Design, Synthesis, and Structure–Activity Relationships of Macrocyclic Hydroxamic Acids That Inhibit Tumor Necrosis Factor α Release in Vitro and in Vivo

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To search for TNF- α (tumor necrosis factor α) converting enzyme (TACE) inhibitors, we designed a new class of macrocyclic hydroxamic acids by linking the P1 and P2' residues of acyclic antisuccinate-based hydroxamic acids. A variety of residues including amide, carbamate, alkyl, sulfonamido, Boc-amino, and amino were found to be suitable P1-P2' linkers. With an N-methylamide at P3', the 13–16-membered macrocycles prepared exhibited low micromolar activities in the inhibition of $TNF-\alpha$ release from LPS-stimulated human whole blood. Further elaboration in the P3'-P4' area using the cyclophane and cyclic carbamate templates led to the identification of a number of potent analogues with IC₅₀ values of $\leq 0.2 \ \mu$ M in whole blood assay (WBA). Although the P3' area can accommodate a broad array of structurally diversified functional groups including polar residues, hydrophobic residues, and amino and carboxylic acid moieties, in both the cyclophane series and the cyclic carbamate series, a glycine residue at P3' was identified as a critical structural component to achieve both good in vitro potency and good oral activity. With a glycine residue at P3', an N-methylamide at P4' provided the best cyclophane analogue, SL422 (WBA IC₅₀ = 0.22 μ M, LPS-mouse ED₅₀ = 15 mg/kg, po), whereas a morpholinylamide at P4' afforded the most potent and most orally active cyclic carbamate analogue, SP057 (WBA IC₅₀ = $0.067 \,\mu$ M, LPS-mouse ED₅₀ = $2.3 \,$ mg/kg, po). Further profiling for SL422 and SP057 showed that these macrocyclic compounds are potent TACE inhibitors, with K_i values of 12 and 4.2 nM in the porcine TACE assay, and are broad-spectrum MMP inhibitors. Pharmacokinetic studies in beagle dogs revealed that SL422 and SP057 are orally bioavailable, with oral bioavailabilities of 11% and 23%, respectively.

Introduction

Tumor necrosis factor α (TNF- α),¹ a critical proinflammatory cytokine produced primarily by activated monocytes/macrophages in response to a variety of stimuli, is a key mediator of the biological response to bacterial infection and inflammation and an inducer of other proinflammatory cytokines such as IL-1 β , IL-6, and IL-8.²⁻⁴ During normal host defense, low levels of serum TNF- α confer protection against infectious agents, tumors, and tissue damage, and have an important role in the development of the humoral immune response.⁵ However, overproduction of TNF- α can lead to a variety of infectious, autoimmune, and inflammatory disorders including rheumatoid arthritis (RA), septic shock, multiple sclerosis, cachexia, congestive heart failure, periodontal disease, and Crohn's disease.⁶⁻⁹ For example, elevated TNF- α concentrations have been demonstrated in a variety of human inflammatory diseases such as RA¹⁰ and Crohn's disease.^{11,12}

TNF- α is synthesized as a membrane-bound proform comprising 233 amino acids, with a molecular mass of 26 kDa. The pro-TNF- α is then processed by TNF- α converting enzyme (TACE)^{13,14} to yield a monomeric soluble form of 17 kDa comprising 157 nonglycosylated amino acids. Under physiological conditions, the soluble TNF- α forms a noncovalently bound homotrimer.¹⁵ Although the biological function of pro-TNF- α has yet to be understood clearly, 16 the mature TNF- α exerts its multiple biological effects via interaction with two structurally and functionally distinct high-affinity receptors: TNFR1 (p55) and TNFR2 (p75). Binding of TNF- α to these receptors results in the activation of several signal transduction pathways.

Given the essential role of this cytokine in inflammatory diseases, inhibition of TNF- α production or reduction of TNF- α levels should be beneficial in treating these pathological conditions. This has now been proved by anti-TNF- α drugs currently available on the market. For instance, the disease-modifying anti-TNF- α drugs such as the PDE-4 inhibitor pentoxifylline¹⁷ and thalidomide¹⁸ are TNF-α synthesis blockers. They act through interference with transcription, translation, or mRNA half-life, although their effects are broad and have been associated with considerable toxicity. Perhaps

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the benefit in treating autoimmune diseases by inhibition of TNF- α production has been most clearly demonstrated by the monoclonal TNF- α antibody Remicade $(infliximab)^{19-21}$ and the soluble TNF p75 receptor fusion protein (TNFRp75:Fc) Enbrel (etanercept).^{22,23} These recently approved biologics have proven to be effective anti-TNF- α drugs. Remicade was approved for the treatment of Crohn's disease in 1998, and in conjunction with methotrexate was later approved for the treatment of RA.²⁴ Enbrel received approval for the treatment of RA in 1998.²⁵ Both drugs eliminate TNF-α effects by neutralizing excess TNF- α in the body. As proteins, however, these drugs are expensive and inconvenient to patients. Given the drawbacks of the current anti-TNF- α biologics, small-molecule anti-TNF- α agents are currently being exploited through multiple approaches.⁷ One very promising small-molecule approach is the inhibition of TNF- α processing through the inhibition of TACE.

TACE (ADAM 17), described independently by two groups,^{13,14} is a membrane-anchored multidomain enzyme containing extracellular disintegrin and protease regions. It is a member of the adamalysin/ADAM subfamily of the metzincin superfamily that also includes the astacins, serralysins, and MMPs. It has been shown that TACE is the primary enzyme responsible for the shedding of the biologically active TNF- α from its membrane-bound proform and inhibition of TACE blocks TNF-α release.²⁶ This evidence strongly implicates the therapeutic potential of TACE inhibitors for the treatment of TNF- α -mediated pathologies. As a result, TACE has recently emerged as a vigorously pursued therapeutic target.²⁷ The high wave of interest in TACE inhibitors is attributed not only to their potential therapeutic application but also to the observation that MMP inhibitors inhibit TNF- α release in vitro and in vivo,^{28,29} implying that the target is approachable using MMP leads. Small-molecule MMP inhibitors have been an extensively explored area.³⁰⁻³² The large number of MMP inhibitors prepared by many groups of researchers provide in-house libraries for screening. Structure-activity relationship (SAR) data on MMP inhibitors have been extensively reported in the literature and provide useful information for the design of TACE inhibitors.

As part of our efforts to search for TACE inhibitors, we have designed a new class of macrocyclic hydroxamic acids based on *anti*-succinate-based hydroxamic acids.^{33,34} Our extensive investigations on the cyclic linkage and further systematic SAR studies in the P3'–P4' area have led to the identification of a number of macrocycles that are potent inhibitors of TNF- α release from cells. In our previous paper, we disclosed the two test molecules SC903 and SE205.³³ This paper will provide a comprehensive account of the rational design, synthesis, and systematic SAR studies of these macrocyclic inhibitors.

Design

Succinate-based hydroxamic acids represent an extensively studied class of potent MMP inhibitors³⁰ possessing modest cellular activity in the inhibition of TNF- α release.²⁷ The structural requirements of this class of inhibitor for MMP activity and anti-TNF- α

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Figure 1. Design of SC903 and SE205 based on marimastat and BB-16.

activity include a hydroxamic acid as zinc chelator, a P1 residue, a P1' residue (typically an isobutyl group), a P2' residue, and a P3' residue (typically an Nmethylamide). Conformational analysis using molecular modeling reveals that the preferred backbone conformation of this type of inhibitor is an extended conformation, with the two carboxylates of the succinate moiety assuming an antiperiplanar arrangement, placing the P1 residue and the P2' residue on the same side with a close relationship spatially. X-ray crystallographic studies of inhibitor/enzyme complexes provided a clearer understanding of the inhibitor binding interaction at the active site. This includes chelation of the hydroxamic acid to the active site Zn and hydrogen-bonding of both the P1'-P2' amide bond and the P2'-P3' amide bond with the enzyme. In addition, while the P1' isobutyl binds in the S1' pocket, the P1 and P2' residues have little interaction with the enzyme and are directed away from the active site into the solvent. The close proximity of the P1 and P2' residues and their exposure to solvent prompted us to consider a linkage to hold these two residues to form a macrocycle. Besides novelty, macrocycles are known to impart improved physical properties such as solubility, metabolic stability, and permeability due to ring rigidity.³⁵ The prerequisite for this is that the macrocycle should be able to hold all of the structural elements critical to binding in positions analogous to those in the corresponding acyclic molecule. Molecular modeling suggested that the smallest macrocycle ring should be a 13-membered ring to maintain the active extended conformation of the acyclic molecules required for optimal enzyme-inhibitor interaction. We first chose marimastat as the template to test our design hypothesis. Replacement of the P2' L-tert-leucine residue in marimastat with an L-lysine residue, alkylation at the hydroxyl group α to the hydroxamic acid with bromoacetate, and amide bond formation between the acetate and the lysine side chain amine provided the first test molecule, SC903, a 13-membered lactam (Figure 1). Based on BB-16, another test molecule, SE205, a 14membered cyclophane, was constructed by tying up the methyl group at P1 and the methoxy group at P2' in BB-16 with a methylene residue (Figure 1).

Scheme 1^a



^a Conditions: (a) *n*-BuO₂CCHO, LDA/THF, 36%; (b) LiOH, H_2O_2 , 74%; (c) BnBr, DBU, benzene, 79%; (d) NaH, BrCH₂CO₂*t*-Bu, THF, 71%; (e) H_2 , Pd–C, MeOH, 99%; (f) TFA, CH₂Cl₂; (g) L-Lys(Cbz)NHMe, BOP, DIEA, DMF, 75%; (h) H_2 , Pd–C, followed by 4 N HCl/dioxane; (i) BOP, DIEA, DMF/CHCl₃, 50%; (j) 1 N LiOH, THF, 73%; (k) BnONH₂·HCl, BOP, DIEA, DMF, 35%; (l) H_2 , Pd–C, MeOH, 62%.

Chemistry

The first macrocyclic compound, 9 (SC903), with an ether-amide linkage, was prepared using the sequence depicted in Scheme 1. Evan's aldol condensation³⁶ of 1 [Xc = (S)-4-benzyl-2-oxazolidinone] with *n*-butyl glyoxylate provided 2-hydroxy-3(*R*)-isobutylsuccinate **2** as a 3:1 mixture of two diastereomers, with the major diastereomer the desired *anti* isomer.³⁷ The mixture was inseparable by silica gel chromatography and was carried all the way through macrocyclization. Removal of the chiral auxiliary group in 2 using LiOH/H₂O₂ followed by benzyl esterification provided the benzyl ester 3, which was subjected to an alkylation at the hydroxyl group with tert-butyl bromoacetate to give compound **4**. Hydrogenolytic removal of the benzyl group and acidolytic removal of the *tert*-butyl group in **4** afforded the two carboxylic acids **5** and **6**, respectively. Coupling of 5 with N⁻Cbz-L-lysine N-methylamide afforded the amide 7. Following removal of the *tert*-butyl group using acid and of the Cbz group by hydrogenolysis, an intramolecular cyclization was performed using BOP to afford the macrocycle as a mixture of two diastereomers. Separation of the two diastereomers by silica gel chromatography furnished the major diastereomer 8. The hydroxamic acid 9 was then obtained by sequential hydrolysis of the *n*-butyl ester, coupling of



^a Conditions: (a) $NH_2CH_3 \cdot HCl$, BOP, DIEA, DMF, 94%; (b) CH_3I , K_2CO_3 , DMF, 100 °C, 43%; (c) LiOH, THF, 100%; (d) **6**, BOP, DIEA, DMF, 93%; (e) 4 N HCl/dioxane; (f) H_2 , Pd-C, 2-propanol; (g) BOP, DIEA, DMF, 38% for three steps; (h) LiOH, THF, 85%; (i) BnONH₂·HCl, BOP, DIEA, DMF, 79%; (j) H₂, Pd-C, MeOH.

the resulting carboxylic acid with *O*-benzylhydroxylamine, and hydrogenolytic removal of the benzyl group.

Unlike the synthesis of 9, the synthesis of its Nmethyl analogue 15 involved an intramolecular cyclization at the backbone amide bond as shown in Scheme 2. The N^{ϵ} -methyl-L-lysine derivative **12** was obtained by subjecting the commercially available N^{α} -Boc- N^{ϵ} - (CF_3CO) -L-Lys (10) to a coupling with methylamine using BOP and subsequently to a methylation with CH₃I/K₂CO₃ at an elevated temperature followed by a hydrolysis using LiOH to remove the trifluoroacetyl group. Coupling of 12 with the acid intermediate 6 afforded the amide 13 as a 3:1 mixture of two diastereomers. Intramolecular cyclization was accomplished using BOP following hydrogenolytic removal of the Cbz group and acidolytic removal of the Boc group in 13. The optically pure ester 14, obtained by silica gel chromatography after cyclization, was then converted to the hydroxamic acid 15 in a manner similar to that described for the preparation of 9 in Scheme 1.

The macrocycle **22** was prepared using the protocol outlined in Scheme 3. The L-cysteine derivative **17** was obtained by treatment of L-cysteine (**16**) with *o*-chloronitrobenzene followed by Boc protection. After conversion of the carboxylic acid to an *N*-methylamide (**18**), the Boc group was removed using acid. The resulting amine **19** was coupled with the acid intermediate **5** to give amide **20**. The nitro group in **20** was reduced to an amine using zinc, and the *tert*-butyl group was cleaved with acid. Following intramolecular cyclization using BOP, we did not try to convert the *n*-butyl ester to a hydroxamic acid using the normal procedures described in Scheme 1 due to the presence of the thioether in the



^a Conditions: (a) (1) o-chloronitrobenzene, K₂CO₃, DMF, 60 °C, (2) (Boc)₂O, 48%; (b) NH₂CH₃·HCl, BOP, DIEA, DMF, 82%; (c) 4 N HCl/dioxane; (d) **5**, BOP, DIEA, DMF, 83%; (e) Zn, AcOH, H₂O; (f) BOP, DIEA, DMF, 71%; (g) NH₂OH·HCl, DIEA, MeOH, 60 °C, 40%.

molecule. Instead, the hydroxamic acid **22** was obtained by treatment of the *n*-butyl ester with hydroxylamine in MeOH at 60 °C, although the yield was low (40%).

The macrocycle **27** was synthesized starting from the intermediate **3** (Scheme 4). Alkylation of **3** with 1,4dibromo-2-butene using NaH gave the ether derivative **23**. Following a second alkylation with N^{α} -Boc-L-tryptophan *N*-methylamide on **23** using NaH, the resulting intermediate **24** was subjected to a hydrogenolysis to remove the benzyl group and reduce the olefin and subsequently to an acid treatment to remove the Boc group. Macrocyclization using BOP followed by silica gel chromatography afforded the desired *anti* diastereomer **25**. Conversion of the ester **25** to the hydroxamic acid **27** was accomplished by employing conditions similar to those used for the preparation of **9** in Scheme 1.

Scheme 5 illustrates the synthesis of two common key intermediates (31a,b) and subsequent conversion of 31a to **38**. LDA-promoted alkylation of **28a** (R = isobutyl) and **28b** (R = n-hexyl)³⁸ with allyl bromide provided the corresponding succinate derivatives as a 10:1 (syn:anti) mixture of two diastereomers. Epimerization by enolization using LDA followed by addition of Et₂AlCl prior to quenching with methanol altered the ratio of the two diastereomers to 1:8 (syn:anti). Without the use of Et₂-AlCl, the two diastereomers were obtained in a 1:1 ratio. The desired anti diastereomer was isolated by silica gel chromatography following conversion of the carboxylic acids **29a,b** to benzyl esters **30a,b**. Hydroboration of the olefin in 30a,b using 9-BBN provided alcohols 31a,b. Hydrogenation of **31a** produced the carboxylic acid **32**, which was subsequently used for the synthesis of the macrocycle **38**. This involved coupling of **32** with N^{ϵ} -Cbz-L-Lys-NHMe using BOP, oxidation of the alcohol

Scheme 4^a



^a Conditions: (a) 1,4-dibromo-2-butene, NaH, DMF, 0 °C, 65%; (b) *N*^{tz}-Boc-L-TrpNHMe, NaH, DMF, 0 °C, 62%; (c) H₂, Pd−C, 2-propanol, 91%; (d) 4 N HCl/dioxane; (e) BOP, DIEA, DMF, CHCl₃, 45%; (f) LiOH, THF; (g) BnONH₂·HCl, BOP, DIEA, DMF, 65%; (h) H₂, Pd−C, MeOH, 86%.

in **33** to a carboxylic acid using $RuCl_3/H_5IO_6$, hydrogenolytic removal of the Cbz group in **34**, and macrocyclization of **35** using BOP to give the 13-membered lactam **36**. Cleavage of the *tert*-butyl ester in **36** with acid followed by coupling with *O*-benzylhydroxylamine using BOP furnished the *O*-benzyl hydroxamate **37**, from which the hydroxamic acid **38** was obtained by catalytic hydrogenation.

Starting from the intermediate **32**, three macrocycles (**41**, **43**, and **44**) were prepared as shown in Scheme 6. Coupling of **32** with an L-lysine derivative provided the amides **39a,b**, which were subjected to an intramolecular Mitsunobu reaction to furnish the cyclic sulfonamides **40a,b**. The phenylsulfonamide intermediate **40a** was then converted to a hydroxamic acid (**41**) using procedures analogous to those described for **38**. Removal of the mesitylsulfonyl group in **40b** using HBr/AcOH followed by Boc protection provided the carboxylic acid **42**, which was converted to a hydroxamic acid (**43**) by coupling with *O*-benzylhydroxylamine followed by catalytic hydrogenolysis. Removal of the Boc group in **43** using acid afforded target compound **44**.

The enantiopure amino acid derivative **48**, which was used for the synthesis of the cyclophane **57**, was prepared using Meyers' methodology³⁹ as illustrated in Scheme 7. The alcohol **45** was treated with methane-sulfonyl chloride, and the resulting mesylate was converted to iodide **46**. LDA alkylation of pseudoephedrine glycinamide with **46** provided the amide **47**, which was subsequently hydrolyzed and esterified to give **48**.

Scheme 5^a



^a Conditions: (a) LDA, allyl bromide, THF; (b) (1) LDA, THF, -78 °C to rt, (2) -78 °C, Et₂AlCl, -78 °C to rt, (3) -78 °C, MeOH; (c) BnBr, DBU, benzene; (d) 9-BBN, H₂O₂, NaOAc, THF; (e) H₂, Pd-C, MeOH; (f) L-Lys(Cbz)NHMe, BOP, DIEA, DMF, 77%; (g) RuCl₃, H₅IO₆, 60%; (h) BOP, DIEA, DMF, 70%; (i) TFA, CH₂Cl₂; (j) BnONH₂·HCl, BOP, DIEA, DMF, 61%.

Several series of cyclophanes were prepared starting from the intermediates **31a** and **31b** (Scheme 8). The alcohol in **31a,b** was converted to a bromide, and the benzyl group was subsequently removed by hydrogenation. Coupling of **49a,b** with an L-tyrosine derivative, an L-homotyrosine derivative, or **48** gave the cyclization precursors **50a**-**d**. Cyclization was carried out using Cs₂CO₃ in a mixed solvent system of DMF/DMSO at an elevated temperature to provide the cyclophanes 51a-d in high yields. Removal of the *tert*-butyl group using TFA followed by coupling with O-benzylhydroxylamine provided the benzyl-protected hydroxamates 52a-d. Hydrogenation of **52b** afforded compound **53**. Saponification of the methyl ester in 52a-d, subsequent coupling of the carboxylic acid with an amino residue, and hydrogenolysis furnished compounds 54a - v (R = isobutyl, n = 1), **55a**-g (R = *n*-hexyl, n = 1), **56** (R = isobutyl, n = 2), and **57** (R = isobutyl, n = 3). Removal of the Boc group at the lysine side chain in **54v** and **55g** afforded compounds 58 and 59.

The side chain *N*-methyl derivative of L-lysine (**63**), which was used for the synthesis of a series of cyclic *N*-methylcarbamate analogues, was prepared according to Scheme 9. Reaction of the commercially available N^{α} -Cbz-L-Lys (**60**) with ethyl trifluoroacetate gave N^{α} -Cbz-L-Lys-(CF₃CO)OH (**61**) in high yield. Methylation of **61**



^{*a*} Conditions: (a) L-Lys(RSO₂)NHMe, BOP, DIEA, DMF; (b) DIAD, PPh₃, THF; (c) TFA, CH₂Cl₂, (d) BnONH₂·HCl, BOP, DIEA, DMF; (e) H₂, Pd-C, MeOH; (f) HBr, AcOH; (g) (Boc)₂O, DIEA, DMF; (h) 4 N HCl/dioxane.

Scheme 7^a

Scheme 6^a



^{*a*} Conditions: (a) MeSO₂Cl, NEt₃, CH₂Cl₂, 100%; (b) NaI, acetone, reflux, 96%; (c) (1*S*,2*S*)-pseudoephedrine glycinamide, LDA, LiCl, THF, 47%; (d) NaOH, MeOH, reflux; (e) MeOH, HCl, reflux, 99%.

with iodomethane using K_2CO_3 in DMF at 110 °C produced the dimethylated product **62**, which was then subjected to treatment with LiOH in THF to hydrolyze the trifluoroacetyl group. The methyl ester was also hydrolyzed under these conditions. Subsequent reesterification using 4 N HCl in dioxane/MeOH afforded the lysine methyl ester **63**.

The synthesis of two series of cyclic carbamate analogues started with the intermediate **31a** (Scheme 10). Reaction of the alcohol **31a** with 4-nitrophenyl chloroformate gave the activated carbonate **64**, which was converted to a carbamate (**65a**, $R^1 = H$; **65b**, $R^1 =$





^a Conditions: (a) CBr₄, PPh₃, DIEA, THF; (b) H₂, Pd-C, MeOH; (c) L-TyrOMe, TBTU, DIEA, DMF; (d) Cs₂CO₃, DMF, DMSO, 60 °C; (e) TFA, CH₂Cl₂; (f) BnONH₂·HCl, TBTU, DIEA, DMF, 80 °C; (g) H₂, Pd-BaSO₄, MeOH; (h) LiOH, THF; (i) R'NH₂, TBTU, DIEA, DMF.

Me) by treatment with N^{t_1} -Cbz-L-Lys-OMe or **63**. After hydrogenolytic removal of the Cbz and the benzyl groups, the carboxylic acid and the amine generated were coupled together to form a macrocyclic carbamate (**66a**, R¹ = H; **66b**, R¹ = Me). The *tert*-butyl ester was then converted to a benzyl-protected hydroxamate using the standard procedures. The final target compounds **68a**-z and **68aa**-kk (R¹ = H) and **69a**-h (R¹ = Me) were obtained by hydrolysis of the methyl ester, coupling of the generated carboxylic acid with an amine, and hydrogenation to remove the benzyl group. Removal of the Boc group at the lysine side chain in compound **68w** furnished compound **70**.

