## Supporting Information

# Bioisosteric modification of known fucosidase inhibitors to discover a novel inhibitor of $\alpha$-L-fucosidase 

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## Experimental

## General

Unless otherwise noted, all reactions were carried out in flame-dried glassware under a static nitrogen atmosphere with anhydrous solvent. All reagents were purchased from Sigma Aldrich, Acros or Alfa Aesar. Solvents were treated with $4 \AA$ molecular sieves or sodium and distilled prior to use. Purifications of reaction products by washing with diethyl ether. ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR and ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR spectra were recorded with tetramethylsilane (TMS) as internal standard at ambient temperature unless otherwise indicated Bruker 500 and 400 MHz 120 and 100 MHz for ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR. Chemical shifts are reported in parts per million (ppm) and coupling constants are reported as Hertz (Hz). Splitting patterns are designated as singlet (s), broad singlet (bs), doublet (d), triplet (t). Splitting patterns that could not be interpreted or easily visualized are designated as multiple (m). The Mass Spectrometry analysis was done on the 6540 UHD Accurate-Mass Q-TOF LC/MS system (Agilent Technologies) equipped with Agilent 1290 LC system obtained by the Dept. of Chemistry, School of Natural Sciences, Shiv Nadar University, Uttar Pradesh 203207, India

## General procedure for the knoevenagel condensation 6-methylfuro[3,4-

 c]pyridine-3,4(1H,5H)-dione and appropriate aldehydes.To a stirred solution of 6-methylfuro[3,4-c]pyridine-3,4( $1 \mathrm{H}, 5 \mathrm{H}$ )-dione ( $0.2 \mathrm{~g}, 1.0 \mathrm{eq}$.) in ethanol ( 5 mL ) added piperidine (0.1eq.), followed by corresponding aldehyde (1.1 eq.) under $\mathrm{N}_{2}$ atmosphere pre-tared vial at room temperature, then the reaction mixture stirred at $80^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, once TLC indicated complete consumption of the starting material (about 6 hours) allowed to cool to room temperature the resulting precipitate filter and washed with diethyl ether ( $2 \times 10 \mathrm{~mL}$ ) to get substituted 6-methylfuro[3,4-c]pyridine-3,4(1H,5H)-diones.

## General procedure for the synthesis of c-4/c5 substituted thiophene 2 aldehydes.

To a stirred solution of 4-bromothiophene-2-carbaldehydes/5-bromothiophene-2carbaldehydes ( 1 eq. ) in 1, 4-dioxane ( 10 mL ), added corresponding arylboronic acids (1.2 eq.) followed by aqueous ( 2 M ) $\mathrm{K}_{2} \mathrm{CO}_{3}$ (3 eq.) then purged with argon gas for 15 min and then bis(triphenylphosphine) palladium(II) dichloride ( 0.05 eq .) was added. The reaction mixture was heated at $100{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, once TLC indicated complete
consumption of the starting material (about 14 hours), the reaction mixture was allowed to cool to room temperature filtered through celite, quenched with 20 volumes of brine solution, extracted with ethyl acetate ( $2 \times 10 \mathrm{~mL}$ ), dried over anhydrous $\mathrm{Na}_{2} \mathrm{SO}_{4}$, filtered evaporated to dryness to give the crude c-4/c5 substituted thiophene 2 aldehydes which were used for synthesis of $4 \mathrm{~d}, 4 \mathrm{e}, 4 \mathrm{f}$ and 5 e .

## (Z)-6-methyl-1-((1-methyl-1H-indol-3-yl)methylene)furo[3,4-c]pyridine$\mathbf{3 , 4 ( 1 H , 5 H})$-dione (4a)

Following the general protocol 1-methyl-1H-indole-3-carbaldehyde ( $212 \mathrm{mg}, 1.1 \mathrm{eq}$.) afforded $\mathbf{4 a}$ in 363 mg (yield 98\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 11.97$ (br. s, 1H), 8.04 (s, 1H), 8.03 (d, $J=8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.55 (d, $J=8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.35 (s, 1H), 7.317.28 (t, $J=7.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.26-7.23 (t, $J=7.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), $6.84(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 3.93(\mathrm{~s}, 3 \mathrm{H}), 2.33$ (s, 3H), ${ }^{13}$ C NMR (125 MHz; DMSO-d6): $\delta 164.35,158.08,155.28,153.91,138.86$, 136.49, 133.84, 127.01, 122.71, 120.83, 118.89, 110.63, 108.19, 105.93, 103.12, 96.48, 33.10, 19.57. HRMS (ESI): $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{18} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{3}\right)$ 307.1004, found 307.1003.

