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Inhibitor screening and structural characterization of virulence factors from SARS-CoV-2

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Our work focuses on the identification of novel therapeutics against SARS-CoV-2. Using a HT screening approach, compound libraries of approved drugs are used for the discovery of inhibitors for enzymes of the coronavirus replication-transcription complex, followed by the structural determination of the enzyme-inhibitor complexes, revealing their binding mode. This approach is cost efficient, HT compatible, allowing direct identification of potent inhibitors and optimization of beamtime use.

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