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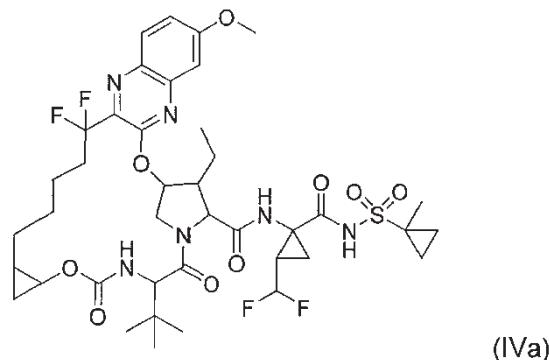
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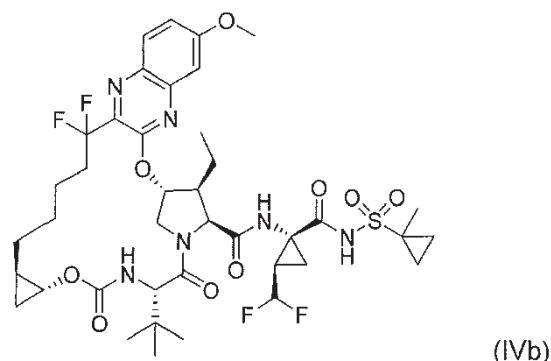
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eller et farmasøytisk akseptabelt salt derav.

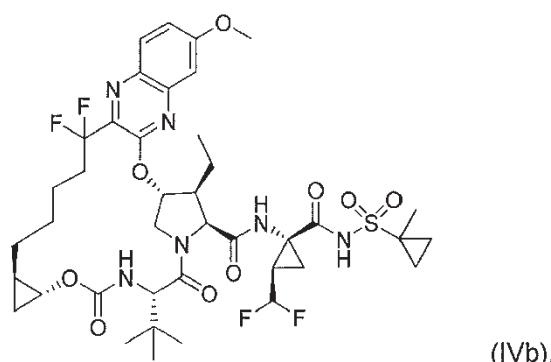
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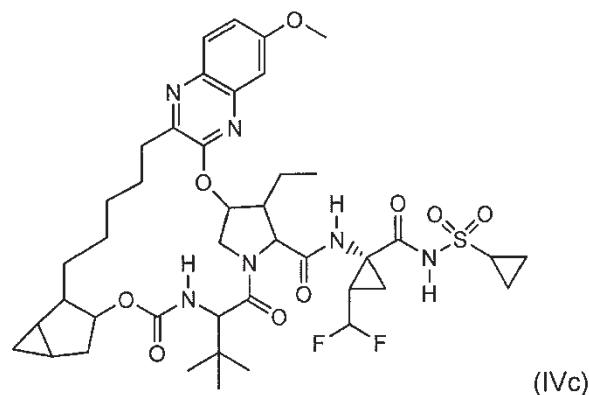
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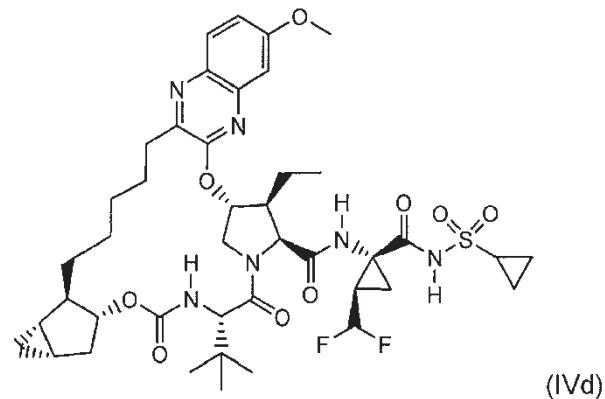