The macrocyclic carbamate compounds **75** and **76** ($\mathbb{R}^1 = \mathbb{H}$) and **74a**-**f** ($\mathbb{R}^1 = \mathbb{M}e$) containing an *N*-thiazolylamide residue or an *N*-pyridylamide residue were prepared using a sequence different from that described in Scheme 10. This sequence involves the introduction of an aminopyridine or aminothiazole group at $\mathbb{P}3'-\mathbb{P}4'$ before conversion of the *tert*-butyl ester to a hydroxamate (Scheme 11). Hydrolysis of the methyl ester in **66a,b**





 a Conditions: (a) $CF_3CO_2Et,\ K_2CO_3,\ MeOH,\ H_2O,\ 100\%;$ (b) $CH_3I,\ K_2CO_3,\ DMF,\ 110\ ^oC,\ 90\%;$ (c) LiOH, THF; (d) 4 N HCl/ dioxane, MeOH.

followed by coupling with an aminopyridine or aminothiazole derivative produced the intermediates **71** ($\mathbb{R}^1 = \mathbb{H}$) and **72a**-**f** ($\mathbb{R}^1 = \mathbb{M}e$), which were subjected to an acidolytic removal of the *tert*-butyl group and subsequently to a coupling with hydroxylamine hydrochloride to afford hydroxamic acids **73** ($\mathbb{R}^1 = \mathbb{H}$) and **74a**-**f** ($\mathbb{R}^1 = \mathbb{M}e$). Hydrolysis of the methyl ester in **73** ($\mathbb{R}^2 = 4$ -(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)thiazol-2-yl) using LiOH afforded compound **75**. The carboxylic acid in **75** was then coupled with morpholine using BOP to provide compound **76**. In this reaction, an excess amount of morpholine (5 equiv) was used to avoid coupling of the carboxylic acid in **75**.

Results and Discussion

A cellular assay was used to determine the activity in the inhibition of TNF- α release from LPS-stimulated human whole blood.⁴⁰ Since whole blood activities are determined and contributed to by many factors including serum protein binding and cell penetration, we also counterscreened with MMP (1, 3, and 9) enzyme assays in the early stage of study to aid in our design. On the basis of the assumption that TACE has a high level of homology with MMPs in the active site, MMP activities could provide us with a better understanding of the effect of a linkage on the backbone conformation that is critical to binding. Compounds that were potent in whole blood assay (WBA) were selected for further studies in the LPS-mouse model to assess their oral activity.

SARs of the P1–P2' Linkage. Based on marimastat, we designed and synthesized the first test molecule, **9** (SC903), a 13-membered lactam with an ether–amide linkage. As illustrated in Table 1, SC903 was potent against MMP-1, MMP-2, and MMP-9 and had an IC₅₀ of 6 μ M in WBA, which is slightly less active than marimastat (IC₅₀ = 4.1 μ M). An X-ray crystallographic study of SC903 bound to MMP-3 reveals that this macrocycle effectively maintains the extended conformation with a binding mode very similar to that of the linear inhibitors,³³ confirming our design hypothesis. Encouraged by these results, several modifications were made to improve the anti-TNF-α activity. One of the

Scheme 10^a



^{*a*} Conditions: (a) *p*-nitrophenyl chloroformate, DIEA, THF, 91%; (b) N^{a} -Cbz-L-Lys(R¹)OMe, K₂CO₃, DMF; (c) H₂, Pd–C, MeOH; (d) BOP, DIEA, DMF, CHCl₃; (e) TFA, CH₂Cl₂; (f) BnONH₂·HCl, BOP, DIEA, DMF; (g) LiOH, THF; (h) R²NH₂, BOP, DIEA, DMF; (i) H₂, Pd–BaSO₄, MeOH.







physical properties observed for SC903 is its high polarity, presumably due to too many amide bonds in the molecule. This observation prompted us to make an *N*-methyl substitution at the linker amide bond, which was accompanied by significantly improved MMP-1 and MMP-3 activity and slightly improved whole blood activity (**15**, WBA IC₅₀ = 3.8μ M). The speculation that

Table 1. Cyclic Inhibitors with a Variety of Linkers



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marimastat 4.1 <1 2.4	<1
BB-16 1.8 <1 1.93	<1
9 (SC903) $-OCH_2CONH(CH_2)_4$ 6.5 2.8 24.1	2.6
15 -OCH ₂ CON(Me)(CH ₂) ₄ - 3.8 <1 3	3.9
22 -OCH ₂ CONHPh-2-SCH ₂ - 8.0 <1 22.3	NT^{c}
27 -O(CH ₂) ₄ (1-indol-3-yl)CH ₂ - 3.7 <1 2.88	NT
38 -(CH ₂) ₂ CONH(CH ₂) ₄ - 1.6 1.4 NT	3.6
44 $-(CH_2)_3NH(CH_2)_4$ 2.7 <1 NT	12.8
41 $-(CH_2)_3N(PhSO_2)(CH_2)_4$ 1.3 <1 3.4	<1
43 $-(CH_2)_3N(Boc)(CH_2)_4$ 1.4 <1 3	<1
68a -(CH ₂) ₃ OCONH(CH ₂) ₄ - 1.0 <1 NT	1.1
69a -(CH ₂) ₃ OCONMe(CH ₂) ₄ - 2.3 <1 NT	<1
54a(SE205) -(CH ₂) ₃ OPh-4-CH ₂ - 1.2 1.2 32.7	1.8
56 -(CH ₂) ₃ OPh-4-(CH ₂) ₂ - 1.0 5.3 48.0	2.1
57 -(CH ₂) ₃ OPh-4-(CH ₂) ₃ - 2.4 1.8 16.2	3.3

^{*a*} Inhibition of TNF- α release in human WBA was determined in three donors. ^{*b*} K_i values are from a single determination. ^{*c*} NT = not tested.

the better WBA potency of BB-16 (IC₅₀ = 1.8 μ M) than that of marimastat (IC₅₀ = 4.1 μ M) might be ascribed to the more hydrophobic 4-methoxybenzyl P2' group in BB-16 led us to prepare two analogues with a hydrophobic aromatic ring at P2'. Thus, replacement of the P2' L-lysine residue in SC903 with an *S*-(2-aminophenyl)-L-cysteine residue afforded the 13-membered lactam **22**, which was more potent against MMP-1 and equipotent against MMP-3 but slightly less potent in WBA (IC₅₀ = 8.0 μ M) relative to SC903. The P2' L-tryptophan analogue **27**, a 15-membered macrocycle with an alkyl linkage, was equipotent to inhibitor **15** in the inhibition of MMP-1, MMP-3, and TNF- α release (IC₅₀ = 3.7 μ M).

We next replaced the oxygen α to the hydroxamate in SC903 with a methylene, affording the 13-membered

lactam 38. Interestingly, while this replacement resulted in similar MMP-1 and MMP-9 activities, the WBA potency was improved by approximately 4-fold (IC₅₀ = 1.6 μ M), suggesting that a less polar group α to the hydroxamate is beneficial to whole blood activity. Several analogues were synthesized by variation at the linkage in **38** while the P2' lysine residue was kept constant. Replacement of the carbonyl of the linker amide in **38** with a methylene furnished the secondary amino analogue 44, which showed better MMP-1 activity but reduced MMP-9 activity and slightly diminished whole blood activity (IC₅₀ = 2.7 μ M) relative to **38**. N-Substitution at the amino in 44 with a phenylsulfonyl (41) or a Boc (43) led to a 2-fold improvement in WBA potency and a marked improvement in MMP-9 activity over 44, suggesting that a lipophilic group is preferred at this position. Insertion of an oxycarbonyl into the secondary amino linkage in 44 afforded the 15-membered macrocyclic carbamate 68a, which demonstrated better WBA (IC₅₀ = 1.0 μ M) and MMP-9 activities compared with 44. N-Methyl substitution at the carbamate residue in **68a** resulted in a 2-fold drop in the inhibition of TNF- α release (**69a**, WBA IC₅₀ = 2.3 μ M). This result is in contrast to that observed for SC903 in which N-methyl substitution resulted in slightly improved whole blood activity.

Based on BB-16, we designed and synthesized the second test molecule, 54a (SE205), a 14-membered cyclophane. While SE205 was less active in the inhibition of MMPs than BB-16, it was equipotent to BB-16 in the inhibition of TNF- α release (WBA IC₅₀ = 1.2 μ M).⁴¹ The crystal structure of SE205 bound to MMP-3 reveals that the 14-membered cyclophane ring holds all the structural elements (hydroxamate, P1' isobutyl, and two amide bonds) in positions analogous to those in BB-16.34 More importantly, SE205 was found to exhibit much better water solubility (13 mg/mL) compared with BB-16 (0.3 mg/mL) and good oral activity in the LPSmouse model, with an ED_{50} of 17 mg/kg, making this molecule an attractive prototype for further modification. To explore the effect of ring size, two more cyclophanes with larger rings were prepared by replacing the L-tyrosine in SE205 with L-homotyrosine (56) and L-homo-homotyrosine (57). While the 15-membered cyclophane **56** maintained the WBA potency ($IC_{50} = 1.0$ μ M), the 16-membered cyclophane **57** showed a 2-fold loss in the inhibition of TNF- α release (IC₅₀ = 2.4 μ M).

Beginning with the design of the first two test molecules, SC903 and SE205, we have conducted extensive investigations into the macrocyclic framework using a variety of linkages or by changing the ring size, leading to the identification of several inhibitors with IC_{50} values of 1–2 μM in the inhibition of TNF- $\!\alpha$ release. However, the similar whole blood activities among the majority of inhibitors illustrated in Table 1 suggest that changing the linkage has little effect on the cellular anti-TNF- α activity. This observation prompted us to shift our efforts to the P3'-P4' area for further SAR exploration. On the basis of low molecular weight, whole blood potency, and water solubility, the cyclophane template SE205 and the cyclic carbamate template 68a were selected for further structure refinement and potency optimization in the P3'-P4' area,

Table 2. Cyclophanes with Isobutyl at P1' ^a



compd	R	WBA IC _{50,} μΜ	LPS-mouse (po) % inhib or ED ₅₀ (mg/kg)
54a (SE205)	NHMe	1.2	$ED_{50} = 17$
54b	NHCH ₂ CF ₃	0.68	NT
54c	NHCH(CH ₃) ₂	0.70	34% at 10 mg/kg
54d	NH(CH ₂) ₂ Ph(4-SO ₂ NH ₂)	1.0	NT
54e (SL422)	Gly-NHMe	0.22	$ED_{50} = 15$
54f	Gly-NHCH ₂ CF ₃	0.24	NT
54g	Gly-NH-cyclobutyl	0.20	31% at 30 mg/kg
54h	Gly-NH-t-Bu	0.20	21% at 30 mg/kg
54i	Gly-NHPh	0.20	0% at 10 mg/kg
54j	Gly-NH(2,4-difluoroPh)	0.70	NT
54k	Gly-NH-fluoren-1-yl	0.93	NT
541	Gly-NMe ₂	0.40	45% at 30 mg/kg
54m	Gly(piperidin-1-yl)	0.14	49% at 10 mg/kg
54n	Gly(4-hydroxypiperidin-1-yl)	0.20	$ED_{50} = 21$
540	Gly(3,5-dimethylpiperidin-1-yl)	0.27	15% at 10 mg/kg
54p	Gly(3,3-dimethylpiperidin-1-yl)	0.46	NT
54q	L-Ala-NHMe	0.70	$ED_{50} > 30$
54r	D-Ala-NHMe	4.49	NT
54s	L-Tyr(OMe)NHMe	0.85	NT
54t	L-Ser(O- <i>t</i> -Bu)NHMe	0.95	NT
58	L-Lys-NHMe	0.83	NT
54u	L-Val-NHMe	1.51	NT

^{*a*} See footnotes *a* and *c* in Table 1.

with emphasis on improving WBA potency and oral anti-TNF- α activity in the LPS-mouse model.

Cyclophane Series. As shown in Table 2, replacement of the P3' N-methyl group in SE205 with a longer alkyl (54b, trifluoroethyl; 54c, isopropyl) or arylalkyl (54d, 4-(aminosulfonyl)phenethyl) led to a relatively minor improvement in WBA potency. A more remarkable enhancement in potency in the inhibition of $TNF-\alpha$ release was achieved when a glycine N-methylamide residue was incorporated into the P3' position, as observed with **54e** (SL422; $IC_{50} = 0.22 \mu M$). Despite its 5-fold improvement in whole blood activity over SE205, SL422 was found to be equipotent to SE205 in the LPSmouse model. Larger, more hydrophobic groups than methyl at P4' such as trifluoroethyl (54f), cyclobutyl (54g), *tert*-butyl (54h), and phenyl (54i) maintained the WBA potency but reduced the oral activity. Further increasing the lipophilicity at P4' was found to be detrimental to whole blood activity as seen in the 2,4difluorophenyl analogue 54j and the fluoren-1-yl analogue 54k, possibly due to higher protein binding of these groups. While *N*-methyl substitution at the P4' *N*-methylamide moiety in SL422 led to a drop in in vitro and in vivo potencies (541), the P4' piperidine amide analogue 54m showed WBA and oral activities comparable to those of SL422. Substitution with a polar hydroxyl group on the piperidine ring (54n) basically retained the in vitro and in vivo potencies, whereas hydrophobic substituents on the piperidine ring (540 and **54p**) reduced the WBA and oral activities.

By keeping the P4' *N*-methylamide constant, we next investigated the SAR at the P3' position by replacing the glycine residue in SL422 with several other amino acid residues. In general, increasing the size of the P3'

Table 3. Cyclophanes with *n*-Hexyl at P1' ^a



compd	R	WBA IC ₅₀ , μ M	LPS-mouse (po) inhib at 30 mg/kg
53	OMe	>50	NT
55a	NHMe	2.5	26% at 100 mg/kg
55b	NHBn	2.2	NT
55c	NH(CH ₂) ₂ Ph(4-SO ₂ NH ₂)	0.48	26%
55d	NH(CH ₂) ₃ (imidazol-1-yl)	0.82	30%
55e	Gly-NHMe	0.55	NT
59	L-Lys-NH ₂	0.76	36%
55f	L-Ser(O- <i>t</i> -Bu)NHMe	0.30	18%

^{*a*} See footnotes in Tables 1 and 2.

residue diminished the WBA potency as indicated by comparison of **54q**, **54s**,**t**, and **58** with SL422 (Table 2). The similar whole blood activities among **54q**, **54s**,**t**, and **58** suggest that the TACE S3' pocket can accommodate a variety of structurally diversified groups including an amino residue (**58**). However, a sterically congested group such as an isopropyl (**54u**, $IC_{50} = 1.51 \mu M$) at the α -position of the glycine residue is less tolerated. The over 6-fold difference in WBA potency between the D-alanine analogue **54r** and the L-alanine analogue **54q** indicates that the stereochemistry at this position is important to anti-TNF- α activity.

In an SAR study parallel to that of the SE205 series, we investigated the P3'-P4' area of the cyclophane template bearing a longer P1' alkyl group (n-hexyl) that replaces the P1' isobutyl group in the SE205 series. This study was initiated on the basis of the rationale that a longer, more hydrophobic P1' group might confer better binding to TACE in the S1' pocket as has been observed with some MMPs.⁴² A comparison of the WBA data in Table 3 with those in Table 2 reveals that there is no clear trend as to whether the *n*-hexyl offers any advantage over the isobutyl in the in vitro anti-TNF- α activity. While the P3' *N*-methylamide analogue **55a**⁴¹ and the P3' glycine *N*-methylamide analogue **55e** are about 2-fold less active than their isobutyl counterparts SE205 and SL422, analogues 55c and 55f are 2-fold and 3-fold more active than their isobutyl counterparts 54d and 54t, respectively, in WBA. However, the dramatic loss in oral activity in the LPS-mouse model when the isobutyl in SE205 was replaced with *n*-hexyl (55a) clearly indicates that a longer, hydrophobic P1' group results in lower oral activity. Of particular note is the result from the replacement of the P3' N-methylamide in 55a with a methyl ester (53). The complete loss in whole blood activity in 53 suggests the importance of the amide NH for binding (as a hydrogen bond donor) at this position.

Cyclic Carbamate Series. The SAR data of the cyclic carbamate series are shown in Table 4. While replacement of the P3' methyl group in **68a** with a trifluoroethyl group (**68b**) resulted in a 2-fold loss in WBA, a phenyl at this position (**68c**) enhanced the activity by over 3-fold. To improve the water solubility of **68c**, a polar morpholinyl group was introduced at the *para* position of the phenyl group (**68d**) or the phenyl

 Table 4. Cyclic Carbamate Analogues^a

		WBA	LPS-mouse (po)
comnd	P	$1C_{50}$,	inhib at 10 mg/kg
compu	ĸ	μινι	
68a	NHMe	1.0	NT
68b	NHCH ₂ CF ₃	2.0	NT
68c	NHPh	0.28	NT
68d	NHPh(morpholin-4-yl)	0.19	31%
75	NH(4-carboxymethylthiazol-2-yl)	0.083	44%
76	NH{[4-(morpholin-4-yl)carbonyl- methyl]thiazol-2-yl}	0.12	24%
68e	NHBn	0.74	NT
68f	NH(2-picolyl)	0.70	NT
68g	NH(3-picolyl)	0.50	NT
68h	NH(4-picolyl)	0.49	NT
68i	NH[2-(2-pyridyl)ethyl]	0.39	NT
68j	NH[2-(6-methoxyindol-3-yl)ethyl]	0.094	0%
68k	NH[2-(5-methoxyindol-3-yl)ethyl]	0.49	4%
681	NH[2-(5-fluoroindol-3-yl)ethyl]	0.13	39%
68m	NH[2-(5-methylindol-3-yl)ethyl]	1.17	NT
68n	NH(2-hydroxy-2-phenylethyl)	0.085	21%
680	NH(1-ethoxycarbonyl- piperidin-4-yl)	0.13	33%
68p	NH(2(<i>R</i>)-hydroxy-1(<i>S</i>)-indane)	0.11	27%
68q	NH(2(S)-hydroxy-1(R)-indane)	0.40	NT
68r	NHCH ₂ (2(<i>S</i>)-tetrahydrofuranyl)	0.26	NT
68s	NHCH ₂ (2(<i>R</i>)-tetrahydrofuranyl)	0.98	NT
68t	Gly-NHMe	0.12	45%
68u	L-Ala-NHMe	0.27	NT
68v	L-Leu-NHMe	0.10	0%
68w	L-Lys(Boc)NHMe	0.21	0%
70	L-Lys-NHMe	0.69	NT
68x	L- <i>tert</i> -Leu-NHMe	1.2	NT
68y (SP057)	Gly(morpholin-4-yl)	0.067	$ED_{50} = 2.6$
68z	Gly(2,6-dimethylmorpholin-4-yl)	0.15	43%
68aa	Gly(4-methyl-piperazin-1-yl)	0.16	37%
68bb	Gly(4-phenylpiperazin-1-yl)	0.070	29%
68cc	Gly[4-(2-pyridinyl)piperazin-1-yl]	0.070	$ED_{50} = 8.7$
68dd	Gly(4-ethoxycarbonyl- piperazin-1-yl)	0.13	$ED_{50} = 7$
68ee	Gly(4-hydroxypiperidin-1-yl)	0.28	$ED_{50} = 3.6$
68ff	Gly[4-(piperidin-1-yl)- piperidin-1-yl]	0.18	$ED_{50} = 8.1$
68gg	Gly(4-carboxypiperidin-1-yl)	0.22	NT
68hh	Gly(3-carboxypiperidin-1-yl)	0.58	NT
68ii	L-Ala(morpholin-4-yl)	0.15	$ED_{50} > 10$
68jj	L-Ser(morpholin-4-yl)	0.10	$ED_{50} > 10$
68kk	b-Ala(morpholin-4-yl)	0.17	0%

^{*a*} See footnotes in Tables 1 and 2.

was replaced with a thiazole bearing a polar substituent at the 4-position (**75** and **76**). These modifications resulted in some improvement in WBA potency over that of **68c**. Unfortunately, these potent analogues exhibited low oral activity in the LPS-mouse model. The similar in vitro potencies between **75** and **76** suggest that a carboxylic acid at this position is tolerated for whole blood activity.

Several aryl or heteroaryl groups connected to the P2'-P3' amide through 1-2 methylene unit(s) were examined at the P3' position. Insertion of a methylene between the amide bond and the phenyl group in **68c** led to a slight loss in WBA as observed with **68e**. Replacement of the phenyl in **68e** with more polar pyridyl residues (**68f**-**h**) did not significantly improve the WBA potency. One carbon longer between the P2'-P3' amide bond and the pyridyl in **68f** led to a relatively

minor enhancement in WBA (**68i**). The in vitro activity of the four indolyl analogues **68j**-**m** is dependent on the nature and position of the substituent on the indole ring, with the 6-methoxyindolyl analogue **68j** exhibiting the best WBA potency (IC₅₀ = 0.094 μ M) but a lack of oral activity. A 2-hydroxy-2-phenylethyl group at P3' provided another potent analogue (**68n**) in WBA (IC₅₀ = 0.085 μ M), which was inactive when administered orally in the LPS-mouse model.

Nonaromatic carbocycles or heterocycles appended to the P2'-P3' amide through 0-1 methylene spacer were also examined. The 1-ethoxycarbonylpiperidin-4-yl analogue **680**, 2(*R*)-hydroxy-1(*S*)-indane analogue **68p**, and 2(*S*)-tetrahydrofuran analogue **68r** all were potent in whole blood but lacked oral activity. The almost 4-fold difference in WBA potency between **68p** and **68q** and between **68r** and **68s** provides further evidence that the stereochemistry at this position is important to anti-TNF- α activity.

Our next phase of the SAR investigations at P3'-P4' was to incorporate an amino acid residue at P3' with an N-methylamide at P4'. The glycine N-methylamide analogue 68t demonstrated good WBA potency with weak oral activity in the LPS-mouse model. In contrast to the SAR in the SE205 series (vide supra), increasing the size of P3' had a lesser effect on the in vitro anti-TNF activity as revealed by comparison of 68u, 68v, and 68w with 68t. Despite the good in vitro potency, however, the L-leucine analogue and the L-lysine analogue showed no in vivo activity when dosed orally to mice. In parallel to the SAR seen in the SE205 series, a sterically hindered group such as a tert-butyl at P3' is detrimental to whole blood activity (68x, $IC_{50} = 1.2$ μ M). The 3-fold loss in WBA (70) by removing the lysine side chain Boc in **68w** suggests that a charge at P3' is less preferred in this series.

