

Promotion of investigations for drug discovery & development using pharmacokinetic modeling & simulation

「Pharmacokinetic modeling & simulationを活用した創薬・開発研究の推進」

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Research History



1987		Hiroshima Univ.	
1990	Erythropoetin	<u>Chugai</u>	Prof. Sugiyama's monthly seminar (since 1998)
1991	G-CSF	PK/PD for EPO and G-CSF	
1995		Univ. of Tokyo	
1997			
1998		Mechanism based inhibition Human clearance prediction CYP induction	DDI Intestinal metabolism CYP induction
2005	Young scientist award	PK/PD for tofogliflozin and anti-cancer drugs Transcellular transport Pharmacokinetics of antibody	Intestinal inhibition P-gp kinetics Virtual clinical trial
2014	tofogliflozin	2016 Dr. Yamaguchi Young scientist award	2017 Dr. Tachibana Young scientist award
2019		Early Retirement 2019 Dr. Haraya Young scientist award	

Major research since 2005

1. CYP inhibition

2. CYP induction

3. Human prediction using CYP3A tgm and monkey

4. PK/PD for tofogliflozin and anti-cancer drugs

5. Transcellular transport

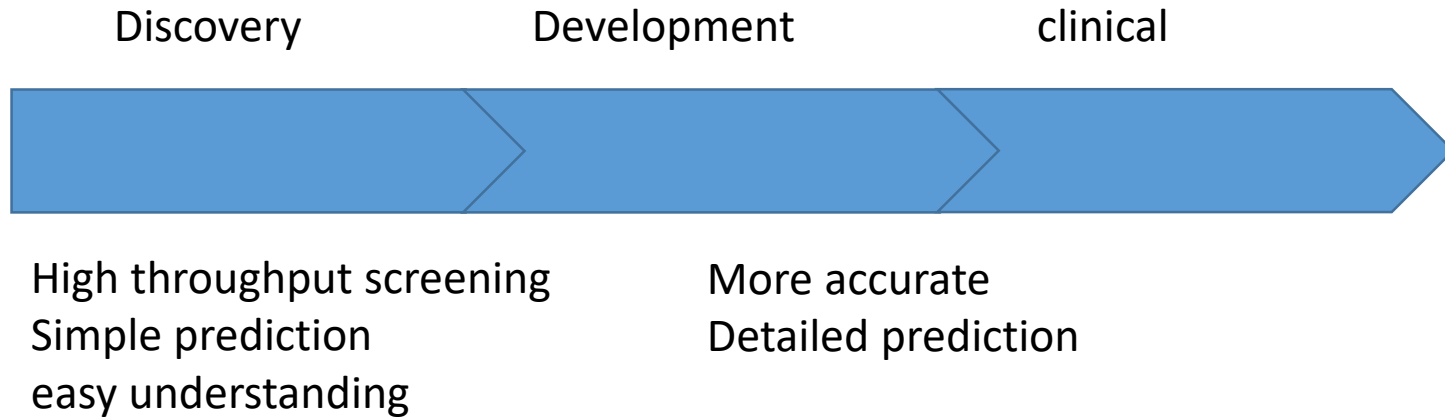
6. Elimination mechanism of antibody in CSF

7. Intestinal metabolism(inhibition, nonlinear kinetics)

8. Inter-individual difference for pharmacokinetics

(PKPD seminar)

Modeling & Simulation is a powerful tool.



Static model

Dynamic model

simple, 1 - 3 parameters

complex, many parameters

Static model (DDI guideline (Japan))

CYP inhibition

$$R = 1 + \frac{[I]}{K_i} \quad \text{Competitive inhibition}$$

Time dependent inhibition (mechanism based inhibition)

$$R = \frac{(k_{obs} + k_{deg})}{k_{deg}} \quad k_{obs} = k_{inact} \times [I] / (K_I + [I]) \quad 2013$$

$$R = \frac{(k_{obs} + k_{deg})}{k_{deg}} \quad k_{obs} = k_{inact} \times 50 \times [I] / (K_I + 50 \times [I]) \quad 2018$$

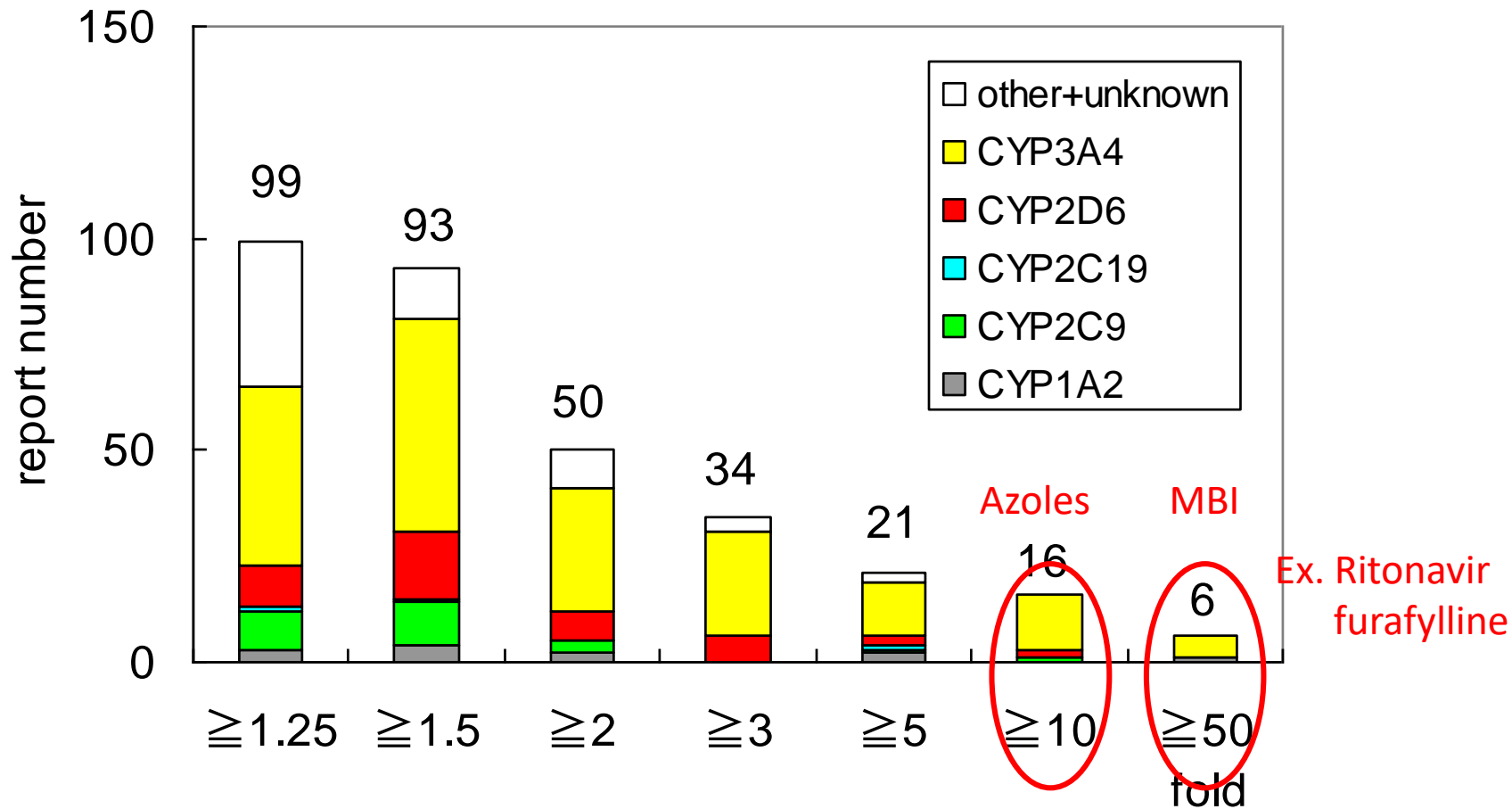
CYP induction

$$R = \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{d \times E_{max}}{EC_{50} + [I]}\right)} \quad 2013$$

$$R = \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{d \times 10 \times E_{max}}{EC_{50} + 10 \times [I]}\right)} \quad 2018$$

