### **Support Information**

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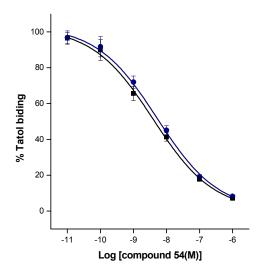
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### Inhibition Curves Figure of Functional Profile of $\sigma_1$ Receptor

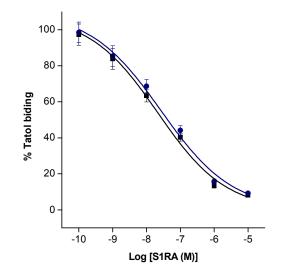
	Ratio K <sub>i</sub>	
	without / with phenytoin*	
(+) SKF 10047	2.82	
S1RA	0.65	
Compound 54	0.73	

**Table 1.** Ratio of  $K_i$  values without or with phenytoin

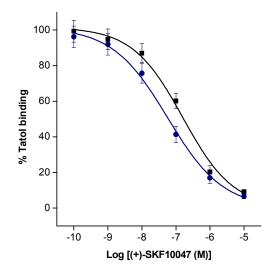
\*: The concentration of phenytoin was 1mM



**Figure 1**. Inhibition of compound **54** with increasing concentrations of ligands (**(**)) and the inhibition in the presence of 1mM phenytoin (•)



**Figure 2**. Inhibition of compound **S1RA** with increasing concentrations of ligands (**(**)) and the inhibition in the presence of 1mM phenytoin (•)



**Figure 3**. Inhibition of compound (+)-SKF-10047 with increasing concentrations of ligands ( ) and the inhibition in the presence of 1mM phenytoin (•)

# Selectivity of Compound 54 for Additional Receptors and Ion Channels Selectivity of compound 54 for additional receptors

#### *In vitro* binding assay

General procedures: All of the new compounds were dissolved in 5% DMSO. Blank experiments were carried out to determine the effect of 5% DMSO on the binding and no effects were observed. Compounds were tested at least three times over 1  $\mu$ M. The following specific radioligands and tissue sources were used: (1) Serotonin 5-HT<sub>1A</sub> receptor, [<sup>3</sup>H]-8-OH-DPAT (187.4 Ci/mmol, Perkin-Elmer), and rat cerebral cortex; (2) Serotonin 5-HT<sub>2A</sub> receptor, [<sup>3</sup>H]-ketanserin (60.0 Ci/mmol, Perkin-Elmer), and rat cerebral cortex; (3) Serotonin 5-HT transporter, <sup>3</sup>H]-paroxetine (22.9 Ci/mmol; Perkin-Elmer), and rat cerebral cortex; (4) Noradrenaline transporter, [N-methyl-<sup>3</sup>H]-nisoxetine (25.0 Ci/mmol; Perkin-Elmer), and rat hippocampal membrane; (5) Histamine H<sub>1</sub> receptor,  $[^{3}H]$ -mepyramine (20.0 Ci/mmol; Perkin-Elmer), and guinea pig cerebellum; (6) Histamine H<sub>3</sub> receptor,  $[^{3}H]$ -N- $\alpha$ -methylhistamine (50.0 Ci/mmol; Perkin-Elmer), and rat cerebral cortex; (7) Adrenergic  $\alpha_1$  receptor, [<sup>3</sup>H]-prazosin (85.4 Ci/mmol; Perkin-Elmer), and rat cerebral cortex; (8) Adrenergic  $\alpha_2$  receptor, [<sup>3</sup>H]-rauwolscine (73.0 Ci/mmol; Perkin-Elmer), and rat cerebral cortex; (9) NMDA receptor, [<sup>3</sup>H]-glycine (60.0 Ci/mmol; Perkin-Elmer), and rat hippocampal membrane; (10)  $\mu$ -opioid receptor, <sup>3</sup>H]-diprenorphine (45.0 Ci/mmol; Perkin-Elmer), and human µ-opioid receptor-expressing CHO cells. (11) Cannabinoid CB<sub>1</sub> receptor, [<sup>3</sup>H]-CP-55940 (148 Ci/mmol; Perkin-Elmer), and human CB<sub>1</sub> receptor-expressing CHO cells. (12) Cannabinoid CB<sub>2</sub> receptor, [<sup>3</sup>H]-CP-55940 (148 Ci/mmol; Perkin-Elmer), and human CB<sub>2</sub> receptor-expressing HEK cells.

