A / 50% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 25 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Solvent was removed from the product fraction in vacuo to yield

20 18.1mg of an amorphous yellow solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.53 (br.s, 3 H) 0.96 (br.s, 3 H) 1.04 - 1.44 (m, 4 H) 1.51 (d, J =10.07 Hz, 1 H) 1.78 (d, J =9.46 Hz, 2 H) 1.88 - 2.13 (m, 4 H) 2.40 - 2.52 (m, 1 H) 2.80 - 2.97 (m, 3 H) 3.05 (s, 6 H) 3.57 (br.s, 1 H) 3.89 (s, 3 H) 4.49 (d, J =14.65 Hz, 1 H) 5.20 (d, J =14.04 Hz, 1 H) 6.93 (d, J =2.75 Hz, 1 H) 6.98 (s, 1 H) 7.02 (dd, J =8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1

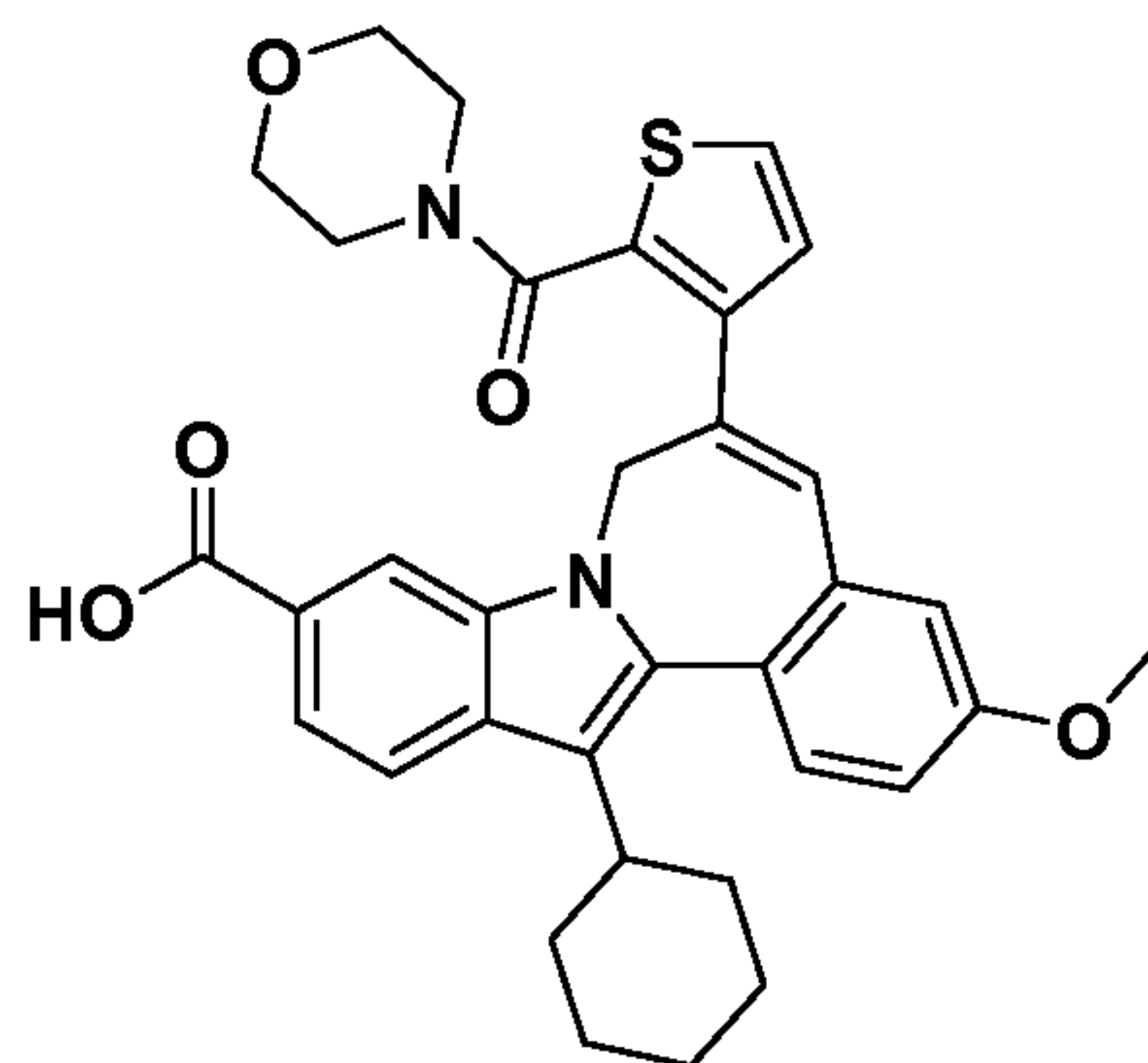
25 H) 7.11 (d, J =5.19 Hz, 1 H) 7.38 (d, J =4.88 Hz, 1 H) 7.41 - 7.52 (m, 2 H) 7.86 (d, J =8.55 Hz, 1 H) 8.01 (s, 1 H) 9.18 (s, 1 H); LC-MS retention time 2.19 min; 673 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions

30 employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM

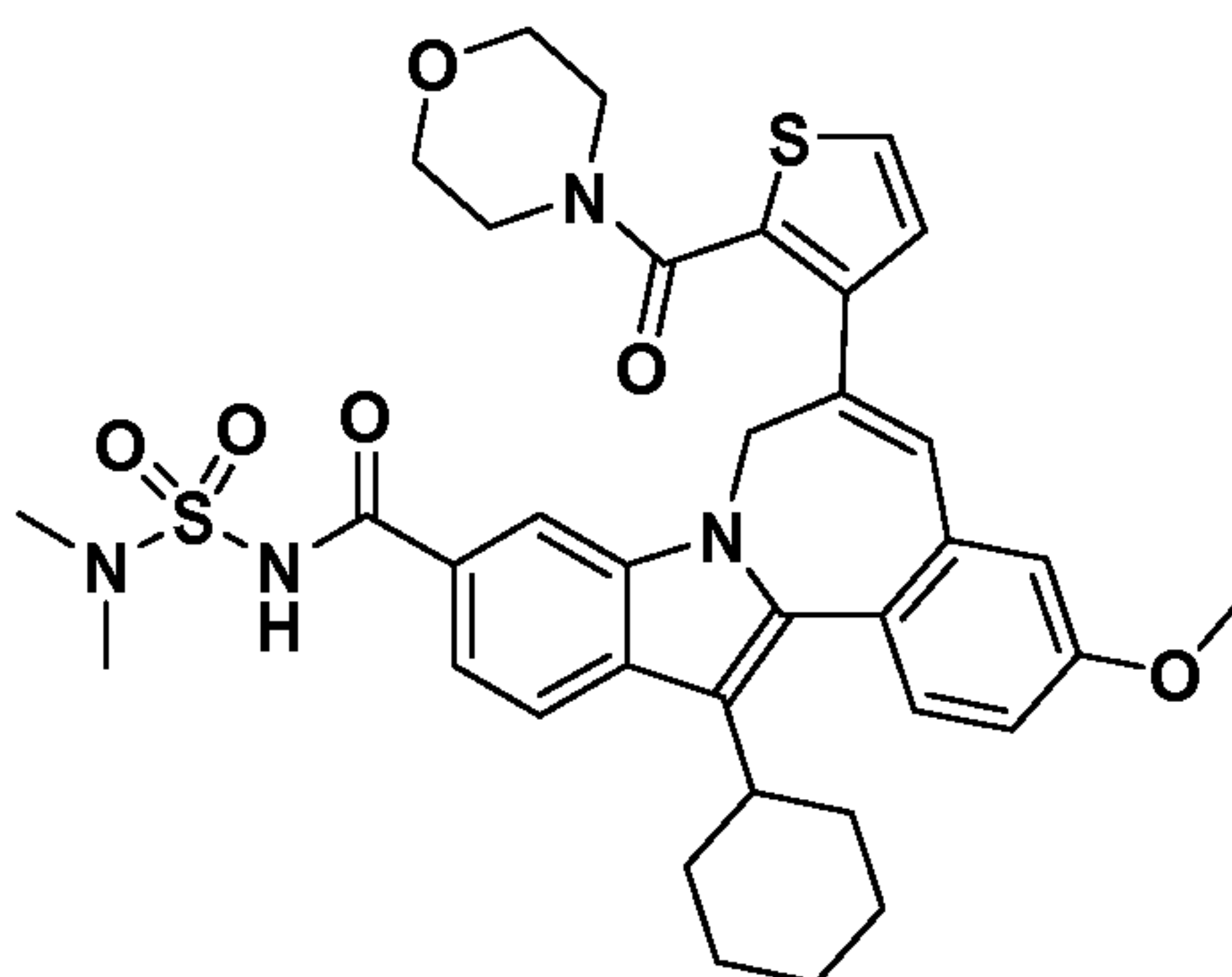
ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



- 5 *tert-Butyl 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(2-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-3-thienyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate*. In a 2 dram vial, 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 6-(2-carboxy-3-thienyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-, 10-(1,1-dimethylethyl) ester (33.7mg, 0.059 mmol) and O-(1H-
- 10 Benzotriazol-1-yl)-N,N,N',N'-tetramethyluronium tetrafluoroborate (34.2 mg, 0.106 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (0.7 ml) to give a clear yellow solution. The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 1hr 20min. DMAP (28.9 mg, 0.237 mmol) was dissolved in the reaction then morpholine (10.5 μ l, 0.121 mmol) was added. The reaction was capped under a nitrogen
- 15 atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 2 days. Pour reaction into 15mL of water. A pale yellow precipitate forms. Extract into dichloromethane. Wash dichloromethane solution with 0.1M aqueous citric acid, back extract aqueous using dichloromethane. Combine dichloromethane phases wash 1x with water and dry over sodium sulfate. Remove volatiles *in vacuo* to yield 45mg of the title product as
- 20 a yellow oil. LC-MS: Shimadzu Analytical HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 10% methanol, 90% water, 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid %B= 90% methanol, 10% water, 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid; Initial %B= 50; Final % B=100; Gradient= 6 min; Runtime= 6 min; Flow rate= 5 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column= Phenomenex Luna 3.0mm x 50mm S10; Retention Time= 4.38 min, MS m/z
- 25 639(MH⁺).



- 13-Cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(2-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-3-thienyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid.* In a 2 dram vial, dissolve tert-
- 5 Butyl 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(2-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-3-thienyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate (37.7 mg, 0.059 mmol) in 1,2-Dichloroethane (1 mL) add TFA (1 mL, 12.98 mmol) The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 1.5hrs. Transfer reaction contents to a 25mL pear flask using benzene to rinse. Remove volatiles *in vacuo*.
- 10 Dissolve product in benzene and rotovap to aid in trace TFA removal. Obtained 41mg of title compound as a yellow brown film. A LC-MS was obtained to confirm product and the product used in the next step without further purification. LC-MS: Shimadzu Analytical HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 5% acetonitrile, 95% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate %B= 95% acetonitrile, 5% water, 10mmol
- 15 Ammonium Acetate; Initial %B= 0; Final % B=100; Gradient= 3 min; Runtime= 5 min; Flow rate= 5 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column= Waters Xterra, 3mm x 50mm, S7. Retention Time= 1.73 min, MS m/z 583(MH⁺), m/z 581(M-H)⁻.

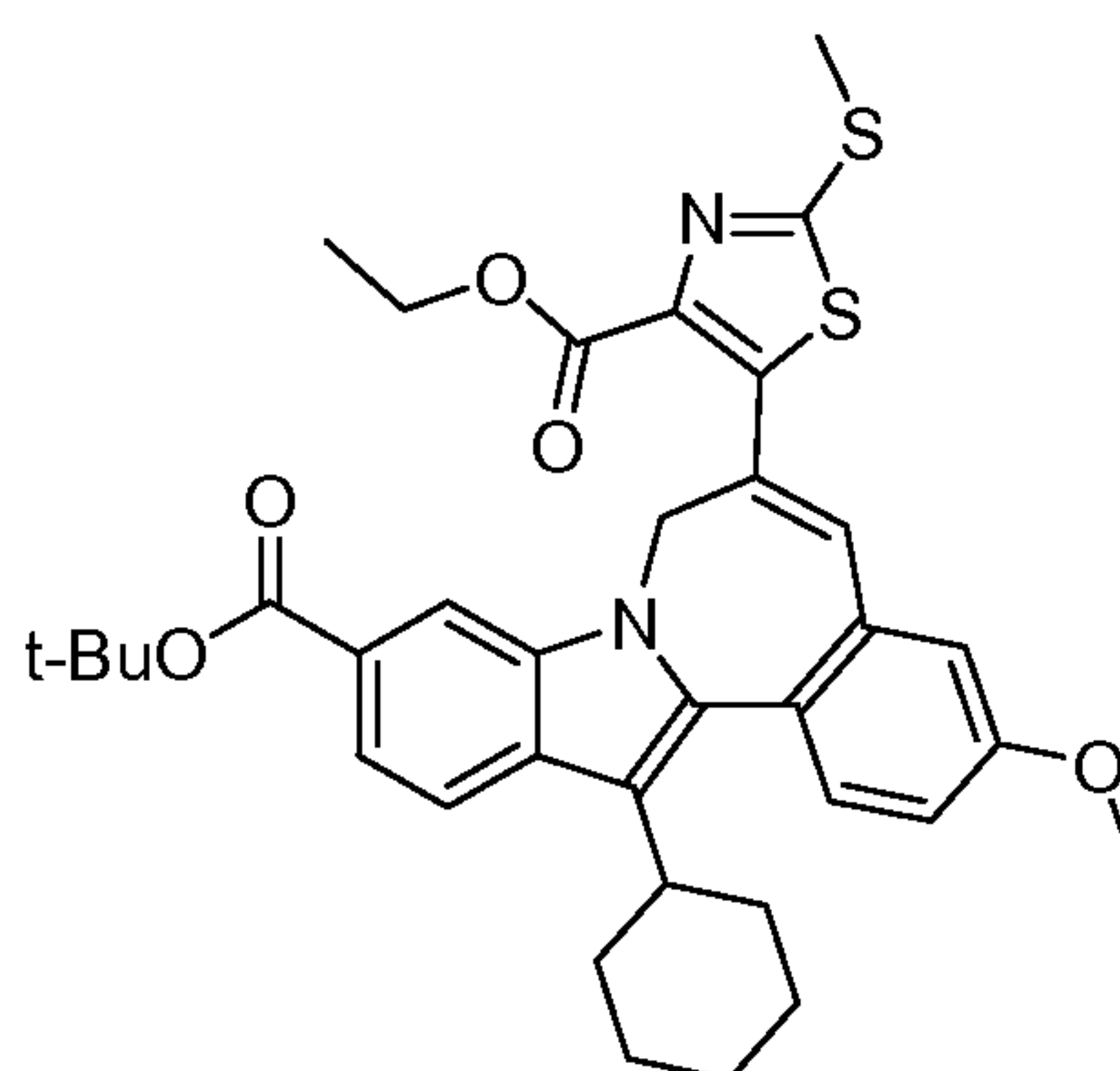


13-Cyclohexyl-N-(dimethylsulfamoyl)-3-methoxy-6-(2-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-3-thienyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide.

In a 2 dram vial, dissolve 13-Cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(2-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-3-thienyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid
 5 (38 mg, 0.065 mmol) in 1mL of anhydrous THF, add CDI (19.03 mg, 0.117 mmol) to the reaction. The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for approximately 1 hour. The reaction was heated capped under nitrogen at 65°C for 1 hour, then cooled to room temperature and N,N-Dimethylsulfamide (44.3 mg, 0.357 mmol) then DBU (13.8 µL, 0.092 mmol) added
 10 to the reaction. The reaction was capped and heated under nitrogen over night at 65°C. Analysis of an aliquot by LC-MS indicated that the reaction was incomplete. To the reaction was added more dimethylsulfamide(19mg, 0.153mmol) and DBU (13.8µL, 0.092mmol). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and heated at 69°C for 3.25hrs. Analysis of the reaction by LC-MS indicated that the
 15 reaction was complete. The reaction was partitioned between dichloromethane and 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid. The aqueous layer was extracted with dichloromethane. The organic layers were combined and washed sequentially with 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid then 0.1M sodium dihydrogen phosphate (NaH₂PO₄) and dried over sodium sulfate. Volatiles were removed *in vacuo* to give a yellow
 20 oil/film. The crude title compound was dried *in vacuo* overnight at room temperature. Weight of crude product is 43mg as a yellow/brown solid. Dissolve in a mixture of acetonitrile and DMF and purify by reverse phase HPLC under the following conditions: Shimadzu Preparative HPLC running Discovery VP software, %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA; Initial %B= 50; Final % B=100; Gradient= 15 min; Runtime= 25 min;
 25 Flow rate= 25 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column= Waters Sunfire 19mm x 100mm. Product collection time= 9.72min. to 10.49min. Volatiles were removed *in vacuo* from the product fraction to yield 14.2mg of the title compound as a yellow solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.17 - 1.30 (m, 1 H) 1.32 - 1.50 (m, 2 H) 1.55 (d, *J*=11.29 Hz, 1 H) 1.78 (d, *J*=10.99 Hz, 2 H) 1.90 - 2.16 (m, 4 H) 2.42 - 2.58 (m, 1 H) 2.60 - 2.86 (m, 4 H) 2.85 - 2.94 (m, 2 H) 2.95 - 3.04 (m, 2 H) 3.06 (s, 6 H) 3.10 - 3.30 (m, 1 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.56 (d, *J*=14.65 Hz, 1 H) 5.09 (d, *J*=14.65 Hz, 1 H) 6.87 (s, 1 H) 6.93 (d, *J*=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.05 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1

H) 7.08 (d, $J=4.88$ Hz, 1 H) 7.45 (d, $J=4.88$ Hz, 1 H) 7.47 - 7.54 (m, 2 H) 7.83 (s, 1 H) 7.91 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 9.59 (s, 1 H). LC-MS: Shimadzu Analytical HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 5% acetonitrile, 95% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate %B= 95% acetonitrile, 5% water, 10mmol Ammonium Acetate; Initial %B= 0; Final % B=100; Gradient= 3 min; Runtime= 4 min; Flow rate= 5 ml/min; Wavelength= 220nm; Column= Waters Xterra, 3mm x 50mm, S7. Retention Time= 2.05min min, MS m/z 689 (MH^+), m/z 687 ($M-H$)⁻.

10 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-2-(methylthio)-5-thiazolyl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester*



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(tributylstannyl)-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (203 mg, 0.277 mmol) was dissolved in 1,4-dioxane (2.7 ml)) in a 2-5mL tapered microwave vessel with magnetic stir bar. To the reaction was added ethyl 5-bromo-2-(methylthio)thiazole-4-carboxylate (171 mg, 0.606 mmol), and bis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(II) chloride (14.9 mg, 0.021 mmol). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and heated to 100C for 17.5hrs. HPLC analysis of the reaction indicated only approximately 45% conversion of starting material. Additional catalyst bis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(II) chloride (5.7mg) was added to the reaction and the reaction was heated under a nitrogen atmosphere at 110C for 23hrs. Volatiles were removed from the reaction mixture in vacuo and the crude reaction mixture was dissolved in a 8ml of a DMF/acetonitrile mixture and purified as four 2mL injections using reverse phase HPLC. The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector.

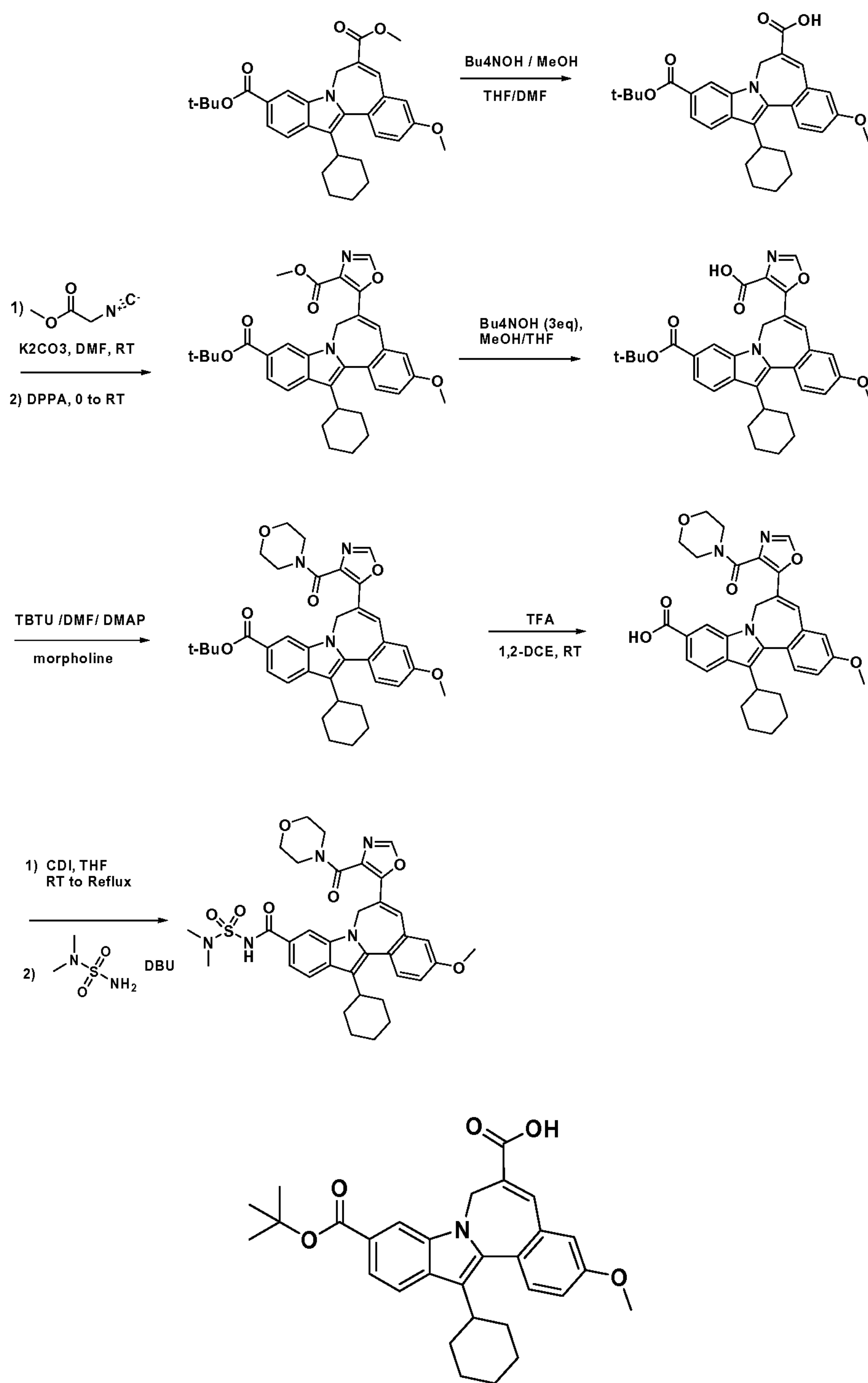
The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile and DMF purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 40% solvent A / 60% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 30 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Retention time of product = 26.6min. Volatiles from the product fractions were removed *in vacuo* using a speed vac at a medium heating setting.

1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.16 - 1.26 (m, 1 H) 1.30 (t, $J=7.02$ Hz, 3 H) 1.33 - 1.56 (m, 3 H) 1.60 (s, 10 H) 1.63 - 1.83 (m, 5 H) 1.94 (br.s, 1 H) 1.98 - 2.16 (m, 3 H) 2.71 (s, 3 H) 2.82 - 2.92 (m, 1 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 4.28 (q, $J=7.02$ Hz, 2 H) 4.53 (d, $J=14.95$ Hz, 1 H) 5.52 (d, $J=14.65$ Hz, 1 H) 6.98 (d, $J=2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.03 (dd, $J=8.85, 2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.49 - 7.54 (m, 2 H) 7.65 (dd, $J=8.55, 1.53$ Hz, 1 H) 7.81 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 8.13 (d, $J=1.22$ Hz, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 3.08 min; 645m/z (MH+). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H2O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H2O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

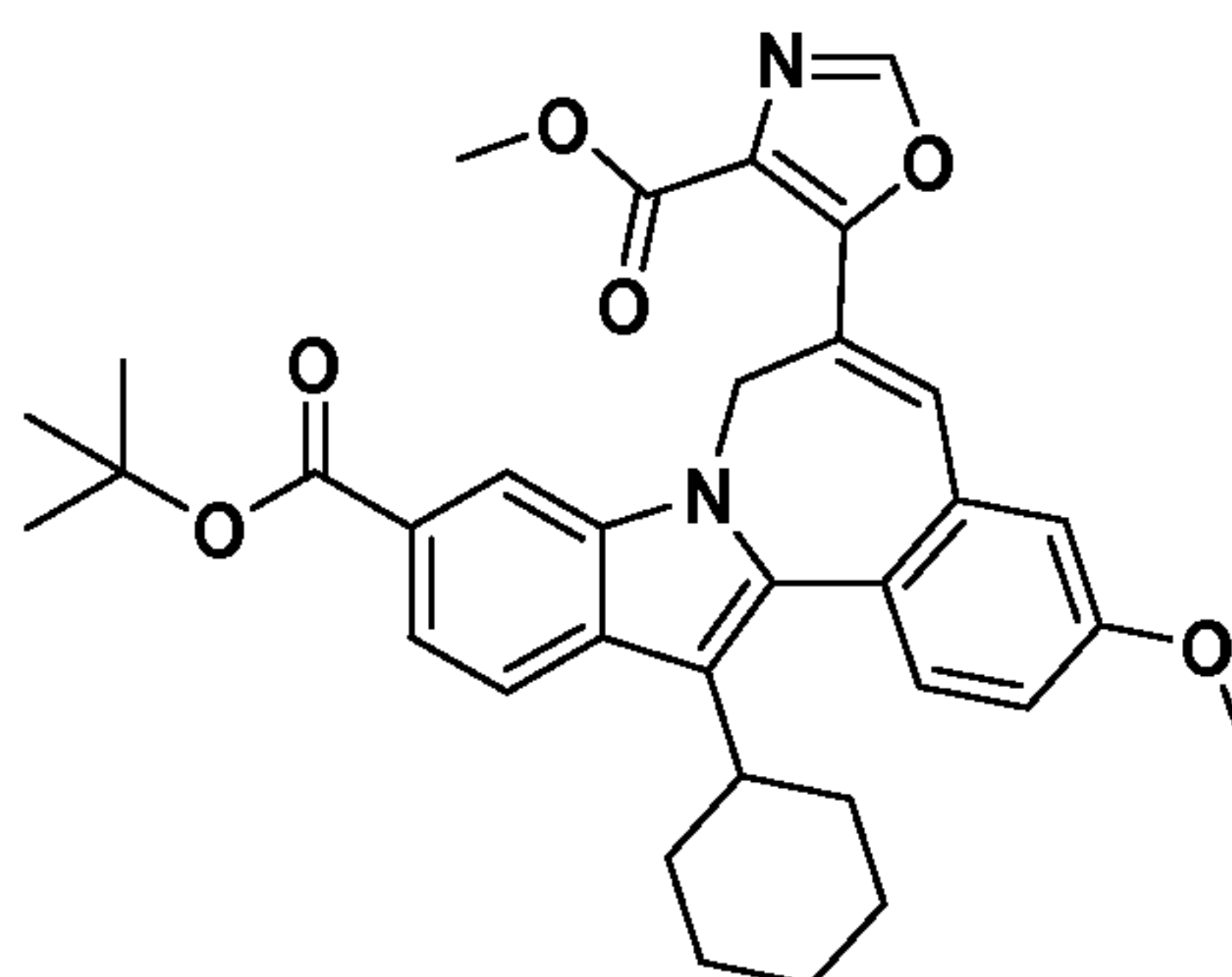
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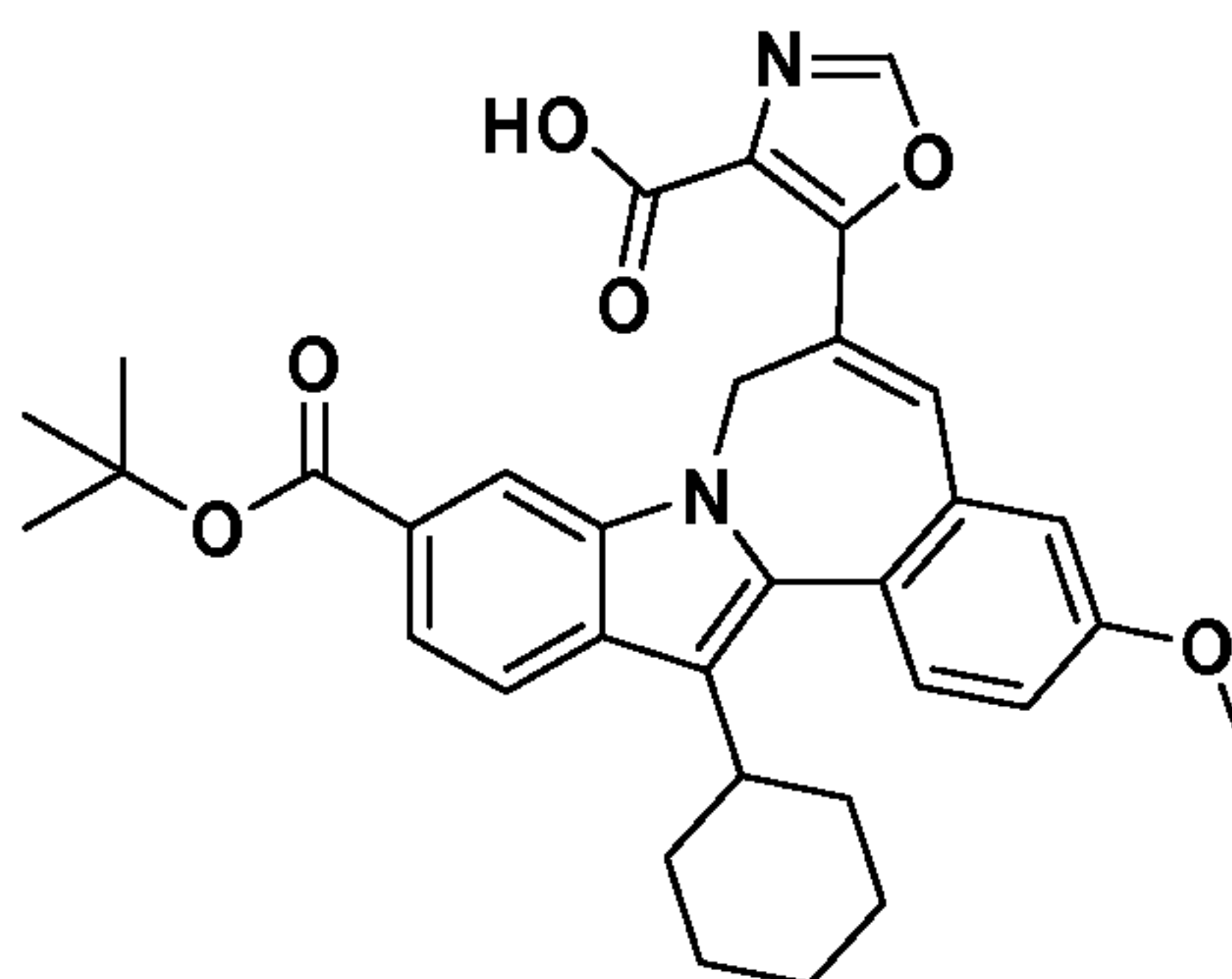


5 *10-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-6-carboxylic acid*. Dissolve 10-(1,1-dimethylethyl) 6-methyl 13-cyclohexyl-3-(methyloxy)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-6,10-dicarboxylate (5.53 g, 11.02 mmol) in THF (70ml) with heating, add DMF (20 ml) to maintain solubility,

allow to cool to room temperature then add tetrabutylammonium hydroxide (33.1 ml, 33.1 mmol) 1.0M in methanol. Stir reaction at room temperature for 2hrs then add 0.1N aqueous 0.1N hydrochloric acid to the reaction followed by 01M aqueous NaH₂PO₄. Separate phases, wash organic layer sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid, 0.1M aqueous NaH₂PO₄. Back extract aqueous 1x using ethyl acetate. Combine ethyl acetate fractions and wash sequentially with 0.1M aqueous NaH₂PO₄ and brine. Dry over magnesium sulfate, filter and remove solvents *in vacuo* to yield a bright yellow solid. Dry product *in vacuo* at room temperature to give 5.21g (97%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.12 - 1.28 (m, 2 H) 1.28 - 1.45 (m, 2 H) 1.46 - 1.60 (m, 2 H) 1.63 (s, 9 H) 1.66 - 1.96 (m, 4 H) 1.96 - 2.16 (m, 3 H) 2.76 - 2.84 (m, 1 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.18 (br.s., 1 H) 5.66 (br.s., 1 H) 7.00 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.10 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 (d, *J*=8.54 Hz, 1 H) 7.65 - 7.71 (m, 1 H) 7.82 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.93 (s, 1 H) 8.22 (s, 1 H). LC-MS retention time 1.47 min; 486 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 2 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 3 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

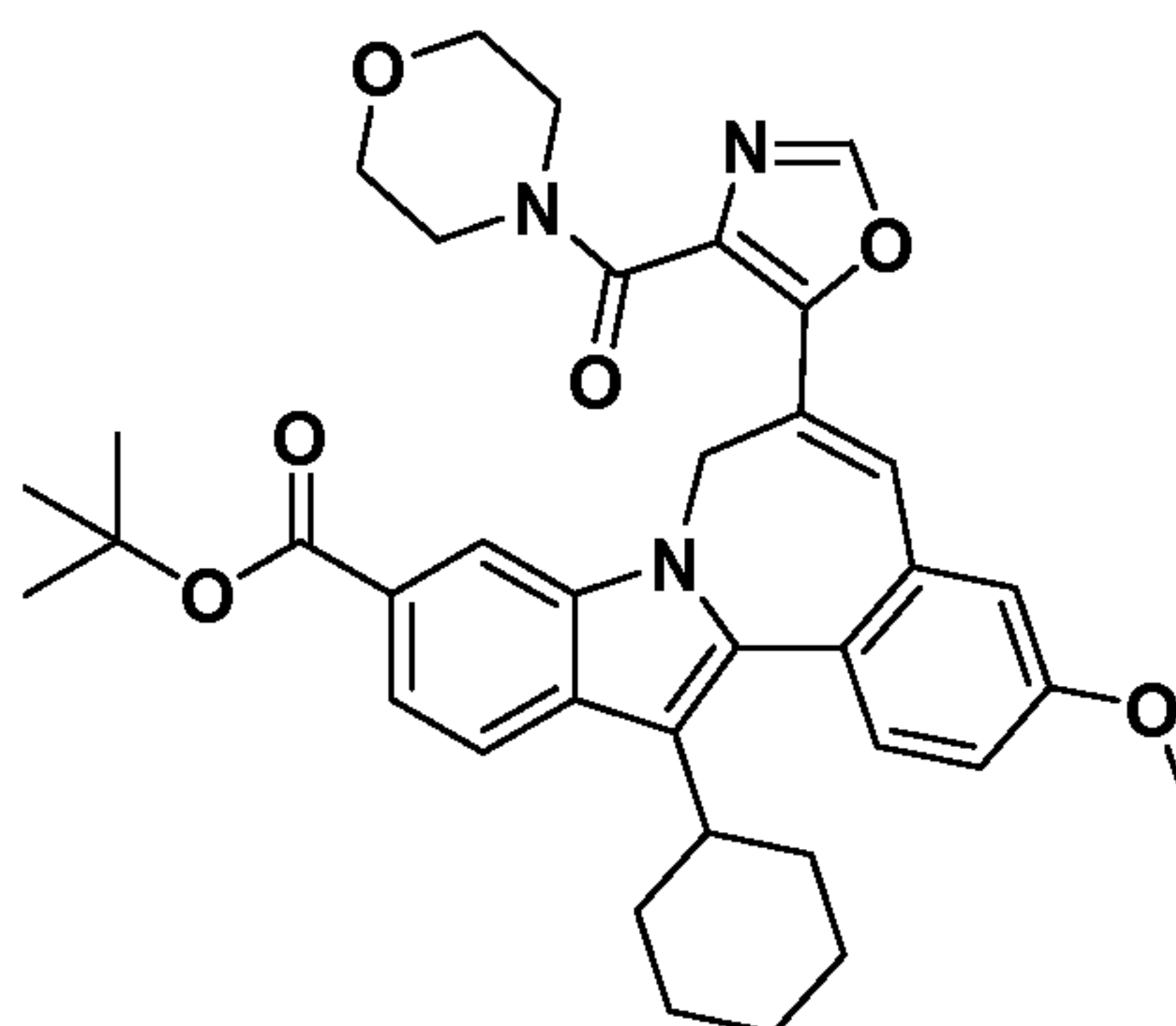


tert-Butyl 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1,3-oxazol-5-yl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate. 10-(*tert*-butoxycarbonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-6-carboxylic acid (1.00 g, 2.051 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (10 ml) and potassium carbonate (0.624 g, 4.51 mmol) was added to the reaction followed by methyl isocyanoacetate (0.24 ml, 2.64 mmol). The reaction was stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere at room temperature for approximately 5 minutes then cooled to 0°C. Diphenylphosphoryl azide (0.5 ml, 2.320 mmol) was slowly added to the reaction over 10 minutes. The reaction was stirred at 0°C under a nitrogen atmosphere and allowed to slowly warm to room temperature overnight. Dilute reaction with 100 ml of benzene/ethyl acetate (1:1) and wash with water. Back extract aqueous layer using ethyl acetate. Combine organic extracts and wash successively with 0.1M aqueous citric acid, saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate and then brine and dry over magnesium sulfate. Filter and remove volatiles *in vacuo*. Chromatograph on 43.4g of silica gel slurry packed in 5% ethyl acetate / dichloromethane. Elute with 5% ethyl acetate / dichloromethane. Combination of pure product fractions and removal of volatiles *in vacuo* yielded 215mg of an amorphous yellow solid. Combination of less pure fractions yielded an additional 189mg of product with purity greater than 92%. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.11 - 1.29 (m, 2 H) 1.30 - 1.48 (m, 3 H) 1.57 (s, 2 H) 1.61 (s, 10 H) 1.69 - 1.80 (m, 2 H) 1.86 - 1.98 (m, 1 H) 1.99 - 2.13 (m, 4 H) 2.76 - 2.90 (m, 1 H) 3.92 (s, 3 H) 3.98 (s, 3 H) 4.47 (d, *J*=12.82 Hz, 1 H) 5.84 (d, *J*=14.65 Hz, 1 H) 7.02 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.07 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.65 - 7.71 (m, 1 H) 7.82 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.87 (s, 1 H) 8.08 (s, 1 H) 8.16 (s, 1 H). LC-MS retention time 2.75 min; *m/z* (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 0 min, and an analysis time of 3 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



5-(10-(tert-Butoxycarbonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl)-1,3-oxazole-4-carboxylic acid. *tert*-Butyl 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1,3-oxazol-5-yl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate (205 mg, 0.360 mmol) was dissolved in THF (3.0ml) and tetrabutylammonium hydroxide (1.1 mL, 1.100 mmol) (1.0M in methanol) was added to the reaction. The reaction was capped and stirred at room temperature for 2hrs. A 0.1M aqueous solution of NaH₂PO₄ was added to the reaction followed by 0.1N aqueous hydrochloric acid. The product was extracted into ethyl acetate and the organic phase washed sequentially with 0.1N aqueous hydrochloric acid, 0.1M aqueous NaH₂PO₄, brine and dried over magnesium sulfate. The product solution was filtered, solvent removed and product dried *in vacuo* to yield 191mg of a yellow solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.77 - 0.94 (m, 1 H) 1.12 - 1.31 (m, 3 H) 1.30 - 1.59 (m, 5 H) 1.62 (s, 9 H) 1.76 (d, *J*=11.29 Hz, 2 H) 1.87 - 2.18 (m, 4 H) 2.76 - 2.90 (m, 1 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.45 (d, *J*=14.04 Hz, 1 H) 6.03 (d, *J*=12.21 Hz, 1 H) 7.03 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.08 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 1 H) 7.68 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.82 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.91 (s, 1 H) 8.21 (d, *J*=5.80 Hz, 2 H). LC-MS retention time 1.86 min; *m/z* 553 (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B

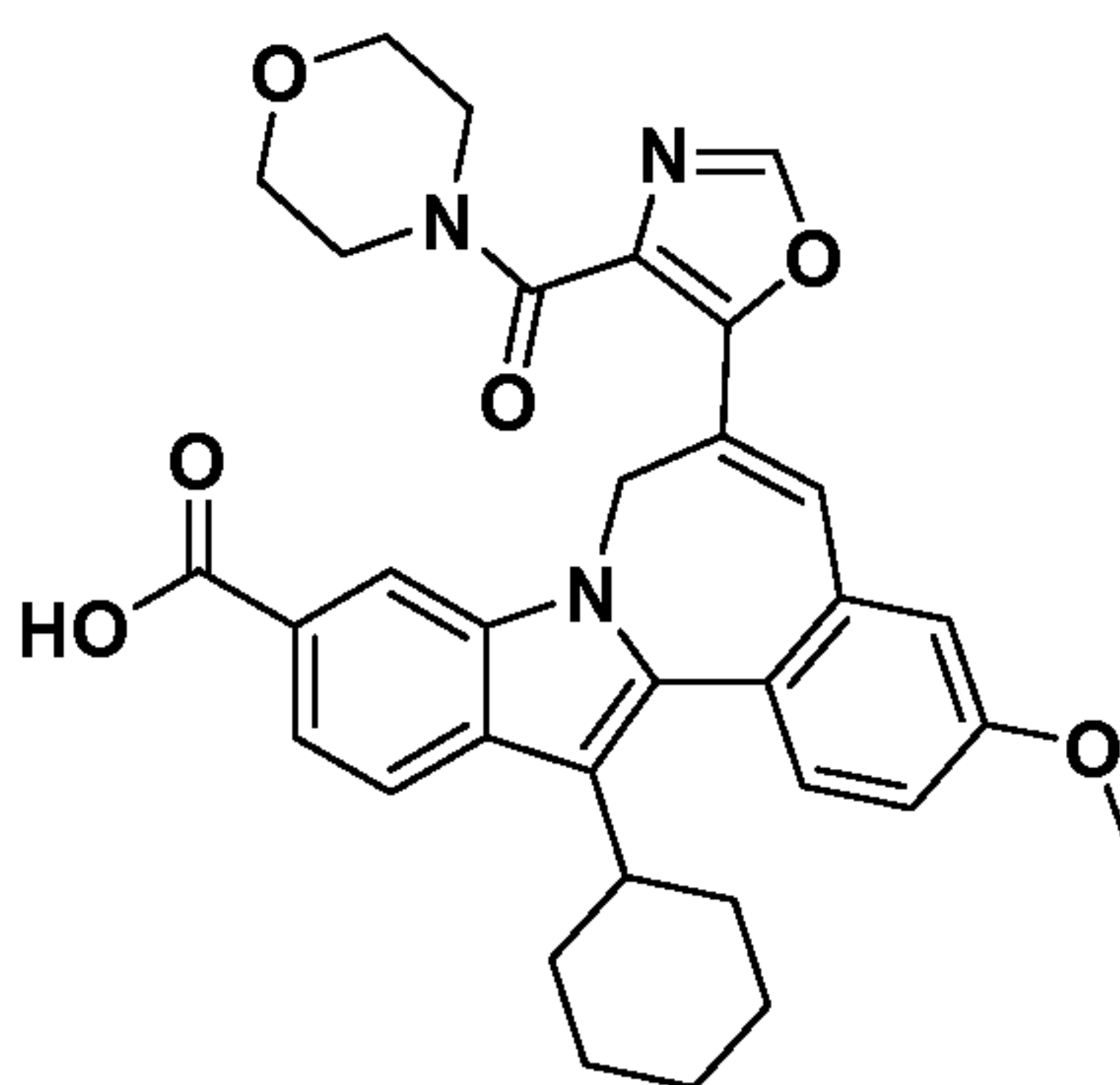
was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



5 *tert-Butyl 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1,3-oxazol-5-yl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate.*

5-(10-(*tert*-Butoxycarbonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7*H*-indolo[2,1-
a][2]benzazepin-6-yl)-1,3-oxazole-4-carboxylic acid (185mg, 0.334 mmol) was
dissolved in DMF (3.2 ml), and O-benzotriazol-1-yl-N,N,N',N'-tetra-methyluronium
10 tetrafluoroborate (193 mg, 0.600 mmol) was added. The reaction was stirred capped
at room temperature for 25 minutes and DMAP (163 mg, 1.334 mmol) was dissolved
in the reaction then morpholine (0.058 ml, 0.667 mmol) was added. The reaction
was capped and stirred at room temperature overnight. The reaction was poured into
30ml of water and extracted with dichloromethane. The organic layer was washed
15 sequentially with 0.1M aqueous citric acid, 0.1M aqueous NaH₂PO₄, then dried over
anhydrous sodium sulfate. The sample was filtered, volatiles removed and the
sample dried in vacuo to obtain 227mg of an amorphous orange solid. ¹H NMR
(500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.16 - 1.50 (m, 7 H) 1.53 - 1.61 (m, 6 H) 1.62
(s, 10 H) 1.76 (d, *J*=10.38 Hz, 2 H) 1.83 - 2.15 (m, 5 H) 3.40 - 3.84 (m, 7 H) 3.83 -
20 3.95 (m, 5 H) 4.40 (d, *J*=11.60 Hz, 1 H) 5.64 (d, *J*=12.21 Hz, 1 H) 6.97 (d, *J*=2.75
Hz, 1 H) 7.05 (dd, *J*=8.39, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.50 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 (s, 1 H) 7.65
(d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.77 - 7.86 (m, 2 H) 7.97 - 8.04 (m, 1 H) 8.10 (s, 1 H). LC-MS
retention time 2.64 min *m/z* 624 (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-
10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm
25 column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm.

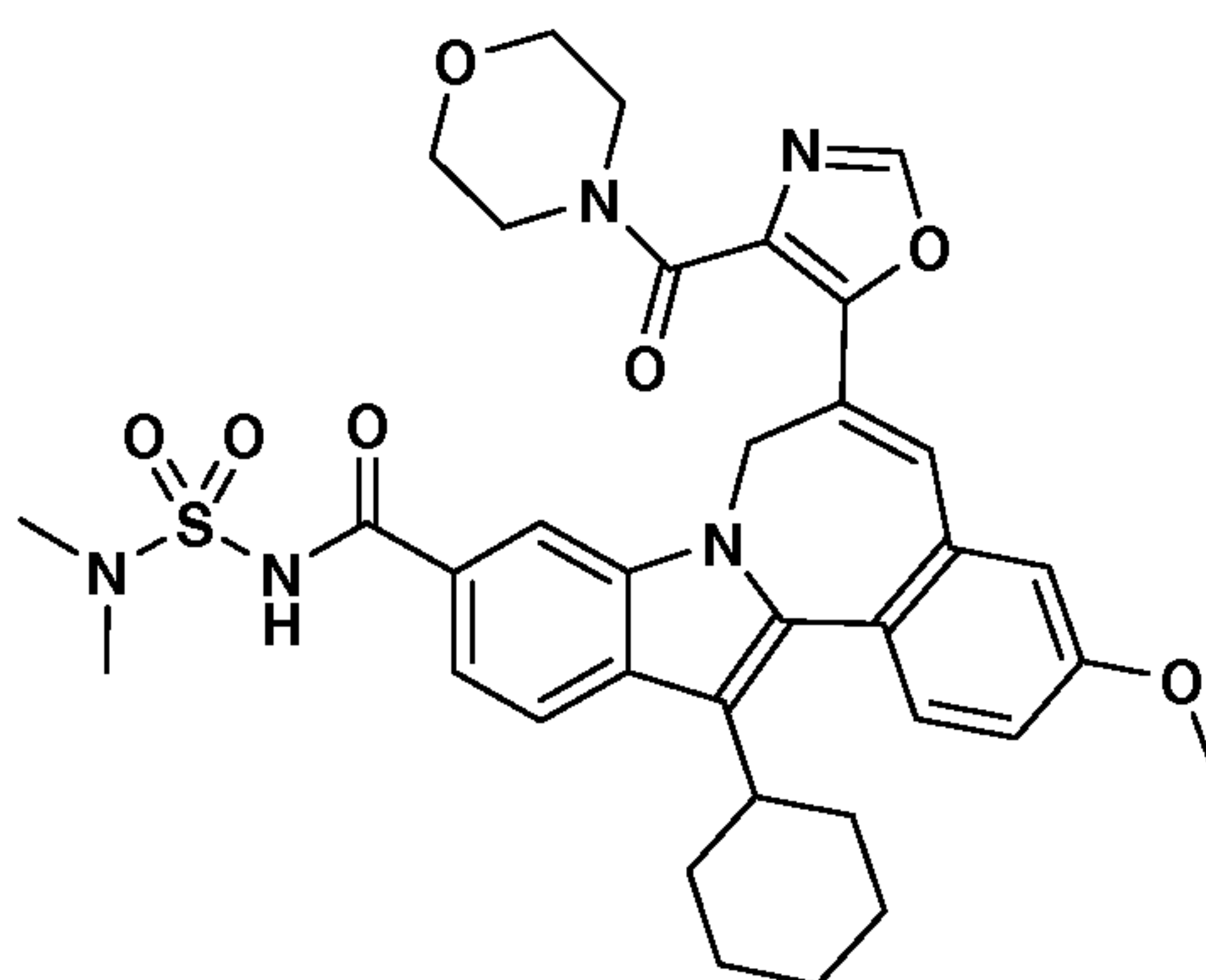
The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 2 min, and an analysis time of 5 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



10 *13-Cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1,3-oxazol-5-yl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid.*

Dissolve *tert*-Butyl 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1,3-oxazol-5-yl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate (203mg, 0.325 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (3 ml) add TFA (3 ml, 38.9 mmol), The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere at 25 °C for 2 hrs. Reaction volatiles were removed in vacuo and the residue dissolved in 80mL of ethyl acetate with heating. The solution was washed with 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid (2x40mL), brine and dried over magnesium sulfate. The product solution was filtered, volatiles removed and the sample dried *in vacuo* at room temperature overnight to give 179mg (97%) of a yellow solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.74 - 1.03 (m, 4 H) 1.06 - 1.31 (m, 6 H) 1.32 - 1.50 (m, 3 H) 1.56 (d, *J*=9.16 Hz, 2 H) 1.77 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 2 H) 1.86 - 2.18 (m, 5 H) 2.83 - 2.91 (m, 1 H) 3.60 (s, 3 H) 3.64 - 3.89 (m, 4 H) 3.88 - 3.93 (m, 4 H) 3.95 - 4.08 (m, 1 H) 4.43 (d, *J*=15.56 Hz, 1 H) 5.64 (d, *J*=14.95 Hz, 1 H) 6.99 (d, *J*=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.07 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.48 - 7.56 (m, 2 H) 7.85 - 7.94 (m, 2 H) 8.15 (s, 1 H). LC-MS retention time 1.65 min; 568 m/z (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph

equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and
 5 an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

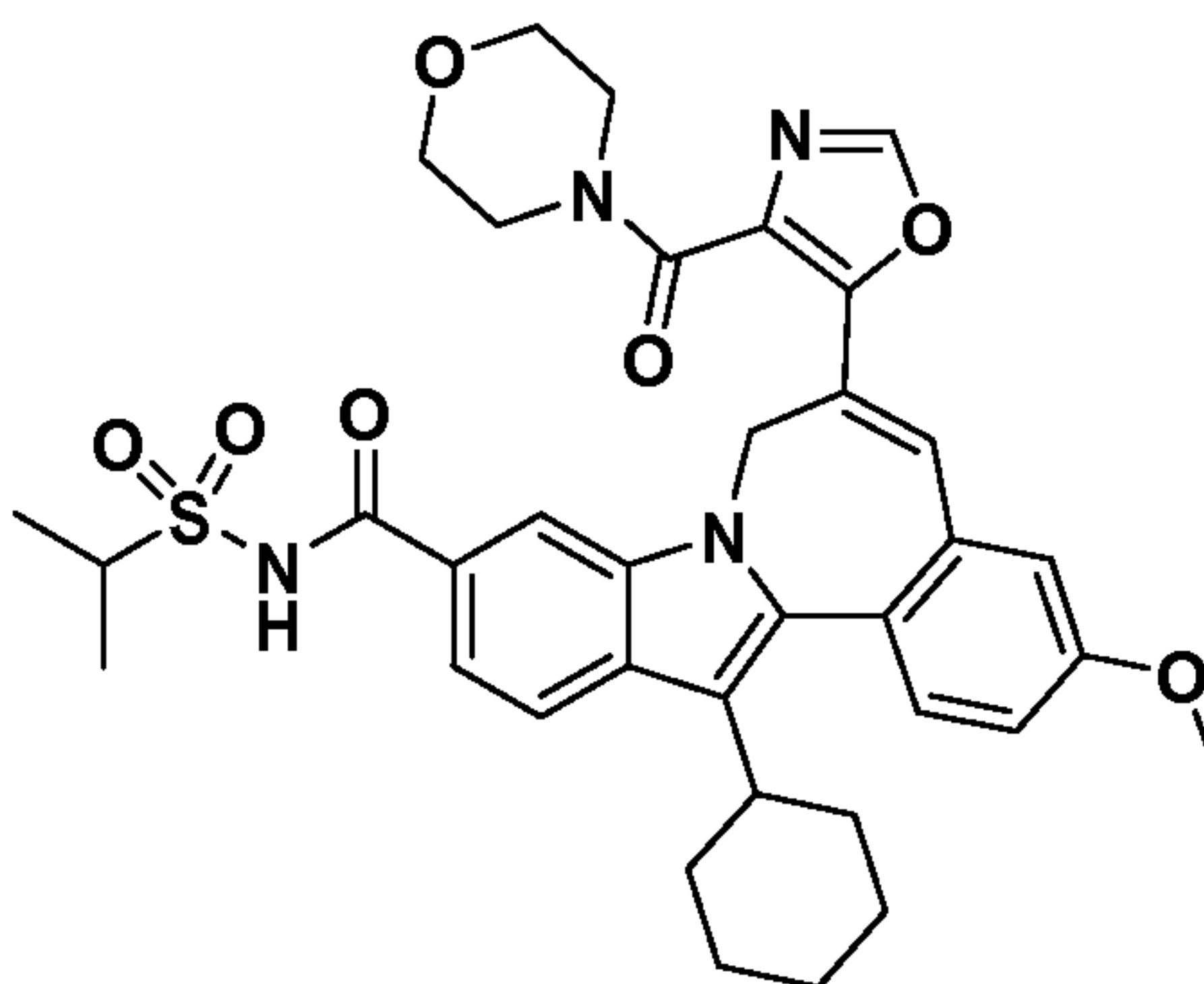


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13-Cyclohexyl-N-(dimethylsulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-(4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1,3-oxazol-5-yl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide.

15 In a 2 dram vial, 13-Cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1,3-oxazol-5-yl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid (40 mg, 0.070 mmol) in THF (1 ml) and CDI (23.8mg, 0.147 mmol) was added to the reaction. The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 1hr. The reaction was then heated at 60C for 1hr, cooled and N,N-
 20 Dimethylsulfamide (46.5 mg, 0.375 mmol) was added to the reaction followed by DBU (0.014 ml, 0.092 mmol). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and heated overnight(16hrs) at 60C. The reaction was monitored by HPLC and additional N,N-Dimethylsulfamide (22.9 mg, 0.184 mmol) and DBU (0.015 ml, 0.099 mmol) was added and the reaction heated to 70C under a nitrogen atmosphere
 25 for 5hrs. The reaction mixture was partitioned between 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid and dichloromethane. The organic phase was washed sequentially with 1N

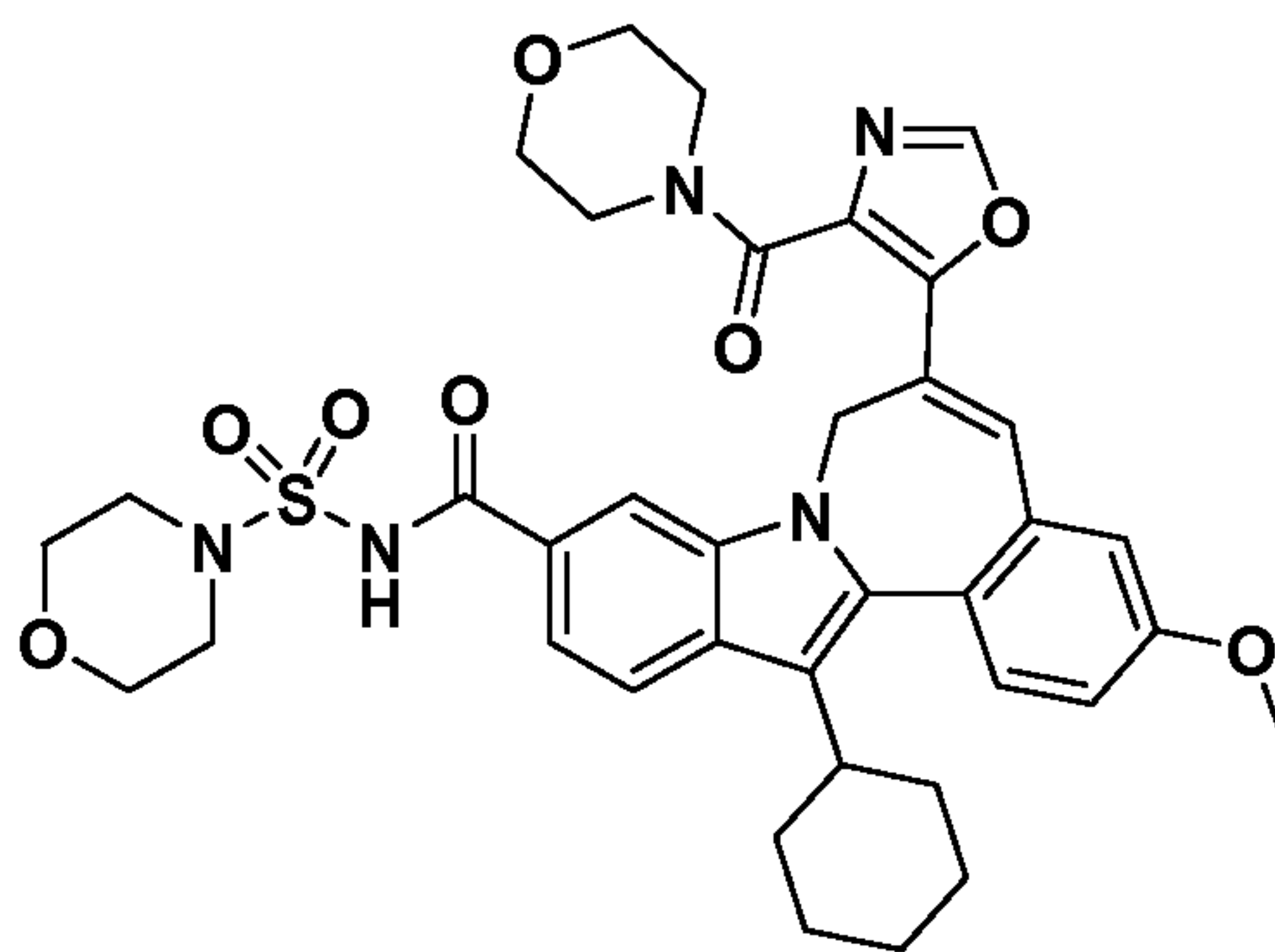
aqueous hydrochloric acid and 0.1M aqueous NaH₂PO₄ and dried over sodium sulfate. Solvent was removed *in vacuo* to yield 46mg of crude product. The title compound was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software and interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) and purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 12 minutes with a run time of 20 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.05 - 1.28 (m, 1.2 H) 1.29 - 1.62 (m, 3.7 H) 1.64 - 1.84 (m, 4.0 H) 1.84 - 2.20 (m, 4.6 H) 2.47 (d, *J*=14.04 Hz, 0.1 H) 2.78 - 2.88 (m, 1.1 H) 3.04 (s, 5.9 H) 3.10 (s, 0.9 H) 3.35 - 3.89 (m, 9.0 H) 3.91 (s, 3.0 H) 4.09 (s, 0.4 H) 4.18 (d, *J*=1.83 Hz, 0.9 H) 4.41 (d, *J*=15.56 Hz, 0.9 H) 4.55 (d, *J*=16.48 Hz, 0.1 H) 5.59 (d, *J*=14.95 Hz, 0.9 H) 6.62 (d, *J*=14.34 Hz, 0.1 H) 6.97 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1.0 H) 7.07 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1.0 H) 7.27 - 7.36 (m, 0.3 H) 7.46 - 7.54 (m, 1.9 H) 7.59 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 0.9 H) 7.75 (d, *J*=7.93 Hz, 0.1 H) 7.82 (s, 1.0 H) 7.87 (d, *J*=8.54 Hz, 0.9 H) 8.15 (s, 0.1 H) 8.28 - 8.35 (m, 0.2 H) 8.44 (s, 0.9 H) 8.94 (d, *J*=9.16 Hz, 0.1 H) 9.43 (s, 0.9 H) 9.88 (s, 0.1 H) 12.11 (s, 0.1 H). LC-MS retention time 1.40min; 672 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 2 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 3 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



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13-Cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1,3-oxazol-5-yl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid (40.8mg, 0.072 mmol) was dissolved in THF(1ml) and CDI (26 mg, 0.160 mmol) added to the reaction. The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 50min then heated in an oil bath at 60C for 1.5hrs. The reaction was cooled and propane-2-sulfonamide (46 mg, 0.373 mmol) was added to the reaction followed by DBU (0.022 ml, 0.144 mmol). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and heated at 65C overnight (16hr). The reaction was partitioned between dichloromethane and 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid. The organic layer was washed sequentially with 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid, 0.1M aqueous NaH₂PO₄. The organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate and solvent removed in vacuo to yield 50mg of an amorphous yellow solid. The title was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 12 minutes with a run time of 15 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Removal of solvents and drying

in vacuo yielded 28.3mg of a yellow solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.15 - 1.28 (m, 1.2 H) 1.29 - 1.60 (m, 10.9 H) 1.59 - 1.85 (m, 6.7 H) 1.86 - 2.15 (m, 4.7 H) 2.78 - 2.87 (m, 1.0 H) 3.37 - 3.50 (m, 1.4 H) 3.51 - 3.89 (m, 7.3 H) 3.91 (s, 3.3 H) 4.02 - 4.12 (m, 1.5 H) 4.15 - 4.26 (m, 0.9 H) 4.42 (d, *J*=13.73 Hz, 0.9 H) 4.54 (d, *J*=15.26 Hz, 0.1 H) 5.54 (d, *J*=14.65 Hz, 0.9 H) 6.57(d, *J*=14.04Hz, 0.1H) 6.97 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 0.9 H) 7.07 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1.0 H) 7.28 - 7.35 (m, 0.3 H) 7.48 - 7.54 (m, 2.0 H) 7.62 - 7.67 (m, 1.0 H) 7.75 (d, *J*=7.93 Hz, 0.1 H) 7.82 (s, 1.0 H) 7.87 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1.0 H) 8.21 (s, 0.9 H) 8.31 (s, 0.2 H) 8.48 (s, 1.0 H) 8.94 (d, *J*=9.15 Hz, 0.1 H) 9.46 (s, 0.9 H) 9.86 (s, 0.1 H). LC-MS retention time 1.26 min; 671 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 2 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 3 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



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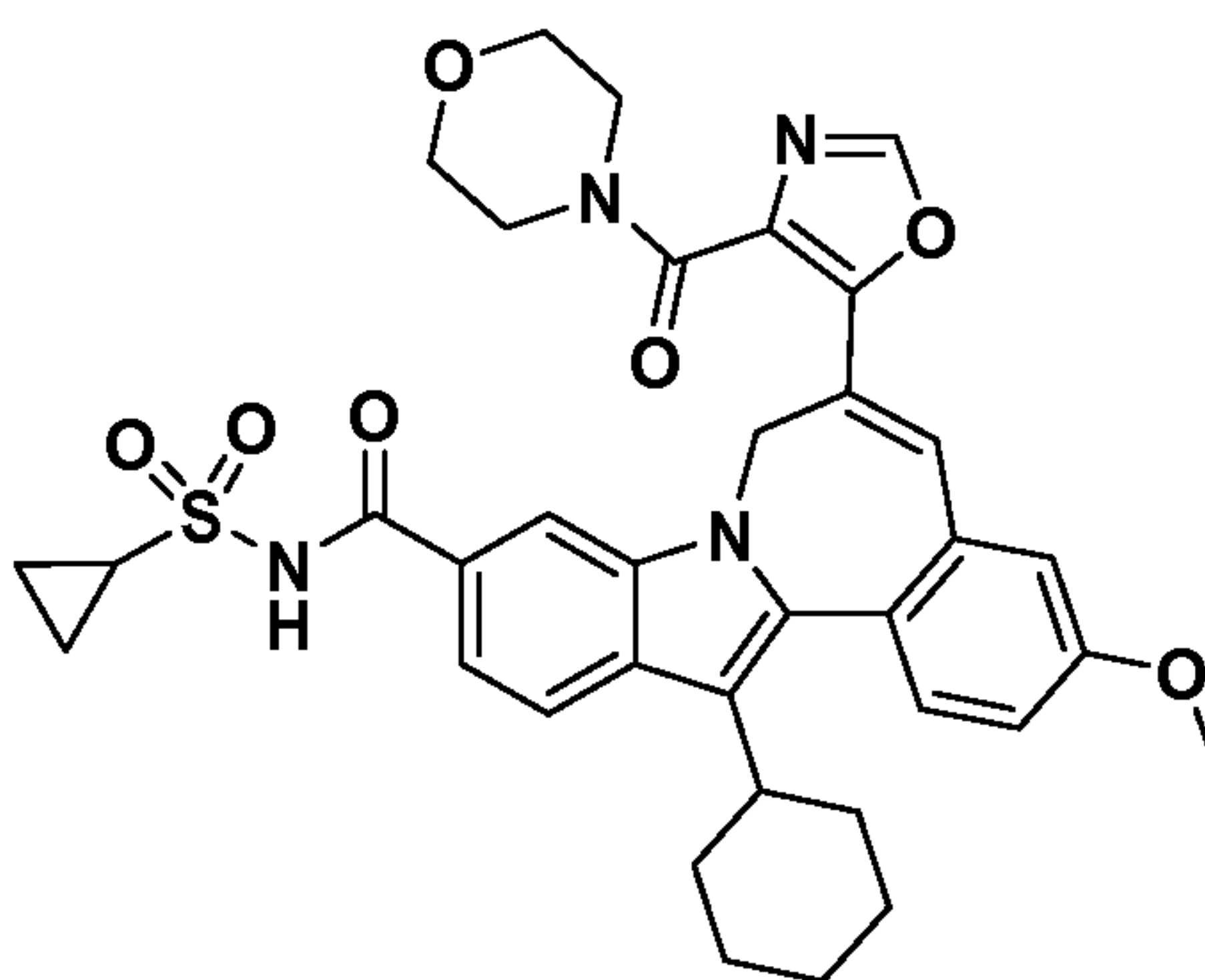
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reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for
1hr 50min then heated in an oil bath at 65C for 1hr 10min. The reaction was cooled
15 and cyclopropanesulfonamide (48 mg, 0.396 mmol) then DBU (0.022 ml, 0.146
mmol) was added to the reaction. The reaction was capped under a nitrogen
atmosphere and heated at 68C overnight (18hr). The reaction was partitioned
between dichloromethane and 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid. The organic layer
was washed sequentially with 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid, 0.1M aqueous
20 NaH₂PO₄. The organic layer was dried over sodium sulfate and solvent removed in
vacuo to yield 62mg of an amorphous yellow solid. The title was purified on a
Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP
software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A
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5 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Removal of solvents and drying *in vacuo* yielded 30.8mg of the title compound as a yellow amorphous solid.

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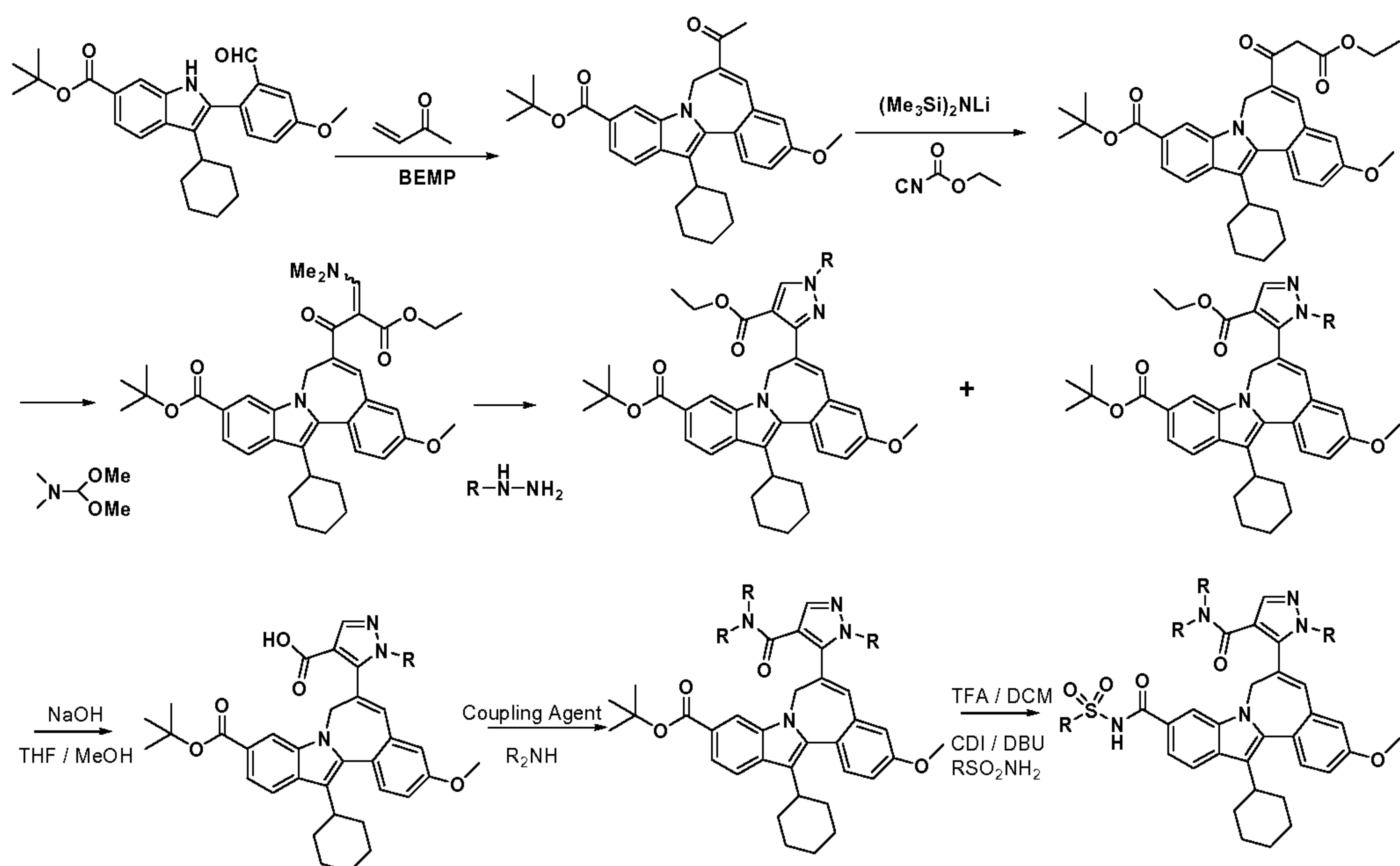
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15 9.82 (s, 0.1 H). LC-MS retention time 1.59 min; 669 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100%

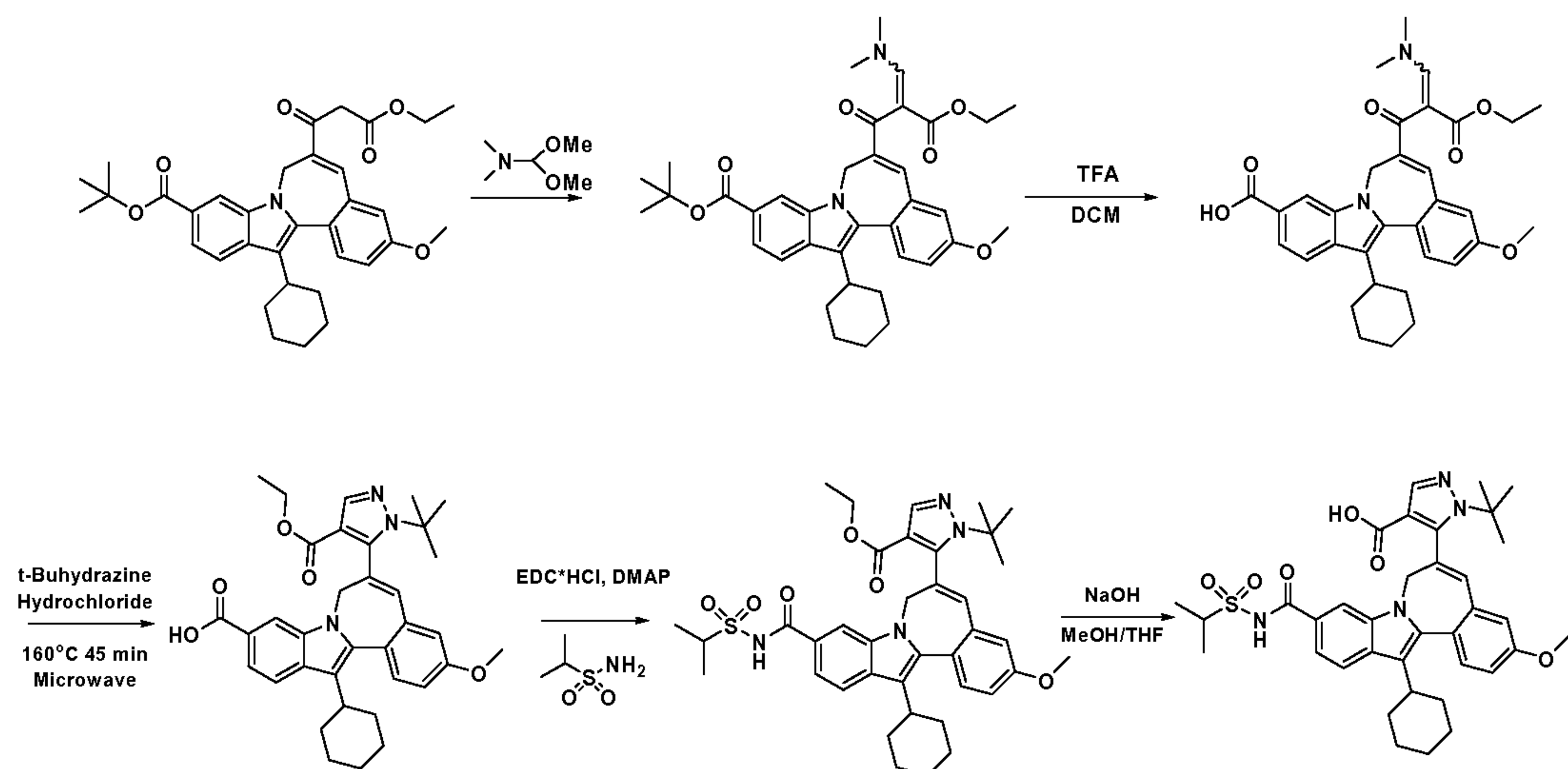
20 solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

The scheme depicted below is illustrative of methods that can be used to make

25 intermediates and compounds.

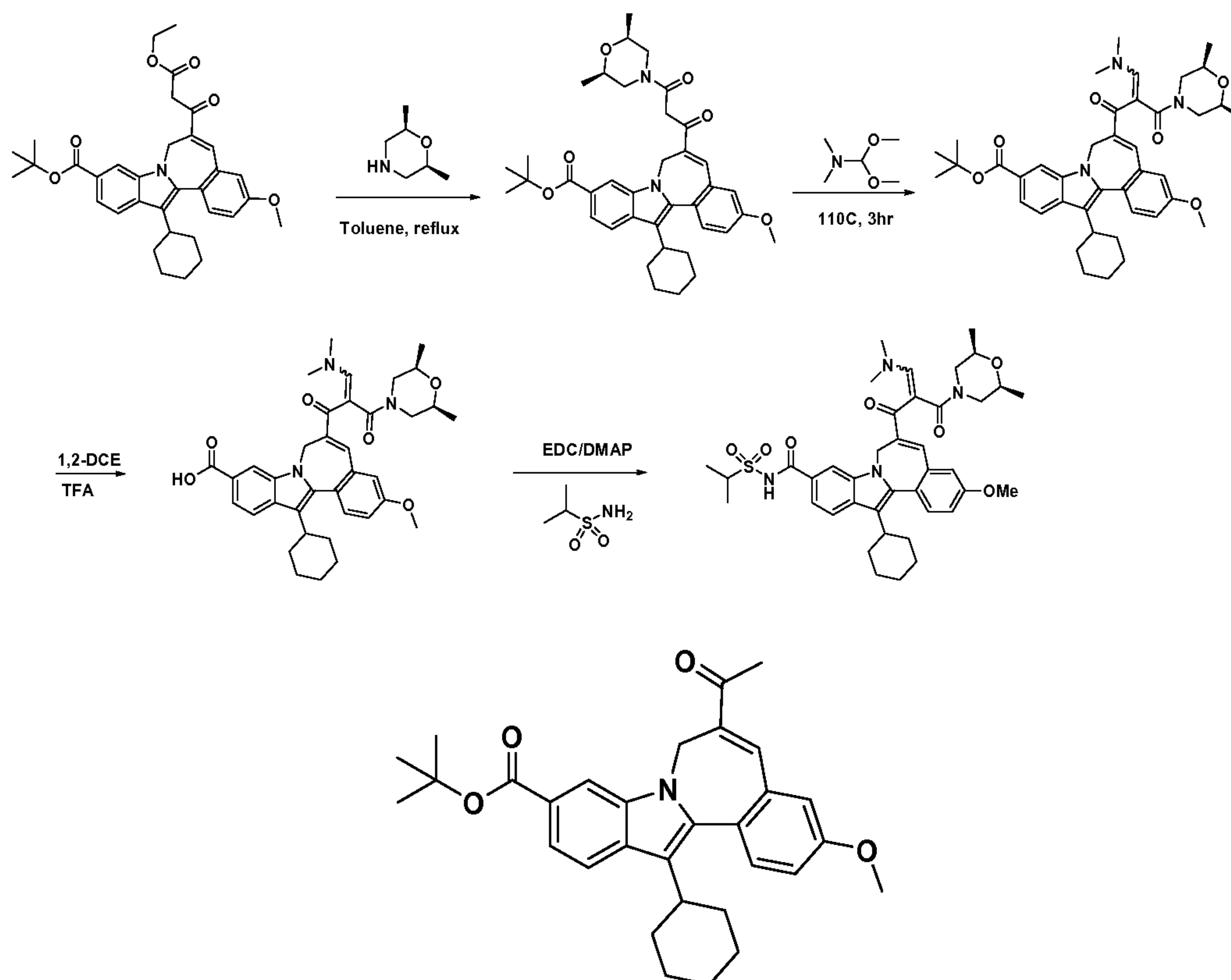


An additional variation in the methodology that can be employed for the synthesis of intermediates and compounds is shown in the following scheme.



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A further variation of the methodology that can be used for the synthesis of further intermediates and compounds is depicted the the scheme shown below.



5 *tert-Butyl 6-acetyl-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate.*

To a suspension of tert-butyl 3-cyclohexyl-2-(2-formyl-4-methoxyphenyl)-1H-indole-6-carboxylate (2 g, 4.61 mmol) in dioxane (9.2 mL) add 2-tert-butylimino-2-diethylamino-1,3-dimethylperhydrodiazaphosphorine (2.00 mL, 6.92 mmol) then but-3-en-2-one (0.756 mL, 9.23 mmol) in a 20ml microwave vessel. Cap the heterogenous reaction under nitrogen and heat in the microwave at 120C for 40 minutes. This reaction was repeated two more times on the above scale and one last time with tert-butyl 3-cyclohexyl-2-(2-formyl-4-methoxyphenyl)-1H-indole-6-carboxylate (2.51g, 5.79mmol) dissolved in dioxane (11.5ml), add BEMP (2.5ml, 8.64 mmol) followed by but-3-en-2-one (0.95ml, 11.46 mmol). Each reaction segment was worked up while the next sequence was running in the microwave. Work up consisted of partitioning the reaction between ethyl acetate and 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid in a 250ml separatory funnel. The aqueous phase was back extracted once with ethyl acetate and the organic phases combined and washed sequentially with 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid, 0.1M NaH₂PO₄, and brine. The

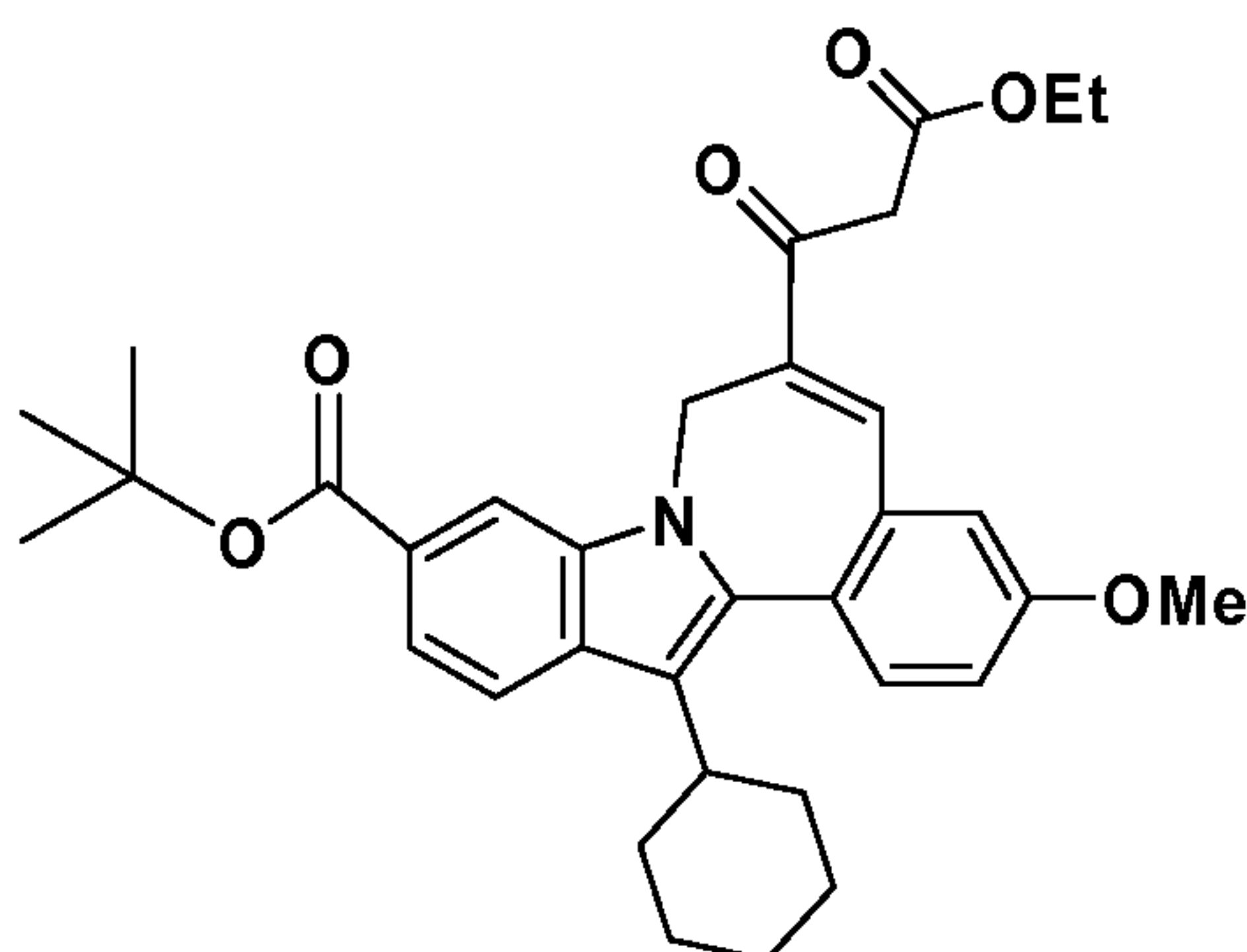
solution was then combined with a previous workup in a 1L erlenmeyer flask containing magnesium sulfate. Filter and remove volatiles, dry *in vacuo* at room temperature overnight to obtain 10.67g of a yellow-orange foam. Adsorb the crude product onto 25g of silica gel using dichloromethane, removing volatiles *in vacuo*.

5 Chromatograph on 299g of silica gel slurry packed in 20% ethyl acetate in hexanes and eluting with 20% ethyl acetate in hexanes. Pure product fractions from the chromatography were combined and solvents removed *in vacuo*. The residue was dissolved in benzene and removed *in vacuo* to aid in the removal of trace ethyl acetate. The title compound as a yellow foam/ amorphous solid was dried *in vacuo*

10 overnight at room temperature to yield 6.83g (71.7%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.12 - 1.29 (m, 1 H) 1.30 - 1.61 (m, 4 H) 1.64 (s, 10 H) 1.67 - 2.00 (m, 4 H) 1.98 - 2.19 (m, 3 H) 2.43 (s, 3 H) 2.75 - 2.87 (m, 1 H) 3.85 - 4.01 (m, 4 H) 5.86 (s, 1 H) 7.00 (d, $J=2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.11 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.35 (s, 1.8 H, benzene) 7.69 (dd, $J=8.55, 1.53$ Hz, 1 H) 7.82 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H) 8.24 (s,

15 1 H). LC-MS retention time 3.28 min; m/z (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 30% solvent A / 70% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a

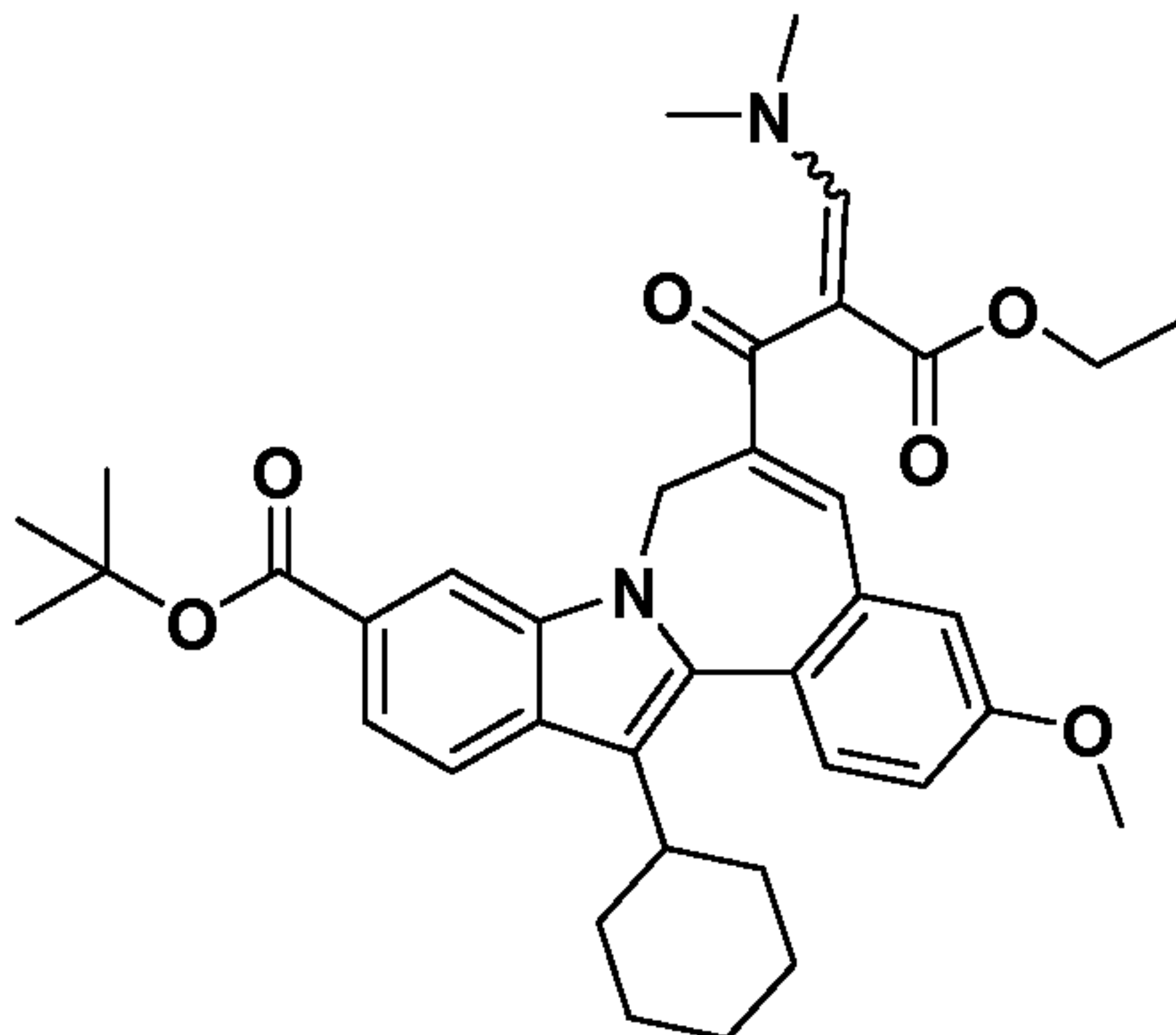
20 gradient time of 5min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 6 min where solvent A was 10% MeOH / 90% H₂O / 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid and solvent B was 10% H₂O / 90% MeOH / 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



7H-Indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-6-propanoic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-10-[(1,1-dimethylethoxy)carbonyl]-3-methoxy-beta-oxo-, ethyl ester.

To a solution of 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 6-acetyl-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (2.50 g, 5.15 mmol) in THF (15.0 mL) was added a 1M solution of LHMDs (5.41 mL, 5.41 mmol) in THF at -78 °C and stirred for 15 min. Ethyl cyanoformate (0.510 mL, 5.15 mmol) was added at -78 °C to the resulting solution and stirring continued for 30 min. Saturated aqueous NH₄Cl (50 mL) was added and the aqueous layer was extracted with CHCl₃ (2 x 50 mL). The organic phase was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and concentrated under reduced pressure. Silica gel chromatography (2:1 methylene chloride:hexanes) of the concentrate afforded the title compound (1.75 g, 61%) as a yellow oil. MS m/z 558 (MH⁺). A previous reaction which was run in an analogous fashion to the above reaction and in which starting material 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 6-acetyl-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester was still present was separated under the following conditions: This procedure describes the separation of tert-butyl 13-cyclohexyl-6-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropanoyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate (desired product) from the starting material ketone, tert-butyl 6-acetyl-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate. Total weight of materials was estimated to be 2.6g. 3.9g of the sample mixture as an orange oil was dissolved in dichloromethane and adsorbed on 10g of silica gel. The volatiles were removed *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator. The sample adsorbed onto silica gel was applied to a column of 294g of silica gel which was slurry packed in 30% diethyl ether in hexanes. A bed of sand was placed on top of the adsorbed sample to aid in solvent addition. The approximate size of the silica gel column packing was 75mm diameter x 175mm in height. The product was eluted using a gradient of 30% diethyl ether in hexanes to 35% diethyl ether in hexanes to 40% diethyl ether in hexanes. Elute with approximately 1L of 30%Et₂O/hexanes, then 1L of 35%Et₂O/hexanes, and finally using 40%Et₂O/hexanes. The volumes of fractions collected were approximately 125ml to 150ml. The product fractions were combined and volatiles removed and the title keto-ester dried *in vacuo* to yield 1.63g of a yellow-orange amorphous solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.12 (t, *J*=7.02 Hz, 2.5 H) 1.15 - 1.28 (m, 1.6 H) 1.32 (q, *J*=7.12 Hz, 1.0 H) 1.35 - 1.43 (m, 1.5 H) 1.59 (s, 1.5

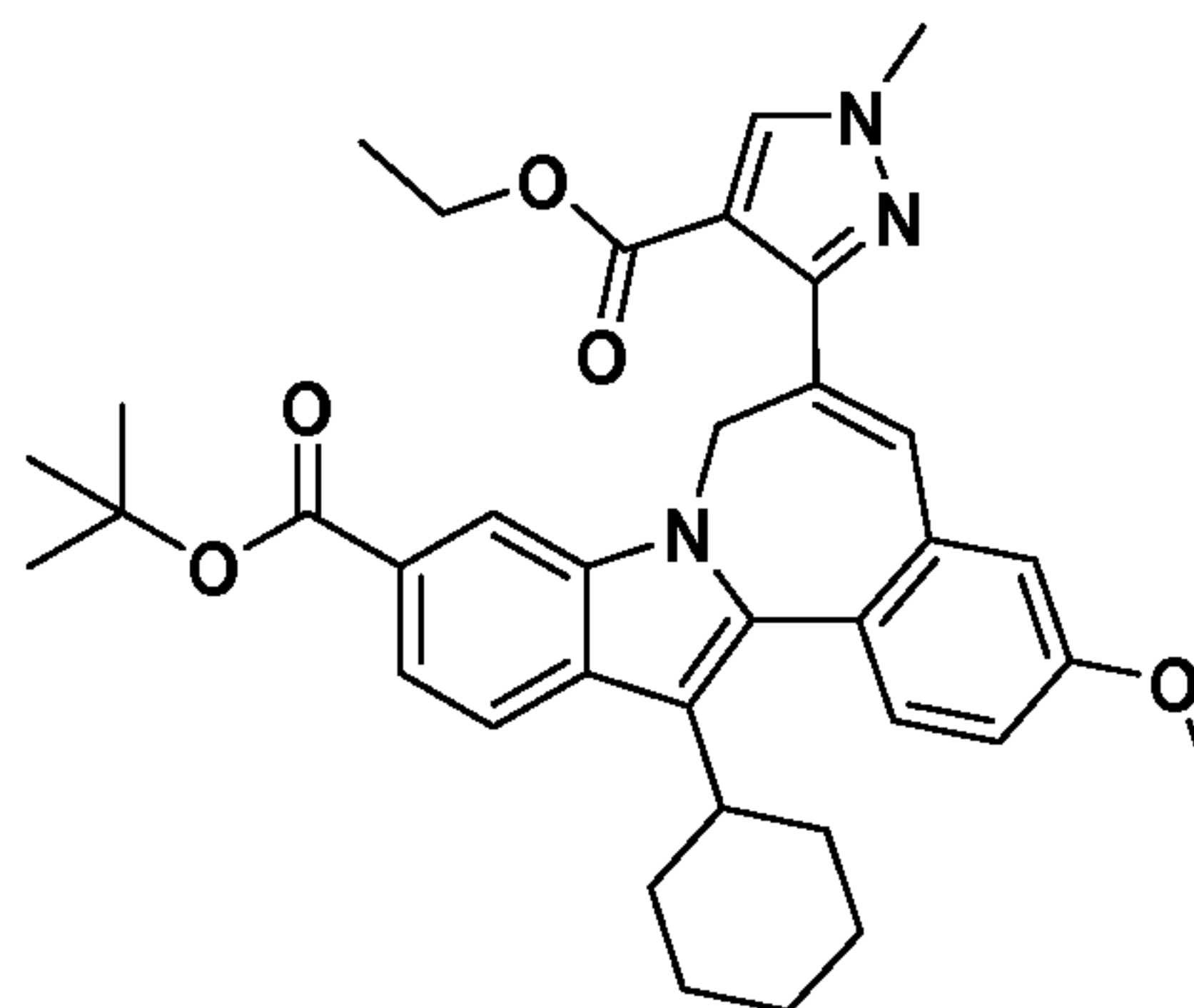
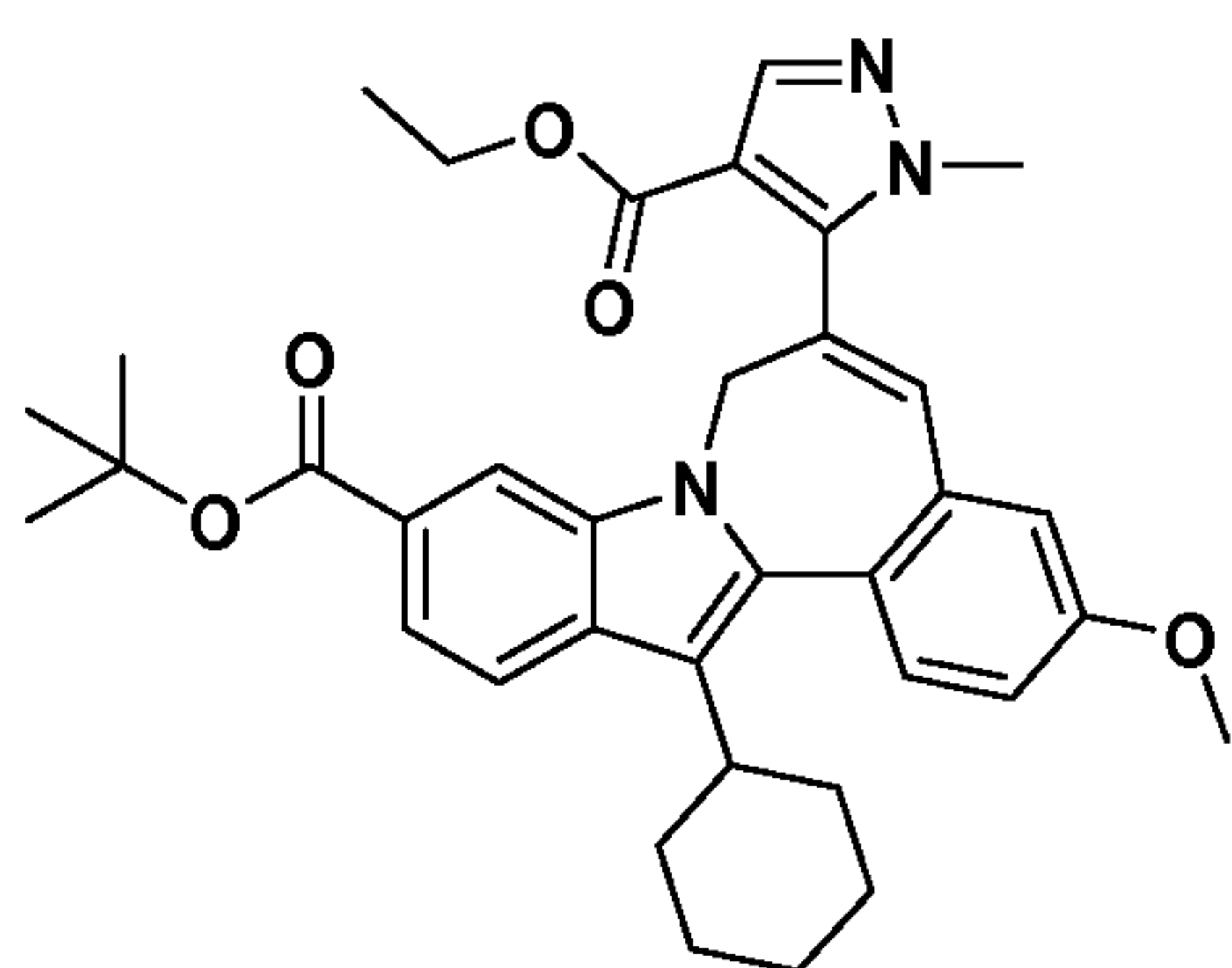
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tert-Butyl 13-cyclohexyl-6-((2E,Z)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-(ethoxycarbonyl)-2-propenoyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate.

tert-Butyl 13-cyclohexyl-6-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropanoyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate (1.63 g, 2.92 mmol) was dissolved in N,N-dimethylformamide dimethyl acetal (7.0 mL, 52.7 mmol) in a 50ml round bottom flask. The reaction was maintained under a nitrogen atmosphere and heated in oil bath under refluxing conditions (110°C) for 2.75hrs. The reaction was then cooled reaction under a nitrogen atmosphere and the volatiles were evaporated *in*

vacuo to give an orange colored foam. TLC analysis (SiO₂ plate, elution- 50% diethyl ether in hexanes) confirmed that the reaction had gone to completion. This material was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature overnight to yield 1.87g of the enamine intermediate as an orange amber foam which was used in the next step without any further purification. LC-MS of intermediate enamine: LC-MS retention time 2.81 min; 613 m/z (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 2 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 3 min where solvent A was 10% MeOH / 90% H₂O / 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid and solvent B was 10% H₂O / 90% MeOH / 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester and 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-3-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester.

The intermediate enamine, tert-butyl 13-cyclohexyl-6-((2E,Z)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-(ethoxycarbonyl)-2-propenoyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate, (1.83 g, 2.99 mmol) was dissolved in absolute ethanol (10 mL). Within a few minutes of dissolution in ethanol the reaction became heterogeneous with a fine yellow/orange precipitate forming. Methylhydrazine (0.173 mL, 3.29 mmol) was added to the reaction and the reaction was placed under a

nitrogen atmosphere with a condenser. The reaction was heated to 80C and remained heterogeneous at 80C. An additional 5ml of absolute ethanol was added and the reaction stirred at 80C for 15minutes. The reaction was still heterogeneous and 1,4-dioxane (5ml) was added and the reaction slowly became homogeneous. The reaction was heated for 2 hours then cooled and the volatiles removed *in vacuo* to obtain an orange amber foam. The residue was dissolved in benzene and then volatiles removed in *vacuo* and the sample was dried at room temperature overnight *in vacuo* to yield 1.79g of a yellow amorphous solid/foam. LC-MS analysis indicated two possible isomeric products. 102mg of the crude product was purified by reverse phase prep HPLC. The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) (4ml) purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 25% solvent A / 75% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 10 minutes with a run time of 20 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. First eluting product is 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester with retention time of 11.7minutes with the minor component product being 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-3-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester with a retention of 14.5 minutes.

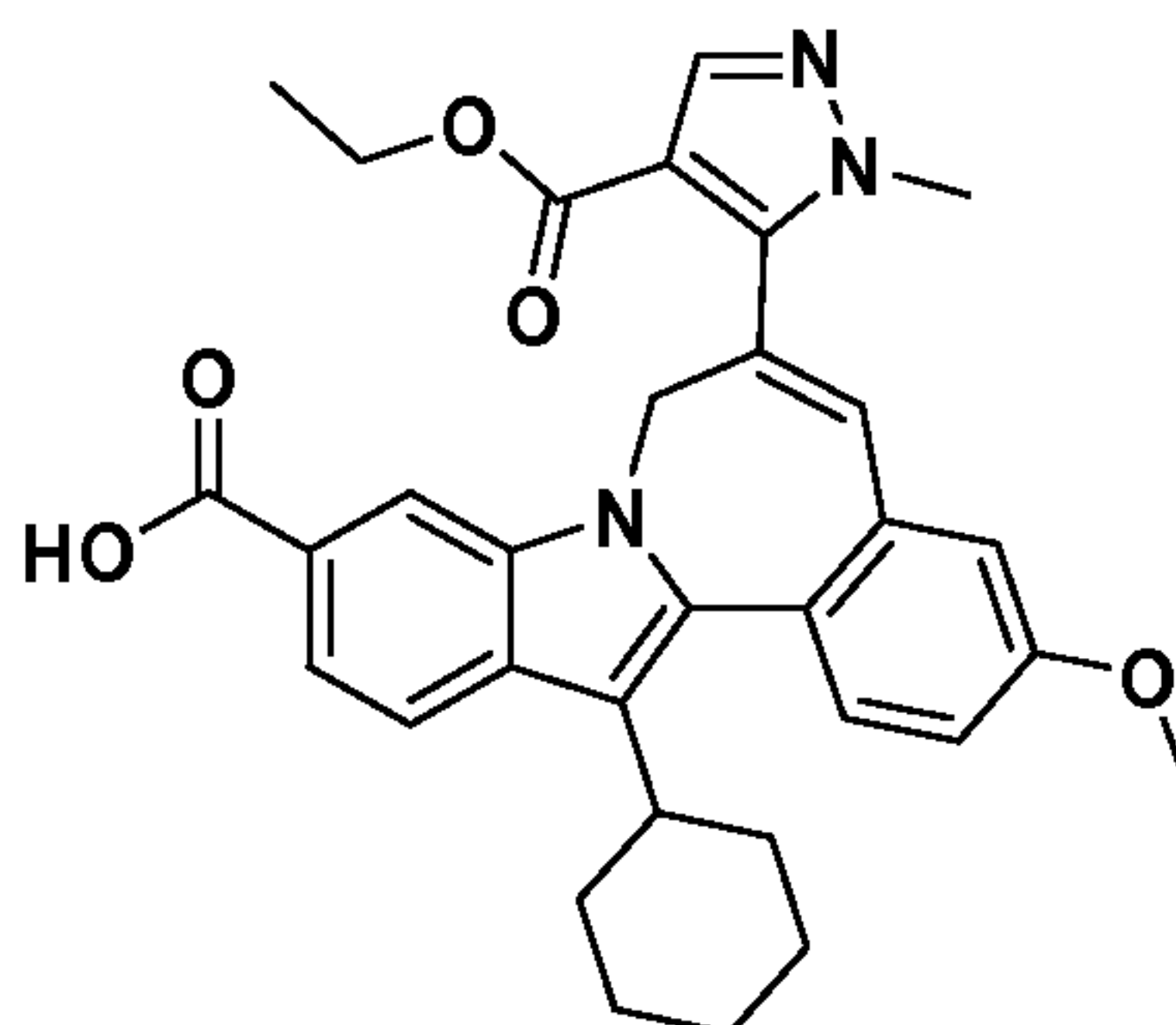
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LC-MS retention time 3.92min; 596 m/z (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-3-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.13 - 1.26 (m, 1 H) 1.30 (t, *J*=7.17 Hz, 3 H) 1.33 - 1.60 (m, 3 H) 1.61 (s, 9 H) 1.64 - 1.83 (m, 3 H) 1.91 (s, 2 H) 1.98 - 2.16
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 25 and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode. The remainder of the sample (1.615g) was adsorbed onto 4g of silica gel using dichloromethane and chromatographed on 50g of silica gel slurry packed using 2% ethyl acetate in dichloromethane and eluting with 2% ethyl acetate in
 30 dichloromethane. The first component to elute is the minor product, 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-3-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester, 179mg isolated. The second component, 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-

cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester was the major component to elute and yielded 966mg.



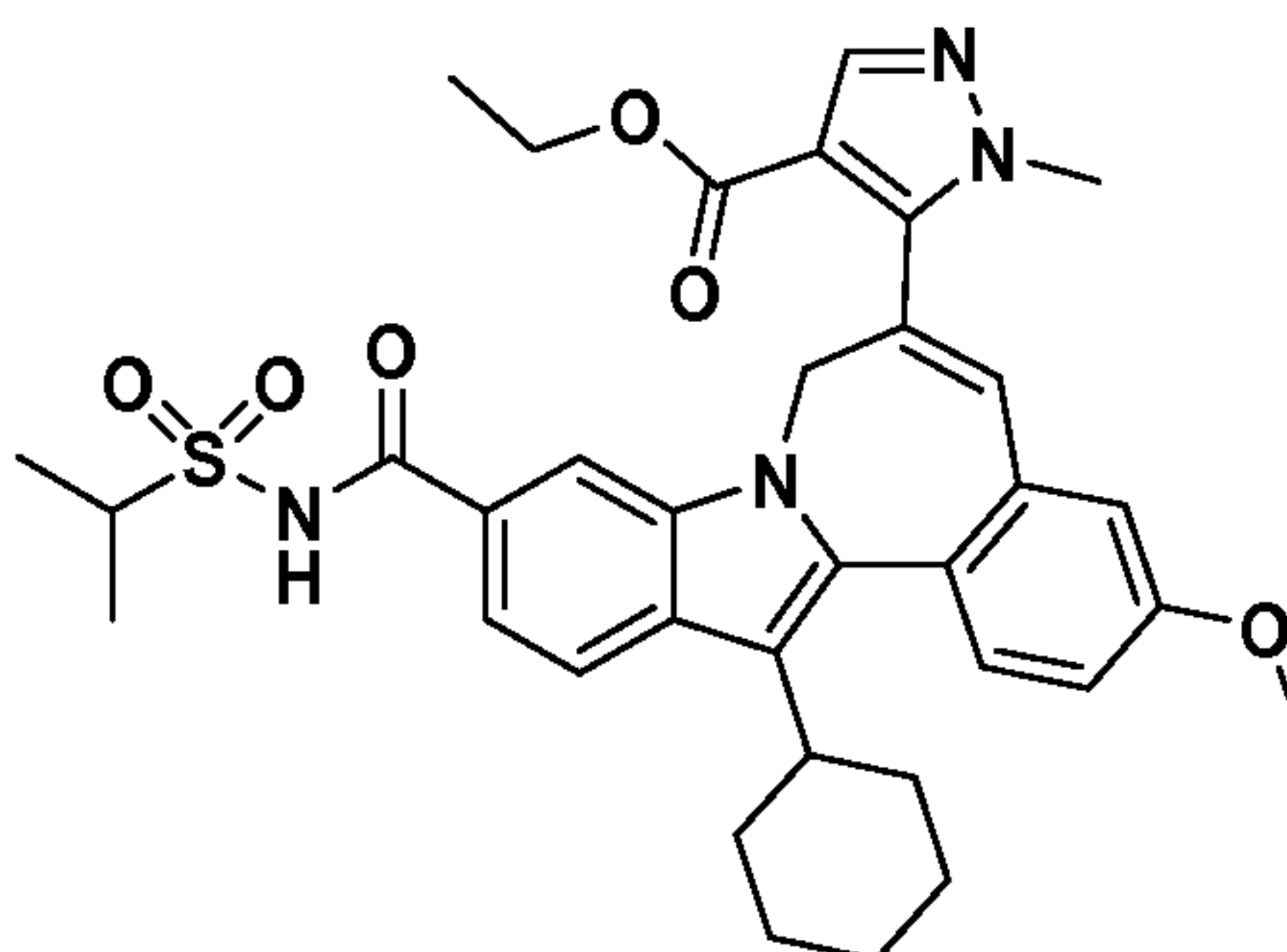
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (53 mg, 0.089 mmol) was dissolved in 1,2-dichloroethane (2 mL), under a nitrogen atmosphere. Trifluoroacetic acid was then added (2 mL, 26.0 mmol), and the reaction was stirred at room temperature for 2.5 hours. The volatiles were then removed in vacuo and the residue dissolved in benzene and the resultant solution was evaporated under reduced pressure to remove residual TFA. This process was repeated once. This gave the title compound as a yellow solid, (46.2mg).

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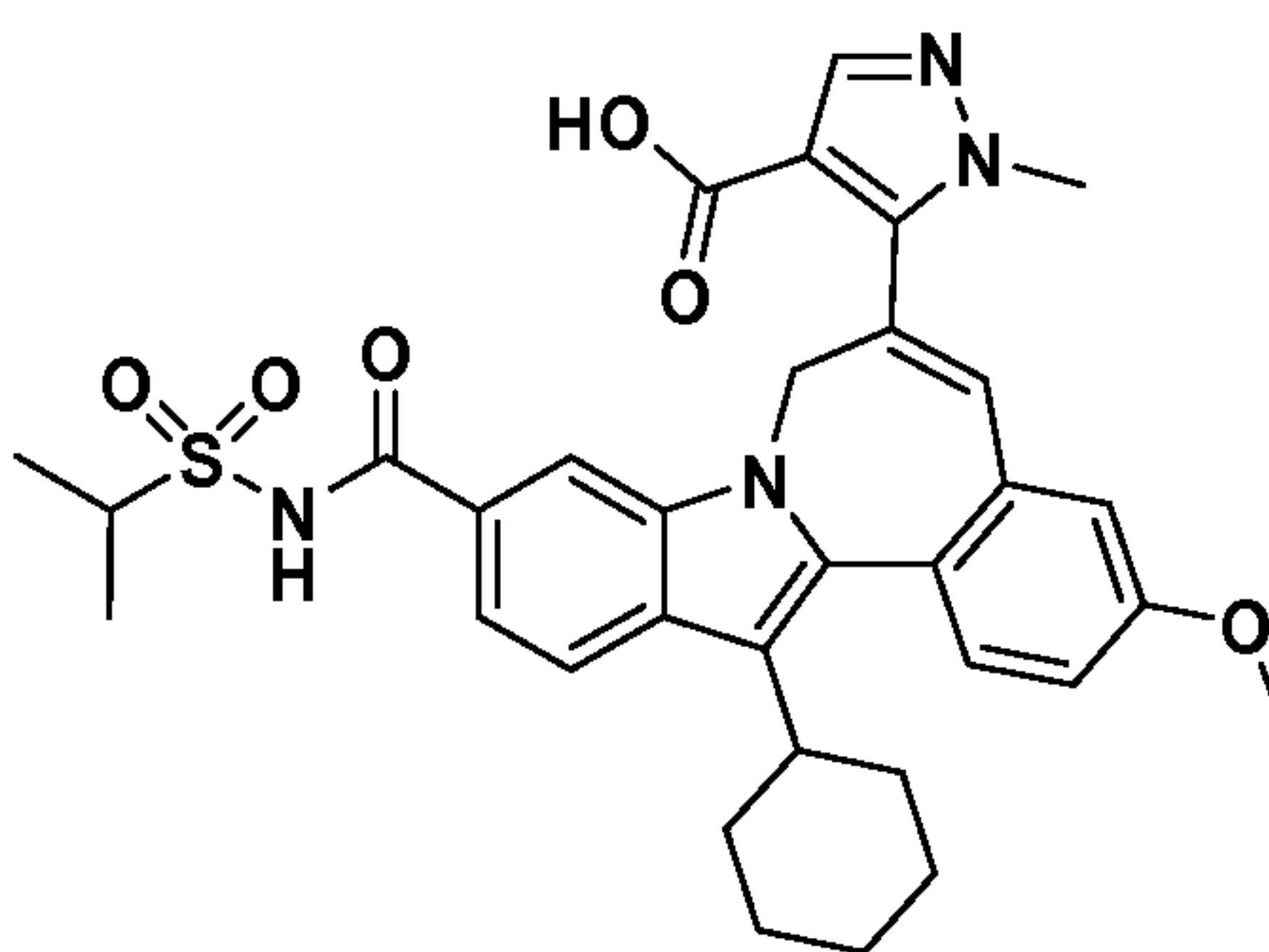


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1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-, ethyl ester.

7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy- (981mg, 1.818 mmol) was dissolved in THF (18 mL). Carbonyldiimidazole (649 mg, 4.00 mmol) was added to the reaction. The reaction was placed under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 45minutes then heated to reflux for 1 hour. The reaction was cooled under a nitrogen atmosphere and propane-2-sulfonamide (1164 mg, 9.45 mmol) was added to the reaction followed by DBU (0.548 mL, 3.64 mmol). The reaction was then immersed in oil bath at 80°C under nitrogen atmosphere and heated overnight at 70-80°C. The reaction was then diluted with ethyl acetate and the organic layer washed sequentially with 1.0 N aqueous hydrochloric acid, 0.1M aqueous NaH₂PO₄ and brine. The organic layer was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and volatiles removed *in vacuo* to yield a yellow foam which was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature overnight to yield 1.170g of a yellow amorphous solid. Proton NMR analysis revealed the presence of propane-2-sulfonamide (1.41ppm, d, 500MHz, CDCl₃) in the sample. The crude sample was dissolved in approximately 200ml of dichloromethane and washed 2 x with 125ml of water, then sequentially with 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid, 2 x with 0.1M NaH₂PO₄ then again with 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid. The dichloromethane solution was dried over sodium sulfate, filtered and volatiles removed and the product dried *in vacuo* at room

temperature overnight to yield 1.046g (89%) of the title compound as a yellow amorphous solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.80 - 0.90 (m, 1 H) 1.20 - 1.27 (m, 4 H) 1.30 (t, *J*=7.02 Hz, 4 H) 1.32 - 1.43 (m, 3 H) 1.46 (d, *J*=7.02 Hz, 6 H) 1.53 - 1.64 (m, 3 H) 1.79 (d, *J*=9.77 Hz, 3 H) 1.85 - 2.13 (m, 5 H) 2.81 - 2.91 (m, 1 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 4.00 - 4.10 (m, 1 H) 4.24 (s, 2 H) 4.71 (d, *J*=12.21 Hz, 1 H) 4.99 (d, *J*=16.48 Hz, 1 H) 6.77 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.08 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.38 (dd, *J*=8.55, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.52 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 1 H) 7.76 (d, *J*=1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.86 - 7.92 (m, 2 H) 8.26 (br.s, 1 H). LC-MS retention time 1.79 min; 643 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



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1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-.

1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-, ethyl ester (1.044 g, 1.619 mmol) was dissolved in THF (11 ml) with heating. DMF was then added (5 mL) and the mixture was gently heated to ensure dissolution. The mixture was then cooled to room temperature and

tetrabutylammonium hydroxide (6.5 ml, 6.50 mmol) (1.0M in methanol) was added. The resultant mixture was then stirred at room temperature under nitrogen for 2.5hrs and progress was monitored by LC-MS. Results showed predominately methyl and ethyl esters. The mixture was then stirred for an additional 3hrs, after which a
5 further 2.0mL (2mmol) of tetrabutylammonium hydroxide(1.0M in methanol) was added and the reaction was stirred at room temperature under nitrogen for a further 2 days. Subsequent analysis shows reaction had proceeded to approximately 22% conversion to the desired acid product. Volatiles (methanol, ethanol, THF) were removed from the reaction *in vacuo* (30°C) using a rotary evaporator. To the
10 reaction was added 200uL of 10N aqueous sodium hydroxide and 4 ml of THF. The reaction was mixed by placing on rotary evaporator, gently heated (25°C, 3hrs) then add approximately 6ml of DMF and heat at 35C for 3hrs and using house vacuum to remove volatiles generated from hydrolysis. Analysis of the reaction by LC-MS indicated approximately 83% conversion to acid product. The reaction was stirred
15 overnight at room temperature and subsequent analysis showed no additional conversion to product. An additional 4.0ml of 1.0M tetrabutylammonium hydroxide in methanol was added to the reaction. The reaction was placed on a rotary evaporator and volatiles removed *in vacuo* and the reaction continued to heat at 40-45C for approximately 6 hours. The reaction was then worked up by adding 1N
20 aqueous hydrochloric acid (100ml) into the reaction and then the mixture was rinsed into a 500ml separatory funnel using ethyl acetate bring the organic volume to approx. 200ml. Partition the reaction between ethyl acetate and 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid. The organic layer was wash 3x (~300ml each) with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid, then brine and dried over MgSO₄, filtered and the volatiles removed *in vacuo*
25 to yield 1.03g of a yellow film foam. The sample was dried in *vacuo* at room temperature to 0.92g (92%) of the title compound. LC-MS retention time 1.48 min; 615 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The
30 elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile

/ 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

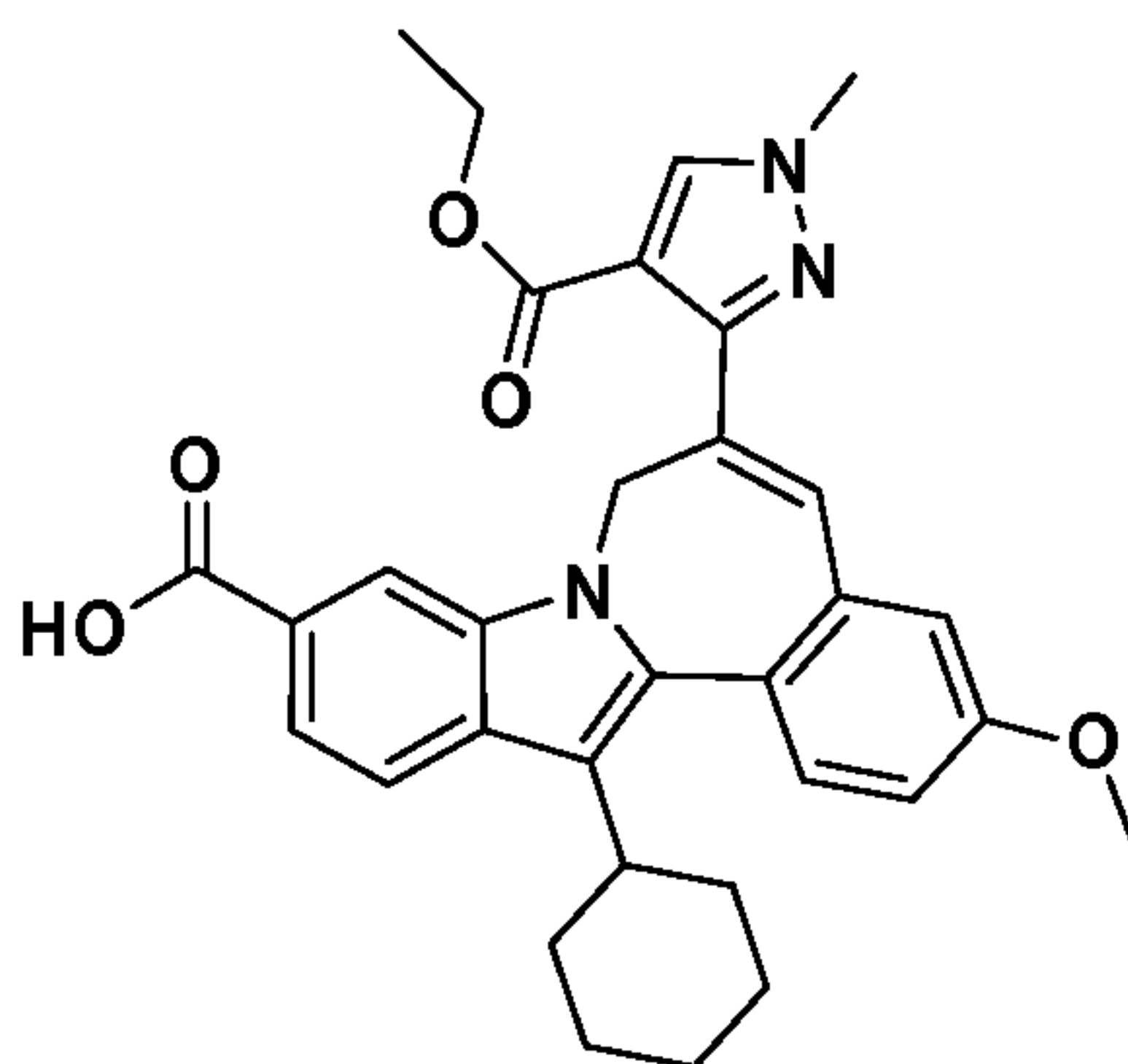
An alternative procedure for the preparation of the title compound is described below.

Dissolve 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-, ethyl ester (1.044 g, 1.619 mmol) in a pre-mixed solution of THF(20 mL), MeOH (20 mL) and sodium hydroxide (20 mL, 20.00 mmol). The reaction was homogenous and was stirred at room temperature under a nitrogen atmosphere for 26hrs then concentrated in vacuo using a rotary evaporator with a bath temperature at 20C. The reaction was poured into 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid and extract using ethyl acetate. The combined organic layers were washed sequentially with 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid and brine, then dried over magnesium sulfate, filtered and solvent removed *in vacuo*. The crude product dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 1.68g of an orange amorphous solid. The crude product was dissolved in chloroform (approximately 50mL) with heating and hexanes were added until some material starts to precipitate but re-dissolves on swirling (approximately 10-12ml of hexanes). The mixture was allowed to slowly cool to room temperature and then allowed to stand at room temperature for a few hours. The very fine particulate yellow precipitate was filtered using a Buchner funnel and dried in vacuo at room temperature to yield 819mg (45%) of purified product as a bright yellow amorphous solid. The title compound 4.6mg was dissolved in CDCl₃ (2ml) with the addition of approximately 5 drops of CD₃OD to aid in dissolution for ¹H NMR acquisition.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D / CD₃OD) δ ppm 1.11 - 1.39 (m, 3 H) 1.41 (d, *J*=7.02 Hz, 6 H) 1.47 - 1.65 (m, 1 H) 1.75 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 2 H) 1.82 - 2.27 (m, 13 H) 2.77 - 2.90 (m, 1 H) 3.28 (s, 3 H) 3.88 (s, 3 H) 3.97 - 4.06 (m, 1 H) 4.66 (s, 1 H) 5.01 (s, 1 H) 6.76 (s, 1 H) 6.92 (d, *J*=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.04 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.47 - 7.54 (m, 2 H) 7.81 (d, *J*=1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.86 (d, *J*=8.54 Hz, 1 H) 7.91 (s, 1 H)

LC-MS retention time 1.39 min; 615 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave

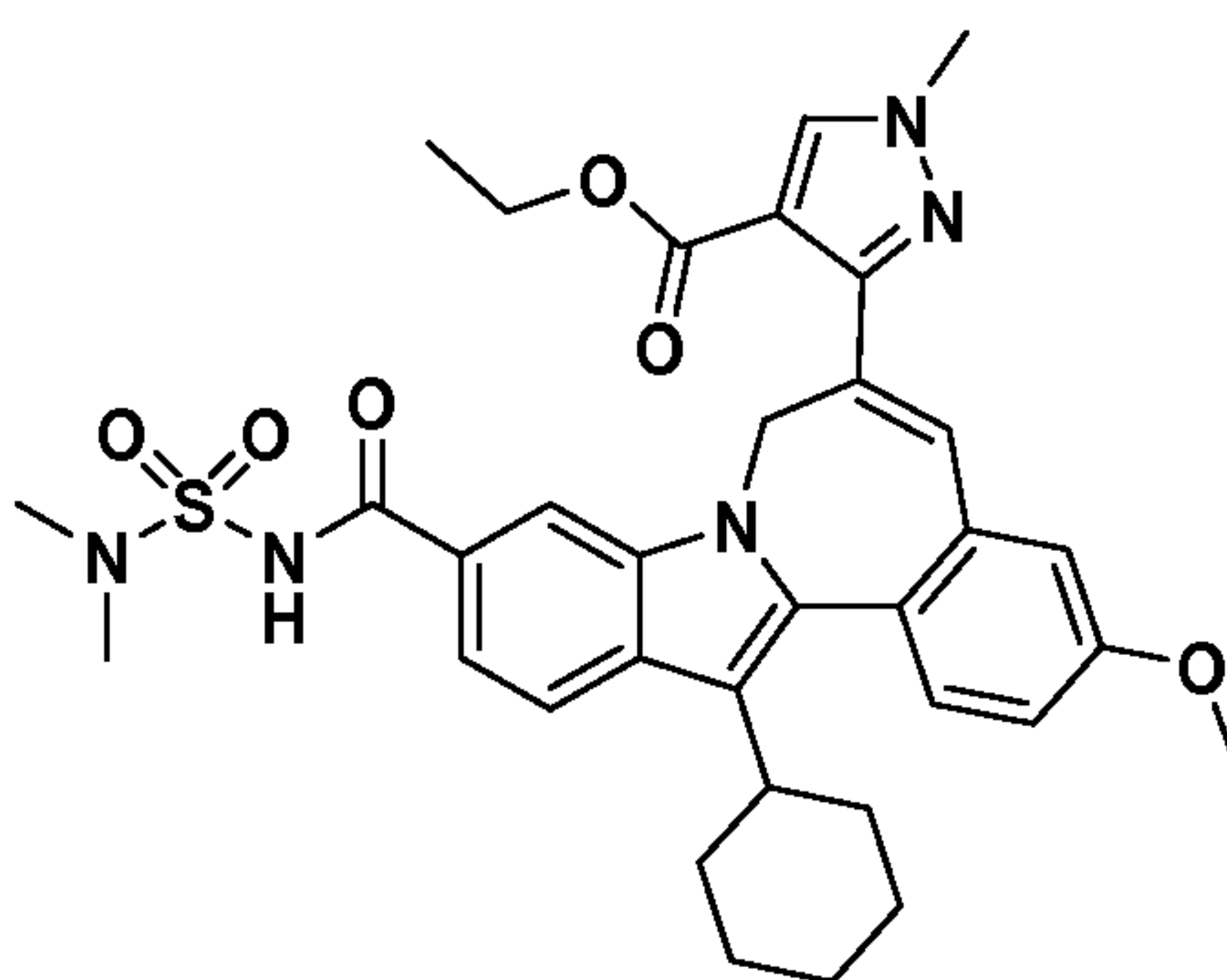
length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



10 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-3-yl]-3-methoxy-.*

Dissolve 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-3-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (176 mg, 0.295 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (3 mL), place reaction under a nitrogen atmosphere, then add trifluoroacetic acid (3 ml, 38.9 mmol). Stir the reaction at room temperature under a nitrogen atmosphere for 2hr 20min then remove volatiles *in vacuo*. Dissolve product in a mixture of benzene and dichloromethane then remove volatiles *in vacuo*. Repeat dissolution in benzene and dichloromethane and remove volatiles to aid in removal of trace trifluoroacetic acid. The title compound was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 164mg of a yellow amorphous solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.01 - 1.29 (m, 3 H) 1.32 (t, *J*=7.17 Hz, 3 H) 1.35 - 1.53 (m, 2 H) 1.52 - 1.85 (m, 3 H) 1.86 - 2.20 (m, 4 H) 2.79 - 2.95 (m, 1 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 3.97 (s, 3 H) 4.27 (q, *J*=7.22 Hz, 2 H) 4.41 (d, *J*=14.34 Hz, 1 H) 5.84 (d, *J*=14.34 Hz, 1 H) 6.97 - 7.08 (m, 2 H) 7.54 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.76 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.85 (d, *J*=8.54 Hz, 1 H) 7.91 (s, 1 H) 7.95 (s, 1 H) 8.50 (s, 1 H). LC-MS retention time 2.08 min; 538 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was

recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 70% solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 5min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 6 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H2O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H2O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



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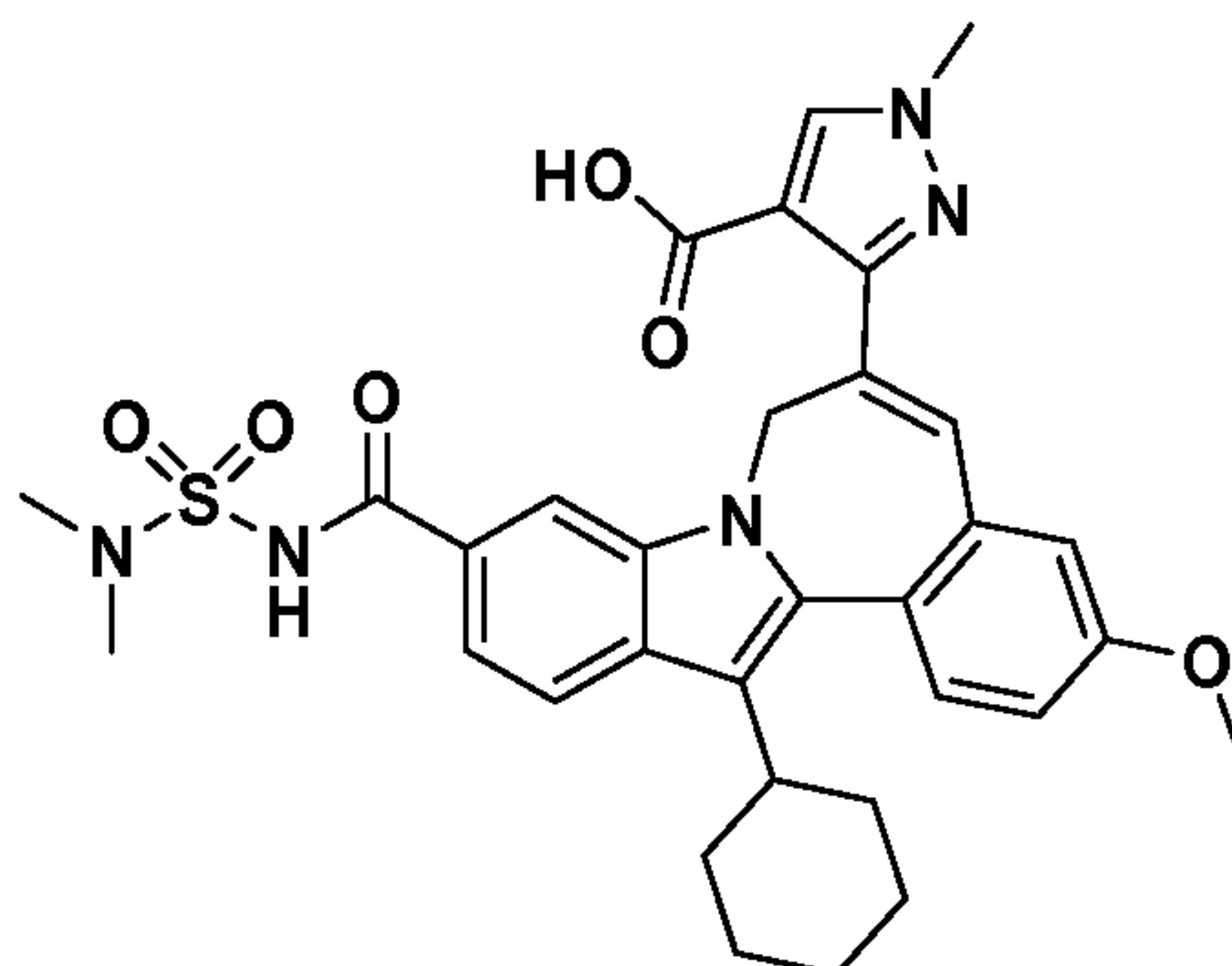
1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 3-[13-cyclohexyl-10-[[[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-, ethyl ester.

15 Dissolve 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-3-yl]-3-methoxy- (60mg, 0.111 mmol) in THF (1.0 mL), then add carbonyl diimidazole (42 mg, 0.259 mmol) to the reaction. The reaction was stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere for 1 hour at room temperature. The reaction was then heated at 70C for 1 hour then cooled and N,N-

20 dimethylsulfamide (70 mg, 0.564 mmol) was added to the reaction followed by DBU (0.034 mL, 0.222 mmol). The reaction was again capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and heated at 70C for 16.5 hours. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid, 0.1M aqueous NaH2PO4 and again with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid, and finally with brine.

25 The organic phase was dried over magnesium sulfate, filtered, solvent removed and the product dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 70mg of an amorphous yellow solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.76 - 0.95 (m, 2 H)

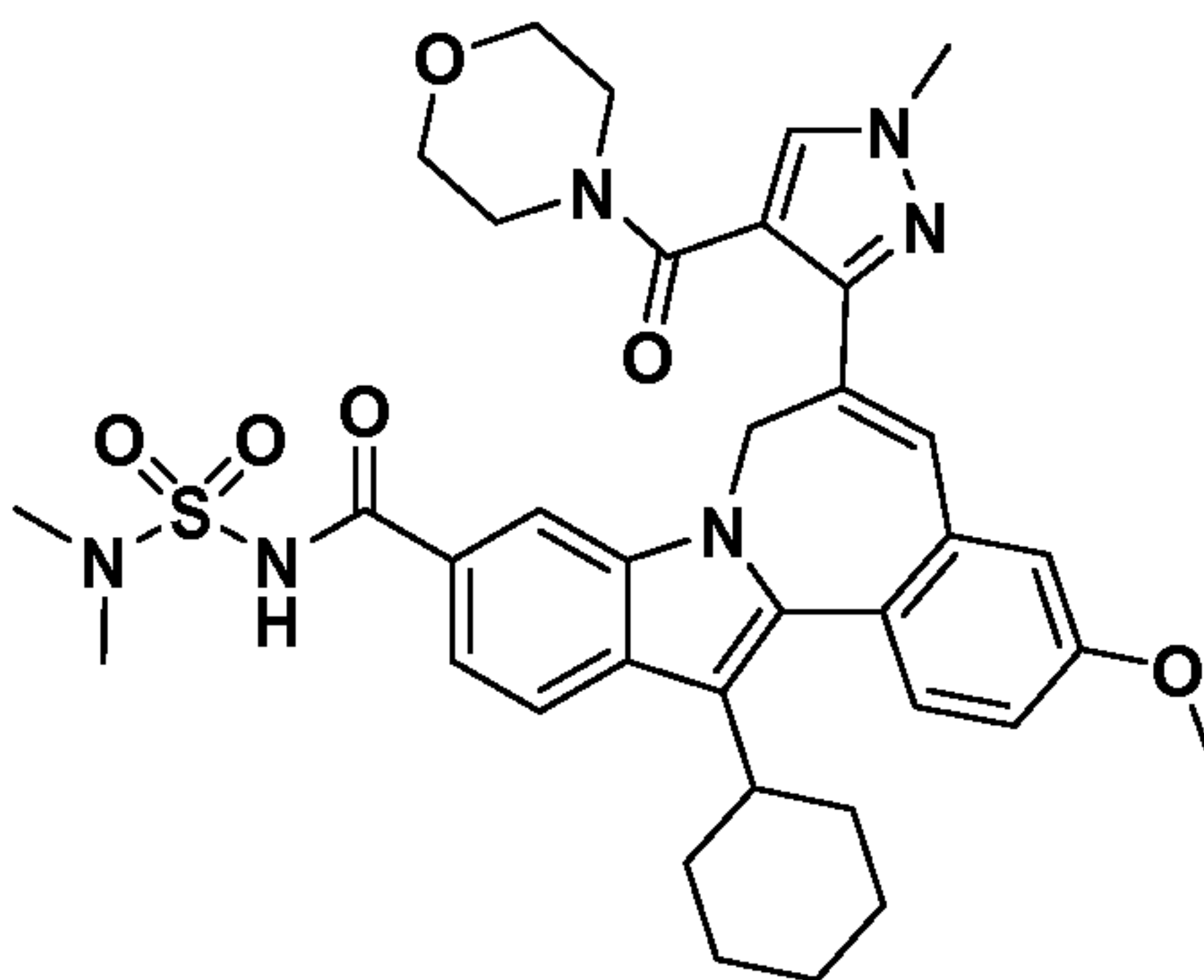
1.12 - 1.26 (m, 5 H) 1.32 (t, $J=7.17$ Hz, 3 H) 1.38 (s, 2 H) 1.51 - 1.61 (m, 4 H) 1.67 - 1.81 (m, 3 H) 1.87 - 2.01 (m, 2 H) 2.01 - 2.11 (m, 3 H) 2.82 - 2.92 (m, 1 H) 3.06 (s, 6 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 3.96 (s, 3 H) 4.26 (d, $J=7.02$ Hz, 2 H) 4.42 (d, $J=14.34$ Hz, 1 H) 5.75 (d, $J=14.04$ Hz, 1 H) 6.99 - 7.05 (m, 2 H) 7.38 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H) 7.52 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H) 7.85 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.89 - 7.96 (m, 2 H) 8.18 (s, 1 H) 8.36 (br.s, 1 H). LC-MS retention time 2.34 min; 644 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 3-[13-cyclohexyl-10-[[[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-.

1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 3-[13-cyclohexyl-10-[[[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-, ethyl ester (66mg, 0.102 mmol) was dissolved in THF (1 mL) and a 1.0M solution of tetrabutylammonium hydroxide (0.41 mL, 0.410 mmol) in methanol was added to the reaction. The reaction was stirred at room temperature under a nitrogen atmosphere for 4hrs then analyzed by LC-MS. The reaction was concentrated in vacuo on a rotary evaporator then 1ml of THF was

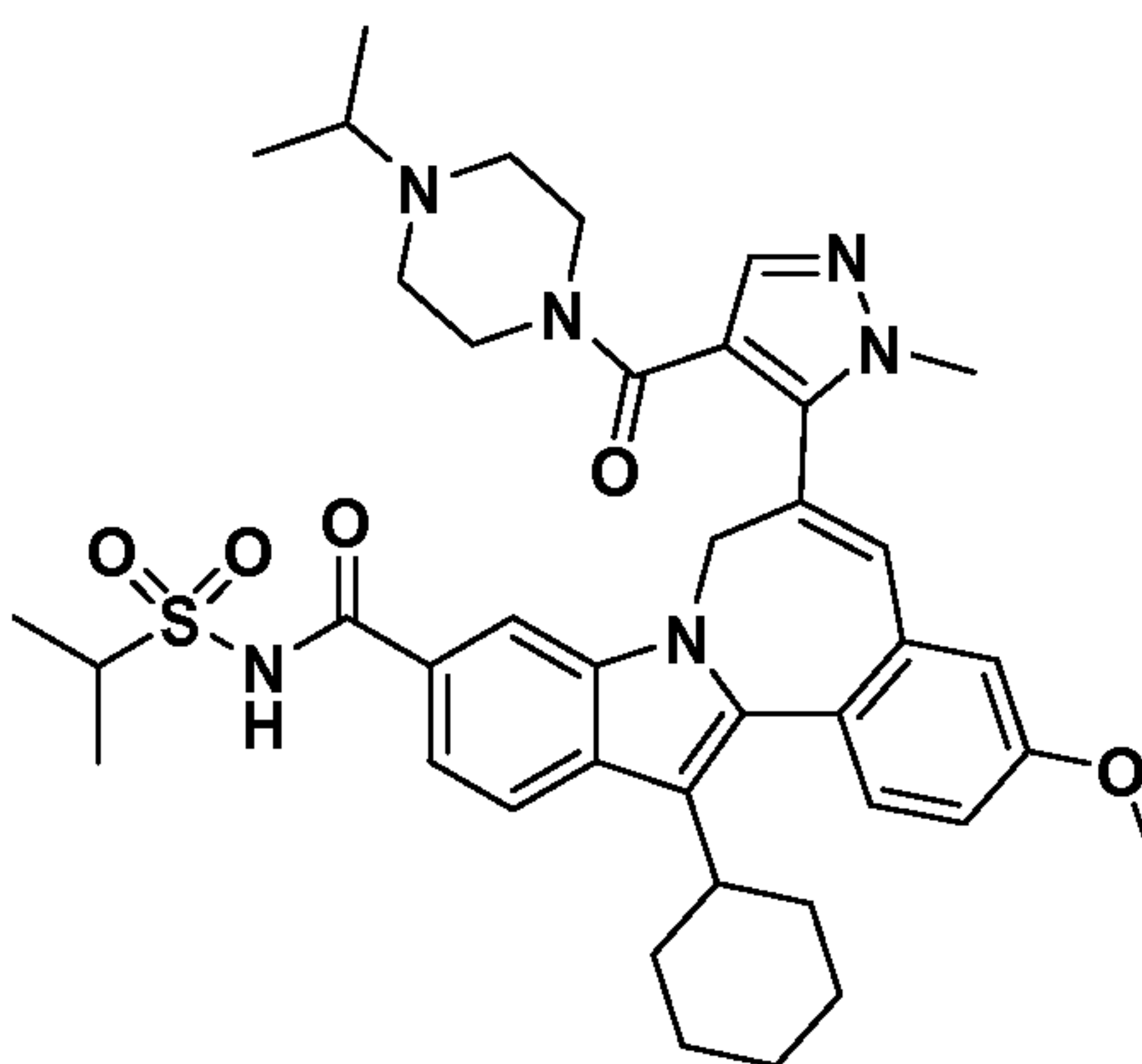
added to the reaction and the reaction once again capped under a nitrogen atmosphere. The reaction was placed in a water bath at 40C and allowed to stir overnight. Sometime overnight the heating element on the water bath failed and the reaction was observed to at room temperature the next morning. LC-MS analysis of the reaction indicated the reaction was complete. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid, then again with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid and finally with brine. The organic layer was dried over magnesium sulfate, filtered and solvent removed *in vacuo*. The title compound was dried *in vacuo* to yield 63mg of an amorphous yellow solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.81 - 0.97 (m, 3 H) 1.18 - 1.30 (m, 4 H) 1.30 - 1.65 (m, 6 H) 1.66 - 1.83 (m, 3 H) 1.84 - 2.10 (m, 6 H) 2.84 - 2.92 (m, 3 H) 3.04 (s, 6 H) 3.88 (s, 3 H) 3.97 (s, 3 H) 4.43 (d, *J*=14.34 Hz, 1 H) 5.68 (d, *J*=13.73 Hz, 1 H) 6.99 (d, *J*=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.02 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.35 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.52 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.77 (s, 1 H) 7.83 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.98 (s, 1 H) 8.15 (s, 1 H) 8.71 (s, 1 H). LC-MS retention time 1.58 min; 616 m/z (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-3-yl]-.

1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 3-[13-cyclohexyl-10-[[[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (57mg, 0.092 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (1.0ml) and TBTU (55.8 mg, 0.174 mmol) added to the reaction. The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stir at room temperature for 1 hour then DMAP (47 mg, 0.385 mmol) was added to the reaction followed by morpholine (16 μ L, 0.184 mmol). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature overnight. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid, 0.1M aqueous NaH₂PO₄ and brine. The organic phase was dried over magnesium sulfate, filtered and solvent removed *in vacuo*. The title compound was dried overnight *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 63mg of a yellow amorphous solid. The title compound was further purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) (total volume 2ml) purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5 μ M 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 60% solvent A / 40% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 12 minutes with a run time of 25 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. The sample was run as two 1ml injections. The run time of the second Prep HPLC run was truncated to 15 minutes base on data from the first run. The product fractions (retention time= 8.75min.) were combined and solvent removed *in vacuo*. The compound was dried at room temperature *in vacuo* to yield 38mg of the title compound as a yellow amorphous solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.23 (q, *J*=12.21 Hz, 1 H) 1.30 - 1.56 (m, 3 H) 1.77 (d, *J*=10.38 Hz, 2 H) 1.90 - 2.14 (m, 4 H) 2.54 - 2.81 (m, 4 H) 2.82 - 2.95 (m, 2 H) 2.95 - 3.05 (m, 2 H) 3.07 (s, 6 H) 3.09 - 3.39 (m, 5 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 3.97 (s, 3 H) 4.45 (d, *J*=14.65 Hz, 1 H) 5.45 (d, *J*=14.65 Hz, 1 H) 6.95 (d, *J*=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 6.97 (s,

1 H) 7.04 (dd, $J=8.70$, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.46 (dd, $J=8.55$, 1.53 Hz, 1 H) 7.52 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.55 (s, 1 H) 7.89 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.94 (d, $J=1.22$ Hz, 1 H) 9.13 (br.s, 1 H). LC-MS retention time 1.82 min; 685 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u
 5 C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B
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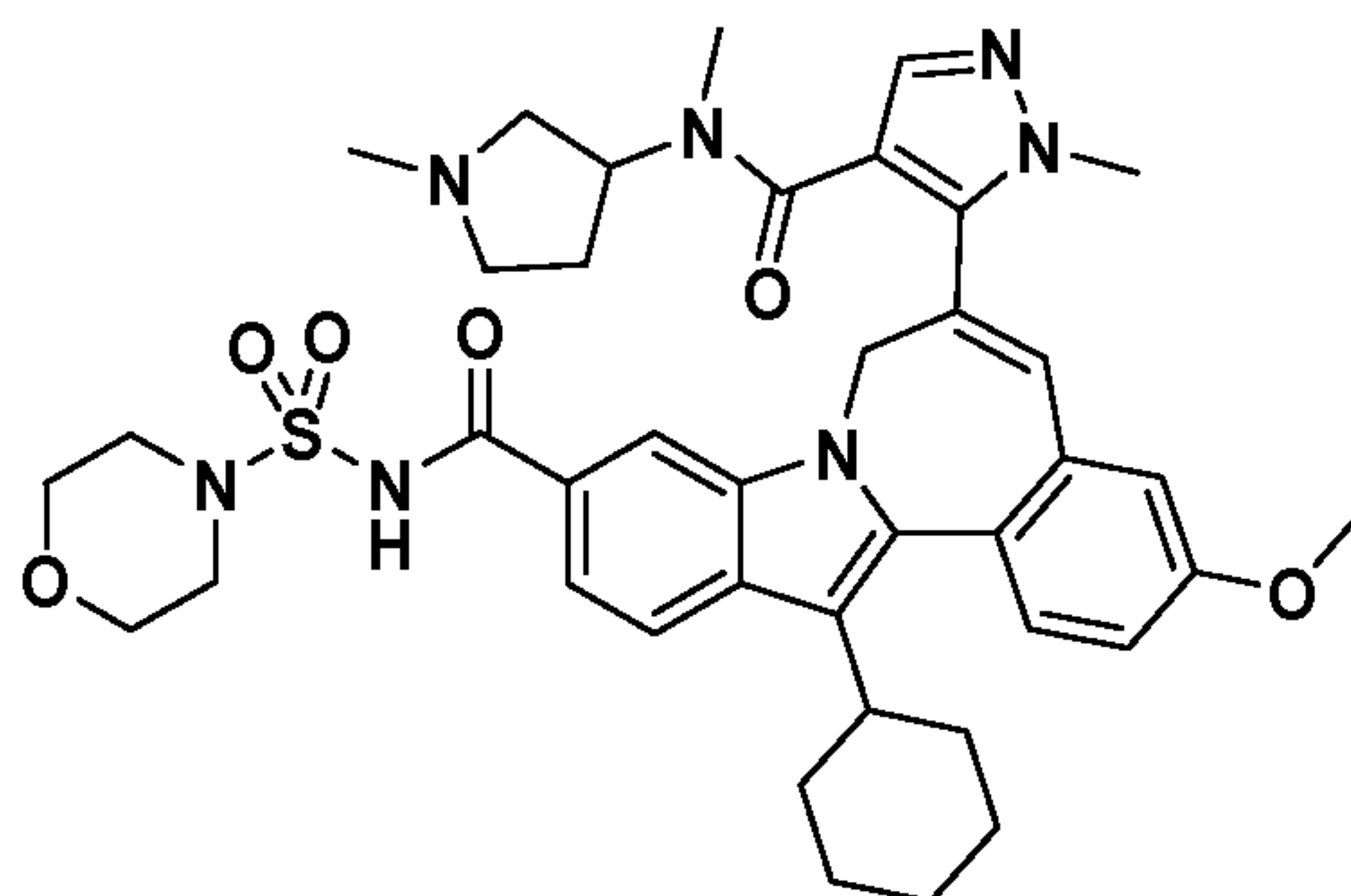
15 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[[4-(1-methylethyl)-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-.*

1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (0.92g, 1.5mmol) was dissolved in DMF (25ml) and HATU (1141mg, 3.0mmol) was added followed by diisopropylethylamine (1306uL, 7.5mmol). A 1mL solution of the reaction solution containing *1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-* / HATU / DIEA was transferred a
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 25 16x100mm wheaton vial containing 1-isopropylpiperazine (36.9mg, 0.288mmol). The reaction was capped and shaken at room temperature overnight. The reaction

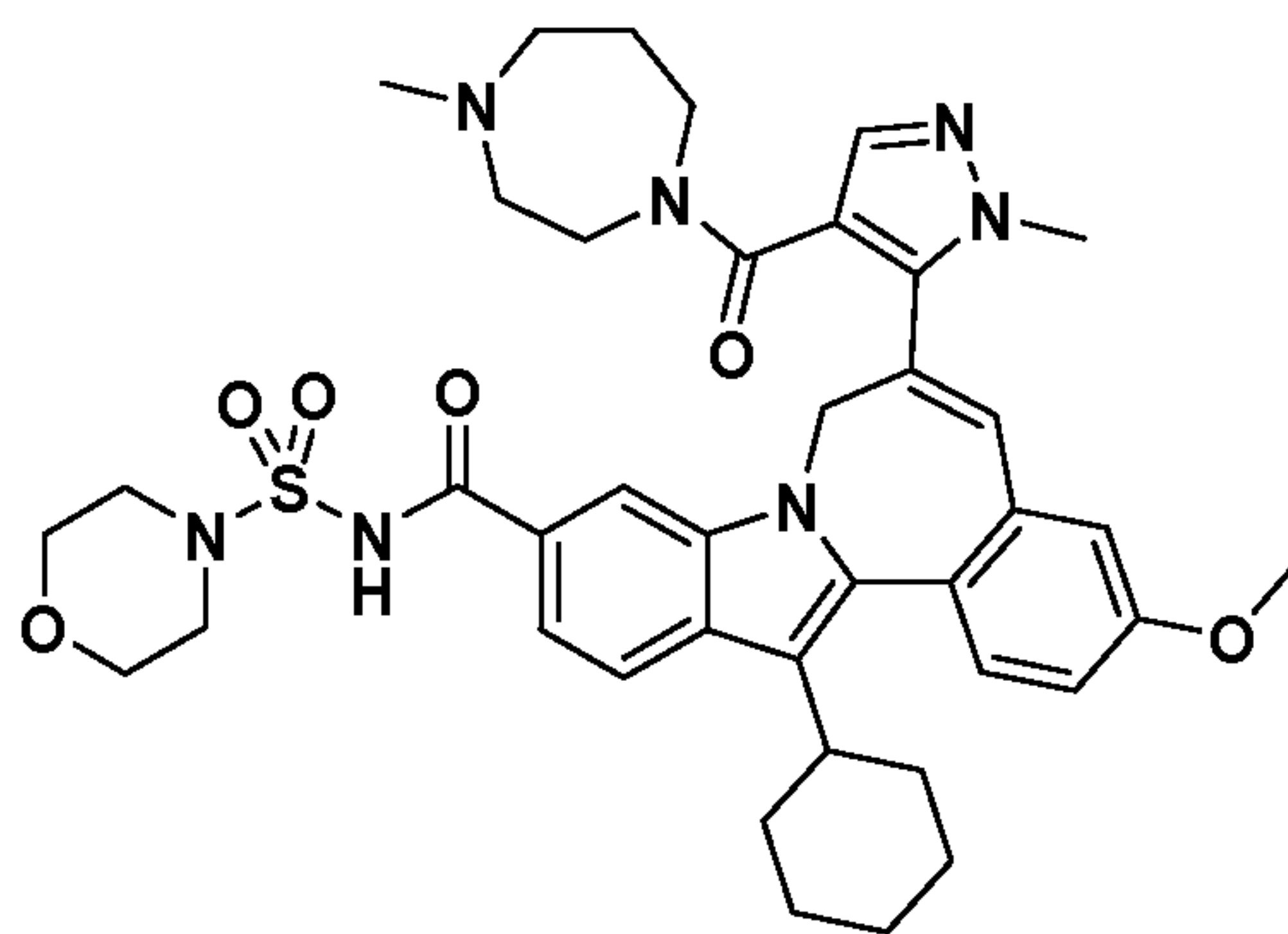
was transferred into a 96well plate and the reaction vial rinsed with DMF (800uL) to bring the final reaction volume to 1.800mL. The reaction mixture was purified by reverse phase HPLC under the following conditions. The Prep HPLC was controlled by Dionex Chromeleon 6.70 sp1 LC software using Varian a prostar binary pump
5 with 50 mL/min pump head and detection using a Sedex 75 ELS detector for fraction collection. A Dionex UVD340U UV spectrometer was used to observe the UV trace of the HPLC run. A Waters Sunfire C18 19mm x 25mm 10u was employed for the isolation using a solvent system of A= water and 20mM ammonium acetate, B= acetonitrile. The following gradient was used: 80%A and 20%B hold for 3 minutes
10 followed by a 19 minute gradient to 5%A and 95%B with a final hold at 5%A and 95%B of 5 minutes. The flow rate for purification was 20ml/ min. The fractions of interest were collected and concentrated to dryness using a Zymark Turbo Vap Evaporator. NMR analysis was performed on the peaks of interest (analytical retention time 5.69 minutes and 6.30minutes). The title compound was determined to
15 be the peak with analytical retention time of 6.30 minutes by NMR analysis (rotomers). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.17 (s, 0.5 H) 0.91 (t, $J=6.87$ Hz, 3.3 H) 1.10 (t, $J=14.95$ Hz, 1.2 H) 1.17 - 1.32 (m, 2.6 H) 1.33 - 1.59 (m, 13.1 H) 1.68 - 1.83 (m, 3.5 H) 1.88 - 2.18 (m, 8.7H) 2.20 - 2.67 (m, 7.8 H) 2.76 - 3.05 (m, 3.3 H) 3.23 (d, $J=10.99$ Hz, 1.3 H) 3.29 - 3.53 (m, 1.6 H) 3.63 - 3.86 (m, 2.7
20 H) 3.88 - 3.98 (m, 6.0 H) 4.02 - 4.10 (m, 1.0 H) 4.61 (d, $J=14.65$ Hz, 1.3 H) 4.89 (d, $J=14.95$ Hz, 0.9 H) 6.76 - 6.86 (m, 0.8 H) 6.91 - 7.00 (m, 1.9 H) 7.06 - 7.13 (m, 1.3 H) 7.51 - 7.57 (m, 1.4 H) 7.57 - 7.66 (m, 1.6 H) 7.66 - 7.75 (m, 1.9 H) 7.89 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1.5 H). LCMS analysis using MassLynx 4.0 SP4 LC-MS software, a CTC-Leap HTS-PAL autosampler, with an Agilent 1100 binary pump, Agilent 1100
25 photodiode array UV detector, Polymer Lab 2100 ELS detector (Temp=45C, nebulizer temp 35C) and a Waters ZQ With ESCi mass spectrometer. The analysis was performed using a Phenomenex Gemini 4.6x 150mm C18 3u column with a mobile phase solvent system of A= water and 20mM ammonium acetate, B= acetonitrile with a flow rate of 1.0ml/min and a gradient starting at 70%A and 30%B
30 and a final composition 5%A and 95%B, gradient time of 11 minutes and a hold time of 2 minutes to give an analysis runtime of 13 minutes.

Retention time = 6.63 minutes, m/z = 725 (MH⁺).

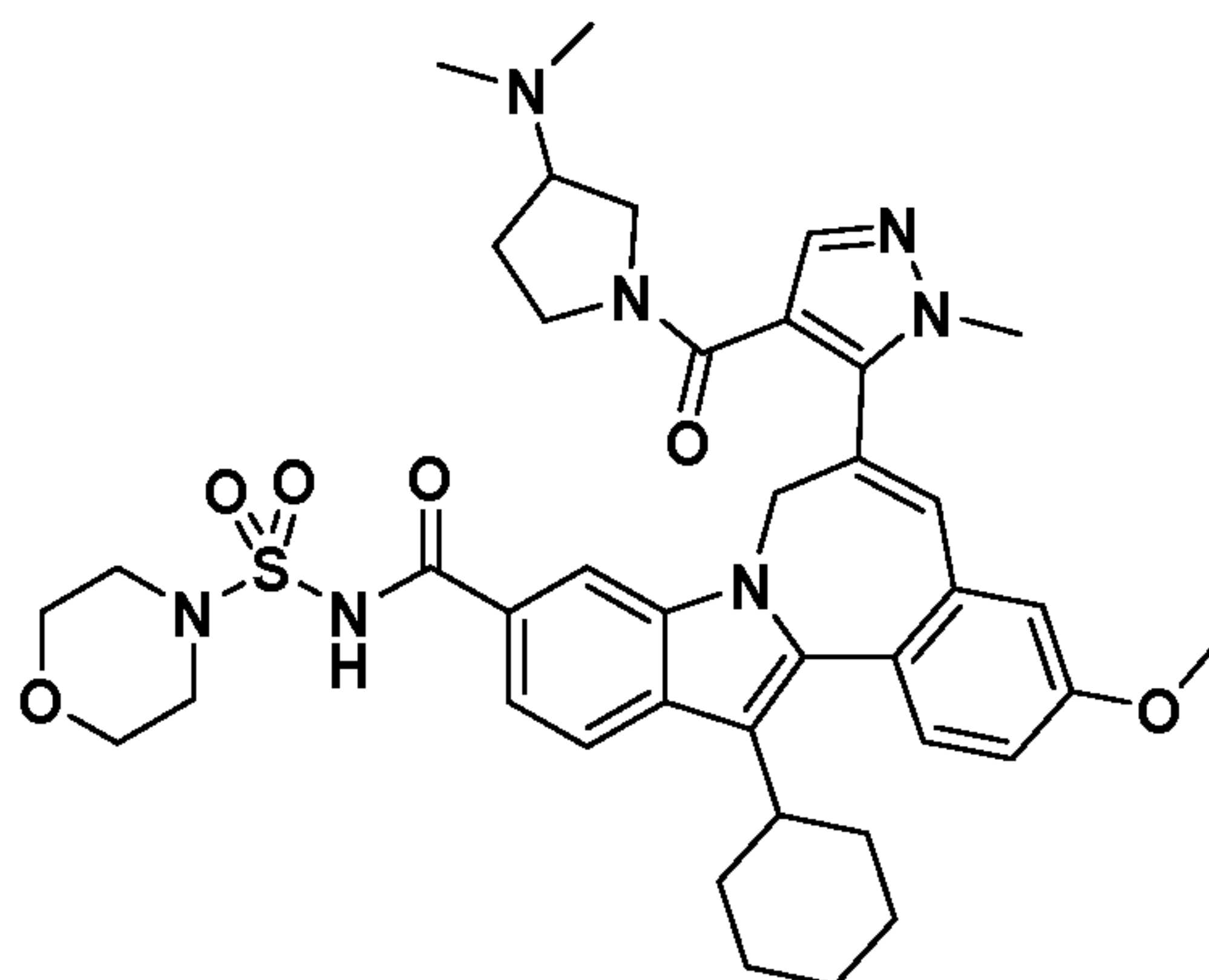
The following compounds were synthesized by an analogous method as described above for 7*H*-indolo[2,1-*a*][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-*N*-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1*H*-pyrazol-3-yl]- and 7*H*-indolo[2,1-*a*][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-*N*-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[[4-(1-methylethyl)-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-5-yl]-. Analytical LCMS data on the following examples were acquired using the following columns and conditions. Method 1: Gradient: 3 minutes; Flow rate: 5 mL/min; Stop time: Gradient time + 1 minute; Eluent A: 5% CH₃CN / 95% H₂O with 10 mM NH₄OAc; Eluent B: 95% CH₃CN / 5% H₂O with 10 mM NH₄OAc; Initial %B= 30; Final % B=100; Column: Waters Xterra, 3mm x 50mm, S7. Method 2: Gradient: 3 minutes; Flow rate: 5 mL/min; Stop time: Gradient time + 1 minute; Eluent A= 10% methanol, 90% water, 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid; %B= 90% methanol, 10% water, 0.1% trifluoroacetic acid; Initial %B= 40; Final % B=100; Column: Phenomenex Luna 3.0mm x 50mm S10.



7*H*-indolo[2,1-*a*][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[[methyl(1-methyl-3-pyrrolidinyl)amino]carbonyl]-1*H*-pyrazol-5-yl]-*N*-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-. LCMS: *m/e* 756 (M+H), ret time 2.30 min.

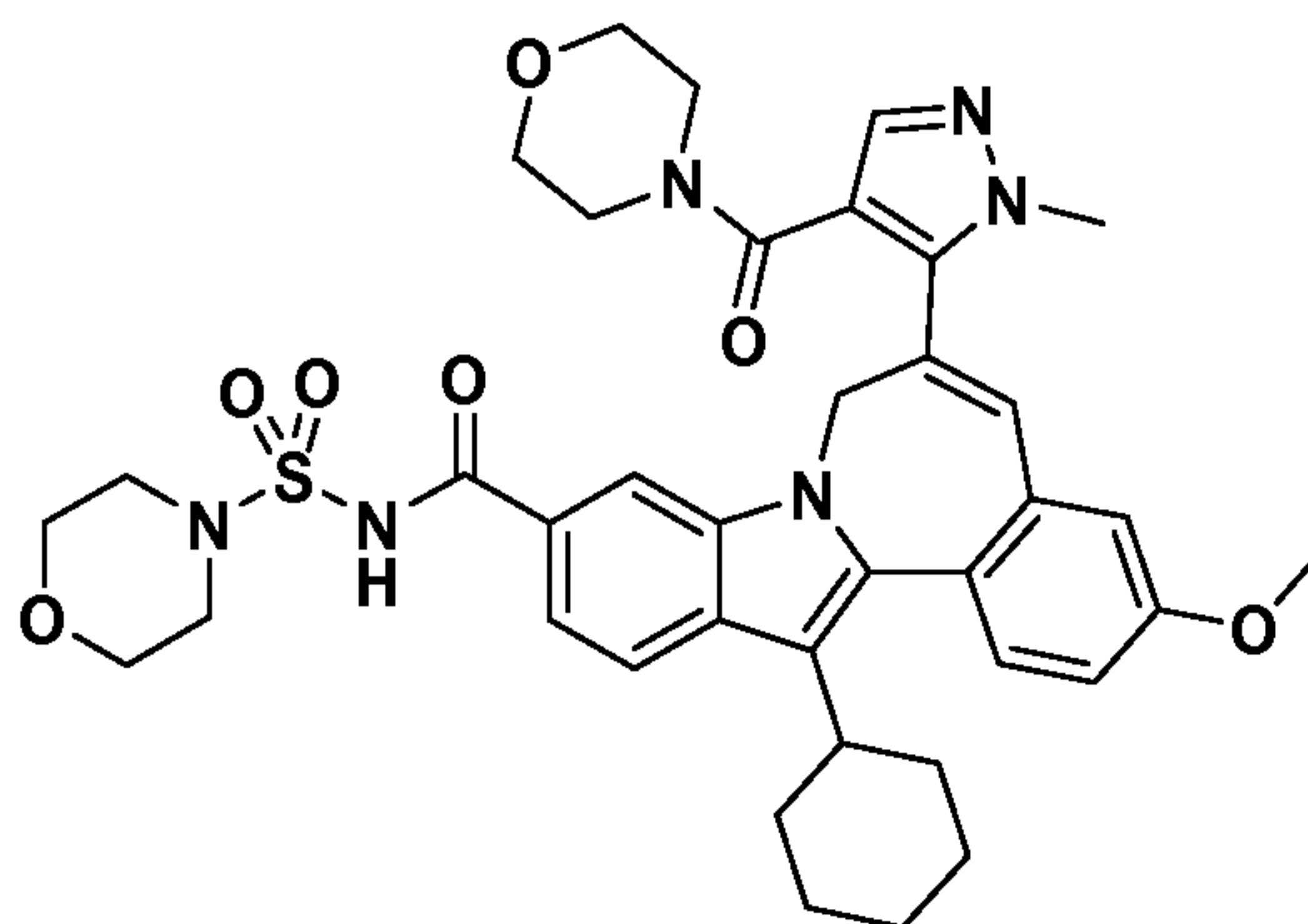


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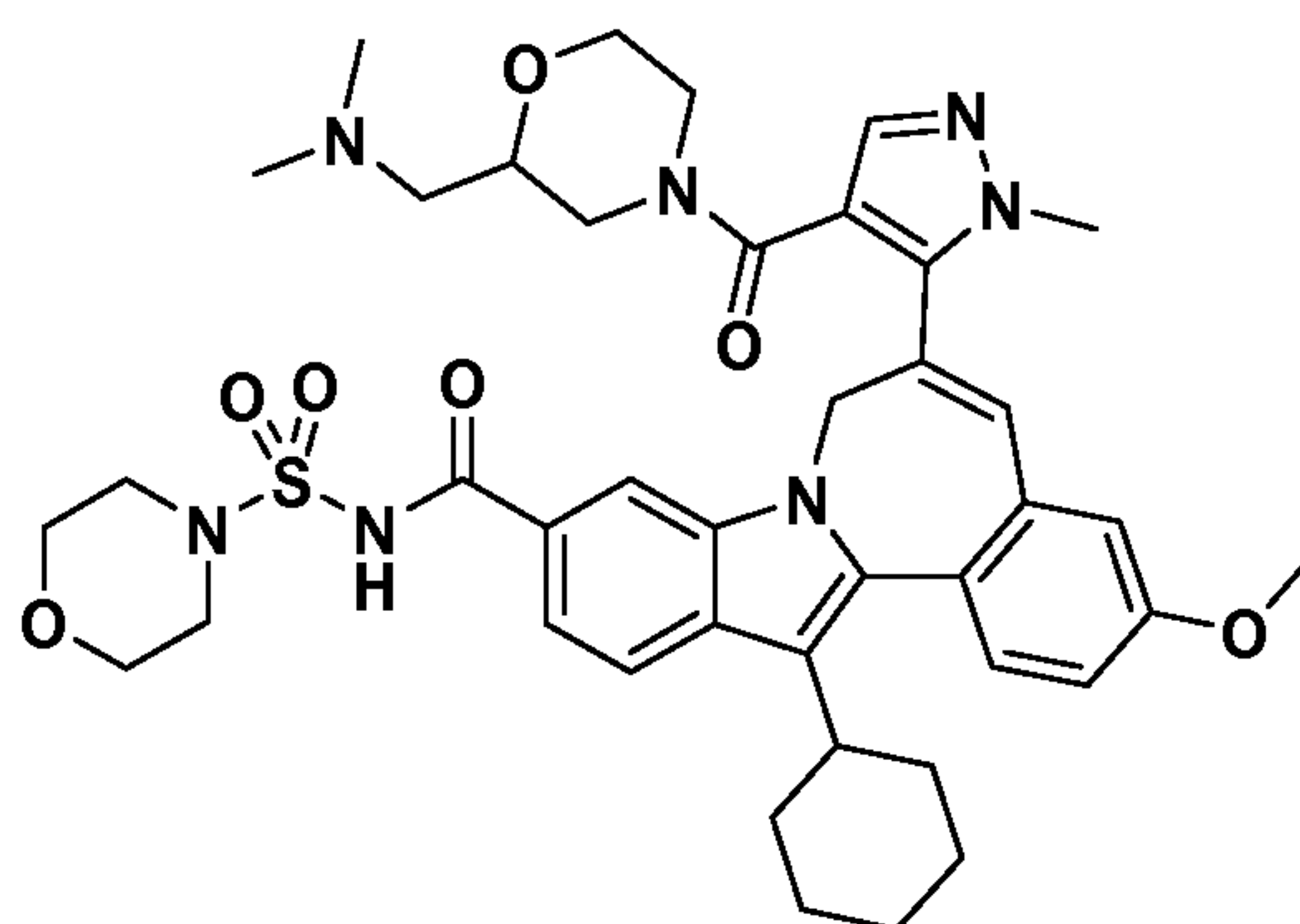
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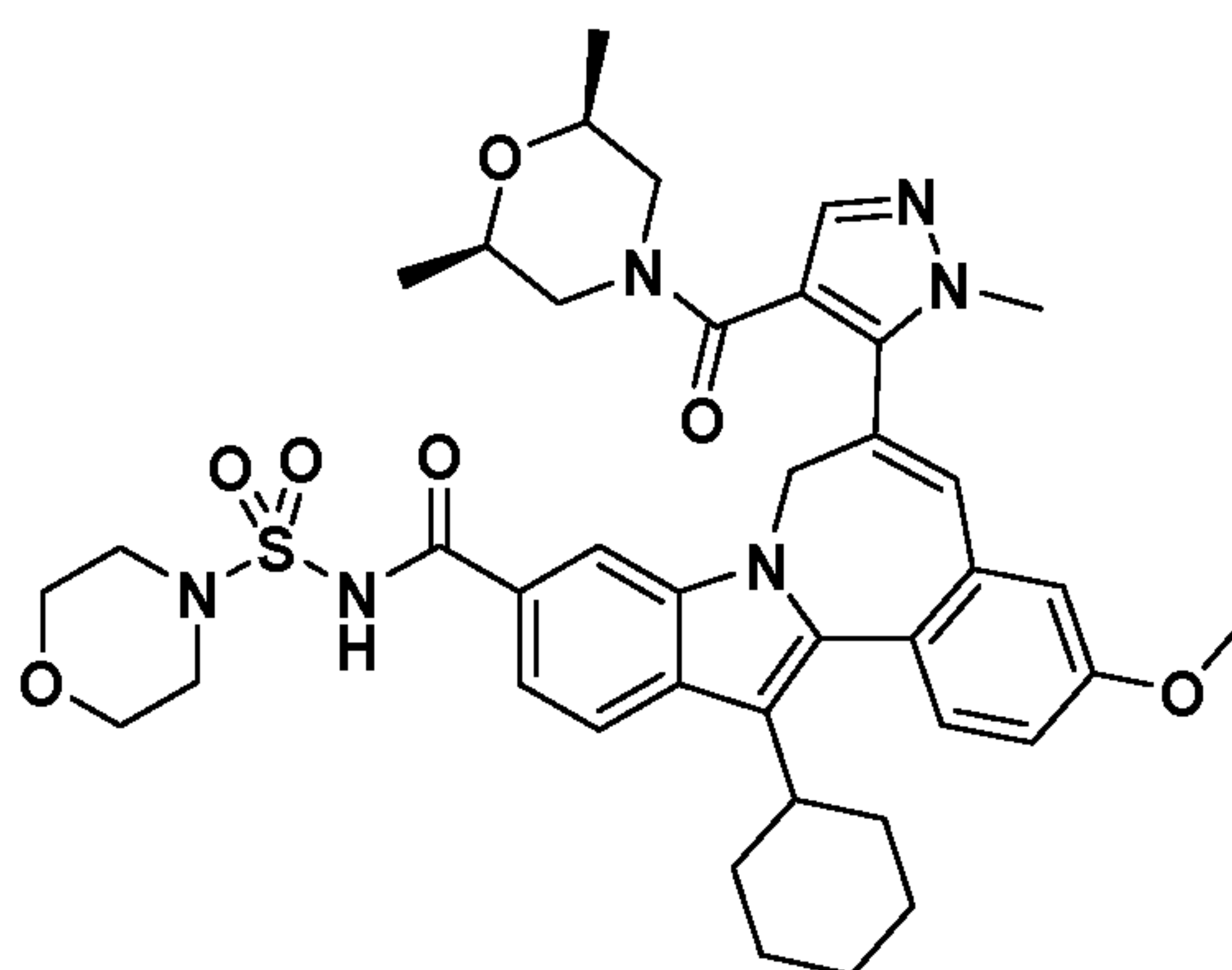
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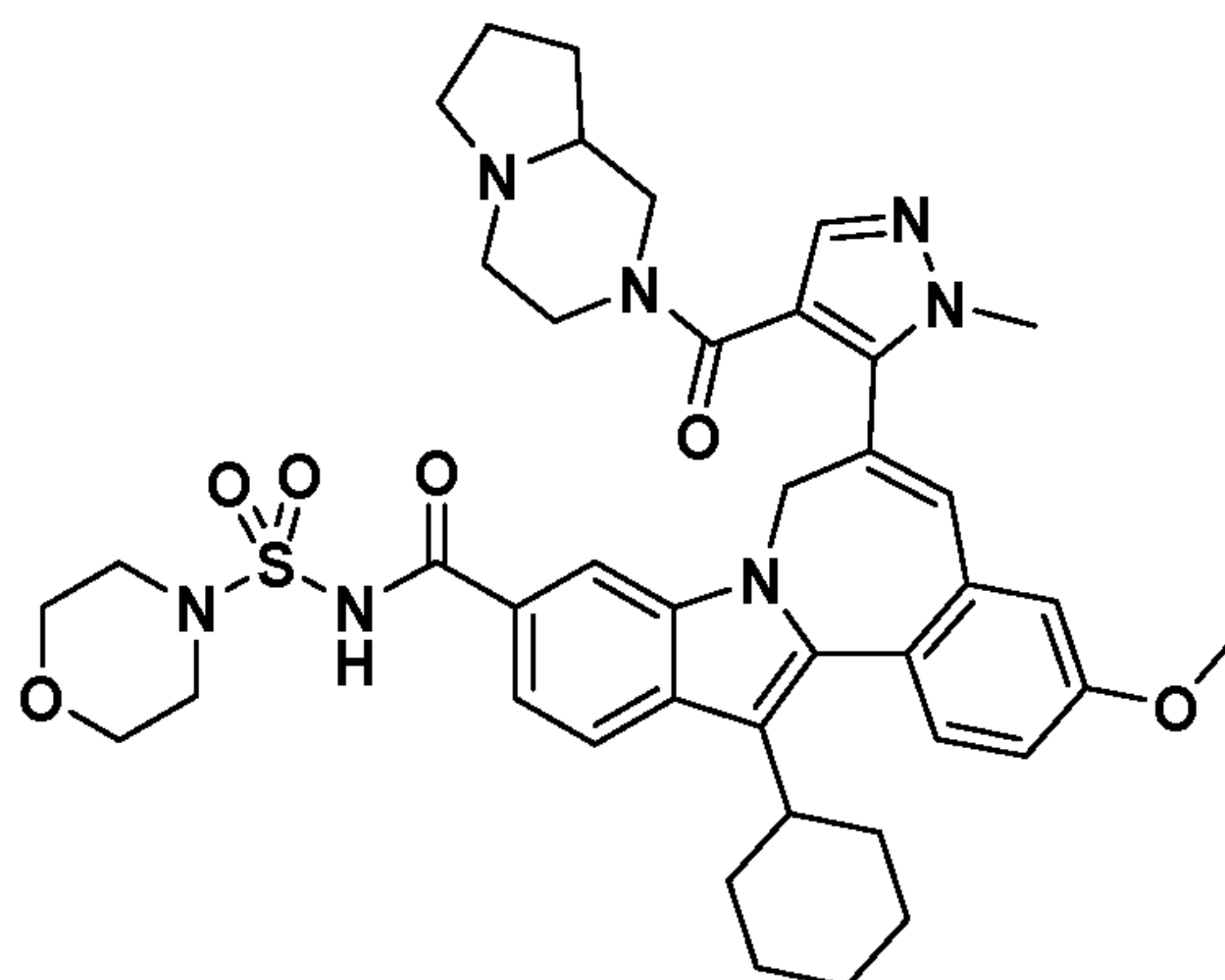
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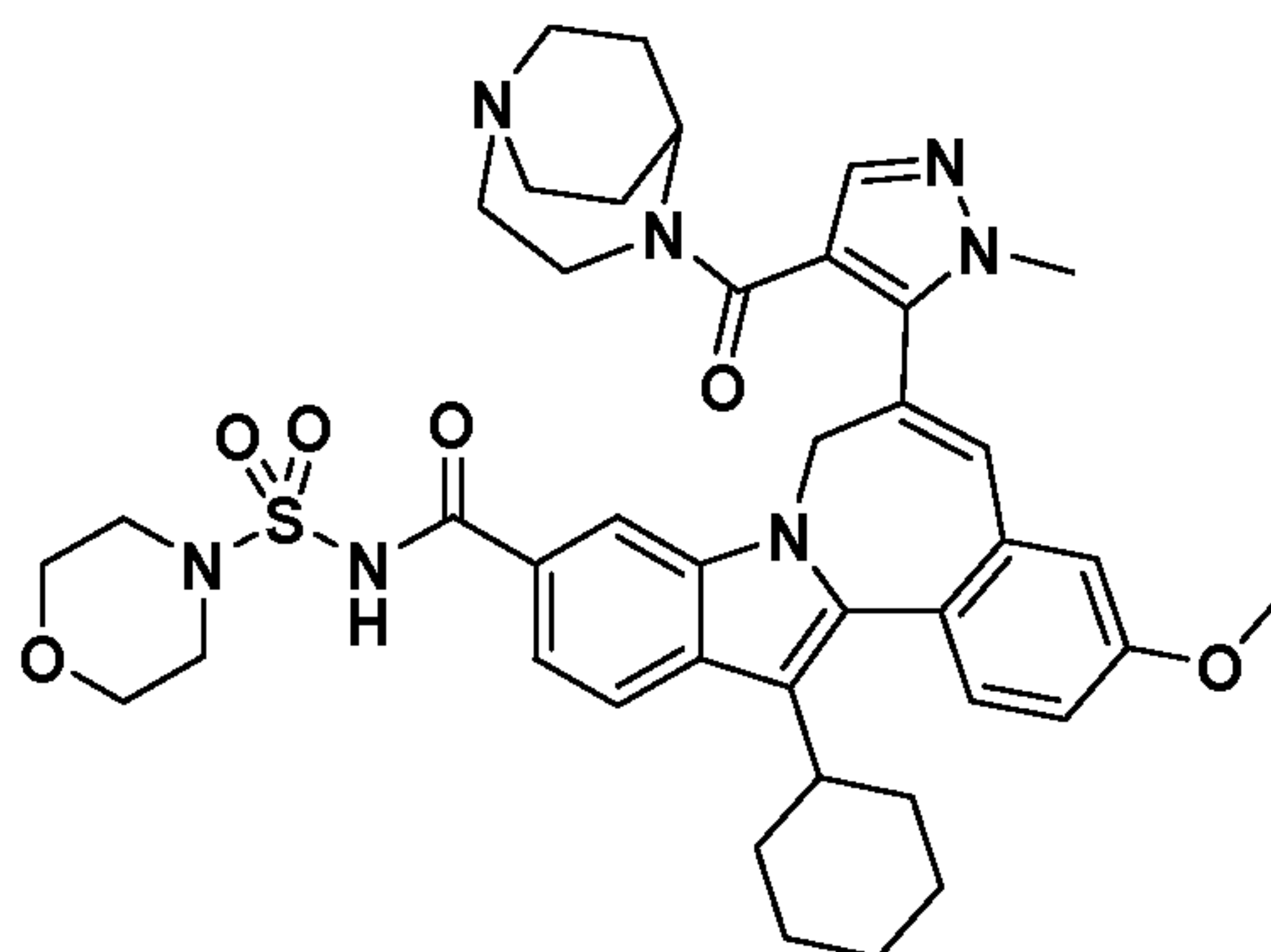
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 5 methoxy-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-. LCMS: m/e 787 (M+H), ret time 2.40 min.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-
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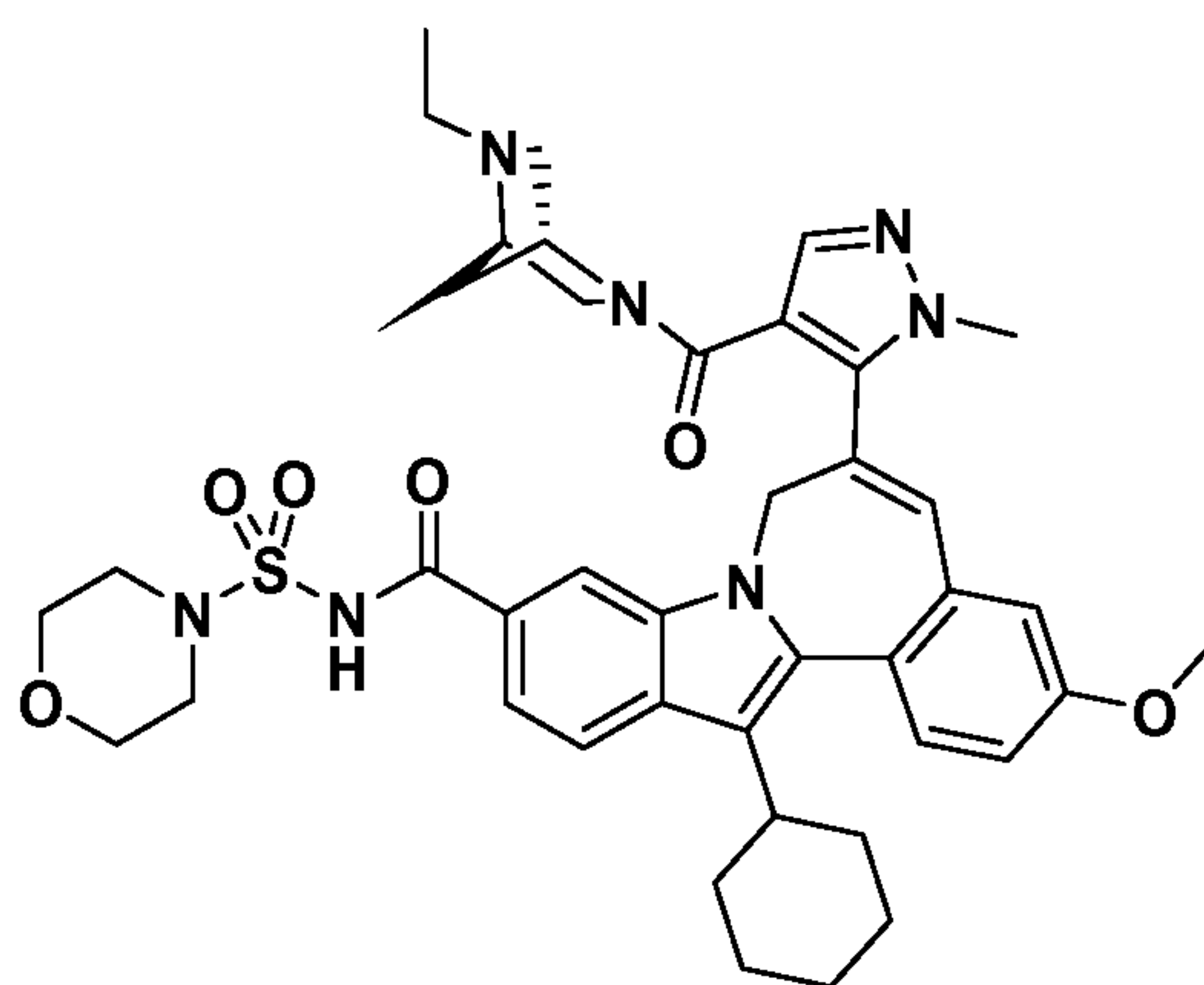


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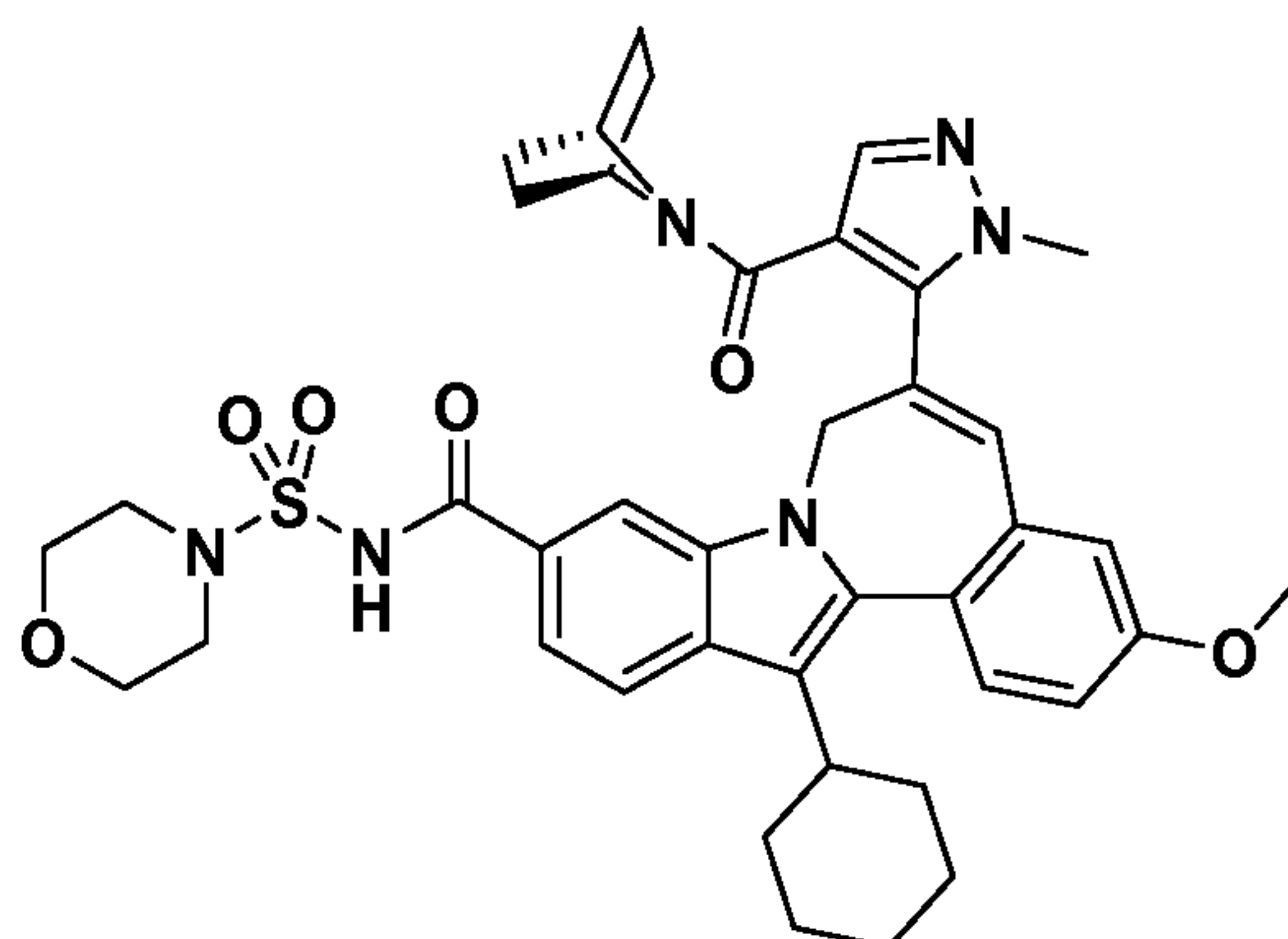
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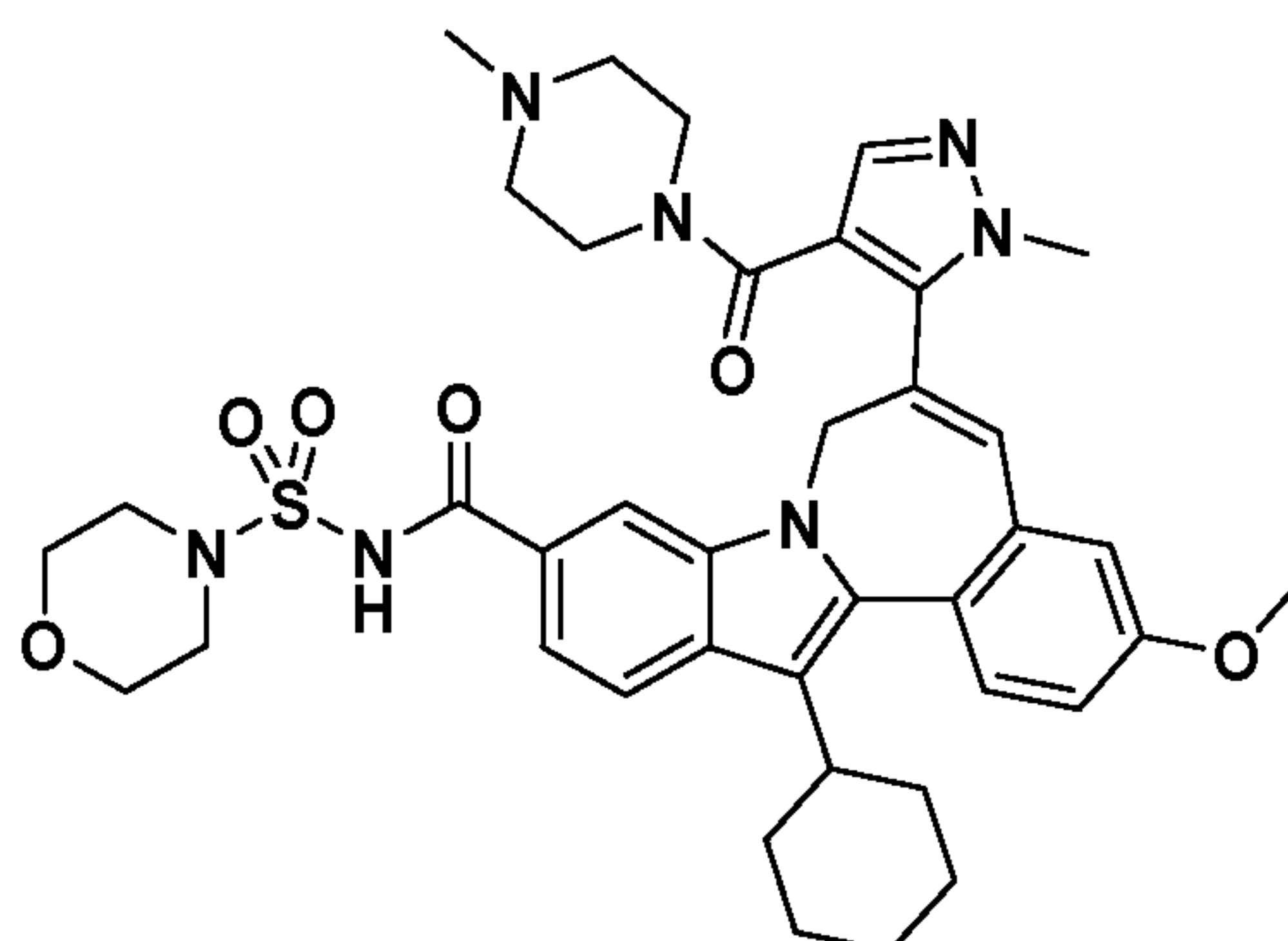
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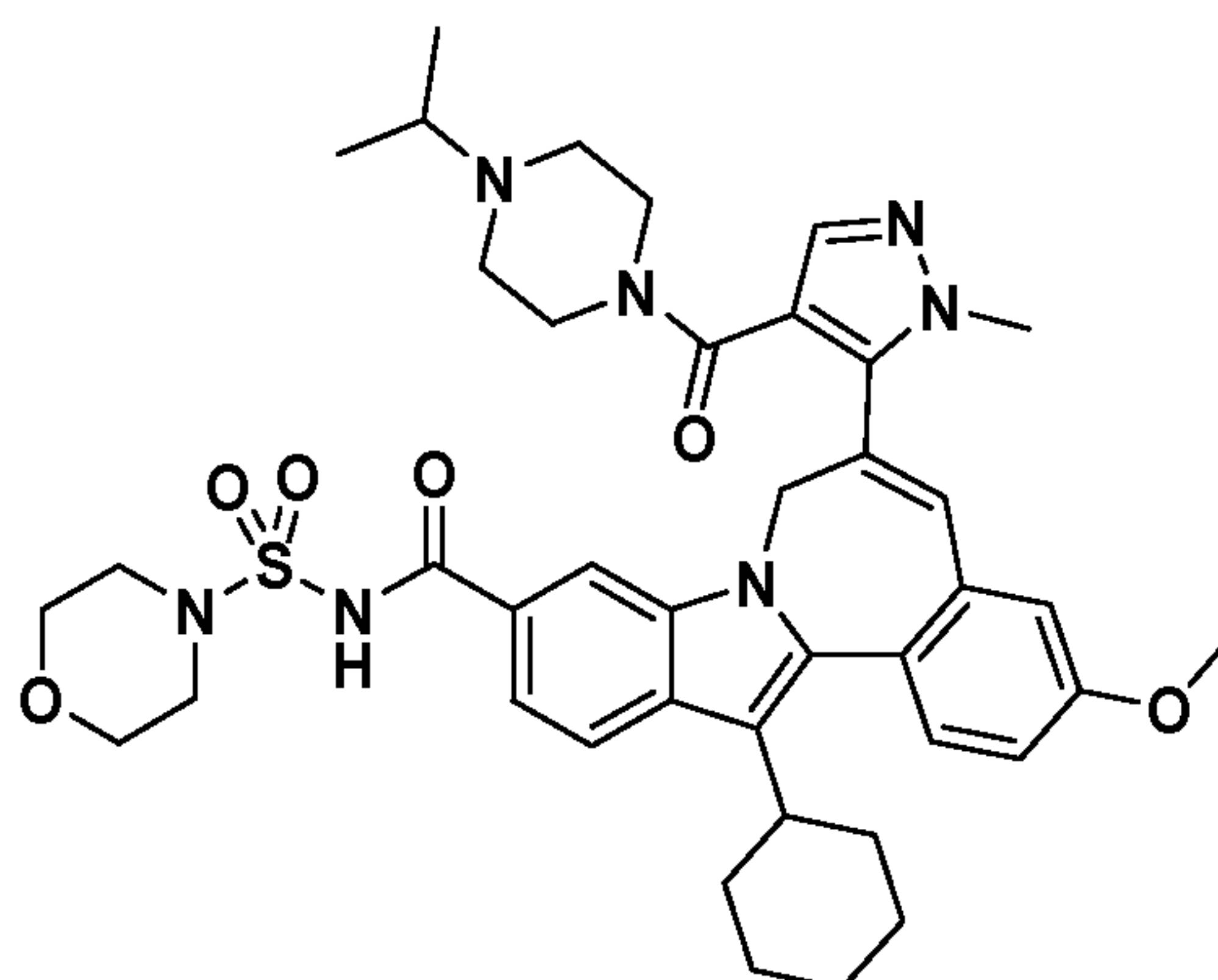
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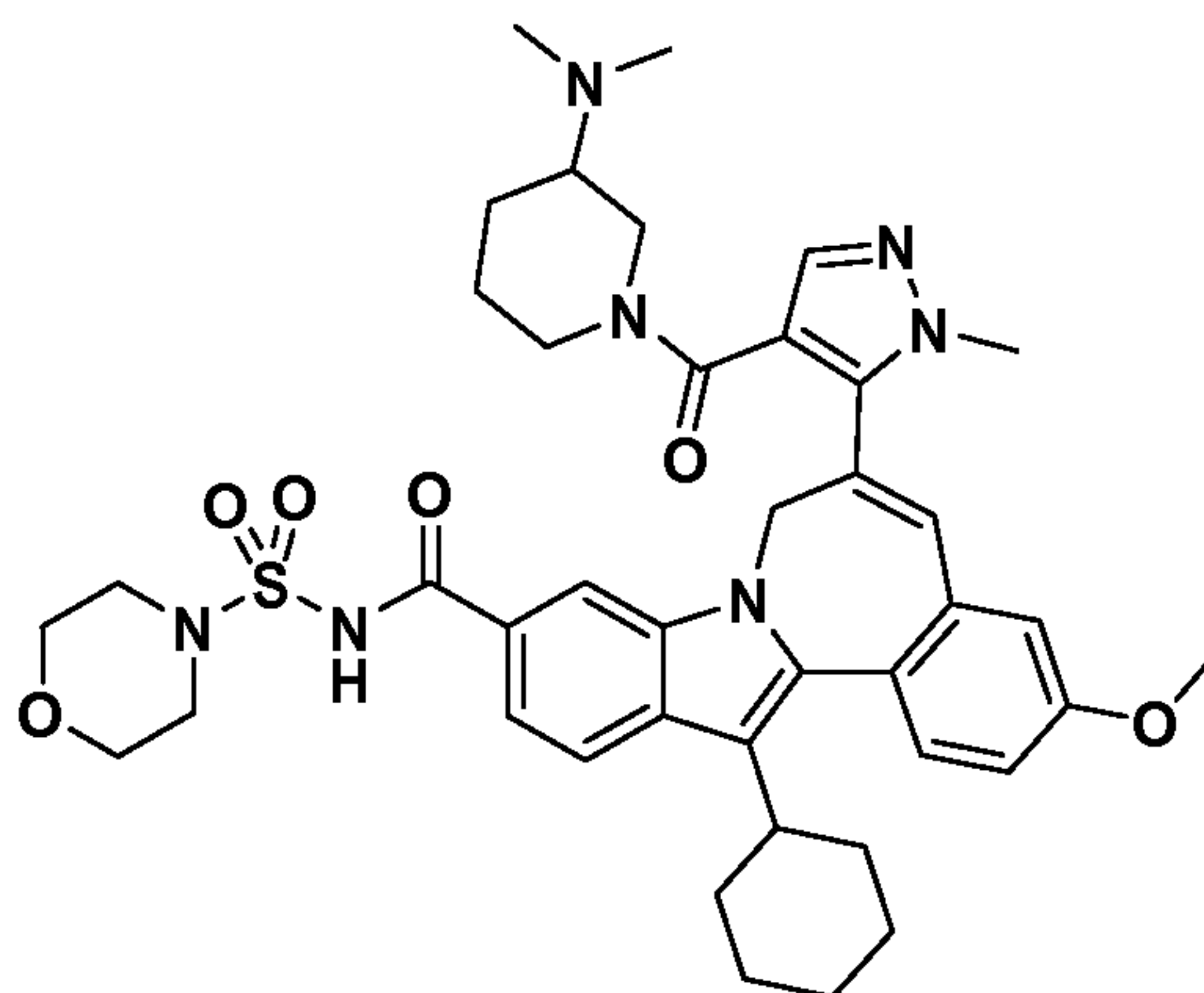
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(4-methyl-1-piperazinyl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-. LCMS: m/e 742 (M+H), ret time 2.30 min.



