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(54) **COMPOUNDS COMPRISING A FIBROBLAST ACTIVATION PROTEIN LIGAND AND USE THEREOF**

VERBINDUNGEN MIT FIBROBLASTEN-AKTIVIERENDEM PROTEINLIGAND UND DEREN VERWENDUNG

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Description**FIELD OF INVENTION**

[0001] The present invention is related to a chemical compound; an inhibitor of fibroblast activation protein (FAP); a composition comprising the compound and inhibitor, respectively; the compound, the inhibitor and the composition, respectively, for use in a method for the diagnosis of a disease; the compound, the inhibitor and the composition, respectively, for use in a method for the treatment of a disease; the compound, the inhibitor and the composition, respectively, for use in a method of diagnosis and treatment of a disease which is also referred to as "thera(g)nosis" or "thera(g)nostics"; the compound, the inhibitor and the composition, respectively, for use in a method for delivering an effector to a FAP-expressing tissue; a method for the diagnosis of a disease using the compound, the inhibitor and the composition, respectively; a method for the treatment of a disease using the compound, the inhibitor and the composition, respectively; a method for the diagnosis and treatment of a disease which is also referred to as "thera(g)nosis" or "thera(g)nostics", using the compound, the inhibitor and the composition, respectively; a method for the delivery of an effector to a FAP-expressing tissue using the compound, the inhibitor and the composition, respectively.

BACKGROUND

[0002] Despite the increasing availability of therapeutic options, cancer is still the second leading cause of death globally. Therapeutic strategies mainly focus on targeting malignant cancer cells itself, ignoring the ever-present surrounding tumor microenvironment (TME) that limit the access of therapeutic cancer cell agents (Valkenburg, et al., Nat Rev Clin Oncol, 2018, 15: 366). The TME is part of the tumor mass and consists not only of the heterogeneous population of cancer cells but also of a variety of resident and infiltrating host cells, secreted factors, and extracellular matrix proteins (Quail, et al., Nat Med, 2013, 19: 1423). A dominant cell type found in the TME is the cancer associated fibroblast (CAF) (Kalluri, Nat Rev Cancer, 2016, 16: 582). Many different cell types have been described as the source and origin for CAFs, such as e.g. fibroblasts, mesenchymal stem cells, smooth muscle cells, cells of epithelial origin, or endothelial cells (Madar, et al., Trends Mol Med, 2013, 19: 447). CAFs exhibit mesenchymal-like features and often are the dominant cell type within a solid tumor mass. CAFs have attracted increasing attention as a player in tumor progression and homeostasis (Gascard, et al., Genes Dev, 2016, 30: 1002; LeBleu, et al., Dis Model Mech, 2018, 11).

[0003] During recent years, fibroblast activation protein (FAP) has gained notoriety as a marker of CAFs (Shiga, et al., Cancers (Basel), 2015, 7: 2443; Pure, et al., Oncogene, 2018, 37: 4343; Jacob, et al., Curr Mol Med, 2012, 12: 1220). Due to the omnipresence of CAFs and stroma within tumors, FAP was discovered as a suitable marker for radiopharmaceutical diagnostics and as a suitable target for radiopharmaceutical therapy (Siveke, J Nucl Med, 2018, 59: 1412).

[0004] Fibroblast activation protein α (FAP) is a type II transmembrane serine protease and a member of the S9 prolyl oligopeptidase family (Park, et al., J Biol Chem, 1999, 274: 36505). The closest family member DPP4 shares 53% homology with FAP. Like other DPP enzymes (DPP4, DPP7, DPP8, DPP9), FAP has post-proline exopeptidase activity. In addition, FAP possesses endopeptidase activity, similar to prolyl oligopeptidase/endopeptidase (POP/PEP). The FAP gene is highly conserved across various species. The extracellular domain of human FAP shares 90% amino acid sequence identity with mouse and rat FAP. Mouse FAP has 97% sequence identity with rat FAP.

[0005] Structurally, FAP is a 760 amino acid transmembrane protein composed of a short N-terminal cytoplasmic tail (6 amino acids), a single transmembrane domain (20 amino acids), and a 734 amino acid extracellular domain (Aertgeerts, et al., J Biol Chem, 2005, 280: 19441). This extracellular domain consists of an eight-bladed β -propeller and an α/β hydrolase domain. The catalytic triad is composed of Ser624, Asp702, and His734 and is located at the interface of the β -propeller and the hydrolase domain. The active site is accessible through a central hole of the β -propeller domain or through a narrow cavity between the β -propeller and the hydrolase domain. FAP monomers are not active, but form active homodimers as well as heterodimers with DPP4 (Ghersli, et al., Cancer Res, 2006, 66: 4652). Soluble homodimeric FAP has also been described (Keane, et al., FEBS Open Bio, 2013, 4: 43; Lee, et al., Blood, 2006, 107: 1397).

[0006] FAP possesses dual enzyme activity (Hamson, et al., Proteomics Clin Appl, 2014, 8: 454). Its dipeptidyl peptidase activity allows cleaving two amino acids of the N-terminus after a proline residue. FAP substrates that are cleaved rapidly via its dipeptidyl peptidase activity are neuropeptide Y, Peptide YY, Substance P, and β -type natriuretic peptide. Collagen I and III, FGF21 and α_2 -antiplasmin have been shown to be cleaved by the endopeptidase activity of FAP. While FAP is unable to cleave native collagens, pre-digestion by other proteases, such as matrix metalloproteinases, facilitates further collagen cleavage by FAP. Processing of collagen may influence migratory capacities of cancer cells. Besides increasing invasiveness of cancer cells through remodeling of the extracellular matrix, several other FAP-mediated tumor promoting roles have been proposed, including proliferation and increasing angiogenesis. Furthermore, stromal expression of FAP is linked to escape from immunosurveillance in various cancers, suggesting a role in anti-tumor immunity (Pure, et al., Oncogene, 2018, 37: 4343).

[0007] FAP is transiently expressed during normal development, but only rarely in healthy adult tissues. In transgenic

mice, it was demonstrated that FAP is expressed by adipose tissue, skeletal muscle, skin, bone and pancreas (Pure, et al., Oncogene, 2018, 37: 4343; Roberts, et al., J Exp Med, 2013, 210: 1137). However, a FAP knockout mouse has a healthy phenotype, suggesting a redundant role under normal conditions (Niedermeyer, et al., Mol Cell Biol, 2000, 20: 1089). At sites of active tissue remodeling, including wound healing, fibrosis, arthritis, atherosclerosis and cancer, FAP becomes highly upregulated in stromal cells (Pure, et al., Oncogene, 2018, 37: 4343).

[0008] FAP expression in the tumor stroma of 90% of epithelial carcinomas was first reported in 1990 under use of a monoclonal antibody, F19 (Garin-Chesa, et al., Proc Natl Acad Sci USA, 1990, 87: 7235; Rettig, et al., Cancer Res, 1993, 53: 3327). FAP-expressing stromal cells were further characterized as cancer-associated fibroblasts (CAF) and cancer-associated pericytes (Cremasco, et al., Cancer Immunol Res, 2018, 6: 1472). FAP expression on malignant epithelial cells has also been reported but its significance remains to be defined (Pure, et al., Oncogene, 2018, 37: 4343). The following Table 1, taken from Busek *et al.* (Busek, et al., Front Biosci (Landmark Ed), 2018, 23: 1933), summarizes the expression of FAP in various malignancies indicating the tumor type and the cellular expression.

Table 1: FAP expression in human malignancies (from Busek *et al.*)

Tumor Type	Expression of FAP in Malignant Cells	Expression of FAP in Stroma Cells	Notes
Basal cell carcinoma, squamous cell carcinoma of the skin	-	+	Expression in fibroblasts strongest in close proximity to cancer cells. FAP expression is absent in benign epithelial tumors, its positivity in the stroma may be a useful criterion for differentiating between morpheaform/infiltrative basal cell carcinomas and FAP-negative desmoplastic trichoepithelioma.
Oral squamous cell carcinoma	+	+	FAP is a negative prognostic marker_elevated expression is associated with greater tumor size, lymph-node metastasis, advanced clinical stage, and worse overall survival.
Melanoma	- (<i>in situ</i>)	+	FAP expression present in a subset of melanocytes in 30% of benign melanocytic nevi, but not detectable in malignant melanoma cells in melanoma tissues. The quantity of FAP-positive stromal cells is positively associated with ECM content and inflammatory cell infiltration. Normal melanocytes express FAP <i>in vitro</i> Conflicting data for FAP in melanoma cells: several human melanoma cell lines express FAP and FAP contributes to their invasiveness <i>in vitro</i> , but immunopositivity has not been detected in melanoma tissues. Mouse melanoma cell lines are FAP-negative and mouse FAP is a tumor suppressor independently of its enzymatic activity.
Esophageal cancer	+	+	FAP is expressed in cancer cells as well as in premalignant metaplastic cells of the esophagus in both adenocarcinoma and squamous cell carcinoma.
Gastric cancer	+	+ (incl. low expression in endothelial cells)	A higher stromal FAP expression at the invasion front is associated with low tumor cell differentiation, more advanced TNM stage, serosal invasion, and poor survival. A higher stromal FAP is associated with worse survival. A higher FAP expression in intestinal-type gastric cancer (in stroma, moderately differentiated cancer cells, and endothelial cells) than in the diffuse type (mainly in cancer cells with poor cell-to-cell contacts, endothelial cells). A higher stromal FAP expression in the intestinal-type gastric cancer is associated with the presence of liver and lymph node metastases.

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Tumor Type	Expression of FAP in Malignant Cells	Expression of FAP in Stroma Cells	Notes
Colorectal cancer	+	+	A higher stromal FAP positivity found in earlier-stage disease, but in patients with stage IV tumors high FAP is associated with worse survival. A higher FAP expression is associated with advanced Duke stage. A high FAP expression in the tumor center is a negative prognostic factor. Stromal FAP expression in stage II/III rectal cancer after chemoradiotherapy is associated with a worse prognosis. A higher FAP mRNA expression is associated with worse disease-free survival and a trend for worse overall survival.
Pancreatic adenocarcinoma	+	+	FAP expression in carcinoma cells is associated with a larger tumor size, presence of a fibrotic focus, perineural invasion, and a worse prognosis. Stromal FAP expression correlates with lymph node metastasis and reduced survival. Nevertheless, a recent retrospective Korean study reports an association between a lower number of FAP+ fibroblasts and a decreased overall survival based on a univariate analysis.
Hepatocellular carcinoma	+		FAP expression detected especially in tumors with abundant fibrous stroma. FAP mRNA expression increased in peritumoral tissue, positively correlating with the density of peritumoral activated HSCs. Higher levels are associated with more frequent early recurrence, larger tumor size, presence of vascular invasion, and an advanced TNM stage.
Non-small cell lung cancer	-/+	+	Absence of stromal FAP expression (24% of cases) in NSCLC is associated with better survival. Reports regarding expression in cancer cells are inconsistent.
Mesothelioma	+	+	Expression, although to a variable extent, has been detected in all subtypes.
Breast tumors	+ (ductal adenocarcinoma)	+ (incl. endothelial cells)	FAP positivity detected mainly in the stroma; another study proposes a predominant localization in cancer cells in ductal adenocarcinoma. Jung <i>et al.</i> observed expression in cancer and stromal cells in 50% of cases where stroma is rich in adipose tissue (approximately 1/3 of all tumors); in these cases, FAP expression was associated with a higher tumor grade. In tumors with fibrous stroma, FAP expression was virtually absent (2/3 of all tumors) FAP expression is higher in cancer cells in lobular cancer than in ductal carcinoma. Stromal FAP and calponin positivity may be an ancillary marker for detecting microinvasion in ductal carcinoma. FAP expression increases with the malignant progression of phyllodes tumors, but a later study detected stromal FAP expression only in 12.5% of the malignant phyllodes tumors by IHC. Conflicting data regarding a possible association with breast cancer survival: smaller studies have reported that a higher total FAP mRNA expression is associated with worse survival, while a higher stromal FAP expression detected by IHC was associated with a longer overall survival and disease-free survival. A recent larger study involving 939 breast cancer patients did not prove any association between FAP expression in the cancer or stromal cells and survival.

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Tumor Type	Expression of FAP in Malignant Cells	Expression of FAP in Stroma Cells	Notes
Renal cancer	-	+	Stromal FAP expression (detected in 23% of cases) associated with markers of aggressiveness and worse survival in clear cell renal cell carcinoma. In metastatic clear cell renal carcinoma, stromal FAP expression was detected in 36% of primary and 44% of metastatic lesions, and was associated with several parameters of tumor aggressiveness and worse survival.
Prostate cancer	-	+	Only small patient cohorts reported in literature. Expression in stromal cells detected in 7/7 cases, most intense in stromal cells adjacent to cancer cells.
Cervical cancer	+	+	No FAP expression was detected in preinvasive cervical neoplasia (CIN1, 2), occasional positivity in stroma in CIN3 with moderate or severe inflammatory infiltrates. Enhanced expression of FAP was found in cancer cells and subepithelial stromal cells in some of the microinvasive and all of the invasive carcinomas.
Ovary	+	+	FAP positivity increases with tumor stage; negative FAP expression is associated with longer disease-free survival. FAP positivity detected in cancer cells in 21% of tumors, stromal positivity in 61%. Another study reported stromal positivity in 92% of cancer tissues with extremely rare FAP expression in malignant cells; it also reported an association with advanced tumor stage and presence of lymph node metastases. FAP-positive malignant cells are present in malignant pleural and peritoneal effusions: strong positivity is associated with worse survival.
Glioma	+	+	FAP expression increased in glioblastoma, highest expression found in the mesenchymal subtype and gliosarcoma. Low expression in glioma stem-like cells. In glioblastoma, overall FAP quantity is not associated with survival.
Thyroid cancer	-	+	FAP upregulated in aggressive papillary thyroid carcinomas. In medullary thyroid carcinoma, FAP expression in the peritumoral and intratumoral stromal compartment correlates with the degree of desmoplasia and presence of lymph node metastases.
Parathyroid tumors	n.d.	+	FAP mRNA expression was significantly higher in parathyroid carcinomas than in adenomas.
Sarcomas	+ (see note)	+ (reactive fibroblasts in Ewing's sarcomas)	FAP expression found in malignant cells in fibrosarcomas, leiomyosarcoma, malignant fibrous histiocytoma, low grade myofibroblastic sarcoma, fibroblastic areas in osteosarcomas, osteoid osteoma, and in osteosarcoma. FAP is negative in malignant cells with "small round cell" phenotype (embryonal rhabdomyosarcoma, Ewing sarcoma, or mesenchymal chondrosarcoma). A higher expression in osteosarcoma associated with more advanced clinical stage, presence of distant metastasis, high histological grade, and a worse progression-free and overall survival. FAP is expressed in both malignant and benign tumors and its positivity reflects their histogenetic origin rather than malignant potential.

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Tumor Type	Expression of FAP in Malignant Cells	Expression of FAP in Stroma Cells	Notes
Myeloma	-	+	FAP expression was detected in osteoclasts, endothelial cells, adipocytes, fibrotic stroma, but not in multiple myeloma cells. FAP is upregulated in osteoclasts co-cultured with myeloma cells.

[0009] FAP expression in CAFs was shown for almost all carcinomas and sarcomas (Pure, et al., Oncogene, 2018, 37: 4343; Busek, et al., Front Biosci (Landmark Ed), 2018, 23: 1933). Furthermore, CAFs are present in hematological malignancies (Raffaghello, et al., Oncotarget, 2015, 6: 2589). Utilization of FAP as a therapeutic target is therefore not limited to certain tumor entities.

[0010] The abundance of FAP-expressing CAFs is described to correlate with poor prognosis. Across a wide range of human tumor indications, FAP expression is described to correlate with higher tumor grade and worse overall survival (Pure, et al., Oncogene, 2018, 37: 4343).

[0011] As described above, it is indicated that FAP as well as FAP-expressing cells present in the tumor microenvironment significantly influence tumor progression (Hanahan, et al., Cancer Cell, 2012, 21: 309). Additionally, due to its relatively selective expression in tumors, FAP is regarded as a suitable target for therapeutic and diagnostic agents as described below (Siveke, J Nucl Med, 2018, 59: 1412; Christiansen, et al., Neoplasia, 2013, 15: 348; Zi, et al., Mol Med Rep, 2015, 11: 3203).

[0012] Soon after its discovery, FAP was utilized as a therapeutic target in cancer. Until today, various strategies have been explored, including e.g. inhibition of FAP enzymatic activity, ablation of FAP-positive cells, or targeted delivery of cytotoxic compounds.

[0013] In 2007, an inhibitor of FAP and DPP4, Talabostat (Val-boro-Pro, PT-100), was developed by Point Therapeutics (for example as described in U.S. patent No. 6,890,904, WO9916864). Pennisi et al. (Pennisi, et al., Br J Haematol, 2009, 145: 775) observed a reduced tumor growth in a multiple myeloma animal model as well as in cancer syngeneic mouse models. Furthermore, several other prolyl boronic acid derivatives have been developed and reported as putative selective inhibitors for FAP. These derivatives show instability in aqueous environments at physiologic pH (Coutts, et al., J Med Chem, 1996, 39: 2087) and a non-specific reactivity with other enzymes.

[0014] WO 2008/116054 disclosed hexapeptide derivatives wherein compounds comprise a C-terminal bis-amino or boronic acid functional group.

[0015] US 2017/0066800 disclosed pseudopeptide inhibitors, such as M83, effective against FAP. These inhibitors were assessed in lung and colon cancer xenografts in immunodeficient mice. A suppression of tumor growth was observed (Jackson, et al., Neoplasia, 2015, 17: 43). These pseudopeptides inhibit the activity of both prolyl oligopeptidase (POP/PREP) and FAP, thereby excluding their use as specific therapeutic FAP inhibitors.

[0016] US 2008/280856 disclosed a nanomolar boronic acid-based inhibitor. The inhibitor shows a bispecific inhibition of FAP and PREP, thereby excluding their use as specific therapeutic FAP inhibitors.

[0017] FAP inhibitors based on cyclic peptides were disclosed, e.g., in WO 2016/146174 and WO 2006/042282. WO 2016/146174 disclosed peptides for diagnosis and treatment of tumors expressing FAP showing specificity for FAP, whereby closely related homologue DPP4 was not recognized by said peptides. WO 2006/042282 disclosed polypeptides for treatment of melanoma. In nude mice, inhibition of melanoma growth and melanoma metastasis was shown.

[0018] WO 99/75151 and WO 01/68708 disclosed a humanized FAP monoclonal antibody, F19, (Sibrotuzumab). Furthermore, the anti-FAP antibody F19 and humanized versions thereof were disclosed in WO 99/75151 and WO 01/68708. Development approaches involved e.g. the generation of high affinity, species cross-reactive, FAP-specific scFvs converted into a bivalent derivative (Brocks, et al., Mol Med, 2001, 7: 461). In Phase I and II clinical trials, Sibrotuzumab showed specific tumor enrichment whilst failing to demonstrate measurable therapeutic activity in patients with metastatic colorectal cancer, with only 2 out of 17 patients having stable disease (Hofheinz, et al., Onkologie, 2003, 26: 44). This F19 antibody has not been shown to block any cellular or protease function of FAP, which might explain the lack of therapeutic effects (Hofheinz, et al., Onkologie, 2003, 26: 44; Scott, et al., Clin Cancer Res, 2003, 9: 1639).

[0019] US 2018/022822 disclosed novel molecules specifically binding to human FAP and epitopes thereof, as human-derived antibodies and chimeric antigen receptors (CARs) useful in the treatment of diseases and conditions induced by FAP. Treatment of mice bearing orthotopic syngeneic MC38 colorectal tumors with an anti-FAP antibody reduced the tumor diameter and number of metastasis. WO 2012/020006 disclosed glycoengineered antibodies that bear modified oligosaccharides in the Fc region. Subsequently, bispecific antibodies specific for FAP and DR5 were developed as subject to WO 2014/161845. These antibodies trigger tumor cell apoptosis in vitro and in vivo preclinical tumor models

with FAP-positive stroma (Brunker, et al., Mol Cancer Ther, 2016, 15: 946). Antibody drug conjugates and immunotoxins that target FAP are described in WO 2015/118030. In vitro toxicity as well as in vivo inhibition of tumor growth was shown following application of anti-hu/moFAP hu36:cytolytic ADC candidates. It is unclear whether these antibodies were capable of inhibiting FAP activity.

[0020] Small molecule FAP inhibitors based on (4-quinolinoyl)glycyl-2-cyanopyrrolidine displaying low nanomolar inhibitory potency and high selectivity against related DPPs and PREP were described by Jansen et al. (Jansen, et al., J Med Chem, 2014, 57: 3053; Jansen, et al., ACS Med Chem Lett, 2013, 4: 491) and disclosed in WO 2013/107820. However, the compounds are structurally unrelated to the compounds of the present invention and include a war-head leading to covalent binding to FAP.

[0021] In recent years, several FAP-targeted radiopharmaceutical approaches were developed which are exemplarily described herein.

[0022] WO 2010/036814 disclosed small molecule inhibitors of FAP for use as therapeutic agents through inhibition of FAPs enzyme activity or as radiopharmaceuticals through binding to FAP.

[0023] WO 2019/083990 disclosed imaging and radiotherapeutic agents based on small molecule FAP-inhibitors described by Jansen et al. (Jansen, et al., J Med Chem, 2014, 57: 3053; Jansen, et al., ACS Med Chem Lett, 2013, 4: 491). Furthermore, several authors described selective uptake in tumors of cancer patients of imaging and radiotherapeutic agents (Lindner, et al., J Nucl Med, 2018, 59: 1415; Loktev, et al., J Nucl Med, 2018, 59: 1423; Giesel, et al., J Nucl Med, 2019, 60: 386; Loktev, et al., J Nucl Med, 2019, Mar 8 (epub ahead of print); Giesel, et al., Eur J Nucl Med Mol Imaging, 2019, 46: 1754; Kratochwil, et al., J Nucl Med, 2019, 60: 801) based on FAP-inhibitors described by Jansen et al. (Jansen, et al., J Med Chem, 2014, 57: 3053; Jansen, et al., ACS Med Chem Lett, 2013, 4: 491).

[0024] Clinical assessments of a ¹³¹I-labeled, humanized form of the F19 antibody (sibrotuzumab) revealed a selective uptake by tumors but not by normal tissues in patients with colorectal carcinoma or non-small cell lung cancer (Scott, et al., Clin Cancer Res, 2003, 9: 1639). This may be due to the long circulation time of antibodies that makes them unsuitable for a diagnostic, therapeutic, or theragnostic approach involving radionuclides.

[0025] WO 2011/040972 disclosed high-affinity antibodies recognizing both human and murine FAP antigen as potent radioimmunoconjugates. ESC11 IgG1 induces down modulation and internalization of surface FAP (Fischer, et al., Clin Cancer Res, 2012, 18: 6208). WO 2017/211809 disclosed tissue targeting thorium-227 complexes wherein the targeting moiety has specificity for FAP. However, the long circulation time of antibodies makes them unsuitable for a diagnostic, therapeutic, or theragnostic approach involving radionuclides.

[0026] FAP has also been described as being involved in other diseases than oncology indications, examples of which are given below.

[0027] Fibroblast-like synoviocytes in rheumatoid arthritic joints of patients show a significantly increased expression of FAP (Bauer, et al., Arthritis Res Ther, 2006, 8: R171; Milner, et al., Arthritis Res Ther, 2006, 8: R23). In rheumatoid arthritis, stromal cells play an important role in organizing the structure of synovial tissue of joints by producing extracellular matrix components, recruiting infiltrating immune cells and secreting inflammatory mediators. Considerable evidence exists supporting a role for these cells in driving the persistence of inflammation and joint damage (Bartok, et al., Immunol Rev, 2010, 233: 233; Turner, et al., Curr Opin Rheumatol, 2015, 27: 175). In rheumatoid arthritis FAP has a pathological role in cartilage turnover at least by promotion of proteoglycan loss and subsequently cartilage degradation (Bauer, et al., Arthritis Res Ther, 2006, 8: R171; Waldele, et al., Arthritis Res Ther, 2015, 17: 12). Therefore, it might serve as a marker for patient stratification, for evaluation and follow-up of treatment success, or as a therapeutic target (Bauer, et al., Arthritis Res Ther, 2006, 8: R171). In mice, a treatment response was demonstrated using SPECT/CT imaging of a ^{99m}Tc-labeled anti-FAP antibody (van der Geest, et al., Rheumatology (Oxford), 2018, 57: 737; Laverman, et al., J Nucl Med, 2015, 56: 778; van der Geest, et al., J Nucl Med, 2017, 58: 151).

[0028] Additionally, FAP was recognized not only as a marker of activated fibroblasts in the injury response (Tillmanns, et al., Int J Cardiol, 2013, 168: 3926) but also as an important player in the healing process of wounds (Ramirez-Montagut, et al., Oncogene, 2004, 23: 5435). Jing et al. demonstrated a time-dependent course of change in FAP expression following burn wounds in rats (Jing, et al., Nan Fang Yi Ke Da Xue Xue Bao, 2013, 33: 615). Inhibiting of FAP activity in reactive wound fibroblasts in Keloid scars, common benign fibroproliferative reticular dermal lesions, might offer therapeutic option to prevent disease progression (Dienus, et al., Arch Dermatol Res, 2010, 302: 725).

[0029] In fibrotic diseases, upregulated expression of FAP was observed e.g. in idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis, Crohn's disease, and liver fibrosis. In an *ex vivo* model for Crohn's disease, a chronic bowel inflammatory disease characterized by an excessive, misbalanced extracellular matrix (ECM) deposition, upregulated FAP expression was observed. FAP inhibition reconstituted extracellular matrix homeostasis (Truffi, et al., Inflamm Bowel Dis, 2018, 24: 332). Similar observations were made by Egger et al. (Egger, et al., Eur J Pharmacol, 2017, 809: 64) under use of a murine model of pulmonary fibrosis. Inhibition of FAP leads to reduced fibrotic pathology. FAP is also expressed in the tissue remodelling region in chronically injured liver (Wang, et al., Front Biosci, 2008, 13: 3168), and FAP expression by hepatic stellate cells correlates with the histological severity of liver disease (Gorrell, et al., Adv Exp Med Biol, 2003, 524: 235). Therefore, FAP is also a promising target in the treatment of liver fibrosis (Lay, et al., Front Biosci (Landmark Ed), 2019, 24: 1).

[0030] FAP is expressed in arteriosclerotic lesions and upregulated in activated vascular smooth muscle cells (Monslow, et al., *Circulation*, 2013, 128: A17597). Monslow et al. showed that targeted inhibition of FAP in arteriosclerotic lesions may decrease overall lesion burden, inhibit inflammatory cell homing, and increase lesion stability through its ability to alter lesion architecture by favoring matrix-rich lesions over inflammation. More importantly, most of the arteriosclerotic pathologies share a common pathogenic feature: the rupture of an atherosclerotic plaque inducing arteriosclerotic lesions (Davies, et al., *Br Heart J*, 1985, 53: 363; Falk, *Am J Cardiol*, 1989, 63: 114e). Rupture of the fibrous cap in advanced atherosclerotic plaques is a critical trigger of acute coronary syndromes that may lead to myocardial infarction and sudden cardiac death. One of the key events in promoting plaque instability is the degradation of the fibrous cap, which exposes the underlying thrombogenic plaque core to the bloodstream, thereby causing thrombosis and subsequent vessel occlusion (Farb, et al., *Circulation*, 1996, 93: 1354; Virmani, et al., *J Am Coll Cardiol*, 2006, 47: C13). Brokopp et al. showed that FAP contributes to type I collagen breakdown in fibrous caps (Brokopp, et al., *Eur Heart J*, 2011, 32: 2713). A radiolabeled tracer was developed and its applicability for atherosclerosis imaging shown (Meletta, et al., *Molecules*, 2015, 20: 2081).

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION

[0031] The problem underlying the present invention is the provision of a compound which is suitable as a diagnostic agent and/or a pharmaceutical agent, particularly if conjugated to a diagnostically and/or therapeutically active effector. A further problem underlying the present invention is the provision of a compound which is suitable as a diagnostic agent and/or a pharmaceutical agent, particularly if conjugated to a diagnostically and/or therapeutically active effector, whereby the compound is a potent inhibitor of FAP activity; preferably the pIC₅₀ of the compound is equal to or greater than 6.0. A further problem underlying the present invention is the provision of a compound which is suitable as a diagnostic agent and/or a pharmaceutical agent, particularly if conjugated to a diagnostically and/or therapeutically active effector, in the diagnosis and/or therapy of a disease where the diseased cells and/or diseased tissues express FAP. A still further problem underlying the instant invention is the provision of a compound which is suitable for delivering a diagnostically and/or therapeutically effective agent to a diseased cell and/or diseased tissue, respectively, and more particularly a FAP-expressing diseased cell and/or diseased tissue, preferably the diseased tissue comprises or contains cancer associated fibroblasts. Also, a problem underlying the present invention is the provision of a method for the diagnosis of a disease, of a method for the treatment and/or prevention of a disease, and a method for the combined diagnosis and treatment of a disease; preferably such disease is a disease involving FAP-expressing cells and/or tissues, more particularly a FAP-expressing diseased cell and/or diseased tissue, preferably the diseased tissue comprises or contains cancer associated fibroblasts. A still further problem underlying the present invention is the provision of a method for the identification of a subject, wherein the subject is likely to respond or likely not to respond to a treatment of a disease, a method for the selection of a subject from a group of subjects, wherein the subject is likely to respond or likely not to respond to a treatment of a disease. Also, a problem underlying the present invention is the provision of a pharmaceutical composition containing a compound having the characteristics as outlined above. Furthermore, a problem underlying the present invention is the provision of a kit which is suitable for use in any of the above methods.

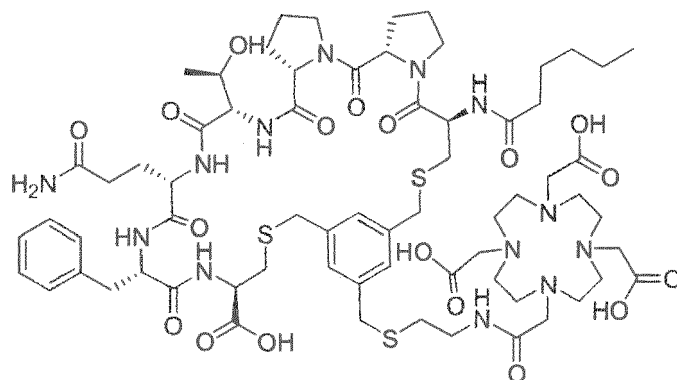
[0032] There is a need for compounds that are suitable as a diagnostic agent and/or pharmaceutical agent, particularly if conjugated to a diagnostically and/or therapeutically active effector. Furthermore, there is a need for compounds that are suitable as a diagnostic agent and/or a pharmaceutical agent, particularly if conjugated to a diagnostically and/or therapeutically active effector, whereby the compound is a potent inhibitor of FAP activity; preferably the pIC₅₀ of the compound is equal to or greater than 6.0. Further, there is a need for compounds suitable as diagnostic agents and/or pharmaceutical agents, particularly if conjugated to a diagnostically and/or therapeutically active effector, in the diagnosis and/or therapy of a disease where the diseased cells and/or diseased tissues express FAP. Furthermore, there is a need for a compound which is suitable for delivering a diagnostically and/or therapeutically effective agent to a diseased cell and/or diseased tissue, respectively, and more particularly a FAP-expressing diseased cell and/or diseased tissue, preferably the diseased tissue comprises or contains cancer associated fibroblasts. Also, there is a need for a method for the diagnosis of a disease, of a method for the treatment and/or prevention of a disease, and a method for the combined diagnosis and treatment of a disease; preferably such disease is a disease involving FAP-expressing cells and/or tissues, more particularly a FAP-expressing diseased cell and/or diseased tissue, preferably the diseased tissue comprises or contains cancer associated fibroblasts. Furthermore, there is a need for a method for the identification of a subject, wherein the subject is likely to respond or likely not to respond to a treatment of a disease, a method for the selection of a subject from a group of subjects, wherein the subject is likely to respond or likely not to respond to a treatment of a disease. Further, there is a need for a pharmaceutical composition containing a compound having the characteristics as outlined above. Furthermore, there is a need for a kit which is suitable for use in any of the above methods. The present invention satisfies these needs.

[0033] These and other problems are solved by the subject matter of the attached claims.

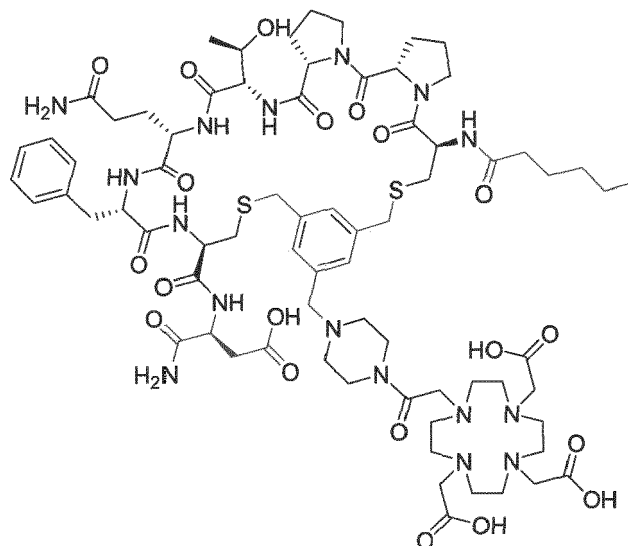
[0034] These and other problems are also solved by the following embodiments. The invention is set out in the appended

set of claims.

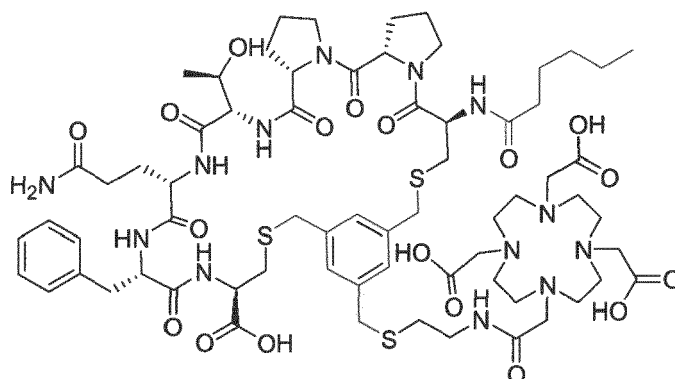
[0035] Embodiment 1. A compound selected from the group consisting of compound Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (3BP-3554) of the following formula



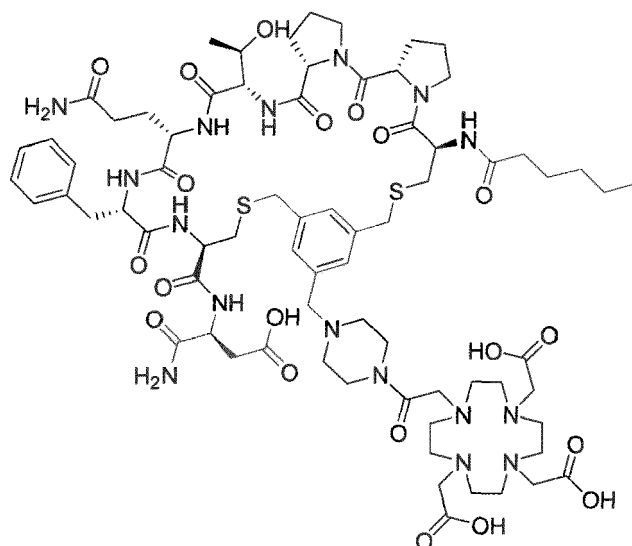
and compound Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (3BP-3407) of the following formula



[0036] Embodiment 2. The compound of Embodiment 1, wherein the compound is compound Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (3BP-3554) of the following formula



[0037] Embodiment 3. The compound of Embodiment 1, wherein the compound is compound Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (3BP-3407) of the following formula

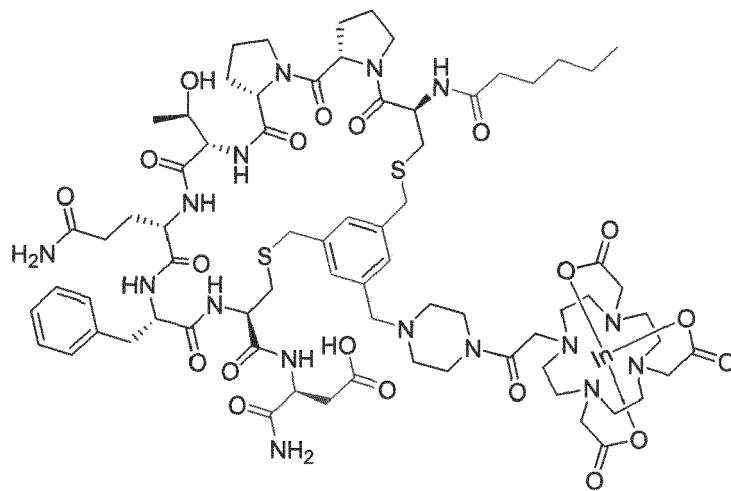


[0038] Embodiment 4. The compound of any one of Embodiments 1 to 3, wherein any S atom which can be oxidized, preferably S atoms of thioether groups, is present as -S-, -S(O)- or -S(O₂)- or a mixture thereof.

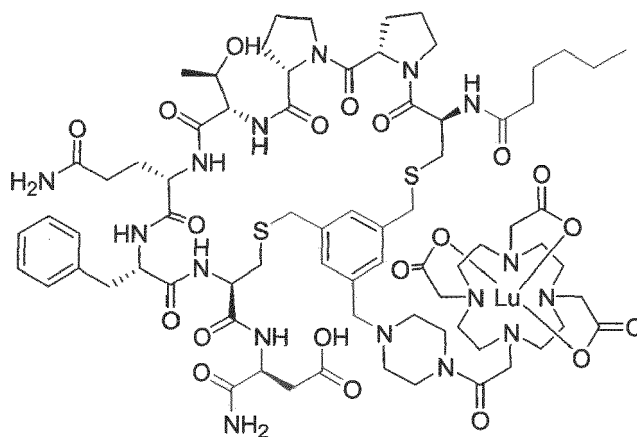
[0039] Embodiment 5. The compound of any one of Embodiments 1 to 4, wherein the compound is capable of binding to fibroblast activation protein (FAP).

[0040] Embodiment 6. The compound of any one of Embodiments 1 to 5, wherein the compound comprises a therapeutically active nuclide.

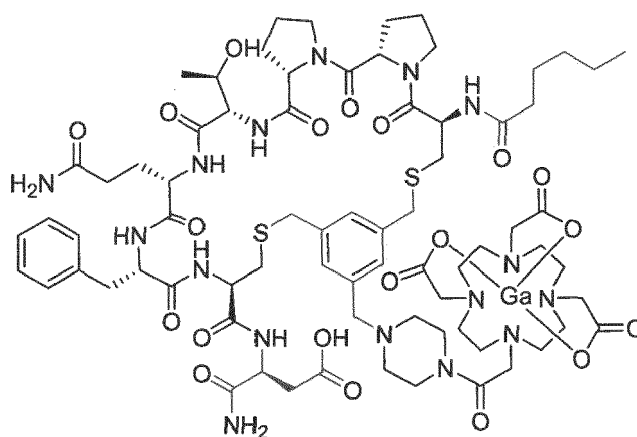
[0041] Embodiment 7. The compound of Embodiment 6, wherein the compound is selected from the group comprising compound Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(InDOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (3BP-3590) of the following formula



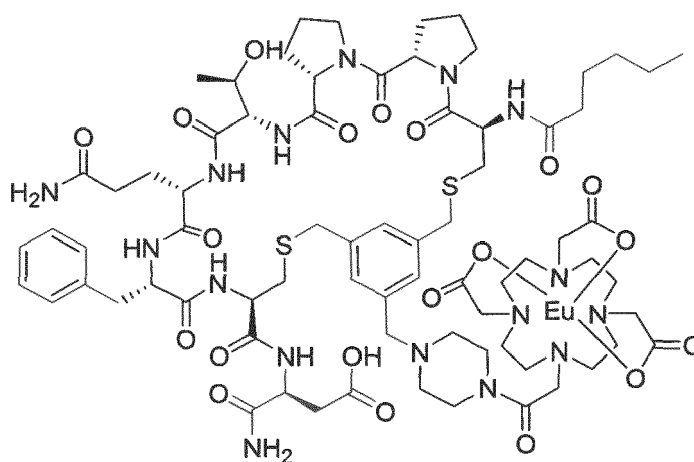
compound Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(LuDOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (3BP-3591) of the following formula



compound Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(GaDOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (3BP-3592) of the following formula



compound Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(EuDOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (3BP-3661) of the following formula



compound Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(InDOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (3BP-3623) of the following formula



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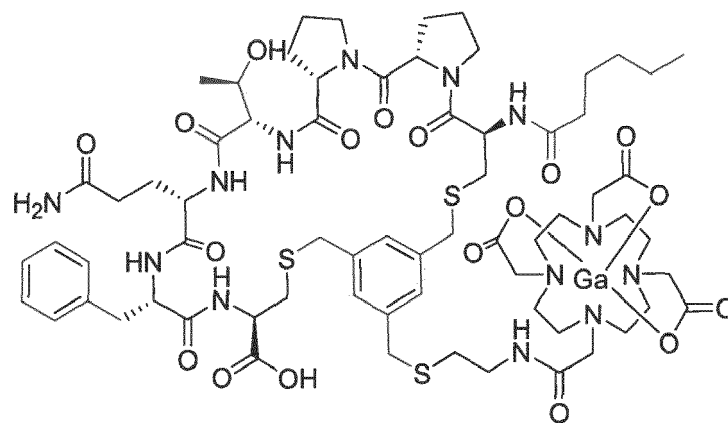
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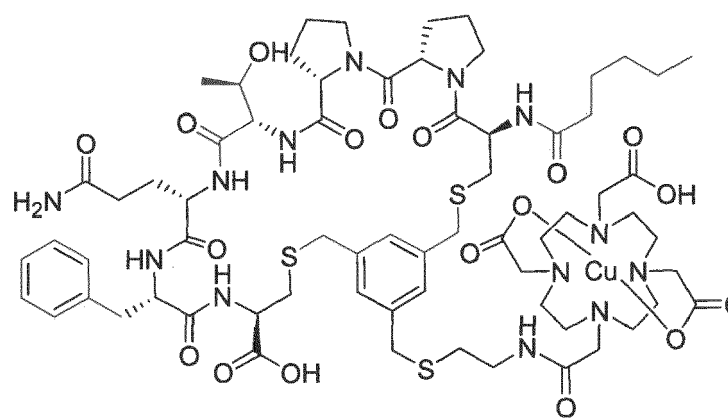
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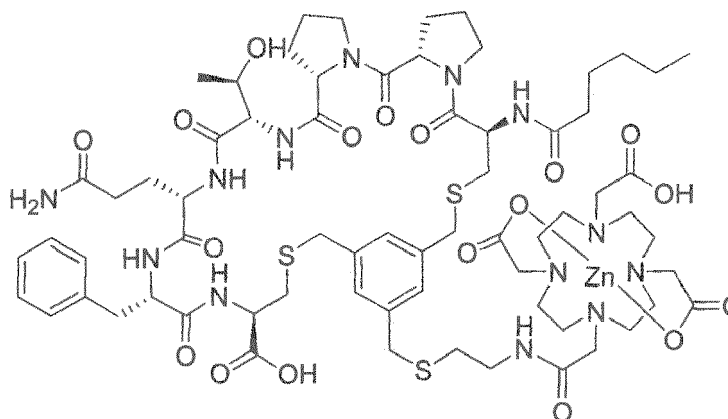


compound Hex-[Cys-(tMeBn(CuDOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (3BP-4293) of the following formula



and

compound Hex-[Cys-(tMeBn(ZnDOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (3BP-4343) of the following formula



[0042] Embodiment 10. The compound of any one of Embodiments 6 and 7, wherein the therapeutically active nuclide is a therapeutically active radionuclide.

[0043] Embodiment 11. The compound of Embodiment 10, wherein the therapeutically active radionuclide is selected from the group consisting of ^{47}Sc , ^{67}Cu , ^{89}Sr , ^{90}Y , ^{153}Sm , ^{149}Tb , ^{161}Th , ^{177}Lu , ^{186}Re , ^{188}Re , ^{212}Pb , ^{213}Bi , ^{223}Ra , ^{225}Ac , ^{226}Th , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I , ^{211}At , preferably ^{47}Sc , ^{67}Cu , ^{90}Y , ^{177}Lu , ^{188}Re , ^{212}Pb , ^{213}Bi , ^{225}Ac , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I , ^{211}At and most preferably ^{90}Y , ^{177}Lu , ^{225}Ac , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I and ^{211}At .

[0044] Embodiment 12. The compound of any one of Embodiments 1 to 7, 10 to 11, wherein the compound interacts with a fibroblast activation protein (FAP), preferably with human FAP having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1 or a homolog thereof, wherein the amino acid sequence of the homolog has an identity of at least 85% to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1.

[0045] Embodiment 13. The compound of Embodiment 12, wherein the compound is an inhibitor of the fibroblast activation protein (FAP).

[0046] In an embodiment, the compound of the invention, as set out in the appended set of claims, is for use in a method for the diagnosis of a disease. In some embodiments, said method for the diagnosis is an imaging method. In some
5 embodiments, said imaging method is selected from the group consisting of scintigraphy, Single Photon Emission Computed Tomography (SPECT) and Positron Emission Tomography (PET).

[0047] Embodiment 33. The compound of any one of Embodiments 1 to 7, 10 to 13, for use in a method for the treatment of a disease.

[0048] Embodiment 34. The compound for use of Embodiment 33, wherein the disease is a disease involving fibroblast activation protein (FAP), preferably upregulated expression of fibroblast activation protein (FAP).
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[0049] Embodiment 35. The compound for use of any one of Embodiments 33 to 34, wherein the disease involves cells showing upregulated expression of fibroblast activation protein (FAP), preferably diseased tissue containing cells showing upregulated expression of fibroblast activation protein (FAP), more preferably disease involving tumor associated fibroblasts.

[0050] Embodiment 36. The compound for use of any one of Embodiments 33 to 35, wherein the disease is a neoplasm, preferably a cancer or tumor.
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[0051] Embodiment 37. The compound for use of Embodiment 36, wherein the neoplasm, cancer, and tumor are each and individually selected from the group comprising a solid tumor, an epithelial tumor, bladder cancer, breast cancer, cervical cancer, colorectal cancer, cholangiocarcinoma, endometrial cancer, esophageal cancer, gastric cancer, gastro-intestinal stromal tumors, head and neck cancer, liver cancer, lung cancer, melanoma, mesothelioma, neuroendocrine
20 tumors and carcinomas, ovarian cancer, pancreatic cancer, prostate cancer, renal cell carcinoma, salivary carcinoma, sarcoma, squamous cell carcinoma, and thyroid cancer.

[0052] Embodiment 38. The compound for use of Embodiment 37, wherein the neoplasm, cancer, and tumor are each and individually selected from the group comprising breast cancer, colorectal cancer, cholangiocarcinoma, head and neck
25 cancer, lung cancer, mesothelioma, neuroendocrine tumors and carcinomas, ovarian cancer, pancreatic cancer, prostate cancer, sarcoma, and squamous cell carcinoma.

[0053] Embodiment 39. The compound for use of any one of Embodiments 33 to 35, wherein the disease is selected from the groups comprising inflammatory disease, cardiovascular disease, autoimmune disease, and fibrotic disease.

[0054] Embodiment 40. The compound for use of Embodiment 39, wherein the disease is an inflammatory disease.

[0055] Embodiment 41. The compound for use of Embodiment 40, wherein the disease is atherosclerosis, arthritis, or
30 rheumatoid arthritis.

[0056] Embodiment 42. The compound for use of Embodiment 39, wherein the disease is a cardiovascular disease.

[0057] Embodiment 43. The compound for use of Embodiment 42, wherein the diseases is a cardiovascular disease involving atherosclerotic plaques.

[0058] Embodiment 44. The compound for use of Embodiment 43, wherein the diseases is an atherosclerotic pathology caused by rupture of plaques, acute coronary syndrome, myocardial infarction, thrombosis, or vessel occlusion.
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[0059] Embodiment 45. The compound for use of Embodiment 39, wherein the disease is a fibrotic disease.

[0060] Embodiment 46. The compound for use of Embodiment 45, wherein the disease is selected from the group comprising idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis, Crohn's disease, and liver fibrosis.

[0061] Embodiment 47. The compound for use of any one of Embodiments 33 to 38, wherein the compound comprises a therapeutically active nuclide, preferably a therapeutically active radionuclide.
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[0062] Embodiment 48. The compound for use of Embodiment 47, wherein the therapeutically active nuclide is selected from the group comprising ^{47}Sc , ^{67}Cu , ^{89}Sr , ^{90}Y , ^{153}Sm , ^{149}Tb , ^{161}Tb , ^{177}Lu , ^{186}Re , ^{188}Re , ^{212}Pb , ^{213}Bi , ^{223}Ra , ^{225}Ac , ^{226}Th , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I , ^{211}At , preferably ^{47}Sc , ^{67}Cu , ^{90}Y , ^{177}Lu , ^{188}Re , ^{212}Pb , ^{213}Bi , ^{225}Ac , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I , ^{211}At and most
45 preferably ^{90}Y , ^{177}Lu , ^{225}Ac , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I and ^{211}At .

[0063] Embodiment 49. The compound for use of any one of Embodiments 33 to 48, wherein the method comprises the administration of a therapeutically effective amount of the compound to a subject, preferably to a mammal, wherein the mammal is selected from the group comprising man, companion animals, pets, and livestock, more preferably the subject is selected from the group comprising man, dog, cat, horse, and cow, and most preferably the subject is a human being.

[0064] Embodiment 99. A method for the treatment of a disease in a subject, wherein the method comprises administering to the subject a therapeutically effective amount of a compound according to any one of Embodiment 1 to 7, 10 to 13. Embodiment 100. The method of Embodiment 99, wherein the compound comprises a therapeutically active agent, whereby the agent is preferably a radionuclide.
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[0065] Embodiment 101. The method of any one of Embodiments 99 to 100, wherein the disease is a disease involving fibroblast activation protein (FAP), preferably upregulated expression of fibroblast activation protein (FAP).
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[0066] Embodiment 102. The method of any one of Embodiments 99 to 101, wherein the disease involves cells showing upregulated expression of fibroblast activation protein (FAP), preferably diseased tissue containing cells showing upregulated expression of fibroblast activation protein (FAP), more preferably disease involving tumor associated

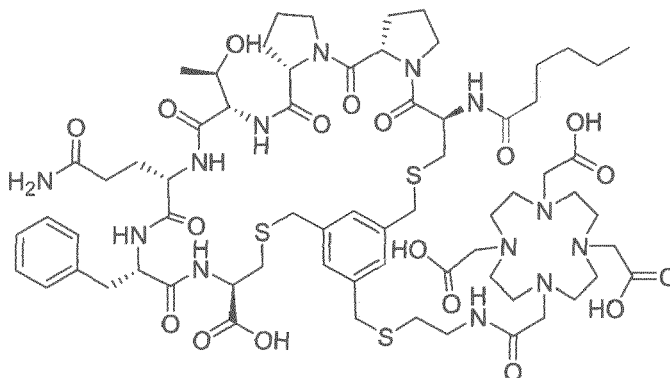
fibroblasts.

[0067] Embodiment 103. The method of any one of Embodiments 99 to 102, wherein the disease is selected from the groups comprising neoplasms, preferably cancers or tumors, and inflammatory disease, cardiovascular disease, autoimmune disease, and fibrotic disease.

[0068] Embodiment 104. A kit comprising a compound according to any one of Embodiments 1 to 7, 10 to 13, one or more optional excipient(s) and optionally one or more device(s), whereby the device(s) is/are selected from the group comprising a labeling device, a purification device, a handling device, a radioprotection device, an analytical device or an administration device.

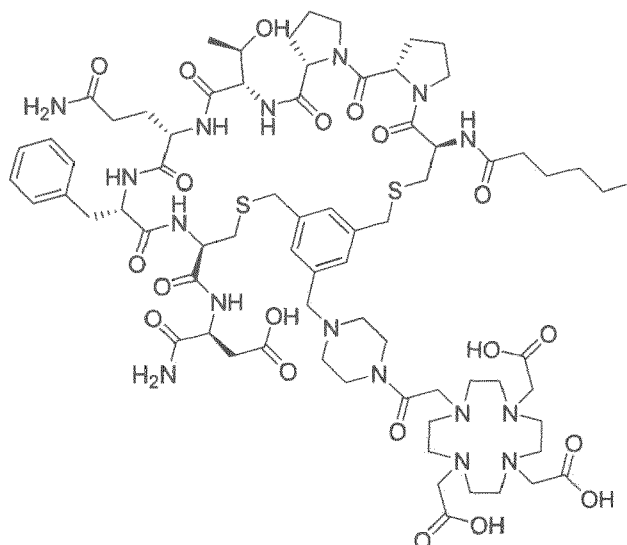
[0069] More specifically, the problem underlying the present invention is solved in a first aspect by a compound selected from the group consisting of

compound Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (3BP-3554) of the following formula



and

compound Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (3BP-3407) of the following formula



[0070] More specifically, the problem underlying the present invention is solved in a second aspect by the compound according to the first aspect, including any embodiment thereof, for use in a method for the diagnosis of a disease.

[0071] More specifically, the problem underlying the present invention is solved in a third aspect by the compound according to the first aspect, including any embodiment thereof, for use in a method for the treatment of a disease.

[0072] More specifically, the problem underlying the present invention is solved in a fourth aspect by the compound according to the first aspect, including any embodiment thereof, for use in a method for the identification of a subject, wherein the subject is likely to respond or likely not to respond to a treatment of a disease, wherein the method for the identification of a subject comprises carrying out a method of diagnosis using the compound according to the first aspect including any embodiment thereof.

[0073] More specifically, the problem underlying the present invention is solved in a fifth aspect by the compound

according to the first aspect, including any embodiment thereof, for use in a method for the selection of a subject from a group of subjects, wherein the subject is likely to respond or likely not to respond to a treatment of a disease, wherein the method for the selection of a subject from a group of subjects comprises carrying out a method of diagnosis using the compound according to the first aspect, including any embodiment thereof.

