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(57) **ABSTRACT**

Novel compounds of formula

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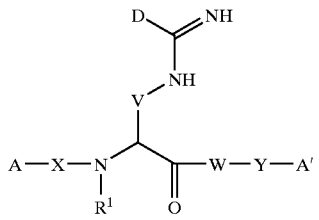

wherein the substituents are defined as in the specification and are useful for inhibiting neuronal NO synthase or inducible NO synthase as well as inhibiting lipidic peroxidation.

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