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Content and composition of essential oils from fifteen species of Thai Lauraceous plants were investigated by hydrodistillation. The results obtained from GC/MS analysis showed diversity of their chemical components and their quantities. Oxygenated monoterpenes are most commonly found in essential oils of these particular species. The content of these compounds were found to be between 0.08 to 3.0 %. Essential oils of one species of Western Lauraceous plants cultivated in Thailand were also studied. Results have shown similarity of their constituents to previous report from western country, but with less amount. Screening for antimicrobial activity of essential oil from these plants against *Staphylococcus aureus* ATCC29213, *Enterococcus faecalis* ATCC29212, *Escherichia coli* ATCC25922, *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* ATCC27853, *Bacillus subtilis* ATCC6633 *Candida albicans* ATCC10231 and *Microsporum gypseum* (clinical isolate) was carried out, and it was found that most of the essential oils from Thai Lauraceae plants exhibited antibacterial activity and antifungal activity (*Candida albicans*).

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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

AOAC	=	Association of Official Analytical Chemists
cm	=	Centimeter
°C	=	Degree celsius
Fig	=	Figure
g	=	Gram
GC	=	Gas chromatography
GC-MS	=	Gas chromatography-Mass spectrometry
h	=	hour
HPLC	=	High performance liquid chromatography
i.d.	=	Internal diameter
m	=	Meter
MeOH	=	Methanol
mg	=	Milligram
min	=	Minute
µl	=	Microliter
ml	=	Milliliter
mm	=	Millimeter
MW	=	Molecular weight
No.	=	Number
RT	=	Retention time
sp	=	Species
v/w	=	Volume by weight
wt	=	Weight

CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

Lauraceae is a family belonging to order Laurales (Bentham and Hooker, 1967). The family includes about 40 genera and 13,000 species (Porter, 1967) of largely tropical parts and are most abundant in southeastern Asia and tropical America, while a few species can be found in warm temperate regions (Benson, 1959).

Mostly evergreen (deciduous in temperature regions), sometimes dioecious, trees or shrubs (except *Cassytha*, a twining parasitic perennial herb with leaves reduced or absent), bark and foliage usually aromatic ; leaves usually alternate, occasionally opposite or subopposite, simple, usually entire, mostly penninerved, usually punctate and coriaceous, exstipulate ; flowers in usually axillary, occasionally subterminal, panicles, spikes, racemes, or umbels ; generally bisexual, sometimes unisexual, actinomorphic, mostly 3-merous, small, greenish yellowish or white, the perianth biseriate, of usually 6 basally connate, usually undifferentiated sepallike segments, deciduous or persistant, the tube usually persisting as a cupule at base of fruit ; the androecium typically of 4 whorls of 3 stamens each, adnate to perianth tube, the innermost usually reduced to staminodes (sometimes only a single whorl remains functional and one or more whorls of staminodes may be absent), the filaments usually free, rarely those whorls united, the third whorl usually bearing a pair of usually sessile and distinct basal glandular protuberances (occasionally connate and disc-forming), the anthers basifixd, 2-celled or 4-celled at anthesis, those of the 2 outer whorls mostly introrse, the inner third whorl extrorse, dehiscing by flaplike valves opening upwards (when 4-celled, the valves superposed, except in *Nectandra* where the cells are arranged in an arc) ; pistil 1, the ovary usually superior, 1-loculed, the ovule solitary, anatropous, pendulous, the placentation parietal, the style 1, stigma 1, occasionally 2-3-lobed ; fruit a drupe or berry usually surrounded at base by

enlarged and often persistent perianth tube seated on an enlarged receptacle or pedicel ; seed with large straight embryo, the endosperm absent (Lawrence, 1970).

Lauraceous Plants in Thailand

The occurrence of Lauraceous plants in Thailand as reported by Tem Smitinand (1980), includes various species as shown below about 18 genera and 69 species

Actinodaphne

A. angustifolia Nees.

Local name : ก้าทัด Kaathat (Rayong) , ก้าทิดนู Kaathit nuu (Trat)
ร่มเขียว Rom khao (Ranong)

A. henryi Gamble.

Local name : ตองลาด Tong laat (Chang Mai) , ตาลีบทอง Taa thaap thong (Nakhon Ratchasima) , แสนตะกละไหญ์ Saentaklayai (Sukhothai)

A. montana Gamble.

Local name : แม่แดซีกา Mae-dae si-ka (Malay-Pattani)

Alseodaphne

A. birmanica Kosterm.

Local name : ขมิ้นตัน Khaminton (Phetchabun)

Alsodeia = *Rinorea*

Alsomitra = *Neoalsomitra*

Alsophila = *Cyathea*

Beilschmiedia

B. assamica Maissn.

Local name : จันกรด Chan dong , ตีด Teet (Trang)

B. gammieana King ex Hook. f.

Local name : หนวยนกยูม Nuai nok ngum (Chiang Mai)

B. globularia Kurz.

local name : ນະຂູ້ອົ່ນ Ma khuea khuen (Nakhon si Thammarat)

B. roxburghiana Nees.

Local name : ພິ່ນອົບ Fee mop (Nonthaburi) , ມະດຸກ Maduuk (Trat)

Cinnamomum

C. bejolghota Sweet. (*C. obtusifolium* Nees ; *C. sintoc* Bl.)

Local name : ຂຸນນະແວງ Khanun mawaeng, ເຊີຍຄໃຫລູ Chiak yai (Trang), ຈົງຈາງ Chuang dong (Nong kai), ເຄືຍດ Chiat, ບຣີແວງ Bori waeng (Ranong) , ຝັນແສນໜ້າ Fon saen haa ,ສມຸລແວງ Samum lawaeng (Nakhon si Thammarat), ພະເວຳ Phawae, ໂມງໂຮມ Mong hom ຮະແວງ Rawaeng (Chon Buri), ມາປ່າບານ Mahaapraap (Trat), ມາປ່າບານຕົວຜູ້ Mahaapraap tuaphuu (Chonthaburi), ແລັງແວງ Laengwaaeng (pattani), ອົບເຊຍ Op choei (Bangkok ,Uttaradit)

C. camphora Th. Fries.

Local name : ພຽມເສັ່ງ Phrom-seng. (Shan-Northern) ; ອົບເຊຍລູວນ Opchoei yuan (General)

C. cinereum Gamble.

Local name : ລູກຂໍາ Luuk Khaa (Chon Buri)

C. crenulicupulum Kosterm.

Local name : ສາງແກງ Haang kaeng (Chiang Mai)

C. deschampsii Gamble.

Local name : ເຊີຍດຕົວເມືຍ Chiet tua mia (Narathiwat); ແຕຍອ Tae-yo (Malay-Narathiwat)

C. glaucescens Drury.

Local name : ກະເພຣາດັນ Kaphrao ton (Nakhon Ratchasima)

C. illicioides Cheval (*C. siamense* Craib)

Local name : ຊ້າຕັນ Kha ton , ຕະໄຄຮັຕັນ Takhrai ton (Chiang Mai) ; Cinnamom.

C. iners Bl.

Local name : ກະແຈະ ໂມງ Krachae mong ,ກະເຊີຍຄ Kachait, ກະທັນນັ້ນ Kathang nan (Yala) ; ກະດັງຈາ Kradangngaa (Kanchanaburi) ; ກະພັງ

หัน Kapang han , ໂກເດ່ Ko-le ເນອມ້າ Noe-maa (Karen-Kanchanaburi) ; ເບີຍດ, ເຄີຍດ Khiat , ເນີຍດ Chiat , ຊະນຸຕິນ Chanu ton (Peninsular) , ເຮືຍດ Chiat , ມາຫາປ່າປັບຕົວຜູ້ Mahaapraap tua phuu, ອົບເຊຍ Opchoei, ອົບເຊຍ ຕິນ Opchoei ton (Central) ; ດີກສີ່ສອ Dik-see-so (Karen-Chieng Mai) ; ບອກຄອກ Bok Khok (Lampang); ພຶກຄາມ Fak daap (pitsanulok) ; ພຸງປາ ປ່າປັບ Phayaa praap (Nakhan Ratchasima) , ສະວັງ Sawong (Prachin Buri)

C. kerrii Kosterm

Local name : ລະນຸດລະແນ້ງ Lamunlamaeng (Loei)

C. mollissimum Bl.

Local name : ເຮືຍດໃບໄຫລງ Chiatbaiyai (Yala)

C. porrectum Kosterm (*C. glanduliferum* Nees. ; *C. pathenoxylon* Nees.)

Local name : ຈວງ Chuang , ຈວງຂອມ Chuang hom (Peninsular); ຈະໄກຕິນ Cha Khai ton , ຈະໄກຂອມ Cha Khai hom (Northern) ; ເທພທາໂຮ Thepthaaro (Central, Chanthaburi , Suratthani) ; ພຸດຕິນຂາວ Phluu ton khaao (Chiang Mai) ; ມື້ອແಡະກະນາງິນ Mue-dae-ka-maa-ning (Malay-Pattani)

C. puberulum Ridl.

Local name : ເຮືຍດຕົວຜູ້ Chiat tua phuu (Narathiwat) ; ແຕຍອຍໍາແຕ Tae-yo-yaa-tae, ພອຍແຕ Yo-yaa-tae (Malay-Narathiwat)

C. subavenium Mig. (*C. burmannii* Bl.)

Local name : ຂະເອມ Cha em , ຂະເອມເກົ່ອງ Cha-em Khrua (loei) ; ສູງມະຮິດ Suraamarit (Nakhon Ratchasima) ; ເສັກອເລ Se-ko-le (Kalen-Chiang-Mai)

C. tamala Th. Fries. (*C. cassia* Bl.)

Local name : ເກົງ Kaeng (Chiang Mai)

C. tavoyanum Meissn.

Local name : ປ່ອຍເລື່ອມ Poi lueam (Northern)

C. zeylanicum Linn.

Local name : ກາຣຸມກາຣຸມ Kaarabuun (Bangkok) Cinnamon tree

Cryptocarya

C. pallens Kosterm.

Local name : หมากขี้อ้าย Maak khee aai (Lampang)

Dehaasia

D. candonleana Kosterm.

Local name : ทាំង Thammang (Surat Thani) ; សិរាបីលូយ៉ា Sirai bai yai (Yala)

D. kerrii Kosterm.

Local name : លោខោ Lae cho (Trang)

D. suborbicularis Kosterm.

Local name : ក្រតិត Kratuet (Khmer-Chanthaburi)

Endiandra

E. maingayi Hook fern.

Local name : គុណអីប៊ូនកើត Dan mee bai lek (Trang)

Lindera

L. meissneri Hook. fern.

Local name : សេឡូបាហ៍ Sae luu-boh (Karen-Chiang Mai)

L. oxyphylla Hook. fern.

Local name : តើឃុំគ្រាយ Lueat khwaai (Surat Thani)

Litsea

L. baviensis Lec.

Local name : សុរាមចិត Suraa-marit (Lampang)

L. cubeba Pers.

Local name : ចាជីគុណ Chakhai ton (Chiang mai); ពោគីគុណ Takhrai (Kanchanaburi); ពោគីគុណ Takhrai ton (Loei)

L. elliptica Boerl.

Local name : ទាំង Thammang (Surat Thani)

L. euosma W.W. Smith.

Local name : ฉะไครตัน Sakhraiton (Chiang Mai) ; เมียดตัน Miat ton (Loai)

L. glutinosa C.B. Robinson. (*L. chinensis* Lamk. ; *L. sebifera* Bl.)

Local name : กำปรงนบาย Kam-pron-baai (Chong-Chanthaburi) , គោកចុំ Dok chum (Lampang) ព៉ាងសីវិទ្ធ Tang see phrai (Phitsanulok) ; ថែបាន Thang buan (Pattani) ; មេដីលូ Ma yoe, ឃុបហេយា Yup yao, អីមីមេន Mee men (Northern Chon Buri) ; មីូបោរោ Mue-boh (Malay-Yala); ម៉ោន Mon (Trang) ; អីមី Mee (Ubon Thani, Lampang) ; អុមុទាន Muu thaluang (Chanthaburi) ; អុមុមេន Muu men (Phrae); តេបីយុខ្មោ Se-pui-khuu (Karen Mae Hong Son) ; ីឱមីន Ee men (Kanchanaburi, Ratchburi)

L. grandis Hook. f.

Local name : កែទោង Ka thang, កែទោងបិនិយោវា Ka thang bai yai (Peninsular) ; កែតាត Ka-taa, កែយុកតាត Kaa-yuu ka-taa, មីូណេដេ Mue-dae, មីូណេដៀង Mue-daeng(Malay-Narathiwat) ; កាយមីូណេដេ Kaa-yuu mue-daa, មីូណេពេត Mue-tae (Malay-Pattani) ; ថែទុង Thang thong (Surat Thani) ; មេគោង Ma Dang (Narathiwat) ; ត៉ែងត៉ែង Sangtong (Yala)

L. johorensis Gamble.

Local name : ឃោរីភោរី Pae nguu (Pattani)

L. lancifolia Hook. f.

Local name : អមូរ៉ែត Mo rat (Surat Thani)

L. leiantha Hook. f.

Local name : កោម៉ែង Thammang (Surat Thani)

L. megacarpa Gamble.

Local name : ថែខោទ Thang cho (Surat Thani)

L. monopetala Pers. (*L. polyantha* Juss.)

Local name : កែទោង Ka thang (Peninsular); ផុករារ Pho khraa (Nakhon Si Thammarat) ; ពិណុនវិយ Phonuai, មុខុម្ភ Mu-muu (Karen-Kanchanaburi) ; មេការុវិន Moh-mo (Karen-Mae Hong son) ; ឃុកឱរាយ YuK yao (Phrae) ; សេអិលី Sa mee (Chaiyaphum) ; អីមី Mee

(Chanthaburi) ; หมีตุ้ม Mee tum , หมีโป้ง Mee pong (Chiang Mai) ; หมีน Ee men (Northern)

L. myristicaefolia Hook. f.

Local name : จามจรี Chamchuree (Trat); คริต Trit (Trang) , ตะไคร้ Ta Khrai (Chanthaburi)

L. parakensis Gamble.

Local name : ตาเร็ต Taareet (Trang)

L. petiolata Hook. f.

Local name : ท้ามัง Thammang (Peninsular)

L. pierrei Lec.

Local name : ตานหก Taan hok (Prachin Buri)

L. resinosa Bl.

Local name : ท้ามังพอกรง Thammang phokrong (Nakhon Si Thammarat)

L. semecarpifolia Hook. f.

Local name : ช้อข้าวสุก Cho khaao suk (Chiang Mai)

L. umbellata Merr. (*L. amara* Bl.)

Local name : พันปลา Fan plaa , สดด Salot (Chanthaburi) ; เมนตรี Men-true (Khmer-Chanthaburi); สะเต้อ Sa tuea (Trat)

Neocinnamomum

N. caudatum Kosterm. (*C. caudatum* Nees.)

Local name : ชุงหอม Chuanghom (Chiang Mai)

Neolitsea

N. casiaefolia Merr.

Local name : พิกุณป้า Phikun paa (Chon Buri); ไฮน Hian (Songkhla)

N. cuipala Kostel.

Local name : กีบตอง Keep tong (Lampang)

N. siamensis Kostel.

Local name : ดาวิบทอง Taa thip thong, ดาวิบหิน (Taa thip hin) (Nakhon Ratchasima)

N. zeylanica Merr.

Local name : ເອີນ Ian (Peninsular)

Nothaphoebe

N. umbelliflora Bl.

Local name : ທັງບິບໜອ Thang bai cho (Satun)

Persea

P. americana Mill.

Local name : ອະໄວຄາໂດ Awokhaado (Bangkok); Avocado, Alligator Pear.

P. gamblei Kosterm.

Local name : ອິນກວາ Inthawaa (Loei)

P. kurzii Kosterm.

Local name : ຍາງບົງ ຍາງໂປງ Yaang bong (Nakhon Phanom, Nakhon Ratchasima)

P. membranacea Kosterm.

Local name : ເອີນ Ian (Songkhla)

P. pauhoi Kanehira

Local name : ລ້າຕູ້ Laa-tao (Chinese-Bangkok) ; Bandoline wood.

Phoebe

P. attenuata Nees.

Local name : ທັງສີໄຫວ່ງ Thang sirai (Yala) ; ແຮລື້ຂວາຍ Lae khee khwaai, ແຮລື້ຂວາຍ Lae khee khwaai, ແຮຄາງຄກ Lae Khaang khok, ແຮທົບ Lae Thop (Trang)

P. declinata Nees.

Local name : ຈົນທິດ Chan thit, ແຮບຸກ Lae buk (Suratthani) ; ພັງຕາດເຂົາ Phangtaan Khao, ແຮລໜອງ Laecho, ແຮທອບ Lae thop (Trang) ; ຮັງກະແທ Rang ka thae (Chanthaburi)

P. excelsa Nees.

Local name : ພັງຕານເຂົາ Phang Taan khao (Trang)

P. grandis Merr.

Local name : ทั่งบอน Thang bon (Pattani) ; มุ้นเขา Mun Khao (Nakhon Si Thammarat)

P. lanceolata Nees.

Local name : ไก่หัด Kai hat, ตอกสีบ Tok suep, ตองห้อม Tong hom, ปีตอง Pee tong (Chieng Mai) ; ตั้งนี Tang Nee (Lampang, Phrae) ; ห้อป Thop, สิไรรากคอก Sirai Khaang khok (Pattani) ; สิแกซ่าเต็า Si-kaa-saa-toh (Malay-Narathiwat), แหลมบูก Lae buk (Peninsular)

P. opaca Bl.

Local name : มุ้นเขา Mun khao (Peninsular)

P. peniculata Nees.

Local name : กอหิน Ko hin (Loei) ; กะทิต Ka thit (Trat) ; กะทิต ใบพลวง Ka thit bai phluang (Chanthaburi) ; คำคอก Khaang khok (Lampang, Phrae) ; จันทิพ Chan thip (Na khon Si Thammarat) ; เชโกรโภ Se-kro-bo (Karen-Chiang Mai) ; ตองแข็ง Tong Khaeng, มะดูดง Ma duuk dong (Chiang Mai) ; ตะนุมบังกรวย Ta-nom bang-kruai (khmer-Chanthaburi) ; ทบ Thop (Chum-phon, Nakhon-Si-Thammarat) ; ทัน Than (Surat Thani) ; สะทิบ Sa thip (Uttaradit)

P. tavoyana Hook. f.

Local name : กอหิน Ko hin (Loei) , ทัน Than (General)

Temmodaphne

T. thailandica Kosterm.

Local name : สมุดแวง Samun lawaeng (Trat)

Description and uses of plants selected for this study

Cinnamomum camphora Th. Fries.

A large handsome evergreen tree, native of China, Japan, and Formosa, and introduced into, and cultivated in many other countries including India, either as an ornamental plant or as a source of camphor. In its natural habitat it attains a height

aromatic. The fruits are dark green, ovoid, rather dry, globose and about 0.3 inch in diameter. (Council of Scientific and Industrial Research , 1950).

Every part of *C. camphora* is credited with sedative, anodyne, antispasmodic, diaphoretic, and anthelmintic properties. Internally the plant is used in colds, chills, and in diarrhoea from cold ; externally it is applied to cases of inflammations, bruises and sprain. The essential oil from the tree and pure camphor are quite ineffective as anthelmintics (Blatter, Caius and Mhaskar, 1935).

Cinnamomum iners Bl.

Tree, about 12 m. tall, with a short thick stem and large bushy top ; branchlets glabrous. Leaves coriaceous, when young white, then red, finally deep green, elliptic or elliptic-oblong, variable, 12.5-18 cm. long, 3.8-7.5 cm. wide ; nerves 3, nervules and reticulations almost or quite invisible ; glabrous beneath ; petioles 5 mm. long. Panicles about 15 cm. long, lax. Flowers and pedicels silky, yellow within, 2.5 mm. long, foetid tube very short ; sepals ovate, subacute. Fruits ellipsoid, black, pulpy, blunt, 1-1.5 cm. long, cupule very short (Backer and Van Den Brink, 1963)

The seed, bruised and mixed with honey or sugar, are given to children in dysentery and coughs, and combined with other ingredients in fevers. The oil from the inner bark is effective as an anthelmintic (Blatter, Caius and Mhaskar, 1935).

Cinnamomum porrectum Kosterm

Lofty tree 9-30 m. tall with whitish rough bark. Leaves red when young, adult subcoriaceous dark green, glaucous beneath, elliptic-ovate, acute or acuminate, base acute or round ; nerves pinnate, slender, 3 pairs from the midrib ; 5-10 cm. long, 2.5-4.5 cm. wide ; petioles slender, 2.5-3.2 cm. long. Panicles numerous, slender, glabrous ; peduncle 2.5-5 cm. long ; branches 1.3 cm. long, cymose at the top. Flowers few on each, 2.5 mm. across, light yellow. Perianth-tube funnel-shaped,

glabrous, lobes oblong, villous inside. Drupe globose, 7 mm. across ; perianth-tube enlarged, 4.5 mm. across, tube funnel-shaped, 5 mm. long (Blatter, Caius and Mhaskar, 1935).

The fruit yields an oil used in rheumatic affections. An infusion of the root is also employed as a substitute for *Sassafras* (Burkill, 1935).

Litsea cubeba Pers.

A deciduous aromatic shrub or small tree found in eastern Himalayas, Assam and Manipur up to an altitude of 2,700 m. Bark greenish, warty ; leaves lanceolate or ovate-lanceolate, somewhat inequilateral, membranous ; flowers in umbels or corymbs ; fruits globose. Most parts of the plant are aromatic and yield volatile oils. The fruit is edible. It is aromatic and carminative and is reported to be used in Indo-China for headache, dizziness, hysteria, paralysis and loss of memory. It is also used as a preservative for fish. In Indonesia, the fruits are used as a substitute for cubeb pepper (*Piper cubeba* Linn.) (Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, 1962).

Litsea glutinosa C. B. Robinson.

An evergreen shrub or tree, up to 25 m. in height and 1.5 m. in girth , with a clean bole 6.0 m. long, found throughout India, ascending up to an altitude of 1,350 m. in the outer Himalayas. Bark brownish grey, somewhat corky, viscid inside ; leaves very variable in size and shape, elliptic-ovate or oblong-lanceolate, pubescent, aromatic ; flowers in umbellate heads, yellowish ; fruit globose , black or purple (Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, 1962).

The bark of *L. glutinosa* constitutes the common demulcent drug sold in Indian bazaars under the name Maida Lakri or Maida Lakadi. It is available in the form of broken quills or pieces, a few inches in length. It is mucilaginous, feebly balsamic and mildly astringent. It is used in diarrhoea and dysentery. Ground and

pasted material is used as an emollient application for sprains, bruises and rheumatic and gout joints ; it is also used as a styptic dressing for wounds. The leaves are mucilaginous and considered emollient and antispasmodic. They are used in infusion or as poultice for bruises and wounds ; flower buds are credited with similar properties. In parts of India, the leaves are used as cattle fodder. The fruit is edible. It is a rich source of lauric acid and may be utilized for the preparation of lauryl compounds used as detergents. The root is sweetish bitter, astringent and tonic. In Philippines, a decoction of the root is used as emmenagogue (Blatter, Caius and Mhaskar, 1935).

Litsea petiolata Hook.f.

Branches and leaves glabrous, leaves 4-5 in., alternate, long-petioled, pinninerved, coriaceous, pale brown when dry, elliptic or oblong, obtuse or subacute, smooth above, beneath minutely reticulate with 5-6 pairs of slender nerves, umbels below the leaves clustered very shortly pedicelled 5-fold., bracts 5, outer glabrous, sepals 6 with long lax hairs, stamens 9-10, filaments long, slender, villous (Hooker, 1885).

It's stem bark is used for mixing in "Nam Prik" (Thai-chilli sauce) in order to release the smell that similar to the giant water bug's smell as well as stem wood is used as pestel for preparing Nam Prik. Young leaf is used for eating with "Nam Prik Kaeng Num Kai" (Thai-southern chilli sauce) and "Khanom Cheen" (Thai Rice Noodle) Its pharmacological properties is carminative activity, antiflatulence, stomach discomfortability. (ล้านทุน จอนจวนทรง, 2537)

There are several essential oil containing plants of the family Lauraceae in the rain forests of Thailand which have never been investigated, including plant species in the two genera of *Litsea* and *Cinnamomum*.

The main objectives of this investigation are as follows :

1. to screen for new essential oils from Thai Lauraceous plants.
2. to study the antimicrobial activity of these essential oils.

Additionally, this work also includes a western Lauraceous plant cultivated in Chiang Mai by the Royal Project Foundation, namely, *Laurus nobilis L.* The aim is to analyze its chemical composition and percentage of the oil and compare these with the imported material available in the market.

CHAPTER II

HISTORICAL

1. Chemical Constituents of Essential Oil in Lauraceae Family

The Lauraceae family comprises many species and has a worldwide distribution. They are known to possess characteristic aromatic constituents. The essential oils of some Lauraceae species (belonging to the genus *Cinnamomum* and *Litsea*) could be useful natural resources for terpenes, which are commercially important chemicals in the flavor, fragrance and pharmaceutical industries. Essential oils are usually chemically complex mixture. Only few groups of naturally occurring products contain as many compounds as essential oils. The following review focuses only on Thai Lauraceae plants of which the chemical composition of their essential oils have been previously worked on. The list of these compounds are shown below.

Table 1 Chemical constituents of essential oils from some Lauraceous plants

Plant part	Chemical constituents	References
Leaves	<p><i>Cinnamomum camphora</i> Nees.et. Eberm.</p> <p>Monoterpene</p> <p>sabinene, myrcene, (Z)-β-ocimene, <i>trans</i>-sabinene hydrate, α-thujene, (+,-)camphene, <i>p</i>-cymene, terpinene, dipentene, fenchene, geranial, neral, phellandrene, (α,β)-pinene, (α,γ)- terpinolene,</p> <p>Oxygenated monoterpene</p> <p>(α,δ)-terpineol, borneol, borneol, camphor, carvacrol, 1,8-cineole,</p>	Medici, Pieretti and Salvatore, 1992 ; Duke, 1992 ; Pe'lissier <i>et al.</i> , 1995 ; Baruah and Bhagat, 1975

Table 1 (continue)

Plant part	Chemical constituents	References
	<p>citronellol, <i>p</i>-cymol, gerniol, geranyl acetate, hotrienol, nerol, neryl acetate, (<i>cis,trans</i>)-ocimene, α-terpinyl acetate, α-terpineol, terpinin-1-ol, terpinen-4-ol, orthodene, piperitone</p> <p>Diterpenoid</p> <p>camphorene</p> <p>Sesquiterpene</p> <p>(β,δ)-elemene, α-cubebene, cubenol, α-copaene, (α,β)-santalene, <i>cis</i>-α-bergamotene, <i>epi</i>-β-santalene, (<i>E</i>)-β-farnesene, (<i>Z</i>)-(E)-α-farnesene, bicyclogermacrene, α-muurolene, (<i>E,E</i>)-α-farnesene, calamenene, calacorene, bisabolene, cadinadiene, ($\alpha-\delta$)-cadinene, α-calacorene, cadinene, β-elemene, α-humulene, β-caryophyllene, caryophyllene, epicampheronol, limonene, junenol, germacrene B, epicubenol, myrcene, humulene, nerolidol, β-selinene,</p> <p>Oxygenated sesquiterpene</p> <p>spathulenol, caryophyllene oxide, humulene oxide, β-eudesmol, (α,β)-bisabolol, cadinol, cadineol, <i>trans</i>-cadinol, α-cadinol, camphenol, camphenone, linalool, (-)-linalool, <i>cis</i>-linalool oxide, linalyl acetate,</p>	

Table 1 (continued)

Plant part	Chemical constituents	References
	<p><i>trans</i>-muurolol, nerolidol,</p> <p>Phenylpropanoid</p> <p>dihydroeugenol, cuminalcohol, cuminaldehyde, dihydrocuminal alcohol, eugenol, methyl eugenol, safrole,</p> <p>Aliphatic alcohol</p> <p>acetaldehyde, cinnamonol, azulene, camphoracene, camphazulene, camphorenone, caprinaldehyde, capronaldehyde, 3,7-dimethylocta-1,7-dien-3,6-diol, 3,7-dimethylocta-1,5-dien-3,7-diol, 3,5-dimethyl-4,6-di-<i>o</i>-methylphloracetophenone, dimethylsecoisolariciresinol, 5-dodecanyl-4-hydroxy-4-methyl-2-cyclopentenone, ethyl phenol, (α, β)-hexanal, <i>n</i>-hexanol, <i>cis</i>-3-hexenol, <i>n</i>-hexylaldehyde, isovaleraldehyde, mesityloxide, methyl-isobutyl ketone, methyl-vinyl ketone, furfural, tragenol, myristinaldehyde, pentenylaldehyde, propionaldehyde, sterinaldehyde, piperonal, suvenol, secoisosolariciresinol-dimethyl-ether</p> <p>Benzenoid</p> <p>vanillin</p>	

Table 1 (continued)

Plant part	Chemical constituents	References
Arial part	<p>Long chain hydrocarbon <i>cis</i>-2,6,6-trimethyl-2-vinyl-5-hydroxytetrahydrofuran, decane, tridecane, salvene</p> <p><i>Cinnamomum camphora</i> Th. Fries.</p> <p>Monoterpene α-thujene, (α, β)-pinene, camphene, sabinene, myrcene, α-phellandrene, <i>p</i>-cymene, limonene, (<i>Z</i>)-β-ocimene, γ-terpinene, <i>trans</i>-sabinene hydrate</p> <p>Oxygenated monoterpene 1,8-cineole, linalool, δ-terpineol, γ-terpineol, camphor</p> <p>Sesquiterpene (β, δ)-elemene, α-cubebene, α-copaene, β-caryophyllene, α-santalene, <i>cis</i>-α-bergamotene, <i>epi</i>-β-santalene, α-humulene, (<i>E</i>)-β-farnesene, bicyclogermacrene, α-murolene, β-santalene, (<i>Z,E</i>)-α-farnesene, bicyclogermacrene, α-murolene, (<i>E,E</i>)-α-farnesene, calamenene, (α, δ)-cadinene, calacorene, germacrène B</p> <p>Oxygenated sesquiterpene spathelenol, caryophyllene oxide, humulene oxide, <i>trans</i>-cadinol, β-eudesmol, α-cadinol</p>	Tisserand and Balancs, 1995 ; Pe'lissier <i>et al.</i> , 1995

Table 1 (continued)

Plant part	Chemical constituents	References
Leaves	<p>Phenylpropanoid safrrole, eugenol</p> <p>Long chain hydrocarbon decane, tridecane</p> <p><i>Cinnamomum porrectum</i> Kosterm</p> <p>Monoterpene α-thujene, (α,β)-pinene, camphene, sabinene, α-phellandrene, <i>p</i>-cymene, limenene, δ-3-carene, (E)-ocimene, sabinene hydrate, terpinolene, <i>allo</i>-ocimene</p> <p>Oxygenated monoterpene <i>1,4</i>-cineol, <i>1,8</i>-cineol, linalool, citronellol, borneol, terpinen-4-ol, α-terpineol, citronellal, geraniol, geranal, methyl geranate, bornyl acetate, methyl citronellate</p> <p>Sesquiterpene (δ,β,γ)-elemene, β-caryophyllene, (α,β)-humulene, β-selinene, α-farnesene, α-muurolene, (δ,γ)-cadinene,</p> <p>Oxygenated sesquiterpene elemol, viridiflorol, α-guaiol, farnesol, δ-cadinol, eudesmol</p> <p>Long chain hydrocarbon octanal, 2,6-dimethyl-5-heptenol</p>	Tai, Ting and Nie, 1964 ; Tai, Ting and Nie, 1965 ; Essential Oil Research Group, 1975 ; Ding, 1994

Table 1 (continued)

Plant part	Chemical constituents	References
Root bark	<p>Phenylpropanoid (E)-methyl cinnamate <i>Cinnamomum porrectum</i> Kosterm</p> <p>Sesquiterpene α-cubebene, α-copaene, β-elemene, α-gurjunene, α-humulene, <i>allo</i>- aromadendrene, germacrene D, β- selinene, valencene, α-muurolene, β- bisabolene, (γ,δ)-cadinene, calamenene</p> <p>Oxygenated sesquiterpene aromadendrene epoxide, epiglobulol, spathulenol, caryophyllene oxide, globulol, viridiflorol, (α,δ)-cadinol, guaiazulene</p> <p>Long chain hydrocarbon tetradecanal</p> <p>Benzanoid benzaldehyde, benzyl benzoate</p> <p>Phenylpropanoid safrole, elemicin</p>	Center for Education, 1995
Wood	<p><i>Cinnamomum porrectum</i> Kosterm</p> <p>Sesquiterpene α-cubebene, calamenene</p> <p>Oxygenated sesquiterpene (δ,α)-cadinol, cadalene</p> <p>Benzanoid benzaldehyde, piperonal, 2,4- dimethyl benzoic acid, 2,3-dimethyl</p>	Yacob, Zakaria and Ramli, 1990

Table 1 (continued)

Plant part	Chemical constituents	References
Arial part	benzoic acid, benzyl benzoate Long chain hydrocarbon tetradecanal Phenylpropanoid safrole, methyl eugenol, elemicin <i>Litsea cubeba</i> Pers. Oxygenated monoterpene 1,8-cineole, linalool, citronellal, isopulegol, citronellol, neral, geraniol Long chain hydrocarbon methyl-heptenone	Nath, Hazarida and Buruan, 1996
Fruits	<i>Litsea cubeba</i> Pers. Monoterpene limonene Oxygenated monoterpene linalool, neral, geranial	Gogoi, Baruah and Nath, 1997
Leaves	<i>Laurus nobilis</i> L. Hemiterpenoid 2-methyl-butanal, 3-methylbutanal, 3-methyl-butanol Monoterpene camphene, δ -3-carene, <i>p</i> -cymene, limonene, phellandral, α -thujene, (α, β) -phellandrene, (α, β) -pinene, sabinene, (<i>cis, trans</i>)-sabinene hydrate, (α, γ) -terpinene, terpinolene, Oxygenated monoterpene borneol, bornyl acetate, camphor,	Guenther, 1972 ; Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, 1962 ; Akgul <i>et al.</i> , 1989 ; Duke, 1992 ; Muller- Riebau <i>et al.</i> , 1995

Table 1 (continued)

Plant part	Chemical constituents	References
	<p>trans-carveol, carvone, <i>l</i>,<i>8</i>-cineole, cineole, dehydro-<i>l</i>,<i>8</i>-cineole, geraniol, geranyl acetate, linalool, terpinen-4-ol, α-terpineol, α-terpinyl acetate, α-terpinyl formate, thuj-2-en-4-ol,</p> <p>Sesquiterpene</p> <p>α-amorphene, <i>allo</i>-aromadendrene, artemorin, bicyclogermacrene, bicyclosesquiphellandrene, <i>cis</i>-α-bisabolene, β-bisabolene, cubebene, calamenene, α-bourbonene, (α,γ,δ)-cardinene, cadina-3,δ-diene, cadina-1(6),δ-diene, caryophyllene, ledene, β-caryophyllene, α-copaene, (α-β)-cubebene, cyclosativene, myrcene, <i>l</i>-epibicyclosesquiphellandrene, β-eudesmol, α-guaiene, α-gurjunene, laurenobiolide, (α,γ)-muurolene, myrtenol, myrtenal, neryl acetate, (<i>cis</i>,<i>trans</i>)-ocimene, neral, nerol, santamarine, (α,β)-selinene, reynosin, tulipinolide, verlotorin, α-ylangene, (β,γ)-elemene</p> <p>Oxygenated sesquiterpene</p> <p>caryophyllene oxide, perillylalcohol, viridiflorol</p> <p>Phenylpropanoid</p> <p>eugenol acetate, acetoeugenol, elimicin, cinnamyl acetate, cuminal</p>	

Table 1 (continued)

Plant part	Chemical constituents	References
	<p>alcohol, eugenol eugenyl acetate, methyl cinnamate, methyl eugenol, trans-methyl eugenol</p> <p>Aliphatic alcohol</p> <p>acetone, 8-acetoxycarvotanacetone, benzaldehyde, butanol, butanal, hexanol, hexanal, <i>cis</i>-3-hexanol, <i>trans</i>-2-hexanal, <i>cis</i>-3-hexenol, kaempferol, <i>cis</i>-<i>p</i>-menth-2-en-1-ol, <i>cis</i>-<i>p</i>-mentha-2,8-dien-1-ol, methyl heptenone, 2-methylpropanol, pentanol, pentanal, <i>l</i>-penten-3-ol, methanol,</p> <p>Long chain hydrocarbon</p> <p>ethyl-pentanoate, methylpropionate, 2-methylpropyl acetate, tridecane, 2-methylpropyl-2-methylpropionate, pentyl acetate, tetradecane, toluene, hexadecane</p>	

CHAPTER III

MATERIALS AND METHODS

3.1 Plant Materials

The plant materials were collected from various locations in Thailand and at different periods of time as shown in Table 2. Authentication was achieved through comparison with herbarium specimen at the Botany Section, Technical Division, Department of Agriculture, Ministry of Agriculture and Cooperative, Thailand.

Table 2 Investigating locations of collected plants and harvest time.

Number	Name	Place	Harvest time
1	<i>Cinnamomum camphora</i> Th. Fries. (leaves)	Bangkok	July 1997
2	<i>Cinnamomum camphora</i> Th. Fries. (leaves)	Rayong	January 1998
3	<i>Cinnamomum iners</i> Bl. (leaves)	Bangkok	November 1998
4	<i>Cinnamomum porrectum</i> Kosterm (leaves)	Phatthalung	May 1998
5	<i>Cinnamomum porrectum</i> Kosterm (bark)	Phatthalung	May 1998
6	<i>Litsea cubeba</i> Pers (leaves)	Chiang Mai	October, 1997
7	<i>Litsea glutinosa</i> C.B. Robinson. (fruits)	Ratchaburi	July 1997
8	<i>Litsea petiolata</i> Hook. f. (leaves)	Krabi	April 1998
9	<i>Litsea petiolata</i> Hook. f. (bark)	Krabi	June 1998
10	<i>Cinnamomum</i> sp.1 (leaves)	Rayong	April 1998
11	<i>Cinnamomum</i> sp.2 (leaves)	Rayong	April 1998
12	<i>Cinnamomum</i> sp.3 (leaves)	Khon Kaen	October 1998
13	<i>Cinnamomum</i> sp.4 (leaves)	Khon Kaen	October 1998

Table 2 (continued)

Number	Name	Place	Harvest time
14	<i>Cinnamomum</i> sp.5 (leaves)	Bangkok	November 1998
15	<i>Cinnamomum</i> sp.6 (leaves)	Bangkok	November 1998
16	<i>Cinnamomum</i> sp.7 (leaves)	Bangkok	November 1998
17	<i>Cinnamomum</i> sp.8 (leaves)	Bangkok	November 1998
18	<i>Cinnamomum</i> sp.9 (leaves)	Bangkok	December 1997
19	<i>Laurus nobilis</i> L. (leaves)	Chiang Mai	November 1997

3.2 Essential oil content and composition

3.2.1 Essential oil content determination

Essential oil was determined by the method described in the Official Methods of Analysis of the Association of Official Analytical Chemists (AOAC, method 962.17) (Helrich, 1990). One hundred and fifty grams of each sample were put into a 1000 ml round bottom flask. The tridistilled water were added into the flask to about half full. The flask was connected to the apparatus for the determination of volatile oil (Fig. 1). The content of the flask was distilled until two consecutive reading taken at one hour interval showed no change in oil content. After cooling, the oil volume was measured, calculated and expressed as millilitre of the oil per one hundred grams of sample. The essential oil obtained was then collected and stored at 4°C until being analyzed for its chemical composition by GC-MS.

3.2.2 Gas chromatography-mass spectrometry

For the identification of the composition of essential oils, a gas chromatography-coupled with a mass spectrometry (GC-MS) was used. The essential oil was diluted to 1:100 in methanol before being injected into GC-MS system. The condition of GC-MS was described below. The spectra were recorded and compared with the terpene library program (Adam,1995).

GC-MS Condition

Instrument model	Varian Saturn 3
Column	fused silica capillary column (30 m x 0.25 mm i.d.) coated with DB-5 (95% dimethyl 5% diphenyl polysiloxane) (J&W), film thickness 0.25 μm
Column programming	60-240°C rate 3.3°C/min
Injector temperature	180°C
Helium carrier gas	1 ml/min
Split ratio	100:1
Accelerating voltage	1700 volts
Sample size	1 μl
Solvent	methanol (HPLC grade)

3.3 Determination of antimicrobial activities of essential oils

3.3.1 Agar diffusion assay (Barry, 1991).

3.3.1.1 Preparation of sample

The essential oils were diluted to a final concentration of 10% in 0.1% sterile Tween 80.

3.3.1.2 Preparation of the inoculum

The bacterial strains used were as follows :

- *Staphylococcus aureus* ATCC29213
- *Enterococcus faecalis* ATCC29212
- *Bacillus subtilis* ATCC6633
- *Escherichia coli* ATCC25922
- *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* ATCC27853

Preparations of bacterial inocula were done according to the standard method. Each bacterial strain was cultured overnight on trypticase soy agar (TSA) plate at 37°C. Four well isolated colonies of the overnight grown culture were inoculated into a 5 ml trypticase soy broth (TSB) and incubated at 37°C for 2-3 h. The turbidity of inoculum was adjusted with sterile broth to match a 0.5 turbidity standard of McFarland No 1.

The fungal strains used were as follows :

- *Candida albicans* ATCC10231
- *Microsporum gypseum* (clinical isolate)

Candida albicans ATCC10231 was grown on Sabouraud dextrose agar (SDA) slant at 30°C for 24 h. The inoculum was prepared by suspending the culture in sterile normal saline solution and turbidity of the inoculum was adjusted to match a 0.5 turbidity standard of McFarland No 1.

Spores of *Microsporum gypseum* grown on SDA slant at 30°C for 4 days were washed from the slant culture with sterile 0.05% Tween 80. The turbidity of the spore suspension was adjusted to match 0.5 turbidity standard of McFarland No 1

3.3.1.3 Preparation of test plates

- For testing bacteria :

Mueller Hinton agar (MHA) was melted and allowed to cool at 45 - 50°C in a water bath. Then 25 ml of the melted agar medium was dispensed into sterile glass petri dishes, with internal diameters of 9 cm, to yield a uniform depth of 4 mm. The agar was allowed to harden on a flat level surface. The plates were dried for 1 h at 37°C.

- For testing fungi :

Sabouraud dextrose agar (SDA) was used and prepared as described above.

3.3.1.4 Inoculation of agar plates

A sterile cotton swab was dipped in each inoculum and the excess was removed by rotating the swab several times against the inside wall of the tube above the fluid level. The entire surfaces of the MHA plate and the SDA plate for testing bacteria and fungi, respectively, were inoculated by streaking with the swab for 3 times and each time the plate was rotated 60 degree.

3.3.1.5 Assay procedure

A 50 µl of each 10% oil sample or diluent (0.1% sterile Tween 80) was delivered to each hole (6 mm diameter) in the inoculated medium. This was done in triplicate. After maintaining at room temperature for 1 h, the bacterial and fungal plates were incubated at 37°C overnight and 30°C for 48-72 h, respectively. The oil samples showing inhibition zone were examined further for their minimal inhibitory concentrations (MIC).

3.3.2 Determination of minimal inhibitory concentration (MIC).

Determination of the MIC of essential oil was done by the broth microdilution test (Barry, 1991 ; Woods and Washington, 1995 ; Espinel-Ingroff and Pfaller, 1995).

3.3.2.1 Preparation of the inoculum

- For testing bacteria :

The inoculum was prepared as described in section 3.3.1.2. The turbidity of the 0.5 McFarland turbidity standard No 1 provides approximately 1×10^8 CFU(colony forming unit)/ml. The inoculum was further diluted to 1:100 in Mueller Hinton broth.

- For testing fungi :

The inoculum was prepared as described in section 3.3.1.2. This produced a fungal suspension containing 1×10^6 to 5×10^6 organisms per ml. The inoculum was further diluted to 1:100 in Sabouraud dextrose broth.

3.3.2.2 Preparation of the essential oil dilutions (Mann and Markham, 1998).

- For testing bacteria :

The oil samples were mixed with equal volume of 0.5% tween 80 and diluted with MHB containing 0.1% agar in a two-fold dilution to give the concentrations ranging from 10% to 0.039% v/v

- For testing fungi :

Sabouraud dextrose broth (SDB) was used instead of Mueller Hinton broth (MHB) and prepared as above.

3.3.2.3 Assay procedure

A 50 μ l volume of each concentration of the essential oil was dispensed to the corresponding well of sterile multiwell microdilution plate (96-Flat-shaped wells). Another 50 μ l volume of diluted inoculum was added into each well. After incubating the tray at 37°C for 24 h, the lowest concentration of oil sample that showed growth inhibition was considered as the MIC. This determination was done in duplicate. The corresponding concentrations of oil in diluent were used as turbidity control. Inhibitory effect of oil was examined by measurement of culture turbidity in each well using microplate reader (Bio-Rad, model 450).

CHAPTER IV

RESULTS

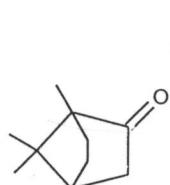
4.1 Chemical Composition of the Essential Oils from Thai Lauraceous Plants

4.1.1. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum camphora* Th. Fries. collected from Bangkok

The leaves of *Cinnamomum camphora* collected in Bangkok were found to contain essential oil at 0.38 % (v/w) of the fresh weight. GC/MS analysis showed at least 34 peaks in its GC chromatogram (Fig. 2). These peaks were identified as 14 monoterpenes, 4 oxygenated monoterpenes, 10 sesquiterpenes and 1 phenylpropane and 1 long chain hydrocarbon (Table 3). Among these, the major components were found to be camphor (55.43 %), limonene (11.58 %) and α -pinene (10.59 %).

In terms of relative amount, the oxygenated monoterpenes appeared to be the major terpenoid group, accounting for 57.75 % of the essential oil. Monoterpenes and sesquiterpenes were present in lesser amount, at 39.98 % and 1.39 %, respectively (Fig. 3).

In terms of structure, the major components, camphor belongs to the oxygenated monoterpenoid group of camphane, whereas α -pinene and limonene belong to the monoterpenoid groups of pinane and menthane, respectively.



camphor
(camphane)



limonene
(menthane)



α -pinene
(pinane)



Figure 2. GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum camphora* Th. Fries. collected from Bangkok.

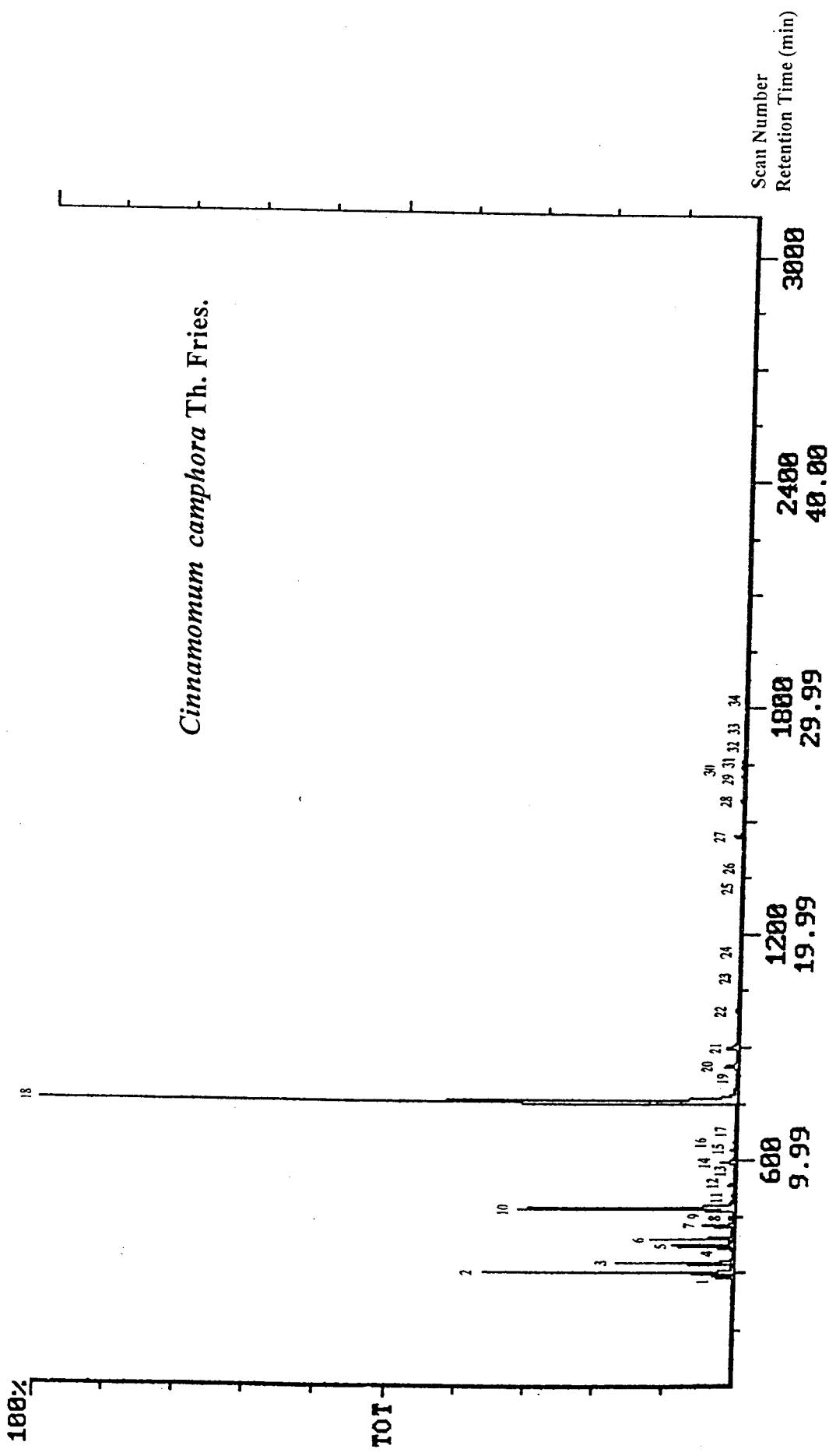


Figure 2 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum camphora* Th. Fries. Leaves (Bangkok)

Table 3 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum camphora* leaves (Bangkok)

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -thujene	4.83	0.87
2	α -pinene	5.03	10.59
3	camphene	5.48	5.22
4	sabinene	6.08	0.60
5	β -phellandrene	6.23	2.87
6	β -pinene	6.54	3.72
7	α -phellandrene	7.11	1.62
8	δ -2-carene	7.44	0.17
9	verbenene	7.78	1.44
10	limonene	7.88	11.58
11	(E)- β -ocimene	8.48	0.04
12	γ -terpinene	8.91	0.37
13	trans-sabinene hydrate	9.61	0.05
14	terpinolene	9.93	0.84
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
18	camphor	12.54	55.43
19	borneol	13.99	0.06
20	terpin-4-ol	14.16	1.13
21	α -terpineol	14.98	1.13
	Sesquiterpene		
25	α -copaene	22.38	0.07
26	β -elemene	23.09	0.03
27	(E)-caryophyllene	24.33	0.59
28	α -humulene	25.89	0.18
29	γ -muurolene	26.99	0.08
30	β -selinene	27.34	0.22
31	α -selinene	27.63	0.14
32	germacrene A	28.11	0.03
33	trans- β -guaiene	28.59	0.02
34	germacerne B	30.19	0.03
	Phenylpropanoid		
24	(Z)-isosafrole	18.99	0.07
	Long chain hydrocarbon		
15	n-heneicosane	10.44	0.14
	Miscellaneous		
16	unknown	10.83	0.09
17	unknown	11.79	0.30

Table 3 (continued)

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
22	unknown	16.61	0.15
23	unknown	17.98	0.11

Table 3. The percentage composition of terpenoids in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum camphora* Th. Fries. Leaves (Bangkok)

The yield of essential oil was 1.2% (v/w) and the oil had a pale yellow color. The oil contained 7% water collected from Payne et al. (1997). GC-MS analysis of the essential oil showed that 111 compounds were identified as 17 monoterpenes, 1 oxygenated monoterpenes, 1 sesquiterpene, 1 phenylpropanoid, 1 long chain hydrocarbon and 1 unknown (Table 3). The major compound was found to be α -pinene (57.75%), followed by β -pinene (39.98%).

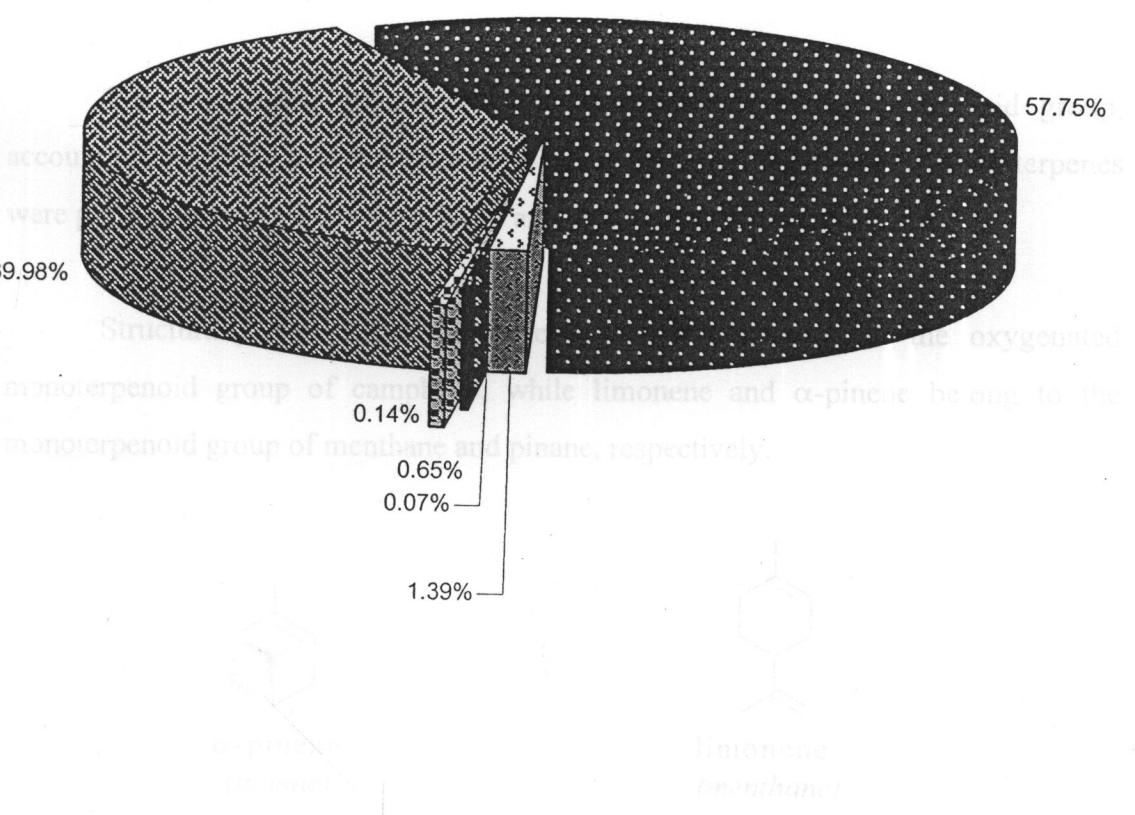


Figure 3 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum camphora* Th. Fries. Leaves (Bangkok)

4.1.2. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum camphora* Th. Fries. collected from Rayong

By hydrodistillation, the yield of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum camphora* Th. Fries. collected from Rayong was found to be 0.33% (v/w) of the fresh weight. GC/MS analysis of the essential oil showed 34 peaks (Fig. 4). These peaks were identified as 13 monoterpenes, 7 oxygenated monoterpenes, 10 sesquiterpenes, 3 oxygenated sesquiterpenes and 1 long chain hydrocarbon (Table 4). Among these, camphor (56.06%) appeared to be the major component, followed by limonene (9.03%) and α -pinene (7.92%).

The oxygenated monoterpene appeared to be the major terpenoid group, accounting for 58.61% of the essential oil (Fig. 5). Monoterpens and sesquiterpenes were present in lesser amount, at 30.35 and 9.67%, respectively.

Structurally, the major components, camphor belongs to the oxygenated monoterpenoid group of camphene, while limonene and α -pinene belong to the monoterpenoid group of menthane and pinane, respectively.