## (Z)-1-(benzo[b]thiophen-3-ylmethylene)-6-methylfuro[3,4-c]pyridine$\mathbf{3 , 4 ( 1 H , 5 H )}$-dione (4b)

Following the general protocol benzo[b]thiophene-3-carbaldehyde ( $168 \mathrm{mg}, 1.1 \mathrm{eq}$.) afforded 4b in 359 mg (yield 96\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 9.54$ (s, 1H), 9.22 (s, 1H), 8.97 (s, 1H), 8.76 (d, J = $8.4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.98 ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.79$ (s, 1H), 7.60 (s, 1H), 3.89 (s, 3H), ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (125 MHz; DMSO-d6): $\delta$ 164.10, 158.29, 156.52, 155.90, 144.10, 139.34, 138.41, 131.73, 128.24, 125.68, 125.35, 123.61, 122.39, 106.02, 103.16, 99.74, 20.22. HRMS (ESI): $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{17} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{NO}_{3} \mathrm{~S}\right)$ 310.0460 , found 310.0443 .

## (Z)-1-(3,5-difluorobenzylidene)-6-methylfuro[3,4-c]pyridine-3,4(1H,5H)-dione (4c)

Following the general protocol 3,5-difluorobenzaldehyde (189 mg, 1.1 eq .) afforded 4c in 262 mg (yield 75\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 12.36$ (br. s, 1H), 7.44 (d, $J=10 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.35-7.31 (m, 1H), 6.95 (s, 1H), 6.69 (s, 1H), 2.35 (s, 3H), ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (125 MHz; DMSO-d6): $\delta 168.21,158.00,156.47,156.26,143.69,130.88$,
128.11, 118.99, 118.76, 109.32, 106.00, 97.23, 20.07 HRMS (ESI): $[\mathrm{M} \mathrm{+} \mathrm{H}]^{+}$ calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{15} \mathrm{H}_{10} \mathrm{~F}_{2} \mathrm{NO}_{3}\right)$ 290.0550, found 290.0551.

## (Z)-6-methyl-1-((5-(pyridin-3-yl)thiophen-2-

 yl)methylene)furo[3,4c]pyridine3,4(1H,5H)-dione (4d)Following the general protocol 5-(pyridin-3-yl)thiophene-2-carbaldehyde ( 252 mg , 1.1 eq.) afforded 4d in 317 mg (yield 78\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 12.22$ (s, 1H), 8.99 (s, 1H), 8.55 (d, $J=8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.14$ (d, $J=8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.75$ (d, $J=8 \mathrm{~Hz}$, 1H), 7.52 (s, 1H), 7.51-7.47 (t, J = $11 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.38 (s, 1H), 6.73 (s, 1H), 2.34 (s, 3H), ${ }^{13}$ C NMR ( 125 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta$ 185.00, 168.95, 167.24, 158.40, 154.97, $144.57,143.98,141.39,140.83,139.22,128.85,127.25,108.96,100.07,22.29$. HRMS (ESI): $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{18} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{3} \mathrm{~S}\right)$ 337.0647, found 337.0641.

## (Z)-1-((5-(6-methoxypyridin-3-yl)thiophen-2-yl)methylene)-6-methylfuro[3,4-c]pyridine-3,4 <br> ( $1 \mathrm{H}, 5 \mathrm{H}$ )-dione (4e)

Following the general protocol 5-(6-methoxypyridin-3-yl)thiophene-2-carbaldehyde ( $292 \mathrm{mg}, 1.1 \mathrm{eq}$. ) afforded $\mathbf{4 e}$ in 364 mg (yield $82 \%$ ). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz ; DMSOd6): $\delta 10.65$ (br. s, 1H), 8.56 (s, 1H), 8.05 (d, $J=5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.56$ (s, 1H), 7.46 (s, 1H), 7.32 (s, 1H), 6.90 (d, $J=10 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 6.69 (s, 1H), 3.89 (s, 3H), 2.31 (s, 3H), ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (125 MHz; DMSO-d6): $\delta$ 163.60, 163.46, 157.75, 156.47, 155.26, 145.28, 143.71, 140.51, 136.57, 134.83, 133.49, 124.48, 123.23, 111.06, 106.08, 105.40, 96.70, 53.52, 19.64. HRMS (ESI): $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{19} \mathrm{H}_{15} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{4} \mathrm{~S}\right) 367.3974$, found 367.0976.