Serotonin 5- $HT_{1A}$  receptor.<sup>1</sup> Rat cerebral cortex was homogenized in 20 volumes of ice-cold Tris-HCl buffer (50 mM, pH 7.7) using an ULTRA TURAX homogenizer, and was then centrifuged at 32000 g for 10 min. The resulting pellet was then resuspended in the same buffer, incubated for 10 min at 37 °C, and centrifuged at 32000 g for 10 min. The final pellet was resuspended in Tris-HCl buffer containing 10  $\mu$ M Pargyline, 4 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>, and 0.1% ascorbic acid. For total binding, to each

assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 0.5 nM

 $[^{3}H]$ -8-OH-DPAT, 50 µL of Tris-HCl buffer containing 10 µM pargyline, 4 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>, and 0.1% ascorbic acid. For nonspecific binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of the tissue suspension, 50 µL of 0.5 nM  $[^{3}H]$ -8-OH-DPAT, and 50 µL of 10 µM serotonin. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of the tissue suspension, 50 µL of 0.5 nM  $[^{3}H]$ -8-OH-DPAT, 50 µL of 1 µM compound. The tubes were incubated at 37 °C for 30 min. The incubation was followed by a rapid vacuum filtration through Whatman GF/B glass filters, and the filtrates were washed twice with 5 mL of cold buffer and transferred to scintillation vials. Scintillation fluid (3.0 mL) was added, and the radioactivity bound was measured using a Beckman LS 6500 liquid scintillation counter.

Serotonin 5- $HT_{24}$  receptor.<sup>1</sup> Rat cerebral cortex was homogenized in 20 volumes of ice-cold Tris-HCl buffer (50 mM, pH 7.7) using an ULTRA TURAX homogenizer, and centrifuged at 32000g for 20 min. The resulting pellet was resuspended in the same quantity of the buffer centrifuged for 20 min. The final pellet was resuspended in 50 volumes of the Tris-HCl buffer. For total binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of the tissue suspension, 50 µL of 0.6 nM [3H]-ketanserin, and 50 µL Tris-HCl buffer. For nonspecific binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of the tissue suspension, 50 µL of 0.6 nM [3H]-ketanserin, and 50 µL of 10 µM methisergide. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of the tissue suspension, 50 µL of 1 µM compound. The tubes were incubated at 37 °C for 15 min. The incubation was followed by rapid vacuum filtration through Whatman GF/B glass filters, and the filtrates were washed twice with 5 mL of cold buffer and transferred to scintillation vials. Scintillation fluid (3.0 mL) was added, and the radioactivity bound was measured using a Beckman LS 6500 liquid scintillation counter.

*Serotonin 5-HT transporter*.<sup>2-3</sup> Rat cerebral cortex was homogenized in 20 volumes of ice-cold Tris-HCl buffer (50 mM, pH 7.7) containing 150 mM NaCl and 5mM KCl, using an ULTRA TURAX homogenizer, and centrifuged at 20000 g for 20 min. The resulting pellet was resuspended in the same quantity of the buffer centrifuged for 20

min. The final pellet was resuspended in 50 volumes of the Tris-HCl buffer. For total binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-paroxetine, and 50  $\mu$ L Tris-HCl buffer. For nonspecific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-paroxetine, and 50  $\mu$ L of 10  $\mu$ M paroxetine. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 10  $\mu$ M paroxetine. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 0.6 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-paroxetine, 50  $\mu$ L of 1  $\mu$ M compound. The tubes were incubated at 37 °C for 10 min. The incubation was followed by rapid vacuum filtration through Whatman GF/B glass filters, and the filtrates were washed twice with 5 mL of cold buffer and transferred to scintillation vials. Scintillation fluid (3.0 mL) was added, and the radioactivity bound was measured using a Beckman LS 6500 liquid scintillation counter.

*Noradrenaline transporter*.<sup>3-4</sup> Rat hippocampal membrane was homogenized in 20 volumes of ice-cold 50 mM phosphate buffer (pH 7.4) using an ULTRA TURAX homogenizer, and centrifuged twice for 10 min at 35,000g with resuspension of the pellet in fresh buffer. The final pellet was resuspended in membrane buffer (20 mM HEPES, 145 mM NaCl, 5 mM KCl, pH 7.4). For total binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of membranes, 50 µL of 1 nM *N*-methyl-[<sup>3</sup>H]-nisoxetine, and 50 µL of membrane buffer. For nonspecific binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of 1 nM *N*-methyl-[<sup>3</sup>H]-nisoxetine, and 50 µL of membranes, 50 µL of 1 nM *N*-methyl-[<sup>3</sup>H]-nisoxetine, and 50 µL of membranes, 50 µL of 1 nM *N*-methyl-[<sup>3</sup>H]-nisoxetine, and 50 µL of 1 µM desipramine. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of membranes, 50 µL of 1 nM *N*-methyl-[<sup>3</sup>H]-nisoxetine, 50 µL of 1 µM desipramine. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of membranes, 50 µL of 1 nM *N*-methyl-[<sup>3</sup>H]-nisoxetine, 50 µL of 1 µM compound. The tubes were incubated at 30°C for 8h. The incubation was followed by rapid vacuum filtration through Whatman GF/B glass filters, and the filtrates were washed twice with 5 mL of cold buffer and transferred to scintillation vials. Scintillation fluid (3.0 mL) was added, and the radioactivity bound was measured using a Beckman LS 6500 liquid scintillation counter.

