

Supplementary information

Blocking NS3–NS4B interaction inhibits dengue virus in non-human primates

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1 **Supplementary Methods**

2 **Additional cell lines - antiviral assays**

3 Madin-Darby canine kidney (MDCK; American Type Culture Collection [ATCC]) cells were
4 cultured in Ultra-MDCK serum-free medium (Lonza) and 20 µg/mL gentamicin (Gibco). The
5 same medium was used in the antiviral experiments.

6 HeLa cell lines (cervical epithelial, human) were obtained from ATCC. In the experiments
7 performed at Janssen, cells were cultured in Roswell Park Memorial Institute (RPMI)-1640
8 medium (Lonza) supplemented with 10% heat-inactivated fetal bovine serum (FBS; Thermo
9 Fisher Scientific), 25 mM 4-(2-hydroxyethyl)-1-piperazineethanesulfonic acid (Hepes; Sigma),
10 100 mM L-glutamine (Sigma), and 20 µg/mL gentamicin. The same medium was used for the
11 antiviral assay. The experiments performed at the Southern Research Institute (Frederick, MD)
12 used Dulbecco's Modified Eagle Medium (DMEM; Lonza) supplemented with 5% FBS, 2 mM
13 L-glutamine, 100 units/mL penicillin (Sigma), 100 µg/mL streptomycin (Sigma), and 0.1 mM
14 nonessential amino acids (Sigma), while cells were cultured in 10% FBS.

15 HepG2.117 cells⁶⁶ were kindly provided by Prof. M. Nassal, University Hospital Freiburg,
16 Freiburg, Germany. HepG2.117 cells and HepG2 cells were cultured in DMEM supplemented
17 with 10% FBS, 2 mM L-glutamine, 20 µg/mL gentamicin, 80 µg/mL hygromycin (Roche), 500
18 µg/mL G418 (geneticin; Gibco), and 100 ng/mL doxycycline (Sigma). HepG2.117 is an
19 inducible hepatitis B virus (HBV)-replication cell line⁶⁶. It was established by introduction of a
20 tetracycline (Tet)-responsive element (TRE)-controlled HBV genome (Genotype D, Subtype
21 ayw) expression vector (pTRE-HBVT) into a HepG2 cell line that stably expresses a Tet-
22 responsive trans-activator (tTA). HBV pregenomic RNA is transcribed under the control of the
23 TRE-controlled minimal cytomegalovirus (CMV) promoter upon doxycycline removal from the
24 culture medium, leading to capsid assembly and DNA synthesis.

25 The hepatoblastoma cell line HepG2 was obtained from ATCC and cultured in RPMI-1640
26 medium supplemented with 10% FBS, 25 mM Hepes, 2 mM L-glutamine, and 40 µg/mL
27 gentamicin. Medium with 2% FBS was used in the antiviral assay.

28 Huh-7-Luc cells (Huh-7 human hepatoma cells that are stably transfected with a selectable self-
29 replicating subgenomic hepatitis C virus [HCV] Genotype 1b [Clone ET] RNA sequence
30 harboring a luciferase [Luc] reporter gene) and Huh-7-CMV-Luc (Huh-7 cells containing a CMV
31 major immediate early promoter – Luc construct) were obtained from Heidelberg University
32 Hospital (Heidelberg, Germany)⁶⁷. Both cell lines were cultured in DMEM supplemented with
33 10% heat-inactivated FBS, 0.04% gentamicin (stock solution: 50 mg/mL), and 2 mM L-
34 glutamine. For Huh-7-Luc cells, 0.25 mg/mL G418 was added. The same medium was used in
35 the antiviral assay.

36 Human hepatocellular carcinoma cells (Huh-7)⁶⁸ were obtained from Prof. Heinz Schaller
37 (Center for Molecular Biology Heidelberg [ZMBH], Germany). were cultured in DMEM
38 supplemented with 10% heat-inactivated FBS, 0.02 mg/mL gentamicin, and 2 mM L-glutamine.
39 Medium with 2% FBS was used in the chikungunya virus (CHIKV) assay.

40 MRC-5 cells (secondary human fetal lung fibroblast; ATCC) were cultured in DMEM
41 supplemented with 10% FBS, 0.1 mM nonessential amino acids, 1.0 mM sodium pyruvate
42 (Thermo Fisher), 2.0 mM L-glutamine, 100 units/mL penicillin, and 100 µg/mL streptomycin.
43 The antiviral assay was performed at a reduced FBS concentration of 2%.

44 MAGI-CCR5 cells were obtained from the National Institutes of Health (NIH; Bethesda, MA)
45 acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS) Research and Reference Reagent Program. These
46 cells were derived from HeLa-CD4-LTR-β-gal cells. The cells naturally express C-X-C
47 chemokine receptor Type 4 (CXCR4) and have been engineered to express high levels of cluster

48 of differentiation (CD)4 and C-C chemokine receptor Type 5 (CCR5) and contain 1 copy of the
49 HIV-1 LTR promoter driving expression of the β -galactosidase gene upon HIV-1 Tat
50 transactivation. MAGI-CCR5 cells were cultured in DMEM with 10% FBS, supplemented with
51 2 mM L-glutamine and 0.1 mM nonessential amino acids. In the antiviral assay, DMEM was
52 used supplemented with 2% FBS, 2 mM L-glutamine, 100 units/mL penicillin, 100 μ g/mL
53 streptomycin, and 0.1 mM nonessential amino acids.

54 Vero E6 cells (African green monkey kidney cells; ATCC) were cultured in Eagle's Minimal
55 Essential Medium (MEM; Invitrogen) supplemented with 10% FBS, 2 mM L-glutamine, 100
56 units/mL penicillin, and 100 μ g/mL streptomycin. Medium with 2% FBS was used in the
57 antiviral assay.

58 Human lung epithelial A549 cells were obtained from ATCC and grown in DMEM with high
59 glucose supplemented with 10% FBS and 2 mM L-glutamine. The same medium was used in the
60 antiviral assay.

61 **Chikungunya virus and INF virus assays**

62 The antiviral activity of JNJ-1802 against CHIKV (S27) (*Togaviridae*), influenza (INF) A and
63 INF B viruses (*Orthomyxoviridae*) was measured with a cytopathic effect (CPE) inhibition assay
64 using ATPLite (PerkinElmer). This assay readout is based on the bioluminescent measurement
65 of adenosine triphosphate (ATP) in metabolically active cells. Briefly, MDCK cells (6×10^3
66 cells/well) (INF-1 and B) or Huh-7 cells (8,000 cells/well) (CHIKV) were seeded in 384-well
67 blackview plates (Costar) containing serially diluted test compound in cell culture medium
68 (MDCK cells, Ultra-MDCK serum-free medium and 0.2 μ g/mL gentamicin; Huh-7 cells,
69 DMEM medium supplemented with 2% FBS) and were infected with CHIKV strain S27 at a
70 multiplicity of infection (MOI) of 0.25, INF A/Taiwan/1/1986 (H1N1), INF

71 A/PuertoRico/8/1934 (H1N1), or INF B/Singapore/222/1979 (Yamagata lineage) virus strains at
72 a MOI of 0.01. Plates were incubated at 37°C and 5% CO₂ for 2 days (CHIKV) until the viral
73 CPE in the virus control wells reached ~100% or 3 days (INF A and B) until the CPE in the virus
74 control wells reached ~90%. Then, ATPLite was added to all wells to assess the viability of the
75 cells and thus the preventive effect of the antiviral test compound on CPE. Luminescence was
76 measured using a Viewlux (PerkinElmer) apparatus. In parallel, cytotoxicity was assessed in
77 non-infected Huh-7 cells (CHIKV) and non-infected MDCK cells (INF A and B) using the same
78 ATP-based bioluminescent readout.

79 **Respiratory syncytial virus assay**

80 The antiviral activity of JNJ-1802 against wild-type rgRSV224, an engineered respiratory
81 syncytial virus (RSV) (*Paramyxoviridae*), was determined by measuring inhibition of eGFP
82 expression⁶⁹. A viral titration assay was performed to determine the optimal virus dilution to be
83 used for each newly produced batch of virus. The virus dilution resulting in an infection of 40%
84 of the cells and an eGFP signal between 5×10^5 and 2×10^6 relative fluorescence units (RFU) per
85 well in 96-well format was used. Briefly, HeLa cells (3,000 cells/well) and rgRSV224 (MOI = 1)
86 were incubated for 3 days in 384-well black microtitre plates with a serial dilution of JNJ-1802
87 in triplicate (40 µL final volume; 0.5% DMSO) in RPMI-1640 supplemented with 10% FBS,
88 25 mM Hepes (Sigma), 10 mM L-glutamine, and 0.02 µg/mL gentamicin. eGFP fluorescence
89 was measured using an automated scanning laser microscope. In parallel, cytotoxicity of the
90 compound was measured in non-infected HeLa cells using ATP-based bioluminescent readout
91 (ATPLite 1step luminescence assay system; PerkinElmer).

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94 **Hepatitis B virus assay**

95 Briefly, 20,000 HepG2.117 cells per well were plated into 96-well plates 1 day before starting
96 the 3-day incubation with JNJ-1802. During the antiviral testing, cells were cultured in DMEM
97 medium with 1% MEM nonessential amino acid solution (Sigma) and 1% glutamine (Gibco) in
98 the absence of doxycycline and presence of 2% FBS. JNJ-1802 was tested in a 1:4 serial dilution
99 at 5 different concentrations in duplicate. At the end of the drug treatment, the supernatant was
100 removed, and intracellular total DNA was extracted. Briefly, 100 μL of a 0.33% NP-40 solution
101 was added per well, the plate was incubated at 4°C for 5 minutes and spun at 1,500 revolutions
102 per minute (rpm) for 5 minutes to remove cell debris. Of the lysate, 35 μL was added to 65 μL
103 QuickExtract DNA Extraction solution 1.0 (Epicentre) in a 96-well polymerase chain reaction
104 (PCR) plate and the plate was incubated for 6 minutes at 65°C and 2 minutes at 98°C in a PCR
105 machine. Of the extracted total DNA, 10 μL was used for the quantification of HBV DNA in a
106 quantitative PCR (qPCR) assay. The Δ cycle threshold (Ct) method was used to calculate 50%
107 effective concentration (EC₅₀) or 90% effective concentration (EC₉₀) values.

108 For toxicity testing, HepG2 cells (1×10^4 cells/well) were added to 96-well culture plates (Nunc)
109 in RPMI-1640 medium with 2% L-glutamine (Sigma) in the presence of 2% FBS containing
110 serially diluted test compound in cell culture medium and were incubated for 4 days.
111 Cytotoxicity of JNJ-1802 was measured using the ATPLite kit (Perkin Elmer).

112 **Hepatitis C virus assay**

113 The antiviral activity of JNJ-1802 against HCV (*Flaviviridae*) was tested in an HCV replicon-
114 containing cell culture system consisting of Huh-7 cells that are stably transfected with a
115 selectable self-replicating sub-genomic HCV Genotype 1b (Clone ET) RNA sequence harboring
116 a luciferase reporter gene (Huh-7-Luc cells)⁶⁷. In brief, Huh-7 Luc replicon-containing cells were

117 seeded in 384-well plates (2,500 cells/well) and incubated for 3 days with a concentration range
118 of serially diluted JNJ-1802 in a final DMSO concentration of 0.5% in cell culture medium
119 without G418. HCV replicon RNA replication was determined by means of measuring the firefly
120 luciferase reporter gene expression using the SteadyLite Plus assay kit (PerkinElmer) and
121 luminescence measurement using a ViewLux reader (PerkinElmer). A toxicity assay was
122 performed using the Huh-7-CMV-Luc cells (containing an hCMV-MIEP-Luc construct). Cells
123 were seeded in 384-well culture plates (2,500 cells/well) in cell culture medium without G418
124 and incubated for 3 days at 37°C in a humidified 5% CO₂ atmosphere in the presence or absence
125 of 4-fold serially diluted compound. Luciferase activity was quantified using the SteadyLite Plus
126 assay kit (PerkinElmer) and luminescence measurement on a ViewLux reader (PerkinElmer).

127 **Adenovirus type 5 and HRV assay**

128 JNJ-1802 was tested against adenovirus (ADV) Type 5 (*Adenoviridae*), human rhinovirus
129 (HRV)-14 or HRV-16 (*Picornaviridae*) using a cytoprotection-based assay in HeLa cells.
130 Briefly, HeLa cells (2.5×10³ cells/well) and ADV, HRV-14 or HRV-16 were mixed in the
131 presence of a serial dilution of the compound and incubated for 6 days (ADV) or 3 to 4 days
132 (HRV-14 and -16). Inhibition of viral replication and cytotoxicity were measured using a 3-(4,5-
133 dimethylthiazol-2-yl)-5-(3-carboxymethoxyphenyl)-2-(4-sulfophenyl)-2H-tetrazolium (MTS) dye
134 reduction assay (CellTiter, Promega). MTS is metabolised by the mitochondrial enzymes of
135 metabolically active cells to yield a soluble formazan product, enabling the rapid quantitative
136 analysis of cell viability and compound cytotoxicity. MTS is a stable solution that does not
137 require preparation before use. At termination of the assay, 15 µL of MTS reagent was added per
138 well. The microtitre plates were then incubated for 1.5 to 2 hours at 37°C. The plates were read

139 spectrophotometrically at 490/650 nm with a Molecular Devices SpectraMax plate reader. In
140 parallel, cytotoxicity was determined using the same assay principle in the absence of virus.

