

Electronic Supplementary Information

Rational design of small modified peptides as ACE inhibitors

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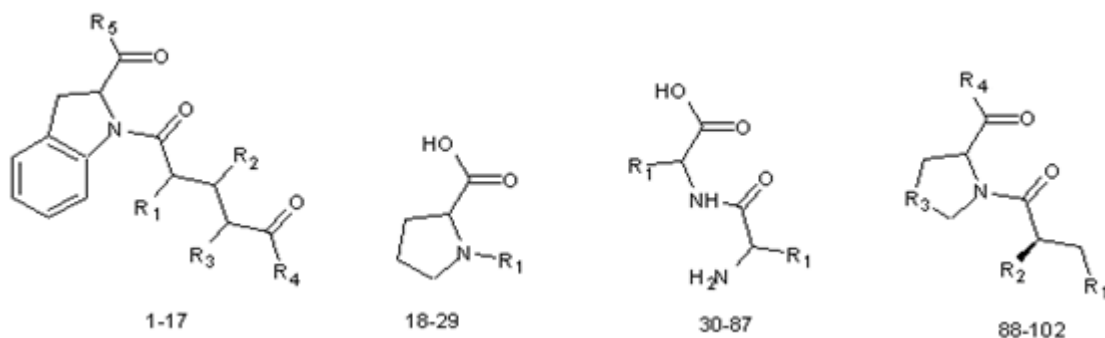
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Table S1. Series of compounds used in the QSAR analyses.



Cpd	R ₁	R ₂	R ₃	R ₄	R ₅	pIC ₅₀ exp.
1 ^a	H	H	H	OH	OH	6.585
2	Me	H	H	OH	OH	7.193
3	Me	H	H	OMe	OH	5.161
4	Me	H	H	NH ₂	OH	4.795
5	(R)-Me	H	H	OH	OH	7.356
6 ^a	(R)-Me	H	H	OEt	OH	4.958
7	<i>i</i> -Pr	H	H	OH	OH	7.301
8	H	Me	H	OH	OH	4.431
9	H	Me ₂	H	OH	OH	3.537
10	H	H	Me	OH	OH	6.036
11 ^a	H	H	Me	OH	OEt	3.769
12	Me	H	Me	OH	OEt	5.055
13	Me	H	Me	OH	OH	6.721
14	Me	H	Me	OH	OH	7.267
15 ^b	(R)-Me	H	(R)-Me	OH	OH	7.552
16 ^a	(R)-Me	H	(R)-Me	OEt	OH	5.259
17	(R)-Me	H	(R)-Me	OH	OEt	4.552
18	$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \downarrow \\ \text{HOOCCH}_2\text{CHCO} \end{array}$	-	-	-	-	4.657
19	$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{HOOCCHCH}_2\text{CO} \end{array}$	-	-	-	-	3.214
20	$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{HOOCCH}_2\text{CHCO} \end{array}$	-	-	-	-	2.829
21 ^a	$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \downarrow \\ \text{HOOCCHCH}_2\text{CO} \end{array}$	-	-	-	-	2.585
22	$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \downarrow \\ \text{HOOCCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CHCO} \end{array}$	-	-	-	-	5.309
23	$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{HOOCCH}_2\text{CHCH}_2\text{CO} \end{array}$	-	-	-	-	2.92

24	$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{HOOCCHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CO} \end{array}$	-	-	-	-	3.585
25	$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{HOOCCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CHCO} \end{array}$	-	-	-	-	3.022
26 ^a	$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{HSCHCO} \end{array}$	-	-	-	-	5.958
27 ^b	$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{HSCH}_2\text{CHCO} \end{array}$	-	-	-	-	7.638
28	$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{HSCHCH}_2\text{CO} \end{array}$	-	-	-	-	5.958
29	$\begin{array}{c} \text{CH}_3 \\ \\ \text{HSCH}_2\text{CHCO} \end{array}$	-	-	-	-	5.619
30	YG	-	-	-	-	2.7
31 ^a	YA	-	-	-	-	3.34
32	WG	-	-	-	-	2.23
33	VY	-	-	-	-	4.66
34 ^b	VW	-	-	-	-	5.8
35	VP	-	-	-	-	3.38
36 ^a	VG	-	-	-	-	2.96
37	VF	-	-	-	-	4.28
38	TG	-	-	-	-	2
39	SG	-	-	-	-	2.07
40	RW	-	-	-	-	4.8
41 ^a	RP	-	-	-	-	3.74
42	RF	-	-	-	-	3.64
43	RA	-	-	-	-	3.34
44	QG	-	-	-	-	2.13
45	PG	-	-	-	-	1.77
46 ^a	MG	-	-	-	-	2.32
47	LG	-	-	-	-	2.06
48	LA	-	-	-	-	3.51
49	KG	-	-	-	-	2.49
50	KA	-	-	-	-	3.42
51 ^a	IY	-	-	-	-	5.43
52	IW	-	-	-	-	5.7
53	IP	-	-	-	-	3.89
54	IG	-	-	-	-	2.92
55	IF	-	-	-	-	3.03
56 ^a	HL	-	-	-	-	2.49
57	HG	-	-	-	-	2.2
58	GY	-	-	-	-	3.68
59	GW	-	-	-	-	4.52
60	GV	-	-	-	-	2.34
61 ^a	GT	-	-	-	-	2.24

