



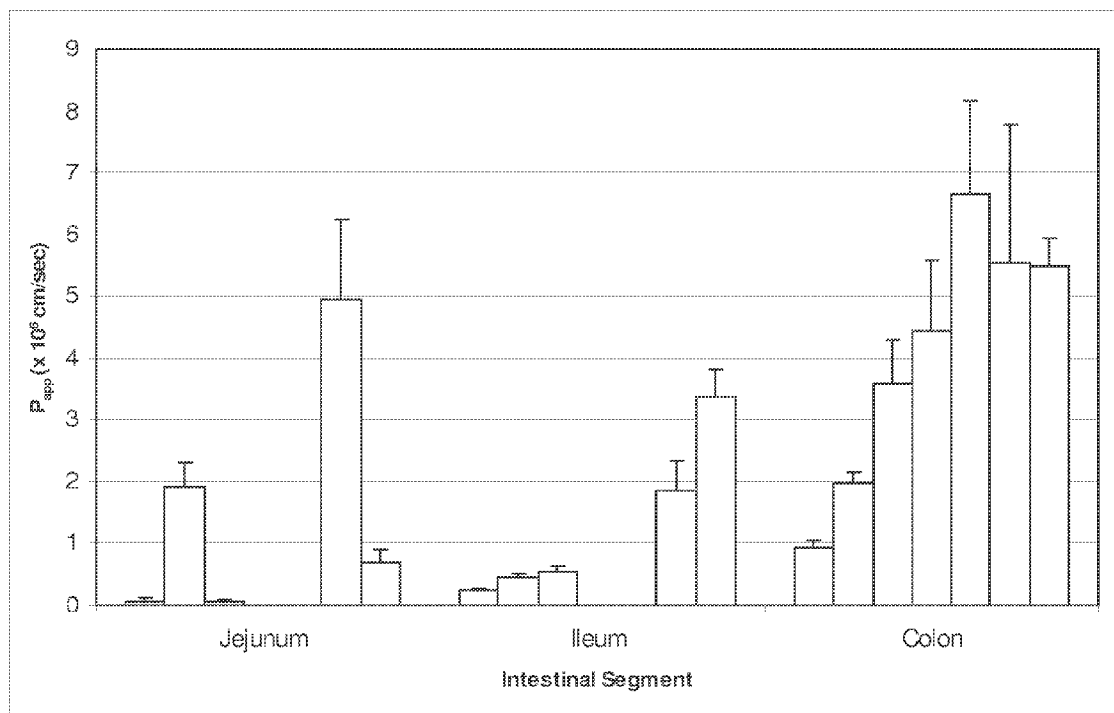
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The present invention provides an oral formulation of a cytidine analog, including, 5-azacytidine, for delivery to the lower gastrointestinal tract, including, the