Keeping the P3' glycine residue constant, we next examined a variety of heterocycles including morpholine, piperazine, and piperidine that form a tertiary amide bond with the glycine residue at P4'. With a glycine residue at P3', a morpholino residue at P4' afforded one of the most potent inhibitors, 68y (SP057), with an IC₅₀ of 67 nM in WBA. More importantly, SP057 was highly potent in the inhibition of TNF- α release when administered orally to mice, with an ED_{50} of 2.6 mg/kg. Dimethyl substitution at the 2,6-positions on the morpholine (68z) decreased the in vitro and in vivo potencies. Replacement of the morpholine in SP057 with a piperazine or piperidine derivative (68aa-hh) resulted in similar or less WBA potency. Although the N-phenylpiperazino analogue 68bb and the N-2-pyridylpiperazino analogue 68cc were equipotent to SP057 in WBA, they were less active orally. However, despite the 4-fold drop in WBA potency when the morpholine in SP057 was replaced with 4-hydroxypiperidine, the resulting analogue **68ee** exhibited oral activity (ED₅₀ = 3.6 mg/kg) comparable to that of SP057. The similar WBA potencies between the 4-carboxypiperidine analogue 68gg and the neutral piperidine analogue 68ee or the basic piperidine analogue 68ff suggest that a carboxylic acid at P4' is tolerated for whole blood activity.

To further assess the importance of the P3' glycine residue to in vitro and in vivo activity, three more

 Table 5. Cyclic N-Methylcarbamate Analogues^a



compd	R	WBA IC ₅₀ , μΜ	LPS-mouse (po) ED ₅₀ , mg/kg
69a	NHMe	2.3	NT
69b	Gly(morpholin-4-yl)	0.20	4.9
69c	Gly(4-hydroxypiperidin-1-yl)	0.30	2.7
69d	Gly(4-methylpiperazin-1-yl)	0.12	11.4
69e	Gly(4-ethoxycarbonylpiperazin-1-yl)	0.60	>30
69f	Gly-N(Me) ₂	0.30	6.3
69g	Gly(pyrrolidin-1-yl)	0.40	>30
69h	Gly-NHMe	0.42	>30
74a	Gly-NH(pyridin-2-yl)	0.20	28
74b	Gly-NH(4-methylthiazol-2-yl)	0.30	>30
74c	NH(pyridin-2-yl)	0.20	>30
74d	NH(pyridin-3-yl)	0.50	>30
74e	NH(pyridin-4-yl)	0.50	>30
74f	NH(4-methylthiazol-2-yl)	0.30	>30

^{*a*} See footnotes in Tables 1 and 2.

analogues bearing a morpholino at P4' were prepared. Surprisingly, replacing the glycine residue in SP057 with an L-alanine residue (**68ii**), an L-serine residue (**68jj**), or a β -alanine residue (**68kk**) resulted only in a minor loss in WBA potency but in a dramatic loss in oral activity. These results, taken together with those from the previous studies in this series and the cyclophane series (vide supra), provide convincing evidence that a glycine residue at P3' is a critical structural component to achieve both good in vitro activity and good oral activity.

To understand whether N-methylation at the carbamate moiety can offer any advantage in whole blood activity and/or oral potency, we also conducted SAR studies at the P3'-P4' area using the *N*-methylcarbamate template 69a (Table 5). In general, this series of analogues were less active in WBA as compared with their NH-carbamate counterparts. For example, the morpholino analogue 69b, the 4-(ethoxycarbonyl)piperazino analogue 69e, and the glycine N-methylamide analogue 69h were 3-fold, over 4-fold, and over 3-fold less active than their NH-carbamate counterparts SP057, **68dd**, and **68t**, respectively, in in vitro anti-TNF- α activity. More polar residues at P4' appeared to maintain the WBA and oral activities as revealed by comparison of 69c and 69d with their counterparts 68ee and **68aa**, respectively. Of particular note in this series is the dramatic enhanced oral activity of the P4' N,Ndimethyl analogue **69f** ($ED_{50} = 6.3 \text{ mg/kg}$) versus the P4' *N*-methyl analogue **69h**. This oral activity was completely lost when the dimethylamino in 69f was replaced with a pyrrolidino moiety (69g). Analogues with a pyridine or thiazole directly connected to the P2'-P3' amide or through a glycine residue (74a-f) showed good WBA potency but lacked oral activity. These results further confirm our previous observations that arylamide- or heteroarylamide-containing analogues have low oral anti-TNF- α activity.

TACE Activity and Selectivity Profile of SL422 and SP057. SL422 and SP057, representing the cyclophane series and the cyclic carbamate series, respec-

	$K_{\rm i}$, nM ^a										
compd	pTAC E	MMP-1	MMP-2	MMP-3	MMP-7	MMP-8	MMP-9	MMP-13	MMP-14	MMP-15	MMP-16
SL422	12	3.0	1.1	14	0.8	0.5	0.9	0.45	94	20	35
SP057	4.2	13	1.1	7.8	1.5	1.1	1.2	2.3	140	71	107
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Table 6. Inhibitory Profiles for SL422 and SP057

 a K_{i} values are from five determinations for TACE and three determinations for MMPs.

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compd	dose, mg/kg	$T_{1/2}$, h	Cl, L/h/kg	$V_{\rm ss}$, L/kg	$C_{\rm max}$, ng/mL	$T_{\rm max}$, h	AUC, ng•h/mL	F, %
SL422	0.74 (iv)	0.81	0.42	0.70	121	0.88	2613	11
SP057	0.803 (pb) 0.5 (iv) 2.0 (po)	1.25 1.0 2.2	0.29	0.33	667	1.25	2080 1910	23

tively, were tested in the porcine TACE assay. As seen in Table 6, SP057 and SL422 are potent against TACE, with K_i values of 4.2 and 12 nM, respectively. The 3-fold better TACE potency of SP057 versus SL422 is consistent with what we have observed with these two compounds in WBA, where SP057 is about 3-fold more potent than SL422. To gain insight into the selectivity of TACE over MMPs, SL422 and SP057 were screened against a panel of 10 MMPs. As shown in Table 6, these two inhibitors exhibited high potency against MMP-1, MMP-2, MMP-3, MMP-7, MMP-8, MMP-9, and MMP-13 and lesser potency against MMP-14, MMP-15, and MMP-16. These results indicate that SL422 and SP057 are nonselective TACE inhibitors. Since excessive TNF- α production has been noted in several disease conditions that are also characterized by MMP-mediated tissue degradation, it is likely that these nonselective inhibitors that inhibit both TACE and MMPs may provide some advantage in the treatment of diseases where both mechanisms are involved.

Pharmacokinetics of SL422 and SP057 in Beagle Dogs. SL422 and SP057 were selected for pharmacokinetic studies in beagle dogs (Table 7). Both compounds showed a short half-life following iv or oral dosing, with $T_{1/2}$ values of 0.81 h (iv) and 1.29 h (po) for SL422 and 1.0 h (iv) and 2.2 h (po) for SP057. After oral dosing, both compounds were rapidly absorbed, with T_{max} values of 0.88 and 1.25 h for SL422 and SP057, respectively. The oral bioavailability (*F*) was 11% and 23% for SL422 and SP057, respectively. The low bioavailability of both compounds may reflect an incomplete oral absorption rather than presystematic metabolism as indicated by their low clearances.

Conclusion

We designed a new class of macrocyclic hydroxamic acids by linking the P1 and P2' residues of acyclic *anti*-succinate-based hydroxamic acids. A variety of residues including amide, carbamate, alkyl, sulfonamido, Bocamino, and amino were found to be suitable P1–P2' linkers. With an *N*-methylamide at P3', the 13–16-membered macrocycles exhibited moderate inhibition of TNF- α release in WBA (IC₅₀ > 1 μ M). The similar whole blood potencies observed among the majority of the cyclic templates prepared suggest that, like MMPs, the TACE P1–P2' area might be a solvent-exposed area.

To further improve the whole blood activity, we selected the cyclophane and cyclic carbamate templates for refinement and optimization in the P3'-P4' area. Our SAR studies revealed that the P3'-P4' area can

accommodate a broad array of functional groups including polar residues, hydrophobic residues, and amino and carboxylic acid moieties, suggesting that, like the P1– P2' area, the TACE P3'-P4' area might also be a solvent-exposed area. While a number of structurally diversified residues at P3' are able to confer good in vitro potency in WBA, in both series, a glycine residue at P3' was identified as a critical structural component to achieve both good in vitro potency and good oral activity. With a glycine residue at P3', an N-methylamide at P4' provided the best cyclophane analogue, SL422 (WBA $IC_{50} = 0.22 \ \mu M$, LPS-mouse $ED_{50} = 15 \ mg/kg$, po), whereas a morpholinylamide at P4' afforded the most potent and most orally active cyclic carbamate analogue, SP057 (WBA IC₅₀ = 0.067 μ M, LPS-mouse ED₅₀ = 2.3 mg/kg, po). Although replacement of the P1' isobutyl in the cyclophane series with a longer alkyl (*n*-hexyl) had positive and negative effects on WBA potency depending on the P3'-P4' residues, it was clearly demonstrated that a longer, hydrophobic group at P1' resulted in lower oral activity. N-Methyl substitution at the carbamate moiety in the cyclic carbamate series offered no advantage in WBA and oral activities.

Further profiling for SL422 and SP057 showed that these macrocyclic compounds are potent TACE inhibitors, with K_i values of 12 and 4.2 nM in the porcine TACE assay, and are broad-spectrum MMP inhibitors. Pharmacokinetic studies in beagle dogs revealed that SL422 and SP057 are orally bioavailable, with F = 11%and 23%, respectively. The antiarthritic efficacy of these two compounds has been studied in animal models, and the results will be published in due course.

Experimental Section

Melting points were determined on a Thomas-Hoover melting point apparatus and are uncorrected. Analytical HPLC was run on a Vydac C18 column (4.6×250 mm) operated at room temperature, eluting at 1 mL/min using a linear gradient of water (0.05% TFA)/acetonitrile (0.05% TFA) from 90:10 to 20: 80 over 30 min. Preparative HPLC was performed on a Vydac C18 column (22 \times 250 mm) operated at room temperature, eluting at 8 mL/min with a linear gradient of water (0.1% TFA)/acetonitrile (0.1% TFA) from 100:0 to 0:100 over 80 min. UV detection was at 220 nm. ¹H NMR data were obtained at 300 MHz using a Varian VXR400 spectrometer and were referenced to TMS. Mass spectral data were obtained on either a VG 70-VSE (FAB, high-resolution FAB, high-resolution DCI) or a Finnigan MAT 8230 (DCI) mass spectrometer. Combustion analyses were performed by Quantitative Technologies, Inc., Bound Brook, NJ. Solvents and reagents were used as purchased from commercial suppliers unless otherwise indicated. Yields quoted herein are isolated yields.

(4.5)-4-Benzyl-3-(4-methylpentanoyl)-1,3-oxazolidin-2one (1). To a stirred solution of 4(*S*)-(phenylmethyl)-2-oxazolidinone (48.3 g, 272 mmol) in THF (500 mL) cooled to -78 °C was added 2.5 M *n*-butyllithium (131 mL, 327 mmol) in hexane over 20 min, and stirring was continued at -78 °C for 45 min. To it was added 4-methylpentanoyl chloride (44 g, 327 mmol). The solution was allowed to warm to room temperature, and stirring was continued for 2.5 h. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, and EtOAc (500 mL) was added. The resulting solution was washed with 10% citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Purification by flash chromatography on silica eluting with 10% EtOAc/hexanes yielded the desired product (68.53 g, 91.5%) as an oil: MS *m*/*z* 276.3 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₁₆H₂₁NO₃) C, H, N.

Butyl (3R)-3-{[(4S)-4-Benzyl-2-oxo-1,3-oxazolidin-3-yl]carbonyl}-2-hydroxy-5-methylhexanoate (2). To a stirred solution of diisopropylamine (3.25 mL, 23.25 mmol) in THF (20 mL) cooled to -78 °C was added 2.5 M *n*-butyllithium (9.3 mL, 23.25 mmol) in hexane. The solution was allowed to stir at 0 °C for 30 min and then cooled back to -78 °C. To it was added a solution of 1 (5.82 g, 21.13 mmol) in THF (50 mL) cooled at -78 °C. After the resulting solution was stirred at -78 °C for 1 h, a solution of *n*-butyl glyoxalate (4.12 g, 31.69 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was added. The mixture was stirred at -78 °C for 3 h, and the reaction was quenched with ice water. Ethyl acetate was added followed by 10% citric acid solution. The organic layer was separated, washed with water, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Purification on silica gel eluting gradually with 5% EtOAc/hexanes, 10% EtOAc/hexanes, and 20% EtOAc/hexanes provided compound **2** (3.1 g, 36%) as a mixture of two diastereomers (3:1): MS m/z 406.2 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₂H₃₁NO₆) C, H, N.

4-Benzyl 1-Butyl (3R)-2-Hydroxy-3-isobutylbutanedioate (3). To a solution of 2 (5.1 g, 12.57 mmol) in THF/H₂O (250 mL, 4:1) cooled in an ice bath was added hydrogen peroxide (7.84 mL, 50.3 mmol) followed by a solution of LiOH (791 mg, 18.85 mmol) in water (8 mL). After the resulting solution was stirred for 1 h, the reaction was quenched with a solution of Na₂SO₃ (6.33 g, 50.28 mmol) in water. THF was removed under reduced pressure, and the solution was extracted with ethyl acetate twice. The water layer was acidified with cold concentrated HCl to pH 3 and extracted with CH₂-Cl₂ three times. The combined CH₂Cl₂ layer was washed with water and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Silica gel chromatography eluting gradually with CHCl₃, 5% MeOH/ CHCl₃, and 10% MeOH/CHCl₃ provided the carboxylic acid (2.29 g, 74%) as a mixture of two diastereomers (3:1): MS $(NH_3, CI) m/z 264.0 (M + NH_4)^+$.

A mixture of the above carboxylic acid (8.33 g, 33.82 mmol), benzyl bromide (7.0 g, 37.2 mmol), and DBU (6.07 mL, 40.58 mmol) in benzene (100 mL) was stirred at 50 °C for 3 h. Benzene was removed under reduced pressure. The residue was taken up in EtOAc. The solution was washed with brine $3\times$, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Flash chromatography on a silica gel column eluting with 10% EtOAc/hexanes provided **3** (9 g, 79%) as a mixture of two diastereomers (ratio 3:1): MS (ESI) m/z 337.3 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₁₉H₂₈O₅) C, H, N.

4-Benzyl 1-Butyl (3*R***)-2-(2-***tert***-Butoxy-2-oxoethoxy)-3isobutylbutanedioate (4)**. To a solution of **3** (8.95 g, 26.64 mmol) and *tert*-butyl bromoacetate (4.33 mL, 29.3 mmol) in THF (50 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added NaH (1.5 g, 60% oil dispersion, 32 mmol) in batches. The mixture was stirred in the ice bath for 30 min and at room temperature for 2 h. The reaction was terminated by quenching with 10% citric acid solution. EtOAc was added, and the solution was washed with 10% citric acid and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography on a silica gel column to give **4** (8.6 g, 71%) as a mixture of two diastereomers (3:1): MS (ESI) m/z 451.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₅H₃₈O₇) C, H, N.

(2*R*)-2-[2-Butoxy-1-(2-*tert*-butoxy-2-oxoethoxy)-2-oxoethyl]-4-methylpentanoic Acid (5). To a solution of 4 (5 g, 11.11 mmol) in MeOH (50 mL) was added 10% Pd/C (0.5 g). The mixture was stirred under H_2 (balloon) for 3 h. The

catalyst was filtered off, and the solution was concentrated to give 5 (3.96 g, 99%) as a mixture of two diastereomers (3:1): MS (ESI) m/z 361.4 (M + H)⁺.

{**[(2***R***)-2-[(Benzyloxy)carbonyl]-1-(butoxycarbonyl)-4**methylpentyl]oxy}acetic Acid (6). To a solution of 4 (2.5 g, 5.55 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (25 mL) was added TFA (25 mL). The solution was stirred at room temperature for 4 h and concentrated to give **6** (2.45 g) as a mixture of two diastereomers (3: 1): MS (ESI) m/z 395.3 (M + H)⁺.

tert-Butyl (9S,12*R*)-13-(Butoxycarbonyl)-12-isobutyl-9-[(methylamino)carbonyl]-3,11-dioxo-1-phenyl-2,14-dioxa-4,10-diazahexadecan-16-oate (7). To a solution of N^{t} -(*tert*-butoxycarbonyl)- N^{t} -[(benzyloxy)carbonyl]-L-lysine (12.39 g, 32 mmol) and methylamine hydrochloride (4.4 g, 65 mmol) in DMF (30 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added BOP (14.16 g, 32 mmol) followed by DIEA (25 mL, 128 mmol). The solution was allowed to stir at room temperature overnight. EtOAc (250 mL) was added, and the solution was washed with 10% citric acid, brine, saturated NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Purification on a silica gel column eluting with 80% EtOAc/hexanes yielded the *N*-methylamide (12.92 g, 95%) as a solid: MS (ESI) *m*/z 394.4 (M + H)⁺.

The above *N*-methylamide (6 g, 15.26 mmol) was dissolved in 4 N HCl/dioxane (50 mL). After being stirred at room temperature for 1 h, the solution was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was triturated with ether to give the Boc-deprotected product (5.2 g, 100%) as a solid: MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 294.3 (M + H)⁺.

Compound **5** (1.76 g, 4.88 mmol) and the above lysine *N*-methylamide (1.61 g, 4.88 mmol) were dissolved in DMF (10 mL), and the solution was cooled in an ice bath. To it was added BOP (2.16 g, 4.88 mmol) followed by DIEA (3.42 mL, 10.58 mmol). The mixture was allowed to stir at room temperature for 4 h. EtOAc was added, and the solution was washed with 10% citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Flash chromatography on a silica gel column eluting with 10% MeOH/CHCl₃ provided 7 (2.32 g, 75%) as a mixture of two diastereomers (3:1): MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 636.6 (M + H)⁺.

Butyl (9S,12R,13S)-12-Isobutyl-9-[(methylamino)carbonyl]-3,11-dioxo-1-oxa-4,10-diazacyclotridecane-13-carboxylate (8). To a solution of 7 (2.21 g, 3.47 mmol) in 2-propanol (30 mL) and 4 N HCl/dioxane (1 mL) was added 10% Pd/C (0.35 g). The mixture was stirred under H₂ (balloon) for 2 h. The catalyst was filtered off, and the solution was concentrated under reduced pressure to give a solid. The solid was dissolved in 4 N HCl/dioxane (30 mL). The solution was stirred for 2 h and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was taken up in DMF (5 mL). This solution was slowly added to a solution of BOP (1.64 g, 3.7 mmol) and DIEA (2.6 mL, 14.6 mmol) in CHCl₃ (100 mL) cooled in an ice bath over a period of 2 h. The solution was allowed to stir at room temperature overnight and concentrated. The residue was taken up in EtOAc, and the solution was washed with 10% citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated to give the crude product as a mixture of two diastereomers. The two diastereomers were separated by flash chromatography on a silica gel column eluting with 15% MeOH/CH₂Cl₂ to give the major diastereomer **8** (0.8 g, 50%) as a solid: MS (ESI) m/z 428.3 (M + H)⁺.

(9*S*,12*R*,13*S*)-*N*³-Hydroxy-12-isobutyl-*N*⁹-methyl-3,11dioxo-1-oxa-4,10-diazacyclotridecane-9,13-dicarboxamide (9). To a solution of **8** (0.77 g, 1.8 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was added 1 N LiOH (4 mL). The solution was stirred at room temperature for 2 h and acidified with 4 N HCl/dioxane to pH 3. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, and *tert*-butyl alcohol was added. The organic phase was separated, washed with brine $3\times$, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated to give the carboxylic acid (0.49 g, 73%) as a powder: MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 372.2 (M + H)⁺.

To a solution of the above carboxylic acid (0.47 g, 1.27 mmol) and *O*-benzylhydroxylamine hydrochloride (0.2 g, 1.27 mmol) in DMF (5 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added BOP (0.56 g, 1.27 mmol) followed by DIEA (1.0 mL, 5.2 mmol). The solution

was allowed to stir at room temperature overnight. EtOAc was added, and the solution was washed with 10% citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Purification on a silica gel column eluting with 5% MeOH/CH₂Cl₂ provided the *O*-benzylhydroxamate (0.21 g, 35%) as a solid: MS (ESI) m/z 477.3 (M + H)⁺.

The O-benzylhydroxamate (100 mg, 0.21 mmol) was dissolved in MeOH (10 mL), and 10% Pd/C (15 mg) was added. The mixture was stirred under H₂ (balloon) for 2 h. The catalyst was filtered off, and the solution was concentrated. The residue was purified by reversed-phase HPLC to give **9** (50 mg, 62%) as a powder: ¹H NMR (DMSO-*d*₆) δ 10.95 (s, 1H), 9.20 (br, 1H), 8.31 (d, 1H), 7.84 (q, 1H), 6.96 (t, 1H), 4.25 (m, 1H), 3.92 (d, 1H), 3.85 (d, 1H), 3.60 (d, 1H), 2.95 (m, 2H), 2.62 (d, 3H), 2.48 (m, 1H), 1.8–1.2 (m, 9H), 0.92 (d, 3H), 0.84 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 387.3 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₁₇H₃₀N₄O₆) C, H, N.

tert-Butyl (1.5)-1-[(Methylamino)carbonyl]-5-[methyl-(trifluoroacetyl)amino]pentylcarbamate (11). To a solution of N^{L} -[(*tert*-butyloxy)carbonyl]- N^{L} -(trifluoroacetyl)-L-lysine (10) (10.27 g, 30 mmol) and methylamine hydrochloride (4.05 g, 60 mmol) in DMF (30 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added BOP (13.27 g, 30 mmol) followed by DIEA (23.5 mL, 135 mmol). The mixture was stirred at room temperature over night. EtOAc (500 mL) was added. The solution was washed with 10% citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated to give a solid. Recrystallization from EtOAc/ Et₂O provided the *N*-methylamide (10.1 g, 94%) as a crystal: mp 95–98 °C; MS (ESI) *m/z* 356.3 (M + H)⁺.

A mixture of the above *N*-methylamide (9.9 g, 27.88 mmol), iodomethane (13.88 mL, 223 mmol), and K_2CO_3 (7.7 g, 55.8 mmol) in DMF (50 mL) was stirred at 100 °C for 24 h. After the mixture was cooled to room temperature, insoluble materials were filtered off. The filtrate was diluted with EtOAc (500 mL). The resulting solution was washed with brine $3\times$, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. The residue was purified by flash chromatography on silica eluting with 5% MeOH/CH₂Cl₂ to give **11** (4.45 g, 43%) as a solid: MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 370.2 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₁₅H₂₆N₃O₄F₃) C, H, N.

tert-Butyl (1*S*)-1-[(Methylamino)carbonyl]-5-(methylamino)pentylcarbamate (12). To a solution of 11 (4.35 g, 11.78 mmol) in MeOH (20 mL) was added 1 N LiOH (14.5 mL). The solution was stirred at room temperature for 30 min and concentrated. The residue was taken up in CHCl₃, and insoluble materials were filtered off. The filtrate was dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated to give 12 (3.65 g, 100%) as an oil: MS (ESI) m/z 274.5 (M + H)⁺.