[0074] More specifically, the problem underlying the present invention is solved in a sixth aspect by the compound according to the first aspect, including any embodiment thereof, for use in a method for the stratification of a group of subjects into subjects which are likely to respond to a treatment of a disease, and into subjects which are not likely to respond to a treatment of a disease, wherein the method for the stratification of a group of subjects comprises carrying out a method of diagnosis using the compound according to the first aspect, including any embodiment thereof.

[0075] More specifically, the problem underlying the present invention is solved in a seventh aspect by a composition, preferably a pharmaceutical composition, wherein the composition comprises a compound according to the first aspect including any embodiment thereof and a pharmaceutically acceptable excipient.

[0076] More specifically, the problem underlying the present invention is solved in an eighth aspect by a method for the diagnosis of a disease in a subject, wherein the method comprises administering to the subject a diagnostically effective amount of a compound according to the first aspect, including any embodiment thereof.

[0077] More specifically, the problem underlying the present invention is solved in a ninth aspect by a method for the treatment of a disease in a subject, wherein the method comprises administering to the subject a therapeutically effective amount of a compound according to the first aspect including any embodiment thereof.

[0078] More specifically, the problem underlying the present invention is solved in a tenth aspect by a kit comprising a compound according to the first aspect, including any embodiment thereof, one or more optional excipient(s) and optionally one or more device(s), whereby the device(s) is/are selected from the group comprising a labeling device, a purification device, a handling device, a radioprotection device, an analytical device or an administration device.

[0079] It will be acknowledged by a person skilled in the art that a or the compound of the invention is any compound disclosed herein, including but not limited to any compound described in any of the above embodiments and any of the following embodiments.

[0080] It will be acknowledged by a person skilled in the art that a or the method of the invention is any method disclosed herein, including but not limited to any method described in any of the above embodiments and any of the following embodiments.

[0081] It will be acknowledged by a person skilled in the art that a or the composition of the invention is any composition disclosed herein, including but not limited to any composition described in any of the above embodiments and any of the following embodiments.

[0082] It will be acknowledged by a person skilled in the art that a or the kit of the invention is any kit disclosed herein, including but not limited to any kit described in any of the above embodiments and any of the following embodiments.

[0083] The present invention is based on the surprising finding of the present inventors that the compound of the invention and more specifically the cyclic peptide thereof provides for a highly specific binding of a compound comprising such cyclic peptide to fibroblast activation protein (FAP), since FAP-specific cyclic peptide-based inhibitors with nanomolar affinity have not been described so far.

[0084] Finally, the present inventors have found that the compounds of the invention are surprisingly stable in blood plasma, and are surprisingly useful as imaging agents and efficacious in shrinking tumors.

[0085] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a chelator is a compound which is capable of forming a chelate, whereby a chelate is a compound, preferably a cyclic compound where a metal or a moiety having an electron gap or a lone pair of electrons participates in the formation of the ring. More preferably, a chelator is this kind of compound where a single ligand occupies more than one coordination site at a central atom.

[0086] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a diagnostically active compound is a compound which is suitable for or useful in the diagnosis of a disease.

[0087] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a diagnostic agent or a diagnostically active agent is a compound which is suitable for or useful in the diagnosis of a disease.

[0088] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a therapeutically active compound is a compound which is suitable for or useful in the treatment of a disease.

[0089] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a therapeutic agent or a therapeutically active agent is a compound which is suitable for or useful in the treatment of a disease.

[0090] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a theragnostically active compound is a compound which is suitable for or useful in both the diagnosis and therapy of a disease.

[0091] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a theragnostic agent or a theragnostically active agent is a compound which is suitable for or useful in both the diagnosis and therapy of a disease.

[0092] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, theragnostics is a method for the combined diagnosis and therapy of a disease; preferably, the combined diagnostically and therapeutically active compounds used in theragnostics are radiolabeled.

[0093] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, treatment of a disease is treatment and/or prevention of a disease.

[0094] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a disease involving FAP is a disease where cells including but not limited to fibroblasts expressing, preferably in an upregulated manner, FAP and tissue either expressing FAP or containing or comprising cells such as fibroblasts, preferably expressing FAP in an upregulated manner respectively, are either a or the cause for the disease and/or the symptoms of the disease, or are part of the pathology underlying the disease. A preferred FAP-expressing cell is a cancer associated fibroblast (CAF). In an embodiment of the disease, preferably when used in connection with the treatment, treating and/or therapy of the disease, affecting the cells, the tissue and pathology, respectively, results in cure, treatment or amelioration of the disease and/or the symptoms of the disease. In an embodiment of the disease, preferably when used in connection with the diagnosis and/or diagnosing of the disease, labeling of the FAP-expressing cells and/or of the FAP-expressing tissue allows discriminating or distinguishing said cells and/or said tissue from healthy or FAP-non-expressing cells and/or healthy or FAP non-expressing tissue. More preferably such discrimination or distinction forms the basis for said diagnosis and diagnosing, respectively. In an embodiment thereof, labeling means the interaction of a detectable label either directly or indirectly with the FAP-expressing cells and/or with the FAP-expressing tissue or tissue containing such FAP-expressing cells; more preferably such interaction involves or is based on the interaction of the label or a compound bearing such label with FAP.

[0095] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a target cell is a cell which is expressing FAP and is a or the cause for a disease and/or the symptoms of a disease, or is part of the pathology underlying a disease.

[0096] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a non-target cell is a cell which is either not expressing FAP and/or is not a or the cause for a disease and/or the symptoms of a disease, or is part of the pathology underlying a disease.

[0097] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a neoplasm is an abnormal new growth of cells. The cells in a neoplasm grow more rapidly than normal cells and will continue to grow if not treated. A neoplasm may be benign or malignant.

[0098] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a tumor is a mass lesion that may be benign or malignant.

[0099] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a cancer is a malignant neoplasm.

[0100] The amino acid sequences of the peptides provided herein are depicted in typical peptide sequence format, as would be understood by the ordinary skilled artisan. For example, the three-letter code of a conventional amino acid, or the code for a non-conventional amino acid or the abbreviations for additional building blocks, indicates the presence of the amino acid or building block in a specified position within the peptide sequence. The code for each amino acid or building block is connected to the code for the next and/or previous amino acid or building block in the sequence by a hyphen which (typically represents an amide linkage).

[0101] Where an amino acid contains more than one amino and/or carboxy group all orientations of this amino acid are in principle possible, but in α -amino acid the utilization of the α -amino and the α -carboxy group is preferred and otherwise preferred orientations are explicitly specified.

[0102] For amino acids, in their abbreviations the first letter indicates the stereochemistry of the C- α -atom if applicable. For example, a capital first letter indicates that the L-form of the amino acid is present in the peptide sequence, while a lower case first letter indicating that the D-form of the correspondent amino acid is present in the peptide sequence.

[0103] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, an aromatic L- α -amino acid is any kind of L- α -amino acid which comprises an aryl group.

[0104] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a heteroaromatic L- α -amino acid is any kind of L- α -amino acid which comprises a heteroaryl group.

[0105] Unless indicated to the contrary, the amino acid sequences are presented herein in N- to C-terminus direction.

[0106] Compounds of the invention typically contain amino acid sequences as provided herein. Conventional amino acids, also referred to as natural amino acids are identified according to their standard three-letter abbreviations and one-letter abbreviations, as set forth in Table 2.

Table 2. Conventional amino acids and their abbreviations

Amino acid	3-letter abbreviation	1-letter abbreviation
Alanine	Ala	A
Arginine	Arg	R
Asparagine	Asn	N
Aspartic acid	Asp	D
Cysteine	Cys	C
Glutamic acid	Glu	E
Glutamine	Gln	Q

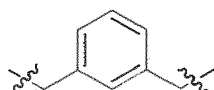
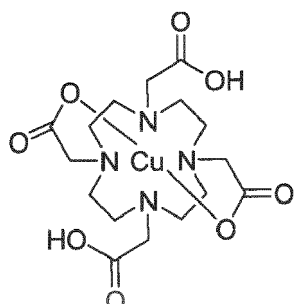
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Amino acid	3-letter abbreviation	1-letter abbreviation
Glycine	Gly	G
Histidine	His	H
Isoleucine	Ile	I
Leucine	Leu	L
Lysine	Lvs	K
Methionine	Met	M
Phenylalanine	Phe	F
Proline	Pro	P
Serine	Ser	S
Threonine	Thr	T
Tryptophan	Trp	W
Tyrosine	Tyr	Y
Valine	Val	V

[0107] Non-conventional amino acids, also referred to as non-natural amino acids, are any kind of non-oligomeric compound which comprises an amino group and a carboxylic group and is not a conventional amino acid.

[0108] Examples of non-conventional amino acids and other building blocks as used for the construction of compounds of the invention are identified according to their abbreviation or name found in Table 3. The structures of some building blocks are depicted with an exemplary reagent for introducing the building block into the peptide (e.g., as carboxylic acid like) or these building blocks are shown as residue which is completely attached to another structure like a peptide or amino acid. The structures of the amino acids are shown as explicit amino acids and not as residues of the amino acids how they are presented after implementation in the peptide sequence. Some larger chemical moieties consisting of more than one moiety are also shown for the reason of clarity.

Table 3: Abbreviation, name and structure of non-natural amino-acid and other building blocks and chemical moieties

Abbreviation	Name	Structure
3MeBn	3-Methylbenzylidene	
AET	2-Aminoethanethiol	$\text{H}_2\text{N}-\text{CH}_2-\text{CH}_2-\text{SH}$
CuDOTA	DOTA complexing Copper	

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Abbreviation	Name	Structure
Cy5SO ₃	Cy5 dye (mono S03)	
Cys(3MeBn)		
Cys(tMeBn (DOTA-AET))		
Cys(tMeBn (DOTA-PP))		
Cys(tMeBn (H-AET))		

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Abbreviation	Name	Structure
Cys(tMeBn (H-PP))		
DOTA	1,4,7,10-Tetraazacyclododecane-1,4,7,10-tetraacetic acid	
EuDOTA	DOTA complexing Europium	
GaDOTA	DOTA complexing Gallium	
Hex	Hexanoic acid	
Hex-	hexanoyl	
InDOTA	DOTA complexing Indium	

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Abbreviation	Name	Structure
LuDOTA	DOTA complexing Lutetium	
PP	Piperazinylden	
tMeBn	1,3,5-Trimethylbenzyliden	
tMeBn(H-AET)		
tMeBn(H-PP)		
ZnDOTA	Zinc complex of DOTA	

[0109] In accordance with the instant application, DOTA stands for 1,4,7,10-tetrazacyclododecane-1,4,7,10-tetraacetic acid.

[0110] It will be further acknowledged by the persons skilled in the art that the presence of a chelator in the compound of the invention includes, if not stated otherwise, the possibility that the chelator is complexed to any metal complex partner, i.e. any metal which, in principle, can be complexed by the chelator. An explicitly mentioned chelator of a compound of the invention or the general term chelator in connection with the compound of the invention refers either to the uncomplexed chelator as such or to the chelator to which any metal complex partner is bound, wherein the metal complex partner is any radioactive or non-radioactive metal complex partner. Preferably the chelator metal complex, i.e. the chelator to which the metal complex partner is bound, is a stable chelator metal complex.

[0111] Non-radioactive chelator metal complexes have several applications, e.g. for assessing properties like stability or

activity which are otherwise difficult to determine. One aspect is that cold variants of the radioactive versions of the metal complex partner (e.g. non-radioactive Gallium, Lutetium or Indium complexes as described in the examples) can act as surrogates of the radioactive compounds. Furthermore, they are valuable tools for identifying metabolites *in vitro* or *in vivo*, as well as for assessing toxicity properties of the compounds of invention. Additionally, chelator metal complexes can be used in binding assays utilizing the fluorescence properties of some metal complexes with distinct ligands (e.g. Europium salts).

[0112] It will be acknowledged by a person skilled in the art that the radioactive nuclide which is or which is to be attached to the compound of the invention, is selected taking into consideration the disease to be treated and/or the disease to be diagnosed, respectively, and/or the particularities of the patient and patient group, respectively, to be treated and to be diagnosed, respectively.

[0113] In an embodiment of the present invention, the radioactive nuclide is also referred to as radionuclide. Radioactive decay is the process by which an atomic nucleus of an unstable atom loses energy by emitting ionizing particles (ionizing radiation). There are different types of radioactive decay. A decay, or loss of energy, results when an atom with one type of nucleus, called the parent radionuclide, transforms to an atom with a nucleus in a different state, or to a different nucleus containing different numbers of protons and neutrons. Either of these products is named the daughter nuclide. In some decays the parent and daughter are different chemical elements, and thus the decay process results in nuclear transmutation (creation of an atom of a new element). For example, the radioactive decay can be alpha decay, beta decay, and gamma decay. Alpha decay occurs when the nucleus ejects an alpha particle (helium nucleus). This is the most common process of emitting nucleons, but in rarer types of decays, nuclei can eject protons, or specific nuclei of other elements (in the process called cluster decay). Beta decay occurs when the nucleus emits an electron (β^- -decay) or positron (β^+ -decay) and a type of neutrino, in a process that changes a proton to a neutron or the other way around. By contrast, there exist radioactive decay processes that do not result in transmutation. The energy of an excited nucleus may be emitted as a gamma ray in gamma decay, or used to eject an orbital electron by interaction with the excited nucleus in a process called internal conversion, or used to absorb an inner atomic electron from the electron shell whereby the change of a nuclear proton to neutron causes the emission of an electron neutrino in a process called electron capture (EC), or may be emitted without changing its number of proton and neutrons in a process called isomeric transition (IT). Another form of radioactive decay, the spontaneous fission (SF), is found only in very heavy chemical elements resulting in a spontaneous breakdown into smaller nuclei and a few isolated nuclear particles.

[0114] In a preferred embodiment of the present invention, the radionuclide can be used for labeling of the compound of the invention.

[0115] In an embodiment of the present invention, the radionuclide is suitable for complexing with a chelator, leading to a radionuclide chelate complex.

[0116] In a further embodiment one or more atoms of the compound of the invention are of non-natural isotopic composition, preferably these atoms are radionuclides; more preferably radionuclides of carbon, oxygen, nitrogen, sulfur, phosphorus and halogens: These radioactive atoms are typically part of amino acids, in some case halogen containing amino acids, and/or building blocks and in some cases halogenated building blocks each of the compound of the invention.

[0117] In a preferred embodiment of the present invention, the radionuclide has a half-life that allows for diagnostic and/or therapeutic medical use. Specifically, the half-life is between 1 min and 100 days.

[0118] In a preferred embodiment of the present invention, the radionuclide has a decay energy that allows for diagnostic and/or therapeutic medical use. Specifically, for γ -emitting isotopes, the decay energy is between 0.004 and 10 MeV, preferably between 0.05 and 4 MeV, for diagnostic use. For positron-emitting isotopes, the decay energy is between 0.6 and 13.2 MeV, preferably between 1 and 6 MeV, for diagnostic use. For particle-emitting isotopes, the decay energy is between 0.039 and 10 MeV, preferably between 0.4 and 6.5 MeV, for therapeutic use.

[0119] In a preferred embodiment of the present invention, the radionuclide is industrially produced for medical use. Specifically, the radionuclide is available in GMP quality.

[0120] In a preferred embodiment of the present invention, the daughter nuclide(s) after radioactive decay of the radionuclide are compatible with the diagnostic and/or therapeutic medical use. Furthermore, the daughter nuclides are either stable or further decay in a way that does not interfere with or even support the diagnostic and/or therapeutic medical use. Representative radionuclides which may be used in connection with the present invention are summarized in Table 4.

Table 4: Key properties of relevant radionuclides - half life, decay types and decay energies

Radionuclide	Half-life (min)	Half-life (hours)	Half-life (days)	Decay	Energy (MeV)	Additional decays (energy [MeV])
Carbon						
C-11	20.4	0.34		EC β^+	1.982	
Nitrogen						

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	Radionuclide	Half-life (min)	Half-life (hours)	Half-life (days)	Decay	Energy (MeV)	Additional decays (energy [MeV])
5	N-13	9.97	0.17		EC β^+	2.220	
	Oxygen						
	O-15	2.00			EC β^+	2.754	
	Fluorine						
10	F-18	110	1.83		β^+	1.656	
	Mg-28		20.9		β^-	1.832	
	Aluminum						
15	Al-28	2.24	0.04		β^-	4.642	
	Al-29	6.56			β^-	3.690	
	Silicon						
	Si-31	157	2.62		β^-	1.492	
20	Phosphorus						
	P-30	2.50	0.04		β^+	4.232	
	P-32			14.3	β^-	1.170	
25	P-33			25.4	β^-	0.077	
	Sulphur						
	S-35			87.4	β^-	0.167	
	S-37	5.00	0.08				
30	S-38		2.80		β^-	2.937	
	Chlorine						
	Cl-34m1	32.0	0.53		EC	5.693	
35	Cl-38	37.2	0.62		β^-	4.917	
	Cl-39	55.6	0.93		β^-	3.422	
	Scandium						
	Sc-43		3.89		EC	2.221	
40	Sc-44		3.97		β^+	0.632	
	Sc-44m1		58.6	2.44	IT	0.271	98.8% IT (0.27086), 1.2% EC (3.924)
	Sc-46			83.8	β^-	2.367	
45	Sc-47		80.4	3.35	β^-	0.601	
	Sc-48		43.7	1.82	β^-	3.988	
	Sc-49	57.4	0.96		β^-	2.002	
	Titanium						
50	Ti-45	185	3.08		EC	2.062	
	Ti-51	5.76			β^-	2.472	
	Vanadium						
55	V-47	32.6	0.54		β^+	2.931	
	V-48			16.2	EC	4.013	
	V-49			330	EC	0.602	

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	Radionuclide	Half-life (min)	Half-life (hours)	Half-life (days)	Decay	Energy (MeV)	Additional decays (energy [MeV])
5	V-52	3.74			β^-	3.975	
	Chromium						
	Cr-48		23.0		EC	1.655	
	Cr-49	42.1	0.70		β^+	2.628	
10	Cr-51			27.7	EC	0.753	
	Cr-55	3.50			β^-	2.603	
	Cr-56	5.94			β^-	1.630	
15	Manganese						
	Mn-51	46.2	0.77		β^+	2.185	
	Mn-52m1	21.1	0.35		EC	5.091	98.25% EC (5.091), 1.75% IT (0.3796)
20	Mn-52			5.59	β^+	3.689	
	Mn-54			312	EC	1.377	
	Mn-56		2.58		β^-	3.696	
	Iron						
25	Fe-52		8.28		EC	2.375	
	Fe-53m1		2.54		IT	3.042	
	Fe-53		8.51		EC	3.742	
30	Fe-59			44.5	β^-	1.565	
	Fe-61		5.98		β^-	3.977	
	Cobalt						
	Co-55		17.5		EC	3.451	
35	Co-56			78.8	EC	4.567	
	Co-57			271	EC	0.836	
	Co-58m1		9.15		IT	0.026	
40	Co-58			70.8	EC	2.308	
	Co-60m1	10.5	0.17		IT	0.059	99.76% IT (0.05932), 0.24% β^- (2.882)
	Co-61		1.65		β^-	1.324	
45	Co-62m1	13.9	0.23		β^-	5.337	
	Nickel						
	Ni-56		146	6.10	EC	2.133	
	Ni-57		36.1	1.50	β^+	3.262	
50	Ni-63				β^-	0.067	
	Ni-65		2.52		β^-	2.138	
	Ni-66		54.6	2.28	β^-	0.252	
55	Copper						
	Cu-60	23.2	0.39		EC	6.128	
	Cu-61		3.41		EC	2.238	

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	Radionuclide	Half-life (min)	Half-life (hours)	Half-life (days)	Decay	Energy (MeV)	Additional decays (energy [MeV])
5	Cu-62	9.74	0.16		EC	3.959	
	Cu-64		12.7		β^+	0.653	61.5% EC (1.674), 38.5% β^- (0.5797)
	Cu-66	5.10	0.09		β^-	2.641	
10	Cu-67			2.58	β^-	0.580	
	Cu-68m1	3.75			IT	0.722	84 % IT (0.72163), 16% β^- (5.162)
	Cu-69	2.85			β^-	2.681	
15	Zinc						
	Zn-60	2.38			EC	4.171	
	Zn-62		9.26		EC	1.620	
	Zn-63	38.1	0.64		EC	3.366	
20	Zn-65			244	EC	1.352	
	Zn-69m1		13.8		IT	0.438	99.997% IT (0.43818), 0.003% β^- (1.348)
	Zn-69	57.0	0.95		β^-	0.910	
25	Zn-71m1		3.92		β^-	2.970	99.95% β^- (2.97), 0.05% IT (0.15986)
	Zn-71	2.45			β^-	2.810	
	Zn-72		46.5	1.94	β^-	0.443	
30	Gallium						
	Ga-65	15.2	0.25		EC	3.255	
	Ga-66		9.40		EC	5.175	
35	Ga-67		78.2	3.26	EC	1.001	
	Ga-68	68.0	1.13		β^+	2.921	
	Ga-70	21.1	0.35		β^-	1.652	99.59% β^- (1.652), 0.41% EC (0.65456)
40	Ga-72		14.1		β^-	3.998	
	Ga-73		4.91		β^-	1.598	
	Ga-74	8.12	0.14		β^-	5.373	
45	Selenium						
	Se-70	41.0	0.68		β^+	2.412	
	Se-72	504	8.40		EC	0.362	
	Se-73m	39.0	0.65		IT	2.761	27.4% EC (2.761), 72.6 % IT (0.03608)
50	Se-73	429	7.15		EC	2.725	
	Se-75			120	EC	0.865	
	Se-79m1	3.92			IT	0.096	99.94% IT (0.09622), 0.06% (0.247)
55	Se-81m1	57.2	0.95		IT	0.103	99.95% IT (0.10253), 0.05% β^- (1.689)
	Se-81	18.5	0.31		β^-	1.587	

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	Radionuclide	Half-life (min)	Half-life (hours)	Half-life (days)	Decay	Energy (MeV)	Additional decays (energy [MeV])
5	Se-83	22.3	0.37		β^-	3.673	
	Se-84	3.26			β^-	1.836	
	Bromine						
	Br-73	3.40			EC	4.580	
10	Br-74m1	41.5	0.69		EC	9.921	
	Br-74	25.3	0.42		EC	6.925	
	Br-75	98.0	1.63		EC	3.062	
15	Br-76		16.2		β^+	3.941	
	Br-77		57.0	2.38	β^+	0.342	
	Br-78	6.64	0.11		EC	3.574	99.99% EC (3.574), 0.01% β^- (0.72746)
20	Br-80m1	265.20	4.42		IT	0.085	
	Br-80	17.40	0.29		EC	1.870	1,87 (EC), 2,004 (β^-), EC = 91,7, β^- = 8,3
	Br-82		35.30	1.47	β^-	3.090	
25	Br-83	143.40	2.39		β^-	0.972	
	Br-84	31.80	0.53		β^-	4.656	
	Br-84m1	6.00			β^-	4.960	
30	Br-85	2.90			β^-	2.905	
	Yttrium						
	Y-83	7.08			EC	4.470	
35	Y-83m1	2.85			EC	4.532	4.532 (EC β^+), 0.062 (IT), EC β^+ = 60, IT = 40
	Y-84						
	Y-84m1	39.50	0.66		EC	6.490	
	Y-85	160.80	2.68		EC	3.250	
40	Y-85m1	291.60	4.86		EC	3.270	
	Y-86m1	48.00	0.80		IT	0.218	
	Y-86		14.74		EC β^+	4.22	
45	Y-87m1		13.37		IT	0.381	0.381 (IT), 2.243 (EC β^+), IT = 98,43, EC β^+ = 1,57
	Y-87		80.30	3.35	EC β^+	1.862	
	Y-88			106.64	EC β^+	3.623	
50	Y-90m1		3.19		IT	0.682	
	Y-90		64.08	2.67	β^-	2.280	
	Y-91m1	49.71	0.83		IT		
55	Y-91			58.51	β^-		
	Y-92		3.54		β^-	3.639	
	Y-93		10.10		β^-	2.893	
	Y-94	19.10	0.32		β^-	4.919	

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	Radionuclide	Half-life (min)	Half-life (hours)	Half-life (days)	Decay	Energy (MeV)	Additional decays (energy [MeV])
5	Y-95	10.70	0.18		β^-	4.420	
	Zirconium						
	Zr-84	25.90			$EC\beta^+$		
10	Zr-85	7.86			$EC\beta^+$	4.690	
	Zr-86		16.50		$EC\beta^+$	1.480	
	Zr-87	100.80	1.68		$EC\beta^+$	3.665	
	Zr-88			83.40	EC	0.670	
15	Zr-89m1	4.18			IT	0.588	3.420 ($EC\beta^+$), 0.588 (IT), $EC\beta^+$ = 6,23, IT = 93,77
	Zr-89		78.43	3.27	β^+	0.9	
	Zr-95			63.98	β^-	1.125	
20	Zr-97		16.90		β^-	2.658	
	Niobium						
	Nb-87	2.60			$EC\beta^+$	5.170	
25	Nb-87m1	3.70			$EC\beta^+$	5.170	
	Nb-88	14.50	0.24		$EC\beta^+$	7.200	
	Nb-88m1	7.80			$EC\beta^+$	7.200	
	Nb-89	114.00	1.90		$EC\beta^+$	4.290	
30	Nb-89m1	70.80	1.18		$EC\beta^+$	4.290	
	Nb-90		14.60		$EC\beta^+$	6.111	
	Nb-91m1			60.86	IT	0.104	0.104 (IT), 1.357 ($EC\beta^+$), IT = 93, $EC\beta^+$ = 7
35	Nb-95m1		86.60	3.61	IT	0.236	
	Nb-95			35.15	β^-	0.926	
	Nb-96		23.35		β^-	3.187	
40	Nb-97	72.10	1.20		β^-	1.934	
	Nb-98m1	51.50	0.86		β^-	4.586	
	Molybdenum						
	Mo-88	8.00			$EC\beta^+$	3.720	
45	Mo-89	2.04			$EC\beta^+$	5.580	
	Mo-90		5.67		$EC\beta^+$	2.489	
	Mo-91	15.49			$EC\beta^+$	4.434	
50	Mo-93m1		6.85		IT. $EC\beta^+$ +	2.830	IT = 99.88, $EC\beta^+$ = 0.12
	Mo-99		66.00	2.75	β^-	1.375	
	Mo-101	14.62	0.24		β^-	2.824	
55	Mo-102	11.30			β^-	1.010	
	Technetium						
	Tc-91	3.14	0.05		$EC\beta^+$	6.220	

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	Radionuclide	Half-life (min)	Half-life (hours)	Half-life (days)	Decay	Energy (MeV)	Additional decays (energy [MeV])
5	Tc-91m1	3.30	0.06		EC β^+	6.570	6.57 (EC β^+), 0.35 (IT); EC β^+ \approx 100, IT < 1
	Tc-92	4.23	0.07		EC β^+	7.870	
10	Tc-93m1	43.50	0.73		IT	0.392	3.593 (EC β^+), 0.392 (IT), IT = 76.6, EC β^+ = 23.4
	Tc-93		2.75		EC	3.201	
	Tc-94m1	52.00	0.87		β^+	2.36	1.730 (EC β^+), 0.075 (IT); EC β^+ \approx 100, IT < 0.1
15	Tc-94		4.90		EC β^+	4.256	
	Tc-95m1			61.00	EC β^+	1.730	1.730 (EC β^+), 0.039 (IT); EC β^+ = 96.12, IT = 3.88
	Tc-95		20.00		EC	1.691	
20	Tc-96m1	51.50	0.86		IT	0.034	3.007 (EC β^+), 0.034 (IT), IT = 98.0, EC β^+ = 2.0
	Tc-96		102.72	4.28	EC	2.973	
	Tc-97m1			87.00	IT	0.097	
25	Tc-99m1		6.02		IT	0.143	
	Tc-101	14.20	0.24		β^-	1.614	
	Tc-102m1	4.35			β^-	4.530	4.53 (β^-), 0.0 (IT), β^- = 98, IT = 2
30	Tc-104	18.20	0.30		β^-	5.600	
	Tc-105	7.60	0.13		β^-	3.640	
	Ruthenium						
	Ru-92	3.65			EC β^+	4.500	
35	Ru-94	51.80	0.86		EC	1.593	
	Ru-95		1.64		EC β^+	2.572	
	Ru-97		69.60	2.90	EC	1.115	
40	Ru-103			39.28	β^-	0.763	
	Ru-105		4.44		β^-	1.917	
	Ru-106			368.20	β^-	0.039	
	Ru-107	3.76	0.06		β^-	2.940	
45	Ru-108	4.55	0.08		β^-	1.360	
	Rhodium						
	Rh-95	5.02	0.08		EC β^+	5.110	
50	Rh-95m1	1.96	0.03		IT	0.543	5.653 (EC β^+), 0.543 (IT); % EC β^+ = 12, IT = 88
	Rh-96	9.90	0.17		EC β^+	6.446	
	Rh-97	30.70	0.51		EC β^+	3.520	
55	Rh-97m1	46.20	0.77		EC β^+	3.779	3.779 (EC β^+), 0.259 (IT); EC β^+ = 94.4, IT = 5.6
	Rh-98	8.70	0.15		EC β^+	5.057	
	Rh-98m1	3.50	0.06		EC β^+	5.057	5.057 (EC β^+), 0.0 (IT); EC β^+ > 0

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	Radionuclide	Half-life (min)	Half-life (hours)	Half-life (days)	Decay	Energy (MeV)	Additional decays (energy [MeV])
5	Rh-99m1		4.70		EC β^+	2.167	2.167 (EC β^+), 0.064 (IT), EC β^+ > 99.84, IT < 0.16
	Rh-99			16.00	EC β^+	2.130	
	Rh-100		20.80		EC β^+	3.630	
10	Rh-101m1		104.16	4.34	EC	0.699	0.699 (EC), 0.157 (IT), EC = 92.8, IT = 7.2
	Rh-102			207.00	EC β^+	2.323	2.323 (EC β^+), 1.150 (β^-), EC β^+ = 80, β^- = 20
15	Rh-103m1	56.12	0.94		IT	0.040	
	Rh-104m1	4.34			IT	0.129	0.129 (IT), 2.570 (β^-), IT = 99.87, β^- = 0.13
	Rh-105		35.36	1.47	β^-	0.567	
20	Rh-106m1	132.00	2.20		β^-	3.678	
	Rh-107	21.70	0.36		β^-	1.511	
	Rh-108m1	6.00			β^-	4.510	
25	Palladium						
	Pd-97	3.10			EC β^+	4.800	
	Pd-98	17.70			EC β^+	1.873	
	Pd-99	21.40			EC β^+	3.365	
30	Pd-100		87.12	3.63	EC	0.361	
	Pd-101		8.27		EC β^+	1.980	
	Pd-103			16.96	EC	0.543	
	Pd-109		13.43		β^-	1.116	
35	Pd-109m1	4.70			IT	0.189	
	Pd-111	23.40	0.39		β^-	2.190	
	Pd-111m1		5.50		IT	0.172	0.172 (IT), 2.362 (β^-); IT = 73, β^- = 27
40	Pd-112		21.03		β^-	0.288	
	Pd-114	2.42	0.04		β^-	1.451	
	Silver						
45	Ag-100	2.01			EC β^+	7.050	
	Ag-100m1	2.24			EC β^+	7.066	7.066 (EC β^+), 0.015 (IT)
	Ag-101	11.10			EC β^+	4.200	
50	Ag-102	12.90	0.22		EC β^+	5.920	
	Ag-102m1	7.70			EC β^+	5.929	5.929 (EC β^+), 0.009 (IT), EC β^+ = 51, IT = 49
	Ag-103	65.70	1.10		EC β^+	2.688	
55	Ag-104m1	33.50	0.56		EC β^+	4.286	4.286 (EC β^+), 0.007 (IT), EC β^+ \approx 100, IT < 0,07
	Ag-104	69.20	1.15		EC β^+	4.279	
	Ag-105			41.00	EC β^+	1.346	

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5	Ag-106m1		201.84	8.41	EC	3.055	
	Ag-106	23.96	0.40		EC β^+	2.965	2.965 (EC β^+), 0.195 (β^-), EC β^+ = 99.5, β^- < 1
10	Ag-108	2.37	0.04		β^-	1.649	1.649 (β^-), 1.918 (EC β^+), β^- = 97.15, EC β^+ = 2.85
	Ag-110m1			249.90	β^-	3.010	3.010 (β^-), 0.188 (IT), β^- = 98.64, IT = 1.,36
	Ag-111		178.80	7.45	β^-	0.810	
15	Ag-112	187.20	3.12		β^-	3.956	
	Ag-113	322.20	5.37		β^-	2.016	
	Ag-115	20.00	0.33		β^-	3.100	
	Ag-116	2.68			β^-	6.160	
20	Cadmium						
	Cd-102	5.50			EC β^+	2.587	
	Cd-103	7.30			EC β^+	4.142	
25	Cd-104	57.70	0.96		EC β^+	1.136	
	Cd-105	55.50			EC β^+	2.739	
	Cd-107		6.49		EC β^+	1.417	
	Cd-111	48.54			IT	0.396	
30	Cd-115m1			44.60	β^-	1.627	
	Cd-115		53.46	2.23	β^-	1.446	
	Cd-117m1	201.60	3.36		β^-	2.653	
35	Cd-117	149.40	2.49		β^-	2.517	
	Cd-118	50.30			β^-	0.520	
	Cd-119	2.69			β^-	3.800	
	Cd-119m1	2.20			β^-	3.947	
40	Indium						
	In-105	5.07			EC β^+	4.85	
	In-106	6.20			EC β^+	6.52	
45	In-106m1	5.20			EC β^+	6.55	
	In-107	32.40			EC β^+	3.43	
	In-108	58.00			EC β^+	5.15	
	In-108m1	39.60			EC β^+	5.18	
50	In-109		4.20		EC β^+	2.020	
	In-110		4.9		EC β^+	3.878	
	In-110m1	69.10	1.15		EC β^+	3.940	
55	In-111		67.92	2.83	EC	0.245	
	In-112	14.40	0.24		EC β^+	2.586	2.586 (EC β^+), 0.664 (β^-); EC β^+ = 56, β^- = 44
	In-113m1		1.66		IT	0.392	

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5	In-114m1			49.51	IT	0.190	0.190 (IT), 1.642 (ECβ+), IT = 96.75, ECβ+ = 3.25
	In-115m1		4.49		IT	0.336	0.336 (IT), 0.831 (β-), IT = 95.0, β- = 5.0
10	In-116m1	54.15	0.90		β-	3.401	
	In-117m1	116.50	1.94		β-	1.770	1.770 (β-), 0.315 (IT); β- = 52.9, IT = 47.1
	In-117	43.80	0.73		β-	1.455	
15	In-118m1	4.45			β-	4.483	
	In-119m1	18.00	0.30		β-	2.675	2.675 (β-), 0.311 (IT); β- = 94.4, IT = 5.6
	In-119	2.40	0.04		β-	2.364	
20	In-121m1	3.88	0.06		β-	3.674	3.674 (β-), 0.314 (IT), β- = 98.8, IT = 1.2
	Tin						
	Sn-107	2.90			ECβ+	5.01	
25	Sn-108	10.30			ECβ+	2.092	
	Sn-109	18.00			ECβ+	3.85	
	Sn-110		4.11		EC	0.638	
30	Sn-111	35.30	0.59		ECβ+	2.445	
	Sn-113m1		21.40		ECβ+	1.113	0.077 (IT), 1.113 (ECβ+), IT = 91.1, ECβ+ = 8.9
	Sn-113			115.09	ECβ+	1.036	
35	Sn-117m1			13.61	IT	0.135	
	Sn-119m1			293.00	IT	0.090	
	Sn-121		27.06	1.13	β-	0.388	
40	Sn-123m1	40.08	0.67		β-	1.429	
	Sn-123			129.20	β-	1.404	
	Sn-125		231.36	9.64	β-	2.364	
	Sn-125m1	9.52			β-	2.364	
45	Sn-127		2.10		β-	3.20	
	Sn-127m1	4.13			β-	3.21	
	Sn-128	59.10	0.99		β-	1.27	
	Sn-129	2.23			β-	4.00	
50	Sn-129m1	6.90			β-	4.04	4.035 (β-), 0.035 (IT), β- ≈ 100, IT ≈ 2·10 ⁻⁴
	Sn-130	3.72			β-	2.15	
	Antimony						
55	Sb-113	6.67	0.11		β+	3.905	
	Sb-114	3.49	0.06		β+	5.880	
	Sb-155	32.10	0.54		β+	3.030	

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5	Sb-116	15.80	0.26		β^+	4.707	
	Sb-116m1	60.30	1.01		β^+	5.090	
	Sb -117	62.80	2.80		β^+	1.757	
10	Sb-118	3.60	0.06		β^+	3.657	
	Sb-18m1		5.00		β^+	3.907	
	Sb-119		38.19	1.59	EC	0.594	
	Sb-120m1		138.24	5.76	EC	2.681	
15	Sb-120	15.89	0.26		EC β^+	2.681	
	Sb-122		65.28	2.72	β^-	1.979	1.979 (β^-), 1.620 (EC β^+), β^- = 97.59, EC β^+ = 2.41
	Sb-122m2	4.19	0.07		IT	0.164	
20	Sb-124m2	20.20	0.34		IT	0.037	
	Sb-124			60.20	β^-	2.905	
	Sb-126m1	19.15	0.32		β^-	3.688	3.688 ((β^-), 0.016 (IT), β^- = 86, IT = 14
25	Sb-126			12.40	β^-	3.670	
	Sb-127		92.40	3.85	β^-	1.581	
	Sb-128		9.01		β^-	4.380	
30	Sb-128m1	10.40	0.17		β^-	4.380	4.380 (β^-), 0.0 (IT), β^- = 96.4, IT = 3.6
	Sb-129	259.20	4.32		β^-	2.380	
	Sb-129m1	17.70	0.30		β^-	4.231	4.231 (β^-), 1.851 (IT), β^- = 85, IT = 15
35	Sb-130	40.00	0.67		β^-	4.960	
	Sb-130m1	6.30	0.11		β^-	4.960	
	Sb-131	23.00	0.38		β^-	3.190	
	Sb-132	2.79			β^-	5.290	
40	Sb-132m1	4.15	0.07		β^-	5.290	
	Sb-133	2.50	0.04		β^-	4.003	
	Tellurium						
45	Te-112	2.00			EC β^+	4.35	
	Te-114	15.20			EC β^+	2.8	
	Te-115	5.80			EC β^+	4.64	
	Te-115m1	6.70			EC β^+	4.66	4.66 (EC β^+), 0.02 (IT), EC β^+ < 100
50	Te-116		2.49		EC	1.510	
	Te-117	62.00	1.00		EC β^+	3.535	
	Te-118	360.00	6		EC	0.278	
55	Te-119	961.80	16.03		EC β^+	2.293	
	Te-119m1	282.00	4.7		EC β^+	2.554	2.554 (EC β^+), 0.261 (IT), EC β^+ \approx 100, IT < 0.008

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5	Te-121m1			154.00	IT	0.294	0.294 (IT), 1.334 (ECβ+), IT = 88.6, ECβ+ = 11.4
	Te-121			17.00	EC	1.040	
	Te-123m1			119.70	IT	0.248	
10	Te-125m1			58.00	IT	0.145	
	Te-127m1			109.00	IT	0.088	0.088 (IT), 0.786 (β-), IT = 97.6, β- = 2.4
	Te-127		9.35		β-	0.698	
15	Te-129m1			33.60	IT	0.105	0.105 (IT), 1.604 (β-), IT = 63, β- = 37
	Te-129	69.60	1.16		β-	1.498	
	Te-131m1		30.00	1.25	β-	2.415	
20	Te-131	25.00	0.42		β-	2.233	
	Te-132		78.20	3.26	β-	0.493	
	Te-133m1	55.40	0.92		β-	3.254	3.254 (β-), 0.334 (IT), β- = 82.5, IT = 17.5
25	Te-133	12.45	0.21		β-	2.920	
	Te-134	41.80	0.70		β-	1.560	
	Iodine						
30	I-117	2.22			ECβ+	4.67	
	I-118	13.70			ECβ+	7.04	
	I-118m1	8.50			ECβ+	7.14	7.144 (ECβ+), 0.104 (IT), ECβ+ < 100, IT > 0
35	I-119	19.10			ECβ+	3.51	
	I-120m1	53.00	0.88		ECβ+	5.615	
	I-120	81.00	1.35		ECβ+	5.615	
40	I-121	127.20	2.12		ECβ+	2.270	
	I-122	3.62	0.06		ECβ+	4.234	
	I-123		13.20		EC	0.159	
	I-124		100.32	4.18	β+	2.14	
45	I-125			59.408	EC	0.035	
	I-126			13.02	ECβ+	2.155	2.155 (ECβ+), 1.258 (β-), ECβ+ = 56.3, β- = 43.7
50	I-128	24.99	0.42		β-	2.118	2118 (β-), 1.251 (ECβ+), β- = 93.1, ECβ+ = 6.9
	I-130		12.36		β-	2.949	
	I-130m1	9.00			IT	0.040	0.040 (IT), 2.989 (β-), IT = 84, β- = 16
55	I-131		192.96	8.04	β-	0.806	
	I-132m1	83.60	1.39		IT	0.120	0.120 (IT), 3.697 (β-), IT = 86, β- = 14

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5	I-132		2.30		β^-	3.577	
	I-133		20.80		β^-	1.770	
	I-134	52.60	0.88		β^-	4.170	
10	I-134m1	3.60			IT	0.316	0.316 (IT), 4.486 (β^-), IT = 97.7, β^- = 2.3
	I-135		6.61		β^-	2.648	
	Lanthanum						
15	La-127	5.10			EC β^+	4.69	
	La-127m1	3.70			EC β^+	4.705	
	La-827	5.00			EC β^+	6.7	
	La-129	11.60			EC β^+	3.72	
20	La-130	8.70			EC β^+	5.6	
	La-131	59.00	0.98		EC β^+	2.960	
	La-132		4.80		EC β^+	4.710	
25	La-132m1	24.30			IT	0.188	0.188 (IT), 4.898 (EC β^+), IT = 76, EC β^+ = 24
	La-133	234.72	3.912		EC β^+	2.23	
	La-134	6.67	0.11		EC β^+	6.450	
30	La-135		19.50		EC β^+	1.200	
	La-136	9.87			EC β^+	2.87	
	La-140		40.27	1.68	β^-	3.762	
	La-141		3.93		β^-	2.502	
35	La-142	92.50	1.54		β^-	4.505	
	La-143	14.23	0.24		β^-	3.425	
	Cerium						
40	Ce-129	3.50	0.06		EC β^+	5.05	
	Ce-130	25.00	0.42		EC β^+	2.2	
	Ce-131	10.20	0.17		EC β^+	4	
	Ce-131m1	5.00			EC β^+	4	
45	Ce-132	210.60	3.51		EC β^+	1.29	1.29 (EC β^+), 2.341 (IT)
	Ce-133	97.00	1.62		EC β^+	2.9	
	Ce-133m1	294.00	4.9		EC β^+	2.937	
50	Ce-134		72.00	3.00	EC	0.500	
	Ce-135		17.60		EC β^+	2.026	
	Ce-137m1		34.40	1.43	IT	0.254	0.254 (IT), 1.476 (EC β^+), IT = 99.22, EC β^+ = 0.78
55	Ce-137	540.00	9.00		EC	1.222	
	Ce-139			137.66	EC	0.278	
	Ce-141			32.50	β^-	0.581	

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5	Ce-143		33.00	1.38	β^-	1.462	
	Ce-144			284.30	β^-	0.319	
	Ce-145	3.01			β^-	2.54	
	Ce-146	13.52			β^-	1.04	
10	Praseodymium						
	Pr-133	6.50			EC β^+	4.3	
	Pr-134	17.00			EC β^+	6.2	
15	Pr-134m1	11.00			EC β^+	6.2	
	Pr-135	24.00			EC β^+	3.72	
	Pr-136	13.10	0.22		EC β^+	5.126	
	Pr-137	76.60	1.28		EC β^+	2.702	
20	Pr-138m1		2.10		EC β^+	4.801	
	Pr-139		4.51		EC β^+	2.129	
	Pr-140	3.39			EC β^+	3.388	
25	Pr-142m1	14.60	0.24		IT	0.004	
	Pr-142		19.12		β^-	2.162	$\beta^- \approx 100$, EC = 0.0164
	Pr-143			13.56	β^-	0.934	
	Pr-144m1	7.20	0.12		IT	0.059	IT ≈ 100 , $\beta^- = 0.07$
30	Pr-144	17.28	0.29		β^-	2.997	
	Pr-145		5.98		β^-	1.805	
	Pr-146	24.15			β^-	4.2	
35	Pr-147	13.60	0.23		β^-	2.69	
	Pr-148	2.27			β^-	4.93	
	Pr-148m1	2.00			β^-	5.02	
	Pr-149	2.26			β^-	3.397	
40	Neodymium						
	Nd-134	8.50			EC β^+	2.77	
	Nd-135	12.40			EC β^+	4.8	
45	Nd-135m1	5.50			EC β^+	4.856	
	Nd-136	50.65	0.84		EC β^+	2.210	
	Nd-137	38.50			EC β^+	3.69	
	Nd-138	302.40	5.04		EC	1.1	
50	Nd-139m1	330.00	5.50		EC β^+	3.021	3.021 (EC β^+), 0.231 (IT), EC β^+ = 88.2, IT = 11.8
	Nd-139	29.70	0.50		EC β^+	2.79	
	Nd-140	202.20	3.37		EC	0.222	
55	Nd-141		2.49		EC β^+	1.823	
	Nd-147			10.98	β^-	0.896	
	Nd-149		1.73		β^-	1.691	

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5	Nd-151	12.44	0.21		β^-	2.442	
	Nd-152	11.40			β^-	1.11	
	Promethium						
	Pm-137	2.40			EC β^+		
10	Pm-138m1	3.24			EC β^+ , IT	6.9	
	Pm-139	4.15			EC β^+	4.52	
	Pm-140m1	5.95			EC β^+	6.09	
15	Pm-140m2	5.95			EC β^+		
	Pm-141	20.90	0.35		EC β^+	3.715	
	Pm-143			265.00	EC	1.041	
20	Pm-148m1			41.30	β^-	2.606	2.606 (β^-), 0.138 (IT), β^- = 95.0, IT = 5.0
	Pm-148		128.88	5.37	β^-	2.468	
	Pm-149		53.08	2.21	β^-	1.071	
25	Pm-150		2.68		β^-	3.454	
	Pm-151		28.40	1.18	β^-	1.187	
	Pm-152	4.12			β^-	3.5	
30	Pm-152m1	7.52			β^-	3.56	
	Pm-152m2	13.80			β^-		β^- < 100, IT > 0
	Pm-153	5.25			β^-	1.9	
	Pm-154m1	2.68			β^-	4.05	
35	Samarium						
	Sm-138	3.10	0.05		EC β^+	3.900	
	Sm-139	2.57	0.04		EC β^+	5.460	
	Sm-140	14.80	0.25		EC β^+	3.020	
40	Sm-141m1	22.60	0.38		EC β^+	4.719	4.719 (EC β^+), 0.176 (IT); EC β^+ = 99.69, IT = 0.31
	Sm-141	10.20	0.17		EC β^+	4.543	
45	Sm-142	72.49	1.21		EC β^+	2.090	
	Sm-143	8.83			EC β^+	3.443	
	Sm-145			340.00	EC	0.617	
	Sm-153		46.80	1.95	β^-	0.810	
50	Sm-155	22.30	0.37		β^-	1.627	
	Sm-156		9.40		β^-	0.722	
	Sm-158	5.30	0.09		β^-	1.999	
55	Europium						
	Eu-143	2.63			EC β^+	5.275	
	Eu-145		142.56	5.94	EC β^+	2.660	

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5	Eu-146		110.64	4.61	EC β^+	3.878	
	Eu-147			24.10	EC β^+	1.722	
	Eu-148			54.50	EC β^+	3.107	
	Eu-149			93.10	EC	0.692	
10	Eu-150		12.62		β^-	1.013	EC β^+ = 11, β^- = 89, IT < 5·10 ⁻⁸
	Eu-152m 1		9.32		β^-	1.865	EC β^+ = 28, β^- = 72, 1.920 (EC β^+), 1.865 (β^-)
15	Eu-152m2	96.00	1.6		IT	0.148	
	Eu-154m1	46.30	0.77		IT	0.145	
	Eu-156			15.19	β^-	2.451	
	Eu-157		15.15		β^-	1.363	
20	Eu-158	45.90	0.77		β^-	3.490	
	Eu-159	18.10			β^-	2.514	
	Gadolinium						
25	Gd-144	4.50			EC β^+	3.74	
	Gd-145	22.90	0.38		EC β^+	5.050	
	Gd-146			48.30	EC	1.030	
	Gd-147		38.10	1.59	EC β^+	2.187	
30	Gd-149		225.60	9.40	EC β^+	1.314	
	Gd-151			120.00	EC	0.464	
	Gd-153			242.00	EC	0.485	
	Gd-159		18.49		β^-	0.971	
35	Gd-161	3.66			β^-	1.956	
	Gd-162	8.40			β^-	1.39	
	Terbium						
40	Tb-147		1.65		EC β^+	4.609	
	Tb-148		1.00		EC β^+	5.690	
	Tb-148m1	2.20			EC β^+	5.78	
45	Tb-149		4.15		β^+	2.62	3.636 (EC β^+), 4.113 (α); EC β^+ = 83.3, α = 16.7
	Tb-149m1	4.16			EC β^+	3.672	3.672 (EC β^+), 4.077 (α), EC β^+ = 99.978, α = 0.022
	Tb-150		3.27		EC β^+	4.656	
50	Tb-150m1	5.80			EC β^+	5.13	
	Tb-151		17.60		β^+	1.54	2.565 (EC β^+), 3.497 (α); EC β^+ \approx 100, α = 9.5·10 ⁻³
55	Tb-152m1	4.20			IT	0.052	0.502 (IT), 4.492 (EC β^+), IT = 78.8, EC β^+ = 21.2
	Tb-152		17.50		EC β^+	3.990	3,990 (EC β^+), 3.090 (α); EC β^+ \approx 100, α < 7·10 ⁻⁷

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5	Tb-153		56.16	2.34	EC β^+	1.570	
	Tb-154		21.40		EC β^+	3.560	3.56 (EC β^+), 0.25 (β^-), EC β^+ \approx 100, β^- < 0.1
10	Tb-154m1		9.4		EC β^+	3.560	3.56 (EC β^+), 0.0 (IT), 0.25 (β^-), EC β^+ + = 78.2, IT = 21.8, β^- < 0.1
	Tb-154m2		22.7		EC β^+	3.560	3.56 (EC β^+), 0.0 (IT), EC β^+ + = 98.2, IT = 1.8
	Tb-155		127.68	5.32	EC	0.821	
15	Tb-156m1		24.40		IT	0.050	
	Tb-156m2		5.00		IT	0.088	0.088 (IT), 2.532 (EC β^+)
	Tb-156		128.40	5.35	EC β^+	2.444	2.444 (EC β^+), 0.434 (β^-); EC β^+ \approx 100, β^- = ?
20	Tb-160			72.30	β^-	1.835	
	Tb-161		165.84	6.91	β^-	0.593	
	Tb-162	7.60	0.13		β^-	2.510	
25	Tb-163	19.50	0.33		β^-	1.785	
	Tb-164	3.00			β^-	3.89	
	Tb-165	2.11			β^-	3	
	Dysprosium						
30	Dy-148	3.10	186		EC β^+	2.678	
	Dy-149	4.20	252		EC β^+	3.812	
	Dy-150	7.17	430.2		EC β^+	1.794	4.351 (α), 1.794 (EC β^+), α = 36, EC β^+ = 64
35	Dy-151	17.90			EC β^+	2.870	2.87 (EC β^+), 4.180 (α), EC β^+ = 94.4, α = 5.6
	Dy-152		2.38		EC β^+	0.600	0.60 (EC β^+), 3.727 (α), EC(?) = 99.900, α = 0.100
40	Dy-153		6.4		EC β^+	2.170	2.17 (EC β^+), 3.559 (α), EC β^+ \approx 100, α = 0.0094
	Dy-155		9.90		EC β^+	2.095	
	Dy-157		8.14		EC β^+	1.341	
45	Dy-159			144.40	EC	0.366	
	Dy-165		2.33		β^-	1.290	
	Dy-166		81.60	3.40	β^-	0.486	
50	Dy-167	6.20			β^-	2.35	
	Dy-168	8.70			β^-	1.6	
	Holmium						
55	Ho-153	2.01			EC β^+	4.129	4.129 (EC β^+), 4.015 (α), EC β^+ = 99.949, α = 0.051
	Ho-153m1	9.30			EC β^+	4.179	4.179 (EC β^+), 4.119 (α), EC β^+ = 99.82, α = 0.18

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5	Ho-154	11.76			EC β^+	5.751	5.751 (EC β^+), 4.042 (α), EC β^+ = 99.981, α = 0.019
	Ho-154m1	3.10			EC β^+	6.071	6.071 (EC β^+), 4.362 (α), 0.320 (IT), EC β^+ \approx 100, α < 0.001, IT \approx 0
10	Ho-155	48.00	0.80		EC β^+	3.102	
	Ho-156	56.00	0.93		EC β^+	5.060	
	Ho-157	12.60	0.21		EC β^+	2.540	
	Ho-158	11.30			EC β^+	4.23	
15	Ho-158m1	28.00			IT	0.067	4.297 (EC β^+), 0.067 (IT), EC β^+ < 19, IT > 81
	Ho-158m2	21.30			EC β^+	4.410	4.41 (EC β^+), 0.18 (IT), EC β^+ > 93, IT < 7
20	Ho-159	33.00	0.55		EC β^+	1.838	
	Ho-160	25.60			EC β^+	3.29	
	Ho-160m1	301.20	5.02		IT	0.060	0.06 (IT), 3.35 (EC β^+), IT = 65, EC β^+ = 35
25	Ho-161	150.00	2.50		EC	0.895	
	Ho-162m1	67.00	1.12		IT	0.106	0.106 (IT), 2.246 (EC β^+), IT = 62, EC β^+ = 38
	Ho-162	15.00	0.25		EC β^+	2.140	
30	Ho-164m1	37.50	0.63		IT	0.140	
	Ho-164	29.00	0.48		EC	0.987	0.987 (EC), 0.962 (β^-); EC = 60, β^- = 40
35	Ho-166		26.80	1.12	β^-	1.855	
	Ho-167		3.10		β^-	1.007	
	Ho-168	2.99			β^-	2.91	
	Ho-169	4.70			β^-	2.124	
40	Ho-170	2.76			β^-	3.87	
	Erbium						
	Er-154	3.73			EC β^+	2.032	2.032 (EC β^+), 4.280 (α), EC β^+ = 99.53, α = 0.47
45	Er-155	5.30			EC β^+	3.84	3.84 (EC β^+), 4.12 (α), EC β^+ = 99.978, α = 0.022
	Er-156	19.50			EC β^+	1.37	
50	Er-157	18.65			EC β^+	3.5	3.50 (EC β^+), 3.30 (α), EC β^+ \approx 100, α < 0.02
	Er-158	137.40	2.29		EC	0.9	
	Er-159	36.00			EC β^+	2.769	
55	Er-160		28.58		EC	0.33	
	Er-161	192.60	3.21		EC β^+		
	Er-163	75.00	1.25		EC β^+	1.21	