large intestine; methods to treat diseases associated with abnormal cell proliferation by treatment with the oral formulations of the present invention; and methods to increase the bioavailability of a cytidine analog upon administration to a patient by providing an oral formulation of the present invention.

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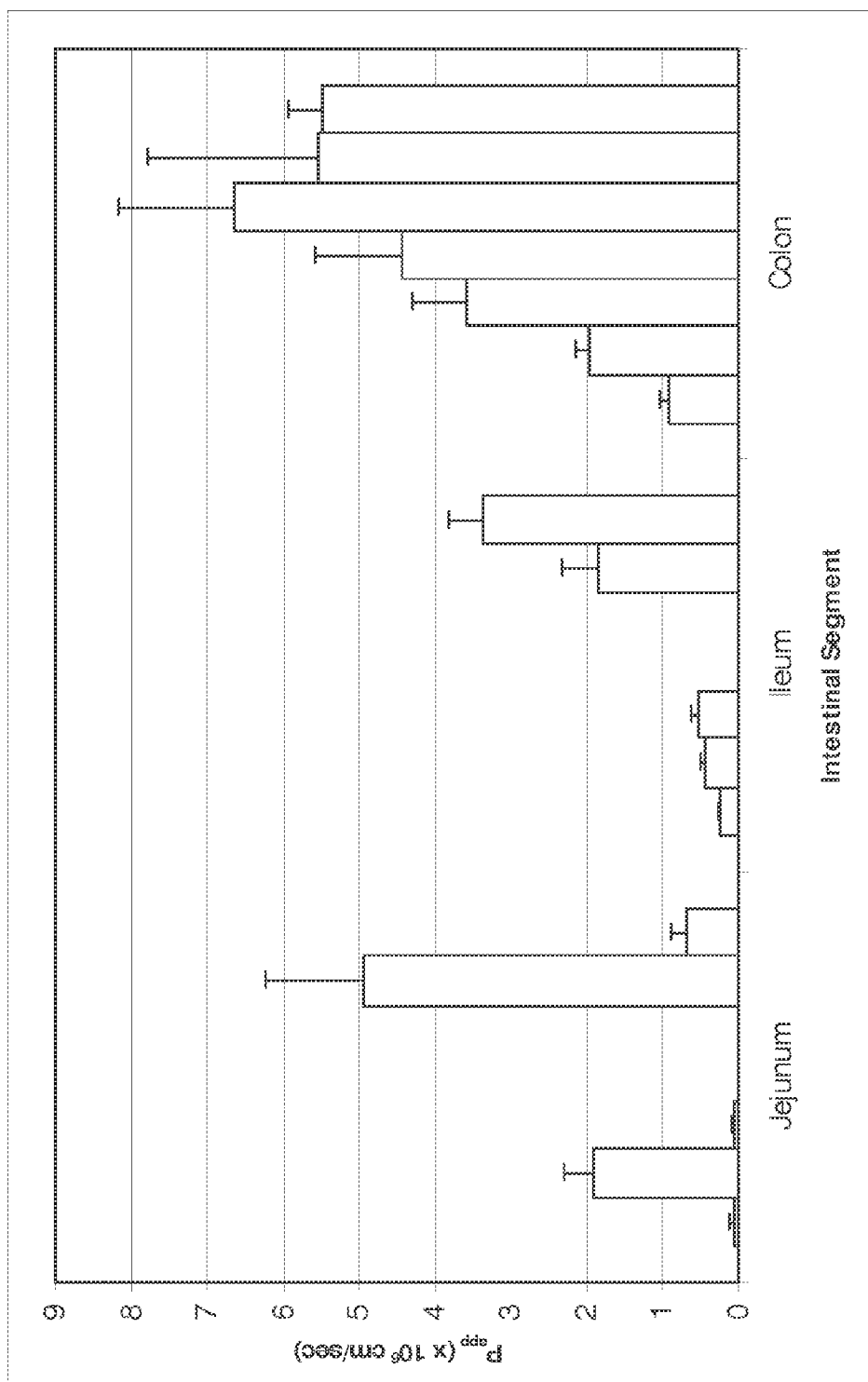


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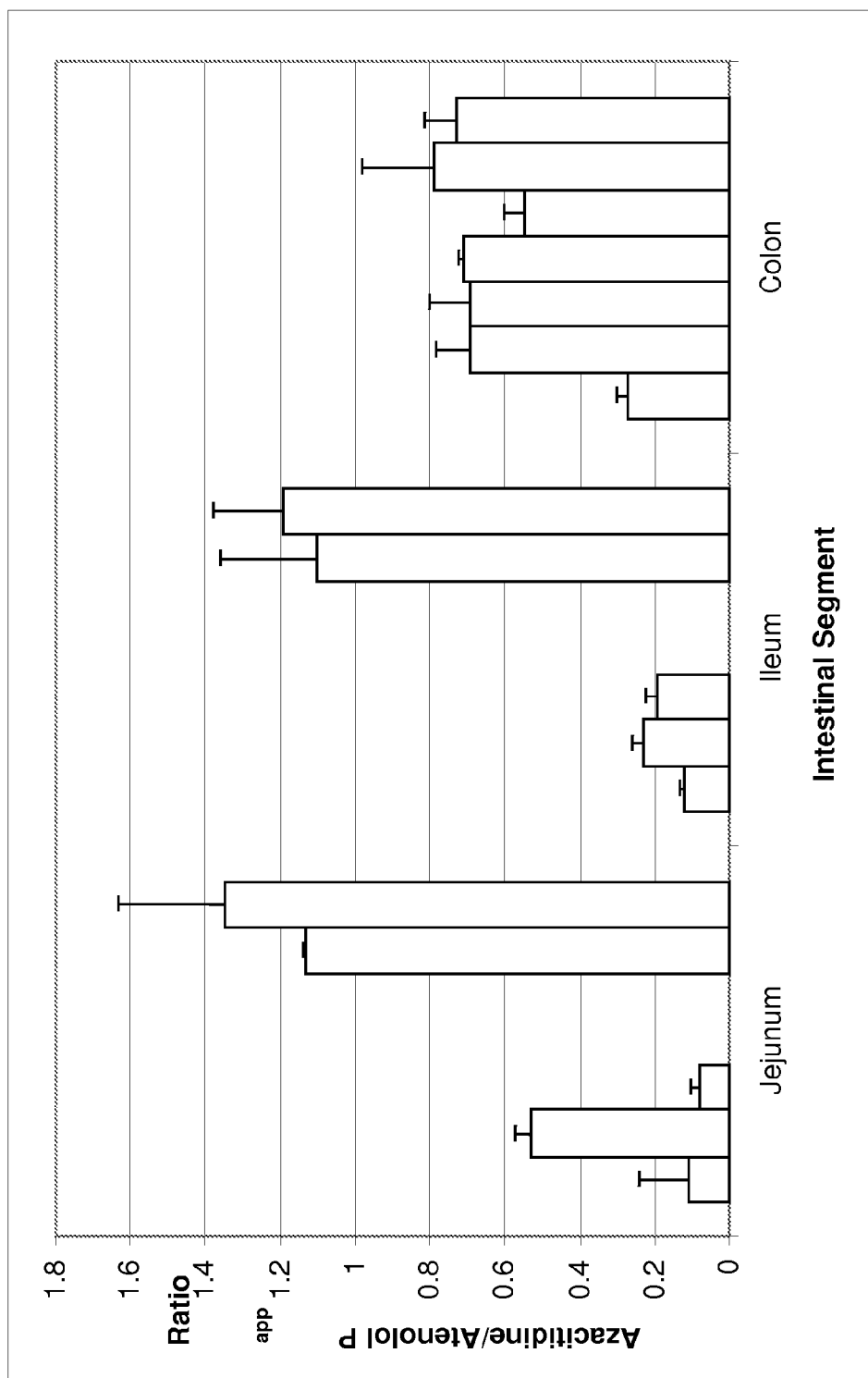