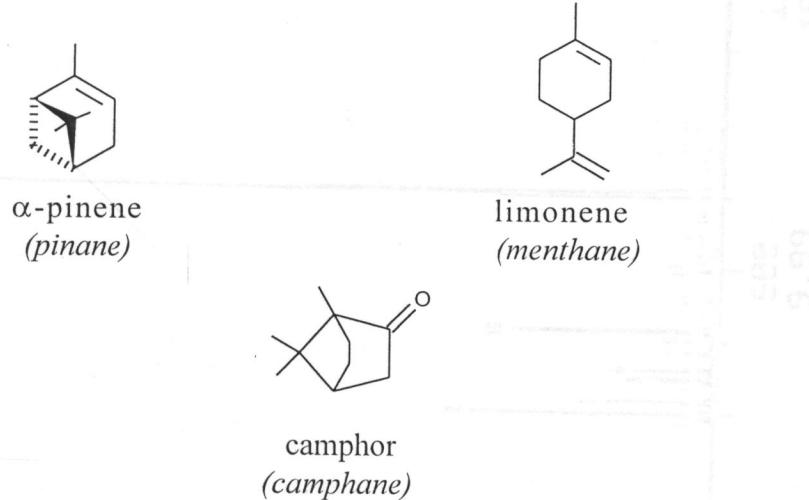


Figure 4. GC chromatogram of the essential oil of *Cinnamomum camphora* Th. Fries.

Cinnamomum camphora Th. Fries.

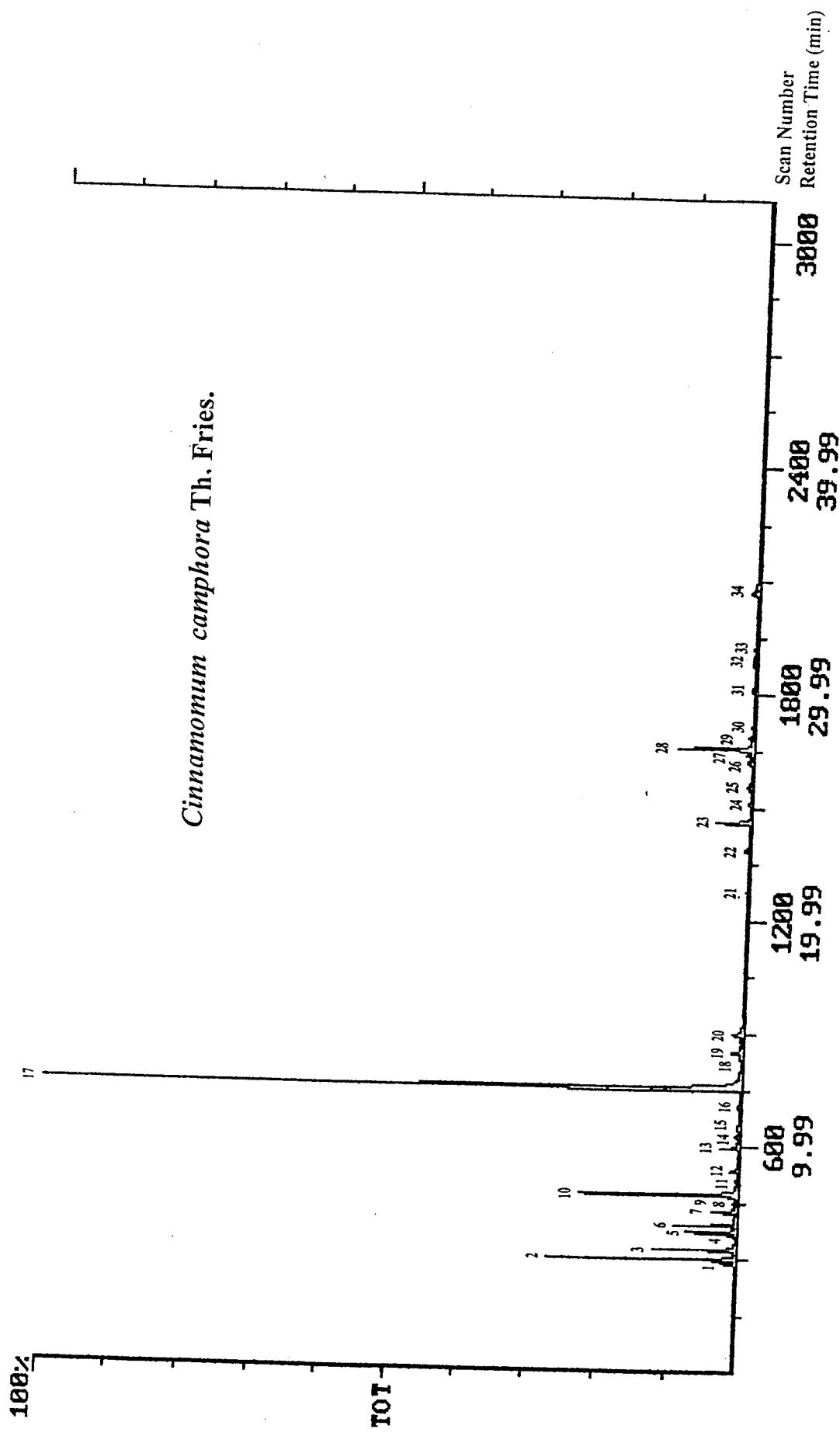


Figure 4 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum camphora* Th. Fries. Leaves (Rayong)

Table 4 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum camphora* leaves (Rayong)

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -thujene	4.83	0.53
2	α -pinene	5.03	7.92
3	camphene	5.48	3.79
4	sabinene	6.08	0.37
5	β -phellandrene	6.23	2.40
6	β -pinene	6.54	3.03
7	α -phellandrene	7.11	1.22
8	δ -2-carene	7.44	0.15
9	verbenene	7.78	0.45
10	limonene	7.88	9.03
11	(E)- β -ocimene	8.48	0.09
12	γ -terpinene	8.91	0.42
13	terpinolene	9.93	0.95
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
15	linalool	10.81	0.32
16	α -campholenal	11.73	0.13
17	camphor	12.54	56.06
18	borneol	13.99	0.12
19	terpin-4-ol	14.16	0.95
20	α -terpineol	14.98	0.97
21	α -terpinyl acetate	19.79	0.06
	Sesquiterpene		
22	β -elemene	23.09	0.21
23	(E)-caryophyllene	24.33	2.49
24	longifolene	25.11	0.06
25	α -humulene	25.89	0.21
26	γ -muurolene	26.99	0.33
27	β -selinene	27.34	0.36
28	bicyclogermacrene	27.59	5.58
29	germacrene A	28.11	0.17
30	<i>trans</i> - β -quaiene	28.59	0.10
31	germacrene B	30.19	0.16
	Oxygenated sesquiterpene		
32	spathulenol	31.29	0.27
33	α -eudesmol acetate	31.59	0.06
34	α -eudesmol	34.48	0.78
	Long chain hydrocarbon		
14	<i>n</i> -heneicosane	10.44	0.21

monoterpene (30.35%), oxygenated monoterpene (9.67%), sesquiterpene (58.61%), oxygenated sesquiterpene (1.11%) and long chain hydrocarbon (0.21%).

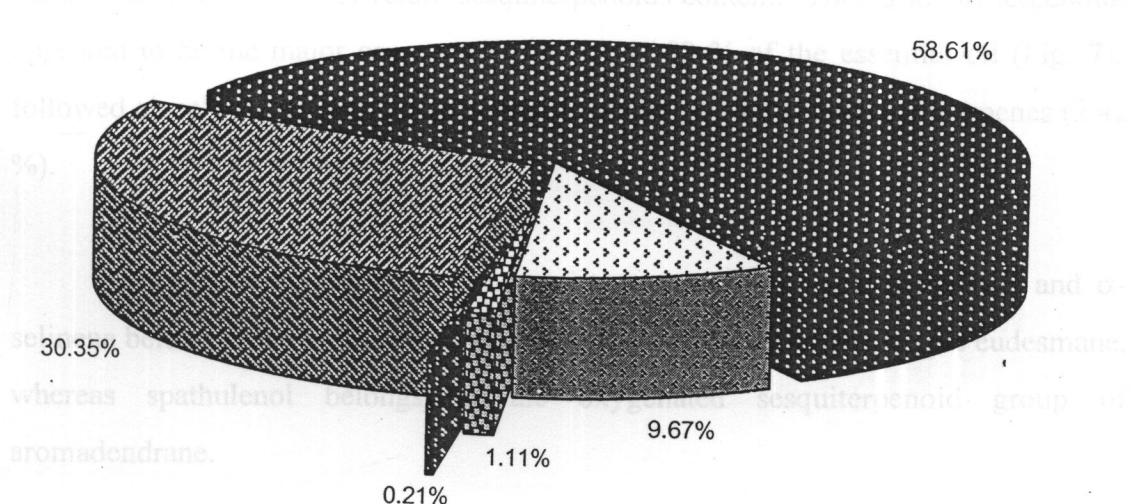
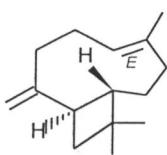


Figure 5 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum camphora* Th. Fries. Leaves (Rayong)

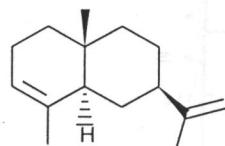
4.1.3. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum iners* Bl.

The yield of the essential oil isolated from *Cinnamomum iners* leaves was found to be 0.1% (v/w) of the fresh weight. GC/MS analysis of the essential oil showed that there were at least 45 components present in the oil (Fig. 6). These components were identified as 11 monoterpenes, 4 oxygenated monoterpenes, 17 sesquiterpenes, 9 oxygenated sesquiterpenes, 1 phenylpropane and 3 non-terpenoid components (Table 5). Among these, (*E*)-caryophyllene (20.38 %) was found to be the major components followed by spathulenol (19.75%) and α -selinene (10.80%), which contributed greatly to the overall sesquiterpenoids content. This group of terpenoids appeared to be the major one, accounting for 47.92 % of the essential oil (Fig. 7), followed closely by the oxygenated sesquiterpenes (47.48 %) and monoterpenes (2.42 %).

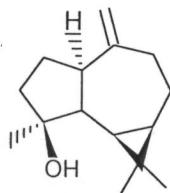
In terms of structure type, the major component, (*E*)-caryophyllene and α -selinene belong to the sesquiterpenoid group of caryophyllane and simple eudesmane, whereas spathulenol belongs to the oxygenated sesquiterpenoid group of aromadendrane.



(*E*)-caryophyllene
(caryophyllane)



α -selinene
(simple eudesmane)



spathulenol
(aromadendrane)

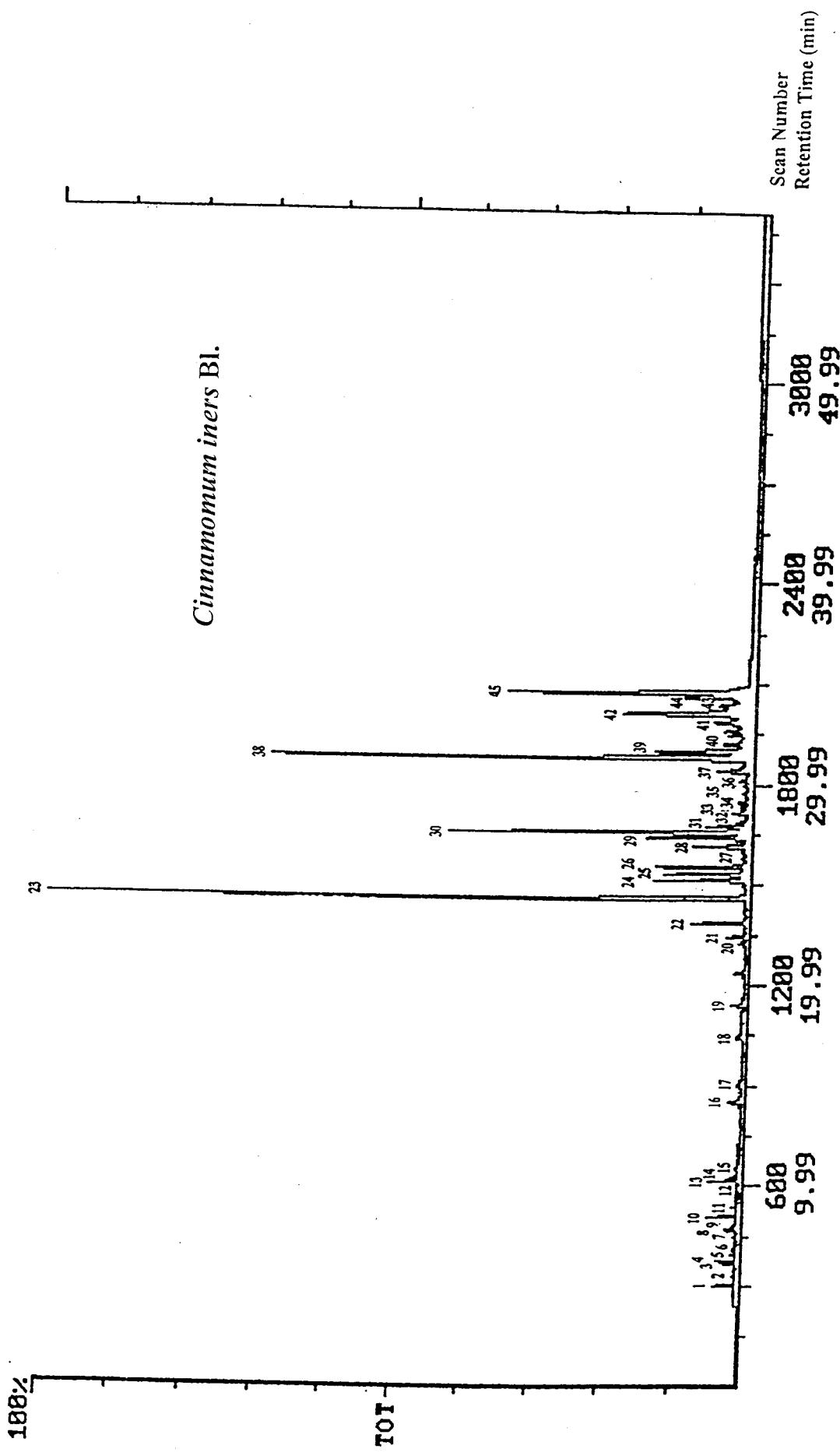


Figure 6 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum iners* Bl. leaves

Table 5 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum iners* leaves

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -pinene	5.03	0.42
2	camphene	5.48	0.04
3	sabinene	6.08	0.21
4	β -phellandrene	6.23	0.39
5	β -pinene	6.54	0.11
7	δ -2-carene	7.44	0.05
8	verbenene	7.78	0.21
9	limonene	7.88	0.23
10	(E)- β -ocimene	8.48	0.59
11	γ -terpinene	8.91	0.13
12	terpinolene	9.93	0.04
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
15	linalool	10.81	0.13
16	terpin-4-ol	14.16	0.39
17	α -terpineol	14.98	0.17
18	geraniol	17.38	0.24
	Sesquiterpene		
19	δ -elemene	20.63	0.25
21	α -copaene	22.38	0.48
22	β -elemene	23.09	1.45
23	(E)-caryophyllene	24.33	20.38
24	α -gerjunene	25.23	2.10
25	cyperene	25.54	2.15
26	α -humulene	25.89	2.58
27	β -patchoulene	26.61	0.25
28	α -muurolene	26.89	1.60
29	β -selinene	27.34	3.35
30	α -selinene	27.63	10.80
31	β -gurjunene	27.88	1.42
32	germacrene A	28.11	0.35
33	trans- β -guaiene	28.59	0.28
34	selina-3,7(11)-diene	28.91	0.18
35	α -calacorene	29.61	0.11
36	germacrene B	30.19	0.19
	Oxygenated sesquiterpene		
37	(E)-nerolidol	30.66	0.88
38	spathulenol	31.29	19.75
39	α -eudesmol acetate	31.59	3.98

Table 5 (continued)

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
40	hinesol acetate	31.96	0.71
41	juniper camphor acetate	33.08	1.73
42	bicyclovetivenol	33.54	7.32
43	α -muurolol	33.93	1.04
44	himachalol	34.36	2.07
45	selin-11-en-4- <i>alpha</i> -ol	34.58	10.00
	Phenylpropanoid		
20	(Z)-isoeugenol	22.10	0.16
	Long chain hydrocarbon		
6	<i>n</i> -decane	6.83	0.07
13	2-nonenone	10.23	0.73
14	<i>n</i> -heneicosane	10.44	0.16

3.4. Terpenoid Composition of *Cinnamomum iners* Bl. leaves

The essential oil from the whole of the *Cinnamomum iners* Bl. leaves was collected by steam distillation and analyzed by GC-MS. The oil contained 13 separated peaks. Five components were identified as monoterpenes, 3 sesquiterpenes, 5 oxygenated terpenoids and one phenylpropanoid component (Table 6). Among these, the phenylpropanoid compound was the major component, followed by the oxygenated monoterpenes.

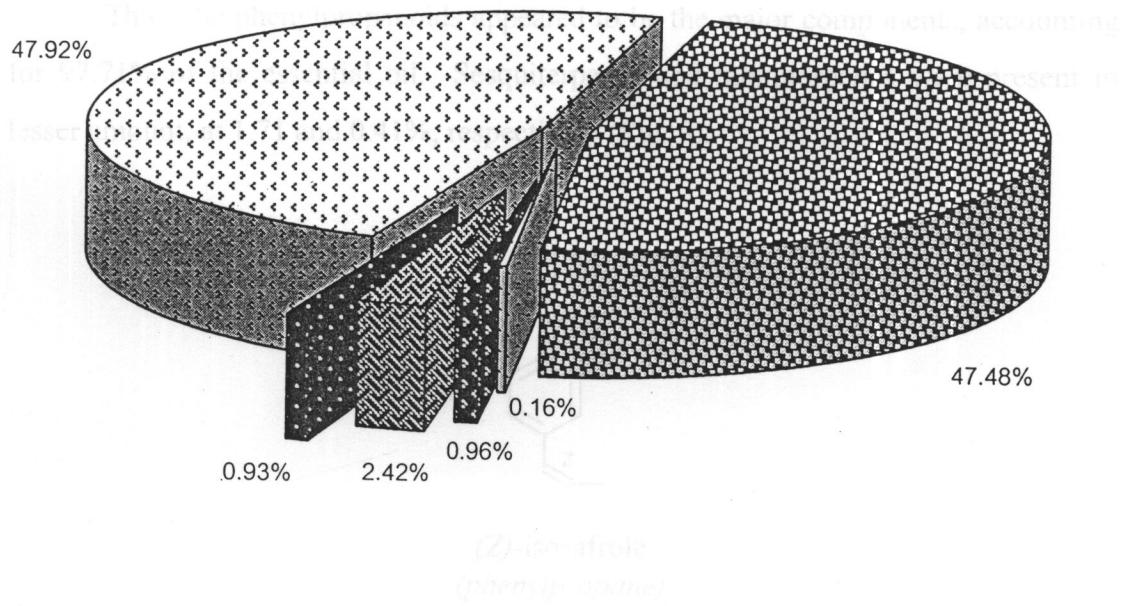
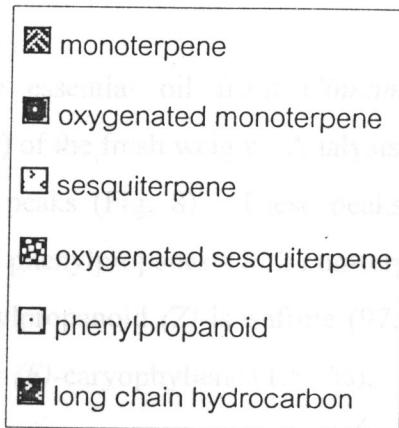
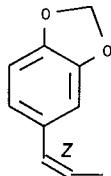


Figure 7 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum iners* Bl. leaves

4.1.4. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum porrectum* Kosterm leaves

By hydrodistillation, the yield of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum pathenoxyylon* leaves was found to be 0.5 % (v/w) of the fresh weight. Analysis of the essential oil by GC/MS showed 15 separated peaks (Fig. 8). These peaks were identified as 4 monoterpenes, 4 sesquiterpenes, 5 phenylpropanes and 2 non-terpenoid components (Table 6). Among these, the phenylpropanoid (*Z*)-isosafrole (97.30 %) appeared to be the major component, followed by (*E*)-caryophyllene (1.51 %).

Thus, the phenylpropanoids appeared to be the major components, accounting for 97.71% of the essential oil. Sesquiterpenes and monoterpenes were present in lesser amount, at 1.71 and 0.41%, respectively (Fig. 9).



(*Z*)-isosafrole
(phenylpropane)

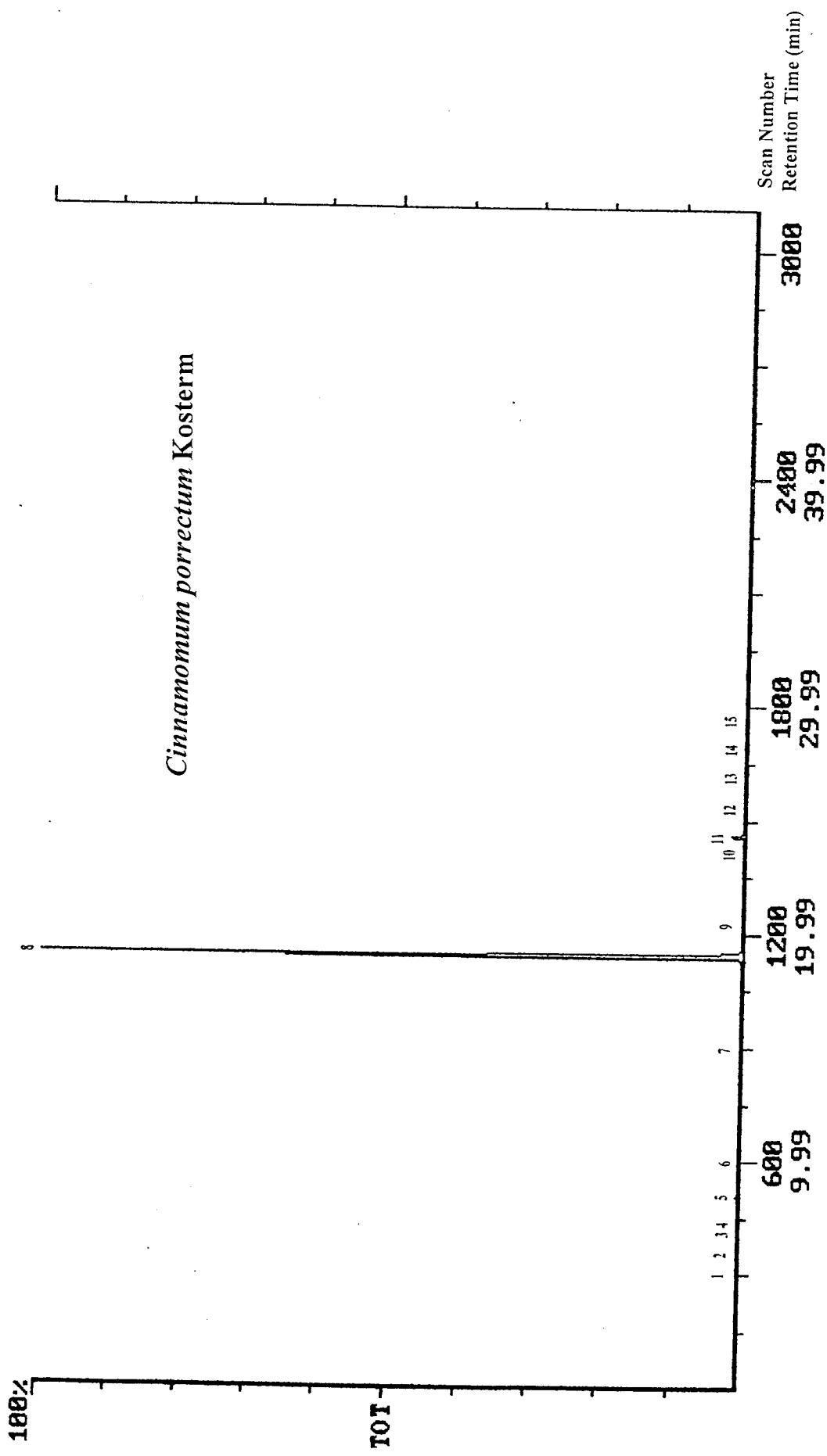


Figure 8 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum porrectum* Kosterm leaves

Table 6 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum porrectum* leaves

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -pinene	5.03	0.06
2	sabinene	6.08	0.08
3	β -phellandrene	6.23	0.12
5	(E)- β -ocimene	8.48	0.15
	Sesquiterpene		
11	(E)-caryophyllene	24.33	1.51
12	α -humulene	25.89	0.14
13	γ -muurolene	26.99	0.06
14	<i>trans</i> - β -guaiene	28.59	0.02
	Phenylpropananoid		
7	<i>n</i> -methyl chavical	14.88	0.19
8	(Z)-isosafrole	18.99	97.30
9	(E)-isosafrole	23.04	0.03
10	methyl eugenol	23.18	0.16
15	myristicin	30.15	0.03
	Long chain hydrocarbon		
4	2-nonenone	10.23	0.04
6	<i>n</i> -heneicosane	10.44	0.09

Table 3. The relative proportion of terpenoid groups in the essential oil

The GC-MS of the essential oil isolated from the leaves of *Cinnamomum porrectum* Kosterm. showed 19 peaks and the total 1.73% of the essential oil. The analysis of the identified substances indicated that there were 13 peaks of monoterpenes (Fig. 9). These peaks were identified as 1,8-cineole (0.17%), α -pinene (0.17%), β -pinene (0.17%), α -terpineol (0.17%), β -phillyrin (0.17%), γ -terpinene (0.17%), α -terpinol (0.17%), α -terpinyl acetate (0.17%), α -terpinyl propionate (0.17%), α -terpinyl butyrate (0.17%), α -terpinyl valerate (0.17%), α -terpinyl caproate (0.17%), α -terpinyl heptanoate (0.17%) and α -terpinyl octanoate (0.17%).

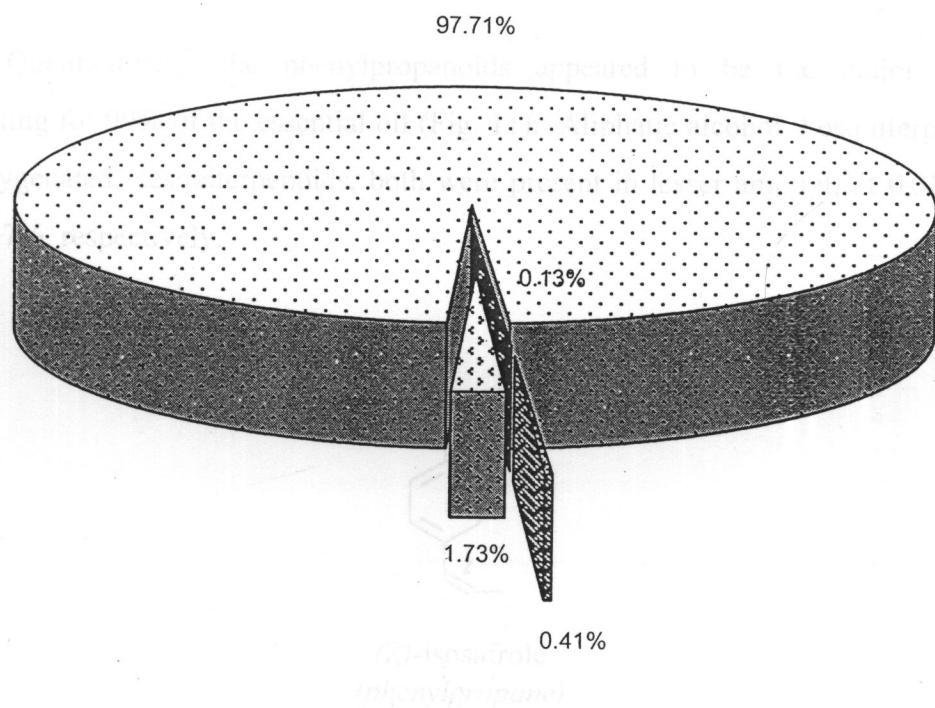
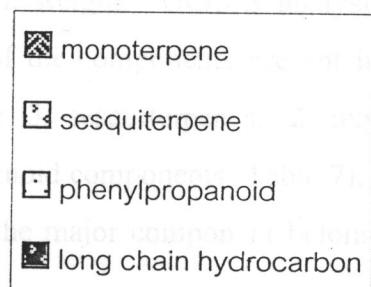
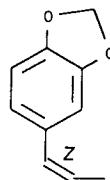


Figure 9 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum porrectum* Kosterm leaves

4.1.5. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum porrectum* Kosterm bark

The yield of the essential oil isolated from *Cinnamomum pathenoxyylon* Nees. bark was found to be 0.1 % (v/w) of the fresh weight. GC/MS analysis of the essential oil showed that there were 15 peaks of the components present in the oil (Fig. 10). These peaks were identified as 3 sesquiterpenes, 2 oxygenated sesquiterpenes, 6 phenylpropanes and 4 non-terpenoid components (Table 7). Among these, (*Z*)- isosafrole (96.89 %) appeared to be the major component belongs to the phenylpropanoid group.

Quantitatively, the phenylpropanoids appeared to be the major group, accounting for 99% of the essential oil (Fig. 11). Aliphatic alcohol, Sesquiterpenoids and oxygenated sesquiterpenoids, both were present in lesser amount, at 0.38, 0.17 and 0.17%, respectively.



(*Z*)-isosafrole
(phenylpropane)

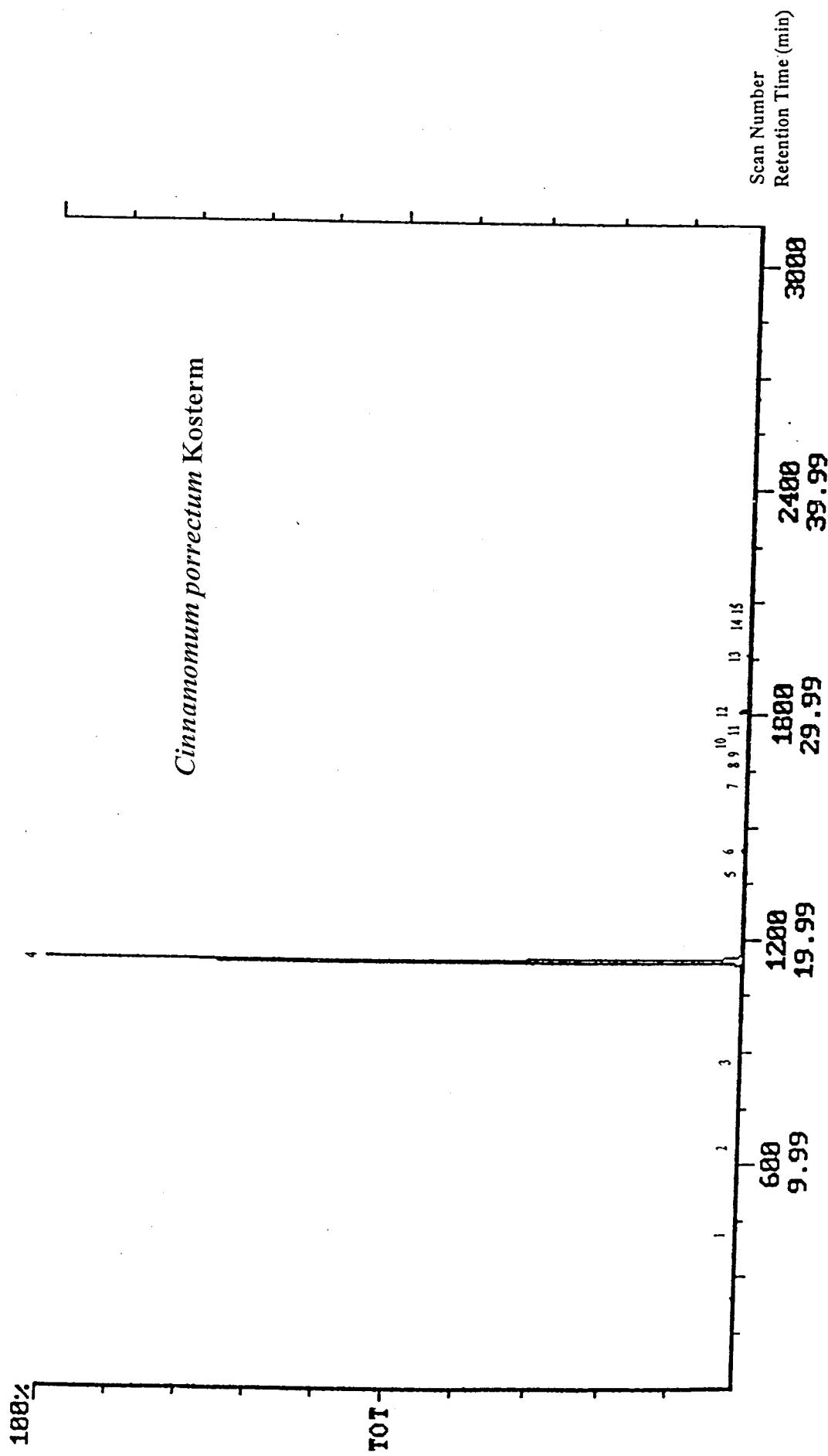


Figure 10 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum porrectum* Kosterm bark

Table 7 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum porrcetum* bark

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Sesquiterpene		
7	γ -cadinene	26.75	0.03
8	cis-muurola-4(14),5-diene	28.39	0.02
10	cis-calamenene	28.78	0.12
	Oxygenated sesquiterpene		
14	epi- α -muurolol	33.98	0.05
15	α -cadinol	34.49	0.12
	Phenylpropanoid		
3	methyl chavical	14.88	0.20
4	(Z)-isosafrole	18.99	96.85
5	(E)-isosafrole	34.04	0.15
6	methyl eugenol	23.18	0.51
11	myristicin	30.15	0.04
12	elemicin	32.64	1.25
	Aliphatic alcohol		
13	dodecanal	32.64	0.38
	Long chain hydrocarbon		
1	n-decane	6.83	0.05
2	n-heneicosane	10.44	0.11
	Miscellaneous		
9	unknown	28.48	0.08

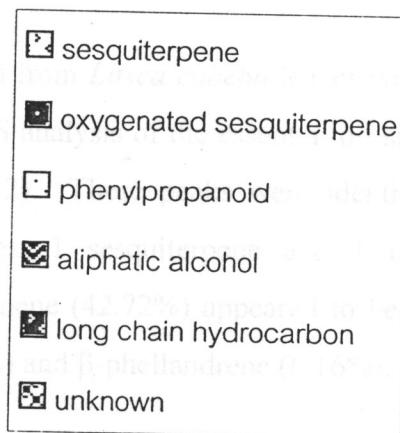
Chemical composition of the essential oil of *Cinnamomum porrectum* Kosterm bark

The total oil contained 16 different terpenoid compounds, which were identified as follows:

The 15.1% fraction of the total weight of the oil was due to monoterpenes.

There were no mono-terpenoid hydrocarbons (Fig. 11). There were 10 mono-terpenoid hydrocarbons (Fig. 11), 2 oxygenated monoterpenes, 1 aliphatic alcohol, 1 phenylpropanoid and 1 long chain hydrocarbon.

Sesquiterpenes, oxygenated sesquiterpenes and sesquiterpene lactones (Table 8). Among these, substituted sesquiterpenes, oxygenated sesquiterpenes and sesquiterpene lactones, all had a low incidence (1.1–1.3%) and phenylpropanoids were not found.



These major components belong to the monoterpenoid group, while account is 99%

for 0.102% of the total weight of the oil. The remaining 0.898% consists of sesquiterpenes, oxygenated sesquiterpenes and sesquiterpene lactones, respectively.

Whereas the main component of the oil is monoterpenoid hydrocarbons, the remaining 0.898% consists of sesquiterpenes, oxygenated sesquiterpenes and sesquiterpene lactones, respectively.

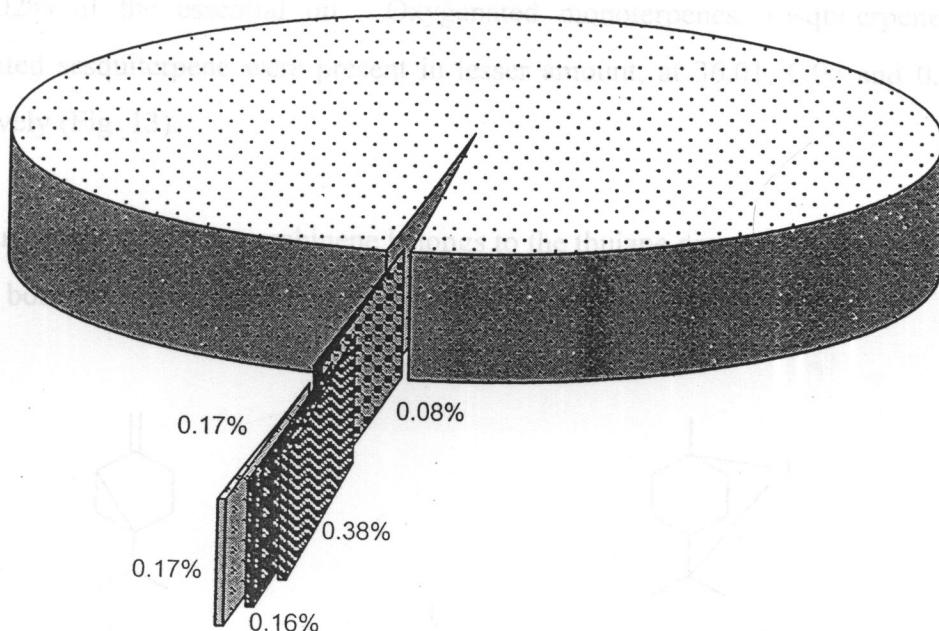


Figure 11 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum porrectum* Kosterm bark

β -phellandrene
(menthae)

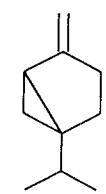
1,3-cineol
(*m*-nitroole)

4.1.6. Essential Oil Composition of *Litsea cubeba* Pers.

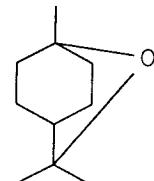
The yield of the essential oil isolated from *Litsea cubeba* leaves was found to be 0.48% (v/w) of the fresh weight. GC-MS analysis of the essential oil showed that there were at least 26 components (Fig. 12). These peaks were identified as 15 monoterpenes, 7 oxygenated monoterpenes, 1 sesquiterpene and 1 oxygenated sesquiterpene (table 8). Among these, sabinene (42.72%) appeared to be the major component, followed by *l*,*l*-cineole (18.33%) and β -phellandrene (6.16%).

These major components belong to the monoterpenoid group, while accounts for 63.02% of the essential oil. Oxygenated monoterpenes, sesquiterpene and oxygenated sesquiterpene were present in lesser amount, at 36.01, 0.06 and 0.50%, respectively (Fig. 13).

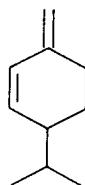
In terms of structure, sabinene belongs to the thujane group of monoterpenoids whereas both *l*,*l*-cineol and β -phellandrene belong to the menthane group.



sabinene
(thujane)



l,*l*-cineol
(menthane)



β -phellandrene
(menthane)

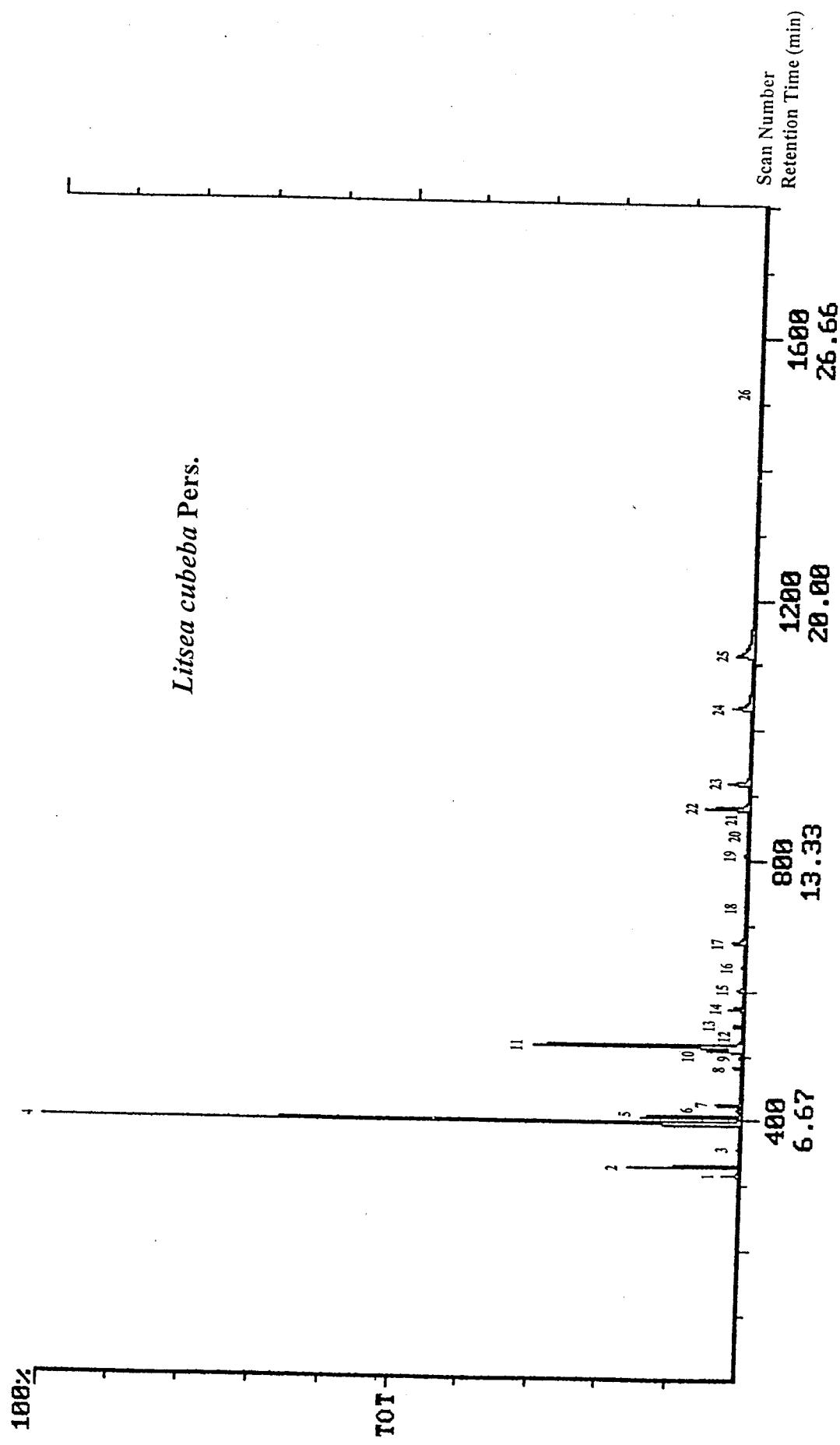


Figure 12 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Litsea cubeba* Per. leaves

Table 8 Essential oil composition of *Litsea cubeba* leaves

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -thujene	4.83	0.82
2	tricyclene	4.98	5.39
3	camphene	5.48	0.11
4	sabinene	6.08	42.72
5	β -phellandrene	6.23	6.16
7	β -pinene	6.54	1.67
8	δ -2-carene	7.44	0.53
9	<i>o</i> -cymene	7.59	0.21
10	limonene	7.88	2.56
12	(Z)- β -ocimene	8.13	0.18
13	(E)- β -ocimene	8.48	0.67
14	γ -terpinene	8.91	1.08
15	<i>trans</i> -sabinene hydrate	9.61	0.70
16	terpinolene	9.93	0.22
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
11	1,8-cineole	7.98	18.33
17	linalool acetate	10.81	1.75
19	citronellal	12.76	0.47
22	terpin-4-ol	14.16	4.24
23	α -terpineol	14.98	2.56
24	<i>cis</i> -carveol	17.23	3.49
25	geranial	18.77	5.17
	Sesquiterpene		
26	(E)-caryophyllene	24.33	0.06
	Oxygenated sesquiterpene		
6	6-methyl-5-hepten-2-one	6.37	0.50
	Miscellaneous		
18	unknown	12.25	0.13
20	unknown	13.84	0.10
21	unknown	14.23	0.17

3.3.3. Monoterpene, oxygenated monoterpenes, sesquiterpene and oxygenated sesquiterpene in the oil

The monoterpene group composed the major part of the total terpenoid content (50.02%) of the fresh weight of leaves of *Litsea cubeba* Pers.

The fresh weight of major compounds were 36.01% for monoterpenes (50.02%), 6.99% for oxygenated monoterpenes, 3.01% for sesquiterpenes and 0.50% for oxygenated sesquiterpenes. Monoterpene and sesquiterpene were the major constituents. Non-monoterpene, oxygenated monoterpenes, sesquiterpene and non-oxygenated sesquiterpene were the minor constituents.

The monoterpene found to be the major group was further found to be 63.02% of geraniol, 10.3% of pinene, 10.3%, 6.99 and 0.40%, respectively (Fig. 13).

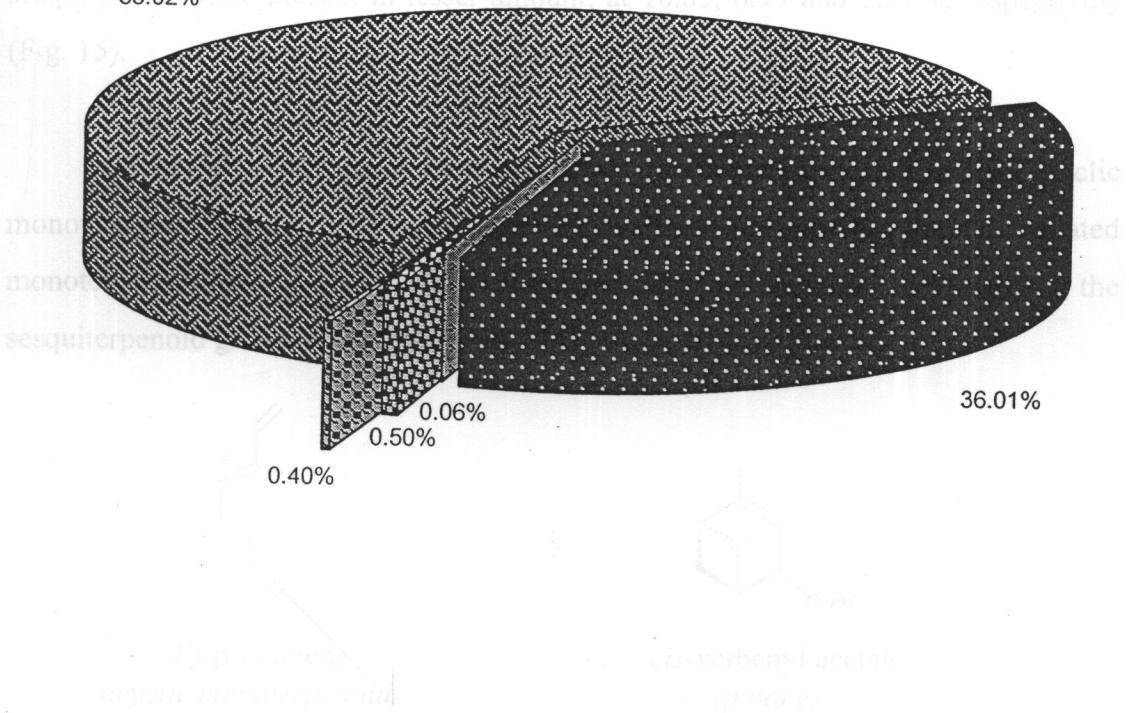
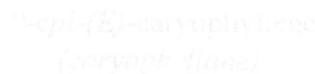


Figure 13 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Litsea cubeba* Pers. leaves

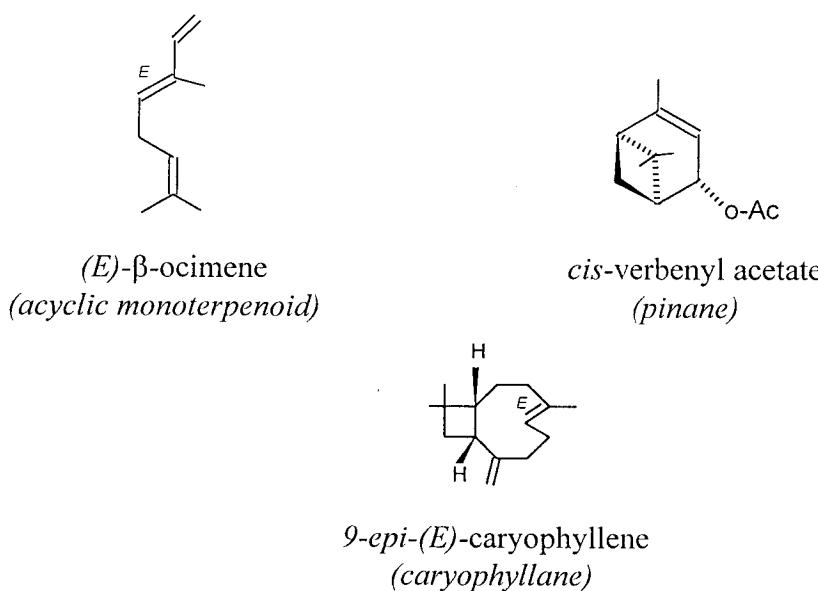


4.1.7. Essential Oil Composition of *Litsea glutinosa* C.B. Robinson.

The essential oil from the fruits of *Litsea glutinosa* was isolated by hydrodistillation and examined by GC/MS. The fruits yielded oil at 0.37% (v/w) of the fresh weight. Thirty compounds were identified (Fig. 14), of which (*E*)- β -ocimene (55.18%), *cis*-verbenyl acetate (5.38%) and 9-*epi*-(*E*)-caryophyllene (5.26%), were the major constituents. Ten monoterpenes, seven oxygenated monoterpenes, four sesquiterpene and an oxygenated sesquiterpene were identified (Table 9).

The monoterpene was found to be the major terpenoid group, accounting for 69.69% of essential oil. Oxygenated monoterpenes, sesquiterpenes and oxygenated sesquiterpene were present in lesser amount, at 10.85, 6.99 and 2.51%, respectively (Fig. 15).

Structurally, the major component, (*E*)- β -ocimene, belongs to the acyclic monoterpenoid group, whereas *cis*-verbenyl acetate belong to the oxygenated monoterpenoid group of pinanes and 9-*epi*-(*E*)-caryophyllene belongs to the sesquiterpenoid group of caryophyllane.



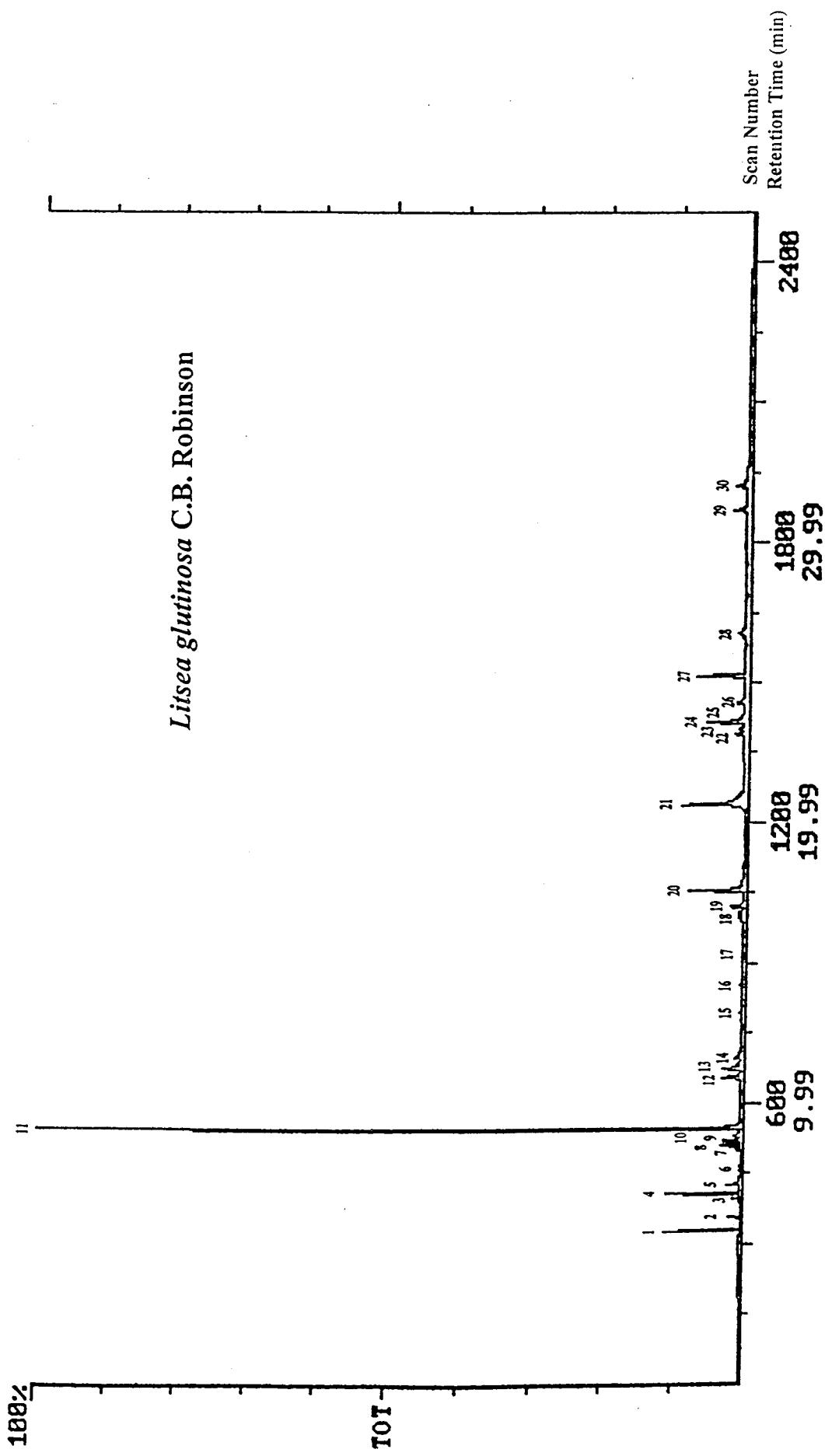


Figure 14 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Litsea glutinosa* C.B. Robinson fruits

Table 9 Essential oil composition of *Litsea glutinosa* fruits

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	tricyclene	4.98	3.83
2	camphene	5.48	0.62
3	sabinene	6.08	0.56
4	β -pinene	6.54	4.02
5	δ -3-carene	7.16	0.45
6	δ -2-carene	7.44	0.12
7	<i>o</i> -cymene	7.59	0.30
8	limenene	7.88	1.21
10	(<i>Z</i>)- β -ocimene	8.13	1.03
11	(<i>E</i>)- β -ocimene	8.48	46.13
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
9	1,8-cineole	7.98	1.02
12	verbenone	10.35	2.13
15	camphor	12.54	0.19
16	terpin-4-ol	14.16	0.12
17	α -terpineol	14.98	0.12
24	<i>cis</i> -verbetyl acetate	23.01	4.50
26	cumin aldehyde	24.20	0.98
	Sesquiterpene		
23	α -copaene	22.38	0.47
25	elemene	23.09	0.19
27	9- <i>epi</i> -caryophyllene	25.07	4.40
28	(<i>Z</i>)- α -bisabolene	25.44	0.79
	Oxygenated sesquiterpene		
29	caryophyllene oxide	31.32	2.10
	Miscellaneous		
13	unknown	11.26	2.24
14	unknown	11.61	1.25
18	unknown	15.54	0.76
19	unknown	17.60	1.30
20	unknown	19.83	6.35
21	unknown	20.02	10.05
22	unknown	21.65	1.09
30	unknown	31.89	1.67

4.3.3 Essential Oil Composition of *Litsea glutinosa* Hook f. Fruits

The yield of essential oil of *Litsea glutinosa* Hook f. fruits was found to be 0.1% (0.07 g) on 90% fresh weight. Analysis of the oil revealed 15 peaks (Fig. 15). These peaks were identified as 11 monoterpenes and 3 non-terpenoid compounds (Table 10). Among these sesquiterpenes, cinnamaldehyde (7.77%) appeared to be the major component (62.5%), followed by isosafrole (33.30%) and β -caryophyllene (10.85%).

- monoterpene
- oxygenated monoterpene
- sesquiterpene
- oxygenated sesquiterpene
- unknown

The phenylpropanoids found to be the major group of components of the oil, while cinnamaldehyde (7.77%) is the essential oil, while sesquiterpenes and monoterpenes are the minor groups of components, respectively (Fig. 17).

