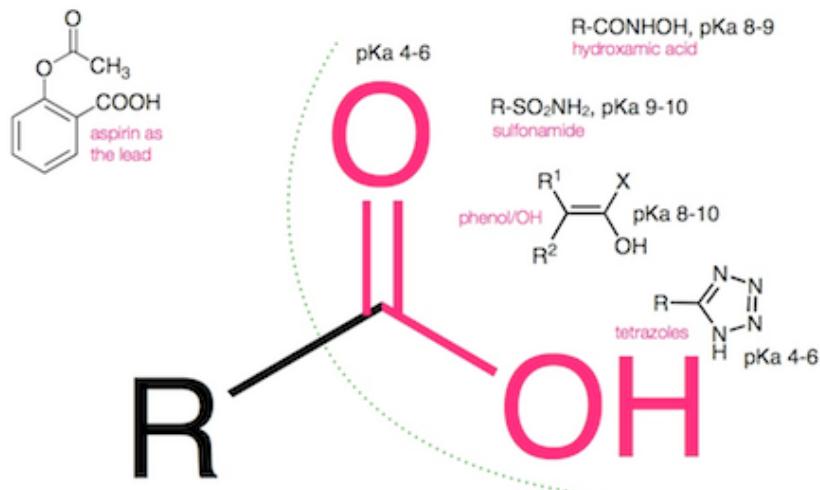


Pyrazolone

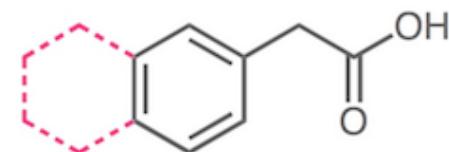
Accidental discovery

Discovered by John Burns who coined "NSAID"

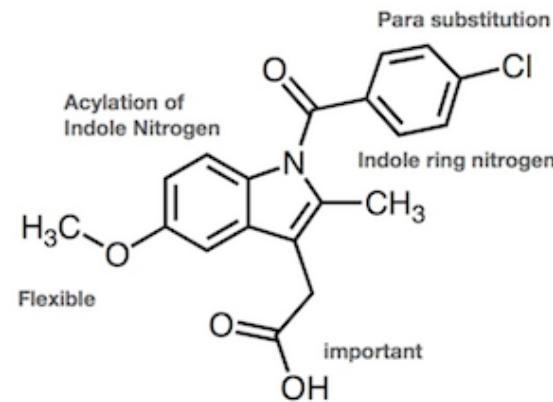
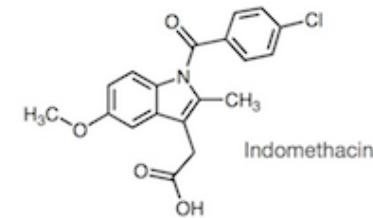
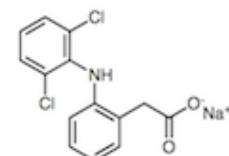
Indicated for arthritis



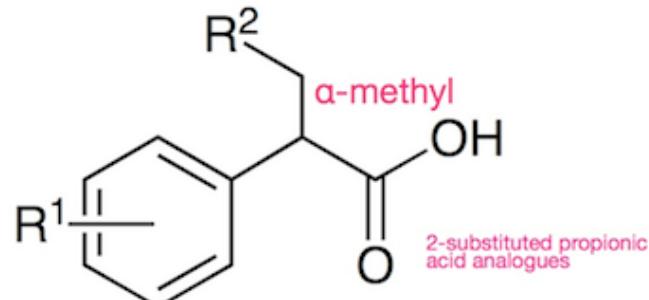
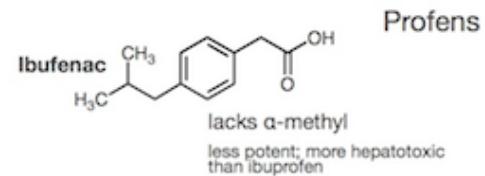
Essential for analgesic activity



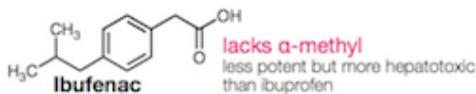
Arylacetic acids
or Heteroarylacetic acids



