

Amphiphilic 1-Deoxynojirimycin Derivatives through Click Strategies for Chemical Chaperoning in N370S Gaucher Cells

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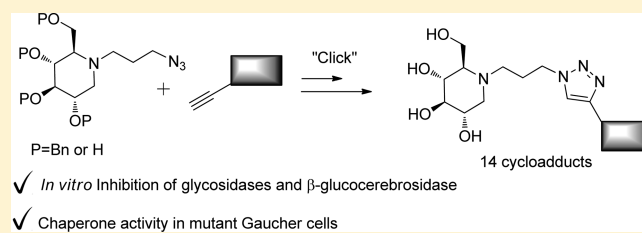
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ABSTRACT: In Gaucher disease (GD), mutant β -glucocerebrosidases (β -GCase) that are misfolded are recognized by the quality control machinery of the endoplasmic reticulum (ER) and degraded proteolytically. Hydrophobic iminosugars can be used as pharmacological chaperones to provide an improvement in the folding of the enzyme and promote trafficking from the ER. We have developed here an efficient click procedure to tether hydrophobic substituents to *N*-azidopropyl-1-deoxynojirimycin. A set of 14 original iminosugars was designed and evaluated for inhibition of commercially available glucosidases. Most of the compounds were micromolar inhibitors of those enzymes. *In vitro* inhibition assays with the N370S β -GCase revealed that the sublibrary containing the derivatives with aromatic aglycons displayed the highest inhibitory potency. Chaperone activity of the whole set of synthetic compounds was also explored in mutant Gaucher cells. The most active compound gave a nearly 2-fold increase in enzyme activity at 20 μ M, a significantly higher value than the 1.33-fold recorded for the reference compound *N*-nonyl-1-deoxynojirimycin (*N*-nonyl-DNJ). As previously reported with bicyclic sp^2 -iminosugars (Luan, Z.; Higaki, K.; Aguilar-Moncayo, M.; Ninomiya, H.; Ohno, K.; García-Moreno, M. I.; Ortiz Mellet, C.; García Fernández, J. M.; Suzuki, Y. *ChemBioChem* 2009, 10, 2780), *in vitro* inhibition of β -GCase measured for the compounds did not correlate with the cellular chaperone activity. The potency of new iminosugar chaperones is therefore not predictable from structure–activity relationships studies based on the *in vitro* β -GCase inhibition.



INTRODUCTION

Carbohydrates containing nitrogen in the hemiacetal ring, the so-called “imino-sugars”, have been extensively studied since the first synthetic examples were reported in the 1960s^{1–3} and the concomitant isolation of sugar-mimic alkaloids in microorganisms.⁴ The formal replacement of the endocyclic oxygen by a protonated nitrogen atom leads to transition-state analogues of glycosidases, forming strong ionic interactions with the two carboxylic acid units catalyzing the cleavage of glycosidic bonds. Iminosugars are of particular interest in view of their therapeutic potential in the treatment of carbohydrate-mediated diseases such as viral infections,^{5,6} tumor metastasis,⁷ diabetes, and lysosomal storage diseases. Several synthetic methodologies have been developed to improve the potency of the naturally occurring classes of iminosugars such as indolizidines, pyrrolidines, or piperidines.⁸ Research opportunities remain, and abundant chemical approaches to generate novel structures such as

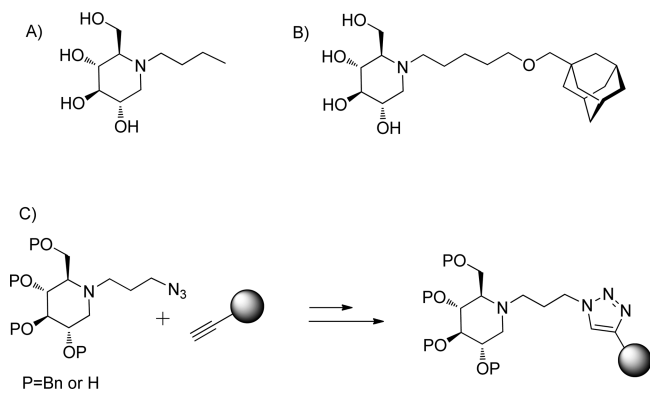
iminosugar C-glycosides,⁹ seven-membered ring iminoalditols,¹⁰ constrained bicyclic glycomimetics,¹¹ and multivalent deoxynojirimycin analogues^{12,13} have been recently reported. In particular, efforts in the chemical synthesis of the piperidinic imino-sugars have been rewarded by the launch of Miglitol (Glyset) and *N*-butyl-1-deoxynojirimycin (Zavesca), respectively, approved for the treatment of type II diabetes and type I Gaucher disease (GD).^{14,15}

GD is the most common of the glycosphingolipidoses, a group of inherited diseases caused by defects in the lysosomal degradation of glycosphingolipids. In GD, progressive accumulation of glucosylceramide in macrophages occurs because of a deficient activity of β -GCase, an enzyme which hydrolyzes glucosylceramide into ceramide and glucose. The most frequent mutation,

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Chart 1. (A) *N*-Butyl-DNJ (Zavesca); (B) Potent GCS Inhibitor Designed by Overkleeft and Co-workers; (C) Click Chemical Strategy Adopted for the Functionalization of *N*-Azidopropyl-DNJ with a Set of Hydrophobic Substituents (in Gray)

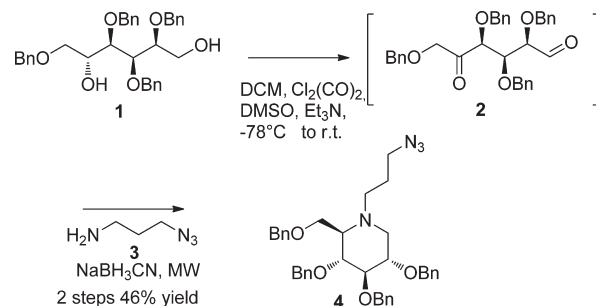


N370S β -GCase, is particularly prevalent in the Ashkenazi Jewish population. For type 1 GD, which does not affect the nervous central system, two treatments are currently available. Enzyme replacement therapy (ERT) is an effective treatment, although it is costly and ineffective for the neuronopathic form of GD, as the β -GCase fails to cross the blood–brain barrier. Alternatively, substrate reduction therapy (SRT) is aimed at inhibiting glycolipid biosynthesis to balance the deficient activity of β -GCase. *N*-Butyl-1-deoxynojirimycin (*N*-Bu-DNJ) was identified as a potent inhibitor of the glucosyltransferase-catalyzed biosynthesis of glucosylceramide and was shown to prevent lysosomal glycolipid storage,¹⁶ allowing novel oral treatment for non-neuronopathic Gaucher's disease.¹⁷ Potent glucosylceramide synthase (GCS) inhibitors have emerged after the registered success of *N*-Bu-DNJ marketed as Zavesca (Chart 1).¹⁷ Aerts and co-workers have shown that DNJ derivatives bearing the hydrophobic adamantyl are submicromolar inhibitors of GCS using an in vitro assay.¹⁸ Since structural information on the GCS enzyme is lacking, the search for new inhibitors proceeds through structure–activity relationship studies. Successful strategies consist of varying the nature¹⁸ or the position¹⁹ of the bulky substituent in the *N*-alkyl series or the synthesis of stereoisomer analogues of DNJ.^{20,21}

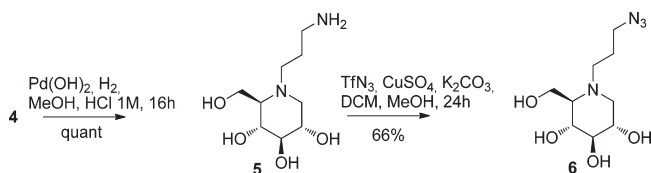
Chaperone-mediated therapy (CMT) has recently emerged as an appealing strategy for the treatment of lysosomal storage disorders. Mutant β -GCases that are misfolded are recognized by the quality control machinery of the endoplasmic reticulum (ER) and proteolytically degraded. Iminosugars can be used as pharmacological chaperones that bind to the active site of the enzyme to assist its folding and proper trafficking from the ER. In particular, iminosugar chaperones bearing hydrophobic groups have been shown to stabilize N370S β -GCase, the most common mutation causing Gaucher disease.²² Considering the high potential of iminosugars for SRT and chaperone-mediated therapy (CMT) in a wide range of lysosomal disorders,²³ more potent and selective inhibitors are still required, and we are witnessing a rebirth of this field of research.

We present here an original strategy to develop a set of iminosugars bearing hydrophobic substituent. Considering the usefulness of the copper catalyzed azide–alkyne cycloaddition²⁴ (CuAAC) for the synthesis of sugar mimetics,^{12,13,25–29} we

Scheme 1. Synthesis of Protected *N*-Alkyl-DNJ Derivative 4



Scheme 2. Synthesis of *N*-Azidopropyl-DNJ 6



implemented this reaction to connect alkynyl-armed substituents to an azido-functionalized *N*-propyl-DNJ core (Chart 1). The formed triazole should not impair the binding with β -GCase as recently observed with *N*-substituted aminocyclitols.²⁶ 1,2,3-Triazoles are interesting pharmacophores in view of their topological and electronic similarities with amide bonds and their inertness toward in vivo oxidation and reduction processes.³⁰ We first assessed the solution-phase binding affinities of the synthetic iminosugars for a set of commercial glucosidases (glu). Then, we specifically compared β -GCase inhibition profiles for the set of iminosugars with their potency to act as chaperones and increase the enzyme activity in Gaucher cells.

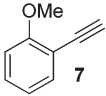
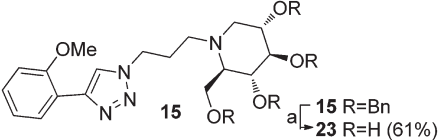
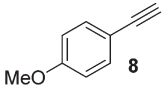
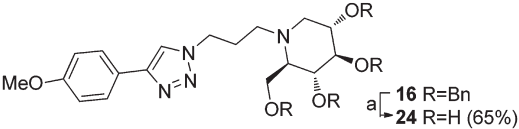
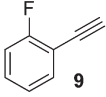
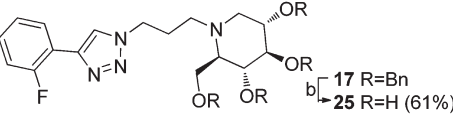
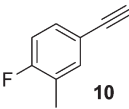
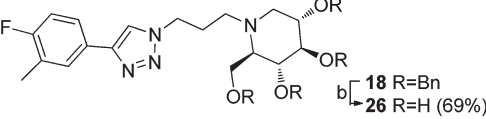
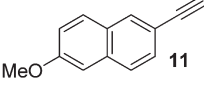
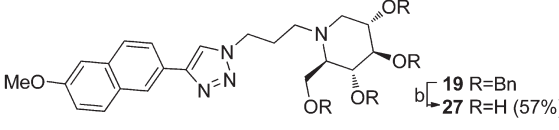
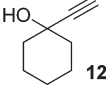
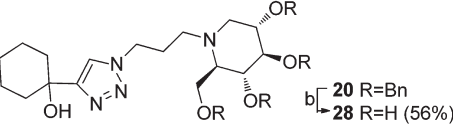
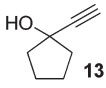
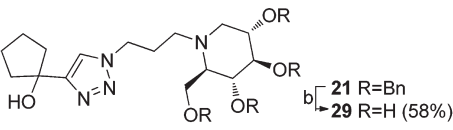
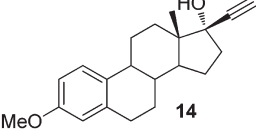
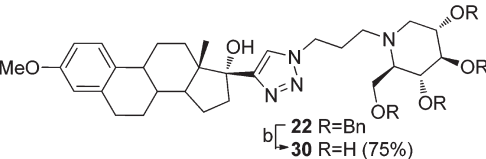
RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Synthesis. We first synthesized the imino sugar core 4 using a procedure that we implemented for the synthesis of multivalent iminosugars.¹² Diol 1, obtained from methyl α -D-glucopyranoside in five steps,^{31–33} was converted in 2 using Swern conditions (Scheme 1).^{34,35} A microwave-assisted double reductive amination of crude 2 in the presence of 3-azidopropylamine 3^{36,37} led exclusively to the expected diastereoisomer 4.

