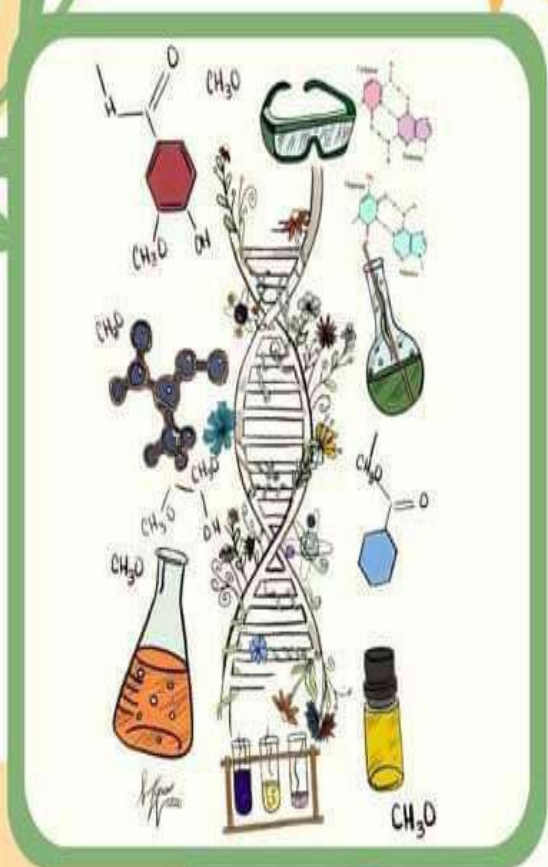


تفريغ عقاقير



اسم الموضوع: تفريغ CH_{12}
Part 2

إعداد الصيدلاني/ة: **شيماء المسلمى**



لجان الزفعات

تعتبر مادة شبه مصنعة → **Heroin** فقط مادة مخدرة ليس لها أي استخدام طبي .

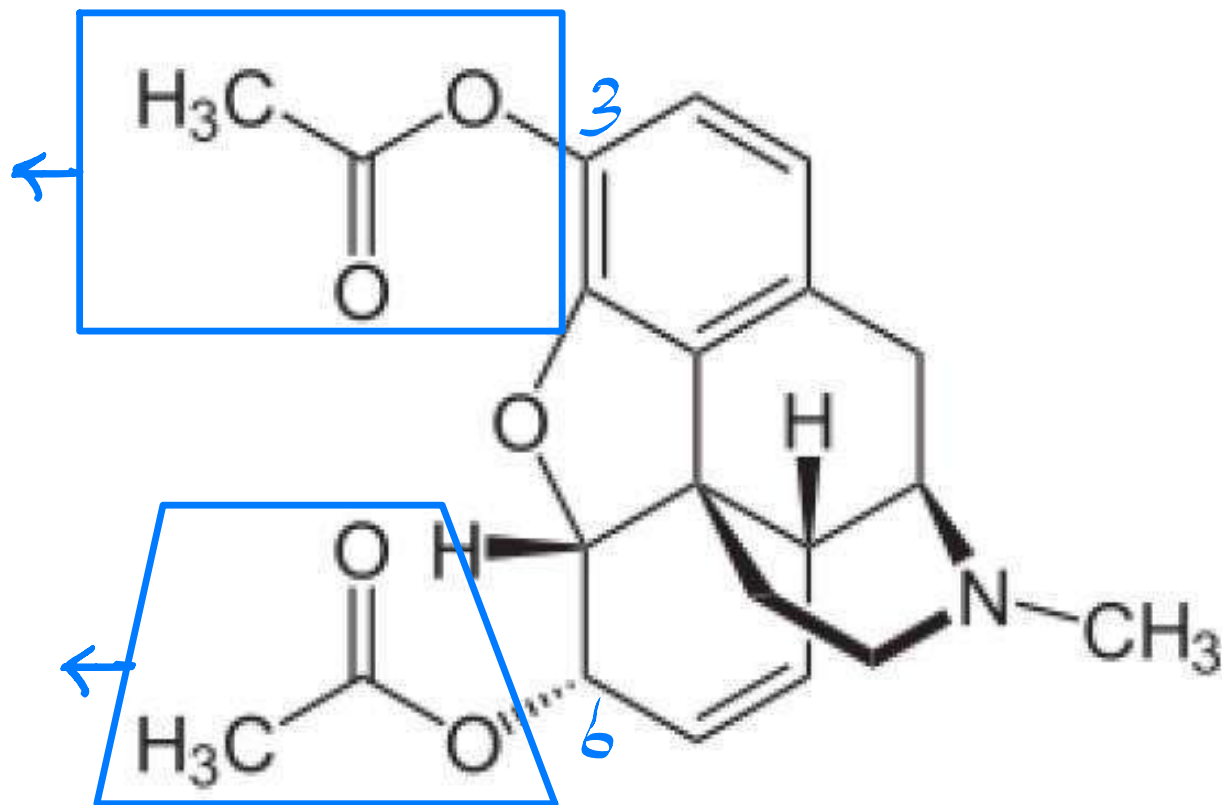
- (it's also known as **di acetyl morphine**)
- This compound isn't natural occurring, it's highly  addictive analgesic and  hypnotic semi synthetic derivative. Heroin cause euphoria (عدم الاحساس بالمحيط)
- الخارجي)
- - It's obtain from morphine but the difference between them is in 2 hydroxyl gp in morphine while in heroine 2 hydroxyl in morphine gps are replaced with acetate function gps (named so as diacetyl bond).
-  Morphine too is addicting from the first dose.
-  Heroin is more addictive and each time the body need a higher dose than the previous one (has tolerance)

الهيروين

كل مرة الجسم يطلب جرعة أعلى من المرة الأولى.

Heroin ← عبارة عن Morphine وعملوا
عليه Acetylation (+ Acetyl group)

Acetyl
Group



Derivates of Natural Products



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التعود

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التوقف

المخاض عن

المادة

مثل Tramadol ← فاس بتصرفه للعلاج فقط
← فاس تستخدمه عشاق السعادة

معنى
الحالة أنه

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مادة
بفرد
خمس
المدمن بتزيد من حاجته للهروين كل مرة .

Spasm ← غالباً بعد (دبش عضلات) Ach Receptors

Nicotinic
له عار العضلات الهيكلية
(Skeletal)

Muscarinic
له عار العضلات الملساء
اللاإرادية

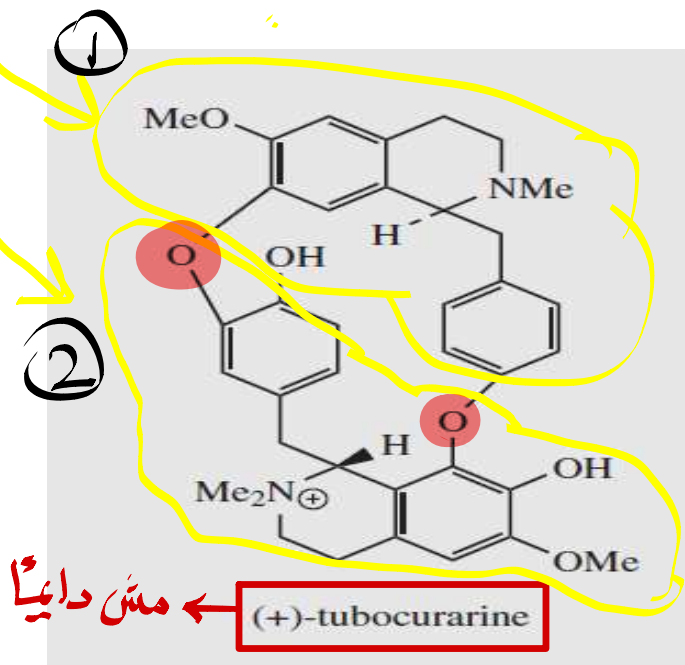
هنا Receptors لها ثلقت بصير ارتقاء بالعضلات