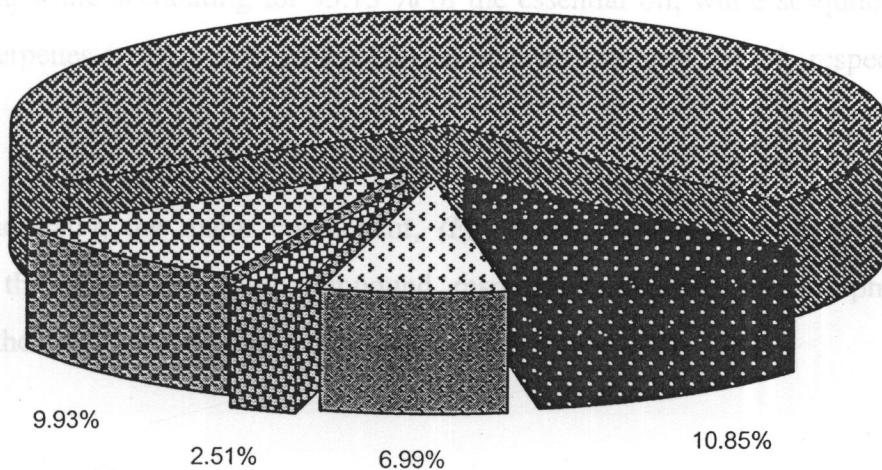


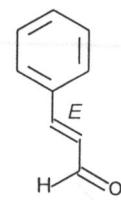
Figure 15 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Litsea glutinosa* C.B.Robinson fruits

4.1.8. Essential Oil Composition of *Litsea petiolata* Hook.f. leaves

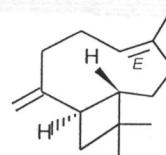
The yield of essential oil hydrodistilled from *Litsea petiolata* leaves was found to be 2.1% (v/w) of the fresh weight. Analysis of the essential oil by GC/MS showed 15 peaks (Fig. 16). These peaks were identified as 3 monoterpenes, 4 sesquiterpenes and 3 non-terpenoid components (Table 10). Among these, the phenylpropanoid (*E*)-cinnamaldehyde (57.77%) appeared to be the major component, followed by (*Z*)-isosafrole (35.36%) and (*E*)-caryophyllene (1.44%).

The phenylpropanes was found to be the major group of components of components, while accounting for 93.13 % of the essential oil, while sesquiterpenes and monoterpenes were present in a lesser amount at 3.04 and 0.46%, respectively (Fig.17).

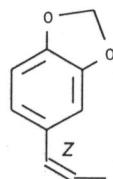
Structurally, the major component, (*E*)-cinnamaldehyde and (*Z*)-isosafrole, belong to the phenylpropanoid compound respectively, while (*E*)-caryophyllene belongs to the sesquiterpenoid group of caryophilane.



(*E*)-cinnamaldehyde
(phenylpropane)



(*E*)-caryophyllene
(caryophilane)



(*Z*)-isosafrole
(phenylpropane)

Figure 16 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Litsea petiolata* leaves

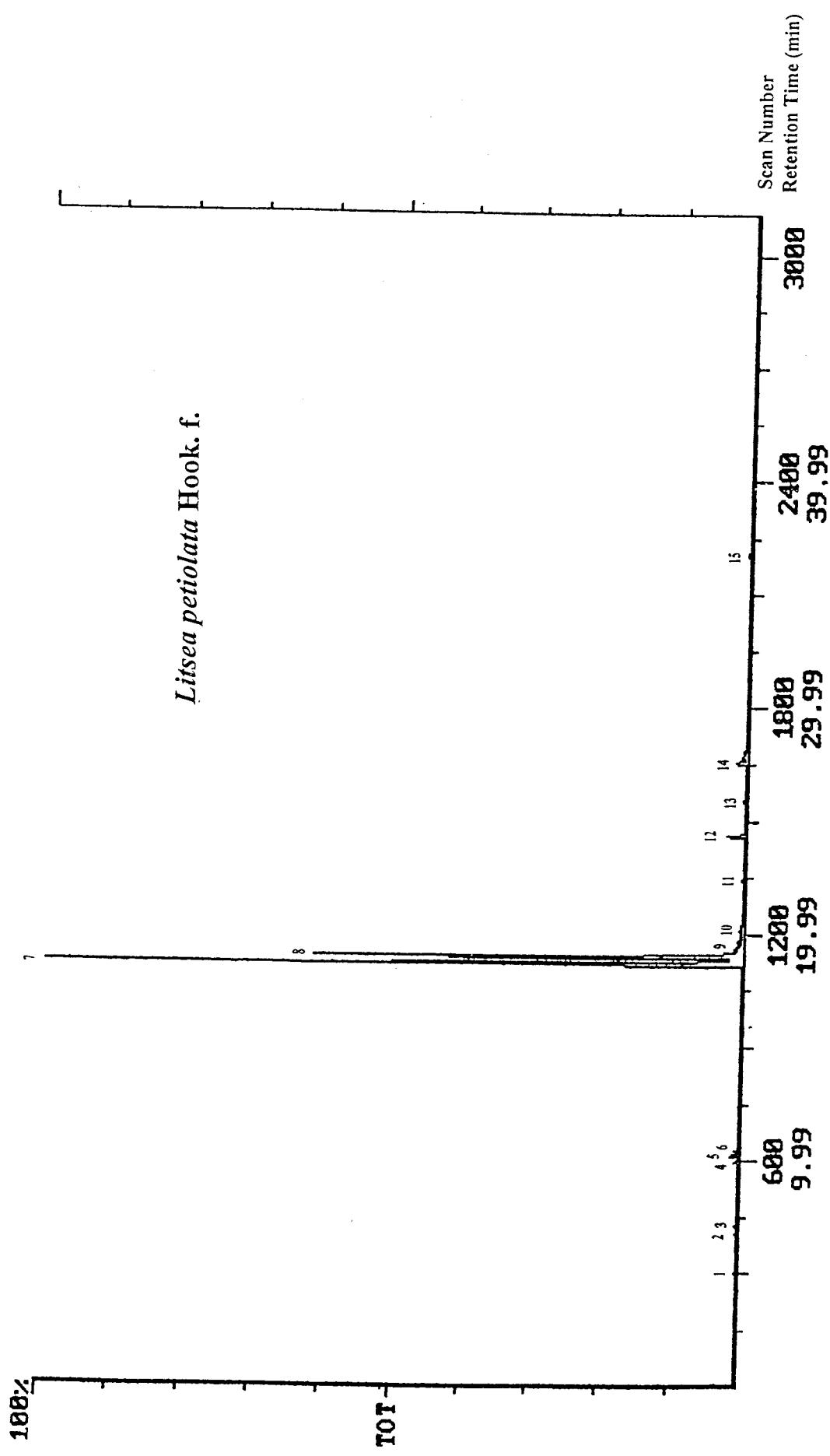


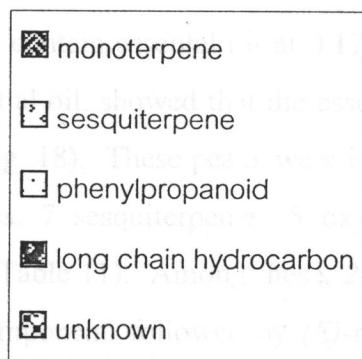
Figure 16 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Litsea petiolata* Hook. f. leaves

Table 10 Essential oil composition of *Litsea petiolata* Hook.f. leaves

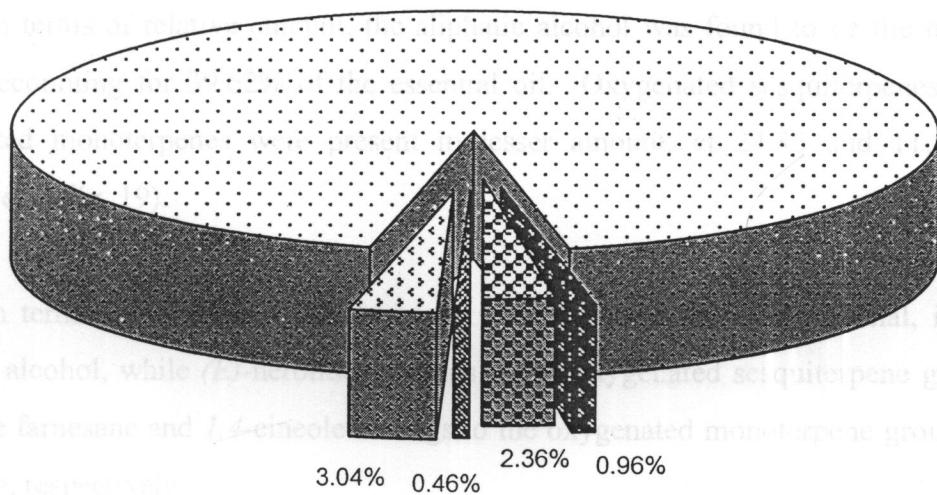
Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -pinene	5.03	0.05
3	phellandrene	6.23	0.18
4	terpinolene	9.93	0.23
	Sesquiterpene		
11	α -copaene	22.38	0.16
12	(E)-caryophyllene	24.33	1.44
13	α -humulene	25.89	0.10
14	bicyclogermacrene	27.59	1.34
	Phenylpropanoid		
7	(E)-cinnamaldehyde	18.68	57.77
8	(Z)-isosafrole	18.99	35.36
	Long chain hydrocarbon		
2	n-decane	6.83	0.08
16	2-nonanone	10.23	0.63
17	n-heneicosane	10.44	0.25
	Miscellaneous		
9	unknown	19.34	1.42
10	unknown	19.66	0.73
15	unknown	36.76	0.21

Table 15 Essential Oil Composition of *Litsea petiolata* Hook.f. Leaves

The leaves of *Litsea petiolata* was found to contain 0.3% essential oil of the fresh weight. An API analysis of its essential oil showed that the essential oil has at least 93.13% of the oil chromatogram (Fig. 17). This oil was identified as 93.13% monoterpenes, 3.04% sesquiterpenes, 0.46% phenylpropanoid, 2.36% long chain hydrocarbon and 0.96% unknown components. The major component of the oil was 2-methyl-undecanal (33.6%) which was to be the main compound of the oil. 1,4-diene (23.36%) and 1,4-cineole (10.28%).



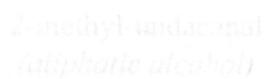
93.13%



In total, the oil contained 0.3% essential oil. The major component of the oil, is an aliphatic alcohol, while (E)-caryophyllene oxide is the main component of the generated sesquiterpene group. The oil also contained 2.36% of the generated monoterpane group of 1,4-diene and 1,4-cineole, respectively.

The oil contained 0.3% essential oil. The major component of the oil, is an aliphatic alcohol, while (E)-caryophyllene oxide is the main component of the generated monoterpane group of 1,4-diene and 1,4-cineole, respectively.

Figure 17 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Litsea petiolata* Hook.f. leaves

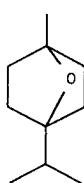


4.1.9. Essential Oil Composition of *Litsea petiolata* Hook.f. bark

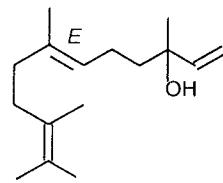
The bark of *Litsea petiolata* was found to contain essential oil at 0.17% (v/w) of the fresh weight. GC/MS analysis of its essential oil, showed that the essential oil has at least 26 peaks in the GC chromatogram (Fig. 18). These peaks were identified as 6 monoterpenes, 2 oxygenated monoterpenes, 7 sesquiterpenes, 5 oxygenated sesquiterpenes and 3 non-terpenoid components (Table 11). Among these, 2-methyl-undecanal (39.62%) appeared to be the major component, followed by (*E*)-nerolidol (22.67%) and *l*,*l*-cineole (10.28%).

In terms of relative amount, the aliphatic alcohol was found to be the major group, accounting for 39.62% of the essential oil. Oxygenated sesquiterpenes and oxygenated monoterpenes were present in lesser amount, at 24.86 and 11.51%, respectively (Fig. 19).

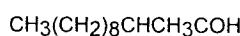
In terms of structure type, the major component, 2-methyl-undacanal, is an aliphatic alcohol, while (*E*)-nerolidol belongs to the oxygenated sesquiterpene group of simple farnesane and *l*,*l*-cineole belongs to the oxygenated monoterpene group of menthane, respectively.



l,*l*-cineole
(menthane)



(*E*)-nerolidol
(simple farnesane)



2-methyl-undacanal
(aliphatic alcohol)

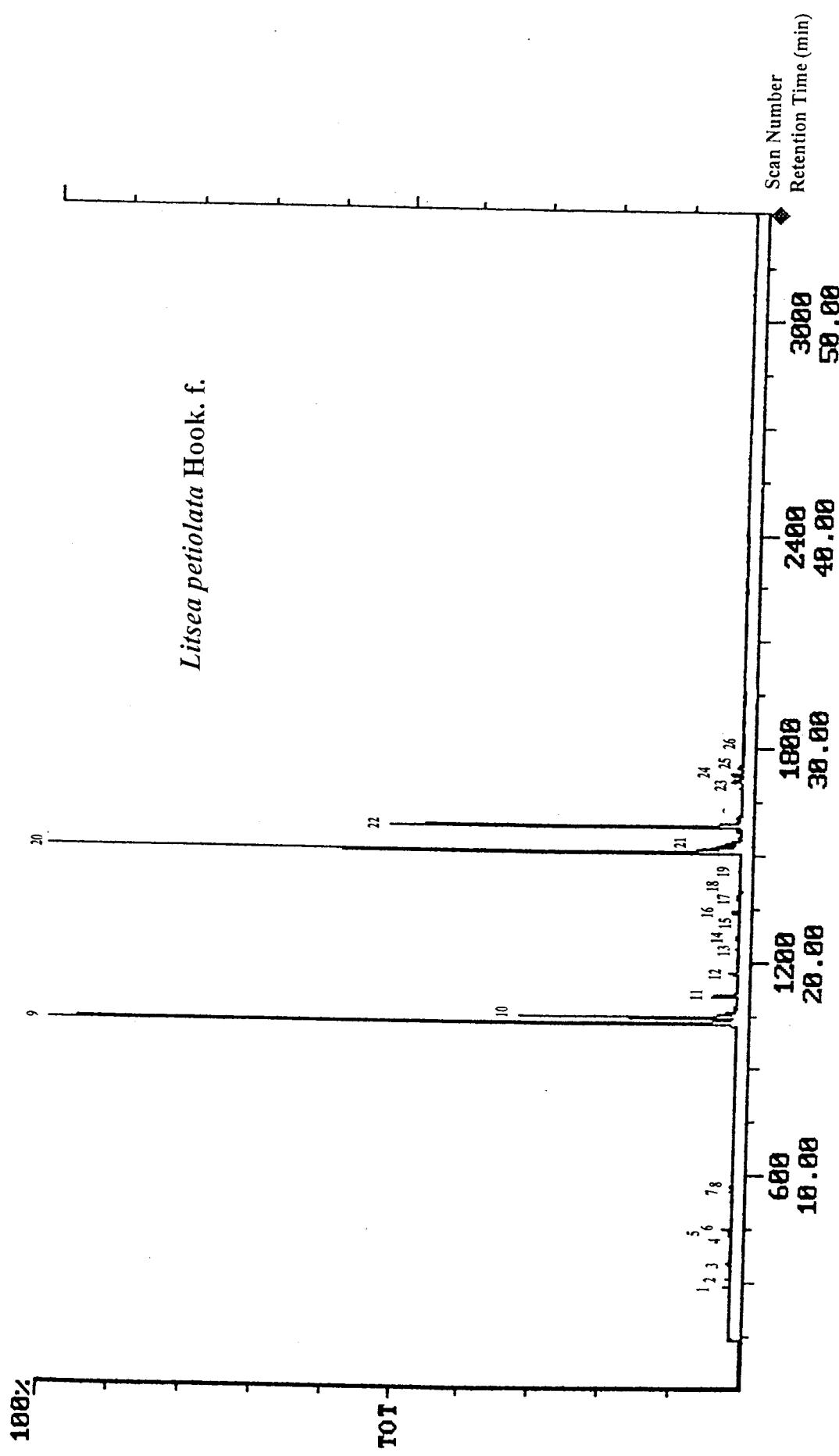


Figure 18 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Litsea petiolata* Hook. f. bark

Table 11 Essential oil composition of *Litsea petiolata* Hook.f. bark

Number of peak	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	tricyclene	4.98	1.09
2	camphene	5.48	1.37
3	β -phellandrene	6.23	0.86
4	<i>o</i> -cymene	7.59	0.80
5	limonene	7.88	0.67
7	α -terpinene	9.76	0.06
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
6	1,8-cineole	7.98	1.23
9	1,4-cineole	10.27	10.28
	Sesquiterpene		
12	α -copaene	22.38	0.12
14	germacrene D	22.93	0.17
15	<i>cis</i> - β -guaiene	23.71	0.07
16	9- <i>epi</i> -(<i>E</i>)-caryophyllene	25.07	0.53
18	longifolene	25.11	0.25
19	α -humulene	25.89	0.73
21	bicyclogermacrene	27.59	3.06
	Oxygenated sesquiterpene		
22	(<i>E</i>)-nerolidol	30.66	22.67
23	spathulenol	31.29	1.03
24	globulol	31.47	0.84
25	β -eudesmol acetate	31.63	0.23
26	cubenol	33.38	0.09
	Aliphatic alcohol		
20	2-methyl-undecanal	26.92	39.62
	Long chain hydrocarbon		
8	2-nanone	10.23	0.09
10	2-undecanone	18.50	11.84
	Miscellaneous		
11	unknown	18.80	1.97
13	unknown	22.56	0.17
17	unknown	25.09	0.14

The Terpenoid Composition of *Cinnamomum sp.*

The major component of hydrodistilled bark essential oil was found to be benzyl benzoate (6.0% of the fresh weight). GC/MS showed no oxygenated (Pinene, 9.0%), monoterpenes (linalool, 8.9%), sesquiterpenes (caryophyllene, 9.0%), oxygenated sesquiterpenes (caryophyllene oxide, 8.0%), aliphatic alcohols (linalool, 8.0%) and long chain hydrocarbons (caryophyllene, 8.0%).

Legend:

- monoterpane
- oxygenated monoterpane
- sesquiterpene
- oxygenated sesquiterpene
- aliphatic alcohol
- long chain hydrocarbon
- unknown

Chemically, the benzyl benzoate appeared to be the major group, accounting for 11.93% of the essential oil. Oxygenated terpenes (linalool) and pinetyl propene (oxygenated sesquiterpene) were present in a lesser amount at 2.28% and 4.85% respectively.

Structure of benzyl benzoate: O=C(Oc1ccc(cc1)C(=O)c2ccccc2)Cc3ccccc3

Structure of pinetyl propene: CC(Cc1ccccc1)C(=O)C2CCCCC2

Structure of linalool: CC1CCC(O)CC1



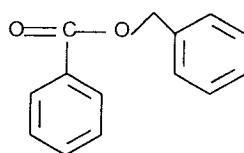
Figure 19 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Litsea petiolata* Hook.f. bark

4.1.10. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum* sp.1

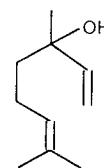
The yield of essential oil hydrodistilled from *Cinnamomum* sp1. leaves was found to be have 0.19 % (v/w) of the fresh weight. Analysis of the essential oil by GC/MS showed 50 peaks separated (Fig. 20) identified as 11 monoterpenes, 8 oxygenated monoterpenes, 8 sesquiterpenes, 9 oxygenated sesquiterpenes and 14 non-terpenoid components (Table 12). Among these, benzyl benzoate (27.38 %) was found to be the major component, followed by linalool (19.63 %) and α -pinene (7.95 %).

Quantitatively, the benzyl benzoated appeared to be the major group, accounting for 27.38 % of the essential oil. Oxygenated monoterpene, monoterpenne, phenyl propane, oxygenated sesquiterpene and sesquiterpene was present in a lesser amount, at 29.22 %, 19.66%, 8.08%, 8% and 4.03%, respectively (Fig. 21).

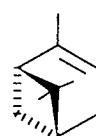
Structurally, the major component, benzyl benzoate, belongs to the benzenoid group of compounds, whereas linalool belongs to the oxygenated acyclic monoterprenoid group and α -pinene belongs to the monoterprenoid group of pinane.



benzyl benzoate
(benzoid)



linalool
(acyclic monoterprenoid)



α -pinene
(pinane)

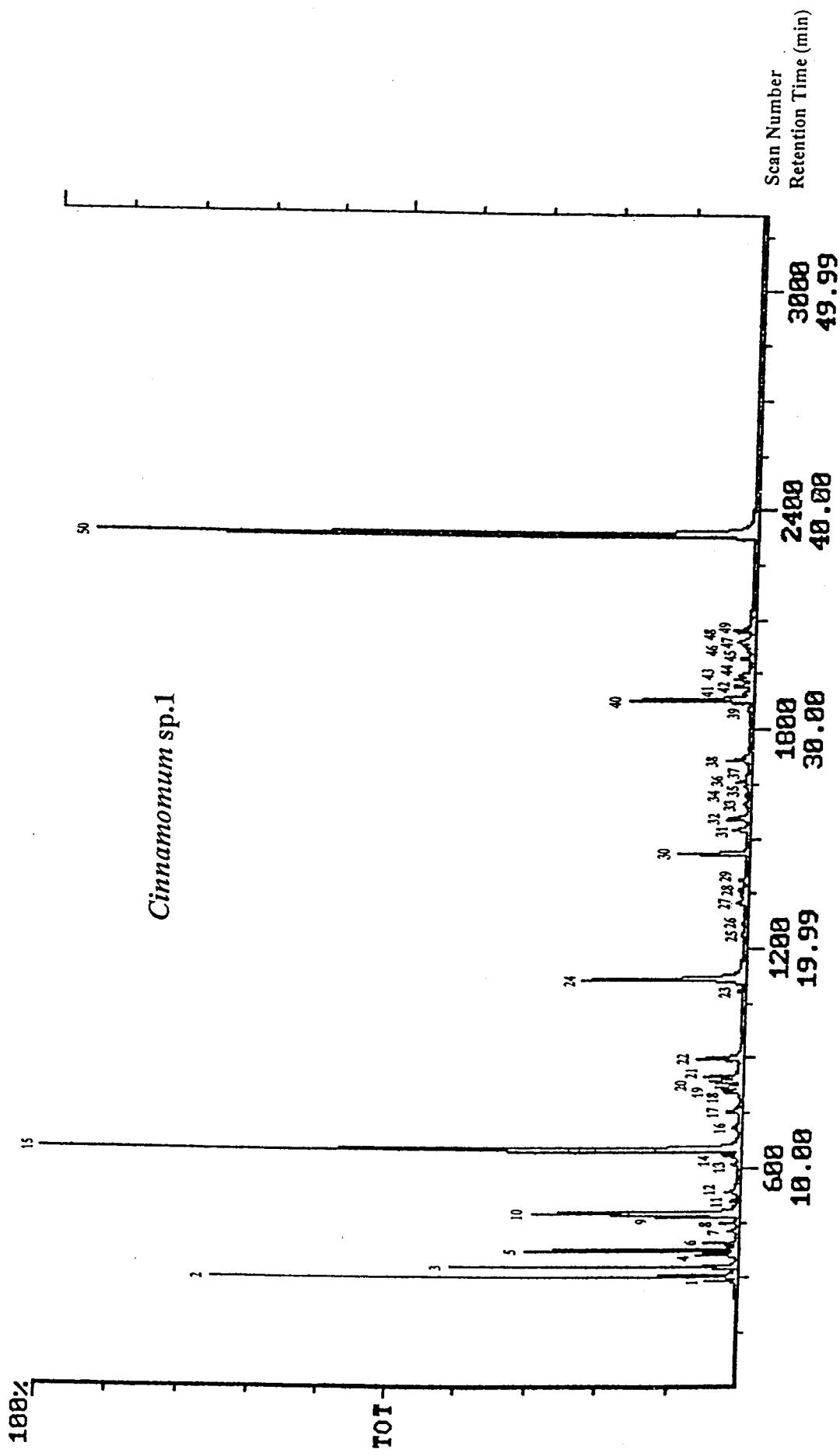


Figure 20 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum sp.1* leaves

Table 12 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum* sp.1 leaves

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -thujene	4.83	0.47
2	α -pinene	5.03	7.95
3	camphene	5.48	4.59
5	β -phellandrene	6.23	3.54
6	β -pinene	6.54	0.55
7	α -phellandrene	7.11	0.21
8	δ -2-carene	7.44	0.26
9	verbenene	7.78	1.45
11	(E)- β -ocimene	8.48	0.13
12	γ -terpinene	8.91	0.44
13	terpinolene	9.93	0.07
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
10	<i>trans</i> -sabinene hydrate acetate	7.94	4.83
14	<i>trans</i> -linalool oxide	10.13	0.15
15	linalool	10.81	19.63
16	<i>trans</i> -para-menth-2-en-1-ol	11.81	0.18
17	camphor	12.54	0.44
20	isoborneol	13.93	1.17
21	terpin-4-ol	14.16	1.21
22	α -terpineol	14.98	1.61
	Sesquiterpene		
26	β -cubebene	21.13	0.03
28	α -copaene	22.38	0.24
30	(E)-caryophyllene	24.33	1.87
32	α -humulene	25.89	0.79
33	δ -cadinene	26.58	0.09
34	γ -muurolene	26.99	0.04
36	bicyclogermacrene	27.59	0.38
38	<i>trans</i> - β -guaiene	28.59	0.59
	Oxygenated sesquiterpene		
37	<i>epi</i> -cubebol	27.84	0.10
40	spathulenol	31.29	4.29
41	α -eudesmol acetate	31.59	0.39
42	hinesol acetate	31.96	0.55
43	longiborneol acetate	32.26	0.46
44	humulene epoxide II	32.44	0.35
45	<i>l</i> - <i>epi</i> -cubebol	33.19	0.33
48	<i>epi</i> - α -muurolol	33.96	0.85

Table 12 (continued)

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
49	α -cadinol	34.49	0.68
	Phenylpropanoid		
18	(Z)-cinnamyl alcohol	13.46	0.51
24	(E)-cinnamaldehyde	18.61	7.16
27	(Z)-isoeugenol	22.10	0.41
	Benzoid		
4	bebzaldehyde	6.01	1.28
19	ethyl benzoate	13.66	0.75
23	<i>n</i> -pentyl benzoate	18.04	0.11
29	<i>n</i> -hexyl benzoate	22.66	0.27
31	(Z)-methyl butyl benzoate	25.41	0.40
50	benzyl benzoate	38.86	27.38
	Miscellaneous		
25	unknown	20.63	0.07
35	unknown	27.41	0.08
39	unknown	30.88	0.11
46	unknown	33.59	0.17
47	unknown	33.78	0.26

2.3.1.1 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum* sp.1

The essential oil obtained from *Cinnamomum* sp.1 leaves contained 23 different terpenoid compounds. The total oil content was 0.69% of the dried leaves. The major components of the oil were monoterpenes (29.22%), oxygenated monoterpenes (30.19%) and sesquiterpenes (19.66%). Oxygenated sesquiterpenes, phenylpropanoid, benzenoid and unknown compounds were also present in the oil. Among these, 29 compounds (95.39%) have been identified.

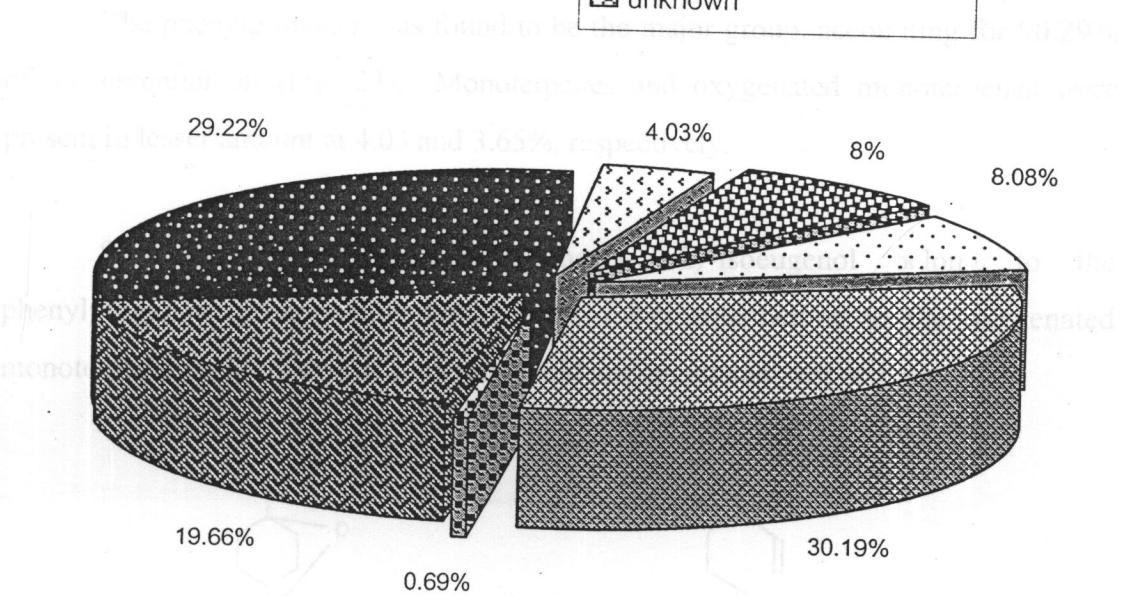


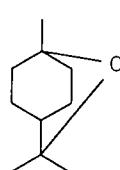
Figure 21 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum* sp.1 leaves

4.1.11. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum* sp. 2

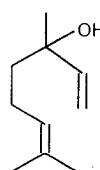
The yield of essential oil from *Cinnamomum* sp. 2 leaves was found to be 0.32% (v/w) of the fresh weight. Analysis of the essential oil by GC/MS showed that there were at least 28 components (Fig. 22). These components were identified as 11 monoterpenes, 5 oxygenated monoterpenes, 3 sesquiterpenes, 1 oxygenated sesquiterpene, 3 phenylpropanes and 2 non-terpenoid components. (Table 13). Among these (*Z*)-isoeugenol (89.59%) appeared to be the major component.

The phenylpropanes was found to be the major group, accounting for 90.29% of the essential oil (Fig. 23). Monoterpens and oxygenated monoterpens were present in lesser amount at 4.03 and 3.65%, respectively.

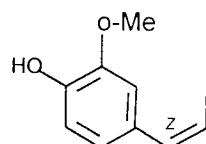
Structurally, the major components, (*Z*)-isoeugenol belong to the phenylpropanoid group, while linalool and *l*,*l*-cineole belong to the oxygenated monoterpene group of acyclic monoterpenoid and menthane, respectively.



l,*l*-cineole
(menthane)



linalool
(acyclic monoterpenoid)



(*Z*)-isoeugenol
(phenylpropanoid)

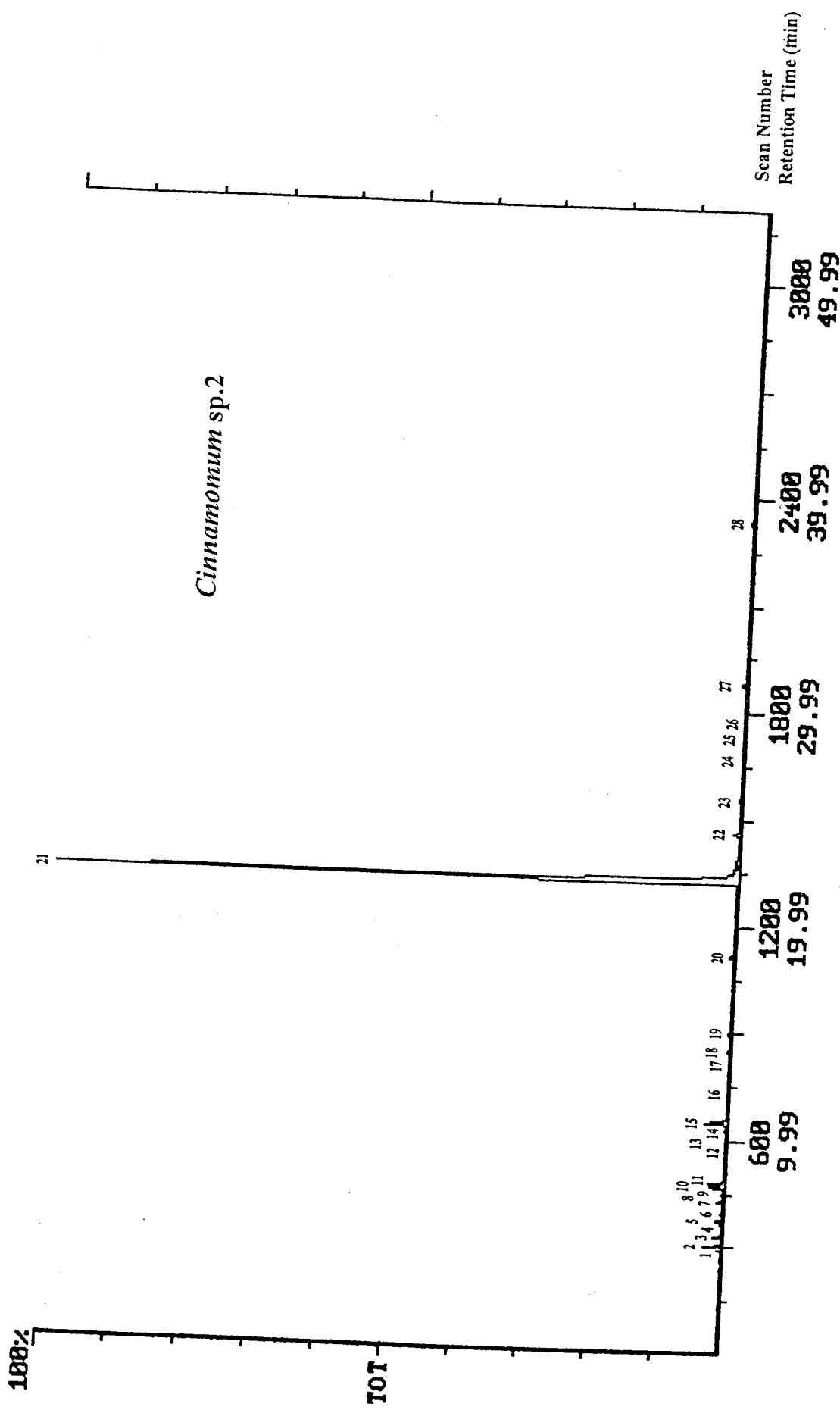


Figure 22 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum* sp.2 leaves

Table 13 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum* sp.2 leaves

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -thujene	4.83	0.15
2	α -pinene	5.03	0.94
3	camphene	5.48	0.44
5	β -phellandrene	6.23	0.39
6	β -pinene	6.54	0.07
7	α -phellandrene	7.11	0.33
8	2- δ -carene	7.44	0.14
9	verbenene	7.78	0.85
10	limonene	7.88	0.44
12	γ -terpinene	8.91	0.15
13	terpinolene	9.93	0.13
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
11	1,8-cineole	7.98	1.16
15	linalool	10.81	2.06
17	isoborneol	13.93	0.05
18	terpin-4-ol	14.16	0.18
19	α -terpineol	14.98	0.20
	Sesquiterpene		
22	(E)-caryophyllene	24.33	0.50
24	bicyclogermacrene	27.59	0.05
25	trans- β -guaiene	28.59	0.03
	Oxygenated sesquiterpene		
27	spathulenol	31.29	0.50
	Phenylpropanoid		
20	(E)-cinnamaldehyde	18.61	0.61
21	(Z)-isoeugenol	22.10	89.59
26	eugenyl acetate	28.84	0.09
	Benzoid		
28	benzyl benzoate	38.86	0.27
	Long chain hydrocarbon		
14	n-heneicocane	10.44	0.15
	Miscellaneous		
4	unknown	6.04	0.12
16	unknown	11.83	0.08
23	unknown	25.91	0.28

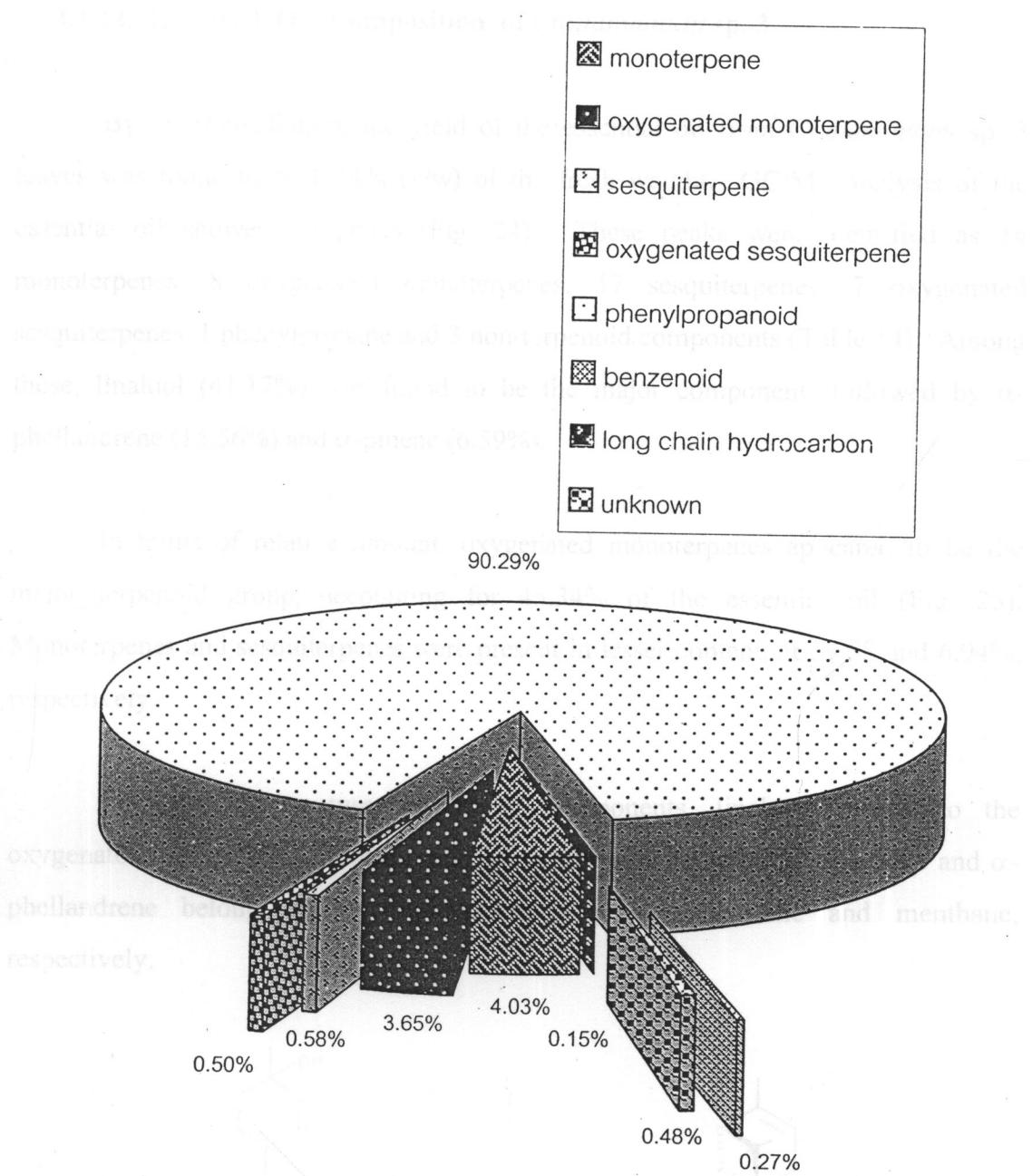


Figure 23 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum* sp.2 leaves

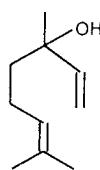


4.1.12. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum* sp. 3

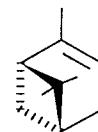
By hydrodistillation, the yield of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum* sp. 3 leaves was found to be 0.14% (v/w) of the fresh weight. GC/MS analysis of the essential oil showed 56 peaks (Fig. 24). These peaks were identified as 14 monoterpenes, 8 oxygenated monoterpenes, 17 sesquiterpenes, 7 oxygenated sesquiterpenes, 1 phenylpropane and 3 non-terpenoid components (Table 14). Among these, linalool (41.17%) was found to be the major component, followed by α -phellandrene (15.56%) and α -pinene (6.59%).

In terms of relative amount, oxygenated monoterpenes appeared to be the major terpenoid group, accounting for 45.34% of the essential oil (Fig. 25). Monoterpenes and sesquiterpenes were present in lesser content, at 39.58 and 6.94%, respectively.

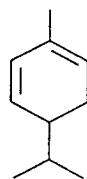
In terms of structure, the major components, linalool, belong to the oxygenated monoterpene group of acyclic monoterprenoids whereas α -pinene and α -phellandrene belong to the monoterpene group of pinane and menthane, respectively.



linalool
(acyclic monoterprenoid)



α -pinene
(pinane)



α -phellandrene
(menthane)

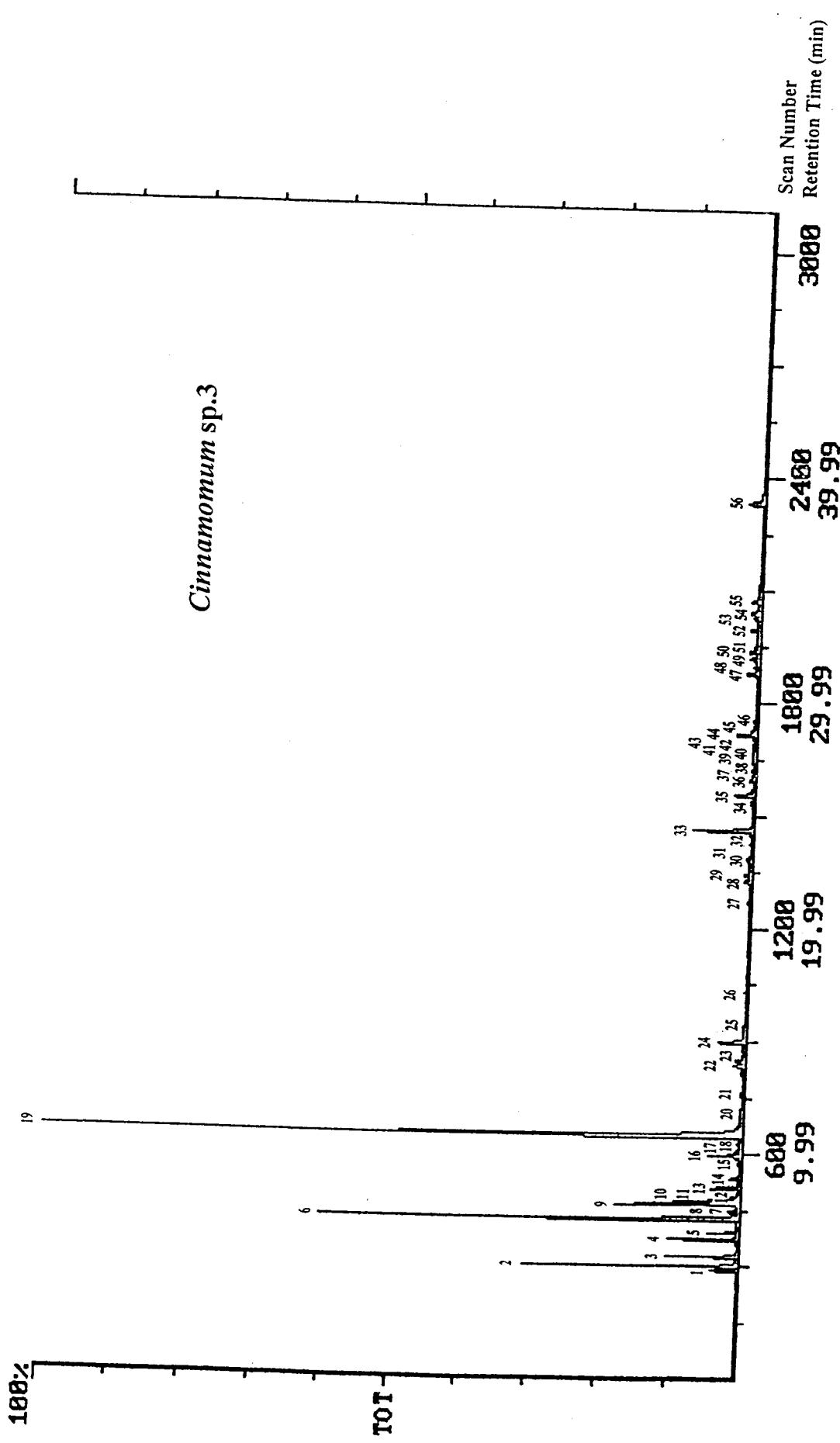


Figure 24 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum* sp.3 leaves

Table 14 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum* sp.3 leaves

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -thujene	4.83	0.08
2	α -pinene	5.03	6.59
3	camphene	5.48	2.55
4	β -phellandrene	6.23	2.32
5	β -pinene	6.54	1.02
6	α -phellandrene	7.11	15.56
7	δ -2-carene	7.44	0.31
8	<i>o</i> -cymene	7.59	0.12
9	verbenene	7.78	4.73
10	limonene	7.88	2.78
13	(<i>E</i>)- β -ocimene	8.48	1.02
14	γ -terpinene	8.91	0.40
15	α -terpinene	9.76	0.09
16	terpinolene	9.93	1.29
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
12	terpin-4-ol acetate	8.09	0.26
17	<i>trans</i> -linalool oxide	10.13	0.26
19	linalool	10.81	41.17
20	<i>trans</i> - <i>para</i> -menth-2-en-1-ol	11.81	0.09
22	borneol	13.93	0.70
23	terpin-4-ol	14.16	0.55
24	α -terpineol	14.98	1.90
26	bornyl acetate	18.44	0.41
	Sesquiterpene		
27	β -cubebene	21.13	0.06
29	α -copaene	22.38	0.29
30	germacrene D	22.93	0.07
31	β -elemene	23.09	0.16
33	(<i>E</i>)-caryophyllene	24.33	3.20
34	<i>trans</i> -calamenene	25.58	0.07
35	α -humulene	25.89	1.00
36	δ -cadinene	26.58	0.18
37	γ -cadinene	26.75	0.05
38	γ -muurolene	26.99	0.11
39	isoledene	27.43	0.17
40	bicyclogermacrene	27.59	0.14
42	germacrene A	28.11	0.17
43	<i>cis</i> -muurola-4(14),5-diene	28.39	0.04
44	<i>trans</i> - β -guaiene	28.59	1.04

Table 14 (continued)

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
45	α -cadinene	28.76	0.22
46	cadina-1,4-diene	29.19	0.07
Oxygenated sesquiterpene			
41	<i>epi</i> -cubebol	27.84	0.12
47	spathulenol	31.29	0.61
48	α -eudesmol acetate	31.63	0.19
49	hinesol acetate	31.96	0.56
52	<i>l-epi</i> -cubenol	33.19	0.44
54	<i>epi</i> - α -muurolol	33.98	0.86
55	α -cadinol	34.49	0.56
Phenylpropanoid			
28	(Z)-isoeugenol	22.10	0.48
Benzoid			
56	benzyl benzoate	38.86	1.33
Aliphatic alcohol			
32	tetradecanal	24.16	0.09
Long chain hydrocarbon			
18	<i>n</i> -heneicosane	10.44	0.12
Miscellaneous			
11	unknown	7.96	1.47
21	unknown	12.61	0.10
25	unknown	15.36	0.09
50	unknown	32.28	0.55
51	unknown	32.44	0.14
52	unknown	33.79	0.26

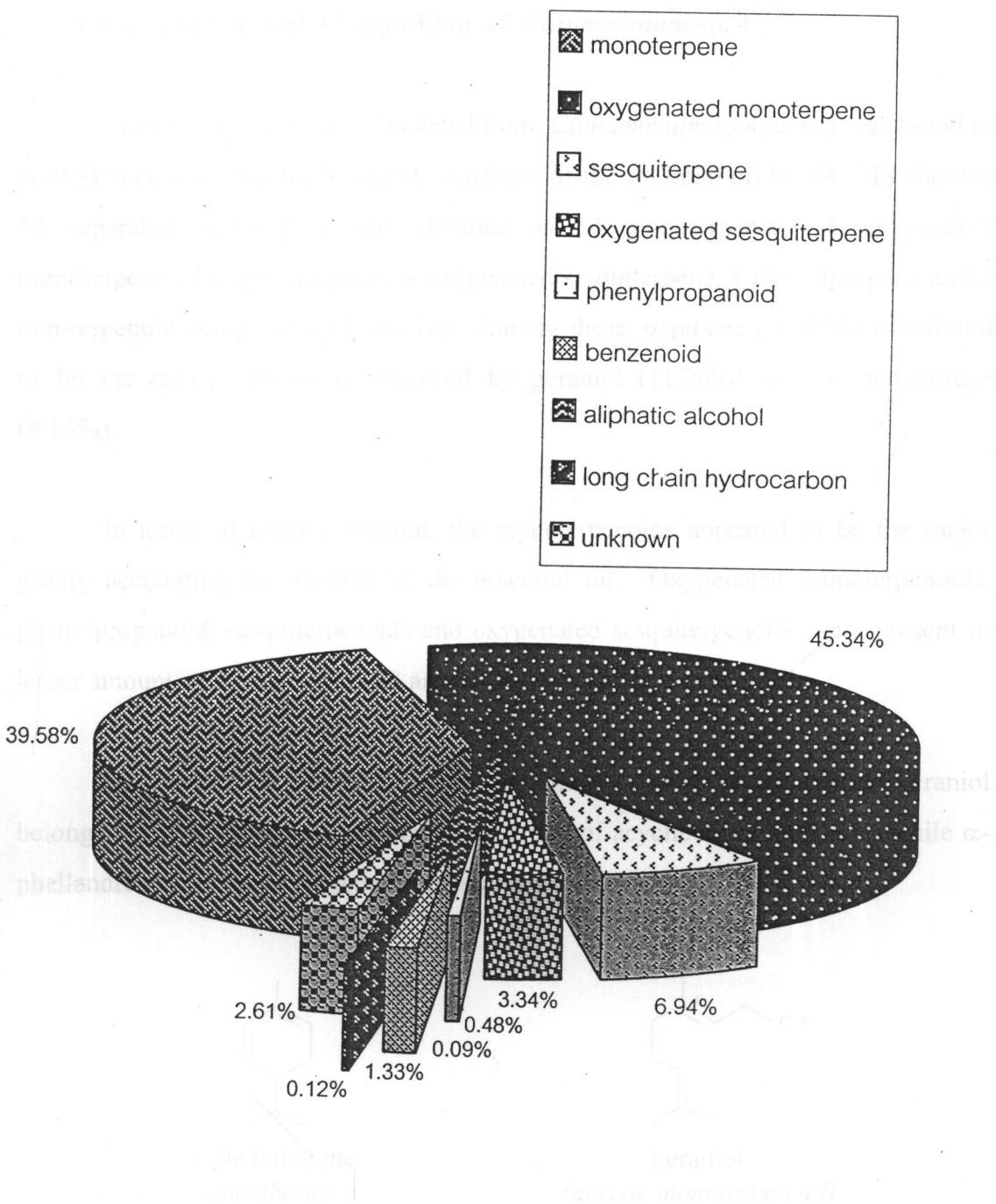


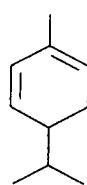
Figure 25 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum* sp.3 leaves

4.1.13. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum* sp. 4

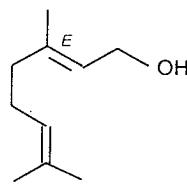
The yield of essential oil isolated from *Cinnamomum* sp.4 leaves was found to be 0.31% (v/w) of the fresh weight. Analysis of the essential oil by GC/MS showed 52 separated peaks (Fig. 26) identiied as 14 monoterpenes, 12 oxygenated monoterpenes, 15 sesquiterpenes, 4 oxygenated sesquiterpene, 1 phenylpropane and 2 non-terpenoid components (Table 15). Among these, α -pinene (15.07%) was found to be the major component followed by geraniol (11.28%) and α -phellandrene (9.15%).

In terms of relative amount, the monoterpenoids appeared to be the major group, accounting for 38.08% of the essential oil. Oxygenated monoterpenoids, phenylpropanoid, sesquiterpenoids and oxygenated sesquiterpenoids were present in lesser amount, at 33.95, 8.75, 8.33 and 3.88%, respectively (Fig. 27).

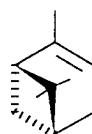
Structurally, α -pinene is a monoterpenoid of the pinane group, geraniol belongs to the oxygenated monoterpenoid group of acyclic monoterpenoid, while α -phellandrene belongs to the monoterpenoid group of menthane.