CYP inhibition

Increase of AUC mediated by CYP inhibition



(Kato et al. Pharm Res 25: 1891-1901, 2008)

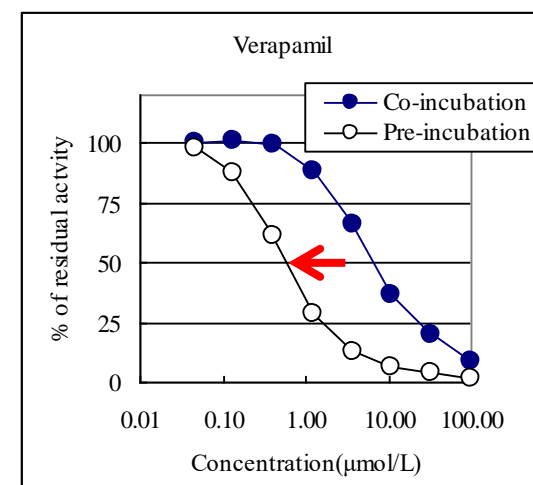
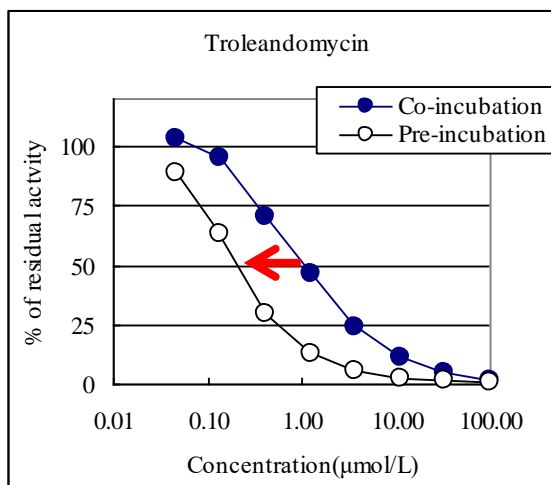
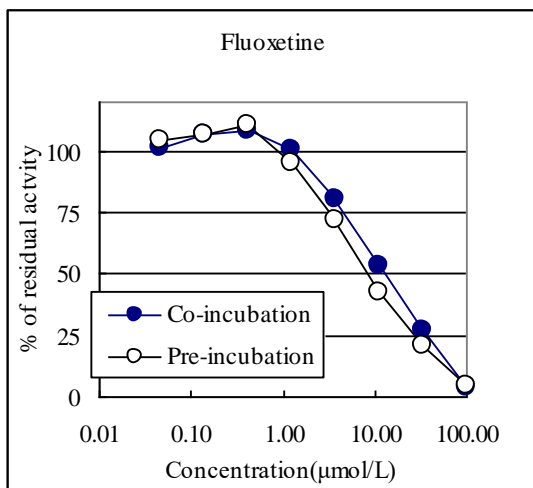
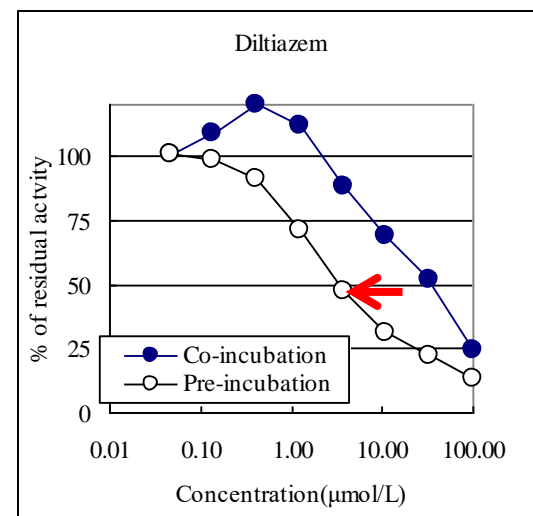
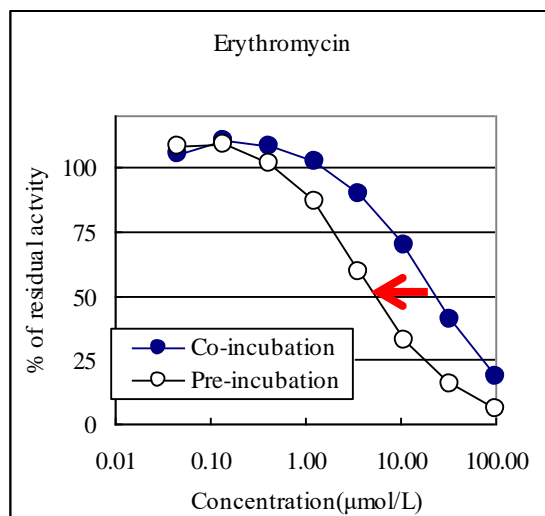
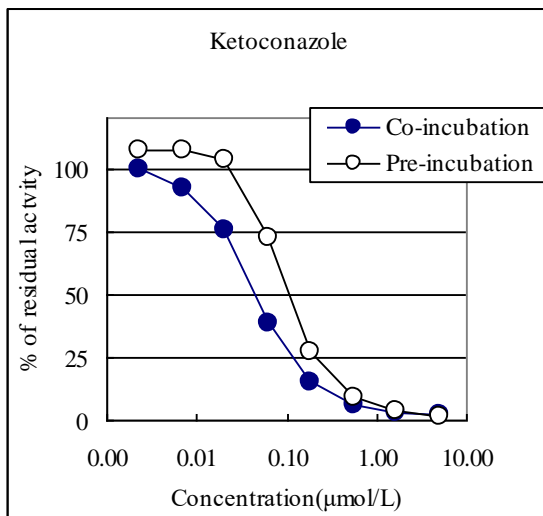
CYP inhibition

Competitive inhibition
reversible inhibition

Mechanism-based inhibition(Time dependent inhibition)
irreversible inhibition

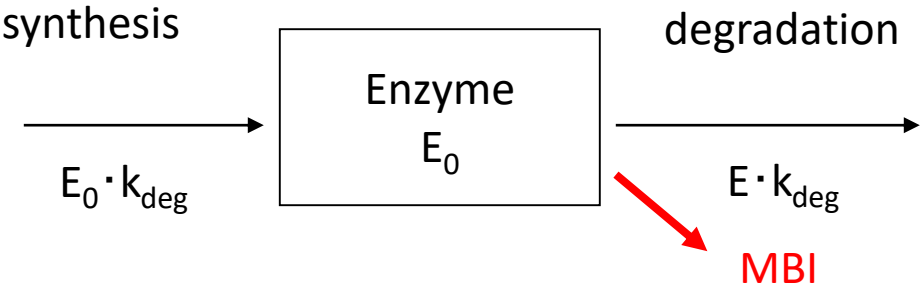
Fluorometric enzyme inhibition assay including TDI evaluation
96-well microtiter plates