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5	Er-165	621.60	10.36		EC	0.376	
	Er-169		223.20	9.30	β^-	0.340	
	Er-171	451.20	7.52		β^-	1.490	
	Er-172		49.30	2.05	β^-	0.891	
10	Er-174	3.30			β^-	1.8	
	Thulium						
	Tm-157	3.63			EC β^+	4.48	
15	Tm-158	3.98			EC β^+	6.6	
	Tm-159	9.13			EC β^+	3.85	
	Tm-160	9.40			EC β^+	5.6	
	Tm-161	33.00			EC β^+	3.16	
20	Tm-162	21.70	0.36		EC β^+	4.810	
	Tm-163	108.60	1.81		EC β^+	2.439	
	Tm-164	2.00			EC β^+	3.962	
25	Tm-164m1	5.10			EC β^+	3.962	
	Tm-165		30.06		EC β^+	1.592	
	Tm-166	462.00	7.70		EC β^+	3.040	
	Tm-167		221.76	9.24	EC	0.748	
30	Tm-168			93.10	EC β^+	1.679	1.679 (EC β^+), 0.257 (β^-), EC β^+ = 99.990, β^- = 0.010
	Tm-170			128.60	β^-	0.968	0.314 (EC β^+), 0.968 (β^-), EC, β^- -(99%)
35	Tm-172		63.60	2.65	β^-	1.880	
	Tm-173		8.24		β^-	1.298	
	Tm-174	5.40			β^-	3.08	
	Tm-175	15.20	0.25		β^-	2.39	
40	Tm-176	1.90			β^-	3.88	
	Ytterbium						
	Yb-160	4.80			EC β^+	2.3	
45	Yb-161	4.20			EC β^+	4.15	
	Yb-162	18.90	0.32		EC	1.660	
	Yb-163	11.05			EC β^+	3.37	
	Yb-164	75.80			EC	1	
50	Yb-165	9.90			EC β^+	2.762	
	Yb-166		56.70	2.36	EC	0.304	
	Yb-167	17.50	0.29		EC β^+	1.954	
55	Yb-169			32.01	EC	0.909	
	Yb-175		100.56	4.19	β^-	0.47	
	Yb-177		1.90		β^-	1.399	

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5	Yb-178	74.00	1.23		β^-	0.645	
	Yb-179	8.00			β^-	2.4	
	Yb-180	2.40			β^-		
	Lutetium						
10	Lu-162m2	1.90			EC β^+		
	Lu-164	3.14			EC β^+	6.25	
	Lu-165	10.74			EC β^+	3.92	
15	Lu-166	2.65			EC β^+	5.48	
	Lu-166m2	2.12			EC β^+	5.523	5.523 (EC β^+), 0.043 (IT), EC β^+ > 80, IT < 20
	Lu-167	51.50	0.86		EC β^+	3.130	
20	Lu-168	5.50			EC β^+	4.48	
	Lu-168m1	6.70			EC β^+	4.700	4.70 (EC β^+), 0.220 (IT), EC β^+ > 95, IT < 5
	Lu-169		34.06	1.42	EC β^+	2.293	
25	Lu-170		48.00	2.00	EC β^+	3.459	
	Lu-171		197.28	8.22	EC β^+	1.479	
	Lu-172		160.80	6.70	EC β^+	2.519	
30	Lu-174m1			142.00	IT	0.171	0.171 (IT), 1.545 (EC), IT = 99.38, EC = 0.62
	Lu-176m1		3.68		β^-	1.316	1.316 (β^-), 0.229 (EC), β^- = 99.905, EC = 0.095
35	Lu-177m1			160.90	β^-	1.468	1.468 (β^-), 0.970 (IT), β^- = 78.3, IT = 21.7
	Lu-177			6.71	β^-	0.490	
	Lu-178m1	22.70	0.38		β^-	2.219	
40	Lu-178	28.40	0.47		β^-	2.099	
	Lu-179		4.59		β^-	1.405	
	Lu-180	5.70			β^-	3.1	
	Lu-181	3.50			β^-	2.5	
45	Lu-182	2.00			β^-		
	Hafnium						
	Hf-166	6.77			EC β^+	2.3	
50	Hf-167	2.05			EC β^+	4	
	Hf-168	25.95			EC β^+	1.8	
	Hf-169	3.24			EC β^+	3.27	
	Hf-170		16.01		EC	1.1	
55	Hf-171		12.1		EC β^+	2.4	
	Hf-173		23.60	0.98	EC β^+	1.610	
	Hf-175			70.00	EC	0.686	

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5	Hf-177m1	51.40	0.86		IT	2.740	
	Hf-179m2			25.10	IT	1.106	
	Hf-180m1		5.50		IT	1.141	1.141 (IT), 1.287 (β^-), IT = 99,7, β^- = 0.3
10	Hf-181			42.40	β^-	1.027	
	Hf-182m1	61.50	1.03		β^-	1.546	1.546 (β^-), 1.173 (IT), β^- = 58, IT = 42
	Hf-183	64.00	1.07		β^-	2.010	
15	Hf-184		4.12		β^-	1.340	
	Hf-185	3.50			β^-		
	Tantalum						
20	Ta-168	2.00			EC β^+	6.7	
	Ta-169	4.90			EC β^+	4.44	
	Ta-170	6.76			EC β^+	6	
	Ta-171	23.30			EC β^+	3.7	
25	Ta-172	36.80	0.61		EC β^+	4.920	
	Ta-173		3.65		EC β^+	2.790	
	Ta-174		1.20		EC β^+	3.850	
30	Ta-175		10.50		EC β^+	2.000	
	Ta-176		8.08		EC β^+	3.110	
	Ta-177		56.60	2.36	EC	1.166	
	Ta-178m1		2.36		EC	1.910	
35	Ta-178	9.31	0.16		EC	1.910	
	Ta-180		8.15		EC	0.854	0.854 (EC), 0.708 (β^-), EC = 86, β^- = 14
	Ta-182m1	15.84	0.26		IT	0.52	
40	Ta-182			115.00	β^-	1814.000	
	Ta-183		122.40	5.10	β^-	1.070	
	Ta-184		8.70		β^-	2.870	
45	Ta-185	49.00	0.82		β^-	1.992	
	Ta-186	10.50	0.18		β^-	3.000	
	Tungsten						
	W-170	2.42			EC β^+	3	
50	W-171	2.38			EC β^+	4.6	
	W-172	6.60			EC β^+	2.5	
	W-173	7.60			EC β^+	4	
55	W-174	31.00			EC β^+	1.9	
	W-175	35.20			EC β^+	2.91	
	W-176		2.50		EC	0.790	

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5	W-177	135.00	2.25		EC β^+	2.000	
	W-178			21.70	EC	0.091	
	W-179m1	6.40			IT	0.222	0.222 (IT), 1.282 (EC β^+), IT = 99.72, EC β^+ = 0.28
10	W-181			121.20	EC	0.188	
	W-185			75.10	β^-	0.433	
	W-187		23.72	0.99	β^-	1.311	
	W-188			69.40	β^-	0.349	
15	W-189	11.50			β^-	2.5	
	W-190	30.00			β^-	1.27	
	Rhenium						
20	Re-173	1.98			EC β^+	4.8	
	Re-174	2.40			EC β^+	6.5	
	Re-175	5.89			EC β^+	4.3	
	Re-176	5.30			EC β^+	5.6	
25	Re-177	14.00	0.23		EC β^+	3.400	
	Re-178	13.20	0.22		EC β^+	13.200	
	Re-179	19.50			EC β^+	2.71	
30	Re-180	2.43	0.04		EC β^+	3.800	
	Re-181		20.00		EC β^+	1.739	
	Re-182		64.00		EC	2.800	
	Re-182m1		12.70		EC β^+	2.800	
35	Re-183			70.00	EC	0.556	
	Re-184m1			169.00	IT	0.188	0.188 (IT), 1.671 (EC), IT = 75.4, EC = 24.6
	Re-184			38.00	EC β^+	1.483	
40	Re-186		90.48	3.72	β^-	1.07	0.582 (EC), 1.069 (β^-); EC = 7.47, β^- = 92.53
	Re-188m1	18.60	0.31		IT	0.172	
45	Re-188		16.98		β^-	2.120	
	Re-189		24.30	1.01	β^-	1.009	
	Re-190	3.10			β^-	3.15	
50	Re-190m1	192.00	3.2		β^-	3.269	3.269 (β^-), 0.119 (IT), β^- = 54.4, IT = 45.6
	Re-191	9.80			β^-	2.045	
	Osmium						
55	Os-176	3.60			EC β^+	3.2	
	Os-177	2.80			EC β^+	4.5	
	Os-178	5.00			EC β^+	2.3	
	Os-179	6.50			EC β^+	3.68	

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5	Os-180	22.00	0.37		EC β^+	1.470	
	Os-181	105.00	1.75		EC β^+	2.930	
	Os-181m1	2.70			EC β^+	2.979	
	Os-182		22.00		EC	0.91	
10	Os-183	13.00			EC β^+	2.13	
	Os-183m1	9.90			EC β^+	2.301	2.301 (EC β^+), 0.171 (IT), EC β^+ = 85, IT = 15
15	Os-185			94.00	EC	1.013	
	Os-189m1		6.00		IT	0.031	
	Os-190m1	9.90	0.17		IT	1.705	
	Os-191m1		13.03		IT	0.074	
20	Os-191			15.40	β^-	0.314	
	Os-193		30.00	1.25	β^-	1.140	
	Os-195	6.50			β^-	2	
	Os-196	34.90			β^-	1.16	
25	Iridium						
	Ir-181	4.90			EC β^+	4.07	
	Ir-182	15.00	0.25		EC β^+	5.61	
30	Ir-183	58.00			EC β^+	3.45	
	Ir-184		3.02		EC β^+	4.600	
	Ir-185		14.00		EC β^+	2.370	
	Ir-186		15.80		EC β^+	3.831	
35	Ir-186m1		1.90		EC β^+	3.831	3.831 (EC β^+), 0 (IT), EC β^+ \approx 75, IT \approx 25
	Ir-187		10.50		EC	1.502	
	Ir-188		41.50	1.73	EC β^+	2.809	
40	Ir-189			13.30	EC	0.532	
	Ir-190m2		3.25		EC β^+	2.149	2.149 (EC β^+), 0.140 (IT), EC β^+ = 94.4, IT = 5.6
45	Ir-190m1		1.20		IT	0.026	
	Ir-190			12.10	EC β^+	2.000	
	Ir-192			73.83	β^-	1.460	1.46 (β^-), 1.046 (EC), β^- = 95.24, EC = 4.76
50	Ir-193m1			10.53	IT	0.08	
	Ir-194m1			171.00	β^-	2.437	
	Ir-194		19.15		β^-	2.247	
	Ir-195m1		3.80		β^-	1.220	1.22 (β^-), 0.10 (IT), β^- = 95, IT = 5
55	Ir-195		2.50		β^-	1.120	
	Ir-196m1	84.00	1.4		β^-	3.620	
	Ir-197	5.80			β^-	2.155	

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5	Ir-197m1	8.90			β^-	2.270	2.27 (β^-), 0.115 (IT), $\beta^- = 99.75$, IT = 0.25
	Platinum						
10	Pt-182	3.00			EC β^+	2.850	2.85 (EC β^+), 4.943 (α), EC $\beta^+ = 99.969$, $\alpha = 0.031$
	Pt-183	6.50			EC β^+	4.600	
	Pt-184	17.30			EC β^+	2.300	
	Pt-185	70.90	1.1817		EC β^+	3.800	
15	Pt-185m1	33.00			EC β^+	3.903	3.903 (EC β^+), 0.103 (IT), 4.643 (α), EC $\beta^+ = 99$, IT < 2
	Pt-186		2.00		EC β^+	1.380	
20	Pt-188			10.20	EC	0.507	
	Pt-187		2.35		EC β^+	3.11	
	Pt-189		10.87		EC β^+	1.971	
	Pt-191		67.20	2.80	EC	1.019	
25	Pt-193m1		103.92	4.33	IT	0.150	
	Pt-195m1		96.48	4.02	IT	0.259	
	Pt-197m1	95.41	1.59		IT	0.399	0.399 (IT) 1.119 (β^-), IT = 96.7, $\beta^- = 3.3$
30	Pt-197		18.30		β^-	0.719	
	Pt-199	30.80	0.51		β^-	1.702	
	Pt-200		12.50		β^-	0.660	
	Pt-201	2.50			β^-	2.66	
35	Pt-202		44		β^-		
	Gold						
40	Au-185	4.25			EC β^+	4.71	4.71 (EC β^+), 5.18 (α), EC $\beta^+ = 99.74$, $\alpha = 0.26$
	Au-185m1	6.80			ECP+	4.71	
	Au-186	10.70			EC β^+	6.04	
45	Au-187	8.40			EC β^+	3.6	3,6 (EC β^+), 4,79 (α), EC $\beta^+ = 99,997$, $\alpha = 0,003$
	Au-188	8.84			EC β^+	5.3	
	Au-189	28.70			EC β^+	2.85	EC $\beta^+ \approx 100$, $\alpha < 3.10^{-5}$
	Au-189m1	4.59			EC β^+	3.097	EC $\beta^+ \approx 100$, IT > 0
50	Au-190	42.80			EC β^+	4.442	EC $\beta^+ \approx 100$, $\alpha < 1.10^{-6}$
	Au-191	3.18			EC β^+	1.83	
	Au-192	4.94			EC β^+	3.516	
55	Au-193		17.65		EC	1.069	
	Au-194		398.02	16.58	EC β^+	2.492	
	Au-195			183.00	EC	0.227	

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5	Au-196		148.39	6.18	EC β^+	1.500	1.506 (EC β^+), 0.686 (β^-), EC β^+ = 92.80, β^- = 7.20
	Au-196m2		9.60		IT	0.596	
	Au-198m1		55.20	2.30	IT	0.812	
10	Au-198		64.70	2.70	β^-	1.372	
	Au-199		75.34	3.14	β^-	0.453	
	Au-200m1		18.70		β^-	3.202	3.202 (β^-), 0.962 (IT), β^- = 82, IT = 18
15	Au-200	48.40	0.81		β^-	2.240	
	Au-201	26.40	0.44		β^-	1.275	
	Thallium						
	Tl-189	2.30			EC β^+	5.18	
20	Tl-190	2.60			EC β^+	7	
	Tl-190m1	3.70			EC β^+	7	
	Tl-191				EC β^+	4.49	
25	Tl-191m1	5.22			EC β^+	4.789	
	Tl-192	9.60			EC β^+	6.12	
	Tl-192m1	10.80			EC β^+	6.12	
	Tl-193	21.60			EC β^+	3.64	
30	Tl-193m1	2.11			IT	0.365	0.365 (IT), 4.005 (EC β^+), IT = 75, EC β^+ = 25
	Tl-194m1	32.80	0.55		EC β^+	5.280	
	Tl-194	33.00	0.55		EC	5.280	
35	Tl-195		1.16		EC β^+	2.810	
	Tl-196		1.84		EC β^+	4.38	
	Tl-196m1		1.41		EC β^+	4.774	4.774 (EC β^+) 0.394 (IT), EC β^+ = 95.5, IT = 4.5
40	Tl-197		2.84		EC β^+	2.180	
	Tl-198m1		1.87		EC β^+	4.004	4.004 (EC β^+), 0.544 (IT), EC β^+ = 54, IT = 46
45	Tl-198		5.30		EC β^+	3.460	
	Tl-199		7.42		EC β^+	1.440	
	Tl-200		26.10	1.09	EC β^+	2.456	
	Tl-201			3.04	EC	0.483	
50	Tl-202			12.23	EC β^+	1.365	
	Tl-206	4.20	0.07		β^-	1.533	
	Tl-206m1	3.74			IT	2.643	
	Tl-207	4.77	0.08		β^-	1.423	
55	Tl-208	3.07	0.05		β^-	5.001	
	Tl-209	2.20	0.04		β^-	3.980	
	Lead						

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5	Pb-191m1	2.10			EC β^+	6.038	
	Pb-192	3.50			EC β^+	3.400	3.4 (EC β^+), 5.221 (α), EC β^+ = 99.9941, α = 0.0059
	Pb-193	2.00			EC β^+		
10	Pb-193m1	5.80			EC β^+	5.200	
	Pb-194	12.00			EC β^+	2.700	
	Pb-195	15.00			EC β^+	4.500	
15	Pb-195m1	15.80	0.26		EC β^+	4.500	
	Pb-196	37.00			EC β^+	2.050	2.05 (EC β^+), 4.2 (α), EC β^+ \approx 100, α < 3.10-5
	Pb-197	8.00			EC β^+	3.58	
20	Pb-197m1	43.00			EC β^+	3.889	3.889 (EC β^+), 0.319 (IT), EC β^+ = 81, IT = 19
	Pb-198		2.40		EC β^+	1.410	
	Pb-199	90.00	1.50		EC β^+	2.880	
25	Pb-199m1	12.20			IT	0.425	0.425 (IT), 3.305 (EC β^+), IT = 93, EC β^+ = 7
	Pb-200		21.50		EC	0.811	
	Pb-201		9.33		EC β^+	1.900	
30	Pb-202m1		3.53		IT	2.710	
	Pb-203		51.87	2.16	EC	0.975	
	Pb-204m1	67.20	1.12		IT	2.186	
35	Pb-209		3.25		β^-	0.644	
	Pb-211	36.10	0.60		β^-	1.373	
	Pb-212		10.64		β^-	0.574	
	Pb-213	10.20	0.17		β^-	2.070	
40	Pb-214	26.80	0.45		β^-	1.024	
	Bismuth						
	Bi-197	9.33			EC β^+	5.200	5.2 (EC β^+), 5.39 (α), EC β^+ \approx 100, α = 1·10-4
45	Bi-197m1	5.04			α	5.890	5.89 (α), 5,7 (EC β^+), 0.50 (IT), α = 55, EC β^+ = 45, IT < 0.3
	Bi-198	10.30			EC β^+	6.56	
	Bi-198m1	11.60			EC β^+	6.56	
50	Bi-199	27.00			EC β^+	4.34	
	Bi-199m1	24.70			EC β^+	5.020	5.02 (EC β^+), 5.64 (α), 0.68 (IT), EC β^+ = 99, $\alpha \approx$ 0.01, IT < 2
	Bi-200	36.40			EC β^+	5.89	
55	Bi-200m1	31.00			EC β^+	5.89	EC β^+ > 90, IT < 10
	Bi-201	108.00	1.80		EC	3.84	

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5	Bi-201m1	59.10	0.99		EC	4.686	4.686 (EC), 5.346 (IT), 5.346 (α), EC > 93, IT < 6.8, $\alpha \approx 0.3$
	Bi-202		1.67		EC β^+	5.150	5.15 (EC β^+), 4.29 (α), EC $\beta^+ \approx 100$, $\alpha < 1 \cdot 10^{-5}$
10	Bi-203		11.76		EC β^+	3.253	3.253 (EC β^+), 4.15 (α), EC $\beta^+ \approx 100$, $\alpha \approx 1 \cdot 10^{-5}$
	Bi-204		11.22		EC β^+	4.438	
	Bi-205			15.31	EC β^+	2.708	
15	Bi-206		149.83	6.24	EC β^+	3.758	
	Bi-210		120.29	5.01	β^-	1.163	
	Bi-211	2.14	0.04		α	6.751	6.751 (α), 0.579 (β^-), $\alpha = 99.724$, β^- = 0.276
20	Bi-212	60.55	1.01		β^-	2.254	2.254 (β^-), 6.207 (α), 11.208 ($\beta^+ + \alpha$); $\beta^- = 64.06$, $\alpha = 35.94$
	Bi-212m1	25.00			α	6.457	6.457 (α), 2.504 (β^-), $\alpha = 67$, $\beta^- = 33$, $\beta^- \alpha = 30$
25	Bi-212m2	7.00			β^-	4.164	
	Bi-213	45.6	0.76		α	5.98	1.464 (β^-), 5.982 (α); $\beta^- = 97.91$, $\alpha =$ 2.09
	Bi-214	19.90	0.33		β^-	3.272	3.272 (β^-), 5.617 (α); $\beta^- = 99.979$, α = 0.021
30	Bi-215	7.60			β^-	2.25	
	Bi-216	3.60			β^-	4	
	Polonium						
35	Po-199	5.48			EC β^+	5.600	5.6 (EC β^+), 6.074 (α), EC $\beta^+ = 88$, α = 12
	Po-199m1	4.13			EC β^+	5.910	5.91 (EC β^+), 6.384 (α), 0.310 (IT), EC $\beta^+ = 59$, $\alpha = 39$, IT = 2.1
40	Po-200	11.50			EC β^+	3.350	3.35 (EC β^+), 5.982 (α), EC $\beta^+ =$ 88.9, $\alpha = 11.1$
	Po-201	15.30			EC β^+	4.880	4.88 (EC β^+), 5.799 (α), EC $\beta^+ =$ 98.4, $\alpha = 1.6$
45	Po-201m1	8.90			IT	0.424	0.424 (IT), 5.304 (EC β^+), 6.223 (α), IT = 56, EC = 41, $\alpha \approx 2.9$
	Po-202	44.70	0.75		EC β^+	2.820	2.82 (EC β^+), 5.701 (α), EC $\beta^+ =$ 98.08, $\alpha = 1.92$
50	Po-203	36.70	0.61		EC β^+	4.230	4.23 (EC β^+), 5.496 (α), EC $\beta^+ =$ 99.89, $\alpha = 0.11$
	Po-204		3.53		EC β^+	2.340	2.34 (EC β^+), 5.485 (α), EC $\beta^+ =$ 99.34, $\alpha = 0.66$
55	Po-205		1.66		EC β^+	3.530	3.53 (EC β^+), 5.324 (α), EC $\beta^+ =$ 99.96, $\alpha = 0.04$
	Po-206		8.8		EC β^+	1.846	1.846 (EC β^+), 5.326 (α), EC $\beta^+ =$ 94.55, $\alpha = 5.45$

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5	Po-207		5.8		ECβ+	2.909	2.909 (ECβ+), 5.216 (α), ECβ+ = 99.979, α = 0.021
	Po-210			138.38	α	5.307	
10	Po-218	3.05	0.05		α	6.115	6.115 (α), 0.265 (β-), α = 99.980, β- = 0.020
	Astatine						
	At-203	7.40			ECβ+	5.060	5.06 (ECβ+), 6.21 (α), ECP+ = 69, α = 31
15	At-204	9.20			ECβ+	6.480	6.48 (ECβ+), 6.07 (α), ECβ+ = 96.2, α=3.8
	At-205	26.20	0.44		ECβ+	4.540	4.54 (ECβ+), 6.02 (α), ECβ+ = 90, α = 10
20	At-206	30.00	0.50		ECβ+	5.720	5.72 (ECβ+), 5.888 (α), ECβ+ = 99.11, α = 0.89
	At-207		1.80		ECβ+	3.910	3.91 (ECβ+), 5.873 (α), ECβ+ = 91.4, α = 8.6
25	At-208		1.63		ECβ+	4.973	4.973 (ECβ+), 5.751 (α), ECβ+ = 99.45, α = 0.55
	At-209		5.41		ECβ+	3.486	3.486 (ECβ+), 5.757 (α), ECβ+ = 95.9, α = 4.1
30	At-210		8.1		ECβ+	3.981	3.981 (ECβ+), 5.631 (α), ECβ+ = 99.825, α = 0.175
	At-211		7.21		α+	5.98	0.786 (ECβ+), 5.982 (α), EC = 58.2, α = 41.8
35	At-220	3.71			β-		α = 8, β- = 92, 3.65 (ECβ+), 6.05 (α)
	At-221	2.30			β-		
	Radon						
40	Rn-205	2.80			ECβ+	5.240	5.24 (ECβ+), 6.39 (α), ECβ+ = 77, α = 23
	Rn-206	5.67			α	6.384	6.384 (α), 3.,31 (ECβ+), α = 63, ECβ+ = 37
45	Rn-207	9.25			ECβ+	4.610	4.61 (ECβ+), 6.251 (α), ECβ+ = 79, α = 21
	Rn-208	24.35	0.41		α	6.260	6.26 (α), 2.85 (ECβ+), α = 62, ECβ+ = 38
	Rn-209	28.50	0.48		ECβ+	3.930	3.93 (ECβ+), 6.155 (α), ECβ+ = 83, α = 17
50	Rn-210		2.40		α	6.159	6.159 (α), 2.374 (ECβ+), α = 96, ECβ+ = 4
	Rn-211		14.60		EC	2.892	2.892 (ECβ+), 5.965 (α), EC = 72.6, α = 27.4
55	Rn-212	23.90	0.40		α	6.385	
	Rn-221	25.00			β-	1.220	1.22 (β-), 6.146 (α), β- = 78, α=22
	Rn-222			3.82	α	5.590	

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5	Rn-223	23.20			β^-		$\beta^- \approx 100$, $\alpha = 0.0004$
	Rn-224	107.00			β^-	0.8	
	Rn-225	4.50			β^-		
	Rn-226	7.40			β^-	1.4	
10	Francium						
	Fr-210	3.18			α	6.700	6.7 (α), 6.262 (EC β^+), $\alpha = 60$, EC $\beta^+ = 40$
15	Fr-211	3.10			α	6.660	6.66 (α), 4.605 (EC β^+), $\alpha > 80$, EC < 20
	Fr-212	20.00	0.33		EC β^+	5.117	5.117 (EC β^+), 6.529 (α), EC $\beta^+ = 57$, $\alpha = 43$
20	Fr-221	4.80	0.08		α	6.458	$\alpha \approx 100$, $\beta^- = ?$, $^{14}\text{C} = 8.8 \cdot 10$
	Fr-222	14.40	0.24		β^-	2.033	
	Fr-223	21.80	0.36		β^-	1.149	
	Fr-224	3.33			β^-	2.83	
25	Fr-225	4.00			β^-	1.866	
	Fr-227	2.47			β^-	2.49	
	Radium						
30	Ra-213	2.74			α	6.859	6.859 (α), 3.88 (EC β^+), $\alpha = 80$, EC $\beta^+ = 20$
	Ra-223			11.43	α	5.979	
	Ra-224		87.84	3.66	α	5.789	
35	Ra-225			14.80	β^-	0.357	
	Ra-227	42.20	0.70		β^-	1.325	
	Ra-229	4.00			β^-	1.76	
	Ra-230	93.00	1.55		β^-	0.990	
40	Actinium						
	Ac-223	2.10	0.04		α	6.783	
	Ac-224		2.90		α	1.403	1.403 (EC), 6.327 (α), 0.232 (β^-), EC = 90.9, $\alpha = 9.1$, $\beta^- < 1.6$
45	Ac-225			10.00	α	5.935	
	Ac-226		29.00	1.21	β^-	1.117	1.117 (β^-), 0.64 (EC), 5.563 (α), $\beta^- \approx 83$, EC = 17, $\alpha = 6 \cdot 10^{-3}$
	Ac-228		6.13		β^-	2.127	
50	Ac-229	62.70			β^-	1.1	
	Ac-231	7.50			β^-	2.1	
	Thorium						
55	Th-225	8.72			α	6.922	6.922 (α), 0.675 (EC), $\alpha \approx 90$, EC ≈ 10
	Th-226	30.90	0.52		α	6.451	
	Th-227			18.72	α	6.051	

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5	Th-231		25.52	1.06	β^-	0.389	
	Th-233	22.30			β^-	1.245	
	Th-234			24.10	β^-	0.273	
	Th-235	7.10			β^-	1.93	
10	Th-236	37.00	0.62		β^-		
	Th-237	5.00			β^-		
	Protactinium						
15	Pa-227	38.30	0.64		α	6.580	6.580 (α), 1.019 (EC), $\alpha = 85$, EC = 15
	Pa-228		22.00		EC β^+	2.148	2.148 (EC β^+), 6.265 (α), EC β^+ = 98.0, $\alpha = 2.0$
20	Pa-229		36.00	1.50	EC	0.316	
	Pa-230			17.40	EC β^+	1.310	1.310 (EC β^+), 0.563 (β^-), 5.439 (α), EC β^+ = 91.6, β^- = 8.4, $\alpha = 0.0032$
	Pa-232		31.44	1.31	β^-	1337.000	
25	Pa-233			27.00	β^-	0.571	
	Pa-234		6.70		β^-	2.197	
	Pa-235	24.50			β^-	1.41	
	Pa-236	9.10			β^-	2.9	
30	Pa-237	8.70			β^-	2.25	
	Pa-238	2.30			β^-	3.46	
	Uranium						
35	U-228	9.10			α	6.801	6.804 (α), 0.307 (EC), $\alpha > 95$, EC < 5
	U-229	58.00	0.97		EC β^+	1.309	1.309 (EC β^+), 6.475 (α), EC β^+ \approx 80, $\alpha \approx 20$
40	U-230			20.80	α	5.993	
	U-231		100.80	4.20	EC	0.360	
	U-235m1	25.00			IT		
	U-237		162.00	6.75	β^-	0.519	
45	U-239	23.54	0.39		β^-	1.265	
	U-240		14.10		β^-	0.338	
	U-242	16.80			β^-		
	Neptunium						
50	Np-229	4.00			α	2.560	7.01 (α), 2.56 (EC), $\alpha > 50$, EC < 50
	Np-230	4.60			EC β^+	3.610	3.,61 (EC β^+), 6.78 (α), EC β^+ < 97, $\alpha > 3$
55	Np-231	48.80			EC β^+	1.840	1.84 (EC), 6.37 (α), EC = 98, $\alpha = 2$
	Np-232	14.70	0.25		EC β^+	2.700	
	Np-233	36.20	0.60		EC	1.230	

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5	Np-234		105.60	4.40	EC β^+	1.810	
	Np-236m1		22.50		EC	1.000	1.00 (EC), 0.55 (β^-), EC = 52, β^- = 48
	Np-238		50.81	2.12	β^-	1.292	
10	Np-239		56.52	2.36	β^-	0.722	
	Np-240m1	7.40	0.12		β^-	2.200	
	Np-240	65.00	1.08		β^-	2.200	
	Np-241	13.90			β^-	1.31	
15	Np-242	5.50			β^-	2.7	
	Np242m1	2.20			β^-	2.7	
	Np-244	2.29			β^-		
20	Plutonium						
	Pu-231	8.60			EC β^+ , α		
25	Pu-232	34.10			EC β^+	1.06	1.06 (EC β^+), 6.716 (α), EC = 77, α = 23
	Pu-233	20.90	0.35		EC β^+	1.900	
	Pu-234		8.80		EC	0.388	0.388 (EC β^+), 6.31 (α), EC \approx 94, $\alpha \approx$ 6
30	Pu-235	25.30	0.42		EC β^+	1.170	
	Pu-237			45.30	EC	0.220	
	Pu-243		4.96		β^-	0.528	
	Pu-245		10.50		β^-	1.205	
35	Pu-246			10.85	β^-	0.401	
	Pu-247			2.27	β^-		
	Americium						
40	Am-234	2.32					EC \approx 100, α = 0.039, ECSF = 0.0066
	Am-235	15.00					
	Am-237	73.00	1.22		EC	1.730	
45	Am-238	98.00	1.63		EC	2.260	
	Am-239		11.90		EC	0.803	
	Am-240		50.80	2.12	EC	1.379	
50	Am-242		16.02		β^-	0.665	0.665 (β^-), 0.751 (EC), β^- = 82.7, EC = 17.3
	Am-244m1	26.00	0.43		β^-	1.516	
	Am-244		10.10		β^-	1.428	
55	Am-245		2.05		β^-	0.894	
	Am-246m1	25.00	0.42		β^-	2.376	
	Am-246	39.00	0.65		β^-	2.376	

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5	Am-247	23.00			β^-	1.7	
	Am-248				β^-	3.1	
	Curium						
10	Cm-236	10.00			EC β^+	1.710	
	Cm-237	20.00					
	Cm-238		2.40		EC	0.970	0.97 (EC), 6.62 (α), EC = 96.16, α = 3.84
15	Cm-239		2.90		EC	1.700	
	Cm-240			27.00	α	6.397	
	Cm-241			32.80	EC	0.767	
	Cm-242			162.80	α	6.216	
20	Cm-249	64.15	1.07		β^-		
	Cm-251	16.80			β^-	1.42	
	Cm-252			2	β^-		
25	Berkelium						
	Bk-240	4.80			EC β^+	3.94	
	Bk-242	7.00	0.12		EC β^+	3.000	
	Bk-243		4.50		EC	1.508	
30	Bk-244		4.35		EC	2.260	
	Bk-245		118.56	4.94	EC	0.810	
	Bk-246		43.92	1.83	EC	1.350	1.35 (EC), 6.07 (α), EC = 100, α < 0,2
35	Bk-248m1		23.7		β^-	0.870	β^- = 70, EC = 30, α < 0.001, 0,87 (β^-), 0.717 (EC), 5.803 (α)
	Bk-249			320.00	β^-	0.125	
	Bk-250		3.22		β^-	1.780	
40	Bk-251	55.60			β^-	1.093	$\beta^- \approx 100$, $\alpha \approx 1 \cdot 10^{-5}$
	Californium						
45	Cf-241	3.78			EC	3.300	EC \approx 75, $\alpha \approx$ 25, 3.3 (EC), 7.66 (α)
	Cf-242	3.49			α	7.516	α = 65, SF < $1,4 \cdot 10^{-2}$
	Cf-243	10.70			EC	2.220	EC \approx 86, $\alpha \approx$ 14, 2.22 (EC), 7.39 (α)
	Cf-244	19.40	0.32		α	7.329	
50	Cf-245	45.00	0.75		EC	1.569	EC = 64, α = 36, 1.569 (EC), 7.256 (α)
	Cf-246		35.70	1.49	α	6.862	$\alpha \approx 100$, SF = $2,3 \cdot 10^{-4}$, EC < $5 \cdot 10^{-4}$
	Cf-247		3.11		EC	0.646	EC \approx 100, α = 0.035
	Cf-248			333.50	α	6.361	
55	Cf-253			17.81	β^-	0.285	
	Cf-254			60.50	SF	5.926	
	Cf-255	85.00			β^-	0.700	

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5	Cf-256	12.30			α	5.600	SF = 100, $\beta^- < 1$, $\alpha \approx 1 \cdot 10^{-6}$
	Einsteinium						
	Es-246	7.70			EC	3.880	EC = 90.1, $\alpha = 9.9$, ECSF = 0.003
	Es-247	4.55			EC	2.480	2.48 (EC), 7.49 (α), EC \approx 93, $\alpha \approx 7$
10	Es-248	27.00	0.45		EC		
	Es-249	102.00	1.70		EC	1.450	
	Es-250		8.60		EC	2.100	
15	Es-250m1	132.00	2.2		EC	2.100	2.10 (EC), 6.88 (α), EC \approx 100, $\alpha < 1$
	Es-251		33.00	1.38	EC	0.376	
	Es-253			20.47	α	6.739	
	Es-254m1		39.30	1.64	α , β^-		
20	Es-254			275.70	α	6.618	
	Es-255			39.80	β^-	0.288	
	Es-256	25.40			β^-	1.67	
25	Es-256m1	456.00	7.6		β^-	1.67	$\beta^- \approx$ 100, SF = 0.002
	Es-257			7.8			
	Fermium						
	FM-249	2.60			EC	2.440	EC \approx 85, $\alpha \approx$ 15, 2.44 (EC), 7.81 (α)
30	Fm-250	30.00	0.50		α	7.557	7.557 (α), 0.8 (EC), $\alpha > 90$, EC < 10 , SF = 0.0069
	Fm-251		5.30		EC	1.474	1.474 (EC), 7.425 (α), EC = 98.20, $\alpha = 1.80$
35	Fm-252		22.70		α	7.425	
	Fm-253		72.00	3.00	EC	0.333	0.333 (EC), 7.197 (α), EC = 88, $\alpha = 12$
	Fm-254		3.24		α	7.307	$\alpha \approx$ 100, SF = 0.0592
40	Fm-255		20.07		α	7.241	
	Fm-256	157.60	2.60		α	7.027	SF = 91.9, $\alpha = 8.1$
	Fm-257			100.50	α	6.864	
	Mendelevium						
45	Md-251	4.00			EC	3.070	3,07 (EC), 8,02 (α), EC > 90 , $\alpha < 10$
	Md-252	2.30			EC	3.89	EC > 50 , $\alpha < 50$
	Md-253	6.00			EC β^+	1.96	
50	Md-254	10.00			EC	2.68	EC < 100
	Md-254m1	28.00			EC		EC < 100
	Md-255	27.00			EC	1.043	1.043 (EC), 7.907 (α), EC = 92, $\alpha = 8$, SF < 1.4
55	Md-256	78.10			EC	2.130	2.13 (EC), 7.897 (α), EC = 90.7, $\alpha = 9.3$, SF < 2.8

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5	Md-257		5.52		EC	0.406	0.406 (EC), 7.271 (α), EC = 85, α = 15, SF < 1
	Md-258			51.50	α	7.241	7.271 (α), 1.23 (EC), $\alpha \approx 100$, SF < 0.003, β^- < 0.003, EC < 0.003
10	Md-258m1		57.00		EC	1.230	EC > 70, SF < 30, α < 1.2, β^- < 30
	Md-259	96.00	1.60		α	7.100	SF > 73, α < 25, β^- < 10, 7.0 (α), 1.0 (β^-)
	Md-260			27.80	α	7.000	SF > 73, α < 25, β^- < 10
15	Nobelium						
	No-255	3.10			α	8.445	α = 61.4, EC = 38.w6
	No-259	58.00			α	7.910	$\alpha \approx 100$, EC = 25, SF < 10
	Lawrencium						
20	Lr-261	39.00			SF		SF < 100
	Lr-262	216.00			EC	2.1	EC > 10, SF < 10
	Rutherfordium						
25	Rf-263	15.00			SF		
	Seaborgium						
	Sg-271	2.40			α , SF		α > 50, SF < 50
	Hassium						
30	Hs-278	11.00			SF		
	Meitnerium						
	Mt-278	30.00			α	9.1	
35	Roentgenium						
	Rg-282	4.00			α , SF	9.4	
	Nihonium						
	Nh-285	2.00			α , SF	10	
40	Nh-286	5.00			α	9.7	
	Nh-287	20.00			α , SF	9.3	

[0121] In an embodiment of the present invention, the radionuclide is used for diagnosis. Preferably, the radioactive isotope is selected from the group, but not limited to, comprising ^{43}Sc , ^{44}Sc , ^{51}Mn , ^{52}Mn , ^{64}Cu , ^{67}Ga , ^{68}Ga , ^{86}Y , ^{89}Zr , $^{94\text{m}}\text{Tc}$, $^{99\text{m}}\text{Tc}$, ^{111}In , ^{152}Tb , ^{155}Tb , ^{177}Lu , ^{201}Tl , ^{203}Pb , ^{18}F , ^{76}Br , ^{77}Br , ^{123}I , ^{124}I , ^{125}I . More preferably, the radionuclide is selected from the group comprising ^{43}Sc , ^{44}Sc , ^{64}Cu , ^{67}Ga , ^{68}Ga , ^{86}Y , ^{89}Zr , $^{99\text{m}}\text{Tc}$, ^{111}In , ^{152}Tb , ^{155}Tb , ^{203}Pb , ^{18}F , ^{76}Br , ^{77}Br , ^{123}I , ^{124}I , ^{125}I . Even more preferably, the radionuclide is selected from the group comprising ^{64}Cu , ^{68}Ga , ^{89}Zr , $^{99\text{m}}\text{Tc}$, ^{111}In , ^{18}F , ^{123}I , and ^{124}I . It will however, also be acknowledged by a person skilled in the art that the use of said radionuclide is not limited to diagnostic purposes, but encompasses their use in therapy and theragnostics when conjugated to the compound of the invention.

[0122] In an embodiment of the present invention, the radionuclide is used for therapy. Preferably, the radioactive isotope is selected from the group comprising ^{47}Sc , ^{67}Cu , ^{89}Sr , ^{90}Y , ^{111}In , ^{153}Sm , ^{149}Tb , ^{161}Tb , ^{177}Lu , ^{186}Re , ^{188}Re , ^{212}Pb , ^{213}Bi , ^{223}Ra , ^{225}Ac , ^{226}Th , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I , ^{211}At . More preferably, the radioactive isotope is selected from the group comprising ^{47}Sc , ^{67}Cu , ^{90}Y , ^{177}Lu , ^{188}Re , ^{212}Pb , ^{213}Bi , ^{225}Ac , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I , ^{211}At . Even more preferably, the radionuclide is selected from the group comprising ^{90}Y , ^{177}Lu , ^{225}Ac , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I and ^{211}At . It will however, also be acknowledged by a person skilled in the art that the use of said radionuclide is not limited to therapeutic purposes, but encompasses their use in diagnostic and theragnostics when conjugated to the compound of the invention.

[0123] In an embodiment the compound of the invention is present as a pharmaceutically acceptable salt.

[0124] A "pharmaceutically acceptable salt" of the compound of the present invention is preferably an acid salt or a base salt that is generally considered in the art to be suitable for use in contact with the tissues of human beings or animals without excessive toxicity or carcinogenicity, and preferably without irritation, allergic response, or other problem or complication. Such salts include mineral and organic acid salts of basic residues such as amines, as well as alkali or organic salts of acidic residues such as carboxylic acids. Compounds of the invention are capable of forming internal salts which are also pharmaceutically acceptable salts.

[0125] Suitable pharmaceutically acceptable salts include, but are not limited to, salts of acids such as hydrochloric, phosphoric, hydrobromic, malic, glycolic, fumaric, sulfuric, sulfamic, sulfanilic, formic, toluenesulfonic, methanesulfonic, benzene sulfonic, ethane disulfonic, 2-hydroxyethylsulfonic, nitric, benzoic, 2-acetoxybenzoic, citric, tartaric, lactic, stearic, salicylic, glutamic, ascorbic, pantoic, succinic, fumaric, maleic, propionic, hydroxymaleic, hydroiodic, phenylacetic, alkanolic such as acetic, $\text{HOOC}-(\text{CH}_2)_n-\text{COOH}$ where n is any integer from 0 to 4, *i.e.*, 0, 1, 2, 3, or 4, and the like. Similarly, pharmaceutically acceptable cations include, but are not limited to sodium, potassium, calcium, aluminum, lithium and ammonium. Those of ordinary skill in the art will recognize further pharmaceutically acceptable salts for the compounds provided herein. In general, a pharmaceutically acceptable acid or base salt can be synthesized from a parent compound that contains a basic or acidic moiety by any conventional chemical method. Briefly, such salts can be prepared by reacting the free acid or base forms of these compounds with a stoichiometric amount of the appropriate base or acid in water or in an organic solvent, or in a mixture of the two. Generally, the use of non-aqueous media, such as ether, ethyl acetate, ethanol, isopropanol or acetonitrile, is preferred.

[0126] A "pharmaceutically acceptable solvate" of the compound of the invention is preferably a solvate of the compound of the invention formed by association of one or more solvent molecules to one or more molecules of a compound of the invention. Preferably, the solvent is one which is generally considered in the art to be suitable for use in contact with the tissues of human beings or animals without excessive toxicity or carcinogenicity, and preferably without irritation, allergic response, or other problem or complication. Such solvent includes an organic solvent such as alcohols, ethers, esters and amines.

[0127] A "hydrate" of the compound of the invention is formed by association of one or more water molecules to one or more molecules of a compound of the invention. Such hydrate includes but is not limited to a hemi-hydrate, mono-hydrate, dihydrate, trihydrate and tetrahydrate. Independent of the hydrate composition all hydrates are generally considered as pharmaceutically acceptable.

[0128] The compound of the invention has a high binding affinity to FAP and a high inhibitory activity on FAP. Because of this high binding affinity, the compound of the invention is effective as, useful as and/or suitable as a targeting agent and, if conjugated to another moiety, as a targeting moiety. As preferably used herein a targeting agent is an agent which interacts with the target molecule which is in the instant case said FAP. In terms of cells and tissues thus targeted by the compound of the invention any cell and tissue, respectively, expressing said FAP is or may be targeted.

[0129] In an embodiment, the compound interacts with a fibroblast activation protein (FAP), preferably with human FAP having an amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1 or a homolog thereof, wherein the amino acid sequence of the homolog has an identity of FAP that is at least 85% to the amino acid sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1. In preferred embodiments, the identity is 90%, preferably 95 %, 96 %, 97 %, 98 % or 99%.

[0130] The identity between two nucleic acid molecules can be determined as known to the person skilled in the art. More specifically, a sequence comparison algorithm may be used for calculating the percent sequence homology for the test sequence(s) relative to the reference sequence, based on the designated program parameters. The test sequence is preferably the sequence or protein or polypeptide which is said to be identical or to be tested whether it is identical, and if so, to what extent, to a different protein or polypeptide, whereby such different protein or polypeptide is also referred to as the reference sequence and is preferably the protein or polypeptide of wild type, more preferably the human FAP of SEQ ID NO: 1.

[0131] Optimal alignment of sequences for comparison can be conducted, *e.g.*, by the local homology algorithm of Smith & Waterman (Smith, et al., *Advances in Applied Mathematics*, 1981, 2: 482), by the homology alignment algorithm of Needleman & Wunsch (Needleman, et al., *J Mol Biol*, 1970, 48: 443), by the search for similarity method of Pearson & Lipman (Pearson, et al., *Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A*, 1988, 85: 2444), by computerized implementations of these algorithms (GAP, BESTFIT, FASTA, and TFASTA in the Wisconsin Genetics Software Package, Genetics Computer Group, 575 Science Dr., Madison, Wis.), or by visual inspection.

[0132] One example of an algorithm that is suitable for determining percent sequence identity is the algorithm used in the basic local alignment search tool (hereinafter "BLAST"), see, *e.g.* Altschul et al., 1990 (Altschul, et al., *J Mol Biol*, 1990, 215: 403) and Altschul et al., 1997 (Altschul, et al., *Nucleic Acids Res*, 1997, 25: 3389). Software for performing BLAST analyses is publicly available through the National Center for Biotechnology Information (hereinafter "NCBI"). The default parameters used in determining sequence identity using the software available from NCBI, *e.g.*, BLASTN (for nucleotide sequences) and BLASTP (for amino acid sequences) are described in McGinnis et al. (McGinnis, et al., *Nucleic Acids Res*, 2004, 32: W20).

[0133] It is within the present invention that the compound of the invention is used or is for use in a method for the treatment of a disease as disclosed herein. Such method, preferably, comprises the step of administering to a subject in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of the compound of the invention. Such method includes, but is not limited to, curative or adjuvant cancer treatment. It is used as palliative treatment where cure is not possible and the aim is for local disease control or symptomatic relief or as therapeutic treatment where the therapy has survival benefit and it can be curative.

[0134] The method for the treatment of a disease as disclosed herein includes the treatment of the disease disclosed herein, including tumors and cancer, and may be used either as the primary therapy or as second, third, fourth or last line therapy. It is also within the present invention to combine the compound of the invention with further therapeutic approaches. It is well known to the person skilled in the art that the precise treatment intent including curative, adjuvant, neoadjuvant, therapeutic, or palliative treatment intent will depend on the tumor type, location, and stage, as well as the general health of the patient.