## (Z)-6-methyl-1-((4-phenylthiophen-2-yl)methylene)furo[3,4-c]pyridine$\mathbf{3 , 4 ( 1 H , 5 H )}$-dione (4f)

Following the general protocol 4-phenyl-thiophene-2-carbaldehyde ( $248 \mathrm{mg}, 1.1 \mathrm{eq}$.) afforded $\mathbf{4 f}$ in 324 mg (yield 80\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 12.17$ (br. s, 1H), 8.14 (s, 1H) 7.80 ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.69 (d, $J=10 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.41 (t, $J=5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.29 (d, $J=10 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 6.68 (s, 1H ), 2.34 (s, 3H ). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( $125 \mathrm{MHz} ;$ DMSO-d6): $\delta$ 164.11, 158.23, 156.01, 155.72, 142.27, 141.61, 137.00, 134.80, 130.56, 129.58, 128.14, 127.55, 126.55, 106.31, 106.15, 97.24, 20.15. HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M+ H]+ calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{19} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{NO}_{3} \mathrm{~S}\right)$ 336.0989, found 336.0980.

General procedure for the knoevenagel condensation 2-thioxoimidazolidin-4-one and appropriate aldehydes

To a stirred solution of 2-thioxoimidazolidin-4-one ( $200 \mathrm{mg}, 1.0 \mathrm{eq}$.) in ethanol ( 5 mL ) added piperidine (0.1eq.), followed by corresponding aldehyde (1.1 eq.) under $\mathrm{N}_{2}$ atmosphere in a pre-tared vial at room temperature, then the reaction mixture stirred at $80^{\circ}$ C, reaction monitored by TLC, once TLC indicated complete consumption of the starting material allowed to cool to room temperature the resulting precipitate filter and washed with diethyl ether ( $2 \times 10 \mathrm{~mL}$ ) to get substituted 2-thioxoimidazolidin-4-ones.

## (Z)-2-thioxo-5-((1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)methylene)imidazolidin-4-one (5a)

Following the general protocol 1-tosyl-1H-indole-3-carbaldehyde ( $556 \mathrm{mg}, 1.1 \mathrm{eq}$.) afforded 5a in 583 mg (yield 85\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 12.40$ (br. s, 2H), 8.82 ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.99-7.95 (m, 3H), 7.86 (d, $J=8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.44-7.33 (m, 4H), 6.62 (s, 1H), 2.20 (s, 3H), ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (100 MHz; DMSO-d6): $\delta 179.25,165.85,146.32$, 134.25, 134.14, 130.83, 129.92, 128.15, 127.49, 127.40, 126.14, 124.54, 120.01, 114.79, 113.62, 100.53, 21.51. HRMS (ESI): $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{19} \mathrm{H}_{16} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{O} 3 \mathrm{~S} 2\right)$ 399.0628, found 399.0624.

## (Z)-5-(3,5-difluorobenzylidene)-2-thioxoimidazolidin-4-one (5b)

Following the general protocol 3,5-difluorobenzaldehyde ( $269 \mathrm{mg}, 1.1 \mathrm{eq}$.) afforded 5b in 380 mg (yield 92\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (400 MHz; DMSO-d6): $\delta$ 7.75-7.72 (m, 2H), 6.99-6.93 (m, 1H), 5.96 (s, 1H), ${ }^{13}$ C NMR ( $100 \mathrm{MHz} ;$ DMSO-d6): $\delta$ 184.18, 172.14. 163.61, 163.47, 161.19, 161.05, 144.15, 140.13, 111.86, 111.79, 111.67, 111.60, 104.09, 101.53, 101.27, 101.01. HRMS (ESI): $[\mathrm{M} \mathrm{+} \mathrm{H}]^{+}$calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{7} \mathrm{~F}_{2} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{OS}\right)$ 241.0242, found 241.0239.