*Histamine*  $H_1$  *receptor*.<sup>1</sup> Guinea pig cerebellum was homogenized in 20 volumes of ice-cold 50 mM phosphate buffer (pH 7.4) using an ULTRA TURAX homogenizer, and centrifuged twice for 10 min at 50,000g with resuspension of the pellet in fresh buffer. The final pellet was resuspended in phosphate buffer. For total binding, to

each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of membranes, 50  $\mu$ L of 1nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-mepyramine, and 50  $\mu$ L of phosphate buffer. For nonspecific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of membranes, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-mepyramine, and 50  $\mu$ L of 10  $\mu$ M promethazine. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of membranes, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-mepyramine, 50  $\mu$ L of 1  $\mu$ M compound. The tubes were incubated at 30 °C for 60 min. The incubation was followed by rapid vacuum filtration through Whatman GF/B glass filters, and the filtrates were washed twice with 5 mL of cold buffer and transferred to scintillation vials. Scintillation fluid (3.0 mL) was added, and the radioactivity bound was measured using a Beckman LS 6500 liquid scintillation counter.

*Histamine* H<sub>3</sub> receptor.<sup>5</sup> Rat cerebral cortex was homogenized in 20 volumes of ice-cold membrane buffer (5 mM Tris-HCl, pH 7.5; 5 mM EDTA and protease inhibitor) using an ULTRA TURAX homogenizer, and centrifuged at 40000g for 30 min at 4 °C. The resulting membrane pellets were washed by resuspension in membrane buffer (50 mM Tris-HCl, pH 7.5; 0.6 mM EDTA, 5 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub> and protease inhibitors) and centrifuged for 20 min. The final pellet was resuspended in 50 volumes of the Tris-HCl buffer. For total binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-N- $\alpha$ -methylhistamine, and 50  $\mu$ L of membrane buffer. For nonspecific binding, to each assay tube was added 900 uL of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-N- $\alpha$ -methylhistamine, and 50  $\mu$ L of 10  $\mu$ M thioperamide. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension. 50 µL of 1 nM  $[^{3}H]$ -N- $\alpha$ -methylhistamine. 50 µL of 1 µM compound. The tubes were incubated at 25 °C for 30 min. The incubation was followed by rapid vacuum filtration through Whatman GF/B glass filters, and the filtrates were washed twice with 5 mL of cold buffer and transferred to scintillation vials. Scintillation fluid (3.0 mL) was added, and the radioactivity bound was measured using a Beckman LS 6500 liquid scintillation counter.

*Adrenergic*  $\alpha_1$  *receptor.*<sup>1</sup> Rat cerebral cortex was homogenized in 20 volumes of ice-cold Tris-HCl buffer containing 5 mM EDTA (50mM, pH 7.7) using an ULTRA TURAX homogenizer and centrifuged at 44000g for 20 min at 4 °C. The resulting

pellet was resuspended in the same quantity of the buffer centrifuged for 20 min. The final pellet was resuspended in 50 volumes of the Tris-HCl buffer. For total binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-prazosin, and 50  $\mu$ L of Tris-HCl buffer. For nonspecific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-prazosin, and 50  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-prazosin, and 50  $\mu$ L of 10  $\mu$ M prazosin. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 1  $\mu$ M compound. The tubes were incubated at 25 °C for 60 min. The incubation was followed by rapid vacuum filtration through Whatman GF/B glass filters, and the filtrates were washed twice with 5 mL of cold buffer and transferred to scintillation vials. Scintillation fluid (3.0 mL) was added, and the radioactivity bound was measured using a Beckman LS 6500 liquid scintillation counter.

Adrenergic  $\alpha_2$  receptor.<sup>1</sup> Rat cerebral cortex was homogenized in 20 volumes of ice-cold Tris-HCl buffer containing 5 mM EDTA (50 mM, pH 7.7) using an ULTRA TURAX homogenizer and centrifuged at 44000g for 20 min at 4 °C. The resulting pellet was resuspended in the same quantity of the buffer centrifuged for 20 min. The final pellet was resuspended in 50 volumes of the Tris-HCl buffer. For total binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM <sup>3</sup>H]-rauwolscine, and 50 µL of Tris-HCl buffer. For nonspecific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-rauwolscine, and 50 µL of 10 µM rauwolscine. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of the tissue suspension, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM  $[^{3}H]$ -rauwolscine, 50 µL of 1 µM compound. The tubes were incubated at 25 °C for 60 min. The incubation was followed by rapid vacuum filtration through Whatman GF/B glass filters, and the filtrates were washed twice with 5 mL of cold buffer and transferred to scintillation vials. Scintillation fluid (3.0 mL) was added, and the radioactivity bound was measured using a Beckman LS 6500 liquid scintillation counter.