Shift assay



Concentration and time-dependent inhibition of BFC dealkylation activity

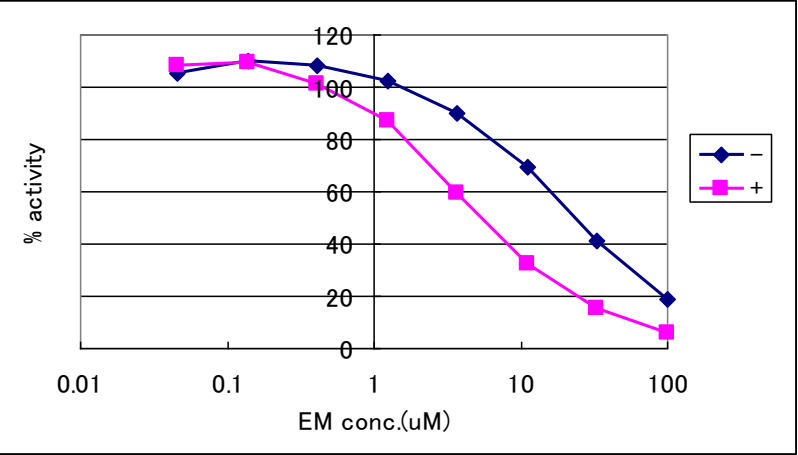
Model for mechanism based inhibition



$$\frac{dE_{act}}{dt} = - \frac{k_{inact} \cdot E_{act} \cdot I_u}{K_{i,app} + I_u} + k_{deg} \cdot E_0 - k_{deg} \cdot E_{act}$$

At steady state

$$\frac{E_{act}}{E_0} = \frac{K_{i,app} + I_u}{K_I + \left(\frac{k_{inact}}{k_{deg}} + 1\right) \cdot I_u} = \frac{1 + I_u/K_{i,app}}{1 + \left(\frac{k_{inact}}{k_{deg}} + 1\right) \cdot I_u/K_{i,app}} = \frac{AUC(control)}{AUC(inhibitor)}$$

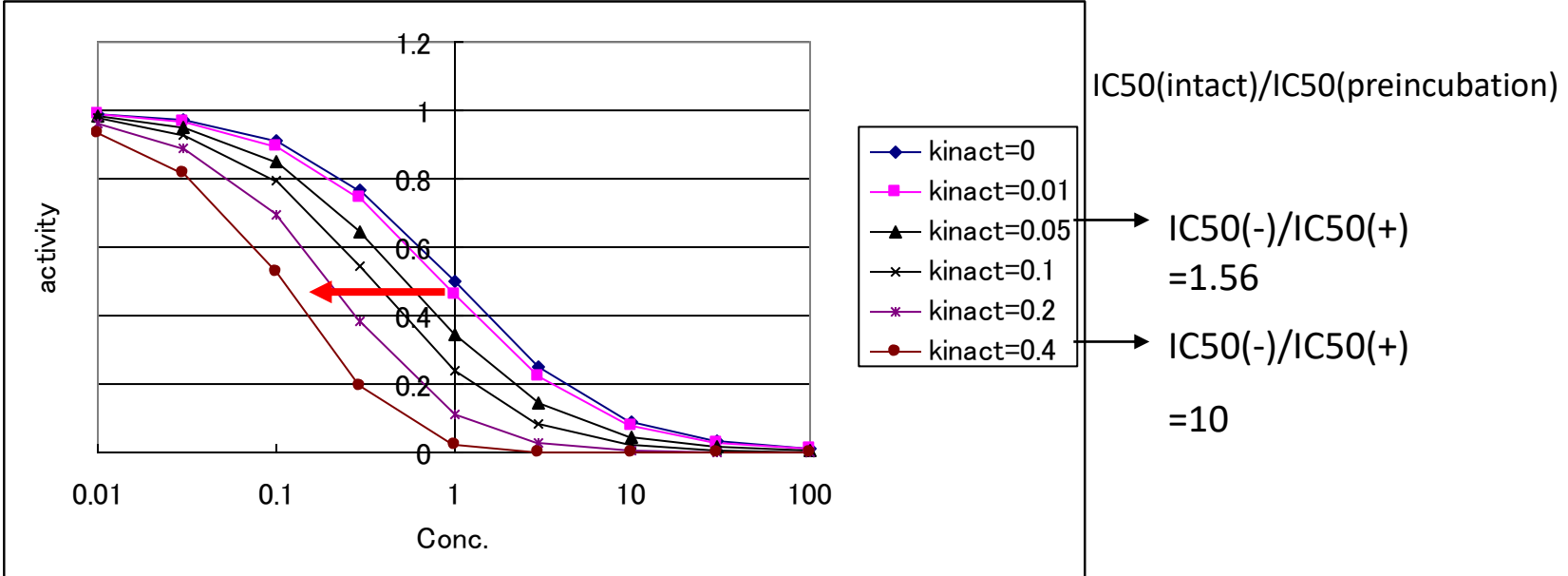


Can we estimate k_{inact} , $K_{i,app}$ from our assay?

Estimation of k_{inact}

Assumption

An Inhibior concentration does not change.
 $IC_{50(-)}$ equal to $K_{i,app}$.



$$k_{inact} = \frac{\left(1 + \frac{IC_{50(-)}}{IC_{50(+)}}\right)}{t} \cdot \ln \left(\frac{2}{\left(1 + \frac{IC_{50(+)}}{IC_{50(-)}}\right)} \right)$$

AUC change

$$\frac{\text{AUC}(+)}{\text{AUC}(-)} = \frac{1 + \left(1 + \frac{1 + \frac{IC_{50}(-)}{IC_{50}(+)}}{k_{deg} \cdot t} \cdot \ln \left(\frac{2}{\left(1 + \frac{IC_{50}(-)}{IC_{50}(+)} \right)} \right) \right) \cdot \frac{I_u}{IC_{50}(-)}}{\left(1 + \frac{I_u}{IC_{50}(-)} \right)}$$