Removal of the benzyl protective groups after CuAAC should be problematic for compounds bearing substituents sensitive to hydrogenolysis. With this concern, we also decided to synthesize unprotected azido derivative 6 as a specific substrate (Scheme 2). Attempts to selectively remove benzyl groups by the use of BCl₃ were unsuccessful and led to a mixture of products. To achieve this goal, Pearlman's catalyst was used in acidic media to avoid poisoning of the palladium by the amino-groups.³⁸ The azido group was regenerated with a copper-catalyzed diazo transfer reaction with triflyl azide, a procedure previously reported by Wong and co-workers on glycosamines.³⁹

CuAAC were first performed with 4 and a set of commercially available hydrophobic alkynes 7–14 (Table 1). The highest yields were obtained in a mixture of dioxane–water (4:1) with copper sulfate and sodium ascorbate as catalyst system. Microwave irradiation was previously described to significantly

Table 1. Chemical Structure of the Cycloadducts Obtained from Commercial Alkynes

| Entry | Azide | Alkyne | Cycloadduct | Yield ^c |
|-------|-------|---|--|--------------------|
| 1 | 4 |  |  15 a) \rightarrow 15 R=Bn \rightarrow 23 R=H (61%) | 65% |
| 2 | 4 |  |  16 a) \rightarrow 16 R=Bn \rightarrow 24 R=H (65%) | 69% |
| 3 | 4 |  |  17 b) \rightarrow 17 R=Bn \rightarrow 25 R=H (61%) | 65% |
| 4 | 4 |  |  18 b) \rightarrow 18 R=Bn \rightarrow 26 R=H (69%) | 67% |
| 5 | 4 |  |  19 b) \rightarrow 19 R=Bn \rightarrow 27 R=H (57%) | 62% |
| 6 | 4 |  |  20 b) \rightarrow 20 R=Bn \rightarrow 28 R=H (56%) | 94% |
| 7 | 4 |  |  21 b) \rightarrow 21 R=Bn \rightarrow 29 R=H (58%) | 71% |
| 8 | 4 |  |  22 b) \rightarrow 22 R=Bn \rightarrow 30 R=H (75%) | 66% |

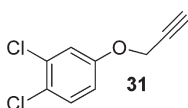
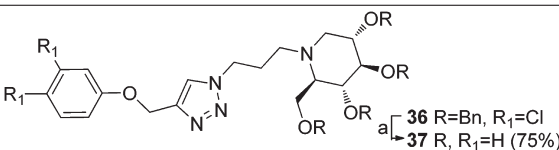
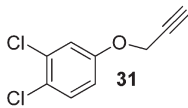
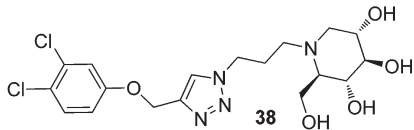
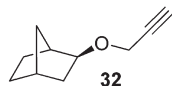
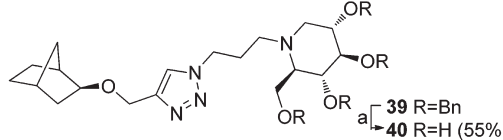
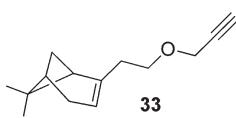
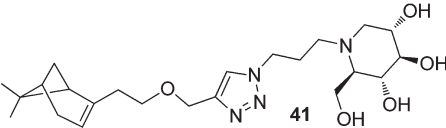
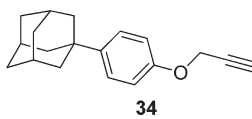
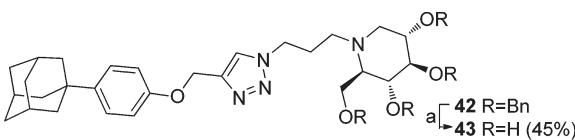
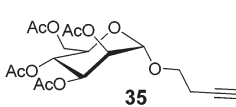
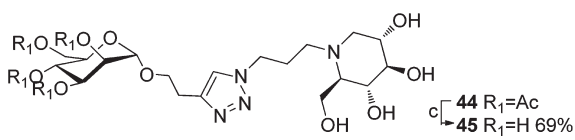
^a Pd(OH)₂, H₂, MeOH, HCl, rt. ^b Pd(OH)₂, H₂, MeOH, 65 °C. ^c Yields reported for the cyclization step after purification on silica gel or HPLC.

decrease the reaction times in CuAAC.⁴⁰ This method allowed a fast and exclusive formation of the expected 1,4-disubstituted 1,2,3-triazoles 15–22, which were identified by the large ($\Delta(\delta_{C4} - \delta_{C5})$) values (~ 20 ppm) observed by ¹³C NMR spectroscopy for the cycloadducts.⁴¹ We then performed a catalytic hydrogenolysis of the benzyl groups in aqueous media. Although these conditions allowed us to isolate 23 and 24 with satisfactory yields of 61 and 65% after HPLC purification, respectively, moderate yields were obtained with the other cycloadducts, and we observed a dehydration of the free hydroxyl groups in 20 and 21. Compounds 15–22 were successfully deprotected at 65 °C

with Pd(OH)₂ in methanol⁴² leading to 23–30 with yields ranging from 56 to 75% after purification.

In order to increase the chemical diversity of our library of iminosugars, we have functionalized a set of commercial hydrophobic alcohols with propargyl bromide. The resulting compounds 31–34 and protected mannoside 35⁴³ were subsequently subjected to CuAAC with 4 or when the substituents were sensitive to the subsequent hydrogenolysis with 6 (Table 2). As an illustrative example, attempts to selectively deprotect the benzyl groups of 36 led to the simultaneous removal of the two chlorine atoms in 75% yield. After deprotection,

Table 2. Chemical Structure of the Cycloadducts Obtained from Alkynyl-Armed Synthetic Intermediates 31–35

| Entry | Azide | Alkyne | Cycloadduct | Yield ^d |
|-------|-------|---|--|--------------------|
| 1 | 4 |  |  a) 36 R=Bn, R ₁ =Cl b) 37 R, R ₁ =H (75%) | 64% |
| 2 | 6 |  |  | 59% |
| 3 | 4 |  |  a) 39 R=Bn b) 40 R=H (55%) | 65% |
| 4 | 6 |  |  | 60% |
| 5 | 4 |  |  a) 42 R=Bn b) 43 R=H (45%) | 74% |
| 6 | 6 |  |  c) 44 R ₁ =Ac d) 45 R ₁ =H (69%) | 60% |

^a Pd(OH)₂, H₂, MeOH, HCl, rt. ^b Pd(OH)₂, H₂, MeOH, 65 °C. ^c MeONa, MeOH. ^d Yields reported for the cyclization step after purification on silica gel or by HPLC for **38**.

compounds **37**, **40**, **43**, and **45** were purified by preparative HPLC on a C18 column.

Glycosidases Inhibition. To test the selectivity profile, the new 1-DNJ derivatives (except **30** for solubility reasons) were first tested as inhibitors against a series of commercial glycosidases including α -glucosidase (yeast), β -glucosidase (almonds), β -glucosidase (bovine liver, cytosolic), and amyloglucosidase (*Aspergillus niger*). The corresponding inhibition constants (K_i) are collected in Table 3. Inhibition data for DNJ have been also included for comparative purposes. Weak or no inhibition of the yeast α -glucosidase was observed in all cases (excepting for **41** showing $K_i = 20 \mu\text{M}$). The values of K_i range from 9 to 669 μM for the β -glucosidase from bovine liver, 0.59 to 177 μM for almond β -glucosidase, 20 μM to >2 mM for baker's yeast α -glucosidase, and 1 to >2 mM for amyloglucosidase. A strong influence of the nature of the exocyclic substituent on the potency of binding β -glucosidases was observed. Amphiphilic derivatives bearing hydrophobic N' -substituents were much more potent than derivatives bearing polar substituents (i.e., compound **45** having an α -D-mannopyranosyl residue).⁴⁴

β -Glucosidase from almond and amyloglucosidase were efficiently inhibited by the whole set of aromatic derivatives (**23–27**). Subtle chemical modifications on the position of substituents in the aromatic substituents for **23/24** and **25/26** or in the size of cyclic alcohols substituents (from cyclopentanol to cyclohexanol) for **29/28** do not significantly affect the binding affinity, except for the latter couple with β -glucosidase from bovine liver leading to worse results. Compound **38**, chemically very closed to **37**, is a much more potent inhibitor of this enzyme (K_i 9 μM vs 317 μM , respectively). Interestingly, both compounds **37** and **38** are potent inhibitors of almond β -glucosidase, with **37** also being selective for this enzyme. With a binding constant of 590 nM for almond β -glucosidase, **43** displayed the lowest inhibitory value.

β -GCCase Inhibition. All compounds were initially screened for β -GCCase inhibition at 100 μM . *N*-Nonyl-1-deoxyojirimycin (*N*-nonyl-DNJ), a potent chemical chaperone of N370S β -GCCase, was included as a reference (Figure 1).³⁸ The whole set of compounds bearing aromatic aglycons **23–26**, **37**, **38**, **43** displayed strong inhibition of β -GCCase, in the same order as *N*-nonyl-DNJ.

Table 3. Glycosidase Inhibitory Activities (K_i , μM) for 1-DNJ and the Synthetic Derivative Inhibitors 5, 6, 23–29, 37, 38, 40–43, and 45 against Commercial Glycosidases^a

| compd | β -glucosidase (bovine liver) | β -glucosidase (almond) | α -glucosidase (baker's yeast) | amyloglucosidase (<i>Aspergillus niger</i>) |
|-------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| DNJ | 42 | 47 | 25 | 2.1 |
| 5 | 623 | 177 | 872 | 81 |
| 6 | 256 | 58 | n.i. | 9.2 |
| 23 | 167 | 4.5 | 506 | 20 |
| 24 | 158 | 3.5 | 409 | 11 |
| 25 | 151 | 2.8 | n.i. | 13 |
| 26 | 66 | 3.6 | 255 | 9.9 |
| 27 | 27 | 1.9 | 28 | 1 |
| 28 | 669 | 88 | n.i. | 43 |
| 29 | 177 | 55 | n.i. | 41 |
| 37 | 317 | 3 | 684 | 20 |
| 38 | 9 | 1 | 57 | 16 |
| 40 | 390 | 5.1 | n.i. | 25 |
| 41 | 23 | 3.2 | 20 | 18 |
| 43 | 14 | 0.59 | n.i. | 6.9 |
| 45 | 242 | 124 | n.i. | 38 |

^a Inhibition was competitive in all cases. n.i.: no inhibition was observed at 2 mM concentration of the inhibitor.

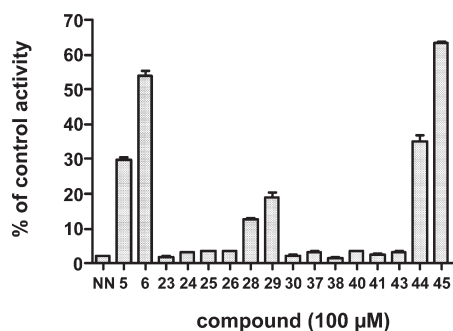


Figure 1. β -GCase inhibition at 100 μM . Compounds were assayed at 100 and 5 μM using purified enzyme and 0.5 mM 4-MU- β -glucoside as described in the text. Triplicate determinations were made, and the mean and standard deviations are shown as a percentage of control enzyme activity. NN: N-nonyl-DNJ.

Variation in the nature of the aromatic substituents exerted relatively few effects. A significant drop in the inhibitory potency was observed for compounds lacking “clicked” appendages (5, 6). Thus, the introduction of substituents is in general beneficial, and a large variety of chemical structures can be used to improve affinity. The more hydrophilic derivatives 28 and 29 with free hydroxyl groups are less potent inhibitors than the set of aromatic ones. Additionally, unprotected hydrophilic mannoside 45 is significantly less potent than the protected synthetic intermediate 44. It seems, therefore, that the hydrophilic behavior, rather than the nature and topology of the substituents, has more influence on the binding affinity with β -GCase. These results are in accordance with recent observations made with hydrophilic aminocyclitols⁴⁵ and with bicyclic isoureas and guanidines.⁴⁶ The 10 most potent inhibitors 24–26, 30, 37, 38, 40, and 41 were then evaluated for their inhibitory effect at the lower

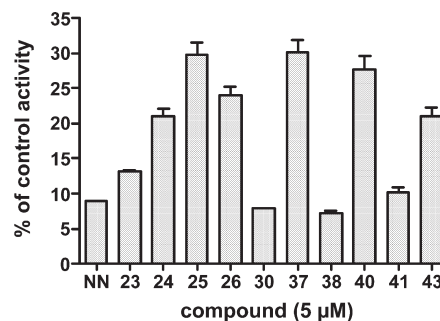


Figure 2. β -GCase inhibition at 5 μM . Compounds were assayed at 100 and 5 μM using purified enzyme and 0.5 mM 4-MU- β -glucoside as described in the text. Triplicate determinations were made, and the mean and standard deviations are shown as a percentage of control enzyme activity. NN: N-nonyl-DNJ.