Arylproponic acids



Arylproponic acids

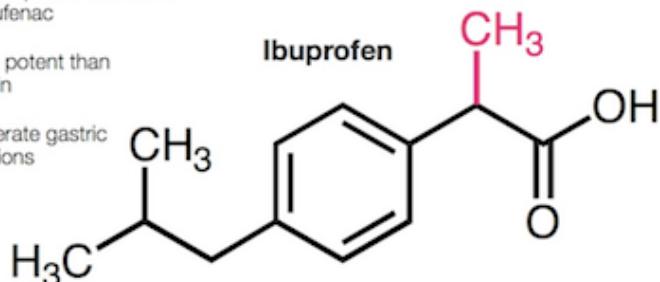


lacks α -methyl
less potent but more hepatotoxic
than ibuprofen

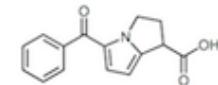
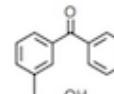
an acceptable alternative
to ibufenac

more potent than
aspirin

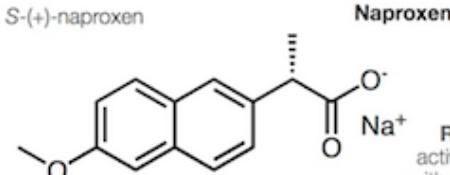
moderate gastric
irritations



Safe, effective anti-inflammatory agent
with analgesic and antipyretic properties



More potent is S-(+)-naproxen



Retention of
activity if swapped
with $-\text{CO}_2\text{Me}$, $-\text{CHO}$
or $-\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$

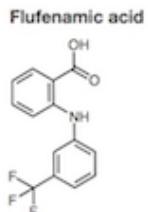
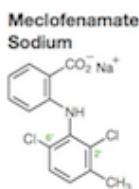
small lipophilic group

Cl^- , CH_3S^- , CHF_2O^-

Larger groups result in less active analogues
Optimal: CH_3O^-

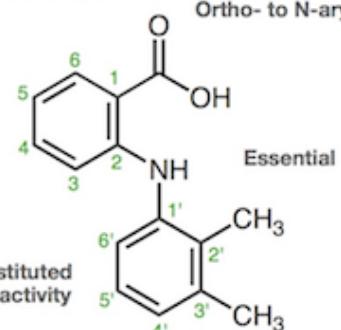
Anthranilates

Fenamic acids



Mefenamic acid

Ortho- to N-aryl



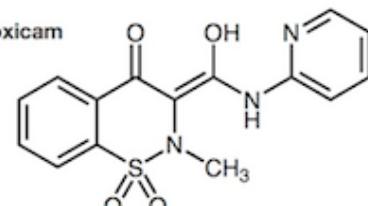
Monosubstituted
 $3' > 2' >> 4'$ activity

2',3'-Disubstitution of
N-aryl ring renders it non-coplanar.

Oxicams

Aryl or heteroaryl substituent
Aliphatic groups diminishes
anti-inflammatory activity

Piroxicam



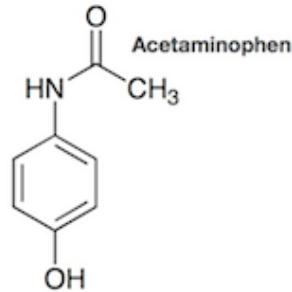
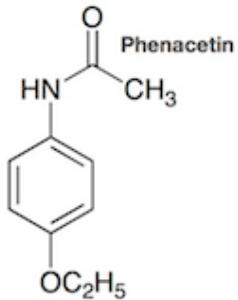
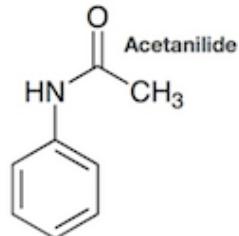
Quite acidic compound
 pK_a 4-6

200x >> aspirin; similar potency
to indomethacin

Potent but well-tolerated NSAIDs
without the carboxylic acid moiety

Para-Aminophenol Unlike NSAIDs...

these have analgesic and antipyretic effects, but with little anti-inflammatory action.