Dimeric products of benzyltetrahydroisoquinoline alkaloids

Two O are The Bridges

Between those two

Benzytetrahydroisoquinoline

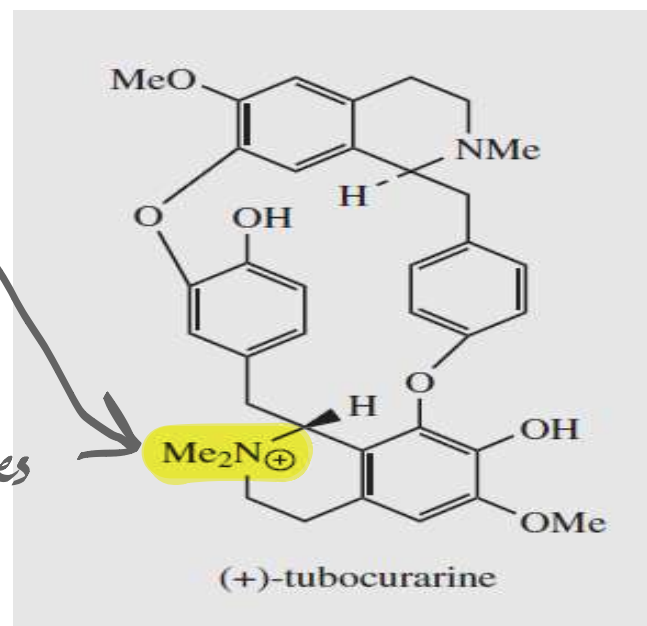


← مثن دائماً موجود

Dimeric products of benzyltetrahydroisoquinoline alkaloids

- **D-tubocurarine** is a very interesting compound, although it was discovered long time before the final structure of it was found only in the late 1960s. It is **water soluble**, **quaternary ammonium salt** and it is a **dimeric compound**, (possessing **two nitrogen** in its structure).

When we look at the structure of the D-tubocurarine we will recognize the two monomeric parts, we can see two groups of these (**the benzyl group**, **the hydroxyl group** and the **tetrahydroisoquinoline group**). Both monomeric parts are linked via ether bridges or *Bridges*. The ether bridges are products of the oxidative coupling process.



Dimeric products of benzyltetrahydroisoquinoline alkaloids

- D-tubocurarine is a dimer of two N-methylcoclaurine one (S) one (R)
- it is a natural compound used widely as a muscle relaxant in many abdomen and thorax surgeries as well as in treatment of Parkinson disease, multiple sclerosis and in tetanus.
- Now there are many synthetic analogues which are currently used in different surgeries. These compounds can be ultra short acting (up to 10 minutes), short acting (10- 20 minutes), intermediate acting (up to 30 min) or long acting (up to two hours) depending on surgery.

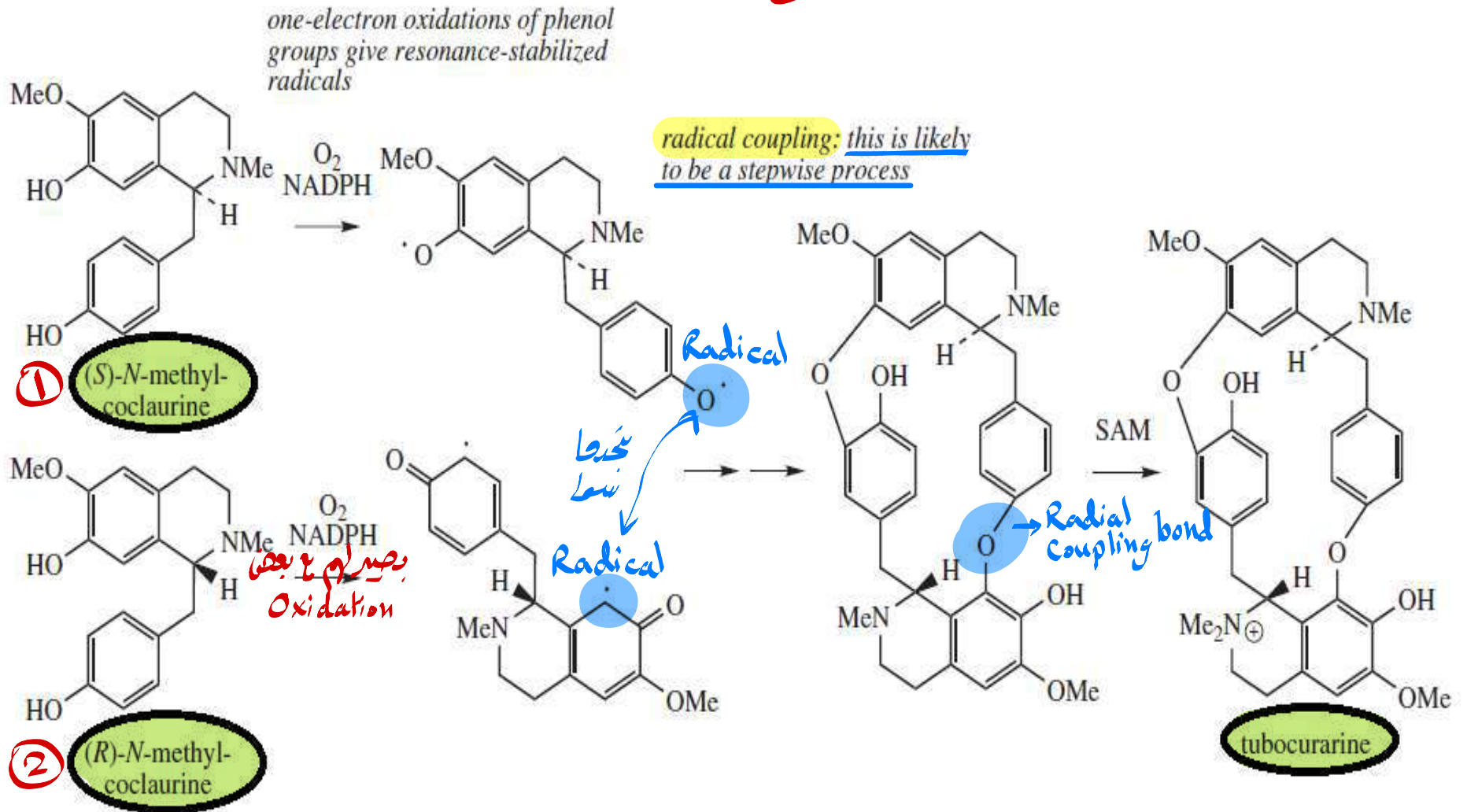
• Upon toxicity they can effect of these drugs can be antagonized by artificial respiration or Anti-acetylcholinesterase drugs like physostigmine and neostigmine. *في حالات Overdose من ACh Anti ACh*

مثل Tubocurarine ما بقدر أعطيه ACh بشكل مباشر يعطيه ACh esterase inhibitor يعني الربي ما بقدر أعطيه ACh يمنع على الأقل تكسر ACh ليهوود بالحيسر

المادة مصنعة
ما يكون بجسمنا
بشكل طبيعي أبداً.