Table 4. β -GCase Activity in Mutant Gaucher Cells

| compd (μM) | fold increase in β -GCase activity | | | | β -GCase inhibition |
|-------------------------|--|------|------|------|--|
| | 0.1 | 1 | 10 | 20 | |
| NN ^a | 1.2 | 1.36 | 1.4 | 1.33 | IC ₅₀ = <5 μM |
| 5 | 1.09 | 1.18 | 1.51 | 1.39 | IC ₅₀ = >50 μM |
| 6 | 0.97 | 1.05 | 1.13 | 1 | IC ₅₀ = >100 μM |
| 15 | 0.99 | 1.15 | 1.27 | 1.21 | IC ₅₀ = <5 μM |
| 23 | 1.26 | 1.39 | 1.25 | 1.45 | IC ₅₀ = <5 μM |
| 24 | 0.99 | 1.11 | 1.17 | 0.95 | IC ₅₀ = <5 μM |
| 25 | 1.15 | 1.18 | 1.2 | 1.28 | IC ₅₀ = <5 μM |
| 26 | 1.09 | 1.06 | 1.17 | 1.23 | IC ₅₀ = <5 μM |
| 28 | 1 | 1.04 | 0.95 | 0.97 | IC ₅₀ = <50 μM |
| 29 | 1.26 | 1.32 | 1.12 | 0.91 | IC ₅₀ = <50 μM |
| 30 | 0.81 | 0.87 | 1 | 0.94 | IC ₅₀ = \ll 5 μM |
| 37 | 1.2 | 1.18 | 1.59 | 1.94 | IC ₅₀ = <5 μM |
| 38 | 0.85 | 0.94 | 1.21 | 1.37 | IC ₅₀ = \ll 5 μM |
| 41 | 0.74 | 0.87 | 0.98 | 0.89 | IC ₅₀ = \ll 5 μM |
| 43 | 0.71 | 0.72 | 0.36 | 0.28 | IC ₅₀ = <5 μM |
| 44 | 0.78 | 0.82 | 0.8 | 1.02 | IC ₅₀ = \sim 50 μM |
| 45 | nd | nd | nd | nd | IC ₅₀ = >50 μM |

^a NN: N-nonyl-DNJ.

concentration of 5 μM (Figure 2). The selected derivatives retained their faculty to inhibit the enzyme. Compounds 23, 30, 38, and 41 and N-nonyl-DNJ were able to decrease the β -GCase activity to less than 13% of control activity.

Ability To Chaperone β -GCase. Chaperone activity of the set of compounds in mutant Gaucher lymphoblasts with the most common N370S mutation²³ is reported in Table 4. These data show the fold increase in β -GCase activity compared to untreated cells. The IC₅₀ of the compounds for the tested enzyme are also reported. At the highest concentration reported in activation assays with N370S Gaucher lymphoblasts, no cytotoxicity was observed as measured using a MTS assay.⁴⁷ The structurally related compounds 23 and 24 are both good inhibitors of β -GCase. However, only 23 was active at elevating mutant enzyme in cells. With almost a 2-fold increased activity at 20 μM , compound 37 was the most active compound but was not a better inhibitor than 23 or 24. Compound 30 was one of the three most potent inhibitors of β -GCase in vitro but did not

enhance enzyme activity in Gaucher cells. Compound **5**, a weak inhibitor, of β -GCase in vitro was a surprisingly good chaperone for mutant enzyme at 10 μ M. Altogether, these results suggest that the best inhibitors were not necessarily the best enzyme chaperones. The addition of an adamantyl group to **37** (leading to **43**) did not significantly modulate inhibition of β GCase in vitro. However, a dramatic change in the inhibitory profile was observed in the cellular activity of mutant β GCase, **37** being the best chaperone of the series and **43** the most potent inhibitor. Therefore, in vitro inhibition of β GCase did not always correlate with the increase in mutant enzyme activity in Gaucher cells.

CONCLUSION

In summary, we have developed an efficient synthetic methodology relying on copper-mediated 1,3-dipolar cycloaddition for the design of iminosugars bearing hydrophobic aglycons. The procedure allowed the rapid obtention of a large set of compounds from a common intermediate. The “click iminosugars” were micromolar inhibitors of commercial β -glucosidase and amyloglucosidase and displayed a significant selectivity for these enzymes toward α -glucosidase. Compounds **30**, **38**, and **41** were particularly potent in vitro inhibitors of β -GCase with inhibitory activity in the same range as the reference compound *N*-nonyl-DNJ. The nearly 2-fold increase of β -GCase activity in mutant Gaucher cells at 20 μ M for **37** was significantly higher than the reference compound *N*-nonyl-DNJ. This chaperoning effect is promising considering that a modest increase in activity may be clinically useful.⁴⁸ Interestingly, a discrepancy between the in vitro inhibition of β -GCase and the chaperone activity was observed. In vitro β -GCase inhibition results should therefore be interpreted with caution and not directly translated into ability for chaperoning the enzyme.

EXPERIMENTAL METHODS

General Chemical Reagents and Methods. All purchased materials were used without further purification. Dichloromethane was distilled from calcium hydride and tetrahydrofuran over sodium and benzophenone. Flash chromatography was performed on silica (0.040–0.060 mm pore size) using distilled solvents. Microwave irradiation experiments were performed using a CEM-Discover system in an open vessel. The temperature profiles were recorded using an infrared probe. NMR chemical shifts are reported in parts per million relative to tetramethylsilane or a residual solvent peak (CHCl₃): ¹H: δ = 7.26 ppm, ¹³C: δ = 77.2 ppm). Assignments of ¹H and ¹³C were assisted by 2D ¹H COSY and 2D ¹H–¹³C CORR experiments. Optical rotations were measured at 20 °C in a 1 cm cell in the stated solvent; $[\alpha]_D$ values are given in 10⁻¹ deg·cm² g⁻¹ (concentration *c* given as g/100 mL). HPLC samples were purified on a preparative C18 (2.2 × 25 cm) or an NH₂ 5 μ M column using a PL-ELS 1000 photodiode array detector. Conditions 1 (C18 column): The mobile phase was H₂O (solvent A) and MeOH (solvent B). The gradient consisted of 100% A for 5 min then 100% A to 100% B in 35 min (22 mL/min flow rate). Conditions 2 (C18 column): The gradient consisted of 100% A for 1 min then 100% A to 100% B in 39 min (22 mL/min flow rate). Conditions 3 (NH₂ column): The gradient consisted of 100% A to 100% B in 40 min (22 mL/min flow rate). Conditions 4 (NH₂ column): the mobile phase was H₂O (solvent A) and CH₃CN. The gradient consisted of 10% A to 50% A in 50 min (22 mL/min flow rate). All of the HPLC samples were controlled by NMR and showed >95% purity.

***N*-(3-Aminopropyl)-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (5).** Conventional catalytic hydrogenation of compound **4** (200 mg, 0.330

mmol) was carried out with Pd(OH)₂ (220 mg) in MeOH–1 M HCl (4 mL, 1:1) at 1 atm for 16 h. The catalyst was filtered over a pad of Celite, and the solvent was removed to give **5** quantitatively as a colorless solid: $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +3$ (*c* = 1, H₂O); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, D₂O) δ = 4.14 (1 H, dd, *J*_{6a,6b} = 13.1 Hz, *J*_{5,6a} = 1.9 Hz, H-6a), 4.02 (1 H, dd, *J*_{5,6b} = 2.4 Hz, H-6b), 3.86 (1 H, ddd, *J* = 11.2, *J*_{9,5} = 5.5 Hz, *J*_{1a,2} = 5.0 Hz, H-2), 3.70 (1 H, t, *J*_{4,5} = *J*_{5,6} = 9.5 Hz, H-5), 3.63 (1 H, dd, *J*_{1a,1b} = 12.2 Hz, H-1a), 3.55 (2 H, m, H-3, H-1'a), 3.43–3.29 (2H, m, H-4, H-1'b), 3.17 (3 H, m, H-1b, 2 × H-3'), 2.29–2.15 (2 H, m, 2 × H-2'); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, D₂O) δ = 75.7 (C-3), 67.0 (C-5), 65.9 (C-2), 65.8 (C-4), 53.8 (C-6), 53.1 (C-1), 49.8 (C-1'), 36.6 (C-3'), 21.2 (C-2'); HRMS (ES+) found 221.1499, C₉H₂₁N₃O₄ requires 221.1501.

***N*-(3-Azidopropyl)-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (6).** *Preparation of TfN₃ Dolution.* To a solution of sodium azide (289 mg, 4.45 mmol) in H₂O (0.5 mL) and DCM (1.5 mL), cooled to 0 °C, was added Tf₂O (148 μ L, 0.98 mmol) dropwise. The mixture was stirred at 0 °C for 2 h. The organic layer was separated and the aqueous layer extracted with DCM (2 × 1.5 mL). The organic layers were combined and washed with saturated NaHCO₃ (4 mL). The organic solution containing TfN₃ was separated and used without further purification.

Diazo-Transfer Reaction. To a solution of **5** (100 mg, 0.454 mmol) in H₂O (1.5 mL) were added K₂CO₃ (94 mg, 0.681 mmol), copper sulfate (1 mg, 6.26 μ mol), MeOH (15 mL), and the whole TfN₃ solution. (Caution! TfN₃ is explosive when not in solution.) The mixture was stirred at rt for 24 h and quenched with glycine (350 mg) for 5 h. The solvents were evaporated under reduced pressure, and the residue was purified by preparative HPLC (conditions 1) to give **6** (73 mg, 66%) as a white hygroscopic solid: $[\alpha]_D = +7$ (*c* = 0.1, MeOH); *t*_R = 19.7 min; ¹H NMR (500 MHz, D₂O) δ = 3.94–3.81 (2 H, ddd, *J*_{6a,6b} = *J*_{6a,5} = 12.8 Hz, *J*_{6b,5} = 1.8 Hz, 2 × H-6), 3.55 (1 H, dt, *J*_{1b,2} = *J*_{2,3} = 9.5 Hz, *J*_{1a,2} = 4.7 Hz, H-2), 3.41–3.35 (3 H, m, H-4, 2 × H-3'), 3.26 (1 H, t, *J*_{2,3} = *J*_{3,4} = 9.5 Hz, H-3), 3.02 (1H, dd, *J*_{1a,1b} = 11.3 Hz, H-1a), 2.89–2.68 (2 H, m, 2 × H-1'), 2.36–2.26 (2 H, m, H-1b, H-5), 2.83–2.78 (2 H, m, 2 × H-2'); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, D₂O) δ = 78.3 (C-3), 70.0 (C-4), 68.8 (C-2), 64.9 (C-5), 57.5 (C-6), 55.3 (C-1), 49.4 (C-3'), 49.2 (C-1'), 22.5 (C-2'); HRMS (ES+) found 247.1417, C₉H₁₉N₄O₄ requires 247.1406.

General Procedure for the Preparation of Compounds 15–22, 36, 39, 42, and 44 by CuAAC. To a solution of the azido derivative **4** (80 mg, 0.132 mmol) and the alkyne **7** (19 mg, 0.145 mmol) in dioxane–H₂O (5 mL, 4:1) were added CuSO₄ (32 mg, 0.198 mmol) and sodium ascorbate (78 mg, 0.396 mmol), and the mixture was stirred under microwave irradiation at 80 °C for 45 min. The mixture was diluted with EtOAc (10 mL) and washed with NH₄Cl satd solution (2 × 8 mL). The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was chromatographed on a silica gel column with 4:1 EtOAc–cyclohexane as eluent to afford **15** (63 mg, 65%).

