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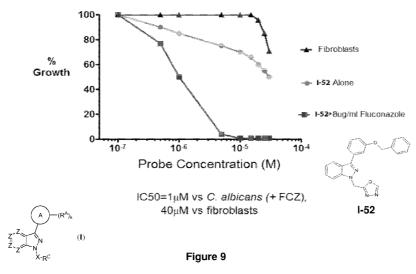
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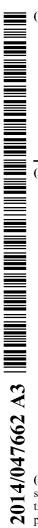
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# (54) Title: INDAZOLE DERIVATIVES AND USES THEREOF



(57) Abstract: The present invention provides novel compounds (e.g., compounds of Formula (I)), and pharmaceutically acceptable salts, solvates, hydrates, polymorphs, co-crystals, tautomers, stereoisomers, isotopically labeled derivatives, prodrugs, and compositions thereof. Also provided are methods and kits comprising the inventive compounds, or compositions thereof, for treating and/or preventing a fungal or protozoan infection, inhibiting the activity of a fungal or protozoan enzyme, killing a fungus or protozoan, or inhibiting the growth of a fungus or protozoan. The fungus may be a Candida species, Aspergillus species, or other pathogenic fungal species. The compounds of the invention may inhibit the activity of fungal or protozoan cytochrome b and/or fungal or protozoan Hsp90. The present invention also provides synthetic methods of the inventive compounds.



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Box No. II Observations where certain claims were found unsearchable (Continuation of item 2 of first sheet)		
This international search report has not been established in respect of certain claims under Article 17(2)(a) for the following reasons:		
1. Claims Nos.: because they relate to subject matter not required to be searched by this Authority, namely:		
2. X Claims Nos.: 1-10 (all partially), 11 (completely), 12-47, 50-80 (all partially) because they relate to parts of the international application that do not comply with the prescribed requirements to such an extent that no meaningful international search can be carried out, specifically:		
Claim 1 of the present application refers to an extreme large number of possible compounds, and a meaningful search over the whole breadth of the claims is impossible. Moreover, support and disclosure in the sense of Articles 5 and 6 is to be found for a very small proportion of the compounds claimed. Consequently, the search was restricted to those claimed compounds, which appear to be supported, i.e. indazole derivatives, wherein A is a phenyl ring or a heteroaryl ring as defined in dependent claims 9-10, 13-15, and azaindazole derivatives as defined in dependent claim 26, wherein A is a phenyl ring. Dependent claim 11 is not supported at all, since the description lacks data on the preparation and properties of compounds defined in this claim, and therefore said claim was not searched.		
3. Claims Nos.: because they are dependent claims and are not drafted in accordance with the second and third sentences of Rule 6.4(a).		
Box No. III Observations where unity of invention is lacking (Continuation of item 3 of first sheet)		
This International Searching Authority found multiple inventions in this international application, as follows:		
1. As all required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant, this international search report covers all searchable claims.		
2. As all searchable claims could be searched without effort justifying additional fees, this Authority did not invite payment of additional fees.		
3. As only some of the required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant, this international search report covers only those claims for which fees were paid, specifically claims Nos.:		
4. No required additional search fees were timely paid by the applicant. Consequently, this international search report is restricted to the invention first mentioned in the claims; it is covered by claims Nos.:		
Remark on Protest  The additional search fees were accompanied by the applicant's protest and, where applicable, the payment of a protest fee.  The additional search fees were accompanied by the applicant's protest but the applicable protest fee was not paid within the time limit specified in the invitation.  No protest accompanied the payment of additional search fees.		

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