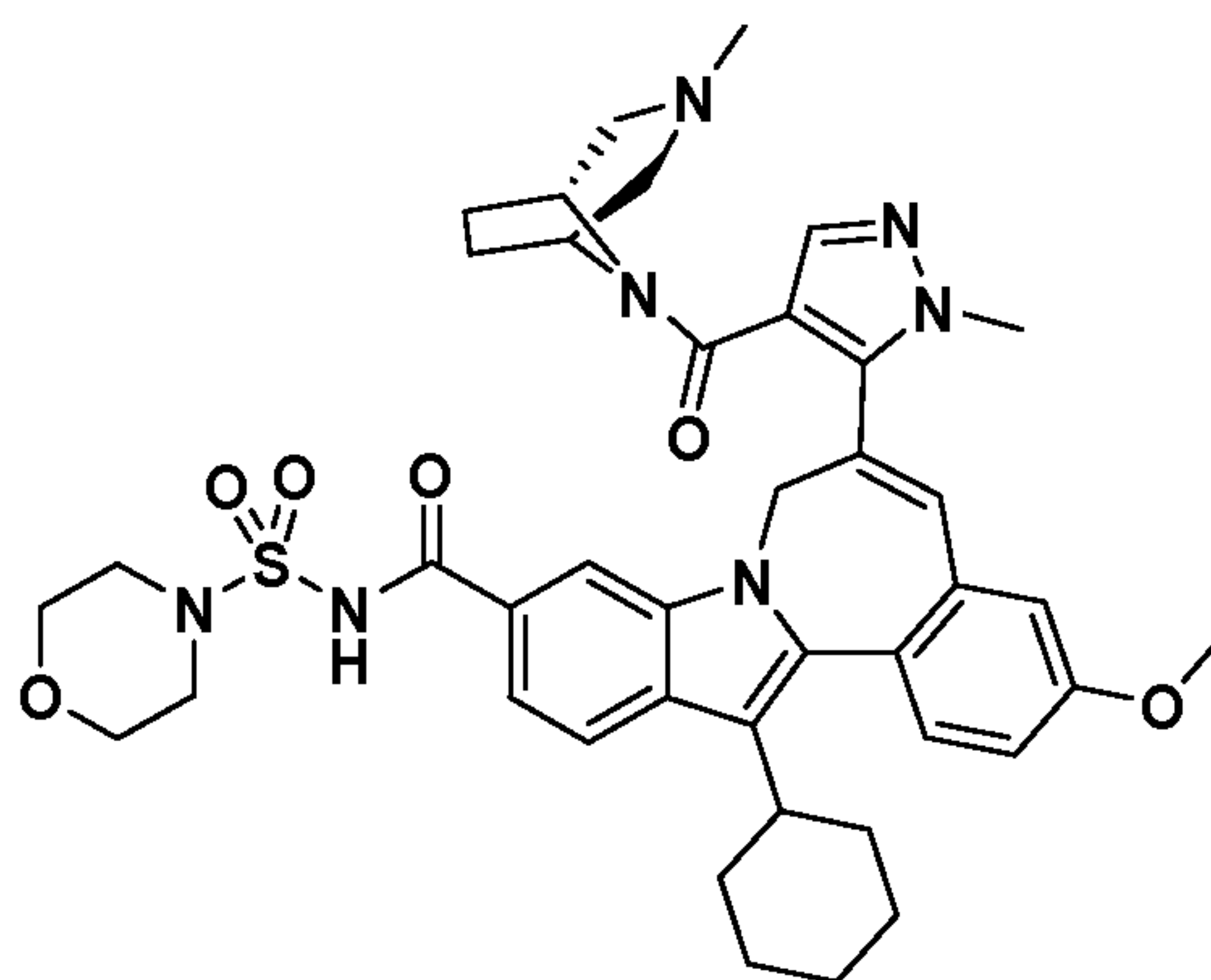
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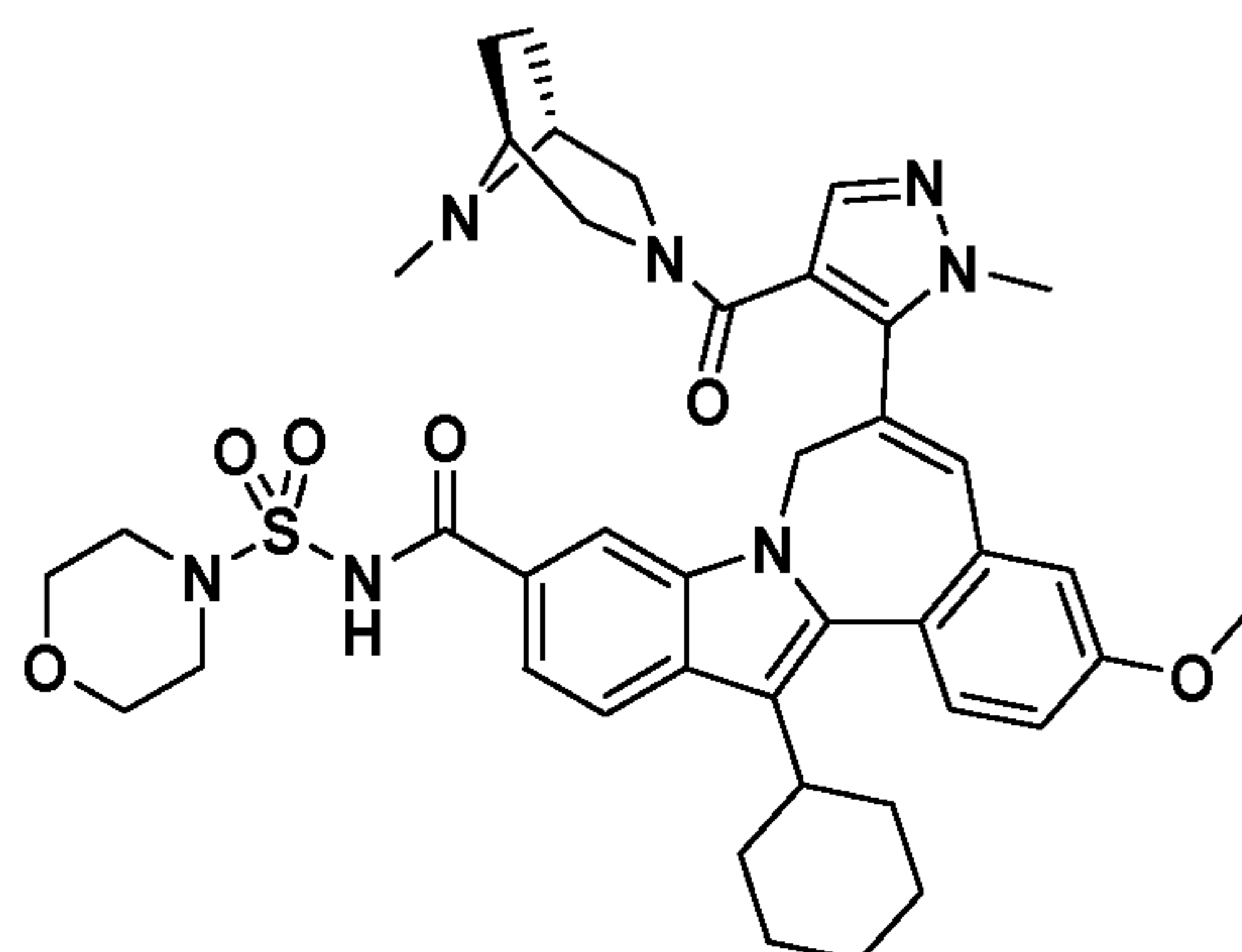
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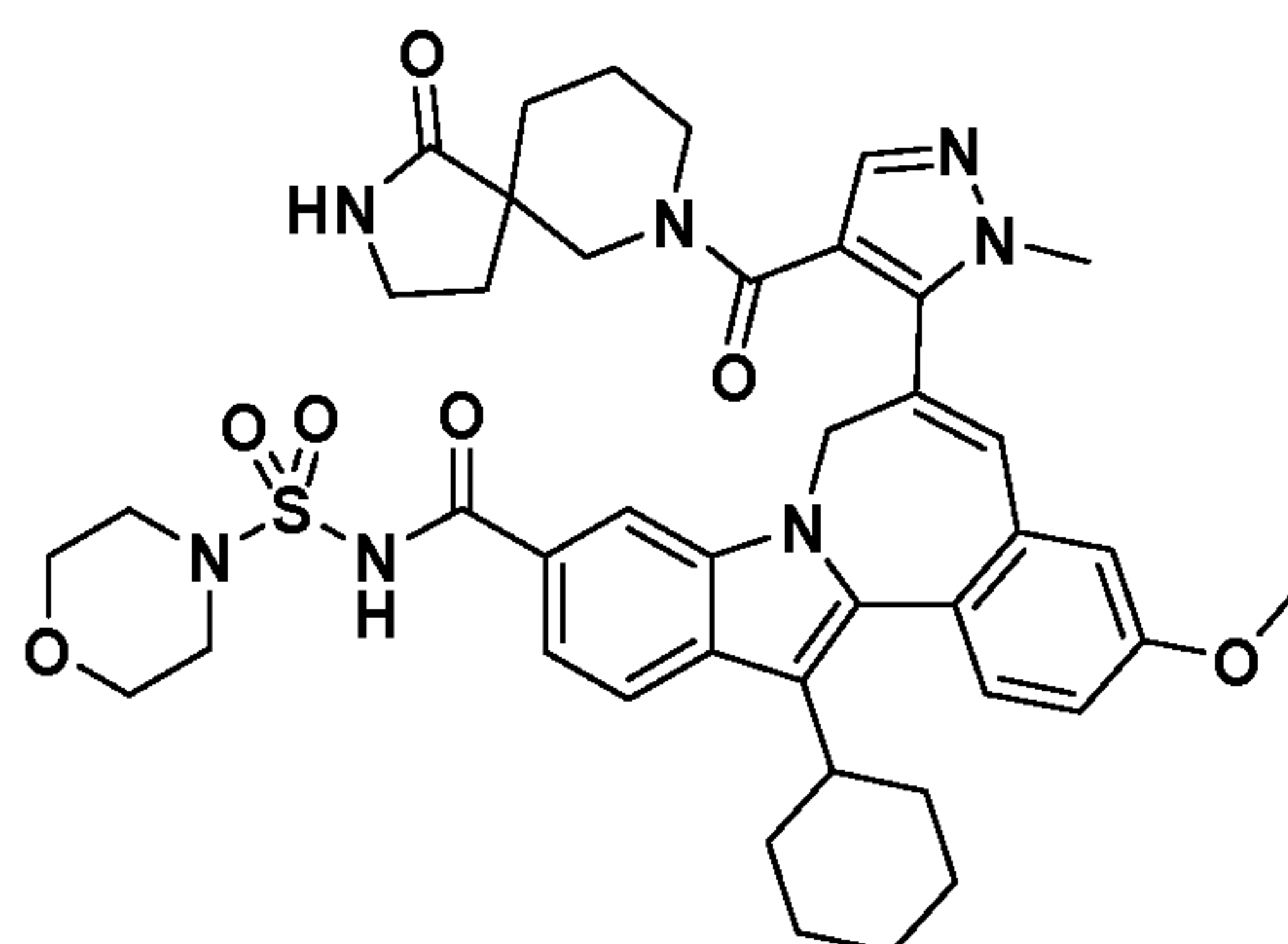


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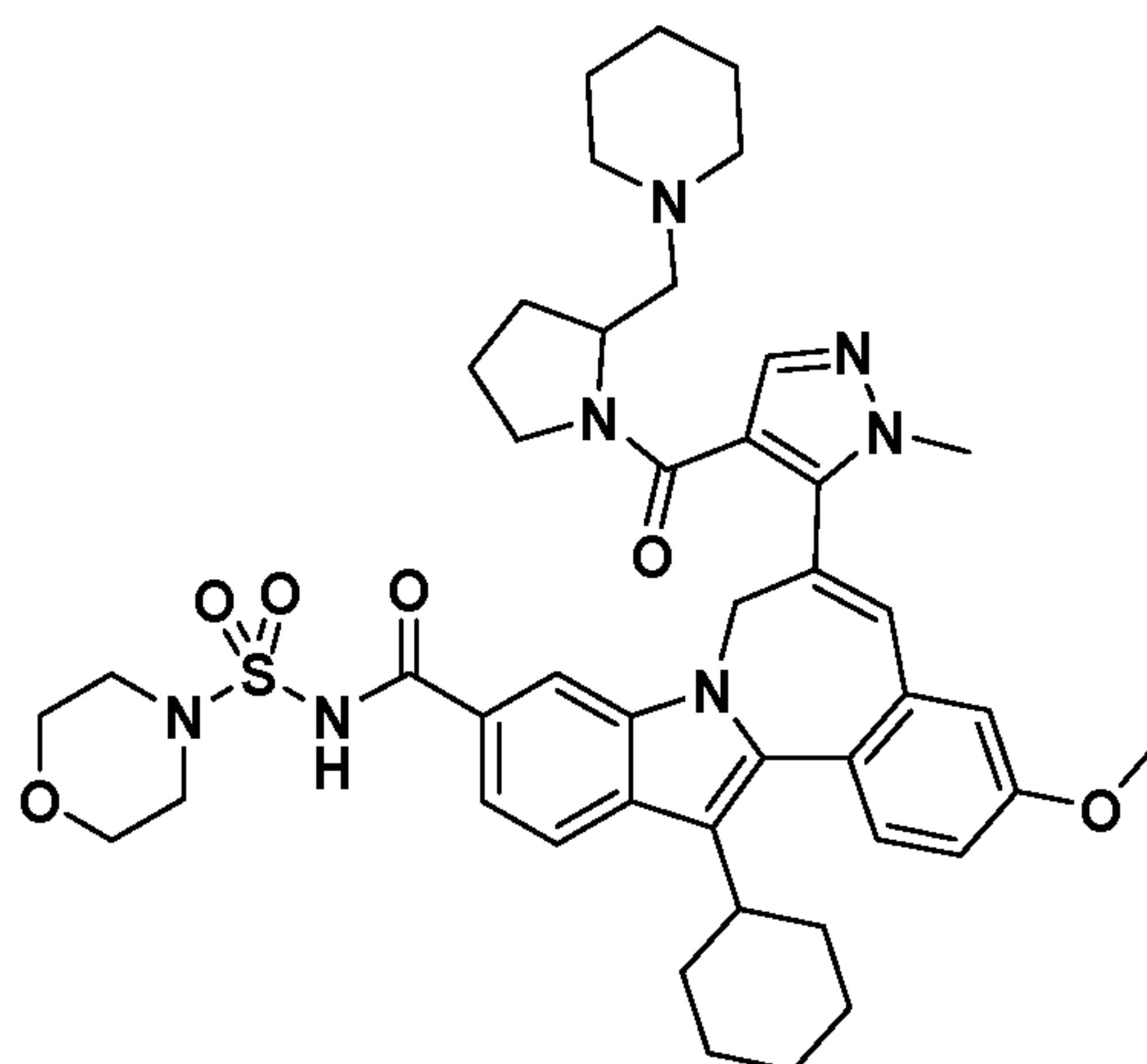
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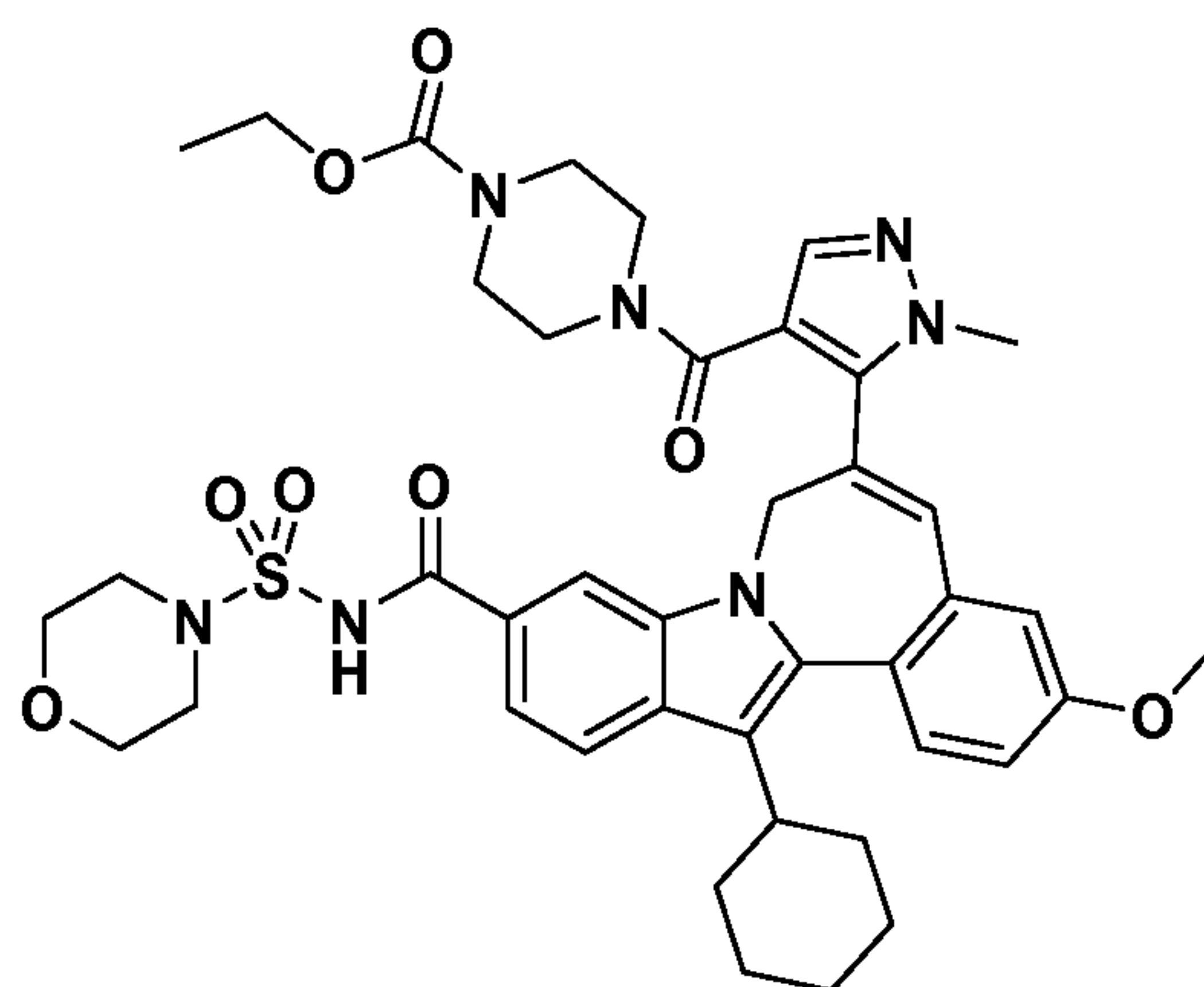
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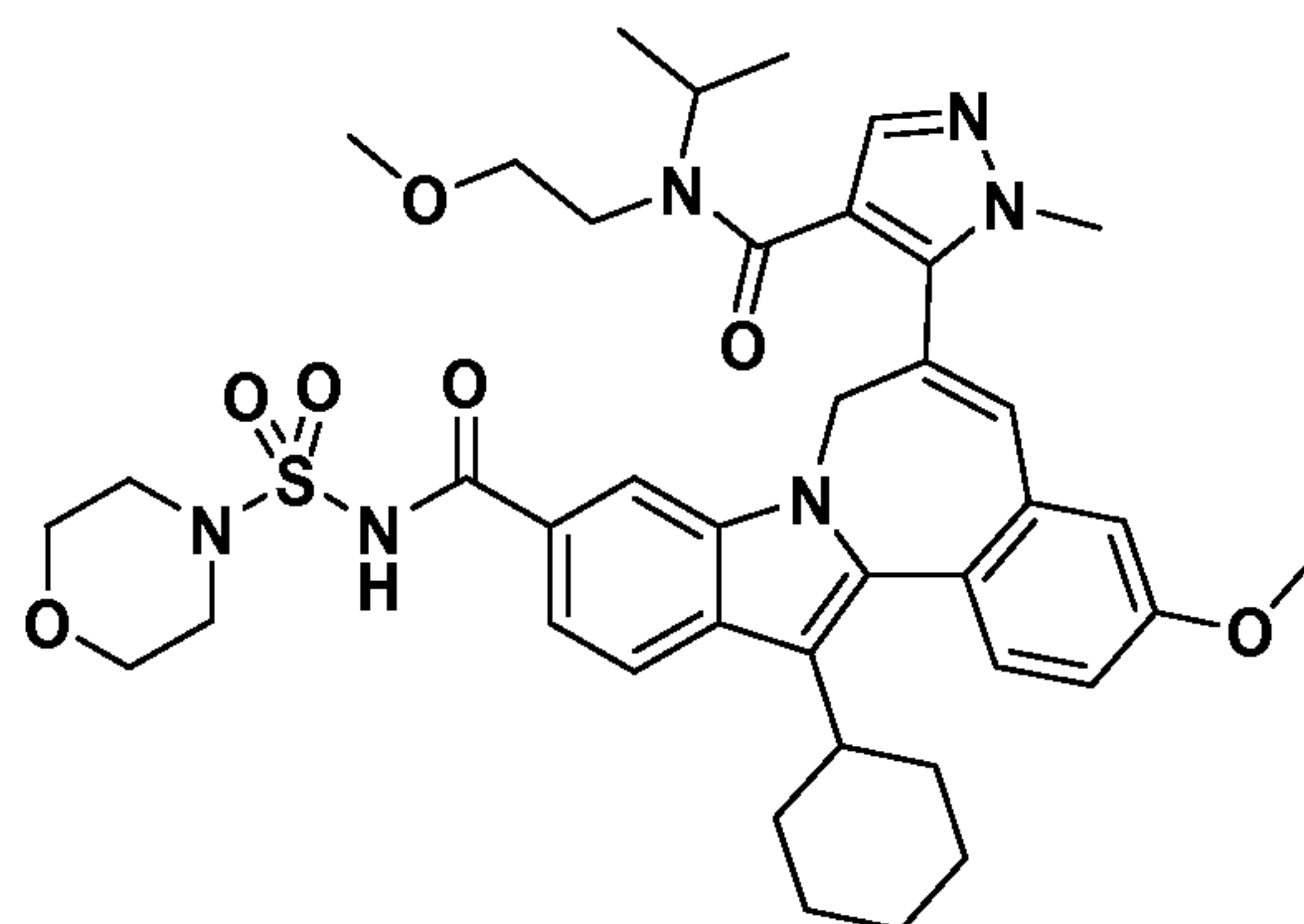
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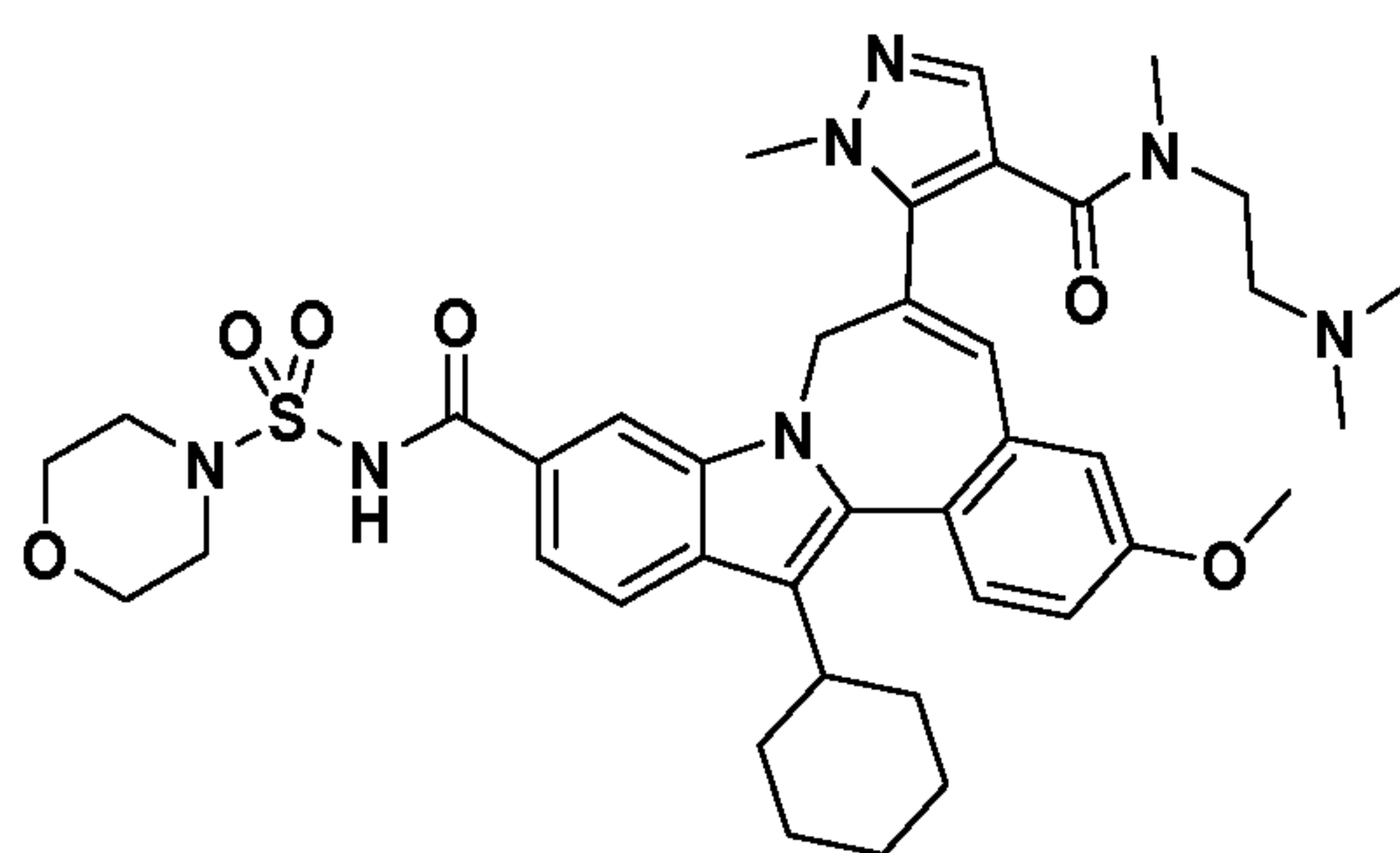
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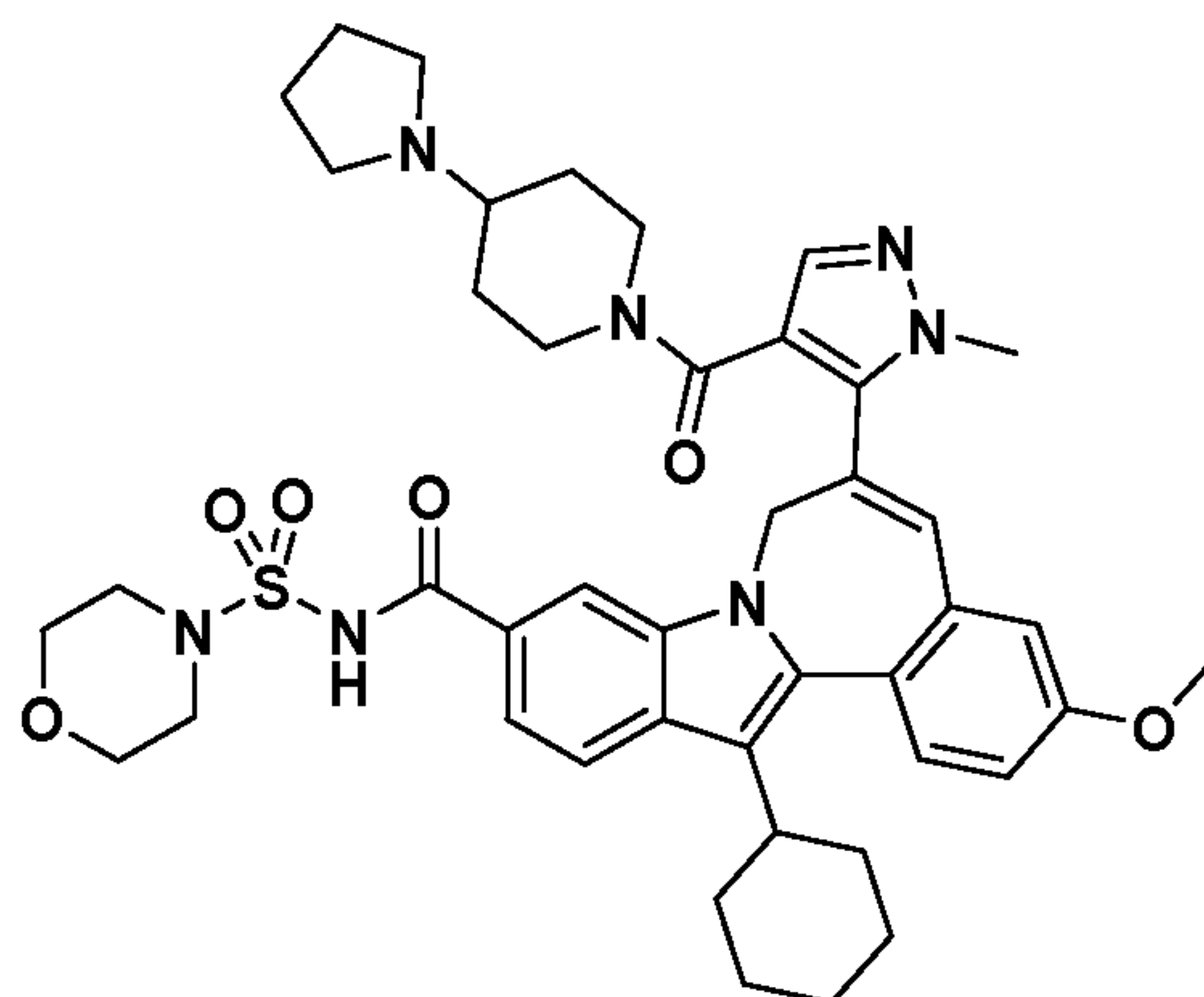
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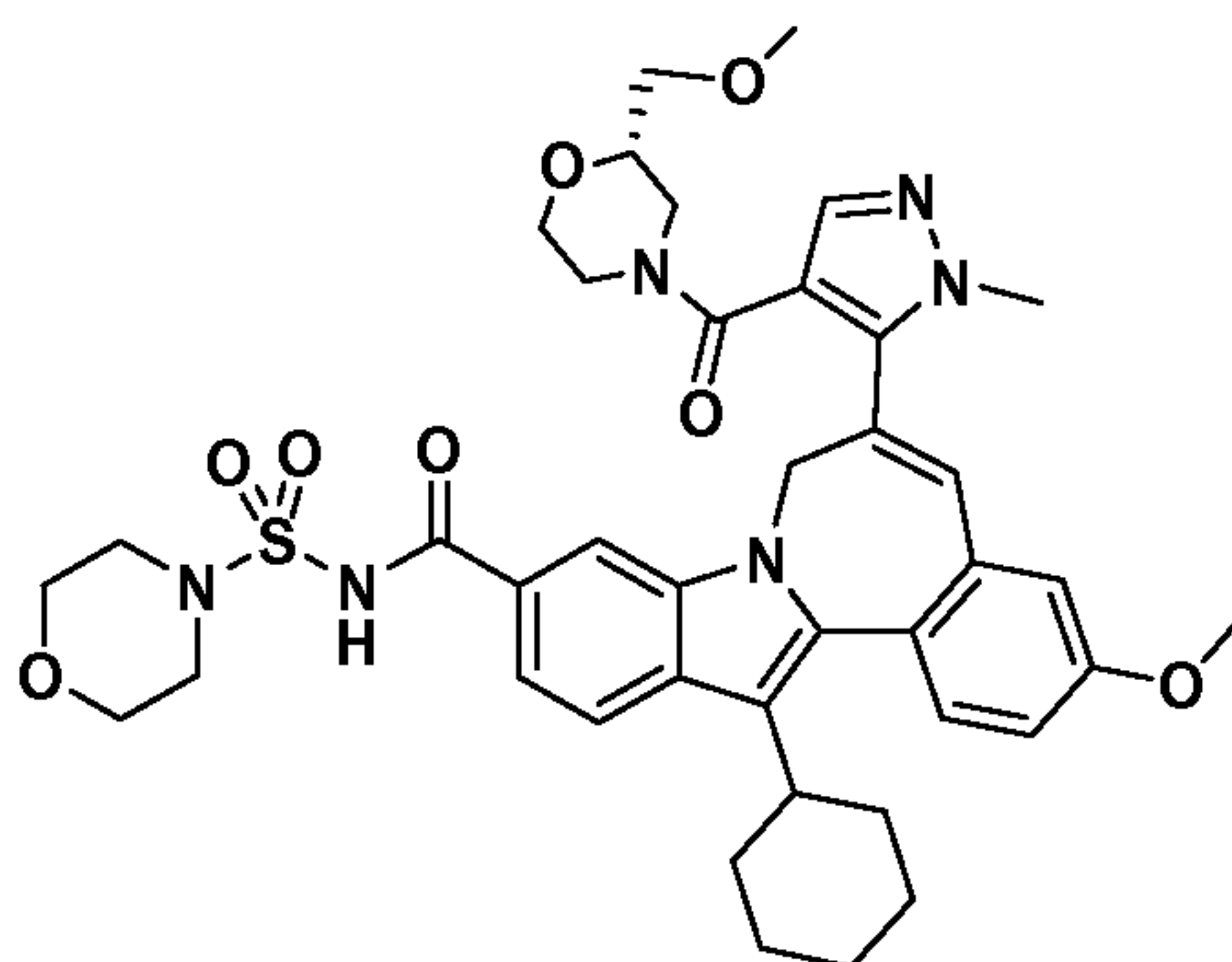
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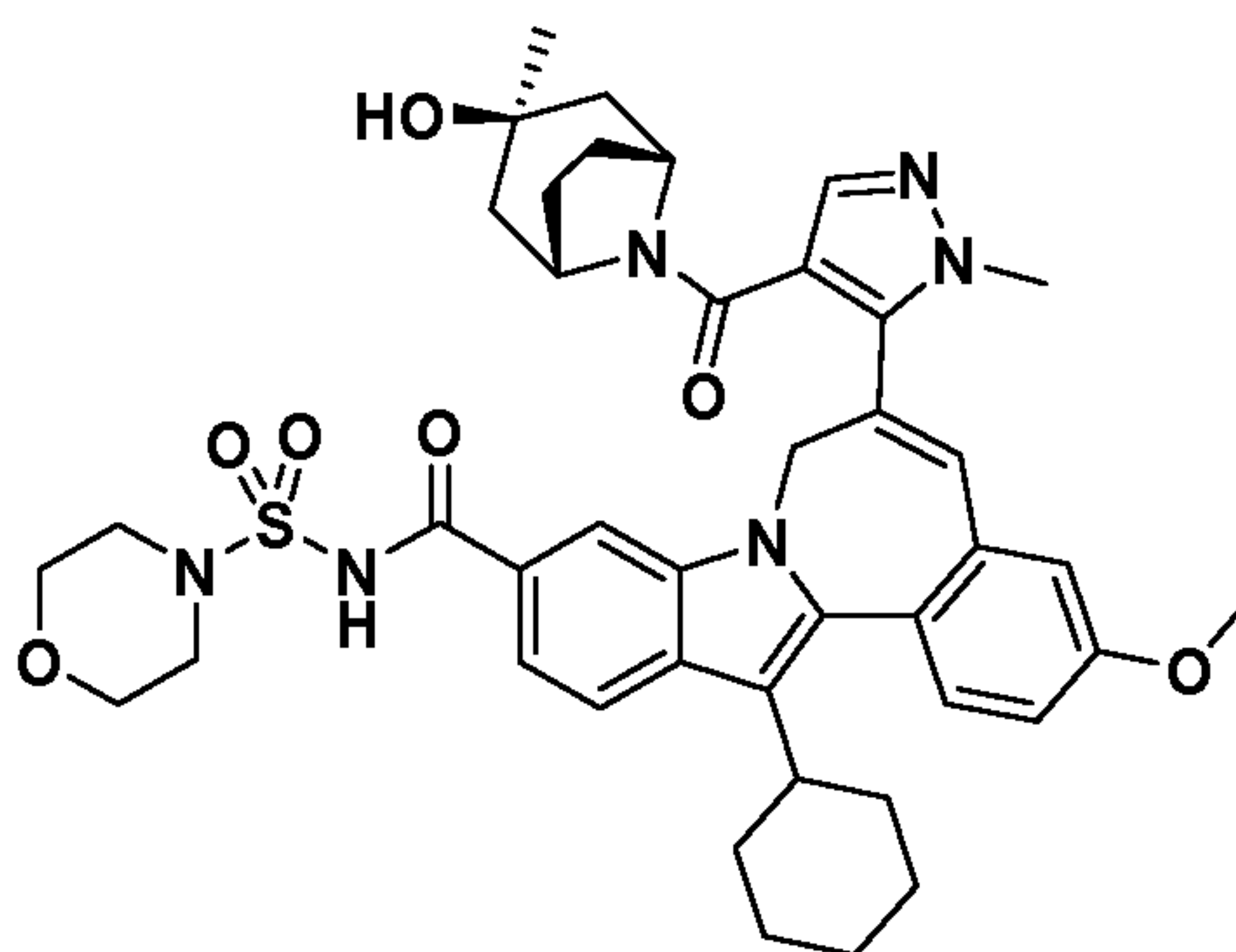
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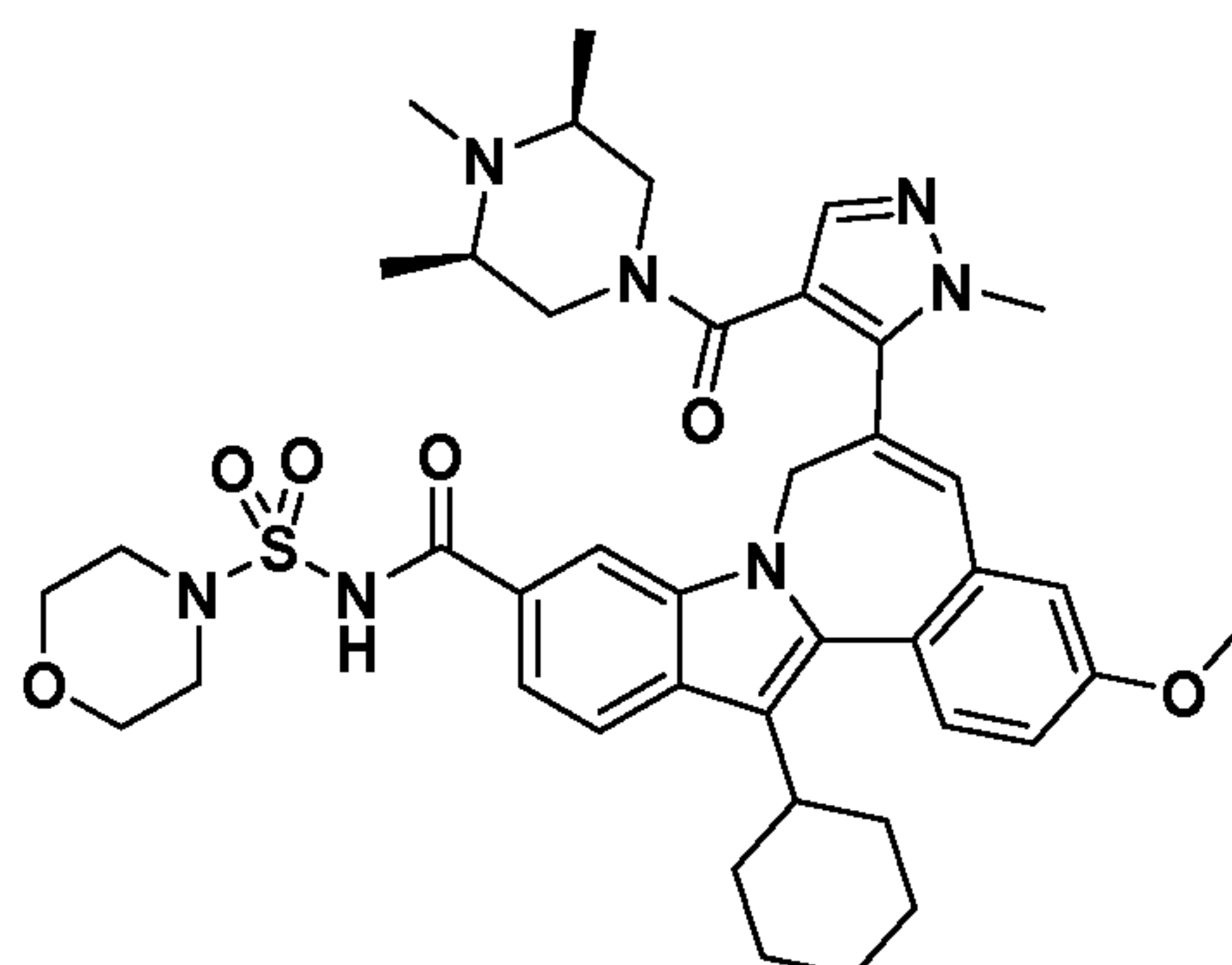
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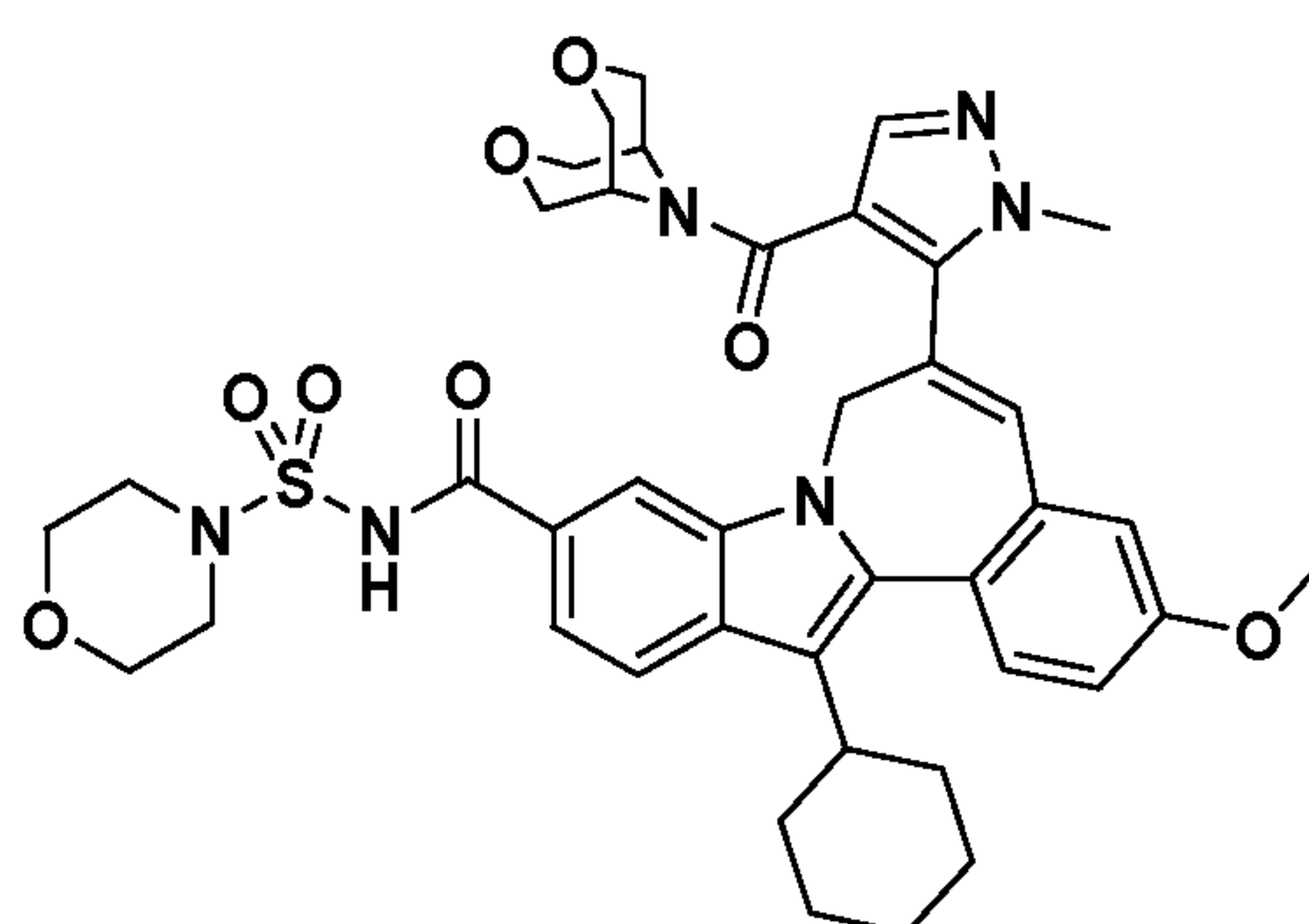


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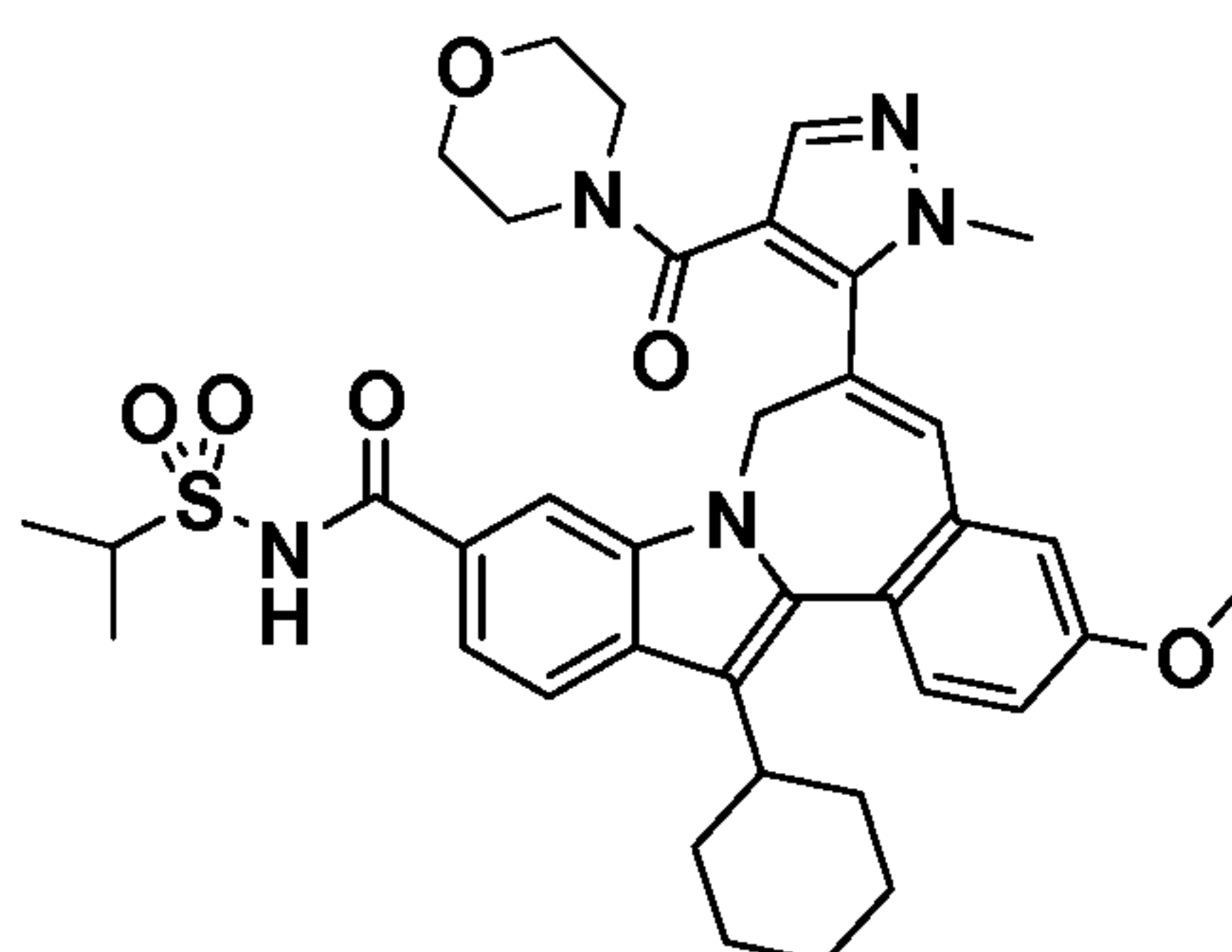
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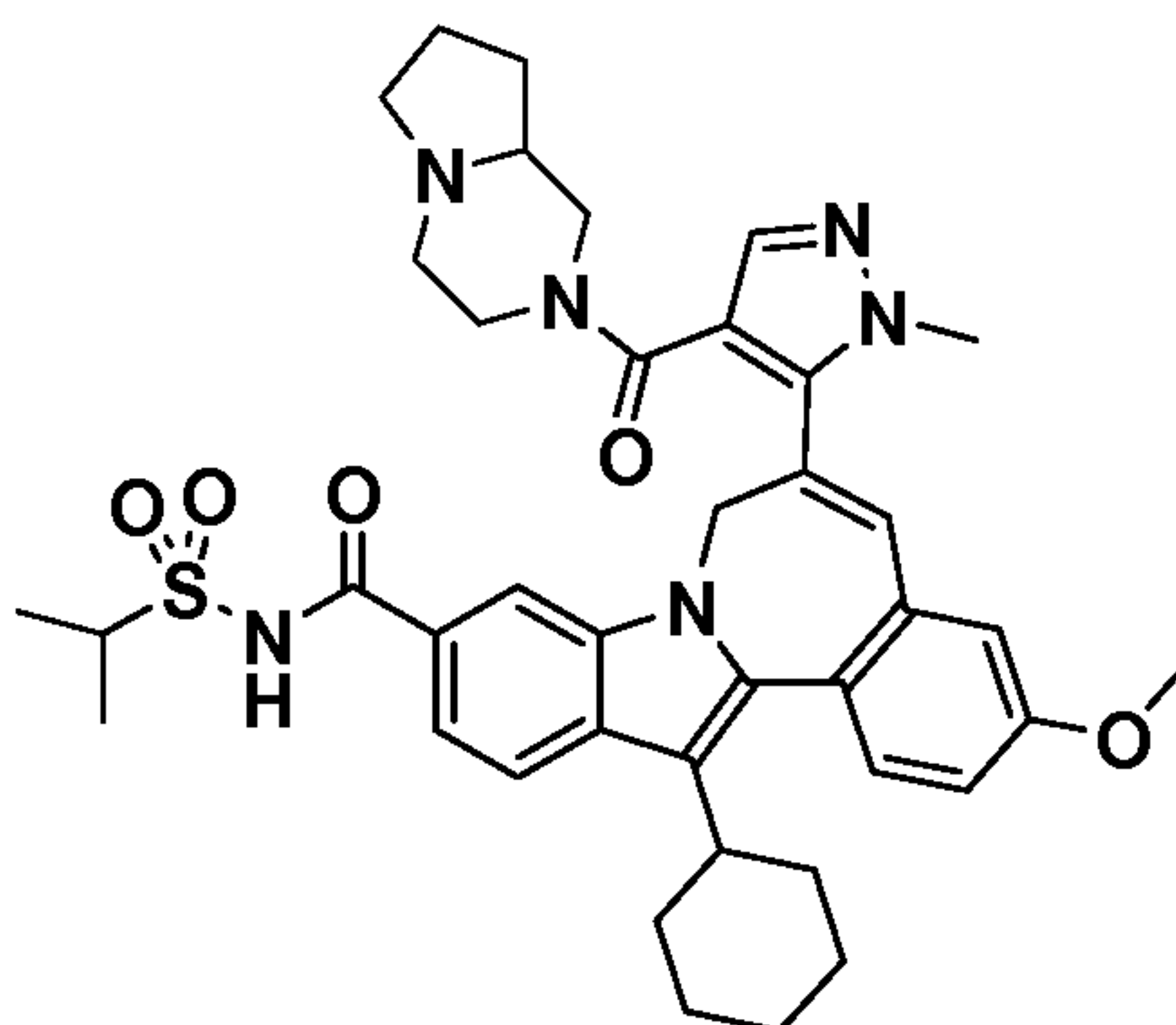
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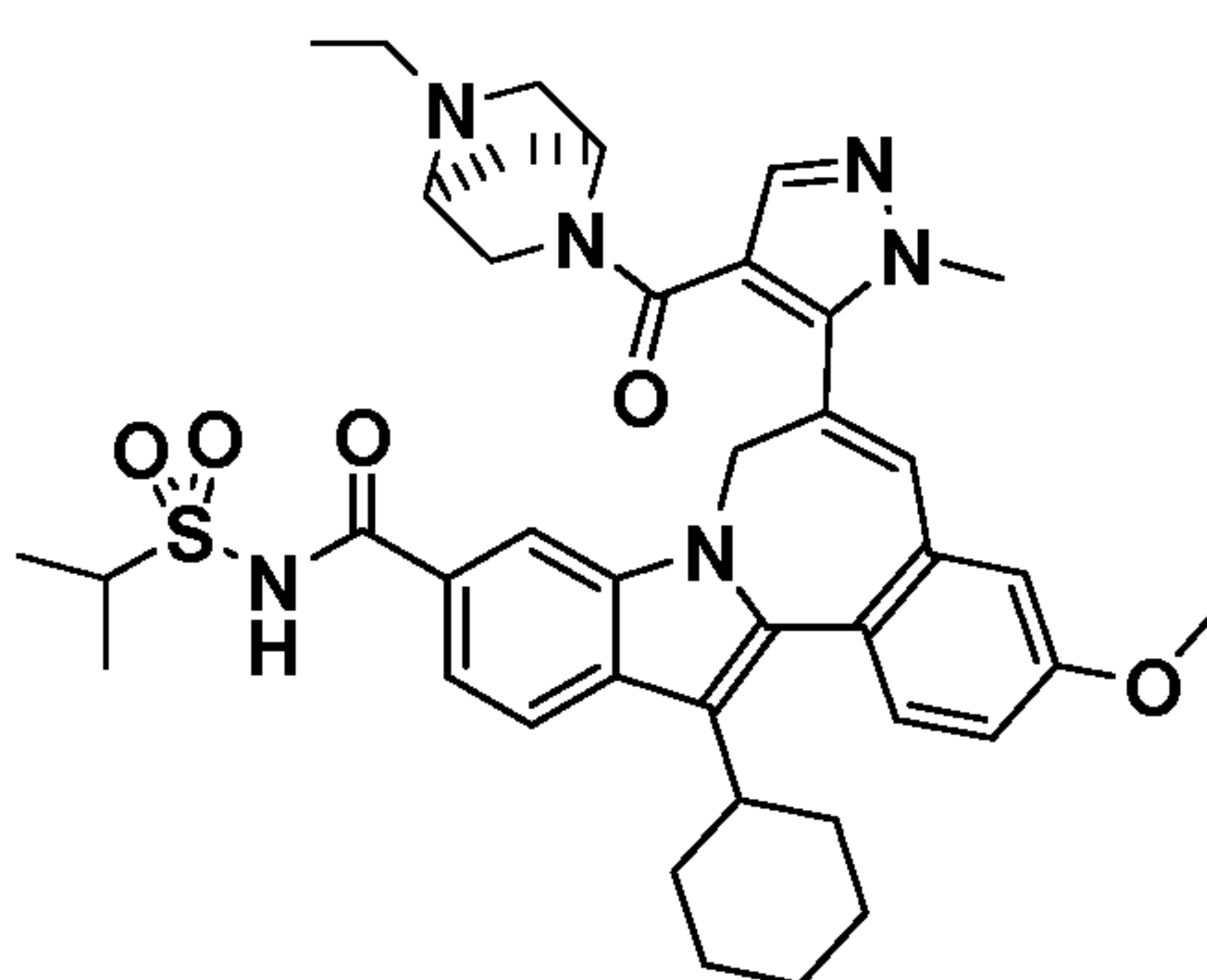
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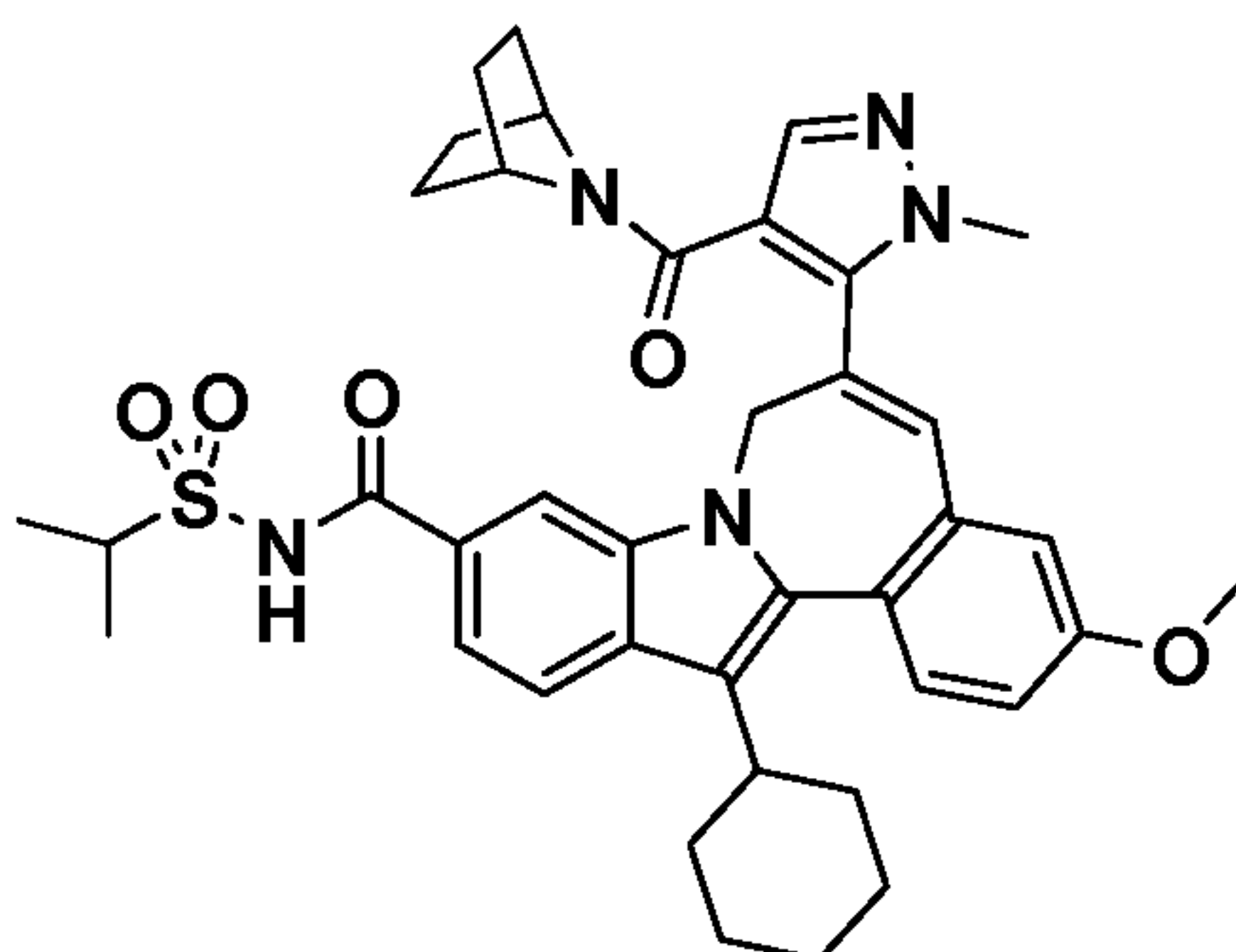
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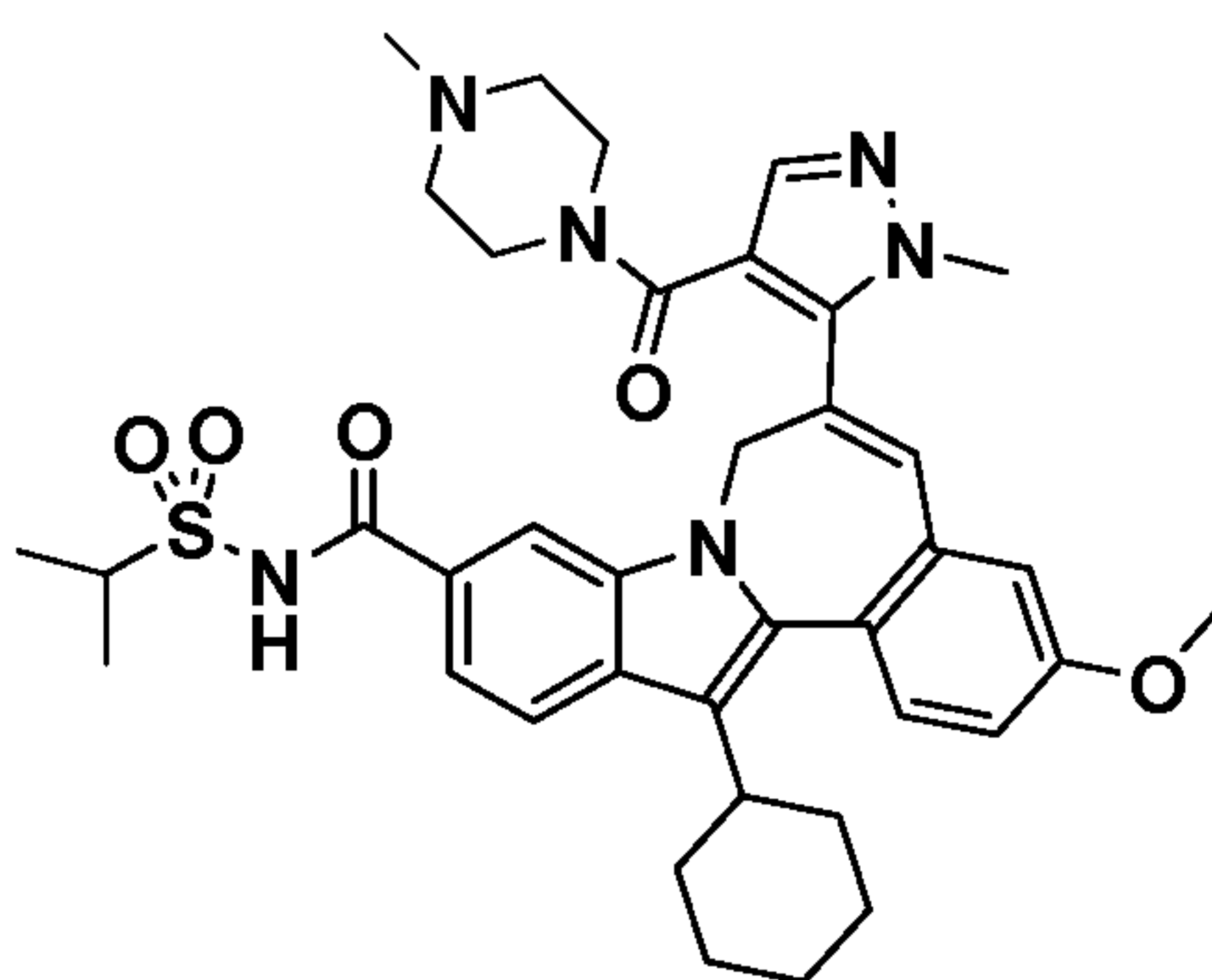


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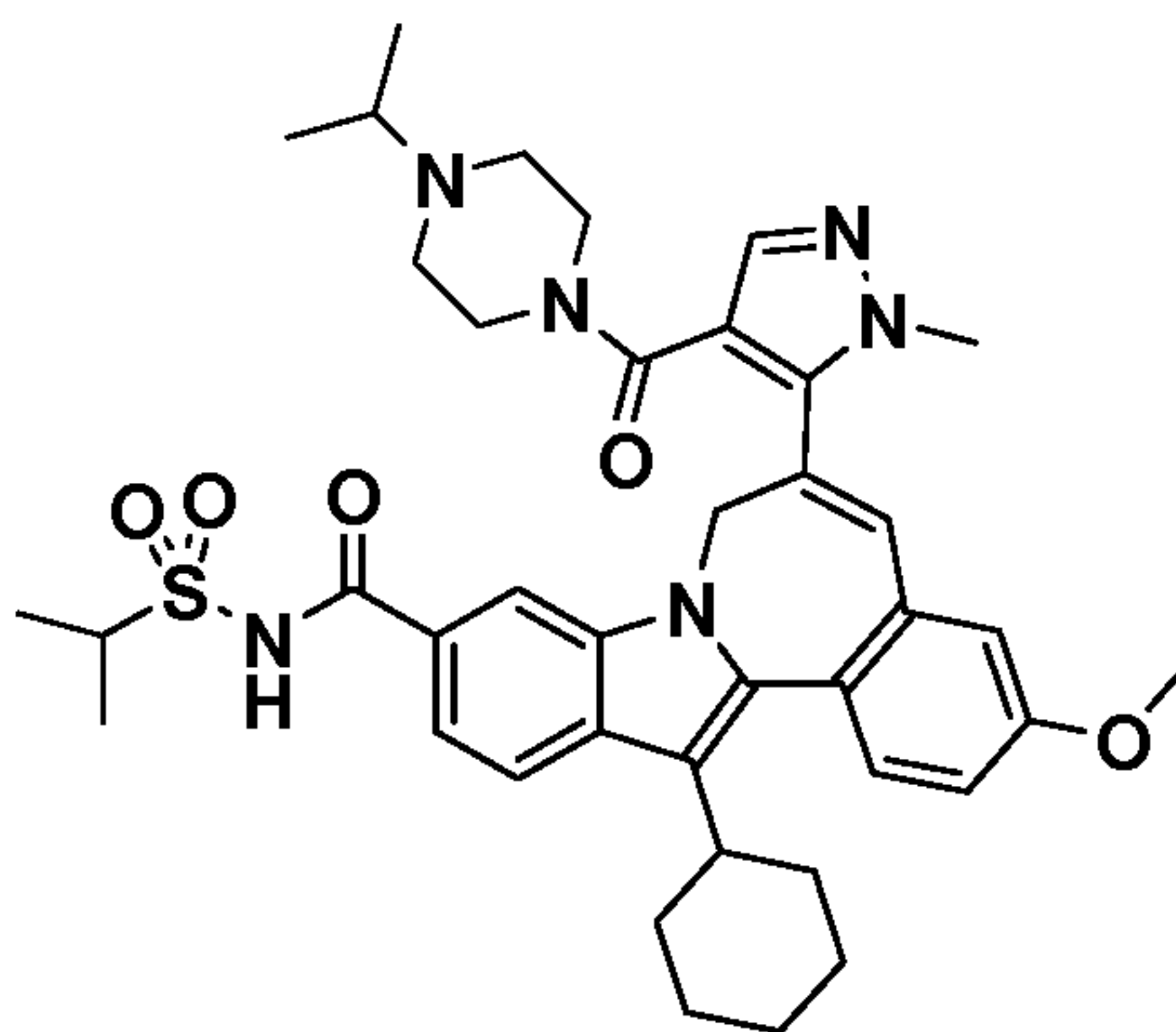
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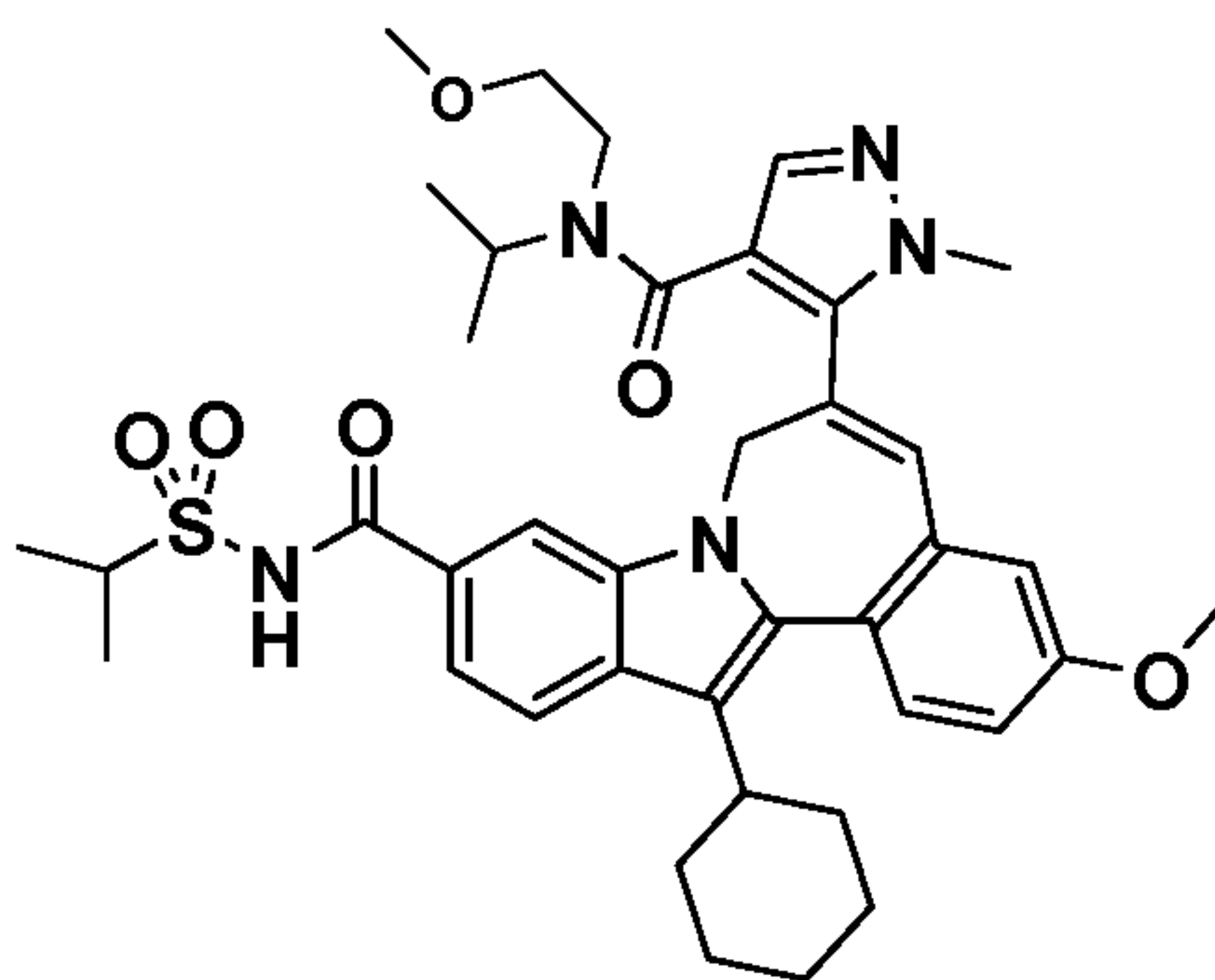


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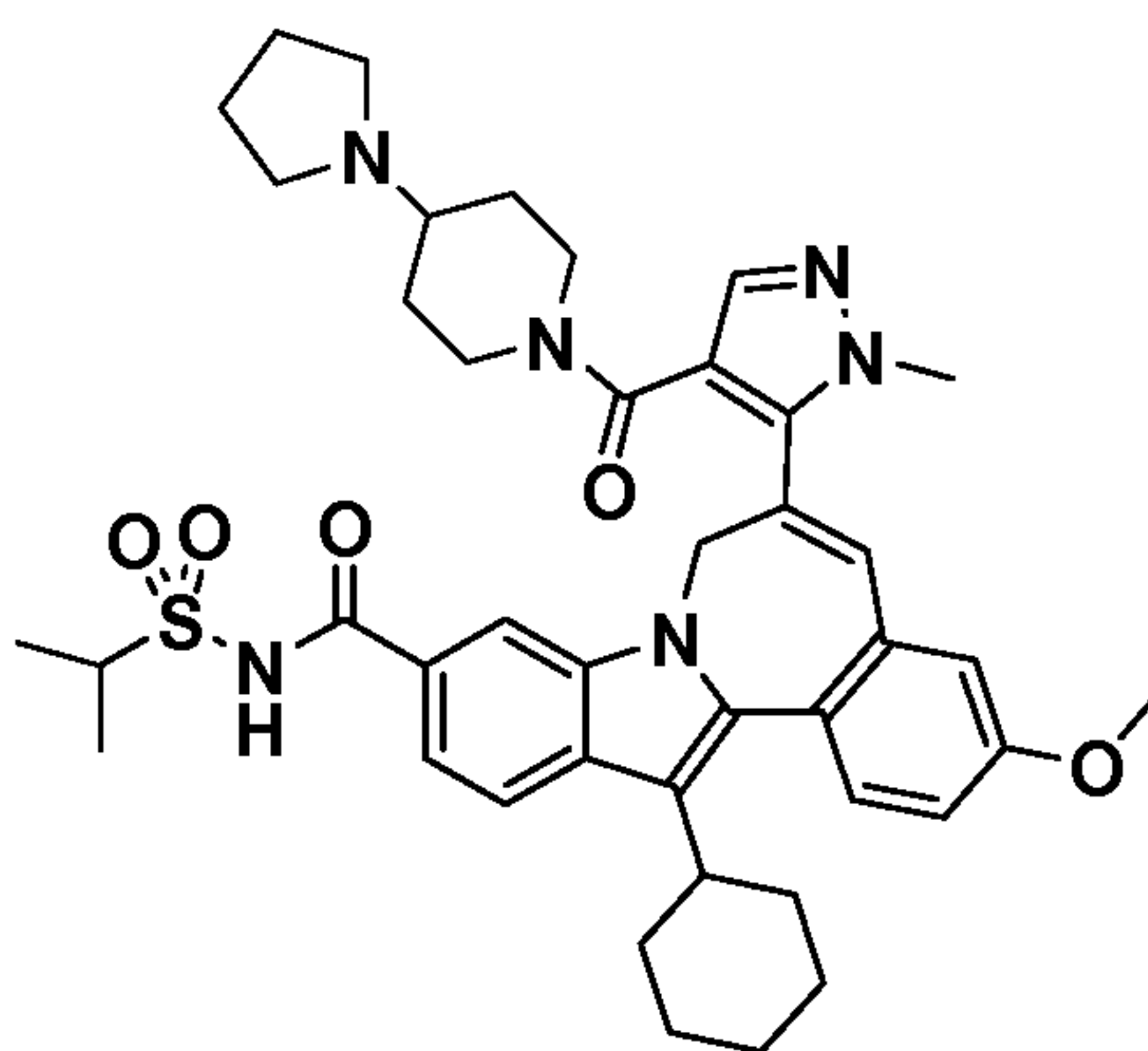
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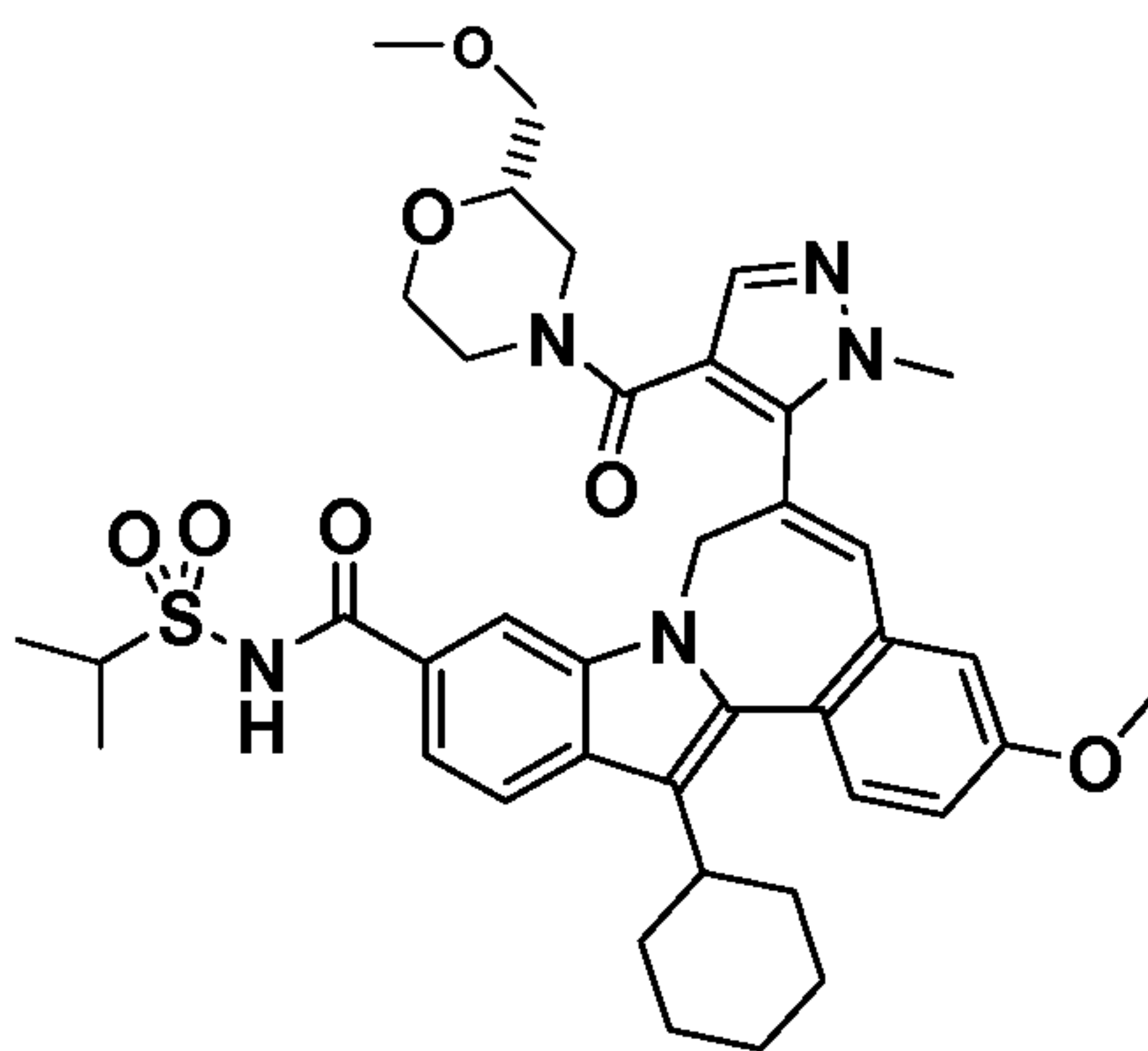
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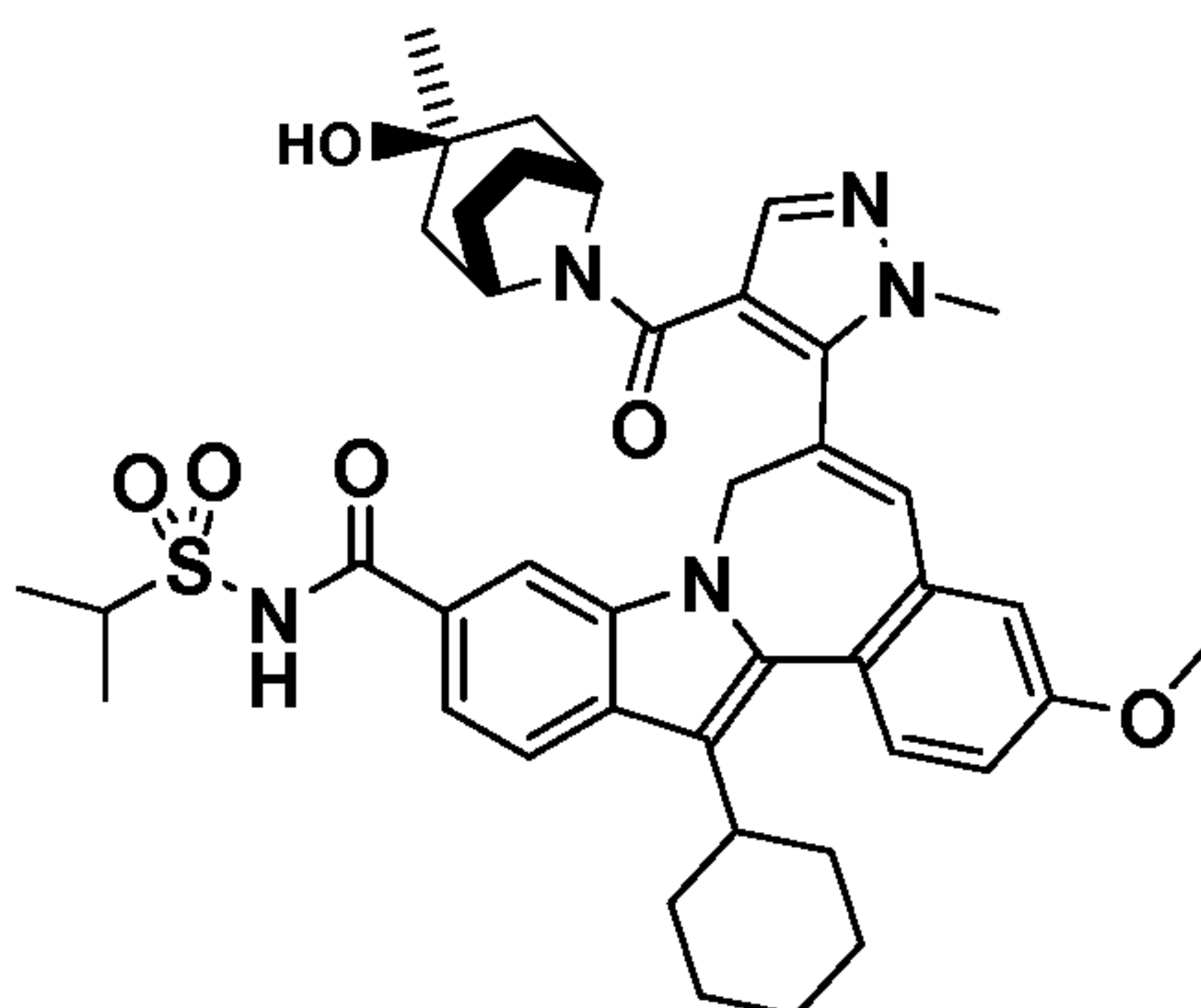


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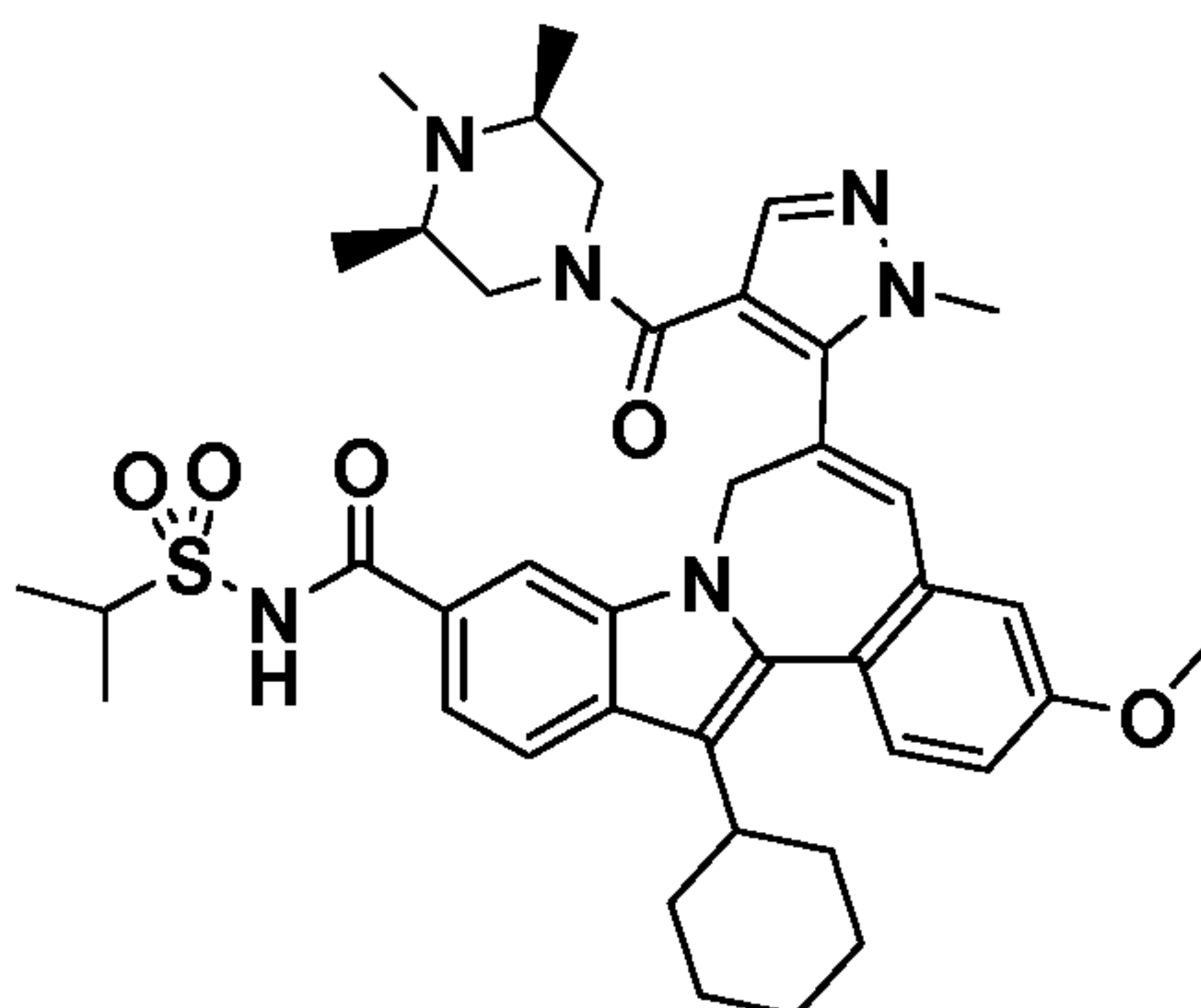
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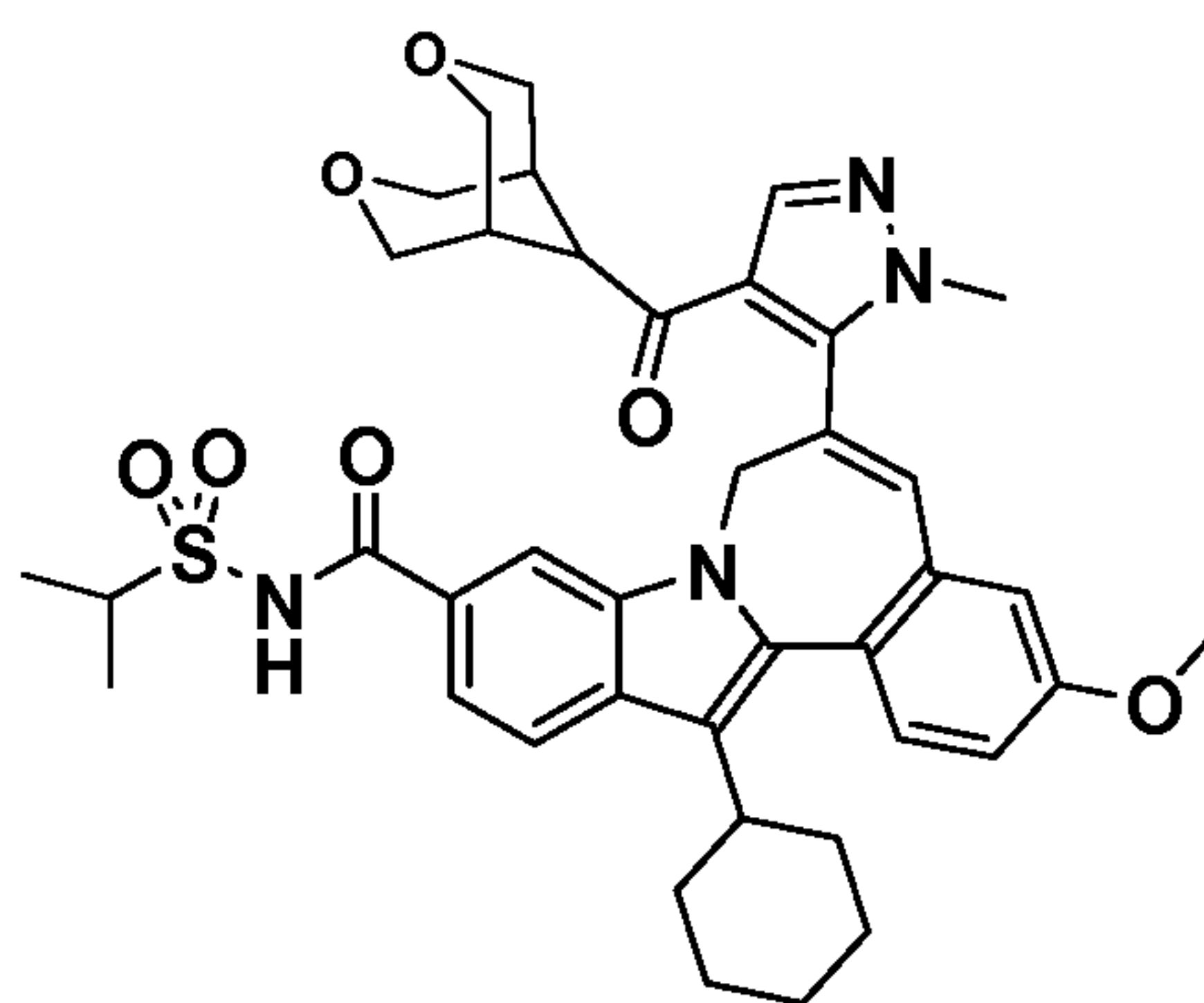


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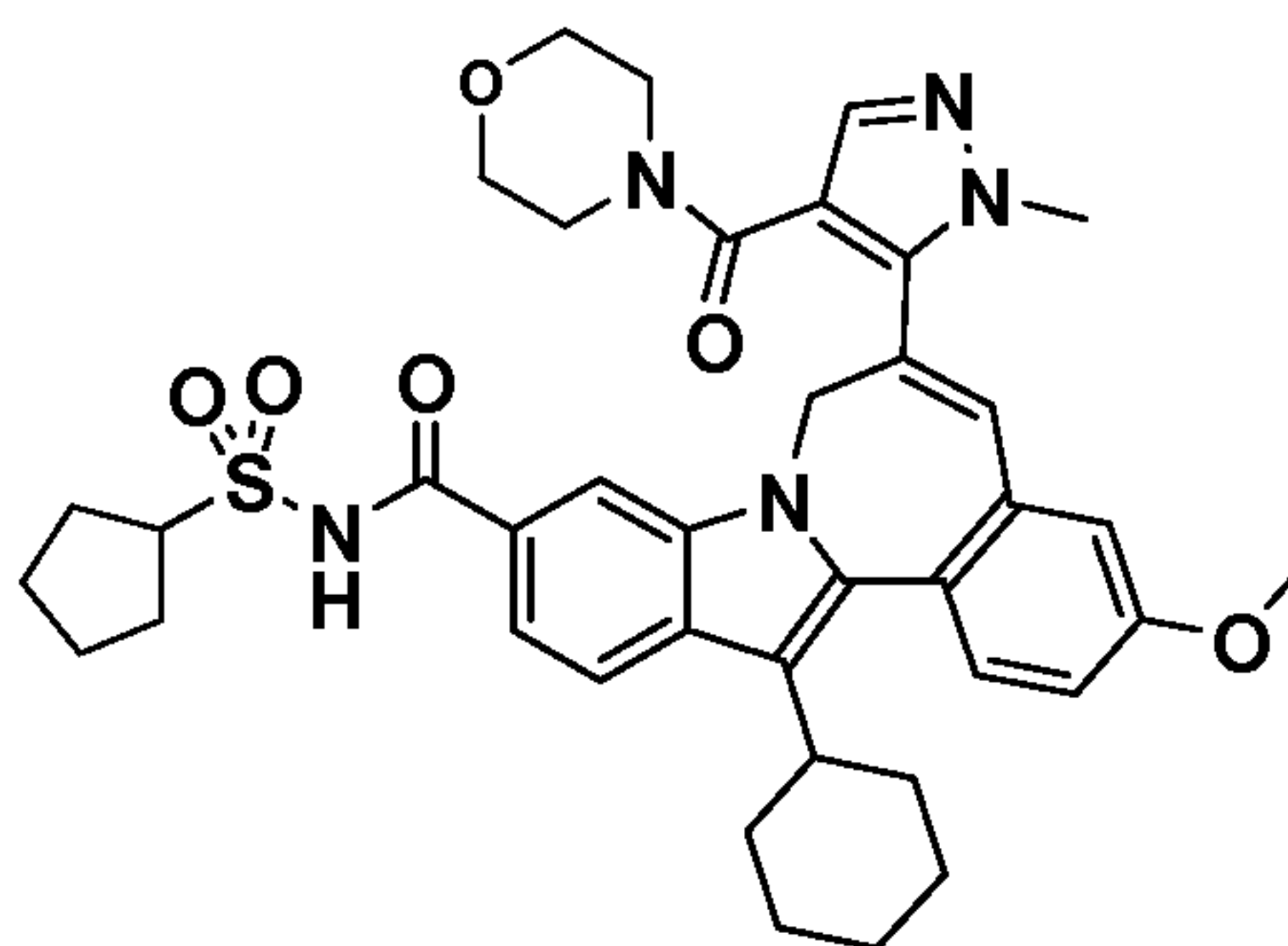
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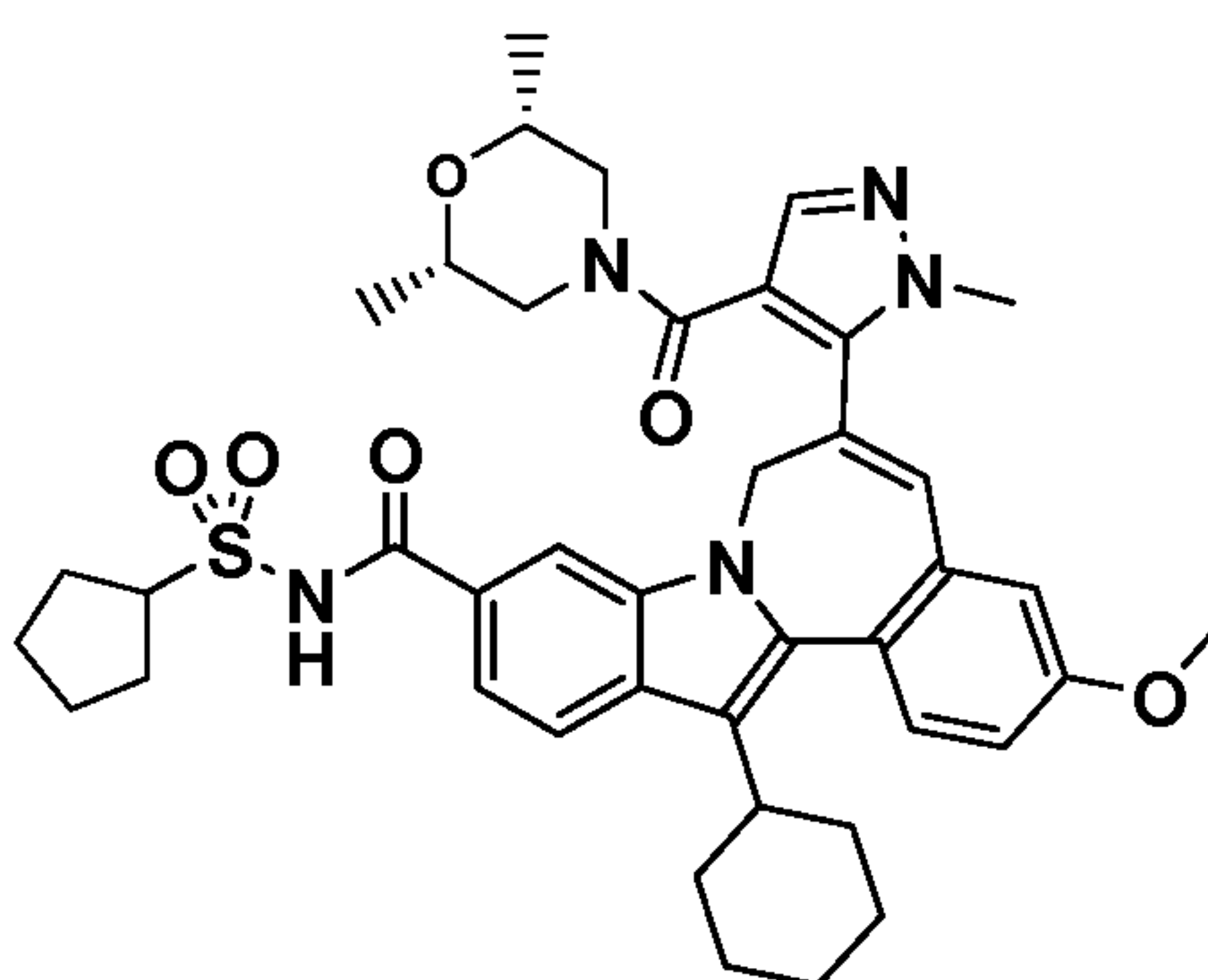
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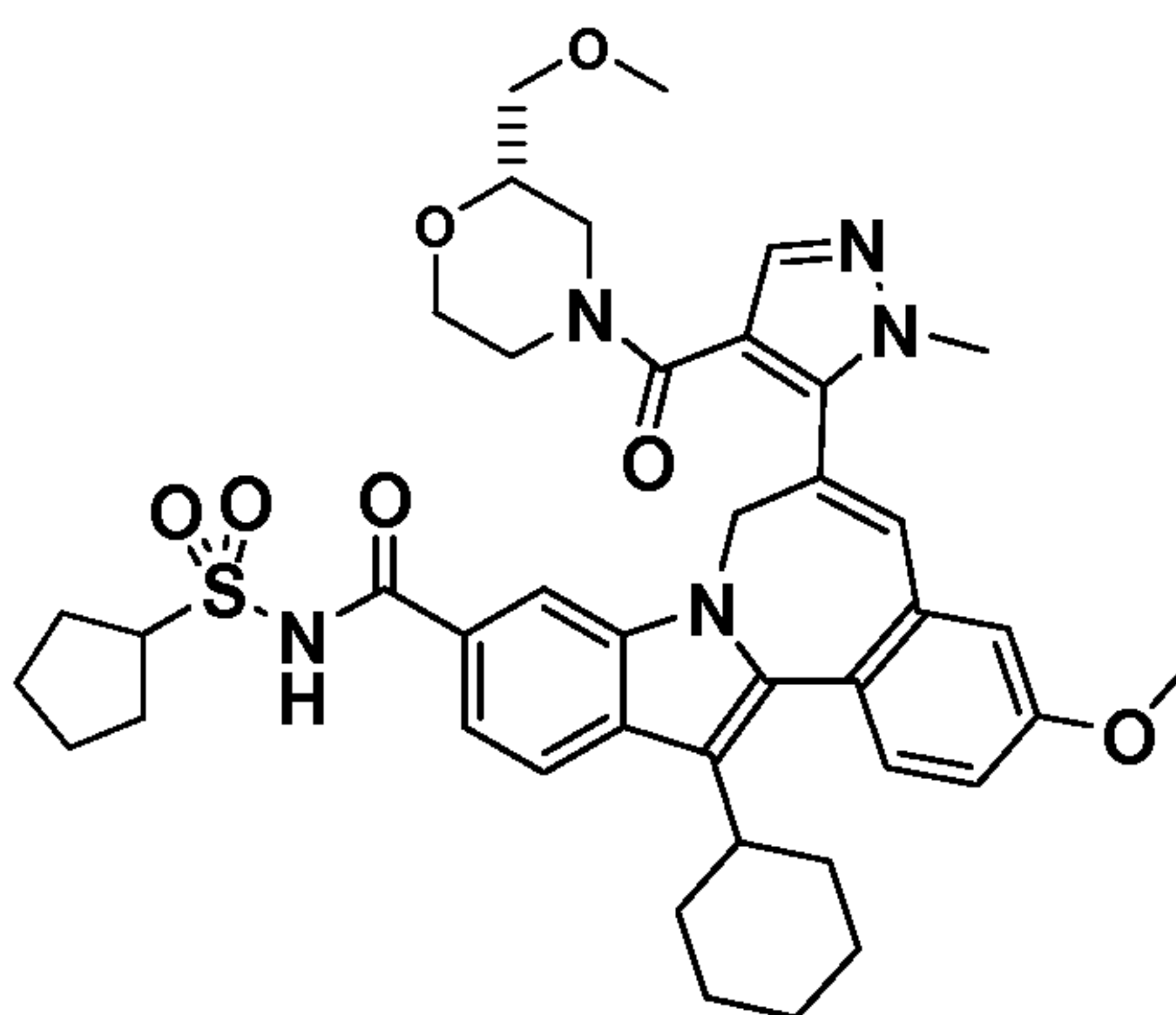


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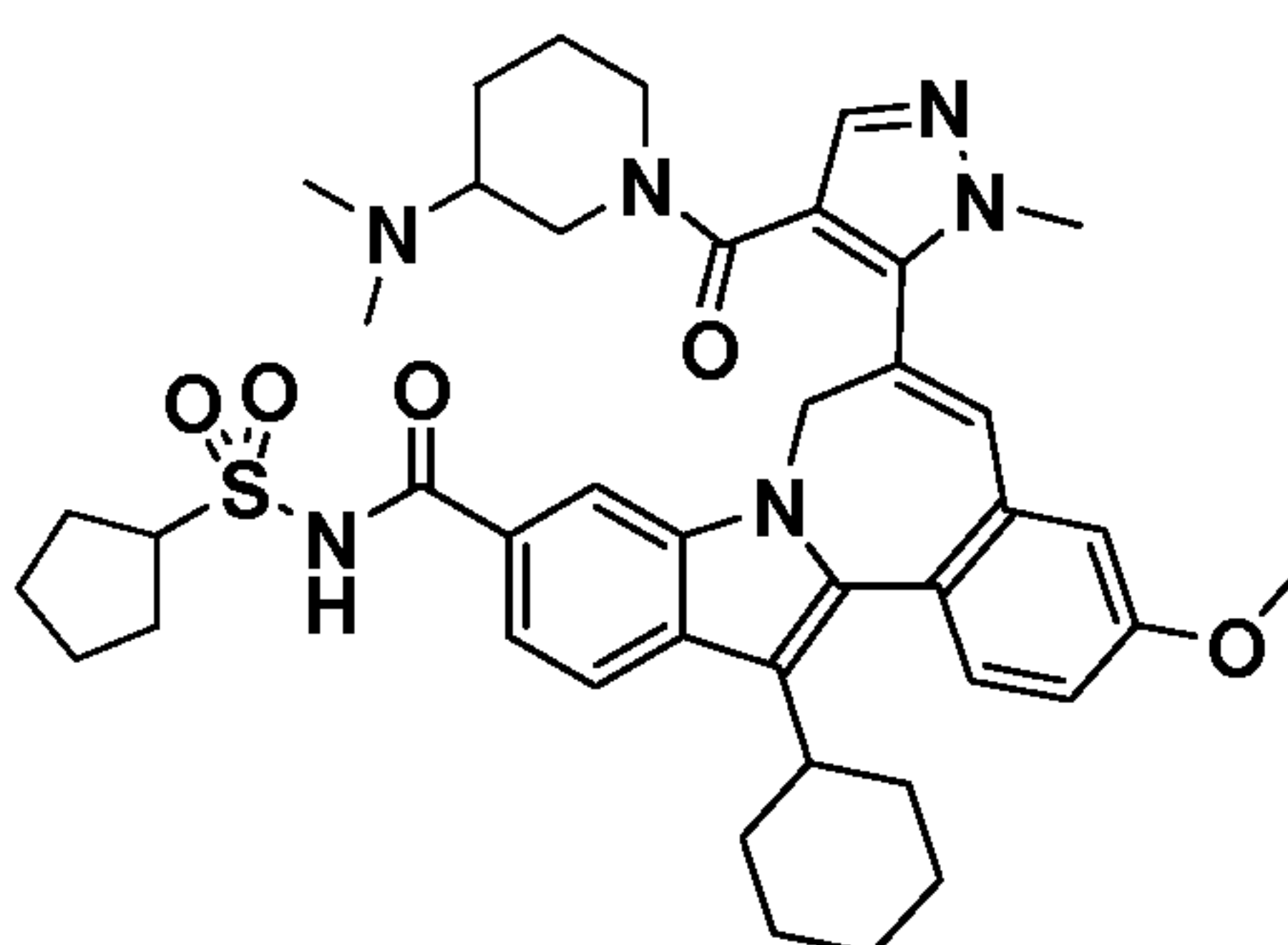
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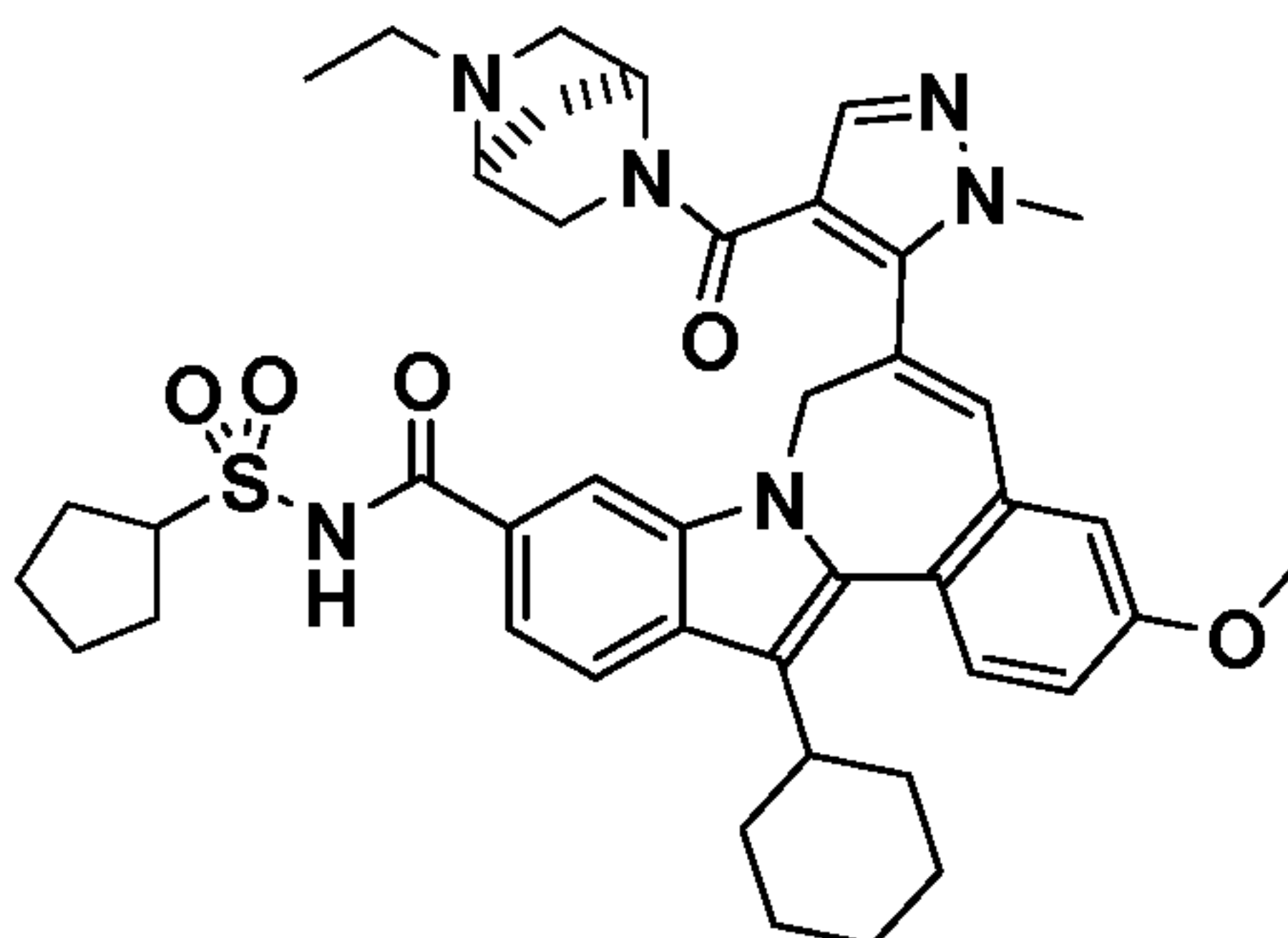
- 5 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-6-[4-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-: LCMS: m/e 740 (M+H), ret time 2.84 min (method 1).*



- 10 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-[4-[(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-: LCMS: m/e 756 (M+H), ret time 2.79 min (method 1).*

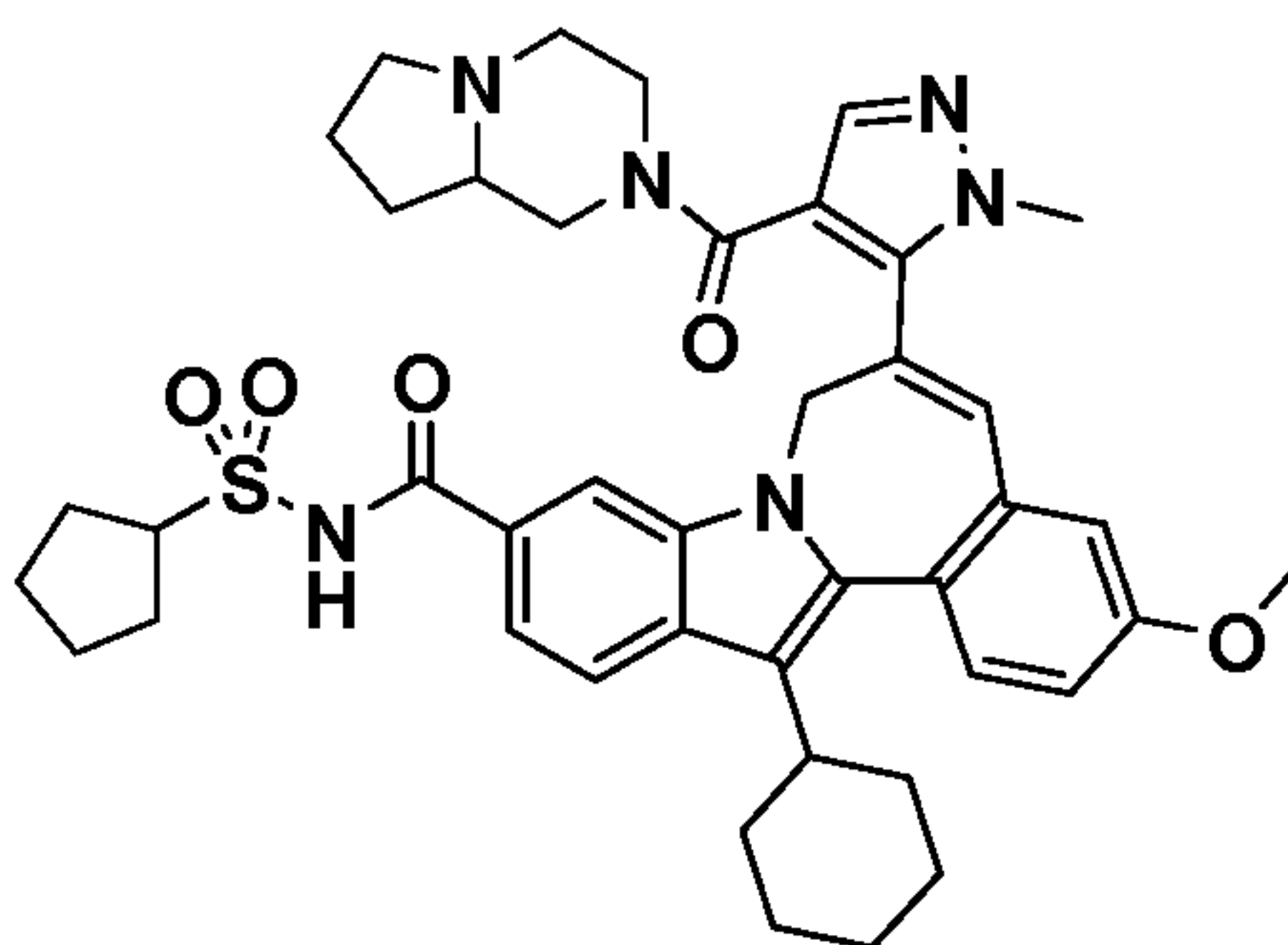


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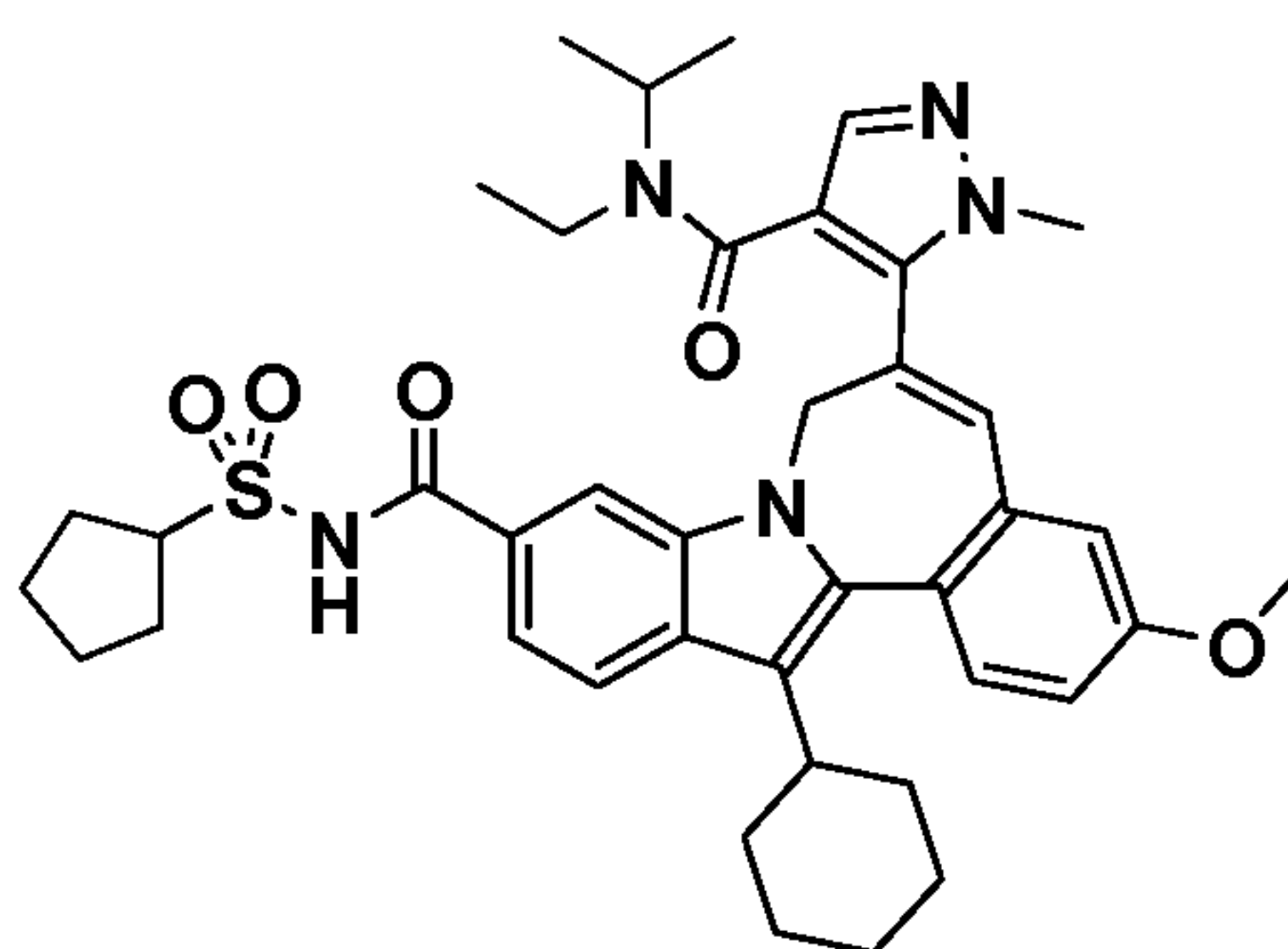


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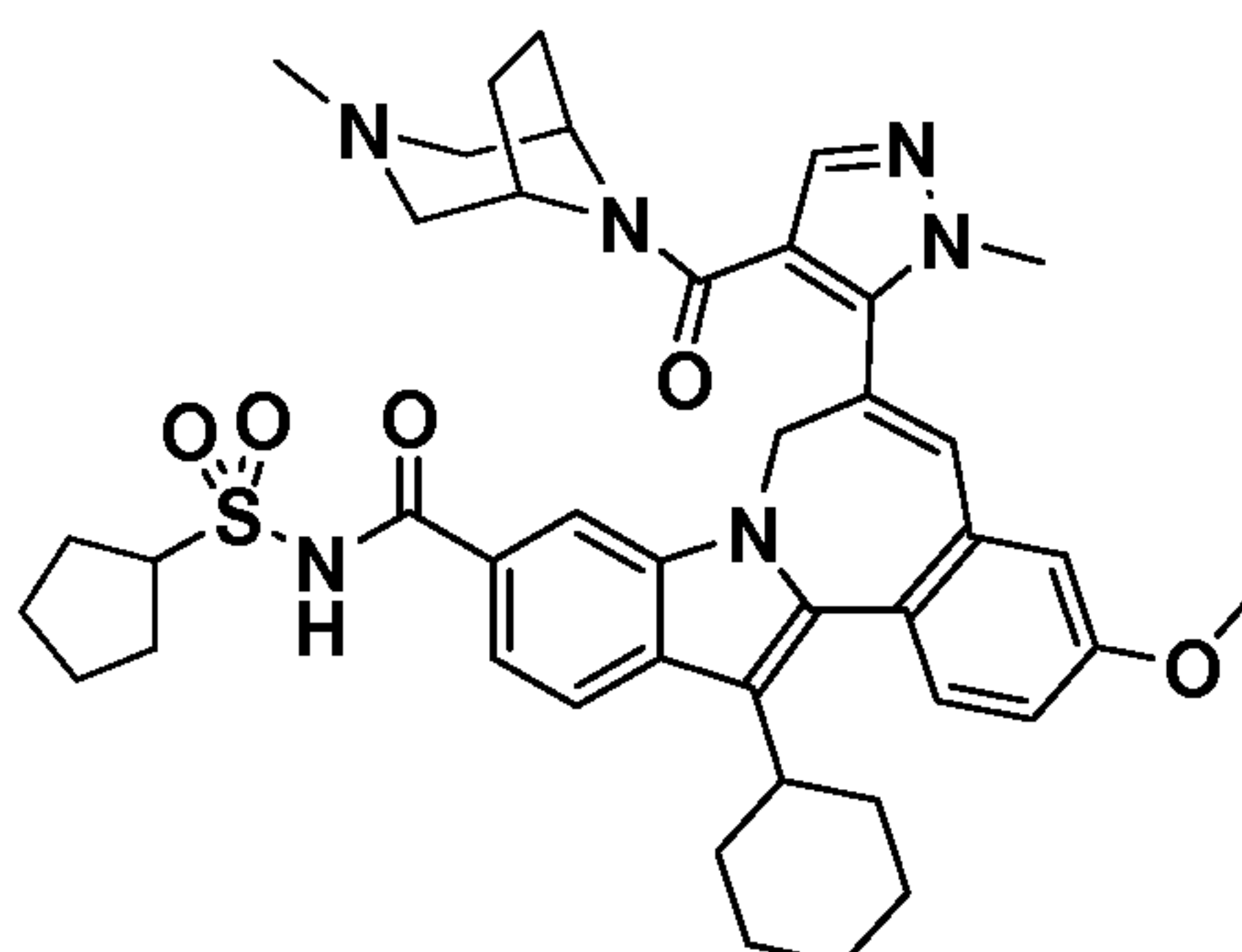
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 10 *time 2.51 min (method 1).*



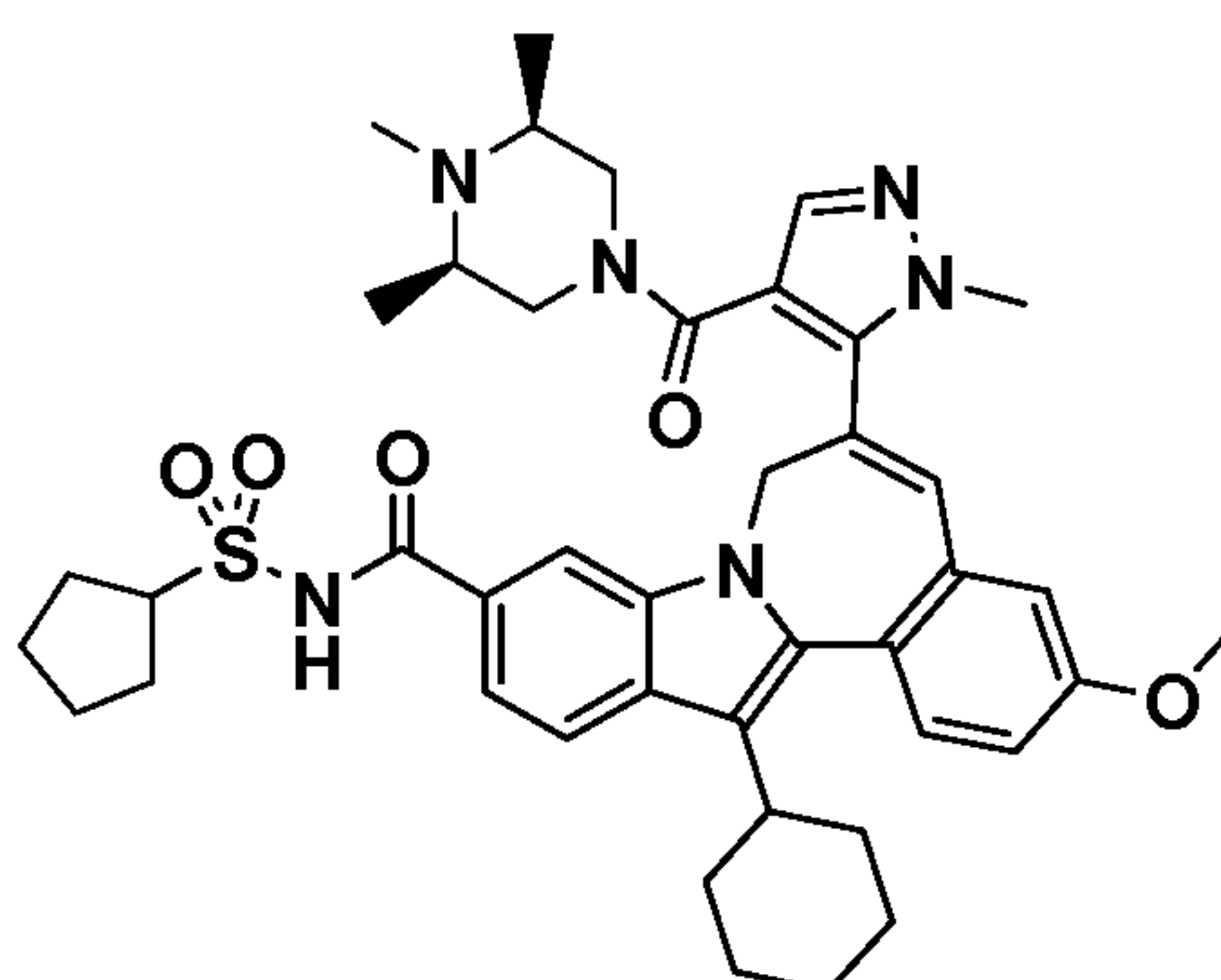
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 15 *(method 1).*



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-6-[4-[[ethyl(1-methylethyl)amino]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-: LCMS: m/e 712 (M+H), ret time 2.45 min (method 1).

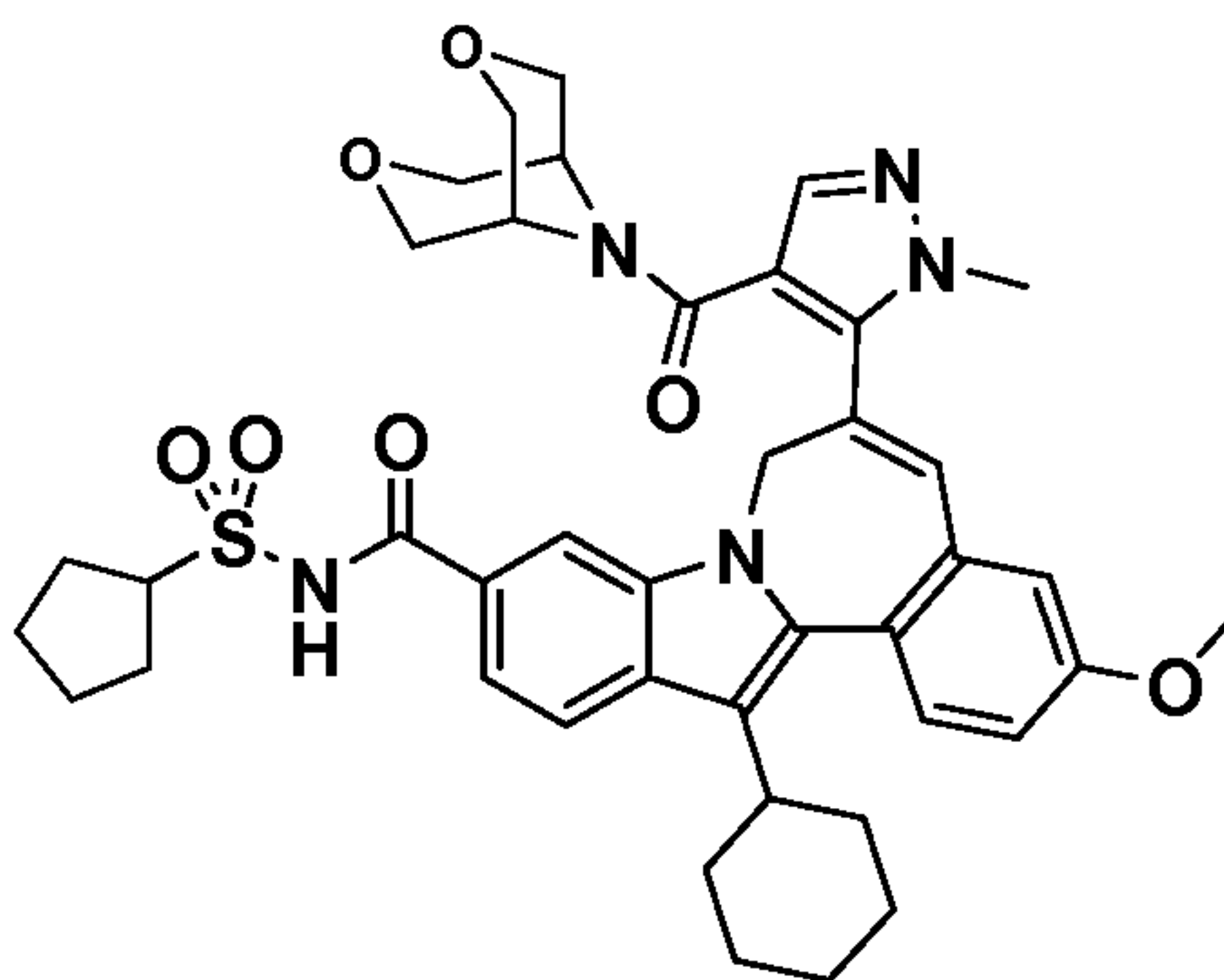


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-: LCMS: m/e 751 (M+H), ret time 2.36 min (method 1).



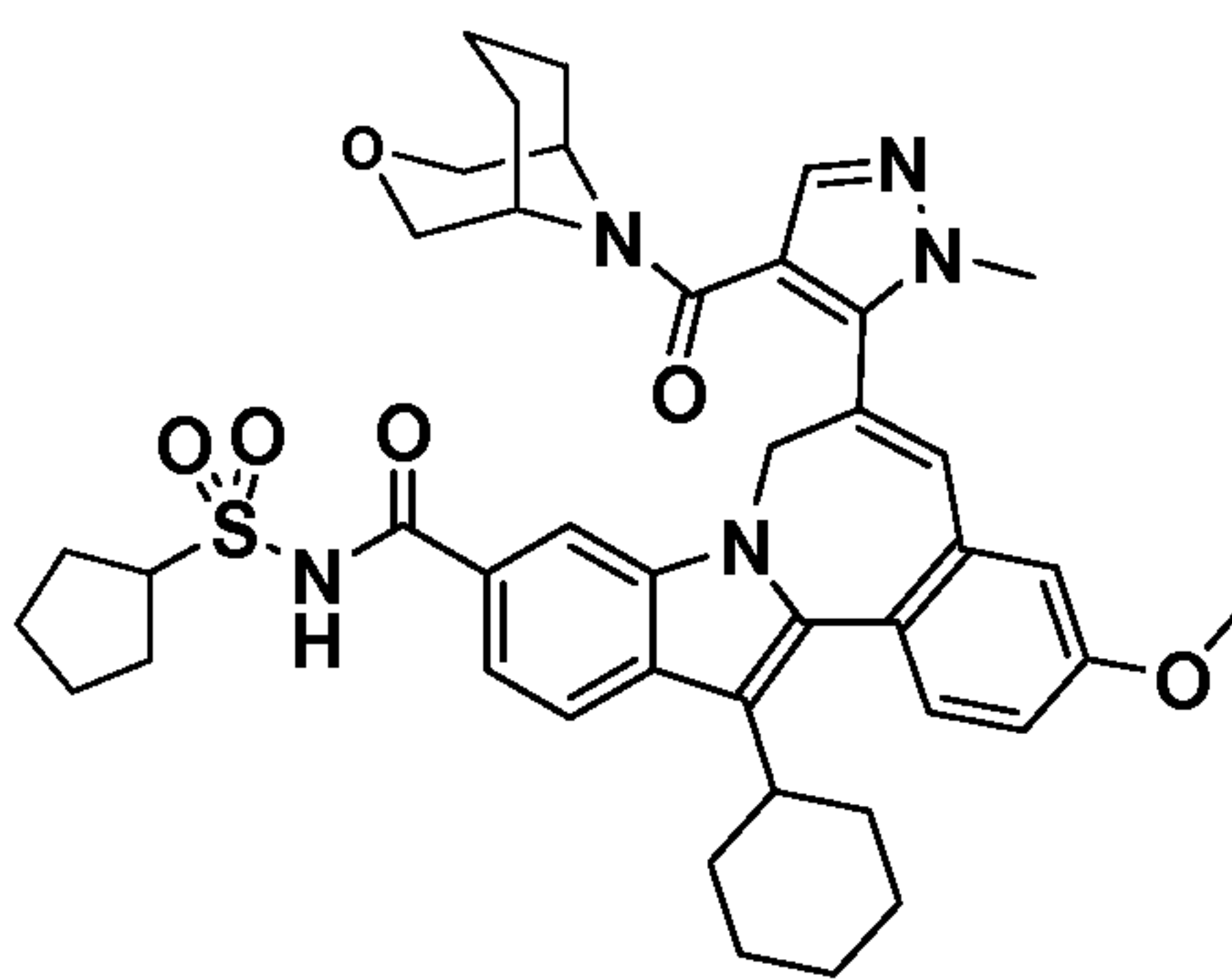
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-6-[4-(3,7-dioxo-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-: LCMS: m/e 754 (M+H), ret time 2.87 min (method 1).

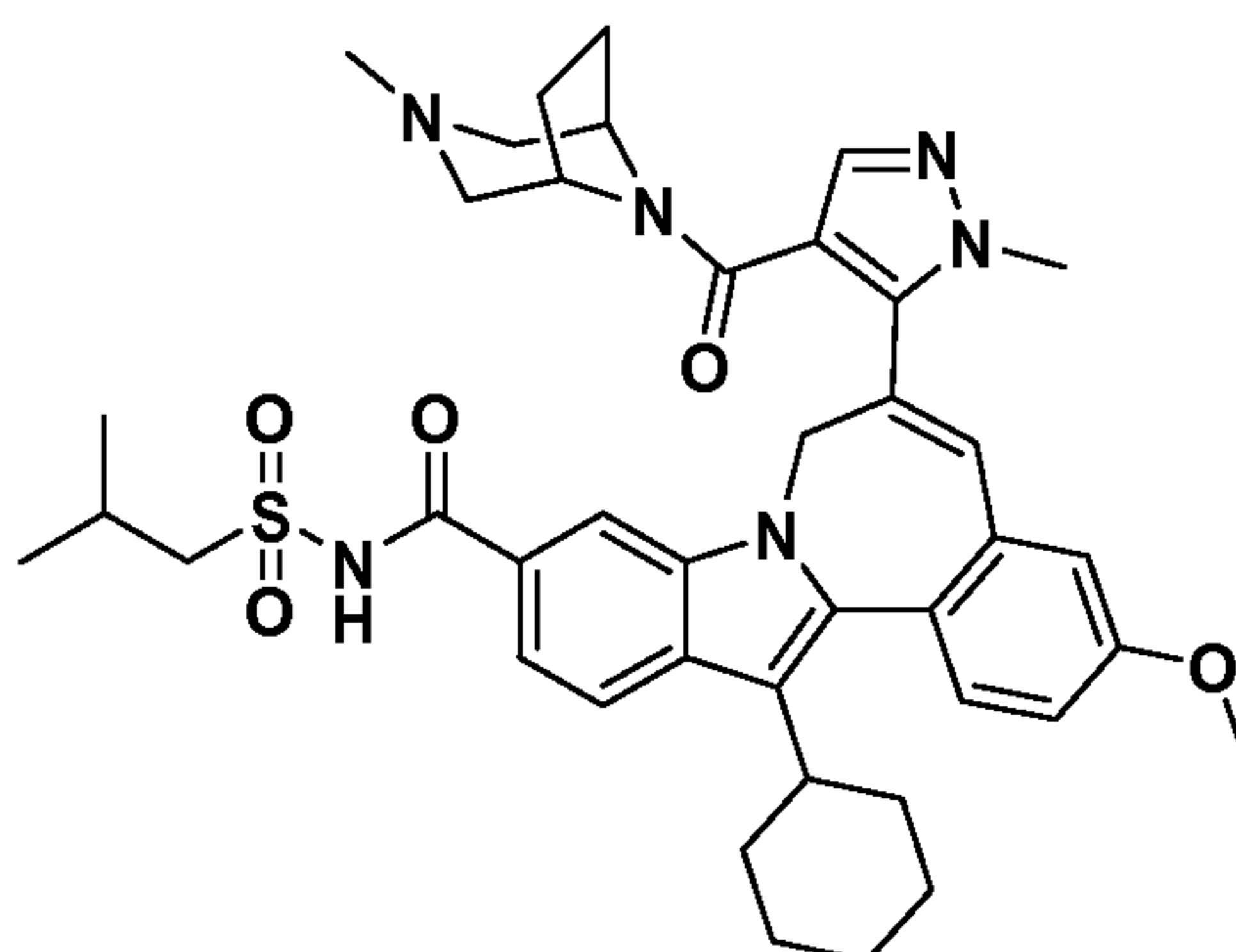
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(3-oxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-: LCMS: m/e 752 (M+H), ret time 2.92 min (method 1).

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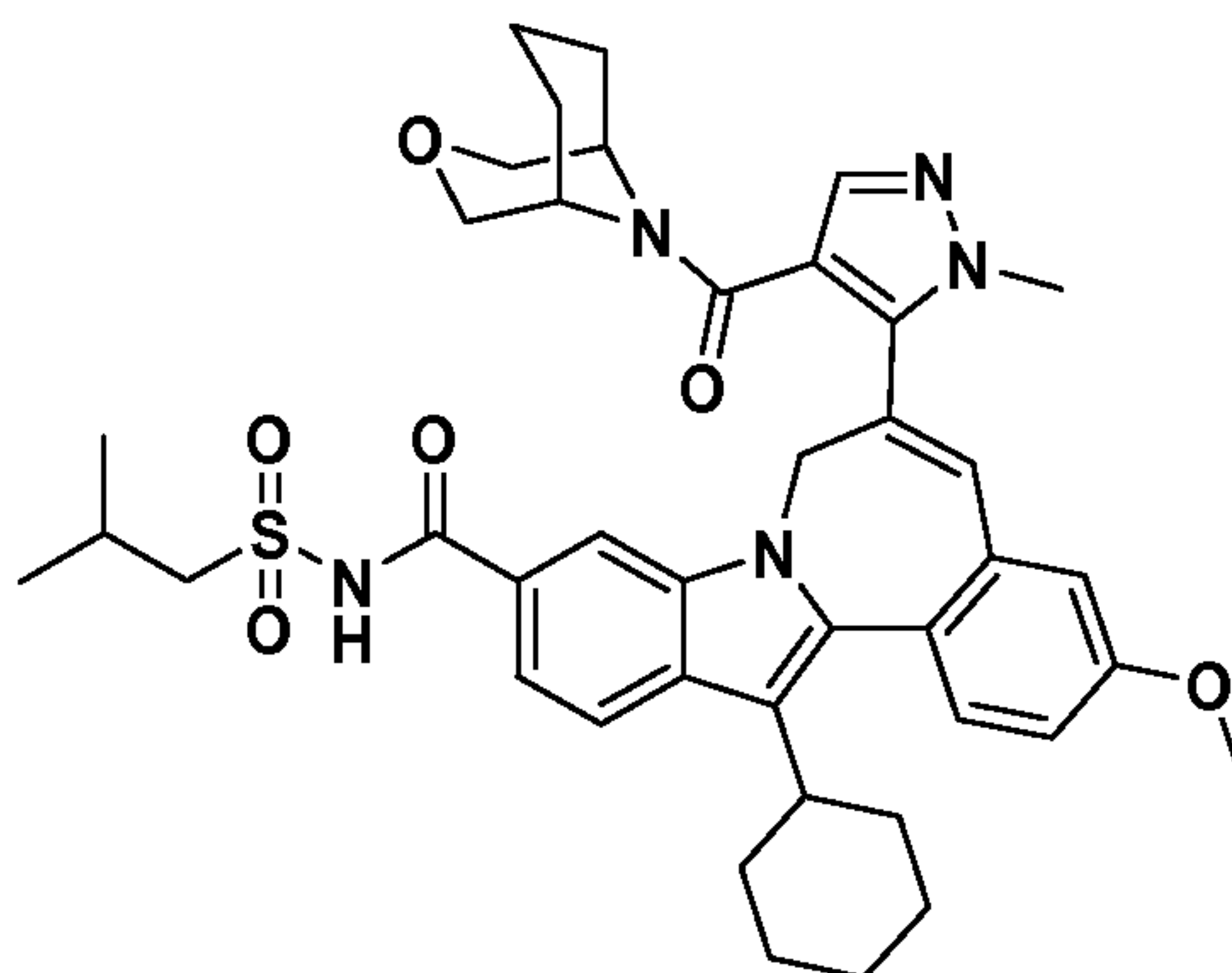
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6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-
5 yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-

To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-
yl]-1-methyl- (30 mg, 0.048 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (22.91 mg, 0.071
mmol) and DIPEA (0.042 mL, 0.238 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was
10 stirred at RT for 15 min. 3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]octane, 2HCl (14.21 mg,
0.071 mmol) was then added and the solution was stirred at RT overnight. The
reaction mixture was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as
solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were combined and concentrated to afford
the title compound as a brown colored solid, (36.3 mg, 0.043 mmol, 89 % yield).

15 MS m/z 739(MH⁺), Retention time: 2.070 min.(basic)

¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.12 (d, *J*=6.71 Hz, 6 H) 1.18 - 2.19 (m,
14 H) 2.24 - 2.37 (m, 1 H) 2.75 (s, 3 H) 2.81 - 3.28 (m, 7 H) 3.45 - 3.52 (m, 2 H) 3.63
- 3.83 (s, br, 3 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.61 (d, *J*=14.65 Hz, 1 H) 4.90 - 4.94 (m, 1 H) 7.07 -
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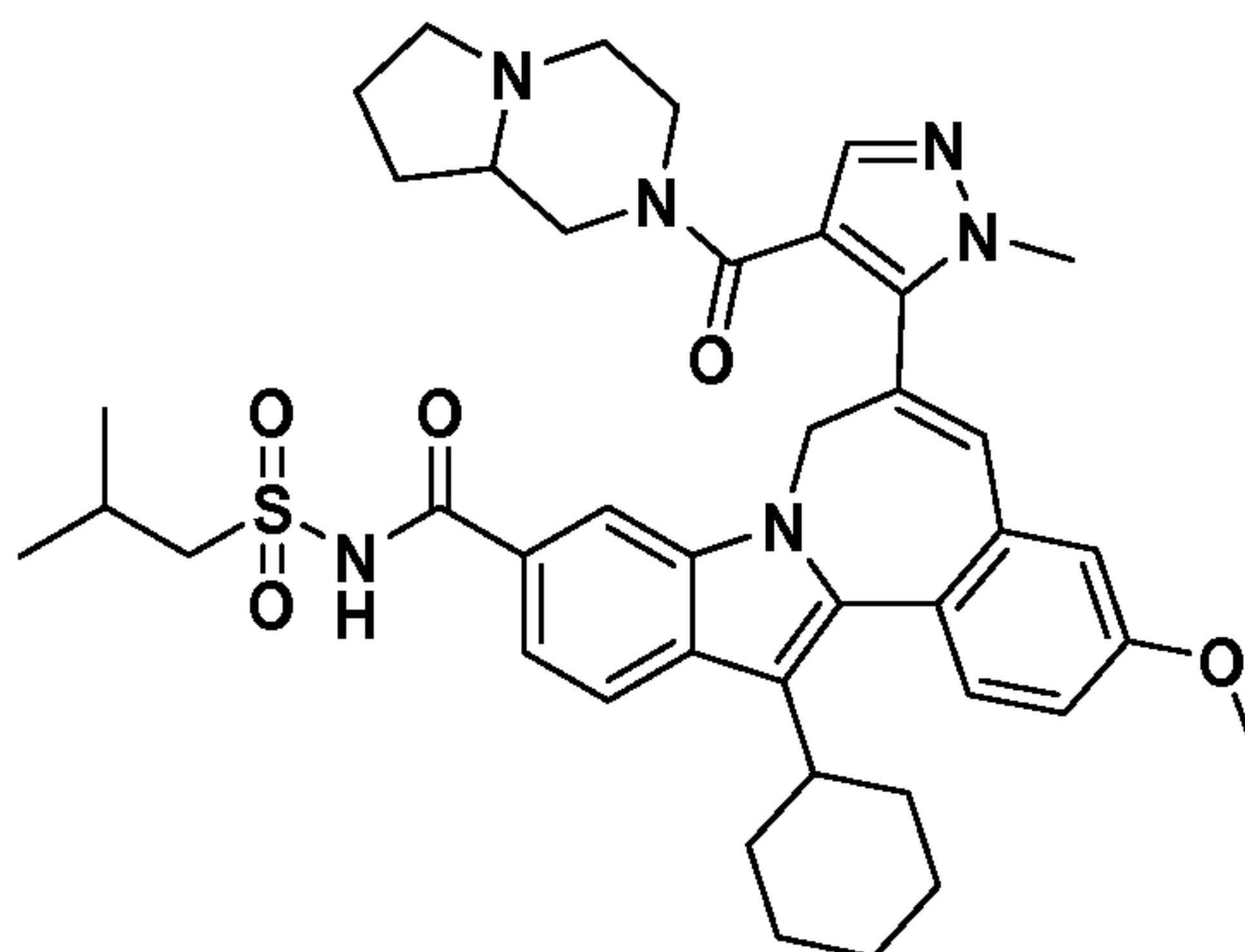


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
6-[1-methyl-4-(3-oxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-
5 methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-

To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-
yl]-1-methyl- (30 mg, 0.048 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (22.91 mg, 0.071
mmol) and DIPEA (0.042 mL, 0.238 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was
10 stirred at RT for 15 min. 3-oxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]nonane, HCl (11.67 mg, 0.071
mmol) was then added and the solution was stirred at RT overnight. The reaction
mixture was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent
system. Homogeneous fractions were combined and concentrated under vacuum.
The title compound was obtained as a brownish solid, (29.5 mg, 0.040 mmol, 84 %
15 yield).

MS m/z 738(M-H⁻), Retention time: 1.928 min.(basic)

¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.04 - 2.40 (m, 23 H) 2.72 - 3.05 (m, 3
H) 3.41 - 4.02 (m, 12 H) 4.61 - 4.69 (m, br, 1 H) 4.99 - 5.08 (m, br, 1 H) 7.09 - 7.25
(m, 3 H) 7.55 - 7.66 (m, 2 H) 7.66 - 7.73 (m, 1 H) 7.85 - 8.03 (m, 2 H).

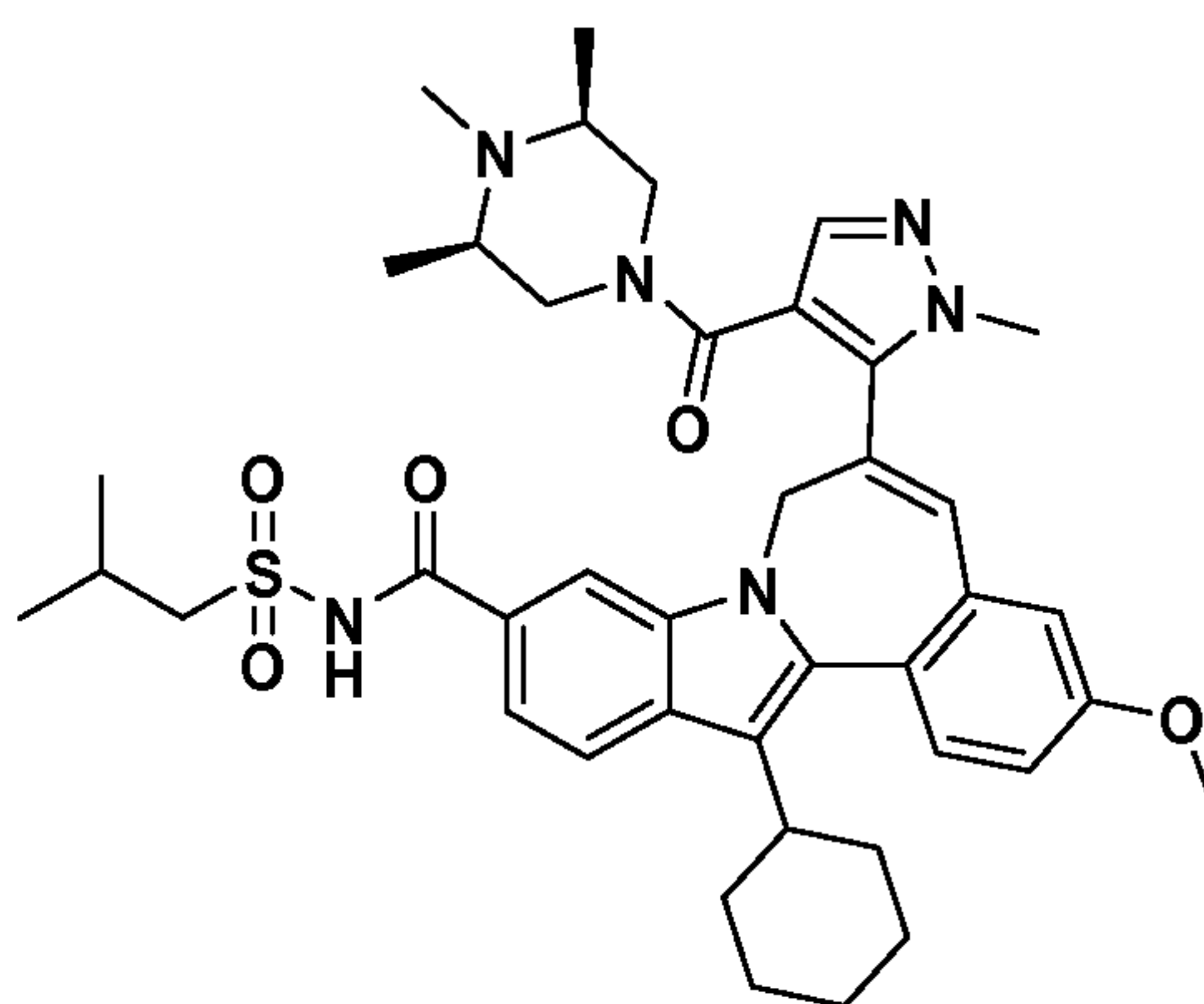


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-
 [(hexahydropyrrolo[1,2-a]pyrazin-2(1H)-yl)carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-
 5 methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-

To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
 10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-
 yl]-1-methyl- (30 mg, 0.048 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (22.91 mg, 0.071
 mmol) and DIPEA (0.042 mL, 0.238 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was
 10 stirred at RT for 15 min. Octahydropyrrolo[1,2-a]pyrazine (9.00 mg, 0.071 mmol)
 was then added and the solution was stirred at RT overnight. The reaction mixture
 was then purified by preparative HPLC column using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent
 system. Homogeneous fractions were combined and concentrated under speed
 vacuum. The TFA salt of the title compound was obtained as a brownish solid, (35.5
 15 mg, 0.042 mmol, 88 % yield).

MS m/z 737 (M-H⁻), Retention time: 1.722 min.(basic)

¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.15 (d, *J*=6.71 Hz, 6 H) 1.19 - 2.23 (m,
 14 H) 2.26 - 2.40 (m, 1 H) 2.88 - 3.05 (m, 1 H) 3.11 - 3.58 (m, 11 H) 3.72 (s, 3 H)
 3.95 (s, 3 H) 4.60-4.70 (m, br, 1 H) 5.00 - 5.16 (m, br, 1 H) 7.11 (s, 1 H) 7.16 (d,
 20 *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.20 (dd, *J*=8.54, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.58 - 7.64 (m, 2 H) 7.76 (s, 1 H)
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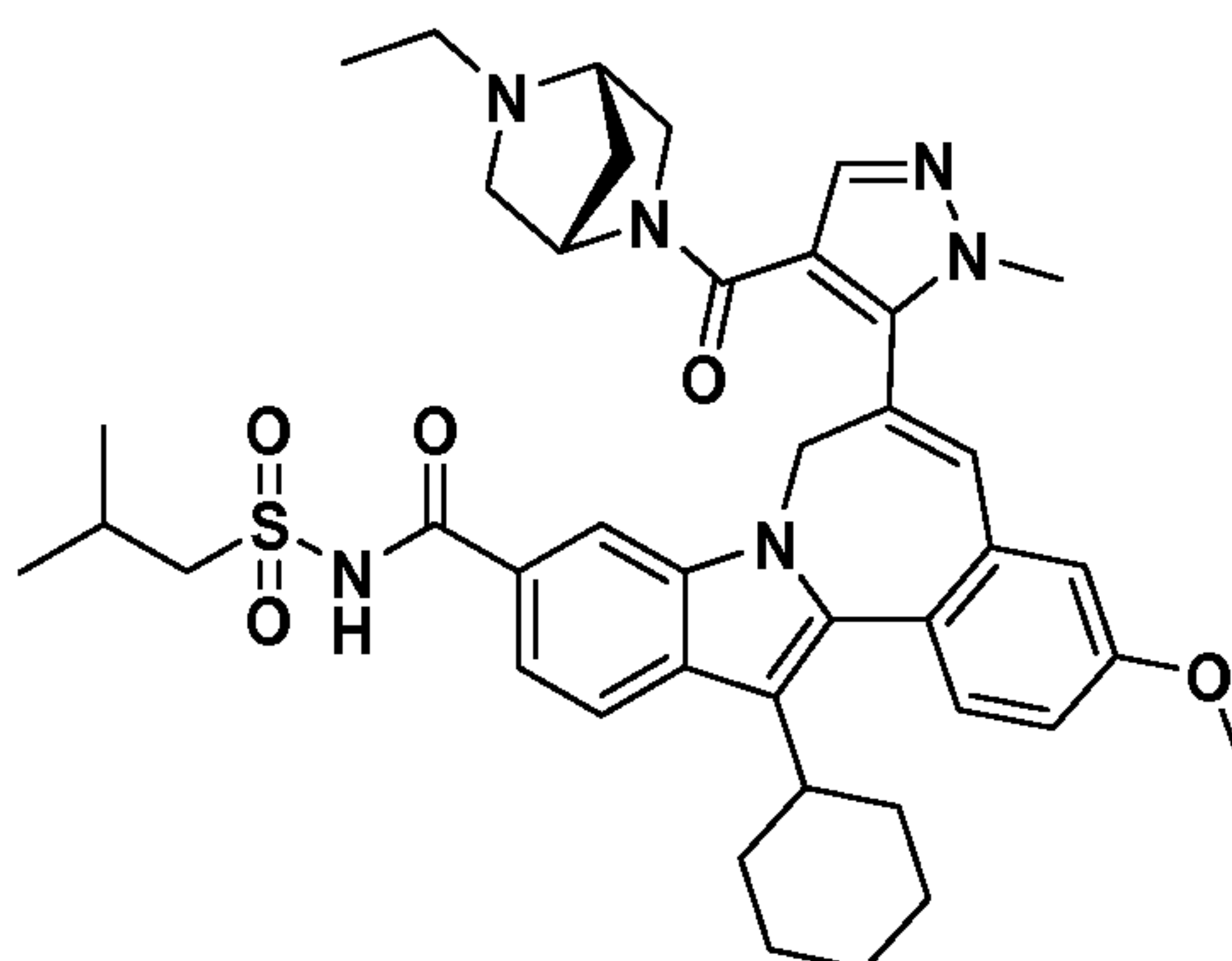
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
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5 piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-

To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-
yl]-1-methyl- (30 mg, 0.048 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (22.91 mg, 0.071
mmol) and DIPEA (0.042 mL, 0.238 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was
10 stirred at RT for 15 min. Cis-1,2,6-trimethylpiperazine (9.15 mg, 0.071 mmol) was
then added and the solution was stirred at RT overnight. The reaction mixture was
then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent system.

Homogeneous fractions were combined and concentrated under vacuum. The TFA
salt of the title compound was obtained as a brownish solid, (39.1 mg, 0.046 mmol,
15 96 % yield).

MS m/z 739 (M-H⁻), Retention time: 1.723 min.(basic)

¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.15 (d, J=7.02 Hz, 6 H) 1.21 - 1.65 (m,
10 H) 1.77 - 2.22 (m, 6 H) 2.28 - 2.40 (m, 1 H) 2.54 - 3.05 (m, 8 H) 3.51 (d, J=6.41
Hz, 2 H) 3.74 (s, 3 H) 3.95 (s, 3 H) 4.03 - 4.42 (m, br, 2 H) 4.59 - 4.70 (m, br, 1 H)
20 5.01 - 5.12 (m, br, 1 H) 7.13 (s, 1 H) 7.16 (d, J=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.21 (dd, J=8.85, 2.75
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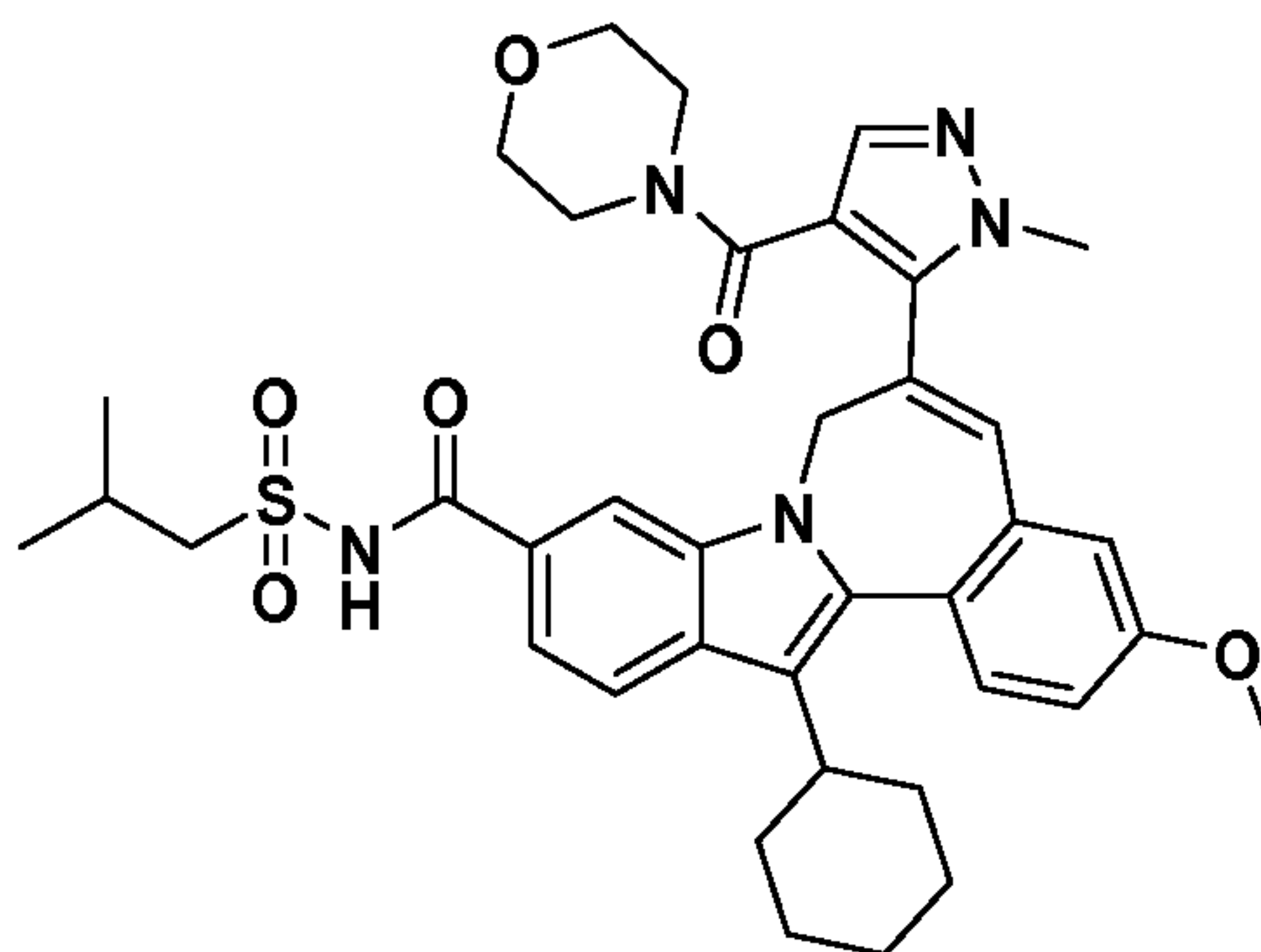


7*H*-indolo[2,1-*a*][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(1*S*,
4*S*)-5-ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1*H*-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-
5 methoxy-*N*-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-

To a solution of 1*H*-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7*H*-indolo[2,1-*a*][2]benzazepin-6-
yl]-1-methyl- (30 mg, 0.048 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (22.91 mg, 0.071
mmol) and DIPEA (0.042 mL, 0.238 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was
10 stirred at RT for 15 min. (1*S*, 4*S*)-2-ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]heptane, 2TFA
(25.3 mg, 0.071 mmol) was then added and the resultant solution was stirred at RT
for 3 hours. LC/MS analysis showed that the reaction had progressed to completion.
The reaction mixture was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-
TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were collected and concentrated
15 under vacuum. The TFA of the title compound was obtained as a brown colored
solid, (35.30 mg, 0.041 mmol, 87 % yield).

MS *m/z* 737(*M*-H⁺), Retention time: 1.850 min.(basic)

¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.15 (d, *J*=6.71 Hz, 6 H) 1.21 - 2.22 (m,
15 H) 2.25 - 2.39 (m, 1 H) 2.89 - 3.02 (m, 1 H) 3.05 - 3.80 (m, 12 H) 3.95 (s, 3 H)
20 4.09 - 4.48 (m, 1 H) 4.57 - 4.70 (m, 1 H) 4.99 - 5.12 (m, 1 H) 6.97 - 7.08 (s, br, 1 H)
7.14 (s, 1 H) 7.20 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.61 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 2 H) 7.82 (s, 1 H)
7.88 (s, 1 H) 7.97 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H).

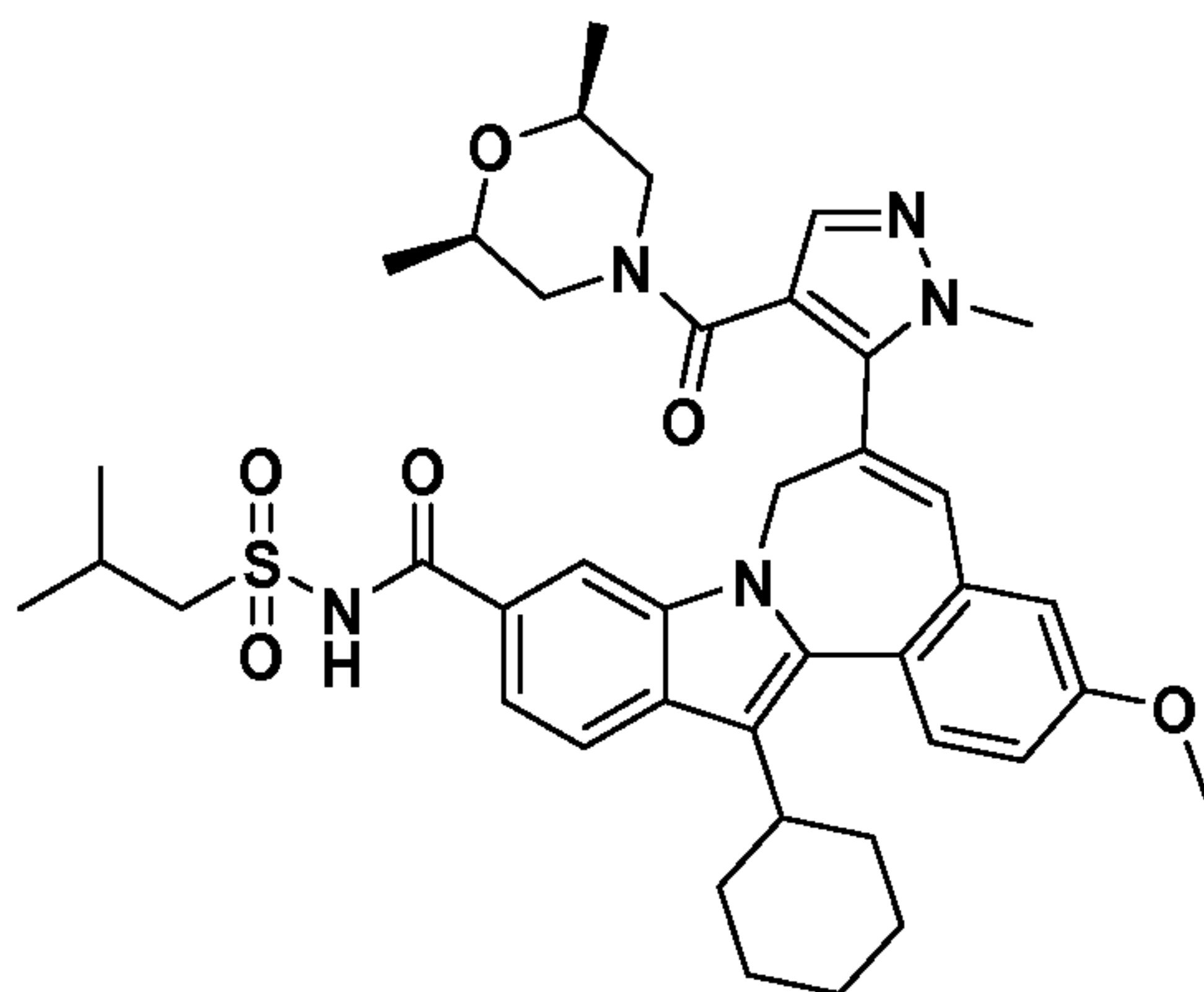


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-
5 methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-

To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-
yl]-1-methyl- (30 mg, 0.048 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (22.91 mg, 0.071
mmol) and DIPEA (0.042 mL, 0.238 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was
10 stirred at RT for 15 min. Morpholine (6.22 mg, 0.071 mmol) was then added and the
resultant solution was stirred at RT for 3 hours. LC/MS analysis showed the reaction
had progressed to completion. The reaction mixture was then purified by preparative
HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were
combined and concentrated under vacuum. The title compound was obtained as a
15 yellow solid,(28.4 mg, 0.041 mmol, 85 % yield).

MS m/z 698(M-H⁻), Retention time: 1.618 min.(basic)

¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.16 (d, *J*=6.71 Hz, 6 H) 1.21 - 1.36 (m,
1 H) 1.40 - 1.64 (m, 3 H) 1.75 - 1.87 (m, 2 H) 1.94 - 2.25 (m, 4 H) 2.27 - 2.41 (m, 1
H) 2.70 - 3.12 (m, 9 H) 3.49 - 3.55 (m, 2 H) 3.85 (s, 3 H) 3.95 (s, 3 H) 4.69 (d,
20 *J*=14.34 Hz, 1 H) 5.10 (d, *J*=14.95 Hz, 1 H) 7.09 (s, 1 H) 7.16 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H)
7.20 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.62 (d, *J*=8.54 Hz, 2 H) 7.66 (s, 1 H) 7.94 (s, 1 H)
7.99 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H).

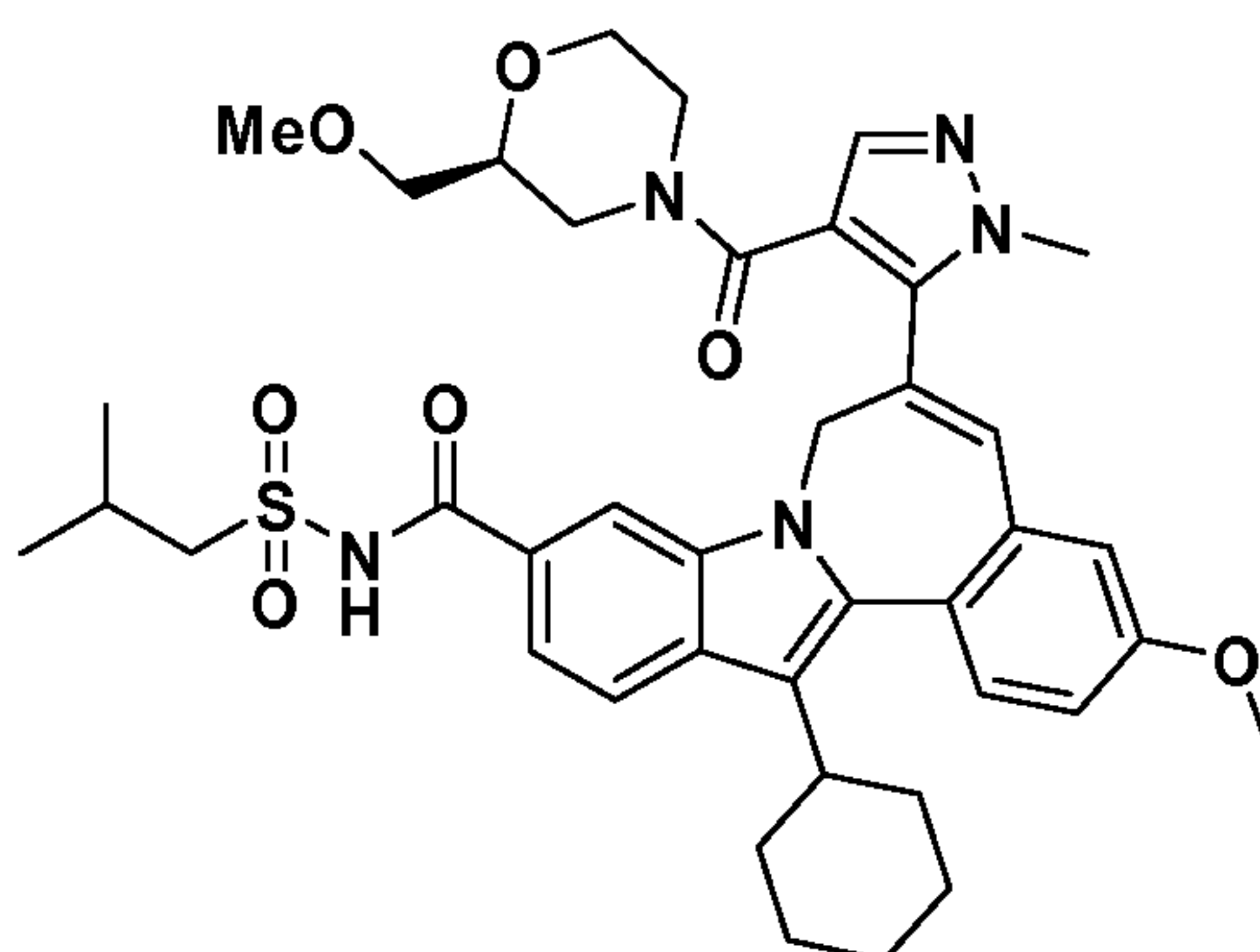


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[cis-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-

To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (30 mg, 0.048 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (22.91 mg, 0.071 mmol) and DIPEA (0.042 mL, 0.238 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 15 min. Cis-2,6-dimethylmorpholine (8.22 mg, 0.071 mmol) was then added and the resultant solution was stirred at RT for 3 hours. LC/MS then showed that the reaction had progressed to completion. The reaction mixture was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were collected and concentrated under vacuum. The title compound was obtained as a yellow colored solid, (29.6 mg, 0.041 mmol, 85 % yield).

MS m/z 726(M-H⁻), Retention time: 1.753 min.(basic)

¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 0.50 - 2.56 (m, 23 H) 2.68 - 3.06 (m, 2 H) 3.21 - 3.63 (m, 7 H) 3.83 - 4.02 (m, 6 H) 4.67 (d, *J*=14.34 Hz, 1 H) 5.04 (d, *J*=14.65 Hz, 1 H) 7.11 - 7.25 (m, 3 H) 7.56 - 7.69 (m, 3 H) 7.93 (s, 1 H) 7.99 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H).

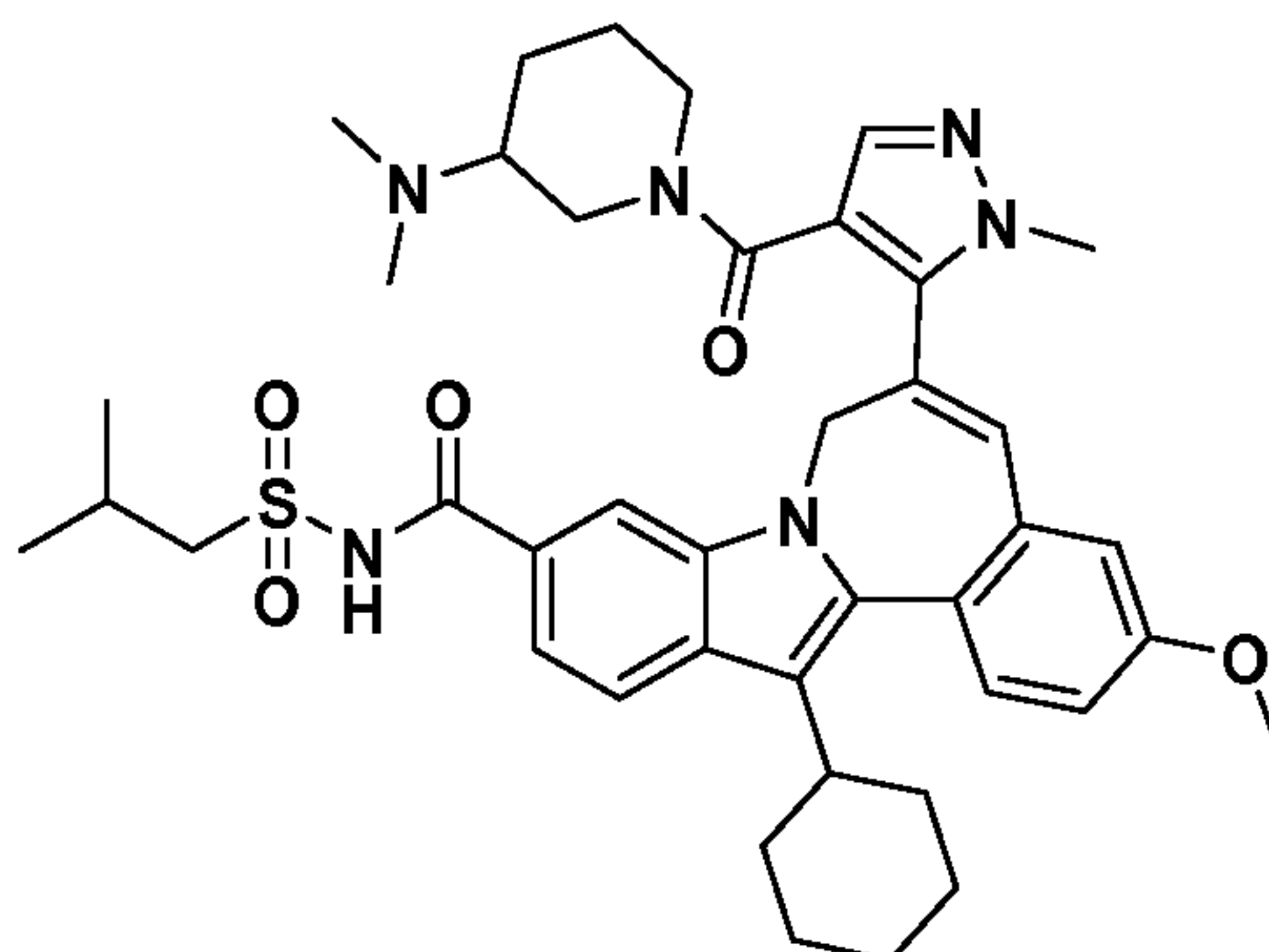


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-

- 5 To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (30 mg, 0.048 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (22.91 mg, 0.071 mmol) and DIPEA (0.042 mL, 0.238 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 15 min. (S)-2-(methoxymethyl)morpholine, HCl (11.96 mg, 0.071 mmol) was then added and the resultant solution was stirred at RT for 3 hours. LC/MS analysis then showed the reaction had progressed to completion. The reaction mixture was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were combined and concentrated under vacuum. The title compound was obtained as a yellow colored solid, (28.6 mg, 0.038 mmol, 81 % yield).

MS m/z 742(M-H⁺), Retention time: 1.598 min.(basic)

- ¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.16 (d, *J*=6.71 Hz, 6 H) 1.22 - 1.65 (m, 4 H) 1.75 - 2.24 (m, 6 H) 2.28 - 2.42 (m, 1 H) 2.88 - 3.63 (m, 15 H) 3.81 (s, 3 H) 3.95 (s, 3 H) 4.61 - 4.72 (m, 1 H) 5.02 - 5.14 (m, 1 H) 7.11 (s, 1 H) 7.17 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.20 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.56 - 7.65 (m, 2 H) 7.66 (s, 1 H) 7.93 (s, 1 H) 7.96 - 8.03 (m, 1 H).

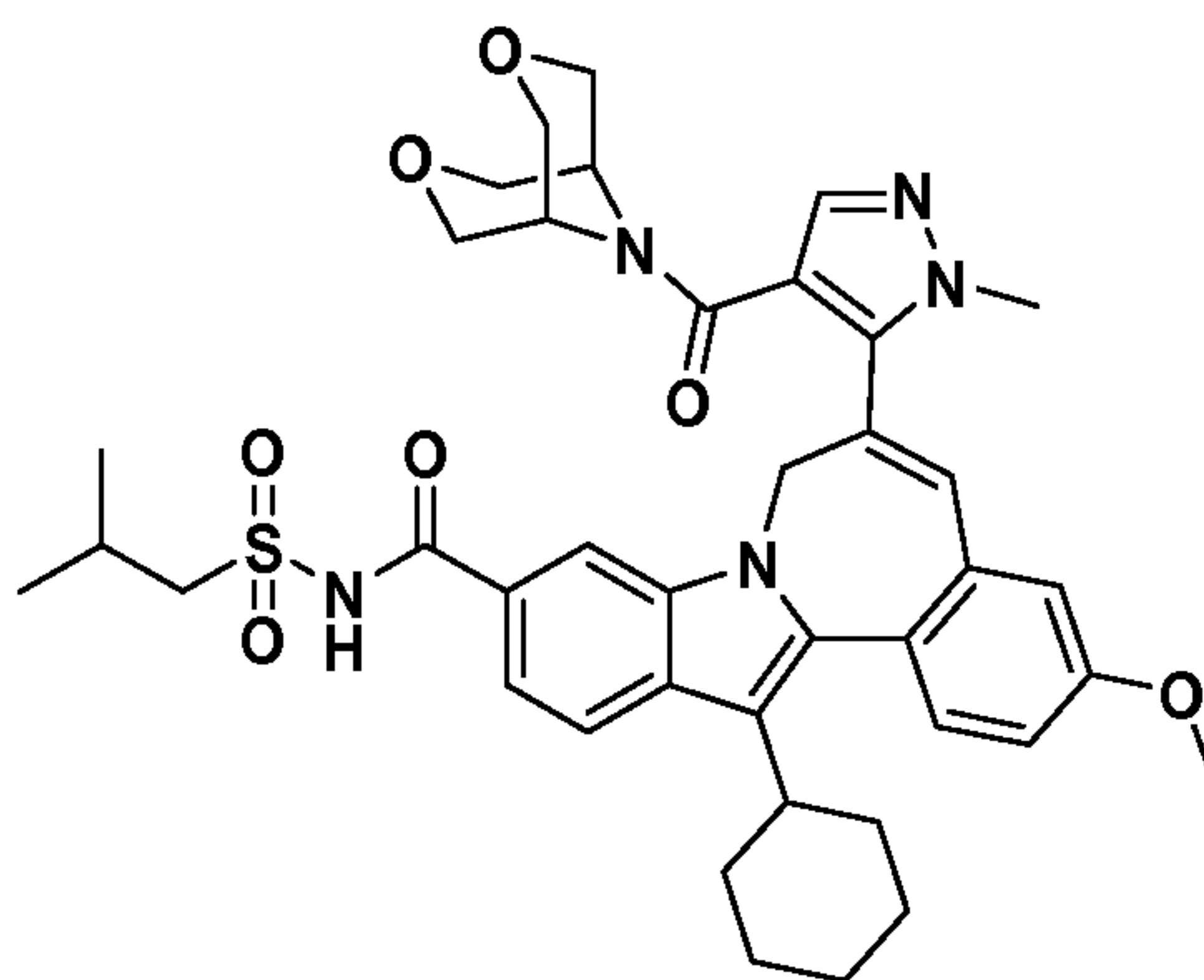


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[3-(dimethylamino)-1-piperidinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-

- 5 To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (30 mg, 0.048 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (22.91 mg, 0.071 mmol) and DIPEA (0.042 mL, 0.238 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 15 min. N,N-dimethylpiperidin-3-amine, 2HCl (14.35 mg, 0.071
- 10 mmol) was then added and the resultant solution was stirred at RT for 3 hours. LC/MS then showed the reaction had progressed to completion. The reaction mixture was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were collected and concentrated under vacuum. The TFA salt of the title compound was obtained as a yellow colored solid, (36.3 mg,
- 15 0.042 mmol, 89 % yield).

MS m/z 739(M-H⁻), Retention time: 1.810 min.(basic)

- ¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.16 (d, *J*=6.71 Hz, 6 H) 1.22 - 1.64 (m, 6 H) 1.75 - 2.24 (m, 8 H) 2.29 - 2.39 (m, 1 H) 2.46 - 3.13 (m, 11 H) 3.51 (d, *J*=6.41 Hz, 2 H) 3.83 (s, 3 H) 3.95 (s, 3 H) 4.16 (s, br, 1 H) 4.61 - 4.73 (m, br, 1 H) 5.00 -
- 20 5.12 (m, br, 1 H) 7.09 (s, 1 H) 7.16 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.20 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.60 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 1 H) 7.64 (dd, *J*=8.55, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.69 (s, 1 H) 7.94 (s, 1 H) 8.01 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H).

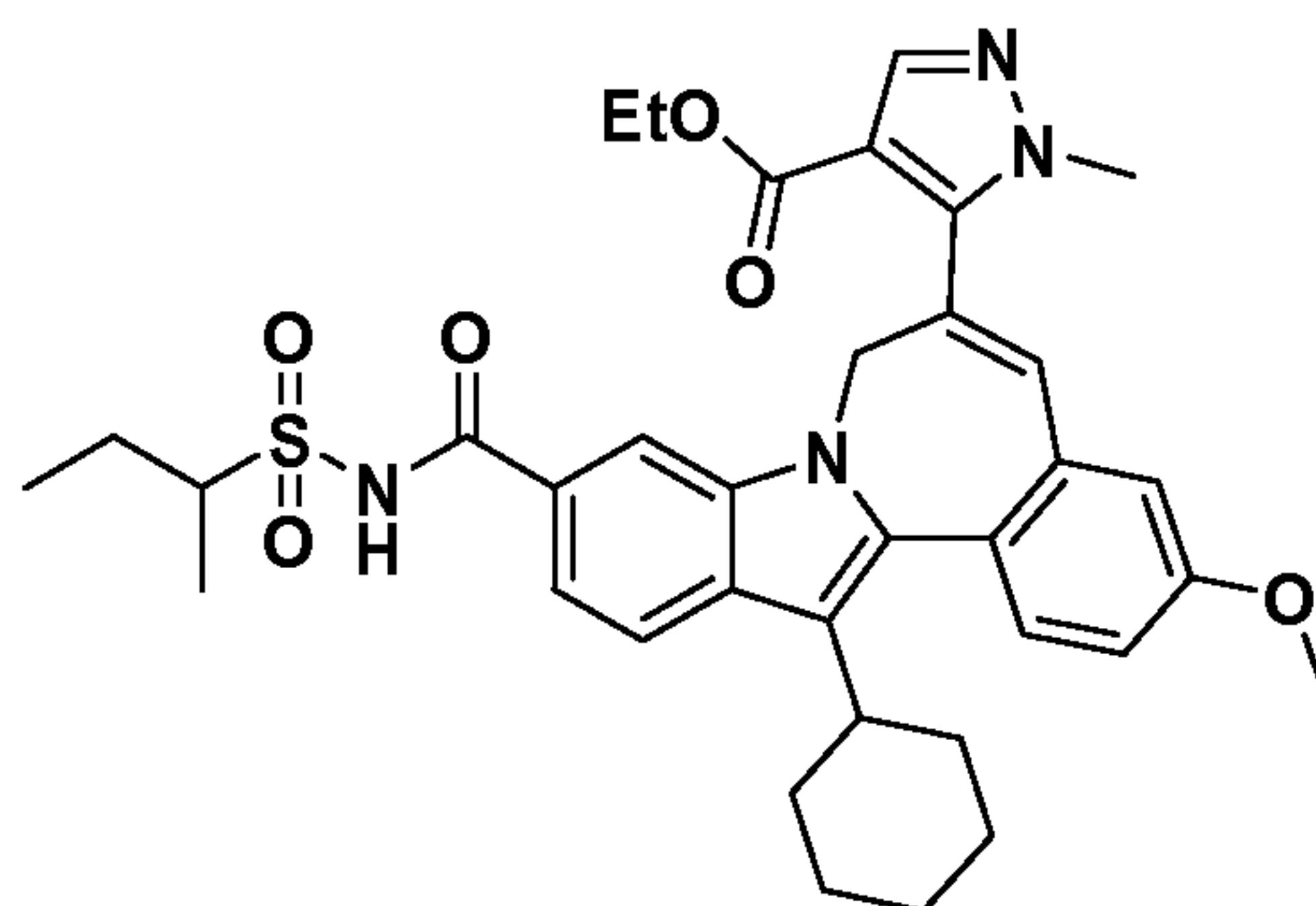


5 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(3,7-dioxo-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-*

To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (30 mg, 0.048 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (22.91 mg, 0.071 mmol) and DIPEA (0.042 mL, 0.238 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 15 min. 3,7-dioxo-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]nonane (9.21 mg, 0.071 mmol) was then added and the solution was stirred at RT overnight. LC/MS then showed that only 40% SM had reacted. Two more equivalents of TBTU were then added and the reaction mixture was stirred at RT overnight. LC/MS then showed that the reaction had progressed to completion. The reaction mixture was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were combined and evaporated under vacuum to give the title compound as a light-yellow colored solid, (26.7 mg, 0.036 mmol, 76 % yield).

MS m/z 740(M-H⁻), Retention time: 1.887 min.(basic)

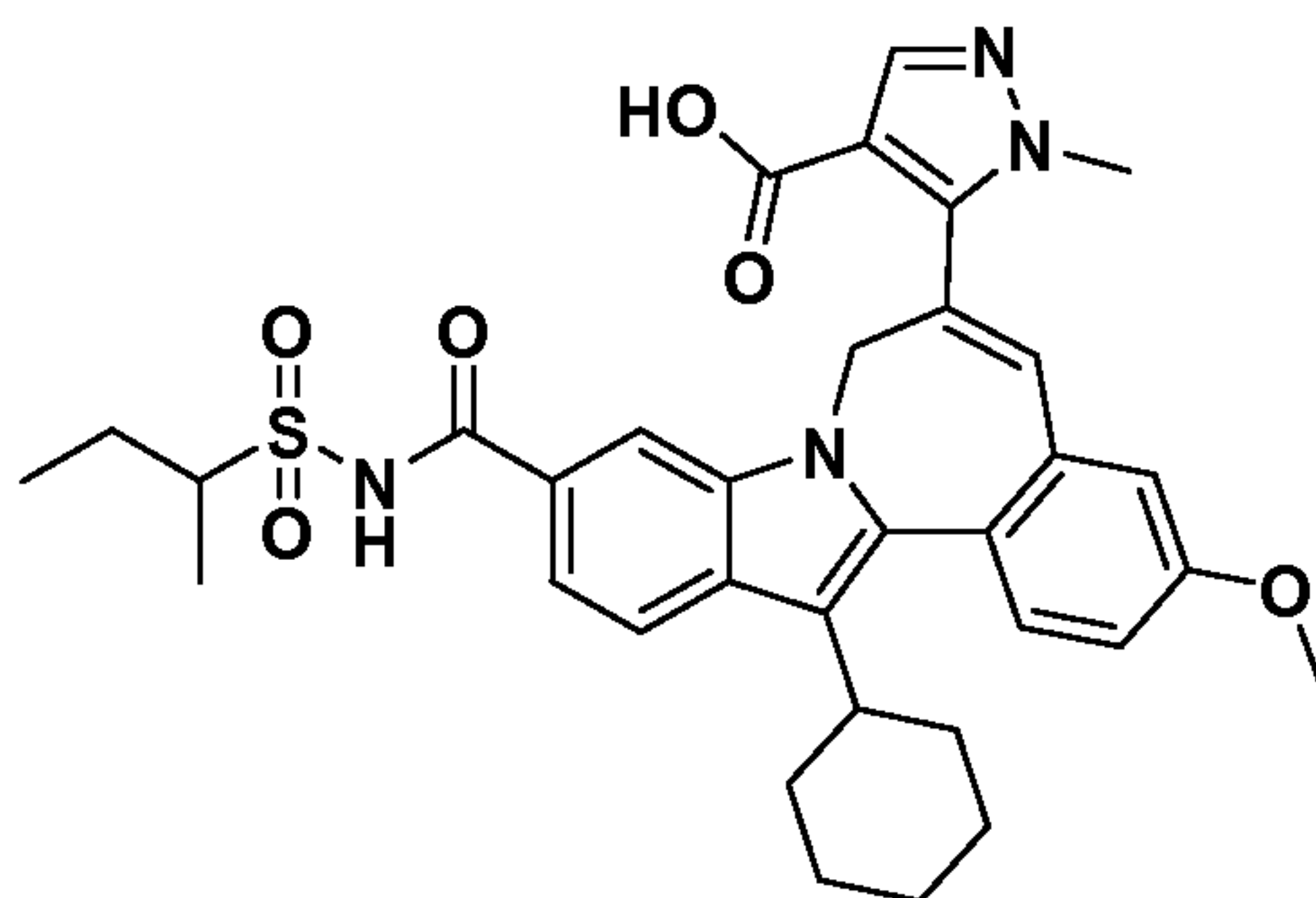
¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.16 (d, *J*=6.71 Hz, 6 H) 1.21 - 1.64 (m, 4 H) 1.71 - 3.15 (m, 10 H) 3.43 - 3.88 (m, 13 H) 3.96 (s, 3 H) 4.63 - 4.72 (m, 1 H) 5.01 - 5.11 (m, 1 H) 7.13 - 7.18 (m, 2 H) 7.22 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.61 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.64 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 1 H) 7.74 (s, 1 H) 7.91 (s, 1 H) 7.98 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H).



1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-
 methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-
 5 methyl)-, ethyl ester

CDI (451 mg, 2.78 mmol) was added to a THF (10 mL) solution of 7H-
 indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-
 (ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-(750 mg, 1.39 mmol) and
 the resultant mixture was stirred at 60 °C for 1 h. The reaction was then cooled to r.t.
 10 and butane-2-sulfonamide (572 mg, 4.17 mmol) and DBU (0.419 mL, 2.78 mmol)
 were added. The mixture was then heated at 60 °C overnight, after which the solvent
 was removed and the residue dissolved in EtOAc. The organic layer was washed
 with sequentially with 1N HCl solution (3 x 20 mL), and Brine (3 x 20 mL) and then
 dried over Na₂SO₄. The mixture was then filtered and the filtrate was evaporated in
 15 vacuo. The residue was purified using a Shimadzu preparative HPLC employing
 ACN/water and 0.1 % TFA buffer with a Xterra column, 30 mm x 100 mm, Gradient
 over 15 min; Starting conc: 10 %B; Ending conc: 100 %B. Homogeneous fractions
 were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure to afford the title compound
 as light yellow solid, (450 mg, 49 %). ESI-MS *m/e* 659 (MH⁺).

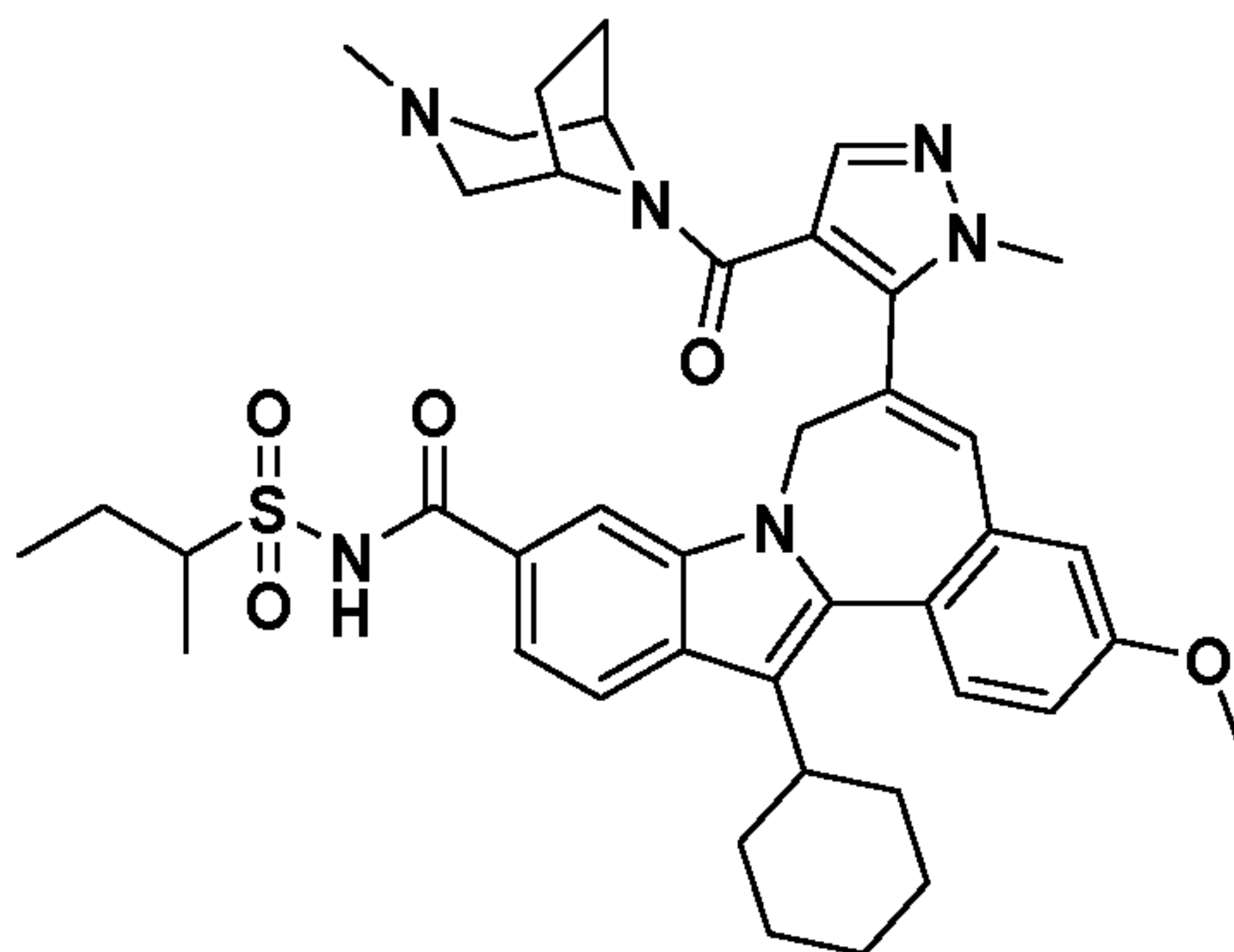
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1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-

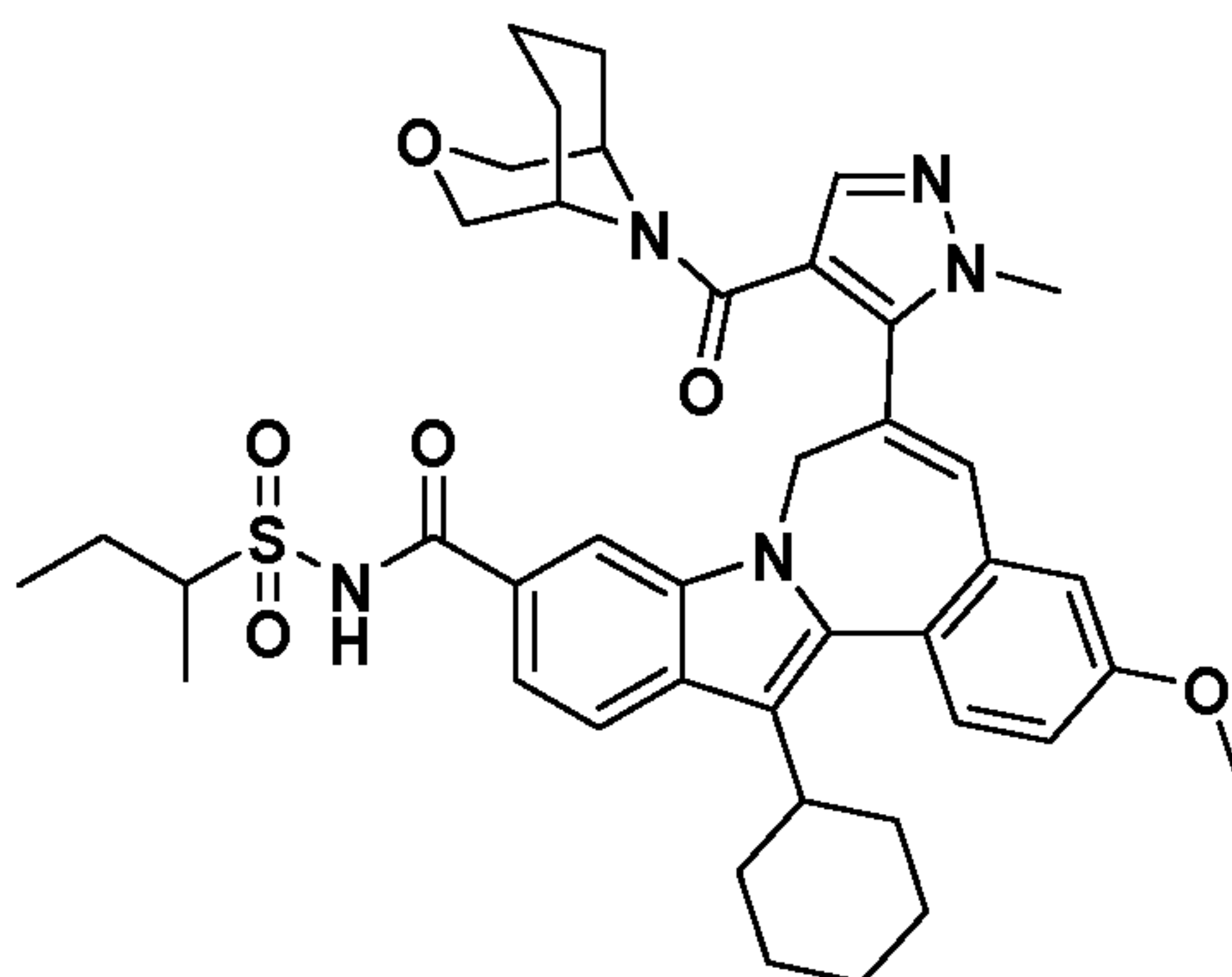
NaOH (1N, 5 mL) was added to a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-, ethyl ester (250 mg, 0.379 mmol) in a 1:1 mixture of THF:MeOH (10 mL) and the resultant solution was agitated at r.t. for 48 h. HCl (1N, 5 mL) was then added and the resultant mixture was evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was dissolved in EtOAc and washed with brine (3 x 20 mL) and then dried over Na₂SO₄. The mixture was then filtered and the filtrate was evaporated in vacuo to afford the title product as yellow solid, (235 mg, 98%). ESI-MS *m/e* 631 (MH⁺).

Using the standard amide coupling conditions described for related examples, the following examples can be prepared.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-

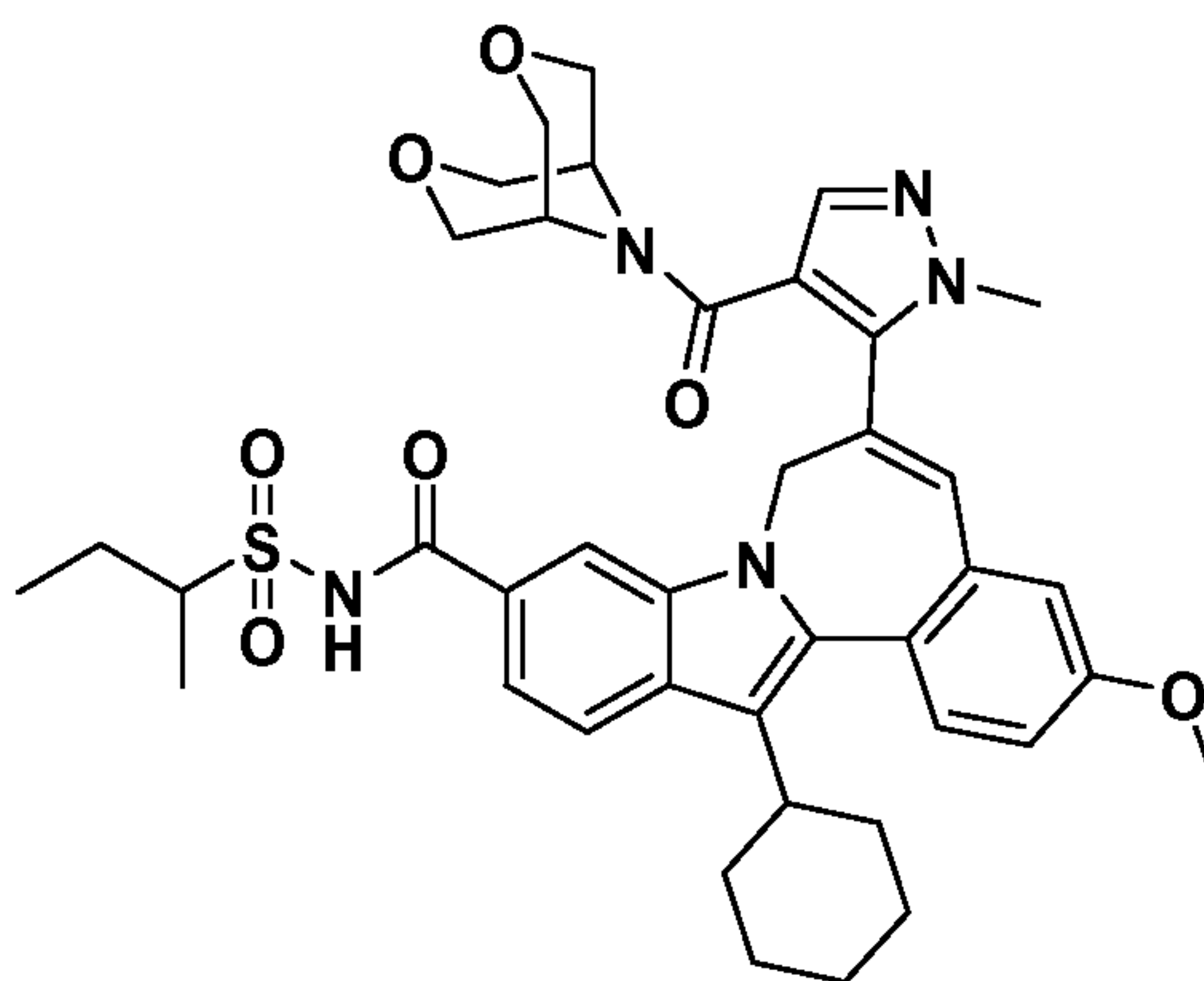
ESI-MS *m/e* 739 (MH⁺). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.08 (t, *J*=7.32 Hz, 3 H) 1.16 - 1.56 (m, 9 H) 1.58 - 1.85 (m, 4 H) 1.90 - 2.24 (m, 6 H) 2.48 - 2.62 (m, 3 H) 2.81 - 2.99 (m, 3 H) 3.15 - 3.45 (m, 3 H) 3.73 - 4.05 (m, 5 H) 3.94 (s, 3 H) 4.58 - 4.69 (m, 1 H) 4.80 - 5.02 (m, 1 H) 6.92 - 7.01 (m, 2 H) 7.13 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.29 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 - 7.82 (m, 4 H) 7.92 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 10.14 (s, 1 H).



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(3-oxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-

- 5 ESI-MS m/e 740 (MH^+). ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm
 1.00 - 1.57 (m, 12 H) 1.68 - 1.84 (m, 3 H) 1.91 - 2.48 (m, 9 H) 2.81 - 2.94 (m, 1 H)
 3.03 - 3.16 (m, 1 H) 3.18 - 3.72 (m, 5 H) 3.76 - 4.02 (m, 7 H) 4.53 - 4.68 (m, 1 H)
 4.94 (d, $J=15.87$ Hz, 1 H) 6.81 - 6.91 (m, 1 H) 6.94 (d, $J=2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.13 (d,
 $J=8.54$ Hz, 1 H) 7.54 - 7.62 (m, 1 H) 7.62 - 7.85 (m, 3 H) 7.87 - 7.96 (m, 1 H).

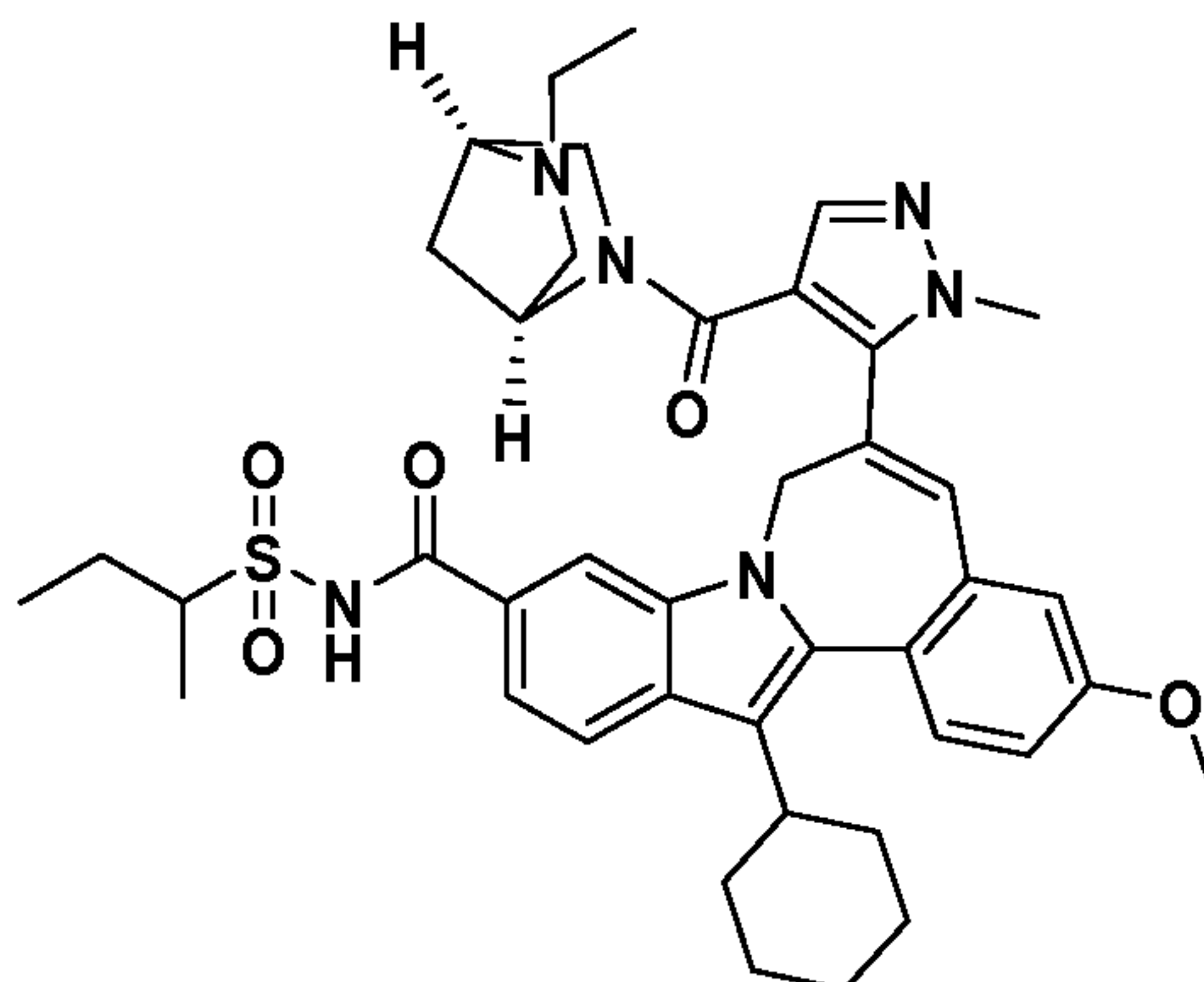
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(3,7-dioxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-

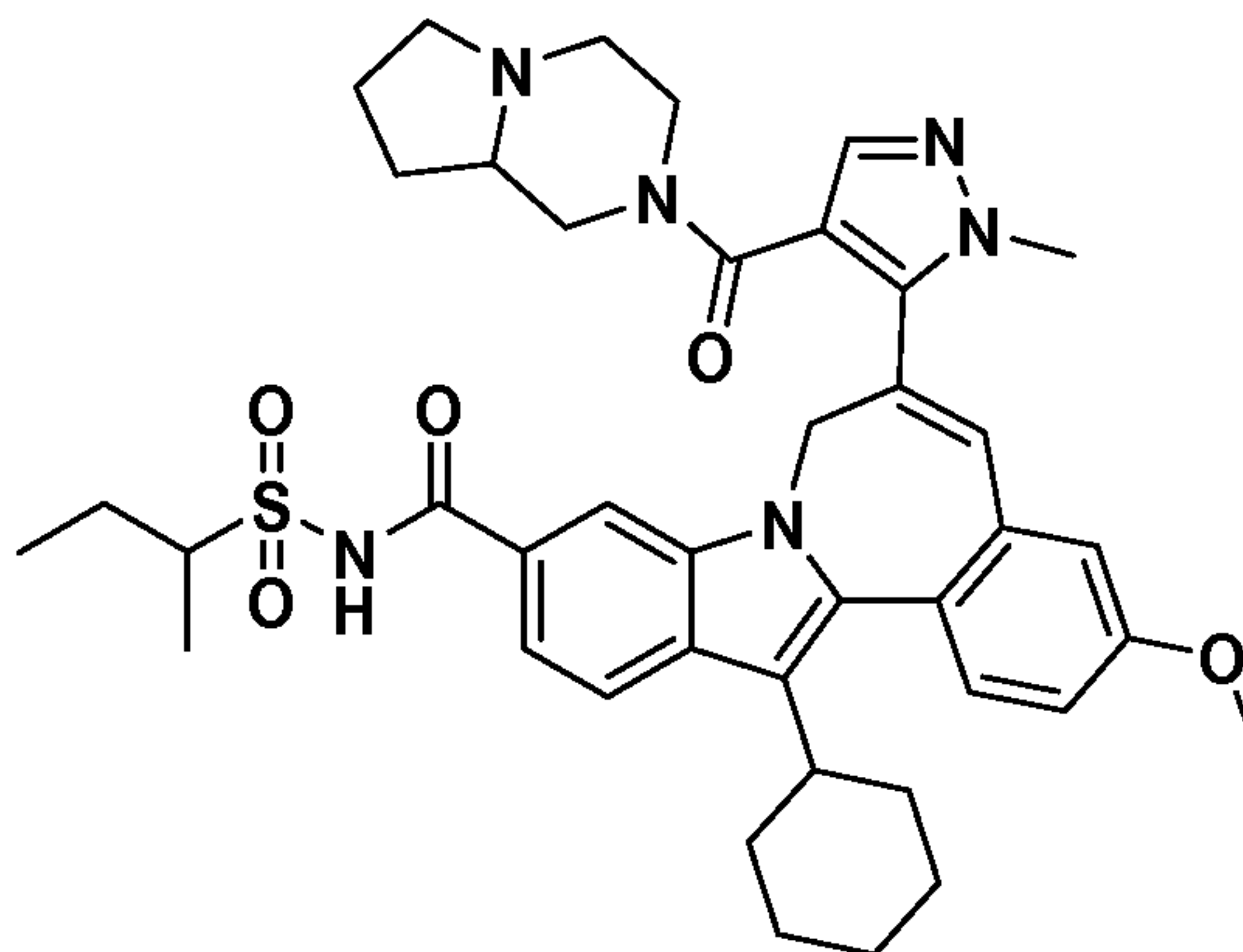
- 15 ESI-MS m/e 742 (MH^+). ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm
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 1.92 - 2.39 (m, 6 H) 2.62 - 2.70 (m, 1 H) 2.83 - 2.93 (m, 1 H) 3.25 (s, 1 H) 3.30 - 3.49
 (m, 3 H) 3.52 - 3.59 (m, 1 H) 3.66 - 3.76 (m, 3 H) 3.80 - 3.86 (m, 2 H) 3.89 (s, 3 H)
 3.94 (s, 3 H) 4.63 (d, $J=15.26$ Hz, 1 H) 4.93 (d, $J=15.56$ Hz, 1 H) 6.86 (s, 1 H) 6.95

(d, $J=2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.13 (dd, $J=8.70, 2.59$ Hz, 1 H) 7.59 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.63 (d, $J=8.54$ Hz, 1 H) 7.72 (d, $J=5.49$ Hz, 2 H) 7.94 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 10.08 - 10.26 (m, 1 H).



5 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[[(1S,4S)-5-ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-*

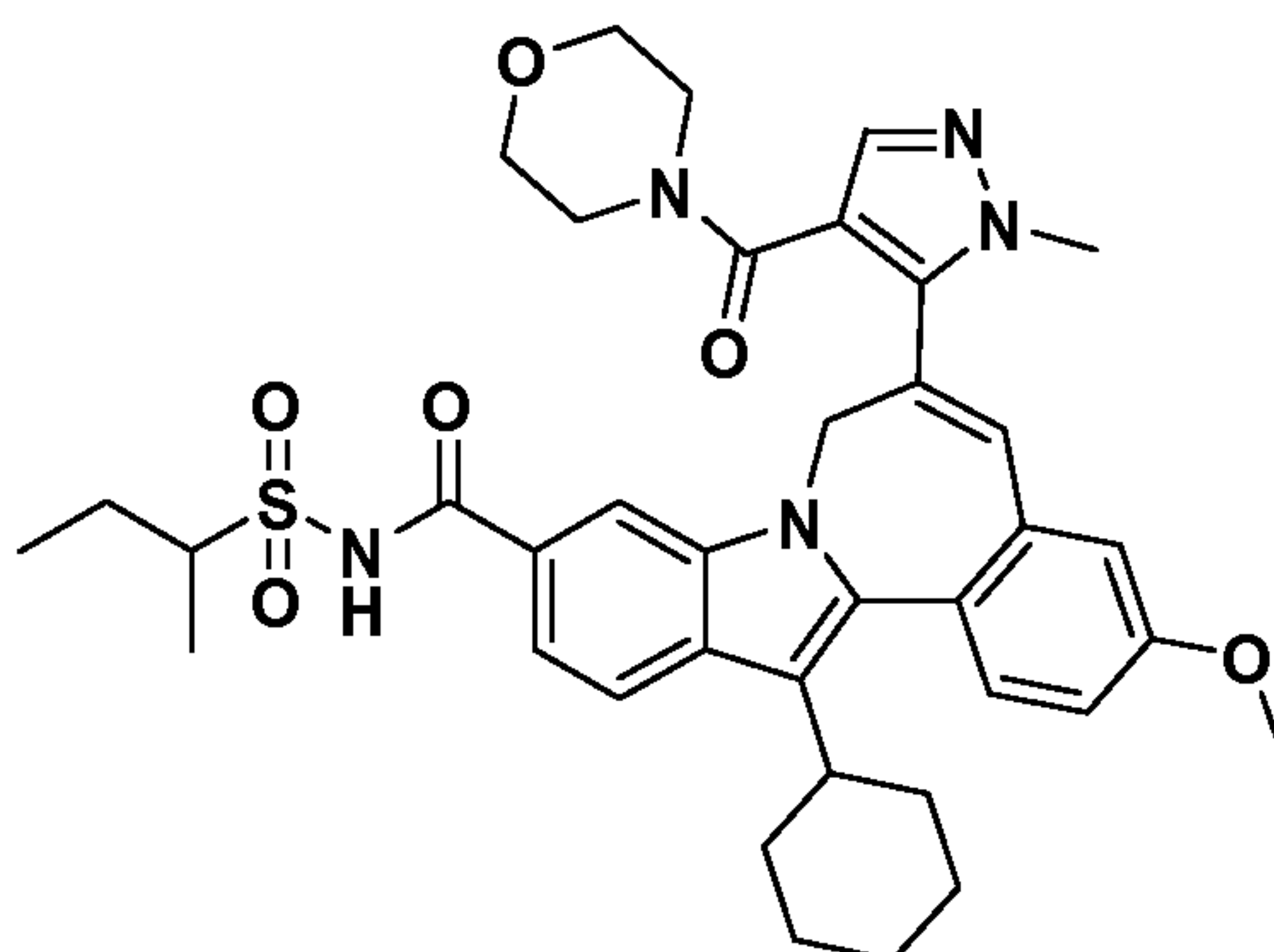
ESI-MS m/e 739 (MH^+). ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm
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 10 3.55 (d, $J=5.19$ Hz, 1 H) 3.72 - 4.03 (m, 5 H) 4.05 - 4.43 (m, 2 H) 4.51 - 5.04 (m, 3 H) 6.68 - 6.86 (m, 1 H) 6.88 - 7.18 (m, 2 H) 7.49 - 7.97 (m, 5 H) 8.17 - 8.28 (m, 1 H).



15 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(hexahydropyrrolo[1,2-a]pyrazin-2(1H)-yl)carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-*

ESI-MS m/e 739 (MH^+) ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.00 - 1.13 (m, 3 H) 1.21 - 1.58 (m, 7 H) 1.59 - 1.85 (m, 4 H) 1.90 - 2.49 (m, 11 H) 2.80 - 2.99 (m, 2 H) 3.34 - 3.88 (m, 9 H) 3.92 (s, 3 H) 4.54 - 4.69 (m, 1 H) 4.76 - 5.00 (m, 1

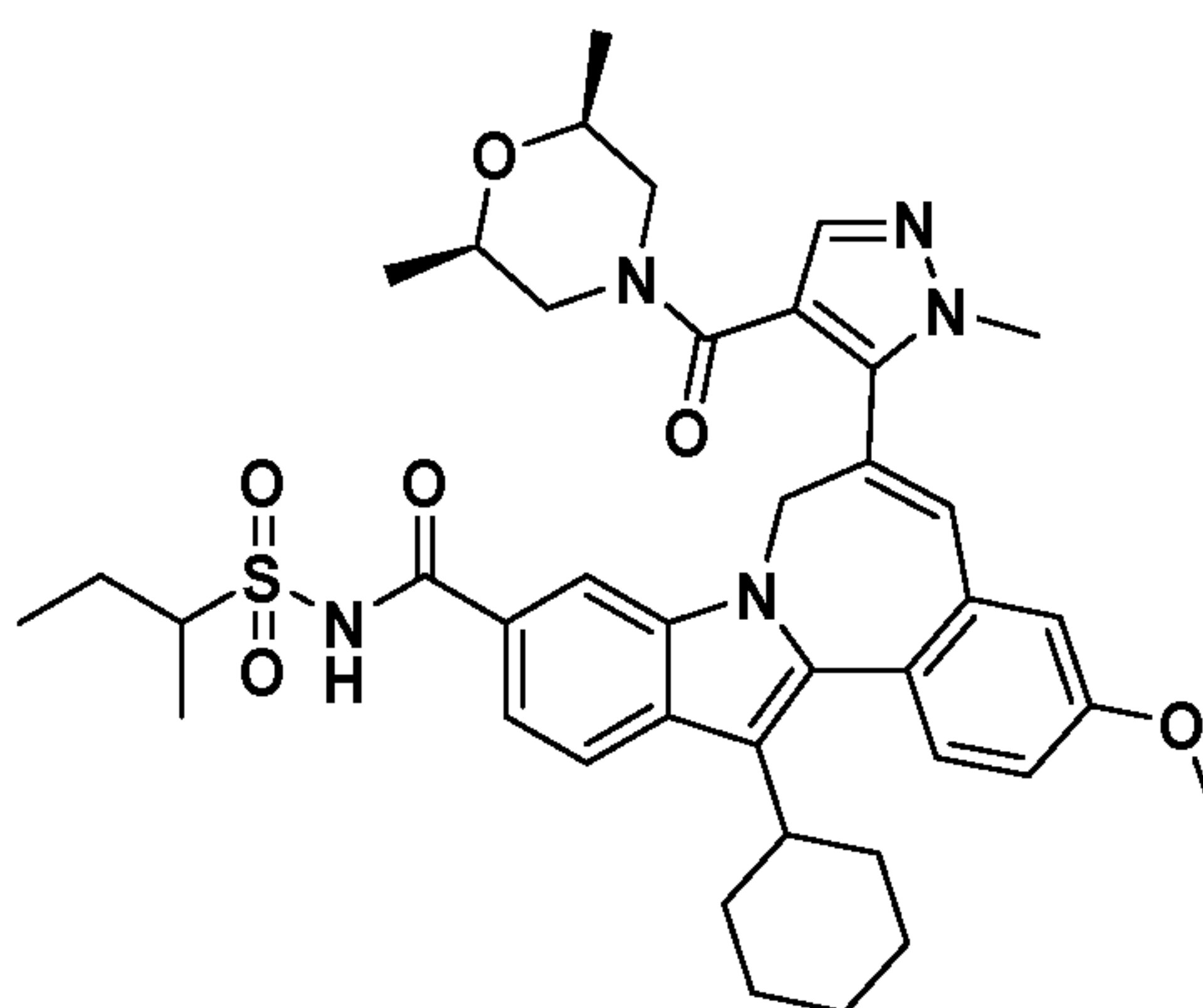
H) 6.83 - 6.94 (m, 1 H) 6.97 (s, 1 H) 7.06 - 7.15 (m, 1 H) 7.48 - 7.68 (m, $J=35.71$ Hz, 3 H) 7.75 (s, 1 H) 7.89 (s, 1 H).



5 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-*

ESI-MS m/e 700 (MH^+) ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.02 - 1.14 (m, 3 H) 1.16 - 1.30 (m, 1 H) 1.49 (dd, $J=20.91, 6.87$ Hz, 6 H) 1.34 - 1.45 (m, 1 H) 1.93 - 2.40 (m, 7 H) 2.58 - 2.71 (m, 1 H) 2.77 - 2.97 (m, 4 H) 3.04 - 3.25 (m, 2 H) 3.35 - 3.65 (m, 2 H) 3.79 - 3.88 (m, 1 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 3.94 (s, 3 H) 4.61 (d, $J=15.87$ Hz, 1 H) 4.90 (d, $J=15.56$ Hz, 1 H) 6.86 (s, 1 H) 6.96 (d, $J=2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.13 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.58 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.61 (d, $J=7.93$ Hz, 1 H) 7.65 - 7.74 (m, 2 H) 7.94 (d, $J=8.54$ Hz, 1 H) 10.20 - 10.44 (m, 1 H).

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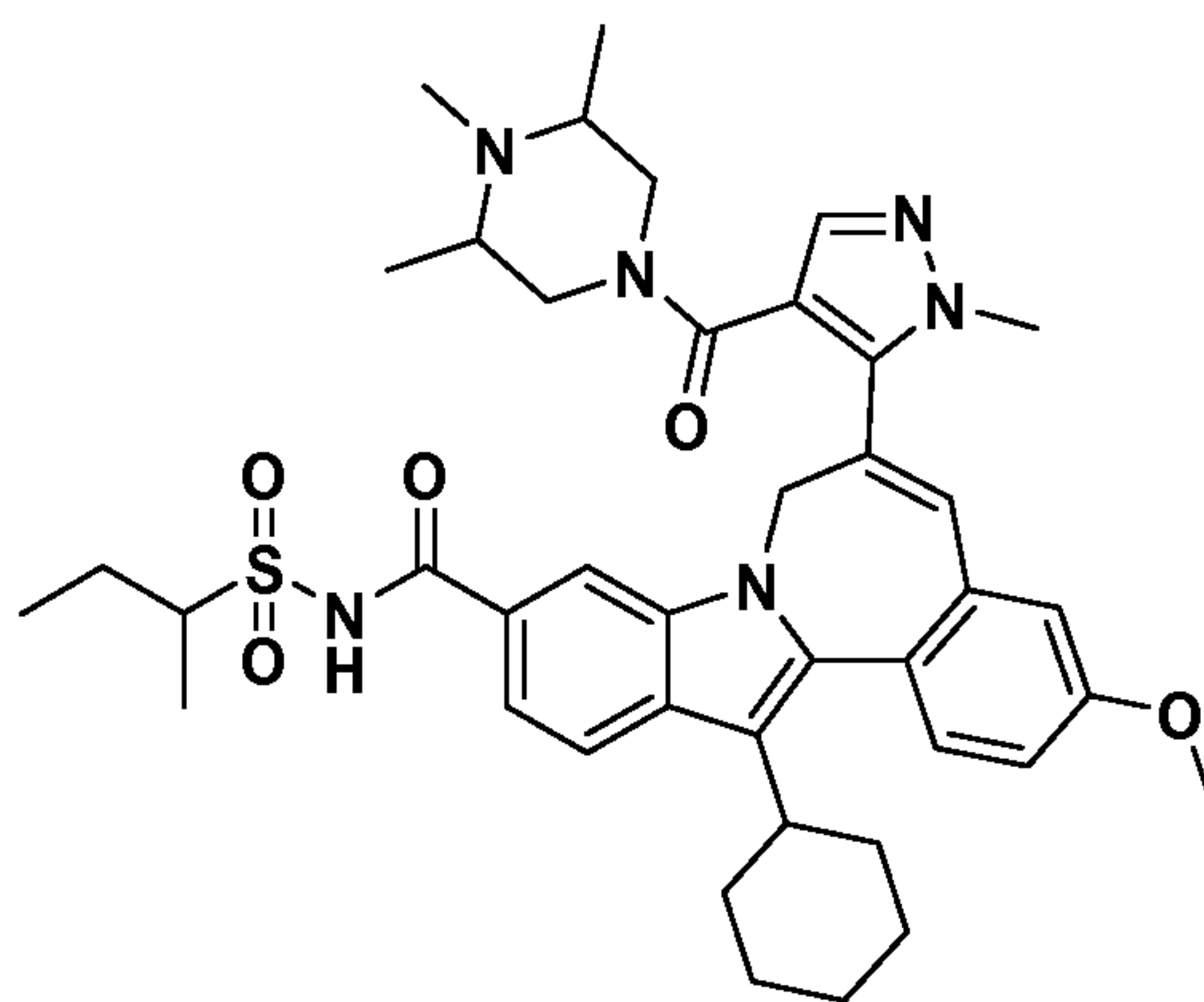


*7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-
[[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-
methoxy-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-*

ESI-MS m/e 728 (MH^+). ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM- D) δ ppm

0.98 - 1.13 (m, 3 H) 1.14 - 1.31 (m, 2 H) 1.34 - 1.59 (m, 6 H) 1.70 - 1.86 (m, 3 H) 1.88 -
2.32 (m, 12 H) 2.81 - 2.98 (m, 1 H) 2.95 - 3.14 (m, 1 H) 3.13 - 3.34 (m, 2 H) 3.36 -
3.67 (m, 1 H) 3.83 - 3.93 (m, 1 H) 3.92 (s, 3 H) 3.95 (s, 3 H) 4.61 (d, $J=14.34$ Hz, 1
H) 4.91 (d, $J=15.56$ Hz, 1 H) 6.83 (s, 1 H) 6.96 (s, 1 H) 7.13 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.51
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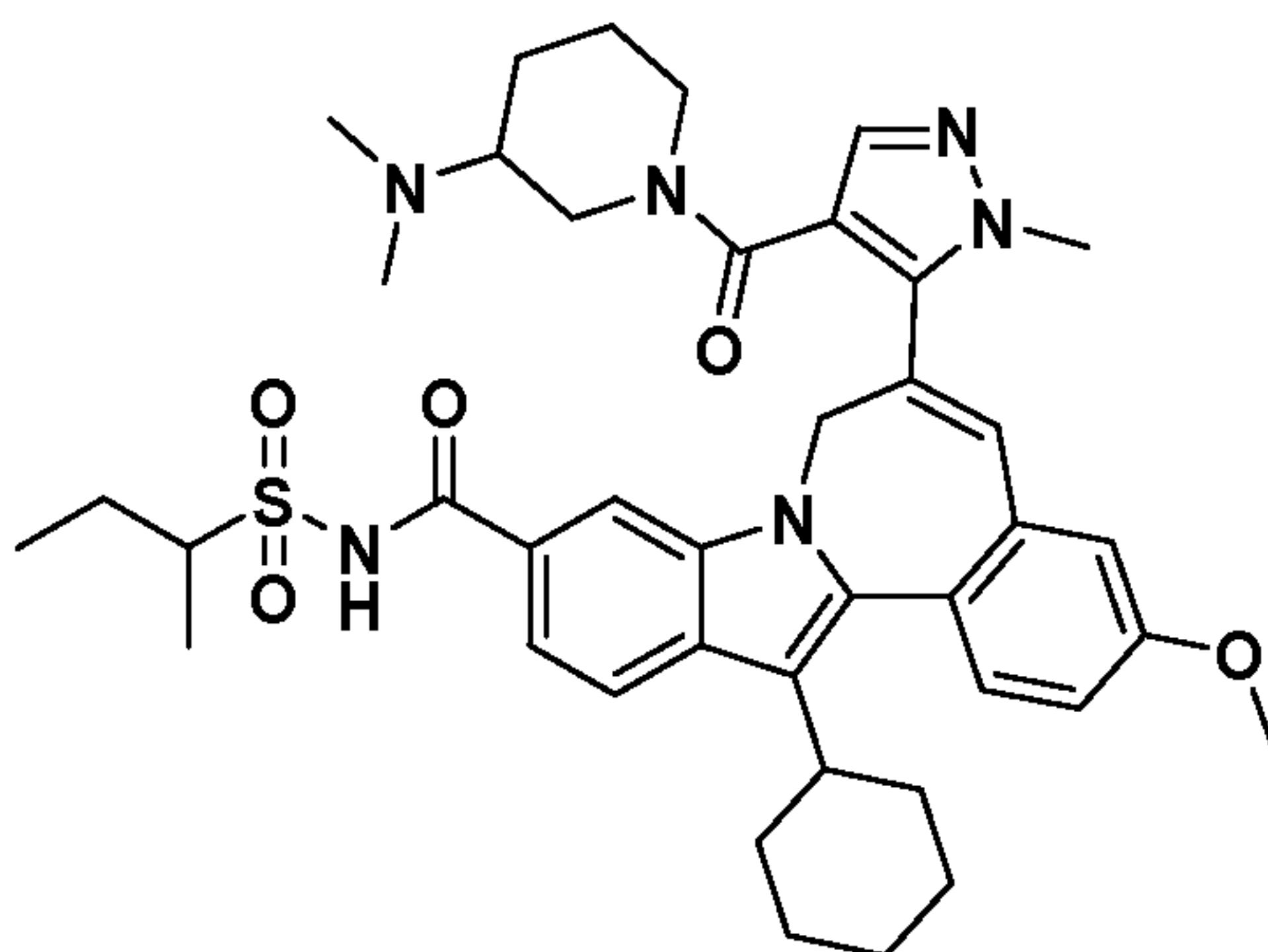
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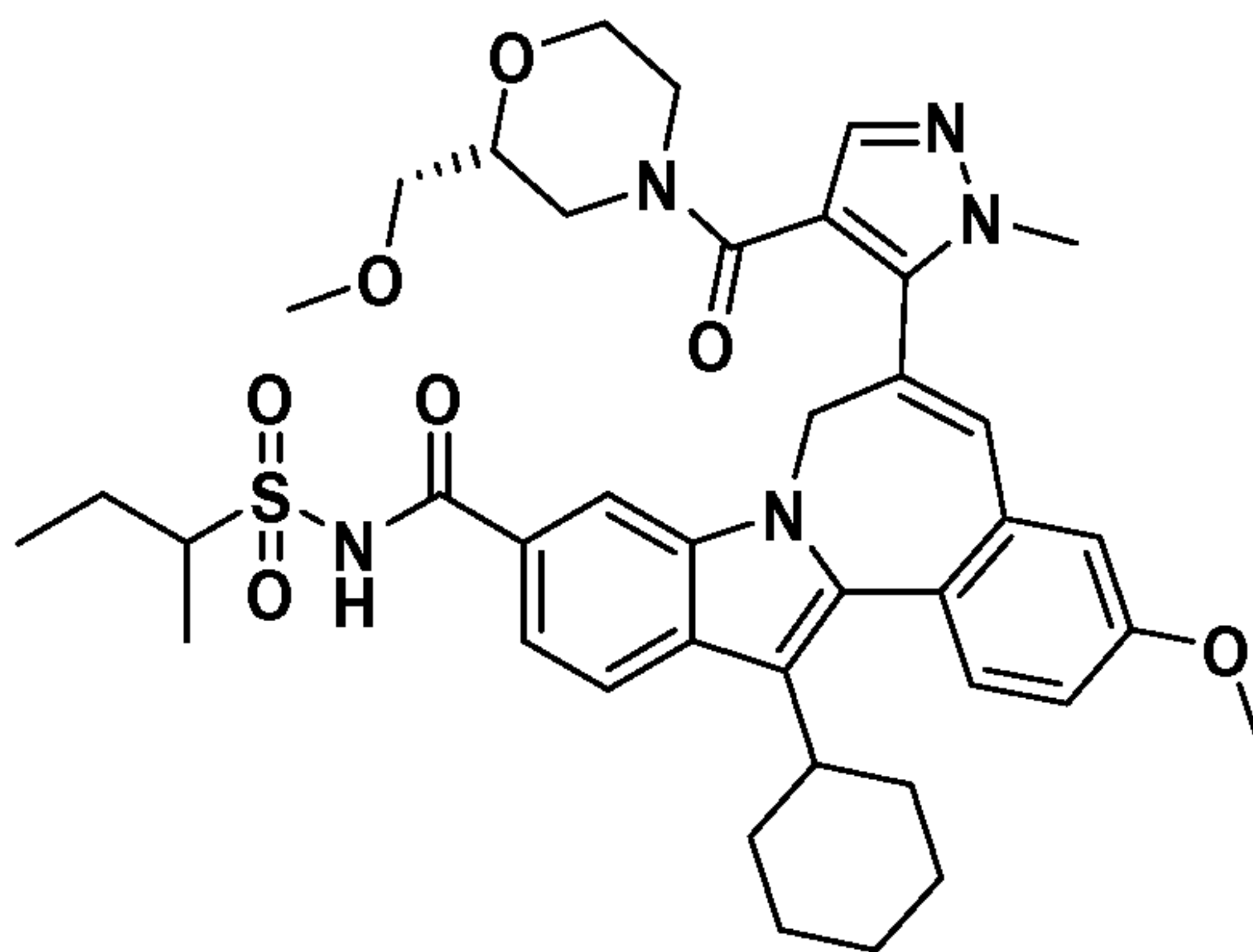
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6.97 (d, $J=2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.08 - 7.15 (m, 1 H) 7.50 - 7.66 (m, 3 H) 7.79 (d, $J=1.53$ Hz,
1 H) 7.93 (d, 1 H).

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5 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[3-(dimethylamino)-1-piperidiny]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-*

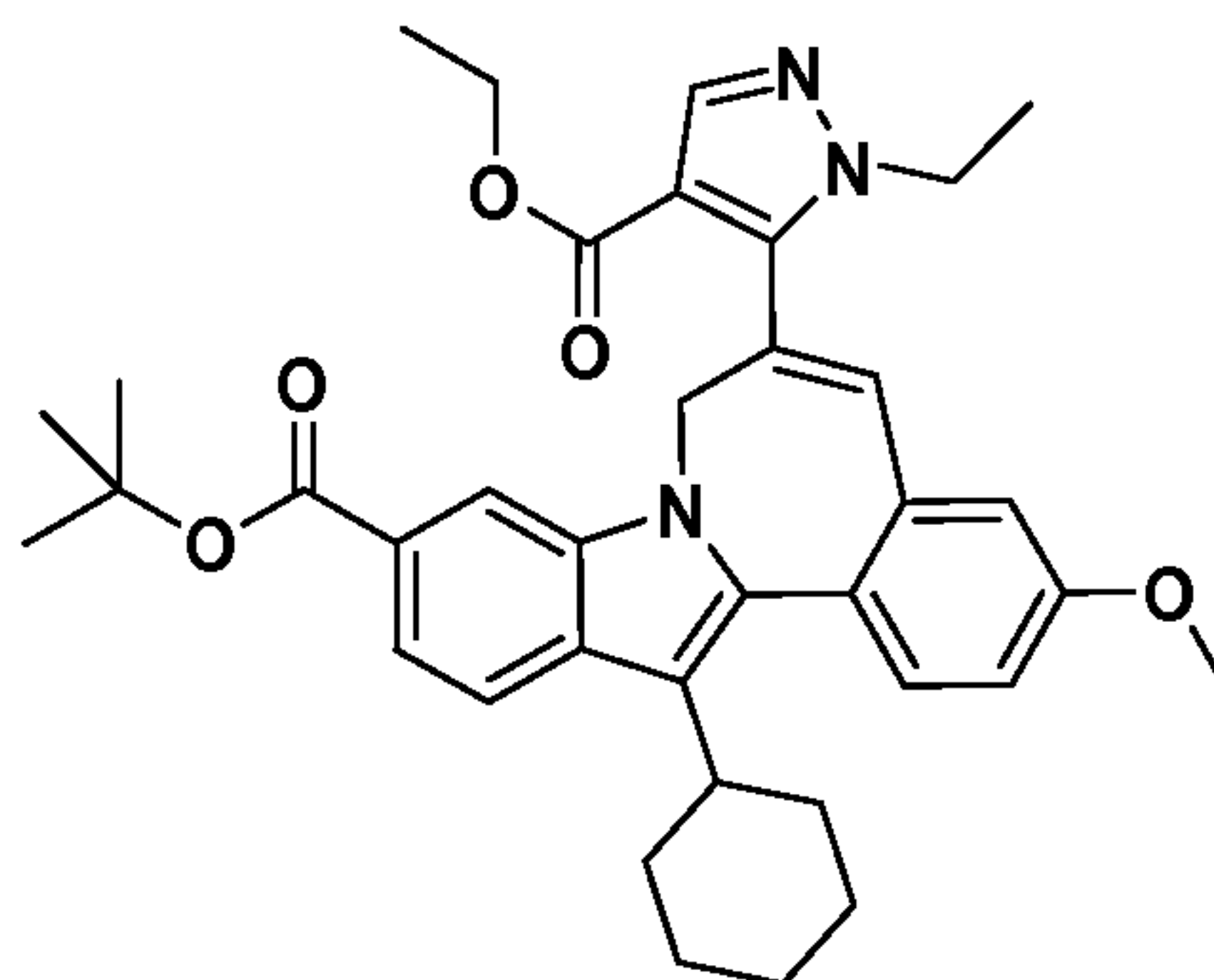
ESI-MS m/e 741 (MH^+). ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM- D) δ ppm
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 2.82 - 2.96 (m, 1 H) 3.35 - 3.83 (m, 3 H) 3.78 - 3.91 (m, 3 H) 3.90 - 3.98 (m, 3 H)
 4.19 - 4.40 (m, 1 H) 4.54 - 4.71 (m, 1 H) 4.78 - 4.98 (m, 1 H) 6.84 - 6.96 (m, 1 H)
 10 6.95 - 7.01 (m, 1 H) 7.07 - 7.15 (m, 1 H) 7.50 - 7.58 (m, 1 H) 7.59 - 7.87 (m, 3 H)
 7.90 - 7.99 (m, 1 H) 10.02 - 10.36 (m, 1 H).



15 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[[2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-*

ESI-MS m/e 744 (MH^+) ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM- D) δ ppm
 1.01 - 1.15 (m, 2 H) 1.23 (d, $J=15.26$ Hz, 1 H) 1.33 - 1.59 (m, 5 H) 1.70 - 2.31 (m, 13
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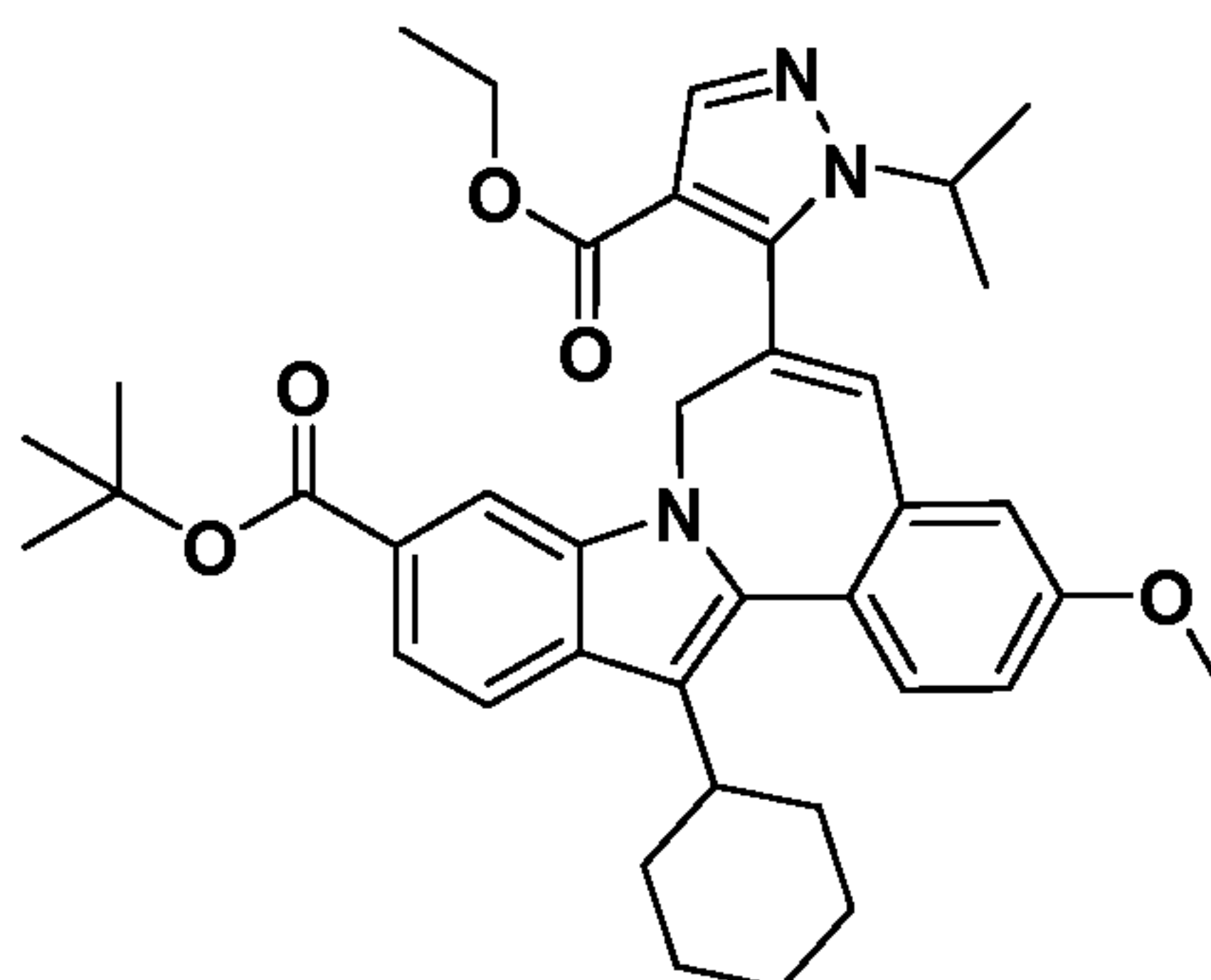
(d, $J=15.26$ Hz, 1 H) 4.79 - 5.00 (m, 1 H) 6.85 (s, 1 H) 6.95 (s, 1 H) 7.12 (dd, $J=8.55$, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.50 - 7.81 (m, 4 H) 7.86 - 7.99 (m, 1 H) 10.29 - 10.54 (m, 1 H).



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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-ethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester. tert-butyl 13-cyclohexyl-6-((2E,Z)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-(ethoxycarbonyl)-2-propenoyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate (370mg, 0.604mmol) was dissolved in ethanol (1.7ml) and the oxylate salt of ethyl hydrazine (100 mg, 0.664 mg) was added to the reaction at room temperature. The reaction was heated to 80 deg C for 3hrs. The reaction was diluted with chloroform and washed with water. The organic phase was concentrated under reduced pressure and purified by prep HPLC under the following conditions: Shimadzu preparative HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA; %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA; Initial %B= 30; Final % B=100; Gradient= 12min; Runtime=20min; Flow rate= 40ml/min; Column= Waters Sunfire 30 x 100mm S5. This afforded the title compound (265 mg, 72%) as a yellow paste.. MS m/z 610 (MH⁺).

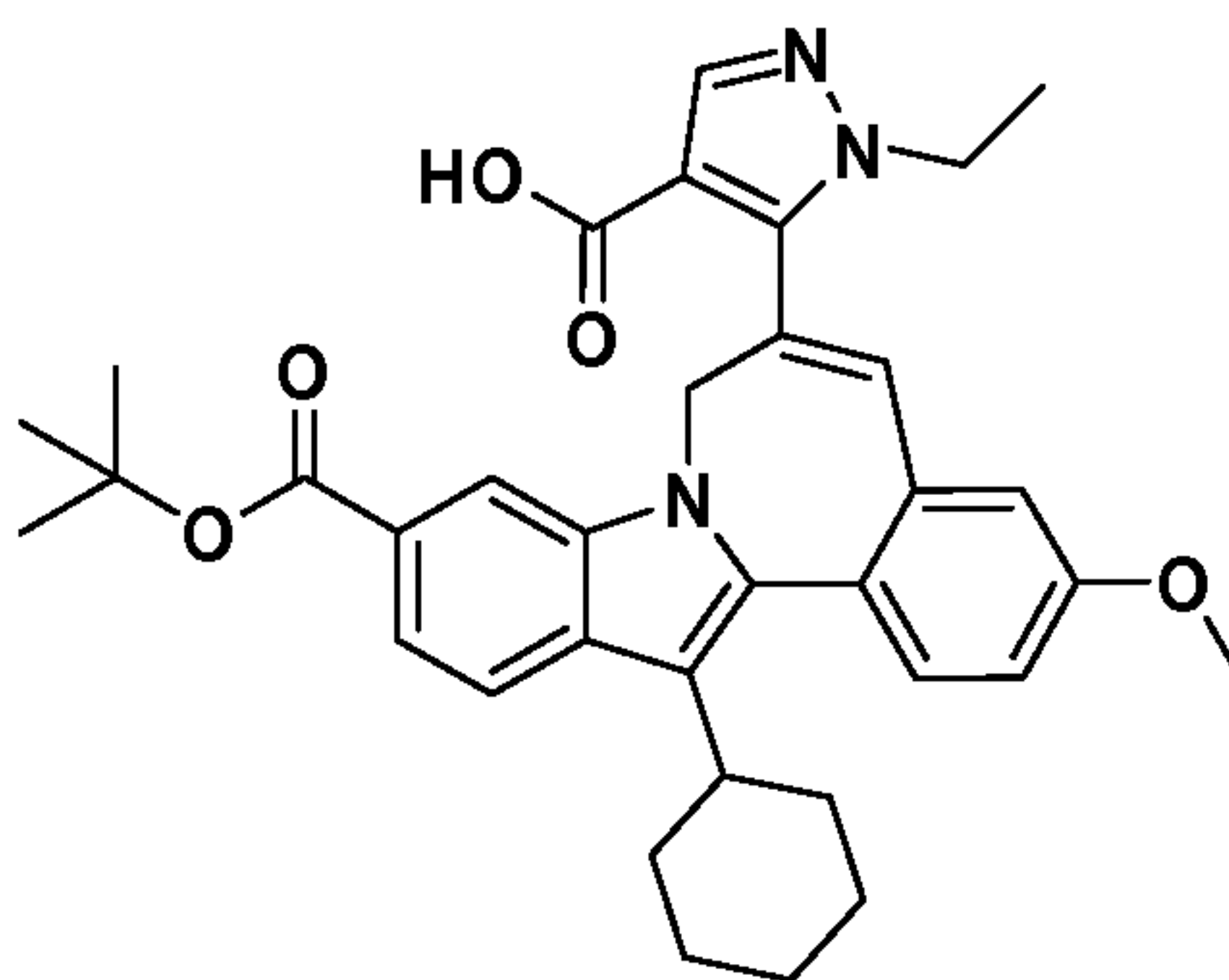
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester.

tert-Butyl 13-cyclohexyl-6-((2E,Z)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-(ethoxycarbonyl)-2-propenoyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate (180mg, 0.294mmol) was dissolved in a solution of ethanol (1ml), triethyl amine (82.0 uL, 0.588mmol) and the hydrochloride salt of 2-propyl hydrazine (36 mg, 0.323 mmol). The reaction was heated in a microwave at 160°C for 2 hours and then concentrated. The resulting solid was purified by preparative HPLC under the following conditions:

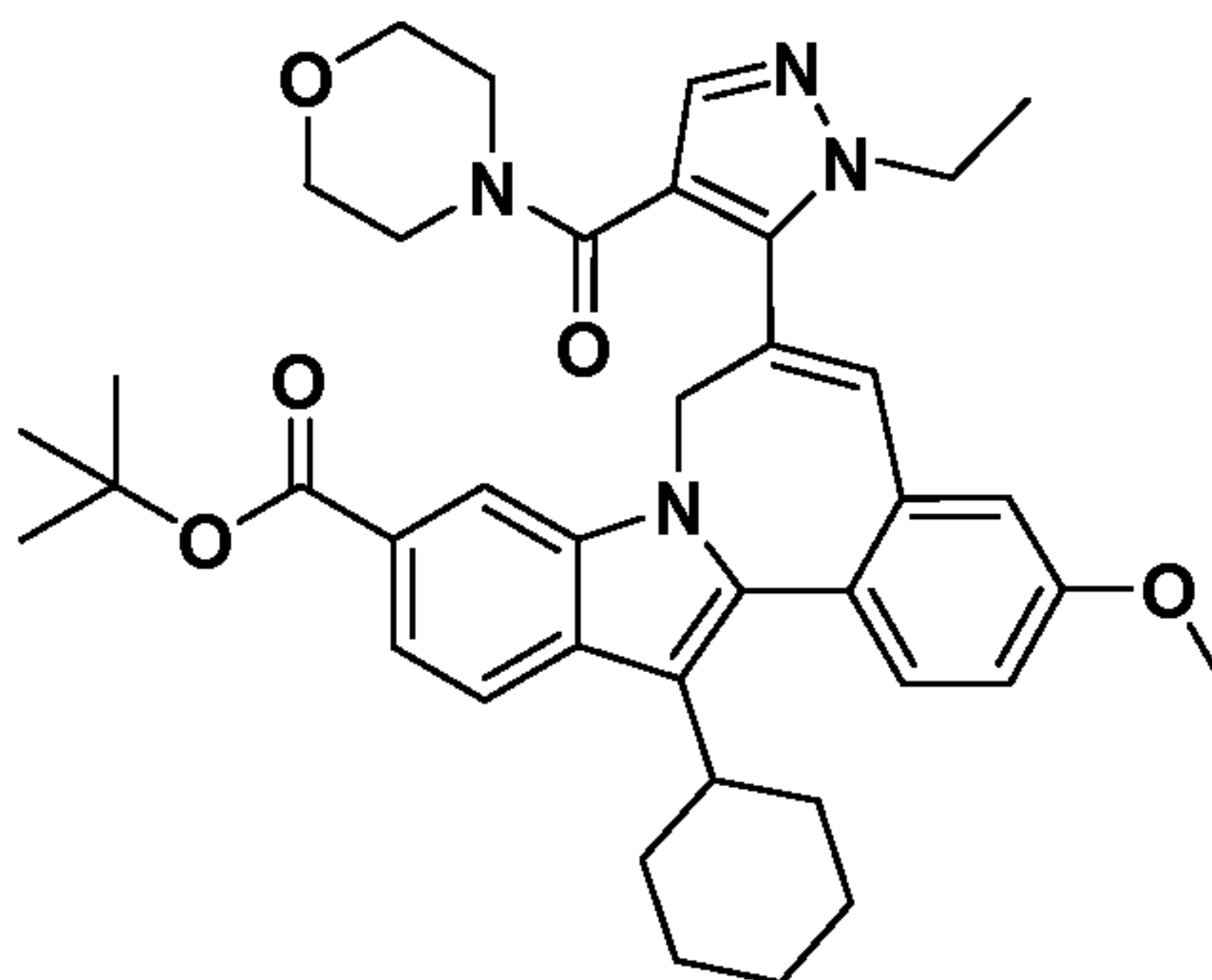
Shimadzu preparative HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA; %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA; Initial %B= 30; Final % B=100; Gradient= 12min; Runtime=20min; Flow rate= 40ml/min; Column= Waters Sunfire 30 x 100mm S5. Homogeneous fractions were combined and evaporated in vacuo to afford the title compound (127 mg, 69%) as a yellow paste. MS m/z 624 (MH⁺).



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 6-(4-carboxy-1-ethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-, 10-(1,1-dimethylethyl) ester.

7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-ethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (250mg, 0.410mmol) was dissolved in 12 mL of methanol/THF (1:1, v/v) and 1M aqueous sodium hydroxide (6ml, 6mmol) was added to the reaction. The resulting mixture was stirred at room temperature for 18 hr, and then diluted with 1M aqueous hydrochloric acid and the product was extracted with chloroform. The organic phase was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and the filtrate concentrated *in vacuo* to give the

title compound (251mg, 100%) that was used in subsequent steps without further purification. MS m/z 612 (MH⁺).

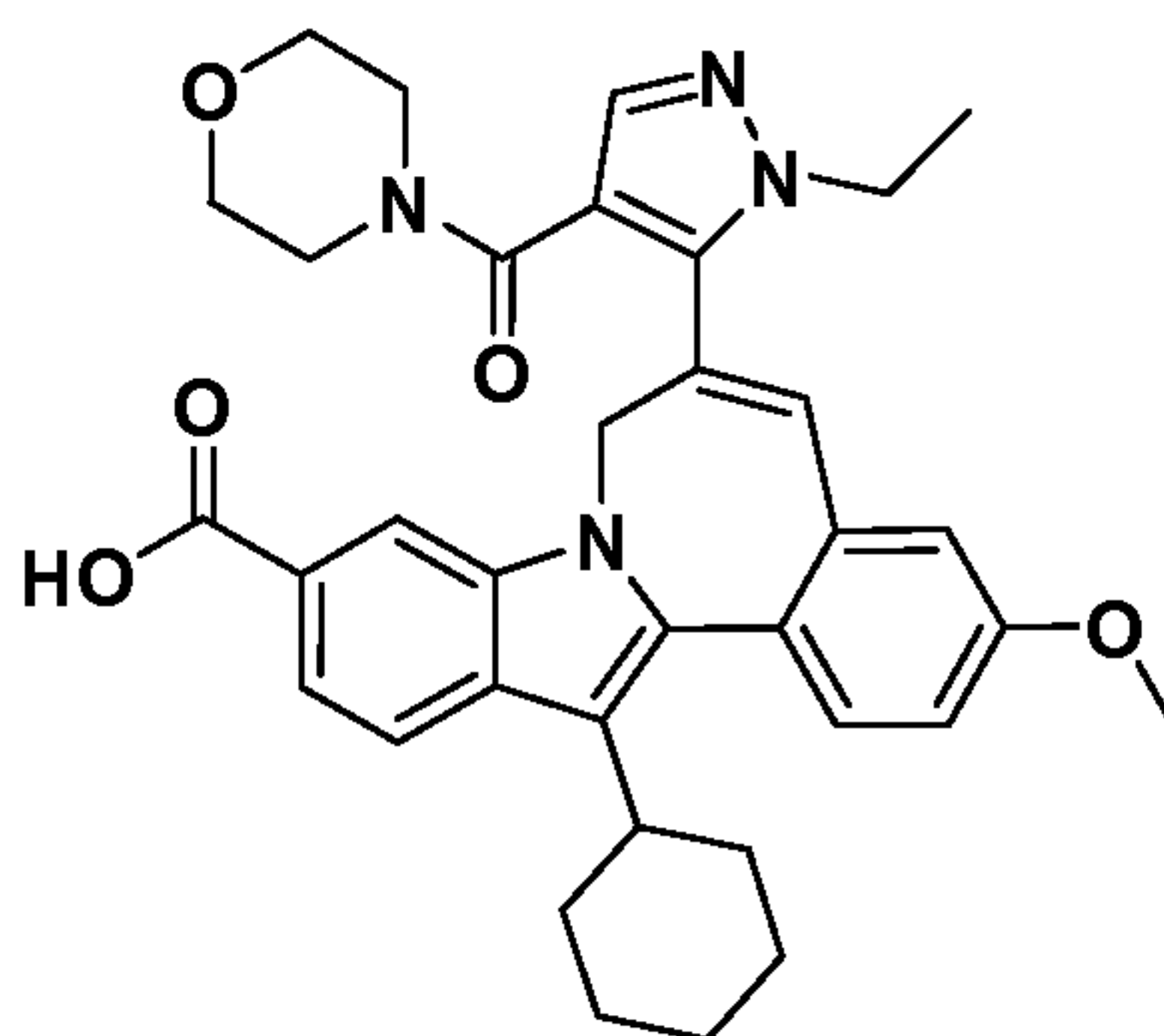


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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester.

To a solution of 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 6-(4-carboxy-1-ethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-, 10-(1,1-dimethylethyl) ester (120mg, 0.206mmol) in THF (1 mL) at 60°C was added carbonyldiimidazole (47mg, 0.288mmol) and the solution stirred for 1 hour. Morpholine (36mg, 0.412mmol) and DBU (33mg, 0.268mmol) were then added and the reaction was heated for a further 1hr and was then allowed to stir to room temperature overnight.

The reaction was then diluted with 1M aqueous hydrochloric acid and the resultant mixture was extracted with chloroform. The extracts were dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered and then concentrated in vacuo to provide the title compound in quantitative yield. MS m/z 651 (MH⁺).

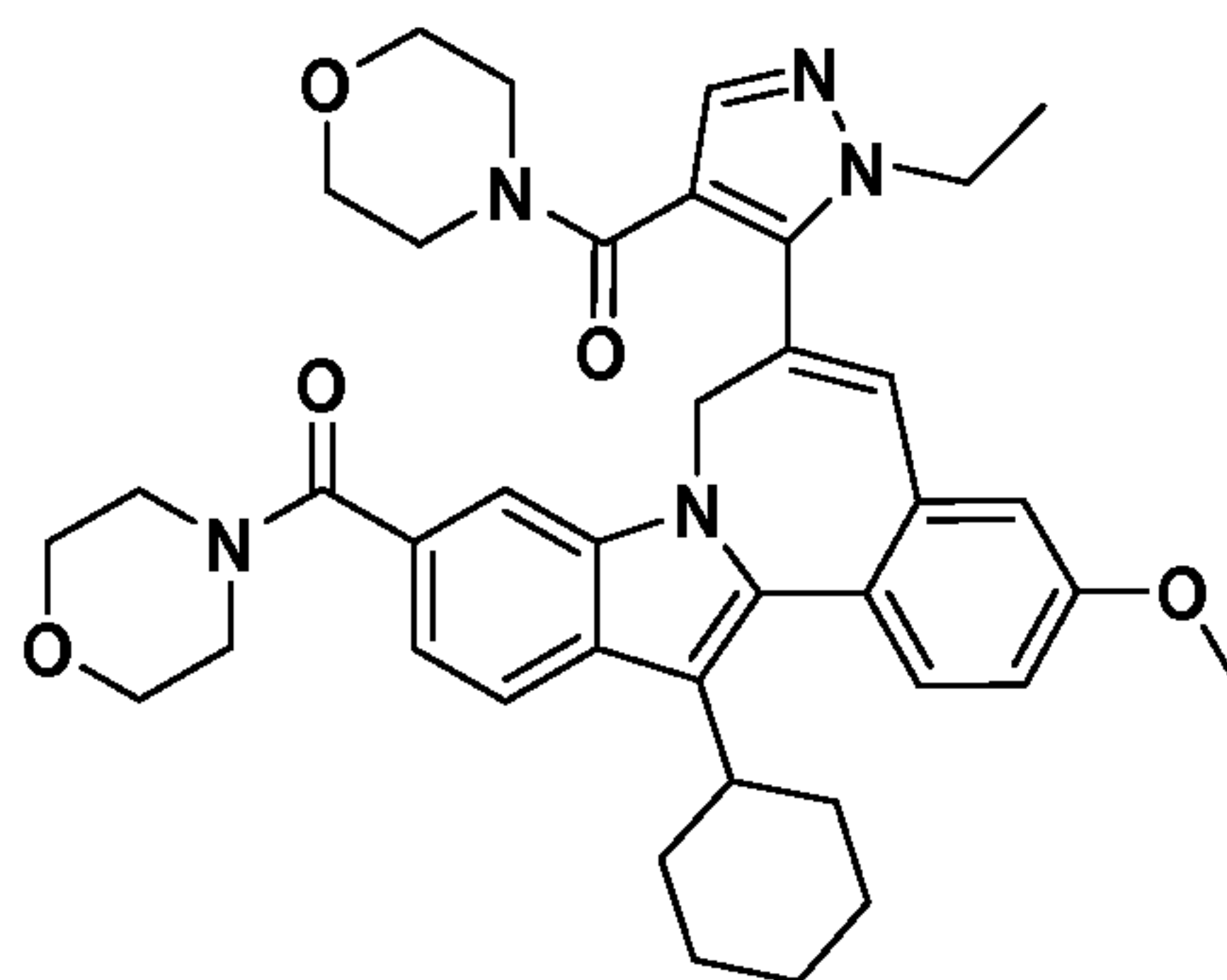


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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-.

7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (61mg, 0.094 mmol) was dissolved in trifluoroacetic acid (2 mL) and stirred at room temperature for 3 hours and the mixture was then concentrated *in vacuo*. Residual trifluoroacetic acid was removed by azeotrope with benzene and the final product was dried *in vacuo* to provide the title compound, (56 mg, 100%) that was used without further purification. MS m/z 595 (MH^+).

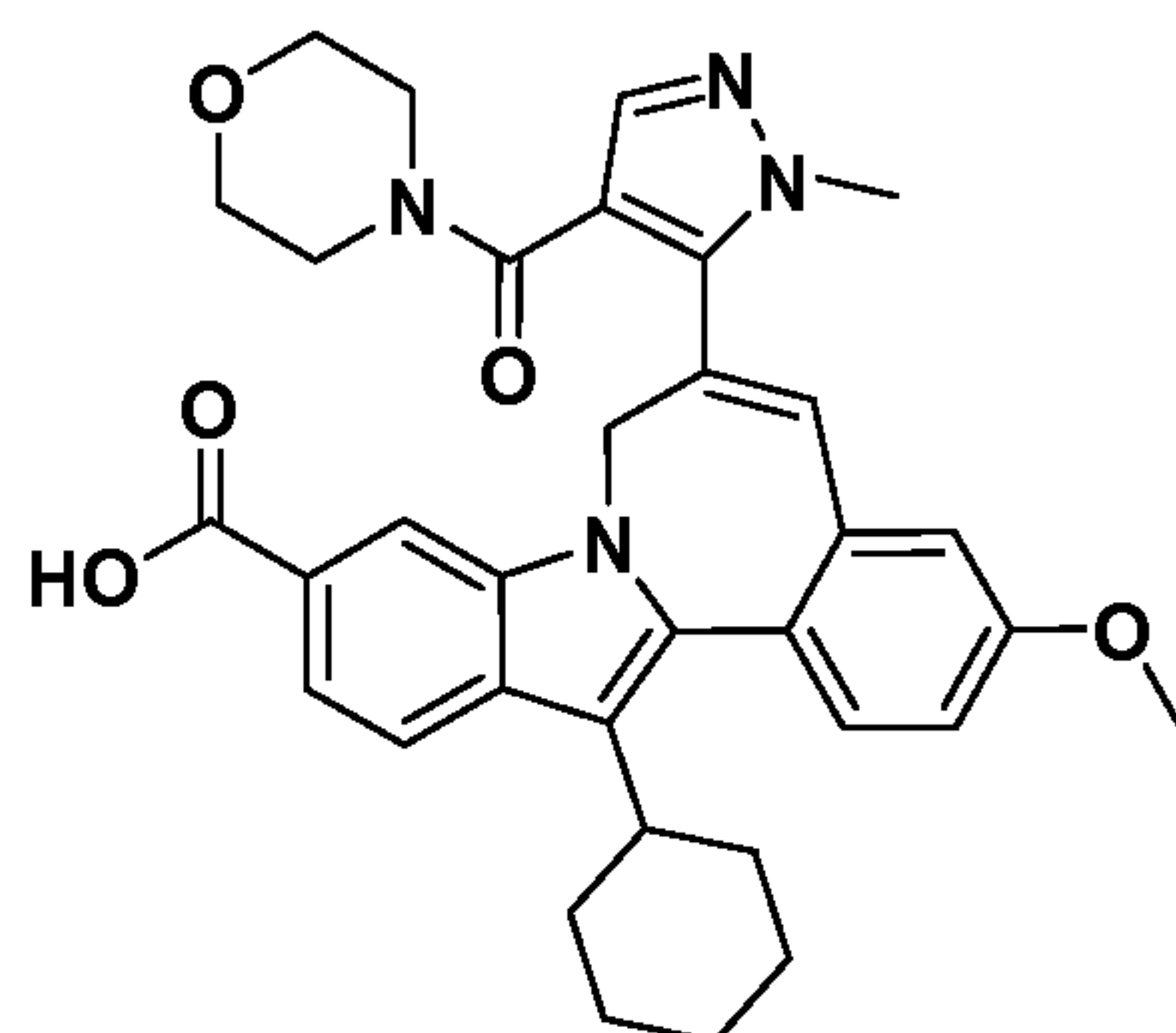
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Morpholine, 4-[[13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-10-yl]carbonyl]-.

7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, (60mg, 0.092mmol) was dissolved in THF (0.9 mL) and carbonyldiimidazole (21mg, 0.130mmol) was added. The resultant mixture was then stirred at 60°C for 1hr. Upon cooling to room temperature under a nitrogen atmosphere, morpholine (40 mg, 0.460 mmol) and DBU (0.012 mL, 0.120 mmol) were added. The reaction was heated for 1hr then allowed to stir to room temperature overnight. The resulting mixture was filtered and the resultant filtrate was purified by preparative HPLC under the following conditions: Shimadzu preparative HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA; %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA; Initial %B= 30; Final % B=100; Gradient= 12min; Runtime=20min; Flow rate= 40 mL/min; Column= Waters Sunfire 30 x 100mm S5. This afforded the title compound (31 mg, 51%) as a yellow paste. MS m/z 664 (MH^+).