4-Benzyl 1-Butyl (3*R***)-2-{2-[[(5.5)-5-[(tert-butoxycarbo-nyl)amino]-6-(methylamino)-6-oxohexyl]methylamino]-**2-oxoethoxy}-3-isobutylbutanedioate (13). To a solution of 6 (3.06 g, 7.77 mmol) and 12 (2.4 g, 7.77 mmol) in DMF (15 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added BOP (3.44 g, 7.77 mmol) followed by DIEA (4.74 mL, 27 mmol). The mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight. EtOAc was added, and the solution was washed with citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Flash chromatography on a silica gel column eluting with 5% MeOH/CH₂Cl₂ provided 13 (4.46 g, 93%) as a mixture of two diastereomers (3:1): MS (ESI) m/z 650.7 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₃₄H₅₅N₃O₉) C, H, N.

Butyl (9*S*,12*R*,13*S*)-12-Isobutyl-4-methyl-9-[(methylamino)carbonyl]-3,11-dioxo-1-oxa-4,10-diazacyclotridecane-13-carboxylate (14). Compound 13 (4.31 g, 6.98 mmol) was dissolved in 4 N HCl in dioxane (50 mL). After being stirred for 1 h, the solution was concentrated. The residue was taken up in 2-propanol (60 mL), and 10% Pd-C (0.5 g) was added. The mixture was stirred under H₂ (balloon) for 2 h. The catalyst was filtered off, and the solvent was removed under reduced pressure to give a solid. The solid was dissolved in CHCl₃ (20 mL). This solution was slowly added to a solution of BOP (2.68 g, 6.05 mmol) and DIEA (3.69 mL, 21.2 mmol) in CHCl₃ (200 mL) cooled in an ice bath over 1 h. The mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was taken up in EtOAc, and the solution was washed with citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated to give the crude product as a mixture of two diastereomers which were separated by flash chromatography on silica gel eluting with 5% MeOH/CH₂Cl₂, affording the major diastereomer **14** (1 g, 38%) as a solid: MS (ESI) m/z 442.5 (M + H)⁺.

(9*S*,12*R*,13*S*)-*N*¹³-Hydroxy-12-isobutyl-*N*⁹,4-dimethyl-3,11-dioxo-1-oxa-4,10-diazacyclotridecane-9,13-dicarboxamide (15). To a solution of 14 (0.25 g, 0.566 mmol) in THF (5 mL) was added 1 N LiOH (0.7 mL). The solution was stirred at room temperature for 1 h, acidified with 1 N HCl solution, and concentrated. Purification by reversed-phase HPLC provided the carboxylic acid (180 mg, 85%) as a powder: MS (ESI) m/z 386.3 (M + H)⁺.

To a solution of the above carboxylic acid (0.17 g, 0.48 mmol) and *O*-benzylhydroxylamine hydrochloride (91 mg, 0.576 mmol) in DMSO (2 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added BOP (254 mg, 0.576 mmol) followed by DIEA (0.33 mL, 1.92 mmol). The solution was stirred at room temperature for 1 h. Purification by reversed-phase HPLC provided *O*-benzylhydroxamate (170 mg, 79%) as a powder: MS (ESI) m/z 491.6 (M + H)⁺.

The above *O*-benzylhydroxamate was hydrogenated following the procedure described for **9** to provide the hydroxamic acid **15**: ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.90 (s, 1H), 8.08 (d, 1H), 7.68 (q, 1H), 4.50 (m, 1H), 4.40 (m, 1H), 3.80 (dd, 2H), 3.60 (m, 2H), 3.00 (m, 1H), 2.70 (s, 3H), 2.58 (d, 3H), 1.65 (m, 2H), 1.5–1.2 (m, 7H), 0.85–75 (m, 6H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 401.6 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₁₈H₃₂N₄O₆·0.5H₂O·0.3CF₃CO₂H) C, H, N.

(2.5)-2-[(tert-Butoxycarbonyl)amino]-3-[(2-nitrophenyl)sulfanyl]propanoic Acid (17). A suspension of 2-chloronitrobenzene (7.88 g, 50 mmol), L-cysteine (6.66 g, 55 mmol), and potassium carbonate (7.6 g, 55 mmol) in DMF (30 mL) was stirred at 80 °C for 4 h. After the suspension was cooled to room temperature, water (20 mL) was added and the solution was cooled in an ice bath. To it was added di-*tert*butyl dicarbonate (10.9 g, 50 mmol). The solution was stirred for 2 h, and water (100 mL) was added. The resulting solution was extracted with ether $3\times$. The water layer was acidified with 1 N HCl at 0 °C and extracted with ethyl acetate $3\times$. The combined organic phase was washed with brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated to give **17** (8.21 g, 48%) as a solid: MS (ESI) m/z 343.2 (M + H)⁺.

(2.5)-2-[(*tert*-Butoxycarbonyl)amino]-*N*-methyl-3-[(2nitrophenyl)sulfanyl]propanamide (18). To a solution of 17 (8.1 g, 23.66 mmol) and methylamine hydrochloride (2.03 g, 30 mmol) cooled in an ice bath was added DIEA (16.5 mL, 95 mmol) followed by BOP (10.47 g, 23.66 mmol). After the resulting solution was stirred for 2 h at room temperature, EtOAc was added and the solution was washed with citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Purification on a silica gel column eluting with 5% MeOH/ CH₂Cl₂ provided **18** (6.24 g, 82%) as a solid: MS (ESI) m/z356.3 (M + H)⁺.

(2.5)-2-Amino-N-methyl-3-[(2-nitrophenyl)sulfanyl]propanamide (19). Compound 18 (6.0 g, 17 mmol) was dissolved in 4 N HCl in dioxane (50 mL). After being stirred for 1 h, the solution was concentrated. The residue was triturated with ether to give 19 (3.88 g, 71%) as a solid: MS (ESI) m/z 256.1 (M + H)⁺.

Butyl (3*R***)-2-(2-***tert*-**Butoxy-2-oxoethoxy)-5-methyl-3-**{**[((1.5)-2-(methylamino)-1-{[(2-nitrophenyl)sulfanyl]methyl}-2-oxoethyl)amino]carbonyl}hexanoate (20)**. To a solution of 5 (2.36 g, 6.5 mmol) and **19** (1.91 g, 6.5 mmol) in CHCl₃ (15 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added DIEA (4.53 mL, 26 mmol) followed by BOP (2.88 g, 6.5 mmol). The solution was stirred at room temperature overnight and concentrated. The residue was taken up in EtOAc, and the solution was washed with citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Flash chromatography on a silica gel column eluting with 3% MeOH/25% EtOAc/72% CH₂Cl₂ provided **20** (3.21 g, 83%) as a mixture of two diastereomers (3:1): MS (ESI) *m/z* 598.6 (M + H)⁺.

{[(2*R*)-2-({[(1*S*)-1-{[(2-Aminophenyl)sulfanyl]methyl}-2-(methylamino)-2-oxoethyl]amino}carbonyl)-1-(butoxycarbonyl)-4-methylpentyl]oxy}acetic Acid (21). To a solution of **20** (3.05 g, 5.1 mmol) in acetic acid (15 mL) and water (0.5 mL) was added zinc (3 g). The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 30 min. Methanol was added, and insoluble materials were filtered off. The filtrate was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was taken up in EtOAc. The solution was washed with NaHCO₃ $3\times$, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. The residue was taken up in 4 N HCl in dioxane (30 mL) in the presence of 0.5 mL of water. After the solution was stirred for 1 h, the solvent was removed under reduced pressure to give **21** as a mixture of two diastereomers (3:1): MS (ESI) m/z 512.5 (M + H)⁺.

(5*S*,6*R*,9*S*)-*N*⁵-Hydroxy-6-isobutyl-*N*⁹-methyl-2,7-dioxo-2,3,5,6,7,8,9,10-octahydro-1*H*-4,11,1,8-benzoxathiadiaza-cyclotridecine-5,9-dicarboxamide (22). To a solution of BOP (1.81 g, 4.1 mmol) in CHCl₃ (50 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added a solution of **21** (2.1 g, 4.1 mmol) and DIEA (2.86 mL, 16.4 mmol) in CHCl₃ (20 mL) over a period of 2 h. The solution was allowed to stir at room temperature overnight. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure. EtOAc was added, and the solution was washed with citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Flash chromatography on a silica gel column eluting with 1% 2-propanol/10% EtOAc/89% CH₂Cl₂ provided the cyclized product (1.45 g, 71%) as a mixture of two diastereomers: MS (ESI) *m*/z 494.4 (M + H)⁺.

A portion of the above cyclized product (0.76 g, 1.53 mmol) was dissolved in MeOH (10 mL). To it were added HONH₂· HCl (0.43 g, 6.19 mmol) and DIEA (2 mL, 11.5 mmol). The mixture was stirred at 50 °C overnight and the solvent removed under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by reversed-phase HPLC to provide the major diastereomer **22** (276 mg, 40%) as a powder: ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.90 (s, 1H), 9.47 (s, 1H), 8.75 (d, 1H), 8.28 (d, 1H), 7.70 (q, 1H), 7.66 (d, 1H), 7.35 (t, 1H), 7.10 (t, 1H), 4.10 (d, 1H), 3.85 (m, 1H), 3.68 (dd, 2H), 3.00 (m, 3H), 2.45 (d, 3H), 1.35 (m, 2H), 1.20 (m, 1H), 0.80 (d, 3H), 0.70 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) m/z 453.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₀H₂₈N₄O₆S·CH₃CN·2.8H₂O) C, H, N.

4-Benzyl 1-Butyl (3*R***)-2-{[(2***E***)-4-Bromo-2-butenyl]oxy**}-**3-isobutylbutanedioate (23)**. To a solution of **3** (4.03 g, 12 mmol) in DMF (24 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added NaH (691 mg, 60% dispersion in oil, 14.4 mmol). The mixture was stirred for 15 min, at which time 1,4-dibromo-2-butene (10.2 g, 48 mmol) was added. After the resulting mixture was stirred in the ice bath for 20 min, EtOAc (200 mL) was added. The solution was washed with brine $3\times$, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Flash chromatography on a silica gel column eluting with 10% EtOAc/hexanes provided **23** (3.64 g, 65%) as a mixture of two diastereomers (3:1): MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 471.2 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₃H₃₃O₅Br) C, H, N.

4-Benzyl 1-Butyl (3*R***)-2-[((2***E***)-4-{3-[(1***S***)-1-[(***tert***-Butoxycarbonyl)amino]-2-(methylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-1***H***indol-1-yl}-2-butenyl)oxy]-3-isobutylbutanedioate (24)**. To a solution of N^{α} -Boc-L-tryptophan *N*-methylamide (1.96 g, 6.2 mmol) in DMF (14 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added NaH (446 mg, 9.3 mmol) with vigorous stirring. After the resulting solution was stirred for 15 min, compound 23 (2.9 g, 6.2 mmol) was added. The mixture was allowed to stir in the ice bath for 1 h. EtOAc (200 mL) was added. The solution was washed with citric acid and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Purification on a silica gel column eluting with 5% MeOH/CH₂Cl₂ provided **24** (2.7 g, 62%) as a mixture of two diastereomers (3:1): MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 706.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₄₀H₅₅N₃O₈) C, H, N

Butyl (7*S*,8*R*,11*S*)-8-Isobutyl-11-[(methylamino)carbonyl]-9-oxo-6-oxa-1,10-diazatricyclo[11.6.1.0^{14,19}]icosa-13-(20),14,16,18-tetraene-7-carboxylate (25). To a solution of 24 (2.65 g, 3.75 mmol) in 2-propanol (40 mL) was added 10% Pd on carbon (265 mg). The mixture was stirred under H₂ (balloon) for 4 h. The catalyst was filtered off, and the solvent was removed under reduced pressure to give the carboxylic acid (2.1 g, 91%) as a solid. The solid was dissolved in 4 N HCl in dioxane (20 mL). The solution was stirred for 1.5 h and concentrated. The residue was taken up in CHCl₃ (15 mL). The resulting solution was added dropwise to a solution of BOP (1.65 g, 3.75 mmol) and DIEA (2.1 mL, 12 mmol) in CHCl₃ (50 mL) cooled in an ice bath. The mixture was allowed to stir at room temperature for 2 h. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure and the residue taken up in EtOAc. The EtOAc solution was washed with brine $3\times$, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Flash chromatography on silica eluting with 3% MeOH/CH₂Cl₂ provided the major diastereomer **25** (843 mg, 45%) as a solid: mp 225 °C; MS (ESI) m/z 500.4 (M + H)⁺.

(7*S*,8*R*,11*S*)-*N*⁷-(Benzyloxy)-8-isobutyl-*N*¹¹-methyl-9oxo-6-oxa-1,10-diazatricyclo[11.6.1.0^{14,19}]icosa-13(20),14,-16,18-tetraene-7,11-dicarboxamide (26). To a solution of 25 (450 mg, 1.05 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was added 1 N LiOH (2 mL). The solution was stirred for 30 min and acidified with 1 N HCl. EtOAc was added. The solution was washed with brine $3\times$, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. The residue was taken up in DMF (5 mL), and the solution was cooled in an ice bath. To it were added *O*-benzylhydroxamine (207 mg, 1.3 mmol), BOP (575 mg, 1.3 mmol), and DIEA (0.95 mL, 5.2 mmol). The mixture was stirred in the ice bath for 1 h. EtOAc (100 mL) was added. The resulting solution was washed with citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Purification by reversed-phase HPLC provided **26** (360 mg, 65%) as a solid: MS (ESI) m/z 549.4 (M + H)⁺.

(7*S*,8*R*,11*S*)-*N*'-Hydroxy-8-isobutyl-*N*¹¹-methyl-9-oxo-6-oxa-1,10-diazatricyclo[11.6.1.0^{14,19}]icosa-13(20),14,16,18-tetraene-7,11-dicarboxamide (27). To a solution of 26 (260 mg, 0.474 mmol) in MeOH (20 mL) was added 10% Pd on carbon (50 mg). The mixture was stirred under H₂ (balloon) for 1.5 h. The catalyst was filtered off, and the solvent was removed under reduced pressure. Purification by reversed-phase HPLC provided the hydroxamic acid 27 (188 mg, 86%) as a powder: ¹H NMR (DMSO-*d*₆) δ 10.80 (s, 1H), 8.20 (d, 1H), 7.65 (q, 1H), 7.58 (d, 1H), 7.40 (d, 1H), 7.30 (s, 1H), 7.10 (t, 1H), 7.00 (t, 1H), 4.45 (m, 1H), 4.05 (m, 2H), 3.42 (d, 1H), 3.15 (m, 1H), 2.98 (m, 2H), 2.83 (m, 1H), 2.70 (m, 1H), 2.62 (d, 3H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.75 (m, 1H), 1.40 (m, 2H), 1.00 (m, 1H), 0.80 (m, 8H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 459.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₄H₃₄N₄O₅) C, H, N.

(2R,3S)-3-(tert-Butoxycarbonyl)-2-isobutyl-5-hexenoic Acid (29a). To a stirred solution of (2S)-2-(2-tert-butoxy-2-oxoethyl)-4-methylpentanoic acid (28a) (20 g, 87 mmol) in anhydrous THF (400 mL) cooled at -78 °C was added 1 M LDA in THF (180 mL) over 20 min. After the resulting solution was stirred for 1 h, 8.3 mL (96 mmol) of allyl bromide was added dropwise. The mixture was allowed to slowly warm to ambient temperature and stirred overnight. The reaction was quenched with 10% aqueous citric acid followed by removal of the volatiles under reduced pressure. The remaining material was taken into EtOAc and the solution washed with water. The aqueous phase was extracted $3\times$ with EtOAc, and the combined organic phase was washed with 10% citric acid, saturated NaHCO₃ ($2\times$), H₂O ($2\times$), and brine, and dried over MgSO₄. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure, affording 23.3 g (99%) of the acid that was carried on without purification. Proton NMR indicated a 1:10 ratio of two diastereomers (anti/syn): MS (ESI) m/z 293 (M + Na)⁺.

To a stirred solution of the above acid (2 g, 7.4 mmol) in anhydrous THF (25 mL) cooled at -78 °C was added LDA (16.3 mmol) over 15 min. The reaction was stirred at -78 °C for 15 min and in a water bath (24 °C) for 15 min. After the reaction was cooled back to -78 °C, a solution of 1 M diethylaluminum chloride in hexane (25.6 mL) was added. The reaction was stirred for 10 min at -78 °C and for 15 min in an ambient temperature water bath. After being cooled back to -78 °C, the reaction was quenched with the rapid addition of methanol. The mixture was concentrated to $\sim 1/4$ its original volume under reduced pressure, and the resulting material was dissolved in EtOAc (200 mL). The EtOAc solution was washed with 1 N HCl (70 mL) containing 100 g of ice. The aqueous phase was extracted $2 \times$ with EtOAc. The combined organic phase was washed with a solution of KF (3.5 g) in water (100 mL) containing 1 N HCl (15 mL), and with brine and dried over MgSO₄, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, affording 1.84 g (92%) of **29a**. ¹H NMR indicated an 8:1 ratio of two diastereomers (*anti:syn*): MS (ESI) m/z 293 (M + Na)⁺.

4-Benzyl 1-*tert***-Butyl (2***S***,3***R***)-2-Allyl-3-isobutylbutanedioate (30a).** To a stirred solution of **29a** (20.6 g, 76 mmol) in benzene (75 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added DBU (11.4 mL, 76 mmol) followed by benzyl bromide (9.98 g, 84 mmol). After 10 min the mixture was heated to reflux for 4 h. The reaction was then cooled and diluted to $3\times$ its original volume with EtOAc. This was washed $3\times$ with 10% aqueous citric acid. The combined aqueous phase was extracted $3\times$ with EtOAc. The combined organic phase was then washed with brine and dried over MgSO₄, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The resulting material was chromatographed on silica gel eluting with 2.2% EtOAc/hexanes, affording 16.9 g (62%) of the benzyl ester **30a**: MS (CI, NH₃) m/z 378 (M + NH₄)⁺.

4-Benzyl 1-tert-Butyl (2S,3R)-2-(3-Hydroxypropyl)-3isobutylbutanedioate (31a). To a stirred solution of 30a (5.2 g, 14.4 mmol) in anhydrous THF (100 mL) at 0 °C was added 0.5 M 9-BBN in THF (72.2 mL) over 1 h. The reaction was allowed to warm to room temperature over 12 h. After the reaction was cooled to 0 °C, H₂O (2.9 mL) was added (caution foaming) dropwise over 5 min, and after the reaction was stirred for an additional 20 min, H₂O (8 mL) containing NaOAc (3.21 g) was added simultaneously with 30% H₂O₂ (8 mL) over 5 min. The mixture was stirred for 20 min, followed by removal of the volatiles under reduced pressure. The remaining material was dissolved in EtOAc and the solution washed with brine. The aqueous layer was extracted twice with EtOAc. The combined organic phase was washed with water and brine and then dried over MgSO₄. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure following filtration. The resulting material was chromatographed on silica gel eluting gradually with 1:20, 1:10, and 1:5 EtOAc/hexanes, affording 3.5 g (64%) of the alcohol **31a**: MS (ESI) m/z 379 (M + H)⁺; HRMS m/z379.250194 [(M + H)⁺, calcd for C₂₂H₃₅O₅ 379.248450].

(2*R*,3*S*)-3-(*tert*-Butoxycarbonyl)-6-hydroxy-2-isobutylhexanoic Acid (32). Compound 31a was subjected to a hydrogenation following the procedure described for 5: MS (ESI) m/z 289.2 (M + H)⁺.

tert-Butyl (2*S*,3*R*)-3-[({(1*S*)-5-{[(Benzyloxy)carbonyl]amino}-1-[(methylamino)carbonyl]pentyl}amino)carbonyl]-2-(3-hydroxypropyl)-5-methylhexanoate (33). To a solution of the acid 32 (170 mg, 0.6 mmol) and *N*-[(benzyloxy)carbonyl]-L-lysine *N*-methylamide (224.6 mg, 0.8 mol) in DMF (6 mL) were added DIEA (0.26 mL, 1.5 mmol) and BOP (286.9 mg, 0.6 mmol). After the resulting solution was stirred overnight, EtOAc was added and the solution was washed with 10% citric acid, saturated NaHCO₃ solution, and brine. The EtOAc layer was dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated. The resulting residue was purified by silica gel chromatography to yield the amide **33** (255 mg, 77%) as a white foam: MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 564.4 (M + H)⁺.

(4.5,5*R*)-5-[({(1.5)-5-{[(Benzyloxy)carbonyl]amino}-1-[(methylamino)carbonyl]pentyl}amino)carbonyl]-4-(*tert*butoxycarbonyl)-7-methyloctanoic Acid (34). To a solution of 33 (813 mg, 1.4 mmol) in a mixed solvent of CH₃CN (3 mL), CCl₄ (3 mL), and H₂O (4.5 mL) at room temperature were added H₅IO₆ (1.3 g, 5.9 mmol) and RuCl₃·H₂O (6 mg, 0.03 mmol). After the resulting solution was stirred for 1.5 h, 10% citric acid was added and the layers were separated. The organic layer was dried and concentrated. The resulting residue was purified by silica gel chromatography to yield the acid 34 (504 mg, 60%) as a white foam: MS (ESI) m/z 578.5 (M + H)⁺.

(4*S*,5*R*)-5-[({(1*S*)-5-Amino-1-[(methylamino)carbonyl]pentyl}amino)carbonyl]-4-(*tert*-butoxycarbonyl)-7-methyloctanoic Acid (35). The *N*-Cbz amine 34 (45 mg, 0.08 mmol) was hydrogenated in MeOH (5 mL) with 5% Pd/C-Degussa (15 mg) under a hydrogen atmosphere (50 psi). After the solution was stirred overnight, the catalyst was filtered off and the solution was concentrated to yield the amino acid **35** (32 mg, 90%) as a white foam: MS (ESI) m/z 444.4 (M + H)⁺.

tert-Butyl (65,9*R*,10*S*)-9-Isobutyl-6-[(methylamino)carbonyl]-8,13-dioxo-1,7-diazacyclotridecane-10-carboxylate (36). To a solution of HBTU (769 mg, 2.0 mmol) and NMM (0.15 mL, 6.0 mmol) in DMF (10 mL) at 60 °C was added a solution of 35 (200.0 mg, 0.4 mmol) in DMF (10 mL) dropwise. After the addition was complete, the mixture was stirred for an additional 30 min. The solution was concentrated, and silica gel chromatography afforded the lactam **36** (135 mg, 70%) as a light yellow solid: MS (ESI) m/z 426.2 (M + H)⁺.