## (Z)-5-((4-bromothiophen-2-yl)methylene)-2-thioxoimidazolidin-4-one (5c)

Following the general protocol 4-bromothiophene-2-carbaldehyde ( $359 \mathrm{mg}, 1.1 \mathrm{eq}$. ) afforded 5c in 446 mg (yield 90\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 9.38$ (br. s, 2H), 7.98 (d, $J=11.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.78 (s, 1H), 7.59 (s, 1H). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 125 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 179.84,174.27,140.30,133.98,129.24,127.69,120.80,110.61$. HRMS (ESI): [M + H] ${ }^{+}$calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{8} \mathrm{H}_{6} \mathrm{BrN}_{2} \mathrm{OS}_{2}\right)$ 288.9027, found 288.9025.

## (Z)-5-benzylidene-2-thioxoimidazolidin-4-one (5d)

Following the general protocol benzaldehyde ( 201 mg , 1.1 eq.) afforded $5 \mathbf{5 d}$ in 344 mg (yield 98\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR (400 MHz; DMSO-d6): $\delta 6.68$ (d, J = $8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 6.41-6.34 (m, 3H), 5.45 (s, 1H). ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (100 MHz; DMSO-d6): $\delta$ 179.54, 166.12, 132.57, 130.36, 129.54, 129.04, 128.06, 111.93. HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M + H]+ calculated for ( $\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{9} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{OS}$ ) 205.0430, found 205.0432.
(Z)-5-((5-(pyridin-3-yl)thiophen-2-yl)methylene)-2-thioxoimidazolidin-4-one (5e) Following the general protocol 5-(pyridin-3-yl)thiophene-2-carbaldehyde ( 359 mg , 1.1 eq.) afforded $\mathbf{5 e}$ in 420 mg (yield $85 \%$ ). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 9.34$ (br. s, 2H), 8.96 (d, $J=11 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), $8.55(\mathrm{~d}, ~ J=3.5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 8.10(\mathrm{~d}, J=8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H})$, 7.83 (d, J = $12 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.79$ (d, $J=4 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 7.65-7.62$ (m, 1H), 7.49-7.46 (m, 1H), ${ }^{13}$ C NMR (125 MHz; DMSO-d6): 179.93, 174.31, 149.24, 146.24, 143.56, 139.28, 134.22, 132.85, 129.02, 128.36, 126.62, 124.20, 121.78. HRMS (ESI): $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$ calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{13} \mathrm{H}_{10} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{3} \mathrm{~S}_{2}\right)$ 288.0187, found 288.0188.

## (Z)-5-(3, 4-dimethoxybenzylidene)-2-thioxoimidazolidin-4-one (5f)

Following the general protocol 3,4-dimethoxybenzaldehyde ( $315 \mathrm{mg}, 1.1 \mathrm{eq}$.) afforded 5 f in 432 mg (yield 95\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz ; DMSO-d6): 9.35 (br. s, 1H), 9.08 (br. s, 1H), 7.55 (s, 1H), 7.17-7.09 (m, 3H), 3.81 (s, 6H), ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 500 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta$ 150.54, 149.38, 129.96, 127.20, 127.09, 123.33, 113.21, 112.55, 100.00, 56.15, 55.94. HRMS (ESI): $[\mathrm{M}+\mathrm{H}]^{+}$calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{13} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{3} \mathrm{~S}\right)$ 265.0641, found 265.0643.

General procedure for the knoevenagel condensation between imidazolidine-2, 4dione andappropriate aldehydes

To a stirred solution of imidazolidine-2, 4-dione ( $200 \mathrm{mg}, 1.0$ eq.) in ethanol ( 5 mL ) added piperidine (0.1eq.), followed by corresponding aldehyde (1.1 eq.) under $\mathrm{N}_{2}$ atmosphere in a pre-tared vial at room temperature, then the reaction mixture stirred at $80^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, reaction monitored by TLC, once TLC indicated complete consumption of the starting material allowed to cool to room temperature the resulting precipitate
filter and washed with diethyl ether ( $2 \times 10 \mathrm{~mL}$ ) to get substituted imidazolidine-2, 4diones.

