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Structure-based design of a small molecule CD4-antagonist with broad spectrum anti-HIV-1 activity

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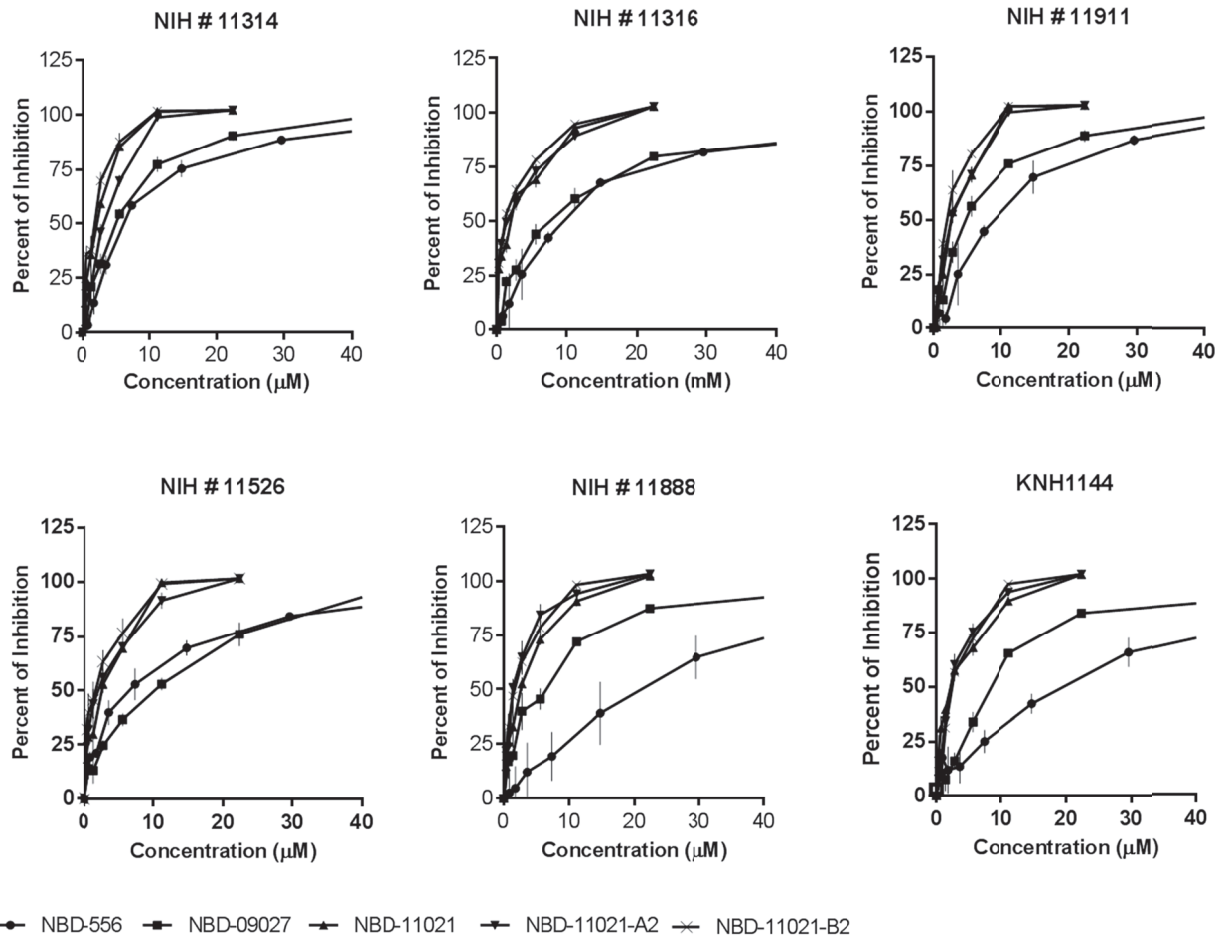


Figure S1: Representative dose-dependent inhibition of NBD compounds against ENV-pseudotyped HIV-1. Experiments were performed in triplicate, and data is shown as mean \pm standard deviation.

