

EXHIBIT A

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11	12116333	2024-10-15	3,3'-(hydrazine-1,2-diyl)bis(1-(naphthalen-2-yloxy)prop...
12	12194434	2025-01-14	Imidazolium ionic liquids made using cardanol extracted...

Exhibit A-1

U.S. Patent No.: 12043608

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Title: 2-(Benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)-1-butyl-4,5-diphenyl-1H-imidazole as an anti-inflamat...



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(12) **United States Patent**
Khalaf Ali et al.

(10) **Patent No.:** **US 12,043,608 B1**

(45) **Date of Patent:** **Jul. 23, 2024**

(54) **2-(BENZO[B]THIOPHEN-3-YL)-1-BUTYL-4,5-DIPHENYL-1H-IMIDAZOLE AS AN ANTI-INFLAMMATORY AND ANTI-MICROBIAL COMPOUND**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A compound 2-(Benzo[b]thiophen-3-yl)-1-butyl-4,5-diphenyl-1H-imidazole compound, its synthesis, and its use as an anti-microbial and anti-inflammatory agent.

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Exhibit A-2

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Title: 6'(4-methoxyphenyl)-2'-alkoxy-3,4'-bipyridine-3'-carbonitrile as antimicrobial c...



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(54) **6'(4-METHOXYPHENYL)-2'-ALKOXY-3,4'-BIPYRIDINE-3'-CARBONITRILE AS ANTIMICROBIAL COMPOUNDS**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A 6'-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2'-alkoxy-3,4'-bipyridine-3'-carbonitrile compound, its synthesis, and its use as an antimicrobial agent.

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Exhibit A-3

U.S. Patent No.: 12049459

Issue Date: 2024-07-30

Title: 3-(4,5-Diphenyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazol-1-yl)-N,N-dimethylpropan-1-amine as...



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(54) **3-(4,5-DIPHENYL-2-(PYRIDIN-3-YL)-1H-IMIDAZOL-1-YL)-N,N-DIMETHYLPROPAN-1-AMINE AS AN ANTICANCER COMPOUND**

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A compound 3-(4,5-Diphenyl-2-(pyridin-3-yl)-1H-imidazol-1-yl)-N,N-dimethylpropan-1-amine, its synthesis, and its use as an anticancer agent.

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Exhibit A-4

U.S. Patent No.: 12054460

Issue Date: 2024-08-06

Title: 9-(5-bromo-2-hydroxyphenyl)-10-[3-(dimethylamino)propyl]-3,4,6,7,9,10-hexahydroa...



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Ahmed et al.

(10) **Patent No.:** **US 12,054,460 B1**

(45) **Date of Patent:** **Aug. 6, 2024**

(54) **9-(5-BROMO-2-HYDROXYPHENYL)-10-[3-(DIMETHYLAMINO)PROPYL]-3,4,6,7,9,10-HEXAHYDROACRIDINE-1,8(2H,5H)-DIONE AS AN ANTIMICROBIAL COMPOUND**

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"9-(5-Bromo-2-Hydroxyphenyl)-2,3,4,5,6,7,9,10-Octahydroacridine-1,8-Dione".

"9-(5-Bromo-2-Hydroxyphenyl)-3,3,6,6-Tetramethyl-3,4,6,7,9,10-Hexahydroacridine-1,8(2h,5h)-Dione".

"9-(5-Bromo-2-Hydroxyphenyl)-10-(2-Hydroxypropyl)-3,3,6,6-Tetramethyl-1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10-Decahydroacridine-1,8-Dione".

"9-(5-Bromo-2-Hydroxyphenyl)-3,3,6,6,10-Pentamethyl-3,4,6,7,9,10-Hexahydroacridine-1,8(2h,5h)-Dione".

"9-(5-Bromo-2-Hydroxyphenyl)-10-(3-Methoxypropyl)-3,3,6,6-Tetramethyl-4,5,7,9-Tetrahydro-2h-Acridine-1,8-Dione".

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A 9-(5-bromo-2-hydroxyphenyl)-10-[3-(dimethylamino)propyl]-3,4,6,7,9,10-hexahydroacridine-1,8(2H,5H)-dione compound, its synthesis, and its use as an antimicrobial agent.

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Exhibit A-5

U.S. Patent No.: 12054464

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Title: Methyl 4-((5-(3-fluorophenyl)-4-phenyl-4H-1,2,4-triazol-3-ylthio)methyl)benzoate...



