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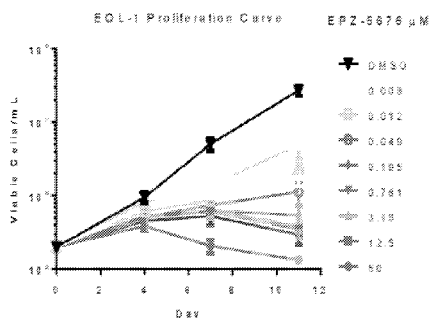
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Compound	K <sub>i</sub> (nM)	Prolif. IC <sub>50</sub> (μM)
EP2004777	0.3	0.012
EPZ-5676	< 0.08	0.002

FIG. 2

(57) Abstract: The disclosure relates to methods that include diagnosing if a subject has MLL-PTD and, if the subject has MLL-PTD, administering a therapeutically effective amount of a DOT1L inhibitor to the subject.



## INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

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## A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

IPC(8) - C12Q 1/68 (2015.01)

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PatSeer; Google; Google Scholar; Dialog Proquest; Entrez Pubmed; EBSCO; Search terms – 'chromosomal rearrangement', 'partial tandem duplication', MLL, DOT1L inhibitor, 'acute myeloid leukemia', 'acute lymphocytic leukemia', primer, hybridization, PCR, 'combination therapy'

## C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
Y	US 2003/0096255 A1 (FELIX, CA et al.) May 22, 2003; abstract; figures 21A, 25A; paragraph [0003], [0022], [0046], [0045]-[0048], [0050], [0054], [0076], [0109], [0130], [0155], [0182], [0237], [0273], [0280]	1-3, 5-8, 19-21
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A	DAIGLE, SR et al. Potent Inhibition Of DOT1L As Treatment Of MLL-Fusion Leukemia. Blood. 08 August 2013; Vol. 122, No. 6, pages 1017-1025; abstract.	1-3, 5-8, 19-21

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