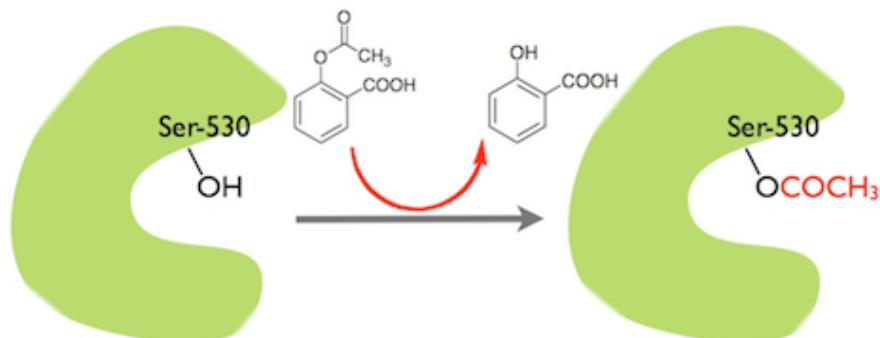
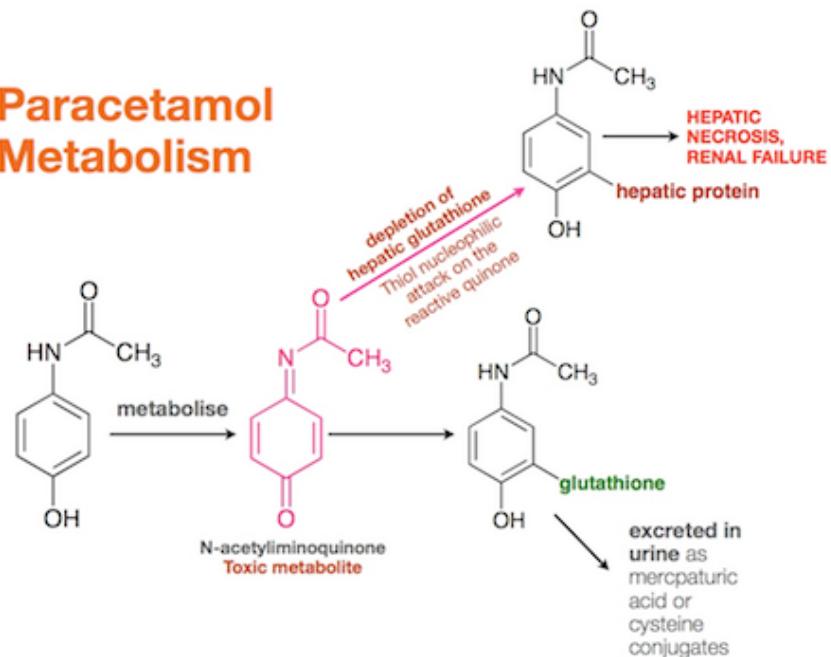


withdrawn:
methemoglobinemia &
jaundice

nephrotoxicity reports
led to the end of its use
in 1960s

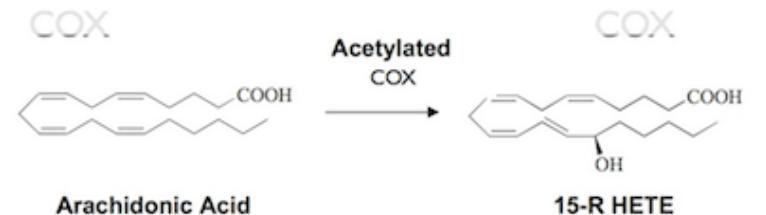
became popular in 1950s
when metabolites are known
i.e. acetanilide & phenacetin

Paracetamol Metabolism

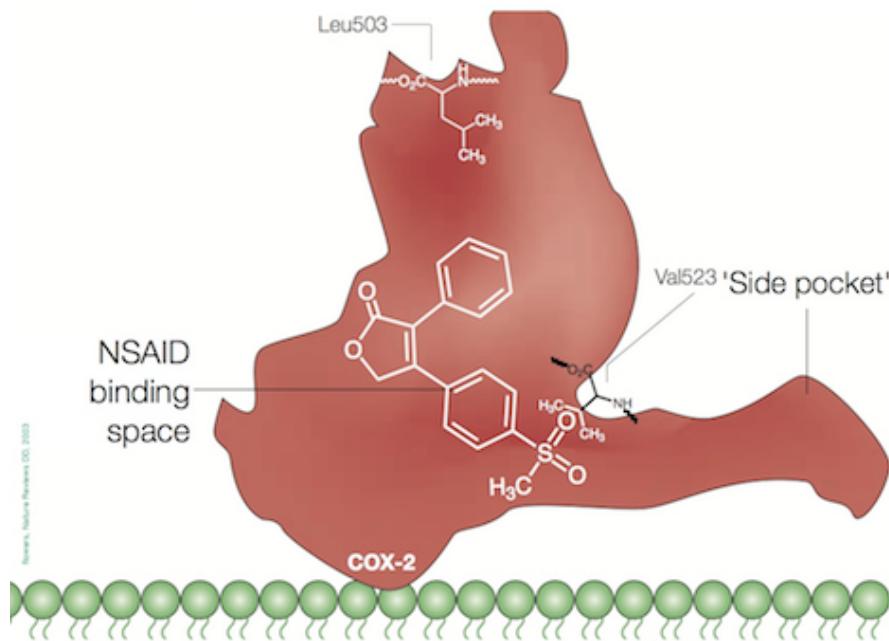
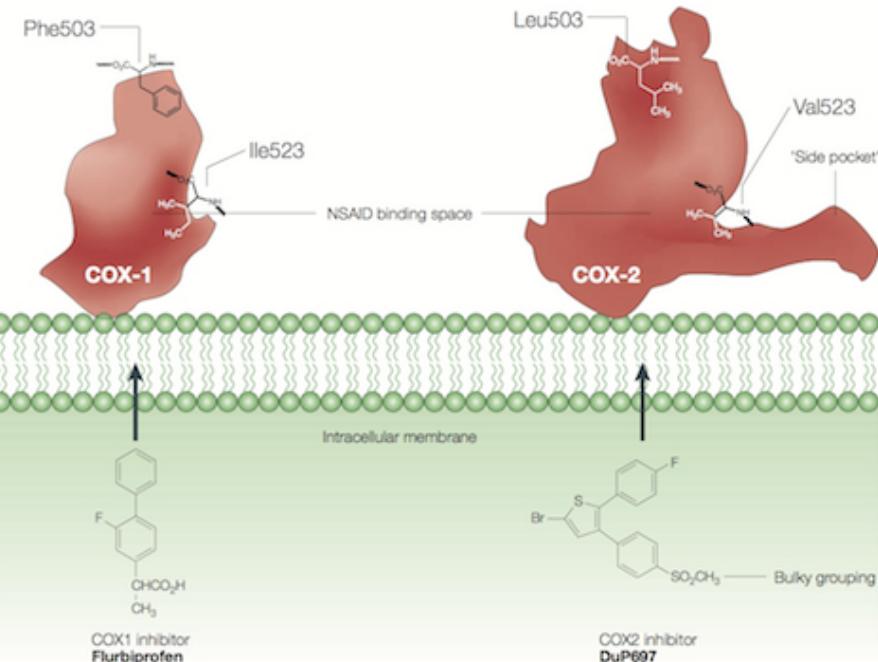