[0135] In an embodiment of the present invention, the disease is selected from the group comprising neoplasm nos, neoplasm benign, neoplasm uncertain whether benign or malignant, neoplasm malignant, neoplasm metastatic, neoplasm malignant uncertain whether primary or metastatic, tumor cells benign, tumor cells uncertain whether benign or malignant, tumor cells malignant, malignant tumor small cell type, malignant tumor giant cell type, malignant tumor fusiform cell type, epithelial neoplasms nos, epithelial tumor benign, carcinoma in situ nos, carcinoma nos, carcinoma metastatic nos, carcinomatosis, epithelioma benign, epithelioma malignant, large cell carcinoma nos, carcinoma undifferentiated type nos, carcinoma anaplastic type nos, pleomorphic carcinoma, giant cell and spindle cell carcinoma, giant cell carcinoma, spindle cell carcinoma, pseudosarcomatous carcinoma, polygonal cell carcinoma, spheroidal cell carcinoma, tumorlet, small cell carcinoma nos, oat cell carcinoma, small cell carcinoma, fusiform cell type, papillary and squamous cell neoplasms, papilloma nos, papillary carcinoma in situ, papillary carcinoma nos, verrucous papilloma, verrucous carcinoma nos, squamous cell papilloma, papillary squamous cell carcinoma, inverted papilloma, papillomatosis nos, squamous cell carcinoma in situ nos, squamous cell carcinoma nos, squamous cell carcinoma metastatic nos, squamous cell carcinoma, keratinizing type nos, squamous cell carcinoma large cell nonkeratinizing type, squamous cell carcinoma small cell nonkeratinizing type, squamous cell carcinoma spindle cell type, adenoid squamous cell carcinoma, squamous cell carcinoma in situ with questionable stromal invasion, squamous cell carcinoma microinvasive, queyrat's erythroplasia, bowen's disease, lymphoepithelial carcinoma, basal cell neoplasms, basal cell tumor, basal cell carcinoma nos, multicentric basal cell carcinoma, basal cell carcinoma morphea type, basal cell carcinoma fibroepithelial type, basosquamous carcinoma, metatypical carcinoma, intraepidermal epithelioma of jadassohn, trichoepithelioma, trichofolliculoma, tricholemmoma, pilomatixorna, transitional cell papillomas and carcinomas, transitional cell papilloma nos, urothelial papilloma, transitional cell carcinoma in situ, transitional cell carcinoma nos, schneiderian papilloma, transitional cell papilloma, inverted type, schneiderian carcinoma, transitional cell carcinoma spindle cell type, basaloid carcinoma, cloacogenic carcinoma, papillary transitional cell carcinoma, adenomas and adenocarcinomas, adenoma nos, bronchial adenoma nos, adenocarcinoma in situ, adenocarcinoma nos, adenocarcinoma metastatic nos, scirrhous adenocarcinoma, linitis plastica, superficial spreading adenocarcinoma, adenocarcinoma intestinal type, carcinoma diffuse type, monomorphic adenoma, basal cell adenoma, islet cell adenoma, islet cell carcinoma, insulinoma nos, insulinoma malignant, glucagonoma nos, glucagonoma malignant, gastrinoma nos, gastrinoma malignant, mixed islet cell and exocrine adenocarcinoma, bile duct adenoma, cholangiocarcinoma, bile duct cystadenoma, bile duct cystadenocarcinoma, liver cell adenoma, hepatocellular carcinoma nos, hepatocholangioma benign, combined hepatocellular carcinoma and cholangiocarcinoma, trabecular adenoma, trabecular adenocarcinoma, embryonal adenoma, eccrine dermal cylindroma, adenoid cystic carcinoma, cribriform carcinoma, adenomatous polyp nos, adenocarcinoma in adenomatous polyp, tubular adenoma nos, tubular adenocarcinoma, adenomatous polyposis coli, adenocarcinoma in adenomatous polyposis coli, multiple adenomatous polyps, solid carcinoma nos, carcinoma simplex, carcinoid tumor nos, carcinoid tumor malignant, carcinoid tumor argentaffin nos, carcinoid tumor argentaffin malignant, carcinoid tumor nonargentaffin nos, carcinoid tumor nonargentaffin malignant, mucocarcinoid tumor malignant, composite carcinoid, pulmonary adenomatosis, bronchiolo-alveolar adenocarcinoma, alveolar adenoma, alveolar adenocarcinoma, papillary adenoma nos, papillary adenocarcinoma nos, villous adenoma nos, adenocarcinoma in villous adenoma, villous adenocarcinoma, tubulovillous adenoma, chromophobe adenoma, chromophobe carcinoma, acidophil adenoma, acidophil carcinoma, mixed acidophil-basophil adenoma, mixed acidophil-basophil carcinoma, oxyphilic adenoma, oxyphilic adenocarcinoma, basophil adenoma, basophil carcinoma, clear cell adenoma, clear cell adenocarcinoma nos, hypernephroid tumor, renal cell carcinoma, clear cell adenofibroma, granular cell carcinoma, chief cell adenoma, water-clear cell adenoma, water-clear cell adenocarcinoma, mixed cell adenoma, mixed cell adenocarcinoma, lipoadenoma, follicular adenoma, follicular adenocarcinoma nos, follicular adenocarcinoma well differentiated type, follicular adenocarcinoma trabecular type, microfollicular adenoma, macrofollicular adenoma, papillary and follicular adenocarcinoma, nonencapsulated sclerosing carcinoma, multiple endocrine adenomas, juxtaglomerular tumor, adrenal cortical adenoma nos, adrenal cortical carcinoma, adrenal cortical adenoma compact cell type, adrenal cortical adenoma heavily pigmented variant, adrenal cortical adenoma clear cell type, adrenal cortical adenoma glomerulosa cell type, adrenal cortical adenoma mixed cell

type, endometrioid adenoma nos, endometrioid adenoma, borderline malignancy, endometrioid carcinoma, endometrioid adenofibroma nos, endometrioid adenofibroma borderline malignancy, endometrioid adenofibroma malignant, adnexal and skin appendage neoplasms, skin appendage adenoma, skin appendage carcinoma, sweat gland adenoma, sweat gland tumor nos, sweat gland adenocarcinoma, apocrine adenoma, apocrine adenocarcinoma, eccrine acrospiroma, eccrine spiradenoma, hidrocystoma, papillary hydradenoma, papillary syringadenoma, syringoma nos, sebaceous adenoma, sebaceous adenocarcinoma, ceruminous adenoma, ceruminous adenocarcinoma, mucoepidermoid neoplasms, mucoepidermoid tumor, mucoepidermoid carcinoma cystic, mucinous, and serous neoplasms, cystadenoma nos, cystadenocarcinoma nos, serous cystadenoma nos, serous cystadenoma borderline malignancy, serous cystadenocarcinoma nos, papillary cystadenoma nos, papillary cystadenoma borderline malignancy, papillary cystadenocarcinoma nos, papillary serous cystadenoma nos, papillary serous cystadenoma borderline malignancy, papillary serous cystadenocarcinoma, serous surface papilloma nos, serous surface papilloma borderline malignancy, serous surface papillary carcinoma, mucinous cystadenoma nos, mucinous cystadenoma borderline malignancy, mucinous cystadenocarcinoma nos, papillary mucinous cystadenoma nos, papillary mucinous cystadenoma borderline malignancy, papillary mucinous cystadenocarcinoma, mucinous adenoma, mucinous adenocarcinoma, pseudomyxoma peritonei, mucin-producing adenocarcinoma, signet ring cell carcinoma, metastatic signet ring cell carcinoma, ductal, lobular, and medullary neoplasms, intraductal carcinoma noninfiltrating nos, infiltrating duct carcinoma, comedocarcinoma, noninfiltrating comedocarcinoma nos, juvenile carcinoma of the breast, intraductal papilloma, noninfiltrating intraductal papillary adenocarcinoma, intracystic papillary adenoma, noninfiltrating intracystic carcinoma, intraductal papillomatosis nos, subareolar duct papillomatosis, medullary carcinoma nos, medullary carcinoma with amyloid stroma, medullary carcinoma with lymphoid stroma, lobular carcinoma in situ, lobular carcinoma nos, infiltrating ductular carcinoma, inflammatory carcinoma, paget's disease mammary, paget's disease and infiltrating duct carcinoma of breast, paget's disease extramammary, acinar cell neoplasms, acinar cell adenoma, acinar cell tumor, acinar cell carcinoma, complex epithelial neoplasms, adenosquamous carcinoma, adenolymphoma, adenocarcinoma with squamous metaplasia, adenocarcinoma with cartilaginous and osseous metaplasia, adenocarcinoma with spindle cell metaplasia, adenocarcinoma with apocrine metaplasia, thymoma benign, thymoma malignant, specialized gonadal neoplasms, sex cord-stromal tumor, thecoma nos, theca cell carcinoma, luteoma nos, granulosa cell tumor nos, granulosa cell tumor malignant, granulosa cell-theca cell tumor, androblastoma benign, androblastoma nos, androblastoma malignant, sertoli-leydig cell tumor, gynandroblastoma, tubular androblastoma nos, sertoli cell carcinoma, tubular androblastoma with lipid storage, leydig cell tumor benign, leydig cell tumor nos, leydig cell tumor malignant, hilar cell tumor, lipid cell tumor of ovary, adrenal rest tumor, paragangliomas and glomus tumors, paraganglioma nos, paraganglioma malignant, sympathetic paraganglioma, parasympathetic paraganglioma, glomus jugulare tumor, aortic body tumor, carotid body tumor, extra-adrenal paraganglioma nos, extra-adrenal paraganglioma malignant, pheochromocytoma nos, pheochromocytoma malignant, glomangiosarcoma, glomus tumor, glomangioma, nevi and melanomas, pigmented nevus nos, malignant melanoma nos, nodular melanoma, balloon cell nevus, balloon cell melanoma, halo nevus, fibrous papule of the nose, neuronevus, magnocellular nevus, nonpigmented nevus, amelanotic melanoma, junctional nevus, malignant melanoma in junctional nevus, precancerous melanosis nos, malignant melanoma in precancerous melanosis, hutchinson's melanotic freckle, malignant melanoma in hutchinson's melanotic freckle, superficial spreading melanoma, intradermal nevus, compound nevus, giant pigmented nevus, malignant melanoma in giant pigmented nevus, epithelioid and spindle cell nevus, epithelioid cell melanoma, spindle cell melanoma nos, spindle cell melanoma type a, spindle cell melanoma type b, mixed epithelioid and spindle cell melanoma, blue nevus nos, blue nevus malignant, cellular blue nevus, soft tissue tumors and sarcomas nos, soft tissue tumor benign, sarcoma nos, sarcomatosis nos, spindle cell sarcoma, giant cell sarcoma, small cell sarcoma, epithelioid cell sarcoma, fibromatous neoplasms, fibroma nos, fibrosarcoma nos, fibromyxoma, fibromyxosarcoma, periosteal fibroma, periosteal fibrosarcoma, fascial fibroma, fascial fibrosarcoma, infantile fibrosarcoma, elastofibroma, aggressive fibromatosis, abdominal fibromatosis, desmoplastic fibroma, fibrous histiocytoma nos, atypical fibrous histiocytoma, fibrous histiocytoma malignant, fibroxanthoma nos, atypical fibroxanthoma, fibroxanthoma malignant, dermatofibroma nos, dermatofibroma protuberans, dermatofibrosarcoma nos, myxomatous neoplasms, myxoma nos, myxosarcoma, lipomatous neoplasms, lipoma nos, liposarcoma nos, fibrolipoma, liposarcoma well differentiated type, fibromyxolipoma, myxoid liposarcoma, round cell liposarcoma, pleomorphic liposarcoma, mixed type liposarcoma, intramuscular lipoma, spindle cell lipoma, angiomyolipoma, angiomyoliposarcoma, angioliipoma nos, angioliipoma infiltrating, myelolipoma, hibernoma, lipoblastomatosis, myomatous neoplasms, leiomyoma nos, intravascular leiomyomatosis, leiomyosarcoma nos, epithelioid leiomyoma, epithelioid leiomyosarcoma, cellular leiomyoma, bizarre leiomyoma, angiomyoma, angiomyosarcoma, myoma, myosarcoma, rhabdomyoma nos, rhabdomyosarcoma nos, pleomorphic rhabdomyosarcoma, mixed type rhabdomyosarcoma, fetal rhabdomyoma, adult rhabdomyoma, embryonal rhabdomyosarcoma, alveolar rhabdomyosarcoma, complex mixed and stromal neoplasms, endometrial stromal sarcoma, endolymphatic stromal myosis, adenomyoma, pleomorphic adenoma, mixed tumor, malignant nos, mullerian mixed tumor, mesodermal mixed tumor, mesoblastic nephroma, nephroblastoma nos, epithelial nephroblastoma, mesenchymal nephroblastoma, hepatoblastoma, carcinosarcoma nos, carcinosarcoma embryonal type, myoepithelioma, mesenchymoma benign, mesenchymoma nos, mesenchymoma malignant, embryonal sarcoma, fibroepithelial neoplasms, brenner

tumor nos, brenner tumor, borderline malignancy, brenner tumor malignant, fibroadenoma nos, intracanalicular fibroadenoma nos, pericanalicular fibroadenoma, adenofibroma nos, serous adenofibroma, mucinous adenofibroma, cellular intracanalicular fibroadenoma, cystosarcoma phyllodes nos, cystosarcoma phyllodes malignant, juvenile fibroadenoma, synovial neoplasms, synovioma benign, synovial sarcoma nos, synovial sarcoma spindle cell type, synovial sarcoma epithelioid cell type, synovial sarcoma biphasic type, clear cell sarcoma of tendons and aponeuroses, mesothelial neoplasms, mesothelioma benign, mesothelioma malignant, fibrous mesothelioma benign, fibrous mesothelioma malignant, epithelioid mesothelioma benign, epithelioid mesothelioma malignant, mesothelioma biphasic type benign, mesothelioma biphasic type malignant, adenomatoid tumor nos, germ cell neoplasms, dysgerminoma, seminoma nos, seminoma anaplastic type, spermatocytic seminoma, germinoma, embryonal carcinoma nos, endodermal sinus tumor, polyembryoma, gonadoblastoma, teratoma benign, teratoma nos, teratoma malignant nos, teratocarcinoma, malignant teratoma undifferentiated type, malignant teratoma intermediate type, dermoid cyst, dermoid cyst with malignant transformation, struma ovarii nos, struma ovarii malignant, strumal carcinoid, trophoblastic neoplasms, hydatidiform mole nos, invasive hydatidiform mole, choriocarcinoma, choriocarcinoma combined with teratoma, malignant teratoma trophoblastic, mesonephromas, mesonephroma benign, mesonephric tumor, mesonephroma malignant, endosalpingioma, blood vessel tumors, hemangioma nos, hemangiosarcoma, cavernous hemangioma, venous hemangioma, racemose hemangioma, kupffer cell sarcoma, hemangioendothelioma benign, hemangioendothelioma nos, hemangioendothelioma malignant, capillary hemangioma, intramuscular hemangioma, kaposi's sarcoma, angiokeratoma, verrucous keratotic hemangioma, hemangiopericytoma benign, hemangiopericytoma nos, hemangiopericytoma malignant, angiofibroma nos, hemangioblastoma, lymphatic vessel tumors, lymphangioma nos, lymphangiosarcoma, capillary lymphangioma, cavernous lymphangioma, cystic lymphangioma, lymphangiomyoma, lymphangiomyomatosis, hemolymphangioma, osteomas and osteosarcomas, osteoma nos, osteosarcoma nos, chondroblastic osteosarcoma, fibroblastic osteosarcoma, telangiectatic osteosarcoma, osteosarcoma in paget's disease of bone, juxtacortical osteosarcoma, osteoid osteoma nos, osteoblastoma, chondromatous neoplasms, osteochondroma, osteochondromatosis nos, chondroma nos, chondromatosis nos, chondrosarcoma nos, juxtacortical chondroma, juxtacortical chondrosarcoma, chondroblastoma nos, chondroblastoma malignant, mesenchymal chondrosarcoma, chondromyxoid fibroma, giant cell tumors, giant cell tumor of bone nos, giant cell tumor of bone malignant, giant cell tumor of soft parts nos, malignant giant cell tumor of soft parts, miscellaneous bone tumors, ewing's sarcoma, adamantinoma of long bones, ossifying fibroma, odontogenic tumors, odontogenic tumor benign, odontogenic tumor nos, odontogenic tumor malignant, dentinoma, cementoma nos, cementoblastoma benign, cementifying fibroma, gigantiform cementoma, odontoma nos, compound odontoma, complex odontoma, ameloblastic fibro-odontoma, ameloblastic odontosarcoma, adenomatoid odontogenic tumor, calcifying odontogenic cyst, ameloblastoma nos, ameloblastoma malignant, ontoameloblastoma, squamous odontogenic tumor, odontogenic myxoma, odontogenic fibroma nos, ameloblastic fibroma, ameloblastic fibrosarcoma, calcifying epithelial odontogenic tumor, miscellaneous tumors, craniopharyngioma, pinealoma, pineocytoma, pineoblastoma, melanotic neuroectodermal tumor, chordoma, gliomas, glioma malignant, gliomatosis cerebri, mixed glioma, subependymal glioma, subependymal giant cell astrocytoma, choroid plexus papilloma nos, choroid plexus papilloma malignant, ependymoma nos, ependymoma anaplastic type, papillary ependymoma, myxopapillary ependymoma, astrocytoma nos, astrocytoma, anaplastic type, protoplasmic astrocytoma, gemistocytic astrocytoma, fibrillary astrocytoma, pilocytic astrocytoma, spongioblastoma nos, spongioblastoma polare, astroblastoma, glioblastoma nos, giant cell glioblastoma, glioblastoma with sarcomatous component, primitive polar spongioblastoma, oligodendroglioma nos, oligodendroglioma, anaplastic type, oligodendroblastoma, medulloblastoma nos, desmoplastic medulloblastoma, medulloblastoma, cerebellar sarcoma nos, monstrocellular sarcoma, neuroepitheliomatous neoplasms, ganglioneuroma, ganglioneuroblastoma, ganglioneuromatosis, neuroblastoma nos, medulloepithelioma nos, teratoid medulloepithelioma, neuroepithelioma nos, spongioneuroblastoma, ganglioglioma, neurocytoma, pacinian tumor, retinoblastoma nos, retinoblastoma differentiated type, retinoblastoma undifferentiated type, olfactory neurogenic tumor, esthesioneurocytoma, esthesioneuroblastoma, esthesioneuroepithelioma, meningiomas, meningioma nos, meningiomatosis nos, meningioma malignant, meningoepitheliomatous meningioma, fibrous meningioma, psammomatous meningioma, angiomatous meningioma, hemangioblastic meningioma, hemangiopericytic meningioma, transitional meningioma, papillary meningioma, meningeal sarcomatosis, nerve sheath tumor, neurofibroma nos, neurofibromatosis nos, neurofibrosarcoma, melanotic neurofibroma, plexiform neurofibroma, neurilemmoma nos, neurinomatosis, neurilemmoma malignant, neuroma nos, granular cell tumors and alveolar soft part sarcoma, granular cell tumor nos, granular cell tumor malignant, alveolar soft part sarcoma, lymphomas nos or diffuse, lymphomatous tumor benign, malignant lymphoma nos, malignant lymphoma non hodgkin's type, malignant lymphoma undifferentiated cell type nos, malignant lymphoma stem cell type, malignant lymphoma convoluted cell type nos, lymphosarcoma nos, malignant lymphoma lymphoplasmacytoid type, malignant lymphoma immunoblastic type, malignant lymphoma mixed lymphocytic-histiocytic nos, malignant lymphoma centroblastic-centrocytic diffuse, malignant lymphoma follicular center cell nos, malignant lymphoma lymphocytic well differentiated nos, malignant lymphoma lymphocytic intermediate differentiation nos, malignant lymphoma centrocytic, malignant lymphoma follicular center cell cleaved nos, malignant lymphoma lymphocytic poorly differentiated nos, prolymphocytic lymphosarcoma, malignant lymphoma centroblastic type nos, malignant

lymphoma follicular center cell noncleaved nos, reticulosarcomas, reticulosarcoma nos, reticulosarcoma pleomorphic cell type, reticulosarcoma nodular, hodgkin's disease, hodgkin's disease nos, hodgkin's disease lymphocytic predominance, hodgkin's disease mixed cellularity, hodgkin's disease lymphocytic depletion nos, hodgkin's disease lymphocytic depletion diffuse fibrosis, hodgkin's disease lymphocytic depletion reticular type, hodgkin's disease nodular sclerosis nos, hodgkin's disease nodular sclerosis cellular phase, hodgkin's paragranuloma, hodgkin's granuloma, hodgkin's sarcoma, lymphomas nodular or follicular, malignant lymphoma nodular nos, malignant lymphoma mixed lymphocytic-histiocytic nodular, malignant lymphoma centroblastic-centrocytic follicular, malignant lymphoma lymphocytic well differentiated nodular, malignant lymphoma lymphocytic intermediate differentiation nodular, malignant lymphoma follicular center cell cleaved follicular, malignant lymphoma lymphocytic poorly differentiated nodular, malignant lymphoma centroblastic type follicular, malignant lymphoma follicular center cell noncleaved follicular, mycosis fungoides, mycosis fungoides, sezary's disease, miscellaneous reticuloendothelial neoplasms, microglioma, malignant histiocytosis, histiocytic medullary reticulosis, letterer-siwe's disease, plasma cell tumors, plasma cell myeloma, plasma cell tumor benign, plasmacytoma nos, plasma cell tumor malignant, mast cell tumors, mastocytoma nos, mast cell sarcoma, malignant mastocytosis, burkitt's tumor, burkitt's tumor, leukemias, leukemias nos, leukemia nos, acute leukemia nos, subacute leukemia nos, chronic leukemia nos, aleukemic leukemia nos, compound leukemias, compound leukemia, lymphoid leukemias, lymphoid leukemia nos, acute lymphoid leukemia, subacute lymphoid leukemia, chronic lymphoid leukemia, aleukemic lymphoid leukemia, prolymphocytic leukemia, plasma cell leukemias, plasma cell leukemia, erythroleukemias, erythroleukemia, acute erythremia, chronic erythremia, lymphosarcoma cell leukemias, lymphosarcoma cell leukemia, myeloid leukemias, myeloid leukemia nos, acute myeloid leukemia, subacute myeloid leukemia, chronic myeloid leukemia, aleukemic myeloid leukemia, neutrophilic leukemia, acute promyelocytic leukemia, basophilic leukemias, basophilic leukemia, eosinophilic leukemias, eosinophilic leukemia, monocytic leukemias, monocytic leukemia nos, acute monocytic leukemia, subacute monocytic leukemia, chronic monocytic leukemia, aleukemic monocytic leukemia, miscellaneous leukemias, mast cell leukemia, megakaryocytic leukemia, megakaryocytic myelosis, myeloid sarcoma, hairy cell leukemia, miscellaneous myeloproliferative and lymphoproliferative disorders, polycythemia vera, acute panmyelosis, chronic myeloproliferative disease, myelosclerosis with myeloid metaplasia, idiopathic thrombocytopenia, chronic lymphoproliferative disease.

[0136] In an embodiment of the present invention, the disease is selected from the group comprising tumors of pancreas, pancreatic adenocarcinoma, tumors of head of pancreas, of body of pancreas, of tail of pancreas, of pancreatic duct, of islets of langerhans, neck of pancreas, tumor of prostate, prostate adenocarcinoma, prostate gland, neuroendocrine tumors, breast cancer, tumor of central portion of breast, upper inner quadrant of breast, lower inner quadrant of breast, upper outer quadrant of breast, lower outer quadrant of breast, axillary tail of breast, overlapping lesion of breast, juvenile carcinoma of the breast, tumors of parathyroid gland, myeloma, lung cancer, small cell lung cancer, non-small cell lung cancer, tumor of main bronchus, of upper lobe lung, of middle lobe lung, of lower lobe lung, colorectal carcinoma, tumor of ascending colon, of hepatic flexure of colon, of transverse colon, of splenic flexure of colon, of descending colon, of sigmoid colon, of overlapping lesion of colon, of small intestine, tumors of liver, liver cell adenoma, hepatocellular carcinoma, hepatocholangioma, ombined hepatocellular carcinoma and cholangiocarcinoma, hepatoblastoma, ovarian carcinoma, sarcoma, osteosarcoma, fibrosarcoma, gastrointestinal stroma tumors, gastrointestinal tract, gastric carcinoma, thyroid carcinoma, medullary thyroid carcinoma, thyroid gland, renal cell carcinoma, renal pelvis, tumors of bladder, bladder carcinoma, tumors of trigone bladder, of dome bladder, of lateral wall bladder, of posterior wall bladder, of ureteric orifice, of urachus, overlapping lesion of bladder, basal cell carcinoma, basal cell neoplasms, basal cell tumor, basal cell carcinoma, multicentric basal cell carcinoma, basaloid carcinoma, basal cell adenoma, squamous cell carcinoma, oral squamous cell carcinoma, squamous cell carcinoma of the larynx, cervical carcinoma, tumors of exocervix, of overlapping lesion of cervix uteri, of cervix uteri, of isthmus uteri, tumors of uterus, tumors of ovary, tumors of cervical esophagus, of thoracic esophagus, of abdominal esophagus, of upper third of esophagus, of esophagus middle third, of esophagus lower third, of overlapping lesion of esophagus, endometrial carcinoma, head and neck cancer, lymphoma, malignant mesothelioma, mesothelial neoplasms, mesothelioma, fibrous mesothelioma, fibrous mesothelioma, epithelioid mesothelioma, epithelioid mesothelioma, duodenal carcinoma, neuroendocrine tumors, neuroendocrine tumors of the lung, neuroendocrine tumors of the pancreas, neuroendocrine tumors of the foregut, neuroendocrine tumors of the midgut, neuroendocrine tumors of the hindgut, gastroenteropancreatic neuroendocrine tumors, neuroendocrine carcinomas, neuroendocrine tumors of the breast, neuroendocrine tumors o the ovaries, testicular cancer, thymic carcinoma, tumors of stomach, fundus stomach, body stomach, gastric antrum, pylorus, lesser curvature of stomach, greater curvature of stomach, overlapping lesion of stomach, paragangliomas, ganglioma, melanomas, malignant melanoma, nodular melanoma, amelanotic melanoma, superficial spreading melanoma, epithelioid cell melanoma, spindle cell melanoma, mixed epithelioid and spindle cell melanoma.

[0137] In a still further embodiment, the aforementioned indications may occur in organs and tissues selected from the group comprising external upper lip, external lower lip, external lip nos, upper lip mucosa, lower lip mucosa, mucosa lip nos, commissure lip, overlapping lesion of lip, base of tongue nos, dorsal surface tongue nos, border of tongue, ventral surface of tongue nos, anterior 2/3 of tongue nos, lingual tonsil, overlapping lesion of tongue, tongue nos, upper gum, lower

gum, gum nos, anterior floor of mouth, lateral floor of mouth, overlapping lesion of floor of mouth, floor of mouth nos, hard palate, soft palate nos, uvula, overlapping lesion of palate, palate nos, cheek mucosa, vestibule of mouth, retromolar area, overlapping lesion of other and unspecified parts of mouth, mouth nos, parotid gland, submaxillary gland, sublingual gland, overlapping lesion of major salivary glands, major salivary gland nos, tonsillar fossa, tonsillar pillar, overlapping lesion of tonsil, tonsil nos, vallecula, anterior surface of epiglottis, lateral wall oropharynx, posterior wall oropharynx, branchial cleft, overlapping lesion of oropharynx, oropharynx nos, superior wall of nasopharynx, posterior wall nasopharynx, lateral wall nasopharynx, anterior wall nasopharynx, overlapping lesion of nasopharynx, nasopharynx nos, pyriform sinus, post-cricoid region, hypopharyngeal aspect of aryepiglottic fold, posterior wall hypopharynx, overlapping lesion of hypopharynx, hypopharynx nos, pharynx nos, laryngopharynx, waldeyer's ring, overlapping lesion of lip oral cavity and pharynx, cervical esophagus, thoracic esophagus, abdominal esophagus, upper third of esophagus, middle third of esophagus, esophagus lower third, overlapping lesion of esophagus, esophagus nos, cardia nos, fundus stomach, body stomach, gastric antrum, pylorus, lesser curvature of stomach nos, greater curvature of stomach nos, overlapping lesion of stomach, stomach nos, duodenum, jejunum, ileum, meckel's diverticulum, overlapping lesion of small intestine, small intestine nos, cecum, appendix, ascending colon, hepatic flexure of colon, transverse colon, splenic flexure of colon, descending colon, sigmoid colon, overlapping lesion of colon, colon nos, rectosigmoid junction, rectum nos, anus nos, anal canal, cloacogenic zone, overlapping lesion of rectum anus and anal canal, liver, intrahepatic bile duct, gallbladder, extrahepatic bile duct, ampulla of vater, overlapping lesion of biliary tract, biliary tract nos, head of pancreas, body pancreas, tail pancreas, pancreatic duct, islets of langerhans, neck of pancreas, overlapping lesion of pancreas, pancreas nos, intestinal tract nos, overlapping lesion of digestive system, gastrointestinal tract nos, nasal cavity, middle ear, maxillary sinus, ethmoid sinus, frontal sinus, sphenoid sinus, overlapping lesion of accessory sinuses, accessory sinus nos, glottis, supraglottis, subglottis, laryngeal cartilage, overlapping lesion of larynx, larynx nos, trachea, main bronchus, upper lobe lung, middle lobe lung, lower lobe lung, overlapping lesion of lung, lung nos, thymus, heart, anterior mediastinum, posterior mediastinum, mediastinum nos, pleura nos, overlapping lesion of heart mediastinum and pleura, upper respiratory tract nos, overlapping lesion of respiratory system and intrathoracic organs, respiratory tract nos, upper limb long bones joints, upper limb short bones joints, lower limb long bones joints, lower limb short bones joints, overlapping lesion of bones joints and articular cartilage of limbs, bone limb nos, skull and facial bone, mandible, vertebral column, rib sternum clavicle, pelvic bone, overlapping lesion of bones joints and articular cartilage, bone nos, blood, bone marrow, spleen, reticuloendothelial system nos, hematopoietic system nos, skin lip nos, eyelid nos, external ear, skin face, skin scalp neck, skin trunk, skin limb upper, skin limb lower, peripheral nerve head neck, peripheral nerve shoulder arm, peripheral nerve leg, peripheral nerve thorax, peripheral nerve abdomen, peripheral nerve pelvis, peripheral nerve trunk, overlapping lesion of peripheral nerves and autonomic nervous system, autonomic nervous system nos, retroperitoneum, peritoneum, peritoneum nos, overlapping lesion of retroperitoneum and peritoneum, connective tissue head, connective tissue arm, connective tissue leg, connective tissue thorax, connective tissue abdomen, connective tissue pelvis, connective tissue trunk nos, overlapping lesion of connective subcutaneous and other soft tissues, connective tissue nos, nipple, central portion of breast, upper inner quadrant of breast, lower inner quadrant of breast, upper outer quadrant of breast, lower outer quadrant of breast, axillary tail of breast, overlapping lesion of breast, breast nos, labium majus, labium minus, clitoris, overlapping lesion of vulva, vulva nos, vagina nos, endocervix, exocervix, overlapping lesion of cervix uteri, cervix uteri, isthmus uteri, endometrium, myometrium, fundus uteri, overlapping lesion of corpus uteri, corpus uteri, uterus nos, ovary, fallopian tube, broad ligament, round ligament, parametrium, uterine adnexa, wolffian body, overlapping lesion of female genital organs, female genital tract nos, prepuce, glans penis, body penis, overlapping lesion of penis, penis nos, prostate gland, undescended testis, descended testis, testis nos, epididymis, spermatic cord, scrotum nos, tunica vaginalis, overlapping lesion of male genital organs, male genital organs nos, kidney nos, renal pelvis, ureter, trigone bladder, dome bladder, lateral wall bladder, posterior wall bladder, ureteric orifice, urachus, overlapping lesion of bladder, bladder nos, urethra, paraurethral gland, overlapping lesion of urinary organs, urinary system nos, conjunctiva, cornea nos, retina, choroid, ciliary body, lacrimal gland, orbit nos, overlapping lesion of eye and adnexa, eye nos, cerebral meninges, spinal meninges, meninges nos, cerebrum, frontal lobe, temporal lobe, parietal lobe, occipital lobe, ventricle nos, cerebellum nos, brain stem, overlapping lesion of brain, brain nos, spinal cord, cauda equina, olfactory nerve, optic nerve, acoustic nerve, cranial nerve nos, overlapping lesion of brain and central nervous system, nervous system nos, thyroid gland, adrenal gland cortex, adrenal gland medulla, adrenal gland nos, parathyroid gland, pituitary gland, craniopharyngeal duct, pineal gland, carotid body, aortic body, overlapping lesion of endocrine glands and related structures, endocrine gland nos, head face or neck nos, thorax nos, abdomen nos, pelvis nos, upper limb nos, lower limb nos, other illdefined sites, overlapping lesion of ill-defined sites, lymph node face head neck, intrathoracic lymph node, intra-abdominal lymph nodes, lymph node axilla arm, lymph node inguinal region leg, lymph node pelvic, lymph nodes of multiple regions, lymph node nos, unknown primary site,

[0138] The subjects treated with the presently disclosed and claimed compounds may be treated in combination with other non-surgical anti-proliferative (e.g., anti-cancer) drug therapy. In one embodiment, the compounds may be administered in combination with an anti-cancer compound such as a cytostatic compound. A cytostatic compound is a compound (e.g., a small molecule, a nucleic acid, or a protein) that suppresses cell growth and/or proliferation. In some

embodiments, the cytostatic compound is directed towards the malignant cells of a tumor. In yet other embodiments, the cytostatic compound is one which inhibits the growth and/or proliferation of vascular smooth muscle cells or fibroblasts.

[0139] Suitable anti-proliferative drugs or cytostatic compounds to be used in combination with the presently disclosed and claimed compounds include anti-cancer drugs. Numerous anti-cancer drugs which may be used are well known and include, but are not limited to: Acivicin; Aclarubicin; Acodazole Hydrochloride; Acronine; Adozelesin; Aldesleukin; Altretamine; Ambomycin; Ametantrone Acetate; Aminoglutethimide; Amsacrine; Anastrozole; Anthramycin; Asparaginase; Asperlin; Azacitidine; Azetepa; Azotomycin; Batimastat; Benzodepa; Bicalutamide; Bisantrone Hydrochloride; Bisnafide Dimesylate; Bizelesin; Bleomycin Sulfate; Brequinar Sodium; Bropiramine; Busulfan; Cactinomycin; Calusterone; Caracemide; Carbetimer; Carboplatin; Carmustine; Carubicin Hydrochloride; Carzelesin; Cedefingol; Chlorambucil; Cirolemycin; Cisplatin; Cladribine; Crisnatol Mesylate; Cyclophosphamide; Cytarabine; Dacarbazine; Dactinomycin; Daunorubicin Hydrochloride; Decitabine; Dexormaplatin; Dezaguanine; Dezaguanine Mesylate; Diaziquone; Docetaxel; Doxorubicin; Doxorubicin Hydrochloride; Droloxifene; Droloxifene Citrate; Dromostanolone Propionate; Duazomycin; Edatrexate; Eflomithine Hydrochloride; Elsamitricin; Enloplatin; Enpromate; Epiropidine; Epirubicin Hydrochloride; Erbulozole; Erorubicin Hydrochloride; Estramustine; Estramustine Phosphate Sodium; Etanidazole; Etoposide; Etoposide Phosphate; Etoprine; Fadrozole Hydrochloride; Fazarabine; Fenretinide; Floxuridine; Fludarabine Phosphate; Fluorouracil; Fluorocitabine; Fosquidone; Fostriecin Sodium; Gemcitabine; Gemcitabine Hydrochloride; Hydroxyurea; Idarubicin Hydrochloride; Ifosfamide; Ilmofofosine; Interferon Alfa-2a; Interferon Alfa-2b; Interferon Alfa-n1; Interferon Alfa-n3; Interferon Beta-1 a; Interferon Gamma-1 b; Iproplatin; Irinotecan Hydrochloride; Lanreotide Acetate; Letrozole; Leuprolide Acetate; Liarozole Hydrochloride; Lometrexol Sodium; Lomustine; Losoxantrone Hydrochloride; Masoprostol; Maytansine; Mechlorethamine Hydrochloride; Megestrol Acetate; Melengestrol Acetate; Melphalan; Menogaril; Mercaptopurine; Methotrexate; Methotrexate Sodium; Metoprine; Meturedopa; Mitindomide; Mitocarcin; Mitocromin; Mitogillin; Mitomalcin; Mitomycin; Mitosper; Mitotane; Mitoxantrone Hydrochloride; Mycophenolic Acid; Niraparib; Nocodazole; Nogalamycin; Olaparib; Ormaplatin; Oxisuran; Paclitaxel; Pegaspargase; Peliomycin; Pentamustine; Peplomycin Sulfate; Perfosfamide; Pipobroman; Pipsulfan; Piroxantrone Hydrochloride; Plicamycin; Plomestane; Porfimer Sodium; Porfiromycin; Prednimustine; Procarbazine Hydrochloride; Puromycin; Puromycin Hydrochloride; Pyrazofurin; Riboprine; Rogletimide; Rucaparib; Safingol; Safingol Hydrochloride; Semustine; Simtrazene; Sparfosate Sodium; Sparsomycin; Spirogermanium Hydrochloride; Spiromustine; Spiroplatin; Streptonigrin; Streptozocin; Sulofenur; Talazoparib; Talisomycin; Taxol; Taxotere; Tecogalan Sodium; Tegafur; Teloxantrone Hydrochloride; Temoporfin; Teniposide; Teroxirone; Testolactone; Thiamiprine; Thioguanine; Thiotepa; Tiazofurin; Tirapazamine; Topotecan Hydrochloride; Toremifene Citrate; Trestolone Acetate; Triciribine Phosphate; Trimetrexate; Trimetrexate Glucuronate; Tubulozole Hydrochloride; Uracil Mustard; Uredepia; Vapreotide; Velaparib; Verteporfin; Vinblastine Sulfate; Vincristine Sulfate; Vindesine; Vindesine Sulfate; Vinepidine Sulfate; Vinglycinatate Sulfate; Vinleurosine Sulfate; Vinorelbine Tartrate; Vinrosidine Sulfate; Vinzolidine Sulfate; Vorozole; Zeniplatin; Zinostatin; and Zorubicin Hydrochloride.

[0140] Other anti-cancer drugs include, but are not limited to: 20-epi-1,25 dihydroxyvitamin D3; 5-ethynyluracil; abiraterone; acylfulvene; adecypenol; adozelesin; ALL-TK antagonists; ambamustine; amidox; amifostine; aminolevulinic acid; amrubicin; anagrelide; andrographolide; angiogenesis inhibitors; antagonist D; antagonist G; antarelix; anti-dorsalizing morphogenetic protein-1; antiestrogen; antineoplaston; antisense oligonucleotides; aphidicolin glycinate; apoptosis gene modulators; apoptosis regulators; apurinic acid; ara-CDP-DL-PTBA; arginine deaminase; asulacrine; atamestane; atrimustine; axinastatin 1; axinastatin 2; axinastatin 3; azasetron; azatoxin; azatyrosine; baccatin III derivatives; balanol; batimastat; BCR/ABL antagonists; benzochlorins; benzoylstauroporine; beta lactam derivatives; beta-alethine; betaclamycin B; betulinic acid; bFGF inhibitor; bisaziridinylspermine; bisnafide; bistratene A; breflate; budotitane; buthionine sulfoximine; calcipotriol; calphostin C; camptothecin derivatives; canarypox IL-2; capecitabine; carboxamide-amino-triazole; carboxyamidotriazole; CaRest M3; CARN 700; cartilage derived inhibitor; casein kinase inhibitors (ICOS); castanospermine; cecropin B; cetorelix; chlorins; chloroquinoxaline sulfonamide; cicaprost; cisporphyrin; clomifene analogues; clotrimazole; collismycin A; collismycin B; combretastatin A4; combretastatin analogue; conagenin; crambescidin 816; crisnatol; cryptophycin 8; cryptophycin A derivatives; curacin A; cyclopentantraquinones; cycloplatam; cypemycin; cytarabine ocfosfate; cytolytic factor; cytostatin; dacliximab; dehydrodidemnin B; deslorelin; dexifosfamide; dexrazoxane; dexverapamil; didemnin B; didox; diethylnorspermine; dihydro-5-azacytidine; dihydrotaxol, 9-; dioxamycin; diphenyl spiromustine; docosanol; dolasetron; doxifluridine; dronabinol; duocarmycin SA; ebselen; ecomustine; edelfosine; edrecolomab; eflomithine; elemene; emitefur; epirubicin; epristeride; estramustine analogue; estrogen agonists; estrogen antagonists; etanidazole; etoposide phosphate; exemestane; filgrastim; finasteride; flavopiridol; flezelastine; fluasterone; fludarabine; fluorodaunorubicin hydrochloride; forfenimex; formestane; fotemustine; gadolinium texaphyrin; gallium nitrate; galocitabine; ganirelix; gelatinase inhibitors; glutathione inhibitors; hepsulfam; heregulin; hexamethylene bisacetamide; hypericin; ibandronic acid; idoxifene; idramantone; ilmofofosine; ilomastat; imidazoacridones; imiquimod; immunostimulant peptides; insulin-like growth factor-I receptor inhibitor; interferon agonists; interferons; interleukins; iobenguane; iododoxorubicin; ipomeanol, 4-; irinotecan; iroplact; irsogladine; isobengazole; isohomohalicondrin B; itasetron; jasplakinolide; kahalalide F; lamellarin-N triacetate; lanreotide; leinamycin; lenograstim; lentinan sulfate; leptolstatin; leukemia inhibiting factor; leukocyte alpha interferon; leuprolide+estrogen+pro-

gesterone; leuprorelin; levamisole; liarozole; linear polyamine analogue; lipophilic disaccharide peptide; lipophilic platinum compounds; lissoclinamide 7; lobaplatin; lombricine; lometrexol; lonidamine; losoxantrone; lovastatin; loxoribine; lurtotecan; lutetium texaphyrin; lysofylline; lytic peptides; maitansine; mannostatin A; marimastat; masoprocol; maspin; matrilysin inhibitors; matrix metalloproteinase inhibitors; merbarone; meterelin; methioninase; metoclopramide; MIF inhibitor; mifepristone; miltefosine; mirimostim; mismatched double stranded RNA; mitoguazone; mitolactol; mitomycin analogues; mitonafide; mitotoxin fibroblast growth factor-saporin; mofarotene; molgramostim; monoclonal antibody, human chorionic gonadotrophin; monophosphoryl lipid A+myobacterium cell wall sk; mopidamol; multiple drug resistance gene inhibitor; multiple tumor suppressor 1-based therapy; mustard anti cancer compound; mycaperoxide B; mycobacterial cell wall extract; myriaporone; N-acetyldinaline; N-substituted benzamides; nafarelin; nagrestip; naloxone+pentazocine; napavin; naphterpin; nartograstim; nedaplatin; nemorubicin; neridronic acid; neutral endopeptidase; nilutamide; nisamycin; nitric oxide modulators; nitroxide antioxidant; nitrullyn; O6-benzylguanine; octreotide; okicenone; oligonucleotides; onapristone; ondansetron; ondansetron; oracin; oral cytokine inducer; osaterone; oxaliplatin; oxaunomycin; paclitaxel analogues; paclitaxel derivatives; palauamine; palmitoylrhizoxin; pamidronic acid; panaxytriol; panomifene; parabactin; pazelliptine; pegaspargase; peldesine; pentosan polysulfate sodium; pentostatin; pentozole; perflubron; perfosfamide; perillyl alcohol; phenazinomycin; phenylacetate; phosphatase inhibitors; picibanil; pilocarpine hydrochloride; pirarubicin; piritrexim; placetin A; placetin B; plasminogen activator inhibitor; platinum complex; platinum compounds; platinum-triamine complex; porfimer sodium; porfiromycin; propyl bis-acridone; prostaglandin J2; proteasome inhibitors; protein A-based immune modulator; protein kinase C inhibitor; protein kinase C inhibitors, microalgal; protein tyrosine phosphatase inhibitors; purine nucleoside phosphorylase inhibitors; purpurins; pyrazoloacridine; pyridoxylated hemoglobin polyoxyethylene conjugate; raf antagonists; raltitrexed; ramosetron; ras farnesyl protein transferase inhibitors; ras inhibitors; ras-GAP inhibitor; retelliptine demethylated; rhenium Re 186 etidronate; rhizoxin; ribozymes; RII retinamide; rohitukine; romurtide; roquinimex; rubiginone BI; ruboxyl; saintopin; SarCNU; sarcophytol A; sargramostim; Sdi 1 mimetics; senescence derived inhibitor 1; sense oligonucleotides; signal transduction inhibitors; signal transduction modulators; single chain antigen binding protein; sizofuran; sobuzoxane; sodium borocaptate; sodium phenylacetate; solverol; somatomedin binding protein; sonermin; sparfosic acid; spicamycin D; spiromustine; splenopentin; spongistatin 1; squalamine; stem cell inhibitor; stem-cell division inhibitors; stipiamide; stromelysin inhibitors; sulfinosine; superactive vasoactive intestinal peptide antagonist; suradista; suramin; swainsonine; synthetic glycosaminoglycans; tallimustine; tamoxifen methiodide; tauromustine; tazarotene; tecogalan sodium; tegafur; tellurapyrylium; telomerase inhibitors; temozolomide; tetrachlorodecaoxide; tetrazomine; thaliblastine; thalidomide; thiocoraline; thrombopoietin; thrombopoietin mimetic; thymalfasin; thymopoietin receptor agonist; thymotrinan; thyroid stimulating hormone; tin ethyl etiopurpurin; titanocene dichloride; topsentin; toremifene; totipotent stem cell factor; translation inhibitors; tretinoin; triacetyluridine; triciribine; tropisetron; turosteride; tyrosine kinase inhibitors; tyrphostins; UBC inhibitors; ubenimex; urogenital sinus-derived growth inhibitory factor; urokinase receptor antagonists; variolin B; vector system, erythrocyte gene therapy; velaresol; veramine; verdins; vinorelbine; vinxaltine; vitaxin; zanoterone; zilascorb; and zinostatin stimalamer.

[0141] The presently disclosed and claimed compounds can also be used in combination with any of the following treatments:

Therapy in combination with inhibitors of Poly(ADP-ribose) polymerases (PARP), a class of chemotherapeutic agents directed at targeting cancers with defective DNA-damage repair (Yuan, et al., Expert Opin Ther Pat, 2017, 27: 363). Such PARP inhibitors include but are not limited to olaparib, rupacarib, velaparib, niraparib, talazoparib, pamiparib, iniparib, E7449, and A-966492.

[0142] Therapy in combination with inhibitors of signaling pathways and mechanisms leading to repair of DNA single and double strand breaks as e.g. nuclear factor-kappaB signaling (Pilie, et al., Nat Rev Clin Oncol, 2019, 16: 81; Zhang, et al., Chin J Cancer, 2012, 31: 359). Such inhibitors include but are not limited to inhibitors of ATM and ATR kinases, checkpoint kinase 1 and 2, DNA-dependen protein kinase, and WEE1 kinase (Pilie, et al., Nat Rev Clin Oncol, 2019, 16: 81).

[0143] Therapy in combination with an immunomodulator (Khalil, et al., Nat Rev Clin Oncol, 2016, 13: 394), a cancer vaccine (Hollingsworth, et al., NPJ Vaccines, 2019, 4: 7), an immune checkpoint inhibitor (e.g. PD-1, PD-L1, CTLA-4-inhibitor) (Wei, et al., Cancer Discov, 2018, 8: 1069), a Cyclin-D-Kinase 4/6 inhibitor (Goel, et al., Trends Cell Biol, 2018, 25: 911), an antibody being capable of binding to a tumor cell and/or metastases and being capable of inducing antibody-dependent cellular cytotoxicity (ADCC) (Kellner, et al., Transfus Med Hemother, 2017, 44: 327), a T cell- or NK cell engager (e.g. bispecific antibodies) (Yu, et al., J Cancer Res Clin Oncol, 2019, 145: 941), a cellular therapy using expanded autologous or allogeneic immune cells (e.g. chimeric antigen receptor T (CAR-T) cells) (Khalil, et al., Nat Rev Clin Oncol, 2016, 13: 394). Immune checkpoint inhibitors induce but are not limited to nivolumab, ipilimumab, pembrolizumab, atezolizumab, avelumab, durvalumab, and cemiplimab.

[0144] According to the present invention, the compounds may be administered prior to, concurrent with, or following other anti-cancer compounds. The administration schedule may involve administering the different agents in an alternating fashion. In other embodiments, the compounds may be delivered before and during, or during and after, or before

and after treatment with other therapies. In some cases, the compound is administered more than 24 hours before the administration of the other anti-proliferative treatment. In other embodiments, more than one anti-proliferative therapy may be administered to a subject. For example, the subject may receive the present compounds, in combination with both surgery and at least one other anti-proliferative compound. Alternatively, the compound may be administered in combination with more than one anti-cancer drug.

[0145] In an embodiment, the compounds of the present invention are used to detect cells and tissues overexpressing FAP, whereby such detection is achieved by conjugating a detectable label to the compounds of the invention, preferably a detectable radionuclide. In a preferred embodiment, the cells and tissues detected are diseased cells and tissues and/or are either a or the cause for the disease and/or the symptoms of the disease, or are part of the pathology underlying the disease. In a further preferred embodiment, the diseased cells and tissues are causing and/or are part of an oncology indication (e.g. neoplasms, tumors, and cancers) or a non-oncology indication (e.g. inflammatory disease, cardiovascular disease, autoimmune disease, and fibrotic disease).

[0146] In another embodiment, the compounds of the present invention are used to treat cells and tissues overexpressing FAP. In a preferred embodiment, the cells and tissues treated are diseased cells and tissues and/or are either a or the cause for the disease and/or the symptoms of the disease, or are part of the pathology underlying the disease. In a further preferred embodiment, the diseased cells and tissues are causing and/or are part of an oncology indication (e.g. neoplasms, tumors, and cancers) and the therapeutic activity is achieved by conjugating therapeutically active effector to the compounds of the present invention, preferably a therapeutically active radionuclide. In a further preferred embodiment, the diseased cells and tissues are causing and/or are part of a non-oncology indication (e.g. inflammatory disease, cardiovascular disease, autoimmune disease, and fibrotic disease) and the therapeutic activity is achieved by inhibition of the enzymatic activity of FAP.

[0147] In a further embodiment, particularly if the disease is a non-oncology disease or a non-oncology indication (e.g. inflammatory disease, cardiovascular disease, autoimmune disease, and fibrotic disease), the compounds of the present invention are administered in therapeutically effective amounts; preferably the compound of the present invention does not comprise a therapeutically active nuclide. An effective amount is a dosage of the compound sufficient to provide a therapeutically or medically desirable result or effect in the subject to which the compound is administered. The effective amount will vary with the particular condition being treated, the age and physical condition of the subject being treated, the severity of the condition, the duration of the treatment, the nature of the concurrent or combination therapy (if any), the specific route of administration and like factors within the knowledge and expertise of the health practitioner. For example, in connection with methods directed towards treating subjects having a condition characterized by abnormal cell proliferation, an effective amount to inhibit proliferation would be an amount sufficient to reduce or halt altogether the abnormal cell proliferation so as to slow or halt the development of or the progression of a cell mass such as, for example, a tumor. As used in the embodiments, "inhibit" embraces all of the foregoing.

[0148] In other embodiments, a therapeutically effective amount will be an amount necessary to extend the dormancy of micrometastases or to stabilize any residual primary tumor cells following surgical or drug therapy.

[0149] Generally, when using an unconjugated compound without a therapeutically active radionuclide, a therapeutically effective amount will vary with the subject's age, condition, and sex, as well as the nature and extent of the disease in the subject, all of which can be determined by one of ordinary skill in the art. The dosage may be adjusted by the individual physician or veterinarian, particularly in the event of any complication. A therapeutically effective amount is typically, but not limited to, an amount in a range from 0.1 $\mu\text{g/kg}$ to about 2000 mg/kg, or from 1.0 $\mu\text{g/kg}$ to about 1000 mg/kg, or from about 0.1 mg/kg to about 500 mg/kg, or from about 1.0 mg/kg to about 100 mg/kg, in one or more dose administrations daily, for one or more days. If desired, the effective daily dose of the active compound may be administered as two, three, four, five, six, or more sub-doses for example administered separately at appropriate intervals throughout the day, optionally, in unit dosage forms. In some embodiments, the compounds are administered for more than 7 days, more than 10 days, more than 14 days and more than 20 days. In still other embodiments, the compound is administered over a period of weeks, or months. In still other embodiments, the compound is delivered on alternate days. For example, the agent is delivered every two days, or every three days, or every four days, or every five days, or every six days, or every week, or every month.

[0150] In a preferred embodiment, the compound of the present invention is for use in the treatment and/or prevention of a disease, whereby such treatment is radionuclide therapy.

[0151] Preferably, radionuclide therapy makes use of or is based on different forms of radiation emitted by a radionuclide. Such radiation can, for example, be any one of radiation of photons, radiation of electrons including but not limited to β -particles and Auger-electrons, radiation of protons, radiation of neutrons, radiation of positrons, radiation of α -particles or an ion beam. Depending on the kind of particle or radiation emitted by said radionuclide, radionuclide therapy can, for example, be distinguished as photon radionuclide therapy, electron radionuclide therapy, proton radionuclide therapy, neutron radionuclide therapy, positron radionuclide therapy, α -particle radionuclide therapy or ion beam radionuclide therapy. All of these forms of radionuclide therapy are encompassed by the present invention, and all of these forms of radionuclide therapy can be realized by the compound of the invention, preferably under the proviso that the

radionuclide attached to the compound of the invention, more preferably as an effector, is providing for this kind of radiation.

[0152] Radionuclide therapy preferably works by damaging the DNA of cells. The damage is caused by a photon, electron, proton, neutron, positron, α -particle or ion beam directly or indirectly ionizing the atoms which make up the DNA chain. Indirect ionization happens as a result of the ionization of water, forming free radicals, notably hydroxyl radicals, which then damage the DNA.

[0153] In the most common forms of radionuclide therapy, most of the radiation effect is through free radicals. Because cells have mechanisms for repairing DNA damage, breaking the DNA on both strands proves to be the most significant technique in modifying cell characteristics. Because cancer cells generally are undifferentiated and stem cell-like, they reproduce more, and have a diminished ability to repair sub-lethal damage compared to most healthy differentiated cells. The DNA damage is inherited through cell division, accumulating damage to the cancer cells, causing them to die or reproduce more slowly.

[0154] Oxygen is a potent radiosensitizer, increasing the effectiveness of a given dose of radiation by forming DNA-damaging free radicals. Therefore, use of high pressure oxygen tanks, blood substitutes that carry increased oxygen, hypoxic cell radiosensitizers such as misonidazole and metronidazole, and hypoxic cytotoxins, such as tirapazamine may be applied.

[0155] Other factors that are considered when selecting a radioactive dose include whether the patient is receiving chemotherapy, whether radiation therapy is being administered before or after surgery, and the degree of success of surgery.

[0156] The total radioactive dose may be fractionated, i.e. spread out over time in one or more treatments for several important reasons. Fractionation allows normal cells time to recover, while tumor cells are generally less efficient in repair between fractions. Fractionation also allows tumor cells that were in a relatively radio-resistant phase of the cell cycle during one treatment to cycle into a sensitive phase of the cycle before the next fraction is given. Similarly, tumor cells that were chronically or acutely hypoxic and, therefore, more radioresistant, may reoxygenate between fractions, improving the tumor cell kill.

[0157] It is generally known that different cancers respond differently to radiation therapy. The response of a cancer to radiation is described by its radiosensitivity. Highly radiosensitive cancer cells are rapidly killed by modest doses of radiation. These include leukemias, most lymphomas, and germ cell tumors.

[0158] It is important to distinguish radiosensitivity of a particular tumor, which to some extent is a laboratory measure, from "curability" of a cancer by an internally delivered radioactive dose in actual clinical practice. For example, leukemias are not generally curable with radiotherapy, because they are disseminated through the body. Lymphoma may be radically curable if it is localized to one area of the body. Similarly, many of the common, moderately radioresponsive tumors can be treated with curative doses of radioactivity if they are at an early stage. This applies, for example, to non-melanoma skin cancer, head and neck cancer, non-small cell lung cancer, cervical cancer, anal cancer, prostate cancer.

[0159] The response of a tumor to radiotherapy is also related to its size. For complex reasons, very large tumors respond less well to radiation than smaller tumors or microscopic disease. Various strategies are used to overcome this effect. The most common technique is surgical resection prior to radiotherapy. This is most commonly seen in the treatment of breast cancer with wide local excision or mastectomy followed by adjuvant radiotherapy. Another method is to shrink the tumor with neoadjuvant chemotherapy prior to radical radionuclide therapy. A third technique is to enhance the radiosensitivity of the cancer by giving certain drugs during a course of radiotherapy. Examples of radiosensitizing drugs include, but are not limited to Cisplatin, Nimorazole, and Cetuximab.

[0160] Intraoperative radiotherapy is a special type of radiotherapy that is delivered immediately after surgical removal of the cancer. This method has been employed in breast cancer (TARGeted Intraoperative radioTherapy), brain tumors and rectal cancers.

[0161] Radionuclide therapy is in itself painless. Many low-dose palliative treatments cause minimal or no side effects. Treatment to higher doses may cause varying side effects during treatment (acute side effects), in the months or years following treatment (long-term side effects), or after re-treatment (cumulative side effects). The nature, severity, and longevity of side effects depends on the organs that receive the radiation, the treatment itself (type of radionuclide, dose, fractionation, concurrent chemotherapy), and the patient.

[0162] It is within the present inventions that the method for the treatment of a disease of the invention may realize each and any of the above strategies which are as such known in the art, and which insofar constitute further embodiments of the invention.

[0163] It is also within the present invention that the compound of the invention is used in a method for the diagnosis of a disease as disclosed herein. Such method, preferably, comprises the step of administering to a subject in need thereof a diagnostically effective amount of the compound of the invention.

[0164] In accordance with the present invention, an imaging method is selected from the group consisting of scintigraphy, Single Photon Emission Computed Tomography (SPECT) and Positron Emission Tomography (PET).

[0165] Scintigraphy is a form of diagnostic test or method used in nuclear medicine, wherein radiopharmaceuticals are

internalized by cells, tissues and/or organs, preferably internalized *in vivo*, and radiation emitted by said internalized radiopharmaceuticals is captured by external detectors (gamma cameras) to form and display two-dimensional images. In contrast thereto, SPECT and PET forms and displays three-dimensional images. Because of this, SPECT and PET are classified as separate techniques to scintigraphy, although they also use gamma cameras to detect internal radiation.

Scintigraphy is unlike a diagnostic X-ray where external radiation is passed through the body to form an image.

[0166] Single Photon Emission Tomography (SPECT) scans are a type of nuclear imaging technique using gamma rays. They are very similar to conventional nuclear medicine planar imaging using a gamma camera. Before the SPECT scan, the patient is injected with a radiolabeled chemical emitting gamma rays that can be detected by the scanner. A computer collects the information from the gamma camera and translates this into two-dimensional cross-sections. These cross-sections can be added back together to form a three-dimensional image of an organ or a tissue. SPECT involves detection of gamma rays emitted singly, and sequentially, by the radionuclide provided by the radiolabeled chemical. To acquire SPECT images, the gamma camera is rotated around the patient. Projections are acquired at defined points during the rotation, typically every 3 - 6 degrees. In most cases, a full 360 degree rotation is used to obtain an optimal reconstruction. The time taken to obtain each projection is also variable, but 15 - 20 seconds is typical. This gives a total scan time of 15 - 20 minutes. Multi-headed gamma cameras are faster. Since SPECT acquisition is very similar to planar gamma camera imaging, the same radiopharmaceuticals may be used.

[0167] Positron Emitting Tomography (PET) is a non-invasive, diagnostic imaging technique for measuring the biochemical status or metabolic activity of cells within the human body. PET is unique since it produces images of the body's basic biochemistry or functions. Traditional diagnostic techniques, such as X-rays, CT scans, or MRI, produce images of the body's anatomy or structure. The premise with these techniques is that any changes in structure or anatomy associated with a disease can be seen. Biochemical processes are also altered by a disease, and may occur before any gross changes in anatomy. PET is an imaging technique that can visualize some of these early biochemical changes. PET scanners rely on radiation emitted from the patient to create the images. Each patient is given a minute amount of a radioactive pharmaceutical that either closely resembles a natural substance used by the body or binds specifically to a receptor or molecular structure. As the radioisotope undergoes positron emission decay (also known as positive beta decay), it emits a positron, the antiparticle counterpart of an electron. After traveling up to a few millimeters, the positron encounters an electron and annihilates, producing a pair of annihilation (gamma) photons moving in opposite directions. These are detected when they reach a scintillation material in the scanning device, creating a burst of light, which is detected by photomultiplier tubes or silicon avalanche photodiodes. The technique depends on simultaneous or coincident detection of the pair of photons. Photons that do not arrive in pairs, i.e., within a few nanoseconds, are ignored. All coincidences are forwarded to the image processing unit where the final image data is produced using image reconstruction procedures.

