

## **Supporting Information**

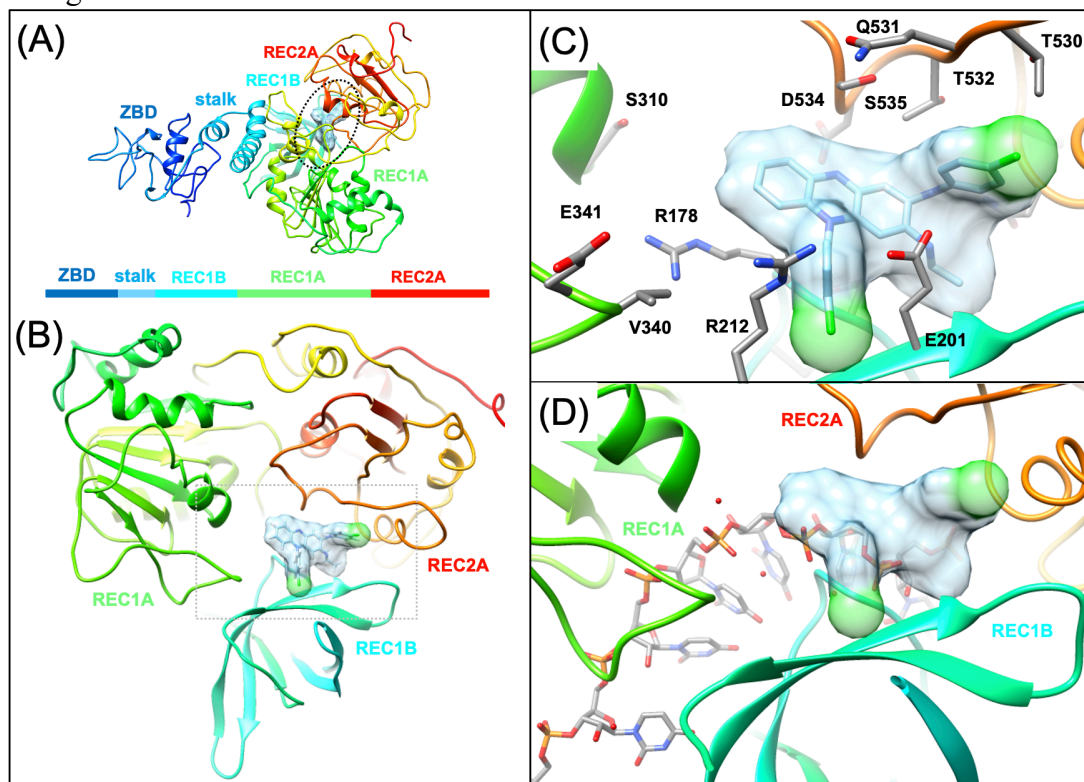
### **The Dual-Targeted Fusion Inhibitor Clofazimine Binds to the S2 Segment of the SARS-CoV-2 Spike Protein.**

Matthew R. Freidel,<sup>1</sup> Pratiti A. Vakhariya,<sup>1</sup>  
Shalinder K. Sardarni,<sup>1</sup> and Roger S. Armen<sup>1\*</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, College of Pharmacy,  
Thomas Jefferson University, 901 Walnut St. Suite 918,  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 19170.

\*Corresponding author, E-mail: [roger.armen@jefferson.edu](mailto:roger.armen@jefferson.edu)

**Figure S1. Consensus binding site for Clofazimine 2 on the Nsp13 Helicase.** (A) Ribbon structure of Nsp13 colored rainbow from the N-terminus in blue to the C-terminus in red where several domains are labeled. (B) Shown is the orientation of the REC2A and REC1B domains in orientation to the binding site where the molecular surface of 2 is shown. (C) A zoom-in view of the binding site from the same orientation showing the residues forming the binding site. (D) A similar view showing the orientation the RNA binding sites modeled from other helicases in the background.



**Table S1.** Comparison of Clofazimine derivatives predicted binding free energy ( $\Delta G_{\text{bind}}$ ) at Site 1 and Site 2 to those approximated from experimental IC50 values. Predicted free energy of binding ( $\Delta G_{\text{bind}}$ ) in (kcal/mol) is calculated from a triplicate average (Avg) and standard deviation (Stdev) as described in methods.

	Compound	Observed	Observed	Predicted	Predicted	Predicted	Predicted
		EC50	Calc.	Site 2	Site 2	Site 1	Site 1
	Deriv. ID	$\mu\text{M}$	$\Delta G$	$\Delta G$ Avg	$\Delta G$ Stdev	$\Delta G$ Avg	$\Delta G$ Stdev
			(kcal/mol)	(kcal/mol)	(kcal/mol)	(kcal/mol)	(kcal/mol)
1	<b>1</b>	10.0	-6.82	-9.06	0.16	-7.25	0.13
2	<b>6d</b>	154.0	-5.20	-8.71	0.10	-7.03	0.25
3	<b>6e</b>	16.1	-6.54	-9.79	0.48	-7.46	0.33
4	<b>7a</b>	141.0	-5.25	-8.70	0.08	-7.34	0.50
5	<b>7b</b>	39.3	-6.01	-8.60	0.08	-7.38	0.11
6	<b>7c</b>	40.9	-5.98	-8.69	0.19	-6.78	0.07
7	<b>7d</b>	14.5	-6.60	-9.14	0.22	-7.02	0.14
8	<b>7e</b>	13.5	-6.64	-9.00	0.07	-6.74	0.15
9	<b>7f</b>	10.3	-6.80	-8.95	0.17	-6.84	0.23
10	<b>7g</b>	16.6	-6.52	-9.56	0.14	-7.51	0.16
11	<b>7i</b>	10.0	-6.82	-9.47	0.23	-7.65	0.21
12	<b>7k</b>	12.4	-6.69	-10.0	0.23	-7.75	0.23
13	<b>7m</b>	17.2	-6.50	-8.61	0.04	-6.68	0.12
14	<b>7o</b>	13.5	-6.64	-9.32	0.01	-7.19	0.05
15	<b>15a</b>	29.6	-6.17	-8.66	0.29	-6.97	0.21
16	<b>15b</b>	81.1	-5.58	-8.75	0.17	-7.11	0.03
17	<b>15f</b>	14.6	-6.59	-8.89	0.09	-7.34	0.15
18	<b>15g</b>	10.0	-6.82	-8.89	0.22	-7.49	0.41
19	<b>15h</b>	33.1	-6.11	-8.25	0.13	-7.30	0.08