*NMDA receptor*.<sup>6</sup> Rat hippocampal membrane was homogenized in 20 volumes of ice-cold 50 mM phosphate buffer (pH 7.4) using an ULTRA TURAX homogenizer,

and centrifuged twice for 10 min at 50,000g with resuspension of the pellet in fresh buffer. The final pellet was resuspended in phosphate buffer. For total binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of membranes, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-glycine with 10  $\mu$ M glutamic acid, and 50  $\mu$ L of phosphate buffer. For nonspecific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of membranes, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-glycine with 10  $\mu$ M glutamic acid, and 50  $\mu$ L of 1  $\mu$ M glycine. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of 1  $\mu$ M glycine. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of membranes, 50  $\mu$ L of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-glycine with 10  $\mu$ M glutamic acid, 50  $\mu$ L of 1  $\mu$ M compound. The tubes were incubated at 30°C for 30 min. The incubation was followed by rapid vacuum filtration through Whatman GF/B glass filters, and the filtrates were washed twice with 5 mL of cold buffer and transferred to scintillation vials. Scintillation fluid (3.0 mL) was added, and the radioactivity bound was measured using a Beckman LS 6500 liquid scintillation counter.

 $\mu$ -opioid receptor.<sup>7</sup> A suspension of membranes from human  $\mu$ -opioid receptor-expressing CHO cells in 50 mM Tris-HCl buffer (pH 7.4) containing 5 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub> and 10% sucrose was used. For total binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of the tissue suspension, 50 µL of 0.33 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-diprenorphine, and 50 µL of Tris-HCl buffer. For nonspecific binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of the tissue suspension, 50 µL of 1 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-diprenorphine, and 50 µL of 10 µM naloxone. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of the suspension, 50 µL of 0.33 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-diprenorphine, 50 µL of 1 µM compound. The tubes were incubated at room temperature for 150 min. The incubation was followed by rapid vacuum filtration through Whatman GF/B glass filters, and the filtrates were washed twice with 5 mL of cold buffer and transferred to scintillation vials. Scintillation fluid (3.0 mL) was added, and the radioactivity bound was measured using a Beckman LS 6500 liquid scintillation counter.

*Cannabinoid*  $CB_1$  *receptor*.<sup>8-9</sup> Human CB1 receptor-expressing CHO cells were scraped in 10ml cold buffer (20mM HEPES, 10mM EDTA, pH 7.5), homogenized in an ULTRA TURAX homogenizer, and centrifuged twice for 10 min at 32,000g with resuspension of the pellet in fresh buffer. For total binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of membranes, 50 µL of 0.5 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-CP-55940, and 50 µL of buffer

(50mM Tris-HCl, 50 mM 2-amino-2-(hydroxymethyl)-1,3-propanediol 2.5mM EDTA, 5mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, 0.05% fatty acid free BSA, pH 7.4). For nonspecific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of membranes, 50  $\mu$ L of 0.5 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-CP-55940, and 50  $\mu$ L of 10  $\mu$ M CP-55940. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900  $\mu$ L of membranes, 50  $\mu$ L of 0.5 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-CP-55940, 1  $\mu$ M compound. The tubes were incubated at 30°C for 90 min. The incubation was followed by rapid vacuum filtration through Whatman GF/B glass filters, and the filtrates were washed twice with 5 mL of cold buffer and transferred to scintillation vials. Scintillation fluid (3.0 mL) was added, and the radioactivity bound was measured using a Beckman LS 6500 liquid scintillation counter.

*Cannabinoid CB*<sub>2</sub> *receptor*.<sup>8-9</sup> Human CB2 receptor-expressing HEK cells were scraped in 10ml cold buffer (20mM HEPES, 10mM EDTA, pH 7.5), homogenized in an ULTRA TURAX homogenizer, and centrifuged twice for 15 min at 30,000g with resuspension of the pellet in fresh buffer. For total binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of membranes, 50 µL of 0.5 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-CP-55940, and 50 µL of buffer (50mM Tris-HCl, 50 mM 2-amino-2-(hydroxymethyl)-1,3-propanediol 2.5mM EDTA, 5mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, 0.05% fatty acid free BSA, pH 7.4). For nonspecific binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of membranes, 50 µL of 0.5 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-CP-55940, and 50 µL of 10 µM CP-55940. For specific binding, to each assay tube was added 900 µL of membranes, 50 µL of 0.5 nM [<sup>3</sup>H]-CP-55940, 50 µL of 1 µM compound. The tubes were incubated at 30°C for 90 min. The incubation was followed by rapid vacuum filtration through Whatman GF/B glass filters, and the filtrates were washed twice with 5 mL of cold buffer and transferred to scintillation vials. Scintillation fluid (3.0 mL) was added, and the radioactivity bound was measured using a Beckman LS 6500 liquid scintillation counter.