الطريقة التي يصنع فيها النبات Tubocurarine

«Oxidative Coupling Process»



D-tubocurarine

- D-tubocurarine is not the only compound that possesses the activities that we have mentioned , other similar minor alkaloids which are found in the same plant that contains d-tubocurarine are found to have these activities too .

خلطة من عدة مواد التقديرها القبائل قديمًا وفيها أكثر من 30 مادة.

- **Note** → There are two different terms which you shouldn't mix between: **Curare** and **d-tubocurarine**
- **Curare** is a collective term for the arrow poisons prepared by south American Indians and one of the compounds of these arrow poisons is d-tubocurarine , in addition to d-tubocurarine more than 30 different compounds were detected in the curare and they have the activities that we mentioned for the d-tubocurarine .

أحد المواد الموجودة في هذه الخلطة

Nicotinic Receptor
Antagonist

Curare :

- Arrow poisons are prepared in Amazons by different tribes and each tribe was preparing its own arrow poisons based on the plants growing in their surroundings. كل قبيلة كانت تصنع خلطة لها خاصة بناء على النباتات التي ينمو بالمنطقة
- Some of these tribes were using plants belonging to the family **Menispermaceae** , while other tribes which don't have Menispermaceae in their surroundings were using plants from the family **Loganiaceae** . Other tribes they have **plants from the both families so they mix them all together** .
مثال :-
- So basically we have three different types of curare (curare from Menispermaceae , from Loganiaceae or from the two families) and all of them are used for the same purpose (for hunting or killing the animals) .

ال D-tubocurarine لقوة برای العائلة د.

- أقدم نبتة في العالم
In the case of Menispermaceae curare, the main tree which is used is the *Chondrodendron tomentosum*, the bark is scraped off, boiled with water and then they add some other plant materials to make the final product some sticky material so that it will stick to the arrows or darts . The main constituent (arrow poison) of this plant is d-tubocurarine .
- In the case of the Loganiaceae, the plants used are of the genus *Strychnos*, the toxic ingredient in *Strychnos* is the toxipherons Not the strychnine . Toxipherons are Indole alkaloids not benzyl-tetrahydroisoquinoline alkaloids so we will talk about them later .
- In the case where there is a mixture of the two families , we will find the two poisons , d-tubocurarine and toxipherons .

القبائل التي استخدمت هنا لقوة المادتين .

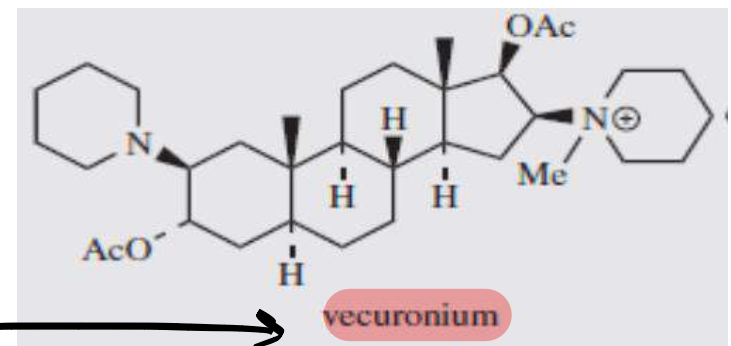
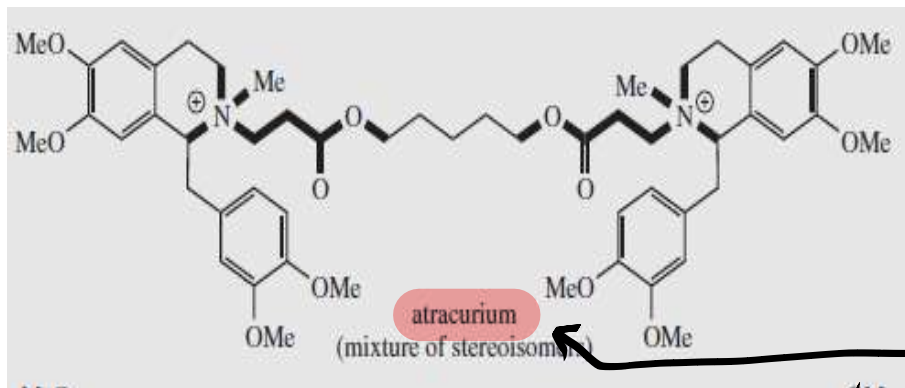
Menispermaceae family with the main constituent d-tubocurarine :

- *Curare is only effective if it enters the bloodstream, it is inactive when given orally.
- The potency of curare as an arrow poison is variable because of the variability of ingredients in it (e.g the extract which is obtained in summer will differ in its ingredients from the extract obtained in winter) and consequently the potency needs testing

مثال

- In **medicine** they are utilized in the paralysis and relaxation of the voluntary muscles , muscles of the respiration will mainly stop working .
- We use them in Parkinson, tetanus, abdomen and tonsillectomy surgeries and the effect is counteracted by **artificial respiration** and **Anti-acetylcholinesterase agents** as we mentioned previously .
- Tubocurarine and the heterocyclic analogues are termed non-depolarizing or competitive muscle relaxants; their action may be reversed with anticholinesterase agents such as neostigmine that increase acetylcholine concentration at the neuromuscular junction by inhibiting its breakdown.

- Then synthesized analogues with heterocyclic structures like **(Atracurium)** it's like tubocurarine possessing benzyl tetrahydroisoquinoline, di-quaternary (base), atracurium is occurring as mixture of stereoisomers, later on separated in to pure isomers and Cis is the one used, the two quaternary N here separated by 13 atoms
- So they found that it's not obligatory that the distance in a physiological solution is ten atoms (14 angstroms) since 10 and 16 atoms show similar activity, also not necessary that the di-quaternary N to be separated by straight chain it may separated by a steroidal nucleus like in (**Vecuronium**) which is a **Mono-quaternary** ammonium salt where two N separated by steroidal nucleus.



