COMMUNICATIONS

349P	BOAKES, R.J., TURNER, J.D & VIRMANI, M.A. Effects of putative anion transport inhibitors on the release of 5-hydroxytryptamine induced by low chloride superfusion	357P	LITTLE, H.J., NUTT, D.J. & TAYLOR, S.C. The benzodiazepine antagonist, Ro 15-1788, does not alleviate the ethanol withdrawal syndrome in rats
350P	GALZIN, A.M., LANGER, S.Z. & PORTIER, A. Effects of substituted tetrahydro-β-carbolines on 5-HT uptake and release in rat hypothalamic slices	358P	COSTALL, BRENDA, DOMENEY, ANNETTE M., KELLY, ELIZABETH, M. & NAYLOR, R.J. Specificity of prostaglandin action in the striatum to antagonise dyskinesias
351P	MARSHALL, ELIZABETH F., TYRER, S.P., ALDERSON, E. & ECCLESTON, D. Effects of fluoxetine on imipramine-binding in vivo and in vitro	359P	BRISTOW, D.R. & WATLING, K.J. GABAB receptor stimulation increases vasoactive intestinal peptide activated cyclic AMP accumulation in slices of rat
352P	BENKELFAT, C., GALZIN, A.M., LANGER, S.Z., LOO, H., POIRIER, M.F., SCHOEMAKER, H., SECHTER, D., SEGONZAC, A. & ZARIFIAN, E. [³ H]—imipramine binding in human blood platelets: changes after chronic chlorimipramine	360P	cerebral cortex LITTLE, H.J., NUTT, D.J. & TAYLOR, S.C. Selective potentiation of the effects of a benzodiazepine contragonist after chronic flurazepam treatment in mice
353P	BRILEY, M. & CHANTAL MORET. Inhibitory effect of dihydro- ergocristine on 5-HT release from rat hypothalamic slices	361P	MALTA, E., MOLENAAR, P. & RAPER, C. Structure-affinity and structure-efficacy relationships at β-adrenoceptor sites
354P 355P	BALFOUR, D.J.K. & COPLAND, A.M. Effects of diazepam on the concentration and biosynthesis of 5-hydroxytryptamine in rat brain	362P	DOCHERTY, J.R. & HYLAND, LISA. Neuro-effector transmission through postsynaptic α_2 - adrenoceptors in human saphenous vein
2028	MELY, Y., PALFREYMAN, M.G., SLEIGHT, A.J. & ZREIKA, M. Selective activation of the monoamine oxidase inhibiting pro- drug, MDL 72394 by AADC of central monoamine neurons	363P	BOARDER, M.R. & MCARDLE, W. Release of noradrenaline and adrenaline from perfused cultured bovine adrenal chromaffin cells
356P	CANDY, J.M., COURT, J.A., PERRY, R.H. & SMITH, C.J. Carbachol-stimulated phosphatidylinositol hydrolysis in the cerebral cortex after freezing and post	364P	CALVETE, J.A., HAYES, R.J., OATES, N.S., SEVER, P.S. & THOM, S. α_1 and α_2 adrenoceptor responses in human isolated arteries

The author who intended to present the work is indicated

by an asterisk (*) on the abstract

cortex after freezing and post

mortem delay

- 365P CLARKE, B., DUNCAN, G.P., PATMORE, L & WHITING, R.L. Measurement of calcium antagonist potency using cardiac cell cultures
- 366P FAIRHURST, G., STANNARD, M. & WYLLIE, M.G. Measurement of natriuretic hormone levels in rodents and man
- 367P GADIE, B., ROACH, A.G. & TULLOCH, I.F. Partial agonism at central and peripheral α_2 -adrenoceptors in the rat
- 368P GRANT, T.L. & MCGRATH, J.C.
 The effects of teprotide on
 pressor responses to α-agonists
 and sympathetic nerve stimulation
- 369P BRUNDISH, D.E., HIRST, B.H.,
 KENDALL-TAYLOR, P., SNELL, C.R.,
 WEIGHTMAN, D.R. & WHITFORD, C.A.
 Characterisation of two high
 affinity binding sites for [3H]
 somatostatin in rat brain
- 37OP SHARIF, N.A. TRH is endogenous to rat olfactory bulb evidence from chemical and surgical lesions
- 371P O'BOYLE, K.M. & WADDINGTON, J.L. SK&F 83566 and 83692: benzazepines with selective and stereospecific actions at the $\rm D_1$ dopamine receptor
- 372P BILL, D.J. & STEPHENS, R.J.
 Clonidine reverses reserpine-induced hypothermia in the mouse via activation of central post-synaptic \$\alpha_2\$-adrenoceptors?
- 373P MILTON, A.S. The effects of ketoprofen, dexamethasone and corticotrophin on the hyperthermic effect of polyinosinic-polycytidylic acid
- 374P CURZON, G., DOURISH, C.T. & HUTSON, P.H. The serotonin agonist 8-OH-DPAT elicits feeding in non-deprived rats