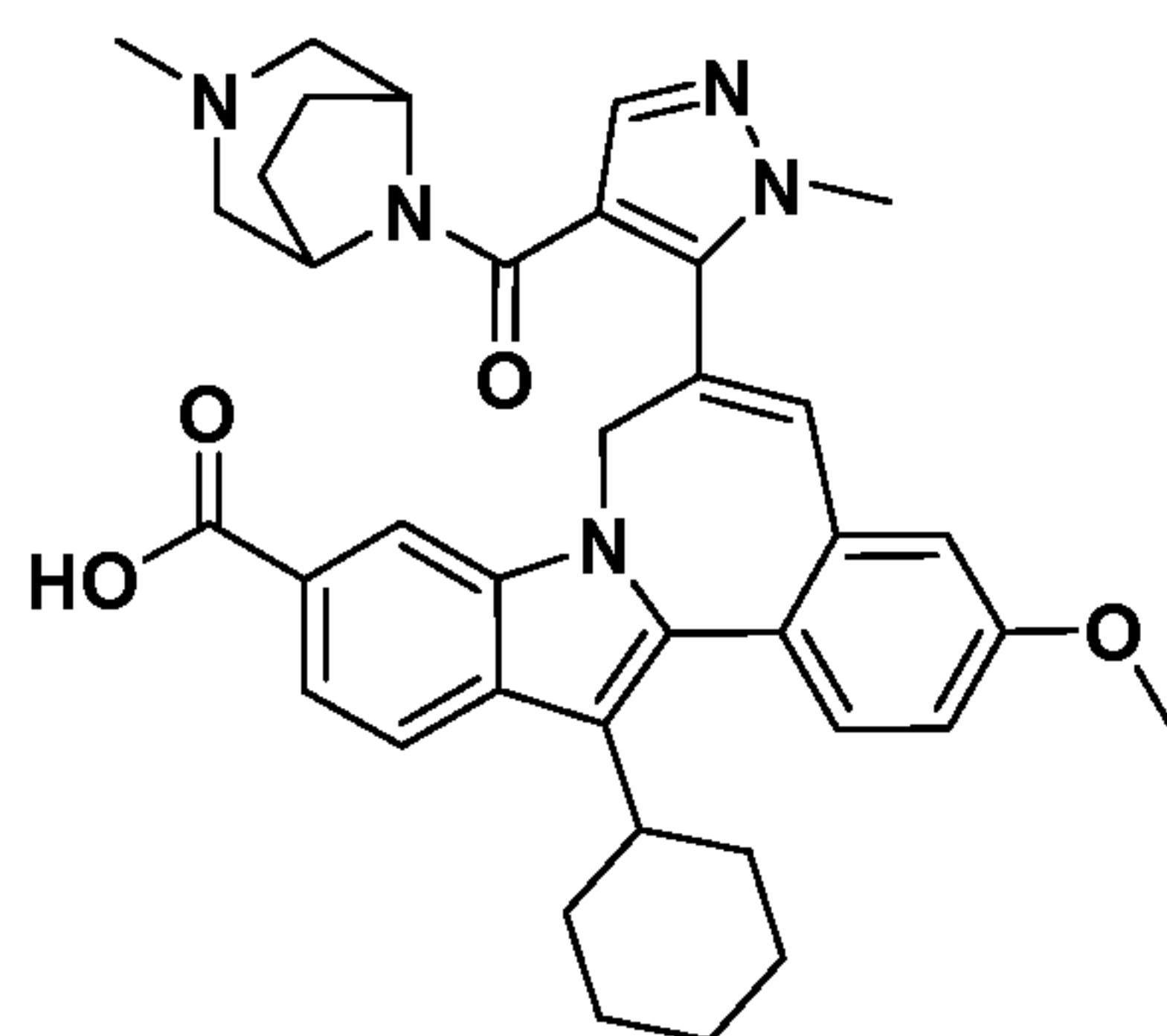
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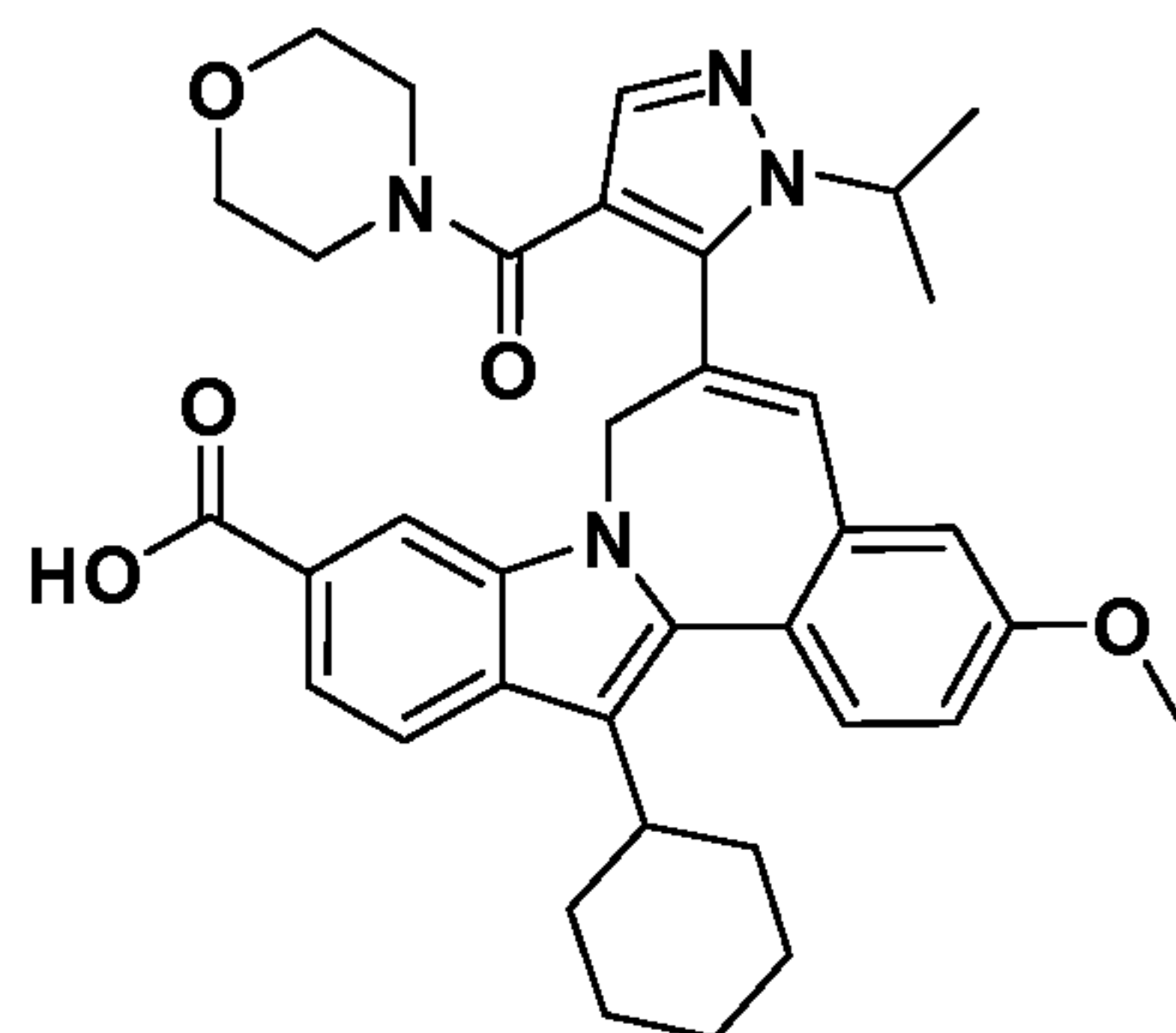
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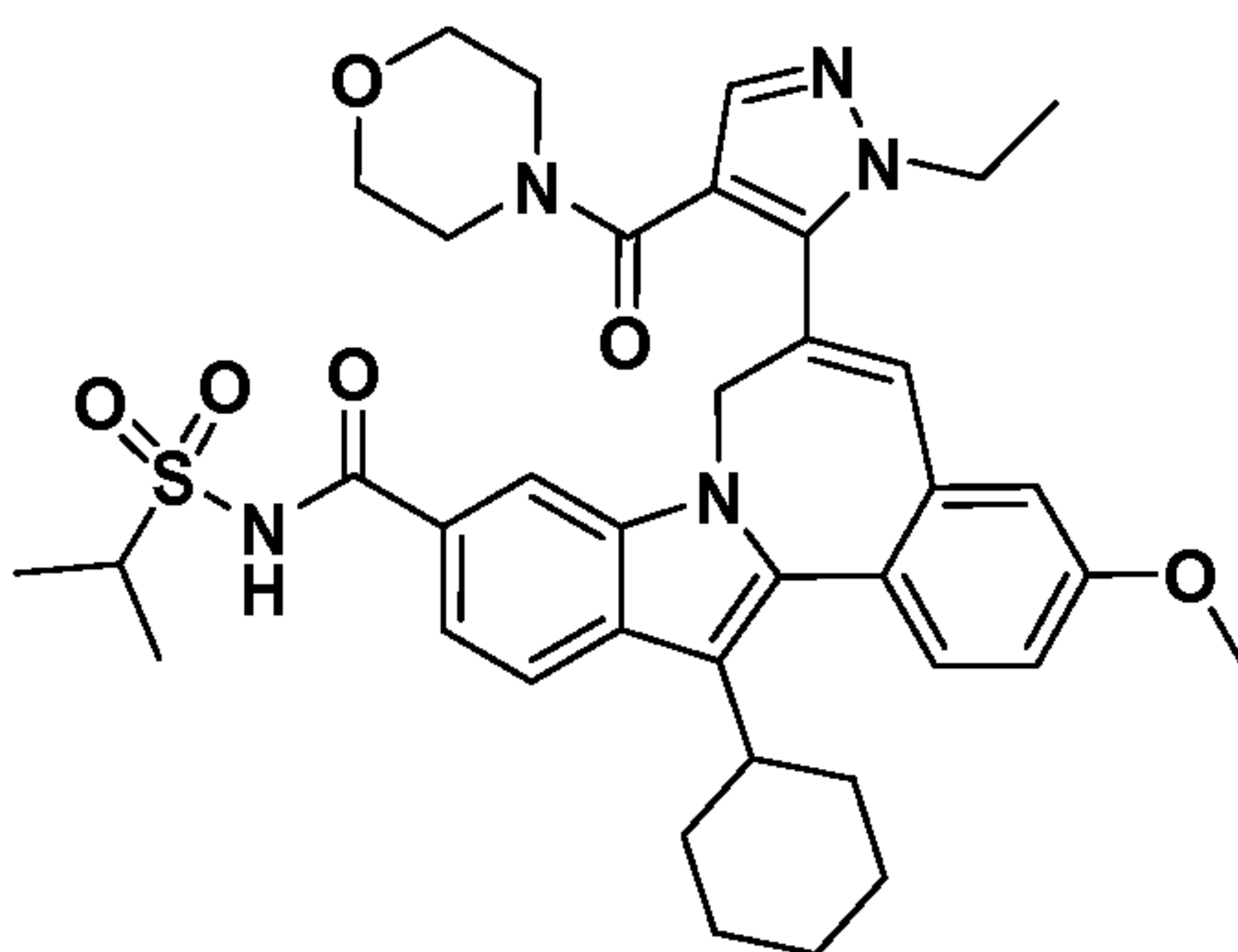


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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-(1-methylethyl)-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-. MS m/z
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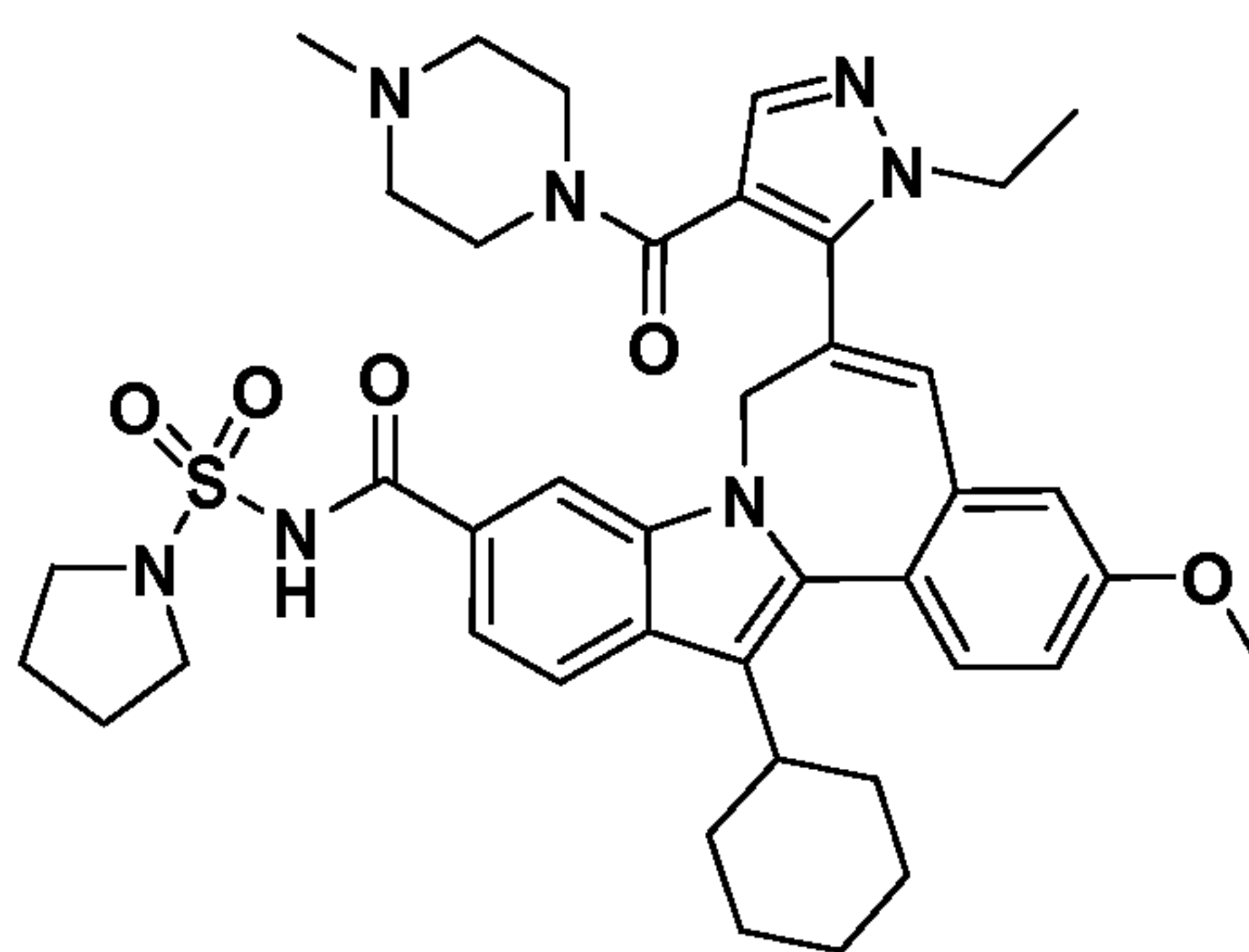


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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, (56mg, 0.094mmol) was dissolved in THF (0.9 mL) and carbonyldiimidazole (21mg, 0.129mmol) added to the reaction at 60°C and the resultant mixture was stirred for 1hr. Propane-2-sulfonamide (57mg, 0.246mmol) and DBU (15mg, 0.120mmol) were then added to the reaction and the mixture was heated for a further 1 hour, then allowed to stir to room temperature for 18 hours. The resulting mixture was filtered and the filtrate purified by prep HPLC under the following conditions: Shimadzu preparative HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA; %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA; Initial %B= 30; Final % B=100; Gradient= 12min; Runtime=20min; Flow rate= 40 mL/min; Column= Waters Sunfire 30 x
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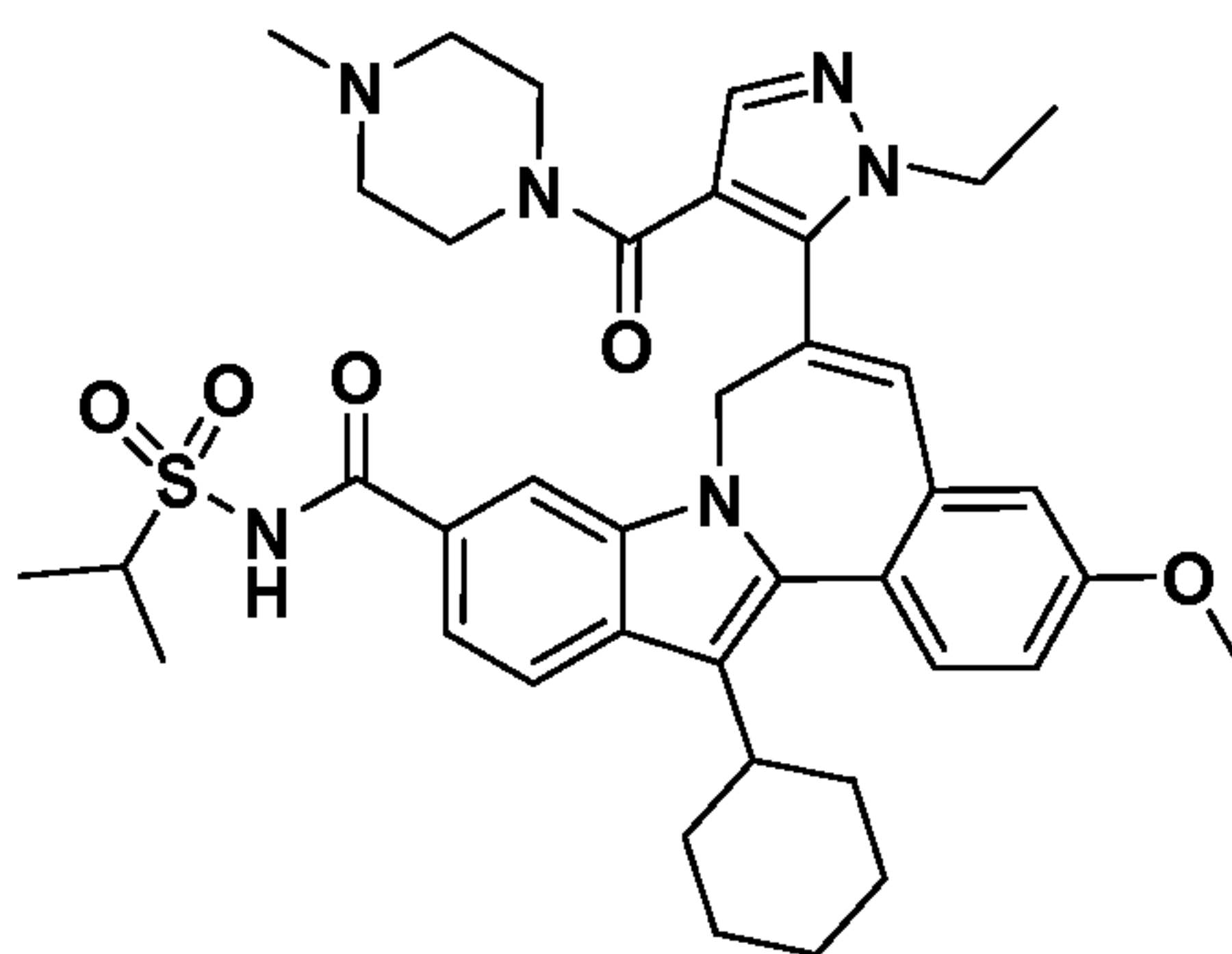
100mm S5. This afforded the title compound (40 mg, 61%) as a yellow paste. MS m/z 700 (MH^+).

The following compounds were synthesized by an analogous method as
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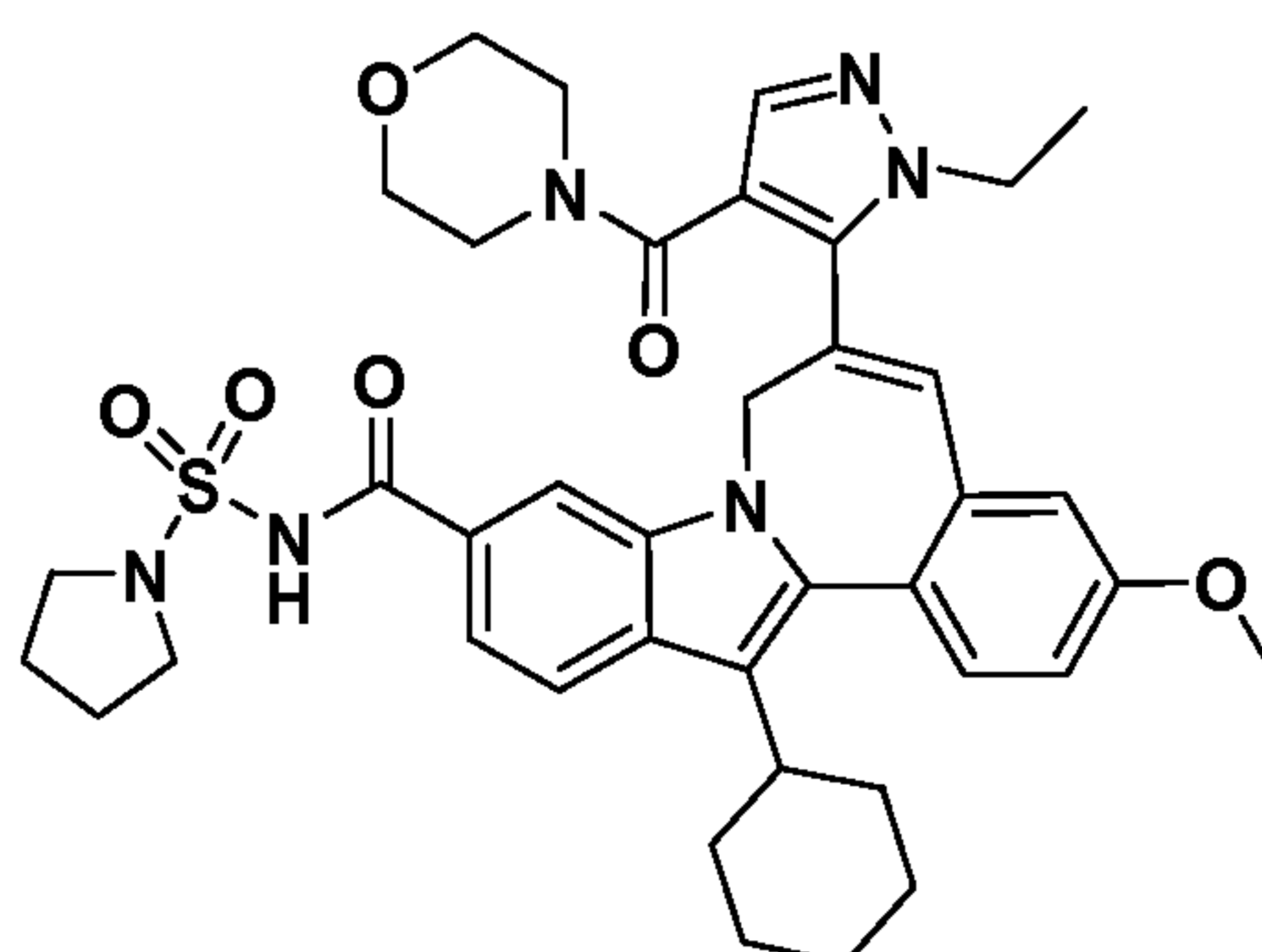
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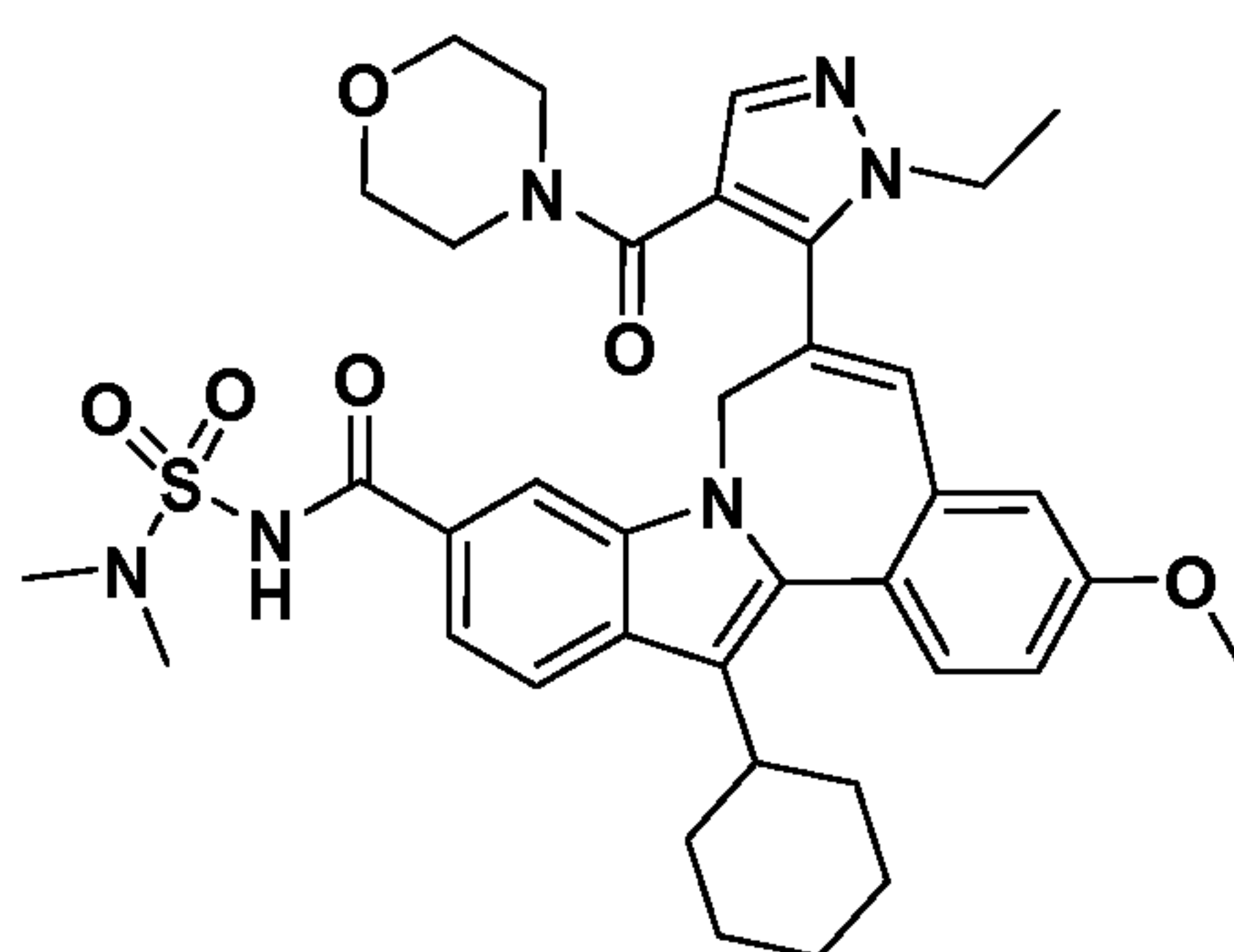
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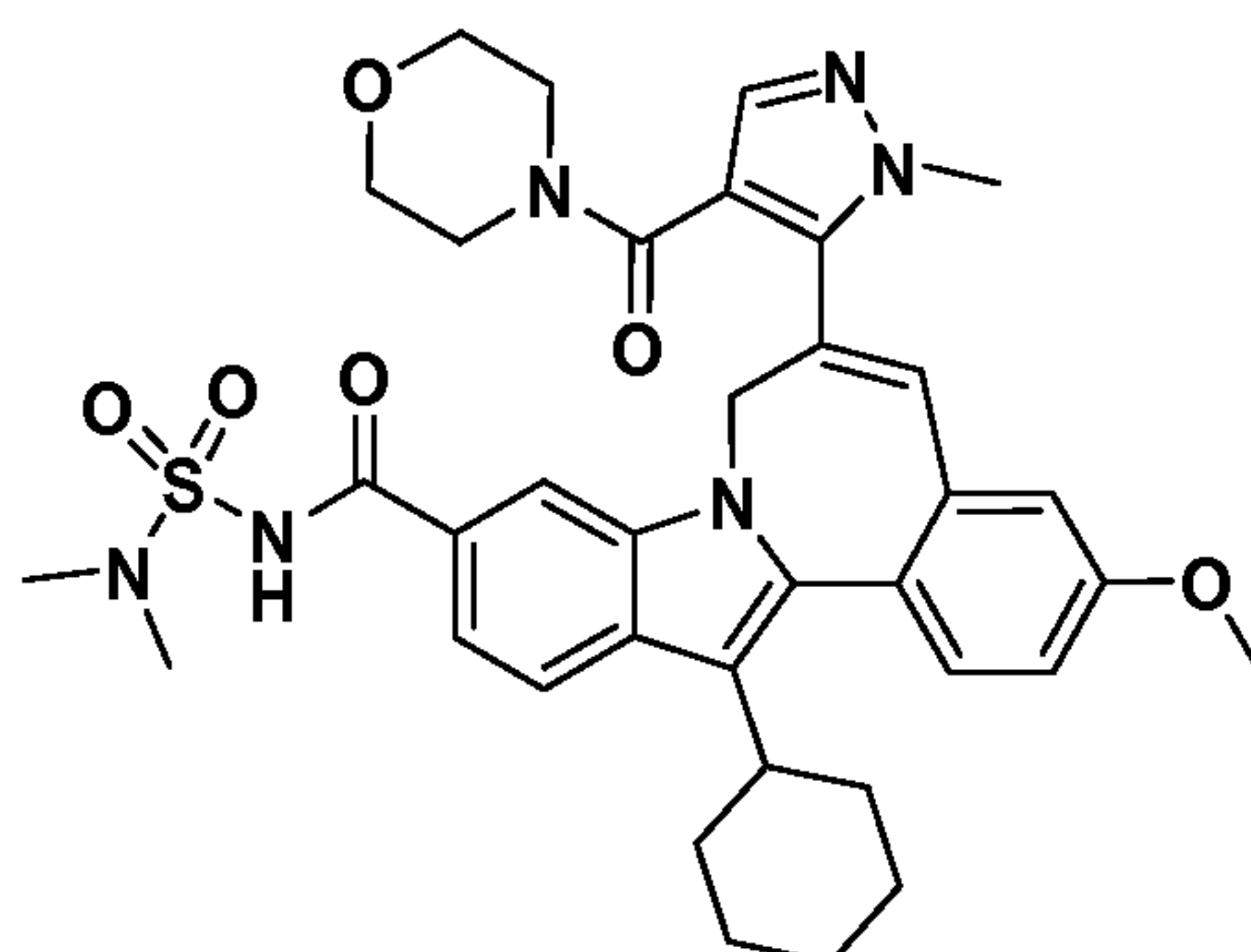
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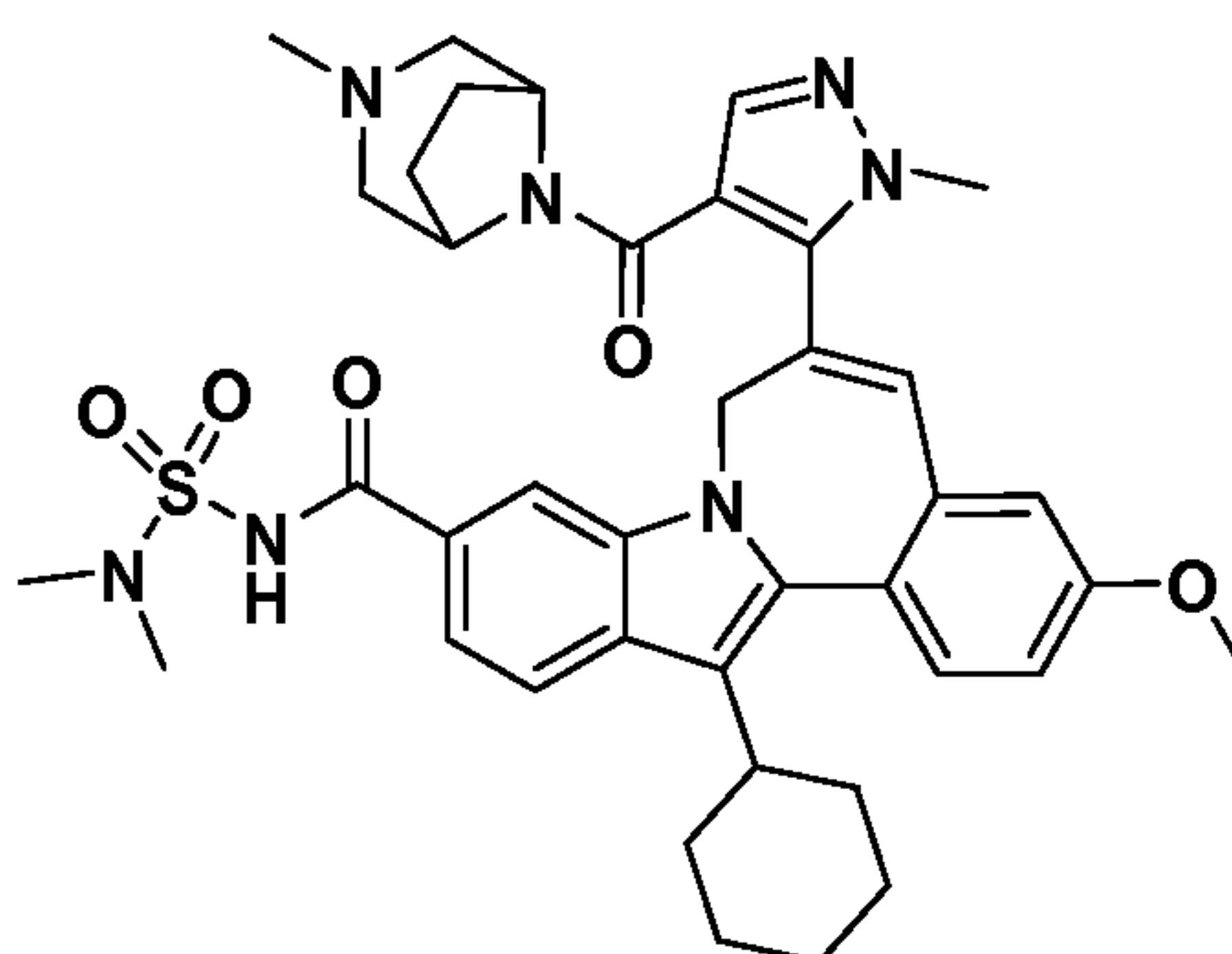
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 5 MS m/z 727 (MH⁺).



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-
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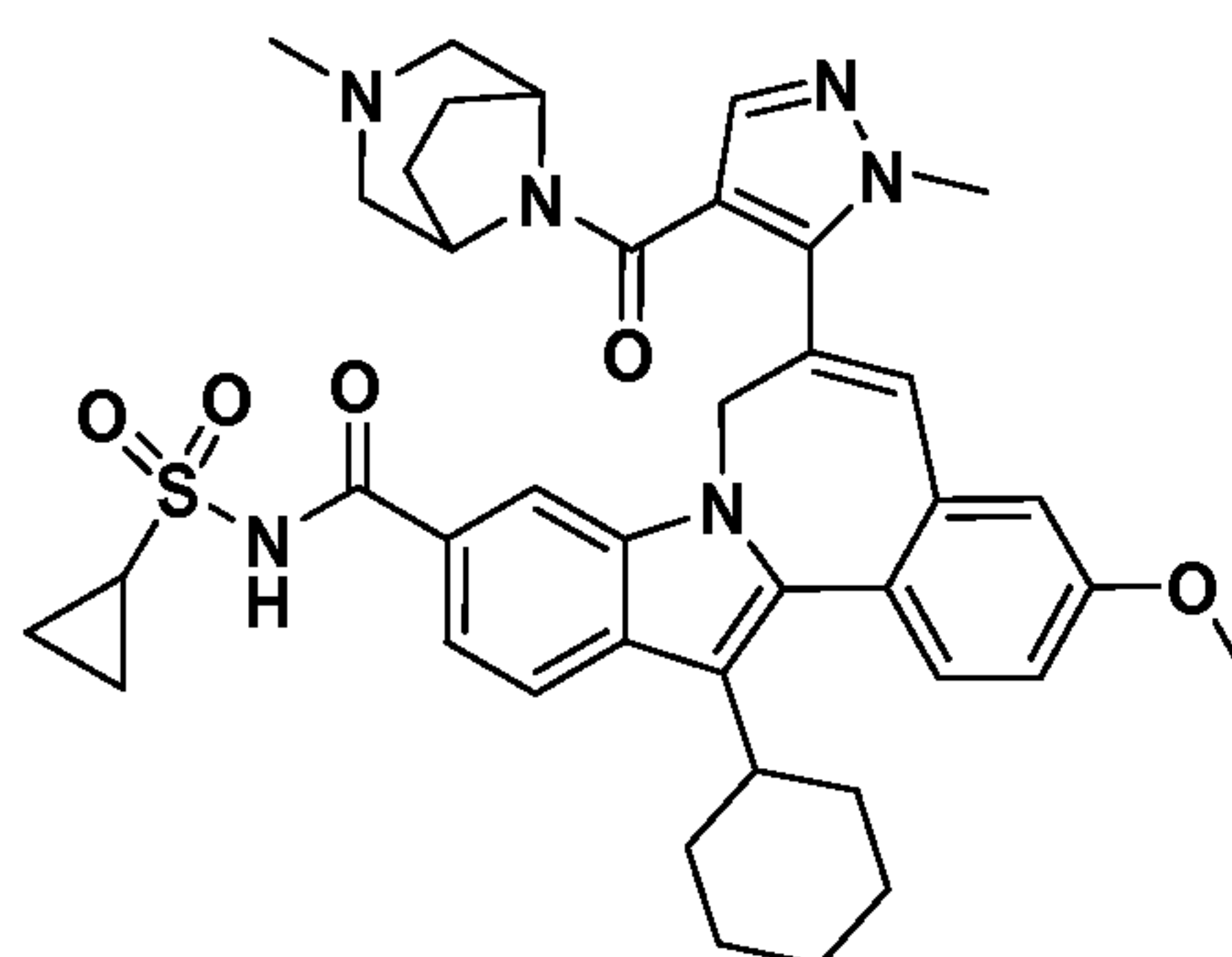
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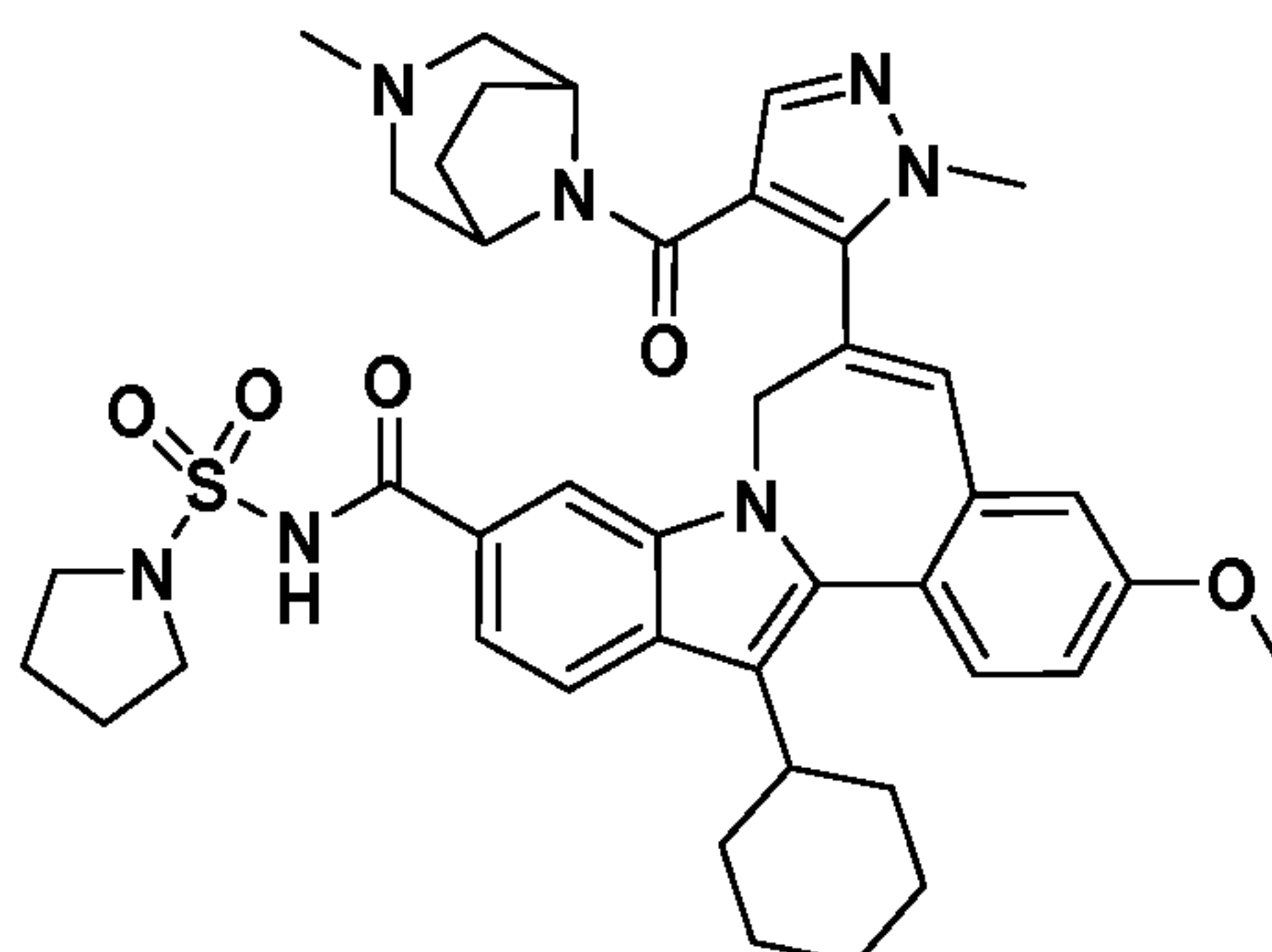
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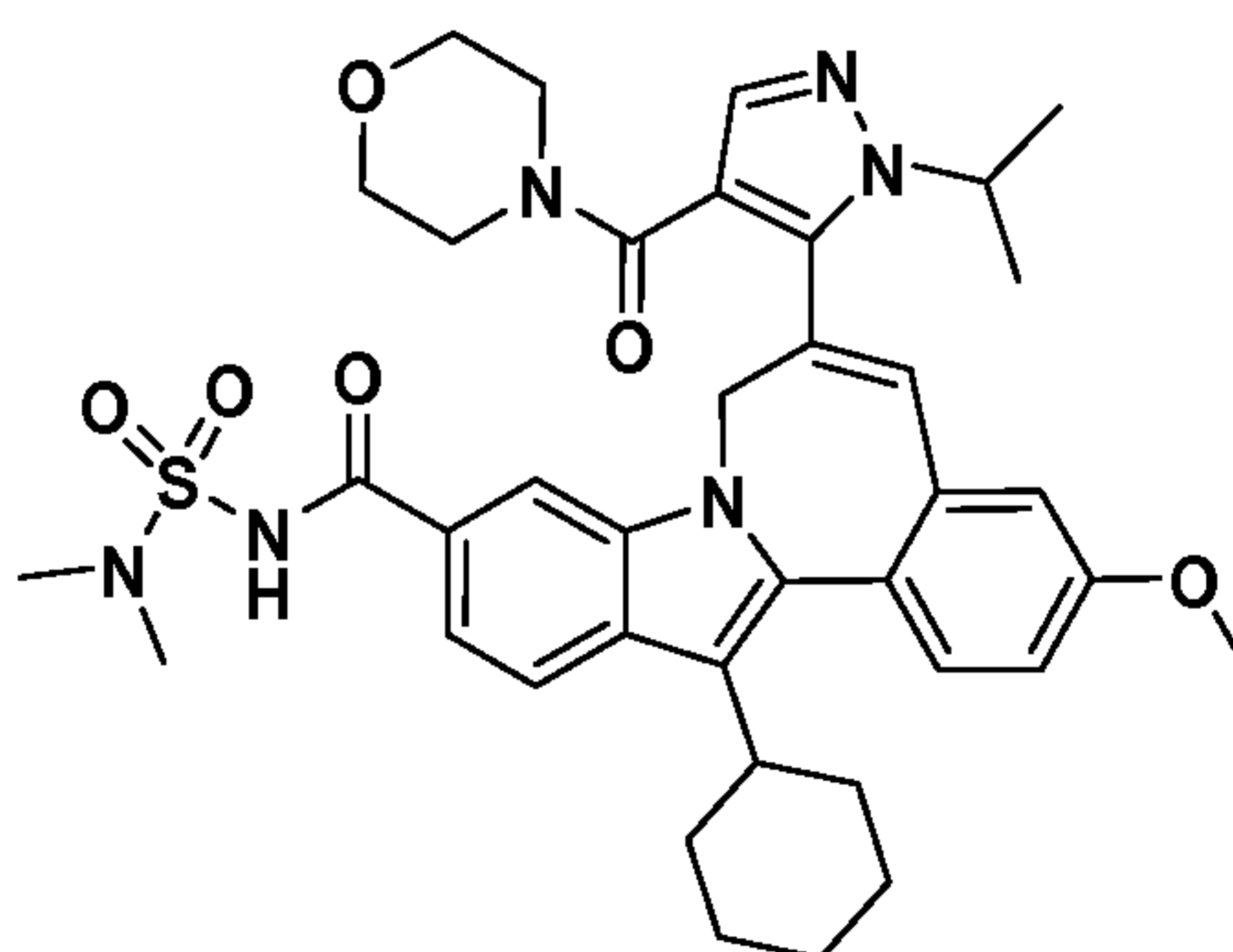


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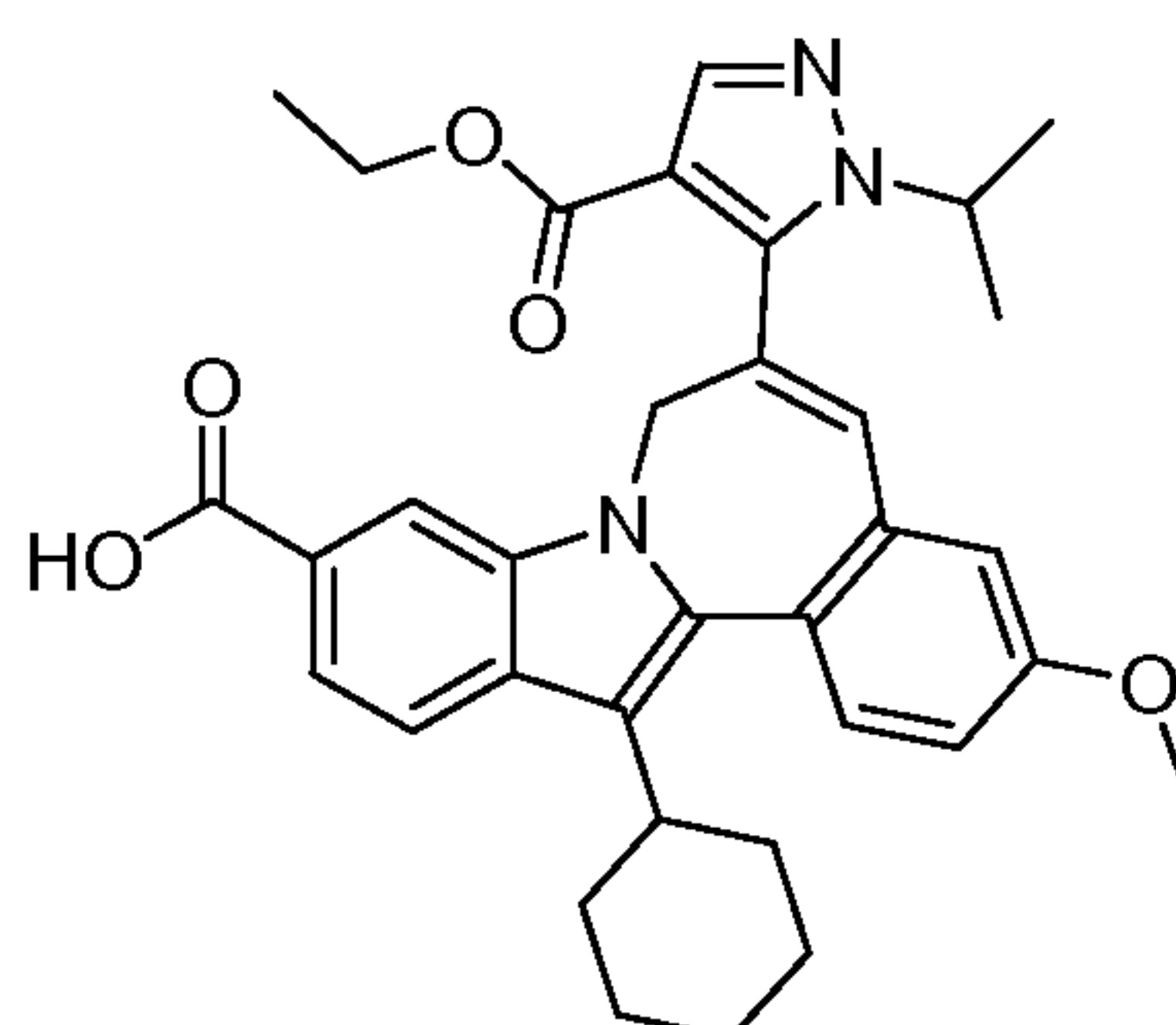
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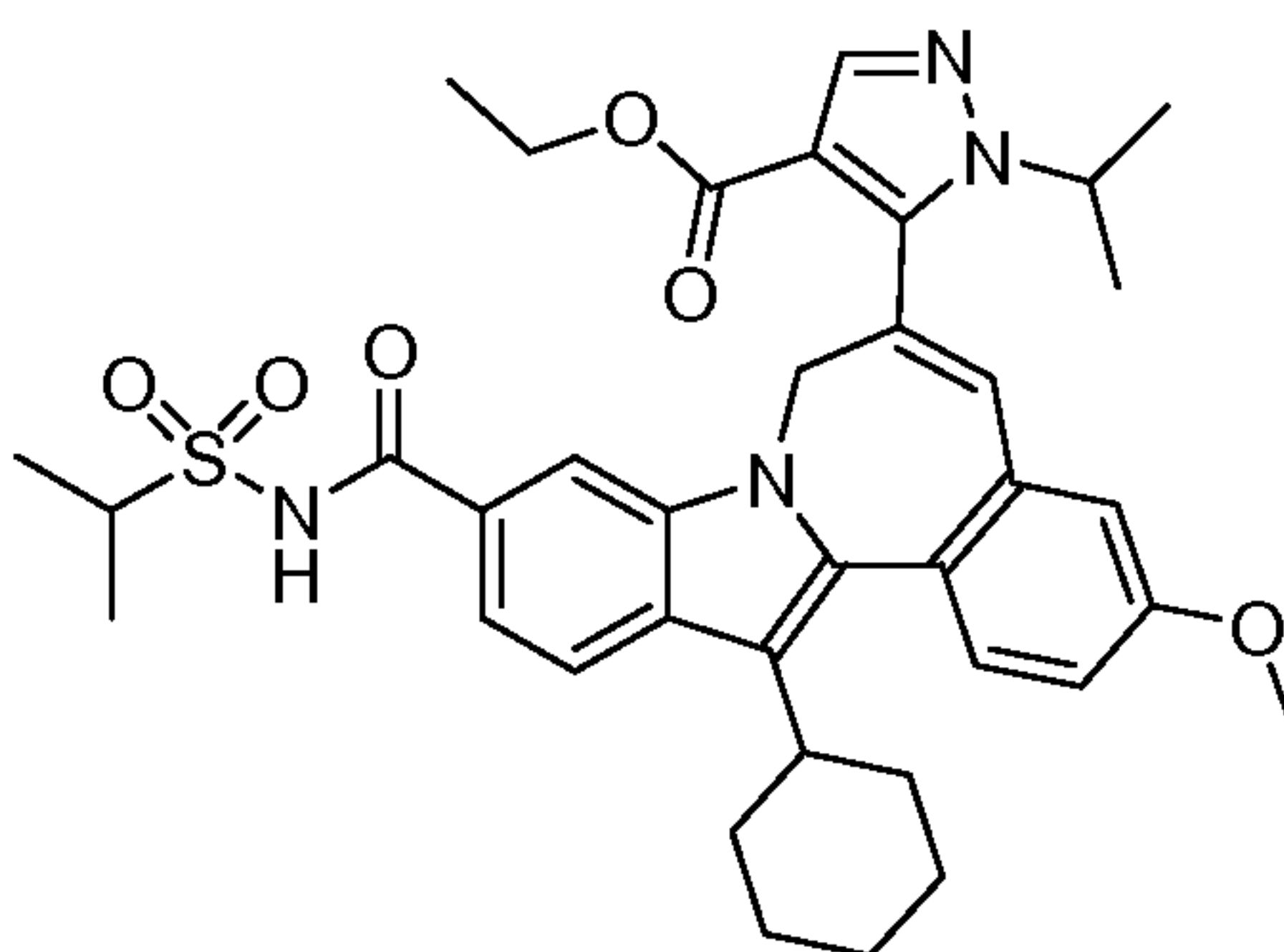
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-3-methoxy-6-[1-(1-methylethyl)-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-. MS m/z 715 (MH⁺).

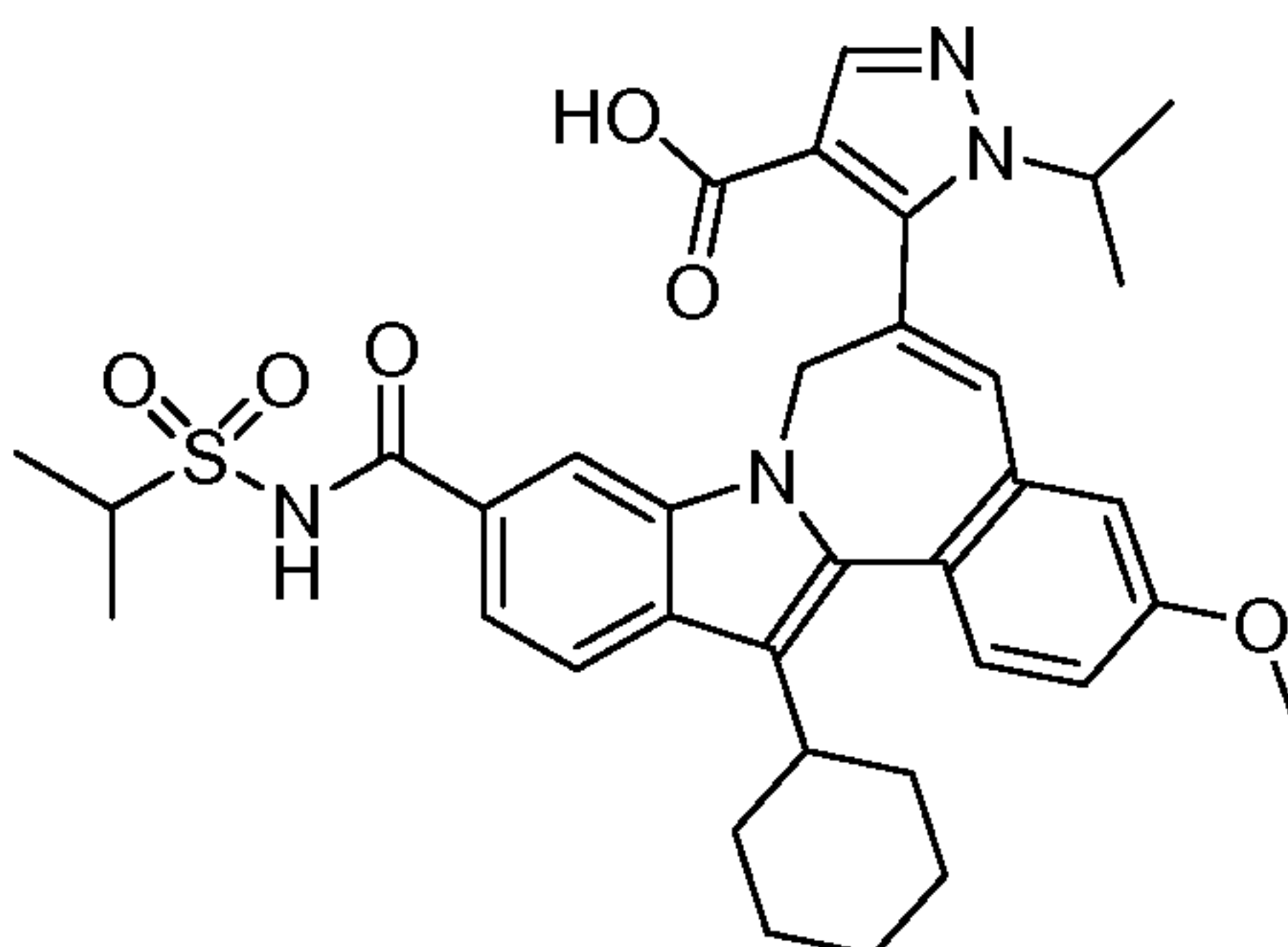


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-. Dissolve 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (2.00 g, 3.21 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (6.41 mL), place reaction under a nitrogen atmosphere, then add trifluoroacetic acid (6.41 ml). Stir reaction at room temperature under a nitrogen atmosphere for 2 hours. Remove volatiles in vacuo and dissolve the reaction product in benzene and remove in vacuo to aid in removal of trace TFA. Repeat dissolution in benzene and removal in vacuo. Dry sample at room temperature in vacuo to obtain the title compound (1.92 g, 100% yield) as a yellow solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.48 (br s, 3H) 1.12 - 1.65 (m, 9 H) 1.72 - 2.19 (m, 7 H) 2.87 (t, J =11.29 Hz, 1 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.22 (m, 1 H) 4.32 (br.s, 2 H) 4.73 (br.s, 1 H) 4.97 (br.s, 1 H) 6.70 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, J =2.14 Hz, 1 H) 7.08 (dd, J =8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.52 (m, 2 H) 7.64 (d, J =8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.82 (d, J =8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.96 (s, 1 H). LCMS 566 m/z (MH⁻).



1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-1-(1-methylethyl)-, ethyl ester. Dissolve 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy- (1.00 g, 1.76 mmol) in THF (5.87 mL). Carbonyldiimidazole (857 mg, 5.28 mmol) was added to the reaction. The reaction was placed under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 45 minutes then heated to reflux for 1 hour. The reaction was cooled under a nitrogen atmosphere and propane-2-sulfonamide (868 mg, 7.05 mmol) was added to the reaction followed by DBU

(0.797 mL, 5.28 mmol). The reaction was immerse in oil bath at 80 deg C under nitrogen atmosphere and heated overnight at 70-80 deg C. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate (50 mL) and the organic layer washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid (50 mL), 0.1M aqueous NaH₂PO₄ (50 mL) and brine (25 mL). The organic layer was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and volatiles removed *in vacuo* to yield a yellow foam which was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature overnight to yield 1.03g (1.57mmol, 87%) of the title compound as a yellow amorphous solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.40 (br s, 3H) 1.12 - 1.70 (m, 15 H) 1.72 - 2.18 (m, 7 H) 2.84 (t, *J*=11.29 Hz, 1 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 4.11 (m, 1 H) 4.26 (m, 3 H) 4.66 (br.s, 1 H) 4.97 (br.s, 1 H) 6.68 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, *J*=2.14 Hz, 1 H) 7.08 (m, 2 H) 7.52 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.67 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.80 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.89 (s, 1 H). LCMS 671 m/z (MH⁻).

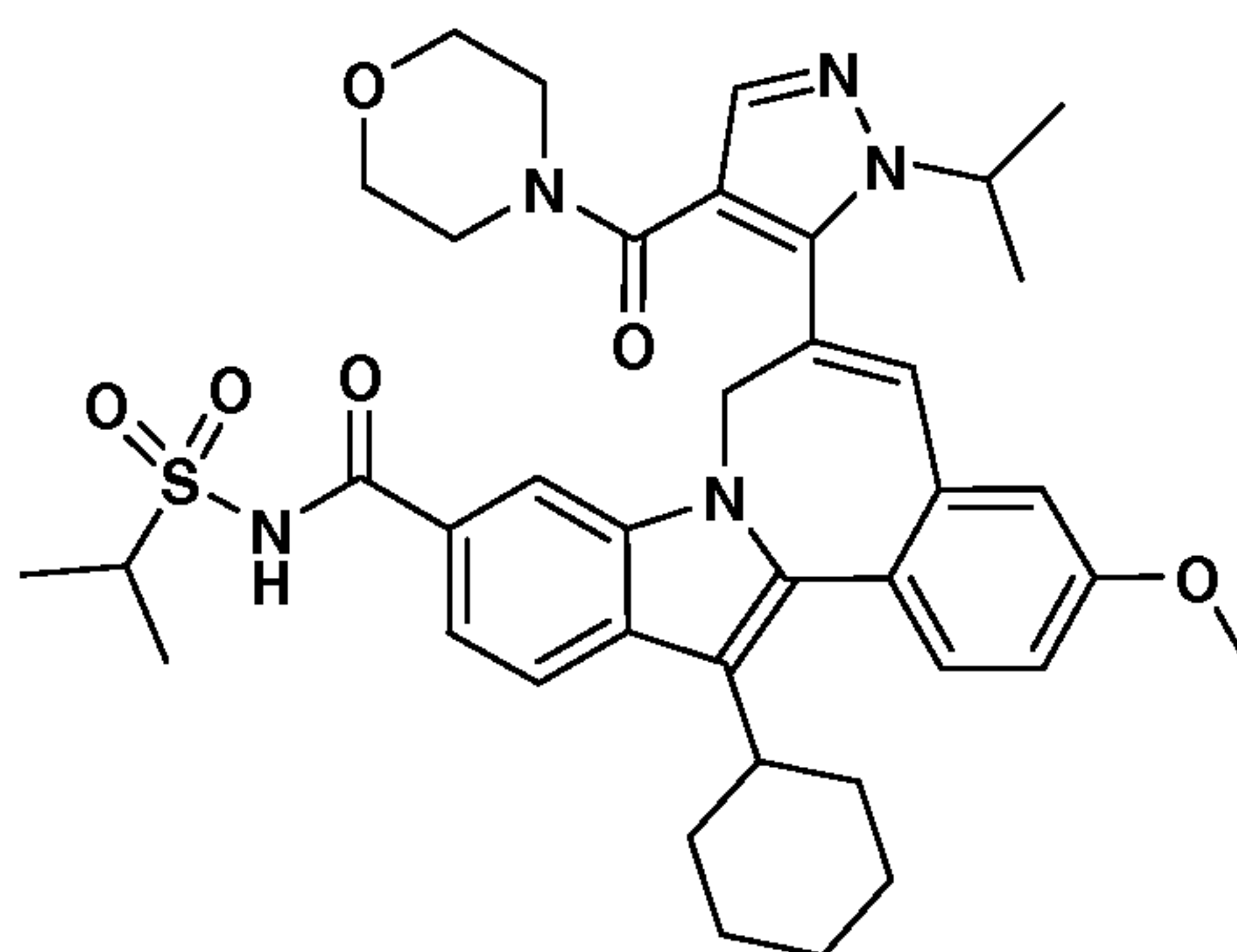


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1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-. Dissolve 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-, ethyl ester (1.20 g, 1.78 mmol) was dissolved in THF (15.0 mL) and methanol (15.0 mL) was added to the reaction followed by 1N aqueous sodium hydroxide (15.0 mL). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 18 hrs. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate (25.0 mL) and washed with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid (2 x 20mL). The organic layer was concentrated *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator to yield the title compound as a yellow solid (1.15 g, 100%). MS m/z 645 (MH⁺).

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.46 (br s, 3H) 1.12 - 1.70 (m, 12 H) 1.72 - 2.15 (m, 7 H) 2.85 (t, $J=11.29$ Hz, 1 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 4.26 (m, 1 H) 4.62 (br.s, 1 H) 4.99 (br.s, 1 H) 6.69 (s, 1 H) 6.96 (d, $J=2.14$ Hz, 1 H) 7.06 (dd, $J=8.55$, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.50 (m, 2 H) 7.80 (m, 2 H) 7.85 (s, 1 H) 9.09 (br s, 1 H).

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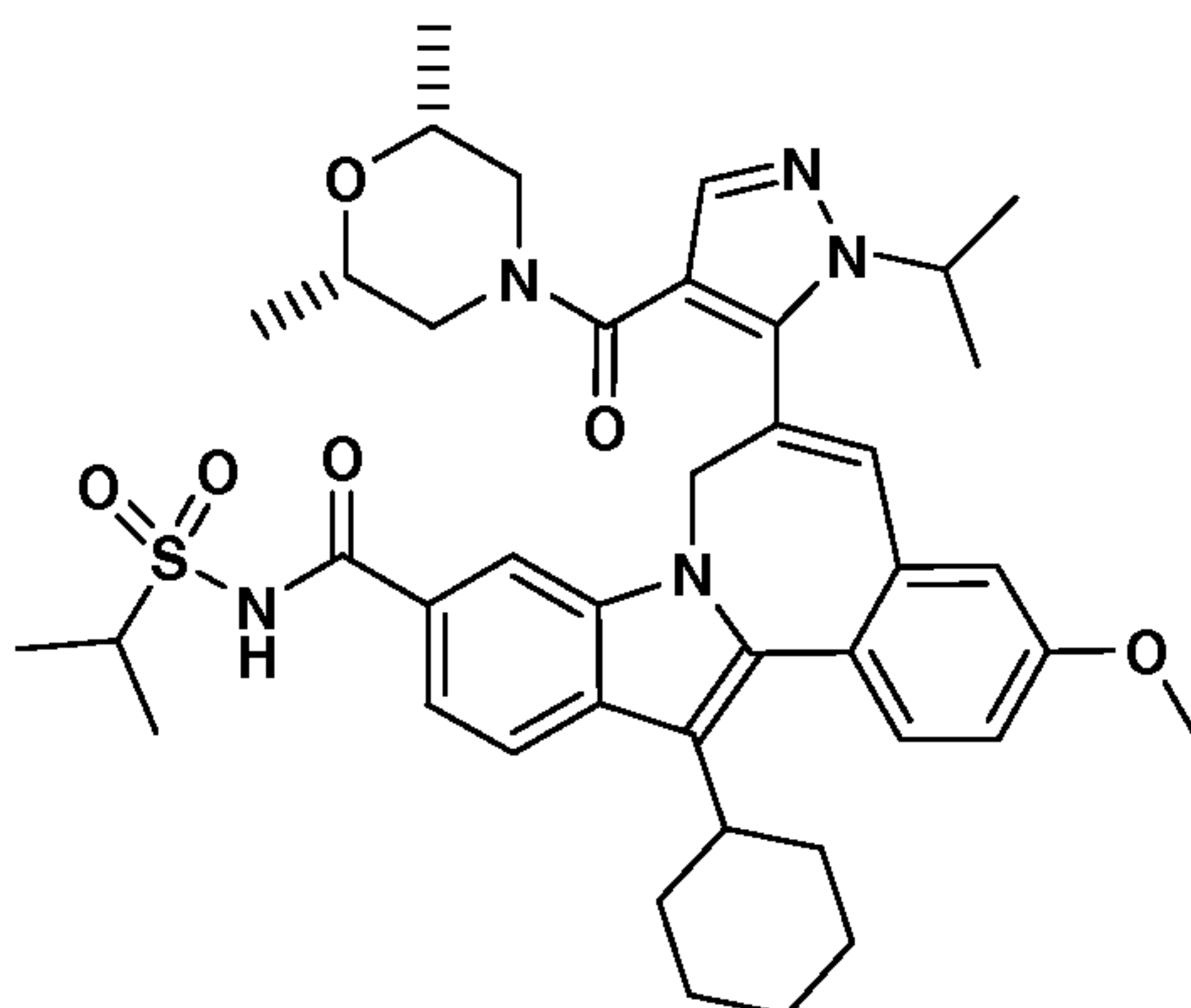
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1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]- 1-(1-methylethyl)- (125 mg, 0.194 mmol) in DMSO (1.94 mL), TBTU (124 mg, 0.388 mmol) and DIPEA (0.100 mg, 0.775 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 15 min. Then morpholine (68 mg, 0.775 mmol) was added. The solution was stirred at RT for overnight. The reaction mixture was purified by prep HPLC column using CH₃CN/H₂O/TFA as solvent system. Fractions were collected and concentrated under speedvac overnight to yield the title compound as a yellow solid (82 mg, 0.114 mmol, 59 % yield). MS m/z 714 (M-H⁺). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 1.20 (m, 1 H) 1.32 - 1.65 (m, 15 H) 1.73 - 2.20 (m, 6 H) 2.63 - 3.24 (m, 7 H) 3.50 (br m, 2 H) 3.93 (s, 3 H) 4.07 (m, 1 H) 4.58 (m, 2 H) 4.90 (m, br, 1 H) 6.78 (s, 1 H) 6.93 (d, $J=2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.13 (dd, $J=8.55$, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 - 7.64 (m, 2 H) 7.71 (m, 2 H) 7.93 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 10.15 (s, br, 1H).

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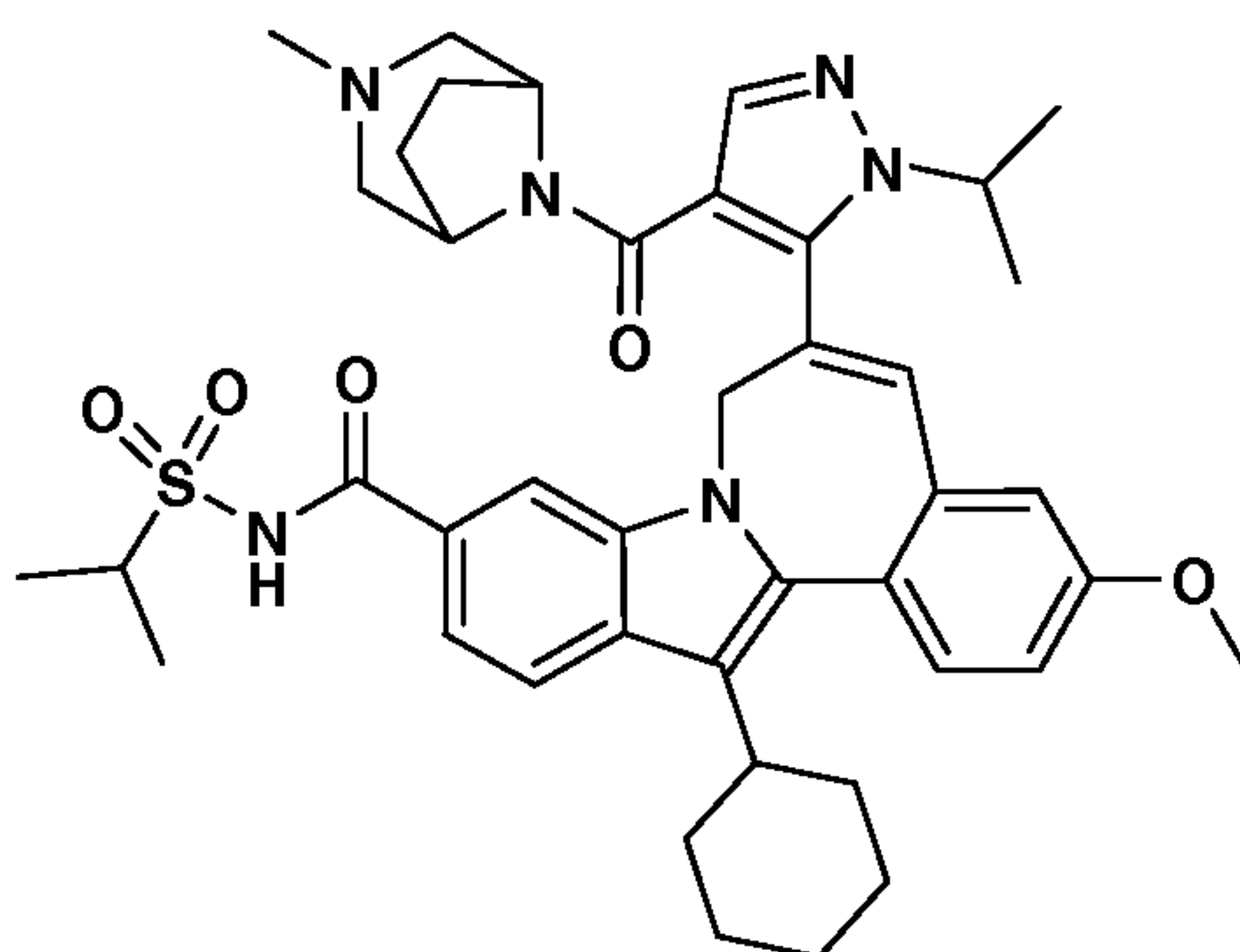
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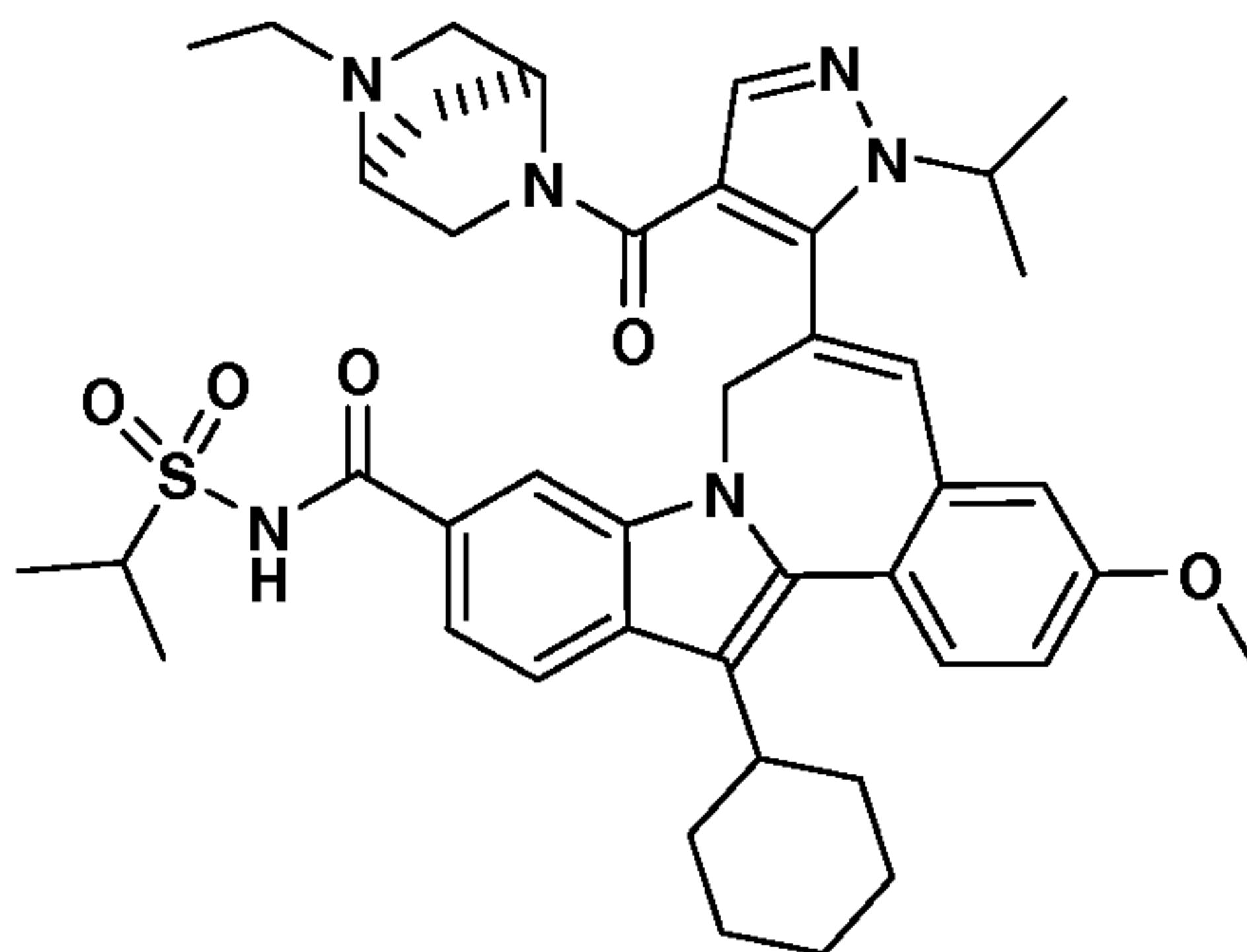


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl)carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-: ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 0.61-0.92 (m, 6 H) 1.23 (m, 1 H) 1.35 - 1.70 (m, 15 H) 1.73 - 2.20 (m, 6 H) 2.88 (m, 1 H) 3.12-3.70 (m, 6 H) 3.92 (s, 3 H) 4.09 (m, 1 H) 4.58 (m, 2 H) 4.91 (m, br, 1 H) 6.75 (s, 1 H) 6.92 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.12 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 - 7.68 (m, 2 H) 7.75 (m, 2 H) 7.92 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 10.10 (s, br, 1H). LCMS: *m/e* 742 (M+H).

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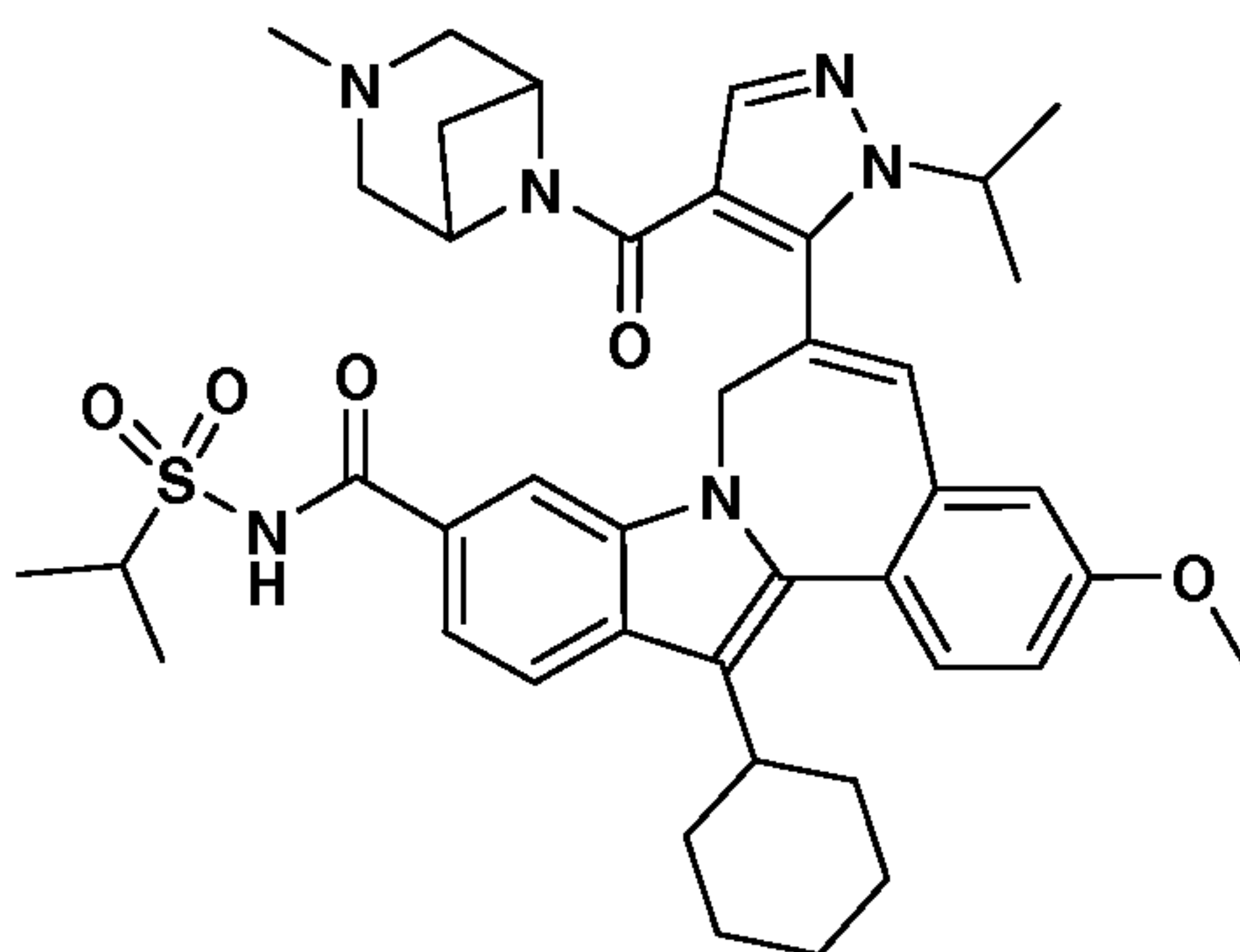


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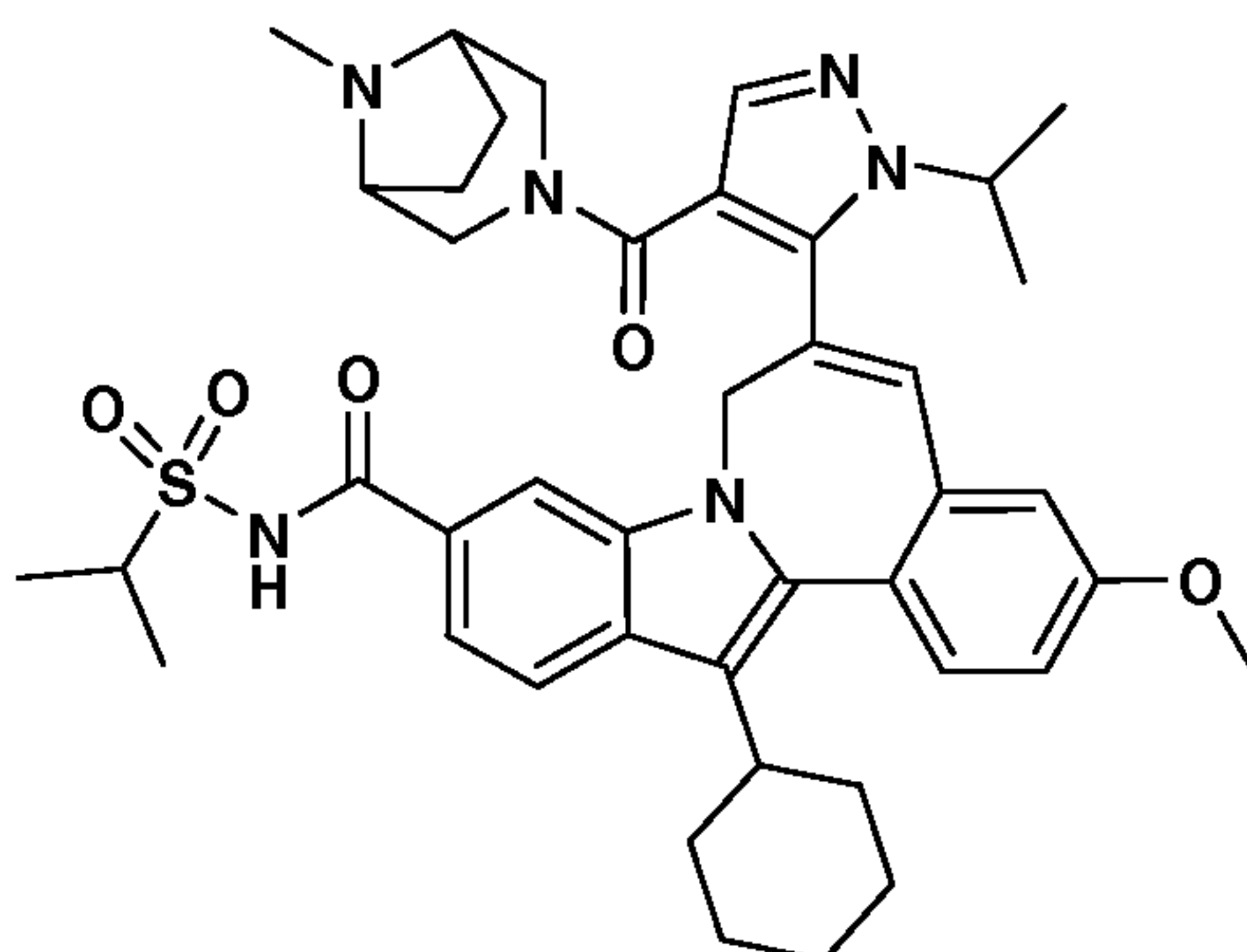
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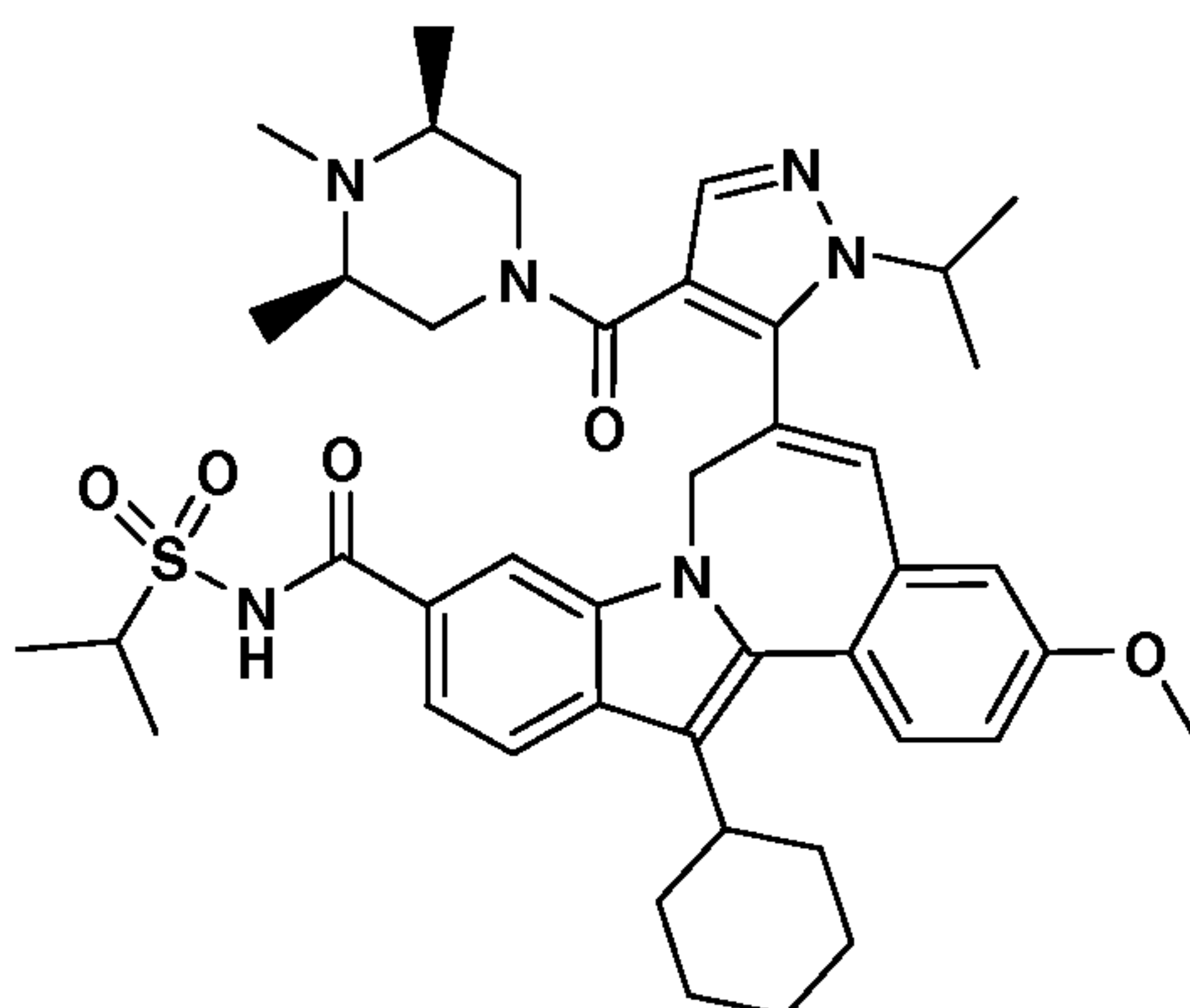


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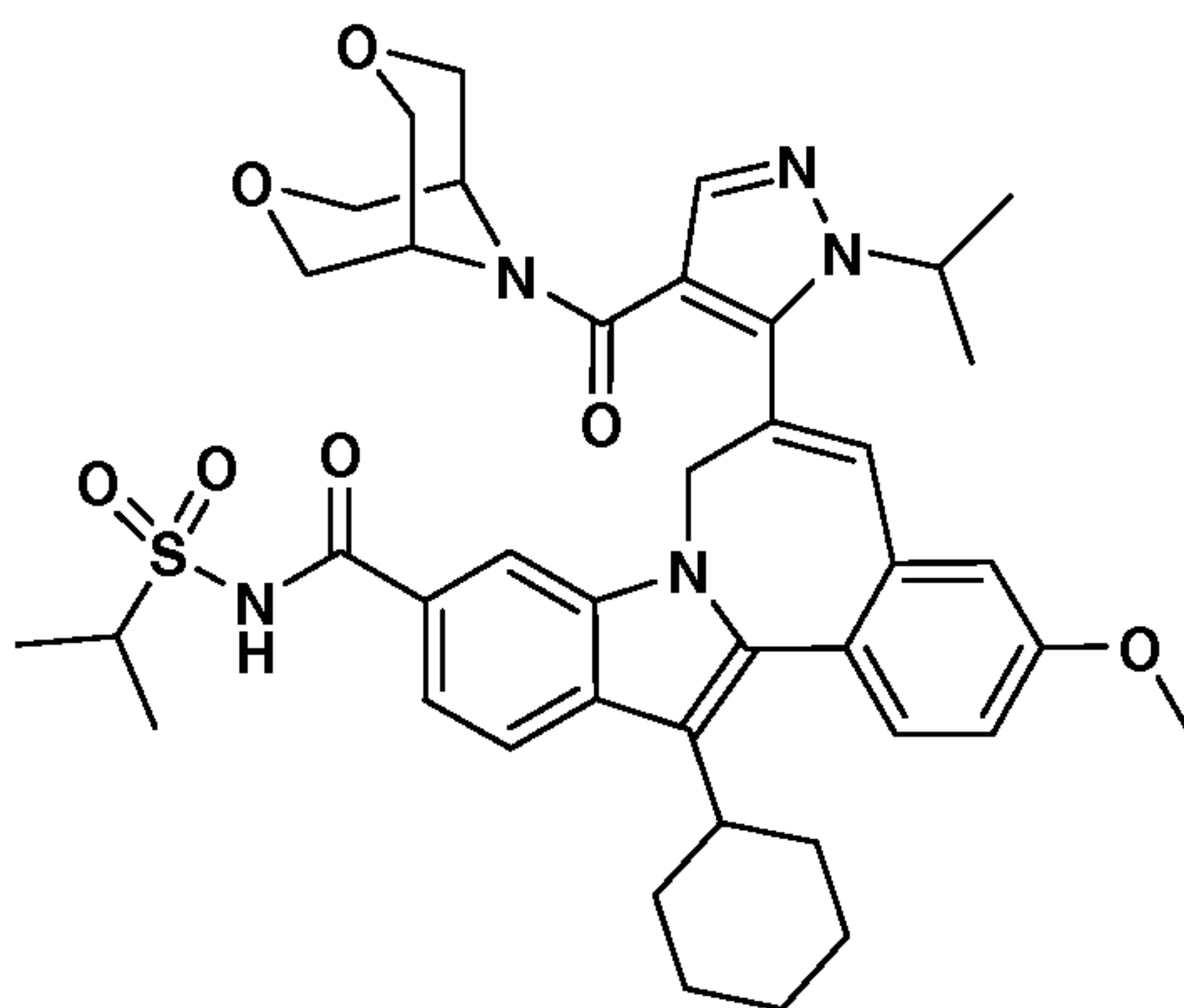
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10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[(8-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-3-yl)carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-: ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 0.021 (m, 2 H) 0.81 (m, 2 H) 1.20-1.86 (m, 16 H) 1.91 - 2.17 (m, 6 H) 2.41-2.71 (m, 4 H) 2.88 (m, 1 H) 2.97-3.70 (m, 5 H) 3.94 (s, 3 H) 4.08 (m, 1 H) 4.62 (m, 2 H) 4.85 (m, br, 1 H) 6.94 (m, 2 H) 7.12 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.52 - 7.69 (m, 3 H) 7.80-7.95 (m, 2 H) 10.10 (s, br, 1H). LCMS: *m/e* 753 (M+H).

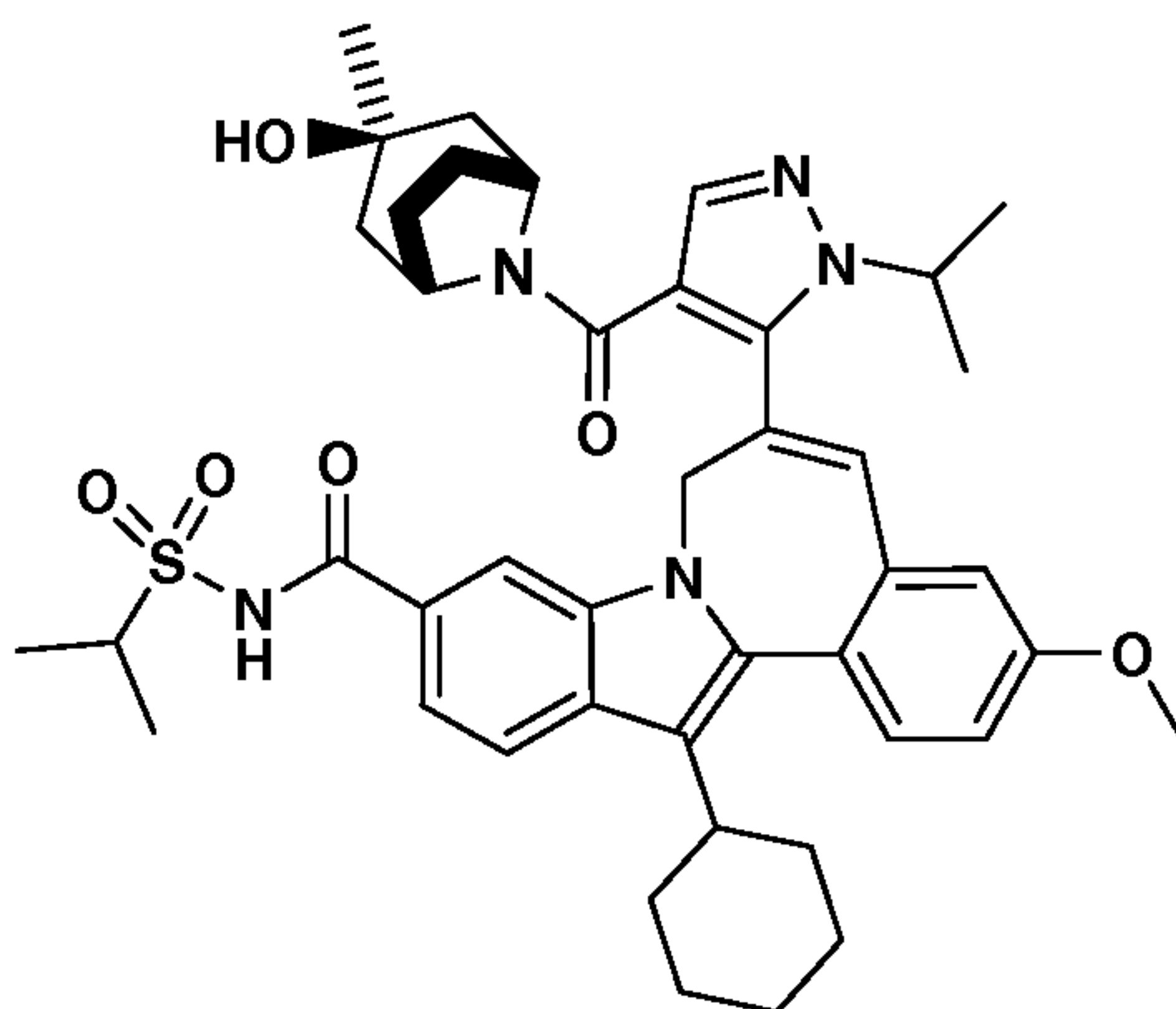


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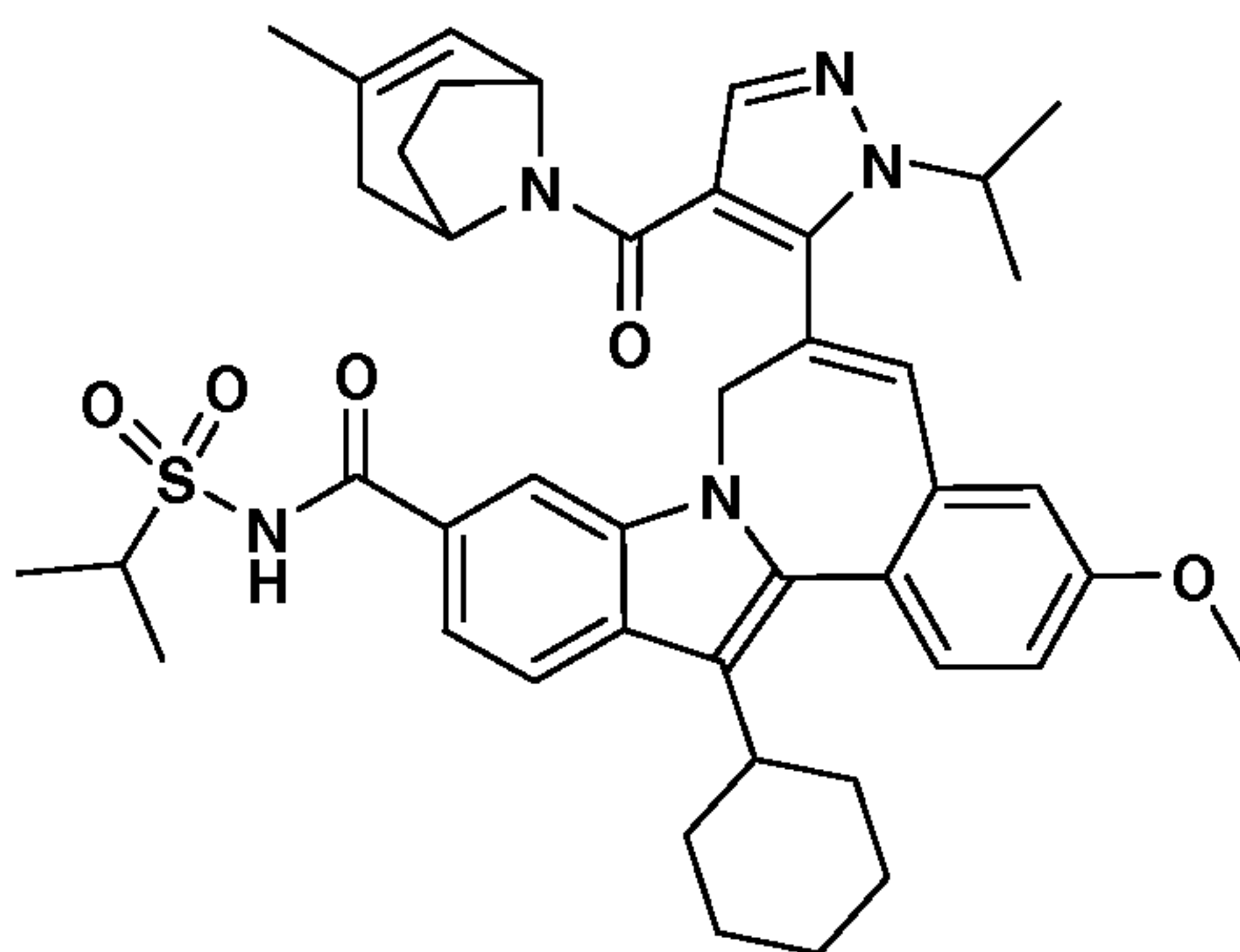


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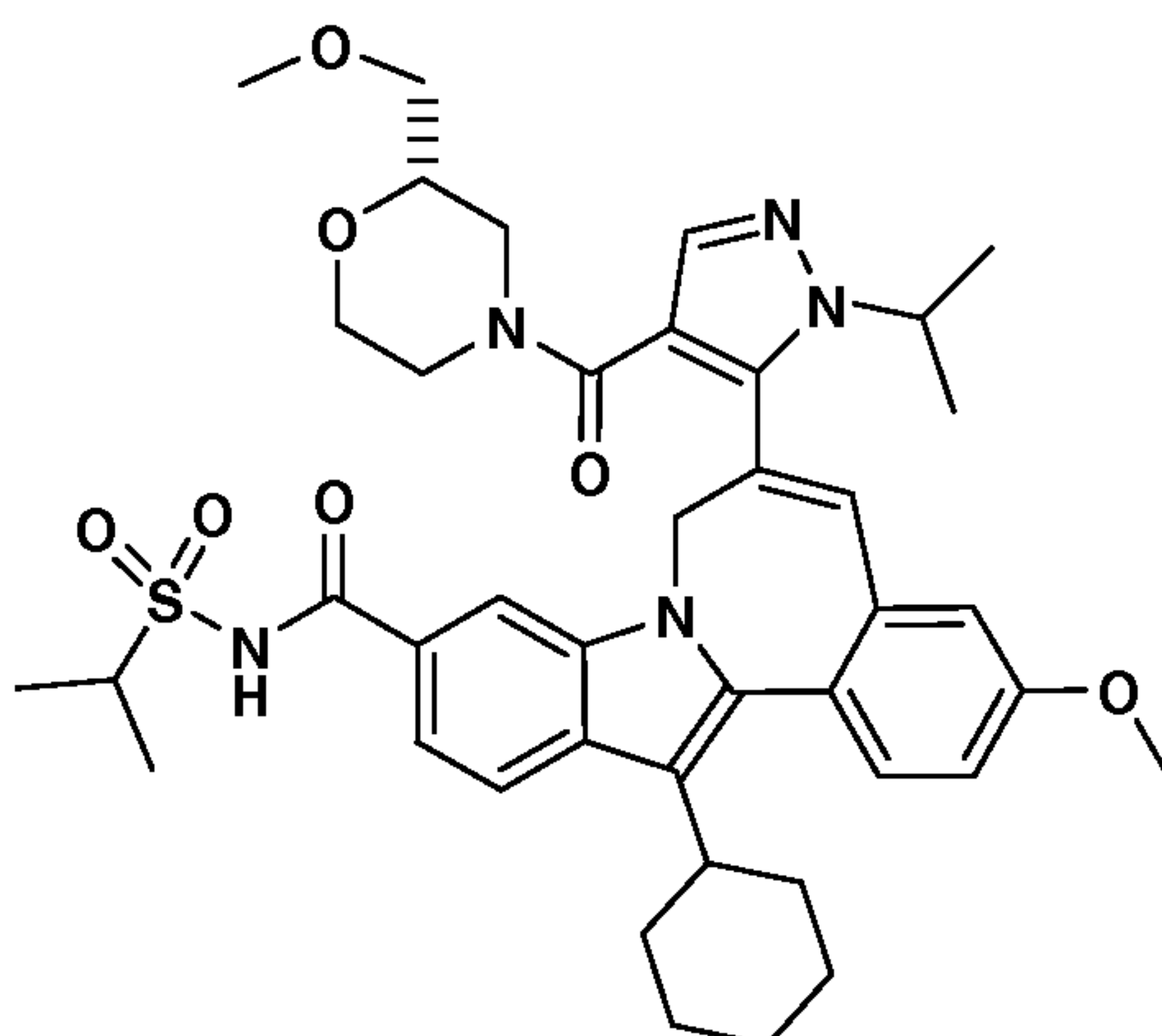


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 5 2.18 (m, 4 H) 2.89 (m, 1 H) 3.29 (m, 1 H) 3.62 (m, 1 H) 3.92 (s, 3 H) 4.06 (m, 1 H)
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 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.50 - 7.60 (m, 2 H) 7.70 (m, 1 H) 7.80-7.95 (m, 2 H)
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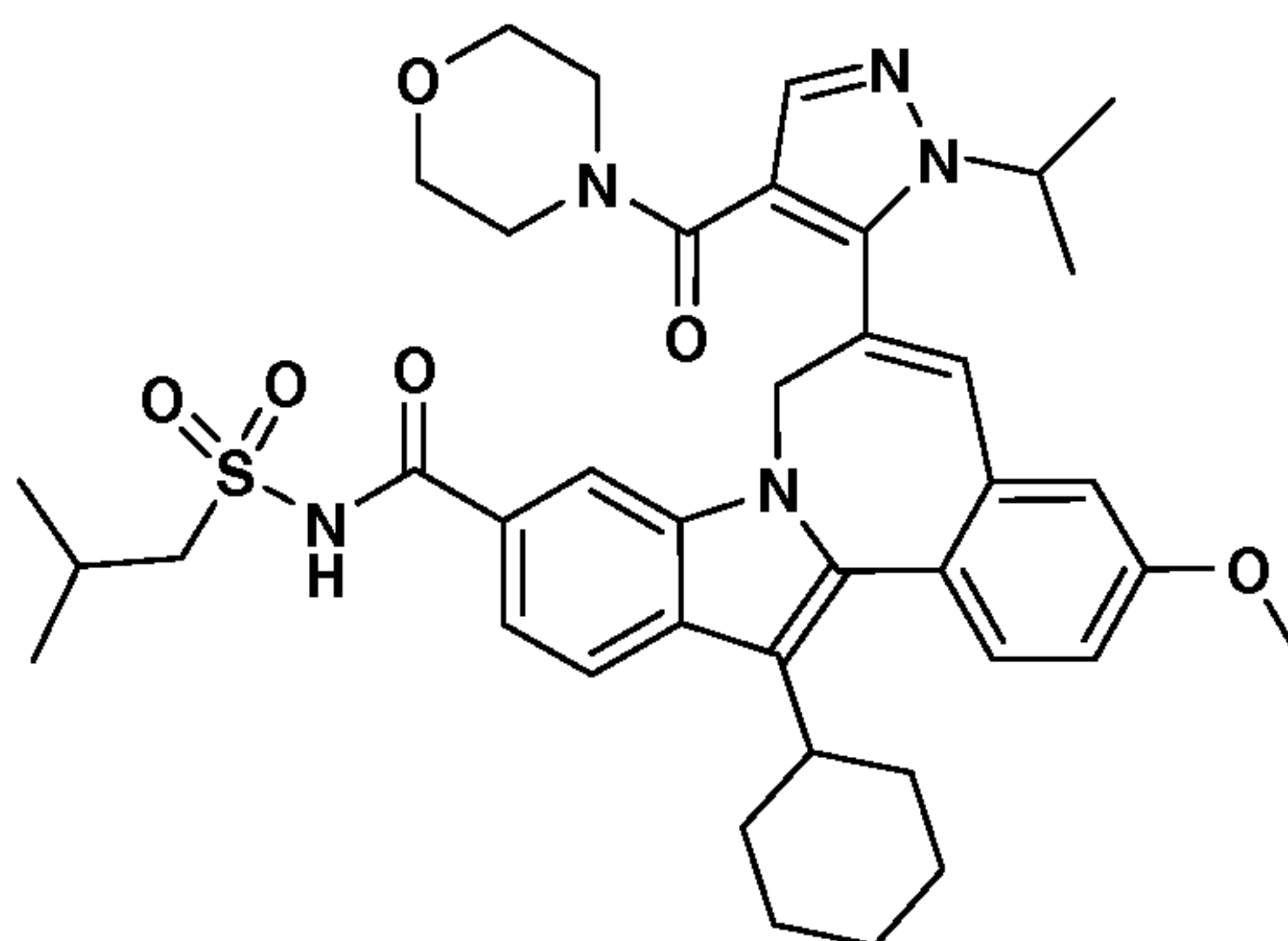


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 15 (method 1).

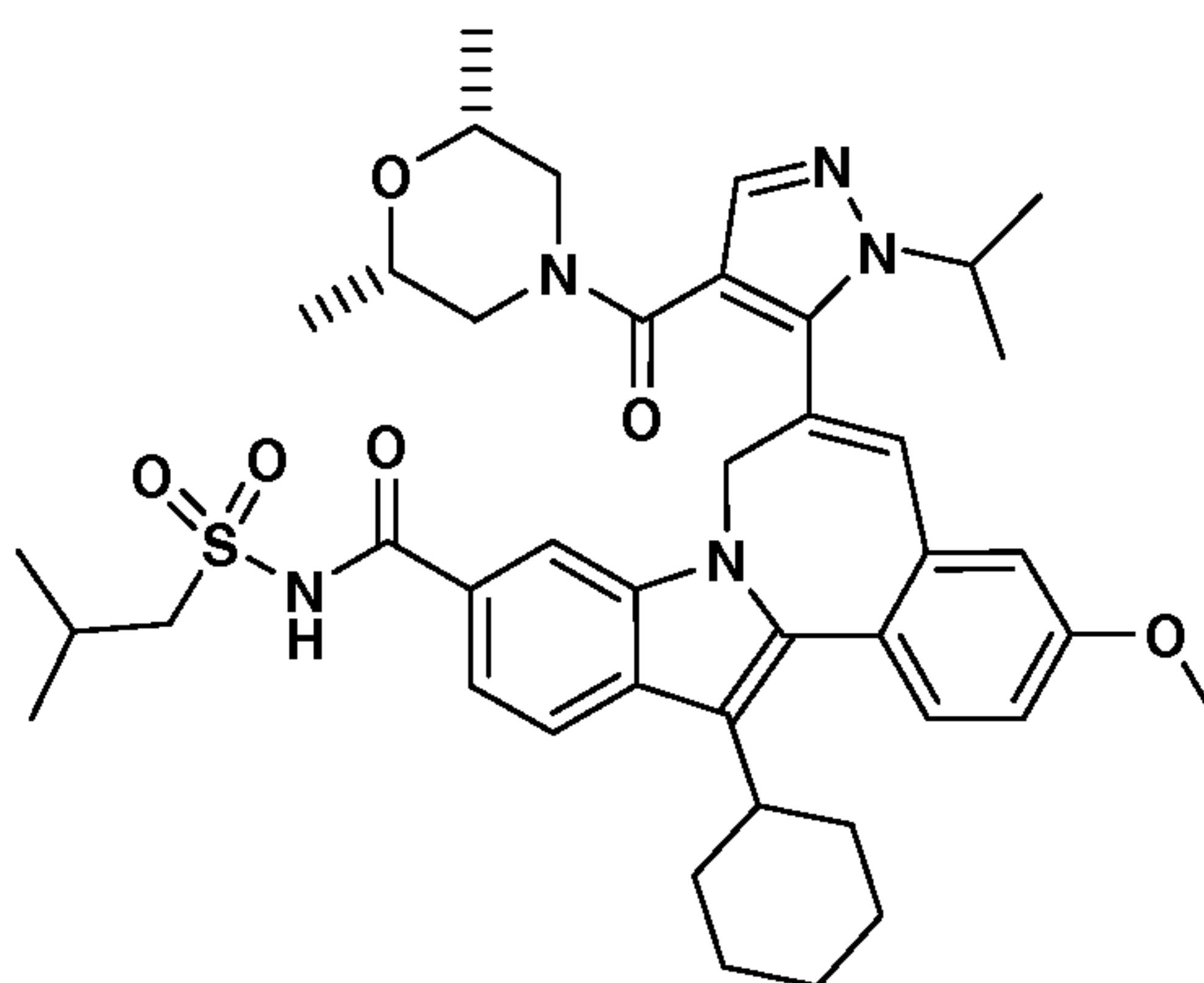


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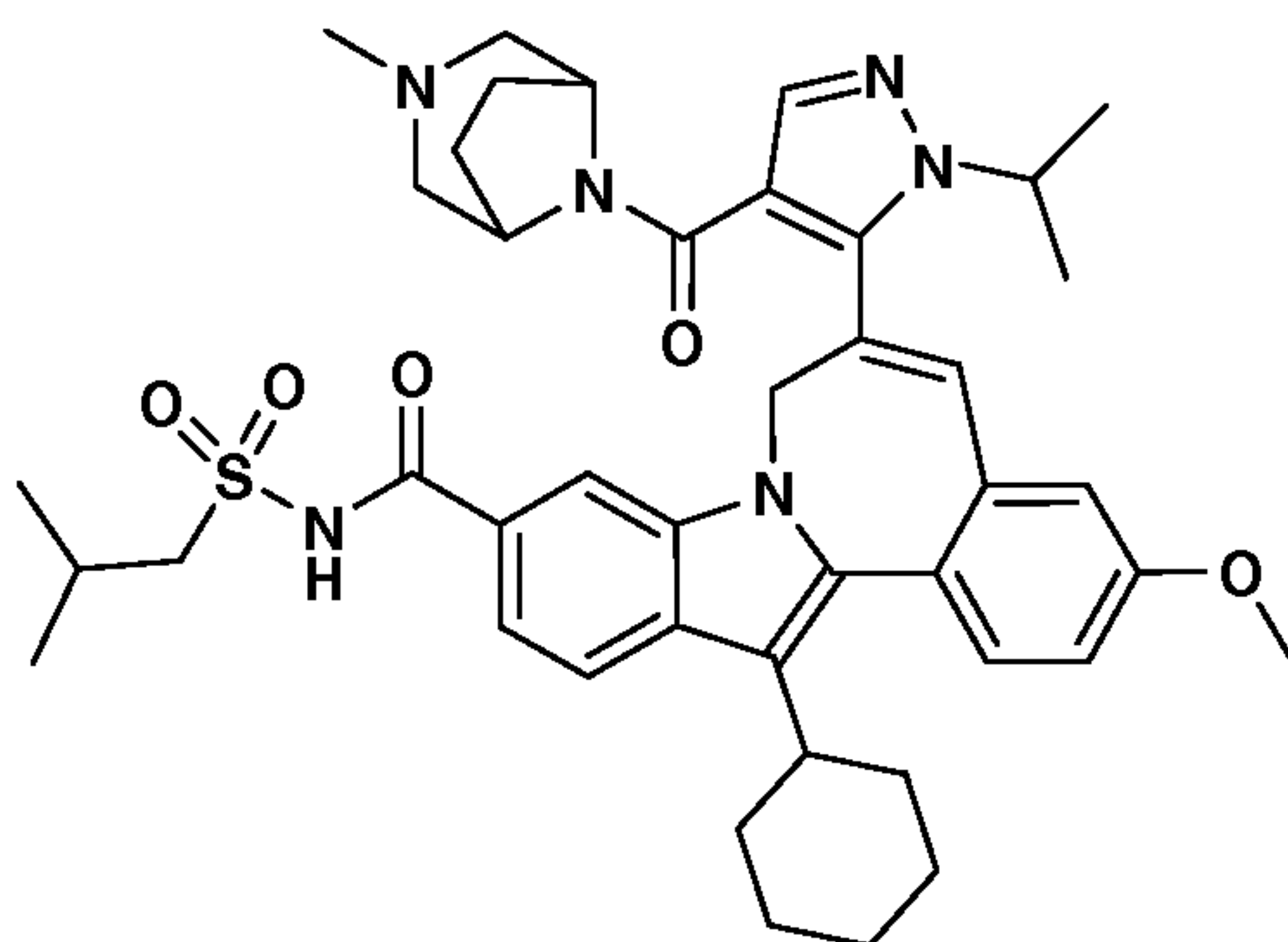
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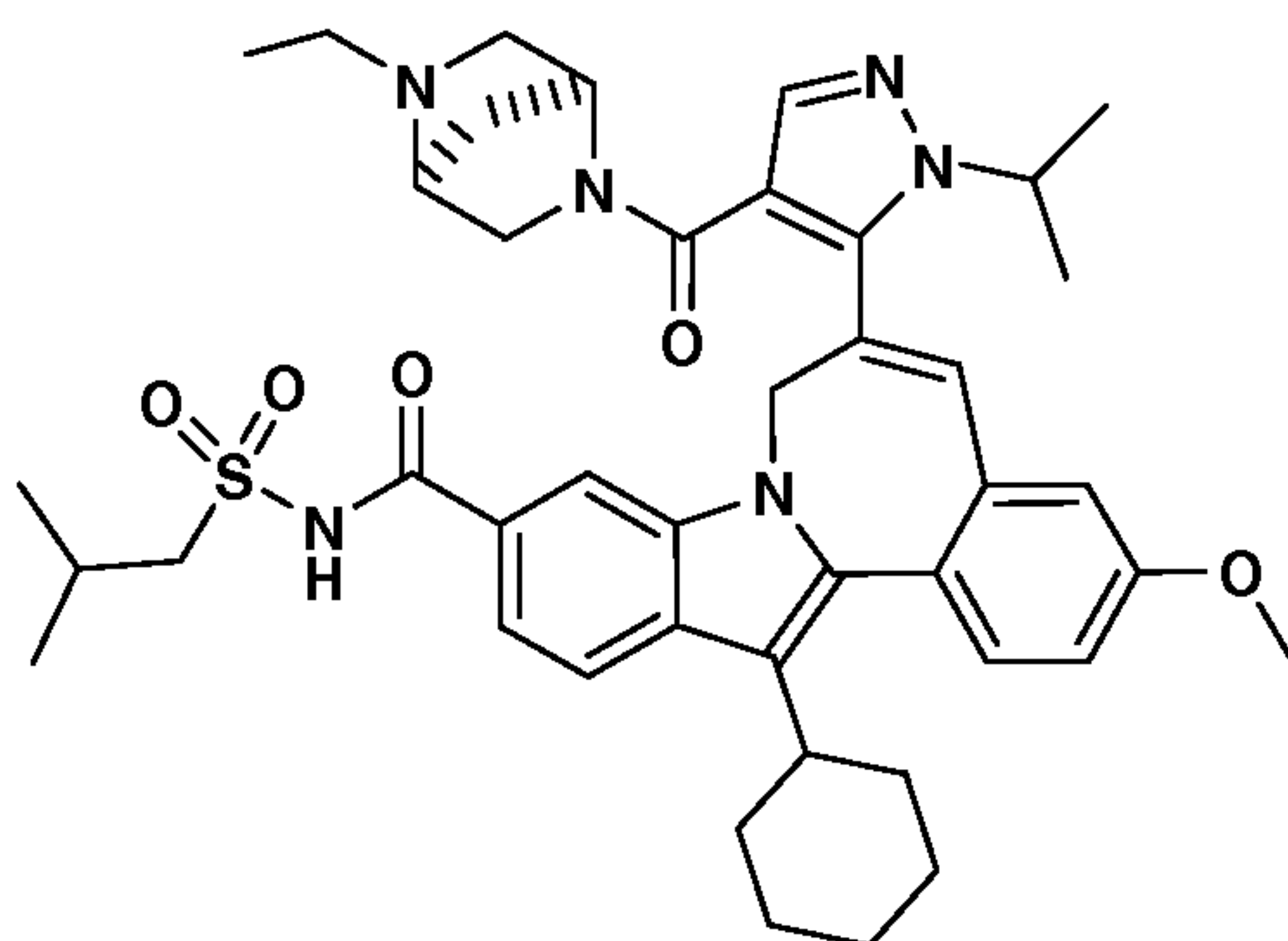
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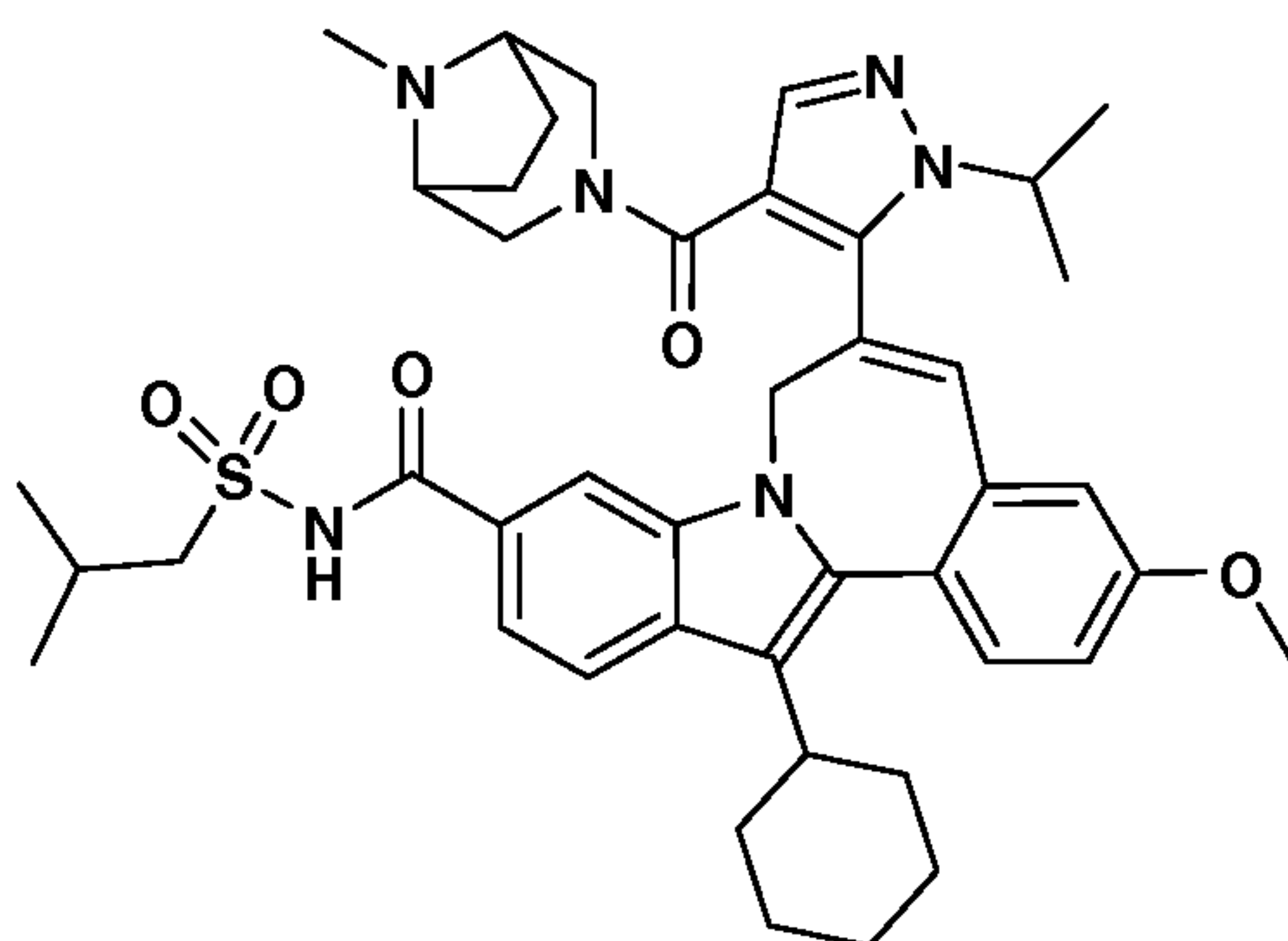
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- 5 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-*: LCMS: m/e 767 (M+H), ret time 3.35 min (method 2).

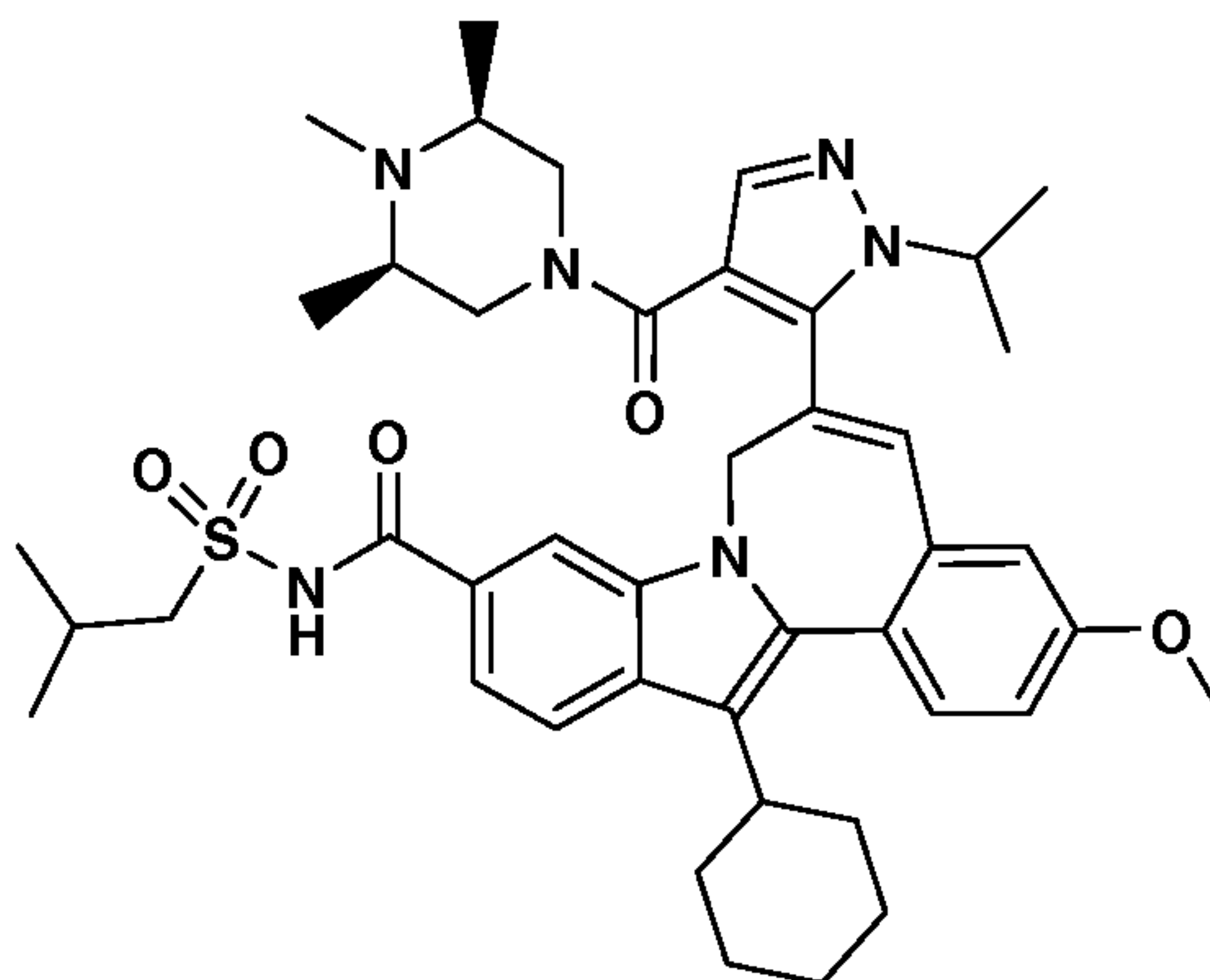


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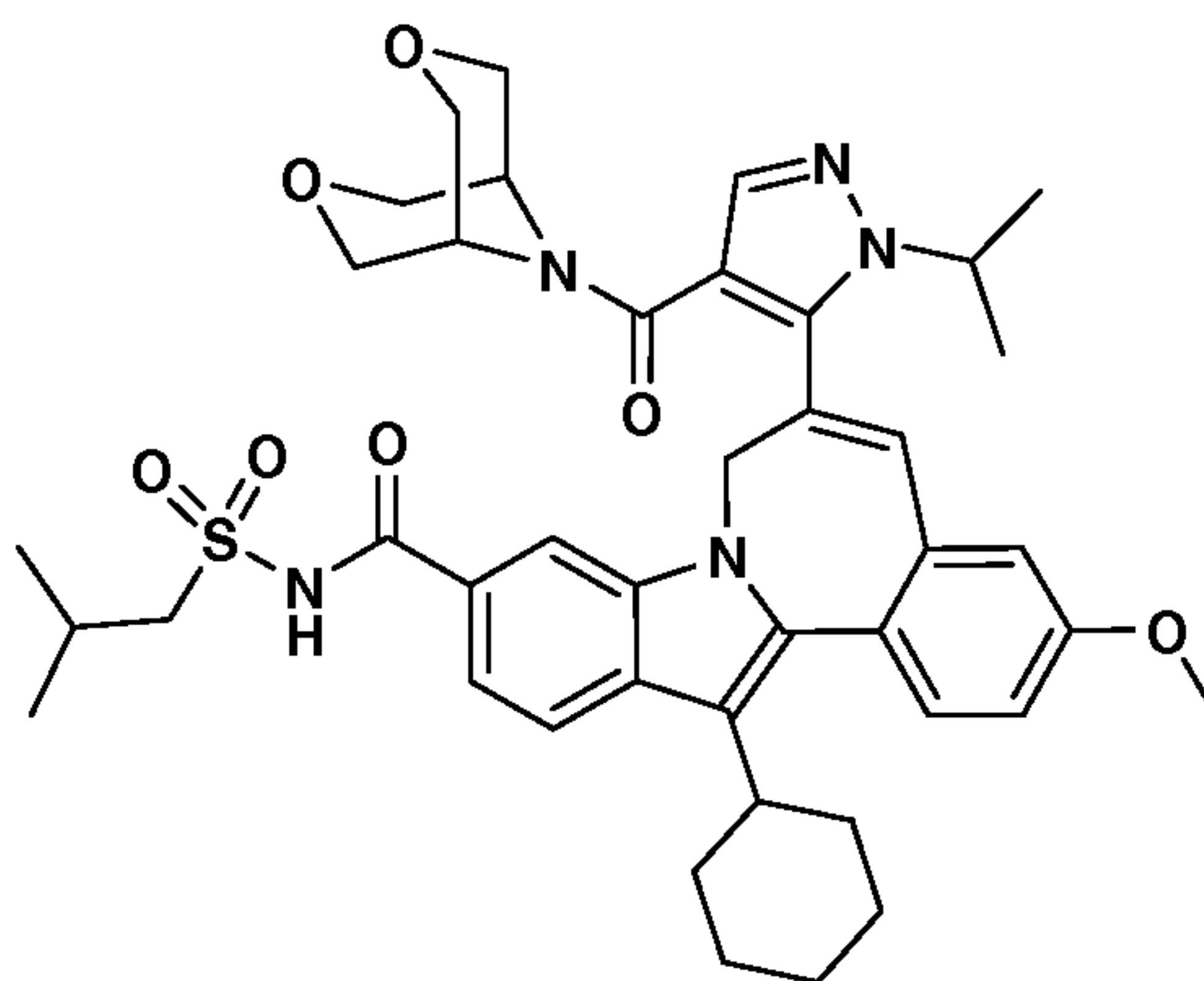
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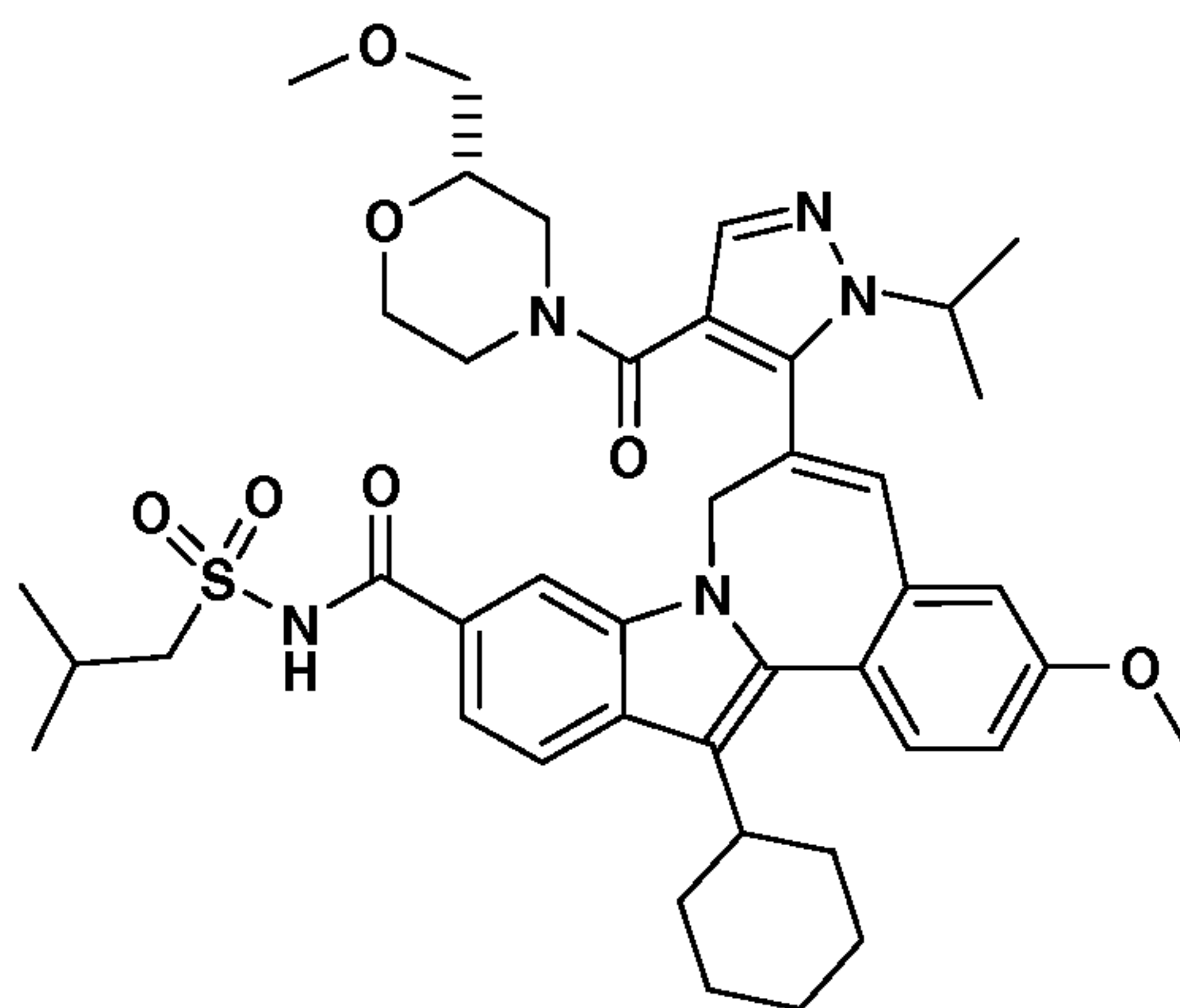
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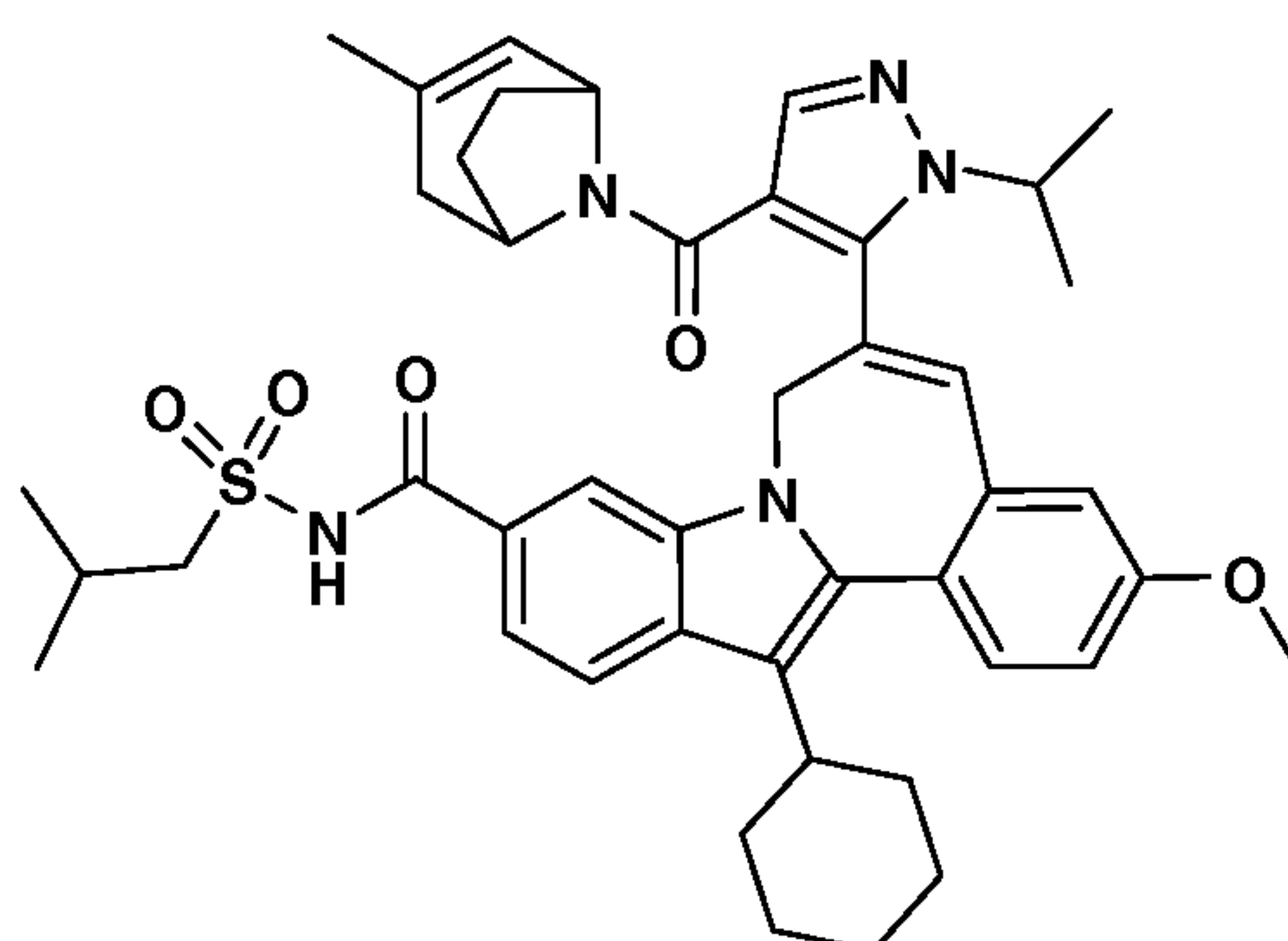


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(3,7-dioxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-: LCMS: m/e 770 (M+H), ret time 3.65 min (method 2).

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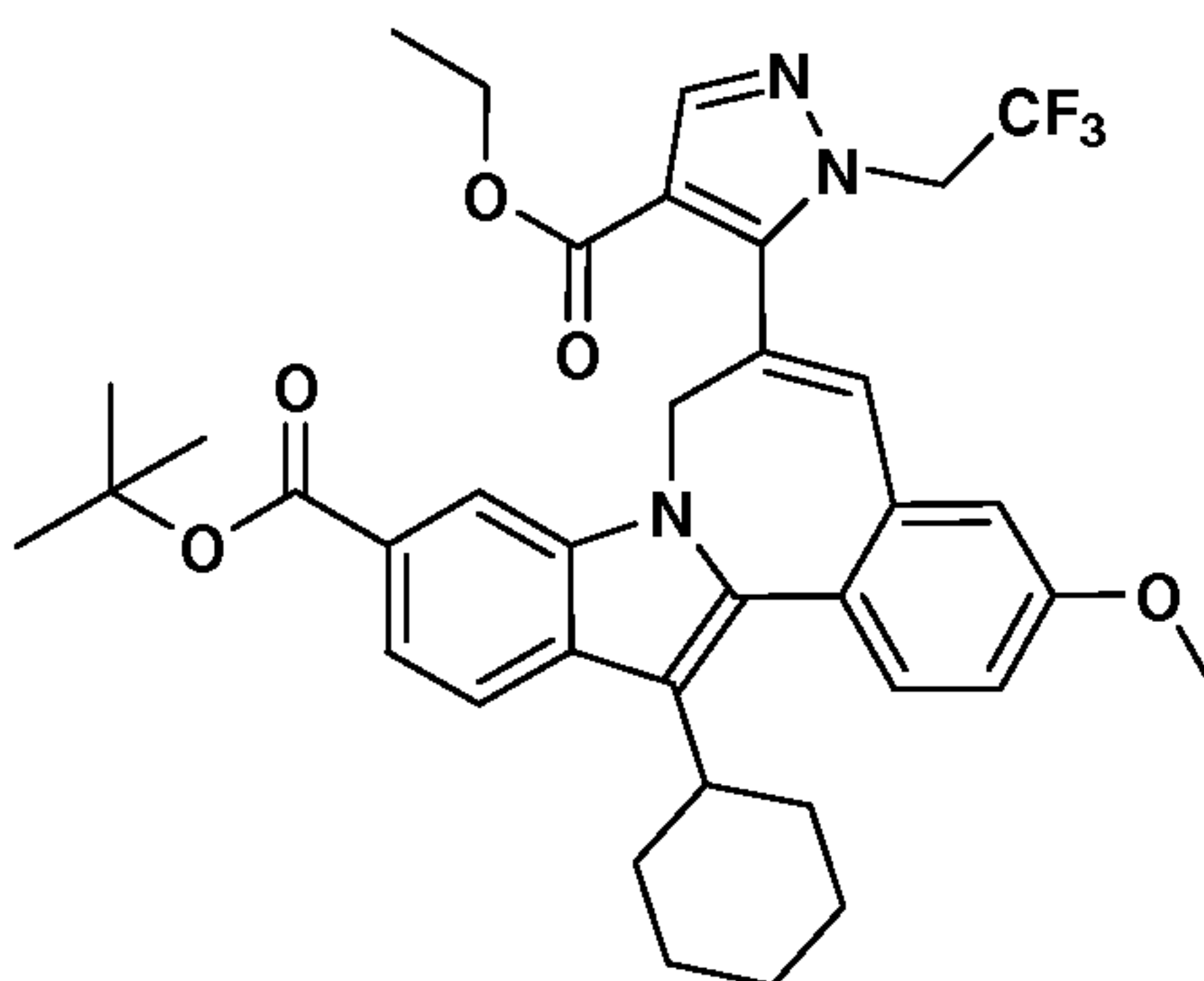


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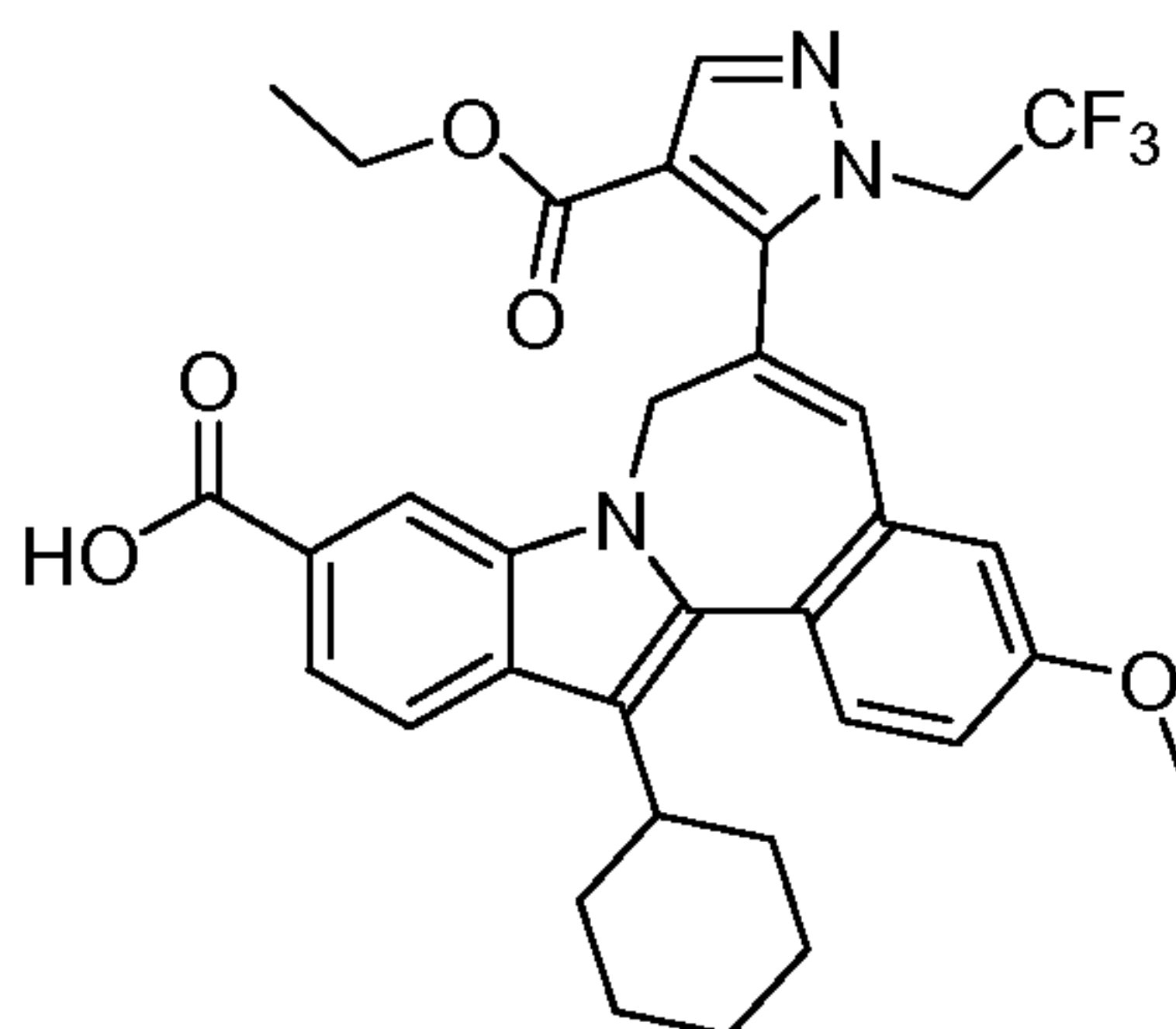


10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
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 pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-: LCMS: m/e 764 (M+H), ret time 3.69
 min (method 2).

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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester. tert-butyl 13-cyclohexyl-6-((2E,Z)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-(ethoxycarbonyl)-2-propenoyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate (1.20 g, 1.96 mmol) was dissolved in a solution of ethanol (6.53 mL), triethyl amine (0.396 g, 3.92 mmol), and (2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)hydrazine (0.246 g, 2.15 mmol). The reaction was heated in a microwave at 160 deg C for 2 hours and concentrated. The resulting solid was purified by prep HPLC under the following conditions: Shimadzu prep. HPLC using Discovery VP software: %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA; %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA; Initial %B= 30; Final % B=100; Gradient= 12min; Runtime=20min; Flow rate= 40ml/min; Column= Waters Sunfire 30 x 100mm S5. This afforded the title compound (1.09 g, 84%) as a yellow paste. MS m/z 664 (MH⁺).

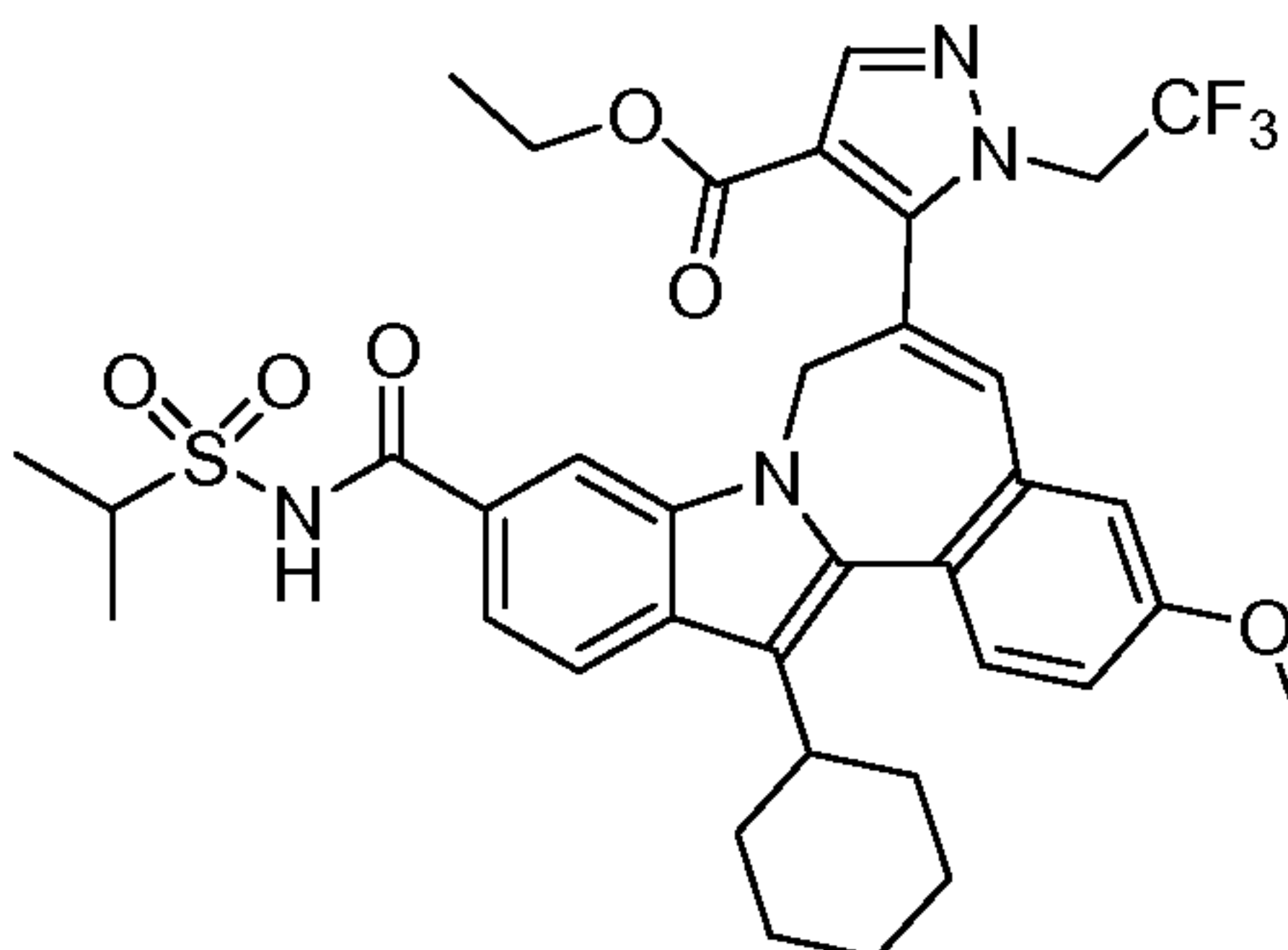


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-. Dissolve 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-

(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1*H*-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (1.20 g, 1.81 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (3.62 mL), place reaction under a nitrogen atmosphere, then add trifluoroacetic acid (3.62 mL). Stir reaction at room temperature under a nitrogen atmosphere for 2 hours. Remove

5 volatiles in vacuo and dissolve the reaction product in benzene and remove in vacuo to aid in removal of trace TFA. Repeat dissolution in benzene and removal in vacuo. Dried sample at room temperature *in vacuo* to obtain the title compound (0.923 g, 100% yield) as a yellow solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.20 - 1.62 (m, 7 H) 1.70 - 2.19 (m, 6 H) 2.87 (m, 1 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.12-4.45

10 (m, 4 H) 4.76 (br.s, 1 H) 4.97 (br.s, 1 H) 6.82 (s, 1 H) 6.96 (d, *J*=2.14 Hz, 1 H) 7.10 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.56 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 1 H) 7.78 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.90 (m, 2 H) 8.11 (s, 1 H). LCMS 608 m/z (MH⁺).



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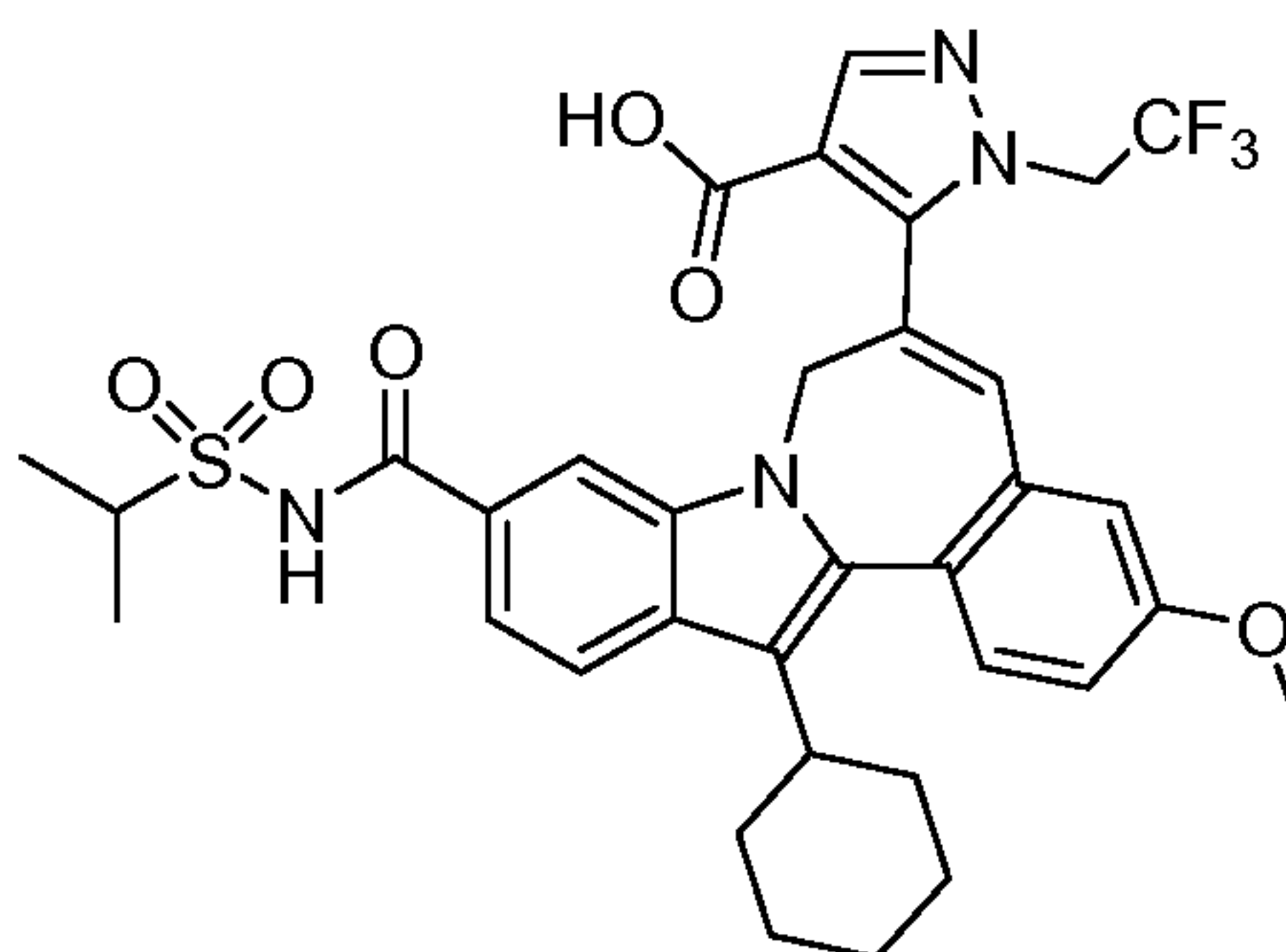
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20 pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy- (800 mg, 1.32 mmol) in THF (4.39 mL). Carbonyldiimidazole (640 mg, 3.95 mmol) was added to the reaction. The reaction was placed under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 45 minutes then heated to reflux for 1 hour. The reaction was cooled under a nitrogen atmosphere and propane-2-sulfonamide (649 mg, 5.27 mmol) was added to the

25 reaction followed by DBU (0.595 mL, 3.95 mmol). The reaction was immerse in oil bath at 80 deg C under nitrogen atmosphere and heated overnight at 70-80 deg C. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate (50 mL) and the organic layer washed

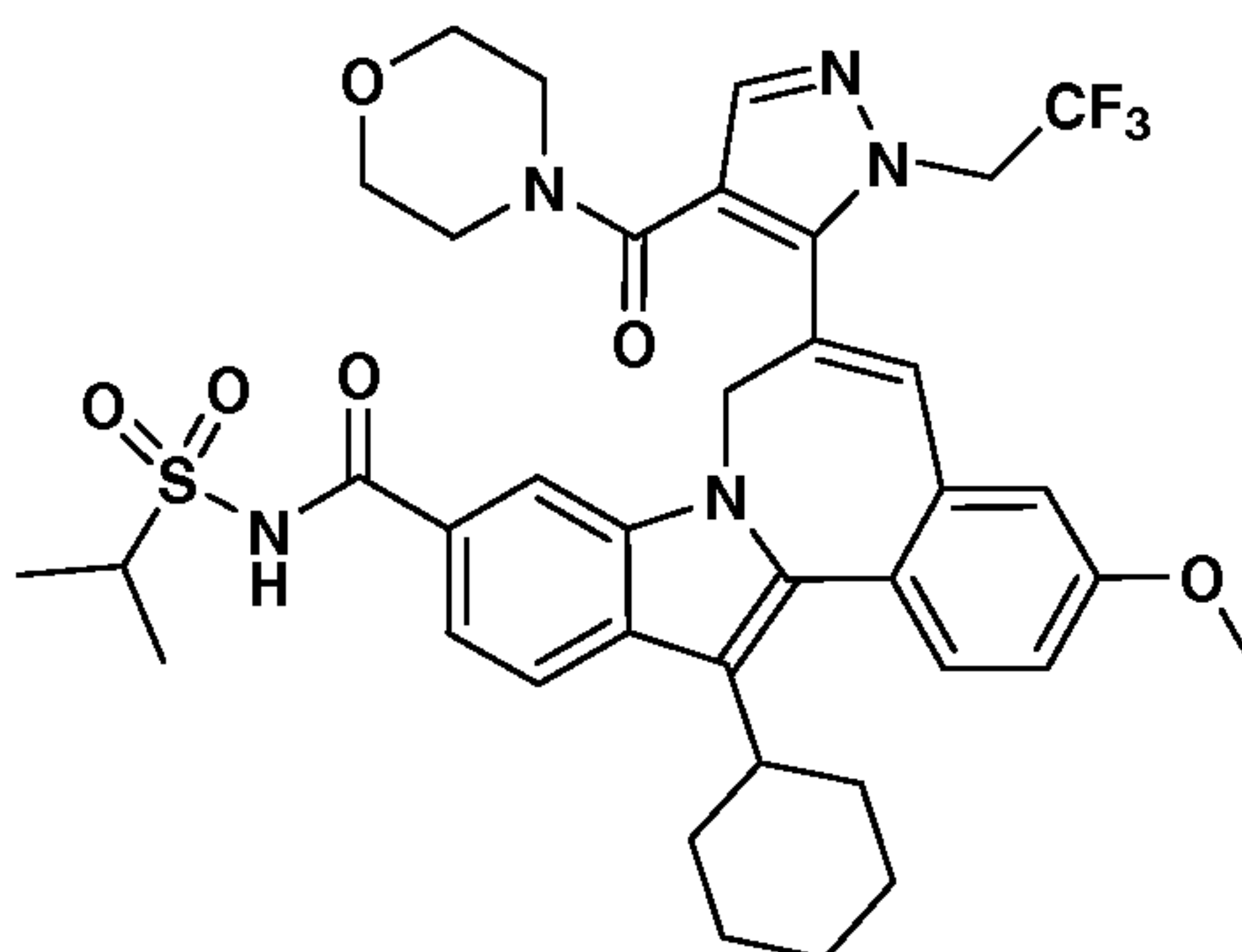
sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid (50 mL), 0.1M aqueous NaH₂PO₄ (50 mL) and brine (25 mL). The organic layer was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and volatiles removed *in vacuo* to yield a yellow foam which was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature overnight to yield the title compound (949 mg, 100%) as a yellow
 5 amorphous solid. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.20 - 1.62 (m, 13 H) 1.70 - 2.18 (m, 6 H) 2.87 (m, 1 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 4.05 (m, 1 H) 4.10-4.40 (m, 4 H) 4.73 (br.s, 1 H) 4.99 (br.s, 1 H) 6.82 (s, 1 H) 6.93 (d, *J*=2.14 Hz, 1 H) 7.10 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.45 (br d, 1 H) 7.52 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 1 H) 7.80 (br s, 1 H) 7.88 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 1 H) 8.02 (s, 1 H) 8.60 (br s, 1 H). LCMS 713 m/z (MH⁺).

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1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl). Dissolve 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl), ethyl ester (0.816 g, 1.15 mmol) in
 15 THF (2.86 mL) and methanol (2.86 mL) was added to the reaction followed by 1N aqueous sodium hydroxide (2.29 mL). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 18 hrs. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate (25.0 mL) and washed with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid (2 x 20mL). The organic layer was concentrated *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator to yield the title compound as a yellow solid (0.784 g, 100%). ¹H NMR (500 MHz,
 20 CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.20 - 1.62 (m, 10 H) 1.70 - 2.18 (m, 6 H) 2.87 (m, 1 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 4.05 (m, 1 H) 4.27 (br m, 2 H) 4.73 (br.s, 1 H) 4.99 (br.s, 1 H) 6.82 (s, 1 H) 6.93 (d, *J*=2.14 Hz, 1 H) 7.10 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.45 (br d, 1 H) 7.52 (d,
 25 3.90 (s, 3 H) 4.05 (m, 1 H) 4.27 (br m, 2 H) 4.73 (br.s, 1 H) 4.99 (br.s, 1 H) 6.82 (s, 1 H) 6.93 (d, *J*=2.14 Hz, 1 H) 7.10 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.45 (br d, 1 H) 7.52 (d,

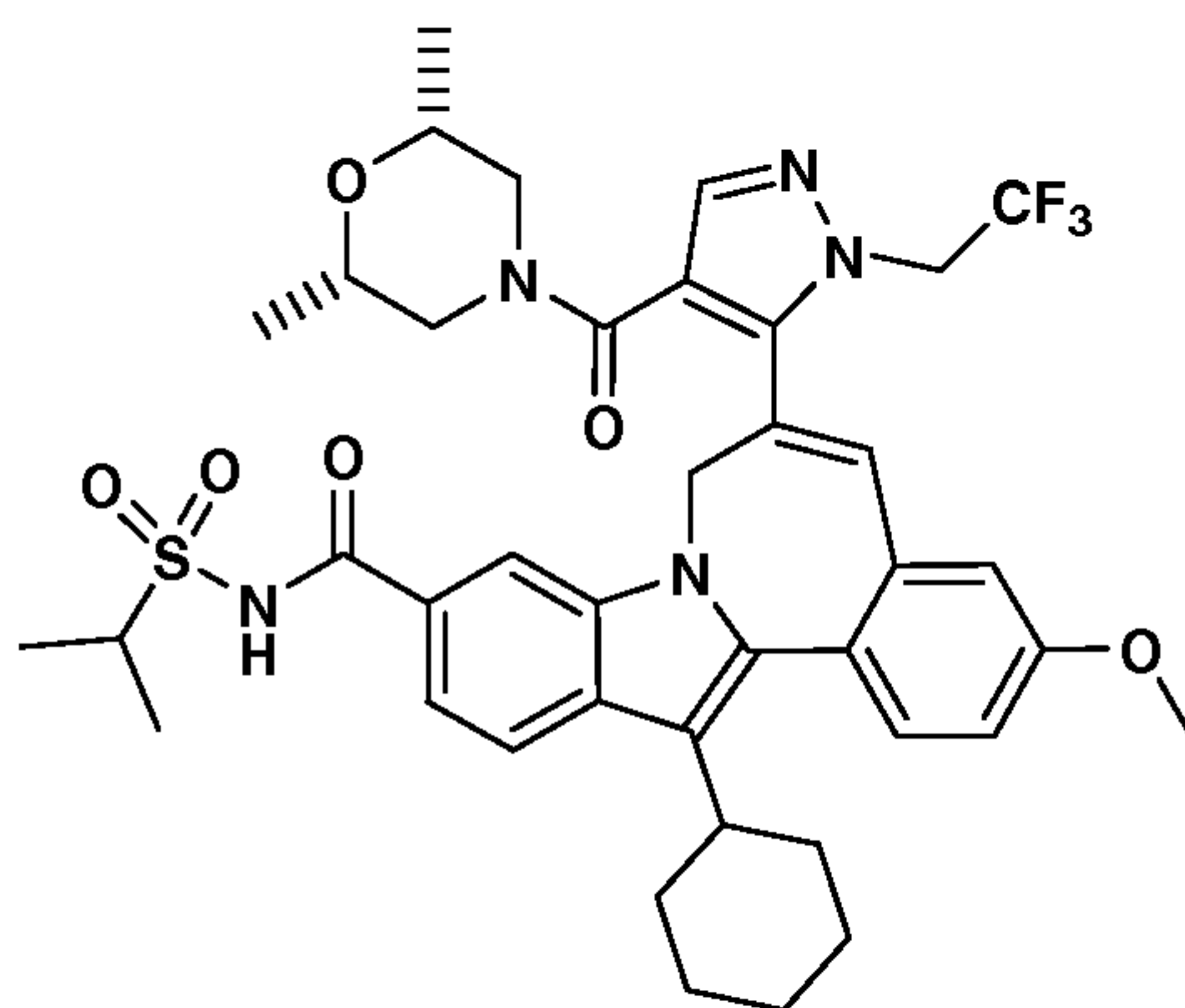
$J=8.85$ Hz, 1 H) 7.80 (br s, 1 H) 7.88 (d, $J=8.85$ Hz, 1 H) 8.02 (s, 1 H) 8.60 (br s, 1 H). LCMS 685 m/z (MH⁺).



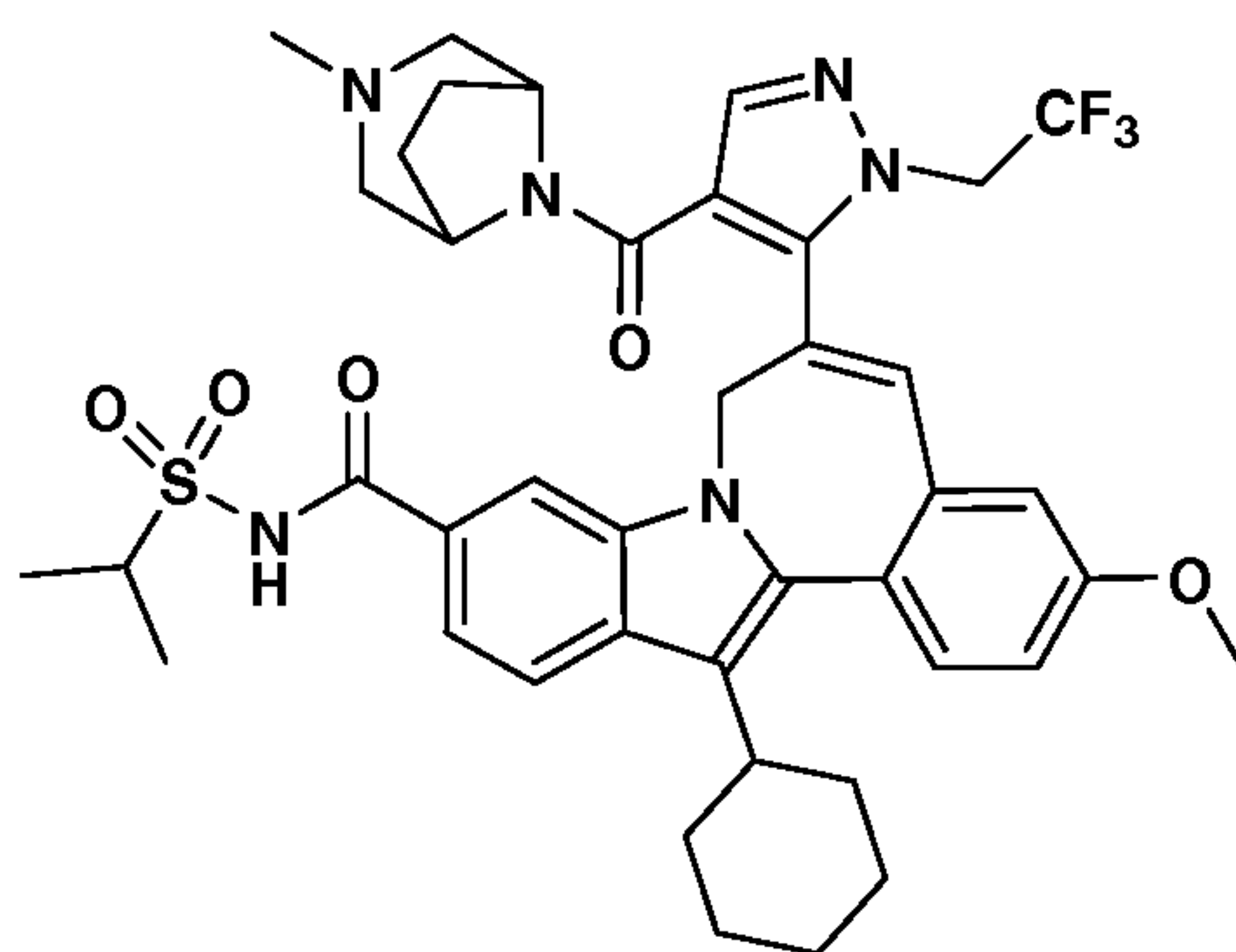
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-: 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl) (90 mg, 0.131 mmol) in DMSO (1.31 mL), TBTU (84 mg, 0.263 mmol) and DIPEA (68 mg, 0.526 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 15 min. Then morpholine (46 mg, 0.526 mmol) was added. The solution was stirred at RT for overnight. The reaction mixture was purified by prep HPLC column using CH₃CN/H₂O/TFA as solvent system. Fractions were collected and concentrated under speedvac overnight to yield the title compound as a yellow solid (53 mg, 0.070 mmol, 53 % yield). MS m/z 754 (M-H⁺); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.22 (m, 1 H) 1.33 - 1.57 (m, 9 H) 1.70 - 2.18 (m, 6 H) 2.59 (br m, 1 H) 2.70-2.95 (m, 6 H) 3.05-3.21 (m, 2 H) 3.92 (s, 3 H) 4.07 (m, 1 H) 4.73 (br.d, 1 H) 4.76 (br m, 2 H) 4.86 (br.d, 1 H) 6.90 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, $J=2.14$ Hz, 1 H) 7.15 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.60 (d, $J=8.85$ Hz, 1 H) 7.63 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H) 7.67 (s, 1 H) 7.80 (s, 1 H) 7.93 (d, $J=8.85$ Hz, 1 H).

The following compounds were synthesized by an analogous method as described above for 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-:

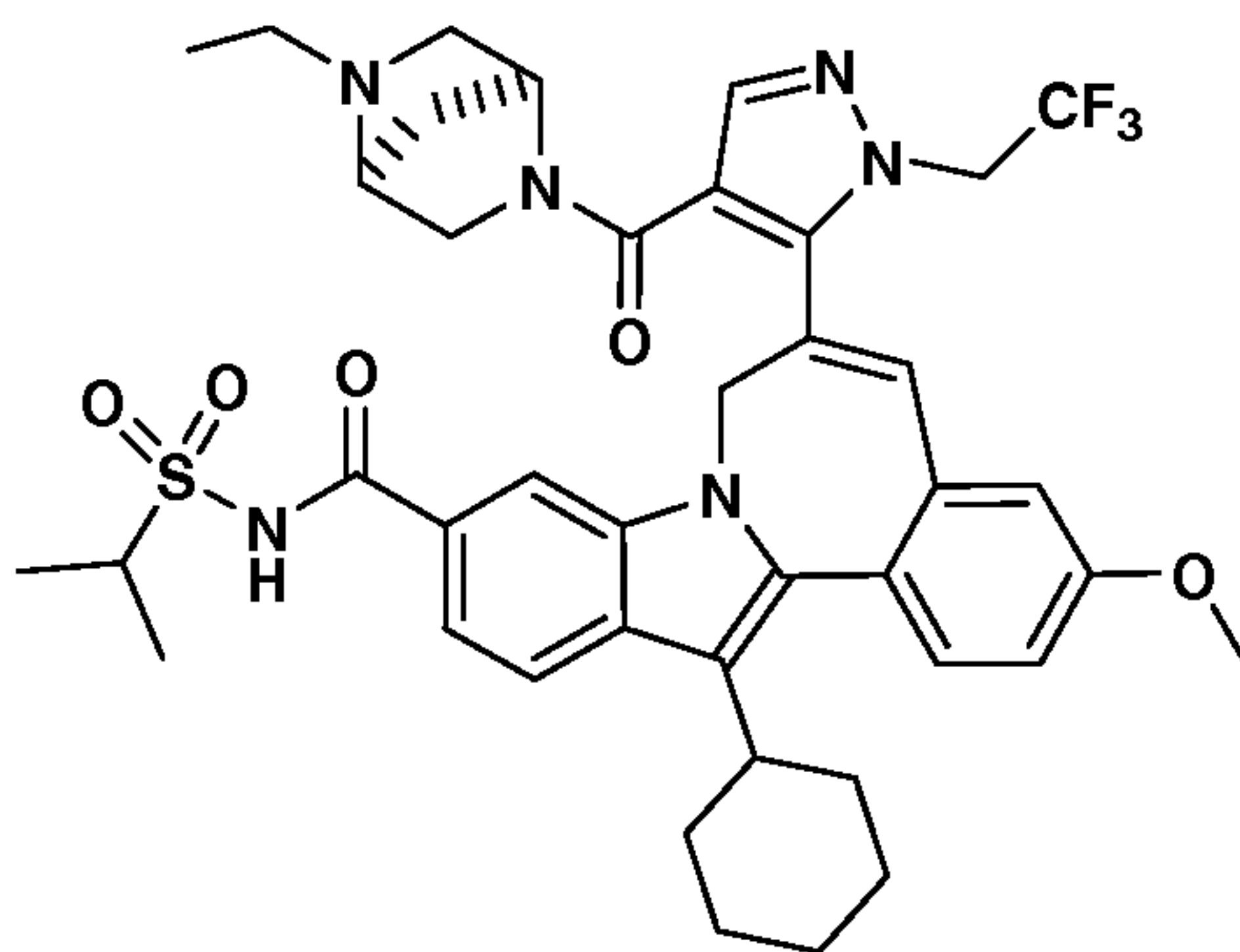


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 5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-: ¹H NMR (500 MHz,
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 H) 1.73 - 2.18 (m, 8 H) 2.30 (br m, 1 H) 2.87 (m, 2 H) 3.05-3.29 (m, 3 H) 3.94 (s, 3
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 10 8.48 (br s, 1 H). LCMS: *m/e* 782 (M+H).



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
 15 6-[4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-
 1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-: ¹H NMR (500 MHz,
 CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.19 (br s, 1 H) 0.80 (br s, 1 H) 1.25-1.62 (m, 11 H) 1.76
 - 2.18 (m, 7 H) 2.48 (br m, 1 H) 2.62 (br s, 3 H) 2.88 (m, 2 H) 2.95-3.50 (m, 4 H)
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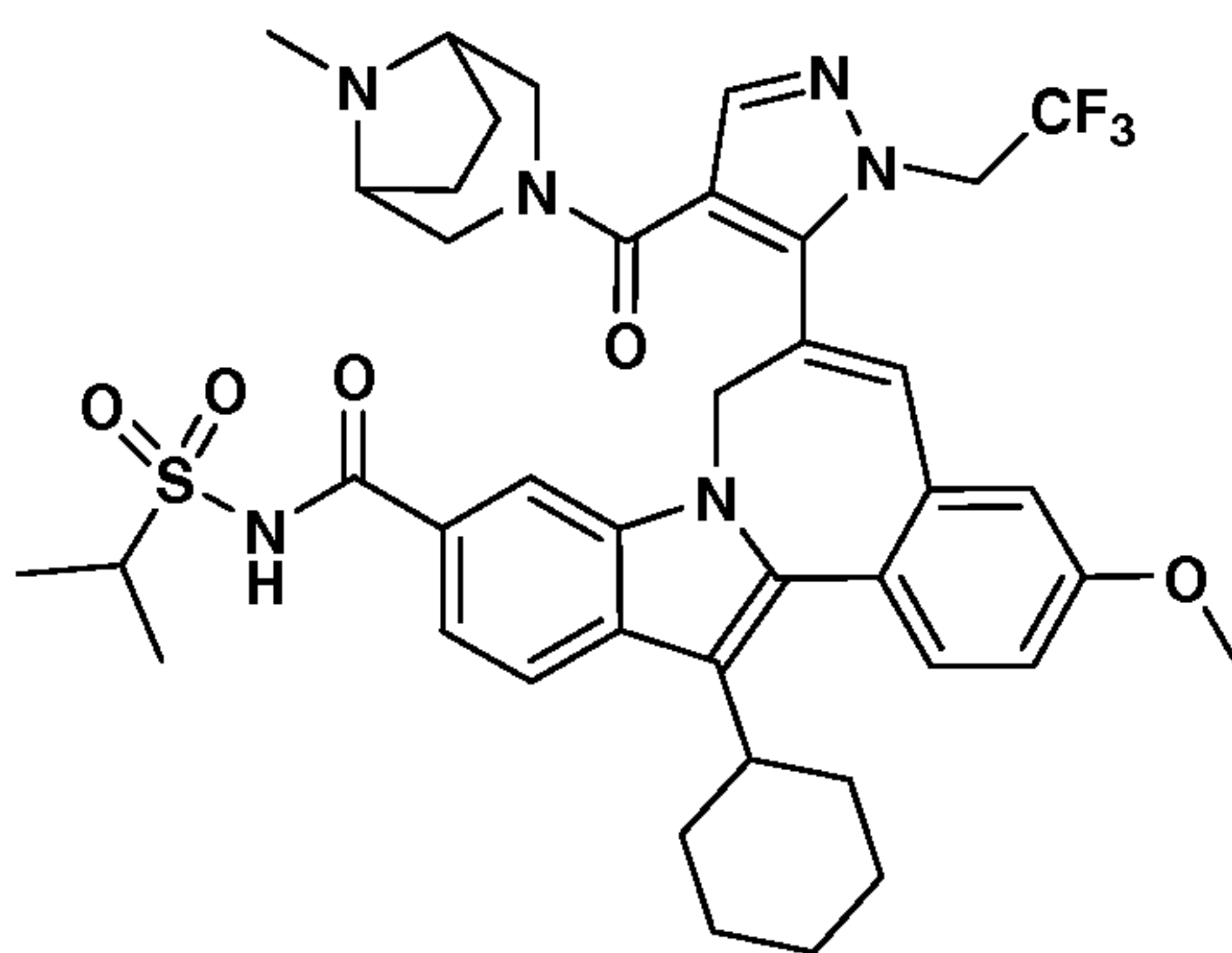
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[[(1S,4S)-5-ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl]carbonyl]-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]]-: ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.10-1.59 (m, 14 H) 1.70 - 2.18 (m, 7 H) 2.38 (m, 1 H) 2.80-3.85 (m, 8 H) 3.95 (s, 3 H) 4.03 (m, 1 H) 4.58 (br.d, 1 H) 4.98 (br.m, 3 H) 6.87-6.96 (m, 1 H) 7.15 (dd, $J=8.55$, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.52-7.68 (m, 2 H) 7.72-7.85 (m, 2 H) 7.93 (m, 1 H) 8.48 (br s, 1 H). LCMS: m/e 793 (M+H).

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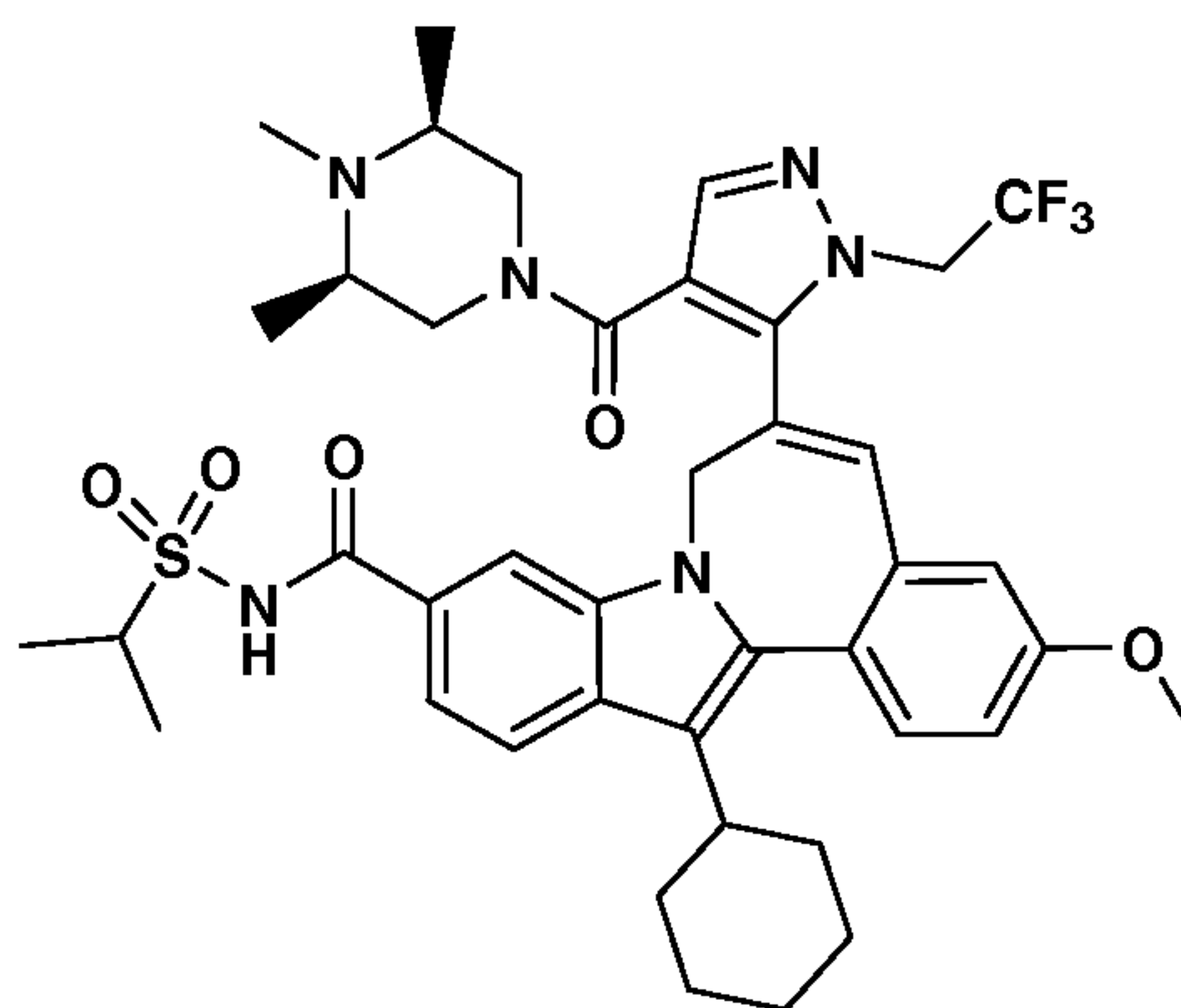


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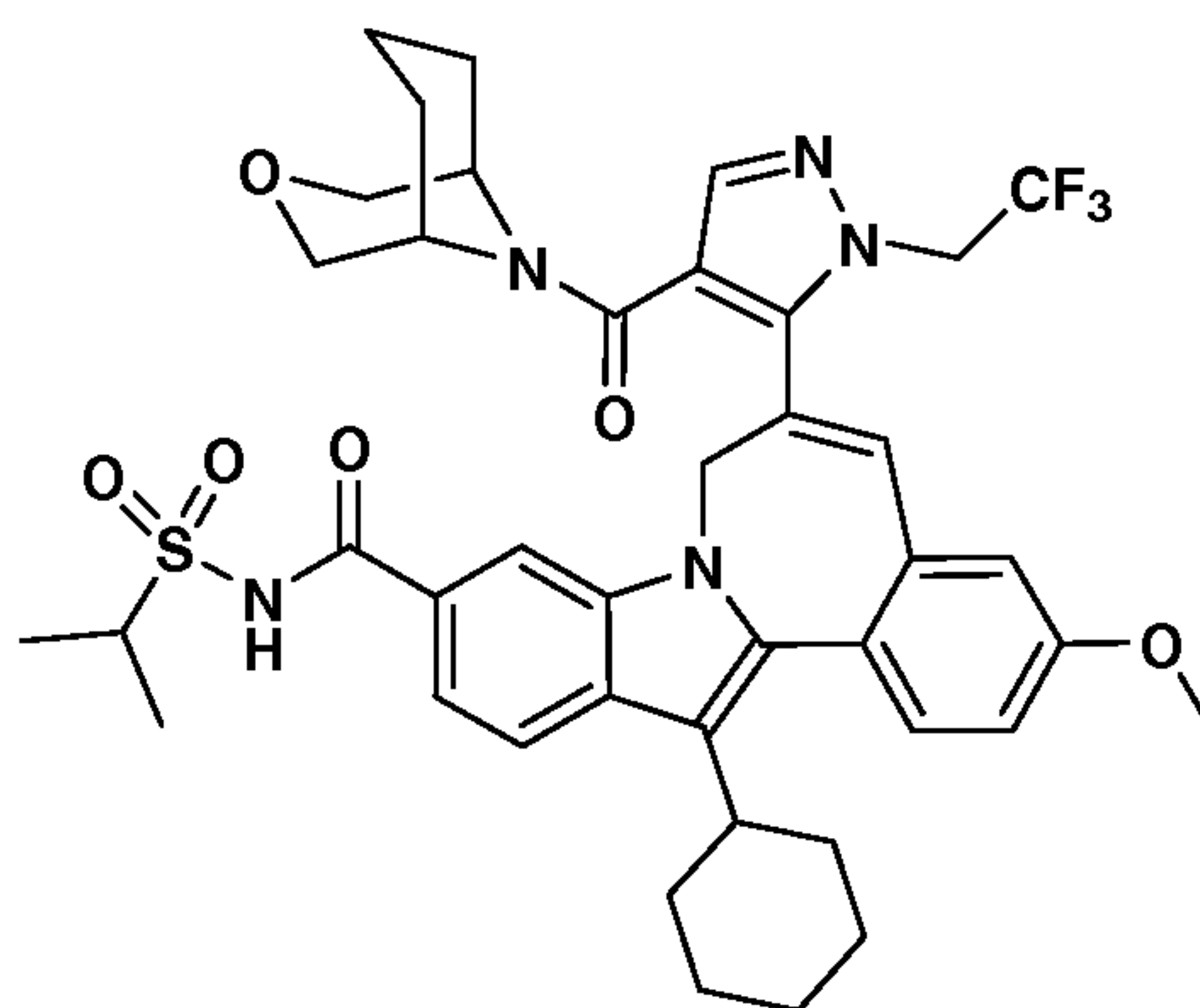
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-4-[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-: ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.05 - 1.57 (m, 15 H) 1.70 - 2.12 (m, 7 H) 2.30-2.99 (m, 6 H) 3.20-3.65 (m, 4 H) 3.92 (s, 3 H) 4.03 (m, 1 H) 4.60 (br.d, 1 H) 4.65-4.98 (br.m, 3 H) 6.95 (m, 2 H) 7.15 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.57 (m, 2 H) 7.71 (s, 1 H) 7.82 (br s, 1 H) 7.93 (d, $J=8.85$ Hz, 1 H). LCMS: m/e 795 (M+H).

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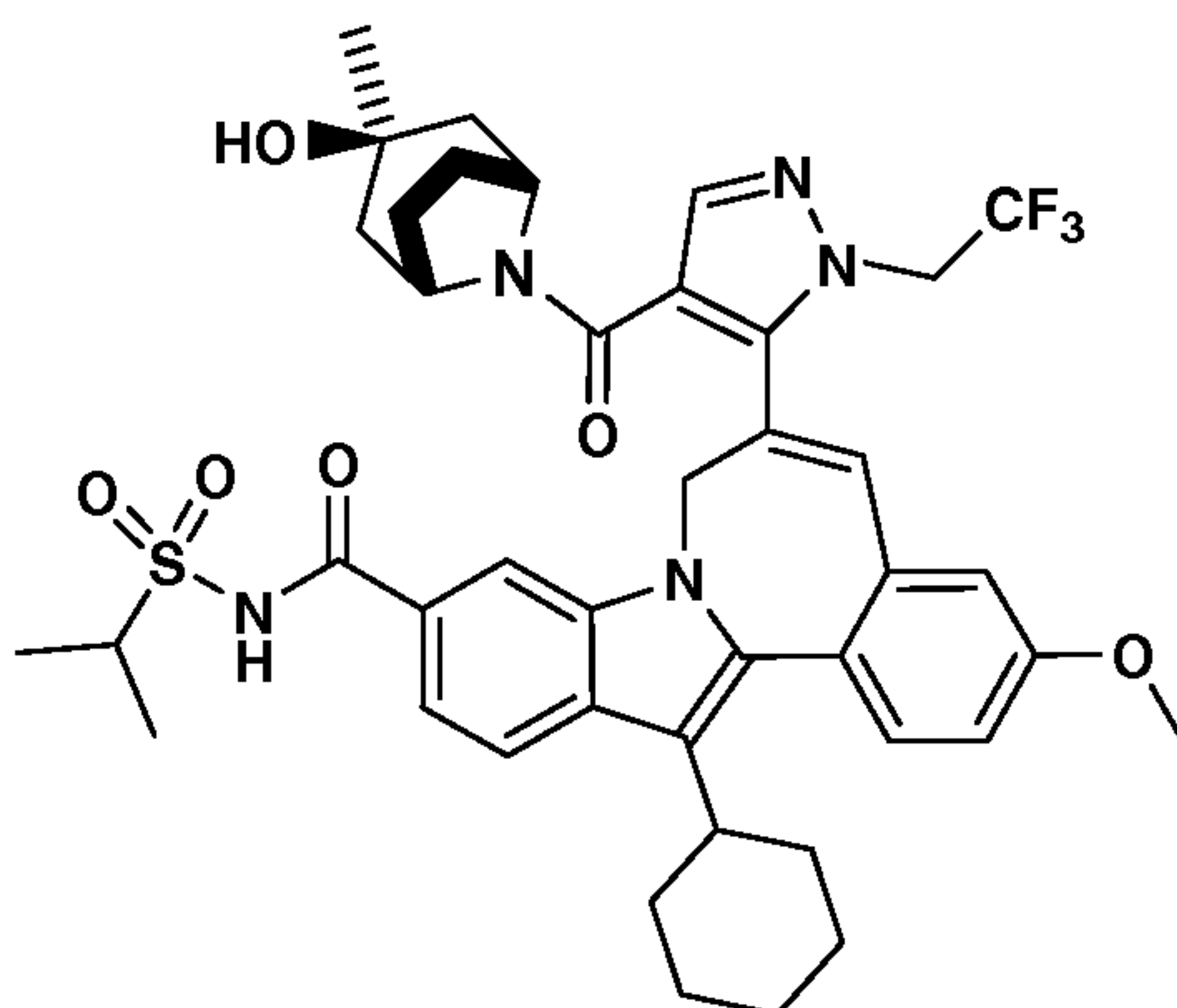
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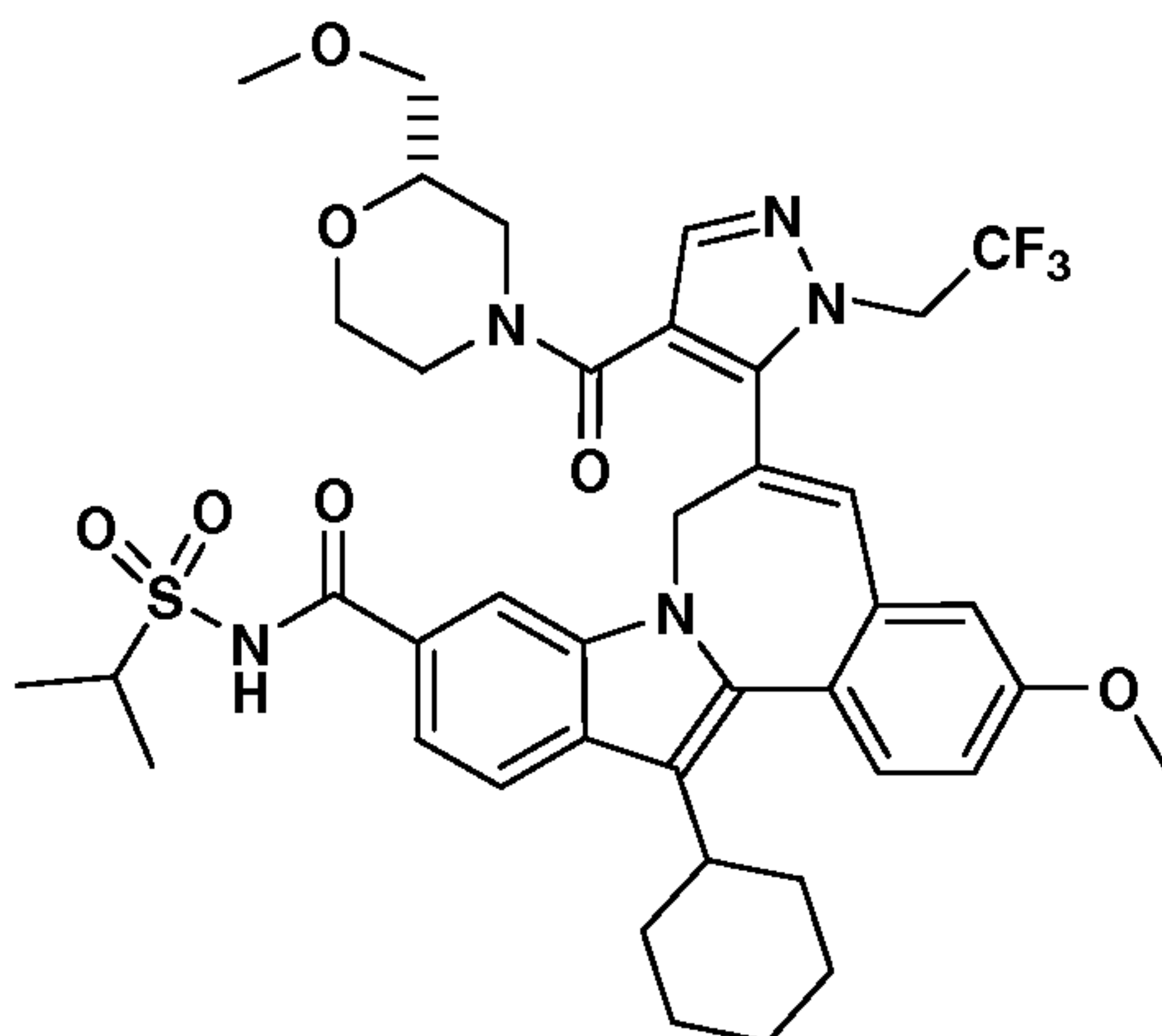
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(s, 3 H) 4.07 (m, 1 H) 4.73 (br.d, 1 H) 4.76 (br m, 2 H) 4.86 (br.d, 1 H) 6.90 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, $J=2.14$ Hz, 1 H) 7.15 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.60 (d, $J=8.85$ Hz, 1 H) 7.63 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H) 7.67 (s, 1 H) 7.80 (s, 1 H) 7.93 (d, $J=8.85$ Hz, 1 H). LCMS: m/e 794 (M+H).

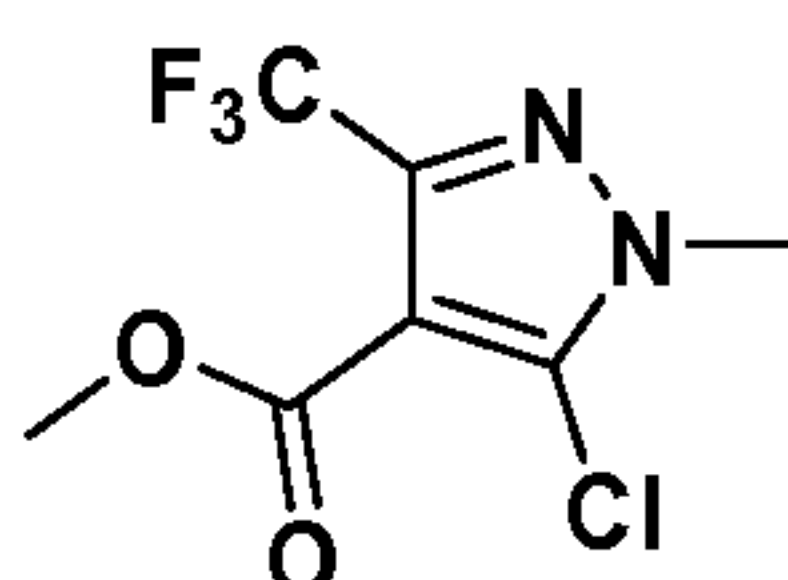
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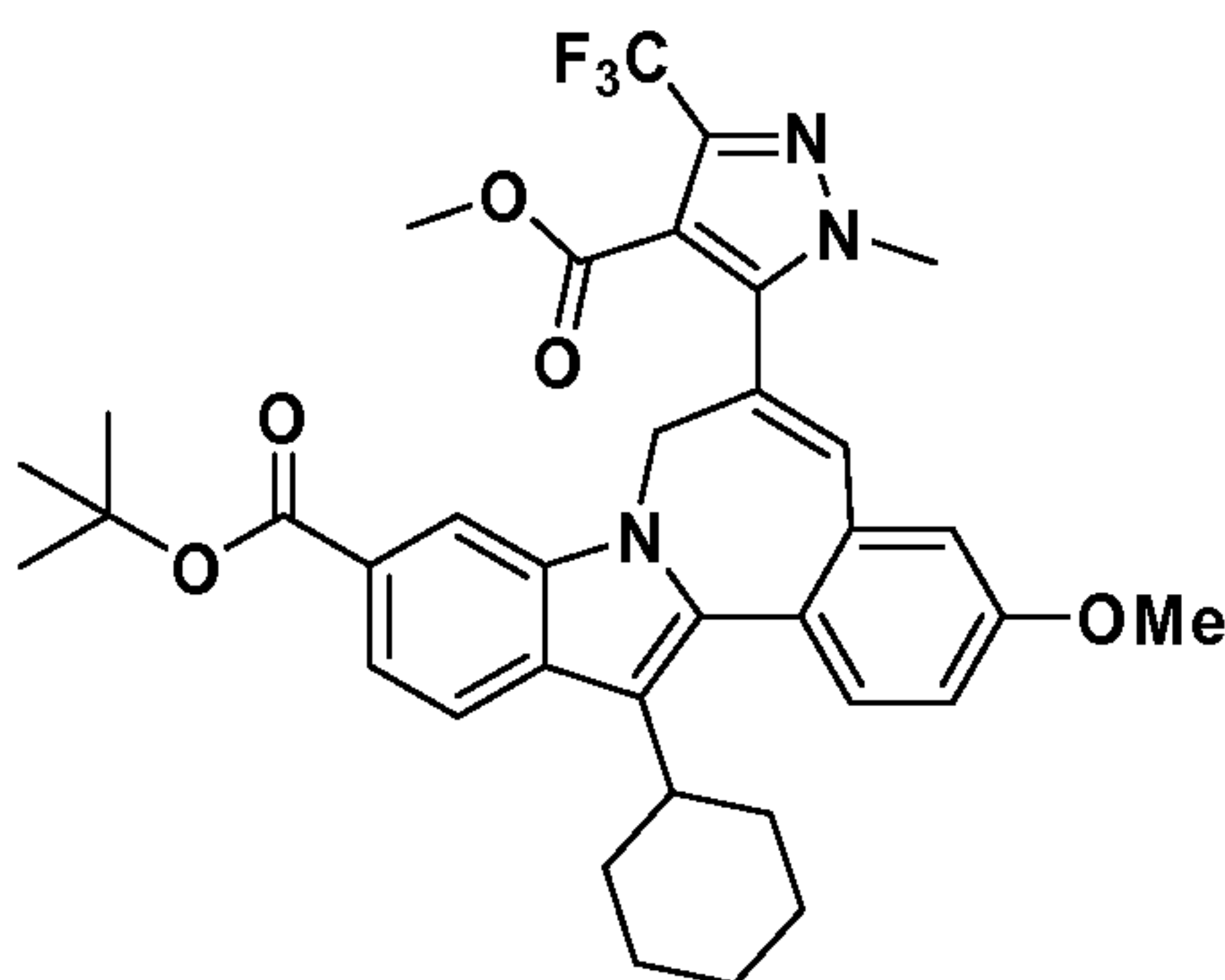
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(3-hydroxy-3-methyl-8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-: ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl_3) δ ppm -0.25 (m, 1 H) 0.52 (m, 1 H) 1.06 (s, 3 H) 1.15-1.82 (m, 18 H) 1.91 - 2.18 (m, 4 H) 2.88 (m, 1 H) 3.32 (m, 1 H) 3.60 (m, 1 H) 3.93 (s, 3 H) 4.07 (m, 1 H) 4.56 (br d, 1 H) 4.82 (m, 2 H) 4.97 (br d, 1 H) 6.82 (br s, 2 H) 7.16 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.60 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.70 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H) 7.84-7.92 (m, 3 H). LCMS: m/e 808 (M+H).



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-: ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ ppm 1.21 (m, 1 H) 1.32 - 1.70 (m, 9 H) 1.73 - 2.20 (m, 6 H) 2.72-3.40 (m, 13 H) 3.92 (m, 3 H) 4.10 (m, 1 H) 4.60 (m, 1 H) 4.82 (m, br, 3 H) 6.85-6.96 (m, 2 H) 7.17 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 - 7.72 (m, 3 H) 7.80-7.96 (m, 2 H). LCMS: *m/e* 798 (M+H).



10 *Methyl 5-chloro-1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate*. To a solution of 5-chloro-1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid (1.00g, 4.38 mmol) in benzene (5.83 mL) and methanol (2.92 mL) at room temperature was added 2M trimethylsilyldiazomethane (8.75 mL). The resulting solution was stirred at room temperature for 3 hours. Solvent was removed at reduced pressure on a rotary evaporator to yield the title compound (1.06 g, 4.38 mmol, 100 % yield) as a white solid. MS *m/z* 243(MH⁺). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 3.82 (s, 3 H) 3.89 (s, 3 H).

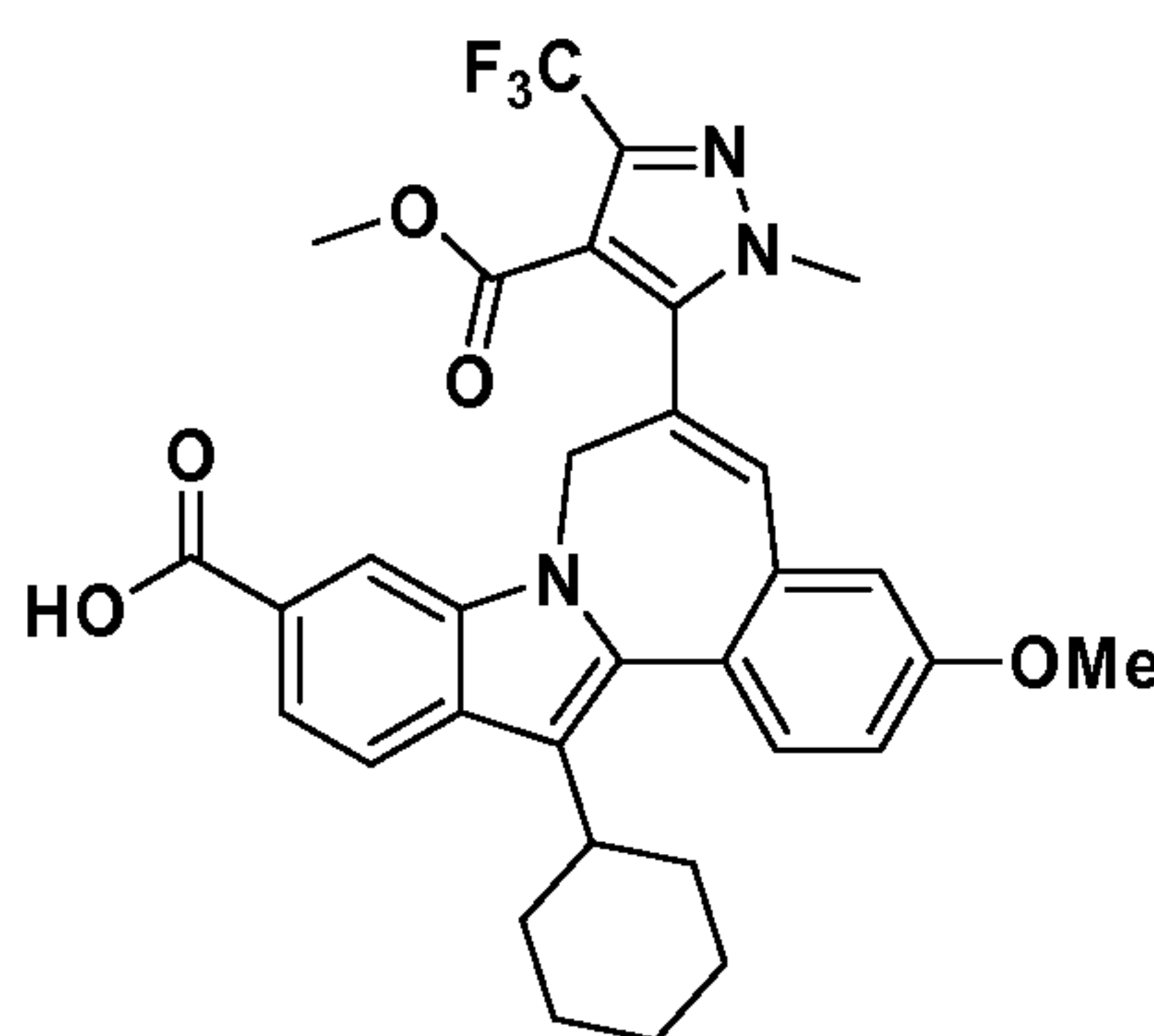


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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester. In a microwave tube, 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(tributylstannyl)-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (1.00 g, 1.37 mmol), methyl 5-chloro-1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-

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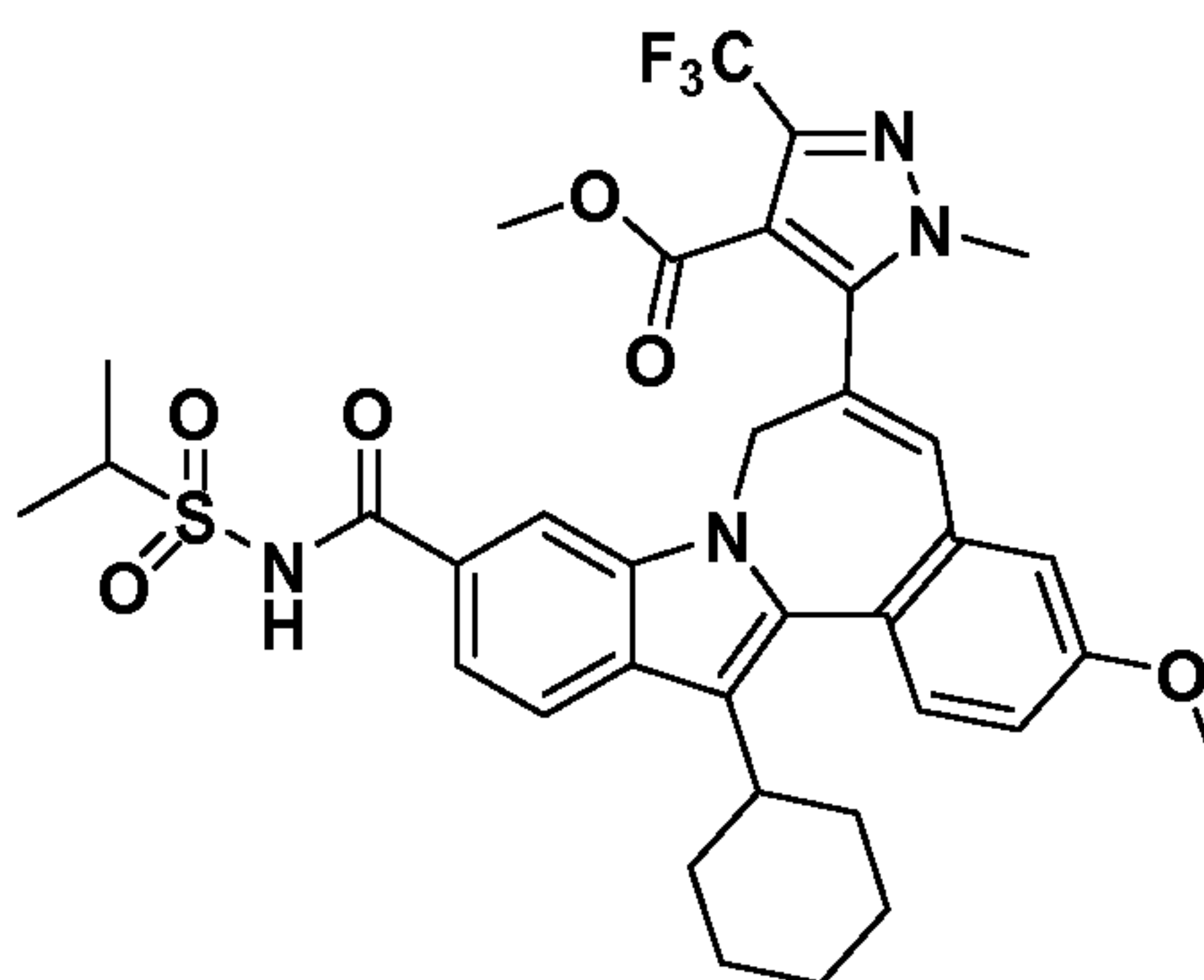
pyrazole-4-carboxylate (497 mg, 2.05 mmol) and bis(dibenzylideneacetone) palladium (78 mg, 0.136 mmol) were added. It was then sealed, degassed and flushed with nitrogen. 1,4-dioxane (6.83 mL) was added. The reaction mixture was heated at 160°C under microwave condition for 3 hours. It was then filtered and the filtrate was concentrated. The residue was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) (8 mL) purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 25% solvent A / 75% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 10 minutes with a run time of 20 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. The product-containing fractions were collected and concentrated to give title compound as a yellow solid (547 mg, 0.842 mmol, 61% yield). MS m/z 650 (MH⁺). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.06 - 2.29 (m, 19 H) 2.85 (m, 1 H) 3.30 (s, br, 3 H) 3.78 (s, br, 3H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.76 (m, br, 1 H) 4.97 (m, br, 1 H) 6.80 (s, 1 H) 6.93 (d, J=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.11 (dd, J=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.56 (d, J=8.54 Hz, 1 H) 7.82 (dd, J=8.24, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.91 (dd, J=8.24, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.98 (s, 1 H).



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-. To a solution of 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-

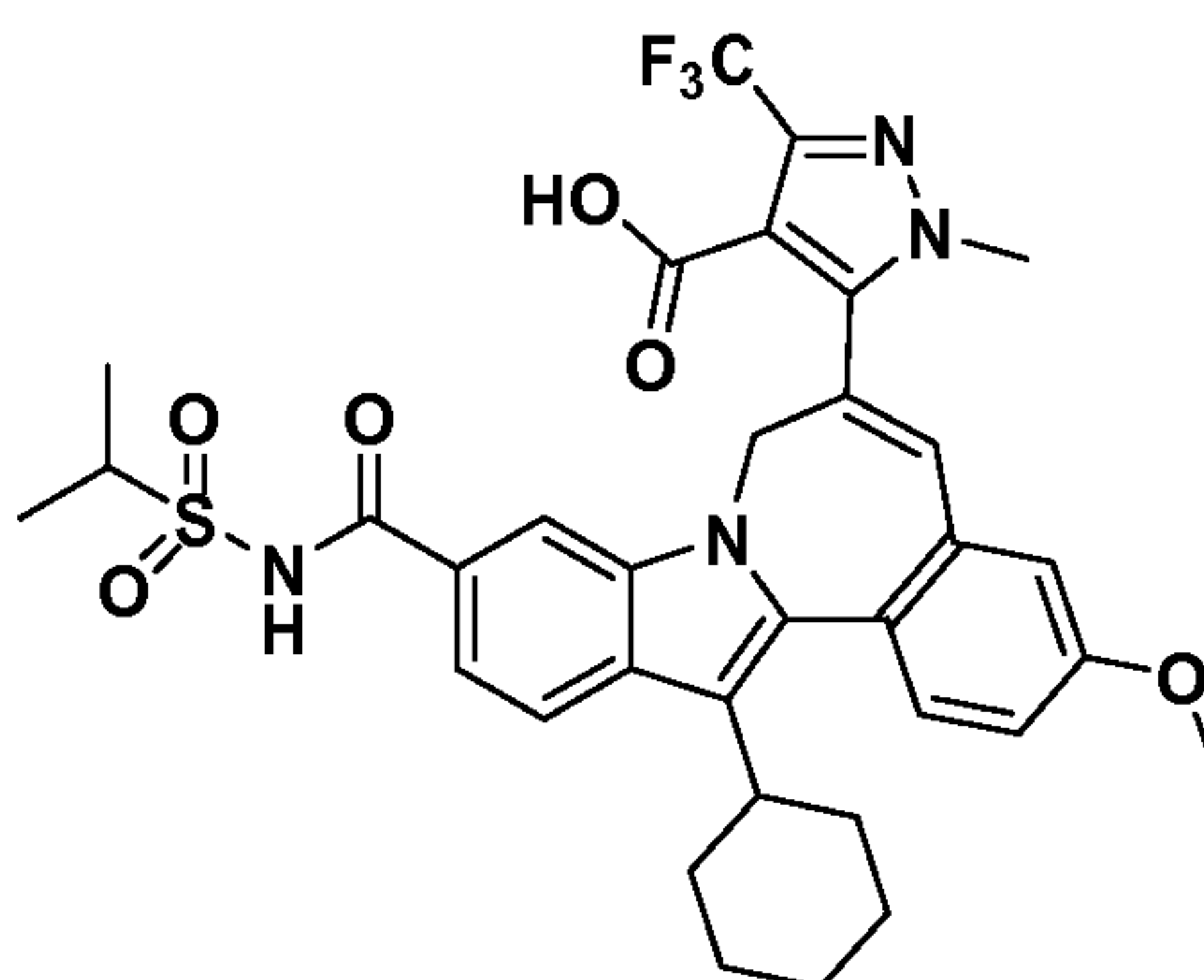
methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1*H*-pyrazol-5-yl]-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (547 mg, 0.842 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (5 mL), TFA (5 mL) was added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 4 hours. Volatiles were removed on a rotary evaporator to give the title compound as a brownish thick oil as crude product (500 mg, 0.842 mmol, 100 % yield). MS *m/z* 594(MH⁺). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.06 - 2.28 (m, 10 H) 2.86 (m, 1 H) 3.30 (s, br, 3 H) 3.78 (s, br, 3H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.75 (m, br, 1 H) 4.96 (m, br, 1 H) 6.80 (s, 1 H) 6.93 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.10 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.54 (d, *J*=8.54 Hz, 1 H) 7.81 (dd, *J*=8.24, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.91 (dd, *J*=8.24, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.97 (s, 1 H).

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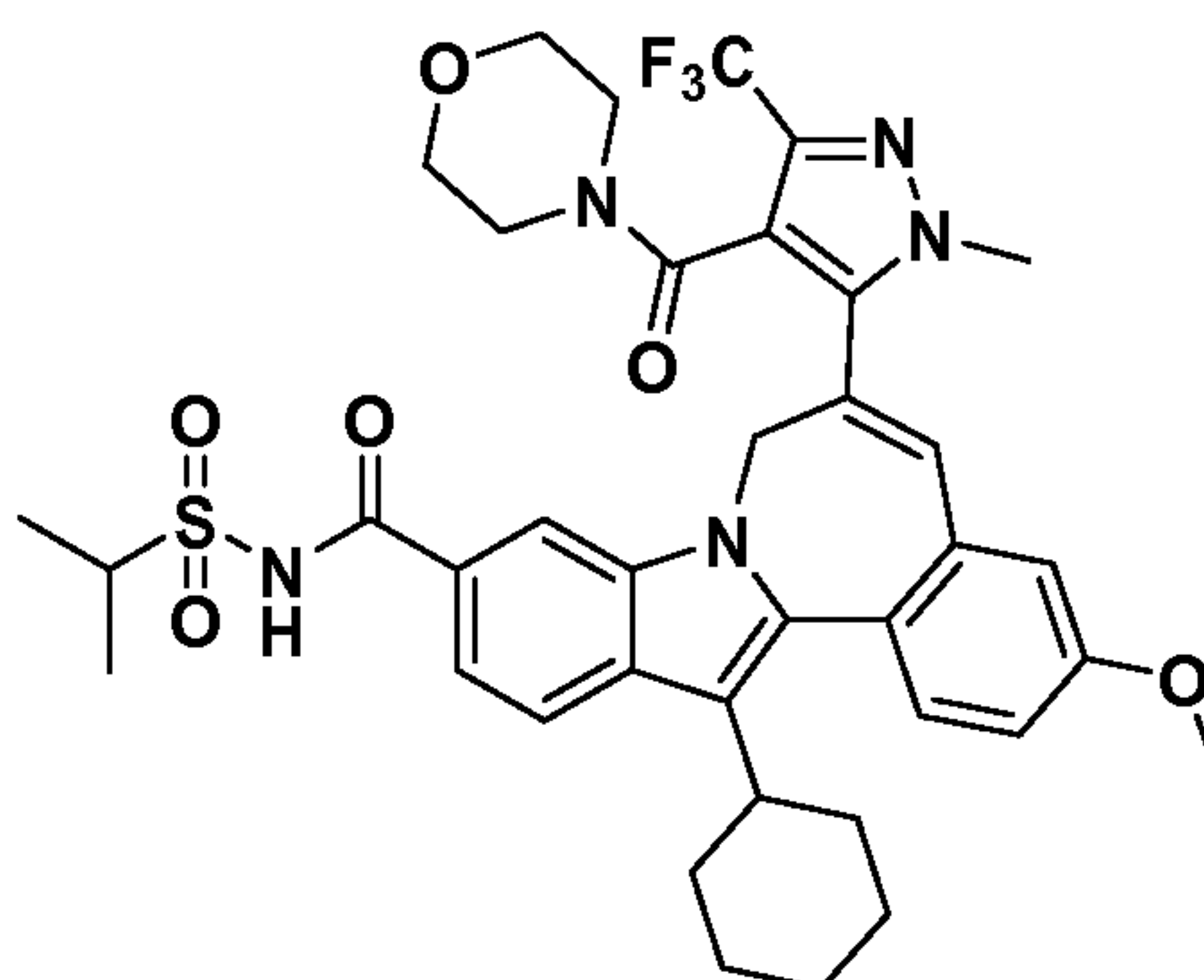


1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-, methyl ester. To a solution of 7*H*-indolo[2,1-
 15 *a*][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1*H*-pyrazol-5-yl]- (480 mg, 0.809 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (2.70 mL) was added carbonyldiimidazole (393 mg, 2.43 mmol). The reaction mixture was heated at 60°C for one hour and then allowed to cool. Propane-2-sulfonamide (398 mg, 3.23 mmol) and DBU (0.366 mL, 2.43 mmol)
 20 were added at room temperature, and the reaction mixture was then heated at 60°C for 4 hours. The resultant mixture was then diluted with 1N HCl (50 mL) solution and extracted with ethyl acetate (2 X 40mL). The organic layers were combined and concentrated on a rotary evaporator to give the product as an orange colored oil. This
 25 material was then purified by preparative HPLC column using CH₃CN/H₂O/TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were collected and concentrated under reduced pressure. The title compound was obtained as a yellow solid, (492 mg,

0.704 mmol, 87 % yield). MS m/z 699 (MH^+). ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.16 - 1.61 (m, 10 H) 1.69 - 2.21 (m, 6 H) 2.86 (m, 1 H) 3.34 (s, br, 3H) 3.67 (s, br, 3 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.01 - 4.19 (m, 1 H) 4.70 (m, br, 1 H) 4.97 (m, br, 1 H) 6.70 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, $J=2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.09 (dd, $J=8.55$, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.51 (dd, $J=8.55$, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.81 (d, $J=1.22$ Hz, 1 H) 7.88 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.92 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 8.68 (s, 1 H).



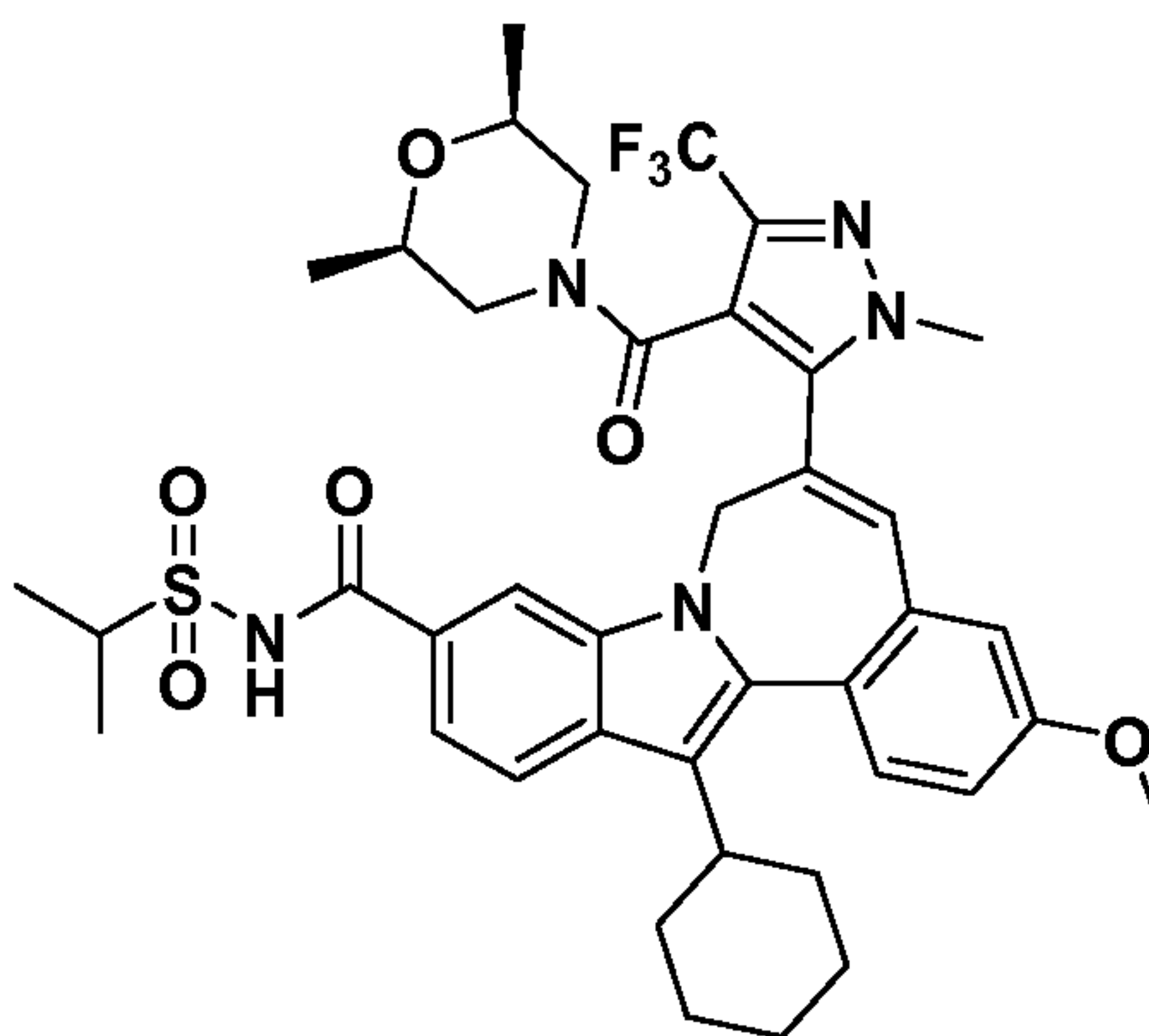
10 *1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]- 1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-. 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-*
 15 *a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]- 1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-, methyl ester* (0.300 g, 0.429 mmol) was dissolved in THF (1.07 mL) and methanol (1.07 mL) was added followed by 1N aqueous sodium hydroxide (0.900 mL). The reaction was then placed under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 18 hrs. The mixture was then diluted with ethyl acetate (50.0 mL) and washed with 1.0 N aqueous hydrochloric acid (2 x 50ml). The organic layer was concentrated *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator to yield the title compound as a yellow solid (282 mg, 0.412 mmol, 96%). MS m/z 685(MH^+). ^1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.16 - 1.61 (m, 10 H) 1.69 - 2.21 (m, 6 H) 2.86 (m, 1 H) 3.34 (s, br, 3 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.01 - 4.19 (m, 1 H) 4.70 (m, br, 1 H) 4.99 (m, br, 1 H) 6.70 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, $J=2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.10 (dd, $J=8.55$, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.51 (dd, $J=8.55$, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.81 (d, $J=1.22$
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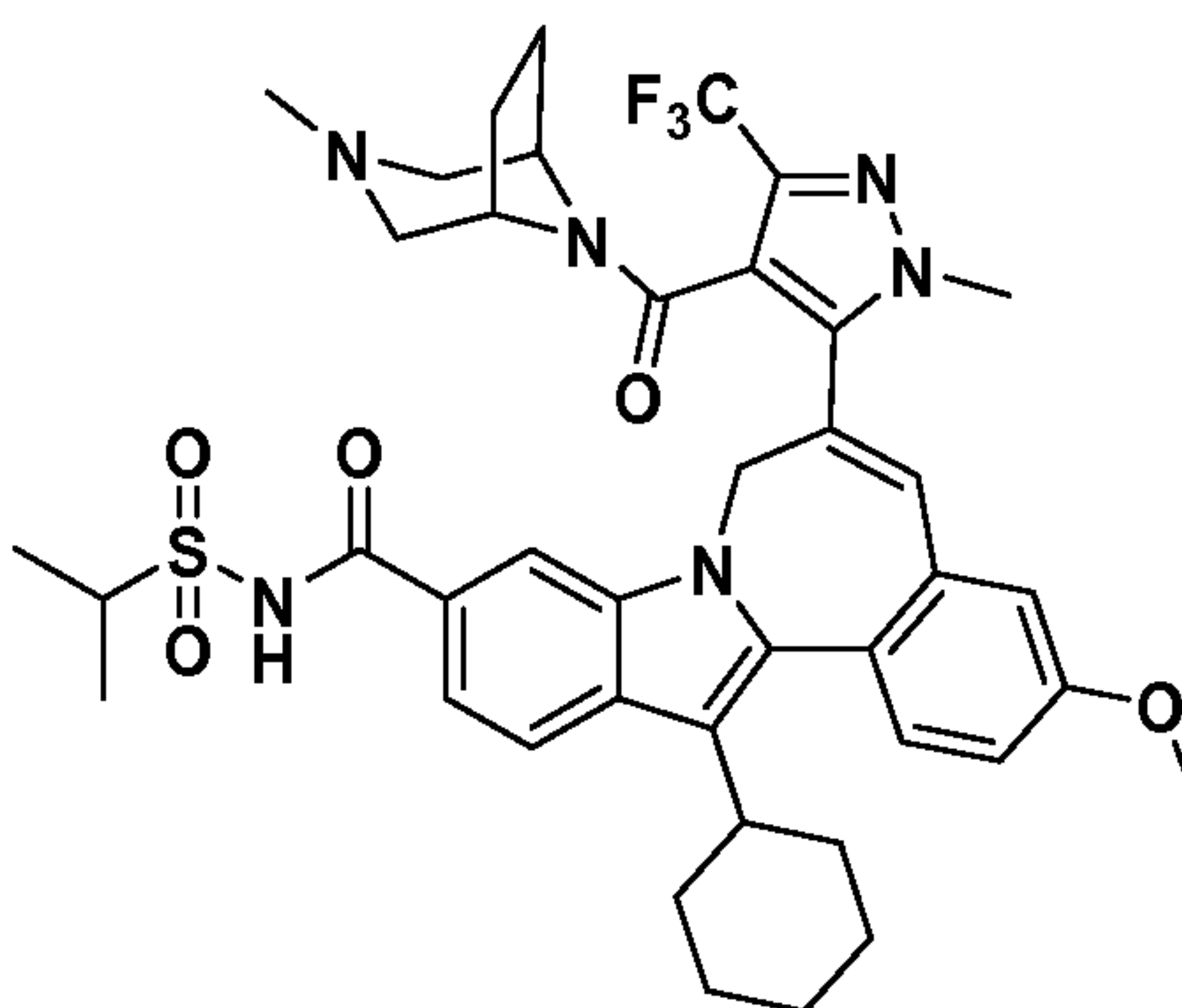
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 N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-3-
 5 (trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-. To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid,
 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-
 indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]- 1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)- (75 mg, 0.11 mmol)
 in DMSO (1.1 mL), TBTU (70 mg, 0.22 mmol) and DIPEA (0.057 mL, 0.4444
 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 15 min. Then
 10 morpholine (38 mg, 0.44 mmol) was added. The solution was stirred at RT
 overnight. The reaction mixture was then purified by preparative HPLC using
 CH₃CN/H₂O/TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were collected and
 concentrated under reduced pressure to yield the title compound as a yellow
 solid, (67 mg, 0.089 mmol, 81 % yield). MS m/z 754 (M-H⁺). ¹H NMR (500 MHz,
 15 MeOD) δ ppm 1.18 - 1.52 (m, 10 H) 1.75 - 2.25 (m, 6 H) 2.63 - 3.26 (m, 9 H) 3.50 (s,
 br, 3 H) 3.95 (s, 3 H) 3.96 - 4.03 (m, 1 H) 4.64 (d, br, 1 H) 4.98 (m, br, 1 H) 6.88 (s, 1
 H) 6.94 (d, J=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.15 (dd, J=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.55 - 7.65 (m, 2 H) 7.80
 (s, br, 1 H) 7.93 (d, J=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 10.30 (s, br, 1H).

20 The following compounds were synthesized by an analogous method as
 described above for 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-
 cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-
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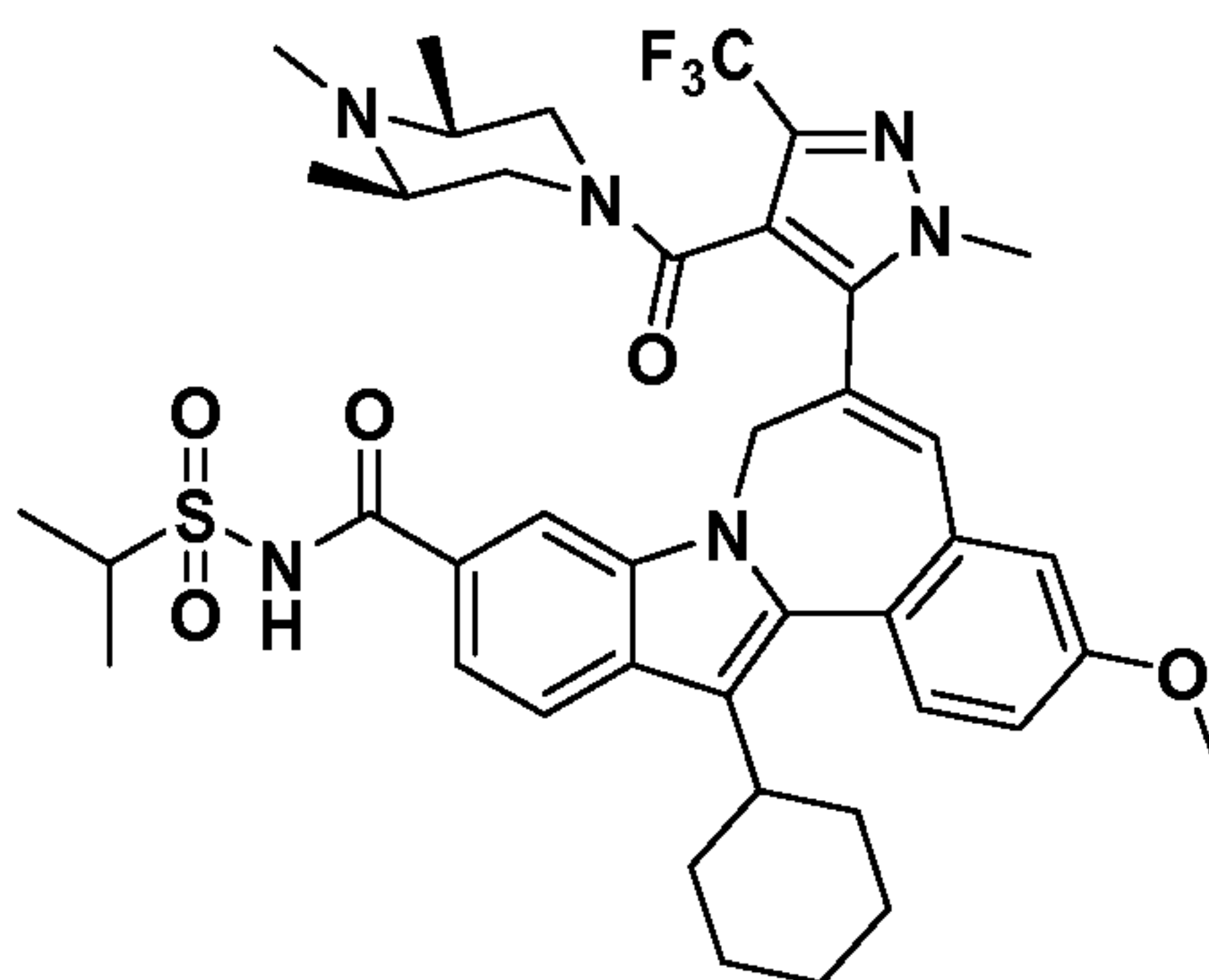
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-
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 pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-. MS m/z 782 (M-H⁺). 1H
 NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 0.71 (s, br, 3H), 0.75 (s, br, 3H) 1.18 - 1.52 (m, 10
 H) 1.75 - 2.21 (m, 9 H) 2.35 (m, 1 H) 2.83 - 3.21 (m, 3 H) 3.50 (s, br, 3 H) 3.95 (s, 3
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 Hz, 1 H) 7.13 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.55 - 7.65 (m, 2 H) 7.80 (s, br, 1 H) 7.93
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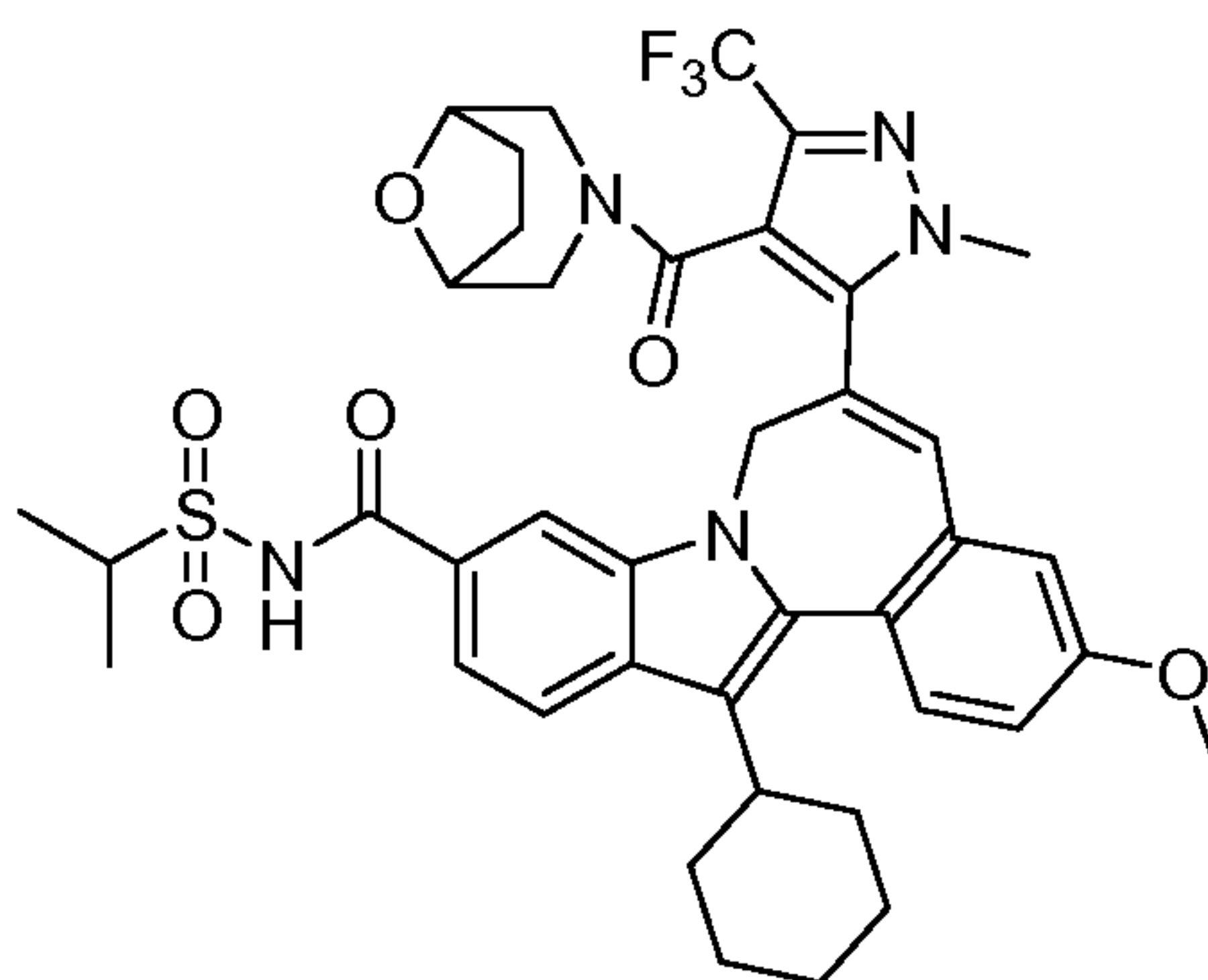


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
 15 N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-
 yl)carbonyl]-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-. MS m/z 793 (M-H⁺). 1H NMR
 (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.16 - 2.20 (m, 20 H) 2.40-2.99 (m, 7 H) 3.22-3.71 (m,
 3H) 3.90-4.11 (m, 7 H) 4.63 (m, br, 1 H) 4.98 (m, br, 1 H) 6.98 (m, 1 H) 7.03 (m, 1
 H) 7.23 (m, 1H) 7.52 - 7.73 (m, 3 H) 7.82 (s, br, 1 H) 10.10 (s, br, 1H).



