Title: INDAZOLE DERIVATIVES USEFUL AS MELANIN CONCENTRATING RECEPTOR LIGANDS

Abstract: The present invention relates to novel compounds, in particular, novel indazole that may be used as melanin concentrating hormone receptor ligands, methods of preparing such compounds, compositions containing such compounds, and methods of using such compounds to treat MCH related disorders.
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