α -phellandrene
(menthane)



geraniol
(acyclic monoterpeneid)



α -pinene
(pinane)

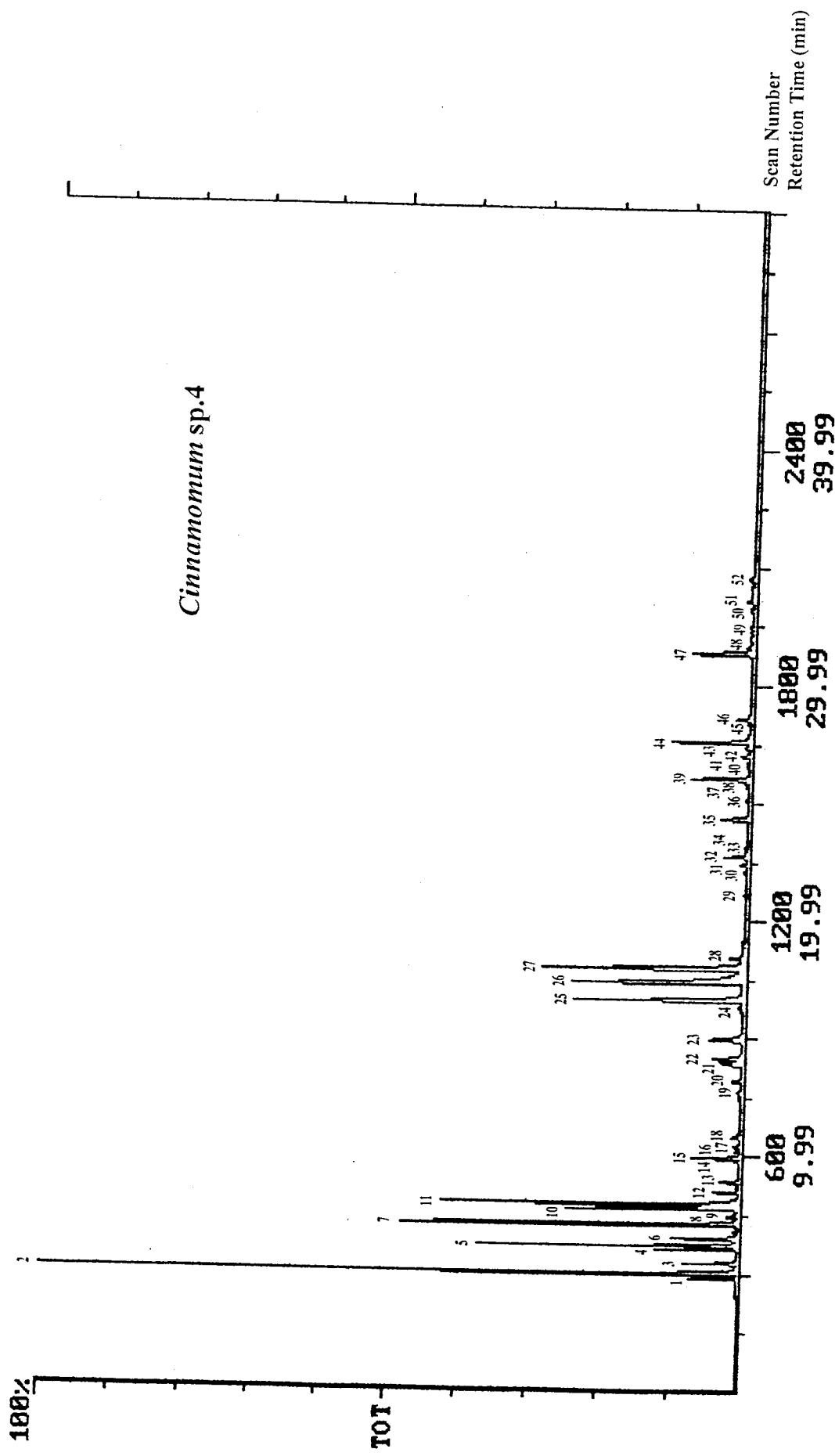


Figure 26 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum* sp.4 leaves

Table 15 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum* sp.4 leaves

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -thujene	4.83	1.03
2	α -pinene	5.03	15.07
3	camphene	5.48	1.38
4	sabinene	6.08	1.91
5	β -phellandrene	6.23	6.28
6	β -pinene	6.54	1.88
7	α -phellandrene	7.11	9.15
8	δ -2-carene	7.44	0.24
9	<i>o</i> -cymene	7.59	0.11
10	verbenene	7.78	4.36
12	(<i>E</i>)- β -ocimene	8.48	0.62
13	γ -terpinene	8.91	0.51
14	α -terpinene	9.76	0.13
15	terpinolene	9.93	1.41
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
11	1,8-cineol	7.98	8.84
18	linalool	10.81	0.40
19	citronellal	12.76	0.15
20	<i>cis</i> -limonene oxide	13.19	0.33
21	borneol	13.99	1.19
22	terpin-4-ol	14.16	1.40
23	α -terpineol	14.98	1.79
24	citronellol	16.34	0.42
25	neral	16.63	6.84
26	geraniol	17.38	11.28
28	isobornyl acetate	18.46	0.37
32	geranyl acetate	22.73	0.88
	Sesquiterpene		
29	β -cubebene	21.13	0.04
31	α -copaene	22.38	0.21
33	germacrene D	22.93	0.06
34	β -elemene	23.09	0.07
35	<i>E</i> -caryophyllene	24.33	1.06
36	longifolene	25.11	0.06
37	<i>cis</i> - β -guaiene	25.73	0.02
38	α -humulene	25.89	0.17
39	valencene	26.03	2.15
41	γ -cadinene	26.75	0.21
42	γ -muurolene	26.99	0.34

Table 15 (continued)

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
43	viridiflorene	27.38	0.22
44	bicyclogermacrene	27.59	3.09
45	<i>cis</i> -muurola-4(14),5-diene	28.39	0.06
46	trans- β -guaiene	28.59	0.57
	Oxygenated sesquiterpene		
47	spathulenol	31.29	3.09
48	α -eudesmol acetate	31.59	0.35
49	hinesol acetate	31.96	0.12
52	α -cadinol	34.49	0.32
	Phenylpropane		
27	(Z)-methyl cinnamate	17.94	8.75
	Long chain hydrocarbon		
16	2-nonenone	10.23	0.16
17	<i>n</i> -heneicosane	10.44	0.17
	Miscellaneous		
30	unknown	22.09	0.09
40	unknown	26.56	0.16
50	unknown	33.21	0.10
51	unknown	33.59	0.36

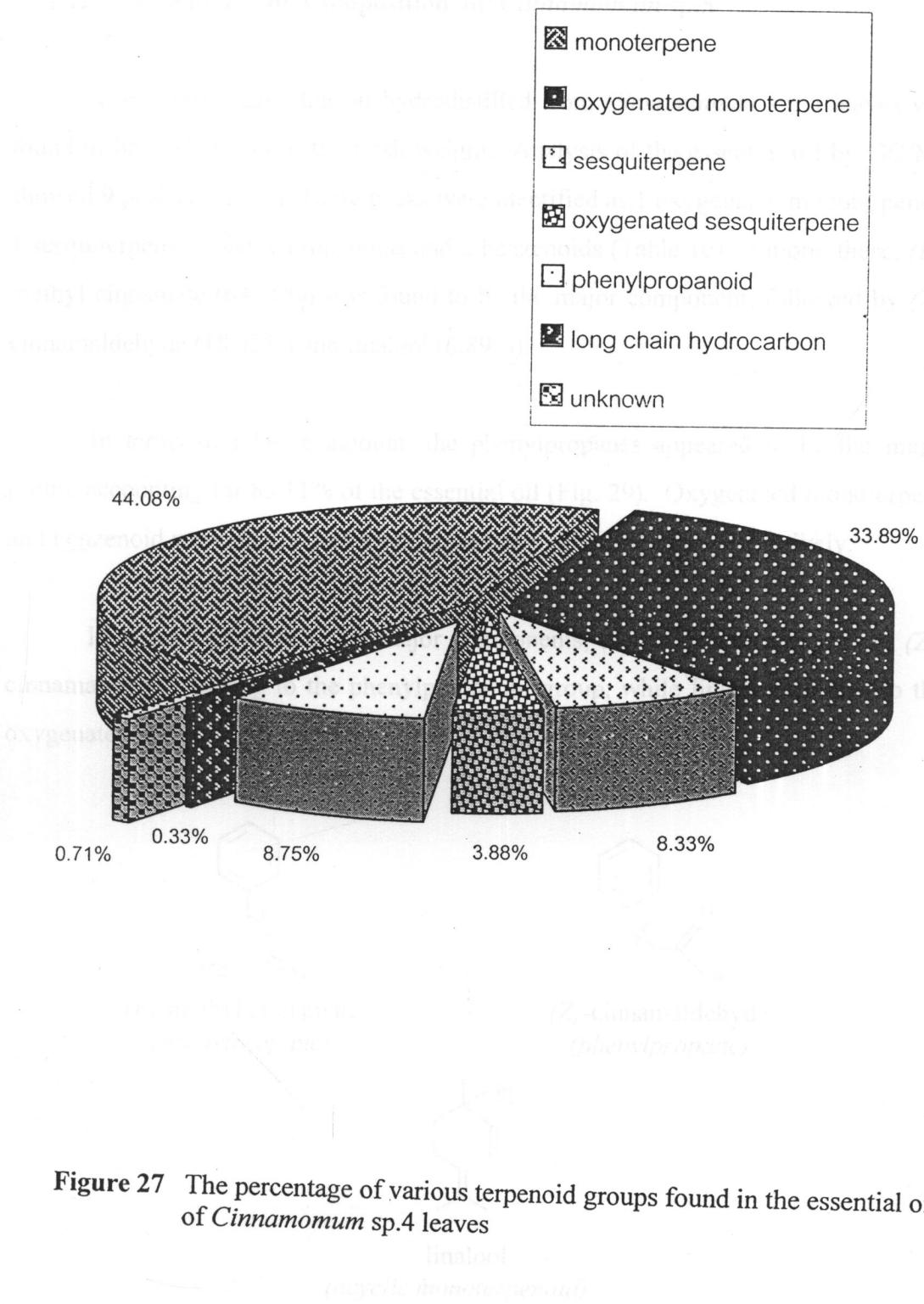


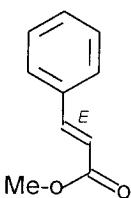
Figure 27 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum* sp.4 leaves

4.1.14. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum* sp.5

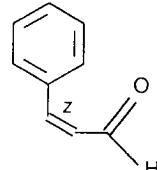
The yield of essential oil hydrodistilled from *Cinnamomum* sp. 5 leaves was found to be 0.6% (v/w) of the fresh weight. Analysis of the essential oil by GC/MS showed 9 peaks (Fig. 28). These peaks were identified as 1 oxygenated monoterpene, 1 sesquiterpene, 4 phenylpropanoids and 2 benzenoids (Table 16). Among these, (*E*)-methyl cinnamate (64.66%) was found to be the major component, followed by (*Z*)-cinnamaldehyde (18.42%) and linalool (6.89%).

In terms of relative amount, the phenylpropanes appeared to be the major group, accounting for 85.11% of the essential oil (Fig. 29). Oxygenated monoterpene and benzenoid were present in lesser amount, at 6.89 and 0.84%, respectively.

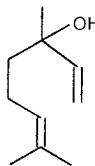
In terms of structure, the major components, (*E*)-methyl cinnamate and (*Z*)-cinnamaldehyde belong to the phenylpropanoid group, while linalool belongs to the oxygenated acyclic monoterpeneoid group.



(*E*)-methyl cinnamate
(phenylpropane)



(*Z*)-cinnamaldehyde
(phenylpropane)



linalool
(acyclic monoterpeneoid)

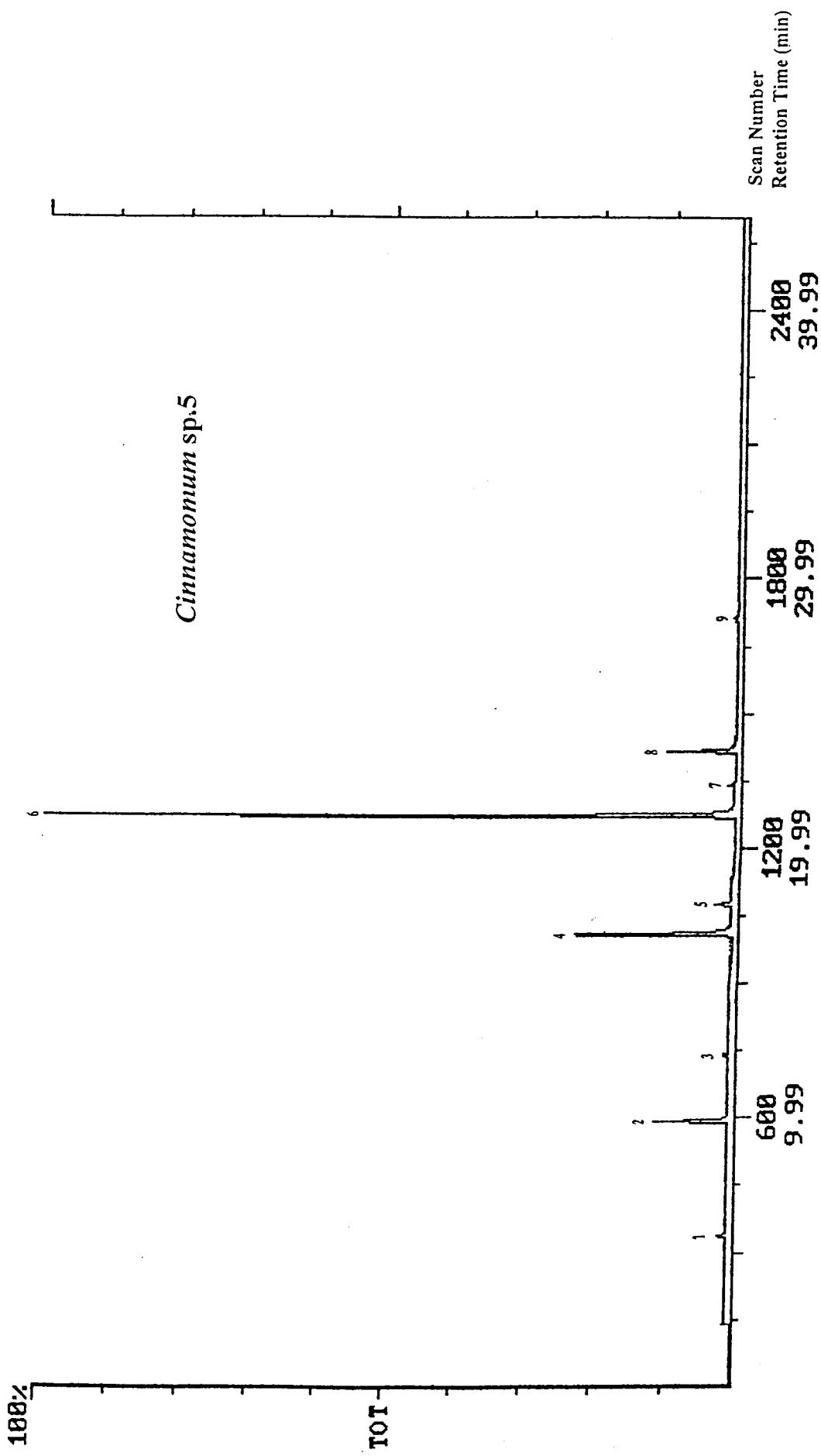


Figure 28 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum sp.5* leaves

Table 16 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum* sp.5 leaves

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
2	Oxygenated monoterpene linalool	10.81	6.89
7	Sesquiterpene (E)-caryophyllene	24.33	0.58
	Phenylpropanoid		
3	(Z)-cinnamyl alcohol	13.46	0.47
4	(Z)-cinnamaldehyde	16.81	18.42
5	(Z)-methyl cinnamate	17.94	1.56
6	(E)-methyl cinnamate	21.21	64.66
8	(Z)-cinnamyl acetate	24.89	6.42
	Benzoid		
1	benzaldehyde	6.01	0.84
	Miscellaneous		
9	unknown	28.54	0.14

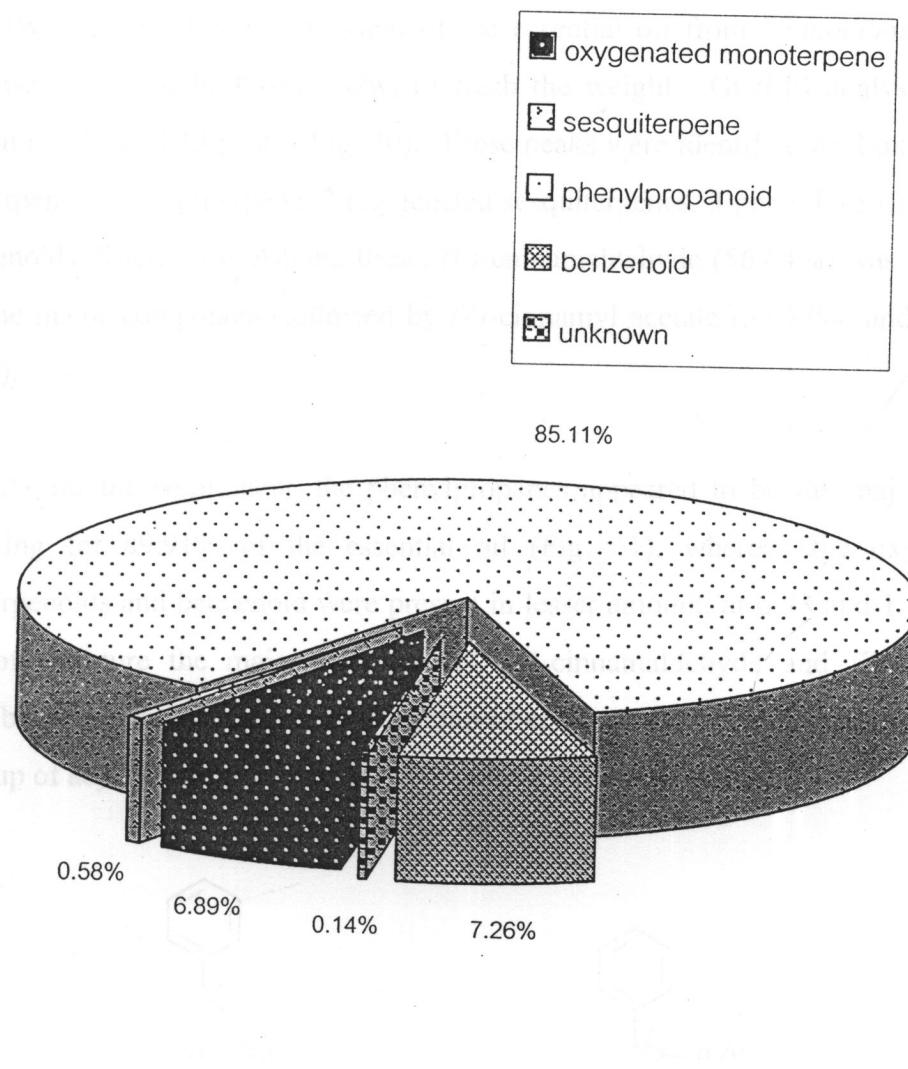
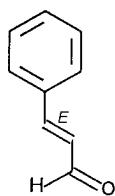


Figure 29 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum* sp.5 leaves

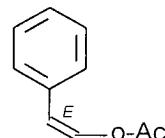
4.1.15. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum* sp. 6

By hydrodistillation, the yield of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum* sp. 6 leaves was found to be 0.66% (v/w) of fresh the weight. GC/MS analysis of the essential oil showed 13 peaks (Fig. 30). These peaks were identified as 2 oxygenated monoterpenes, 1 sesquiterpene, 2 oxygenated sesquiterpenes, 3 phenylpropanoids and 3 benzenoids (Table 17). Among these, (*E*)-cinnamaldehyde (56.64%) was appeared to be the major component, followed by (*Z*)-cinnamyl acetate (32.72%) and linalool (6.73%).

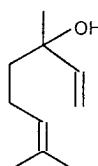
As for the component, the phenylpropanes appeared to be the major group, accounting for 89.91% of the essential oil (Fig. 31), whereas the oxygenated monoterpenoids and benzenoid were present in lesser amount, at 6.98 and 1.55%. In terms of structure the major components, (*E*)-cinnamaldehyde and (*Z*)-cinnamyl acetate belong to the phenylpropanoid group of compounds, while linalool belongs to the group of acyclic monoterpenoids.



(*E*)-cinnamaldehyde
(phenylpropane)



(*Z*)-cinnamyl acetate
(phenylpropane)

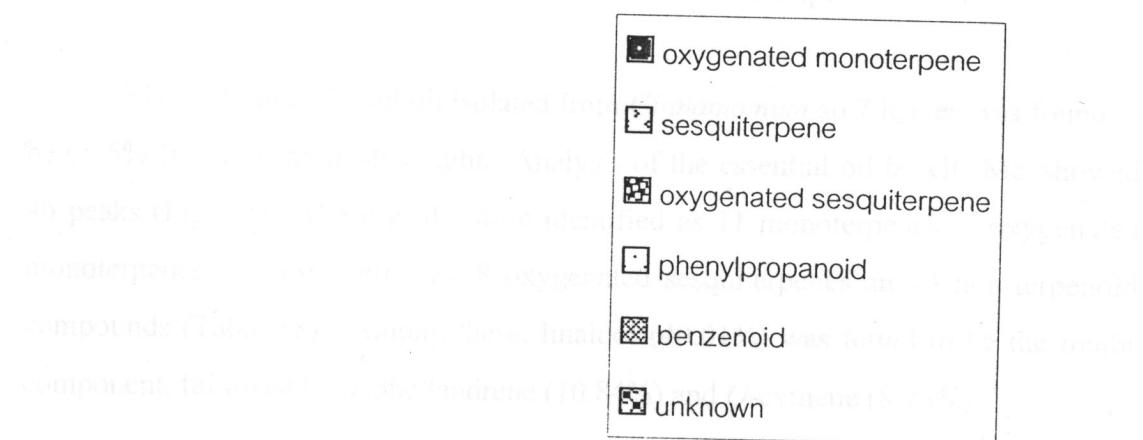


linalool
(acyclic monoterpenoid)

Table 17 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum* sp.6 leaves

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
2	1,8-cineole	7.98	0.25
3	linalool	10.81	6.73
	Sesquiterpene		
9	α -cubebene	20.17	0.07
	Oxygenated sesquiterpene		
12	(E)-nerolidol	30.66	0.33
13	caryophyllene oxide	31.32	0.67
	Phenylpropanoid		
6	(Z)-cinnamaldehyde	16.81	0.45
8	(E)-cinnamaldehyde	18.61	56.64
10	(E)-methyl cinnamate	21.21	0.10
11	(Z)-cinnamyl acetate	24.89	32.72
	Benzenoid		
1	benzaldehyde	6.01	1.39
5	acetophenone	13.25	0.16
	Miscellaneous		
4	unknown	12.31	0.21
7	unknown	15.89	0.25

Table 16. Total (%) Content of various terpenoid groups in essential oil of *Cinnamomum sp.6* leaves



In the present work, the oxygenated monoterpenes appeared to be the major group, totaling for 89.30% of the essential oil (Table 20). Monoterpene hydrocarbons were the second most abundant group, present in

lesser amounts, totaling for 6.98% of the essential oil. The phenylpropanoids were present in

trace amounts, totaling for 0.46% of the essential oil. The benzenoids were also present in

trace amounts, totaling for 0.07% of the essential oil. The unknowns were present in

trace amounts, totaling for 1.55% of the essential oil. The chemical structures of the major components of the essential oil are shown in Figure 31.

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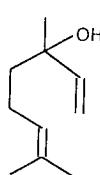
Figure 31 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum* sp.6 leaves

4.1.16. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum* sp.7

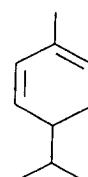
The yield of essential oil isolated from *Cinnamomum* sp.7 leaves was found to be 0.15% (v/w) of the fresh weight. Analysis of the essential oil by GC/MS showed 46 peaks (Fig. 32). These peaks were identified as 11 monoterpenes, 5 oxygenated monoterpenes, 13 sesquiterpenes, 8 oxygenated sesquiterpenes and 3 non-terpenoid compounds (Table 18). Among these, linalool (40.01%) was found to be the major component, followed by α -phellandrene (10.84%) and *O*-cymene (8.78%).

In terms of relative amount, the oxygenated monoterpenoids appeared to be the major group, accounting for 44.36% of the essential oil (Fig. 33). Monoterpenoids, sesquiterpenoids and oxygenated sesquiterpenoids were present in lesser amount, at 31.86, 8.61 and 7.81%, respectively.

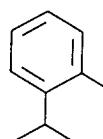
Structurally, linalool is an acyclic oxygenated monoterpenoid, whereas α -phellandrene and *o*-cymene both belongs to the monoterpenoid group of menthane.



linalool
(acyclic monoterpenoid)



α -phellandrene
(menthane)



o-cymene
(menthane)

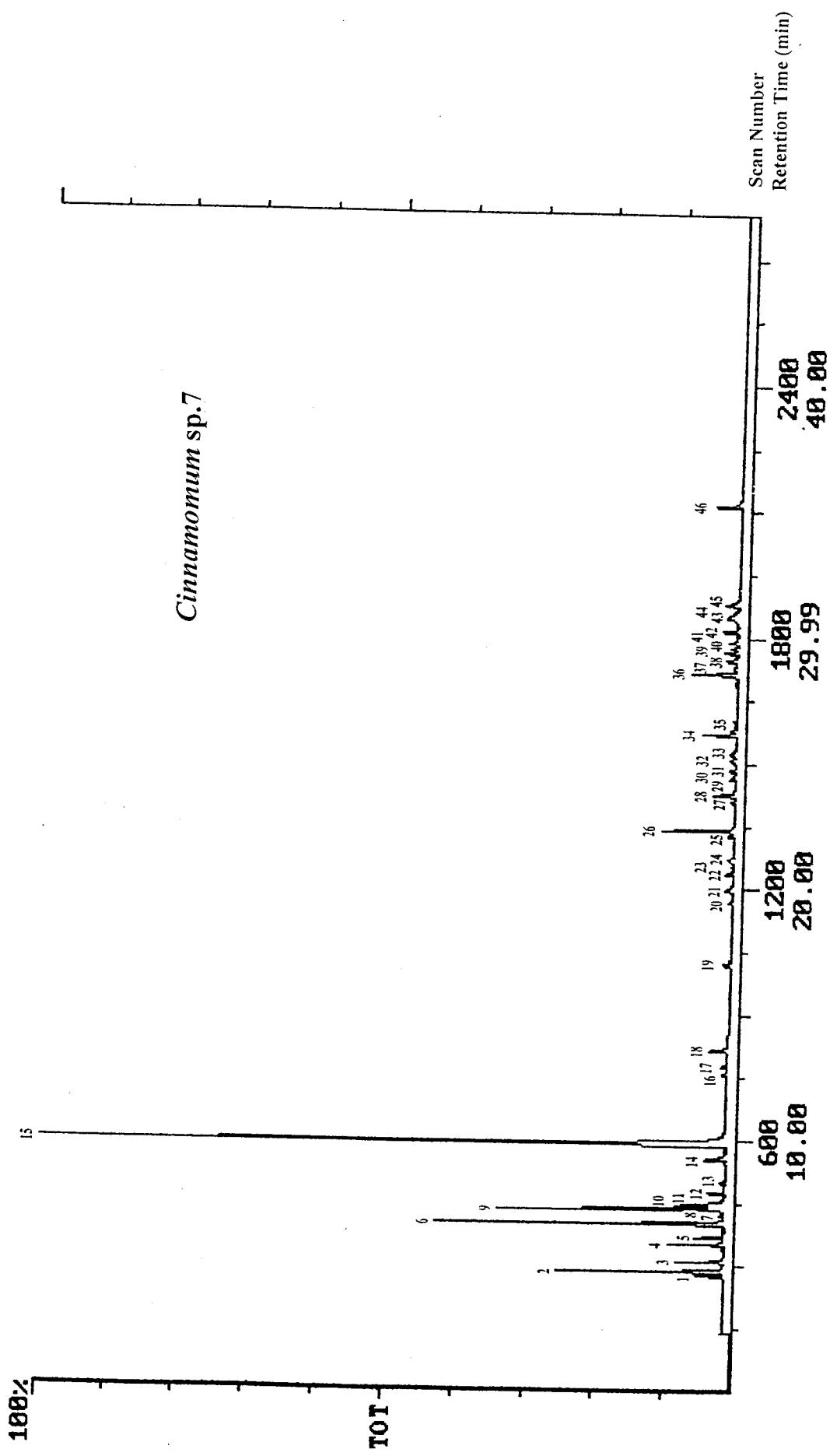


Figure 32 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum sp.7* leaves

Table 18 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum* sp.7 leaves

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -thujene	4.83	0.08
2	tricyclene	4.98	5.27
3	sylvestrene	5.98	1.61
4	sabinene	6.08	1.94
5	myrcene	6.11	1.08
6	α -phellandrene	7.11	10.84
7	δ -2-carene	7.44	0.13
9	<i>o</i> -cymene	7.59	8.78
12	(<i>E</i>)- β -ocimene	8.48	0.61
13	γ -terpinene	8.91	0.22
14	terpinolene	9.93	0.58
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
11	<i>l</i> , <i>l</i> -cineole	7.98	1.99
15	linalool	10.81	40.01
16	borneol	13.99	0.47
18	α -terpineol	14.98	1.45
19	bornyl acetate	18.44	0.44
	Sesquiterpene		
20	α -cubebene	20.17	0.14
22	α -copaene	22.38	0.37
23	germacrene D	22.93	0.16
24	α -bulnesene	24.10	0.30
26	9- <i>epi</i> -(<i>E</i>)-caryophyllene	25.07	3.63
27	seychellene	25.37	0.14
28	(<i>Z</i>)- α -bisabolene	25.44	1.13
29	<i>allo</i> -aromadendrene	25.56	0.13
30	<i>trans</i> -calamenene	25.58	0.26
31	γ -cardinene	26.75	0.28
32	γ -muurolene	26.99	0.28
34	<i>trans</i> - β -guaiene	28.59	1.67
35	cadina-1,4-diene	29.19	0.12
	Oxygenated sesquiterpene		
33	<i>epi</i> -cubebol	27.84	0.51
36	caryophyllene oxide	31.32	2.62
38	globulol	31.47	0.74
40	humulene epoxide II	32.44	0.46
42	<i>l</i> - <i>epi</i> -cubenol	33.19	0.90
43	cubenol	33.68	0.84

Table 18 (continued)

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
44	<i>epi</i> - α -muurolol	33.98	0.71
45	α -cadinol	34.49	1.03
	Phenylpropanoid		
21	(E)-isoeugenol	21.02	0.61
	Benzoid		
46	benzyl benzoate	38.85	1.88
	Aliphatic alcohol		
25	tetradecanal	24.16	0.29
	Miscellaneous		
8	unknown	7.48	0.13
10	unknown	7.85	2.21
17	unknown	14.05	0.43
37	unknown	31.40	0.33
39	unknown	31.95	0.77
41	unknown	33.01	0.58

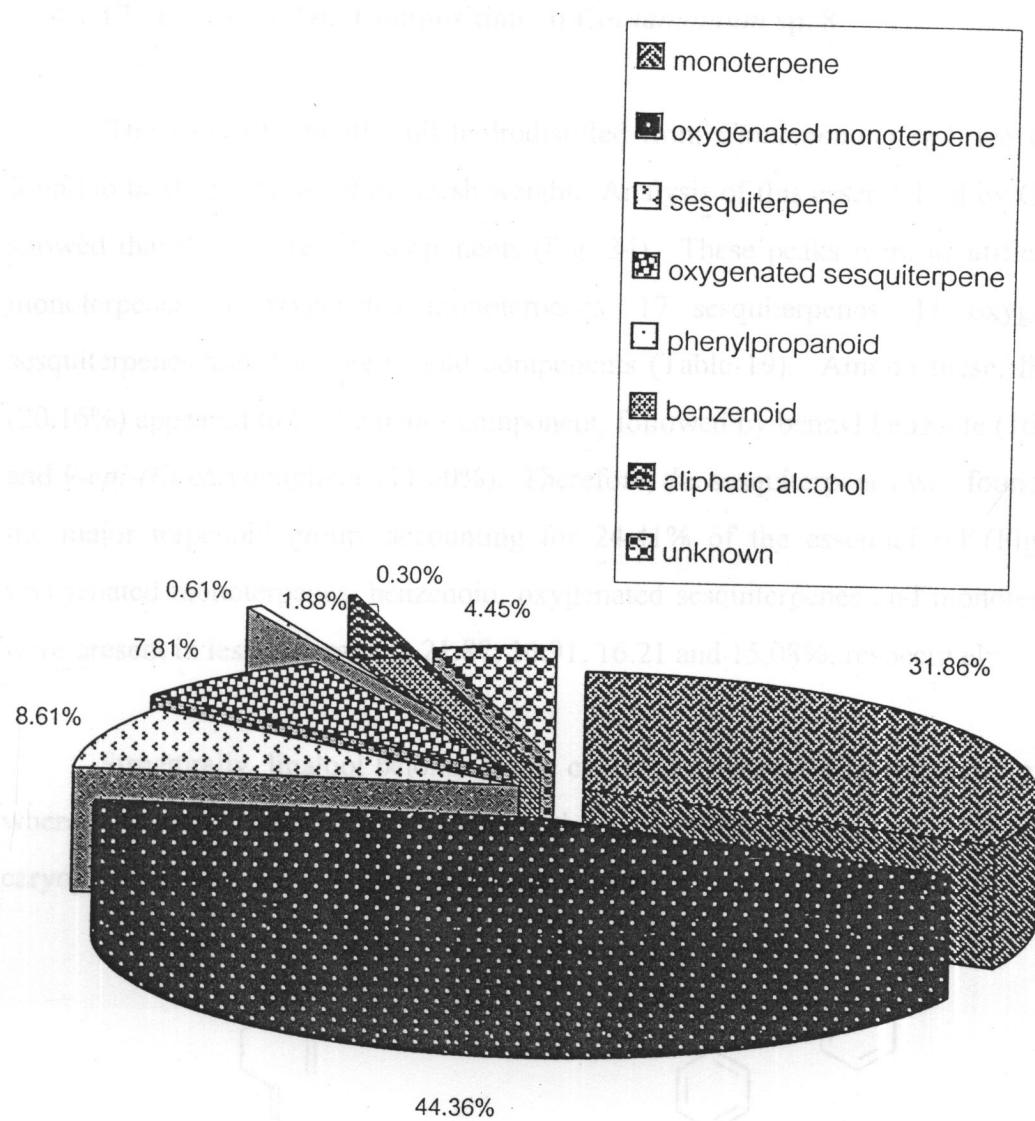
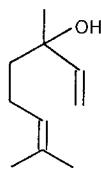


Figure 33 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum* sp. 7 leaves

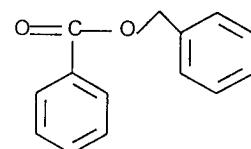
4.1.17. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum* sp. 8

The yield of essential oil hydrodistilled from *Cinnamomum* sp.8 leaves was found to be 0.08% (v/w) of the fresh weight. Analysis of this essential oil by GC/MS showed that there were 49 components (Fig. 34). These peaks were identified as 8 monoterpenes, 4 oxygenated monoterpenes, 17 sesquiterpenes, 11 oxygenated sesquiterpenes and 4 non-terpenoid components (Table 19). Among these, linalool (20.16%) appeared to be the major component, followed by benzyl benzoate (16.91%) and *9-epi-(E)*-caryophyllene (11.60%). Therefore, the sesquiterpenes was found to be the major terpenoid group, accounting for 24.41% of the essential oil (Fig. 35). Oxygenated monoterpenes, benzenoid, oxygenated sesquiterpenes and monoterpenes were present in lesser amount at 21.87, 16.91, 16.21 and 15.08%, respectively.

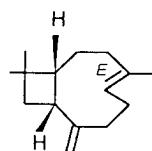
Structurally, linalool belongs to the cyclic oxygenated monoterpenoid group , whereas benzyl benzoate belongs to the benzenoid group, and *9-epi-(E)*-caryophyllene belongs to the sesquiterpenoid group of caryophyllane.



linalool
(acyclic monoterpene)



benzyl benzoate
(benzenoid)



9-epi-(E)-caryophyllene
(caryophyllane)

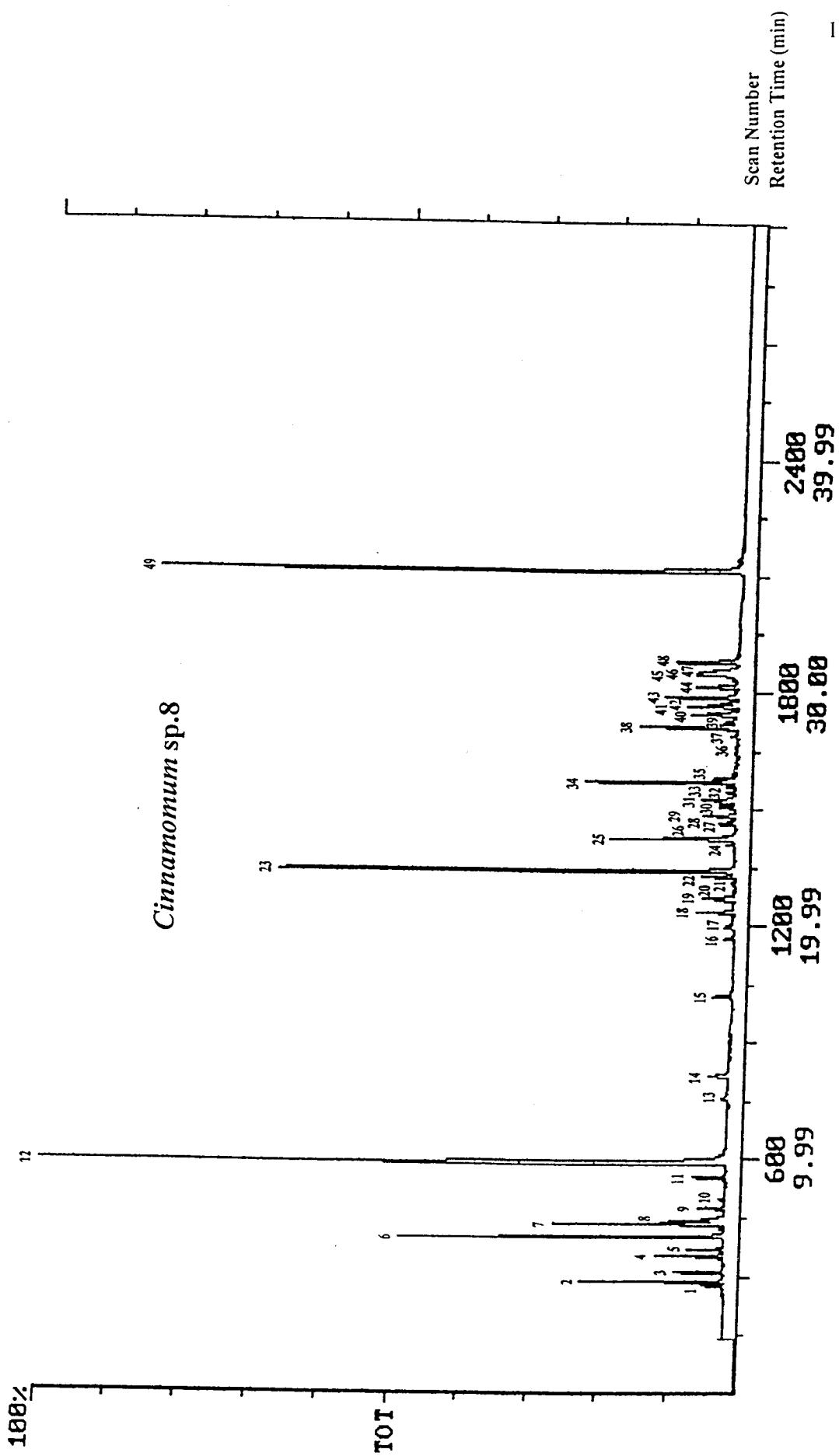


Figure 34 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum* sp.8 leaves

Table 19 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum* sp.8 leaves

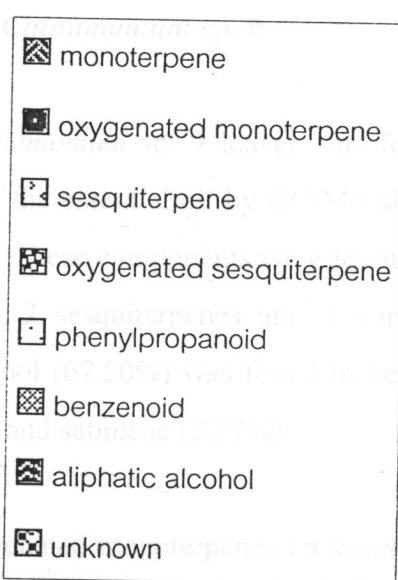
Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -thujene	4.83	0.27
2	tricyclene	4.98	1.97
3	camphene	5.48	0.79
4	sabinene	6.08	1.01
6	α -phellandrene	7.11	6.40
7	<i>o</i> -cymene	7.59	3.46
9	(<i>E</i>)- β -ocimene	8.48	0.51
11	terpinolene	9.93	0.67
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
12	linalool	10.81	20.16
13	borneol	13.99	0.43
14	α -terpineol	14.98	0.80
15	bornyl acetate	18.44	0.48
	Sesquiterpene		
16	α -cubebene	20.17	0.21
18	β -cubebene	21.13	0.95
19	α -copane	22.38	0.49
20	β -elemene	23.09	0.82
21	<i>cis</i> - β -guaiene	23.71	0.10
23	9- <i>epi</i> -(<i>E</i>)-caryophyllene	25.07	11.60
24	seychellene	25.37	0.15
25	(<i>Z</i>)- α -bisabolene	25.44	3.10
26	<i>allo</i> -aromadendrene	25.56	0.26
27	<i>trans</i> -calamenene	25.58	0.42
28	γ -cadinene	26.75	0.21
29	γ -muurolene	26.99	0.83
30	isoledene	27.43	0.54
32	germacrene A	28.11	0.32
33	<i>cis</i> -muurola-4(14),5-diene	28.39	0.27
34	α -cadinene	28.76	3.86
35	cadina-1,4-diene	29.19	0.28
	Oxygenated sesquiterpene		
31	<i>epi</i> -cubebol	27.84	1.53
38	caryophyllene oxide	31.32	3.16
39	globulol	31.47	0.69
40	β -eudesmol acetate	31.63	1.59
41	ledol	32.30	1.43
42	humulene epoxide II	32.44	0.54

Table 19 (continued)

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
45	cubenol	33.68	1.78
46	α -muurolol	33.93	1.12
47	<i>epi</i> - α -muurolol	33.98	0.90
48	α -cadinol	34.49	2.29
	Phenylpropanoid		
17	(<i>E</i>)-isoeugenol	21.02	0.42
	Benzenoid		
49	benzyl benzoate	38.86	16.91
	Aliphatic alcohol		
22	tetracecanal	24.16	0.76
43	decanal	32.64	1.80
	Miscellaneous		
5	unknown	6.14	0.61
8	unknown	8.20	1.35
10	unknown	9.11	0.14
36	unknown	29.65	0.08
37	unknown	30.13	0.20

3.1.18. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum* sp. 8

The essential oil from *Cinnamomum* sp. 8 leaves contained 1.0% of monoterpenes, 1.0% of oxygenated monoterpenes, 0.6% of sesquiterpenes, 0.6% of oxygenated sesquiterpenes, 0.6% of phenylpropanoid, 0.6% of benzenoid, and 0.4% of aliphatic alcohol. Analysis of the oil showed the presence of 10 different terpenoid groups (Fig. 35).



In terms of total amount, the oxygenated monoterpenes were found to be the major terpenoid, accounting for 21.87% of the essential oil, followed by sesquiterpenes and phenylpropanoids, accounting for 16.21% and 15.08%, respectively.

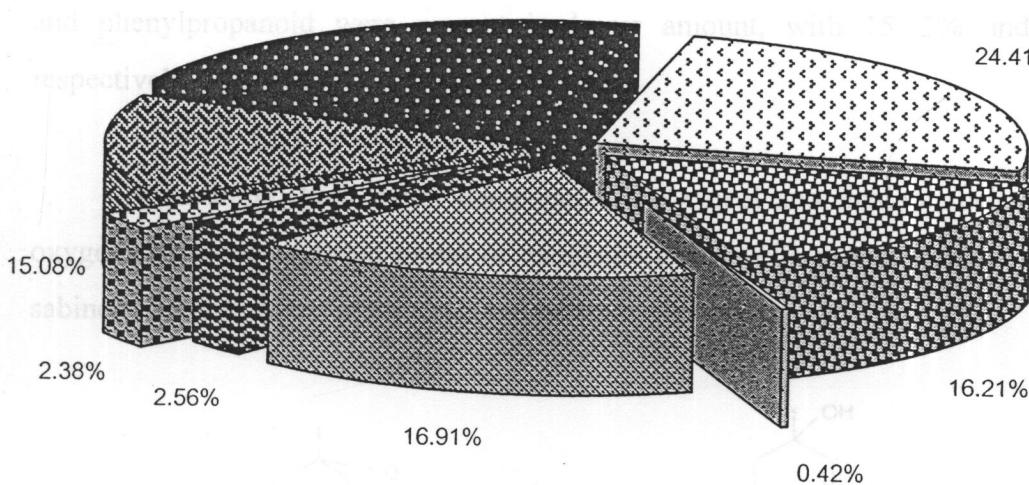


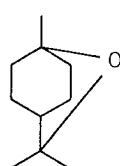
Figure 35 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum* sp. 8 leaves

4.1.18. Essential Oil Composition of *Cinnamomum* sp. 9

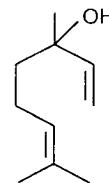
The yield of essential oil from *Cinnamomum* sp. 9 leaves was found to be 3.0% (v/w) of the fresh weight. Analysis of the essential oil by GC/MS showed that there were at least 27 components (Fig. 36). These components were identified as 10 monoterpenes, 7 oxygenated monoterpenes, 2 sesquiterpenes and 3 non-terpenoid components (Table 20). Among these, linalool (67.50%) was found to be the major component, followed by *l*,*l*-cineol (19.56%) and sabinene (2.27%).

In terms of relative amount, the oxygenated monoterpenes appeared to be the major terpenoid group, accounting for 93.52% of the essential oil. Monoterpenoids and phenylpropanoid were present in lesser amount, with 15.53% and 4.55%, respectively (Fig. 37).

Structurally, both major components, *l*,*l*-cineol and linalool, belong to the oxygenated monoterpenoid group of menthane and acyclic monoterpenoid, whereas sabinene belongs to the monoterpenoid group of thujane.



l,*l*-cineol
(menthane)



linalool
(acyclic monoterpenoid)



sabinene
(thujane)

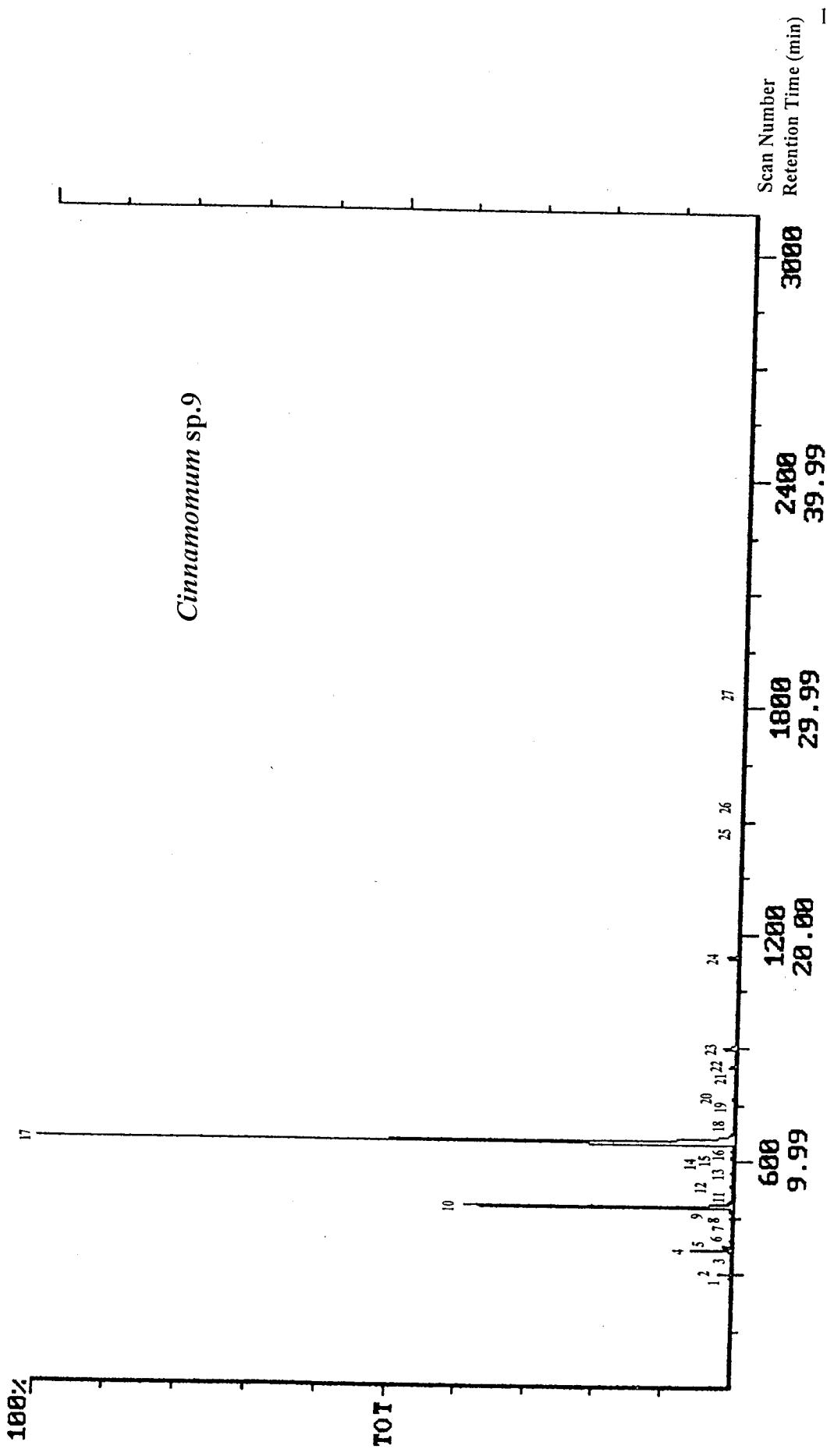


Figure 36 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum* sp.9 leaves

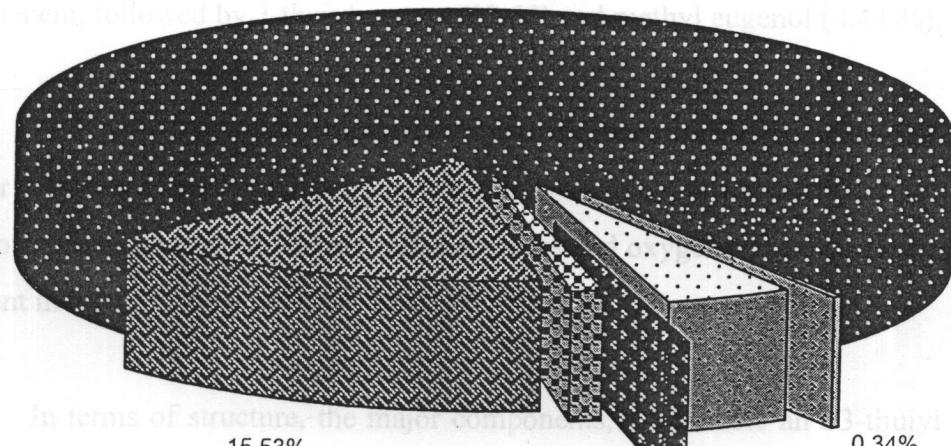
Table 20 Essential oil composition of *Cinnamomum* sp.9 leaves

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -thujene	4.83	0.15
2	α -pinene	5.03	0.64
3	camphene	5.48	0.04
4	sabinene	6.08	2.27
5	β -phellandrene	6.23	0.61
6	β -pinene	6.54	0.20
8	δ -2-carene	7.44	0.11
9	verbenene	7.78	0.24
12	γ -terpinene	8.91	0.19
14	terpinolene	9.93	0.05
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
10	1,8-cineole	7.79	19.56
13	<i>cis</i> -linalool oxide	9.51	0.21
15	<i>trans</i> -linalool oxide	10.13	0.25
17	linalool	10.81	71.09
21	satolina alcohol	13.88	0.10
22	terpin-4-ol	14.16	0.68
23	α -terpineol	14.98	1.63
	Sesquiterpene		
25	(E)-caryophyllene	24.33	0.06
26	α -humulene	25.89	0.04
	Phenylpropanoid		
24	(Z)-isosafrole	18.99	1.32
	Long chain hydrocarbon		
7	<i>n</i> -decane	6.83	0.06
16	<i>n</i> -heneicosane	25.89	0.13
	Miscellaneous		
11	unknown	8.48	0.05
18	unknown	11.79	0.04
19	unknown	12.59	0.03
20	unknown	12.78	0.21
27	unknown	31.26	0.03

3.2. Chemical Constituents of Essential oil from *Cinnamomum sp.9 Thuidane*

3.2.1. Total Terpenoid Composition of *Cinnamomum sp.9 Thuidane*

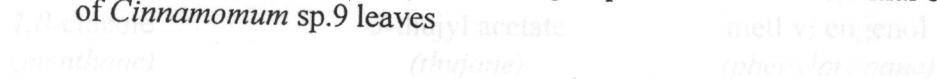
The essential oil from the leaves of *Cinnamomum sp.9 Thuidane* under distillation at 100 °C was found to be 0.2% (v/v) of the dry weight. Analysis of the terpenoids by GCMS showed the following percentage (Fig. 18). No single terpenes were identified. The major components were monoterpenes and oxygenated monoterpenes (Table 2). The compound 1,8-cineole (77.63%) (45.00%) oxygenated monoterpenes, followed by eugenol (4.55%), 1,8-cineole (15.53%), menthol (1.24%), methyl acetate (0.67%), menthone (0.34%) and thujane (0.39%).



In terms of structure, the major component 1,8-cineole (45.00%) belongs to the oxygenated monoterpenoid group.

Menthone (1.24%) and methyl acetate (0.67%) belong to the monoterpene group. Menthyl acetate (0.34%) and thujane (0.39%) belong to the long chain hydrocarbon group. The remaining components were sesquiterpenes and phenylpropanoid.

Figure 37 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Cinnamomum sp.9* leaves



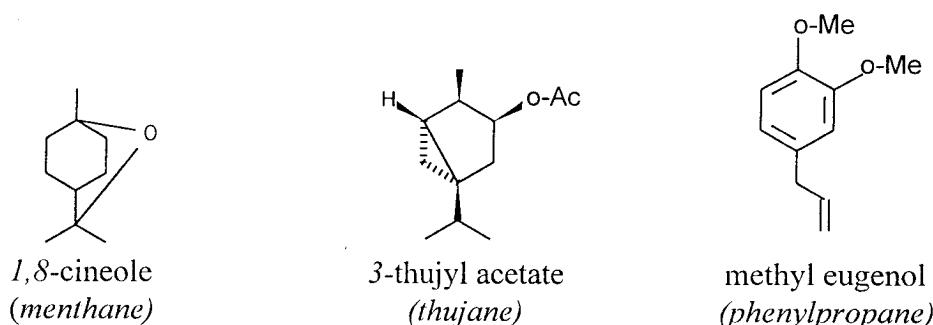
4.2 Chemical Composition of Essential Oil from Western Country in Thailand

4.2.1 Essential Oil Composition of *Laurus nobilis* L.

The essential oil from the leaves of *Laurus nobilis* was isolated by hydrodistillation. The oil yield was found to be 0.6 % (v/w) of the fresh weight. Analysis of the essential oil by GC/MS showed 50 peaks well separated from each other (Fig. 38). These peaks were identified as 15 monoterpenes, 9 oxygenated monoterpenes, 12 sesquiterpenes, 4 oxygenated sesquiterpenes and 4 non-terpenoid components (Table 21). Among these, 1,8-cineole (45.48 %) appeared to be the major component, followed by 3-thujyl acetate (12.58) and methyl eugenol (8.44 %).

In terms of relative amount, the oxygenated monoterpenes appeared to be the major terpenoid group, accounting for 63.23 % of the essential oil (Fig. 39). Monoterpenes, phenylpropanoids, sesquiterpenes and oxygenated sesquiterpenes were present in lesser amount at 12.39, 11.01, 2.52 and 2.36% , respectively.

In terms of structure, the major components, 1,8-cineole and 3-thujyl acetate belongs to the oxygenated monoterpenoid group of menthane and thujane, respectively, while methyl eugenol belongs to the phenylpropanoid group.



Laurus nobilis L.