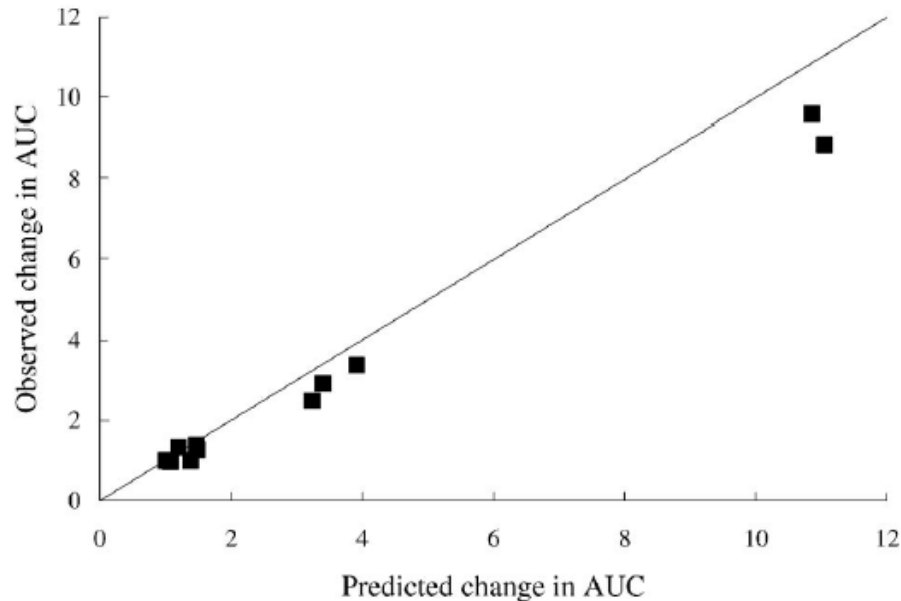
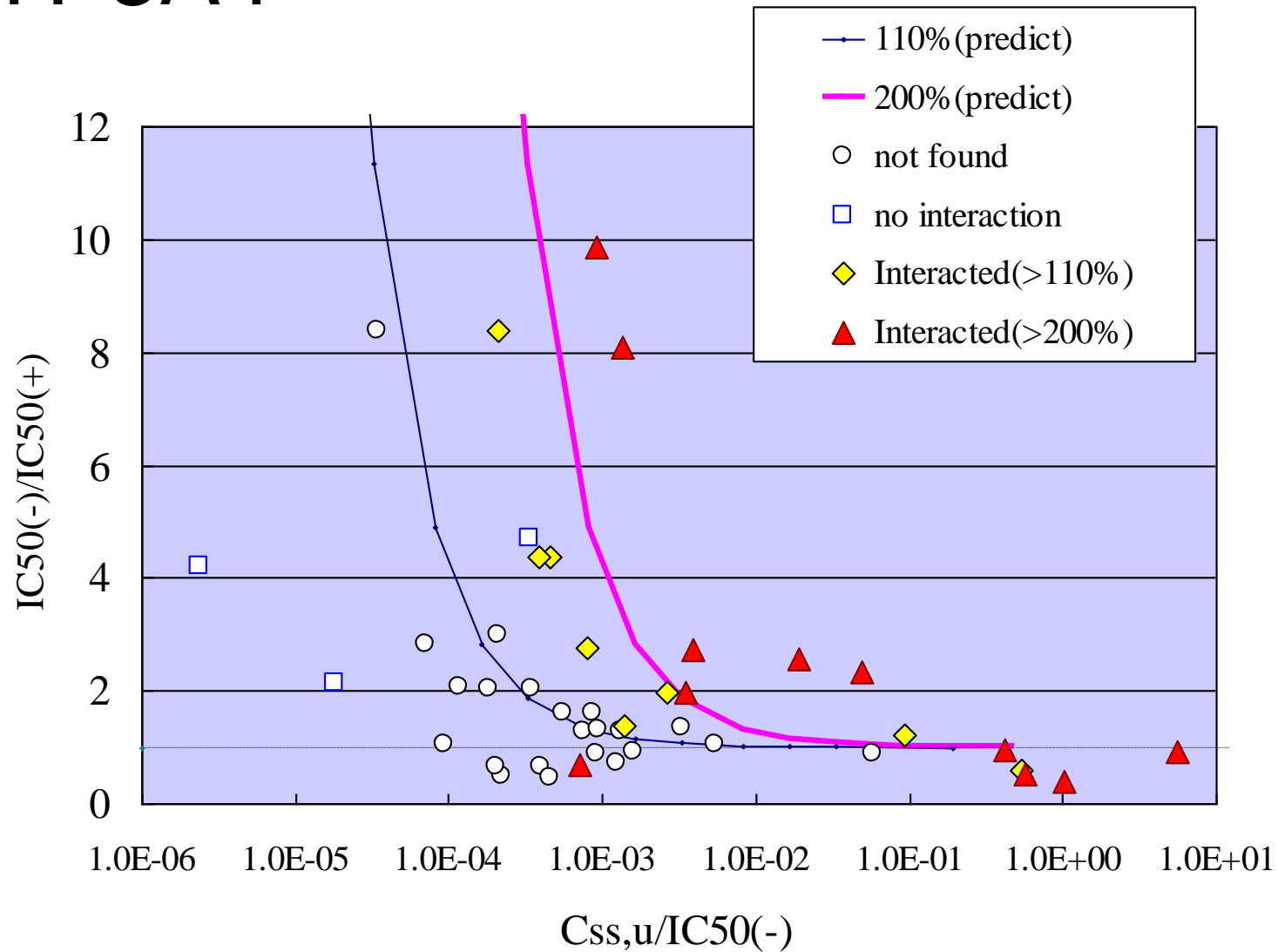


Fig. 3. Relationship between the predicted ratios of AUC change of co-administrated drugs and the ratios reported in clinic from mechanism-based inhibitors
 Prediction of the change in AUC was calculated using equation 10.
 The line represents the 1:1 correlation.

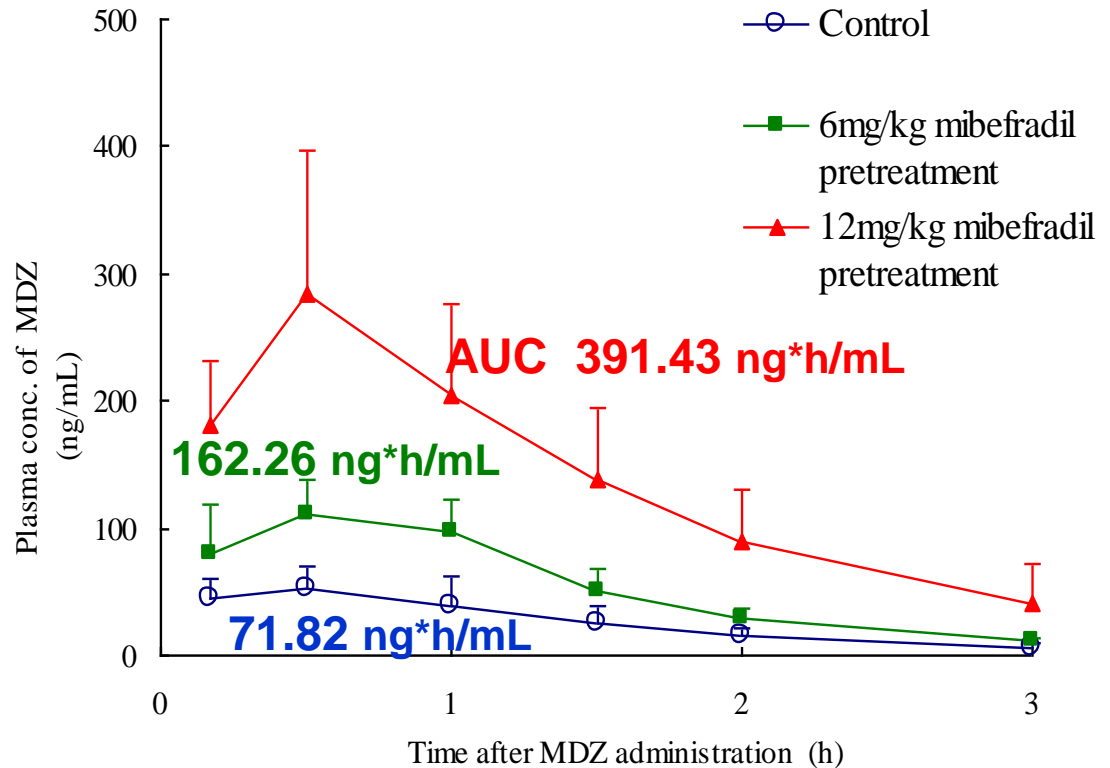
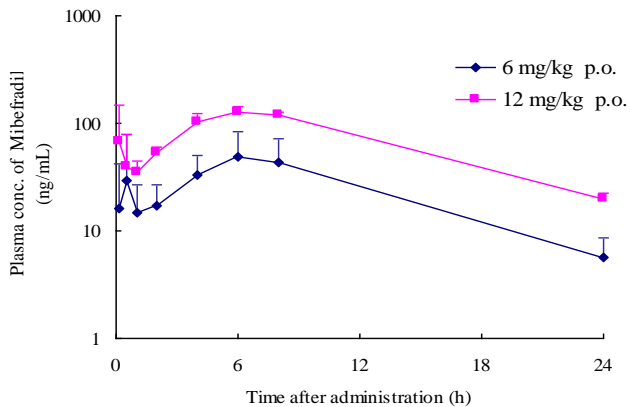
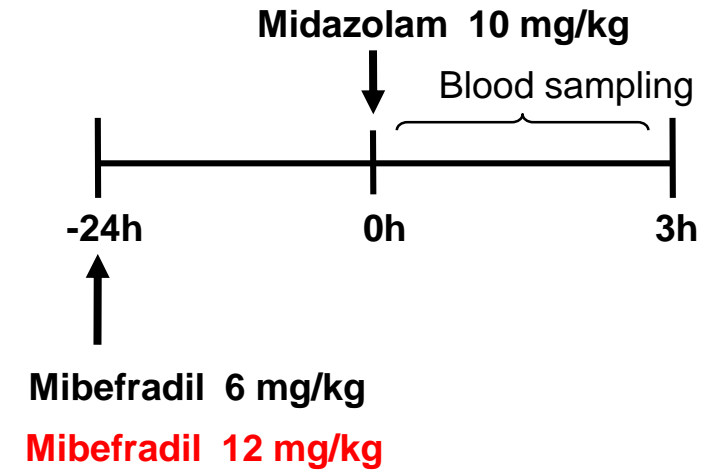
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CYP3A4