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
 N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-4-[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-
 5 trimethyl-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-. MS m/z 795 (M-H⁺). 1H NMR
 (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.10 - 1.51 (m, 16 H) 1.71 - 2.50 (m, 11 H) 2.59-2.94 (m,
 5 H) 3.50 (s, br, 3 H) 3.96 (s, 3 H) 4.63 (m, br, 2 H) 4.95 (m, br, 1 H) 6.93 (m, 2 H)
 7.13 (m, 1 H) 7.49 - 7.65 (m, 2 H) 7.82 (s, br, 1 H) 7.93 (m, 1 H) 10.10 (s, br, 1H).

10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
 N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-(8-oxa-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-3-
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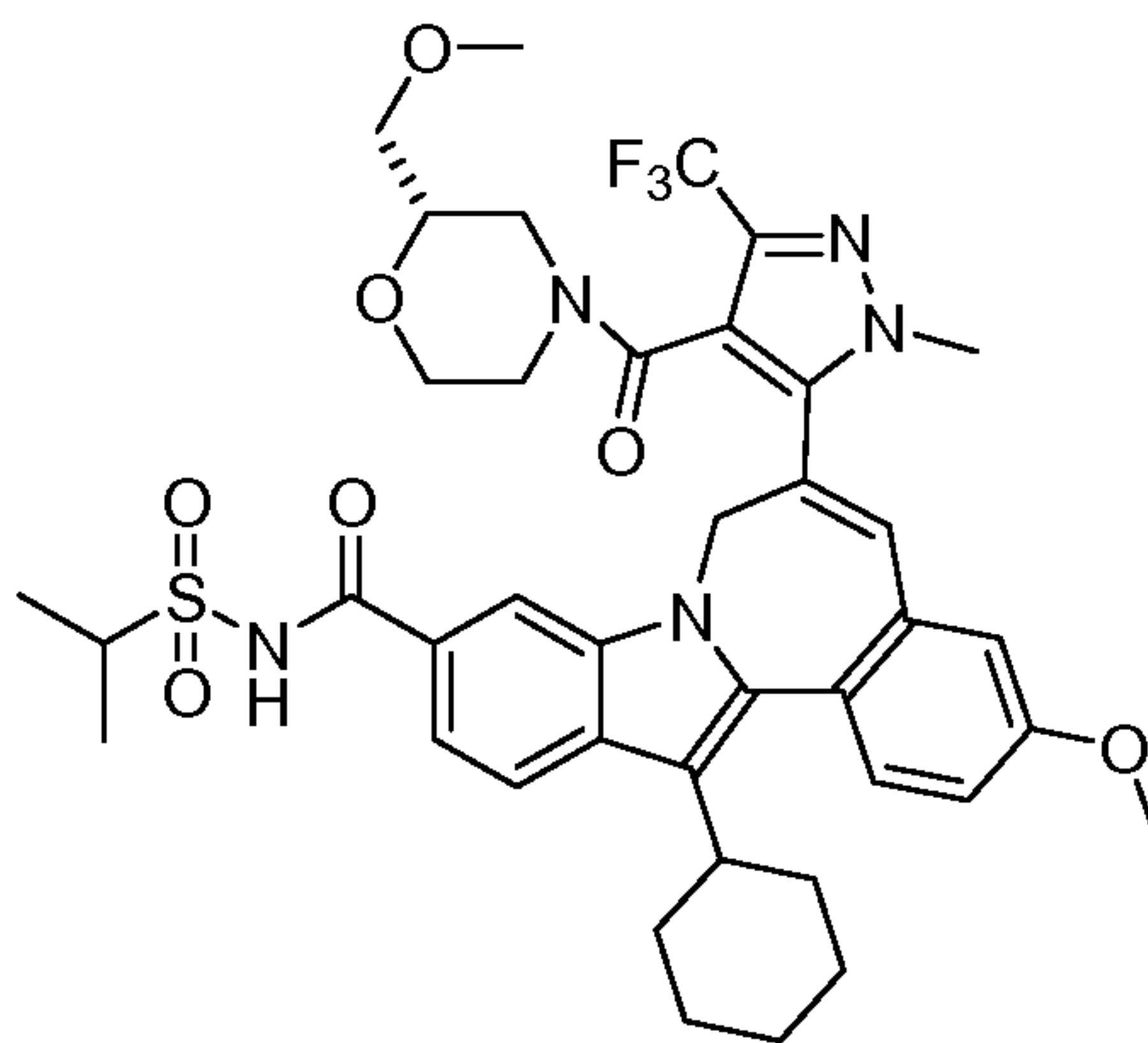


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MS m/z 780 (M-H⁺)

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 H) 10.45 (s, br, 1H).

7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[[[(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-



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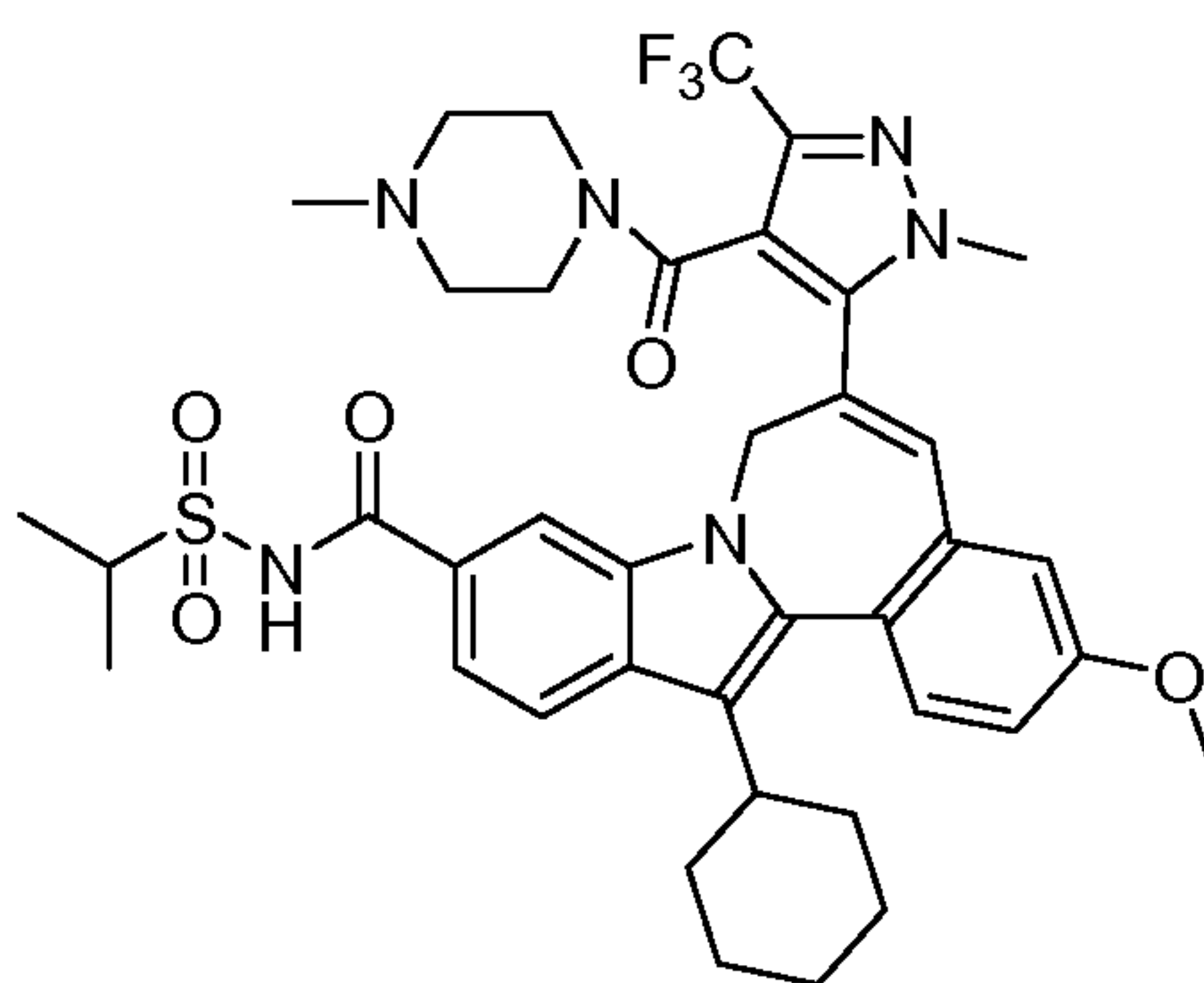
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[(4-methyl-1-piperazinyl)carbonyl]-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-

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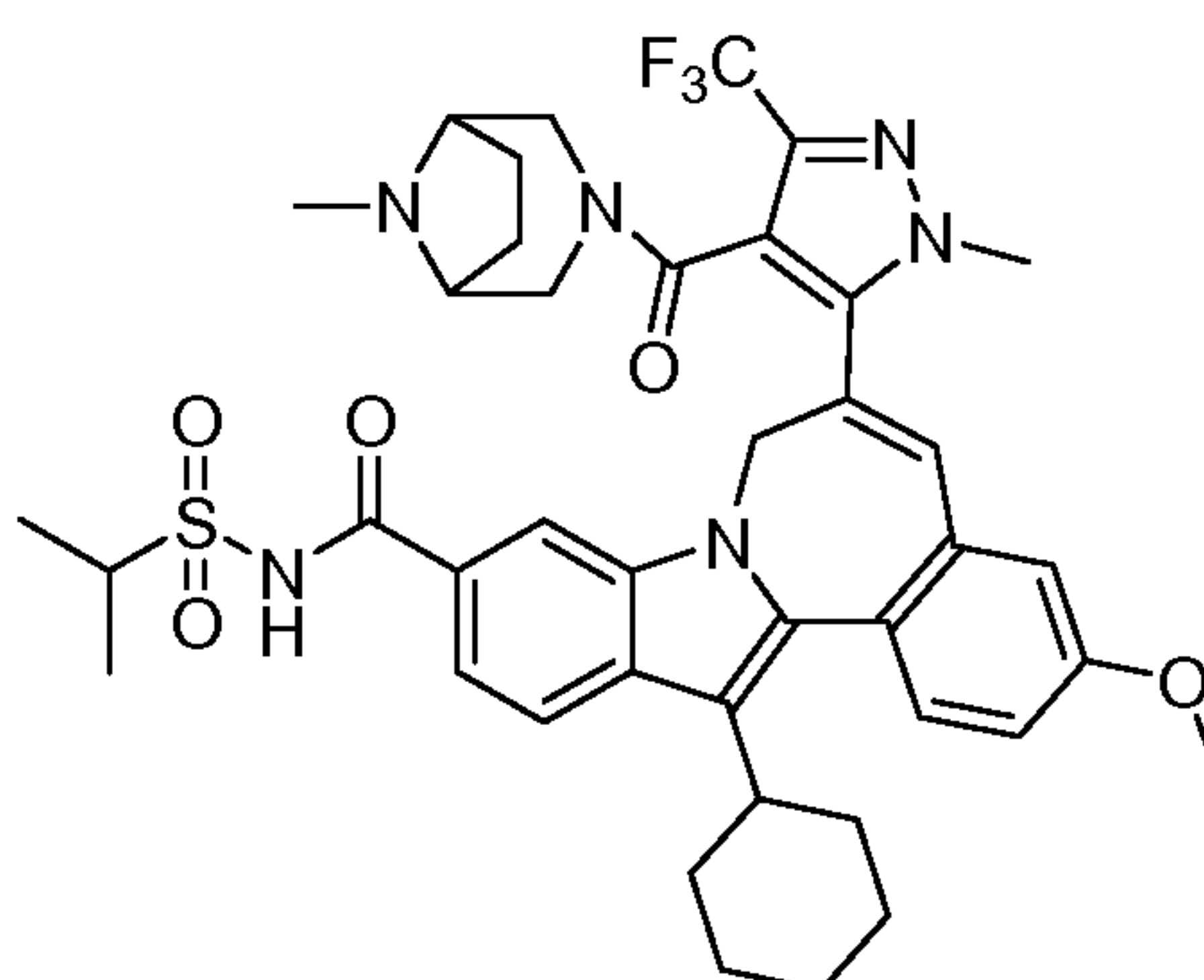
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5 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[(8-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-3-yl)carbonyl]-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-*

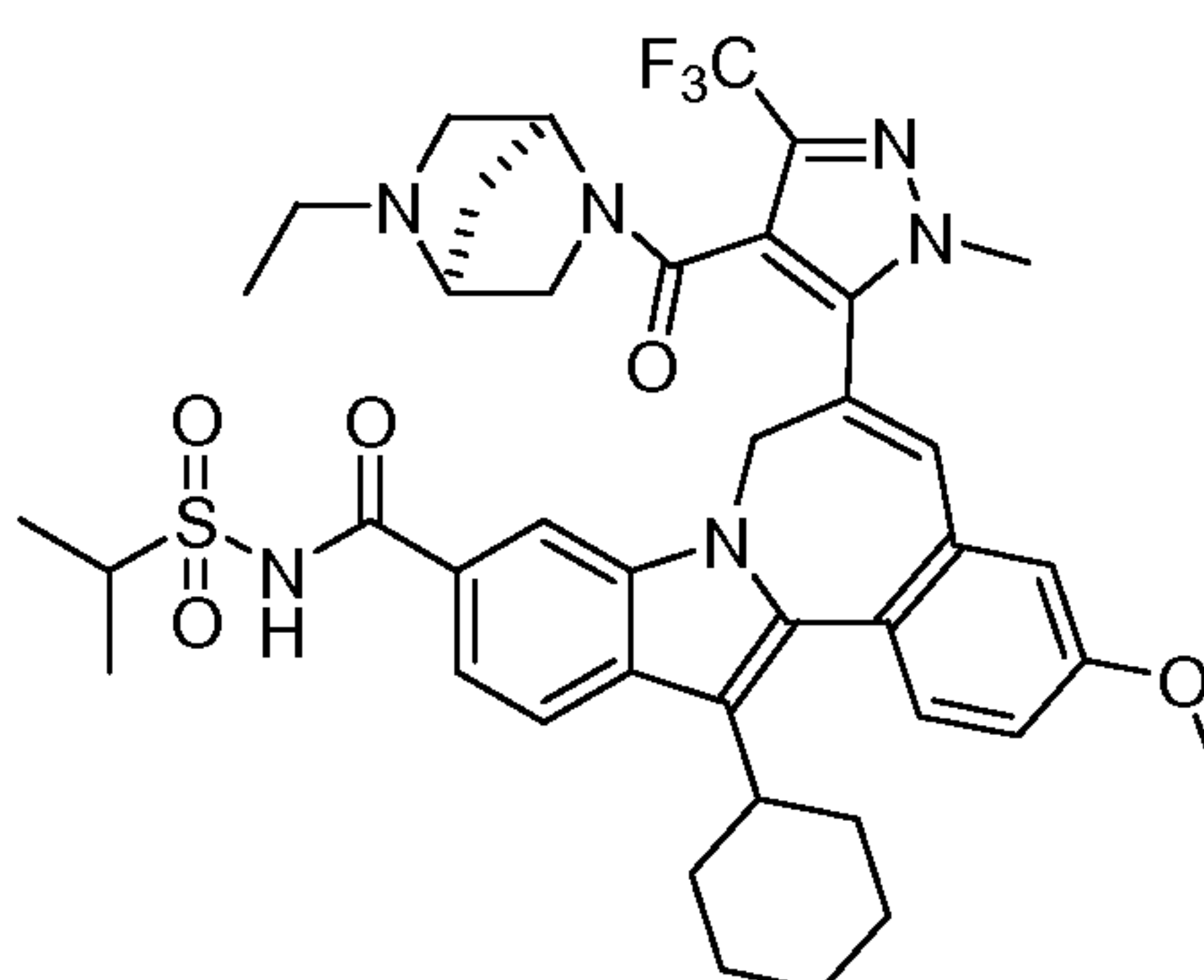


10 MS m/z 793 ($M-H^+$)

^1H NMR (500 MHz, $CDCl_3$) δ ppm 0.37 (br m, 1H) 0.83 (br m, 1H) 1.14 - 1.70 (m, 11 H) 1.75-2.16 (m, 7H) 2.35-2.70 (m, 4 H) 2.86 (m, 2 H) 3.20-3.79 (m, 4H) 3.90-4.11 (m, 7 H) 4.63 (d, br, 1 H) 4.94 (m, br, 1 H) 6.95-7.10 (m, 2 H) 7.15 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.53 - 7.70 (m, 3 H) 7.81 (s, br, 1 H) 10.10 (s, br, 1H).

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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[[(1S,4S)-5-ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-

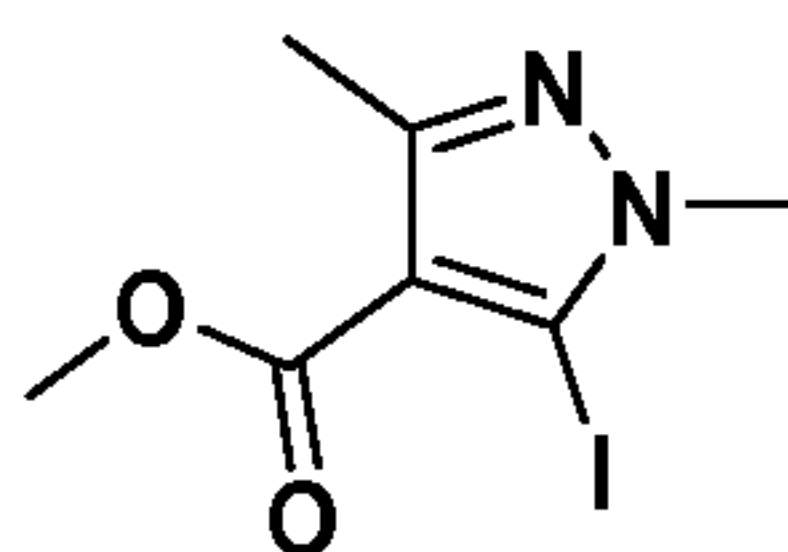


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MS m/z 793 (M-H⁺)

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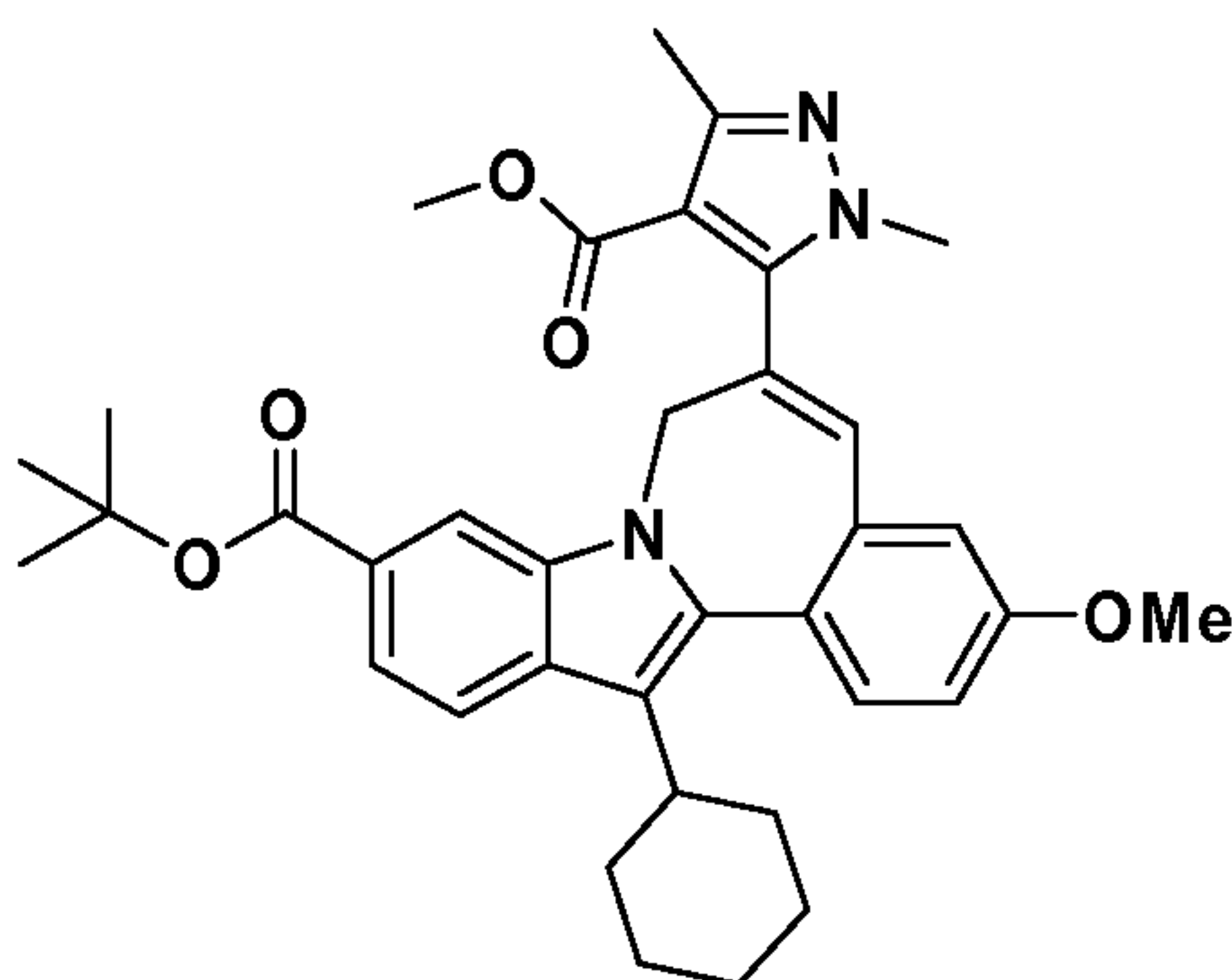
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Methyl 5-iodo-1,3-dimethyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate.

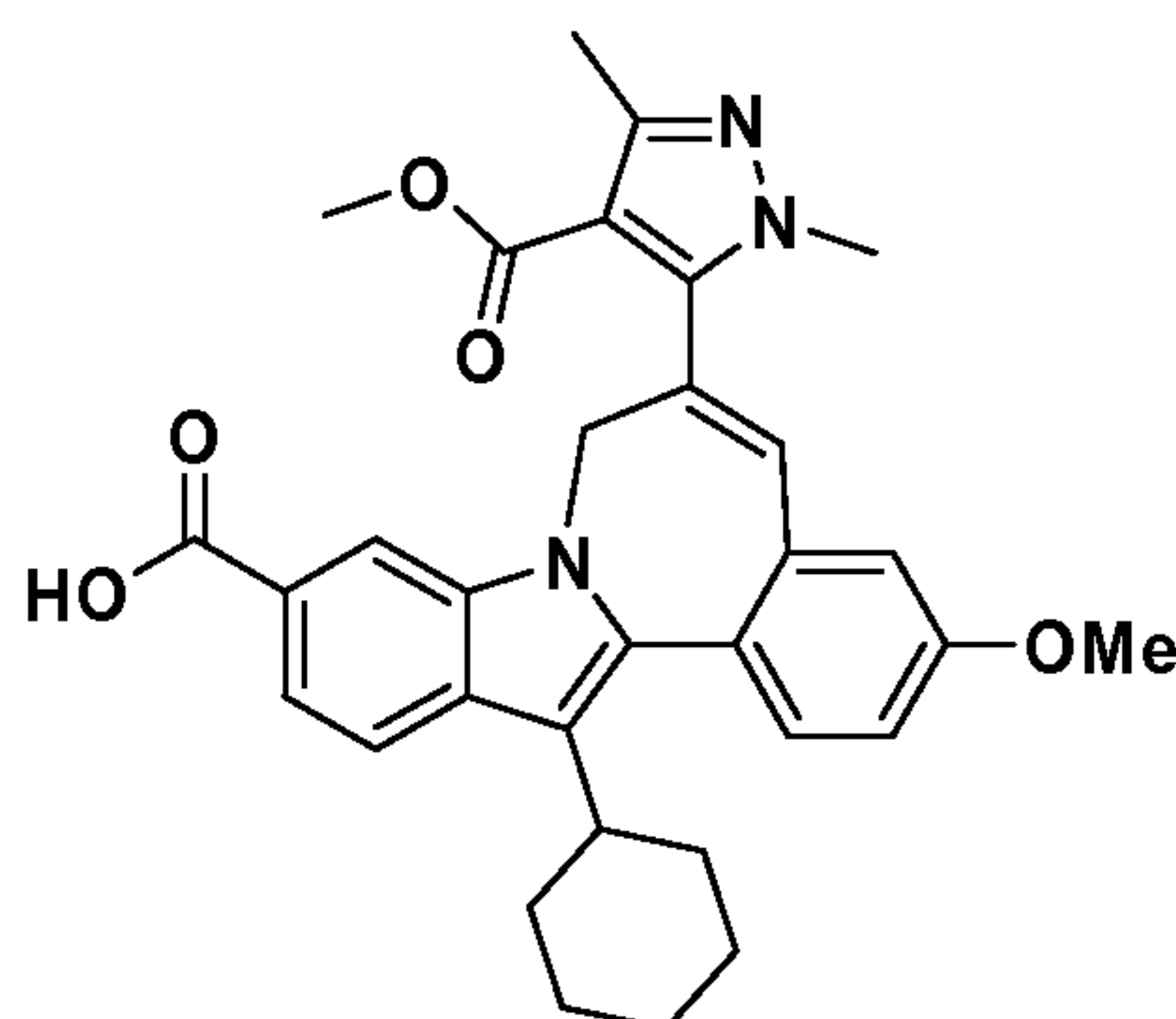
To a solution of methyl 1, 3-dimethyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate (154 mg, 1 mmol) in dry tetrahydrofuran (10 mL) at -78°C, 2 M solution of BuLi (0.550 mL, 1.100 mmol) in pentane was added dropwise. The reaction mixture was then warmed to -45°C and stirred for 1 h. It was then cooled to -78°C and a solution of IODINE (279 mg, 1.100 mmol) in THF (2 mL) was added. The reaction mixture was warmed to RT and stirred for 1h. It was then quenched with saturated NH₄Cl solution and extracted with ethyl acetate (2X25 mL). The organic layers were combined, washed with brine, dried over MgSO₄, and then concentrated in vacuo. The crude product was obtained as a brown thick oil. This material was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN/H₂O/TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were combined and concentrated in vacuo. The concentrate was then extracted with ethyl acetate and the extracts combined and dried over MgSO₄. The suspension was then filtered and the filtrand evaporated under reduced pressure to give the title compound as a white solid, (137 mg, 0.460 mmol, 46.0 % yield). MS m/z 281(MH⁺), Retention time: 1.107 min.(basic). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 2.45 (s, 3 H) 3.84 (s, 3 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H).

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5 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1,3-dimethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester.*

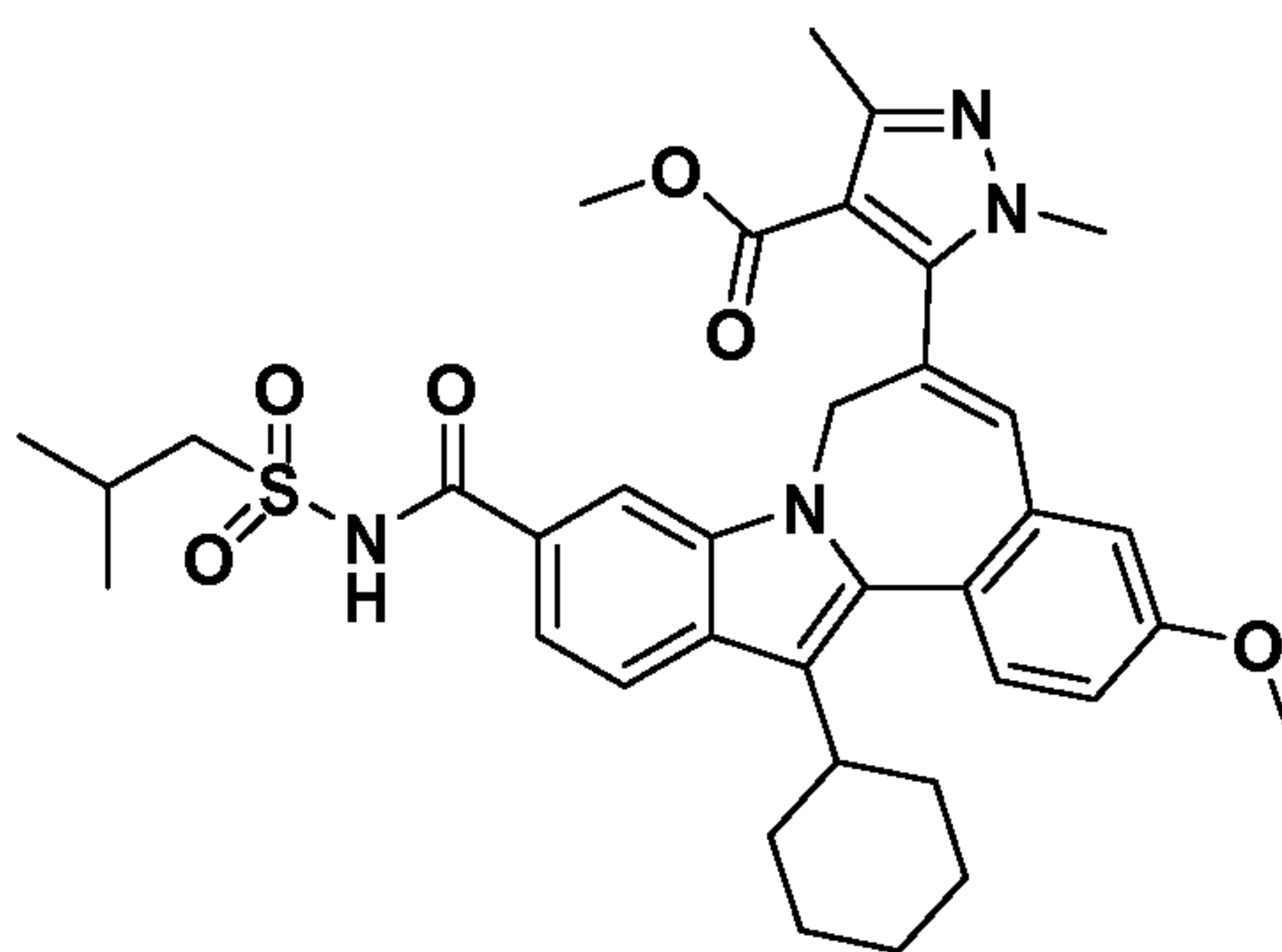
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(tributylstannyl)-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (50 mg, 0.068 mmol), methyl 5-iodo-1,3-dimethyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate (38.2 mg, 0.136 mmol) and Bis(triphenylphosphine)-palladium(II) chloride (4.79 mg, 6.82 μ mol) were added to a standard microwave tube. The vessel was then sealed, degassed and flushed with nitrogen. 1,4-Dioxane (2.0 mL) was added and the resultant mixture was heated at 120°C under microwave conditions for 2h. It was then filtered and the filtrate concentrated. The residue was purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were collected and concentrated in vacuo to give the title compound as an orange colored solid, (9.1 mg, 0.015 mmol, 21.26 % yield). MS *m/z* 596 (MH⁺), Retention time: 2.893 min.(basic). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.06 - 2.28 (m, 19 H) 2.47 (s, 3 H) 2.77 - 2.93 (m, 1 H) 3.19 (s, 3 H) 3.53 - 3.83 (s, br, 3 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 4.58 - 4.73 (m, br, 1 H) 4.86 - 5.03 (m, br, 1 H) 6.71 (s, 1 H) 6.92 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.06 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.52 (d, *J*=8.54 Hz, 1 H) 7.65 (dd, *J*=8.24, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.80 - 7.85 (m, 2 H).



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1,3-dimethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-.

5 To a solution of 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1,3-dimethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (601 mg, 1.009 mmol) in 1,2-Dichloroethane (10 mL), TFA (5 mL, 64.9 mmol) was added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 4 hours. Solvent and TFA were then evaporated to give a brownish thick oil, (650 mg, 1.144 mmol, 113 % yield). 10 mg of this crude product was purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were combined and concentrated under reduced pressure to give the title compound as a yellow solid, (3.5 mg, 35% recovery). MS m/z 540(MH⁺), Retention time: 1.925 min. (basic). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.15 - 1.59 (m, 4 H) 1.68 - 2.24 (m, 6 H) 2.41 (s, 3 H) 2.84 - 2.97 (m, 1 H) 3.11 - 3.50 (m, br, 6 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 4.55 - 4.69 (m, br, 1 H) 4.94 - 5.06 (m, br, 1 H) 6.88 (s, 1 H) 7.07 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.14 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.57 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.67 (dd, *J*=8.55, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.87 (d, *J*=8.54 Hz, 1 H) 7.89 (s, 1 H).

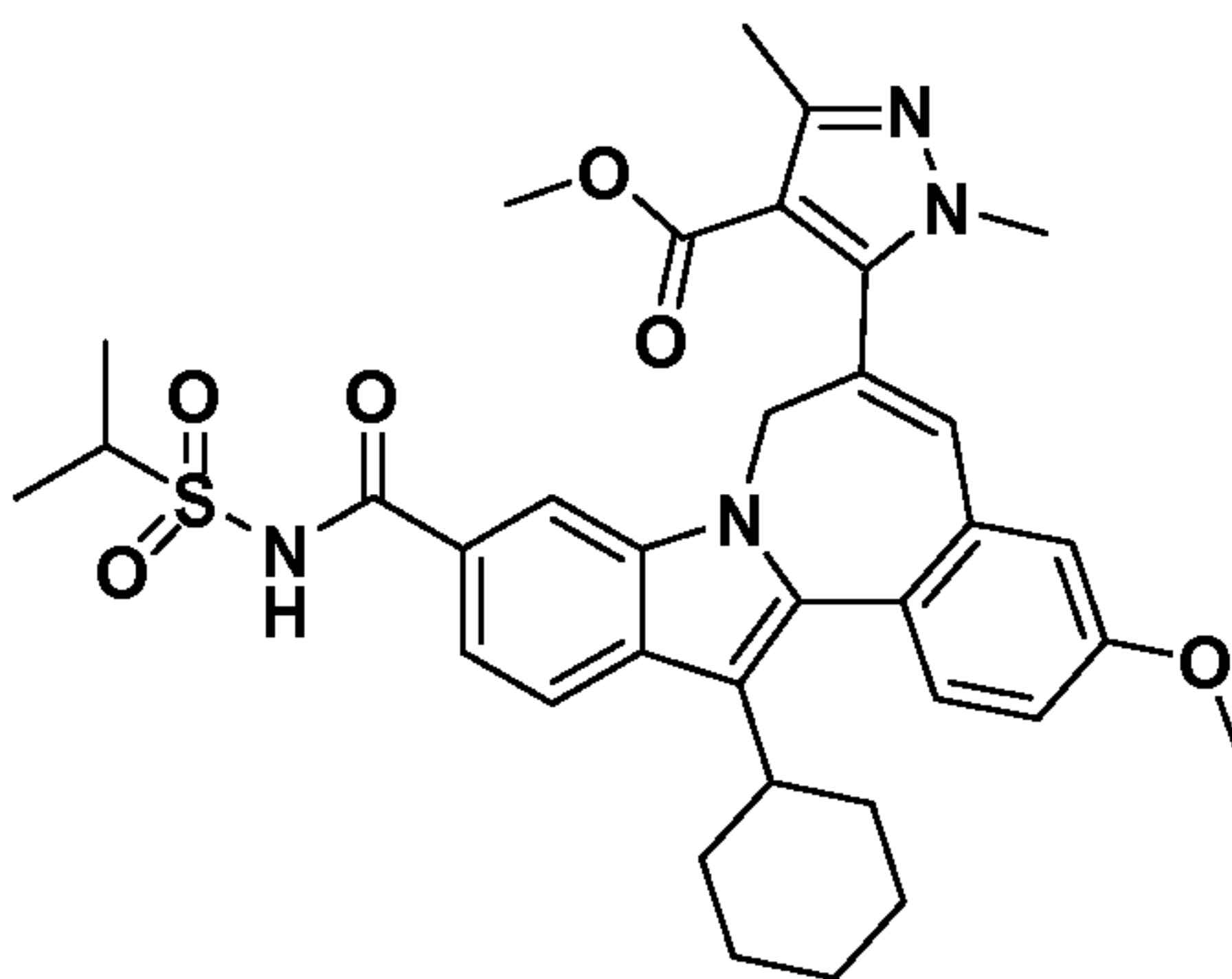
20 Note: The remaining crude product was used in the subsequent steps without further purification.



5 *1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl-, methyl ester.*

To a solution of 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1,3-dimethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]- (225 mg, 0.417 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (10 mL), CDI (101 mg, 0.625 mmol) was added. The reaction mixture was heated at 60°C for one hour and then allowed to cool to
 10 RT. 2-Methylpropane-1-sulfonamide (172 mg, 1.251 mmol) and DBU (0.126 mL, 0.834 mmol) were then added and the resultant mixture was heated at 60°C for 4 hours. The reaction was then quenched with 1N HCl solution and the product extracted with ethyl acetate (2 x 40mL). The organic layers were combined, washed with 1N HCl solution, brine, dried (MgSO₄) and then filtered. Evaporation of the
 15 filtrate gave the product as an orange colored oil. This material was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were combined and concentrated in vacuo, to provide the title compound as a yellow colored solid, (46.6 mg, 0.067 mmol, 16.12 % yield). MS m/z 659(MH⁺), Retention time: 2.197 min. (basic). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm
 20 1.14 (d, *J*=6.71 Hz, 6 H) 1.19 - 1.60 (m, 4 H) 1.70 - 2.15 (m, 6 H) 2.34 - 2.43 (m, 1 H) 2.49 (s, 3 H) 2.80 - 2.92 (m, 1 H) 3.12 - 3.75 (m, 8 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.63 - 4.74 (m, br, 1 H) 4.85 - 4.99 (m, br, 1 H) 6.75 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, *J*=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.09 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.39 (dd, *J*=8.55, 1.53 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.75 (d, *J*=1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.90 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 8.52 (s, 1 H).

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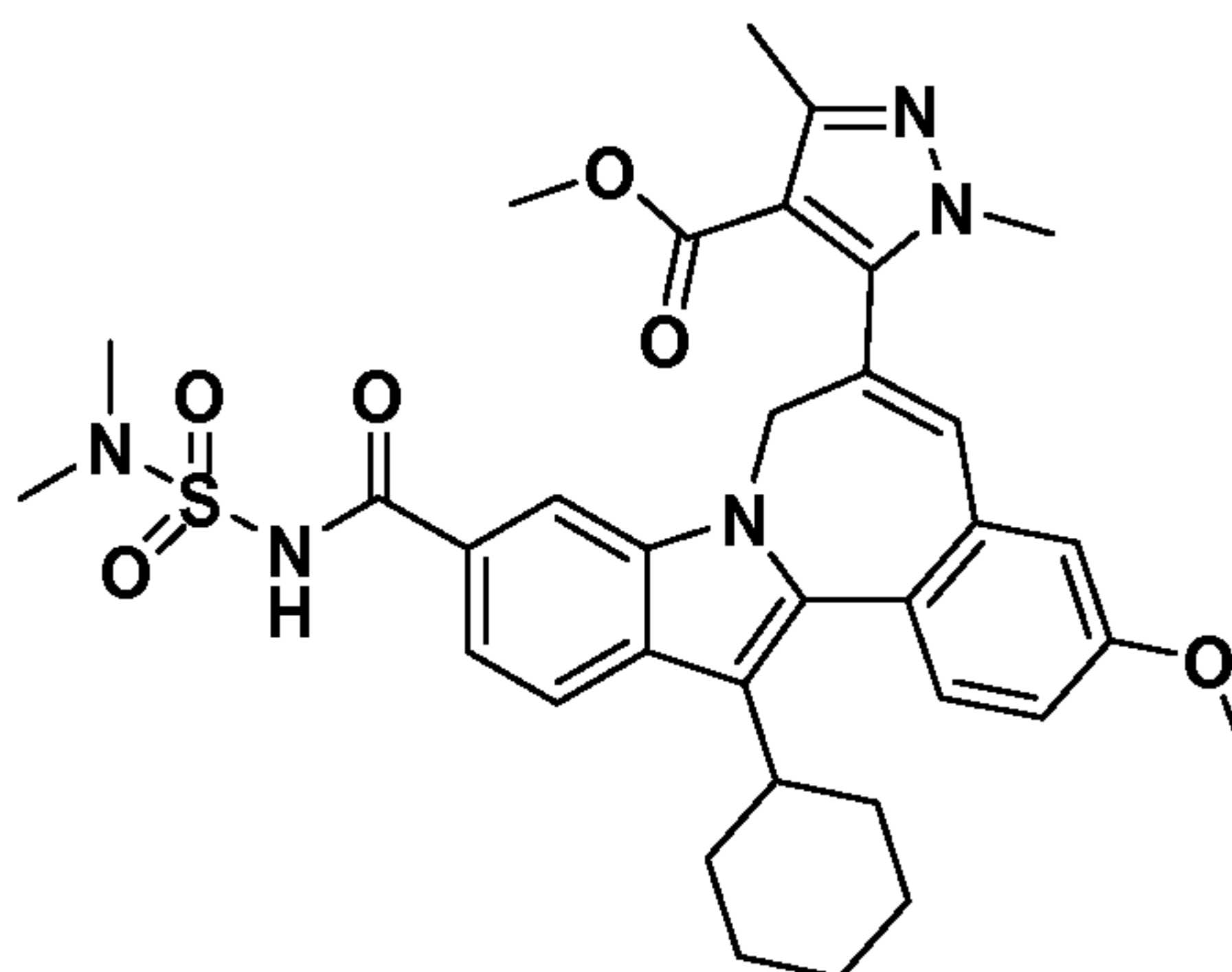


5 *1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl-, methyl ester.*

To a solution of 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1,3-dimethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]- (225 mg, 0.417 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (10 mL), CDI (101 mg, 0.625 mmol) was added. The reaction mixture was heated at 60°C for one hour and was then allowed to cool
10 to room temperature. Propane-2-sulfonamide (154 mg, 1.251 mmol) and DBU (0.126 mL, 0.834 mmol) were then added and the resultant mixture was heated at 60°C for 4 hours. The reaction was then quenched with 1N HCl solution and the product extracted with ethyl acetate (2 x 40mL). The organic layers were combined, washed with 1N HCl solution, brine, then dried (MgSO₄) and filtered. Evaporation
15 of solvents gave the product as an orange colored thick oil. This material was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent system.

Homogeneous fractions were combined and concentrated in vacuo to provide the title compound as a yellow colored solid, (42.5 mg, 0.066 mmol, 15.81 % yield). MS m/z 645(MH⁺), Retention time: 2.105 min. (basic). ¹H NMR (500 MHz,
20 CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.16 - 1.61 (m, 10 H) 1.69 - 2.21 (m, 6 H) 2.48 (s, 3 H) 2.81 - 2.92 (m, 1 H) 3.24 (s, 3 H) 3.66 (s, br, 3 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.01 - 4.10 (m, 1 H) 4.63 - 4.75 (m, br, 1 H) 4.84 - 4.98 (m, br, 1 H) 6.74 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, *J*=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.08 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.39 (dd, *J*=8.55, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.74 (d, *J*=1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.90 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 8.28 (s, 1 H).

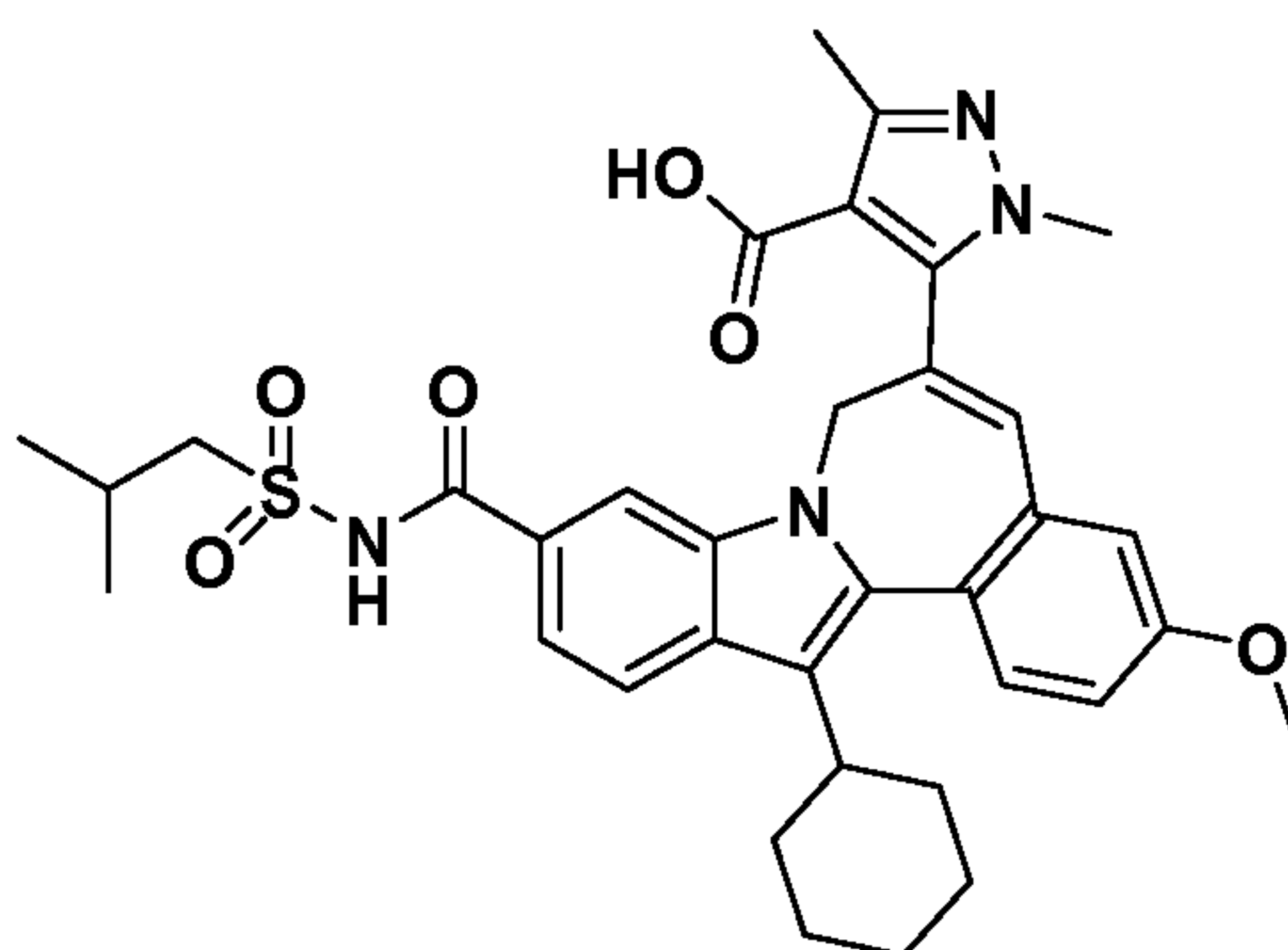
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5 *1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-10-[[[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl-, methyl ester.*

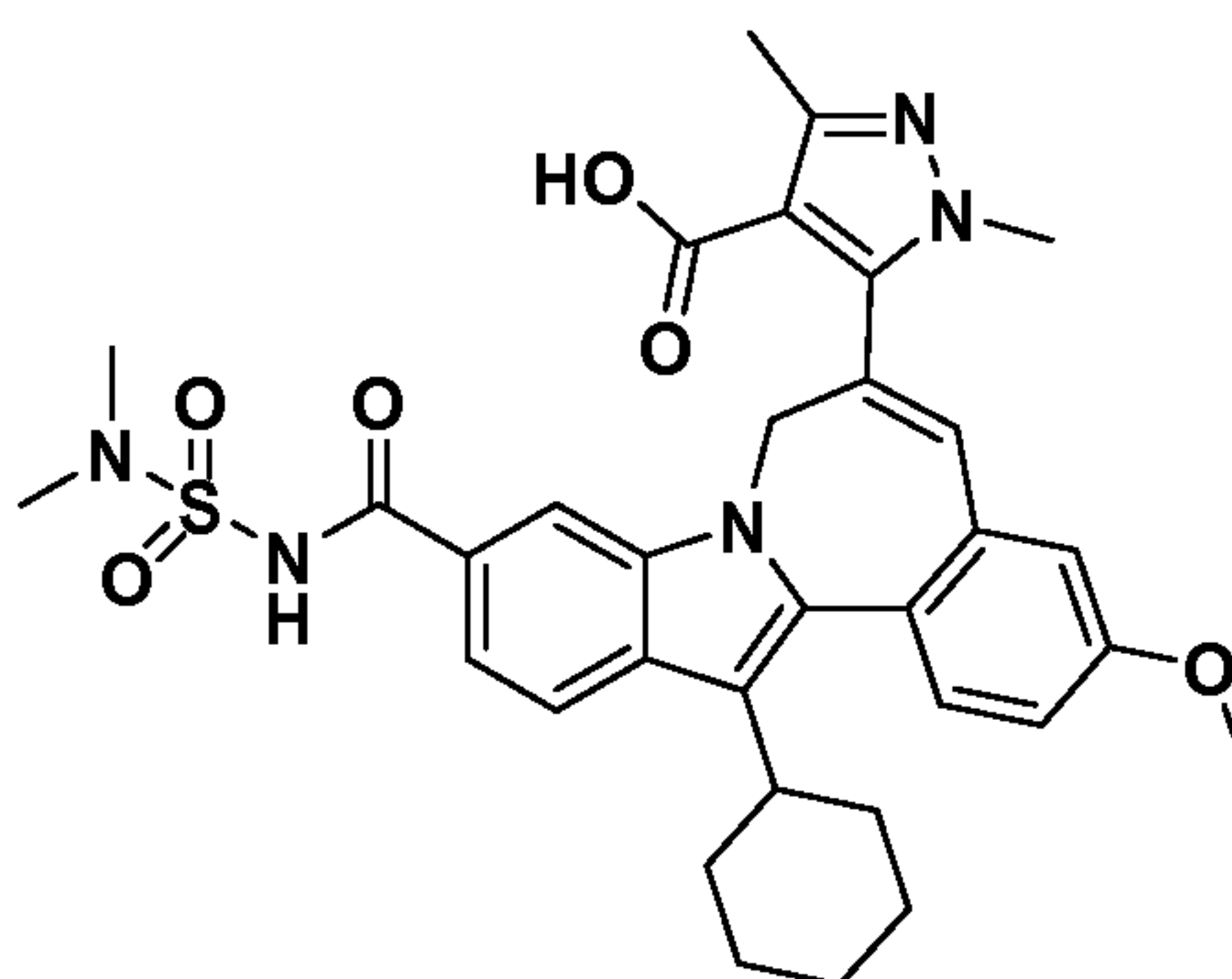
To a solution of 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1,3-dimethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]- (120 mg, 0.222 mmol) in THF (5 mL), CDI (54.1 mg, 0.334 mmol) was added. The reaction mixture was heated at 60°C for one hour, and then allowed to cool to room temperature. N,N-dimethylsulfamide (83 mg, 0.667 mmol) and DBU (0.067 mL, 0.445 mmol) were then added and the resultant mixture was heated at 60°C overnight. The reaction was then quenched with 1N HCl solution and the product extracted with ethyl acetate (2 x 30mL). The organic layers were combined, washed with 1N HCl solution, brine, dried (MgSO₄) and then filtered. Evaporation of solvents gave the curde product as an orange colored thick oil. This material was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as a solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were combined and concentrated under vacuum to provide the title compound as an orange colored solid, (31.4 mg, 0.049 mmol, 21.87 % yield). MS m/z 646(MH⁺), Retention time: 2.245min. (basic). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.18 - 1.60 (m, 4 H) 1.70 - 2.14 (m, 6 H) 2.49 (s, 3 H) 2.80 - 2.91 (m, 1 H) 3.05 (s, 6 H) 3.24 (s, 3 H) 3.68 (s, br, 3 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.64 - 4.74 (m, br, 1 H) 4.86 - 5.00 (m, br, 1 H) 6.74 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, *J*=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.08 (dd, *J*=8.85, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.35 (dd, *J*=8.55, 1.53 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.75 (d, *J*=1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.89 (d, *J*=8.54 Hz, 1 H) 8.44 (s, 1 H).

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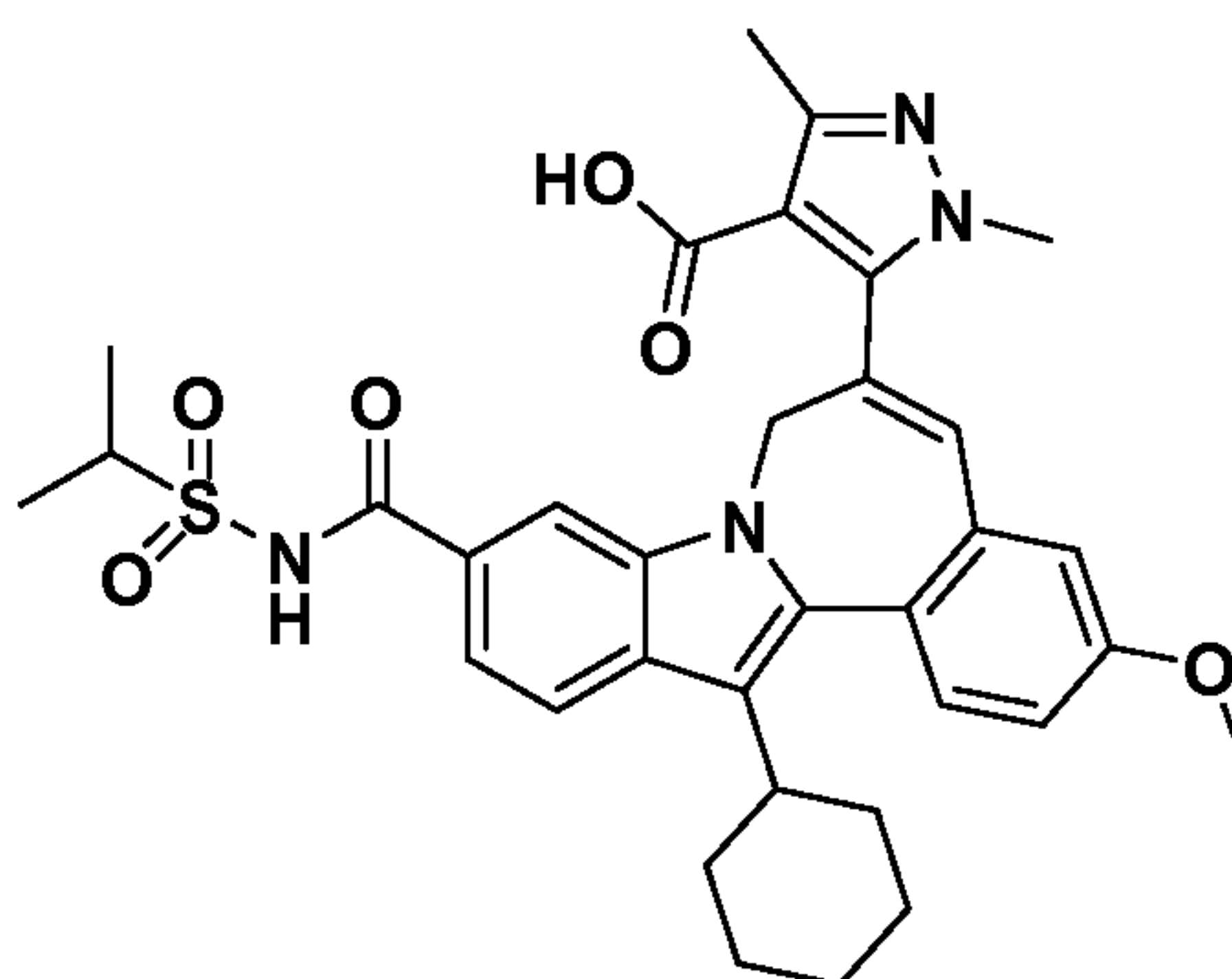
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To a solution of *1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl-*, methyl ester (44.2 mg, 0.067 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (2.0 mL) and MeOH (2.000 mL), 1N NaOH (0.537 mL, 0.537 mmol) solution was added. The
 10 reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 4 days. LC/MS showed that only ~ 25% of the starting ester was hydrolyzed. 0.5 mL of more 1N NaOH solution was added. The reaction mixture was then stirred at RT for three more days. The reaction mixture was concentrated, and the residue was acidified using 1N HCl solution. The resultant mixture was then extracted with ethyl acetate (2 x 20 mL) and the organic layers
 15 were combined, washed with brine, dried (MgSO₄) and then filtered. Evaporation of filtrate gave the crude product as a viscous orange-colored oil. This material was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as a solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were collected concentrated under reduced pressure to give the title compound as a light yellow colored solid, (12.2 mg, 0.019 mmol, 28.2 %
 20 yield). MS m/z 645(MH⁺), Retention time: 1.847 min.(basic). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-D₆) δ ppm 1.02 (d, *J*=6.71 Hz, 6 H) 1.08 - 1.53 (m, 4 H) 1.64 - 2.09 (m, 6 H) 2.08 - 2.20 (m, 1 H) 2.36 (s, 3 H) 2.71 - 2.85 (m, 1 H) 3.09 (s, 3 H) 3.45 (d, *J*=6.71 Hz, 2 H) 3.88 (s, 3 H) 4.42 - 4.62 (m, br, 1 H) 4.96 - 5.18 (m, br, 1 H) 6.97 (s, 1 H) 7.15 (d, *J*=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.21 (dd, *J*=8.85, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.54 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 1 H)
 25 7.60 (dd, *J*=8.39, 1.37 Hz, 1 H) 7.90 (d, *J*=8.54 Hz, 1 H) 8.14 (s, 1 H) 11.76 (s, 1 H) 12.37 (s, br, 1 H).



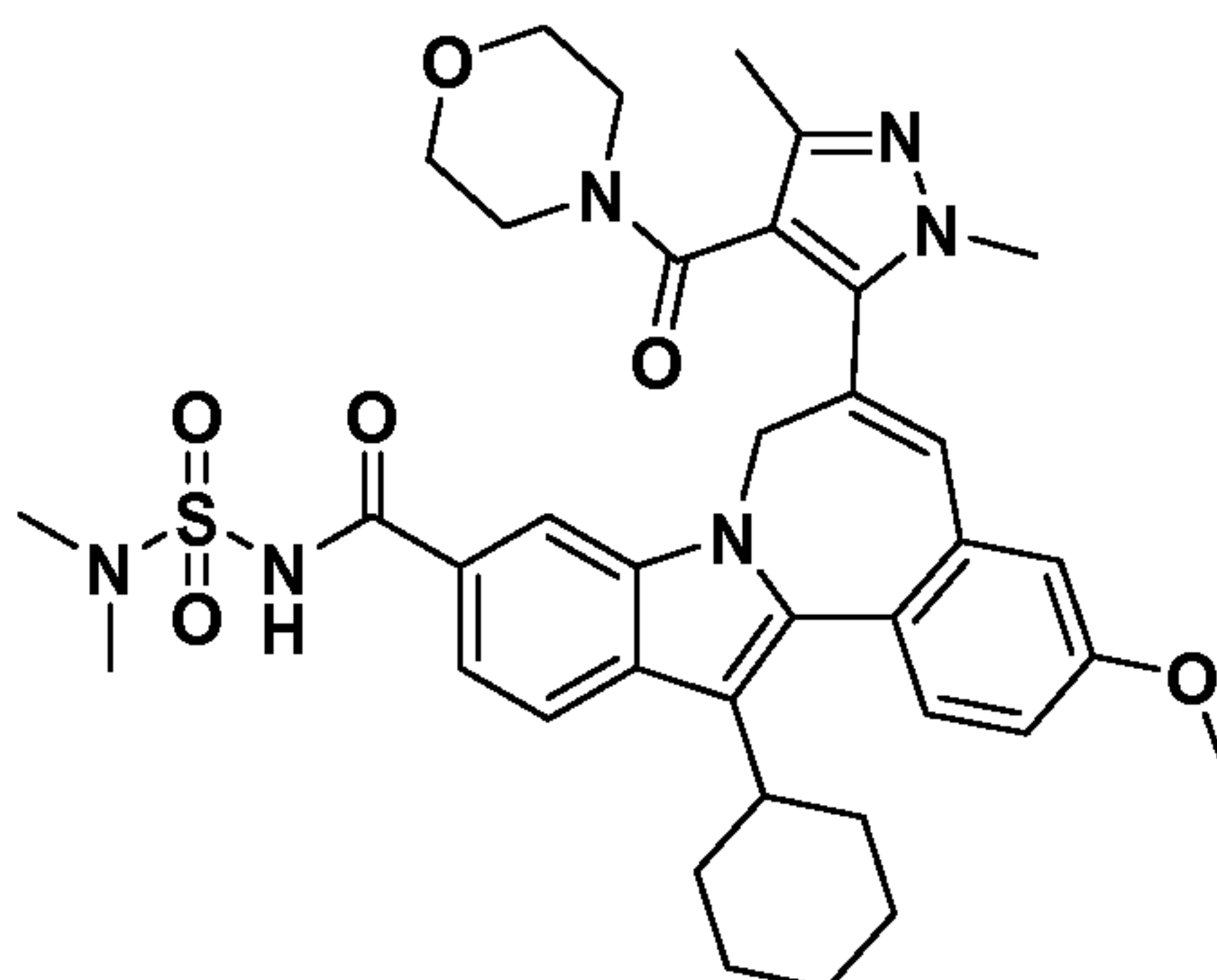
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To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-10-
[[[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-
a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl-, methyl ester (29.4 mg, 0.046 mmol) in THF
(1.5 mL) and MeOH (1.500 mL), 1N NaOH (0.364 mL, 0.364 mmol) solution was
10 added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 4 days. LC/MS showed that only
~ 40% ester was hydrolyzed. 0.5 mL of more 1N NaOH solution was added. The
reaction mixture was then stirred at RT for three more days. The reaction mixture
was concentrated and the residue acidified using 1N HCl solution. The product was
then extracted with ethyl acetate (2 x 20 mL). The organic layers were combined,
15 washed with brine, dried (MgSO₄) and then filtered. Evaporation of filtrate gave the
crude product as an orange colored oil. This material was then purified by
preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as a solvent system. Homogeneous
fractions were combined and concentrated in vacuo to give the title compound as a
light yellow colored solid, (9.5 mg, 0.015 mmol, 33.0 % yield). MS m/z 632(MH⁺),
20 Retention time: 1.853 min.(basic). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, DMSO-D₆) δ ppm 1.06 -
1.53 (m, 4 H) 1.58 - 2.07 (m, 6 H) 2.35 (s, 3 H) 2.74 - 2.83 (m, 1 H) 2.87 (s, 6 H)
3.02 - 3.16 (s, br, 3 H) 3.88 (s, 3 H) 4.41 - 4.61 (m, br, 1 H) 4.96 - 5.20 (m, br, 1 H)
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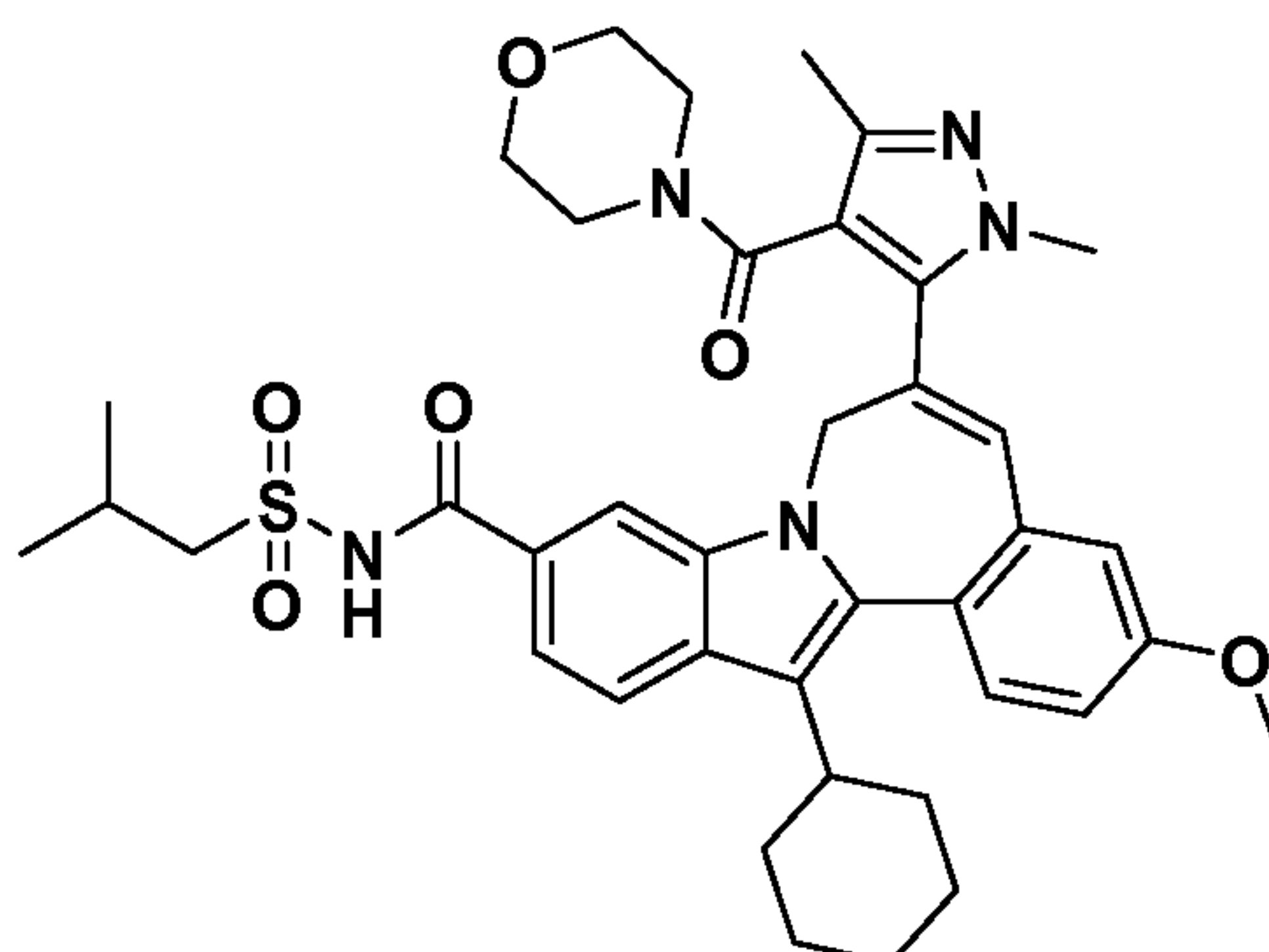
5 *1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl-.*

To a mixture of *1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl-, methyl ester* (80 mg, 0.124 mmol) and potassium trimethylsilanolate (TMSOK) (31.8 mg, 0.248 mmol) in a round-bottomed flask, Tetrahydrofuran (8 mL) was added. The resultant mixture was then stirred at RT overnight. LC/MS showed that only 40% of SM reacted. Two more equivalents of TMSOK were added and stirring was continued for 48 hrs. The reaction mixture was then concentrated and 1N HCl solution was added. A yellow solid separated (85 mg). and 10 mg of the material was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were combined and evaporated under vacuum to give the title compound as a yellow colored solid, (7.6 mg, 76% recovery). MS m/z 631(MH⁺), Retention time: 1.648 min. (basic). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, Acetone) δ ppm 1.11 - 1.61 (m, 10 H) 1.63 - 2.21 (m, 6 H) 2.38 (s, 3 H) 2.85 - 3.00 (m, 1 H) 3.17 (s, 3 H) 3.83 - 3.97 (m, 4 H) 4.54 - 4.72 (m, br, 1 H) 5.09 - 5.29 (m, br, 1 H) 6.93 (s, 1 H) 7.11 (d, *J*=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.17 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.61 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.68 (dd, *J*=8.55, 1.53 Hz, 1 H) 7.96 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 8.21 (s, 1 H) 9.96 (s, 1 H). Note: The crude product describe above can be used without further purification for the preparation of carboxamide examples of the current invention.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-6-[1,3-dimethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-

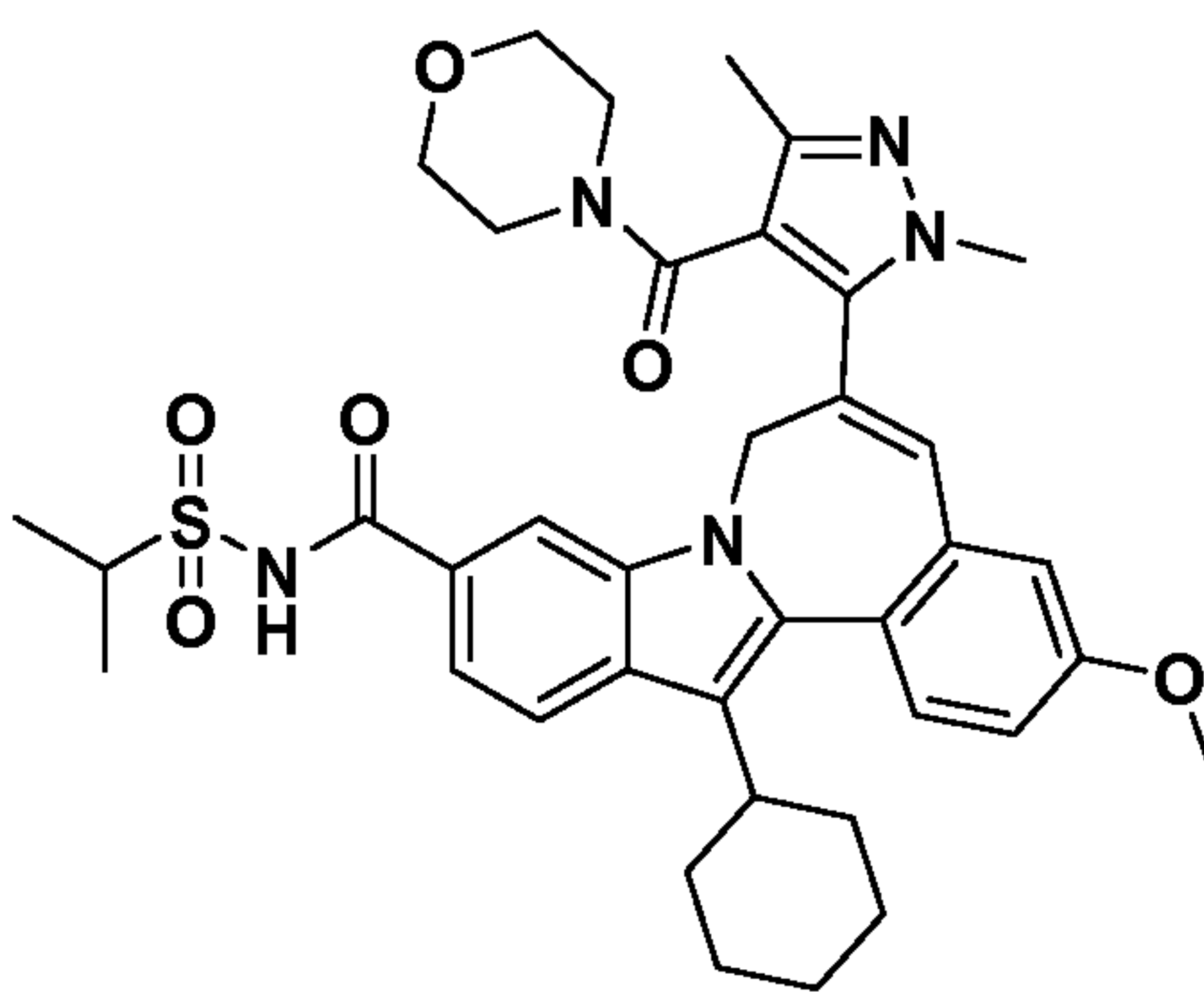
- 5 To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-10-[[[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl- (9.5 mg, 0.015 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (9.66 mg, 0.030 mmol) and DIPEA (0.013 mL, 0.075 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 15 min. Morpholine (1.965 mg, 0.023 mmol)
- 10 was then added and the resultant solution was stirred at RT for 48 hours. The reaction mixture was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as a solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were combined and concentrated under vacuum. The title compound was obtained as a yellow colored solid, (8.0 mg, 0.011 mmol, 74.4 % yield). MS m/z 699 (M-H⁻), Retention time: 1.990 min.(basic). ¹H
- 15 NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.18 - 1.64 (m, 4 H) 1.73 - 2.26 (m, 9 H) 2.59 - 3.09 (m, 15 H) 3.85 (s, 3 H) 3.95 (s, 3 H) 4.67 (d, *J*=14.96 Hz, 1 H) 5.02 - 5.15 (m, 1 H) 7.07 (s, 1 H) 7.15 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.20 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.56 - 7.64 (m, 2 H) 7.92 (s, 1 H) 7.98 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H).



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1,3-dimethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-.

To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl- (10 mg, 0.016 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (9.96 mg, 0.031 mmol) and DIPEA (0.014 mL, 0.078 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 15 min. Morpholine (1.351 mg, 0.016 mmol) was then added and the resultant solution was stirred at RT overnight. The reaction mixture was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as a solvent system.

Homogeneous fractions were collected and concentrated under vacuum, to provide the title compound as a yellow colored solid, (10.7 mg, 0.015 mmol, 95 % yield). MS m/z 712(M-H⁻), Retention time: 1.895 min.(basic). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.16 (d, *J*=6.71 Hz, 6 H) 1.20 - 1.64 (m, 4 H) 1.73 - 2.27 (m, 9 H) 2.29 - 2.43 (m, 1 H) 2.56 - 3.14 (m, 9 H) 3.49 - 3.55 (m, 2 H) 3.85 (s, 3 H) 3.95 (s, 3 H) 4.67 (d, *J*=14.96 Hz, 1 H) 4.98 - 5.16 (m, br, 1 H) 7.07 (s, 1 H) 7.15 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.20 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.55 - 7.66 (m, 2 H) 7.95 (s, 1 H) 7.98 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H).

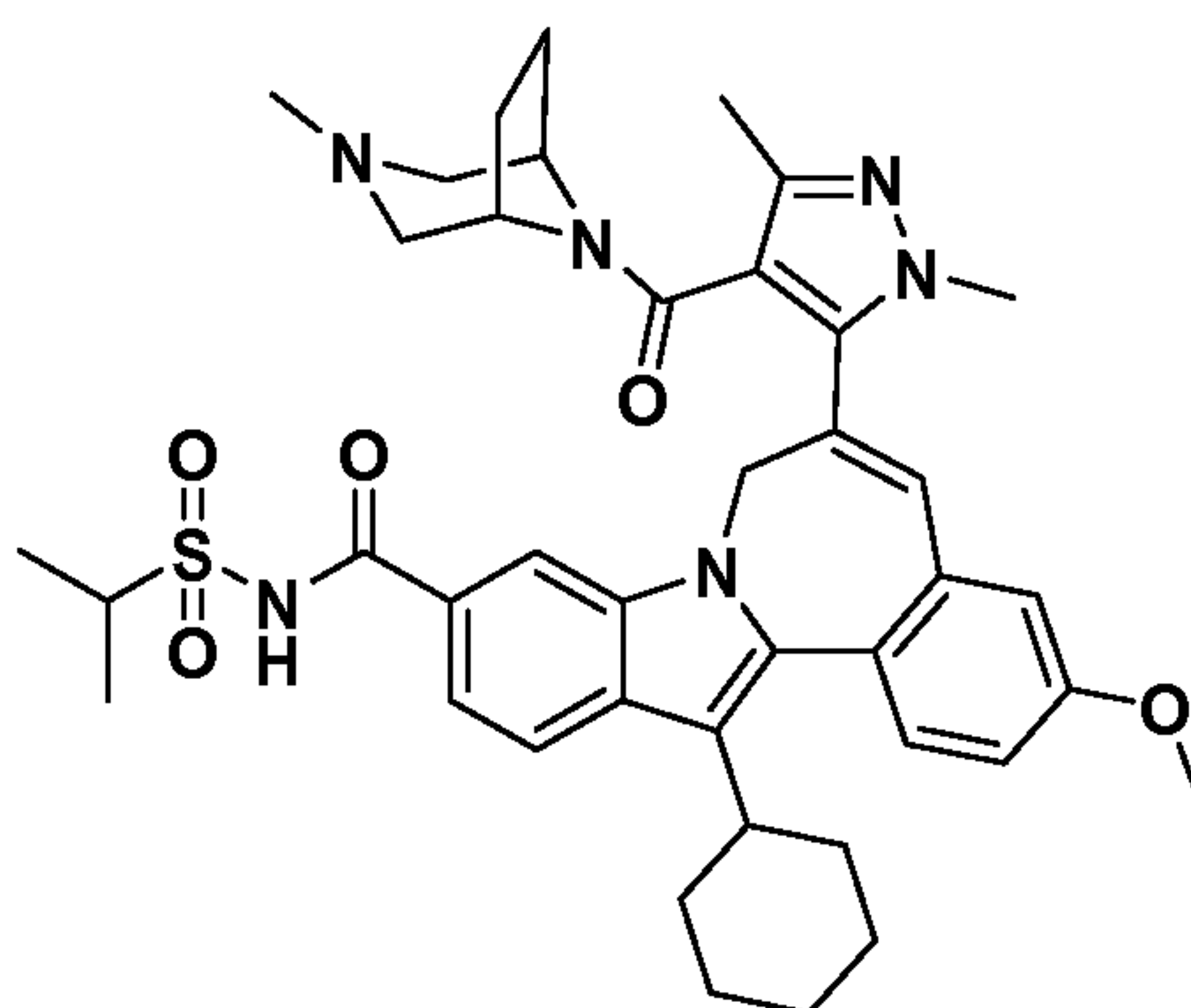


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1,3-dimethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-.

To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl- (20 mg, 0.032 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (20.36 mg, 0.063

mmol) and DIPEA (0.028 mL, 0.159 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 15 min. Morpholine (4.14 mg, 0.048 mmol) was then added and the resultant solution was stirred at RT overnight. The reaction mixture was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as a solvent system.

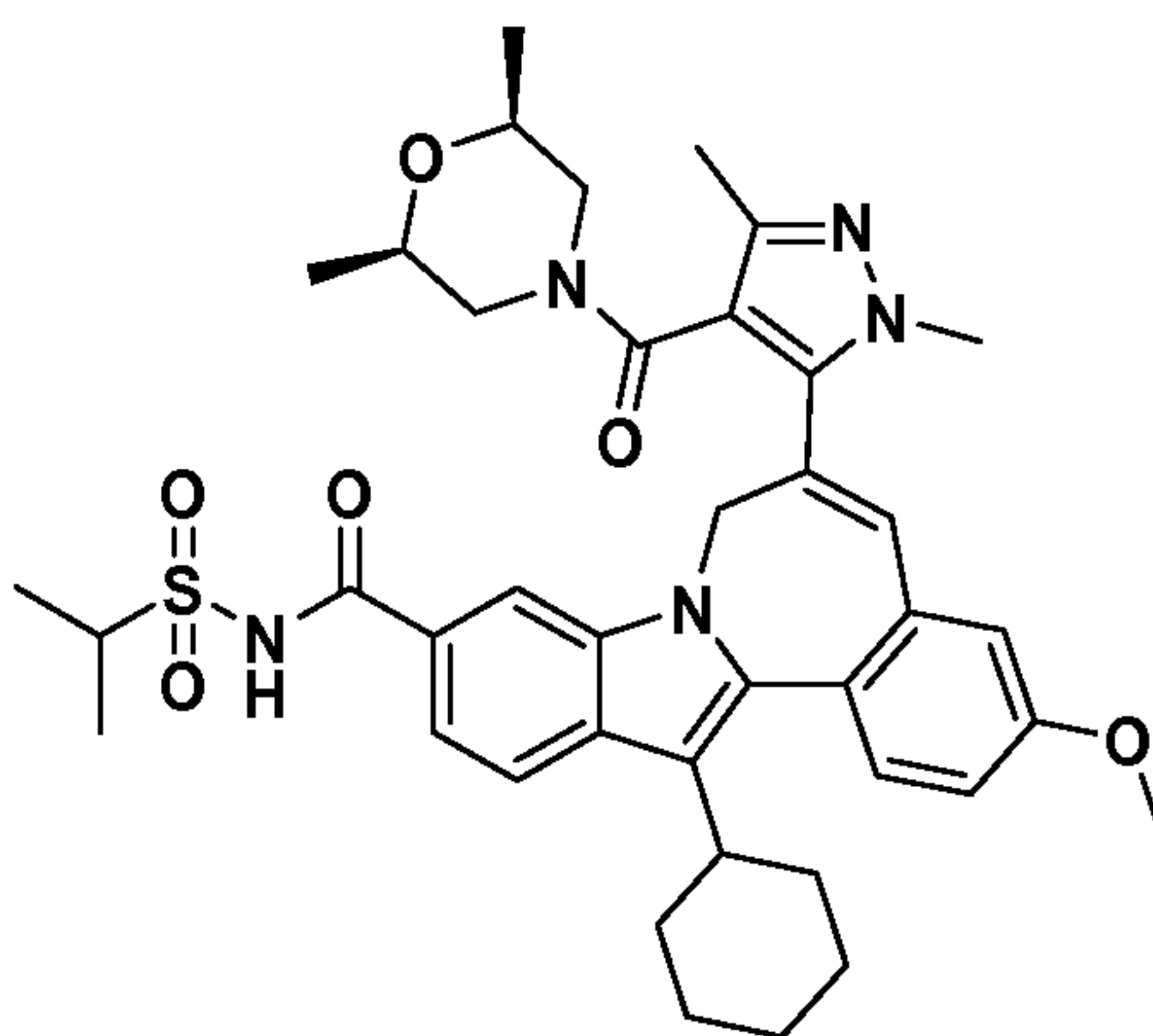
- 5 Homogeneous fractions were combined and concentrated under vacuum. The title compound was obtained as a yellow colored solid, (16.8 mg, 0.024 mmol, 74.2 % yield). MS m/z 698(M-H⁻), Retention time: 1.798 min. (basic). ¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.18 - 1.62 (m, 10 H) 1.72 - 2.25 (m, 9 H) 2.53 - 3.23 (m, 9 H) 3.84 (s, 3 H) 3.95 (s, 3 H) 3.96 - 4.03 (m, 1 H) 4.64 (d, *J*=14.95 Hz, 1 H) 5.00 - 5.15 (m, br, 1 H)
 10 H) 7.06 (s, 1 H) 7.14 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.19 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.55 - 7.65 (m, 2 H) 7.94 (s, 1 H) 7.98 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H).



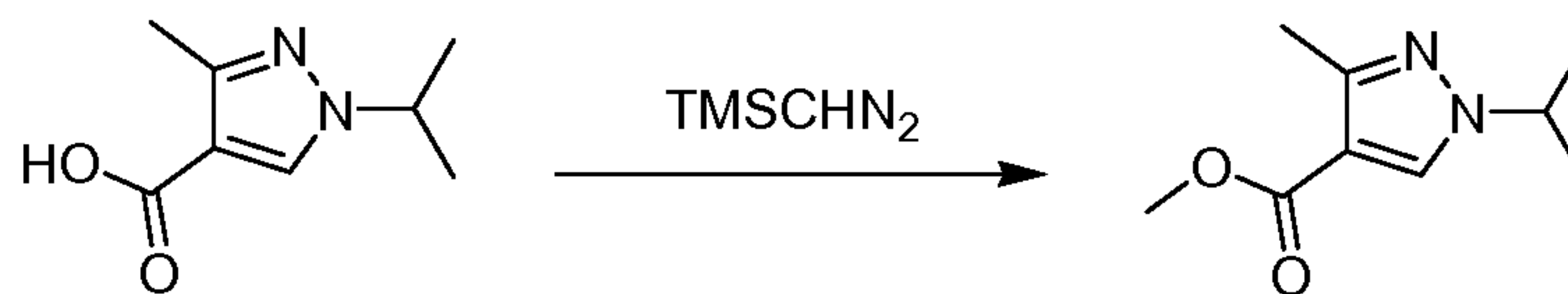
- 15 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1,3-dimethyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl].*

- To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl- (20 mg, 0.032 mmol) in DMSO (1 mL), TBTU (20.36 mg, 0.063 mmol) and DIPEA (0.028 mL, 0.159 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 15 min. Then 3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]octane.2 HCl (9.47 mg, 0.048 mmol) was added. The solution was then stirred at RT overnight. The crude reaction mixture was then purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were combined and concentrated under vacuum to afford the title compound as a yellow solid, (19.7 mg, 0.023 mmol,
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71.4 % yield) as TFA salt. MS m/z 737(M-H⁻), Retention time: 2.040 min. (basic).
 1H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 1.16 - 1.67 (m, 14 H) 1.74 - 2.25 (m, 6 H) 2.38 (s, 3 H) 2.51 - 2.66 (m, 1 H) 2.72 (s, 3 H) 2.94 - 3.05 (m, 1 H) 3.16 - 3.39 (m, 5 H) 3.84 (s, 3 H) 3.96 (s, 3 H) 3.98 - 4.05 (m, 1 H) 4.59 - 4.71 (m, br, 1 H) 4.94 - 5.05 (m, br, 1 H) 7.14 - 7.28 (m, 3 H) 7.62 - 7.66 (m, 2 H) 7.91 (s, 1 H) 8.00 (d, $J=8.54$ Hz, 1 H).



10 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1,3-dimethyl-4-[[cis-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-*. To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl- (13 mg, 0.021 mmol) in DMSO
 15 (1 mL), TBTU (13.24 mg, 0.041 mmol) and DIPEA (0.018 mL, 0.103 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 15 min. Then cis-2,6-dimethylmorpholine (3.56 mg, 0.048 mmol) was added and the resultant mixture was stirred at RT overnight. The crude reaction mixture was purified by preparative HPLC using CH₃CN-H₂O-TFA as a solvent system. Homogeneous fractions were
 20 combined and concentrated under vacuum to afford the title compound as a yellow colored solid, (10.1 mg, 0.014 mmol, 67.3 % yield). MS m/z 326(M-H⁻), Retention time: 1.958 min. (basic). 1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.57 - 2.33 (m, 25 H) 2.81 - 3.60 (m, 5 H) 3.77 - 3.99 (m, 8 H) 4.03 - 4.12 (m, 1 H) 4.57 (d, $J=15.26$ Hz, 1 H) 4.76 - 4.94 (m, 1 H) 6.75 - 6.88 (m, 1 H) 6.95 (s, 1 H) 7.12 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.14$ Hz, 1 H) 7.50 - 7.67 (m, 2 H) 7.71 (s, 1 H) 7.91 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H).
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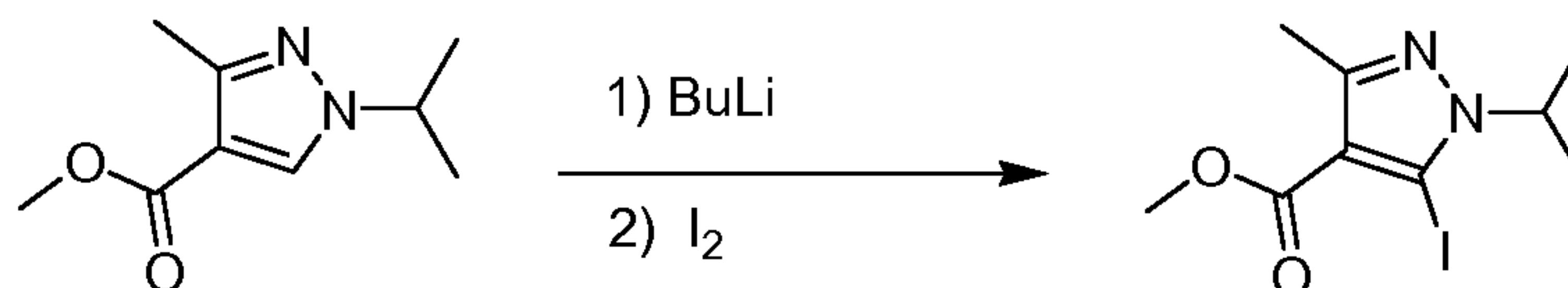
Methyl 1-(1-methylethyl)-3-methyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate

5 To a solution of 1-(1-methylethyl)-3-methyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid (2.00g, 11.9 mmol) in benzene (15.9 mL) and methanol (7.93 mL) at room temperature was added 2M trimethylsilyldiazomethane (23.8 mL). The resulting solution was stirred at room temperature for 3 hours. Solvent was removed at reduced pressure on a rotary evaporator to yield the title compound (2.17 g, 11.89 mmol, 100 % yield) as a white solid.

MS m/z 183(MH⁺)

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.49 (d, 6H) 2.48 (s, 3 H) 3.81 (s, 3 H) 4.42 (m, 1H) 7.86 (s, 1H).

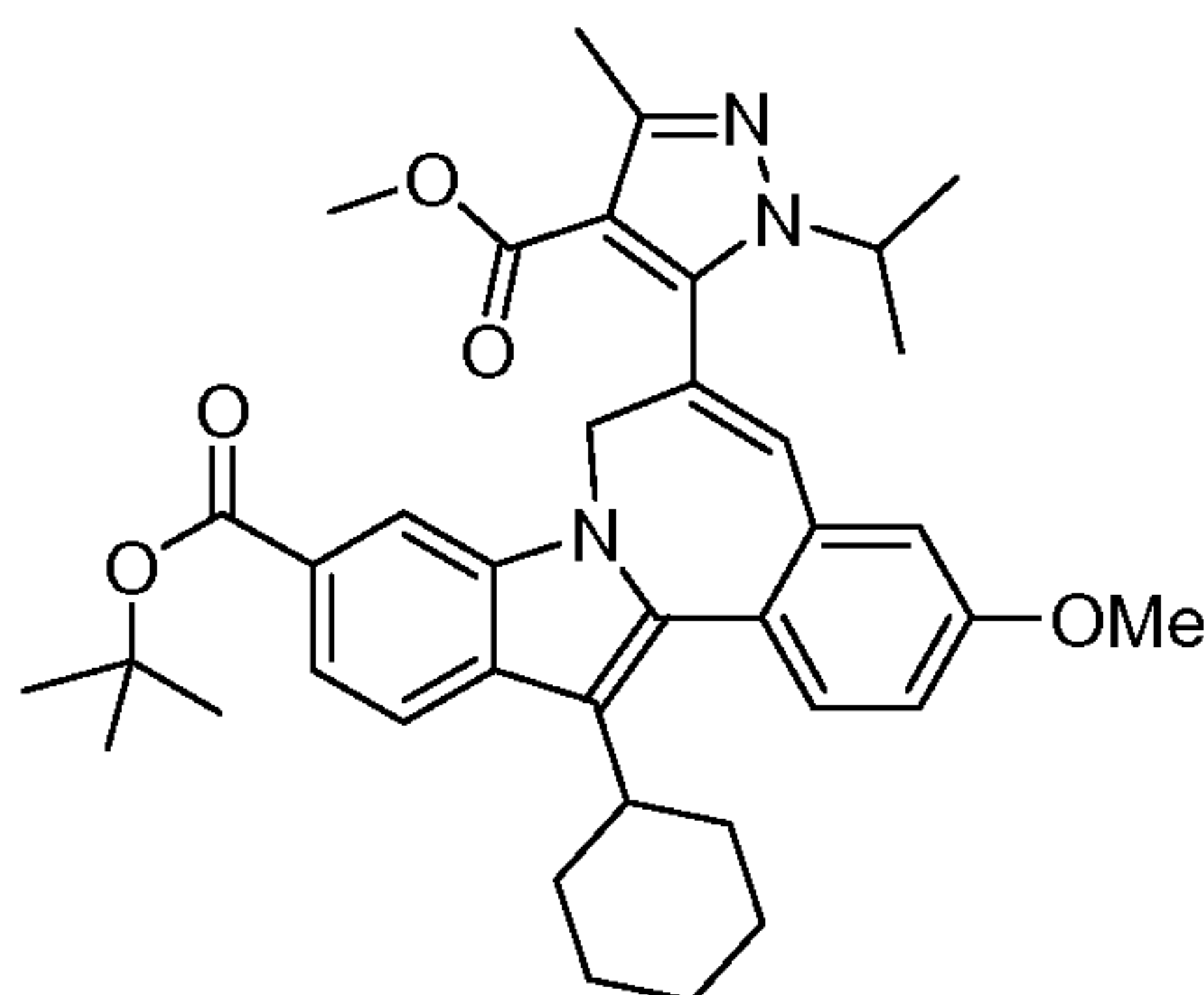
15 *Methyl 5-iodo-1-(1-methylethyl)-3-methyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate*



To a solution of methyl 1-(1-methylethyl)-3-methyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate (2.00g, 11.0 mmol) in dry tetrahydrofuran (22.0 mL) at -78°C, 2 M solution of butyllithium (6.04 mL, 12.1 mmol) in pentane was added dropwise. The reaction mixture was then warmed to -45°C and stirred for 1 h. It was then cooled to -78°C and a solution of iodine (3.06 g, 12.1 mmol) in THF (11.0 mL) was added. The reaction mixture was warmed to RT and stirred for 1h. Then it was quenched with saturated NH₄Cl solution and extracted with ethyl acetate (2X25 mL). The organic layers were combined, washed with brine and dried (MgSO₄). Evaporation of solvent gave a tan solid as title compound (3.38 g, 11.0 mmol, 100 % crude yield). MS m/z 309 (MH⁺); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.41 (d, 6H) 2.47 (s, 3 H) 3.82 (s, 3 H) 4.77 (m, 1H).

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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1-(1-methylethyl)-3-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester



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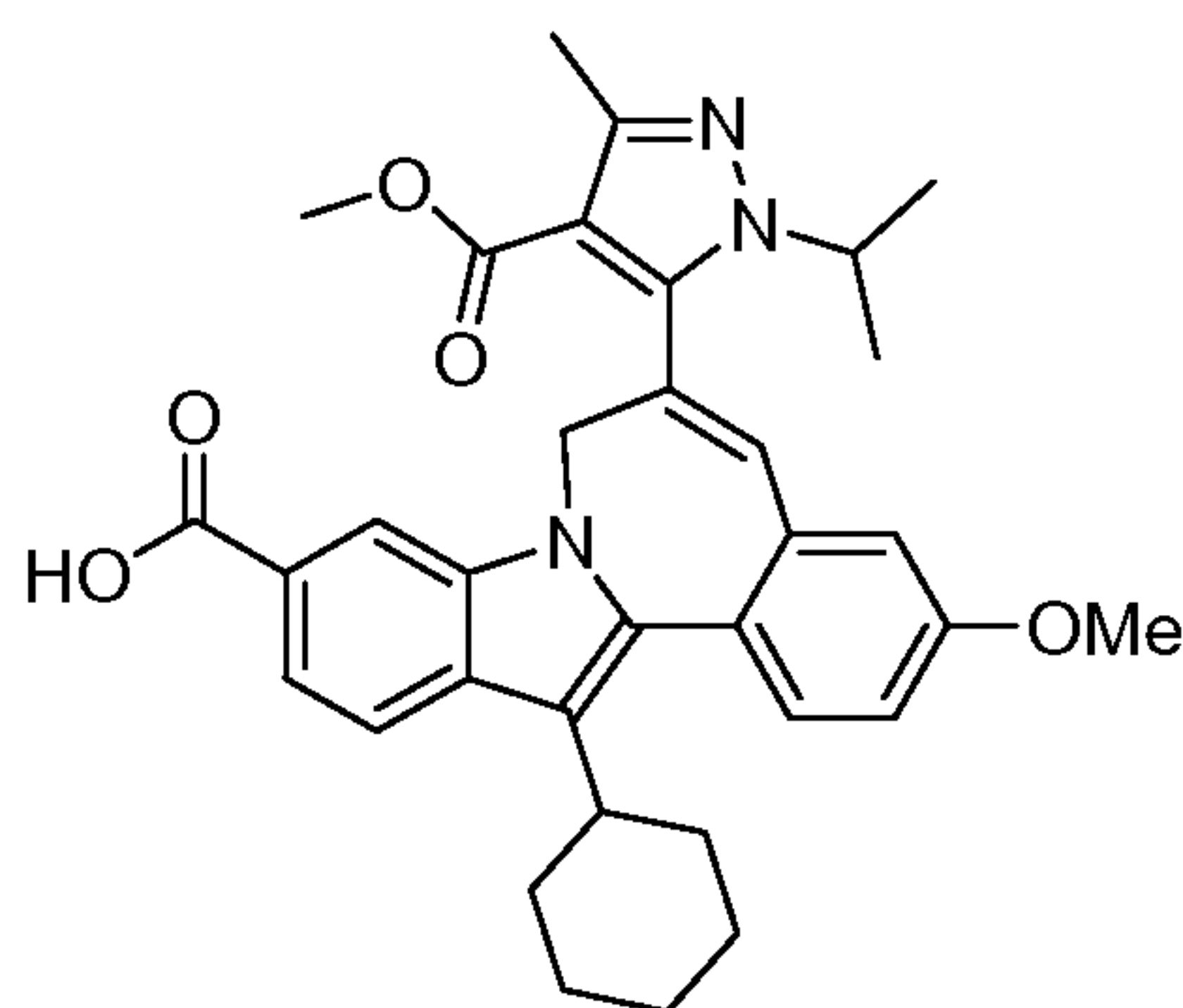
In a microwave tube, 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(tributylstannyl)-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (611 mg, 0.834 mmol), methyl 5-iodo-1-(1-methylethyl)-3-methyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate (360 mg, 1.17 mmol) and bis(triphenylphosphine)palladium II chloride (58.5 mg, 0.083 mmol) were added. It was then sealed, degassed and flushed with nitrogen. 1,4-Dioxane (4.17 mL) was added. The reaction mixture was heated at 160°C under microwave condition for 1 hour. It was then filtered and the filtrate was concentrated. The residue was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) (8ml) purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 25% solvent A / 75% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 10 minutes with a run time of 20 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system.

The product-containing fractions were collected and concentrated to give title compound as a yellow solid (156 mg, 0.250 mmol, 30% yield).

MS m/z 624 (MH⁺); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.41 (br s, 3H) 1.18 - 1.59 (m, 16 H) 1.72 - 2.20 (m, 6 H) 2.49 (s, 3 H) 2.86 (m, 1 H) 3.68 (m, 1 H)

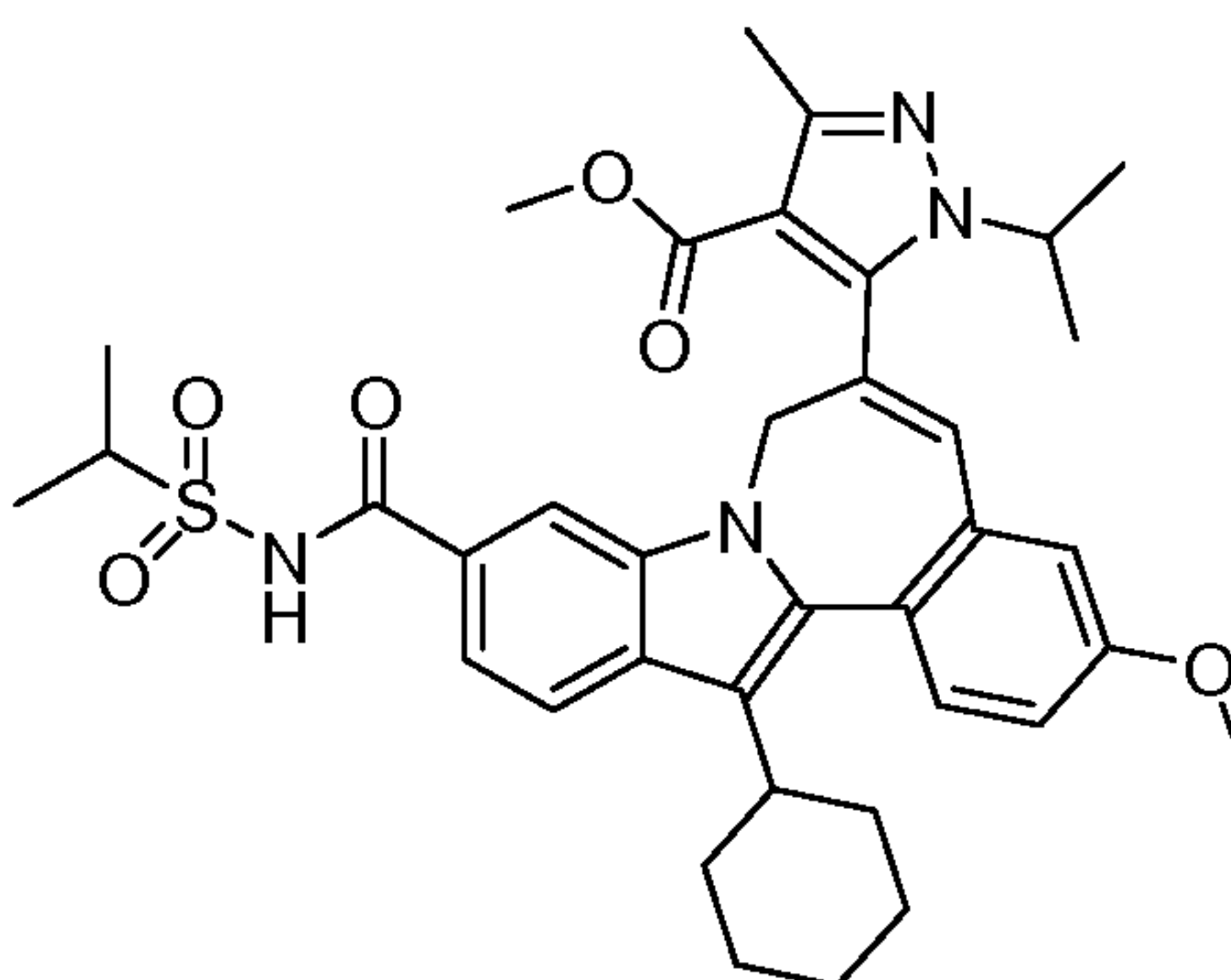
3.85 (br s, 3 H) 3.92 (s, 3 H) 4.69 (br.d, 1 H) 4.97 (br.d, 1 H) 6.68 (s, 1 H) 6.92 (d, $J=2.14$ Hz, 1 H) 7.06 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.51 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz 1 H) 7.73 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H) 7.81 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H) 7.87 (s, 1 H).

- 5 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1(1-methylethyl)-3-trifluoromethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-*



- 10 To a solution of 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1-(1-methylethyl)-3-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (156 mg, 0.250 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (4 mL), TFA (4 mL) was added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 2 hours. Volatiles were removed on a rotary evaporator to give the title compound as a
- 15 brownish thick oil as crude product (142 mg, 0.8250 mmol, 100 % yield).
MS m/z 568(MH^+)
1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.41 (br s, 3H) 1.18 - 1.59 (m, 7 H) 1.72 - 2.20 (m, 6 H) 2.52 (s, 3 H) 2.87 (m, 1 H) 3.63 (m, 1 H) 3.85 (br s, 3 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.71 (br.d, 1 H) 4.96 (br.d, 1 H) 6.68 (s, 1 H) 6.96 (d, $J=2.14$ Hz, 1 H) 7.08 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.52 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz 1 H) 7.77 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H) 7.87 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H) 7.97 (s, 1 H).
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1(1-methylethyl)-3-trifluoromethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-



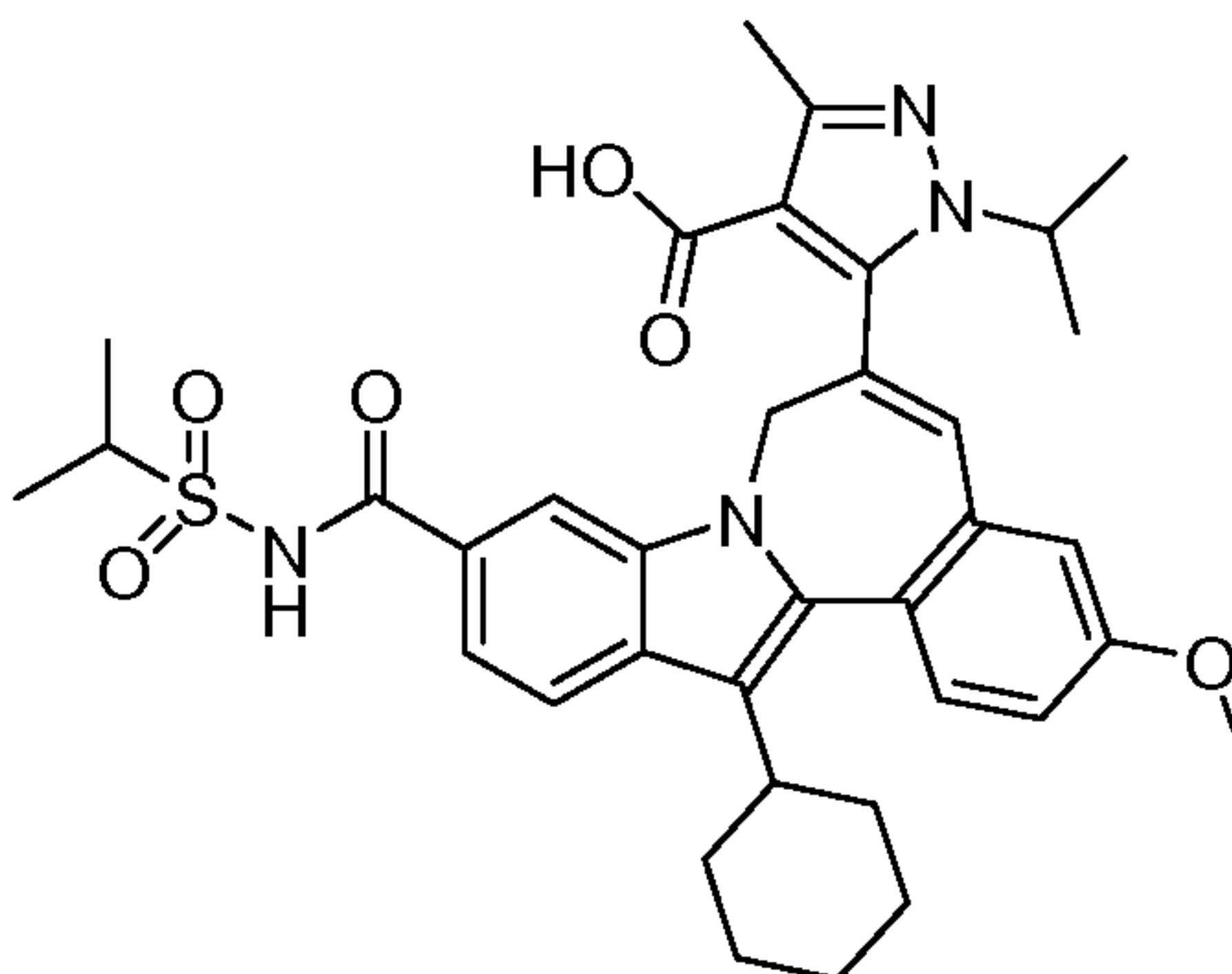
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To a solution of 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1(1-methylethyl)-3-trifluoromethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]- (110 mg, 0.194 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (0.646 mL) was added carbonyldiimidazole (94.0 mg, 0.581 mmol). The reaction mixture was heated at 60°C for one hour. Propane-2-sulfonamide (95 mg, 0.775 mmol) and DBU (0.088 mL, 0.581 mmol) were added at room temperature. The reaction mixture was then heated at 60°C for 4 hours. The reaction mixture was diluted with 1N HCl (50 mL) solution and extracted with ethyl acetate (2 X 40mL). The organic layers were combined and concentrated on a rotory evaporator to give an orange oil as crude product. It was then purified by prep HPLC column using CH₃CN/H₂O/TFA as solvent system. Fractions were collected and concentrated under speedvac for 16h. A yellow solid was obtained as title compound (114 mg, 0.169 mmol, 87 % yield). MS m/z 673 (MH⁺).

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.41 (br s, 3H) 1.18 - 1.52 (m, 13 H) 1.70 - 2.20 (m, 6 H) 2.51 (s, 3 H) 2.85 (m, 1 H) 3.59 (m, 1 H) 3.87 (s, 3 H) 3.92 (s, 3 H) 4.02 (m, 1 H) 4.73 (br.d, 1 H) 4.97 (br.d, 1 H) 6.67 (s, 1 H) 6.96 (d, *J*=2.14 Hz, 1 H) 7.08 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.40-7.62 (m, 2 H) 7.78-7.84 (m, 2 H), 9.00 (br s, 1 H).

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1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]- 1-(1-methylethyl)-3-methyl-



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To a mixture of 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)- 1(1-methylethyl)-3-trifluoromethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]- (110 mg, 0.163 mmol) was dissolved in THF (0.272 mL) and methanol (0.272 mL) was added to the reaction followed by 1N aqueous sodium hydroxide (0.600 mL). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 18 hrs. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate (25.0 mL) and washed with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid (2 x 20ml). The organic layer was concentrated *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator to yield the title compound as a yellow solid (107 mg, 0.163 mmol, 100%).

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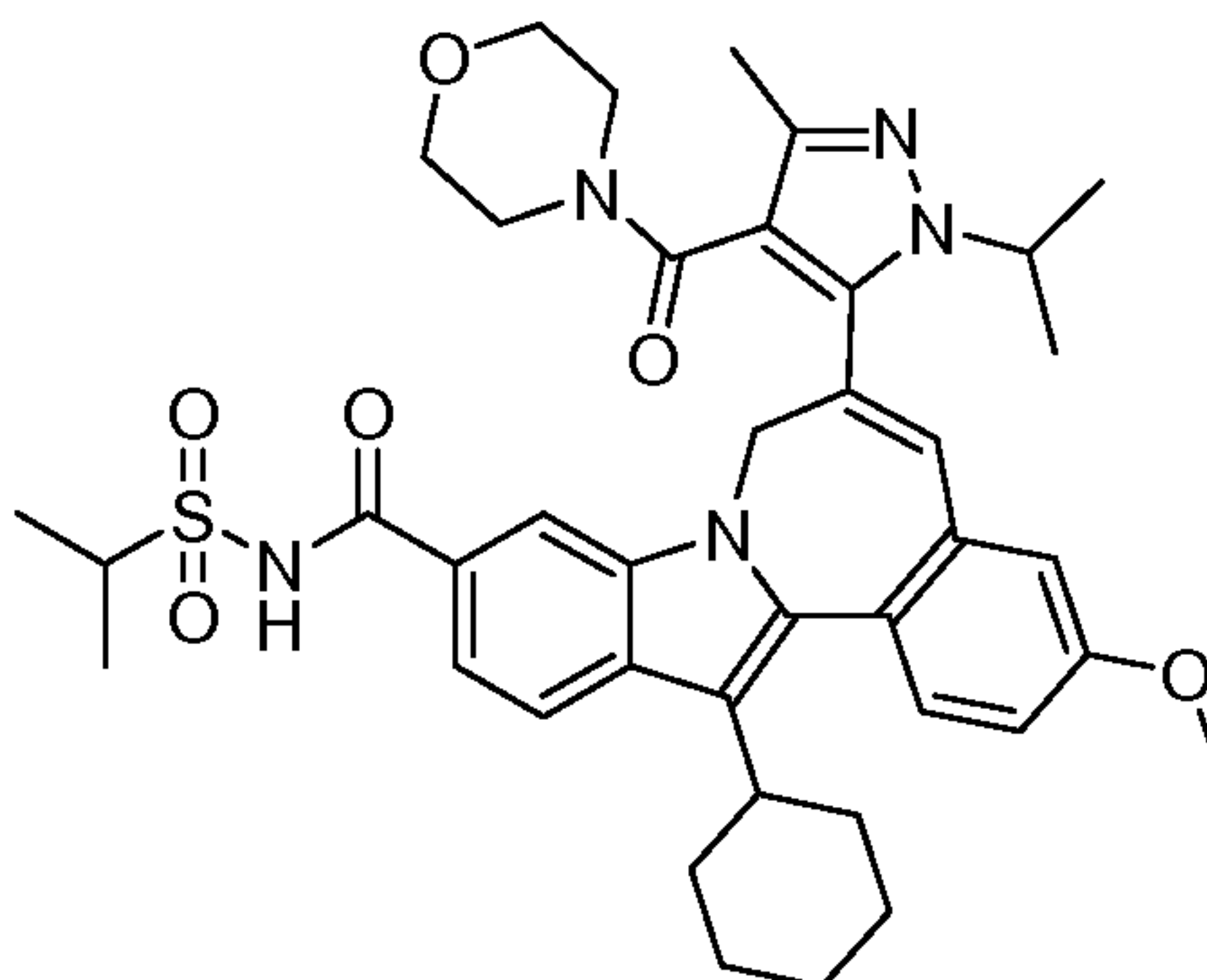
MS m/z 659(MH⁺)

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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[3-methyl-1-(1-methylethyl)-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-



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To a solution of 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-3-methyl- (25 mg, 0.038 mmol) in DMSO (0.38 mL), TBTU (24 mg, 0.076 mmol) and DIPEA (0.020 mg, 0.44 mmol) were added. The reaction mixture was stirred at RT for 15 min. Then morpholine (38 mg, 0.15 mmol) was added. The solution was stirred at RT for overnight. The reaction mixture was purified by prep HPLC column using CH₃CN/H₂O/TFA as solvent system.

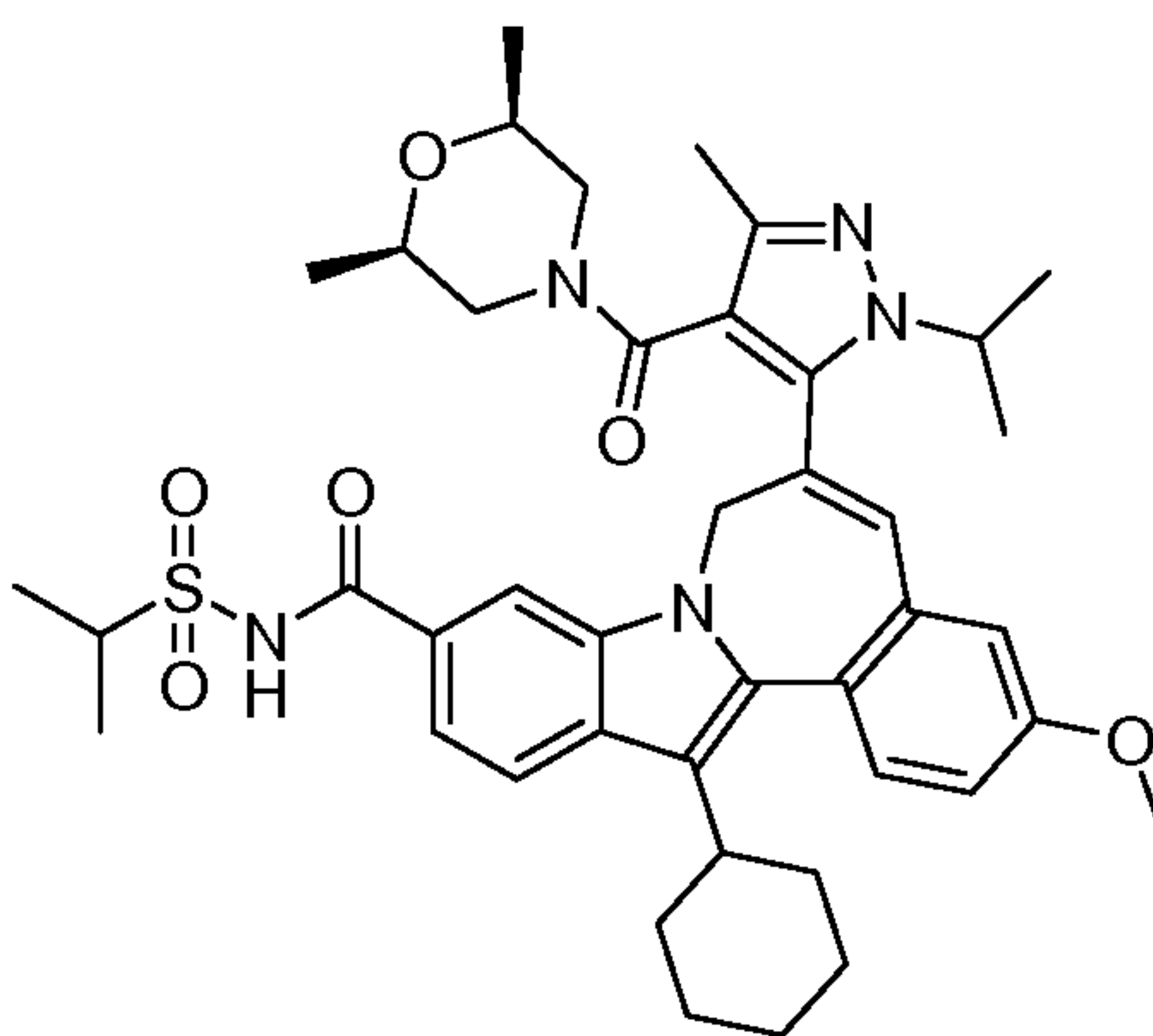
Fractions were collected and concentrated under speedvac overnight to yield the title compound as a yellow solid (24 mg, 0.031 mmol, 81 % yield).

MS m/z 728 (M-H⁺)

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.18 - 1.70 (m, 16 H) 1.75 - 2.16 (m, 6 H) 2.30 (s, 3 H) 2.60-3.31 (m, 9 H) 3.94 (m, 3 H) 4.04 (m, 1 H) 4.56 (br.m, 2 H) 4.93 (br.d, 1 H) 6.79 (br s, 1 H) 6.94 (s, 1 H) 7.12 (dd, *J*=8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.57 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz 1 H) 7.66 (br s, 1 H) 7.82 (s, 1 H) 7.97 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H), 10.20 (br s, 1 H).

The following compounds were synthesized by an analogous method as described above for 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[3-methyl-1-(1-methylethyl)-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-:

*7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-
 5 [[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-3-methyl-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-
 pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-*

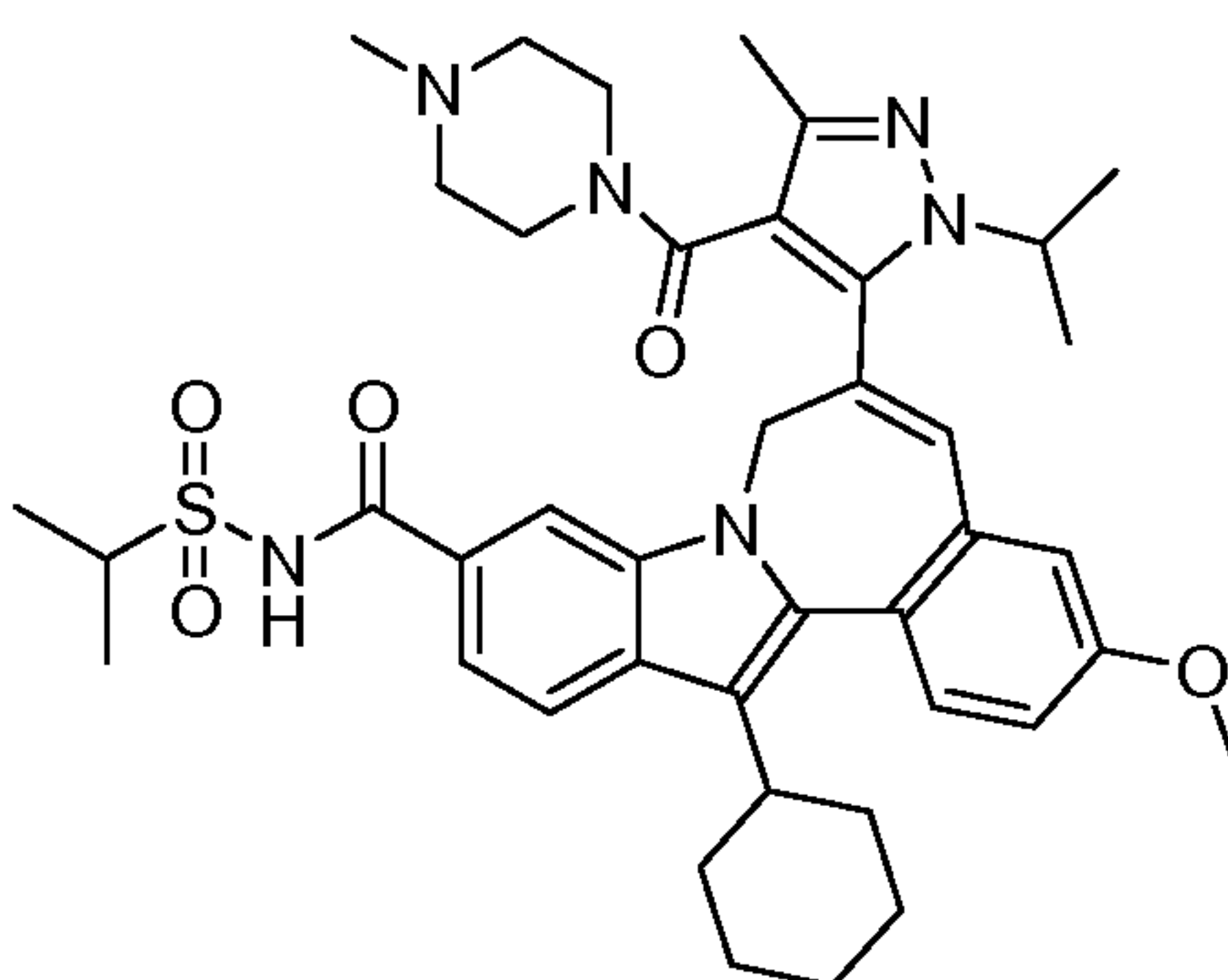


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MS m/z 756 (M-H⁺)

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 10 m, 3 H) 4.55 (br.m, 2 H) 4.92 (br.d, 1 H) 6.73 (br s, 1 H) 6.94 (br s, 1 H) 7.16 (dd,
 J=8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.51-7.72 (m, 2 H) 7.76-7.98 (m, 2 H), 10.50 (br s, 1 H).

*7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
 N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[3-methyl-1-(1-methylethyl)-4-[(4-methyl-1-
 15 piperazinyl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-*



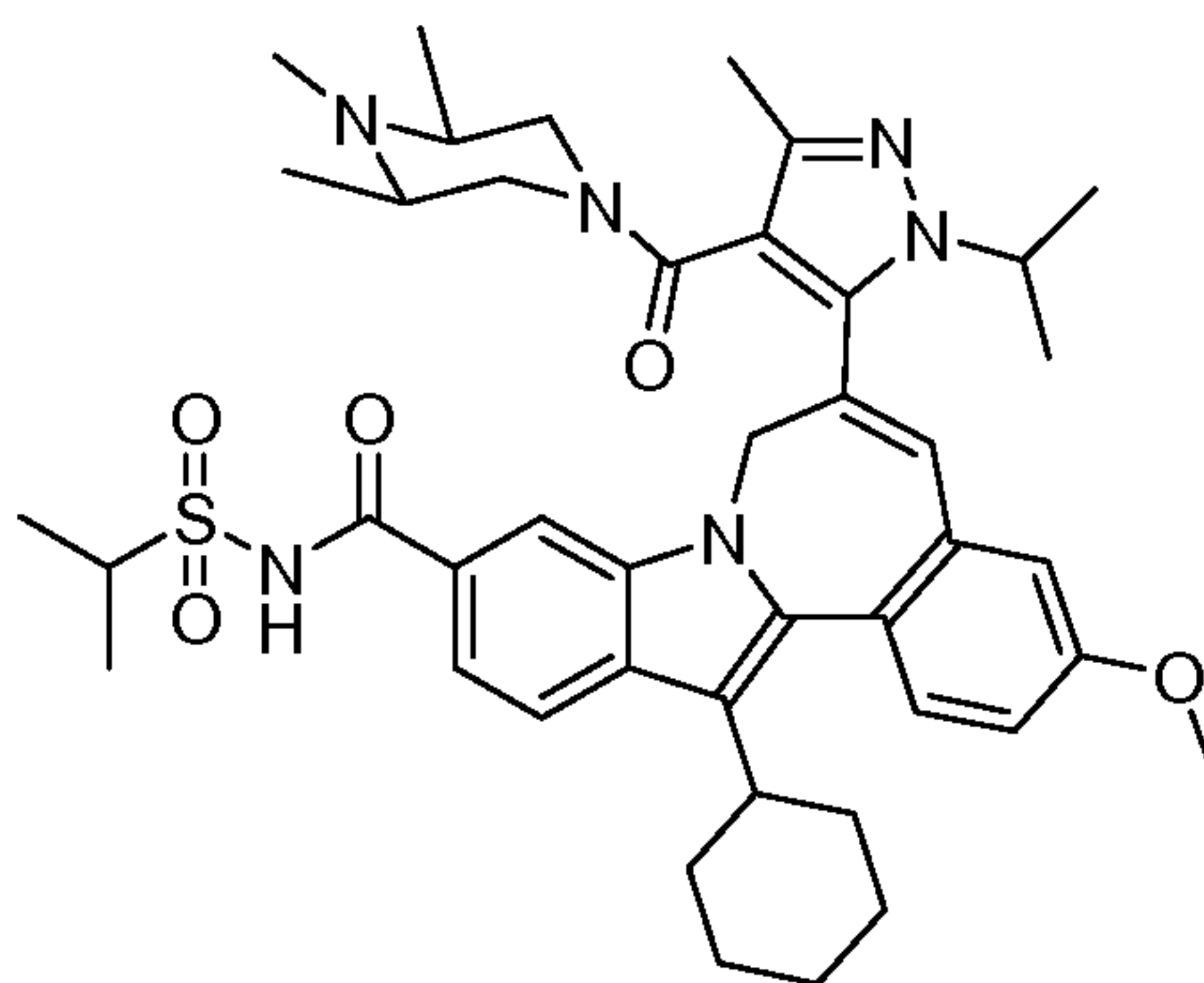
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MS m/z 741 (M-H⁺)

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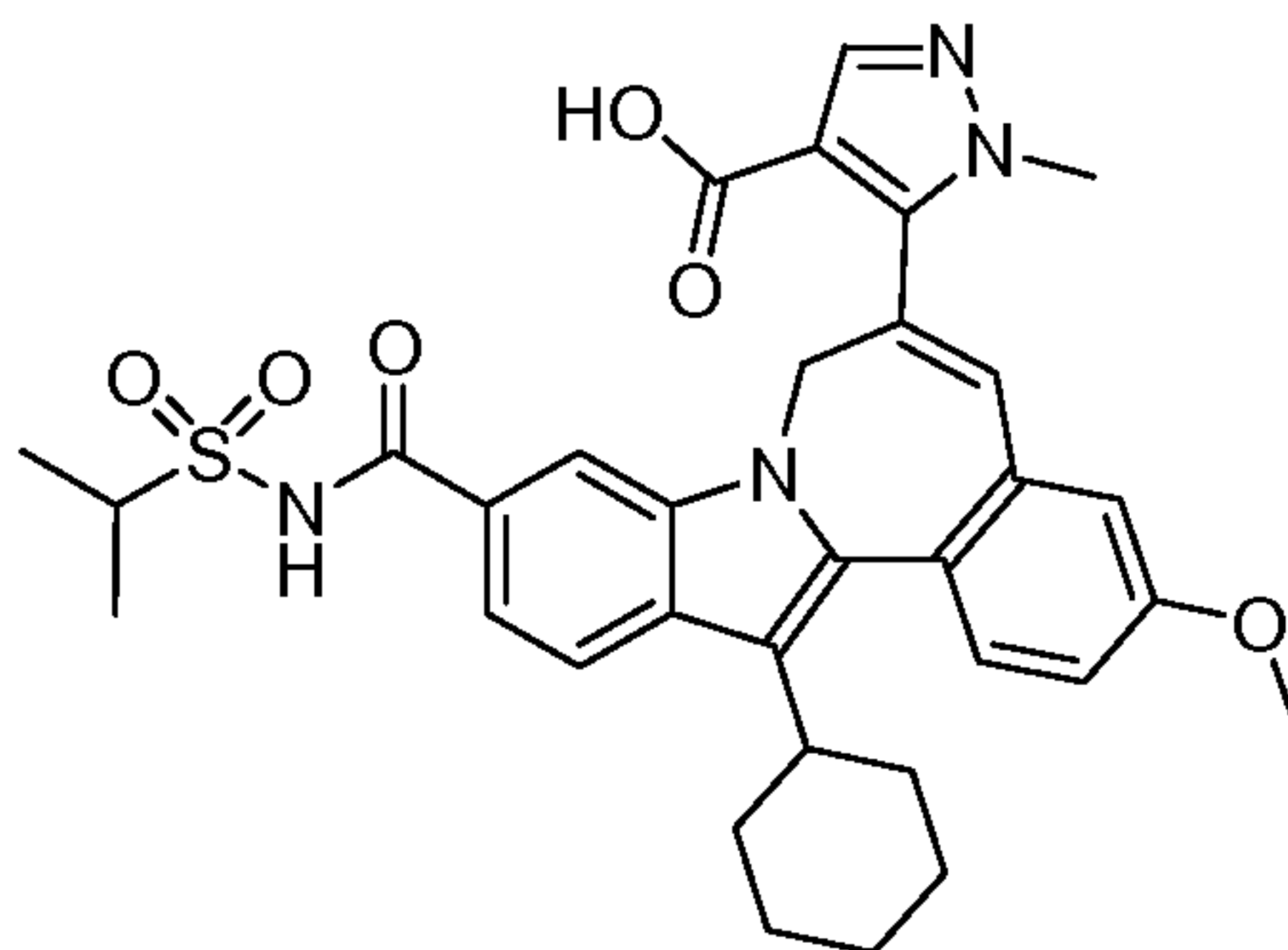
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[3-methyl-1-(1-methylethyl)-4-[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-

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MS m/z 769 (M-H⁺)

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.21 (br s, 1 H) 1.02 (br s, 3 H) 1.15-1.60 (m, 17 H) 1.69 - 2.12 (m, 8 H) 2.28 (m, 4 H) 2.69-3.60 (m, 6 H) 3.96 (s, 3 H) 4.08 (br m, 3 H) 4.60 (br.m, 2 H) 4.88 (br.m, 1 H) 6.82 (br s, 1 H) 6.95 (s, 1 H) 7.15 (br m, 1 H) 7.55-7.74 (m, 2 H) 7.78-7.99 (m, 2 H), 10.12 (br s, 1 H).



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1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-

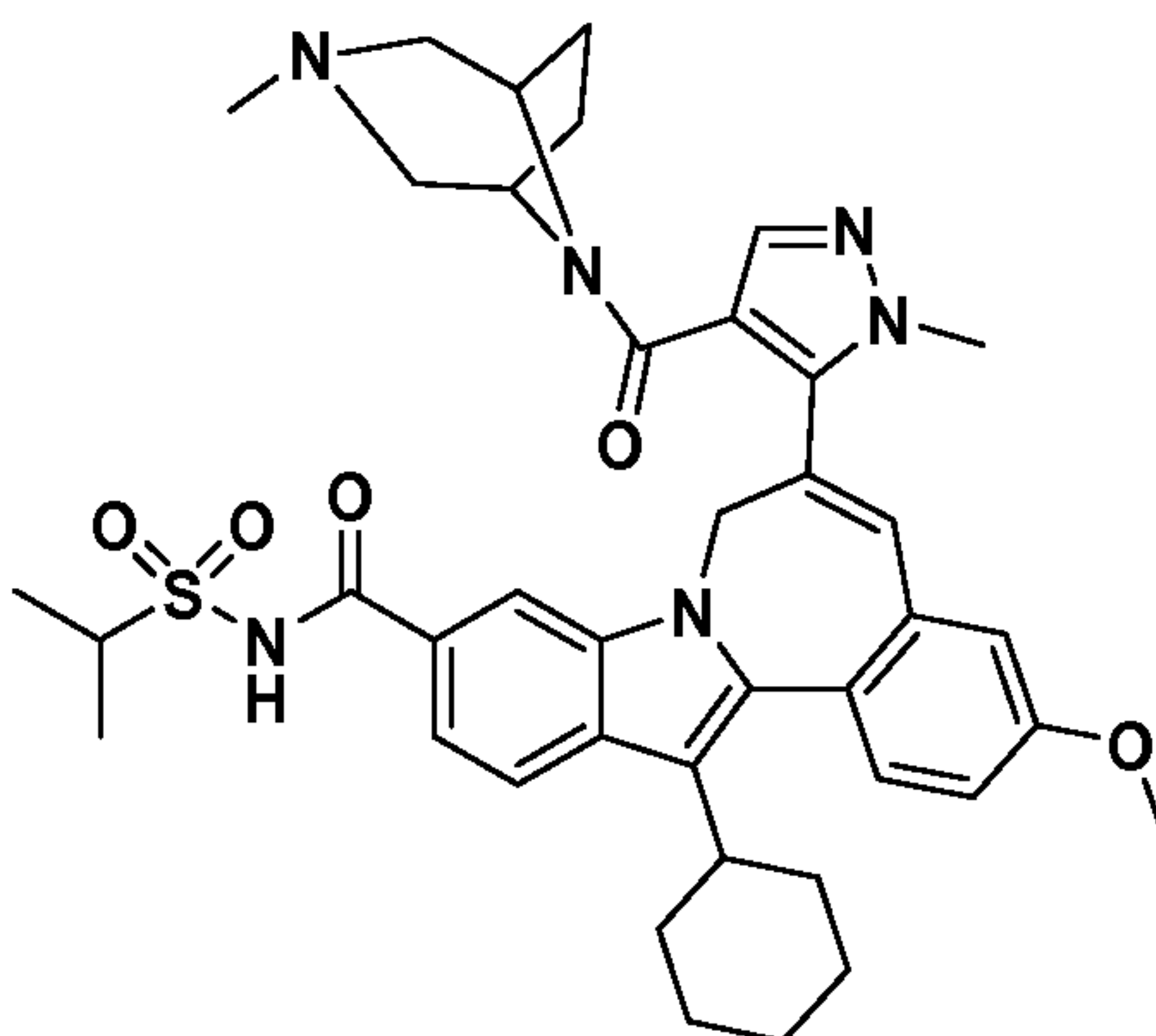
Dissolve 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-
 5 [[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-, ethyl ester (1.044 g, 1.619 mmol) in a pre-mixed solution of THF(20 mL), MeOH (20 mL) and sodium hydroxide (20 mL, 20.00 mmol). The reaction was homogenous and was stirred at room temperature under a nitrogen atmosphere for 26hrs then concentrated in vacuo using a rotary evaporator with a bath temperature
 10 at 20C. The reaction was poured into 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid and extract using ethyl acetate. The combined organic layers were washed sequentially with 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid and brine, then dried over magnesium sulfate, filtered and solvent removed *in vacuo*. The crude product dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 1.68g of an orange amorphous solid. The crude product was dissolved in
 15 chloroform (approximately 50mL) with heating and hexanes were added until some material starts to precipitate but re-dissolves on swirling (approximately 10-12ml of hexanes). The mixture was allowed to slowly cool to room temperature and then allowed to stand at room temperature for a few hours. The very fine particulate yellow precipitate was filtered using a Buchner funnel and dried in vacuo at room
 20 temperature to yield 819mg (45%) of purified product as a bright yellow amorphous solid. The title compound 4.6mg was dissolved in CDCl₃ (2ml) with the addition of approximately 5 drops of CD₃OD to aid in dissolution for 1H NMR acquisition.

1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D / CD₃OD) δ ppm 1.11 - 1.39 (m, 3 H) 1.41 (d, $J=7.02$ Hz, 6 H) 1.47 - 1.65 (m, 1 H) 1.75 (d, $J=8.85$ Hz, 2 H) 1.82 - 2.27
 25 (m, 13 H) 2.77 - 2.90 (m, 1 H) 3.28 (s, 3 H) 3.88 (s, 3 H) 3.97 - 4.06 (m, 1 H) 4.66 (s, 1 H) 5.01 (s, 1 H) 6.76 (s, 1 H) 6.92 (d, $J=2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.04 (dd, $J=8.70, 2.59$ Hz, 1 H) 7.47 - 7.54 (m, 2 H) 7.81 (d, $J=1.22$ Hz, 1 H) 7.86 (d, $J=8.54$ Hz, 1 H) 7.91 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.39 min; 615 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a
 30 Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a

gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

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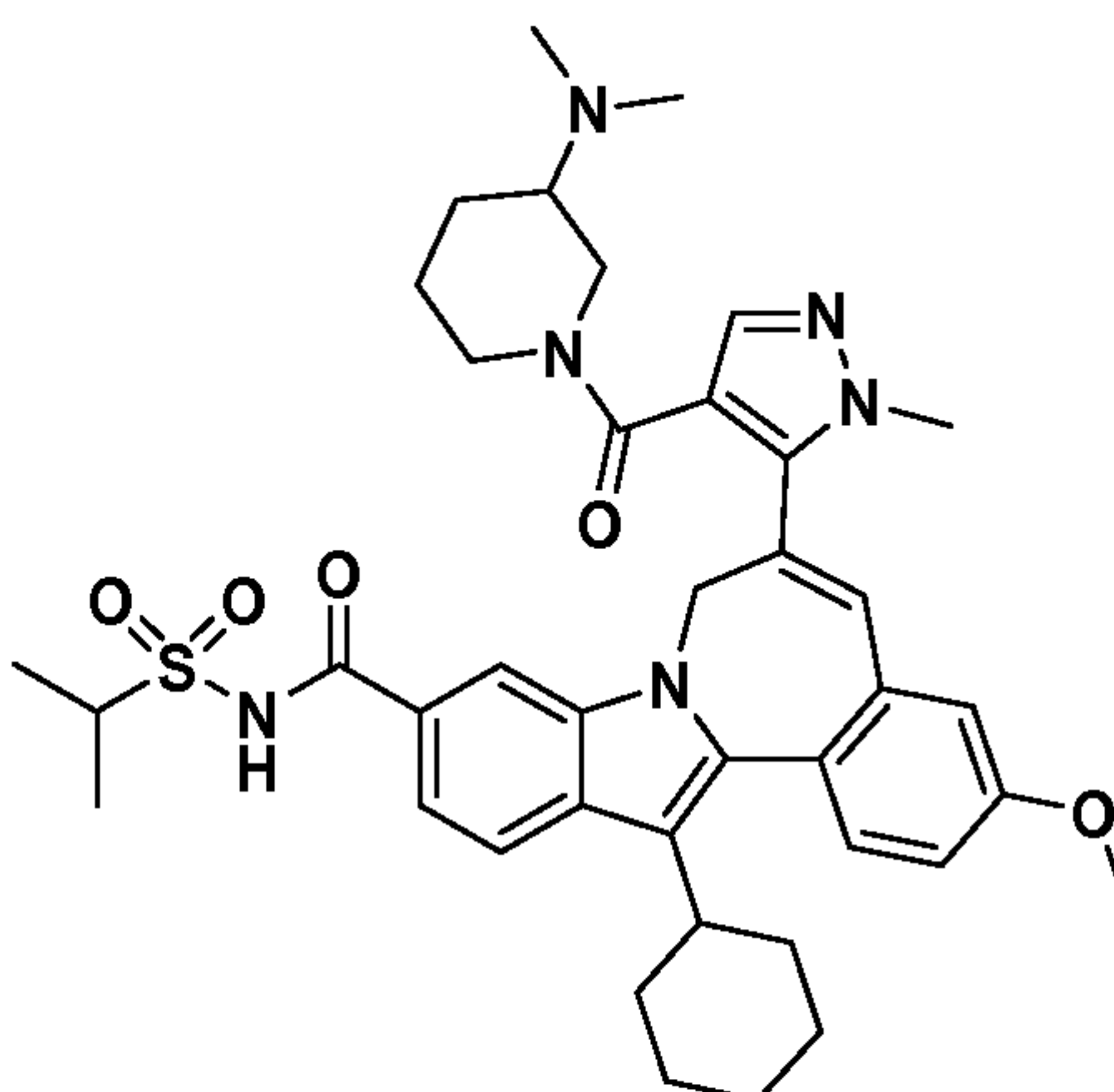


10 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-*

In a 2 dram vial, 900 uL of a stock solution containing

1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (0.09M, 0.081mmol) and TBTU (0.19M, 0.171mmol) in DMF was stirred
15 under a nitrogen atmosphere for 1 hour at room temperature. DMAP (40 mg, 0.327 mmol) was added to the reaction and stirred until dissolved then the amine reagent, 3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]octane dihydrochloride (35 mg, 0.176 mmol), was added and the reaction capped under nitrogen and stirred at room temperature overnight. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with
20 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid and brine. The organic phase was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and solvent removed *in vacuo*. The crude product was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 63mg of an amorphous yellow film/ foam. The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A
25 autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) (2mL) purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM

- 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 20 minutes using %A=
- 5 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Sample was purified in two HPLC injections, and the product fractions combined (retention time=5.5min) and volatiles removed *in vacuo*. The sample was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 44.4mg of the title compound as a TFA salt.
- 10 ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.10 - 1.31 (m, 1 H) 1.33 - 1.57 (m, 10 H) 1.80 (s, 2 H) 1.89 - 2.16 (m, 5 H) 2.57 (s, 4 H) 2.74 (s, 9 H) 2.84 - 3.12 (m, 4 H) 3.27 (s, 2 H) 3.32 - 3.72 (m, 4 H) 3.88 (s, 3 H) 3.94 (s, 4 H) 4.00 - 4.14 (m, 1 H) 4.63 (d, $J=15.56$ Hz, 1 H) 4.89 (d, $J=12.21$ Hz, 1 H) 6.96 (d, $J=2.14$ Hz, 2 H) 7.13 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.57 (d, $J=8.85$ Hz, 1 H) 7.63 (d, $J=7.63$ Hz, 2 H)
- 15 7.76 (s, 1 H) 7.93 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H).
- LC-MS retention time 1.81 min; 723 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a
- 20 gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[3-
(dimethylamino)-1-piperidinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-
5 [(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-

In a 2 dram vial, 900 uL of a stock solution containing

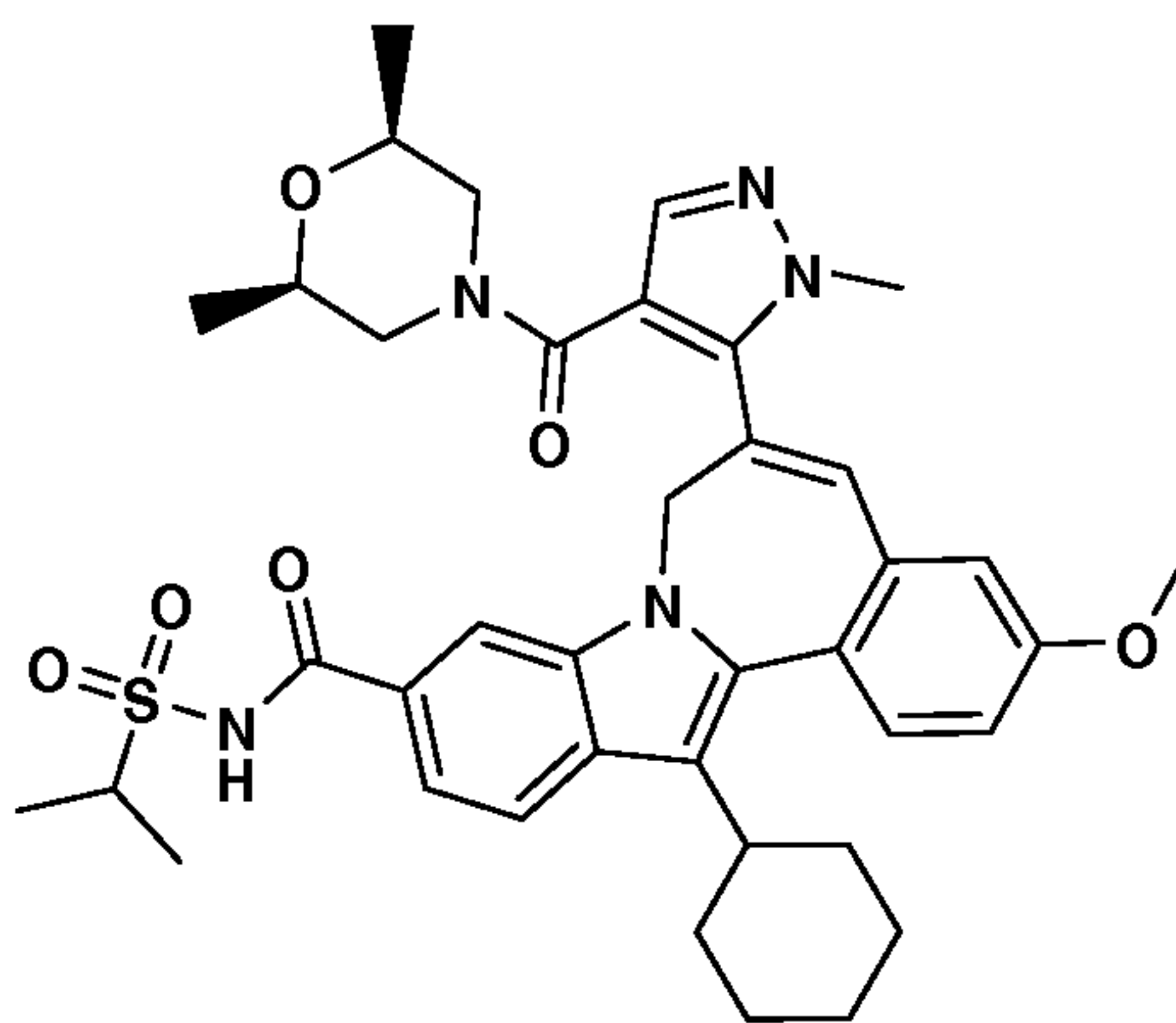
1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-
methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-
methyl- (0.09M, 0.081mmol) and TBTU (0.19M, 0.171mmol) in DMF was stirred
10 under a nitrogen atmosphere for 1 hour at room temperature. DMAP (42 mg, 0.344
mmol) was added to the reaction and stirred until dissolved then the amine reagent,
N,N-dimethylpiperidin-3-amine dihydrochloride (34 mg, 0.169 mmol) was added and
the reaction capped under nitrogen and stirred at room temperature overnight. The
reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous
15 hydrochloric acid and brine. The organic phase was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and
solvent removed *in vacuo*. The crude product was dried *in vacuo* at room
temperature to yield 67mg as a yellow film. The sample was purified on a Shimadzu
high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software
interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction
20 collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) (2mL) purified using
a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using
a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution
conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30%
solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run

time of 20 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA

Combine product fractions, retention time =5.03min, remove volatiles in vacuo and dry at room temperature in vacuo to yield 26.2mg of the title compound as an amorphous yellow solid.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.04 - 1.18 (m, 1 H) 1.18 - 1.45 (m, 6 H) 1.48 (d, J =6.71 Hz, 7 H) 1.80 (d, J =8.55 Hz, 3 H) 1.86 - 2.26 (m, 5 H) 2.37 - 2.99 (m, 20 H) 3.12 - 3.72 (m, 4 H) 3.85 (s, 4 H) 3.93 (s, 3 H) 3.98 - 4.08 (m, 1 H) 4.23 (s, 0.4 H) 4.60 (d, J =14.34 Hz, 1 H) 4.86 (d, J =11.90 Hz, 1 H) 6.82 - 7.02 (m, 2 H) 7.11 (d, J =7.02 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 (d, J =8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.58 - 7.88 (m, 3 H) 7.94 (d, J =8.24 Hz, 1 H) 10.05 (s, 0.6H)

LC-MS retention time 1.54 min; 725 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



13-cyclohexyl-6-(4-(((2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl)carbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl)-N-(isopropylsulfonyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide.

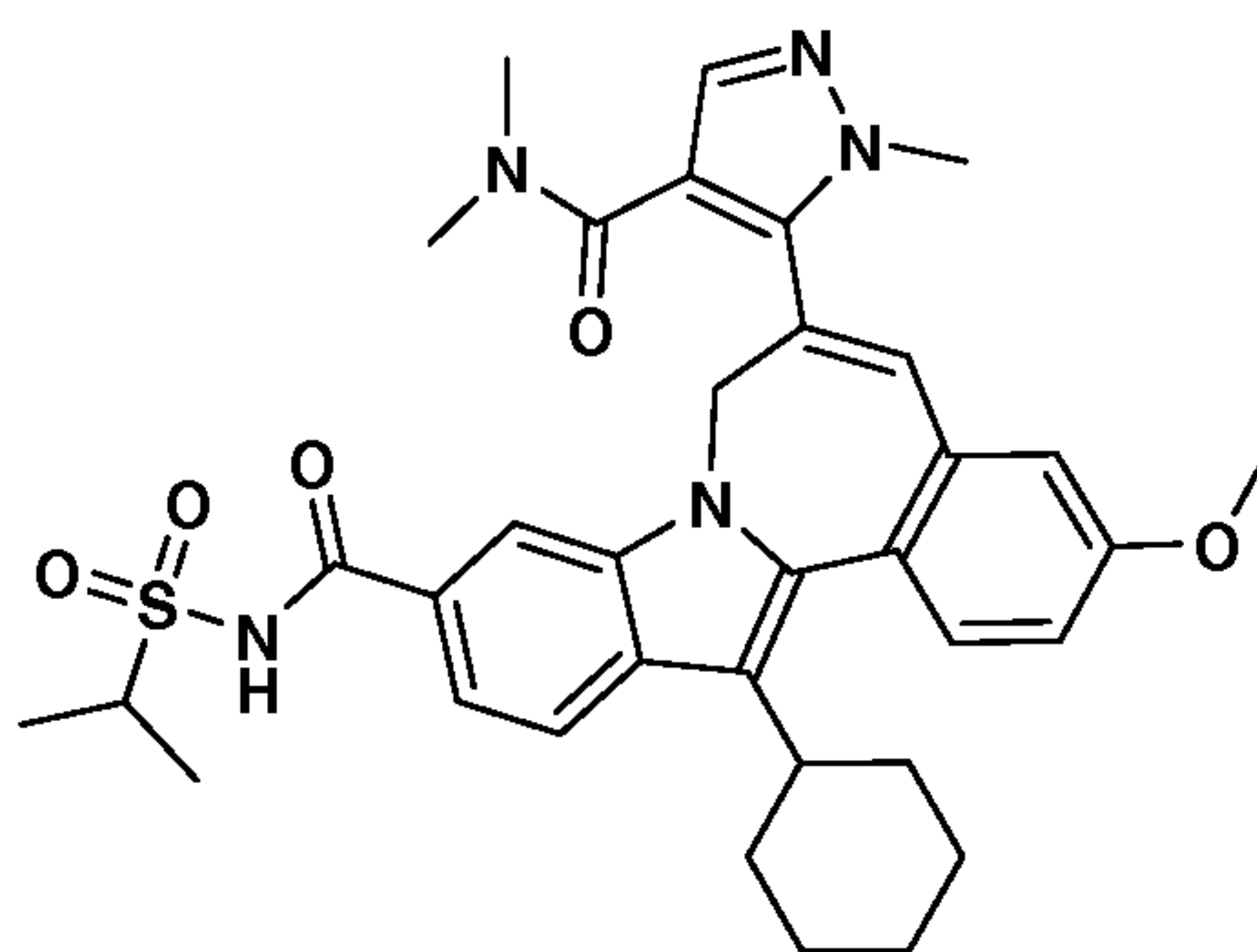
In a 2 dram vial, 932 uL of a stock solution containing

5 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (0.087M, 0.081mmol) and TBTU (0.18M, 0.168 mmol), in DMF was stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere for 1.75 hours at room temperature. DMAP (40 mg, 0.327 mmol) was added to the reaction and stirred until dissolved then the amine
10 reagent, (2R,6S)-2,6-dimethylmorpholine (0.030 mL, 0.243 mmol), was added and the reaction capped under nitrogen and stirred at room temperature overnight (19hrs). The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid and brine. The organic phase was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and solvent removed *in vacuo*. The crude product was dried *in vacuo* at
15 room temperature to yield 65mg of a yellow film. The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) (2mL) purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and
20 monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 25 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA Retention time of product = 12.83
25 minutes. The sample was purified in two 1ml injections, the second run was cut to a runtime of 20 minutes with the same 15min gradient. Combine product fractions and remove volatiles *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator then dry sample *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 26.1mg of the title compound as an opaque yellow solid / amorphous film.

30 ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.60 - 0.93 (m, 6 H) 1.16 - 1.29 (m, 2 H) 1.30 - 1.58 (m, 9 H) 1.79 (d, *J*=10.68 Hz, 2 H) 1.92 (s, 14 H) 2.05 - 2.27 (m, 3 H) 2.88 (t, *J*=11.44 Hz, 1 H) 3.13 - 3.31 (m, 2 H) 3.46 (br.s, 1 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 3.94 (s, 3 H) 4.02 - 4.13 (m, 1 H) 4.60 (d, *J*=15.56 Hz, 1 H) 4.90 (d, *J*=15.56 Hz,

1 H) 6.83 (br. s, 1 H) 6.95 (d, $J=2.14$ Hz, 1 H) 7.06 - 7.17 (m, 1 H) 7.49 - 7.80 (m, 4 H) 7.93 (s, 1 H) 10.12 (br.s, 0.2 H) 10.47 (br.s, 0.6 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.90 min; 712 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u
 5 C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B
 10 was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



15 *13-cyclohexyl-6-(4-(dimethylcarbamoyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl)-N-(isopropylsulfonyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide*

In a 2 dram vial, 932 uL of a stock solution containing

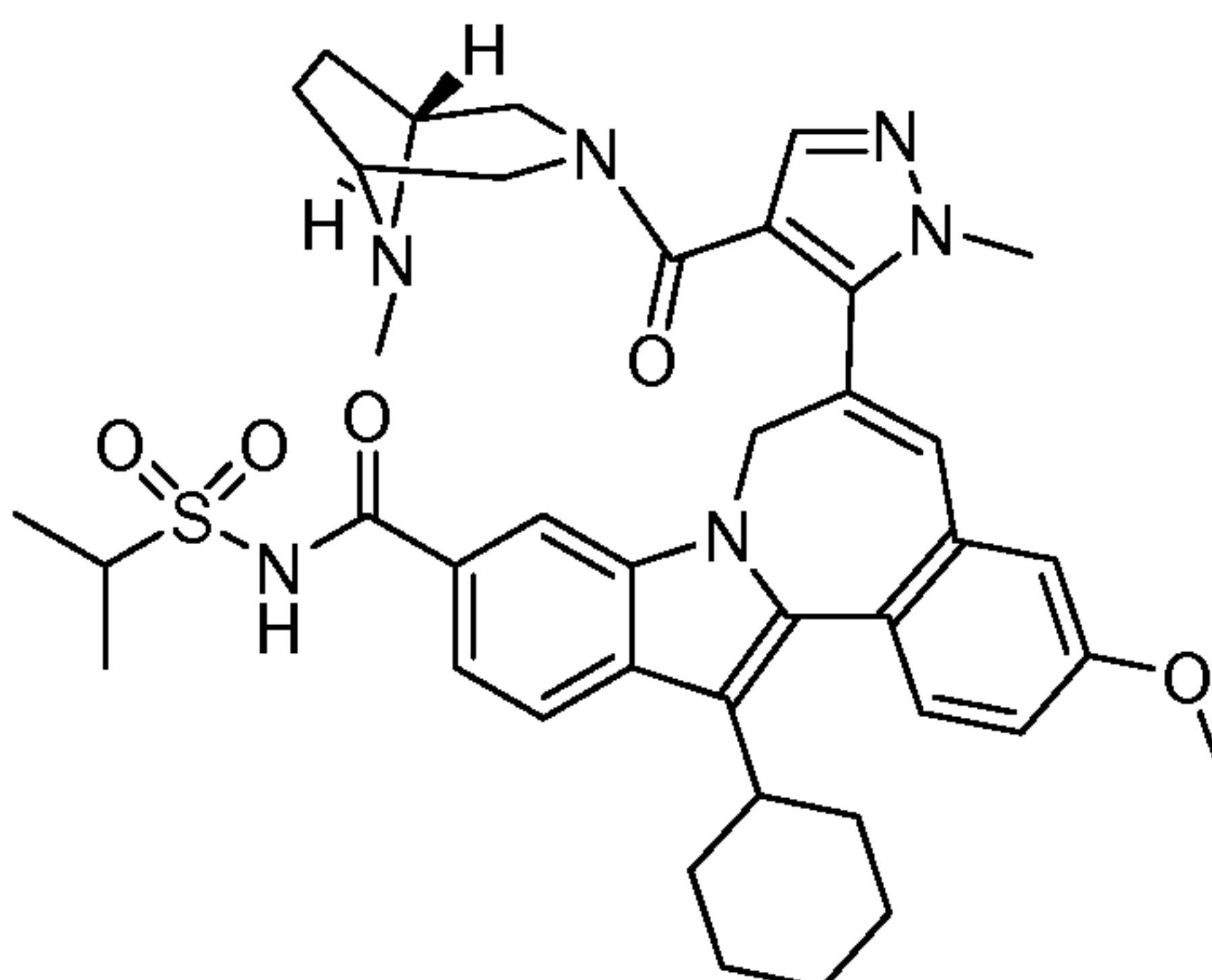
1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (0.087M, 0.081mmol) and TBTU (0.18M, 0.168 mmol), in DMF was stirred
 20 under a nitrogen atmosphere for 1.75 hours at room temperature. DMAP (41.8 mg, 0.342 mmol) was added to the reaction and stirred until dissolved then the amine reagent, dimethylamine hydrochloride (17.5 mg, 0.215 mmol), was added and the reaction capped under nitrogen and stirred at room temperature overnight (19hrs).
 25 The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid and brine. The organic phase was dried over MgSO₄,

filtered and solvent removed *in vacuo*. The crude product was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 57mg as a yellow foam/amorphous solid/film.

The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, 5 SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) (2mL) purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min, a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent 10 B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 20 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA Retention time of product = 12.05 minutes. The sample was purified in two 1ml injections. Combine product fractions and remove volatiles *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator then dry sample *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 37.6mg (68%) as 15 an amorphous yellow solid.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.15 - 1.30 (m, 1 H) 1.33 - 1.45 (m, 2 H) 1.49 (br.s, 7 H) 1.79 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 2 H) 1.91 - 2.17 (m, 7 H) 2.32 (br.s, 9 H) 2.45 (br.s, 3 H) 2.78 - 2.91 (m, 1 H) 3.50 (br.s, 1 H) 3.82 (s, 3 H) 3.93 (s, 3 H) 4.01 - 4.10 (m, 1 H) 4.60 (d, $J=14.34$ Hz, 1 H) 4.93 (d, $J=14.65$ Hz, 1 H) 6.86 (s, 20 1 H) 6.96 (d, $J=2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.10 (dd, $J=8.70, 2.59$ Hz, 1 H) 7.53 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.58 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.66 (s, 1 H) 7.75 (s, 1 H) 7.91 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 9.99 (br.s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.74 min; 642 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u 25 C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B 30 was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[(1R,5S)-8-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-3-yl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-1-methyl-

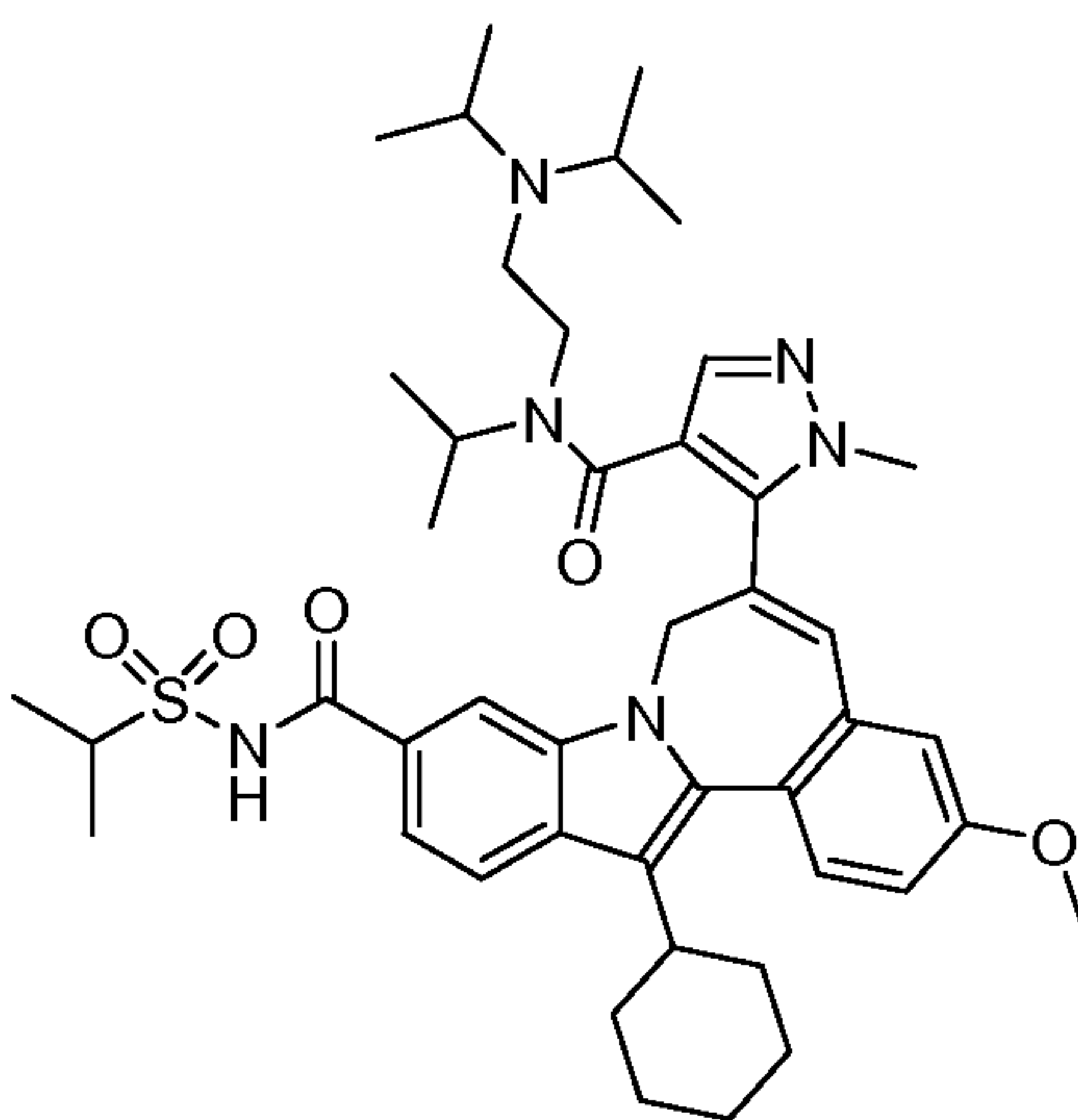
- 5 In a 2 dram vial, 900 uL of a stock solution containing
1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (0.09M, 0.081mmol) and TBTU (0.19M, 0.171mmol) in DMF was stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere for 1 hour at room temperature. DMAP (41mg, 0.336
 10 mmol) was added to the reaction and stirred until dissolved then the amine reagent, (1R,5S)-8-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]octane dihydrochloride (30mg, 0.151 mmol), was added and the reaction capped under nitrogen and stirred at room temperature overnight. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid and brine. The organic phase was
 15 dried over MgSO₄, filtered and solvent removed *in vacuo*. The crude product was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 70mg. The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) (2mL)
 20 purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 20 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA
 25 %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA.

Retention time of product was 5.56minutes and remove volatiles/solvent *in vacuo*. HPLC analysis of the first Prep HPLC purification using %A= 10mM Ammonium Acetate, pH=6.8 in Water / Acetonitrile (95%/ 5%) %B= 10mM Ammonium Acetate, pH=6.8 in Water / Acetonitrile (5%/ 95%) solvent system show
5 impurities in the sample. The sample was further purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in 0.5ml DMF/ 1.5ml acetonitrile and purified using a Phenomenex Gemini 30mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV
10 UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 40mL/ min, a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 20 minutes with a run time of 30 minutes using %A= 10mM Ammonium Acetate, pH=6.8 in Water / Acetonitrile (95%/ 5%) %B= 10mM Ammonium Acetate, pH=6.8 in Water / Acetonitrile (5%/
15 95%) solvent system. Product elution time is from 9.7minutes to 11.7minutes. Combine product fractions and remove volatiles and dry *in vacuo*. The trifluoroacetic acid salt of the title compound was made by dissolving the purified product in dichloromethane and adding 10uL of trifluoroacetic acid then removing volatiles *in vacuo*. Drying *in vacuo* at room temperature yielded 23.6mg (35%) of
20 the trifluoroacetic acid salt of the title compound as a yellow amorphous solid.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.11 - 1.29 (m, 1 H) 1.32 - 1.45 (m, 3 H) 1.49 (dd, J =11.14, 6.87 Hz, 6 H) 1.79 (d, J =10.68 Hz, 2 H) 1.89 - 2.13 (m, 4 H) 2.28 - 2.73 (m, 15 H) 2.84 - 2.95 (m, 1 H) 3.25 (s, 2 H) 3.39 (s, 2 H) 3.76 - 3.92 (m, 3 H) 3.94 (s, 3 H) 4.01 - 4.12 (m, 1 H) 4.63 (d, J =15.87 Hz, 1 H) 4.87 (s, 1
25 H) 6.96 (d, J =2.14 Hz, 2 H) 7.13 (dd, J =8.85, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.57 (d, J =8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.63 (s, 1 H) 7.77 (s, 1 H) 7.92 (d, J =8.55 Hz, 1 H) 10.06 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.73 min; 723 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave
30 length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B

was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 6-[4-[[[2-[bis(1-methylethyl)amino]ethyl](1-methylethyl)amino]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-

In a 2 dram vial, 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (52.1 mg, 0.084 mmol) was dissolved in DMF(0.9ml) and TBTU (56.2 mg, 0.175 mmol) was added and the reaction stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere for 1 hour at room temperature. DMAP (46mg, 0.377 mmol) was added to the reaction and stirred until dissolved then the amine reagent, N,N,N'-triisopropylethylenediamine (55mg, 0.295 mmol), was added and the reaction capped under nitrogen and stirred at room temperature overnight. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid and brine. The organic phase was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and solvent removed *in vacuo*. The crude product was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 84mg as a yellow glass/film.

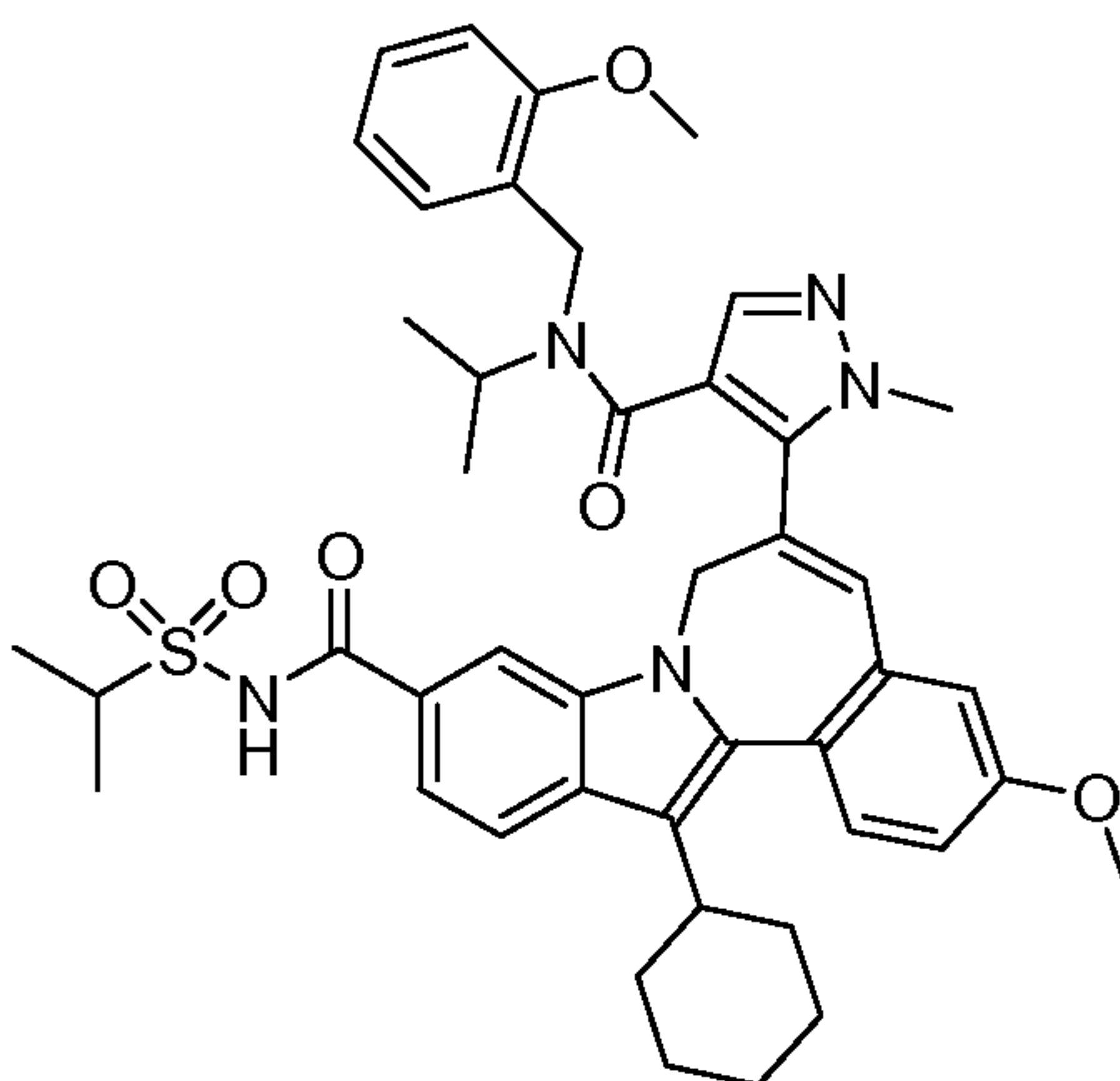
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The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) (2mL) purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM

19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 25 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA. The retention time of product =6 minutes. Combine product fractions and remove volatiles *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator then dry sample *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 36.0mg (47%) as a yellow amorphous solid.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.05 (s, 6 H) 1.18 - 1.43 (m, 15 H) 1.46 (d, J =7.02 Hz, 8 H) 1.78 (d, J =8.55 Hz, 2 H) 1.87 - 2.12 (m, 4 H) 2.62 (s, 14 H) 2.80 - 2.90 (m, 1 H) 3.12 (s, 2 H) 3.24 - 3.70 (m, 9 H) 3.92 (s, 3 H) 3.97 - 4.06 (m, 1 H) 4.19 (s, 1 H) 4.55 (s, 1 H) 4.99 (s, 1 H) 6.86 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, J =2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.09 (dd, J =8.55, 2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.48 - 7.57 (m, 3 H) 7.85 (s, 1 H) 7.90 (d, J =8.54 Hz, 1 H) 9.33 (s, 1 H) 10.12 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.80 min;783 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[[[(2-methoxyphenyl)methyl](1-methylethyl)amino]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-

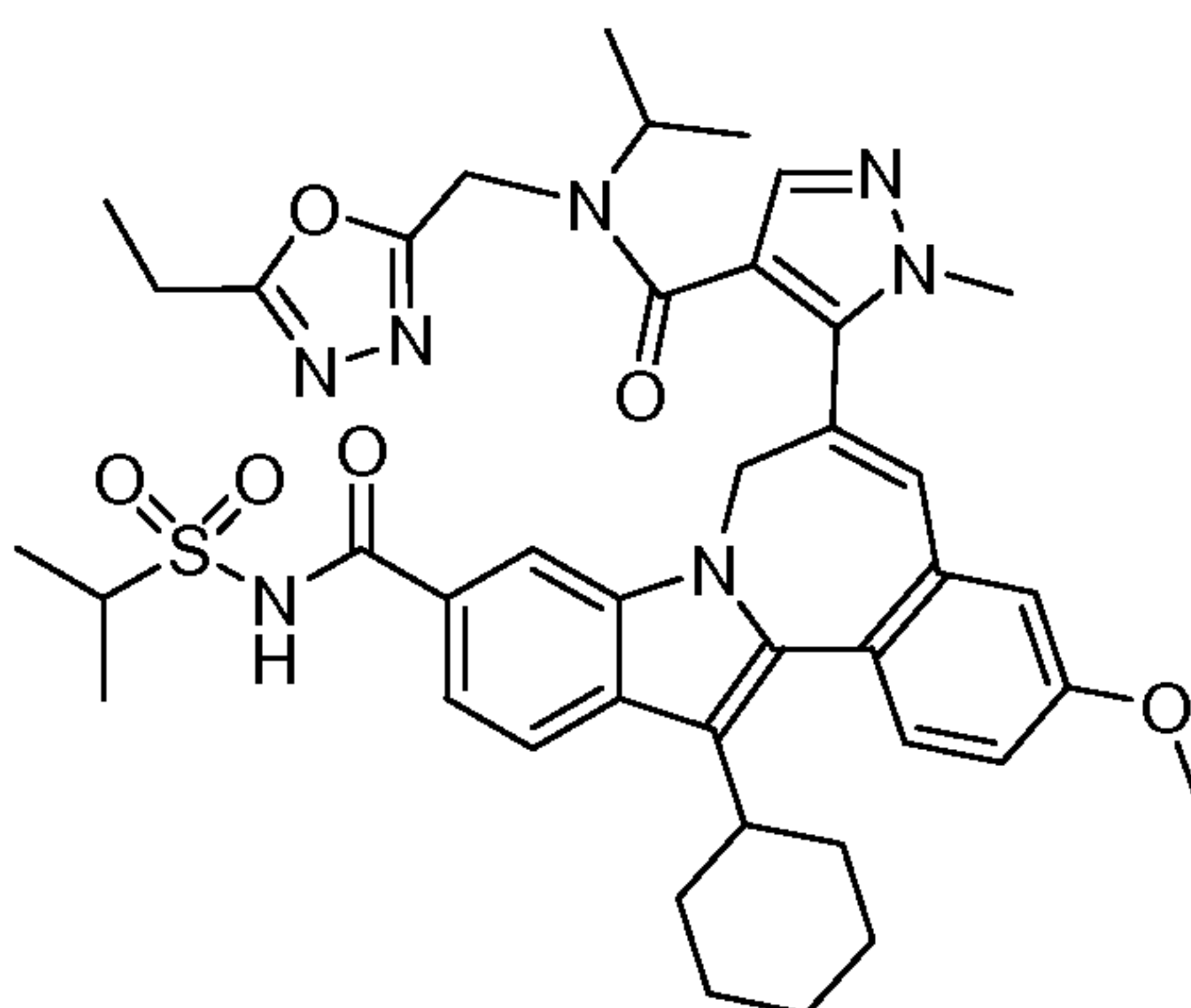
In a 2 dram vial, 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (50 mg, 0.081 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (811 μ L) and TBTU (51.5 mg, 0.160 mmol) was added and the reaction stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere for 1.3 hour at room temperature. DMAP (52 mg, 0.426 mmol) was added to the reaction and stirred until dissolved then the amine reagent, N-(2-methoxybenzyl)propan-2-amine hydrochloride (36 mg, 0.167 mmol), was added and the reaction capped under nitrogen and stirred at room temperature overnight. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid and brine. The organic phase was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and solvent removed *in vacuo*. The crude product was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 75mg as a yellow film.

The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) (2mL) purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5 μ M 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min, a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 25 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA Retention time of product = 14.7 minutes. Remove volatiles from product fraction *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator then dry sample *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 45.4mg (72%) as a amorphous yellow solid. Proton NMR exhibits rotameric characteristics.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.34 - 1.03 (m, 6.3 H) 1.04 - 1.32 (m, 3.4 H) 1.29 - 1.66 (m, 7.6 H) 1.78 (d, 2.2 H) 1.90 - 2.24 (m, 4.3 H) 2.52 (s, 3.6 H) 2.87 (s, 1.1 H) 3.36 - 3.71 (m, 2.1 H) 3.71 - 3.88 (m, 5.5 H) 3.92 (s, 3.4 H) 4.00-4.06 (m, 0.8 H) 4.13 - 4.39 (m, 1.1 H) 4.63 (d, *J*=12.21 Hz, 1.0 H) 5.08 (d,

$J=14.04$ Hz, 0.9 H) 6.54 - 6.83 (m, 2.5 H) 6.86 - 6.99 (m, 2.6 H) 7.02 - 7.20 (m, 2.1 H) 7.34 - 7.71 (m, 3.1 H) 7.74 - 7.99 (m, 2.0 H) 9.39 (br.s, 0.4 H) 9.85 (br.s, 0.5 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.99 min; 776 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u
 5 C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 2 min, and an analysis time of 5 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B
 10 was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[[(5-ethyl-1,3,4-oxadiazol-2-yl)methyl](1-methylethyl)amino]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-
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In a 2 dram vial, 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (50 mg, 0.081 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (811
 20 μ L) and TBTU (51.5 mg, 0.160 mmol) was added and the reaction stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere for 1 hour at room temperature. DMAP (43.2 mg, 0.354 mmol) was added to the reaction and stirred until dissolved then the amine reagent, N-((5-ethyl-1,3,4-oxadiazol-2-yl)methyl)propan-2-amine (47.3 mg, 0.280 mmol) dissolved
 25 in 0.2ml of DMF, was added to the reaction. The reaction was capped under nitrogen and stirred at room temperature overnight.

The reaction was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The reaction was diluted to 2ml volume with acetonitrile and the reaction was purified using a

5 Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 25 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90%

10 acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Retention time of product is 11.45minutes. Combine product fractions and remove volatiles *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator then dry sample *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 47.8mg as a yellow amorphous solid/ film.

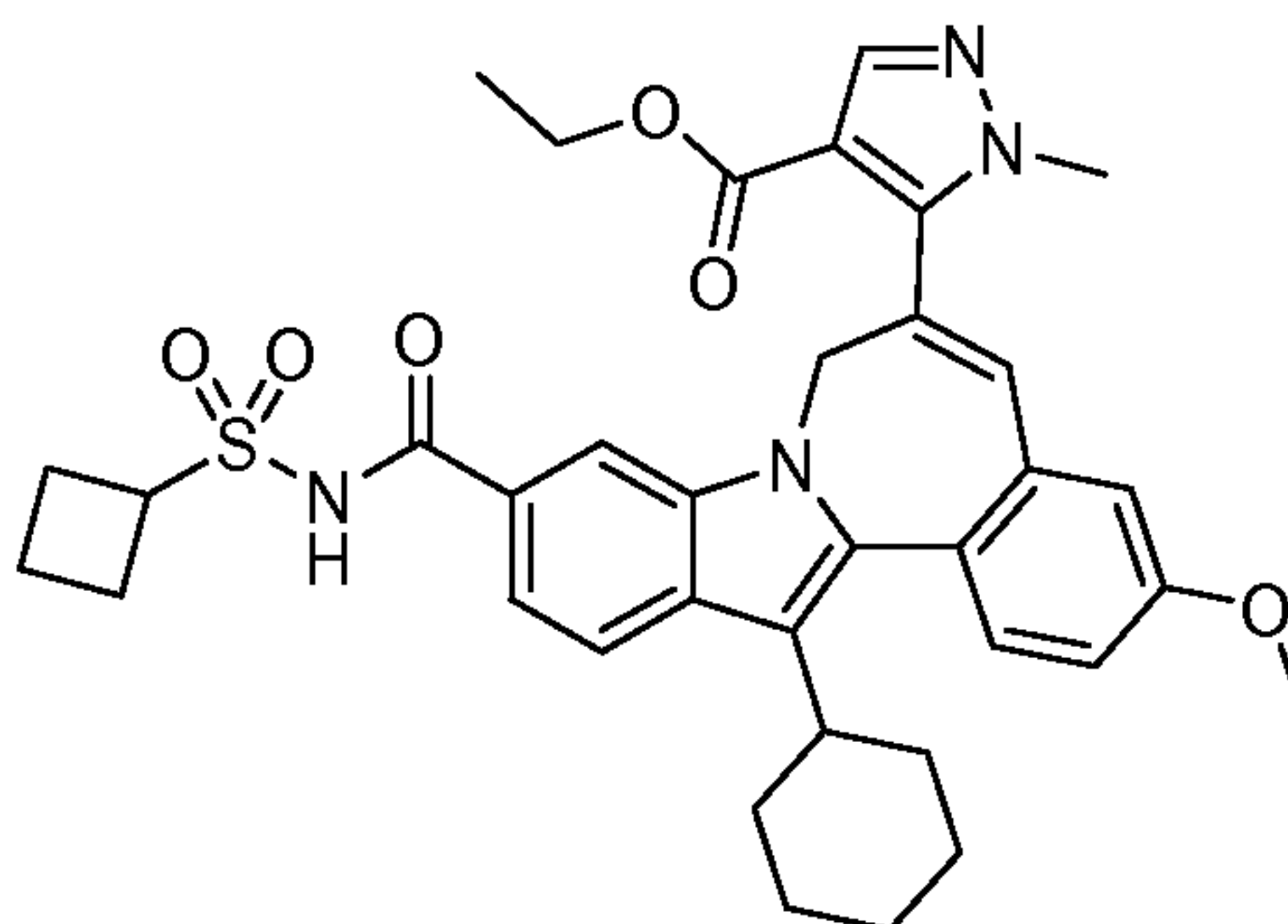
¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.07 - 1.24 (m, 5 H) 1.27 (t, $J=7.48$ Hz, 4 H) 1.38 (d, $J=5.49$ Hz, 8 H) 1.56 (d, $J=9.46$ Hz, 1 H) 1.78 (d, $J=9.46$ Hz, 2 H) 1.88 - 1.99 (m, 1 H) 2.00 - 2.17 (m, 3 H) 2.55 - 2.82 (m, 4 H) 2.83 - 2.94 (m, 1 H) 3.73 (s, 3 H) 3.89 (s, 3 H) 3.97 - 4.08 (m, 1 H) 4.15 - 4.80 (m, 4 H) 5.22 (d, $J=16.79$ Hz, 1 H) 6.88 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, $J=2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.04 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.46 (d, $J=8.85$ Hz, 1 H) 7.59 - 7.67 (m, 2 H) 7.91 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 8.31 (br.s, 1 H) 9.62 (br.s, 1 H).

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LC-MS retention time 1.75 min; 766 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a

25 gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

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1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[10-[[[(cyclobutylsulfonyl)amino]carbonyl]-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-, ethyl ester

5 Dissolve 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-(653mg, 1.210 mmol) in THF (12ml) in a 50ml RB flask. Carbonyldiimidazole (1.308 g, 8.07 mmol) was added to the reaction. The flask fitted with a condenser was placed under a nitrogen atmosphere and the reaction allowed to stir at room temperature for 1hr then refluxed

10 for 50 minutes. The reaction was cooled under a nitrogen atmosphere and cyclobutanesulfonamide (825 mg, 6.10 mmol) was added to the reaction followed by DBU (0.383 ml, 2.54 mmol). The reaction was heated overnight at 70C under a nitrogen atmosphere. LC-MS analysis indicated primarily imidazolidine but an insignificant amount of product, therefore cyclobutylsulfonamide (700mg,

15 5.17mmol) was added to the reaction followed by DBU (0.383 ml, 2.54 mmol). The reaction was heated to reflux under a nitrogen atmosphere for 3.5 hours and progress rechecked by LCMS. Additional cyclobutylsulfonamide (357mg, 2.64mmol) and DBU (0.383 ml, 2.54 mmol) was added to the reaction and the reaction heated to reflux for 3.25hrs. The reaction was cooled and ethyl acetate and washed two times

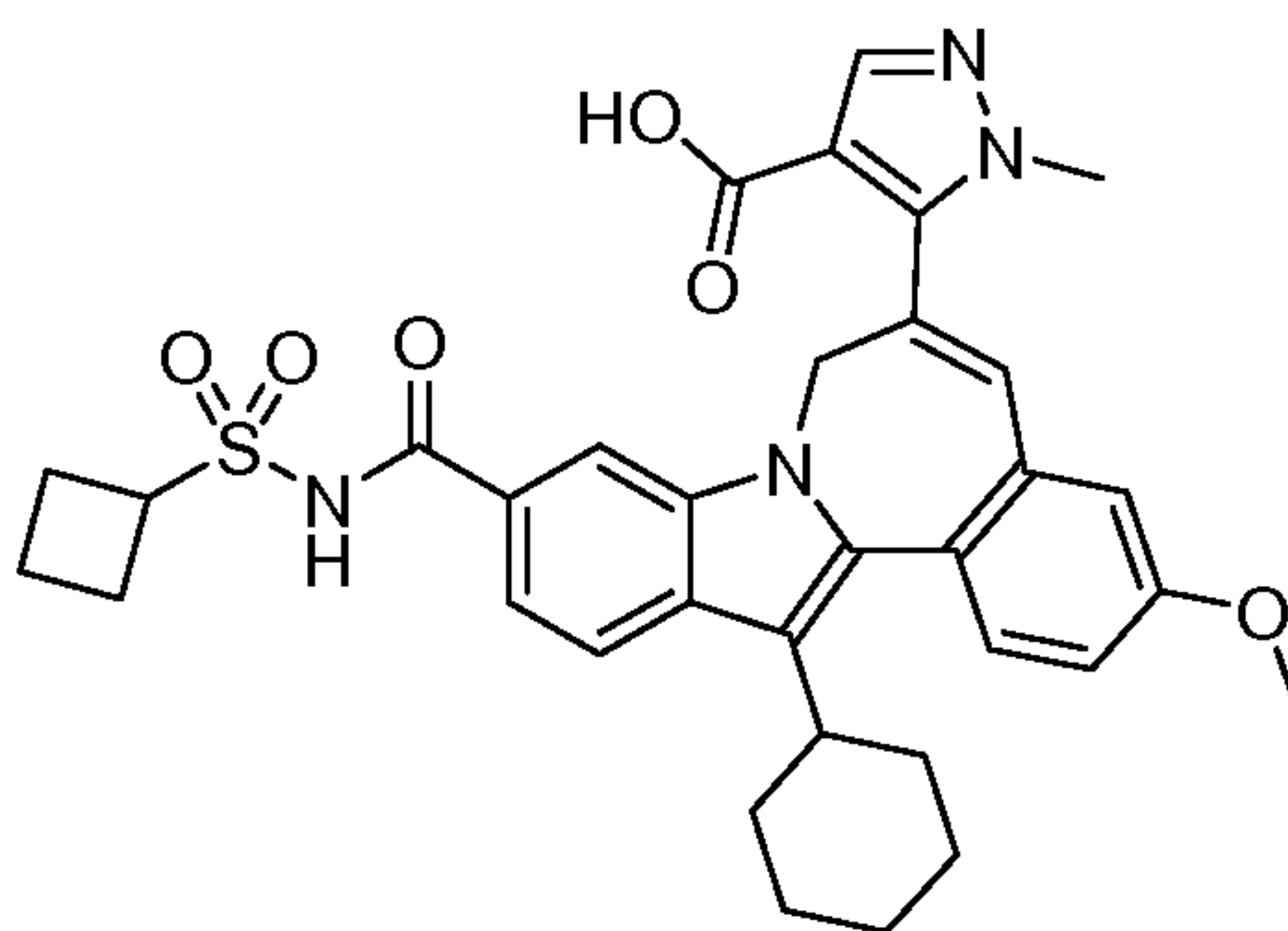
20 with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid. The aqueous layer was back extracted with ethyl acetate. The organic layers were combined and wash sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid, 0.1M NaH₂PO₄, and again with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid and finally brine. The organic phase was dried over magnesium sulfate, filtered and solvent removed *in vacuo* to yield 949mg of a crude product as

25 a yellow solid. The crude product was adsorbed onto 2.6g of silica gel and chromatographed on 28.7g of silica gel slurry packed using 2% methanol in dichloromethane and eluted using 2% methanol in dichloromethane. Pure product fractions were combined and the volatiles removed *in vacuo* using a rotary

evaporator to yield 465mg (59%) of the title compound as an amorphous yellow solid.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.20 (m, 1 H) 1.30 (t, $J=7.17$ Hz, 3 H) 1.33 - 1.48 (m, 2 H) 1.55 (br.s, 4 H) 1.78 (d, $J=9.46$ Hz, 2 H) 1.87 - 2.14 (m, 6 H) 2.32 - 2.42 (m, 2 H) 2.55 - 2.69 (m, 2 H) 2.79 - 2.92 (m, 1 H) 3.28 (s, 3 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 4.25 (br.s, 2 H) 4.53 - 4.63 (m, 1 H) 4.71 (d, $J=10.68$ Hz, 1 H) 4.97 (d, $J=14.34$ Hz, 1 H) 6.77 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, $J=2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.07 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.35 (dd, $J=8.39, 1.37$ Hz, 1 H) 7.52 (d, $J=8.85$ Hz, 1 H) 7.73 (d, $J=1.22$ Hz, 1 H) 7.88 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.91 (s, 1 H) 8.24 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.78 min; 655 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[10-[[[(cyclobutylsulfonyl)amino]carbonyl]-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-

1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[10-[[[(cyclobutylsulfonyl)amino]carbonyl]-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-, ethyl ester (463mg, 0.705mmol) was dissolved in THF (6.8mL), then diluted using methanol (6.8mL) with heating and the mixture cooled to room temperature. To the reaction suspension in THF/methanol was added 1.0N aqueous sodium hydroxide (6.8mL,

6.8mmol). Upon addition of the sodium hydroxide solution the reaction became a clear homogeneous solution. The reaction was stirred at room temperature under a nitrogen atmosphere for 20hrs. Concentrate reaction *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator with room temperature bath (20C). Partition the reaction between 200ml
5 of ethyl acetate and 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid. Extract aqueous phase using ethyl acetate. Combine organic phases and wash sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid and brine. Dry the organic layer over magnesium sulfate, filter and remove volatiles from the filtrate *in vacuo* to yield 457mg of the title compound as a light yellow colored solid.

10 ¹H NMR (500 MHz, MeOD) δ ppm 0.83 (br.s, 1 H) 1.11 - 1.29 (m, 3 H) 1.30 - 1.60 (m, 4 H) 1.74 (d, $J=7.93$ Hz, 2 H) 1.87 (br.s, 1 H) 1.94 - 2.07 (m, 5 H) 2.25 - 2.35 (m, 2 H) 2.50 - 2.60 (m, 2 H) 2.78 - 2.87 (m, 1 H) 3.24 (s, 3 H) 3.87 (s, 3 H) 4.46 - 4.55 (m, 1 H) 4.67 (br.s, 1 H) 4.99 (br.s, 1 H) 6.78 (s, 1 H) 6.93 (d, $J=2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.05 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.49 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.52 (dd, $J=8.55, 1.53$
15 Hz, 1 H) 7.81 (d, $J=1.53$ Hz, 1 H) 7.84 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.89 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.42 min; 627m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 4 ml/min , a
20 gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

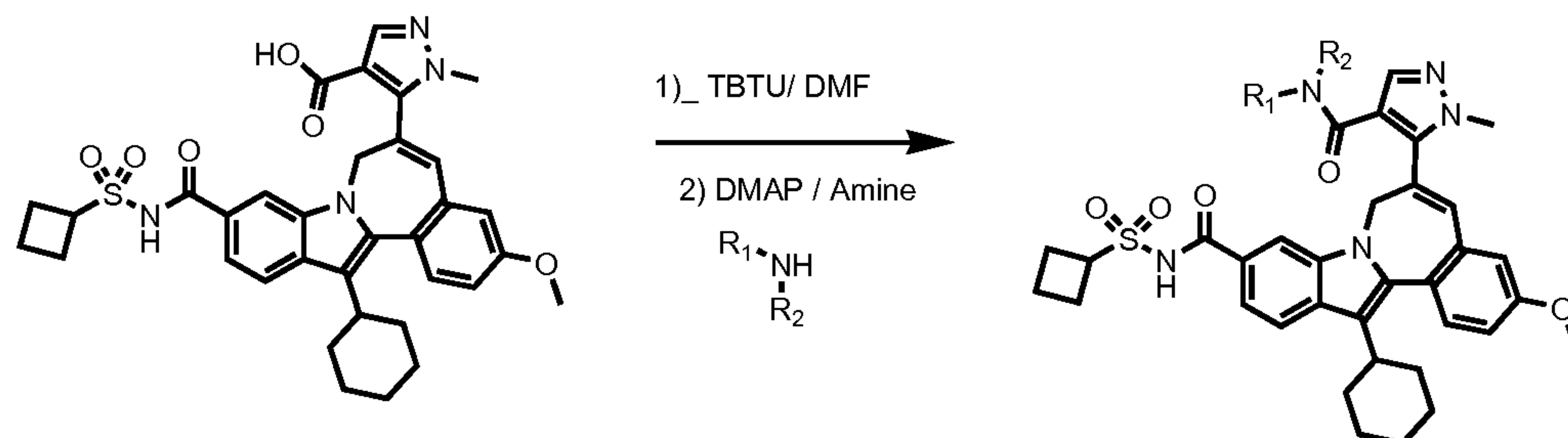
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General Procedure for amide couplings on:

1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[10-[[[(cyclobutylsulfonyl)amino]carbonyl]-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-

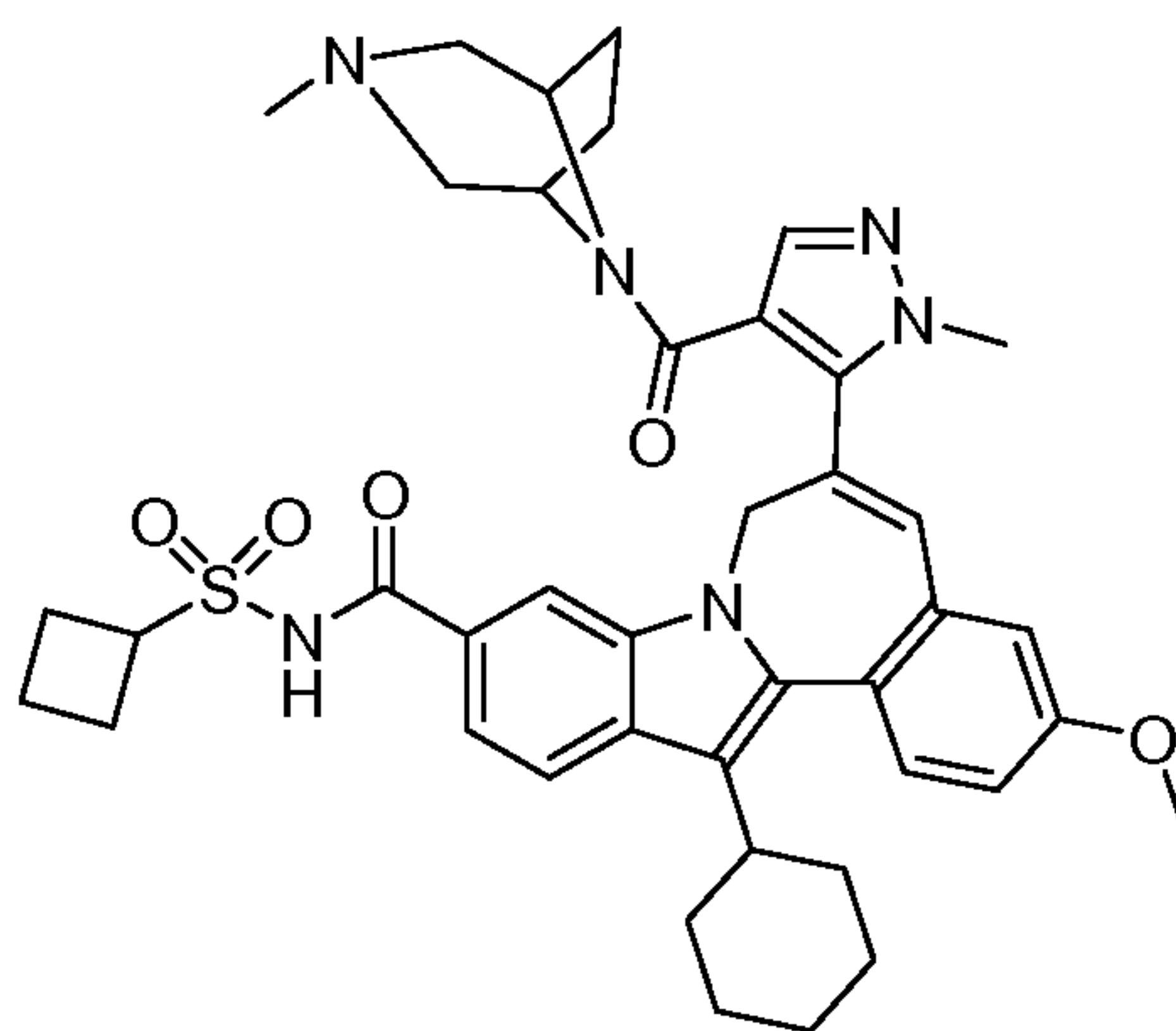


5 Into a 2 dram vial place 639ul of a stock solution containing 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[10-[[[(cyclobutylsulfonyl)amino]carbonyl]-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (0.639 mL, 0.072 mmol) and TBTU (0.639 mL, 0.138 mmol) which was pre-mixed for 1.25hr at room

10 temperature. To the reaction mixture add 239ul of a stock solution containing DMAP (0.239 mL, 0.358 mmol), then add the amine reagent (0.159 mmol). Cap the reaction under a nitrogen atmosphere and stir at room temperature overnight. The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A

15 autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was diluted to 2ml (or 4ml) using acetonitrile and purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100%

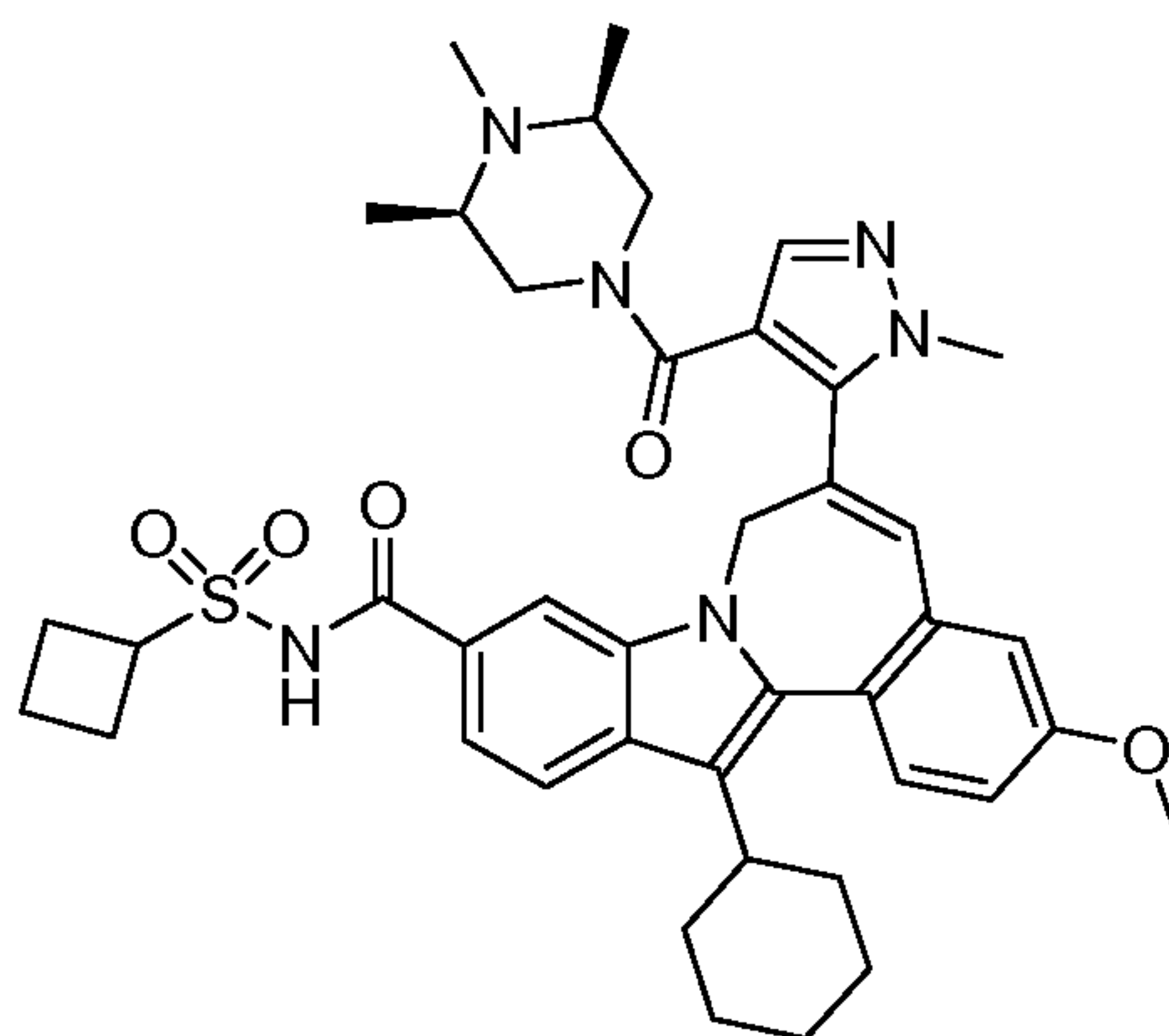
20 solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 20 minutes (or 25minutes) using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Volatiles from the product fraction(s) are removed *in vacuo* using a speed vac overnight with heating.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.13 - 1.30 (m, 1 H) 1.31 - 1.56 (m, 4 H) 1.79 (d, $J=10.68$ Hz, 2 H) 1.88 - 2.15 (m, 7 H) 2.37 (s, 4 H) 2.54 (s, 4 H) 2.67 (d, $J=9.16$ Hz, 4 H) 2.83 - 2.96 (m, 2 H) 3.05 - 3.64 (m, 5 H) 3.89 (s, 3 H) 3.93 (s, 3 H) 4.54 - 4.69 (m, 2 H) 4.88 (s, 1 H) 6.95 (t, $J=2.14$ Hz, 1 H) 7.13 (dd, $J=8.70, 2.59$ Hz, 1 H) 7.57 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.60 (d, $J=6.71$ Hz, 1 H) 7.77 (s, 1 H) 7.91 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H) 10.17 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.55 min; 735m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-

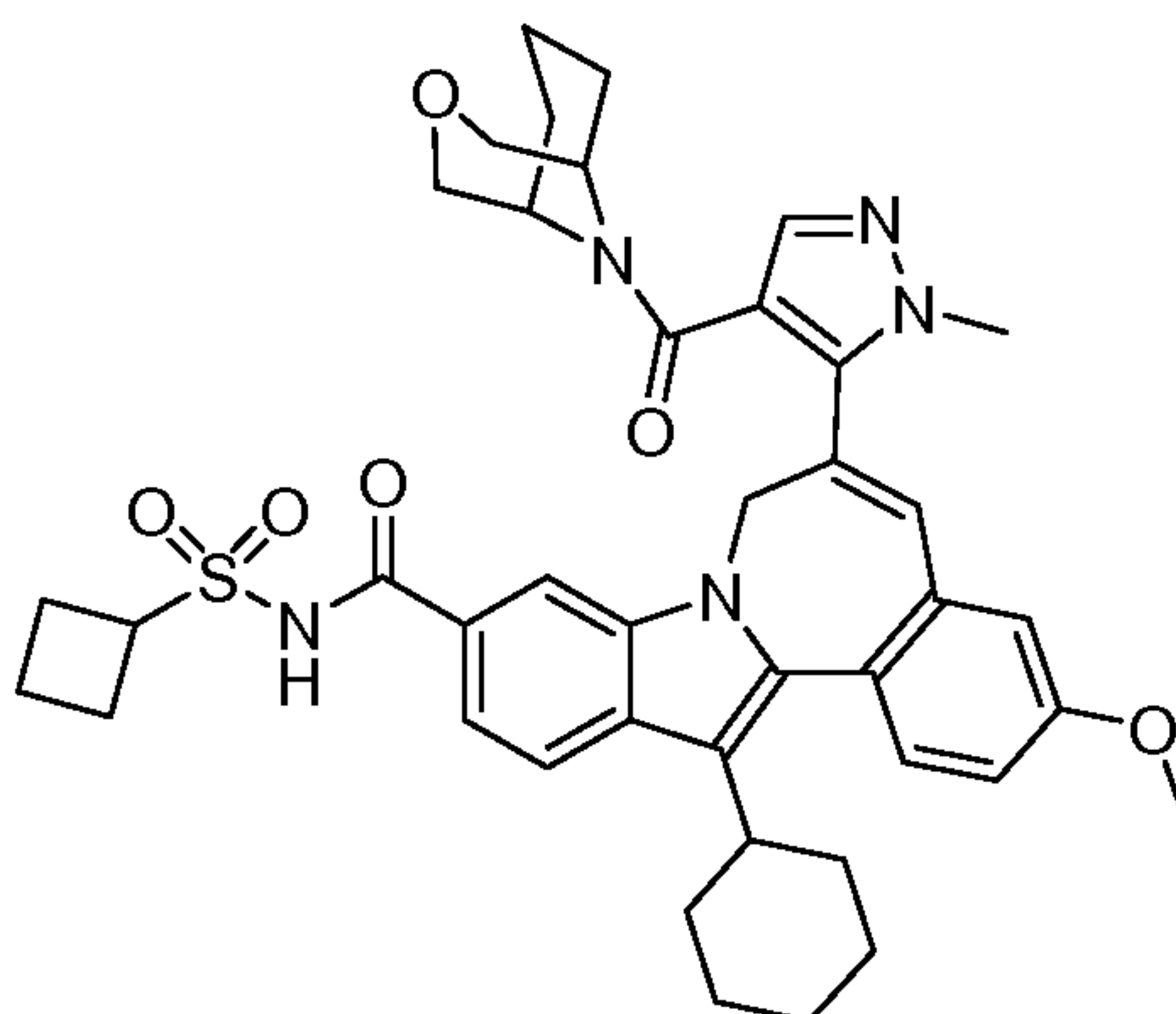
See procedure for general amide coupling. The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was solubilized by diluting to 2ml using acetonitrile and purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 90% solvent A / 10% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 20 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Retention time of product = 8.3 minutes.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.99 - 1.32 (m, 7 H) 1.32 - 1.66 (m, 3 H) 1.80 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 2 H) 1.88 - 2.13 (m, 6 H) 2.35 (s, 2 H) 2.54 (s, 2 H) 2.66 (s, 2 H) 2.92 (s, 2 H) 3.02 - 3.71 (m, 10 H) 3.80 (s, 3 H) 3.93 (s, 3 H) 4.08 (s, 1 H) 4.49 - 4.67 (m, 2 H) 4.92 (d, *J*=12.21 Hz, 1 H) 6.91 (s, 1 H) 6.97 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.11 (dd, *J*=8.39, 2.29 Hz, 1 H) 7.54 (d, *J*=8.54 Hz, 1 H) 7.56 - 7.65 (m, 2 H) 7.78 (s, 1 H) 7.92 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 9.71 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.49 min; 737 m/z (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a

gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was

5 determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(3-oxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-

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See procedure for general amide coupling.

Sample was diluted to 4ml using acetonitrile. The sample needed more than 2ml volume to completely solubilize in acetonitrile indicating lower solubility than previous run samples.

15 The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was diluted to 4ml using acetonitrile and purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5μm 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a

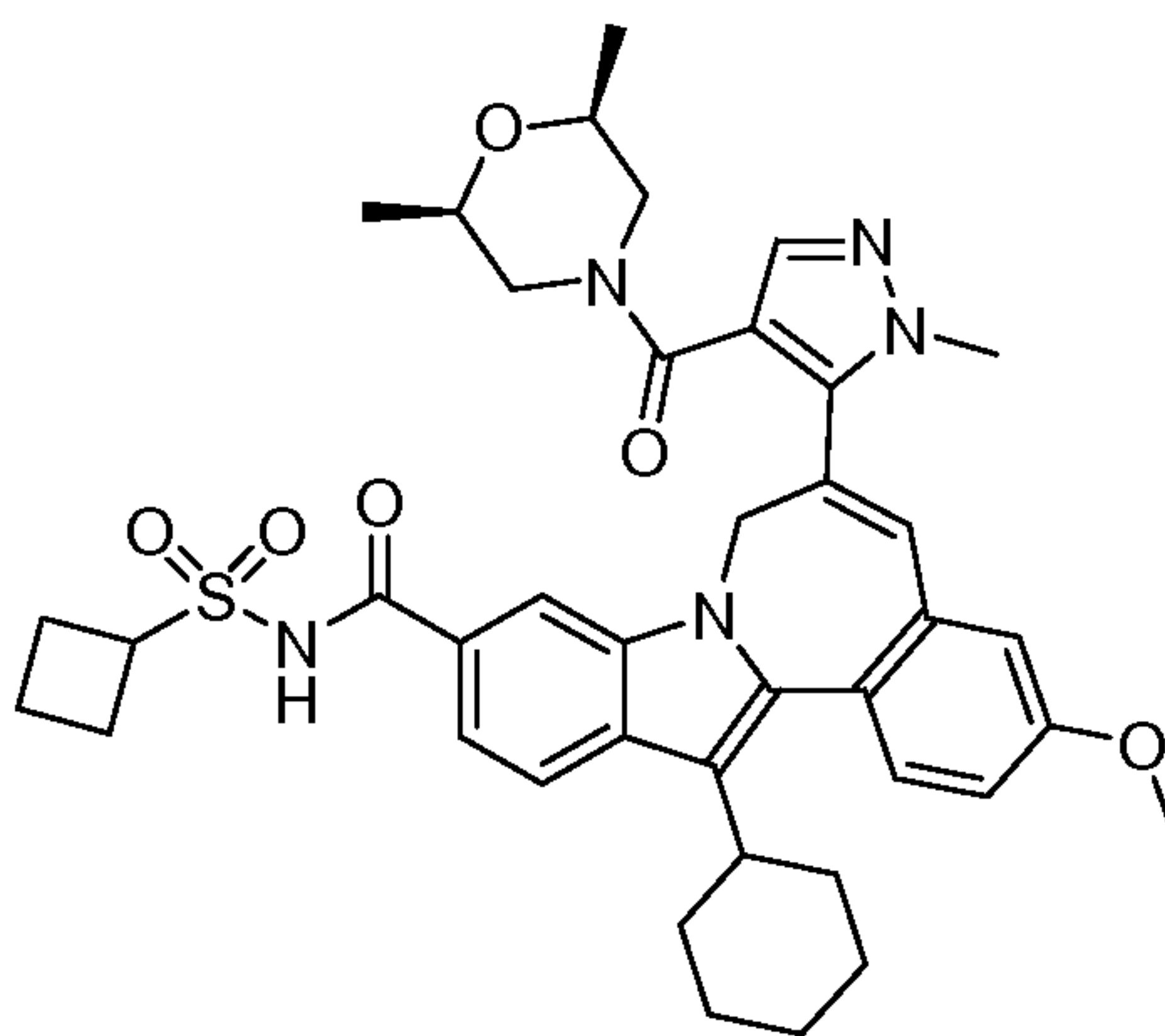
20 detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 20 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. The purification was performed as two 2ml injections.

25 Retention time of product was 13.9 minutes.

Volatiles from the product fractions were removed *in vacuo* using a speed vac overnight with heating. Weight of isolated title compound was 38.6mg.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.85 (m, 1 H) 1.21 (m, 2 H) 1.31 - 1.57 (m, 6 H) 1.77 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 3 H) 1.89 - 2.14 (m, 6 H) 2.15 - 2.24 (m, 1 H) 2.30 (d, $J=11.29$ Hz, 1 H) 2.34 - 2.43 (m, 2 H) 2.57 - 2.79 (m, 2 H) 2.86 (t, $J=10.53$ Hz, 1 H) 2.94 - 3.41 (m, 9 H) 3.51 (d, $J=14.65$ Hz, 1 H) 3.62 (d, $J=10.68$ Hz, 1 H) 3.86 (s, 1 H) 3.93 (s, 5 H) 4.51 - 4.68 (m, 2 H) 4.83 - 5.06 (m, 1 H) 6.78 - 6.89 (m, 1 H) 6.94 (d, $J=2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.08 - 7.17 (m, 1 H) 7.58 (d, $J=8.54$ Hz, 1 H) 7.63 (d, $J=7.93$ Hz, 1 H) 7.66 - 7.81 (m, 2 H) 7.90 (t, $J=9.16$ Hz, 1 H) 10.19 (s, 0.2 H) 10.44 (s, 0.7 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.62min; 736m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-

See procedure for general amide coupling.

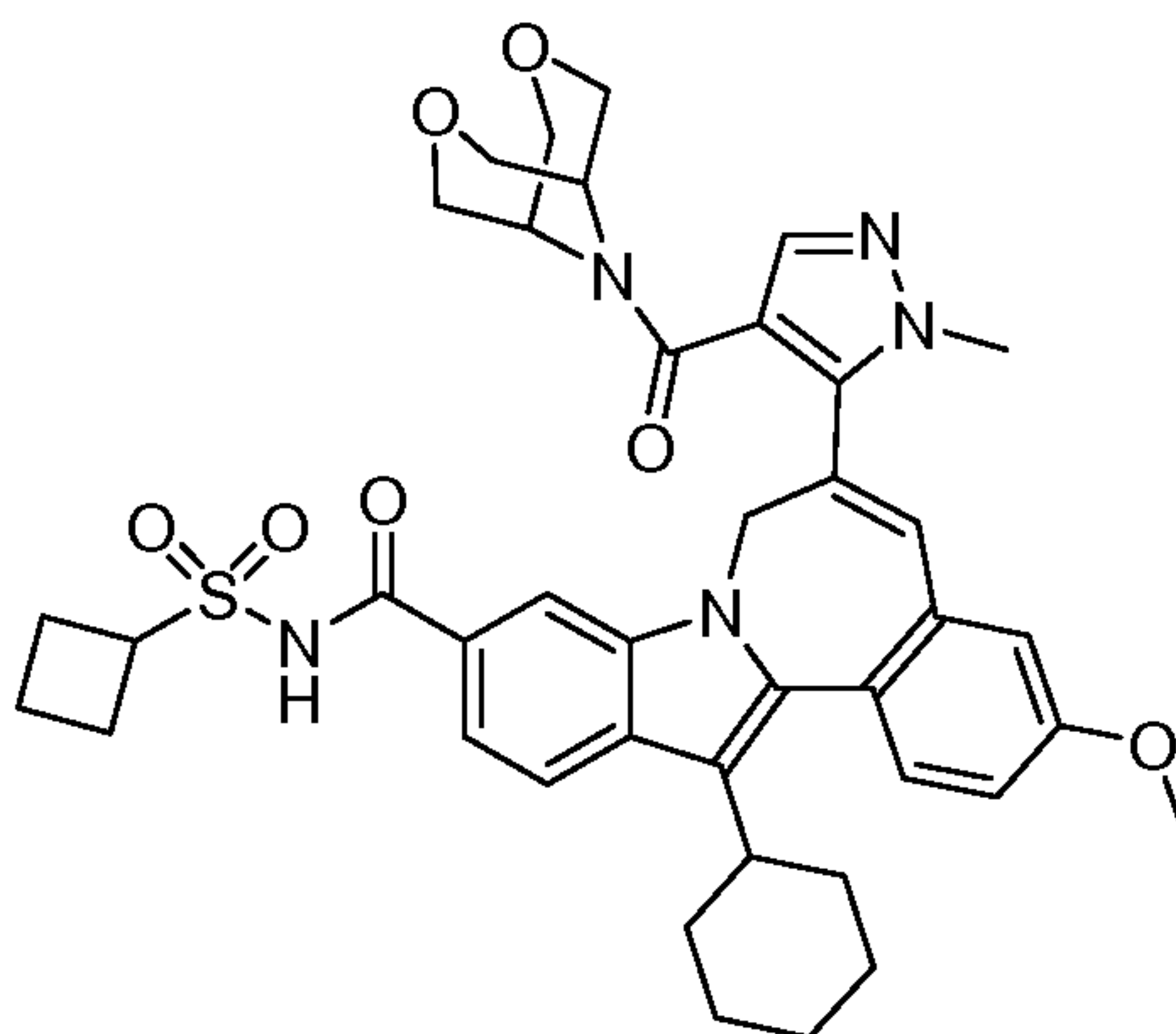
The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was diluted to 2ml using acetonitrile and purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM
5 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 25 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1%
10 TFA solvent system. Retention time of product = 13.5minutes.

Volatiles from the product fractions were removed *in vacuo* using a speed vac overnight with heating.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.68 (br.s, 3 H) 0.78 (m, 1 H) 0.81 - 0.91 (m, 1 H) 1.12 - 1.32 (m, 2 H) 1.32 - 1.50 (m, 3 H) 1.79 (d, $J=11.29$ Hz, 2 H) 1.90 - 2.01 (m, 3 H) 2.01 - 2.16 (m, 5 H) 2.18 - 2.27 (m, 1 H) 2.28 - 2.36 (m, 1 H) 2.35 - 2.46 (m, 1 H) 2.60 - 2.82 (m, 3 H) 2.83 - 3.11 (m, 5 H) 3.12 - 3.31 (m, 2 H) 3.42 (s, 1 H) 3.81 - 3.94 (m, 3 H) 3.94 (s, 3 H) 4.51 - 4.70 (m, 2 H) 4.90 (d, $J=14.34$ Hz, 1 H) 6.79 - 6.90 (m, 1 H) 6.95 (d, $J=1.83$ Hz, 1 H) 7.13 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.14$ Hz, 1 H) 7.60 (dd, $J=24.57, 8.39$ Hz, 2 H) 7.69 (d, $J=16.48$ Hz, 1 H) 7.91 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H) 10.03 (s, 0.3 H) 10.42 (s, 0.7 H).
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LC-MS retention time 1.85 min; 724m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 4 ml/min , a
25 gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 2 min, and an analysis time of 5 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(3,7-dioxo-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-

Into a 2 dram vial place 639ul of a stock solution containing 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[10-[[[(cyclobutylsulfonyl)amino]carbonyl]-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (0.639 mL, 0.072 mmol) and TBTU (0.639 mL, 0.138 mmol) which was pre-mixed for 1.25 hr at room temperature. To the reaction mixture add 239ul of a stock solution containing DMAP (0.239 mL, 0.358 mmol), then add the amine reagent 3,7-dioxo-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]nonane hydrochloride (38.0 mg, 0.229 mmol). Cap the reaction under a nitrogen atmosphere and stir at room temperature. Analysis of the reaction mixture by LCMS indicated only a trace of product present. The reaction was allowed to sit capped at room temperature for 3 days then HATU (92 mg, 0.242 mmol). The reaction was capped and stirred at room temperature overnight. LCMS indicated a complete reaction. The reaction was allowed to stir at room temperature for 2 more days (weekend).

The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The reaction was diluted to 2ml using acetonitrile and purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 25 minutes using %A=

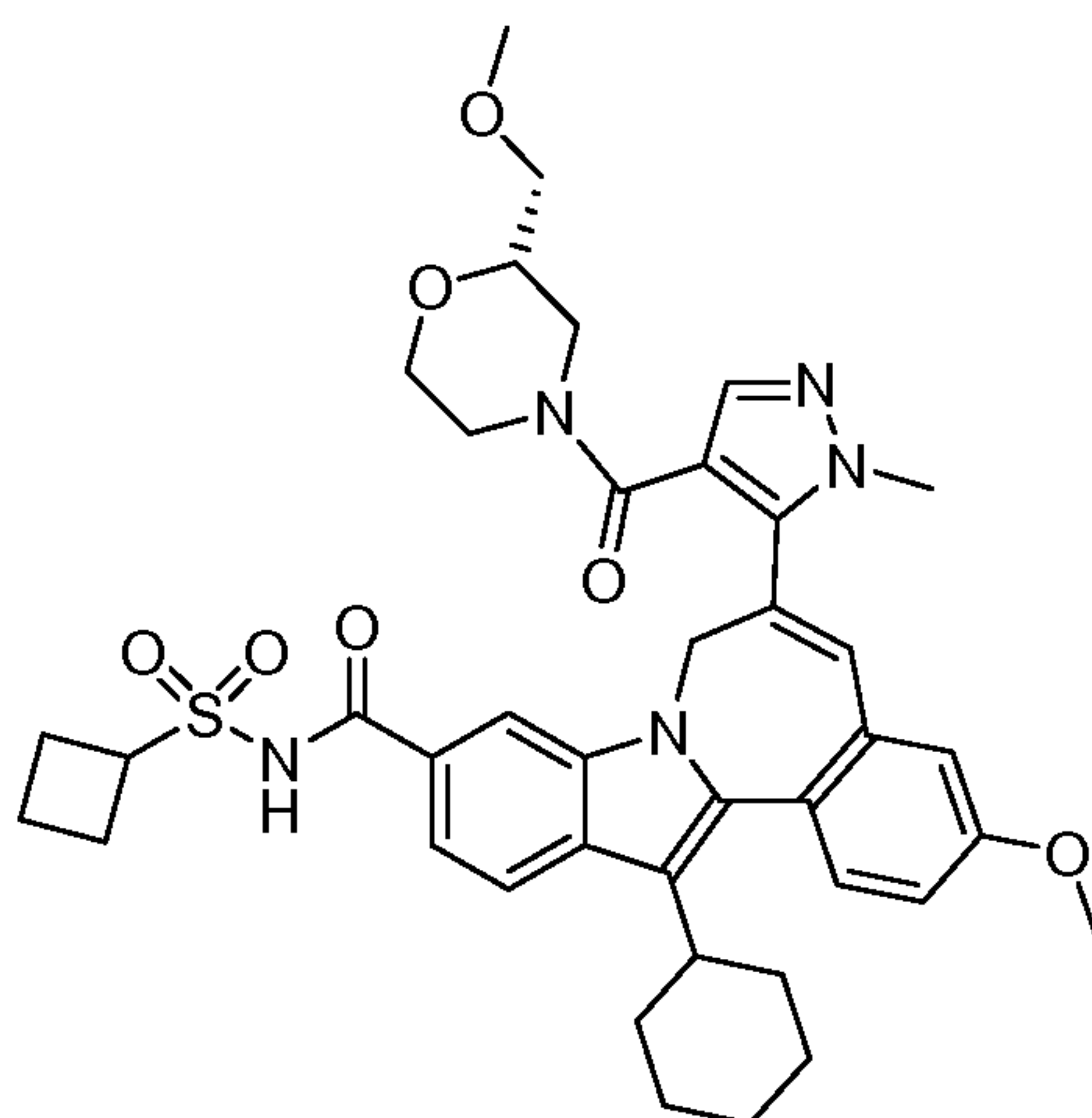
10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. The retention time of product was observed as split peaks at 10.72min and 11.03minutes. Volatiles from the product fractions were removed *in vacuo* using a speed vac overnight with heating.

5 ¹H NMR analysis of each product fraction provided identical NMR spectrums. The product fraction were combined and into a vial and dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 34.5mg (65%) of the title compound as a yellow amorphous solid.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.11 - 1.27 (m, 1 H) 1.31 -
10 1.52 (m, 3 H) 1.71 - 1.83 (m, $J=8.85$ Hz, 2 H) 1.92 - 2.15 (m, 6 H) 2.31 (s, 1 H) 2.38
(s, 1 H) 2.55 - 2.77 (m, 3 H) 2.81 - 2.91 (m, 1 H) 3.25 (s, 1 H) 3.33 (d, $J=9.46$ Hz, 1
H) 3.42 (s, 2 H) 3.55 (d, $J=10.07$ Hz, 1 H) 3.62 - 3.80 (m, 3 H) 3.89 (s, 3 H) 3.93 (s,
3 H) 4.23 (s, 3 H) 4.53 - 4.66 (m, 2 H) 4.93 (d, $J=15.26$ Hz, 1 H) 6.87 (s, 1 H) 6.95
15 (d, $J=2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.13 (dd, $J=8.54, 2.75$ Hz, 1 H) 7.58 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.61 (d,
 $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.70 (s, 1 H) 7.74 (s, 1 H) 7.93 (d, $J=8.54$ Hz, 1 H) 10.09 (s, 1 H).

 LC-MS retention time 1.50 min; 738 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a
20 gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[[[(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-

5 Into a 2 dram vial place 787ul of a stock solution containing 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[10-[[[(cyclobutylsulfonyl)amino]carbonyl]-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (0.091M) (0.787 mL, 0.072 mmol) and TBTU (0.213M) (0.787 mL, 0.168 mmol) which was pre-mixed for 1.25hr at room temperature. To the reaction mixture add DMAP (48.0 mg, 0.393
10 mmol), then add the amine reagent then add the amine reagent, in this case, (S)-2-(methoxymethyl)morpholine hydrochloride (30.4 mg, 0.181 mmol). Cap the reaction under a nitrogen atmosphere and stir at room temperature overnight. The reaction is diluted with acetonitrile and purified by reverse phase Prep HPLC.

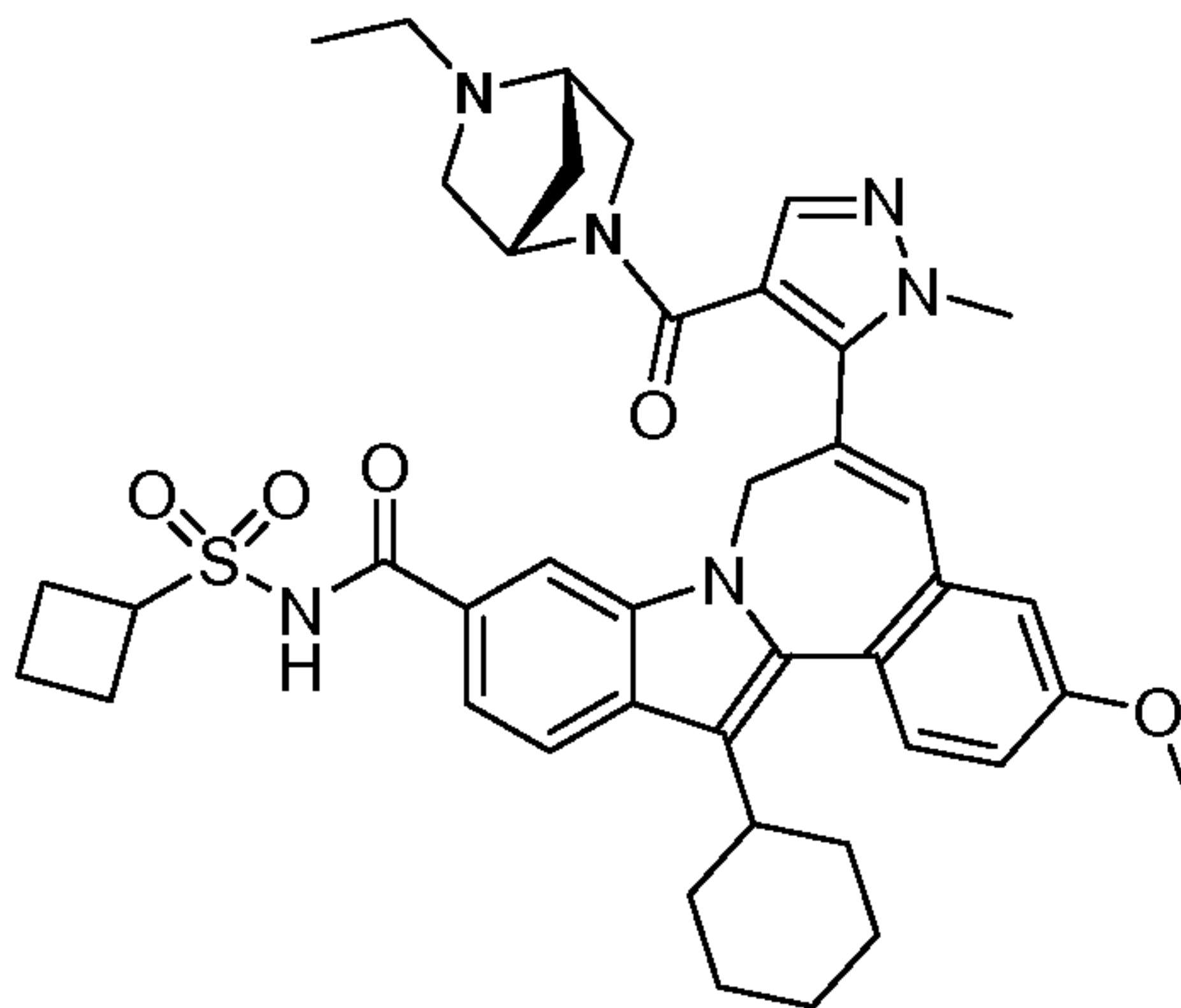
1H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.19 (m, 1 H) 1.31 - 1.54
15 (m, 3 H) 1.79 (d, $J=10.38$ Hz, 2 H) 1.90 - 2.20 (m, 7 H) 2.23 - 2.55 (m, 3 H) 2.58 - 2.82 (m, 4 H) 2.82 - 3.13 (m, 6 H) 3.11 - 3.49 (m, 5 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 3.94 (s, 3 H) 4.51 - 4.67 (m, 2 H) 4.78 - 4.96 (m, 1 H) 6.85 (s, 1 H) 6.95 (s, 1 H) 7.12 (dd, $J=8.55$, 2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.56 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.59 (d, $J=7.63$ Hz, 1 H) 7.63 - 7.74 (m, 2 H) 7.90 (t, $J=9.00$ Hz, 1 H) 10.09 (s, 0.3 H) 10.41 (s, 0.6 H).

20 LC-MS retention time 1.62 min; 740 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a

gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 2 min, and an analysis time of 5 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

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The following examples can be prepared in an analogous fashion.