## (Z)-5-(4-nitrobenzylidene)imidazolidine-2,4-dione (6a)

Following the general protocol 4-nitrobenzaldehyde ( $332 \mathrm{mg}, 1.1$ eq.) afforded $\mathbf{6 a}$ in 346 mg (yield 75\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 11.16$ (br. s, 2H), 8.19 (d, $J=$ $8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.84 (d, $J=8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 6.48 (s, 1H), ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (100 MHz; DMSO-d6): $\delta$ 165.71, 156.23, 146.65, 140.47, 131.32, 130.57, 124.15, 105.60. HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M - H] calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{6} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{4}\right)$ 232.0437, found 232.0435.

## (Z)-5-(pyridin-4-ylmethylene)imidazolidine-2,4-dione (6b)

Following the general protocol isonicotinaldehyde ( $235 \mathrm{mg}, 1.1$ eq.) afforded $\mathbf{6 b}$ in 299 mg (yield 80\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 8.51$ (d, $J=10 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.57 (d, $J=5 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 6.16 (s, 1H), ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (125 MHz; DMSO-d6): $\delta 167.83,158.81$, 149.77, 149.25, 141.45, 123.29, 122.99, 102.33. HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M - H] calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{9} \mathrm{H}_{6} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}\right)$ 188.0538, found 188.0534.

## (Z)-5-(3, 5-difluorobenzylidene)imidazolidine-2,4-dione (6c)

Following the general protocol 3, 5-difluorobenzaldehyde ( $300 \mathrm{mg}, 1.1 \mathrm{eq}$.) afforded 6c in 333 mg (yield 75\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 11.38$ (s, 1H), 10.74 (s, 1H), 7.41-7.38 (m, 2H), 7.21-7.15 (m, 1H), 6.41 (s, 1H), ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR ( 125 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 179.93,149.24,146.24,143.56,139.29,134.22,132.85,129.03$, 128.36, 126.62, 124.21, 121.78. HRMS (ESI) m/z: [M - H] calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{5} \mathrm{~F}_{2} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}\right)$ 223.0397, found 223.0392.

## (Z)-5-(4-(dimethylamino)benzylidene)imidazolidine-2,4-dione (6d)

Following the general protocol 4-(dimethylamino)benzaldehyde ( $382 \mathrm{mg}, 1.1 \mathrm{eq}$.) afforded 6d in 361 mg (yield 79\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 11.05$ (s, 1H), 10.27 ( $\mathrm{s}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.48 (d, $J=10 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.69(\mathrm{~d}, J=10 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}), 6.35(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}), 2.95(\mathrm{~s}$, 6 H ), ${ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (125 MHz; DMSO- d6): $\delta$ 165.71, 155.57, 150.22, 131.00, 123.87, 120.26, 111.94, 111.08, 110.34. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: [M - H] calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{12} \mathrm{H}_{12} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{2}\right)$ 230.1008, found 230.1005.

## (Z)-5-benzylideneimidazolidine-2,4-dione (6e)

Following the general protocol benzaldehyde ( 232 mg , 1.1 eq.) afforded $\mathbf{6 e}$ in 290 mg (yield 78\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 500 MHz ; DMSO-d6): $\delta 11.26$ (br. s, 1H), 10.56 (br. s, 1H), 7.61 (d, $J=10 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.41-7.38 (m, 2H), 7.34-7.30 (m, 1H ), $6.42(\mathrm{~s}, 1 \mathrm{H}),{ }^{13} \mathrm{C}$ NMR (125 MHz; DMSO-d6): $\delta 165.62,155.77,133.01,129.43,128.82,128.42,128.00,108.35$. HRMS (ESI-TOF) $\mathrm{m} / \mathrm{z}$ : $[\mathrm{M}-\mathrm{H}]$ calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{10} \mathrm{H}_{7} \mathrm{~N}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}\right)$ 187.0572, found 187.0570.