- 375P CLARKSON, J.S., MICHEL, A.D. & WHITING, R.L. Effect of pH on the binding of [3H]-prazosin to rat cerebral cortex
- 376P BALFOUR, D.J.K., BATTIG, K., FITZGERALD, R. & OETTINGER, R. The effects on nicotine on the behaviour of two strains of rats in a combined maze-open field
- 377P BRITTAIN, R.T., COLEMAN, R.A., COLLINGTON, E.W., HALLETT, P., HUMPHREY, P.P.A., KENNEDY, I., LUMLEY, P., SHELDRICK, R.L.G. & WALLIS, C.J. AH 23848: a potent, selective thromboxane receptor blocking drug
- 378P HUMPHREY, P.P.A. & LUMLEY, P.
 The effects of AH23848, a novel
 thromboxane receptor blocking
 drug, on platelets and
 vascular smooth muscle.
- 379P BALL, H.A. & PARRATT, J.R. Effects of a new thromboxane receptor antagonist, AH23848 on the acute cardiopulmonary responses to *E. coli* endotoxin in cats
- 380P COKER, SUSAN, J. & PARRATT, J.R. Antiarrhythmic activity of the thromboxane antagonist AH23848 during canine myocardial ischaemia and reperfusion
- 381P HAYLOR, J. & LOTE, C.J. Is the urinary excretion of PGE from the rat influenced by changes in urine flow?
- 382P LEOUTSAKOS, A., PEARCE, F.L. & THOMPSON, H.L. On the mechanism of dextran-induced histamine secretion from rat peritoneal mast cells

- 383P MARSHALL, R.W. & SPRIGGS, T.L.B. 392P JENNER, P., MARSDEN, C.D. & Effects of α_2 -antagonists and SIMPSON, M.D.C. Hypophysectomy $\alpha\beta$ -methyleneATP on responses of enhances the ability of haloperrat vas deferens to twin pulse idol to induce striatal dopamine field stimulation receptor supersensitivity in the rat 384P MCCULLOCH, M.W., RAND, M.J., ROSE, AMANDA & STORY, D.F. Uptake and 393P BRADBURY, AMANDA J., COSTALL, release of 5-hydroxytryptamine by BRENDA, DOMENEY, ANNETTE M., sympathetic nerve terminals in JENNER, P., MARSDEN, C.D. & rat atria NAYLOR, R.J. Behavioural and biochemical consequences of 385P PATON, D.M. & WEBSTER, D.R. bilateral infusion of MPTP into Relationship of metabolism of rat forebrain adenine nucleotides to presynaptic inhibition of 394P BUCKETT, W.R., DIGGORY, G.L. & LUSCOMBE, G.P. In albino and transmission in rat vas deferens pigmented mice MPTP selectively 386P EGLEN, R.M. & WHITING, R.L. depletes dopamine from striatal Comparison of activities of and limbic areas but not from muscarinic agonists on rabbit hypothalamus aorta and guinea pig ileum 395P BRADBURY, AMANDA J., COSTALL, 387P COSTALL, BRENDA, GUNNING, S.J. & BRENDA, DOMENEY, ANNETTE M., NAYLOR, R.J. Cholinergic-JENNER, P., MARSDEN, C.D. & mediated contractions of guinea NAYLOR, R.J. Persistent motor pig stomach, gall bladder and change following the unilateral bladder; effects of metoclopramide infusion of MPTP into the BRL20627 and SCH23390 striatum of rat brain 388P MACKAY, D. Functional interaction 396P BARR, J. & SKETT, P. The between carbachol and various role of cytochrome P-450, NADPHdrugs which relax or contract the cytochrome P-450 reductase and isolated trachea of the guinea lipids in sex differences in pig hepatic drug metabolism 389P CORBETT, A.D., KOSTERLITZ, H.W., 397P CONNELLY, D.M. & TABERNER, P.V. MCKNIGHT, A.T. & PATERSON, S.J. The effects of chronic ethanol
- sites 398P 390P DETTMAR, P.W., KELLY, J. & MACDONALD; A. Characterisation of α -adrenoceptor-mediated

