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(54) METHOD OF TREATING EYE INJURY WITH LOCAL ADMINISTRATION OF A **VEGF INHIBITOR**

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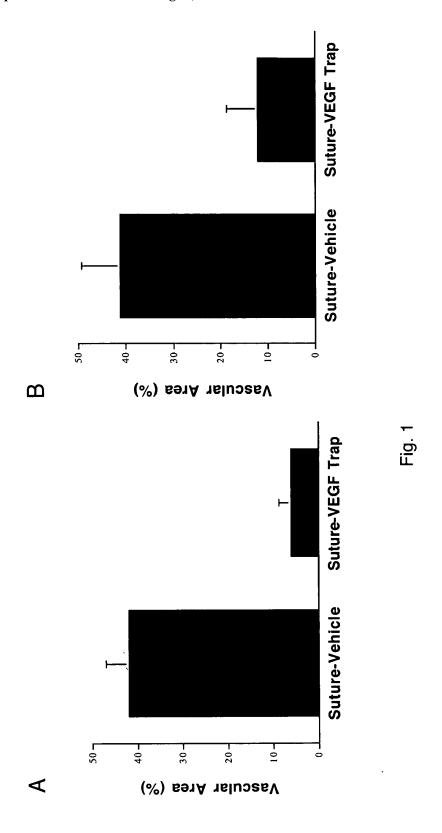
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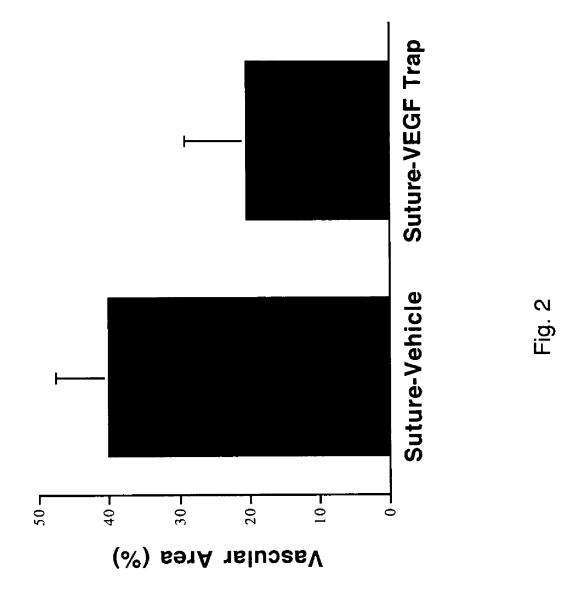
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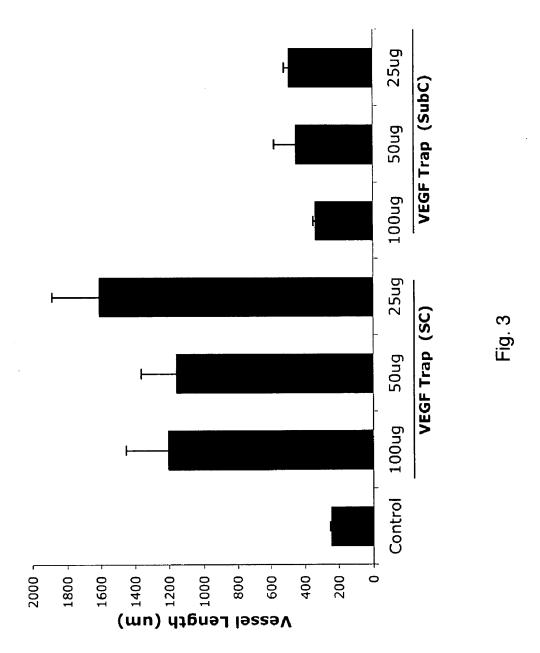
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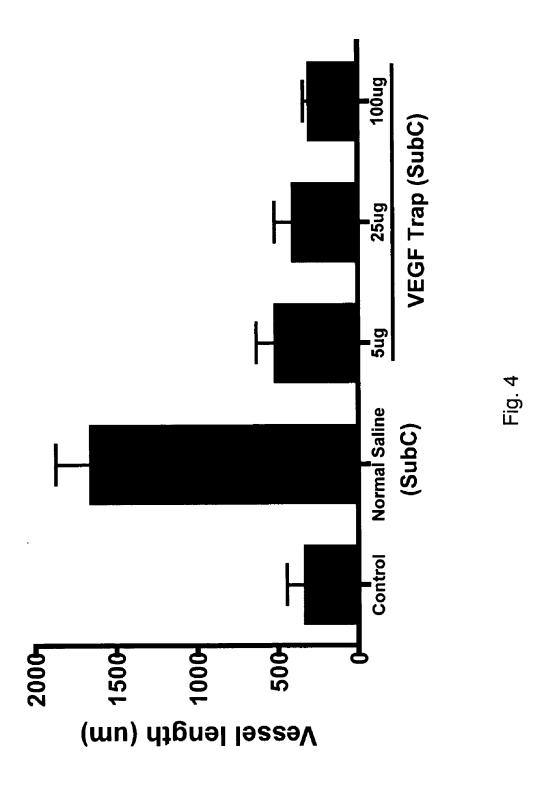
Methods of reducing or treating angiogenesis and/or inflammation associated with eye injury in a subject in need thereof, comprising administering an agent capable of blocking or inhibiting vascular endothelial growth factor (VEGF) are provided. The methods are useful for inhibiting or ameliorating eye injury, particularly acute or subacute corneal injury and feature local administration (for example, subconjunctival injection or eye drops).











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