



Supplementary Materials: Characterization of P-glycoprotein Inhibitors for Evaluating the Effect of P-glycoprotein on the Intestinal Absorption of Drugs

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Figure S1. Relative mRNA expression levels of MDR1, BCRP, MRP2, and CYP3A4 in human small intestine, colon and Caco-2 cells. Relative mRNA expression levels were determined by real-time RT-PCR. GAPDH was selected as an endogenous RNA control to normalize for difference in amount of total RNA.





Figure S2. Bidirectional transport of paclitaxel across Caco-2 cell monolayers. The apical-to-basal (A) and basal-to-apical (B) transport of paclitaxel (5 μ M) in the presence or absence of various concentrations of P-gp inhibitors. Data are represented as mean ± S.D. for 3 experiments using different well in a single passage of Caco-2 cells.



Figure S3. Efflux ratio (*ER*) of paclitaxel and mitoxantrone in Caco-2 cells with P-gp inhibitors. The *ER* values were calculated using the mean values of $P_{app,AB}$ and $P_{app,BA}$ of paclitaxel and mitoxantrone in Caco-2 cells in the presence or absence of various concentrations of P-gp inhibitors.



Figure S4. Bidirectional transport of mitoxantrone across Caco-2 cell monolayers. The apical-to-basal (A) and basal-to-apical (B) transport of mitoxantrone (5 μ M) in the presence or absence of various concentrations of P-gp inhibitors. Data are represented as mean ± S.D. for 3 experiments using different well in a single passage of Caco-2 cells.