141 **Human cytomegalovirus and VACV assays**

142 The antiviral activity of JNJ-1802 against human cytomegalovirus (hCMV) (*Herpesviridae*) was
143 evaluated in MRC-5 cells and against vaccinia virus (VACV) (*Poxviridae*) in Vero E6 cells
144 using a plaque reduction assay. MRC-5 cells (1×10^5 cells/well) were seeded in 24-well plates
145 (Corning) or Vero E6 cells (3.2×10^5 cell/well) in 12-well plates (Corning) and incubated. The
146 following day, media was aspirated and 100 plaque-forming units (PFU) of hCMV AD169 were
147 added. After 1 h of viral absorption, a serially diluted JNJ-1802 solution containing 0.5%
148 methylcellulose (Sigma) was added. The plates were incubated for 6 days. VACV was added at
149 150 PFU to the corresponding wells in presence of serial dilutions (in duplicate) of JNJ-1802.
150 After incubation for 1 h at 37°C and 5% CO₂, a compound dilution / overlay media mixture was
151 added to the wells. Plates were incubated for 72 h. Next, media was aspirated, and cells were
152 fixed using 20% methanol containing crystal violet (Sigma). Plaques were counted by
153 microscopic inspection. In parallel, compound cytotoxicity was assessed in MRC-5 (hCMV) or
154 Vero E6 (VACV) cells seeded in 96-well plates (1×10^4 cells/well). After an overnight
155 incubation, JNJ-1802 was added. After a 6-day (MRC-5 cells) or 72-hour (Vero E6 cells)
156 incubation period, cell viability was measured using the MTS dye reduction assay. At
157 termination of the assay, 20 µL of MTS reagent was added per well. The microtitre plates were
158 then incubated for approximately 1.5 h at 37°C. The plates were read spectrophotometrically at
159 490/650 nm with a Molecular Devices Vmax plate reader.

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162 **Human immunodeficiency virus assay**

163 The antiviral activity of JNJ-1802 against HIV 1 (*Retroviridae*) was assessed in MAGI CCR5
164 cells containing an HIV 1 LTR promoter driving expression of the β -galactosidase gene upon
165 HIV 1 Tat transactivation. Briefly, MAGI CCR5 cells were pre-seeded 1 day before infection
166 (1×10^4 cells/well) and incubated overnight. Next, MAGI CCR5 cells were infected with HIV
167 1/IIIB (0.001 50% tissue culture infective dose per cell) in the presence of a serial dilution
168 (triplicate) of JNJ-1802. After 48 h incubation, antiviral activity was measured as the inhibition
169 of β -galactosidase reporter expression using Gal screen reagent (Tropix) according to the
170 manufacturer's instructions. The resulting chemiluminescence signal was read using a Microbeta
171 Trilux luminescence reader (PerkinElmer, Wallac). In parallel, cytotoxicity plates were measured
172 using the MTS method as described above.

173 **Vesicular stomatitis virus assay**

174 Inhibition of vesicular stomatitis virus (VSV; *Rhabdoviridae*) replication by JNJ-1802 was
175 assessed in A549 cells infected with recombinant (r)VSV harboring a luciferase reporter gene. In
176 brief, A549 cells (3×10^4 cells/well) were seeded 1 day in advance, followed by a 1-hour
177 incubation with a serial dilution of JNJ-1802, before infection with rVSV. After 24-hour
178 incubation, BrightGlo reagent (Promega) was added and luciferase activity was measured using
179 an Envision plate reader (PerkinElmer). In parallel, cytotoxicity was assessed in non-infected
180 A549 cells using the commercially available CellTiter-Glo Luminescent Cell Viability Kit
181 (Promega). The procedure involves adding the single reagent (CellTiter-Glo Reagent) directly to
182 the cells, which induces cell lysis and the production of a bioluminescent signal that is
183 proportional to the amount of ATP present (which is a biomarker for viability).

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185 **Evaluation of haematological parameters**

186 At the clinical laboratory at the Biomedical Primate Research Centre (BPCR), haematological
187 parameters were measured in EDTA-treated blood (1 mL was collected) using a Sysmex XT-
188 2000iV Automated Hematology Analyzer (Sysmex® Corporation of America). The data
189 obtained are summarized in Supplementary Tables 4–7. Haematological data were compared to
190 the minimum and maximum normal values also shown in the tables. Normal values (minimum
191 and maximum) were determined using blood samples collected from healthy male and female
192 rhesus macaques from the BPRC breeding colony and were calculated using haematological
193 values from > 50 individual animals. As the normal values were obtained by averaging the
194 values from these animals, haematological values of individual animals may deviate. Indeed,
195 data were obtained at several time points from individual animals that were outside the normal
196 minimum and maximum values. These values are indicated in the table (orange shading).
197 However, these changes in haematological parameters could not be related to the experimental
198 infection or compound dose.

199 **Chemical characterization of JNJ-1802**

200 All commercial reagents were used without further purification. Dry solvents were used.

201 NMR experiments were carried out using a Bruker Avance III 400 or a Bruker 360 DPX
202 spectrometer, at ambient temperature (298.6 K), using internal deuterium lock, and equipped
203 with reverse double-resonance (^1H , ^{13}C , SEI) probe head with z gradients, and operating at 400
204 MHz or 360 MHz for the proton, and 100 Hz or 90 Hz for the carbon, respectively. Chemical
205 shifts (δ) are reported in parts per million (ppm). J values are expressed in Hz. The following
206 abbreviations were used for multiplicities: s = singlet, d = doublet, t = triplet, q = quartet, m =
207 multiplet, dd = doublet of doublets, td = triple doublet, dt = double triplet, and br = broad.

208 Chromatographic experiments for HRMS were performed using an Ultimate 3000 RS UHPLC
209 system (Thermo Fisher Scientific, Germering, Germany) composed of a gradient pump, an
210 autosampler, a column oven, and a diode-array detector (DAD). The DAD scanning wavelength
211 ranged from 200 to 400 nm. Mobile phase A consisted of 10 mM $\text{CH}_3\text{COONH}_4$ in 95 % H_2O + 5
212 % CH_3CN , and mobile phase B consisted of CH_3CN . The liquid chromatography (LC)
213 experiments were carried out at a flow rate of 0.6 mL/min. A linear gradient was applied from
214 95 % A to 5 % A in 2.10 min and held for 1.9 min. The column compartment was kept at 55 °C.
215 A 2.1 mm i.d. x 100 mm Acquity UPLC BEH C18 column packed with 1.7 μm particles was
216 obtained from Waters Corporation (Milford, MA, USA). Flow from the column was 1:10 split to
217 the mass spectrometer (MS).

218 The high-resolution mass spectrometry experiments were performed on a Q-Exactive mass
219 spectrometer (Thermo Fisher Scientific, Bremen, Germany) via an electrospray ionization (ESI)
220 interface and in Full MS scan type mode. Nitrogen was used as the nebulizer gas. The MS was
221 operated both in positive and negative mode, and the ESI parameters were as follows: spray

222 voltage: 4.00 kV; capillary temperature: 320 °C; S-lens RF level: 50.0. Masses in the m/z 150 to
223 1200 range were selected and the experiments were performed at resolution of 140,000. The data
224 acquisition software used was Xcalibur (version 4.4, Thermo Fisher Scientific). The MS was
225 calibrated in both modes according to the manufacturer instructions. The reported accurate
226 masses correspond to the $[M+H]^+$ (protonated monoisotopic molecular mass) and/or $[M-H]^-$
227 (deprotonated monoisotopic molecular mass). The LC-MS analyses were performed using a LC
228 pump, a diode-array (DAD) or a UV detector and a column as specified in the respective
229 methods. If necessary, additional detectors were included (see methods below). Flow from the
230 column was brought to the MS which was configured with an atmospheric pressure ion source.
231 Data acquisition was performed with appropriate software. If not specified differently in the data,
232 the reported molecular ion corresponds to the $[M+H]^+$ (protonated molecule). For molecules with
233 multiple isotopic patterns (Br, Cl), the reported value is the one obtained for the lowest isotope
234 mass. All results were obtained with experimental uncertainties that are commonly associated
235 with the method used. "SQD" means Single Quadrupole Detector, "DAD" Diode Array
236 Detector, "HSS" High Strength Silica.

237 LCMS1 conditions: reversed-phase UPLC-DAD and SQD was carried out on a HSS T3 column
238 (1.8 μm , 2.1 \times 100 mm) from Waters with a flow rate of 0.7 mL/min at 55 °C. The gradient
239 conditions used were as follows: 100 % A (10 mM $\text{CH}_3\text{COONH}_4$ in 95 % H_2O + 5 % CH_3CN), 0
240 % B (CH_3CN), to 5 % A in 2.1 min, to 0 % A in 0.9 min, to 5 % A in 0.5 min, with a total run
241 time of 3.5 min.

242 LCMS2 conditions: reversed-phase UPLC-DAD and SQD was carried out on a BEH C18
243 column (1.7 μm , 2.1 \times 50 mm) from Waters with a flow rate of 0.8 mL/min at 55 °C. The

244 gradient conditions used were as follows: 95 % A (10 mM CH₃COONH₄ in 95 % H₂O + 5 %
245 CH₃CN), 5 % B (CH₃CN), to 5 % A in 1.3 min, held for 0.7 min, with a total run time of 2 min.

246 The SFC measurement was performed using an Analytical Supercritical fluid chromatography
247 (SFC) system composed by a binary pump for delivering carbon dioxide (CO₂) and modifier, an
248 autosampler, a column oven, a diode array detector equipped with a high-pressure flow cell
249 standing up to 400 bars. If configured with a MS the flow from the column was brought to the
250 MS. Data acquisition was performed with appropriate software.

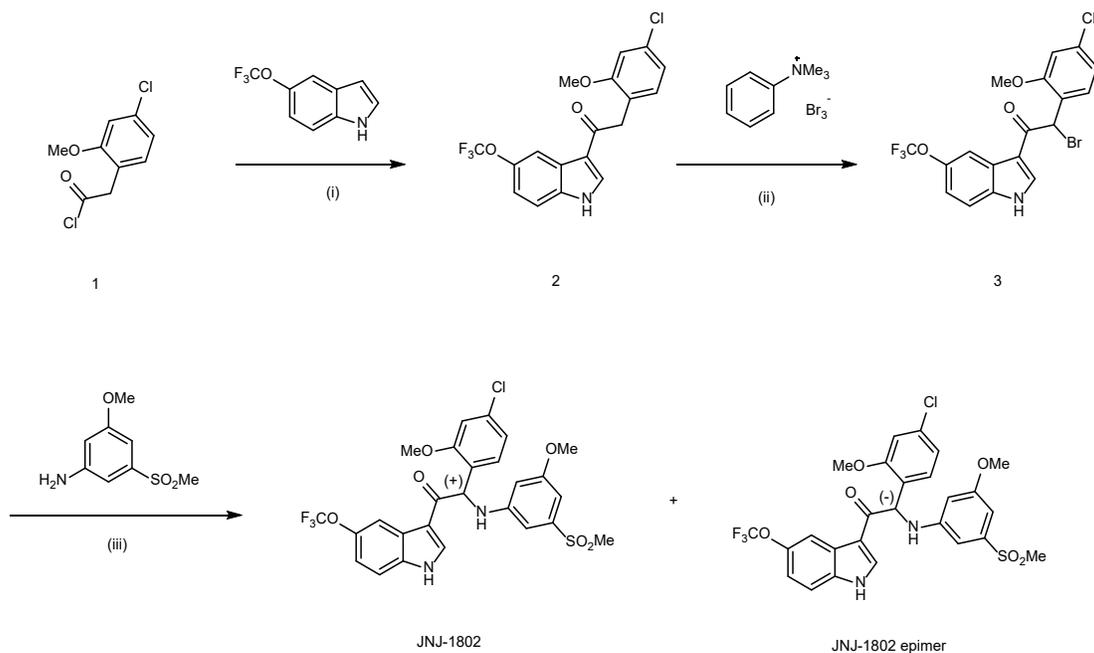
251 SFC conditions: SFC was carried out on a Daicel Chiralpak AS-3 column (3 μm, 4.6 x 150 mm)
252 with a flow rate of 2.5 mL/min and a backpressure of 110 bars, at 40 °C. The gradient conditions
253 used were as follows: 90 % A (CO₂), 10 % B (EtOH + 0.2 % iPrNH₂ + 3 % H₂O) to 50 % A, 50
254 % B in 6 min, held for 3.5 min, with a total run time of 9.5 min.

255 For melting points, values are peak values and are obtained with experimental uncertainties that
256 are commonly associated with this analytical method. Melting points were determined with a
257 DSC823e (Mettler-Toledo). Melting points were measured with a temperature gradient of 10
258 °C/minute. Maximum temperature was 300 °C.

259 Optical rotations were measured on a Perkin-Elmer 341 polarimeter with a sodium lamp. The
260 rotation is reported in degrees.

