Development of Technology for Transforming Analysis Of Patent Information





## Introduction

### Evaluation Of Markush Structure Enumeration Technology

## Q/A

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## Challenges

How To Maximize Productivity In Light Of Increasing Complexity Of R&D Paradigms



# Challenges-cont.

### **Information Overload**

- Patent Examination Systems
- Scientist

The Burden Of Proof That Inventions Are Novel And Patentable is Shifting To Inventors

## Needed

## Methods For Increasing The Efficiency Of Translating Internal And External Know-how Into High Value IP

### **The Problem: Markush Structures**

#### **The Packaging Obscures The Content**



How Similar Is The Content?
 What Properties Has The Content?

The Outcome Of This Analysis Determines The Quality Of IP And The Security Of Investments

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## **Collaborations With INPI and Decript:**

#### **Enumeration Of Markush Structures In The MMS**

Data Base



#### Enumeration Output is Converted into

- Structure Fingerprints (Atom Pair)
  - Molecular Property Fingerprints



Does The Enumeration Of MMS Data Capture The MKST Space Occupied By Exemplified Compounds?



Enumeration Adequately Samples The Claimed MKST Space

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## Analysis Of Molecular Fingerprint Similarity: Determining MKST Overlap



**Application: Who Is Working With Pfizer Structures?** 





### Strategy for Ranking Patent Documents

Overlap **Prior Art** 

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1	WO2005037257		25	816	19272	Similar
2	VVO2004005324		3	134	5445	Similar
3	US20050239867		3	98	2476	Similar
4	WO2005041879		2	363	12735	Similar
5	WO2002030470		2	223	15332	Similar
6	WO2006092691		1	113	6040	Similar
7	EP1176147			202	12016	Lower similarity
8	US20030040514			200	18486	Lower similarity

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Determining The Chemical Structure Similarity Of Enumeration Results Identifies MKST Overlap And The Structure Similarity Of Compounds Residing In Overlapping MKST Regions



#### Comparison Of Ranking Results Specifically Claimed V. Enumerated Compounds

Ranking Of Documents Using Enumeration Results

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How relevant are these patents?

Ranking Of Enumeration Results Identifies Documents Containing Structures With Higher Similarity

Ranking Of Documents Using Specifically Claimed Compounds

#	Patent	70-79%	60-69%	50-59%	40-49%	Comment
1	WO2002013798			10	144	Lower similarity
2	WO2005105096			9	354	Lower similarity
Э	EP1199070			4	40	Lower similarity
4	WO2002024679			2	153	Lower similarity
5	WO2002049651			1	18	Lower similarity
6	DE10063224			1	18	Lower similarity
7	WO2003053975			1	10	Lower similarity
8	US20060128729		-		326	Worth Inspecting



## **Analysis of Ranking Results**

3. Verbindungen der allgemeinen Formel A2



Ranking identifies that this reference contains direct structure analogs of query despite the language of the multiple page claim and dissimilar MKST





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- This prior art reference would likely have been missed in a conventional analysis
- R1, R2 und R3 gewählt sind aus der Gruppe, die besteht aus Wasserstoff, unsubstituiertem oder substituiertem, geradkettigem oder verzweigtem C<sub>1</sub>- bis C<sub>12</sub>- Alkyl, C<sub>2</sub>bis C<sub>12</sub>-Alkenyl und C<sub>2</sub>- bis C<sub>12</sub>-Alkinyl, Hydroxy, Thiol, C<sub>1</sub>- bis C<sub>12</sub>-Alkoxy, C<sub>1</sub>- bis C<sub>12</sub>-Alkylthio, unsubstituiertem oder substituiertem, unkondensiertem oder kondensiertem, gegebenenfalls ein oder mehrere Heteroatome aus der Gruppe N, O, P und S enthaltendem Aryl und Cycloalkyl, unsubstituiertem oder substituiertem Amino, unsubstituiertem oder substituiertem Carbonyl, unsubstituiertem oder substituiertem Thiocarbonyl und unsubstituiertem oder substituiertem Imino; und
- die heteroaromatischen oder heterocyclischen Reste über ein C-Atom oder ein Heteroatom mit der Grundstruktur der allgemeinen Formel A2 verbunden sind
- und Tautomere, Stereoisomere der Verbindungen der allgemeinen Formel A2 und



# **Analysis of Ranking Results**

### Result 2 :

#### WO2004005324 claims Viagra







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#### Ranking Result #2 WO9522519



wherein in formulas (I) and (II): R<sup>3</sup> is C<sub>5</sub>-C<sub>31</sub> hydrocarbyl, preferably C<sub>9</sub>-C<sub>17</sub> hydrocarbyl, including straight-chain and branched-chain alkyl and alkenyl, or mixtures thereof; R<sup>1</sup> is C<sub>2</sub>-C<sub>8</sub> hydrocarbyl including straight-chain, branched-chain and cyclic (including arvl), and is preferably C<sub>2</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> alkylene, i.e., -CH<sub>2</sub>CH<sub>2</sub>-, -



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#### "Rough" Check of "FTO Space" : Analysis of 1400 Patents





## **Idea Generation Support**



# Summary

- The Technology:
- Is Useful For Identifying Relevant Prior Art Documents Buried In Large Number Of Hits In A Patent Search
- 2. Enables Scientists To Compare Properties Of The Contents Of Markush Structures



# Summary

Technology enables scientists to increase the efficiency in identifying those sections of the chemical space that are associated with the "best molecular properties" by being able to use the knowledge encoded in form of MKST in patent data bases.

# **Project Boundaries**

- Precise FTO analysis requires manual indexing
- Development of indexing tools rendering MKST enumerable station which will enable trained scientists to produce " claim level" accuracy of enumerations
- This precision analysis will likely always require a certain degree of human supervision since it involves the concise interpretation of patent claims which includes provisos and examiner imposed restrictions
- This service is currently performed for Pfizer by Decript

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