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(54) **METHYL 4-((5-(3-FLUOROPHENYL)-4-PHENYL-4H-1,2,4-TRIAZOL-3-YLTHIO)METHYL)BENZOATE AS AN ANTIMICROBIAL COMPOUND**

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An methyl 4-((5-(3-fluorophenyl)-4-phenyl-4H-1,2,4-triazol-3-ylthio)methyl)benzoate compound, its synthesis, and its use as an antimicrobial agent.

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Exhibit A-6

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Title: Hydrovoltaic power generation devices utilizing carbon sphere-coated nickel foam...



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(54) **HYDROVOLTAIC POWER GENERATION DEVICES UTILIZING CARBON SPHERE-COATED NICKEL FOAM/PET SUBSTRATE**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A process for preparing carbon spheres coated on a nickel (Ni) foam/polyethylene terephthalate (PET) substrate, as well as the use of the obtained product in the field of hydrovoltaic energy generation.

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Exhibit A-7

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(54) **6'(4-METHOXYPHENYL)-2'-ALKOXY-3,4'-BIPYRIDINE-3'-CARBONITRILE AS ANTIMICROBIAL COMPOUNDS**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A 6'-(4-methoxyphenyl)-2'-alkoxy-3,4'-bipyridine-3'-carbonitrile compound, its synthesis, and its use as an antimicrobial agent.

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Exhibit A-8

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(54) **PYRAZOLO[1,5-a]PYRIDO[4,3-e]
PYRIMIDINE-2-CARBOXYLIC ACIDS AS
CK2 INHIBITORS**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

Novel pyrazolo[1,5-a]pyrido[4,3-e]pyrimidine-2-carboxylic acid compounds, a method of synthesizing said compounds, a pharmaceutical composition comprising said compounds and a suitable carrier, and a method of using the compounds. The pyrazolo[1,5-a]pyrido[4,3-e]pyrimidine-2-carboxylic acid compounds, identified as CK2 inhibitors, are useful as anticancer and/or antitumor agents, and as agents for treating other kinase-associated conditions including inflammation, pain, and certain immunological disorders, and other types of diseases such as diabetes, viral infection, neurodegenerative diseases.

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Exhibit A-9

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(54) **DENTAL TOOL FOR ANCHORING A RUBBER DAM**

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(57) **CLAIM**

The ornamental design for a dental tool for anchoring a rubber dam as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is an environmental, perspective view of a dental tool for anchoring a rubber dam;
 FIG. 2 is a top perspective view thereof;
 FIG. 3 is a top plan view thereof;
 FIG. 4 is a bottom view thereof;
 FIG. 5 is a front elevational view thereof;
 FIG. 6 is a rear elevational view thereof.
 FIG. 7 is a right elevational view thereof.
 FIG. 8 is a left elevational view thereof.
 FIG. 9 is a reduced bottom perspective view thereof; and,
 FIG. 10 is a reduced top perspective view thereof.
 The broken lines showing of the gum and teeth in FIG. 1 depict environmental subject matter only and form no part of the claimed design.

1 Claim, 7 Drawing Sheets

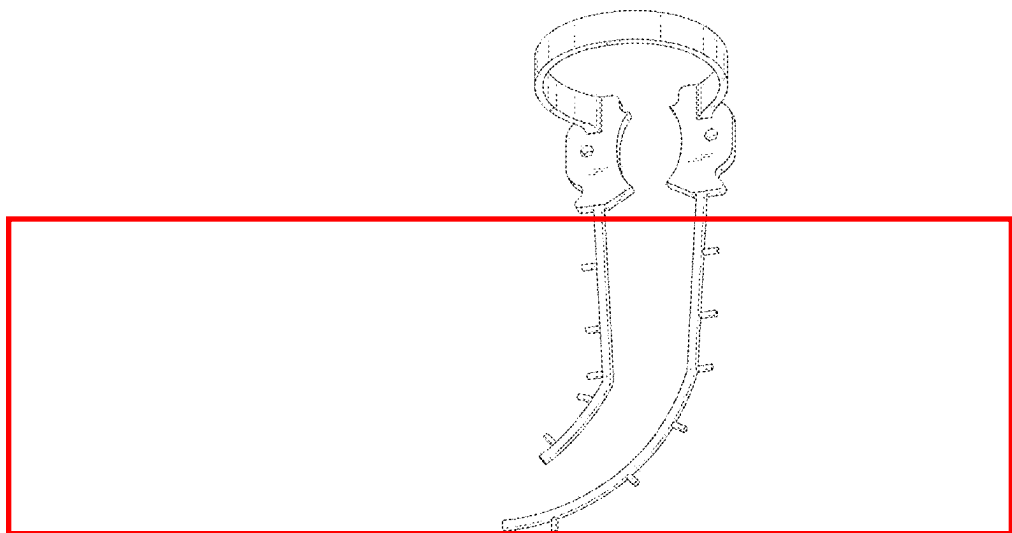


Exhibit A-10

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Title: Vertical tubers planter and harvester