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262 **Synthesis of JNJ-1802**



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264 **Scheme 1. Synthesis pathway for JNJ-1802: (i) Et₂AlCl, CH₂Cl₂, 0 °C to r.t., 4 h; (ii) THF,**

265 **0 °C to r.t., 2 h; (iii) DIPEA, CH₃CN, 90 °C, 18 h, followed by chiral separation.**

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267 **2-(4-Chloro-2-methoxyphenyl)-1-(5-(trifluoromethoxy)-1H-indol-3-yl)ethan-1-one (2)**

268 A solution of 5-(trifluoromethoxy)-1H-indole ([CAS 262593-63-5], 3 g, 14.9 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂

269 (150 mL) was cooled to 0 °C under nitrogen atmosphere. A solution of diethylaluminum chloride

270 (1 M in hexane, 22.4 mL, 22.4 mmol) was added dropwise and the resulting mixture was kept at

271 0 °C for 15 min. A solution of 2-(4-chloro-2-methoxyphenyl)acetyl chloride⁷⁰ 1 (4.57 g, 20.9

272 mmol) in CH₂Cl₂ (100 mL) was added dropwise. Stirring was continued at 0 °C for 1 h and the

273 reaction mixture was subsequently stirred at room temperature for 4 h. The reaction mixture was

274 poured out in a stirring ice/Rochelle salt solution. After the ice had melted, the mixture was

275 filtered over dicalite® and the filter cake was washed several times with THF. The filtrates were

276 combined. The layers were separated and the organic layer was washed with brine, dried over
277 MgSO₄, filtered, and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was triturated with CH₂Cl₂
278 (50 mL). The resulting precipitate was filtered and dried under vacuum at 50 °C to provide 2-(4-
279 chloro-2-methoxyphenyl)-1-(5-(trifluoromethoxy)-*1H*-indol-3-yl)ethan-1-one **2** (4.39 g, yield: 76
280 %).

281 ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ ppm 3.75 (s, 3 H), 4.18 (s, 2 H), 6.97 (dd, J=8.1, 2.0 Hz, 1 H),
282 7.05 (d, J=2.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.21 (m, J=7.4, 7.4 Hz, 2 H), 7.59 (d, J=8.8 Hz, 1 H), 8.03 (s, 1 H), 8.56
283 (s, 1 H), 12.21 (br s, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (101 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ ppm 192.5, 158.5, 144.2, 136.4,
284 135.5, 132.9, 132.5, 126.3, 124.0, 120.4, 116.9, 116.6, 114.0, 113.6, 111.7, 56.3 (1 peak is
285 hidden under the solvent peak); LC-MS: [M+H]⁺ 384; purity 100 % (method LCMS2); Melting
286 point: 221-235 °C (DSC peak: 225.7 °C); HRMS (ESI⁺) m/z: [M]⁺ calcd for C₁₈H₁₄O₃NCIF₃,
287 384.0609; found, 384.0606

288 ***2-Bromo-2-(4-chloro-2-methoxyphenyl)-1-(5-(trifluoromethoxy)-1H-indol-3-yl)ethan-1-***
289 ***one (3)***

290 A stirred solution of 2-(4-chloro-2-methoxyphenyl)-1-(5-(trifluoromethoxy)-*1H*-indol-3-
291 yl)ethan-1-one **2** (4.39 g, 11.4 mmol) in THF (200 mL) was cooled to 0 °C. A solution of
292 phenyltrimethylammonium tribromide ([CAS 4207-56-1], 4.73 g, 12.6 mmol) in THF (100 mL)
293 was added dropwise. The resulting suspension was stirred at room temperature for 2 h. The
294 solids were removed by filtration and washed with THF. The combined filtrates were evaporated
295 under reduced pressure. The residue was mixed with EtOAc (30 mL). The solids were isolated
296 by filtration, washed with a small amount of EtOAc, and dried under vacuum at 50 °C to provide
297 2-bromo-2-(4-chloro-2-methoxyphenyl)-1-(5-(trifluoromethoxy)-*1H*-indol-3-yl)ethan-1-one **3**
298 (5.0 g, yield: 95 %) as a white solid, which was used in the next step without further purification.

299 ¹H NMR (360 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ ppm 3.89 (s, 3 H), 6.89 (s, 1 H), 7.07 (dd, J=8.2, 2.0 Hz, 1 H),
300 7.15 (d, J=1.5 Hz, 1 H), 7.24 (dd, J=8.6, 2.0 Hz, 1 H), 7.57 (d, J=8.4 Hz, 1 H), 7.61 (d, J=8.8 Hz,
301 1 H), 8.05 (s, 1 H), 8.49 (d, J=3.3 Hz, 1 H), 12.39 (br d, J=2.6 Hz, 1 H); LC-MS: R_t 2.29 min,
302 [M+H]⁺ 462; purity: 98 % (method LCMS1)

303 *(+)-2-(4-chloro-2-methoxyphenyl)-2-((3-methoxy-5-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl)amino)-1-(5-*
304 *(trifluoromethoxy)-1H-indol-3-yl)ethan-1-one (JNJ-1802)*

305 A mixture of 2-bromo-2-(4-chloro-2-methoxyphenyl)-1-(5-(trifluoromethoxy)-*1H*-indol-3-
306 yl)ethan-1-one **3** (2.5 g, 5.40 mmol), 3-methoxy-5-(methylsulfonyl)aniline ([CAS 62606-02-4],
307 1.49 g, 7.38 mmol), and diisopropylethylamine (931 μL, 5.40 mmol) in CH₃CN (100 mL) was
308 stirred overnight at 90 °C. The reaction mixture was concentrated under reduced pressure. The
309 residue was dissolved in CH₂Cl₂ (100 mL), washed with aqueous HCl (1 N in water, 100 mL)
310 and water (100 mL), dried over MgSO₄, filtered, and evaporated under reduced pressure. The
311 residue was purified by column chromatography (Stationary phase: Grace Reveleris® silica 120
312 g, Mobile phase: EtOAc:EtOH (3:1)/heptane gradient from 0/100 to 50/50). The desired fractions
313 were combined and evaporated under reduced pressure. The residue was precipitated from
314 EtOAc (10 mL) while stirring. The solids were isolated by filtration and washed with a small
315 amount of EtOAc to provide 2-(4-chloro-2-methoxyphenyl)-2-((3-methoxy-5-
316 (methylsulfonyl)phenyl)amino)-1-(5-(trifluoromethoxy)-*1H*-indol-3-yl)ethan-1-one (477 mg) as
317 a racemic mixture. The filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure and the residue was taken
318 up with EtOAc (5 mL). After overnight stirring, the solids were isolated by filtration and washed
319 with EtOAc to provide a second crop of 2-(4-chloro-2-methoxyphenyl)-2-((3-methoxy-5-
320 (methylsulfonyl)phenyl)amino)-1-(5-(trifluoromethoxy)-*1H*-indol-3-yl)ethan-1-one (216 mg).
321 Both batches of the racemic mixture were combined and the mixture was separated into its

322 enantiomers by normal phase chiral purification (Stationary phase: AS 20 μ m, Mobile phase: 100
323 % MeOH). The first eluted epimer was stirred up in water (2 mL) and MeOH (3 mL) at 40 °C.
324 The solids were filtered, washed (3 x) with H₂O/MeOH 1/1, and dried under vacuum at 45 °C to
325 provide (+)-2-(4-chloro-2-methoxyphenyl)-2-((3-methoxy-5-(methylsulfonyl)phenyl)amino)-1-
326 (5-(trifluoromethoxy)-*1H*-indol-3-yl)ethan-1-one (**JNJ-1802**) (151 mg, yield: 5 %). The second
327 eluted epimer was further purified by flash chromatography on silica gel (Stationary phase:
328 Grace Reveleris® silica 12 g, Mobile phase: heptane/EtOAc/EtOH 100/0/0 to 40/45/15). The
329 desired fractions were combined, evaporated under reduced pressure, and co-evaporated with
330 EtOAc. The residue was stirred up in MeOH (5 mL) and precipitated by the slow addition of
331 H₂O (4 mL). The solids were filtered, washed (3 x) with H₂O/MeOH 1/1, and dried under
332 vacuum at 50 °C to provide the **epimer of JNJ-1802** (132 mg, yield: 4 %).

333 **JNJ-1802:**

334 ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ ppm 3.09 (s, 3 H) 3.73 (s, 3 H) 3.99 (s, 3 H) 6.26 35 (d, J=7.9
335 Hz, 1 H) 6.55 - 6.62 (m, 2 H) 6.91 (t, J=1.5 Hz, 1 H) 6.98 (dd, J=8.4, 2.0 Hz, 1 H) 7.07 (d, J=7.9
336 Hz, 1 H) 7.13 (d, J=2.0 Hz, 1 H) 7.21 (dd, J=8.8, 1.8 Hz, 1 H) 7.36 (d, J=8.4 Hz, 1 H) 7.59 (d,
337 J=8.8 Hz, 1 H) 8.07 (d, J=0.9 Hz, 1 H) 8.55 (s, 1 H) 12.29 (br s, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (DMSO-*d*₆, 101
338 MHz) δ ppm 190.8, 160.9, 157.6, 149.1, 144.5, 142.9, 136.4, 135.5, 133.8, 129.5, 126.6, 126.4,
339 121.3, 117.3, 114.4, 114.3, 113.4, 112.2, 103.2, 100.2, 56.8, 55.8, 55.0, 43.9, (CF₃ quadruplet not
340 visible); LC/MS: R_t 1.20 min, [M+H]⁺ 583; purity 97 % (method LCMS2); Chiral SFC: R_t 3.10
341 min, [M+H]⁺ 583, chiral purity 100 %; [α]_D²⁰: +130.3° (589 nm, c 0.555 w/v %, DMF, 20 °C);
342 Melting point: 106-118 °C (DSC peak: 111.5 °C); HRMS (ESI⁺) m/z: [M]⁺ calcd for
343 C₂₆H₂₃O₆N₂ClF₃S, 583.0912; found 583.0907; Elemental analysis requires C, 53.57 %; H, 3.80
344 %; N, 4.81 %; found C, 53.3 %; H, 3.9 %; N, 4.8 %

345 Epimer of **JNJ-1802**:

346 ¹H NMR (400 MHz, DMSO-*d*₆) δ ppm 3.09 (s, 3 H) 3.73 (s, 3 H) 3.99 (s, 3 H) 6.26 (d, J=7.9 Hz,
347 1 H) 6.56 - 6.62 (m, 2 H) 6.92 (t, J=2.0 Hz, 1 H) 6.98 (dd, J=8.1, 2.0 Hz, 1 H) 7.07 (d, J=7.9 Hz,
348 1 H) 7.13 (d, J=2.0 Hz, 1 H) 7.22 (dd, J=8.8, 1.8 Hz, 1 H) 7.36 (d, J=8.4 Hz, 1 H) 7.59 (d, J=8.8
349 Hz, 1 H) 8.07 (d, J=0.9 Hz, 1 H) 8.55 (s, 1 H) 12.30 (br s, 1 H); ¹³C NMR (DMSO-*d*₆, 101 MHz)
350 δ ppm 190.8, 160.9, 157.6, 149.1, 144.5, 142.9, 136.5, 135.5, 133.8, 129.5, 126.6, 126.4, 121.3,
351 120.8 (q, J=255.0 Hz), 117.3, 120.8, 114.4, 114.3, 113.4, 112.2, 104.5, 103.2, 100.2, 56.8, 55.8,
352 55.0, 43.9; LC/MS: R_t 1.20 min, [M+H]⁺ 583; purity 100 % (method LCMS2); Chiral SFC: R_t
353 3.51 min, [M+H]⁺ 583, chiral purity 100 %; [α]_D²⁰: -133.2° (589 nm, c 0.5 w/v %, DMF, 20 °C);
354 Melting point: 104-115 °C (DSC peak: 110.2 °C); HRMS (ESI⁺) m/z: [M]⁺ calcd for
355 C₂₆H₂₃O₆N₂ClF₃S, 583.0912; found, 583.0907.