(2.S,11.S,12.R)- N^{11} -(Benzyloxy)-12-isobutyl- N^2 -methyl-8,-13-dioxo-1,7-diazacyclotridecane-2,11-dicarboxamide (37). The lactam 36 (85 mg, 0.2 mmol) was dissolved in CH₂Cl₂ (2 mL) and TFA (2 mL). After being stirred overnight, the solution was concentrated to afford the crude acid. This material was dissolved in DMF (1.5 mL) along with Obenzylhydroxylamine (78.8 mg, 0.6 mmol), DIEA (0.07 mL, 0.4 mmol), and BOP (97.3 mg, 0.2 mmol). After the resulting solution was stirred overnight, the solid product was filtered from the solution to give the O-benzylhydroxamate 37 (58 mg, 61%): MS (ESI) m/z 497.3 (M + Na)⁺.

(2.5,11.5,12.R)- N^{11} -Hydroxy-12-isobutyl- N^2 -methyl-8,13dioxo-1,7-diazacyclotridecane-2,11-dicarboxamide (38). The *O*-benzylhydroxamate 37 (50 mg, 0.1 mmol) was hydrogenated in a MeOH/CHCl₃ mixture (3:1, 40 mL) with 10% Pd/C (20 mg) under a hydrogen atmosphere (balloon). After the solution was stirred for 6 h, the catalyst was filtered off and the solution was concentrated to yield the title hydroxamate **38** (38 mg, 93%) as a white foam: ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.51 (s, 1H), 8.71 (s, 1H), 7.95 (d, 1H), 7.70 (m, 1H), 7.51 (t, 1H), 4.33 (m, 1H), 3.21 (m, 1H), 2.78 (m, 1H), 2.57 (d, 3H), 2.26 (m, 2H), 1.80–1.08 (m, 12H), 0.88 (m, 1H), 0.82 (d, 3H), 0.75 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 407.3 (M + Na)⁺; HRMS *m*/*z* 385.246983 [(M + H)⁺ calcd for C₁₈H₃₃N₄O₅ 385.245096].

tert-Butyl (2.*S*,3*R*)-2-(3-Hydroxypropyl)-5-methyl-3-[({-(1.*S*)-1-[(methylamino)carbonyl]-5-[(phenylsulfonyl)amino]pentyl}amino)carbonyl]hexanoate (39a). To a solution of the acid 32 (460.0 mg, 1.6 mmol), *N*⁻(phenylsulfonyl)-L-lysine *N*-methylamide (696.5 mg, 2.1 mmol), and DIEA (0.84 mL, 4.8 mmol) in DMF (5 mL) was added BOP (849.6 mg, 1.9 mmol). After the resulting solution was stirred overnight, EtOAc was added and the solution was washed with 10% citric acid, saturated NaHCO₃ solution, and brine. The ethyl acetate layer was dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated. The resulting residue was purified by silica gel chromatography to yield the amide **39a** (833 mg, 90%) as a white foam: MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 570.3 (M + H)⁺.

tert-Butyl (6.*S*,9*R*,10.*S*)-9-Isobutyl-6-[(methylamino)carbonyl]-8-oxo-1-(phenylsulfonyl)-1,7-diazacyclotridecane-10-carboxylate (40a). The amide 39a (875.0 mg, 1.5 mmol) was dissolved in THF (27 mL) prior to the addition of PPh₃ (1.21 g, 4.5 mmol) followed by DIAD (0.88 mL, 4.5 mmol) dropwise. After being stirred overnight, the solution was concentrated, and the residue was purified by silica gel chromatography to yield the sultam 40a (470 mg, 55%) as a white solid: MS (ESI) m/z 552.4 (M + H)⁺.

(2S,11S,12R)-N¹¹-Hydroxy-12-isobutyl-N²-methyl-13oxo-7-(phenylsulfonyl)-1,7-diazacyclotridecane-2,11-dicarboxamide (41). The sultam 40a (473.0 mg, 0.86 mmol) was dissolved in CH₂Cl₂ (6 mL) and TFA (5 mL). After being stirred overnight, the solution was concentrated to afford the crude acid. A portion of this acid (260.0 mg, 0.52 mmol) was dissolved in DMF prior to the addition of O-benzylhydroxylamine (192.0 mg, 1.6 mmol), DIEA (0.18 mL, 1.0 mmol), and BOP (278.0 mg, 0.63 mmol). After the resulting solution was stirred overnight, the solid product was filtered from the solution to give the crude O-benzylhydroxamate (172 mg, 57%). A portion of this O-benzylhydroxamate (150.0 mg, 0.25 mmol) was hydrogenated in a MeOH/CHCl₃ mixture (3:1, 50 mL) with 5% Pd/BaSO₄ (300 mg) under a hydrogen atmosphere (50 psi). After the resulting solution was stirred for 3 h, the catalyst was filtered off and the solution was concentrated to yield the hydroxamate **41** (52 mg, 41%) as a white solid: ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.44 (s, 1H), 8.78 (br, 1H), 8.26 (d, 1H), 7.72 (d, 2H), 7.67–7.48 (m, 4H), 4.22 (m, 1H), 3.15–2.95 (m, 2H), 2.78–2.56 (m, 4H), 2.54 (d, 3H), 1.95 (m, 1H), 1.8–1.2 (m, 10H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.83 (d, 3H), 0.73 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 511.3 (M + H)⁺; HRMS *m*/*z* 511.261183 [(M + H)⁺ calcd for C₂₄H₃₉N₄O₆ 511.259032].

tert-Butyl (6S,9R,10S)-9-Isobutyl-6-[(methylamino)carbonyl]-8-oxo-1-(mesitylsulfonyl)-1,7-diazacyclotridecane-10-carboxylate (40b). To a solution of the acid 32 (990 mg, 3.4 mmol) and Nº-(mesitylsulfonyl)-L-lycine N-methylamide hydrochloride (1.7 g, 4.5 mmol) in DMF were added DIEA (1.8 mL, 10.2 mmol) and BOP (1.8 g, 4.1 mmol). After the resulting solution was stirred overnight, DMF was removed under reduced pressure and CH₂Cl₂ was added. The solution was washed with 10% citric acid, saturated NaHCO₃ solution, and brine. The CH₂Cl₂ layer was dried (MgSO₄) and concentrated. The resulting residue was purified by silica gel chromatography to yield the crude amide (2 g), which was dissolved in THF (158 mL). To the THF solution was added PPh₃ (2.8 g, 10.6 mmol) followed by DIAD (2 mL, 10.1 mmol) in THF. After being stirred overnight, the solution was concentrated, and the residue was purified by silica gel chromatography to yield the sultam 40b (680 mg, 30%) as a yellow solid: MS (ESI) m/z 594.5 (M + H)⁺

(6S,9R,10S)-1-(tert-Butoxycarbonyl)-9-isobutyl-6-[(methylamino)carbonyl]- 8-oxo-1,7-diazacyclotridecane-10carboxylic Acid (42). The sultam 40b (300 mg, 0.5 mmol) was dissolved in 33% HBr/AcOH (6.8 mL) containing phenol (63 mg, 0.67 mmol). After being stirred for 5 h, the solution was concentrated, and the solid was filtered off with CH₂Cl₂/ Et₂O. This provided the crude amino acid salt (500 mg, quantitative). A portion of this amino acid (140 mg, 0.32 mmol) was dissolved in THF (4 mL)/H₂O (0.6 mL). To it was added Et₃N (0.38 mL, 2.6 mmol) followed by (Boc)₂O (452 mg, 206 mmol) at room temperature. After the resulting solution was stirred overnight, the solvent was removed and CH₂Cl₂ was added. The CH₂Cl₂ solution was washed with 10% HCl, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. The resulting residue was purified by silica gel chromatography to yield the N-Boc acid 42 (130 mg) as a solid: MS (ESI) $m/z 456.5 (M + H)^+$.

tert-Butyl (6S,9R,10S)-10-[(Hydroxyamino)carbonyl]-9-isobutyl-6-[(methylamino)carbonyl]-8-oxo-1,7-diazacyclotridecane-1-carboxylate (43). The N-Boc acid 42 (130 mg) was dissolved in DMF (5 mL) prior to the addition of O-benzylhydroxylamine (108 mg, 0.87 mmol), DIEA (0.15 mL, 0.82 mmol), and BOP (214 mg, 0.48 mmol). After the solution was stirred overnight, the solid product was filtered off with CH₂Cl₂ to give O-benzylhydroxamate (120 mg, 67%). The O-benzylhydroxamate (160 mg, 0.29 mmol) was hydrogenated in MeOH (40 mL) with 5% Pd/BaSO₄ (240 mg) under a hydrogen atmosphere (50 psi). After the resulting solution was stirred for 3 h, the catalyst was filtered off and the solution was concentrated to yield the hydroxamate 43 (140 mg quantitative) as a pale vellow solid: ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 4.40 (m, 1H), 3.2-2.9 (m, 4H), 2.70 (s, 3H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 2.02 (m, 1H), 1.44 (s, 9H), 1.8-1.2 (m, 12H), 0.99 (m, 1H), 0.91 (d, 3H), 0.83 (d, 3H): MS (ESI) m/z 471.5 (M + H)⁺; HRMS m/z471.319240 [(M + H)⁺ calcd for $C_{23}H_{43}N_4O_6$ 471.318261]

(2.5,11.5,12.*R*)-*N*¹¹-Hydroxy-12-isobutyl-*N*²-methyl-13oxo-1,7-diazacyclotridecane-2,11-dicarboxamide (44). The *N*-Boc hydroxamate 43 (56 mg, 0.12 mmol) was dissolved in 4 N HCl in dioxane (2 mL) at room temperature. After the solution was stirred for 3 h, the solvent was removed under reduced pressure to yield the desired hydroxamate 44 (45 mg, quantitative): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 4.19 (m, 1H), 2.99 (m, 4H), 2.72 (s, 3H), 2.15 (m, 1H), 1.88 (m, 1H), 1.78–1.24 (m, 12H), 1.03 (m, 1H), 0.93 (d, 3H), 0.84 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) *m/z* 371.4 (M + H)⁺; HRMS *m/z* 471.267256 [(M + H)⁺ calcd for C₁₈H₃₅N₄O₄ 471.265831].

1-(Benzyloxy)-4-(3-iodopropyl)benzene (46). To a stirred solution of 3-[4-(benzyloxy)phenyl]-1-propanol (**45**) (5.0 g, 20.6 mmol) in THF (100 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added triethylamine (4.3 mL, 31 mmol) followed by methanesulfonyl

chloride (1.76 mL, 22.7 mmol). After being stirred for 1 h, the solution was poured into saturated aqueous NaHCO₃. The aqueous layer was extracted $2 \times$ with CH₂Cl₂. The organic phase was washed with H₂O, 10% aqueous citric acid, H₂O, and brine and dried over MgSO₄, and the solvent was removed under reduced pressure, affording a quantitative yield of the mesylate as a white solid: MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 338 (M + H)⁺.

To the above mesylate in acetone (100 mL) was added NaI (3.9 g). After the solution was stirred overnight at ambient temperature, an additional 3.9 g of NaI was added and the reaction was refluxed for 1 h. The mixture was filtered, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The solid, which immediately started turning yellow, was dissolved in hexane, washed with H₂O, 5% aqueous sodium thiosulfate, H₂O, and brine, and dried over MgSO₄, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, affording 6.79 g (96%) of **46**: MS (ESI) m/z 370 (M + H)⁺.

(2S)-2-Amino-5-[4-(benzyloxy)phenyl]-N-[(1S,2S)-2-hydroxy-1-methyl-2-phenylethyl]-N-methylpentanamide (47). To a stirred slurry of 1.15 g of LiCl (previously flamedried in flask under vacuum) and 2-amino-N-[(1S,2S)-2hydroxy-1-methyl-2-phenylethyl]-N-methylacetamide³⁹ (0.99 g, 4.48 mmol) in THF (30 mL) cooled to -78 °C was added a solution of 1 M LDA in THF/hexane (8.7 mL) over 10 min. The mixture was stirred for 20 min at -78 °C and 30 min at 0 °C, at which time a solution of 46 (1.57 g, 4.25 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was added dropwise over 10 min. The mixture was allowed to slowly warm to room temperature while being stirred overnight. The reaction was quenched with 10% aqueous citric acid, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The remaining material was dissolved in EtOAc. The resulting solution was washed with H₂O, 5% aqueous sodium thiosulfate, H₂O, saturated aqueous NaHCO₃, H₂O, and brine and dried over MgSO₄, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel eluting with MeOH/CHCl₃ (4:100), affording 0.9 g (47%) of **47**: MS (ESI) m/z 447 (M + H)⁺.

Methyl (2.5)-2-Amino-5-[4-(benzyloxy)phenyl]pentanoate (48). To a solution of **47** (3.5 g, 7.8 mmol) in H₂O (40 mL) and MeOH (25 mL) was added 1 N aqueous NaOH (15.7 mL). The reaction was refluxed for 1 h, at which time more MeOH (25 mL) was added. The reaction was refluxed for an additional 3 h, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The solid was triturated with CH₂Cl₂ and filtered, affording a mixture of NaOH and the sodium salt of the product (5.5 g). The CH₂Cl₂ filtrate was evaporated, and the solid was triturated with Et₂O, affording an additional 1.1 g of the sodium salt of the product: MS (ESI) m/z 298 (M + H)⁺.

To the above mixture of sodium salt and NaOH in MeOH (150 mL) was added concentrated HCl (3 mL). The solution was refluxed overnight, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The resulting material was taken into EtOAc, the solution was washed with saturated aqueous NaHCO₃ and brine and dried over MgSO₄, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, affording 2.4 g (99%) of **48**: MS (ESI) m/z 314 (M + H)⁺.

(2R,3S)-6-Bromo-3-(tert-butoxycarbonyl)-2-isobutylhexanoic Acid (49a). To a stirred solution of PPh₃ (8.32 g, 31.7 mmol), imidazole (2.15 g 31.6 mmol), and $\ensuremath{CBr_4}$ (10.54 g, 31.8 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (60 mL) at 0 °C was added dropwise over 15 min a solution of **31a** (8.0 g, 21.2 mmol) in CH_2Cl_2 (60 mL). The reaction was stirred at 0 °C for 30 min followed by a second addition of PPh₃ (4.15 g, 15.8 mmol), imidazole (1.55 g, 22.8 mmol), and CBr₄ (5.25 g, 15.8 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (30 mL) in one portion. The reaction was stirred for an additional 2.5 h at 0 °C and then for 20 min at ambient temperature, followed by dilution with hexanes (320 mL), filtration through a short silica gel plug, and rinsing with 25% EtOAc/hexanes. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, and the resulting material was chromatographed on silica gel eluting with a 1-10% EtOAc/hexanes gradient, affording 6.1 g (65%) of the bromide: MS (ESI) m/z 441 (M + H)⁺.

To the above benzyl ester (10.5 g, 23.9 mmol) in MeOH (250 mL) was added 10% Pd–C (1 g). The mixture was stirred

under H₂ (balloon) for 3 h. The catalyst was removed by filtration through a 0.45 μ M PTFE disposable filter, and the volatiles were evaporated under reduced pressure, affording 8.3 g (99%) of the acid **49a**: MS (ESI) m/z 349 (M – H)⁻.

tert-Butyl (2R,3S)-2-(3-Bromopropyl)-3-({[(1R)-1-(4-hydroxybenzyl)-2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl]amino}carbonyl)-5methylhexanoate (50a). To a solution of 49a (8.4 g, 24 mmol), L-tyrosine methyl ester hydrochloride (5.5 g, 24 mmol), and NMM (9.1 mL, 65 mmol) in DMF (200 mL) was added a solution of TBTU (9.52 g, 29.6 mmol) in DMF (120 mL) over 30 min. The reaction was stirred for 2 h at ambient temperature followed by removal of the volatiles under reduced pressure. The resulting material was dissolved in EtOAc. The solution was washed with cold 1 N HCl. The aqueous phase was extracted $3 \times$ with EtOAc. The combined organic phase was washed with H₂O, saturated NaHCO₃, H₂O, and brine and dried over MgSO₄, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel eluting with a gradient of 25-33% EtOAc/hexanes, affording 9.5 g (75%) of the amide product **50a**: MS (ESI) m/z 529 $(M + H)^+$

6-*tert*-Butyl 10-Methyl (6*S*,7*R*,10*S*)-7-Isobutyl-8-oxo-2oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10dicarboxylate (51a). To a stirred suspension of Cs_2CO_3 (5.2 g, 16 mmol) in DMF (130 mL) and DMSO (32.5 mL) at 60 °C was added a solution of **50a** (2.35 g, 4.45 mmol) in DMF (25 mL) over 15 min. The reaction was heated at 80 °C for 30 min, cooled in an ice bath, and quenched with 10% citric acid. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, and the resulting material was partitioned in EtOAc/H₂O. The aqueous layer was extracted 4× with EtOAc, the combined organic extracts were washed 4× with H₂O and once with brine and dried over MgSO₄, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was chromatographed on silica gel eluting with 1.5% MeOH/CH₂Cl₂, affording 2.0 g (74%) of the macrocycle **51a**: MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 448 (M + H)⁺.

Methyl (6*S*,7*R*,10*S*)-6-{[(Benzyloxy)amino]carbonyl}-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),-12,15-triene-10-carboxylate (52a). Compound 51a (0.77 g, 1.7 mmol) was dissolved in TFA (25 mL). The solution was stirred for 1 h at ambient temperature. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, affording 0.67 g (99%) of the acid: MS (ESI) m/z 392 (M + H)⁺.

To a solution of the above acid (2.4 g, 6.1 mmol) in DMF (75 mL) were added NMM (3.37 mL, 24 mmol), HATU (5.24 g, 13.7 mmol), and O-benzylhydroxylamine hydrochloride (3.77 g, 23.6 mmol). After being stirred overnight at ambient temperature, the reaction was heated to 60 °C for 30 min. After the reaction was cooled to room temperature, the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure and the resulting material was dissolved in EtOAc. The solution was washed with 10% citric acid. The aqueous layer was extracted $3 \times$ with EtOAc. The combined organic phase was washed $3 \times$ with H₂O and brine and dried over MgSO₄, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was triturated $4 \times$ with a mixture of 1:1:2 EtOAc/hexane/ether to afford 1.4 g of product. The mother liquor was concentrated and chromatographed on silica gel eluting with a gradient of 25-90% EtOAc/ hexanes, affording an additional 1.05 g of 52a (combined yield 81%)

(6*S*,7*R*,10*S*)-*N*⁶-Hydroxy-7-isobutyl-*N*¹⁰-[2-(methylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54e). To a solution of 52a (0.7 g, 1.4 mmol) in THF (65 mL) and H₂O (15 mL) was added saturated aqueous LiOH (2.23 mL). The reaction was stirred for 2 h at ambient temperature and quenched with the addition of 1 N HCl (10 mL). The majority of the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The remaining material was diluted with EtOAc and washed with H₂O and 1 N HCl. The combined aqueous phase was extracted 4× with EtOAc. The combined organic phase was washed with H₂O and brine and dried over MgSO₄, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, affording 0.67 g (99%) of the acid: ¹H NMR (CDCl₃) δ 9.53 (s, 1H), 7.20 (m, 5H), 7.00 (m, 1H), 6.85 (m, 2H), 6.73 (m, 1H), 6.29 (d, J = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 4.92 (m, 1H), 4.70 (s, 2H), 3.92 (m, 2H), 3.40 (m, 1H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 2.05 (m, 2H), 1.72 (m, 1H), 1.02–1.28 (m, 5H), 0.72 (m, 1H), 0.62 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.56 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), -0.60 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) m/z 483 (M + H)⁺.

To a solution of the acid (30 mg) in DMF (2 mL) were added NMM (0.030 mL), glycine-N-methylamide hydrochloride (15 mg), and TBTU (26 mg). After being stirred for 18 h at ambient temperature, the reaction was heated to 80 °C for 15 min. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, and the resulting material was purified by preparative TLC (1 mm with 0.25 mm concentration zone) eluting with 5% MeOH/ CHCl₃, affording 30 mg of the intermediate. This was dissolved in MeOH (10 mL), and to this was added 5% Pd/BaSO₄ (35 mg). The mixture was shaken under H_2 (50 psi) for 6 h and filtered, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, affording 20 mg (70%) of 54e: ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 7.21 (m, 1H), 7.10 (m, 2H), 6.86 (m, 1H), 4.92 (m, 1H), 4.12 (m, 2H), 3.82 (m, 2H), 3.35 (m, 1H), 2.73 (s, 3H), 2.68 (m, 1H), 2.14 (m, 1H), 1.68 (m, 1H), 1.30 (m, 5H), 0.85 (m, 1H), 0.81 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.75 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), -0.55 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) m/z 463.2 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₃H₃₄N₄O₆) C, H, N.

The following compounds were prepared in a manner analogous to that for **54e**.

(6.5,7*R*,10.5)-*N*⁶-Hydroxy-7-isobutyl-*N*¹⁰-methyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54a): mp 350–352 °C; IR ν 574, 642, 672, 1002, 1054, 1172, 1184, 1194, 1222, 1258, 1298, 1366, 1406, 1442, 1516, 1636, 2928, 3314 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.20 (d, 1H), 7.85 (m, 1H), 7.18 (m, 1H), 7.11 (m, 1H), 7.04 (m, 1H), 6.85 (m, 1H), 4.90 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.23 (m, 1H), 2.74 (m, 1H), 2.70 (s, 3H), 2.14 (m, 1H), 1.66 (m, 1H), 1.26–1.37 (m, 5H), 0.88 (m, 1H), 0.78 (m, 6H), -0.55 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 404.2 (M – H)⁻; HRMS *m*/*z* 406.234761 [(M + H)⁺ calcd for C₂₁H₃₂N₃O₅ 406.234197]. Anal. (C₂₁H₃₁N₃O₅) C, H, N.

(6*S*,7*R*,10*S*)-*N*⁶-Hydroxy-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-*N*¹⁰-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),-12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54b): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.30 (d, 1H), 7.20 (d, 1H), 7.10 (d, 1H), 7.02 (d, 1H), 6.85 (d, 1H), 4.80 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.95 (m, 2H), 2.86 (t, *J* = 13.2 Hz, 2H), 2.10 (m, 2H), 1.65 (m, 2H), 1.4–1.2 (m, 4H), 0.90 (m, 1H), 0.79 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.74 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), -0.55 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 474.2. Anal. (C₂₂H₃₀F₃N₃O₅·0.5H₂O) C, H, N.