[0168] SPECT/CT and PET/CT is the combination of SPECT and PET with computed tomography (CT). The key benefits of combining these modalities are improving the reader's confidence and accuracy. With traditional PET and SPECT, the limited number of photons emitted from the area of abnormality produces a very low-level background that makes it difficult to anatomically localize the area. Adding CT helps determine the location of the abnormal area from an anatomic perspective and categorize the likelihood that this represents a disease.

[0169] It is within the present inventions that the method for the diagnosis of a disease of the invention may realize each and any of the above strategies which are as such known in the art, and which insofar constitute further embodiments of the invention.

[0170] Compounds of the present invention are useful to stratify patients, i.e. to create subsets within a patient population that provide more detailed information about how the patient will respond to a given drug. Stratification can be a critical component to transforming a clinical trial from a negative or neutral outcome to one with a positive outcome by identifying the subset of the population most likely to respond to a novel therapy.

[0171] Stratification includes the identification of a group of patients with shared "biological" characteristics to select the optimal management for the patients and achieve the best possible outcome in terms of risk assessment, risk prevention and achievement of the optimal treatment outcome

[0172] A compound of the present invention may be used to assess or detect, a specific disease as early as possible (which is a diagnostic use), the risk of developing a disease (which is a susceptibility/risk use), the evolution of a disease including indolent vs. aggressive (which is a prognostic use) and it may be used to predict the response and the toxicity to a given treatment (which is a predictive use).

[0173] It is also within the present invention that the compound of the invention is used in a theragnostic method. The concept of theragnostics is to combine a therapeutic agent with a corresponding diagnostic test that can increase the clinical use of the therapeutic drug. The concept of theragnostics is becoming increasingly attractive and is widely considered the key to improving the efficiency of drug treatment by helping doctors identify patients who might profit from a given therapy and hence avoid unnecessary treatments.

[0174] The concept of theragnostics is to combine a therapeutic agent with a diagnostic test that allows doctors to identify those patients who will benefit most from a given therapy. In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, a

compound of the present invention is used for the diagnosis of a patient, i.e. identification and localization of the primary tumor mass as well as potential local and distant metastases. Furthermore, the tumor volume can be determined, especially utilizing three-dimensional diagnostic modalities such as SPECT or PET. Only those patients having FAP-positive tumor masses and who, therefore, might profit from a given therapy are selected for a particular therapy and hence unnecessary treatments are avoided. Preferably, such therapy is a FAP-targeted therapy using a compound of the present invention. In one particular embodiment, chemically identical tumor-targeted diagnostics, preferably imaging diagnostics for scintigraphy, PET or SPECT and radiotherapeutics are applied. Such compounds only differ in the radionuclide and therefore usually have a very similar if not identical pharmacokinetic profile. This can be realized using a chelator and a diagnostic or therapeutic radiometal. Alternatively, this can be realized using a precursor for radiolabeling and radiolabeling with either a diagnostic or a therapeutic radionuclide. In one embodiment diagnostic imaging is used preferably by means of quantification of the radiation of the diagnostic radionuclide and subsequent dosimetry which is known to those skilled in the art and the prediction of drug concentrations in the tumor compared to vulnerable side effect organs. Thus, a truly individualized drug dosing therapy for the patient is achieved.

[0175] In an embodiment and as preferably used herein, the theragnostic method is realized with only one theragnostically active compound such as a compound of the present invention labeled with a radionuclide emitting diagnostically detectable radiation (e.g. positrons or gamma rays) as well as therapeutically effective radiation (e.g. electrons or alpha particles).

[0176] The invention also contemplates a method of intraoperatively identifying/disclosing diseased tissues expressing FAP in a subject. Such method uses a compound of the invention, whereby such compound of the invention preferably comprises as Effector a diagnostically active agent.

[0177] According to a further embodiment of the invention, the compound of the invention, particularly if complexed with a radionuclide, may be employed as adjunct or adjuvant to any other tumor treatment including, surgery as the primary method of treatment of most isolated solid cancers, radiation therapy involving the use of ionizing radiation in an attempt to either cure or improve the symptoms of cancer using either sealed internal sources in the form of brachytherapy or external sources, chemotherapy such as alkylating agents, antimetabolites, anthracyclines, plant alkaloids, topoisomerase inhibitors, and other antitumor agents, hormone treatments that modulate tumor cell behavior without directly attacking those cells, targeted agents which directly target a molecular abnormality in certain types of cancer including monoclonal antibodies and tyrosine kinase inhibitors, angiogenesis inhibitors, immunotherapy, cancer vaccination, palliative care including actions to reduce the physical, emotional, spiritual, and psycho-social distress to improve the patient's quality of life and alternative treatments including a diverse group of health care systems, practices, and products that are not part of conventional medicine.

[0178] In an embodiment of the methods of the invention, the subject is a patient. In an embodiment, a patient is a subject which has been diagnosed as suffering from or which is suspected of suffering from or which is at risk of suffering from or developing a disease, whereby the disease is a disease as described herein and preferably a disease involving FAP.

[0179] Dosages employed in practicing the methods for treatment and diagnosis, respectively, where a radionuclide is used and more specifically attached to or part of the compound of the invention will vary depending e.g. on the particular condition to be treated, for example the known radiosensitivity of the tumor type, the volume of the tumor and the therapy desired. In general, the dose is calculated on the basis of radioactivity distribution to each organ and on observed target uptake. A γ -emitting complex may be administered once or at several times for diagnostic imaging. In animals, an indicated dose range may be from 0.1 $\mu\text{g/kg}$ to 5 mg/kg of the compound of the invention complexed e.g. with 1 to 200 MBq of ^{111}In or ^{89}Zr . A β -emitting complex of the compound of the invention may be administered at several time points e.g. over a period of 1 to 3 weeks or longer. In animals, an indicated dosage range may be of from 0.1 $\mu\text{g/kg}$ to 5 mg/kg of the compound of the invention complexed e.g. with 1 to 200 MBq ^{90}Y or ^{177}Lu . In larger mammals, for example humans, an indicated dosage range is from 0.1 to 100 $\mu\text{g/kg}$ of the compound of the invention complexed with e.g. 10 to 400 MBq ^{111}In or ^{89}Zr . In larger mammals, for example humans, an indicated dosage range is of from 0.1 to 100 $\mu\text{g/kg}$ of the compound of the invention complexed with e.g. 10 to 5000 MBq ^{90}Y or ^{177}Lu .

[0180] In a further aspect, the instant invention is related to a composition and a pharmaceutical composition in particular, comprising the compound of the invention.

[0181] The pharmaceutical composition of the present invention comprises at least one compound of the invention and, optionally, one or more carrier substances, excipients and/or adjuvants. The pharmaceutical composition may additionally comprise, for example, one or more of water, buffers such as, e.g., neutral buffered saline or phosphate buffered saline, ethanol, mineral oil, vegetable oil, dimethylsulfoxide, carbohydrates such as e.g., glucose, mannose, sucrose or dextrans, mannitol, proteins, adjuvants, polypeptides or amino acids such as glycine, antioxidants, chelating agents such as EDTA or glutathione and/or preservatives. Furthermore, one or more other active ingredients may, but need not, be included in the pharmaceutical composition of the invention.

[0182] The pharmaceutical composition of the invention may be formulated for any appropriate route of administration, including, for example, topical such as, e.g., transdermal or ocular, oral, buccal, nasal, vaginal, rectal or parenteral administration. The term parenteral as used herein includes subcutaneous, intradermal, intravascular such as, e.g.,

intravenous, intramuscular, intrathecal and intraperitoneal injection, as well as any similar injection or infusion technique. A preferred route of administration is intravenous administration.

[0183] In an embodiment of the invention the compound of the invention comprising a radionuclide is administered by any conventional route, in particular intravenously, e.g. in the form of injectable solutions or suspensions. The compound of the invention may also be administered advantageously by infusion, e.g., by an infusion of 30 to 60 min.

[0184] Depending on the site of the tumor, the compound of the invention may be administered as close as possible to the tumor site, e.g. by means of a catheter. Such administration may be carried out directly into the tumor tissue or into the surrounding tissue or into the afferent blood vessels. The compound of the invention may also be administered repeatedly in doses, preferably in divided doses.

[0185] According to a preferred embodiment of the invention, a pharmaceutical composition of the invention comprises a stabilizer, e.g. a free radical scavenger, which inhibits autoradiolysis of the compound of the invention. Suitable stabilizers include, e.g., serum albumin, ascorbic acid, retinol, gentisic acid or a derivative thereof, or an amino acid infusion solution such, e.g., used for parenteral protein feeding, preferably free from electrolyte and glucose, for example a commercially available amino acid infusion such as Proteinsteryl® KE Nephro. Ascorbic acid and gentisic acid are preferred.

[0186] A pharmaceutical composition of the invention may comprise further additives, e.g. an agent to adjust the pH between 7.2 and 7.4, e.g. sodium or ammonium acetate or Na_2HPO_4 . Preferably, the stabilizer is added to the non-radioactive compound of the invention and introduction of the radionuclide, for instance the complexation with the radionuclide, is performed in the presence of the stabilizer, either at room temperature or, preferably, at a temperature of from 40 to 120° C. The complexation may conveniently be performed under air free conditions, e.g. under N_2 or Ar. Further stabilizer may be added to the composition after complexation.

[0187] Excretion of the compound of the invention, particularly if the Effector is a radionuclide, essentially takes place through the kidneys. Further protection of the kidneys from radioactivity accumulation may be achieved by administration of lysine or arginine or an amino acid solution having a high content of lysine and/or arginine, e.g. a commercially available amino acid solution such as Synthamin®-14 or -10, prior to the injection of or together with the compound of the invention, particularly if the Effector is a radionuclide. Protection of the kidneys may also be achieved by administration of plasma expanders such as e.g. gelofusine, either instead of or in addition to amino acid infusion. Protection of the kidneys may also be achieved by administration of diuretics providing a means of forced diuresis which elevates the rate of urination. Such diuretics include high ceiling loop diuretics, thiazides, carbonic anhydrase inhibitors, potassium-sparing diuretics, calcium-sparing diuretics, osmotic diuretics and low ceiling diuretics. A pharmaceutical composition of the invention may contain, apart from a compound of the invention, at least one of these further compounds intended for or suitable for kidney protection, preferably kidney protection of the subject to which the compound of the invention is administered.

[0188] It will be understood by a person skilled in the art that the compound of the invention is disclosed herein for use in various methods. It will be further understood by a person skilled in the art that the composition of the invention and the pharmaceutical composition of the invention can be equally used in said various methods. It will also be understood by a person skilled in the art that the composition of the invention and the pharmaceutical composition are disclosed herein for use in various methods. It will be equally understood by a person skilled in the art that the compound of the invention can be equally used in said various methods.

[0189] It will be acknowledged by a person skilled in the art that the composition of the invention and the pharmaceutical composition of the invention contain one or more further compounds in addition to the compound of the invention. To the extent that such one or more further compounds are disclosed herein as being part of the composition of the invention and/or of the pharmaceutical composition of the invention, it will be understood that such one or more further compounds can be administered separately from the compound of the invention to the subject which is exposed to or the subject of a method of the invention. Such administration of the one or more further compounds can be performed prior, concurrently with or after the administration of the compound of the invention. It will also be acknowledged by a person skilled in the art that in a method of the invention, apart from a compound of the invention, one or more further compound may be administered to a subject. Such administration of the one or more further compounds can be performed prior, concurrently with or after the administration of the compound of the invention. To the extent that such one or more further compounds are disclosed herein as being administered as part of a method of the invention, it will be understood that such one or more further compounds are part of a composition of the invention and/or of a pharmaceutical composition of the invention. It is within the present invention that the compound of the invention and the one or more further compounds may be contained in the same or a different formulation. It is also within the present invention that the compound of the invention and the one or more further compounds are not contained in the same formulation, but are contained in the same package containing a first formulation comprising a compound of the invention, and a second formulation comprising the one or more further compounds, whereby the type of formulation may be the same or may be different.

[0190] It is within the present invention that more than one type of a compound of the invention is contained in the composition of the invention and/or the pharmaceutical composition of the invention. It is also within the present invention that more than one type of a compound of the invention is used, preferably administered, in a method of the invention.

[0191] It will be acknowledged that a composition of the invention and a pharmaceutical composition of the invention may be manufactured in conventional manner.

[0192] Radiopharmaceuticals have decreasing content of radioactivity with time, as a consequence of the radioactive decay. The physical half-life of the radionuclide is often short for radiopharmaceutical diagnostics. In these cases, the final preparation has to be done shortly before administration to the patient. This is in particular the case for positron emitting radiopharmaceuticals for tomography (PET radiopharmaceuticals). It often leads to the use of semi-manufactured products such as radionuclide generators, radioactive precursors and kits.

[0193] Preferably, a kit of the invention comprises apart from one or more than one compounds of the invention typically at least one of the followings: instructions for use, final preparation and/or quality control, one or more optional excipient(s), one or more optional reagents for the labeling procedure, optionally one or more radionuclide(s) with or without shielded containers, and optionally one or more device(s), whereby the device(s) is/are selected from the group comprising a labeling device, a purification device, an analytical device, a handling device, a radioprotection device or an administration device.

[0194] Shielded containers known as "pigs" for general handling and transport of radiopharmaceutical containers come in various configurations for holding radiopharmaceutical containers such as bottles, vials, syringes, etc. One form often includes a removable cover that allows access to the held radiopharmaceutical container. When the pig cover is in place, the radiation exposure is acceptable.

[0195] A labeling device is selected from the group of open reactors, closed reactors, microfluidic systems, nanoreactors, cartridges, pressure vessels, vials, temperature controllable reactors, mixing or shaking reactors and combinations thereof.

[0196] A purification device is preferably selected from the group of ion exchange chromatography columns or devices, size-exclusion chromatography columns or devices, affinity chromatography columns or devices, gas or liquid chromatography columns or devices, solid phase extraction columns or devices, filtering devices, centrifugations vials columns or devices.

[0197] An analytical device is preferably selected from the group of tests or test devices to determine the identity, radiochemical purity, radionuclidic purity, content of radioactivity and specific radioactivity of the radiolabelled compound.

[0198] A handling device is preferably selected from the group consisting of devices for mixing, diluting, dispensing, labeling, injecting and administering radiopharmaceuticals to a subject.

[0199] A radioprotection device is used in order to protect doctors and other personnel from radiation when using therapeutic or diagnostic radionuclides. The radioprotection device is preferably selected from the group consisting of devices with protective barriers of radiation-absorbing material selected from the group consisting of aluminum, plastics, wood, lead, iron, lead glass, water, rubber, plastic, cloth, devices ensuring adequate distances from the radiation sources, devices reducing exposure time to the radionuclide, devices restricting inhalation, ingestion, or other modes of entry of radioactive material into the body and devices providing combinations of these measures.

[0200] An administration device is preferably selected from the group of syringes, shielded syringes, needles, pumps, and infusion devices. Syringe shields are commonly hollow cylindrical structures that accommodate the cylindrical body of the syringe and are constructed of lead or tungsten with a lead glass window that allows the handler to view the syringe plunger and liquid volume within the syringe.

[0201] The present invention is now further illustrated by reference to the following figures and examples from which further features, embodiments and advantages, may be taken, wherein

Fig. 1 shows a radiochromatogram of ^{177}Lu -3BP-3407 in formulation buffer containing 100 mg/mL ascorbate and 5 mg/mL L-methionine analyzed immediately after synthesis;

Fig. 2 shows a radiochromatogram of ^{177}Lu -3BP-3407 in formulation buffer containing 100 mg/mL ascorbate and 5 mg/mL L-methionine analyzed six days after synthesis;

Fig. 3 shows a radiochromatogram of ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554 in formulation buffer containing 100 mg/mL ascorbate and 5 mg/mL L-methionine analyzed immediately after synthesis;

Fig. 4 shows a radiochromatogram of ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554 in formulation buffer containing 100 mg/mL ascorbate and 5 mg/mL L-methionine analyzed six days after synthesis;

Fig. 5 shows the percentage of injected dose per gram of tissue (%ID/g) uptake in the kidney, liver, bloodpool, and HEK-FAP tumor as determined by SPECT-imaging of ^{111}In -3BP-3407 1h, 3h, 6h and 24h post injection into the mouse model;

Fig. 6 shows the %ID/g uptake in kidney, liver, bloodpool, and HEK-FAP tumor as determined by SPECT-imaging of

^{111}In -3BP-3554 1h, 3h, 6h and 24h post injection into the mouse model;

Fig. 7 shows SPECT-images of ^{111}In -3BP-3554 1 h, 3 h, 6 h, 24 h and 48 h post injection into mice with HEK-FAP tumors;

Fig. 8 shows the amino acid sequences of human fibroblast activating protein (FAP), human dipeptidyl peptidase 4 (DDP4) and human prolyl endopeptidase (PREP);

Fig. 9 A shows tumor growth over time in mice with HEK-FAP tumors treated with vehicle, cold compound $^{\text{nat}}\text{Lu}$ -3BP-3554, 30 MBq (low dose) ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554, and 60 MBq (high dose) ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554;

Fig. 9 B shows percent body weight changes over time in mice with HEK-FAP tumors treated with vehicle, cold compound $^{\text{nat}}\text{Lu}$ -3BP-3554, 30 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554, and 60 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554;

Fig. 10 A shows representative SPECT/CT images over time of the biodistribution of 60 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554 in mice with HEK-FAP tumors;

Fig. 10 B shows representative SPECT/CT images over time of the biodistribution of 30 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554 in mice with HEK-FAP tumors;

Fig. 11 A shows representative SPECT/CT images of four different sarcoma PDX models 3 h after ^{111}In -3BP-3554 administration;

Fig. 11 B shows %ID/g uptake of ^{111}In -3BP-3554 in four different sarcoma PDX models, 3 hours post injection;

Fig. 12 A shows tumor growth over time in mice with sarcoma Sarc4809 PDX tumors treated with vehicle, cold compound $^{\text{nat}}\text{Lu}$ -3BP-3554, 30 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554, or 60 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554; and

Fig. 12 B shows body weight changes over time in mice with sarcoma Sarc4809 PDX tumors treated with vehicle, cold compound $^{\text{nat}}\text{Lu}$ -3BP-3554, 30 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554, or 60 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554.

[0202] The following Examples have been included to provide guidance to one of ordinary skill in the art for practicing representative embodiments of the presently disclosed subject matter. In light of the present disclosure and the general level of skill in the art, those of skill can appreciate that the following Examples are intended to be exemplary only and that numerous changes, modifications, and alterations can be employed without departing from the scope of the presently disclosed subject matter. The synthetic descriptions and specific examples that follow are only intended for the purposes of illustration and are not to be construed as limiting in any manner to make compounds of the disclosure by other methods.

EXAMPLES

[0203] Abbreviations used in the instant application and the following examples in particular are as follows:

4PL means four parameter logistic curve fitting

Å means ångström

ACN means acetonitrile

Ahx means 6-Aminohexanoic acid

AMC means 7-amino-4-methylcoumarin

amu means atomic mass unit

aq. means aqueous

AUC_{inf} means area under the curve extrapolated to infinity

BSA means bovine serum albumin

C_0 means initial concentration of the compound

CAF means cancer associated fibroblasts

CL means clearance

CM means ChemMatrix™

CT means computed tomography

Cy5 means Cyanine-5

DAD means Diode Array Detector

	DCM means dichloromethane
	Dde means N-(1-(4,4-dimethyl-2,6-dioxocyclohexylidene)ethyl)
	DEG means di ethylene glycol dimethacrylate
	DIC means N,N'-Diisopropylcarbodiimide
5	DICOM means Digital Imaging and Communications in Medicine
	DIPEA means diisopropylethylamine
	DMF means N,N-dimethylformamide
	DMSO means dimethyl sulfoxide
	DOTA means 1,4,7,10-tetraazacyclododecane-1,4,7,10-tetraacetic acid
10	DOTA(tBu) ₃ -OH means Tri- <i>tert</i> -butyl-1,4,7,10-tetraazacyclo-dodecane-1,4,7,10-tetraacetate
	DPP means dipeptidyl peptidase
	EC means electron capture
	EC ₅₀ means half-maximal excitatory concentration
	ECACC means European Collection of Authenticated Cell Cultures
15	EDC means 1-ethyl-3-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)carbodiimide
	EMEM means Eagle's Minimum Essential Medium
	eq or eq. means equivalent
	ESI means electrospray ionization
	Et ₂ O means Diethylether
20	EtOAc means ethylacetate
	FACS means fluorescence-activated cell sorting
	FAP means fibroblast activation protein
	Fb means background fluorescent intensity
	FBS means fetal bovine serum
25	FGF21 means fibroblast growth factor 21
	FITC means 5(6)-fluorescein isothiocyanate
	Fmoc means 9-Fluorenylmethoxycarbonyl
	FRET means Fluorescence Resonance Energy Transfer
	Ft means fluorescent intensity
30	Gab means gamma-amino butyric acid
	GABA means gamma-amino butyric acid
	h means hour(s)
	HATU means O-(7-azabenzotriazol-1-yl)-N,N,N',N'-tetramethyluronium hexafluorophosphate
	HBST means SPR running buffer
35	HEK-FAP means human embryonic kidney 293 cells expressing human FAP
	HEPES means 4-(2-hydroxyethyl)-1-piperazineethanesulfonic acid
	HFIP means hexafluoro-2-isopropanol
	HOAc means acetic acid
	HOAt means 1-Hydroxy-7-azabenzotriazole
40	HPLC means high performance liquid chromatography
	HPLC/MS means high performance liquid chromatography/ mass spectrometry
	IC ₅₀ means half-maximal inhibitory concentration
	ID/g means injected dose per gram
	IS means isomeric transition
45	iTLC-SG means instant thin layer chromatography-silica-gel
	K2EDTA means ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid dipotassium
	K _D means dissociation constant
	kDa means 1000 Dalton
	K _i means inhibitory constant
50	k _{off} means dissociation rate
	k _{on} means association rate
	LC/TOF-MS means Liquid chromatography/time-of-flight/mass spectrometry
	LC-MS means high performance liquid chromatography coupled with mass spectrometry
	LDH means lactate dehydrogenase
55	Leu means leucine
	LiOH means lithium hydroxide
	M means molar or mol per Liter
	m/z means mass divided by charge

	max. means maximum
	MeOH means Methanol
	MeV means mega electron volt
	min means minute(s)
5	MMP means matrix metalloproteinase
	MRM means multiple reaction monitoring
	MTBE means Methyl- <i>tert</i> -butylether
	Mtt means Methyltrityl
	MTV means mean tumor volume
10	MW means molecular weight
	n.d. means not determined
	Na ₂ SO ₄ means sodium sulfate
	NaCl means sodium chloride
	NaHCO ₃ means sodium hydrogencarbonate
15	NCA means non-compartmental analysis
	NHS means N-Hydroxysuccinimide
	NMP means 1-methyl-2-pyrrolidone
	NOS means not otherwise specified
	Oic means L-octahydroindol-2-carbonsäure
20	p.a. means: for analytical purpose (quality grade)
	p.i. means post injection
	Pbf means 2,2,4,6,7-pentamethyl-2,3-dihydrobenzofuran-5-sulfonyl
	PBS means phosphate buffered saline
	PDX means patient-derived xenograft
25	PET means positron emission tomography
	pIC ₅₀ means the negative log of the IC ₅₀ value when converted to molar
	POP means prolyl oligopeptidase
	ppm means parts per million
	PREP means prolyl endopeptidase
30	prep. means preparative
	PS means polystyrene
	Q-TOF means quadrupole time of flight
	Ref means reference
	RFU means relative fluorescence unit
35	RLB means radioligand binding assay
	RMCE means recombinase-mediated cassette exchange
	RP means reversed phase
	Rt means retention time
	RT means room temperature
40	RU means resonance units
	SAR means structure activity relationship
	sat. means saturated
	SCID means severe combined immunodeficiency
	SCK means single cycle kinetics
45	sec or s means second
	SF means spontaneous fission
	SPECT means single photon emission computed tomography
	SPPS means Solid Phase Peptide Synthesis
	t _{1/2} means terminal half-life
50	tBu means <i>tert.</i> butyl
	TFA means trifluoroacetate or trifluoroacetic acid
	TG means TentaGel
	TGI means tumor growth inhibition
	THF means Tetrahydrofuran
55	TIPS means triisopropylsilane
	TLC means thin layer chromatography
	TME means tumor microenvironment
	t _R means retention time

UHPLC means ultrahigh performance liquid chromatography

UV means ultraviolet

V_{SS} means volume of distribution at steady state

V_Z means volume of distribution in the terminal phase

Example 1: Material and Methods

[0204] The materials and methods as well as general methods are further illustrated by the following examples.

Solvents:

[0205] Solvents were used in the specified quality without further purification. Acetonitrile (Super Gradient, HPLC, VWR - for analytical purposes; PrepSolv, Merck - for preparative purposes); dichloromethane (synthesis, Roth); ethyl acetate (synthesis grade, Roth); N,N-dimethylformamide (peptide synthesis grade, Biosolve); 1-methyl-2-pyrrolidone (peptide grade, IRIS BioTech) 1,4-dioxane (reinst, Roth); methanol (p. a., Merck).

[0206] Water: Milli-Q Plus, Millipore, demineralized.

Chemicals:

[0207] Chemicals were synthesized according to or in analogy to literature procedures or purchased from Sigma-Aldrich-Merck (Deisenhofen, Germany), Bachem (Bubendorf, Switzerland), VWR (Darmstadt, Germany), Novabiochem (Merck Group, Darmstadt, Germany), Acros Organics (distribution company Fisher Scientific GmbH, Schwerte, Germany), Iris Biotech (Marktredwitz, Germany), Amatek Chemical (Jiangsu, China), Roth (Karlsruhe, Deutschland), Molecular Devices (Chicago, USA), Biochrom (Berlin, Germany), Peptech (Cambridge, MA, USA), Synthetech (Albany, OR, USA), Pharmacore (High Point, NC, USA), PCAS Biomatrix Inc (Saint-Jean-sur-Richelieu, Quebec, Canada), Alfa Aesar (Karlsruhe, Germany), Tianjin Nankai Hecheng S&T Co., Ltd (Tianjin, China), CheMatech (Dijon, France) and Anaspec (San Jose, CA, USA) or other companies and used in the assigned quality without further purification.

Cells:

[0208] HT29 (ECACC Cat. No. 91072201) and WI-38 (ECACC Cat. No. 90020107) were purchased from ECACC and HEK293 cells expressing human FAP (Q12884) were produced by InSCREENeX GmbH (Braunschweig, Germany) using recombinase-mediated cassette exchange (RMCE). The RMCE procedure is described by Nehlsen et al. (Nehlsen, et al., BMC Biotechnol, 2009, 9: 100).

HPLC/MS analyses

[0209] HPLC/MS analyses were performed by injection of 5 μ l of a solution of the sample, using a 2 step gradient for all chromatograms (5-65% B in 12 min, followed by 65-90% in 0.5 min, A: 0.1% TFA in water and B: 0.1% TFA in ACN). RP columns were from Agilent (Type Poroshell 120, 2.7 μ m, EC-C18, 50 \times 3.00 mm, flow 0.8 ml, HPLC at room temperature); Mass spectrometer: Agilent 6230 LC/TOF-MS, ESI ionization. MassHunter Qualitative Analysis B.07.00 SP2 was used as software. UV detection was done at λ = 230 nm. Retention times (R_t) are indicated in the decimal system (e.g. 1.9 min = 1 min 54 s) and are referring to detection in the UV spectrometer. For the evaluation of observed compound masses the 'Find Compounds by Formula'-feature was used. In particular, the individual 'neutral mass of a compound (in units of Daltons)'-values and the corresponding isotope distribution pattern were used to confirm compound identity. The accuracy of the mass spectrometer was approx. \pm 5 ppm.

Preparative HPLC:

[0210] Preparative HPLC separations were done with reversed phase columns (Kinetex 5 μ XB-C18 100 Å, 150 \times 30 mm from Phenomenex or RLRP-S 8 μ , 100 Å, 150 \times 25 mm) as stationary phase. As mobile phase 0.1% TFA in water (A) and 0.1% TFA in ACN (B) were used which were mixed in linear binary gradients. The gradients are described as: "10 to 40% B in 30 min", which means a linear gradient from 10% B (and correspondingly 90% A) to 40% B (and correspondingly 60% A) was run within 30min. Flow-rates were within the range of 30 to 50 ml/min. A typical gradient for the purification of the compounds of the invention started at 5-25% B and ended after 30 min at 35-50% B and the difference between the percentage B at end and start was at least 10%. A commonly used gradient was "15 to 40% B in 30 min".

General procedures for Automated/Semi-automated Solid-Phase Synthesis:

[0211] Automated solid-phase of peptides and polyamides was performed on a Tetras Peptide Synthesizer (Advanced ChemTech) in 50 μ mol and 100 μ mol scales. Manual steps were performed in plastic syringes equipped with frits (material PE, Roland Vetter Laborbedarf OHG, Ammerbuch, Germany). The amount of reagents in the protocols described corresponds to the 100 μ mol scale, unless stated otherwise.

[0212] Solid-phase synthesis was performed on polystyrene (cross linked with 1,4-divinylbenzene (PS) or di (ethylene glycol) dimethacrylate (DEG)), ChemMatrix (CM) or TentaGel (TG) resin. Resin linkers were trityl, wang and rink amide.

Resin loading:

[0213] In case of the trityl linker the attachment of the first building block (resin loading) was performed as follows. The resin (polystyrene (PS) trityl chloride, initial loading: 1.8 mmol/g) was swollen in DCM (5 ml) for 30 minutes and subsequently washed with DCM (3 ml, 1 minute). Then the resin was treated with a mixture of the corresponding building block (0.5 mmol, 5 eq.) and DIPEA (350 μ l, 3.5 mmol, 35 eq.) in DCM (4 ml) for 1 hour. Afterwards the resin was washed with methanol (5 ml, 5 minutes) and DMF (3 ml, 2x 1 minute).

[0214] In case of the Wang linker pre-loaded resins (polystyrene (PS) and TentaGel (TG)) were employed.

[0215] In case of the rink amide linker the attachment of the first residue the resin (CM, DEG) was performed with the same procedure as for the chain assembly as described below.

Alloc/Allyl-deprotection:

[0216] After swelling in DMF, the resin was washed with DMF and DCM. DCM was de-oxygenated by passing a stream of nitrogen through the stirred solvent. The oxygen-free solvent was used to wash the resin trice. Then 2 ml of a 2 M solution of barbituric acid in oxygen-free DCM and 1 ml of a 25 μ M solution of Tetrakis(triphenylphosphine)palladium(0) in oxygen-free DCM were added to the resin. The resin was agitated for 1 hour and then washed with DCM, MeOH, DMF, 5% DIPEA in DMF, 5% dithiocarbamate in DMF, DMF and DCM (each washing step was repeated 3 times with 3 ml, 1 minute).

Fmoc-deprotection:

[0217] After swelling in DMF, the resin was washed with DMF and then treated with piperidine/DMF (1:4, 3 ml, 2 and 20 minutes) and subsequently washed with DMF (3 ml, 5x 1 minute).

Dde-deprotection:

[0218] After swelling in DMF, the resin was washed with DMF and then treated with hydrazine-hydrate/DMF (2/98, 3 ml 2x 10 minutes) and subsequently washed with DMF (3 ml, 5x 1 minute).

Mtt-deprotection:

[0219] After swelling in DCM, the resin was washed with DCM and then treated with HFIP/DCM (7/3, 4 - 6 ml, 4 hours) and subsequently washed with DCM (3 ml, 3x 1 minute), DMF (3 ml, 3x 1ml) and DIPEA (0.9 M in DMF, 3 ml, 1 minute).

Solutions of reagents:

[0220] Building Blocks (0.3 M in DMF or NMP), DIPEA (0.9 M in DMF), HATU (0.4 M in DMF), Acetic anhydride (0.75 M in DMF)

Coupling: Coupling of building blocks/amino acids (chain assembly):

[0221] Unless otherwise stated, coupling of building blocks was performed as follows: After subsequent addition of solutions of the corresponding building block (1.7 ml, 5eq.), DIPEA solution (1.15 ml, 10 eq.) and HATU solution (1.25 ml, 5 eq.) the resin was shaken for 45 min. If necessary, the resin was washed with DMF (3 ml, 1 minute) and the coupling step was repeated.

Terminal acetylation:

[0222] After addition of DIPEA solution (1.75 ml, 16 eq.) and acetic anhydride solution (1.75 ml, 13 eq.) the resin was

shaken for 10 minutes. Afterwards the resin was washed with DMF (3 ml, 6x 1 minutes).

Cleavage method A: Cleavage of protected fragments from hyper-acid labile resin:

[0223] After the completion of the assembly of the sequence the resin was finally washed with DCM (3 ml, 4x 1 minute) and then dried in the vacuum. Then the resin was treated with HFIP/DCM (7/1, 4 ml, 4 hours) and the collected solution evaporated to dryness. The residue was purified with preparative HPLC or used without further purification.

Cleavage method B: Cleavage of unprotected fragments (complete resin cleavage):

[0224] After the completion of the assembly of the sequence the resin was finally washed with DCM (3 ml, 4x 1 minute), dried in the vacuum overnight and treated with TFA, EDT, water and TIPS (94/2.5/2.5/1) for 2 h (unless otherwise stated). Afterwards the cleavage solution was poured into a chilled mixture of MTBE and cyclohexane (1/1, 10-fold excess compared to the volume of cleavage solution), centrifuged at 4 °C for 5 minutes and the precipitate collected and dried in the vacuum. The residue was lyophilized from water/acetonitrile prior to purification or further modification.

Cleavage method C: Cleavage of protective groups of peptides in solution

[0225] The protected/partially protected compound was dissolved in TFA, water and TIPS (95/2.5/2.5) for 2 h (unless otherwise stated). Afterwards the cleavage solution was poured into a chilled mixture of MTBE and cyclohexane (1/1, 10-fold excess compared to the volume of cleavage solution), centrifuged at 4 °C for 5 minutes and the precipitate collected and dried in the vacuum. The residue was lyophilized from water/acetonitrile prior to purification or further modification.

[0226] More relevant Fmoc-solid-phase-peptide synthesis methods are described in detail in "Fmoc Solid Phase Peptide Synthesis" Editors W. Chan, P. White, Oxford University Press, USA, 2000. Compounds were named using MestreNova version 12 Mnova IUPAC Name plugin (Mestrelab Research, S.L.), or AutoNom version 2.2 (Beilstein Informationssysteme Copyright© 1988-1998, Beilstein Institut für Literatur der Organischen Chemie licensed to Beilstein Chemiedaten and Software GmbH, where appropriate.

Preparation of compounds:

[0227] Specific embodiments for the preparation of compounds of the invention are provided in the following examples. Unless otherwise specified, all starting materials and reagents are of standard commercial grade, and are used without further purification, or are readily prepared from such materials by routine methods. Those skilled in the art of organic synthesis will recognize in light of the instant disclosure that starting materials and reaction conditions may be varied including additional steps employed to produce compounds encompassed by the present invention.

[0228] One general synthesis route for compounds of the invention comprises

1. Solid Phase Peptide Synthesis (SPPS) of a linear peptide precursor with two thiol moieties.
2. the thiol-site specific cyclization of this linear peptide precursor with
 - a. a bis(bromomethyl)benzene derivative or
 - b. a tris(bromomethyl)benzene derivative.
3. In case of cyclizations with a tris(bromomethyl)benzene derivative the intermediate formed in the cyclization reaction was further reacted with a linker that enabled the attachment of a chelator.

Example 2: Synthesis of Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (3BP-3554)

[0229] The synthesis of the title compound was either performed by initially synthesizing the linear peptide precursor on solid phase and by subsequent solution phase cyclizations (Example 2a, either in non-aqueous solution (Method A) or in aqueous solution (Method B)) or alternatively by performing all steps on solid phase including a solid phase cyclization (Example 2b).

Example 2a: Synthesis by two alternative cyclization methods in solution

[0230] Fmoc-Cys(Trt)-OH was loaded onto the trityl resin as described in the 'General procedures for Automated/Semi-automated Solid-Phase Synthesis' in a 50 µmol scale. Onto this resin the sequence (Hex-Cys-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys-OH) of the peptide was assembled according to the 'General procedures for Automated/Semi-automated Solid-Phase

Synthesis'. After performing the steps of 'Cleavage method B' the crude peptide was lyophilized and cyclized by two alternative methods in solution.

Cyclization method A:

[0231] The crude peptide (based on 50 μ mol resin loading) was dissolved in 10 ml of a 1:1 mixture of ethanol and acetonitrile. To this mixture first 35 μ l DIPEA and then 23.7 mg of 1,3,5-tris(bromomethyl)benzene (66.6 μ mol, 1.3 eq compared to initial resin loading) were added. The solution was stirred for 1 hour and then 42.8 mg cysteamine (555 μ mol, 11 eq compared to initial resin loading) were added. After 1 hour the solvents were removed in vacuo and 25 ml of a 1:1 mixture of acetonitrile and water (containing 50 μ l TFA) were added. The solvents were removed by lyophilization. The remainder was subjected to HPLC purification (15 to 45% B in 30 min - Kinetex) to yield 17.8 mg (16.4 μ mol) of the intermediate Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(H-AET))]-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (32.8%).

Cyclization method B:

[0232] The crude peptide (based on 50 μ mol resin loading) was dissolved in 60 ml of a 1:1 mixture of ammonium bicarbonate solution (50 mM, pH = 8.5) and acetonitrile. To this mixture a solution of 26.8 mg 1,3,5-tris(bromomethyl)benzene (75 μ mol, 1.5 eq compared to initial resin loading) in 0.5 ml acetonitrile was added. The solution was stirred for 1 hour and then 38.6 mg cysteamine (500 μ mol, 10 eq compared to initial resin loading) were added. After 2 hours 50 μ l TFA were added and the solvent removed by lyophilization. The remainder was subjected to HPLC purification (15 to 45% B in 30 min - Kinetex) to yield 19.47 mg (18 μ mol) of the intermediate Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(H-AET))]-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (35.9%).

[0233] Both cyclization methods perform similarly and achieve comparable yields and similar purities.

[0234] To the solution of the intermediate Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(H-AET))]-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (in this example obtained by cyclization method B) in 300 μ l DMSO, 5 μ l DIPEA were added to adjust the pH value to approximately 7.5 - 8. Then 20.5 mg of DOTA-NHS (27 μ mol, 1.5 eq compared to the peptide intermediate) in 200 μ l DMSO were added. During the course of the LC/TOF-MS monitored reaction 5 μ l DIPEA were added 3 times to re-adjust the pH value to the starting value. After reaction completion the solution was subjected to HPLC purification (15 to 45% B in 30 min - Kinetex) to yield 20.44 mg of the pure title compound (27.8% overall yield). HPLC: R_t = 5.9 min. LC/TOF-MS: exact mass 1469.640 (calculated 1469.639). $C_{67}H_{99}N_{13}O_{18}S_3$ (MW = 1470.780).

Example 2b: Synthesis including solid phase cyclization method

[0235] For the synthesis of the resin bound title compound a Fmoc-Cys(Trt)-WANG Tentagel resin was used as starting material. Onto the latter the sequence (Hex-Cys(Trt)-Pro-Pro-Thr(tBu)-Gln(Trt)-Phe-Cys-OH) of the peptide was assembled according to the 'General procedures for Automated/Semi-automated Solid-Phase Synthesis' in a 1 mmol scale. After completion of the sequence assembly the resin was washed with DCM (3x 1 min). Then the trityl protecting groups were selectively removed from the resin by treatment with a solution of TFA, TIPS and DCM (5/5/90, 5x 5min). The resin was washed with DCM, DMF, 0.9 M DIPEA in DMF, DMF, DCM (3/3/2/3/3) and dried in the vacuum. The following cyclization was performed in 200 μ mol portions. To this end, the resin was swollen in DMF and then treated with a solution of 1,3,5-Tris(bromomethyl)benzene (86 mg, 240 μ mol, 1.2 eq), DIPEA (235 μ L, 1 mmol, 5 eq) in 2 mL DMF at 50 °C for 90 minutes. The solution was removed, the resin washed with DMF and then a solution of cysteamine (154.3 mg, 2 mmol, 10 eq) added to the resin. The resin was agitated for another 90 minutes at 50 °C. After washing the resin with DMF and DCM (3/3) the peptide resin (Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(H-AET))]-Pro-Pro-Thr(tBu)-Gln(Trt)-Phe-Cys]-O-WANG-Tentagel) was dried. By this procedure it may happen that the Trityl group at Glutamine is either partially or fully deprotected. In any case, this does not interfere with the optional derivatization of the free amino group of AET.

[0236] For the final derivatization with DOTA the peptide resin (Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(H-AET))]-Pro-Pro-Thr(tBu)-Gln(Trt)-Phe-Cys]-O-WANG-Tentagel) was used in a 50 μ mol scale. According to the 'General procedures for Automated/Semi-automated Solid-Phase Synthesis' DOTA(tBu)₃-OH was coupled. After drying the resin was subjected to 'Cleavage method B'. The crude peptide was lyophilized and subsequently purified by preparative HPLC (15 to 45% B in 30 min - Kinetex) to yield 11.0 mg (7.5 μ mol) of the pure title compound (15 %). HPLC: R_t = 5.9 min. LC/TOF-MS: exact mass 1469.640 (calculated 1469.639). $C_{67}H_{99}N_{13}O_{18}S_3$ (MW = 1470.780).

Example 3: Synthesis of Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (3BP-3407)

a) Synthesis of intermediate Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(H-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ by two different cyclization methods

[0237] The sequence (Hex-Cys-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys-Asp-NH₂) of the peptide was assembled according to the 'General procedures for Automated/Semi-automated Solid-Phase Synthesis' in a 50 μ mol scale on a Rink amide resin. After performing the steps of 'Cleavage method B' the crude peptide was lyophilized and cyclized by two alternative methods.

Cyclization method A:

[0238] The crude peptide (based on 50 μ mol resin loading) was dissolved in 10 ml of a 1:1 mixture of ethanol and acetonitrile. To this mixture first 30 μ l DIPEA and then 26.8 mg of 1,3,5-tris(bromomethyl)benzene (75 μ mol, 1.5 eq compared to initial resin loading) were added. After stirring the solution for 45 minutes a solution of 43 mg piperazine (500 μ mol, 10 eq compared to initial resin loading) in 200 μ l of a 1:1 mixture of ethanol/acetonitrile was added. After 1 hour the solvents were removed in vacuo, 25 ml of a 1:1 mixture of acetonitrile and water (containing 50 μ l TFA) was added and the solvents were removed by lyophilization. The remainder was subjected to HPLC purification (15 to 40% B in 30 min - Kinetex) to yield 15.3 mg (12.7 μ mol) of the peptide intermediate Hex-Cys(tMeBn(H-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (25.3%).

Cyclization method B:

[0239] The crude peptide (based on 50 μ mol resin loading) was dissolved in 60 ml of a 1:1 mixture of ammonium bicarbonate solution (50 mM, pH = 8.5) and acetonitrile. To this mixture 26.8 mg of 1,3,5-tris(bromomethyl)benzene (75 μ mol, 1.5 eq compared to initial resin loading) were added. The solution was stirred for 1 hour and 43 mg piperazine (500 μ mol, 10 eq compared to initial resin loading) were added. After 6 hours 100 μ l TFA were added and the solvent removed by lyophilization. The remainder was subjected to HPLC purification (15 to 40% B in 30 min - Kinetex) to yield 17.2 mg (14.2 μ mol) of the peptide intermediate Hex-Cys(tMeBn(H-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (28.4%).

[0240] Both cyclization methods perform similar and achieve comparable yields and similar purities.

b) Final steps of synthesis of Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (3BP-3407): DOTA-coupling and purification

[0241] To the solution of the intermediate (obtained by cyclization method B) in 200 μ l DMSO 2.5 μ l DIPEA were added to adjust the pH value to approximately 7.5 - 8. Then 16.3 mg of DOTA-NHS (21.4 μ mol, 1.5 eq compared to the peptide intermediate) in 100 μ l DMSO were added. During the course of the LC/TOF-MS monitored reaction 2.5 μ l DIPEA was added 5 times to re-adjust the pH value to the starting value. After reaction completion the solution was subjected to HPLC purification (15 to 40% B in 30 min - Kinetex) to yield 19.1 mg (12.0 μ mol) of the pure title compound (85%). HPLC: R_t = 5.70 min. LC/TOF-MS: exact mass 1592.737 (calculated 1592.737). C₇₃H₁₀₈N₁₆O₂₀S₂ (MW = 1593.866).

Example 4: Preparation of DOTA-transition metal complexes of compounds of the invention

A. General procedure for the preparation of a peptide comprising DOTA-transition metal-complexes from corresponding peptides comprising uncomplexed DOT A

[0242] A 0.1 mM solution of the peptide comprised by uncomplexed DOTA in

- 0.4 M sodium acetate, pH = 5 (Buffer A) (in case of Cu(II), Zn(II), In(III), Lu(III) or Ga(III) complexes) or
 - 0.1 M ammonium acetate, pH = 8 (Buffer B) (in case of Eu(III) complexes)
- was diluted with a solution 0.1 mM solution of the corresponding metal salt in water whereby the molar ratio of peptide to metal was adjusted to 1 : 3. The solution was stirred
- at 50 °C for 20 minutes (also referred to herein as Condition A) (in case of In(III), Lu(III), Ga(III), Zn(II) or Cu(II) complexes) or
 - at room temperature overnight (also referred to herein as Condition B) (in case of Eu(III) complexes).

[0243] The solution was then applied to

- HPLC purification (also referred to herein as Purification A) or
- solid phase extraction (also referred to herein as Purification B).

In case of solid phase extraction 250 mg Varian Bondesil-ENV was placed in a 15 ml polystyrene syringe, pre-washed with methanol (1×5 ml) and water (2×5 ml). Then the reaction solution was applied to the column. Thereafter elution was performed with water (2×5 ml - to remove excess salt), 5 ml of 50% ACN in water as first fraction and each of the next fractions were eluted with 5 ml of 50% ACN in water containing 0.1% TFA.

[0244] In either case (HPLC purification or solid phase extraction) fractions containing the pure product were pooled and freeze dried.

B. Indium-complex of Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (**3BP-3590**)

[0245] The complex was prepared starting from 25 mg peptide 3BP-3407 (15.7 μ mol) dissolved in Buffer A, diluted with a solution of $\text{InCl}_3 \times 4 \text{H}_2\text{O}$ which was treated with Condition A. In the purification step 'Purification A' was employed (15 to 40% B in 30 min - RLRP-S) to yield 18.24 mg of the pure title compound (68.1% yield). HPLC: $R_t = 5.6$ min. LC/TOF-MS: exact mass 1702.622 (calculated 1702.617). $\text{C}_{73}\text{H}_{105}\text{InN}_{16}\text{O}_{20}\text{S}_2$ (MW = 1705.663).

C. Gallium-complex of Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (**3BP-3592**)

[0246] The complex was prepared starting from 25 mg peptide 3BP-3407 (15.7 μ mol) dissolved in Buffer A, diluted with a solution of $\text{Ga}(\text{NO}_3)_3 \times \text{H}_2\text{O}$ which was treated with Condition A. In the purification step 'Purification A' was employed (15 to 40% B in 30 min - RLRP-S) to yield 16.78 mg of the pure title compound (69.3% yield). HPLC: $R_t = 5.7$ min. LC/TOF-MS: exact mass 1658.664 (calculated 1658.639). $\text{C}_{73}\text{H}_{105}\text{GaN}_{16}\text{O}_{20}\text{S}_2$ (MW = 1660.568).

D. Lutetium-complex of Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (**3BP-3591**)

[0247] The complex was prepared starting from 25 mg peptide 3BP-3407 (15.7 μ mol) dissolved in Buffer A, diluted with a solution of LuCl_3 which was treated with Condition A. In the purification step 'Purification A' was employed (15 to 40% B in 30 min - RLRP-S) to yield 16.66 mg of the pure title compound (60.1% yield). HPLC: $R_t = 5.6$ min. LC/TOF-MS: exact mass 1764.654 (calculated 1764.654). $\text{C}_{73}\text{H}_{105}\text{LuN}_{16}\text{O}_{20}\text{S}_2$ (MW = 1765.812).

E. Europium-complex of Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH₂ (**3BP-3661**)

[0248] The complex was prepared starting from 9.5 mg peptide (6 μ mol) 3BP-3407 dissolved in Buffer B, diluted with a solution of $\text{EuCl}_3 \times 6 \text{H}_2\text{O}$ which was treated with Condition B. In the purification step 'Purification B' was employed to yield 8.24 mg of the pure title compound (79.3% yield). HPLC: $R_t = 5.7$ min. LC/TOF-MS: exact mass 1740.636 (calculated 1740.633). $\text{C}_{73}\text{H}_{105}\text{EuN}_{16}\text{O}_{20}\text{S}_2$ (MW = 1742.809).

F. Indium-complex of Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (**3BP-3623**)

[0249] The complex was prepared starting from 6 mg peptide 3BP-3554 (4.1 μ mol) dissolved in Buffer A, diluted with a solution of $\text{InCl}_3 \times 4 \text{H}_2\text{O}$ which was treated with Condition A. In the purification step 'Purification B' was employed to yield 5.26 mg of the pure title compound (81% yield). HPLC: $R_t = 5.8$ min. LC/TOF-MS: exact mass 1579.524 (calculated 1579.520). $\text{C}_{67}\text{H}_{96}\text{InN}_{13}\text{O}_{18}\text{S}_3$ (MW = 1582.574).

G. Lutetium-complex of Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (**3BP-3624**)

[0250] The complex was prepared starting from 6 mg peptide 3BP-3554 (4.1 μ mol) dissolved in Buffer A, diluted with a solution of LuCl_3 which was treated with Condition A. In the purification step 'Purification B' was employed to yield 5.5 mg of the pure title compound (82% yield). HPLC: $R_t = 5.9$ min. LC/TOF-MS: exact mass 1641.560 (calculated 1641.557). $\text{C}_{67}\text{H}_{96}\text{LuN}_{13}\text{O}_{18}\text{S}_3$ (MW = 1642.723).

H. Gallium-complex of Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (**3BP-3949**)

[0251] The complex was prepared starting from 7.9 mg peptide 3BP-3554 (5.4 μ mol) dissolved in Buffer A, diluted with a solution of $\text{Ga}(\text{NO}_3)_3 \times \text{H}_2\text{O}$ which was treated with Condition A. In the purification step 'Purification B' was employed to yield 4.2 mg of the pure title compound (51% yield). HPLC: $R_t = 6.6$ min. LC/TOF-MS: exact mass 1535.543 (calculated 1535.541). $\text{C}_{67}\text{H}_{96}\text{GaN}_{13}\text{O}_{18}\text{S}_3$ (MW = 1537.479).

I. Europium-complex of Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (3BP-3662)

[0252] The complex was prepared starting from 3.4 mg peptide 3BP-3554 (2.3 μ mol) dissolved in Buffer B, diluted with a solution of $\text{EuCl}_3 \times 6 \text{H}_2\text{O}$ which was treated with Condition B. In the purification step 'Purification B' was employed to yield 3.1 mg of the pure title compound (83% yield). HPLC: $R_t = 5.9$ min. LC/TOF-MS: exact mass 1617.541 (calculated 1617.536). $\text{C}_{67}\text{H}_{96}\text{EuN}_{13}\text{O}_{18}\text{S}_3$ (MW = 1619.721).

J. Copper(II)-complex of Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (3BP-4293)

[0253] The complex was prepared starting from 18 mg peptide 3BP-3554 (12.2 μ mol) dissolved in Buffer A, diluted with a solution of $\text{Cu}(\text{OAc})_2$ which was treated with Condition A. In the purification step 'Purification B' was employed to yield 16.5 mg of the pure title compound (88% yield). HPLC: $R_t = 6.5$ min. LC/TOF-MS: exact mass 1530.553 (calculated 1530.553). $\text{C}_{67}\text{H}_{97}\text{CuN}_{13}\text{O}_{18}\text{S}_3$ (MW = 1532.310).

K. Zinc-complex of Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH (3BP-4343)

[0254] The complex was prepared starting from 20 mg peptide 3BP-3554 (13.6 μ mol) dissolved in Buffer A, diluted with a solution of ZnCl_2 which was treated with Condition A. In the purification step 'Purification B' was employed to yield 16.1 mg of the pure title compound (77% yield). HPLC: $R_t = 6.4$ min. LC/TOF-MS: exact mass 1531.553 (calculated 1531.553). $\text{C}_{67}\text{H}_{97}\text{N}_{13}\text{O}_{18}\text{S}_3\text{Zn}$ (MW = 1534.160).

Example 5: Plasma stability assay

[0255] In order to determine the stability of selected compounds of the invention in human and mouse plasma, a plasma stability assay was carried out. Such plasma stability assay measures degradation of compounds of the present invention in blood plasma. This is an important characteristic of a compound as compounds, with the exception of pro-drugs, which rapidly degrade in plasma, generally show poor *in vivo* efficacy. The results show that those compounds are highly stable in human and mouse plasma. The stability is sufficient for the diagnostic, therapeutic and theragnostic use of these compounds according to the present invention.

[0256] The plasma stability samples were prepared by spiking 50 μ l plasma aliquots (all K2EDTA) with 1 μ l of a 0.5 mM compound stock solution in DMSO. After vortexing the samples were incubated in a Thermomixer at 37°C for 0, 4 and 24 hours. After incubation the samples were stored on ice until further treatment. All samples were prepared in duplicates.

[0257] A suitable internal standard was added to each sample (1 μ l of a 0.5 mM stock solution in DMSO). Protein precipitation was performed using two different methods depending on the compound conditions as indicated in Table 5.

A) 250 μ l of acetonitrile containing 1% trifluoroacetic acid was added. After incubation at room temperature for 30 min the precipitate was separated by centrifugation and 150 μ l of the supernatant was diluted with 150 μ l of 1% aqueous formic acid.