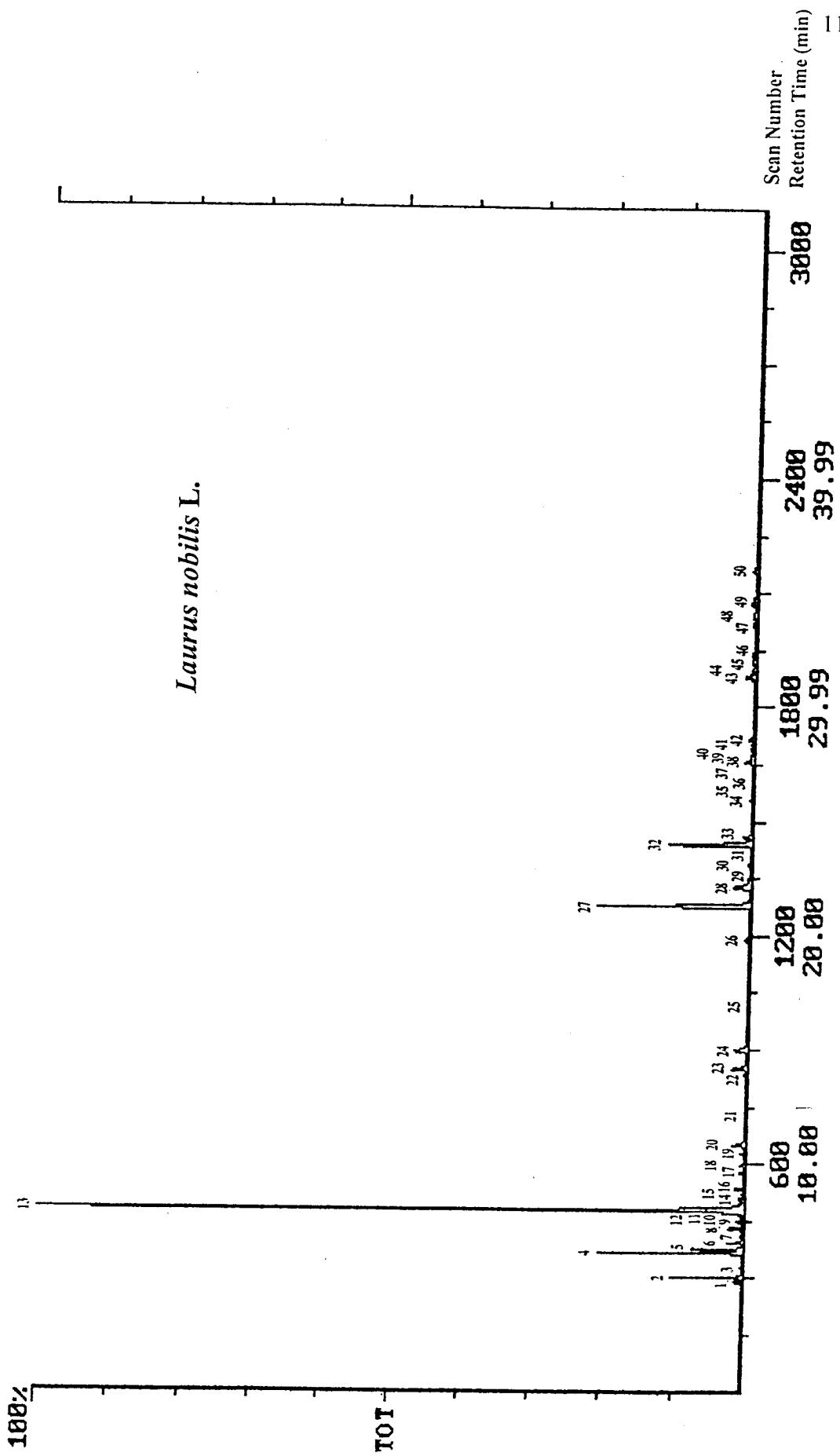


Figure 38 GC chromatogram of the essential oil from *Laurus nobilis* L. leaves

Table 21 Essential oil composition of *Laurus nobilis* L. leaves

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Monoterpene		
1	α -thujene	4.83	0.41
2	α -pinene	5.03	3.35
3	camphene	5.48	0.36
4	sabinene	6.08	7.39
5	β -phellandrene	6.23	2.88
6	β -pinene	6.54	0.84
8	δ -3-carene	7.16	0.96
9	δ -2-carene	7.44	0.30
10	α -cymene	7.59	0.14
11	verbenene	7.78	0.29
12	limonene	7.88	0.97
14	(E)- β -ocimene	8.48	0.33
16	γ -terpinene	8.91	0.55
17	<i>trans</i> -sabinene hydrate	9.61	0.38
18	terpinolene	9.93	0.24
	Oxygenated monoterpene		
13	1,8-cineol	7.98	45.48
20	linalool	10.81	1.46
21	<i>trans</i> -para-menth-2-en-1-ol	11.81	0.06
22	santolina alcohol	13.88	0.23
23	terpin-4-ol	14.16	1.47
24	α -terpineol	14.98	1.54
25	isobornyl acetate	18.46	0.04
26	α -terpinyl acetate	19.79	0.37
27	3-thujyl acetate	21.29	12.58
	Sesquiterpene		
30	β -elemene	23.09	0.09
31	<i>cis</i> - β -guaiene	25.73	0.04
33	(E)-caryophyllene	24.33	0.69
34	α -humulene	25.89	0.06
35	valencene	26.03	0.04
36	γ -muurolene	26.99	0.07
37	β -selinene	27.34	0.06
38	bicyclogermacrene	27.59	0.78
39	β -gurjunene	27.88	0.17
40	germacrene A	28.11	0.15
41	<i>cis</i> -muurola-4(14),5-diene	28.39	0.07
42	<i>trans</i> - β -guaiene	28.59	0.30

Table 21 (continued)

Peak No	Compound	Retention time (min)	%Area
	Oxygenated sesquiterpene		
43	spathulenol	31.29	1.22
45	hinesol acetate	31.96	0.29
47	<i>epi</i> - α -muurolol	33.98	0.20
48	α -cadinol	34.49	0.65
	Phenylpropanoid		
28	(Z)-isoeugenol	22.10	2.57
32	methyl eugenol	23.98	8.44
	Long chain hydrocarbon		
7	<i>n</i> -decane	6.83	0.08
19	<i>n</i> -heneicosane	10.44	0.17
	Miscellaneous		
15	unknown	8.71	0.06
29	unknown	22.74	0.06
44	unknown	31.62	0.24
46	unknown	32.28	0.16
49	unknown	34.78	0.16
50	unknown	35.99	0.43

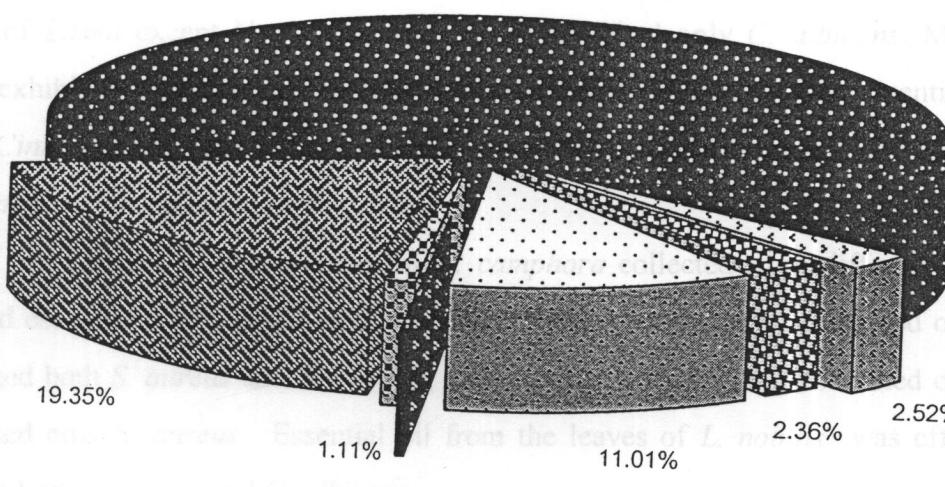
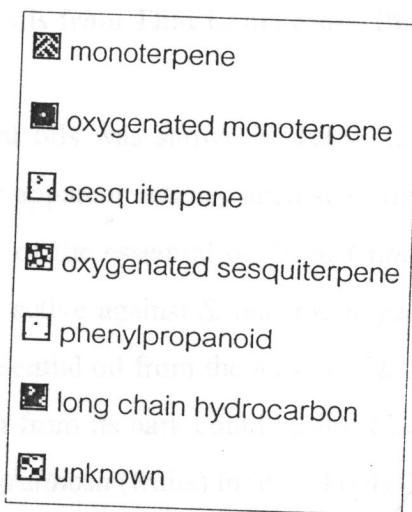


Figure 39 The percentage of various terpenoid groups found in the essential oil of *Laurus nobilis* L. leaves

4.3 Antimicrobial activity of the essential oils from Thai Lauraceous Plants

Antimicrobial activity of the essential oils was shown in Table 22. It was found that none of the essential oils had any apparent activity against *P. aeruginosa* and *M. gypseum*. The antimicrobial activity of the essential oil from *Cinnamomum* sp7 displayed the broadest spectrum. It was active against *S. aureus*, *E. faecalis*, *B. subtilis*, *E. coli* and *C. albicans*. Although essential oil from the leaves of *L. petiolata* had no activity against any test organism, that from its bark could inhibit *C. albicans*. Essential oils from *L. cubeba* (leaves) and *L. glutinosa* (fruits) inhibited only *S. aureus* and *C. albicans*, respectively.

Most essential oils of *Cinnamomum* had broader spectrum of activity than those of *Litsea* except *C. pathenoxyton* which inhibited only *C. albicans*. Most of them exhibited activities against both *S. aureus* and *C. albicans*. The essential oils from *Cinnamomum*. sp5 and sp6 had the lowest MIC (0.019%). Most essential oils of *Cinnamomum*. sp could inhibit *E. coli*.

In terms of location, leaves of *C. camphora* collected from different places yielded essential oils with different activities. That from Bangkok contained oil that inhibited both *S. aureus* and *B. subtilis*, whereas that from Rayong contained oil that inhibited only *S. aureus*. Essential oil from the leaves of *L. nobilis* was effective against both *S. aureus* and *C. albicans*.

Table 22 Antimicrobial activity of essential oils from Thai Lauraceous plants

Plant	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> ATCC 29213		<i>Escherichia coli</i> ATCC 25922		<i>Bacillus subtilis</i> ATCC 5633		<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i> ATCC 29212		<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> ATCC 27853		<i>Candida albicans</i> ATCC 10231		<i>Microsporium gypseum</i> (clinical isolate)	
	mm± SD ^a	MIC (%)	mm± SD ^a	MIC (%)	mm± SD ^a	MIC (%)	mm± SD ^a	MIC (%)	mm± SD ^a	MIC (%)	mm± SD ^a	MIC (%)	mm± SD ^a	MIC (%)
1. <i>Cinnamomum camphora</i> Th. Fries. (leaves; Bangkok)	8.20 ± 1.40	0.63	0	ND ^b	9.3 ± 0.99	1.25	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
2. <i>Cinnamomum camphora</i> Th. Fries. (leaves ; Rayong)	9.03 ± 0.99	2.5	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
3. <i>Cinnamomum inner</i> Bl.(leaves)	11.0 ± 2.42	0.312	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
4. <i>Cinnamomum porrectum</i> Kosterm. (leaves)	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
5. <i>Litsea cubeba</i> Pers (leaves)	10.3 ± 2.42	0.312	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
6. <i>Litsea glutinosa</i> C.B. Robinson. (fruits)	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
7. <i>Litsea petiolata</i> Hook. f. (leaves)	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
8. <i>Litsea petiolata</i> Hook. f. (bark)	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
9. <i>Cinnamomum</i> sp. 1 (leaves)	7.73 ± 2.07	0.63	6.10 ± 3.78	1.25	7.7 ± 3.11	0.63	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
10. <i>Cinnamomum</i> sp. 2 (leaves)	10.0 ± 3.79	0.63	7.43 ± 3.21	0.63	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
11. <i>Cinnamomum</i> sp. 3 (leaves)	8.3 ± 1.23	0.63	19.6 ± 3.36	1.25	20.26 ± 0.63	1.25	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
12. <i>Cinnamomum</i> sp. 4 (leaves)	16.3 ± 4.44	0.156	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
13. <i>Cinnamomum</i> sp. 5 (leaves)	9.73 ± 0.81	0.156	6.8 ± 0.78	0.63	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
14. <i>Cinnamomum</i> sp.6 (leaves)	0	ND ^b	0.156	7.9 ± 3.37	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
15. <i>Cinnamomum</i> sp. 7 (leaves)	14.7 ± 3.26	0.63	6.86 ± 0.31	1.25	12.2 ± 2.96	1.25	16.3 ± 2.86	1.25	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
16. <i>Cinnamomum</i> sp.8 (leaves)	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
17. <i>Cinnamomum</i> sp.9 (leaves)	6.3 ± 0.98	0.63	7.23 ± 1.30	0.63	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b
18. <i>Laurus nobilis</i> L. (leaves)	11.8 ± 1.07	1.25	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b	0	ND ^b

^a inhibition zone diameter resulted from 10% oil in 0.1% tween 80

^b not determined

CHAPTER V

DISCUSSION

Testing and evaluation of the chemical composition and antimicrobial activity of essential oil is difficult because of their volatility, their water solubility, and their complexity (Jansen, Scheffer and Baerheim-Svendsen, 1987).

The leaves of *Cinnamomum camphora* was gathered at two locations, Bangkok (Middle parts of Thailand) and Rayong (Eastern part of Thailand). Both of them had the same major constituents in comparable quantities, as shown in Table 23, they were camphor, limonene and α -pinene. This was in agreement with the result previously reported (Pe'lissier *et al.*, 1995).

Oil yields obtained from the leaves and the stem bark of *Cinnamomum porrectum* were different, 0.5% and 0.1%, respectively. It was evident that both of them contained sesquiterpene and phenylpropanoid. Interestingly, monoterpene was found only in leaf, whereas oxygenated sesquiterpene and aliphatic alcohol (dodecanal) were found only in bark oil. The amounts of safrole, the major components in both oil, were very high (leaves, 97.3% ; stem bark 96.85%). This major component was in agreement with that previously reported (Dung *et al.*, 1995). Safrole was an important raw material in the synthesis of heliotropin. In addition to sassafras oils (Lauraceae) (Grieve and Leyel, 1975), *C. porrectum* oil might be another source of safrole in commercial. Many species from which safrole could be obtained were members of the Lauraceae family (Lawrence, 1992).

Previous studies reported two types of *L. cubeba* leaf oil linalool type and cineol type (Nath *et al.*, 1996). However, there was no report on the occurrence of sabinene as the major component.

The oil obtained from leaves and stem bark of *Litsea petiolata* were 2.1% and 0.17%, respectively. Each oil was found to be pale yellow to almost colorless, the occurrence of cinnamaldehyde and (*Z*)-isosafrole in the leaf oil up to 57.7 % and 35.36%, respectively, whereas these compounds were absent in the stem bark oil.

When comparing the chemical constituents in essential oils from three species of *Litsea*, it was found that the major component was present specifically in individual species. They were sabinene in *L. cubeba*, (*E*)- β -ocimene in *L. glutinosa*, (*E*)-cinnamaldehyde and 2-methyl-undecanal in *L. petiolata*. These major components might potentially be used as the marker for identification of these individuals.

Nine unidentified species were investigated from three provinces of Thailand (Rayong, Khon-Kaen, Bangkok). The leaf oil yield of some *Cinnamomum* sp. were around 0.08-3.0% (v/w).

Laurus nobilis (True bay), an evergreen shrub from western country, was cultivated from the northern parts of Thailand. It was found that 1,8-cineole (45.48%), 3-thujyl acetate (12.58%), methyl eugenol (8.44%) and sabinene (7.39%) were the major component. The presence of cineole (30-50%) and eugenol as the major component were in agreement with the results from an earlier study (Guenther, 1972). True bay oil could be a useful natural resource of methyl eugenol. It showed a significant anti-inflammatory effect and moderate analgesic action (Moretti, Peana and Satta, 1997).

In screening for antimicrobial activity, the agar diffusion technique was used in order to determine antimicrobial activity of essential oil, the diameter of clear zone more than 6 mm indicated the inhibition activity. As shown in Table 22, all sample had no activities against *P. aeruginosa* and *M. gypseum*. The antimicrobial effectiveness of a compound is often described in term of its minimum inhibitory concentration (MIC). Results in Table 22 showed that there was no direct correlation between the inhibition zone diameter and the MIC. This might be resulted from the difference in physical properties of oil such as solubility and partition coefficient which affected the inhibition zone diameter.

The differences in antimicrobial activities, as shown in Table 22, of the essential oils hydrodistilled from plants grown in different locations (*C. camphora* grown in Bangkok and Rayong) and from different parts of plant (leaves and bark of *L. petiolata*) implied that location and part of plant were the important factors. This suggested that not only the major constituents but also the minor constituents might account for the antimicrobial activities of essential oils. Essential oils of *Cinnamomum* sp1-9 had broader spectrum of activity than those of identified species. These might be resulted from the activities of cineol (Ross et al, 1980 ; Muller-Riebau, Berger and Yegen, 1995 ; Carta, Moretti and Peana, 1996), linalool (Morris, Khettry and Seitz, 1979 ; Ross et al, 1980 ; Muller-Riebau, Berger and Yegen, 1995 ; Carson and Riley, 1995), camphor (Muller-Riebau, Berger and Yegen, 1995 ; Carta, Moretti and Peana, 1996), thymal, carvacol (Muller-Riebau, Berger and Yegen, 1995 ; Adams, Kunz and Weidenborner, 1996 ; Sophon et al, 2540) terpin-4-ol (Carson and Riley, 1995), cinnamaldehyde (Sophon et al, 2540), eugenol (Morris, Khettry and Seitz, 1970 ; Adams, Kunz and Weidenborner, 1996) and *n*-dodecanal (Janssen et al, 1985). These compounds had been previously reported as having antimicrobial activities.

C. porrectum leaf oil showed antifungal activity (*C. albicans*), it might be the effect of its major constituent (97%), isosaffrole. However, there was no report on antifungal activity of isosaffrole. It was used in combination with guaiacum or saraparilla for chronic rheumatism, syphilis and skin disease (Grieve, 1975). To conform its effect on *C. albicans*, isosaffrole should be tested.

Litsea cubeba leaf oil showed antibacterial effect against gram-positive bacteria (*S. aureus*) but it had no activity against gram-negative bacteria, yeast and mold. The effect on gram-positive bacteria agreed with previous report (Gogoi et al., 1997) but its effect on fungal pathogen was different.

Essential oil from fruit of *L. glutinosa* and stem bark of *L. petiolata* showed effect on *C. albicans*. This is the first report on their antimicrobial activity. Leaf oil of *L. petiolata* had no antimicrobial activity despite the presence of cinnamaldehyde,

its major component, which was previously reported on antimicrobial activity (Kurita and Koike, 1983). The reason underlying the negative result of this oil might be that some constituents in the oil might interfere each other such as antagonistic effect. However, the precise antimicrobial mechanisms of individual essential oil components have not yet been fully elucidated on the molecular basis.

CHAPTER VI

CONCLUSION

The present investigation deals with the determination of chemical components and antimicrobial activity of essential oils isolated from selected Thai Lauraceous plant. Thai Lauraceous plants representing 2 genera (*Cinnamomum* and *Litsea*), have been investigated. Comparison among 3 *Litsea* species was made. Additionally, one species of western Lauraceous plants cultivated in Thailand were also studied. Its major constituents corresponded with previous report but the amounts were lower. In addition, it was found that certain essential oils showed antimicrobial activity against Gram-positive bacteria, Gram-negative bacteria and yeast. Although the antimicrobial properties of the essential oils in this study were much lower than those of currently used antibiotics, the present study indicates the possibility of using some essential oils as natural antimicrobial agents.

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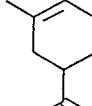
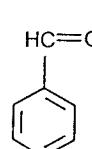
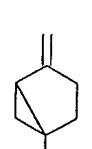
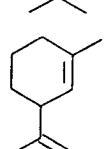
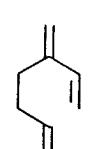
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APPENDICES

A. The chemical components of essential oil isolated from selected Lauraceous Plants

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
4.38	α -thujene	
4.98	tricyclene	
5.03	α -pinene	
5.48	camphene	
5.98	sylvestrene	
6.01	benzaldehyde	
6.08	sabinene	
6.09	isosylvestrene	
6.11	myrcene	

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
6.23	β -phellandrene	
6.37	δ -methyl-5-hepten-2-one	
6.54	β -pinene	
6.83	<i>n</i> -decane	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_8\text{CH}_3$
7.11	α -phellandrene	
7.16	δ -3-carene	
7.44	δ -2-carene	
7.59	<i>o</i> -cymene	
7.78	verbenene	
7.88	limonene	

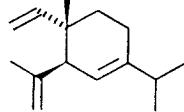
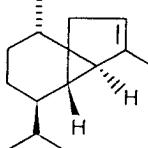
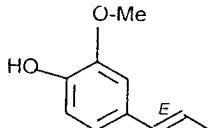
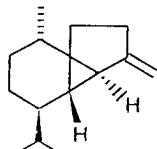
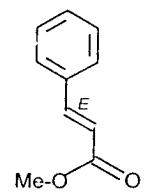
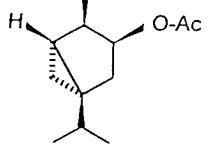
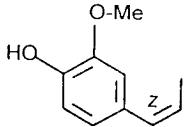
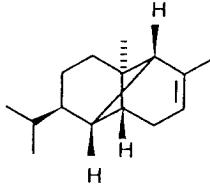
Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
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7.98	<i>l,8</i> -cineole	
8.09	terpin-4-ol-acetate	
8.13	(Z)- β -ocimene	
8.48	(E)- β -ocimene	
8.91	γ -terpinene	
9.51	<i>cis</i> -linalool oxide	
9.61	<i>trans</i> -sabinene hydrate	

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
9.76	α -terpinene	
9.93	terpinolene	
10.13	<i>trans</i> -linalool oxide	
10.23	2-nonenone	$\text{CH}_3\text{CO}(\text{CH}_2)_6\text{CH}_3$
10.27	<i>l,4</i> -cineole	
10.35	verbenone	
10.44	<i>n</i> -heneicosane	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_{19}\text{CH}_3$
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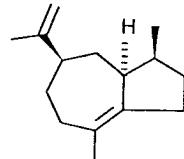
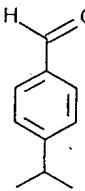
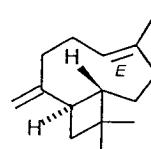
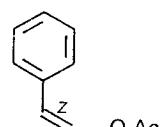
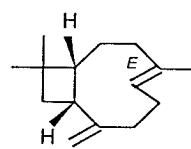
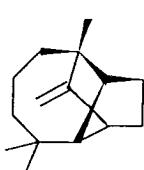
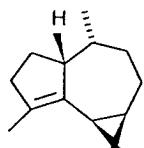
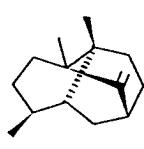
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12.54	camphor	
12.76	citronellal	
13.19	<i>cis</i> -limonene oxide	
13.25	acetophenone	
13.46	(Z)-cinnamyl alcohol	
13.66	ethyl benzoate	
13.88	santolina alcohol	
13.93	isoborneol	
13.99	borneol	

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
14.16	terpin-4-ol	
14.88	methyl chavicol	
14.98	α -terpineol	
16.34	citronellol	
16.63	neral	
16.81	(Z)-cinnamaldehyde	
17.23	<i>cis</i> -carveol	
17.38	geraniol	

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
17.94	(Z)-methyl cinnamate	
18.04	n-pentyl benzoate	
18.44	bornyl acetate	
18.46	isobornyl acetate	
18.50	2-undecanone	$\text{CH}_3\text{CO}(\text{CH}_2)_8\text{CH}_3$
18.61	(E)-cinnamaldehyde	
18.77	geranal	
18.99	(Z)-isosafrole	
19.79	α -terpinyl acetate	

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
20.63	δ -elemene	
20.17	α -cubebene	
21.02	(E)-isoeugenol	
21.13	β -cubebene	
21.21	(E)-methyl cinnamate	
21.29	3-thujyl acetate	
22.10	(Z)-isoeugenol	
22.38	α -copaene	

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
22.66	<i>n</i> -hexyl benzoate	
22.73	geranyl acetate	
22.93	germacrene D	
23.01	<i>cis</i> -verbenyl acetate	
23.04	(E)-isosafrole	
23.09	β -elemene	
23.71	<i>cis</i> - β -guiene	
23.98	methyl eugenol	

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
24.10	α -bulnesene	
24.16	tetradecanal	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_{12}\text{COH}$
24.20	cumin aldehyde	
24.33	(E)-caryophyllene	
24.89	(Z)-cinnamyl acetate	
25.07	9- <i>epi</i> -(E)-caryophyllene	
25.11	longifolene	
25.23	α -gurjunene	
25.37	seychellene	

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
25.41	(Z)-methyl-butyl-benzoate	
25.44	(Z)- α -bisabolene	
25.54	cyperene	
25.56	allo-aromadendrene	
25.58	trans-calamenene	
25.73	cis- β -guaiene	
25.89	α -humulene	
26.03	valencene	
26.58	δ -cadinene	

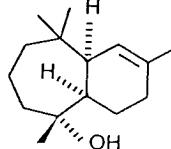
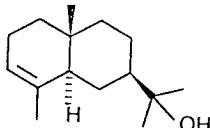
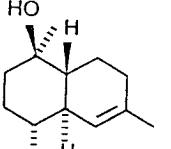
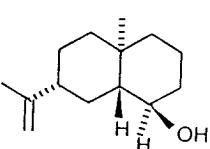
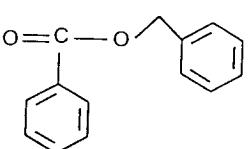
Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
26.61	β -patchoulene	
26.75	γ -cadinene	
26.89	α -muurolene	
26.92	2-methyl-undecanal	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_8\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)\text{COH}$
26.99	γ -muurolene	
27.34	β -selinene	
27.38	viridiflorene	
27.43	isoledene	
27.59	bicyclogermacrene	

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
27.63	α -selinene	
27.84	<i>epi</i> -cubebol	
27.88	β -gurjunene	
28.11	germacrene A	
28.39	<i>cis</i> -muurola-4(14),5-diene	
28.59	<i>trans</i> - β -guaiene	
28.76	α -cadinene	
28.78	<i>cis</i> -calamenene	

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
28.84	eugenyl acetate	
28.91	3,7(11)-selinadiene	
29.09	myristicin	
29.19	cadina-1,4-diene	
29.61	α -calacorene	
30.15	elemicin	
30.19	germacrene B	
30.66	(E)-nerolidol	

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
31.29	spathulenol	
31.32	caryophyllene oxide	
31.47	globulol	
31.59	α -eudesmol acetate	
31.63	β -eudesmol acetate	
31.96	hinesol acetate	
32.26	longiborneol acetate	
32.30	ledol	

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
32.44	humulene epoxide II	
32.64	dodecanal	$\text{CH}_3(\text{CH}_2)_{10}\text{COH}$
33.08	juniper camphor acetate	
33.19	<i>I</i> - <i>epi</i> -cubenol	
33.54	bicyclo-vetivenol	
33.68	cubenol	
33.93	α -muurolol	
33.98	<i>epi</i> - α -muurolol	

Retention time (min)	Compound	Structure
34.36	himachalol	
34.48	α -eudesmol	
34.49	α -cadinol	
34.58	selin-11-en-4-alpha-ol	
38.86	benzyl benzoate	

Note : GC/MS Condition

Instrument model : Varian Saturn 3

Column : fused silica capillary column (30 m X 0.25 mm i.d.) coated with DB-5 (J&w), film thickness 0.25 μ m

Column programming : 60-240°C rate 3.3°C/min

Injector temperature : 180°C

Helium carrier gas : 1 ml/min

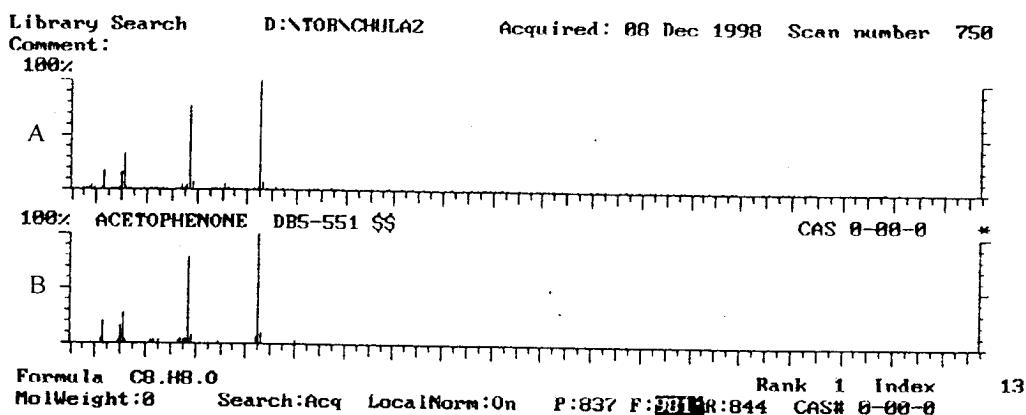
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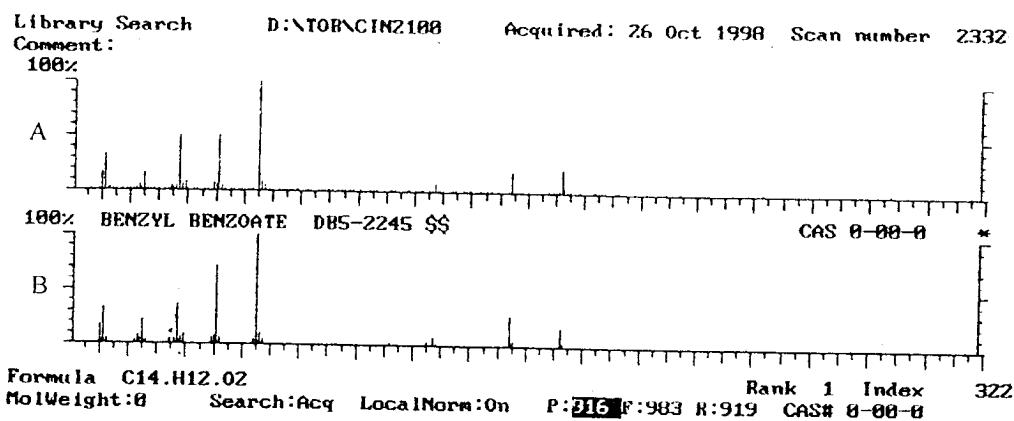
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Sample size : 1 μ l

Solvent : methanol (HPLC grade)

B. Mass spectra of terpenoid and nonterpenoid compound.





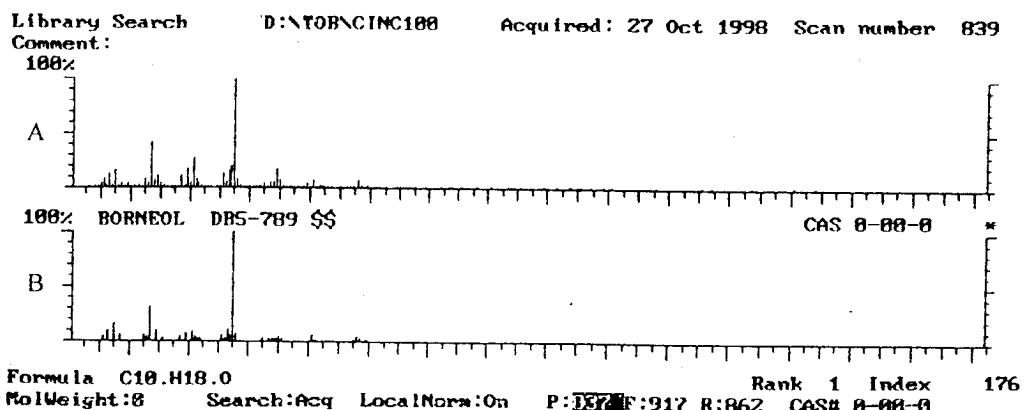


Figure 46 Mass spectra of borneol (A) and authentic borneol (B) by GC-MS

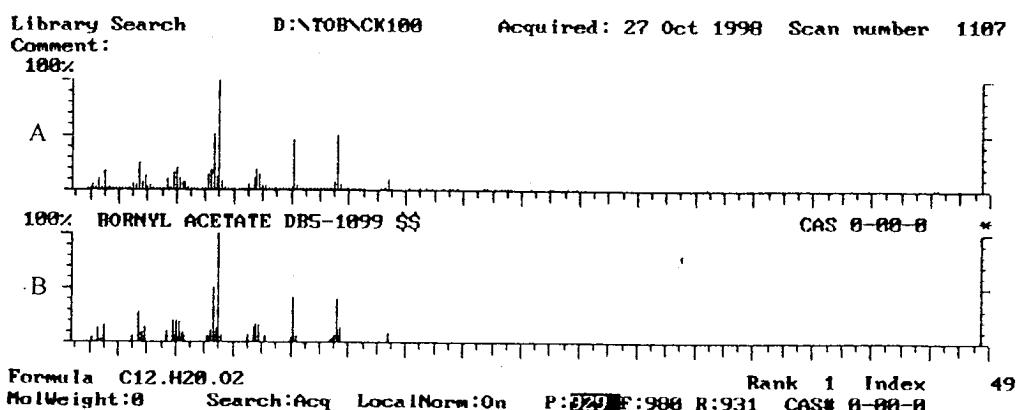


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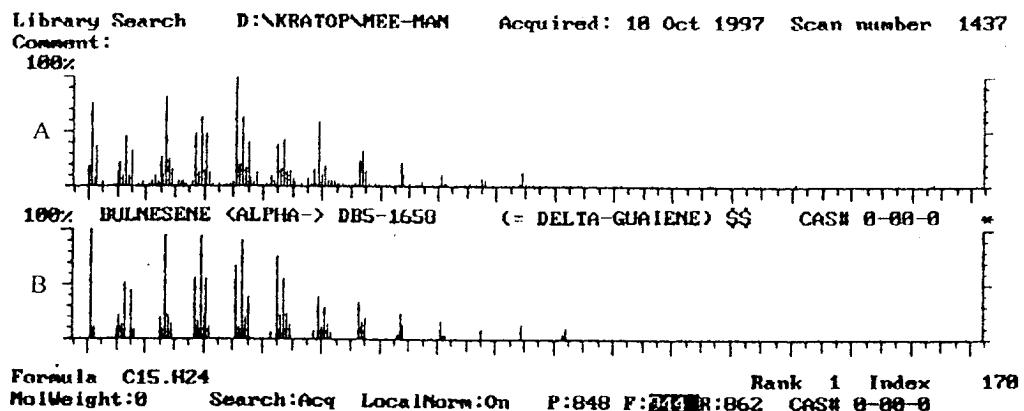


Figure 48 Mass spectra of bulnesene α- (A) and authentic bulnesene α- (B) by GC-MS

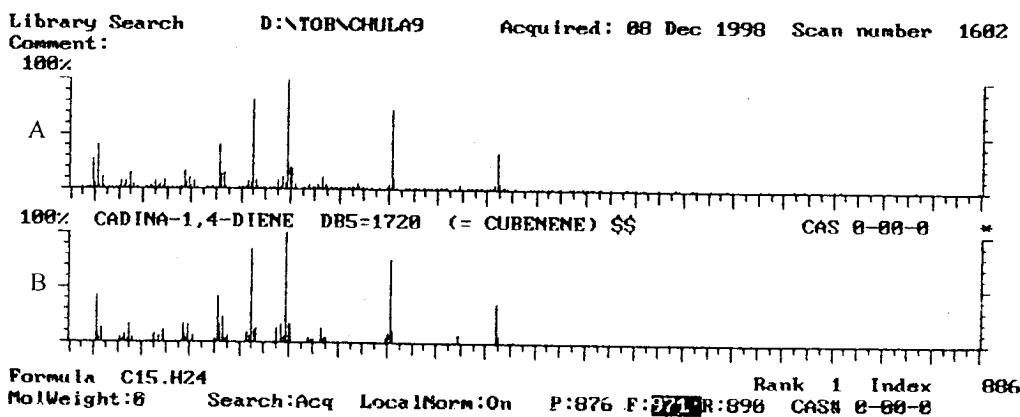


Figure 49 Mass spectra of cadina-1,4-diene (A) and authentic cadina-1,4-diene (B) by GC-MS

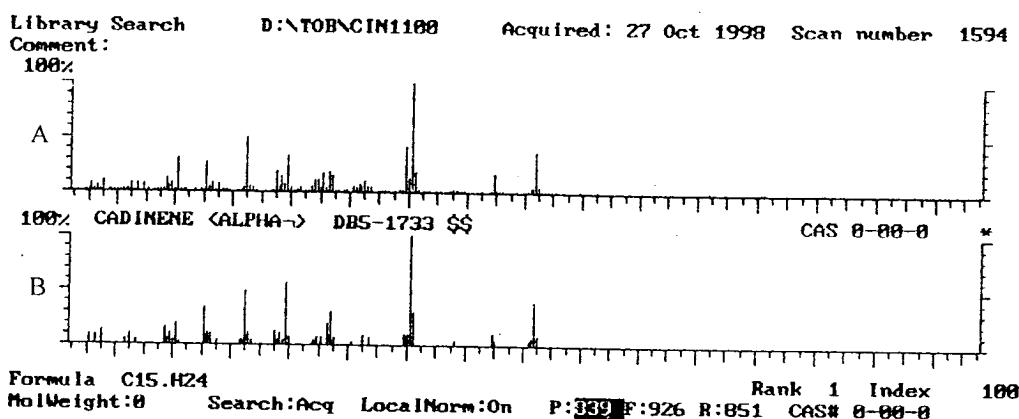


Figure 50 Mass spectra of cadinene < α -> (A) and authentic cadinene < α -> (B) by GC-MS

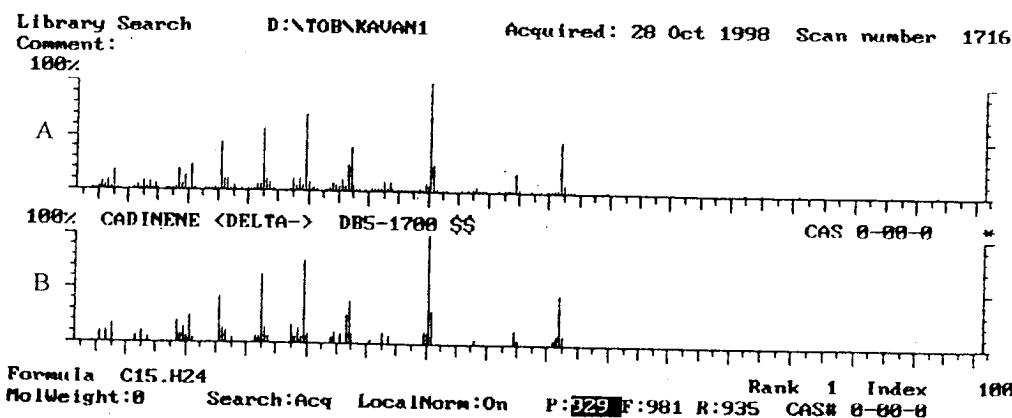


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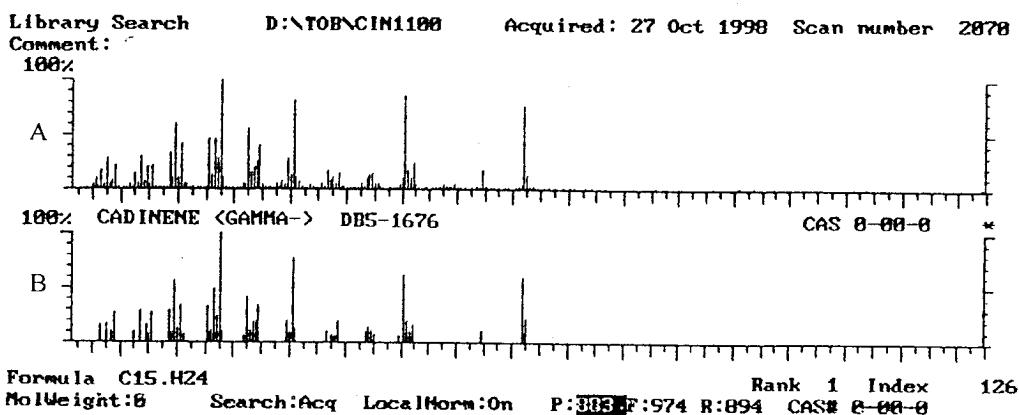


Figure 52 Mass spectra of cadinene $\langle\gamma\rangle$ (A) and authentic cadinene $\langle\gamma\rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

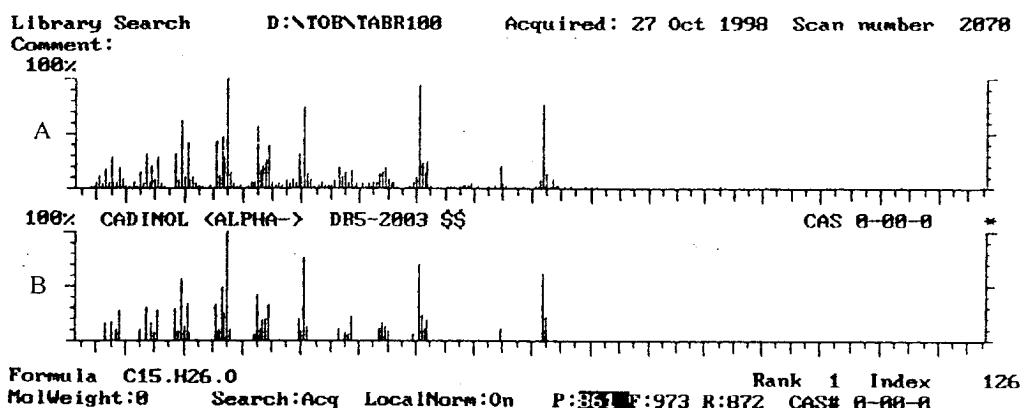


Figure 53 Mass spectra of cadinol $\langle\alpha\rangle$ (A) and authentic cadinol $\langle\alpha\rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

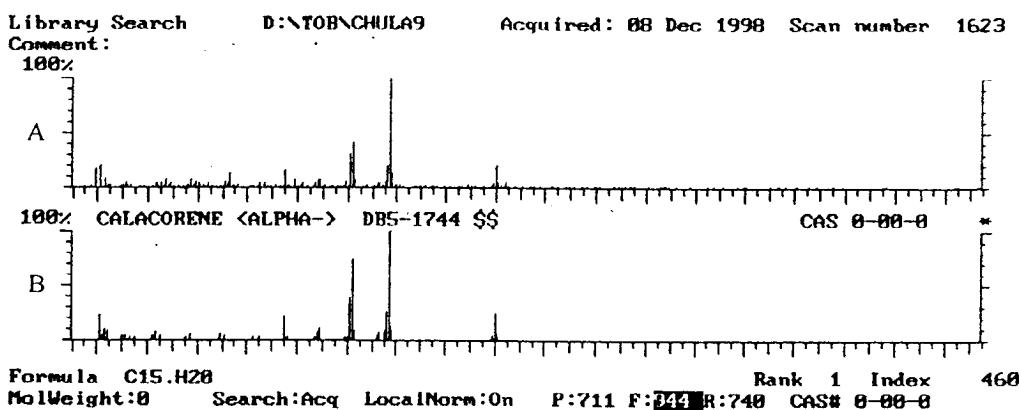


Figure 54 Mass spectra of calacorene $\langle\alpha\rangle$ (A) and authentic calacorene $\langle\alpha\rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

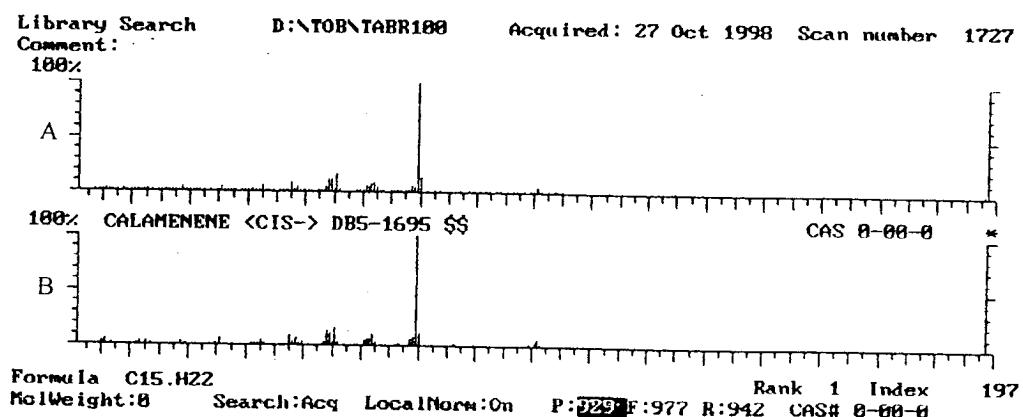


Figure 55 Mass spectra of calamenene *< cis ->* (A) and authentic calamenene *< cis ->* (B) by GC-MS

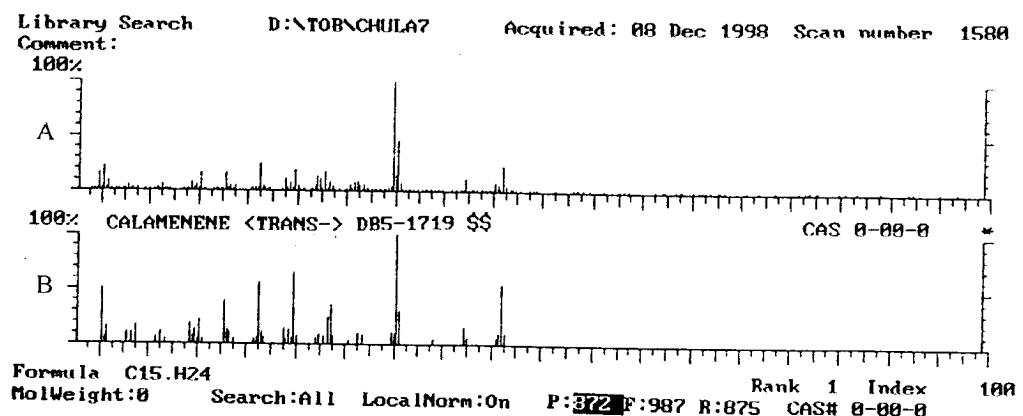


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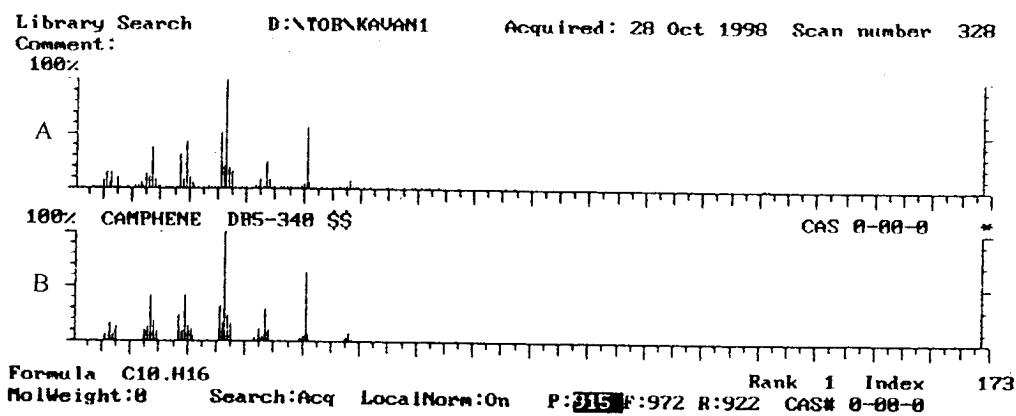


Figure 57 Mass spectra of camphene (A) and authentic camphene (B) by GC-MS

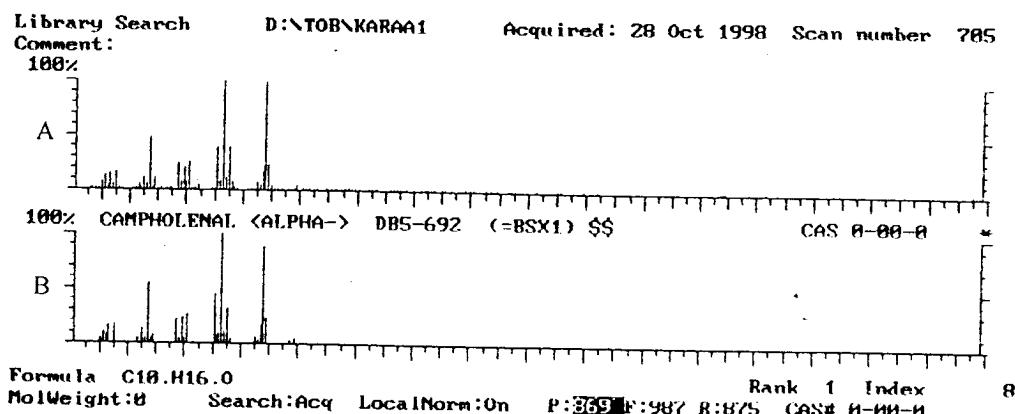


Figure 58 Mass spectra of campholenal $\langle\alpha\rangle$ (A) and authentic campholenal $\langle\alpha\rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

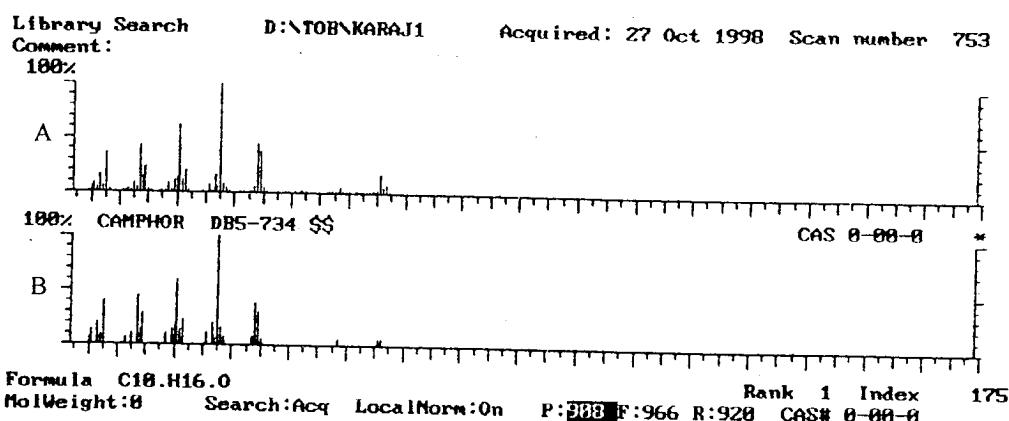


Figure 59 Mass spectra of camphor (A) and authentic camphor (B) by GC-MS

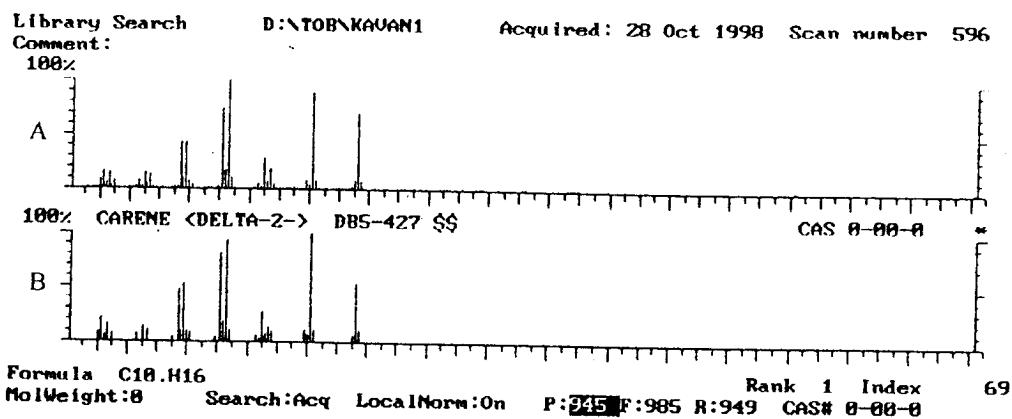


Figure 60 Mass spectra of carene δ -2- α (A) and authentic carene δ -2- α (B) by GC-MS

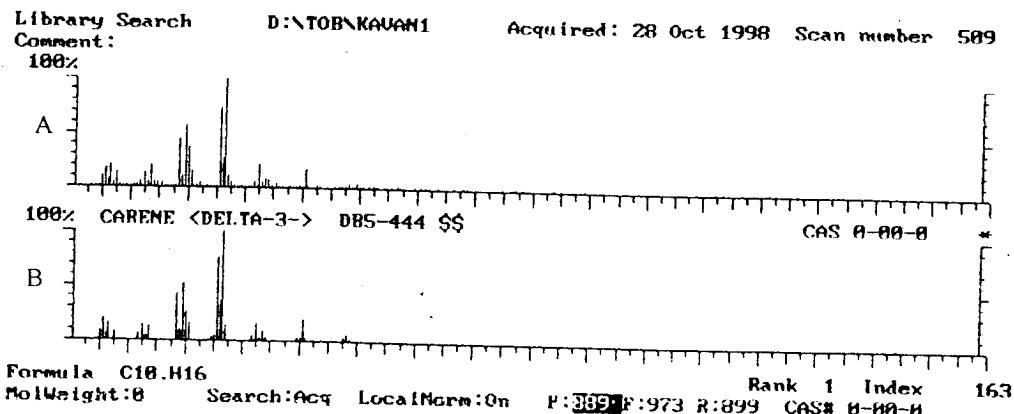


Figure 61 Mass spectra of carene $\langle \delta\text{-}3\text{-}\rangle$ (A) and authentic carene $\langle \delta\text{-}3\text{-}\rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

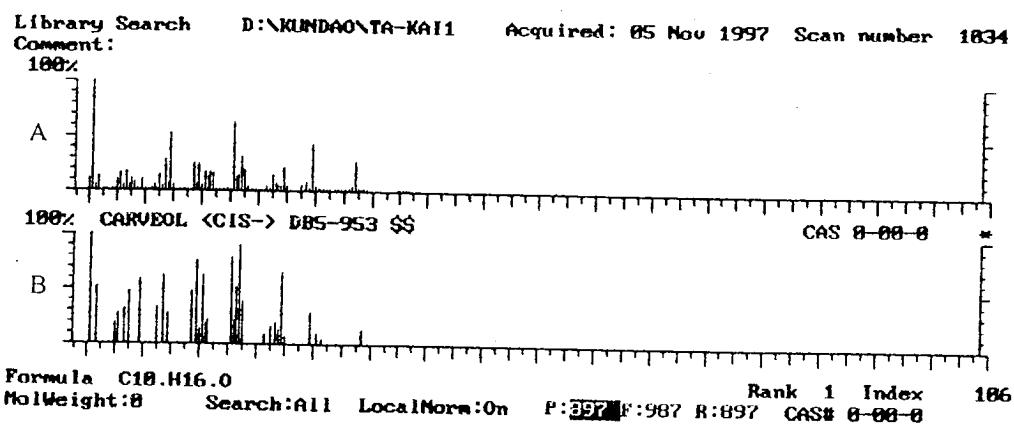


Figure 62 Mass spectra of carveol $\langle cis\text{-}\rangle$ (A) and authentic carveol $\langle cis\text{-}\rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

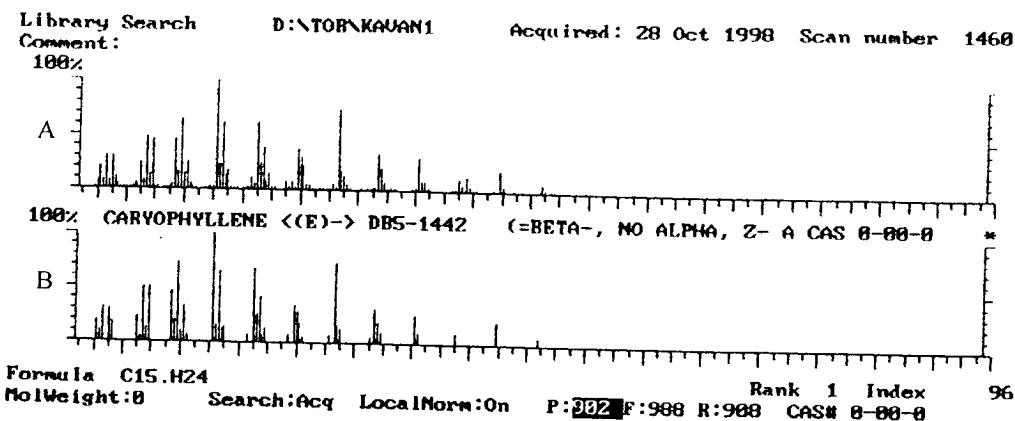


Figure 63 Mass spectra of caryophyllene $\langle(E)\text{-}\rangle$ (A) and authentic caryophyllene $\langle(E)\text{-}\rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

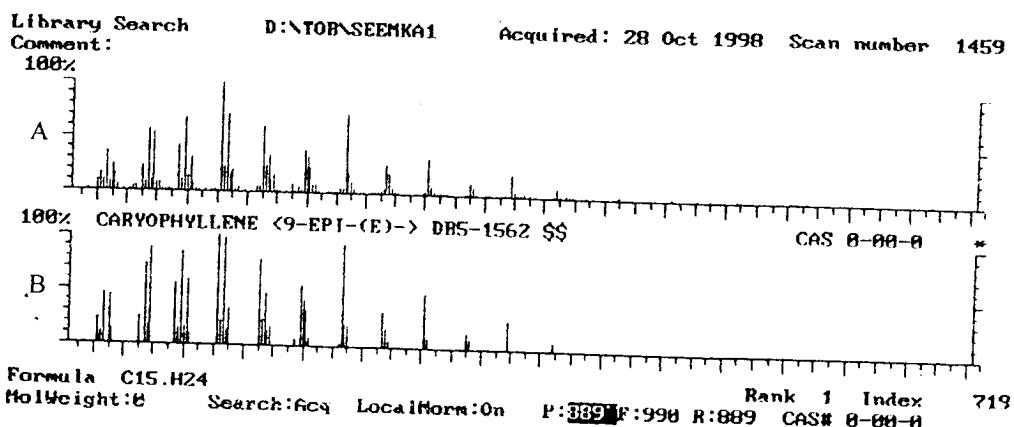


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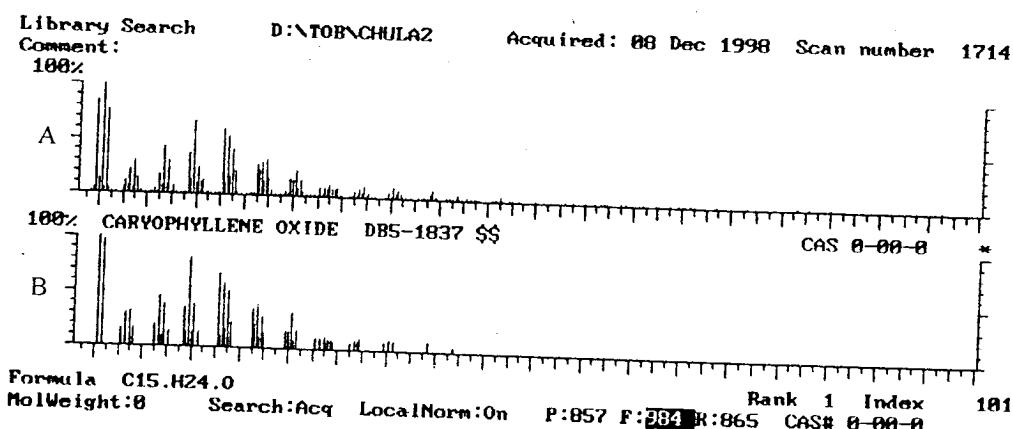