(6.5,7*R*,10.5)-*N*⁶-Hydroxy-7-isobutyl-*N*¹⁰-isopropyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,-10-dicarboxamide (54c): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 7.88 (s, 1H), 7.25–7.00 (m, 3H), 6.85 (d, 1H), 4.60 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.30 (m, 1H), 2.80 (m, 2H), 2.10 (m, 2H), 1.60 (m, 2H), 1.4– 0.9 (m, 10H), 0.82 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 0.74 (d, *J* = 5.9 Hz, 3H), -0.60 (m, 1H);MS (ESI) *m*/*z*434.2. Anal. (C₂₃H₃₅N₃O₅•0.2CF₃-CO₂H) C, H, N.

(6.S,7*R*,10*S*)-*N*¹⁰-{2-[4-(Aminosulfonyl)phenyl]ethyl}-*N*⁶-hydroxy-7-isobutyl -8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54d): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.21 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 8.10 (m, 1H), 7.82 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.39 (d, *J* = 8.3 Hz, 2H), 7.10 (m, 3H), 6.84 (m, 1H), 4.80 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.45 (m, 2H), 3.18 (m, 1H), 2.88 (m, 2H), 2.60 (m, 1H), 2.12 (m, 1H), 1.65 (m, 1H), 1.30 (m, 5H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.81 (d, *J* = 6.4 Hz, 3H), 0.75 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), -0.55 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m/z* 573.2 (M – H)⁻. Anal. (C₂₈H₃₈N₄O₇S·0.5H₂O) C, H, N.

(6.S,7*R*,10*S*)-*N*⁶-Hydroxy-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-*N*¹⁰-{2-oxo-2-[(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)amino]ethyl}-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo-[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54f): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.28 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.86 (m, 1H), 4.86 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.80 (m, 4H), 3.38 (m, 1H), 2.66 (m, 1H), 2.14 (m, 1H), 1.68 (m, 1H), 1.22–1.39 (m, 5H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.80 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.74 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), -0.56 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 529.1 (M - H)⁻. Anal. (C₂₄H₃₃F₃N₄O₆·0.2CF₃CO₂H) C, H, N.

 $(6.5, 7.7, 10.5) \cdot N^{10} - [2 - (Cyclobutylamino) - 2 - oxoethyl] - N^{5} - hydroxy - 7 - isobutyl - 8 - oxo - 2 - oxa - 9 - azabicyclo [10.2.2] - hexadeca - 1(14), 12, 15 - triene - 6, 10 - dicarboxamide (54g): <math>{}^{1}H$

NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.30 (d, J = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 7.21 (m, 1H), 7.10 (m, 2H), 6.80 (m, 1H), 4.90 (m, 1H), 4.28 (m, 1H), 4.12 (m, 2H), 3.80 (m, 2H), 3.36 (m, 1H), 2.66 (m, 1H), 2.12 (m, 3H), 1.92 (m, 2H), 1.70 (m, 3H), 1.20–1.39 (m, 5H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.80 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 0.74 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), -0.55 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) m/z 503 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₆H₃₈N₄O₆·0.7H₂O) C, H, N.

(6*S*,7*R*,10*S*)-*N*¹⁰-[2-(*tert*-Butylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-*N*⁶hydroxy-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54h): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.27 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 7.47 (s, 1H), 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.86 (m, 1H), 4.92 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.80 (m, 2H), 3.38 (m, 1H), 2.65 (m, 1H), 2.15 (m, 1H), 1.68 (m, 1H), 1.25-1.39 (m, 5H), 1.31 (s, 9H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.82 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.75 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), -0.55 (m, 1H). Anal. (C₂₆H₄₀N₄O₆·H₂O) C, H, N.

(6.5, 7.7, 10.5) - N^{10} -(2-Anilino-2-oxoethyl)- N^6 -hydroxy-7isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),-12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54i): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.33 (d, J = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 7.54 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 2H), 7.26 (m, 3H), 7.08 (m, 3H), 6.86 (m, 1H), 4.98 (m, 1H), 4.08 (m, 4H), 3.40 (m, 1H), 2.71 (m, 1H), 2.18 (m, 1H), 1.68 (m, 1H), 1.23– 1.40 (m, 5H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.80 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.73 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 3H), -0.55 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) m/z 523.2 (M - H)⁻. Anal. (C₂₈H₃₆N₄O₆·0.95H₂O) C, H, N.

(6*S*,7*R*,10*S*)-*N*¹⁰-{2-[(2,4-Difluorobenzyl)amino]-2-oxoethyl}-*N*[§]-hydroxy-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo-[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54j): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 7.36 (m, 1H), 7.21 (m, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.89 (m, 3H), 4.92 (m, 1H), 4.39 (s, 2H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.90 (m, 2H), 3.37 (m, 1H), 2.66 (m, 1H), 2.14, (m, 1H), 1.66 (m, 1H), 1.18-1.38 (m, 5H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.79 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.71 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), -0.55 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m/z* 573.1 (M - H)⁻. Anal. (C₂₉H₃₆F₂N₄O₆·0.5H₂O) C, H, N.

(6*S*, *7R*, *10S*)-*N*¹⁰-[2-(9*H*-Fluoren-9-ylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-*N*⁶-hydroxy-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54k): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.30 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 7.74 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.52 (d, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.38 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 2H), 7.3–7.0 (m, 5H), 6.86 (m, 1H), 6.09 (s, 1H), 4.95 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.90 (m, 2H), 3.38 (m, 1H), 2.68 (m, 1H), 2.14 (m, 1H), 1.68 (m, 1H), 1.23–1.38 (m, 5H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.82 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.73 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), -0.55 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 611.2 (M – H)⁻. Anal. (C₃₅H₄₀N₄O₆•1.1H₂O) C, H, N.

(6*S*, *7R*, *10S*)-*N*¹⁰-[2-(Dimethylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-*N*⁶-hydroxy-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]-hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.28 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz), 7.23 (m, 1H), 7.10 (m, 2H), 6.86 (m, 1H), 4.95 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 4H), 3.40 (m, 1H), 3.02 (s, 3H), 2.94 (s, 3H), 2.65 (m, 1H), 2.14 (m, 1H), 1.68 (m, 1H), 1.23-1.39 (m, 5H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.82 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.75 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), -0.56 (m, 1H). Anal. (C₂₄H₃₆N₄O₆·H₂O) C, H, N.

(6*S*, *7R*, *10S*)-*N*⁶-Hydroxy-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-*N*¹⁰-[2-oxo-2-(1-piperidinyl)ethyl]-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54m): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.28 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 7.23 (m, 1H), 7.10 (m, 2H), 6.86 (m, 1H), 4.95 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 4H), 3.53 (m, 2H), 3.40 (m, 3H), 2.65 (m, 1H), 2.14 (m, 1H), 1.50-1.69 (m, 7H), 1.23-1.39 (m, 5H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.82 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.74 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), -0.57 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 515.2 (M - H)⁻. Anal. (C₂₇H₄₀N₄O₆·H₂O) C, H, N.

(6*S*, *7R*, *10S*)-*N*⁶-Hydroxy-*N*¹⁰-[2-(4-hydroxy-1-piperidinyl)-2-oxoethyl]-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]-hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54n): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.29 (d, J = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 7.94 (m, 1H), 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.10 (m, 2H), 6.86 (m, 1H), 4.95 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 5H), 3.82 (m, 1H), 3.68 (m, 1H), 3.41 (m, 1H), 3.20 (m, 2H), 2.65 (m, 1H), 2.14 (m, 1H), 1.85 (m, 2H), 1.66 (m, 1H), 1.22 - 1.55 (m, 7H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.82 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 0.75 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 3H), -0.56 (m, 1H). Anal. (C₂₇H₄₀N₄O₇·0.2C₆H₆) C, H, N.

 $(6.S, 7R, 10.S) - N^{10}$ -[2-(3,5-Dimethyl-1-piperidinyl)-2-oxo-ethyl]- N^6 -hydroxy-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo-

[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (540): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.27 (d, J = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.86 (m, 1H), 4.96 (m, 1H), 4.05 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 4H), 3.70 (m, 1H), 3.42 (m, 1H), 2.65 (m, 1H), 2.55 (m, 1H), 2.12 (m, 2H), 1.82 (m, 1H), 1.46–1.70 (m, 4H), 1.23–1.39 (m, 5H), 0.91 (m, 7H), 0.82 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.75 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), -0.56 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) m/z 543.3 (M – H)⁻. Anal. ($C_{29}H_{44}N_4O_6 \cdot 0.25CF_3CO_2H$) C, H, N.

(6*S*, *7R*, *10S*)-*N*¹⁰-[2-(3,3-Dimethyl-1-piperidinyl)-2-oxoethyl]-*N*⁶-hydroxy-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo-[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54p): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.27 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 7.23 (m, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.86 (m, 1H), 4.96 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 4H), 3.40 (m, 3H), 3.20 (m, 2H), 2.65 (m, 1H), 2.15 (m, 1H), 1.60 (m, 3H), 1.23-1.46 (m, 7H), 0.90 (m, 7H), 0.82 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 0.74 (d, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 3H), -0.57 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 543.2 (M − H)[−]. Anal. (C₂₉H₄₄N₄O₆•1.2H₂O) C, H, N.

(6*S*, *7R*, *10S*)-*N*⁶-Hydroxy-7-isobutyl-*N*¹⁰-[(1*S*)-1-methyl-2-(methylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo-[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54q): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.28 (d, *J* = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 7.25 (m, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.85 (m, 1H), 4.95 (m, 1H), 4.30 (q, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.34 (m, 1H), 2.68 (m, 4H), 2.12 (m, 1H), 1.65 (m, 1H), 1.13–1.38 (m, 8H), 0.87 (m, 1H), 0.80 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.75 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), -0.56 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m/z* 475 (M - H)⁻; HRMS *m/z* 477.2693 [(M + H)⁺ calcd for C₂₄H₃₇N₄O₆ 477.2713].

(6*S*, *7R*, *10S*)-*N*⁶-Hydroxy-7-isobutyl-*N*¹⁰-[(1*R*)-1-methyl-2-(methylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo-[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54r): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.31 (d, *J* = 9.5 Hz, 1H), 7.21 (m, 1H), 7.09 (m, 2H), 6.86 (m, 1H), 4.95 (m, 1H), 4.31 (q, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.34 (m, 1H), 2.70 (s, 3H), 2.65 (m, 1H), 2.14 (m, 1H), 1.66 (m, 1H), 1.12–1.42 (m, 8H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.82 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.76 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), -0.56 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 475.2 (M - H)⁻. Anal. (C₂₄H₃₆N₄O₆·H₂O) C, H, N.

(6*S*, *7R*, *10S*)-*N*⁶-Hydroxy-7-isobutyl-*N*¹⁰-[(1*S*)-1-(4-methoxybenzyl)-2-(methylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54s): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.09 (m, 4H), 6.85 (m, 3H), 4.95 (m, 1H), 4.46 (t, *J* = 7.3 Hz, 1H), 4.12 (m, 2H), 3.74 (s, 3H), 3.40 (m, 1H), 2.92 (m, 2H), 2.65 (s, 3H), 2.61 (m, 1H), 2.12 (m, 1H), 1.66 (m, 1H), 1.21−1.39 (m, 5H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.81 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.75 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), -0.56 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 581.2 (M − H)⁻. Anal. (C₃₁H₄₂N₄O₇·H₂O) C, H, N.

(6*S*, *7R*, *10S*)-*N*¹⁰-[(*1S*)-1-(*tert*-Butoxymethyl)-2-(methylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-*N*⁶-hydroxy-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54t): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.29 (d, J = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 7.81 (d, J = 7.7 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6,86 (m, 1H), 4.95 (m, 1H), 4.38 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.62 (m, 1H), 3.48 (m, 1H), 3.34 (m, 1H), 2.63–2.84 (m, 4H), 2.12 (m, 1H), 1.66 (m, 1H), 1.23–1.40 (m, 5H), 1.15 (s, 9H), 0.88 (m, 1H), 0.81 (d, J = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 0.76 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), -0.56 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) m/z 547.2 (M - H)⁻. Anal. (C₂₈H₄₄N₄O₇· 0.8H₂O) C, H, N.

(6*S*, 7*R*, 10*S*)-*N*⁶-Hydroxy-7-isobutyl-*N*¹⁰-{(1*S*)-2-methyl-1-[(methylamino) carbonyl]propyl}-8-oxo-2-oxa-9azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (54u): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.27 (d, J = 9.9 Hz, 1H), 7.89 (d, J = 8.8 Hz, 1H), 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.85 (m, 1H), 4.94 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 3H), 3.32 (m, 1H), 2.73 (s, 3H), 2.65 (m, 1H), 2.10 (m, 1H), 2.01 (m, 1H), 1.66 (m, 1H), 1.23-1.39 (m, 5H), 0.86-0.92 (m, 7H), 0.80 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.74 (d, J = 6.6 Hz, 3H), -0.57 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) m/z 503.3 (M – H)⁻. Anal. (C₂₆H₄₀N₄O₆·0.25CF₃CO₂H) C, H, N.

Methyl (6.5,7*R*,10*S*)-7-Hexyl-6-[(hydroxyamino)carbonyl]-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-10-carboxylate (53): ¹H NMR (CD_3OD) δ 8.38 (d, 1H), 7.20 (m, 1H), 7.07 (m, 2H), 6.87 (m, 1H), 5.00 (dd, 1H), 4.14 (m, 2H), 3.75 (s, 3H), 3.47 (dd, 1H), 2.63 (t, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.69 (m, 1H), 1.35-1.10 (m, 12H), 0.86 (t, 3H), 0.78 (m, 1H),

-0.55 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) $\mathit{m/z}$ 435.3 (M + H)+; HRMS (FAB) $\mathit{m/z}$ 435.2515 [(M + H)+, calcd for $C_{23}H_{35}N_2O_6$ 435.2495]. Anal. ($C_{23}H_{34}N_2O_6$) C, H, N.

(6.S,7*R*,10*S*)-7-Hexyl- N^{6} -hydroxy- N^{10} -methyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (55a): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.17 (d, 1H), 7.20 (dd, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.86 (dd, 1H), 4.85 (m, 1H), 4.14 (m, 2H), 3.17 (dd, 1H), 2.77 (s, 3H), 2.66 (t, 1H), 2.02 (m, 1H), 1.69 (m, 1H), 1.3-1.0 (m, 12H), 0.85 (t, 3H), 0.79 (m, 1H), -0.55 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 434.4 (M + H)⁺; HRMS (FAB) *m*/*z* 434.2667 [(M + H)⁺, calcd for C₂₃H₃₆N₃O₅ 434.2668]. Anal. (C₂₃H₃₅N₃O₅) C, H, N.

(6*S*, *7R*, *10S*)-*N*¹⁰-Benzyl-7-hexyl-*N*⁶-hydroxy-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (55b): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 7.36–7.20 (m, 6H), 7.07 (m, 2H), 6.86 (m, 1H), 4.93 (m, 1H), 4.40 (m, 2H), 4.13 (m, 2H), 3.32 (m, 1H), 2.69 (t, 1H), 2.02 (m, 1H), 1.72 (m, 1H), 1.32–1.00 (m, 12H), 0.82 (t, 3H), 0.77 (m, 1H), -0.55 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 510.5 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₉H₃₉N₃O₅) C, H, N.

(6*S*, *7R*, *10S*)-*N*¹⁰-{**2**-[**4**-(**Aminosulfony**])**pheny**]**ethy**]-**7**-**hexy**]-*N*⁶-**hydroxy**-**8**-**oxo**-**2**-**oxa**-**9**-**azabicyclo**[**10**.2.2]-**hexadeca**-**1**(**14**),**12**,**15**-triene-**6**,**10**-dicarboxamide (55c): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 8.18 (d, 1H), 7.84 (d, 2H), 7.40 (d, 2H), 7.19 (m, 1H), 7.07 (m, 2H), 6.85 (m, 1H), 4.83 (m, 1H), 4.15 (m, 2H), 3.46 (m, 2H), 3.20 (m, 1H), 2.90 (m, 2H), 2.61 (t, 1H), 2.04 (m, 1H), 1.72 (m, 1H), 1.36-1.08 (m, 12H), 0.83 (t, 3H), 0.77 (m, 1H), -0.55 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 603.5 (M + H)⁺; HRMS (FAB) *m*/*z* 603.2867 [(M + H)⁺, calcd for C₃₀H₄₃N₄O₇S 603.2866]. Anal. (C₃₀H₄₂N₄O₇S) C, H, N.

(6.5,7*R*,10*S*)-7-Hexyl-*N*⁶-hydroxy-*N*¹⁰-[3-(1*H*-imidazol-1-yl)propyl]-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),-12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (55d): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 7.68 (s, 1H), 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.15 (s, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.96 (s, 1H), 6.87 (m, 1H), 4.86 (m, 1H), 4.14 (m, 2H), 4.06 (t, 2H), 3.24 (m, 3H), 2.70 (t, 1H), 2.00 (m, 3H), 1.74 (m, 1H), 1.35-1.05 (m, 12H), 0.81 (m, 1H), 0.78 (t, 3H), -0.55 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 528.5 (M + H)⁺; HRMS (FAB) *m*/*z* 528.3175 [(M + H)⁺, calcd for C₂₈H₄₂N₅O₅ 528.3173]. Anal. (C₂₈H₄₁N₅O₅·H₂O) C, H, N.

(6.5,7*R*,10.5)-7-Hexyl-N⁶-hydroxy-N¹⁰-[2-(methylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (55e): ¹H NMR (CD₃-OD) δ 7.23 (m, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.87 (m, 1H), 4.95 (m, 1H), 4.13 (m, 2H), 3.86 (m, 2H), 3.40 (m, 1H), 2.75 (s, 3H), 2.68 (t, 1H), 2.06 (m, 1H), 1.73 (m, 1H), 1.3-1.1 (m, 12H), 0.84 (t, 3H), 0.77 (m, 1H), -0.56 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 491.5 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₅H₃₈N₄O₆) C, H, N.

(6*S*, *7R*, *10S*)-*N*¹⁰-[(*1S*)-1-(*tert*-Butoxymethyl)-2-(methylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-7-hexyl-*N*⁶-hydroxy-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (55f): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 7.23 (m, 1H), 7.10 (m, 2H), 6.88 (m, 1H), 4.94 (dd, 1H), 4.38 (t, 1H), 4.14 (m, 2H), 3.67 (dd, 1H), 3.53 (dd, 1H), 3.37 (dd, 1H), 2.76 (s, 3H), 2.67 (t, 1H), 2.03 (m, 1H), 1.72 (m, 1H), 1.17 (s, 9H), 1.35–1.05 (m, 12H), 0.85 (t, 3H), 0.77 (m, 1H), -0.54 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 577.6 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₃₀H₄₈N₄O₇) C, H, N.

(6*S*, *7S*, *10R*)-*N*⁶-Hydroxy-7-isobutyl-*N*¹⁰-methyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[1 1.2.2]heptadeca-1(15),13,16-triene-6,-10-dicarboxamide (56): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 7.88 (m, 1H), 7.74 (m, 1H), 7.19 (m, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.78 (m, 1H), 4.18 (m, 3H), 2.96 (m, 1H), 2.67 (m, 3H), 2.55 (m, 1H), 1.85-2.18 (m, 3H), 1.70 (m, 1H), 1.26-1.48 (m, 5H), 0.90 (m, 1H), 0.79 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.73 (d, *J* = 6.6 Hz, 3H), 0.40 (m, 1H); HRMS *m*/*z* 420.2512 [(M + H)⁺ calcd for C₂₂H₃₄N₃O₅ 420.2498].

(6*S*, *7S*, *10R*)-*N*⁶-Hydroxy-7-isobutyl-*N*¹⁰-methyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[1 2.2.2]octadeca-1(16),14,17-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (57): ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 7.05 (m, 3H), 6.78 (m, 1H), 4.30 (m, 1H), 4.12 (m, 1H), 3.90 (m, 1H), 2.70 (m, 4H), 2.48 (m, 1H), 2.28 (m, 1H), 1.88 (m, 1H), 1.04–1.63 (m, 9H), 0.92 (m, 1H), 0.80 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 0.75 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 0.75 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 434 (M + H)⁺; HRMS *m*/*z* 434.2655 [(M + H)⁺ calcd for C₂₃H₃₆N₃O₅ 434.2655].

 $(6S, 7R, 10S) - N^{10} - \{(1S) - 5$ -amino-1-[(methylamino)carbo-nyl]pentyl}- N^6 -hydroxy-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabi-

cyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarbox-amide (58). Compound **54v** (50 mg) was dissolved in 50% TFA/CH₂Cl₂ (5 mL). After the solution was stirred at room temperature for 1 h, the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure and the residue was triturated with ether to provide **58** as a solid: ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 7.22 (m, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.86 (m, 1H), 4.94 (m, 1H), 4.35 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.36 (m, 1H), 2.65 (m, 3H), 2.16 (m, 1H), 1.24–1.87 (m, 12H), 0.87 (m, 1H), 0.80 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), 0.76 (d, *J* = 6.2 Hz, 3H), -0.57 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 520.3 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₆H₄₁N₅O₆· 0.25CF₃CO₂H) C, H, N.

(6*S*, *7R*, *10S*)-*N*¹⁰-[(*1S*)-5-Amino-1-(aminocarbonyl)pentyl]-7-hexyl-*N*⁶-hydroxy-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-azabicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(14),12,15-triene-6,10-dicarboxamide (59). Compound 57 was obtained from 53g following the procedure described for 56: ¹H NMR (CD₃OD) δ 7.25 (m, 1H), 7.08 (m, 2H), 6.87 (m, 1H), 4.96 (dd, 1H), 4.37 (dd, 1H), 4.13 (m, 2H), 3.39 (dd, 1H), 2.71 (m, 3H), 2.07 (m, 1H), 1.83 (m, 1H), 1.70 (m, 2H), 1.56 (m, 2H), 1.43 (m, 2H), 1.35–1.08 (m, 12H), 0.85 (t, 3H), 0.77 (m, 1H), -0.56 (m, 1H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 548.6 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₈H₄₅N₅O₆·0.5H₂O) C, H, N.

(2.5)-2-{[(Benzyloxy)carbonyl]amino}-6-[(trifluoroacetyl)amino]hexanoic Acid (61). To a suspension of N^{k} -Cbz-Llysine (60) (5.6 g, 20 mmol) in H₂O (40 mL) and dioxane (5 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added K₂CO₃ (5.53 g, 40 mmol) followed by ethyl trifluoroacetate (7.14 mL, 60 mmol). The mixture was stirred for 1 h and diluted with water. The solution was extracted with ether 2×. The aqueous phase was acidified with 10% citric acid solution and extracted with EtOAc three times. The combined organic phase was washed with brine 3×, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated to give 7.6 g (100%) of the lysine derivative **61**: MS (ESI) m/z 377.2 (M + H)⁺.