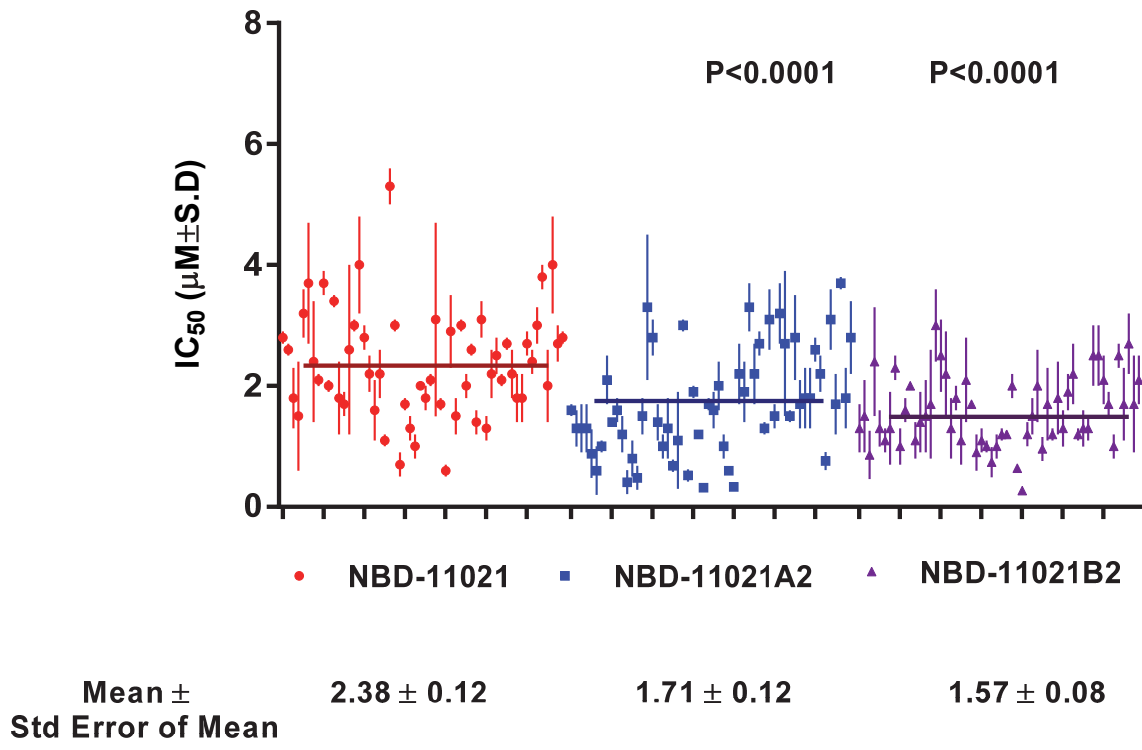


Figure S2. Comparison of IC_{50} of fractions NBD-11021-A2 and NBD-11021-B2 versus NBD-11021 tested on a large panel of HIV-1 ENV-pseudoviruses including primary and transmitted/founder HIV-1 isolates from different clades. Statistical testing was conducted with the one-way ANOVA, implementing Dunnett's test for adjustments of multiple comparisons, with a significance level set at 0.05.