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357 ¹H, ¹³C nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR), and differential scanning calorimetric (DSC)
358 characterisation of the compounds

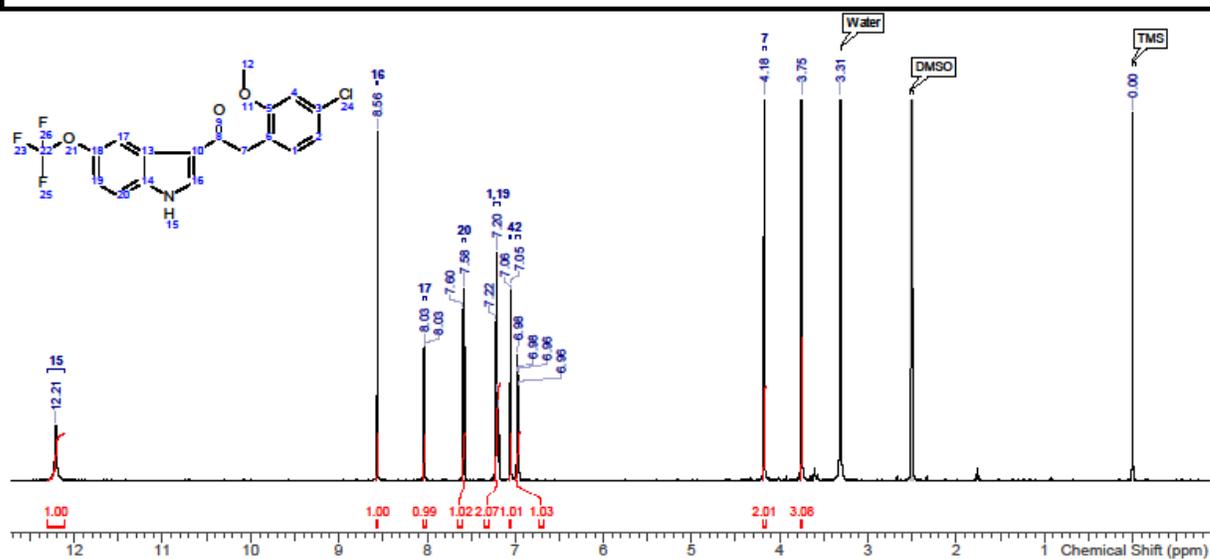
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360 *Intermediate 2 – ¹H NMR*

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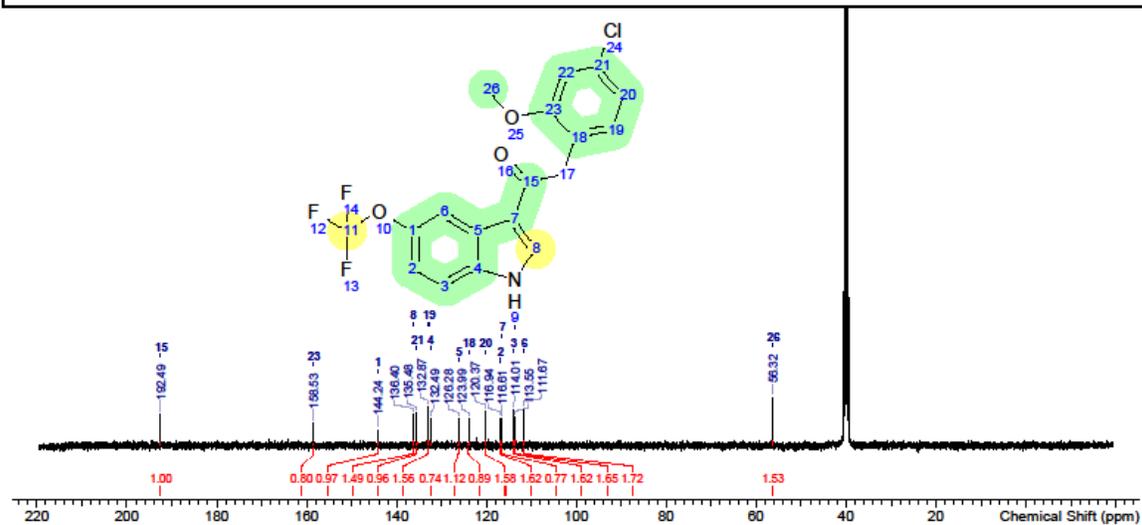
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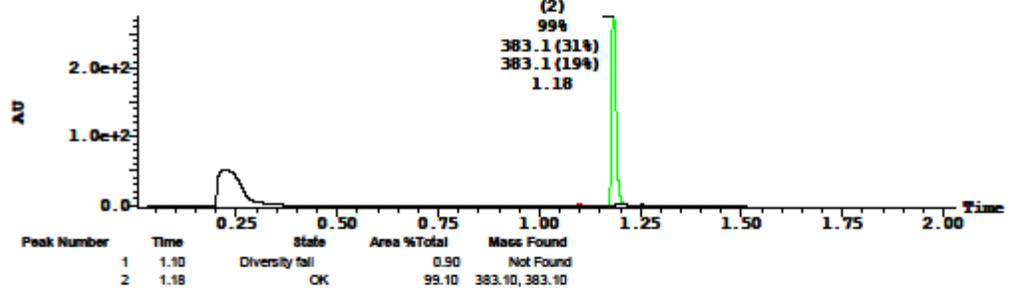


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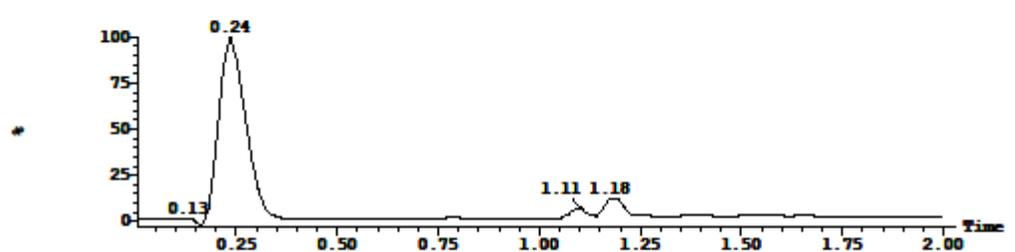
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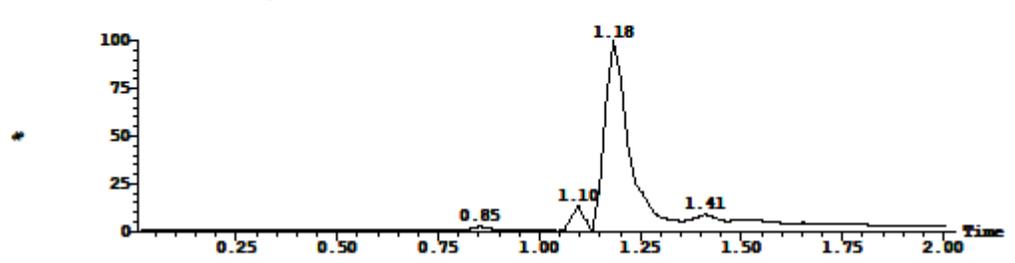
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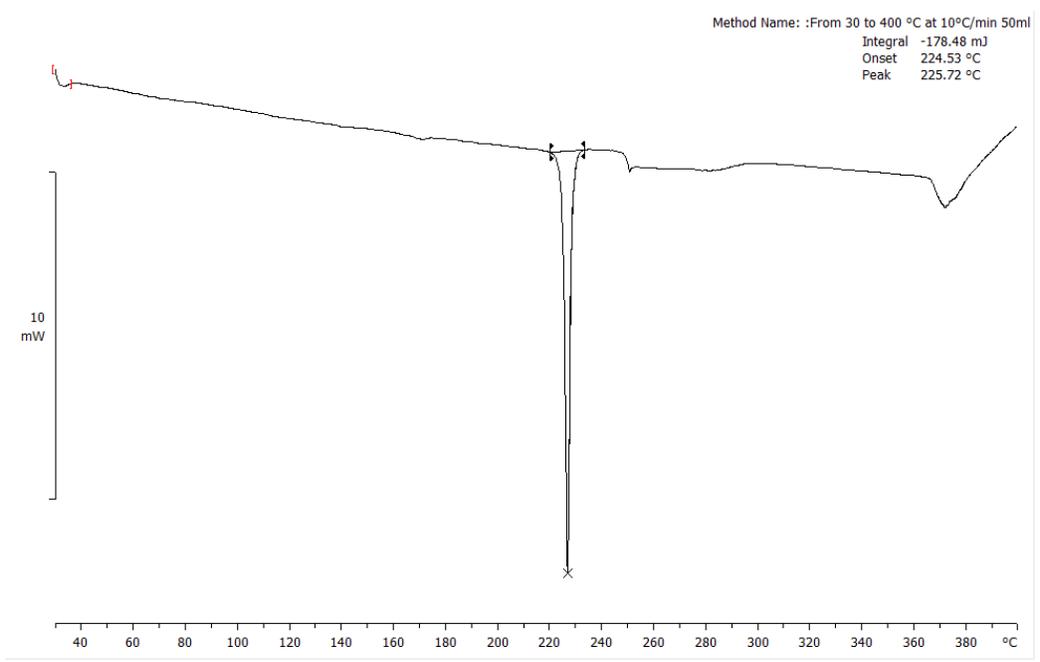
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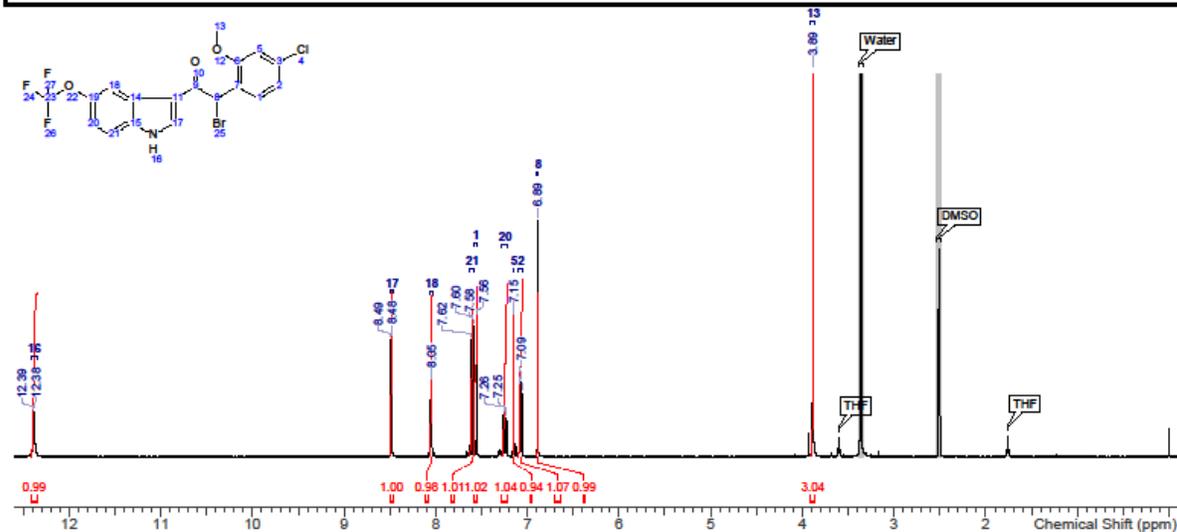
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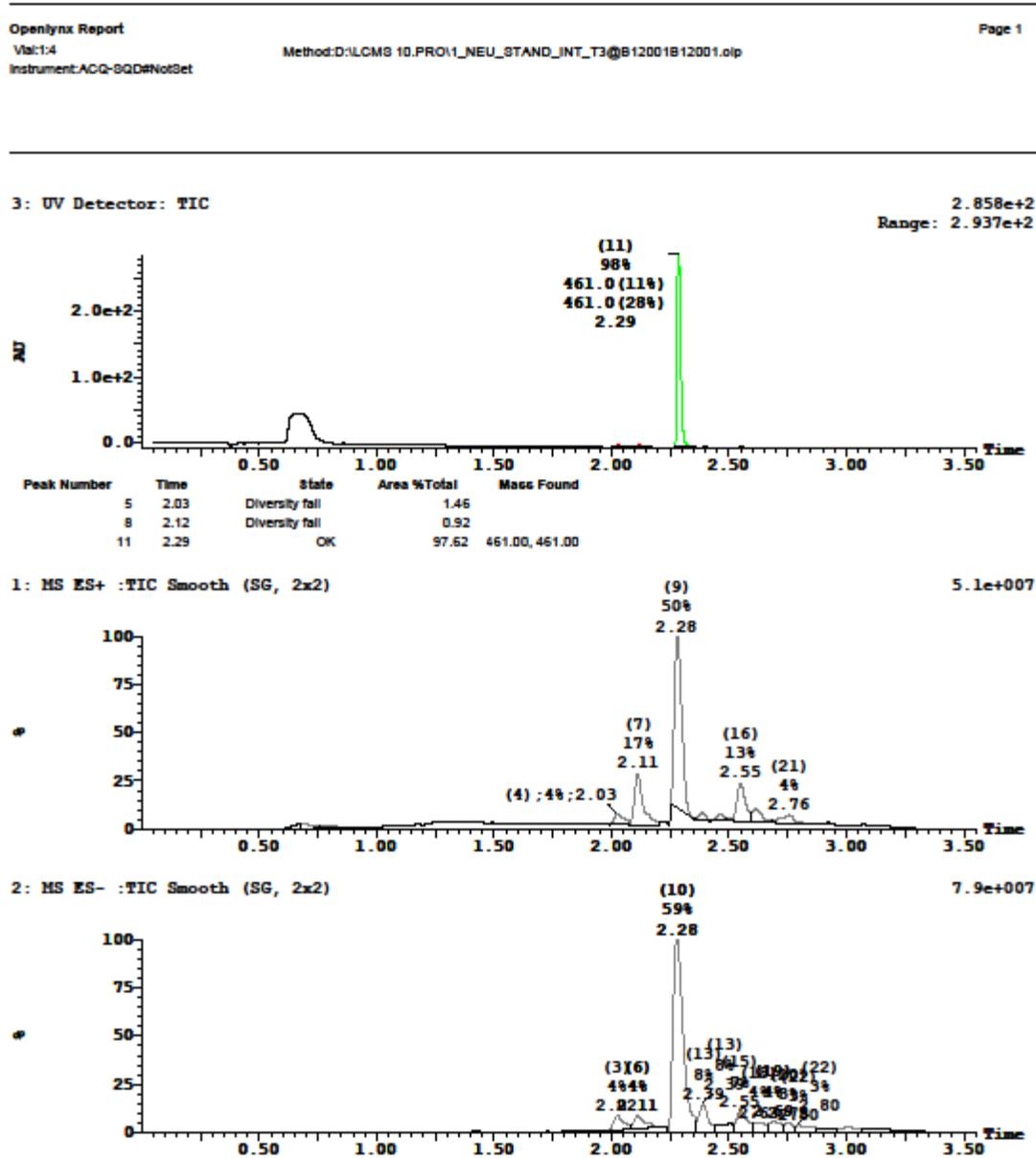
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370 *Intermediate 3 – LC-MS chromatogram*