### Selectivity of compound 54 for ion channels

Voltage-gated sodium channel Nav 1.7

The inhibitory activity of compound **54** to voltage-gated sodium channel Nav 1.7 was performed according to Macsari, I and *et al.*<sup>10</sup> by using human voltage-gated sodium channel Nav 1.7 expressing HEK293 cells, with some minor modifications.

*Solutions*. For Nav 1.7 recording, the extracellular Ringer's solution is composed of 140mM NaCl, 4mM KCl, 1mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, 2mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 5mM D-Glucose monohydrate, 10mM HEPES, pH=7.4 with NaOH. For the DRG neuron measurement, 100mM CdCl<sub>2</sub> and 0.5µM TTX were involved to block the Ca<sup>2+</sup> currents and TTXs-Nav currents. The internal pipette solution contains 145mM CsCl, 0.1mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 2mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, 10mM NaCl, 0.5mM Na<sub>2</sub>-GTP, 2mM Mg-ATP, 1.1mM EGTA, 10mM HEPES, pH 7.2 with CsOH.

*Cell culture*. Human voltage-gated sodium channel Nav 1.7 expressing HEK293 cells were cultured in DMEM medium supplemented with 10% FBS and 1.2mg/ml G418 in culture flasks. Cells grew in a humidified incubator at 37°C under 5% carbon dioxide. To maintain electrophysiological performances, cell density must not exceed 80%.

*Electrophysiological recordings*. To measure voltage-gated sodium channel Nav 1.7, the membrane potential was hold at -90mV, then depolarized to 0mV for 50ms to activate Nav1.7 currents. This voltage-clamp pulse protocol was performed during the experiment. An interpulse interval of 10 seconds allows recovery from inactivation.

The electrophysiological recordings were obtained under visual control under microscope (Olympus IX71, Japan). The amplifier (HEKA EPC10, Germany) was used for the recording of the electrophysiological signal. Offset potentials were nulled directly before formation of a seal. No leak subtraction was made. Cell (in pF) was made from whole-cell capacitance compensation. The data were stored and analyzed with Patchmaster software. All of the experiments were performed at room temperature. Fast perfusion system should be used to apply drugs directly to the cell in seconds. Each concentration was perfused over 5 minutes, or until the current reached a steady- state level. After the final concentration of reference agent tested, the reference compound should be washout out with extracellular solution for 5 minutes. The following criteria were used to determine data acceptability: (1) Access resistance  $\leq 10$  M\. (2) Membrane resistance  $\geq 500$  M\. (3) No apparent rundown for peak current.

Within each cellular recording, the current responses to test compound addition

were normalized to the vehicle control (Icompound / Ivehicle control) and the ratios of inhibition were calculated as following equation:

% inhibition = 1 - (current response / maximal control tail current) × 100 % TRPV-1 protein

The inhibitory activity of compound **54** to TRPV-1 protein was performed according to M. Quintanar-Audelo and *et al.*<sup>11-12</sup> by using Human TRPV-1 protein expressing HEK293 cells, with some minor modifications.

*Solutions*. For whole cell patch clamp recordings, the external solution is composed of 140mM NaCl, 5mM KCl, 2mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, 2mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 10mM HEPES, 5mM glucose, pH 7.4 with NaOH. The internal solution contains 140mM CsCl, 5mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 1mM Mg-ATP, 10mM HEPES, 10mM EGTA, 2mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, pH 7.2 with CsOH. The [Ca<sup>2+</sup>]<sub>I</sub> was clamped to 85 nM (calculated with WebMaxC v2.1).

*Cell culture*. Human TRPV-1 protein expressing HEK293 cells were cultured in DMEM medium supplemented with 10% FBS and 1.2mg/ml G418 in culture flasks. Cells grew in a humidified incubator at 37°C under 5% carbon dioxide. To maintain electrophysiological performances, cell density must not exceed 80%. *Electrophysiological recordings*. To measure TRPV-1 current, cells were held at 0 mV and repeated voltage commands stepping to -100 mV for 20 ms followed by a voltage ramp to 100 mV in 100 ms were given at a 1 sec interval.

