



Recent Advances in Heterocyclic Chemistry in Drug Discovery

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Heterocycles are common scaffolds of the vast majority of marketed drugs and drug candidates. New advances in synthetic methodologies that enable rapid access to a wide variety of heterocyclic compounds are of critical importance to medicinal chemists as they can readily generate bulk quantities of desired compounds to discover new and effective pharmaceuticals among heterocyclic compounds.

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