response in rat gastric fundus

β-Funaltrexamine pretreatment of

without affecting opioid binding

quinea-pig myenteric plexus

alters µ-agonist sensitivity

- 391P FOZARD, J.R. & RAMAGE, A.G. The effects of 8-hydroxy-2-(di-N-propylamino) tetralin on the cardiovascular system of the cat: comparison with clonidine
- BEATTIE, DOREEN E., MORONEY, MICHELE-ANN & WYLLIE, M.G. Interrelationship between Na⁺, K⁺-ATPase and K⁺-ATPase in gastric mucosa

treatment and withdrawal on

C57 BL mice

399P

immunoreactive serum insulin

levels in LACG and diabetogenic

BRECKENRIDGE, A.M., COLEMAN, M.D., EDWARDS, G., HOWELLS, R.E., MIHALY, G.W. & WARD, S.A. The pharmacokinetics and tissue localisation of pyrimethamine in the mouse: effect of dose size

- 400P SKETT, P. & MCBEAN, D.E. The use of liver cubes in the assessment of phase 1 drug metabolism in the rat
- 401P BRILEY, M., CARILLA, ELIZABETH & ROGER, ANNE. Inhibitory effect of permixon on testosterone 5 α 404P reductase activity of the rat ventral prostate
- 402P CALDWELL, J., HORNER, M.W.,
 HOUGHTON, E., MOSS, M.S., SMITH,
 P.B.W. & SMITH, R.L. The disposition of phenylbutazone in the
 horse
- BENNETT, P.N., NOTARIANNI, LIDIA
 J. & WORLOCK, A.J. Metabolism of
 lignocaine in the perfused rat
 liver in situ following flow
 variations in hepatic artery and
 portal vein
 - FEELY, J. & ODUMOSU, A. Factors affecting the aminopyrine breath test
- 405P KITTERINGHAM, N.R., MAGGS, J.L., NEWBY, S. & PARK, B.K. The fate of dinitrophenyl-albumin conjugates in the rat

POSTER COMMUNICATIONS

419P

403P

- 406P DUVAL, N., HICKS, P.E. & LANGER, 413P S.Z. Reserpine-resistant responses to nerve stimulation in the cat nictitating membrane are due to newly synthetised transmitter
- 407P GARNIER, D. & ROULET, M.J. In vitro ductus arteriosus as a model for anti-ischaemic drug studies
- 408P BATES, R.F.L., BUCKLEY, G.A. & MCARDLE, C.A. Pressor effects of centrally administered salmon calcitonin (sCT)
- 409P EDVINSSON, L., MCCULLOCH, J. & SHARKEY, J. Dopamine receptor subtypes mediating the dilation of cerebral pial arterioles in situ
- 410P BOGAERT, M.G., DUPONT, A.G. & LEFEBVRE, R.A. Effect of apomorphine on neurogenic vasoconstriction in the isolated autoperfused hindquarters of the rat
- 411P WALI, F.A. Neuromuscular effects 418P of diazepam, interactions with γ -aminobutyric acid and methohexitone
- 412P MCADAMS, R.P. & WATERFALL, J.F. Functional subsensitivity of post-junctional α_2 -but not α_1 -adrenoceptors in the dog saphenous vein with reduction in temperature

- COLLIS, M.G. & SAVILLE, V.L. An investigation of the negative chronotropic effect of adenosine on the guinea-pig atrium
- 414P GIEMBYCZ, M.A., RODGER, I.W. & SHAHID, M. Forskolin and positive inotropism in the mammalian myocardium
- 415P COMBE, DEBORAH M. & GEDDES,
 CLAIRE. Effect of oxypertine on
 dopamine receptor stimulation in
 the cardiovascular system
- 416P BROWN, C.M., DUNCAN, G.P.,
 MCKENNIFF, M., PATMORE, L. &
 WHITING, R.L. β-adrenoceptor
 binding characteristics of
 cultured human cardiac cells
- 417P KELLY, M.J., RICHARDSON, W. & SWEETMAN, A.J. Selective protective action of α-tocopherol on noradrenaline-mediated responses in vascular smooth muscle
 - P CUTLER, M.G., MCLAUGHLIN, M. & MOORE, M.R. Effects of δ-amino-laevulinic acid in isolated preparations of rabbit small intestine
 - PETERS, J.A. & USHERWOOD, P.N.R. Characterisation of a 5-hydroxy-tryptamine receptor mediating depolarisation of murine neuroblastoma cells

