

# The power of open data – linking transporter interaction profiles to in vivo toxicity

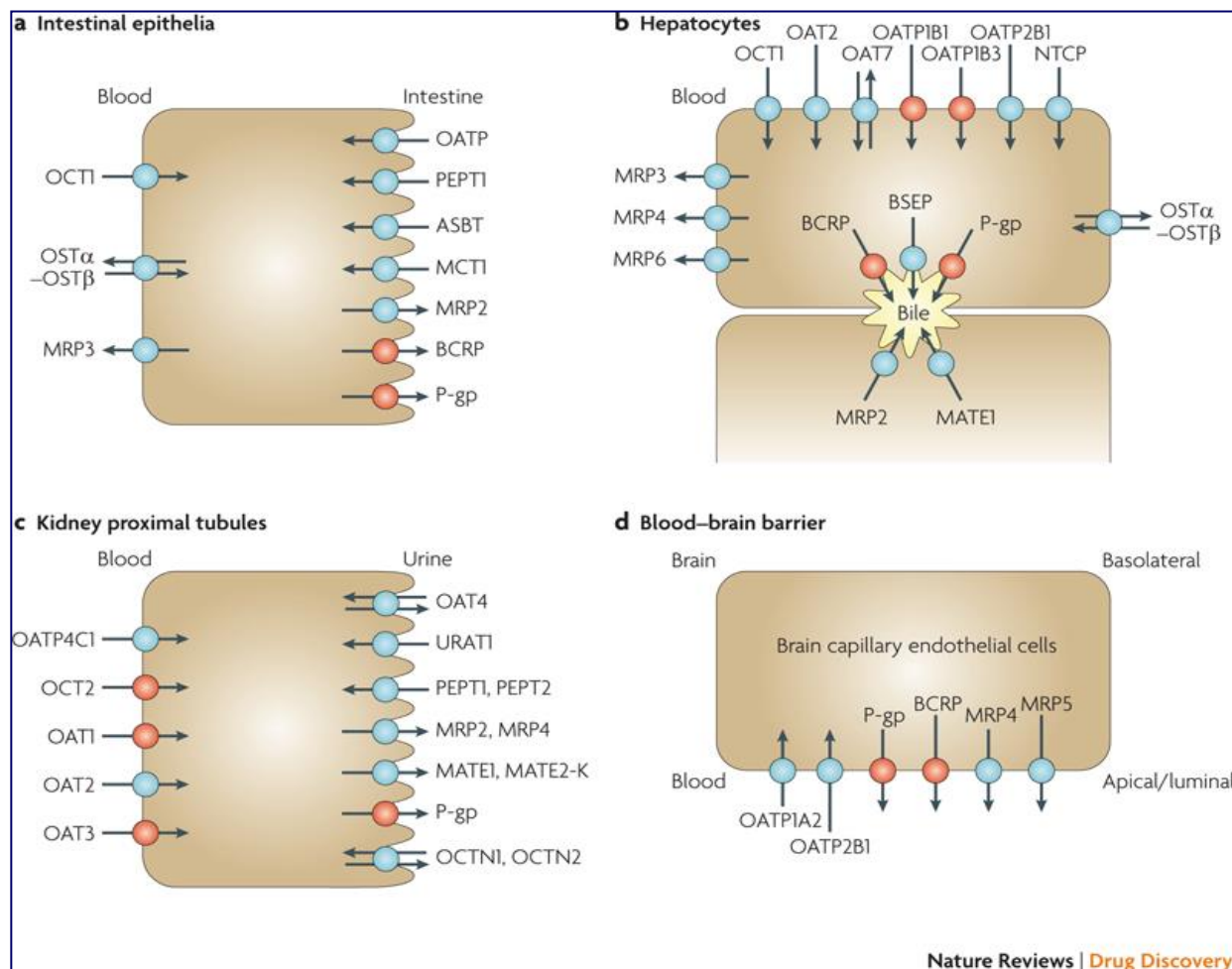
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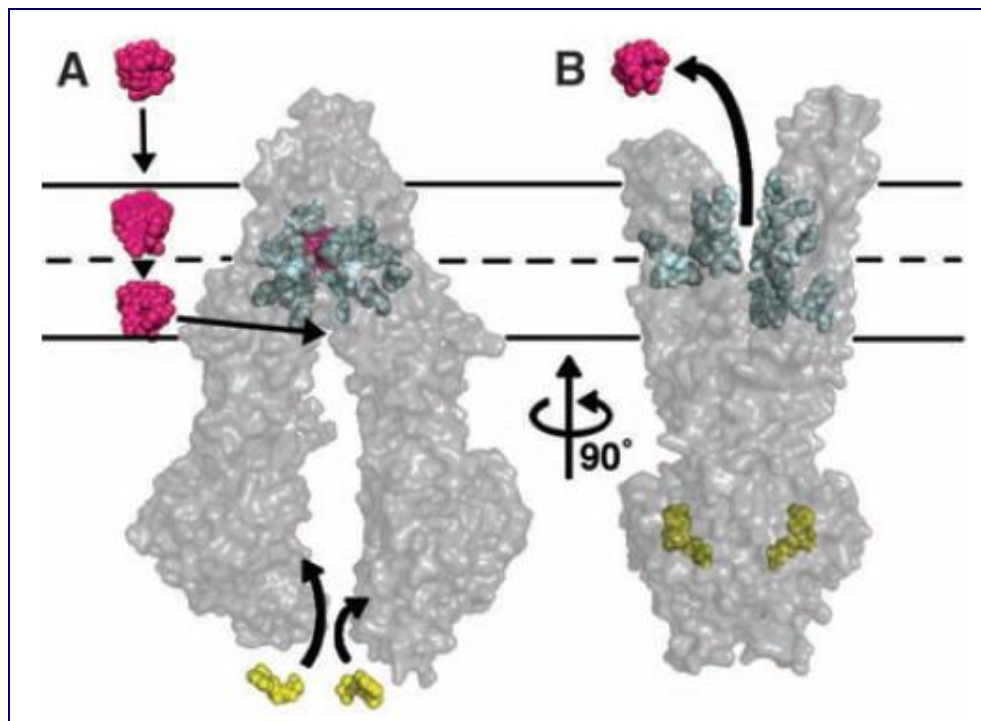
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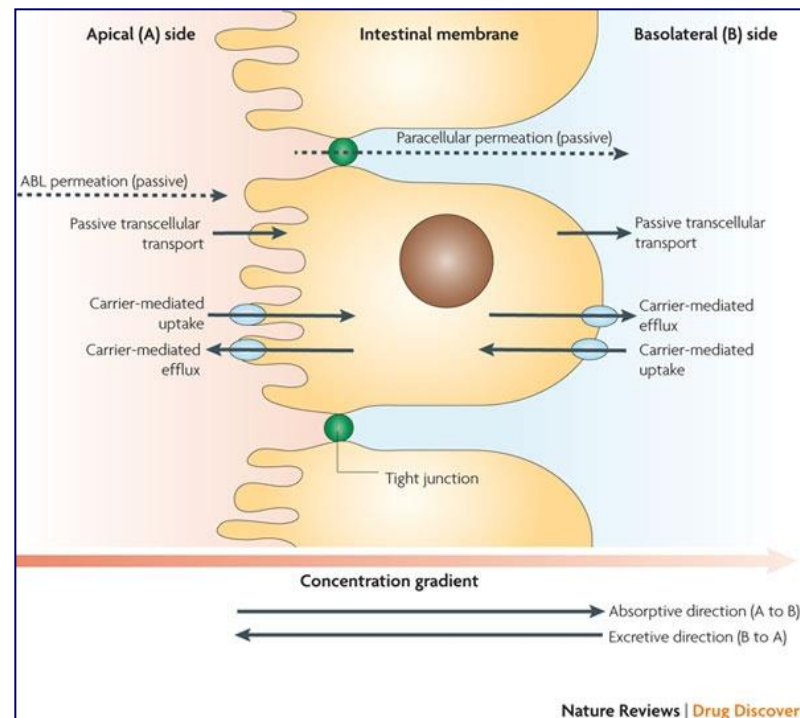
# Transporters and ADMET