يختلف فقط في [Duration of action]

Radix Ipecacuanha

Ipecacuanha Root عرق الذهب

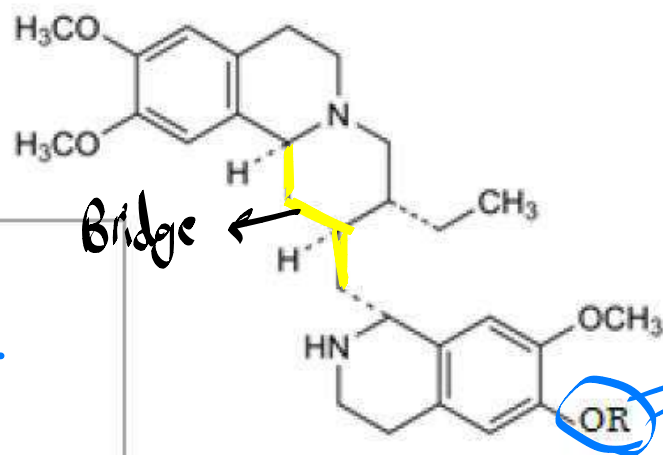
- We will talk about ipecac root and different constituents of ipecac root, definitely that **ipecac syrup** is very well known from your pharmacy practice, its obligatory part in poisoning antidote because it's **emetic properties** also different **expectorants** contains ipecac extract, so it is a plant which has quite different utilization depending on the **doses** and depending on the **purification** of the major constituents.
 إذا جرعات قاتلة يكون مقيش
 جرعات عالية بصير emetic
 وينفع لعلاج التسمم
- Ipecac extract **Major constituents** are **cephaeline** and **emetine**.
- Ipecac extract **Minor constituents** are **psychotrine** and **O-methylpsychotrine**.



كان يعتقد أنه سبب التقيؤ
لكن طلع العكس.

Ipecacuanha has a group of alkaloids { most importantly **emetine** and **cephaline** } .It was believed that emetine is responsible for vomiting , but later its found that emetine has very weak emetic property and the majority of vomiting effect comes from **cephaline** .

هو المسؤول فعلياً عن emetic properties

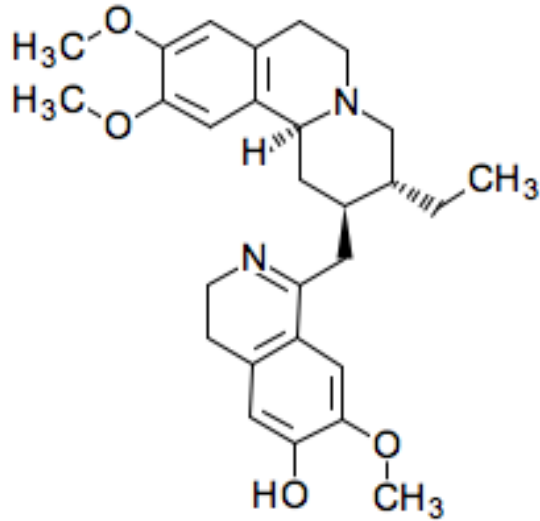


We have 2 isoquinoline molecules attached to each other by ethyl group.

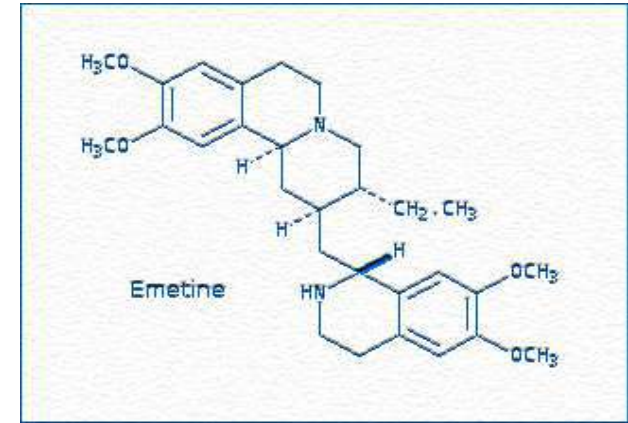
R:CH₃ => Emetine

R:H => Cephaline

Emetine

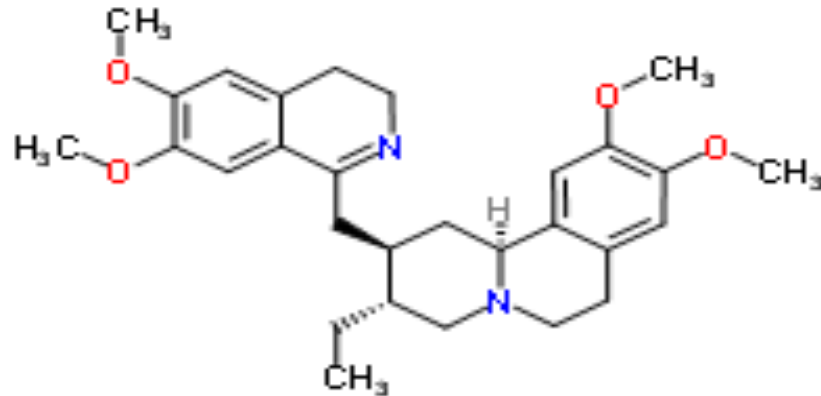


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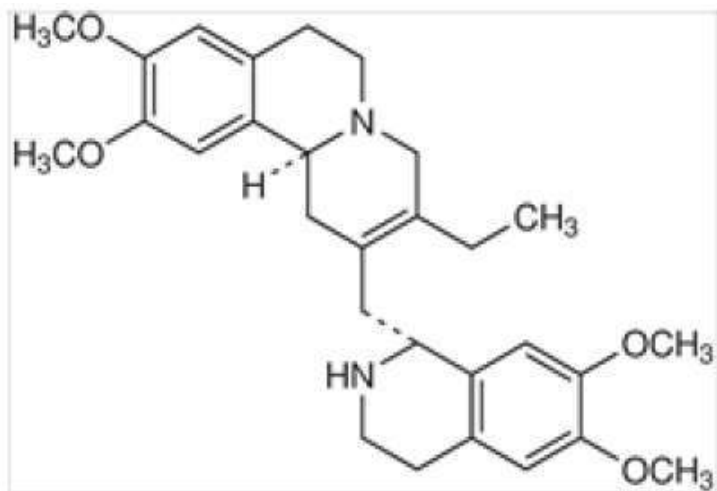
Psychotrine:

موجودين أيضًا بالبنته
لكن بشكل أقل .



O-methylpsychotrine

(emetine) prevents the synthesis of
proteins in microorganisms at the
translocation stage and thus death,
but it's too toxic for therapeutic use ,
instead we use the dehydro form .



بصفتہ بطریقین $\rightarrow$ Scratch
Dehydro emetine $\rightarrow$ removing 2H

completely synthetic compound and
sometimes we can use emetine to
produce it by removing two H's.

- It is a South American plant, main countries produce it is Brazil, the major species of this plant is *Cepahalis ipecacuanha* the emetine to cephaeline ratio might be 2:1 where as in species *Cepahalis acuminata* ratio ranges from about 1:2 to 1:1. Dehydro emetine استحضارات
- Emetine also used in: ① amebic dysentery, ② expectorant and antiviral. ③
- Ipecac extract: at high doses as emetic, at small doses as expectorant. *
- Ipecac more recently mixed with powdered opium to give Dover's powder where the ipecac content functioned as a diaphoretic (promote perspiration).