Figure 65 Mass spectra of caryophyllene oxide (A) and authentic caryophyllene oxide (B) by GC-MS

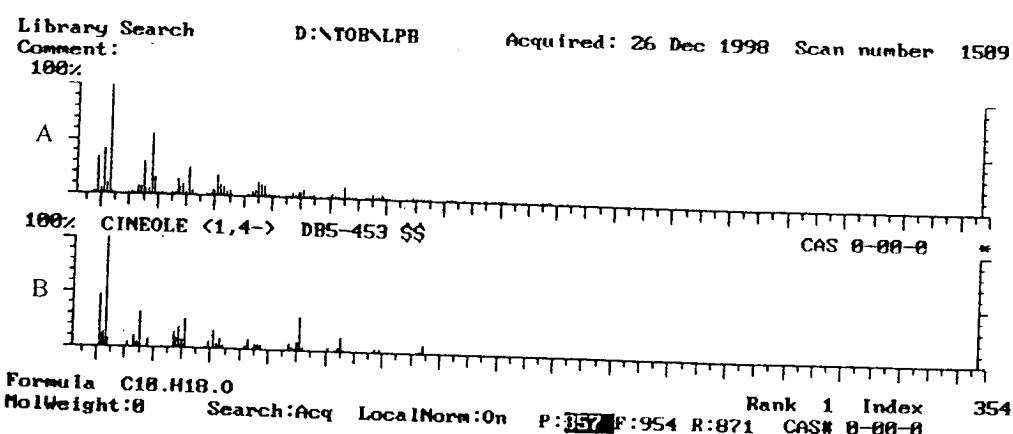


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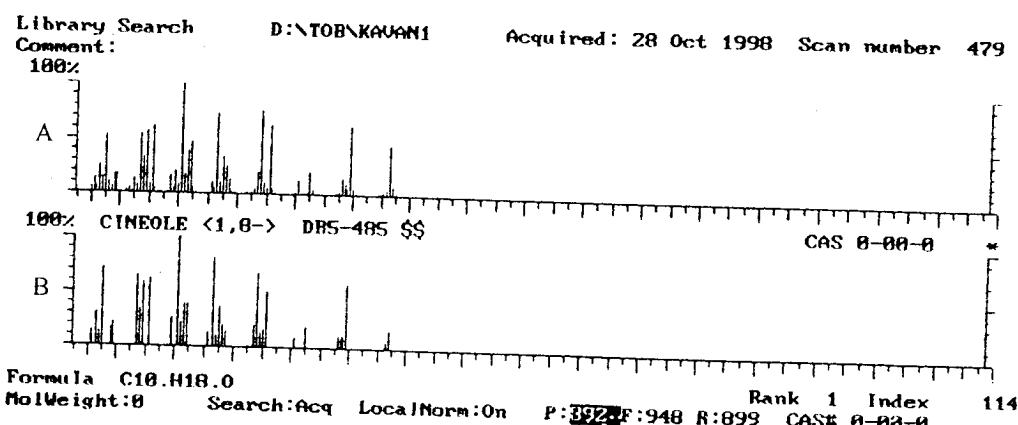


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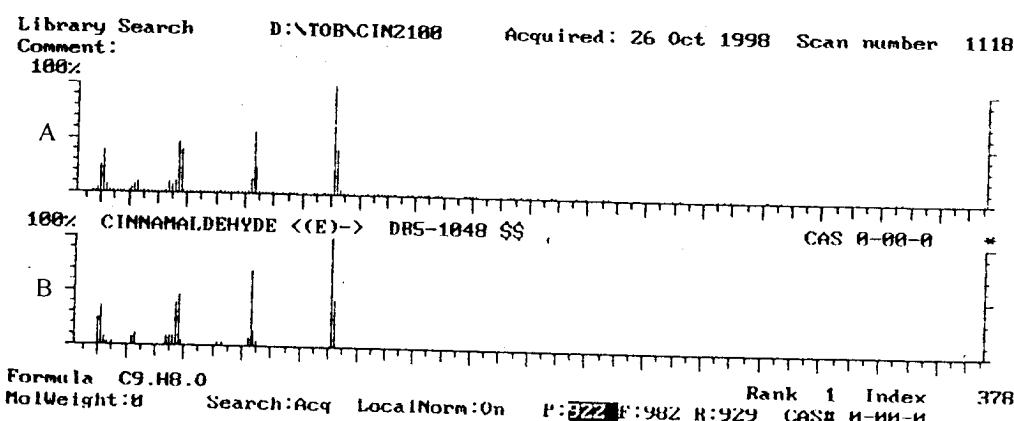


Figure 68 Mass spectra of cinnamaldehyde *<(E)->* (A) and authentic cinnamaldehyde *<(E)->* (B) by GC-MS

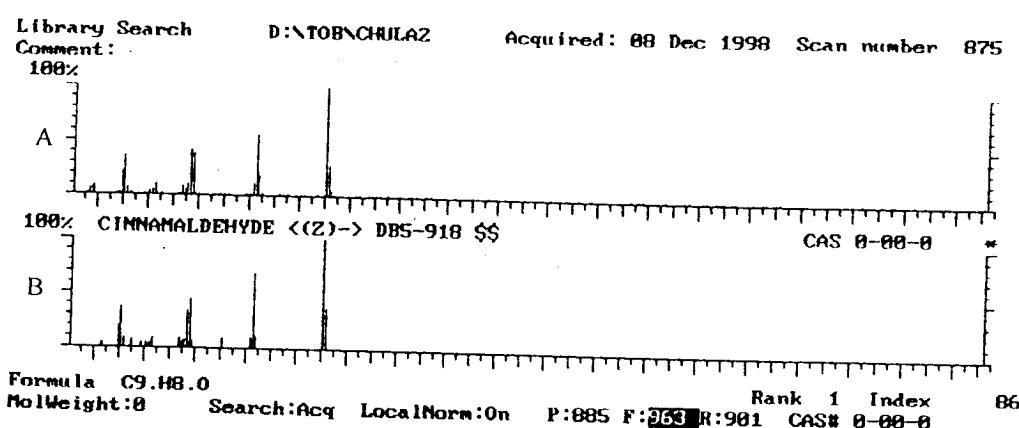


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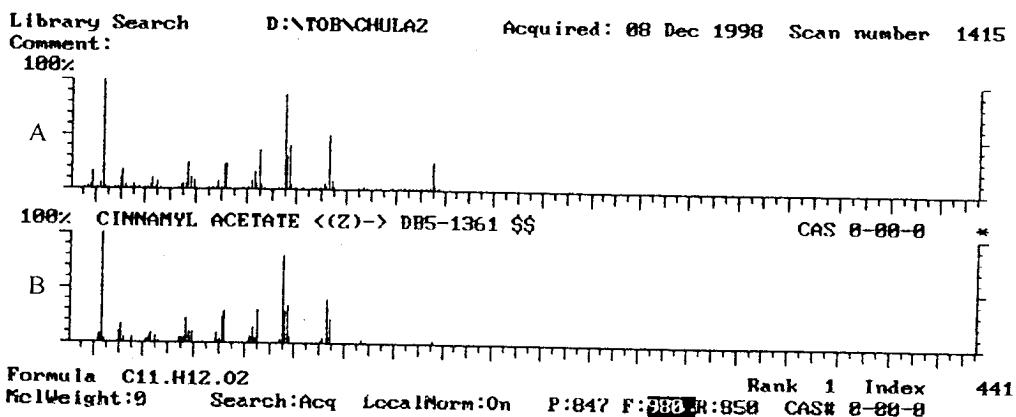


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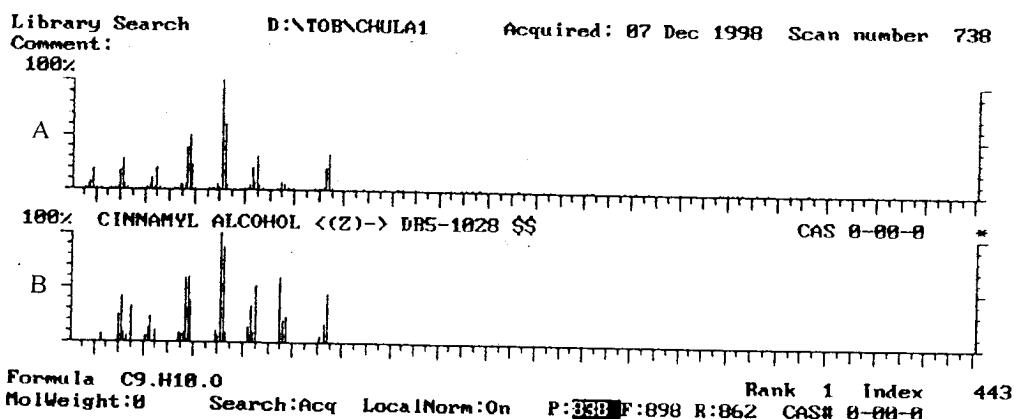


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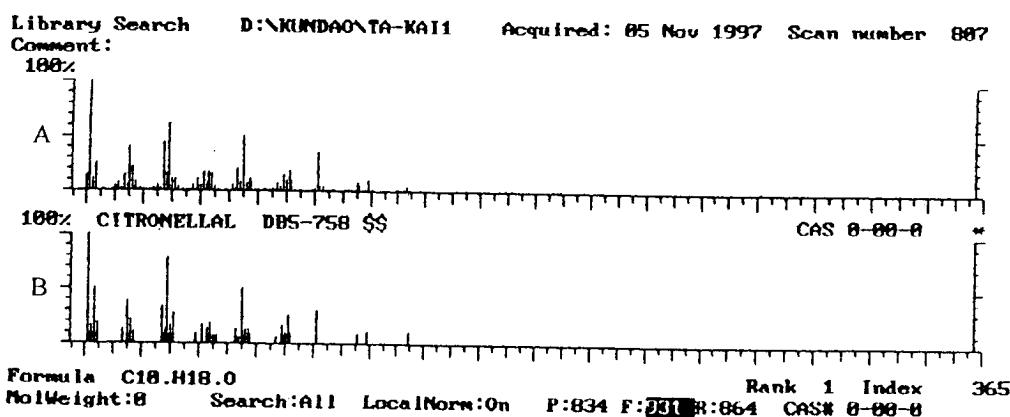


Figure 72 Mass spectra of citronellal (A) and authentic citronellal (B) by GC-MS

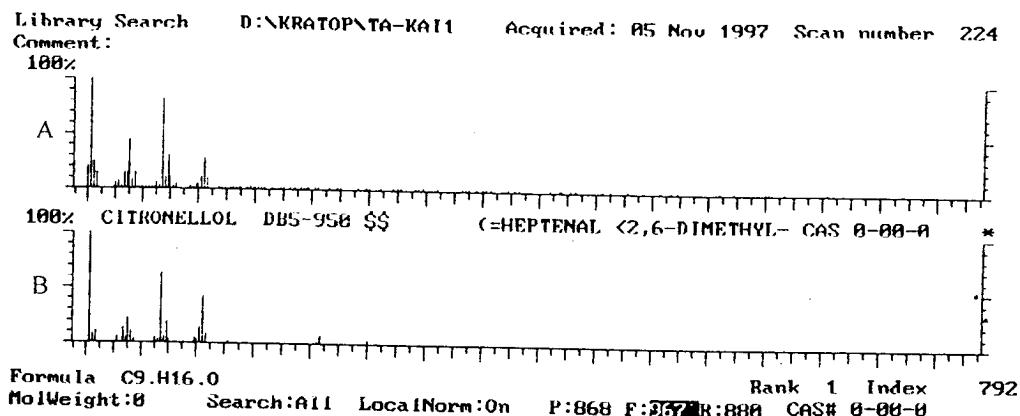


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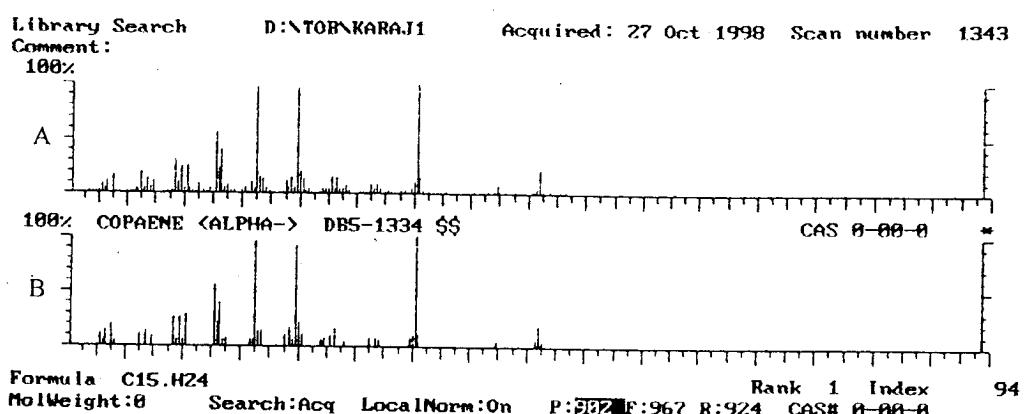


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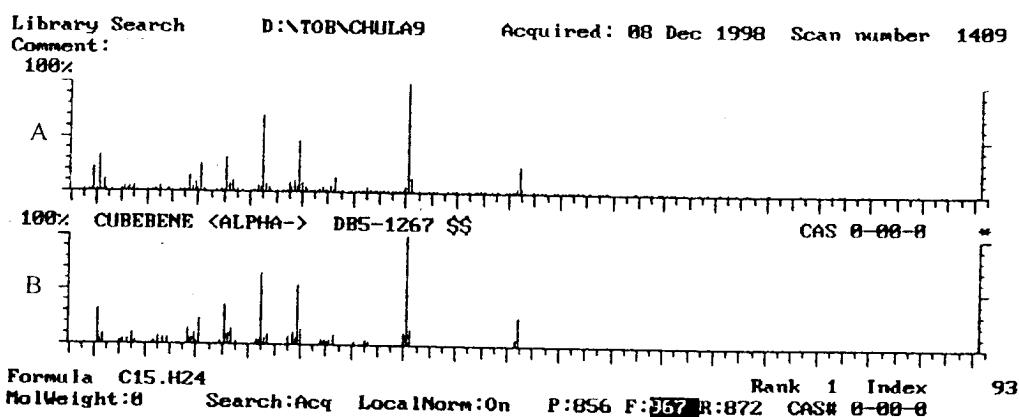


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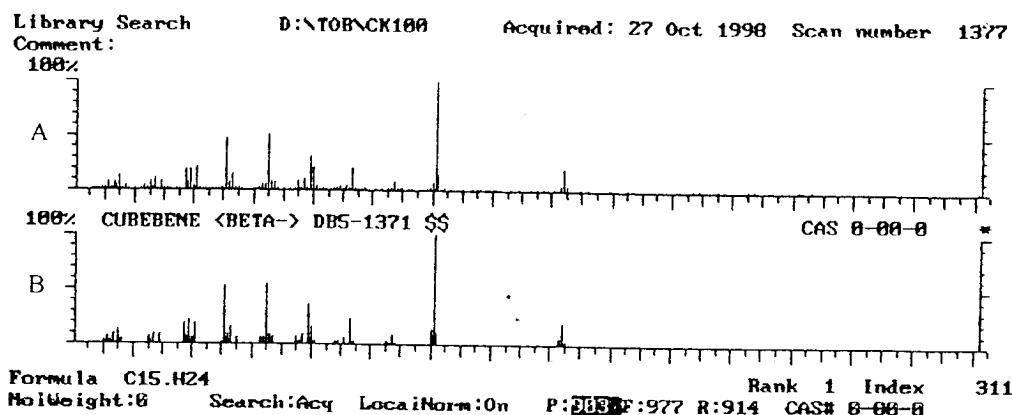


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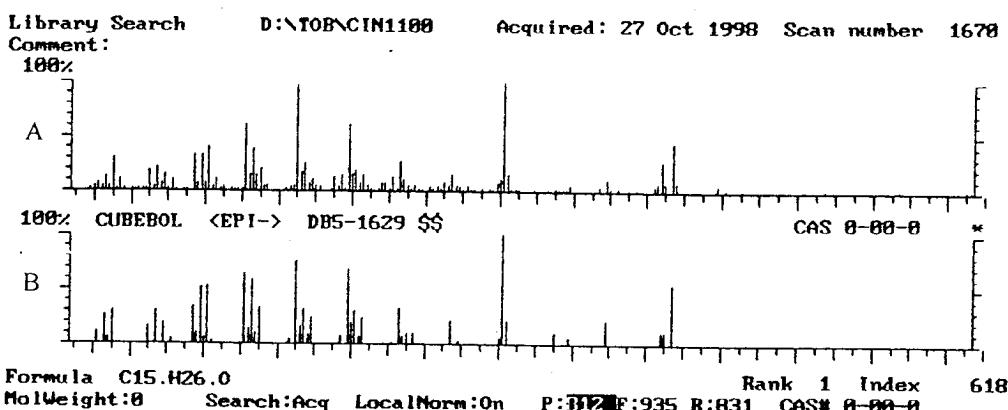


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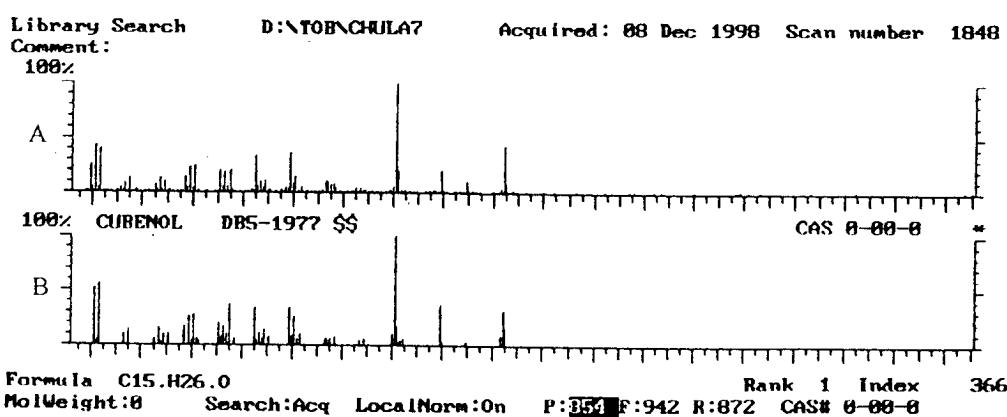


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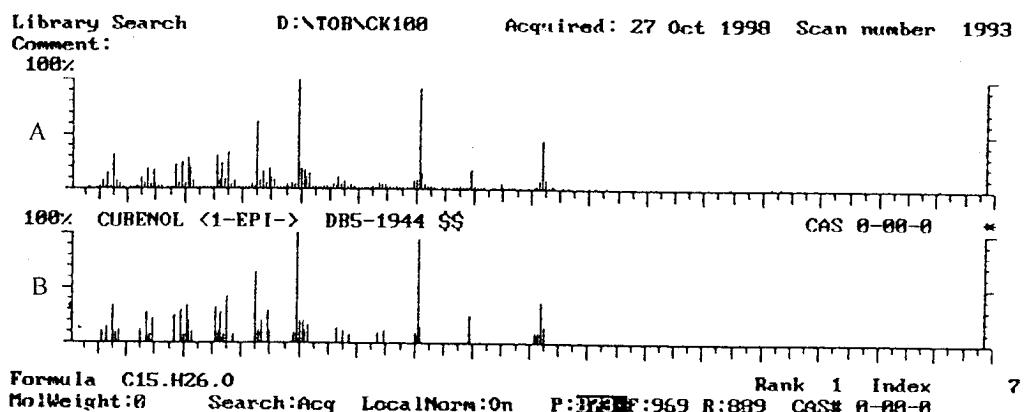


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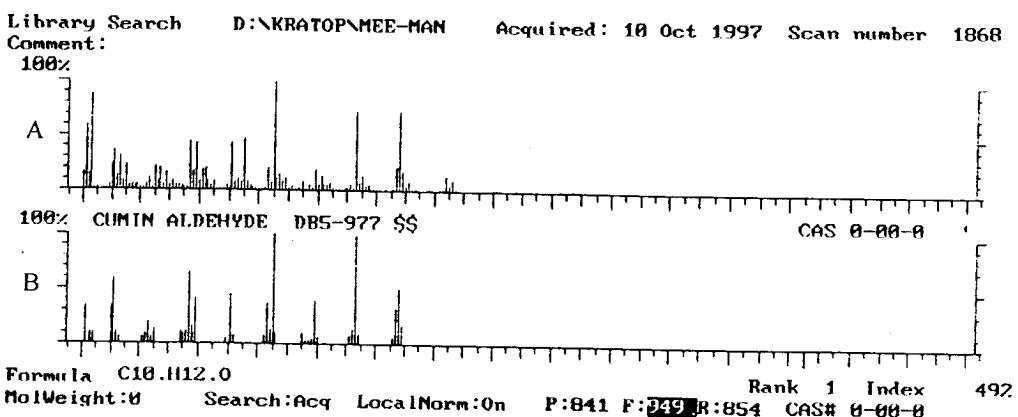


Figure 80 Mass spectra of cumin aldehyde (A) and authentic cumin aldehyde (B) by GC-MS

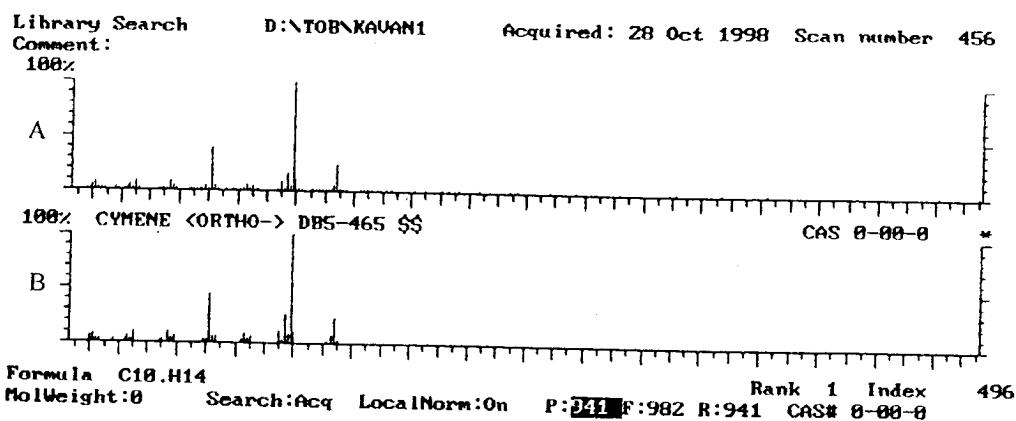


Figure 81 Mass spectra of cymene <*o*-> (A) and authentic cymene <*o*-> (B) by GC-MS

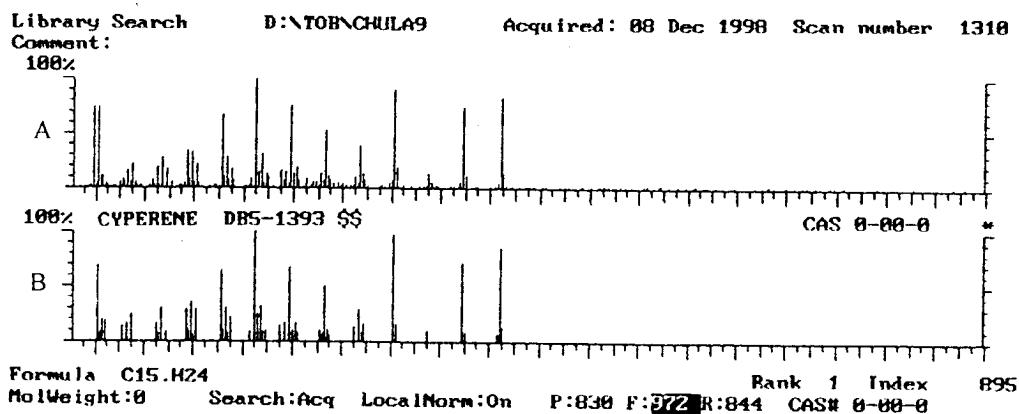


Figure 82 Mass spectra of cyperene (A) and authentic cyperene (B) by GC-MS

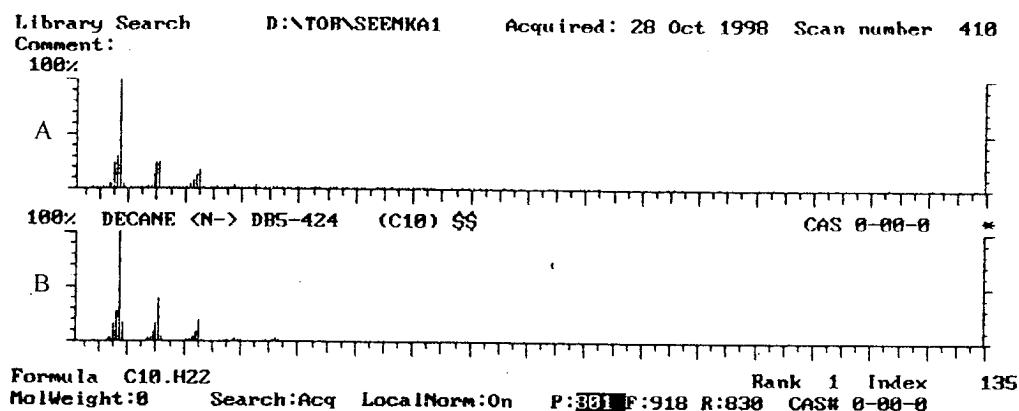


Figure 83 Mass spectra of decane <n-> (A) and authentic decane <n-> (B) by GC-MS

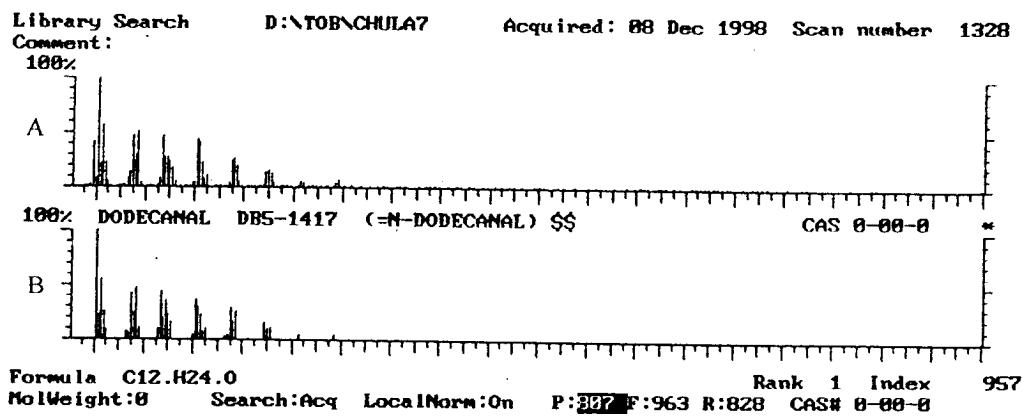


Figure 84 Mass spectra of dodecanal (A) and authentic dodecanal (B) by GC-MS

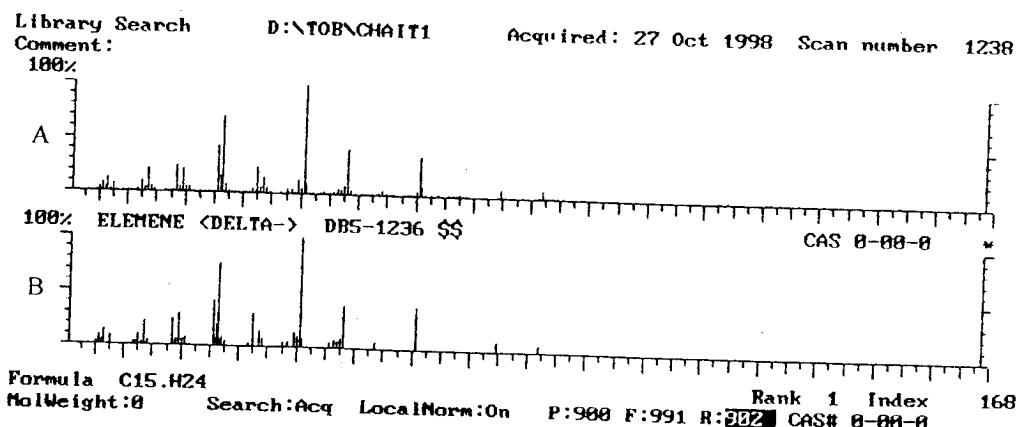


Figure 85 Mass spectra of elemene $\langle \delta-\rangle$ (A) and authentic elemene $\langle \delta-\rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

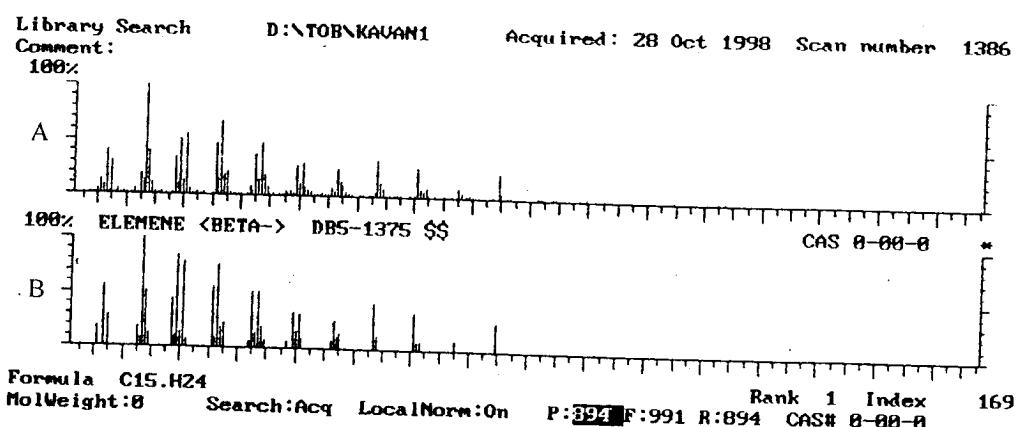


Figure 86 Mass spectra of elemene $\langle \beta-\rangle$ (A) and authentic elemene $\langle \beta-\rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

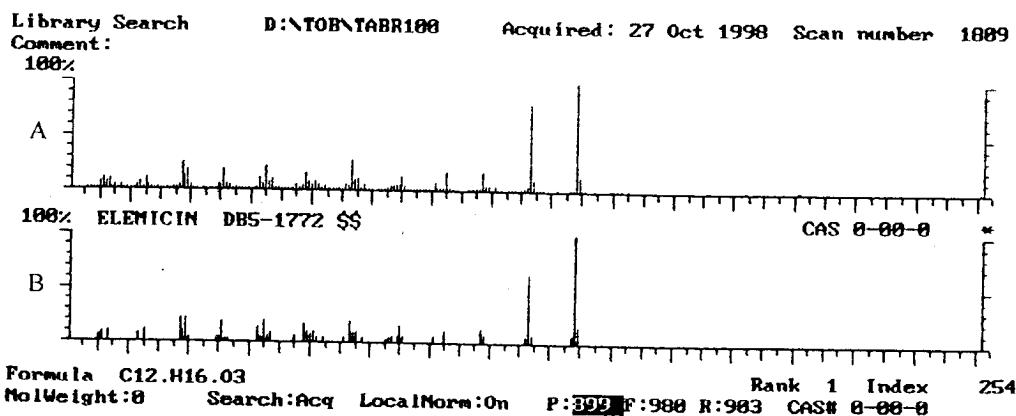


Figure 87 Mass spectra of elemicin (A) and authentic elemicin (B) by GC-MS

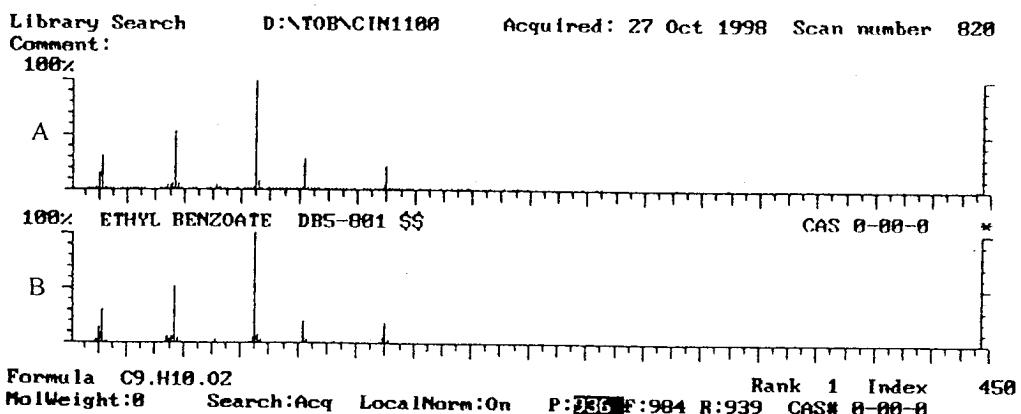


Figure 88 Mass spectra of ethyl benzoate (A) and authentic ethyl benzoate (B) by GC-MS

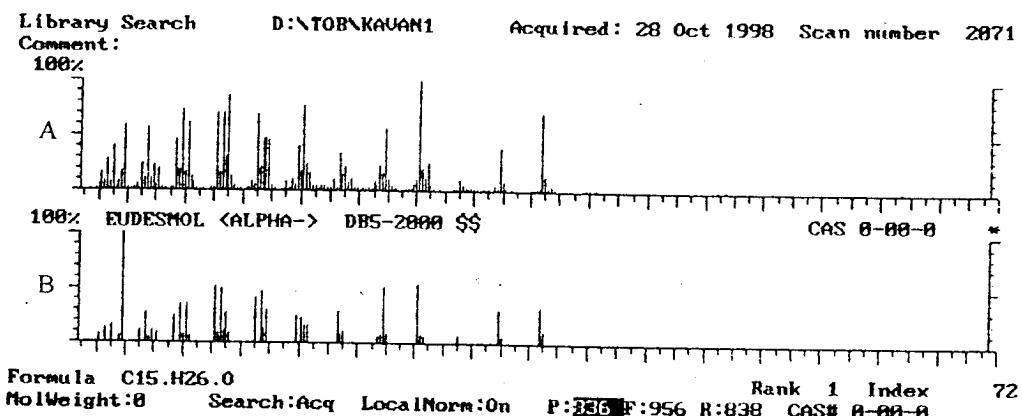


Figure 89 Mass spectra of eudesmol < α -> (A) and authentic eudesmol < α -> (B) by GC-MS

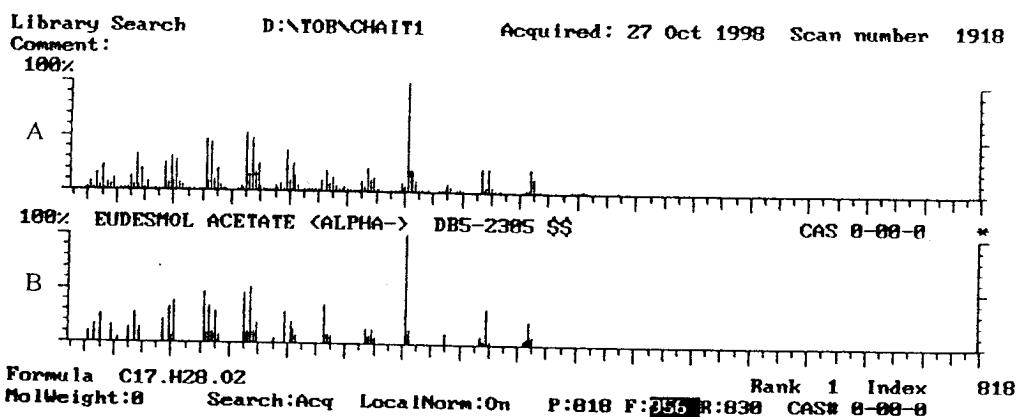


Figure 90 Mass spectra of eudesmol acetate < α -> (A) and authentic eudesmol acetate < α -> (B) by GC-MS

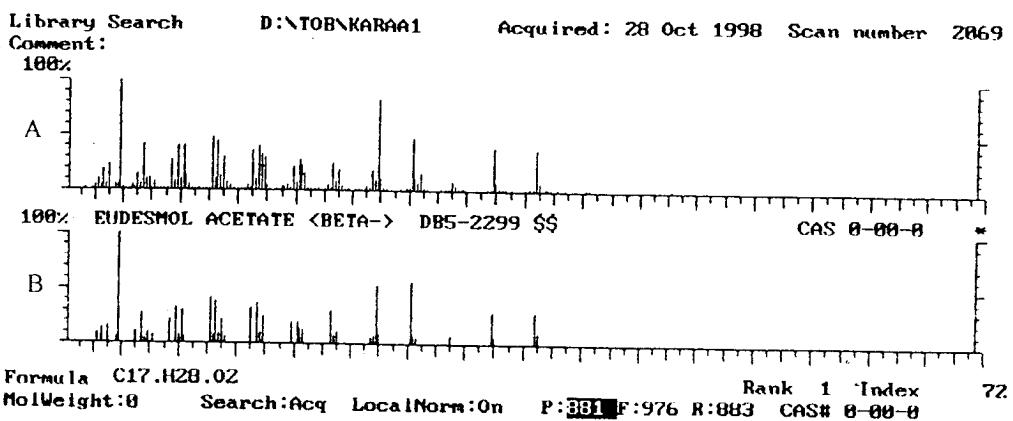


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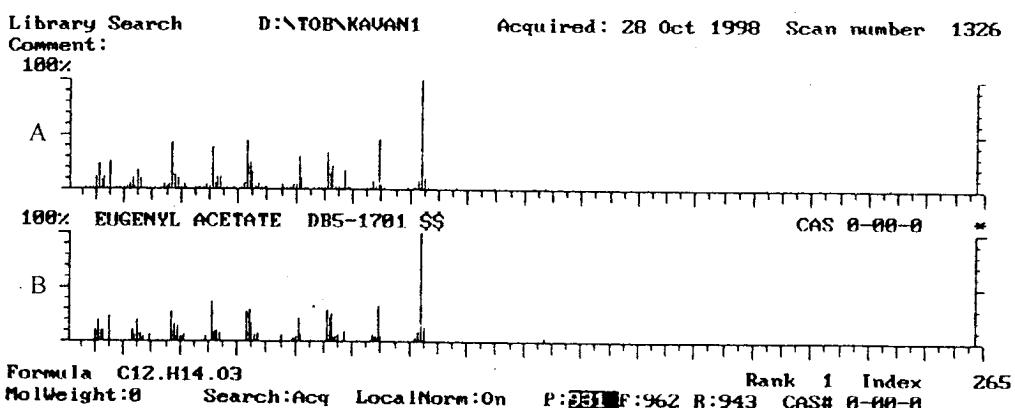


Figure 92 Mass spectra of eugenyl acetate (A) and authentic eugenyl acetate (B) by GC-MS

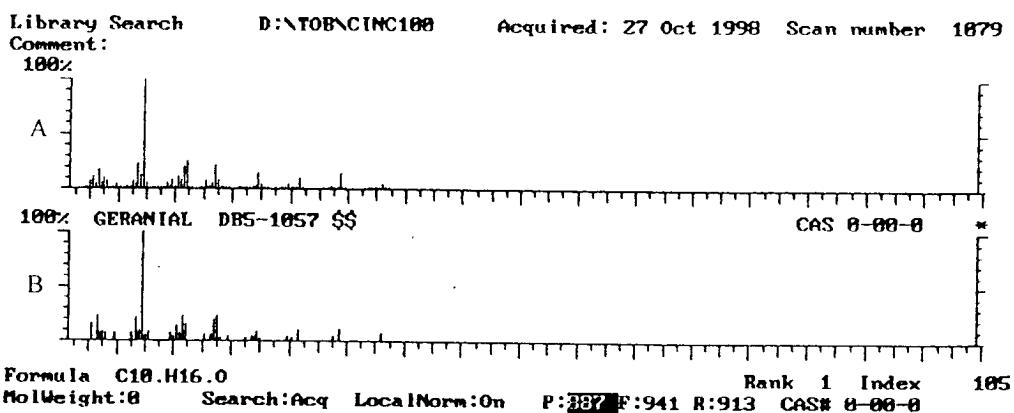


Figure 93 Mass spectra of geranal (A) and authentic geranal (B) by GC-MS

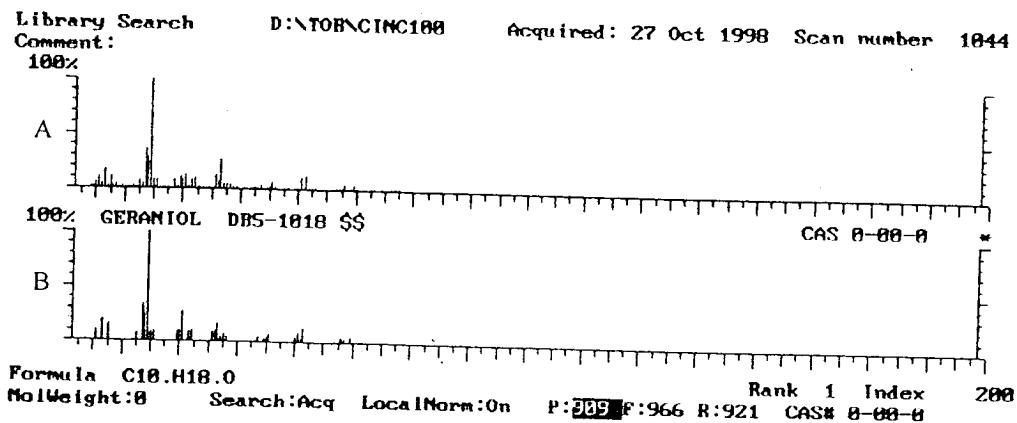


Figure 94 Mass spectra of geraniol (A) and authentic geraniol (B) by GC-MS

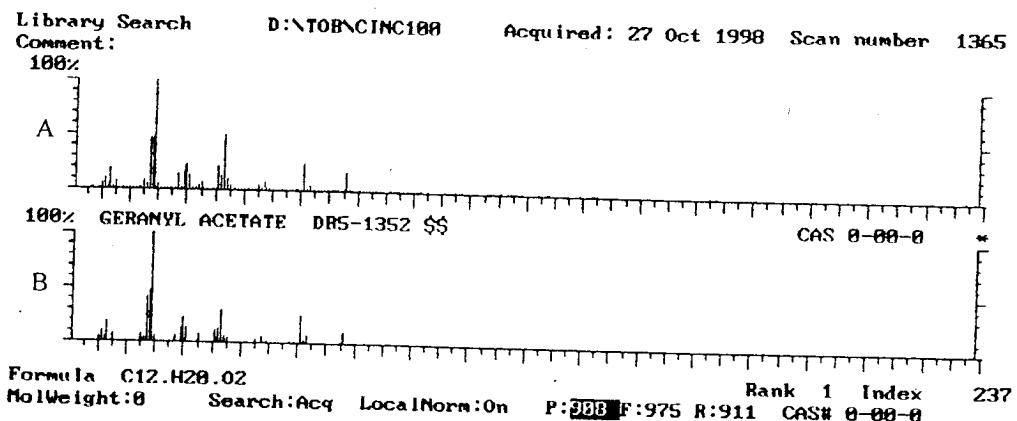


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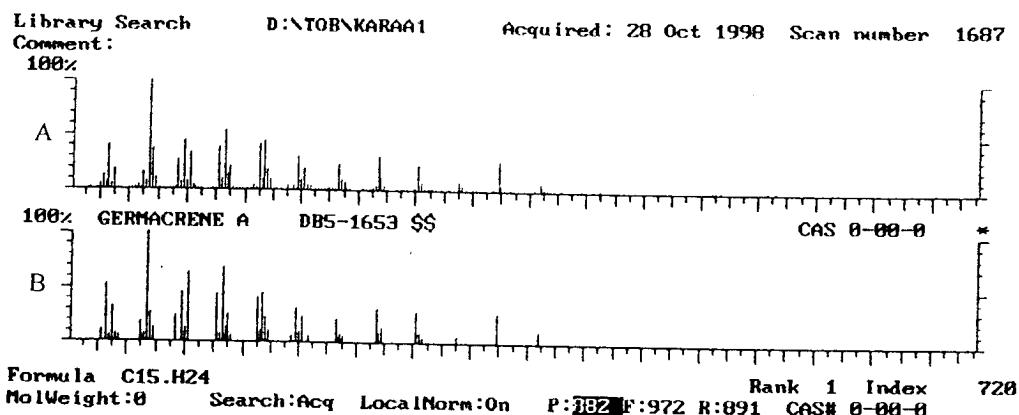


Figure 96 Mass spectra of germacrene A (A) and authentic germacrene A (B) by GC-MS

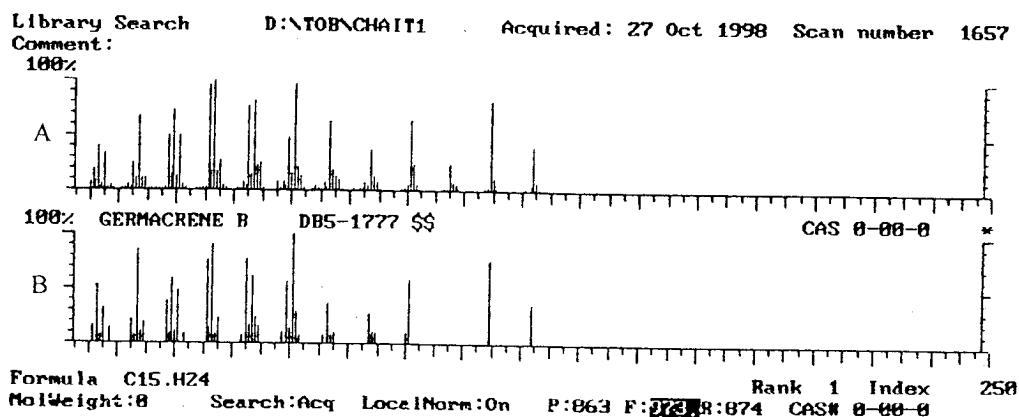


Figure 97 Mass spectra of germacrene B (A) and authentic germacrene B (B) by GC-MS

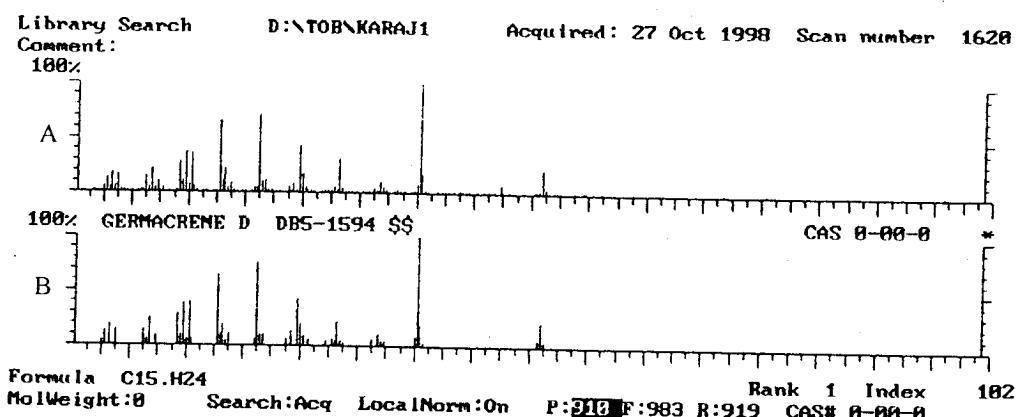


Figure 98 Mass spectra of germacrene D (A) and authentic germacrene D (B) by GC-MS

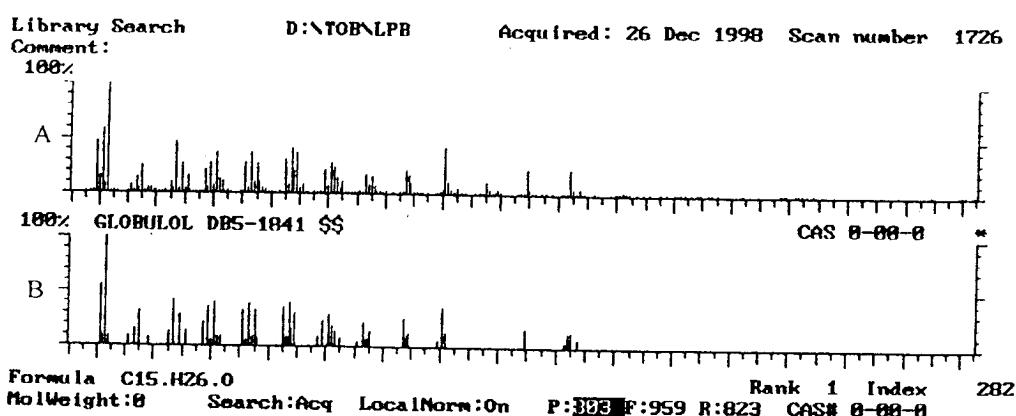


Figure 99 Mass spectra of globulol (A) and authentic globulol (B) by GC-MS

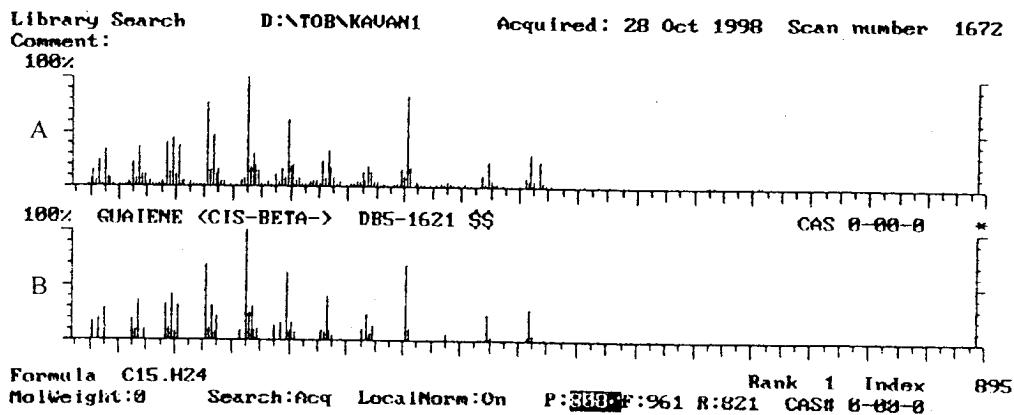


Figure 100 Mass spectra of guaiene *< cis-β->* (A) and authentic guaiene *< cis-β->* (B) by GC-MS

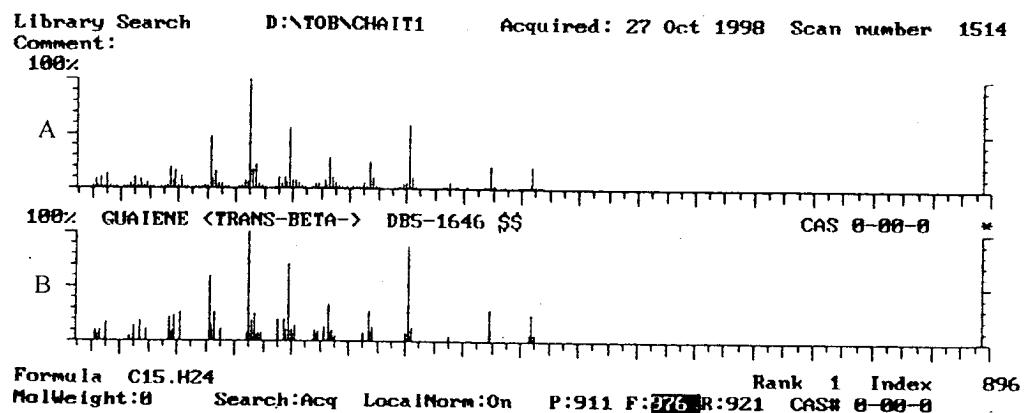


Figure 101 Mass spectra of guaiene *< trans-β->* (A) and authentic guaiene *< trans-β->* (B) by GC-MS

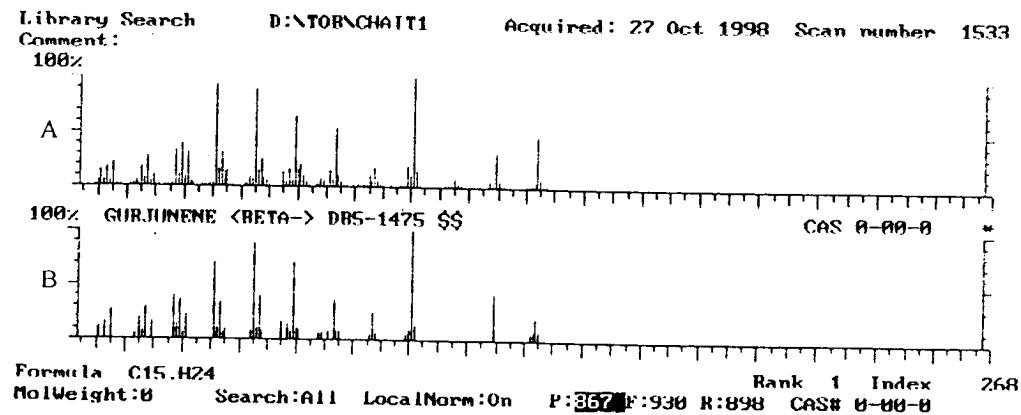


Figure 102 Mass spectra of gurjunene *< β->* (A) and authentic gurjunene *< β->* (B) by GC-MS

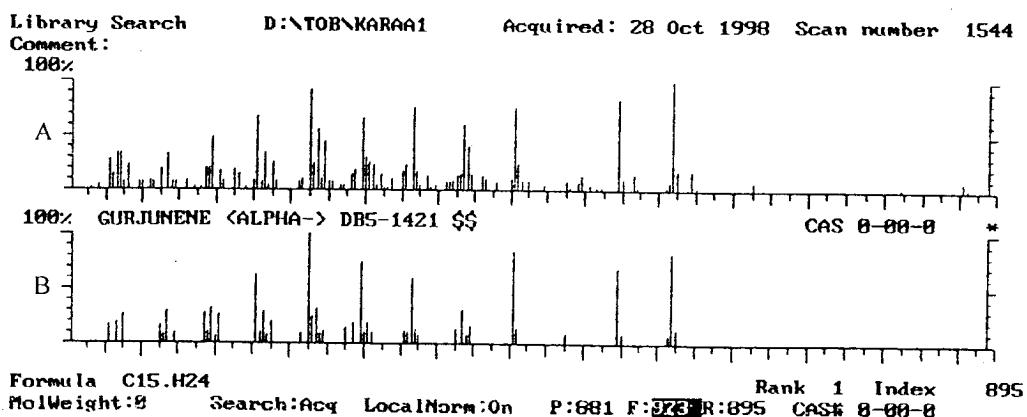


Figure 103 Mass spectra of gurjunene $\langle\alpha\rangle$ (A) and authentic gurjunene $\langle\alpha\rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

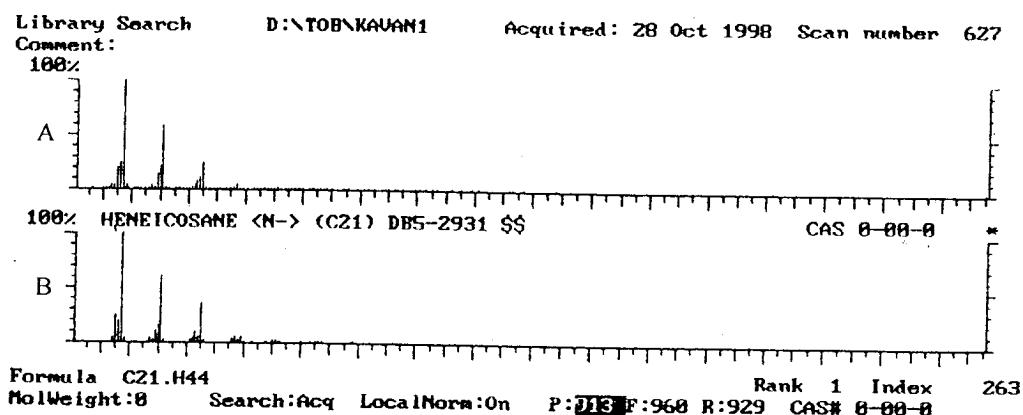


Figure 104 Mass spectra of heneicosane $\langle n\rangle$ (A) and authentic heneicosane $\langle n\rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

