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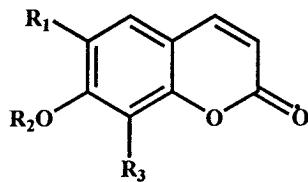
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การศึกษาองค์ประกอบทางเคมีของต้นสันโขศสามารถแยกสารได้ 19 สาร โดยแยกได้ 4 สารจากส่วนสกัดหยาม hexane-CH₂Cl₂ ของผลและเป็นสารใหม่คุณาริน 1 สาร (CE1) และสารที่มีการรายงานแล้ว 3 สาร ซึ่งแบ่งเป็นสารประกอบคุณาริน 2 สาร (CE2 และ CE6) และสารประกอบเทอร์ปีน 1 สาร (CE19) จากส่วนสกัดหยาม EtOAc ของลำต้นสามารถแยกสารได้ 15 สาร เมื่อเป็นสารประกอบใหม่คาร์บานาโซล แอลคาโลยด์ 1 สาร (CE14) และสามารถแยกสารประกอบที่มีการรายงานแล้ว 14 สาร แบ่งเป็นสารประกอบคุณาริน 3 สาร (CE3-CE5) และสารประกอบแอลคาโลยด์ 11 สาร (CE7- CE13 and CE15-CE18) โครงสร้างของสารประกอบเหล่านี้วิเคราะห์โดยใช้ข้อมูลทางスペกโทรสโคปี สำหรับสาร CE5, CE7, CE13-CE16 และ CE18 เมื่อนำมาทดสอบฤทธิ์ต้านเชื้อมากาเรีย และความเป็นพิษต่อเซลล์มะเร็ง (KB, MCF7 และ NCI-H187) พบว่า เฉพาะสาร CE5 และ CE16 สามารถต้านเชื้อมากาเรียได้ โดยมีค่า IC₅₀ 0.533 และ 6.74 µg/mL ตามลำดับ ในการทดสอบความเป็นพิษต่อเซลล์มะเร็ง KB และ NCI-H187 พบว่าเฉพาะสาร CE7 ไม่มีความเป็นพิษต่อเซลล์ดังกล่าว สำหรับสาร CE5, CE13-16, และ CE18 มีฤทธิ์ความเป็นพิษต่อเซลล์มะเร็ง KB และ NCI-H187 ทั้งสองในระดับปานกลางจนถึงคือโดยมีค่า IC₅₀ อยู่ในช่วง 1.07 - 23.21 µg/mL นอกจากนี้สารทุกตัวยังมีความเป็นพิษต่อเซลล์มะเร็ง MCF7 โดยมีค่า IC₅₀ อยู่ในช่วง 1.61 - 25.26 µg/mL



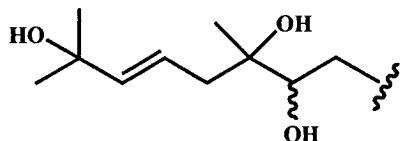
R₁

R₂

R₃

CE1

H



OH; Clausenaexcavin

CE2

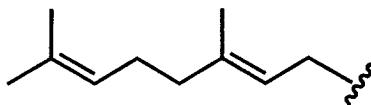
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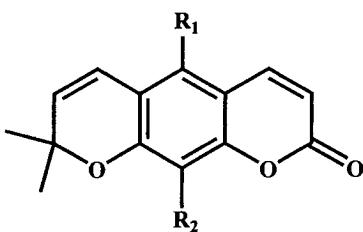
H; Scopoletin