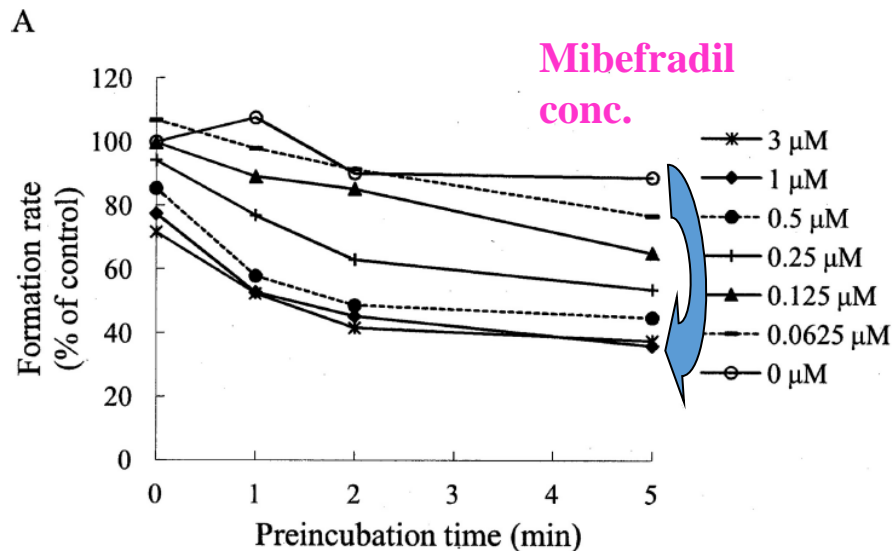


Best poster award 2004

Mechanism-based inhibition by Mibefradil in rats



Estimation of MBI parameters

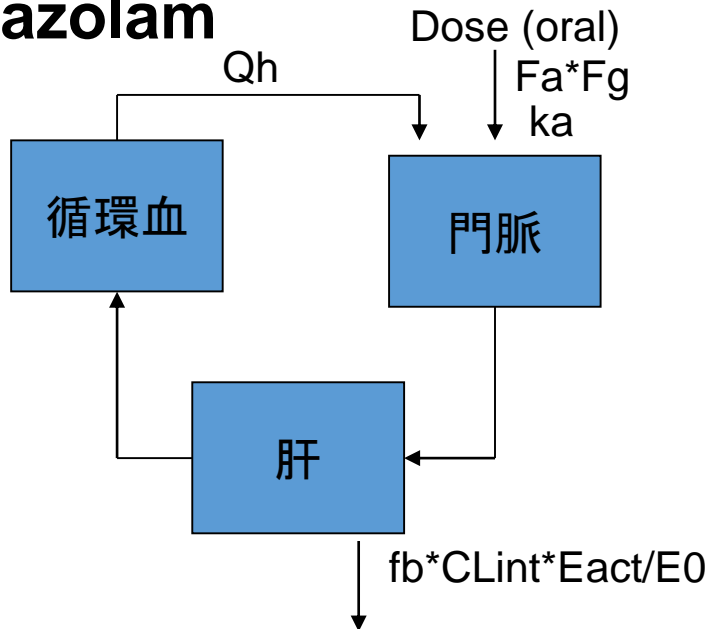


Inactivation parameters of mibefradil on midazolam metabolism in rrCYP3A2, rrCYP2C11, and rat liver microsomes

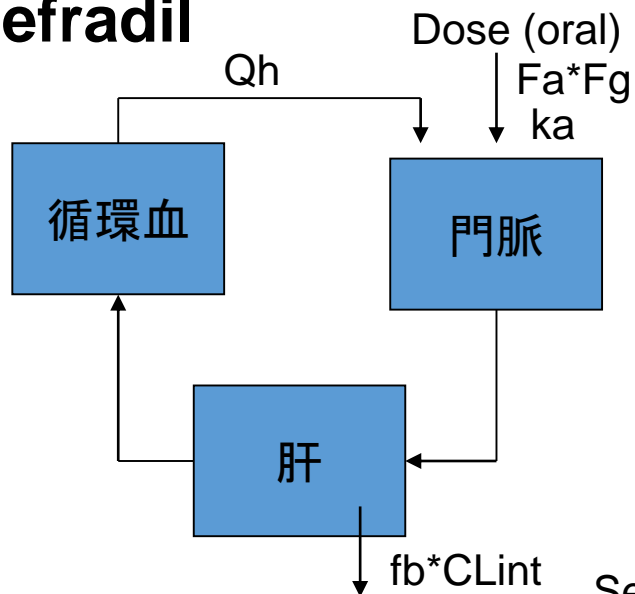
	k_{inact}	$K_{\text{I, app}}$	
	min^{-1}	μM	
CYP3A2			fm=0.891
4-Hydroxylation	0.386	0.263	
1'-Hydroxylation	0.231	0.410	
CYP2C11			fm=0.109
4-Hydroxylation	0.238	6.82	
1'-Hydroxylation	0.565	11.4	
Rat liver microsomes			
4-Hydroxylation	0.390	0.596	
1'-Hydroxylation	0.203	0.737	

Physiological model of the time profiles of midazolam and mibefradil concentrations

