Supporting Information

Novel HIV-1 Capsid-Targeting Small Molecules of the PF74 Binding Site

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Synthesis of intermediates

Reagents and conditions: (a) amine, HATU (or T₃P), DIPEA, DMF, rt, 12 h; (b) TFA; DCM, rt, 4-6 h; (c) HATU, DIPEA, DMF, rt, 12 h.

Synthesis of **59:** To a solution of commercially available (*tert*-butoxycarbonyl)-*L*-phenylalanine (1.0 g, 3.8 mmol, 1 equiv.) in DMF (5 mL), HATU or T_3P (2 equiv.) and DIPEA (2 equiv.) were added and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 20 min before amine (1.5 equiv.) was added. The mixture was further stirred at room temperature overnight. Upon completion, H_2O was added and the reaction mixture was extracted with EtOAc (3x50 mL). The organic phases were combined and washed with brine, dried over anhydrous MgSO₄, filtered and concentrated. The product was purified by Combi-flash on silica gel using EtOAc/hexane (1:4 to 2:1) as eluent.



Yield 68-89%. ¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.39 – 7.29 (m, 3H), 7.20 – 7.19 (m, 3H), 6.94 – 6.80 (m, 4H), 5.17 (d, *J* = 9.0 Hz, 1H), 4.53 (q, *J* = 7.5, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 3.21 (s, 3H), 2.87 (dd, *J* = 13.2, 7.4 Hz, 1H), 2.69 (dd, *J* = 13.0, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 1.38 (s, 9H).

Synthesis of 60: TFA (5 equiv.) was added dropwise to a solution of **59** (1 equiv.) in DCM (5 mL) and the mixture was stirred at room temperature for 4-6 h. The solvent was evaporated to give the product as a TFA salt.



¹H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 7.36 – 7.31 (m, 3H), 7.20 – 7.14 (m, 3H), 6.96 – 6.90 (m, 2H), 6.83 (d, *J* = 8.2 Hz, 2H), 3.30 (t, *J* = 6.8 Hz, 1H), 3.06 (s, 3H), 2.71 (dd, *J* = 12.7, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 2.43 (dd, *J* = 13.2, 7.8 Hz, 1H).



¹H NMR (600 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ 7.20 – 7.12 (m, 5H), 6.86 – 6.80 (m, 4H), 3.33 – 3.30 (m, 1H), 3.02 (s, 3H), 2.71 (dd, *J* = 13.1, 7.3 Hz, 1H), 2.44 (dd, *J* = 12.8, 6.8 Hz, 1H), 2.28 (s, 3H).



¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.32 – 7.27 (m, 4H), 6.98 – 6.93 (m, 5H), 4.09 – 4.06

(m, 1H), 3.12 (s, 3H), 3.05 – 3.04 (m, 2H).



¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.32 – 7.22 (m, 5H), 7.00 – 6.97 (m, 4H), 4.17 – 4.14

(m, 1H), 3.11 (s, 3H), 3.10 - 3.03 (m, 2H).



¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.37 – 7.20 (m, 6H), 6.98 – 6.97 (m, 3H), 4.12 – 4.10 (m, 1H), 3.10 (s, 3H), 3.08 – 3.02 (m, 2H).



¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.37 – 7.21 (m, 7H), 6.98 – 6.97 (m, 2H), 4.15 – 4.12 (m, 1H), 3.12 (s, 3H), 3.10 – 3.03 (m, 2H).



¹H NMR (600 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.31 – 7.23 (m, 8H), 6.97 – 6.96 (m, 2H), 4.03 – 4.00 (m, 1H), 3.76 – 3.72 (m, 1H), 3.48 – 3.43 (m, 1H), 3.08 – 3.01 (m, 2H), 1.00 (t, *J* = 7.2 Hz, 3H).

NMR spectra















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- 13.02 - 13.0





























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