***N*-(3-(4-(2-Methoxyphenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (15):** $[\alpha]_D = +8$ (*c* = 0.5, CH₂Cl₂); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 8.39 (1 H, dd, *J* = 7.7, 1.6 Hz, Har), 8.00 (1 H, s, Har), 7.36–7.08 (22 H, m, 21 × Har, C=CHN), 6.98 (1 H, d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, Har), 4.98–4.80 (3 H, 3 d, *J* = 11.0, 10.8, 11.0 Hz, CH₂Ph, CHHPh), 4.67–4.60 (2 H, 2 d, *J* = 11.6, 11.4 Hz, CH₂Ph), 4.44–4.28 (5 H, m, CH₂Ph, CHHPh, 2 × H-3'), 3.93 (3 H, s, CH₃), 3.67–3.48 (5 H, m, H-2, H-3, H-4, 2 × H-6), 3.03 (1 H, dd, *J*_{1a,1b} = 11.0 Hz, *J*_{1a,2} = 4.7 Hz, H-1a), 2.88–2.78 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.64–2.56 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.34 (1 H, d, *J*_{5,4} = *J*_{5,6} = 8.9 Hz, H-5), 2.18 (1 H, t, *J*_{1a,1b} = *J*_{1b,2} = 11.0 Hz, H-1b), 2.06 (2 H, m, *J* = 7.0 Hz, 2 × H-2'); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 155.7 (CH₃OCar), 143.1 (NC=CH), 139.0, 138.5, 137.8 (Car), 129.0, 128.5, 128.4, 128.0, 127.8, 127.7, 127.6, 123.4 (CHar), 121.2 (NCH=C), 119.5 (NCH=CCar), 110.9 (CHar), 87.2 (C-3), 78.6, 78.4 (C-2, C-4), 75.4, 75.3, 73.4, 72.9 (CH₂Ph), 66.1 (C-6), 64.3 (C-5), 55.5 (CH₃), 54.6 (C-1), 49.3 (C-1'), 48.4 (C-3'), 25.8

(C-2'); HRMS (ES+) found 761.3671, $C_{46}H_{50}N_4O_5Na$ requires 761.3679.

N-(3-(4-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (16): $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +11$ ($c = 0.6$, CH_2Cl_2); 1H NMR (300 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 7.72$ (2 H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2 \times Har), 7.53 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 7.30–7.12 (20 H, m, 20 \times Har), 6.90 (2 H, d, $J = 8.8$ Hz, 2 \times Har), 4.96–4.78 (3 H, 3 d, $J = 11.0$, 10.8, 11.0 Hz, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$), 4.65–4.59 (2 H, 2 d, $J = 11.2$, 11.1 Hz, CH_2Ph), 4.43–4.19 (5 H, m, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$, 2 \times H-3'), 3.82 (1 H, s, CH_3), 3.66–3.44 (5 H, m, H-2, H-3, H-4, 2 \times H-6), 3.00 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 11.1$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.4$ Hz, H-1a), 2.86–2.75 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.54–2.50 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.33 (1 H, d, $J_{4,5} = J_{5,6} = 8.3$ Hz, H-5), 2.15 (1 H, t, $J_{1a,1b} = J_{1b,2} = 11.1$ Hz, H-1b), 2.01 (2 H, quint, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 2 \times H-2'); ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 159.6$ (Car), 147.5 (NC=CH), 139.0, 138.5, 137.8 (Car), 128.5, 128.4, 128.3, 127.9, 127.8, 127.7, 127.6, 127.0 (CHar), 123.5 (NCH=CCar), 119.2 (NCH=C), 114.3 (2 \times CHar), 87.1 (C-3), 78.6, 78.4 (C-2, C-4), 75.4, 75.3, 73.3, 72.9 (CH_2Ph), 66.3 (C-6), 64.5 (C-5), 55.4 (OCH₃), 54.5 (C-1), 49.3 (C-1'), 48.5 (C-3'), 26.0 (C-2'); HRMS (ES+) found 739.3849, $C_{46}H_{51}N_4O_5$ requires 739.3859.

N-(3-(4-(2-Fluorophenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (17): $[\alpha]_D = +13$ ($c = 0.5$, CH_2Cl_2); 1H NMR (300 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 7.61$ (1 H, s, C=CHN), 7.57–7.50 (2 H, m, 2 \times Har), 7.39–7.14 (21 H, m, 21 \times Har), 7.02 (1 H, dt, $J = 7.6$, 2.6 Hz, Har), 4.97–4.79 (3 H, 3 d, $J = 11.1$, 10.9, 11.1 Hz, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$), 4.70–4.60 (2 H, 2 d, $J = 11.6$ Hz, CH_2Ph), 4.47–4.27 (5 H, m, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$, 2 \times H-3'), 3.67 (1 H, dd, $J_{6a,6b} = 10.5$ Hz, $J_{6a,5} = 3.1$ Hz, H-6a), 3.59–3.48 (4 H, m, H-2, H-3, H-4, H-6b), 3.01 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 11.0$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.3$ Hz, H-1a), 2.89–2.79 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.57–2.50 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.34 (1 H, d, $J_{4,5} = J_{5,6} = 8.4$ Hz, H-5), 2.15 (1 H, t, $J_{1a,1b} = J_{1b,2} = 11.0$ Hz, H-1b), 2.04 (2 H, m, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 2 \times H-2'); ^{13}C NMR (75.5 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 163.3$ (d, $J_{C-F} = 243.7$ Hz, FCar), 146.6 (NC=CH), 139.0, 138.5, 137.8 (Car), 130.6 (d, $J_{C-F} = 8.2$ Hz, CHar), 128.6, 128.5, 128.4, 128.1, 128.0, 127.9, 127.8, 127.6 (CHar), 121.4 (d, $J_{C-F} = 2.6$ Hz, CHar), 120.5 (NCH=C), 115.0 (d, $J_{C-F} = 21.0$ Hz, CHar), 112.7 (d, $J_{C-F} = 23.3$ Hz, CHar), 87.1 (C-3), 78.6, 78.4 (C-2, C-4), 75.4, 75.3, 73.4, 73.0 (CH_2Ph), 66.5 (C-6), 64.6 (C-5), 54.5 (C-1), 49.3 (C-1'), 48.7 (C-3'), 26.2 (C-2'); HRMS (ESI+) found 749.3449, $C_{45}H_{47}N_4O_4FNa$ requires 749.3479.

N-(3-(4-(3-Fluoro-2-methylphenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (18): $[\alpha]_D = +7$ ($c = 0.3$, CH_2Cl_2); 1H NMR (300 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 7.66$ (1 H, d, $J = 8.3$ Hz, Har), 7.58–7.52 (2 H, m, C=CHN, Har), 7.32–7.13 (20 H, m, 20 \times Har), 7.04 (1 H, t, $J = 8.7$ Hz, Har), 4.98–4.83 (3 H, 3 d, $J = 11.0$, 10.8, 11.0 Hz, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$), 4.70–4.60 (2 H, 2 d, $J = 11.6$, 11.6 Hz, CH_2Ph), 4.46–4.21 (5 H, m, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$, 2 \times H-3'), 3.76–3.45 (5 H, m, H-2, H-3, H-4, 2 \times H-6), 3.01 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 10.9$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.3$ Hz, H-1a), 2.89–2.80 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.63–2.51 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.36–2.32 (4 H, m, H-5, CH_3), 2.16 (1 H, t, $J_{1b,1a} = J_{1b,2} = 10.9$ Hz, H-1b), 2.04 (2 H, m, $J = 6.4$ Hz, 2 \times H-2'); ^{13}C NMR (75.5 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 161.3$ (d, $J_{C-F} = 244.5$ Hz, Car), 147.0 (NC=CH), 139.0, 138.5, 137.8 (Car), 128.9, 128.5, 128.4, 128.3, 128.0, 127.9, 127.8, 127.7, 127.6 (CHar), 124.7 (d, $J_{C-F} = 7.5$ Hz, CHar), 119.8 (NCH=C), 115.5 (d, $J_{C-F} = 22.5$ Hz, CHar), 87.1 (C-3), 78.6, 78.4 (C-2, C-4), 75.4, 75.3, 73.4, 73.0 (CH_2Ph), 66.5 (C-6), 64.5 (C-5), 54.5 (C-1), 49.3 (C-1'), 48.6 (C-3'), 26.1 (C-2'), 14.6 (CH_3); HRMS (ESI+) found 741.3810, $C_{46}H_{50}N_4O_4F$ requires 741.3816.

N-(3-(4-(6-Methoxynaphthalen-2-yl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (19): $[\alpha]_D = +6$ ($c = 0.5$, CH_2Cl_2); 1H NMR (300 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 8.24$ (1 H, s, Har), 7.87 (1 H, dd, $J = .6$ Hz, 1.7 Hz, Har), 7.81 (1 H, d, $J = 4.8$ Hz, Har), 7.78 (1 H, d, $J = 5.0$ Hz, Har), 7.71 (1 H, s, Har), 7.31–7.16

(22 H, m, 21 \times Har, C=CHN), 4.97–4.79 (3 H, 3 d, $J = 11.0$, 10.8, 11.1 Hz, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$), 4.66–4.58 (2 H, 2 d, $J = 11.4$, 11.6 Hz, CH_2Ph), 4.46–4.3 (5 H, m, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$, 2 \times H-3'), 3.94 (3 H, s, CH_3), 3.69–3.57 (4 H, m, H-2, H-4, 2 \times H-6), 3.51 (1 H, t, $J_{2,3} = J_{3,4} = 8.4$ Hz, H-3), 3.02 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 11.0$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.7$ Hz, H-1a), 2.88–2.80 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.60–2.53 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.35 (1 H, d, $J_{4,5} = J_{5,6} = 8.7$ Hz, H-5), 2.17 (1 H, t, $J_{1a,1b} = J_{1b,2} = 11.0$ Hz, H-1b), 2.08 (2 H, m, $J = 7.1$ Hz, 2 \times H-2'); ^{13}C NMR (75.5 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 158.0$ (CH₃OCar), 147.9 (NC=CH), 139.0, 138.5, 137.8, 134.4 (Car), 129.8 (CHar), 129.1 (Car), 128.5, 128.4, 128.3, 128.0, 127.9, 127.8, 127.7, 127.6, 127.5 (CHar), 126.0 (Car), 124.5, 124.4, 120.0 (CHar), 119.4 (NCH=C), 105.9 (CHar), 87.2 (C-3), 78.6, 78.4 (C-2, C-4), 75.4, 75.3, 73.4, 72.9 (CH_2Ph), 66.4 (C-6), 64.5 (C-5), 55.4 (CH_3), 54.5 (C-1), 49.3 (C-1'), 48.6 (C-3'), 26.1 (C-2'); HRMS (ESI+) found 811.3826, $C_{50}H_{52}N_4O_5Na$ requires 811.3835.

N-(3-(4-(Cyclohexanol-1-yl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (20): $[\alpha]_D = +12$ ($c = 0.6$, CH_2Cl_2); 1H NMR (300 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 7.33$ –7.14 (21 H, m, 20 \times Har, C=CHN), 4.98–4.79 (3 H, 3 d, $J = 11.0$, 10.9, 11.1 Hz, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$), 4.67–4.61 (2 H, 2 d, $J = 11.3$ Hz, 11.1 Hz, CH_2Ph), 4.46–4.41 (3 H, m, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$), 4.22–4.18 (2 H, m, 2 \times H-3'), 3.68–3.53 (4 H, m, H-2, H-4, 2 \times H-6), 3.50 (1 H, t, $J_{2,3} = J_{3,4} = 8.0$ Hz, H-3), 3.01 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 10.8$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.2$ Hz, H-1a), 2.88–2.72 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.61–2.58 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.34 (1 H, d, $J_{4,5} = J_{5,6} = 8.3$ Hz, H-5), 2.14 (1 H, t, $J_{1a,1b} = J_{1b,2} = 10.8$ Hz, H-1b), 2.04–1.84 (4 H, m, 2 \times H-2', CH_2), 1.76–1.51 (5 H, m, 2 \times CH_2 , CHH), 1.37–1.27 (1 H, m, CHH); ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 155.5$ (NC=CH), 138.9, 138.5, 137.8 (Car), 128.6, 128.5, 128.4, 128.1, 128.0, 127.8, 127.7, 127.6 (CHar), 120.1 (NCH=C), 87.1 (C-3), 78.5, 78.3 (C-2, C-4), 75.4, 75.3, 73.4, 72.9 (CH_2Ph), 69.6 (C), 66.4 (C-6), 64.4 (C-5), 54.3 (C-1), 49.4 (C-1'), 48.6 (C-3'), 38.3, 38.2 (CH_2), 25.9 (C-2'), 25.5 (CH_2), 22.1 (2 \times CH_2); HRMS (ES+) found 731.4143, $C_{45}H_{55}N_4O_5$ requires 731.4172.