Methyl (2.5)-2-{[(Benzyloxy)carbonyl]amino}-6-[methyl(trifluoroacetyl)amino]hexanoate (62). A mixture of 61 (20 g, 53.1 mmol), K₂CO₃ (36.7 g, 265 mmol), and iodomethane (50 mL, 795 mmol) in DMF (150 mL) was stirred at 110 °C for 10 h. Insoluble materials were filtered off, and the solution was concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was taken up in EtOAc. The resulting solution was washed with brine $6\times$, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated to give 19.45 g (90%) of the ester **62**: MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 405.2 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₁₈H₂₃N₂O₅F₃) C, H, N.

Methyl (2.5)-2-{[(Benzyloxy)carbonyl]amino}-6-(methylamino)hexanoate (63). To a solution of **62** (2.02 g, 5 mmol) in THF (15 mL) was added a solution of 1 N LiOH (15 mL). The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 2 h and acidified with 1 N HCl (20 mL). The solvents were removed under reduced pressure, and the residue was taken up in MeOH (20 mL). To it was added 4 N HCl/dioxane (50 mL). The solution was stirred at room temperature overnight and concentrated under reduced pressure, affording the crude **63**, which was used for the next reaction without purification: MS (CI, NH₃) *m*/*z* 309.

1-Benzyl 4-*tert***-Butyl (2***R***,3***s***)-2-Isobutyl-3-(3-{[(4-nitrophenoxy)carbonyl]oxy}propyl)butanedioate (64)**. To a solution of **31a** (11.4 g, 33.1 mmol) and 4-nitrophenyl chloroformate (10.0 g, 50 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (50 mL) cooled in an ice bath was slowly added NMM (4.4 mL, 40 mmol), and the mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight. The solvent was removed under reduced pressure, and the residue was taken up in EtOAc (200 mL). The solution was washed with brine $3\times$, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Purification on a silica gel column eluting with 10% EtOAc/hexanes provided **64** (15.0 g, 91%) as a pale yellow solid: MS (CI, NH₃) m/z 561 (M + NH₄)⁺. Anal. (C₂₉H₃₇NO₉) C, H, N.

17-Benzyl 16-*tert*-Butyl 5-Methyl (5*S*,16*S*,17*R*)-19-Methyl-3,11-dioxo-1-phenyl-2,12-dioxa-4,10-diazaicosane-5,16,-17-tricarboxylate (65a). To a solution of 64 (15.20 g, 27.28 mmol) and 63 (11.22 g, 32.78 mmol) in DMF (50 mL) was added K_2CO_3 (15 g, 109 mmol). The mixture was stirred at 50 °C for 2 h. Insoluble materials were filtered off, and the filtrate was diluted with EtOAc (300 mL). The resulting solution was washed with 10% citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Flash chromatography on silica gel eluting with 15% EtOAc/hexanes provided **65a** (17.0 g, 91%) as an oil: MS (ESI) m/z 699.5 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₃₈H₅₄N₂O₁₀) C, H, N.

12-tert-Butyl 8-Methyl (8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-11-Isobutyl-2,10dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxylate (66a). To a solution of 65a (14.5 g, 20.8 mmol) in MeOH (100 mL) was added 10% Pd on carbon (1.5 g). The mixture was stirred under H₂ (balloon) for 1 h. The catalyst was filtered off, and the solvent was removed under reduced pressure. The residue was taken up in DMF (50 mL). This solution was dropwise added to a solution of BOP (9.2 g, 20.8 mmol) and DIEA (12 mL, 70 mmol) in CHCl₃ (1000 mL) cooled in an ice bath. The mixture was allowed to stir at room temperature overnight. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, and the residue was taken up in EtOAc. The resulting solution was washed with 5% citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. Purification on a silica gel column eluting with 7% MeOH/CH₂Cl₂ provided **66a** (6.6 g, 70%) as a powder: MS (ESI) *m*/z 457.4 (M + H)⁺.

Methyl (8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-12-{[(Benzyloxy)amino]carbonyl}-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8-carboxylate (67a). Compound 66a (2.6 g, 5.5 mmol) was dissolved in 50% TFA in CH₂Cl₂ (20 mL). The solution was stirred for 1 h, and the volatiles were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was taken up in DMF (10 mL), and the solution was cooled in an ice bath. To it were added *O*benzylhydroxylamine hydrochloride (0.96 g, 6.15 mmol), DIEA (4.3 mL, 24.6 mmol), and BOP (2.72 g, 6.15 mmol). The solution was allowed to stir at room temperature overnight and diluted with EtOAc. The resulting solution was washed with 5% citric acid, brine, NaHCO₃, and brine, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. The residue was triturated with ether to give 67a (2.9 g, 90%) as a solid: MS (ESI) *m/z* 506.5 (M + H)⁺.

(8S,11R,12S)-N¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-N⁸-[2-(4-morpholinyl)-2-oxoethyl]-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68y). To a solution of 67a (1.1 g, 2 mmol) in THF (10 mL) was added 1 N LiOH (4 mL). The mixture was stirred at room temperature for 1 h and acidified with TFA. EtOAc was added, and the resulting solution was washed with brine $3\times$, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated to give the acid as a solid. The solid was dissolved in DMF (10 mL), and the solution was cooled in an ice bath. To it were added N-glycinylmorpholine (0.55 g, 3 mmol), BOP (0.9 g, 2 mmol), and DIEA (1.75 mL, 10 mmol). The mixture was stirred at room temperature overnight and diluted with EtOAc. The resulting solution was washed with NaHCO₃ $3 \times$ and brine $3 \times$, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated to give a solid which was dissolved in MeOH (30 mL). To the solution was added Pd/ BaSO₄ (0.5 g). The mixture was stirred under H_2 at 50 psi for 5 h. The catalyst was filtered off, and the solvent was removed under reduced pressure. Purification by reversed-phase HPLC afforded the hydroxamic acid 68y (81 mg, 82%) as a powder: ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.20 (d, 1H), 7.70 (t, 1H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 4.20 (m, 1H), 3.95 (m, 4H), 3.55 (m, 4H), 3.40 (m, 4H), 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.6-1.2 (m, 12H), 0.90-0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) m/z 528.5 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₄H₄₁N₅O₈) C, H, N.

The following compounds were prepared in a manner analogous to that described for **68y**.

 $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{(8.5,11R,12S)-N^{12}-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-N^8-methyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxa-mide (68a): ^{1}H NMR (CD_3OD) & 8.43 (d, 1H), 7.78 (s, 1H), 6.76 (t, 1H), 4.34 (m, 2H), 3.97 (m, 1H), 3.25-3.02 (m, 2H), 2.68 (d, 3H), 2.57 (m, 1H), 2.07 (m, 1H), 1.77-1.23 (m, 12H), 1.01 (m, 1H), 0.87 (d, 3H), 0.81 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) m/z 437.3 (M + Na)^+. Anal. (C_{19}H_{34}N_4O_6\cdot0.1CH_2Cl_2) C, H, N. \end{array}$

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-*N*⁸-(2,2,2-trifluoroethyl)-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-**8,12-dicarboxamide (68b)**: ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.81 (s, 1H), 8.37 (m, 1H), 8.17 (d, 1H), 6.96 (t, 1H), 4.31, (m, 1H), 4.16, (m, 1H), 4.02–3.73 (m, 3H), 3.10–2.86 (m, 2H), 2.49 (m, 1H), 1.95 (m, 1H), 1.68–1.15 (m, 12H), 0.87 (m, 1H), 0.80 (d, 3H), 0.72 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) $\it{m/z}$ 505.3 (M + Na)+. Anal. (C_{20}H_{33}F_{3}N_{4}O_{6}) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-*N*⁸phenyl-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68c): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.51 (s, 1H), 9.84 (s, 1H), 8.82 (s, 1H), 8.26 (d, 1H), 7.54 (d, 2H), 7.30 (t, 2H), 7.05–6.98 (m, 2H), 4.42 (m, 1H), 4.18 (m, 1H), 3.97 (m, 1H), 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.25 (m, 1H), 1.99 (m, 1H), 1.73–1.22 (m, 12H), 0.98– 0.70 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 499.3 (M + Na)⁺.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-*N*⁸-[4-(4-morpholinyl)phenyl]-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68d): ¹H NMR (DMSO-*d*₆) δ 10.50 (s, 1H), 9.70 (s, 1H), 8.20 (d, 1H), 7.20 (d, 2H), 6.95 (d, 2H), 6.80 (t, 1H), 4.20 (m, 1H), 3.80 (m, 10H), 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.4−2.0 (m, 2H), 1.6−1.2 (m, 12H), 0.90−0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 562.3 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₈H₄₃N₅O₇·CF₃CO₂H·0.4H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*, 11*R*, 12*S*)-*N*⁸-Benzyl-*N*¹²-hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68e): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.81 (s, 1H), 8.14 (d, 1H), 8.05 (t, 1H), 7.32–7.19 (m, 5H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 4.25 (d, 2H), 4.23 (m, 2H), 3.97 (m, 1H), 3.10–2.88 (m, 2H), 2.43 (m, 1H), 1.95 (m, 1H), 1.65–1.22 (m, 12H), 0.86 (m, 1H), 0.73– 0.68 (m, 6H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 513.4 (M + Na)⁺. Anal. (C₂₅H₃₈N₄O₆· 0.25H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-*N*⁸-(2-pyridinylmethyl)-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68f): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.51 (s, 1H), 8.82 (s, 1H), 8.48 (d, 1H), 8.35–8.19 (m, 2H), 7.73 (t, 1H), 7.24 (m, 2H), 6.96 (m, 1H), 4.32 (d, 2H), 4.33–4.08 (m, 2H), 3.93 (m, 1H), 3.15–2.80 (m, 2H), 2.52 (m, 1H), 1.95 (m, 1H), 1.78–1.11 (m, 12H), 0.86–0.67 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 492.3 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₄H₃₇N₅O₆·0.4H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-*N*⁸-(3-pyridinylmethyl)-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68g): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.54 (s, 1H), 8.81 (s, 1H), 8.44 (bs, 2H), 8.37–8.11 (m, 2H), 7.59 (d, 1H), 7.31 (dd, 1H), 6.95 (m, 1H), 4.26 (d, 2H), 4.28–4.10 (m, 2H), 3.93 (m, 1H), 3.09–2.82 (m, 2H), 2.51 (m, 1H), 1.94 (m, 1H), 1.69–1.14 (m, 12H), 0.83 (m, 1H), 0.73 (d, 3H), 0.68 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 492.3 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₄H₃₇N₅O₆·0.25H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-*N*⁸-[2-(2-pyridinyl)ethyl]-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,-12-dicarboxamide (68i): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.47 (s, 1H), 8.77 (s, 1H), 8.45 (m, 1H), 8.02 (d, 1H), 7.64 (m, 2H), 7.18 (m, 2H), 6.90 (t, 1H), 4.13 (m, 2H), 3.88 (m, 1H), 3.34 (m, 2H), 3.08-2.87 (m, 2H), 2.78 (t, 2H), 2.42 (m, 1H), 1.90 (m, 1H), 1.60-1.03 (m, 12H), 0.83 (m, 1H), 0.75 (d, 3H), 0.69 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 506.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₅H₃₉N₅O₆·HCl·H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-*N*⁸-[2-(6-methoxy-1*H*-indol-3-yl)ethyl]-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopen-tadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68j): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.60 (s, 1H), 10.46 (s, 1H), 8.75 (s, 1H), 8.06 (m, 1H), 7.57 (m, 1H), 7.21 (d, 1H), 7.07 (s, 1H), 6.99 (s, 1H), 6.70 (m, 1H), 6.68 (d, 1H), 4.21 (m, 1H), 4.19 (m, 2H), 3.91 (m, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.30 (m, 2H), 3.01 (m, 1H), 2.92 (m, 1H), 2.71 (m, 2H), 2.01 (m, 1H), 1.39–1.23 (m, 12H), 0.96 (m, 1H), 0.80 (d, 3H), 0.72 (d, 3H); HRMS (FAB) *m*/*z*. 574.325412 [(M + H)⁺ calcd for C₂₉H₄₄N₅O₇ 574.325924]. Anal. (C₂₉H₄₃N₅O₇·0.1CF₃CO₂H) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)- N^{12} -Hydroxy-11-isobutyl- N^{8} -[2-(5-methoxy-1*H*-indol-3-yl)ethyl]-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68k): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_{6}) δ 10.57 (s, 1H), 10.48 (s, 1H), 8.77 (s, 1H), 8.06 (m, 1H), 7.60 (m, 1H), 7.34 (m, 1H), 6.96 (s, 1H), 6.89 (m, 1H), 6.82 (s, 1H), 6.63 (m, 1H), 4.21 (m, 1H), 4.19 (m, 2H), 3.91 (m, 1H), 3.73 (s, 3H), 3.30 (m, 2H), 3.01 (m, 1H), 2.92 (m, 1H), 2.71 (m, 2H), 2.01 (m, 1H), 1.39–1.23 (m, 12H), 0.96 (m, 1H), 0.80 (d, 3H), 0.72 (d, 3H); HRMS (FAB) m/z 574.324074 [(M + H)⁺ calcd for C₂₉H₄₄N₅O₇ 574.324279]. Anal. (C₂₉H₄₃N₅O₇•0.7H₂O) C, H, N.

(8.5,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*⁸-[2-(5-Fluoro-1*H*-indol-3-yl)ethyl]-*N*¹²-hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopen-tadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (681): ¹H NMR (DMSO-*d*₆) δ 10.76 (s, 1H), 10.41 (s, 1H), 8.63 (s, 1H), 8.01 (s, 1H), 7.50 (m, 2H), 7.10 (m, 2H), 6.84 (s, 1H), 6.79 (s, 1H), 4.02 (m, 2H), 3.94 (m, 2H), 3.31 (m, 2H), 3.01 (m, 1H), 2.94 (m, 1H), 2.77 (m, 2H), 2.01 (m, 1H), 1.39–1.30 (m, 12H), 0.96 (m, 1H), 0.81 (d, 3H), 0.74 (d, 3H); HRMS (FAB) *m*/*z* 562.308110 [(M + H)⁺ calcd for C₂₈H₄₁FN₅O₆ 562.306285]. Anal. (C₂₈H₄₀FN₅O₆•0.6CF₃-CO₂H) C, H, N.

(8.5,11*R*,12.5)- N^{12} -Hydroxy-11-isobutyl- N^8 -[2-(5-methyl-1*H*-indol-3-yl)ethyl]-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopen-tadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68m): ¹H NMR (DMSO-*d*₆) δ 10.51 (s, 1H), 10.41 (s, 1H), 8.62 (s, 1H), 7.93 (s, 1H), 7.45 (s, 1H), 7.27 (s, 1H), 7.19 (s, 1H), 7.04 (s, 1H), 6.89 (s, 1H), 6.70 (s, 1H), 4.25 (m, 2H), 3.94 (m, 2H), 3.28 (m, 2H), 3.05 (m, 1H), 2.96 (m, 1H), 2.75 (m, 2H), 2.36 (s, 3H), 2.01 (m, 1H), 1.40−1.31 (m, 12H), 0.94 (m, 1H), 0.82 (d, 3H), 0.76 (d, 3H); HRMS (FAB) *m*/*z* 558.329160 [(M + H)⁺ calcd for (C₂₉H₄₄N₅O₆)-558.327853]. Anal. (C₂₉H₄₃N₅O₆·0.8CF₃CO₂H) C, H, N.

Ethyl 4-[({(8.5,11*R*,12.5)-12-[(Hydroxyamino)carbonyl]-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecan-8-yl}carbonyl)amino]-1-piperidinecarboxylate (680): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.40 (s, 1H), 8.62 (s, 1H), 7.93 (m, 1H), 7.28 (s, 1H), 6.70 (s, 1H), 4.23 (m, 2H), 4.05 (q, 2H), 3.99 (m, 1H), 3.83 (m, 2H), 3.79 (m, 1H), 3.05 (m, 1H), 2.96 (m, 3H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.71 (m, 2H), 1.69(m, 2H), 1.54–1.19 (m, 13H), 1.17 (t, 3H), 0.96 (m, 1H), 0.82 (d, 3H), 0.76 (d, 3H); HRMS (FAB) m/z. 556.334639 [(M + H)⁺ calcd for C₂₆H₄₆N₅O₈ 556.334280]. Anal. (C₂₆H₄₅N₅O₈) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-*N*⁸-[(1*S*,2*R*)-2-hydroxy-2,3dihydro-1*H*-inden-1-yl]-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68p): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.47 (s, 1H), 8.77 (s, 1H), 8.26 (d, 1H), 7.37 (t, 1H), 7.19–7.05 (m, 3H), 6.98 (d, 1H), 6.93 (t, 1H), 5.13 (m, 1H), 4.97 (d, 1H), 4.40–4.10 (m, 3H), 3.88 (m, 1H), 3.08– 2.82 (m, 2H), 3.00 (dd, 1H), 2.75 (d, 1H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 1.92 (m, 1H), 1.62 (m, 3H), 1.47–1.11 (m, 9H), 0.69 (m 1H), 0.64 (d, 3H), 0.55 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 555.4 (M + Na)⁺. Anal. (C₂₇N₄₀N₄O₇) C, H, N.

 $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{(8.5,11R,12S)-N^{12}-Hydroxy-N^{\$}-[(1R,2S)-2-hydroxy-2,3-dihydro-1$ *H* $-inden-1-yl]-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68q): ^1H NMR (DMSO-d_{6}) & 10.48 (s, 1H), 8.78 (s, 1H), 8.26 (d, 1H), 7.42 (t, 1H), 7.21-7.01 (m, 4H), 6.92 (t, 1H), 5.07 (m, 1H), 4.98 (d, 1H), 4.34 (m, 2H), 4.18 (m, 1H), 3.89 (m, 1H), 3.11-2.85 (m, 2H), 2.99 (dd, 1H), 2.73 (d, 1H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 1.95 (m, 1H), 1.62 (m, 3H), 1.45-1.11 (m, 9H), 0.83 (m 1H), 0.72 (d, 3H), 0.65 (d, 3H); MS (ESI)$ *m*/*z* $555.4 (M + Na)⁺. Anal. (C₂₇H₄₀N₄O₇) C, H, N. \end{array}$

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-*N*⁸-[(2*S*)-tetrahydro-2-furanylmethyl]-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68r): ¹H NMR (DMSO d_6) δ 10.52 (s, 1H), 8.83 (s, 1H), 8.13 (d, 1H), 7.51 (t, 1H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 4.23 (m, 2H), 3.92 (m, 1H), 3.73 (m, 2H), 3.57–2.82 (m, 6H), 2.41 (m, 1H), 1.94 (m, 1H), 1.79 (m, 3H), 1.58–1.16 (m, 12H), 0.88 (m, 1H), 0.82 (d, 3H), 0.75 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 507.4 (M + Na)⁺. Anal. (C₂₃N₄₀N₄O₇) C, H, N. (8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-*N*⁸-[(2*R*)-tetrahydro-2-furanylmethyl]-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68s): ¹H NMR (DMSO d_6) δ 10.53 (s, 1H), 8.78 (s, 1H), 8.07 (d, 1H), 7.51 (t, 1H), 6.91 (t, 1H), 4.16 (m, 2H), 3.89 (m, 1H), 3.71 (m, 3H), 3.57 (m, 1H), 3.15–2.80 (m, 4H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 1.94 (m, 1H), 1.76 (m, 3H), 1.60–1.05 (m, 12H), 0.84 (m, 1H), 0.77 (d, 3H), 0.71 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 507.4 (M + Na)⁺. Anal. (C₂₃N₄₀N₄O₇) C, H, N.

(8S,11R,12S)- N^{12} -Hydroxy-11-isobutyl- N^{8} -[2-(methylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68t): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_{6}) δ 10.51 (s, 1H), 8.82 (s, 1H), 8.23 (d, 1H), 7.93 (t, 1H), 7.73 (m, 1H), 6.97 (t, 1H), 4.19 (m, 2H), 3.94 (m, 1H), 3.61 (d, 2H), 3.11– 2.88 (m, 2H), 2.56 (d, 3H), 2.52 (m, 1H), 1.98 (m, 1H), 1.64– 1.16 (m, 12H), 0.86 (m 1H), 0.81 (d, 3H), 0.74 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) m/z 494.3 (M + Na)⁺. Anal. (C₂₁H₃₇N₅O₇) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)- N^{12} -Hydroxy-11-isobutyl- N^{8} -[(1*S*)-1-methyl-2-(methylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68u): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_{6}) δ 10.51 (s, 1H), 8.82 (s, 1H), 8.17 (d, 1H), 7.84 (m, 1H), 7.54 (m, 1H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 4.16 (m, 2H), 4.01-3.79 (m, 2H), 3.11-2.84 (m, 2H), 2.56 (d, 3H), 2.49 (m, 1H), 1.95 (m, 1H), 1.64-1.15 (m, 12H), 1.13 (d, 3H), 0.88 (m 1H), 0.81 (d, 3H), 0.74 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) m/z 508.4 (M + Na)⁺. Anal. (C₂₂H₃₉N₅O₇) C, H, N.

tert-Butyl (5.5)-5-[({(8.5,11*R*,12.5)-12-[(Hydroxyamino)-carbonyl]-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecan-8-yl}carbonyl)amino]-6-(methylamino)-6-oxohexylcarbamate (68w): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.52 (s, 1H), 8.82 (s, 1H), 8.17 (d, 1H), 7.87 (m, 1H), 7.47 (m, 1H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 6.76 (t, 1H), 4.19 (m, 3H), 3.93 (m, 1H), 3.16-2.76 (m, 4H), 2.55 (d, 3H), 2.47 (m, 1H), 1.95 (m, 1H), 1.64-1.02 (m, 27H), 0.88 (m, 1H), 0.81 (d, 3H), 0.74 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 665.5 (M + Na)⁺. Anal. (C₃₀H₅₄N₆O₉) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*⁸-{(1*S*)-2,2-Dimethyl-1-[(methylamino)-carbonyl]propyl}-*N*¹²-hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68x) ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.52 (s, 1H), 8.82 (s, 1H), 8.31 (d, 1H), 7.97 (m, 1H), 7.26 (m, 1H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 4.23 (m, 2H), 4.15 (d, 1H), 3.93 (m, 1H), 3.14-2.83 (m, 2H), 2.55 (d, 3H), 2.48 (m, 1H), 1.97 (m, 1H), 1.64-1.17 (m, 12H), 0.86-0.82 (m 13H), 0.74 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 550.4 (M + Na)⁺. Anal. (C₂₅H₄₅N₅O₇· 0.25H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*⁸-[2-(2,6-Dimethyl-4-morpholinyl)-2-oxoethyl]-*N*¹²-hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazoyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68z): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.15 (d, 1H), 7.65 (t, 1H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 4.2–3.3 (m, 11H), 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.30 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.6–1.2 (m, 12 H), 1.10 (d, 6H), 0.90–0.70 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 556.3 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₆H₄₅N₅O₈•0.5H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-*N*⁸-[2-(4-methyl-1-piperazinyl)-2-oxoethyl]-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacy-clopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68aa): ¹H NMR (DM-SO- d_6) δ 10.50 (s, 1H), 10.00 (br, 1H), 8.15 (d, 1H), 7.72 (t, 1H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 4.2–3.9 (m, 5H), 3.8–3.2 (m, 6H), 3.1–2.9 (m, 4H), 2.80 (s, 3H), 2.46 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.6–1.1 (m, 12H), 0.90–0.70 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 541.3 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₅H₄₄N₆O₇·1.4CF₃CO₂H) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)- N^{12} -Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo- N^8 -[2-oxo-2-(4-phenyl-1- piperazinyl)ethyl]-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68bb): ¹H NMR (DM-SO- d_6) δ 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.20 (d, 1H), 7.75 (t, 1H), 7.22 (m, 2H), 6.98 (m, 3H), 6.82 (t, 1H), 4.2–3.8 (m, 5H), 3.60 (m, 4H), 3.15 (m, 4H), 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.46 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.6–1.2 (m, 12H), 0.90–0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) m/z 603.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₃₀H₄₆N₆O₇•0.5CF₃CO₂H) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-*N*⁸-{2oxo-2-[4-(2-pyridinyl)-1-piperazinyl]ethyl}-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68cc): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.20 (d, 1H), 8.15 (d, 1H), 7.75 (t, 1H), 7.55 (t, 1H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 6.82 (d, 1H), 6.65 (t, 1H), 4.3– 3.8 (m, 5H), 3.50 (m, 8H), 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.46 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.6–1.2 (m, 12H), 0.90–0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 604.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₉H₄₅N₇O₇·CF₃CO₂H·0.5H₂O) C, H, N.