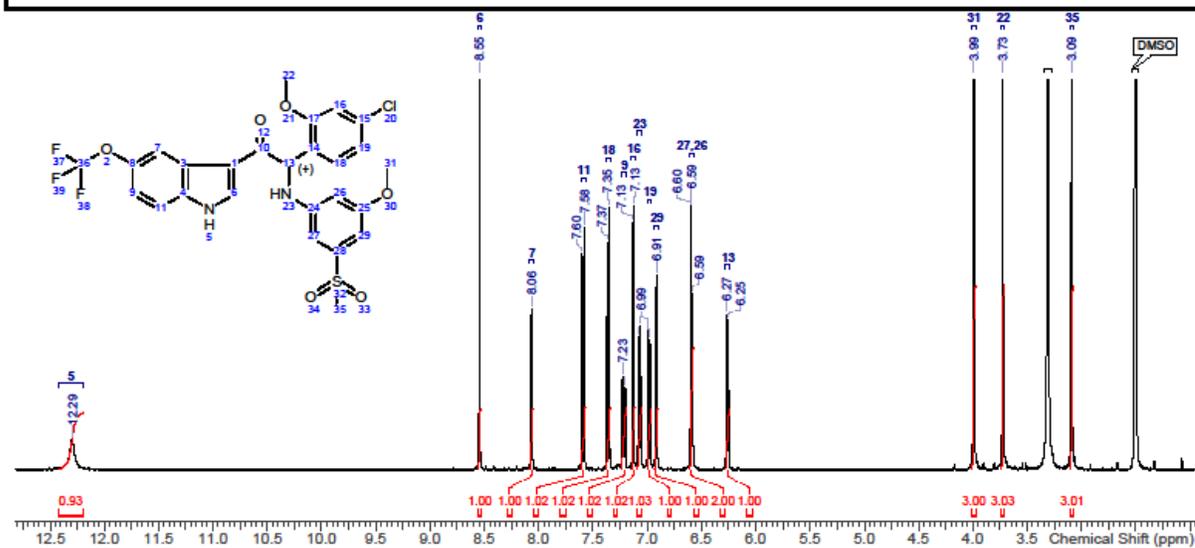
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372 JNJ-1802 – ¹H NMR

JNJ-1802/DMSO

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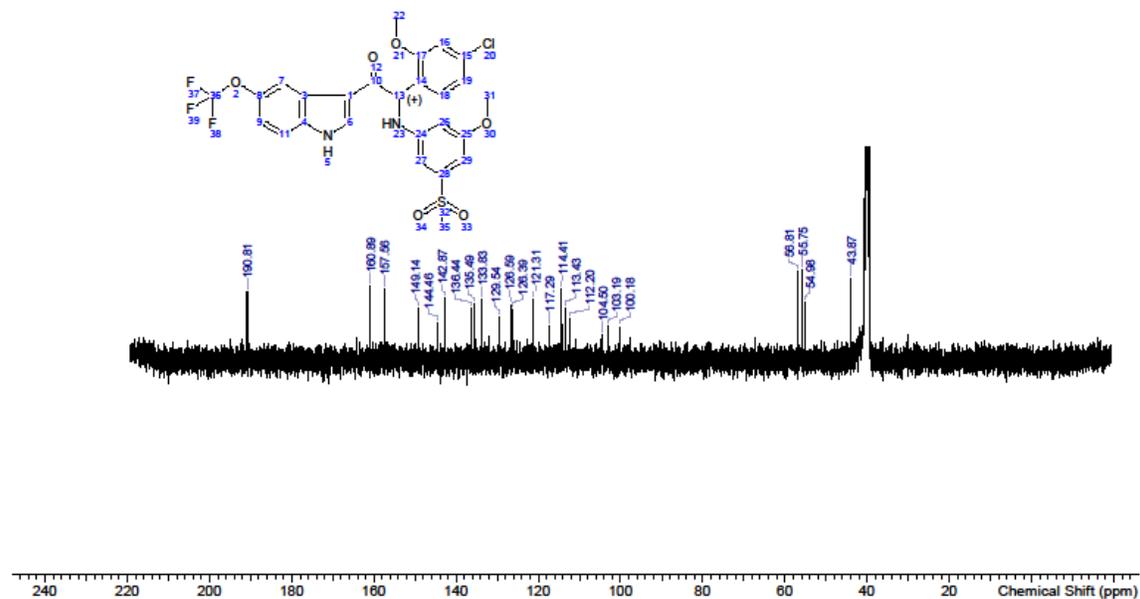
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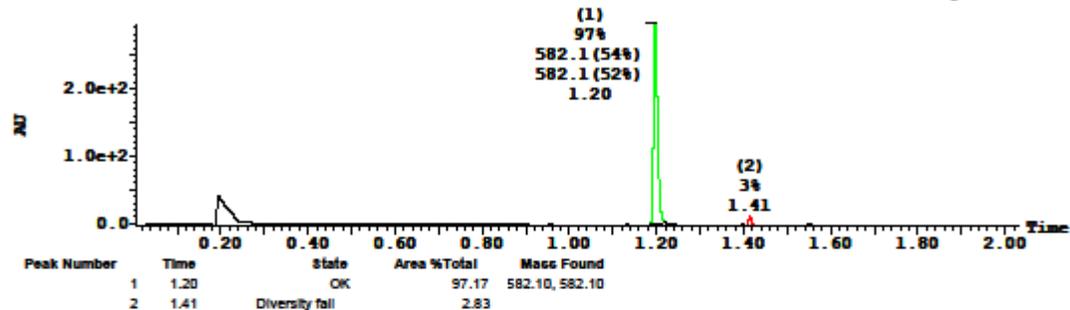
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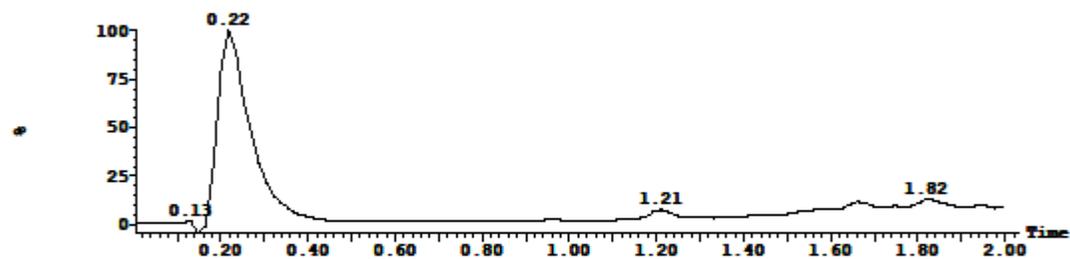


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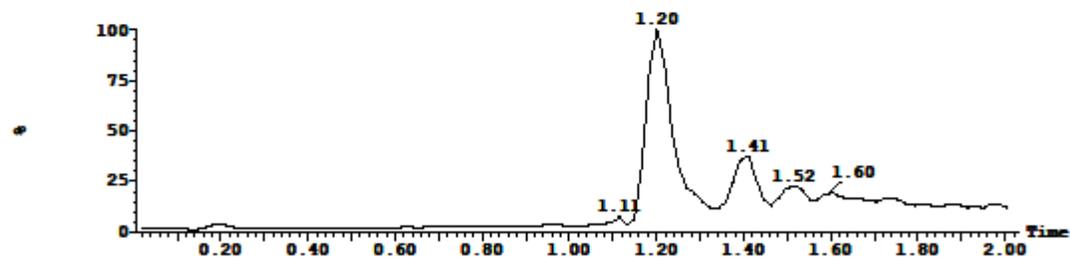
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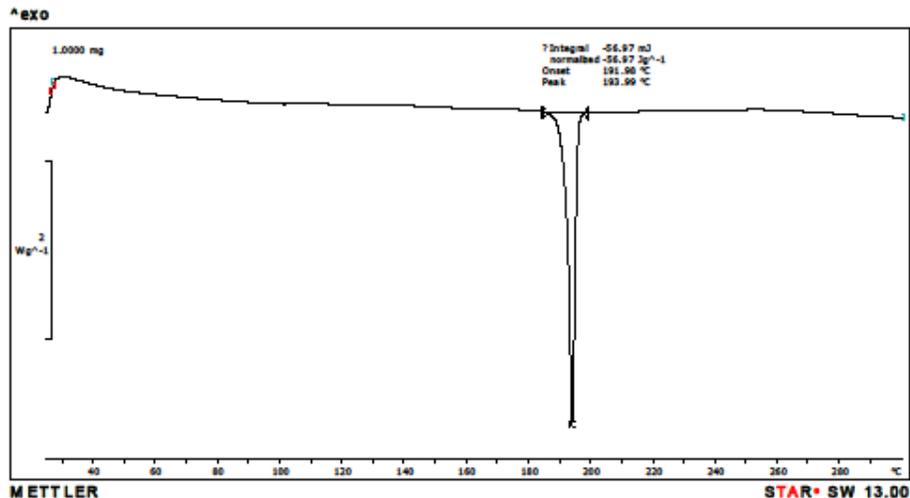
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378 JNJ-1802 – DSC trace



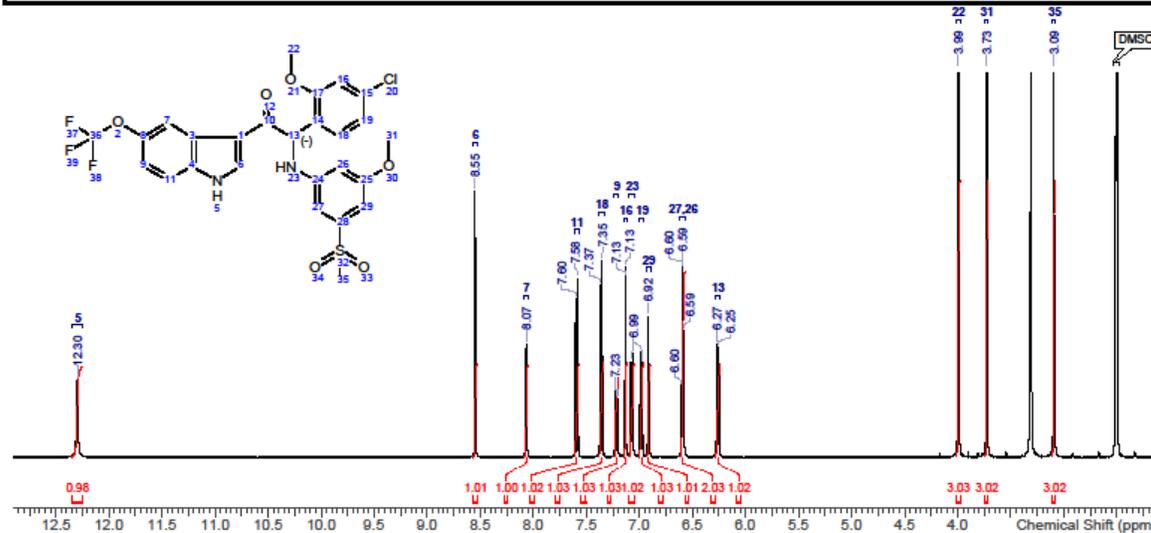
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380 Epimer of JNJ-1802 – ¹H NMR

JNJ-1802 Epimer/DMSO

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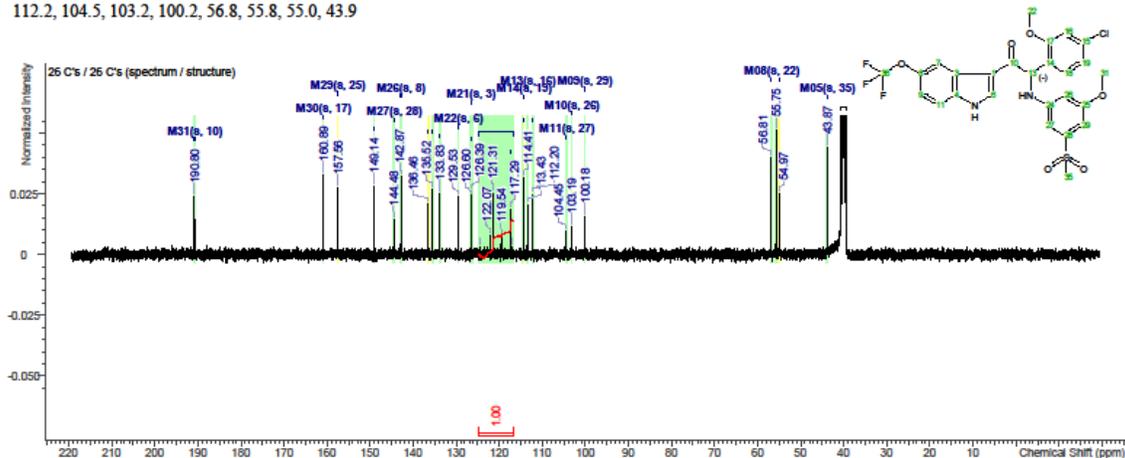


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382 *Epimer of JNJ-1802* – ^{13}C NMR

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				PC	1.4
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				TD0	1

^{13}C NMR (DMSO- d_6 , 101 MHz) δ 190.8, 160.9, 157.6, 149.1, 144.5, 142.9, 136.5, 135.5, 133.8, 129.5, 126.6, 126.4, 121.3, 117.3, 120.8, 114.4, 114.3, 113.4, 112.2, 104.5, 103.2, 100.2, 56.8, 55.8, 55.0, 43.9