الموجود
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Opioids



Addiction and Treatments

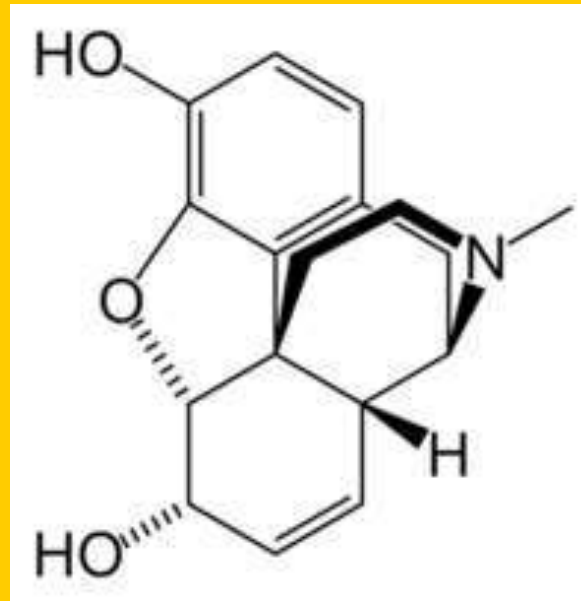
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Opioid **Addiction** and Treatments- Overview

- What are Opioids?
- Addiction and Dependence
- Mechanism of Dependence
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 - Rapid Detoxification
- Conclusions and Future Avenues For Research



What are Opioids? (A quick review!)

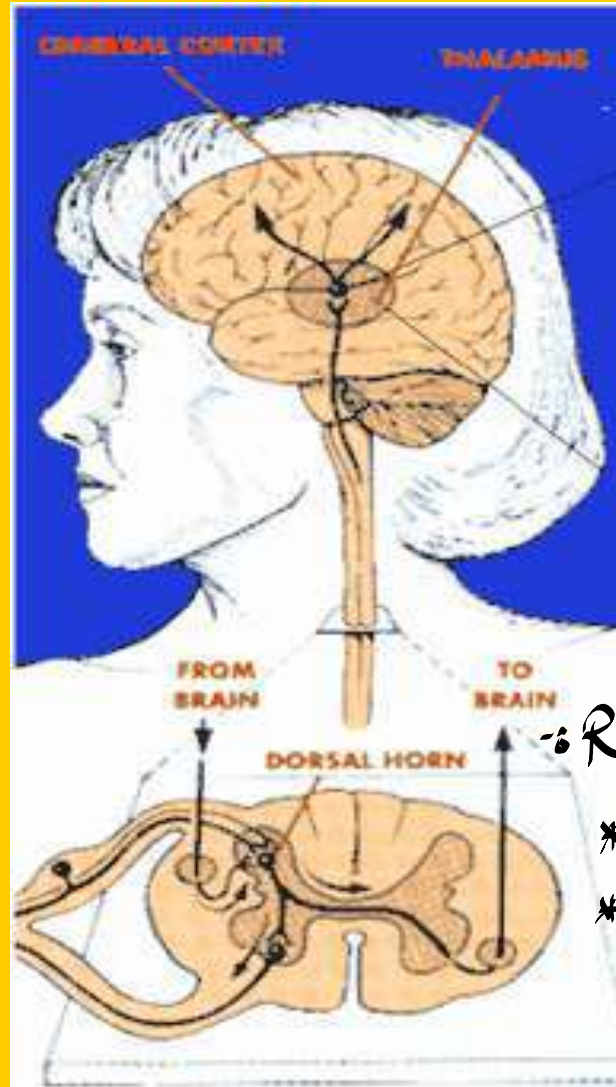


Morphine

- Opioids are a class of drugs that act primarily on the body's opioid receptors.
- Opioids are often referred to as narcotics. أنواع Receptor
- They act by blocking μ , κ , σ and possibly δ receptor classes.
- Most opioid receptors are found in the central nervous system and in the gastrointestinal tract.
- Opioids are used primarily for their analgesic effects but also for their cough suppressant properties. مسكن

لذلك واحد من أعراضه خفف
المجانبية ألمة Constipation ومن الأعراض الاستجابية Diarrhea

Blocking of the Opioid G 7 Trans membrane or G-Protein coupled Receptor (Opioid Agonists)

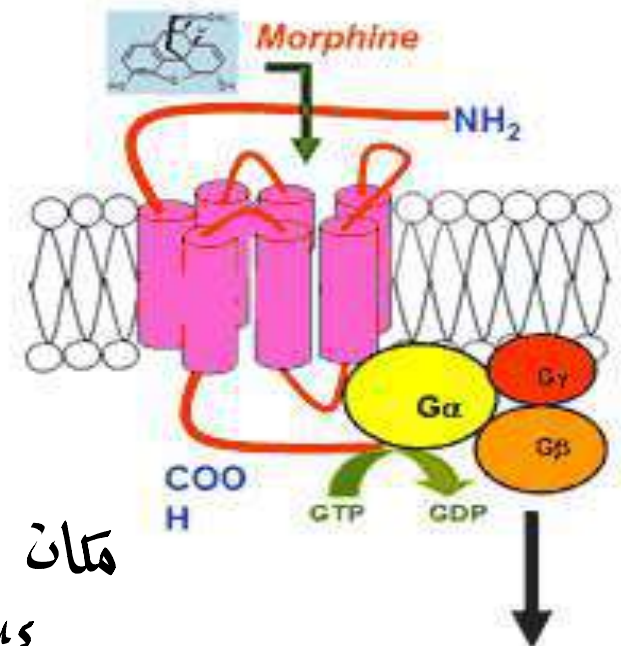


الدماغ يتأثر
مباشرة

مکان Receptors
* Thalamus
* Cortical Cortex

Mu Opioid Receptor:

located on the membrane of neuronal cells



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عدم توازن في
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داخل الدماغ

الأعراض الانسحابية
التي قد تظهر على
المريض لتوقف
عن التعاطي



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بجبروا
Antagonist
للأفيون



Treatments

- Several treatments and treatment strategies exist for opioid addiction. غلب عنده المخدر
و ندخله مصححة

1. The Cold Turkey Approach

2. Traditional Opioid Drug Treatment → أدوية تعالج
هذا الإدمان *Methadone*

3. Rapid Detoxification

→ في حالات *Overdose* يتوقف
الدمع التنفسي و يصير *Respiratory Depression*
نعم اسعافه *Antagonist* مثل *Naloxone*



The Cold Turkey Method

- Quitting opioid use cold turkey after dependence has developed has several drawbacks but also some advantages.
- Of course, this is the cheapest method of ending dependence. This body, however, is put through a significant amount of stress during the “withdrawal” period.
- Death or seizures almost never result from opioid withdrawal unless the amount of opioid being withdrawn was extremely large. These events are more likely to occur during withdrawal from barbiturates or benzodiazepines.



The Cold Turkey Method- Withdrawal Symptoms



- About eight to twelve hours after the last heroin use, an addict's eyes begin to tear and he/she starts to experience flu-like symptoms: sneezing, weakness, depression, muscle cramps, nausea, vomiting, diarrhea. The symptoms increase in severity over two to three days.
- Within a week to 10 days the illness is over.
- The phrase 'cold turkey' probably comes from the appearance of goose bumps all over the body, which resembles a plucked turkey. Muscle spasms in the legs produce kicking movements, and this may be the derivation of the expression 'kick the habit.'