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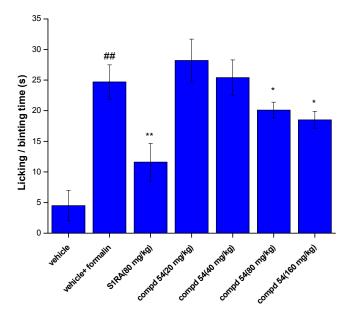
 Table 2. Binding affinities for the additional receptors and ion channels of compound

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<b>Receptor / Ion Channel</b>	% Inhibition*
5-HT <sub>1A</sub>	30.81± 4.1
5-HT <sub>2A</sub>	$51.47 \pm 3.8$
5-HT transporter	$45.34 \pm 0.4$
Noradrenaline transporter	$31.89 \pm 0.4$
$H_1$	$11.91 \pm 1.4$
$H_3$	$35.65 \pm 3.2$
$lpha_1$	$15.28 \pm 1.2$
$\alpha_2$	$10.56 \pm 0.9$
NMDA	$27.68 \pm 2.1$
$\mu$ -opioid	$25.29 \pm 2.4$
$CB_1$	$19.28 \pm 2.4$
$CB_2$	$38.56 \pm 1.9$
Nav <sub>1.7</sub>	$24.56 \pm 1.2$
TRPV-1	$23.34 \pm 1.9$

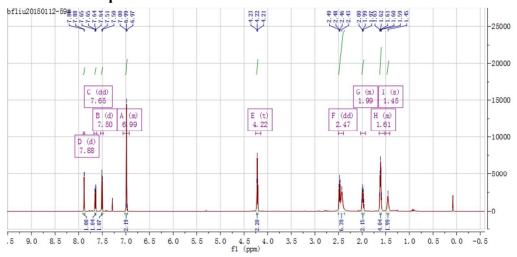
Note: \*, % inhibition was determined at the concentration of 1  $\mu$ M.

The data of compound 54 in Phase I (0-15 min) of the mice formalin test

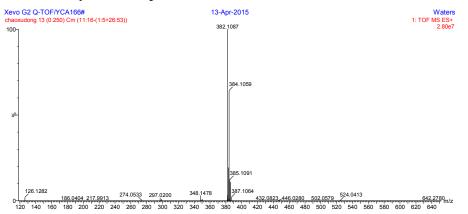


**Figure 4**. Anti-allodynic effect of S1RA and compound **54** in phase I (0–15 min) of the mice formalin test. Each column and vertical line represents mean ±SEM of the values obtained in at least 10 animals. Statistically significant differences:  $^{\#}$  p < 0.05,  $^{\#\#}$  p < 0.01 *vs* vehicle; \* p < 0.05, \*\* p < 0.01 *vs* vehicle +formalin (Two-Way ANOVA followed by Newman–Keuls test)

# <sup>1</sup>H NMR of compound 54

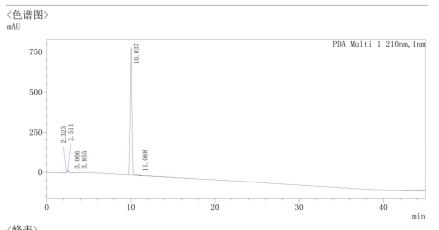


## HRMS analysis of compounds 54



## HPLC analysis of compounds 54

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PDA	Ch1	210nm

峰号	保留时间	面积	面积%	高度	浓度	化合物名
1	2.323	12033	0.102	2344	0.102	
2	2.511	40626	0.346	9430	0.346	
3	3.006	2883	0.025	266	0.025	
4	3.855	4583	0.039	378	0.039	
5	10.037	11669750	99.316	783696	99.316	
6	11.068	20193	0.172	1620	0.172	
总计		11750067	100.000	797734		

## X-Ray Crystal Data of Compound 54

The single-crystal growth was carried out in co-solvent of methanol and acetone at room temperature.

**Table 3** Crystal data and structure refinement for SF20150715\_ZYC\_0m.

Table 5 Crystal data and structure refine	$\frac{1101}{5120150715} = \frac{10}{210} = \frac{10}{100} = \frac{10}{1$
Identification code	sf20150715_zyc_0m
Empirical formula	C18 H26 Cl3 N3 O4
Formula weight	454.77
Temperature	296 K
Wavelength	0.71073 Å
Crystal system	Triclinic
Space group	P -1
Unit cell dimensions	a = 8.7813(3) Å □=
97.6772(14)°.	
	$b = 10.4026(3) \text{ Å} \square =$
91.8626(13)°.	
	$c = 12.2094(4) \text{ Å} \qquad \Box =$
05.0210(12)°.	
Volume	1064.92(6) Å <sup>3</sup>
Ζ	2
Density (calculated)	1.418 Mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Absorption coefficient	0.459 mm <sup>-1</sup>
F(000)	476
Crystal size	0.39 x 0.32 x 0.3 mm <sup>3</sup>
Theta range for data collection	1.687 to 27.519°.
Index ranges	-11<=h<=11, -13<=k<=13, -15<=l<=15
Reflections collected	17671
Independent reflections	4873 [R(int) = 0.0167]
Completeness to theta = $26.000^{\circ}$	99.8 %
Absorption correction	Semi-empirical from equivalents
Max. and min. transmission	0.7456 and 0.1631
Refinement method	Full-matrix least-squares on F <sup>2</sup>
Data / restraints / parameters	4873 / 0 / 259
Goodness-of-fit on $F^2$	1.028
Final R indices [I>2sigma(I)]	R1 = 0.0364, wR2 = 0.1002

R indices (all data)	R1 = 0.0427, wR2 = 0.1063
Extinction coefficient	n/a
Largest diff. peak and hole	0.337 and -0.289 e.Å <sup>-3</sup>

**Table 4** Atomic coordinates ( $x \ 10^4$ ) and equivalent isotropic displacementparameters (Å<sup>2</sup>x 10<sup>3</sup>) for SF20150715\_ZYC\_0m. U(eq) is defined as one third of thetrace of the orthogonalized U<sup>ij</sup> tensor.