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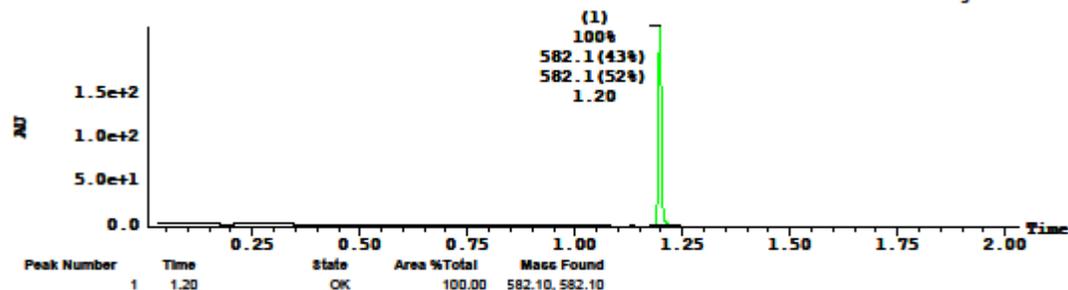
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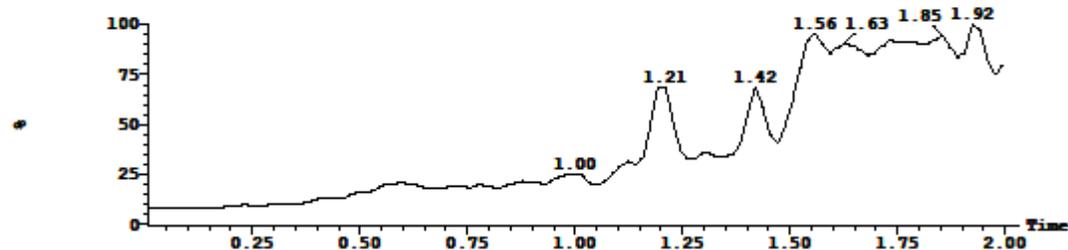
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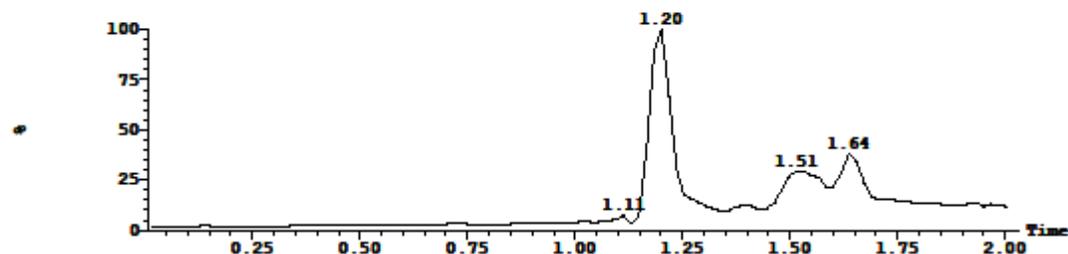
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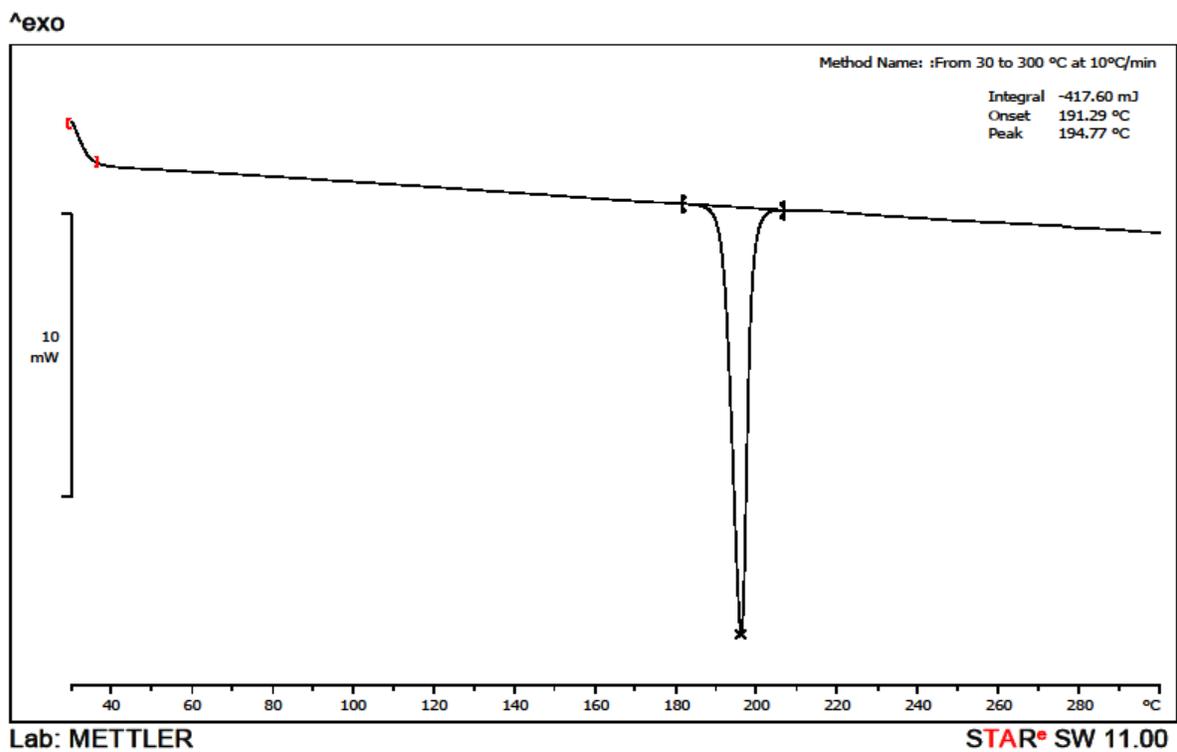


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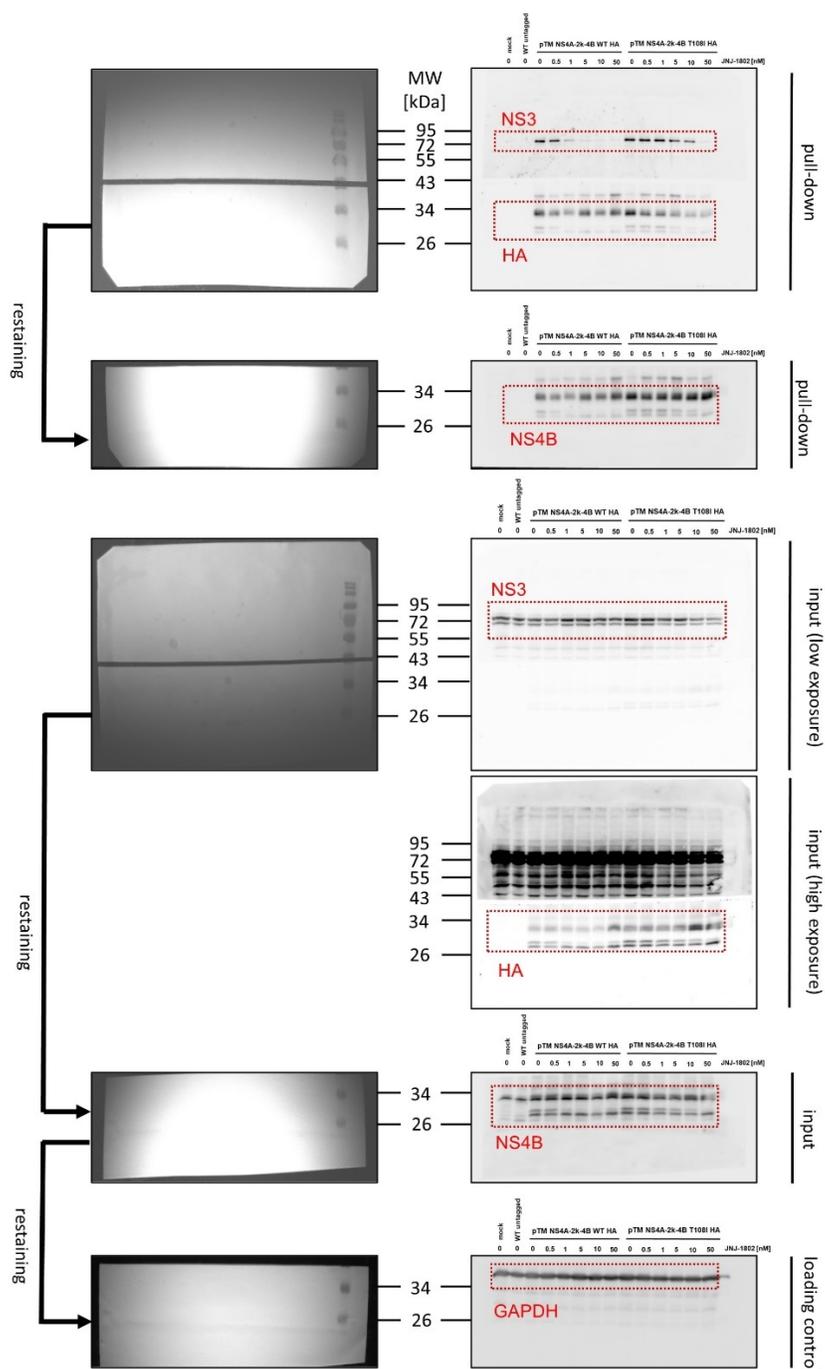
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386 *Epimer of JNJ-1802 – DSC trace*



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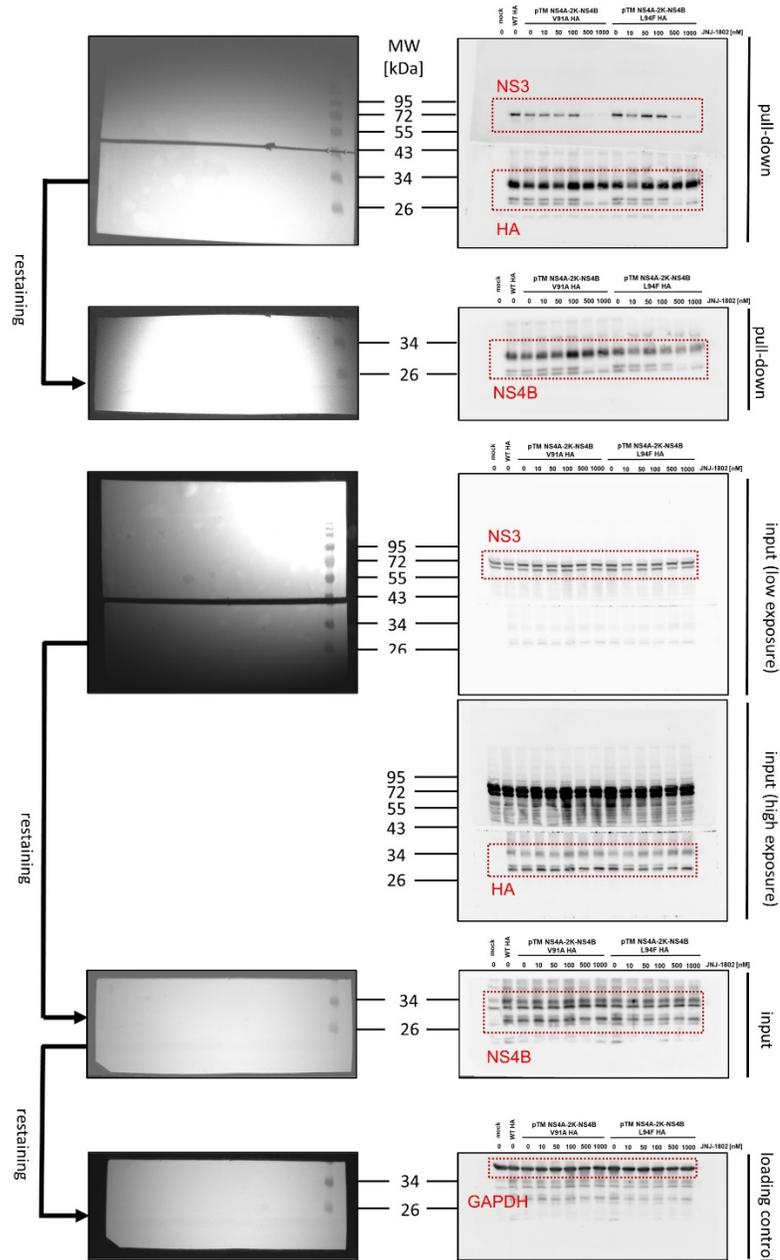
390 **Supplementary Fig. S1. Uncropped western blots from Extended Data Figure 2a**

391 Dose-response assay of JNJ-1802 in cells transfected with pTM NS4A-2K-NS4B (WT and

392 T108I mutant). Eluted samples were loaded onto a gel (see top part) and the membrane was cut

393 and firstly stained for both NS3 and HA-Tag. Subsequently, the lower part of the membrane was
394 subjected to a stripping protocol (RestoreTM PLUS Western Blot Stripping Buffer
395 [ThermoScientific] according to the manufacturer's instructions) and then stained for NS4B. The
396 same procedure was applied to the respective input samples that were loaded onto a separate gel
397 (see middle part). Here, the bottom piece of the membrane was restained again for GAPDH as
398 loading control (see bottom). Red dotted boxes specify areas that were cropped to generate
399 respective panels in Extended Data Figure 2a.