# Drug Transporter



Aller et al. Science 2009

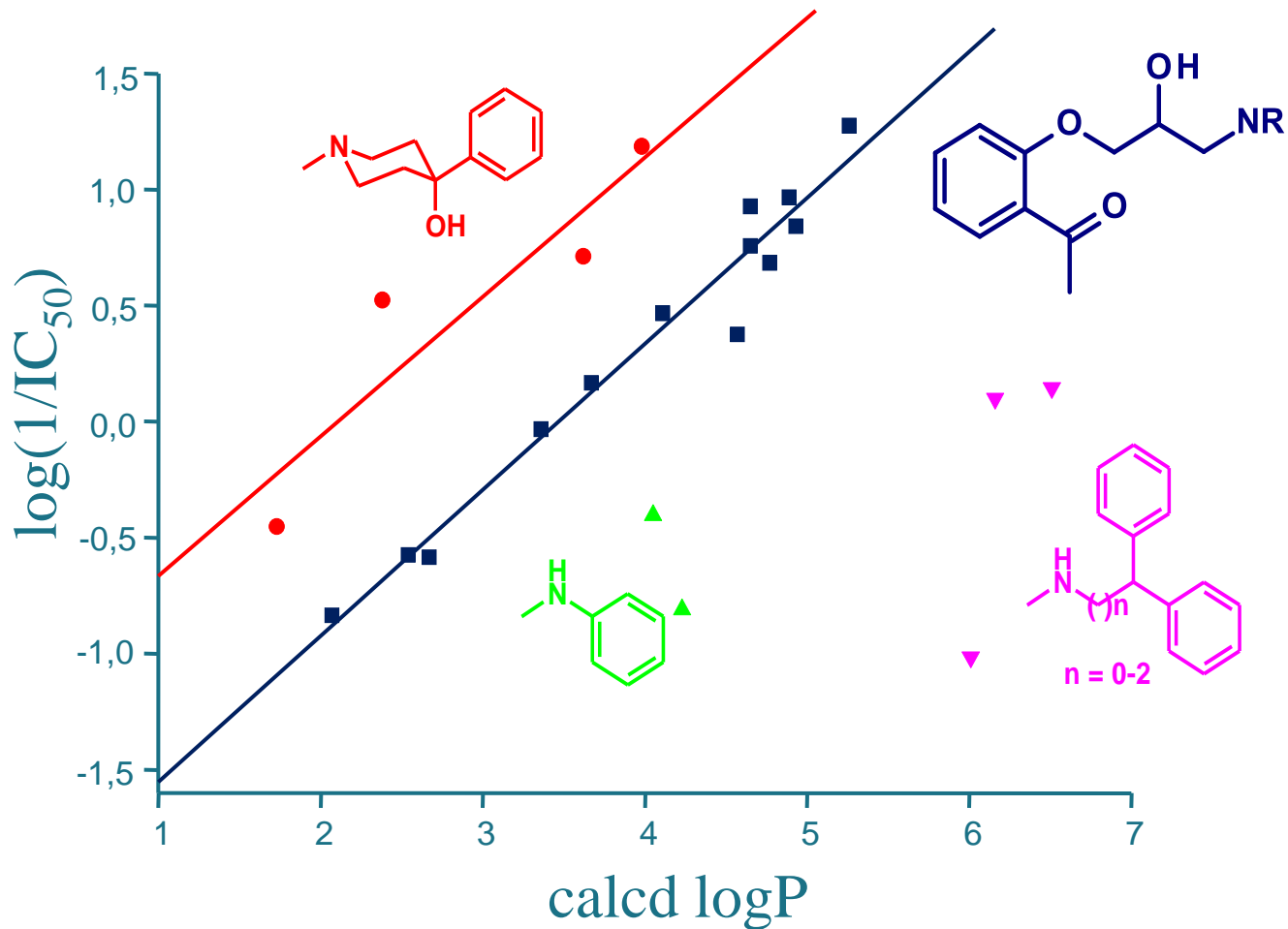


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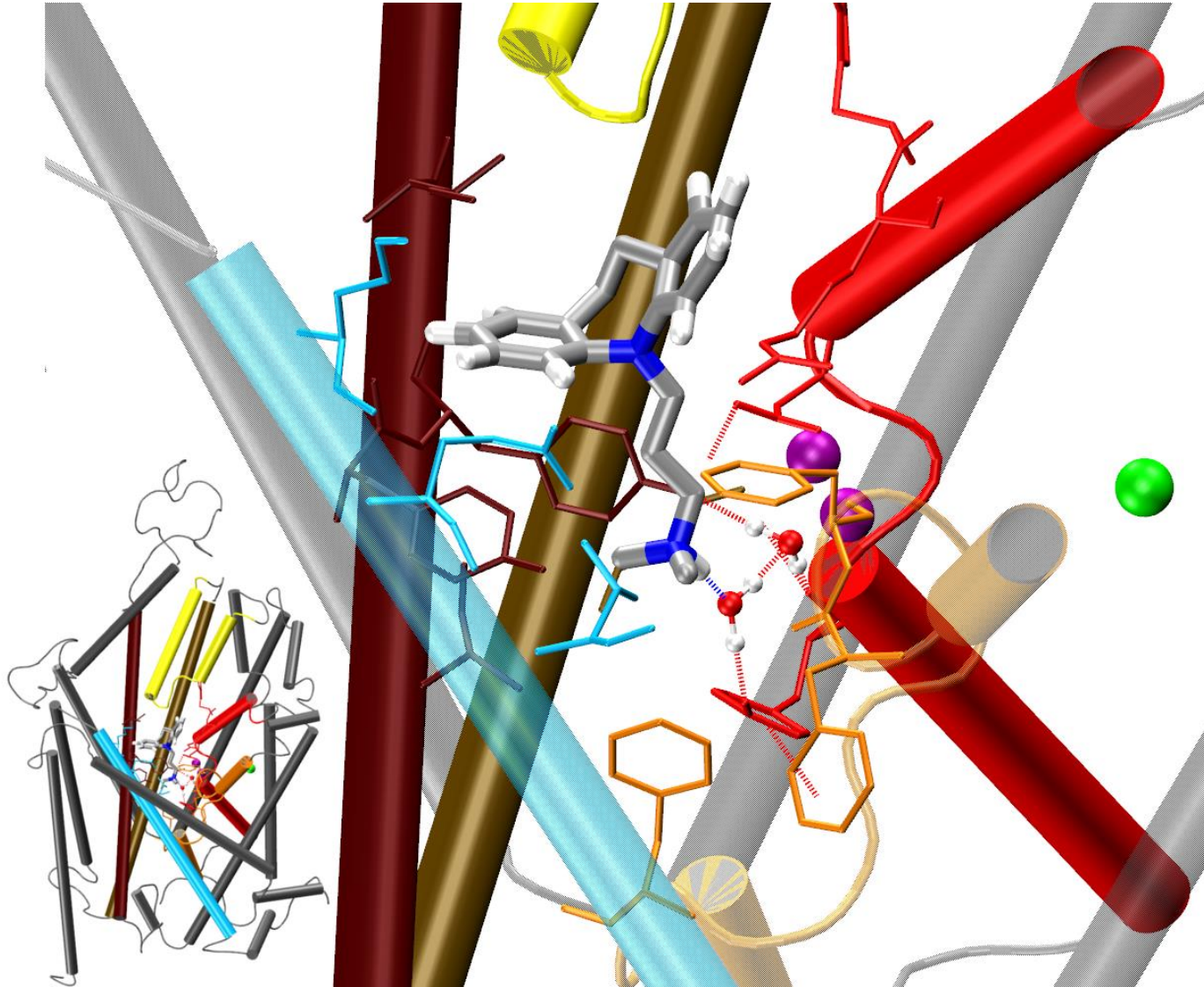
### Coexistence of passive and carrier-mediated processes in drug transport

*Kiyohiko Sugano, Manfred Kansy, Per Artursson, Alex Avdeef, Stefanie Bendels, Li Di, Gerhard F. Ecker, Bernard Faller, Holger Fischer, Grégori Gerebtzoff, Hans Lennernaes and Frank Senner*

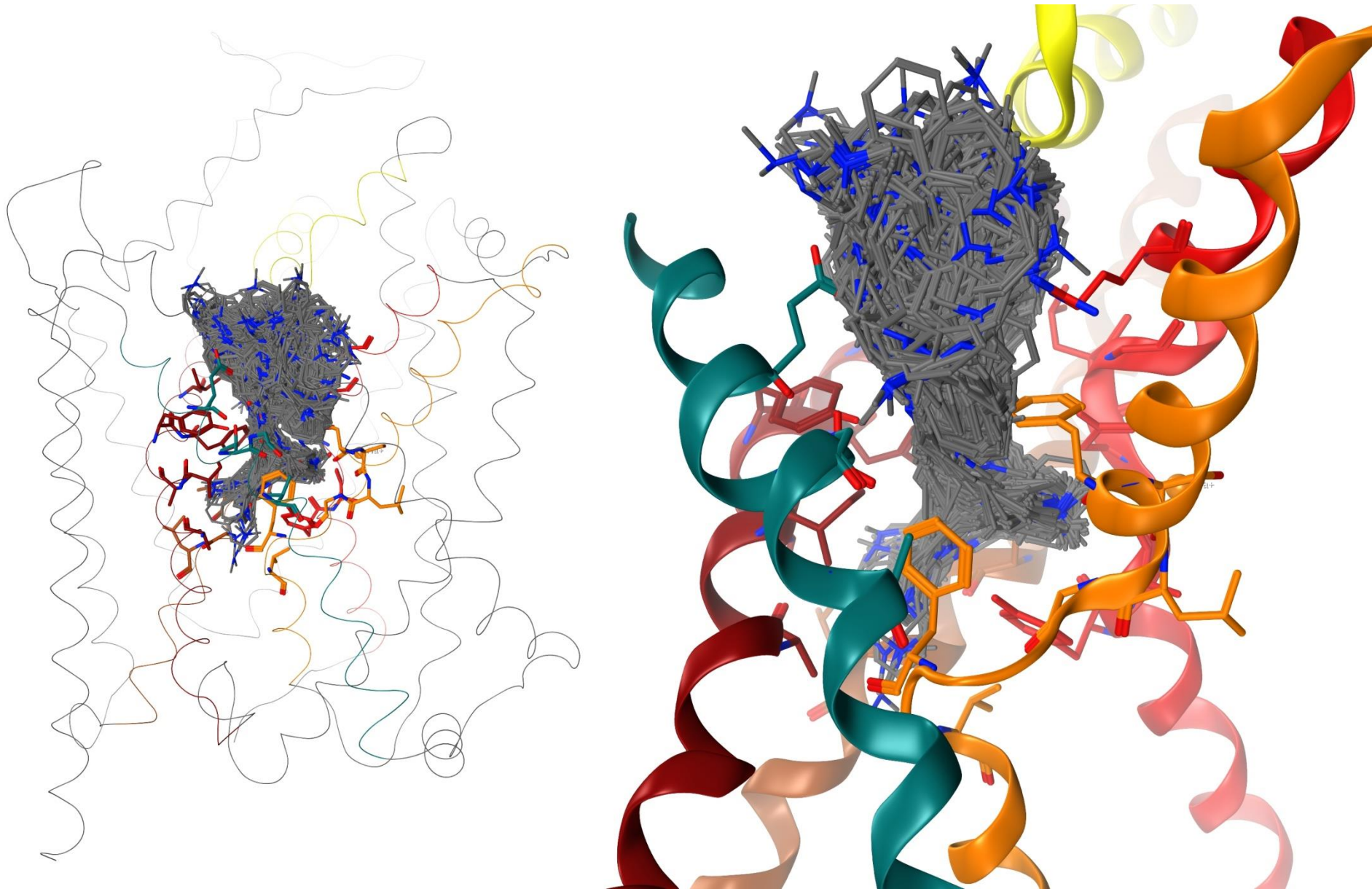
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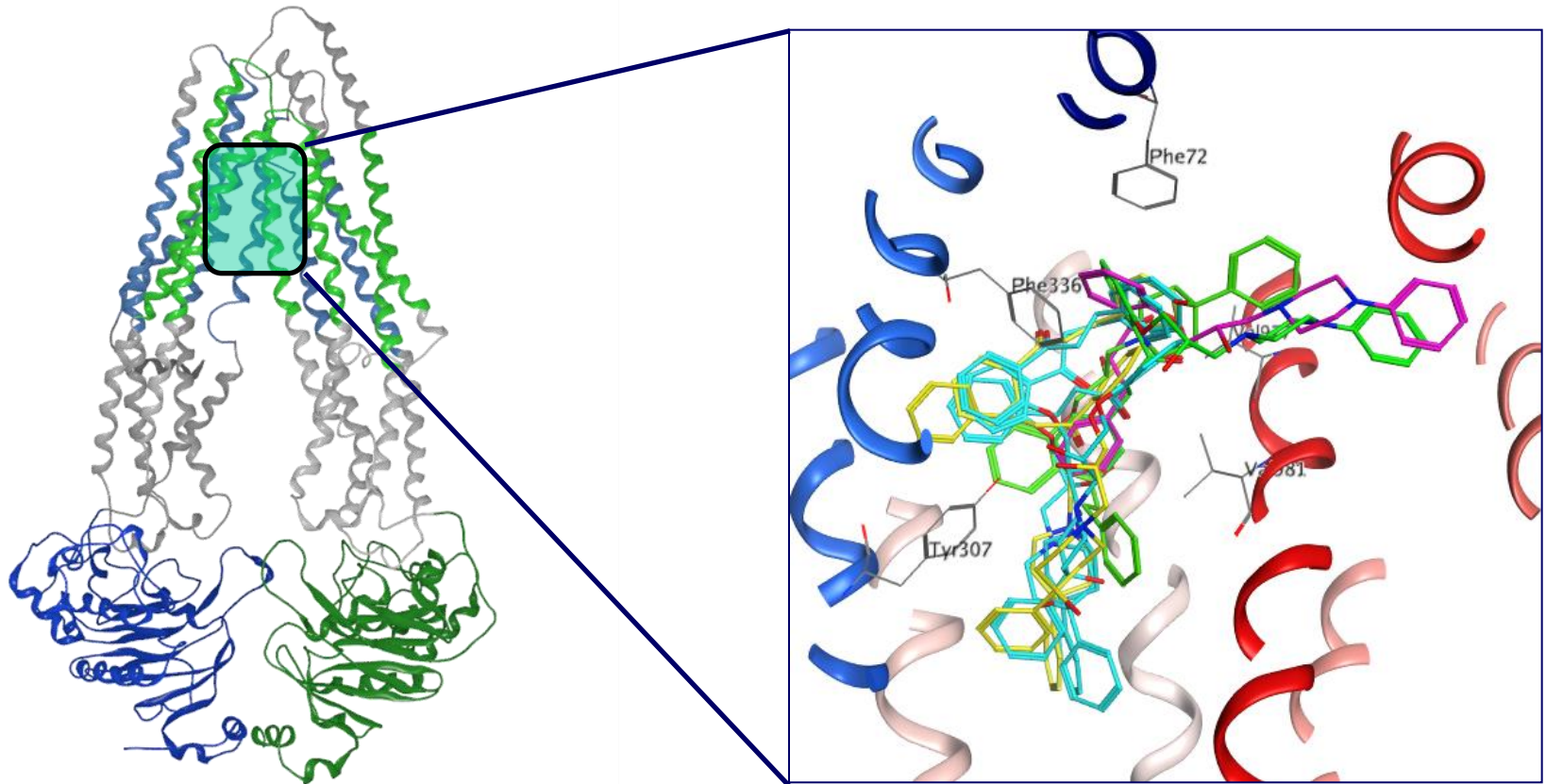
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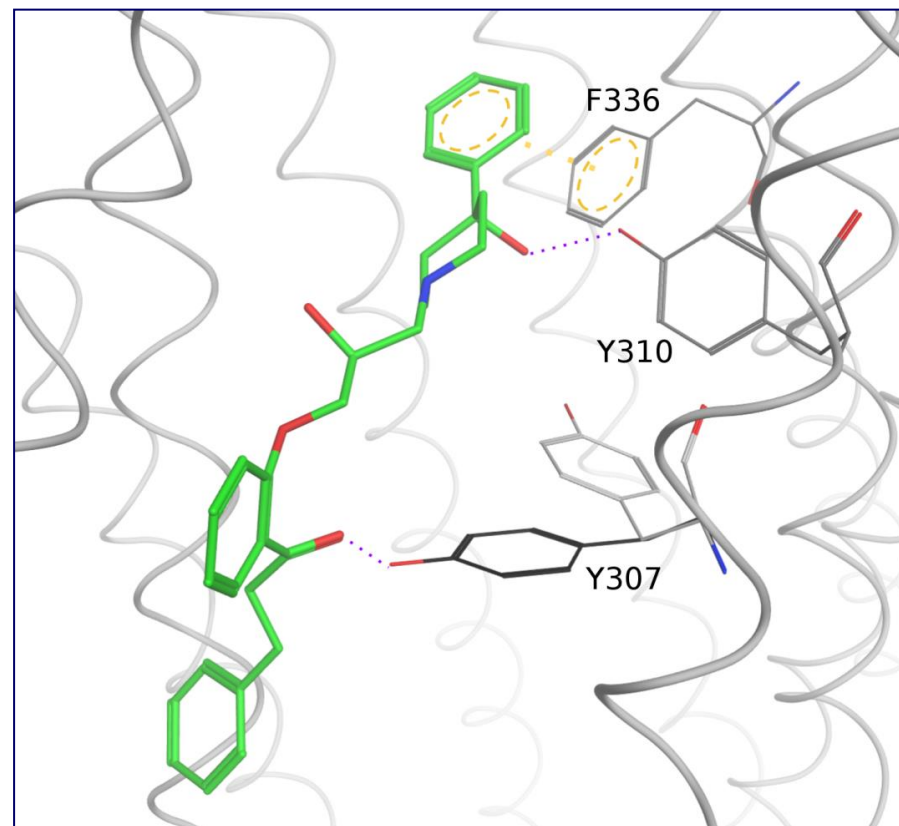
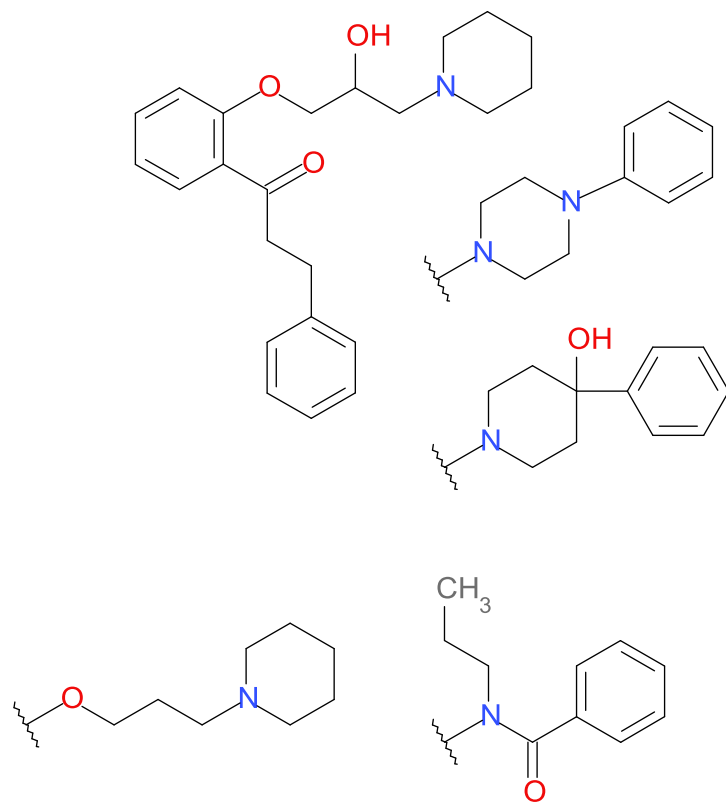