420P	COOPER, S.J. & DOURISH, C.T. Novelty modifies the stimulant effects of $\beta\text{-phenylethylamine}$ on locomotion and rearing in the rat	430P	GOADBY, P. & HARDMAN, PHILLIPA A. The effects of the thromboxane synthetase inhibitor, UK-37248 on anaphylactic bronchoconstriction in guinea pigs
421P	ARCHER, D.R. & LYLES, G.A. Amine oxidase activities in dissociated cell fractions from rat skeletal muscle	431P	GRIFFITHS, R.J. & MOORE, P.K. Effect of unilateral nephrectomy on renal prostanoid biosynthesis in the rat
422P	LANE, A.C. & WALTER, D.S. Sodium ions increase the affinity of idazoxan for central α_1 -binding sites labelled by $^{\lceil 3}\text{H} \rceil$ -prazosin	432P	HORNBY, E.J. & SKIDMORE, I.F. Reductions in thromboxane B2 production as a consequence of thromboxane receptor blockade in
423P	HEDLEY, D., PERTWEE, R.G. & SUTHERLAND, J.F. Involvement of acetylcholine in the hypothermic response of mice to $\Delta^{9}-$ tetrahydrocannabinol	433P	human platelet rich plasma BACK, D.J. & RIVIERE, JUDITH H. Inhibition of drug metabolism by mefloquine
424P	MACDONALD, A.G., MARSHALL, N.R. & PERTWEE, R.G. The effect of nitrous oxide on behavioural thermoregulation in mice	434P	HEWICK, D.S., TAVENDALE, R. & WILSON, S.A. The biliary elimination of indocyanine green and nitrazepam in germfree and conventional rats
425P	BANSAL, S.J., BRECKENRIDGE, R.J. IVERSEN, L.L., SUCKLING, C.J., WATLING, K.J. & WILLIAMS, L.C. Non-selective inhibition of GABA and 5-HT uptake in rat brain by molecules possessing long alkyl side chains	435P	CREWE, H.K., LENNARD, M.S., TUCKER, G.T. & WOODS, H.F. Inhibition of metoprolol oxidation by debrisoquine and other drugs in rat liver microsomes
426P	JENNER, P., LUSCOMBE, G., MARSDEN, C.D. & SCHONBAUM, E. Central 5-HT mechanisms may mediate 5-hydroxytryptophan-induced	436P	CLAGUE, R.U., KILPATRICK, A.T. & WHITING, R.L. α_2 -adrenoceptor antagonists: a new approach to the treatment of hyperglycaemia
4075	hypothermia in guinea pigs but not rats	437P	CLARKE, B., EGLEN, R.M., PATMORE, L. & WHITING, R.L. Cardio- selective calcium entry blocking properties of a nicardipine
427P	BUCKETT, W.R. & LUSCOMBE, G.P. Depletion of striatal dopamine by MPTP does not alter spontaneous or dopamine-dependent behaviour in albino or pigmented mice	438P	metabolite
428P	REUBI, J.C. Novel selective radioligand for one subpopulation of rat cortex somatostatin receptors	439P	MALLARKEY, G., MOTION, M.C. & SMITH, G.M. Does thromboxane A ₂ directly or indirectly stimulate bronchial smooth muscle in guinea

bronchial smooth muscle in guinea

pigs?