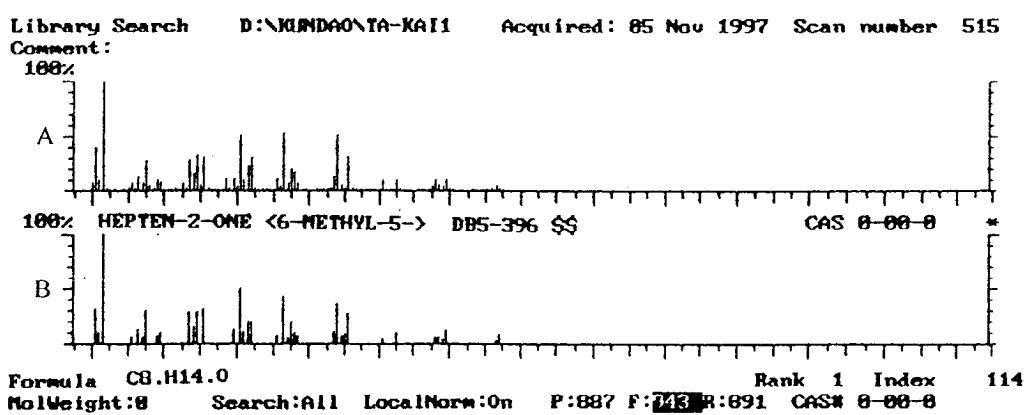


Figure 105 Mass spectra of hepten-2-one $\langle 6\text{-methyl-5}\rangle$ (A) and authentic hepten-2-one $\langle 6\text{-methyl-5}\rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

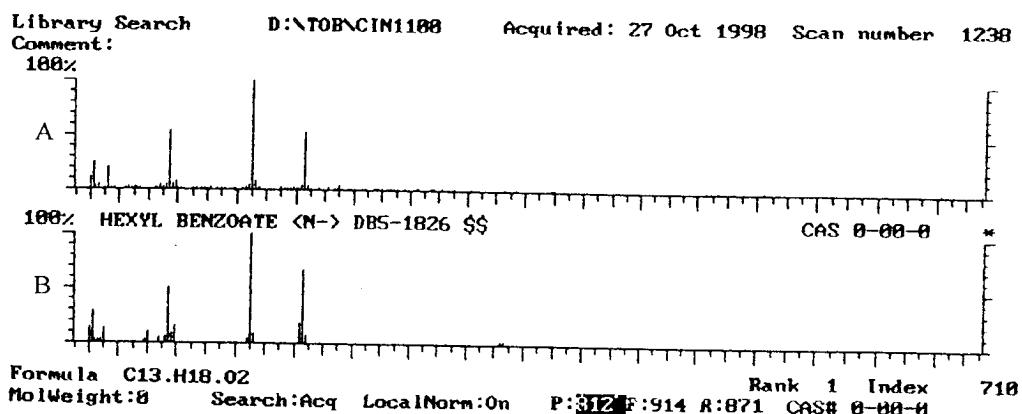


Figure 106 Mass spectra of hexyl benzoate $< n->$ (A) and authentic hexyl benzoate $< n->$ (B) by GC-MS

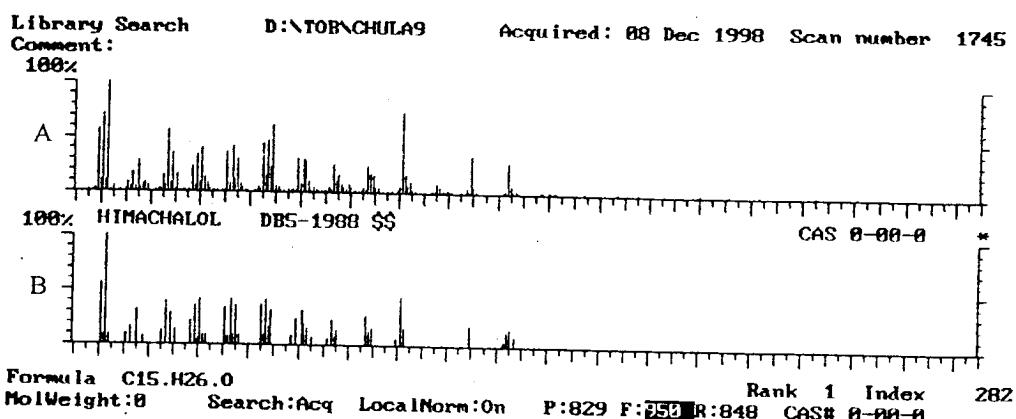


Figure 107 Mass spectra of himachalol (A) and authentic himachalol (B) by GC-MS

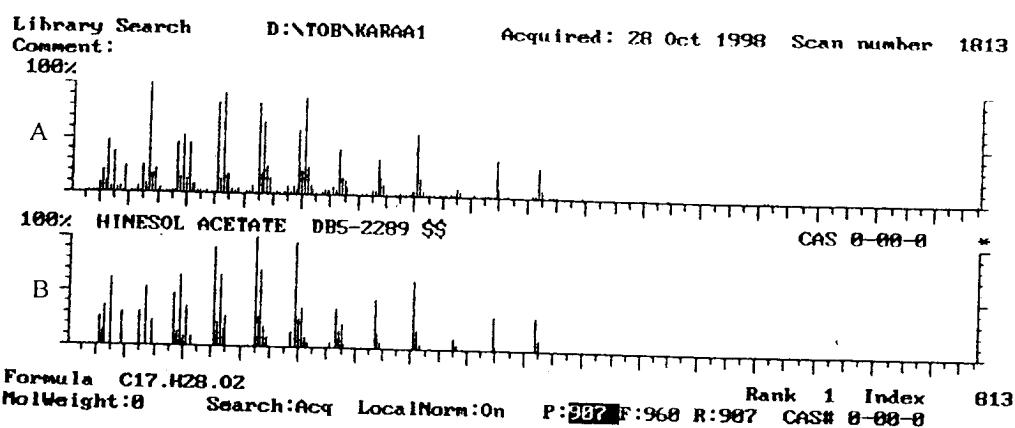


Figure 108 Mass spectra of hinesol acetate (A) and authentic hinesol acetate (B) by GC-MS

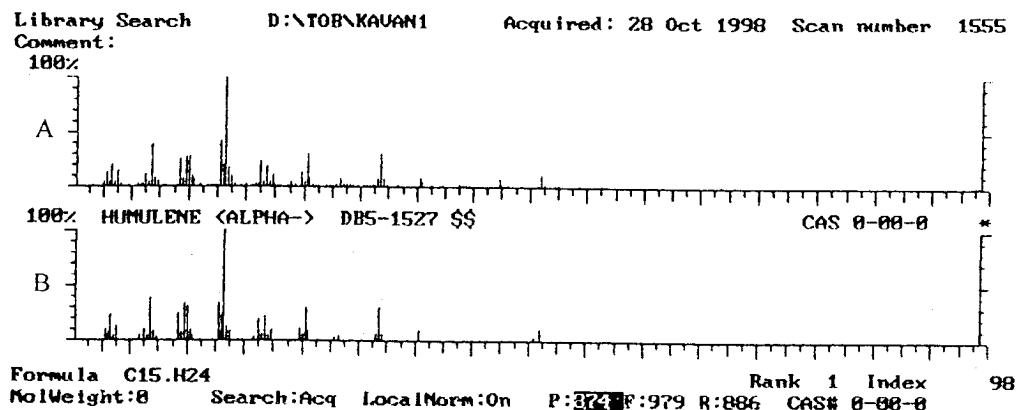


Figure 109 Mass spectra of humulene α - (A) and authentic humulene α - (B) by GC-MS

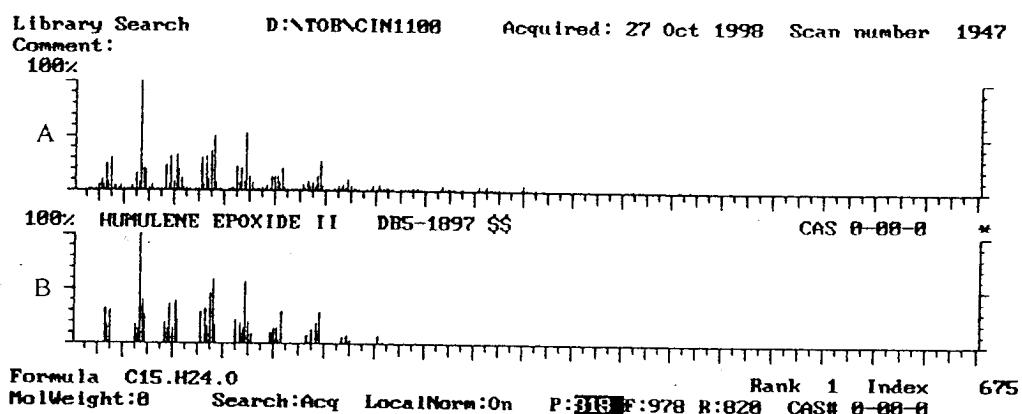


Figure 110 Mass spectra of humulene epoxide II (A) and authentic humulene epoxide II (B) by GC-MS

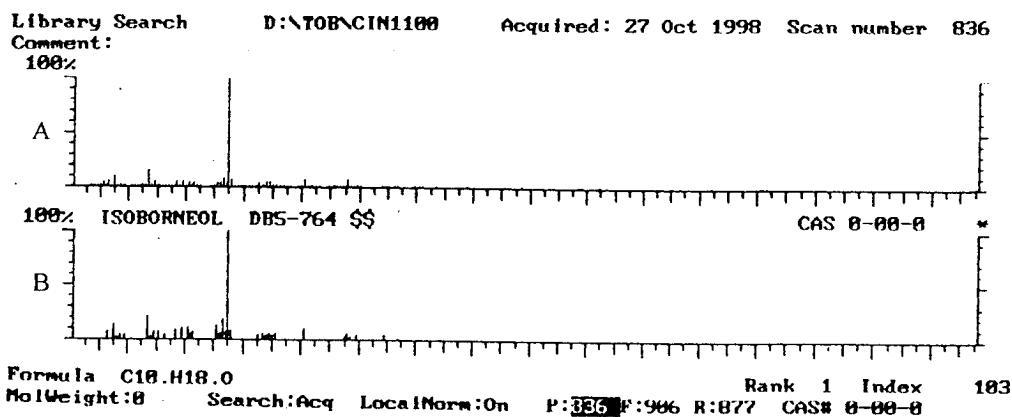


Figure 111 Mass spectra of isoborneol (A) and authentic isoborneol (B) by GC-MS

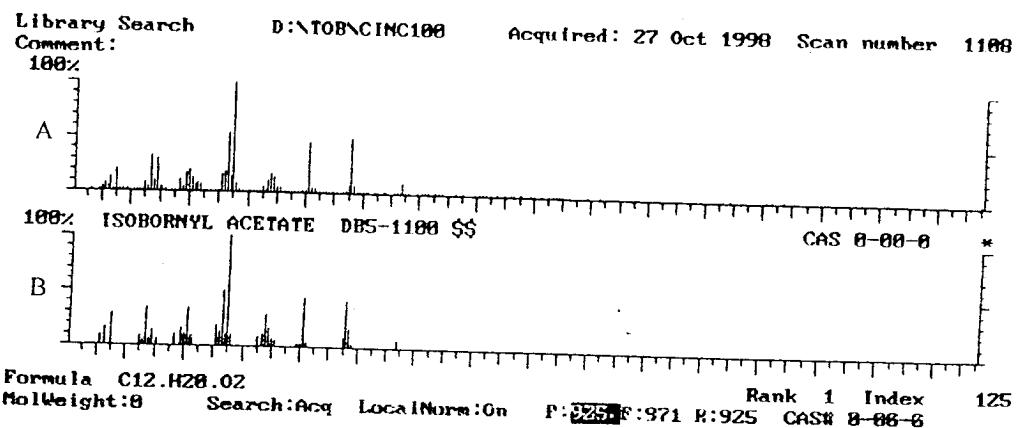


Figure 112 Mass spectra of isobornyl acetate (A) and authentic isobornyl acetate (B) by GC-MS

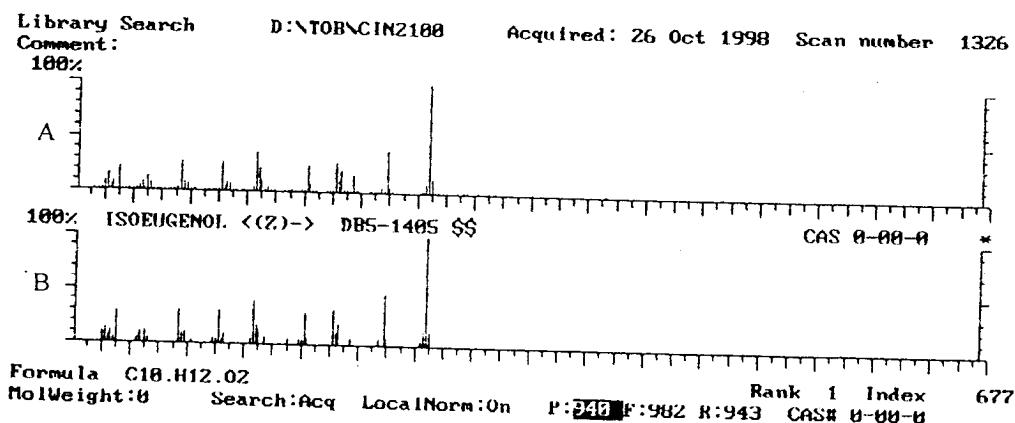


Figure 113 Mass spectra of isoeugenol <(Z)-> (A) and authentic isoeugenol <(Z)-> (B) by GC-MS

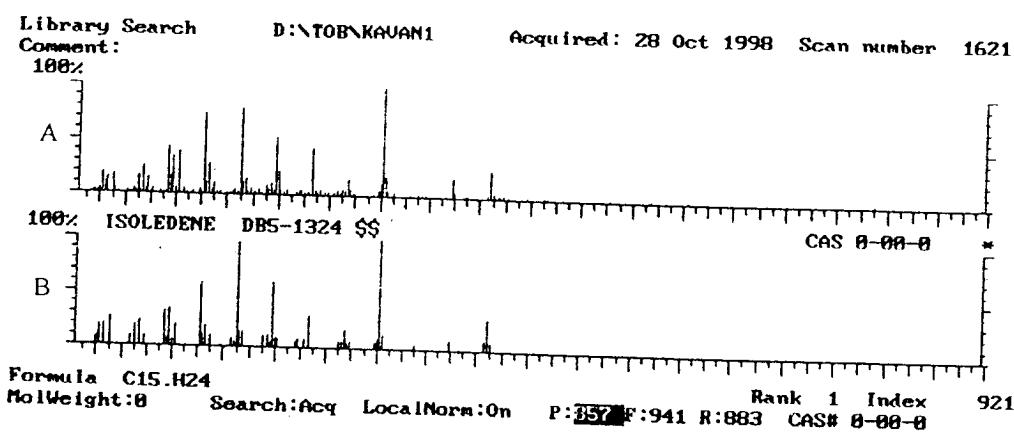


Figure 114 Mass spectra of isoledene (A) and authentic isoledene (B) by GC-MS

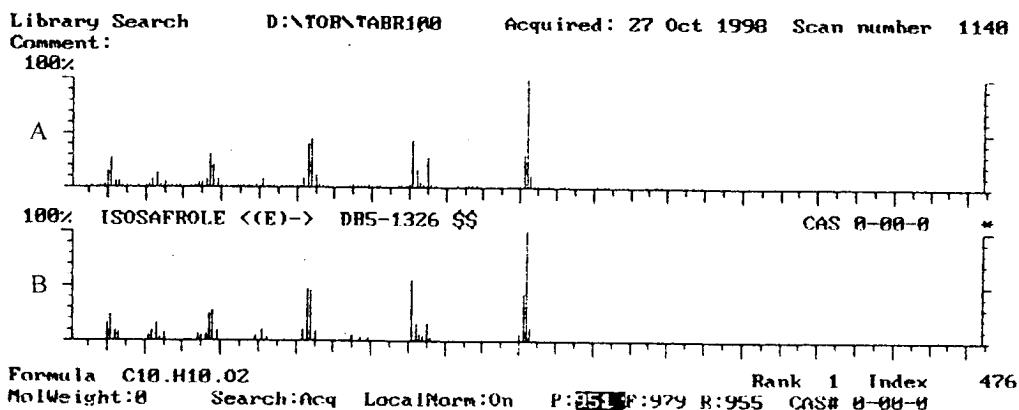


Figure 115 Mass spectra of isosafrole <(E)-> (A) and authentic isosafrole <(E)-> (B) by GC-MS

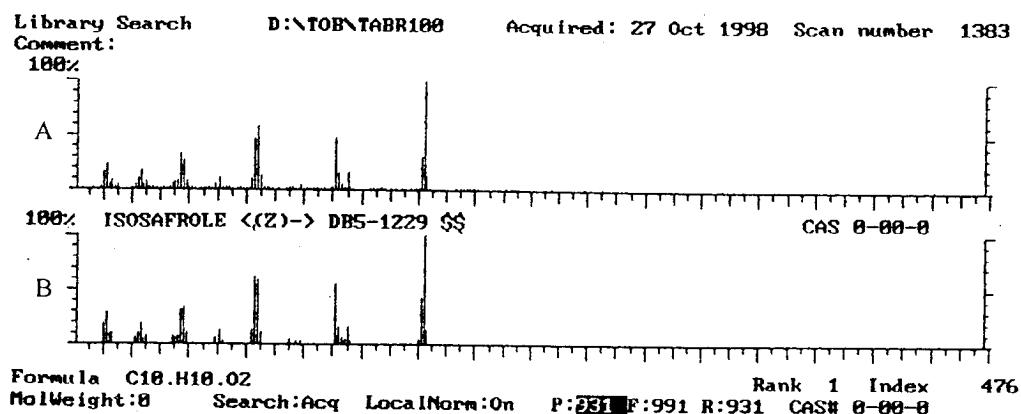


Figure 116 Mass spectra of isosafrole <(Z)-> (A) and authentic isosafrole <(Z)-> (B) by GC-MS

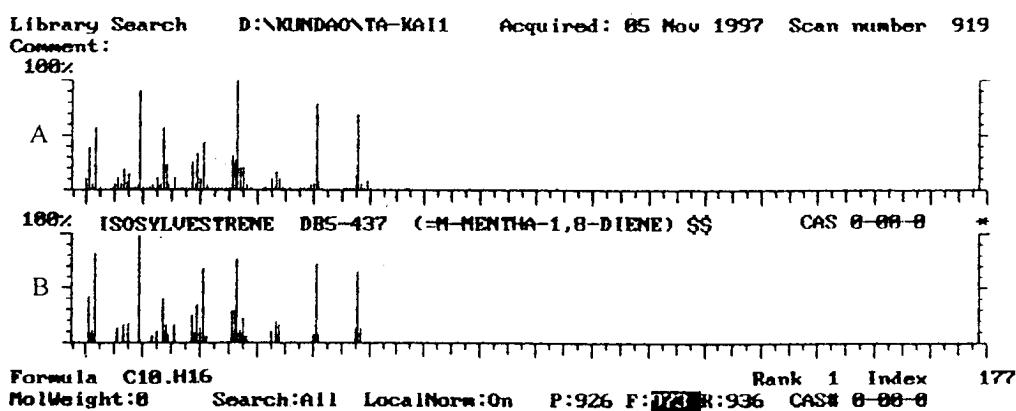


Figure 117 Mass spectra of isosylvestrene (A) and authentic isosylvestrene (B) by GC-MS

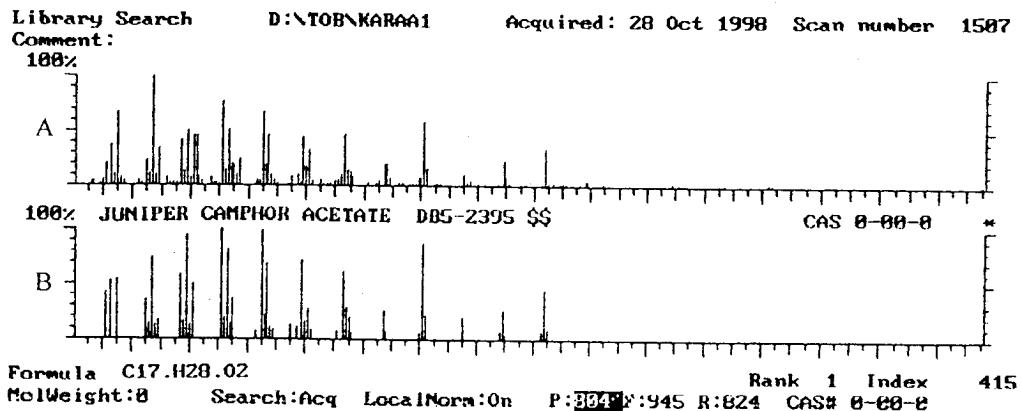


Figure 118 Mass spectra of juniper camphor acetate (A) and authentic juniper camphor acetate (B) by GC-MS

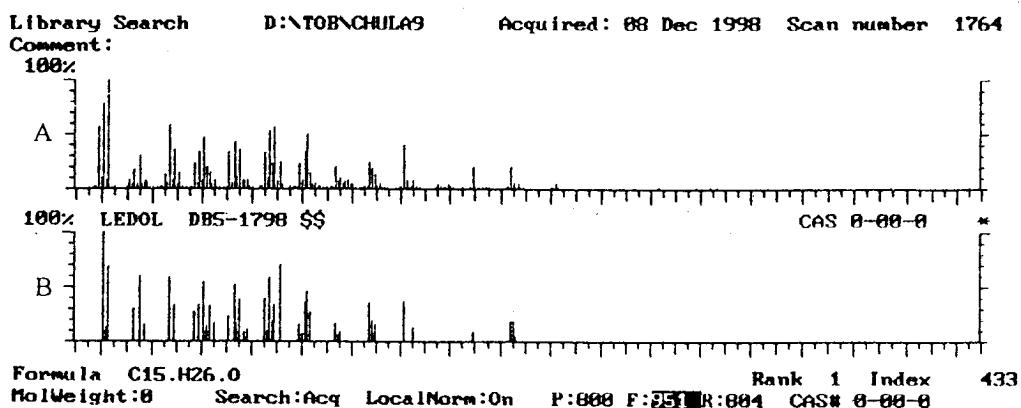


Figure 119 Mass spectra of ledol (A) and authentic ledol (B) by GC-MS

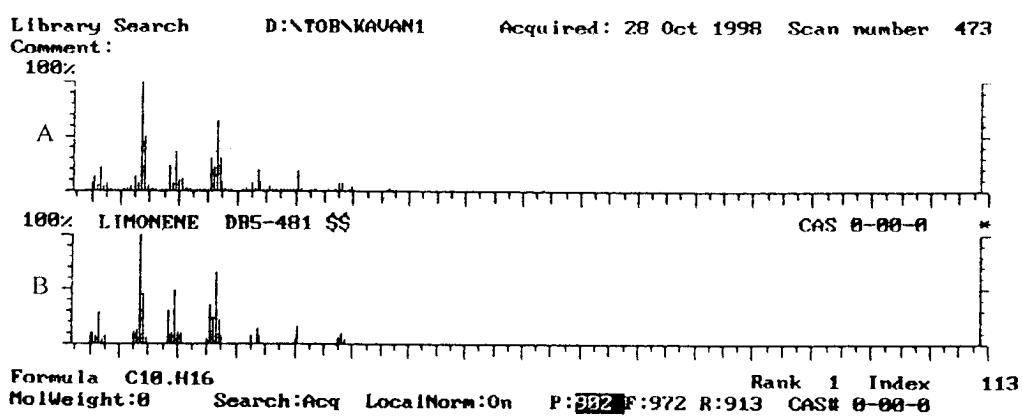


Figure 120 Mass spectra of limonene (A) and authentic limonene (B) by GC-MS

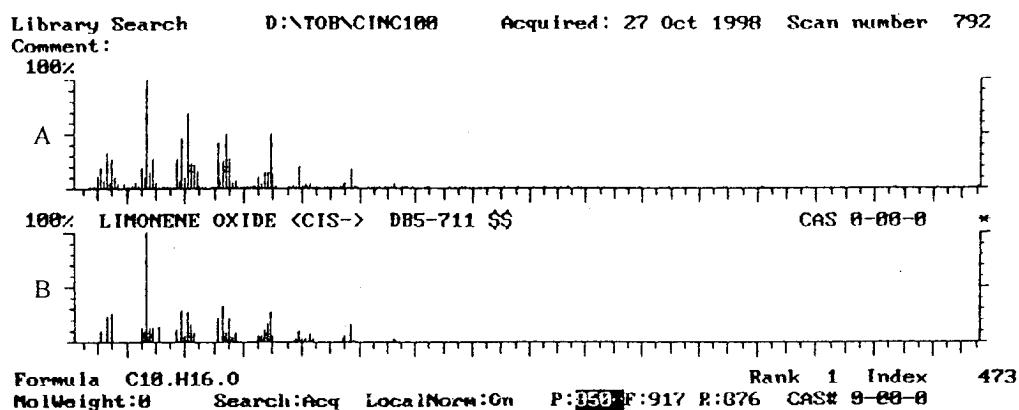


Figure 121 Mass spectra of limonene oxide *< cis->* (A) and authentic limonene oxide *< cis->* (B) by GC-MS

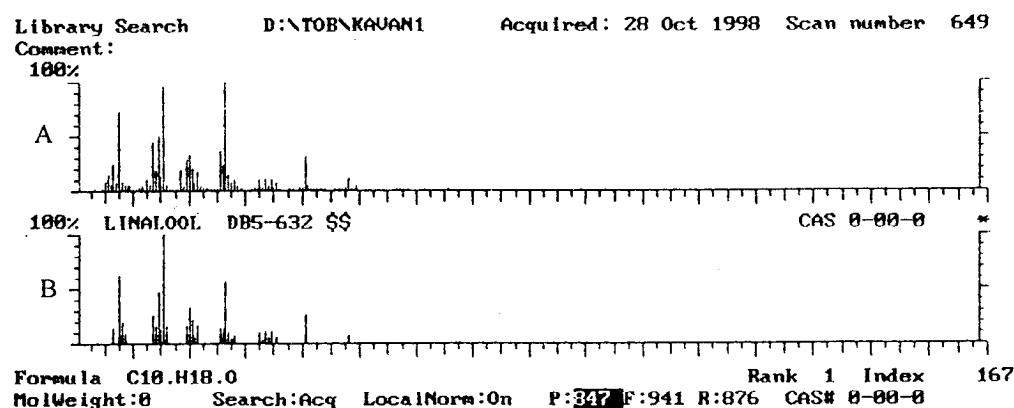


Figure 122 Mass spectra of linalool (A) and authentic linalool (B) by GC-MS

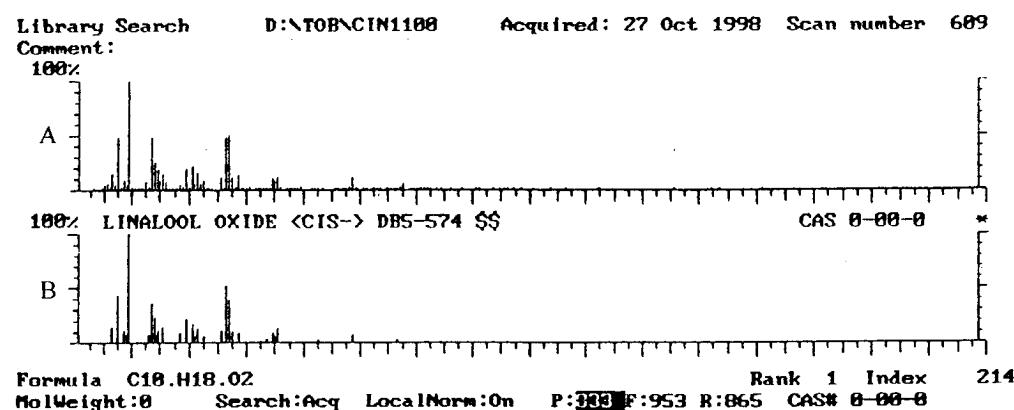


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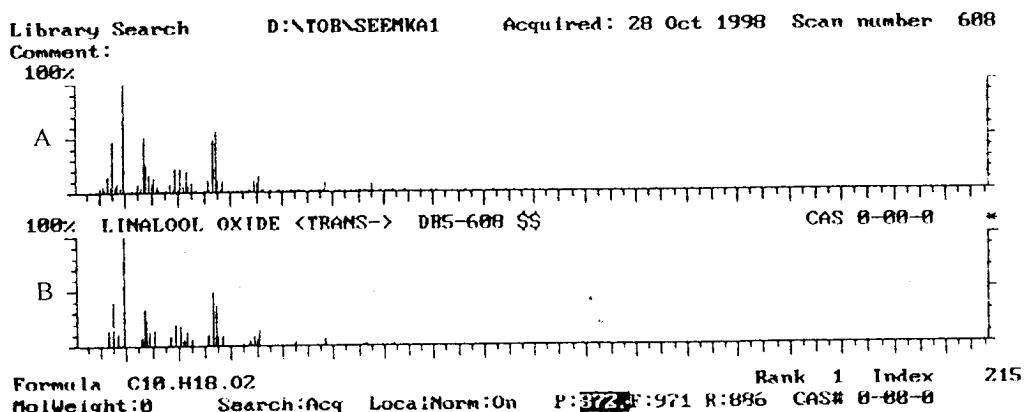


Figure 124 Mass spectra of linalool oxide *<trans->* (A) and authentic linalool oxide *<trans->* (B) by GC-MS

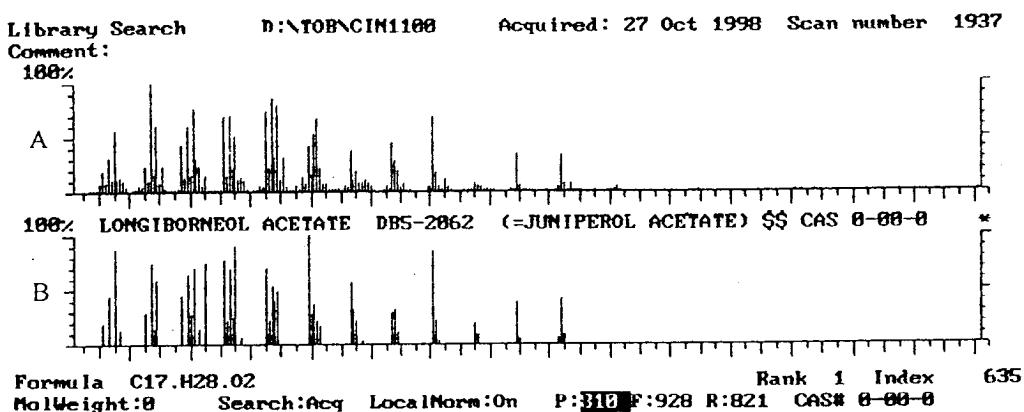


Figure 125 Mass spectra of longiborneol acetate (A) and authentic longiborneol acetate (B) by GC-MS

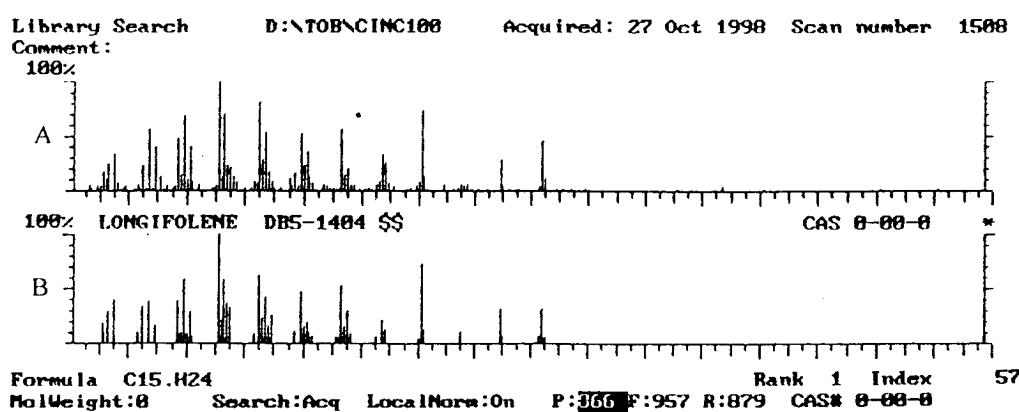


Figure 126 Mass spectra of longifolene (A) and authentic longifolene (B) by GC-MS

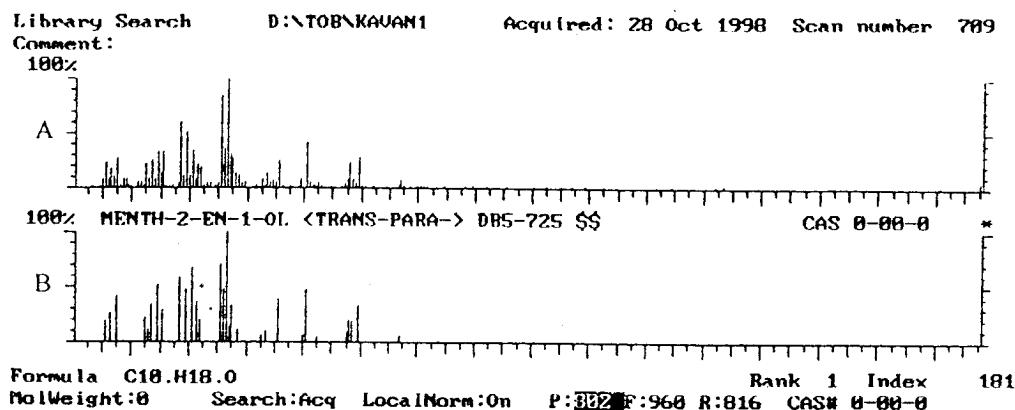


Figure 127 Mass spectra of menth-2-en-1-ol <trans-para-> (A) and authentic menth-2-en-1-ol <trans-para-> (B) by GC-MS

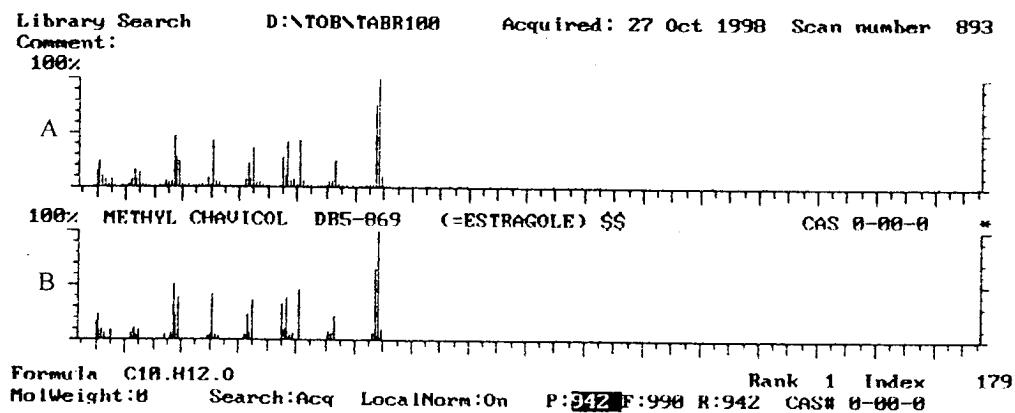


Figure 128 Mass spectra of methyl chavicol (A) and authentic methyl chavicol (B) by GC-MS

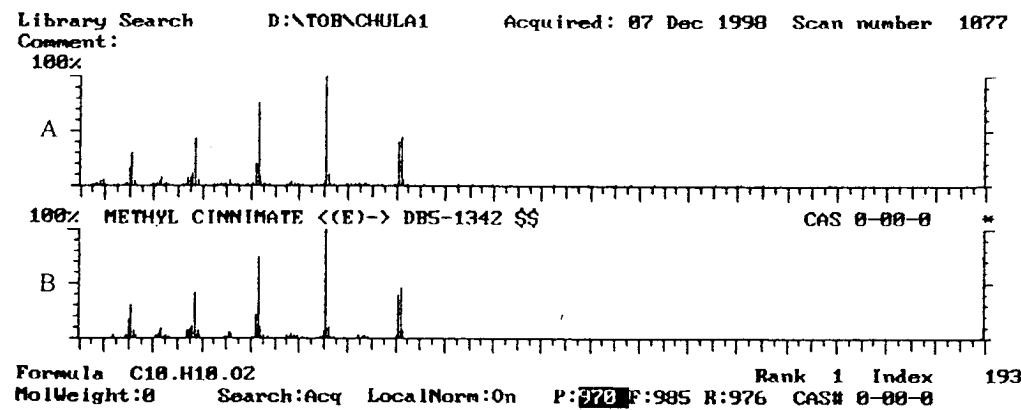


Figure 129 Mass spectra of methyl cinnamate <(E)-> (A) and authentic methyl cinnamate <(E)-> (B) by GC-MS

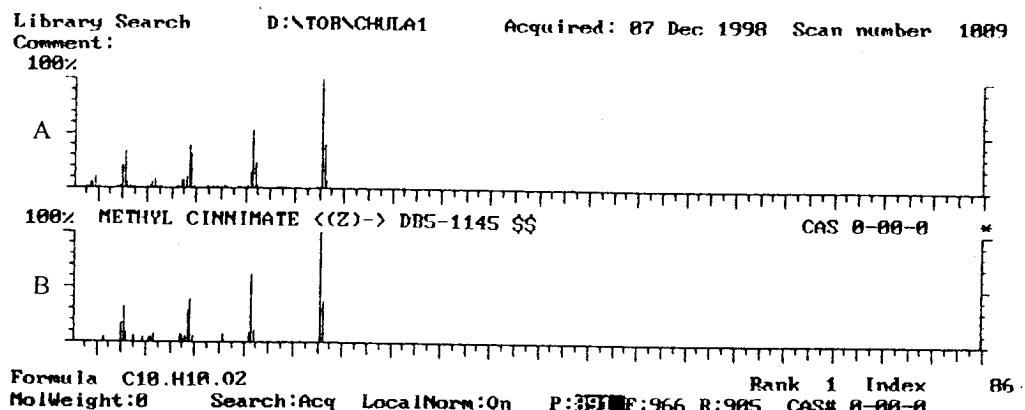


Figure 130 Mass spectra of methyl cinnamate $<(Z)->$ (A) and authentic methyl cinnamate $<(Z)->$ (B) by GC-MS

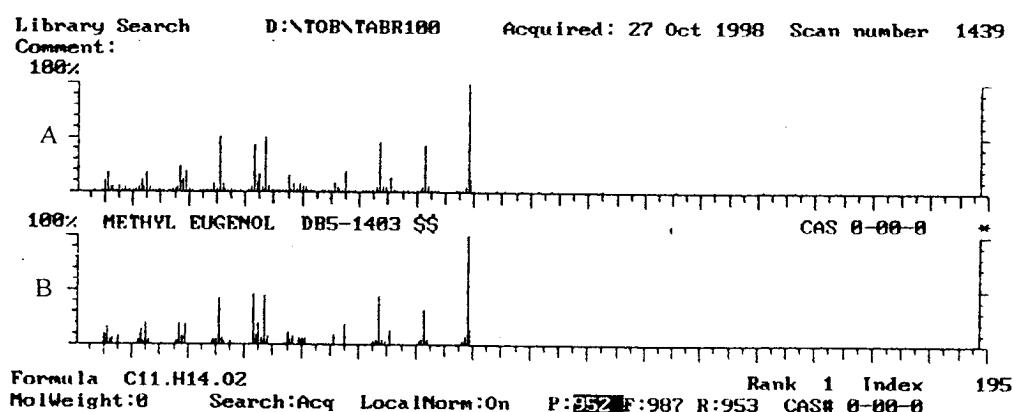


Figure 131 Mass spectra of methyl eugenol (A) and authentic methyl eugenol (B) by GC-MS

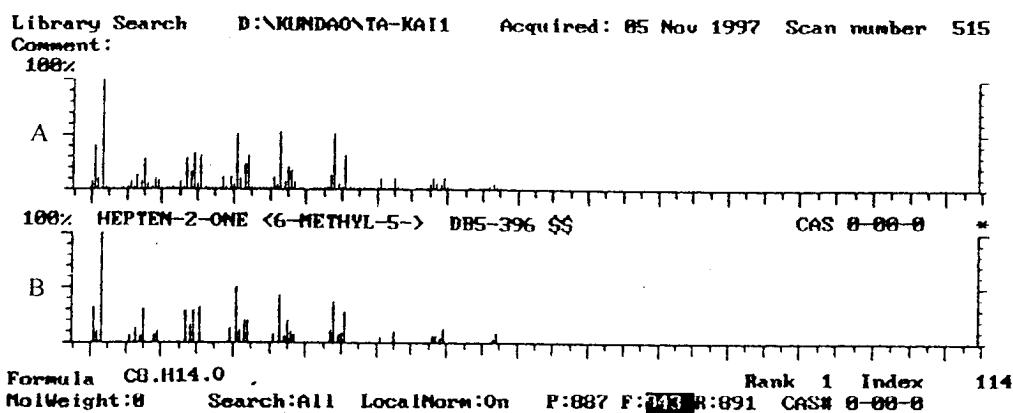


Figure 132 Mass spectra of 6-methyl-5-hepten-2-one (A) and authentic 6-methyl-5-hepten-2-one (B) by GC-MS

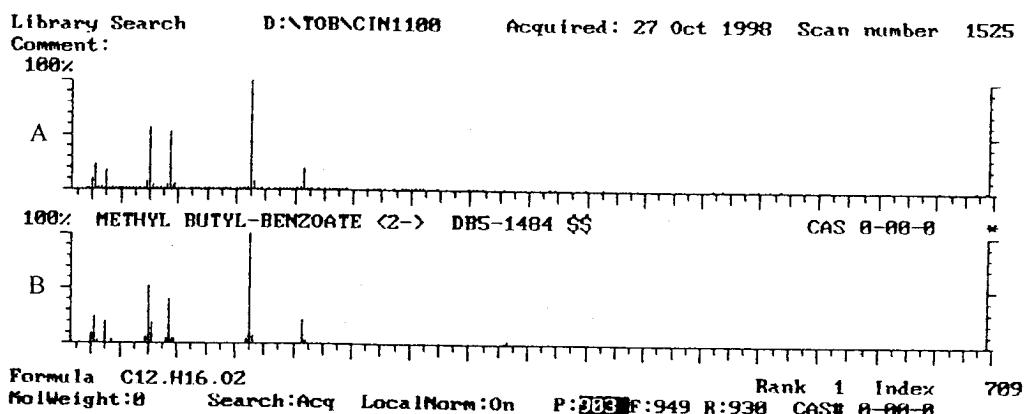


Figure 133 Mass spectra of methyl-butyl-benzoate <2-> (A) and authentic methyl-butyl-benzoate <2-> (B) by GC-MS

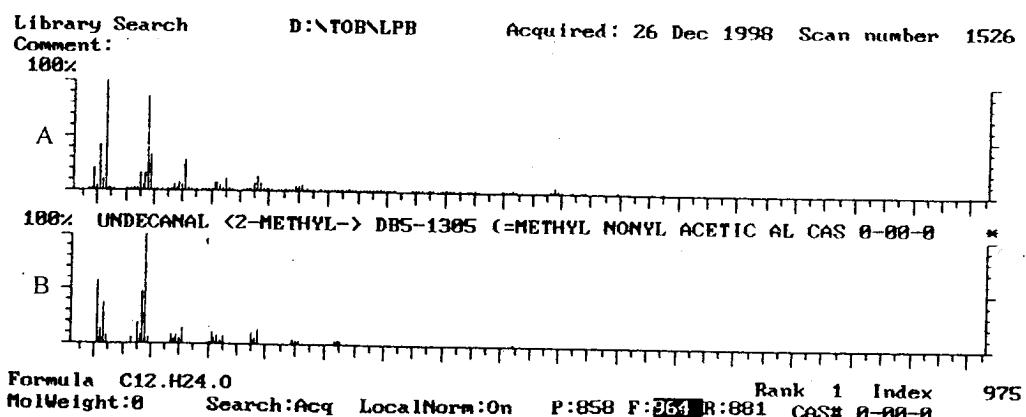


Figure 134 Mass spectra of methyl-undecanal <2-> (A) and authentic methyl-undecanal <2-> (B) by GC-MS

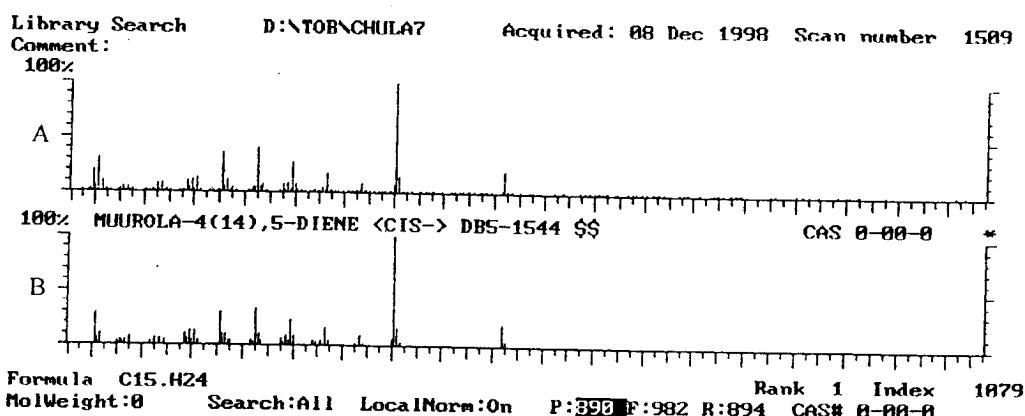


Figure 135 Mass spectra of muurola-4(14),5-diene <*cis*-> (A) and authentic muurola-4(14),5-diene <*cis*-> (B) by GC-MS

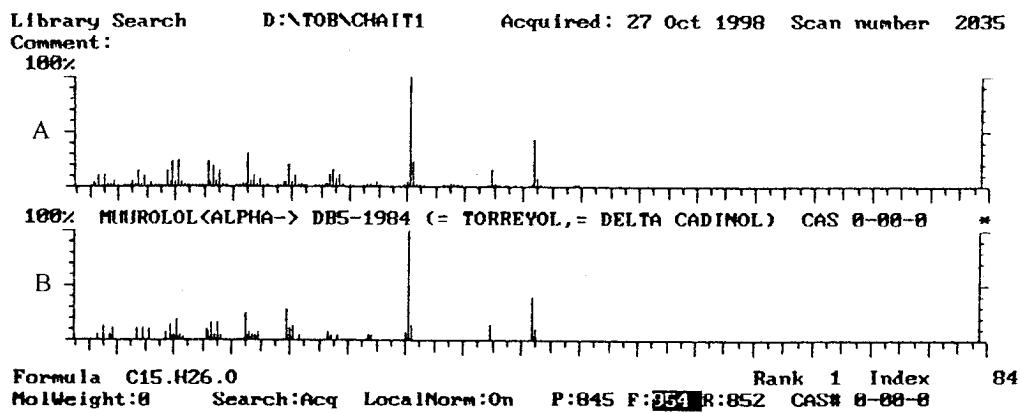


Figure 136 Mass spectra of muurolene $\langle \alpha \rangle$ (A) and authentic muurolene $\langle \alpha \rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

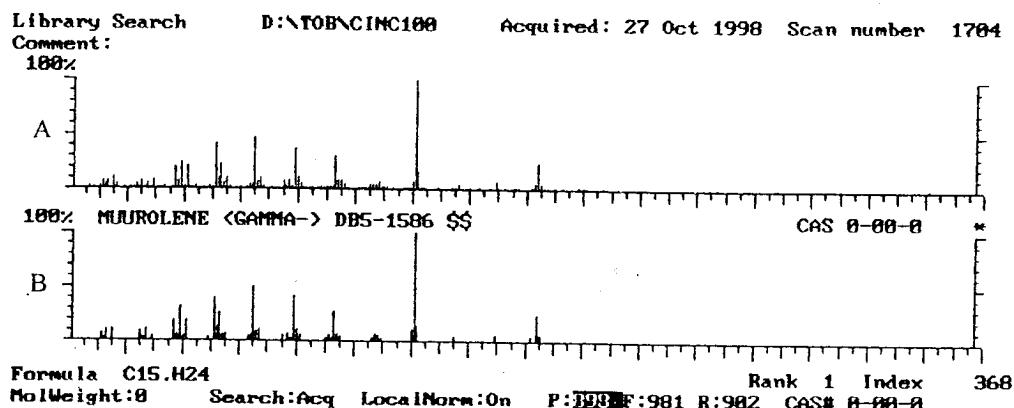


Figure 137 Mass spectra of muurolene $\langle \gamma \rangle$ (A) and authentic muurolene $\langle \gamma \rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

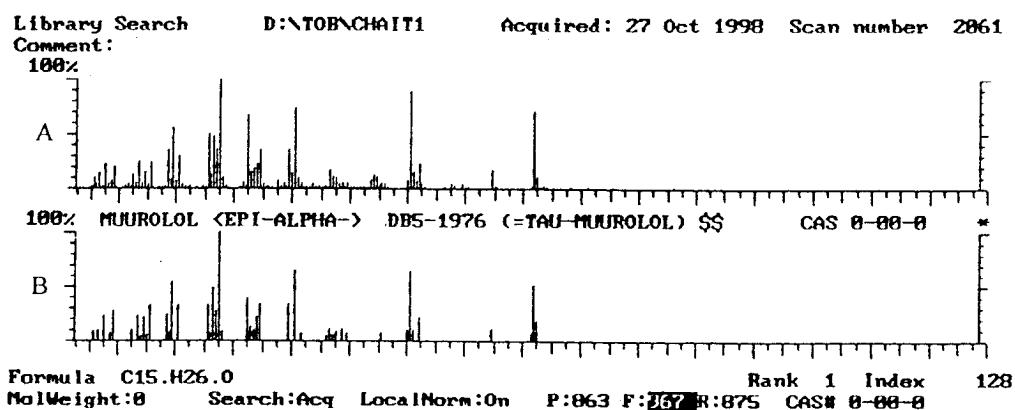


Figure 138 Mass spectra of muurolol $\langle epi-\alpha \rangle$ - (A) and authentic muurolol $\langle epi-\alpha \rangle$ - (B) by GC-MS

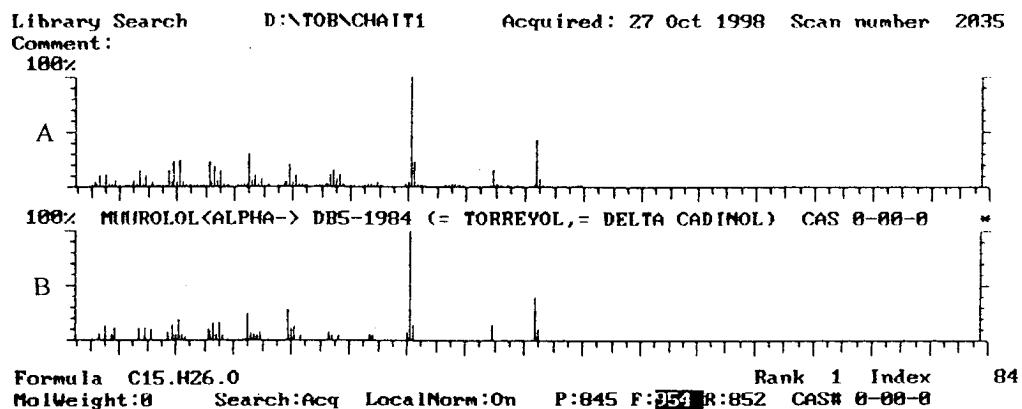


Figure 139 Mass spectra of muurolol $\ltimes\alpha\gt$ (A) and authentic muurolol $\ltimes\alpha\gt$ (B) by GC-MS

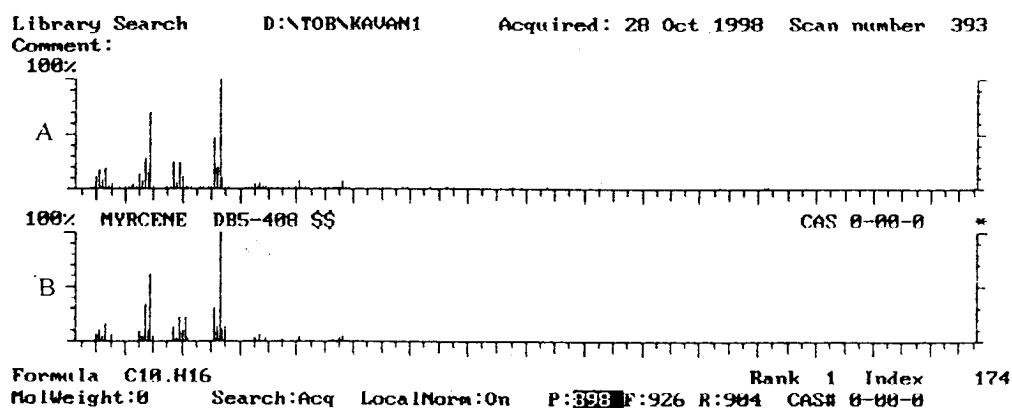


Figure 140 Mass spectra of myrcene (A) and authentic myrcene (B) by GC-MS

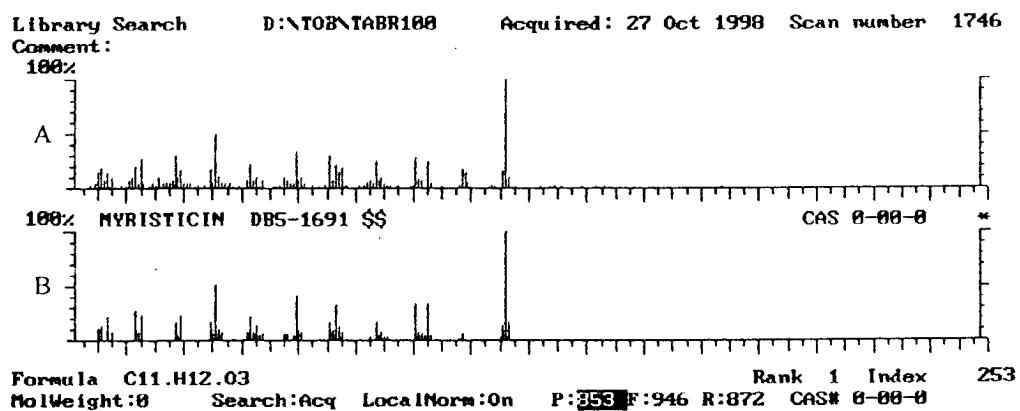


Figure 141 Mass spectra of myristicin (A) and authentic myristicin (B) by GC-MS

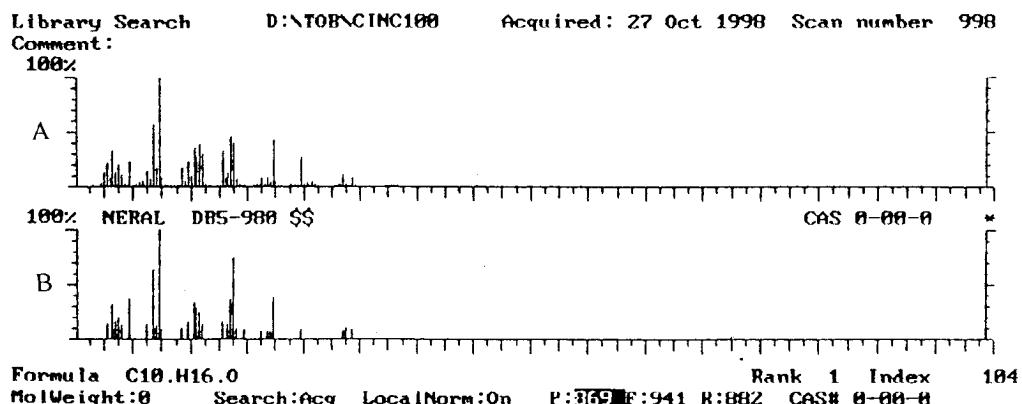


Figure 142 Mass spectra of neral (A) and authentic neral (B) by GC-MS

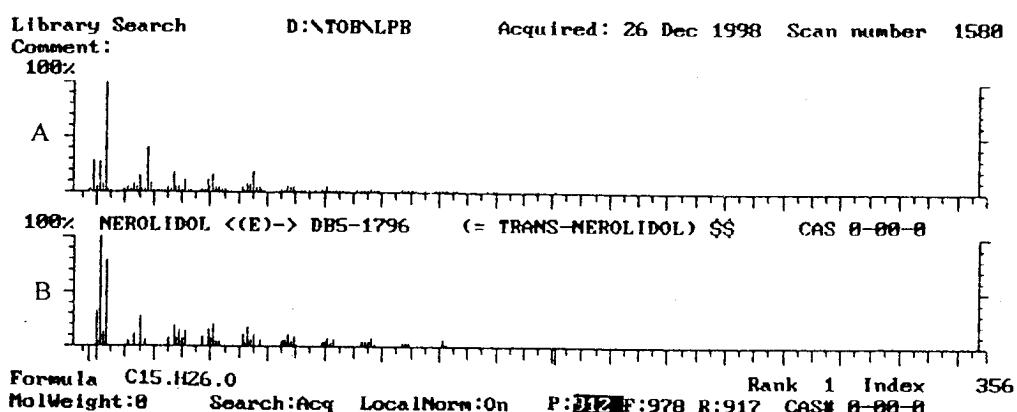


Figure 143 Mass spectra of nerolidol <(E)-> (A) and authentic nerolidol <(E)-> (B) by GC-MS