NBD-11021A1 & NBD-11021A2 in CDCl₃

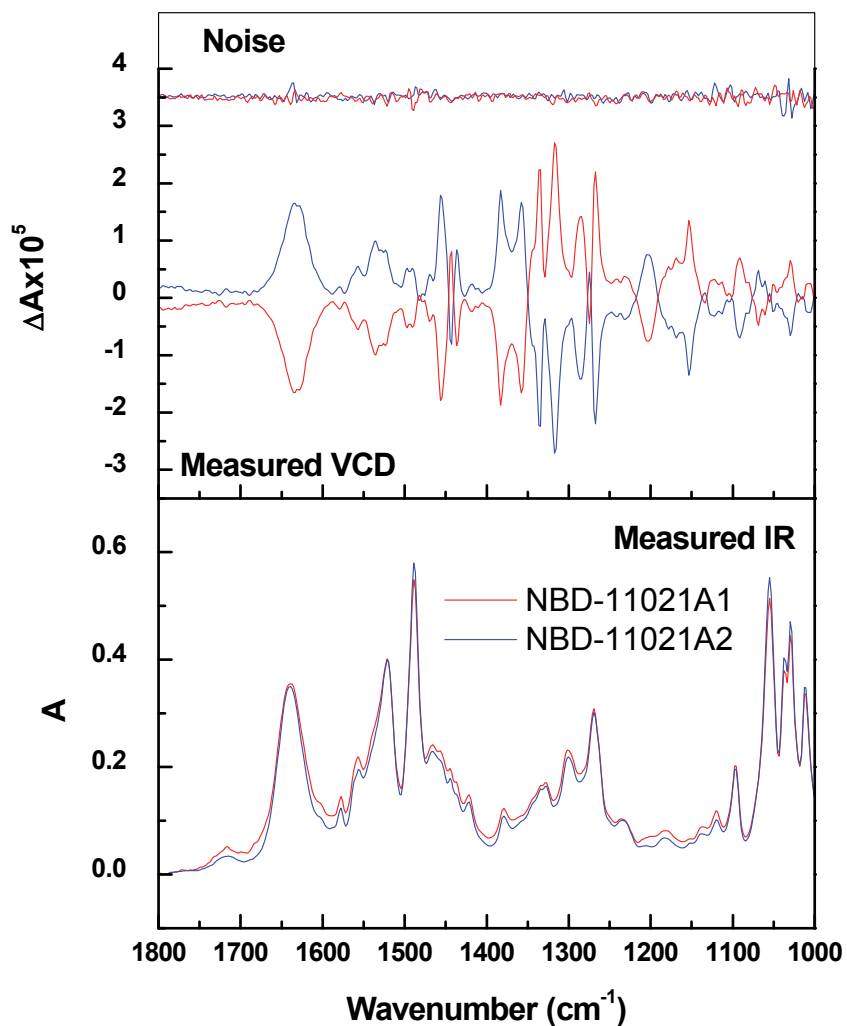


Figure S3: IR (lower frame) and VCD (upper frame) spectra of **NBD-11021A1** and **NBD-11021A2** in CDCl₃ (10mg/0.2mL); 0.1mm path-length cell with BaF₂ windows; 6 h collection for samples and solvent; instrument optimized at 1400 cm⁻¹. Solvent-subtracted IR and enantiomer-subtracted VCD spectra are shown. Uppermost trace is the VCD noise spectra.

NBD-11021B1 & NBD-11021B2 in CDCl₃

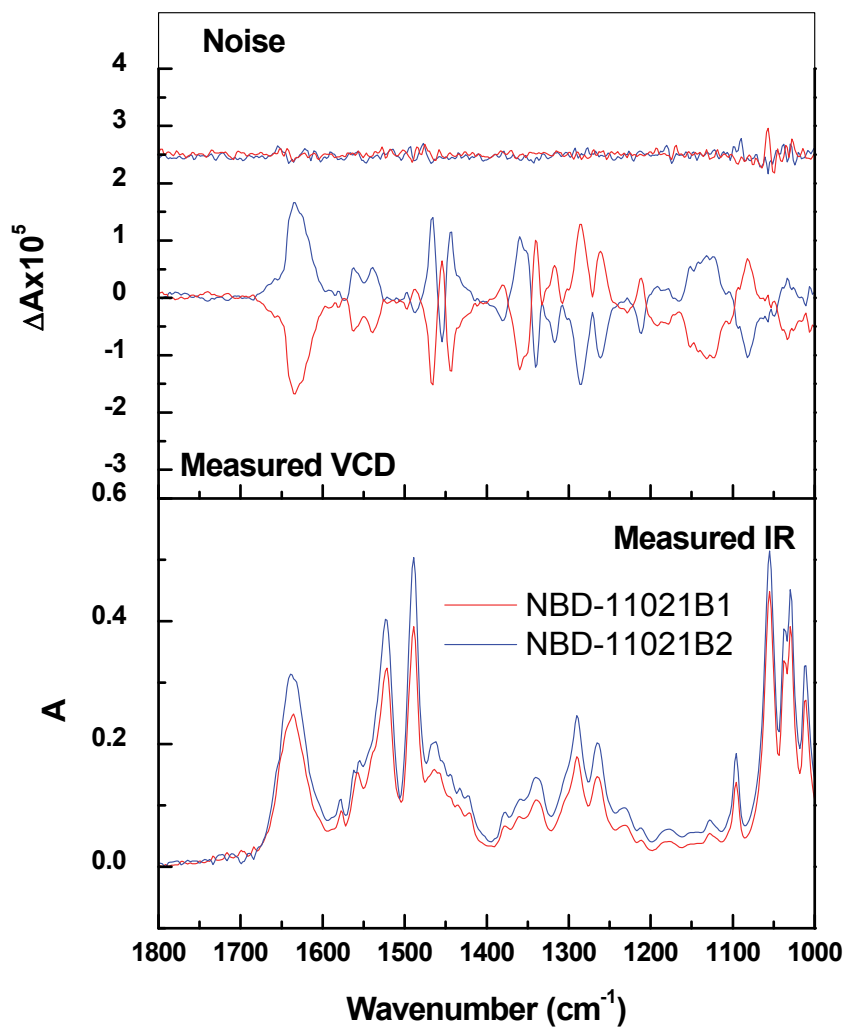


Figure S4: IR (lower frame) and VCD (upper frame) spectra of **NBD-11021B1** and **NBD-11021B2** in CDCl₃ (10mg/0.2mL); 0.1mm path-length cell with BaF₂ windows; 6 h collection for samples and solvent; instrument optimized at 1400 cm⁻¹. Solvent-subtracted IR and enantiomer-subtracted VCD spectra are shown. Uppermost trace is the VCD noise spectra.