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(54) **VERTICAL TUBERS PLANTER AND HARVESTER**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A system and method for using indoor vertical farming for cultivating tubers. The method and system include a wheeled framework with tiered platforms, the platforms forming multiple growing spaces for growing portions of a tuber crop and soil where the growing spaces are provided with irrigation and illumination. Each growing space has a paneled wheeled planter tray which rests on a platform and each portion of the tuber crop and soil can be extracted from each paneled wheeled planter tray by a lifting action to fall into a mesh covered container, used to separate the soil from the tuber crop.

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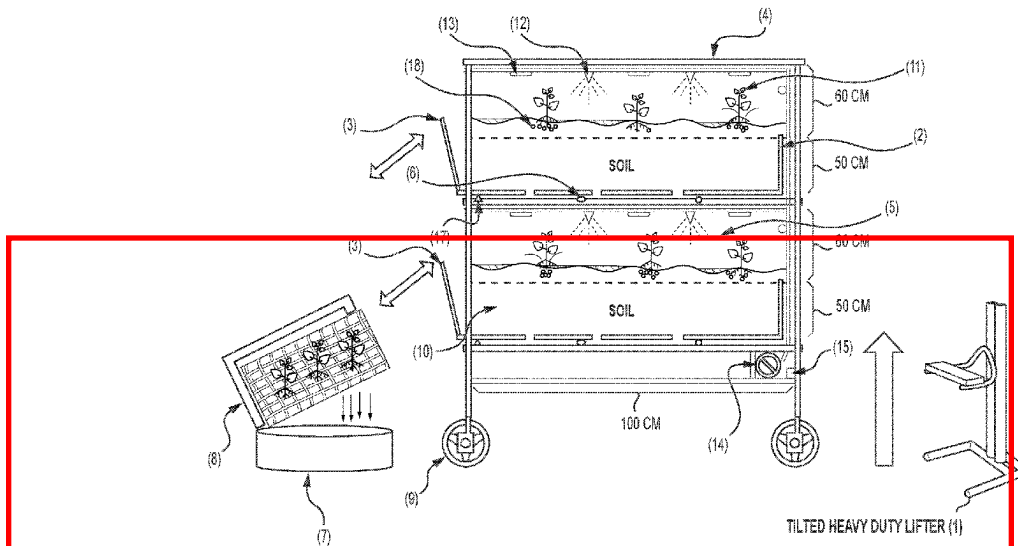


Exhibit A-11

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Title: 3,3'-(hydrazine-1,2-diyl)bis(1-(naphthalen-2-yloxy)propan-2-ol) as an ecofriendl...



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(54) **3,3'-(HYDRAZINE-1,2-DIYL)BIS(1-(NAPHTHALEN-2-YLOXY)PROPAN-2-OL) AS AN ECOFRIENDLY INSECTICIDAL AGENT AGAINST SPODOPTERA LITTORALIS (BOISD.)**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A compound 3,3'-(hydrazine-1.2-diyl)bis(1-(naphthalen-2-yloxy)propan-2-ol), its synthesis, and its use as an insecticidal agent.

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Exhibit A-12

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Title: Imidazolium ionic liquids made using cardanol extracted from cashew nutshell oil...



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(54) **IMIDAZOLIUM IONIC LIQUIDS MADE USING CARDANOL EXTRACTED FROM CASHEW NUTSHELL OIL TO ENHANCE CRUDE OIL RECOVERY IN OILFIELDS**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

Modified chemical structures of cardanol extracted from cashew nut shell oil, and the use of the same to prepare imidazolium ionic liquids (IILs). The IILs can be used to prepare different types of silica, magnetite and calcium carbonate nanoparticles (NPs) as multifunctional oilfield chemicals for use in various oil spill collection, de-emulsification, viscosity improvement, asphaltene dispersant, and enhanced oil recovery applications.

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