62	GS	-	-	-	-	2.42
63	GR	-	-	-	-	2.49
64	GQ	-	-	-	-	2.15
65	GP	-	-	-	-	3.35
66 ^a	GM	-	-	-	-	2.85
67	GL	-	-	-	-	2.6
68	GK	-	-	-	-	2.27
69	GI	-	-	-	-	2.92
70	GH	-	-	-	-	2.51
71 ^a	GG	-	-	-	-	2.14
72	GF	-	-	-	-	3.2
73	GE	-	-	-	-	2.27
74	GD	-	-	-	-	2.04
75	GA	-	-	-	-	2.7
76 ^a	FR	-	-	-	-	3.04
77	FG	-	-	-	-	2.43
78	EG	-	-	-	-	2
79	EA	-	-	-	-	2
80	DG	-	-	-	-	1.85
81 ^a	DA	-	-	-	-	2.42
82	AY	-	-	-	-	4.06
83	AW	-	-	-	-	5
84	AP	-	-	-	-	3.64
85	AG	-	-	-	-	2.6
86 ^a	AF	-	-	-	-	3.72
87	AA	-	-	-	-	3.21
88 ^b	SeH	Me	-	OH	-	7.44
89	SeH	NH ₂	-	OMe	-	6.47
90	SH	NH ₂	-	OMe	-	5.19
91 ^a	SeH	Me	-	F ^c	-	5.39
92	SeH	NH ₂	-	F ^c	-	6.74
93	SH	NH ₂	-	F ^c	-	5.46
94	SeH	NH ₂	-	V ^c	-	5.06
95	SeH	NH ₂	-	A ^c	-	4.90
96 ^a	SeH	NH ₂	CH ₂	OMe	-	5.16
97	SH	Me	-	F	-	6.16
98 ^b	SeH	Me	-	F	-	7.12
99	SeH	Me	-	Y	-	5.27
100	SeH	Me	-	V	-	5.29
101 ^a	SeH	NH ₂	-	OH	-	6.68
102	SH	NH ₂	-	OH	-	5.640

^a Test set compounds. ^b The most active compound of each series used to combined substructures to give the proposed compounds **A-I**. ^c The carboxylic hydrogen of the peptides were replaced by a methyl group.

Table S2. Statistical parameters of the QSAR analyses based on physicochemical descriptors (MIA-QSAR included for comparison).

QSAR model ^a		Calibration	LOOCV	Test set	Y-rand ^b
MIA-QSAR	r^2	0.909	0.604	0.779	0.600
	RMSE	0.492	1.044	0.687	1.028
Complete model	r^2	0.607	0.573	0.536	0.014
	RMSE	1.041	1.093	0.999	1.879
Variable selection with PCA	r^2	0.602	0.559	0.518	0.014
	RMSE	1.034	1.094	1.000	1.784
Variable selection with PCA/GA	r^2	0.537	0.463	0.390	0.033
	RMSE	1.113	1.217	1.148	1.650
Variable selection with GA	r^2	0.873	0.729	0.674	0.377
	RMSE	0.582	0.862	0.832	1.286
Variable selection with GA/PCA	r^2	0.622	0.562	0.552	0.061
	RMSE	1.003	1.082	0.938	1.580
Variable selection with GA/6×	r^2	0.787	0.742	0.650	0.068
	RMSE	0.753	0.831	0.884	1.574

^a Complete model with 1459 physicochemical descriptors obtained from the Dragon software; models obtained from descriptors selected using: Principal Component Analysis (PCA, 11 descriptors with higher scores and loadings), PCA/GA (9 descriptors selected using PCA followed by genetic algorithm), GA (407 descriptors selected using genetic algorithm, in a single run), GA/PCA (4 descriptors selected using genetic algorithm followed by PCA), and GA/6× (5 descriptors selected using six algorithm genetic runs). Descriptors of the complete model and GA model were regressed against the corresponding pIC₅₀ values using PLS, while MLR was used as regression method for the remaining physicochemical-based models.

^b Mean of 10 repetitions for the Y-randomization test.