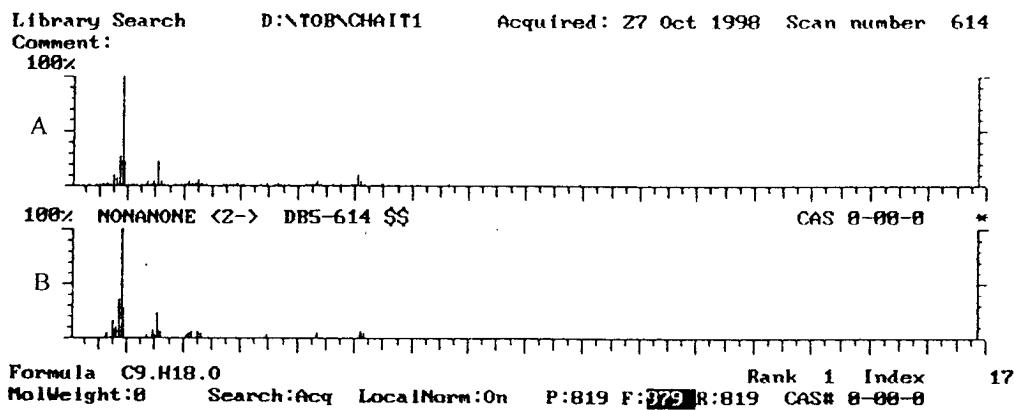


Figure 144 Mass spectra of nonanone <2-> (A) and authentic nonanone <2-> (B) by GC-MS

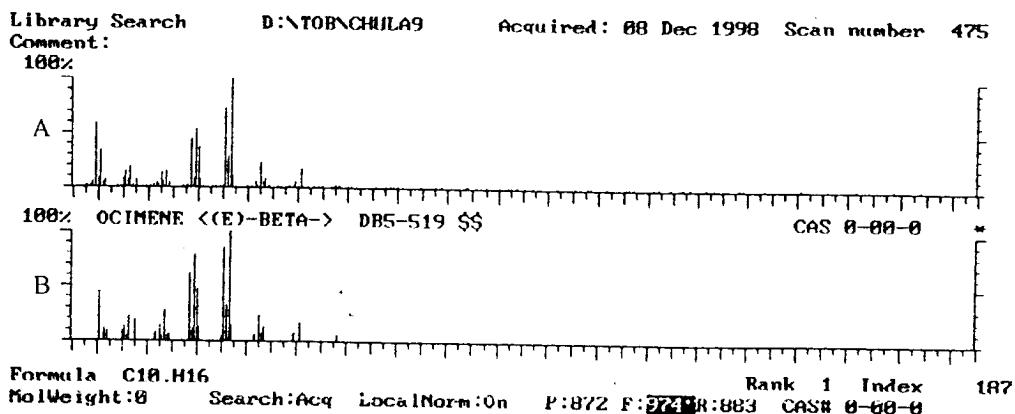


Figure 145 Mass spectra of ocimene <(E)-β-> (A) and authentic ocimene <(E)-β-> (B) by GC-MS

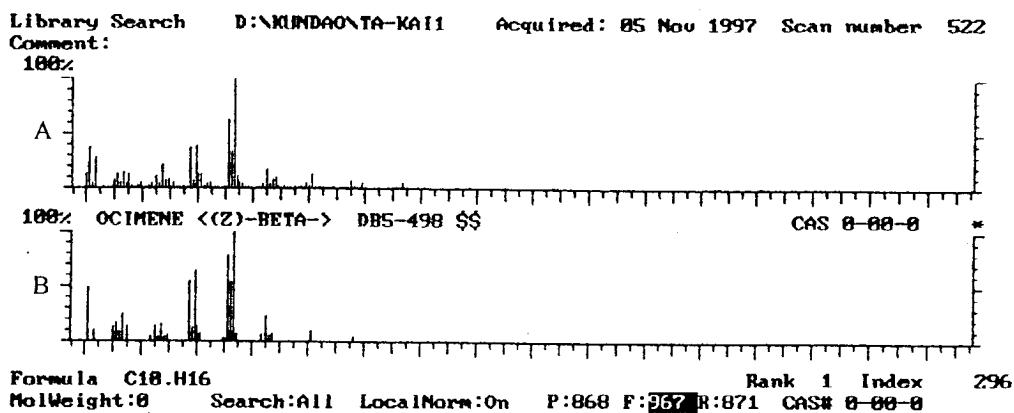


Figure 146 Mass spectra of ocimene <(Z)-β-> (A) and authentic ocimene <(Z)-β-> (B) by GC-MS

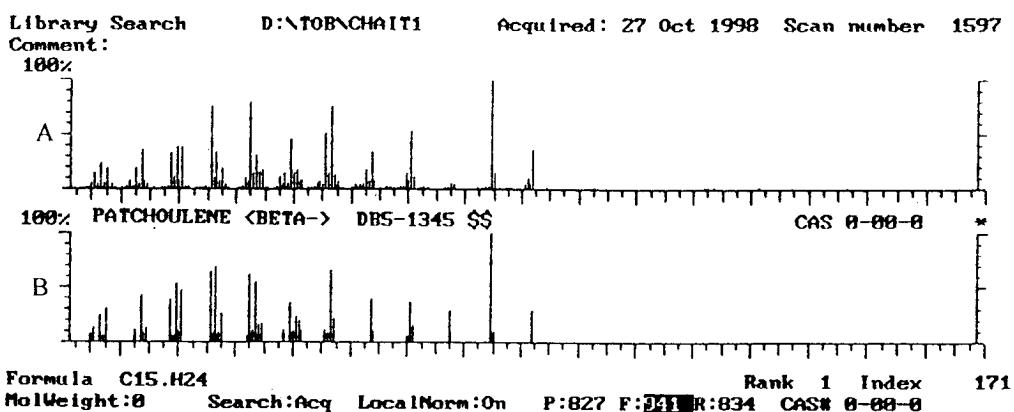


Figure 147 Mass spectra of patchoulene <β-> (A) and authentic patchoulene <β-> (B) by GC-MS

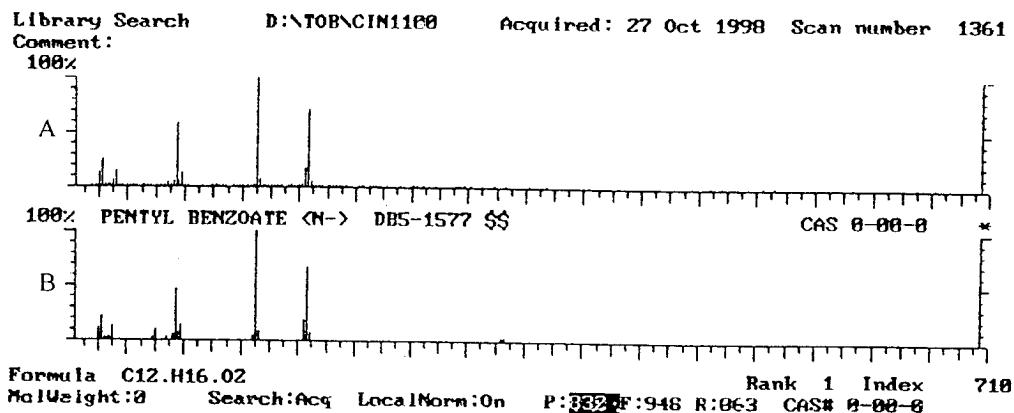


Figure 148 Mass spectra of pentyl benzoate $< n->$ (A) and authentic pentyl benzoate $< n->$ (B) by GC-MS

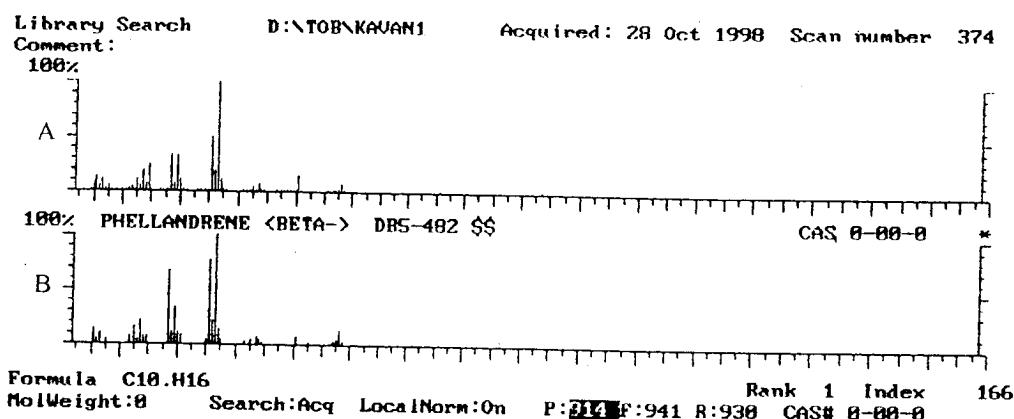


Figure 149 Mass spectra of phellandrene $< \beta->$ (A) and authentic phellandrene $< \beta->$ (B) by GC-MS

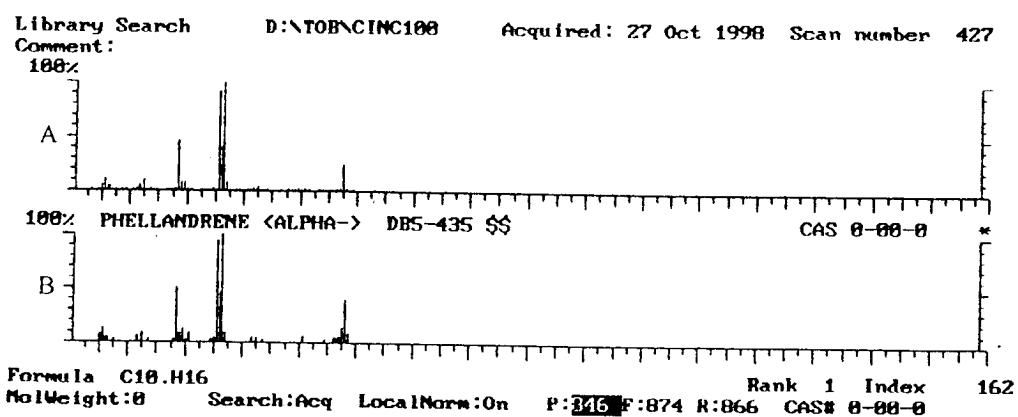


Figure 150 Mass spectra of phellandrene $< \alpha->$ (A) and authentic phellandrene $< \alpha->$ (B) by GC-MS

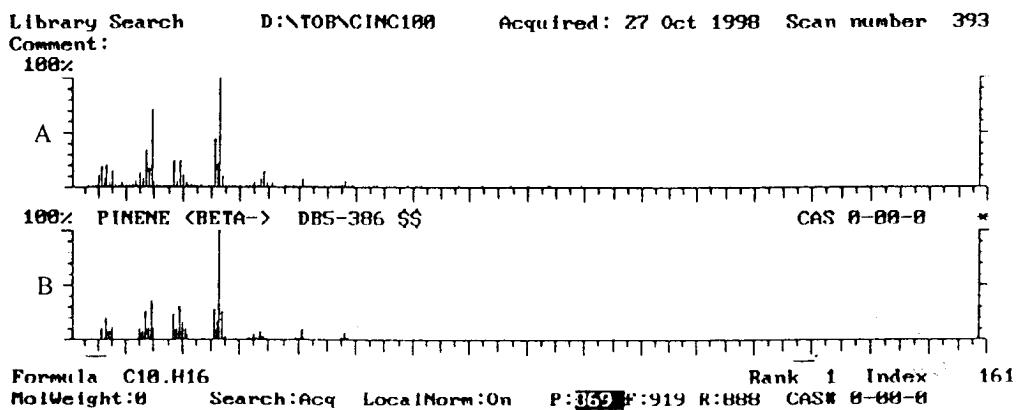


Figure 151 Mass spectra of pinene β - (A) and authentic pinene β - (B) by GC-MS

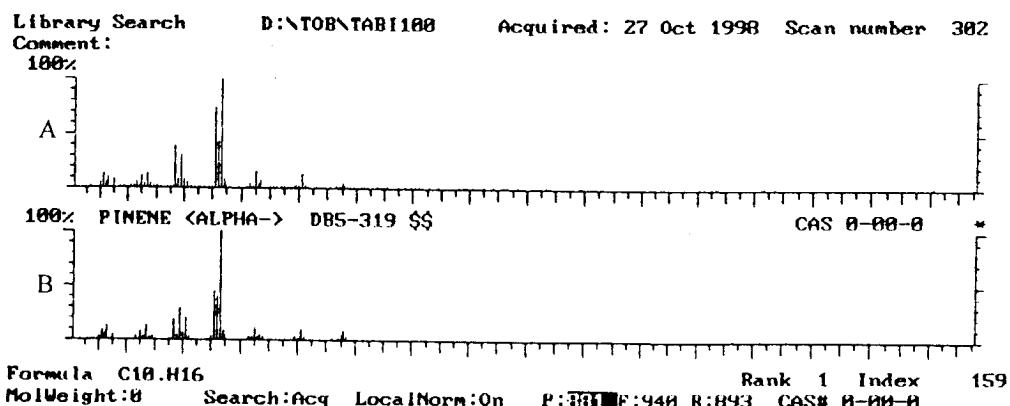


Figure 152 Mass spectra of pinene α - (A) and authentic pinene α - (B) by GC-MS

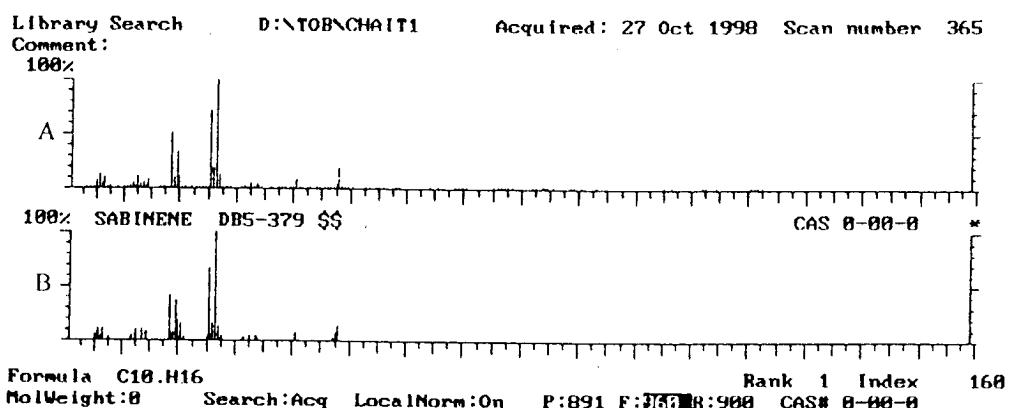


Figure 153 Mass spectra of sabinene (A) and authentic sabinene (B) by GC-MS

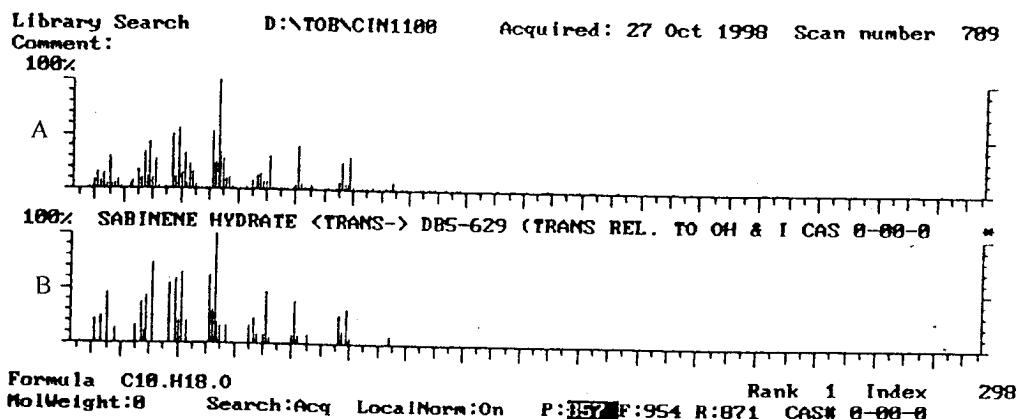


Figure 154 Mass spectra of sabinene hydrate *<trans->* (A) and authentic sabinene hydrate *<trans->* (B) by GC-MS

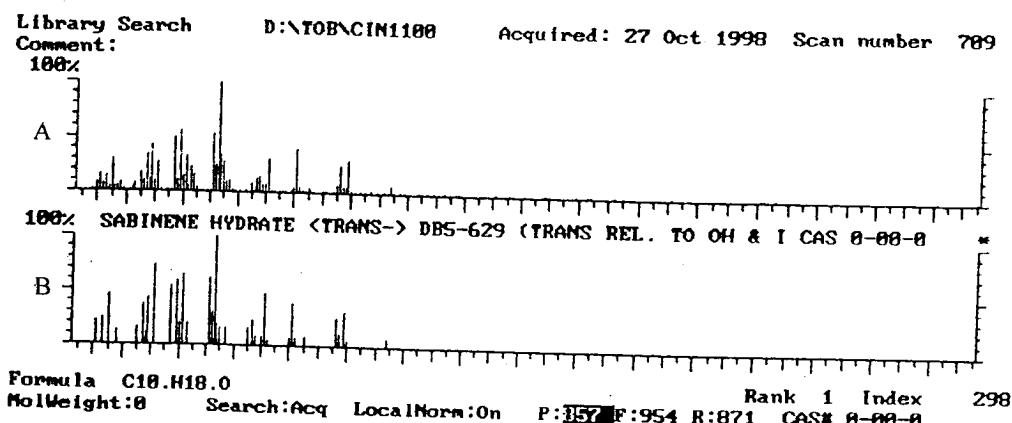


Figure 155 Mass spectra of sabinene hydrate acetate *<trans->* (A) and authentic sabinene hydrate acetate *<trans->* (B) by GC-MS

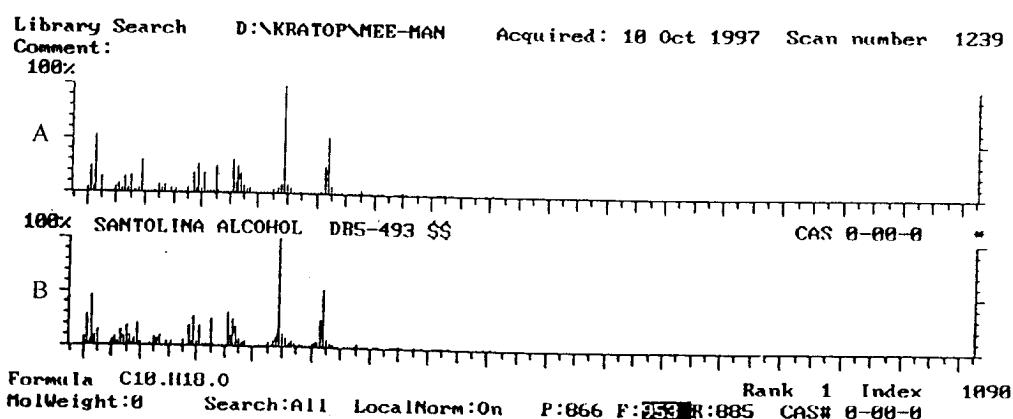


Figure 156 Mass spectra of santolina alcohol (A) and authentic santolina alcohol (B) by GC-MS

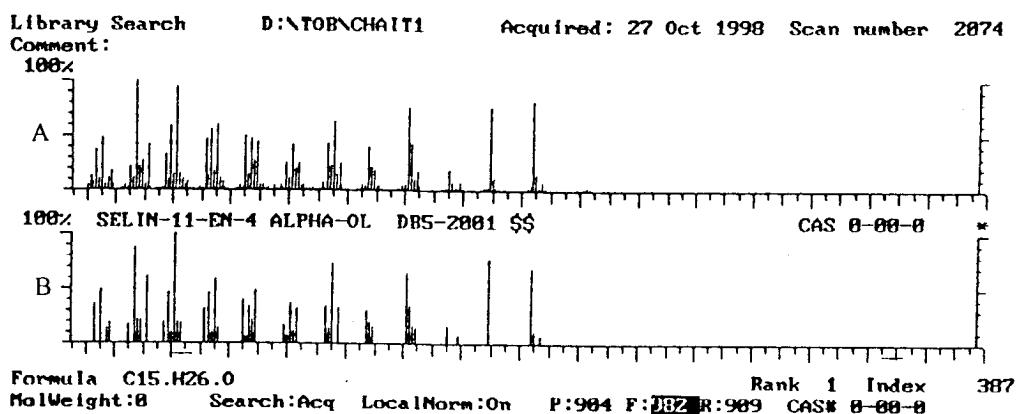


Figure 157 Mass spectra of selin-11-en-4-alpha-ol (A) and authentic selin-11-en-4-alpha-ol (B) by GC-MS

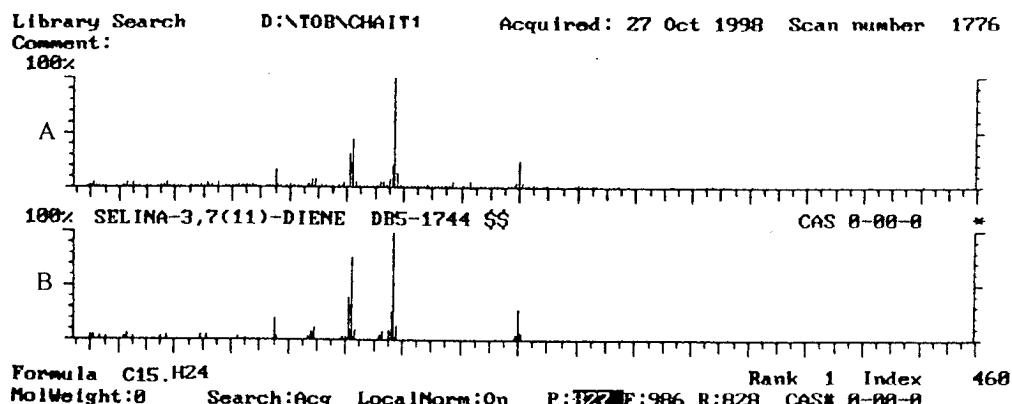


Figure 158 Mass spectra of selinadiene <3,7(11)-> (A) and authentic selinadiene <3,7(11)-> (B) by GC-MS

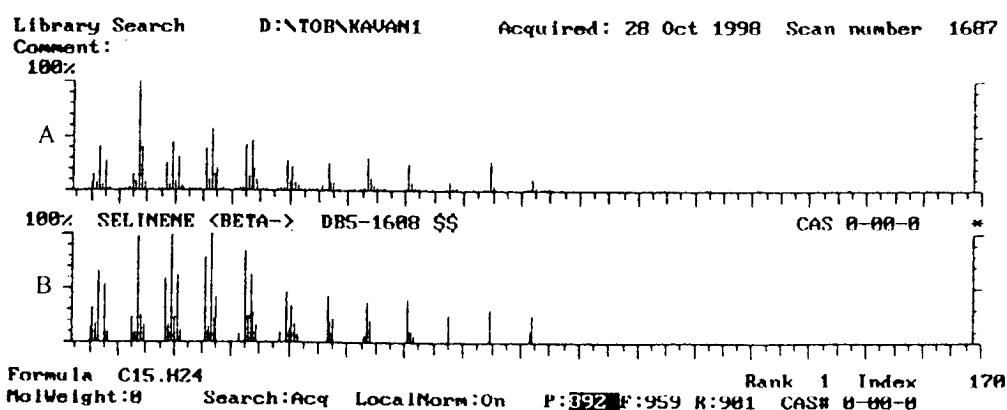


Figure 159 Mass spectra of selinene <beta-> (A) and authentic selinene <beta-> (B) by GC-MS

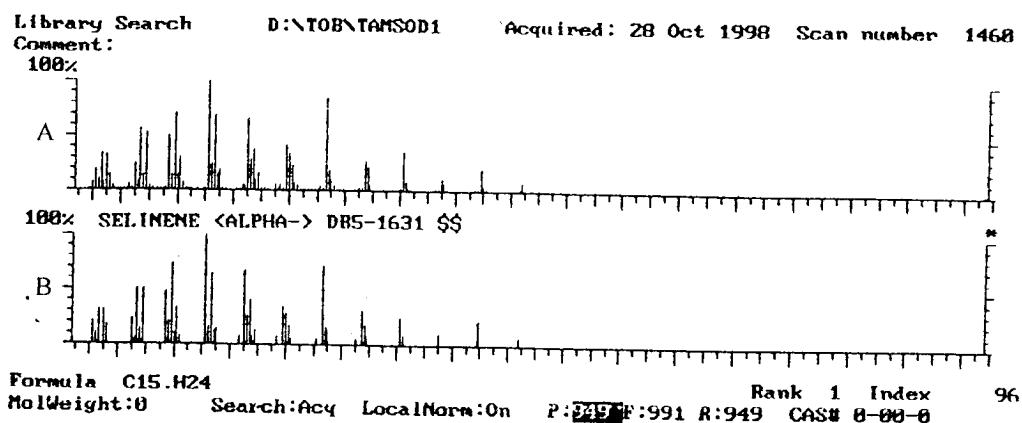


Figure 160 Mass spectra of selinene $\langle\alpha\rangle$ (A) and authentic selinene $\langle\alpha\rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

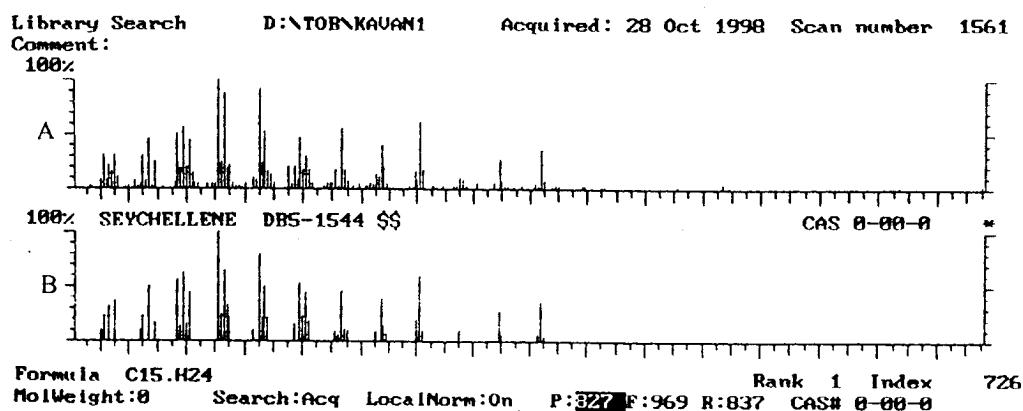


Figure 161 Mass spectra of seychellene (A) and authentic seychellene (B) by GC-MS

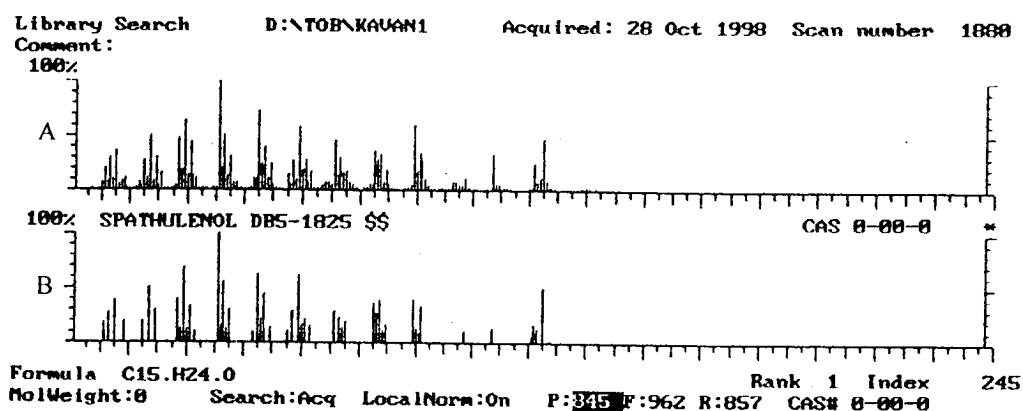


Figure 162 Mass spectra of spathulenol (A) and authentic spathulenol (B) by GC-MS

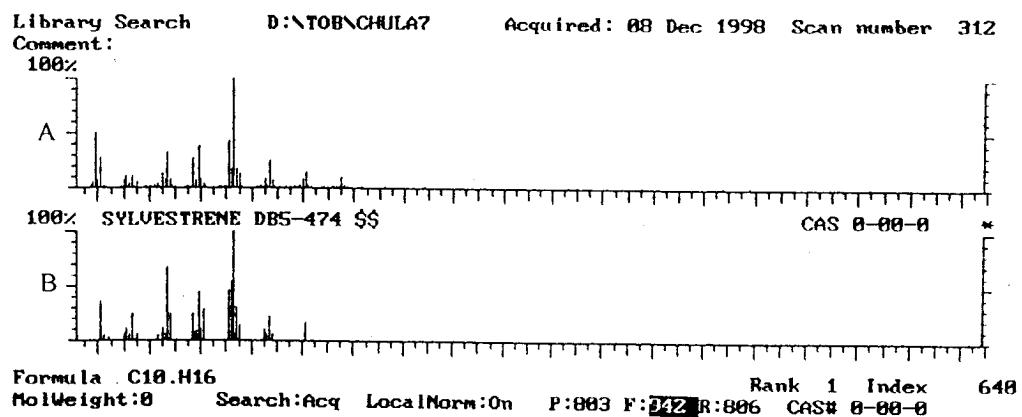


Figure 163 Mass spectra of sylvestrene (A) and authentic sylvestrene (B) by GC-MS

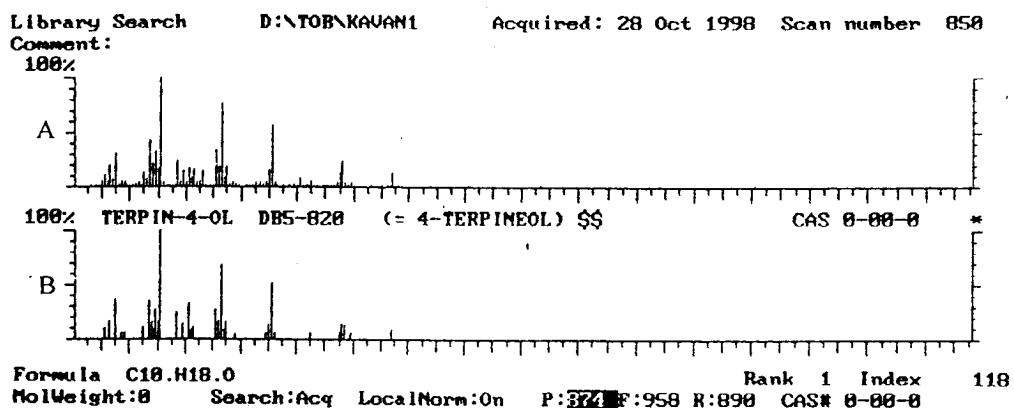


Figure 164 Mass spectra of terpin-4-ol (A) and authentic terpin-4-ol (B) by GC-MS

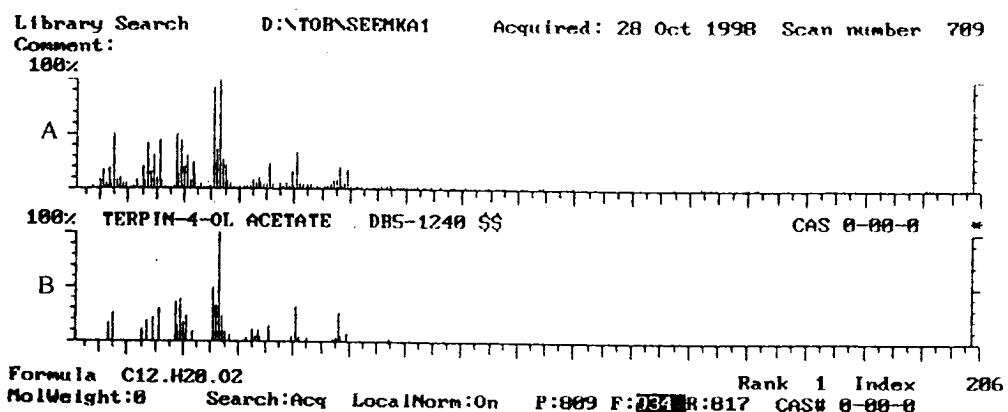


Figure 165 Mass spectra of terpin-4-ol-acetate (A) and authentic terpin-4-ol-acetate (B) by GC-MS

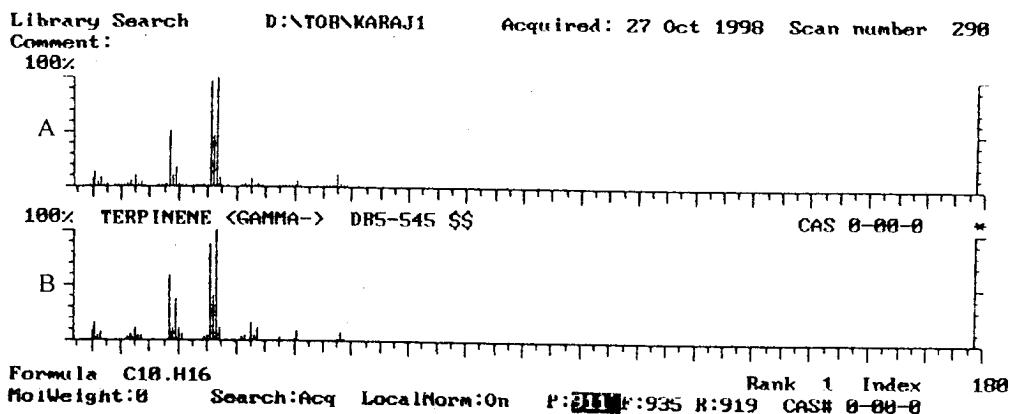


Figure 166 Mass spectra of terpinene $\langle \gamma \rangle$ (A) and authentic terpinene $\langle \gamma \rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

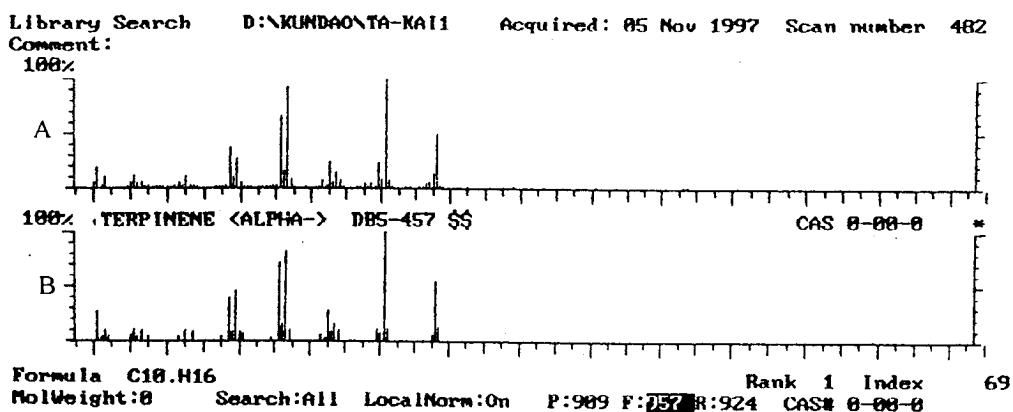


Figure 167 Mass spectra of terpinene $\langle \alpha \rangle$ (A) and authentic terpinene $\langle \alpha \rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

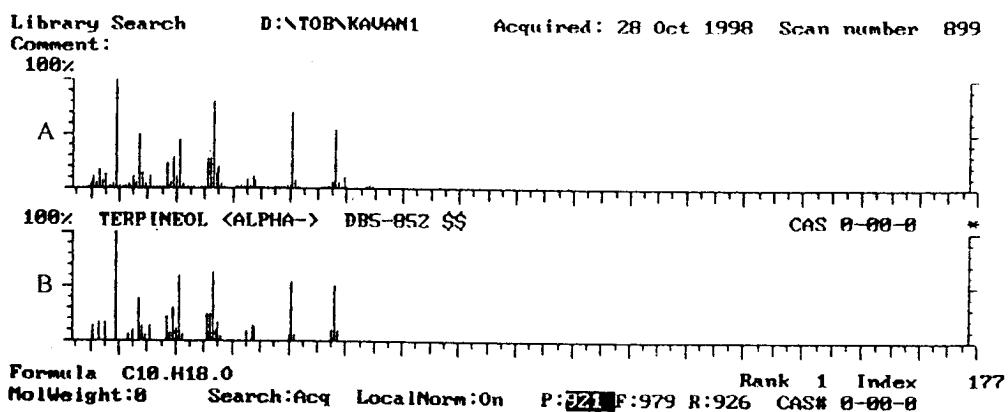


Figure 168 Mass spectra of terpineol $\langle \alpha \rangle$ (A) and authentic terpineol $\langle \alpha \rangle$ (B) by GC-MS

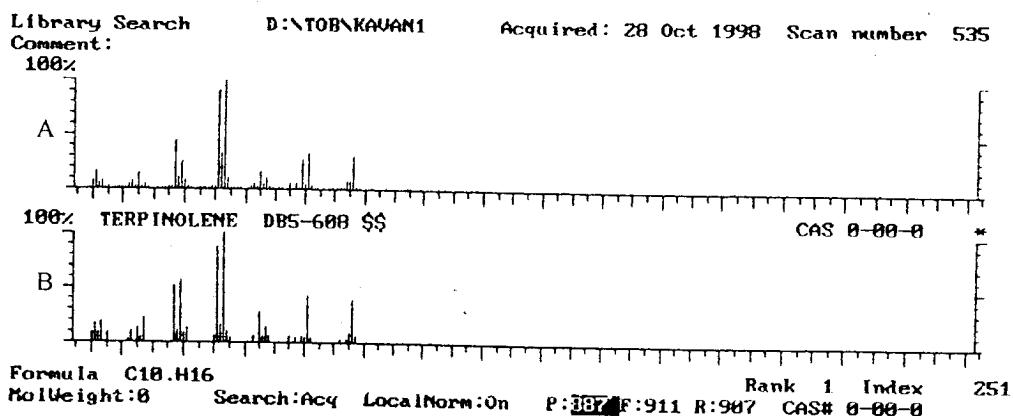


Figure 169 Mass spectra of terpinolene (A) and authentic terpinolene (B) by GC-MS

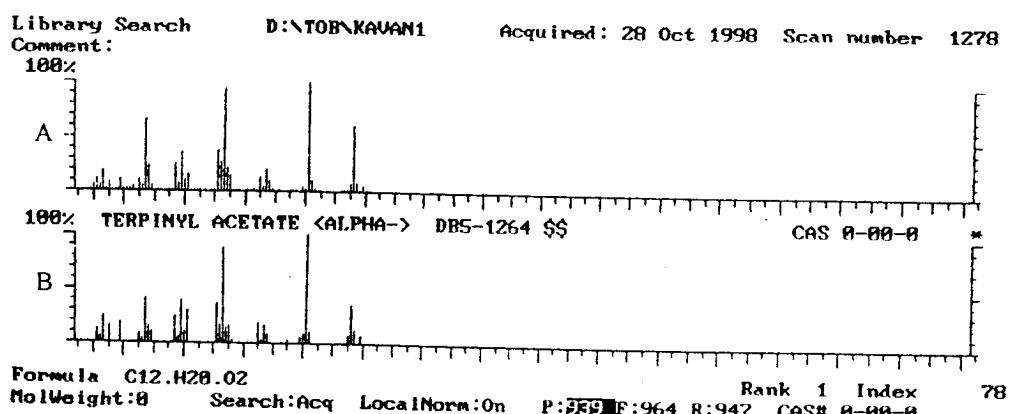


Figure 170 Mass spectra of terpinyl acetate $\leftarrow \alpha \rightarrow$ (A) and authentic terpinyl acetate $\leftarrow \alpha \rightarrow$ (B) by GC-MS

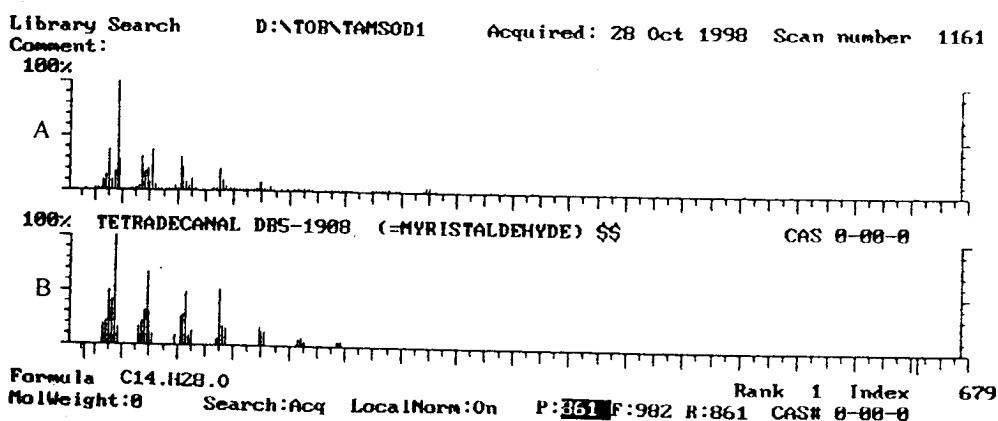


Figure 171 Mass spectra of tetradecanal (A) and authentic tetradecanal (B) by GC-MS

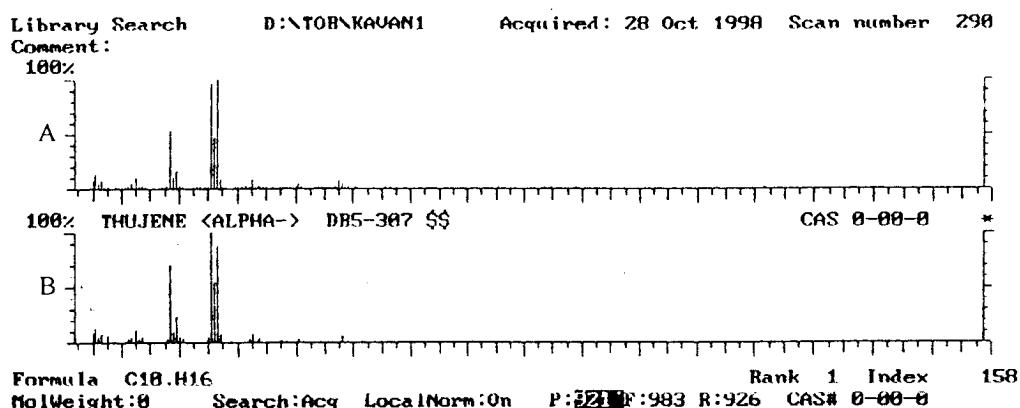


Figure 172 Mass spectra of thujene < α -> (A) and authentic thujene < α -> (B) by GC-MS

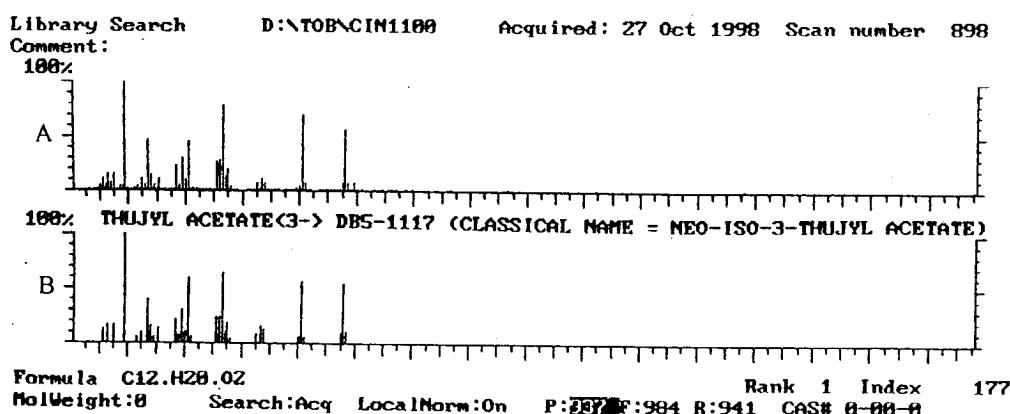


Figure 173 Mass spectra of thyjyl acetate <3-> (A) and authentic thyjyl acetate <3-> (B) by GC-MS

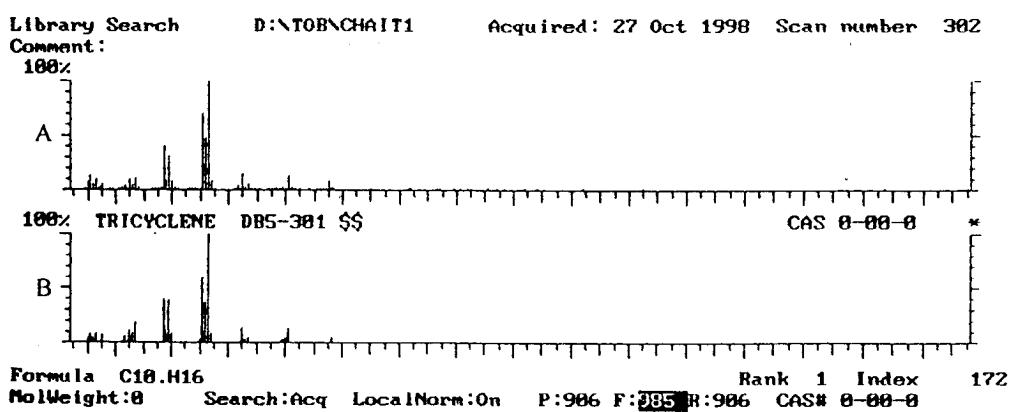


Figure 174 Mass spectra of tricyclene (A) and authentic tricyclene (B) by GC-MS

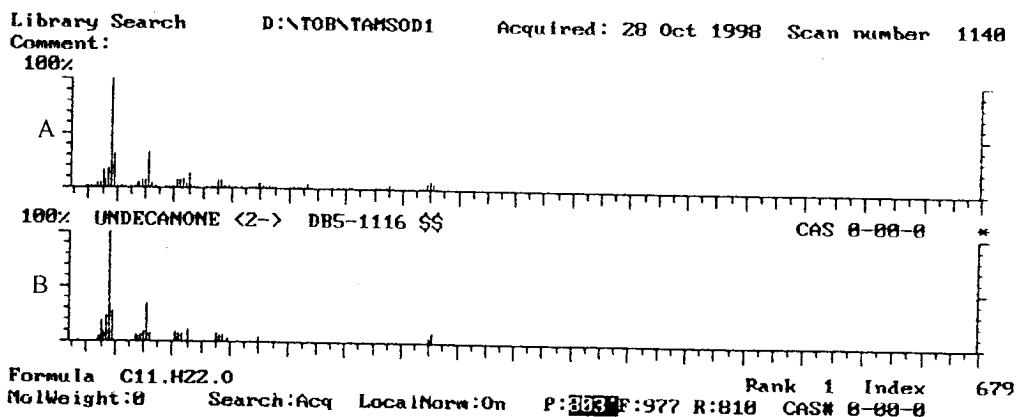


Figure 175 Mass spectra of undecanone <2-> (A) and authentic undecanone <2-> (B) by GC-MS

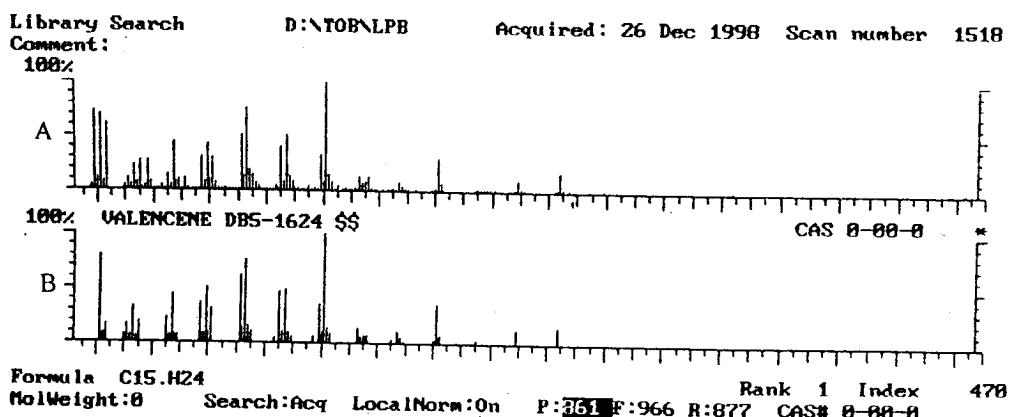


Figure 176 Mass spectra of valencene (A) and authentic valencene (B) by GC-MS

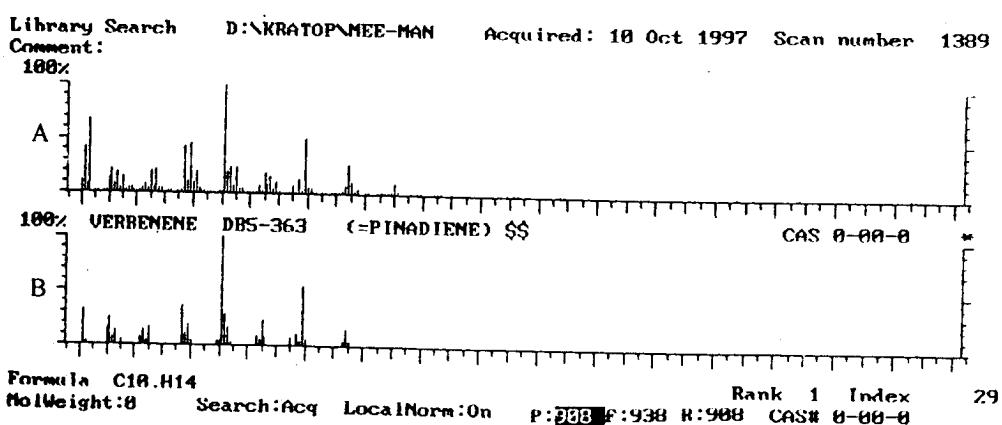


Figure 177 Mass spectra of verbenene (A) and authentic verbenene (B) by GC-MS

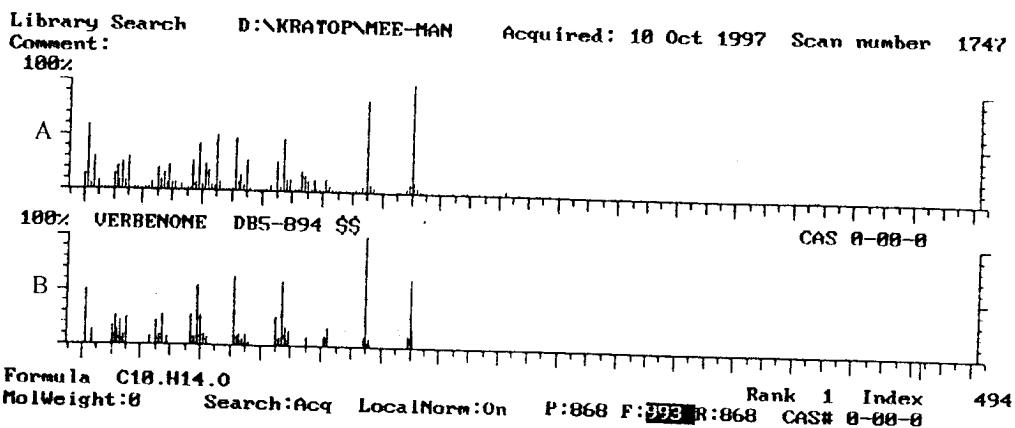


Figure 178 Mass spectra of verbenone (A) and authentic verbenone (B) by GC-MS

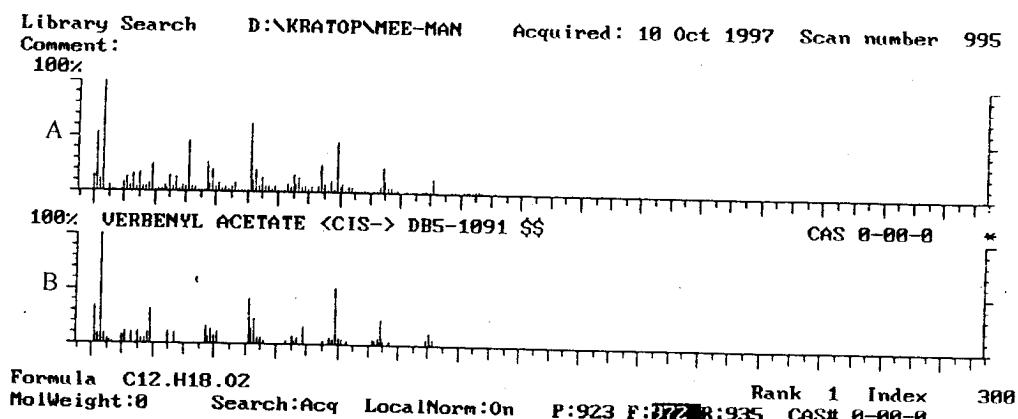


Figure 179 Mass spectra of verbenyl acetate < *cis*-> (A) and authentic verbenyl acetate < *cis*-> (B) by GC-MS

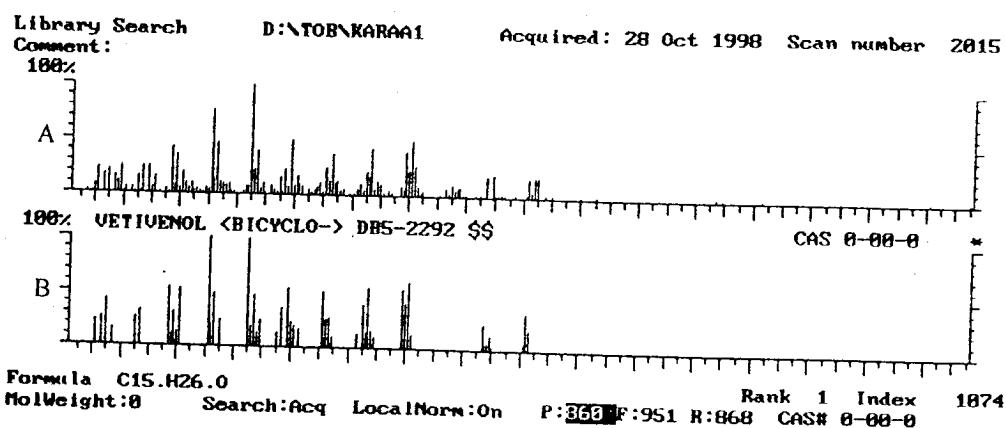


Figure 180 Mass spectra of vetivenol < *bicyclo*-> (A) and authentic vetivenol < *bicyclo*-> (B) by GC-MS

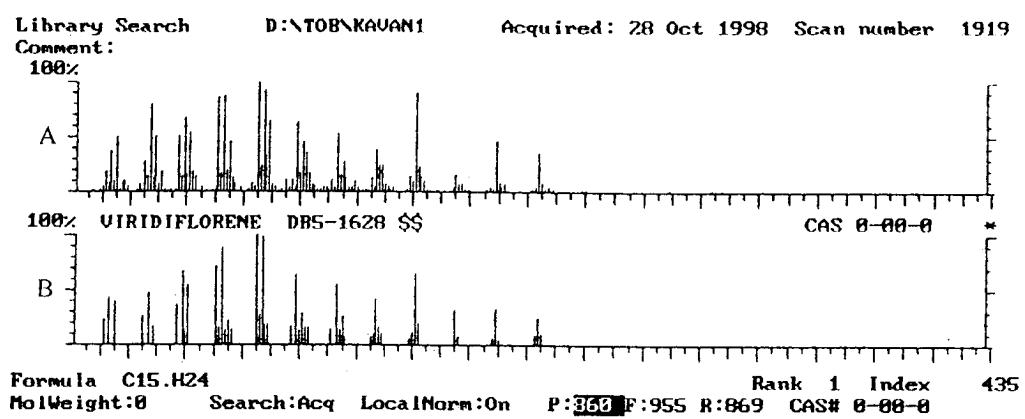


Figure 181 Mass spectra of viridiflorene (A) and authentic viridiflorene (B) by GC-MS

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