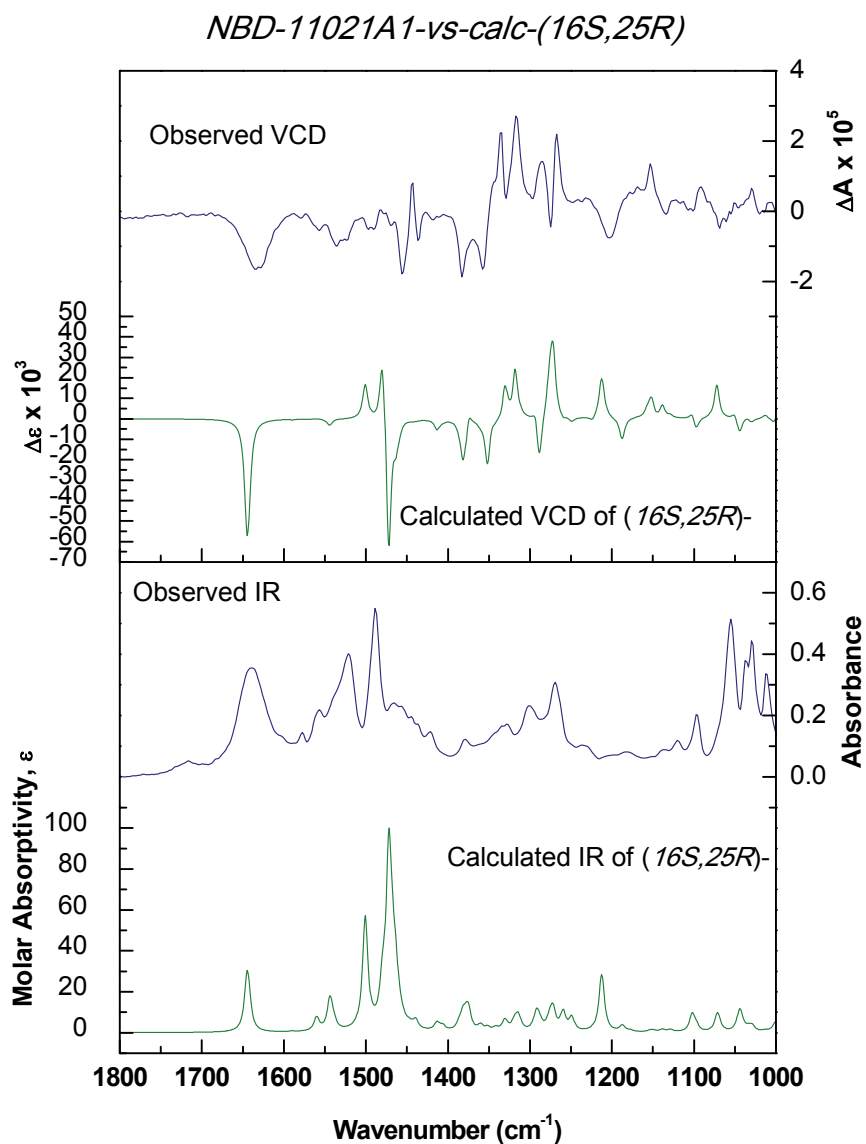


Figure S5: IR (lower frame) and VCD (upper frame) spectra observed for **NBD-11021A1** (right axes) compared with calculated Boltzmann-averaged spectra of the calculated conformations for the (16*S*,25*R*)- configuration (left axes).