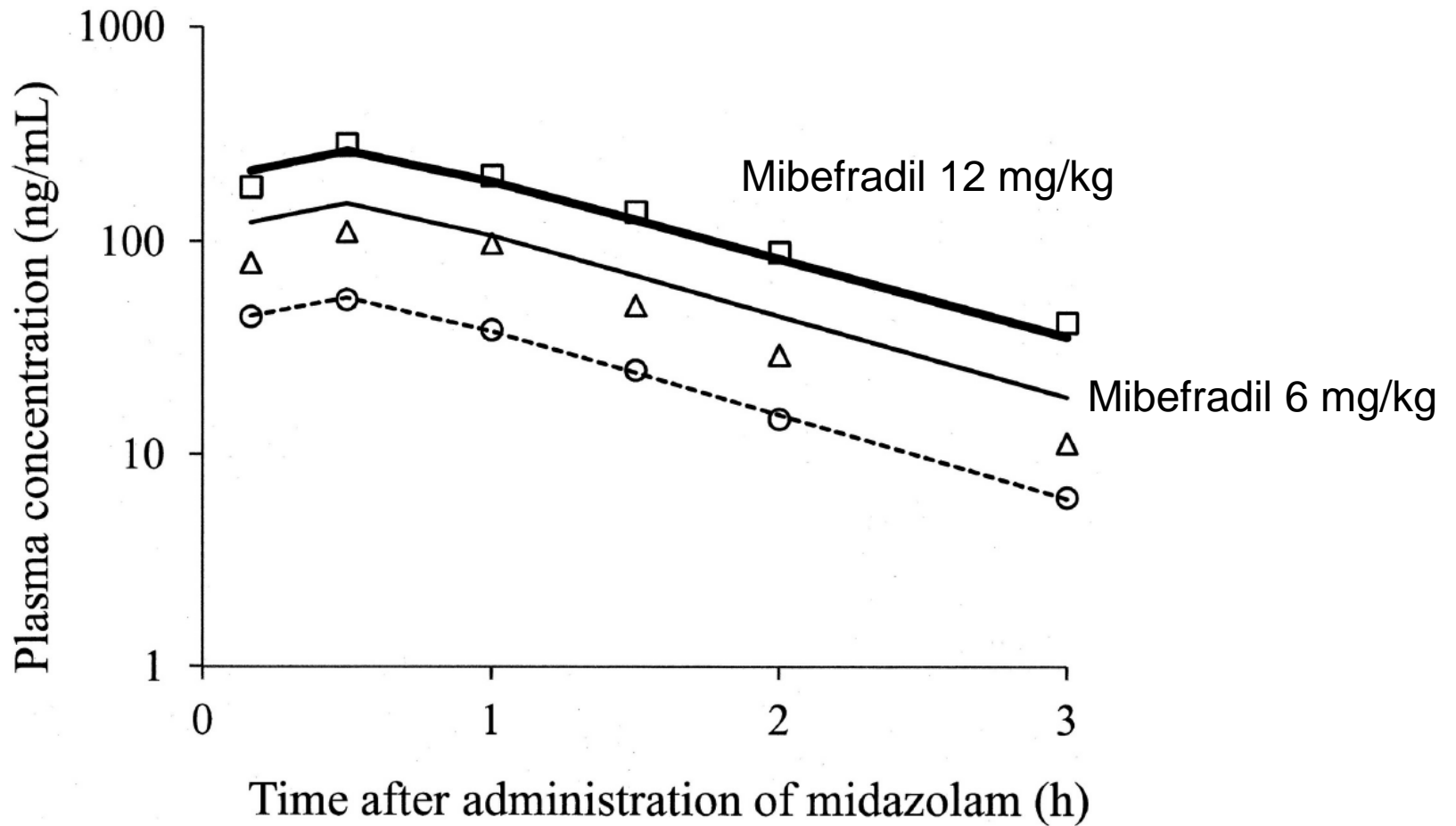
Midazolam



Mibefradil



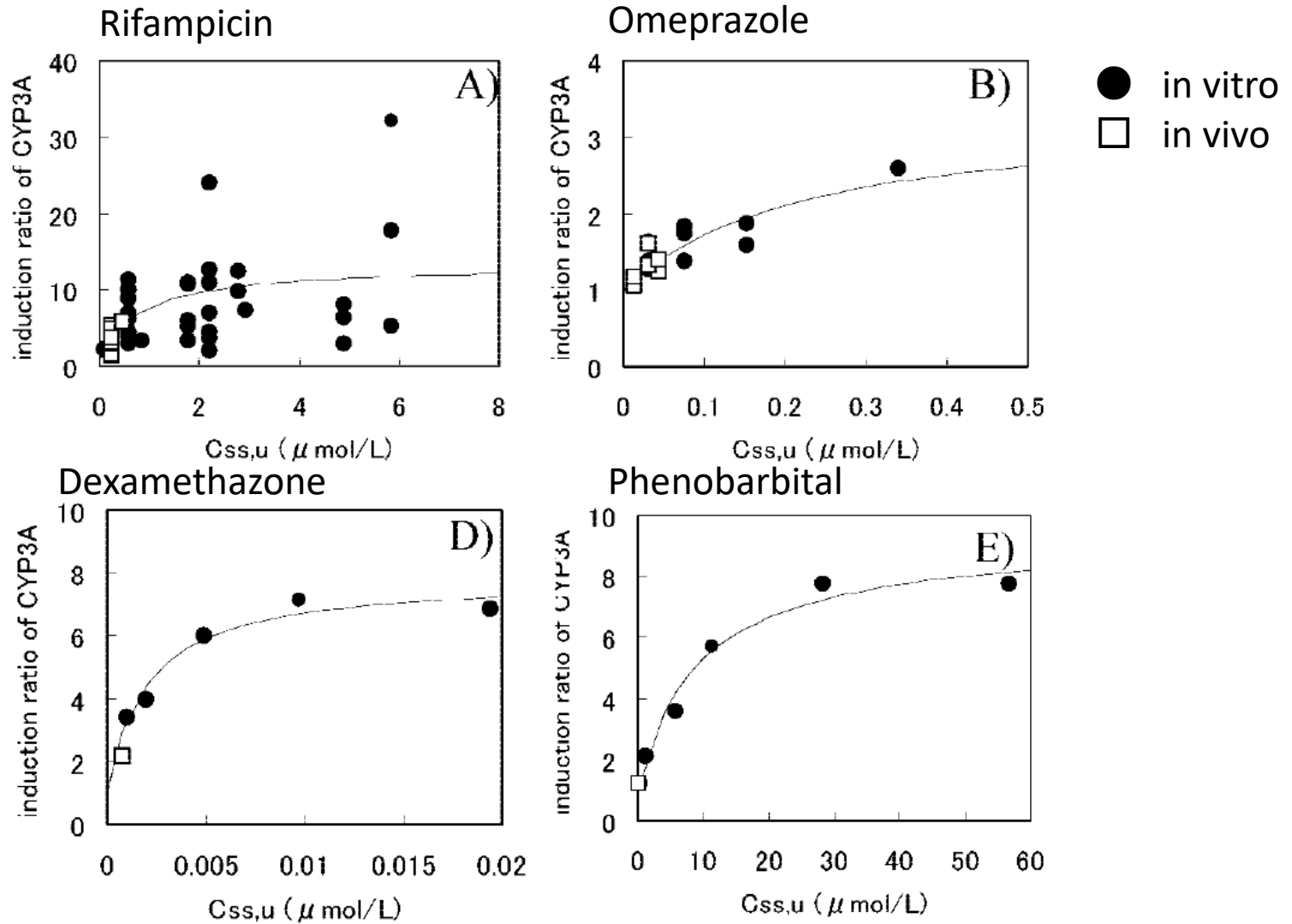
parameter	value
physiological parameters of rat	
body weight	250 g
V_h	0.011 L
V_{pv}	0.000275 L
Q_h	0.882 L/h
E_0	5 nmol/g live
k_{deg}	0.03 h ⁻¹
Midazolam	
dose	2500 μ g
$F_a * F_g$	1
$f_{u,S}$	0.04
$K_{p,S}$	1
$CL_{int,S}$	802.7 L/h
$k_{a,S}$	5.679 h ⁻¹
$V_{sys,S}$	0.9448 L
Mibefradil	
dose	1500 μ g
	3000 μ g
$F_a * F_g$	1
$f_{u,I}$	0.035
$K_{p,I}$	1
$CL_{int,I}$	6mg/kg dosed 75.64 L/h
	12mg/kg dosed 49.35 L/h
$k_{a,I}$	6mg/kg dosed 0.1740 h ⁻¹
	12mg/kg dosed 0.1648 h ⁻¹
$V_{sys,I}$	6mg/kg dosed 3.811 L
	12mg/kg dosed 3.546 L
k_{inact}	9.71 h ⁻¹
$K_{L,app}$	130 μ g/L



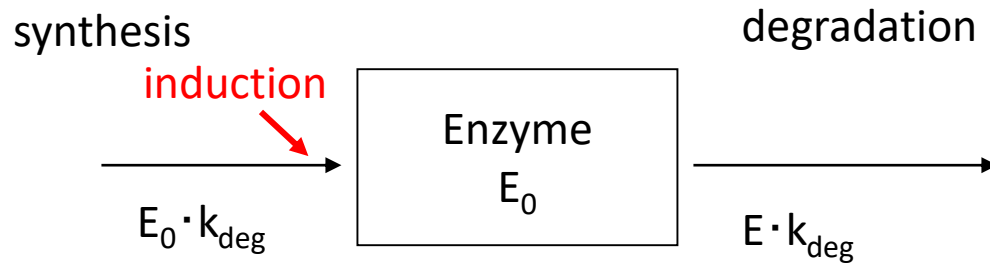
Predicted and observed concentrations of midazolam in rats