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402 **Supplementary Fig. S2. Uncropped western blots from Extended Data Figure 2b**

403 Dose-response assay of JNJ-1802 in cells transfected with pTM NS4A-2K-NS4B (V91A and
 404 L94F mutant). Eluted samples were loaded onto a gel (see top part) and the membrane was cut
 405 and firstly stained for both NS3 and HA-Tag. Subsequently, the lower part of the membrane was
 406 subjected to a stripping protocol (RestoreTM PLUS Western Blot Stripping Buffer

407 [ThermoScientific] according to the manufacturer's instructions) and then stained for NS4B. The
408 same procedure was applied to the respective input samples that were loaded onto a separate gel
409 (see middle part). Here, the bottom piece of the membrane was restained again for GAPDH as
410 loading control (see bottom). Red dotted boxes specify areas that were cropped to generate
411 respective panels in Extended Data Figure 2b.

418 according to the manufacturer's instructions) and then stained for NS4B. The same procedure
419 was applied to the respective input samples that were loaded onto a separate gel (see middle
420 part). Here, the bottom piece of the membrane was restained again for GAPDH as loading
421 control (see bottom). Red dotted boxes specify areas that were cropped to generate respective
422 panels in Extended Data Figure 2i.

423 **Supplementary Tables**424 **Supplementary Table 1. *In vitro* antiviral activity of JNJ-1802 against the different DENV**425 **genotypes**

Serotype	Genotype	Strain	EC ₅₀ (nM)	EC ₉₀ (nM)
DENV-1	G1	Djibouti	0.207 ± 0.056	0.83 ± 0.37
DENV-1	G3	Malaysia ^{o,*}	1.34 ± 0.40	3.04 ± 0.69
DENV-1	G4	Indonesia	<0.19 ^{&} ± 0.19	0.80 ± 0.31
DENV-1	G4	45AZ5	1.52 ± 0.18	4.18 ± 0.71
DENV-1	G5	France - Toulon	<0.23 [†] ± 0.33	1.02 ± 0.68
DENV-2	Asian America	Martinique*	0.80 ± 0.70	1.88 ± 1.37
DENV-2	American	Trinidad	0.063 ± 0.081	0.162 ± 0.083
DENV-2	Cosmopolitan	France - Toulon	<0.0443 [*] ± 0.0074	0.28 [†] ± 0.26
DENV-2	Asian I	Thailand*	1.40 ± 0.34	2.783 ± 0.037
DENV-2	Asian II	Papua New Guinea ^o	<0.04 [‡] ± 0.00	0.19 ± 0.10
DENV-2	Sylvatic	Malaysia ^o	0.0634 ± 0.0022	0.265 ± 0.029
DENV-3	G1	Malaysia	1.28 ± 0.46	3.6 ± 1.9
DENV-3	G2	Thailand	1.68 ± 0.24	5.8 ± 3.0
DENV-3	G3	Bolivia	0.9 ± 1.1	6.71 ± 0.66
DENV-3	G5	Brazil ^{o,#}	1.8 ± 1.4	3.8 ± 1.1
DENV-4	G1	India	<0.090 [*] ± 0.090	0.762 ± 0.095
DENV-4	G2a	Malaysia	0.82 ± 0.71	2.1 ± 1.7
DENV-4	G2b	Brazil	0.521 ± 0.080	1.54 ± 0.15
DENV-4	G3	Thailand ^o	45 ± 12	46 ± 12
DENV-4	Sylvatic	Malaysia ^o	0.66 ± 0.42	1.6 ± 1.1

^oDENV strain that was generated using infectious subgenomic amplicons. *DENV strain that carries the T108I mutation in NS4B. #DENV strain that contains the T108A mutation in NS4B. Panel was selected as reported by Touret and colleagues⁷¹.

[&]Two out of four values were below the threshold.

[†]One out of three values was below the threshold.

^{*}Two out of three values were below the threshold.

[‡]Two out of two values were below the threshold.

Antiviral assays were carried out in Vero E6 cells. Data represent mean values ± standard deviations from at least two independently performed experiments ($n = 2$ to 6). EC_{50/90}, 50%/90% effective concentration.

Supplementary Table 2. Overview of antiviral activity and cytotoxic assays

Virus	Antiviral activity assay^a	Cell lines	Cytotoxicity assays^a	Cell lines
CHIKV (S27)	ATP-based bioluminescent readout after 2 days (ATPLite 1step luminescence assay system; PerkinElmer).	Infected Huh-7 cells	ATP-based bioluminescent readout after 2 days (ATPLite 1step luminescence assay system; PerkinElmer).	Non-infected Huh-7 cells
RSV	Measuring inhibition of eGFP expression of wild-type rgRSV224, a recombinant RSV A2 strain harboring an eGFP reporter gene ⁶⁹ after 3 days.	Infected HeLa cells	ATP-based bioluminescent readout after 3 days (ATPLite 1step luminescence assay system; PerkinElmer).	Non-infected HeLa cells
INF A/PuertoRico/8/1934 (H1N1) INF A/Taiwan/1/1986 (H1N1) INF B/Singapore/222/1979	ATP-based bioluminescent readout after 3 days (ATPLite 1step luminescence assay system; PerkinElmer).	Infected MDCK cells	ATP-based bioluminescent readout after 3 days (ATPLite 1step luminescence assay system; PerkinElmer).	Non-infected MDCK cells
HCV	Measuring firefly luciferase reporter gene expression after 3 days using the SteadyLite Plus assay kit (PerkinElmer)	Huh-7 cells stably transfected with a selectable self-replicating sub-genomic HCV Genotype 1b (Clone ET) RNA sequence harboring a luciferase reporter gene (Huh-7- Luc cells) ⁶⁷	Luciferase activity was quantified after 3 days using the SteadyLite Plus assay kit (PerkinElmer)	Cell lines Huh-7-CMV-Luc (containing an hCMV MIEP Luc construct)
HBV	Intracellular HBV DNA levels were quantified after 3 days using RT-qPCR and fluorescent reporter probes.	Stably transfected cell line, HepG2.117, secreting a high level of hepatitis B virions ^{72,73}	ATP-based bioluminescent readout after 3 days (ATPLite 1step luminescence assay system; PerkinElmer).	HepG2 cells
ADV	MTS dye reduction assay after 6 days (CellTiter, Promega)	Infected HeLa cells	MTS dye reduction assay after 6 days (CellTiter, Promega)	Non-infected HeLa cells
hCMV	Plaque reduction assay after 6 days	Infected MRC-5 cells	MTS dye reduction assay after 6 days (CellTiter, Promega)	Non-infected MRC-5 cells
HIV-1	Inhibition of β -galactosidase reporter expression	Infected MAGI CCR5 cells containing an HIV 1	MTS dye reduction assay after 2 days (CellTiter, Promega)	Non-infected MAGI CCR5 cells

	using Gal screen reagent (Tropix) according to the manufacturer's instructions after 2 days.	LTR promoter driving expression of the β -galactosidase gene upon HIV 1 Tat transactivation		
HRV-14	MTS dye reduction assay after 3 to 4 days (CellTiter, Promega)	Infected HeLa cells	MTS dye reduction assay after 3 to 4 days (CellTiter, Promega)	Non-infected HeLa cells
HRV-16				
VACV	Plaque reduction assay after 3 days	Infected Vero cells	MTS dye reduction assay after 3 days (CellTiter, Promega)	Non-infected Vero E6 cells
rVSV	Luciferase activity using BrightGlo reagent (Promega) after 1 day	A549 cells infected with rVSV harboring a luciferase reporter gene	ATP measurement after 1 day using CellTiter-Glo Luminescent Cell Viability Kit (Promega)	Non-infected A549 cells

427 ^a Assay duration refers to the incubation time with JNJ-1802.

428 ADV, adenovirus; ATP, adenosine triphosphate; CHIKV, chikungunya virus; eGFP, enhanced
429 green fluorescent protein; HBV, hepatitis B virus; HCV, hepatitis C virus; hCMV, human
430 cytomegalovirus; HIV, human immunodeficiency virus; HRV, human rhinovirus; INF,
431 influenza; MIEP, major immediate-early promoter; MTS, 3 (4,5 dimethylthiazol-2 yl)-5 (3
432 carboxymethoxyphenyl)-2 (4 sulfophenyl)-2H tetrazolium; RSV, respiratory syncytial virus; RT
433 qPCR, reverse transcription quantitative polymerase chain reaction; rVSV, recombinant
434 vesicular stomatitis virus; VACV, vaccinia virus.

435 **Supplementary Table 3. Overview of the different *in vivo* experiments with JNJ-1802 in**
 436 **mice infected with DENV-2 RL**

Dosing regimen	Number of animals	Treatment	Dosage (mg/kg/dose)
Viraemia model, high viral inoculum (10⁶ PFU)			
b.i.d., 3 days starting from 1 h prior infection	24	Vehicle	0
	8	JNJ-1802	30
	16	JNJ-1802	10
	16	JNJ-1802	3
	16	JNJ-1802	1
	16	JNJ-1802	0.3
	16	JNJ-1802	0.1
Viraemia model, high viral inoculum (10⁶ PFU)			
q.d., 3 days starting from 1 h prior infection	8	Vehicle	0
	8	JNJ-1802	30
	8	JNJ-1802	3
	8	JNJ-1802	0.3
Viraemia model, low viral inoculum (10² PFU)			
b.i.d., 6 days starting from 1 h prior infection	16	Vehicle	0
	16	JNJ-1802	10
	16	JNJ-1802	1
	16	JNJ-1802	0.1
Mortality model, high viral inoculum (10⁶ PFU)			
b.i.d., 5 days starting from 1 h prior infection	10	Vehicle	0
	10	JNJ-1802	10
	10	JNJ-1802	3
	10	JNJ-1802	1
	10	JNJ-1802	0.3
Delayed treatment (therapeutic setting) (10² PFU)			
b.i.d., 6 days starting on Day 0 p.i.	10	Vehicle (control group)	0
b.i.d., 6 days starting on Day 0 p.i.	10	JNJ-1802 (control group)	30
b.i.d., 6 days starting on Day 4 p.i.	10	JNJ-1802	30
b.i.d., 6 days starting on Day 5 p.i.	10	JNJ-1802	30

437 DENV, dengue virus; b.i.d., twice daily; PFU, plaque-forming units; p.i., post-infection; q.d.,
 438 once daily.

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440 **Supplementary Table 4: Haematological parameters of vehicle-treated animal**

					0 mg/kg JNJ-1802														
					R03018			R11106			R12060			R08021			R13060		
					0	7	28	0	7	28	0	7	28	0	7	28	0	7	28
					0	7	28	0	7	28	0	7	28	0	7	28	0	7	28
Haematological parameters		unit	Norm min	Norm max															
White blood cell count	WBC	10 ⁹ /L	2.06	21.9	8.24	6.79	5.93	7.81	5.77	4.11	10.28	7.35	8.5	13.75	4.75	5.5	11.55	7.55	9.57
Red blood cells count	RBC	10 ¹² /L	4.66	6.14	5.33	4.66	4.95	5.7	4.99	4.51	5.71	4.2	5.28	5.38	4.18	4.36	5.63	4.78	4.92
Haemoglobin	HGB	mmol/L	7.03	8.99	7.8	6.8	7.4	8	7	6.4	8.9	6.5	8.1	8.1	6.4	6.6	8.5	7.3	7.6
Haematocrit	HCT	L/L	0.34	0.42	0.373	0.326	0.352	0.391	0.354	0.326	0.414	0.314	0.389	0.384	0.302	0.318	0.407	0.353	0.372
Mean corpuscular volume	MCV	fL	65.06	75.82	70	70	71.1	68.6	70.9	72.3	72.5	74.8	73.7	71.4	72.2	72.9	72.3	73.8	75.6
Mean corpuscular hemoglobin	MCH	amol	1378	1592	1463	1459	1495	1404	1403	1419	1559	1548	1534	1506	1531	1514	1510	1527	1545
Mean corpuscular hemoglobin conc.	MCHC	mmol/L	20.05	22.13	20.9	20.9	21	20.5	19.8	19.6	21.5	20.7	20.8	21.1	21.2	20.8	20.9	20.7	20.4
Platelet count	PLT	10 ⁹ /L	172	493	116	240	109	325	320	400	399	362	434	264	283	352	238	298	291
Red blood cell distribution width - SD	RDW-SD	fL	30.48	38.4	34.3	33.7	34.9	38.5	39.6	38.6	33.4	32.8	34.6	35.4	34	35	37.5	36.8	37.7
Red blood cell distribution - CV	RDW-CV	%	11.9	15.54	13.7	13.3	13.9	16.3	15.4	14.8	12.8	12.3	13.2	14	13.4	13.6	14.2	13.9	14
Platelet distribution width	PDW	fL	9.01	16.57	nd	13.9	nd	14.6	12.1	13.9	9.7	9	9.9	13.8	11.8	12.6	13.8	12.6	14.1
Mean platelet volume	MPV	fL	9.38	13.14	nd	12.2	nd	12.1	10.7	11.9	9.5	9.1	9.7	11.9	11	11.6	11.2	10.8	12.1
Platelet larger cell ratio	P-LCR	%	20.69	49.09	nd	41.5	nd	42.1	32.1	41.2	20	16.5	22.9	40.2	33.3	39.5	34.9	32.2	41.1
Plateletcrit	PCT	%	0.23	0.51	nd	0.29	nd	0.39	0.34	0.48	0.38	0.33	0.42	0.31	0.31	0.41	0.27	0.32	0.35
Neutrophil count	NEUT#	10 ⁹ /L	0.91	18.97	5.77	5.62	3.14	6.04	3.69	2.54	8.3	5.14	5.3	10.09	2.33	2.04	9.42	4.1	4.44
Lymphocyte count	LYMPH#	10 ⁹ /L	0.26	4.18	1.98	0.93	2.33	1.28	1.62	1.26	1.35	1.64	2.5	2.4	1.82	2.82	1.49	2.41	3.96
Monocyte count	MONO#	10 ⁹ /L	0	1.16	0.49	0.23	0.38	0.48	0.44	0.31	0.63	0.44	0.62	1.12	0.48	0.47	0.53	0.69	0.87
Eosinophil count	EO#	10 ⁹ /L	0	0.43	0	0	0.07	0	0.02	0	0	0.12	0.07	0.13	0.12	0.16	0.11	0.35	0.29
Basophil count	BASO#	10 ⁹ /L	0	0.03	0	0.01	0.01	0.01	0	0	0	0.01	0.01	0.01	0	0.01	0	0	0.01
% Neutrophil	NEUT%	%	42.64	100	70.1	82.8	52.9	77.4	64	61.8	80.8	70	62.4	73.4	49.1	37.1	81.5	54.4	46.4
% Lymphocyte	LYMPH%	%	1.4	48.02	24	13.7	39.3	16.4	28.1	30.7	13.1	22.3	29.4	17.5	38.3	51.3	12.9	31.9	41.4
% Monocyte	MONO%	%	1.86	9.06	5.9	3.4	6.4	6.1	7.6	7.5	6.1	6	7.3	8.1	10.1	8.5	4.6	9.1	9.1
% Eosinophil	EO%	%	0	4.59	0	0	1.2	0	0.3	0	0	1.6	0.8	0.9	2.5	2.9	1	4.6	3
% Basophil	BASO%	%	0	0.27	0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0	0	0	0	0.1	0.1	0	0.2	0	0	0.1

441 Values which are outside the normal minimum and maximum values are highlighted in orange. CV, coefficient of variation; n.d., not determined; p.i.; post-infection; SD, standard deviation.