10 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[[(1S,4S)-5-ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-*

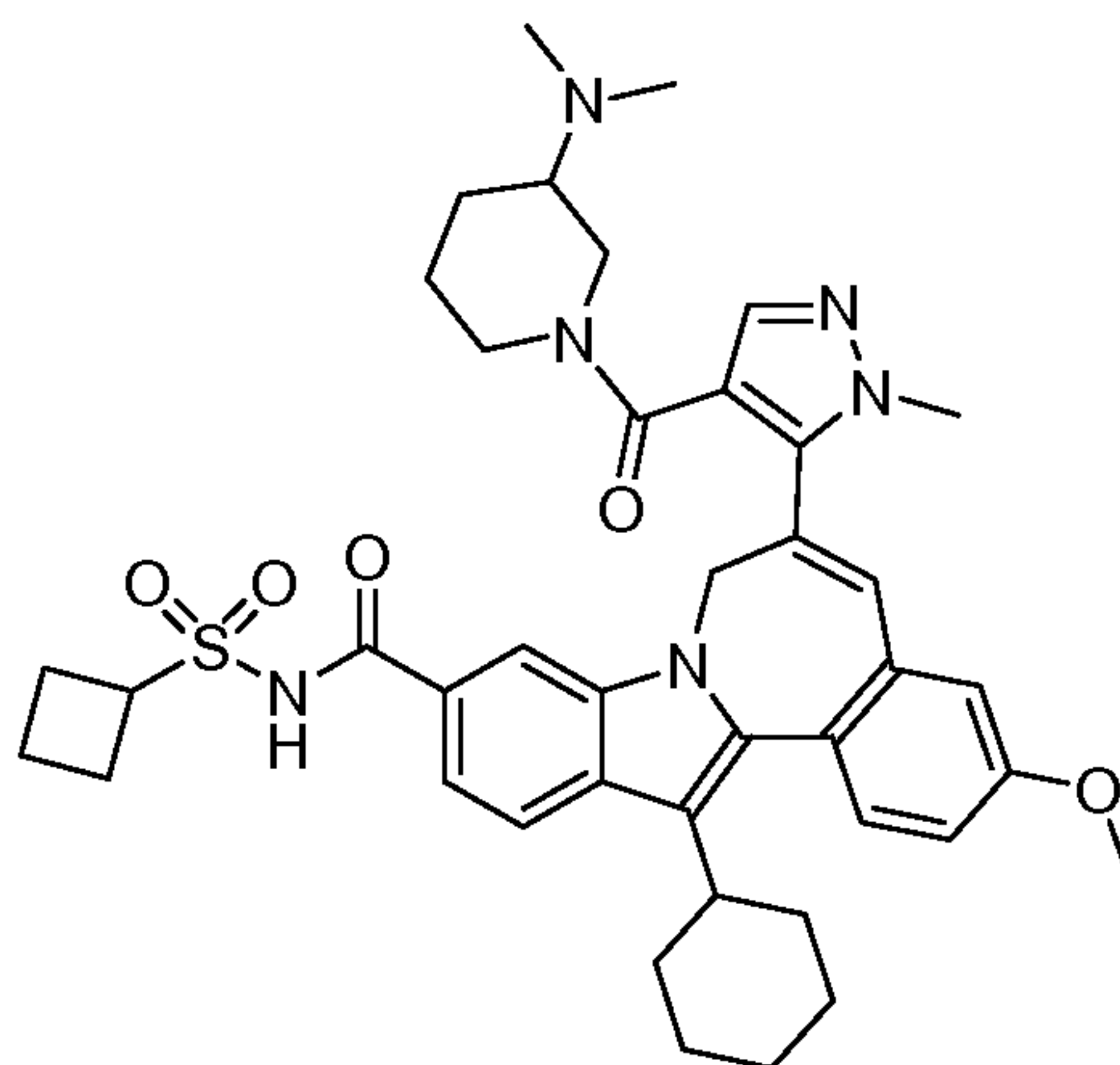
HPLC Method: The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The reaction mixture was diluted to 2ml using acetonitrile and purified using a Waters Sunfire
15 Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 20
20 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. The product retention time is 5.71minutes. Volatiles from the product fractions were removed *in vacuo* using a speed vac with a medium heat setting.

The proton NMR of this sample exhibited characteristics of rotomers.

25 ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.49 (s, 0.3 H) 0.96 - 1.29 (m, 2.2 H) 1.30 - 1.59 (m, 3.3 H) 1.79 (d, *J*=11.60 Hz, 1.8 H) 1.86 - 2.17 (m, 3.8 H)

2.19 - 2.46 (m, 2.1 H) 2.49 - 3.74 (m, 6.4 H) 3.76 - 4.21 (m, 5.1 H) 4.24 - 4.39 (m, 0.8 H) 4.43 - 4.70 (m, 1.4 H) 4.73 - 5.07 (m, 1.0 H) 5.23 (s, 0.1 H) 6.73 (d, $J=29.30$ Hz, 0.4 H) 6.88 - 7.00 (m, 0.8 H) 7.04-7.13 (m, 0.7 H) 7.44 - 7.60 (m, 0.9 H) 7.58 - 7.96 (m, 2.0 H) 8.19 (s, 0.1 H) 10.43 (d, $J=81.79$ Hz, 0.4 H) 11.20 (d, $J=87.28$ Hz, 0.5 H) 12.46 (s, 0.6 H)

LC-MS retention time 1.60 min; 737 m/z (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[3-(dimethylamino)-1-piperidinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-

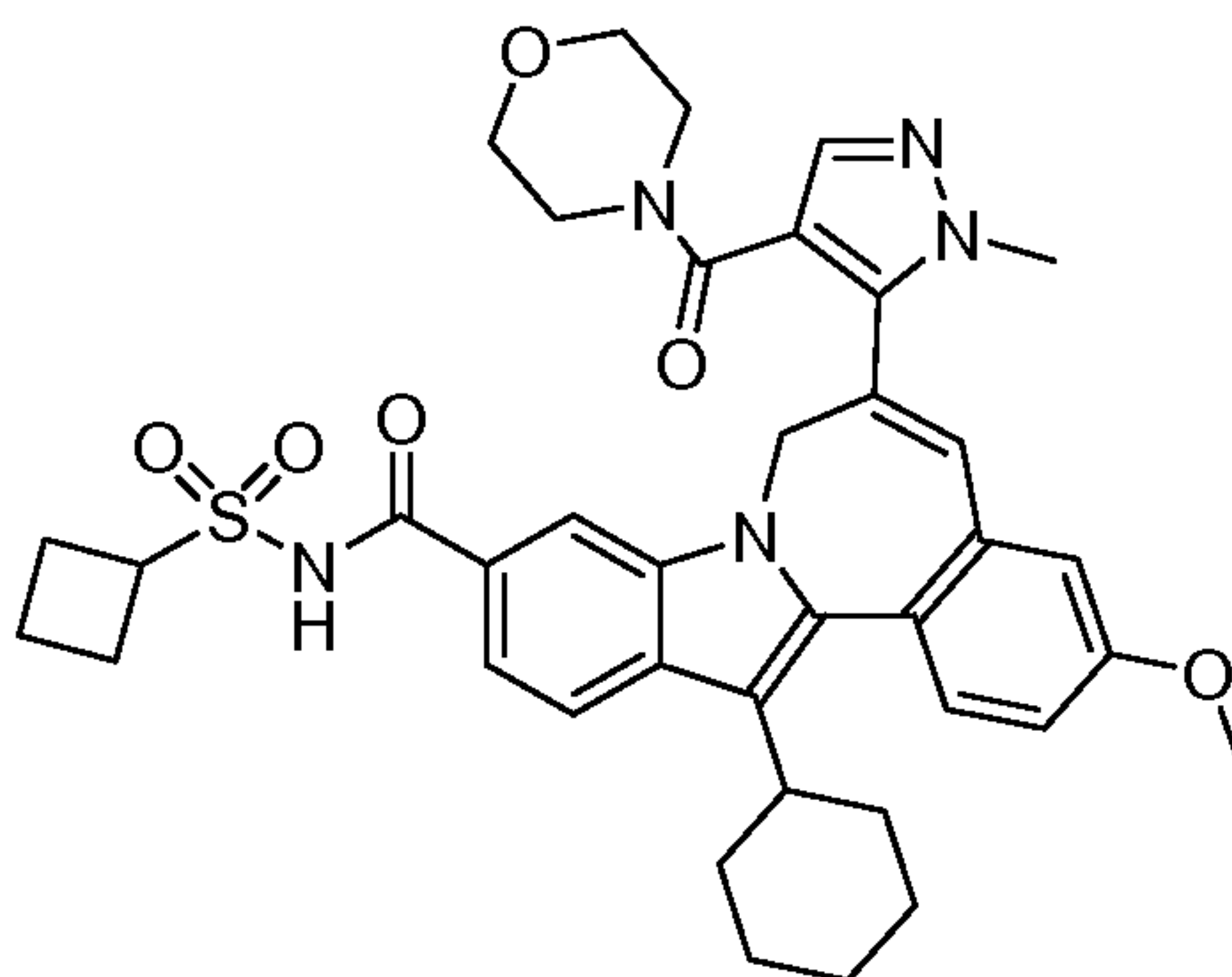
HPLC Method: The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The reaction was diluted to 4ml using acetonitrile with a very small amount of methanol and purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm.

The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 20 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. The retention time of product was 5.37minutes. The compound was purified as two 2ml injections.

Peaks in proton NMR spectra are generally broad, characteristic of restricted rotation in molecule.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.13 - 1.32 (m, 2 H) 1.32 - 1.59 (m, 5 H) 1.79 (s, 3 H) 1.89 - 2.18 (m, 7 H) 2.36 (s, 2 H) 2.48 - 2.76 (m, 8 H) 2.88 (s, 1 H) 3.51 (s, 1 H) 3.60 - 3.91 (m, 7 H) 3.93 (s, 3 H) 4.24 (s, 0.6 H) 4.47 - 4.68 (m, 2 H) 4.84 (d, $J=13.43$ Hz, 1 H) 6.86 - 6.98 (m, 1 H) 7.07 - 7.17 (m, 1 H) 7.53 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.58 - 7.84 (m, 2 H) 7.93 (d, $J=7.93$ Hz, 1 H) 10.07 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.56 min; 739m/z (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



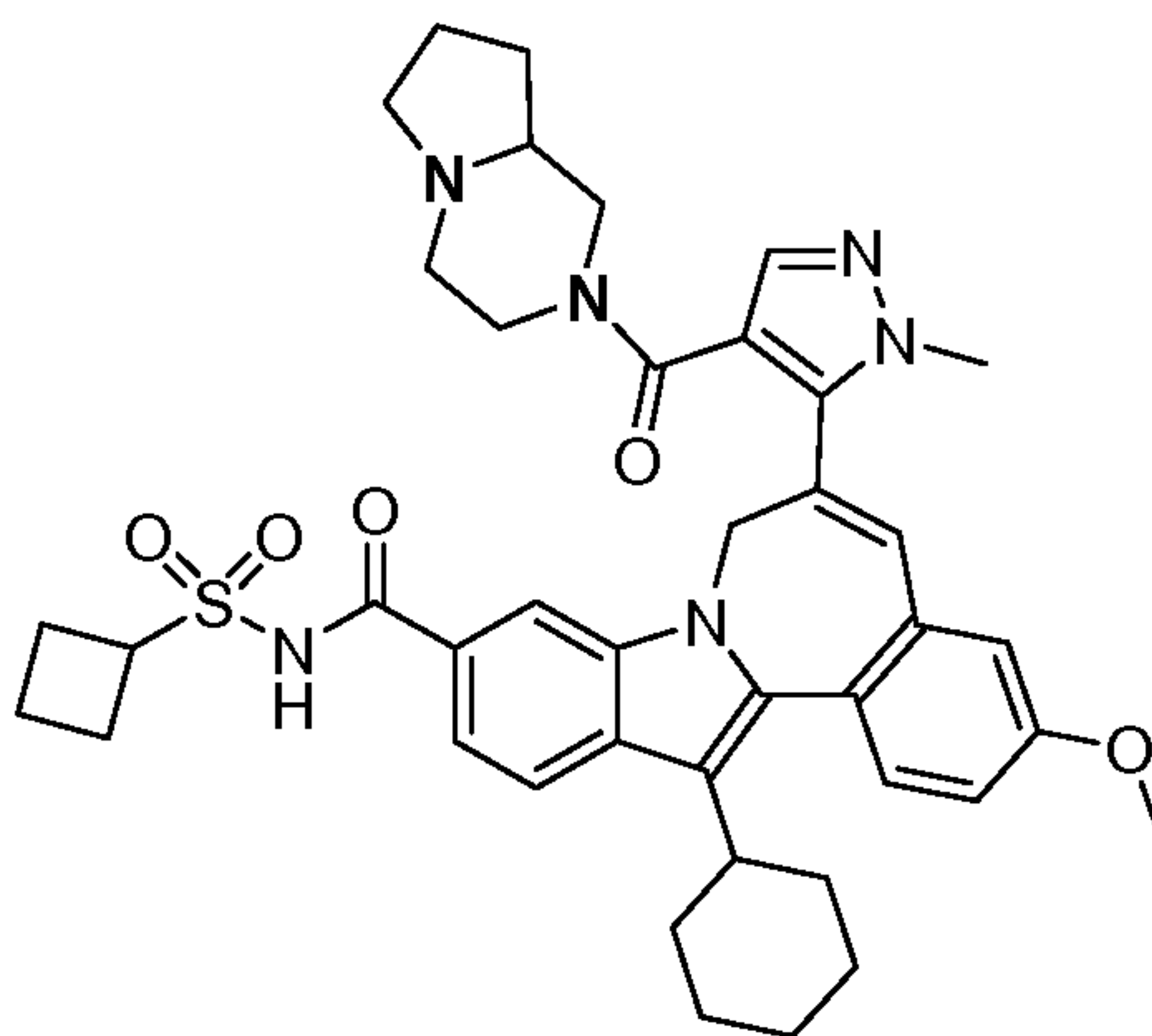
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-

HPLC Method: The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The reaction mixture was diluted to 4 ml using acetonitrile and purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 50% solvent A / 50% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 20 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. The compound was purified as two 2ml injections.

Volatiles from the product fractions were removed *in vacuo* using a speed vac overnight with heating. The product fractions were combined using dichloromethane and solvent removed in *vacuo* to give 35.4mg (71%) of the title compound as a yellow amorphous solid.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.22 (m, 1 H) 1.33 - 1.55 (m, 3 H) 1.79 (d, *J*=10.68 Hz, 2 H) 1.91 - 2.21 (m, 7 H) 2.37 (d, *J*=29.60 Hz, 3 H) 2.56 - 2.79 (m, 4 H) 2.78 - 2.96 (m, 4 H) 3.12 (s, 3 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 3.94 (s, 3 H) 4.53 - 4.65 (m, 2 H) 4.89 (d, *J*=14.95 Hz, 1 H) 6.86 (s, 1 H) 6.95 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.12 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.57 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 1 H) 7.59 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.67 (s, 1 H) 7.69 (s, 1 H) 7.93 (d, *J*=8.54 Hz, 1 H) 10.24 (s, 1 H).

LCMS for 74814-024-a: LC-MS retention time 1.61min;696 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(hexahydropyrrolo[1,2-a]pyrazin-2(1H)-yl)carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-

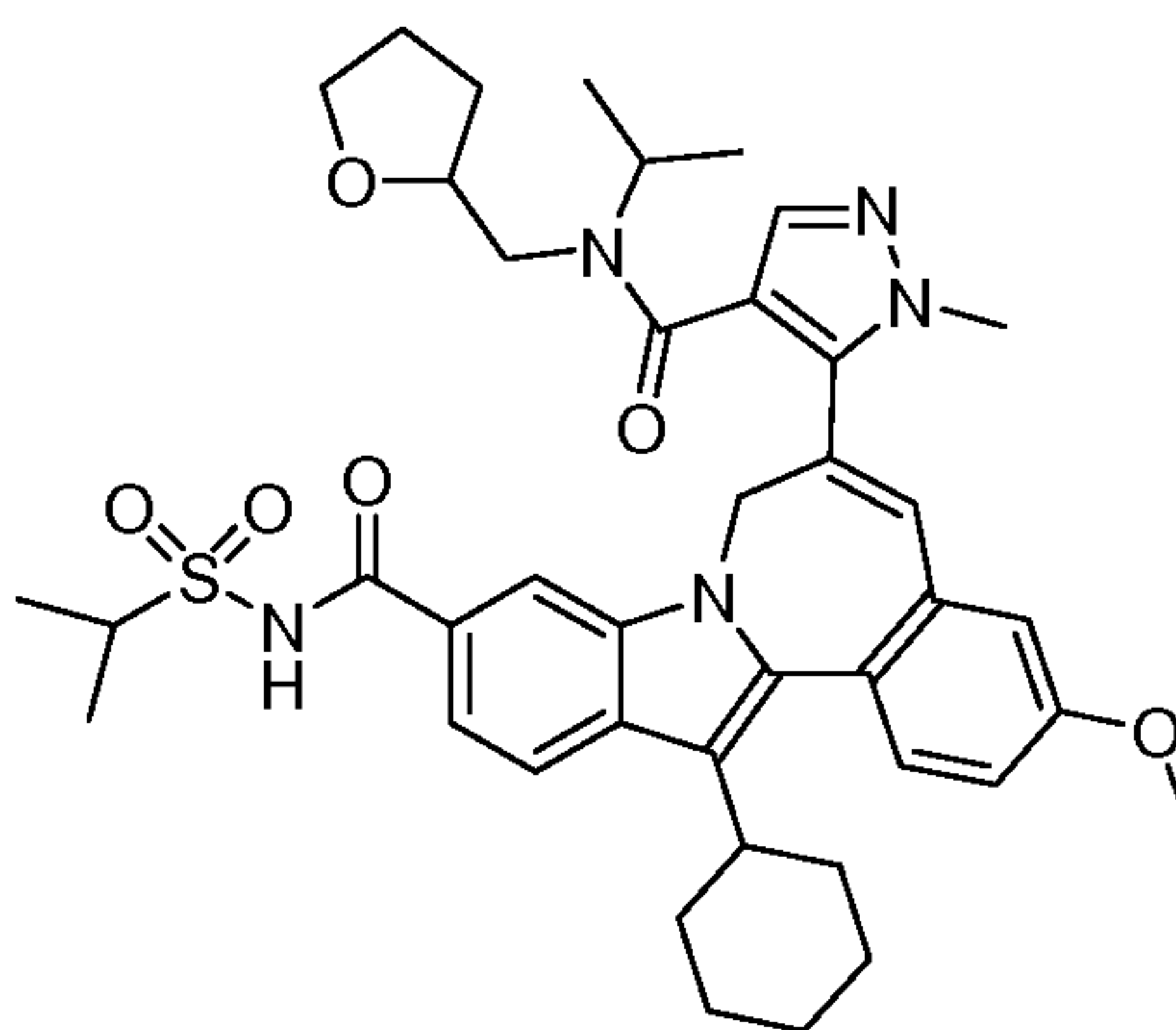
5 HPLC Method: The sample was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The reaction was diluted to 4ml using acetonitrile and a trace of methanol and in purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a
10 SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 25 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Retention time of product =
15 5.72minutes.

The compound was purified as two 2ml injections. Volatiles were removed from the product fractions *in vacuo* overnight using a speed-vac set at medium heating.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.24 (s, 1 H) 1.30 - 1.45 (m, 2 H) 1.31 - 1.45 (m, 2 H) 1.58 (none, 2 H) 1.78 (s, 4 H) 1.88 - 2.24 (m, 9 H) 2.34 (s, 2 H) 2.65 (s, 3 H) 2.74 - 3.18 (m, 3 H) 3.18 - 3.87 (m, 9 H) 3.89 - 3.96 (m, 3 H) 3.96 - 4.35 (m, 3 H) 4.45 - 4.68 (m, 2 H) 4.76 - 5.00 (m, 1 H) 6.80 - 6.95 (m, 1 H) 6.96 (s, 1 H) 7.05 - 7.15 (m, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.47 - 7.68 (m, 3 H) 7.68 - 7.81 (m, 1 H) 7.88 (s, 1 H) 9.94 (s, 1 H) 12.54 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.61 min; 735 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a
 5 gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

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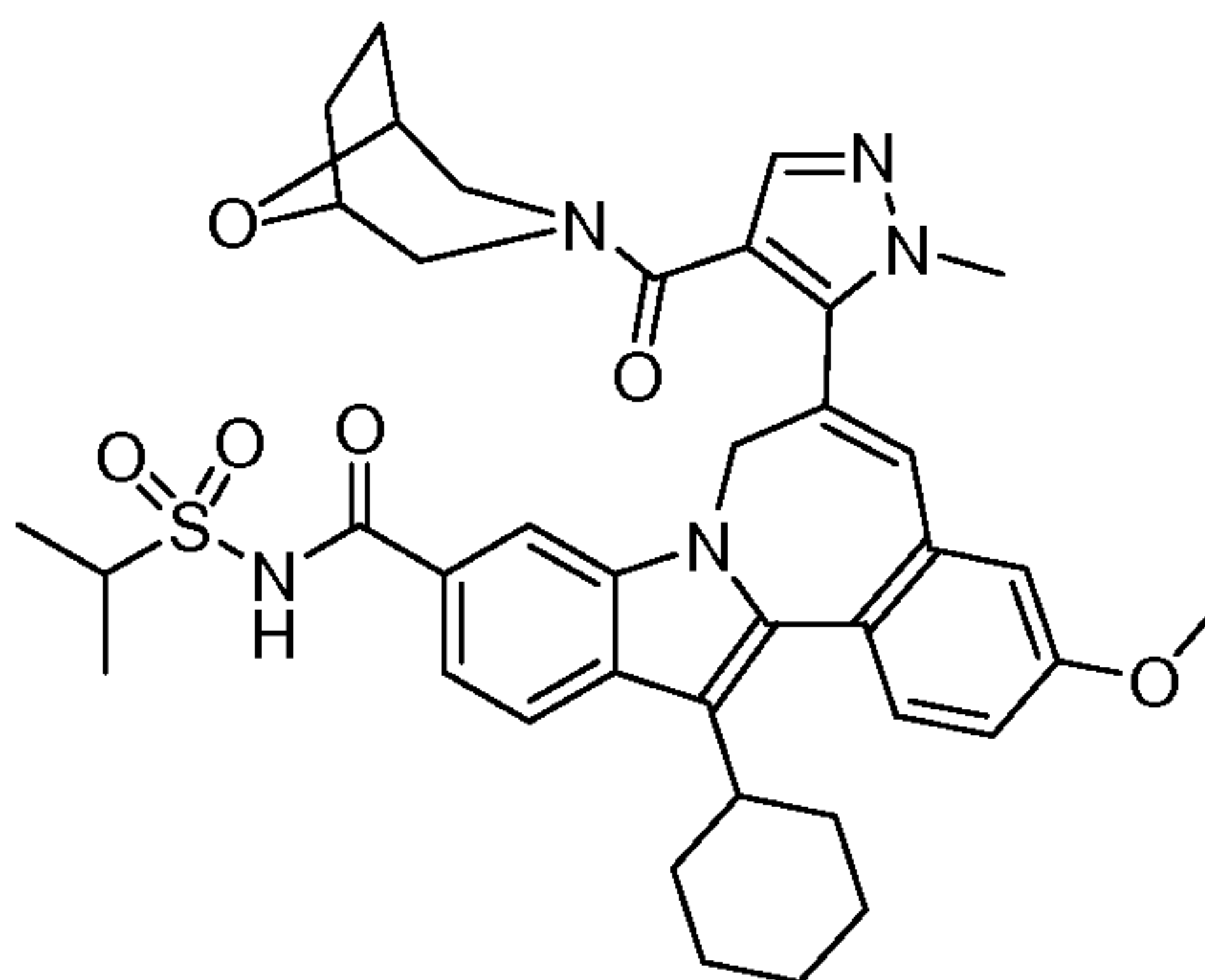
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[(1-methylethyl)[(tetrahydro-2-furanyl)methyl]amino]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-

15 In a 2 dram vial, 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (51.1mg, 0.083 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (829 μ l) and HATU (66.3 mg, 0.174 mmol) was added to the reaction. The reaction was stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere for 1.2 hours at room temperature. DMAP (41.5
 20 mg, 0.340 mmol) was added to the reaction and stirred until dissolved then the amine reagent, Isopropyl-(tetrahydro-furan-2-ylmethyl)-amine (36 μ l, 0.251 mmol), was added and the reaction capped under nitrogen and stirred at room temperature for 17 hours. Note-assume density of amine reagent is 1g/cc, important aspect is not exact stoichiometry but excess amine present. The product was purified on a Shimadzu
 25 high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction

collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF (1:1) (2ml) and purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 25 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Retention time of product is 13.3minutes. Take product fraction and remove volatiles *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator. The title compound was isolated (47.4mg, 77%) as an amorphous yellow solid. Proton NMR spectra exhibits characteristics of restricted rotation (broad and rotomeric peaks).

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.61 (s, 1.6 H) 0.80 - 1.11 (m, 5.1 H) 1.23 (s, 2.7 H) 1.31 - 1.57 (m, 10.7 H) 1.76 (s, 4.0 H) 1.87 - 2.13 (m, 5.9 H) 2.20 (s, 2.4 H) 2.38 - 2.75 (m, 0.7 H) 2.78 - 2.92 (m, 1.2 H) 3.06-3.25 (m, 1.3 H) 3.37 - 3.82 (m, 6.9 H) 3.91 (s, 3.9 H) 3.97 - 4.27 (m, 2.0 H) 4.56 (d, *J*=12.82 Hz, 0.9 H) 4.93 - 5.23 (m, 0.9 H) 6.87 (s, 1.0 H) 6.94 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1.0 H) 7.07 (d, *J*=7.93 Hz, 1.0 H) 7.51 (d, *J*=7.93 Hz, 1.1 H) 7.57 (s, 2.2 H) 7.81 - 8.01 (m, 2.1 H) 9.48 - 9.81 (m, 0.6 H) 9.98 (s, 0.5 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.76 min; 740 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Waters Xterra MS 7u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



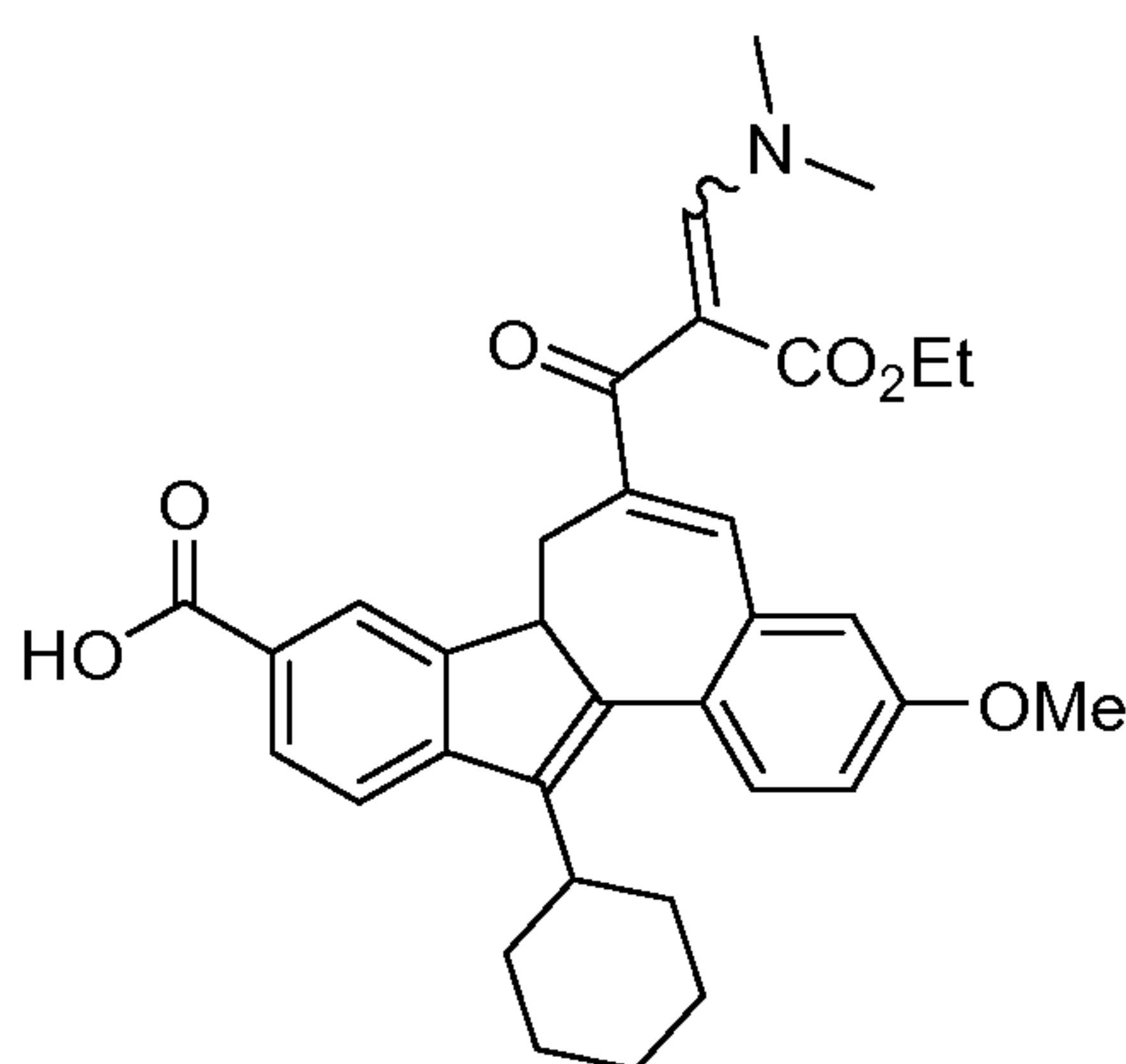
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
 N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-(8-oxa-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-3-
 5 ylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-

In a 2 dram vial, 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl- (50.8 mg, 0.082 mmol) was dissolved in DMF(824 μ L) and HATU (72.2mg, 0.190 mmol) was added and the reaction stirred under a
 10 nitrogen atmosphere for 1 hour at room temperature. DMAP (41.8mg, 0.342 mmol) was added to the reaction and stirred until dissolved then the amine reagent, 8-oxa-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane hydrochloride (30.6 mg, 0.205 mmol). The reaction capped under nitrogen and stirred at room temperature overnight. The product was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery
 15 VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The reaction was acidified with aqueous acetic acid then diluted to 2ml with acetonitrile and filtered using a 0.45 μ m syringe filter. The filtrate was purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5 μ m 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of
 20 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 20 minutes with a run time of 25 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. The product was collected as a single fraction from 13.99 to 14.70minutes. Volatiles
 25 from the product fraction were removed *in vacuo* using a speed vac at medium heat setting.

The title compound was isolated (46.0mg, 78% yield) as a yellow amorphous solid.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.26 - 1.05 (m, 1.2 H) 1.14 - 1.32 (m, 1.9 H) 1.33 - 1.45 (m, 2.3 H) 1.49 (dd, J =14.04, 6.71 Hz, 7.1 H) 1.53 - 1.72 (m, 3.4 H) 1.79 (d, J =9.77 Hz, 2.2 H) 1.97 (d, J =10.99 Hz, 1.2 H) 2.02 - 2.15 (m, 3.1 H) 2.27 (d, J =11.29 Hz, 0.7 H) 2.86 (t, J =11.60 Hz, 1.6 H) 3.02 (d, J =8.85 Hz, 1.5 H) 3.16 (s, 3.9 H) 3.32 (d, J =11.60 Hz, 1.1 H) 3.73 - 3.87 (m, 2.1 H) 3.90 (s, 2.8 H) 3.92 - 3.97 (m, 3.4 H) 4.00 - 4.11 (m, 1.4 H) 4.59 (d, J =15.26 Hz, 1.0 H) 4.86 (d, J =14.34 Hz, 0.8 H) 5.04 (s, 0.3 H) 6.86 (s, 1.0 H) 6.95 (s, 1.0 H) 7.11 (dd, J =8.55, 2.44 Hz, 1.0 H) 7.54 (d, J =8.85 Hz, 1.2 H) 7.57 - 7.77 (m, 2.7 H) 7.80 - 8.02 (m, 1.3 H) 9.74 (s, 0.2 H) 10.11 (s, 0.7 H).

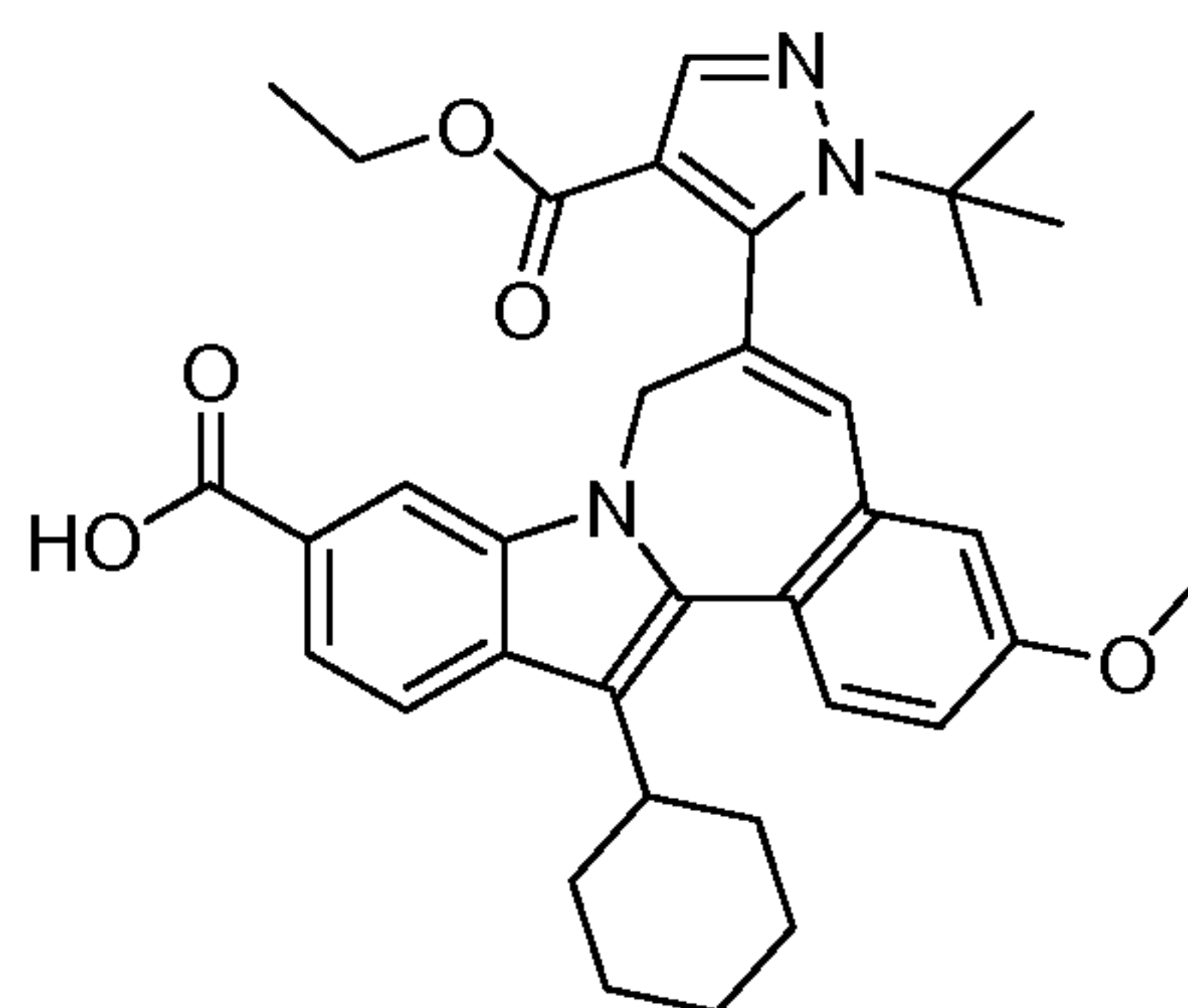
LC-MS retention time 1.61min; 710 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



13-cyclohexyl-6-((2E,Z)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-(ethoxycarbonyl)-2-propenoyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid

In a 50ml round bottom flask dissolve tert-butyl 13-cyclohexyl-6-((2E,Z)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-(ethoxycarbonyl)-2-propenoyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate (538mg, 0.879 mmol) in 1,2-dichloroethane (5mL) then add TFA (5 mL). The reaction mixture turned a darker reddish color upon addition of TFA. Place the reaction under a nitrogen atmosphere and stir at room temperature for 2.25hrs. Remove volatiles *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator, dissolve oily red residue in dichloromethane/benzene and remove volatiles *in vacuo* on rotary evaporator. Take resulting red oil dissolve in ethyl acetate wash with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid. The aqueous layer was back extracted with ethyl acetate. The organic layers were combined and sequentially washed with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid and brine. The organic layer was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and the solvents removed *in vacuo* to give a reddish-orange oil which was dissolved in benzene and volatiles removed *in vacuo* to yield 519mg of the title compound a red-orange foam. The compound was used without further purification.

LC-MS retention time 1.86 min; 555 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-

7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[(2E,Z)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-oxo-2-propenyl]-3-methoxy- (101 mg, 0.181 mmol) was dissolved in ethanol (726 μ L) and dioxane (181 μ L). Triethyl amine (59 μ L, 0.423 mmol) was added to the reaction followed by the hydrazine reagent, tert-butylhydrazine hydrochloride (23.6 mg, 0.189 mmol). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and heated in a microwave to 160C for 45minutes. The reaction was concentrated *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator and the residue was dissolved in ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid then brine. The organic layer was dried over magnesium sulfate, filtered and volatiles removed *in vacuo* to give 91mg of a yellow amorphous solid. The product was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF mixture purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 20 minutes with a run time of 30 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system.

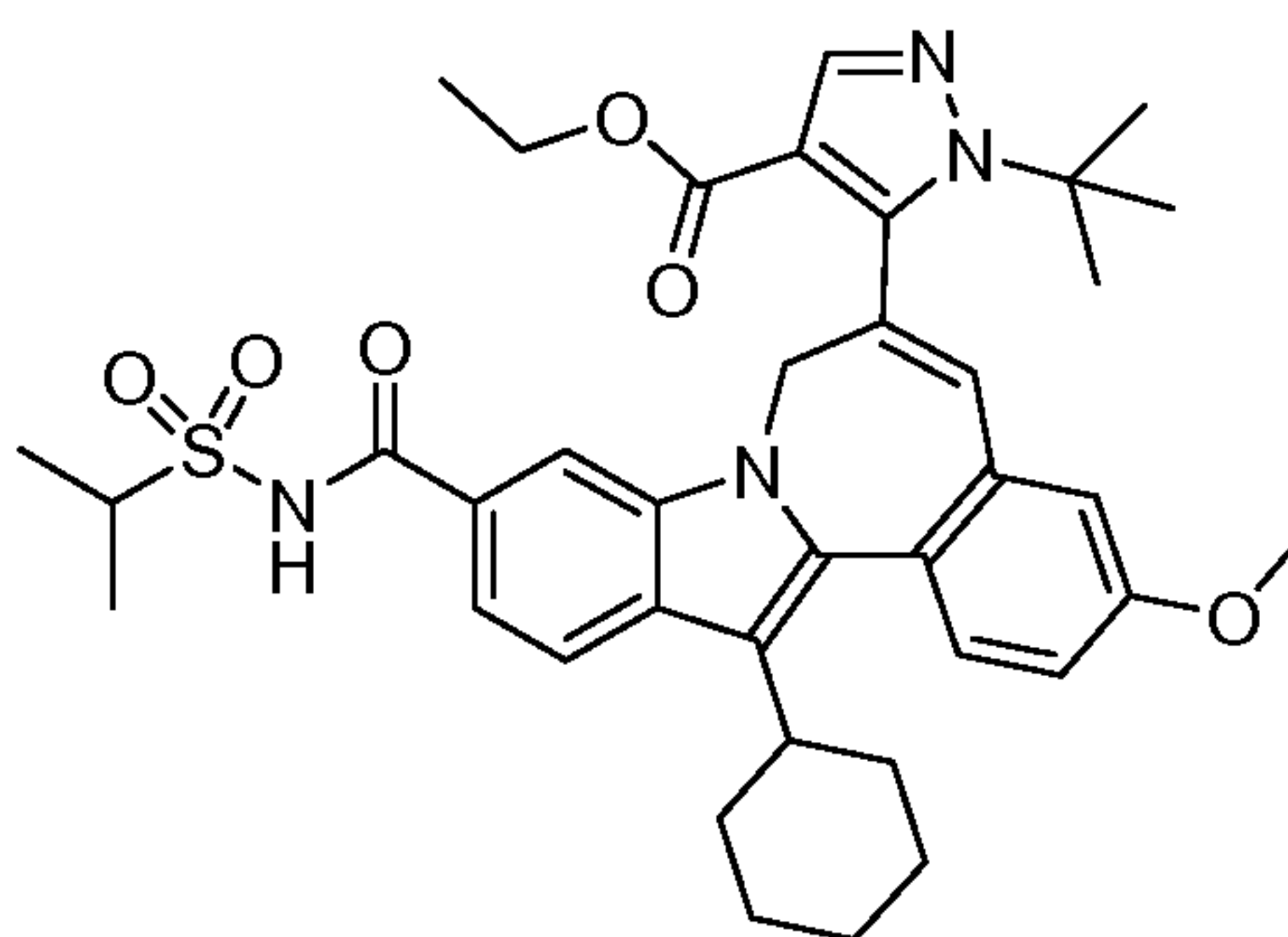
The above isomeric major product retention time was 18.54minutes. The minor region-isomeric alkylated pyrazole was collected with retention time of 20.54minutes.

The volatiles were removed from product fractions *in vacuo* to obtain 29.8mg of the title compound as a yellow amorphous solid.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.09 (s, 9 H) 1.18 - 1.56 (m, 8 H) 1.63 (d, 1 H) 1.78 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 2 H) 1.88 - 2.22 (m, 5 H) 2.89 (t, *J*=11.75 Hz, 1 H) 3.89 (s, 3 H) 4.27 (s, 2 H) 4.84 (d, *J*=14.65 Hz, 1 H) 4.96 (d, *J*=14.95 Hz, 1 H) 6.81 (s, 1 H) 6.90 (d, *J*=2.14 Hz, 1 H) 7.05 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.52 (d, *J*=8.54

Hz, 1 H) 7.76 (dd, $J=8.55$, 1.22 Hz, 1 H) 7.88 (d, $J=8.55$ Hz, 1 H) 7.92 (s, 1 H) 8.01 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 2.20 min; 580 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u
 5 C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B
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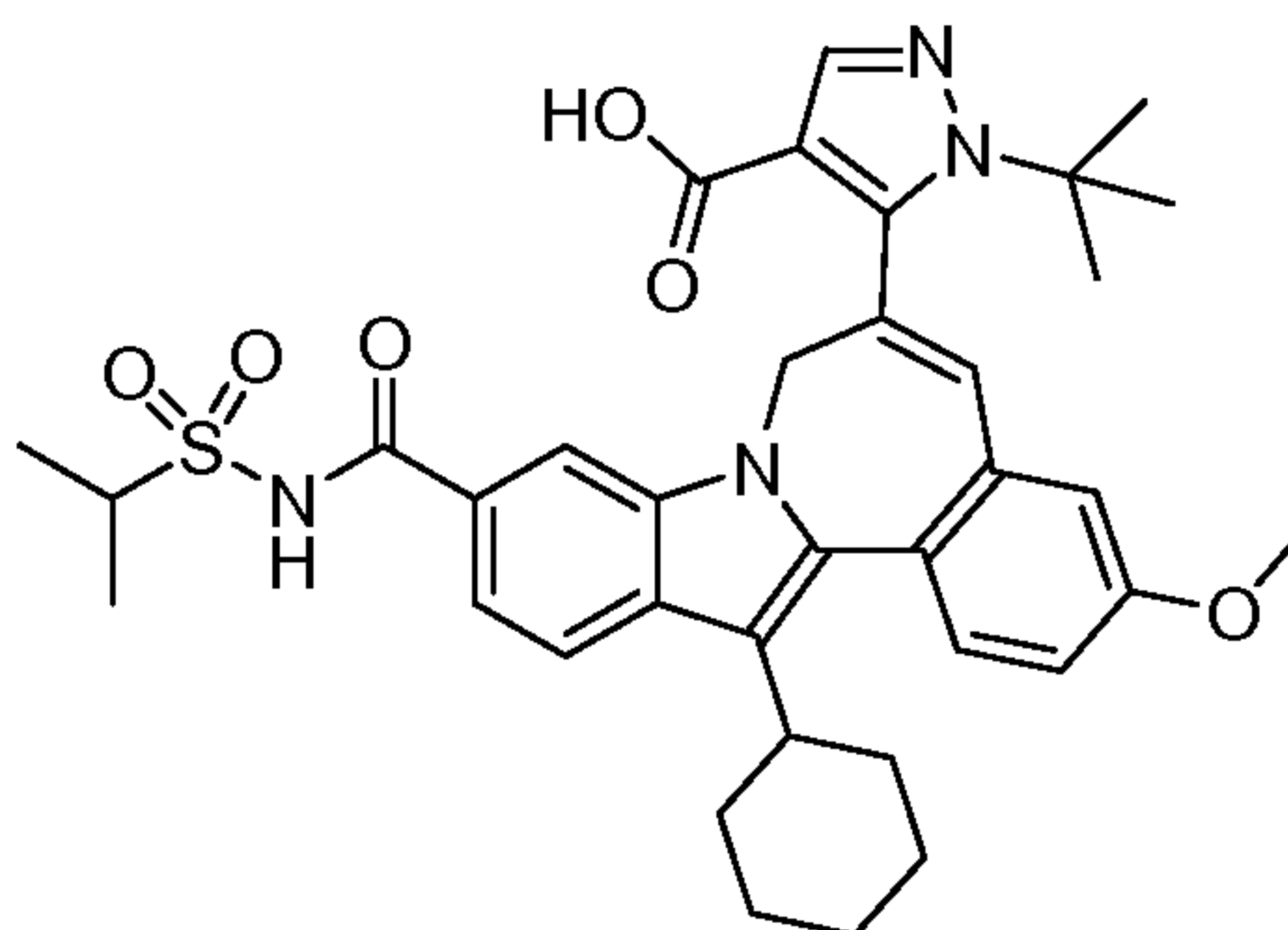
15 *1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-, ethyl ester*

In a 2 dram vial, 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy- (139mg, 0.239 mmol) was dissolved in dichloromethane (2.4ml) and
 20 propane-2-sulfonamide (98 mg, 0.796 mmol) and DMAP (90 mg, 0.737 mmol) were added to the reaction followed by EDC (70.3 mg, 0.367 mmol). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 18hrs. The reaction was monitored by HPLC then allowed to continue stirring under a nitrogen
 25 atmosphere at room temperature for 24hrs.

Subsequent HPLC analysis revealed no discernable change in reaction composition over the last 24hrs. Volatiles were removed from the reaction in vacuo using a rotary evaporator and the reaction residue was diluted with ethyl acetate and

washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid, 0.1M aqueous NaH₂PO₄ and 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid then brine. The organic phase was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and solvent removed *in vacuo*. The product was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to give 165mg of product as an amorphous yellow solid. The product was used without any further purification.

LC-MS retention time 2.03min; 685m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



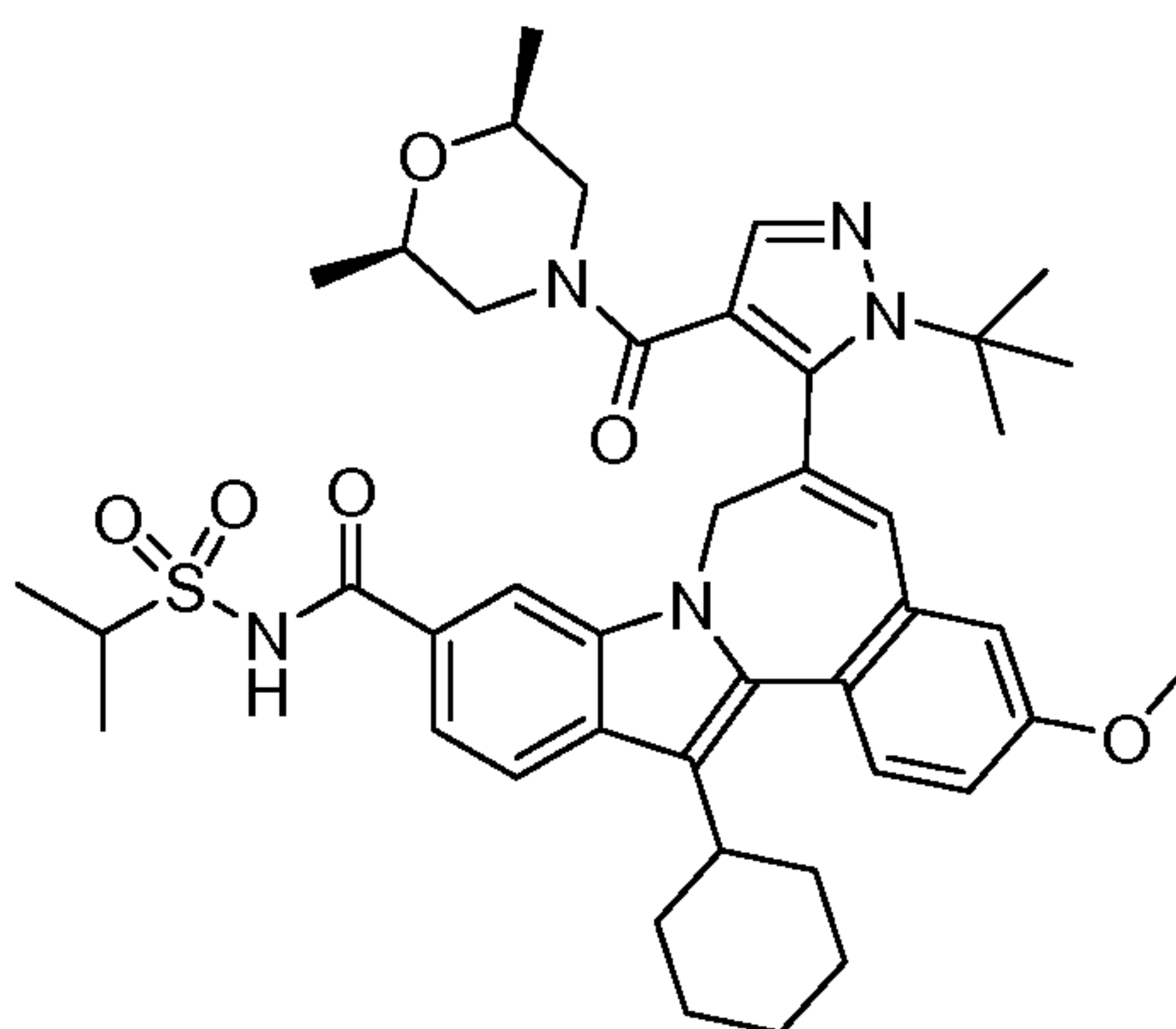
1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-

1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-, ethyl ester (164 mg, 0.239 mmol) was dissolved in THF (3 mL) and methanol (3.00 mL) then 1.0 N aqueous sodium hydroxide (3.00 mL) was added to the reaction and the reaction was placed under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 25hrs. The reaction was concentrated in *vacuo* using a rotary evaporator without heating then partitioned between ethyl acetate and 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid. Wash ethyl acetate with 1N aqueous hydrochloric acid, combine

aqueous layers and back extract with ethyl acetate. The organic layers were combined and wash with brine, dry over magnesium sulfate and solvent removed *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator. The product was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to give 158.4mg as a yellow amorphous solid. The product was carried
 5 on without any further purification.

LC-MS retention time 1.54min; 657 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a
 10 gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

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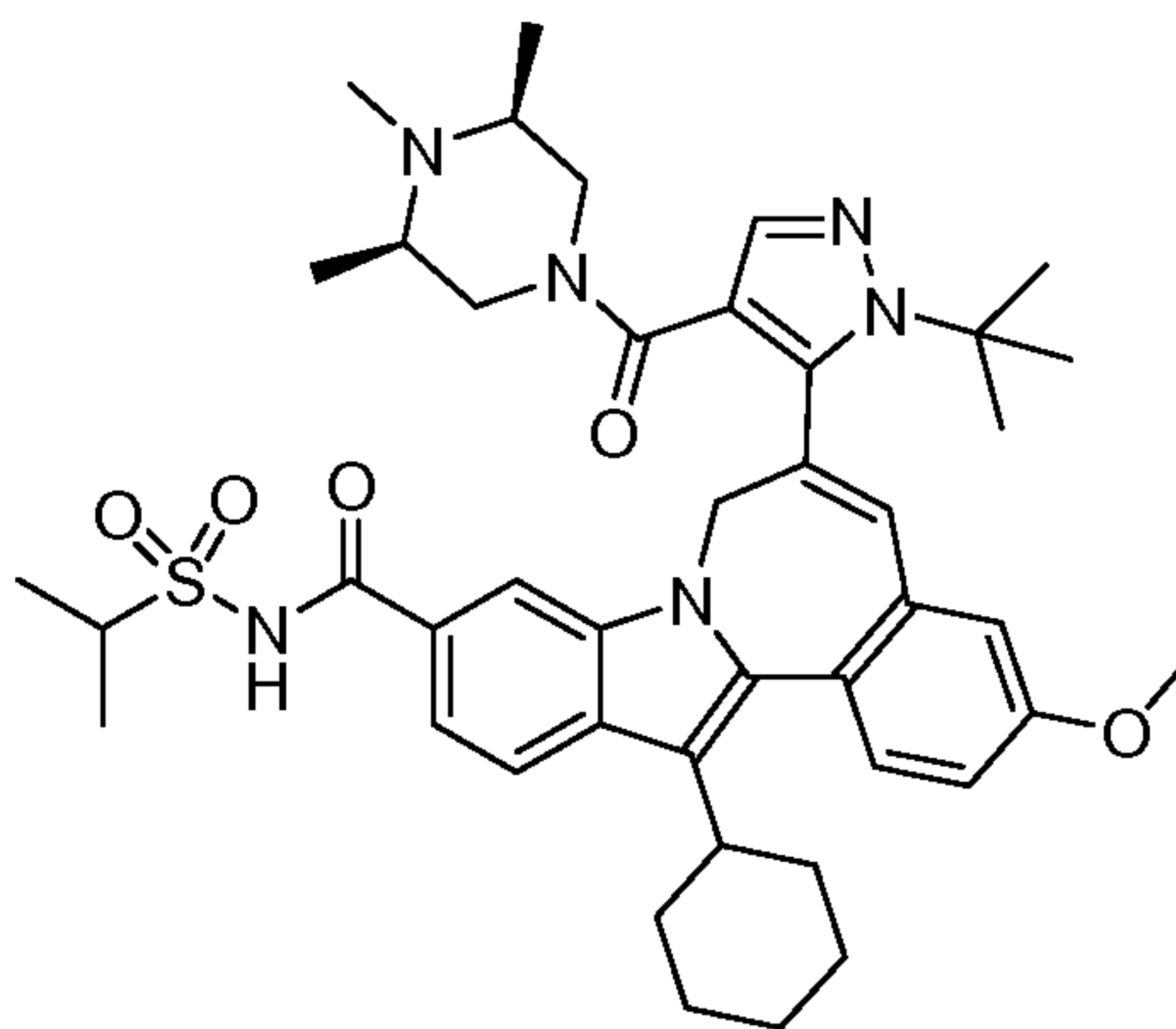
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 20 *1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-* (60mg, 0.091 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (911 μ L). HATU (81.5 mg, 0.214 mmol) was added to the reaction and the reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stir at room temperature for 1.25hrs. DMAP (45.9 mg,
 25 0.376 mmol) was added to reaction followed by amine reagent, (2R,6S)-2,6-dimethylmorpholine (34 μ L, 0.275 mmol). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen

atmosphere and stir at room temperature for 18hr. The product was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The reaction was diluted to 2ml with acetonitrile and a couple of drops of aqueous acetic acid then purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5uM 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 20 minutes with a run time of 30 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Retention time of product was 18.5 minutes. Product fractions were combined and volatiles removed *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator. The sample was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to give 32.5mg as a yellow amorphous film. ¹H NMR results are characteristic of restricted rotation with broadening and splitting of peaks.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.66 (d, $J=6.10$ Hz, 2.4 H) 0.71 (d, $J=6.10$ Hz, 2.3 H) 0.78 (dd, $J=11.29, 6.10$ Hz, 1.8 H) 1.10 (s, 1.2 H) 1.25 (dd, $J=13.73, 6.71$ Hz, 3.0 H) 1.35 - 1.44 (m, 2.5 H) 1.46 (t, $J=7.02$ Hz, 4.7 H) 1.54 (d, $J=6.71$ Hz, 3.7 H) 1.67 (s, 0.6 H) 1.71 (s, 6.8 H) 1.72 - 1.75 (m, 2.7 H) 1.79 (d, $J=11.90$ Hz, 2.5 H) 1.83 - 1.92 (m, 1.0 H) 1.98 (d, $J=12.51$ Hz, 2.2 H) 2.02 - 2.21 (m, 7.9 H) 2.21 - 2.30 (m, 1.4 H) 2.80 - 2.95 (m, 2.3 H) 3.04 (d, $J=42.42$ Hz, 0.6 H) 3.23 (d, $J=13.73$ Hz, 0.3 H) 3.34 (d, $J=12.82$ Hz, 0.8 H) 3.92 (d, $J=4.88$ Hz, 0.5 H) 3.95 (s, 3.0 H) 4.04 - 4.13 (m, 1.1 H) 4.49 - 4.58 (m, 1.0 H) 4.79 (d, $J=14.65$ Hz, 0.3 H) 4.86 (d, $J=15.26$ Hz, 0.7 H) 6.78 (s, 0.8 H) 6.85 (s, 0.3 H) 6.87 (d, $J=2.75$ Hz, 0.8 H) 6.91 (s, 0.3 H) 7.14 (dd, $J=8.55, 2.44$ Hz, 1.0 H) 7.55 - 7.60 (m, 0.9 H) 7.60 - 7.64 (m, 2.3 H) 7.64 - 7.68 (m, 1.0 H) 7.83 - 7.95 (m, 1.3 H) 10.32 (s, 0.3 H) 10.60 (s, 0.7 H).

LC-MS retention time 2.10 min; 754m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where

solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



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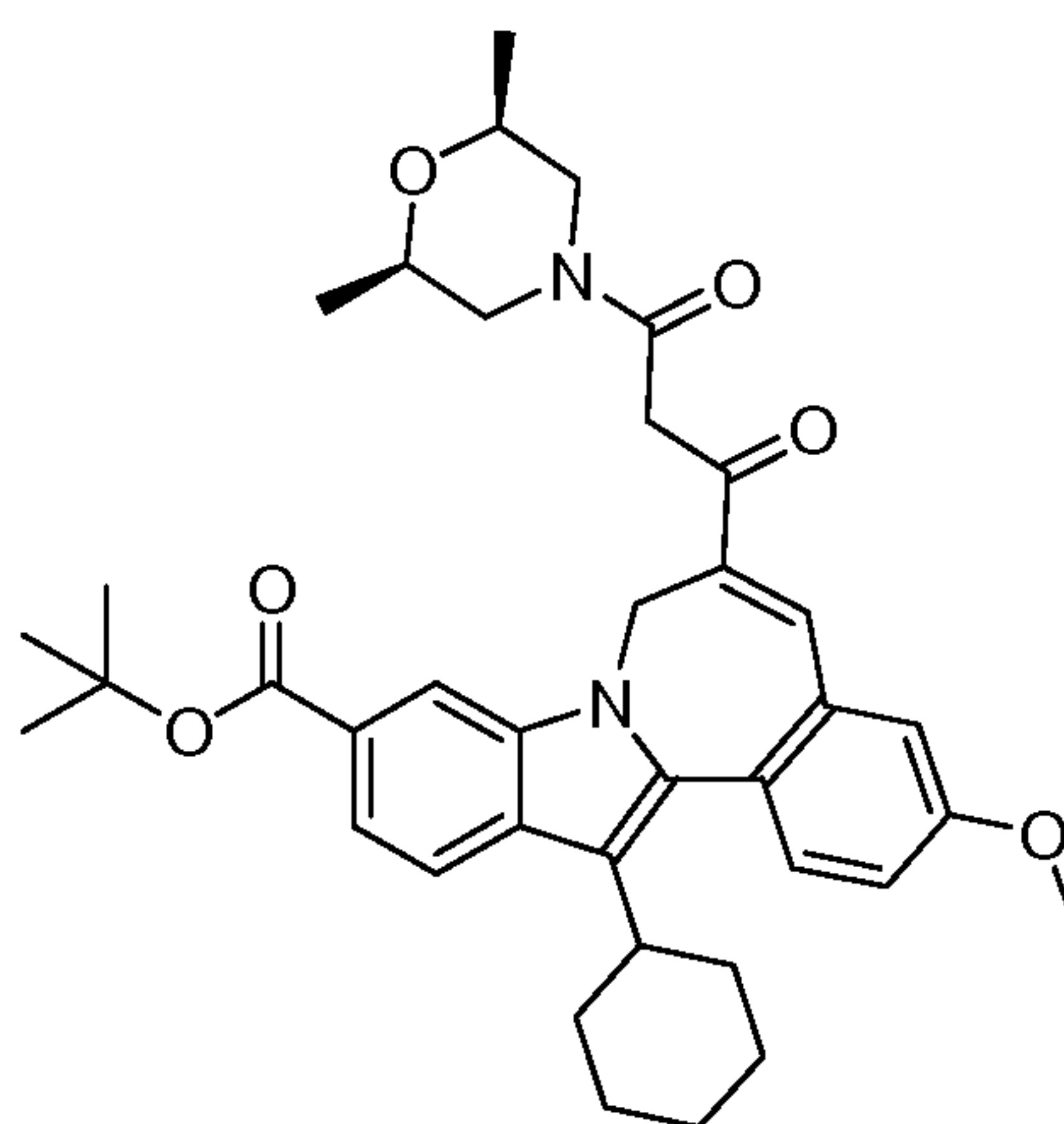
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1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(1,1-dimethylethyl)- (48.8 mg, 0.074 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (741 μ L). HATU (65.3 mg, 0.172 mmol) was added to the reaction and the reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stir at room temperature for 1hrs. DMAP (53.8 mg, 0.440 mmol) was added to reaction followed by amine reagent, (2R,6S)-1,2,6-trimethylpiperazine dihydrochloride (34.5 mg, 0.172 mmol). The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stir at room temperature for 18hr. The product was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The reaction was acidified with a few drops of aqueous acetic acid and diluted to 2ml with acetonitrile then purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5 μ M 19mm x 100mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 70 solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 20 minutes with a run time of 25 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Product was collected from 8.14

minutes to 9.45 minutes. Volatiles were removed *in vacuo* from the combined product fractions to ultimately yield 11.1mg of the title compound as a yellow amorphous film.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.93 - 1.34 (m, 9.7 H) 1.37 - 1.52 (m, 9.5 H) 1.56 - 1.68 (m, 1.6 H) 1.68 - 1.83 (m, 9.2 H) 1.87 - 2.20 (m, 5.4 H) 2.28 - 2.52 (m, 2.0 H) 2.55 - 3.01 (m, 9.4 H) 3.19 (d, $J=40.59$ Hz, 0.8 H) 3.63 (d, $J=134.28$ Hz, 2.4 H) 3.83 - 4.04 (m, 4.0 H) 4.54 (d, $J=14.65$ Hz, 0.8 H) 4.76 (d, $J=14.34$ Hz, 0.8 H) 6.72 - 6.97 (m, 2.0 H) 7.08 (d, $J=7.32$ Hz, 1.0 H) 7.36 - 7.76 (m, 3.4 H) 7.88 (s, 1.2 H) 10.86 (s, 0.5 H) 11.26 (s, 0.4 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.81min; 767 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[3-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]-1,3-dioxopropyl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester

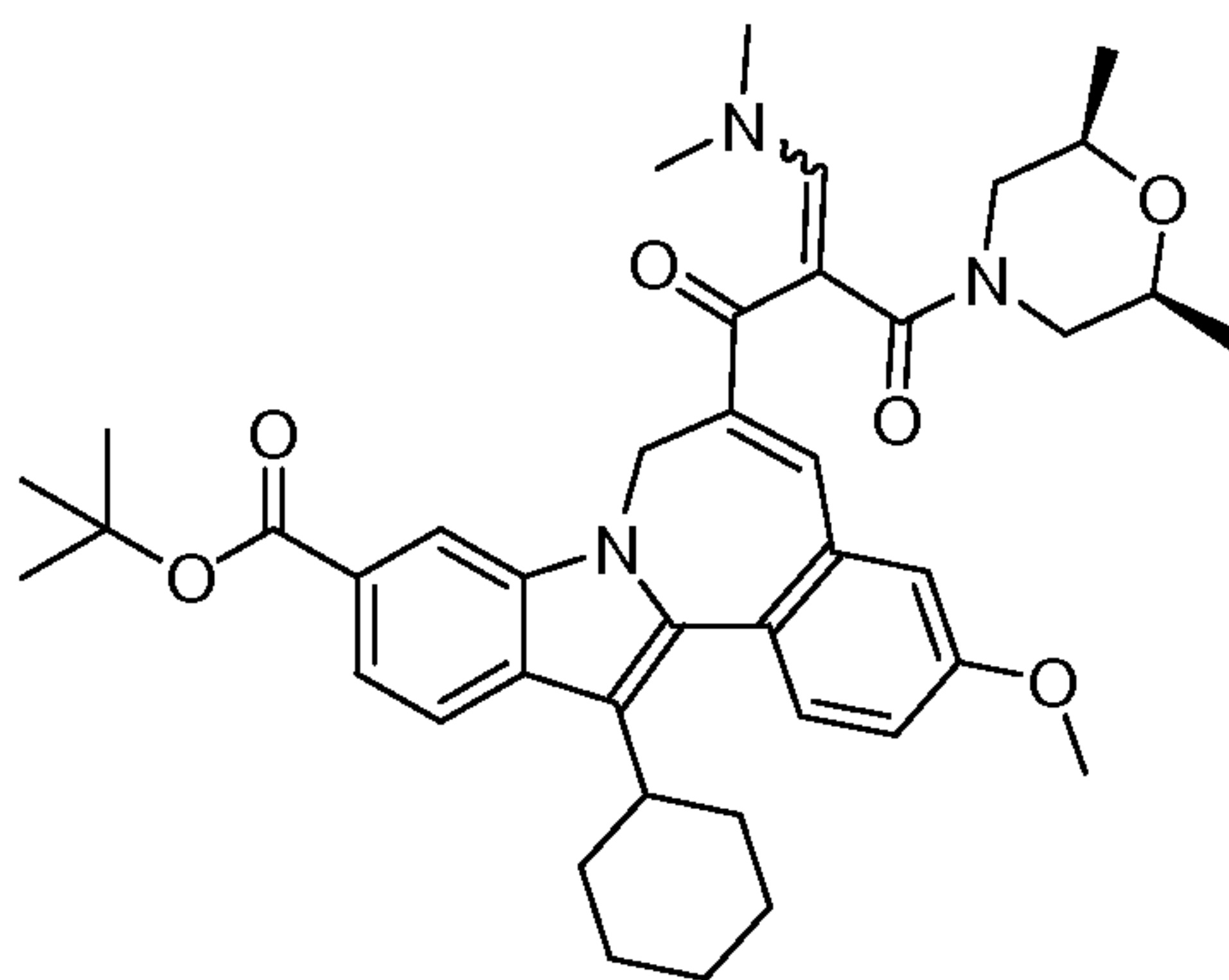
In a 250ml round bottom flask dissolve tert-butyl 13-cyclohexyl-6-(3-ethoxy-3-oxopropanoyl)-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylate (3.13g,

5.61 mmol) in toluene (56 mL) and add cis-2,6-Dimethylmorpholine (2.6 mL, 20.99 mmol) to the reaction. Place reaction under a nitrogen atmosphere and heat to reflux for 9 hours. The reaction was partitioned between ethyl acetate and 1.0M aqueous citric acid. The organic layer was washed sequentially with 1.0M aqueous citric acid, 0.1M NaH₂PO₄, and brine. Dry organic phase over magnesium sulfate, filter and remove solvent in vacuo to give 3.01g of crude product as a orange-amber foam. Dissolve the crude product in dichloromethane and adsorb onto 8.2g of silica gel. Chromatograph crude product on 90g of silica gel slurry packed in 5% ethyl acetate in dichloromethane, elute with gradient of 5% ethyl acetate in dichloromethane to 10% ethyl acetate in dichloromethane. Pure product fractions were combined and solvent removed *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator to yield a yellow amorphous solid which was further dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 1.28g of the title compound. Less pure fractions yielded another 0.48g of product. LCMS analysis gave two peaks of equivalent mass to that of the desired product. Resolution of the two peaks by Prep HPLC under the following conditions yielded peaks which inter-converted when analyzed after isolation: Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The sample 76816-035-a (63mg) was dissolved in acetonitrile / DMF mixture (2:1, 2ml) purified using a Phenomenex Luna C18 30 x 100mm 10u column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 40mL/ min , a gradient of 60% solvent A / 40% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 15 minutes with a run time of 25 minutes using %A= 10mM Ammonium Acetate in 95:5 Water/Acetonitrile %B= 10mM Ammonium Acetate in 5:95 Water/Acetonitrile solvent system. Two peaks were isolated from the sample: First peak at RT= 16.3 minutes. Both samples exhibited identical HPLC spectra after isolation indicating inter-conversion.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.89 (s, 2.0 H) 1.01 (s, 3.3 H) 1.19 (d, *J*=26.25 Hz, 3.5 H) 1.30 - 1.47 (m, 4.5 H) 1.55 (s, 4.2 H) 1.60 (s, 3.6 H) 1.63 (s, 9.0 H) 1.76 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 3.1 H) 1.93 (d, *J*=9.46 Hz, 1.9 H) 1.98 - 2.15 (m, 4.2 H) 2.23 (s, 1.2 H) 2.39 (s, 0.4 H) 2.56 - 2.72 (m, 1.6 H) 2.74 - 2.86 (m, 1.6 H) 2.91 (s, 0.8 H) 3.47 - 3.65 (m, 2.8 H) 3.74 - 3.85 (m, 1.6 H) 3.90 (s, 1.4 H) 3.91 (s,

3.1 H) 3.93 - 4.04 (m, 1.8 H) 4.19 (d, $J=12.82$ Hz, 0.5 H) 4.26 (d, $J=14.65$ Hz, 0.5 H) 4.39 (s, 0.5 H) 4.47 (d, $J=11.29$ Hz, 0.4 H) 5.18 (s, 0.3 H) 5.71 - 5.92 (m, 1.1 H) 7.01 (d, $J=2.75$ Hz, 0.4 H) 7.03 - 7.06 (m, 1.4 H) 7.11 (dd, $J=8.70, 2.59$ Hz, 1.0 H) 7.47 - 7.51 (m, 0.9 H) 7.52 (s, 0.5 H) 7.57 (s, 0.4 H) 7.65 (d, $J=1.53$ Hz, 0.2 H) 7.68 (dd, $J=8.55, 1.22$ Hz, 1.2 H) 7.80 (s, 0.6 H) 7.80 - 7.82 (m, 0.7 H) 7.84 (s, 0.2 H) 7.91 (s, 0.4 H) 8.04 (s, 0.5 H) 8.19 (s, 0.3 H) 8.21 (d, $J=1.22$ Hz, 1.0 H) 15.15 (d, $J=23.80$ Hz, 0.4 H).

LC-MS retention time 4.21min (88%); 625m/z (MH-) and 5.23min (12%); 625m/z (MH-). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 4.6x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 70% solvent A / 30% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 5min, a hold time of 2 min, and an analysis time of 7 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray.



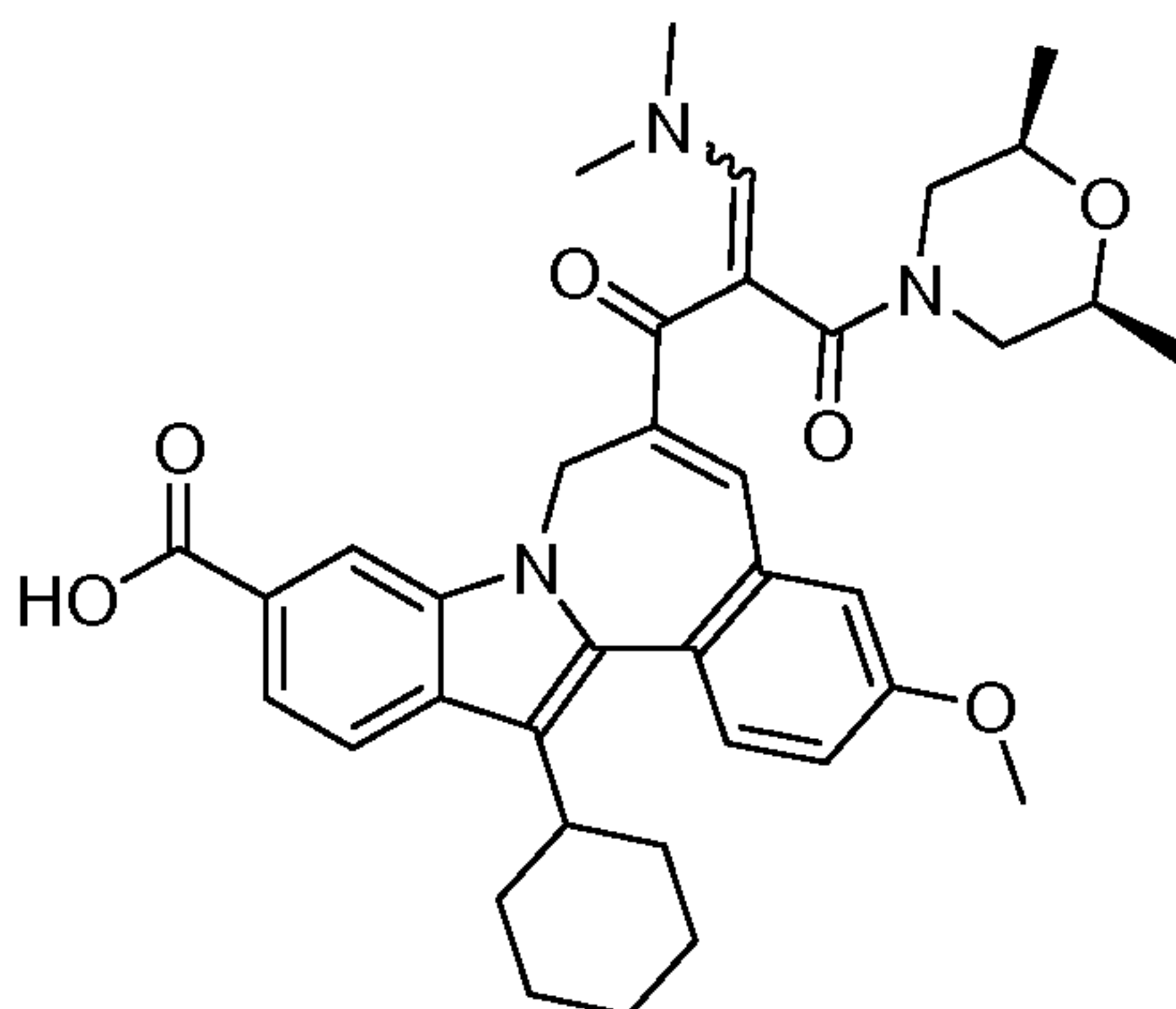
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[(2E,Z)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-[[2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-oxo-2-propenyl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester

7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[3-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]-1,3-dioxopropyl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester was dissolved in N,N-Dimethylformamide dimethyl acetal (10 mL). The reaction was fitted with a condenser and placed under a nitrogen

atmosphere. The reaction was heated to reflux for 3hrs, cooled then the volatiles were removed *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator, then dry *in vacuo* at room temperature to obtain the product as an amorphous orange solid (517mg, 86%).

LC-MS retention time 4.60min;682 m/z (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a
 5 Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 4.6x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 4 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 5min, a hold time of 2 min, and an analysis time of 7 min where
 10 solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode. The intermediate was used without further purification.



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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[(2E,Z)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-[[2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-oxo-2-propenyl]-3-methoxy-

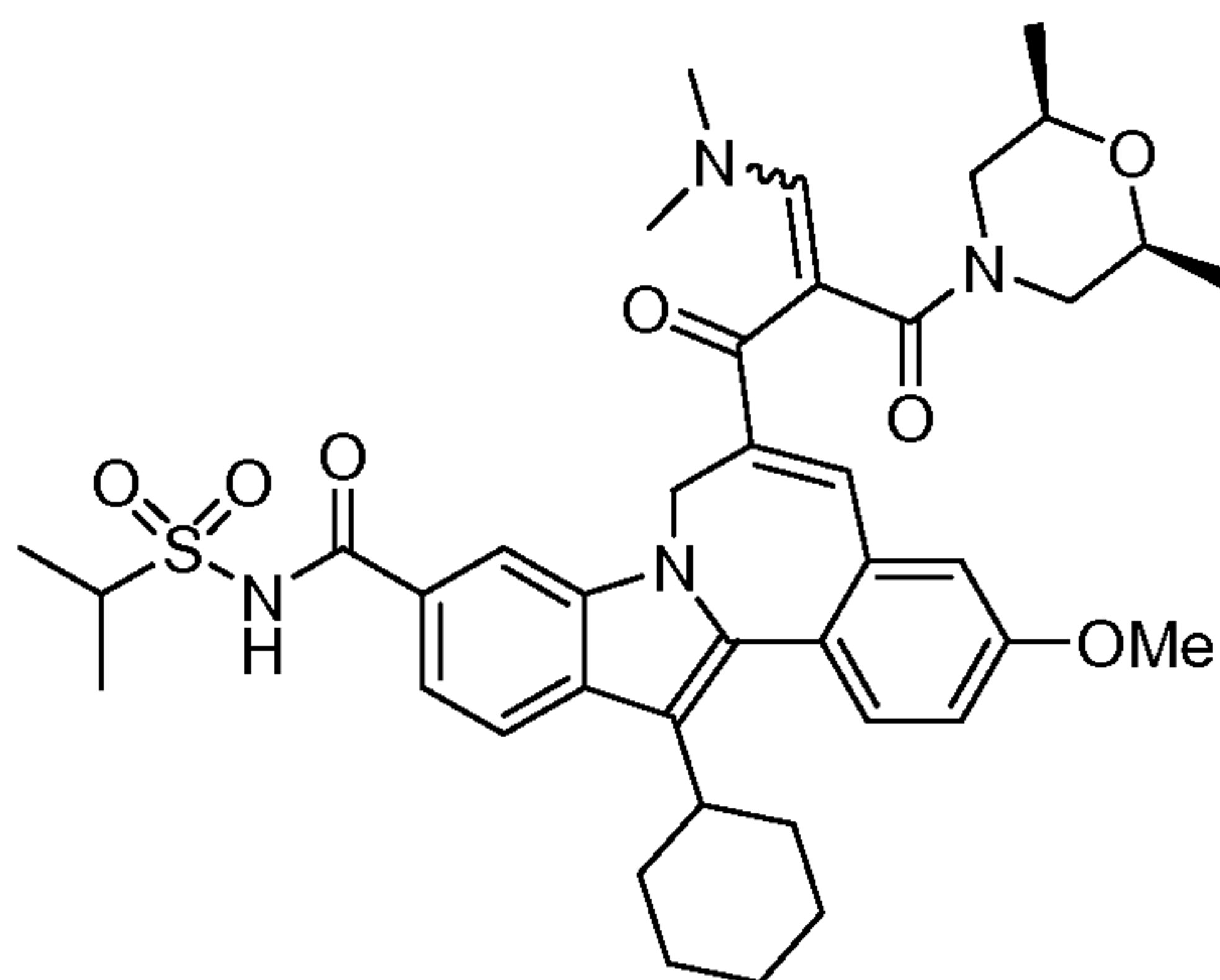
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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[(2E,Z)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-[[2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-oxo-2-propenyl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester was dissolved in 1,2-dichloroethane (5mL) and TFA (5mL) was added to the reaction. The reaction was placed under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred for 2.5hrs. Volatiles were removed *in vacuo* from the reaction using a rotary evaporator to give a reddish oil. The product
 25 was dissolved in benzene/dichloromethane and the volatiles again removed *in vacuo* to give a red foam. The product was dissolved in ethyl acetate and washed with 1.0N

aqueous hydrochloric acid. The aqueous layer was back extracted with ethyl acetate. The organic extracts were combined, washed with brine and dried over magnesium sulfate. The organic solution was filtered and the volatiles removed *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator to give a amber-orange foam. The product was dried *in vacuo* at
 5 room temperature to give 388mg of amorphous amber-orange solid.

LC-MS retention time 2.83 min; 624 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 4.6x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave
 10 length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 4 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 5min, a hold time of 2 min, and an analysis time of 7 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

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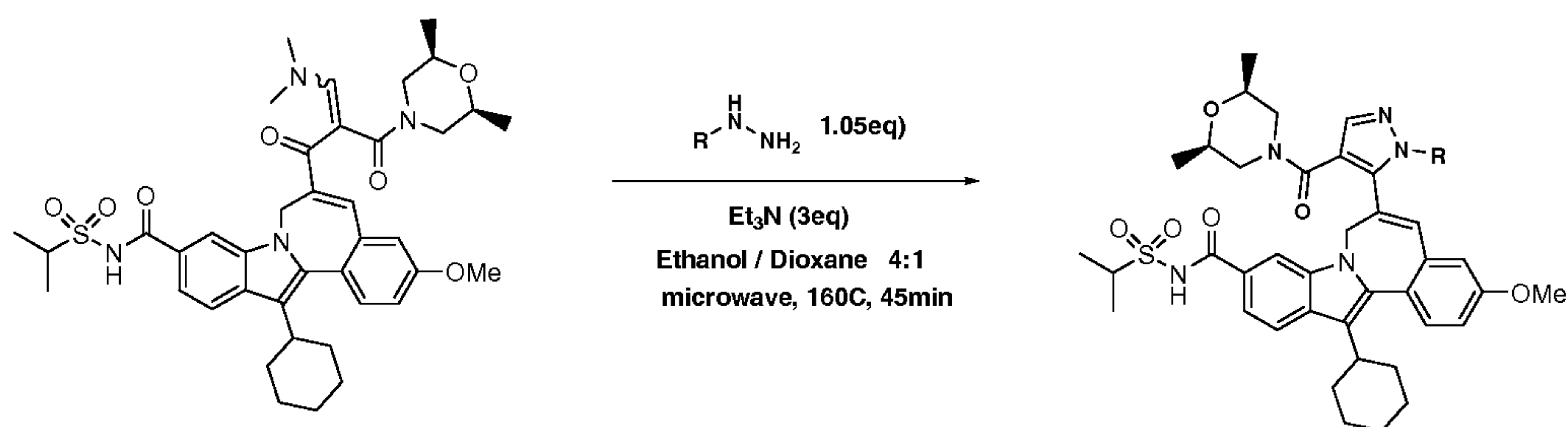
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[(2E,Z)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-oxo-2-propenyl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-

20 In a 25ml rb flask, dissolve 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[(2E,Z)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-oxo-2-propenyl]-3-methoxy- (385mg, 0.616 mmol) in dichloromethane (6.2 mL), add propane-2-sulfonamide (233 mg, 1.892 mmol) and DMAP (230 mg, 1.880 mmol) to the reaction followed by EDC (177 mg, 0.924
 25 mmol). The reaction was placed under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 18.5hrs. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate and washed with

1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid. The aqueous phases were combined and back extracted with ethyl acetate. The organic layers were combined and sequentially washed with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid and brine. The organic solution was dried over magnesium sulfate, filtered and the solvent removed *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator to give an amorphous orange solid/foam which was dried *in vacuo* to give 415mg of crude product.

LC-MS retention time 3.00 min; 729m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 4.6x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 5min, a hold time of 2 min, and an analysis time of 7 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

The crude product was used without any further purification in subsequent pyrazole synthesis.

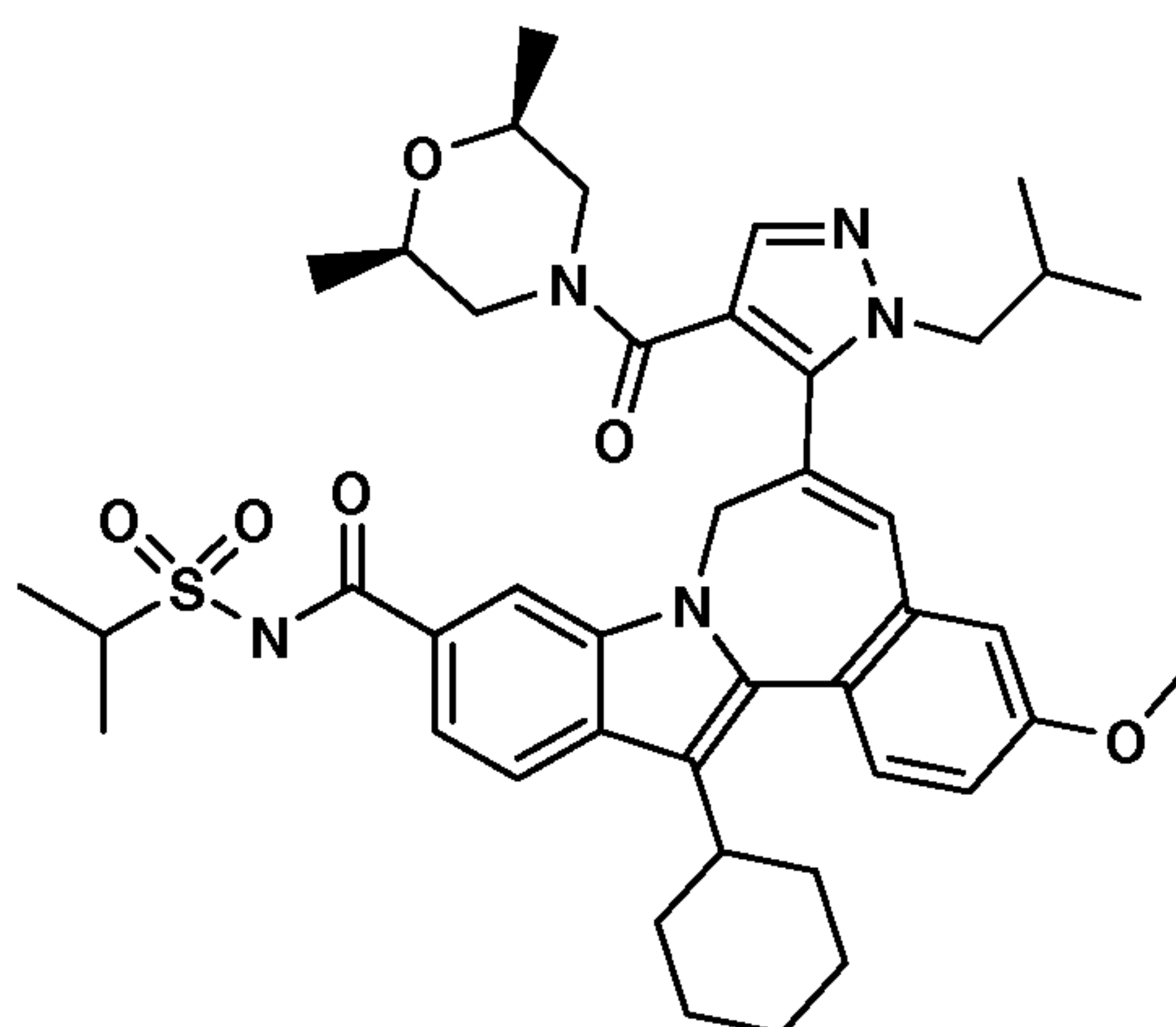


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The following analog can be prepared using the general methodology described below.

7*H*-indolo[2,1-*a*][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[(2*E*,*Z*)-3-(dimethylamino)-2-[[[(2*R*,6*S*)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-oxo-2-propenyl]-3-methoxy-*N*-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]- (100 mg, 0.137 mmol) in ethanol (547 μ L) and dioxane (137 μ L). Add the hydrazine reagent (0.146 mmol) followed by TEA (58.2 μ L, 0.417 mmol) to the reaction in a 0.5-2mL microwave reaction vessel. The vessel was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and heated at 160C for

45 minutes. The reaction was diluted in DMF/Acetonitrile and product compound purified by reverse phase HPLC.



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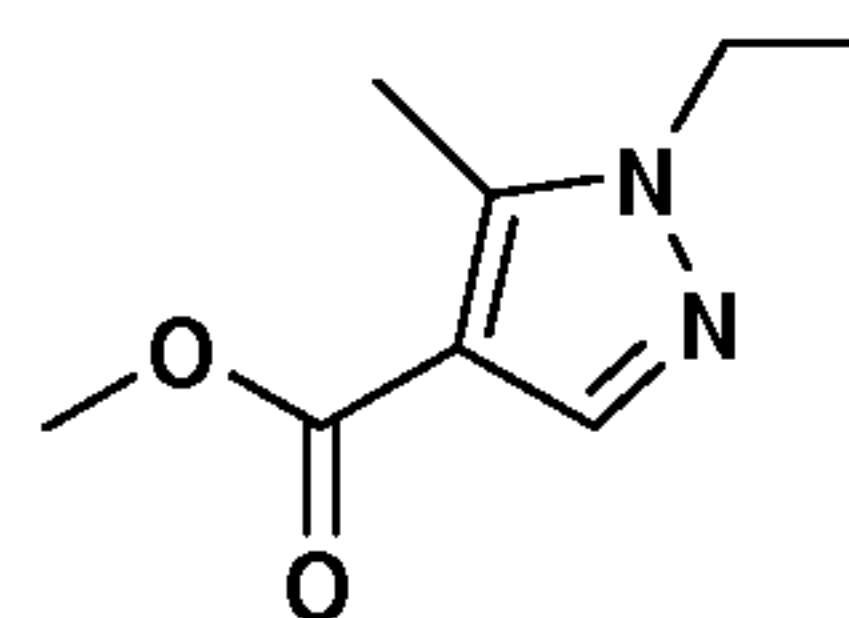
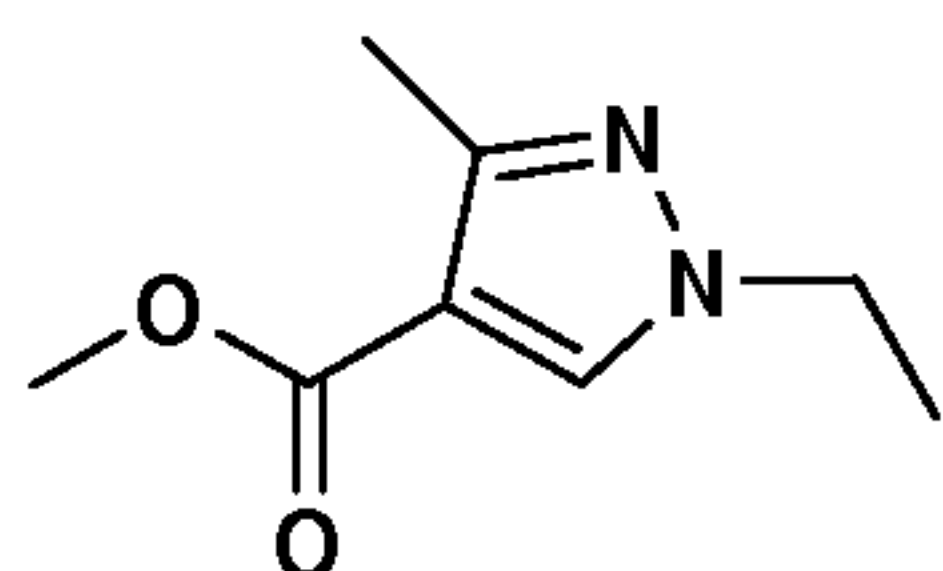
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-(2-methylpropyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-

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This compound was isolated using reverse phase HPLC with the instrumentation listed below using gradient method Bin# 16. Dionex APS-3000: Chromeleon 6.70 sp1 LC software; Thermo-Finnigan Xcalibur MS software; Dionex P680 binary pump for analytical; Dionex PP150 binary pump prep; Dionex UVD340U UV spectrometer; Polymer Labs PL-ELS 1000 ELS detector; Thermo-Finnigan MSQ Surveyor Plus mass spectrometer. **LC Conditions:** Column; Waters Xbridge 19x200mm 5 um C18; Guard Column; Waters Xbridge 19x10mm 5 um C18; Mobile Phase; A = Water, 20 mM NH₄OH; B = CAN. LC-MS retention time 5.47 min; 756.87m/z (MH⁺). LC data was recorded using Masslynx 4.0 SP4 with a system equipped with: CTC-Leap HTS-PAL autosampler with Harney 4-port injection module, Waters 1525 binary pump, Waters 2488 UV detector at 220 nm, Polymer Lab 1000 ELS detector (evap. Temp.=90C, Neb. Temp.= 80C) and a Waters LCT mass spectrometer with 4 way MUX source. The sample was analyzed using an Ascentis 4.6x50mm 5uM C18 column. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 2 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 8min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 9 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS

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ionization using a Waters LCT mass spectrometer in ESI positive mode.



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Methyl 1-ethyl-3-methyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate, and Methyl 1-ethyl-5-methyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate

Methyl 2-((dimethylamino)methylene)-3-oxobutanoate (1.712 g, 10 mmol) in was suspended in diethyl ether (50 mL), under a nitrogen atmosphere to 0°C.

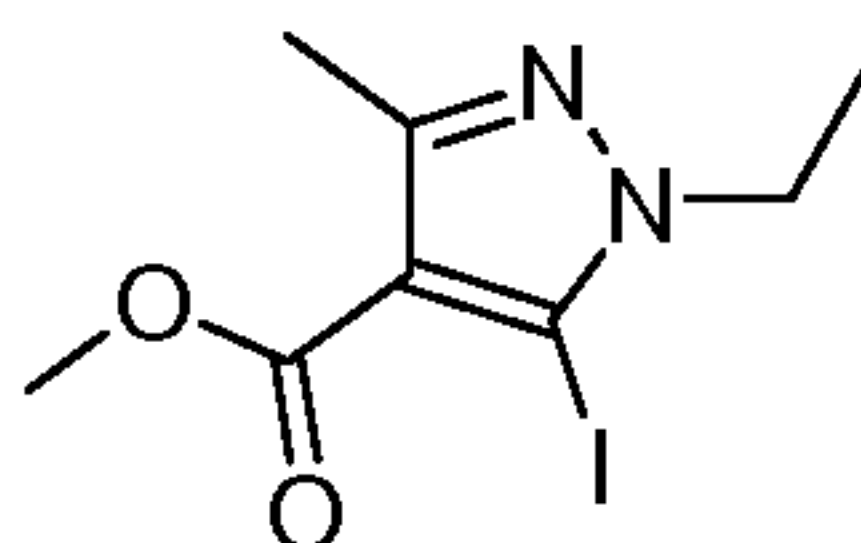
10 Ethylhydrazine oxalate (1.651 g, 11 mmol) in diethyl ether (13 mL), triethyl amine (7.0 mL, 50.2 mmol) and ethanol (6 mL) were then added. The resultant mixture slowly became more homogeneous and stirring was continued 0°C for 40min, afterwhich the ice bath was removed and the mixture stirred for an additional 1.5 hours. The reaction was then partitioned between ethyl acetate and 1.0N aqueous
15 hydrochloric acid. Extract aqueous phase with ethyl acetate. Combine the organic layers and wash sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid, saturated aqueous sodium bicarbonate and brine. Dry organic layer over magnesium sulfate, filter and remove volatiles *in vacuo* to yield a yellow oil, transfer to a small pear shaped flask in benzene, remove volatiles *in vacuo* using rotary evaporator. The sample was
20 briefly dried in vacuo on a rotary evaporator to yield 1.549g of a yellow liquid/oil.

¹H NMR analysis indicated an mixture of isomers of 53:46 ratio.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.40 (t, *J*=7.32 Hz, 3.01 H) 1.46 (t, *J*=7.32 Hz, 3.56 H) 2.44 (s, 3.45 H) 2.52 (s, 2.99 H) 3.79 (s, 3.49 H) 3.79 (s, 2.79 H) 4.05 - 4.13 (m, 4.44 H) 7.80 (s, 1.09 H) 7.82 (s, 0.86 H).

25 LC-MS retention time 0.80min; 169m/z (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a
30 gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where

solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



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Methyl 1-ethyl-5-iodo-3-methyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate

In a 100ml RB a mixture of methyl 1-ethyl-3-methyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate, and methyl 1-ethyl-5-methyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate mixture (1.539 g, 9.15 mmol) was dissolved in anhydrous THF (44 mL). The reaction was placed under a nitrogen atmosphere and cooled to -78C, then n-butyl lithium (5.49 mL, 10.98 mmol) 2.0M in pentane was added in a dropwise fashion. The orange solution at -78C was then immersed in a acetonitrile/CO₂ bath at -44C and stirred for 1 hour.

15 The reaction was cooled to -78C and a solution of iodine (2.55 g, 10.07 mmol) in tetrahydrofuran (10 mL) was added by cannula over approximately 10 minutes. The reaction was stirred at -78C for 10 minutes after the addition of iodine then the cold bath removed and the reaction allowed to warm to room temperature over 1hr. The reaction was quenched with a saturated aqueous solution of ammonium chloride and

20 extracted into ethyl acetate. The reaction was partitioned between ethyl acetate and aqueous saturated ammonium chloride, washed with aqueous sodium sulfite and again with saturated aqueous ammonium chloride and brine. The product solution was dried over magnesium sulfate and volatiles removed in vacuo using rotary evaporator. The crude product was isolated as an amber oil (approx 2.1g). The title

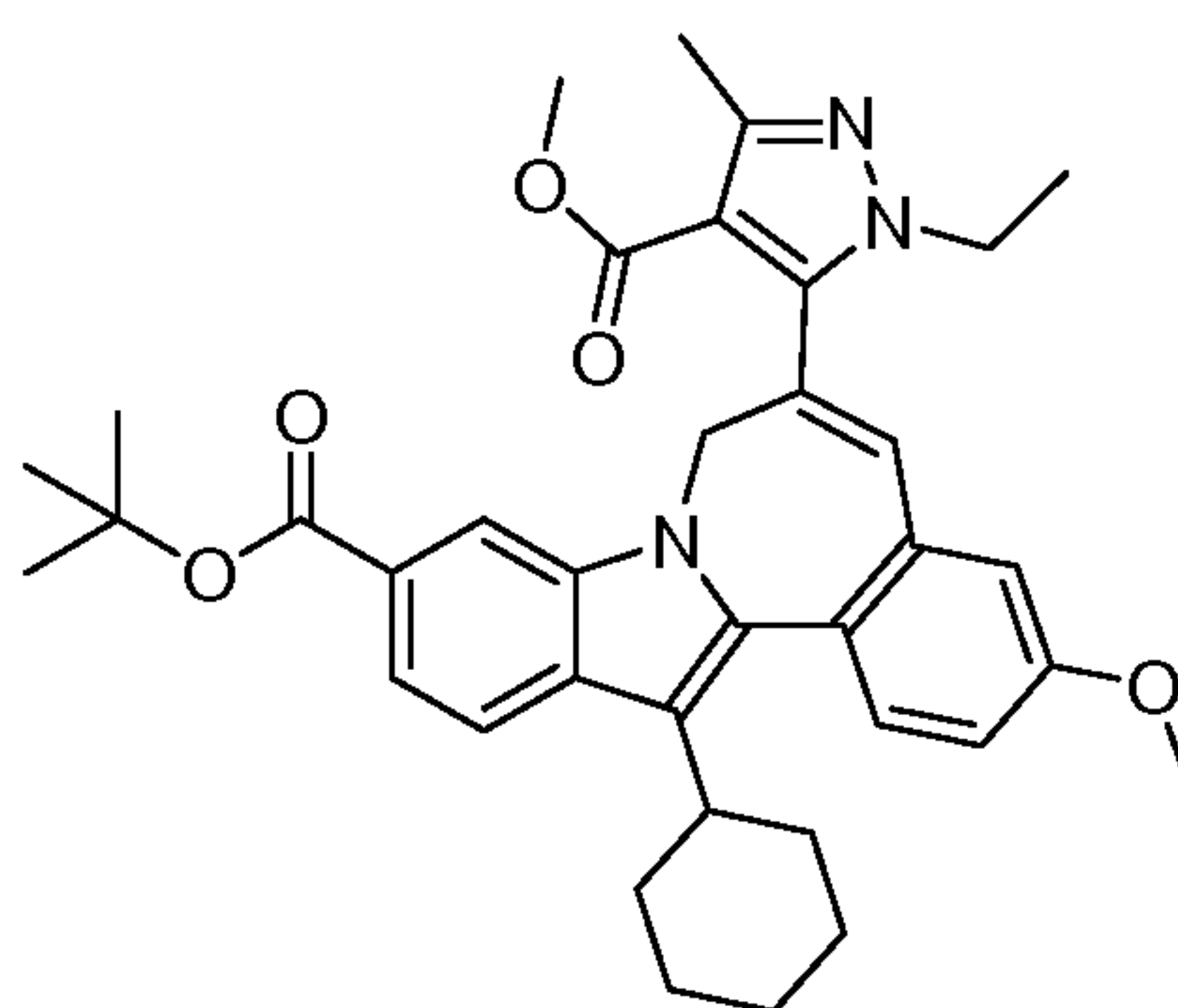
25 compound (R_f=0.66 in 50% ethyl acetate / hexanes on Analtech Uniplate silica gel GHLF 250 micron TLC plate) was isolated by silica gel chromatography. The crude reaction was adsorbed onto 5.5g of silica gel using dichloromethane and chromatographed on 55.9g of silica gel slurry packed in a column using 10% ethyl acetate in hexanes. Elution with 10% ethyl acetate in hexanes then a step gradient of

30 15%, 20%, 25%, 30%, 40%, 50% and finally to 70% ethyl acetate in hexanes yielded the purified product and separation of crude reaction components.

The title compound (424mg, 30%) was isolated as a nearly colorless solid.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 1.40 (t, $J=7.17$ Hz, 3 H) 2.45 (s, 3 H) 3.84 (s, 3 H) 4.24 (q, $J=7.32$ Hz, 2 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.19 min; 295 m/z (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



15 *7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(methoxycarbonyl)-3-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester*

Into a 20 ml microwave vessel charge, 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-(tributylstannyl)-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester (300 mg, 0.409 mmol), methyl 1-ethyl-5-iodo-3-methyl-1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylate (169 mg, 0.573 mmol), bis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(II) dichloride (29.6 mg, 0.042 mmol) and 1g of activated 3A molecular sieves. Cap reaction vessel and evacuate and fill with nitrogen through three cycles. Dioxane was added to the reaction and the reagents dissolved at room temperature. The sealed reaction was heated at 120C for 17hrs. Ethyl acetate was added to the reaction and the reaction filtered through a 0.45uM Whatman autovial filter. The filter cake was rinsed with ethyl acetate and the volatiles were removed from the filtrate *in vacuo* to give a

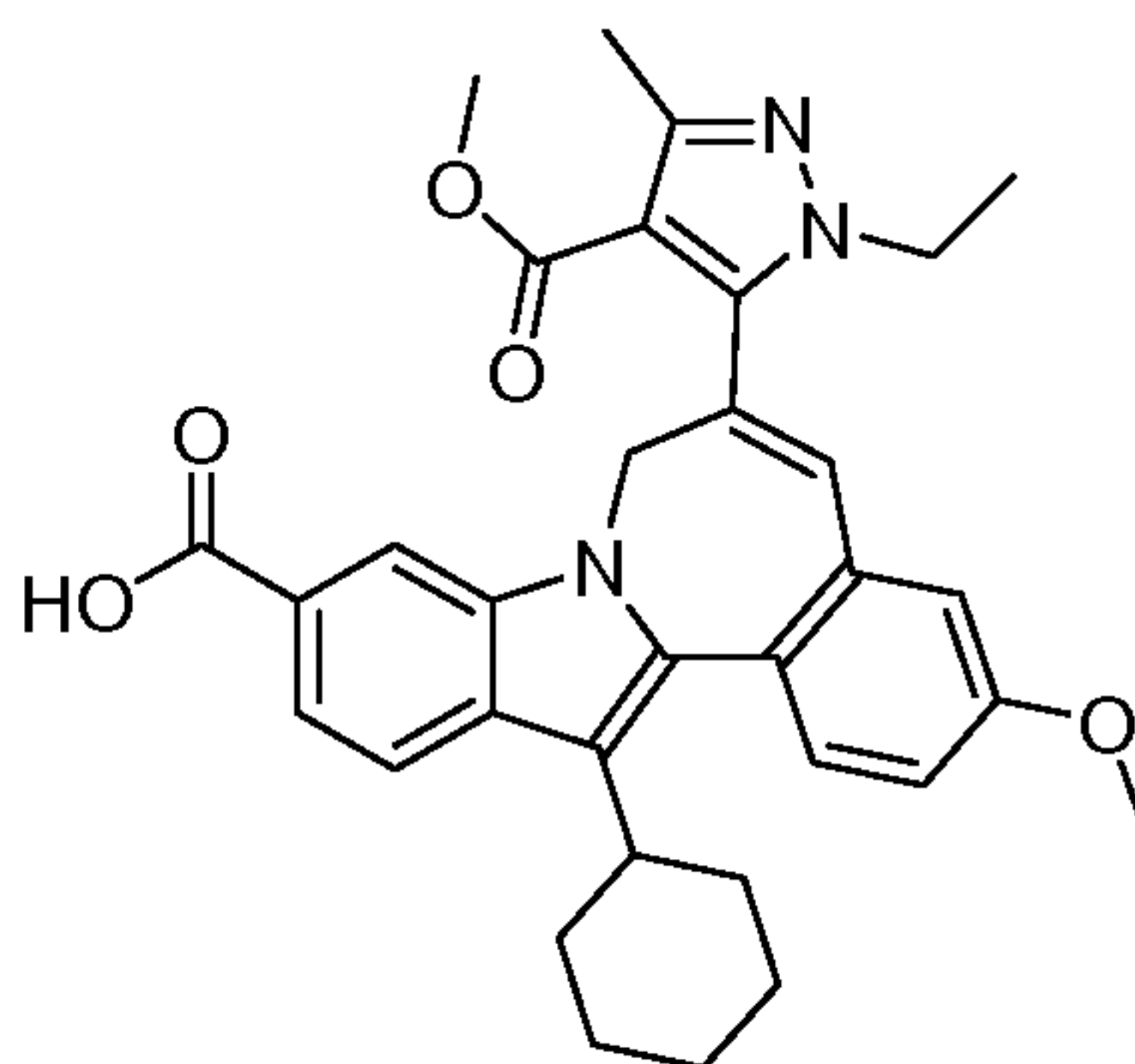
508mg of yellow oil. The crude product with an odor of tin was dissolved in 13ml of dioxane and stirred for 2hrs with a aqueous solution of potassium fluoride. An attempt to filter the solution was unsuccessful and the aqueous /organic suspension was poured into a separatory funnel and ethyl acetate added and the aqueous layer
5 extracted with ethyl acetate. The organic layer was washed with brine and dried over magnesium sulfate, filtered and volatiles removed *in vacuo* to obtain 446mg of amber oil that still has an odor of tin. The crude product was adsorbed onto 1.1g of silica gel using dichloromethane and purified on a 15.0g of silica gel column slurry loaded in dichloromethane. The column was eluted with a step gradient of
10 dichloromethane to 2% ethyl acetate in dichloromethane and finally flushed with 5% ethyl acetate in dichloromethane. The product fraction were combined and solvent removed in *vacuo* to give the title compound (152mg, 61%) as a amorphous yellow solid. The compound had a faint odor indicating trace amount of tin may be present. The product was used in subsequent steps without further purification.

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¹H NMR shows sample probably contains a butyl tin impurity. ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.64 (s, 3 H) 0.81 - 0.89 (m, 2 H) 0.91 (t, $J=7.32$ Hz, 2.5 H, Sn compound?) 1.20 - 1.31 (m, 7 H) 1.31 - 1.41 (m, 3 H) 1.43 - 1.55 (m, 3 H) 1.56 (s, 5 H) 1.58 (s, 8 H) 1.60 - 1.68 (m, 2 H) 1.77 (d, $J=9.46$ Hz, 2 H)
20 1.94 (d, $J=7.63$ Hz, 1 H) 2.03 (s, 0.9 H, EtOAc) 2.07 (s, 2 H) 2.45 (s, 0.4 H) 2.47 (s, 3 H) 2.53 (s, 0.3 H) 2.85 (t, $J=11.90$ Hz, 1 H) 3.50 (d, $J=54.93$ Hz, 3 H) 3.73 - 3.85 (m, 3 H) 3.90 (s, 3 H) 4.08 - 4.14 (m, 0.8 H, EtOAc and impurity) 4.59 (q, $J=7.22$ Hz, 1 H) 4.66 (d, $J=13.43$ Hz, 1 H) 4.95 (d, $J=14.04$ Hz, 1 H) 6.72 (s, 1 H) 6.92 (d, $J=2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.05 (dd, $J=8.70, 2.59$ Hz, 1 H) 7.51 (d, $J=8.54$ Hz, 1 H) 7.63 (dd, $J=8.55, 1.53$ Hz, 1 H) 7.78 - 7.83 (m, 1 H) 7.85 (s, 1 H).
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LC-MS retention time 2.74 min; 610 m/z (MH⁺). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a
30 gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B

was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(methoxycarbonyl)-3-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-

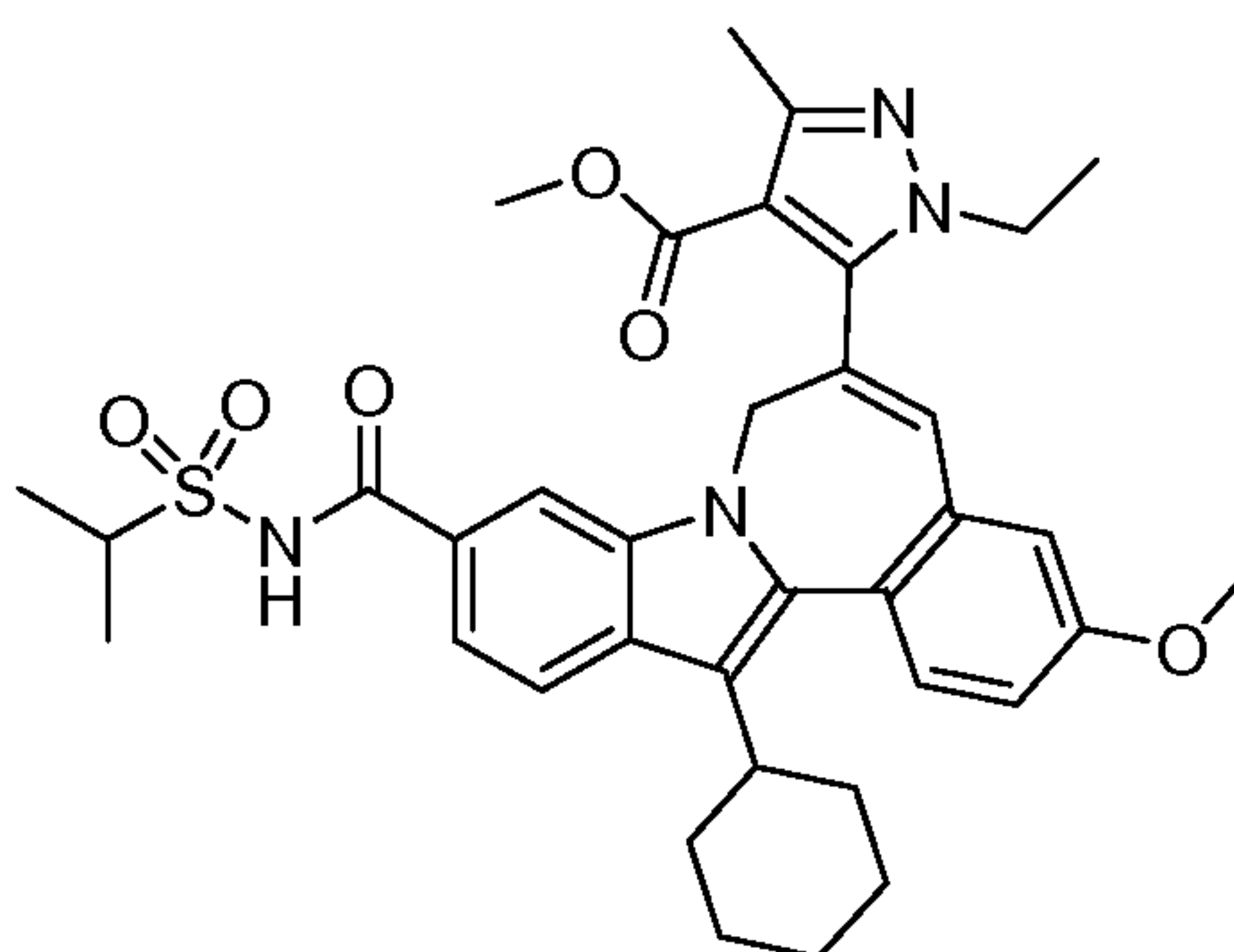
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(methoxycarbonyl)-3-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-

10 dimethylethyl ester (151mg, 0.248 mmol) was dissolved in 1,2-dichloroethane (2ml) and TFA (2.000 ml) added. The reaction was stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere at room temperature for 2.5hrs. Volatiles from the reaction were removed *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator to give a orange/amber oil. The oily product was dissolved in a mixture of dichloromethane and benzene and the volatiles were removed *in*
 15 *vacuo* to obtain a yellow amorphous solid. The solid was suspended in benzene-dichloromethane and again volatiles removed *in vacuo*. The product was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to give 151mg of a yellow solid with a trace odor of tin. The product was triturated with the addition of 1.5 to 2mls of dichloromethane and several milliliters of hexanes. The suspension was heated to reflux then allowed to
 20 cool. The product as a pale yellow amorphous solid was filtered and rinsed with hexanes and dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 114.7mg of the title compound.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.60 (s, 3 H) 0.88 (t, *J*=7.02 Hz, 1 H) 1.19 - 1.33 (m, 3 H) 1.34 - 1.58 (m, 3 H) 1.79 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 2 H) 1.96 (s, 1
 25 H) 2.08 (s, 3 H) 2.51 (s, 3 H) 2.86 (t, *J*=11.60 Hz, 1 H) 3.41 - 3.71 (m, 3 H) 3.73 - 3.89 (m, 2 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.49 (s, 6 H) 4.70 (d, *J*=12.21 Hz, 1 H) 4.96 (d, *J*=12.21

Hz, 1 H) 6.76 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, $J=2.44$ Hz, 1 H) 7.08 (dd, $J=8.70, 2.59$ Hz, 1 H) 7.54 (d, $J=8.54$ Hz, 1 H) 7.76 (dd, $J=8.39, 1.37$ Hz, 1 H) 7.89 (d, $J=8.54$ Hz, 1 H) 7.95 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.87 min; 552 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-ethyl-3-methyl-, methyl ester

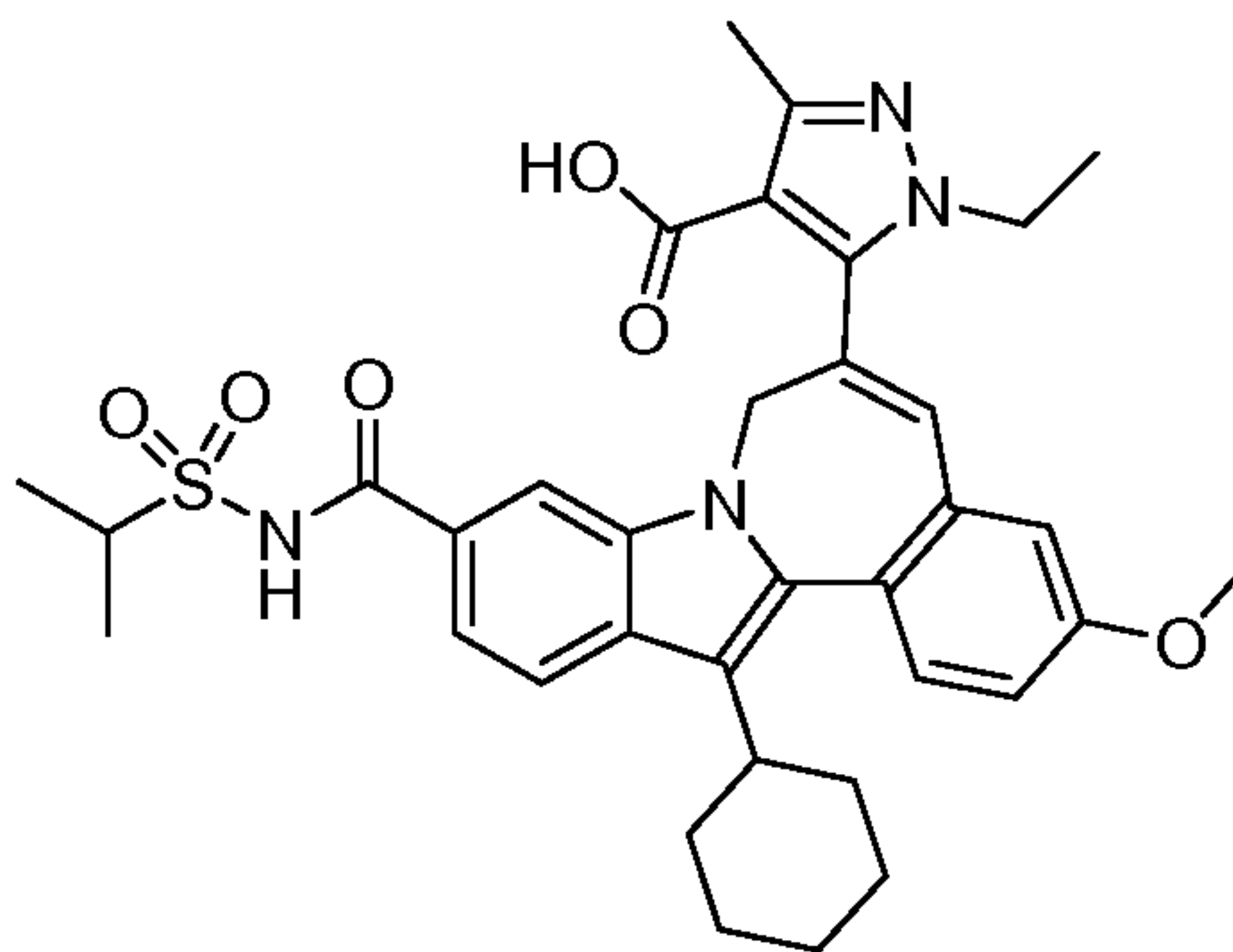
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(methoxycarbonyl)-3-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy- (109.4 mg, 0.198 mmol) was suspended in dichloromethane (2ml) and propane-2-sulfonamide (82 mg, 0.666 mmol) and DMAP (77.8 mg, 0.637 mmol) were added to the reaction. Upon addition of DMAP the reaction became a homogeneous yellow solution. EDC (57.7 mg, 0.301 mmol) was added to the reaction and the reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stir at room temperature for 2 days. The reaction was diluted with ethyl acetate and washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric

acid and brine. The organic phase was dried over MgSO₄, filtered and solvent removed *in vacuo* to obtain 128mg of product as a yellow foam.

¹H NMR analysis shows the presence of ethyl acetate and approximately 0.24 equivalents of propane-2-sulfonamide reagent. The material was used without further
5 purification.

LC-MS retention time 1.84min; 657m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave
10 length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.66 (s, 2 H) 0.79 - 0.94 (m, 2 H) 1.28 - 1.39 (m, 2 H) 1.45 - 1.49 (m, 6 H) 1.50 - 1.56 (m, 1 H) 1.79 (d, *J*=8.85 Hz, 2 H) 1.96 (s, 2 H) 2.05 - 2.11 (m, 2 H) 2.26 (s, 7 H, H₂O peak) 2.49 (s, 3 H) 2.81 - 2.91 (m, 1 H) 3.38 - 3.71 (m, 4 H) 3.74 - 3.88 (m, 2 H) 3.91 (s, 3 H) 4.01 - 4.08 (m, 1 H) 4.69 (d, *J*=15.26 Hz, 1 H) 4.94 (d, *J*=12.51 Hz, 1 H) 6.76 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, *J*=2.75 Hz, 1 H) 7.08 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.38 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.53 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.76 (s, 1 H) 7.89 (d, *J*=8.54 Hz, 1 H) 8.30 (s, 1 H).
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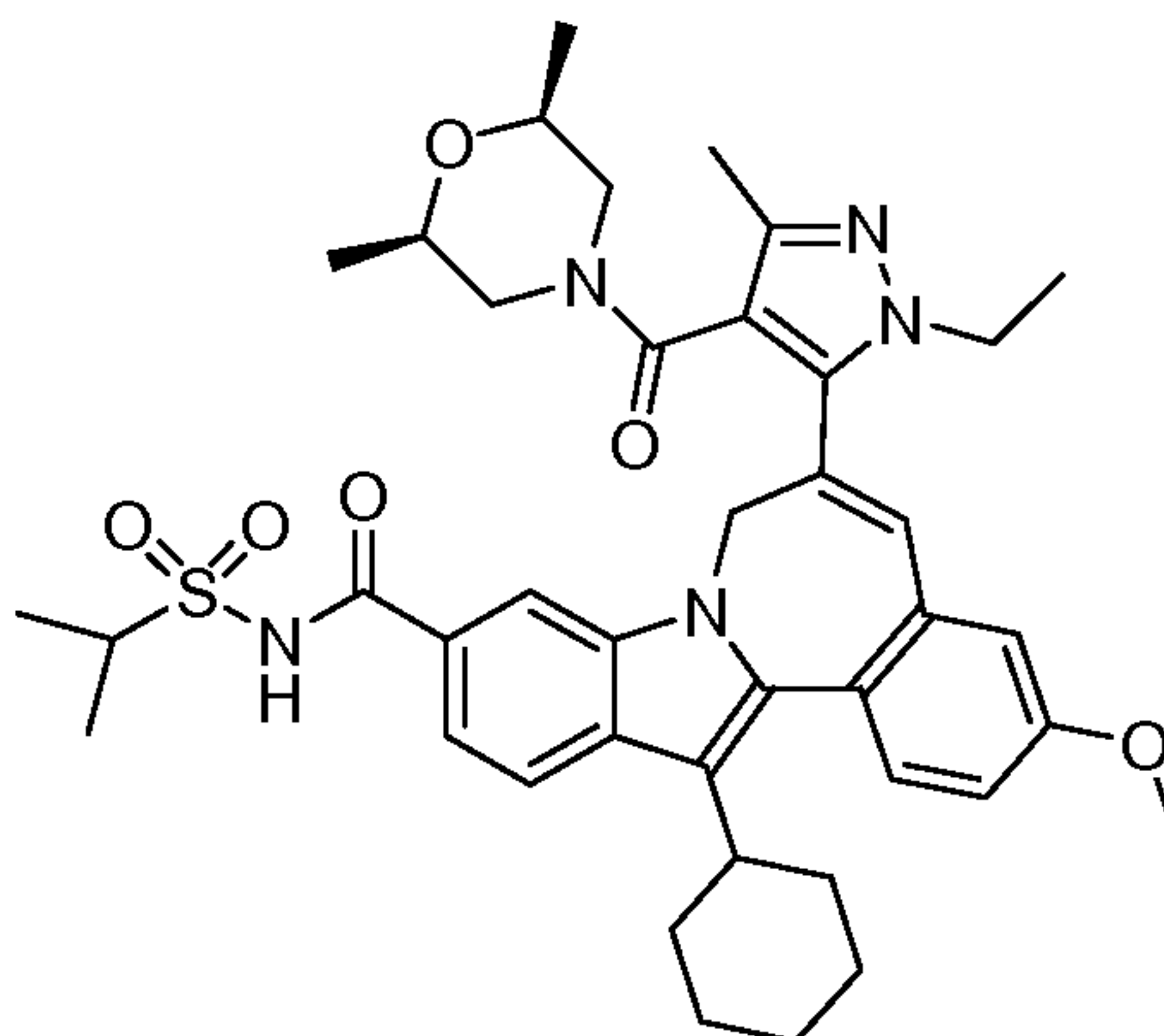
1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-ethyl-3-methyl-

1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-ethyl-3-methyl-, methyl ester (127mg, 0.193 mmol) was dissolved in THF (3ml) and methanol (3 ml) added to the solution.. Sodium hydroxide (3 ml, 3.00 mmol, 1.0N aqueous solution) was added to the homogeneous yellow solution reaction. The reaction turned to a rose-reddish cloudy color after complete addition of sodium hydroxide solution. The reaction was stirred at room temperature under a nitrogen atmosphere and eventually became a clear rose colored solution. The reaction was stirred at room temperature under a nitrogen atmosphere. HPLC analysis after 40hours revealed 78% conversion to product. Sodium hydroxide (1.0ml, 1.00mmol, 1.0N aqueous solution) was added to the reaction and the reaction stirred under a nitrogen atmosphere for an additional 24hrs. The reaction was concentrated to dryness *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator with bath at ambient temperature. The pink solid residue was partitioned between ethyl acetate and 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid. The aqueous phase was extracted with ethyl acetate and the organic layers combined and washed sequentially with 1.0N aqueous hydrochloric acid and brine. The organic layer was dried over magnesium sulfate, filtered and solvents removed *in vacuo* to give a yellow solid which was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to give 108mg of the title compound as a amorphous yellow solid.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.71 (s, 3 H) 0.81 - 0.94 (m, 2 H) 0.96 - 1.20 (m, 3 H) 1.23 - 1.27 (m, 3 H) 1.27 - 1.37 (m, 3 H) 1.41 (t, *J*=7.17 Hz, 6 H) 1.45 - 1.53 (m, 2 H) 1.60 - 1.73 (m, 1 H) 1.77 (d, *J*=11.90 Hz, 2 H) 1.86 - 2.02 (m, 2 H) 2.04 - 2.08 (m, 1 H) 2.47 (s, 2 H) 2.77 - 2.89 (m, 1 H) 3.43 - 3.69 (m, 4 H) 3.70 - 3.86 (m, 2 H) 3.99 - 4.06 (m, 2 H) 4.61 (d, *J*=10.07 Hz, 1 H) 4.95 (d, *J*=13.73 Hz, 1 H) 6.75 (s, 1 H) 6.94 (d, *J*=2.44 Hz, 1 H) 7.03 - 7.10 (m, 1 H) 7.42 (d, *J*=8.24 Hz, 1 H) 7.47 - 7.54 (m, 1 H) 7.79 - 7.91 (m, 2 H) 8.76 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.50 min; 643 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a

gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was
 5 determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

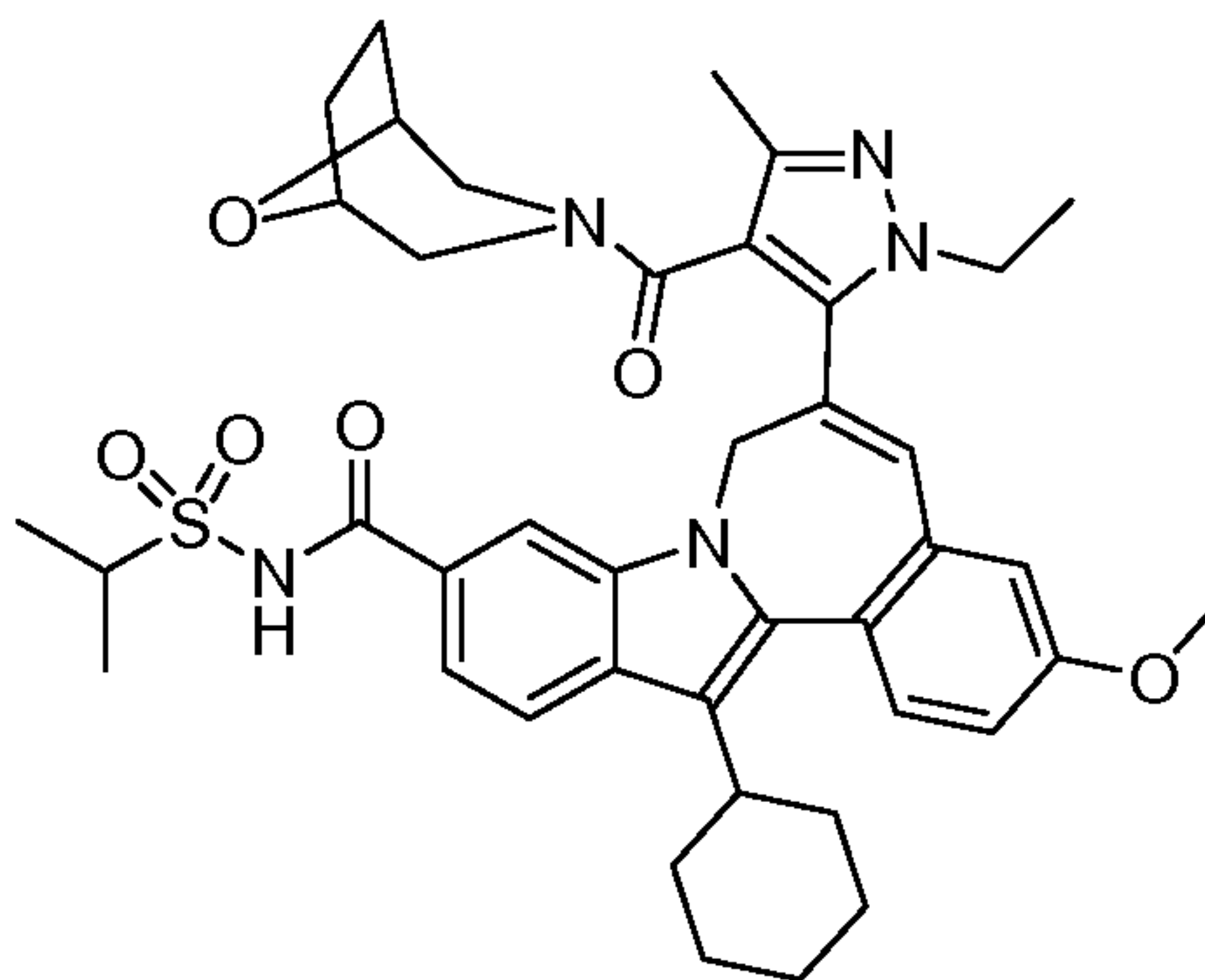


*7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-
 [[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-ethyl-3-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-
 3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-
 10 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-
 methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-ethyl-
 3-methyl-* (61.1 mg, 0.095 mmol) was dissolved in DMF (948 μ L) and HATU (80
 mg, 0.210 mmol) added to the reaction. The reaction was capped under a nitrogen
 15 atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 1hr. DMAP (36.7 mg, 0.300 mmol)
 was added to the reaction followed by the amine reagent, (2R,6S)-2,6-
 dimethylmorpholine (35.2 μ L, 0.284 mmol). The clear yellow reaction solution was
 capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and the reaction stirred at room temperature for
 42 hours. The product was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid
 20 chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-
 10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The reaction
 was diluted to 2ml with acetonitrile purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD,
 5 μ M 19mm x 150mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at
 a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25
 25 mL / min , a gradient of 50% solvent A / 50% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100%
 solvent B, a gradient time of 25 minutes with a run time of 30 minutes using %A=

10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Retention time of product was from 16.16 to 17.47 minutes. The product fractions were combined and volatiles removed *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator. The title compound was dried in *vacuo* at room temperature to yield
5 36.3mg as a yellow amorphous solid.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.68 (s, 4 H) 0.75 - 0.93 (m, 2 H) 1.05 (s, 1 H) 1.30 - 1.45 (m, 6 H) 1.51 (dd, $J=21.82$, 6.26 Hz, 7 H) 1.79 (d, $J=10.68$ Hz, 2 H) 1.89 - 2.02 (m, 3 H) 2.03 - 2.16 (m, 3 H) 2.26 (s, 12 H) 2.88 (t, $J=10.68$ Hz, 1 H) 2.95 - 3.31 (m, 3 H) 3.34 - 3.75 (m, 1 H) 3.94 (s, 3 H) 4.03 - 4.11
10 (m, 1 H) 4.17 (s, 2 H) 4.57 (d, $J=14.65$ Hz, 1 H) 4.87 (d, $J=15.56$ Hz, 1 H) 6.74 - 6.86 (m, 1 H) 6.93 (s, 1 H) 7.12 (d, $J=7.02$ Hz, 1 H) 7.58 (d, $J=8.54$ Hz, 1 H) 7.66 (s, 1 H) 7.73 (s, 1 H) 7.90 (d, $J=8.24$ Hz, 1 H) 10.66 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.93 min; 740m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u
15 C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min, a gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B
20 was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.



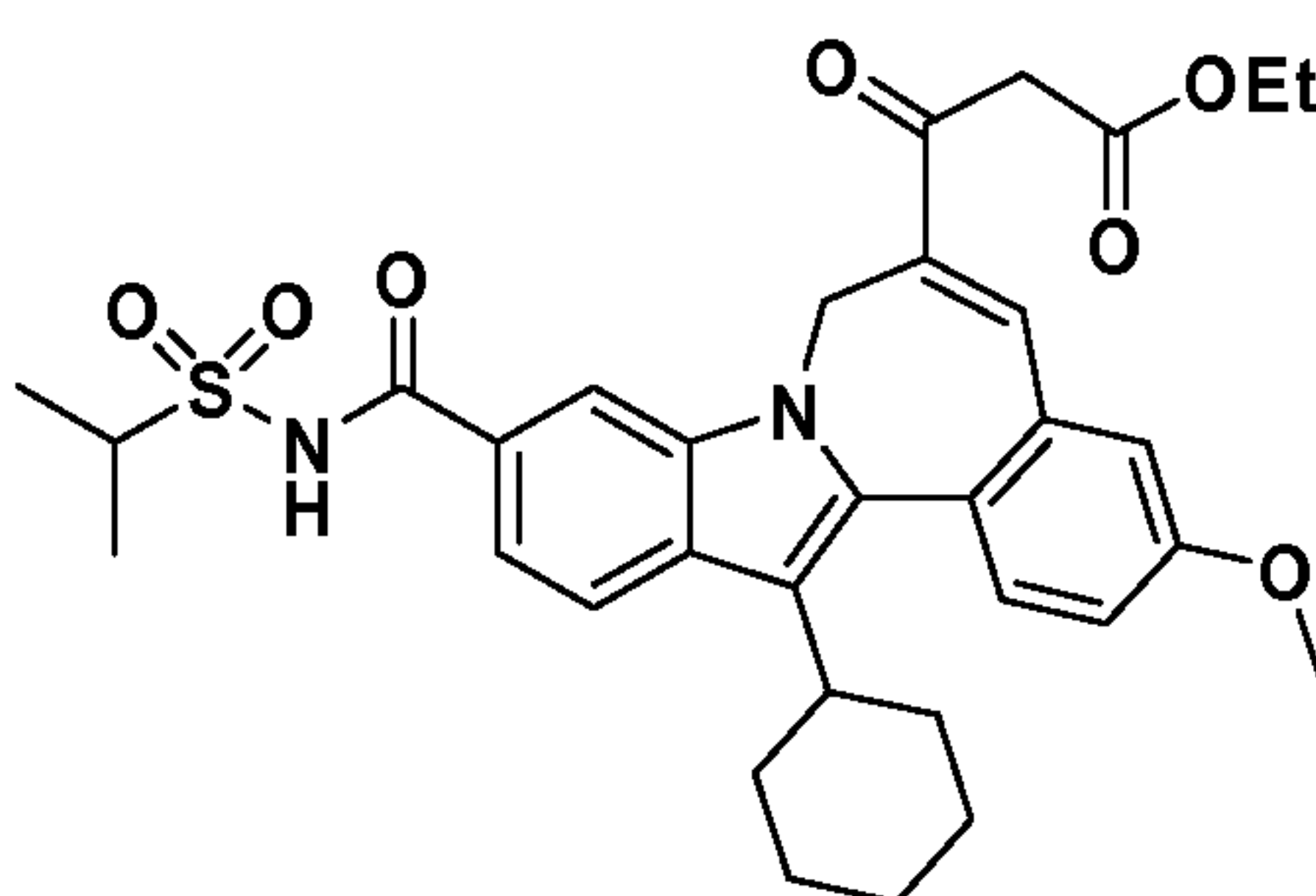
7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-3-methyl-4-(8-oxa-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-3-ylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-

1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-ethyl-3-methyl- (45.8mg, 0.071 mmol) was dissolved DMF (710 μ L) and HATU (62.7 mg, 0.165 mmol) was added to the reaction. The reaction was capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred for 1hr at room temperature. DMAP (37.1 mg, 0.304 mmol), was added to the reaction followed by the amine reagent 8-oxa-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]octane hydrochloride (23.3 mg, 0.156 mmol). The reaction was again capped under a nitrogen atmosphere and stirred at room temperature for 42hrs. The product was purified on a Shimadzu high pressure liquid chromatography system employing Discovery VP software interfaced with a SCL-10A controller, SIL-10A autosampler and FRC-10A fraction collector. The reaction was diluted to 2ml with acetonitrile purified using a Waters Sunfire Prep C18 OBD, 5 μ M 19mm x 150mm column and monitored using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wave length of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 25 mL / min , a gradient of 50% solvent A / 50% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 25 minutes with a run time of 35 minutes using %A= 10% acetonitrile, 90% water, 0.1% TFA %B= 90% acetonitrile, 10% water, 0.1% TFA solvent system. Retention time of product was from 14.77 to 15.57 minutes. Volatiles were removed from the product fraction *in vacuo* using a rotary evaporator. The title compound was dried *in vacuo* at room temperature to yield 28.2mg of a yellow amorphous solid.

¹H NMR (500 MHz, CHLOROFORM-D) δ ppm 0.68 (s, 1 H) 1.14 - 1.30 (m, 2 H) 1.32 - 1.55 (m, 11 H) 1.55 - 1.72 (m, 3 H) 1.80 (t, *J*=10.68 Hz, 2 H) 1.90 - 2.02 (m, 2 H) 2.11 (s, 12 H) 2.19 - 2.34 (m, 4 H) 2.85 (t, *J*=11.75 Hz, 1 H) 2.98 (d, *J*=11.90 Hz, 1 H) 3.13 (s, 1 H) 3.25 - 3.68 (m, 2 H) 3.74 - 3.91 (m, 2 H) 3.94 (s, 3 H) 4.00 - 4.10 (m, 1 H) 4.19 (d, *J*=27.77 Hz, 2 H) 4.55 (d, *J*=14.95 Hz, 1 H) 4.80 (d, *J*=14.65 Hz, 1 H) 5.03 (s, 0.15 H) 6.82 (s, 1 H) 6.93 (s, 1 H) 7.11 (dd, *J*=8.70, 2.59 Hz, 1 H) 7.54 (d, *J*=8.55 Hz, 1 H) 7.62 (d, *J*=7.63 Hz, 2 H) 7.81 - 8.01 (m, 1 H) 10.51 (s, 1 H).

LC-MS retention time 1.79 min; 738 m/z (MH⁻). LC data was recorded on a Shimadzu LC-10AS liquid chromatograph equipped with a Phenomenex-Luna 10u C18 3.0x50mm column using a SPD-10AV UV-Vis detector at a detector wavelength of 220nm. The elution conditions employed a flow rate of 5 ml/min , a
 5 gradient of 100% solvent A / 0% solvent B to 0% solvent A / 100% solvent B, a gradient time of 3 min, a hold time of 1 min, and an analysis time of 4 min where solvent A was 5% acetonitrile / 95% H₂O / 10 mM ammonium acetate and solvent B was 5% H₂O / 95% acetonitrile / 10 mM ammonium acetate. MS data was determined using a Micromass Platform for LC in electrospray mode.

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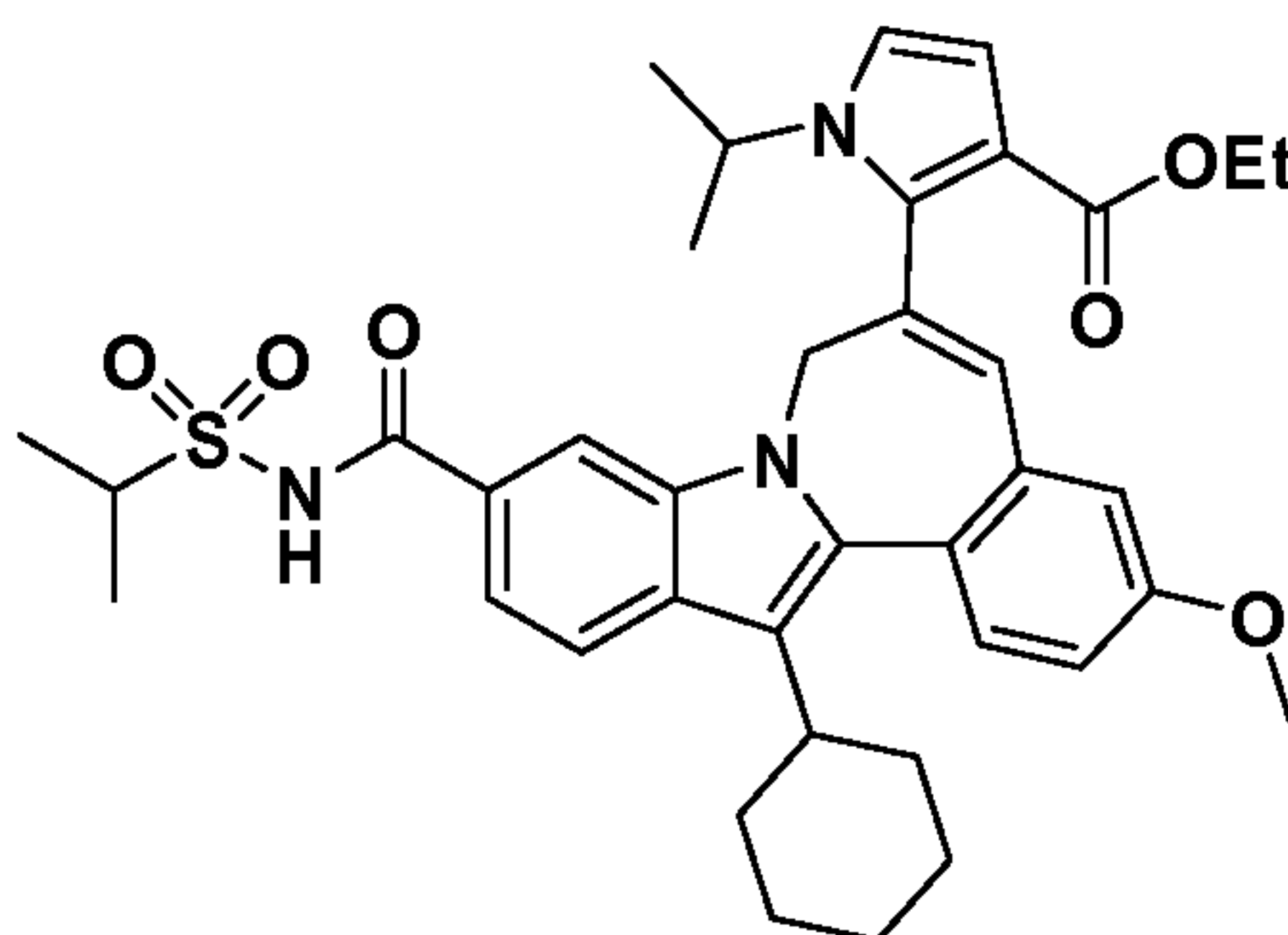


7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-6-propanoic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-beta-oxo-, ethyl ester.

15 To a stirred solution of 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-6-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]- (4 g, 7.45 mmol) in THF (20 mL) was added CDI (1.151 g, 7.10 mmol) and the mixture was heated at 45 °C for 0.5 h and the reaction mixture was cooled and transferred into a suspension of magnesium chloride (1.419 g, 14.91 mmol) and potassium ethyl
 20 malonate (2.54 g, 14.91 mmol) in THF (15 mL). Additional THF (40 mL) was added to dissolve the ensuing precipitation. The reaction mixture was stirred for 0.5 h at r. t. and then heated at 60 °C overnight. Rxn mixture was cooled to rt and diluted with EtOAc, washed with 1N HCl, brine and dried (Mg₂SO₄). Crude product was purified on a Thomson 160g column (MeOH/DCM: 0 to 25%) to afford the product
 25 as a reddish solid (3.8 g, 84%). LC/MS method: Start % B: 0; Final % B: 100; Gradient time: 3 min; Stop time: 4 min; Flow rate: 4 mL/min; Wavelength: 220 Solvent A: 10% MeOH / 90% H₂O / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Solvent B: 10% H₂O

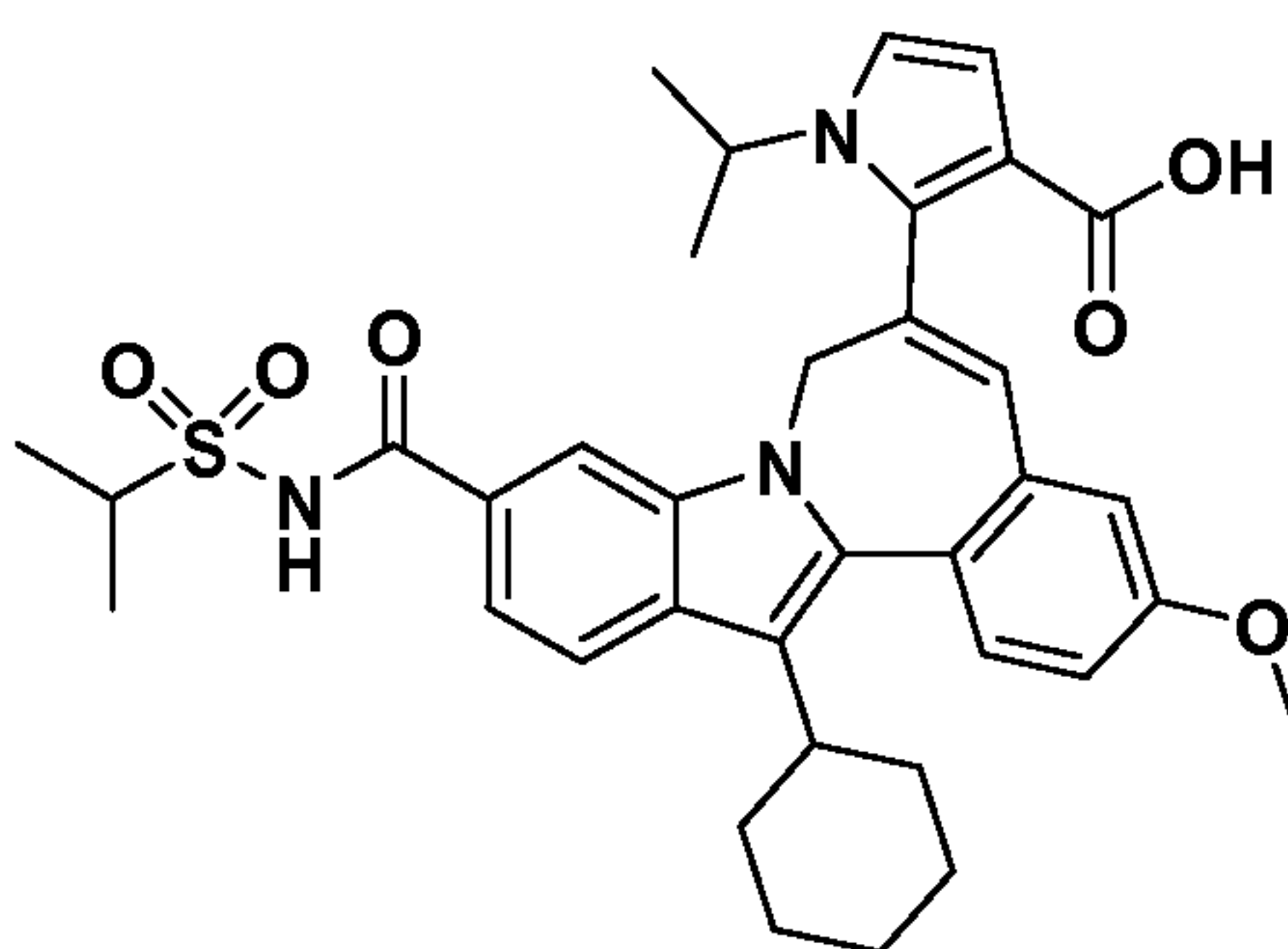
/ 90% MeOH / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Column: XBridge 4.6 x 50 mm S5.

LC/MS: retention time 3.418 min, m/z 607 (MH⁺).



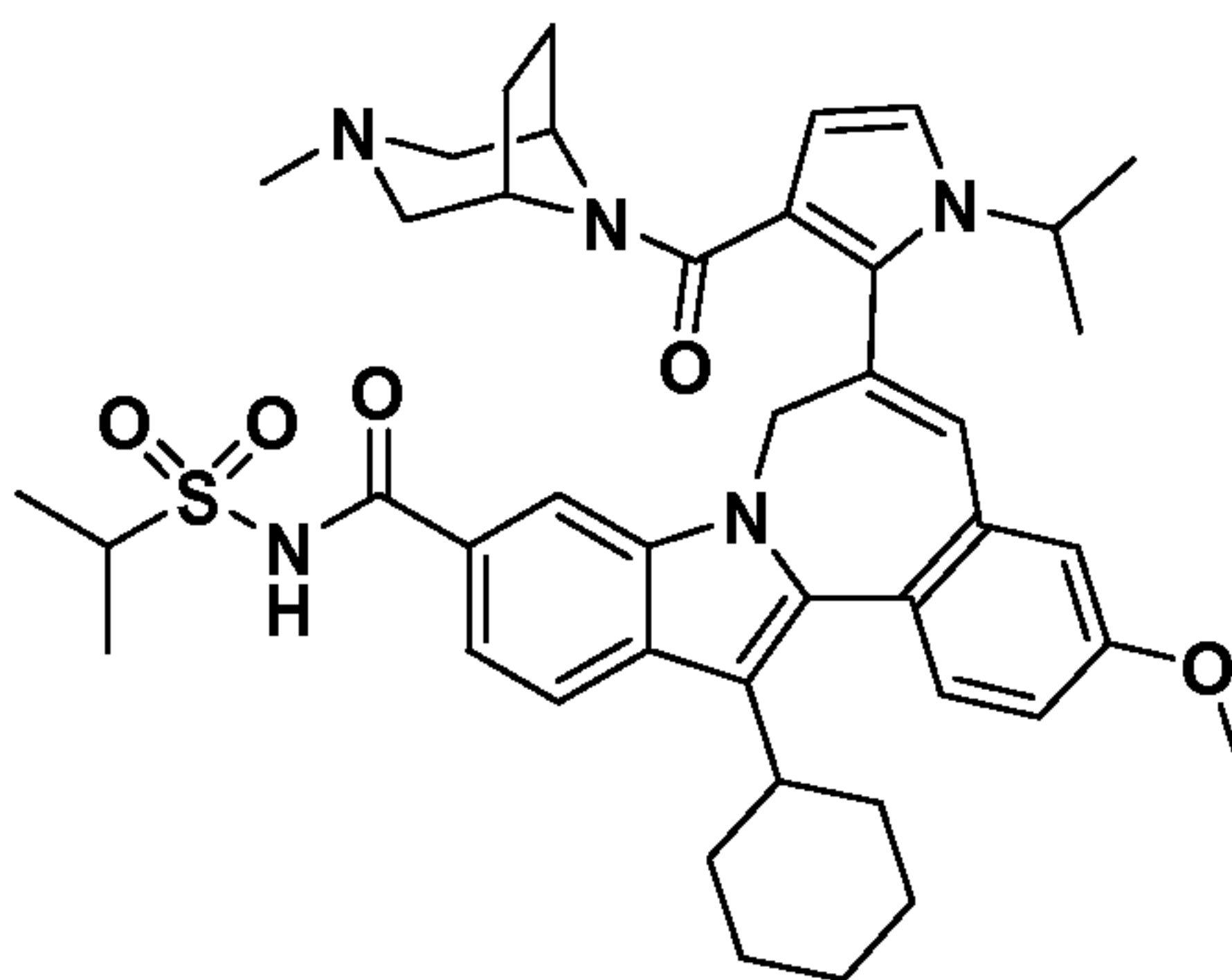
5 *1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylic acid, 2-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-, ethyl ester.*

To a solution of 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-6-propanoic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-beta-oxo-,
 10 ethyl ester (0.8 g, 1.055 mmol) in THF (3 mL) was added propan-2-amine (0.624 g, 10.55 mmol) and Tosic Acid (10.03 mg, 0.053 mmol). The mixture was stirred at r.t. for 0.5 h and 1,2-dibromoethyl acetate (0.337 g, 1.371 mmol) was added at 0 °C. The reaction mixture was stirred at r.t. for 0.5 h and then sodium hydride (0.051 g, 2.110 mmol) was added and stirred for 10 min at r.t. The mixture was heated at
 15 60 °C for 3 h and cooled to r.t., diluted with EtOAc and washed with ice cold HCl (1N), brine and dried (MgSO₄). Crude product was purified on a Biotage 25M column, (EtOAc/hexane: 5-100%) to afford the compound as a beige foam (0.26 g, 35%). LC/MS method: Start % B: 0; Final % B: 100; Gradient time: 3 min; Stop time: 4 min; Flow rate: 4 mL/min; Wavelength: 220 Solvent A: 10% MeOH / 90%
 20 H₂O / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Solvent B: 10% H₂O / 90% MeOH / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Column: XBridge 4.6 x 50 mm S5. LC/MS: retention time 3.631 min, m/z 672 (MH⁺).



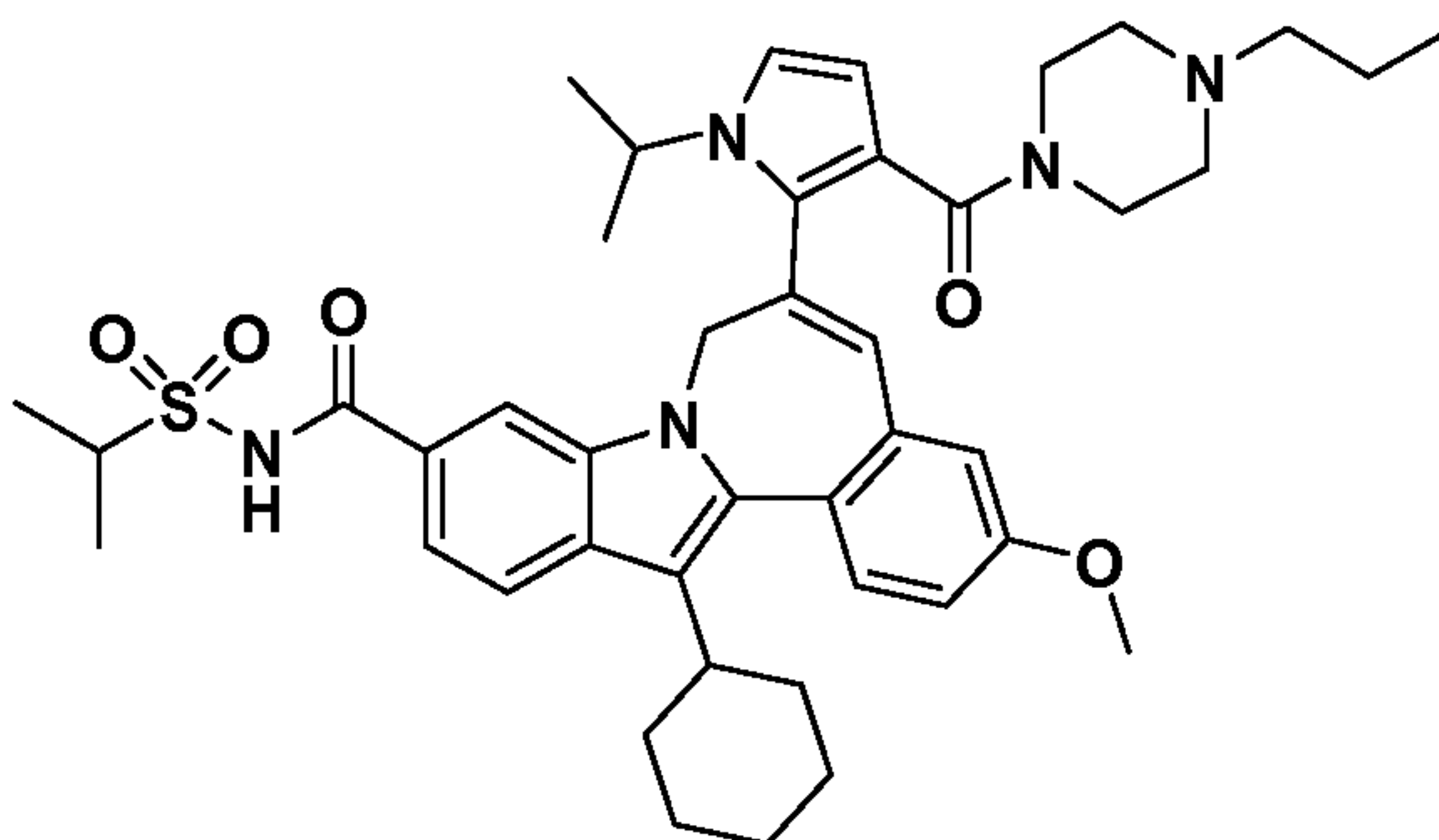
1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylic acid, 2-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-
 methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(1-
 5 methylethyl)-.

To a solution of 1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylic acid, 2-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-
 10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-
 1-(1-methylethyl)-, ethyl ester (80 mg, 0.119 mmol) in THF (2 mL) and was added
 potassium trimethylsilanolate (45.8 mg, 0.357 mmol). The mixture was stirred under
 10 nitrogen for 30 min and another portion of potassium trimethylsilanolate (100 mg)
 was added. The reaction mixture was stirred at r.t. for 2 days and diluted with
 EtOAc, washed with cold 1 N HCl, brine, dried (MgSO₄) and removed the solvent to
 afford the acid as a beige solid (71 mg, 88%). ¹H NMR (400 MHz,
 CHLOROFORM-*d*) δ ppm 8.80 (1 H, br. s.), 7.81 - 7.89 (1 H, m), 7.76 (1 H, s), 7.45
 15 - 7.52 (1 H, m), 7.42 (1 H, d, *J*=6.29 Hz), 7.03 (1 H, dd, *J*=8.69, 2.64 Hz), 6.93 (1 H,
 d, *J*=2.27 Hz), 6.47 - 6.76 (3 H, m), 4.98 (1 H, d, *J*=13.85 Hz), 4.61 (1 H, d, *J*=14.60
 Hz), 3.97 - 4.07 (1 H, m), 3.89 (1 H, s), 3.34 - 3.52 (1 H, m), 2.73 - 2.89 (1 H, m),
 1.87 - 2.12 (4 H, m), 1.66 - 1.84 (2 H, m), 0.81 - 1.55 (19 H, m). LC/MS method:
 Start % B: 0; Final % B: 100; Gradient time: 3 min; Stop time: 4 min; Flow rate: 4
 20 mL/min; Wavelength: 220 Solvent A: 10% MeOH / 90% H₂O / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic
 Acid; Solvent B: 10% H₂O / 90% MeOH / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Column:
 XBridge 4.6 x 50 mm S5. LC/MS: retention time 3.503 min, *m/z* 644 (MH⁺).



13-Cyclohexyl-6-(1-isopropyl-3-(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-8-carbonyl)-1H-pyrrol-2-yl)-3-methoxy-N-(isopropylsulfonyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide.

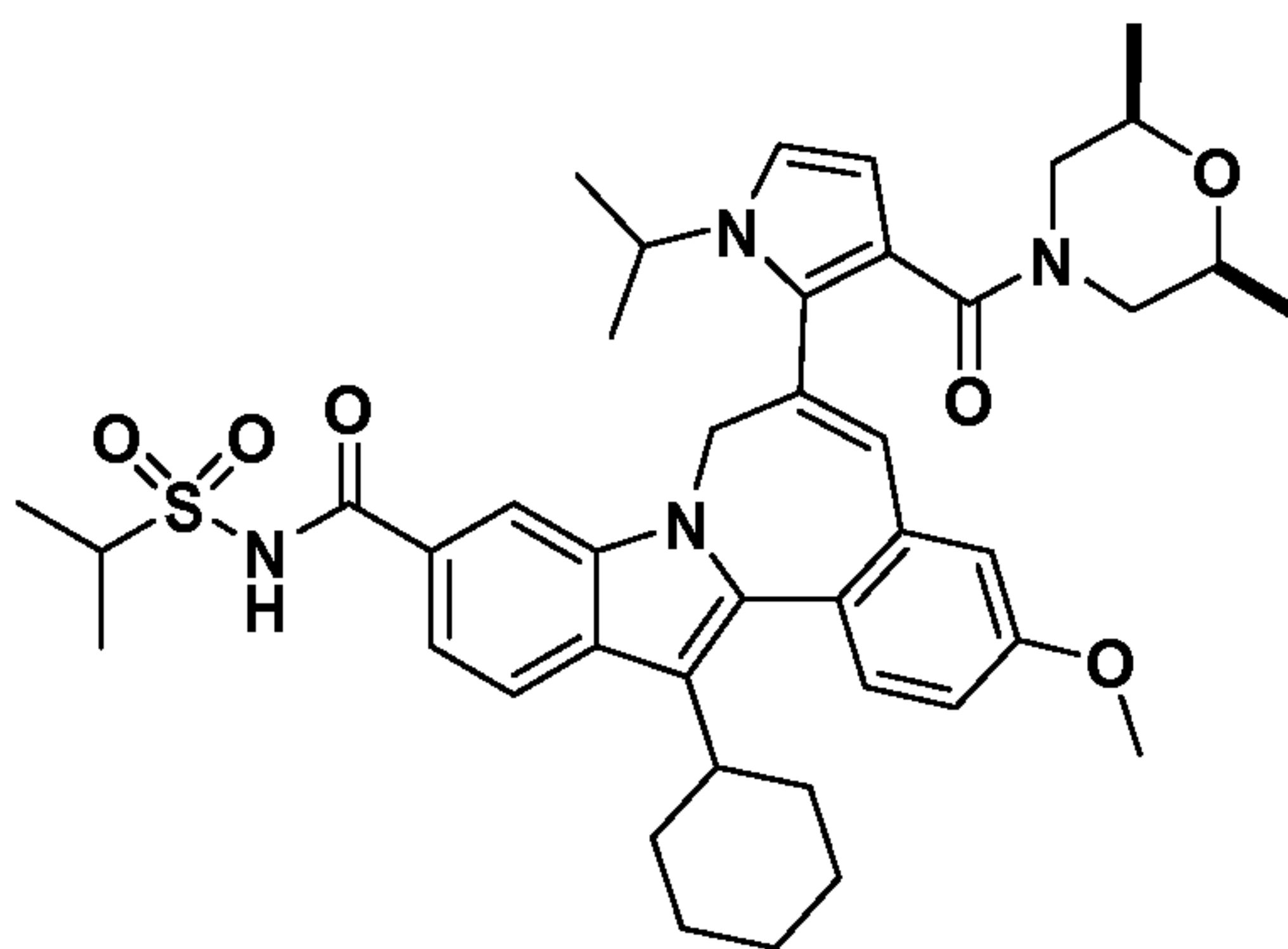
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13-Cyclohexyl-6-(1-isopropyl-3-(4-propylpiperazine-1-carbonyl)-1H-pyrrol-2-yl)-3-methoxy-N-(isopropylsulfonyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*) δ ppm 7.87 (1 H, d, $J=8.56$ Hz), 7.79 (1 H, s), 7.59 (1 H, d, $J=8.31$ Hz), 7.53 (1 H, d, $J=8.56$ Hz), 7.05 (1 H, dd,

$J=8.69$, 2.64 Hz), 6.90 (1 H, d, $J=2.52$ Hz), 6.78 (1 H, br. s.), 6.68 (1 H, s), 6.32 (1 H, d, $J=2.27$ Hz), 4.91 (1 H, d, $J=14.60$ Hz), 4.55 (2 H, d, $J=14.86$ Hz), 3.99 - 4.50 (2 H, m), 3.95 - 4.32 (1 H, m), 3.92 (3 H, s), 2.70 - 3.19 (5 H, m), 1.86 - 2.16 (8 H, m), 1.67 - 1.84 (2 H, m), 1.09 - 1.64 (18 H, m), 0.65 - 0.83 (3 H, m). LC/MS method:

5 Start % B: 0; Final % B: 100; Gradient time: 3 min; Stop time: 4 min; Flow rate: 4 mL/min; Wavelength: 220 Solvent A: 10% MeOH / 90% H₂O / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Solvent B: 10% H₂O / 90% MeOH / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Column: XBridge 4.6 x 50 mm S5. LC/MS: retention time 3.330 min, m/z 754 (MH⁺).

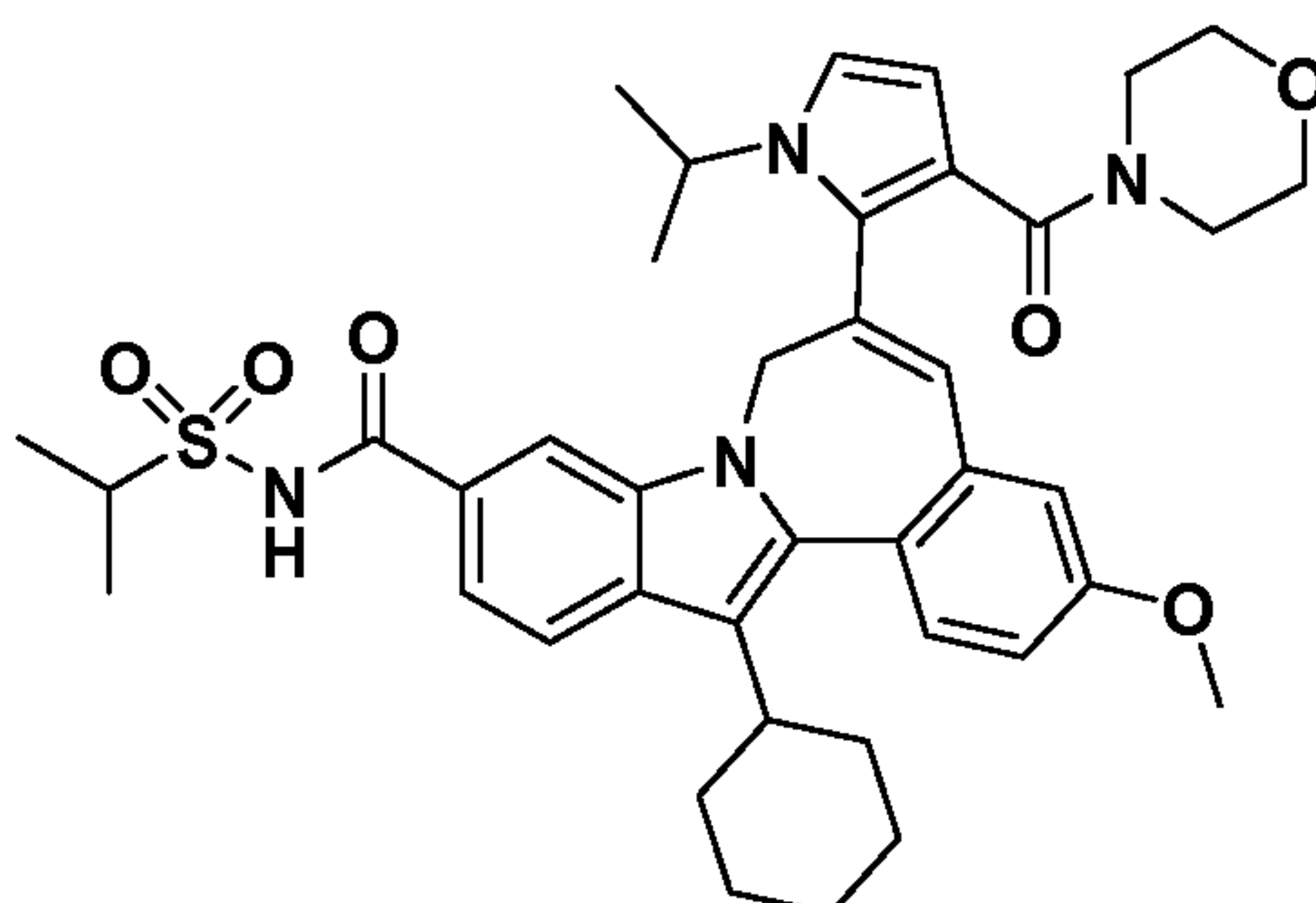


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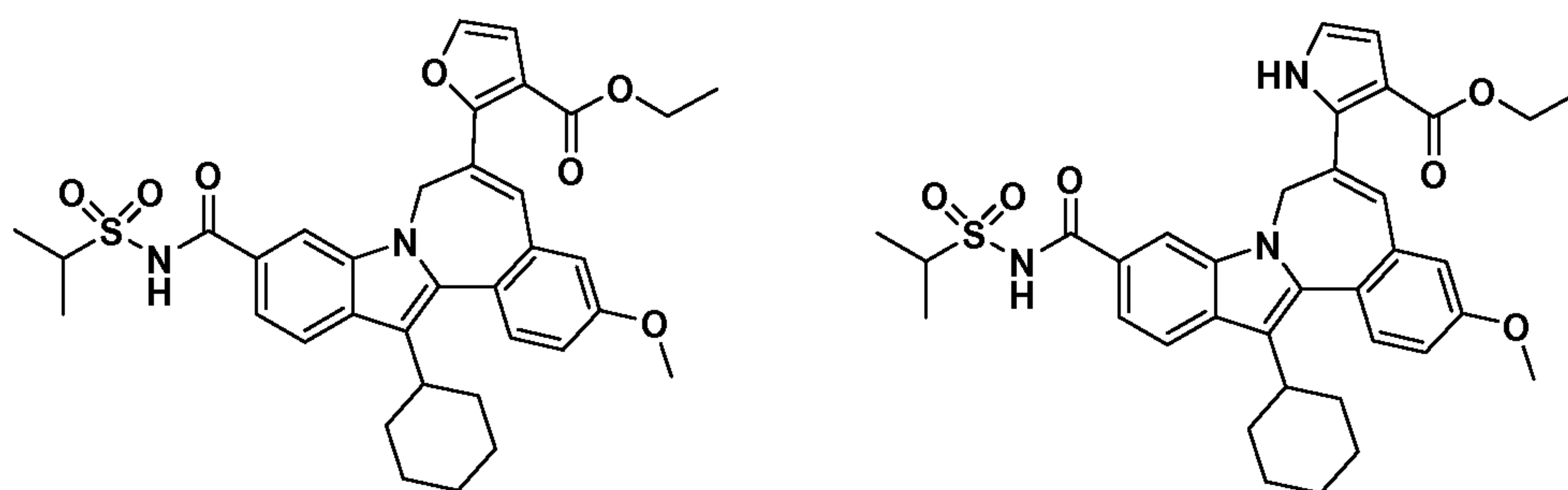
13-Cyclohexyl-6-(3-((2S,6R)-2,6-dimethylmorpholine-4-carbonyl)-1-isopropyl-1H-pyrrol-2-yl)-3-methoxy-N-(isopropylsulfonyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*) δ ppm

15 7.87 - 7.93 (1 H, m), 7.75 (1 H, br. s.), 7.44 - 7.66 (2 H, m), 7.01 - 7.12 (1 H, m), 6.90 (1 H, br. s.), 6.83 (1 H, br. s.), 6.64 (1 H, br. s.), 6.37 (1 H, br. s.), 4.90 (0 H, d, $J=14.86$ Hz), 4.57 (1 H, s), 4.31 - 4.50 (1 H, m), 4.05 - 4.16 (1 H, m), 3.94 (3 H, s), 3.85 - 3.92 (1 H, m), 2.70 - 3.74 (5 H, m), 1.84 - 2.25 (7 H, m), 1.66 - 1.84 (2 H, m), 0.97 - 1.66 (20 H, m), 0.53 - 0.93 (5 H, m); LC/MS method: Start % B: 0; Final % B: 20 100; Gradient time: 3 min; Stop time: 4 min; Flow rate: 4 mL/min; Wavelength: 220 Solvent A: 10% MeOH / 90% H₂O / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Solvent B: 10% H₂O / 90% MeOH / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Column: XBridge 4.6 x 50 mm S5. LC/MS: retention time 3.550 min, m/z 741 (MH⁺).

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13-Cyclohexyl-6-(1-isopropyl-3-(morpholine-4-carbonyl)-1H-pyrrol-2-yl)-3-methoxy-N-(isopropylsulfonyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide. ¹H
 5 NMR (400 MHz, *CHLOROFORM-d*) δ ppm 10.21 (1 H, br. s.), 7.92 (1 H, d, $J=8.56$ Hz), 7.84 (1 H, s), 7.61 (1 H, d, $J=8.31$ Hz), 7.56 (1 H, d, $J=8.81$ Hz), 7.09 (1 H, dd, $J=8.69, 2.64$ Hz), 6.90 (1 H, d, $J=2.77$ Hz), 6.82 (1 H, br. s.), 6.69 (1 H, s), 6.36 (1 H, d, $J=2.52$ Hz), 4.94 (1 H, d, $J=14.86$ Hz), 4.56 (1 H, d, $J=15.11$ Hz), 4.38 (1 H, br. s.), 4.02 - 4.12 (1 H, m), 3.94 (3 H, s), 3.58 - 4.14 (2 H, m), 2.53 - 3.28 (6 H, m), 1.95
 10 (1 H, br. s.), 1.88 - 2.30 (4 H, m), 1.72 - 1.85 (2 H, m), 1.08 - 1.64 (16 H, m).



3-Furancarboxylic acid, 2-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-, ethyl
 15 ester

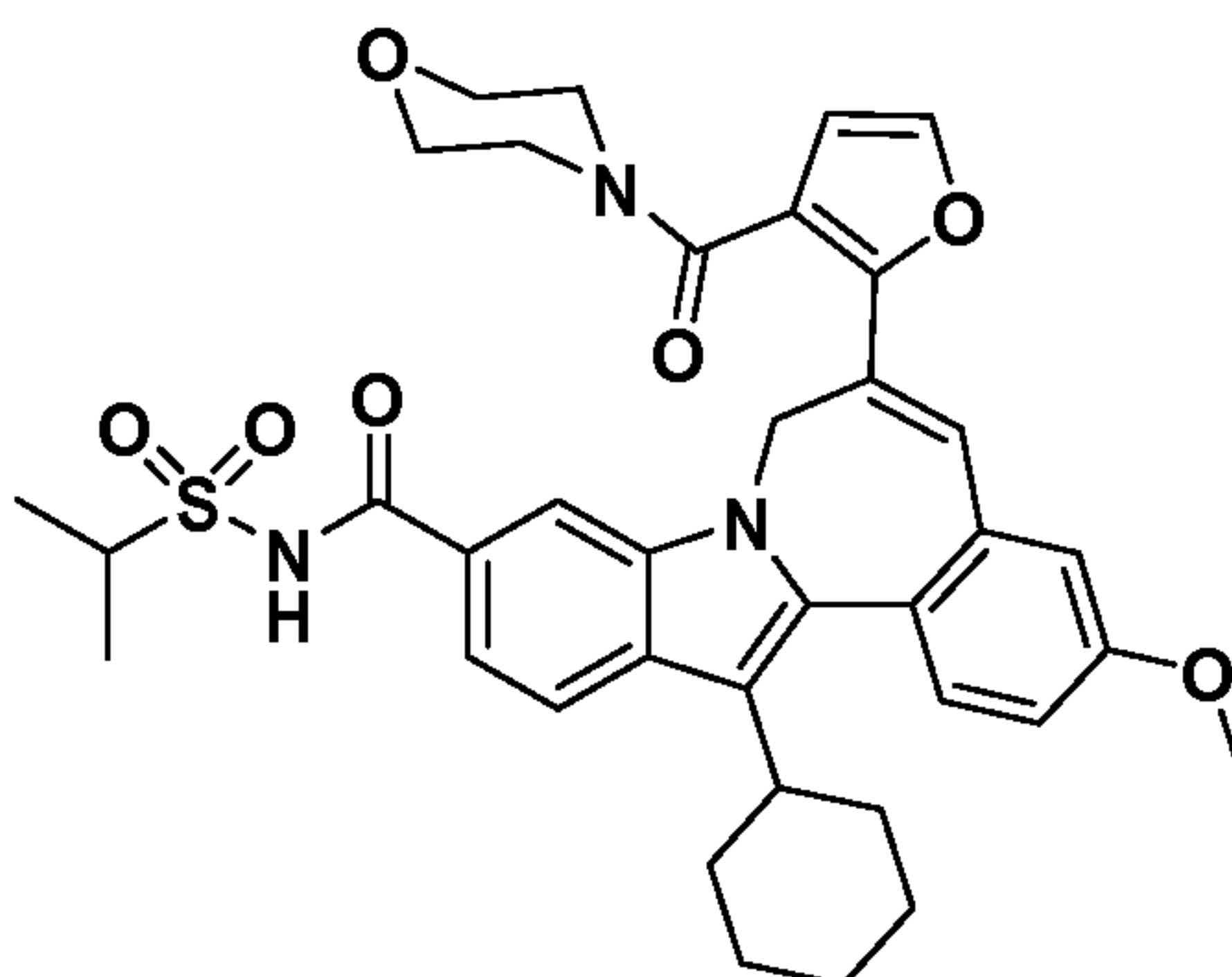
1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylic acid, 2-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-, ethyl
 20 ester

To a solution of starting 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-6-propanoic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-beta-oxo-, ethyl ester (1.200 g, 1.978 mmol) in THF (20 mL) was added 1,2-dibromoethyl acetate in THF (0.26 M, 9.13 mL, 2.373 mmol). NH_3 was then bubbled through the

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3-Furancarboxylic acid, 2-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-.

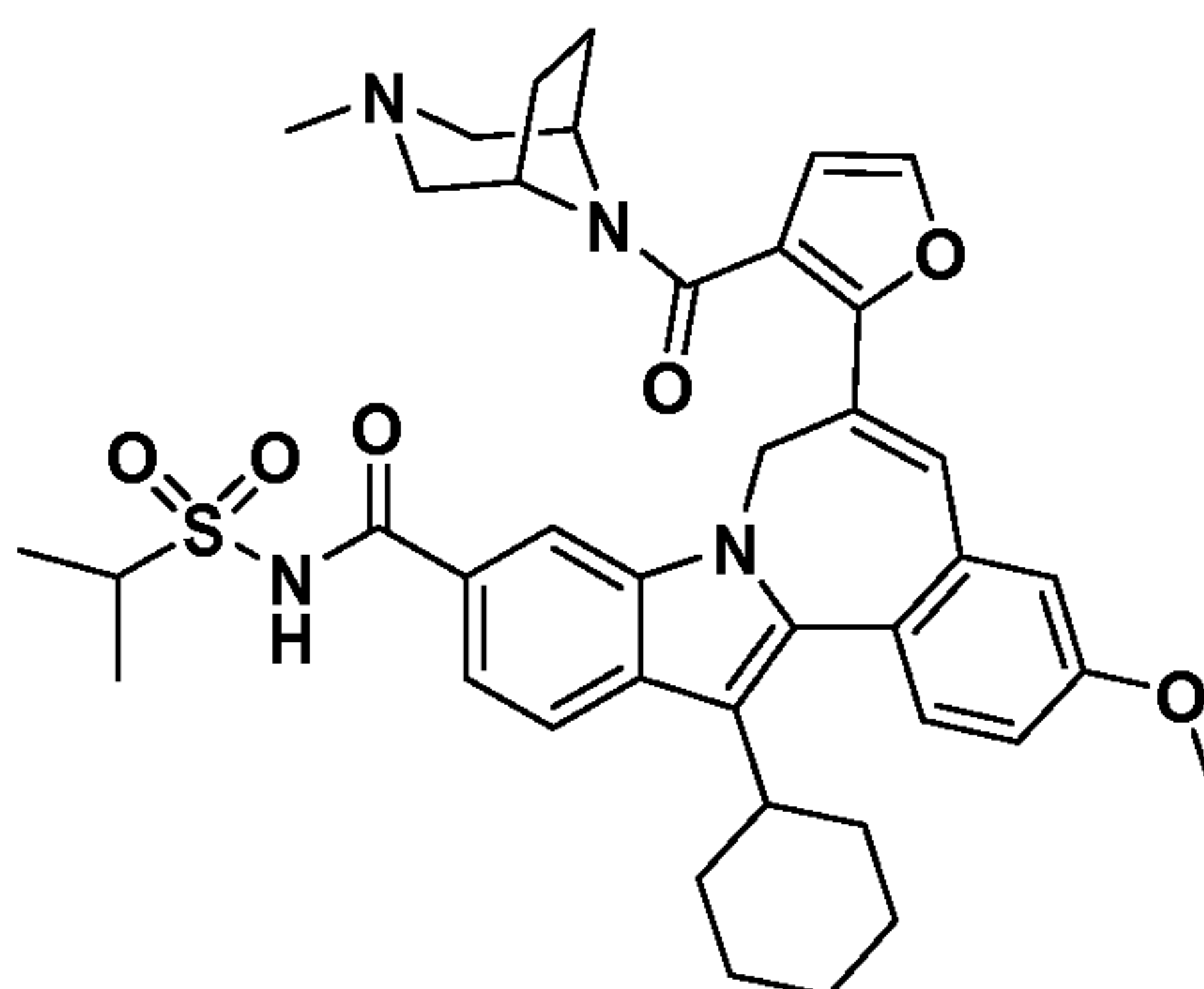
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 10 Solvent A: 10% MeOH / 90% H₂O / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Solvent B: 10% H₂O / 90% MeOH / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Column: XBridge 4.6 x 50 mm S5.
 LC/MS: retention time 3.558 min, m/z 603 (MH⁺).



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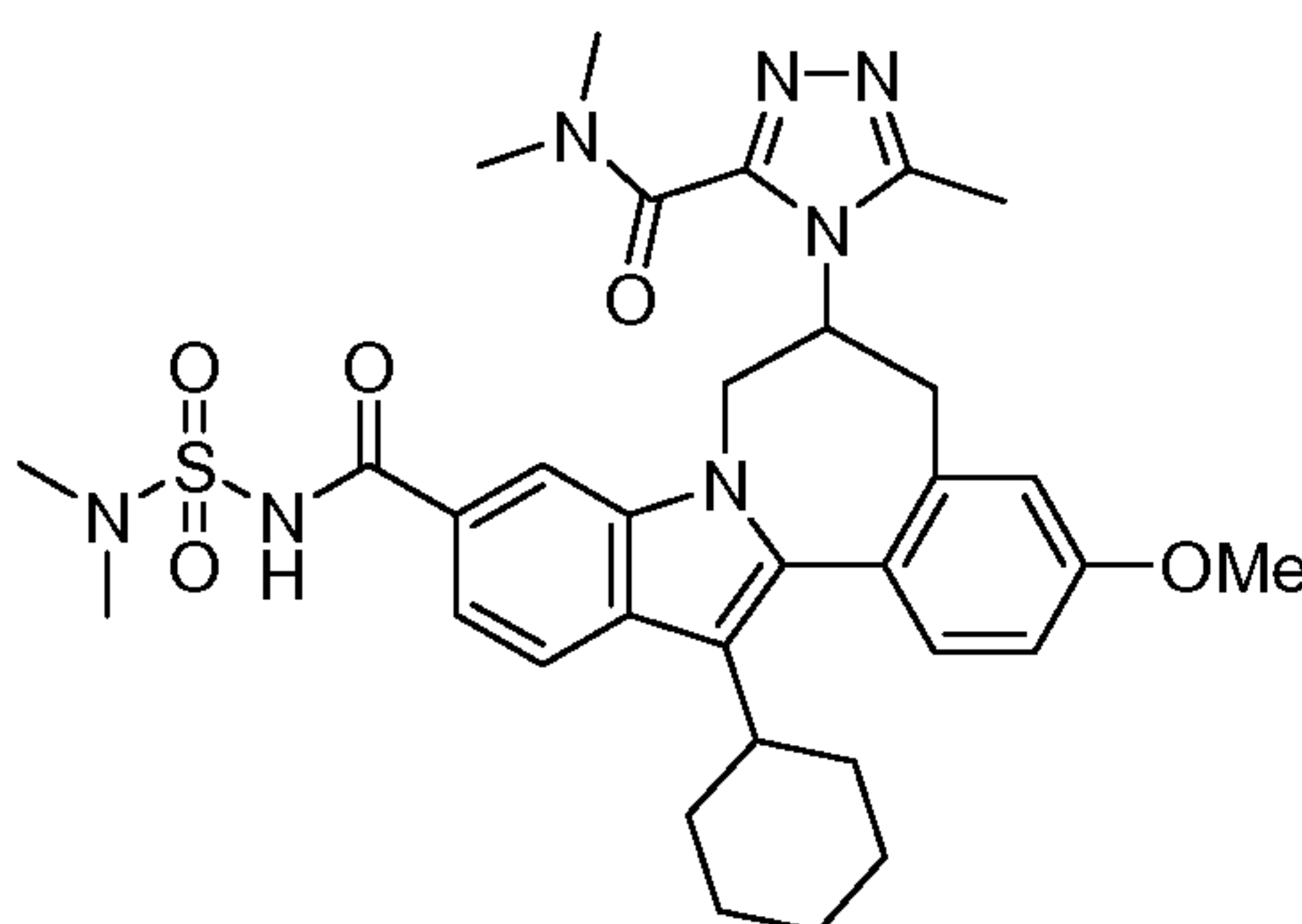
13-cyclohexyl-6-(3-(morpholine-4-carbonyl)furan-2-yl)-3-methoxy-N-(isopropylsulfonyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide.

¹H NMR (400 MHz, CHLOROFORM-*d*) δ ppm 8.08 (1 H, d, *J*=1.01 Hz), 7.86 (1 H, d, *J*=8.56 Hz), 7.66 (1 H, dd, *J*=8.44, 1.38 Hz), 7.49 (1 H, d, *J*=8.56 Hz), 7.40 (1 H, d, *J*=1.76 Hz), 7.33 (1 H, s), 7.04 (1 H, dd, *J*=8.56, 2.77 Hz), 6.96 (1 H, d, *J*=2.52 Hz), 6.48 (1 H, d), 5.23 (1 H, d), 4.40 (1 H, d), 3.99 - 4.18 (2 H, m), 3.90 (3 H, s), 3.79 - 3.95 (1 H, m), 3.67 - 3.78 (2 H, m), 3.42 - 3.51 (2 H, m), 3.33 - 3.41 (1 H, m), 3.19 - 3.31 (1 H, m), 2.75 - 2.88 (1 H, m), 1.86 - 2.13 (4 H, m), 1.14 - 1.83 (12 H, m); LC/MS method: Start % B: 0; Final % B: 100; Gradient time: 3 min; Stop
 20 time: 4 min; Flow rate: 4 mL/min; Wavelength: 220 Solvent A: 10% MeOH / 90% H₂O / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Solvent B: 10% H₂O / 90% MeOH / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Column: XBridge 4.6 x 50 mm S5. LC/MS: retention time 3.276 min, m/z 711 (MH⁺).



13-cyclohexyl-6-(3-(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]octane-8-carbonyl)furan-2-yl)-1H-pyrrol-2-yl)-3-methoxy-N-(isopropylsulfonyl)-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide. LC/MS method: Start % B: 0; Final % B: 100; Gradient time: 3 min; Stop time: 4 min; Flow rate: 4 mL/min; Wavelength: 220 Solvent A: 10% MeOH / 90% H₂O / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Solvent B: 10% H₂O / 90% MeOH / 0.1% Trifluoroacetic Acid; Column: XBridge 4.6 x 50 mm S5. LC/MS: retention time 3.503 min, m/z 644 (MH⁺).

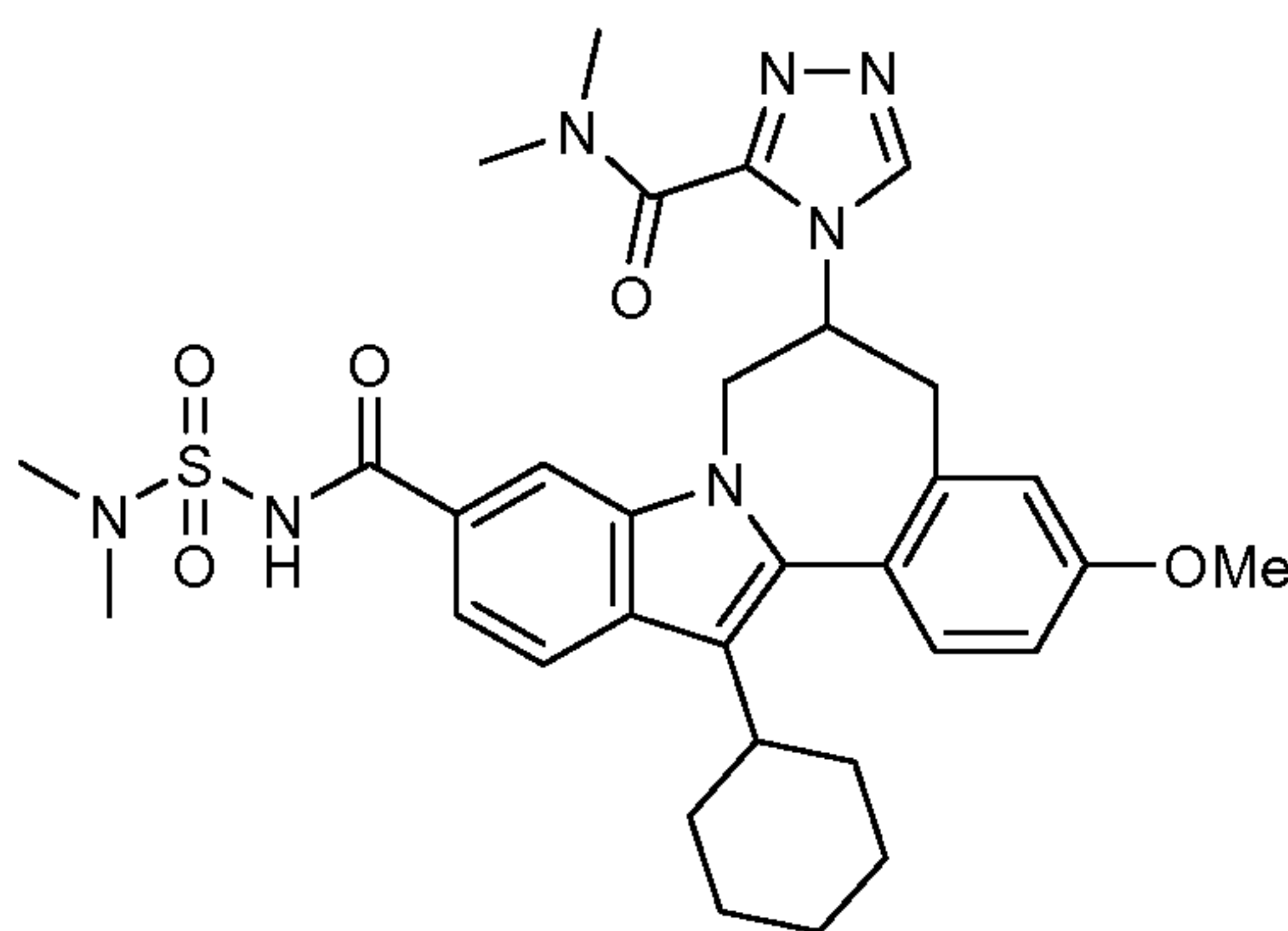
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5H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[3-[(dimethylamino)carbonyl]-5-methyl-4H-1,2,4-triazol-4-yl]-N-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-6,7-dihydro-3-methoxy-. To a mixture of ethanediamide, N'-[13-cyclohexyl-10-[[[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-6,7-dihydro-3-methoxy-5H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-N,N-dimethyl- (19.9 mg, 0.033 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (1 mL) at 0 °C under N₂ was added phosphorus pentachloride (20.4 mg, 0.098 mmol). The mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 2 hours, and then added with acetylhydrazine (7.25 mg, 0.098 mmol). The mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 1 hour, and then at r.t. for 21 hours. The mixture was added another 14.5 mg (0.196 mmol)

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- of acetylhydrazine, evaporated to dryness, added PhCH₃ (1 mL), and then stirred at 120 °C for 6 hours. The mixture was cooled to r.t. and then evaporated. The residue was diluted with MeOH and purified by using Shimadzu-VP preparative reverse phase HPLC to obtain the TFA salt of the product using the separation method:
- 5 Solvent A = 10% MeOH–90% H₂O–0.1% TFA, Solvent B = 90% MeOH–10%H₂O–0.1% TFA, Start %B = 60, Final %B = 90, Gradient time = 10 min, Stop time = 12 min, Flow Rate = 30 mL/min, Column: Xterra Prep MS C18 5u 30x50mm, Fraction Collection: 7.02 – 7.62 min. (UV detection at 220 nm). LC/MS were performed by using Shimadzu-VP instrument with UV detection at 220 nm and
 - 10 Waters Micromass. HPLC method: Solvent A = 10% MeOH–90% H₂O–0.1% TFA, Solvent B = 90% MeOH–10%H₂O–0.1% TFA, Start %B = 0, Final %B = 100, Gradient time = 2 min, Stop time = 3 min, Flow Rate = 5 ml/min, Column: Xterra MS C18 S7 3.0 x 50mm; (ES+) m/z (M+H)⁺ = 648.41, HPLC R_t = 1.787 min. HPLC method: Solvent A = 5% MeCN–95% H₂O–10 mM NH₄OAc, Solvent B = 95%
 - 15 MeCN–5%H₂O–10 mM NH₄OAc, Start %B = 0, Final %B = 100, Gradient time = 2 min, Stop time = 3 min, Flow Rate = 5 ml/min, Column: Phenomenex Lina C18 5um 3.0 x 50mm; (ES+) m/z (M+H)⁺ = 648.38, HPLC R_t = 1.260 min. Analytical HPLC were performed by using Shimadzu-VP instrument with UV detection at 254 nm and 256 nm. Analytical HPLC method: Solvent A = 5% MeCN–95% H₂O–0.1% TFA,
 - 20 Solvent B = 95% MeCN–5%H₂O–0.1% TFA, Start %B = 10, Final %B = 100, Gradient time = 10 min, Stop time = 20 min, Flow Rate = 1 ml/min, Column: Waters Sunfire C-18, 4.6 x 150 mm, 3.5 um; R_t = 10.46 min; Column: Waters Xbridge Phenyl 4.6 x 150 mm, 3.5 um; R_t = 9.42 min.



- 5H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[3-[(dimethylamino)carbonyl]-4H-1,2,4-triazol-4-yl]-N-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-6,7-dihydro-3-methoxy-*. This example was prepared in a similar manner as described by using formylhydrazine as the coupling partner. Purification by Shimadzu-VP
- 5 preparative reverse phase HPLC to obtain the TFA salt of the product using the separation method: Solvent A = 10% MeOH–90% H₂O–0.1% TFA, Solvent B = 90% MeOH–10%H₂O–0.1% TFA, Start %B = 40, Final %B = 90, Gradient time = 10 min, Stop time = 12 min, Flow Rate = 30 mL/min, Column: Xterra Prep MS C18 5u 30x50mm, Fraction Collection: 9.57 – 9.99 min. (UV detection at 220 nm).
- 10 LC/MS were performed by using Shimadzu-VP instrument with UV detection at 220 nm and Waters Micromass. HPLC method: Solvent A = 10% MeOH–90% H₂O–0.1% TFA, Solvent B = 90% MeOH–10%H₂O–0.1% TFA, Start %B = 0, Final %B = 100, Gradient time = 2 min, Stop time = 3 min, Flow Rate = 5 ml/min, Column: Xterra MS C18 S7 3.0 x 50mm; (ES+) m/z (M+H)⁺ = 634.45, HPLC R_t =
- 15 1.785 min. Analytical HPLC were performed by using Shimadzu-VP instrument with UV detection at 254 nm and 256 nm. Analytical HPLC method: Solvent A = 5% MeCN–95% H₂O–0.1% TFA, Solvent B = 95% MeCN–5%H₂O–0.1% TFA, Start %B = 10, Final %B = 100, Gradient time = 10 min, Stop time = 20 min, Flow Rate = 1 ml/min, Column: Waters Sunfire C-18, 4.6 x 150 mm, 3.5 um; R_t = 10.33
- 20 min; Column: Waters Xbridge Phenyl 4.6 x 150 mm, 3.5 um; R_t = 9.44 min.

Biological Methods

- The compounds demonstrated activity against HCV NS5B as determined in
- 25 the following HCV RdRp assays.

- HCV NS5B RdRp cloning, expression, and purification.* The cDNA encoding the NS5B protein of HCV, genotype 1b, was cloned into the pET21a expression vector. The protein was expressed with an 18 amino acid C-terminal truncation to
- 30 enhance the solubility. The E. coli competent cell line BL21(DE3) was used for expression of the protein. Cultures were grown at 37 °C for ~ 4 hours until the cultures reached an optical density of 2.0 at 600 nm. The cultures were cooled to

20 °C and induced with 1 mM IPTG. Fresh ampicillin was added to a final concentration of 50 µg/ml and the cells were grown overnight at 20 °C.

Cell pellets (3L) were lysed for purification to yield 15-24 mgs of purified
5 NS5B. The lysis buffer consisted of 20 mM Tris-HCl, pH 7.4, 500 mM NaCl, 0.5% triton X-100, 1 mM DTT, 1mM EDTA, 20% glycerol, 0.5 mg/ml lysozyme, 10 mM MgCl₂, 15 ug/ml deoxyribonuclease I, and Complete TM protease inhibitor tablets (Roche). After addition of the lysis buffer, frozen cell pellets were resuspended using a tissue homogenizer. To reduce the viscosity of the sample, aliquots of the lysate
10 were sonicated on ice using a microtip attached to a Branson sonicator. The sonicated lysate was centrifuged at 100,000 x g for 1hr at 4 °C and filtered through a 0.2 µm filter unit (Corning).

The protein was purified using three sequential chromatography steps:
15 Heparin sepharose CL-6B, polyU sepharose 4B, and Hitrap SP sepharose (Pharmacia). The chromatography buffers were identical to the lysis buffer but contained no lysozyme, deoxyribonuclease I, MgCl₂ or protease inhibitor and the NaCl concentration of the buffer was adjusted according to the requirements for charging the protein onto the column. Each column was eluted with a NaCl gradient
20 which varied in length from 5-50 column volumes depending on the column type. After the final chromatography step, the resulting purity of the enzyme is >90% based on SDS-PAGE analysis. The enzyme was aliquoted and stored at -80 °C.

Standard HCV NS5B RdRp enzyme assay. HCV RdRp genotype 1b assays
25 were run in a final volume of 60 µl in 96 well plates (Costar 3912). The assay buffer is composed of 20 mM Hepes, pH 7.5, 2.5 mM KCl, 2.5 mM MgCl₂, 1 mM DTT, 1.6 U RNase inhibitor (Promega N2515), 0.1 mg/ml BSA (Promega R3961), and 2 % glycerol. All compounds were serially diluted (3-fold) in DMSO and diluted further in water such that the final concentration of DMSO in the assay was 2%.
30 HCV RdRp genotype 1b enzyme was used at a final concentration of 28 nM. A polyA template was used at 6 nM, and a biotinylated oligo-dT12 primer was used at 180 nM final concentration. Template was obtained commercially (Amersham 27-4110). Biotinylated primer was prepared by Sigma Genosys. 3H-UTP was used at

0.6 μ Ci (0.29 μ M total UTP). Reactions were initiated by the addition of enzyme, incubated at 30 °C for 60 min, and stopped by adding 25 μ l of 50 mM EDTA containing SPA beads (4 μ g/ μ l, Amersham RPNQ 0007). Plates were read on a Packard Top Count NXT after >1hr incubation at room temperature.

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Modified HCV NS5B RdRp enzyme assay. A modified enzyme assay was performed essentially as described for the standard enzyme assay except for the following: The biotinylated oligo dT12 primer was precaptured on streptavidin-coated SPA beads by mixing primer and beads in assay buffer and incubating at room temperature for one hour. Unbound primer was removed after centrifugation. The primer-bound beads were resuspended in 20 mM Hepes buffer, pH 7.5 and used in the assay at final concentrations of 20 nM primer and 0.67 μ g/ μ l beads. Order of addition in the assay: enzyme (14 nM) was added to diluted compound followed by the addition of a mixture of template (0.2 nM), 3H-UTP (0.6 μ Ci, 0.29 μ M), and primer-bound beads, to initiate the reaction; concentrations given are final. Reactions were allowed to proceed for 4 hours at 30° C.

IC₅₀ values for compounds were determined using seven different [I]. IC₅₀ values were calculated from the inhibition using the formula $y = A + ((B - A) / (1 + ((C/x)^D)))$.

FRET Assay Preparation. To perform the HCV FRET screening assay, 96-well cell culture plates were used. The FRET peptide (Anaspec, Inc.) (Taliani et al., *Anal. Biochem.* **1996**, 240, 60-67) contains a fluorescence donor, EDANS, near one end of the peptide and an acceptor, DABCYL, near the other end. The fluorescence of the peptide is quenched by intermolecular resonance energy transfer (RET) between the donor and the acceptor, but as the NS3 protease cleaves the peptide the products are released from RET quenching and the fluorescence of the donor becomes apparent. The assay reagent was made as follows: 5X cell Luciferase cell culture lysis reagent from Promega (#E153A) diluted to 1X with dH₂O, NaCl added to 150 mM final, the FRET peptide diluted to 20 μ M final from a 2 mM stock.

To prepare plates, HCV replicon cells, with or without a Renilla luciferase reporter gene, were trypsinized and placed into each well of a 96-well plate with

titrated test compounds added in columns 3 through 12; columns 1 and 2 contained a control compound (HCV protease inhibitor), and the bottom row contained cells without compound. The plates were then placed in a CO₂ incubator at 37 °C.

5 *Assays.* Subsequent to addition of the test compounds described above (FRET Assay Preparation), at various times the plate was removed and Alamar blue solution (Trek Diagnostics, #00-100) was added per well as a measure of cellular toxicity. After reading in a Cytoflour 4000 instrument (PE Biosystems), plates were rinsed with PBS and then used for FRET assay by the addition of 30 ul of the FRET
10 peptide assay reagent described above (FRET Assay Preparation) per well. The plate was then placed into the Cytoflour 4000 instrument which had been set to 340 excite/490 emission, automatic mode for 20 cycles and the plate read in a kinetic mode. Typically, the signal to noise using an endpoint analysis after the reads was at least three-fold. Alternatively, after Alamar blue reading, plates were rinsed with
15 PBS, 50 ul of DMEM (high glucose) without phenol red was added and plates were then used for luciferase assay using the Promega Dual-Glo Luciferase Assay System.

Compound analysis was determined by quantification of the relative HCV replicon inhibition and the relative cytotoxicity values. To calculate cytotoxicity
20 values, the average Alamar Blue fluorescence signals from the control wells were set as 100% non-toxic. The individual signals in each of the compound test wells were then divided by the average control signal and multiplied by 100% to determine percent cytotoxicity. To calculate the HCV replicon inhibition values, an average background value was obtained from the two wells containing the highest amount of
25 HCV protease inhibitor at the end of the assay period. These numbers were similar to those obtained from naïve Huh-7 cells.

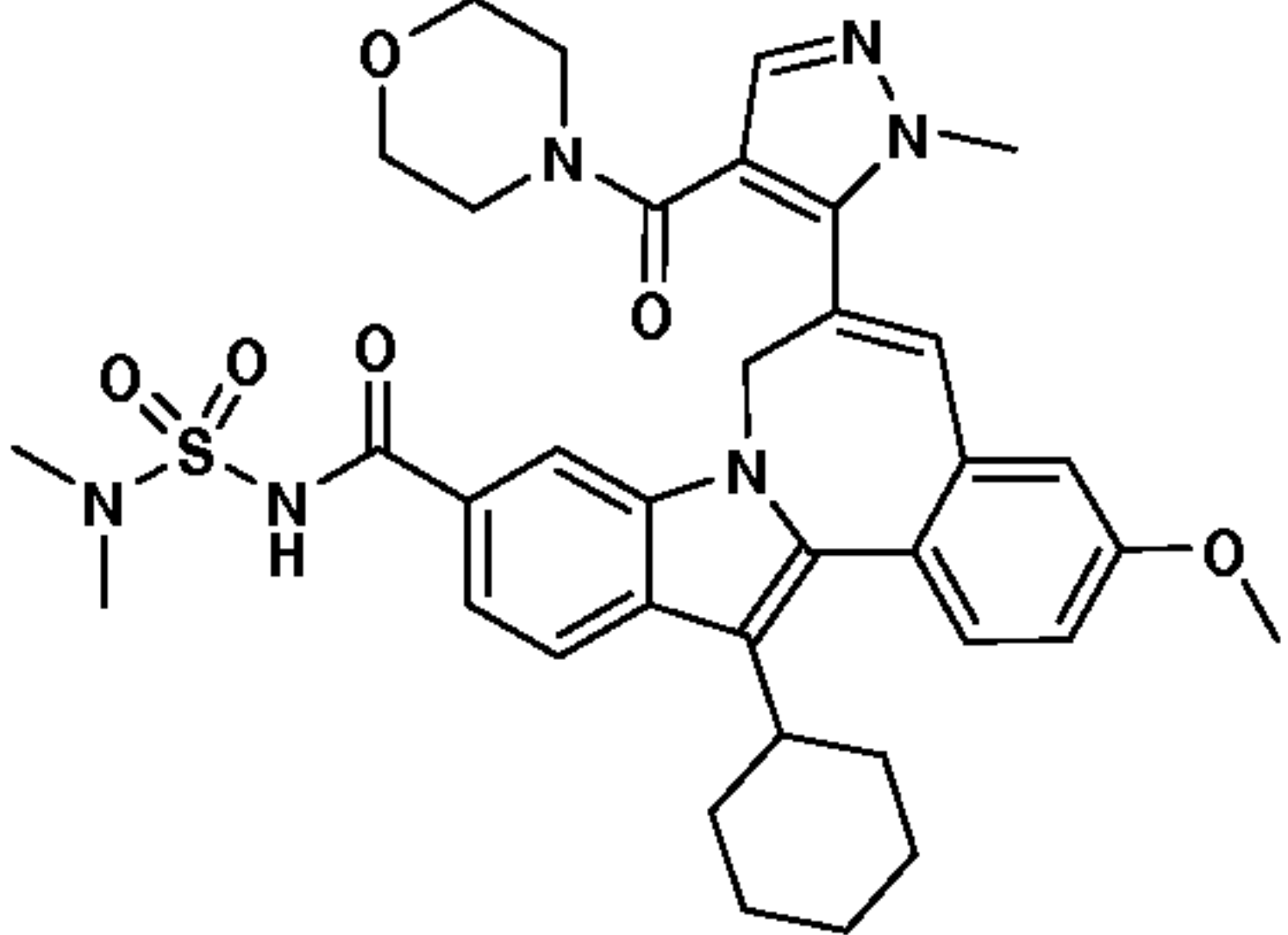
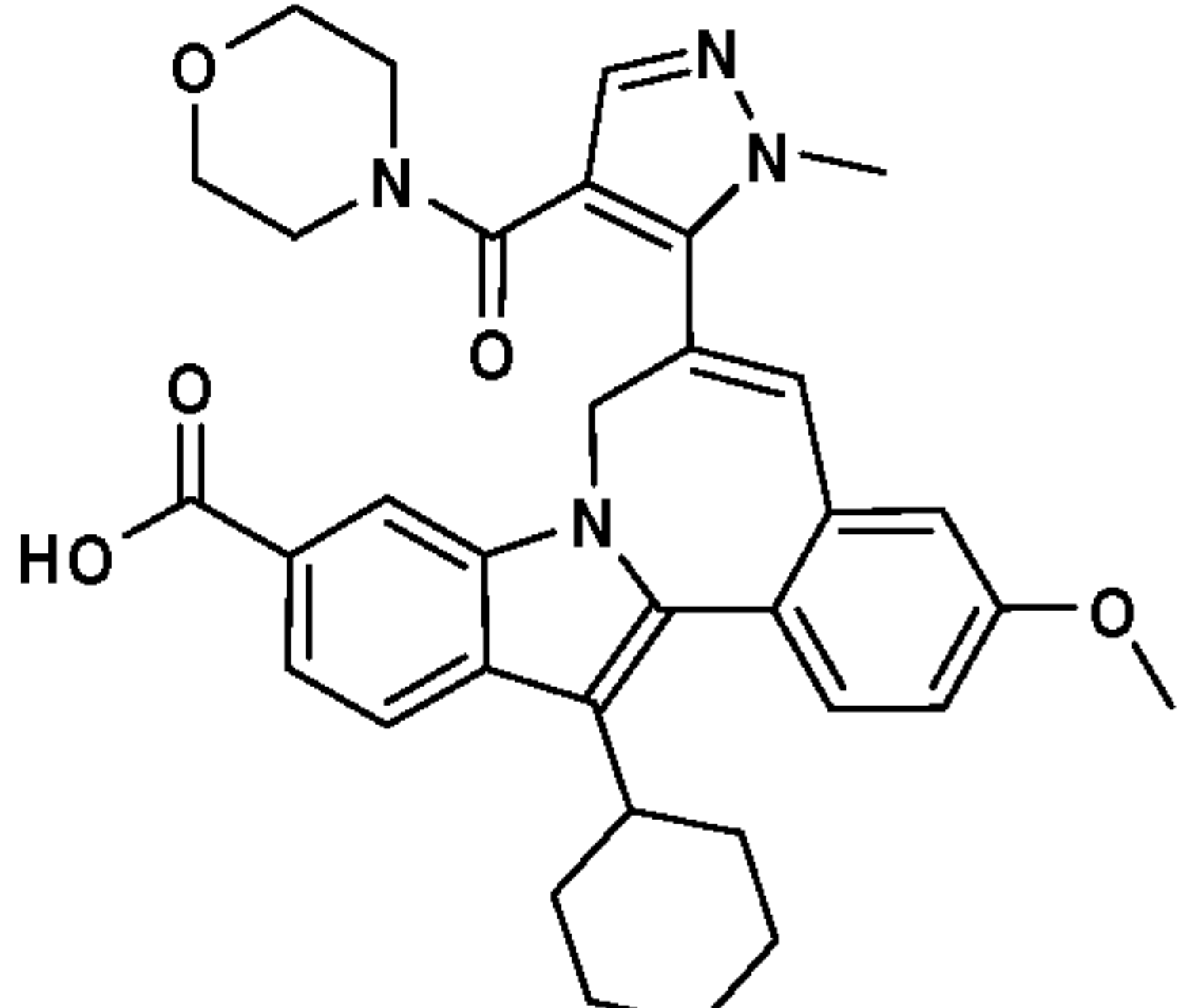
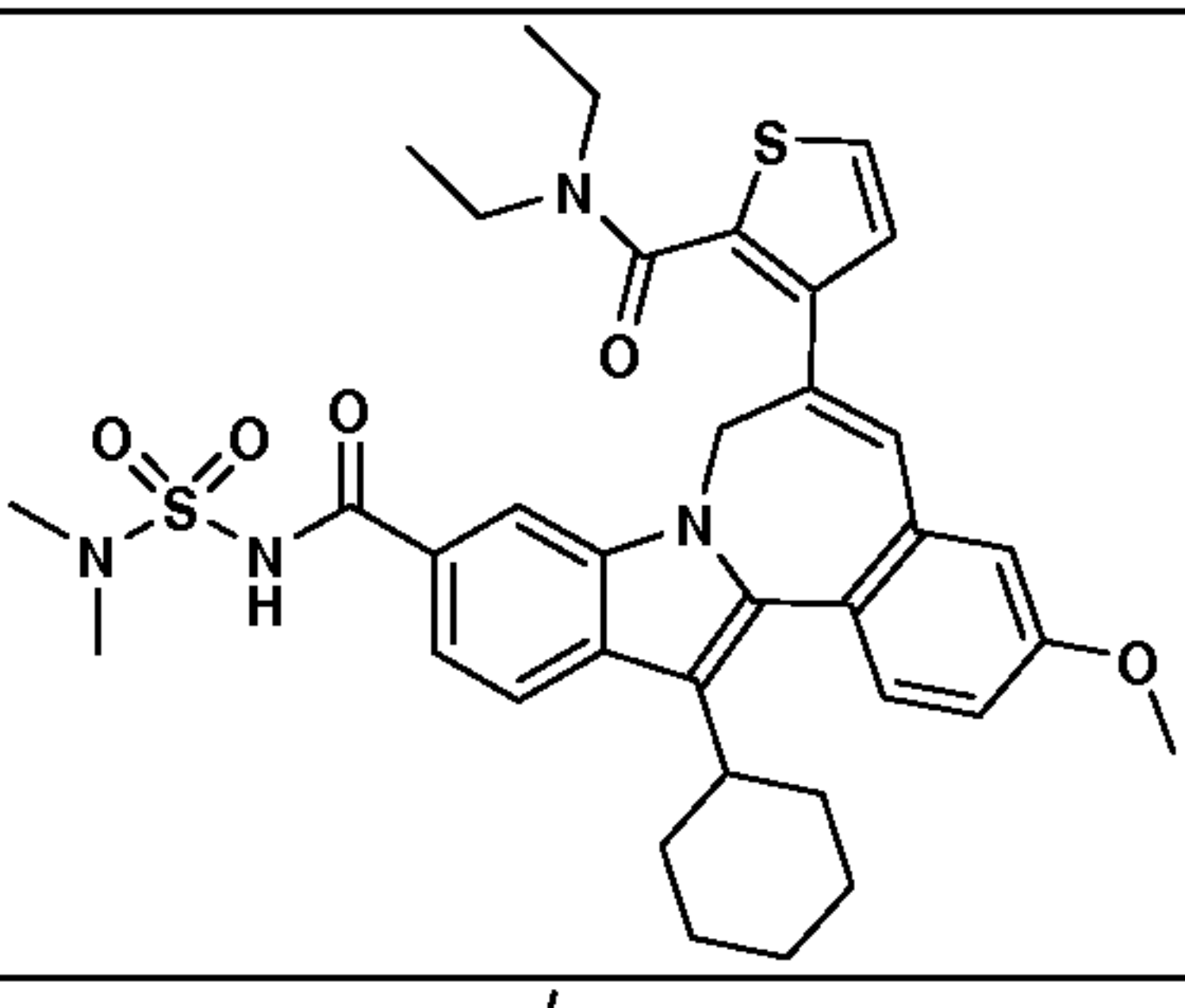
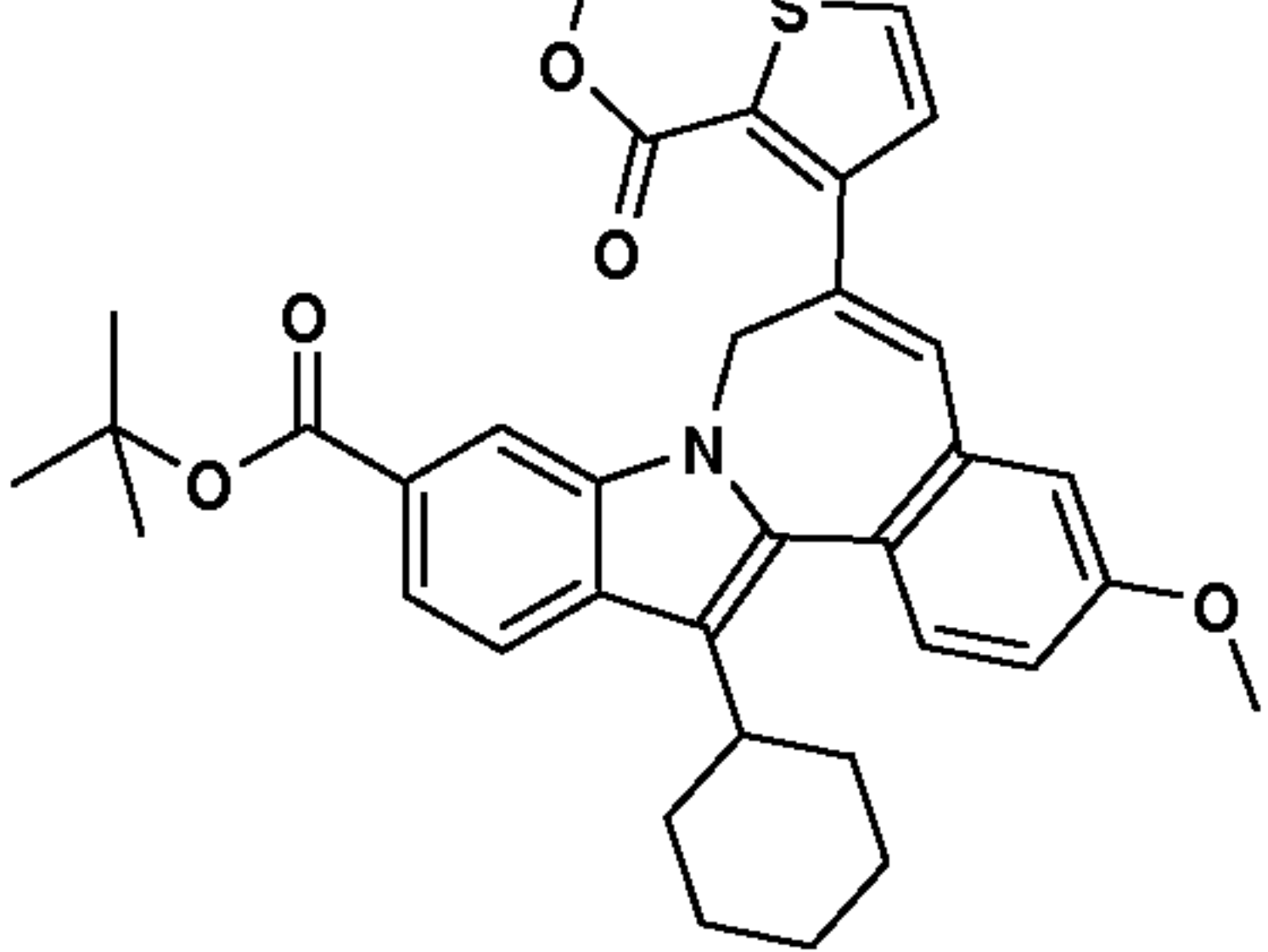
The background numbers were then subtracted from the average signal obtained from the control wells and this number was used as 100% activity. The
30 individual signals in each of the compound test wells were then divided by the averaged control values after background subtraction and multiplied by 100% to determine percent activity. EC₅₀ values for a protease inhibitor titration were calculated as the concentration which caused a 50% reduction in FRET or luciferase

activity. The two numbers generated for the compound plate, percent cytotoxicity and percent activity were used to determine compounds of interest for further analysis.

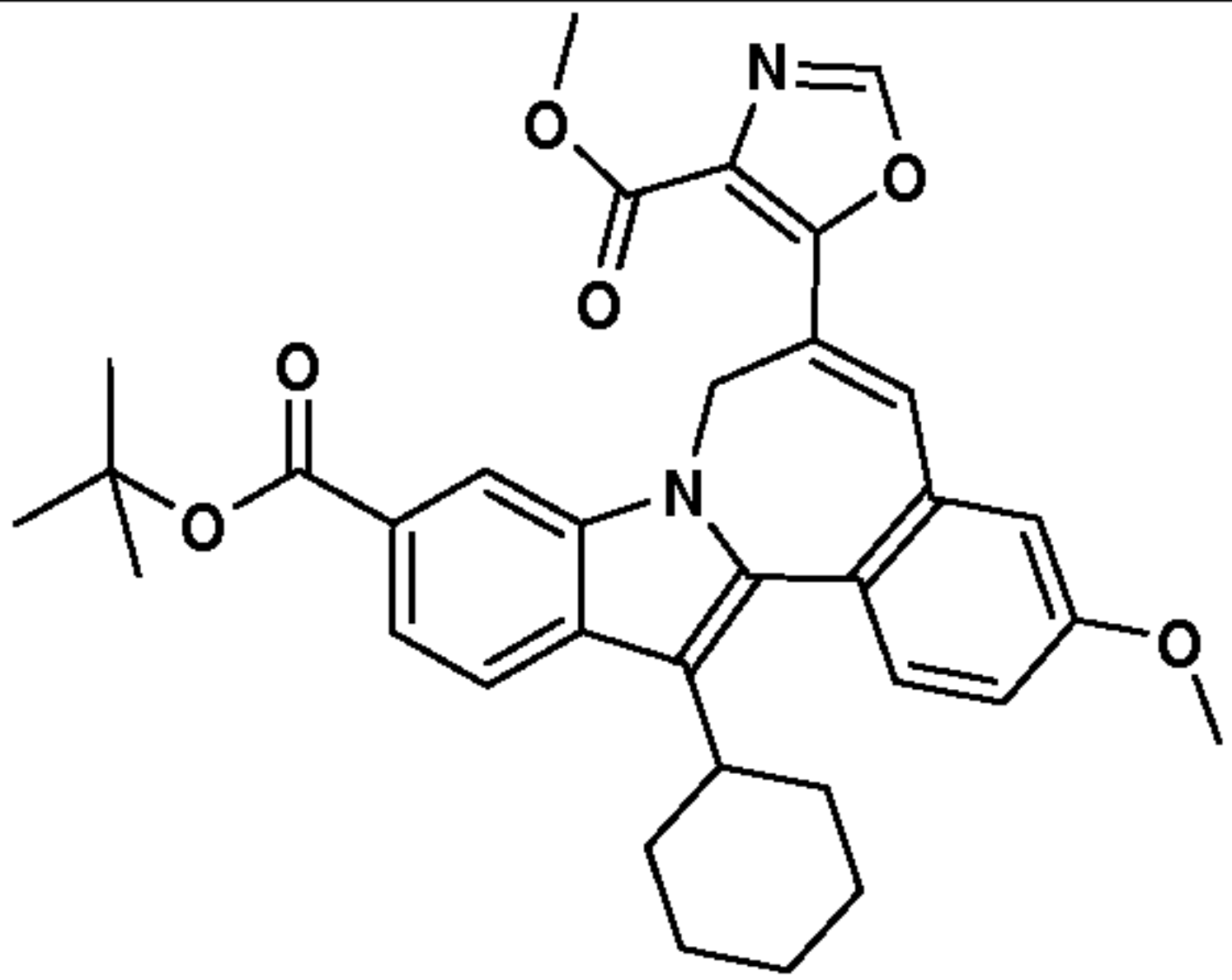
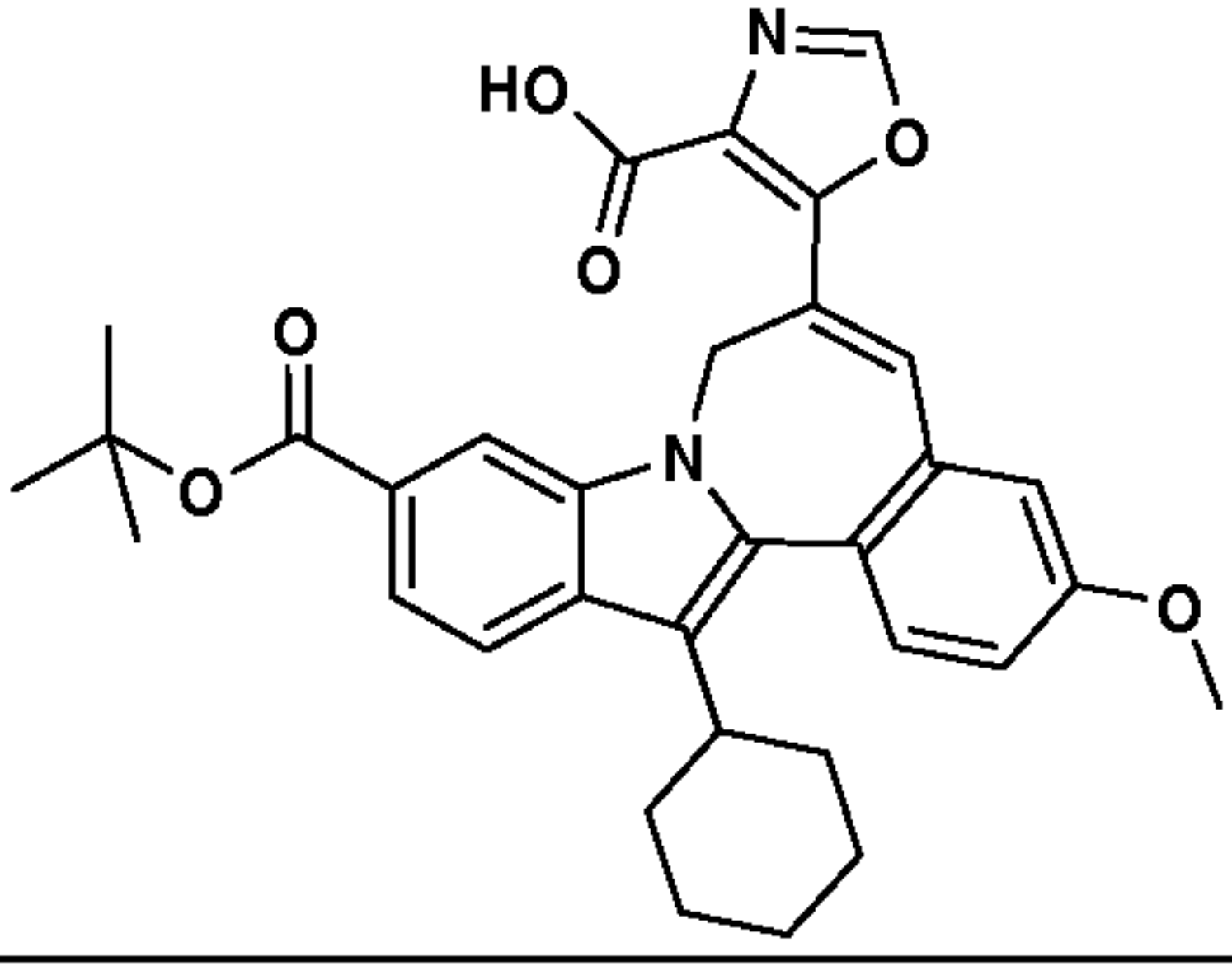
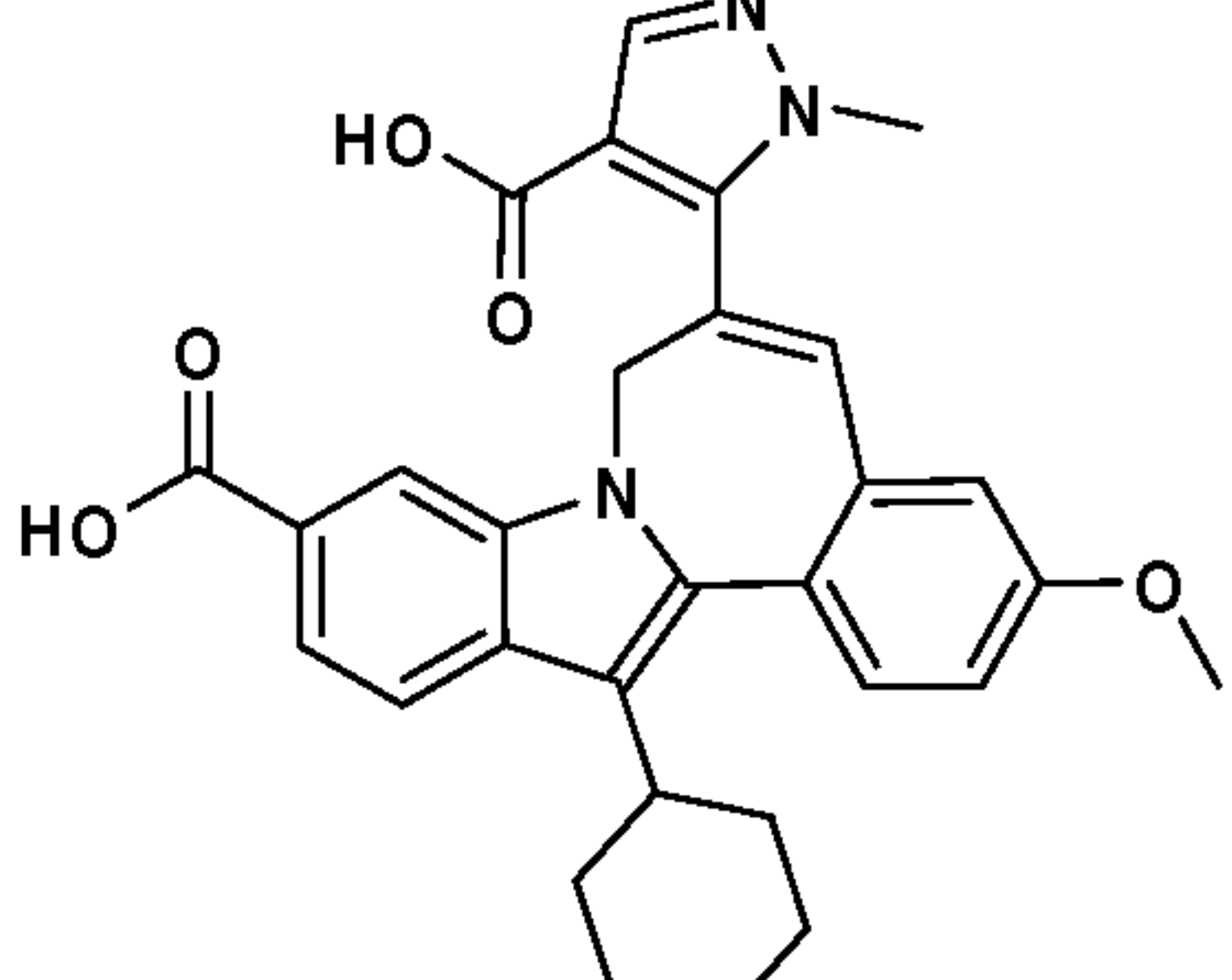
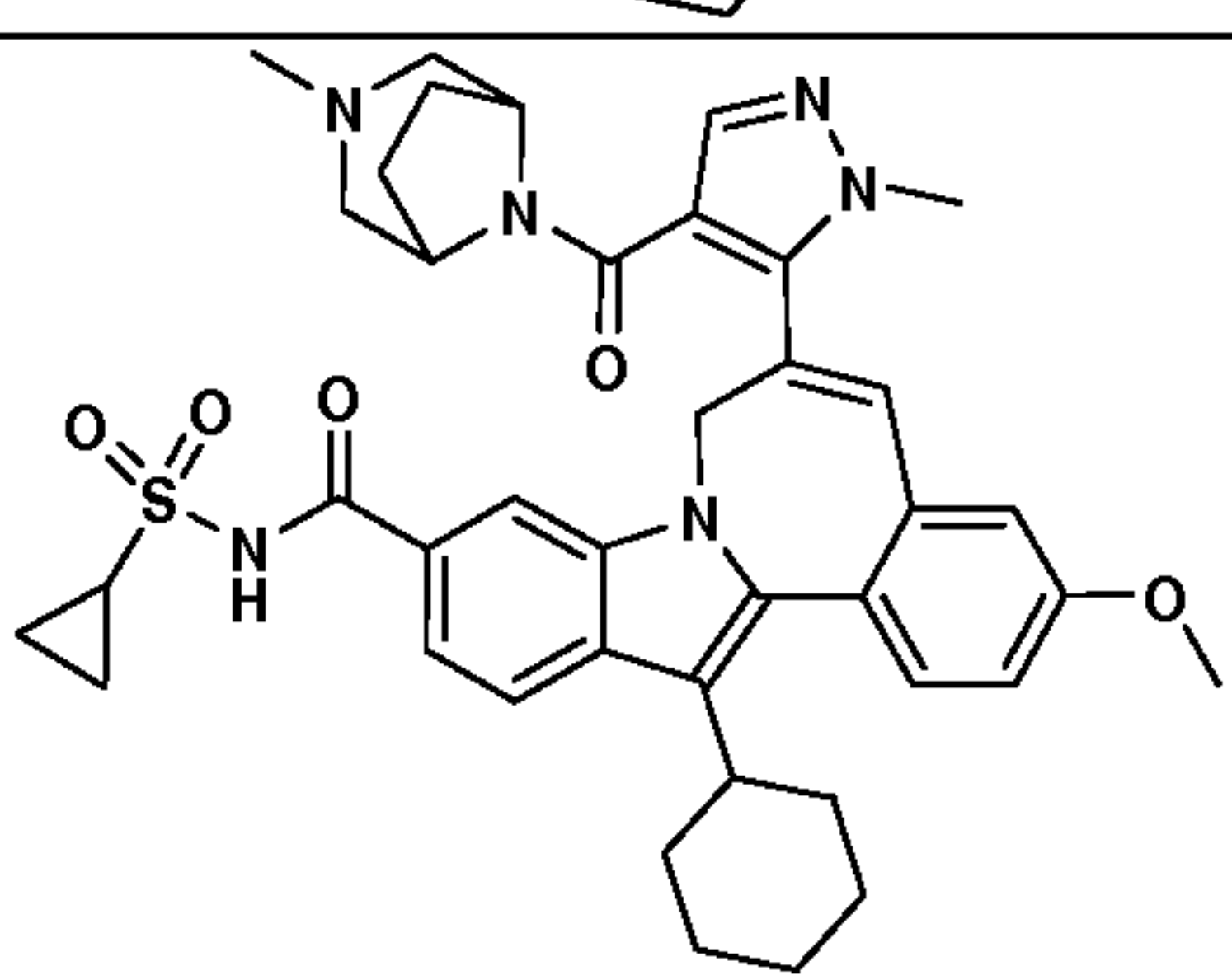
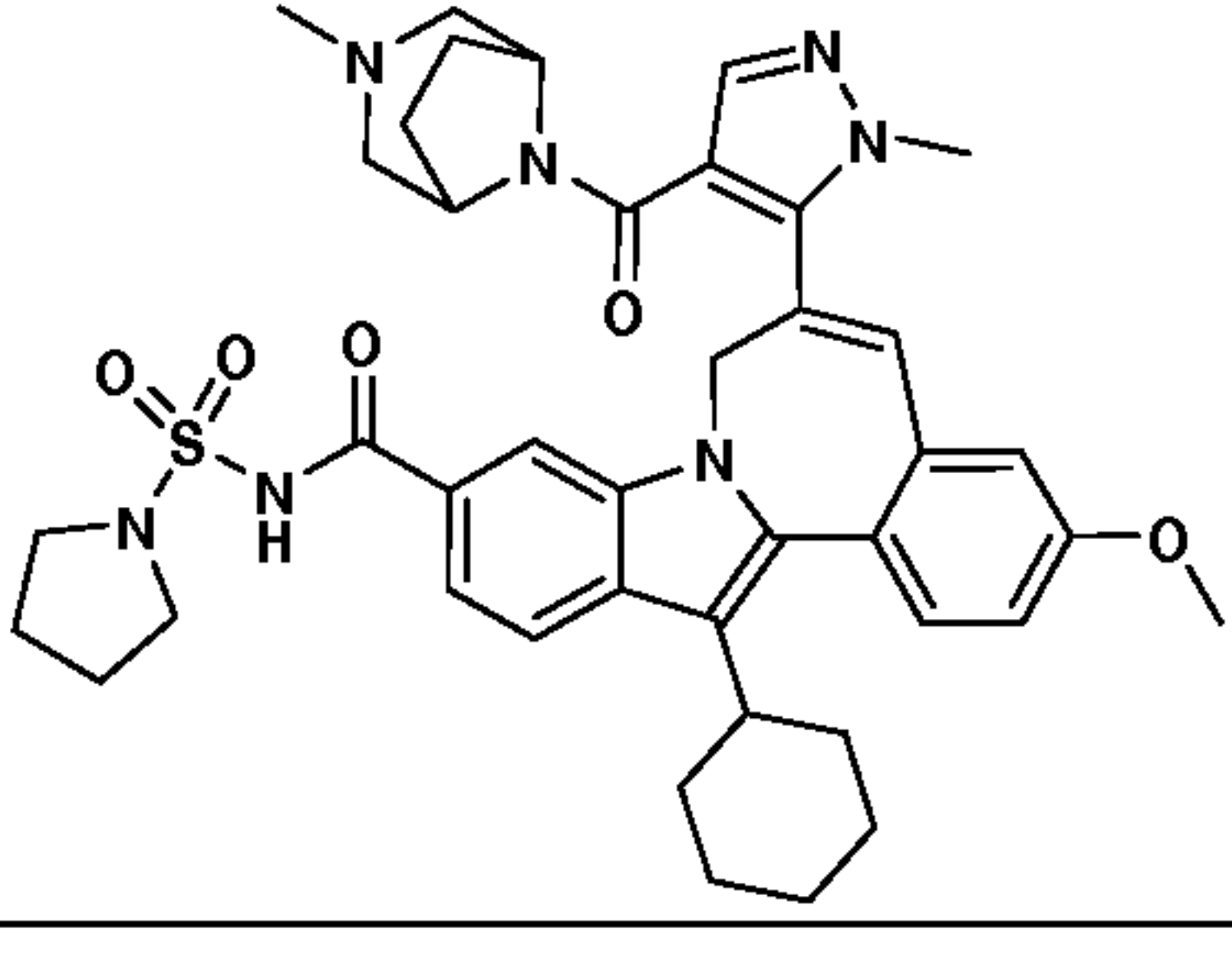
Representative data for some compounds are reported in Table 1.