CYP induction

CYP induction



Model for CYP induction



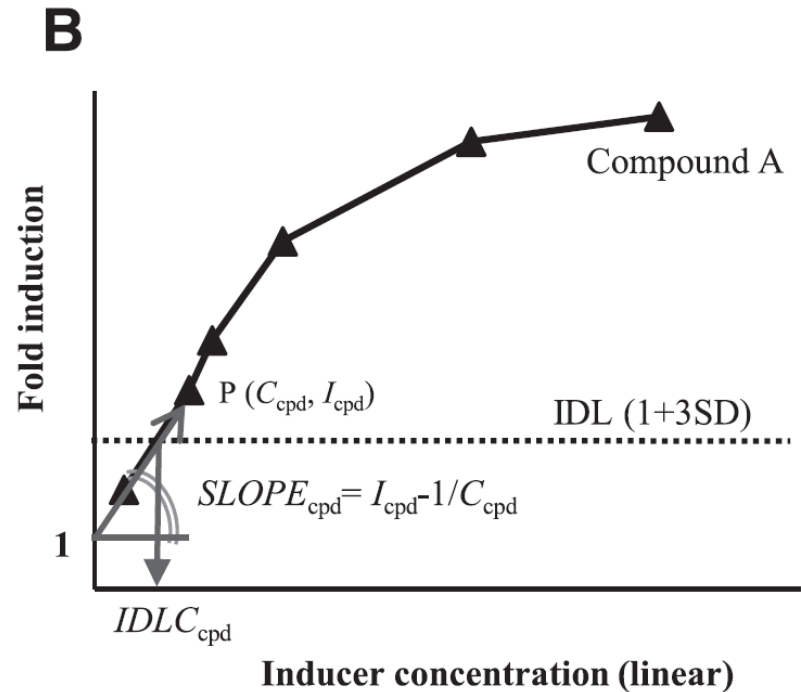
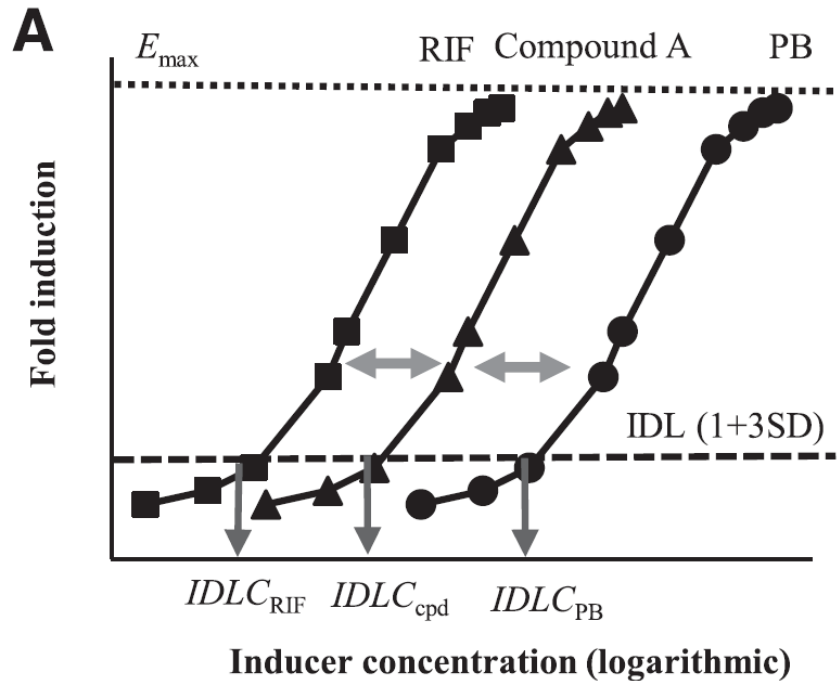
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At steady state

$$\frac{E_{act}}{E_0} = 1 + \frac{Emax \cdot Iss, u}{EC50 + Iss, u} = \frac{AUC(control)}{AUC(inducer)}$$

Relative factor approach

$$RF = \frac{EC50_{positive}}{EC50_{test}} = \frac{slope_{test}}{slope_{positive}}$$

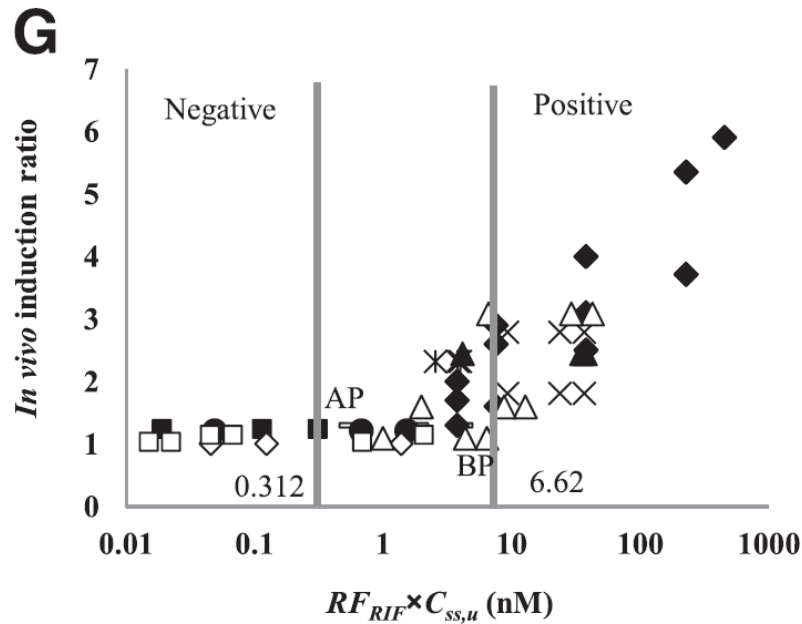


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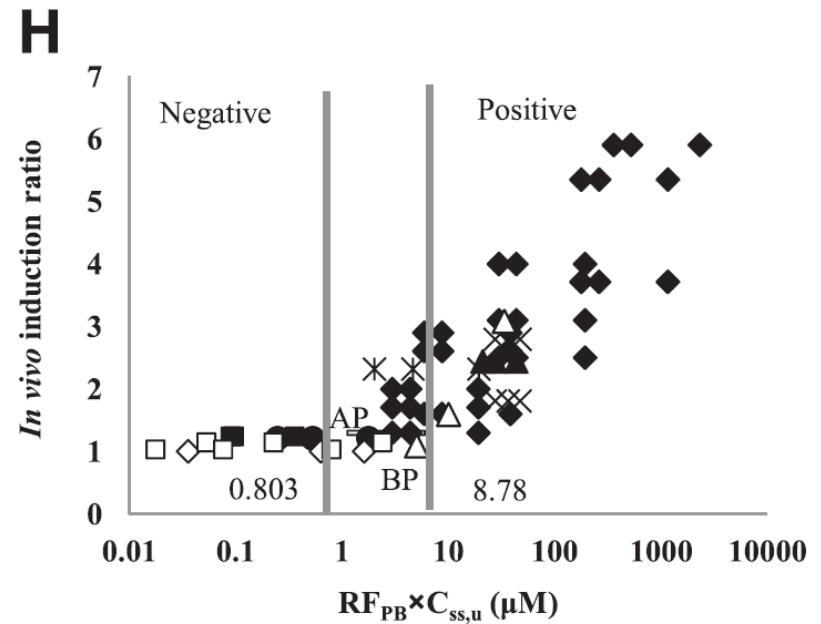
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Risk assessment