القشعريرة



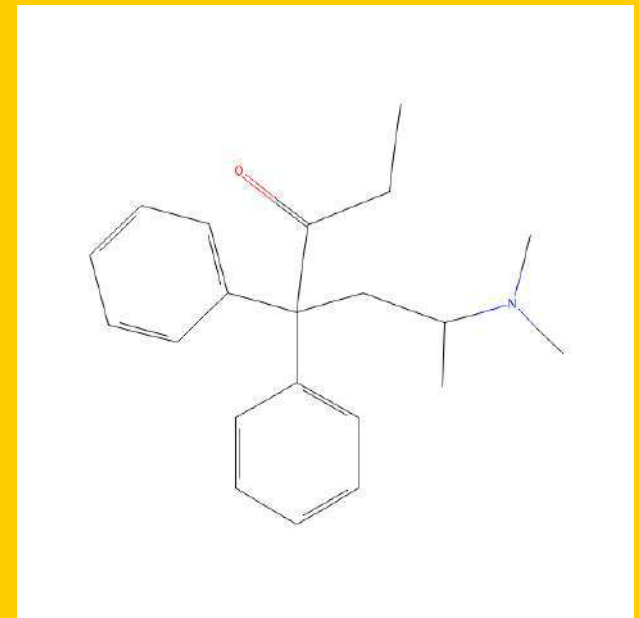
Traditional Drug Based Treatments

- The primary method of treating and managing opioid addiction and dependence has been with the use of other opioid drugs.
- These replacement drugs function to essentially wean the user off of opioid use.
- Most of these drugs have withdrawal symptoms lighter than those of the abused opioid (heroin, Oxycontin, morphine, etc...)



Traditional Drug Based Treatments- Methadone

- A synthetic opioid, used medically as an analgesic and in the treatment of narcotic addiction.
- Although chemically unlike morphine or heroin, methadone also acts on the opioid receptors and thus produces many of the same effects. Chemically, methadone is the simplest of the opioids.
- Methadone has a slow metabolism and very high lipid solubility, making it longer lasting than morphine-based drugs. Methadone has a typical half-life of 15 to 60 hours, in rare cases up to 190 hours. permitting the administration only once a day in heroin detoxification and maintenance programs.
- Methadone has traditionally been provided to the addiction population in a highly regulated methadone clinic, generally associated with an outpatient department of a hospital.
- Numerous clinics start addicts at 30mg and raise the dosage 10mg a day until the addict feels they are at a comfortable level of dosage.



Traditional Drug Based Treatments-

← مَظُون دَاخِل
الْمَصْحَات فَتَعْدَل
Methadone, continued...



الْعَرَالِضُفِي لَهُ صَعْفُ الْهَرُوِين [48 hr]

- At proper dosing, methadone usually reduces the appetite for and need to take heroin.
- However, most heroin addicts report more difficulty in quitting methadone than heroin.
- While there is much debate over the treatment schedule and duration required, treatment at a methadone maintenance clinic is intended to be for an indefinite duration.
- Many factors determine the treatment dose schedule, and some follow the philosophy that methadone maintenance treatment is not curative for heroin addiction.

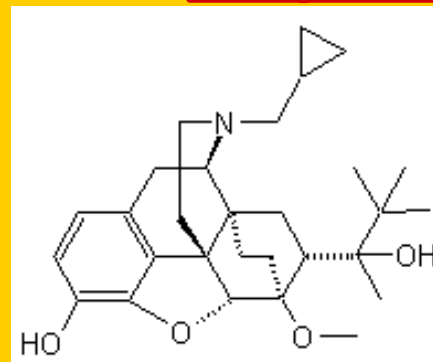
Traditional Drug Based Treatments- Methadone- History

- Methadone/dolophine, was first synthesized in 1937 by German scientists Max Bockmühl and Gustav Ehrhart at IG Farben during their search for an analgesic that would be easier to use during surgery (and less potentially addictive, post-op) than morphine...
- Methadone was introduced into the United States in 1947 by Eli Lilly and Company as an analgesic.
- A great deal of anecdotal evidence was available "on the street" that methadone might prove effective in treating heroin withdrawal and it had even been used in some hospitals. It was not until studies performed at the Rockefeller University in New York City by Professor Vincent Dole, along with Marie Nyswander and Mary Jeanne Kreek, that methadone was systematically studied as a potential substitution therapy.
- To date, methadone maintenance therapy has been the most systematically studied and most successful, and most politically polarizing, of any pharmacotherapy for the treatment of drug addiction patients.

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Traditional Drug Based Treatments- Buprenorphine

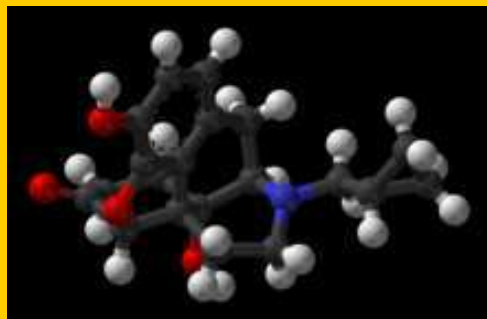
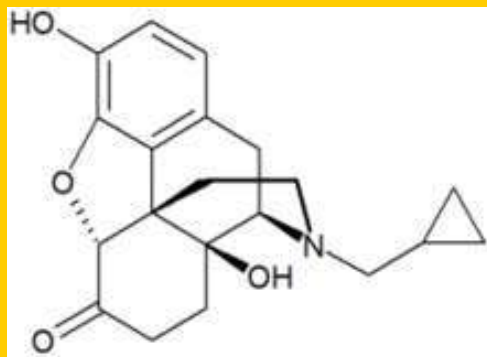


→ Methadone-Like Drug
→ long half-life .
→ قد يغطي خارج المصحة

- an opioid drug with partial agonist and antagonist actions.
 - In October 2002, the FDA additionally approved Suboxone and Subutex, buprenorphine's high-dose sublingual pill preparations for opioid addiction.
 - Belongs in the Schedule III category of drugs along with hydrocodone and anabolic steroids.
- عزيرة
→ Advantages to using buprenorphine over methadone include less restrictive availability. A patient can be prescribed the drug for self administration rather than having to receive their dose at a clinic.
- Also, it is thought that Buprenorphine has less severe withdrawal symptoms than methadone although the symptoms may last longer.



Traditional Drug Based Treatments- **Naltrexone** → *over Dose Treatment.*



- **Naltrexone** is an opioid receptor antagonist used primarily in the management of alcohol dependence and opioid dependence.
- Naltrexone, and its active metabolite 6- β -naltrexol, are competitive antagonists at μ - and κ -opioid receptors, and to a lesser extent at δ -opioid receptors. The plasma half-life of Naltrexone is about 4 h, for 6- β -naltrexol 13 h. The blockade of opioid receptors is the basis behind its action in the management of opioid dependence—it reversibly blocks or attenuates the effects of opioids.
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- A technique that aims to reduce the duration and intensity of opioid withdrawal by administering a combination of drugs while the patient is under general anesthesia.
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Patient undergoing Rapid Detox