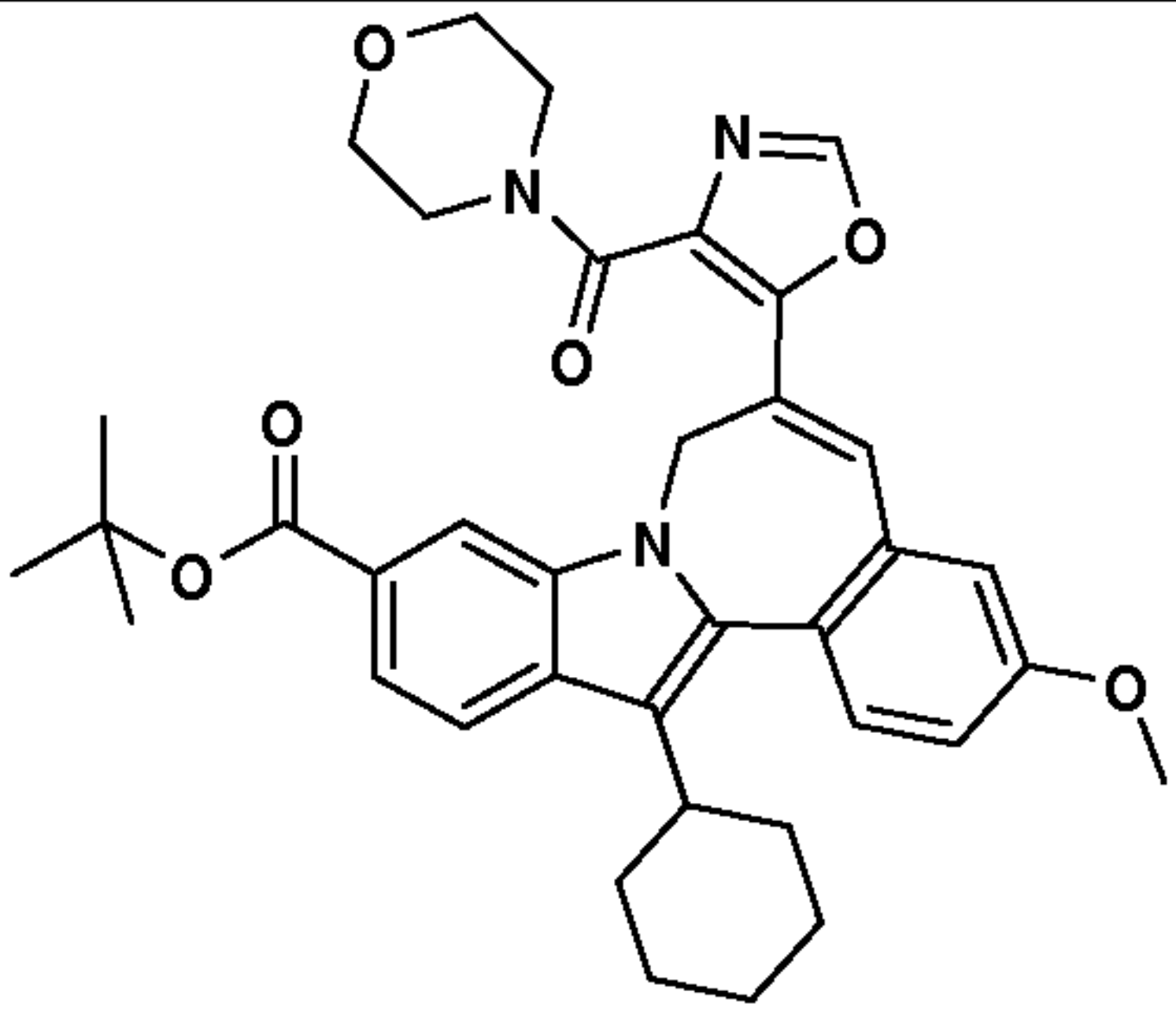
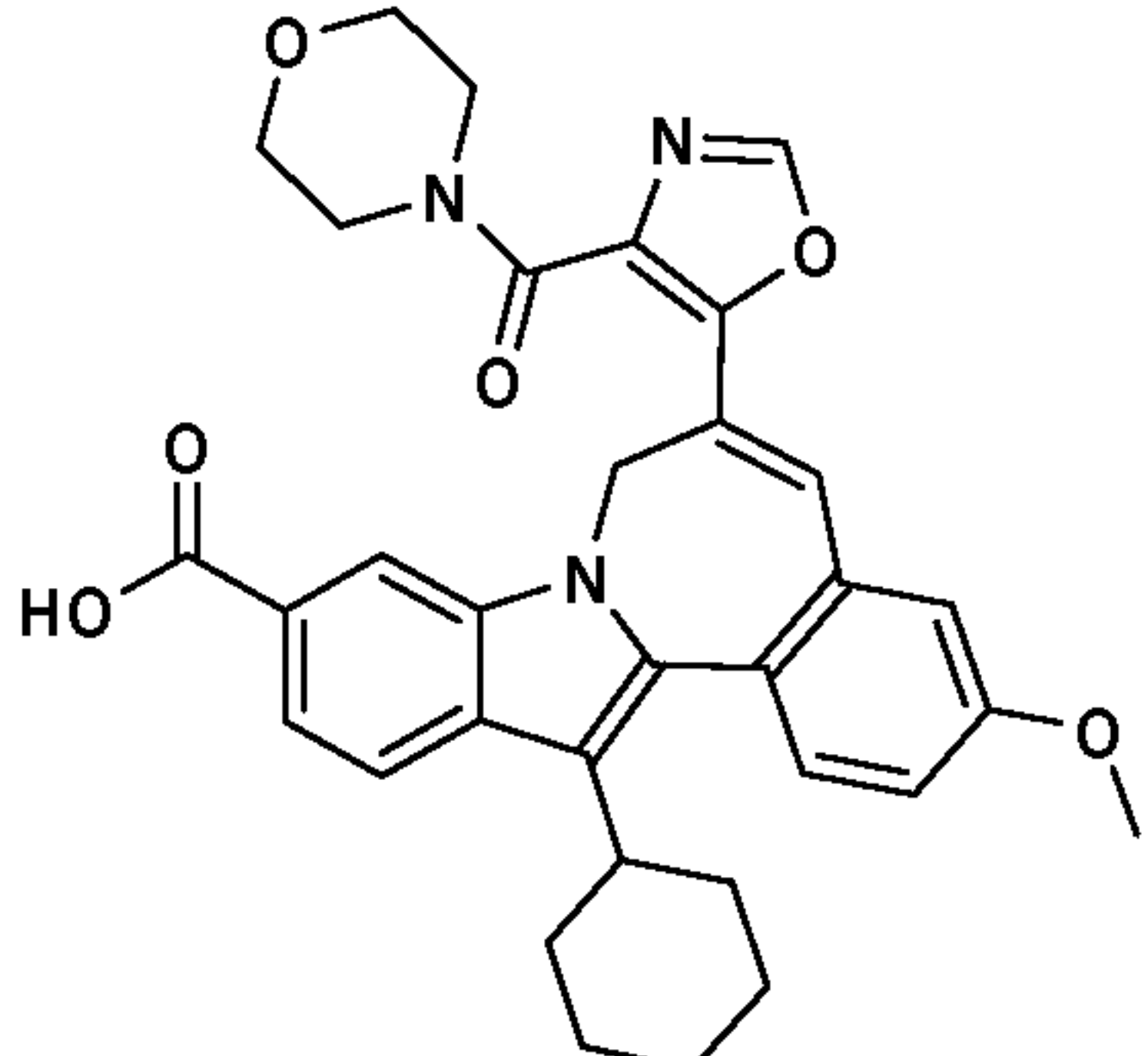
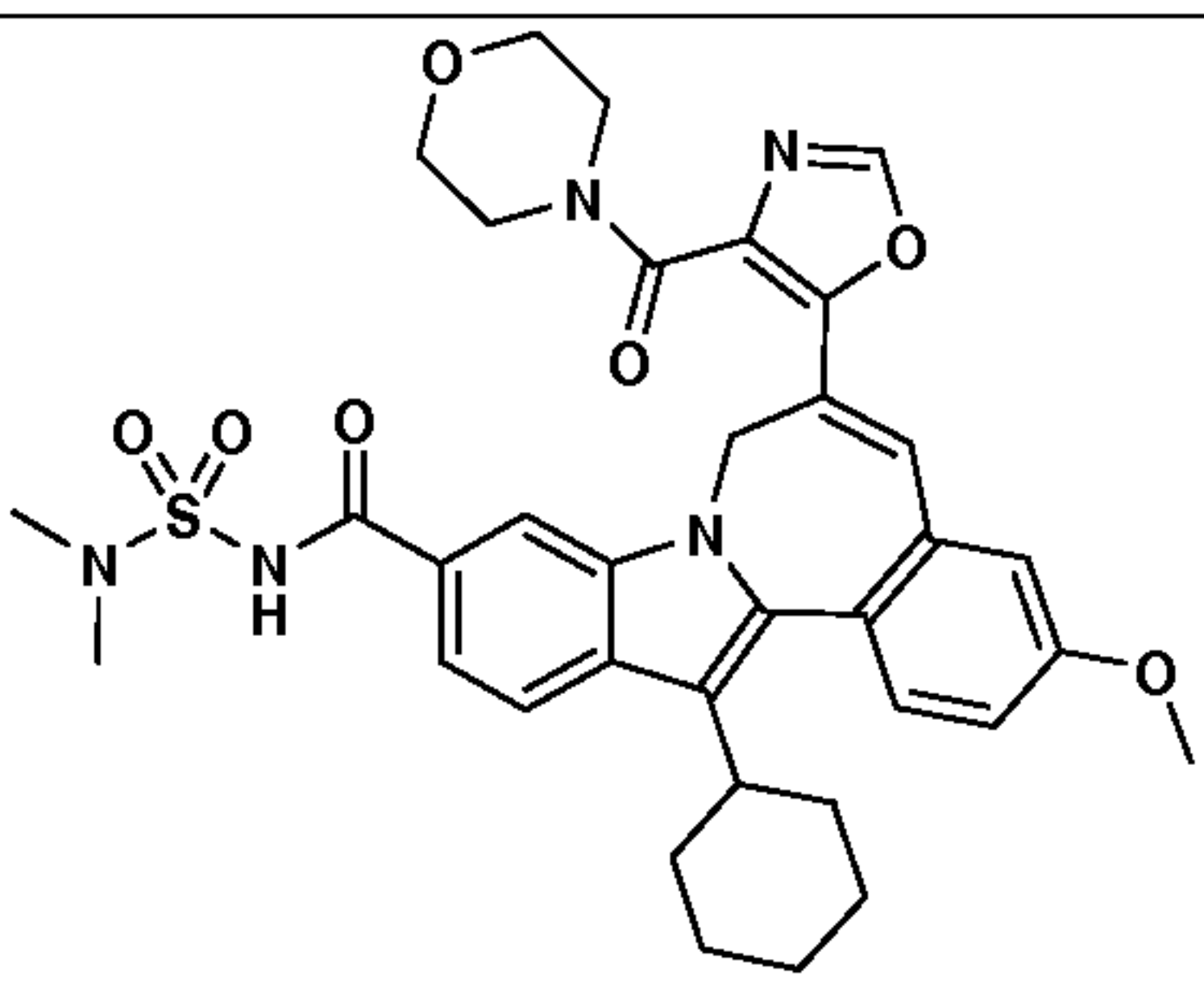
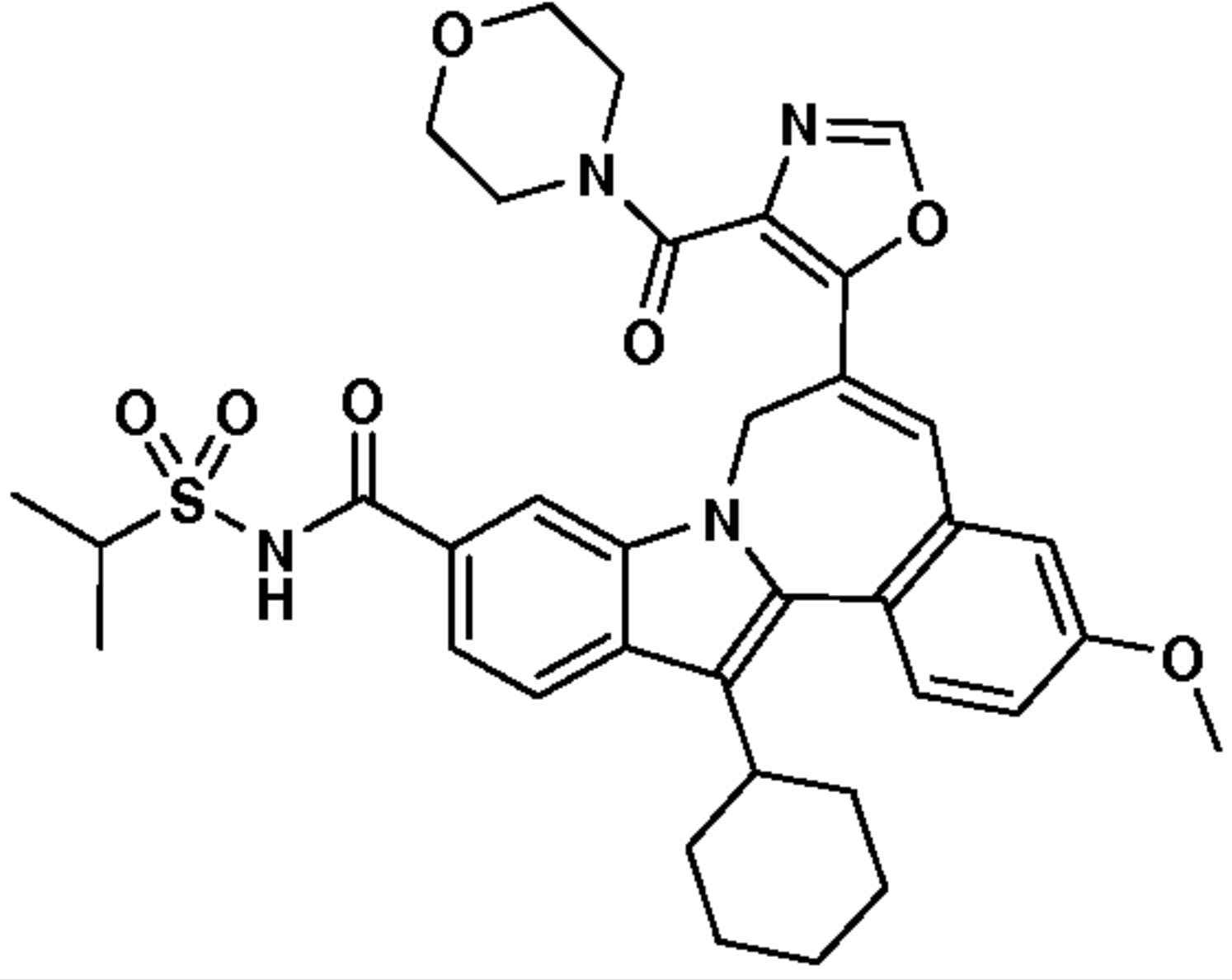
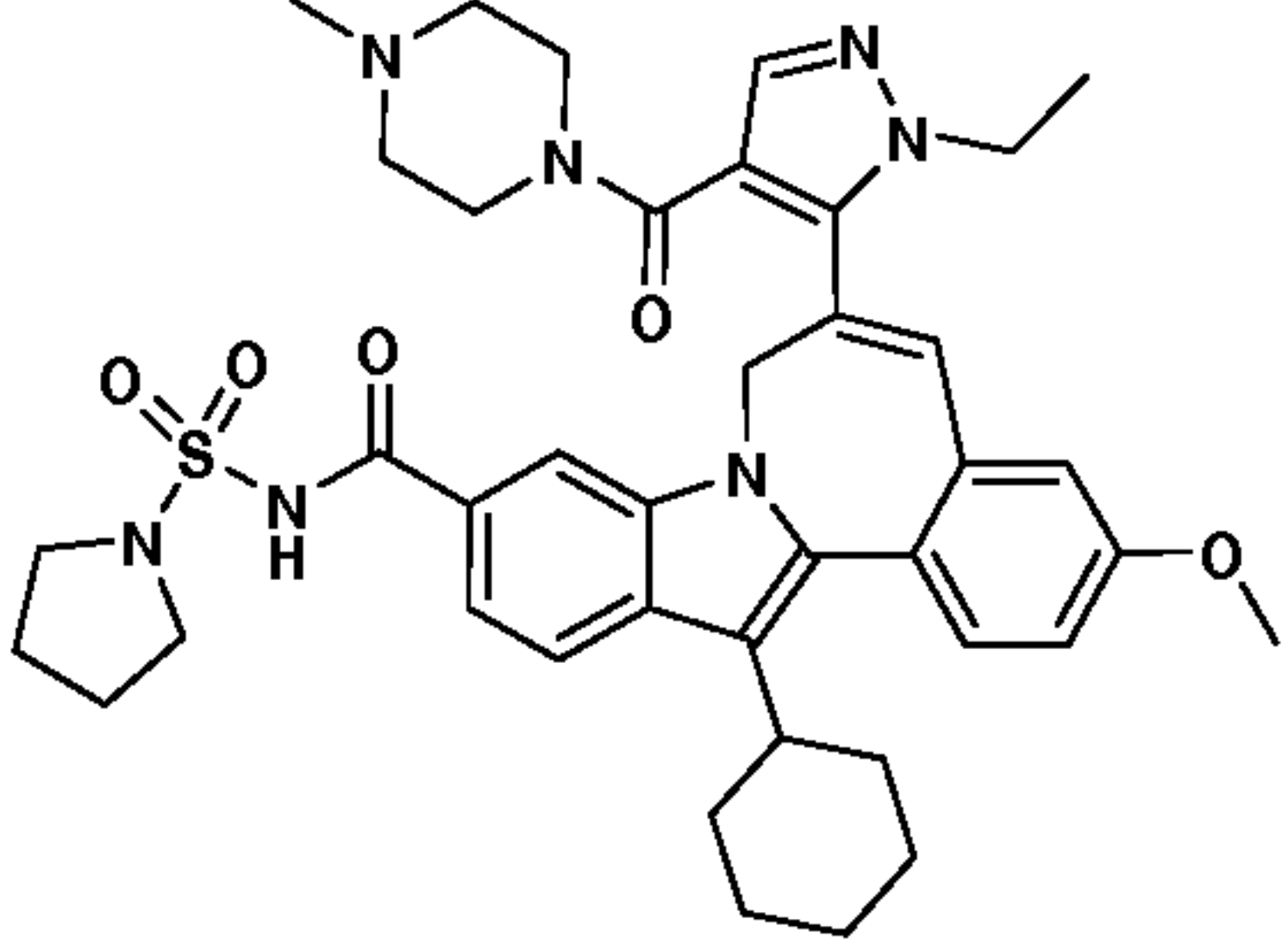
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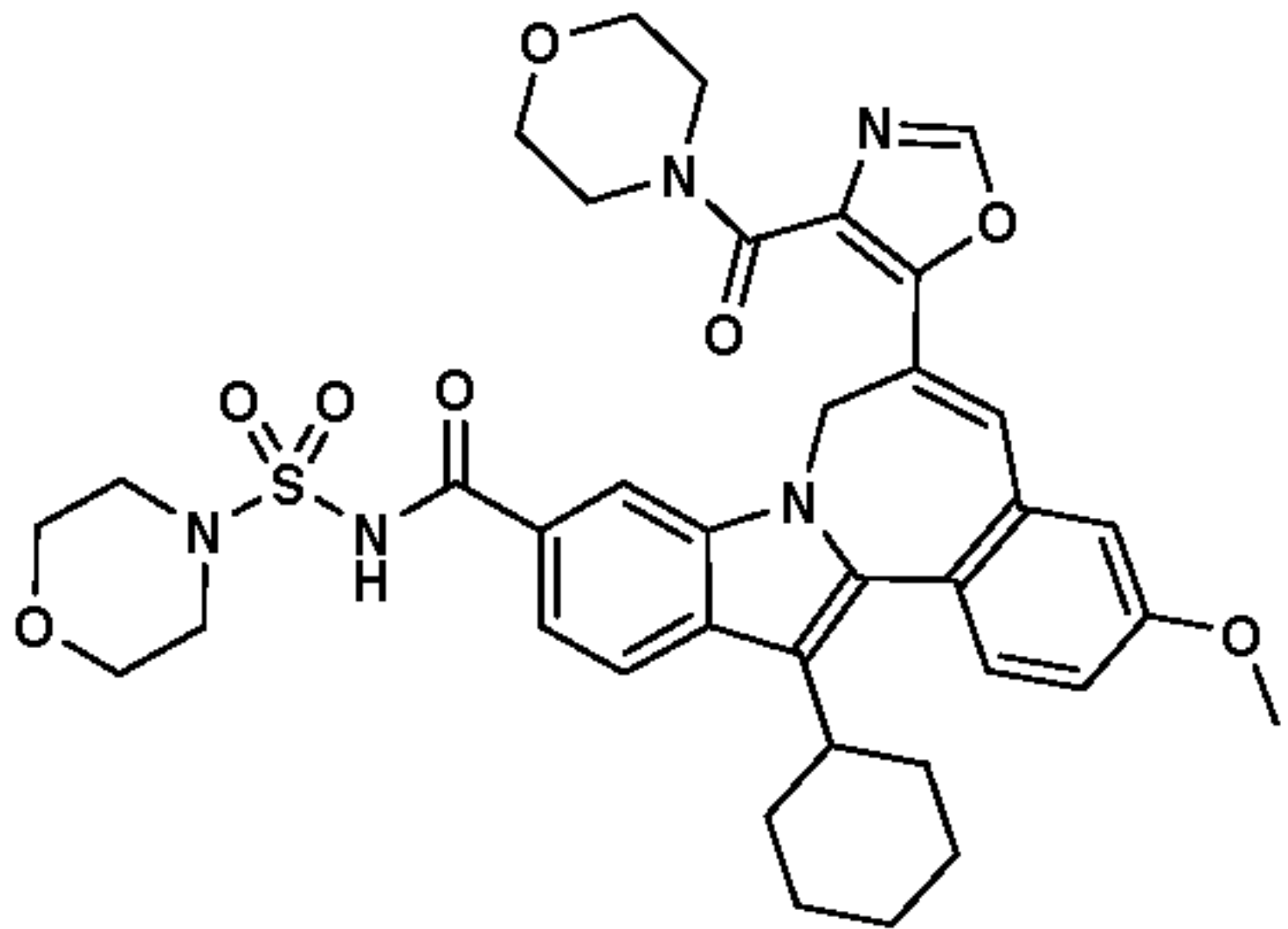
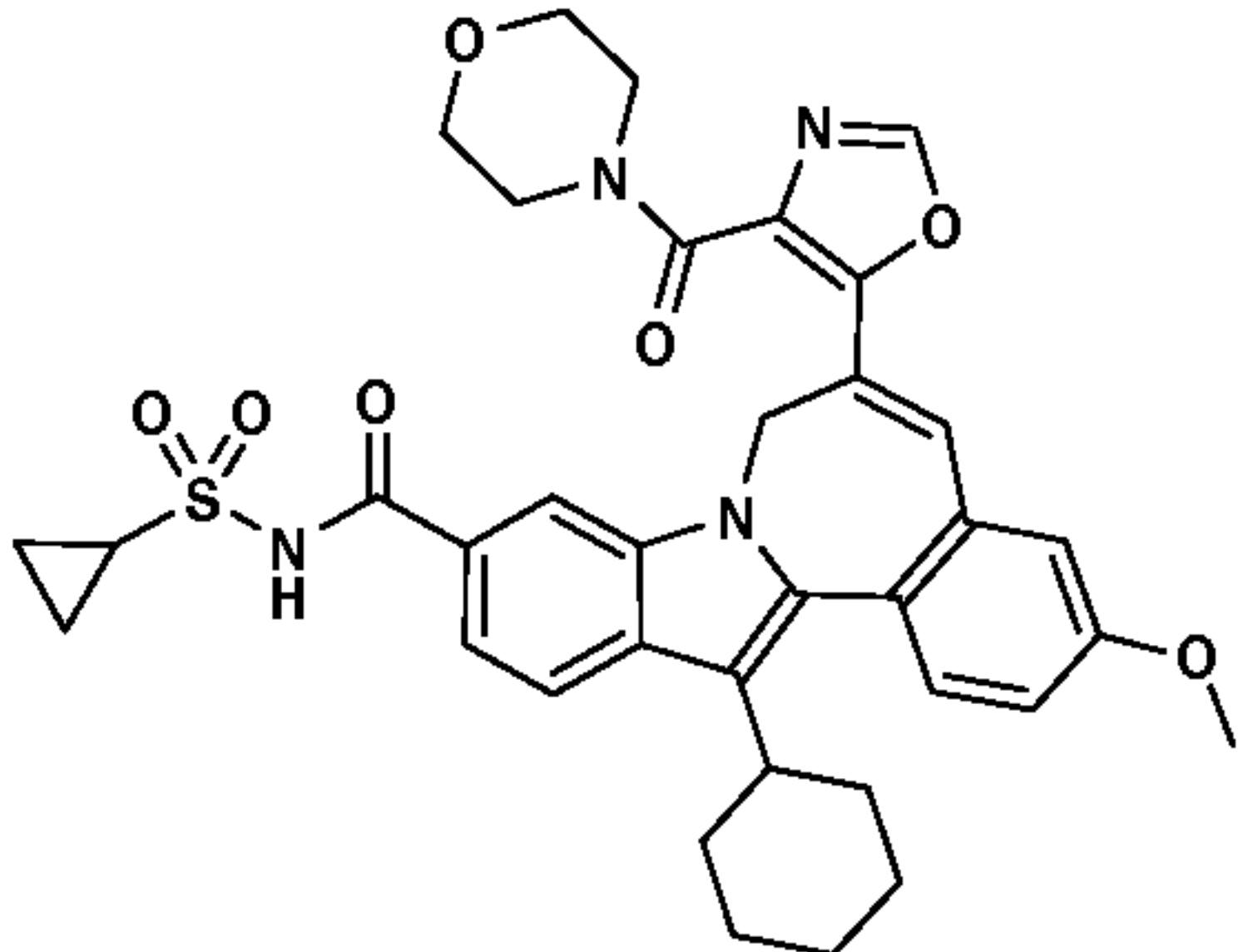
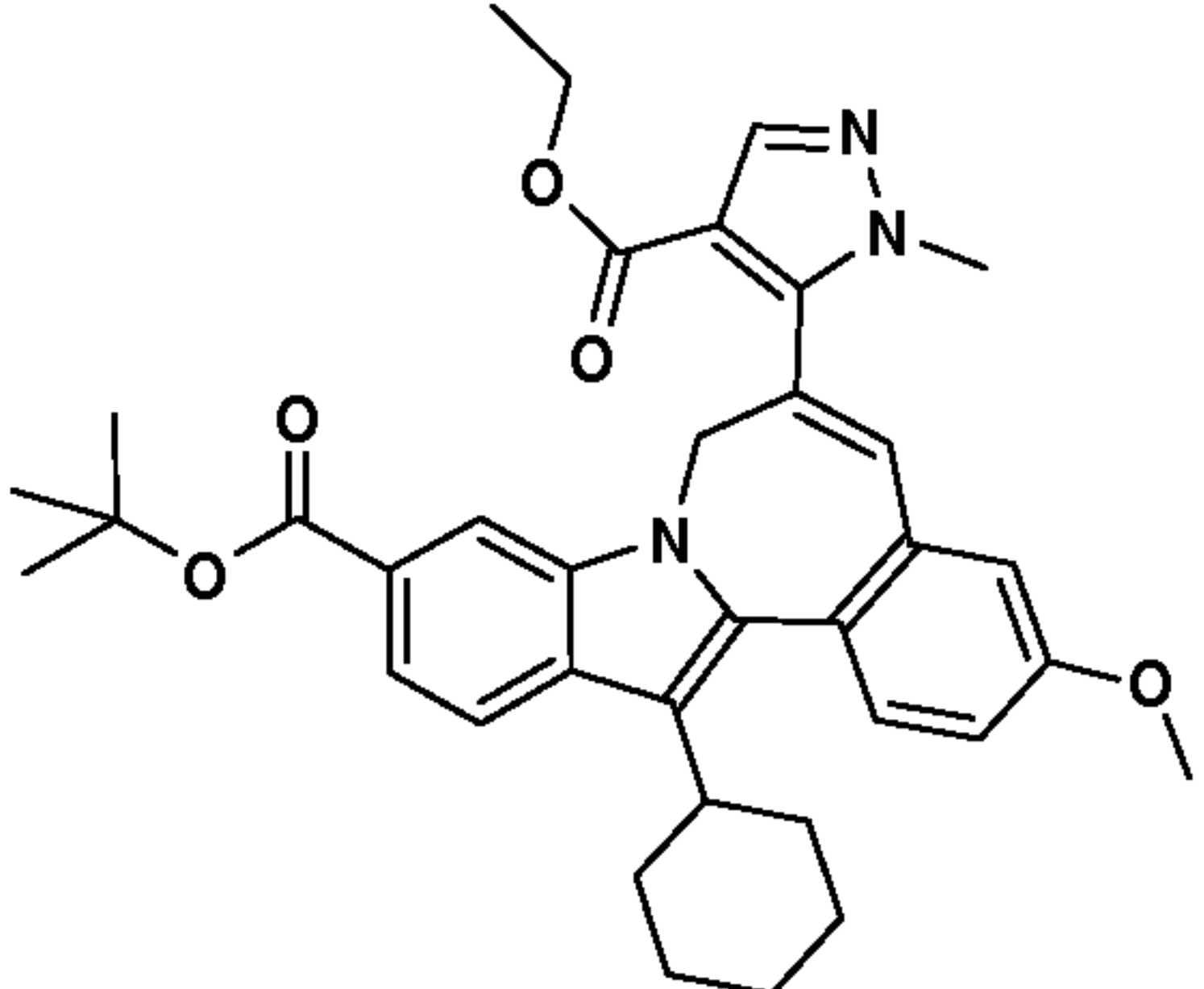
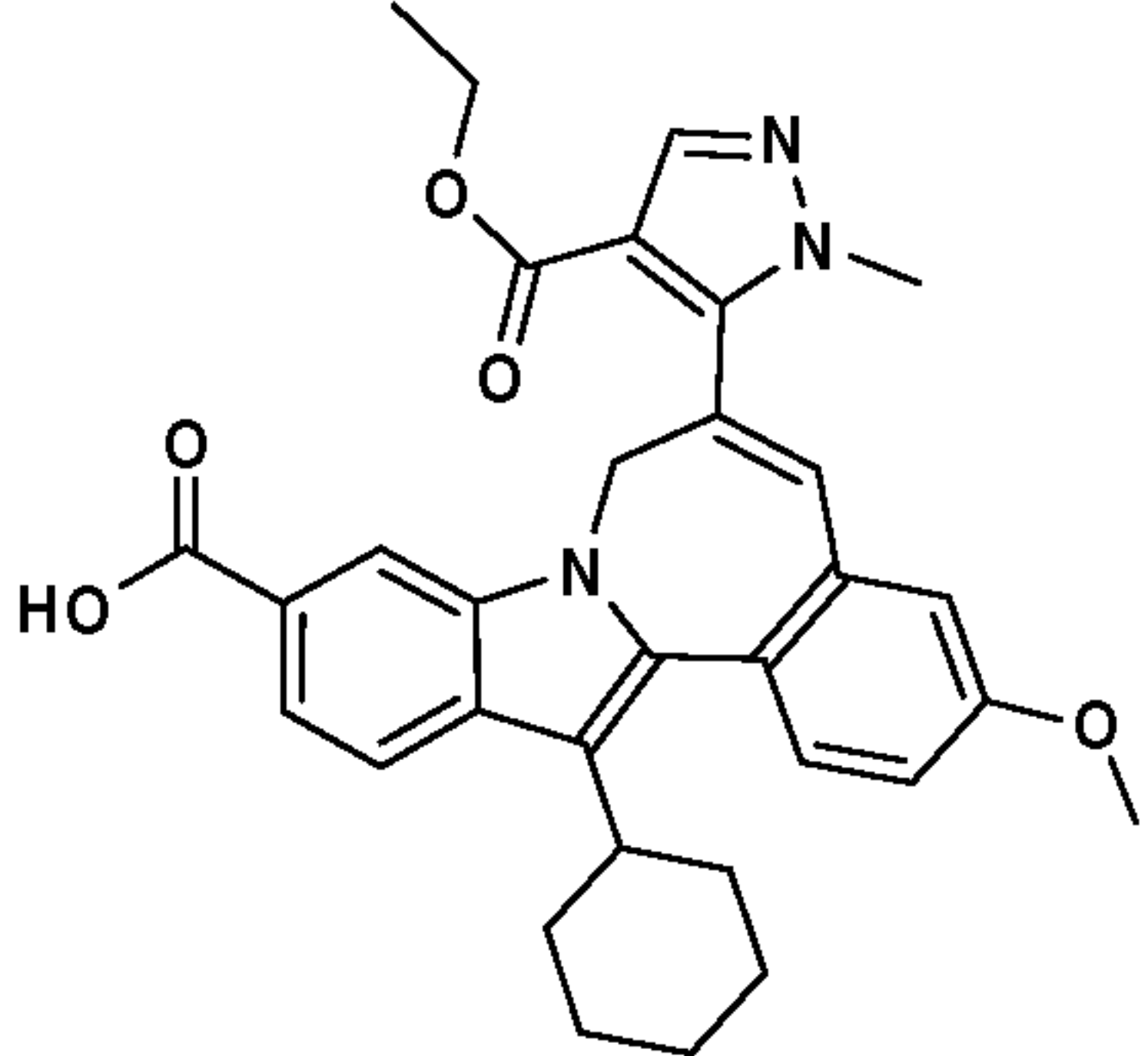
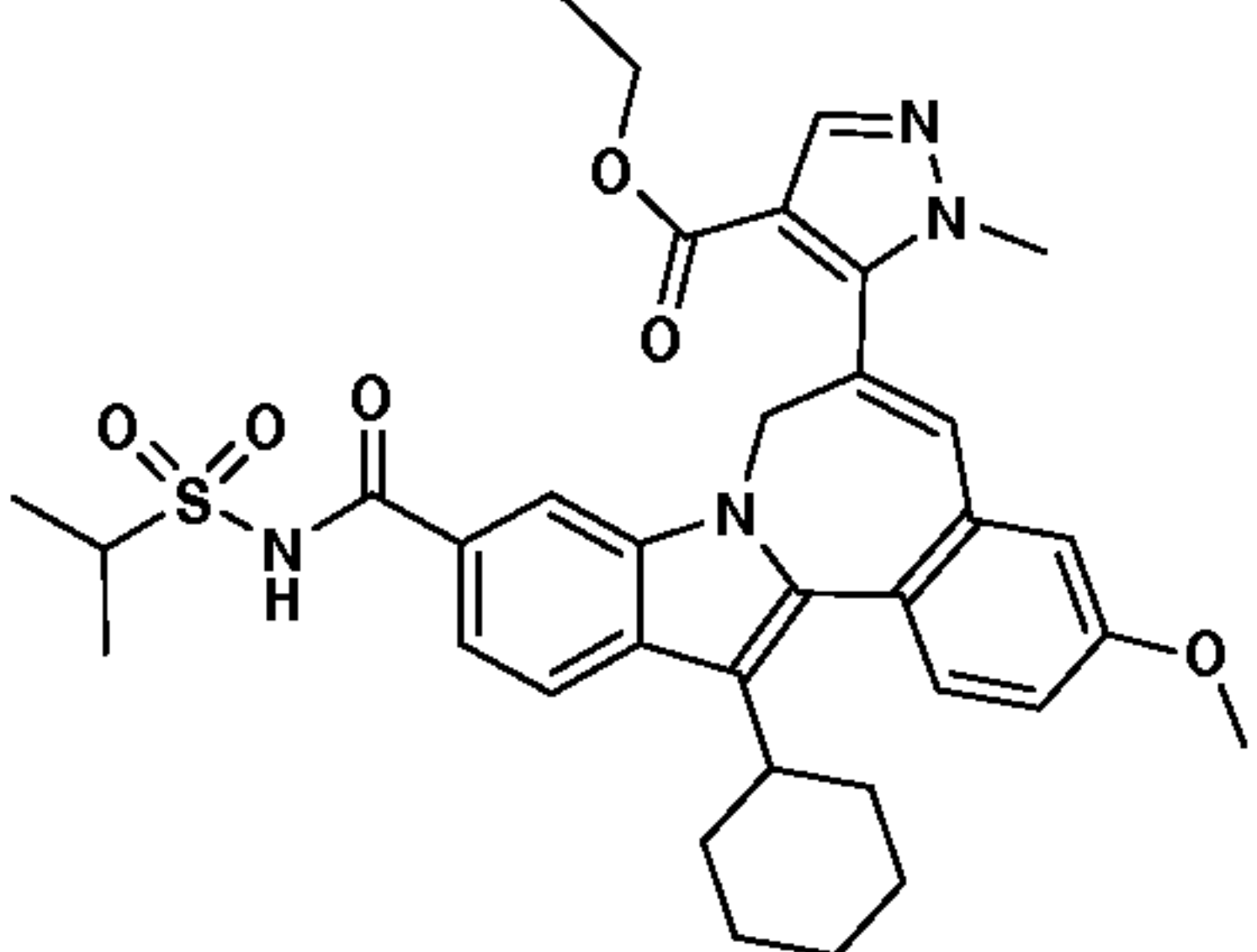
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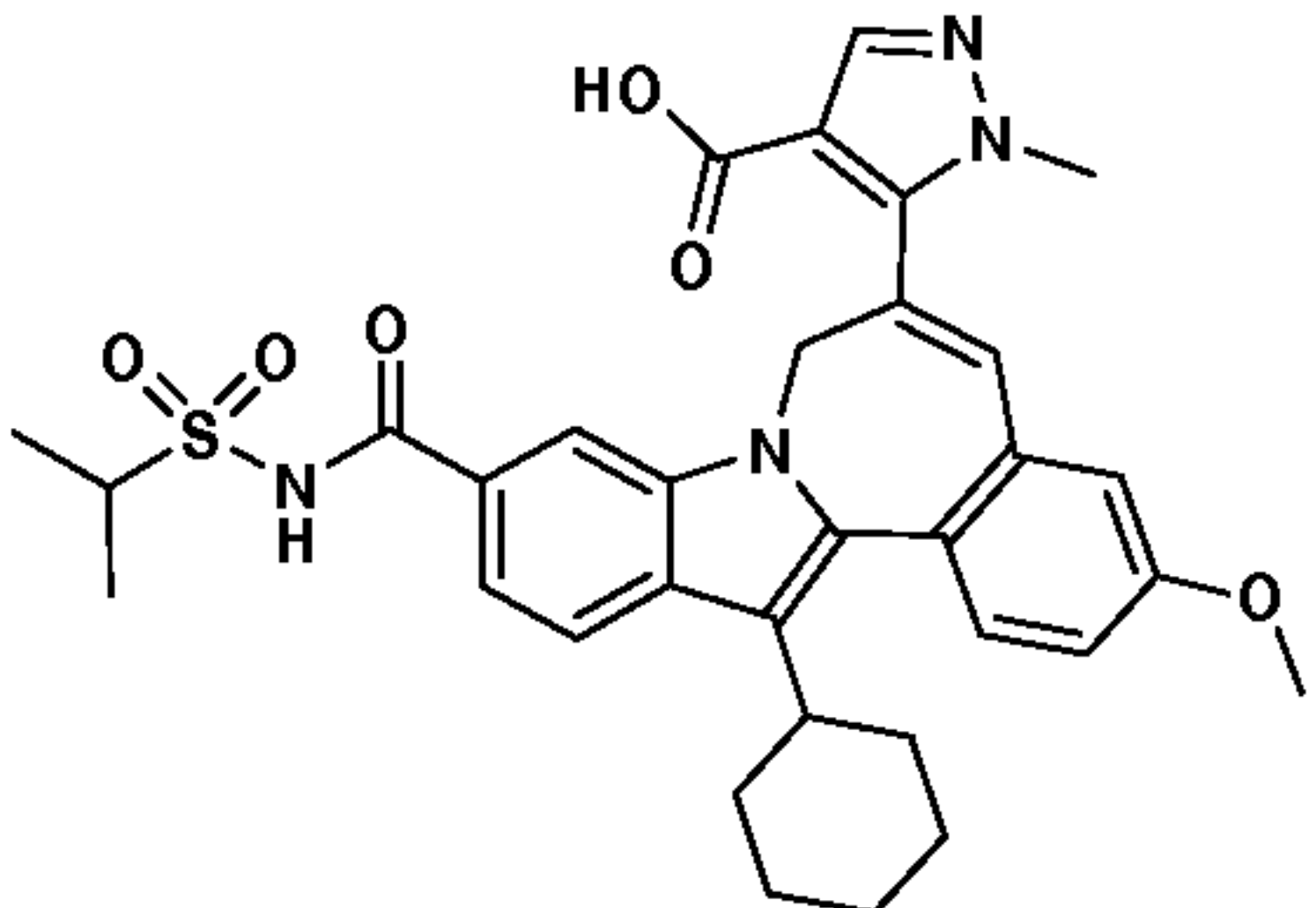
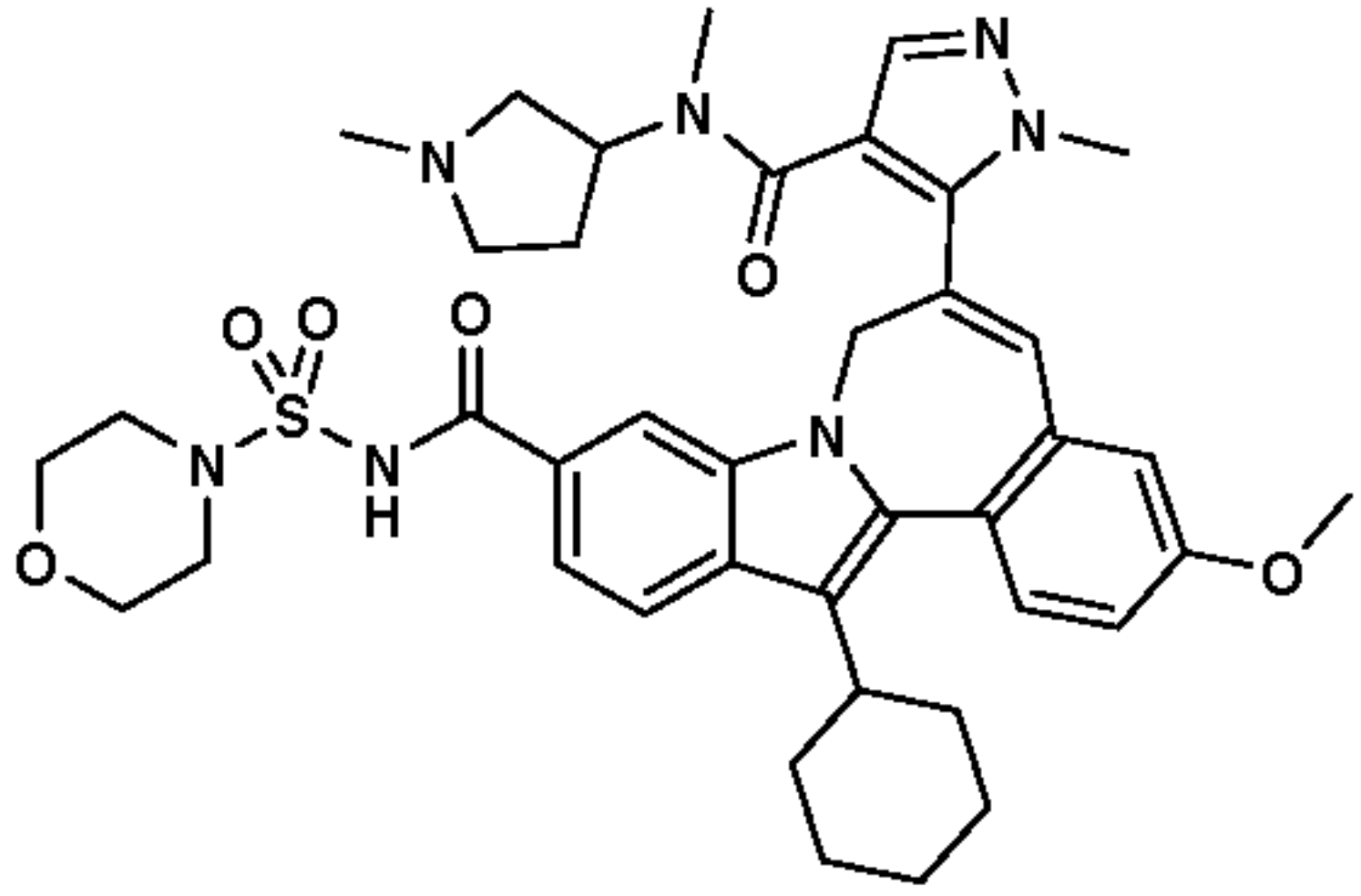
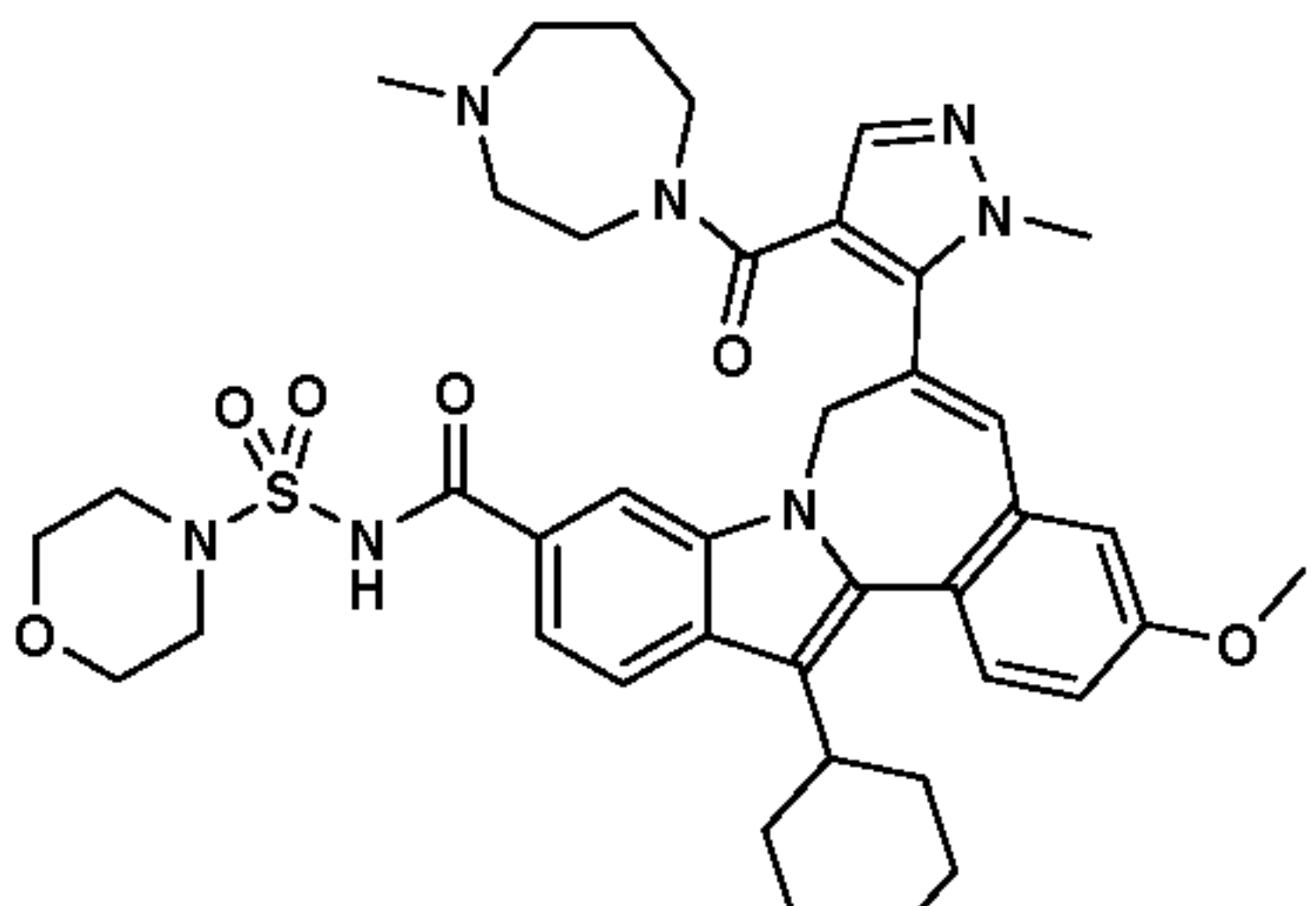
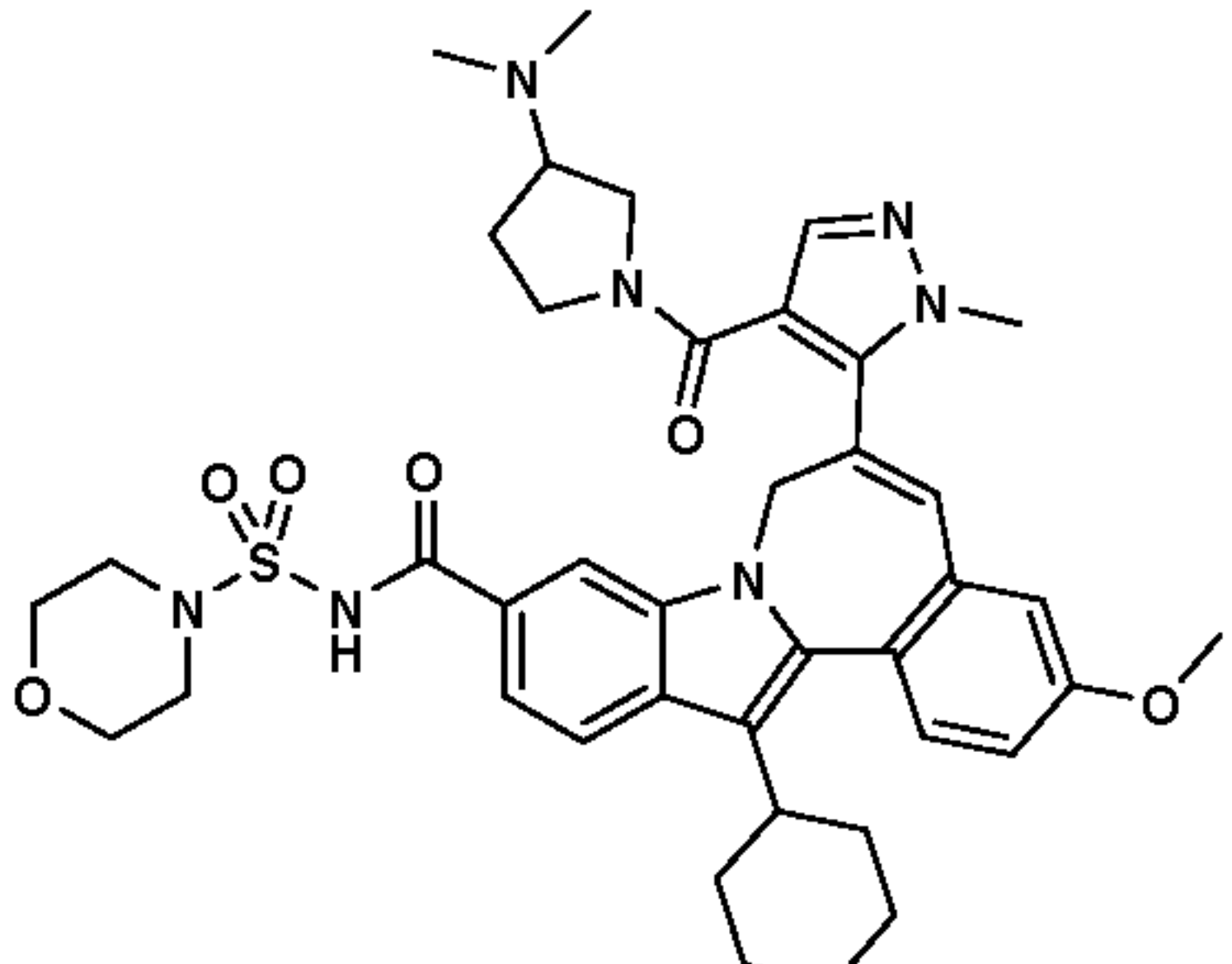
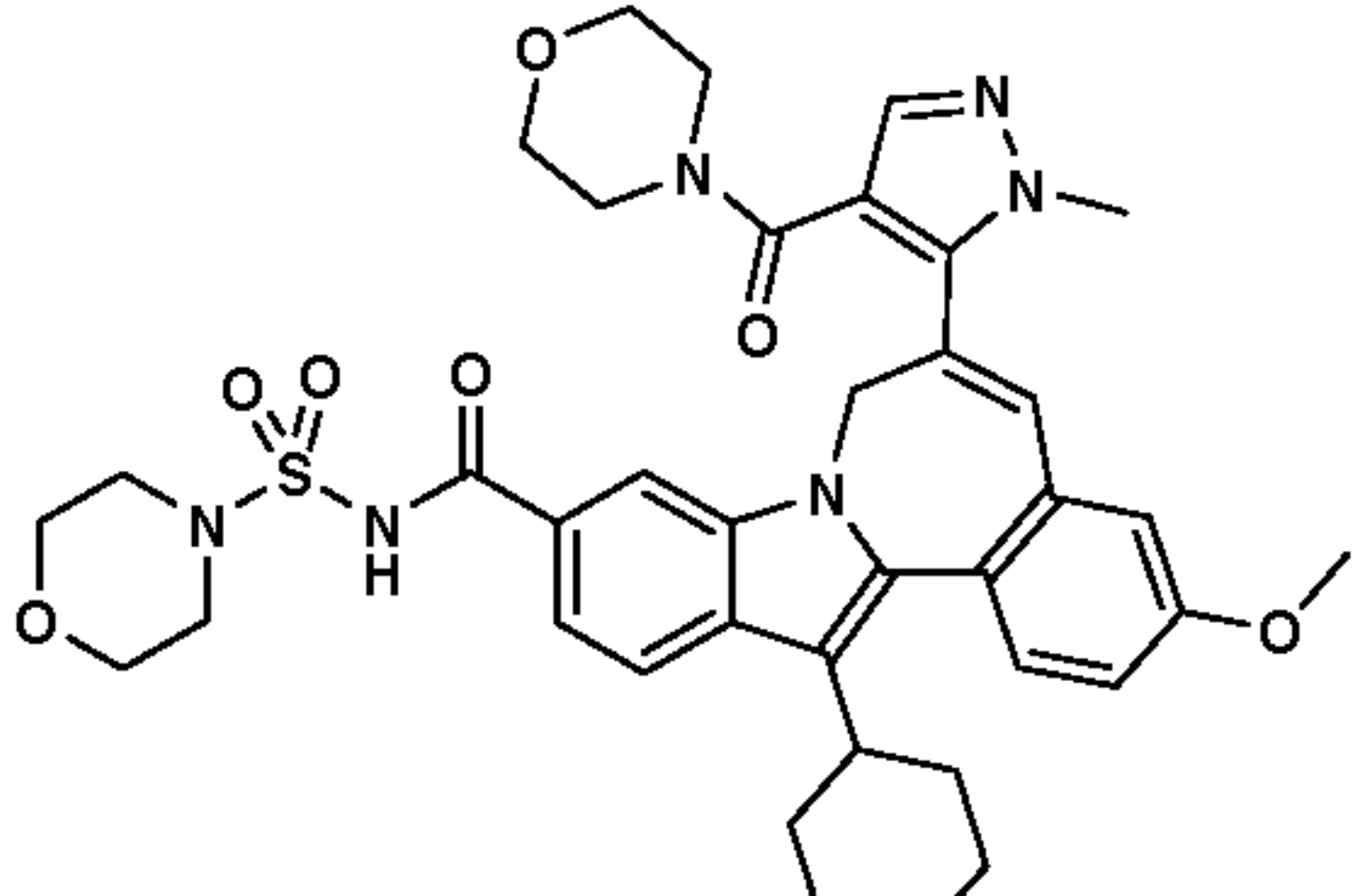
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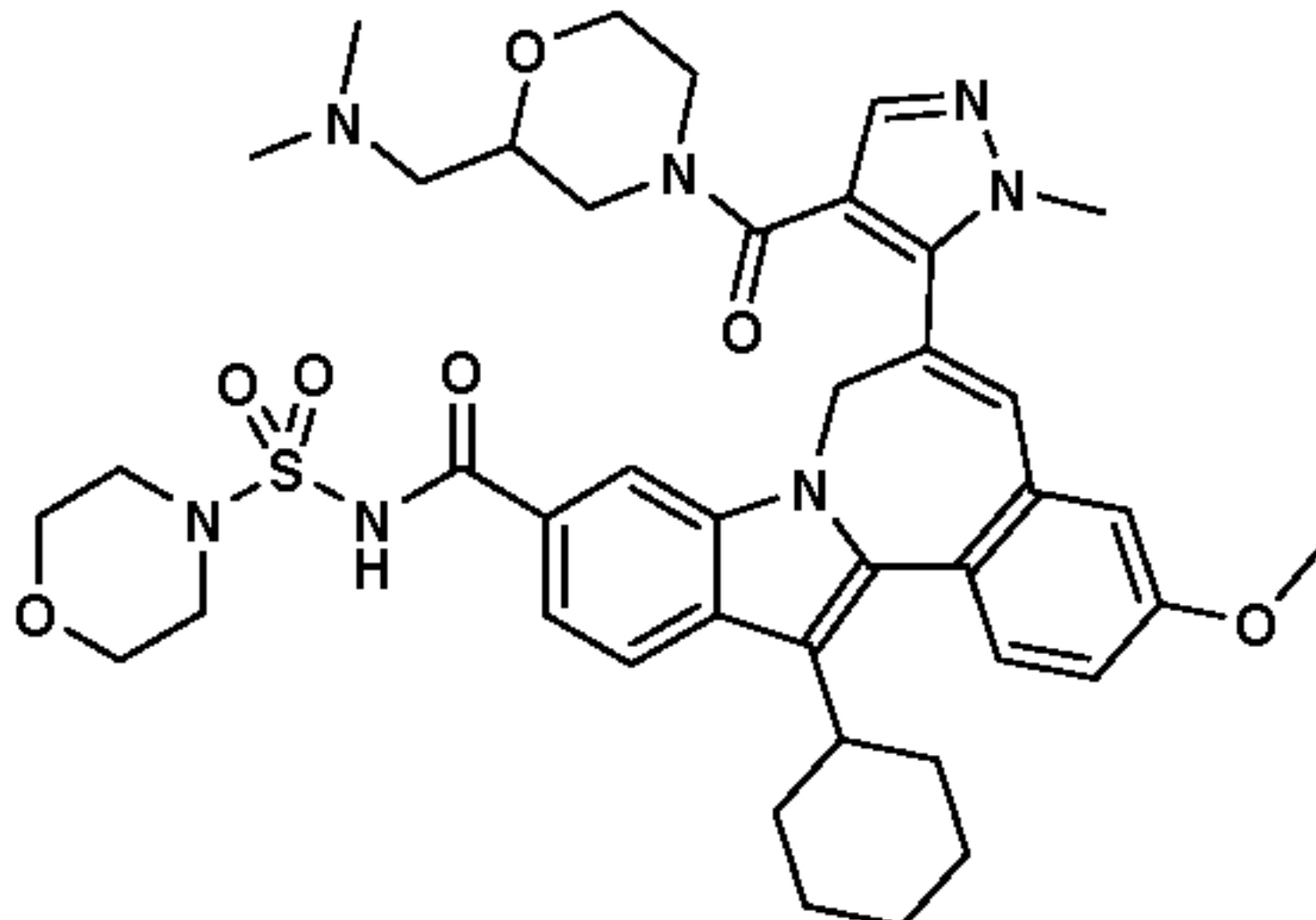
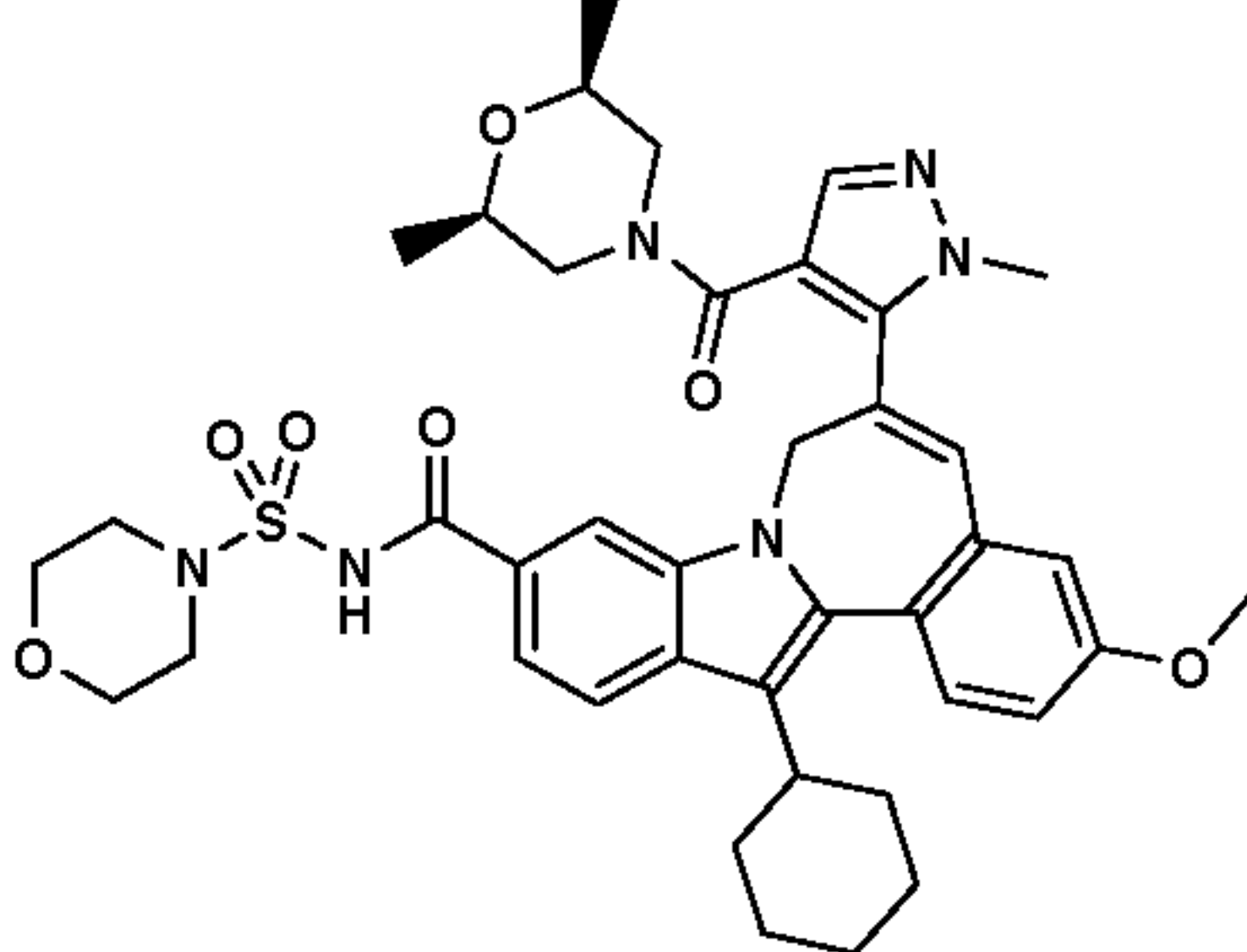
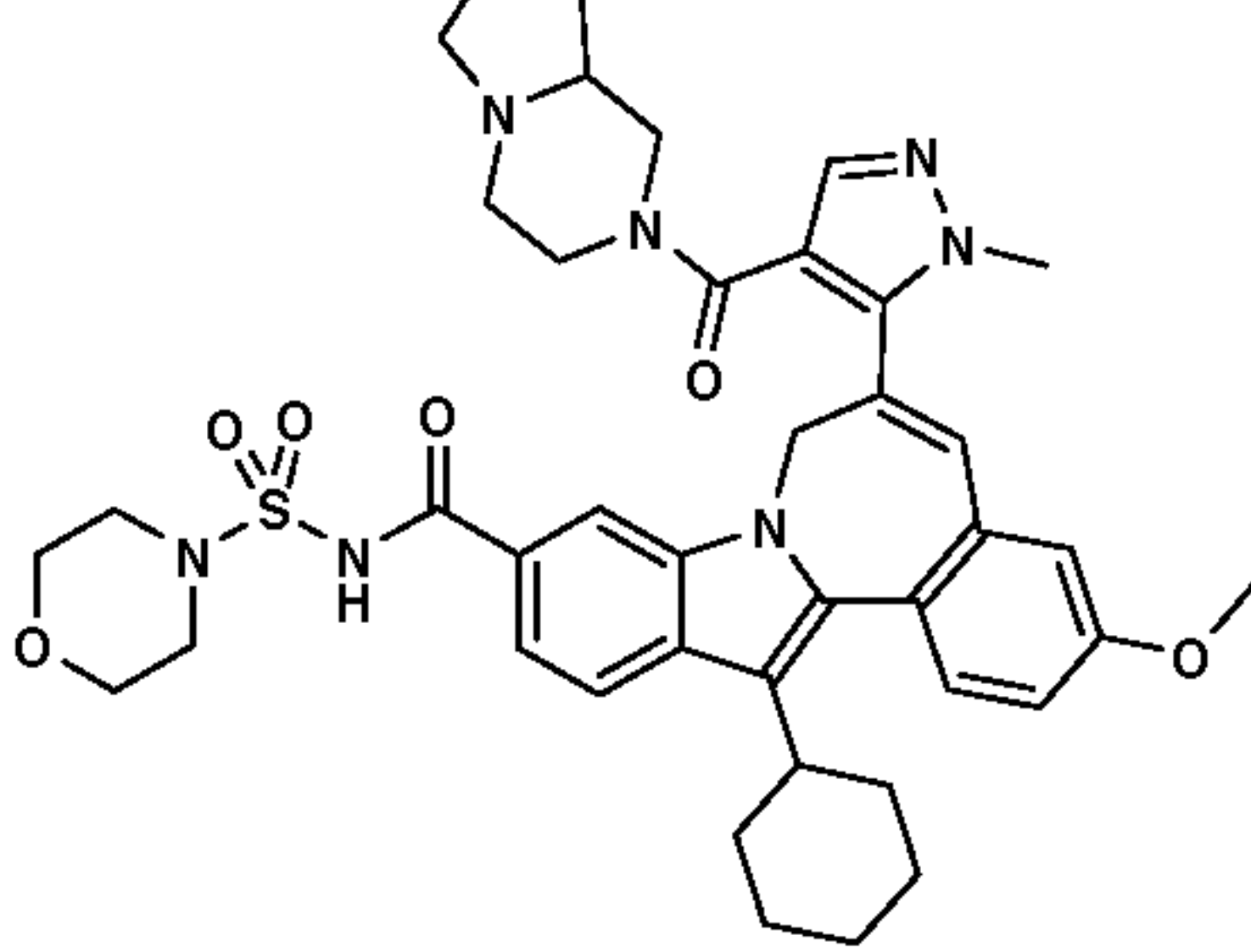
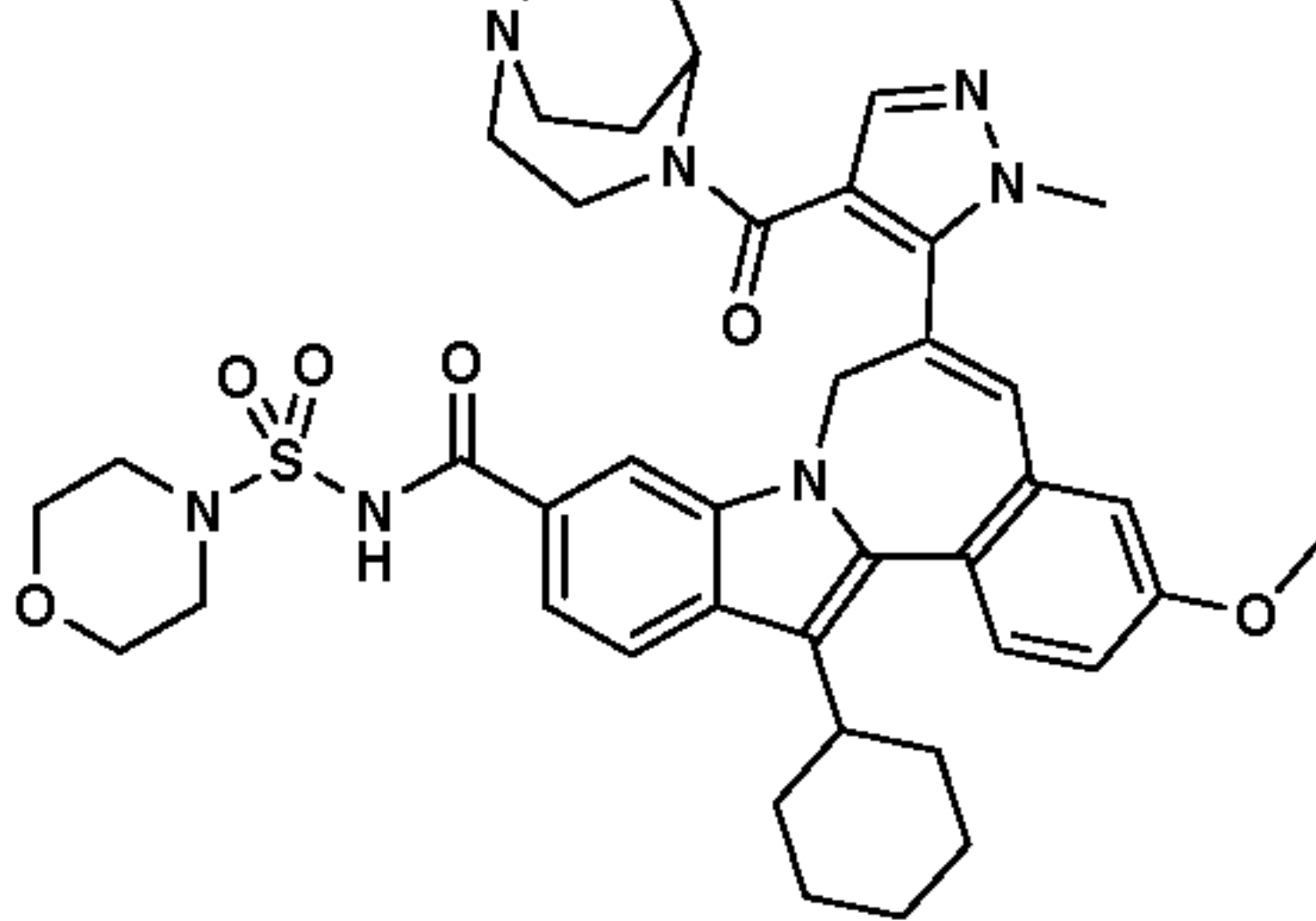
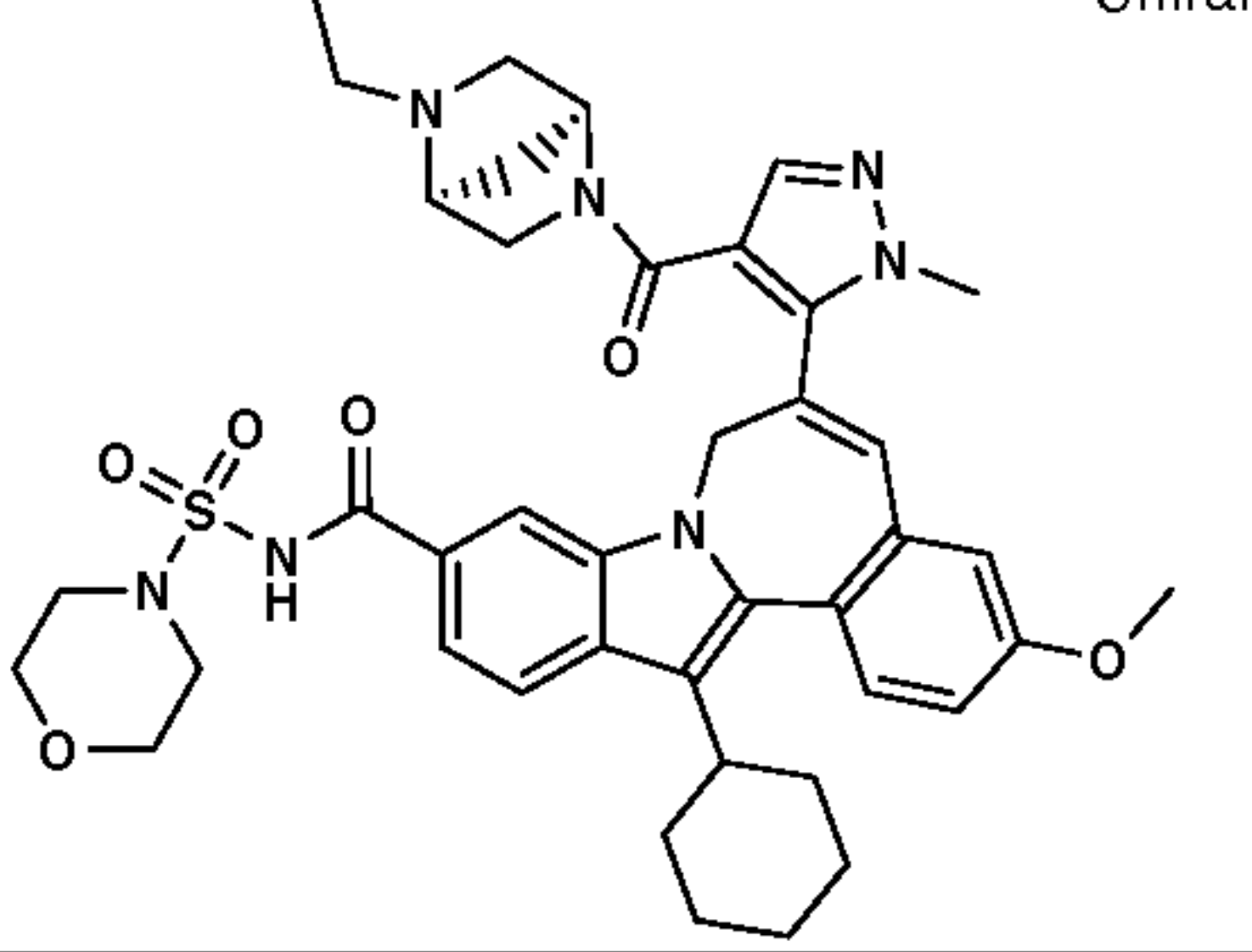
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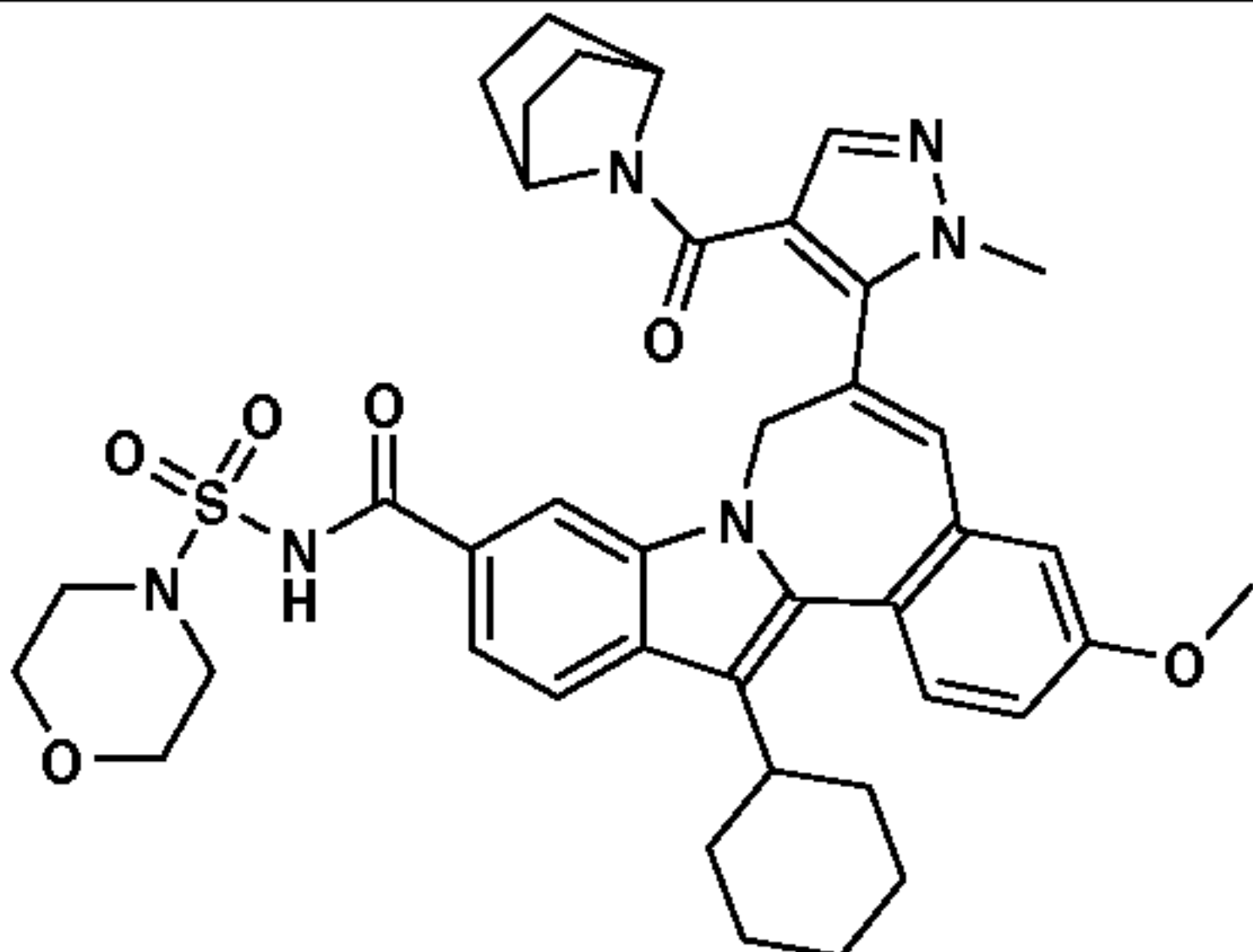
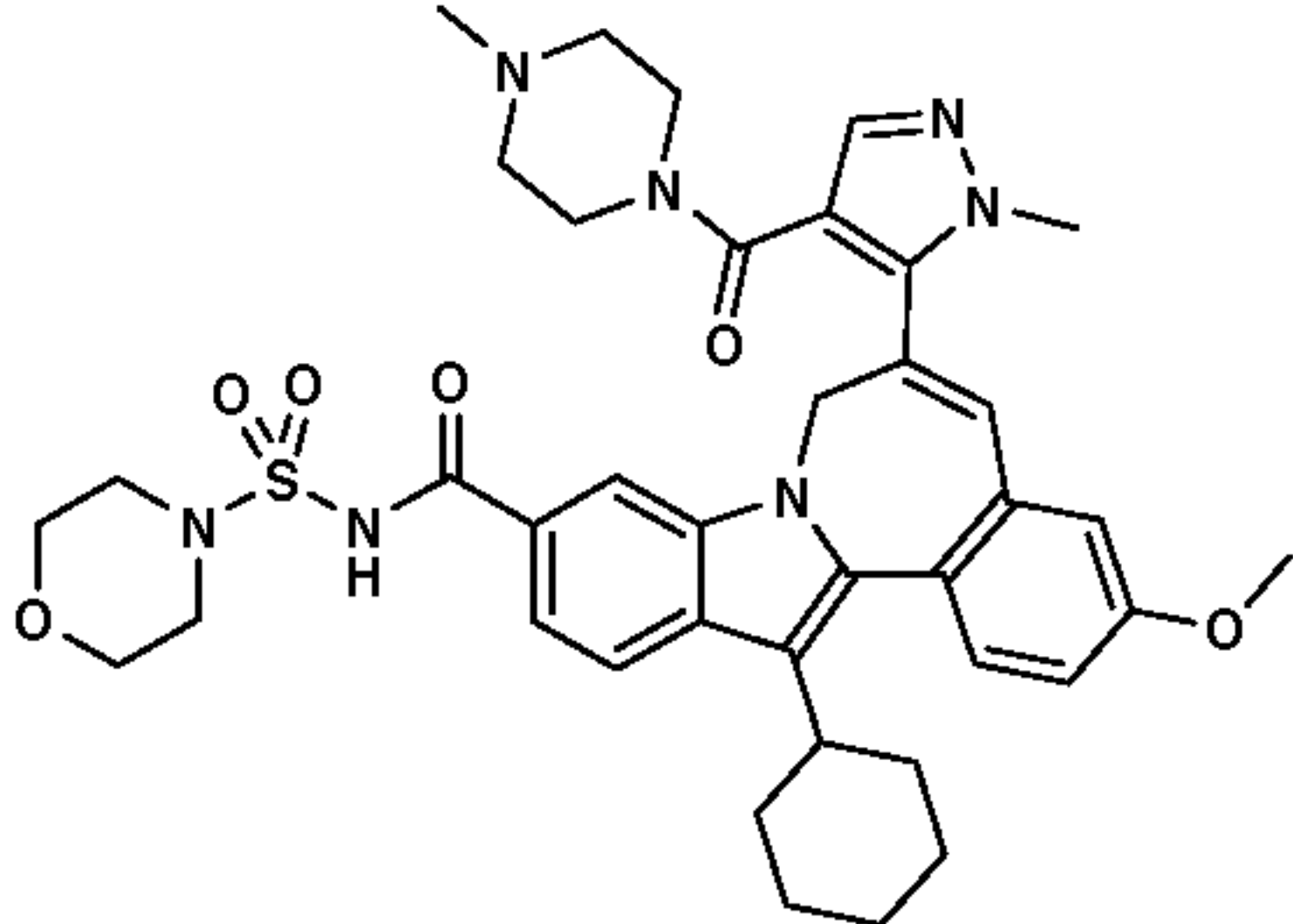
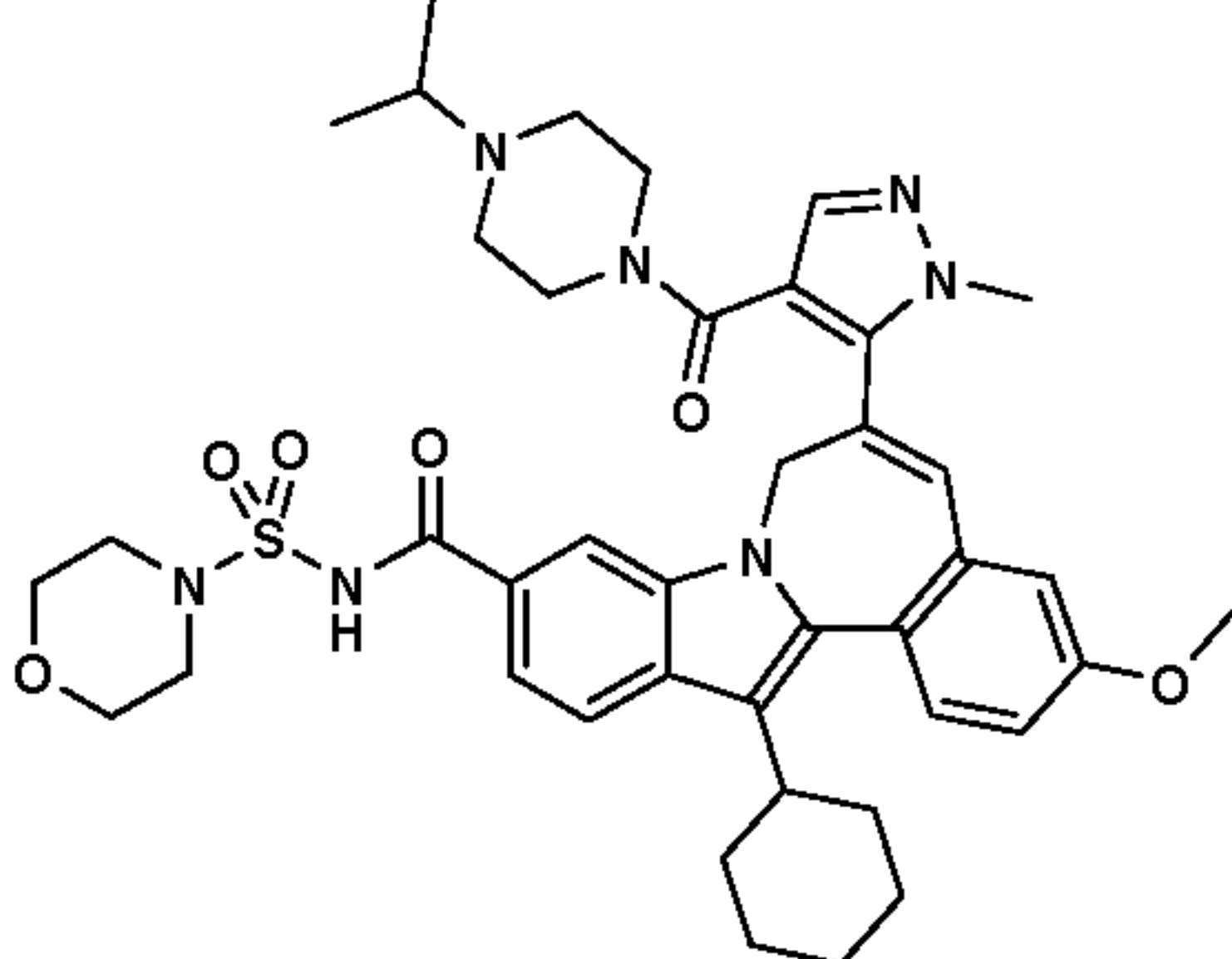
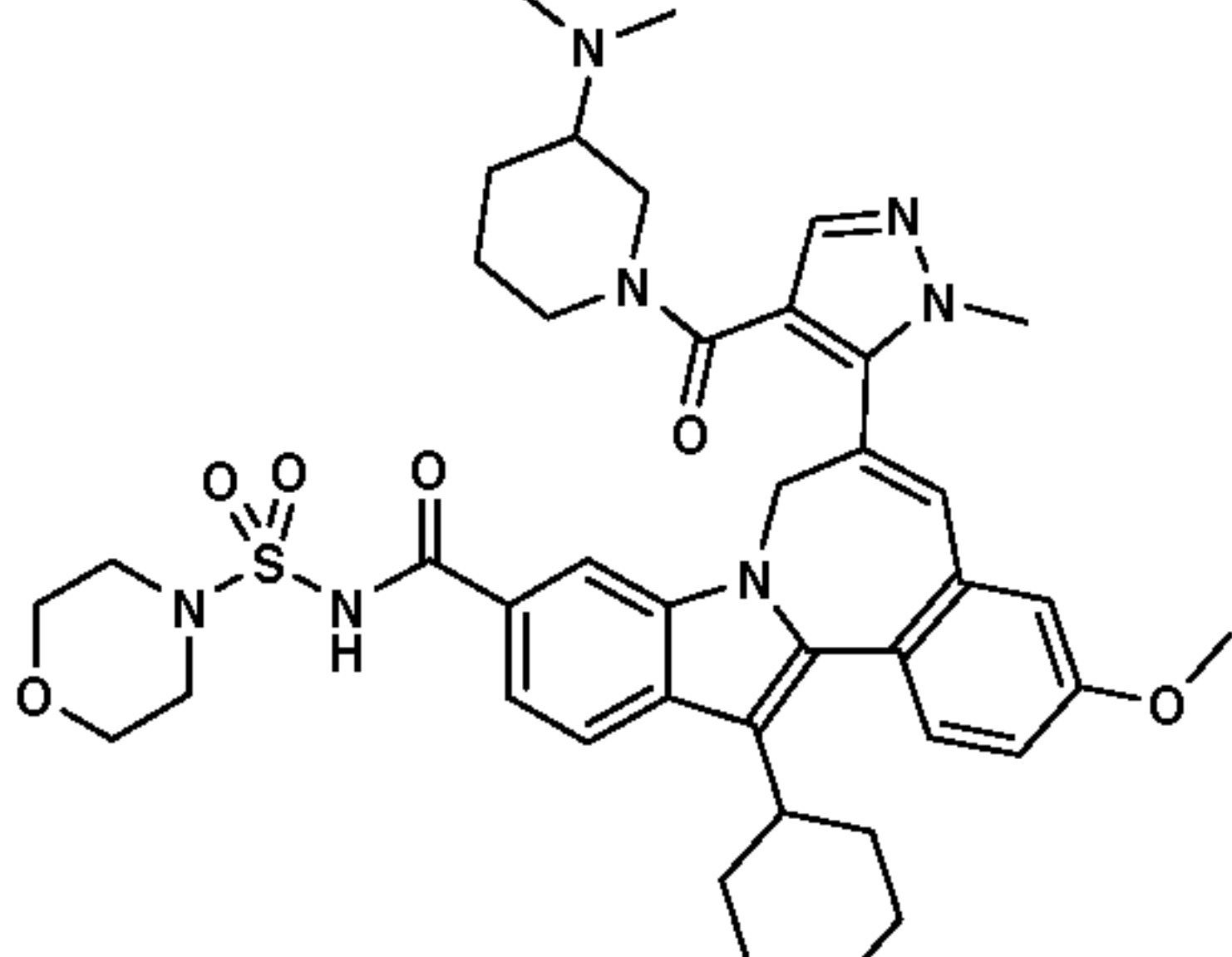
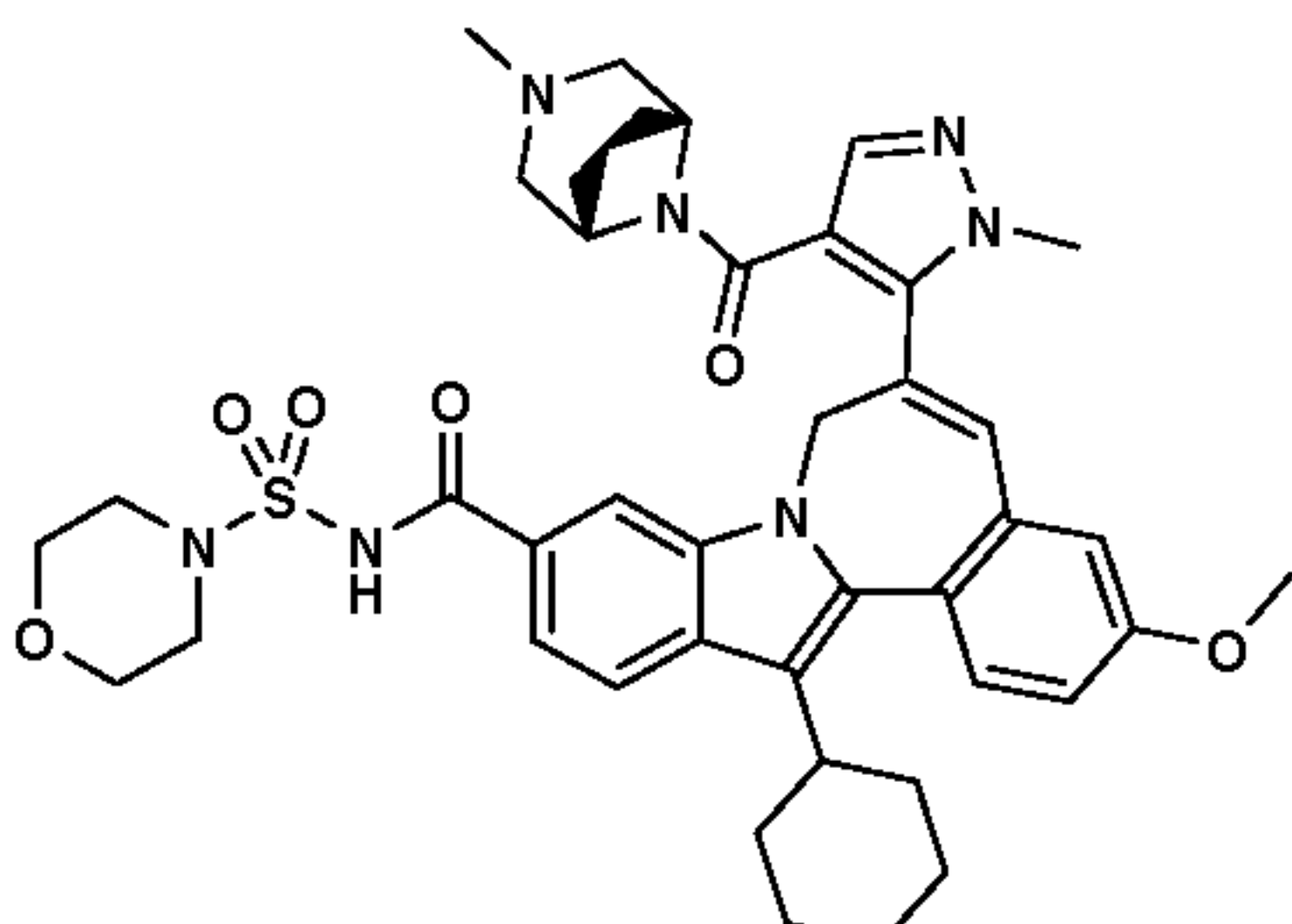
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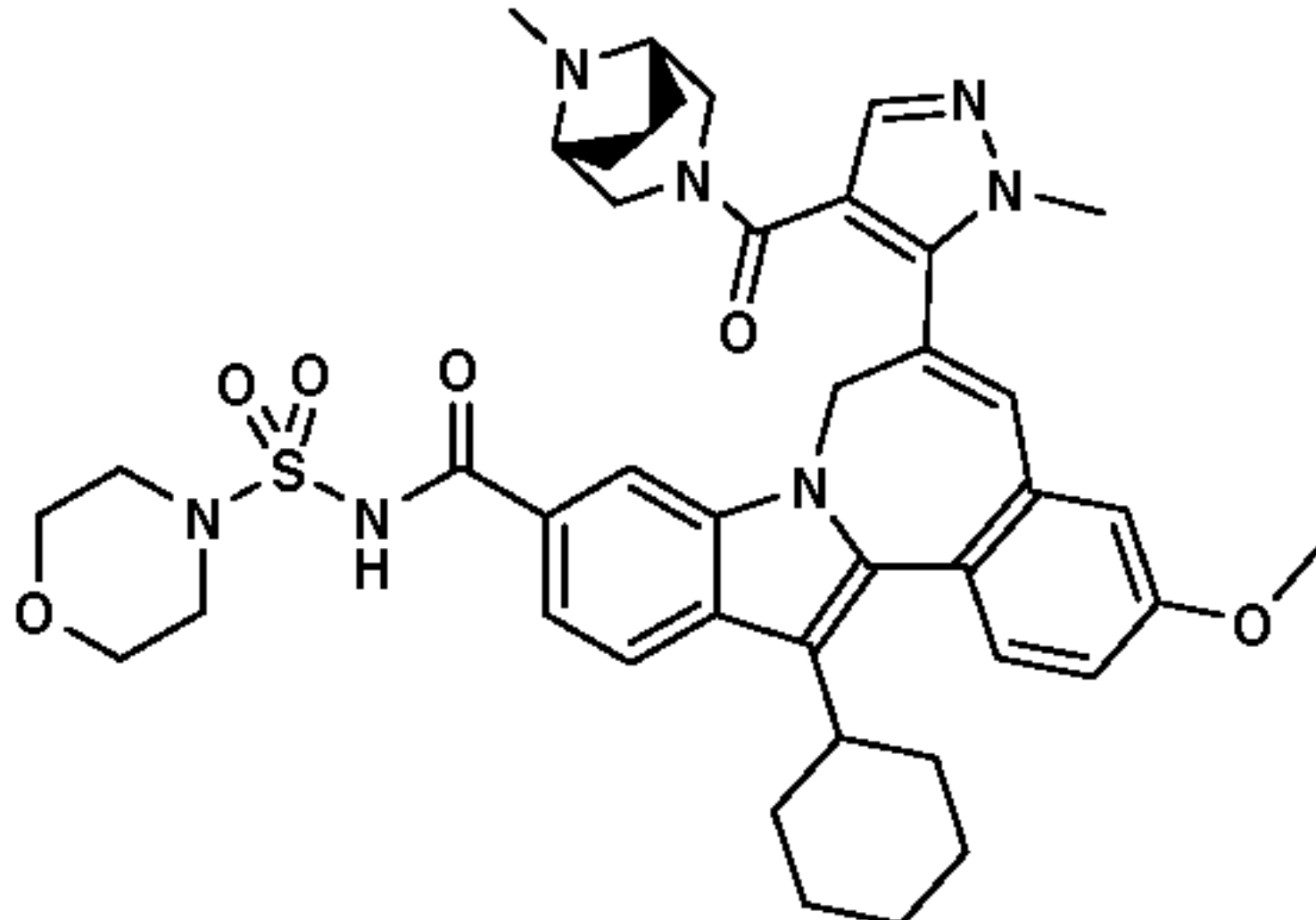
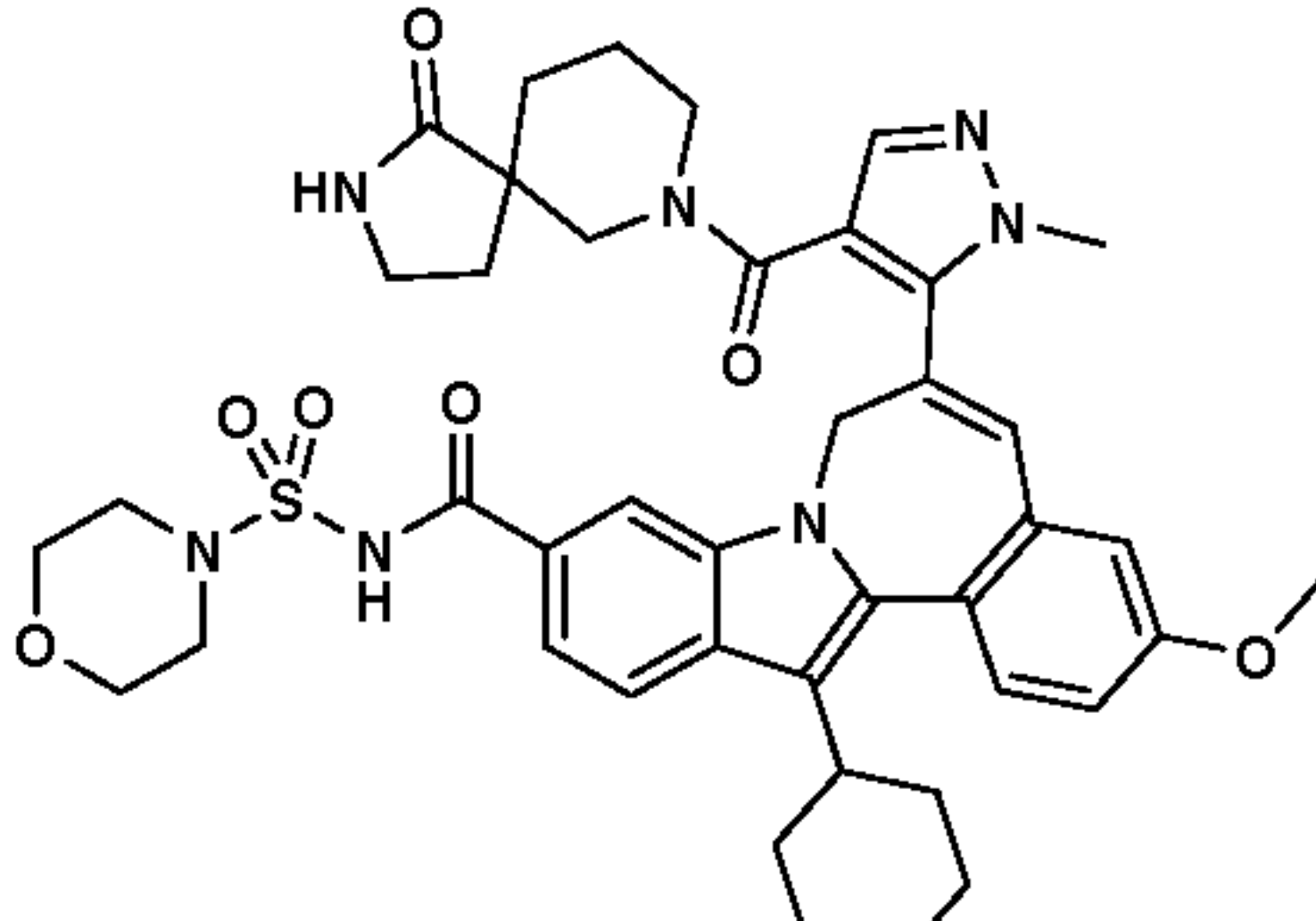
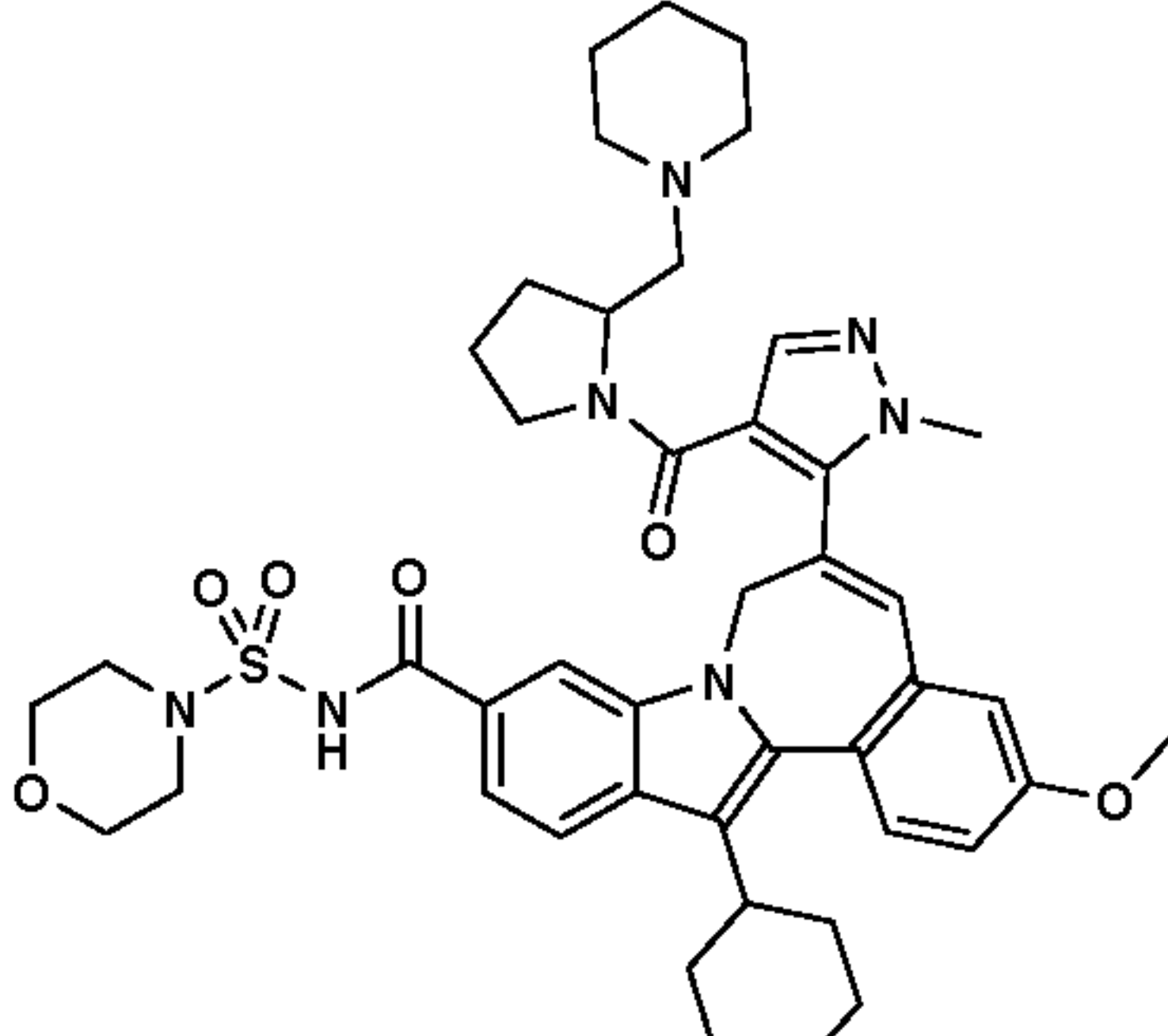
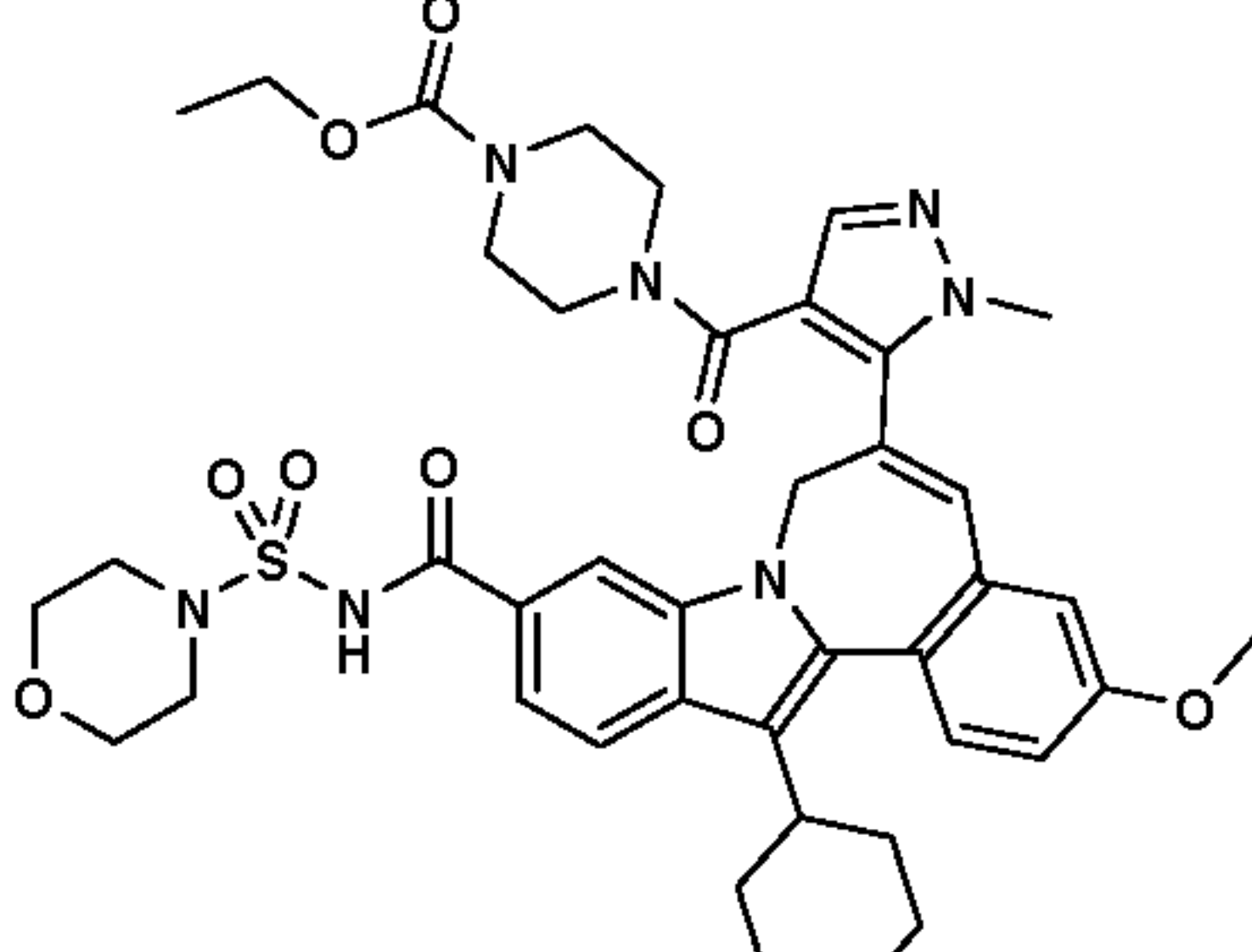
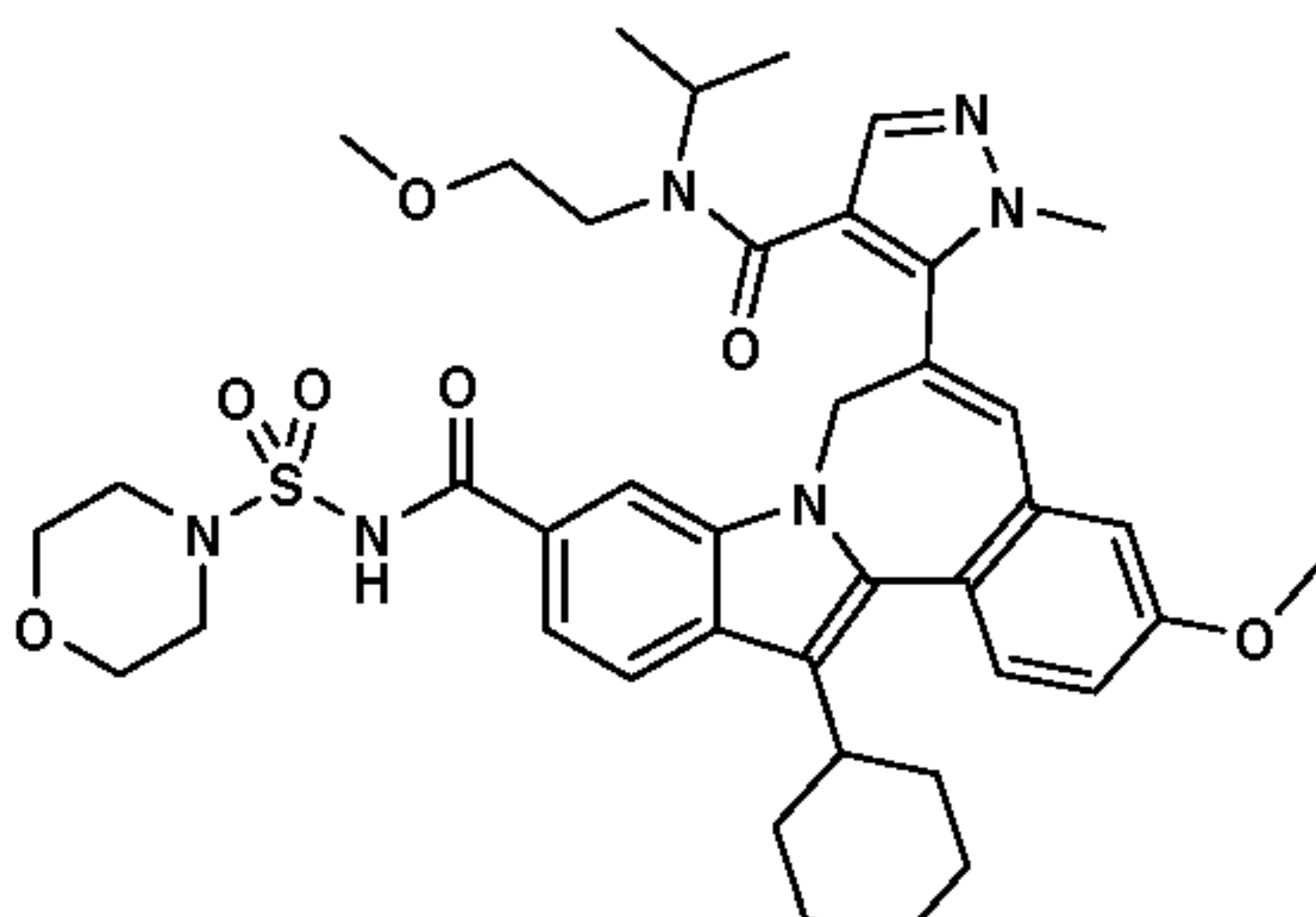
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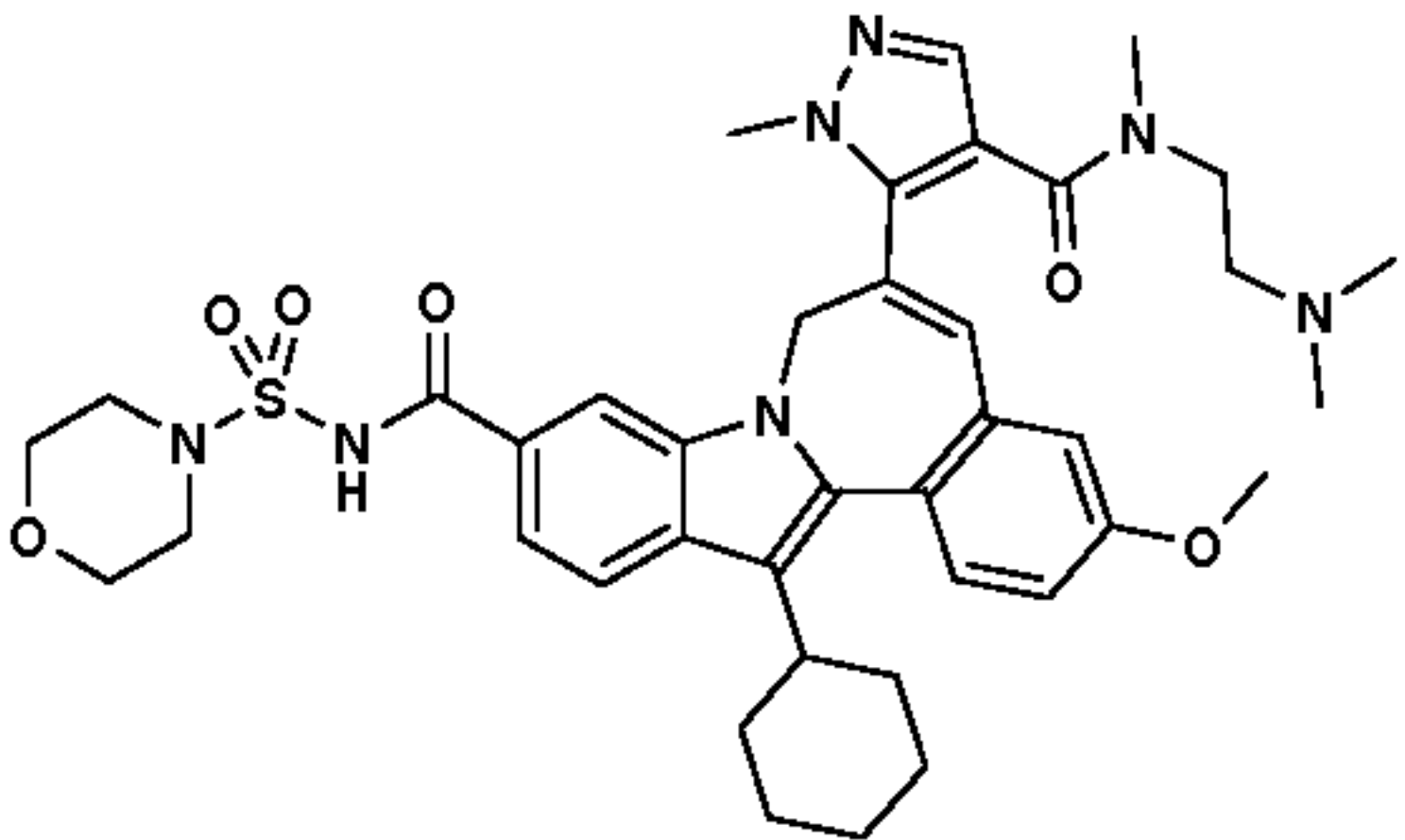
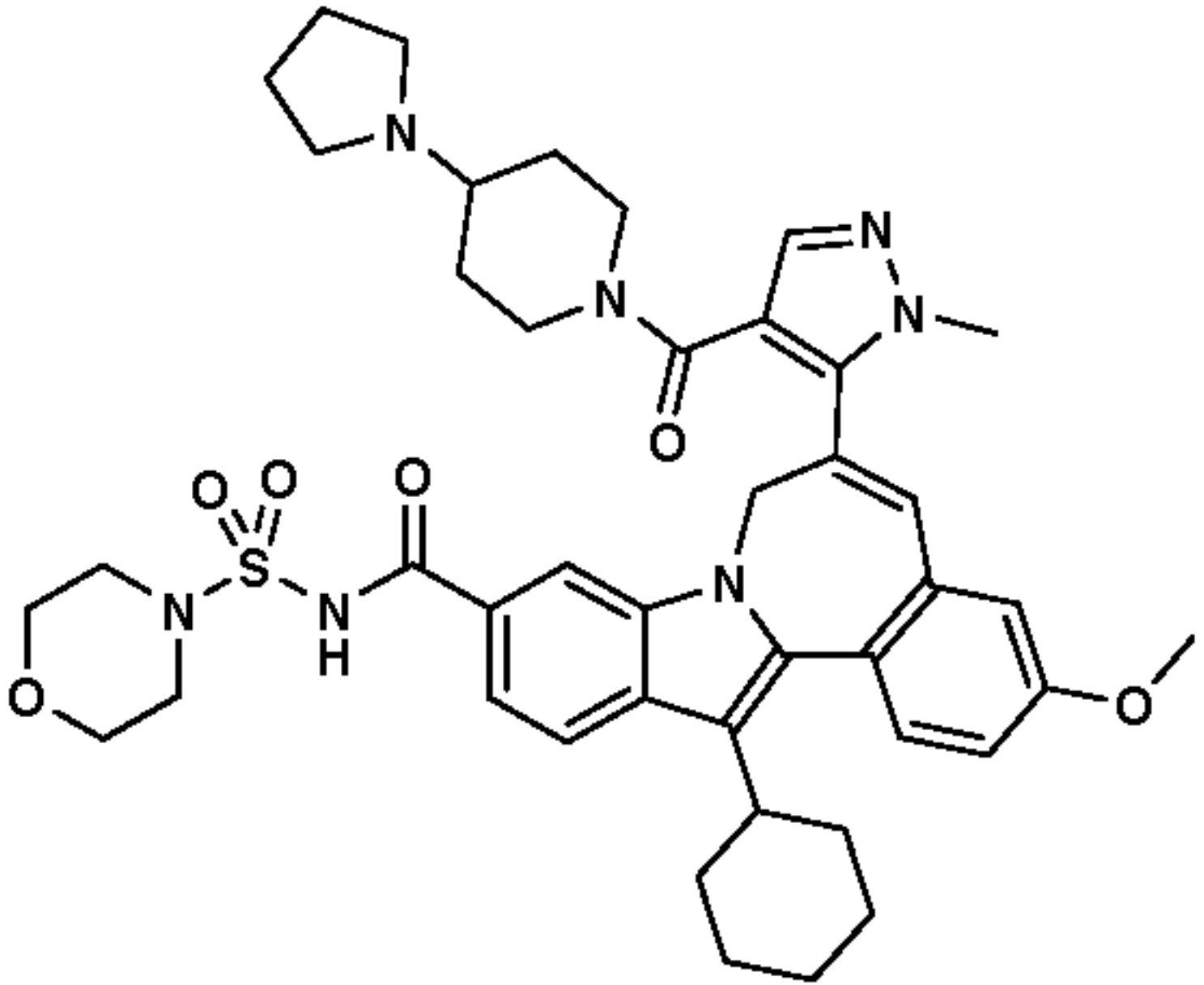
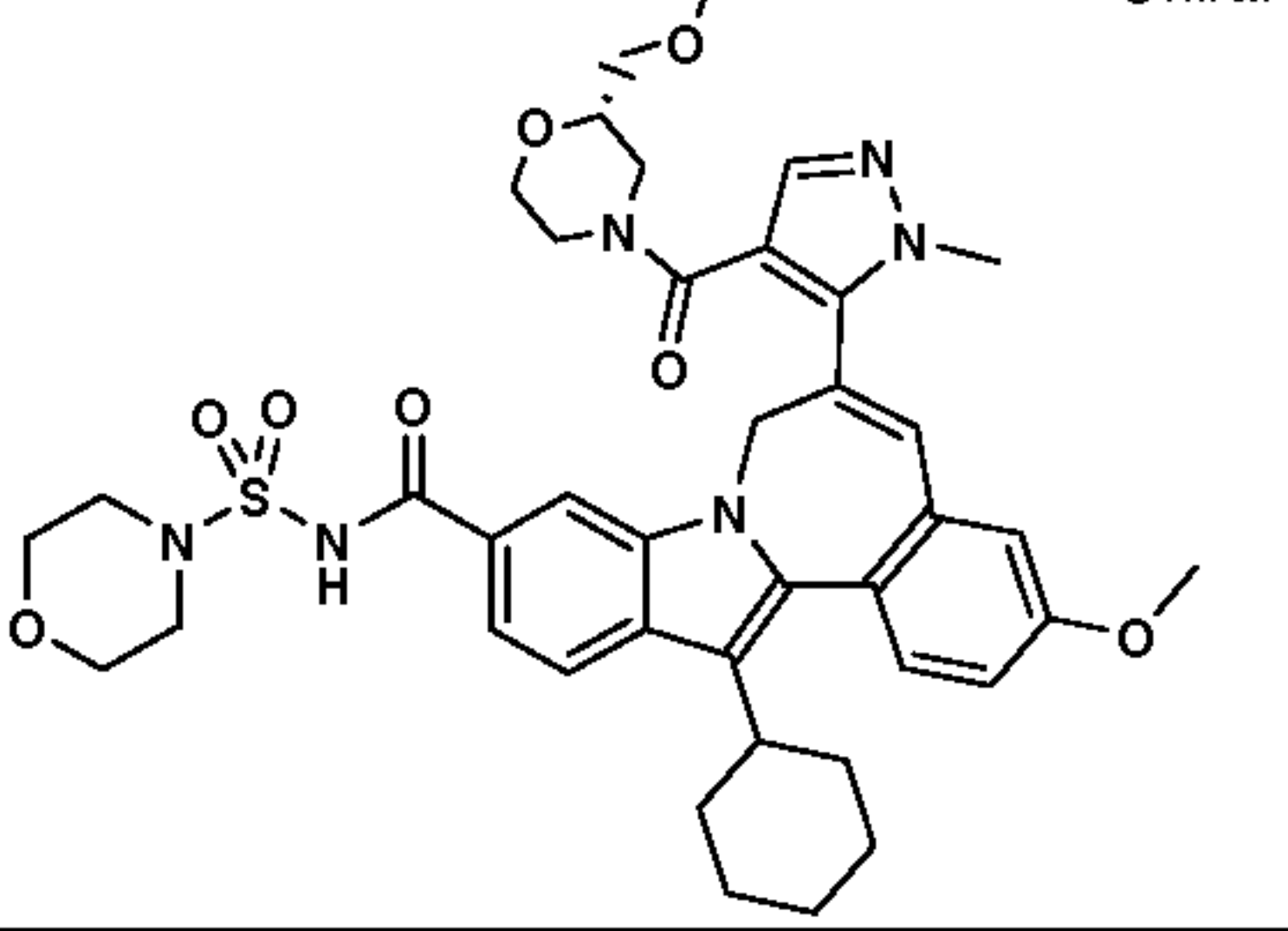
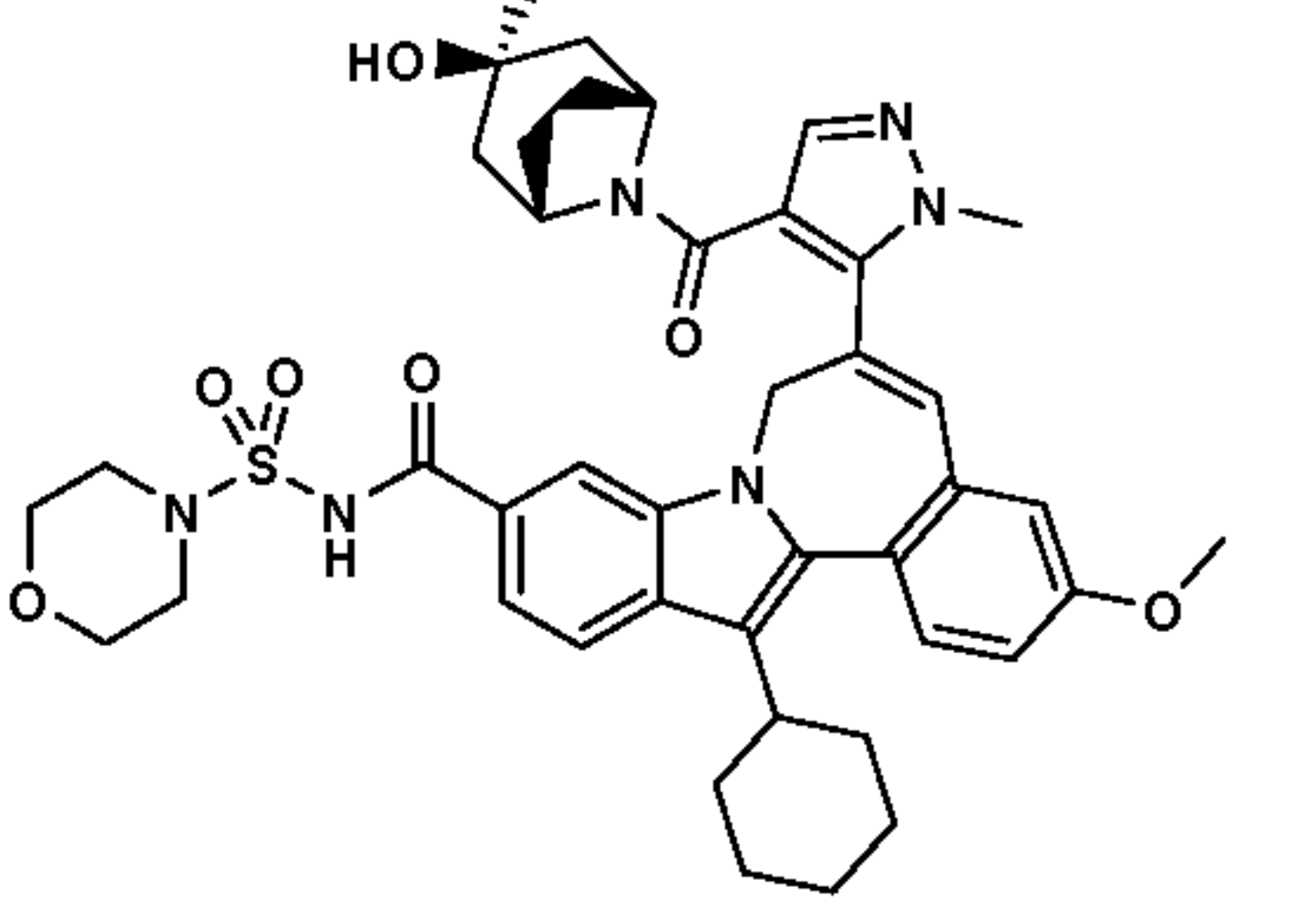
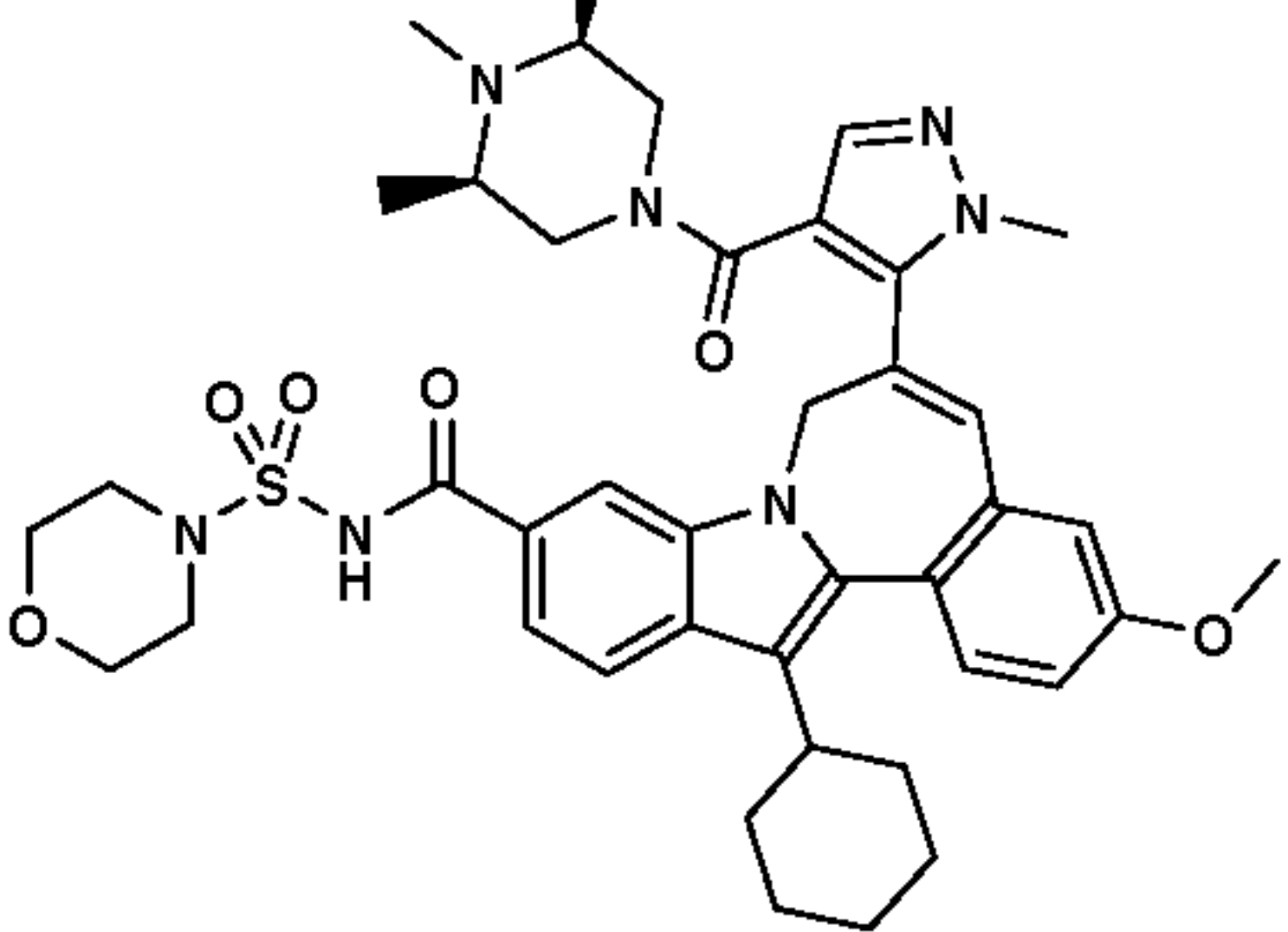
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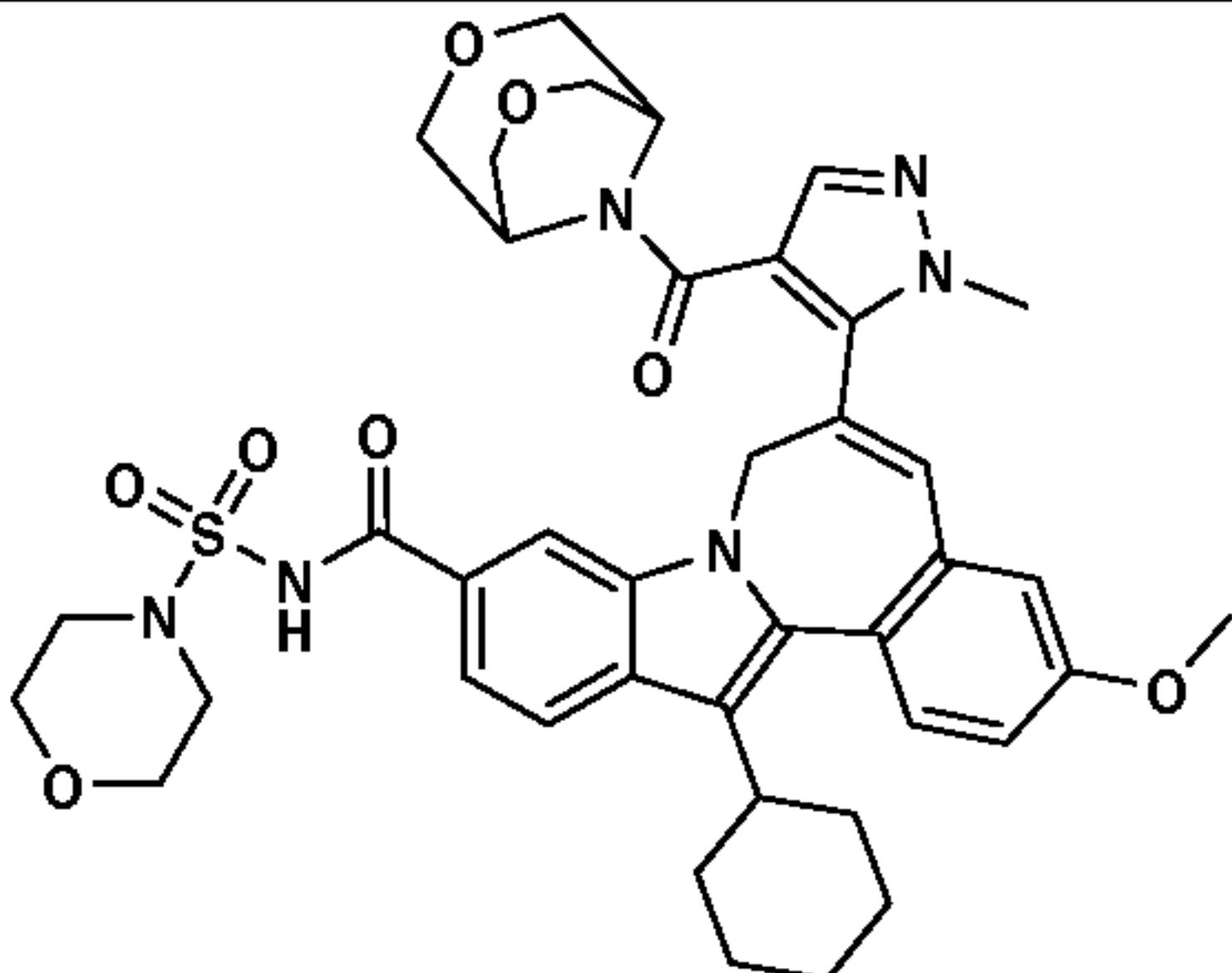
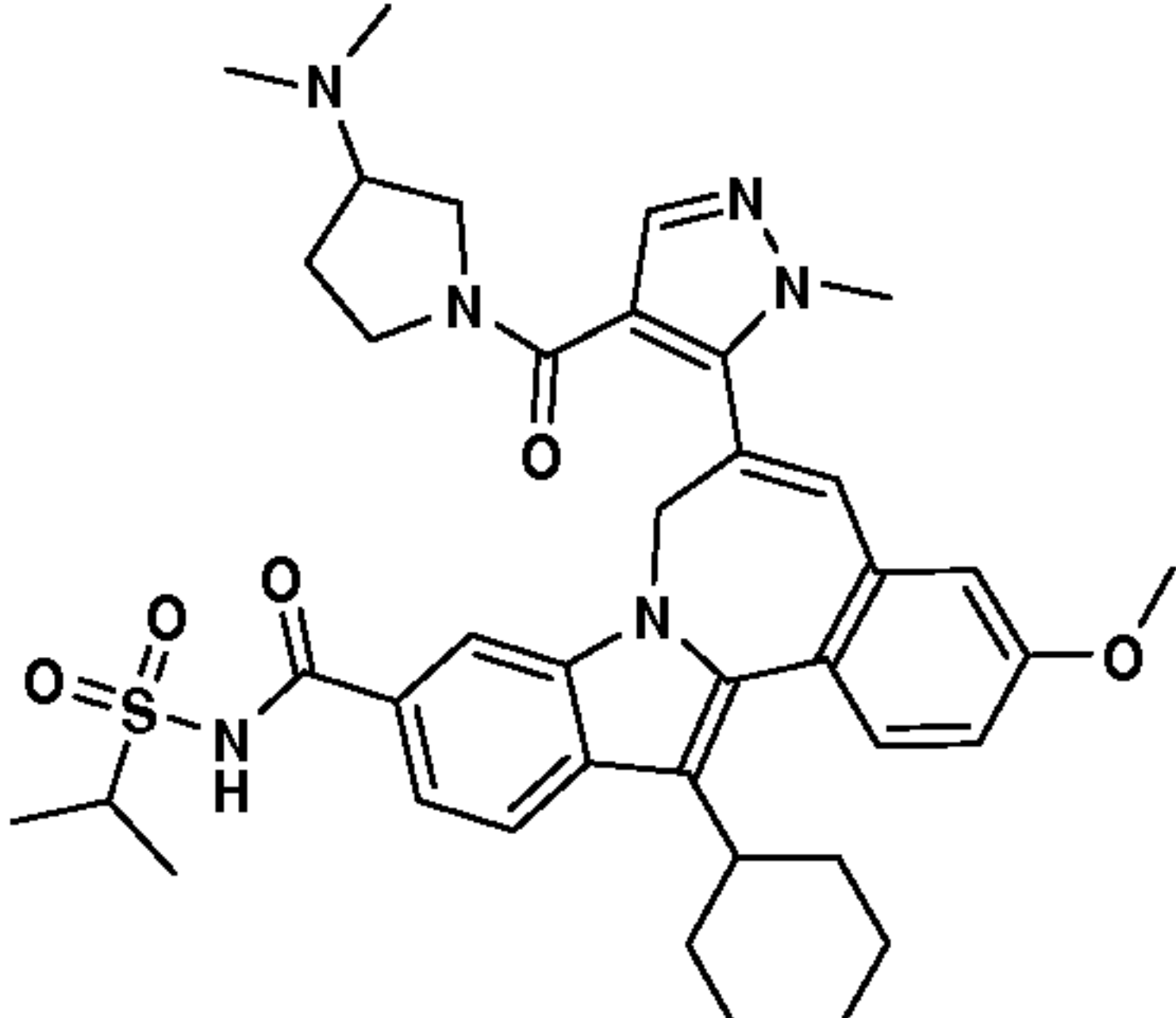
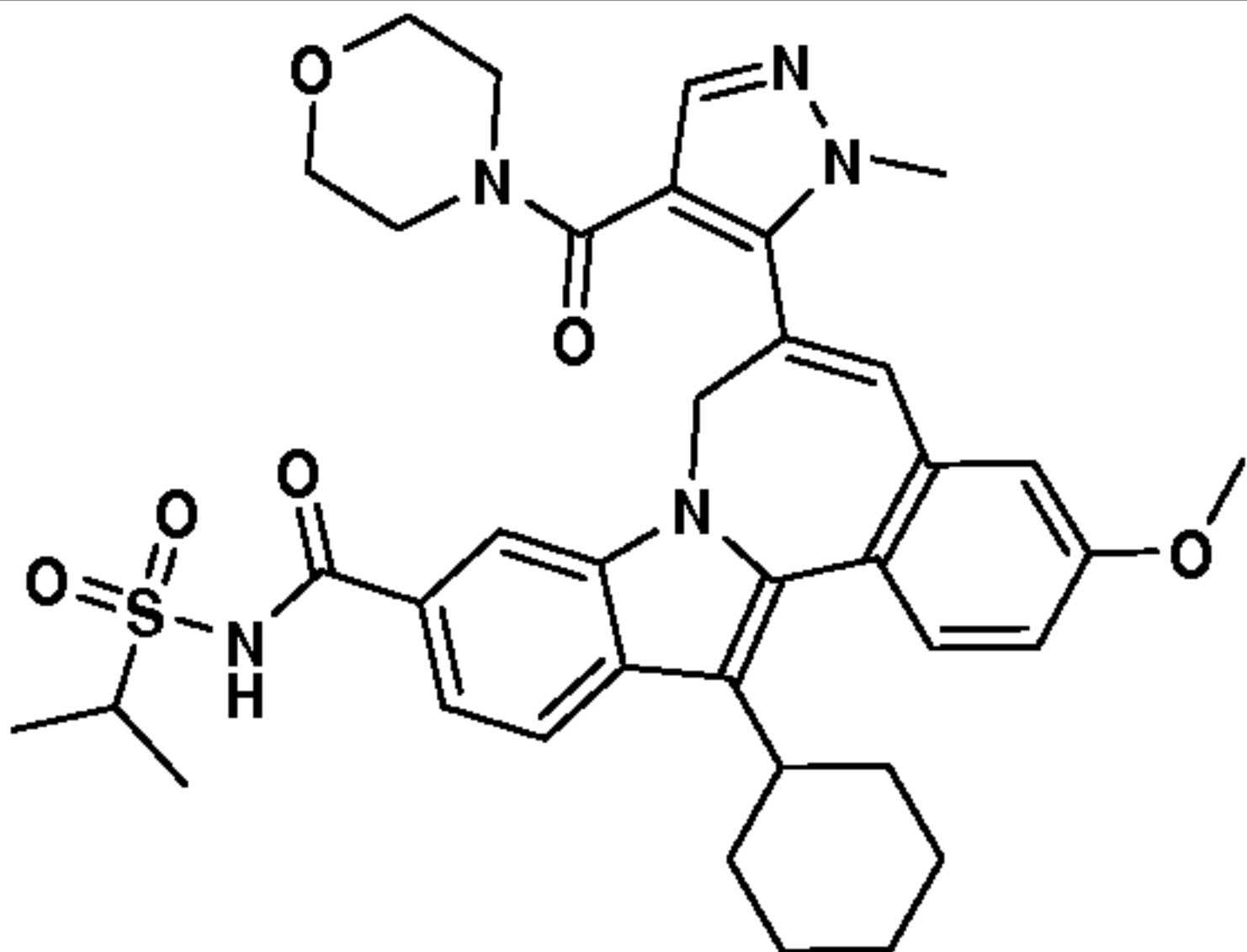
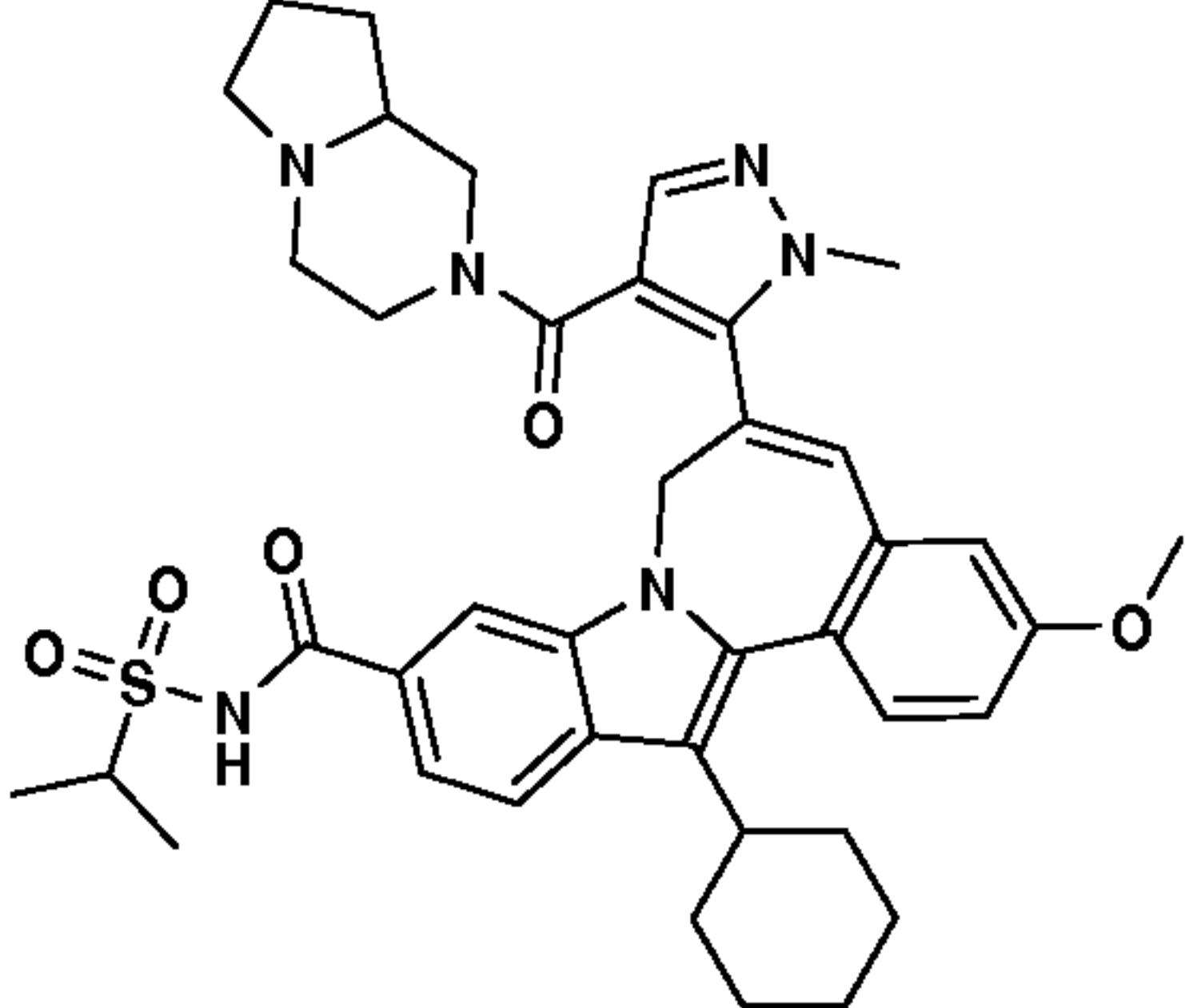
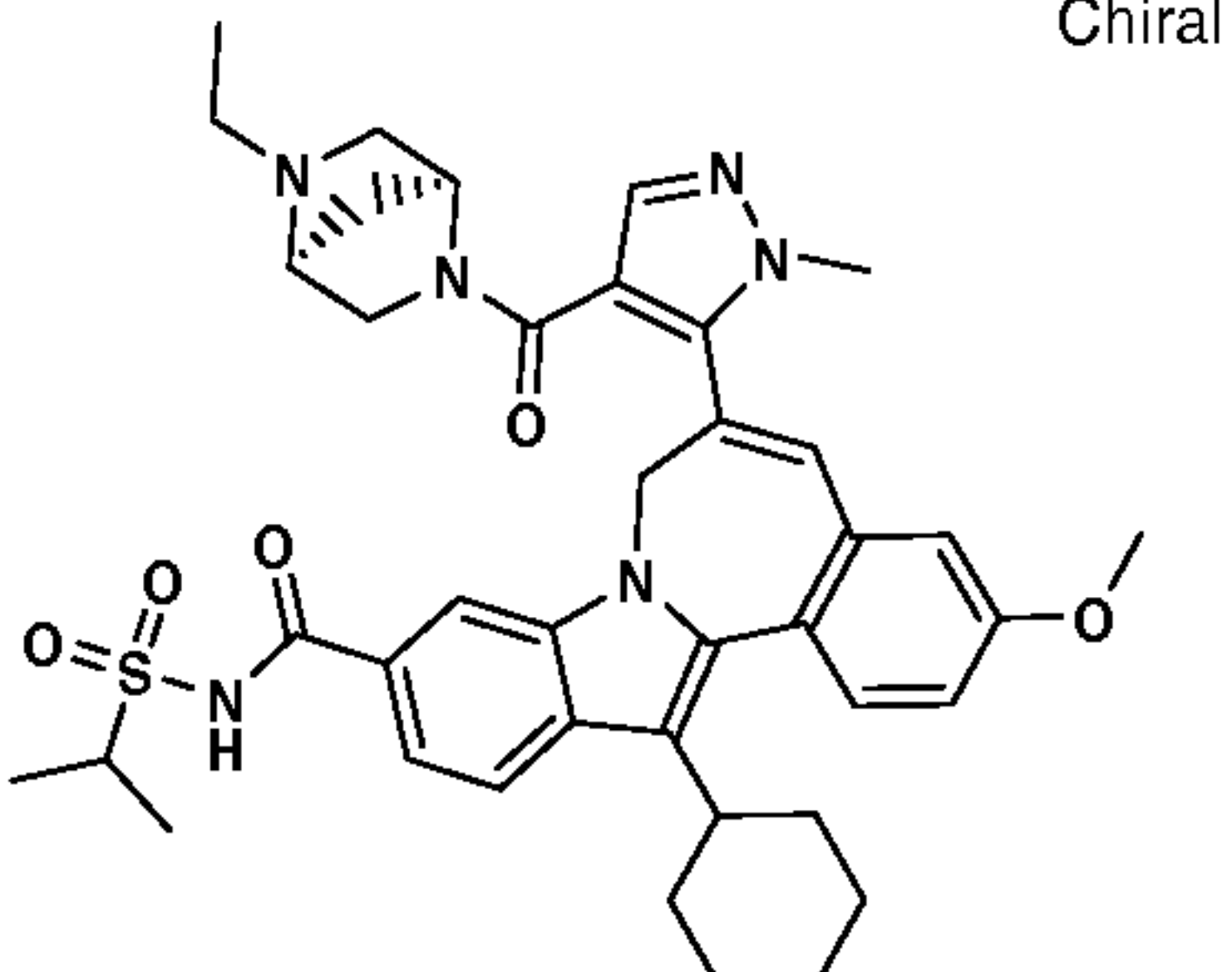
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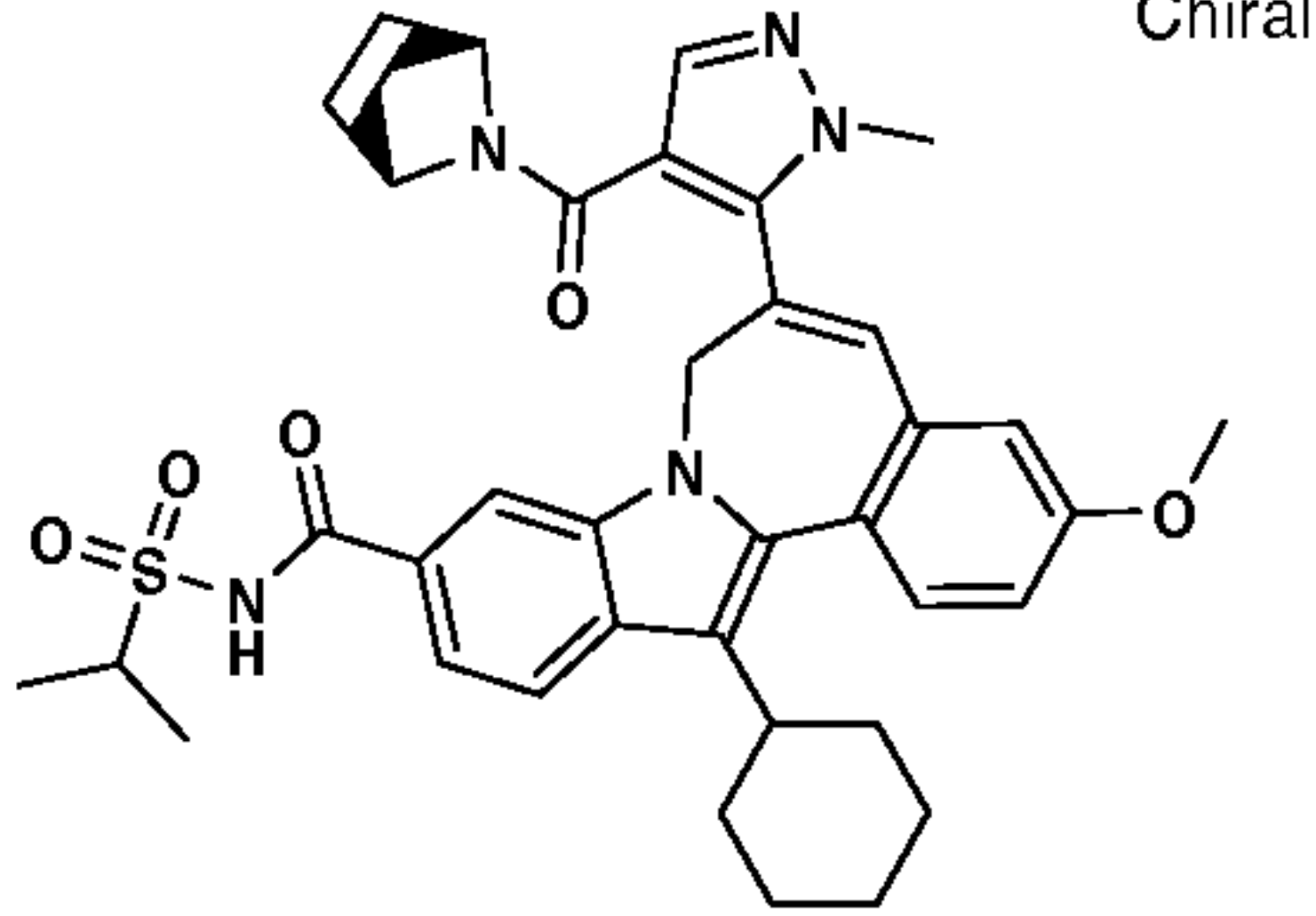
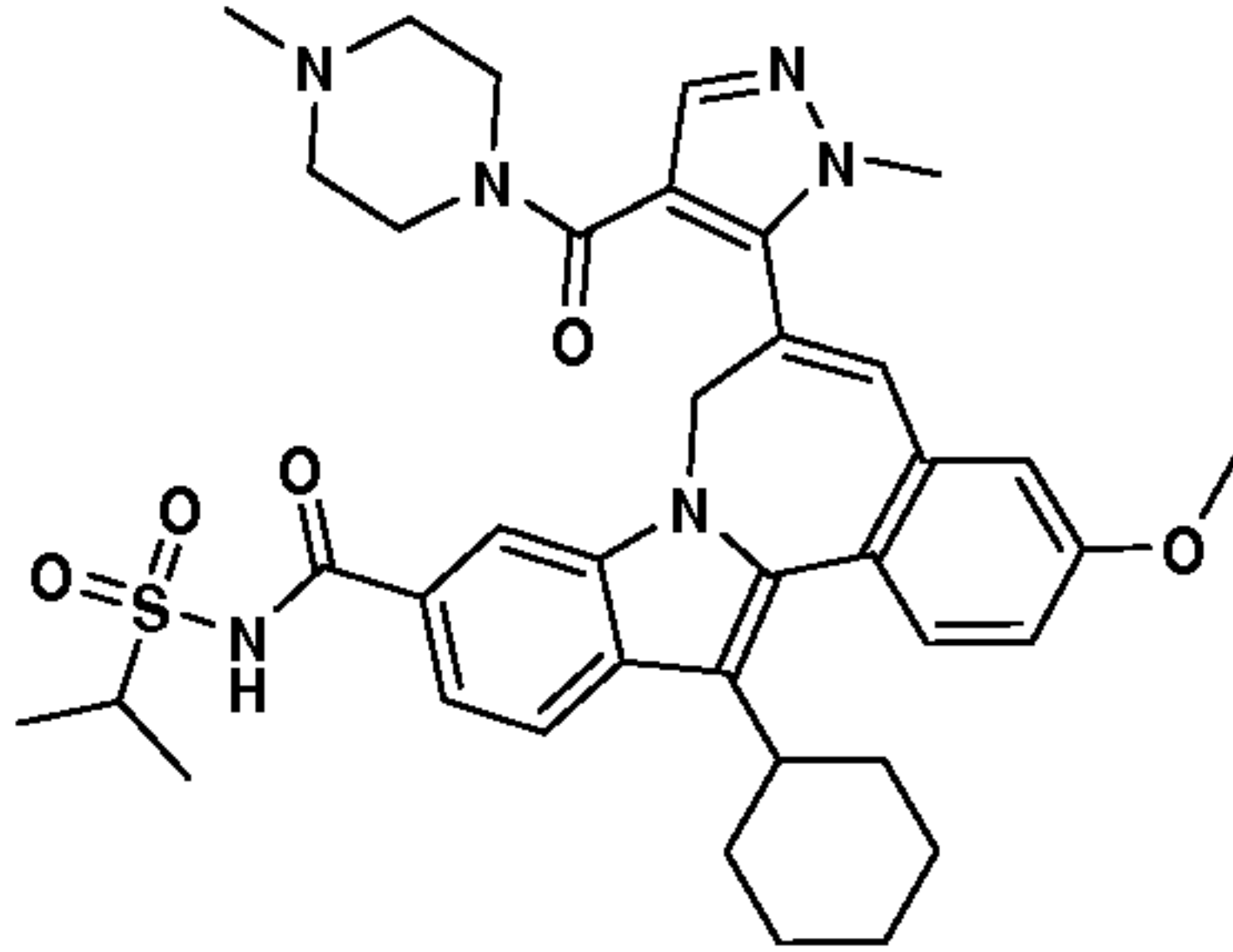
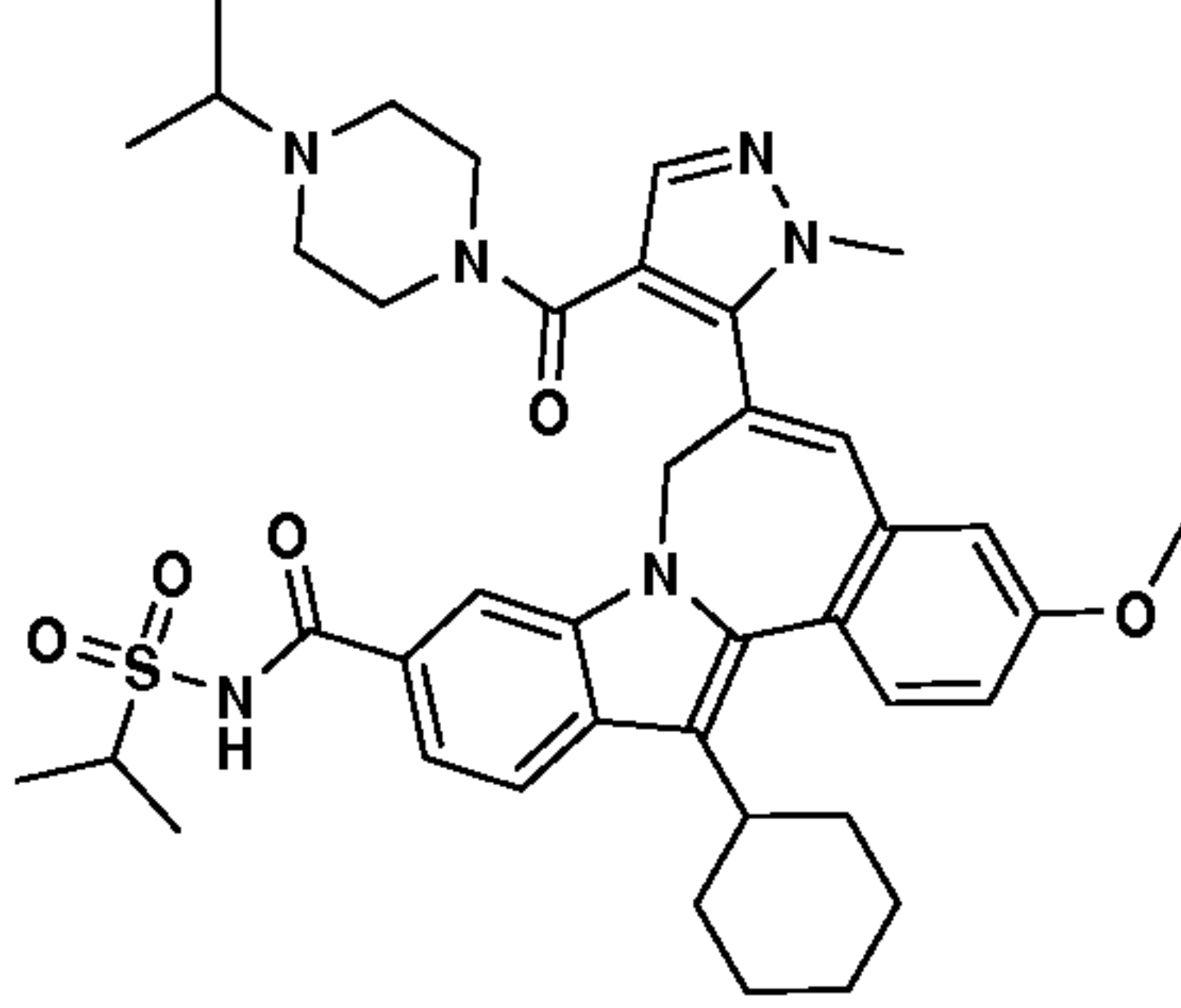
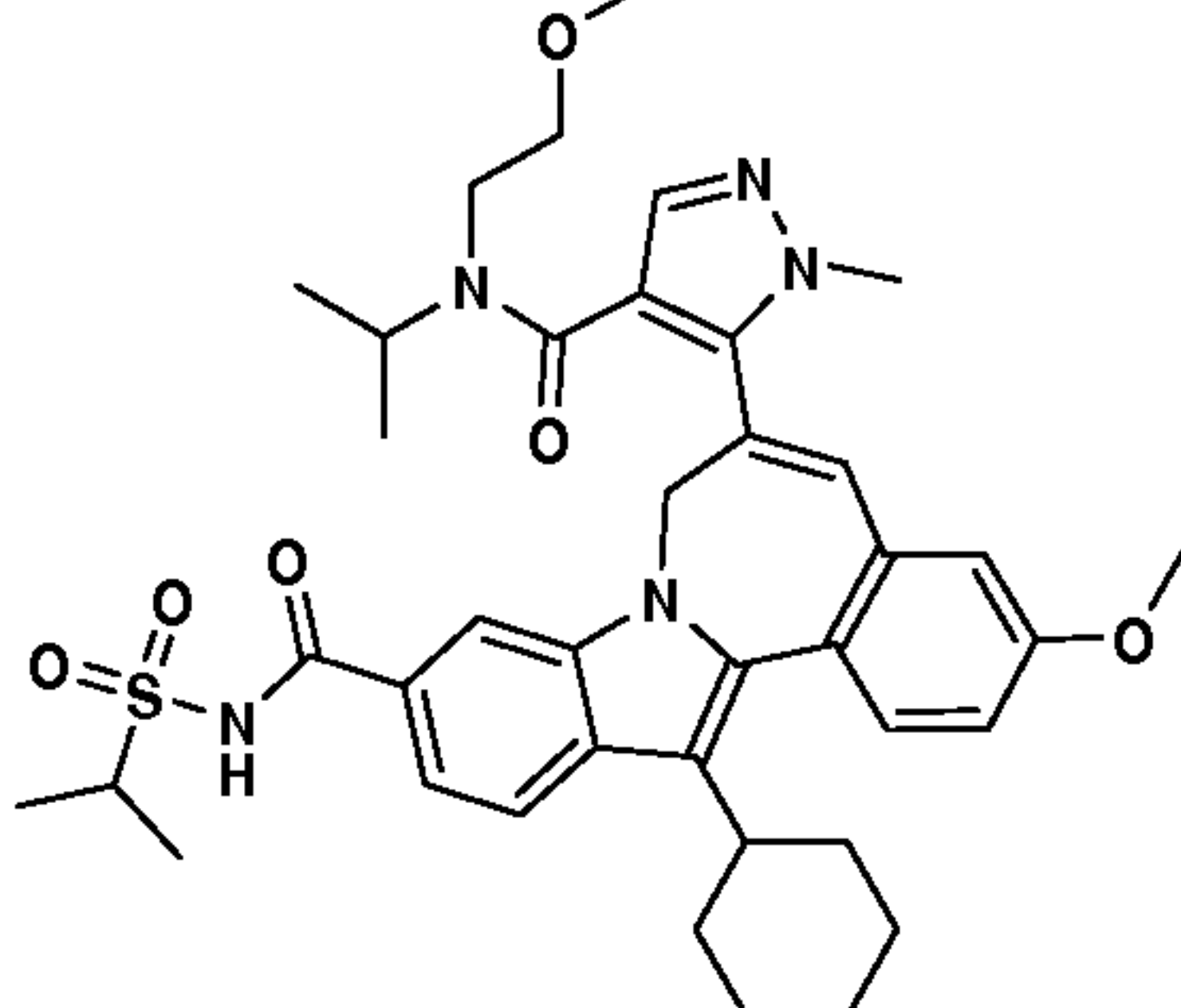
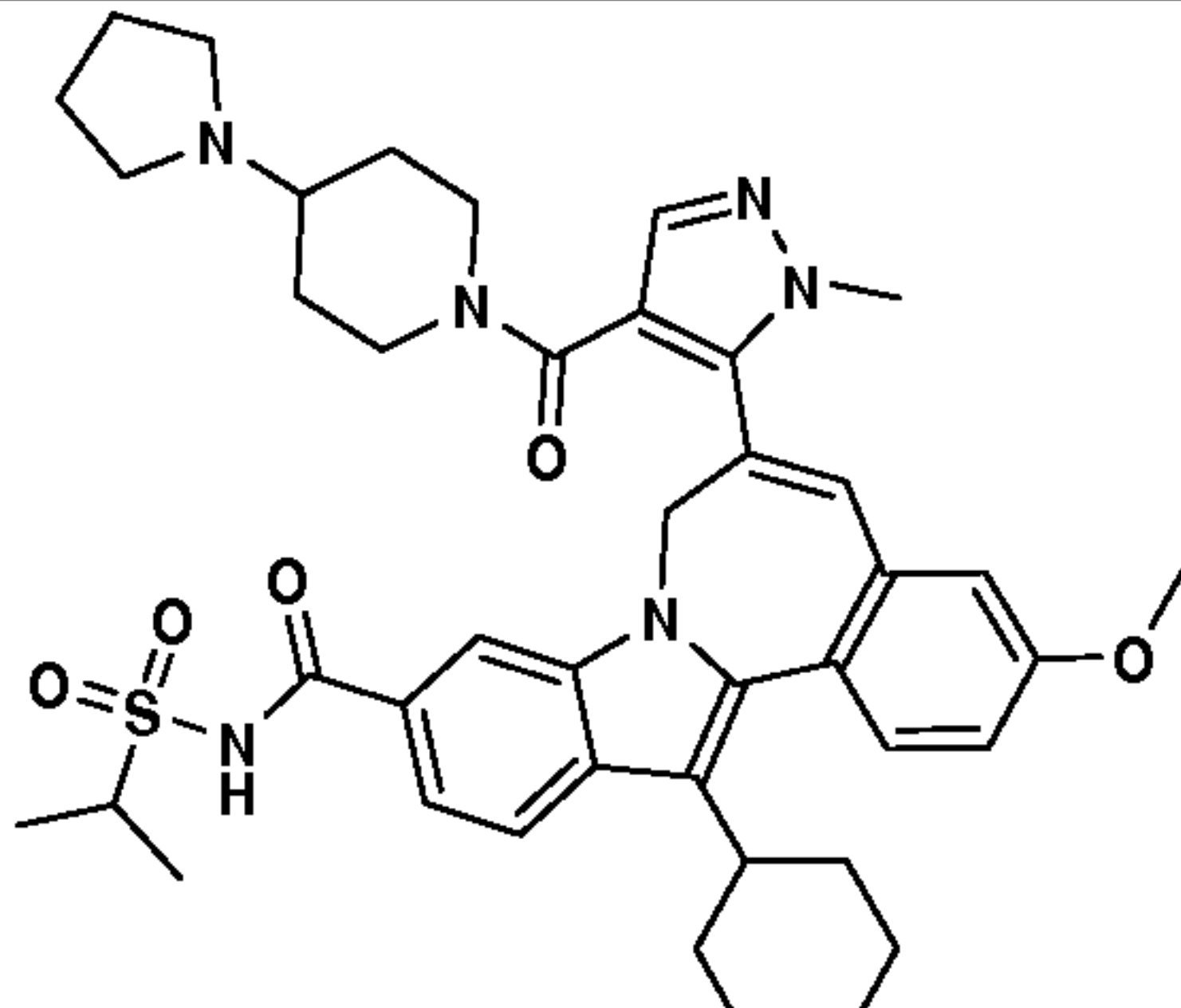
Structure	IC ₅₀ (μM)	EC ₅₀ (μM)
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	B	B
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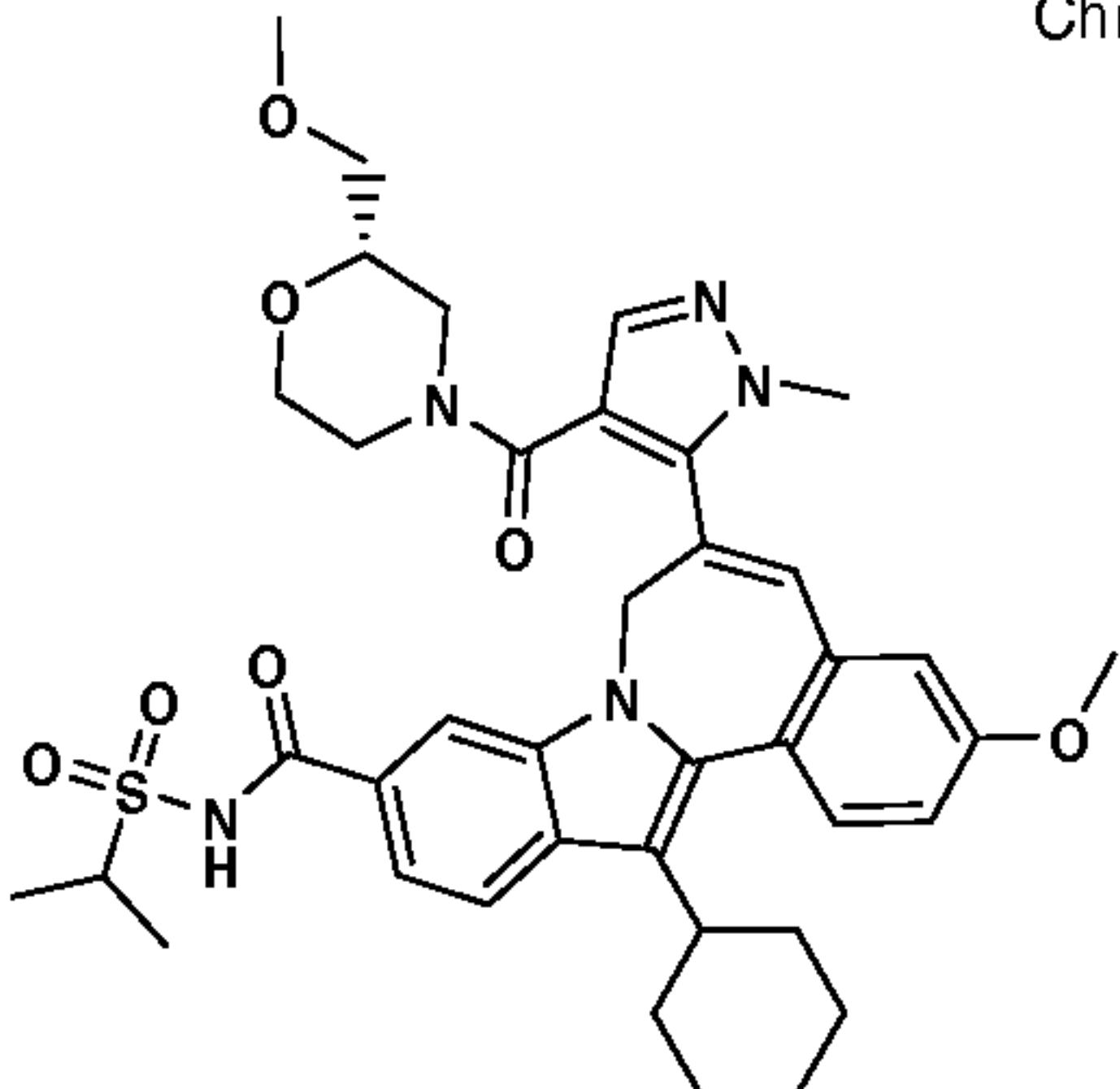
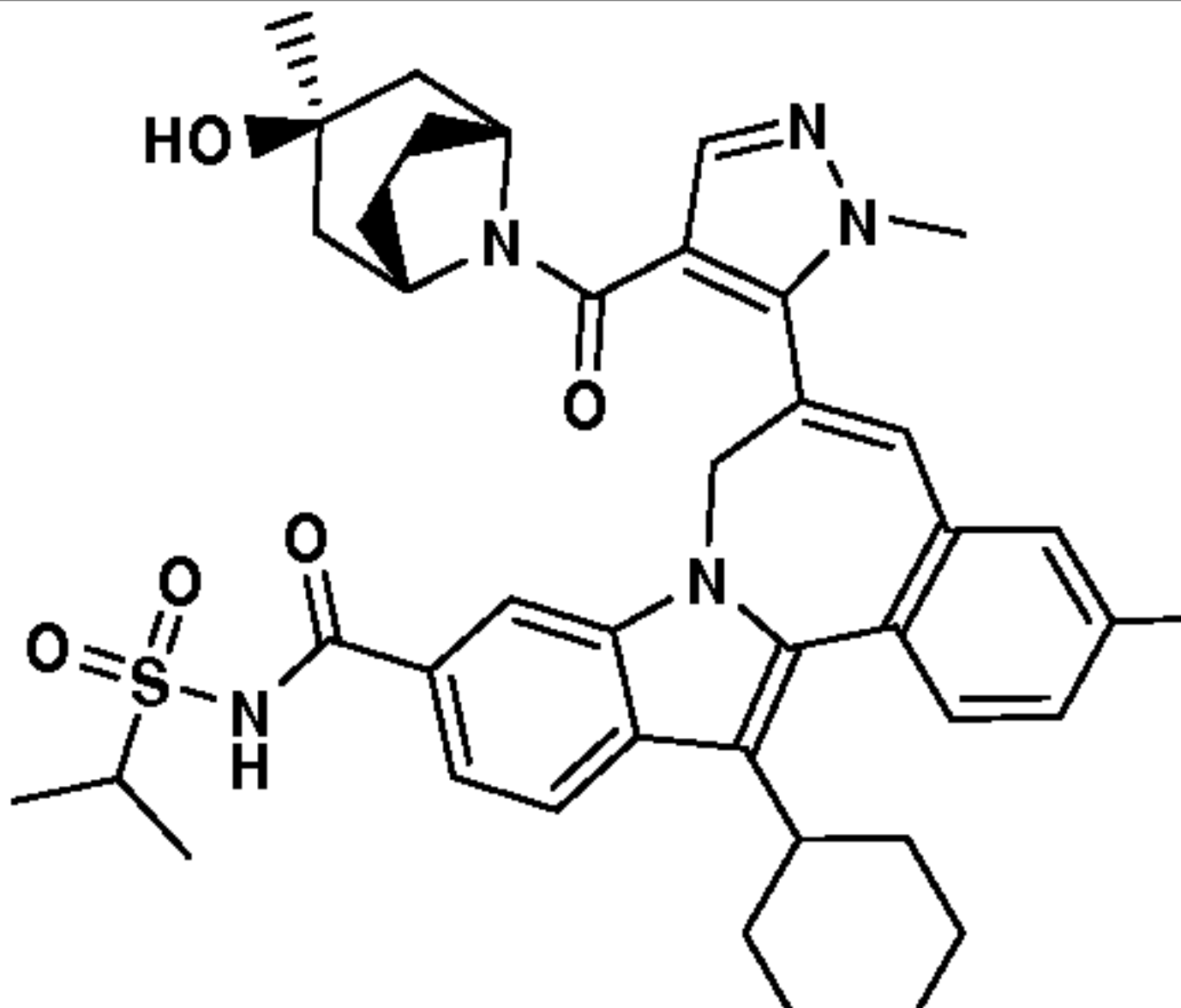
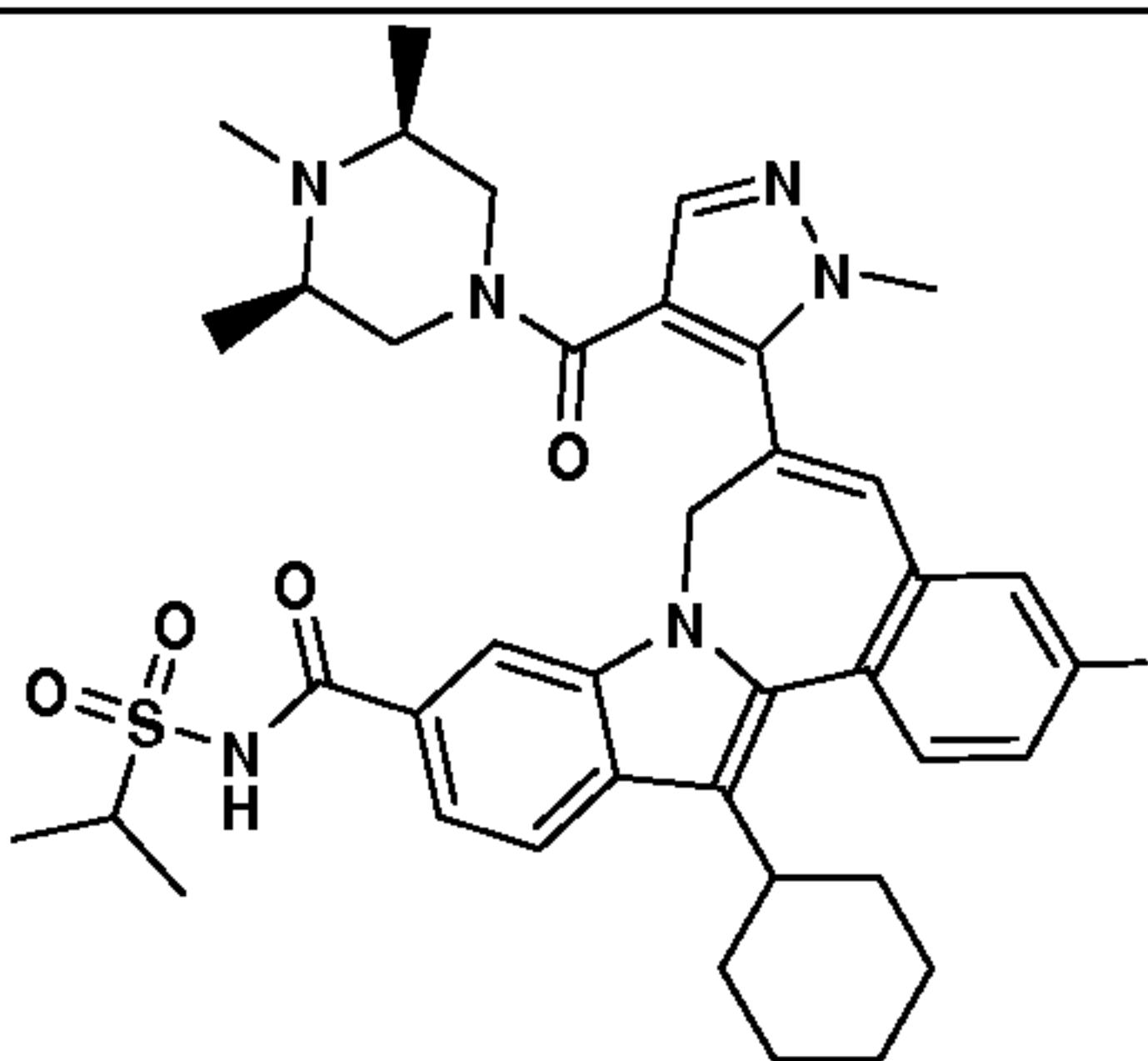
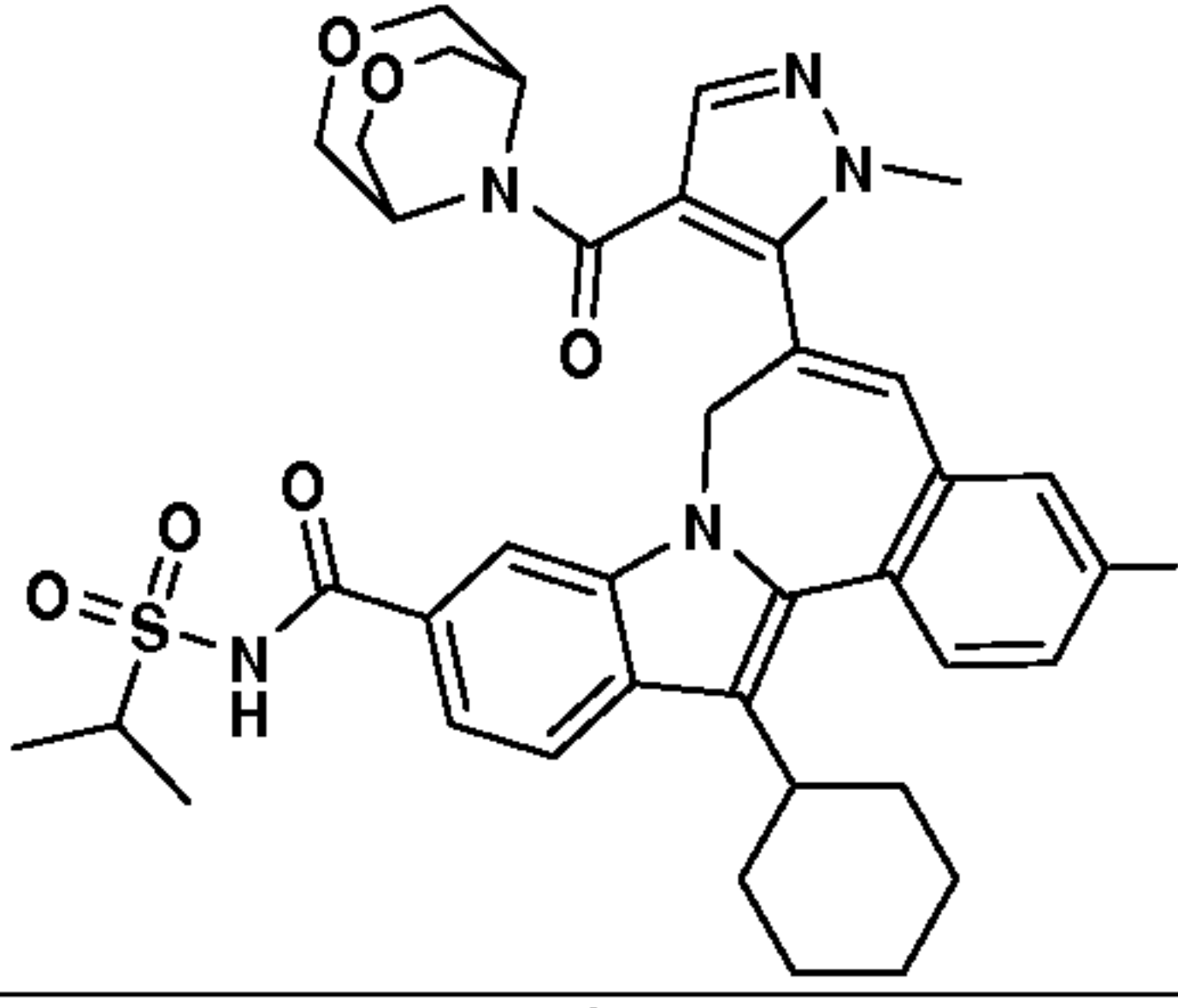
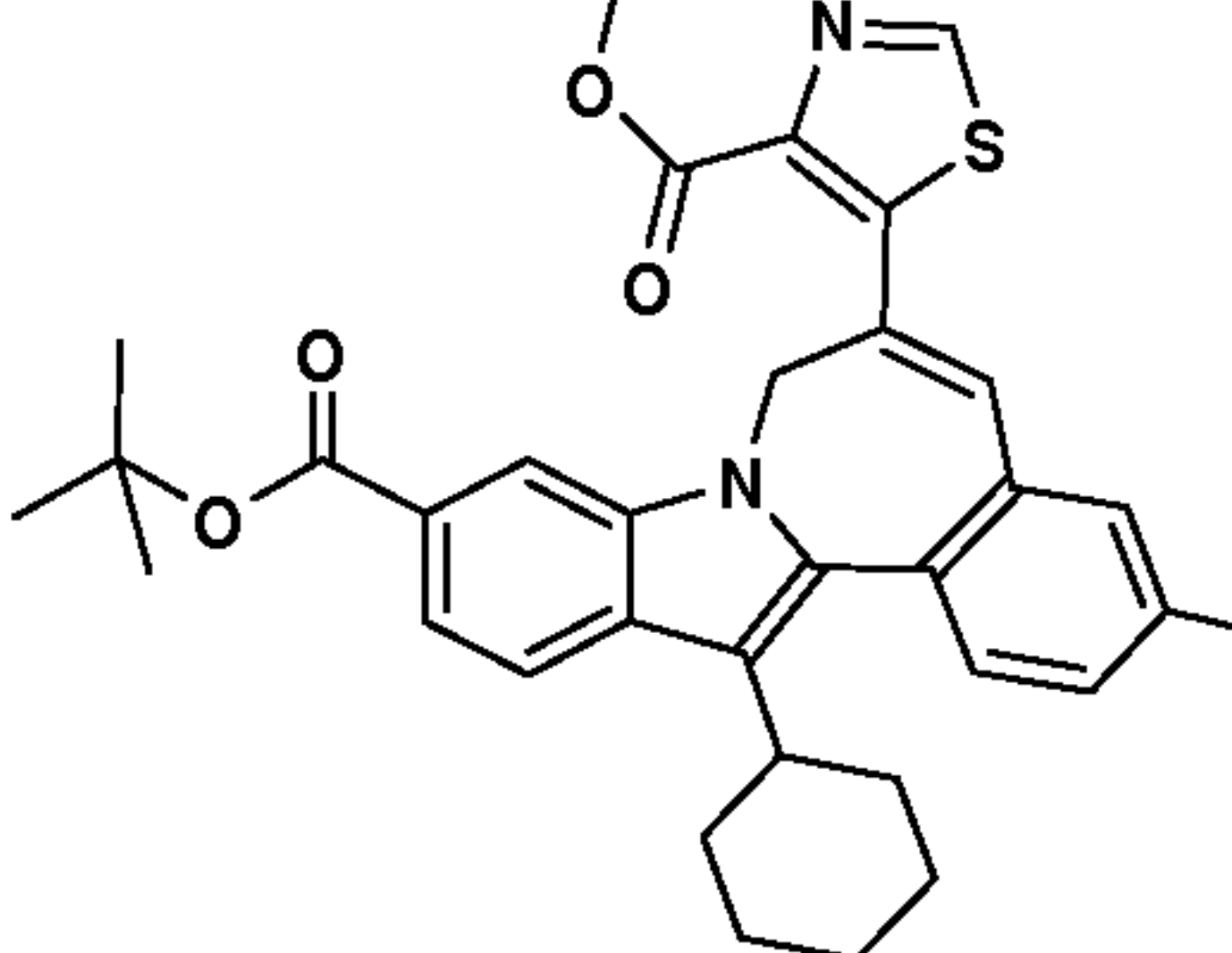
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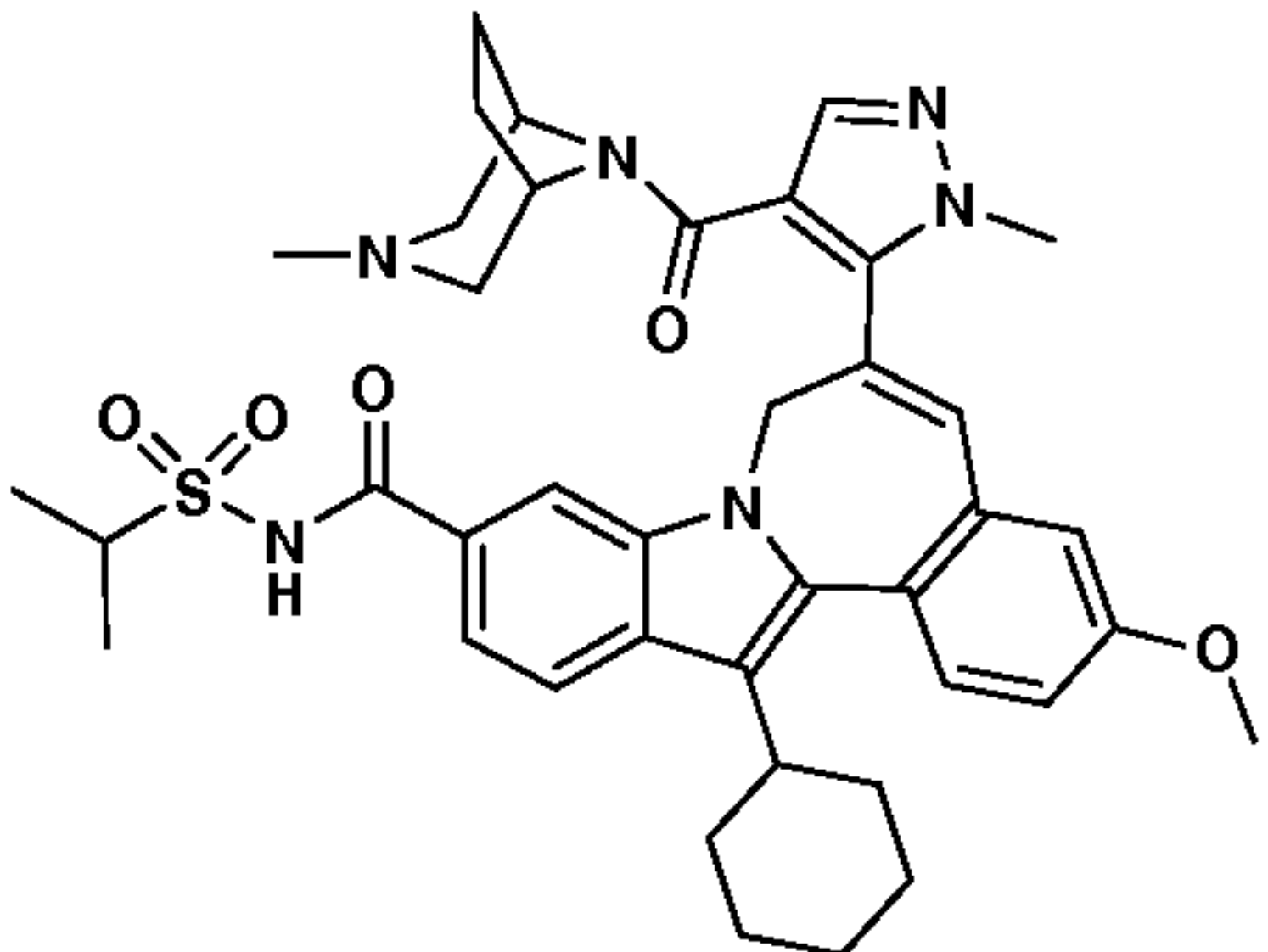
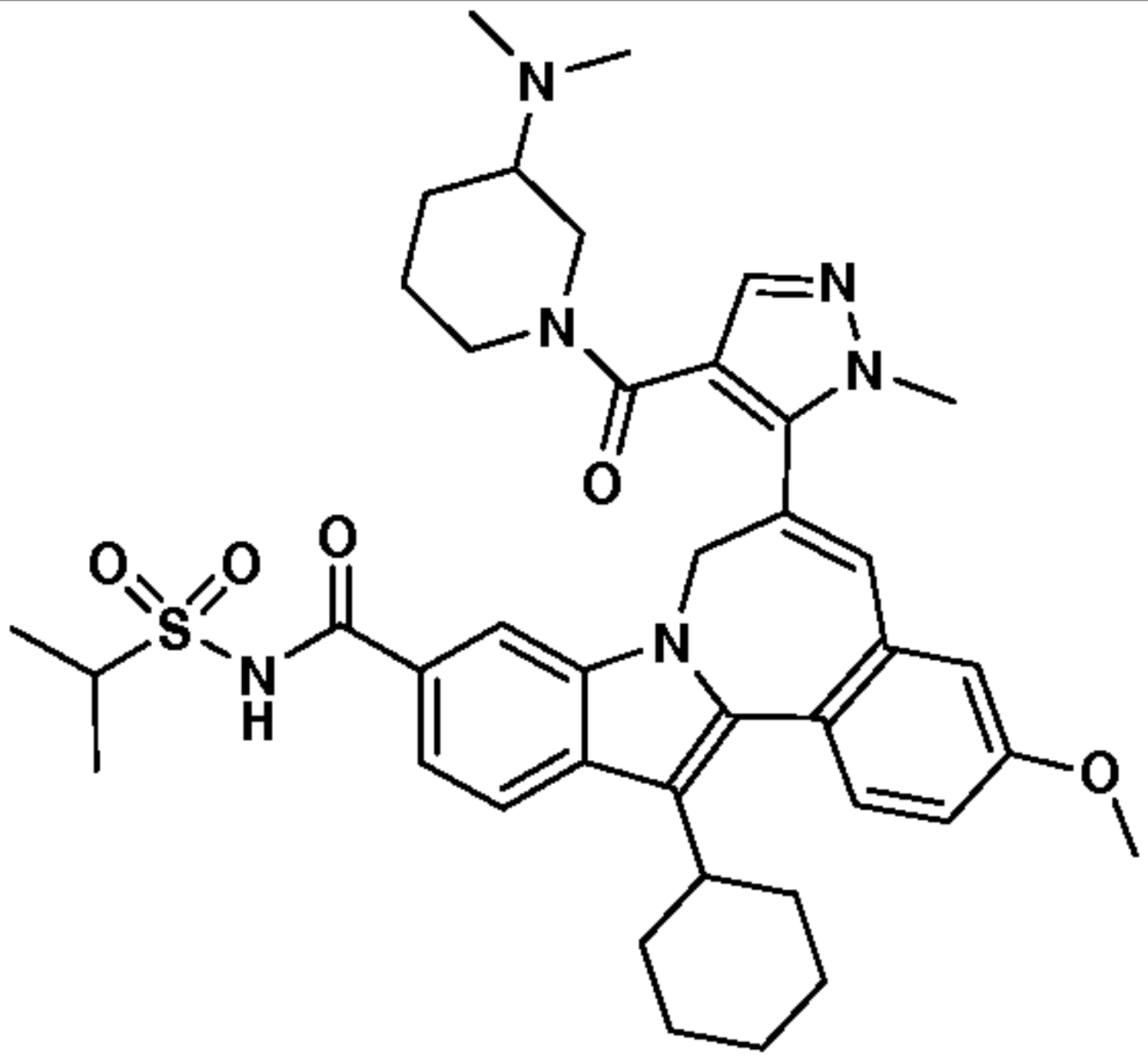
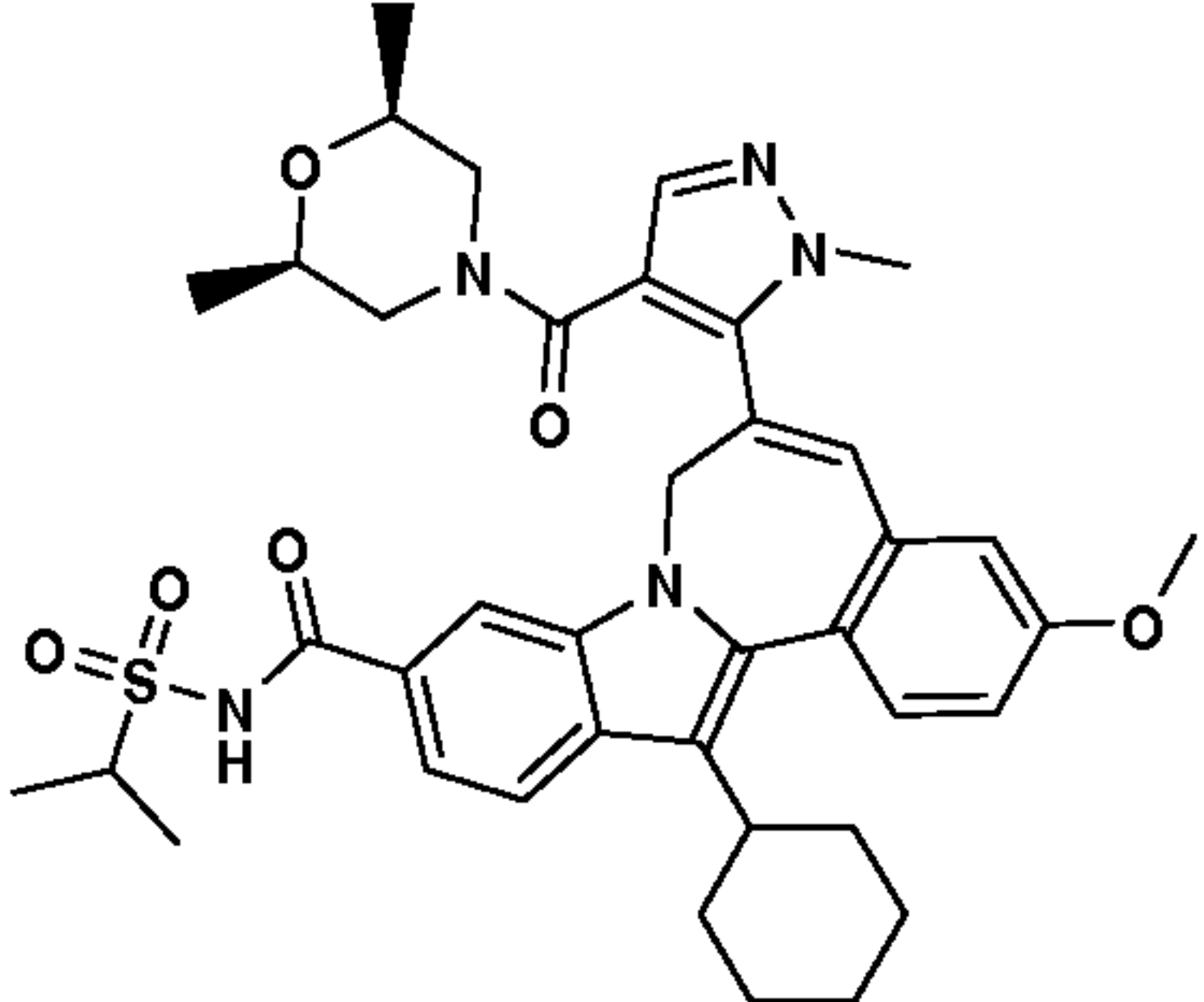
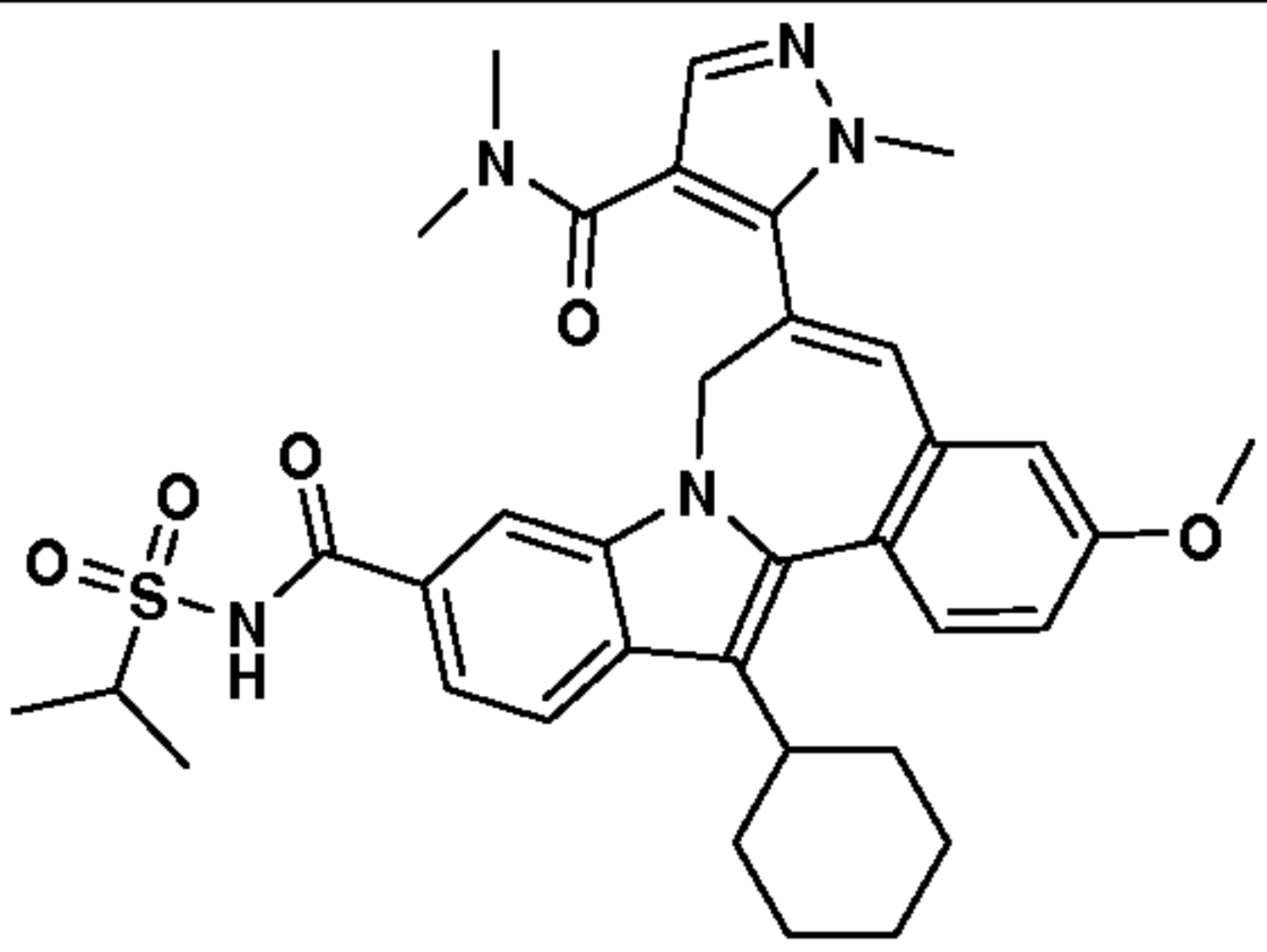
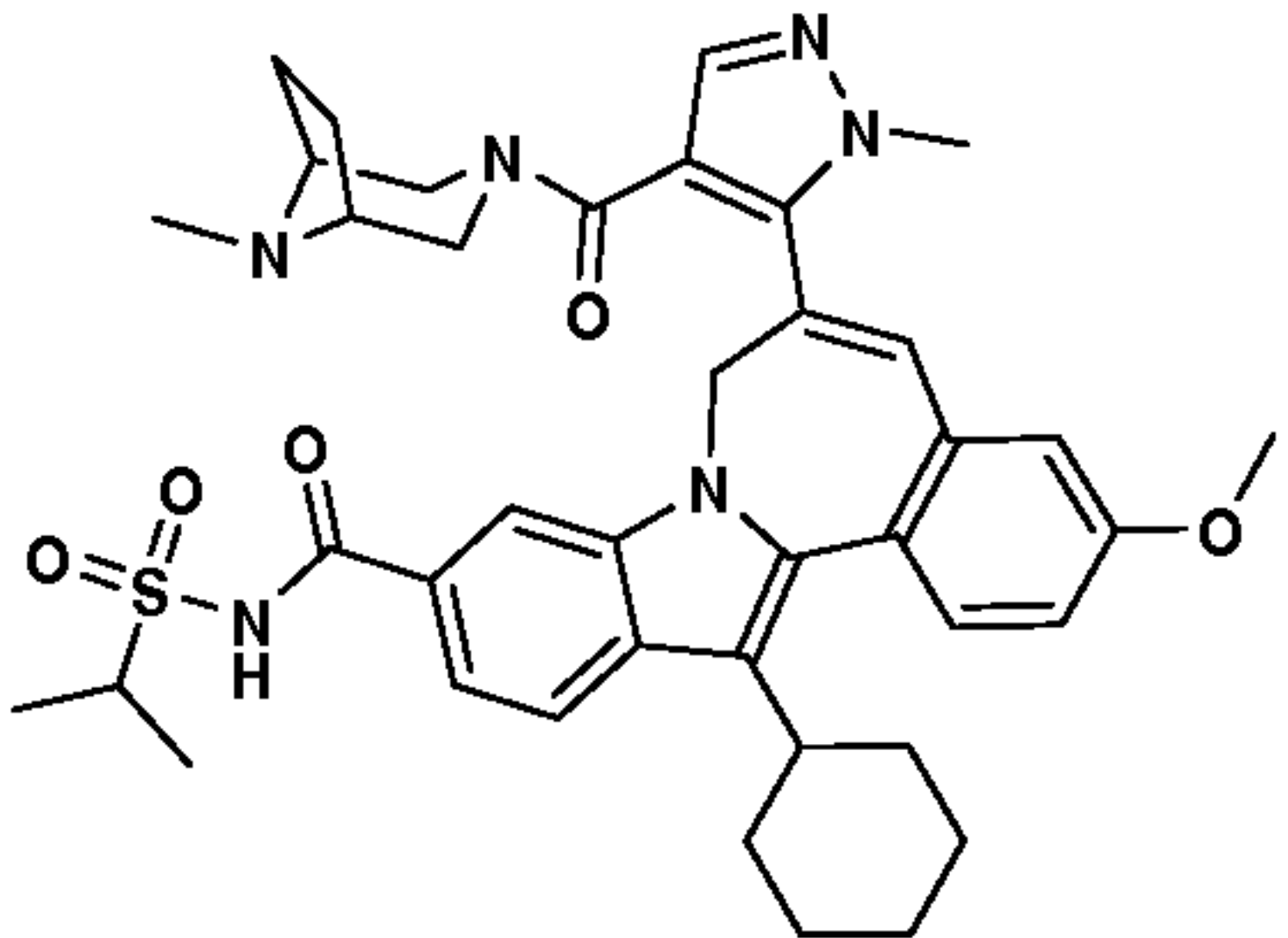
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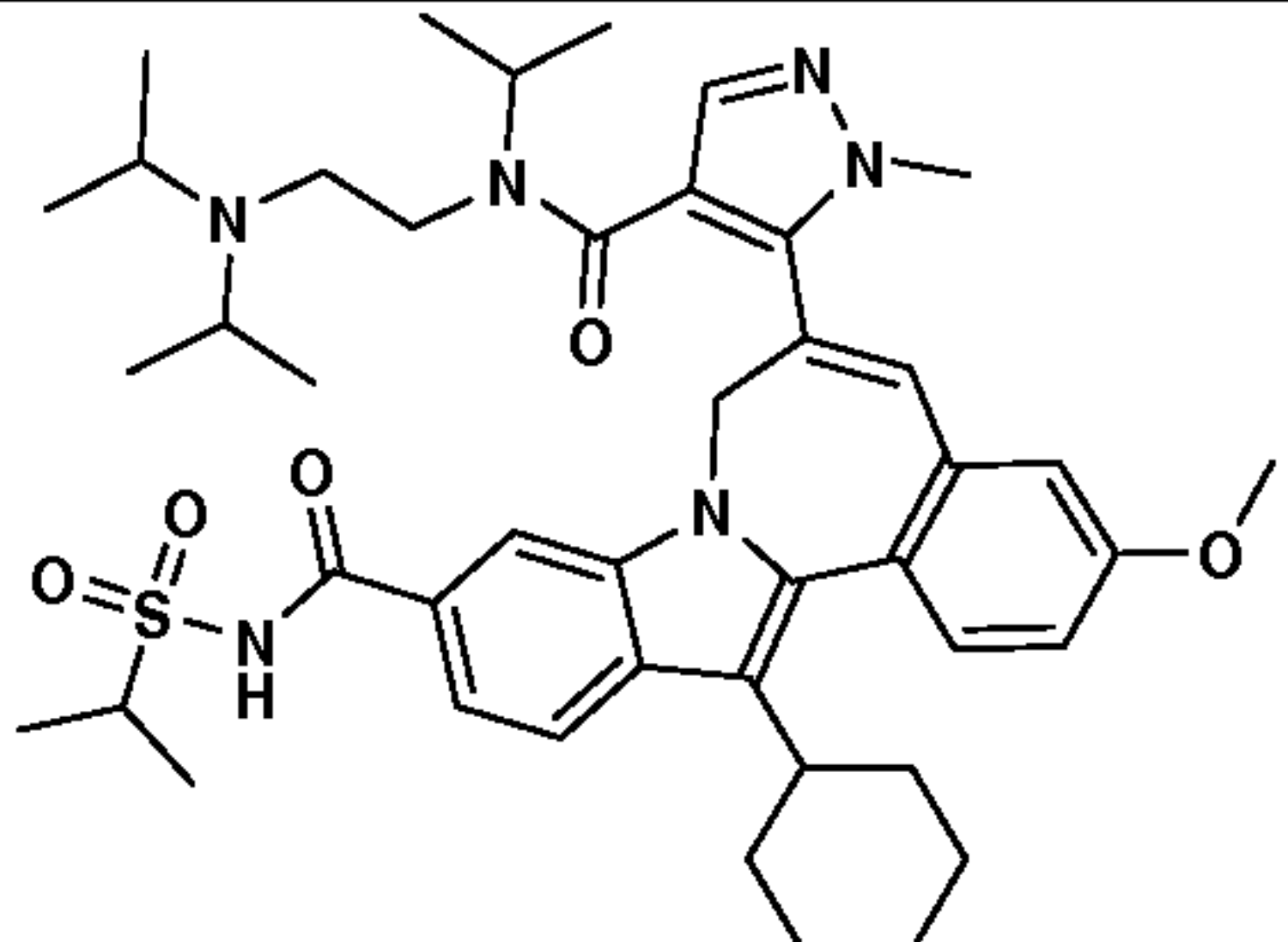
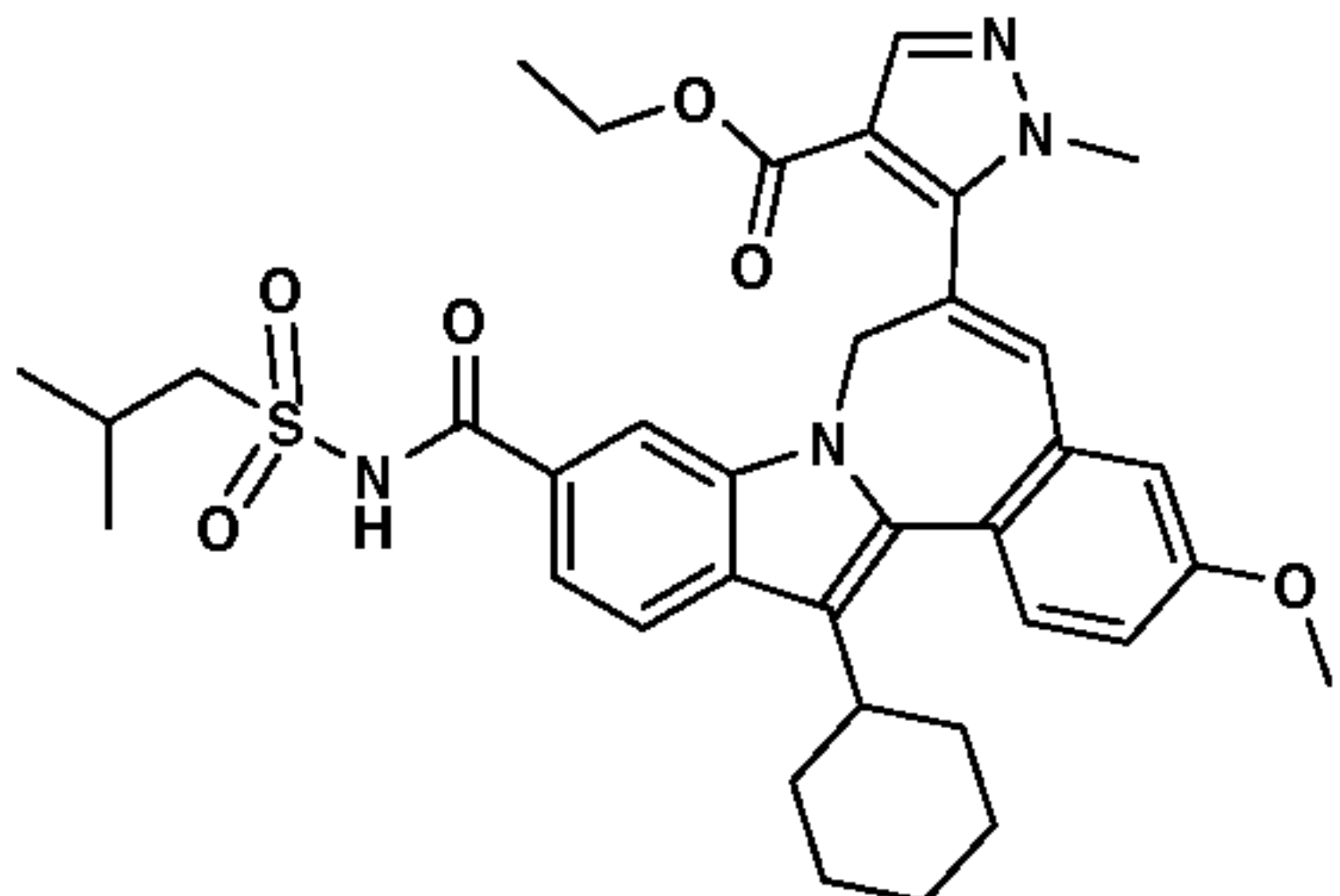
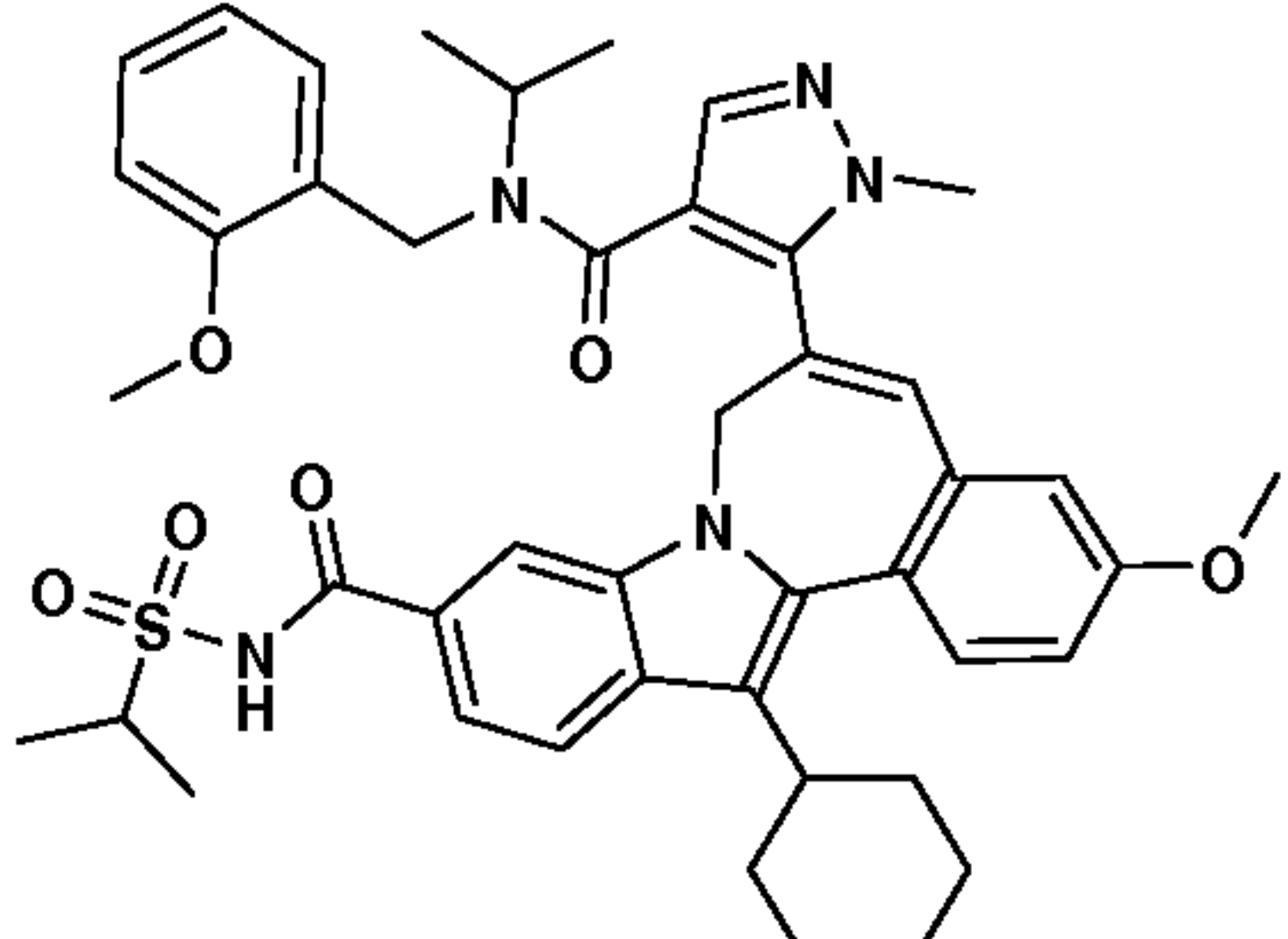
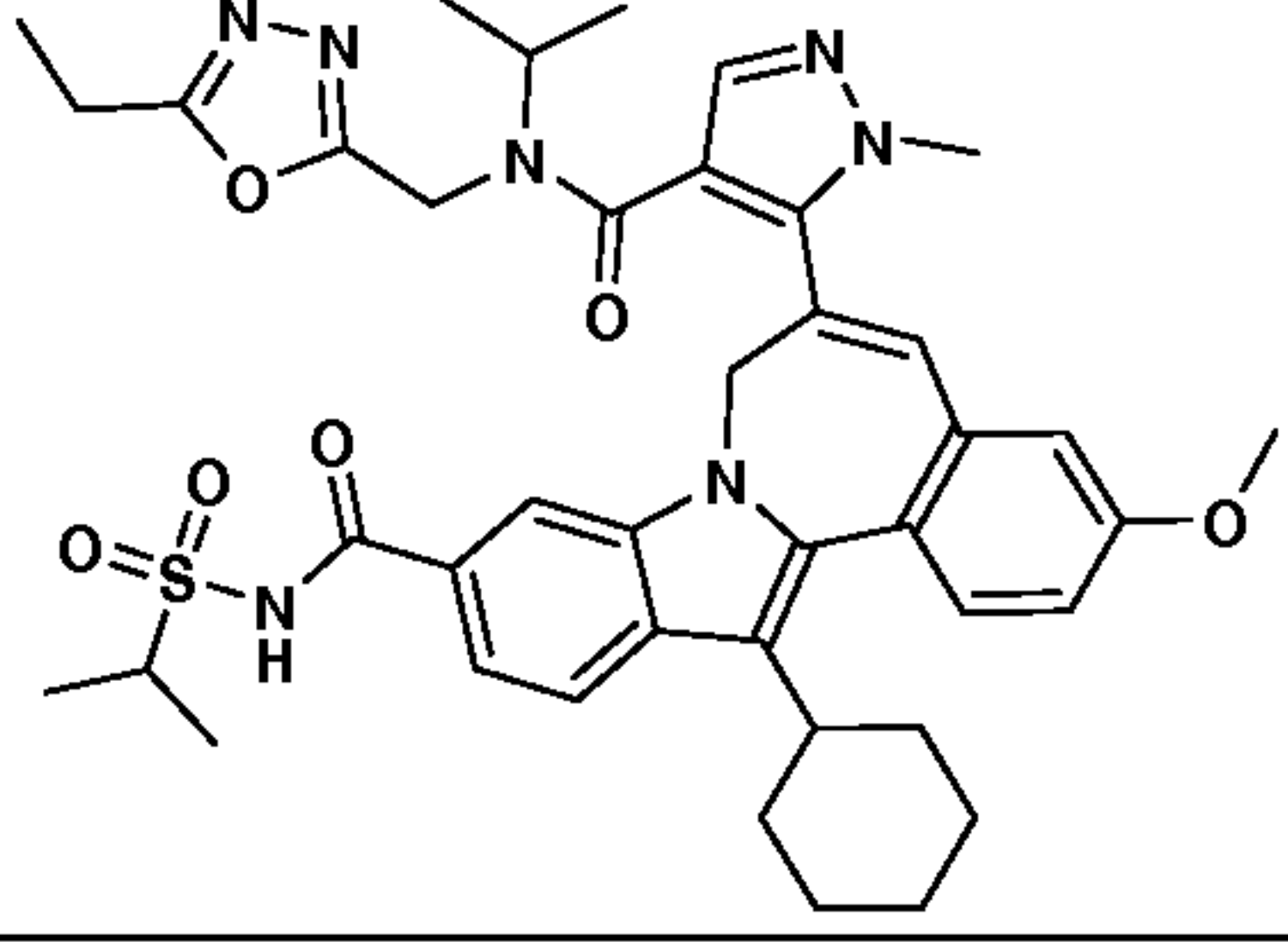
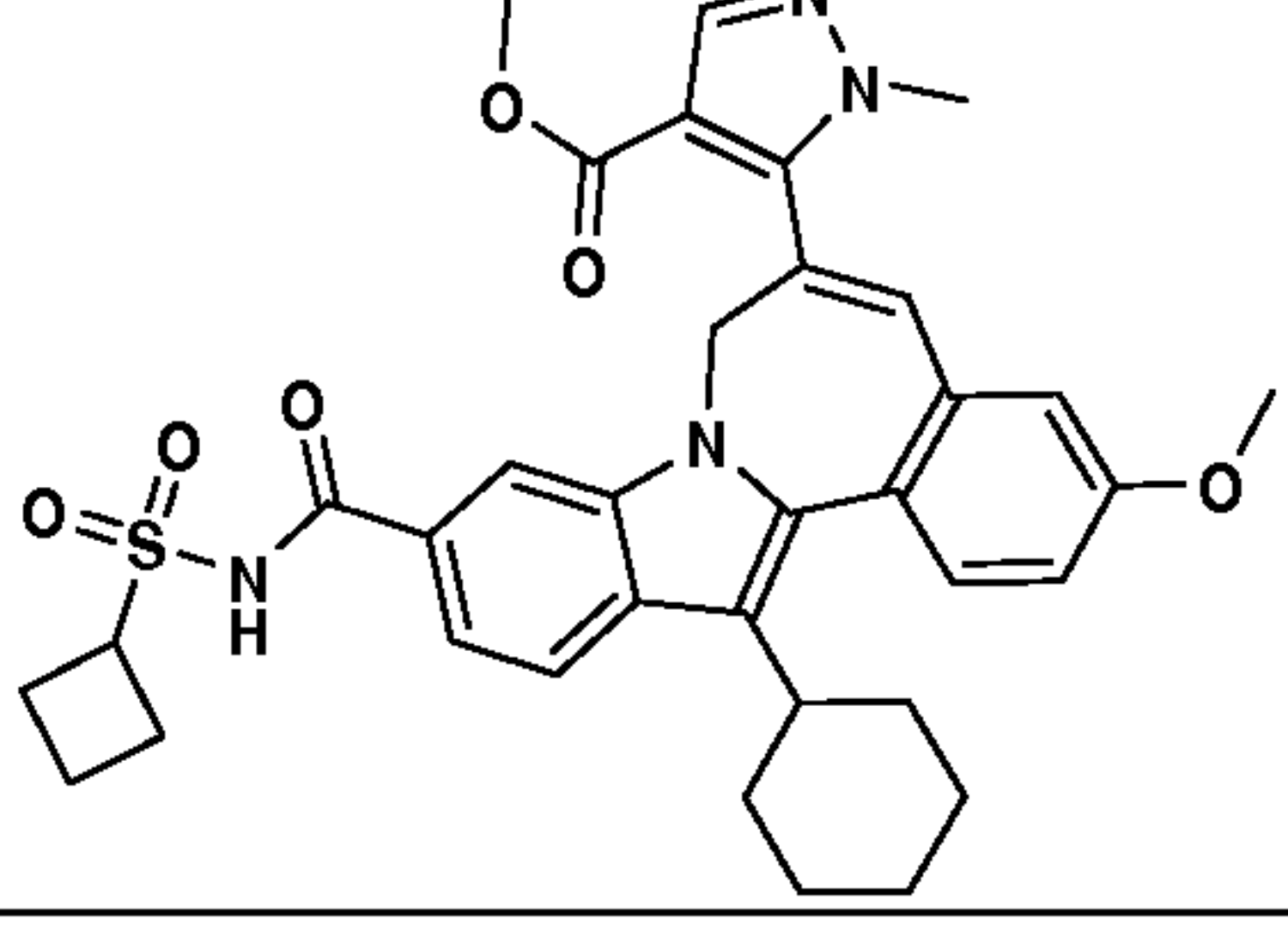
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	B	A
 Chiral	B	B
 Chiral	B	B
	B	B

