# QSAR and Molecular Docking Studies of the Inhibitory Activity of Novel Heterocyclic GABA Analogues over GABA-AT 

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Figure 52S. Backbone structural alignment of GABA-AT structures. a) GABA-AT human model in cyan color. 1ohv, 1ohw and 1ohy Sus scrofa crystal structures in red (RMSD=0.35), gray (RMSD $=0.36$ ) and orange ( $\mathrm{RMSD}=0.40$ ) color respectively.
b) GABA-AT Pseudomonas fluorescens model in shiny red color, 1sf2 E. coli estructure in shiny yellow color (RMSD=0.52). $\mathrm{Fe}_{2} \mathrm{~S}_{2}$ (yellow/pink color) and PLP from human model in VDW representation.

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Table 3S. Values of the experimental ( $\mathrm{Y}_{\mathrm{Exp}}$ ), calculated ( $\mathrm{Y}_{\mathrm{Cal}}$ ) and predicted (Yred) percent of inhibition of the GABA derivatives. Compounds that were considered form the test validation are marked with a script symbol.

## NMR Spectra of compounds.



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EC --------------NSNKELMQRRSQAIPRGVGQIHPI-FADRAENCRVWDVEGREYLD
HS -FDYDGPLMKTEVPGPRSQELMKQLNII--QNAEAVHFFCNYEESRGNYLVDVDGNRMLD
JB -FDYDGPLMKTEVPGPRSRELMKQLNII--QNAEAVHFFCNYEESRGNYLVDVDGNRMLD
PF FAGGIAVLNTGHLHPKIIAAVTEQLNKLTH---TCFQVLAYEPYVELCEKVNAK-VPGDF
EC FAGGIAVLNTGHLHPKVVAAVEAQLKKLSH---TCFQVLAYEPYLELCEI-MNQKVPGDF
HS LYSQISSVPIGYSHPALLKLIQQPQNASMFVNRPALGILPPENFVEKLRQSLLSVAPKGM
JB LYSQISSIPIGYSHPALVKLVQQPQNVSTFINRPALGILPPENFVEKLRESLLSVAPKGM
PF AKKTLLVTTGSEA------------------------------VENAVKIARATTGRAGVIAFT
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HS -SQLITMACGSCSNENALKTIFMWYRSKERGQRGFSQEELETCMINQAPGCPDYSILSFM
JB -SQLITMACGSCSNENAFKTIFMWYRSKERGESAFSKEELETCMINQAPGCPDYSILSFM
PF GAYHGRTMMTLGLTGKVVPYSAGMGLM--P-GGIFRALYPNELHGVS-V---DDSIAS-I
EC GAYHGRTHYTLALTGKVNPYSAGMGL---MPGHVYRALYPCPLHGI----SEDDAIASI-
HS GAFHGRTMGCLATTHSKAIHKIDIPSFDWPIAPFPRLKYPLEEFVKENQQEEARCLEEVE
JB GAFHGRTMGCLATTHSKAIHKIDIPSFDWPIAPFPRLKYPLEEFVKENQQEEARCLEEVE
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EC TGTLFAMEQMGVAP--DLTTFAKSI-AGGFPLAGVTGRAEVMDAVAPGGLGGTYAGNPIA
HS TGKFWAHEHWGLDDPADVMTFSKKMMTGGFFH-----K-EEFRPNAPYRIFNTWLGDPSK
JB TGKFWAHEHWGLDDPADVMTFSKKMMTGGFFH-----K-EEFRPNAPYRIFNTWLGDPSK
PF CAAALAVMEVFEEEHLLDRCKAVGERLVTGLKAIQAKYPVI-GEVRALGAMIALELFEDG
EC CVAALEVLKVFEQENLLQKANDLGQKLKDGLLAIAEKHPEI-GDVRGLGAMIAIELFEDG
HS NLLLAEVINIIKREDLLNNAAHAGKALLTGLLDLQARYPQFISRVRGRGTFCSFDT----
JB NLLLAEVINIIKREDLLSNAAHAGKVLLTGLLDLQARYPQFISRVRGRGTFCSFDT----
PF DSHKPNAAAVASVVAKARDKGLILLSCGTYGNVLRVLVPLTSPDEQLDKGLAIIEECFSEL-
EC DHNKPDAKLTAEIVARARDKGLILLSCGPYYNVLRILVPLTIEDAQIRQGLEIISQCFDEAK
HS ----PDDSIRNKLILIARNKGVVLGGCGDKSIRFRPTLVFRDHHA--HLFLNIFSDILADFK
JB ----PDESIRNKLISIARNKGVMLGGCGDKSIRFRPTLVFRDHHA--HLFLNIFSDILADFK
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$7 a$