Conclusions

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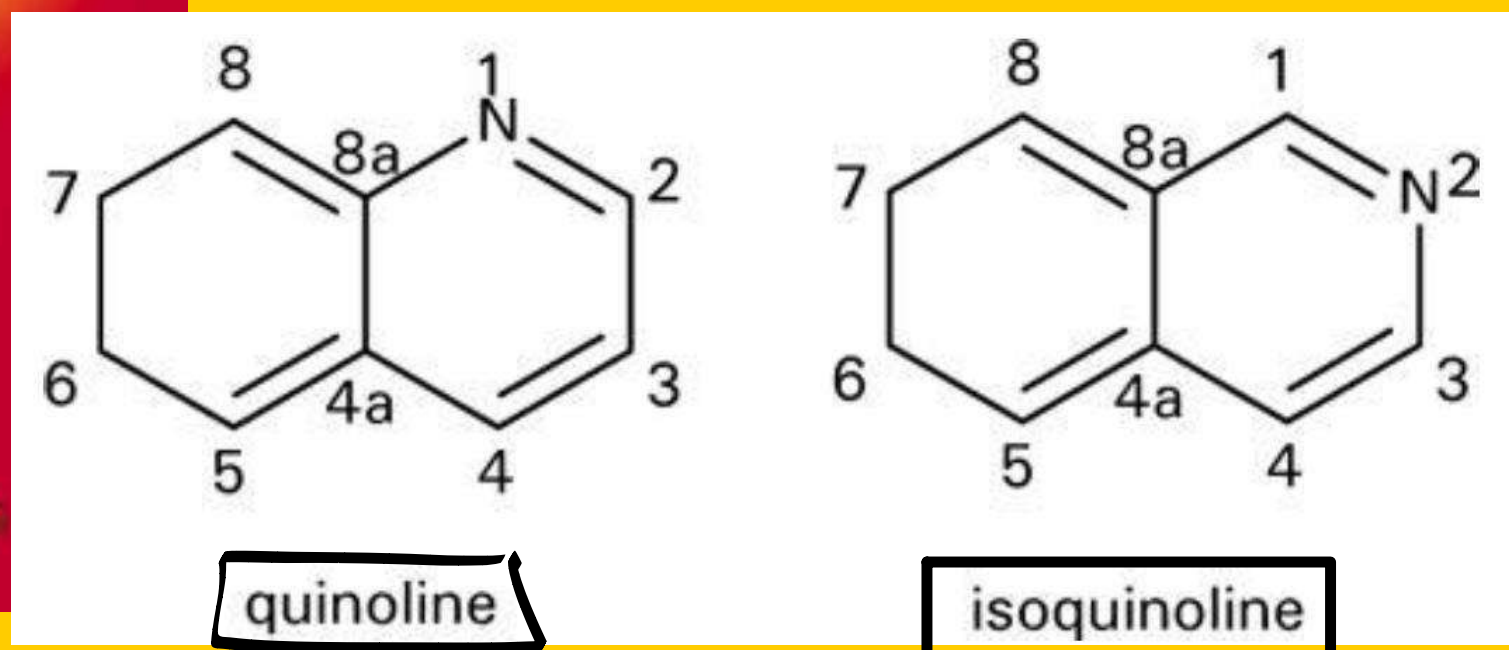
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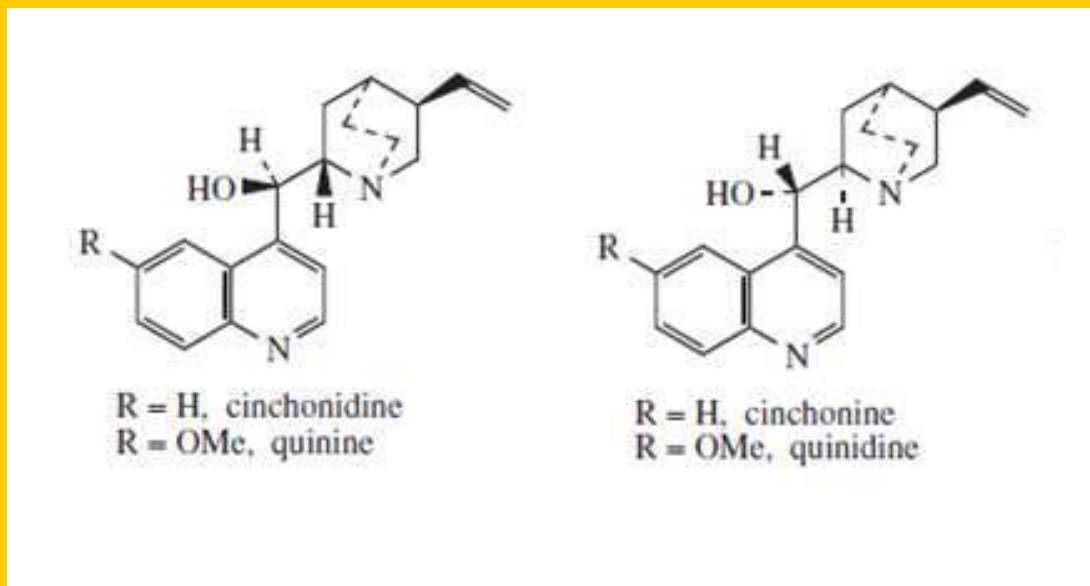


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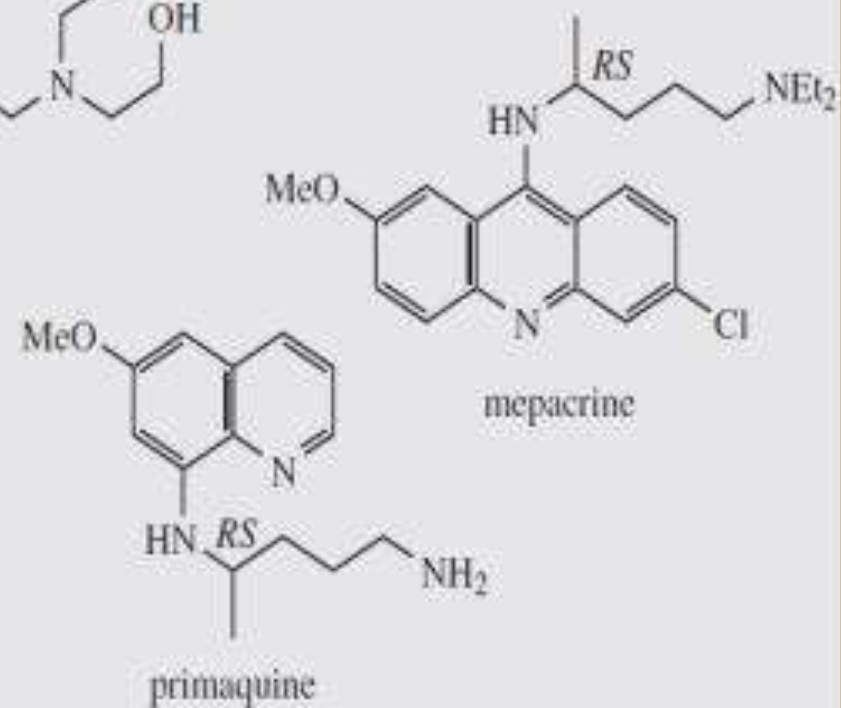
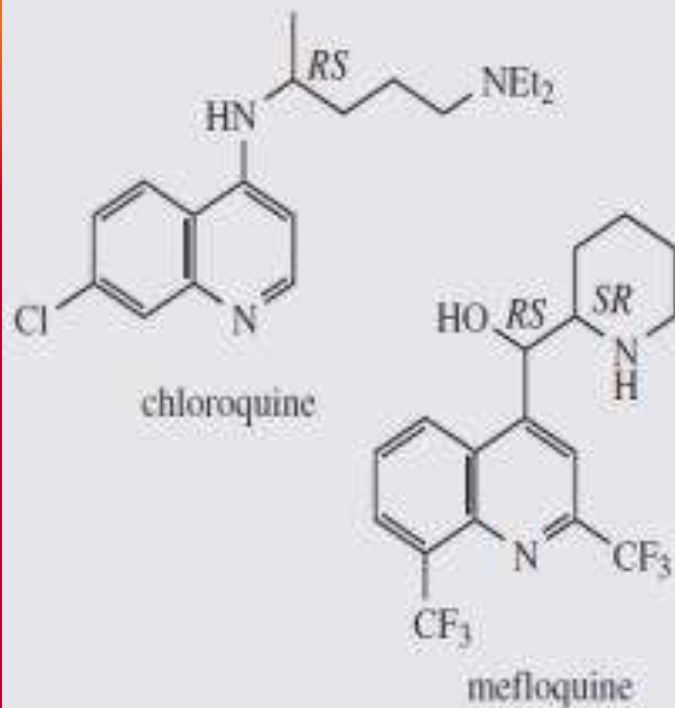