## (Z)-5-((1-tosyl-1H-indol-3-yl)methylene)imidazolidine-2,4-dione (6f)

Following the general protocol 1-tosyl-1H-indole-3-carbaldehyde ( $650 \mathrm{mg}, 1.1 \mathrm{eq}$.) afforded 6 f in 424 mg (yield 76\%). ${ }^{1} \mathrm{H}$ NMR ( 400 MHz ; CD ${ }_{3} \mathrm{OD}$ ): $\delta 8.40$ (s, 1H), 7.89 (d, $J=8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.82 (d, $J=8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 2 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.63 (d, $J=8 \mathrm{~Hz}, 1 \mathrm{H}$ ), 7.30-7.20 (m, 4H ), 6.58 (s, 1H), 2.23 (s, 3H), ${ }^{13}$ C NMR (100 MHz; DMSO-d6): $\delta$ 179.26, 165.86, $146.34,134.25,134.14,130.85,129.92$, 128.14, 127.50, 127.42, 126.15, 124.55, 120.02, 114.79, 113.62, 100.54, 21.51. HRMS (ESI-TOF) m/z: [M - H] calculated for $\left(\mathrm{C}_{19} \mathrm{H}_{14} \mathrm{~N}_{3} \mathrm{O}_{4} \mathrm{~S}\right)$ 380.0711, found 380.0714.

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spIQ2KIMOIFUCO/1-244
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2zxd_A/1-259
splQ2KIMOIFUCO/1-244
2zxd_A/1-259



Figure S1. Stereo-chemical properties of the three dimensional (3D) homology model of Bos taurus $\alpha$ -L-fucosidase catalytic N -terminal region (residues 60-311). Panel A shows the Bos taurus $\alpha$-Lfucosidase catalytic N-terminal model (colour: golden yellow) superimposed with Thermotoga maritima $\alpha$-L-fucosidase template (colour: cyan) with a RMSD of 0.483Å. Panel B shows the alignment between the N -terminal sequences of Bos taurus $\alpha$-L-fucosidase and Thermotoga maritima $\alpha$-L-fucosidase. The loop marked in pink in panel A corresponds to the pink region in panel B which is missing in the Bos taurus $\alpha$-L-fucosidase catalytic N -terminal model. Conserved residues (sequence identity: $35.02 \%$ ) are marked in blue boxes whereas the active site residues are shown in red boxes. Panel C shows the Ramachandran plot statistics, which indicate that the model has $99.6 \%$ residues in allowed regions.

Figure S2:


Figure S2. Preference of binding at the $\mathbf{N}$ terminal domain of bacterial $\alpha$-L-fucosidase (PDB ID: 2ZX5). The bar represents the average PatchDock score while the red dot represents the number of solutions docked at N and C terminal domains, respectively. Panel A shows the number of solutions and average PatchDock score for N and C terminal domains with regard to all PatchDock solutions. Among all PatchDock solutions, 97 solutions were observed to bind at the N -terminal with an average PatchDock score of 3695.5 while 3 solutions were seen to bind at the C-terminal with an average PatchDock score of 3617.3. Panel B, on the other hand, shows the number of solutions and average PatchDock score for solutions docked to N and C terminal domains when only solutions from the top three clusters were considered. The top 3 clusters contain the largest number of solutions with highest average PatchDock score. Considering the top three clusters only, all 79 solutions were seen to bind at the N terminal domain with an average score of 3708.5 while none were found to bind at the C terminal.