B) 150 μ l of a zinc sulphate precipitation agent containing 78% 0.1 M zinc sulphate and 22% acetonitrile was added. After incubation at room temperature for 30 min the precipitate was separated by centrifugation. To 100 μ l of the supernatant 10 μ l of 1% formic acid was added followed by further incubation at 60°C for 10 min to complete the formation of the zinc chelate, if the compound contains a free DOTA moiety.

[0258] The determination of the analyte in the clean sample solutions was performed on an Agilent 1290 UHPLC system coupled to an Agilent 6530 Q-TOF mass spectrometer. The chromatographic separation was carried out on a Phenomenex BioZen XB-C18 HPLC column (50 \times 2 mm, 1.7 μ m particle size) with gradient elution using a mixture of 0.1% formic acid in water as eluent A and acetonitrile as eluent B (2% B to 41% in 7 min, 800 μ l/min, 40°C). Mass spectrometric detection was performed in positive ion ESI mode by scanning the mass range from m/z 50 to 3000 with a sampling rate of 2 / sec.

[0259] From the mass spectrometric raw data, the ion currents for the double or triple charged monoisotopic signal was extracted for both, the compound and the internal standard.

[0260] Quantitation was performed by external matrix calibration with internal standard using the integrated analyte signals.

[0261] Additionally, recovery was determined by spiking a pure plasma sample that only contained the internal standard after treatment with a certain amount of the compound.

[0262] Carry-over was evaluated by analysis of a blank sample (20% acetonitrile) after the highest calibration sample.

[0263] The results of this assay performed on some of the compounds according to the present invention are given in the

following Table 5. The result is stated as "% intact compound remaining after 24 h" and means that from the amount of material at the start of the experiment the stated percentage is detected as unchanged material at the end of the experiment by LC-MS quantification. Since all compounds are more than 50% intact after at least 24 h they are considered as stable enough for diagnostic and therapeutic applications.

Table 5: Results of the plasma stability assay

Compound	Protein precipitation method	% intact compound remaining after 24h incubation		
		Human plasma	Mouse plasma	Rat plasma
3BP-3407	A	100%	79%	100%
3BP-3554	B	100%	85%	100%
3BP-3590	B	94%	100%	100%
3BP-3623	B	100%	100%	100%
3BP-3624	B	100%	100%	100%

Example 6: FACS Binding Assay

[0264] In order to determine binding of compounds according to the present invention to FAP-expressing cells, a competitive FACS binding assay was established.

[0265] FAP-expressing human WI-38 fibroblasts (ECACC) were cultured in EMEM including 15% fetal bovine serum, 2mM L-Glutamine and 1% Non-essential amino acids. Cells were detached with Accutase (Biolegend, #BLD-423201) and washed in FACS buffer (PBS including 1% FBS). Cells were diluted in FACS buffer to a final concentration of 100.000 cells per ml and 200 μ l of the cell suspension are transferred to a u-shaped non-binding 96-well plate (Greiner). Cells were washed in ice-cold FACS buffer and incubated with 3 nM of Cy5-labeled compound (H-Met-[Cys(3MeBn)-Pro-Pro-Thr-Glu-Phe-Cys]-Asp-His-Phe-Arg-Asp-Ttds-Lys(Cy5SO₃)-NH₂) in the presence of increasing concentrations of peptides at 4°C for 1 hour. Cells were washed twice with FACS buffer and resuspended in 200 μ l FACS buffer. Cells were analyzed in an Attune NxT flow cytometer. Median fluorescence intensities (Cy5 channel) was calculated by Attune NxT software and plotted against peptide concentrations. Four parameter logistic (4PL) curve fitting and pIC₅₀ calculations were performed using ActivityBase software. The results of this assay as well as the ones of the FAP protease activity assay as subject to Example 7 for each compound according to the present invention are presented in Table 6 (shown in Example 7). pIC₅₀ category A stands for pIC₅₀ values >8.0, category B for pIC₅₀ values between 7.1 and 8.0, category C for pIC₅₀ values between 6.1 and 7.0 and category D for pIC₅₀ values \leq 6.0.

Example 7: FAP Protease Activity Assay

[0266] In order to determine the inhibitory activity of the peptides of example 6, a FRET-based FAP protease activity assay was established.

[0267] Recombinant human FAP (R&D systems, # 3715-SE) was diluted in assay buffer (50 mM Tris, 1 M NaCl, 1 mg/mL BSA, pH 7.5) to a concentration of 3.6 nM. 25 μ l of the FAP solution was mixed with 25 μ l of a 3-fold serial dilution of the test compounds and incubated for 5 min in a white 96-well ProxiPlate (Perkin Elmer). As specific FAP substrate the FRET-peptide HiLyteFluor™ 488 - VS(D)-P SQG K(QXL® 520) - NH₂ was used (Bainbridge, et al., Sci Rep, 2017, 7: 12524). 25 μ l of a 30 μ M substrate solution, diluted in assay buffer, was added. All solutions were equilibrated at 37°C prior to use. Substrate cleavage and increase in fluorescence (excitation at 485 nm and emission at 538 nm) was measured in a kinetic mode for 5 minutes at 37°C in a SPECTRAmax M5 plate reader. RFU/sec was calculated by SoftMax Pro software and plotted against peptide concentration. Four parameter logistic (4PL) curve fitting and pIC₅₀ calculations were performed using ActivityBase software. The results of this assay for each compound according to the present invention are given in Table 6 (Example 6). pIC₅₀ category A stands for pIC₅₀ values >8.0, category B for pIC₅₀ values between 7.1 and 8.0, category C for pIC₅₀ values between 6.1 and 7.0 and category D for pIC₅₀ values \leq 6.0.

[0268] As evident from Table 6, the compounds of the present invention show surprisingly superior results in both the FACS Binding assay and the FAP protease activity assay.

Table 6: Compound ID, sequence, exact calculated mass, exact mass found, retention time in minutes as determined by HPLC and pIC50 category of FACS binding and FAP activity assay

ID	Sequence	Exact Mass (calc)	Exact Mass (found)	R _t (HPLC)	pIC50 Category (FACS)	pIC50 Category (Activity)
3BP-3407	Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH ₂	1592.737	1592.737	5.70	A	A
3BP-3554	Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(DOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH	1469.639	1469.640	5.89	A	A
3BP-3590	Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(InDOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH ₂	1702.617	1702.622	5.59	A	A
3BP-3591	Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(LuDOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH ₂	1764.654	1764.654	5.65	A	A
3BP-3592	Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(GaDOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH ₂	1658.639	1658.644	5.75	A	A
3BP-3623	Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(InDOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH	1579.520	1579.524	5.75	A	A

3BP-3624	Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(LuDOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH	1641.557	1641.560	5.81	A	A
3BP-3661	Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(EuDOTA-PP))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-Asp-NH ₂	1740.633	1740.636	5.72	A	A
3BP-3662	Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(EuDOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH	1617.540	1617.541	5.83	A	A
3BP-3949	Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(GaDOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH	1535.541	1535.541	6.58	A	A
3BP-4293	Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(CuDOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH	1530.553	1530.562	6.5	A	A
3BP-4343	Hex-[Cys(tMeBn(ZnDOTA-AET))-Pro-Pro-Thr-Gln-Phe-Cys]-OH	1531.553	1531.558	6.4	A	A

Example 8: Surface Plasmon Resonance Assay

[0269] Surface plasmon resonance studies were performed using a Biacore™ T200 SPR system. Briefly, polarized light is directed towards a gold-labeled sensor surface, and minimum intensity reflected light is detected. The angle of reflected light changes as molecules bind and dissociate. The gold-labeled sensor surface is loaded with FAP antibodies bearing FAP target proteins, whereby antibody binding does not occur at the substrate-binding site of FAP. Test compounds are contacted with the loaded surface, and a real-time interaction profile with the FAP ligand is recorded in a sensorgram. In real-time, the association and dissociation of a binding interaction is measured, enabling calculation of association and dissociation rate constants and the corresponding affinity constants. Importantly, a background response is generated due to the difference in the refractive indices of the running and sample buffers, as well as unspecific binding of the test compounds to the flow cell surface. This background is measured and subtracted by running the sample on a control flow cell coated with the same density of capture antibody in the absence of immobilized FAP. Furthermore, baseline drift correction of the binding data is performed, which is caused by slow dissociation of the captured FAP from the immobilized antibody. This drift is measured by injecting running buffer through a flow cell with the antibody and FAP immobilized to the sensor surface.

[0270] Biacore™ CM5 sensor chips were used. Human anti-FAP antibody (MAB3715, R&D systems) was diluted in 10 mM acetate buffer, pH 4.5, to a final concentration of 50 µg/mL. A 150 µL aliquot was transferred into plastic vials and placed into the sample rack of the Biacore™ T200 instrument. Amine Coupling Kit Reagent solutions were transferred into plastic vials and placed into the sample rack: 90 µL of 0.4 M 1-ethyl-3-(3-dimethylaminopropyl)carbodiimide (EDC), and 90 µL of 0.1 M N-hydroxysuccinimide (NHS). A 130 µL aliquot of 1 M ethanolamine-HCl, pH 8.5, was transferred into plastic vials and placed into the sample rack. The Biacore™ liquid system was set-up as follows: Separate bottles containing distilled water (1 L), Running Buffer (500 mL), as well as an empty bottle for waste were placed onto the buffer tray. A preinstalled program for immobilization was used, with an immobilization level of 7000 RU. Immobilization was performed at 25°C. The immobilization procedure of anti-FAP antibodies was performed, as described in the Table 7.

Table 7 Immobilization protocol for anti-FAP antibodies used on the CM5 sensor chip.

Step	Injected solution	Contact time	Flow rate
Surface conditioning	50 mM NaOH	300 s	10 µL/min
Surface activation	EDC/NHS	420 s	10 µL/min
Washing	Ethanolamine	90 s	10 µL/min
Ligand binding	Human/mouse antibodies diluted in acetate buffer	420 s	10 µL/min

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Step	Injected solution	Contact time	Flow rate
Washing	Running Buffer	40 s	10 μ L/min
Deactivation of reactive, non-ligand bound surface	1 M ethanolamine	420 s	10 μ L/min
Washing	Running Buffer	30 s	10 μ L/min

[0271] Human recombinant FAP was diluted in Running Buffer to a final concentration of 20 μ g/mL. A 100 μ L aliquot of human FAP-Working-Solution was transferred into plastic vials and placed into a sample rack. A 0.5 mM Compound-Stock-Solution was prepared by dissolving each compound in DMSO. For each test compound, Compound-Stock-Solutions were diluted in Running Buffer (HBST) at 500 nM and further diluted with HBST-DMSO Buffer (0.1% DMSO). SPR binding analyses for binary complexes were performed in SCK mode at 25°C. Table 8 describes the protocol for capturing and assessment of the binding kinetics. Following three SCK measurements, a baseline drift was assessed by injecting running buffer through a flow cell, with the antibody and FAP immobilized to the sensor surface.

Table 8: Protocol for assessing the binding kinetics.

Step	Injected solution	Contact time	Flow rate
Startup cycle as a triple run: Washing & surface regeneration	HBST-DMSO Buffer 10 mM glycine, pH 2	60 s 5 s	30 μ L/min
Binding target protein FAP (capturing)	20 μ g/mL rhFAP or 4 μ g/mL rmFAP	600 s	5 μ L/min
Washing (removal of unbound FAP)	HBST-DMSO-Buffer	2700 s	30 μ L/min
1. Binding kinetics of test compound	Dilution no. 5 (0.19 nM)	120 s	30 μ L/min
2. Binding kinetics of test compound	Dilution no. 4 (0.78 nM)	120 s	30 μ L/min
3. Binding kinetics of test compound	Dilution no. 3 (3.125 nM)	120 s	30 μ L/min
4. Binding kinetics of test compound	Dilution no. 2 (12.5 nM)	120 s	30 μ L/min
5. Binding kinetics of test compound	Dilution no. 1 (50 nM)	120 s	30 μ L/min
Dissociation cycle	HBST-DMSO Buffer	1800 s	30 μ L/min
Regeneration	10 mM glycine, pH 2	7 s	30 μ L/min

[0272] For each test compound, SPR raw data in the form of resonance units (RU) were plotted as sensorgrams using the Biacore™ T200 control software. The signal from the blank sensorgram was subtracted from that of the test compound sensorgram (blank corrected). The blank corrected sensorgram was corrected for baseline drift by subtracting the sensorgram of a SCK run without the test compound (running buffer only). The association rate (k_{on}), dissociation rate (k_{off}), dissociation constant (K_D), and $t_{1/2}$ were calculated from Blank-normalized SPR data using the 1:1 Langmuir binding model from the Biacore™ T200 evaluation software. Raw data and fit results were imported as text files in IDBS. The pK_D value (negative decadic logarithm of dissociation constant) was calculated in the IDBS excel template.

[0273] The results of this assay for a selection of compounds according to the present invention are presented in Table 9. Category A stands for pK_D values >8.0, category B for pK_D values between 7.1 and 8.0, category C for pK_D values between 6.1 and 7.0.

Table 9: Compound ID, sequence and pK_D category of Biacore assay

ID	Sequence	pK_D Category
3BP-3407	Hex-[C(tMeBn(DOTA-PP))-PPTQFC]D-NH2	A
3BP-3554	Hex--[C(tMeBn(DOTA--AET))-PPTQFC]-OH	A
3BP-3590	Hex--C([tMeBn(InDOTA--PP))-PPTQFC]D-NH2	A
3BP-3591	Hex--C([tMeBn(LuDOTA--PP))-PPTQFC]D-NH2	A

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ID	Sequence	pK _D Category
3BP-3592	Hex--C([tMeBn(GaDOTA--PP))-PPTQFC]D-NH ₂	A
3BP-3623	Nex--C([tMeBn(InDOTA--AET))-PPTQFC]-OH	A
3BP-3624	Hex-C([tMeBn(LuDOTA-AET))-PPTQFC]-OH	A
3BP-3949	Hex--[C(tMeBn(GaDOTA--AET))-PPTQFC]-OH	A

Example 9: PREP and DPP4 Protease Activity Assay

[0274] In order to test selectivity of FAP binding peptides toward both PREP and DPP4, protease activity assays were performed analogues to the FAP activity assay described above with following exceptions.

[0275] PREP activity was measured with recombinant human PREP (R&D systems, #4308-SE). As substrate 50 μ M Z-GP-AMC (Bachem, # 4002518) was used. The DPP4 activity assay was performed in DPP assay buffer (25 mM Tris, pH 8.0). Recombinant human DPP4 was purchased from R&D systems (#9168-SE). 20 μ M of GP-AMC (Santa Cruz Biotechnology, #115035-46-6) was used as substrate.

[0276] Fluorescence of AMC (excitation at 380 nm and emission at 460 nm) after cleavage was measured in a kinetic mode for 5 minutes at 37°C in a SPECTRAMax M5 plate reader. RFU/sec was calculated by SoftMax Pro software and plotted against peptide concentration. Four parameter logistic (4PL) curve fitting and pIC₅₀ calculations were performed using ActivityBase software. The results of this assay for some of the compounds according to the present invention are given in the following Table 10.

Table 10: Results (pIC₅₀ values) of PREP and DPP4 activity assays

ID	pIC ₅₀ (PREP)	pIC ₅₀ (DPP4)
3BP-3407	<6	<6
3BP-3554	<6	<6

Example 10: Specificity Screen

[0277] The specificity screening was carried out in order to early identify significant off-target interactions of compounds of the present invention. The specificity was tested using a standard battery of assays ("SafetyScreen44™ Panel") comprising 44 selected targets and compounds binding thereto (referred to as "reference compounds", Ref. Compounds), recommended by Bowes et al. (Bowes, et al., Nat Rev Drug Discov, 2012, 11: 909). The reference compounds served as positive controls for the respective assays, therefore inhibition is expected to be detected with these reference compounds. The compounds of the invention, however, were not expected to show inhibition in these assays. These binding and enzyme inhibition assays were performed by Eurofins Cerep SA (Celle l'Evescault, France).

[0278] 3BP-3407 and 3BP-3554 were tested at 10 μ M. Compound binding was calculated as % inhibition of the binding of a radioactively labeled ligand specific for each target ("% Inhibition of Specific Binding" (3BP-3407) or (3BP-3554), respectively. Compound enzyme inhibition effect was calculated as % inhibition of control enzyme activity.

[0279] Results showing an inhibition or stimulation higher than 50% are considered to represent significant effects of the test compounds. Such effects were not observed at any of the receptors studied which are listed in the following Table 11. The results of this assay are summarized in the following Table 11.

Table 11: Results of the specificity screening (SafetyScreen44™ Panel) for 10 μ M 3BP-3407 and 10 μ M 3BP-3554

Assay	% Inhibition of Specific Binding		Ref Compound	Ki Ref [M]	Cerep Catalog Ref	Literature Reference
	(3B-P-340-7)	(3B-P-355-4)				
A2A (h) (agonist radioligand)	-4	-16	NECA	2.90E-08	4	(Luthin, et al., Mol Pharmacol, 1995, 47: 307)

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5	Assay	% Inhibition of Specific Binding		Ref Compound	Ki Ref [M]	Cerep Catalog Ref	Literature Reference
		(3B- P-340- 7)	(3B- P-355- 4)				
10	alpha 1A (h) (antagonist radioligand)	2	-12	WB 4101	2.40E-10	2338	(Schwinn, et al., J Biol Chem, 1990, 265: 8183)
15	alpha 2A (h) (antagonist radioligand)	-9	2	yohimbine	2.40E-09	13	(Langin, et al., Eur J Pharmacol, 1989, 167: 95)
20	beta 1 (h) (agonist radioligand)	4	-13	atenolol	3.40E-07	18	(Levin, et al., J Biol Chem, 2002, 277: 30429)
25	beta 2 (h) (antagonist radioligand)	4	8	ICI 118551	1.60E-10	20	(Joseph, et al., Naunyn Schmiedeberg's Arch Pharmacol, 2004, 369: 525)
30	BZD (central) (agonist radioligand)	-9	5	diazepam	8.10E-09	28	(Speth, et al., Life Sci, 1979, 24: 351)
35	CB1 (h) (agonist radioligand)	5	-7	CP 55940	2.10E-09	36	(Rinaldi-Carmona, et al., J Pharmacol Exp Ther, 1996, 278:871)
40	CB2 (h) (agonist radioligand)	2	-5	WIN 55212-2	1.60E-09	37	(Munro, et al., Nature, 1993, 365: 61)
45	CCK1 (CCKA) (h) (agonist radioligand)	24	16	CCK-8s	4.90E-11	39	(Bignon, et al., J Pharmacol Exp Ther, 1999, 289: 742)
50	D1 (h) (antagonist radioligand)	0	7	SCH 23390	2.00E-10	44	(Zhou, et al., Nature, 1990, 347: 76)
55	D2S (h) (agonist radioligand)	15	-7	7-OH-DPAT	1.30E-09	1322	(Grandy, et al., Proc Natl Acad Sci USA, 1989, 86: 9762)
	ETA (h) (agonist radioligand)	-18	6	endothelin-1	1.50E-11	54	(Buchan, et al., Br J Pharmacol, 1994, 112: 1251)
	NMDA (antagonist radioligand)	9	1	CGS 19755	1.40E-07	66	(Sills, et al., Eur J Pharmacol, 1991, 192: 19)
	H1 (h) (antagonist radioligand)	11	4	pyrilamine	1.10E-09	870	(Smit, et al., Br J Pharmacol, 1996, 117: 1071)
	H2 (h) (antagonist radioligand)	-5	-16	cimetidine	4.30E-07	1208	(Leurs, et al., Br J Pharmacol, 1994, 112: 847)
	MAO-A (antagonist radioligand)	-5	-25	clorgyline	7.30E-10	443	(Cesura, et al., Mol Pharmacol, 1990, 37: 358)

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Assay	% Inhibition of Specific Binding		Ref Compound	Ki Ref [M]	Cerep Catalog Ref	Literature Reference
	(3B-P-340-7)	(3B-P-355-4)				
M1 (h) (antagonist radioligand)	6	8	pirenzepine	2.90E-08	91	(Dorje, et al., J Pharmacol Exp Ther, 1991, 256: 727)
M2 (h) (antagonist radioligand)	-4	7	Methoc-tramine	4.80E-08	93	(Dorje, et al., J Pharmacol Exp Ther, 1991, 256: 727)
M3 (h) (antagonist radioligand)	10	1	4-DAMP	¹ 8.00E-10	95	(Peralta, et al., Embo J, 1987, 6: 3923)
N neuronal alpha 4beta 2 (h) (agonist radioligand)	-8	-2	nicotine	1.20E-09	3029	(Gopalakrishnan, et al., J Pharmacol Exp Ther, 1996, 216: 289)
delta (DOP) (h) (agonist radioligand)	0	1	DPDPE	1.20E-09	114	(Simonin, et al., Mol Pharmacol, 1994, 46: 1015)
kappa (h) (KOP) (agonist radioligand)	7	10	U50488	4.50E-10	4461	(Simonin, et al., Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A, 1995, 92: 7006)
mu (MOP) (h) (agonist radioligand)	2	-10	DAMGO	3.70E-10	118	(Wang, et al., FEBS Lett, 1994, 338: 217)
5-HT1A (h) (agonist radioligand)	-3	-5	8-OH-DPAT	2.20E-10	131	(Mulheron, et al., J Biol Chem, 1994, 269: 12954)
5-HT1B(h) (antagonist radioligand)	-11	8	Serotonine	6.60E-08	4376	(Maier, et al., J Pharmacol Exp Ther, 2009, 330: 342)
5-HT2A (h) (agonist radioligand)	-2	4	(±)DOI	2.10E-10	471	(Bryant, et al., Life Sci, 1996, 59: 1259)
5-HT2B (h) (agonist radioligand)	2	3	(±)DOI	4.20E-09	1333	(Choi, et al., FEBS Lett, 1994, 352: 393)
5-HT3 (h) (antagonist radioligand)	2	4	MDL 72222	6.50E-09	411	(Hope, et al., Br J Pharmacol, 1996, 118: 1237)
GR (h) (agonist radioligand)	-2	0	Dexamethasone	1.90E-09	469	(Clark, et al., Invest Ophthalmol Vis Sci, 1996, 37: 805)
AR (h) (agonist radioligand)	3	-5	Testosterone	2.00E-09	933	(Zava, et al., Endocrinology, 1979, 104:1007)
V1a (h) (agonist radioligand)	16	1	[d(CH2)51, Tyr(Me)2]-AVP	1.10E-09	159	(Tahara, et al., Br J Pharmacol, 1998, 125: 1463)

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Assay	% Inhibition of Specific Binding		Ref Compound	Ki Ref [M]	Cerep Catalog Ref	Literature Reference
	(3B-P-340-7)	(3B-P-355-4)				
Ca ²⁺ channel (L, dihydropyridine site) (antagonist radioligand)	42	54	nitrendipine	1.40E-10	161	(Gould, et al., Proc Natl Acad Sci USA, 1982, 79: 3656)
Potassium Channel hERG (human)- [3H] Dofetilide	2	6	Terfenadine	4.40E-08	4094	(Huang, et al., Assay Drug Dev Technol, 2010, 8: 727)
KV channel (antagonist radioligand)	-5	4	alpha - dendrotoxin	9.70E-11	166	(Sorensen, et al., Mol Pharmacol, 1989, 36: 689)
Na ⁺ channel (site 2) (antagonist radioligand)	-7	14	veratridine	1.20E-05	169	(Brown, J Neurosci, 1986, 6: 2064)
norepinephrine transporter (h) (antagonist radioligand)	-8	-5	protriptyline	2.30E-09	355	(Pacholczyk, et al., Nature, 1991, 350: 350)
dopamine transporter (h) (antagonist radioligand)	12	7	BTCP	6.80E-09	52	(Pristupa, et al., Mol Pharmacol, 1994, 45: 125)
5-HT transporter (h) (antagonist radioligand)	-3	-8	imipramine	1.40E-09	439	(Tatsumi, et al., Eur J Pharmacol, 1999, 368: 277)
COX1(h)	10	8	Diclofenac	1.30E-08	4173	(Vanachayangkul, et al., Enzyme Res, 2012, 2012: 416062)
COX2(h)	-14	-22	NS398	5.40E-08	4186	(Vanachayangkul, et al., Enzyme Res, 2012, 2012: 416062)
PDE3A (h)	-3	-37	milrinone	1.00E-06	4072	(Maurice, et al., Nat Rev Drug Discov, 2014, 13: 290)
PDE4D2 (h)	-5	-4	Ro 20-1724	2.30E-07	4077	(Maurice, et al., Nat Rev Drug Discov, 2014, 13: 290)
Lck kinase (h)	10	-4	Staurosporine	2.30E-08	2906	(Park, et al., Anal Biochem, 1999, 269: 94)
Acetylcholinesterase (h)	-6	1	Galantha-mine	7.00E-07	363	(Ellman, et al., Biochem Pharmacol, 1961, 7: 88)

[0280] Additionally, a specificity screen for proteases was performed by BPS Biosciences to further determine the specificity of the compounds of the invention (Turk, Nat Rev Drug Discov, 2006, 5: 785; Overall, et al., Nat Rev Cancer, 2006, 6: 227; Anderson, et al., Handb Exp Pharmacol, 2009, 189: 85).

[0281] 3BP-3407 and 3BP-3554 were tested at 1 μ M and 10 μ M in duplicates. In the absence of the compound, the

fluorescent intensity (Ft) in each data set was defined as 100% activity. In the absence of the enzyme, the background fluorescent intensity (Fb) in each data set was defined as 0% activity. The percent activity in the presence of each compound was calculated according to the following equation: %activity = (F-Fb)/(Ft-Fb), where F = the fluorescent intensity in the presence of the compound. Percentage inhibition was calculated according to the following formula: % inhibition = 100% - %activity. Results showing an inhibition higher than 50% are considered to represent significant effects of the tested compound. The results of this assay are given in the following Table 12.

Table 12: Results of the specificity protease screening for 1 μ M and 10 μ M 3BP-3407 and 1 μ M and 10 μ M 3BP-3554

Enzyme	Percentage inhibition (%)				
	3BP-3407		3BP-3554		Reference
	1 μ M	10 μ M	1 μ M	10 μ M	
Activated Protein C	5	8	-11	1	74
					(20 μ M Dabigatran)
Beta secretase	-8	-5	1	7	84
					(150nM Verubecestat)
Caspase-3	1	-2	-2	-1	89
					(100nM Caspase 3/7 Inhibitor I)
Caspase-6	1	-1	6	-3	94
					(1 μ M Caspase 8 Inhibitor I)
Caspase-7	-3	-3	-1	-7	92
					(1 μ M Caspase 3/7 Inhibitor I)
Caspase-8	0	0	0	-3	87
					(100nM Caspase 8 Inhibitor I)
Caspase-9	5	8	-1	-2	N/A
Cathepsin B	26	36	1	2	97
					(100nM E-64)
Cathepsin F	-3	-24	-23	-25	74
					(1 μ M Cystatin C)
Cathepsin L	3	6	0	-6	97
					(1 μ M E-64)
Cathepsin S	3	18	-10	-23	91
					(100nM E-64)
Cathepsin V	1	-18	-1	-1	83
					(100nM E-64)
A20	2	-4	1	0	99
					(1 μ M Ub-Aldehyde)
Ataxin3	1	10	2	-1	77
					(10 μ M Ub-Aldehyde)

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5	Enzyme	Percentage inhibition (%)				
		3BP-3407		3BP-3554		Reference
		1μM	10μM	1μM	10μM	
	Deubiquitinase OTUD6B	2	15	0	0	97 (1μM Ub-Aldehyde)
10	Ubiquitin carboxy-terminal hydrolase L1	-2	4	-4	4	92 (100nM Ub-Aldehyde)
15	Ubiquitin carboxy-terminal hydrolase L3	-1	14	0	0	95 (10nM Ub-Aldehyde)
	Ubiquitin carboxyl-terminal hydrolase 2	3	7	0	-1	91 (1μM Ub-Aldehyde)
20	Ubiquitin carboxyl-terminal hydrolase 5	3	46	-4	-2	84 (1μM Ub-Aldehyde)
	Ubiquitin carboxyl-terminal hydrolase 7	5	5	1	1	95 (1μM Ub-Aldehyde)
25	Ubiquitin carboxyl-terminal hydrolase 8	-3	6	2	1	73 (1μM Ub-Aldehyde)
	Ubiquitin carboxyl-terminal hydrolase 10	-2	5	1	-1	82 (1μM Ub-Aldehyde)
30	Ubiquitin carboxyl-terminal hydrolase 14	-1	5	1	2	96 (100nM Ub-Aldehyde)
35	DPP3	ND	ND	2	-1	(100 nM Spinorphin)
	DPP7	2	-3	-1	-7	83 (200μM KR62436)
40	DPP8	1	5	1	11	96 (200μM KR62436)
	DPP9	-1	0	-1	-5	99 (200μM KR62436)
45	FAP	98	99	97	99	100 (100nM SP-13786)
50	serine protease NS3 (a.a. 3-181) from Hepatitis C virus genotype 1a (mutant D168V)	1	-68	-39	-372	94 (100nM Denoprevir)
		1	5	-5	-9	100
	serine protease NS3 (a.a. 3-181) from Hepatitis C virus genotype 1b					(100nM Denoprevir)
55	serine protease NS3 (a.a. 3-181) from Hepatitis C virus genotype 1b (mutant D168V)	1	-6	-2	-17	99 (100nM Denoprevir)

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Enzyme	Percentage inhibition (%)				
	3BP-3407		3BP-3554		Reference
	1 μ M	10 μ M	1 μ M	10 μ M	
serine protease NS3 (a.a. 3-181) from Hepatitis C virus genotype 1b (mutant R155K)	-2	5	-1	0	90 (100nM Denoprevir)
serine protease NS3 (a.a. 3-181) from Hepatitis C virus genotype 1b (mutant R155Q)	0	2	0	-5	99 (1 μ M Denoprevir)
serine protease NS3 (a.a. 3-181) from Hepatitis C virus genotype 2a	0	-2	-13	-40	98 (100nM Denoprevir)
Matrix metalloprotease 1	-1	2	1	-7	87 (1 μ M NNGH)
Matrix metalloprotease 2	3	3	-1	-2	95 (100nM NNGH)
Matrix metalloprotease 9 (mutant Q279R)	3	2	3	2	92 (100nM NNGH)
Renin	-1	3	0	-1	99 (30nM Aliskiren)

Example 11: ^{111}In - and ^{177}Lu -labeling of selected compounds

[0282] In order to serve as a diagnostically, therapeutically, or theragnostically active agent, a compound needs to be labeled with a radioactive isotope. The labeling procedure needs to be appropriate to ensure a high radiochemical yield and purity of the radiolabeled compound of the invention. This example shows that the compounds of the present invention are appropriate for radiolabeling and can be labeled in high radiochemical yield and purity.

[0283] 30-100 MBq of $^{111}\text{InCl}_3$ (in 0.02 M HCl) were mixed with 1 nmol of compound (200 μM stock solution in 0.1 M HEPES pH 7) per 30 MBq and buffer (1 M sodium acetate buffer pH 5 or 1 M sodium acetate / ascorbic acid buffer pH 5 containing 25 mg/ml methionine) at a final buffer concentration of 0.1 - 0.2 M. The mixture was heated to 80 °C for 20-30 min. After cooling down, DTPA and TWEEN-20 were added at a final concentration of 0.2 mM and 0.1%, respectively.

[0284] 0.2 - 2.0 GBq $^{177}\text{LuCl}_3$ (in 0.04 M HCl) were mixed with 1 nmol of compound (200 μM stock solution in 0.1 M HEPES pH 7) per 45 MBq and buffer (1 M sodium acetate / ascorbic acid buffer pH 5 containing 25 mg/ml methionine) at a final buffer concentration of ~0.4 M. The mixture was heated to 90 °C for 20 min.

[0285] The labeling efficiency was analyzed by thin layer chromatography (TLC) and HPLC. For TLC analysis, 1-2 μl of diluted labeling solution was applied to a strip of iTLC-SG chromatography paper (Agilent, 7.6 \times 2.3 mm) and developed in citrate-dextrose solution (Sigma). The iTLC strip was then cut into 3 pieces and associated radioactivity was measured with a gamma-counter. The radioactivity measured at the solvent front represents free radionuclide and colloids, whereas the radioactivity at the origin represents radiolabeled compound. For HPLC, 5 μl of diluted labeling solution was analyzed with a Poroshell SB-C18 2.7 μm (Agilent). Eluent A: MeCN, eluent B: H_2O , 0.1 % TFA, gradient from 5% B to 70% B within 15 min, flow rate 0.5 ml/min; detector: NaI (Raytest), DAD 230 nm. The peak eluting with the dead volume represents free radionuclide, the peak eluting with the peptide-specific retention time as determined with an unlabeled sample represents radiolabeled compound.

[0286] Radionuclidic incorporation yield was $\geq 95\%$ and radiochemical purity $\geq 90\%$ at end of synthesis. Exemplary radiochemical purities for ^{111}In -labeled compounds are shown in Table 13. ^{177}Lu -labeled compounds in formulations suitable for human use maintained a radiochemical purity of $\geq 90\%$ up to 6 days post synthesis (Table 14). The radiochromatograms for selected compounds are shown in Figs. 1 to 4, whereby Fig. 1 shows a radiochromatogramm of ^{177}Lu -3BP-3407 in formulation buffer containing 100 mg/mL ascorbate and 5 mg/mL *L*-methionine analyzed immediately upon end of synthesis, Fig. 2 shows a radiochromatogramm of ^{177}Lu -3BP-3407 in formulation buffer containing 100 mg/mL ascorbate and 5 mg/mL *L*-methionine analyzed six days post end of synthesis, Fig. 3 shows a radiochromatogramm of ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554 in formulation buffer containing 100 mg/mL ascorbate and 5 mg/mL *L*-methionine analyzed immediately upon end of synthesis, and Fig. 4 shows a radiochromatogramm of ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554 in formulation buffer

containing 100 mg/mL ascorbate and 5 mg/mL L-methionine analyzed six days post end of synthesis.

Table 13: Radiochemical purity by HPLC of ^{111}In -labeled compounds.

	HPLC retention time [min]	HPLC Area% at end of synthesis	HPLC Area% appr. 4 h post end of synthesis
^{111}In -3BP-3407	7.3	97.6	95.4
^{111}In -3BP-3554	7.5	95.6	96.2

Table 14: Radiochemical purity by HPLC of ^{177}Lu -labeled compounds in a formulation buffer containing 100 mg/mL ascorbate and 5 mg/mL L-methionine analyzed on day 0 and day 6 post end of synthesis.

	HPLC retention time [min]	HPLC Area% Day 0	HPLC Area% Day 6
^{177}Lu -3BP-3407	7.5	95.7	94.0
^{177}Lu -3BP-3554	7.6	97.2	95.6

Example 12: Imaging and biodistribution studies

[0287] Radioactively labeled compounds can be detected by imaging methods such as SPECT and PET. Furthermore, the data acquired by such techniques can be confirmed by direct measurement of radioactivity contained in the individual organs prepared from an animal injected with a radioactively labeled compound of the invention. Thus, the biodistribution (the measurement of radioactivity in individual organs) of a radioactively labeled compound can be determined and analyzed. This example shows that the compounds of the present invention show a biodistribution appropriate for diagnostic imaging and therapeutic treatment of tumors.

[0288] All animal experiments were conducted in compliance with the German animal protection laws. Male SCID beige (6- to 8-week-old, Charles River, Sulzfeld, Germany) were inoculated with 5×10^6 HEK-FAP (embryonic human kidney 293 cells genetically engineered to express high levels of FAP) cells in one shoulder. When tumors reached a size of $> 150 \text{ mm}^3$ mice received $\sim 30 \text{ MBq}$ ^{111}In -labelled compounds of the invention (diluted to $100 \mu\text{L}$ with PBS) administered intravenously via the tail vein. Images were obtained on a NanoSPECT/CT system (Mediso Medical Imaging Systems, Budapest, Hungary) using exemplarily the following acquisition and reconstruction parameters (Table 15).

Table 15: Acquisition and reconstruction parameters of NanoSPECT/CT imaging

Acquisition parameters SPECT	
System	NanoSPECT/CT TM
Scan range	whole body, 3-bed holder (mouse hotel)
Time per projection	60s
Aperture model, pinhole diameter	Aperture #2, 1,5 mm
Reconstruction parameters	
Method	HiSPECT (Scivis), iterative reconstruction
Smoothing	35%
Iterations	9
Voxel size	$0.15 \text{ mm} \times 0.15 \text{ mm} \times 0.15 \text{ mm}$
Acquisition parameters CT	
System	NanoSPECT/CT TM
Scan range	whole body, 3-bed holder (mouse hotel)
Scan duration	7 minutes
Tube voltage	45 kVp
Exposure time	500 ms

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Acquisition parameters CT	
Number of projections	240

[0289] Imaging data were saved as DICOM files and analysed using VivoQuant™ software (Invicro, Boston, USA). Results are expressed as a percentage of injected dose per gram of tissue (%ID/g). For biodistribution studies, animals were sacrificed by cervical dislocation at 24h or 48h post injection and then dissected. Different organs and tissues were collected and weighed, and the radioactivity was determined by γ -counting. Two animals were used per time point. Results are expressed as a percentage of injected dose per gram of tissue (%ID/g).

[0290] The results of the imaging and biodistribution studies for selected compounds are shown in Figs. 5-7.

Example 13: Efficacy study - HEK-FAP

[0291] Radioactively labeled compounds can be used for therapeutic and diagnostic application in various diseases, especially cancer. This example shows that the compounds of the present invention have anti-tumor activity suitable for the therapeutic treatment of tumors.

[0292] All animal experiments were conducted in compliance with the German animal protection laws. Female swiss nude mice (7- to 8-week-old, Charles River Laboratories, France) were inoculated with 5×10^6 HEK-FAP cells in one shoulder, and treatments were administered when the tumors reached a mean tumor volume of $160 \pm 44 \text{ mm}^3$. Mice were divided into 4 different groups of 10 animals/group: Group 1 - vehicle control, Group 2 - cold compound ^{nat}Lu -3BP-3554, Group 3 - 30 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554 (low dose), and Group 4 - 60 MBq ^{177}Lu -FAP-3554 (high dose). Treatments were administered on Day 0 by intravenous injection into the tail vein at 4 mL/kg (100 μL /mouse). Tumor volume and body weights were measured on Day 0 (i.e. the first day of radiotracer administration) and then thrice weekly until completion of the study.

[0293] The tracer distribution in mice injected with ^{177}Lu -labeled 3BP-3554 was determined by SPECT imaging in three mice per dosing group. Subsequently, following SPECT, a CT scan was done for anatomical information. Imaging was performed 3 h, 24 h, 48 h and 120 h post injection with a NanoSPECT/CT system (Mediso Medical Imaging Systems, Budapest, Hungary) using exemplarily the following acquisition and reconstruction parameters (Table 16).

Table 16: Acquisition and reconstruction parameters of NanoSPECT/CT imaging

Acquisition parameters SPECT	
System	NanoSPECT/CT™
Scan range	whole body, 3-bed holder (mouse hotel)
Time per projection	60s or 120s
Aperture model, pinhole diameter	Aperture #2, 1,5 mm
Reconstruction parameters	
Method	HiSPECT (Scivis), iterative reconstruction
Smoothing	35%
Iterations	9
Voxel size	0.15 mm \times 0.15 mm \times 0.15 mm
Acquisition parameters CT	
System	NanoSPECT/CT™
Scan range	whole body, 3-bed holder (mouse hotel)
Scan duration	7 minutes
Tube voltage	45 kVp
Exposure time	500 ms
Number of projections	240

[0294] Imaging data were saved as DICOM files and analysed using VivoQuant™ software (Invicro, Boston, USA).

Results are expressed as a percentage of injected dose per gram of tissue (%ID/g).

[0295] Tumors in vehicle and cold compound ^{nat}Lu -3BP-3554-treated mice reached a mean tumor volume (MTV) of $1338 \pm 670 \text{ mm}^3$ and $1392 \pm 420 \text{ mm}^3$ on day 14, respectively (Fig. 9 A). Statistically significant ($P < 0.01$) anti-tumor activity was observed in mice of both treatment groups. Tumor growth inhibition (TGI) at day 14 was 111% and 113% in mice treated with a single dose of 30 or 60 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554, respectively, relative to the vehicle-treated group. The MTV in all mice treated with ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554 was reduced to $\leq 70 \text{ mm}^3$ on day 14. Tumors were monitored for regrowth and on day 42 (which represents the end of the study), three of ten and nine of ten mice treated with 30 or 60 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554, respectively, were tumor-free ($< 10 \text{ mm}^3$), suggesting a potential dose-response in this model. No treatment-related body weight loss was observed throughout the study (Fig. 9 B). After a 3-5% decrease in body weight observed in all groups on Day 2, the body weight of the animals increased over time.

[0296] SPECT/CT imaging of 3 animals of both ^{177}Lu -labeled treatment groups showed high tumor-to-background contrast during all examined time points (3-120 h post-injection (p.i.)). High tumor retention up to 120 h was observed. The organ with the highest non-target uptake was the kidney, with tumor-to-kidney ratios of 8.6 ± 0.6 and 8.0 ± 1.6 at 3 h p.i. in mice treated with 30 or 60 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554, respectively. These ratios increased over time, attaining the highest value at 120 h with 40 ± 7.9 and 32 ± 7.4 tumor-to-kidney ratios in mice treated with 30 or 60 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554, respectively. An exemplary panel of SPECT/CT images for mouse 5 which is a high-dose animal is shown in Fig. 10 A and for mouse 1 which is a low-dose animal is shown in Fig. 10 B.

Example 14: Imaging study - Sarcoma PDX Models

[0297] Sarcoma tumors have been reported to express FAP, and imaging of four different sarcoma patient-derived xenograft (PDX) tumor models was performed to evaluate 3BP-3554 uptake. The Sarc4183, Sarc4605, Sarc4809 and Sarc12616 PDX models were derived from patients with rhabdomyosarcoma, osteosarcoma, undifferentiated sarcoma and undifferentiated pleiomorphic sarcoma, respectively (Experimental Pharmacology & Oncology Berlin-Buch, Germany). Tumor fragments were transplanted subcutaneously in the left flank of 8-week-old NMRI nu/nu mice (Janvier Labs, France). All animal experiments were conducted in compliance with the German animal protection laws. 47 days (Sarc4183, Sarc4809) or 46 days (Sarc4605, Sarc12616) after transplantation, 2-3 mice per model were imaged 3 hours after a single intravenous injection of 30 MBq of ^{111}In -3BP-3554. Imaging was performed as described in Example 12.

[0298] The imaging results with ^{111}In -3BP-3554 showed high tumor uptake 3 h p.i. and a high tumor-to-background contrast. Representative SPECT/CT images are shown in Fig. 11 A. Quantification of tumor uptake of two (Sarc4605, Sarc12616) or three (Sarc4183, Sarc4809) PDX-bearing mice, respectively, revealed %ID/g values of 4.9 ± 1.7 (Sarc4183), 5.2 ± 0.8 (Sarc4605), 4.4 ± 0.7 (Sarc4809) and 6.1 ± 0.6 (Sarc12616) as shown in Fig. 11 B. These results demonstrate ^{111}In -3BP-3554 uptake in all 4 sarcoma models. Tumor-to-kidney ratios were 4.7 ± 1.2 (Sarc4183), 3.2 ± 0.4 (Sarc4605), 4.1 ± 0.7 (Sarc4809) and 4.3 ± 1.2 (Sarc12616).

Example 15: Efficacy study - Sarcoma Sarc4809 PDX Model

[0299] The efficacy of ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554 was investigated in the human sarcoma PDX tumor model Sarc4809. This model of an undifferentiated sarcoma demonstrates ^{111}In -3BP-3554 uptake (Example 14) and was also shown to express FAP by immunohistochemistry.

[0300] All animal experiments were conducted in compliance with the German animal protection laws. Sarc4809 tumor fragments were transplanted subcutaneously at the left flank of 8-week-old NMRI nu/nu mice (Janvier Labs, France). Treatment started 23 days after transplantation at a mean tumor volume of $187.08 \pm 123.8 \text{ mm}^3$. Mice were split into four groups of 10 animals/group: Group 1 - vehicle control, Group 2 - cold compound ^{nat}Lu -FAP-3554, Group 3 - 30 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554, Group 4 - 60 MBq ^{177}Lu -FAP-3554. Treatments were administered on Day 0 by intravenous injection into the tail vein at 4 mL/kg (100 μL /mouse). Tumor volume and body weight were determined at Day 0 (i.e. the first day of radiotracer administration) and then thrice weekly until completion of the study.

[0301] All tumors continuously grew throughout the follow-up period of the study until day 42. Tumors in vehicle and ^{nat}Lu -3BP-3554 treated mice (control groups) reached an MTV of $894 \pm 610 \text{ mm}^3$ and $1225 \pm 775 \text{ mm}^3$ on day 31 (the last day on which at least 50% mice per group were still alive), respectively. Tumors in mice treated with a single dose of 30 or 60 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554 reached an MTV of 635 ± 462 and $723 \pm 391 \text{ mm}^3$ on day 31, respectively (Fig. 12A). Statistically significant ($P < 0.05$) anti-tumor activity was observed in mice of both treatment groups. Tumor growth inhibition (TGI) at day 31 was 61% and 73% in mice treated with a single dose of 30 or 60 MBq ^{177}Lu -3BP-3554, respectively, relative to the vehicle-treated group. No treatment-related body weight loss (BWL) was observed throughout the study. In all groups body weight increased during study follow-up (Fig. 12B).

Example 16: Pharmacokinetic studies

[0302] The pharmacokinetic behavior of selected compounds was assessed in mice and rats. This characterization of the pharmacokinetic behavior of a compound enables new insights into distribution and elimination of the compound and the calculation of the exposure.

[0303] Different amounts of the compounds were stable formulated in PBS. The formulations were applied intravenous with a dose of 4 nmol/kg, 40 nmol/kg and 400 nmol/kg in mice and 2 nmol/kg, 20 nmol/kg and 200 nmol/kg (3BP-3554) or 40 nmol/kg and 400 nmol/kg (3BP-3623) in rats. Assuming an allometric translation factor of 12.3 from human to mouse, and 6.2 from human to rats (Nair AB, Jacob S. Journal of Basic and Clinical Pharmacy, 2016, 7(2): 27-31), the applied doses represent a human dose range of 0.325 nmol/kg to 32.5 nmol/kg.

[0304] Blood samples were collected after different times (5 min, 15 min, 30 min, 1 h, 2 h, 4 h, 6 h, 8 h) from tail vein (rats) or retrobulbar (mice).

[0305] After separation of the blood cells from the blood plasma by centrifugation, the compounds were quantified in the prepared plasma samples were subjected to a protein precipitation procedure. 150 µl of a zinc sulphate precipitation agent containing 78% 0.1 M zinc sulphate and 22% acetonitrile was added. After incubation at room temperature for 30 min the precipitate was separated by centrifugation. To 100 µl of the supernatant 10 µl of 1% formic acid was added followed by further incubation at 60°C for 10 min to complete the formation of the zinc chelate, if the compound contains a free DOTA moiety.

[0306] The determination of the analyte in the clean sample solutions was performed on an Agilent 1290 UHPLC system coupled to an Agilent 6470 triple quadrupole mass spectrometer. The chromatographic separation was carried out on a Phenomenex BioZen Peptide XB-C18 HPLC column (50 × 2 mm, 1.7 µm particle size) at 40°C with gradient elution using a mixture of 0.1 % formic acid in water as eluent A and acetonitrile as eluent B (isocratic at 5% B for 1 min followed by a linear gradient to 43% B in 4 min, 500 µl/min).

[0307] Mass spectrometric detection was performed in positive ion ESI mode by multiple reaction monitoring (MRM).

Table 17: Mass spectrometric detection parameters

Compound	Fragmentor		Precursor	Product	Collision energy
3BP-4343	190 V	Quantifier	767.0	683.2	24 V
		Qualifier	767.0	542.9	38 V
3BP-3623	110 V	Quantifier	791.8	777.6	21 V
		Qualifier	791.8	708.2	19 V

[0308] Quantitation of test items was accomplished using the Quantitative Analysis software of the Agilent MassHunter software suite. A quadratic regression was performed with a weighting factor of 1/x.

[0309] The plasma level were subjected to a non-compartmental analysis (NCA) with following results: initial concentration of the compound (C_0), volume of distribution at steady state (V_{ss}), volume of distribution in the terminal phase (V_z), terminal half-life ($t_{1/2}$), clearance (CL) and area under the curve extrapolated to infinity (AUC_{inf}). A summary of NCA parameters of 3BP-3554 are presented in Table 18 for 3BP-3554 in mouse plasma and in Table 19 for 3BP-3554 in rat plasma, and of NCA parameters of 3BP-3623 in Table 20 for 3BP-3623 in mouse plasma and in Table 21 for 3BP-3623 in rat plasma.

Table 18: Summary of NCA parameters of 3BP-3554 in mouse plasma

PK parameter	4 nmol/kg	40 nmol/kg	400 nmol/kg
C_0	25.6 nM	177 nM	4970 nM
V_{ss}	0.21 L/kg	0.32 L/kg	0.10 L/kg
V_z	0.26 L/kg	1.02 L/kg	0.21 L/kg
AUC_{inf}	8.3 nM h	56 nM h	961 nM h
$t_{1/2}$	23 min	59 min	40 min
CL	0.482 L/kg h	0.711 L / kg h	0.482 L/kg h

Table 19: Summary of NCA parameters of 3BP-3554 in rat plasma

PK parameter	2 nmol/kg	20 nmol/kg	200 nmol/kg
C_0	10.3 nM	111 nM	1480 nM
V_{ss}	0.28 L/kg	0.30 L/kg	0.17 L/kg
V_z	0.32 L/kg	0.35 L/kg	0.42 L/kg
AUC_{inf}	8.1 nM h	69 nM h	726 nM h
$t_{1/2}$	54 min	50 min	63 min
CL	0.248 L/kg h	0.291 L/kg h	0.275 L/kg h

Table 20: Summary of NCA parameters of 3BP-3623 in mouse plasma

PK parameter	4 nmol/kg	40 nmol/kg	400 nmol/kg
C_0	17.6 nM	228 nM	2134 nM
V_{ss}	0.36 L/kg	0.31 L/kg	0.20 L/kg
V_z	0.44 L/kg	0.53 L/kg	0.64 L/kg
AUC_{inf}	7.7 nM h	55 nM h	532 nM h
$t_{1/2}$	35 min	30 min	35 min
CL	0.518 L/kg h	0.722 L / kg h	0.752 L/kg h

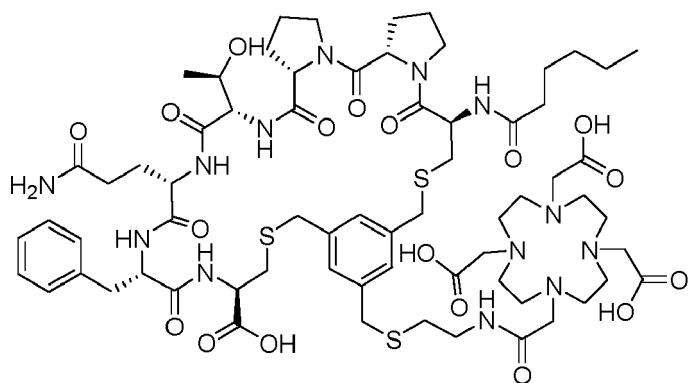
Table 21: Summary of NCA parameters of 3BP-3623 in rat plasma

PK parameter	40 nmol/kg	400 nmol/kg
C_0	127 nM	1408 nM
V_{ss}	0.48 L/kg	0.32 L/kg
V_z	0.58 L/kg	0.93 L/kg
AUC_{inf}	74 nM h	738 nM h
$t_{1/2}$	45 min	71 min
CL	0.541L / kg h	0.542 L/kg h

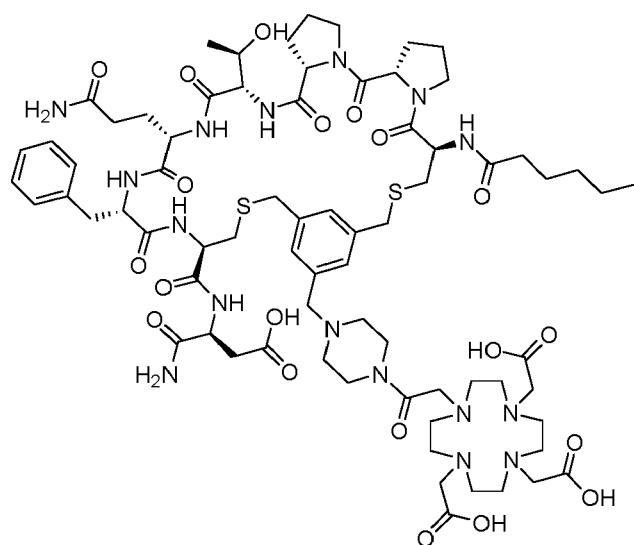
[0310] The results indicate distribution mainly in the blood and interstitial fluids and a clearance typical for peptides with terminal half-lives between 23 min and 59 min in mice and between 45 min and 71 min in rats. Exposure as described by the AUC correlates almost linear to the injected dose and the clearance is constant for all applied doses in a particular animal model. These observations suggest no significant non-linearity of the pharmacokinetic behavior that need to be considered for first-in-human dose calculation.

Claims

1. A compound selected from the group consisting of:

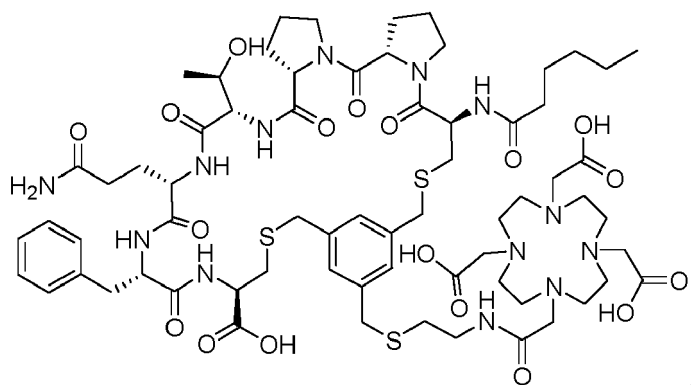


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof;
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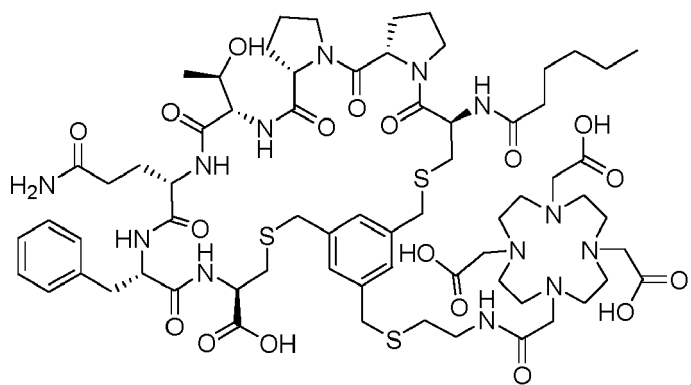
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof.