# Target-based Design - Reality



# Docking into P-gp Model

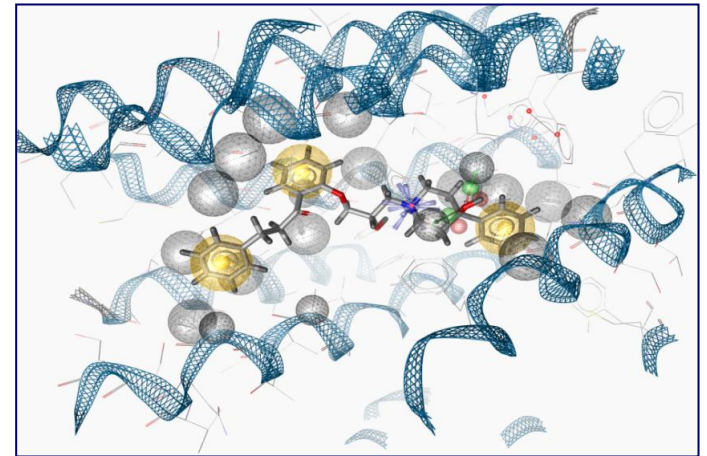
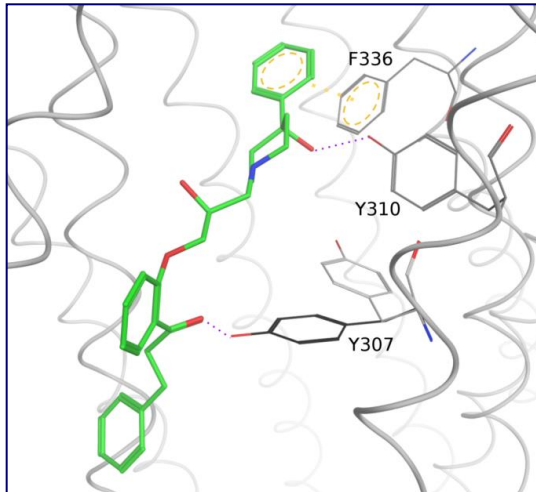




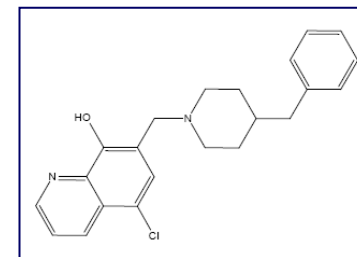
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Richter et al., *Nature Chem Biol* 2012

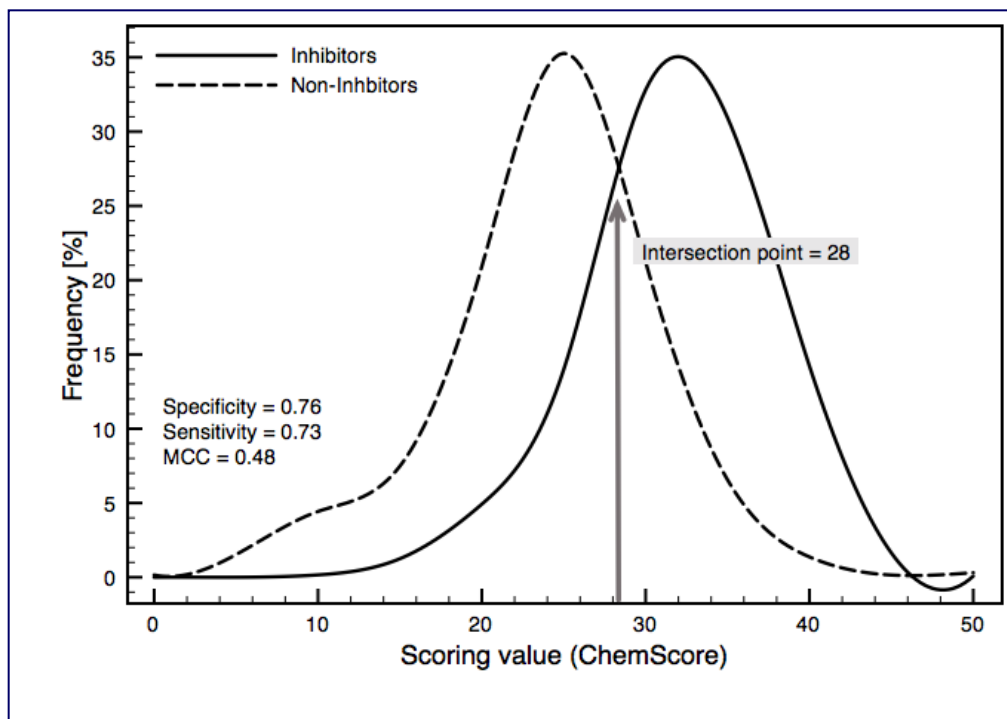


# Validation *via* Pharmacophores



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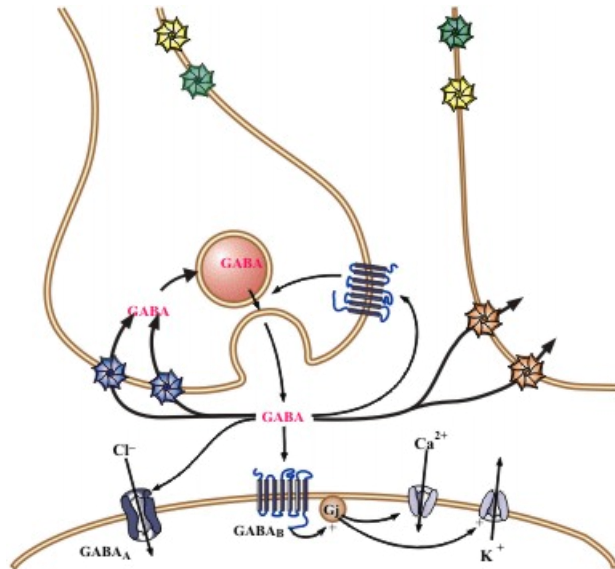




1935 compounds  
dock, score  
take top scored  
run distribution  
Accuracy 0,75

Klepsch, *J Chem Inf Mod* 2013

# GABA transporters



## differences:

- localization
- expression rate
- kinetic parameters
- Cl<sup>-</sup>-dependence
- (sequence)