N-(3-(4-(Cyclopentanol-1-yl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (21): $[\alpha]_D = +5$ ($c = 0.5$, CH_2Cl_2); 1H NMR (300 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 7.35$ –7.14 (21 H, m, 20 \times Har, C=CHN), 4.97–4.79 (3 H, 3 d, $J = 11.0$ Hz, 10.8 Hz, 11.0 Hz, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$), 4.70–4.60 (2 H, 2 d, $J = 11.4$ Hz, 11.6 Hz, CH_2Ph), 4.50–4.36 (3 H, m, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$), 4.21 (2 H, dt, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 6.8 Hz, 2 \times H-3'), 3.68–3.46 (6 H, m, H-2, H-3, H-4, 2 \times H-6), 3.00 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 11.1$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.3$ Hz, H-1a), 2.89–2.75 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.56–2.43 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.32 (1 H, d, $J_{4,5} = J_{5,6} = 8.7$ Hz, H-5), 2.15–1.90 (9 H, m, H-1b, 2 \times H-2', 3 \times CH_2), 1.82 (2 H, m, CH_2); ^{13}C NMR (75.5 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 154.1$ (NC=CH), 138.9, 138.5, 137.8 (Car), 128.6, 128.5, 128.5, 128.4, 128.1, 128.0, 127.8, 127.7, 127.6 (CHar), 120.3 (NCH=C), 87.2 (C-3), 78.6, 78.4 (C-2, C-4), 75.4, 75.3 (CH_2Ph), 73.2 (C), 73.4, 72.9 (CH_2Ph), 66.4 (C-6), 64.5 (C-5), 54.3 (C-1), 49.4 (C-1'), 48.6 (C-3'), 41.5, 41.3 (CH_2), 26.1 (C-2'), 23.7 (2 \times CH_2); HRMS (ESI+) found 739.3859, $C_{44}H_{52}N_4O_5Na$ requires 739.3835.

N-(3-(4-(3-Methoxyestradiol)-1-yl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (22): $[\alpha]_D = +14$ ($c = 0.5$, CH_2Cl_2); 1H NMR (300 MHz, $CDCl_3$) $\delta = 7.33$ –7.10 (22 H, m, 21 \times Har, C=CHN), 6.69–6.62 (2 H, m, 2 \times Har), 4.98–4.80 (3 H, 3 d, $J = 11.1$ Hz, 10.9 Hz, 11.1 Hz, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$), 4.72–4.62 (2 H, 2 d, $J = 11.2$ Hz, 11.1 Hz, CH_2Ph), 4.48–4.42 (3 H, m, CH_2Ph , $CHHPh$), 4.24 (2 H, dt, $J = 7.0$ Hz, 6.8 Hz, 2 \times H-3'), 3.77 (3 H, s, OCH_3), 3.70–3.57 (4 H, m, H-2, H-4, 2 \times H-6), 3.51 (1 H, t, $J_{2,3} = J_{3,4} = 6.7$ Hz, H-3), 3.03 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 11.3$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.7$ Hz, H-1a), 2.91–2.80 (3 H, m, CH_2 , H-1'a), 2.61–2.52 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.47–2.35 (2 H, m, H-5, CHH), 2.23–2.14 (3 H, m, H-1b, CHH , CHH), 2.05–1.93 (6 H, m, 2 \times H-2', 2 \times CHH , CHH , CH), 1.65–1.31 (5 H, m, 2 \times CHH , CHH , 2 \times CH), 1.28 (3 H, s, CH_3), 1.01 (1 H, dt, $J = 12.8$ Hz, 2.8 Hz, CHH); ^{13}C NMR (75 MHz,

CDCl₃) δ = 157.5 (CH₃OCar), 153.7 (NC=CH), 138.5, 138.3, 138.0, 137.0, 132.6 (Car), 128.6, 128.5, 128.4, 128.0, 127.8, 127.7, 127.6, 126.4 (CHar), 121.4 (NCH=C), 113.8, 111.5 (CHar), 87.2 (C-3), 82.5 (C), 78.5, 78.3 (C-2, C-4), 75.4, 75.2, 73.3, 72.9 (CH₂Ph), 66.3 (C-6), 64.3 (C-5), 55.2 (OCH₃), 54.5 (C-1), 49.3 (C-1'), 48.5 (C-3', CH₂), 47.4, 43.5, 39.6 (CH), 38.1, 33.1, 30.0, 27.5, 26.4 (CH₂), 25.9 (C-2'), 23.5 (CH₂), 14.4 (CH₃); HRMS (ES+) found 917.5207, C₅₈H₆₉N₄O₆ requires 917.5217.

General Procedure for the Preparation of 23, 24, and 43.

Conventional catalytic hydrogenation of compound 15 (35 mg, 0.0474 mmol) was carried out with Pd(OH)₂ (25 mg) in EtOH–1 M HCl (2 mL, 1:1) at 1 atm for 19 h. The catalyst was filtered over a pad of Celite, the solvent was removed, and the residue was purified by preparative HPLC (conditions 2) to afford 23 (11 mg, 61%) as a white solid.

N-(3-(4-(2-Methoxyphenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (23): [α]_D = –5 (*c* = 0.1, MeOH); *t*_R = 24.7 min; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, D₂O) δ = 8.25 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 7.92 (1 H, d, *J* = 7.8 Hz, Har), 7.42 (1 H, t, *J* = 8.1 Hz, Har), 7.13 (2 H, d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2 × Har), 4.43 (2 H, t, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2 × H-3'), 3.90 (3 H, s, CH₃), 3.75 (2 H, s, 2 × H-6), 3.51 (1 H, dt, *J*_{1b,2} = *J*_{2,3} = 9.5 Hz, *J*_{1a,2} = 5.0 Hz, H-2), 3.35 (1 H, t, *J*_{3,4} = *J*_{4,5} = 9.5 Hz, H-4), 3.24 (1 H, t, *J*_{2,3} = *J*_{3,4}, H-3), 2.96 (1 H, dd, *J*_{1a,1b} = 11.5 Hz, H-1a), 2.85–2.56 (2 H, m, 2 × H-1'), 2.33–2.23 (2 H, m, H-1b, H-5), 2.12 (2 H, m, *J* = 6.9 Hz, 2 × H-2'); ¹³C NMR (75.5 MHz, D₂O) δ = 155.7 (CH₃OCar), 143.0 (NC=CH), 130.0, 127.2 (CHar), 124.7 (NCH=C), 121.1 (CHar), 118.0 (NCH=CCar), 111.9 (CHar), 78.1 (C-3), 69.9 (C-4), 68.7 (C-2), 64.7 (C-5), 57.3 (C-6), 55.4 (OCH₃), 55.2 (C-1), 48.7 (C-1'), 48.4 (C-3'), 23.7 (C-2'); HRMS (ESI+) found 379.1993, C₁₈H₂₇N₄O₅ requires 379.1981.

N-(3-(4-(4-Methoxyphenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (24): [α]_D = –6 (*c* = 0.2, MeOH); *t*_R = 23.4 min (conditions 2); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, D₂O) δ = 8.03 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 7.57 (2 H, d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2 × Har), 6.96 (2 H, d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, 2 × Har), 4.36 (2 H, t, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2 × H-3'), 3.81 (3 H, s, CH₃), 3.74 (2 H, s, 2 × H-6), 3.51 (1 H, dt, *J*_{1b,2} = *J*_{2,3} = 9.6 Hz, *J*_{1a,2} = 4.9 Hz, H-2), 3.34 (1 H, t, *J*_{3,4} = *J*_{4,5} = 9.6 Hz, H-4), 3.23 (1 H, t, *J*_{2,3} = *J*_{3,4}, H-3), 2.93 (1 H, dd, *J*_{1a,1b} = 11.0 Hz, H-1a), 2.79–2.56 (2 H, m, 2 × H-1'), 2.28–2.21 (2 H, m, H-1b, H-5), 2.04 (2 H, m, *J* = 7.1 Hz, 2 × H-2'); ¹³C NMR (75.5 MHz, D₂O) δ = 159.0 (CH₃OCar), 147.1 (NC=CH), 126.9 (2 × CHar), 122.4 (Car), 121.2 (NCH=C), 114.4 (2 × CHar), 78.2 (C-3), 69.9 (C-4), 68.8 (C-2), 64.7 (C-5), 57.4 (C-6), 55.3 (CH₃), 55.2 (C-1), 48.6 (C-1'), 48.5 (C-3'), 23.8 (C-2'); HRMS (ESI+) found 379.1987, C₁₈H₂₇N₄O₅ requires 379.1981.

General Procedure for the Preparation of 25–30, 37, and 40. Compound 17 (36 mg, 0.0496 mmol) was dissolved in methanol (10 mL) at 50 °C. Palladium hydroxide (55 mg) was added, and the mixture was stirred at 65 °C for 24 h. The mixture was filtered over a pad of Celite, and the filtrate evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was purified by preparative HPLC (conditions 2) to afford 25 (11 mg, 61%) as a white solid.

N-(3-(4-(2-Fluorophenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (25): [α]_D = –4 (*c* = 0.2, MeOH); *t*_R = 24.0 (conditions 2); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, D₂O) δ = 8.17 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 7.44–7.34 (3 H, m, 3 × Har), 7.08 (1 H, dt, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 3.2 Hz, Har), 4.41 (2 H, t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2 × H-3'), 3.76 (2 H, s, 2 × H-6), 3.53 (1 H, dt, *J*_{1b,2} = *J*_{2,3} = 9.7 Hz, *J*_{1a,2} = 4.8 Hz, H-2), 3.35 (1 H, t, *J*_{3,4} = *J*_{4,5} = 9.7 Hz, H-4), 3.24 (1 H, t, *J*_{2,3} = *J*_{3,4}, H-3), 2.96 (1 H, dd, *J*_{1a,1b} = 11.3 Hz, H-1a), 2.81–2.61 (2 H, m, 2 × H-1'), 2.33–2.23 (2 H, m, H-1b, H-5), 2.10 (2 H, quint, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 2 × H-2'); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, D₂O) δ = 162.8 (d, *J*_{C–F} = 241.3 Hz, FCar), 146.3 (NC=CH), 131.5 (Car), 130.8 (d, *J*_{C–F} = 8.6 Hz, CHar), 122.3 (NCH=C), 121.2 (d, *J*_{C–F} = 2.7 Hz, CHar), 115.2 (d, *J*_{C–F} = 21.1 Hz, CHar), 112.1 (d, *J*_{C–F} = 23.1 Hz, CHar), 78.2 (C-3), 70.4 (C-4), 68.7 (C-2), 64.7 (C-5), 57.4 (C-6), 55.2 (C-1), 48.7

(C-1'), 48.6 (C-3'), 23.7 (C-2'); HRMS (ES+) found 367.1781, C₁₇H₂₄N₄O₄F requires 367.1782.

N-(3-(4-(3-Fluoro-2-methylphenyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (26): [α]_D = +3 (*c* = 0.2, MeOH); *t*_R = 26.9 (conditions 2); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, D₂O) δ = 7.84 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 7.24 (2 H, d, *J* = 7.6 Hz, 2 × Har), 6.81 (1 H, t, *J* = 9.2 Hz, Har), 4.26 (2 H, m, 2 × H-3'), 3.81–3.68 (2 H, m, 2 × H-6), 3.52 (1 H, dt, *J*_{1b,2} = *J*_{2,3} = 9.8 Hz, *J*_{1a,2} = 4.9 Hz, H-2), 3.36 (1 H, t, *J*_{3,4} = *J*_{4,5} = 9.8 Hz, H-4), 3.21 (1 H, t, *J*_{2,3} = *J*_{3,4}, H-3), 2.94 (1 H, dd, *J*_{1a,1b} = 10.8 Hz, H-1a), 2.74–2.66 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.63–2.58 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.24–2.14 (2 H, m, H-1b, H-5), 2.00–1.92 (5 H, m, 2 × H-2', CH₃); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, D₂O) δ = 160.8 (d, *J*_{C–F} = 243.7 Hz, Car), 146.4 (NC=CH), 128.3, 125.3 (d, *J*_{C–F} = 17.2 Hz, CHar), 124.3 (Car), 121.1 (NCH=C), 115.2 (d, *J*_{C–F} = 23.2 Hz, CHar), 122.0 (CHar), 78.2 (C-3), 69.2 (C-4), 68.7 (C-2), 64.9 (C-5), 57.2 (C-6), 55.3 (C-1), 48.7 (C-1'), 48.4 (C-3'), 24.0 (C-2'), 13.5 (CH₃); HRMS (ESI+) found 403.1767, C₁₈H₂₅FN₄O₄Na requires 403.1758.