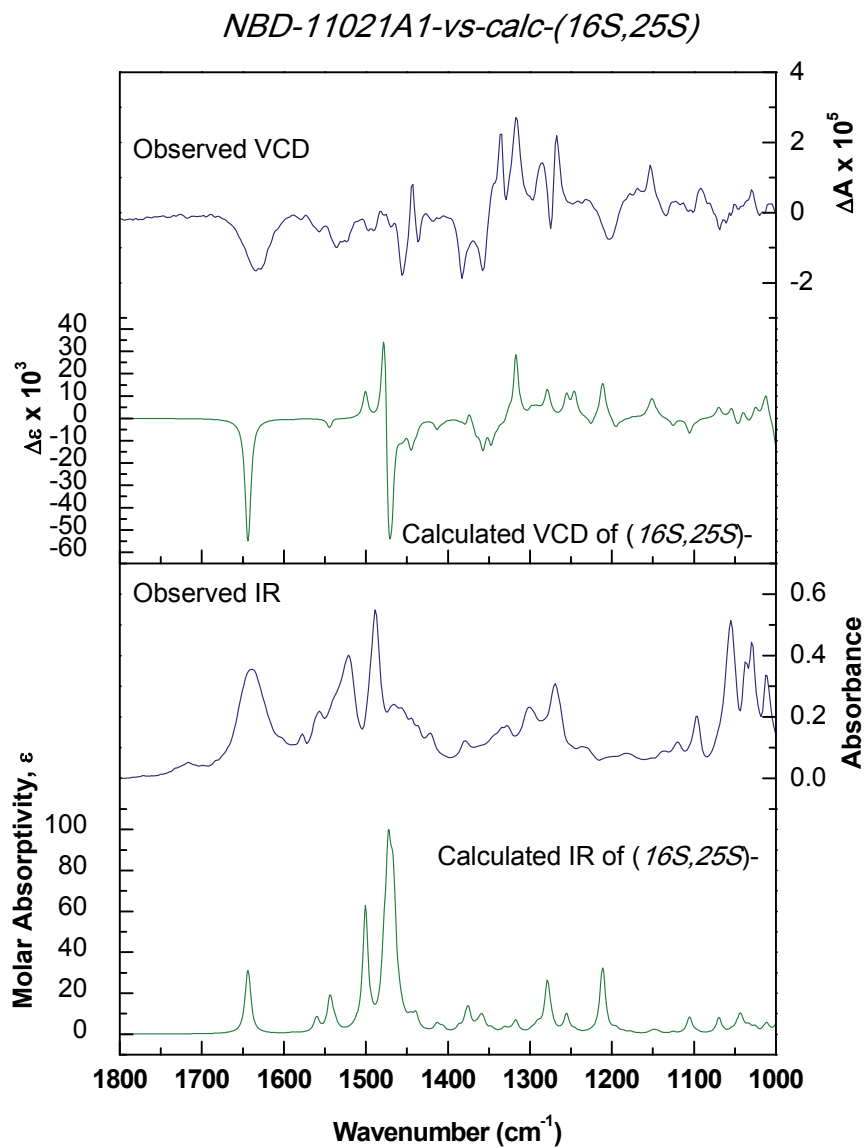


Figure S6: IR (lower frame) and VCD (upper frame) spectra observed for **NBD-11021A1** (right axes) compared with calculated Boltzmann-averaged spectra of the calculated conformations for the (16*S*,25*S*)- configuration, (left axes).