	х	У	Z	U(eq)
Cl(1)	10352(1)	13549(1)	3906(1)	66(1)
Cl(2)	10824(1)	12834(1)	6299(1)	67(1)
D(1)	7142(2)	8759(1)	7020(1)	58(1)
D(2)	3147(1)	6056(1)	3607(1)	51(1)
N(1)	6205(2)	8556(1)	5206(1)	38(1)
N(2)	5174(2)	7851(1)	4320(1)	42(1)
N(3)	2260(1)	3538(1)	374(1)	35(1)
C(1)	6196(2)	8137(2)	6238(1)	42(1)
C(2)	4977(2)	6925(2)	6341(1)	48(1)
C(3)	3982(2)	6242(2)	5490(1)	48(1)
C(4)	4148(2)	6763(2)	4466(1)	42(1)
C(5)	3232(2)	6637(2)	2592(1)	50(1)
C(6)	2209(2)	5588(2)	1702(1)	45(1)
C(7)	2869(2)	4377(2)	1471(1)	44(1)
C(8)	552(2)	2803(2)	340(1)	47(1)
C(9)	2(2)	2027(2)	-810(2)	56(1)
C(10)	986(2)	1062(2)	-1175(2)	57(1)
C(11)	2713(2)	1821(2)	-1099(2)	54(1)
C(12)	3246(2)	2585(2)	47(2)	52(1)
C(13)	7243(2)	9772(1)	4925(1)	37(1)
C(14)	7018(2)	10111(2)	3874(1)	46(1)
C(15)	7990(2)	11259(2)	3570(1)	51(1)
C(16)	9173(2)	12104(2)	4301(1)	44(1)
C(17)	9383(2)	11780(2)	5345(1)	43(1)
C(18)	8441(2)	10613(2)	5666(1)	44(1)
D(3)	3248(2)	-1468(2)	-781(2)	73(1)
D(4)	4179(2)	-316(2)	1428(1)	77(1)
Cl(3)	-2721(1)	4590(1)	1410(1)	51(1)

Cl(1)-C(16)	1.7269(16)
Cl(2)-C(17)	1.7330(15)
O(1)-C(1)	1.2346(19)
O(2)-C(4)	1.3462(18)
O(2)-C(5)	1.4454(19)
N(1)-N(2)	1.3805(16)
N(1)-C(1)	1.3879(19)
N(1)-C(13)	1.4442(18)
N(2)-C(4)	1.2883(19)
N(3)-H(3)	0.9800
N(3)-C(7)	1.4972(19)
N(3)-C(8)	1.4930(18)
N(3)-C(12)	1.5006(19)
C(1)-C(2)	1.451(2)
C(2)-H(2)	0.9300
C(2)-C(3)	1.330(2)
C(3)-H(3A)	0.9300
C(3)-C(4)	1.425(2)
C(5)-H(5A)	0.9700
C(5)-H(5B)	0.9700
C(5)-C(6)	1.513(2)
C(6)-H(6A)	0.9700
C(6)-H(6B)	0.9700
C(6)-C(7)	1.515(2)
C(7)-H(7A)	0.9700
C(7)-H(7B)	0.9700
C(8)-H(8A)	0.9700
C(8)-H(8B)	0.9700
C(8)-C(9)	1.519(2)
C(9)-H(9A)	0.9700
C(9)-H(9B)	0.9700
C(9)-C(10)	1.519(3)
C(10)-H(10A)	0.9700
C(10)-H(10B)	0.9700
C(10)-C(11)	1.511(3)
C(11)-H(11A)	0.9700