7b


$7 f$

(R)-8a


(R)-8c

(S)-8c

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(R)-8d

(S)-8e

(S)-8d

(R)-8f


(S)-9b
(R)-9c

(S)-9c

(R)-9d

(S)-9d

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(R)-9e

(S)-9f

(S)-9e
(R)-9f


VGB
VPNa

Figure 45S. Optimized structures of all GABA analogues, VPNa and VGB. Continuation


Figure 46S. Interactions between GABA analogues 7 and Pseudomonas fluorescens GABA-AT. a) 7a, b) 7b, c) $7 \mathbf{c}, d) 7 d, e) 7 e$ and f) 7 f . PLP prosthetic group is showed as Van der Waals spheres and each protein chain is colored in green and cyan. Residues at $4 \AA$ of each analogue are indicated. Hydrogen bonds are shown as orange dashed lines.



Figure 47S. Interactions between GABA analogues 8 and Pseudomonas fluorescens GABA-AT. a) (S)-8a, b) $(R)-8 \mathbf{a}, \mathrm{c})(S)-\mathbf{8 b}, \mathrm{d})(R)-\mathbf{8 b}, \mathrm{e})(S)-8 \mathbf{c}$ and f) $(R)-8 \mathbf{c}, \mathrm{~g})(S)-8 \mathbf{d}, \mathrm{~h})(R)-\mathbf{8 d}, \mathrm{i})(S)-\mathbf{8 e}, \mathrm{j})(R)-8 \mathbf{e}, \mathrm{k})(S)-8 \mathbf{f}, \mathrm{l})(R)-8 \mathbf{f}$. PLP prosthetic group is showed as Van der Waals spheres and each protein chain is colored in green and cyan. Residues at $4 \AA$ of each analogue are indicated. Hydrogen bonds are shown as orange dashed lines.


Figure 48S. Interactions between GABA analogues 9 and Pseudomonas fluorescens GABA-AT. a) (S)-9c, b) $(R)-9 \mathrm{c}, \mathrm{c})(S)-9 \mathbf{d}$ and d) $(R)-9 \mathbf{d}, \mathrm{e})(S)-9 \mathbf{e}, \mathrm{f})(R)-\mathbf{9 e}, \mathrm{g})(S)-9 \mathrm{f}, \mathrm{h})(R)-9 \mathrm{f}$. PLP prosthetic group is showed as Van der Waals spheres and each protein chain is colored in green and cyan. Residues at $4 \AA$ of each analogue are indicated. Hydrogen bonds are shown as orange dashed lines.

Table 1S. Energy interactions values obtained from the docking calculations of all GABA derivatives and pseudomonas GABA-AT model. All the values are in $\mathrm{kcal} / \mathrm{mol}$.