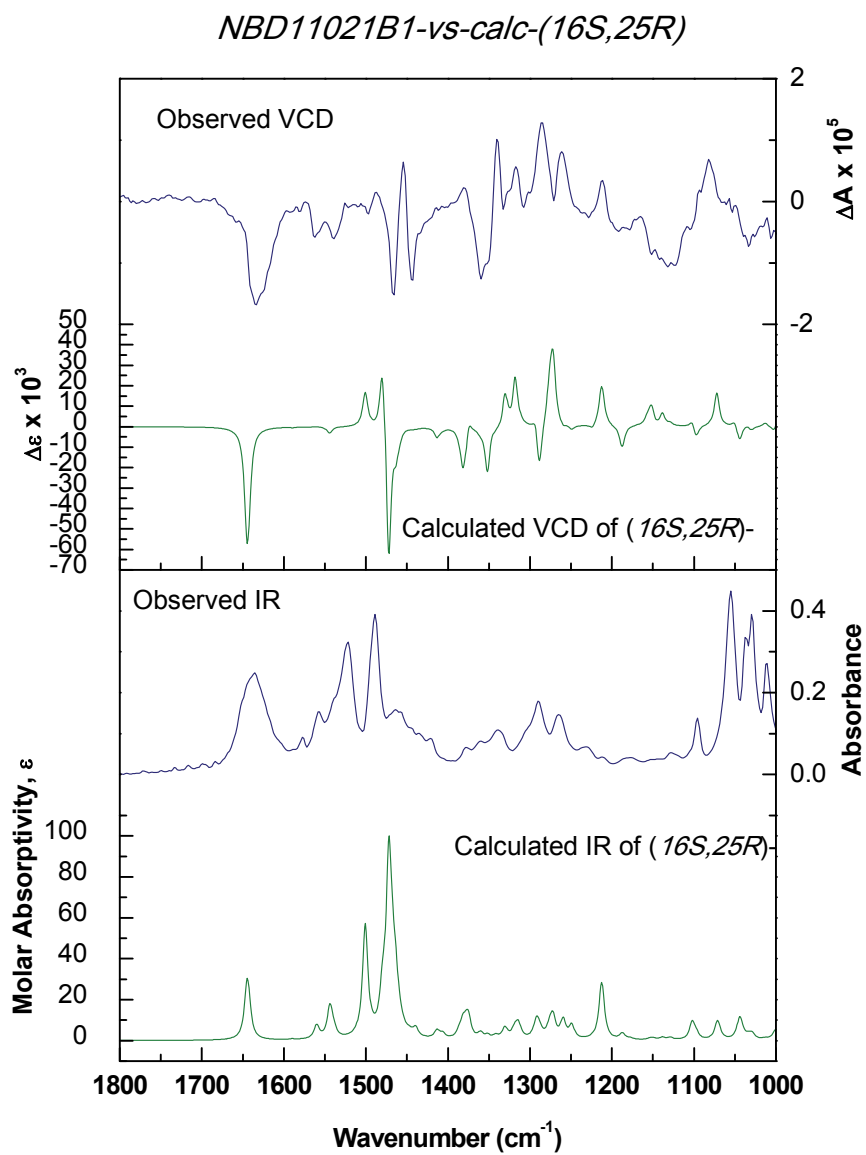


Figure S7: IR (lower frame) and VCD (upper frame) spectra observed for **NBD-11021B1** (right axes) compared with calculated Boltzmann-averaged spectra of the calculated conformations for the (16S,25R)- configuration, (left axes).

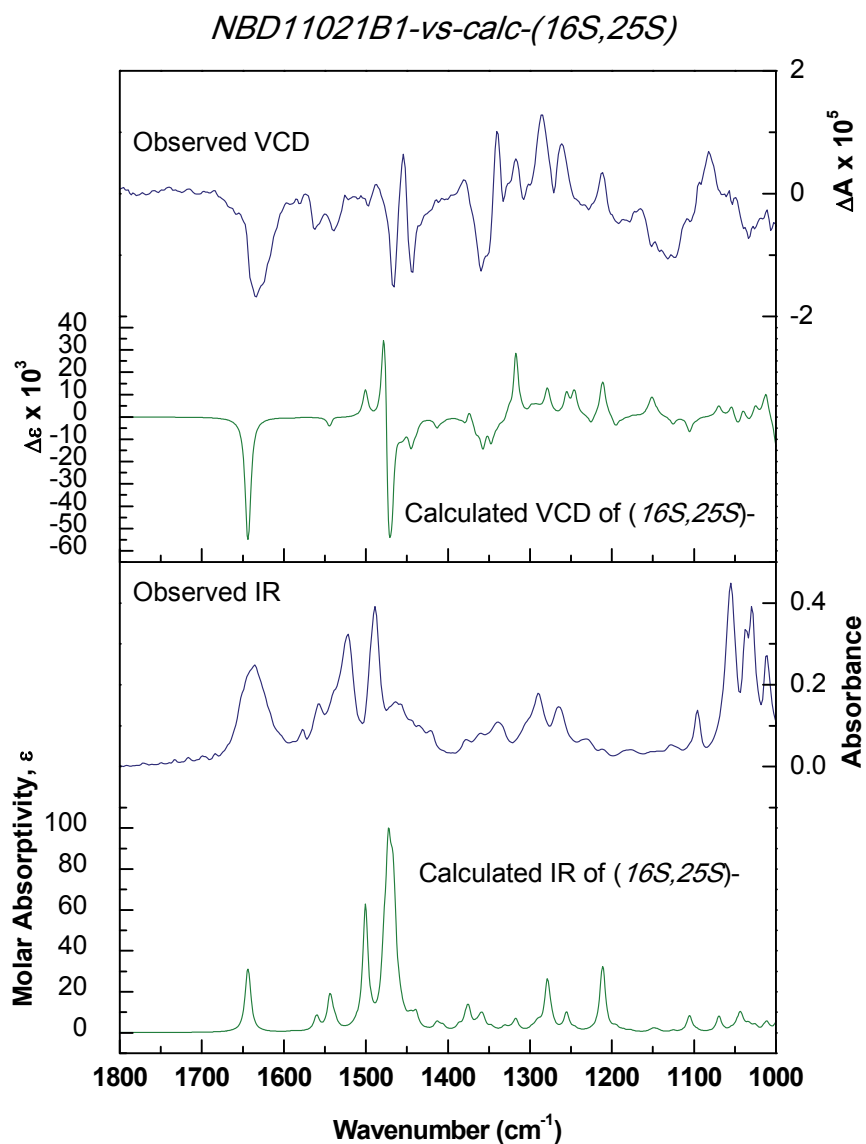
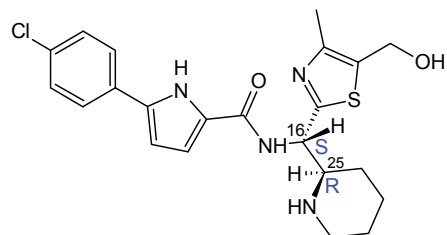
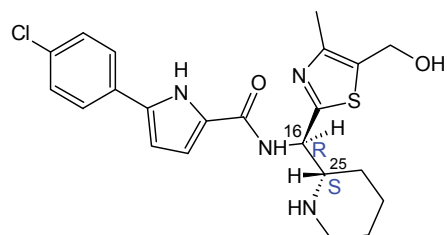