Acetylation of COX at Ser-530: Steric hindrance

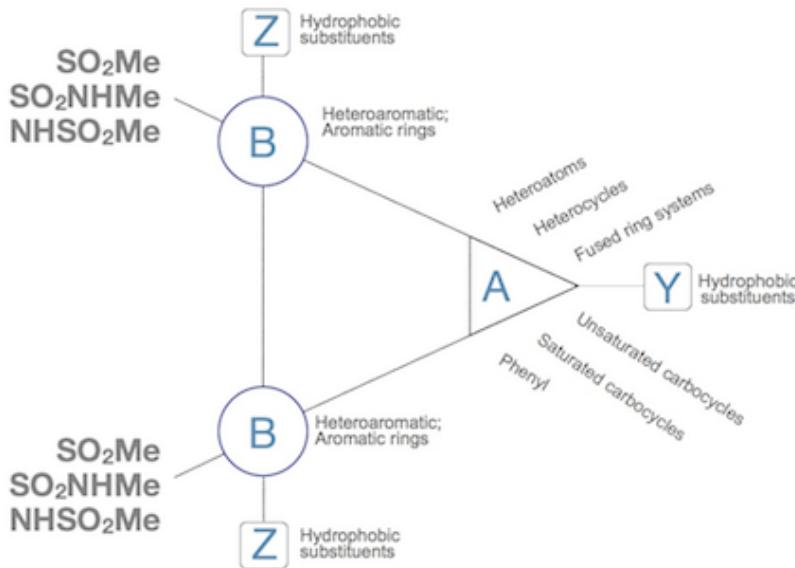
Formation of novel product 15-R-HETE



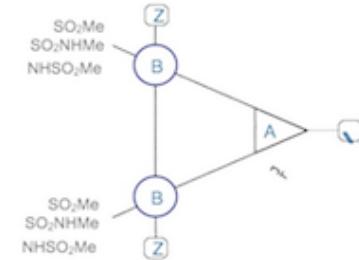
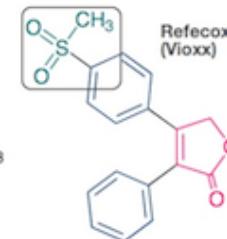
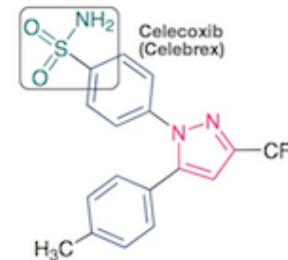
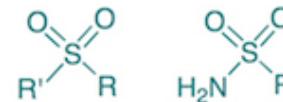
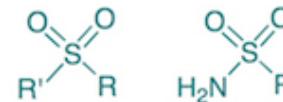
Selective COX-2 inhibitors



Pharmacophores of COX-2 inhibitors



Oxidation states of Sulfur is important for selectivity towards COX-2



If VIOXX is taken for
18 months...

**5X higher risk of MI
than Naproxen**