Ethyl 4-{[({(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-12-[(Hydroxyamino)carbonyl]-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecan-8-yl}carbonyl)amino]acetyl}-1-piperazinecarboxylate (68dd): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.18 (d, 1H), 7.75 (t, 1H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 4.4 (m, 1H), 4.20 (m, 2H), 4.02 (q, 2H), 3.95 (m, 2H), 3.40 (m, 8H), 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.6-1.2 (m, 12 H), 1.18 (t, 3H), 0.90-0.70 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 599.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₇H₄₆N₆O₉·0.2CF₃CO₂H) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-*N*⁸-[2-(4-hydroxy-1-piperidinyl)-2-oxoethyl]-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68ee): ¹H NMR (DM-SO- d_6) δ 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.18 (d, 1H), 7.62 (m, 1H), 6.95 (m, 1H), 4.20 (m, 2H), 3.90 (m, 3H), 3.60 (m, 2H), 3.05 (m, 6H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.7-1.2 (m, 16H), 0.90-0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/z 542.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₅H₄₃N₅O₈·H₂O) C, H, N.

1-{[({(8.*S*,11*R*,12.*S*)-12-[(Hydroxyamino)carbonyl]-11isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecan-8yl}carbonyl)amino]acetyl}-4-piperidinecarboxylic Acid (68gg): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.45 (s, 1H), 8.10 (d, 1H), 7.60 (t, 1H), 6.90 (t, 1H), 4.10 (m, 3H), 4.0–3.6 (m, 6H), 3.0–2.8 (m, 3H), 2.0–1.7 (m, 2H), 1.6–1.1 (m, 16H), 0.85–0.68 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 592.3 (M + Na)⁺. Anal. (C₂₆H₄₃N₅O₉•0.4CF₃-CO₂H) C, H, N.

 $\begin{array}{l} 1\mbox{-}\{\mbox{[(\{(8.5,11\,R,12.5)-12-[(Hydroxyamino)carbonyl]-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecan-8-yl}carbonyl]amino]acetyl]-3-piperidinecarboxylic Acid (68hh): \ ^{1}H \ NMR \ (DMSO-d_6) \ \delta \ 10.50 \ (s, \ 1H), \ 8.18 \ (m, \ 1H), \ 7.62 \ (m, \ 1H), \ 6.95 \ (m, \ 1H), \ 4.2-3.6 \ (m, \ 9H), \ 3.3-2.7 \ (m, \ 3H), \ 2.40-1.8 \ (m, \ 4H), \ 1.7-1.2 \ (m, \ 14H), \ 0.90-0.75 \ (m, \ 7H); \ MS \ (ESI) \ m/z \ 592.2 \ (M \ + \ Na)^+. \ Anal. \ (C_{26}H_{43}N_5O_9\cdot0.5CF_3CO_2H) \ C, \ H, \ N. \end{array}$

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)- N^{12} -Hydroxy-11-isobutyl- N^{8} -[(1*S*)-1-methyl-2-(4-morpholinyl)-2-oxoethyl]-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68ii): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.52 (s, 1H), 8.80 (s, 1H), 8.20 (d, 1H), 7.74 (d, 1H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 4.70 (m, 1H), 4.20 (m, 2H), 3.95 (m, 1H), 3.50 (m, 8H), 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.46 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.6–1.2 (m, 12H), 1.08 (d, 3H), 0.90–0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 564.3 (M + Na)⁺. Anal. (C₂₅H₄₃N₅O₈•0.5H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-*N*⁸-[(1*S*)-1-(hydroxymethyl)-2-(4-morpholinyl)-2-oxoethyl]-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68jj) ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.52 (s, 1H), 8.18 (d, 1H), 7.60 (d, 1H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 4.75 (m, 1H), 4.20 (m, 2H), 3.90 (m, 2H), 3.50 (m, 10H), 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.46 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.6−1.2 (m, 12H), 0.90-0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 570.2 (M + Na)⁺. Anal. (C₂₅H₄₃N₅O₉·0.4CF₃CO₂H) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)- N^{12} -Hydroxy-11-isobutyl- N^{8} -[3-(4-morpholinyl)-3-oxopropyl]-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (68kk): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_{6}) δ 10.52 (s, 1H), 8.10 (d, 1H), 7.56 (t, 1H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 4.20 (m, 1H), 3.9 (m, 2H), 3.6-3.2 (m, 8H), 3.15 (m, 2H), 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.45 (m, 3H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.6–1.2 (m, 12H), 0.90–0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) m/z 564.3 (M + Na)⁺. Anal. (C₂₅H₄₃N₅O₈•0.5H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*, 11*R*, 12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-*N*⁸,3-dimethyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (69a): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.55 (s, 1H), 8.30 (d, 1H), 7.40 (m, 1H), 4.30 (m, 1H), 4.00 (m, 1H), 3.70 (m, 1H), 3.30 (m, 1H), 3.00 (m, 1H), 2.76 (s, 3H), 2.55 (d, 3H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 2.05 (m, 1H), 1.7-1.1 (m, 12H), 0.90-0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 429.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₀H₃₆N₄O₆·0.2H₂O) C, H, N.

 $\begin{array}{l} \textbf{(8$ *S*, 11*R*, 12*S*)-*N* $^{12}-Hydroxy-$ *N* $^{8}-[2-(4-hydroxy-1-piperidinyl)-2-oxoethyl]-11-isobutyl-3-methyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (69c): <math display="inline">^{1}\text{H}$ NMR (DMSO- d_{6}) δ 10.05 (s, 1H), 8.30 (d, 1H), 7.65 (t, 1H), 4.70 (m, 1H), 4.40 (m, 1H), 4.00 (m, 3H), 3.80 (m, 2H), 3.30 (m, 2H), 3.02 (m, 4H), 2.80 (s, 3H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.8-1.2 (m, 16H), 0.90-0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 556.5 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₆H₄₅N₅O₈•0.5CF₃CO₂H•0.8H₂O) C, H, N. \end{array}

Ethyl 4-{[({(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-12-[(Hydroxyamino)carbonyl]-11-isobutyl-3-methyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecan-8-yl}carbonyl)amino]acetyl}-1-piperazinecarboxylate (69e): 1 H NMR (DMSO- d_{6}) δ 10.55 (s, 1H), 8.20 (d, 1H), 7.60 (d, 1H), 4.35 (m, 1H), 4.00 (m, 3H), 3.8–3.6 (m, 5H), 3.00 (m, 3H), 2.75 (s, 3H), 2.40 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.7–1.0 (m, 19H), 0.88–0.70 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m/z* 570.5 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₇H₄₇N₅O₈•0.5CF₃CO₂H·H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*⁸-[2-(Dimethylamino)-2-oxoethyl]-*N*¹²hydroxy-11-isobutyl-3-methyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (69f): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.25 (d, 1H), 7.60 (t, 1H), 4.40 (m, 1H), 4.00 (m, 2H), 3.80 (m, 2H), 3.35 (m, 1H), 3.00 (m, 1H), 2.92 (s, 3H), 2.82 (s, 3H), 2.78 (s, 3H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.7–1.1 (m, 12H), 0.90–0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 500.5 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₃H₄₁N₅O₇·0.2CF₃CO₂H) C, H, N.

(8.5,11*R*,12*S*)- N^{12} -Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-3-methyl-2,10dioxo- N^8 -[2-oxo-2-(1- pyrrolidinyl)ethyl]-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (69g): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.55 (s, 1H), 8.32 (d, 1H), 7.70 (t, 1H), 4.42 (m, 1H), 4.02 (m, 2H), 3.80 (m, 2H), 3.30 (m, 5H), 3.00 (m, 1H), 2.80 (s, 3H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 2.02 (m, 1H), 1.80 (m, 4H), 1.7–1.2 (m, 12H), 0.90–0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 526.5 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₅H₄₃N₅O₇·H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*⁸-{(1*S*)-5-Amino-1-[(methylamino)carbonyl]pentyl}-*N*¹²-hydroxy-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (70). To a solution of **68w** (51 mg, 0.079 mmol) in dioxane (1 mL) was added 4 N HCl in dioxane (2 mL). The solution was stirred at room temperature for 9 h and concentrated. The residue was triturated with MeOH/ether to provide **70** (38 mg, 82%) as an HCl salt: ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.52 (s, 1H), 8.19 (d, 1H), 7.91 (m, 1H), 7.76 (bs, 3H), 7.58 (d, 1H), 6.95 (t, 1H), 4.16 (m, 2H), 3.82 (m, 2H), 3.09–2.85 (m, 2H), 2.73 (m, 2H), 2.56 (d, 3H), 2.47 (m, 1H), 1.95 (m, 1H), 1.66–1.04 (m, 18H), 0.88 (m, 1H), 0.81 (d, 3H), 0.74 (d, 3H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 543.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₅H₄₆N₆O₇·HCl·0.6MeOH) C, H, N.

tert-Butyl (8S,11R,12S)-11-Isobutyl-8-({[4-(2-methoxy-2-oxoethyl)-1,3-thiazol-2-yl]amino}carbonyl)-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-12-carboxylate (71). To a solution of 66a (0.7 g, 1.53 mmol) in THF (5 mL) was added a solution of 1 N LiOH (5 mL). The solution was stirred at room temperature for 1 h. EtOAc (50 mL) was added followed by 1 N HCl (10 mL). The organic phase was separated, washed with brine $3\times$, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. The residue was taken up in DMF (5 mL). To it were added methyl 2-amino-4-thiazoleacetate hydrochloride salt (0.58 g, 2.8 mmol), BOP (0.80 g, 1.8 mmol), and DIEA (1.74 mL, 10 mmol). The solution was stirred at room temperature overnight. EtOAc (100 mL) was added. The solution was washed with brine $2\times$, 10% citric acid $2\times$, brine $2\times$, NaHCO₃ $2\times$, and brine $2\times$, dried (MgSO₄), and concentrated. The residue was triturated with ether to give 71 (700 mg, 78%) as a solid: MS (ESI) m/z 619.1 $(M + Na)^{+}$

Methyl {2-[({(8S,11R,12S)-12-[(Hydroxyamino)carbonyl]-11-isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecan-8-yl}carbonyl)amino]-1,3-thiazol-4-yl}acetate (73). Compound **71** (700 mg, 1.2 mmol) was dissolved in TFA/CH₂-Cl₂ (1:1, 30 mL). After the solution was stirred for 2 h at room temperature, the solvents were removed under reduced pressure. The residue was taken up in DMF (5 mL), and the solution was cooled in an ice bath. To it were added hydroxylamine hydrochloride (278 mg, 4 mmol), BOP (664 mg, 1.5 mmol), and DIEA (1.04 mL, 6 mmol). The solution was stirred for 2 h and concentrated under reduced pressure. The residue was triturated with ether. The resulting solid was purified by reversed-phase HPLC to provide 73 (240 mg, 33%) as a powder: ¹H NMR (DMSO-*d*₆) δ 12.20 (s, 1H), 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.30 (d, 1H), 7.00 (t, 1H), 6.95 (s, 1H), 4.43 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.65 (s, 3H), 3.60 (s, 2H), 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.42 (m, 1H), 2.02 (m, 1H), 1.6-1.1 (m, 12H), 0.88-0.70 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) m/z 578.3 $(M + Na)^+$

{2-[({(8.*S*,11*R*,12.*S*)-12-[(Hydroxyamino)carbonyl]-11isobutyl-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecan-8yl}carbonyl)amino]-1,3-thiazol-4-yl}acetic Acid (75). To a solution of **73** (55 mg, 0.1 mmol) in THF (2 mL) was added 1 N LiOH (1 mL). The solution was stirred at room temperature for 2 h and acidified with 1 N HCl. The volatiles were removed under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by reversed-phase HPLC to provide **75** (35 mg) as a powder: ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 12.20 (s, 1H), 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.30 (d, 1H), 7.00 (t, 1H), 6.95 (s, 1H), 4.45 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.60 (s, 2H), 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.40 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.6–1.2 (m, 12H), 0.88–0.72 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) m/z 542.2 (M+H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₃H₃₅N₅O₈S+0.3CF₃CO₂H+0.8H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-*N*⁸-{4-[2-(4-morpholinyl)-2-oxoethyl]-1,3-thiazol-2-yl}-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (76). To a solution of 75 (50 mg, 0.092 mmol), morpholine (40 mg, 0.46 mmol), and DIEA (35 μL, 0.2 mmol) in DMF (2 mL) cooled in an ice bath was added BOP (44 mg, 0.1 mmol). The mixture was stirred for 2 h and purified by reversed-phase HPLC to provide 76 (35 mg) as a powder: ¹H NMR (DMSO-*d*₆) δ 12.1 (s, 1H), 10.50 (s, 1H), 8.35 (d, 1H), 7.00 (t, 1H), 6.90 (s, 1H), 4.45 (m, 1H), 4.10 (m, 2H), 3.70 (s, 2H), 3.50 (m, 8H), 3.00 (m, 2H), 2.40 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.6–1.2 (m, 12H), 0.90–0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 611.2 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₇H₄₂N₆O₈S-0.4CF₃CO₂H·2H₂O) C, H, N.

The following compounds were prepared in a manner analogous to that described for 73.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-3-methyl-2,10dioxo-*N*⁸-[2-oxo-2-(2-pyridinylamino)ethyl]-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (74a): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_{6}) δ 10.50 (m, 2H), 8.30 (m, 2H), 8.00 (m, 2H), 7.75 (8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-3-methyl-*N*⁸-{2-[(4-methyl-1,3-thiazol-2-yl)amino]-2-oxoethyl}-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (74b): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 12.05 (s, 1H), 10.55 (s, 1H), 8.80 (br, 1H), 8.30 (d, 1H), 8.00 (t, 1H), 7.76 (s, 1H), 4.45 (m, 1H), 4.00 (m, 2H), 3.80 (m, 2H), 3.30 (m, 1H), 3.05 (m, 1H), 2.80 (s, 3H), 2.46 (m, 1H), 2.23 (s, 3H), 2.02 (m, 1H), 1.63 (m, 2H), 1.5–1.2 (m, 10H), 0.90–0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m/z* 569.3 (M + H)⁺. Anal. ($C_{25}H_{40}N_6O_7S\cdot0.2CF_3CO_2H$) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-3-methyl-2,10dioxo-*N*⁸-(2-pyridinyl)-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (74c): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.55 (s, 1H), 10.35 (s, 1H), 8.45 (d, 1H), 8.30 (d, 1H), 8.00 (d, 1H), 7.80 (t, 1H), 7.10 (t, 1H), 4.65 (m, 1H), 4.05 (m, 1H), 3.95 (m, 1H), 3.40 (m, 1H), 3.02 (m, 1H), 2.80 (s, 3H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.70 (m, 2H), 1.5–1.2 (m, 10H), 0.90–0.75 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 492.5 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₄H₃₇N₅O₆·CF₃CO₂H· 0.5H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*, 11*R*, 12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-3-methyl-2,10dioxo-*N*⁸-(3-pyridinyl)-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (74d): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 10.58 (m, 2H), 8.95 (s, 1H), 8.50 (d, 1H), 8.42 (d, 1H), 8.20 (d, 1H), 7.65 (t, 1H), 4.40 (m, 1H), 4.05 (m, 1H), 3.80 (m, 1H), 3.40 (m, 1H), 3.05 (m, 1H), 2.80 (s, 3H), 2.45 (m, 1H), 2.05 (m, 1H), 1.70 (m, 2H), 1.5−1.2 (m, 10H), 0.9−0.7 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 492.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₄H₃₇N₅O₆·CF₃CO₂H·0.8H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-3-methyl-2,10dioxo-*N*⁸-(4-pyridinyl)-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (74e): ¹H NMR (DMSO-*d*₆) δ 11.47 (s, 1H), 10.55 (s, 1H), 8.70 (d, 2H), 8.60 (d, 1H), 8.05 (d, 2H), 4.40 (m, 1H), 4.05 (m, 1H), 3.90 (m, 1H), 3.40 (m, 1H), 3.05 (m, 1H), 2.80 (s, 3H), 2.55 (m, 1H), 2.20 (m, 1H), 1.75 (m, 2H), 1.5-1.2 (m, 10H), 0.9-0.7 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m/z* 492.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₄H₃₇N₅O₆·CF₃CO₂H·1.5H₂O) C, H, N.

(8*S*,11*R*,12*S*)-*N*¹²-Hydroxy-11-isobutyl-3-methyl-*N*⁸-(4-methyl-1,3-thiazol-2-yl)-2,10-dioxo-1-oxa-3,9-diazacyclopentadecane-8,12-dicarboxamide (74f): ¹H NMR (DMSO- d_6) δ 12.00 (s, 1H), 10.55 (s, 1H), 8.45 (d, 1H), 6.75 (s, 1H), 4.60 (m, 1H), 4.00 (m, 2H), 3.30 (m, 1H), 3.00 (m, 1H), 2.80 (s, 3H), 2.40 (m, 1H), 2.20 (s, 3H), 2.00 (m, 1H), 1.65 (m, 2H), 1.5-1.2 (m, 10H), 0.9-0.7 (m, 7H); MS (ESI) *m*/*z* 512.4 (M + H)⁺. Anal. (C₂₃H₃₇N₅O₆S·0.9CF₃CO₂H) C, H, N.

TACE and MMP Assays. The enzymatic activity of porcine TACE was determined at 25 °C with partially purified porcine enzyme and a synthetic fluorogenic substrate, Mca-Pro-Leu-Ala-Gln-Ala-Val-Dpa-Arg-Ser-Ser-Ser-Agr-NH₂. (Mca = [7-methoxycoumarin-4-yl]acetyl, Dpa = N-3-[2,4-dinitrophenyl]-L-2,3diaminopropionyl). Partially purified TACE was obtained from porcine spleen following a previously described procedure.¹⁴ The enzymatic activities of MMPs were determined with recombinant human version catalytic domains (CHEMICON International, Inc., 28835 Single Oak Dr., Temecula, CA 92590) and a fluorogenic peptide substrate, Mca-Pro-Leu-Gly-Leu-Dpa-Ala-Arg-NH₂.⁴³ The peptide substrate was diluted to a final concentration of 10 μ M in a buffer containing 50 mM Tricine (pH 7.5), 100 mM NaCl, 10 mM CaCl₂, and 1 mM ZnCl₂. Final enzyme concentrations in the assay were between 0.05 and 10 nM depending on the enzyme and the potency of the inhibitor. Fluorescence measurements were performed in a CytoFluor multiwell plate reader, series 4000. Cleavage of internal quenched substrate liberates emission-active Mca product, causing an increase in fluorescence emission at 395 nM (the excitation wavelength is 330 nM). The rate of emission change is proportional to enzyme activity. Initial velocities, in the presence or absence of inhibitor, were measured as slopes of the linear portion of the product progress curves. Apparent K_i values were determined by plotting the inhibitor concentration dependence of the fractional velocity for each enzyme, and fitting the data by a tight binding inhibition equation.44

TNF-a Human Whole Blood Assay. Blood is drawn from normal donors into tubes containing 143 USP units of heparin/ 10 mL. The heparinized human blood (225 μ L) was plated directly into 1 mL sterile polypropylene tubes. Compounds were diluted in DMSO/serum-free medium and added to the blood samples so the final concentrations of the compounds were 50, 10, 5, 1, 0.5, 0.1, and 0.01 μ M. The final concentration of DMSO did not exceed 0.5%. Compounds were preincubated for 15 min before the addition of 100 ng/mL LPS. Plates were incubated for 5 h in an atmosphere of 5% CO₂ in air. At the end of 5 h, 750 μ L of serum-free medium was added to each tube and the samples were spun at 1200 rpm for 10 min. The supernatant was collected off the top and assayed for TNF- α production by a standard sandwich ELISA. The ability of the compounds to inhibit TNF- α production by 50% compared to DMSO-treated cultures was given by the IC₅₀ value.

TNF-a Mouse Model Studies. Test compounds were administered to mice po at time zero. Immediately following compound administration, mice received an ip injection of 20 mg of D-galactosamine plus 10 μ g of LPS. One hour later, animals were anesthetized and bled by cardiac puncture. Blood plasma was evaluated for TNF- α levels by an ELISA specific for mouse TNF-α.

Pharmacokinetic Studies of SL422 and SP057 in Beagle Dogs. Nine male beagle dogs weighing approximately 10 kg were studied. SL422 (0.74 mg/kg) and SP057 (0.50 mg/ kg) each was dosed intravenously to two animals in a 10% ethanol solution, and blood samples were taken at 6, 15, and 30 min prior to dosing, and at 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, and 24 h postdosing. Two dogs were administered orally with SL422 (0.863 mg/kg), and three dogs were administered orally with SP057 (2.2 mg/kg) in a 0.5% methocell suspension. Blood samples were taken at 15, 30, and 45 min prior to dosing and at 1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, and 24 h postdosing. Plasma concentrations were determined by LC/MS/MS following solid-phase extraction. The limit of detection was 10 nM. Pharmacokinetic parameters were calculated using WINNONLIN, and the data given are expressed as the mean.

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