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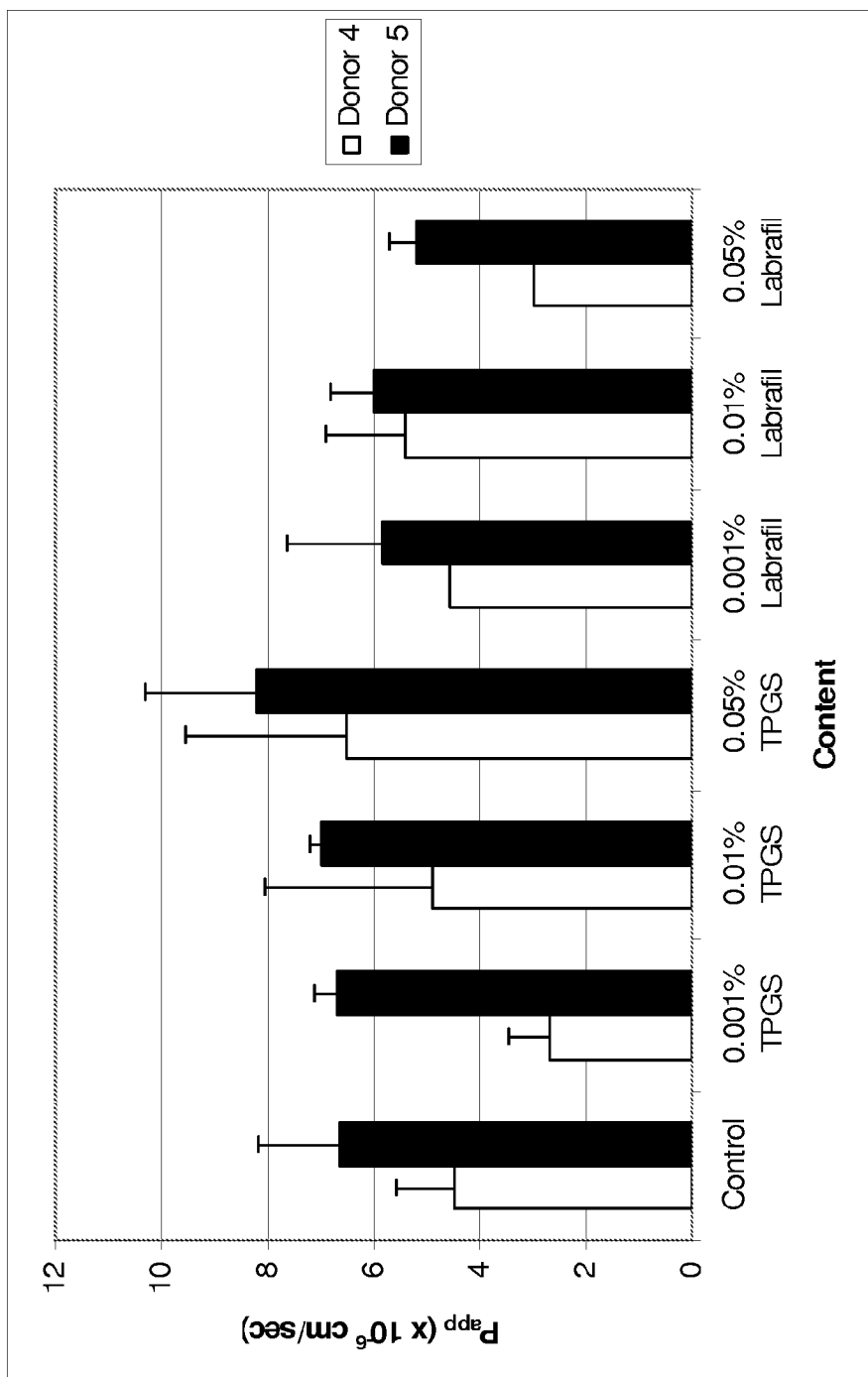


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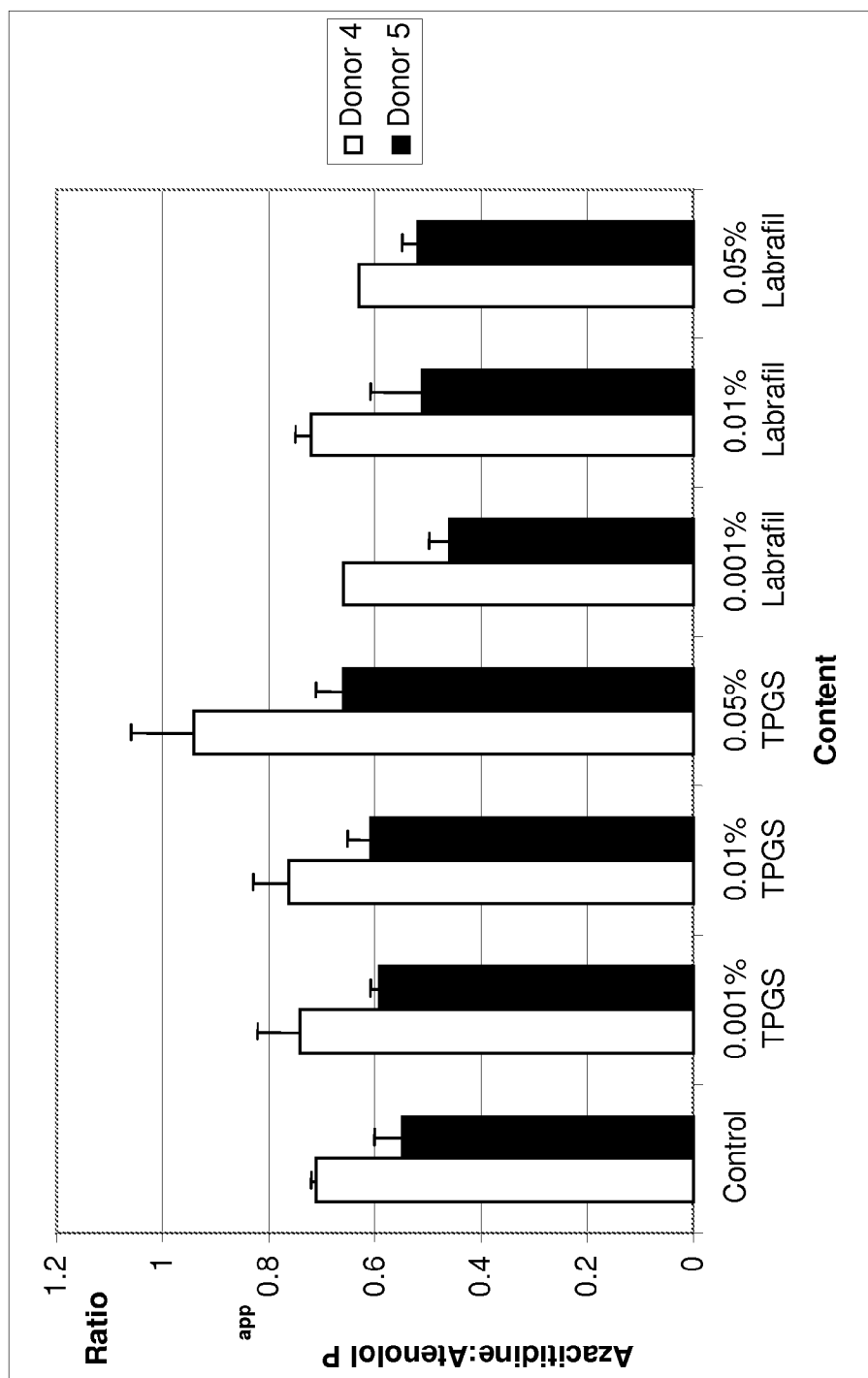


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