FLETCHER, A & FORSTER, ELAINE A. Clonidine does not antagonise seizures induced by intravenous infusion of leptazol in rodents

429P

- 440P DAVIS, E., MCNAMEE, P.M. MARKHAM, 450P
 A. & SWEETMAN, A.J. Nonsteroidal
 anti-inflammatory agents may
 activate lipoxygenase by
 releasing calcium from
 mitochondria 451P
- 441P CALVETE, J.A., HAYES, R.J. & THOM, S. Evidence for the occurrence of histamine H1 receptors in human vas deferens
- 442P PATERSON, J.R. STEVENSON, I.H., HOOD, H.T. & SKELLERN, G.G. Thyroidal uptake of radioactivity following the administration of $[14_{\rm C}]$ -3-methyl-2-thiohydantoin to rats
- 443P ILES, N.C., MOHAMED, Z., OLD, D.C., JOHNSON, B.E. & STEVENSON, I.H. The *in vitro* metabolism of psoralens used in photochemotherapy
- 444P CAMERON, H.A., EPSTEIN, P.M., LAMBERT, J.J. & LYLES, G.A. Properties of [3H]-nitrendipine binding to homogenates of chick heart
- 445P BURKE, M.D., KILGOUR, C. & PERTWEE, R.G. Potent but selective inhibition of cytochrome P-450 by cannabidiol
- 446P LAMB, R.J. & MILLER, A.A.
 N-methyl-D-aspartic acid inhibits
 spontaneous firing of cerebellar
 purkinje cells *in vitro*
- 447P LEACH, M.J., MARSDEN, C.M.,
 MILLER, A.A., O'DONNELL, R.A.
 & WESTON, S.B. Cortical amino
 acid changes after 'long term'
 electrical kindling in rats
- 448P BROADHURST, A.B., HORTON, R.W., PRESTWICH, S.A. & WYLLIE, M.G. Examination of the interaction of α_2 -antagonists with GABArecognition sites in rat brain membranes
- 449P ALPS, B.J., BROWN, C.M., CALDER, C. & KILPATRICK, A.T. Brain dopamine levels following experimental cerebral ischaemia

- 50P ATTERWILL, C.K. Effect of thyroid status on the different forms of Na⁺, K⁺-ATPase in immature and mature rat brain
- 451P DAWSON, C. & DEWHURST, D.G. The effect of valproic acid and diazepam on catechol-induced spontaneous convulsions
- 452P CRESPI, F., KEANE, P.E. & MORRE, M. TRH increases the release of dopamine and serotonin in the nucleus accumbens and striatum in vivo
- 453P HOLMES, S.W. & SUGDEN, D. A
 Simple observational test for
 drug effect on sleep latency in
 the rat
- 454P CROSSMAN, A.R., MITCHELL, I.J., SLATER, P., STUART, A.M. & UNWIN, H.P. Preparation of primate tissues for receptor binding studies from [³H]-2-deoxyglucose autoradiography sections
 - KIRBY, G.C. & MCQUEEN, D.S. Effects of substance P on responses of cat carotid body chemoreceptors to dopamine, noradrenaline and 5-hydroxytryptamine

455P

456P

- BALFOUR, D.J.K. & IYANIWURA, T.T.
 The effects of d-amphetamine on
 brain 5-hydroxytryptamine and
 plasma corticosterone in
 unstressed rats
- 457P BALFOUR, D.J.K. & IYANIWURA, T.T. Studies on the effects of d-amphetamine on brain 5-HT and plasma corticosterone in stressed rats
- 458P CROSS, J.A., FEKETE, M.I.K.,
 ROTHWELL, N.J., STOCK, M.J. &
 WYLLIE, M.G. Adrenal
 corticosteroid-induced alterations
 in opioid receptor sensitivity

DEMONSTRATIONS

462P

- 459P DEMPSTER, J. A set of computer 461P programs for electrophysiological analysis of end plate current characteristics
- MORGAN, R.M. Lessonwriter:- a simple authoring system for the production of computer assisted instruction lessons in pharmacology
- 460P MICHEL, A.D. & WHITING, R.L.
 Analysis of ligand binding data
 using a microcomputer
- THOMPSON, J. Patient anthropometric assessment and storage utilizing a cheap microcomputer system

CONTRIBUTIONS BY TITLE ONLY

463P LITTLE, H.J., MINCHIN, M.C.W., NUTT, D.J. & TAYLOR, S.C.
Investigating benzodiazepine receptor function *in vivo* using an intravenous infusion of DMCM

LYLES, G.A., OGG, G.C. & STEVENSON, I.H. BPS bookings by the Apple quick-file system

BALFOUR, D.J.K., LAMBERT, J.J. LYLES, G.A., OGG, G.D. & STEVENSON, I.H. Basic self-assessment tutorials in pharmacology