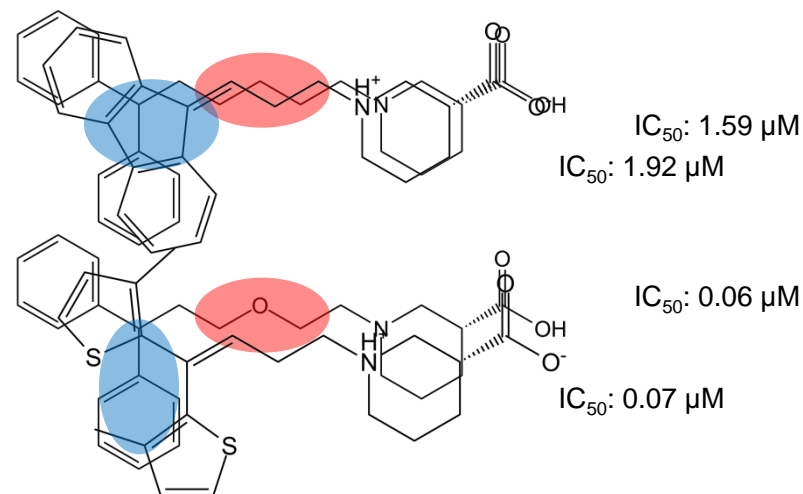
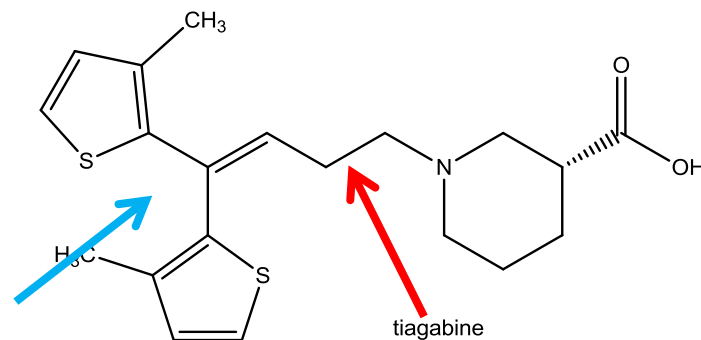
- GAT-1:
  - highest expression in CNS
  - mainly neuronal localization
  - established drug target
- BGT-1:
  - peripheral osmolyte transport
  - distal CNS localization
  - regulates spillover, crosstalk
- GAT-2:
  - least studied subtype
  - mainly peripheral localization
- GAT-3:
  - mainly CNS, synaptic localization
  - higher expression in astrocytes

- structure-activity relationship observations in literature:

- ideal linker length
- stereochemistry of GABA mimetic moiety
- substitution of aromats
- polarity of the linker

- QSAR analysis of 161 consistently tested compounds:

- importance of rigidity, polarity distribution



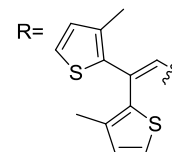
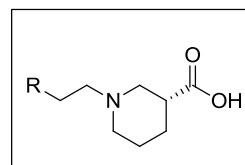
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10 MD snapshots

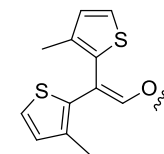
100 poses / configuration



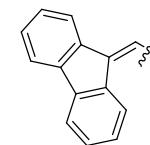
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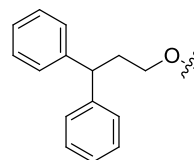
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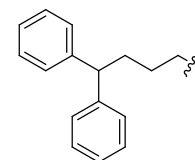
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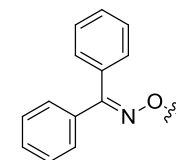
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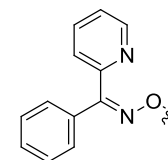
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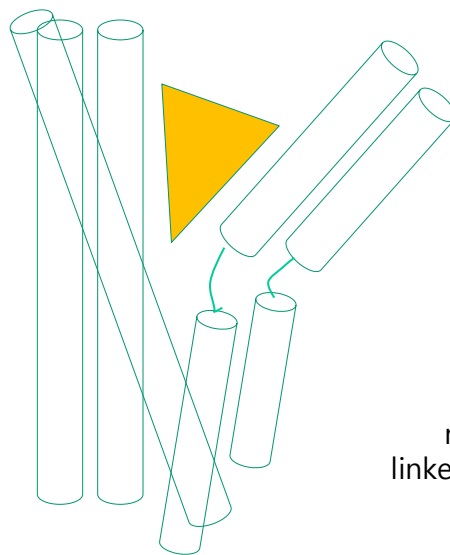


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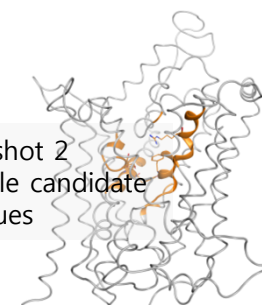
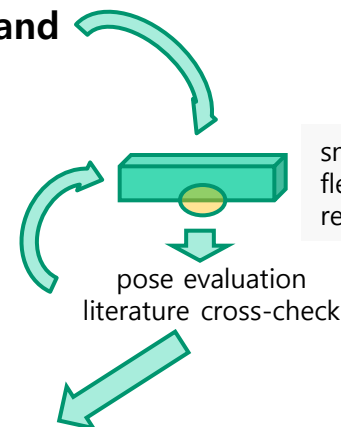
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non-polar  
linker compounds

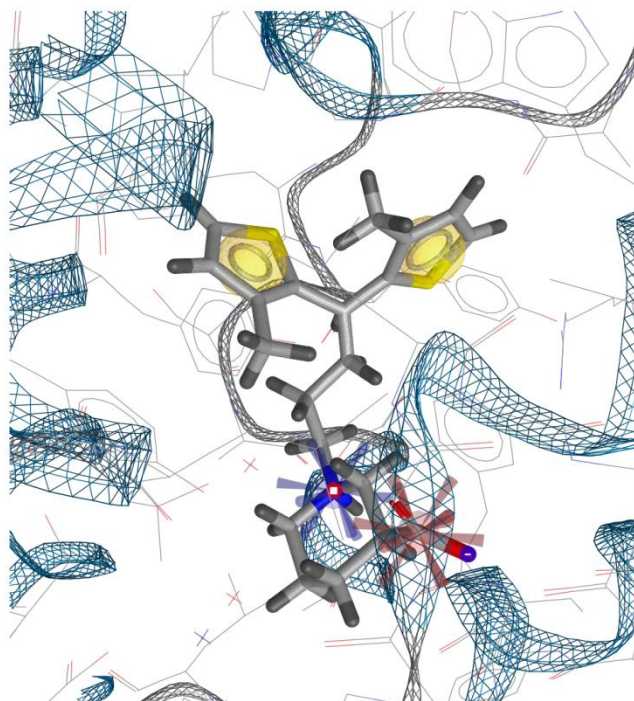
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**10 top poses / ligand**  
visual analysis

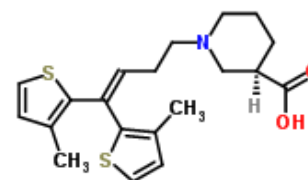
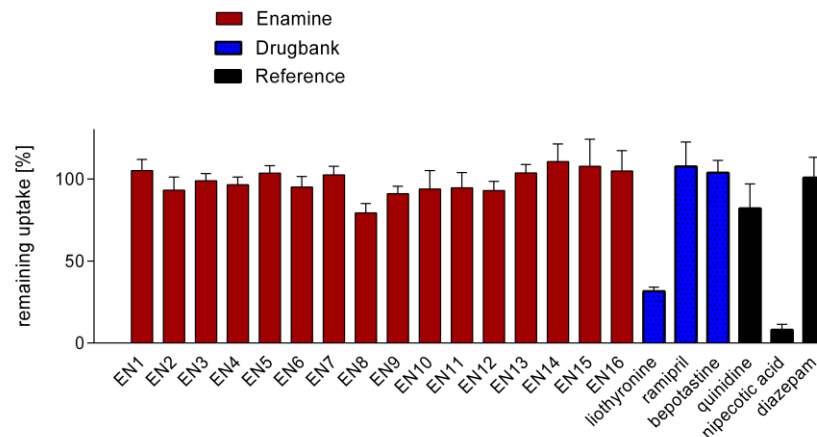


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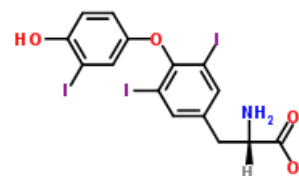
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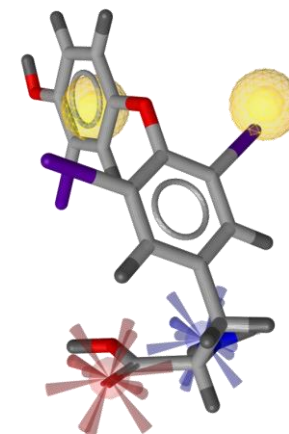
Jurik, *J Med Chem* 2015



Tiagabine



Liothyronine



## Acridone derivatives: Design, synthesis, and inhibition of breast cancer resistance protein ABCG2

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## Therapeutics

### Reversal of Breast Cancer Resistance Protein-mediated Drug Resistance by Estrogen Antagonists and Agonists<sup>1</sup>

### Flavonoids Are Inhibitors of Breast Cancer Resistance Protein (ABCG2)-Mediated Transport

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## Phytoestrogens/Flavonoids Reverse Breast Cancer Resistance Protein/ABCG2-Mediated

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## A Global Drug Inhibition Pattern for the Human ATP-Binding Cassette Transporter Breast Cancer Resistance Protein (ABCG2)<sup>[S]</sup>

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## RESEARCH PAPER

## The multidrug transporter ABCG2 is inhibited by plant-derived cannabinoids

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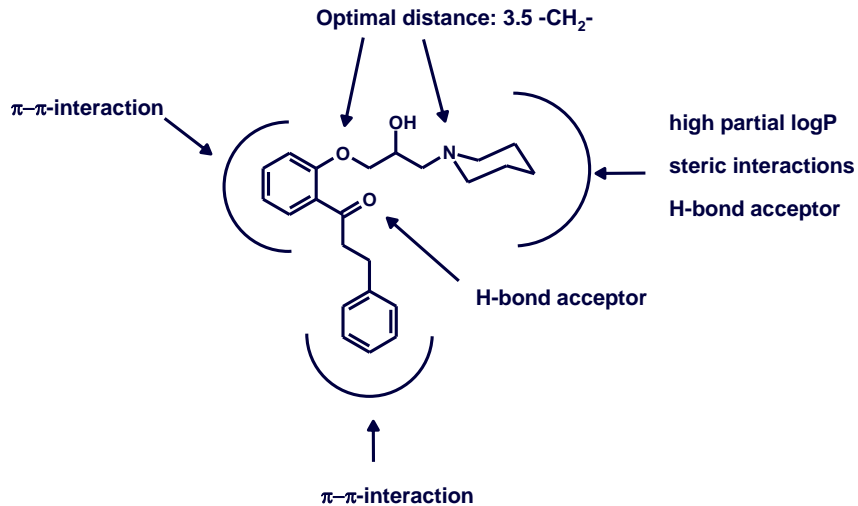
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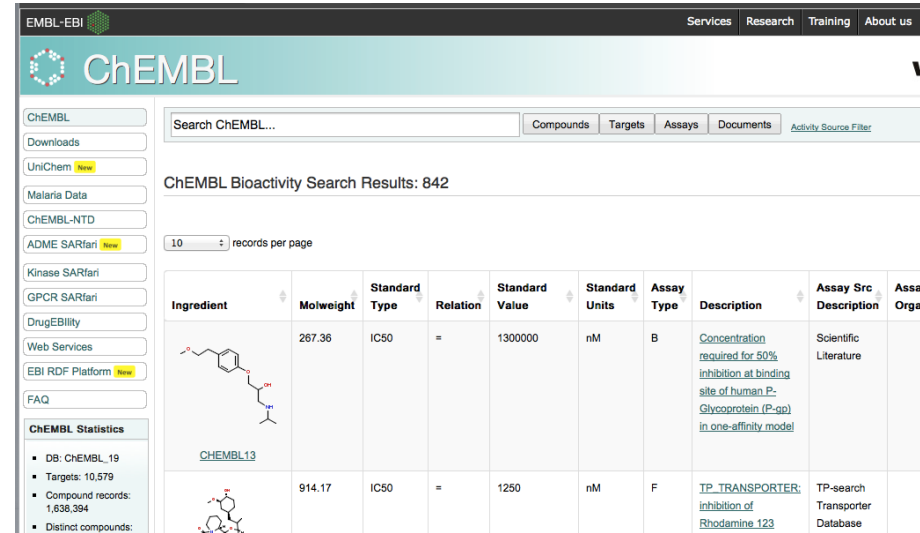