N-(3-(4-(6-Methoxynaphthalen-2-yl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (27): [α]_D = +29 (*c* = 0.1, MeOH); *t*_R = 29.5 (conditions 1); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CD₃OD) δ = 8.43 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 8.23 (1 H, s, Har), 7.90–7.79 (4 H, m, Har), 7.25 (1 H, d, *J* = 2.1 Hz, Har), 7.16 (1 H, dd, *J* = 8.9 Hz, 2.5 Hz, Har), 4.52 (2 H, t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 2 × H-3'), 3.93 (3 H, s, CH₃), 3.84 (2 H, ddd, *J* = 12.7, 11.9, 3.1 Hz, 2 × H-6), 3.45 (1 H, dt, *J*_{1b,2} = *J*_{2,3} = 9.5 Hz, *J*_{1a,2} = 5.2 Hz, H-2), 3.34 (1 H, t, *J*_{3,4} = *J*_{4,5} = 9.5 Hz, H-4), 3.23 (1 H, t, *J*_{2,3} = *J*_{3,4}, H-3), 3.05–2.92 (2 H, m, H-1a, H-1'a), 2.65–2.55 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.21–2.10 (4 H, m, H-1b, H-5, 2 × H-2'); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, D₂O) δ = 159.8 (CH₃OCar), 149.3 (NC=CH), 136.2 (Car), 130.8 (CHar), 130.6 (Car), 128.7 (CHar), 125.4 (2 × CHar), 122.5 (NCH=C), 120.5 (CHar), 80.7 (C-3), 72.2 (C-4), 70.9 (C-2), 68.1 (C-5), 59.7 (CH₃), 57.8 (C-6), 56.0 (C-1), 50.5 (C-1'), 50.0 (C-3'), 27.2 (C-2'); HRMS (ES+) found 429.2129, C₂₂H₂₉N₄O₅ requires 429.2138.

N-(3-(4-(Cyclohexanol-1-yl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (28): [α]_D = +4 (*c* = 0.2, MeOH); *t*_R = 18.8 (conditions 2); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, D₂O) δ = 7.98 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 4.45 (2 H, m, 2 × H-3'), 3.81–3.72 (2 H, m, 2 × H-6), 3.53 (1 H, dt, *J*_{1b,2} = *J*_{2,3} = 9.7 Hz, *J*_{1a,2} = 4.6 Hz, H-2), 3.37 (1 H, t, *J*_{3,4} = *J*_{4,5} = 9.4 Hz, H-4), 3.26 (1 H, t, *J*_{2,3} = *J*_{3,4} = 9.2 Hz, H-3), 2.98 (1 H, dd, *J*_{1a,1b} = 11.5 Hz, H-1a), 2.86–2.56 (2 H, m, 2 × H-1'), 2.38–2.28 (2 H, m, H-1b, H-5), 2.15–2.06 (4 H, m, 2 × H-2', CH₂), 1.83–1.79 (2 H, m, CH₂), 1.71–1.67 (2 H, m, CH₂), 1.50–1.33 (4 H, m, 2 × CH₂); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, D₂O) δ = 159.4 (NC=CH), 122.7 (NCH=C), 114.7, 112.5 (CHar), 78.0 (C-3), 69.7 (C-4), 69.05 (C), 68.5 (C-2), 64.7 (C-5), 57.1 (C-6), 55.4 (C-1), 48.6 (C-1'), 48.2 (C-3'), 37.0 (2 × CH₂), 0.24.7 (CH₂), 23.7 (C-2'), 22.0 (2 × CH₂); HRMS (ES+) found 393.2120, C₁₇H₃₀N₄O₅Na requires 393.2114.

N-(3-(4-(Cyclopentanol-1-yl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (29): [α]_D = +9 (*c* = 0.1, MeOH); *t*_R = 16.2 (conditions 2); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, D₂O) δ = 7.96 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 4.46 (2 H, dt, *J* = 6.7, 6.8 Hz, 2 × H-3'), 3.78–3.68 (2 H, m, 2 × H-6), 3.55–3.49 (1 H, dt, *J*_{1b,2} = *J*_{2,3} = 9.5 Hz, *J*_{1a,2} = 5.1 Hz, H-2), 3.34 (1 H, t, *J*_{3,4} = *J*_{4,5} = 9.5 Hz, H-4), 3.23 (1 H, t, *J*_{2,3} = *J*_{3,4} = 9.3 Hz, H-3), 2.94 (1 H, dd, *J*_{1a,1b} = 11.0 Hz, H-1a), 2.79–2.63 (2 H, m, 2 × H-1'), 2.28–2.09 (2 H, m, H-1b, H-5), 2.14–2.04 (6 H, m, 2 × H-2', 2 × CH₂), 1.90–1.80 (4 H, m, 2 × CH₂); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, D₂O) δ = 157.8 (NCCH), 122.2 (NCHC), 78.6 (C), 78.2 (C-3), 69.9 (C-4), 68.8 (C-2), 64.6 (C-5), 58.7 (C-6), 55.2 (C-1), 48.6 (C-1'), 48.5 (C-3'), 39.9 (2 × CH₂), 23.7 (C-2'), 22.9 (2 × CH₂); HRMS (ES+) found 379.1952, C₁₆H₂₈N₄O₅Na requires 379.1957.

N-(3-(4-(3-Methoxyestradiol-1-yl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (30): [α]_D = +36 (*c* = 0.5, MeOH); *t*_R = 35.6 (conditions 2); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, CD₃OD) δ = 7.85 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 7.83 (1 H, d, *J* = 8.6 Hz, Har), 6.64 (1 H, dd, *J* = 8.5, 2.6 Hz, Har), 6.60 (1 H, d, *J* = 2.5 Hz, Har), 4.48 (2 H, t, *J* = 6.7 Hz, 2 × H-3'), 3.84 (2 H, s, 2 × H-6), 3.74 (3 H, s, OCH₃), 3.49 (1 H, dt,

$J_{1b,2} = J_{2,3} = 9.7$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.2$ Hz, H-2), 3.38 (1 H, t, $J_{3,4} = J_{4,5} = 9.7$ Hz, H-4), 3.18 (1 H, t, $J_{2,3} = J_{3,4} = 9.7$ Hz, H-3), 3.04 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 11.2$ Hz, H-1a), 2.94 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.86–2.77 (2 H, m, CH₂), 2.60–2.45 (2 H, m, H-1'b, CHH), 2.23–2.07 (6 H, m, H-1b, H-5, 2 × H-2', CHH, CHH), 2.05–1.88 (3 H, m, CHH, CHH, CH), 1.71–1.65 (2 H, m, CHH, CH), 1.62–1.53 (1 H, m, CHH), 1.47–1.32 (3 H, CHH, CHH, CH), 0.92 (3 H, s, CH₃), 0.74 (1 H, dt, J 12.8, 3.8 Hz, CHH); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OD) δ = 159.1 (CH₃OCar), 155.4 (NC=CH), 138.9, 133.8 (Car), 127.1 (CHar), 124.1 (NCH=C), 114.7, 112.5 (CHar), 83.5 (C), 80.4 (C-3), 72.0 (C-4), 70.6 (C-2), 67.9 (C-5), 59.6 (C-6), 57.6 (C-1), 55.6 (OCH₃), 49.7 (C-1'), 49.5 (CH), 49.3 (C-3'), 48.5, 48.4 (CH), 44.5, 41.1, 38.5, 34.4, 28.7, 27.2, 27.1 (CH₂), 24.6 (C-2'), 14.8 (CH₃); HRMS (ES+) found 557.3351, C₃₀H₄₅N₄O₆ requires 557.3339.

N-(3-(4-(3,4-Dichlorophenoxy)methyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl]-2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (36): [α]_D = +11 ($c = 0.4$, CH₂Cl₂); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 8.10 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 7.33–7.10 (23 H, m, 23 × Har), 5.23 (2 H, s, OCH₂), 4.99–4.80 (3 H, 3 d, $J = 11.0, 10.9, 11.0$ Hz, CH₂Ph, CHHPh), 4.69–4.62 (2 H, 2 d, $J = 11.6, 11.4$ Hz, CH₂Ph), 4.47–4.37 (3 H, m, CH₂Ph, CHHPh), 4.31–4.19 (2 H, m, 2 × H-3'), 3.68–3.49 (5 H, m, H-2, H-3, H-4, 2 × H-6), 3.01 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 10.9$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.5$ Hz, H-1a), 2.85–2.77 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.55–2.47 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.32 (1 H, d, $J_{4,5} = J_{5,6} = 8.4$ Hz, H-5), 2.14 (1 H, t, $J_{1a,1b} = J_{1b,2}$, H-1b), 2.01 (2 H, q, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 2 × H-2'); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 8.10 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 7.33–7.10 (23 H, m, 23 × Har), 5.23 (2 H, s, OCH₂), 4.99–4.80 (3 H, 3 d, J 11.0, 10.9, 11.0 Hz, CH₂Ph, CHHPh), 4.69–4.62 (2 H, 2 d, $J = 11.6, 11.4$ Hz, CH₂Ph), 4.47–4.37 (3 H, m, CH₂Ph, CHHPh), 4.31–4.19 (2 H, m, 2 × H-3'), 3.68–3.49 (5 H, m, H-2, H-3, H-4, 2 × H-6), 3.01 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 10.9$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.5$ Hz, H-1a), 2.85–2.77 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.55–2.47 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.32 (1 H, d, $J_{4,5} = J_{5,6} = 8.4$ Hz, H-5), 2.14 (1 H, t, $J_{1a,1b} = J_{1b,2}$, H-1b), 2.01 (2 H, q, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 2 × H-2'); HRMS (ES+), found 807.3091, C₄₆H₄₉N₄O₅Cl₂ requires 807.3080.

N-(3-(4-(Phenoxy)methyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl]-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (37): [α]_D = 36 ($c = 0.5$, MeOH); $t_R = 22.5$ (conditions 2); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, D₂O) δ = 7.95 (1H, s, C=CHN), 7.31 (2H, d, $J = 8.0$ Hz, 2 × Har), 7.03–6.91 (3H, m, 3 × Har), 5.16 (2H, s, OCH₂), 4.41–4.34 (2H, m, 2 × H-3'), 3.78–3.68 (2H, m, 2 × H-6), 3.52 (1H, m, dt, $J_{1b,2} = J_{2,3} = 9.7$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.6$ Hz, H-2), 3.35 (1H, t, $J_{3,4} = J_{4,5} = 9.7$ Hz, H-4), 3.27 (1H, t, $J_{2,3} = J_{3,4} = 9.7$ Hz, H-3), 2.90 (1H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 11.1$ Hz, H-1a), 2.75–2.50 (2H, m, 2 × H-1'), 2.24–2.17 (2H, m, H-1b, H-5), 2.03 (2H, quint, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2 × H-2'); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, D₂O): δ = 157.2 (OCar), 143.4 (NC=CH), 129.9 (2 × CHar), 125.1 (NCH=C), 122.0 (CHar), 115.3 (2 × CHar), 78.1 (C-3), 69.2 (C-4), 68.7 (C-2), 64.7 (C-5), 61.0 (OCH₂), 57.2 (C-6), 55.4 (C-1), 48.5 (C-1'), 48.2 (C-3'), 23.8 (C-2'); HRMS (ES+) found 379.1985, C₁₈H₂₇N₄O₅ requires 379.1981.