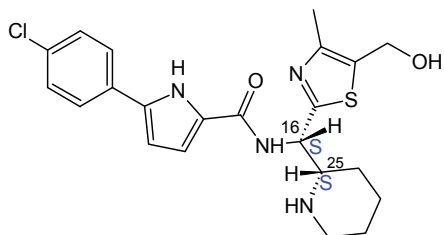
Figure S8: IR (lower frame) and VCD (upper frame) spectra observed for **NBD-11021B1** (right axes) compared with calculated Boltzmann-averaged spectra of the calculated conformations for the (16*S*,25*S*)- configuration, (left axes).



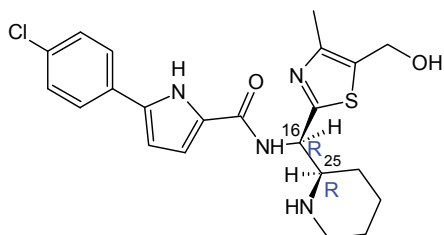
Structure of NBD-11021A1



Structure of NBD-11021A2



Structure of NBD-11021B1



Structure of NBD-11021B2

Figure S9: Assignment of the absolute configuration of NBD-11021A1, NBD-11021A2, NBD-11021B1 and NBD-11021B2.

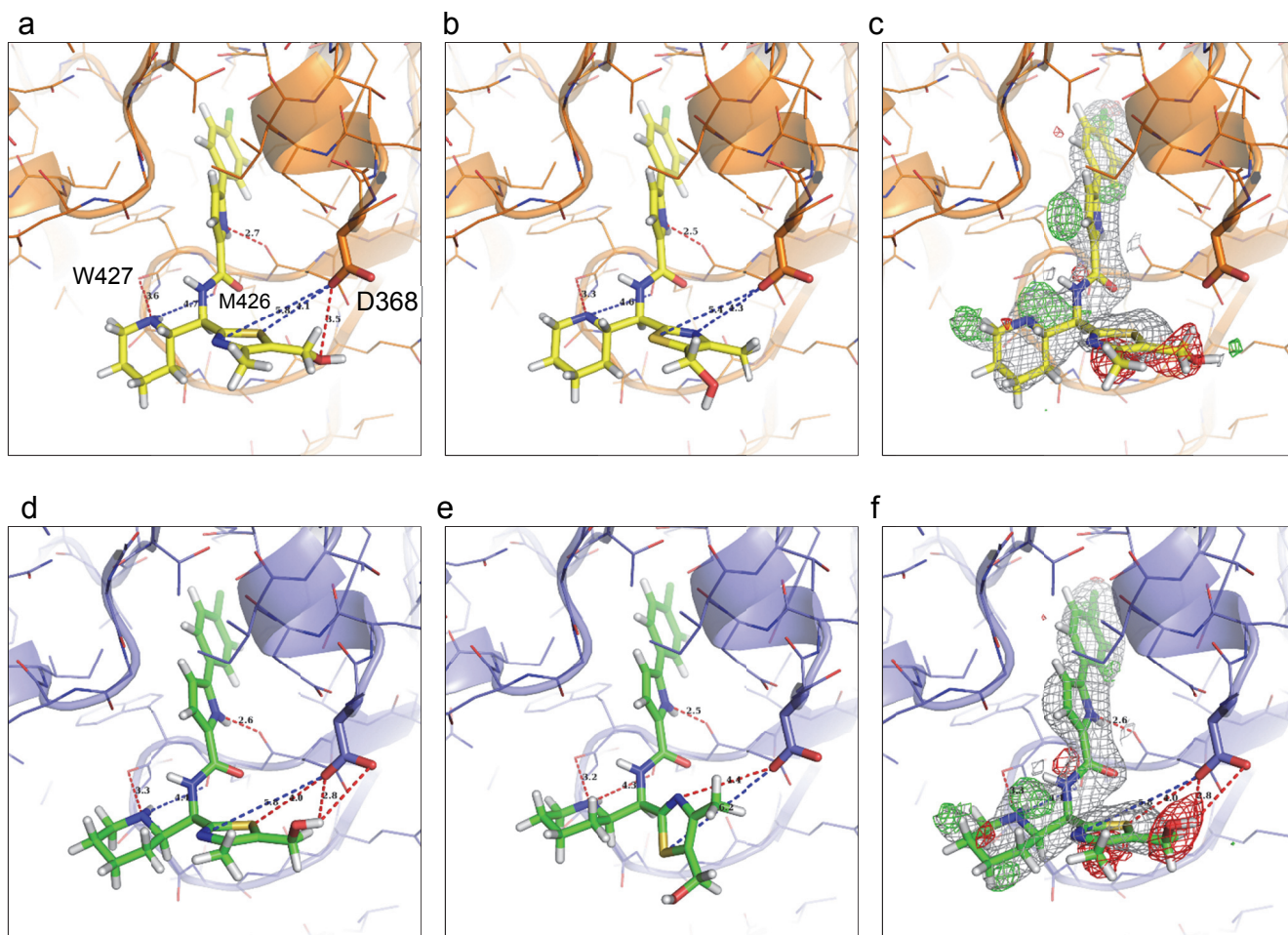


Figure S10. Putative binding modes of NBD-11021A2 (R,S) and NBD-11021B2 (R,R) enantiomers into the Phe 43 cavity. (a, b) The thiazole rings of NBD-11021A2 enantiomer face Asp368, which enables either the nitrogen atom or the sulfur atom to make H-bond contacts with Asp368. (c) When the NBD-11021A2 enantiomer modeled in (a) was refined, strong negative *fofc* electron density (red mesh, contoured at -3σ) appeared at the methyl group and hydroxymethyl group of thiazole ring, indicating that the thiazole ring is not a good fit. Gray mesh, $2fofc$ electron density contoured at 1σ , green mesh, positive *fofc* electron density map contoured at 3σ . (d, e) The thiazole rings of NBD-11021B2 enantiomer face Asp368, which enables either the nitrogen atom or the sulfur atom to make H-bond contacts with Asp368. (f) When the NBD-11021B2 enantiomer modeled in (d) was refined, strong negative *fofc* electron density (red mesh, contoured at -3σ) appeared at the methyl group and hydroxymethyl group of thiazole ring, indicating that the thiazole ring is not a good fit. Gray mesh, $2fofc$ electron density contoured at 1σ , green mesh, positive *fofc* electron density map contoured at 3σ .