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

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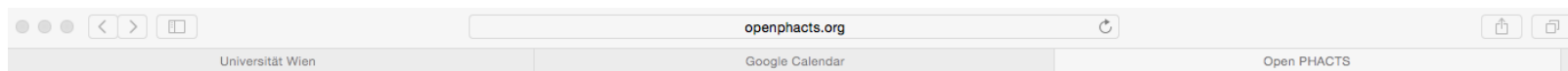
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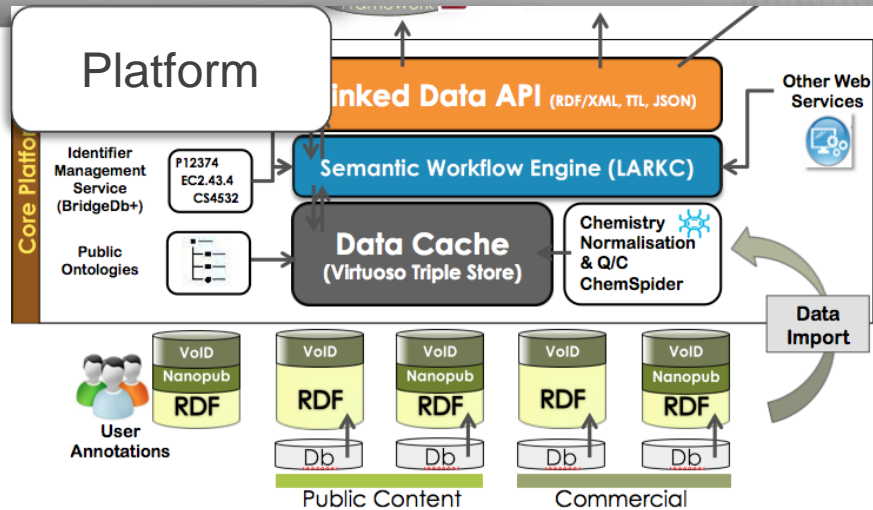
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Approaching complex research questions needs integration of data sources



## Explorer

**Sildenafil**

Pharmacology Data | View in ChemBioNavigator

Sildenafil (in citrate form), sold under the names Viagra, Revatio and under various other names, is a drug used to treat male erectile dysfunction (impotence) and pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH), developed by the pharmaceutical company Pfizer. Its primary competitors on the market are tadalafil (Cialis), and vardenafil (Levitra). [Wikipedia]

Hepatic

ChemSpider ID: [5023](#)

Molecular Formula:  $C_{22}H_{26}N_4O_5$

SMILES: O=C1N(CCN(C)CC1)C4=CC(=O)C(N2)C(=O)C(C)C(C)C(C)C4

Standard InChI: InChI=1S/C22H30N6O5/c1-5-7-17-19-20(27(4)25-17)22(29)24-21(23-19)16-14-15(8-9-18;16)32-6-2)33(30,31)28-12-10-26(3)11-13-28/h8-9,14H,5-7,10-13H2,1-4H3,(4,23,24,29)

Standard InChIKey: [BNRNULZRGQAQC-UHFFFAOYSA-N](#)

Affected Organism: Humans and other mammals

Indication: For the treatment of erectile dysfunction

Melting Point: 189-190 °C

ALogP: 2.2

# H-Bond Receptors: 7

# H-Bond Donors: 1

Mol Weight: 474.576

MW Freebase: 474.576

Polar Surface Area: 117.51

# Rotatable Bonds: 7

## Apps

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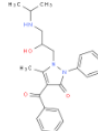
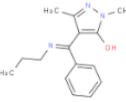
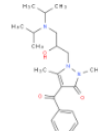
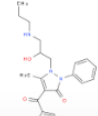
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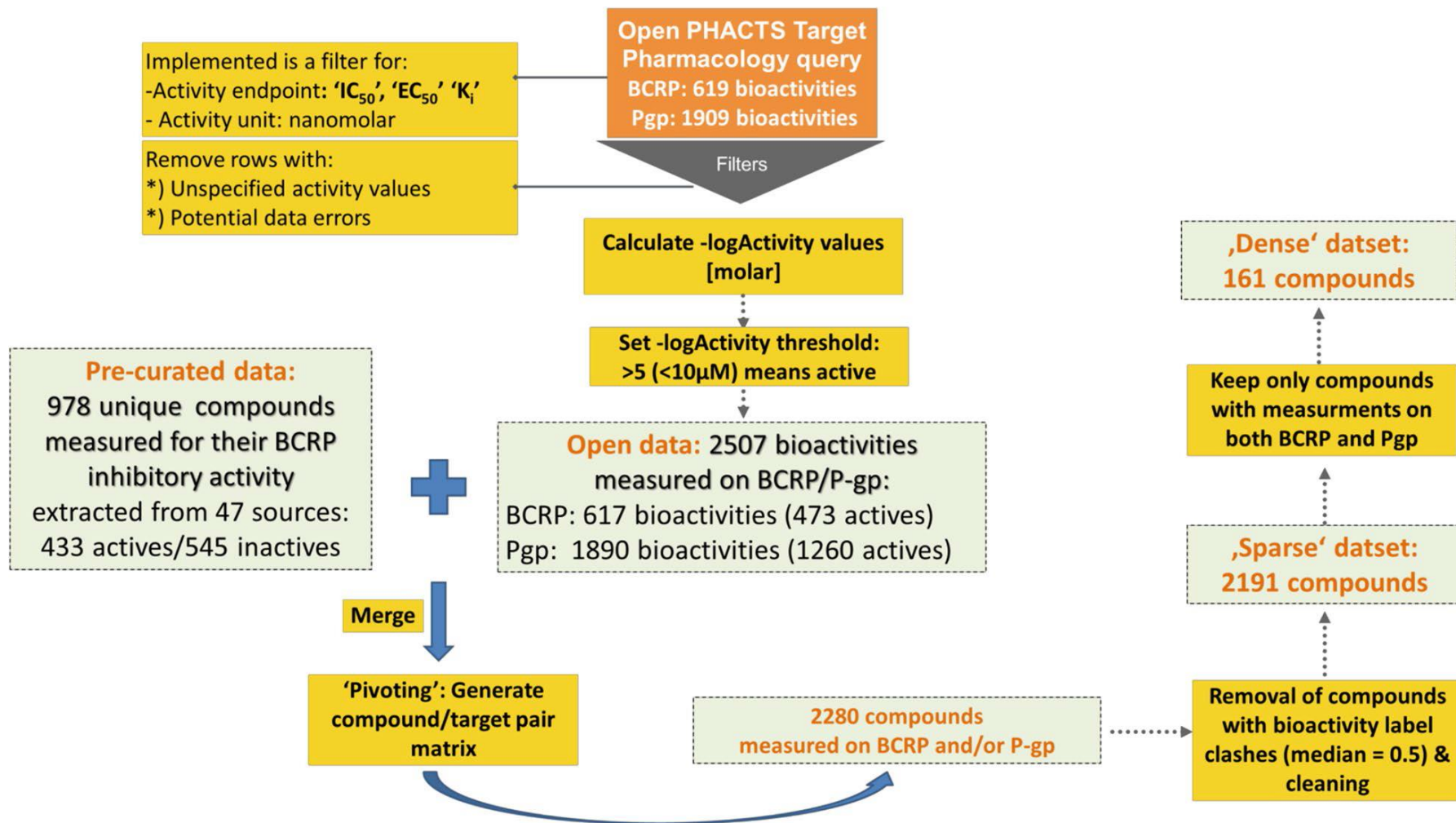
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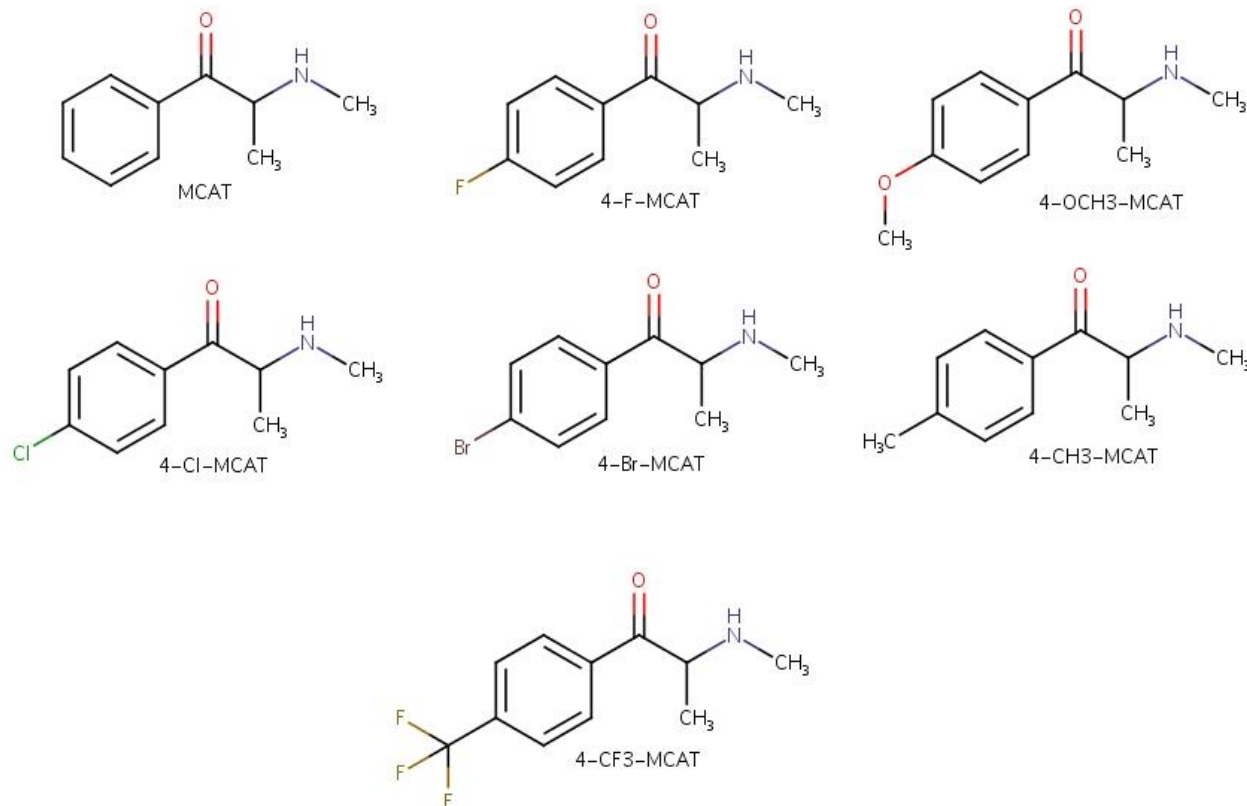
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	1,3-dimethyl-4-[(E)-phenyl(propylimino)methyl]-1H-pyrazol-5-ol	Homo sapiens	Homo sapiens	Compound was tested for inhibition of daunomycin efflux in the resistant human T-lymphoblast cell line CEM vcr1000.	EC50	=	272500	nM	257.331	
	4-benzoyl-1-[3-(dipropan-2-ylamino)-2-hydroxypropyl]-2,5-dimethyl-1,2-dihydro-3H-pyrazol-3-one	Homo sapiens	Homo sapiens	Compound was tested for inhibition of daunomycin efflux in the resistant human T-lymphoblast cell line CEM vcr1000.	EC50	=	24120	nM	373.489	4.62
	1-[2-Hydroxy-3-(propylamino)propyl]-5-methyl-2-phenyl-4-(2-thienylcarbonyl)-1,2-dihydro-3H-pyrazol-3-one	Homo sapiens	Homo sapiens	Compound was tested for inhibition of daunomycin efflux in the resistant human T-lymphoblast cell line CEM vcr1000.	EC50	=	72440	nM	399.	<a href="#">Go to top</a> 4