N-(3-(4-(3,4-Dichlorophenoxy)methyl)-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl]-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol (38). To a solution of the azido derivative **6** (15 mg, 0.061 mmol) and the alkyne **31** (14 mg, 0.067 mmol) in dioxane–H₂O (2 mL, 4:1) were added CuSO₄ (15 mg, 0.0915 mmol) and sodium ascorbate (36 mg, 0.183 mmol), and the mixture was stirred under microwave irradiation at 80 °C for 45 min. The mixture was diluted with EtOAc (10 mL) and washed with NH₄Cl satd solution (2 × 8 mL). The organic layer was dried over Na₂SO₄, filtered, and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was residue purified by preparative HPLC (conditions 2) to afford **38** (16 mg, 59%): [α]_D = –5 ($c = 0.3$, MeOH); $t_R = 28.7$ (conditions 2); ¹H NMR (500 MHz, D₂O) δ = 7.89 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 6.97 (1 H, s, Har), 6.88–6.84 (2 H, m, 2 × Har), 5.04 (2 H, s, OCH₂), 4.28 (2 H, s, 2 × H-3'), 3.78–3.69 (2 H, m, 2 × H-6), 3.52–3.58 (1 H, m, H-2), 3.40 (1 H, t, $J_{3,4} = J_{4,5} = 9.3$ Hz, H-4), 3.25 (1 H, t, $J_{2,3} = J_{3,4} = 9.3$ Hz, H-3), 2.91–2.98 (1 H, m, H-1a), 2.77–2.70 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.58–2.50 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.17 (1 H, t, $J_{1a,1b} = J_{1b,2} = 10.3$ Hz, H-1b), 2.14 (1 H, d, $J_{4,5} =$

$J_{5,6} = 9.5$ Hz, H-5), 2.02–1.91 (2 H, m, 2 × H-2'); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, D₂O) δ = 154.5 (CH₂OCar), 142.6 (NC=CH), 133.1 (Car), 127.8 (CHar), 124.8 (NCH=C), 122.7 (CHar), 121.0 (Car), 112.2 (CHar), 78.2 (C-3), 69.7 (C-4), 68.7 (C-2), 62.5 (C-5), 64.9 (OCH₂), 57.2 (C-6), 55.4 (C-1), 48.7 (C-1'), 48.5 (C-3'), 24.2 (C-2'); HRMS (ES+) found 469.1029, C₁₈H₂₄N₄O₅Cl₂Na requires 469.1021.

4-[[[1,5,2,5,4R]-Bicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-2-yloxy]methyl]-1-[3-(2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol-N-yl)propyl]-1,2,3-triazole (39): [α]_D = +2 ($c = 0.4$, CH₂Cl₂); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 7.40 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 7.31–7.11 (20 H, m, 20 × Har), 4.94–4.79 (3 H, 3 d, $J = 11.0, 10.8, 11.1$ Hz, CH₂Ph, CHHPh), 4.68–4.39 (9 H, m, 2 × CH₂Ph, CHHPh, 2 × H-3', OCH₂), 3.72–3.44 (6 H, m, H-2, H-3, H-4, 2 × H-6, CH), 3.01 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 11.1$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.7$ Hz, H-1a), 2.86–2.75 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.61–2.46 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.38–1.97 (6 H, m, H-1b, H-5, 2 × H-2', 2 × CH), 1.56–1.42 (5 H, m, CH₂, 3 × CHH), 1.12–0.99 (3 H, m, 3 × CHH); ¹³C NMR (75 MHz, CDCl₃) δ = 146.0 (NC=CH), 139.0, 138.5, 137.8 (Car), 128.5, 128.4, 128.0, 127.9, 127.8, 127.7, 127.6 (CHar), 122.6 (NCH=C), 87.2 (C-3), 82.7 (CH), 78.6, 78.4 (C-2, C-4), 75.4, 75.3, 73.4, 72.9 (CH₂Ph), 66.3 (C-6), 64.5 (C-5), 62.1 (OCH₂), 54.5 (C-1), 49.2 (C-1'), 48.4 (C-3'), 40.4 (CH), 39.6 (CH₂), 35.3 (CH), 35.0 (CH₂), 28.6 (CH₂), 26.1 (C-2'), 24.7 (CH₂); HRMS (ES+) found 757.4339, C₄₇H₅₇N₄O₅ requires 757.4329.

4-[[[1,5,2,5,4R]-Bicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-2-yloxy]methyl]-1-[3-(1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol-N-yl)propyl]-1,2,3-triazole (40): [α]_D = –5 ($c = 0.3$, MeOH); $t_R = 25.9$ (conditions 2); ¹H NMR (300 MHz, D₂O) δ = 8.03 (1 H, s, C=CHN), 4.62 (2 H, s, OCH₂), 4.49–4.45 (2 H, m, 2 × H-3'), 3.75 (2 H, s, 2 × H-6), 3.62 (1 H, d, $J = 6.4$ Hz, CH), 3.52 (1 H, m, dt, $J_{1b,2} = J_{2,3} = 9.6$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.9$ Hz, H-2), 3.38 (1 H, t, $J_{3,4} = J_{4,5} = 9.6$ Hz, H-4), 3.27 (1 H, t, $J_{2,3} = J_{3,4} = 9.6$ Hz, H-3), 2.93 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 11.1$ Hz, H-1a), 2.85–2.50 (2 H, m, 2 × H-1'), 2.34–2.15 (3 H, m, H-1b, H-5, CH), 2.12 (2 H, quint, J 6.9 Hz, 2 × H-2'), 1.68–1.62 (1 H, m, CHH), 1.46–1.37 (4 H, m, CHH, 3 × CHH), 1.14 (1 H, d, J 9.8 Hz, CHH), 1.04–0.99 (2 H, m, 2 × CHH); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, D₂O) δ = 144.5 (NC=CH), 125.0 (NCH=C), 83.0 (CH), 78.2 (C-3), 69.2 (C-4), 68.8 (C-2), 64.7 (C-5), 60.3 (OCH₂), 57.4 (C-6), 55.3 (C-1), 48.6 (C-1'), 48.5 (C-3'), 40.1 (CH), 38.9 (CH₂), 35.1 (CH), 34.3 (CH₂), 27.6 (CH₂), 24.1 (C-2'), 23.7 (CH₂); HRMS (ES+) found 397.2431, C₁₉H₃₃N₄O₅ requires 397.2451.

1-[3-(1,5-Dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol-N-yl)propyl]-4-[[2-(6,6-dimethylbicyclo[3.1.1]hept-2-en-2-yl)ethoxy]methyl]-1,2,3-triazole (41). Compound **6** (10 mg, 0.0406 mmol), compound **33** (9 mg, 0.0447 mmol), CuSO₄ (9 mg, 0.0610 mmol), and sodium ascorbate (24 mg, 0.122 mmol) were dissolved in dioxane (0.8 mL) and water (0.11 mL). The mixture was stirred under microwave irradiation at 80 °C for 45 min. The mixture was evaporated under reduced pressure, and the residue purified by preparative HPLC (conditions 2) to afford **41** (11 mg, 60%): [α]_D = –9 ($c = 0.1$, MeOH); $t_R = 33.5$; ¹H NMR (500 MHz, D₂O) δ = 8.11 (1 H, s, CCHN), 5.40 (1 H, s, CH₂CHC), 4.71 (2 H, s, OCH₂C), 4.59 (2 H, m, 2 × H-3'), 3.98–3.92 (2 H, m, 2 × H-6), 3.75–3.69 (3 H, m, H-2, CH₂), 3.57 (1 H, t, $J_{3,4} = J_{4,5} = 9.3$ Hz, H-4), 3.45 (1 H, t, $J_{2,3} = J_{3,4} = 9.3$ Hz, H-3), 3.22 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 11.0$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.9$ Hz, H-1a), 2.90–3.02 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.90–2.83 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.52–2.47 (2 H, m, H-1b, H-5), 2.41–2.27 (7H, m, 2 × H-2', 2 × CH₂, CHH), 2.18 (2 H, s, CH), 1.39 (3 H, s, CH₃), 1.25 (1 H, d, $J = 8.2$ Hz, CHH), 0.94 (3 H, s, CH₃); ¹³C NMR (125 MHz, CD₃OD): δ = 145.4 (C), 144.8 (NC=CH), 124.9 (NCH=C), 118.3 (CH₂CHC), 78.5 (C-3), 70.0 (C-4), 68.9 (C-2, CH₂), 65.6 (C-5), 63.7 (OCH₂), 57.4 (C-6), 55.7 (C-1), 49.3 (C-1'), 48.7 (C-3'), 45.8, 41.0 (CH), 38.1 (C), 31.8, 31.6 (CH₂), 26.5 (CH₃), 24.7 (C-2'), 21.4 (CH₃); HRMS (ES+) found 451.2906, C₂₃H₃₅N₄O₅ requires 451.2920.

4-[4-Adamantylphenoxy)methyl]-1-[3-(2,3,4,6-tetra-O-benzyl-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino-D-glucitol-N-yl)propyl]-1,2,3-

triazole (42): $[\alpha]_D = +6$ ($c = 0.3$, CH_2Cl_2); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (300 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 7.48$ (1 H, s, $\text{C}=\text{CHN}$), 7.33–7.16 (22 H, m, 22 \times Har), 6.94 (2 H, d, $J = 8.9$ Hz, Har), 5.28 (2 H, s, OCH_2), 4.98–4.80 (3 H, 3 d, $J = 11.0$, 10.9, 11.0 Hz, CH_2Ph , CHHPh), 4.65–4.59 (2 H, 2 d, $J = 11.6$, 11.6 Hz, CH_2Ph), 4.46–4.35 (3 H, m, CH_2Ph , CHHPh), 4.28–4.21 (2 H, m, 2 \times H-3'), 3.64–3.50 (5 H, m, H-2, H-3, H-4, 2 \times H-6), 3.00 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 11.2$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.6$ Hz, H-1a), 2.86–2.77 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.60–2.46 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.32 (1 H, d, $J_{4,5} = J_{5,6} = 8.7$ Hz, H-5), 2.17–2.04 (4 H, m, H-1b, 3 \times CH), 2.00 (2 H, m, $J = 7.2$ Hz, 2 \times H-2'), 1.89 (6 H, d, $J = 2.6$ Hz, 3 \times CH_2), 1.82–1.72 (6 H, m, 3 \times CH_2); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (75 MHz, CDCl_3) $\delta = 156.2$ (OCar), 144.4 (NC=CH), 139.0, 138.5, 137.8 (Car), 128.5, 128.4, 128.3, 128.0, 127.9, 127.8, 127.7, 127.6 (CHar), 126.0 (2 \times CHar), 123.0 (NCH=C), 114.3 (2 \times CHar), 87.2 (C-3), 78.6, 78.4 (C-2, C-4), 75.4, 75.3, 73.3, 72.9 (CH_2Ph), 66.4 (C-6), 64.6 (C-5), 62.2 (OCH_2), 54.5 (C-1), 49.2 (C-1'), 48.5 (C-3'), 43.4 (3 \times CH_2), 36.8 (3 \times CH_2), 35.7 (C), 29.1 (3 \times CH), 26.1 (C-2'); HRMS (ESI+) found 873.4977, $\text{C}_{56}\text{H}_{65}\text{N}_4\text{O}_5$ requires 873.4955.