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444 **Supplementary Table 5: Haematological parameters of animals treated with 0.01 mg/kg/day JNJ-1802**

Haematological parameters	unit	Norm min	Norm max	0.01 mg/kg JNJ-1802									
				R04051			R01039			R12088			
				Day p.i.			Day p.i.			Day p.i.			
				0	7	28	0	7	28	0	7	28	
White blood cell count	WBC	10 ⁹ /L	2.06	21.9	8.91	3.59	5.65	9.98	8.74	11.83	8.06	7.16	4.81
Red blood cells count	RBC	10 ¹² /L	4.66	6.14	5.83	5.07	5.21	6.47	5.54	5.34	5.26	4.87	5.29
Haemoglobin	HGB	mmol/L	7.03	8.99	8.1	7.1	7.4	9.3	8.1	7.6	7.9	7.4	7.9
Haematocrit	HCT	L/L	0.34	0.42	0.39	0.342	0.36	0.443	0.37	0.371	0.382	0.358	0.384
Mean corpuscular volume	MCV	fL	65.06	75.82	66.9	67.5	69.1	68.5	66.8	69.5	72.6	73.5	72.6
Mean corpuscular hemoglobin	MCH	amol	1378	1592	1389	1400	1420	1437	1462	1423	1502	1520	1493
Mean corpuscular hemoglobin conc.	MCHC	mmol/L	20.05	22.13	20.8	20.8	20.6	21	21.9	20.5	20.7	20.7	20.6
Platelet count	PLT	10 ⁹ /L	172	493	311	382	405	311	319	439	288	314	359
Red blood cell distribution width - SD	RDW-SD	fL	30.48	38.4	36.2	36.2	36.9	34.9	32.3	35.2	35.7	36.5	36.4
Red blood cell distribution - CV	RDW-CV	%	11.9	15.54	15.3	14.9	14.8	15.4	13.5	14.1	13.6	13.7	13.7
Platelet distribution width	PDW	fL	9.01	16.57	11.9	10.1	11	11.7	9.7	10.6	10.1	9.9	10.4
Mean platelet volume	MPV	fL	9.38	13.14	10.8	9.5	10.5	10.5	9.2	9.8	9.6	9.3	9.8
Platelet larger cell ratio	P-LCR	%	20.69	49.09	31.5	21.3	29.7	28.8	18.9	23.9	21.9	19.8	23.5
Plateletcrit	PCT	%	0.23	0.51	0.33	0.36	0.43	0.33	0.29	0.43	0.28	0.29	0.35
Neutrophil count	NEUT#	10 ⁹ /L	0.91	18.97	6.42	2.08	2.82	9.13	7.28	9.5	6.07	4.83	2.79
Lymphocyte count	LYMPH#	10 ⁹ /L	0.26	4.18	2.12	1.26	2.55	0.51	0.91	1.5	1.48	1.74	1.65
Monocyte count	MONO#	10 ⁹ /L	0	1.16	0.37	0.25	0.27	0.34	0.47	0.71	0.51	0.59	0.36
Eosinophil count	EO#	10 ⁹ /L	0	0.43	0	0	0	0	0.08	0.11	0	0	0
Basophil count	BASO#	10 ⁹ /L	0	0.03	0	0	0.01	0	0	0.01	0	0	0.01
% Neutrophil	NEUT%	%	42.64	100	72	57.9	49.9	91.5	83.3	80.3	75.3	67.5	58
% Lymphocyte	LYMPH%	%	1.4	48.02	23.8	35.1	45.1	5.1	10.4	12.7	18.4	24.3	34.3
% Monocyte	MONO%	%	1.86	9.06	4.2	7	4.8	3.4	5.4	6	6.3	8.2	7.5
% Eosinophil	EO%	%	0	4.59	0	0	0	0	0.9	0.9	0	0	0
% Basophil	BASO%	%	0	0.27	0	0	0.2	0	0	0.1	0	0	0.2

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446 **Supplementary Table 6: Haematological parameters of animals treated with 0.18 mg/kg/day JNJ-1802**

Haematological parameters		unit	Norm min	Norm max	0.18 mg/kg JNJ-1802								
					R09066			R10069			R12109		
					Day p.i.	0	7	28	0	7	28	0	7
White blood cell count	WBC	10 ⁹ /L	2.06	21.9	8.62	7.85	5.58	13.23	9.94	5.23	7.31	9.57	5.42
Red blood cells count	RBC	10 ¹² /L	4.66	6.14	5.59	5.02	5.09	5.6	4.62	4.78	5.61	5.29	5.77
Haemoglobin	HGB	mmol/L	7.03	8.99	8.4	7.7	7.9	8	6.8	7.2	8.2	7.9	8.5
Haematocrit	HCT	L/L	0.34	0.42	0.406	0.368	0.377	0.391	0.325	0.339	0.399	0.379	0.411
Mean corpuscular volume	MCV	fL	65.06	75.82	72.6	73.3	74.1	69.8	70.3	70.9	71.1	71.6	71.2
Mean corpuscular hemoglobin	MCH	amol	1378	1592	1503	1534	1552	1429	1472	1506	1462	1493	1473
Mean corpuscular hemoglobin conc.	MCHC	mmol/L	20.05	22.13	20.7	20.9	21	20.5	20.9	21.2	20.6	20.8	20.7
Platelet count	PLT	10 ⁹ /L	172	493	328	280	380	310	300	330	367	363	286
Red blood cell distribution width - SD	RDW-SD	fL	30.48	38.4	35.9	35.2	35.8	34.5	33.2	33.6	35	33.8	33.9
Red blood cell distribution - CV	RDW-CV	%	11.9	15.54	13.5	13.4	13.7	13.6	13.2	13.2	13.6	13.2	13.3
Platelet distribution width	PDW	fL	9.01	16.57	10.5	11.5	11.6	11.8	10.6	11.9	12.8	13.1	15.1
Mean platelet volume	MPV	fL	9.38	13.14	9.9	10.5	10.3	11.1	10.4	11.2	11.7	11.6	12.9
Platelet larger cell ratio	P-LCR	%	20.69	49.09	23.9	28.1	28.5	34.9	27.3	34.3	39.1	37	46.2
Plateletcrit	PCT	%	0.23	0.51	0.32	0.29	0.39	0.34	0.31	0.37	0.43	0.42	0.37
Neutrophil count	NEUT#	10 ⁹ /L	0.91	18.97	6.2	5.72	3.48	11.04	8.03	3.16	5.09	6.2	2.15
Lymphocyte count	LYMPH#	10 ⁹ /L	0.26	4.18	1.73	1.54	1.57	1.6	1.43	1.81	1.93	3.03	2.93
Monocyte count	MONO#	10 ⁹ /L	0	1.16	0.68	0.36	0.41	0.59	0.44	0.26	0.29	0.32	0.32
Eosinophil count	EO#	10 ⁹ /L	0	0.43	0.01	0.23	0.12	0	0.04	0	0	0.01	0
Basophil count	BASO#	10 ⁹ /L	0	0.03	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.01	0.02
% Neutrophil	NEUT%	%	42.64	100	71.9	72.9	62.4	83.4	80.8	60.4	69.6	64.8	39.6
% Lymphocyte	LYMPH%	%	1.4	48.02	20.1	19.6	28.1	12.1	14.4	34.6	26.4	31.7	54.1
% Monocyte	MONO%	%	1.86	9.06	7.9	4.6	7.3	4.5	4.4	5	4	3.3	5.9
% Eosinophil	EO%	%	0	4.59	0.1	2.9	2.2	0	0.4	0	0	0.1	0
% Basophil	BASO%	%	0	0.27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.1	0.4

447 Values which are outside the normal minimum and maximum values are highlighted in orange. CV, coefficient of variation; p.i., post-infection; SD, standard deviation.

448 **Supplementary Table 7: Haematological parameters of animals treated with 3 mg/kg/day**

Haematological parameters	unit	Norm min	Norm max	Dose	3 mg/kg								
				Animal code	R09041			R10035			R13148		
				Day p.i.	0	7	28	0	7	28	0	7	28
				White blood cell count	WBC	10 ⁹ /L	2.06	21.9	10.7	6.22	9.86	9.07	9.31
Red blood cells count	RBC	10 ¹² /L	4.66	6.14	4.94	3.83	4.46	6.53	5.55	6.26	6.14	5.13	5.12
Haemoglobin	HGB	mmol/L	7.03	8.99	6.9	5.3	5.6	9.3	8	9	8.7	7.3	7.4
Haematocrit	HCT	L/L	0.34	0.42	0.343	0.273	0.296	0.442	0.38	0.441	0.415	0.361	0.362
Mean corpuscular volume	MCV	fL	65.06	75.82	69.4	71.3	66.4	67.7	68.5	70.4	67.6	70.4	70.7
Mean corpuscular hemoglobin	MCH	amol	1378	1592	1397	1384	1256	1424	1441	1438	1417	1423	1445
Mean corpuscular hemoglobin conc.	MCHC	mmol/L	20.05	22.13	20.1	19.4	18.9	21	21.1	20.4	21	20.2	20.4
Platelet count	PLT	10 ⁹ /L	172	493	285	284	322	273	240	276	241	298	257
Red blood cell distribution width - SD	RDW-SD	fL	30.48	38.4	37.7	36.9	36.1	36.4	36.3	38.6	38.7	39.5	38.1
Red blood cell distribution - CV	RDW-CV	%	11.9	15.54	15.2	14.8	15.4	16.2	14.6	16.4	17.2	15.5	15.1
Platelet distribution width	PDW	fL	9.01	16.57	13.8	12.5	14.3	14.1	12.9	14.2	17.6	13.2	16.3
Mean platelet volume	MPV	fL	9.38	13.14	12.4	11.5	12.1	11.4	10.8	11.9	13.1	11.6	13.3
Platelet larger cell ratio	P-LCR	%	20.69	49.09	44.9	35.7	43.5	37.4	32.9	40.8	50.4	40.5	52.9
Plateletcrit	PCT	%	0.23	0.51	0.35	0.33	0.39	0.31	0.26	0.33	0.32	0.35	0.34
Neutrophil count	NEUT#	10 ⁹ /L	0.91	18.97	9.41	4.76	7.72	5.7	7.1	7.59	5.86	4.84	4.5
Lymphocyte count	LYMPH#	10 ⁹ /L	0.26	4.18	0.65	0.89	1.33	2.21	1.72	3.28	2.15	3.08	2.91
Monocyte count	MONO#	10 ⁹ /L	0	1.16	0.64	0.57	0.8	1.16	0.43	1.42	0.65	0.52	0.61
Eosinophil count	EO#	10 ⁹ /L	0	0.43	0	0	0	0	0.04	0	0.01	0.05	0.04
Basophil count	BASO#	10 ⁹ /L	0	0.03	0	0	0.01	0	0.02	0.05	0	0	0
% Neutrophil	NEUT%	%	42.64	100	87.9	76.5	78.3	62.8	76.3	61.5	67.6	57	55.8
% Lymphocyte	LYMPH%	%	1.4	48.02	6.1	14.3	13.5	24.4	18.5	26.6	24.8	36.3	36.1
% Monocyte	MONO%	%	1.86	9.06	6	9.2	8.1	12.8	4.6	11.5	7.5	6.1	7.6
% Eosinophil	EO%	%	0	4.59	0	0	0	0	0.4	0	0.1	0.6	0.5
% Basophil	BASO%	%	0	0.27	0	0	0	0	0.2	0.4	0	0	0

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