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A chimeric peptide with a high degree of specificity and potency



+ greater steric hindrance in the substrate binding cleft
+ higher affinity due to a more extensive binding surface

determinanti di specificità di proteasi



Exosite-driven substrate specificity and function in coagulation 55

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Enzyme	Substrate [†]	P_4	P ₃	P ₂	P_1	\downarrow	P _{1'}	P _{2'}	P _{3'}	P _{4'}
Xa/Va	II	Ι	Е	G	R		Т	А	Т	S
	$II_{(15-16)}$	Ι	D	G	R		Ι	\mathbf{V}	E	G
VIIa/TF, IXa/VIIIa	$X_{(15-16)}$	Ν	L	Т	R		I	V	G	G
VIIa/TF, XIa	IX	K	L	Т	R		Α	E	Α	V
	IX(15-16)	D	F	Т	R		V	V	G	G
VIIa/TF, Xa	VII ₍₁₅₋₁₆₎	Р	Q	G	R		Ι	V	G	G
IIa/TM	$PC_{(15-16)}$	V	D	Р	R		L	Ι	D	G

 Table 1 Sites of cleavage in the human vitamin K-dependent zymogens*

*Sequences flanking cleavage sites relevant to the activation of the vitamin K-dependent zymogens are presented along with the relevant enzymes that catalyze these reactions. The site of bond cleavage is denoted by the arrow. †The site, in each substrate, at which cleavage is required to produce the serine proteinase is indicated as (15–16) corresponding to the homologous residue numbers in chymotrypsin gen [70].





Oligopeptidyl Substrate



Protein Substrate



. Libraries A–D designed to determine the length and sequence of the extension to reach into the active site

Inhibitors of Factor VIIa

Position			Linker library positions													Phage coat				
Library	Anchor	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10)	12		14		16		Spacer	protein
A B C D	A-183	X X X G	X X X G	x x x s	X X G	X X X G	X	X X X G	а b с Х	N L T X	L T R	T R I X	R I V X	I V G X	V G G X	G G G	G - G]	protease resistant spacer	рЗ

a = S, N, K, R; b = N, K; c = L, Q



Peptide Inhibitors of Factor VIIa: Phage binding



Unbound phage were removed by repetitive washing with binding buffer (step 2).

FVIIa Cleavage conditions







Peptide Inhibitors of Factor VIIa: propagation of selected phages and new rounds (5)



Prolongation of TF-dependent clotting times



A-183X was a potent and complete inhibitor of FX activation maximal extent of inhibition of 99% with an IC50 of 230 pM (A-183, 74% with an IC50 of 1.5 nM) A-183X also had a maximal prolongation of the prothrombin time of 7.6- *versus* 1.9- fold for A-183, making it a more effective anticoagulant



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