# BCRP vs P-gp Profiling



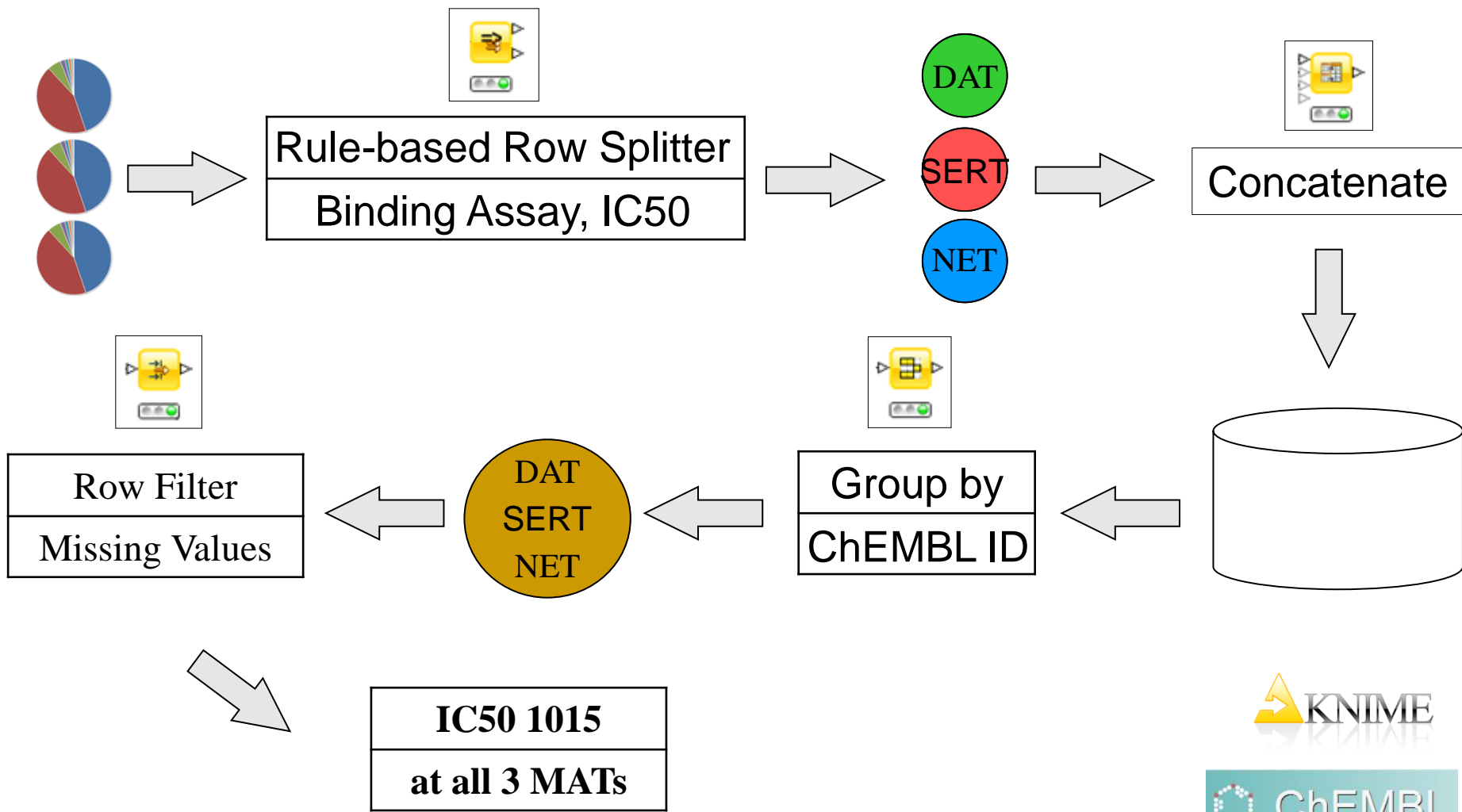
# Cathinones and MATs

Bonano et.al, British Journal of Pharmacology (2015) 172 2433-2444 2433



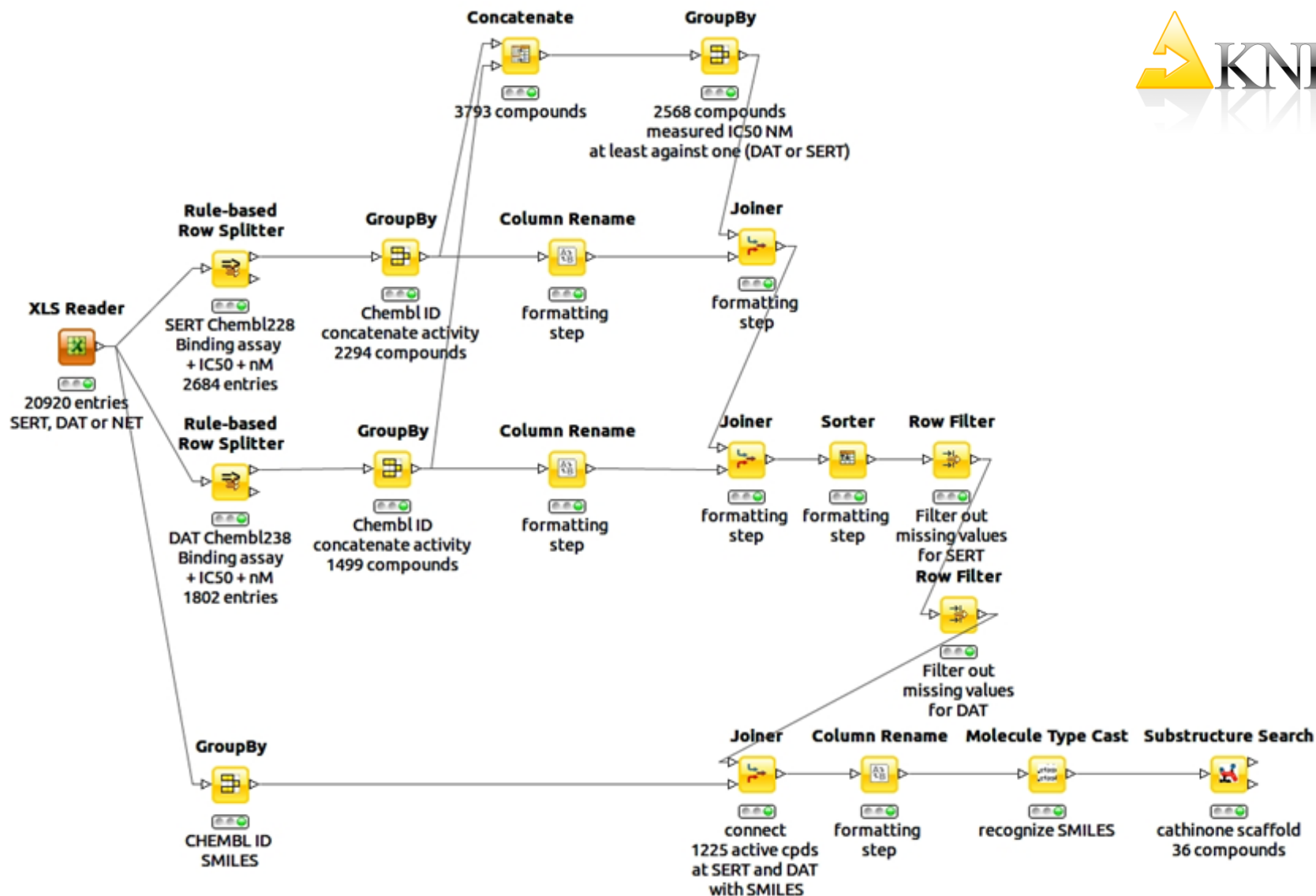
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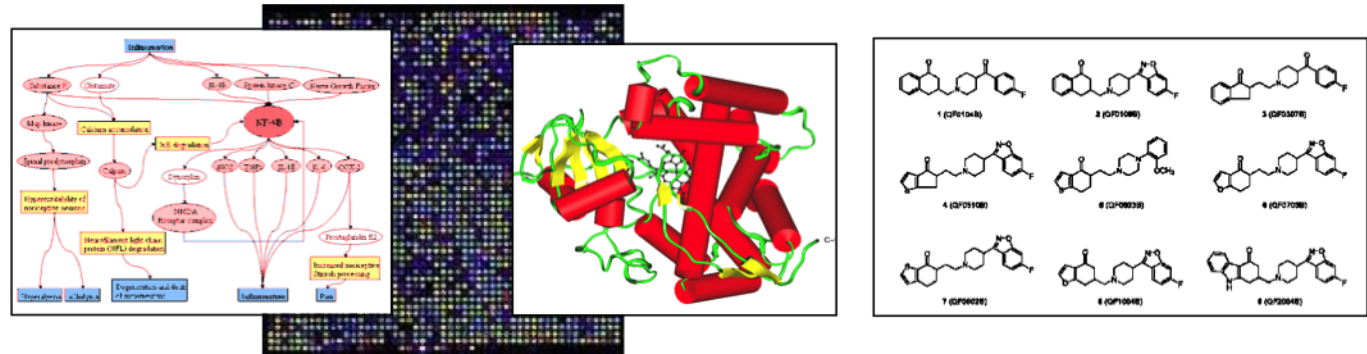