| Ligand | MolDock Score | Electro | HBond |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7 a | -73.1062 | -7.11035 | -2.65911 |
| 7b | -69.4043 | -3.21553 | -7.4961 |
| 7c | -63.4051 | -8.18821 | -3.26379 |
| 7d | -88.9465 | -5.28229 | -5.17495 |
| 7 e | -81.1331 | -10.6664 | -5.7402 |
| 7 f | -82.0854 | -9.3513 | -8.95745 |
| (S)-8a | -88.4367 | -7.59611 | -2.37557 |
| (R)-8a | -80.2747 | -4.34932 | -1.54938 |
| $(S)-8 \mathbf{b}$ | -95.13 | -3.82411 | -3.42391 |
| $(R)-\mathbf{8 b}$ | -82.2497 | -1.10123 | -9.99797 |
| $(S)-8 \mathbf{c}$ | -106.003 | -11.4722 | -6.60934 |
| (R)-8c | -84.4955 | -2.78647 | -5.59387 |
| (S)-8d | -102.496 | -12.1057 | -7.491 |
| (R)-8d | -79.0166 | -7.77168 | -3.27213 |
| (S)-8e | -97.1576 | -7.49549 | -4.62095 |
| (R)-8e | -85.5462 | -5.56573 | -1.57816 |
| (S)-8f | -110.456 | -9.48398 | -2.62015 |
| (R)-8f | -80.3773 | -1.33976 | -5.50014 |
| (S)-9b | -94.5623 | -5.33333 | -7.63276 |
| (R)-9b | -82.3833 | -8.45774 | -4.99611 |
| (S)-9c | -105.201 | -4.4125 | -6.8652 |
| (R)-9c | -92.4029 | 0.375594 | -4.915 |
| (S)-9d | -93.087 | -3.43971 | -3.94599 |
| (R)-9d | -102.403 | -5.70107 | -3.30324 |
| (S)-9e | -97.4871 | -4.61057 | 0 |
| (R)-9e | -90.7655 | -4.02959 | -8.75642 |
| (S)-9f | -92.252 | -4.16681 | -2.49799 |
| (R)-9f | -83.726 | -0.300184 | 0 |
| VPNa | -64.703 | -5.43962 | -6.16675 |



Figure 49S. Interactions between GABA analogues 7 and Human GABA-AT. a) 7a, b) 7b, c) 7c, d) 7d, e) $\mathbf{7 e}$ and f) 7f. PLP prosthetic group is showed as Van der Waals spheres and each protein chain is colored in yellow and red. Residues at $4 \AA$ of each analogue are indicated. Hydrogen bonds are shown as orange dashed lines.



Figure 50S. Interactions between GABA analogues $\mathbf{8}$ and Human GABA-AT. a) (S)-8a, b) (R)-8a, c) (S)-8b, d) $(R)-\mathbf{8 b}, \mathbf{e})(S)-8 \mathbf{c}$ and f) $(R)-8 \mathbf{c}, \mathrm{~g})(S)-8 \mathbf{d}, \mathrm{~h})(R)-\mathbf{8 d}, \mathrm{i})(S)-\mathbf{8 e}, \mathbf{j})(R)-8 \mathbf{e}, \mathrm{k})(S)-\mathbf{8 f}, \mathrm{l})(R)-8 \mathbf{f}$. PLP prosthetic group is showed as Van der Waals spheres and each protein chain is colored in yellow and red. Residues at $4 \AA$ of each analogue are indicated. Hydrogen bonds are shown as orange dashed lines.



Figure 51S. Interactions between GABA analogues 9 and Human GABA-AT. a) (S)-9b, b) (R)-9b, c) (S)-9c and d) $(R)-9 \mathbf{c}, \mathrm{e})(S)-9 \mathrm{~d}, \mathrm{f})(R)-\mathbf{9 d}, \mathrm{g})(S)-9 \mathrm{e}, \mathrm{h})(R)-9 \mathrm{e}, \mathrm{i})(S)-9 \mathrm{f}, \mathrm{j})(R)-9 \mathrm{f}$. PLP prosthetic group is showed as Van der Waals spheres and each protein chain is colored in yellow and red. Residues at $4 \AA$ of each analogue are indicated. Hydrogen bonds are shown as orange dashed lines.


Figure 52S. Backbone structural alignment of GABA-AT structures. a) GABA-AT human model in cyan color. 1ohv, 1ohw and 1ohy Sus scrofa crystal structures in red (RMSD=0.35), gray ( $\mathrm{RMSD}=0.36$ ) and orange (RMSD=0.40) color respectively. b) GABA-AT Pseudomonas fluorescens model in shiny red color, 1sf2 E. coli estructure in shiny yellow color (RMSD=0.52). $\mathrm{Fe}_{2} \mathrm{~S}_{2}$ (yellow/pink color) and PLP from human model in VDW representation.