Table S1. Crystallographic data collection and refinement statistics

NBD-11021: 93TH057(H375S)	
PDB accession code	4RZ8
Data collection	
Space group	$P2_1$
Cell constants	
<i>a</i> , <i>b</i> , <i>c</i> (Å)	113.6, 68.8, 116.1
α , β , γ (°)	90.0, 110.6, 90.0
Wavelength (Å)	1.00
Resolution (Å)	50.0-1.82(1.86-1.82)*
R_{merge}	6.7 (48.7)
$I / \sigma I$	19.9 (1.3)
Completeness (%)	87.5 (28.1)
Redundancy	3.4 (1.8)
Refinement	
Resolution (Å)	44.0-1.9
Unique reflections	124,367
$R_{\text{work}} / R_{\text{free}}$ (%)	22.6/24.3
No. atoms	
Protein	10,579
Ligand/ion	740
Water	692
<i>B</i> -factors (Å ²)	
Protein	57.9
Ligand/ion	68.0
Water	52.9
R.m.s. deviations	
Bond lengths (Å)	0.001
Bond angles (°)	0.422
Ramachandran	
Favored regions (%)	96.5
Allowed regions (%)	3.5
Disallowed regions (%)	0.0

*Values in parentheses are for highest-resolution shell

Table S2. Neutralization activity of NBD-compounds against SIV, SHIV and a set of HIV-2 isolates

Virus	IC ₅₀ (μM±SD) ^a		
	NBD-556	NBD-09027	NBD-11021
SIV _{mac186}	12±0.9	6.2±0.4	≥11
SHIV _{SF162P3}	14.2±2.1	-	8.9±0.4
HIV-2 _{CBL-23}	29±1	-	17.3±0.5
HIV-2 _{CBL-20}	34.3±0.6	-	14.8±0.4
HIV-2 _{CDC310319}	36.1±3.5	-	14.1±1
HIV-2 _{CDC310072}	≥27	≥13	≥14
HIV-2 _{MVP-11971}	10.4±1.3	6.6±0.8	≥16
HIV-2 _{D194}	16.8±3.4	9.4±1.3	≥16

^aValues representing the mean ± standard deviation (SD) were obtained from three independent experiments.