# Data Compilation - KNIME



# In vitro to in vivo



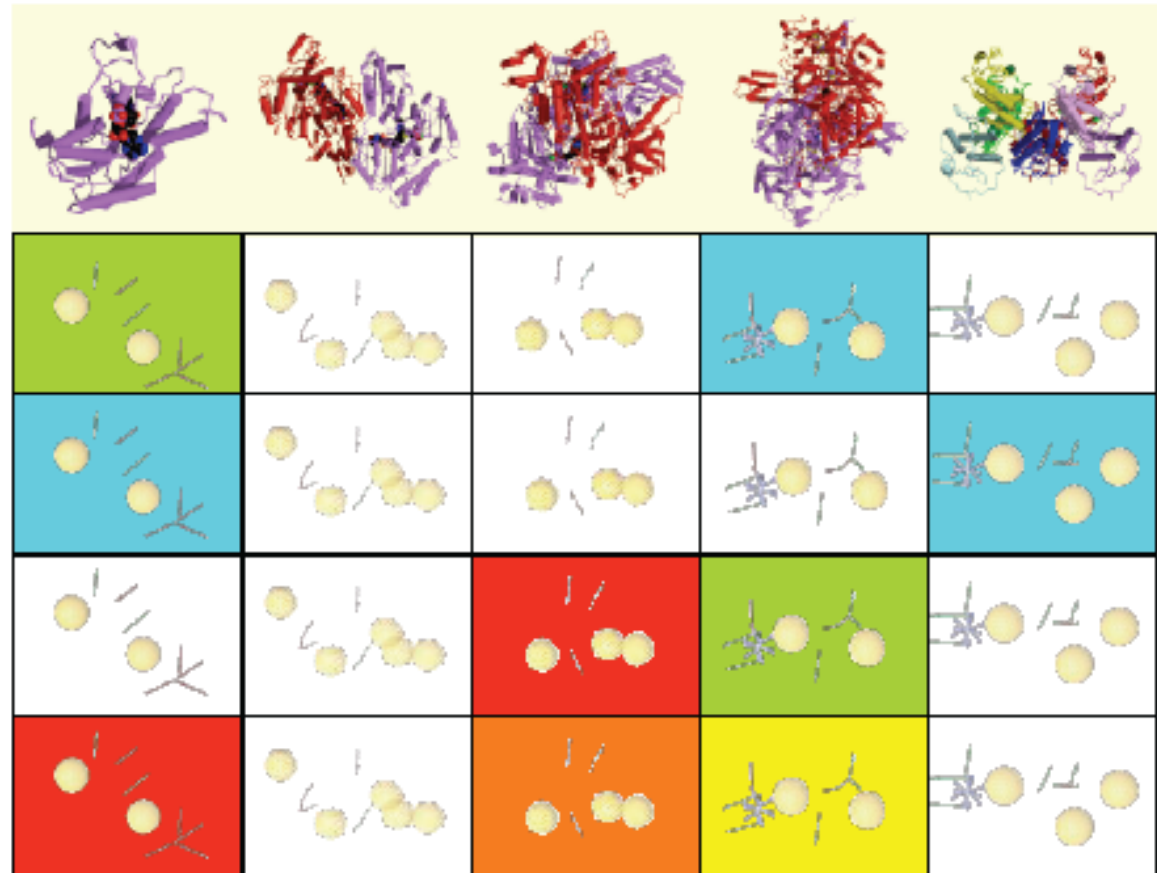
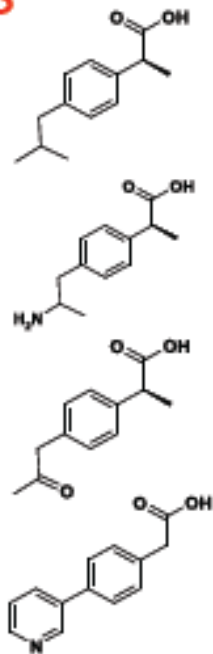
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# Transporter Profiling

$10^x$  molecules  
against  
 $10^x$  targets



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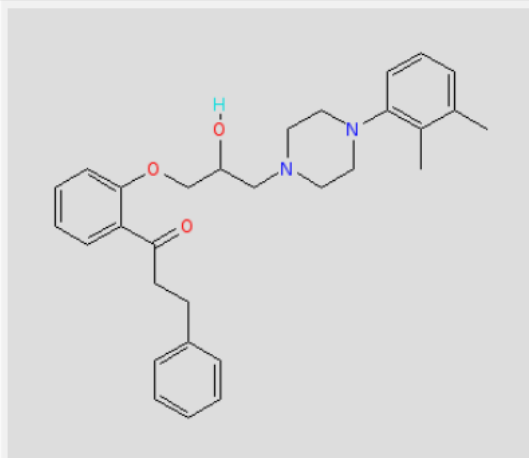
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Prediction/Model

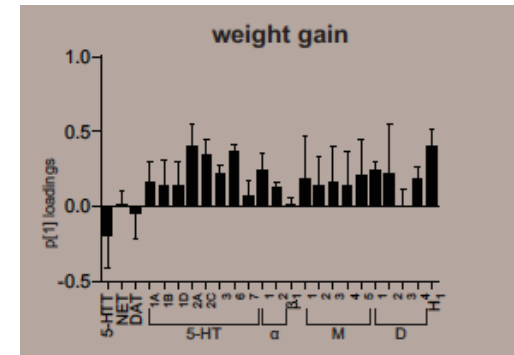
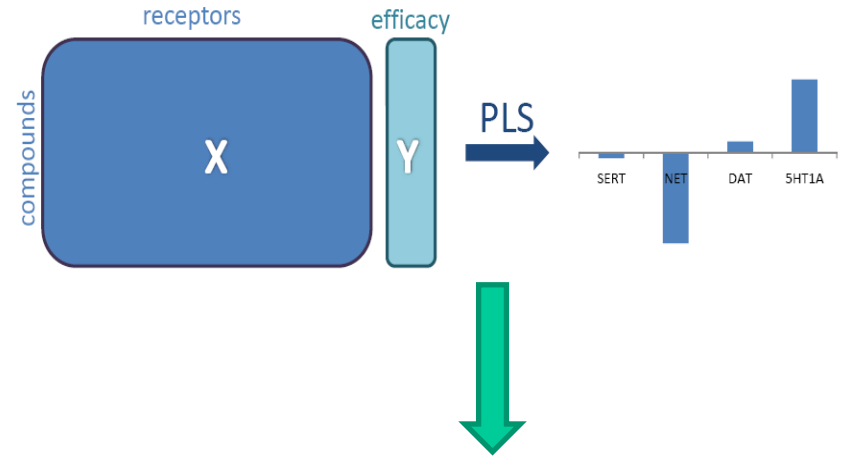
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- All models
- ADME
  - Absorption
  - Distribution
  - Metabolism
  - Transport
- Other
  - Physicochemical Properties
- Toxicity
  - Carcinogenicity
  - Genotoxicity
  - Organ Toxicity
  - Target Safety Pharmacology

# Interaction profiles and side effects

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	SERT	NET	DAT	5HT1A	5HT2A	5HT2C	alpha 1	alpha 2	M1	M2	M3	M4	M5	D1	D2	D3	H1
Citalopram	8.73	5.16	5.00	5.00	5.08	6.21	5.92	5.00	5.84	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	6.46
Escitalopram	8.96	5.11	5.00			5.60	5.41		5.91	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00		5.70
Fluoxetine	8.61	6.18	5.39	5.00	6.71	6.59	5.56	5.07	6.06	5.57	5.96	5.54	5.57	5.00	5.00		5.49
Fluvoxamin	8.69	5.72	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.17	5.89	5.72	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00		5.00
Paroxetine	10.00	7.25	6.42	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.56	5.00	6.73	6.47	7.10	6.49	6.19	5.00	5.00		5.00
Sertraline	9.64	5.88	7.59	5.00	5.27	5.64	6.70	5.64	6.06	5.68	5.89	5.85	5.72	5.20	5.97		7.62
Venlafaxin	8.09	5.56	5.09	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00		5.81
Desvenlafaxin	7.40	5.83	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00
Duloxetine	9.21	8.23	6.62	5.00	6.30	6.04	5.08	5.03	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00		5.64
Milnacipran	8.08	7.66	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00		5.00
Trazodon	6.69	5.02	5.06	6.97	7.44	6.65	7.16	6.49	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.43	5.40		6.18
Nefazodon	6.48	6.31	6.44	7.30	8.15	7.14	7.57	6.44	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.82	6.04		5.00
Reboxetine	6.56	7.89	5.00	5.00	6.84	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.59	5.55	5.38	5.70				5.00	5.85
Atomoxetin	7.11	8.30	5.84	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00						5.00	5.00		5.00
Bupropion	5.02	5.00	6.19	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.38	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00		5.00
Nomifensine	6.00	7.65	7.31	5.93	6.43	5.00	5.00	5.21	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00		5.57
Mirtazapine	5.00	5.34	5.00	7.74	7.16	7.41	6.43	7.70	6.10					5.38	5.26	5.24	8.80
Mianserin	5.40	7.15	5.03	6.29	7.83	6.41	7.14	7.92	6.30					6.03	5.69	5.55	9.10
Maprotiline	5.24	7.95	6.00	5.00	7.29	6.91	7.17	5.51	6.46								9.10
Amisulpride	8.46	7.65	5.54	6.35	7.64	8.37	7.85	6.40	7.89	7.93	7.59	8.14	7.70	7.09	5.84		9.15
Clomipramine	9.70	7.34	5.58	5.00	7.45	7.19	8.49	6.28						6.66	7.11	7.40	
Doxepin	7.17	7.53	5.00	6.56	7.59	8.06	7.63	5.90	7.42	6.80	7.28	7.09	7.12		6.44		9.70
Imipramin	8.89	7.29	5.03	5.10	6.93	6.92	7.49	5.51	7.38	7.36	7.22	6.95	7.08	5.00	6.17	6.41	7.58
Desipramin	7.70	8.46	5.11	5.09	7.02	6.61	7.21	5.46	6.96	6.27	6.68	6.80	6.84	5.26	5.60		7.12
Dothiepin	8.05	7.34	5.27	5.40	8.82		6.38	7.92	7.74	8.96	7.42	7.22	7.94				8.40
Lofepramine	7.15	8.27	5.00	5.34	5.92		7.00	5.57	7.17	6.48	6.89	6.47	6.34	6.30	5.70		6.44
Aripiprazol	5.97	5.68	5.49	8.25	8.06	7.65	7.60	7.13	5.17	5.45	5.38	5.82	5.63	6.41	9.02	8.01	7.54
Amisulpride	5.00	5.00	5.70	5.00	5.00	5.15	5.80							5.00	8.89	8.62	5.00
Chlorpromazine	5.89	5.61	5.00	5.51	8.46	8.21	9.55	6.12	7.60	6.67	7.17	7.40	7.38	7.36	8.10	8.52	8.52
Clozapine	5.79	5.50	5.00	6.85	8.19	7.44	8.17	7.82	8.85	7.32	8.15	8.22	8.30	6.71	6.89	6.55	8.92
Haloperidol	5.49	5.68	5.00	5.29	6.70	5.00	7.77	6.22	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	7.24	9.37	8.66	5.77
Methylphenidate	5.00	6.47	7.38	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.25	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00		5.00
Methylnapizine	5.43	5.00	5.00	5.57	8.60	8.17	7.36	6.55	8.60	7.02	7.89	8.00	8.22	7.46	7.50	7.52	9.18
Perphenazine		6.38	8.25		6.88	8.00	6.29							7.52	9.04	8.96	8.10
Quetiapin	5.00	5.00	5.00	6.49	7.02	5.93	8.09	7.10	6.87	6.20	6.15	6.65	5.52	6.15	6.61	6.19	8.66
Risperidon	5.00	5.00	5.00	6.38	9.38	7.19	8.57	8.12	5.00	5.43	5.00	5.54	5.00	7.22	8.57	7.85	7.48
Ziprasidon	6.95	7.36	5.00	7.92	8.85	7.89	8.59	6.81	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	7.52	8.07	8.00	7.82