Table 5Bond lengths [Å] and angles [°] for $SF20150715_ZYC_0m.$ 

C(11)-H(11B)	0.9700
C(11)-C(12)	1.509(2)
C(12)-H(12A)	0.9700
C(12)-H(12B)	0.9700
C(13)-C(14)	1.397(2)
C(13)-C(18)	1.393(2)
C(14)-H(14)	0.9300
C(14)-C(15)	1.379(2)
C(15)-H(15)	0.9300
C(15)-C(16)	1.380(2)
C(16)-C(17)	1.380(2)
C(17)-C(18)	1.393(2)
C(18)-H(18)	0.9300
O(3)-H(3B)	0.8500
O(3)-H(3C)	0.8500
O(4)-H(4A)	0.8500
O(4)-H(4B)	0.8501
C(4)-O(2)-C(5)	116.61(12)
N(2)-N(1)-C(1)	122.96(12)
N(2)-N(1)-C(13)	111.85(11)
C(1)-N(1)-C(13)	125.18(12)
C(4)-N(2)-N(1)	118.36(12)
C(7)-N(3)-H(3)	107.2
C(7)-N(3)-C(12)	110.91(12)
C(8)-N(3)-H(3)	107.2
C(8)-N(3)-C(7)	112.95(12)
C(8)-N(3)-C(12)	110.97(12)
C(12)-N(3)-H(3)	107.2
O(1)-C(1)-N(1)	122.59(15)
O(1)-C(1)-C(2)	122.23(14)
N(1)-C(1)-C(2)	115.17(13)
C(1)-C(2)-H(2)	119.0
C(3)-C(2)-C(1)	122.02(15)
C(3)-C(2)-H(2)	119.0
C(2)-C(3)-H(3A)	121.5
C(2)-C(3)-C(4)	117.05(15)
C(4)-C(3)-H(3A)	121.5

O(2)-C(4)-C(3)	116.56(13)
N(2)-C(4)-O(2)	119.05(13)
N(2)-C(4)-C(3)	124.39(14)
O(2)-C(5)-H(5A)	110.2
O(2)-C(5)-H(5B)	110.2
O(2)-C(5)-C(6)	107.44(13)
H(5A)-C(5)-H(5B)	108.5
C(6)-C(5)-H(5A)	110.2
C(6)-C(5)-H(5B)	110.2
C(5)-C(6)-H(6A)	109.5
C(5)-C(6)-H(6B)	109.5
C(5)-C(6)-C(7)	110.94(14)
H(6A)-C(6)-H(6B)	108.0
C(7)-C(6)-H(6A)	109.5
C(7)-C(6)-H(6B)	109.5
N(3)-C(7)-C(6)	112.98(12)
N(3)-C(7)-H(7A)	109.0
N(3)-C(7)-H(7B)	109.0
C(6)-C(7)-H(7A)	109.0
C(6)-C(7)-H(7B)	109.0
H(7A)-C(7)-H(7B)	107.8
N(3)-C(8)-H(8A)	109.7
N(3)-C(8)-H(8B)	109.7
N(3)-C(8)-C(9)	109.93(13)
H(8A)-C(8)-H(8B)	108.2
C(9)-C(8)-H(8A)	109.7
C(9)-C(8)-H(8B)	109.7
C(8)-C(9)-H(9A)	109.2
C(8)-C(9)-H(9B)	109.2
H(9A)-C(9)-H(9B)	107.9
C(10)-C(9)-C(8)	112.12(16)
C(10)-C(9)-H(9A)	109.2
C(10)-C(9)-H(9B)	109.2
C(9)-C(10)-H(10A)	109.7
C(9)-C(10)-H(10B)	109.7
H(10A)-C(10)-H(10B)	108.2
C(11)-C(10)-C(9)	109.69(14)
С(11)-С(10)-Н(10А)	109.7

С(11)-С(10)-Н(10В)	109.7
C(10)-C(11)-H(11A)	109.4
C(10)-C(11)-H(11B)	109.4
H(11A)-C(11)-H(11B)	108.0
C(12)-C(11)-C(10)	111.35(15)
C(12)-C(11)-H(11A)	109.4
C(12)-C(11)-H(11B)	109.4
N(3)-C(12)-C(11)	110.82(13)
N(3)-C(12)-H(12A)	109.5
N(3)-C(12)-H(12B)	109.5
C(11)-C(12)-H(12A)	109.5
C(11)-C(12)-H(12B)	109.5
H(12A)-C(12)-H(12B)	108.1
C(14)-C(13)-N(1)	118.28(13)
C(18)-C(13)-N(1)	122.34(13)
C(18)-C(13)-C(14)	119.37(14)
C(13)-C(14)-H(14)	119.9
C(15)-C(14)-C(13)	120.15(14)
C(15)-C(14)-H(14)	119.9
C(14)-C(15)-H(15)	119.5
C(14)-C(15)-C(16)	120.92(15)
C(16)-C(15)-H(15)	119.5
C(15)-C(16)-Cl(1)	119.92(13)
C(17)-C(16)-Cl(1)	121.07(12)
C(17)-C(16)-C(15)	119.00(15)
C(16)-C(17)-Cl(2)	120.45(12)
C(16)-C(17)-C(18)	121.30(14)
C(18)-C(17)-Cl(2)	118.24(12)
C(13)-C(18)-H(18)	120.4
C(17)-C(18)-C(13)	119.23(14)
C(17)-C(18)-H(18)	120.4
H(3B)-O(3)-H(3C)	109.5
H(4A)-O(4)-H(4B)	109.5

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