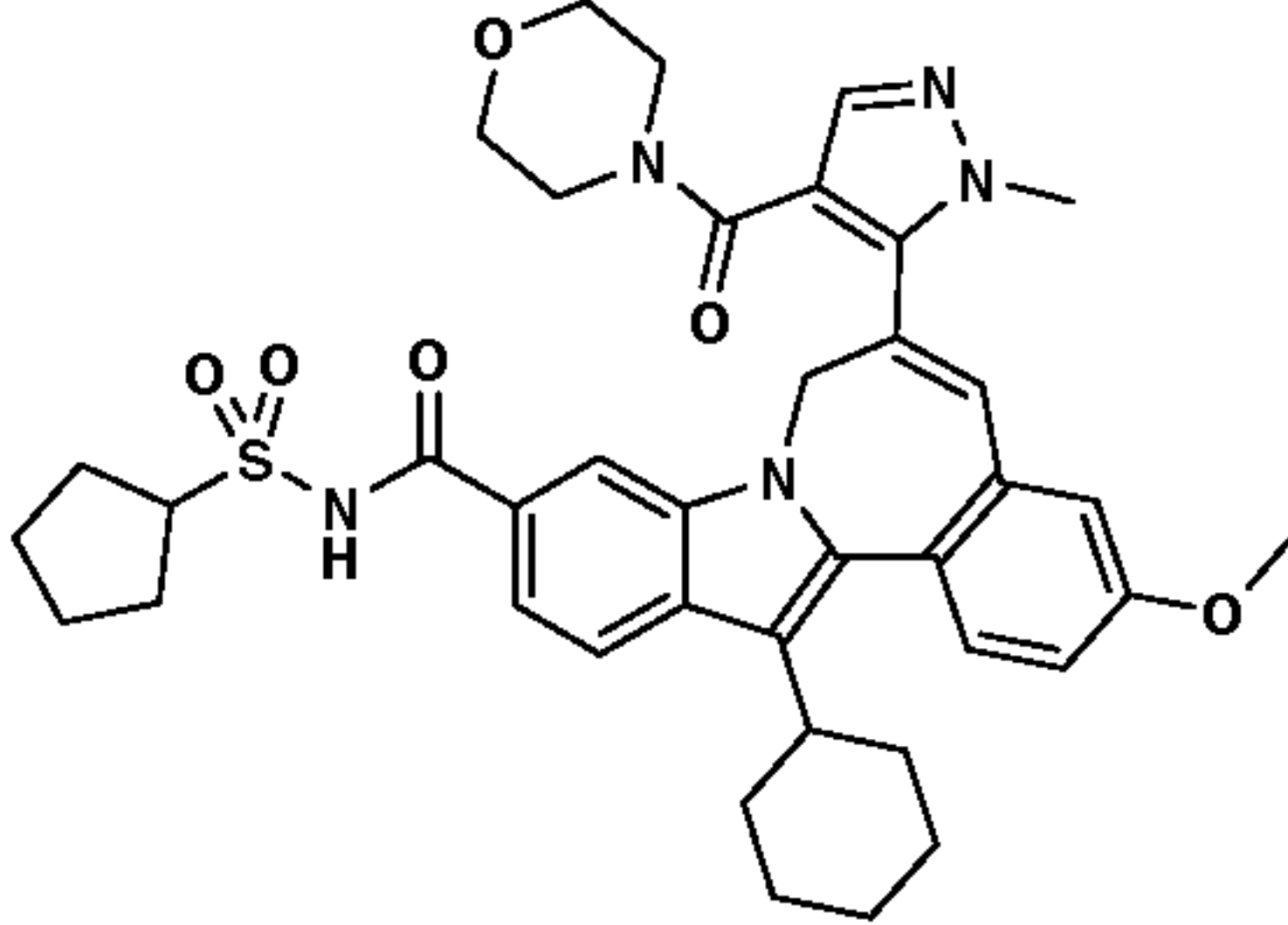
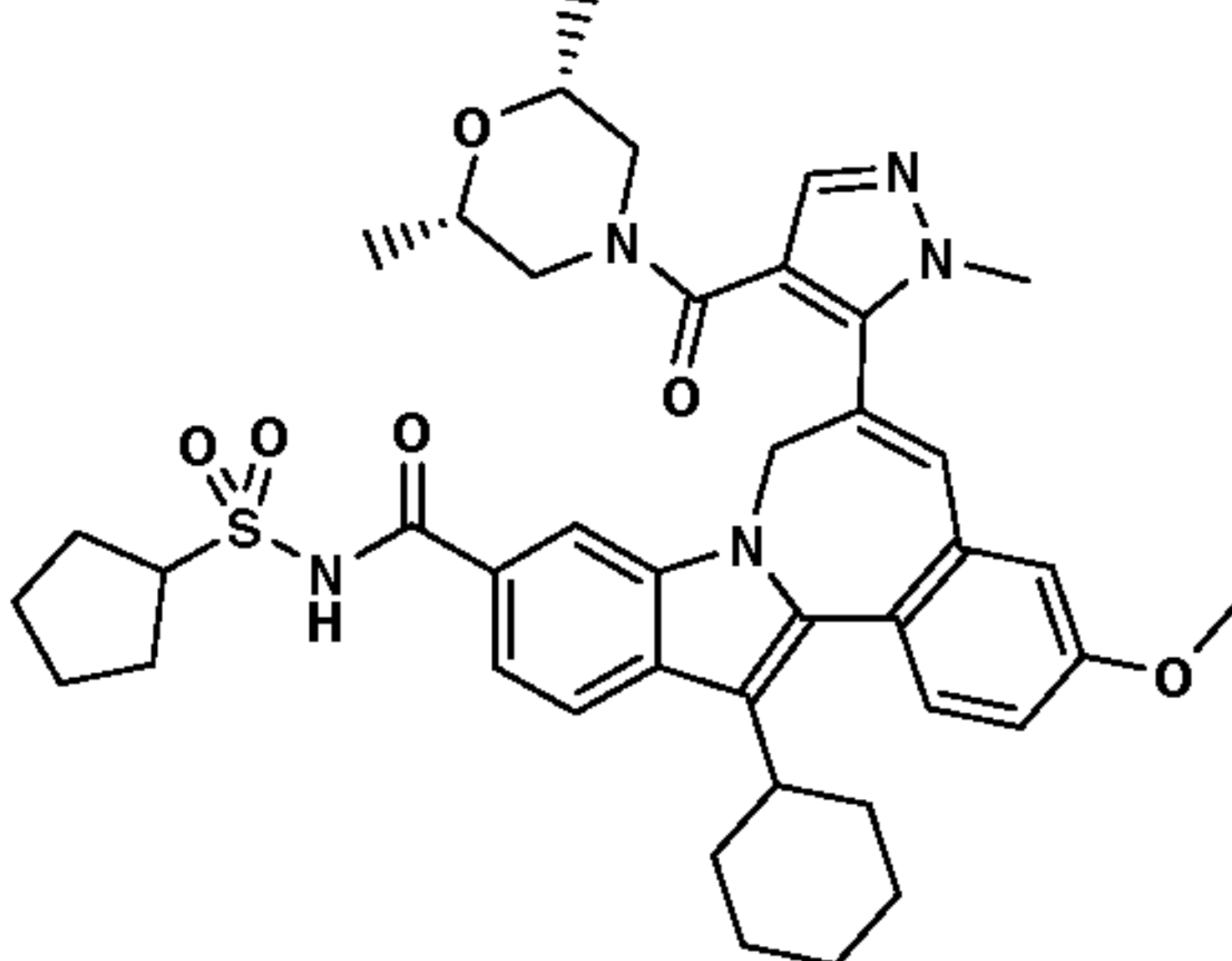
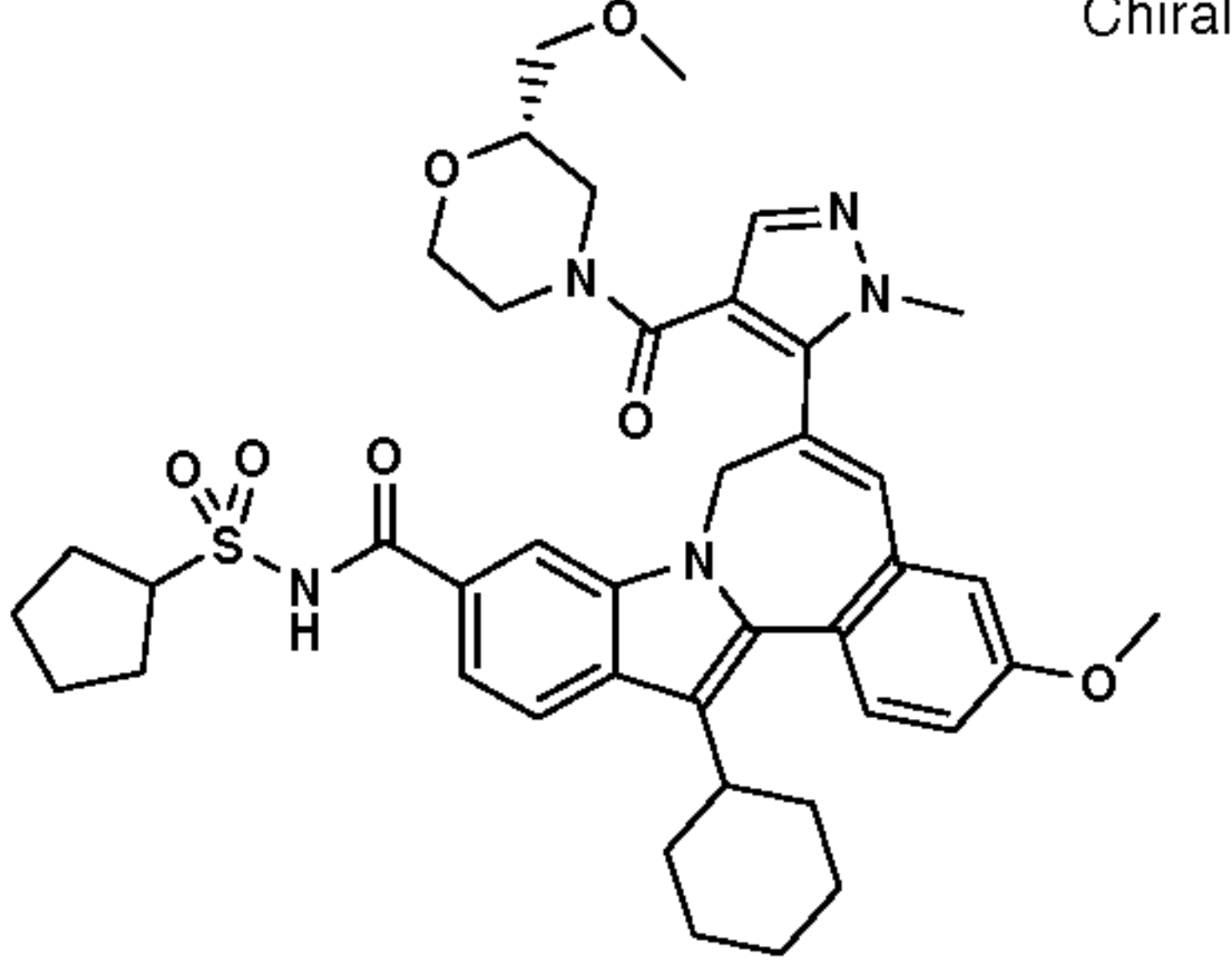
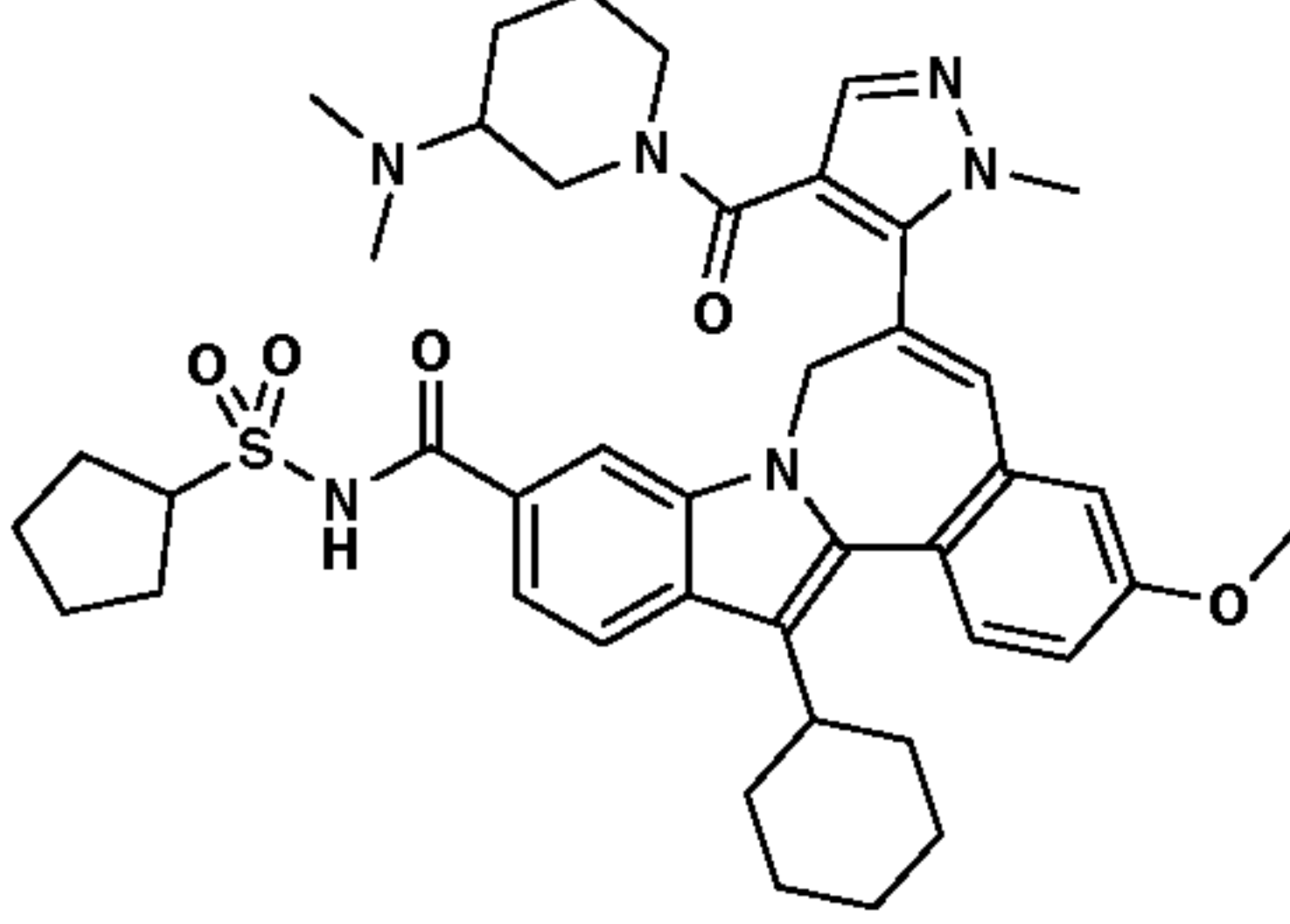
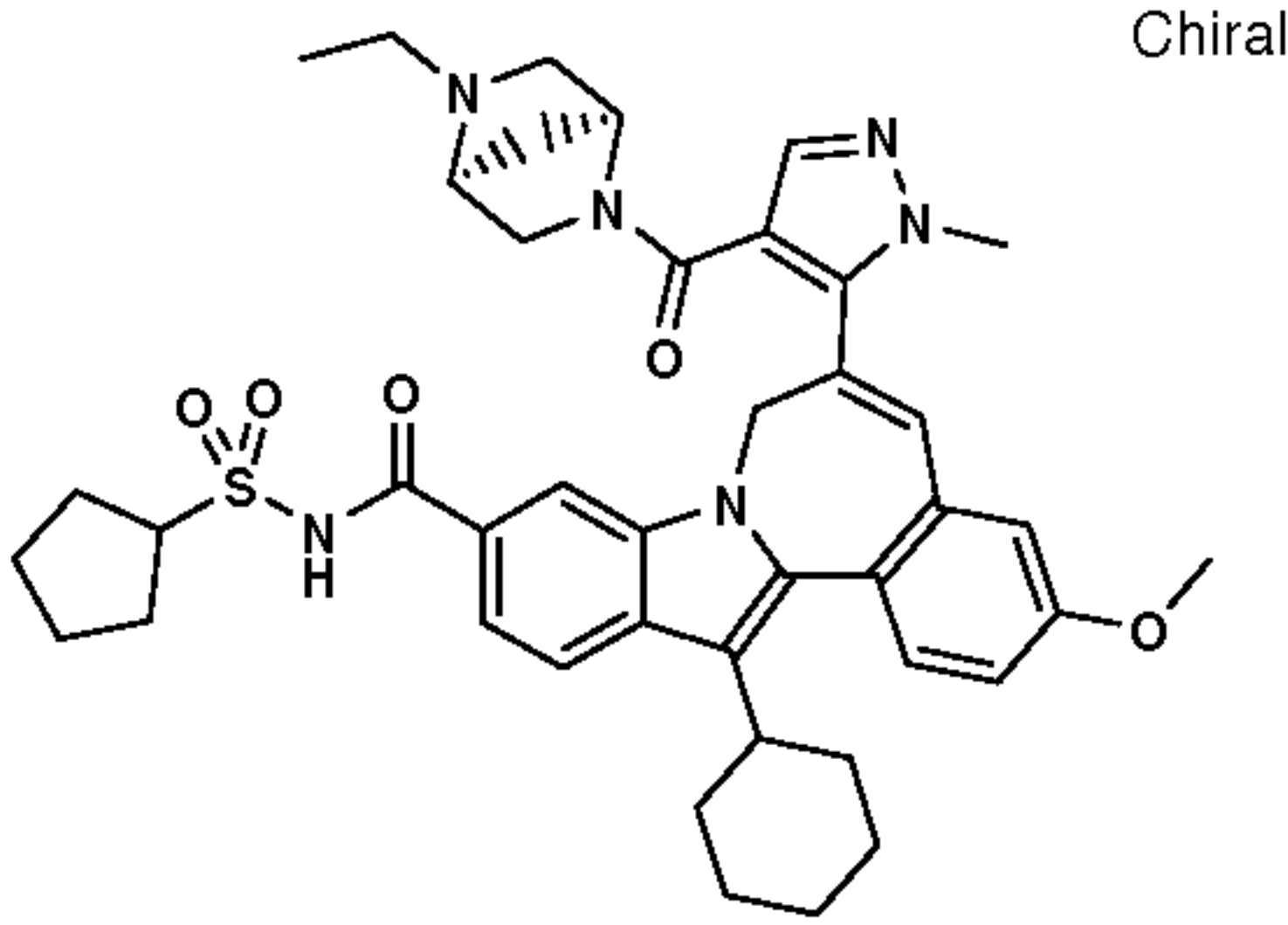
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	B	B
	B	B
	B	B
 Chiral	B	B

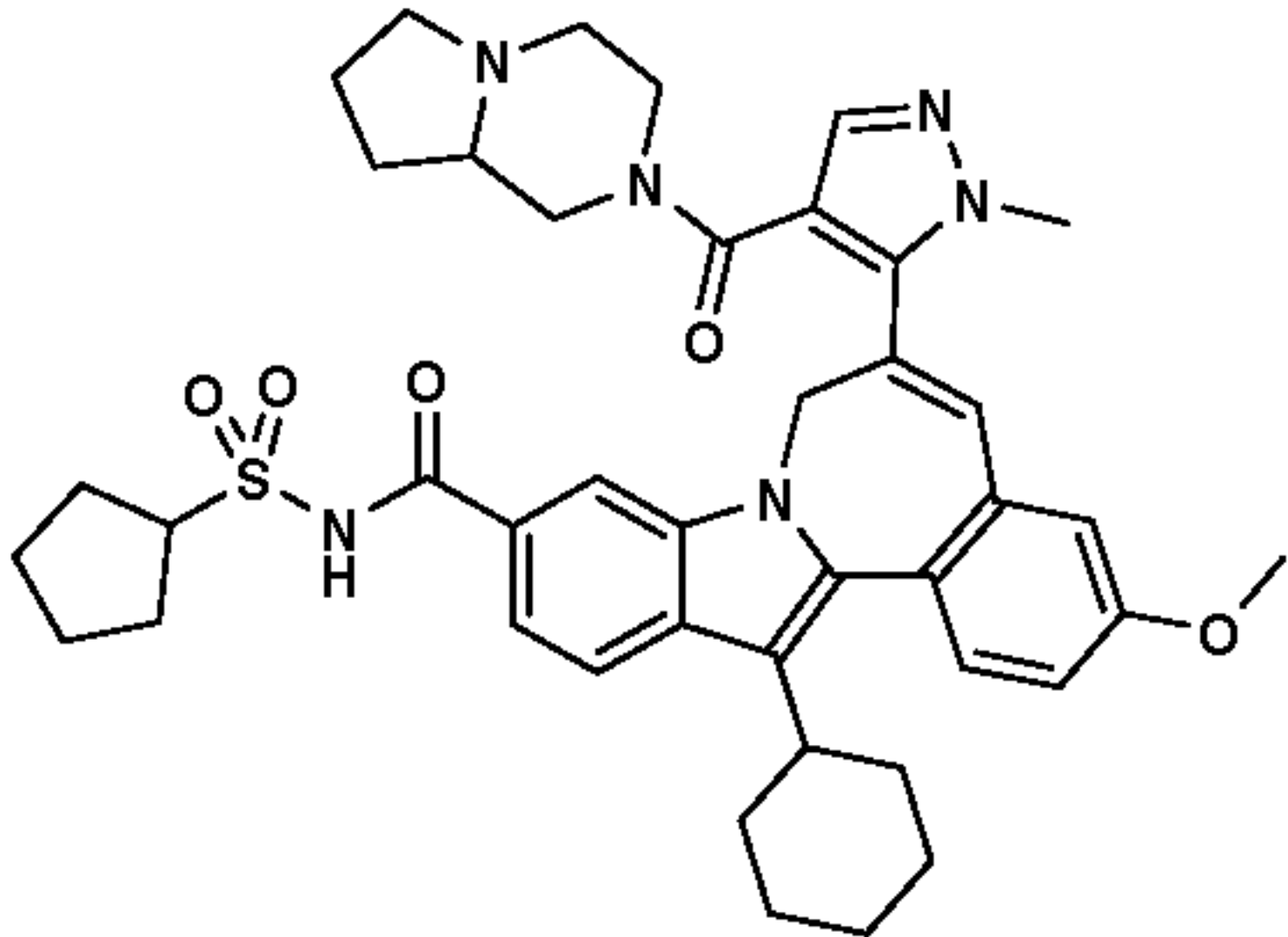
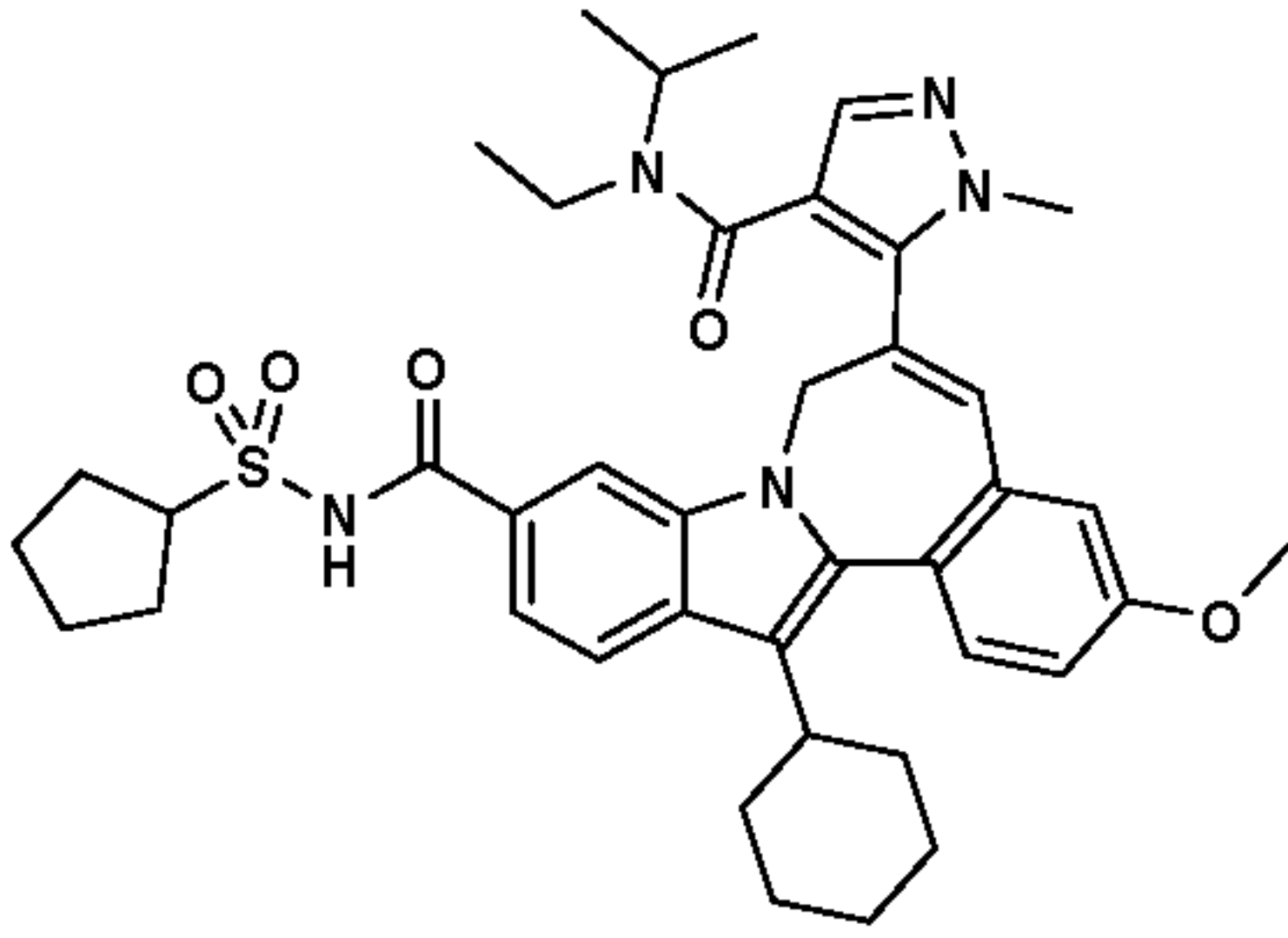
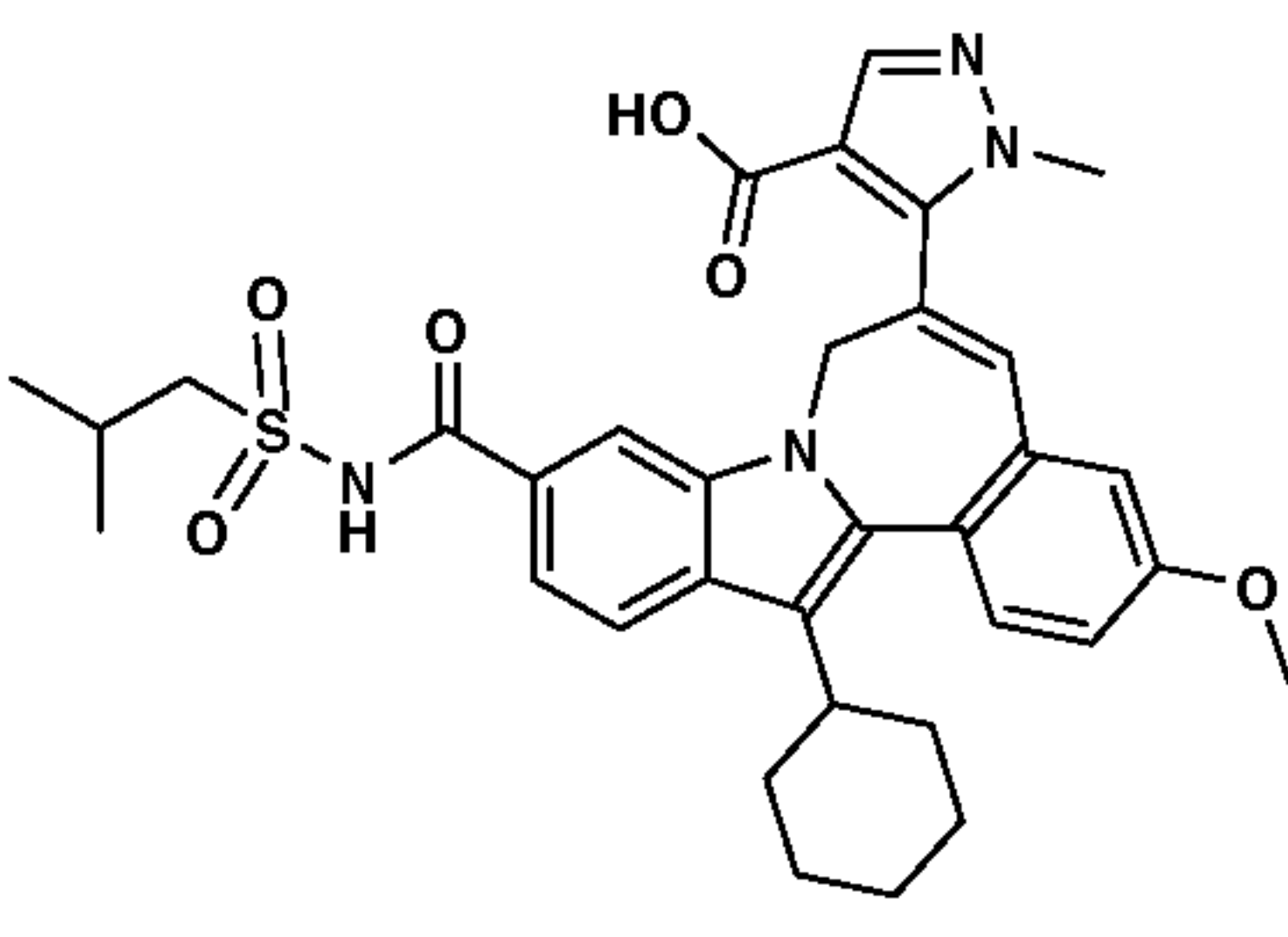
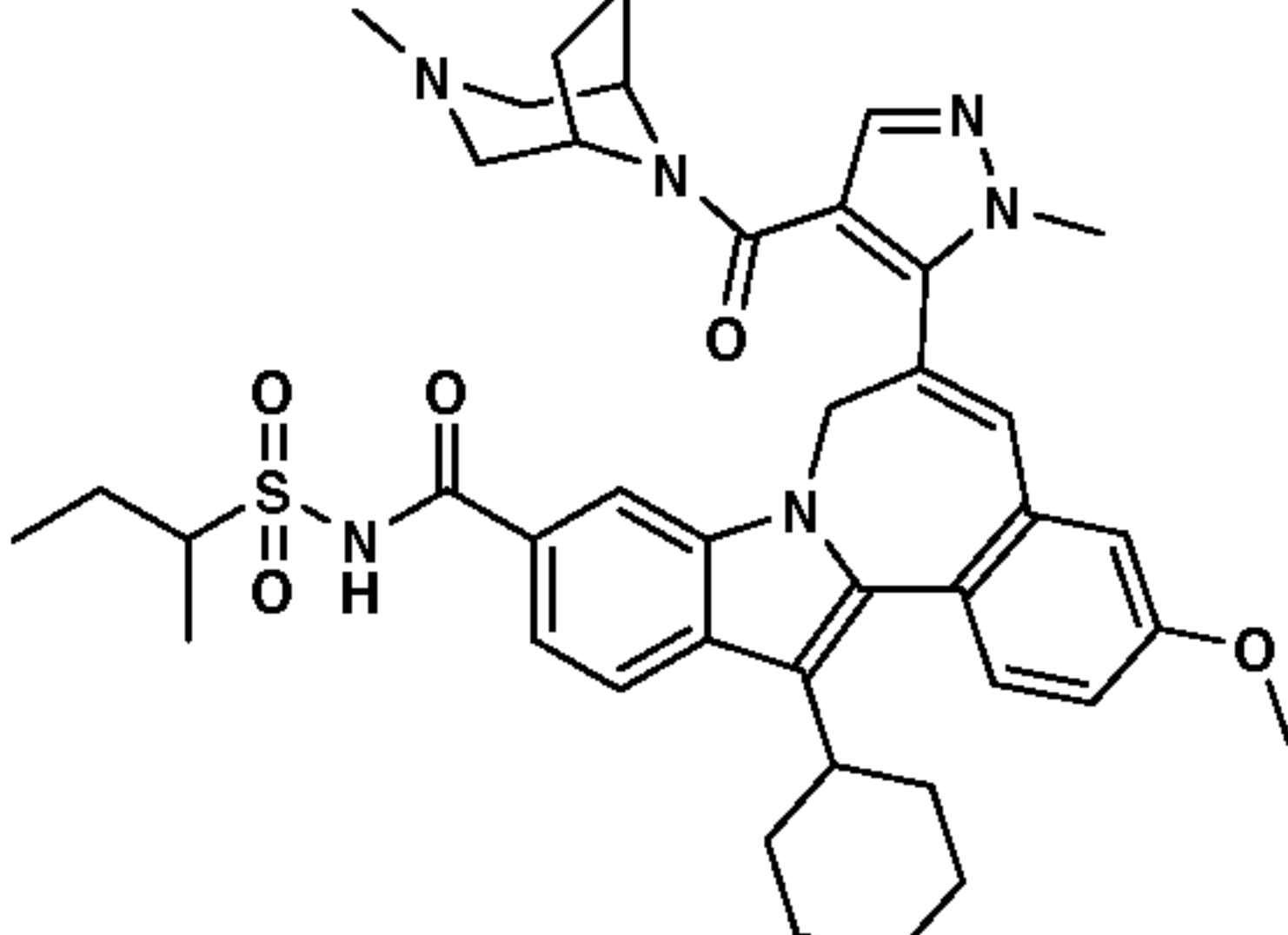
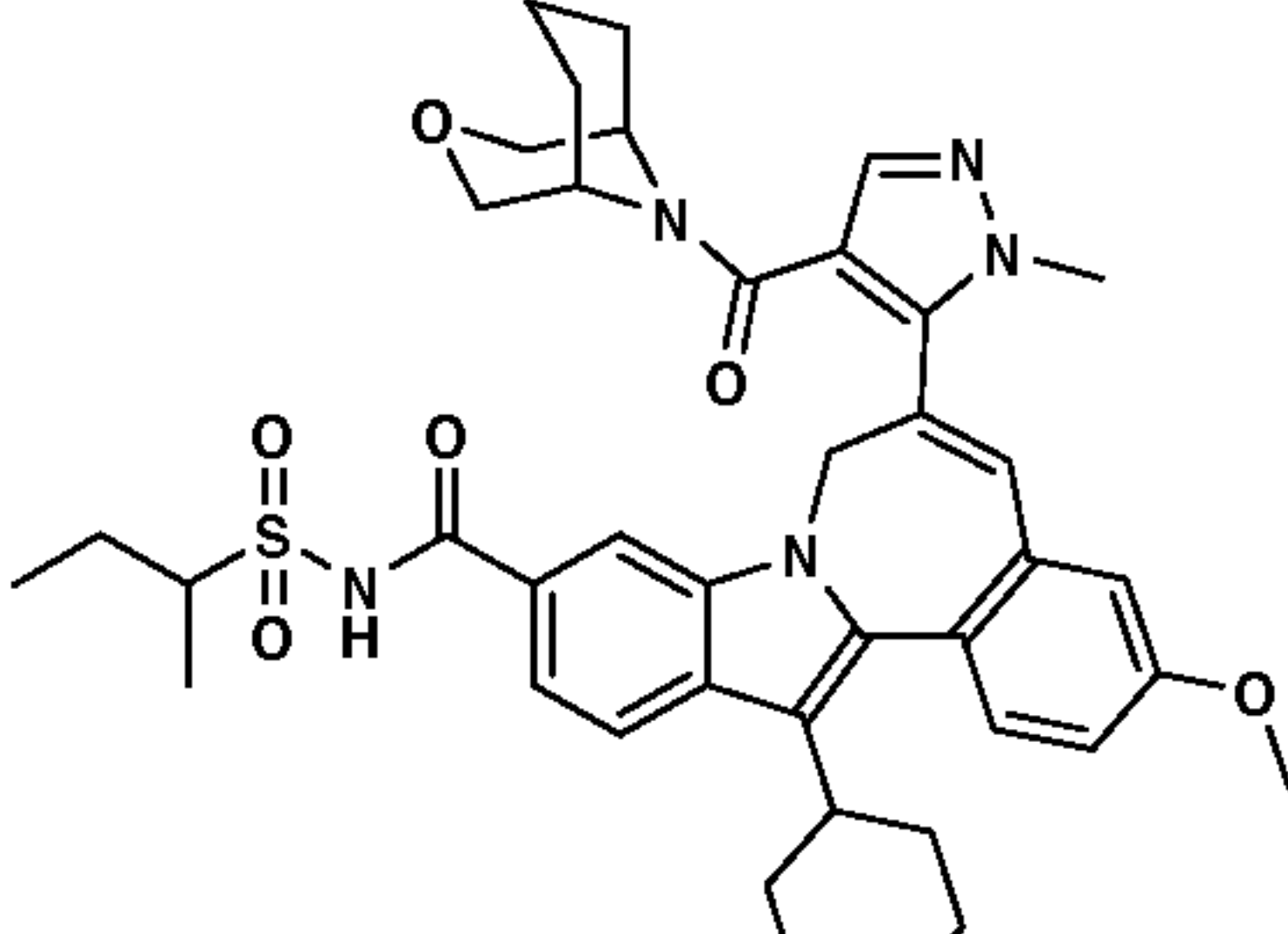
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 Chiral	B	B
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	B	B

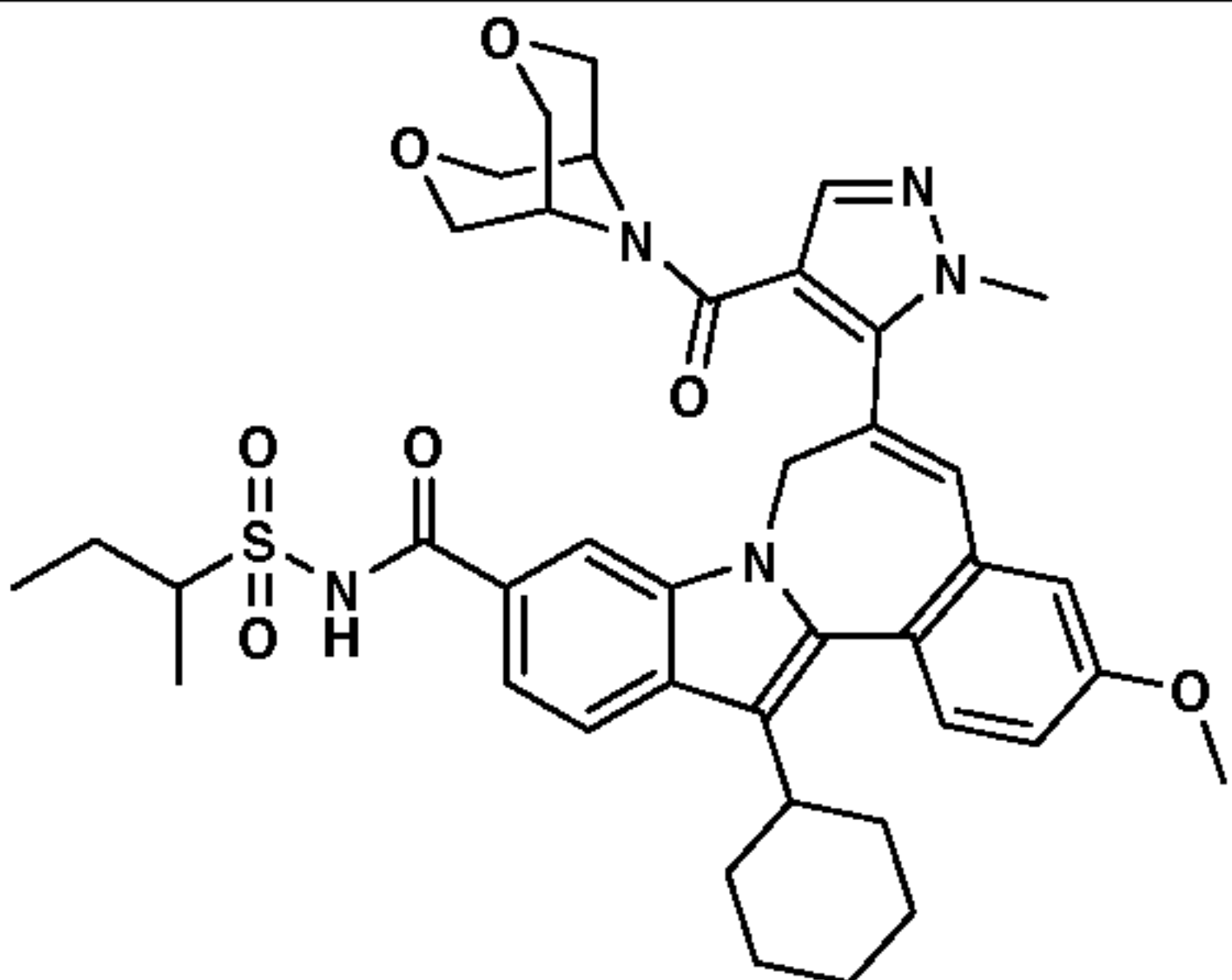
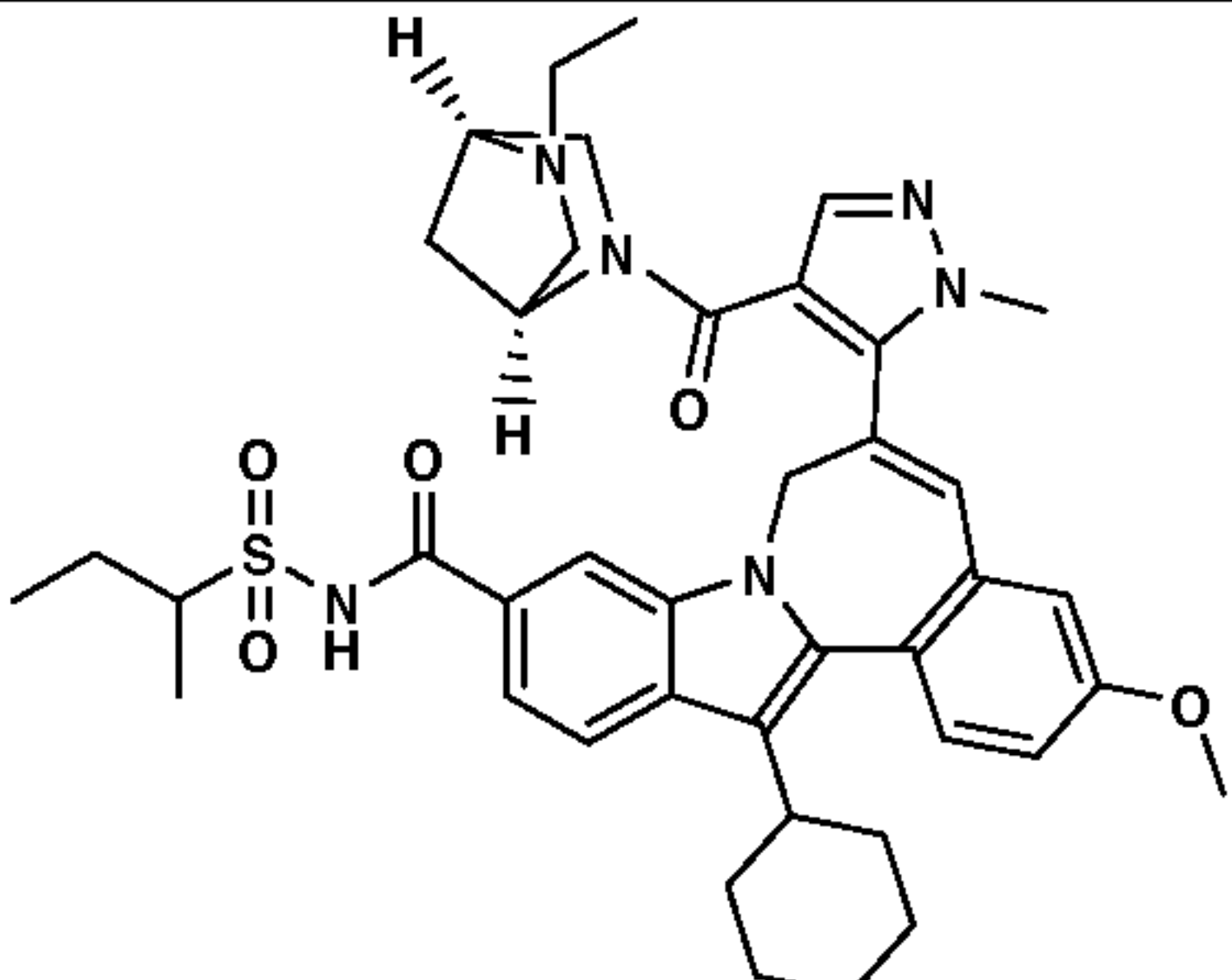
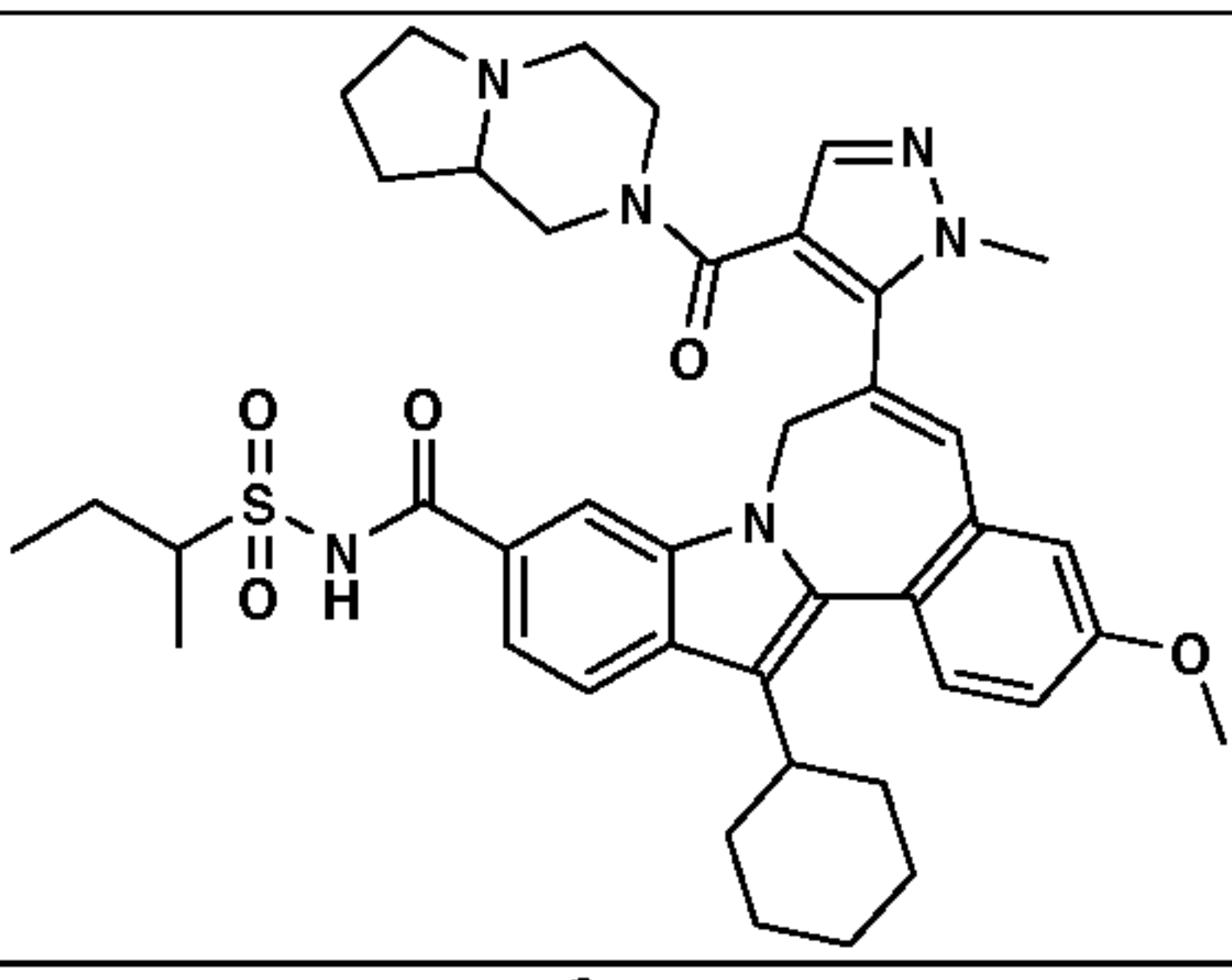
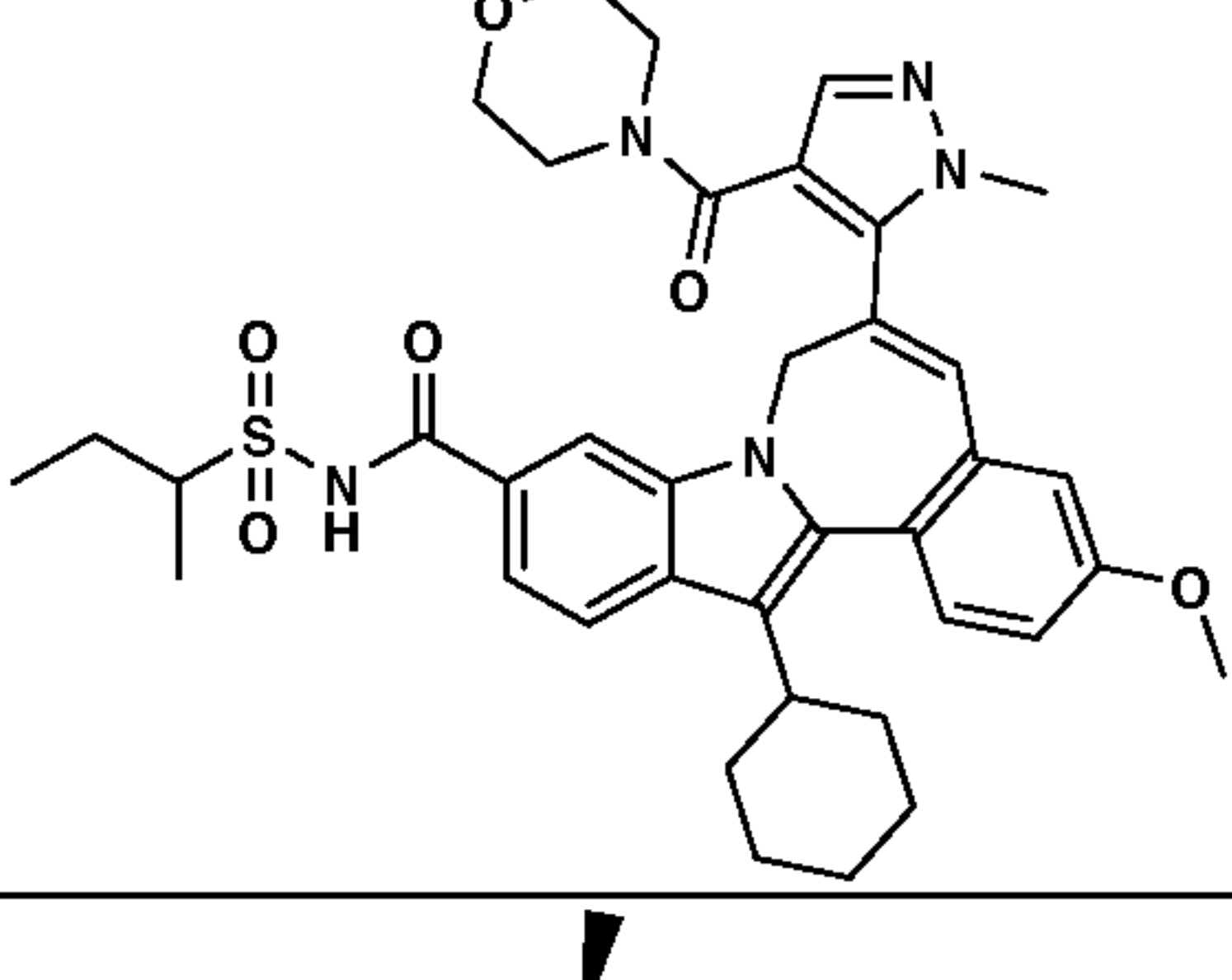
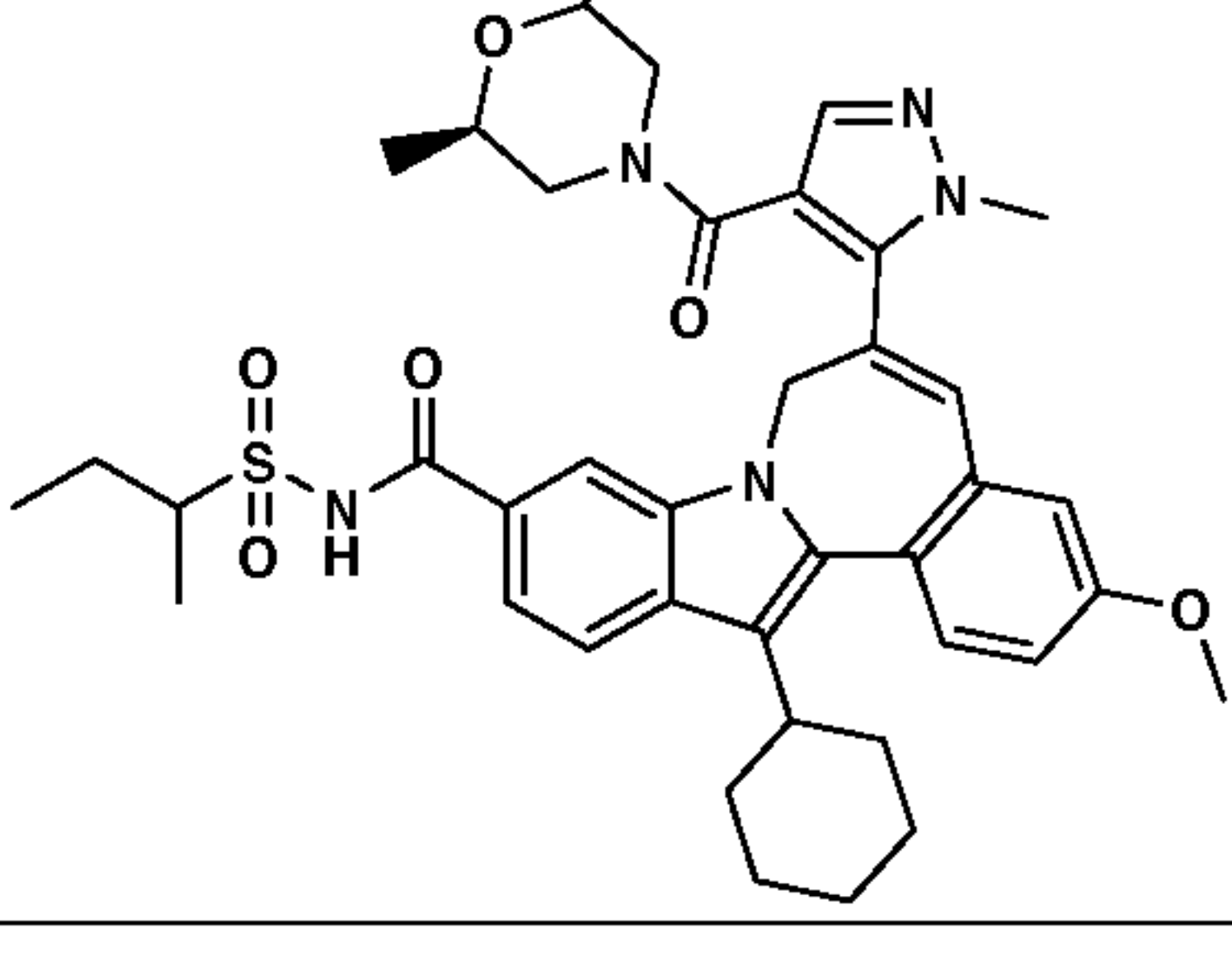
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Chiral 	B	B
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	B	B
		

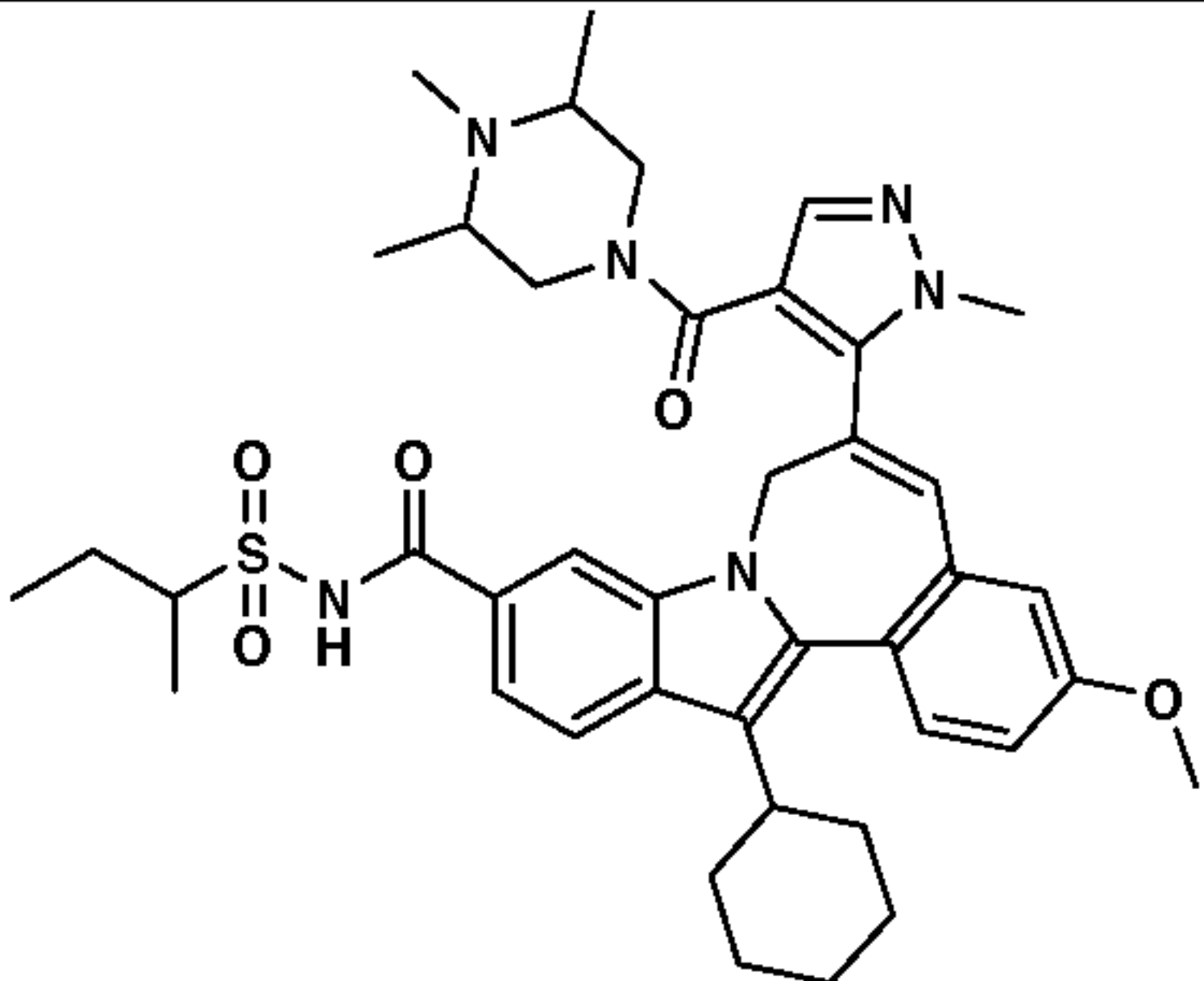
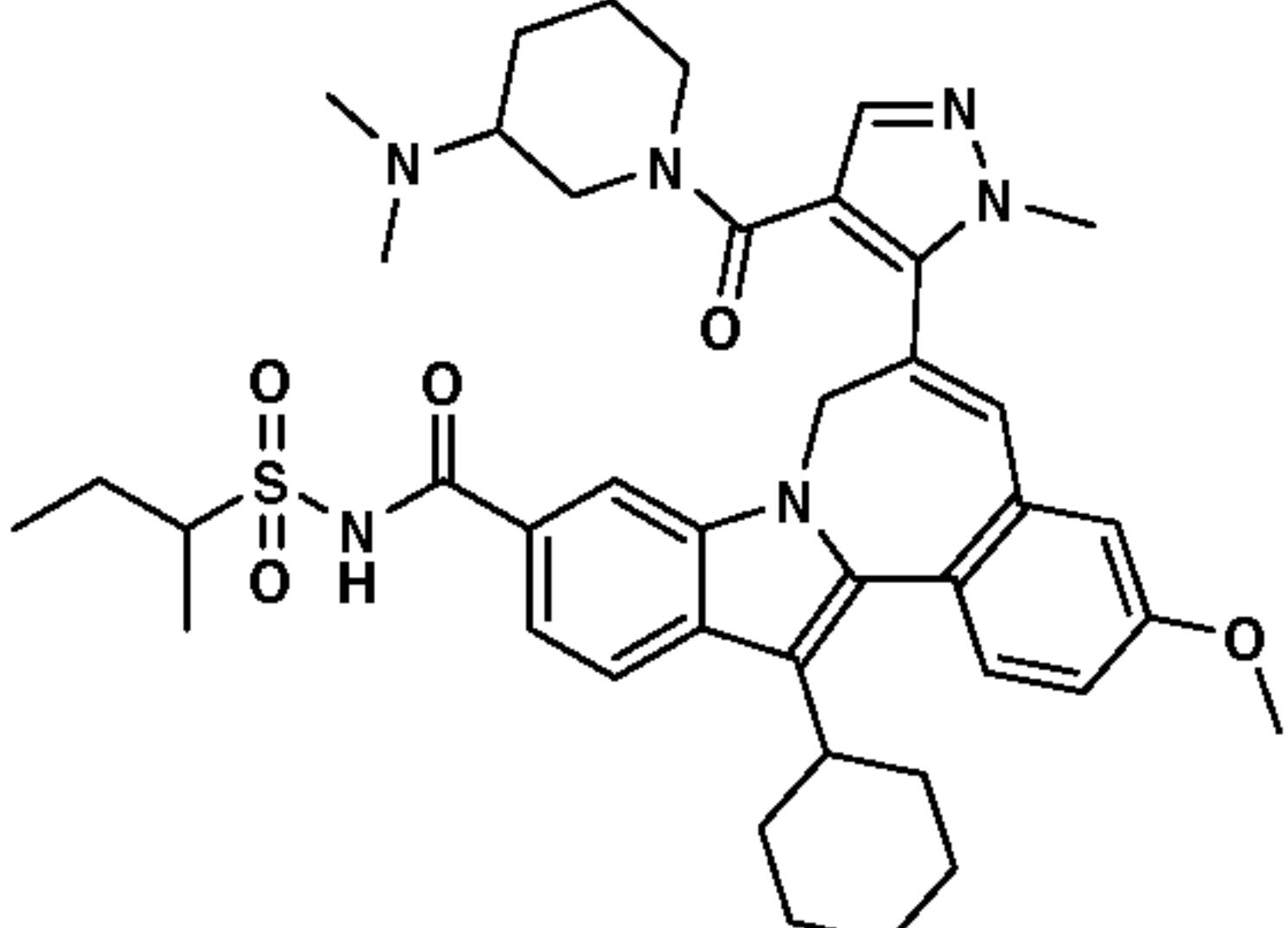
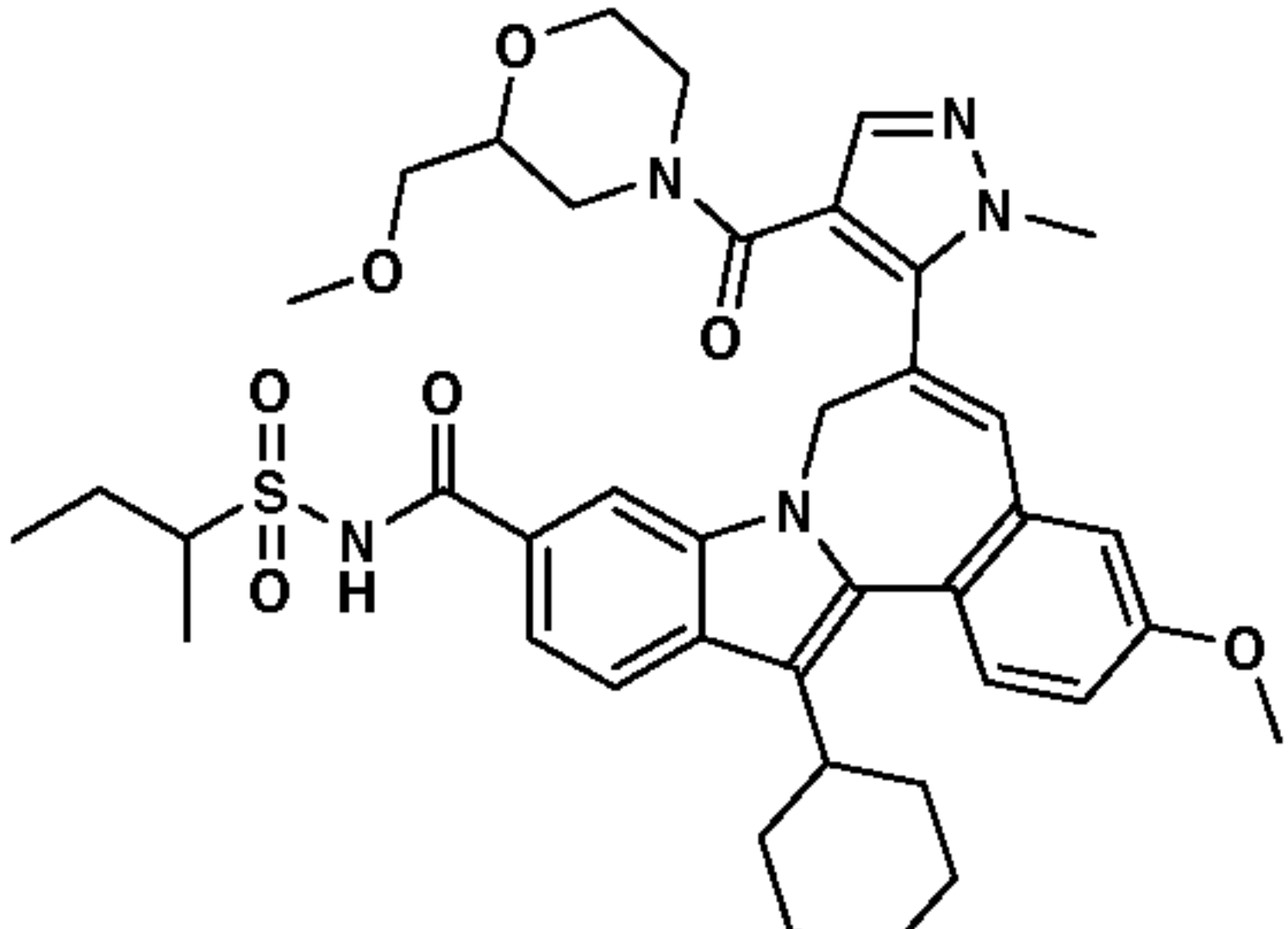
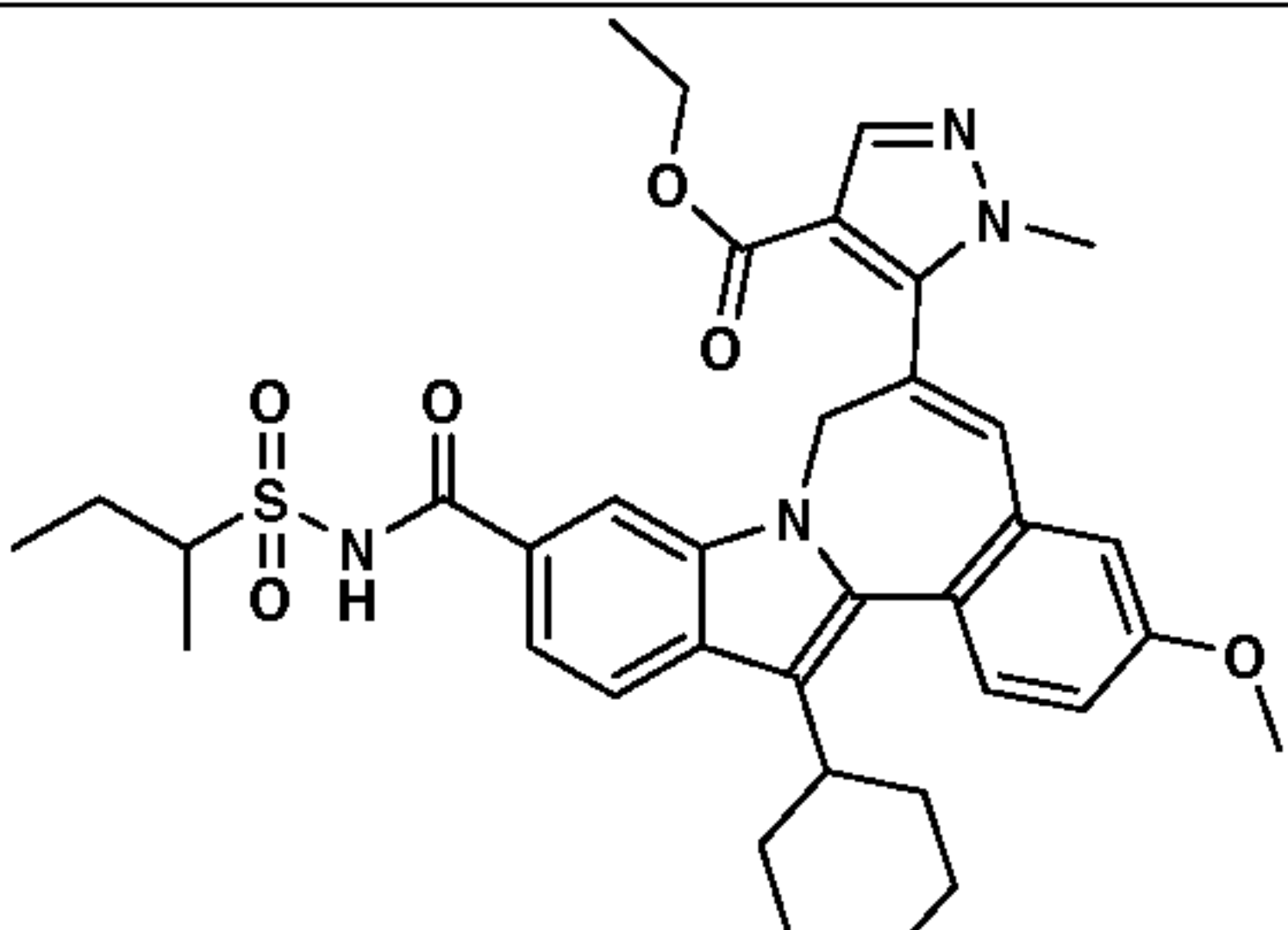
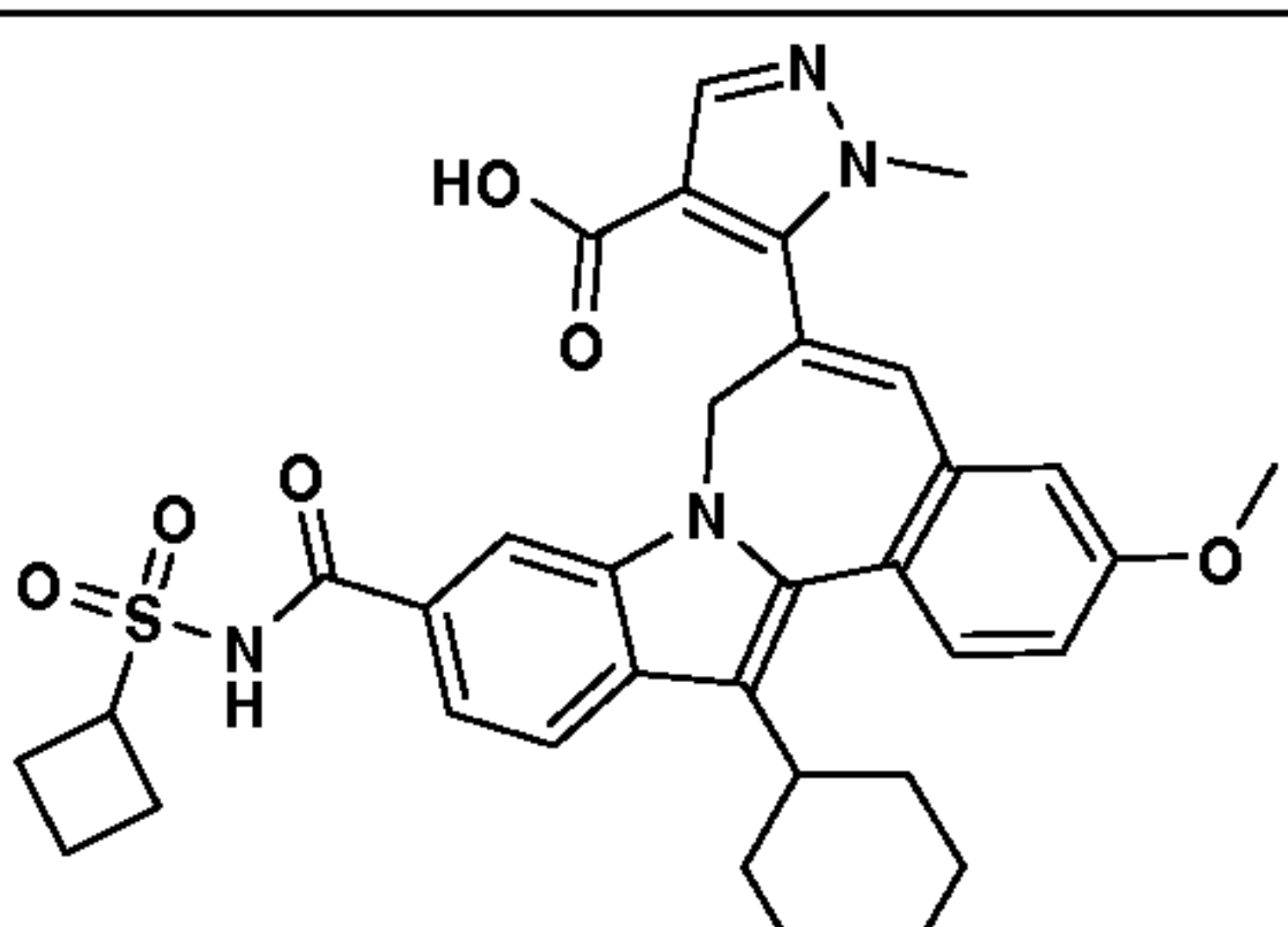
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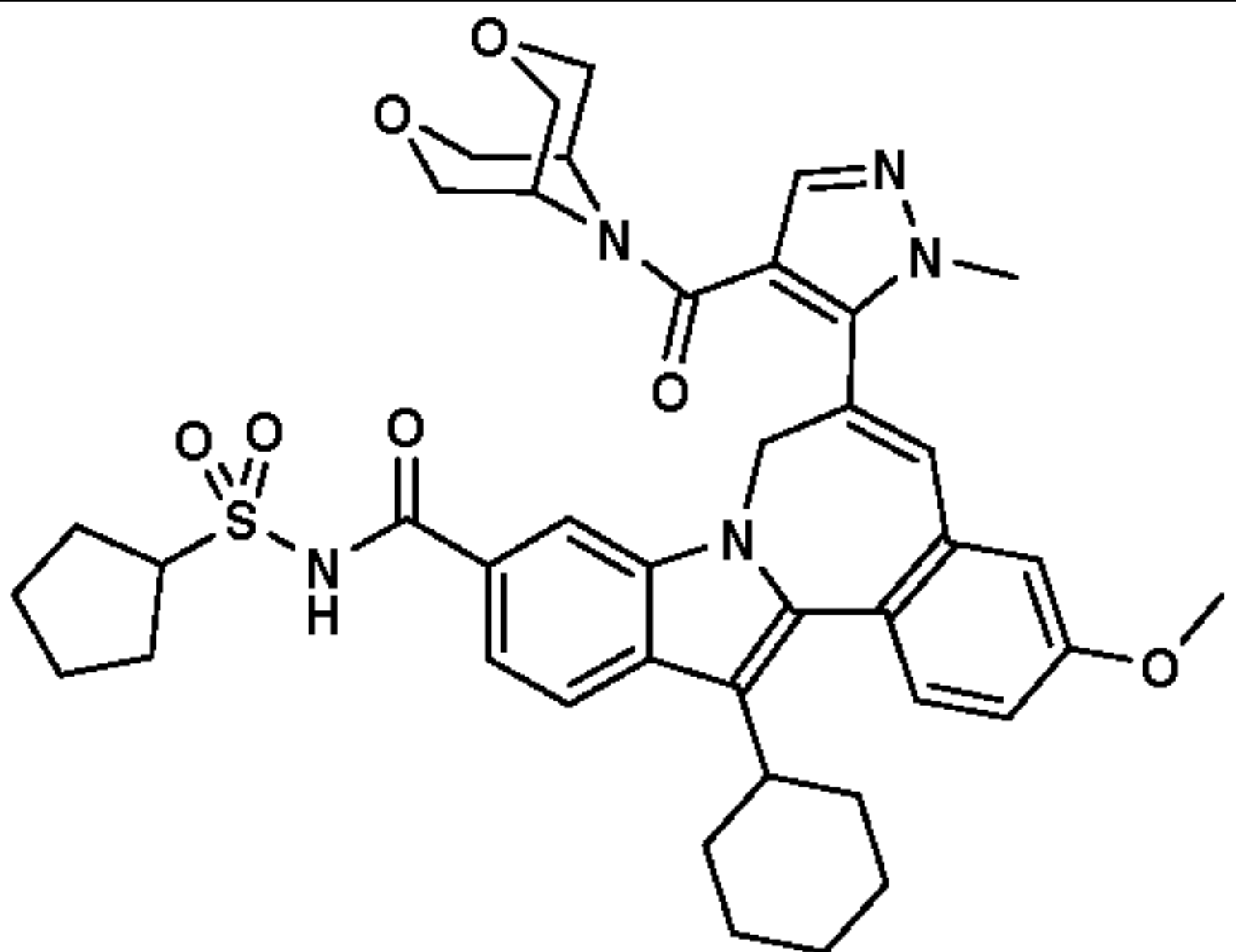
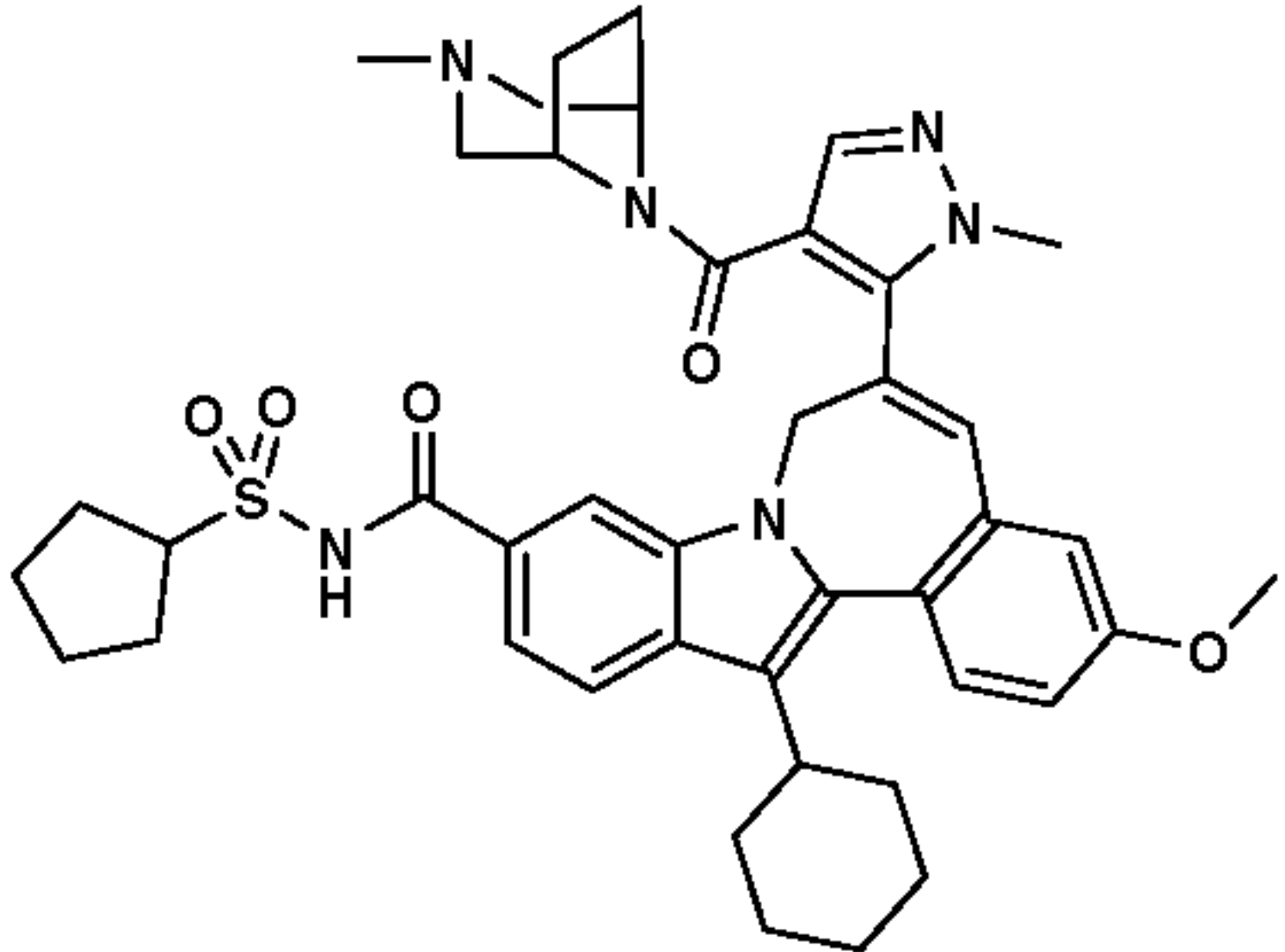
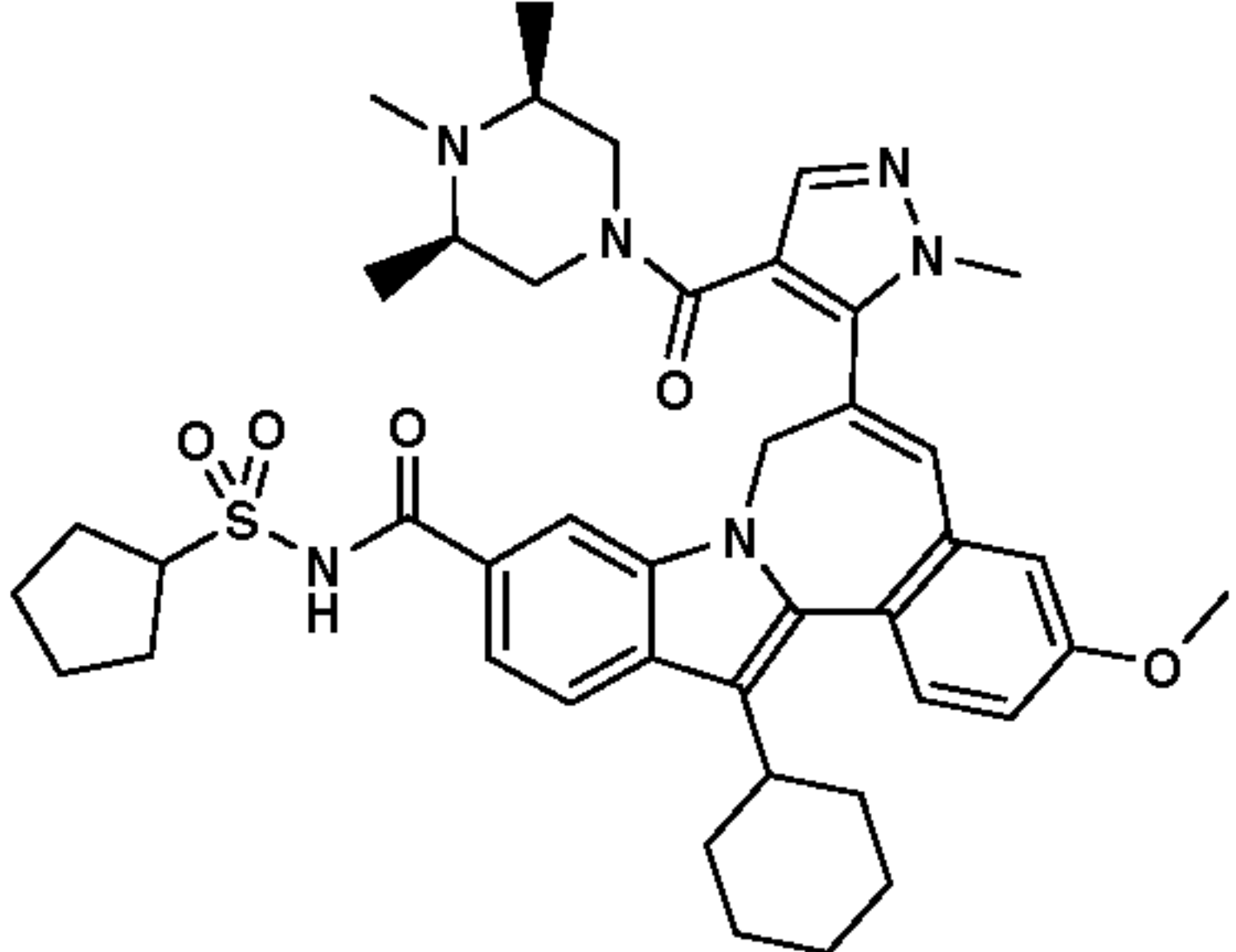
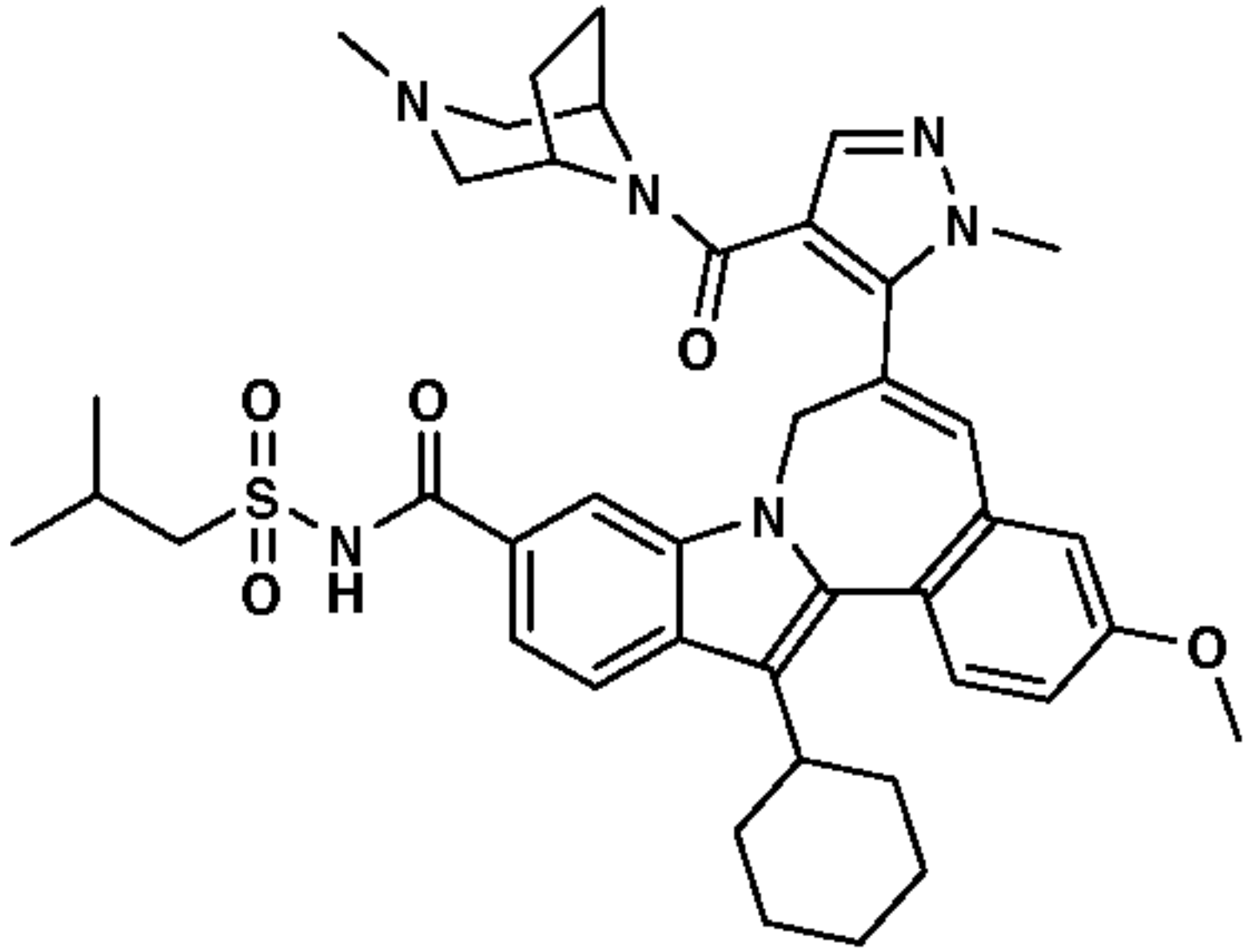
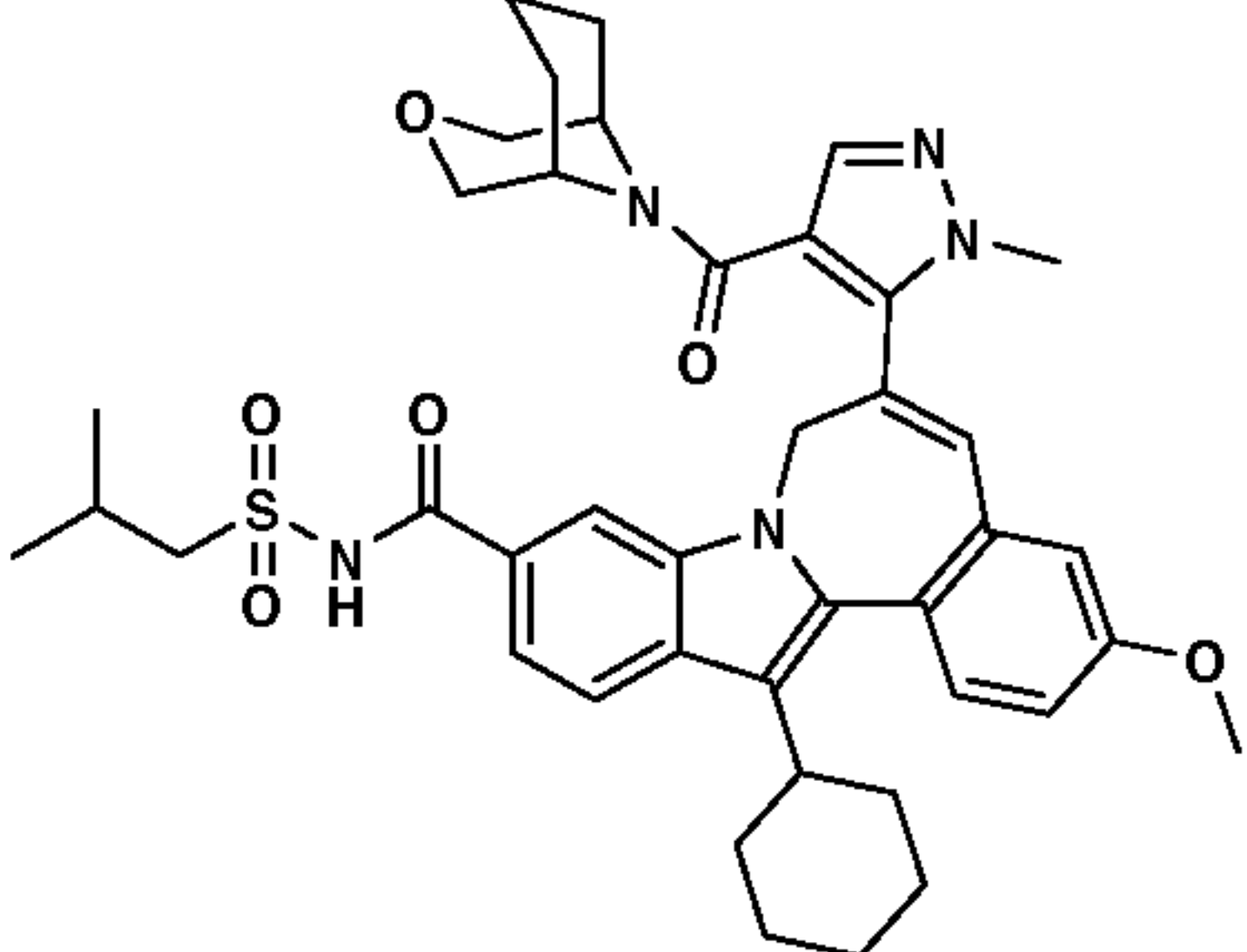
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	B	
	B	
	B	
	B	

Structure	IC ₅₀ (μM)	EC ₅₀ (μM)
	B	B
	B	
 Chiral	B	B
	B	
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Structure	IC ₅₀ (μM)	EC ₅₀ (μM)
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	B	
		