Table S1: COS cell cytotoxicity studies

| Compound 4d | Concentration ( $\mu \mathrm{M}$ ) | O.D 1 | O.D 2 | avg | ctrl-avg | /ctrl | *100 or \% inhibition |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | control | 0.745 | 0.713 | 0.729 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | 50 | 0.727 | 0.784 | 0.7555 | -0.0265 | -0.03635 | -3.635116598 |
|  | 25 | 0.731 | 0.763 | 0.747 | -0.018 | -0.02383 | -2.382528127 |
|  | 12.5 | 0.708 | 0.714 | 0.711 | 0.018 | 0.024096 | 2.409638554 |
|  | 6.25 | 0.779 | 0.788 | 0.7835 | -0.0545 | -0.07665 | -7.665260197 |
|  | 3.125 | 0.764 | 0.741 | 0.7525 | -0.0235 | -0.02999 | -2.999361838 |
|  | 1.56 | 0.905 | 0.873 | 0.889 | -0.16 | -0.21262 | -21.26245847 |
|  | 0.78 | 0.688 | 0.652 | 0.67 | 0.059 | 0.066367 | 6.636670416 |
|  | 0.39 | 0.74 | 0.679 | 0.7095 | 0.0195 | 0.029104 | 2.910447761 |
|  | 0.195 | 0.89 | 0.773 | 0.8315 | -0.1025 | -0.14447 | -14.44679352 |
| $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Compound } \\ 4 e \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | O.D 1 | O.D 2 | avg | ctrl-avg | /ctrl | *100 or \% inhibition |
|  | control | 1.15 | 1.321 | 1.2355 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | 50 | 1.11 | 1.22 | 1.165 | 0.0705 | 0.057062 | 5.706191825 |
|  | 25 | 1.191 | 1.321 | 1.256 | -0.0205 | -0.01659 | -1.659247268 |
|  | 12.5 | 1.223 | 1.334 | 1.2785 | -0.043 | -0.0348 | -3.480372319 |
|  | 6.25 | 1.102 | 1.213 | 1.1575 | 0.078 | 0.063132 | 6.313233509 |
|  | 3.125 | 1.534 | 1.423 | 1.4785 | -0.243 | -0.19668 | -19.66815055 |
|  | 1.56 | 1.089 | 1.039 | 1.064 | 0.1715 | 0.13881 | 13.88101983 |
|  | 0.78 | 1.05 | 1.071 | 1.0605 | 0.175 | 0.141643 | 14.16430595 |
|  | 0.39 | 1.068 | 1.088 | 1.078 | 0.1575 | 0.127479 | 12.74787535 |
|  | 0.195 | 1.121 | 1.342 | 1.2315 | 0.004 | 0.003238 | 0.323755565 |
| $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Compound } \\ 4 f \end{gathered}$ |  | O.D 1 | O.D 2 | avg | ctrl-avg | /ctrl | *100 or \% inhibition |
|  | control | 1.039 | 1.259 | 1.149 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|  | 50 | 0.437 | 0.391 | 0.414 | 0.735 | 0.639687 | 63.96866841 |
|  | 25 | 0.651 | 0.602 | 0.6265 | 0.5225 | 0.454743 | 45.4743255 |
|  | 12.5 | 0.701 | 0.718 | 0.7095 | 0.4395 | 0.382507 | 38.25065274 |
|  | 6.25 | 0.679 | 0.654 | 0.6665 | 0.4825 | 0.41993 | 41.99303742 |
|  | 3.125 | 0.598 | 0.612 | 0.605 | 0.544 | 0.473455 | 47.34551784 |
|  | 1.56 | 0.811 | 0.795 | 0.803 | 0.346 | 0.301131 | 30.11314186 |
|  | 0.78 | 0.914 | 0.879 | 0.8965 | 0.2525 | 0.219756 | 21.97563098 |
|  | 0.39 | 0.899 | 0.876 | 0.8875 | 0.2615 | 0.227589 | 22.7589208 |
|  | 0.195 | 0.78 | 0.896 | 0.838 | 0.311 | 0.27067 | 27.0670148 |

Table S2: MCF 7 screening of compounds 4a, b, e and $\mathbf{f}$

|  | O.D1 | O.D2 | O.D3 | AVG | CTRL-TEST | CTRL- <br> TEST/CTRL | *100 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CONTROL | 1.093 | 1.012 | 1.21 | 1.105 | 0 | 0 |  |
| eto | 0.107 | 0.24 | 0.312 | 0.1735 | 0.9315 | 0.842986425 | 84.29864 |
| $\mathbf{4 a}$ | 0.555 | 0.558 | 0.558 | 0.558 | 0.547 | 0.495022624 | 49.50226 |
| $\mathbf{4 b}$ | 0.449 | 0.425 | 0.439 | 0.437667 | 0.667333333 | 0.603921569 | 60.39216 |
| $\mathbf{4 e}$ | 0.457 | 0.44 | 0.362 | 0.419667 | 0.685333333 | 0.620211161 | 62.02112 |
| $\mathbf{4 f}$ | 0.216 | 0.183 | 0.101 | 0.166667 | 0.938333333 | 0.849170437 | 84.91704 |

## Compound 4a




## Compound 4b

AAJ-A16048-059-C
DMSO



Compound 4c



## Compound 4d




Compound $\mathbf{4 e}$



Compound $\mathbf{4 f}$



Compound 5a



## Compound 5b




## Compound 5c




Compound 5d



Compound 5e

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Compound 5f



Compound 6a



Compound 6b



Compound 6c


Compound 6d


Compound 6e


Compound $6 f$