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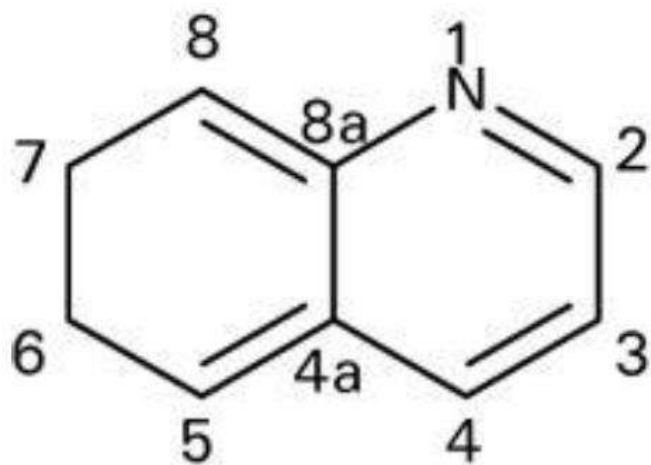
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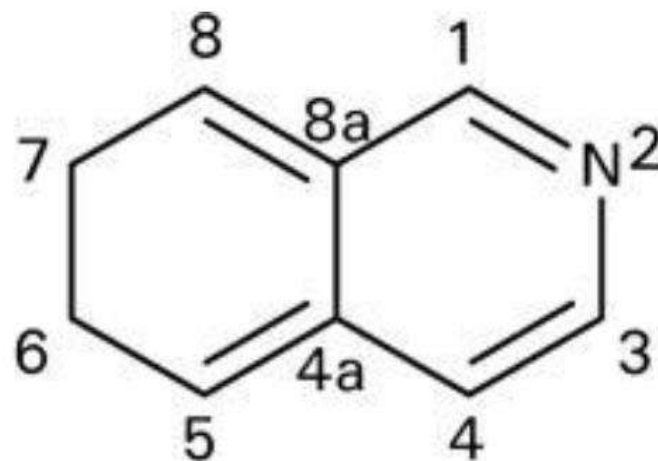
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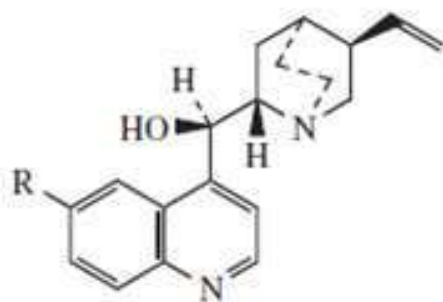


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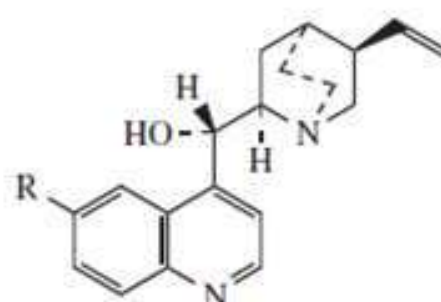


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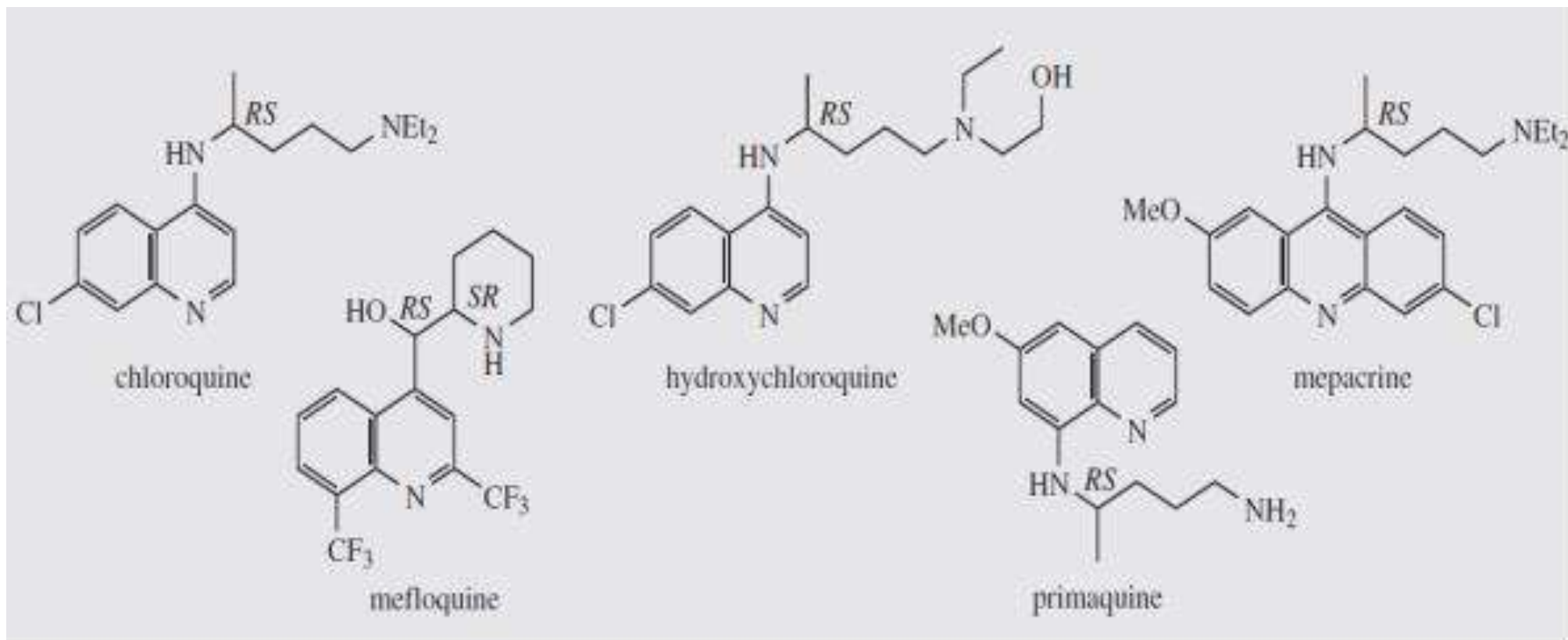
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