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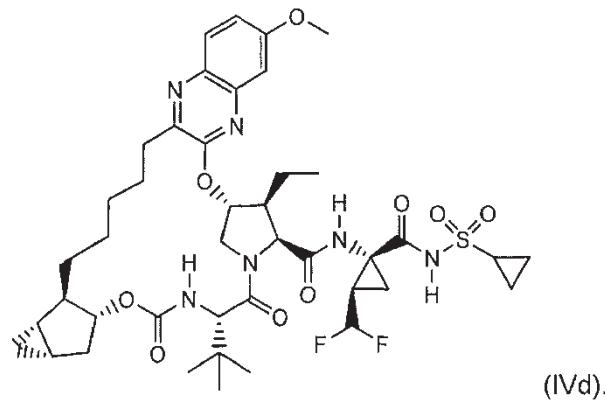
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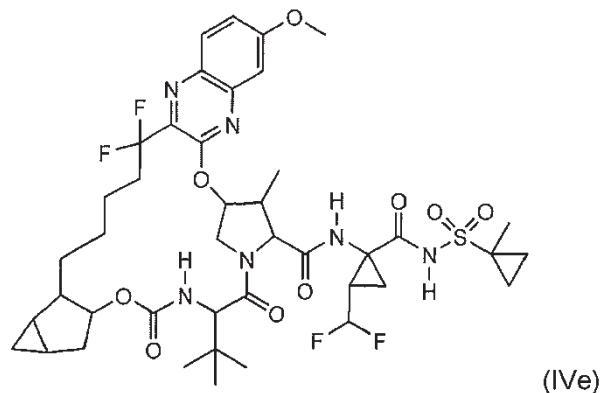
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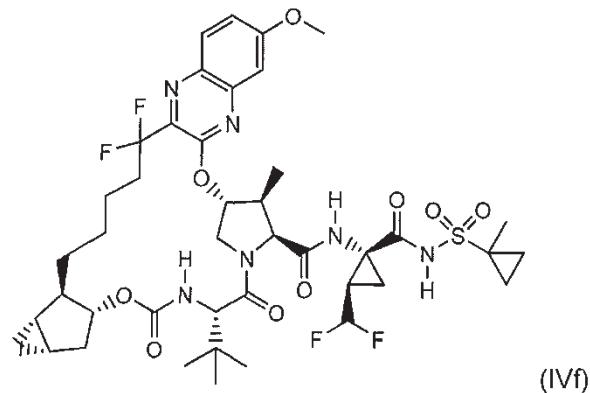
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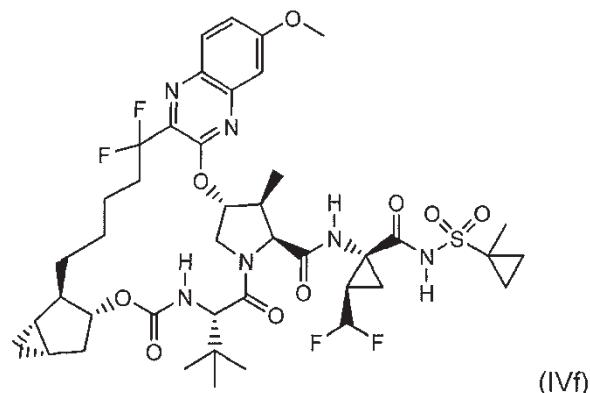
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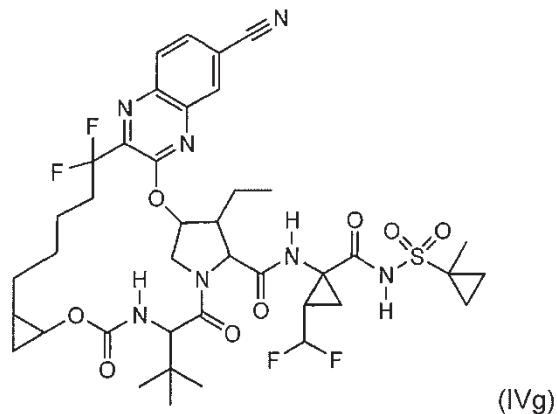
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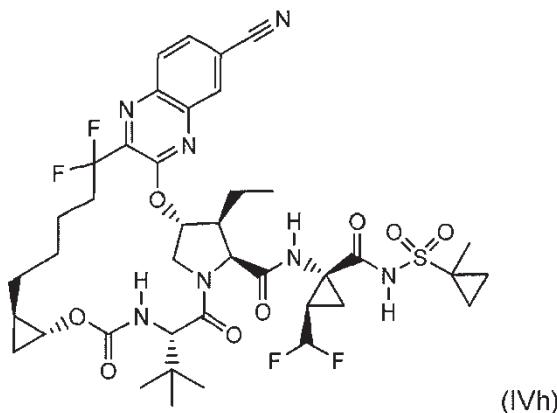
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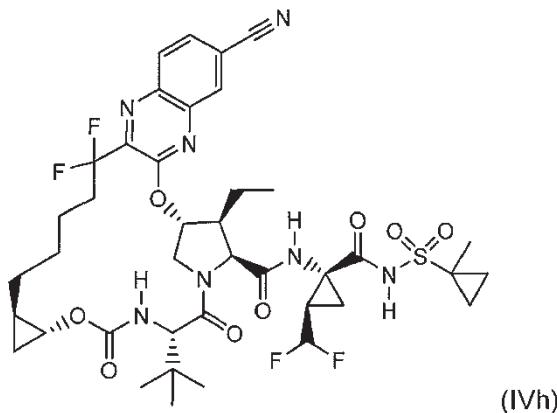
**11.** En forbindelse ifølge krav 10, som er en forbindelse med formel IVh:



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eller et farmasøytisk akseptabelt salt derav.

**12.** En forbindelse ifølge krav 10, som er en forbindelse med formel IVh:



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**13.** En farmasøytisk sammensetning omfattende en forbindelse ifølge hvilket som helst av kravene 1-12, eller et farmasøytisk akseptabelt salt derav, og en farmasøytisk akseptabel eksipiens.

5    **14.** En forbindelse ifølge hvilket som helst av kravene 1 til 12, eller et farmasøytisk akseptabelt salt derav for anvendelse i medisinsk terapi.

**15.** Farmasøytisk sammensetning ifølge krav 13, for anvendelse ved behandling av hepatitt C virusinfeksjon.

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**16.** En forbindelse ifølge hvilket som helst av kravene 1 til 12, eller et farmasøytisk akseptabelt salt derav, for anvendelse ved profylaktisk eller terapeutisk behandling av en hepatitt C virusinfeksjon.