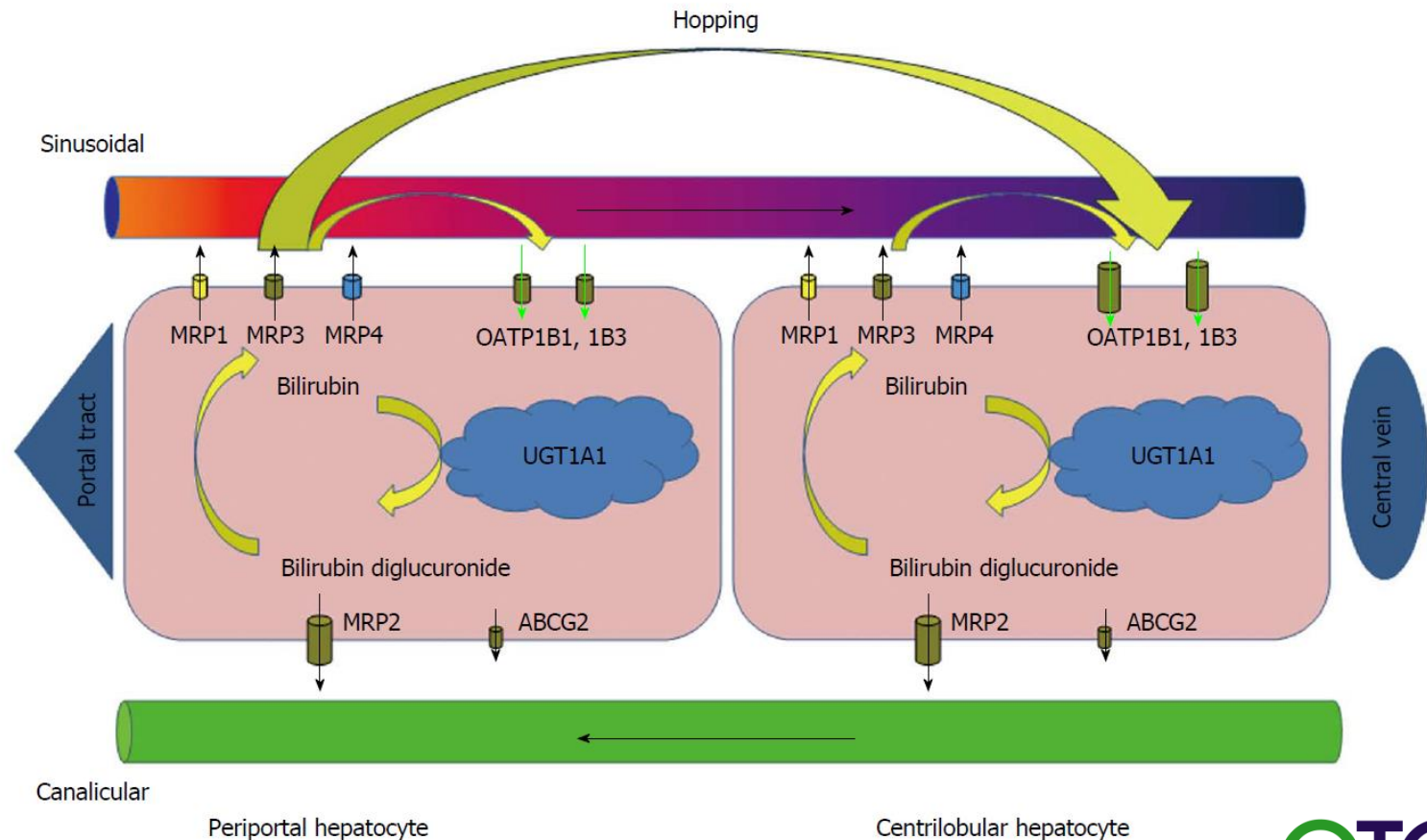


5-HT<sub>6</sub> and weight gain

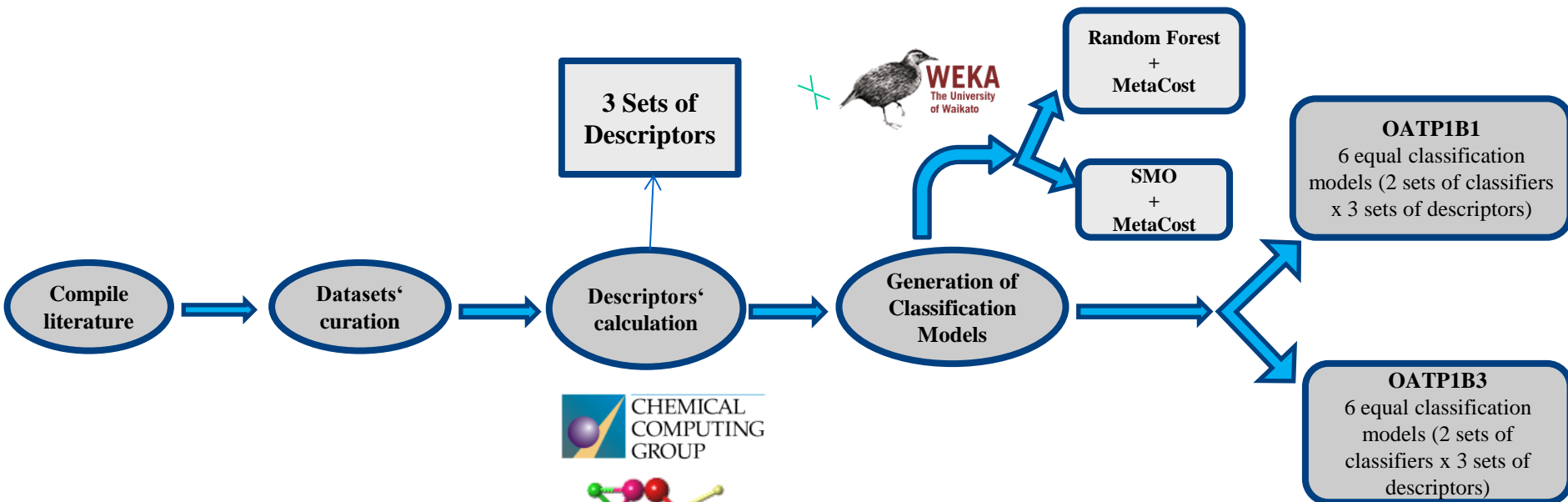


## Hyperbilirubinemia- Background

### Liver Transporters & Cycle of Bilirubin



# Workflow – OATP Models



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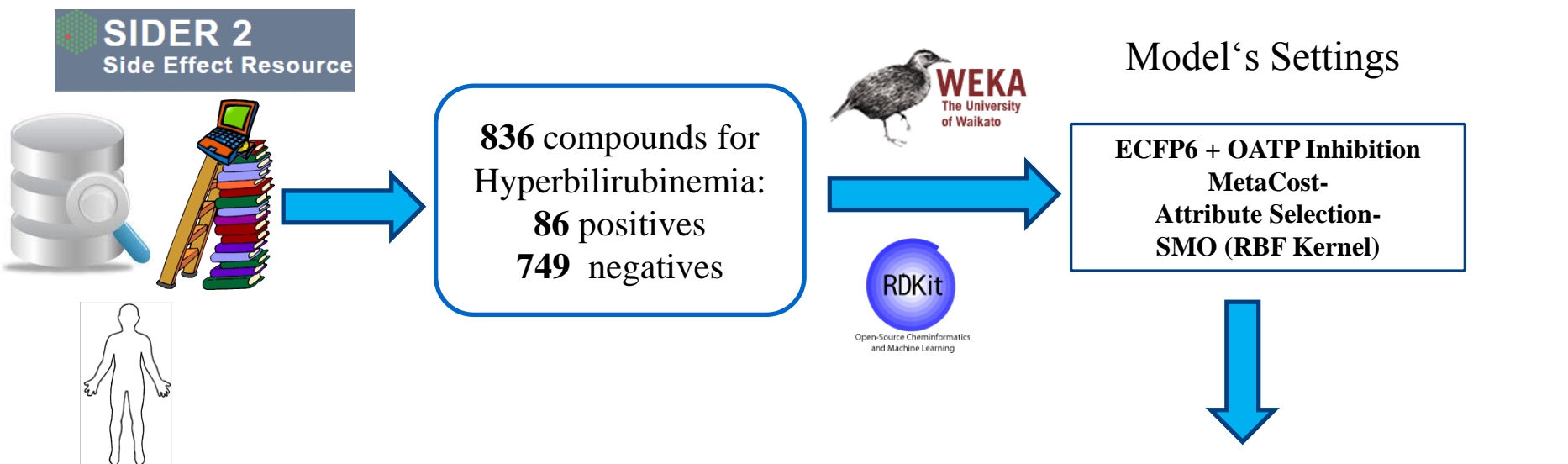
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N	Compound	IC <sub>50</sub> on OATP1B1 (μM)	IC <sub>50</sub> on OATP1B3 (μM)	Pred. dual Inhibitors	Pred. selective OATP1B3 Inhib.	Correctness of prediction
1	Carfilzomib ✓	0.38 ± 0.12	0.90 ± 0.17	+		+++ , +++
2	Dronedarone hydrochloride	0.32 ± 0.07	1.12 ± 0.20	+		+++ , ++
* <sub>3</sub>	Flavin adenine dinucleotide ✓	6.62 ± 1.15	10.02 ± 0.78		+	-, +
4	Fosinopril sodium	6.28 ± 1.13	5.19 ± 0.98	+		+, +
5	Gliquidone ✓	7.45 ± 1.64	1.17 ± 0.31	+		+, ++
6	Lapatinib	0.37 ± 0.19	33.78 ± 2.45(s.i.)	+		+++ , -
7	N,O-Didansyl-L-Tyrosine ?	6.07 ± 0.56	2.94 ± 0.75	+		+, ++
8	Rapamycin (Sirolimus)	0.62 ± 0.19	0.40 ± 0.12		+	+++ , +++
9	Trametinib	0.34 ± 0.09	30.82 ± 4.01(s.i.)	+		+++ , -
10	Zafirlukast	7.84 ± 0.49	4.96 ± 0.92	+		+, ++

# Hyperbilirubinemia

## Hyperbilirubinemia- Results



- 1st model for Hyperbilirubinemia
- Suggestion for one more transporter for bilirubin (Lin et al., 2015, *Nature Reviews Drug Discovery*)

Valid. Method	Accuracy	Sensitivity (TPR)	Specificity (TNR)	MCC	ROC Area
10CV	0.675	0.651	0.678	0.209	0.687
5CV	0.690	0.581	0.702	0.184	0.679

OATP Inhib → important dscr



## Approaching new areas with increasing complexity

- BQ X1: Give me all pathways related to the regulation of P-glycoprotein, and all compounds hitting targets in these pathways.
- BQ 17: for hyperbilirubinemia, give me all targets in the pathway and for these targets all the active compounds
- Give me all compounds annotated with liver toxicity and their interaction profiles with all transporters expressed in the liver

**Limitations are no longer in your computer, they are in your mind!**

**Be careful on the quality of the data!**

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