Table 2S. Energy interactions values obtained from the docking calculations of all GABA derivatives and human GABA-AT model. All the values are in kcal/mol.

| Ligand | MolDock Score | Electro | HBond |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7 a | -73.7827 | -11.6791 | -6.37482 |
| 7b | -90.0906 | -14.3794 | -2.70548 |
| 7c | -87.1437 | -4.79249 | -4.66131 |
| 7d | -93.3451 | -16.3569 | -7.2265 |
| 7 e | -101.729 | -10.9936 | -4.12353 |
| 7 f | -83.6899 | -11.9784 | -3.44067 |
| (S)-8a | -112.119 | -7.99459 | -3.85277 |
| (R)-8a | -97.5094 | -6.93326 | -3.08695 |
| (S)-8b | -98.5854 | -11.0659 | -5.84991 |
| $(R)-8 \mathbf{b}$ | -93.2925 | -12.0228 | -1.80199 |
| (S)-8c | -113.181 | -7.06026 | -2.5 |
| (R)-8c | -89.7572 | -13.2412 | -3.34681 |
| (S)-8d | -107.919 | -2.81265 | -4.36016 |
| (R)-8d | -93.1624 | -5.66396 | -2.5 |
| (S)-8e | -111.347 | -2.23916 | -0.215018 |
| $(R)-8 \mathbf{e}$ | -103.812 | -14.4581 | -3.64372 |
| $(S)-8 \mathbf{f}$ | -105.834 | -13.386 | -2.83697 |
| (R)-8f | -89.8468 | -13.3805 | -2.49901 |
| (S)-9b | -100.144 | -8.84278 | -3.14615 |
| (R)-9b | -95.7124 | -11.0181 | -2.4786 |
| (S)-9c | -105.791 | -11.6063 | -2.11356 |
| (R)-9c | -91.5724 | -8.52886 | -3.78333 |
| (S)-9d | -107.209 | -10.6489 | -2.5 |
| (R)-9d | -98.4869 | -10.3527 | -3.17113 |
| (S)-9e | -109.605 | -9.38255 | -2.5 |
| (R)-9e | -112.69 | -10.5368 | -8.05182 |
| $(S)-\mathbf{9 f}$ | -122.362 | -10.3354 | -2.5 |
| (R)-9f | -103.599 | -9.33766 | -2.4934 |
| VPNa | -73.7153 | -7.61745 | 0 |

Table 3S. Values of the experimental ( $\mathrm{Y}_{\text {Exp }}$ ), calculated ( $\mathrm{Y}_{\text {cal }}$ ) and predicted ( $\mathrm{Y}_{\text {Pred }}$ ) percent of inhibition of the GABA derivatives. Compounds that were considered form the test validation are marked with a script symbol.