2. The compound of claim 1, wherein the compound is



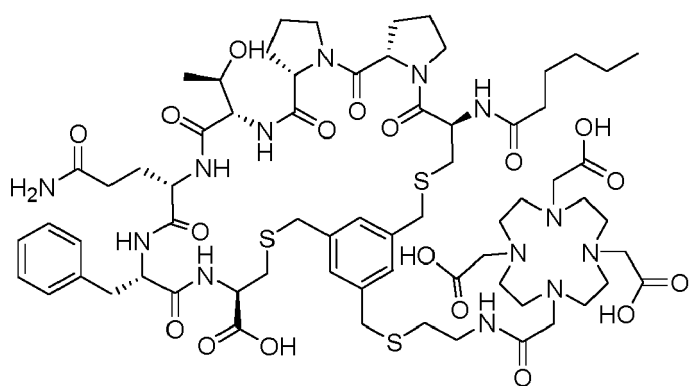
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof, optionally wherein the solvate is a hydrate.

3. The compound of claim 2, wherein the compound is

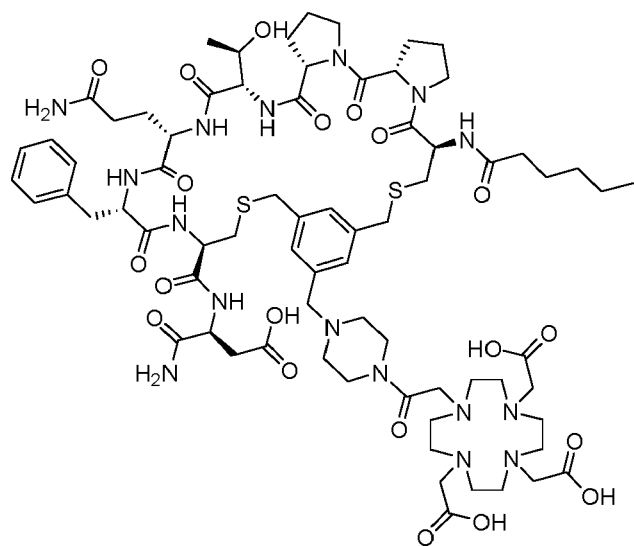


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

4. The compound of claim 3, wherein the compound is

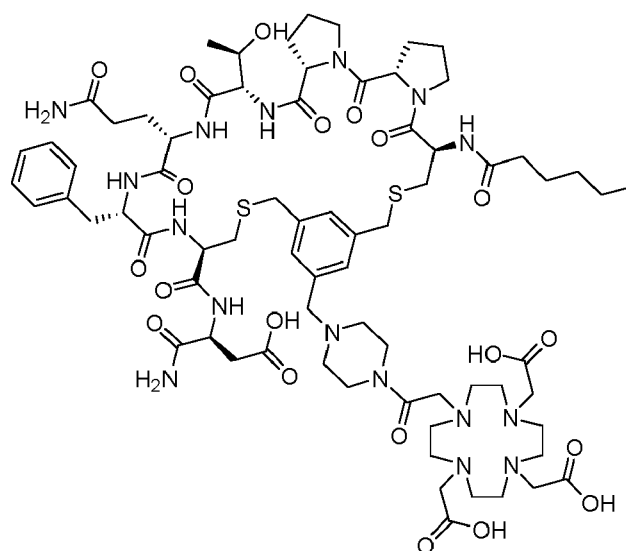


5. The compound of claim 1, wherein the compound is



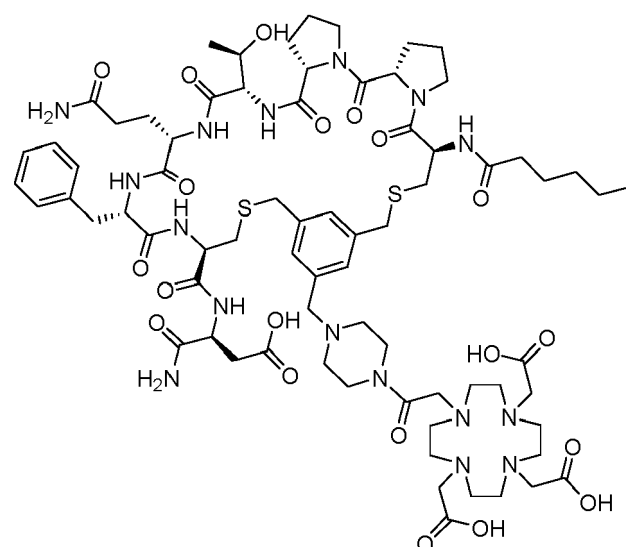
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof, optionally wherein the solvate is a hydrate.

6. The compound of claim 5, wherein the compound is



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

7. The compound of claim 6, wherein the compound is



8. The compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof of any one of claims 1-7, wherein the compound comprises a therapeutically active nuclide.

9. The compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof of claim 8, wherein the therapeutically active nuclide is a therapeutically active radionuclide.

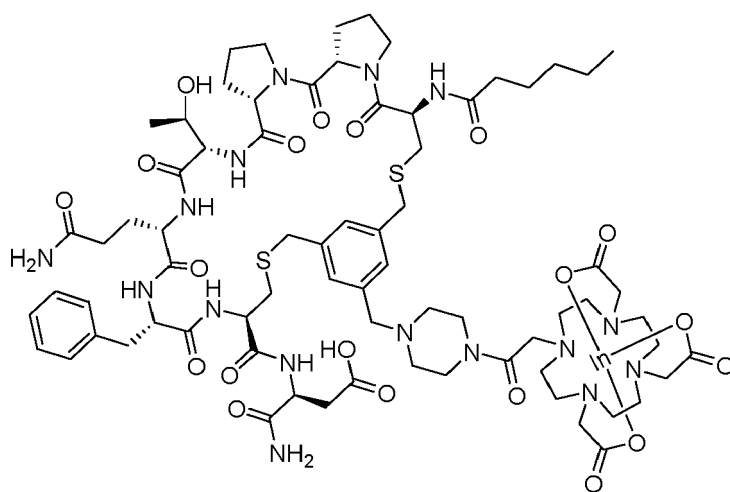
10. The compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof of claim 9, wherein the therapeutically active radionuclide is a particle-emitting isotope for therapeutic use and has a decay energy between 0.039 and 10 MeV, preferably between 0.4 and 6.5 MeV.

11. The compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof of claim 9 or claim 10, wherein the therapeutically active radionuclide is selected from the group consisting of ^{47}Sc , ^{67}Cu , ^{89}Sr , ^{90}Y , ^{153}Sm , ^{149}Tb , ^{161}Tb , ^{177}Lu , ^{186}Re , ^{188}Re , ^{212}Pb , ^{213}Bi , ^{223}Ra , ^{225}Ac , ^{226}Th , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I , and ^{211}At , preferably ^{47}Sc , ^{67}Cu , ^{90}Y , ^{177}Lu , ^{188}Re , ^{212}Pb , ^{213}Bi , ^{225}Ac , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I , and ^{211}At , and more preferably ^{90}Y , ^{177}Lu , ^{225}Ac , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I , and ^{211}At .

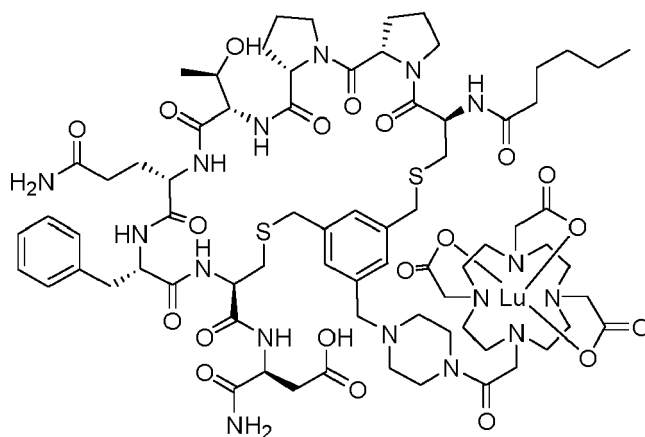
12. The compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof of any one of claims 9-11, wherein the

therapeutically active radionuclide is a therapeutically active radiometal.

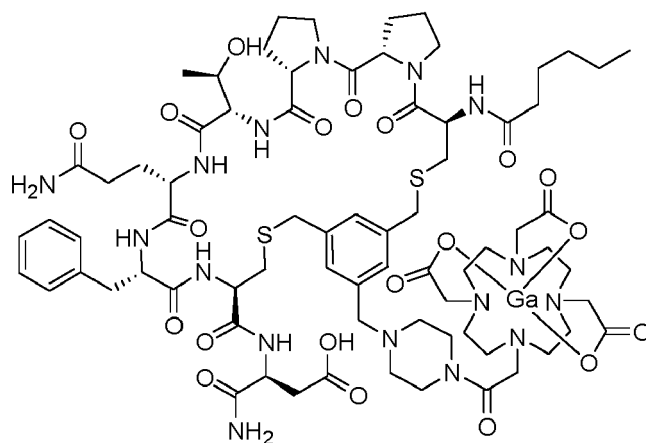
13. The compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof of claim 9, wherein the therapeutically active radionuclide is ^{177}Lu .
14. The compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof of any one of claims 8-13, wherein the therapeutically active nuclide is complexed to the 1,4,7,10-tetraazacyclododecane-1,4,7,10-tetraacetic acid (DOTA) chelator.
15. A radionuclide chelate complex comprising: the compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof as defined in any one of claims 1-7; and a radionuclide, wherein the radionuclide is complexed to the 1,4,7,10-tetraazacyclododecane-1,4,7,10-tetraacetic acid (DOTA) chelator.
16. The radionuclide chelate complex according to claim 15, wherein the radionuclide is a therapeutically active radionuclide as defined in any one of claims 9-13.
17. The radionuclide chelate complex of claim 16, selected from the group consisting of:



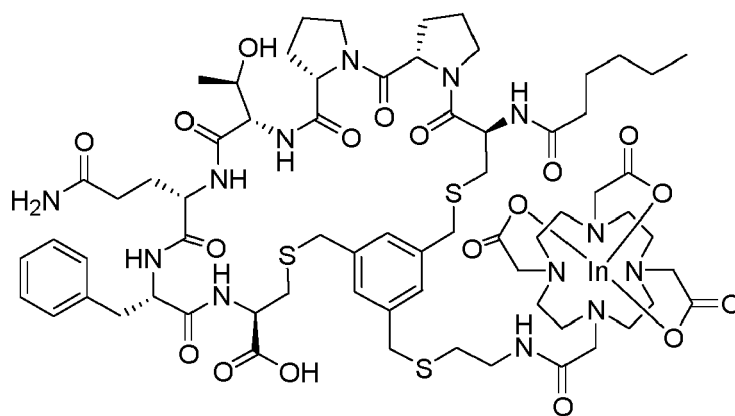
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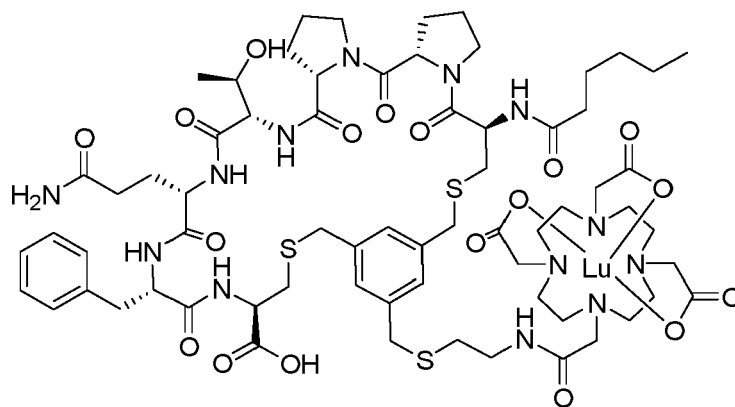
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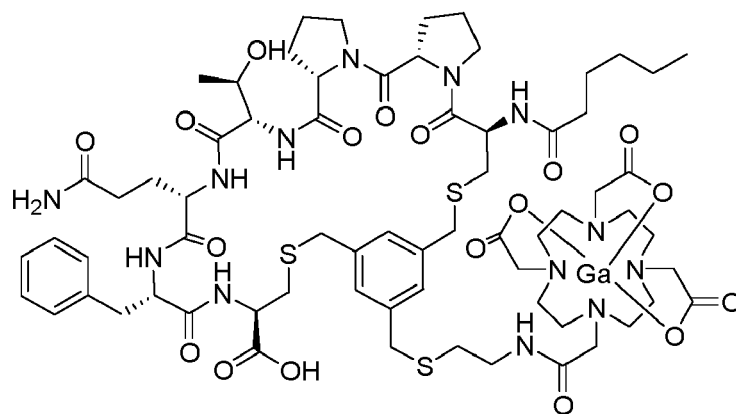
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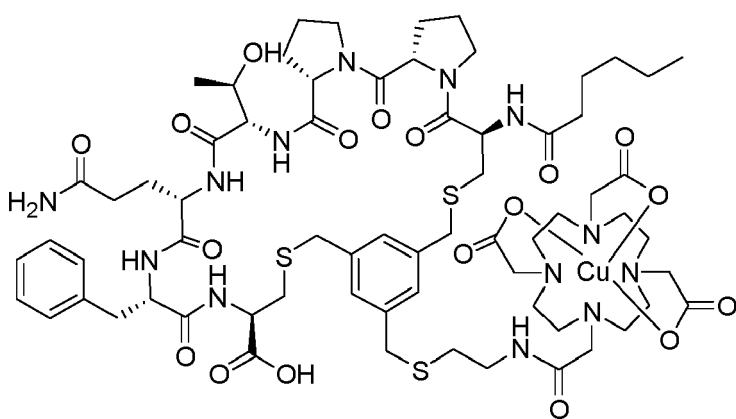
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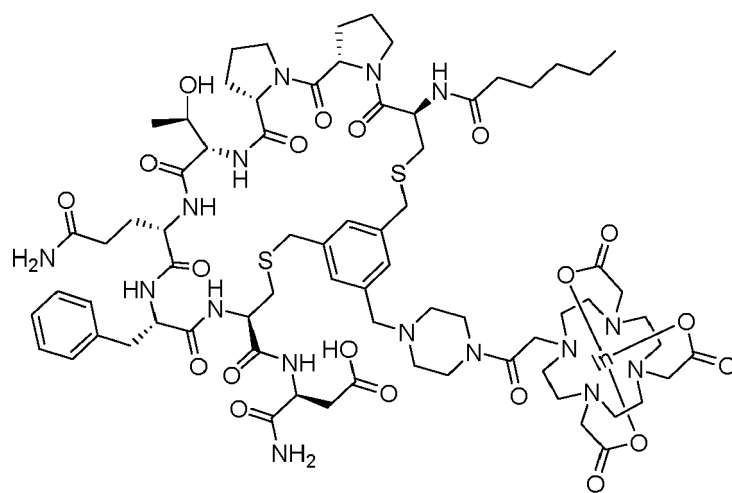


or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof, and



or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof.

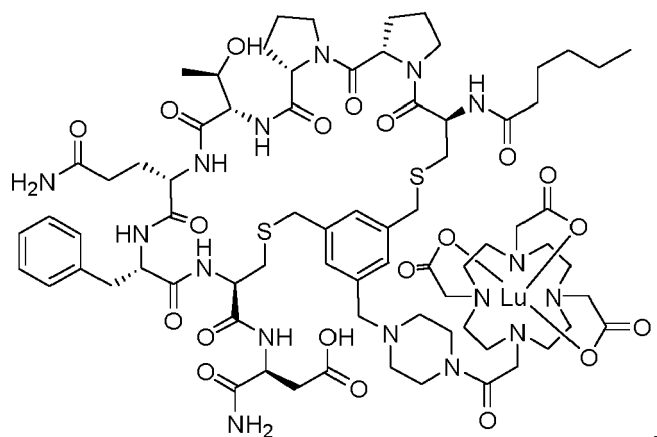
18. The radionuclide chelate complex of claim 17, selected from the group consisting of:



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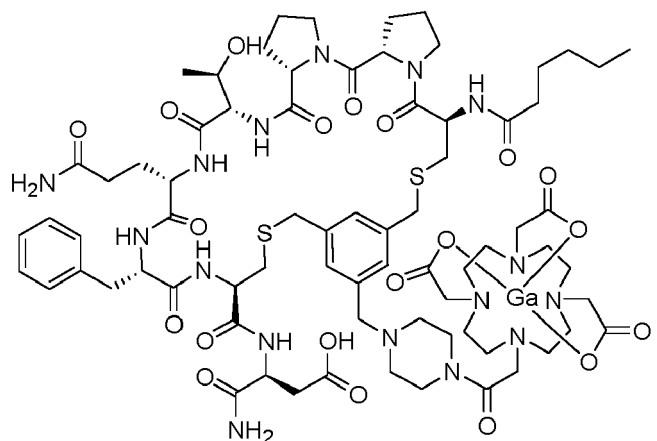
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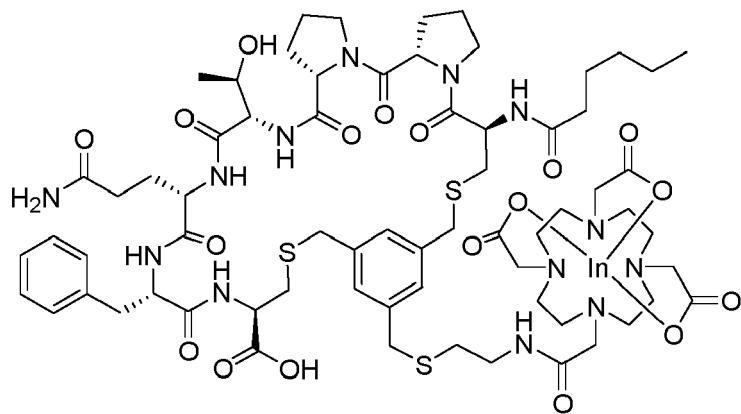
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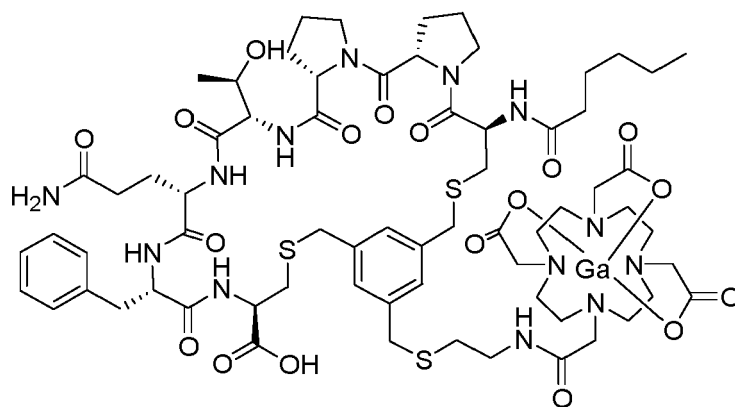
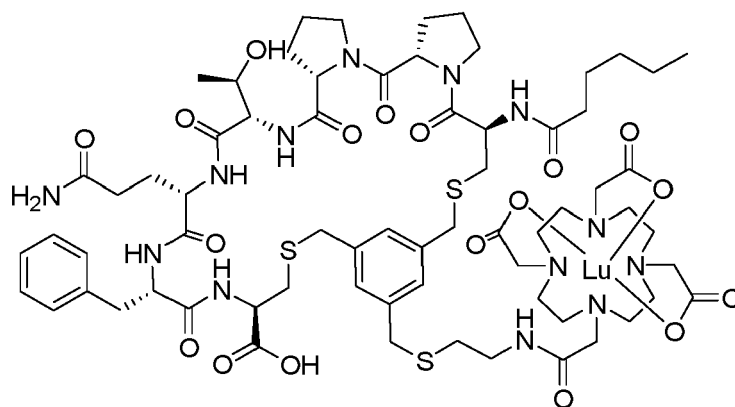
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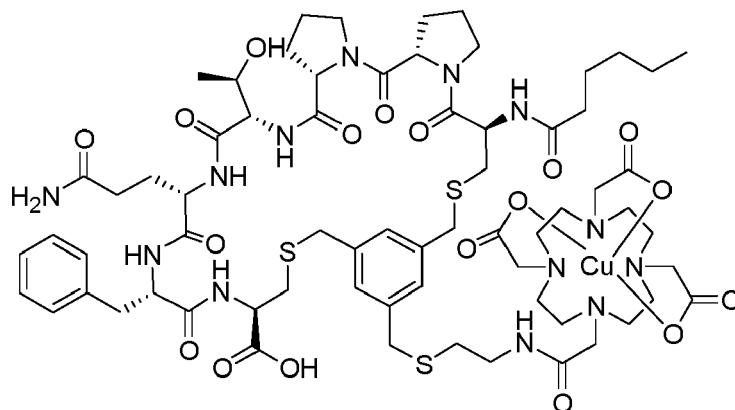


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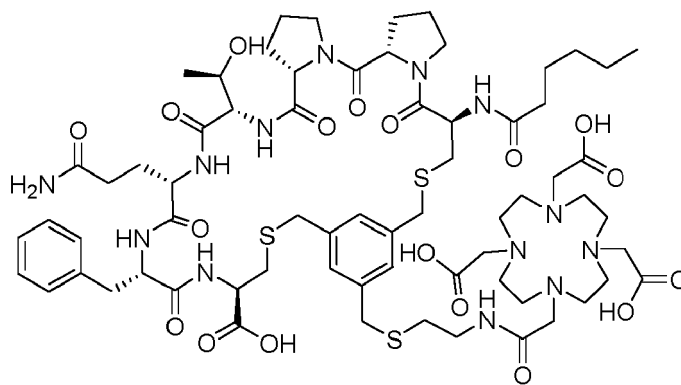
19. A composition, preferably a pharmaceutical composition, wherein the composition comprises: the compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof of any one of claims 1-14 or the radionuclide chelate complex of any one of claims 15-18; and a pharmaceutically acceptable excipient.
20. A compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof of any one of claims 8-14, or radionuclide chelate complex of any one of claims 15-18, for use as a medicament.
21. A compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof of any one of claims 8-14, or radionuclide chelate complex of any one of claims 15-18, for use in the treatment of a disease, wherein the disease is a neoplasm, preferably a cancer or a tumor.
22. The compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof or radionuclide chelate complex for use of

claim 21, wherein the disease (a) is a neoplasm, preferably a cancer or a tumor, and (b) involves cells showing upregulated expression of fibroblast activation protein (FAP), preferably wherein the disease involves diseased tissue containing cells showing upregulated expression of FAP, more preferably wherein the disease involves tumor associated fibroblasts.

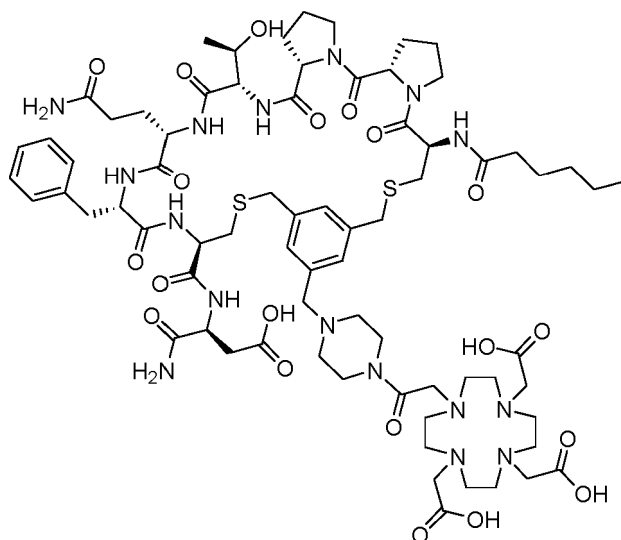
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23. The compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof or radionuclide chelate complex for use of claim 21 or 22, wherein the disease is selected from a solid tumor, an epithelial tumor, bladder cancer, breast cancer, cervical cancer, colorectal cancer, cholangiocarcinoma, endometrial cancer, esophageal cancer, gastric cancer, gastrointestinal stromal tumors, head and neck cancer, liver cancer, lung cancer, melanoma, mesothelioma, neuroendocrine tumors and carcinomas, ovarian cancer, pancreatic cancer, prostate cancer, renal cell carcinoma, salivary carcinoma, sarcoma, squamous cell carcinoma, or thyroid cancer.
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24. The compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof or radionuclide chelate complex for use of claim 21 or 22, wherein the disease is selected from breast cancer, colorectal cancer, cholangiocarcinoma, head and neck cancer, lung cancer, mesothelioma, neuroendocrine tumors and carcinomas, ovarian cancer, pancreatic cancer, prostate cancer, sarcoma, and squamous cell carcinoma.
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25. A kit comprising a compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof of any one of claims 1-14, or a radionuclide chelate complex of any one of claims 15-18, one or more optional excipient(s) and optionally one or more device(s), whereby the device(s) is/are a labeling device, a purification device, a handling device, a radioprotection device, an analytical device or an administration device.
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26. A combination comprising: (i) a compound or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt or solvate thereof of any one of claims 1-14, or a radionuclide chelate complex of any one of claims 15-18; and (ii) an anti-cancer compound.
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Patentansprüche

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1. Verbindung, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus:

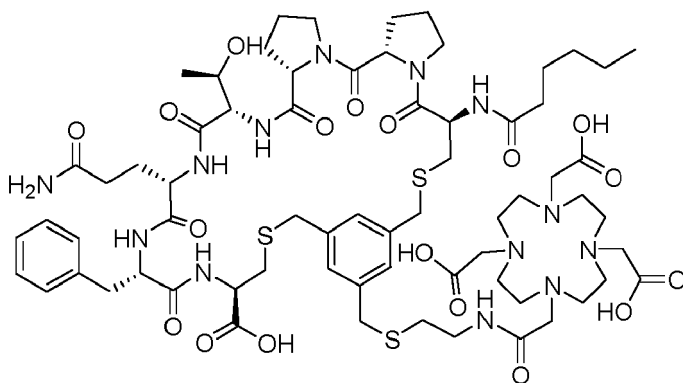


oder einem pharmazeutisch unbedenklichen Salz oder Solvat davon,
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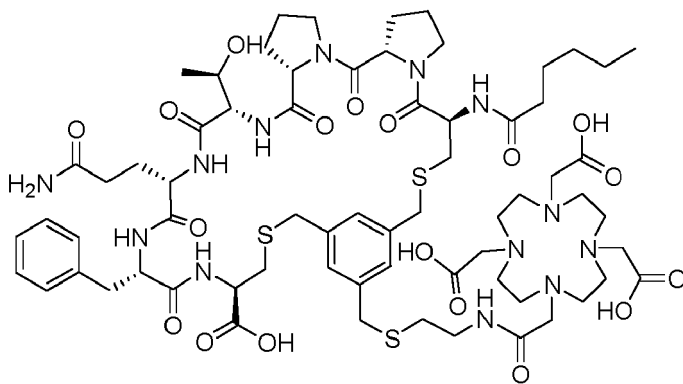
oder einem pharmazeutisch unbedenklichen Salz oder Solvat davon.

2. Verbindung nach Anspruch 1, wobei es sich bei der Verbindung um



oder ein pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon handelt, wobei das Solvat gegebenenfalls ein Hydrat ist.

3. Verbindung nach Anspruch 2, wobei es sich bei der Verbindung um



oder ein pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz davon handelt.

4. Verbindung nach Anspruch 3, wobei die Verbindung die folgende ist:



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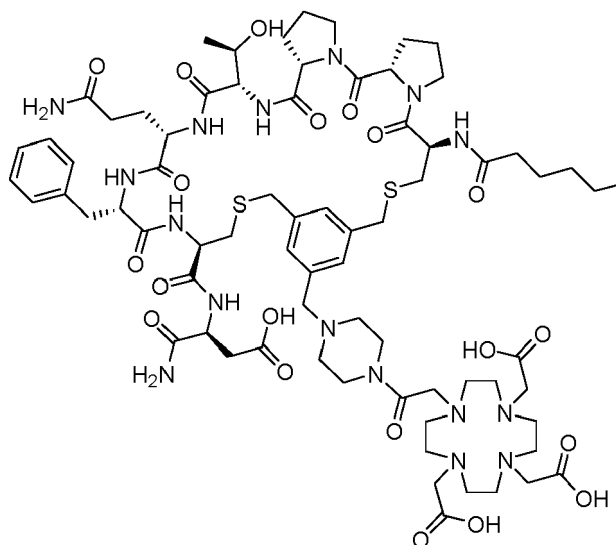
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oder ein pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz davon handelt.

7. Verbindung nach Anspruch 6, wobei die Verbindung die folgende ist:



8. Verbindung oder pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon nach einem der Ansprüche 1-7, wobei die Verbindung ein therapeutisch aktives Nuklid umfasst.

9. Verbindung oder pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon nach Anspruch 8, wobei das therapeutisch aktive Nuklid ein therapeutisch aktives Radionuklid ist.

10. Verbindung oder pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon nach Anspruch 9, wobei das therapeutisch aktive Radionuklid ein partikelemittierendes Isotop für die therapeutische Verwendung ist und eine Zerfallsenergie zwischen 0,039 und 10 MeV, vorzugsweise zwischen 0,4 und 6,5 MeV, aufweist.

11. Verbindung oder pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon nach Anspruch 9 oder Anspruch 10, wobei das therapeutisch aktive Radionuklid aus der aus ^{47}Sc , ^{67}Cu , ^{89}Sr , ^{90}Y , ^{153}Sm , ^{149}Tb , ^{161}Tb , ^{177}Lu , ^{186}Re , ^{188}Re , ^{212}Pb , ^{213}Bi , ^{223}Ra , ^{225}Ac , ^{226}Th , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I und ^{211}At vorzugsweise ^{47}Sc , ^{67}Cu , ^{90}Y , ^{177}Lu , ^{188}Re , ^{212}Pb , ^{213}Bi , ^{225}Ac , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I und ^{211}At und besonders bevorzugt ^{90}Y , ^{177}Lu , ^{225}Ac , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I und ^{211}At bestehenden Gruppe ausgewählt ist.

12. Verbindung oder pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon nach einem der Ansprüche 9-11, wobei das therapeutisch aktive Radionuklid ein therapeutisch aktives Radiometal ist.

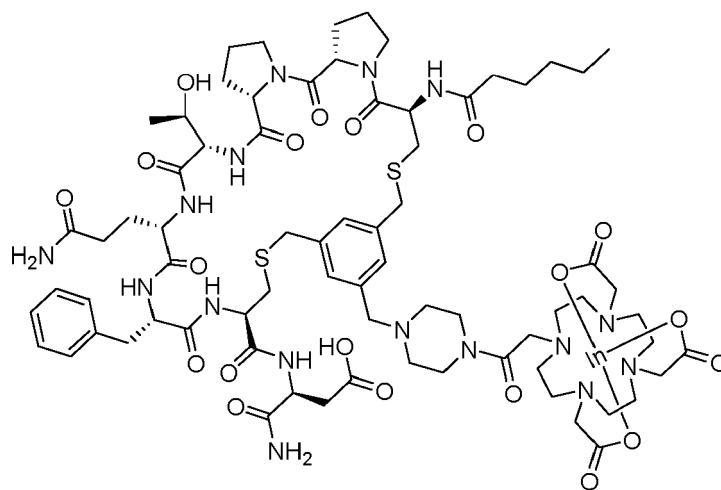
13. Verbindung oder pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon nach Anspruch 9, wobei es sich bei dem therapeutisch aktiven Radionuklid um ^{177}Lu handelt.

14. Verbindung oder pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon nach einem der Ansprüche 8-13, wobei das therapeutisch aktive Nuklid mit dem 1,4,7,10-Tetraazacyclododecan-1,4,7,10-tetraessigsäure(DOTA)-Chelator komplexiert ist.

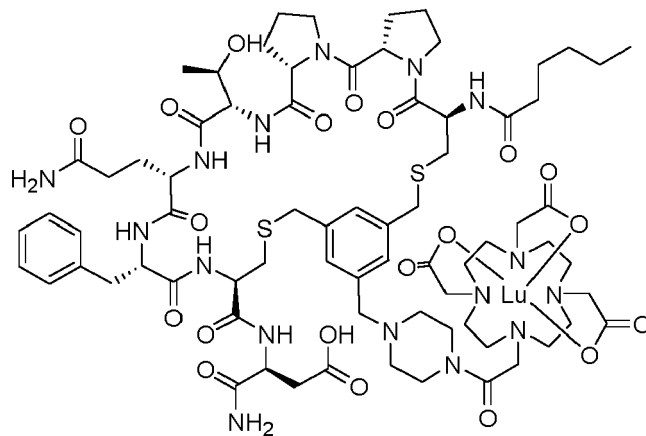
15. Radionuklid-Chelatkomplex, umfassend: die wie in einem der Ansprüche 1-7 definierte Verbindung oder ein pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon und ein Radionuklid, wobei das Radionuklid mit dem 1,4,7,10-Tetraazacyclododecan-1,4,7,10-tetraessigsäure (DOTA)-Chelator komplexiert ist.

16. Radionuklid-Chelatkomplex nach Anspruch 15, wobei das Radionuklid ein wie in einem der Ansprüche 9-13 definiertes therapeutisch aktives Radionuklid ist.

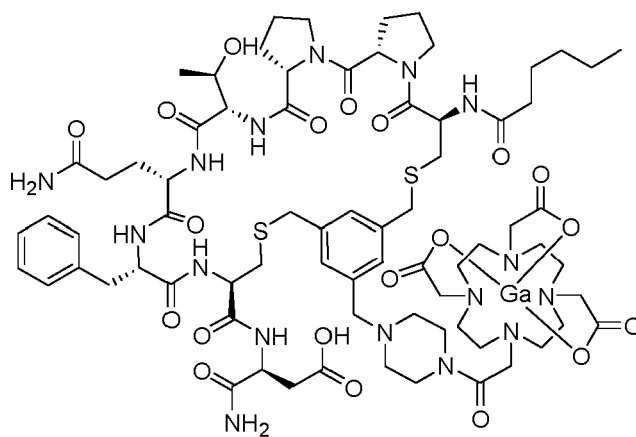
17. Radionuklid-Chelatkomplex nach Anspruch 16, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus:



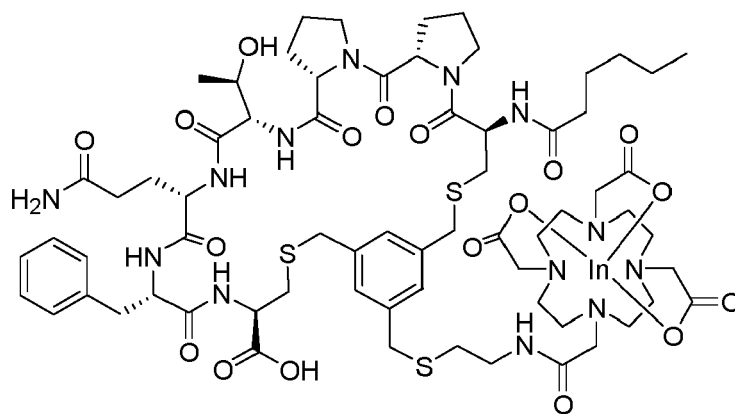
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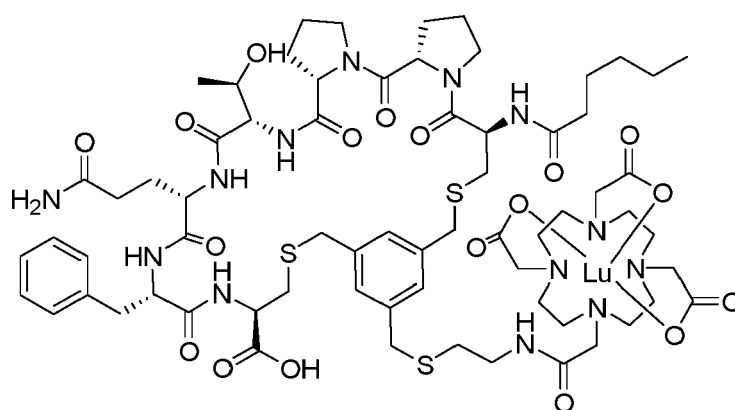
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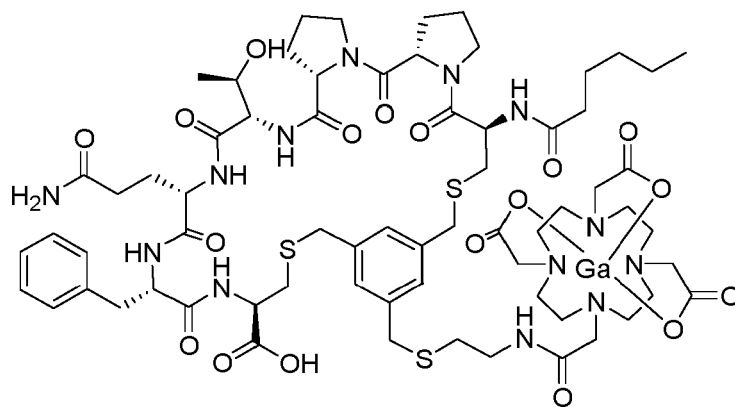
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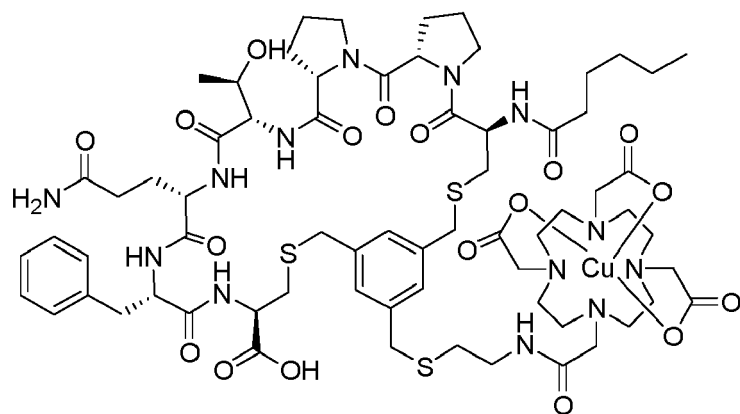
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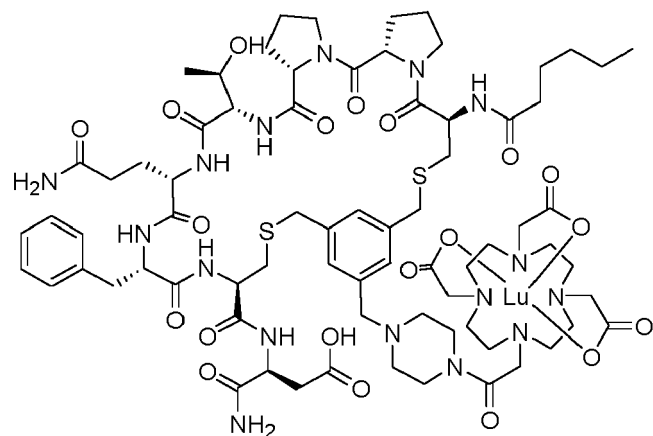
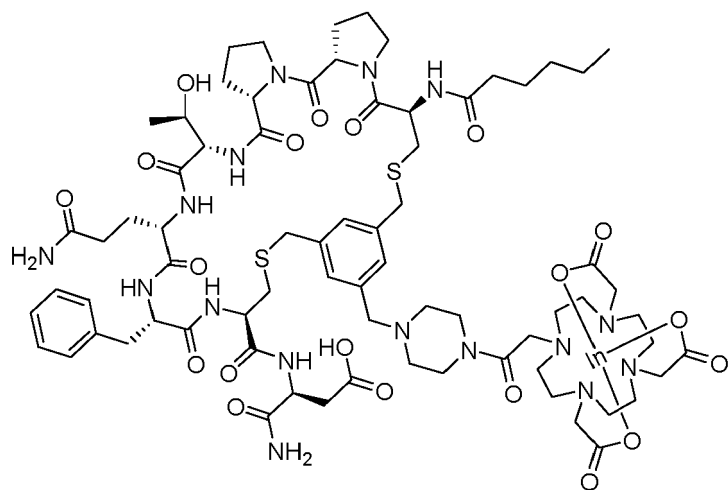


oder ein pharmazeutisch unbedenklichen Salz oder Solvat davon und



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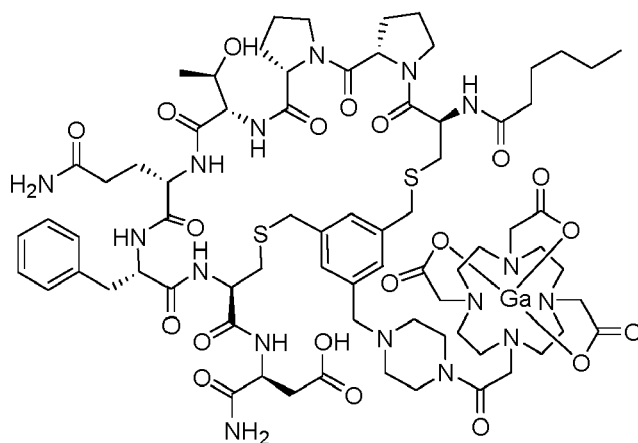
18. Radionuklid-Chelatkomplex nach Anspruch 17, ausgewählt aus der Gruppe bestehend aus:



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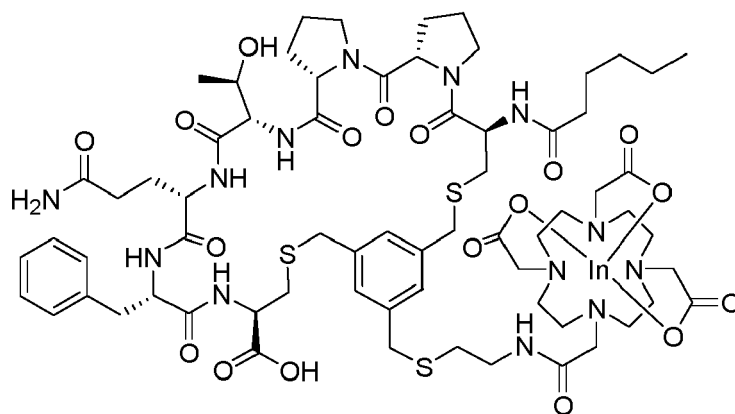
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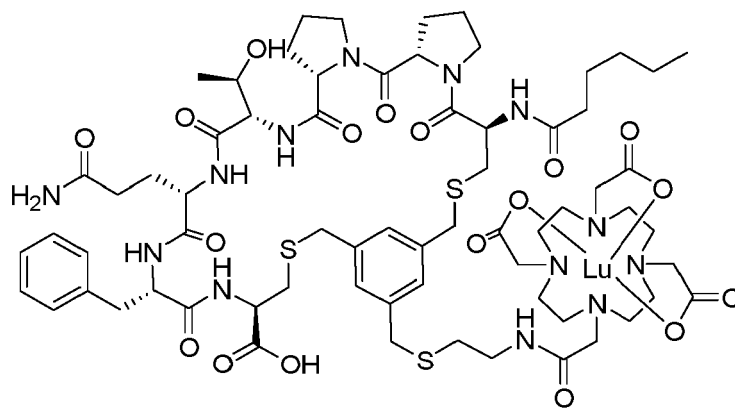
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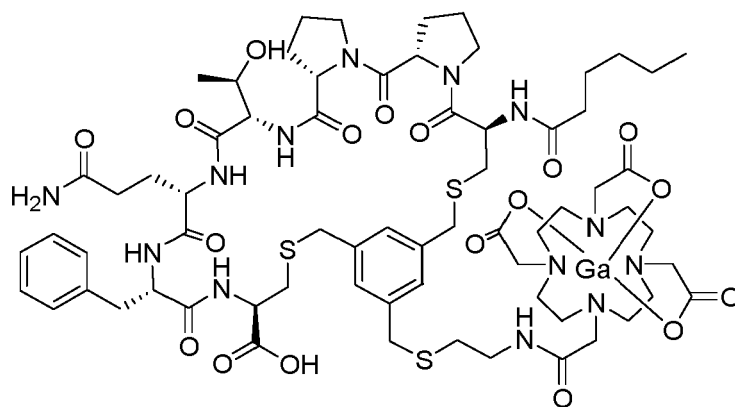
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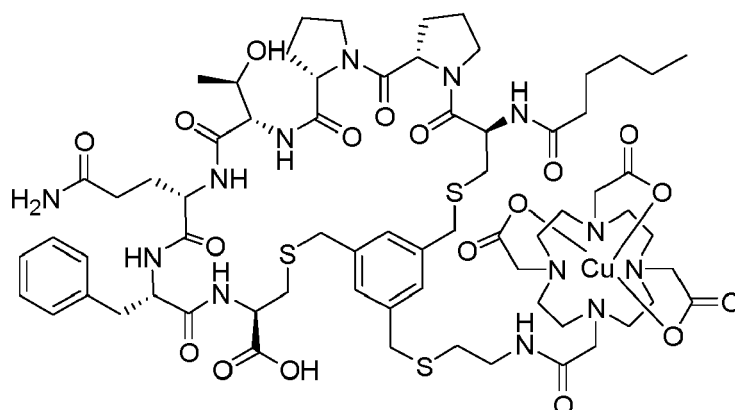


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19. Zusammensetzung, vorzugsweise pharmazeutische Zusammensetzung, wobei die Zusammensetzung Folgendes umfasst: die Verbindung oder ein pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon nach einem der Ansprüche 1-14 oder den Radionuklid-Chelatkomplex nach einem der Ansprüche 15-18 und einen pharmazeutisch unbedenklichen Exzipienten.

20. Verbindung oder pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon nach einem der Ansprüche 8-14 oder Radionuklid-Chelatkomplex nach einem der Ansprüche 15-18 zur Verwendung als Medikament.

21. Verbindung oder pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon nach einem der Ansprüche 8-14 oder Radionuklid-Chelatkomplex nach einem der Ansprüche 15-18 zur Verwendung bei der Behandlung einer Krankheit, wobei die Krankheit ein Neoplasma ist, vorzugsweise ein Krebs oder ein Tumor.

22. Verbindung oder pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon oder Radionuklid-Chelatkomplex zur Verwendung nach Anspruch 21, wobei die Krankheit (a) ein Neoplasma ist, vorzugsweise ein Krebs oder ein Tumor, und (b) Zellen umfasst, die eine hochregulierte Expression von des fibroblastenaktivierenden Proteins (FAP) zeigen, wobei die Krankheit vorzugsweise erkranktes Gewebe mit Zellen umfasst, die eine hochregulierte Expression von FAP zeigen, wobei die Krankheit besonders bevorzugt tumorassoziierte Fibroblasten umfasst.

23. Verbindung oder pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon oder Radionuklid-Chelatkomplex zur Verwendung nach Anspruch 21 oder 22, wobei die Krankheit aus einem festen Tumor, einem Epitheltumor, Blasenkrebs, Brustkrebs, Gebärmutterhalskrebs, Kolorektalkarzinom, Cholangiokarzinom, Endometriumkarzinom, Speiseröhrenkrebs, Magenkrebs, gastrointestinale Stromatumoren, Kopf-und-Hals-Krebs, Leberkrebs, Lungenkrebs, Melanom, Mesotheliom, neuroendokrinen Tumoren und Karzinomen, Ovarialkarzinom, Pankreaskarzinom, Prostatakarzinom, Nierenzellkarzinom, Speicheldrüsenkarzinom, Sarkom, Plattenepithelkarzinom oder Schilddrüsenkrebs ausgewählt ist.

24. Verbindung oder pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon oder Radionuklid-Chelatkomplex zur

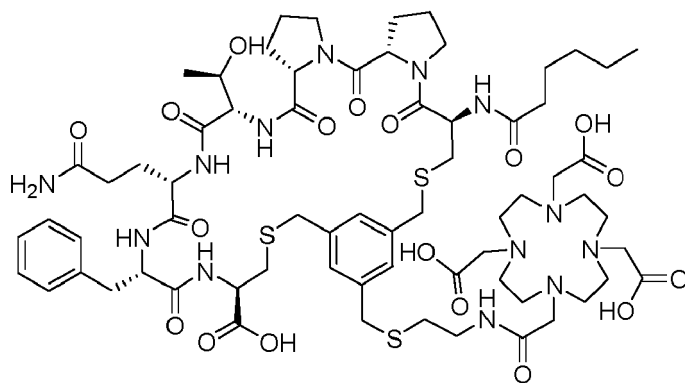
Verwendung nach Anspruch 21 oder 22, wobei die Krankheit aus Brustkrebs, Darmkrebs, Cholangiokarzinom, Kopf- und Hals-Krebs, Lungenkrebs, Mesotheliom, neuroendokrinen Tumoren und Karzinomen, Ovarialkarzinom, Bauchspeicheldrüsenkrebs, Prostatakarzinom, Sarkom und Plattenepithelkarzinom ausgewählt ist.

25. Kit, umfassend eine Verbindung oder ein pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon nach einem der Ansprüche 1-14 oder einen Radionuklid-Chelatkomplex nach einem der Ansprüche 15-18, einen oder mehrere fakultative Exzipienten und gegebenenfalls eine oder mehrere Vorrichtungen, wobei die Vorrichtung(en) eine Kennzeichnungsvorrichtung, eine Reinigungsvorrichtung, eine Handhabungsvorrichtung, eine Strahlenschutzvorrichtung, eine Analysevorrichtung oder eine Verwaltungsvorrichtung ist/sind.

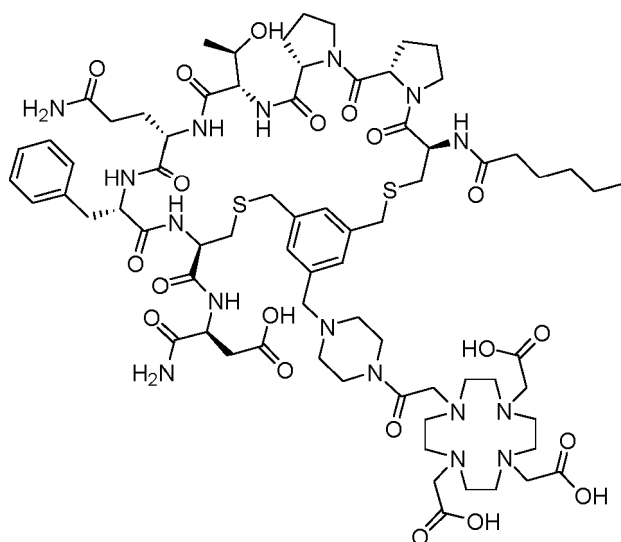
26. Kombination, umfassend: (i) eine Verbindung oder ein pharmazeutisch unbedenkliches Salz oder Solvat davon nach einem der Ansprüche 1-14 oder einen Radionuklid-Chelatkomplex nach einem der Ansprüche 15-18 und (ii) ein Mittel gegen Krebs.