	B	B
	B	B

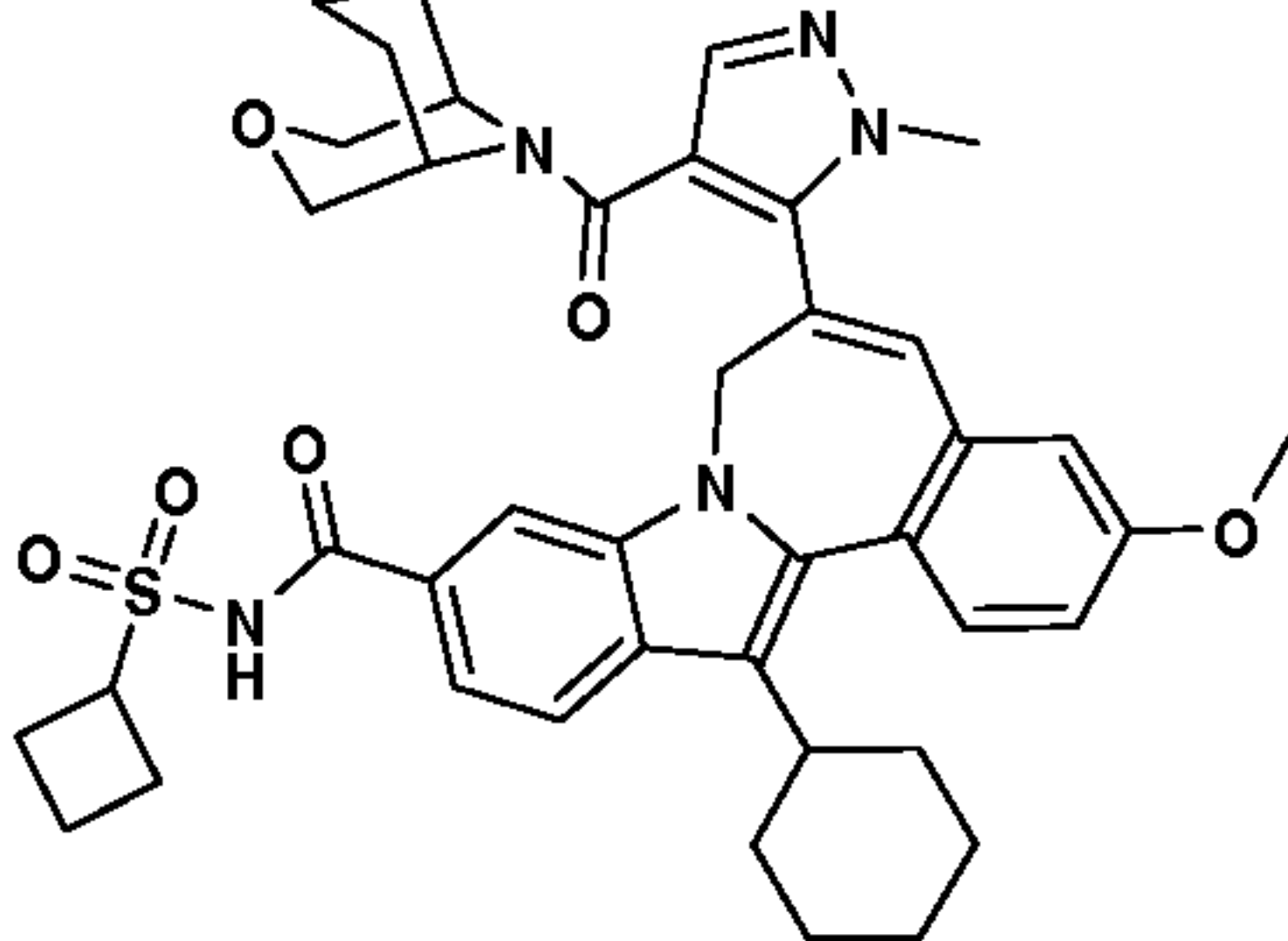
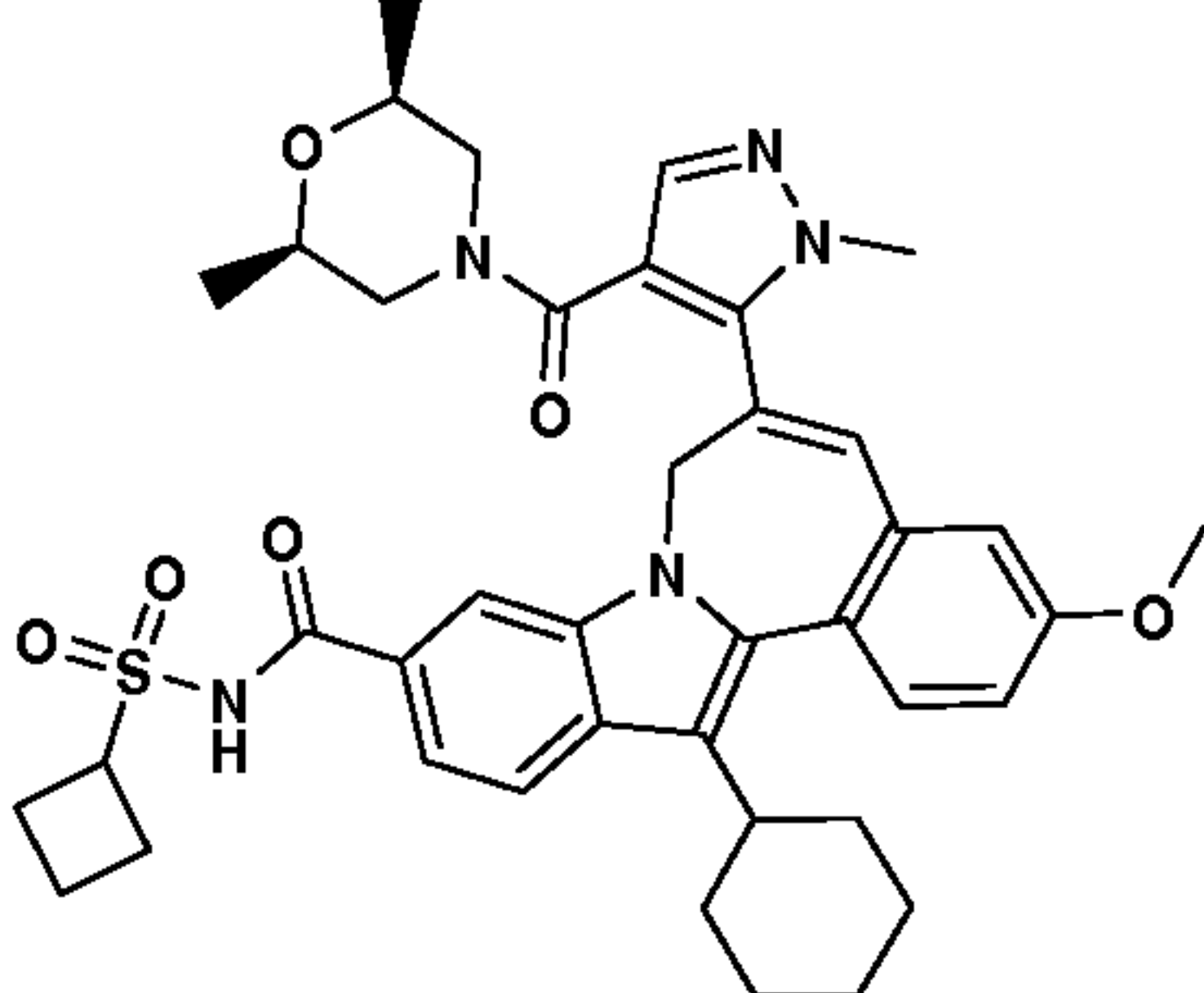
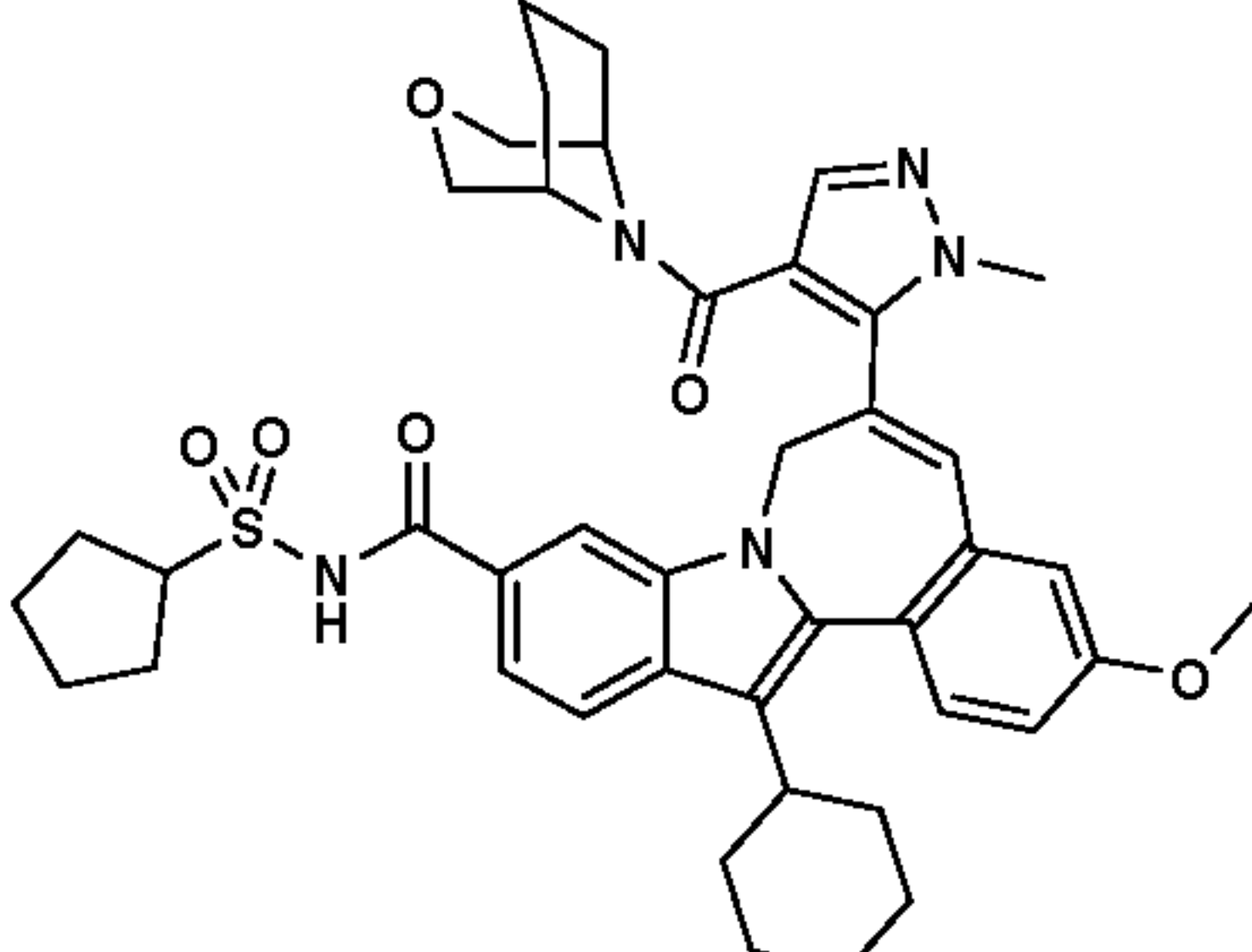
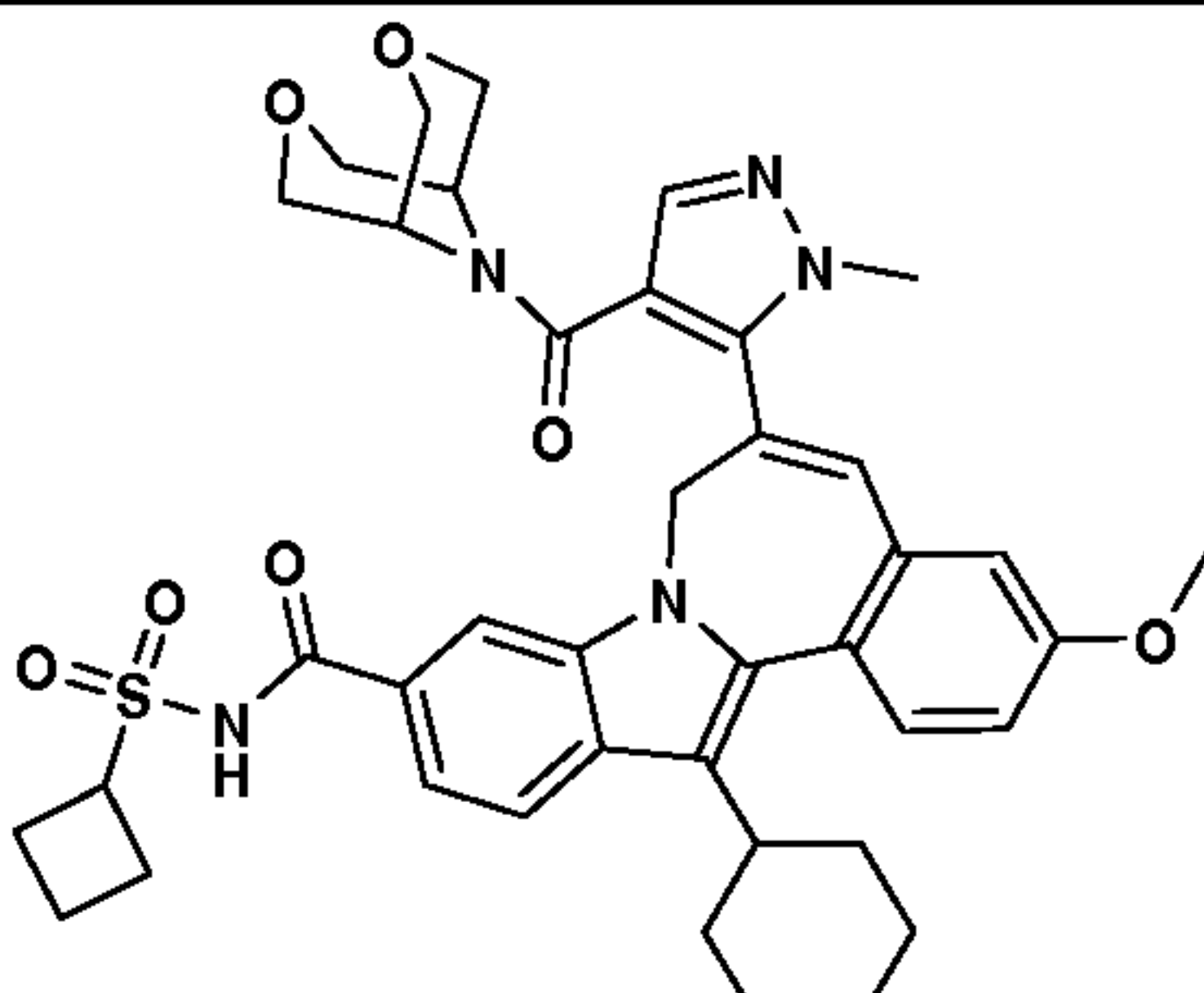
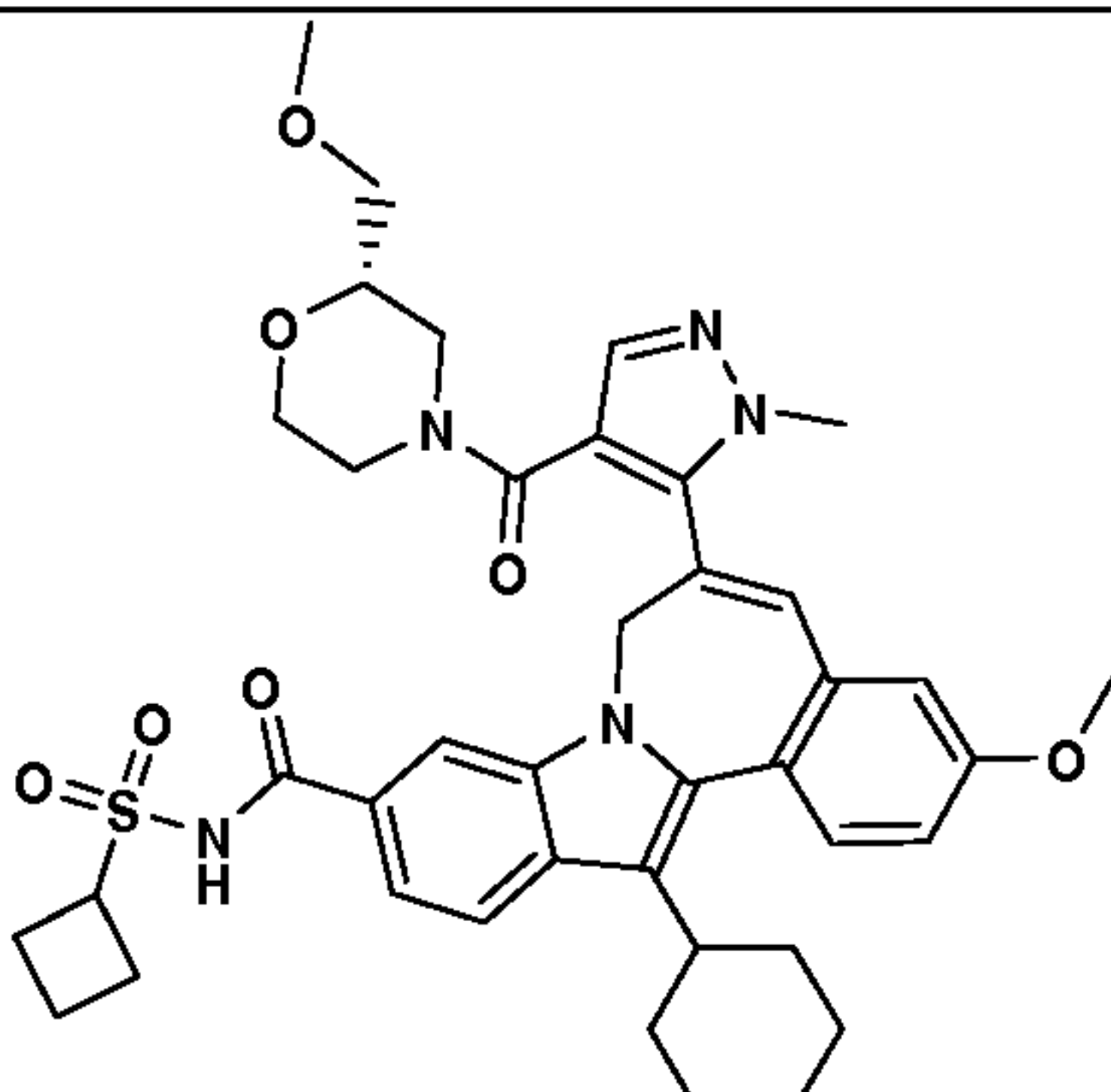
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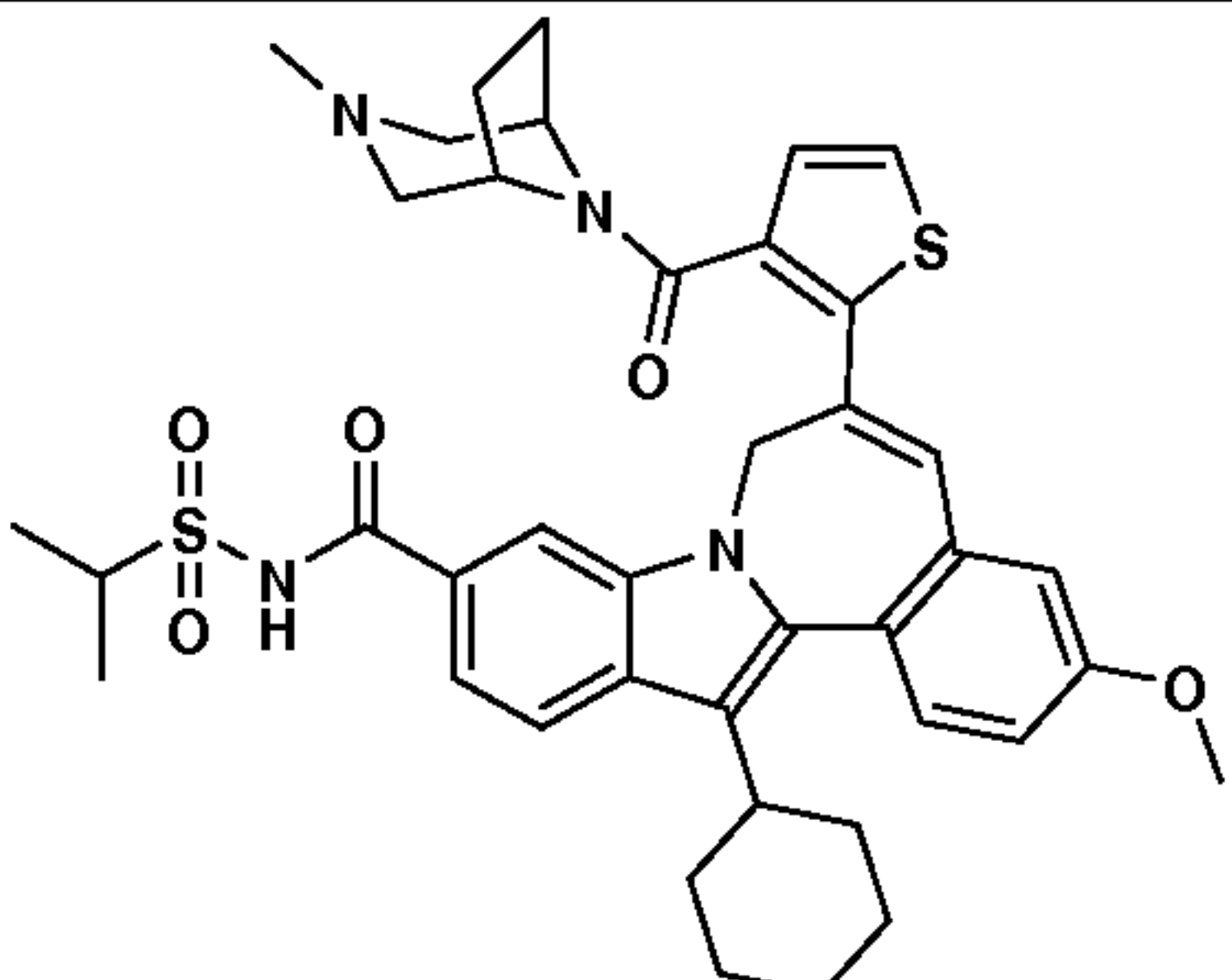
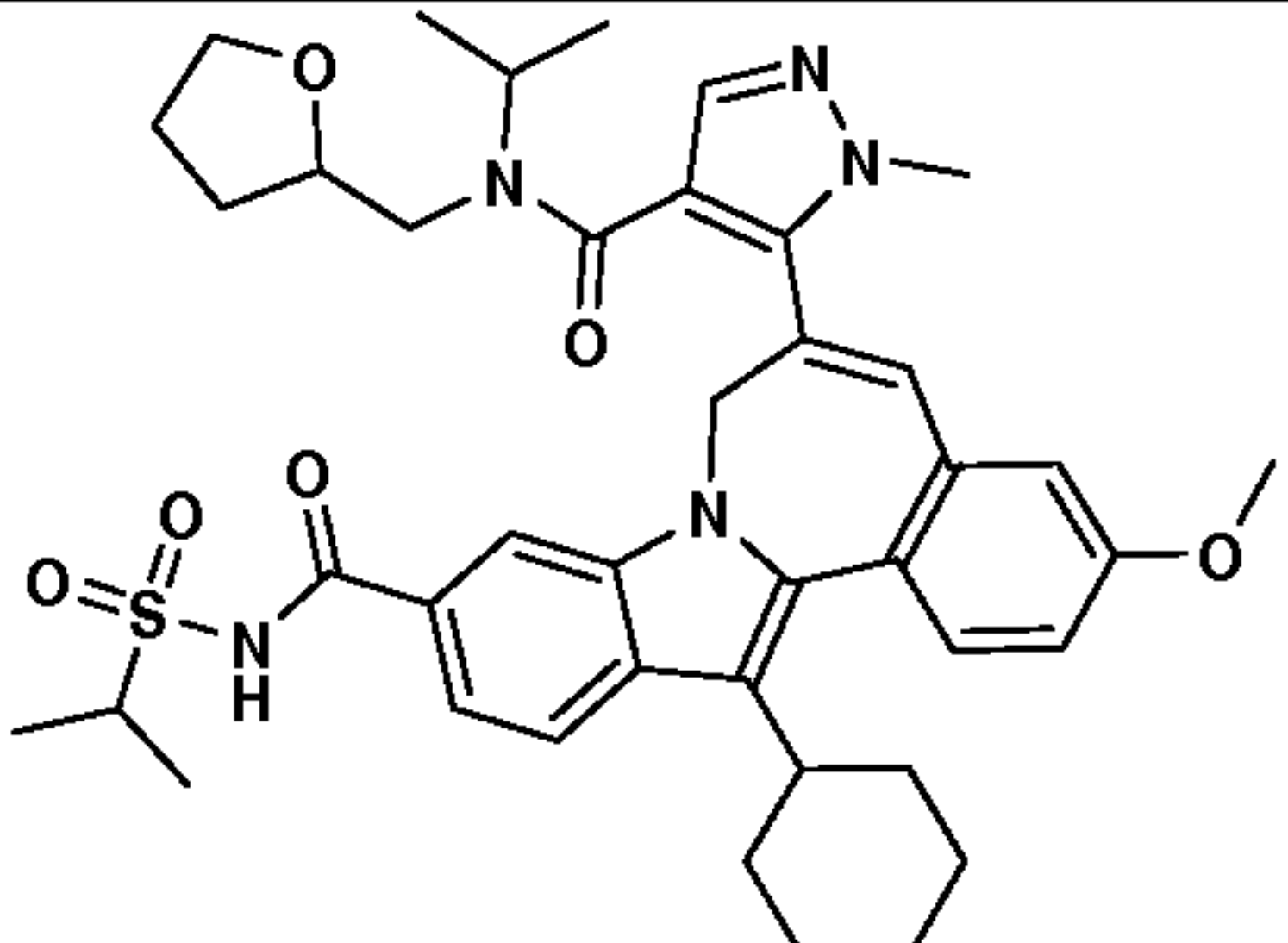
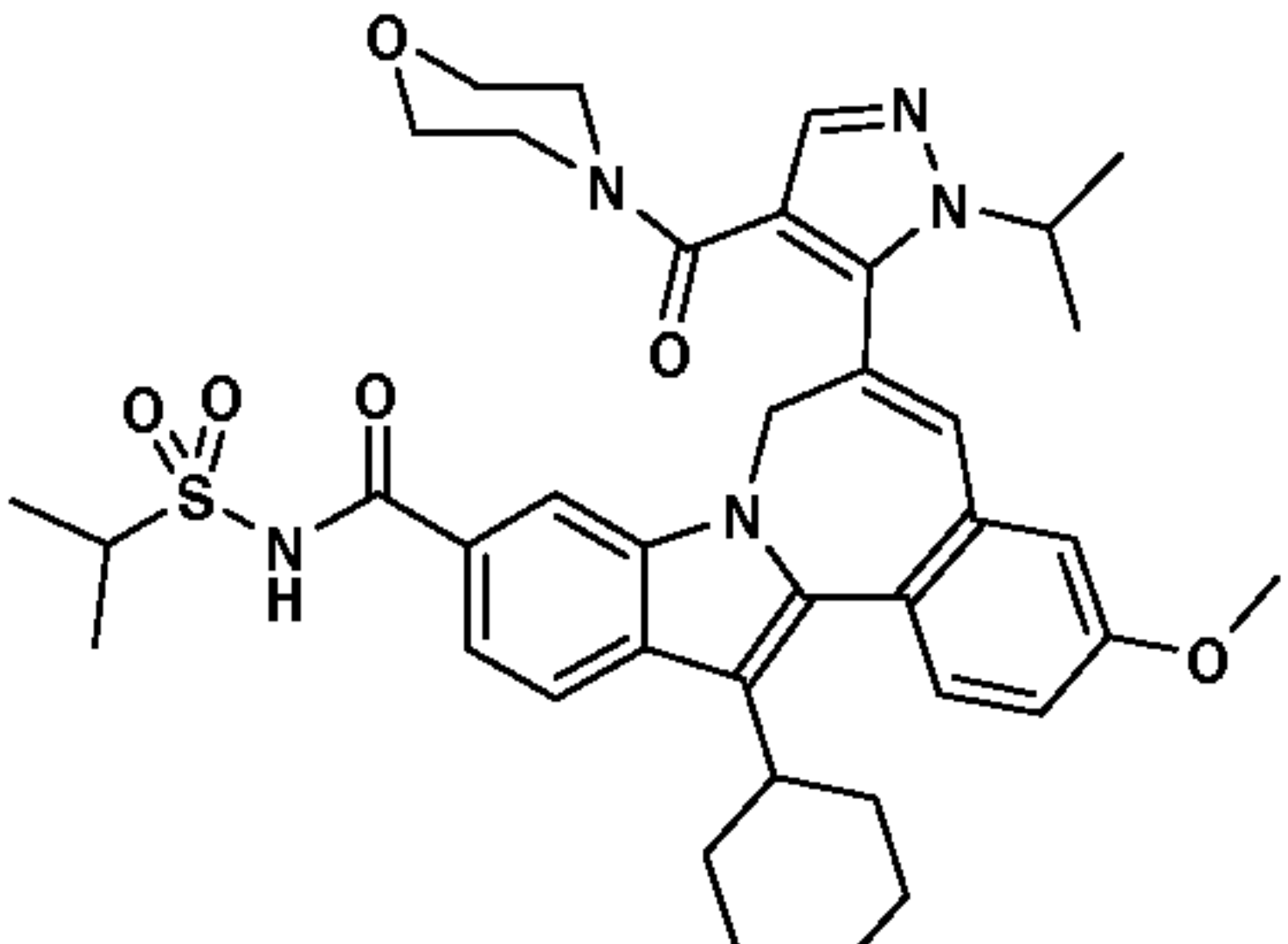
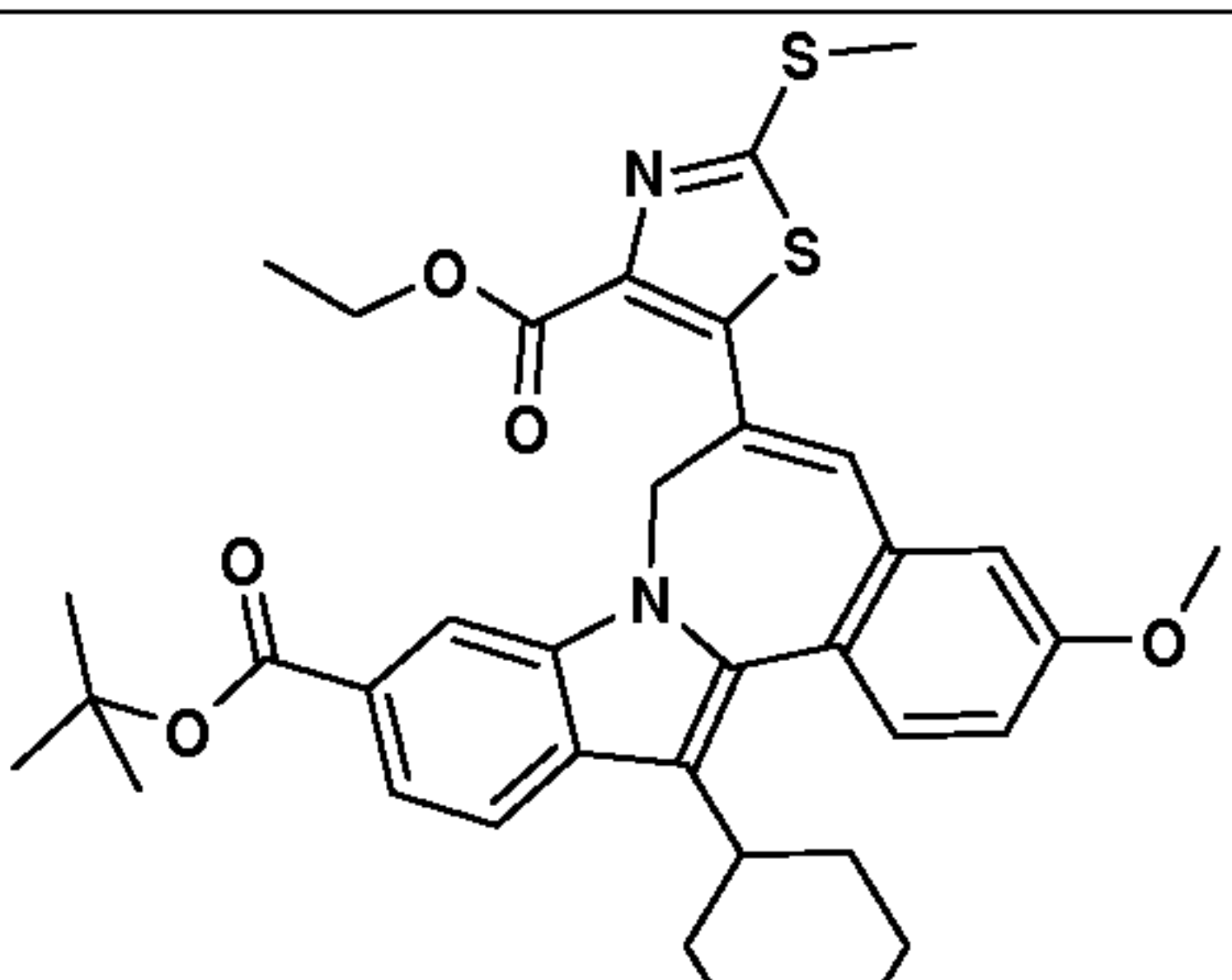
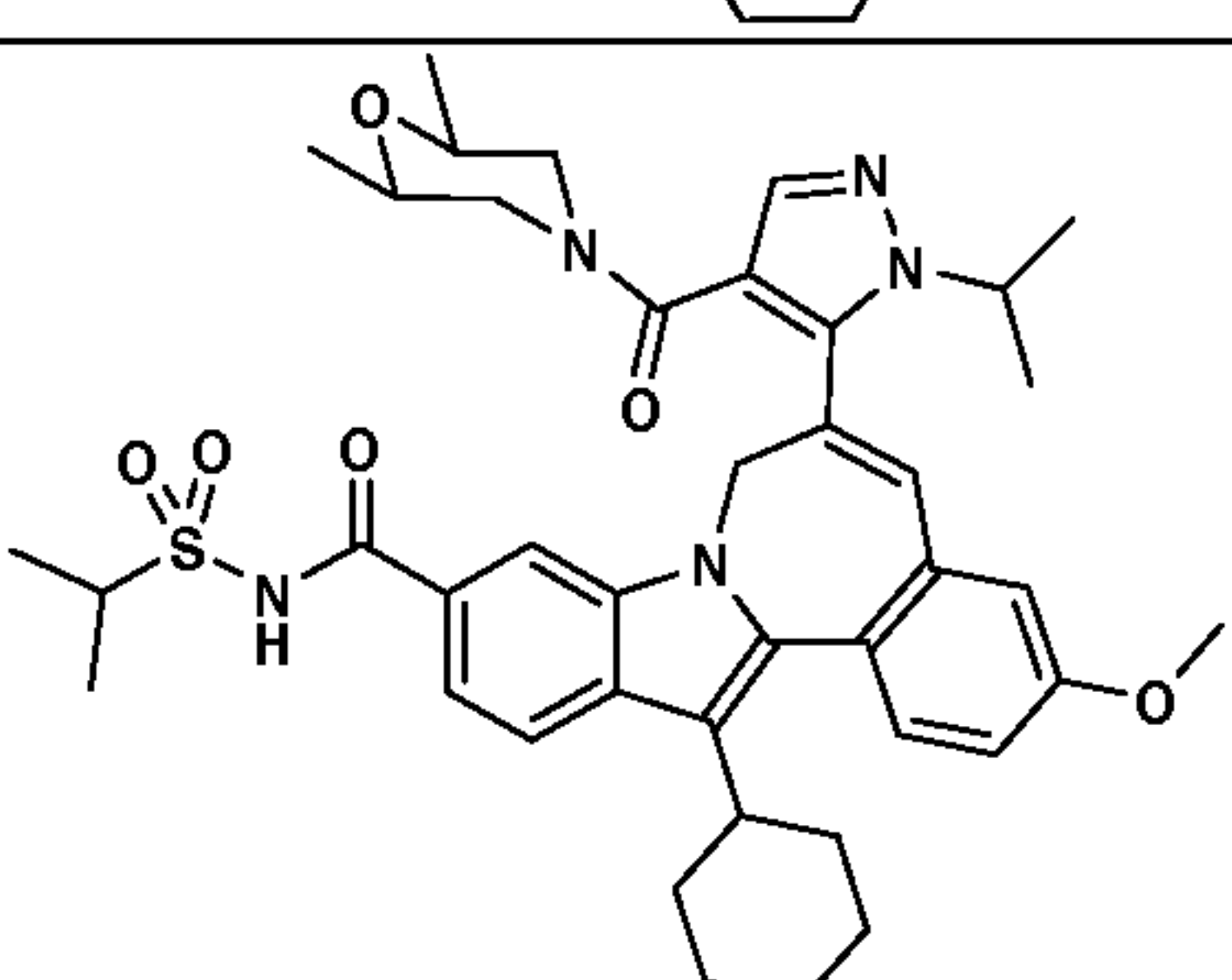
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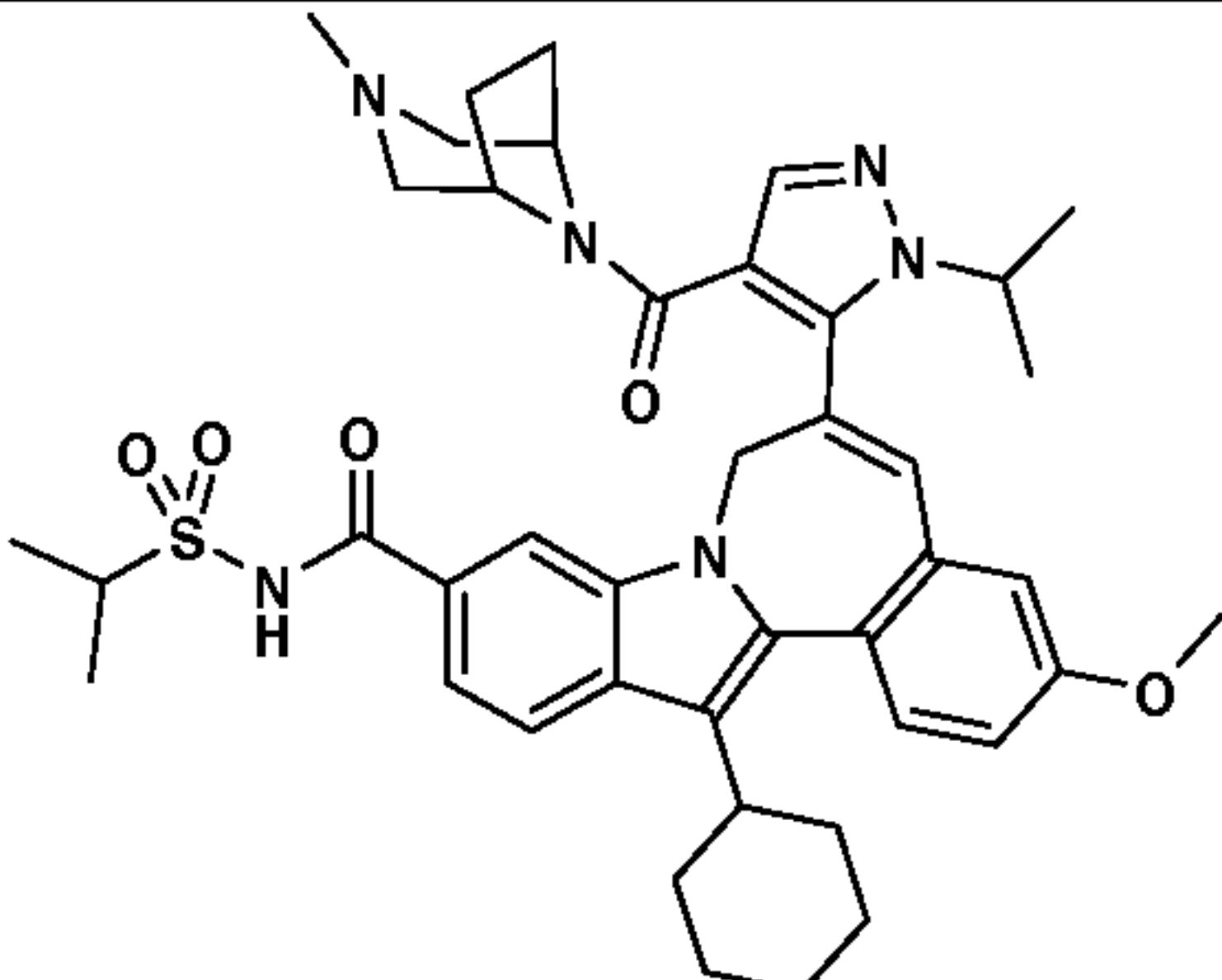
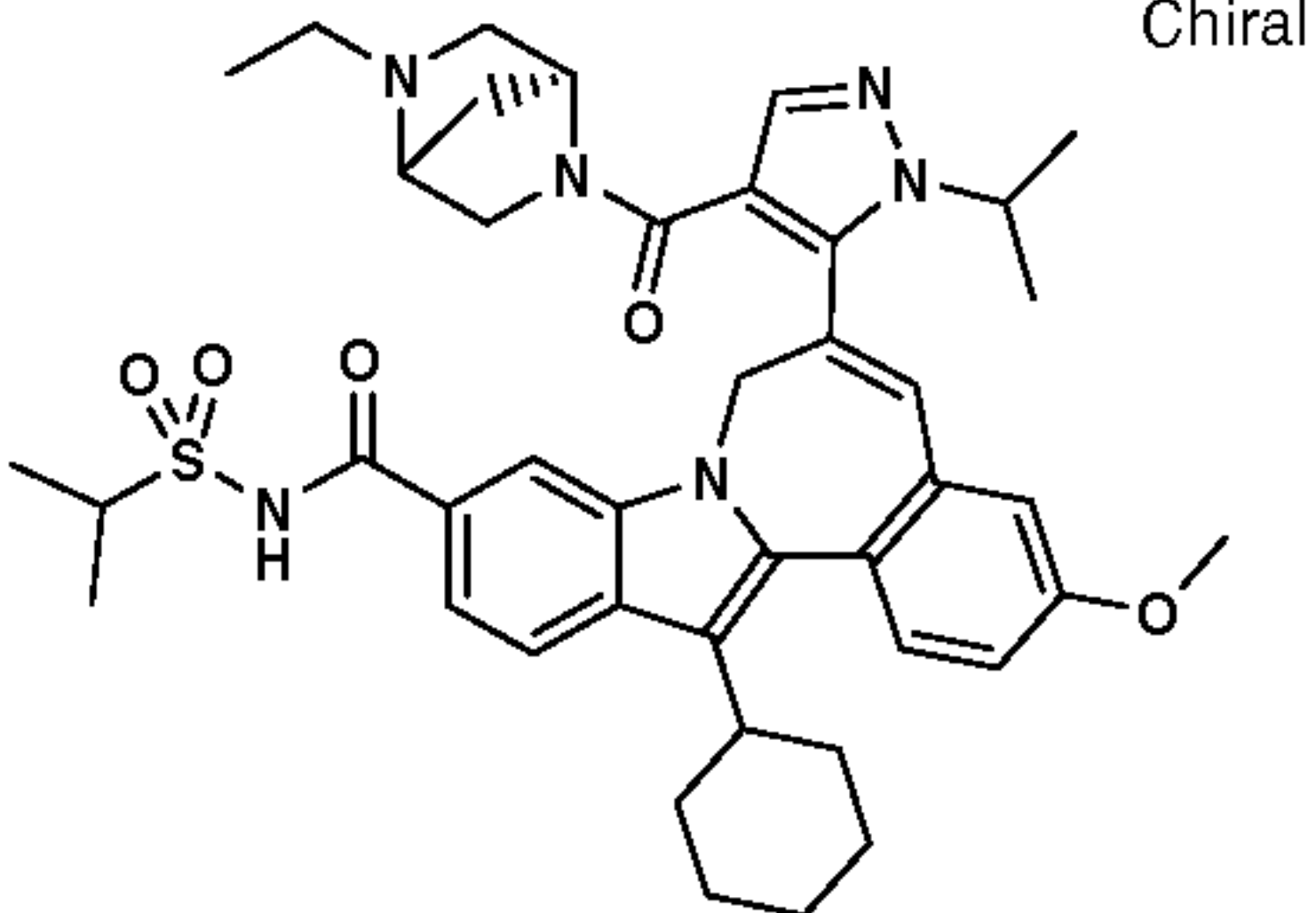
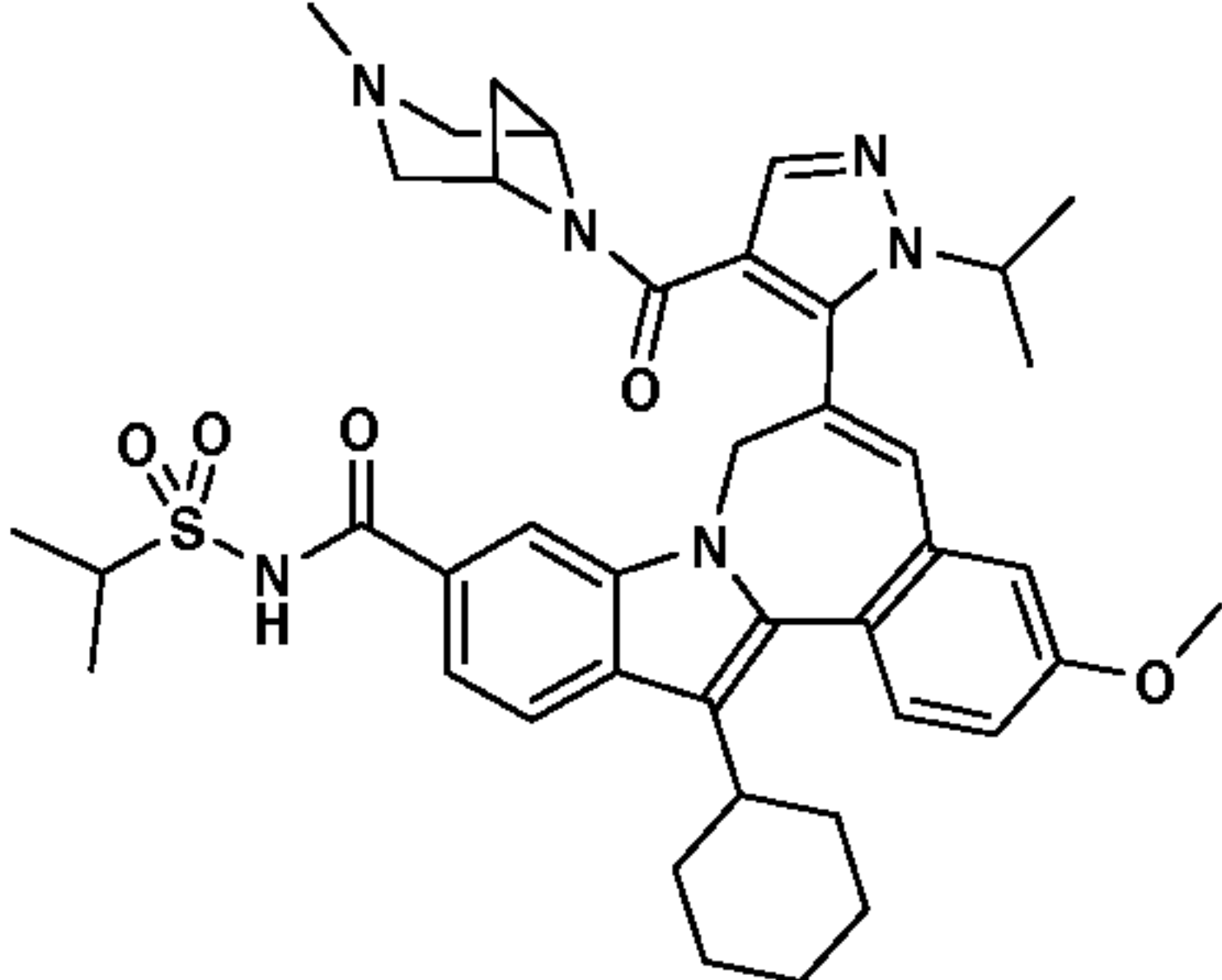
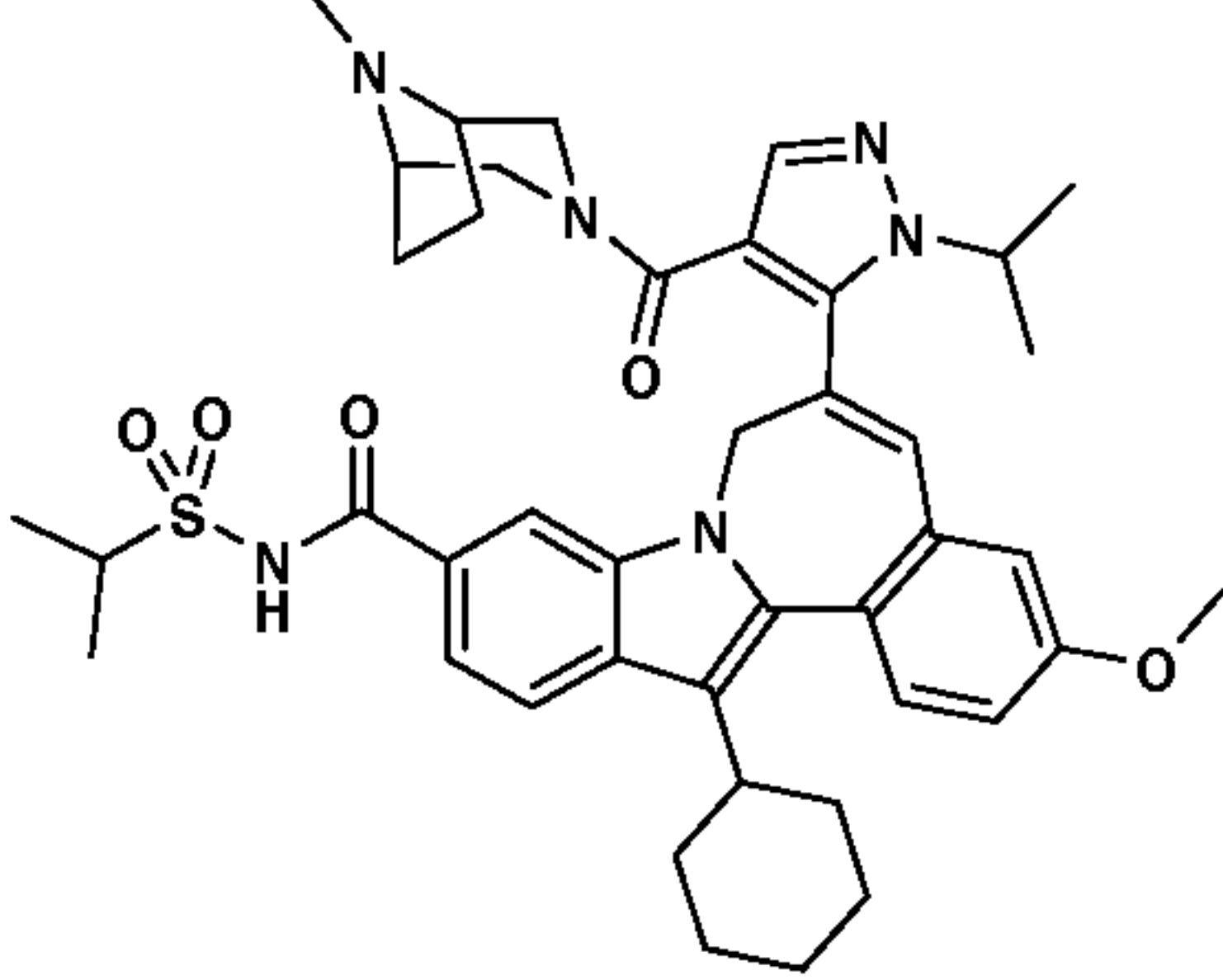
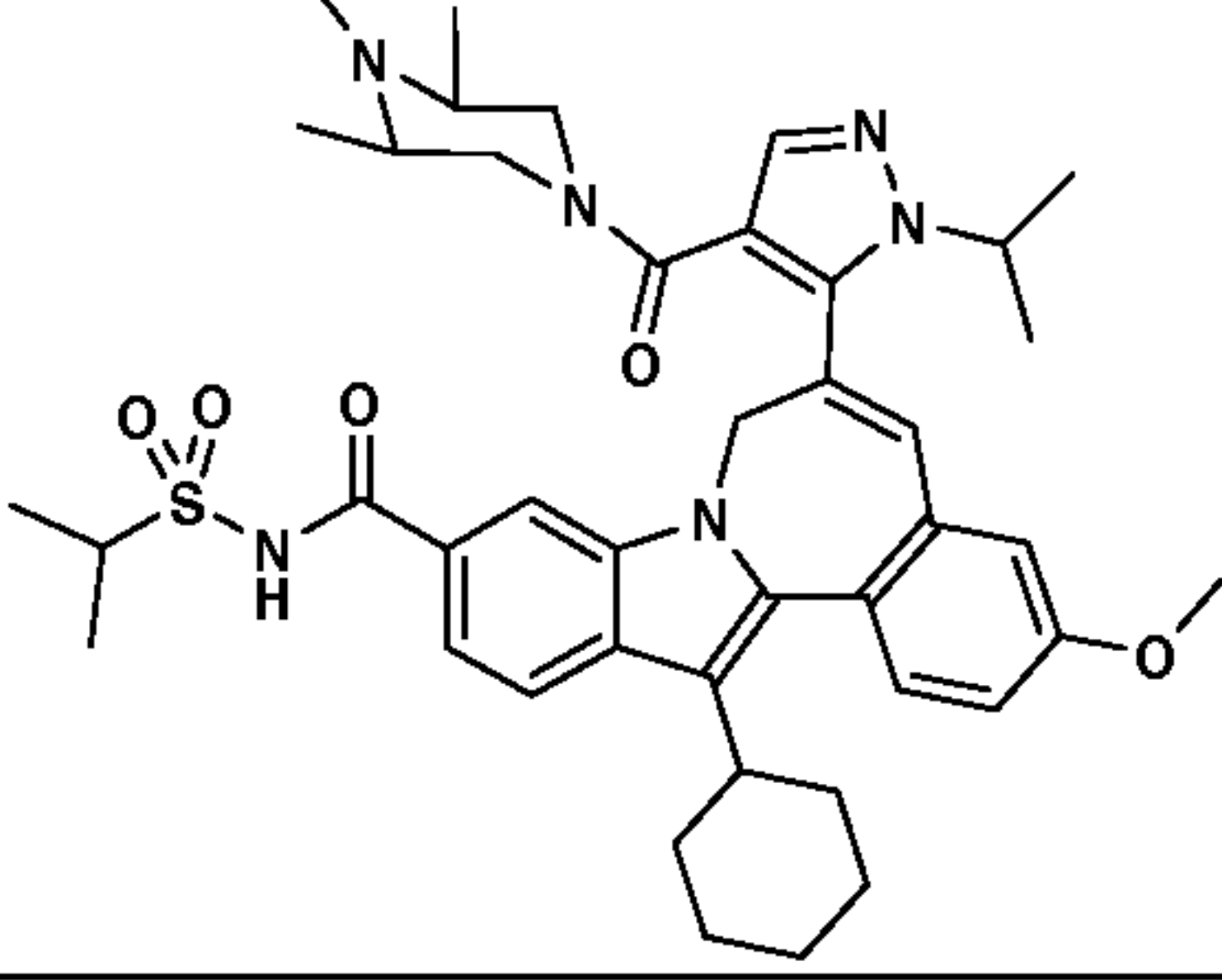
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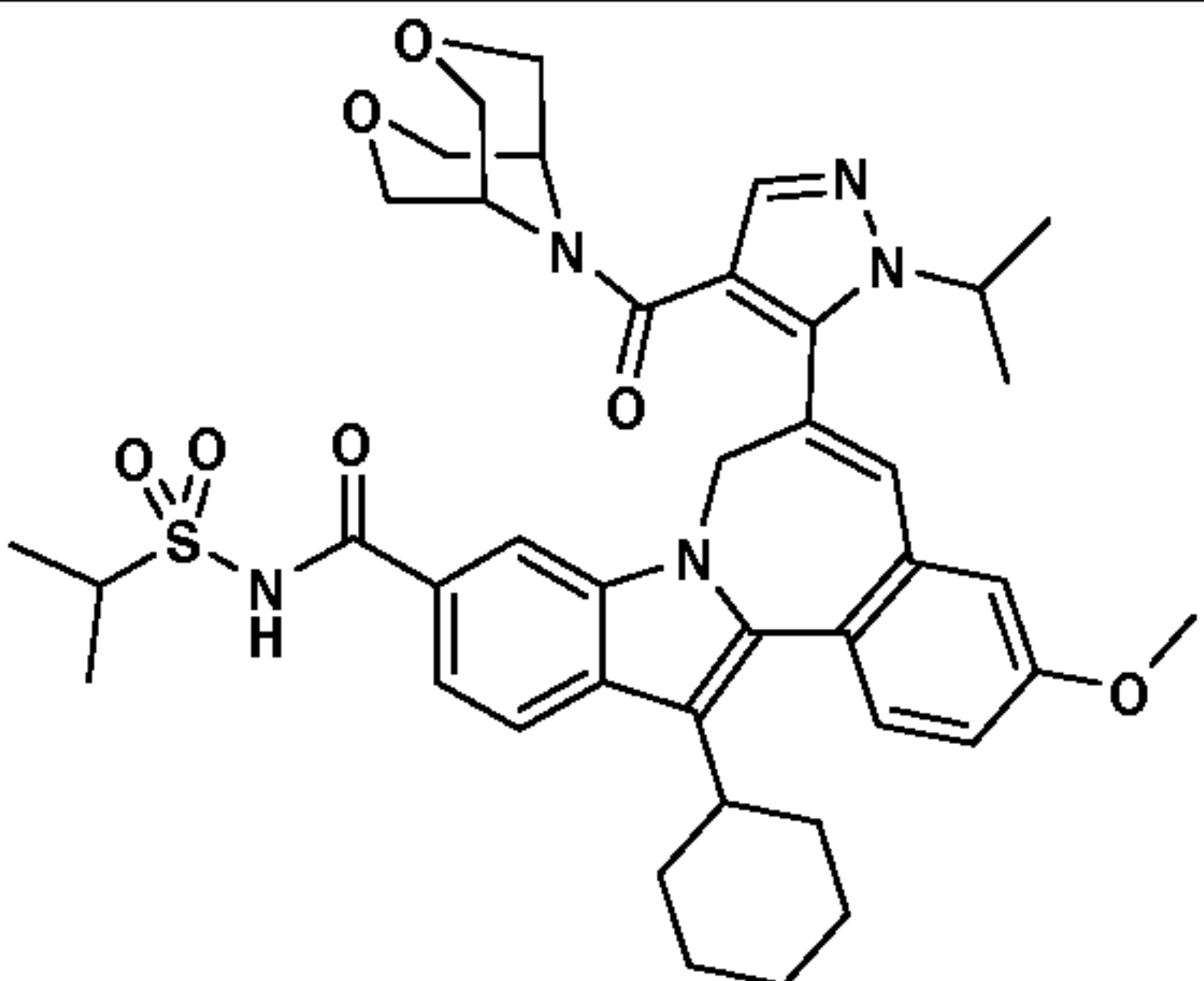
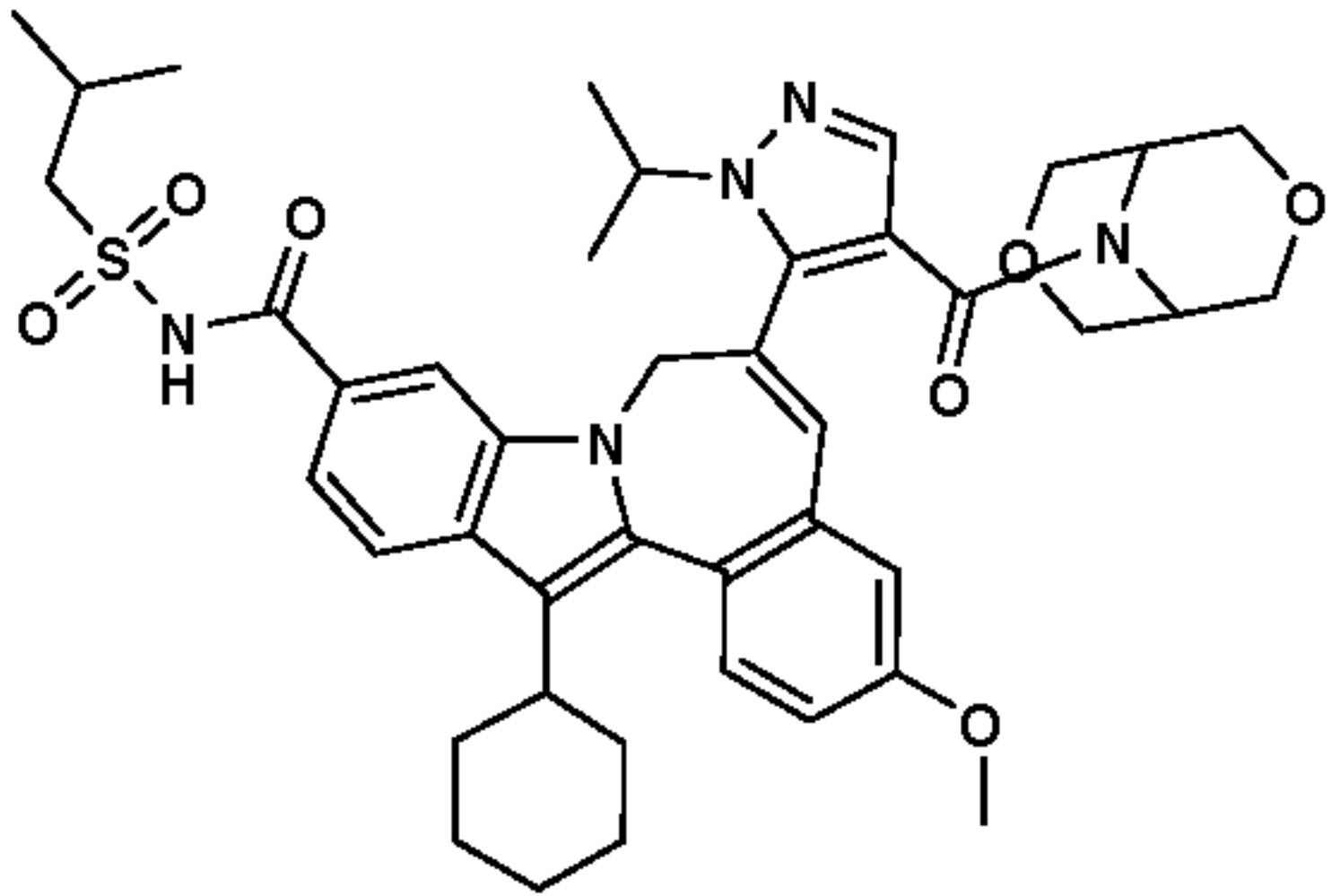
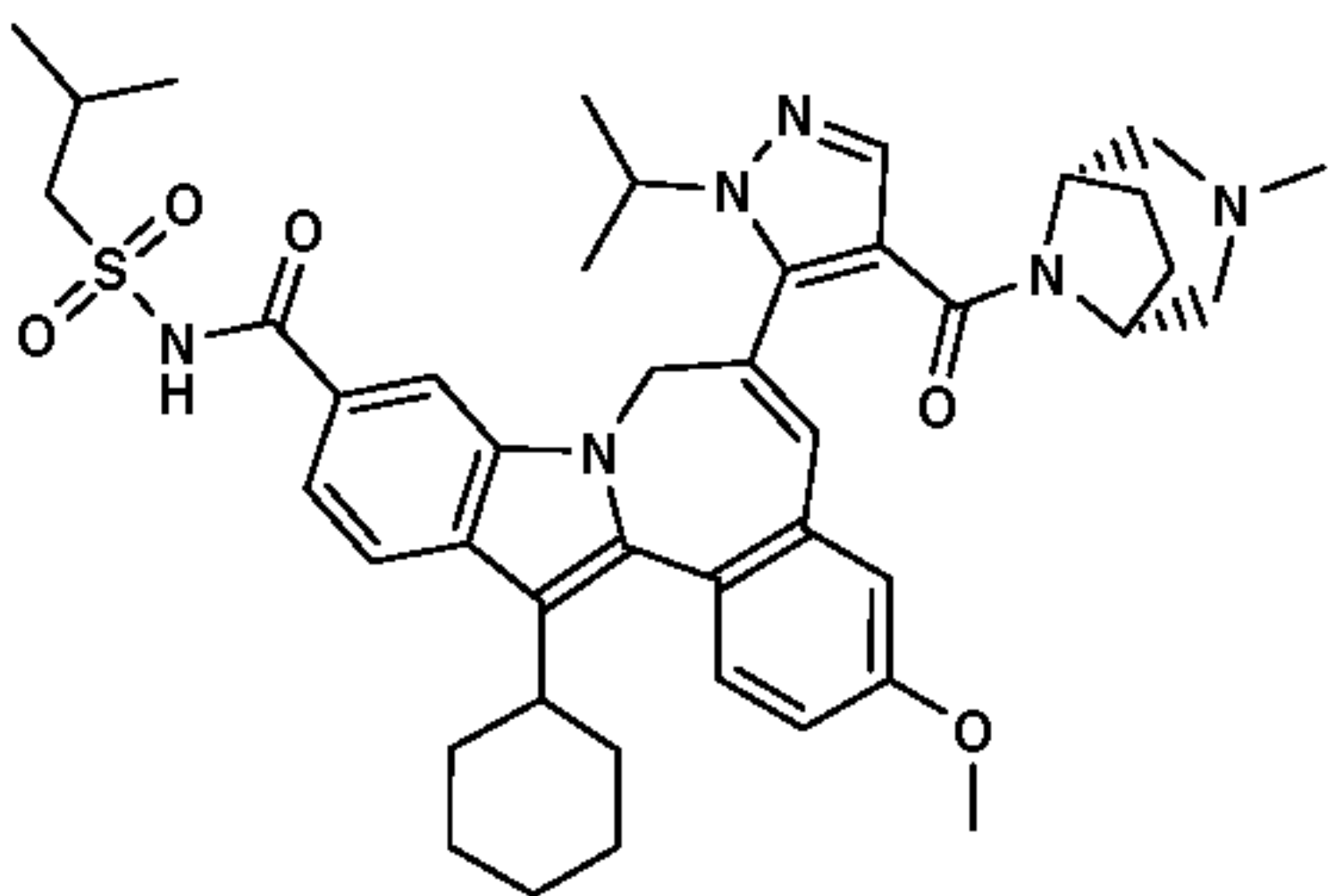
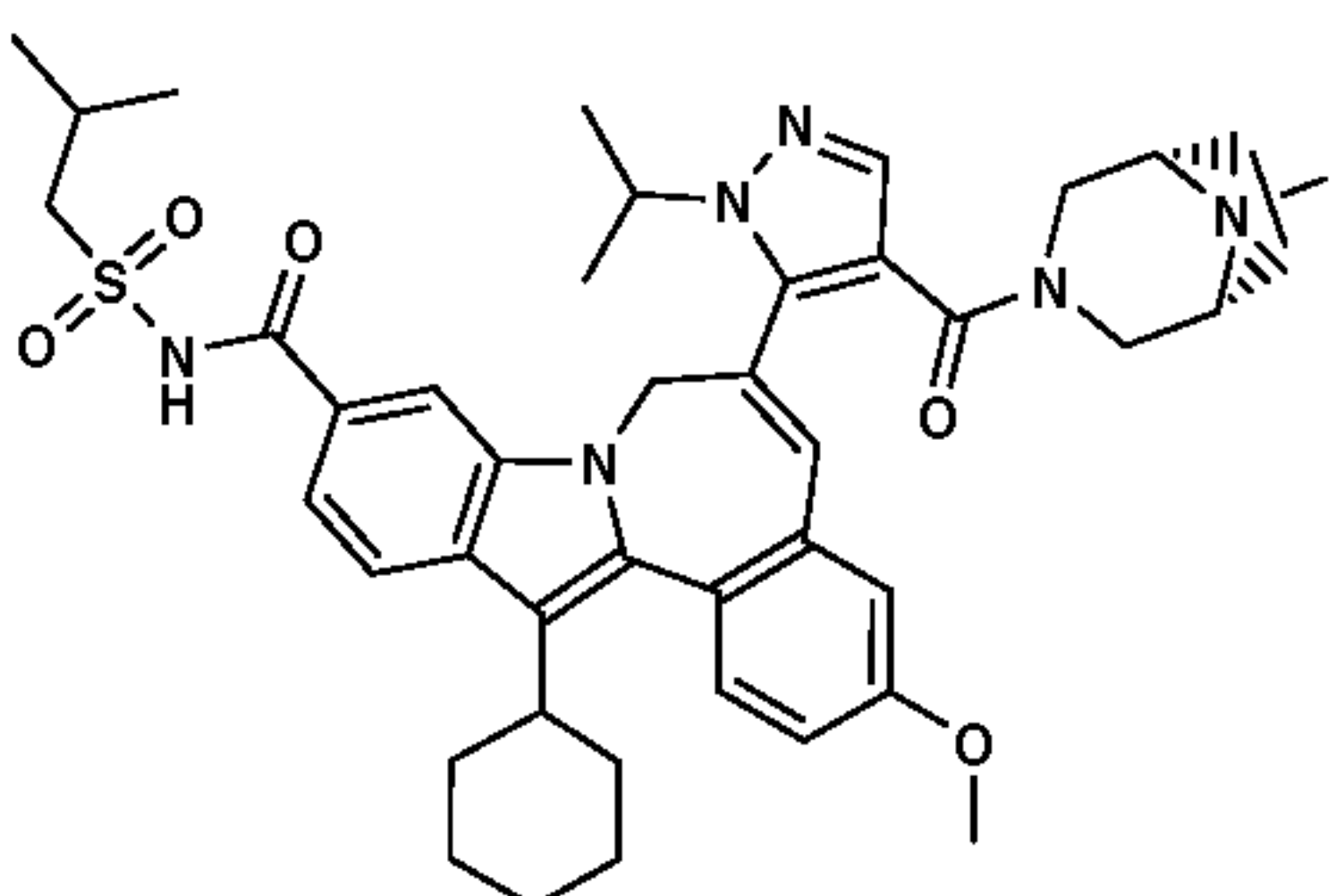
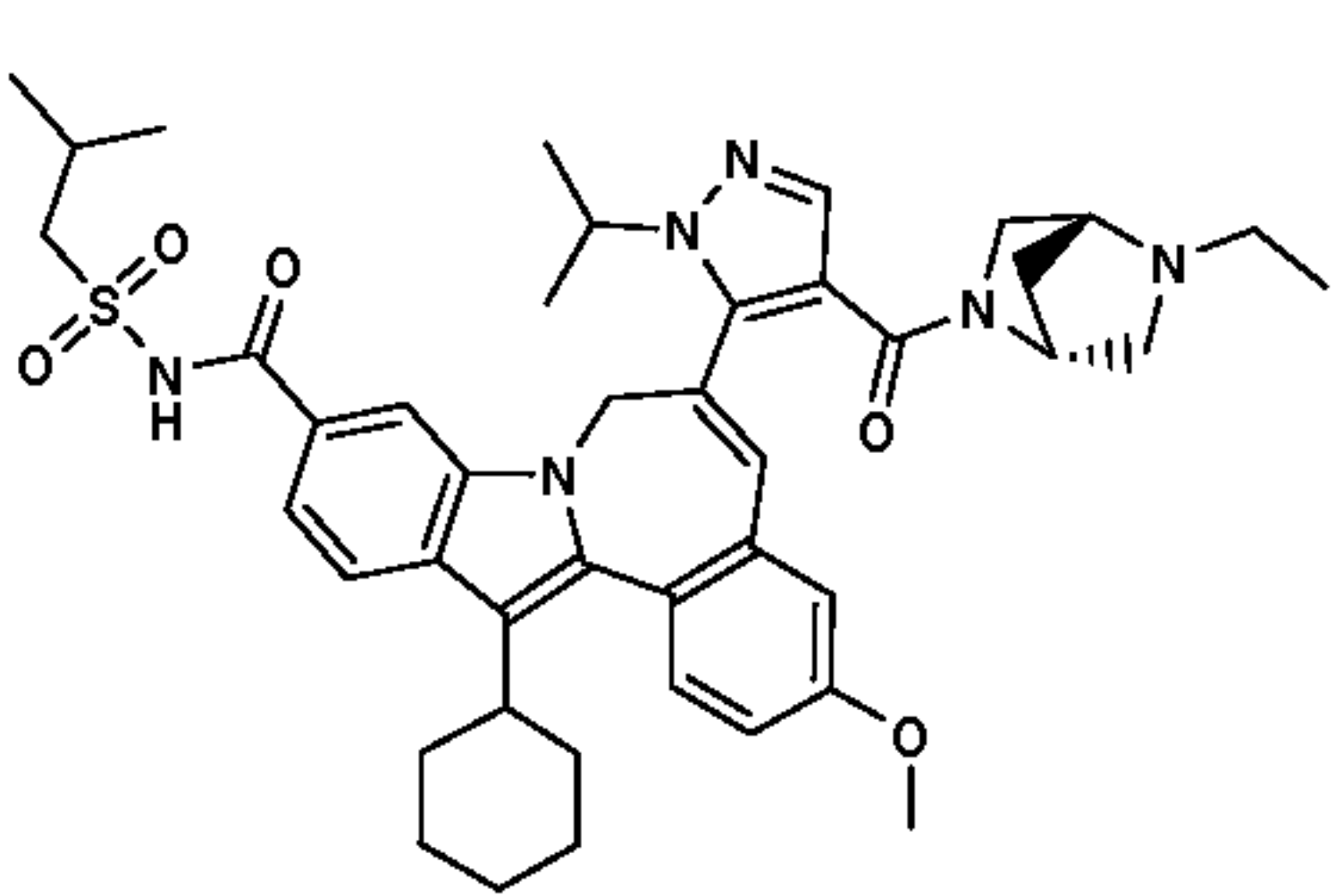
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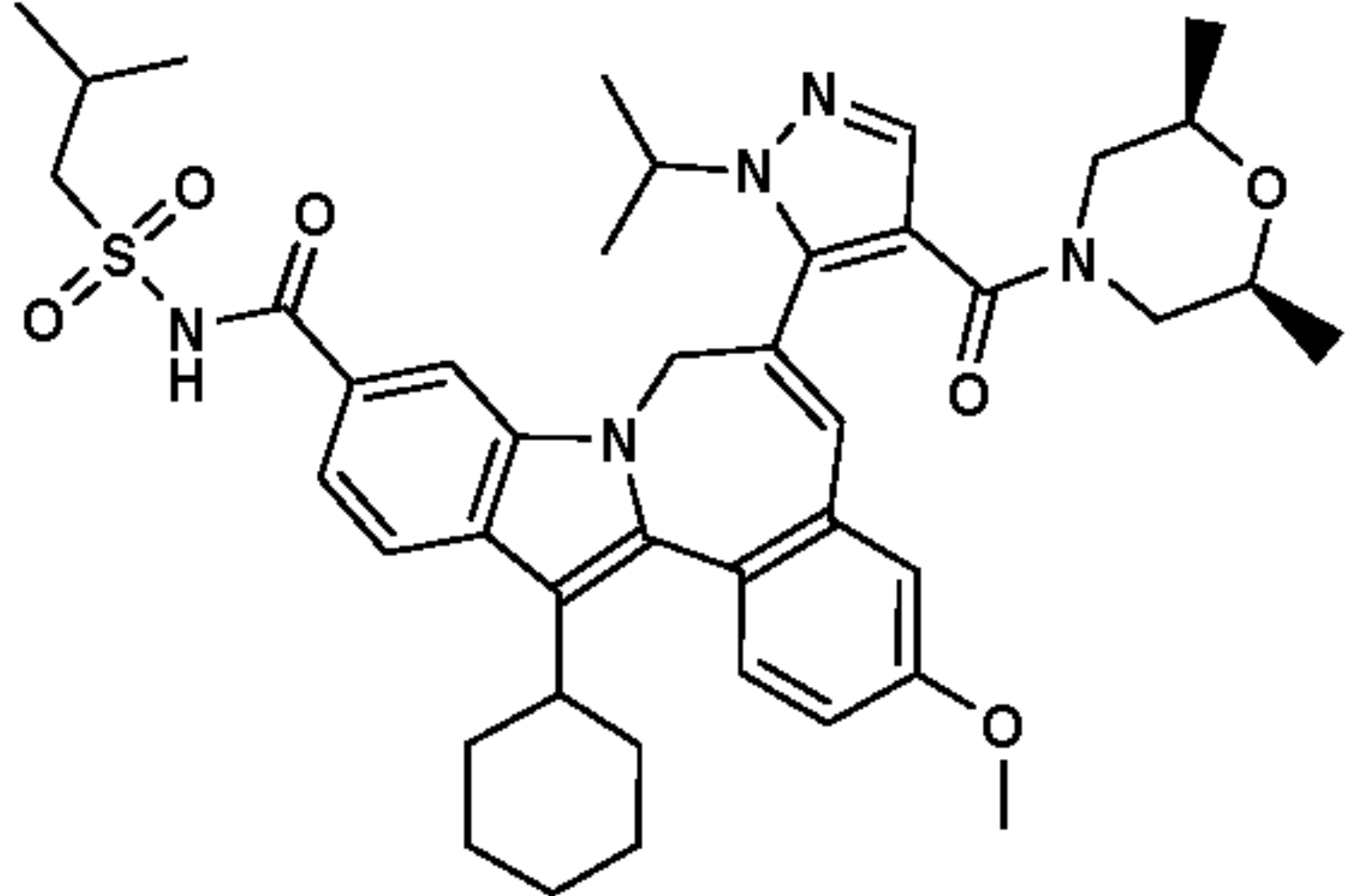
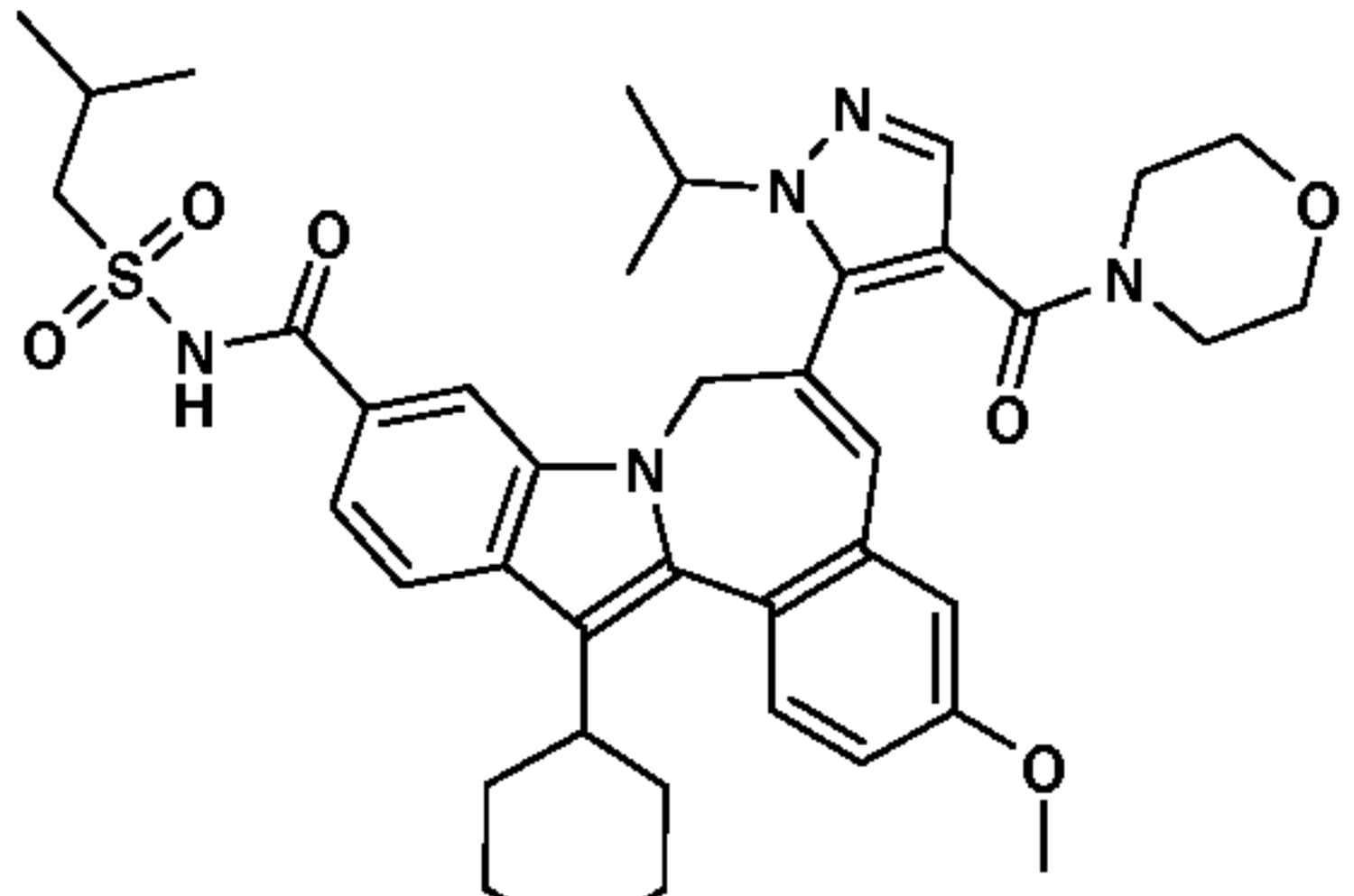
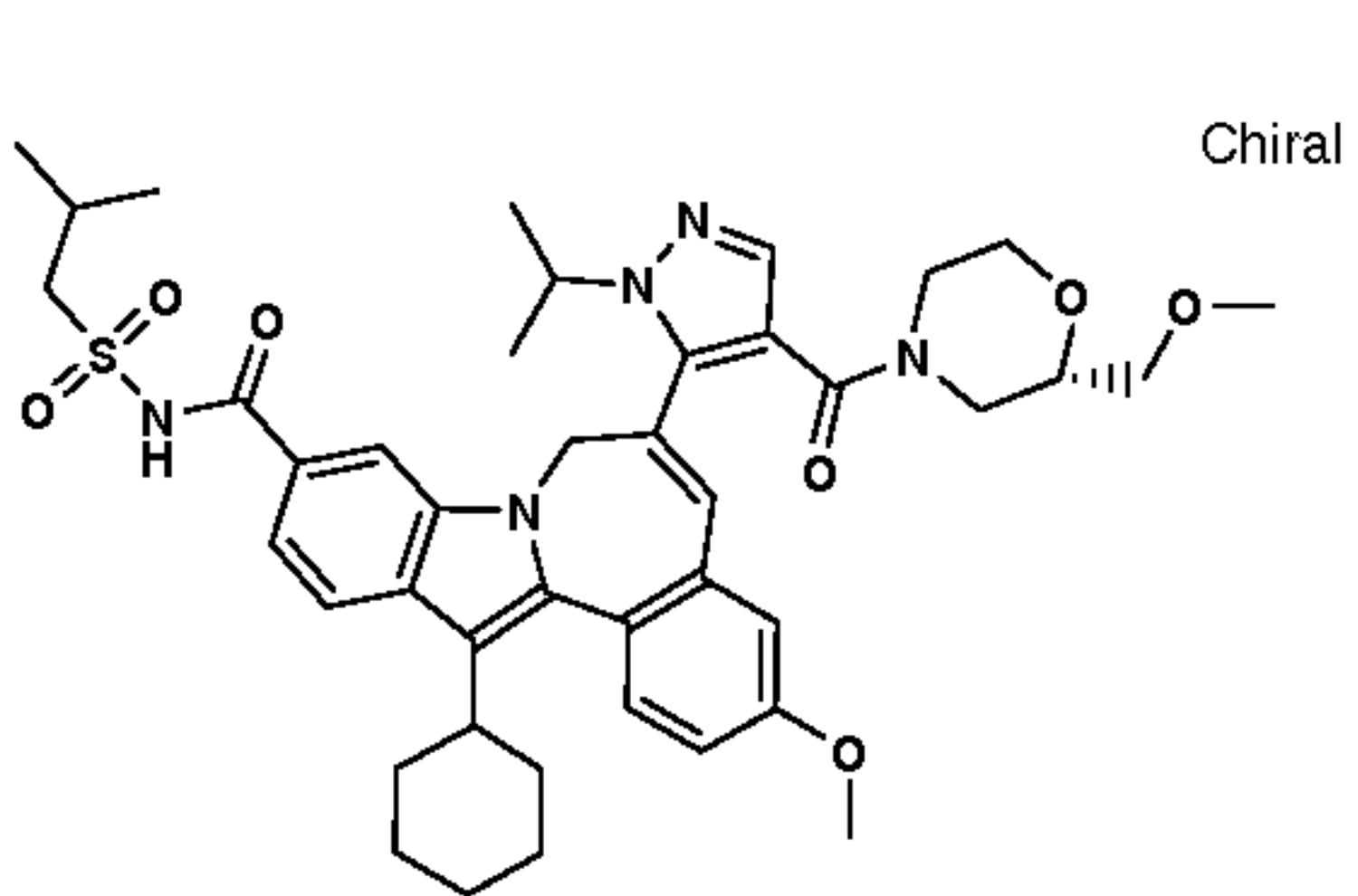
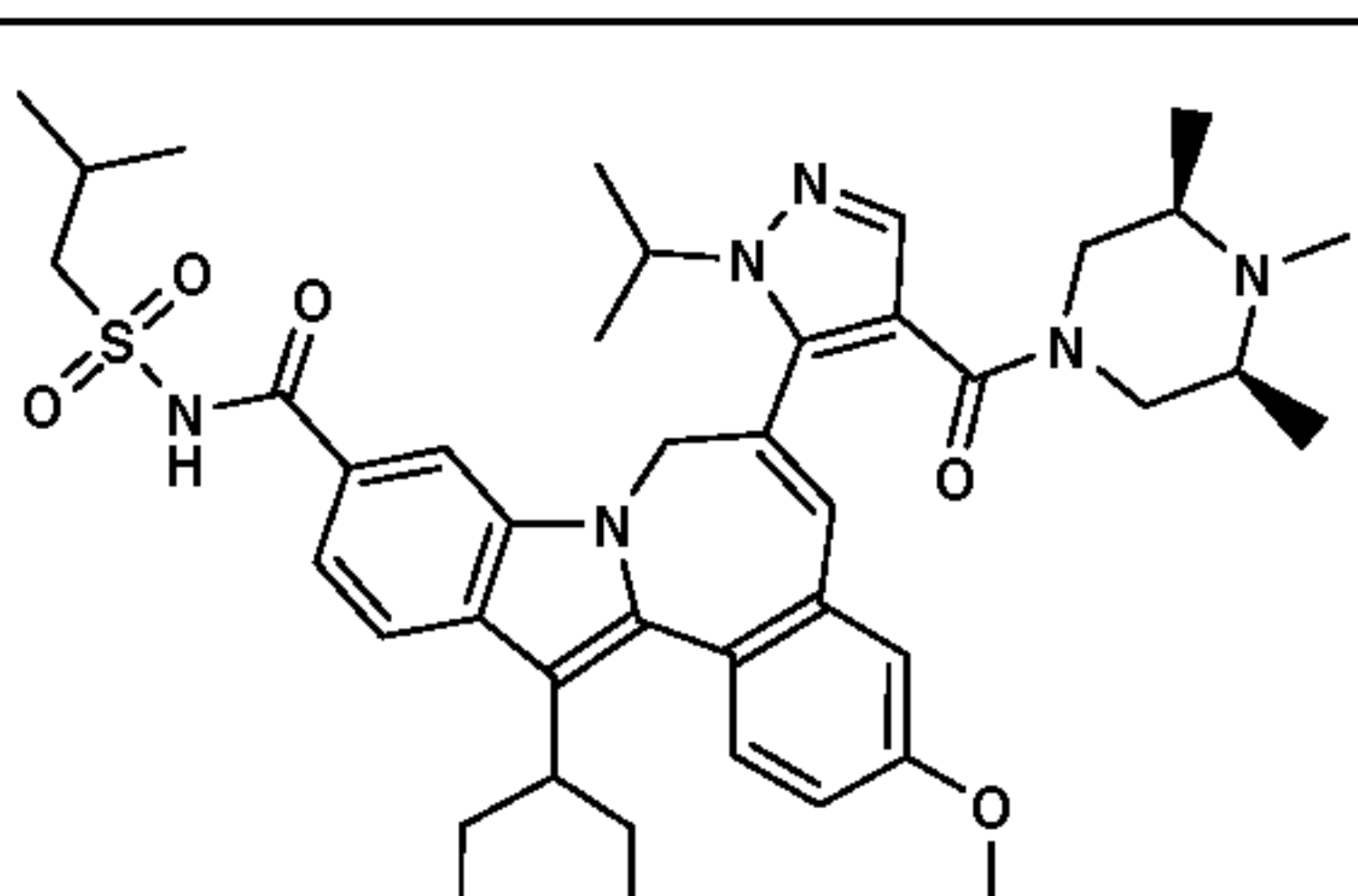
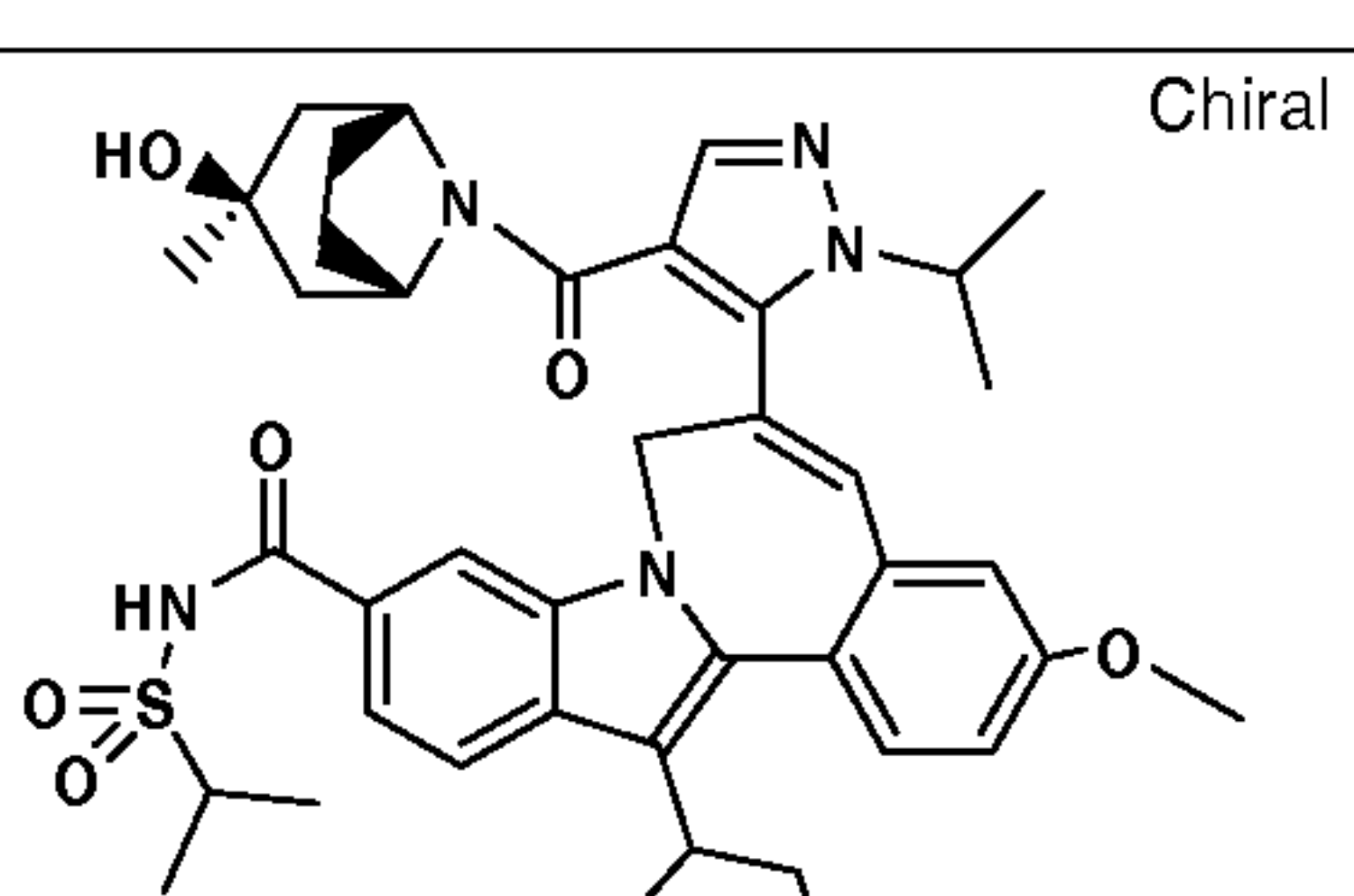
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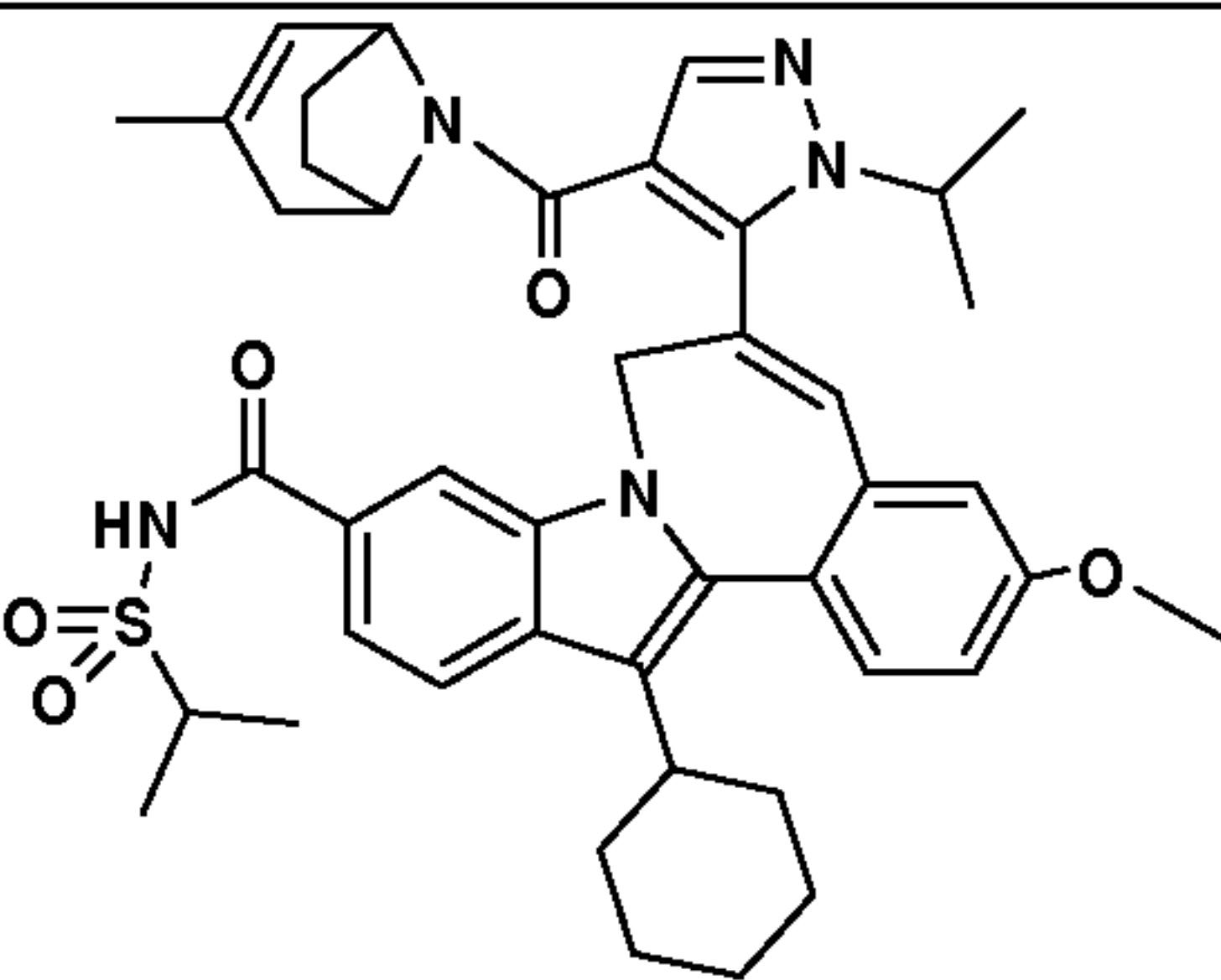
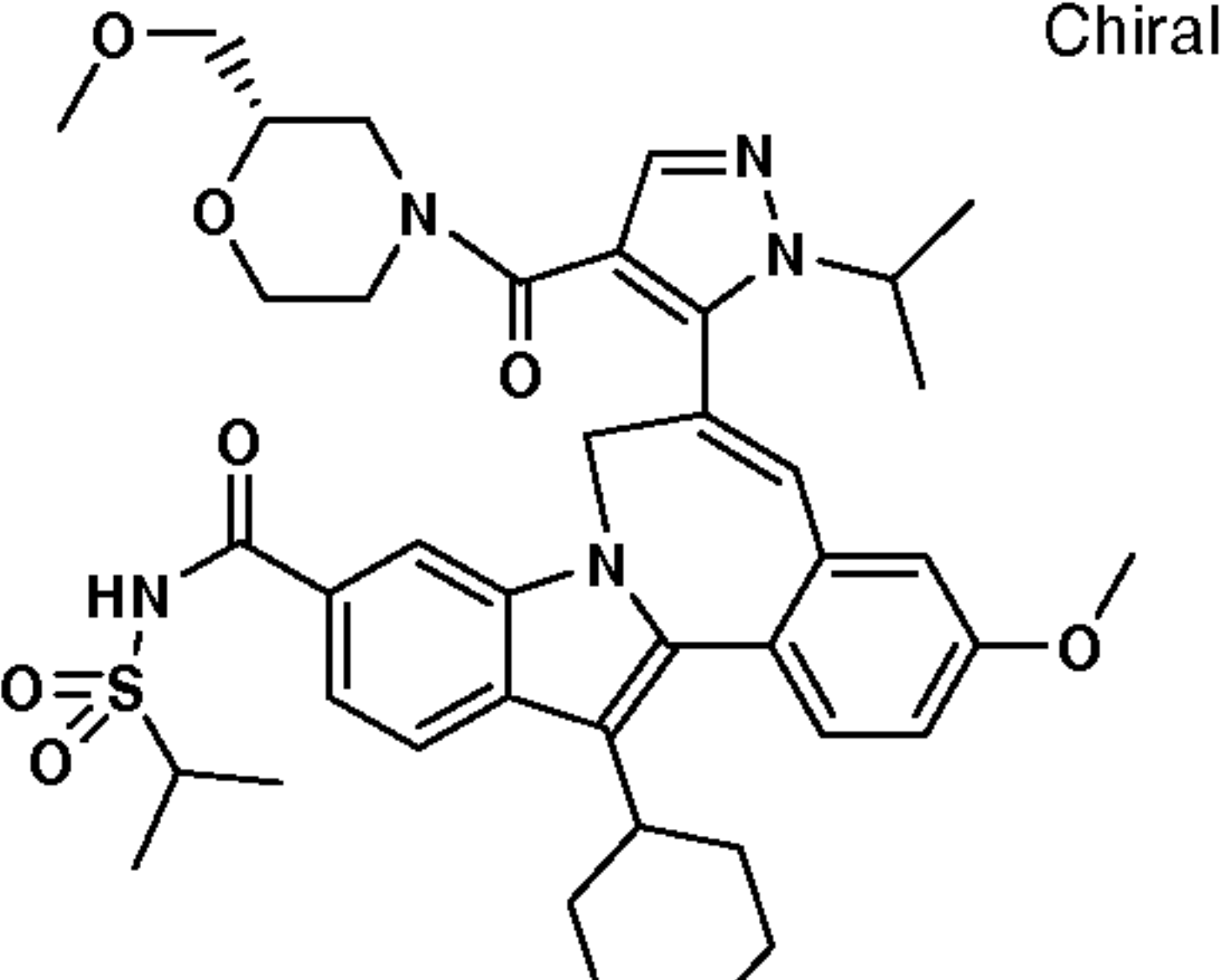
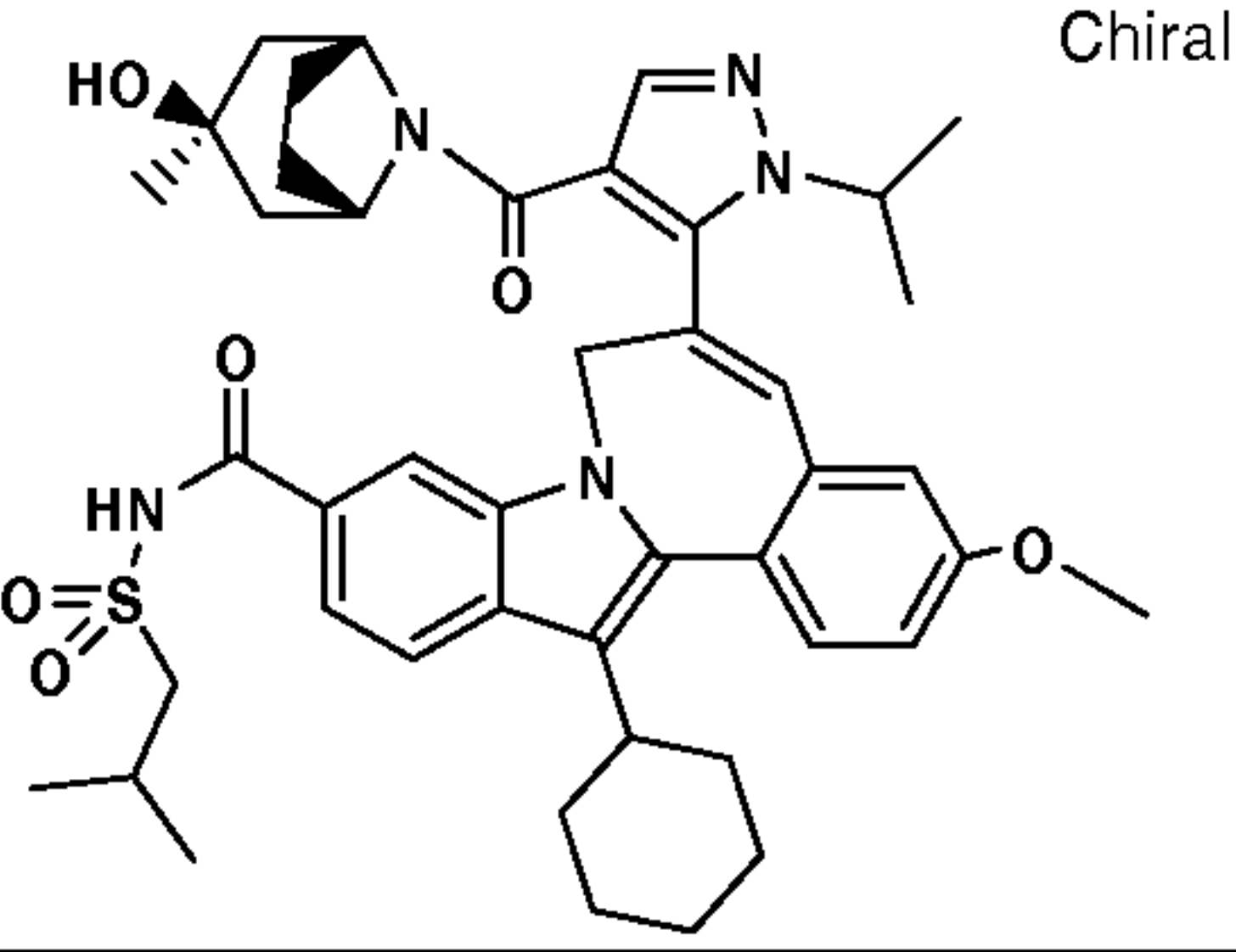
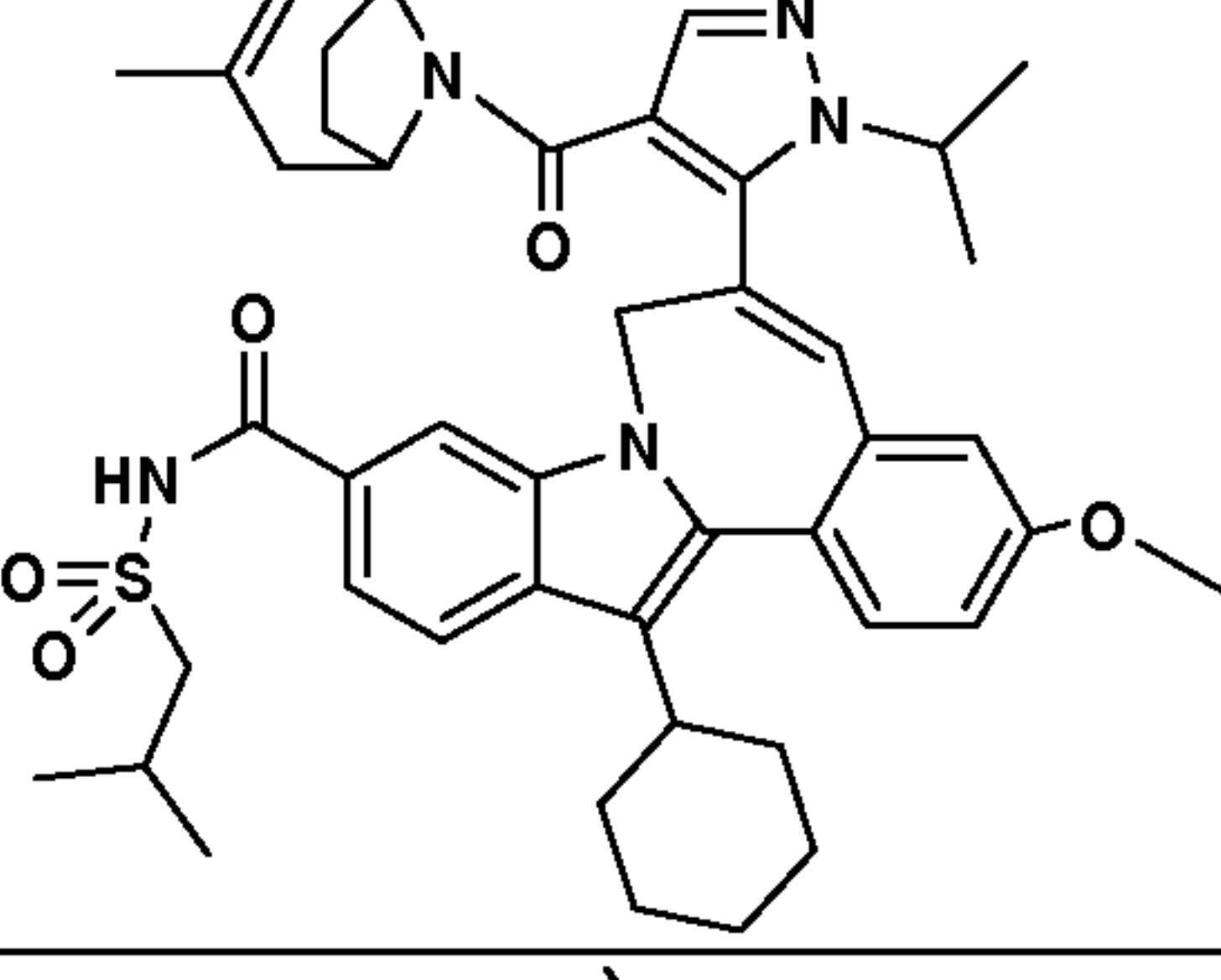
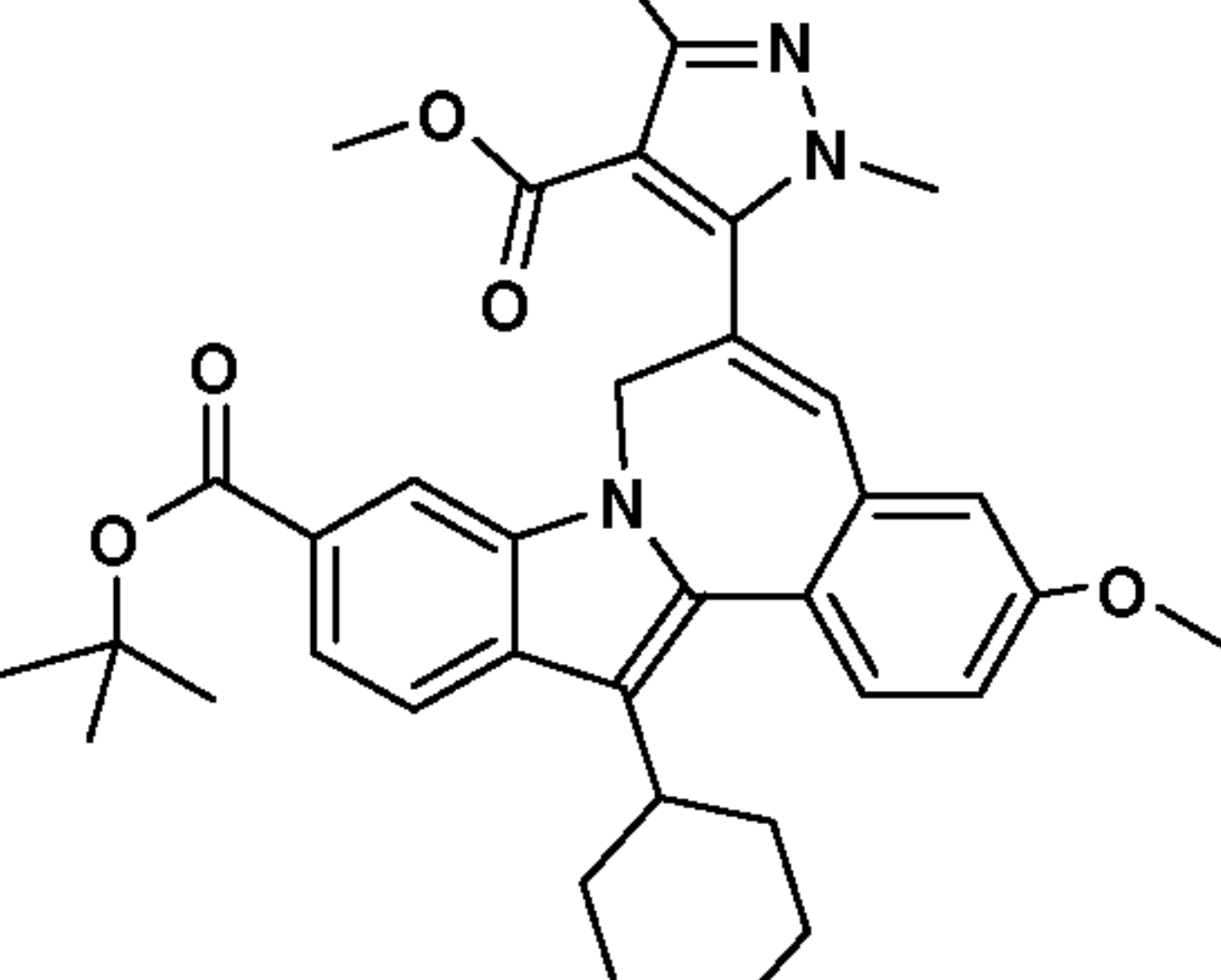
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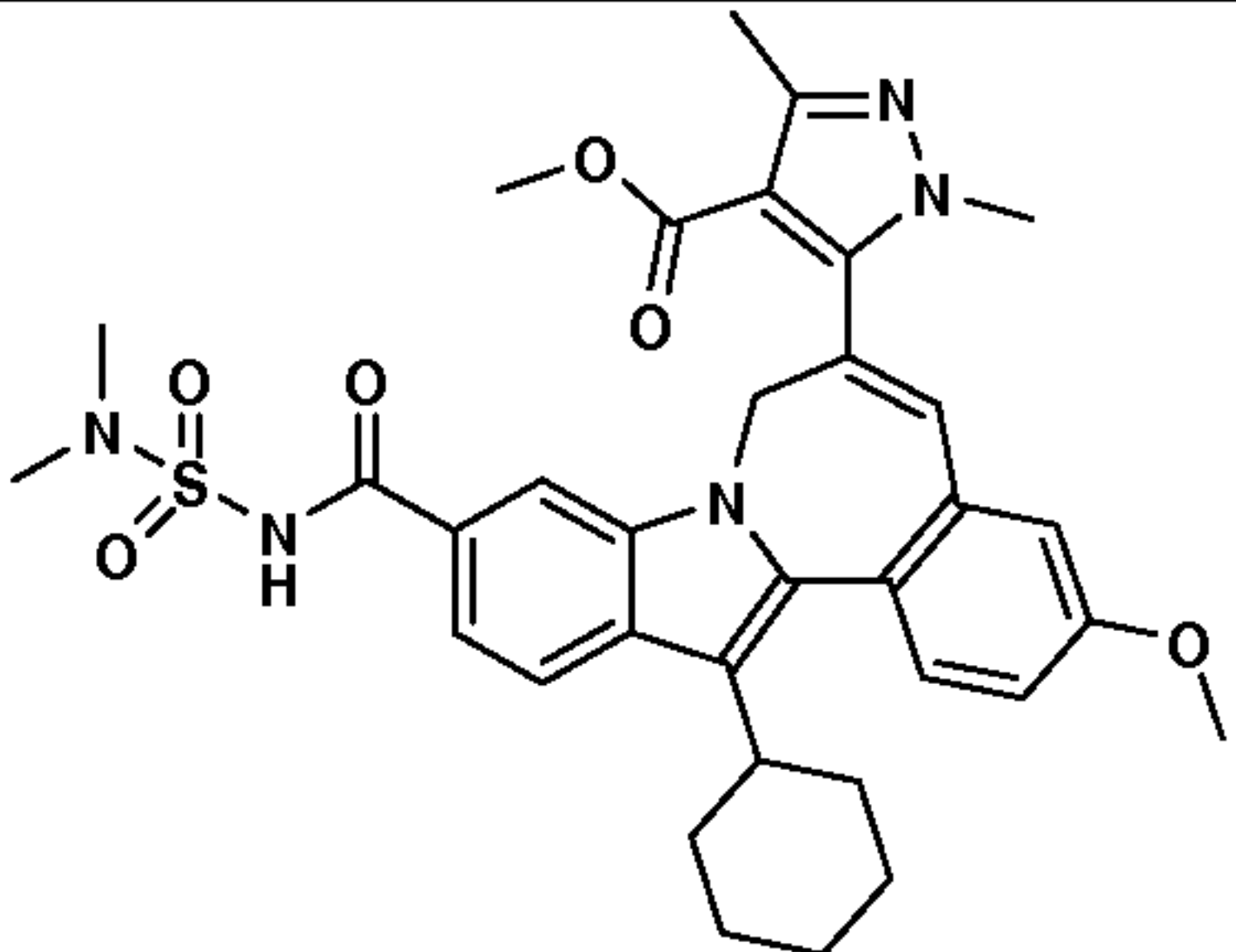
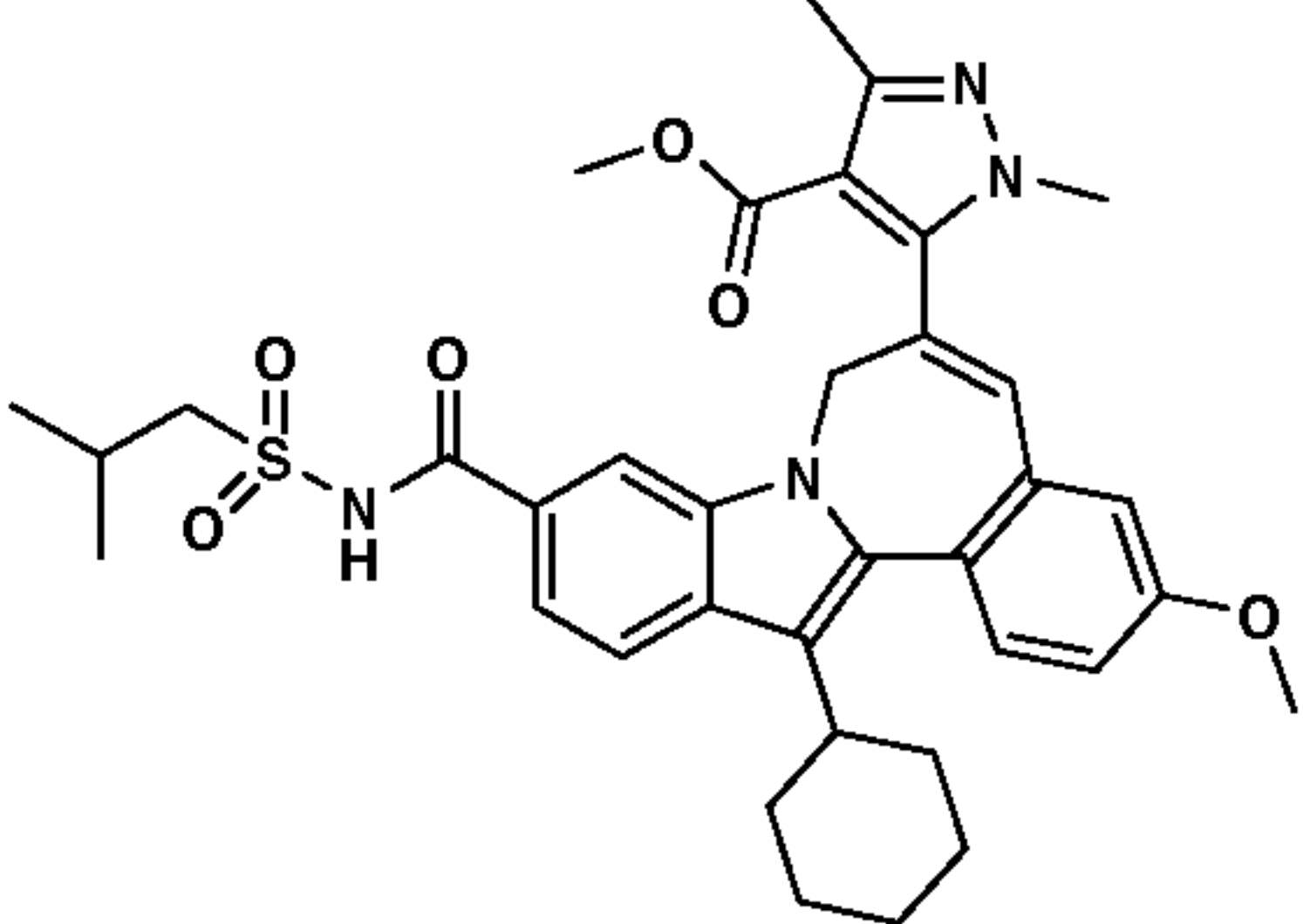
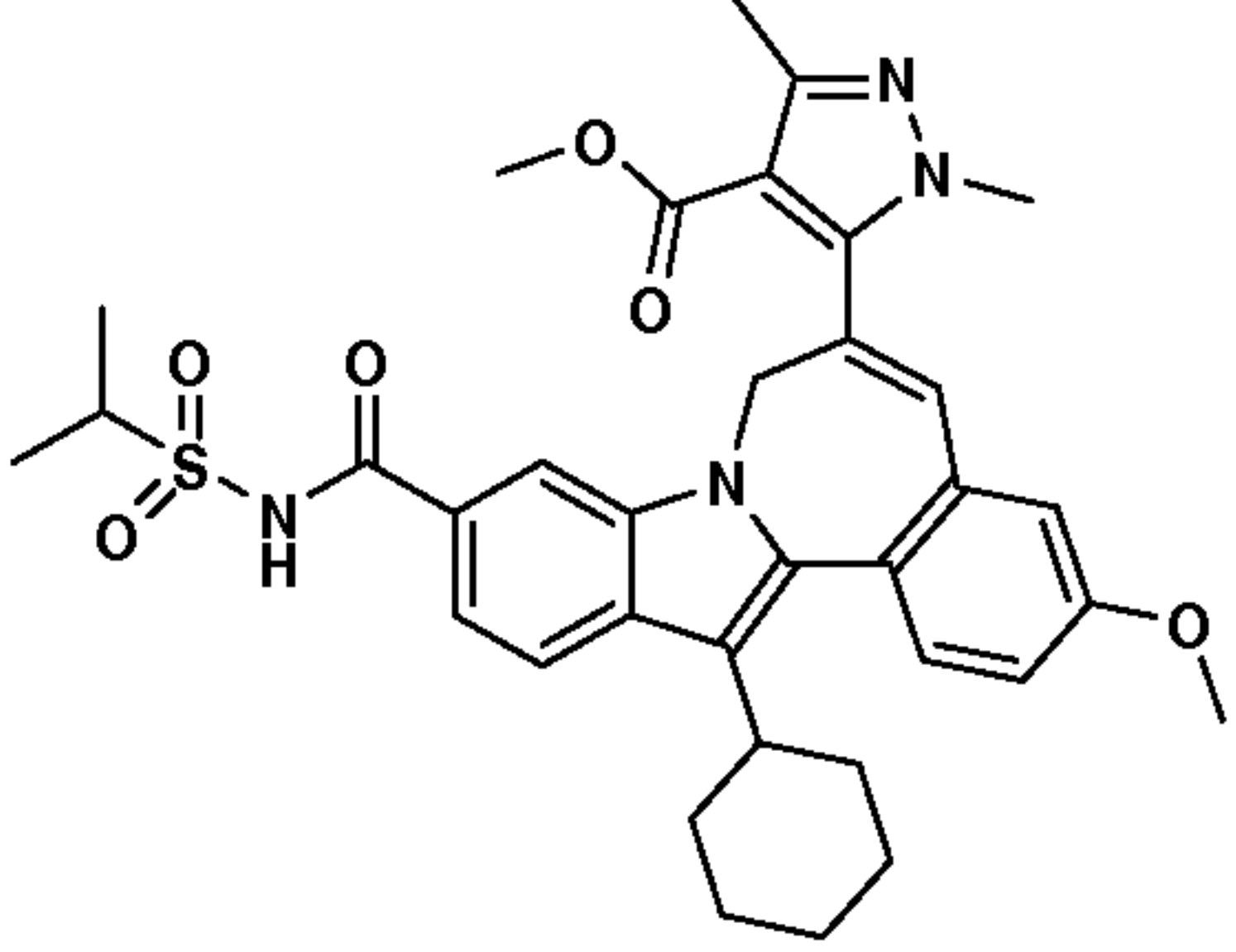
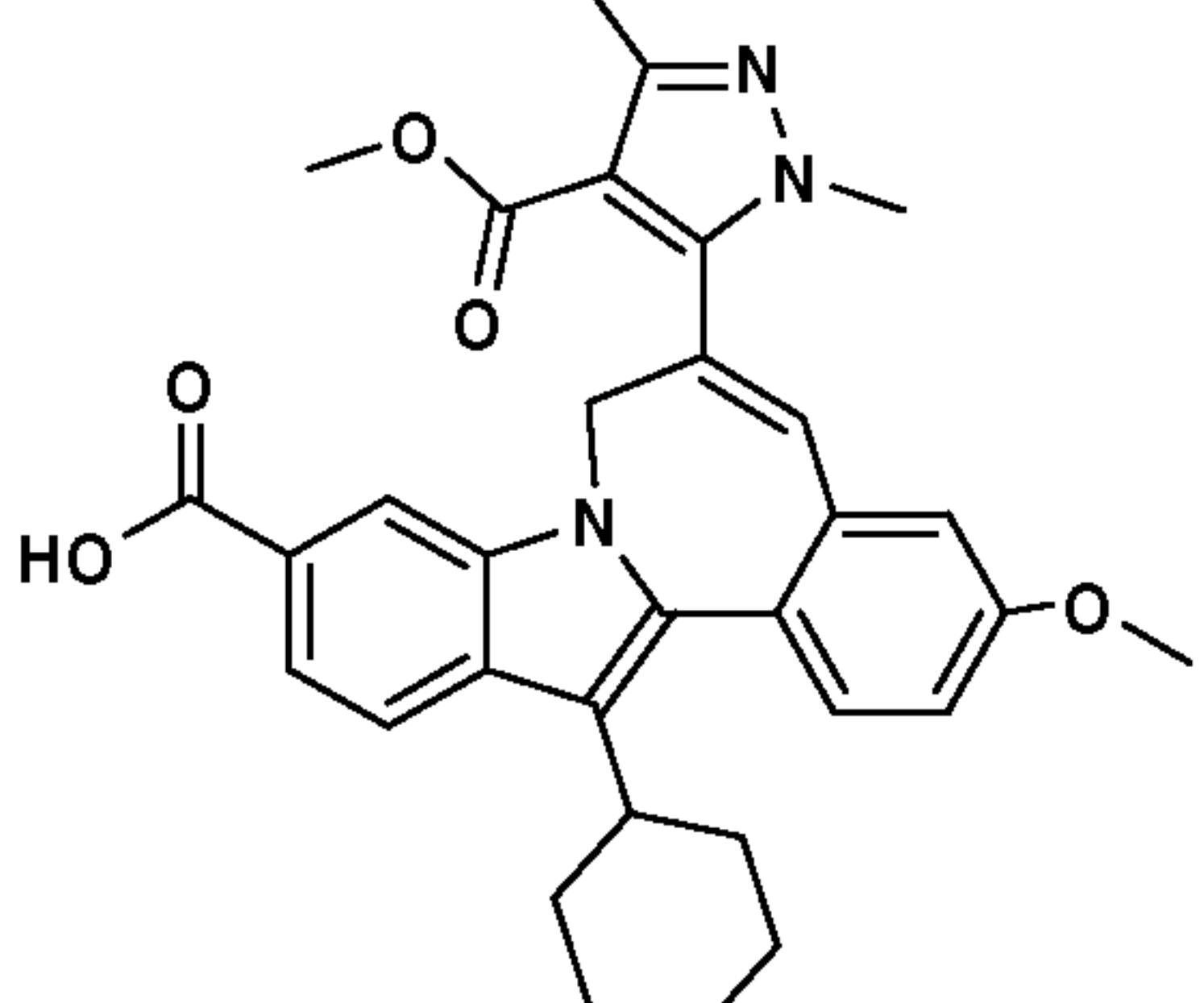
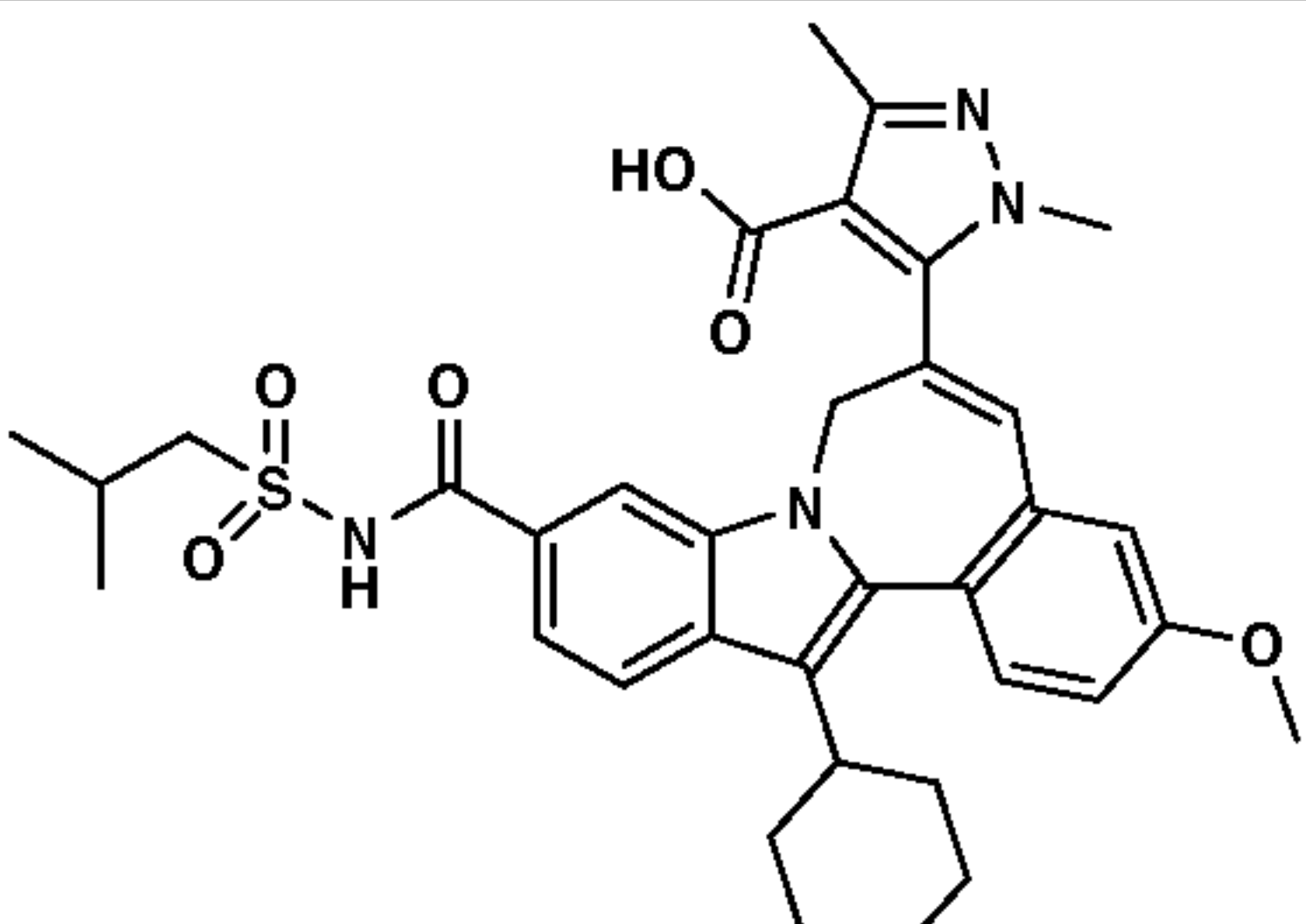
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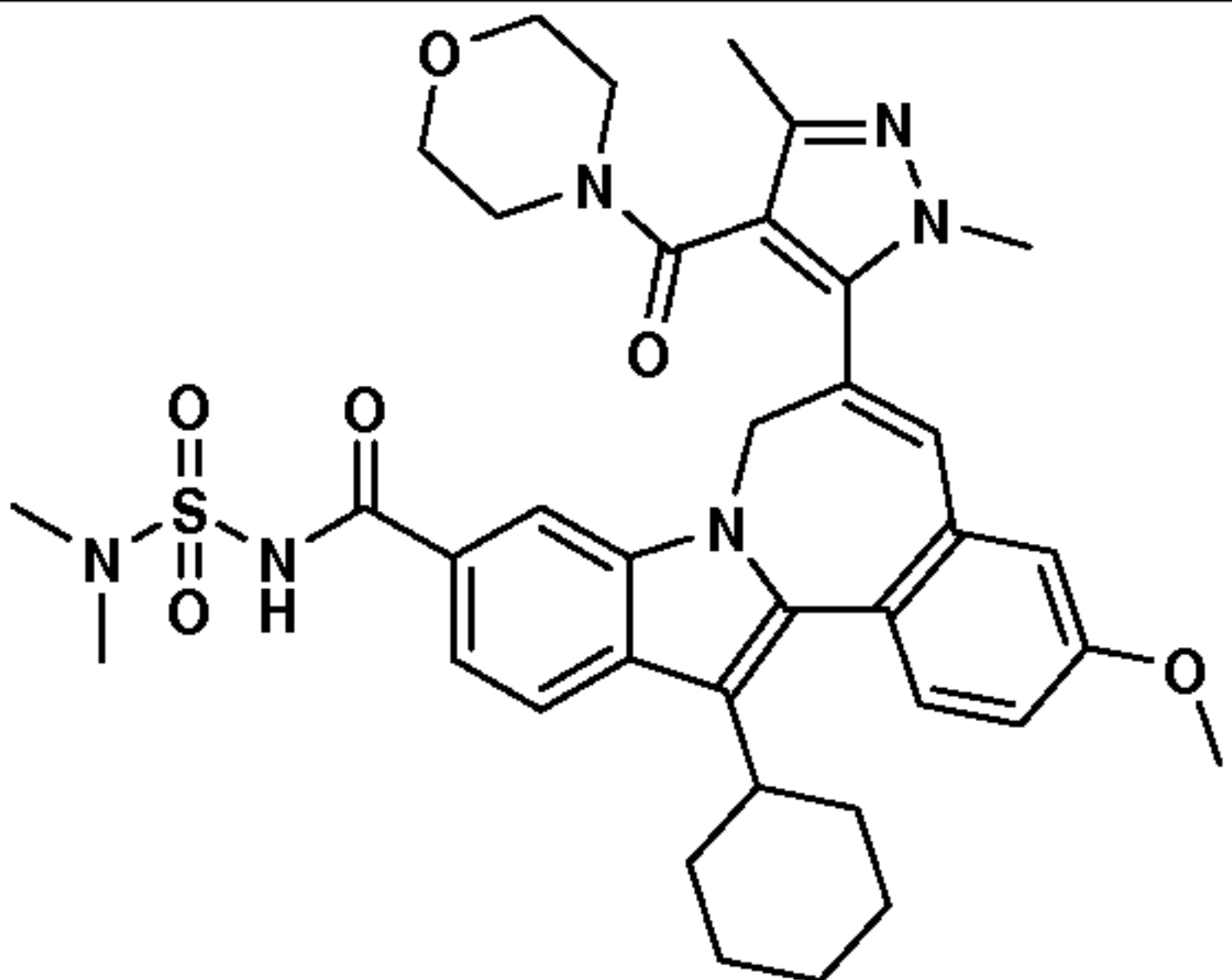
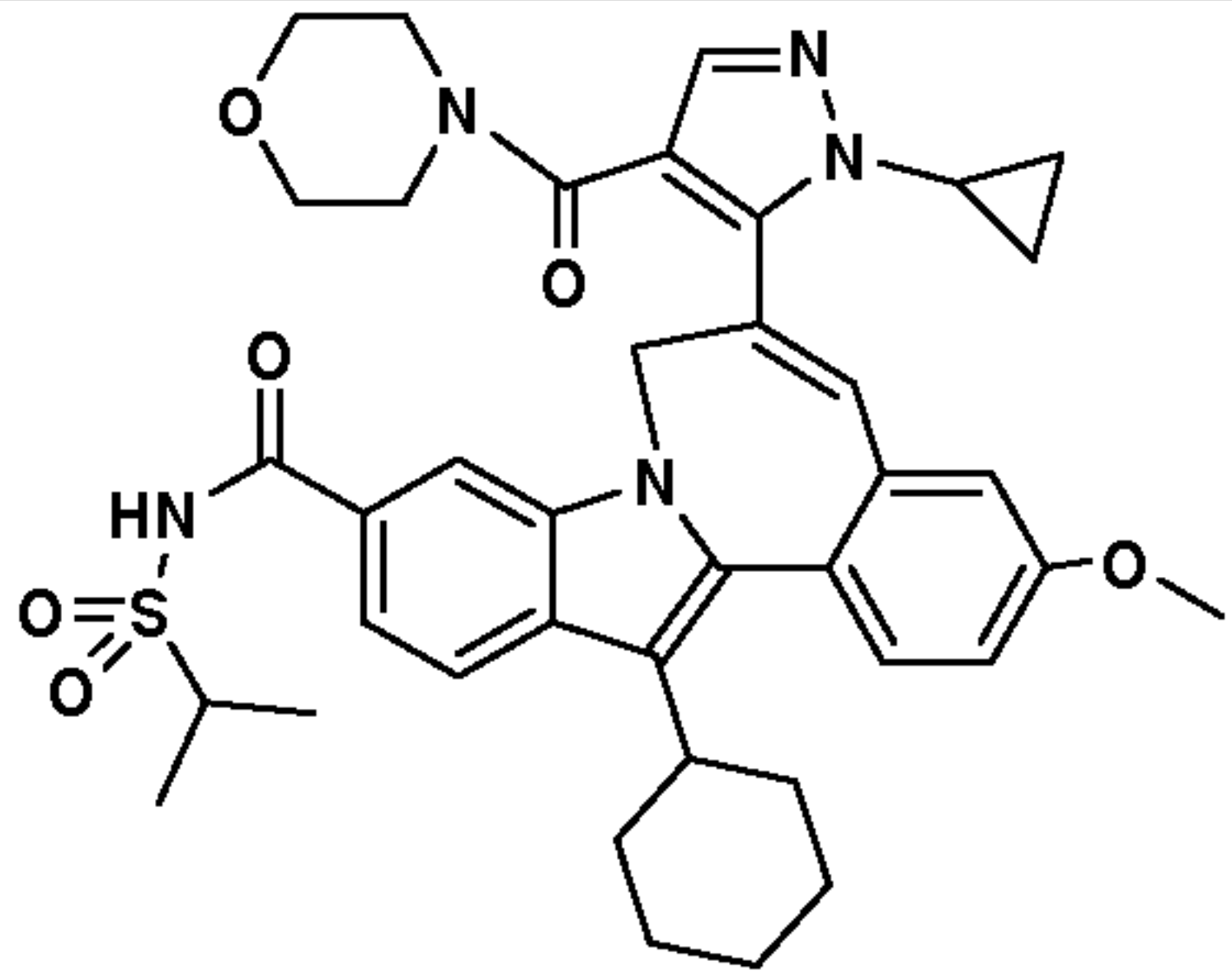
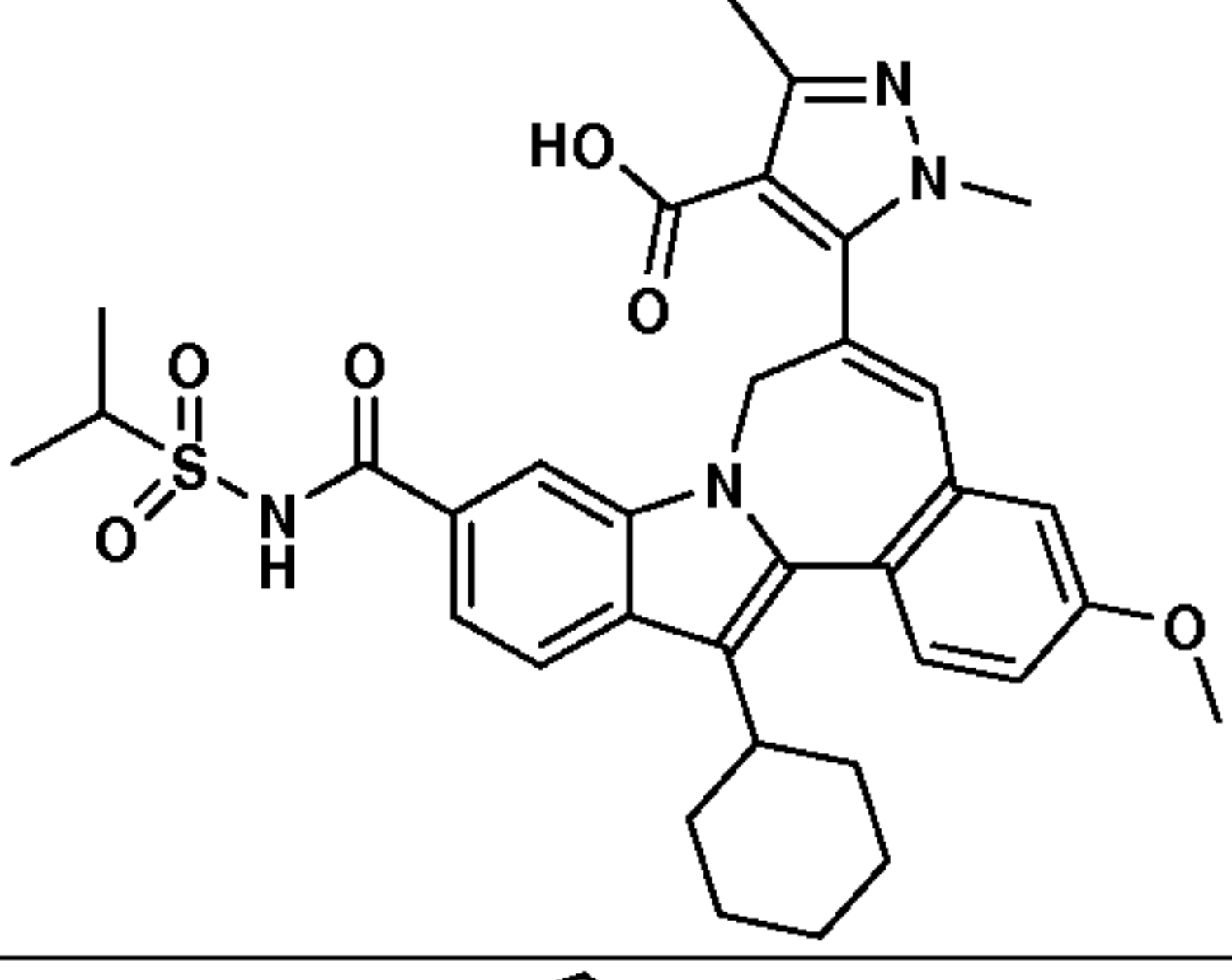
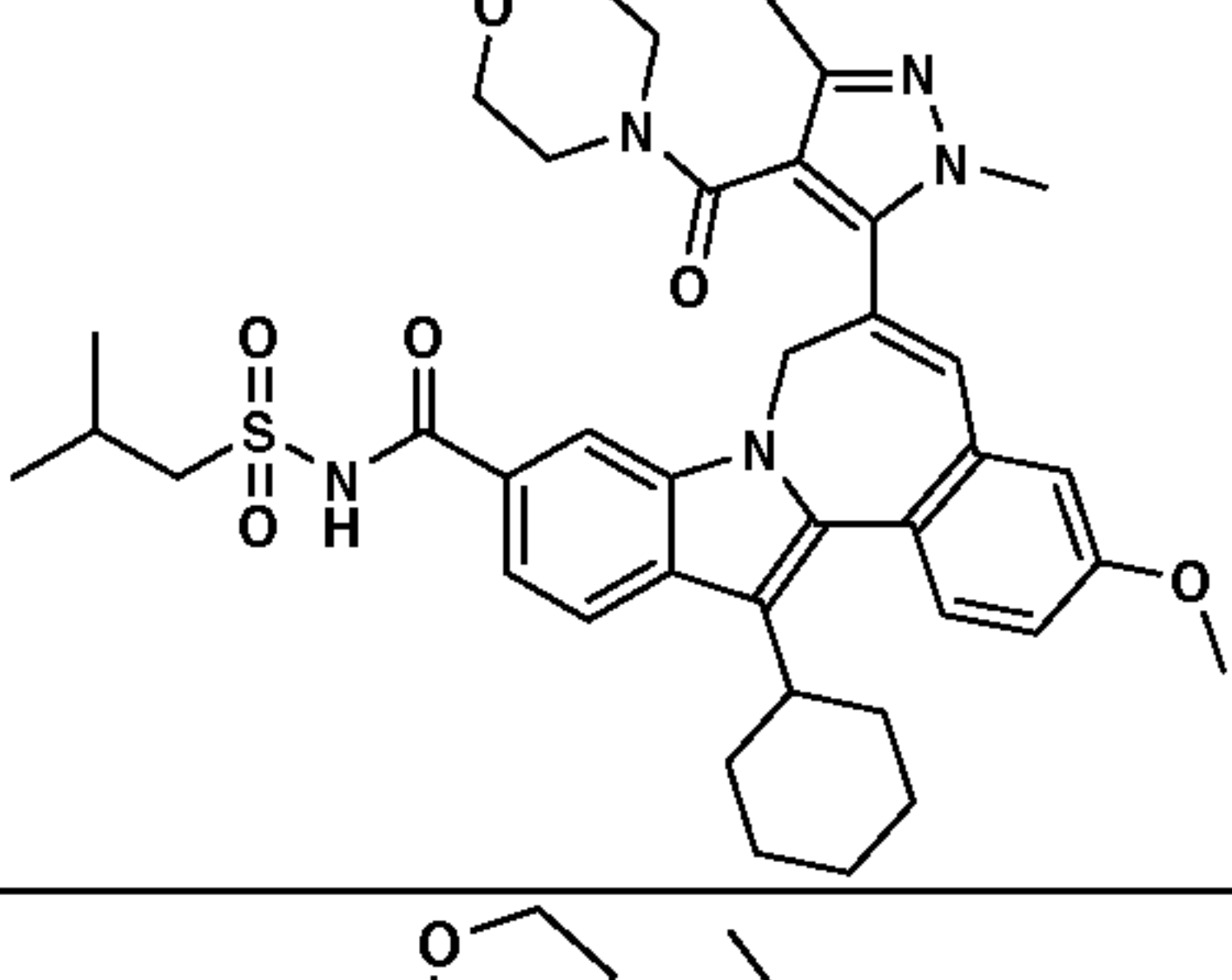
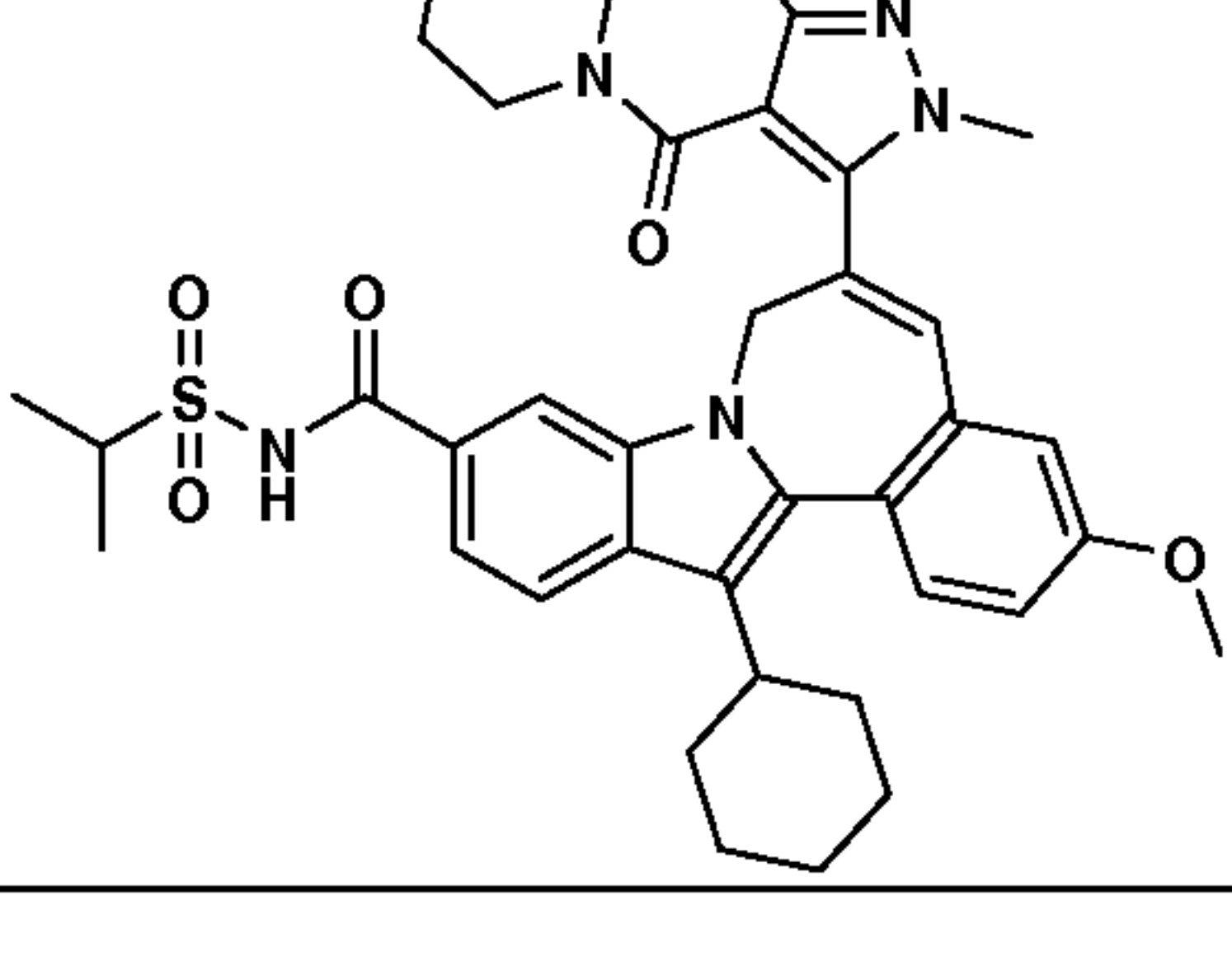
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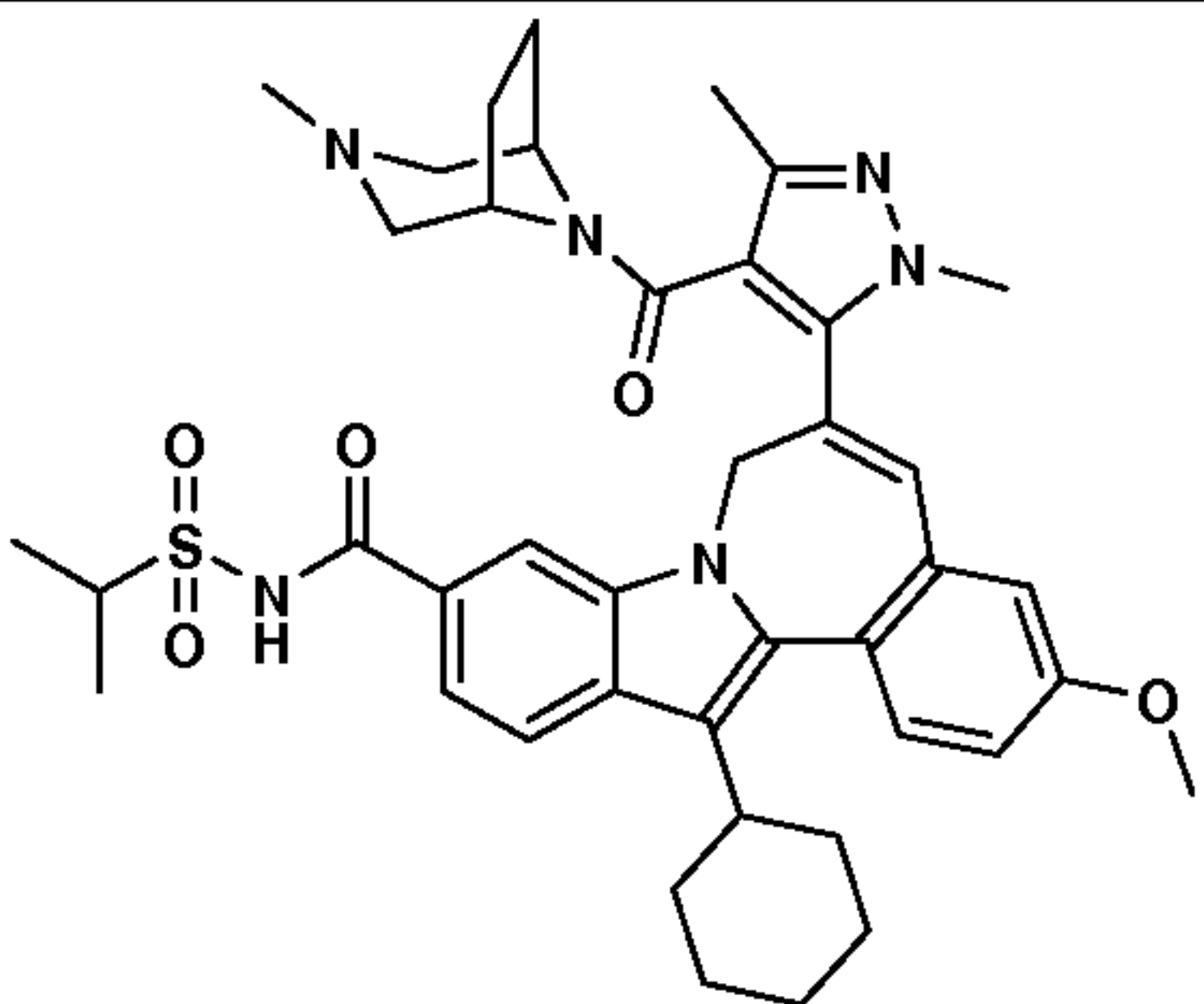
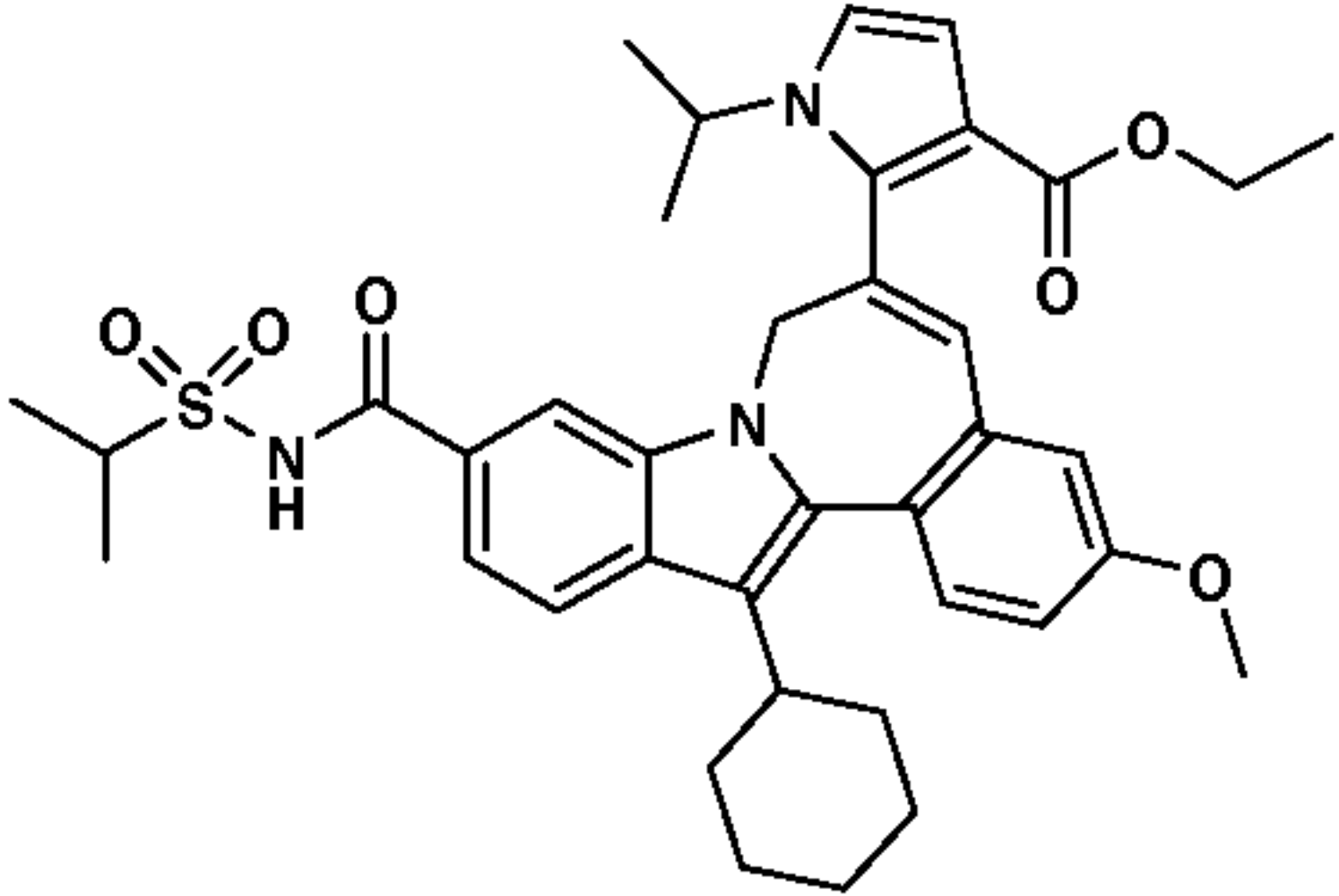
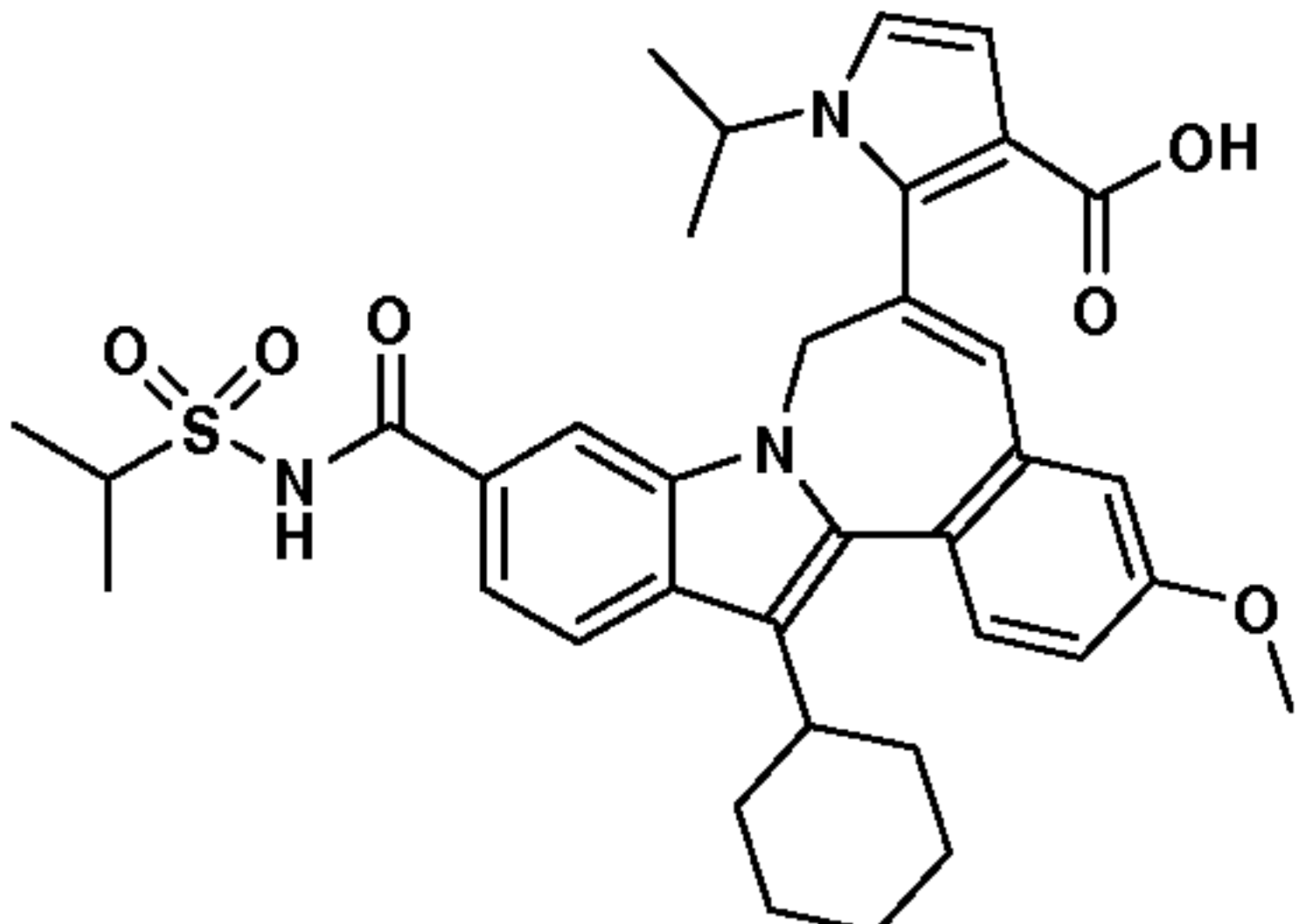
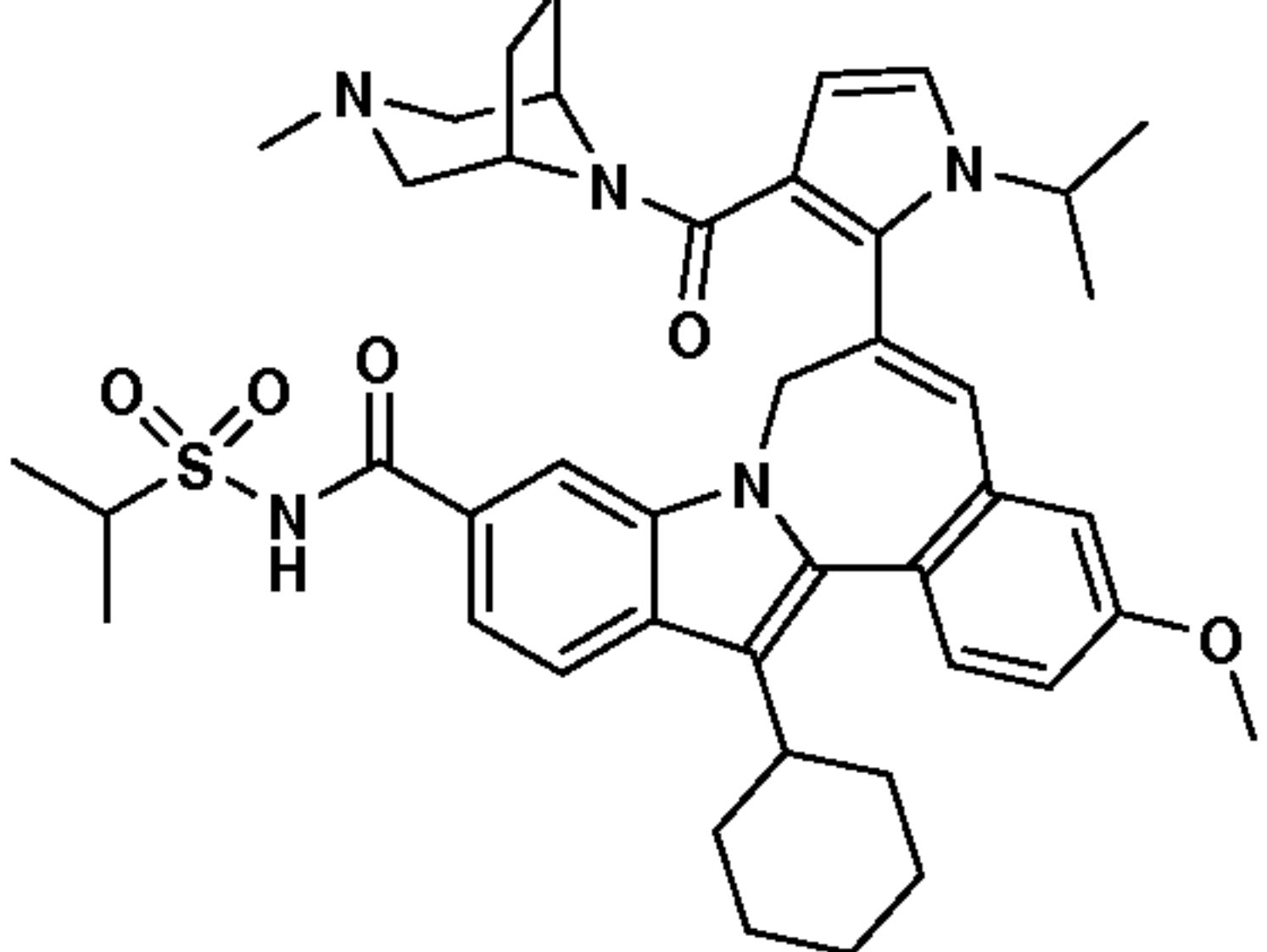
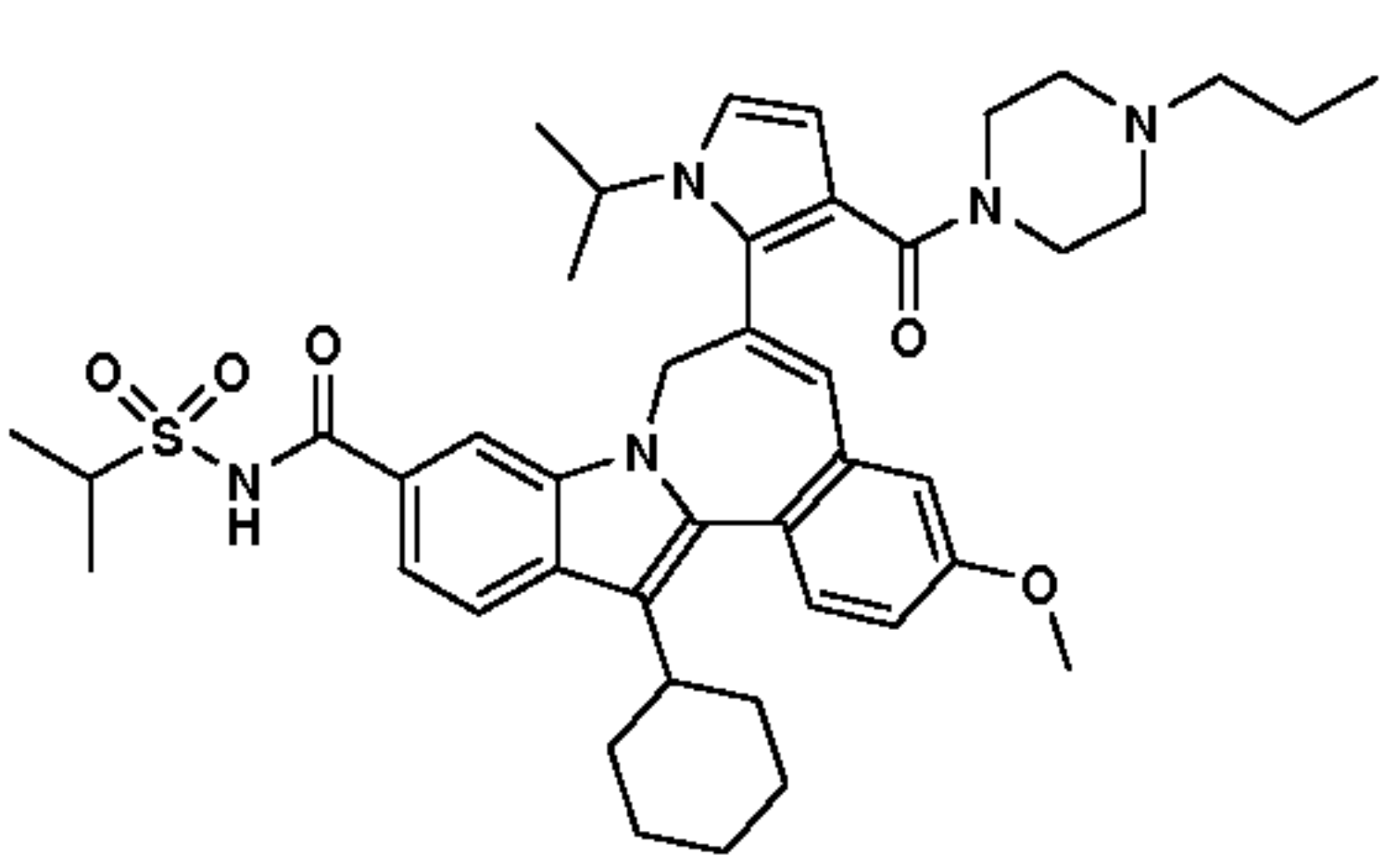
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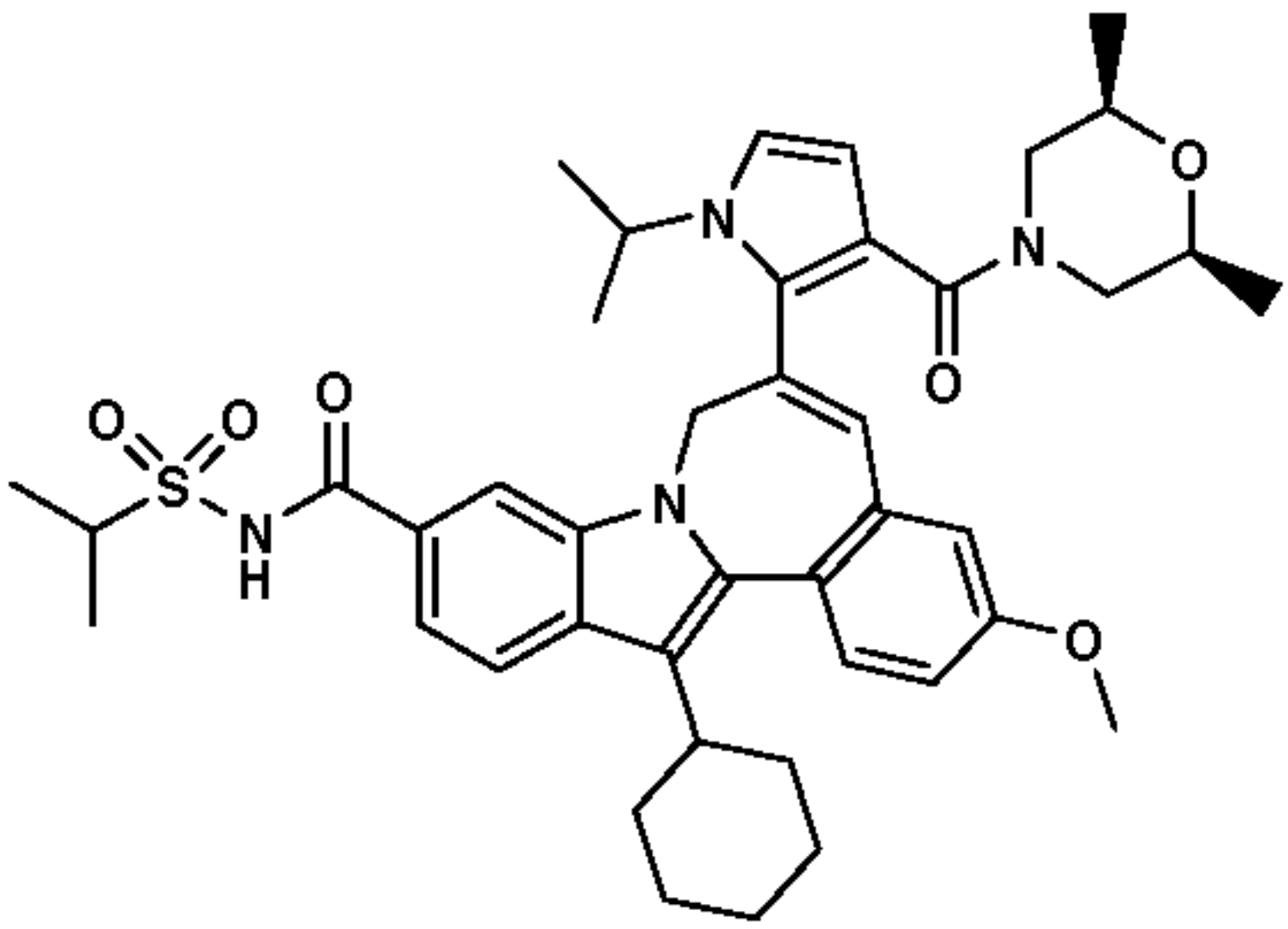
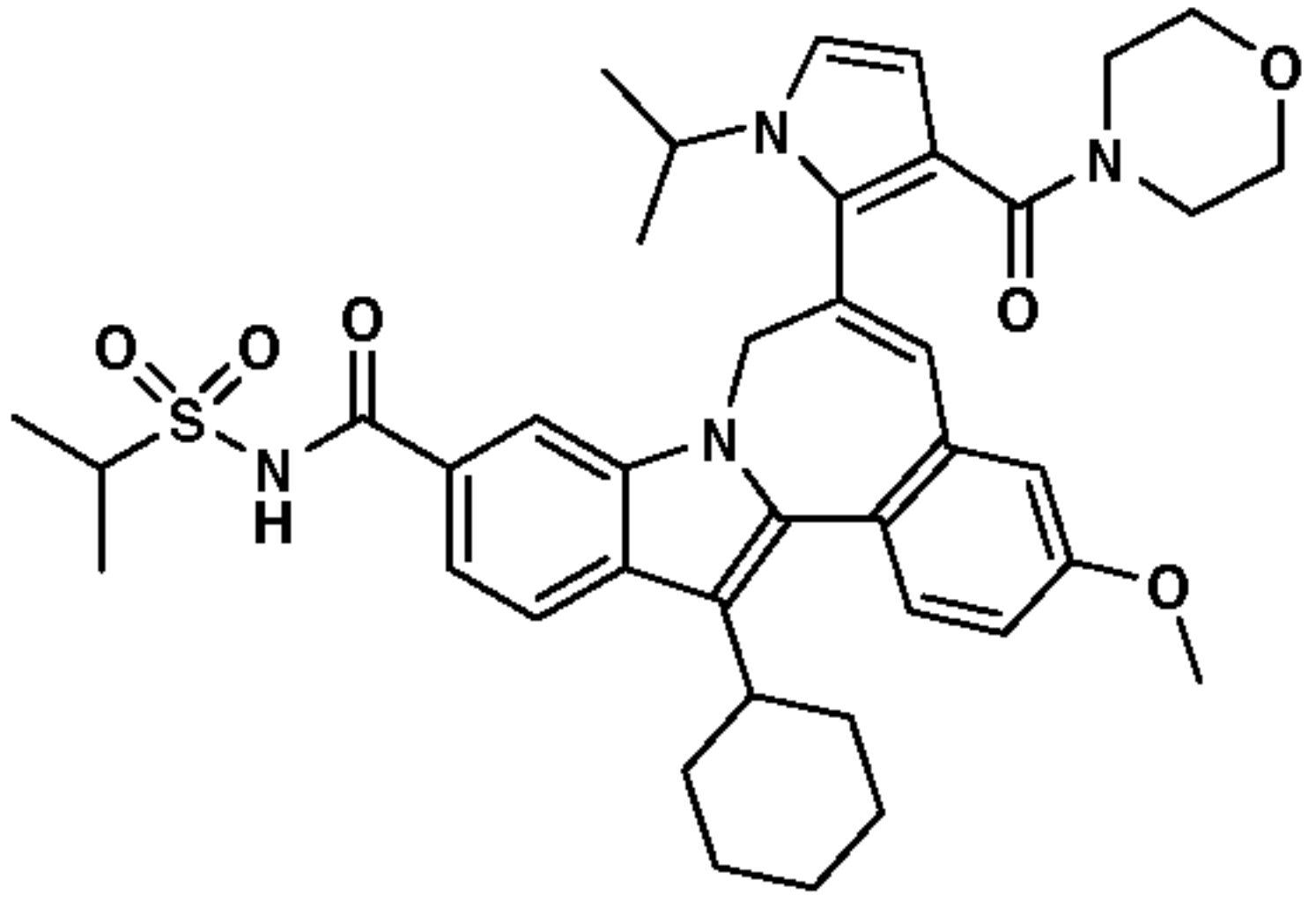
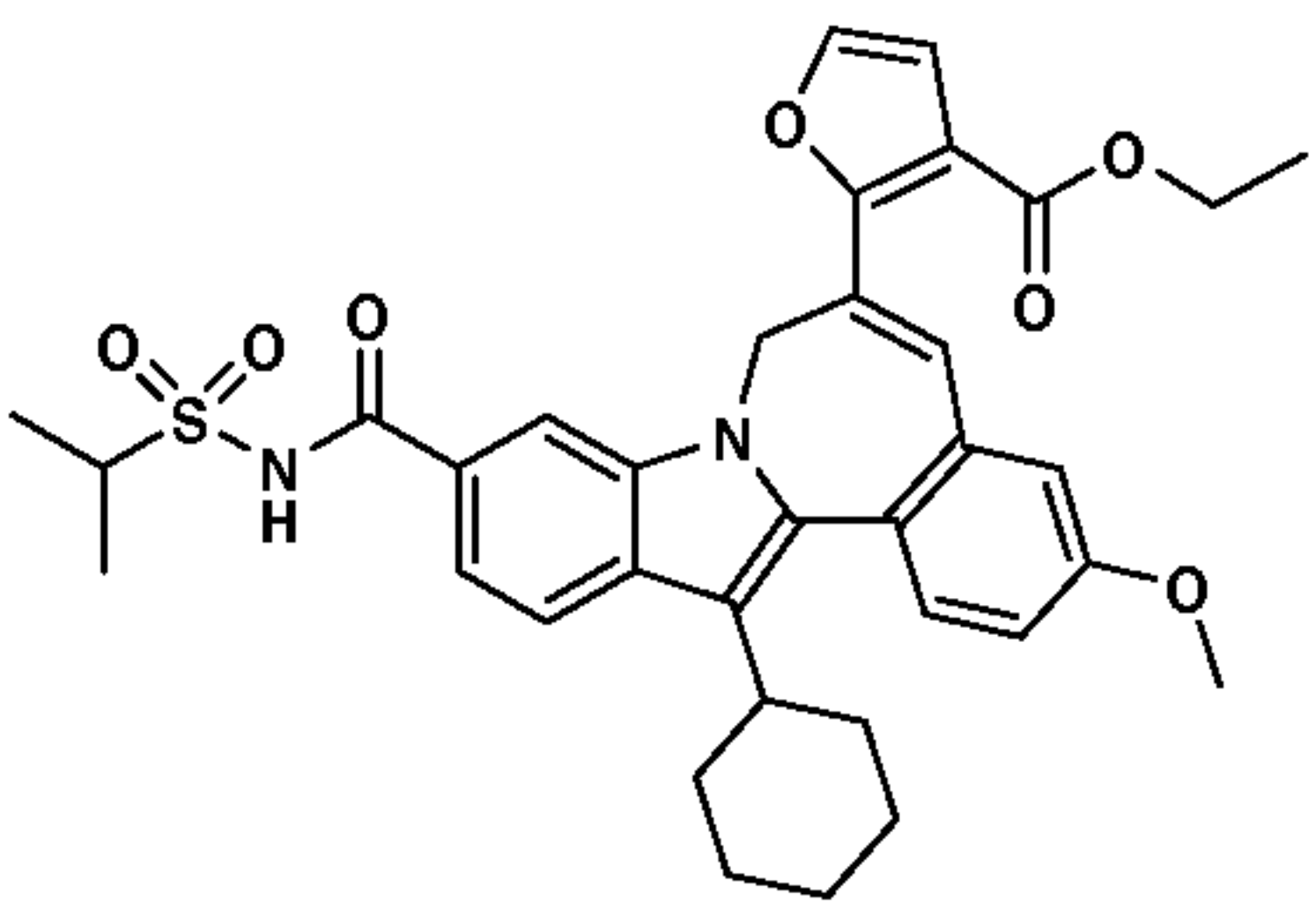
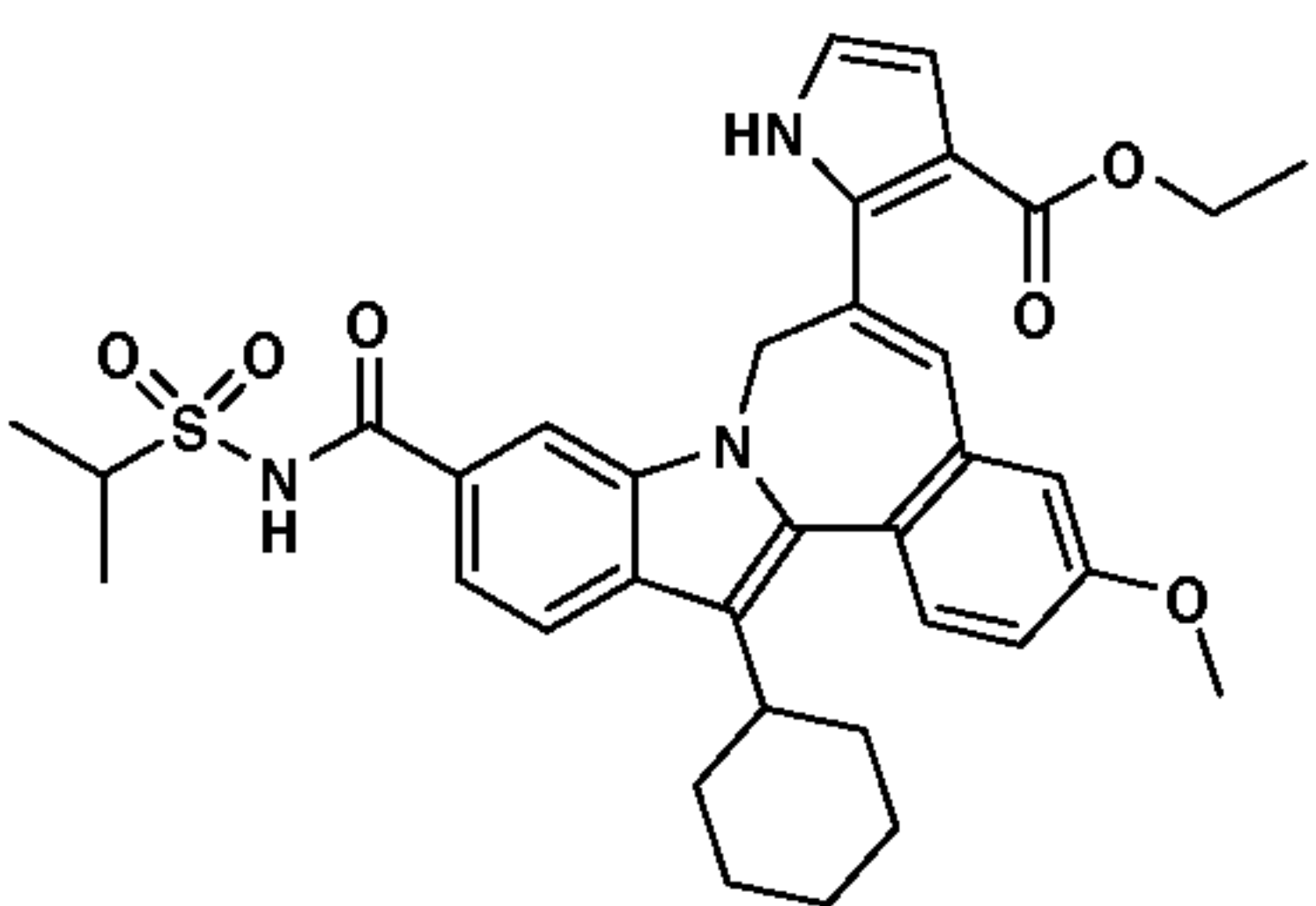
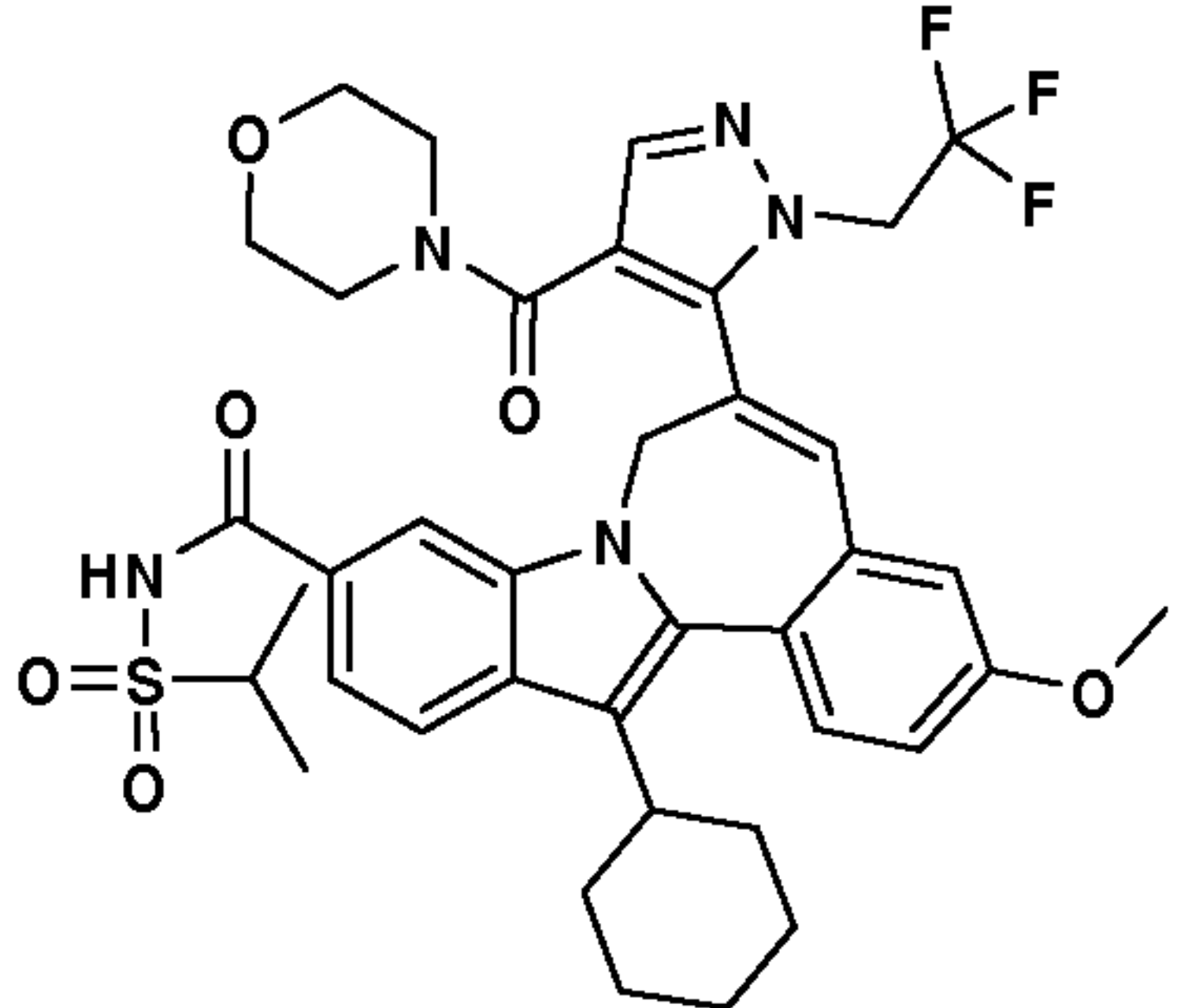
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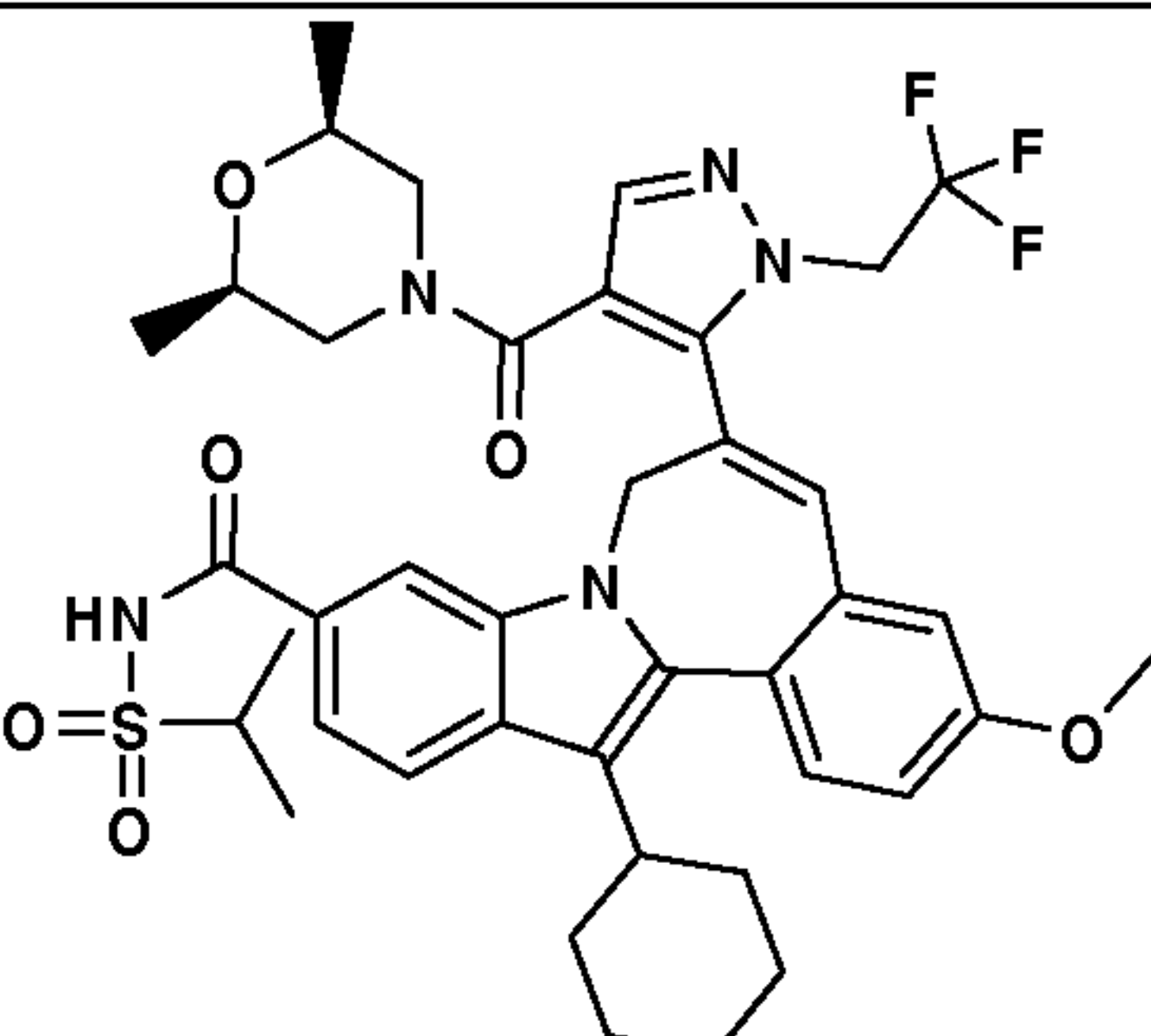
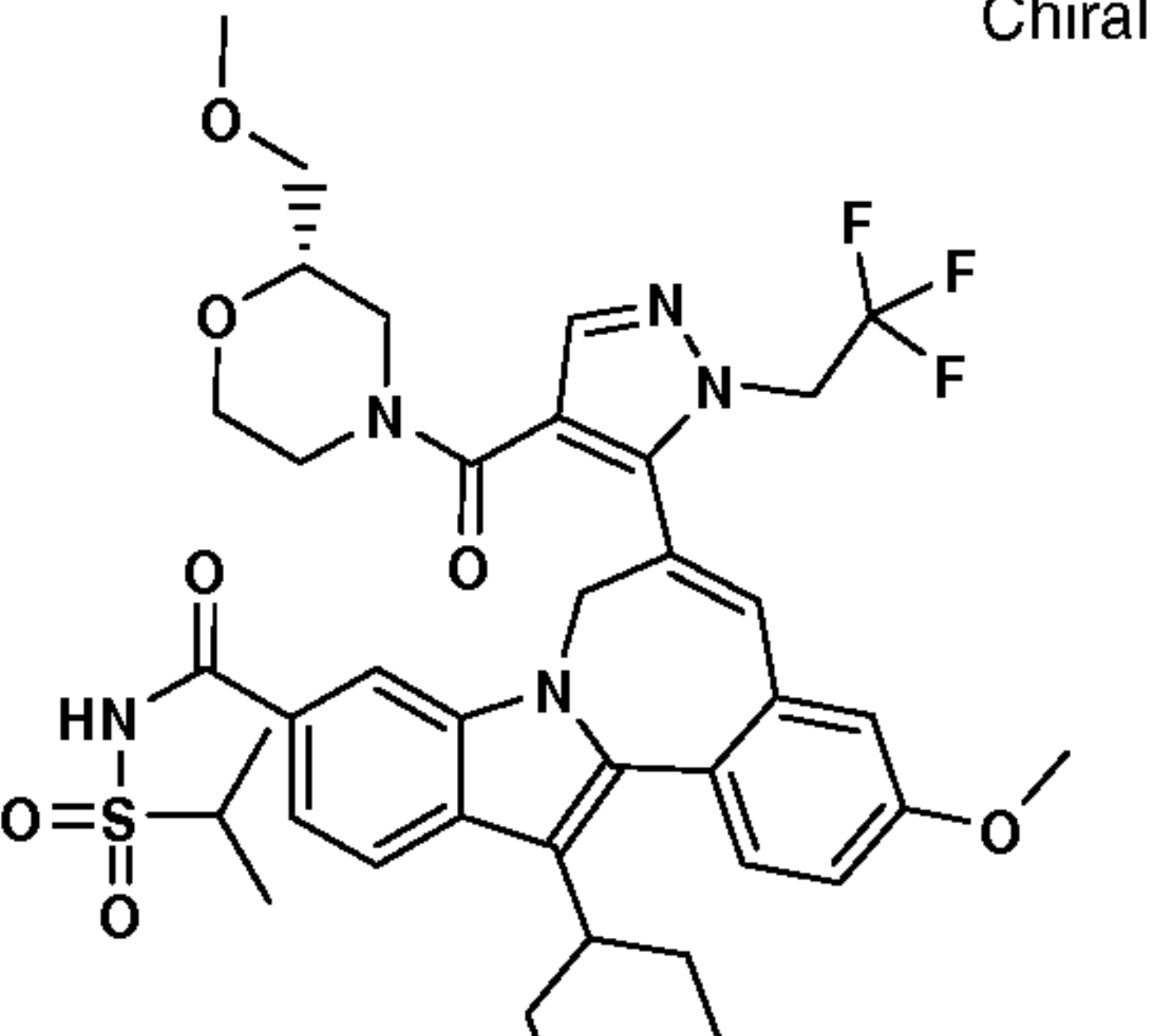
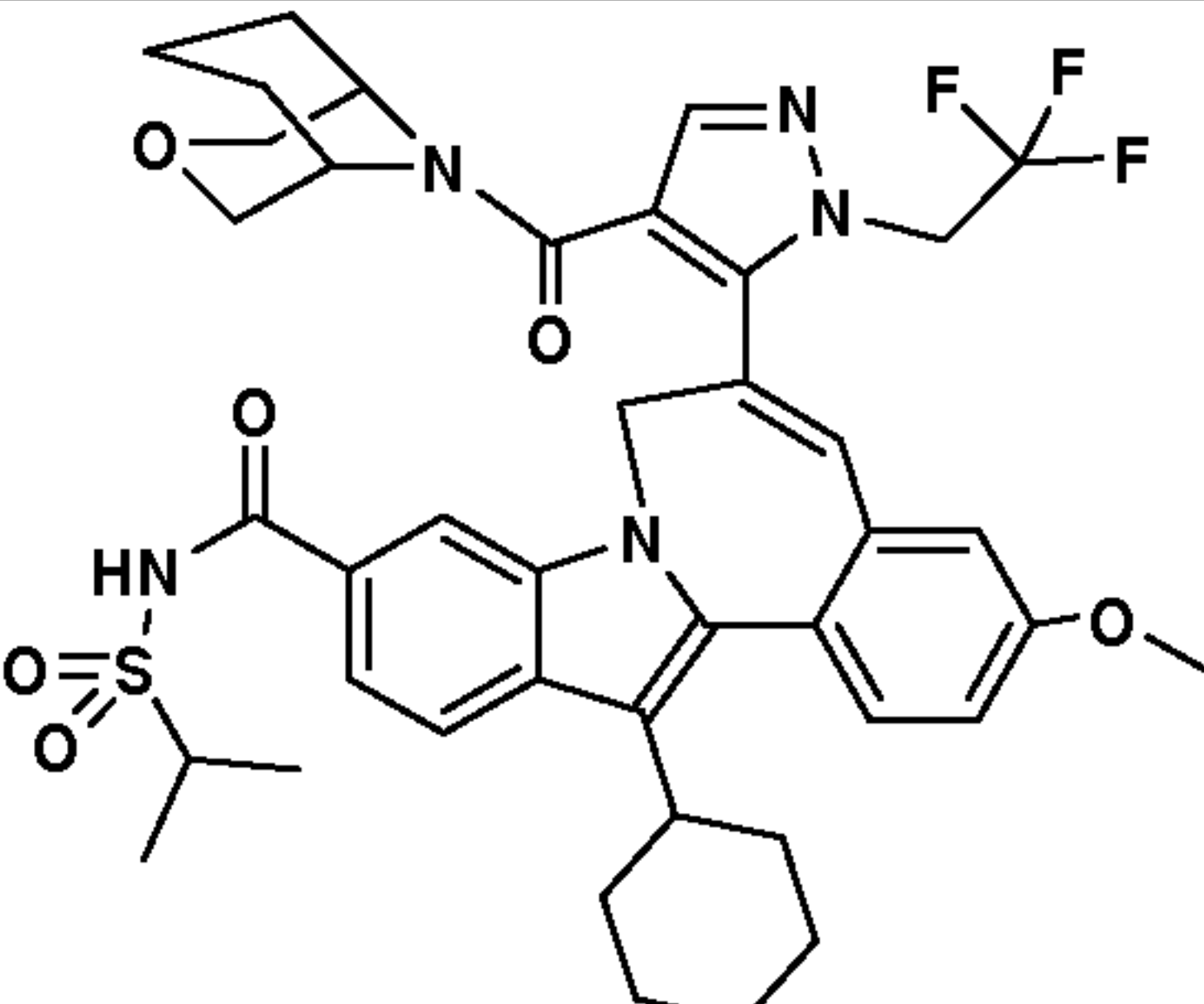
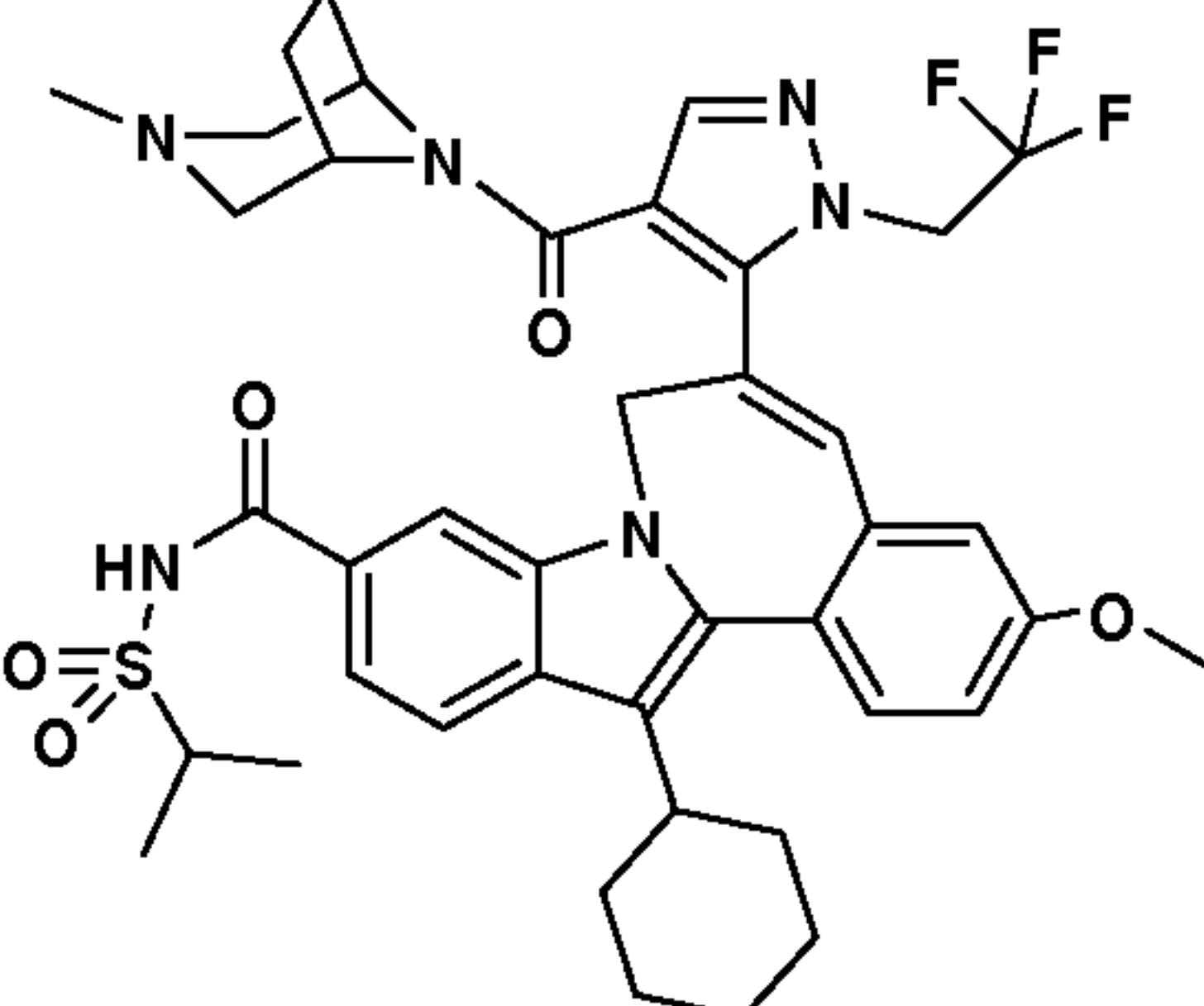
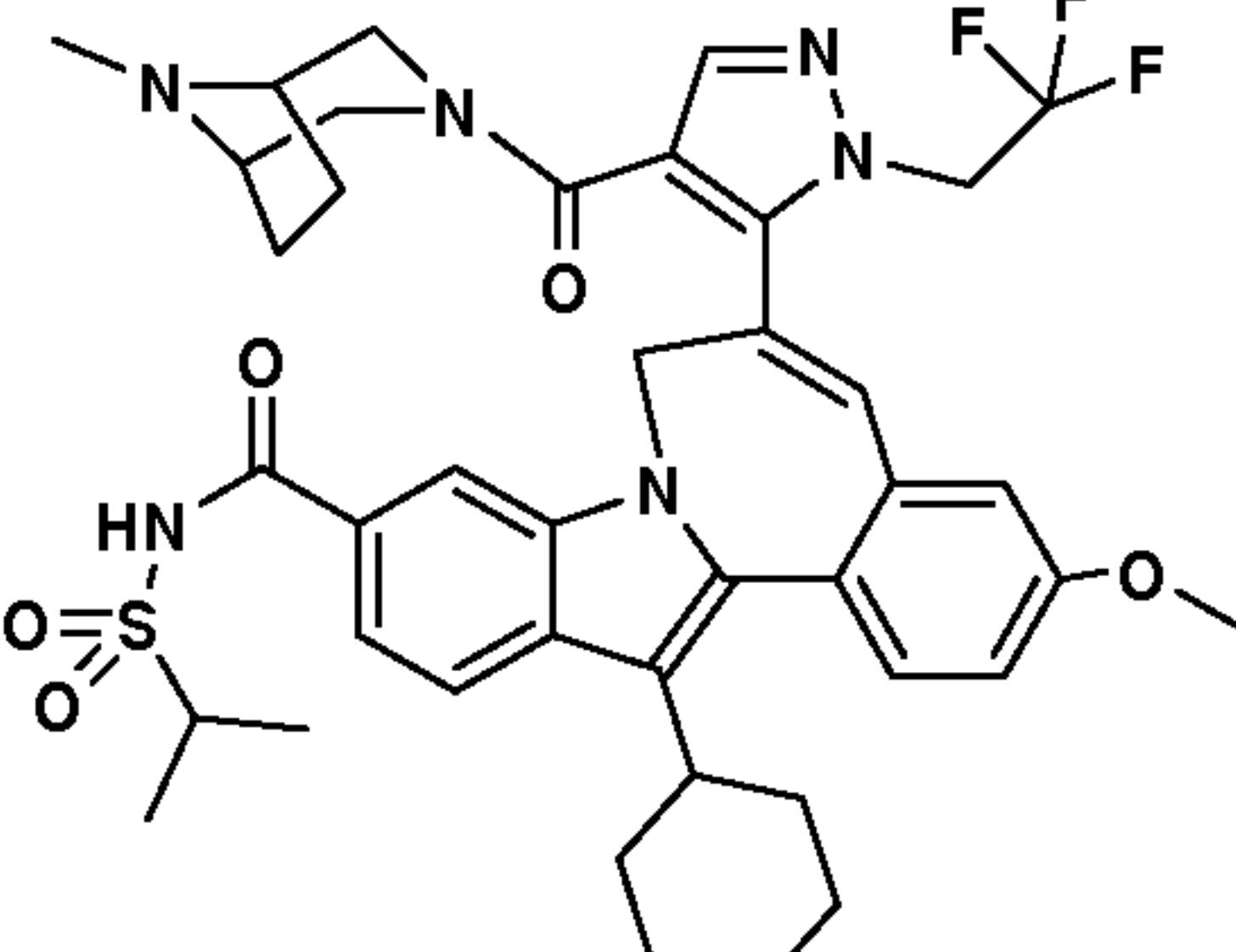
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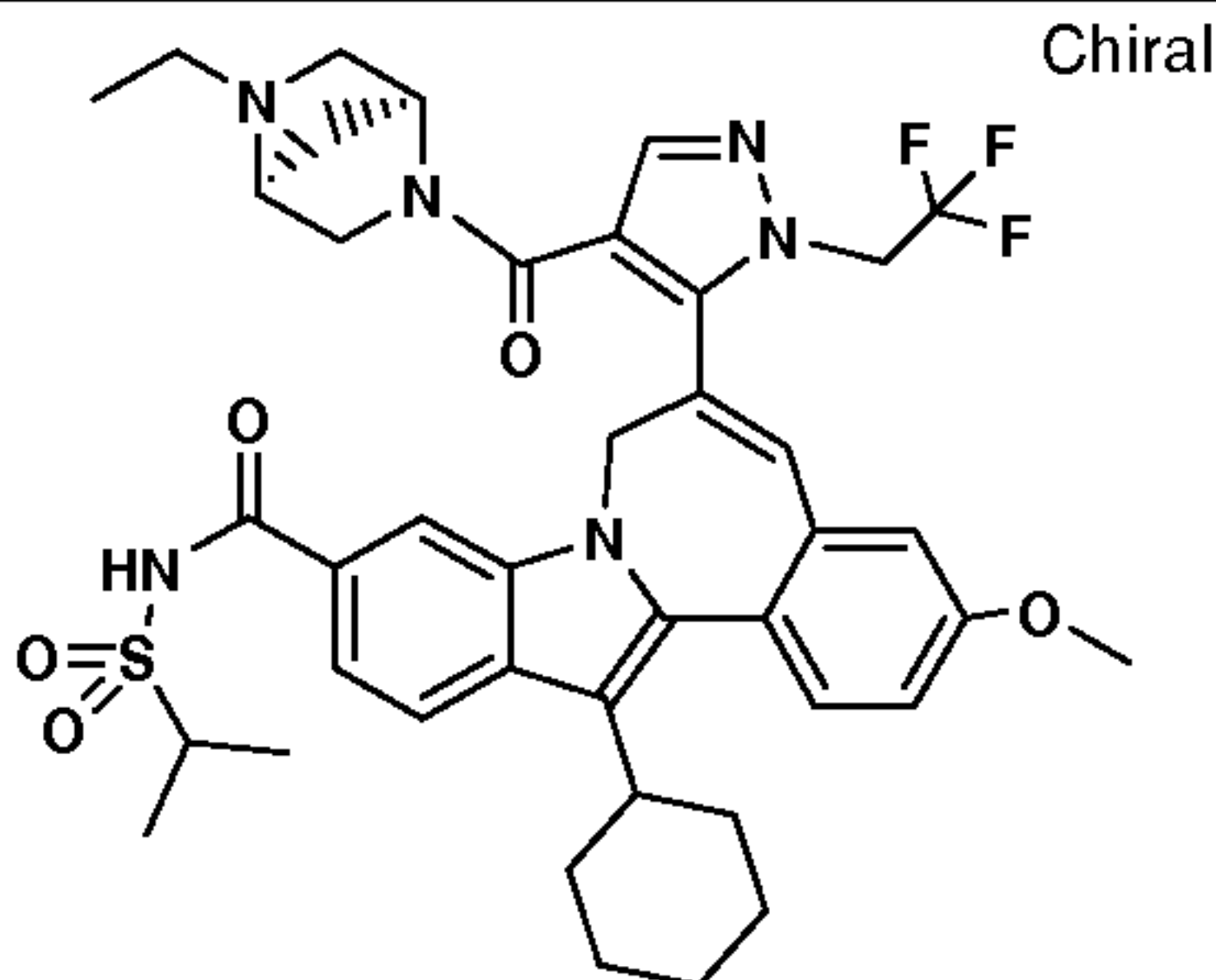
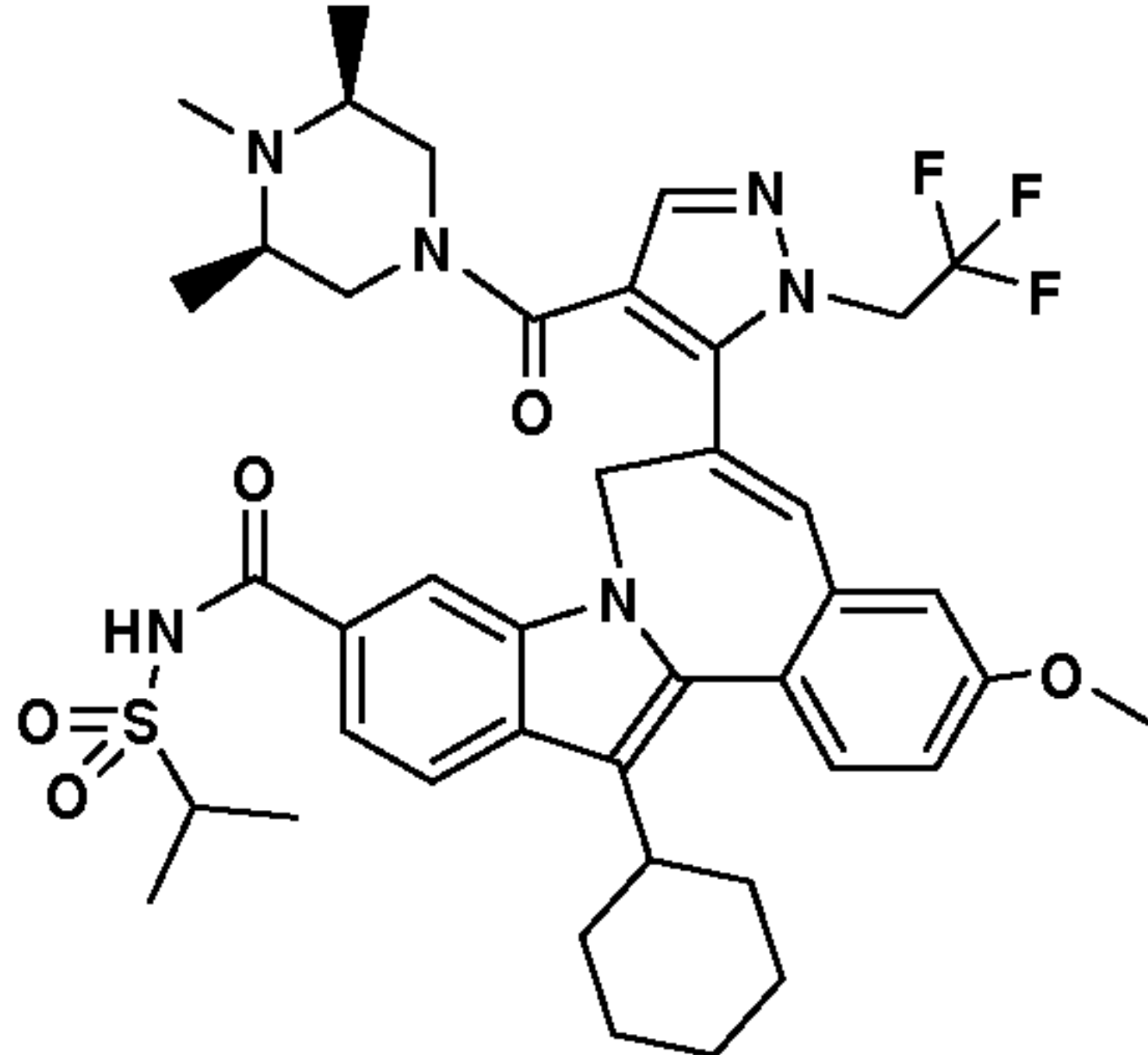
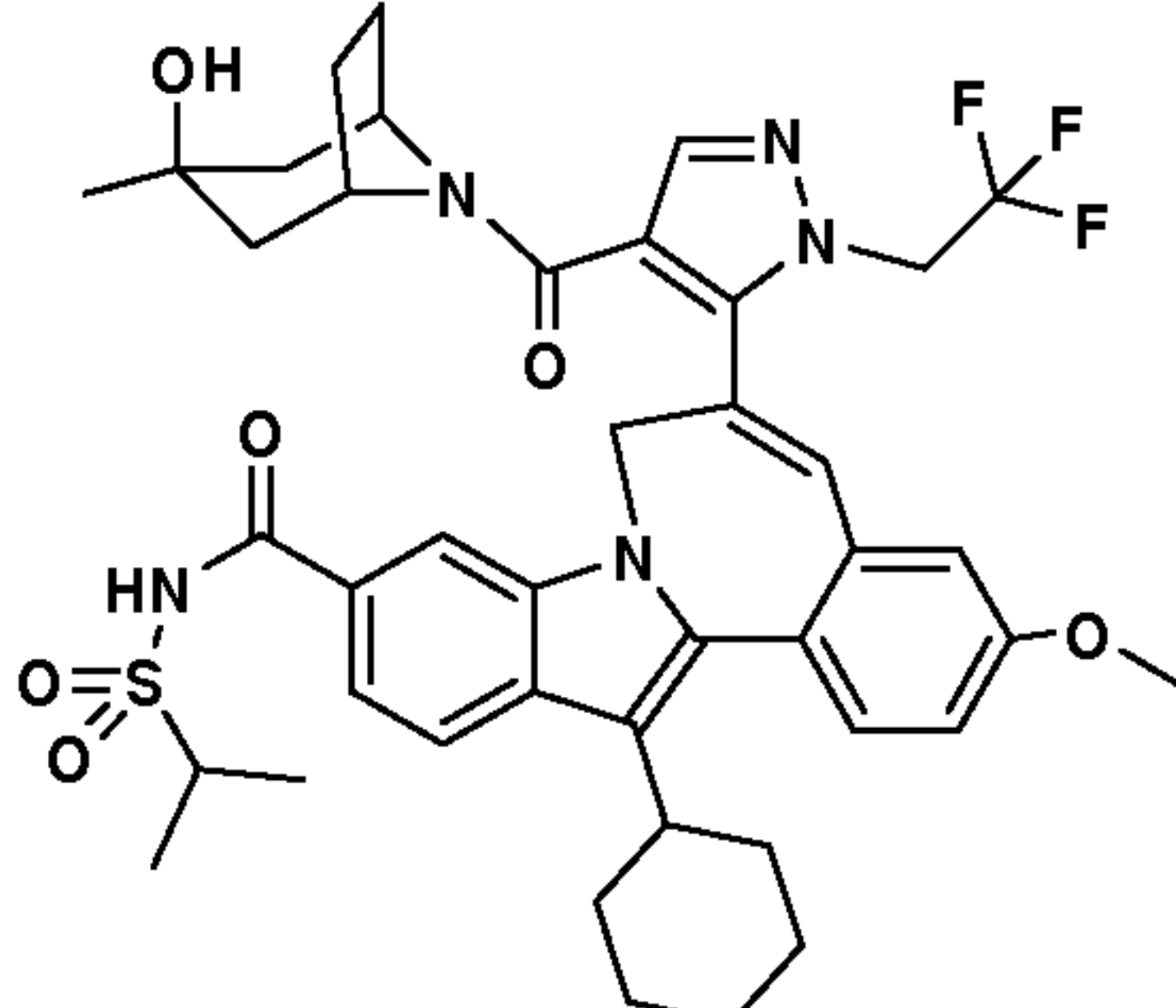
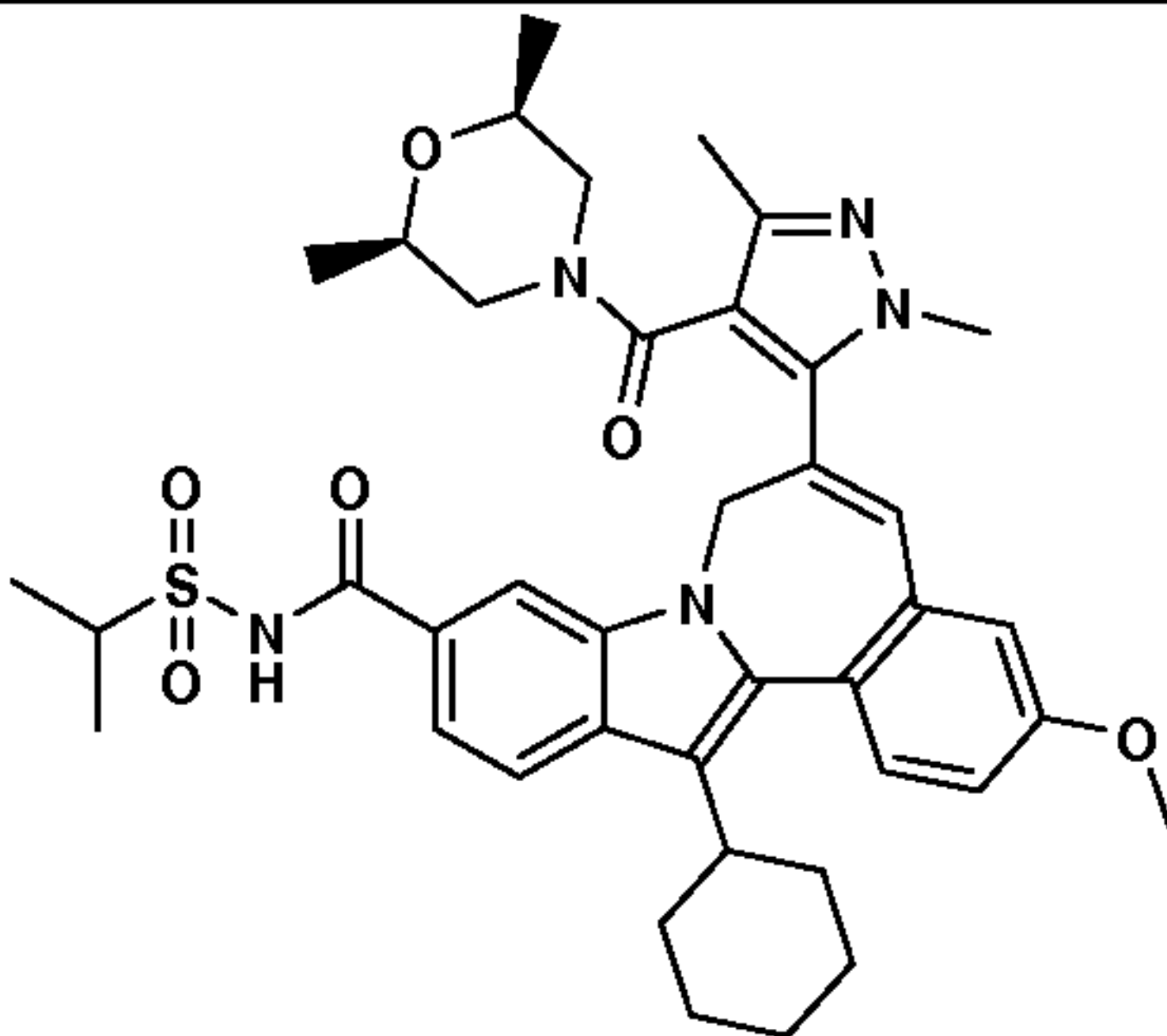
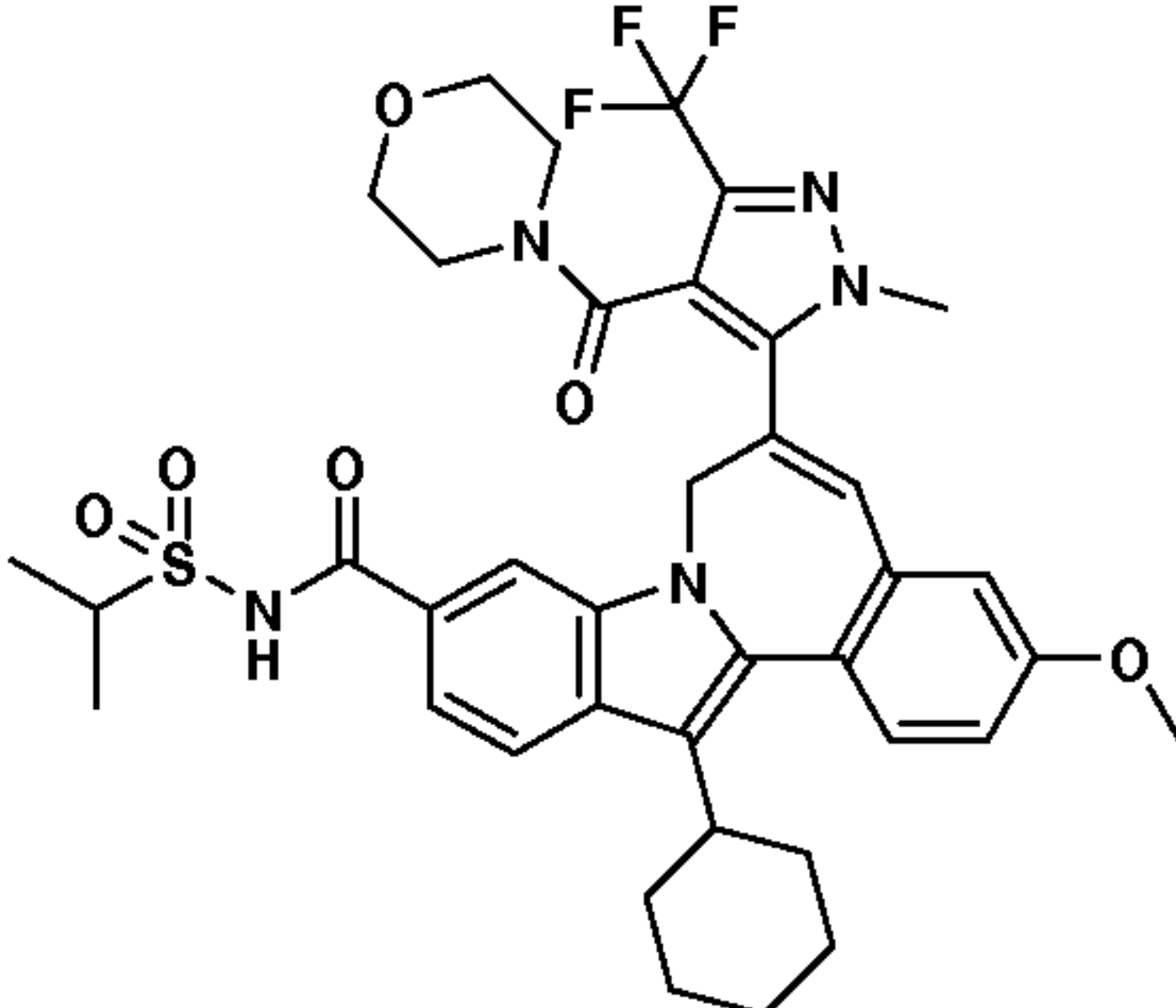
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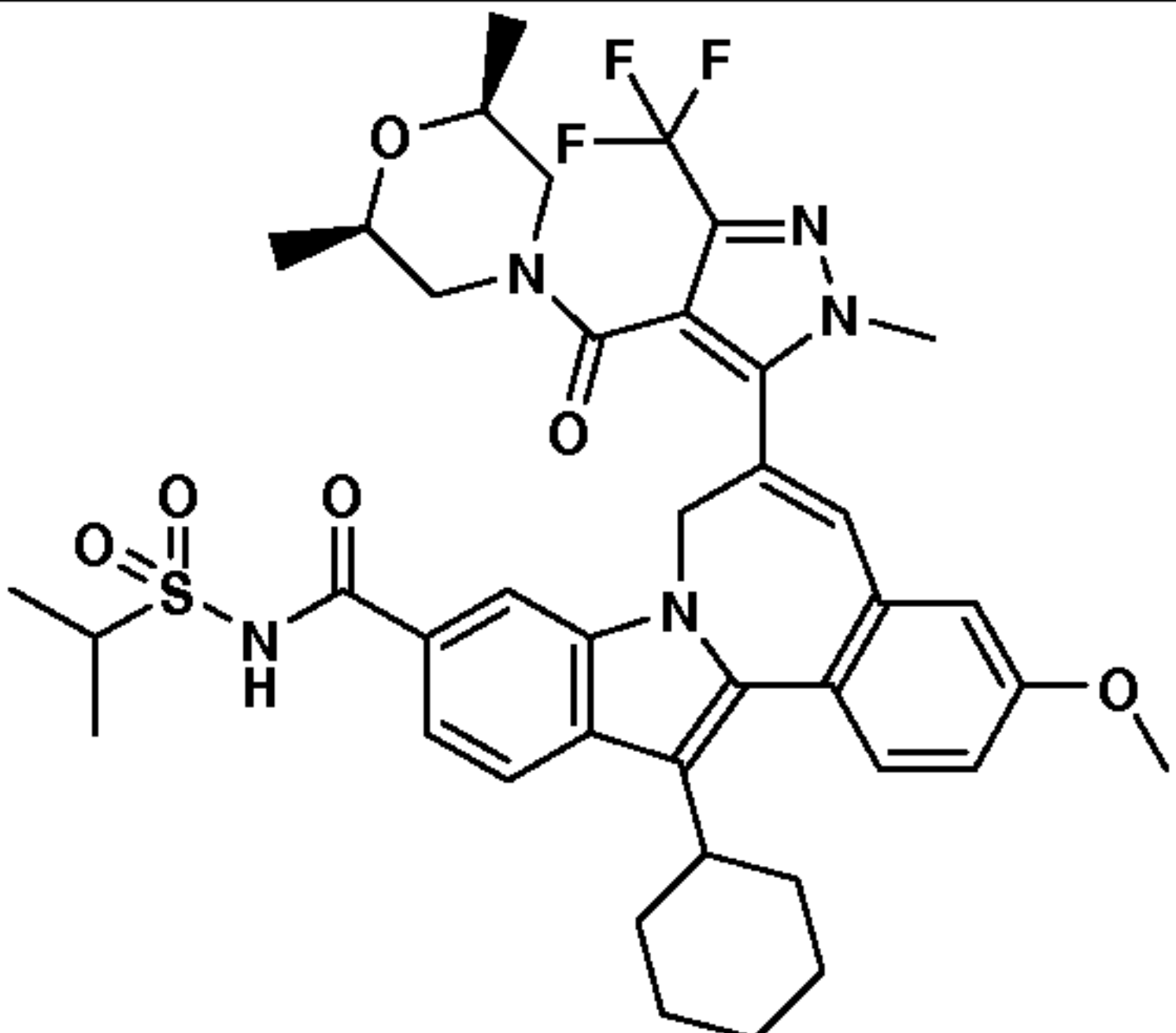
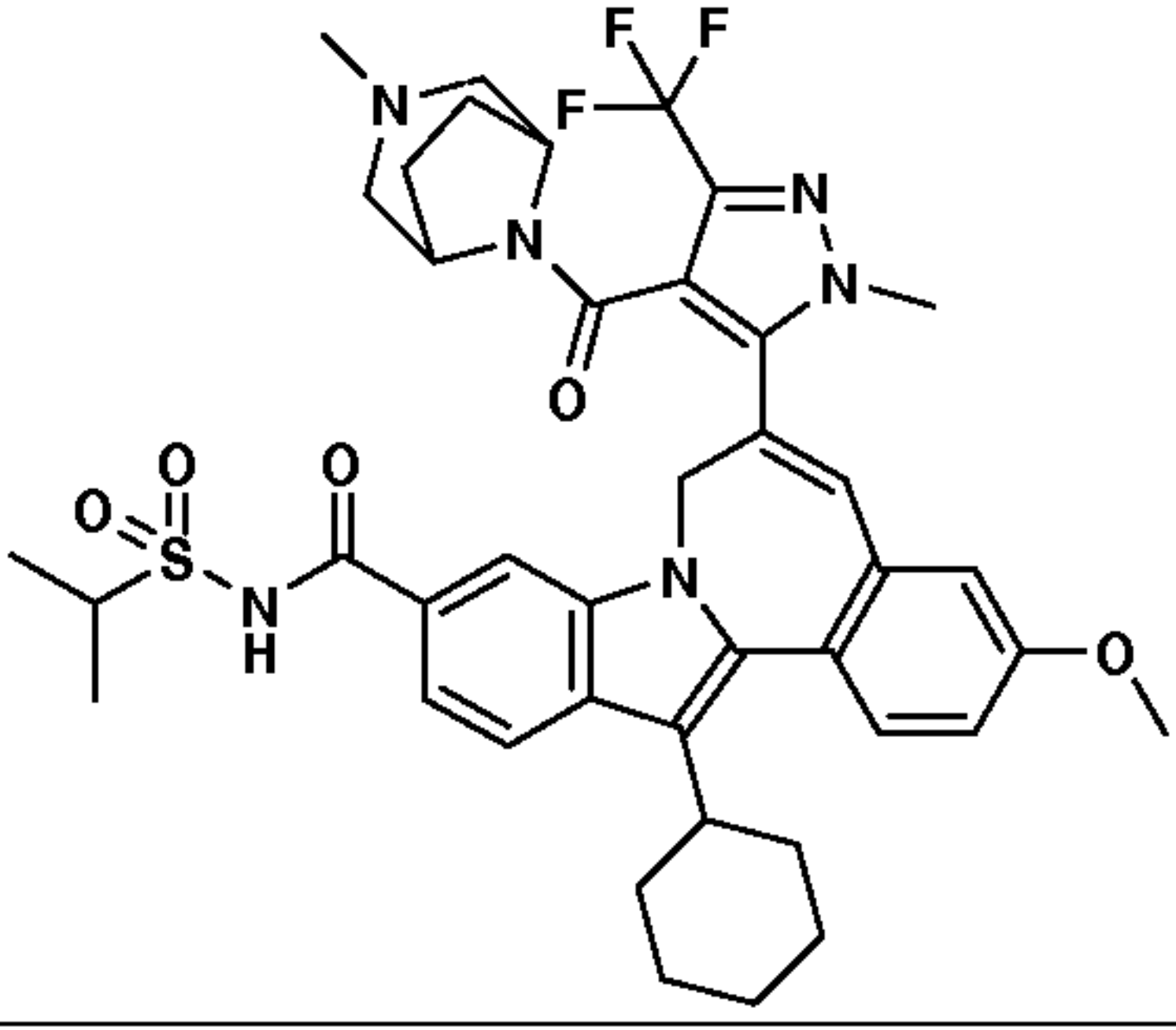
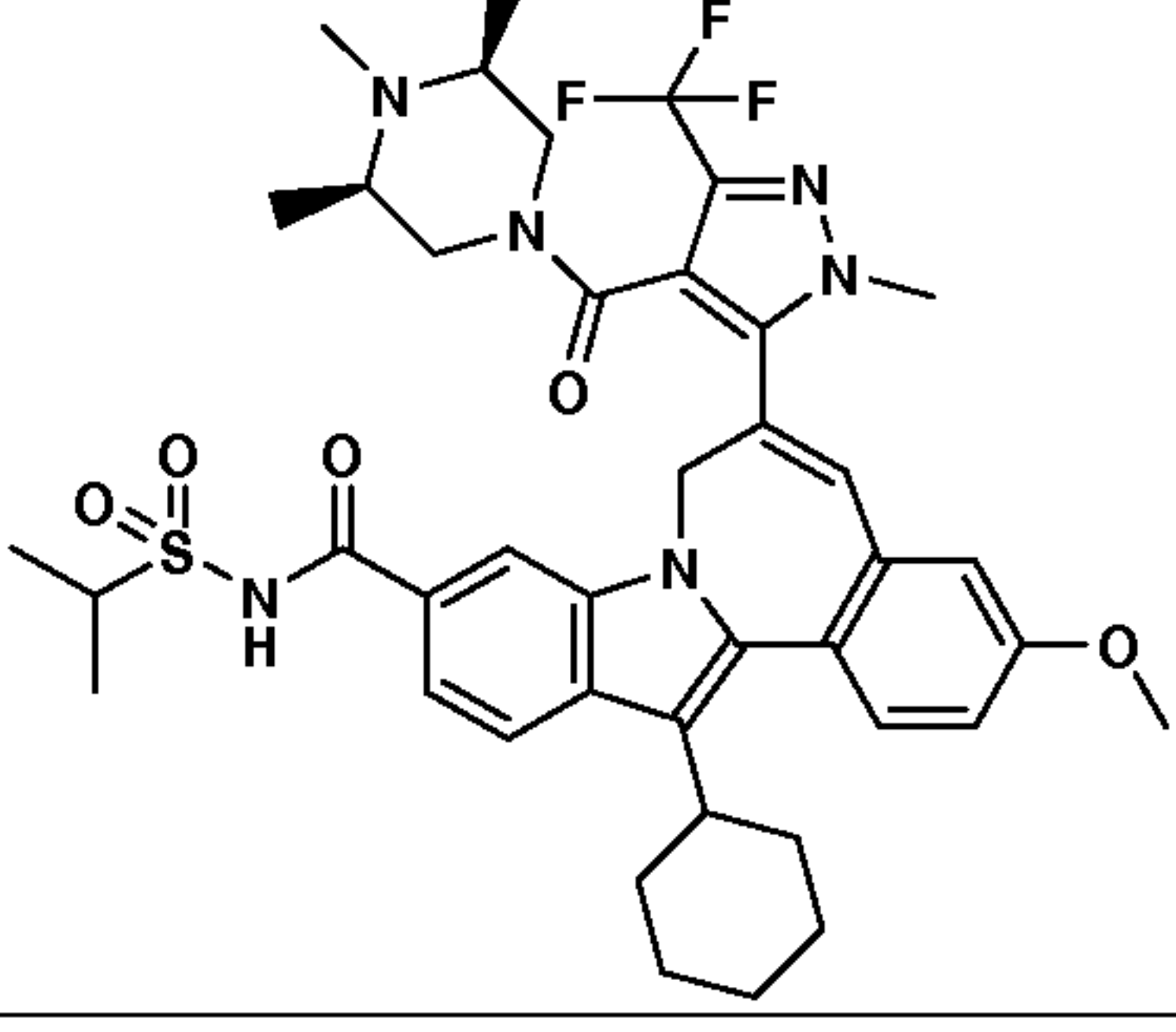
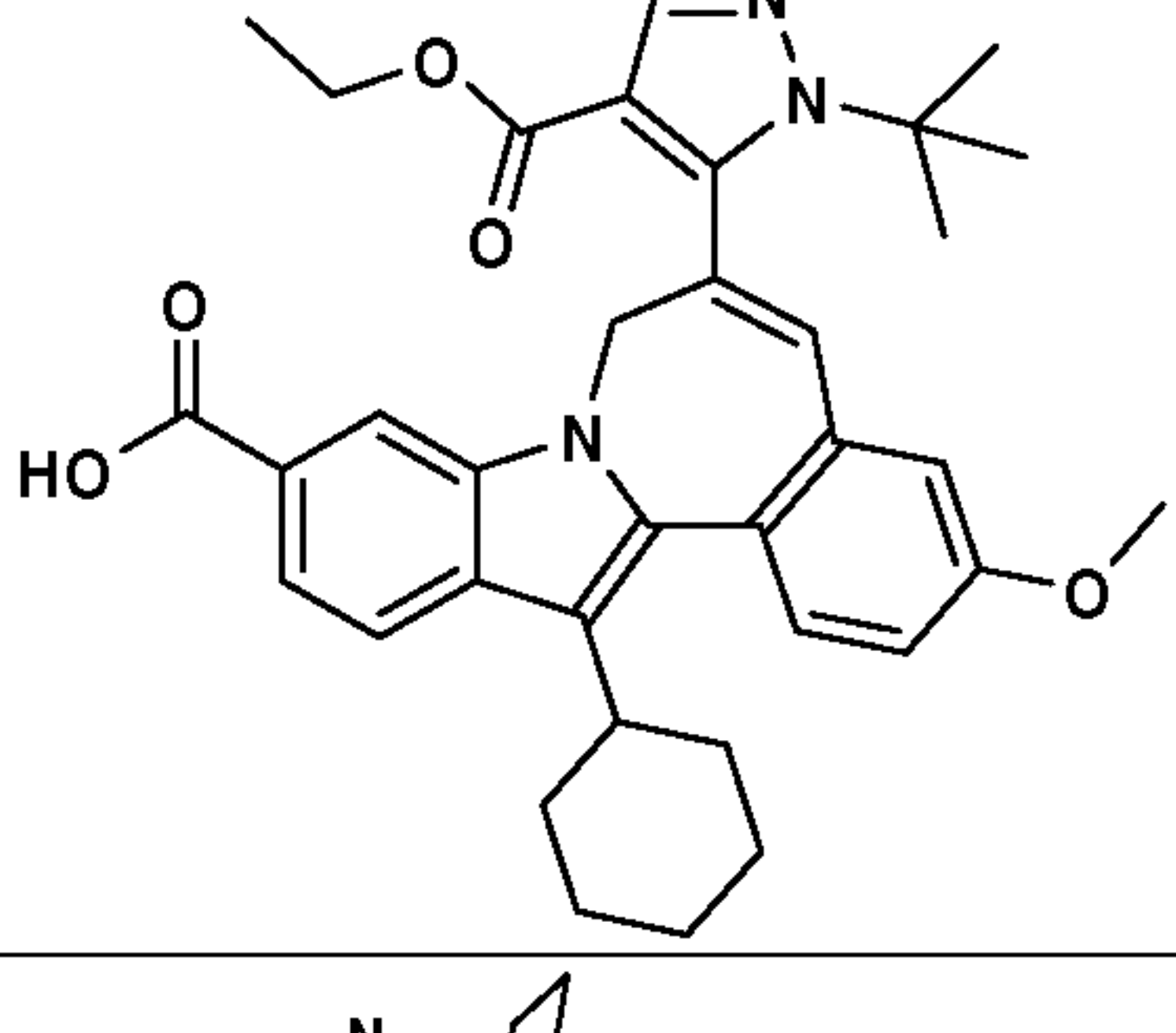
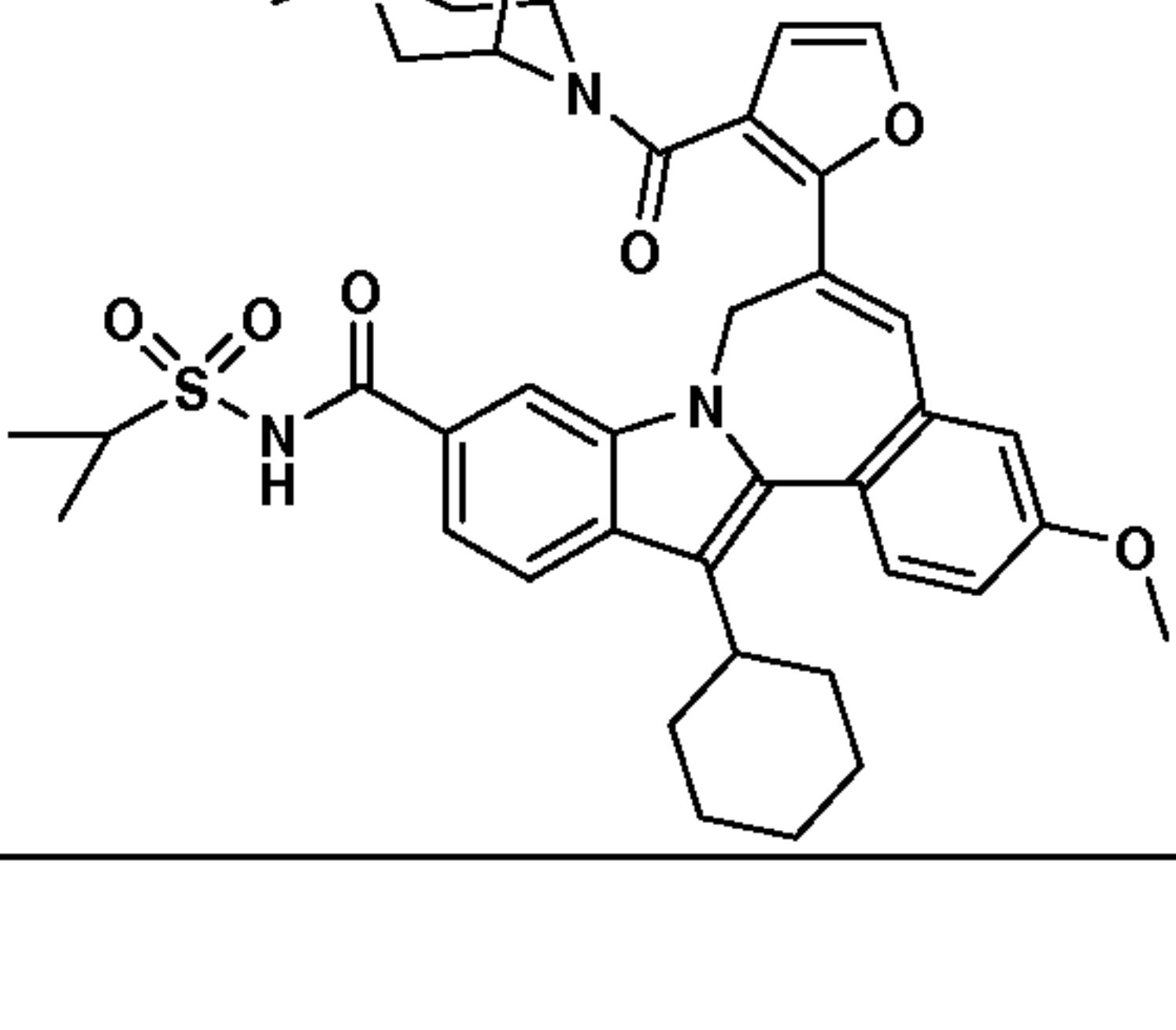
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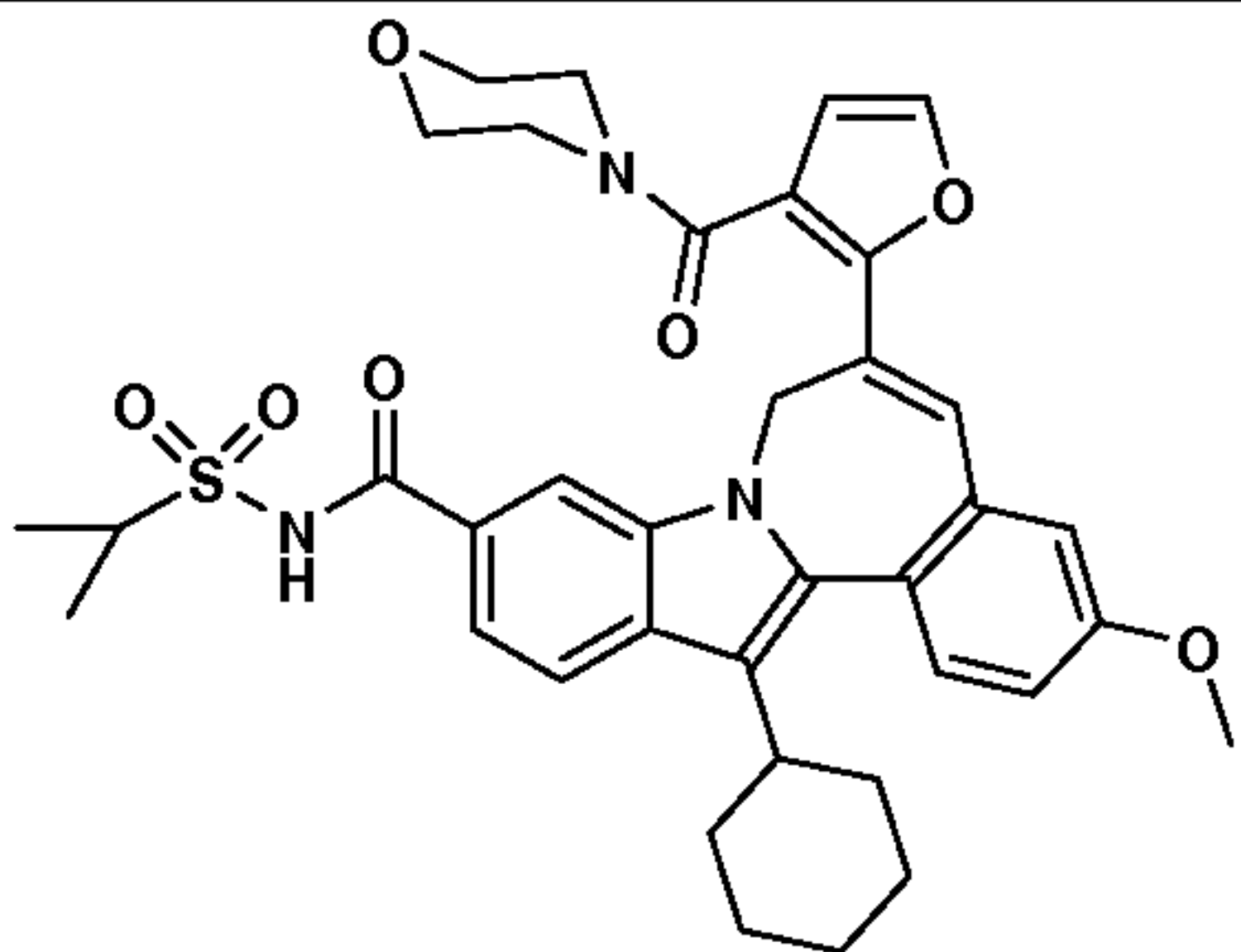
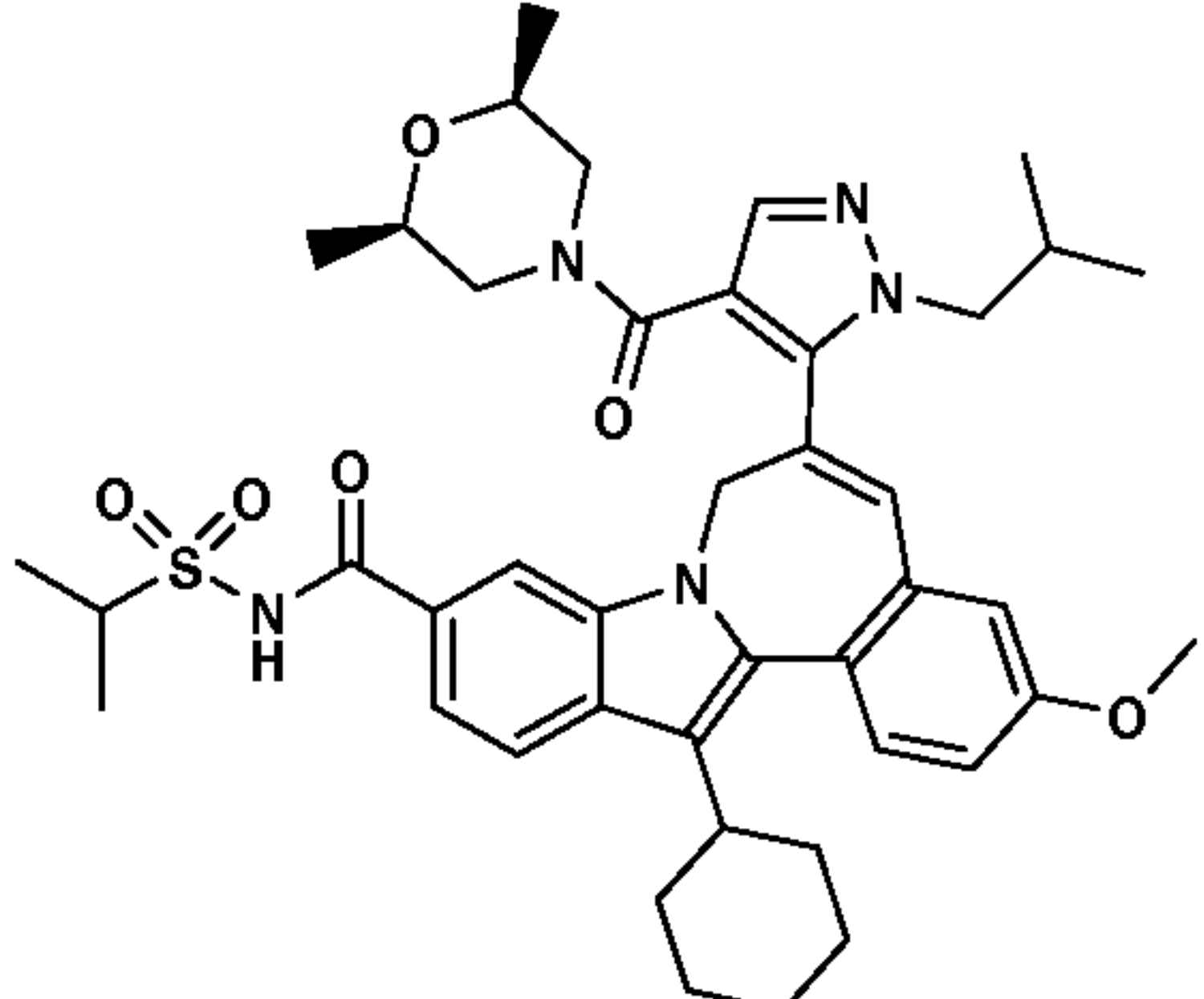
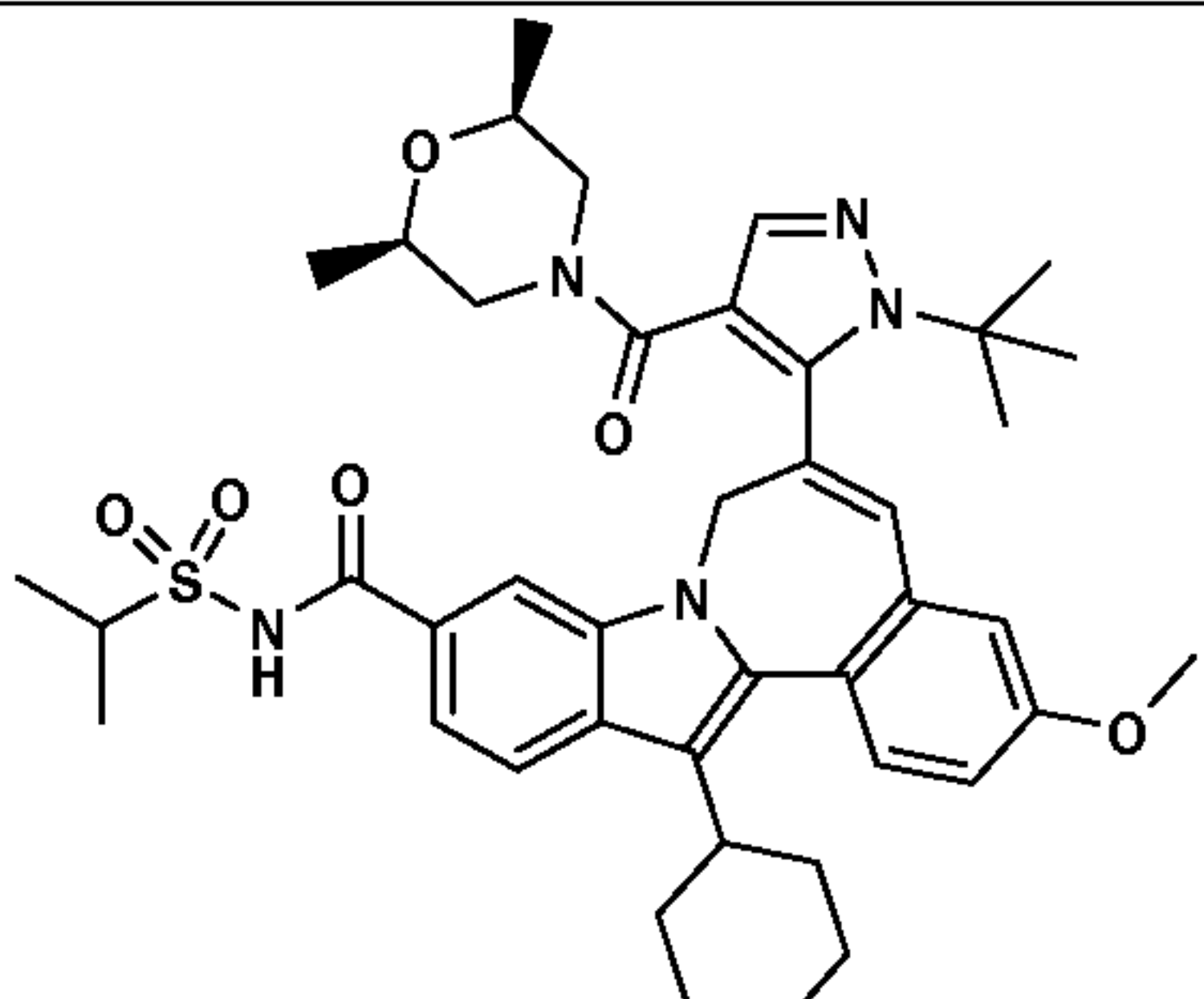
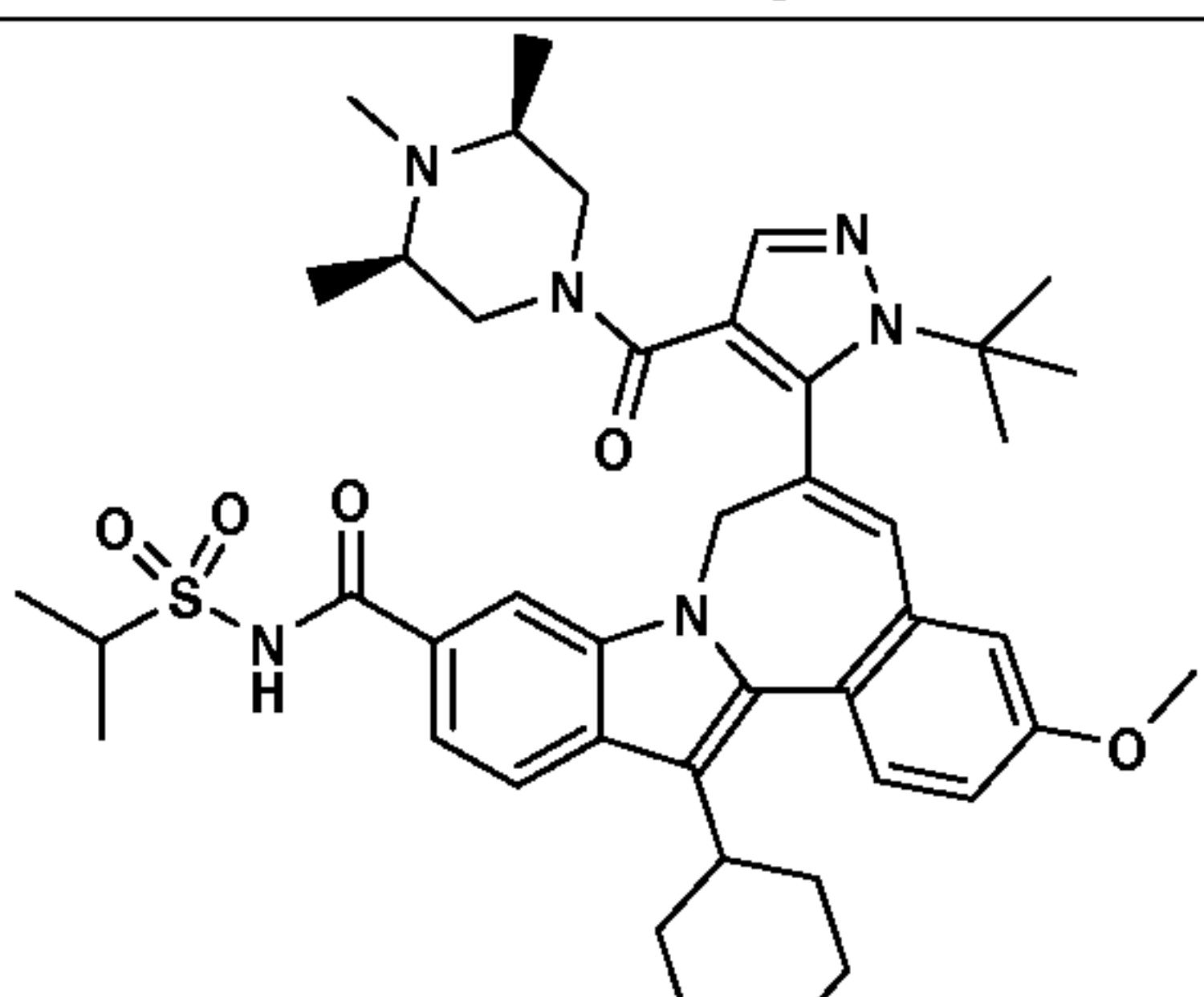
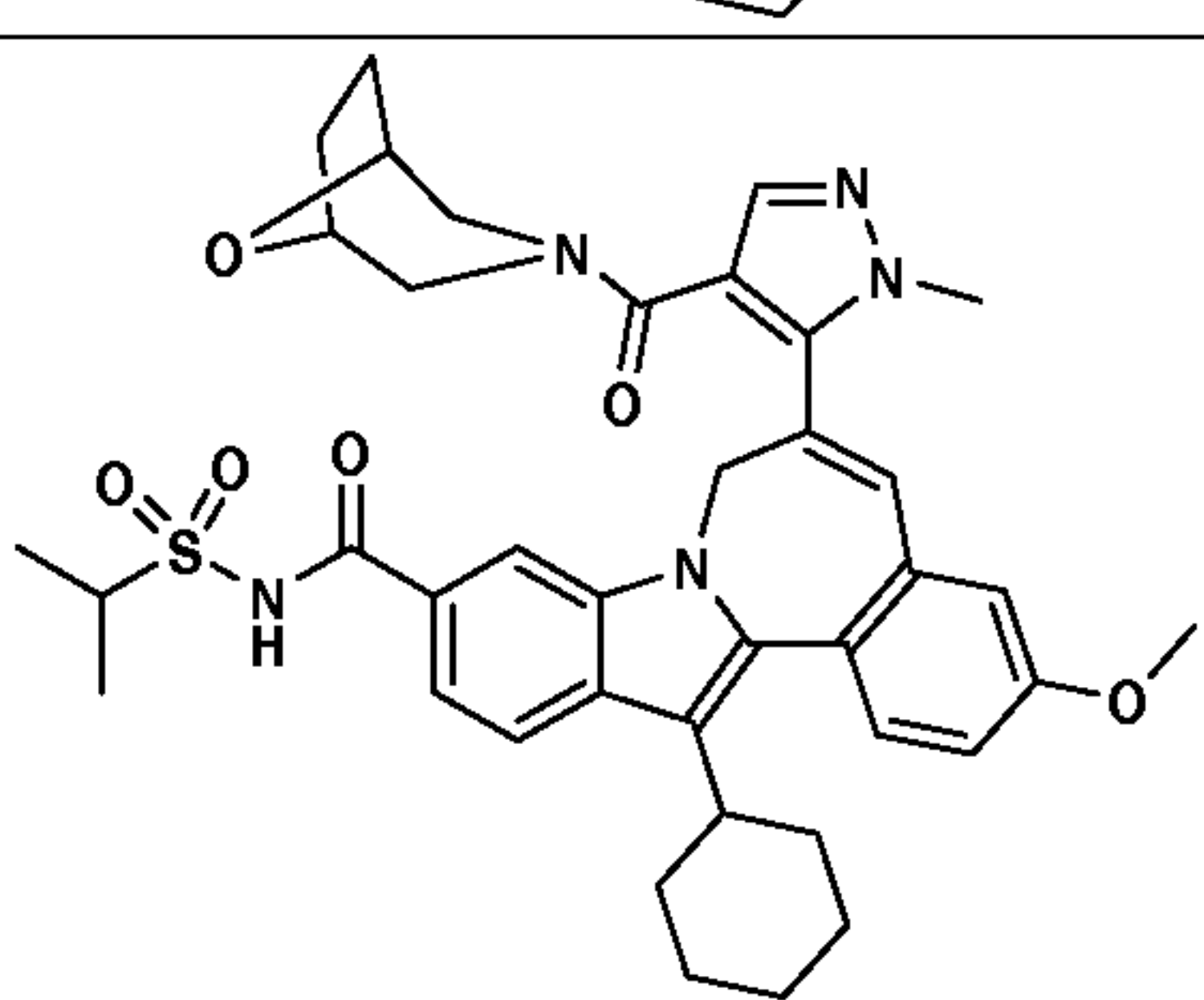
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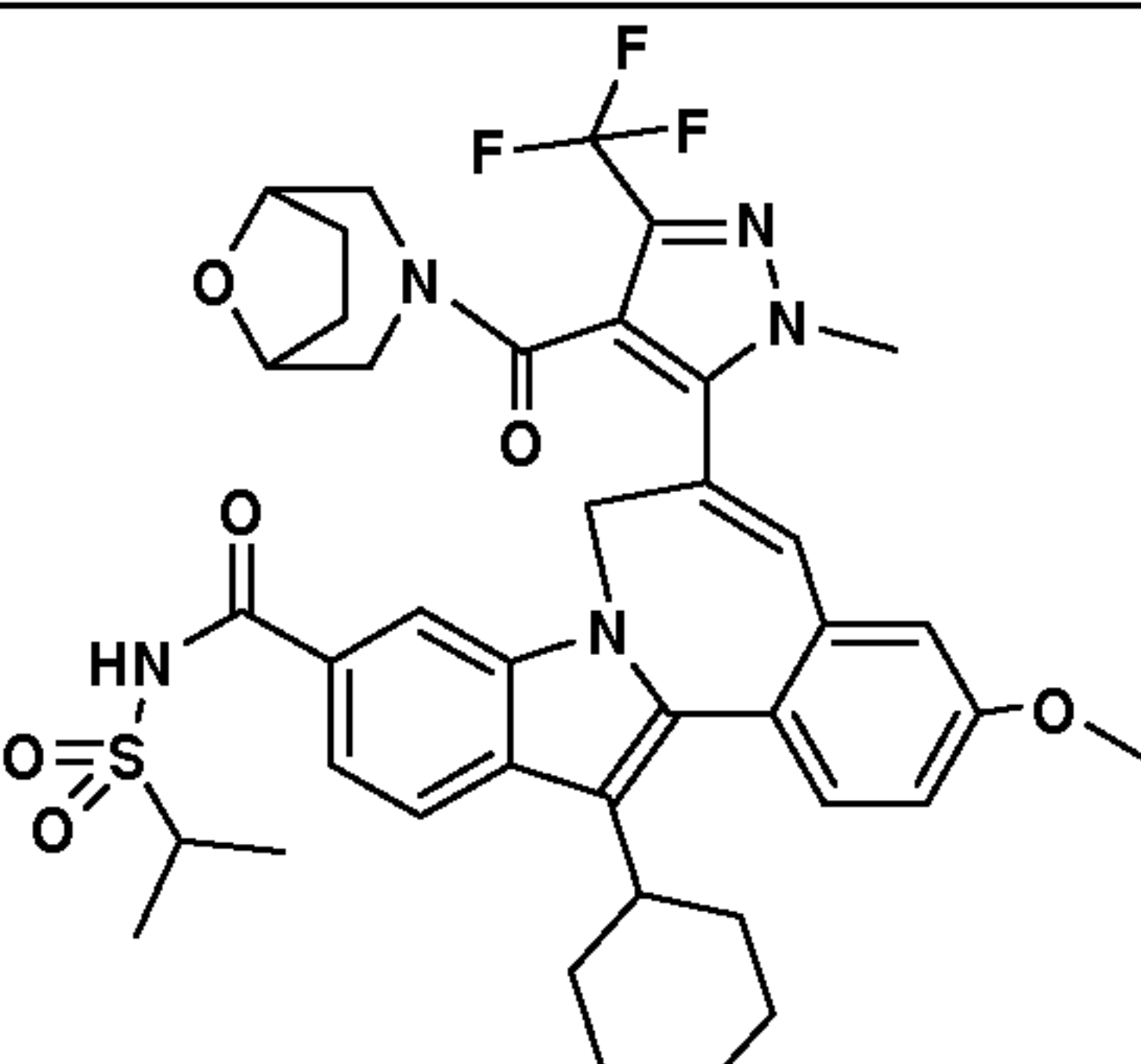
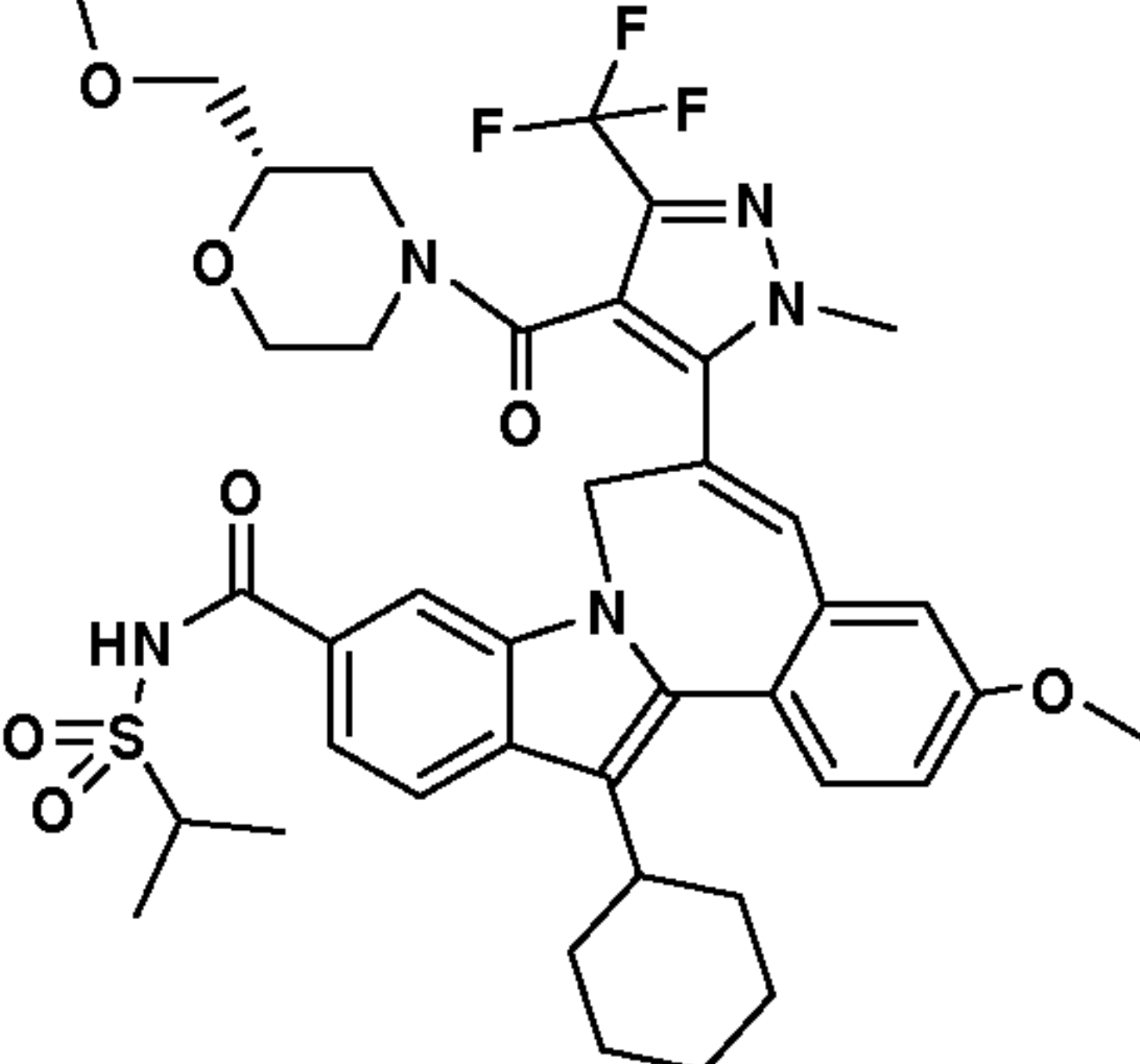
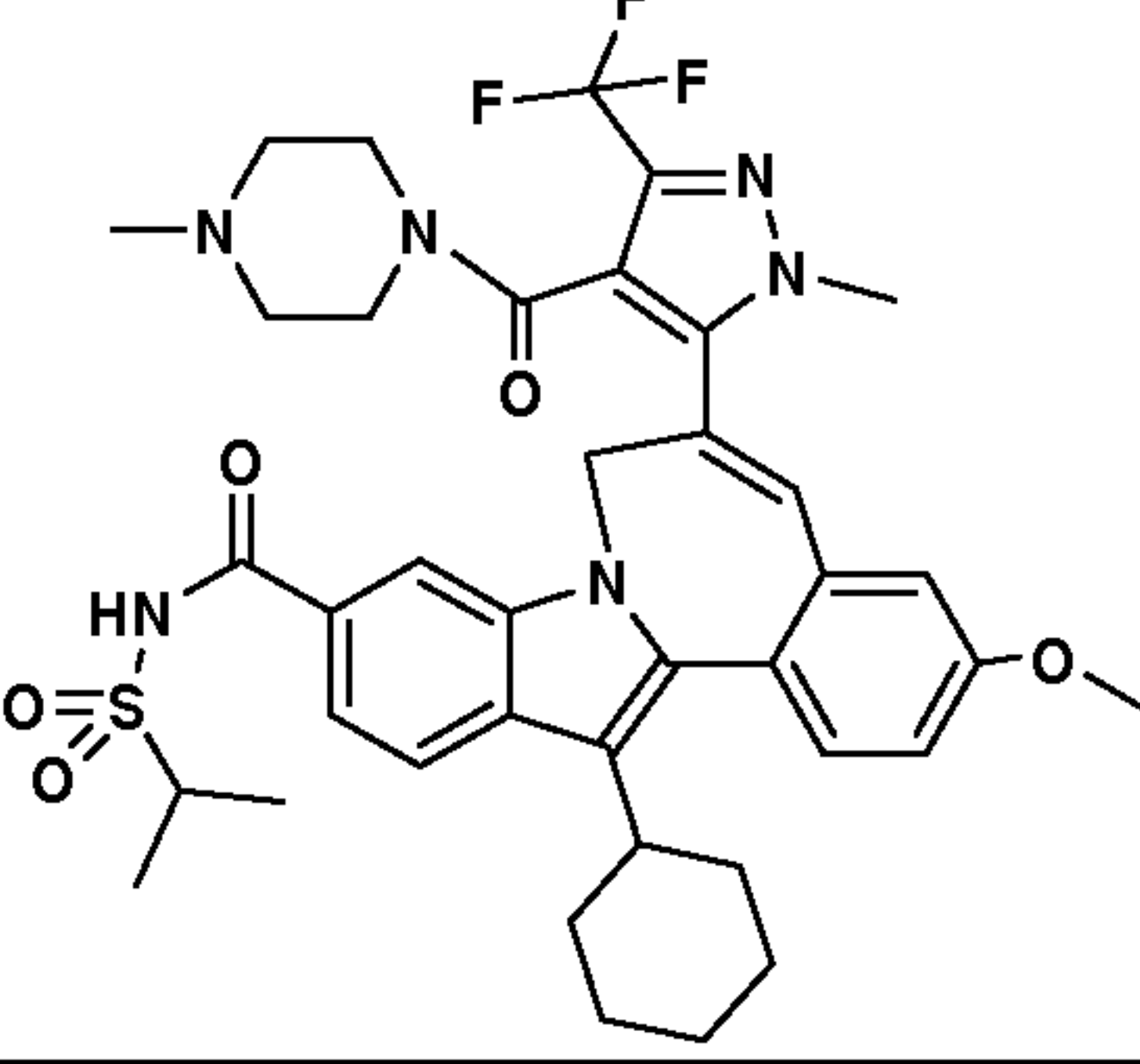
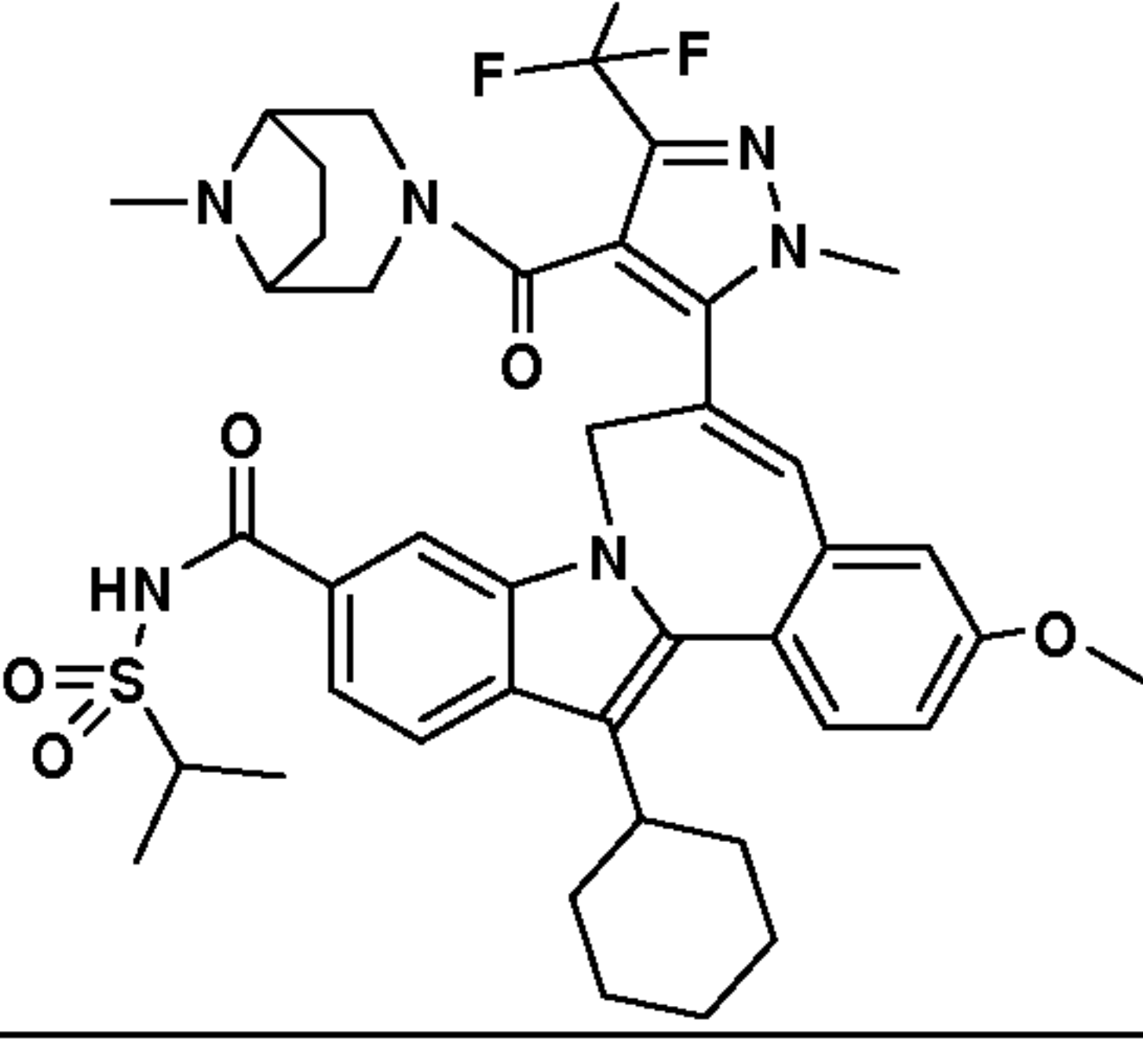
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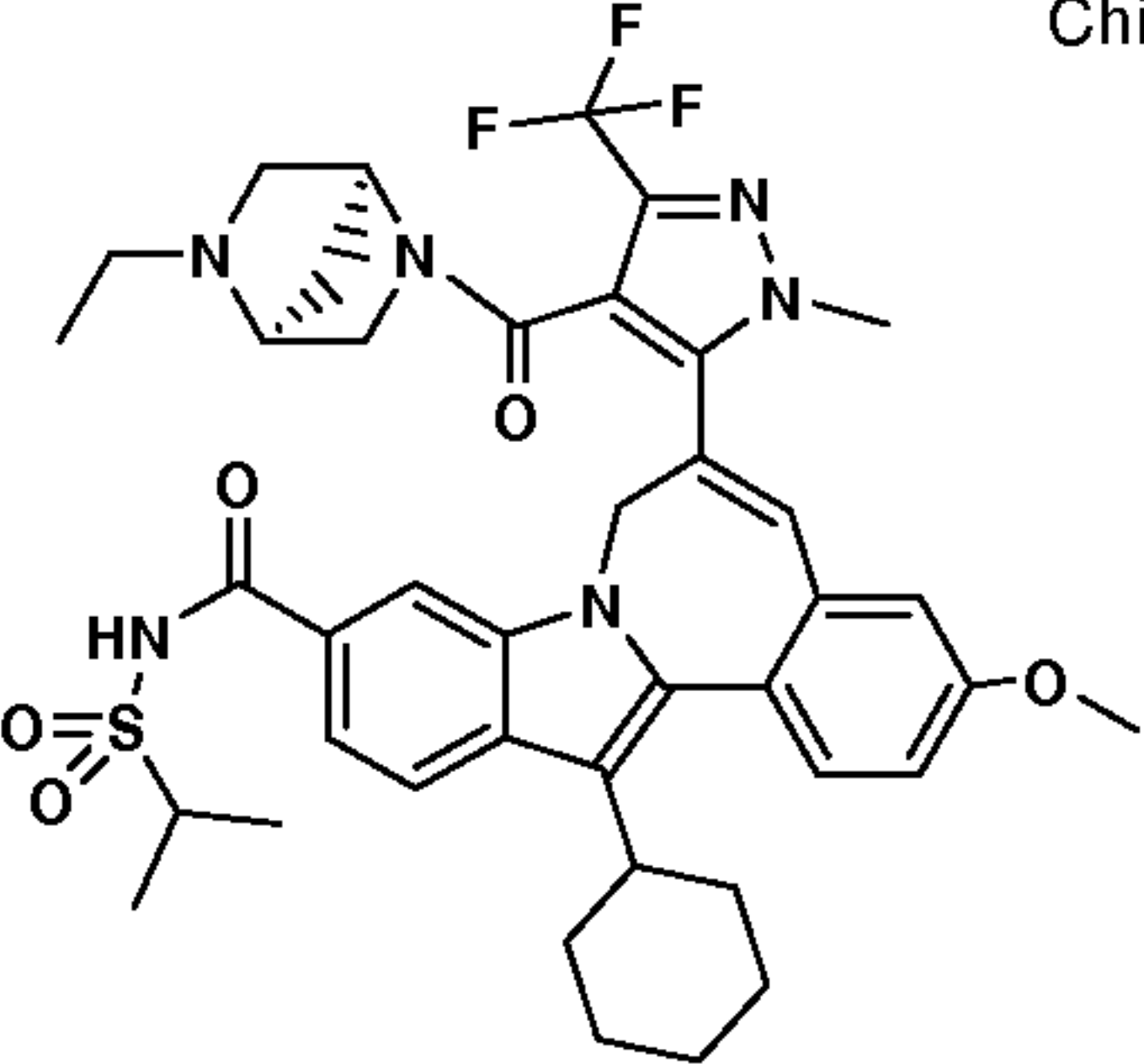
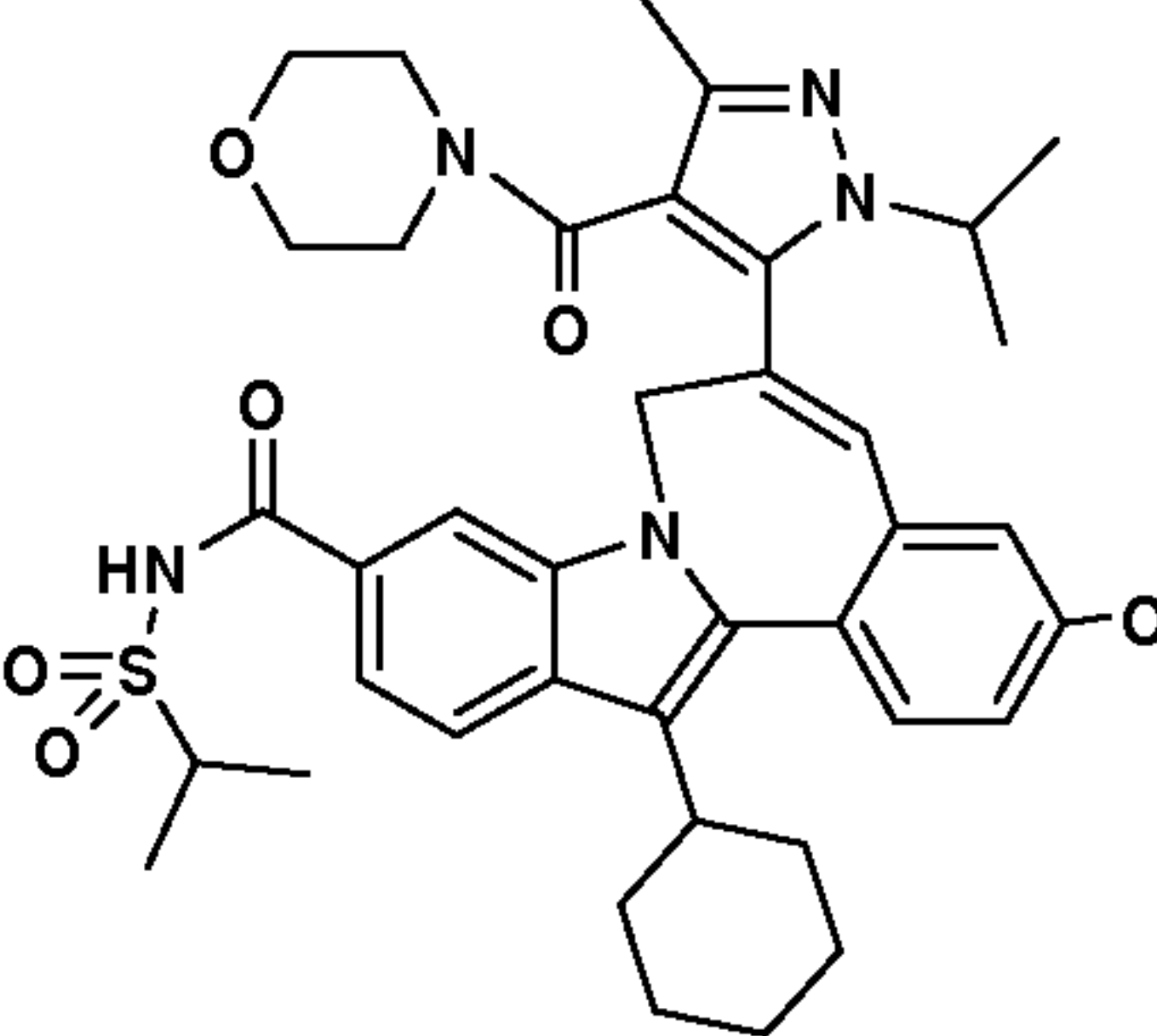
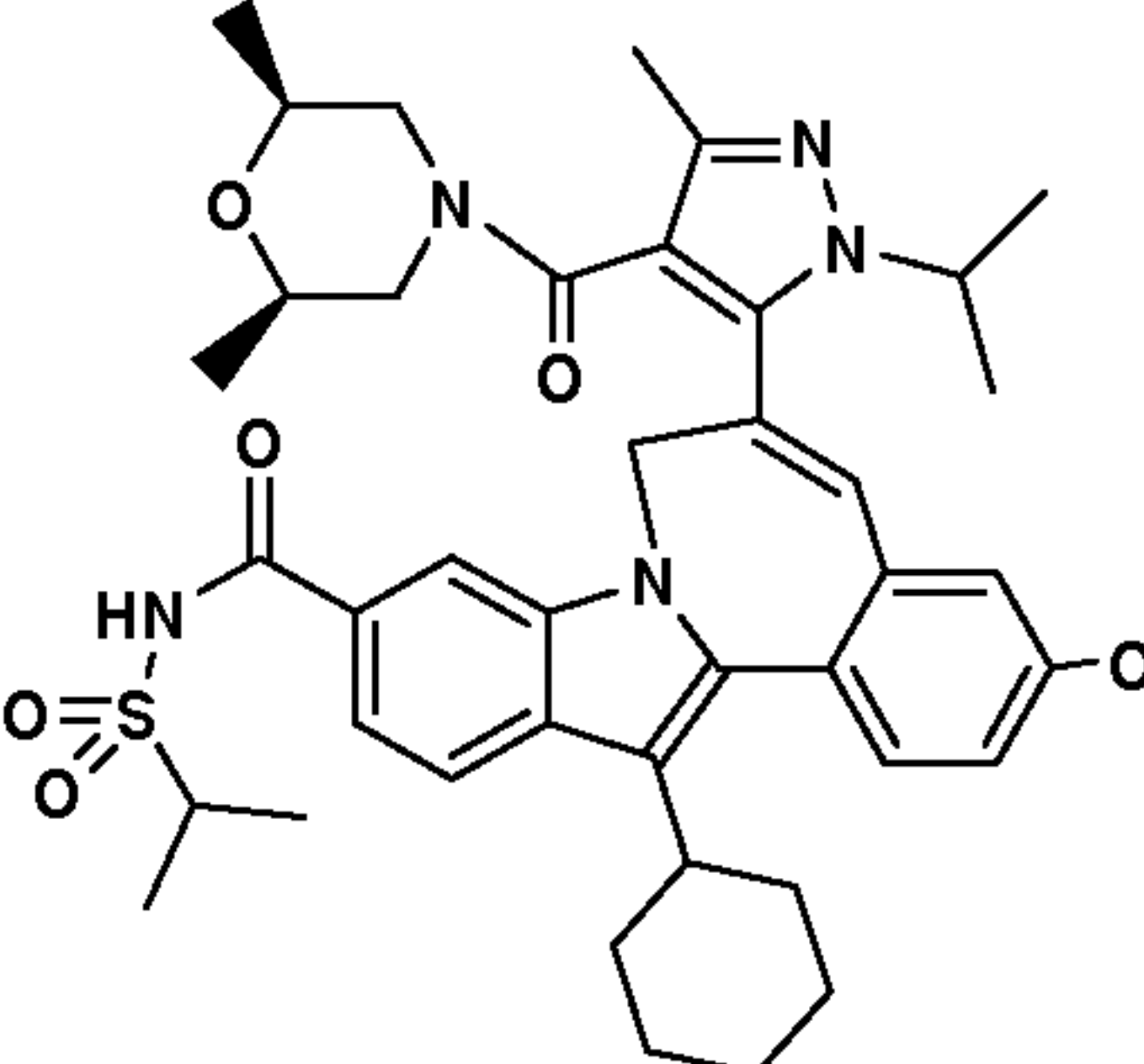
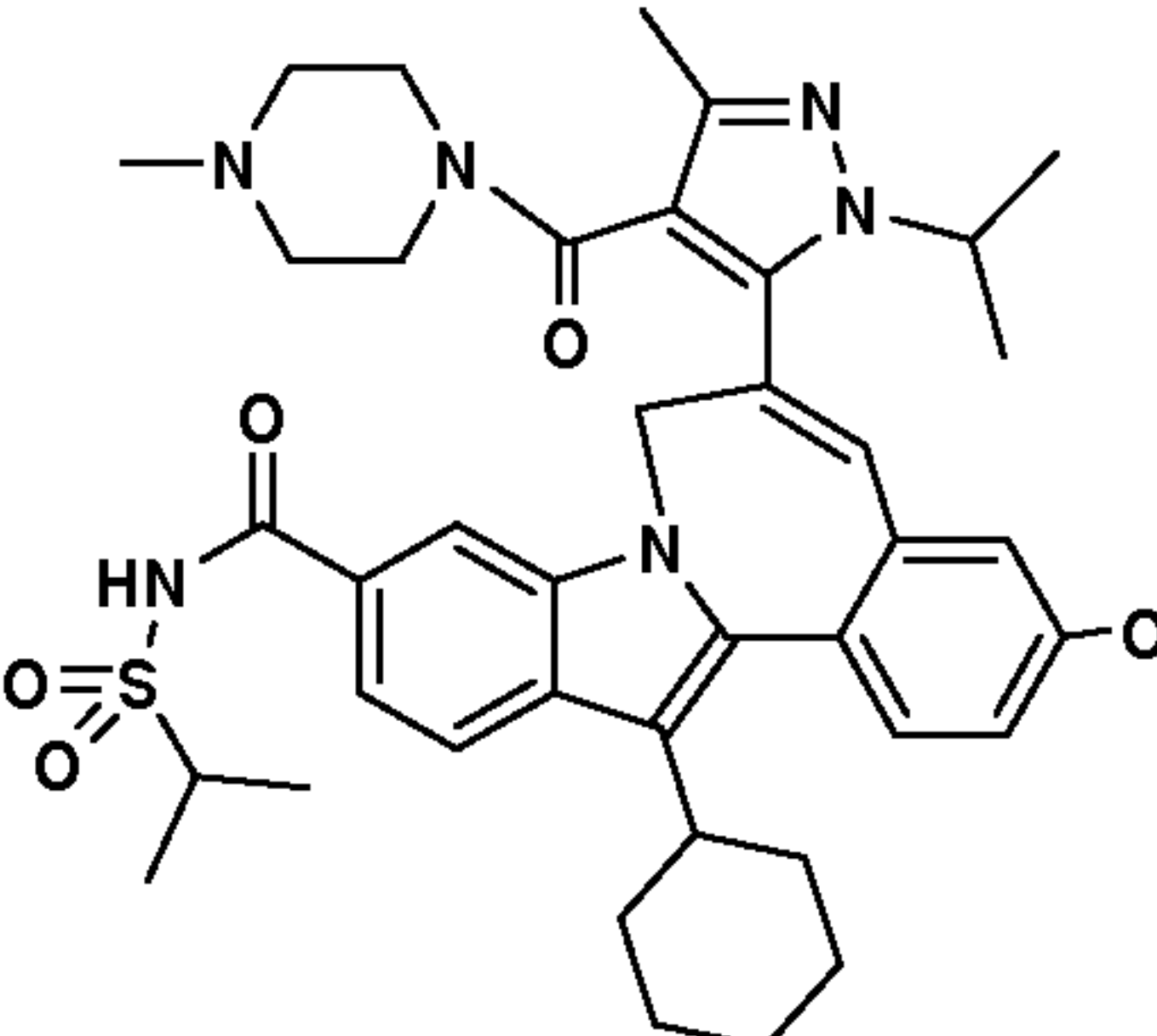
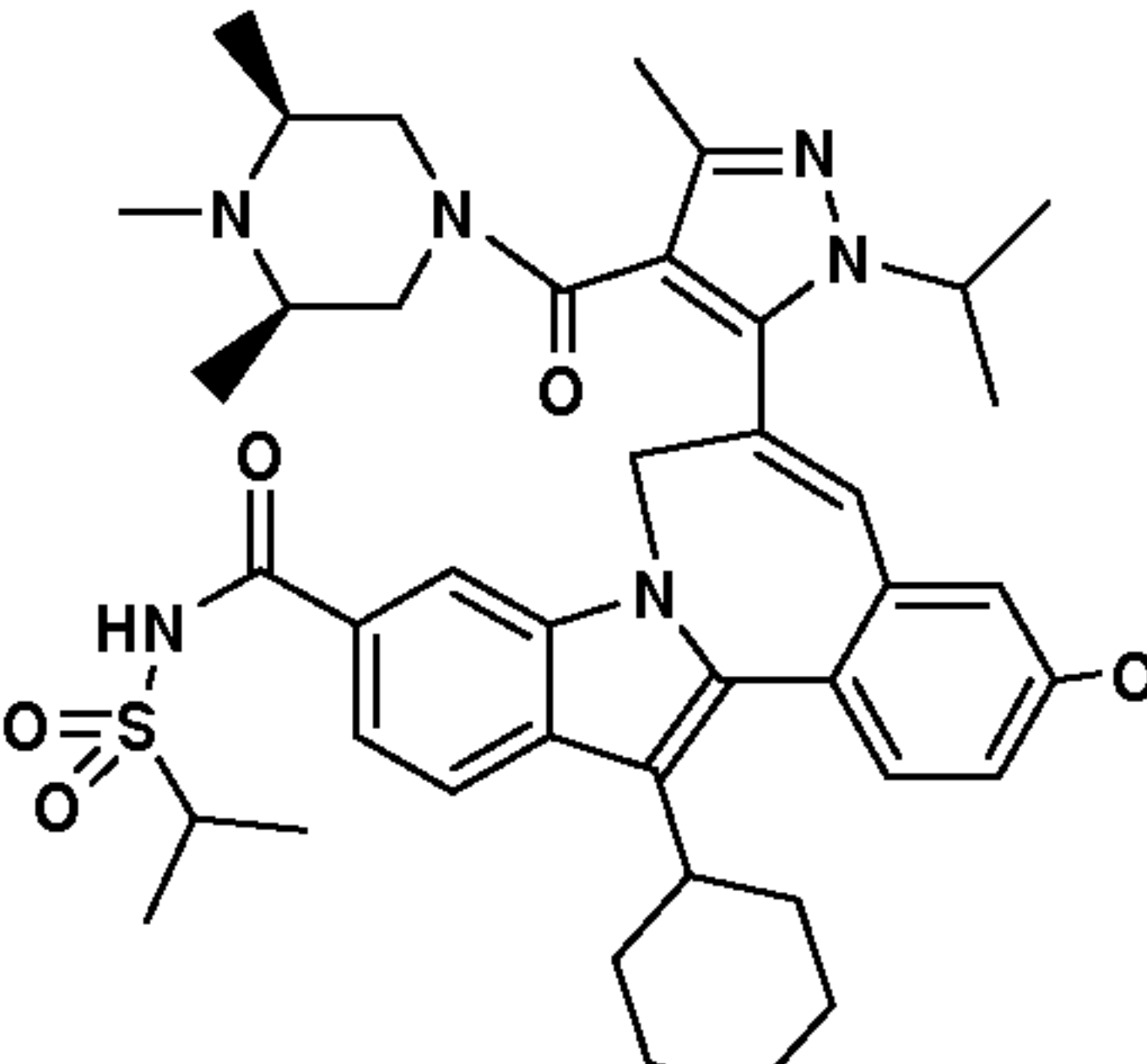
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Chiral 	B	B
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	B	B

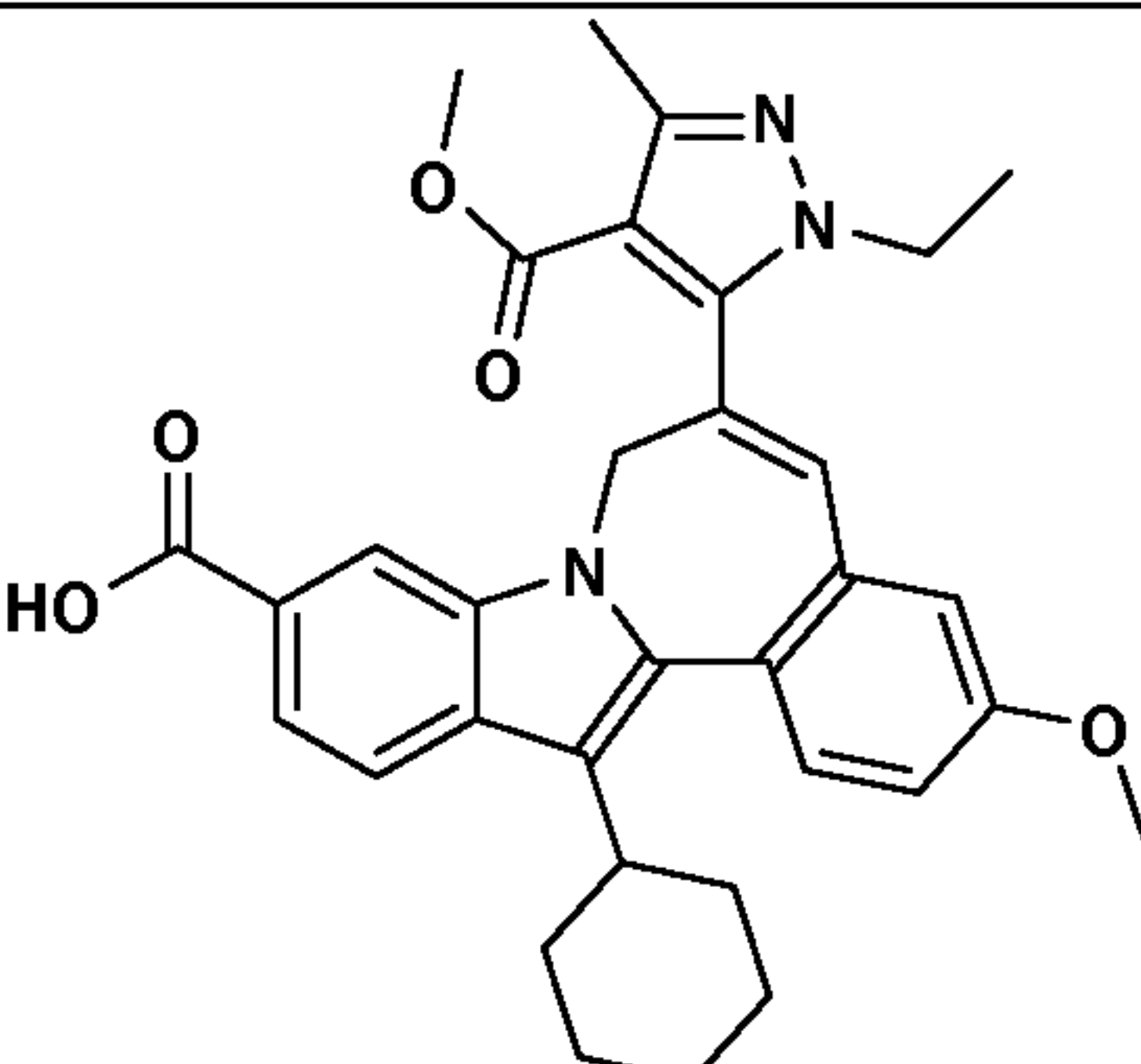
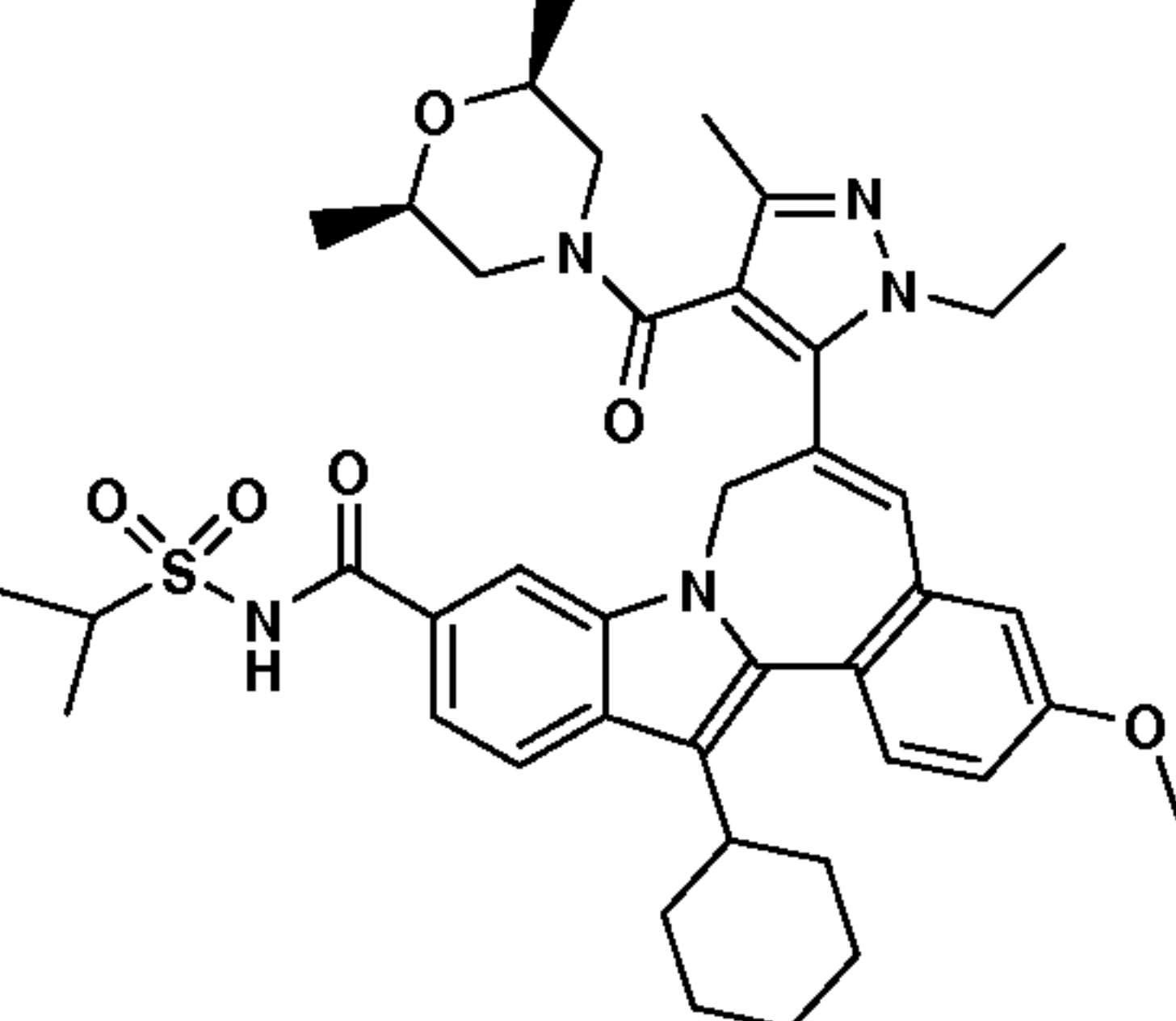
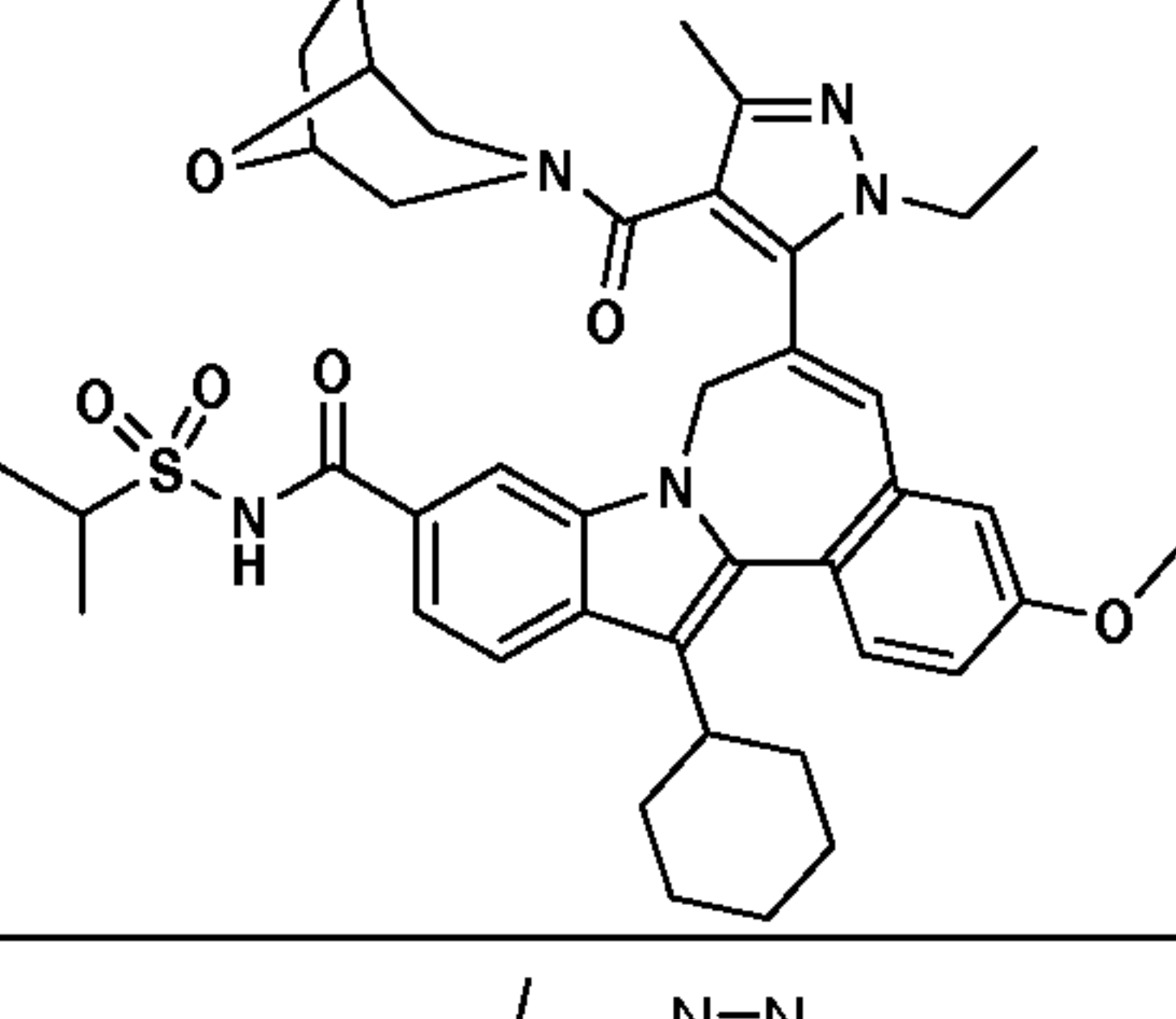
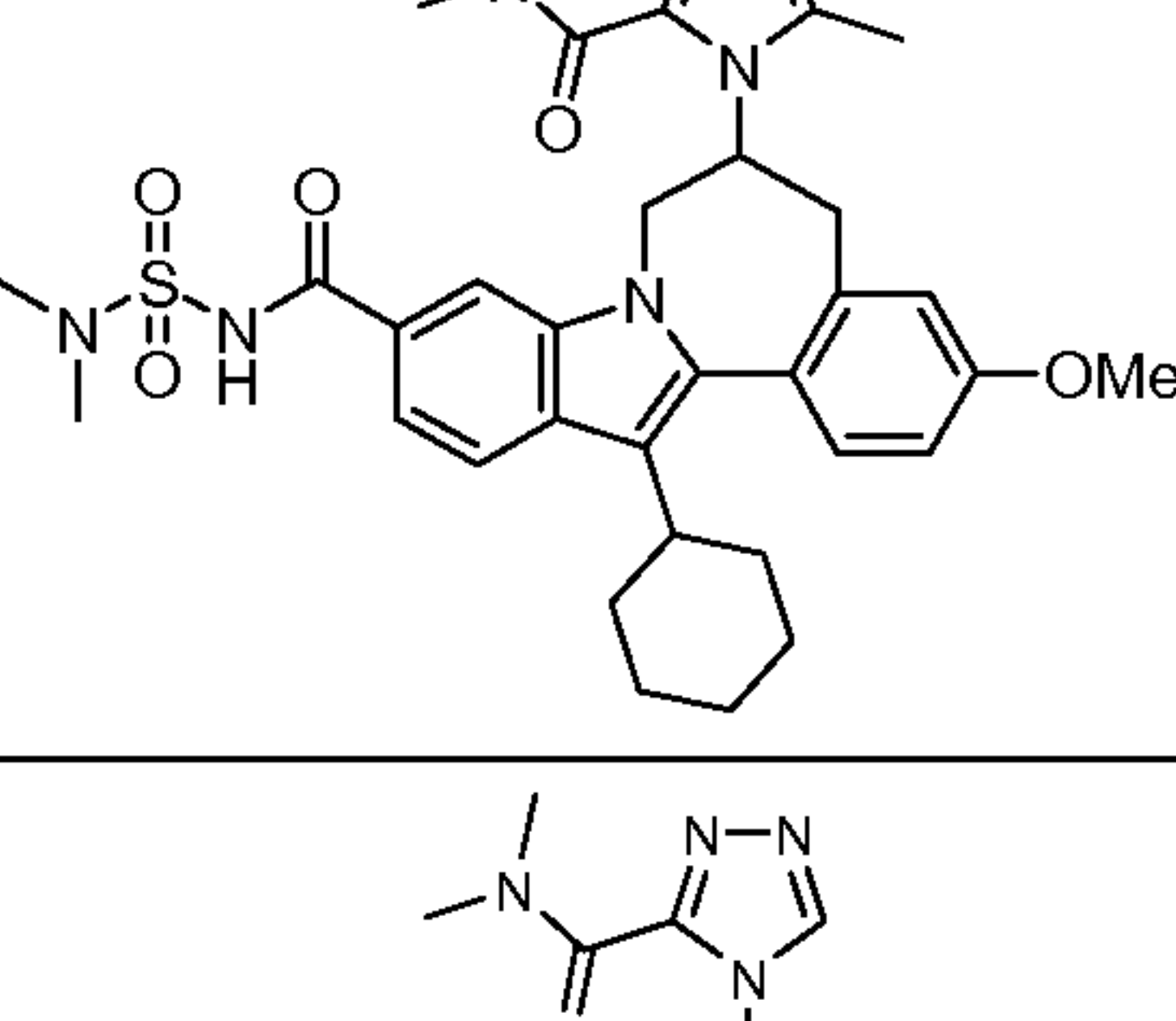
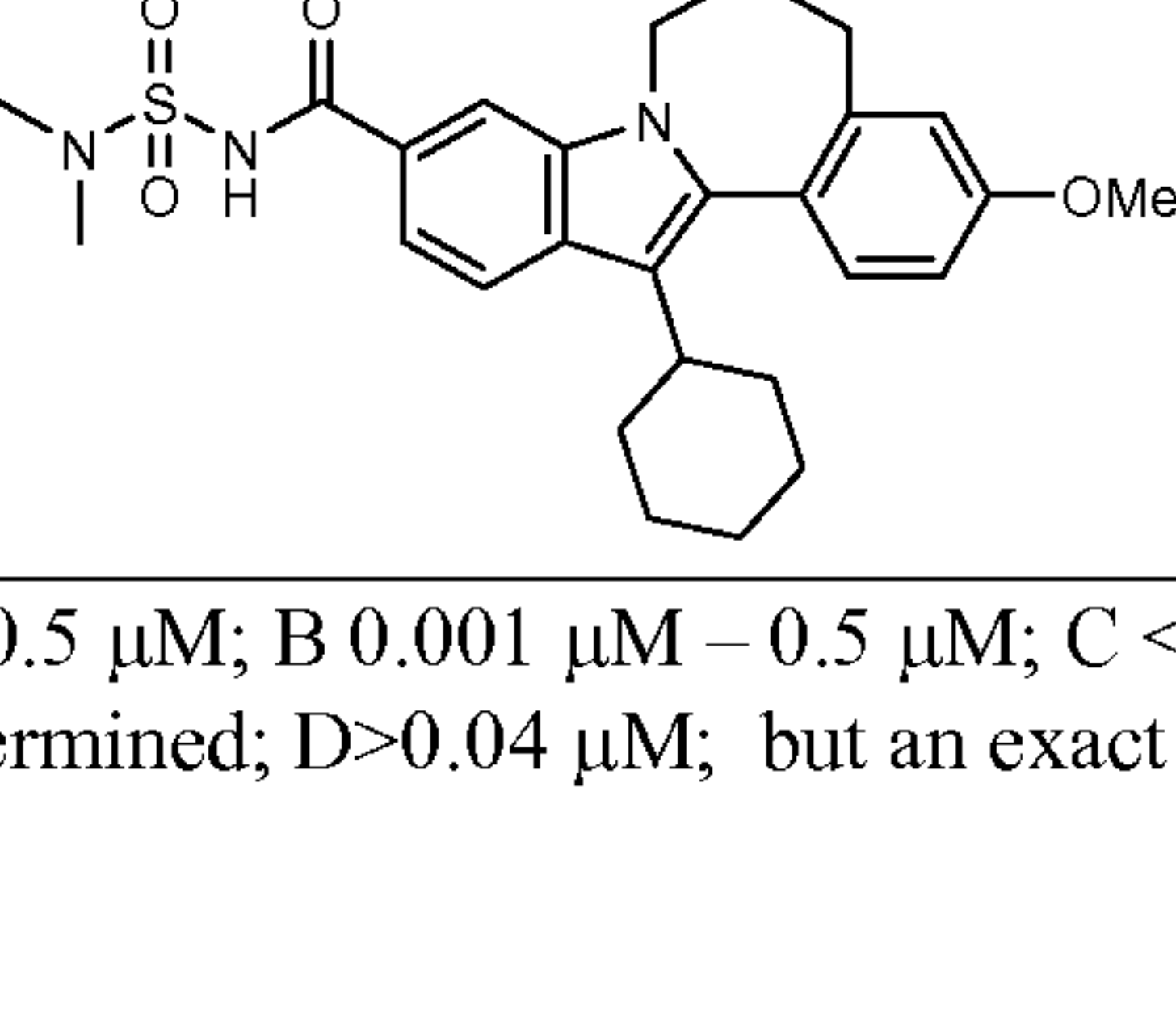
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 	B	B
 	B	B
 	B	B
 	C	B

Structure	IC ₅₀ (μM)	EC ₅₀ (μM)
	C	B
	B	B
	B	B
		
	B	B

Structure	IC ₅₀ (μM)	EC ₅₀ (μM)
	B	B
	B	B
	B	B
	B	B
	C	B

Structure	IC ₅₀ (μM)	EC ₅₀ (μM)
	B	B
	B	B
	B	B
	B	B

Structure	IC ₅₀ (μM)	EC ₅₀ (μM)
	B	B
	B	B
	B	B
	B	B
	B	B

Structure	IC ₅₀ (μM)	EC ₅₀ (μM)
		
		
		
	B	B
	B	B

A>0.5 μM; B 0.001 μM – 0.5 μM; C <0.02 μM but an exact value was not determined; D>0.04 μM; but an exact value was not determined.

Pharmaceutical Compositions and Methods of Treatment

The compounds demonstrate activity against HCV NS5B and can be useful in treating HCV and HCV infection. Therefore, another aspect of the invention is a
5 composition comprising a compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

Another aspect of the invention is a composition further comprising a compound having anti-HCV activity.

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Another aspect of the invention is a composition where the compound having anti-HCV activity is an interferon. Another aspect of the invention is where the interferon is selected from interferon alpha 2B, pegylated interferon alpha, consensus interferon, interferon alpha 2A, and lymphoblastoid interferon tau.

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Another aspect of the invention is a composition where the compound having anti-HCV activity is a cyclosporin. Another aspect of the invention is where the cyclosporin is cyclosporin A.

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Another aspect of the invention is a composition where the compound having anti-HCV activity is selected from the group consisting of interleukin 2, interleukin 6, interleukin 12, a compound that enhances the development of a type 1 helper T cell response, interfering RNA, anti-sense RNA, Imiqimod, ribavirin, an inosine 5'-monophosphate dehydrogenase inhibitor, amantadine, and rimantadine.

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Another aspect of the invention is a composition where the compound having anti-HCV activity is effective to inhibit the function of a target selected from HCV metalloprotease, HCV serine protease, HCV polymerase, HCV helicase, HCV NS4B protein, HCV entry, HCV assembly, HCV egress, HCV NS5A protein, IMPDH, and
30 a nucleoside analog for the treatment of an HCV infection.

Another aspect of the invention is a composition comprising a compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, an interferon and ribavirin.

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Another aspect of the invention is a method of inhibiting the function of the HCV replicon comprising contacting the HCV replicon with a compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

5 Another aspect of the invention is a method of inhibiting the function of the HCV NS5B protein comprising contacting the HCV NS5B protein with a compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

10 Another aspect of the invention is a method of treating an HCV infection in a patient comprising administering to the patient a therapeutically effective amount of a compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof. In another embodiment the compound is effective to inhibit the function of the HCV replicon. In another embodiment the compound is effective to inhibit the function of the HCV NS5B protein.

15 Another aspect of the invention is a method of treating an HCV infection in a patient comprising administering to the patient a therapeutically effective amount of a compound, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, in conjunction with (prior to, after, or concurrently) another compound having anti-HCV activity.

20 Another aspect of the invention is the method where the other compound having anti-HCV activity is an interferon.

25 Another aspect of the invention is the method where the interferon is selected from interferon alpha 2B, pegylated interferon alpha, consensus interferon, interferon alpha 2A, and lymphoblastoid interferon tau.

Another aspect of the invention is the method where the other compound having anti-HCV activity is a cyclosporin.

30 Another aspect of the invention is the method where the cyclosporin is cyclosporin A.

35 Another aspect of the invention is the method where the other compound having anti-HCV activity is selected from interleukin 2, interleukin 6, interleukin 12,

a compound that enhances the development of a type 1 helper T cell response, interfering RNA, anti-sense RNA, Imiquimod, ribavirin, an inosine 5'-monophosphate dehydrogenase inhibitor, amantadine, and rimantadine.

5 Another aspect of the invention is the method where the other compound having anti-HCV activity is effective to inhibit the function of a target selected from the group consisting of HCV metalloprotease, HCV serine protease, HCV polymerase, HCV helicase, HCV NS4B protein, HCV entry, HCV assembly, HCV egress, HCV NS5A protein, IMPDH, and a nucleoside analog for the treatment of an
10 HCV infection.

 Another aspect of the invention is the method where the other compound having anti-HCV activity is effective to inhibit the function of target in the HCV life cycle other than the HCV NS5B protein.

15 “Therapeutically effective” means the amount of agent required to provide a meaningful patient benefit as understood by practitioners in the field of hepatitis and HCV infection.

20 “Patient” means a person infected with the HCV virus and suitable for therapy as understood by practitioners in the field of hepatitis and HCV infection.

 “Treatment,” “therapy,” “regimen,” “HCV infection,” and related terms are used as understood by practitioners in the field of hepatitis and HCV infection.

25 The compounds of this invention are generally given as pharmaceutical compositions comprised of a therapeutically effective amount of a compound or its pharmaceutically acceptable salt and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier and may contain conventional excipients. A therapeutically effective amount is that which is
30 needed to provide a meaningful patient benefit. Pharmaceutically acceptable carriers are those conventionally known carriers having acceptable safety profiles. Compositions encompass all common solid and liquid forms including capsules, tablets, lozenges, and powders as well as liquid suspensions, syrups, elixers, and solutions. Compositions are made using common formulation techniques, and

conventional excipients (such as binding and wetting agents) and vehicles (such as water and alcohols) are generally used for compositions.

5 Solid compositions are normally formulated in dosage units and compositions providing from about 1 to 1000 mg of the active ingredient per dose are preferred. Some examples of dosages are 1 mg, 10 mg, 100 mg, 250 mg, 500 mg, and 1000 mg. Generally, other agents will be present in a unit range similar to agents of that class used clinically. Typically, this is 0.25-1000 mg/unit.

10 Liquid compositions are usually in dosage unit ranges. Generally, the liquid composition will be in a unit dosage range of 1-100 mg/mL. Some examples of dosages are 1 mg/mL, 10 mg/mL, 25 mg/mL, 50 mg/mL, and 100 mg/mL. Generally, other agents will be present in a unit range similar to agents of that class used clinically. Typically, this is 1-100 mg/mL.

15 The invention encompasses all conventional modes of administration; oral and parenteral methods are preferred. Generally, the dosing regimen will be similar to other agents used clinically. Typically, the daily dose will be 1-100 mg/kg body weight daily. Generally, more compound is required orally and less parenterally.
20 The specific dosing regime, however, will be determined by a physician using sound medical judgement.

The invention also encompasses methods where the compound is given in combination therapy. That is, the compound can be used in conjunction with, but
25 separately from, other agents useful in treating hepatitis and HCV infection. In these combination methods, the compound will generally be given in a daily dose of 1-100 mg/kg body weight daily in conjunction with other agents. The other agents generally will be given in the amounts used therapeutically. The specific dosing regime, however, will be determined by a physician using sound medical judgement.

30 Some examples of compounds suitable for compositions and methods are listed in Table 2.

Table 2.

Brand Name	Type of Inhibitor or Target	Source Company
Omega IFN	IFN- ω	Intarcia Therapeutics
BILN-2061	serine protease inhibitor	Boehringer Ingelheim Pharma KG, Ingelheim, Germany
Summetrel	antiviral	Endo Pharmaceuticals Holdings Inc., Chadds Ford, PA
Roferon A	IFN- α 2a	F. Hoffmann-La Roche LTD, Basel, Switzerland
Pegasys	PEGylated IFN- α 2a	F. Hoffmann-La Roche LTD, Basel, Switzerland
Pegasys and Ribavirin	PEGylated IFN- α 2a/ribavirin	F. Hoffmann-La Roche LTD, Basel, Switzerland
CellCept	HCV IgG immunosuppressant	F. Hoffmann-La Roche LTD, Basel, Switzerland
Wellferon	lymphoblastoid IFN- α n1	GlaxoSmithKline plc, Uxbridge, UK
Albuferon - α	albumin IFN- α 2b	Human Genome Sciences Inc., Rockville, MD
Levovirin	ribavirin	ICN Pharmaceuticals, Costa Mesa, CA
IDN-6556	caspase inhibitor	Idun Pharmaceuticals Inc., San Diego, CA
IP-501	antifibrotic	Indevus Pharmaceuticals Inc., Lexington, MA
Actimmune	INF- γ	InterMune Inc., Brisbane, CA
Infergen A	IFN alfacon-1	InterMune Pharmaceuticals Inc., Brisbane, CA
ISIS 14803	antisense	ISIS Pharmaceuticals Inc, Carlsbad, CA/Elan Pharmaceuticals Inc., New York, NY
JTK-003	RdRp inhibitor	Japan Tobacco Inc., Tokyo, Japan
Pegasys and Ceplene	PEGylated IFN- α 2a/immune modulator	Maxim Pharmaceuticals Inc., San Diego, CA
Ceplene	immune modulator	Maxim Pharmaceuticals Inc., San Diego, CA
Civacir	HCV IgG immunosuppressant	Nabi Biopharmaceuticals Inc., Boca Raton, FL

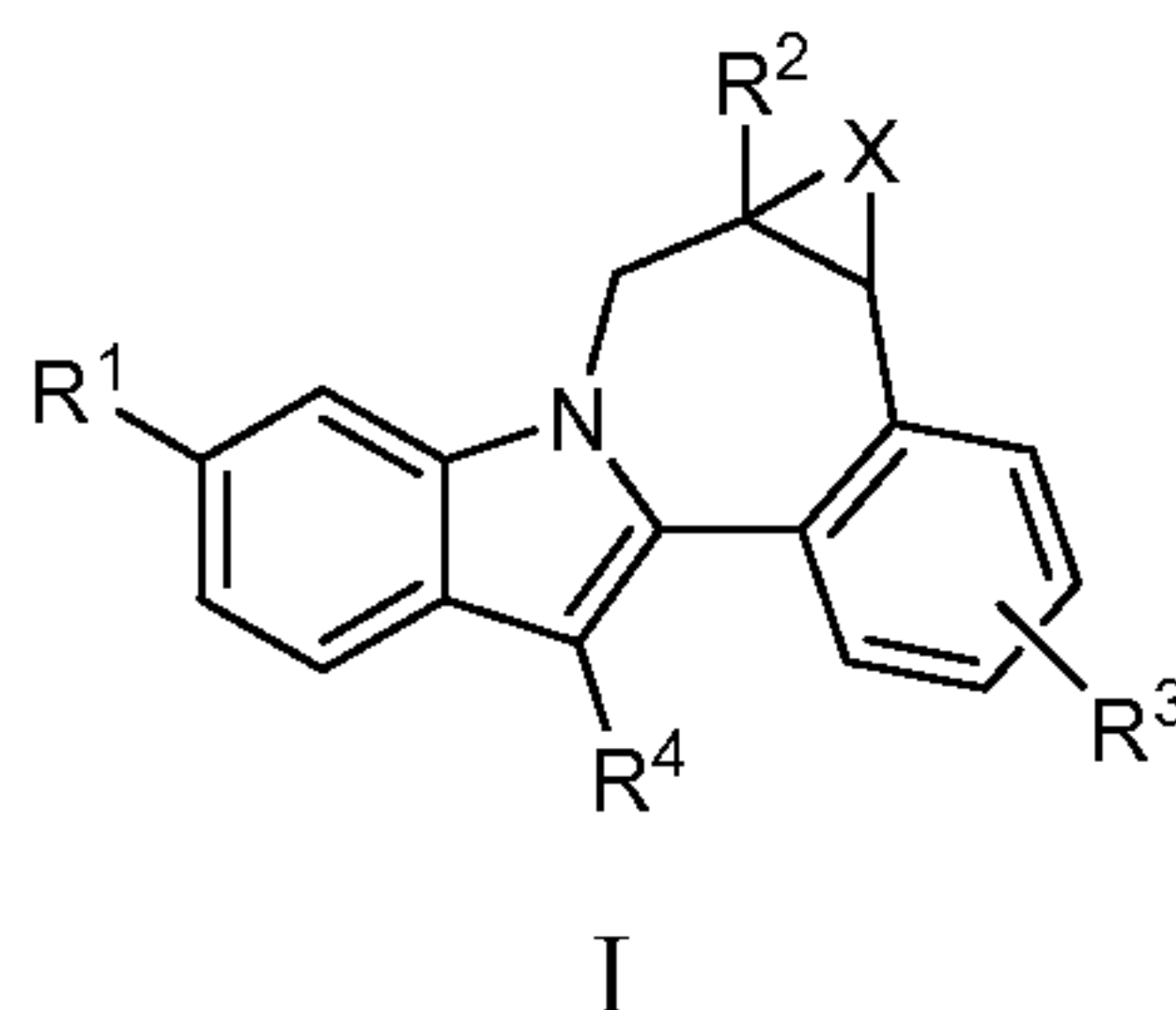
Brand Name	Type of Inhibitor or Target	Source Company
Intron A and Zadaxin	IFN- α 2b/ α 1-thymosin	RegeneRx Biopharmaceuticals Inc., Bethesda, MD/ SciClone Pharmaceuticals Inc, San Mateo, CA
Levovirin	IMPDH inhibitor	Ribapharm Inc., Costa Mesa, CA
Viramidine	Ribavirin Prodrug	Ribapharm Inc., Costa Mesa, CA
Heptazyme	ribozyme	Ribozyme Pharmaceuticals Inc., Boulder, CO
Intron A	IFN- α 2b	Schering-Plough Corporation, Kenilworth, NJ
PEG-Intron	PEGylated IFN- α 2b	Schering-Plough Corporation, Kenilworth, NJ
Rebetron	IFN- α 2b/ribavirin	Schering-Plough Corporation, Kenilworth, NJ
Ribavirin	ribavirin	Schering-Plough Corporation, Kenilworth, NJ
PEG-Intron / Ribavirin	PEGylated IFN- α 2b/ribavirin	Schering-Plough Corporation, Kenilworth, NJ
Zadazim	Immune modulator	SciClone Pharmaceuticals Inc., San Mateo, CA
Rebif	IFN- β 1a	Serono, Geneva, Switzerland
IFN- β and EMZ701	IFN- β and EMZ701	Transition Therapeutics Inc., Ontario, Canada
Batabulin (T67)	β -tubulin inhibitor	Tularik Inc., South San Francisco, CA
Merimepodib (VX-497)	IMPDH inhibitor	Vertex Pharmaceuticals Inc., Cambridge, MA
Telaprevir (VX-950, LY-570310)	NS3 serine protease inhibitor	Vertex Pharmaceuticals Inc., Cambridge, MA/ Eli Lilly and Co. Inc., Indianapolis, IN
Omniferon	natural IFN- α	Viragen Inc., Plantation, FL

Brand Name	Type of Inhibitor or Target	Source Company
XTL-6865 (XTL-002)	monoclonal antibody	XTL Biopharmaceuticals Ltd., Rehovot, Isreal
HCV-796	NS5B Replicase Inhibitor	Wyeth / Viropharma
NM-283	NS5B Replicase Inhibitor	Idenix / Novartis
GL-59728	NS5B Replicase Inhibitor	Gene Labs / Novartis
GL-60667	NS5B Replicase Inhibitor	Gene Labs / Novartis
2'C MeA	NS5B Replicase Inhibitor	Gilead
PSI 6130	NS5B Replicase Inhibitor	Roche
R1626	NS5B Replicase Inhibitor	Roche
SCH 503034	serine protease inhibitor	Schering Plough
NIM811	Cyclophilin Inhibitor	Novartis
Suvus	Methylene blue	Bioenvision
Multiferon	Long lasting IFN	Viragen/Valentis
Actilon (CPG10101)	TLR9 agonist	Coley
Interferon- β	Interferon- β -1a	Serono
Zadaxin	Immunomodulator	Sciclone
Pyrazolopyrimidine compounds and salts From WO-2005047288 26 May 2005	HCV Inhibitors	Arrow Therapeutics Ltd.
2'C Methyl adenosine	NS5B Replicase Inhibitor	Merck
GS-9132 (ACH-806)	HCV Inhibitor	Achillion / Gilead

CLAIMS

We claim:

- 5 1. A compound of formula I



10 where:

R^1 is CO_2R^5 or CONR^6R^7 ;

15 R^2 is furanyl, pyrrolyl, thienyl, pyrazolyl, isoxazolyl, isothiazolyl, imidazolyl, oxazolyl, thiazolyl, oxadiazolyl, triazolyl, or tetrazolyl, and is substituted with 0-2 substituents selected from oxo, amino, alkylthio, alkyl, and haloalkyl, and 1 substituent selected from CO_2R^5 , $\text{CON}(R^{12})_2$, and COR^{13} ;

20 R^3 is hydrogen, halo, alkyl, alkenyl, hydroxy, benzyloxy, or alkoxy;

R^4 is cycloalkyl;

R^5 is hydrogen or alkyl;

25 R^6 is hydrogen, alkyl, alkyl SO_2 , cycloalkyl SO_2 , haloalkyl SO_2 , $(R^9)(R^{10})\text{NSO}_2$, or $(R^{11})\text{SO}_2$;

R^7 is hydrogen or alkyl;

R^8 is hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl, (cycloalkyl)alkyl, alkylcarbonyl, cycloalkylcarbonyl, haloalkylcarbonyl, alkoxy carbonyl, alkylSO₂, cycloalkylSO₂, haloalkylSO₂, aminocarbonyl, (alkylamino)carbonyl, (dialkylamino)carbonyl, benzyl, benzyloxycarbonyl, or pyridinyl;

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R^9 is hydrogen or alkyl;

R^{10} is hydrogen or alkyl;

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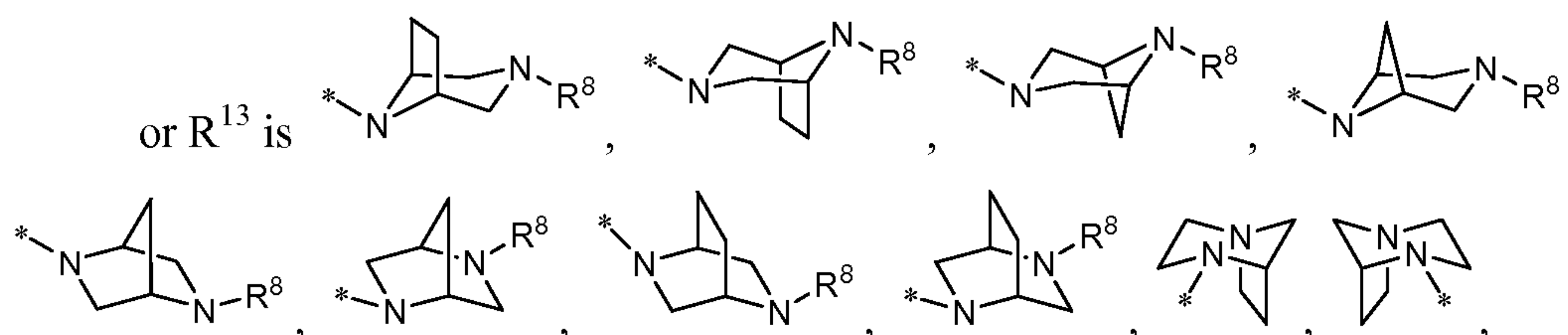
R^{11} is azetidiny, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, morpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl, homopiperidinyl, homopiperazinyl, or homomorpholinyl, and is substituted with 0-1 alkyl substituents;

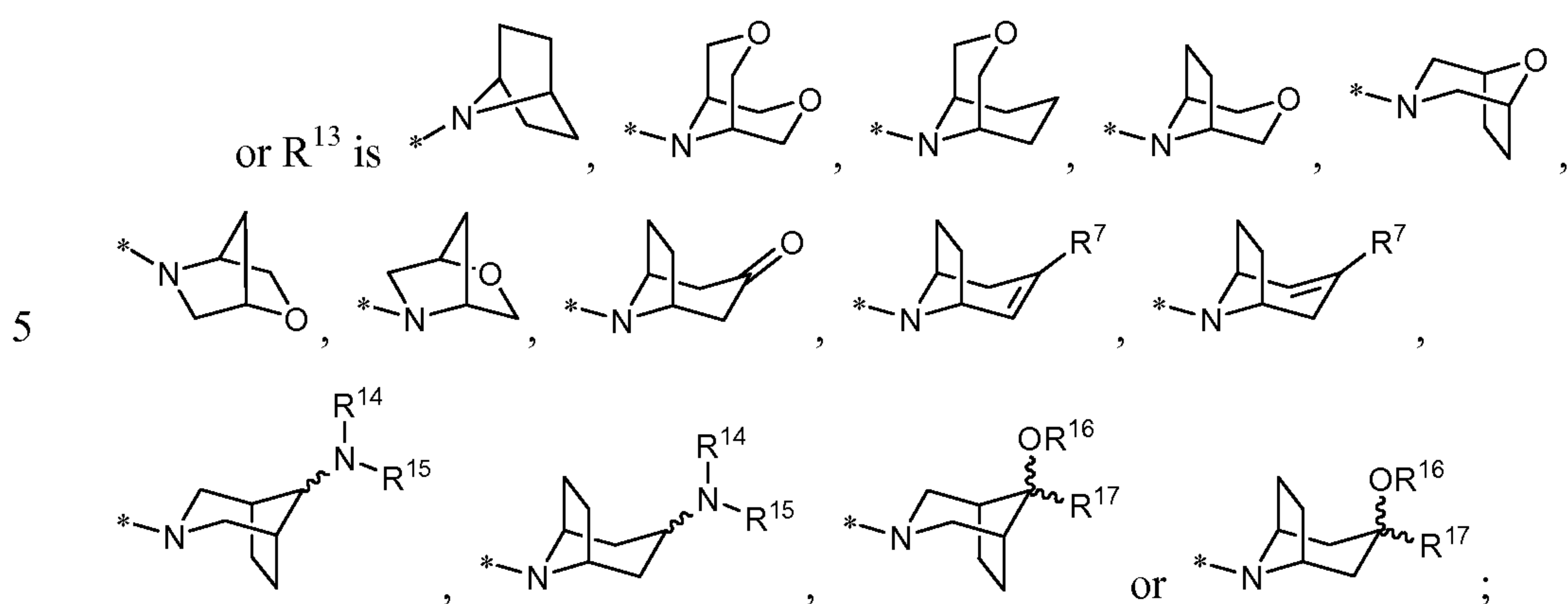
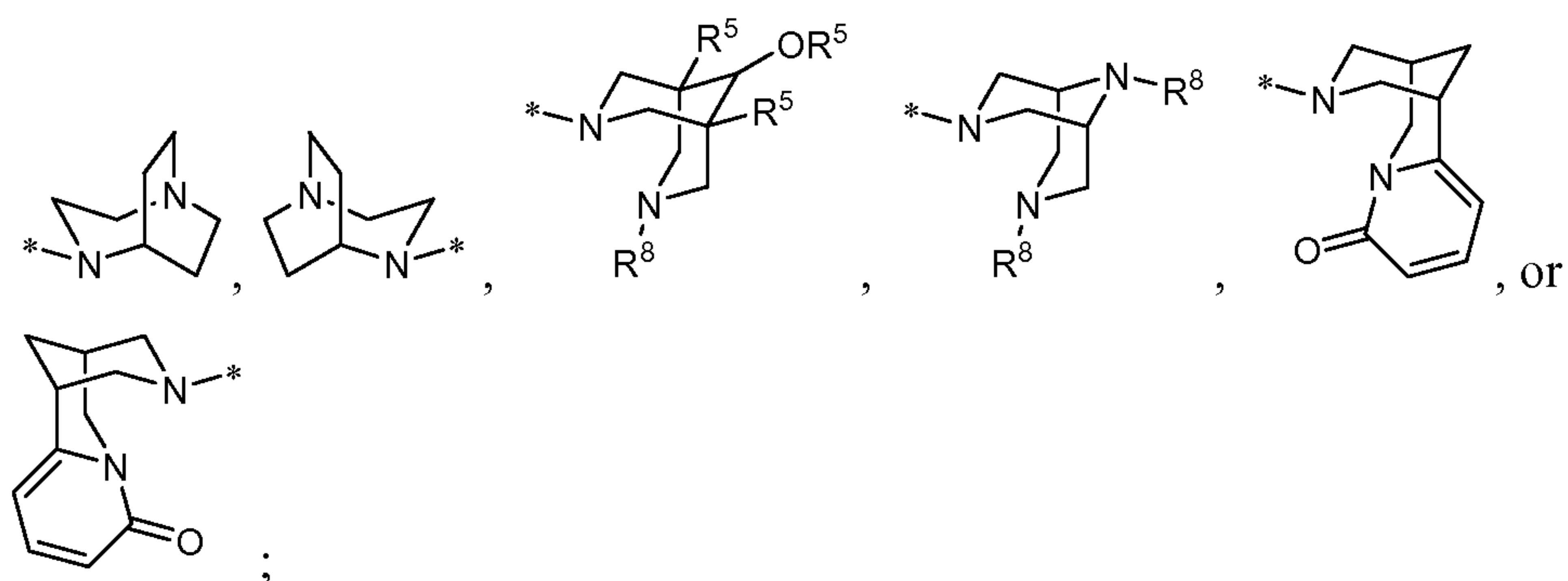
R^{12} is hydrogen, alkyl, alkoxyalkyl, aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, or (R^{11})alkyl;

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R^{13} is azetidiny, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, morpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl, homopiperidinyl, homopiperazinyl, or homomorpholinyl, and is substituted with 0-3 substituents selected from alkyl, alkoxyalkyl, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, R^{11} , aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, (R^{11})alkyl, or CO₂R⁵;

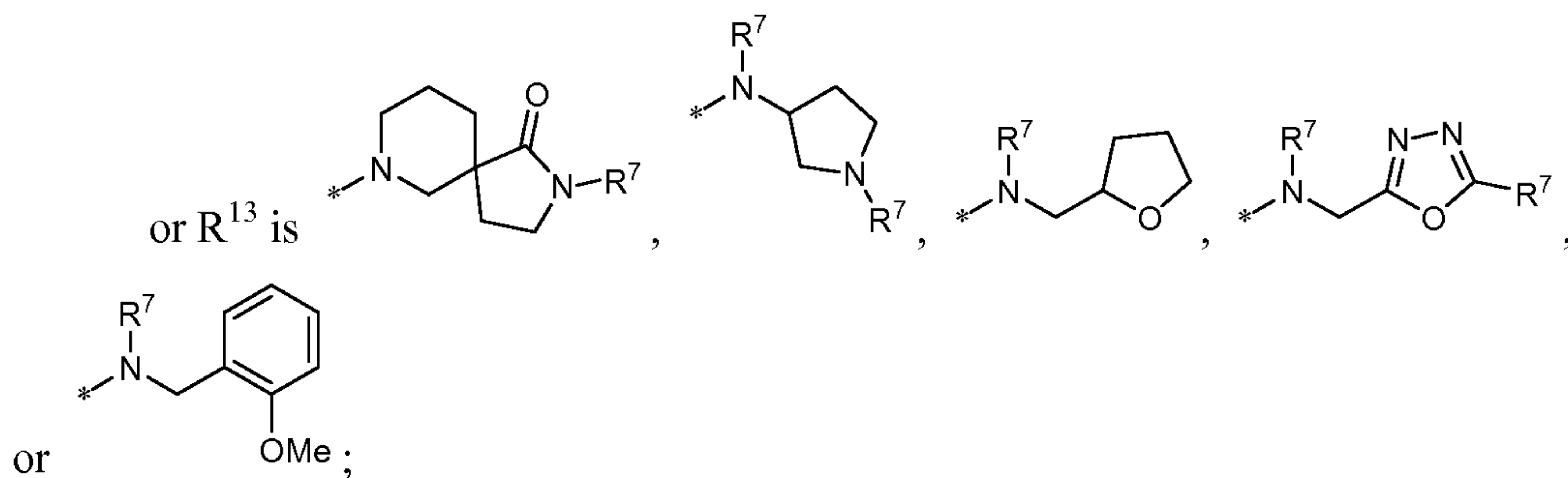
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or R^{13} is a [4.3.0] or [3.3.0] bicyclic diamine attached to the carbonyl through one nitrogen, and is substituted with 0-2 R^8 substituents;

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15 R^{14} is hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl, (cycloalkyl)alkyl, aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, or benzyl;

R^{15} is hydrogen, alkyl, cycloalkyl, (cycloalkyl)alkyl, aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, or benzyl;

or $\text{NR}^{14}\text{R}^{15}$ taken together is azetidiny, pyrrolidiny, piperidiny, piperaziny, N-(alkyl)piperaziny, morpholiny, thiomorpholiny, homopiperidiny, or homomorpholiny;

5 R^{16} is hydrogen or alkyl;

R^{17} is hydrogen, alkyl, or cycloalkyl; and

X is methylene, a bond, or absent;

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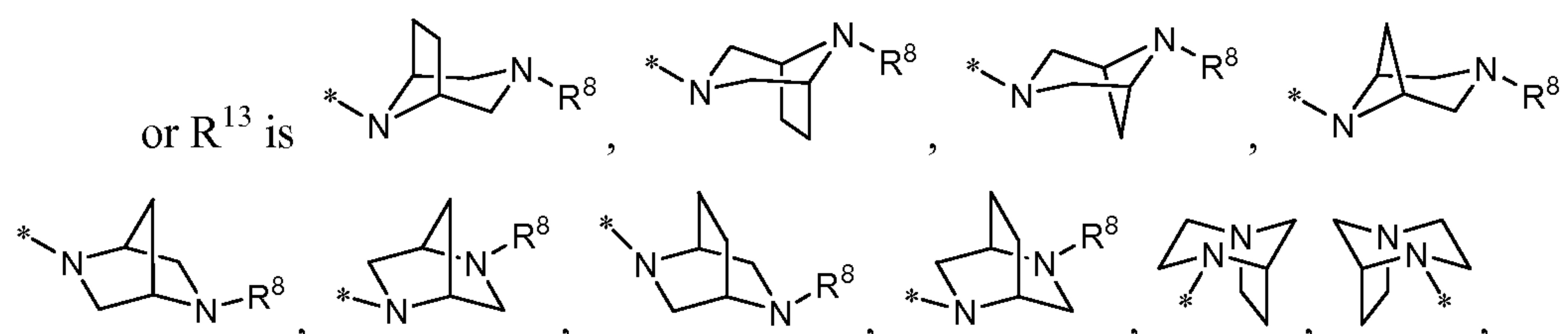
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

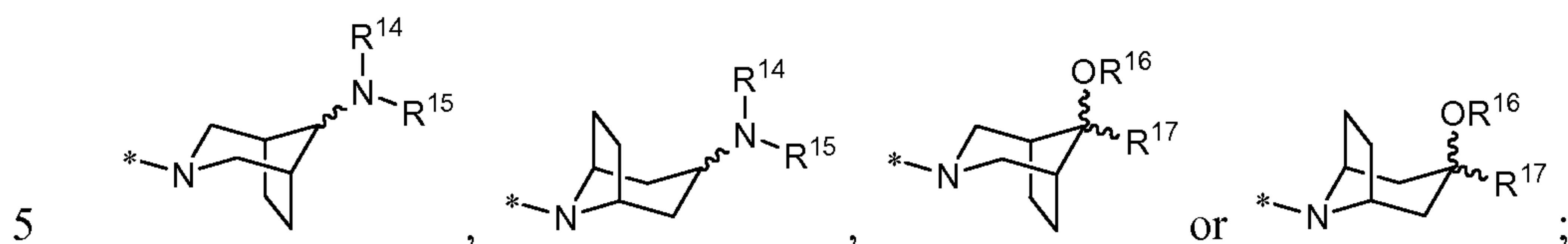
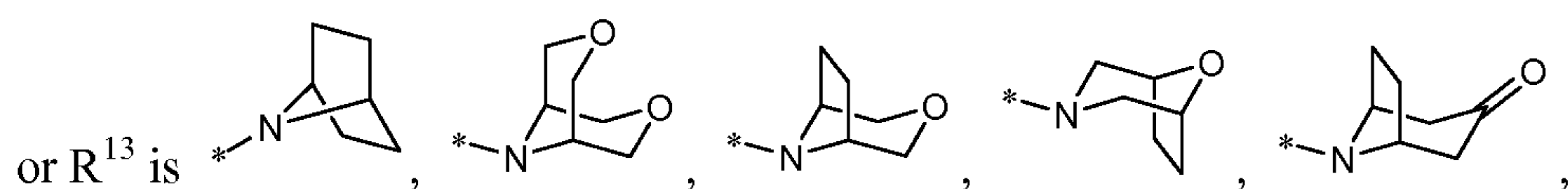
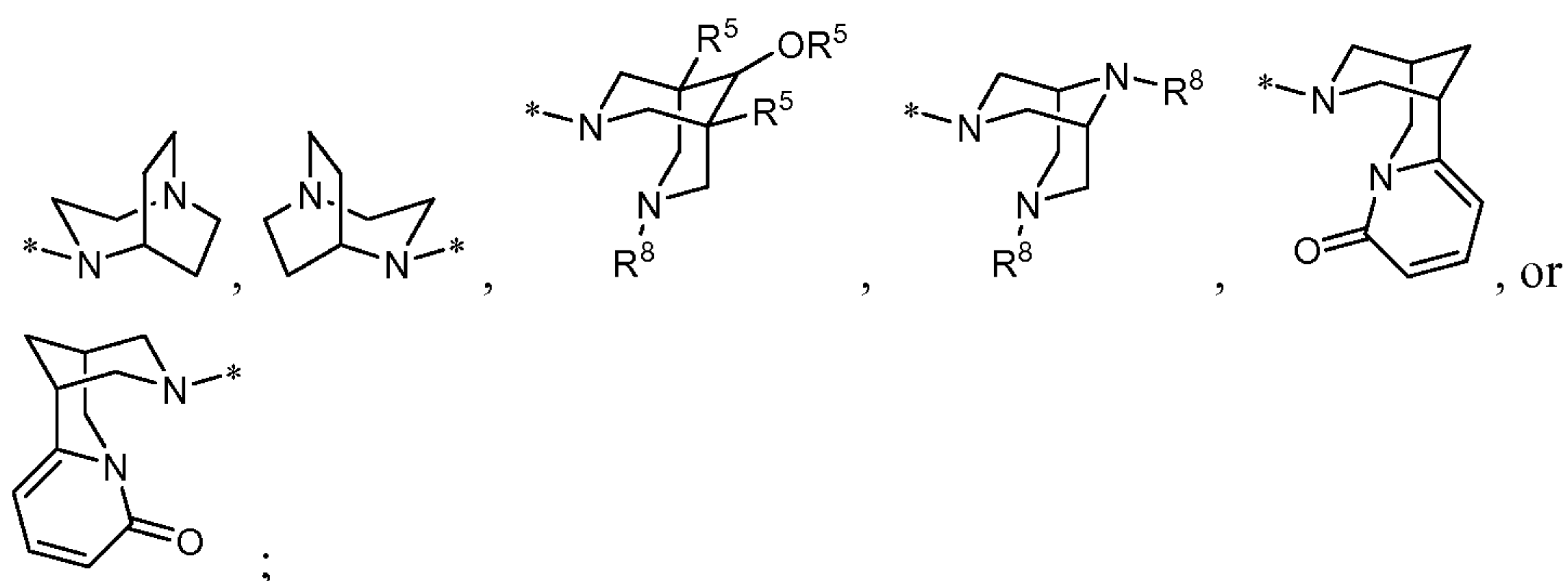
2. A compound of claim 1 where:

15 R^2 is furanyl, pyrrolyl, thienyl, pyrazolyl, isoxazolyl, isothiazolyl, imidazolyl, oxazolyl, thiazolyl, oxadiazolyl, triazolyl, or tetrazolyl, and is substituted with 0-2 substituents selected from oxo, amino, alkyl, and haloalkyl, and 1 substituent selected from CO_2R^5 , $\text{CON}(\text{R}^{12})_2$, and COR^{13} ; and

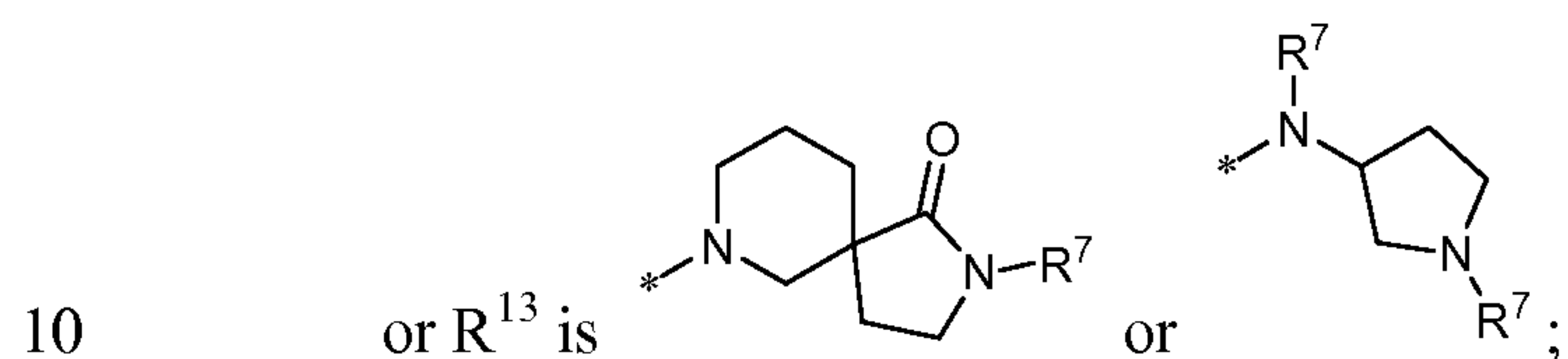
20 R^{13} is azetidiny, pyrrolidiny, piperidiny, piperaziny, morpholiny, thiomorpholiny, homopiperidiny, homopiperaziny, or homomorpholiny, and is substituted with 0-3 substituents selected from alkyl, alkoxyalkyl, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, R^{11} , aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, $(\text{R}^{11})\text{alkyl}$, or CO_2R^5 ;

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or R^{13} is a [4.3.0] or [3.3.0] bicyclic diamine attached to the carbonyl through one nitrogen, and is substituted with 0-2 R^8 substituents;



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

3. A compound of claim 1 where:

R^2 is furanyl, pyrrolyl, thienyl, pyrazolyl, oxazolyl, thiazolyl, isoxazolyl, isothiazolyl, oxadiazolyl, triazolyl, or tetrazolyl, and is substituted with 0-2 substituents selected from oxo, amino, and alkyl, and 1 substituent selected from CO_2R^5 , $CON(R^{12})_2$, and COR^{13} ;

R^{11} is azetidiny, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, N-alkylpiperazinyl, morpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl, homopiperidinyl, homopiperazinyl, or homomorpholinyl; and

- 5 R^{13} is azetidiny, pyrrolidinyl, piperidinyl, piperazinyl, morpholinyl, thiomorpholinyl, homopiperidinyl, homopiperazinyl, or homomorpholinyl, and is substituted with 0-3 substituents selected from alkyl, amino, alkylamino, dialkylamino, R^{11} , aminoalkyl, (alkylamino)alkyl, (dialkylamino)alkyl, or (R^{11}) alkyl;
- 10 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

4. A compound of claim 1 where R^1 is CONR^6R^7 ; R^6 is alkyl SO_2 , cycloalkyl SO_2 , haloalkyl SO_2 , $(R^9)_2\text{NSO}_2$, or $(R^{10})\text{SO}_2$; and R^7 is hydrogen.

15 5. A compound of claim 1 where R^3 is hydrogen.

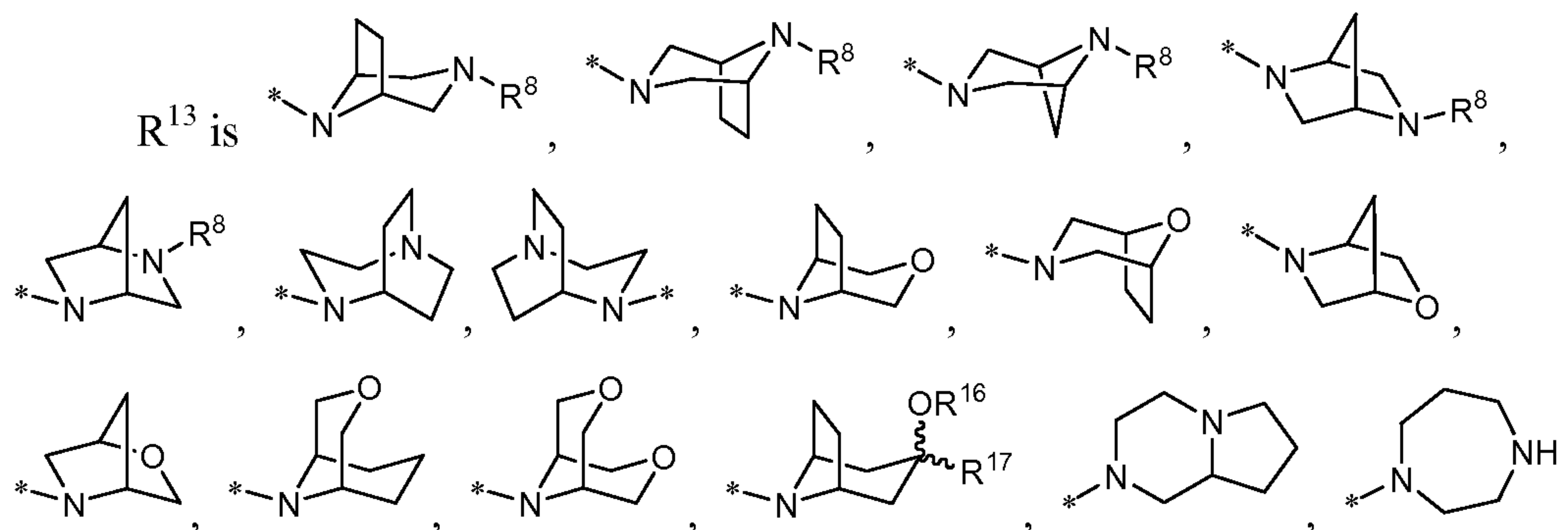
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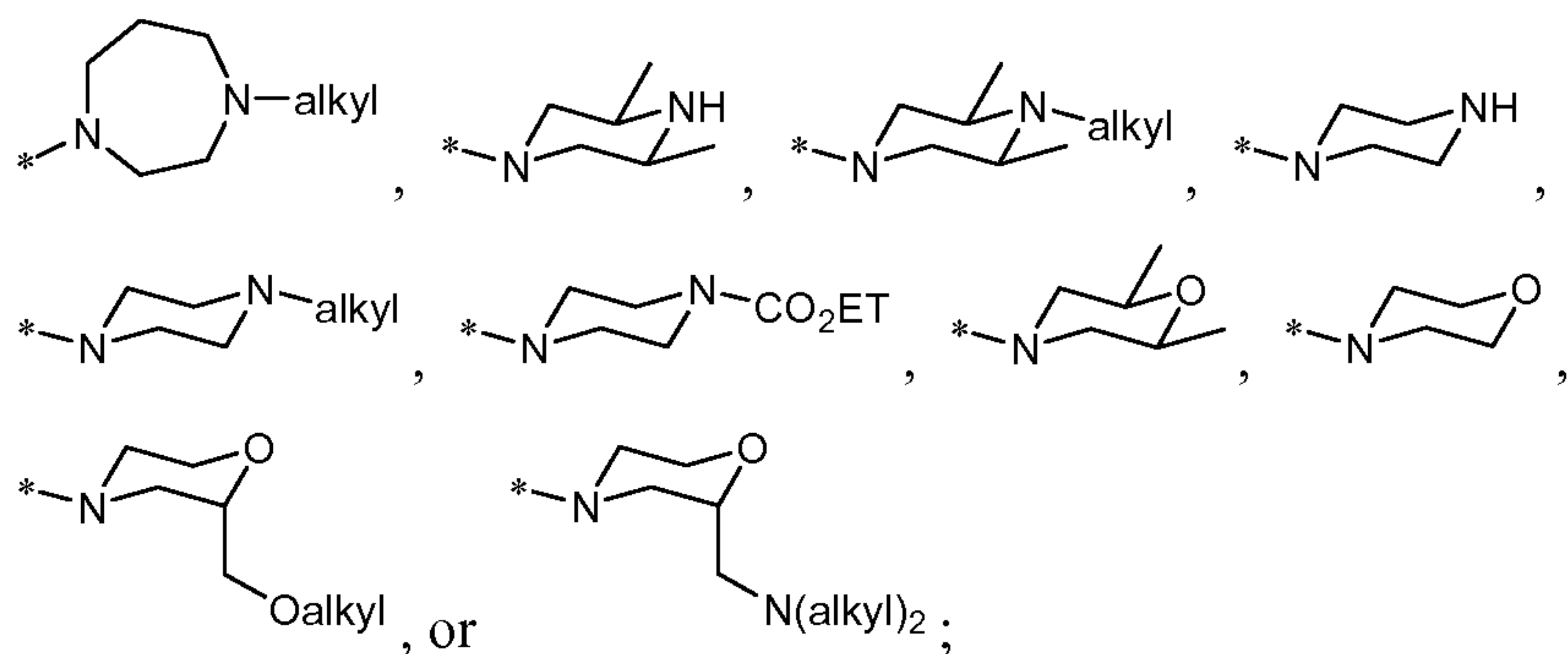
7. A compound of claim 1 where R^4 is cyclohexyl.

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8. A compound of claim 1 where R^6 is alkyl SO_2 , cycloalkyl SO_2 , $(R^9)(R^{10})\text{NSO}_2$ or $(R^{11})\text{SO}_2$.

9. A compound of claim 1 where R^2 is pyrazolyl substituted with 2
 25 substituents selected from alkyl and haloalkyl and 1 COR^{13} substituent;





5 R^8 is hydrogen or alkyl;

R^{16} is hydrogen or alkyl; and

R^{17} is alkyl;

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or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

10. A compound of claim 1 where X is methylene.

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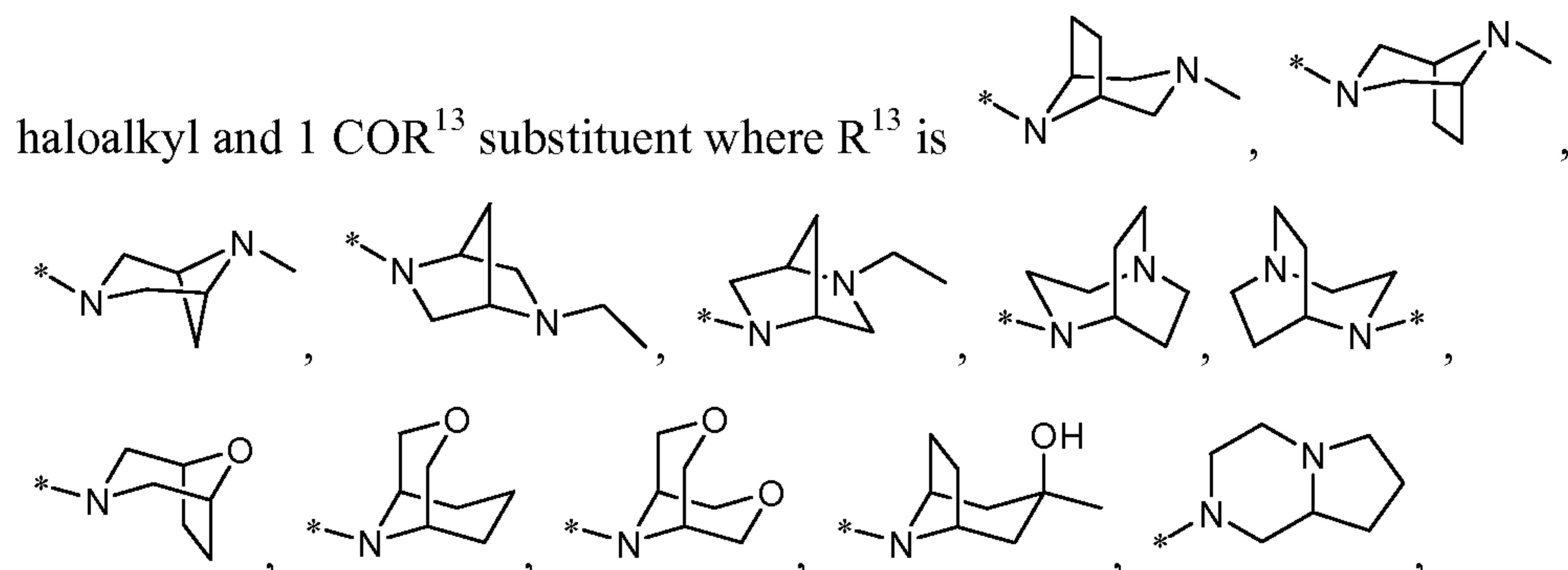
11. A compound of claim 1 where X is absent.

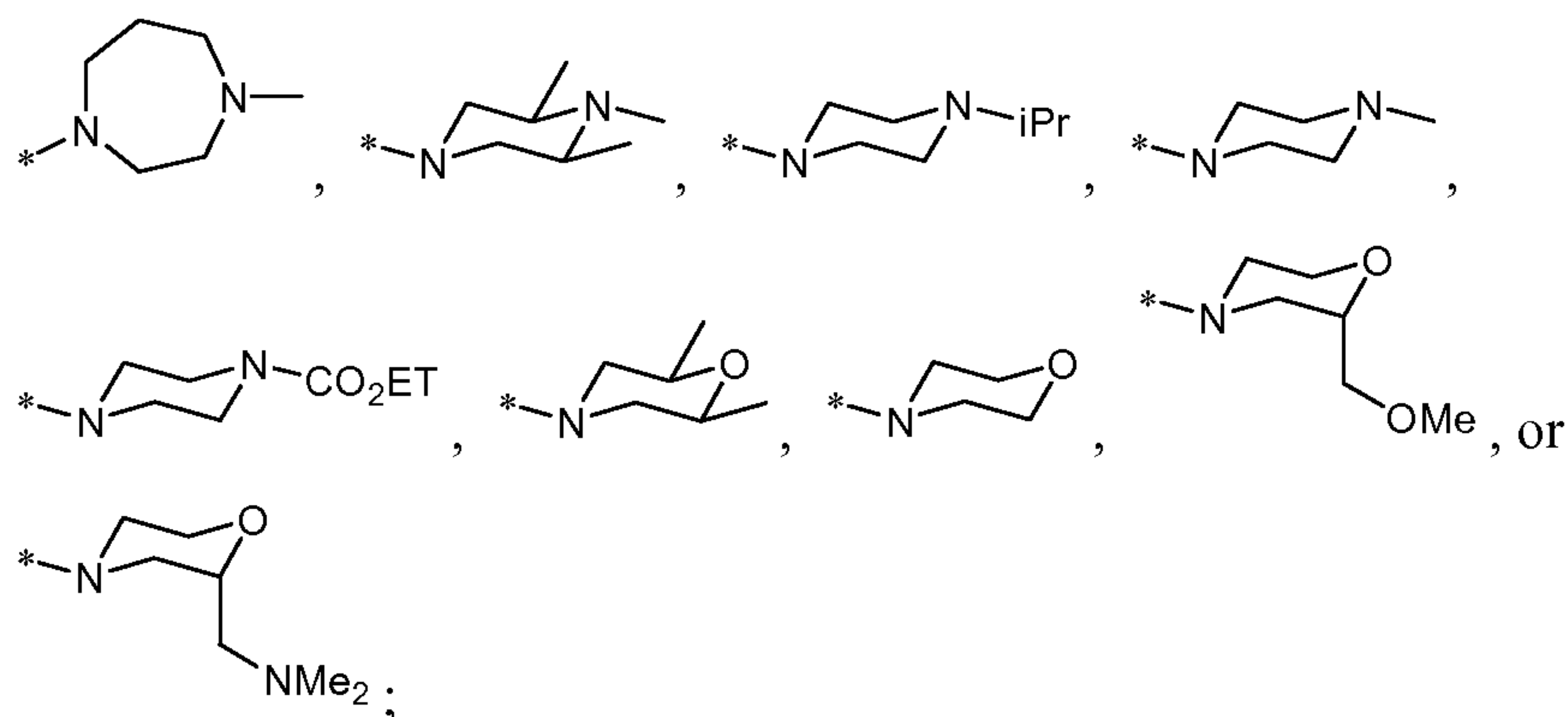
12. A compound of claim 1 where X is a bond.

13. A compound of claim 12 where R^1 is CONR^6R^7 ;

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R^2 is pyrazolyl substituted with 2 substituents selected from alkyl and





5 R^3 is hydrogen or methoxy;

R^4 is cyclohexyl;

R^6 is alkylSO₂, cycloalkylSO₂, haloalkylSO₂, (R⁹)₂NSO₂, or (R¹⁰)SO₂;

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and R^7 is hydrogen;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

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14. A compound of claim 1 selected from the group consisting of

7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[2-(methoxycarbonyl)-3-thienyl]-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester;

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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 6-(4-carboxy-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-;

7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;

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7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(1,4-diazabicyclo[3.2.2]non-4-ylcarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(1R,5S)-8-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-3-yl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(1S,4S)-5-ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-5-thiazolyl]-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester;
- 3-thiophenecarboxylic acid, 2-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-(1-methylethyl)-4-[(3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperazinyl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[[[(1R,5S)-3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl]carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1,3-dimethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester;
- 25 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl-;
- 30 1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylic acid, 2-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-
 [(8-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-3-yl)carbonyl]-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-
 pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-
 methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-3-(trifluoromethyl)-
 1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-
 [[(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-
 1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-
 methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[(4-methyl-1-piperazinyl)carbonyl]-3-
 (trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(1S,4S)-5-
 ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-
 pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-
 [(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-
 pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[2-
 [(diethylamino)carbonyl]-3-thienyl]-N-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-3-methoxy-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-
 (methoxycarbonyl)-5-oxazolyl]-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-5-oxazolyl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-5-oxazolyl]-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[[methyl(1-methyl-3-pyrrolidinyl)amino]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[2-[(dimethylamino)methyl]-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(1R,5S)-3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(3,7-dioxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[[4-(1-methylethyl)-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[[4-(1-pyrrolidinyl)-1-piperidinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-
[[[(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-
[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-
methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-
yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[3-
(dimethylamino)-1-piperidinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-
[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-
methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-
[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(3,7-dioxa-9-
azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-
methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-
[(hexahydropyrrolo[1,2-a]pyrazin-2(1H)-yl)carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-
methoxy-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-
(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-
diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(3,7-dioxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[(8-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-3-yl)carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-cyclopropyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 30 1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylic acid, 2-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-, ethyl ester;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-4-[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperaziny]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-3-methoxy-6-[2-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-3-thienyl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-6-[1-ethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 6-[4-(7-azabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-7-ylcarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(4-methyl-1-piperaziny]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[3-(dimethylamino)-1-pyrrolidinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 6-[4-(7-azabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-7-ylcarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[(8-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-3-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 5 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[10-[[[(cyclobutylsulfonyl)amino]carbonyl]-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-, ethyl ester;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-6-[4-[[3-(dimethylamino)-1-piperidinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-10 1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-6-[4-[(hexahydropyrrolo[1,2-a]pyrazin-2(1H)-yl)carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;
- 15 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[[[(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[3-(dimethylamino)-1-piperidinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-25 [(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(3-oxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-30 ylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(1R,4R)-5-ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl]carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-(1-methylethyl)-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[(3-methyl-8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-2-en-8-yl)carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 15 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-10-[[[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl-, methyl ester;
- 20 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-4-[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperaziny]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-3-methyl-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[3-methyl-1-(1-methylethyl)-4-[(4-methyl-1-piperazinyl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[3-methyl-1-(1-methylethyl)-4-[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-ethyl-3-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(1-pyrrolidinylsulfonyl)-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-5-oxazolyl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-(1-pyrrolidinylsulfonyl)-morpholine, 4-[[13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-10-yl]carbonyl]-;

- 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-, ethyl ester;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(hexahydro-4-methyl-1H-1,4-diazepin-1-yl)carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 10 1-piperazinecarboxylic acid, 4-[[5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-4-yl]carbonyl]-, ethyl ester;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[[4-(1-pyrrolidinyl)-1-piperidinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[[[(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[[[(2-methoxyphenyl)methyl](1-methylethyl)amino]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-6-[4-[[[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-6-[4-[[[(1S,4S)-5-ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(3-oxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-(1-methylethyl)-4-[[[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[[[(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 30 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl-, methyl ester;

- 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1,3-dimethyl-, methyl ester;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1,3-dimethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[3-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrrol-2-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-(1-methylethyl)-3-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrrol-2-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[[[(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(3-hydroxy-3-methyl-8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-3-methoxy-6-[4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-5-oxazolyl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(hexahydropyrrolo[1,2-a]pyrazin-2(1H)-yl)carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
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- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[[(1S,4S)-5-ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[[2-(dimethylamino)ethyl]methylamino]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(hexahydropyrrolo[1,2-a]pyrazin-2(1H)-yl)carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 15 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-, ethyl ester;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[[(5-ethyl-1,3,4-oxadiazol-2-yl)methyl](1-methylethyl)amino]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[10-[[[(cyclobutylsulfonyl)amino]carbonyl]-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-6-[4-(3,7-dioxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[[[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl)carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[(3-methyl-8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-2-en-8-yl)carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[3-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrrol-2-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-(1-methylethyl)-3-[(4-propyl-1-piperazinyl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrrol-2-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 25 3-furancarboxylic acid, 2-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-, ethyl ester;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-
 [(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-3-methoxy-6-[1-(1-methylethyl)-4-(4-
 morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 6-(4-carboxy-5-oxazolyl)-13-
 cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-, 10-(1,1-dimethylethyl) ester;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-[(4-
 methyl-1-piperazinyl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-(1-
 10 pyrrolidinylsulfonyl)-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-[(4-
 methyl-1-piperazinyl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-
 methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-
 (cyclopropylsulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-[4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-5-oxazolyl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(3-endo)-3-
 20 hydroxy-3-methyl-8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-
 3-methoxy-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-
 methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[(4-methyl-1-piperazinyl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-
 25 5-yl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-
 methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-trimethyl-1-
 piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-
 (cyclopentylsulfonyl)-6-[4-[[ethyl(1-methylethyl)amino]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-
 pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(3-oxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(5-ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl)carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[3-(dimethylamino)-1-piperidiny]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[[[(1-methylethyl)(tetrahydro-2-furanyl)methyl]amino]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[[[(1R,5S)-8-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-3-yl]carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[[[(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(methoxycarbonyl)-1,3-dimethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1,3-dimethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(1S,4S)-5-ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl]carbonyl]-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)-4-[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopropylsulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-5-oxazolyl]-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester;
- 25 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[3-(dimethylamino)-1-pyrrolidinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(1-oxo-2,7-diazaspiro[4.5]dec-7-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-
 [[(2-methoxyethyl)(1-methylethyl)amino]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(4-
 morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-
 methyl-4-[[[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(4-
 morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-
 [[(2-methoxyethyl)(1-methylethyl)amino]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-
 [(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[[(3-endo)-3-
 hydroxy-3-methyl-8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-
 3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-
 [(dimethylamino)carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-
 methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-
 (cyclopentylsulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-
 pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[3-
 (dimethylamino)-1-piperidinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-
 [(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(1S,4S)-5-ethyl-2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(hexahydropyrrolo[1,2-a]pyrazin-2(1H)-yl)carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-(1-methylethyl)-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[(3-methyl-3,6-diazabicyclo[3.1.1]hept-6-yl)carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(3-endo)-3-hydroxy-3-methyl-8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl]carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(3-endo)-3-hydroxy-3-methyl-8-azabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl]carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;

- 1H-pyrrole-3-carboxylic acid, 2-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-, ethyl ester;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[4-(3-oxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1,3-dimethyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 10
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-4-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 15
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-(8-oxa-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-3-ylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 20
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-(8-oxa-3-azabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-3-ylcarbonyl)-3-(trifluoromethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 25
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[3-methyl-1-(1-methylethyl)-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 30
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[[4-(1-methylethyl)-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[[3-(dimethylamino)-1-piperidinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[[2-(1-piperidinylmethyl)-1-pyrrolidinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-(4-morpholinylsulfonyl)-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 6-[4-[[[2-[bis(1-methylethyl)amino]ethyl](1-methylethyl)amino]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-(cyclopentylsulfonyl)-3-methoxy-6-[4-[[2-(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperazinyl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;

- 1H-pyrazole-4-carboxylic acid, 5-[13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-10-[[[(1-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]amino]carbonyl]-7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepin-6-yl]-1-methyl-, ethyl ester;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(hexahydropyrrolo[1,2-a]pyrazin-2(1H)-yl)carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 10 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-N-[(2-methylpropyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-[(3R,5S)-3,4,5-trimethyl-1-piperazinyl]carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[1-methyl-4-(3-oxa-9-azabicyclo[3.3.1]non-9-ylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;
- 25 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(2R,6S)-2,6-dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, N-(cyclobutylsulfonyl)-13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[4-[(2S)-2-(methoxymethyl)-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-;

- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[3-
[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-2-thienyl]-N-[(1-
methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 5 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-
(ethoxycarbonyl)-2-(methylthio)-5-thiazolyl]-3-methoxy-, 1,1-dimethylethyl ester;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(1S)-5-ethyl-
2,5-diazabicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-yl]carbonyl]-1-(1-methylethyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-
10 methoxy-N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-N-
[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-6-[1,3-dimethyl-4-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-
5-yl]-3-methoxy-;
- 15 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1,3-dimethyl-4-
[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-
N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 20 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-(1,1-
dimethylethyl)-4-(ethoxycarbonyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-6-[3-
[(3-methyl-3,8-diazabicyclo[3.2.1]oct-8-yl)carbonyl]-2-furanyl]-N-[(1-
25 methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;
- 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-3-methoxy-N-[(1-
methylethyl)sulfonyl]-6-[3-(4-morpholinylcarbonyl)-2-furanyl]-;
- 30 7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[4-[(2R,6S)-2,6-
dimethyl-4-morpholinyl]carbonyl]-1-(2-methylpropyl)-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-
N-[(1-methylethyl)sulfonyl]-;

7H-indolo[2,1-a][2]benzazepine-10-carboxylic acid, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[1-ethyl-4-(methoxycarbonyl)-3-methyl-1H-pyrazol-5-yl]-3-methoxy-;

5 *5H*-indolo[2,1-*a*][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[3-
[(dimethylamino)carbonyl]-5-methyl-4*H*-1,2,4-triazol-4-yl]-*N*-
[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-6,7-dihydro-3-methoxy-; and

10 *5H*-indolo[2,1-*a*][2]benzazepine-10-carboxamide, 13-cyclohexyl-6-[3-
[(dimethylamino)carbonyl]-4*H*-1,2,4-triazol-4-yl]-*N*-[(dimethylamino)sulfonyl]-6,7-
dihydro-3-methoxy-;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

15 15. A composition comprising a compound of claim 1, or a
pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

20 16. The composition of claim 15 further comprising at least one additional
compound having therapeutic benefits for HCV wherein the compound is selected
from the group consisting of interferons, cyclosporins, interleukins, HCV
metalloprotease inhibitors, HCV serine protease inhibitors, HCV polymerase
inhibitors, HCV helicase inhibitors, HCV NS4B protein inhibitors, HCV entry
inhibitors, HCV assembly inhibitors, HCV egress inhibitors, HCV NS5A protein
inhibitors, HCV NS5B protein inhibitors, and HCV replicon inhibitors.

25 17. A method of treating hepatitis C infection comprising administering a
therapeutically effective amount of a compound of claim 1 to a patient.

30 18. The method of claim 17 further comprising administering at least one
additional compound having therapeutic benefits for HCV wherein the compound is
selected from the group consisting of interferons, cyclosporins, interleukins, HCV
metalloprotease inhibitors, HCV serine protease inhibitors, HCV polymerase
inhibitors, HCV helicase inhibitors, HCV NS4B protein inhibitors, HCV entry

inhibitors, HCV assembly inhibitors, HCV egress inhibitors, HCV NS5A protein inhibitors, HCV NS5B protein inhibitors, and HCV replicon inhibitors.