| Mol | Y Calce | YPredi | YCalc2 | YPred2 | Yalas | YPred3 | YCalcs | Ypred 4 | Ycald | YPreds | YCalc6 | YPred6 | Ycalc7 | $\mathrm{Y}_{\text {Pred7 }}$ | Yalas | Ypreds | YCale | YPred9 | Ycalco | YPredio | YExp |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7 a | 25. | 26 | - | 2.91 | 25.79 | 26.19 | - | 18 | 24.28 | 23.97 | 23.71 | 23.19 | 25.33 | 25.52 |  | 25.84 |  | 27.67 |  | 25.35 | 4.9 |
| 7b | 19.6 | 18.12 | 20.76 | 19.59 | 20.43 | 19.15 | 20.19 | 19.06 | 19.9 | 18.33 | 21.19 | 20.34 | 20.47 | 19.07 | 20.67 | 19.4 | 21.29 | 19.8 | 20.1 | 18.6 | 24.9 |
| 7c | 20.39 | 20.7 | 21.49 | 22.13 |  | 21.14 | 20.78 | 21.14 | 20.59 | 21.01 | 21.92 | 22.54 | 21.14 | 21.73 | 21.39 | 22.03 |  | 22.05 | 20.8 | 21.2 | 9.4 |
| 7d |  | 21.45 | 22.5 | 22.4 | 22.17 | 21.9 | 5 | 21.2 |  | 21.59 | 22.99 | 23.01 |  | 22.12 | 22.42 | 22.25 | 23.16 | 23.2 |  | 21.8 | 22.9 |
| 7 F | 19.65 | 20.05 | 20.76 | 21.45 | 20.43 | 21.04 | 20.19 | 20.64 | 19.9 | 20.41 | 21.19 | 21.85 | 20.47 | 21.15 |  | 20.67 | 21.29 | 22.46 | 20.11 | 0.6 | 8.3 |
| 7 f | 28.54 | 29.1 |  | 29.8 | 28.51 | 29.96 | 28.6 | 30.88 | 26.79 | 27.01 | 26.08 | 25.8 | 27.87 | 28.87 | 28.54 | 30. |  | 30 | 27.9 | 29.65 | 26.5 |
| 8 a | 0.81 | 4.52 | 2.05 | 5.81 | . 59 | . 43 |  | 5.91 |  | 0.95 | -1.26 | 1.59 | 2.39 | 6.86 | 1.52 | 24 | 1.82 | 5.33 | 1.9 | . 54 | 3.5 |
| 8b | 0.16 | -0.12 | 1.27 | 1.47 | 1.46 | 1.66 | 4.29 | 5.94 | 1.62 | 2 | 1.62 | 1.9 | 2.49 | 3.11 | 1.61 | 1.85 | 1.03 | 1.1 | 1.73 | 2.06 | 0.84 |
| 8 c | 5.87 | 5.85 |  | 6.97 | 7.01 | 7.22 | 8.95 | 9.64 | 6.97 | 7.19 | 7.35 | 7.63 | 7.75 | 8.17 | 7.19 | 7.41 | 6.96 | 7.14 |  | 7.11 | . 96 |
| 8 d | 6.93 | 7.88 | 8.03 | 9.08 | 8.04 | 9.03 |  | 9.81 | 7.96 | 9 |  | 8.41 |  | 8.73 | 8.22 | 9.18 | 8.06 | 8.97 | 8.11 | 9.2 | 2.64 |
| 8 e |  | 0.16 | 1.27 | -0.99 | 1.46 | -0.06 | 4.29 | 3.39 | 1.62 | -0.64 | 1.62 | -0.09 | 2.49 | 1.08 | 1.61 | 0.17 | 1.03 | -0.9 | 1.73 | 0.06 | 6.2 |
| 8 f | 9.05 | 5.27 | 10.31 | 5.81 | 9.54 | 5.85 | 12.78 | 9.08 |  | 8.5 |  | 6.51 | 9.89 | 6.39 | 9.48 | 5.49 | 10.4 | 5.94 | 9.61 | 6.31 | 16.8 |
| 9b* | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | - |  |  |  |  | - | 73 |
| 9c | - | 26.19 | 27.89 | 25.5 | 27.99 | 12.55 | 27.6 | 20.73 | 28.12 | 31.25 | 28.07 | 52.09 | 28.17 | 35.81 | - | 28.3 | 27.9 | 25.78 | 27.98 | 27.4 | 28 |
| 9d | 9.21 | 18.37 | 8.87 | 9.17 |  | 7.64 | . 12 | 7.55 | 9.23 | 10.15 |  | 11.64 | 9.26 | 10.4 | 9.08 | 16.37 | 8.9 | 9.3 | 8.94 | 9.34 | 8.6 |
| 9 e | 5.14 | 3.5 | 5.21 | 4.03 |  | 4.45 | 5.95 | 5.37 | 6 | 5.48 | 7.43 | 8.27 | 6.16 | 5.54 | 5.63 | 4.41 | 4.99 | 3.68 | 5.71 | 5 | 7 |
| 9 f | 15.45 | 18.65 | 15.83 | 17.97 | 14.21 | 29.61 | 16.04 | 17.9 | 14.45 | 14.81 | 13.7 | 13.01 |  | 15.13 | 15.09 | 17.44 | 15.94 | 18.12 | 15.17 | 16.05 | 14.2 |
| VPNa |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 40 |

* Molecules considered as outliers.
- Compounds considered for the test validation.