Revendications

1. Composé choisi dans le groupe constitué par :

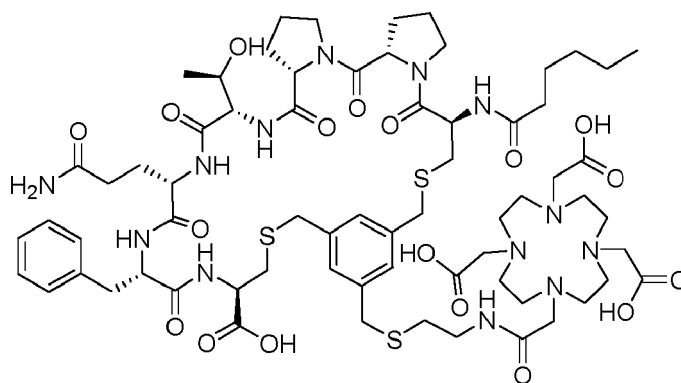


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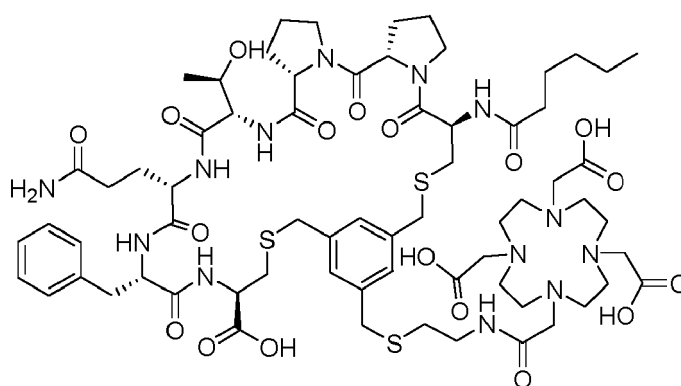
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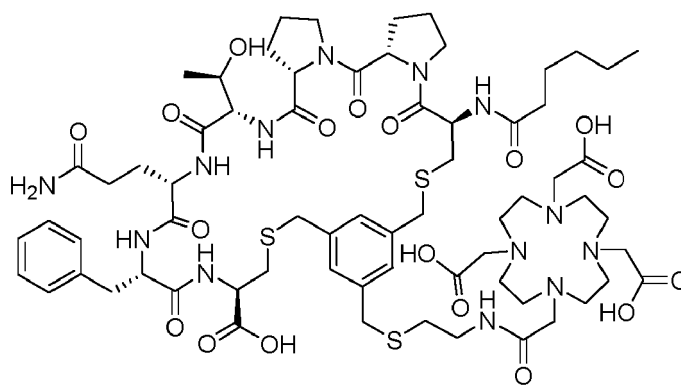
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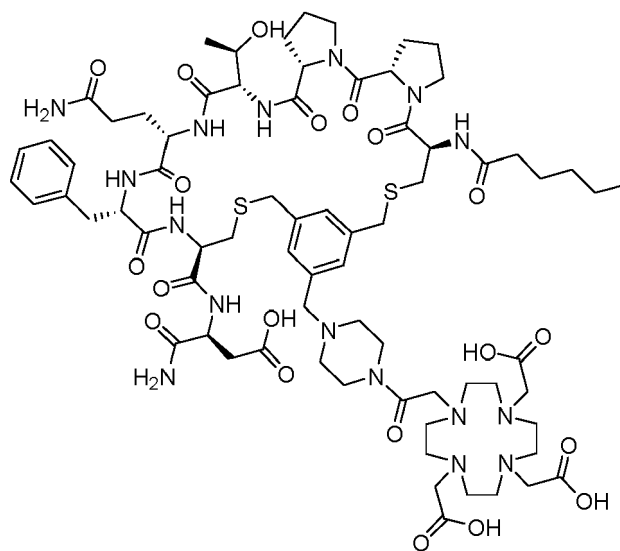


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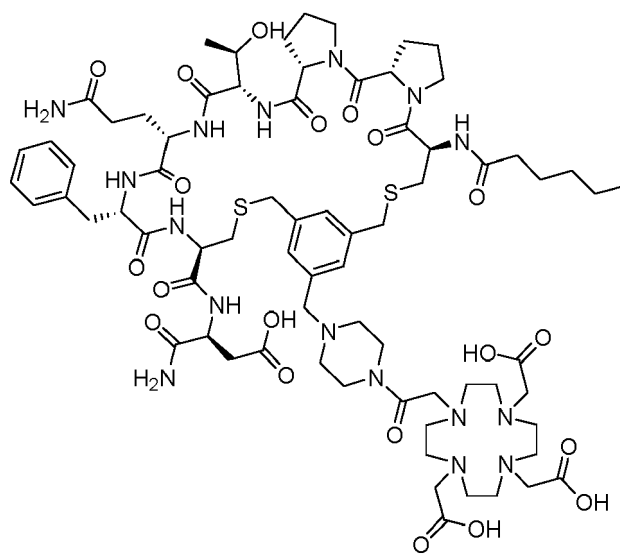


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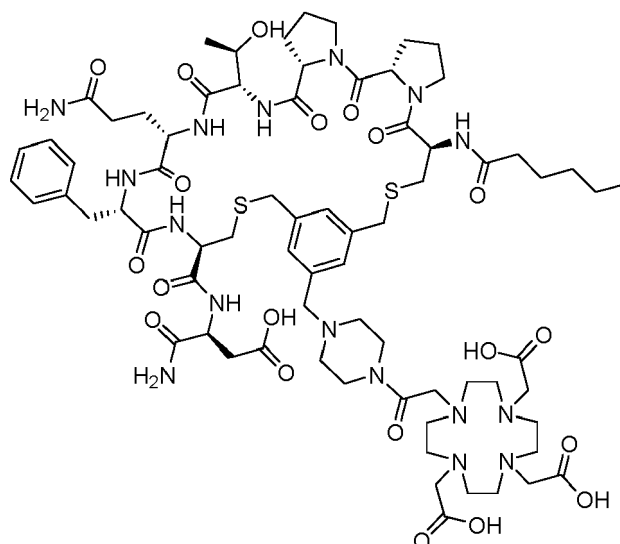
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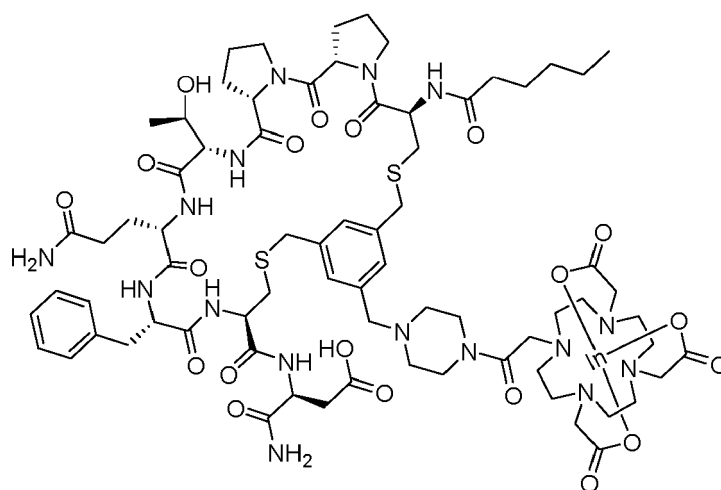


ou sel pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci.

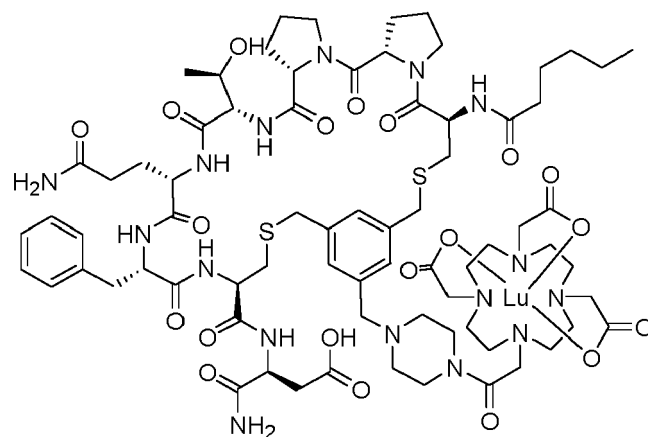
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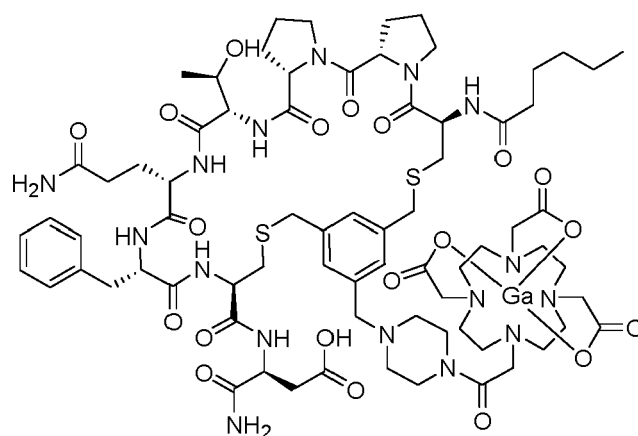
8. Composé ou sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci selon l'une quelconque des revendications 1 à 7, dans lequel le composé comprend un nucléide thérapeutiquement actif.
9. Composé ou sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci selon la revendication 8, dans lequel le nucléide thérapeutiquement actif est un radionucléide thérapeutiquement actif.
10. Composé ou sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci selon la revendication 9, dans lequel le radionucléide thérapeutiquement actif est un isotope émetteur de particules pour une utilisation thérapeutique et a une énergie de désintégration comprise entre 0,039 et 10 MeV, de préférence entre 0,4 et 6,5 MeV.
11. Composé ou sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci selon la revendication 9 ou la revendication 10, dans lequel le radionucléide thérapeutiquement actif est choisi dans le groupe constitué par ^{47}Sc , ^{67}Cu , ^{89}Sr , ^{90}Y , ^{153}Sm , ^{149}Tb , ^{161}Tb , ^{177}Lu , ^{186}Re , ^{188}Re , ^{212}Pb , ^{213}Bi , ^{223}Ra , ^{225}Ac , ^{226}Th , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I , et ^{211}At préférablement ^{47}Sc , ^{67}Cu , ^{90}Y , ^{177}Lu , ^{188}Re , ^{212}Pb , ^{213}Bi , ^{225}Ac , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I , et ^{211}At et plus préférablement ^{90}Y , ^{177}Lu , ^{225}Ac , ^{227}Th , ^{131}I , et ^{211}At .
12. Composé ou sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci selon l'une quelconque des revendications 9 à 11, dans lequel le radionucléide thérapeutiquement actif est un radiométal thérapeutiquement actif.
13. Composé ou sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci selon la revendication 9, dans lequel le radionucléide thérapeutiquement actif est ^{177}Lu .
14. Composé ou sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci selon l'une quelconque des revendications 8 à 13, dans lequel le nucléide thérapeutiquement actif est complexé au chélateur acide 1,4,7,10-tétraazacyclodécane-1,4,7,10-tétraacétique (DOTA).
15. Complexe de chélate de radionucléide comprenant : le composé ou un sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci tel que défini dans l'une quelconque des revendications 1 à 7 ; et un radionucléide, dans lequel le radionucléide est complexé au chélateur acide 1,4,7,10-tétraazacyclodécane-1,4,7,10-tétraacétique (DOTA).
16. Complexe de chélate de radionucléide selon la revendication 15, dans lequel le radionucléide est un radionucléide thérapeutiquement actif tel que défini dans l'une quelconque des revendications 9 à 13.
17. Complexe de chélate de radionucléide selon la revendication 16, choisi dans le groupe constitué par :



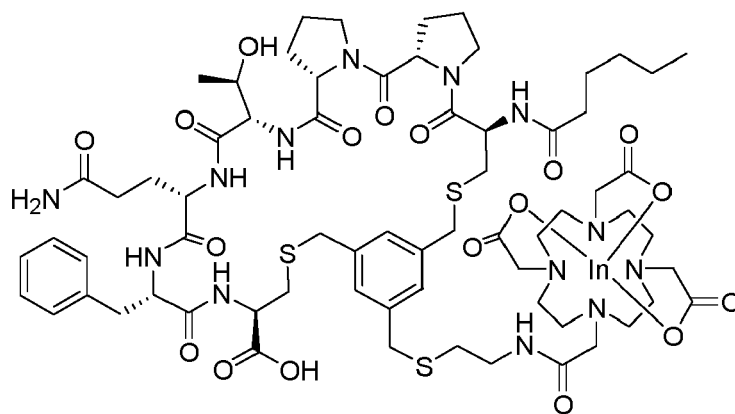
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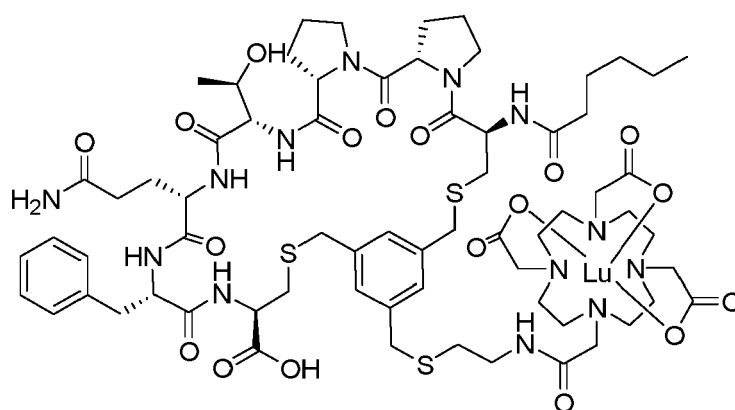
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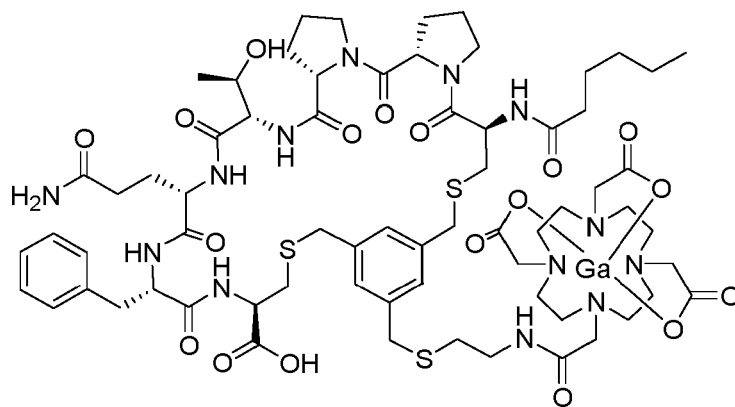
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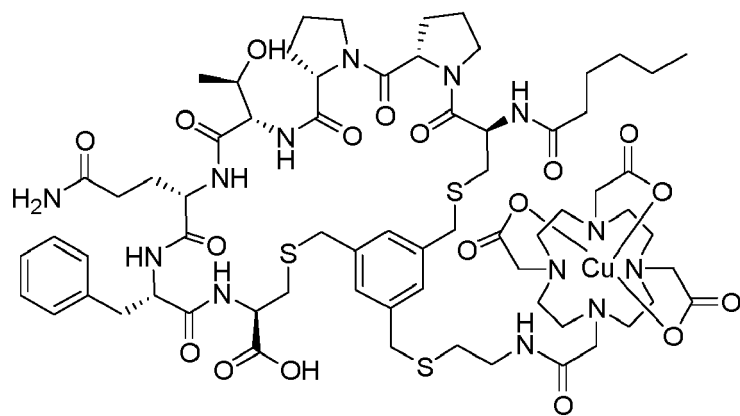
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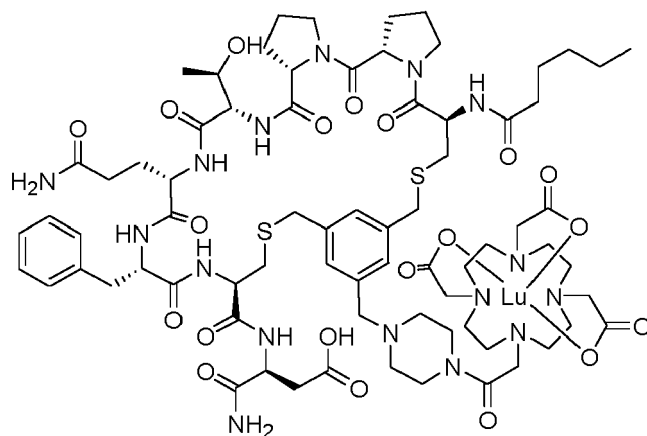
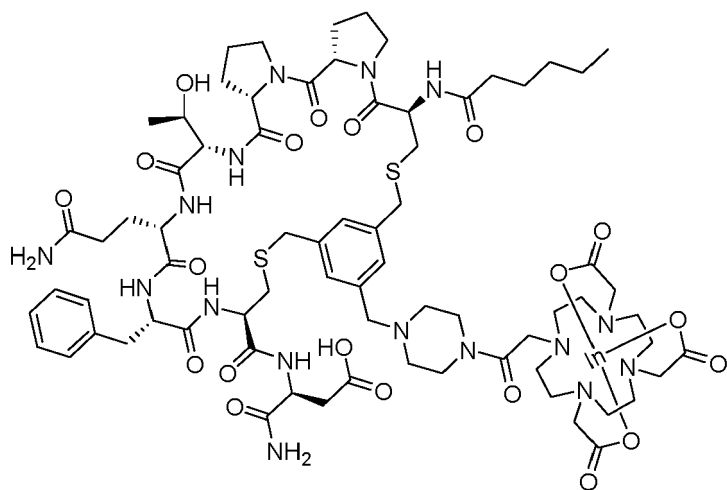


ou un sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci, et



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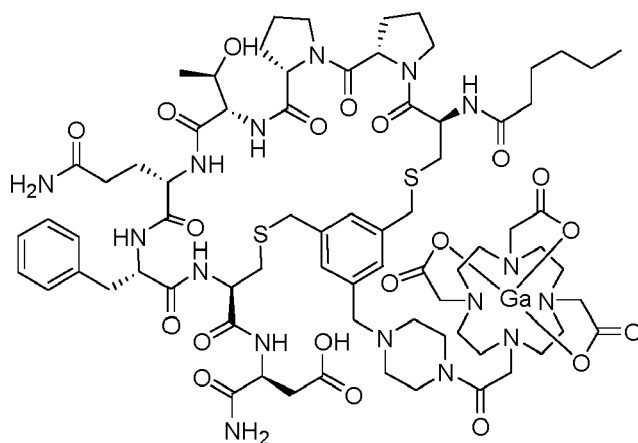
18. Complexe de chélate de radionucléide selon la revendication 17, choisi dans le groupe constitué par :



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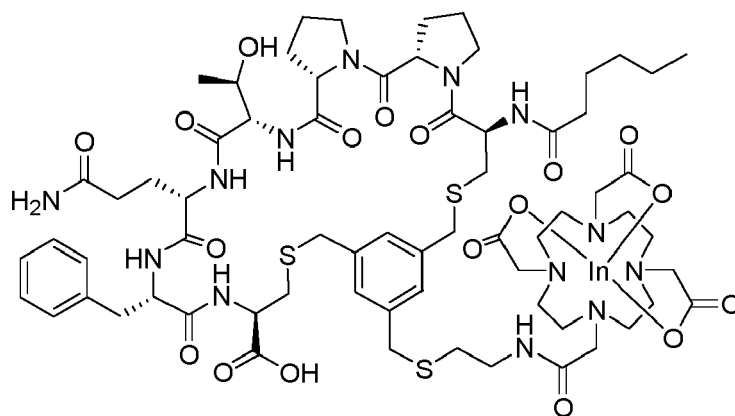
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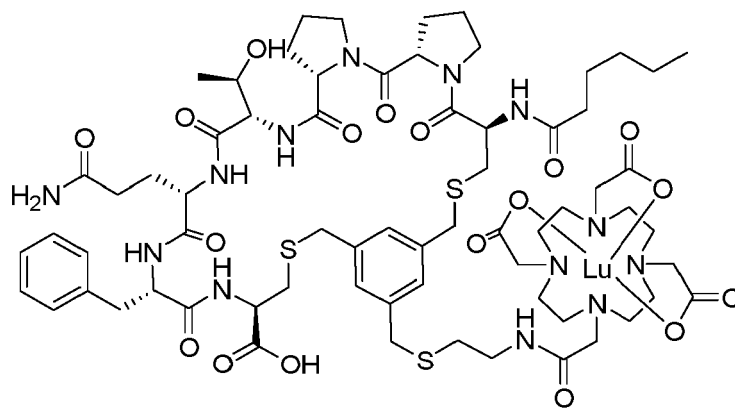
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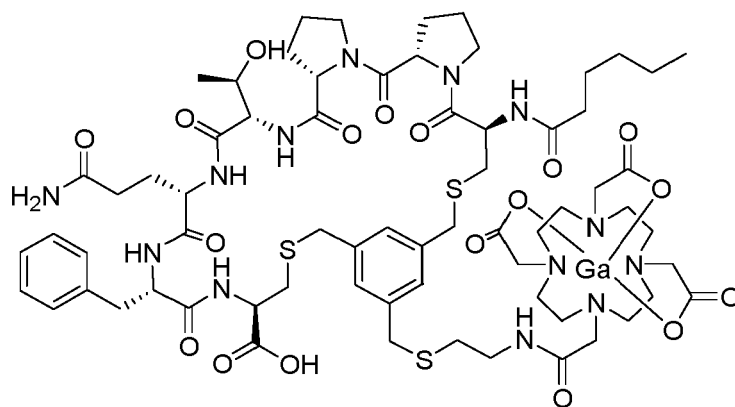
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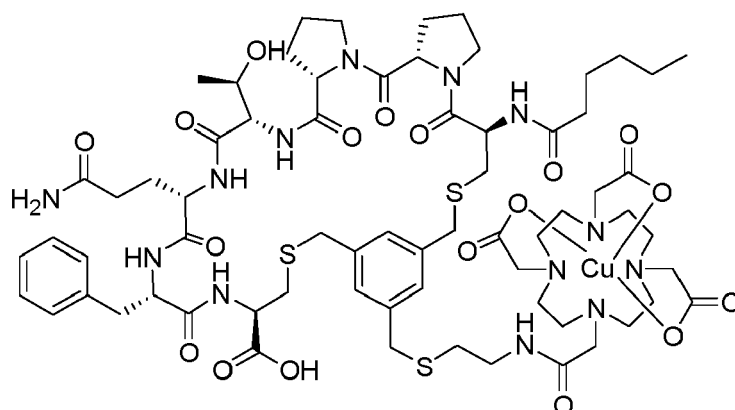


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19. Composition, de préférence composition pharmaceutique, dans laquelle la composition comprend : le composé ou un sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci selon l'une quelconque des revendications 1 à 14 ou le complexe de chélate de radionucléide selon l'une quelconque des revendications 15 à 18 ; et un excipient pharmaceutiquement acceptable.
20. Composé ou sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci selon l'une quelconque des revendications 8 à 14, ou complexe de chélate de radionucléide selon l'une quelconque des revendications 15 à 18, destiné à être utilisé comme médicament.
21. Composé ou sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci selon l'une quelconque des revendications 8 à 14, ou complexe de chélate de radionucléide selon l'une quelconque des revendications 15 à 18, destiné à être utilisé dans le traitement d'une maladie, dans lequel la maladie est un néoplasme, de préférence un cancer ou une tumeur.
22. Composé ou sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci ou complexe de chélate de radionucléide destiné à être utilisé selon la revendication 21, dans lequel la maladie (a) est un néoplasme, de préférence un cancer ou une tumeur, et (b) implique des cellules présentant une expression régulée à la hausse de la protéine d'activation des fibroblastes (FAP), de préférence dans lequel la maladie implique un tissu malade contenant des cellules présentant une expression régulée à la hausse de FAP, plus préférablement dans lequel la maladie implique des fibroblastes associés à une tumeur.
23. Composé ou sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci ou complexe de chélate de radionucléide destiné à être utilisé selon la revendication 21 ou 22, dans lequel la maladie est choisie parmi une tumeur solide, une tumeur épithéliale, un cancer de la vessie, un cancer du sein, un cancer du col de l'utérus, un cancer colorectal, un cholangiocarcinome, un cancer de l'endomètre, un cancer de l'œsophage, un cancer gastrique, des tumeurs stromales gastro-intestinales, un cancer de la tête et du cou, un cancer du foie, un cancer du poumon, un mélanome, un mésothéliome, des tumeurs et carcinomes neuroendocrines, un cancer de l'ovaire, un cancer du pancréas, un

cancer de la prostate, un carcinome à cellules rénales, un carcinome salivaire, un sarcome, un carcinome à cellules squameuses ou un cancer de la thyroïde.

24. Composé ou sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci ou complexe de chélate de radionucléide destiné à être utilisé selon la revendication 21 ou 22, dans lequel la maladie est choisie parmi le cancer du sein, le cancer colorectal, le cholangiocarcinome, le cancer de la tête et du cou, le cancer du poumon, le mésothéliome, les tumeurs et carcinomes neuroendocrines, le cancer de l'ovaire, le cancer du pancréas, le cancer de la prostate, le sarcome, et le carcinome à cellules squameuses.

25. Kit comprenant un composé ou un sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci selon l'une quelconque des revendications 1 à 14, ou un complexe de chélate de radionucléide selon l'une quelconque des revendications 15 à 18, un ou plusieurs excipients éventuels et éventuellement un ou plusieurs dispositifs, le ou les dispositifs étant un dispositif de marquage, un dispositif de purification, un dispositif de manipulation, un dispositif de radioprotection, un dispositif analytique ou un dispositif d'administration.

26. Combinaison comprenant : (i) un composé ou un sel ou solvate pharmaceutiquement acceptable de celui-ci selon l'une quelconque des revendications 1 à 14, ou un complexe de chélate de radionucléide selon l'une quelconque des revendications 15 à 18 ; et (ii) un composé anticancéreux.

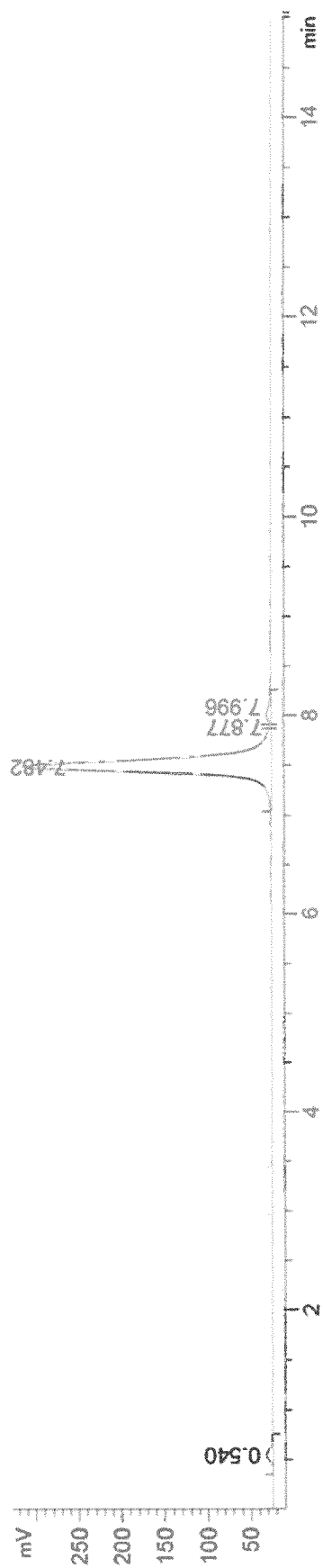


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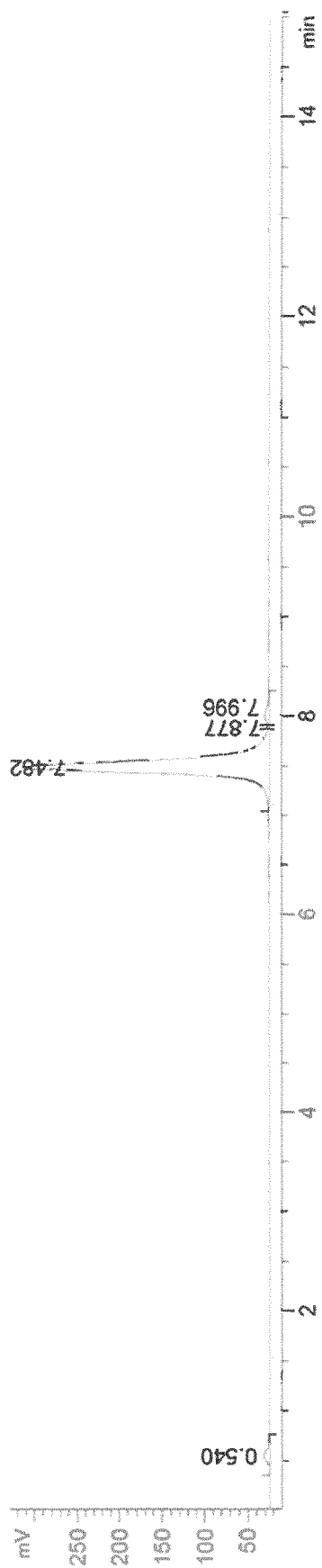


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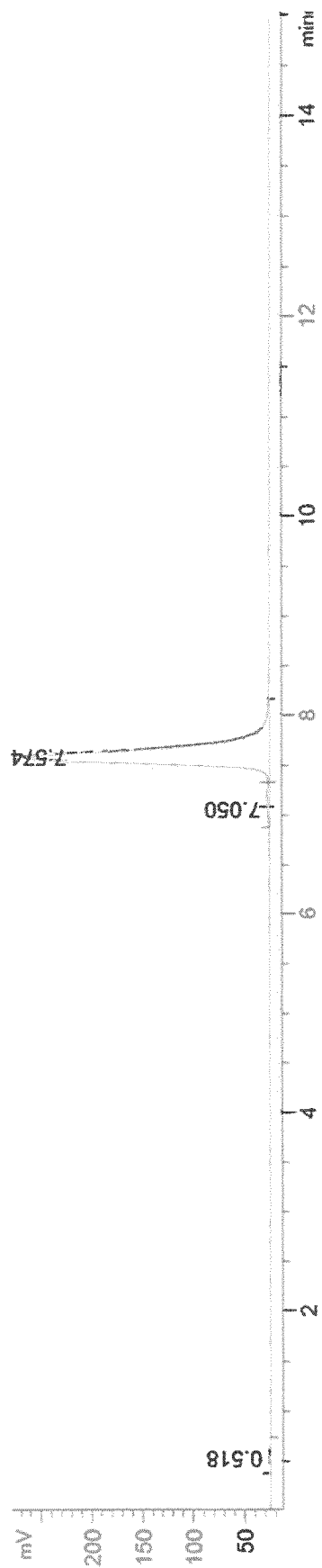


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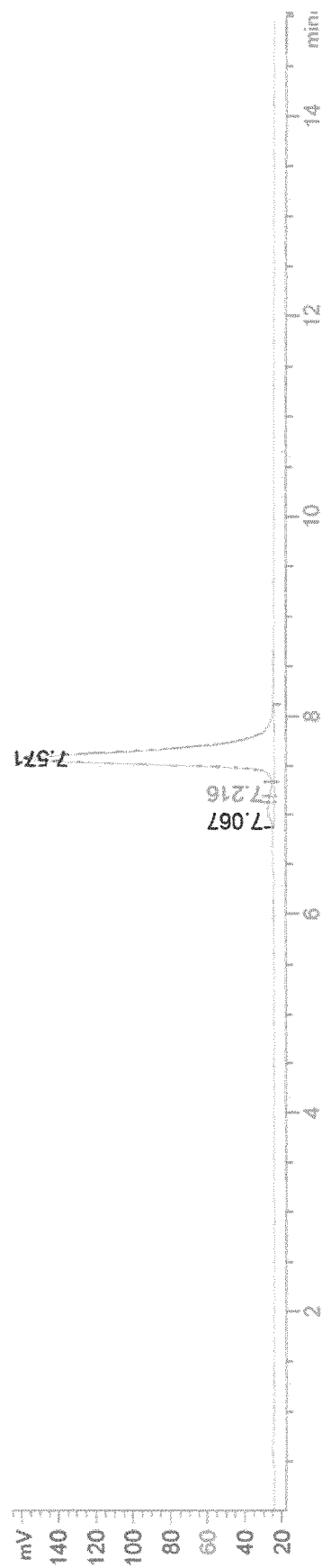


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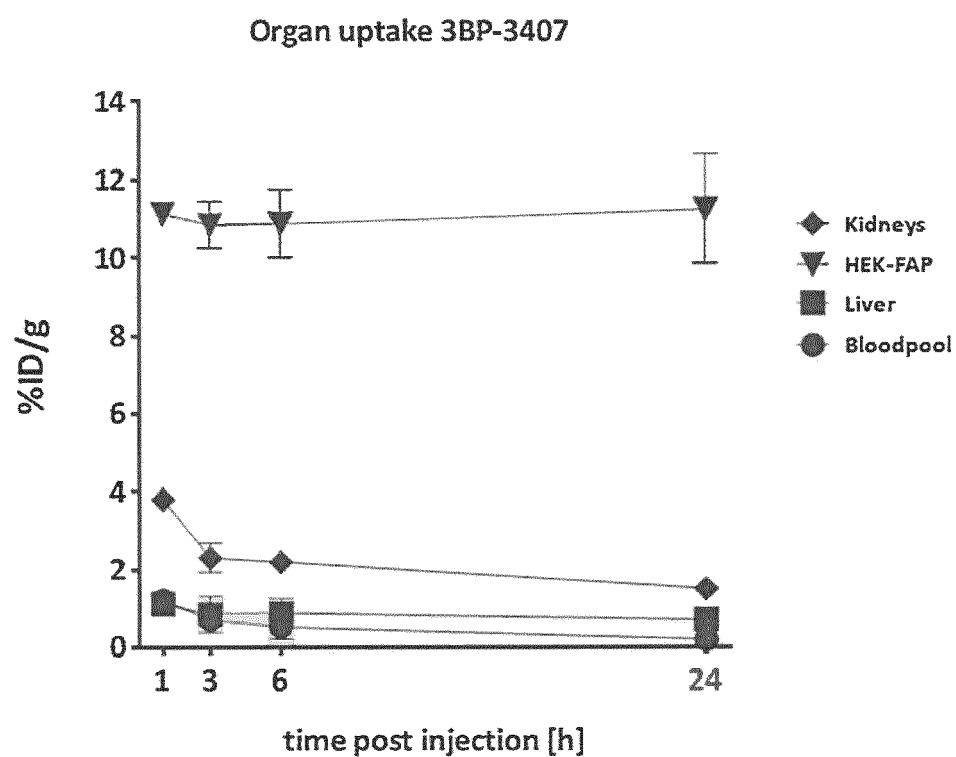


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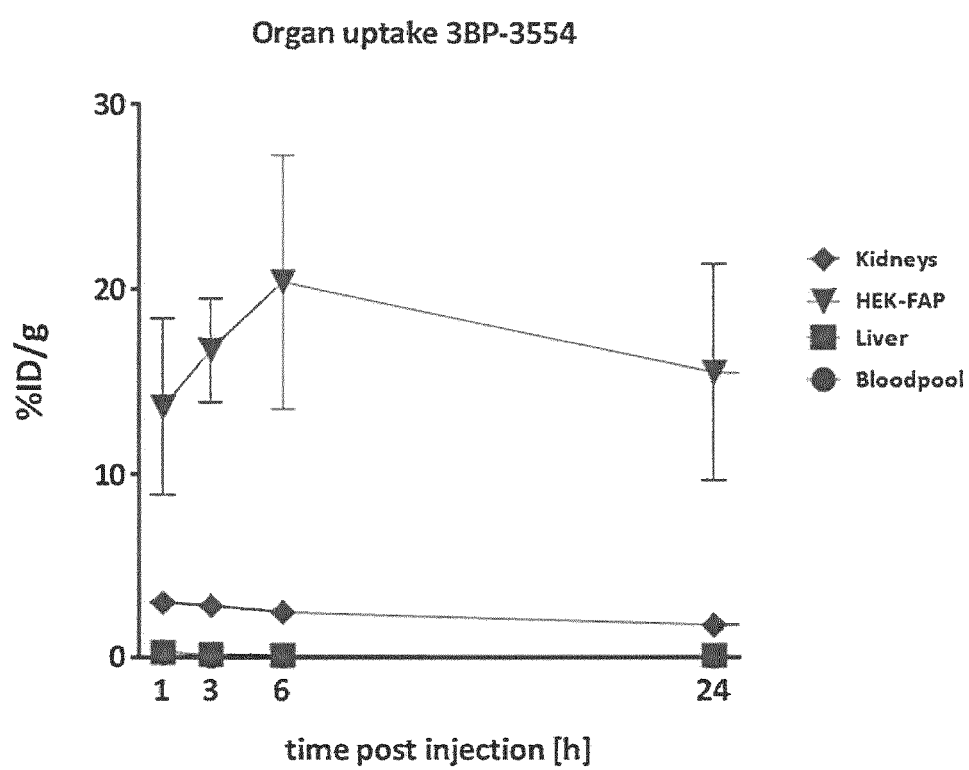


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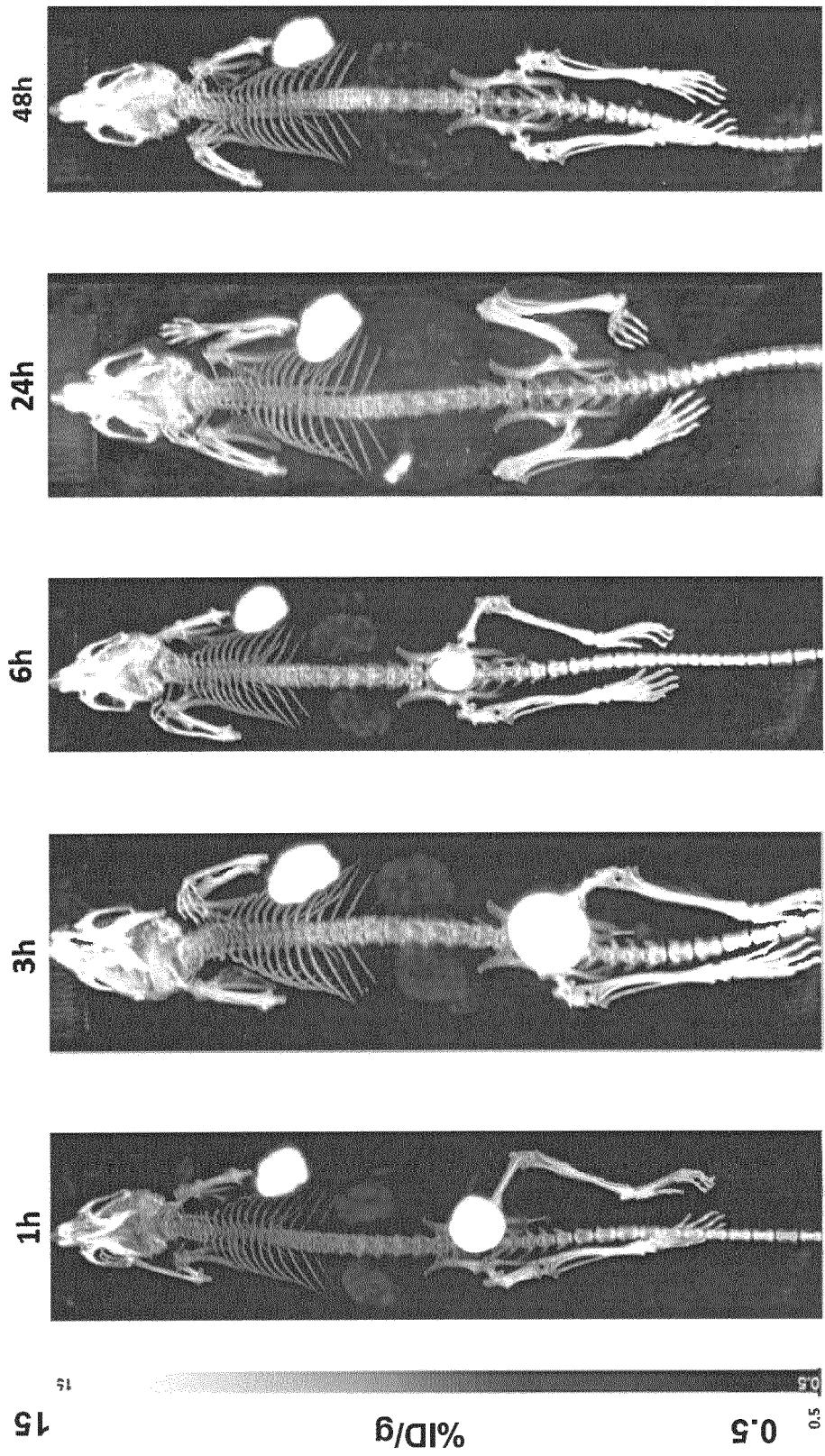


Fig. 7

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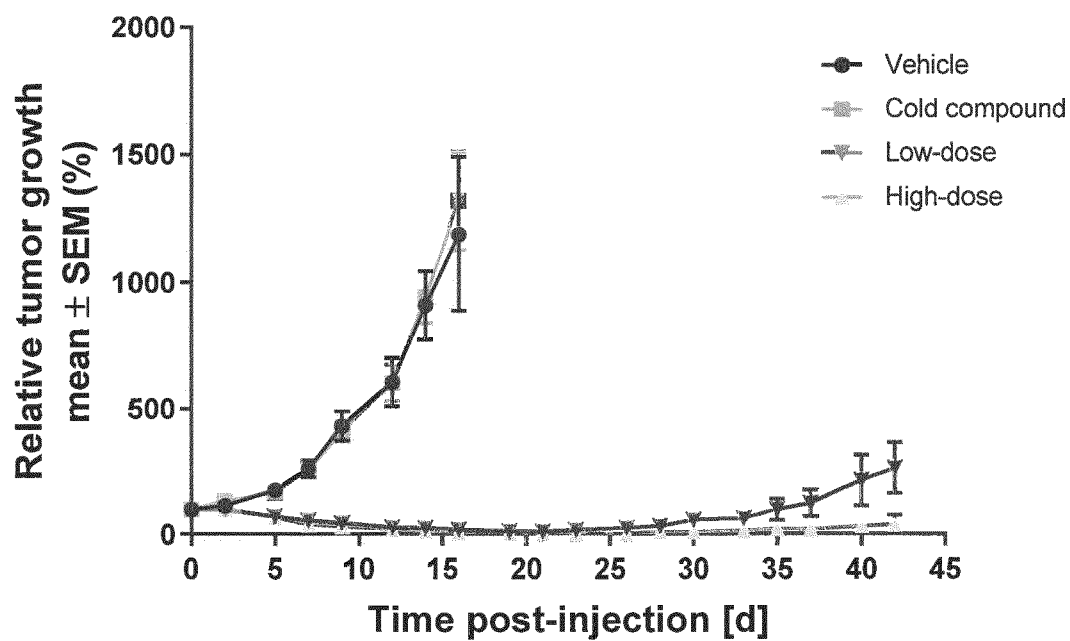
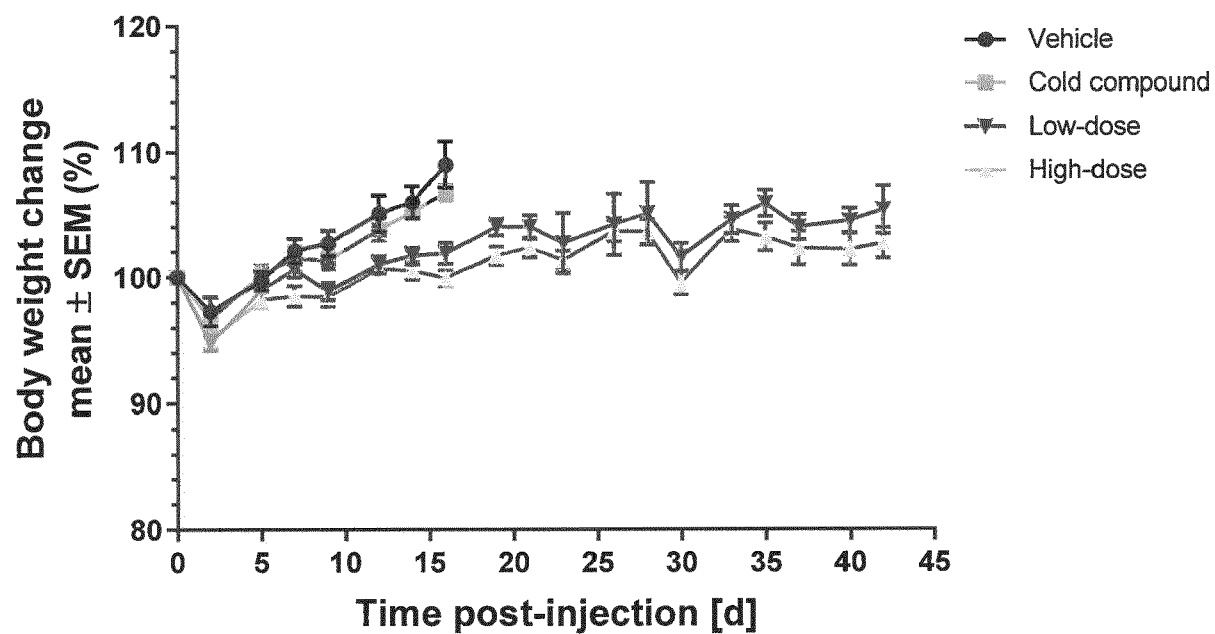
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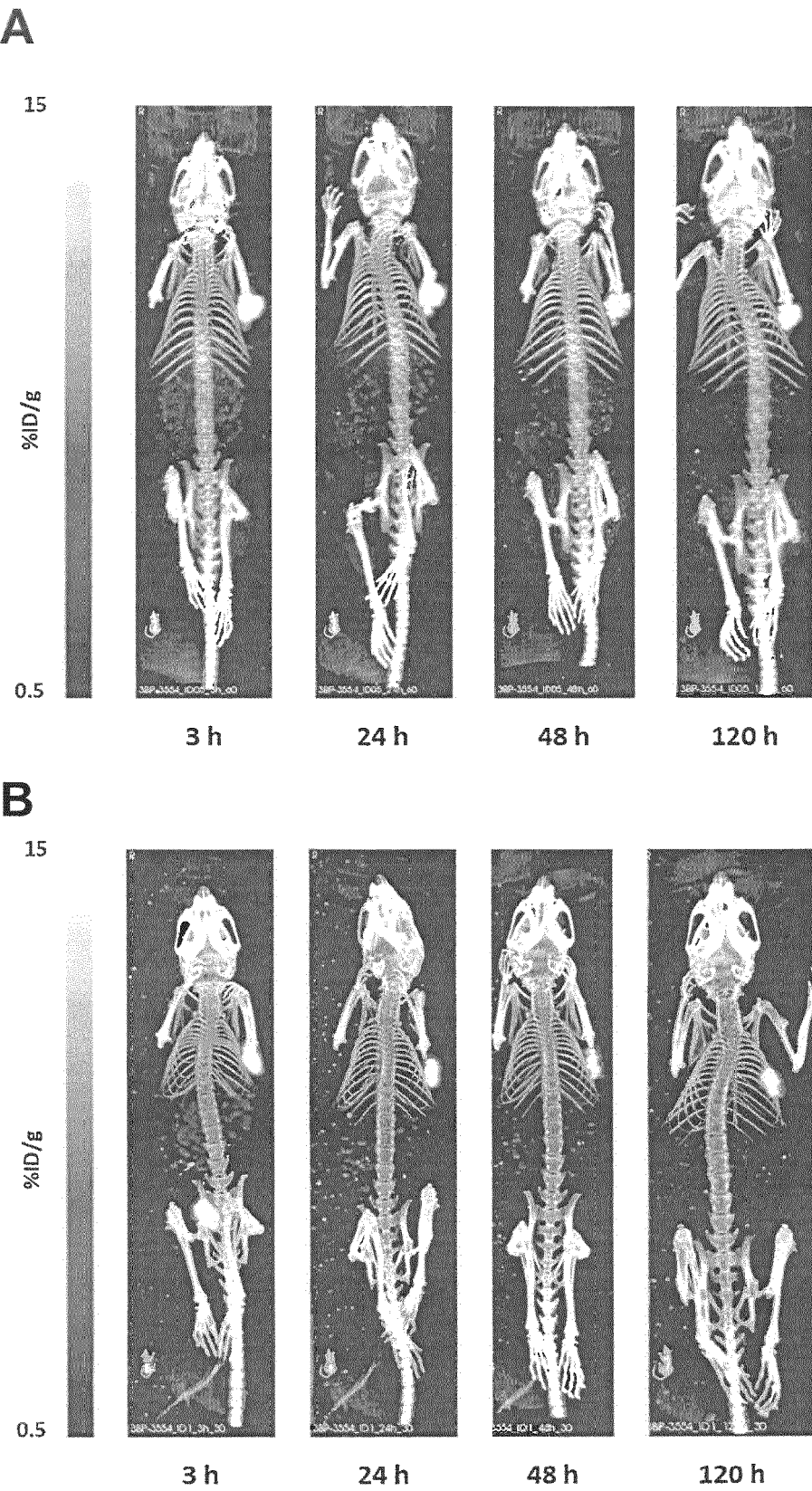


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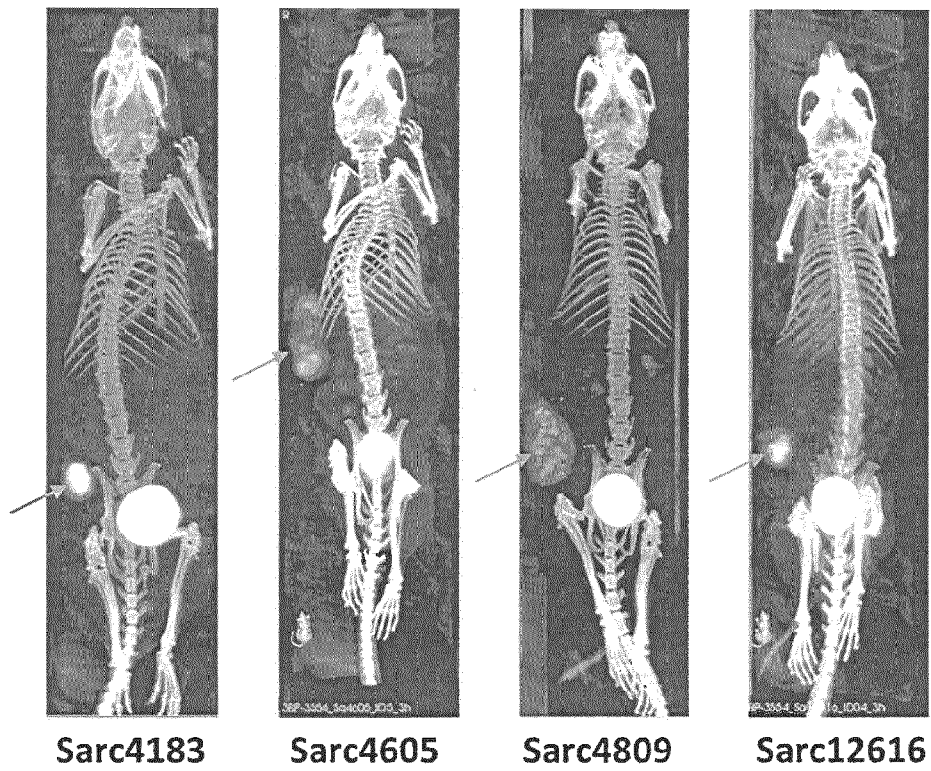
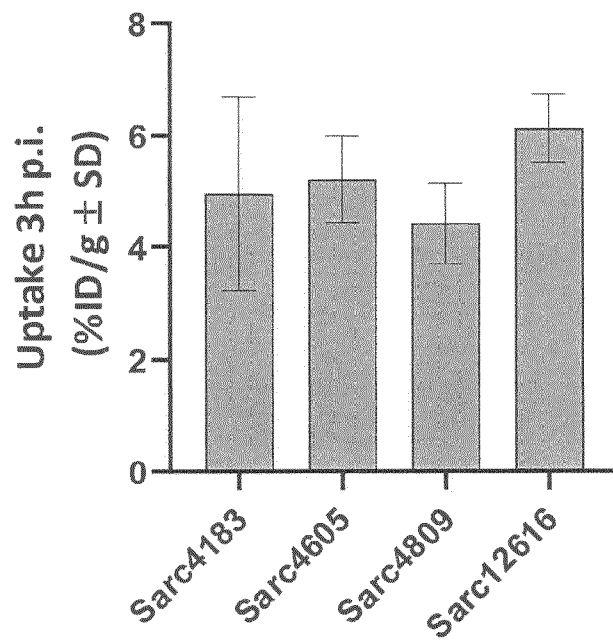
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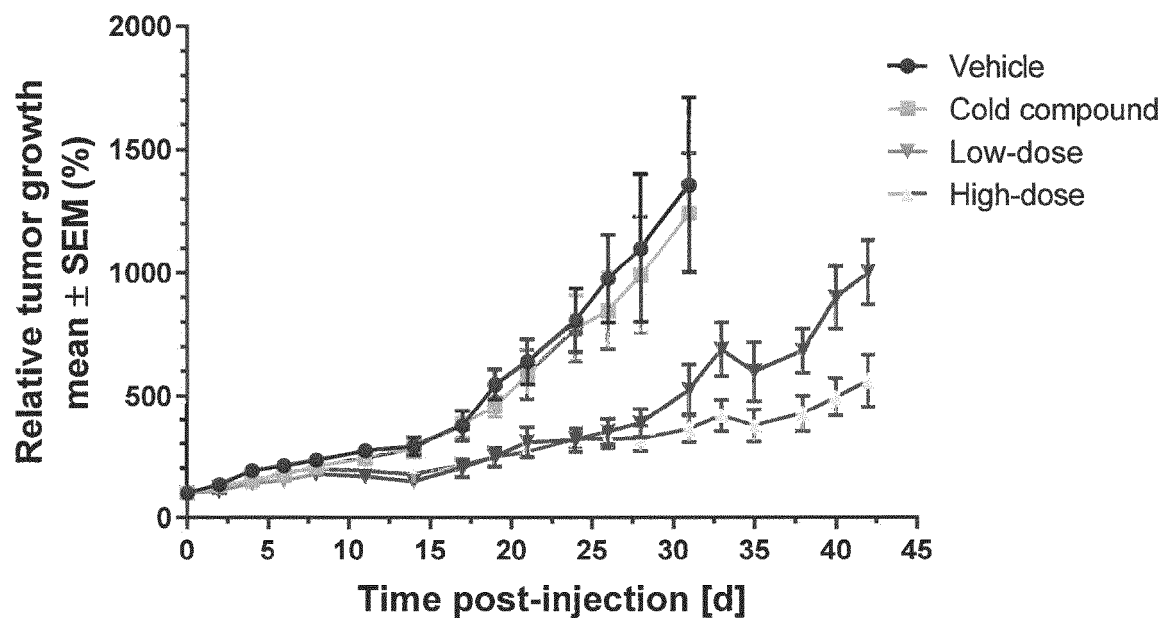
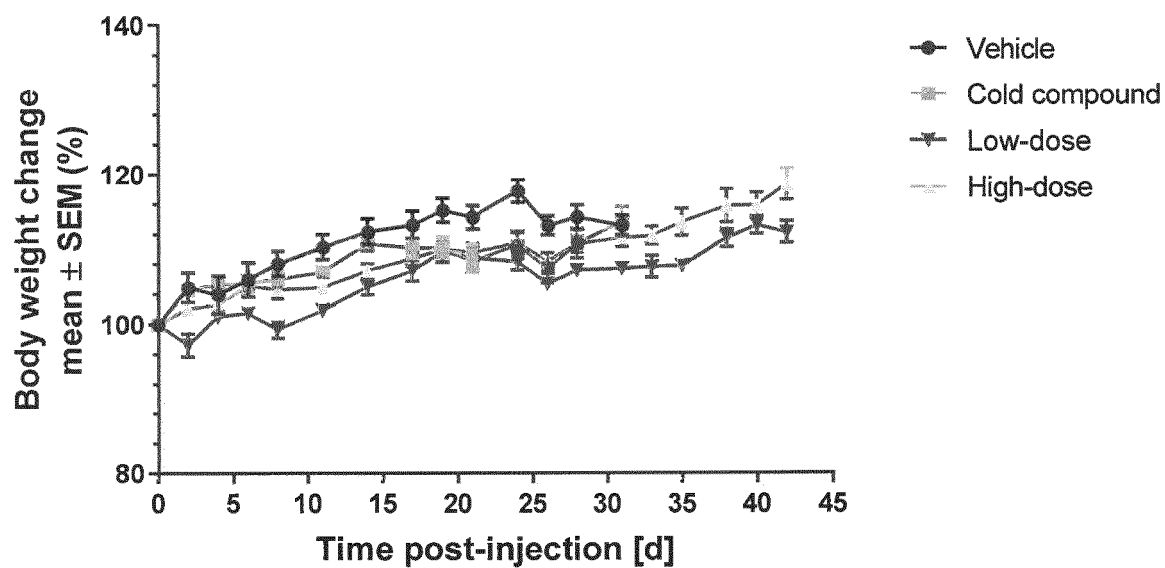
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Fig. 12

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