Low Risk High Risk

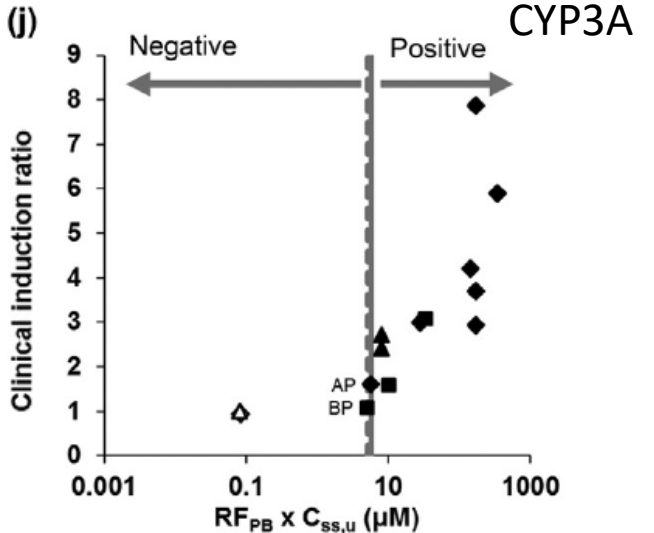
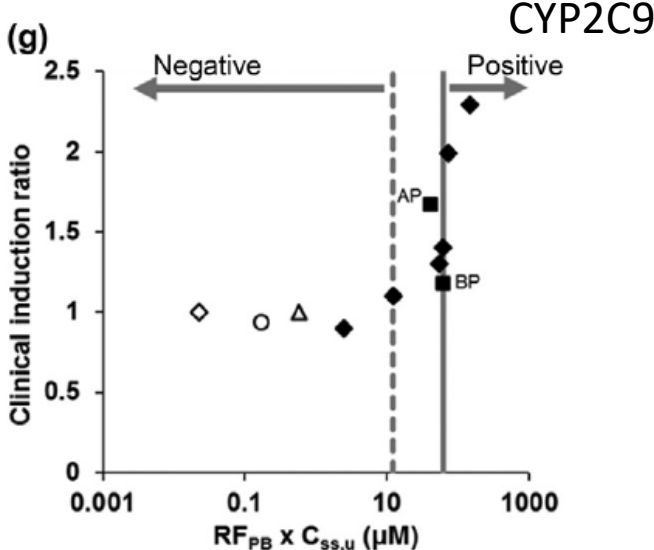
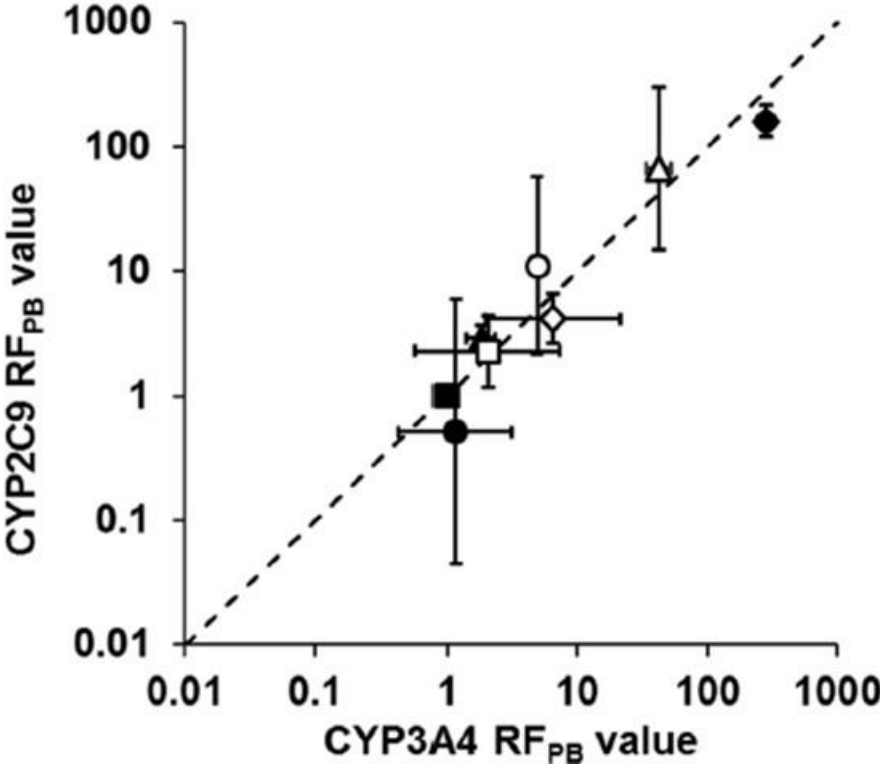


Rifampicin equivalent concentration



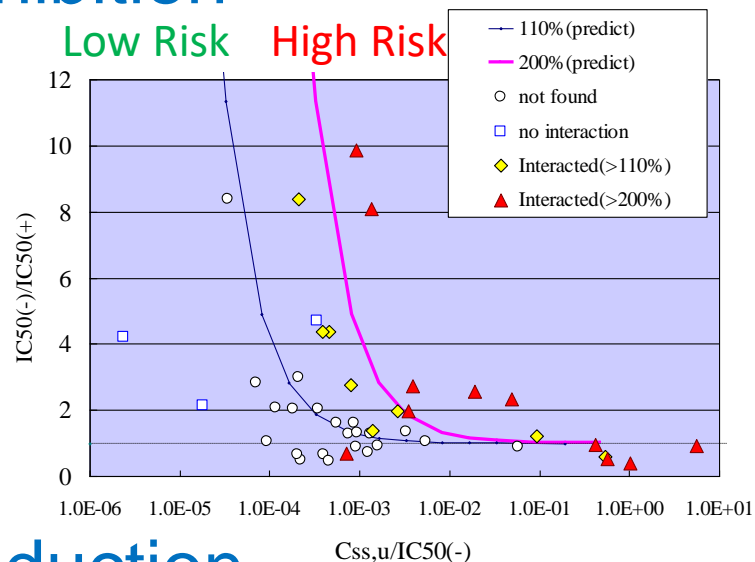
Phenobarbital equivalent concentration

Risk assessment of CYP2C9

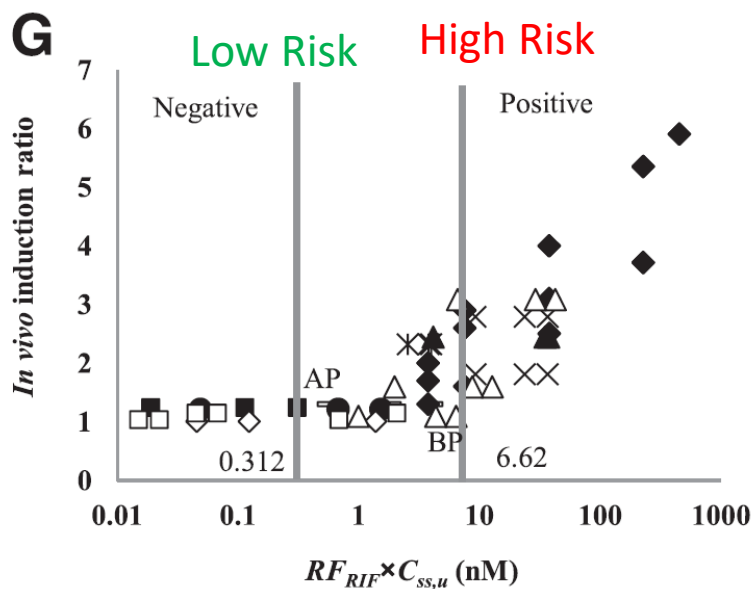


Static model

Inhibition

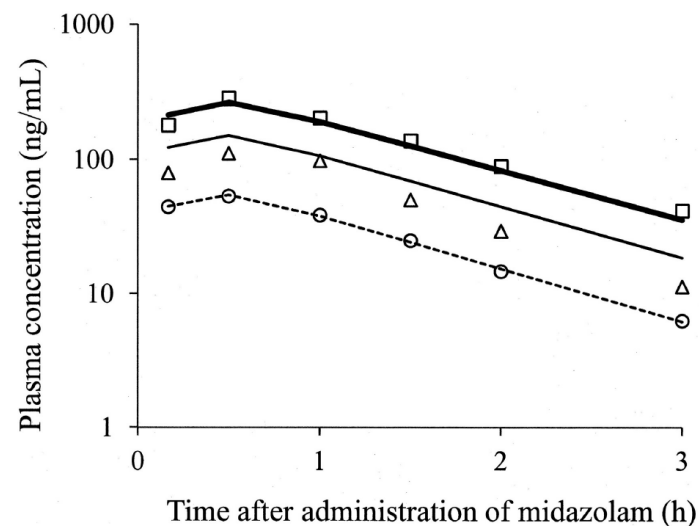


Induction



Dynamic model

Inhibition



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