***N*-(3-(4-(4-Adamantylphenoxy)methyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino- β -glucitol (43).** Conventional catalytic hydrogenation of compound 42 (40 mg, 0.0459 mmol) was carried out with $\text{Pd}(\text{OH})_2$ (30 mg) in MeOH –1 M HCl (3 mL, 1:1) at 1 atm for 18 h. The catalyst was filtered over a pad of Celite and the solvent was removed. The residue was purified by preparative HPLC (conditions 2) to afford 43 (11 mg, 45%) as a white solid: $[\alpha]_D = +55$ ($c = 0.1$, MeOH); $t_R = 38.0$; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (300 MHz, CD_3OD) $\delta = 8.08$ (1 H, s, $\text{C}=\text{CHN}$), 7.28 (2 H, d, $J = 8.9$ Hz, 2 \times Har), 6.94 (2 H, d, $J = 8.9$ Hz, 2 \times Har), 5.15 (2 H, s, OCH_2), 4.47 (2 H, t, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 2 \times H-3'), 3.82 (2 H, ddd, $J = 12.7$, 12.1, 3.4 Hz, 2 \times H-6), 3.46 (1 H, dt, $J_{1b,2} = J_{2,3} = 9.5$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.8$ Hz, H-2), 3.33 (1 H, t, $J_{3,4} = J_{4,5} = 9.5$ Hz, H-4), 3.23 (1 H, t, $J_{2,3} = J_{3,4}$, H-3), 2.99 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 11.1$ Hz, H-1a), 2.92–2.85 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.57–2.48 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.17–2.08 (7 H, m, H-1b, H-5, 2 \times H-2', 3 \times CH), 1.91 (6 H, d, $J = 2.7$ Hz, 3 \times CH_2), 1.85–1.75 (6 H, m, 3 \times CH_2); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (75 MHz, CD_3OD) $\delta = 158.3$ (OCar), 146.3, 146.2 (NC=CH, Car), 127.7 (2 \times CHar), 126.2 (NCH=C), 116.3 (2 \times CHar), 81.3 (C-3), 72.8 (C-4), 71.6 (C-2), 68.7 (C-5), 63.3 (OCH_2), 60.4 (C-6), 58.5 (C-1), 50.4 (C-1'), 49.4 (C-3'), 45.4 (3 \times CH_2), 38.7 (3 \times CH_2), 37.5 (C), 31.4 (3 \times CH), 27.9 (C-2'); HRMS (ESI+) found 513.3058, $\text{C}_{28}\text{H}_{41}\text{N}_4\text{O}_5$ requires 513.3077.

***N*-(3-(4-(2,3,4,6-Tetra-*O*-acetyl- α - β -mannopyranosyloxyethyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-2,3,4,6-tetra-*O*-benzyl-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino- β -glucitol (44):** $[\alpha]_D = +30$ ($c = 0.2$, MeOH); $t_R = 22.2$ (conditions 2); $^1\text{H NMR}$ (300 MHz, D_2O) $\delta = 7.90$ (1 H, s, $\text{C}=\text{CHN}$), 5.25–5.20 (2 H, m, H-2'', H-3''), 4.96 (1 H, d, $J_{1,2} = 1.3$ Hz, H-1''), 4.47 (2 H, t, $J = 6.9$ Hz, 2 \times H-3'), 4.32 (1 H, dd, $J_{6a',6b'} = 12.7$ Hz, $J_{5',6a'} = 4.0$ Hz, H-6a''), 4.09 (1 H, dd, $J_{5',6a'} = 1.9$ Hz, H-6b''), 3.97 (1 H, m, OCHHCH_2), 3.85–3.76 (3 H, m, 2 \times H-6, OCHHCH_2), 3.63–3.53 (3 H, m, H-2, H-4'', H-5''), 3.39 (1 H, t, $J_{3,4} = J_{4,5} = 9.3$ Hz, H-4), 3.27 (1 H, t, $J_{2,3} = J_{3,4} = 9.3$ Hz, H-3), 3.06–2.99 (3 H, m, H-1a, OCH_2CH_2), 2.92–2.62 (2 H, m, 2 \times H-1'), 2.40–2.25 (2 H, m, H-1b, H-5), 2.20–2.11 (11 H, 3 s, m, 3 \times CH_3 , 2 \times H-2'), 2.04 (3 H, s, CH_3); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (75.5 MHz, D_2O) $\delta = 173.5$, 172.9, 172.8, 172.7 (C=O), 151.5 (NC=CH), 124.1 (NCH=C), 100.1 (C-1''), 87.1 (C-3), 69.7, 69.6 (C-4), 69.4 (C-2), 68.6 (C-2), 68.0 (CHsucr), 66.7 (OCH_2CH_2), 65.6 (CHsucr), 64.9 (C-5), 61.9 (C-6''), 57.1 (C-6), 55.1 (C-1), 48.8 (C-1'), 48.3 (C-3'), 25.1 (OCH_2CH_2), 24.0 (C-2'), 20.2 (CH_3); HRMS (ESI+) found 669.2591, $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{42}\text{N}_4\text{O}_{14}\text{Na}$ requires 669.2595.

***N*-(3-(4-(α - β -Mannopyranosyloxyethyl)-1*H*-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)propyl)-2,3,4,6-tetra-*O*-benzyl-1,5-dideoxy-1,5-imino- β -glucitol (45).** To a solution of 44 (20 mg, 0.0301 mmol) in dry MeOH (1 mL) was added methanolic NaMeO (1 M, 0.1 equiv per mol of acetate). The reaction mixture was stirred at rt for 3 h, then neutralized with Amberlite IRA-120 (H^+) ion-exchange resin, concentrated, and the resulting residue was purified by preparative HPLC (conditions 1) to afford 45 (10 mg, 65%) as a white solid: $[\alpha]_D = +30$

($c = 0.2$, MeOH); $t_R = 11.2$; $^1\text{H NMR}$ (500 MHz, D_2O) $\delta = 7.92$ (1 H, s, $\text{C}=\text{CHN}$), 4.89 (1 H, d, $J_{1,2} = 1.4$ Hz, H-1''), 4.47 (2 H, quad, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 2 \times H-3'), 4.03–3.98 (1 H, m, OCHHCH_2), 3.92 (1 H, s, H?), 3.86–3.81 (4 H, m, 2 \times H-6, H-6a'', OCHHCH_2), 3.76–3.71 (3 H, m, 2 \times H?, H-6b''), 3.65 (1 H, t, $J = 9.3$ Hz, H?), 3.57 (1 H, dt, $J_{1b,2} = J_{2,3} = 9.4$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.9$ Hz, H-2), 3.40 (1 H, t, $J_{3,4} = J_{4,5} = 9.4$ Hz, H-4), 3.35–3.32 (1 H, m, H?), 3.29 (1 H, t, $J_{2,3} = J_{3,4}$, H-3), 3.06 (2 H, t, $J = 6.0$ Hz, OCH_2CH_2), 3.00 (1 H, dd, $J_{1a,1b} = 11.0$ Hz, $J_{1a,2} = 4.5$ Hz, H-1a), 2.85–2.77 (1 H, m, H-1'a), 2.75–2.66 (1 H, m, H-1'b), 2.37–2.30 (2 H, m, H-1b, H-5), 2.15 (2 H, m, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 2 \times H-2'); $^{13}\text{C NMR}$ (75.5 MHz, D_2O) $\delta = 145.8$ (NC=CH), 125.0 (NCH=C), 100.0 (C-1''), 78.6 (C-3), 73.2 (C?), 71.0, 70.4 (C?), 70.3 (C-4), 69.1 (C-2), 67.0 (C?), 66.7 (OCH_2CH_2), 65.1 (C-5), 61.2 (C-6''), 57.8 (C-6), 55.6 (C-1), 49.1 (C-1'), 48.8 (C-3'), 25.6 (OCH_2CH_2), 24.3 (C-2'); HRMS (ESI+) found 501.2169, $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{34}\text{N}_4\text{O}_{10}\text{Na}$ requires 501.2173.

General Procedures for Inhibition Assay. The glycosidases β -glucosidase (from bovine liver, cytosolic), α -galactosidase (from *Aspergillus niger*), α -galactosidase (from green coffee beans), β -glucosidase (from almonds), amyloglucosidase (from *Aspergillus niger*), α -glucosidase (from yeast), isomaltase (from yeast), naringinase (*Penicillium decumbes*), β -mannosidase (from *Helix pomatia*), and α -mannosidase (from jack bean) used in the inhibition studies, as well as the corresponding *o*- and *p*-nitrophenyl glycoside substrates, were purchased from a commercial supplier. Inhibitory potencies were determined by spectrophotometrically measuring the residual hydrolytic activities of the glycosidases against the respective *o*- (for β -glucosidase/ β -galactosidase from bovine liver) or *p*-nitrophenyl α - or β -*D*-glycopyranoside, in the presence of the corresponding iminosugar derivative. Each assay was performed in phosphate or phosphate-citrate (for α - or β -mannosidase or amyloglucosidase) buffer at the optimal pH for each enzyme. The K_m values for the different glycosidases used in the tests and the corresponding working pHs are listed herein: β -glucosidase (bovine liver), $K_m = 2.0$ mM (pH 7.3); α -glucosidase (yeast), $K_m = 0.35$ mM (pH 6.8); β -glucosidase (almonds), $K_m = 3.5$ mM (pH 7.3); α -galactosidase (coffee beans), $K_m = 2.0$ mM (pH 6.8); amyloglucosidase (*Aspergillus niger*), $K_m = 3.0$ mM (pH 5.5); naringinase (*Penicillium decumbes*), $K_m = 2.7$ mM (pH 6.8); β -mannosidase (*Helix pomatia*), $K_m = 0.6$ mM (pH 5.5); α -mannosidase (jack bean), $K_m = 2.0$ mM (pH 5.5). The reactions were initiated by addition of enzyme to a solution of the substrate in the absence or presence of various concentrations of inhibitor. After the mixture was incubated for 10–30 min at 37 °C the reaction was quenched by addition of 1 M Na_2CO_3 . The absorbance of the resulting mixture was determined at 405 or 505 nm. The K_i value and enzyme inhibition mode were determined from the slope of Lineweaver–Burk plots and double reciprocal analysis using a Microsoft Office Excel 2003 program. Inhibition mode was competitive in all cases.

Cell Culture. HL60 cells and Gaucher lymphoblasts (N370S) were cultured in RPMI1640 medium supplemented with 10% or 15% (v/v) fetal bovine serum, respectively, 2 mM L-glutamine, 100 U/ml penicillin, and 100 mg/mL streptomycin at 37 °C and 5% CO_2 .

β -Glucocerebrosidase Inhibition Assay. Human placental β -glucocerebrosidase was isolated and partially purified from modified procedure.⁴⁹ Enzyme activity was measured in 50 μL of 5 mM 4-methylumbelliferyl- β -glucoside in 0.1 M citrate phosphate buffer, pH 5.2 containing 0.25% sodium taurocholate, 0.1% TX100 at 37 °C for 15–60 min. The reaction was stopped by the addition of 200 μL 0.5 M sodium carbonate and the fluorescence measured at ex 350 nm, em 460 nm. Inhibitory activity was generated for placental β -glucocerebrosidase (K_m for 4-MU- β -glucoside, 1.9 ± 0.3 mM) using 0.5 mM substrate concentrations to obtain IC_{50} values.

β -Glucocerebrosidase Activation Assay. Gaucher lymphoblasts (N370S) were cultured in the presence of various concentrations of inhibitor (0–50 μM) for 3 days before β -glucocerebrosidase activity was measured. Cells were washed twice in phosphate-buffered saline, homogenized in water using a small dounce

homogenizer, centrifuged at 800g for 5 min and the supernatant taken for protein and ss-glucocerebrosidase activity. Protein concentration was determined using the BCA assay (Pierce, UK) according to manufacturer's instructions. All enzyme activation measurements were made using aliquots of homogenate and 5 mM 4-methylumbelliferyl- β -glucoside in 0.1 M citrate phosphate buffer, pH 5.2 containing 0.25% sodium taurocholate, 0.1% TX100 as described above. Bromoconduritol (500 μ M to 2.5 mM) was added to some enzyme activity determinations to confirm the specific hydrolysis of substrate by β -glucocerebrosidase. Enzyme activation is defined as the fold increase in enzyme activity (U/mg protein) in treated cells compared to untreated cells.

Cell Toxicity Assay. The effect of compounds on Gaucher lymphoblast cell proliferation (cytotoxicity) was determined using a Promega CellTiter 96 AQ_{ueous} Cell Proliferation Assay as described in the manufacturers instructions and previously published.⁴⁷ This assay utilizes 3-(4,5-dimethylthiazol-2-yl)-5-(3-carboxymethoxyphenyl)-2-(4-sulfophenyl)-2H-tetrazolium (MTS) which is bioreduced in actively proliferating cells to a formazan. Cells were seeded at a density of 5×10^5 per ml in 96 well plates with or without a range of concentrations of compound and incubated at 37 °C for 16 h. MTS reagent (20 mL) was added to each well, and the plates were mixed and incubated at 37 °C for 1 h. The absorbance was read at 490 nm using a UV max Kinetic microplate reader to determine the amount of formazan product, which is directly proportional to the number of living cells in culture.

■ ASSOCIATED CONTENT

Supporting Information. ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectra of compounds 15–30 and 36–45 and examples of Lineweaver–Burk plots for K_i determinations of 38 and 43. This material is available free of charge via the Internet at <http://pubs.acs.org>.

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