CE3

H



H; Aureptene



R₁

R₂

CE4: H

H

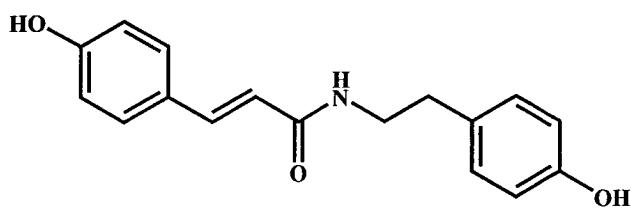
; Xanthyletin

CE5 OH

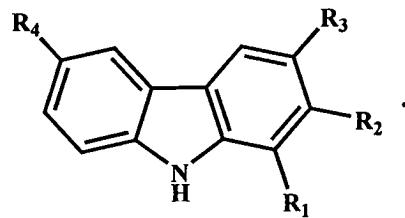


The chemical structure shows a chromene ring system (a benzene ring fused with a five-membered lactone ring) substituted with two methyl groups at the 2-position.

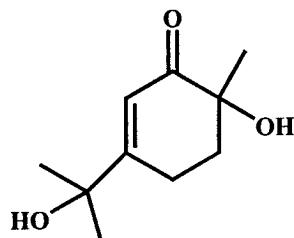
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	R₁	R₂	R₃	R₄	
CE7:	OMe	H	CO₂Me	H	; Mokonine
CE8:	H	H	CO₂Me	H	; Methylcarbazole-3-carboxylate
CE9:	OMe	H	CHO	H	; Lansine
CE10:	H	H	CHO	H	; Murrayanine
CE11:	H	OH	CHO	OMe	; 3-Formylcarbazole
CE12:	H	OH	CO₂Me	H	; Moknidine
CE13:	H	OMe	CHO	H	; <i>O</i> -Methylmukonal
CE14:	H	OH	CO₂Me	OH	; Sansoakamine
CE15:	OH	H	CO₂Me	H	; Clauszoline-I
CE16:	OH	H	CHO	H	; <i>O</i> -Demehtylmurrayanine
CE17:	OH	H	CO₂Me	OH	; Methyl 1,6-dihydroxy-9 <i>H</i> -carbazole-3-carboxylate
CE18:	OH	H	CHO	OH	; Clausine-Z

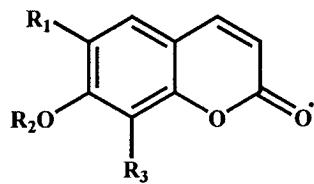


CE19: 1,8-Dihydroxy-p-menth-3-en-2-one

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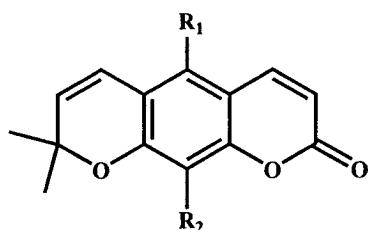
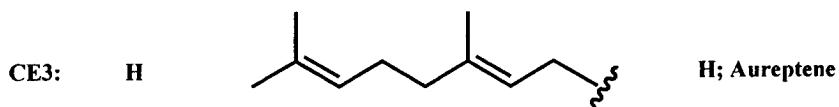
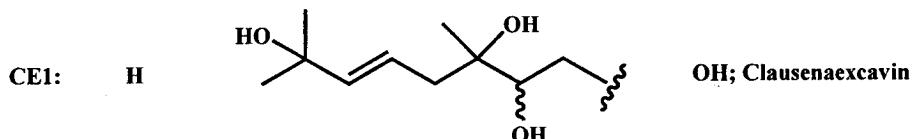
The investigation of chemical constituents from *Clausena excavata* led to the isolation and identification of nineteen compounds. Four of them were isolated from hexane-CH₂Cl₂ extract of fruits: a new coumarin (**CE1**) together with three known compounds: two coumarins (**CE2** and **CE6**) and a terpenoid (**CE19**). The remaining fifteen compounds were isolated from the EtOAc extracts of the stems: a new carbazole alkaloid (**CE14**) together with fourteen known compounds: three coumarins (**CE3-CE5**) and eleven alkaloids (**CE7-CE13** and **CE15-CE18**). Their structures were elucidated by spectroscopic methods. In addition, compounds **CE5**, **CE7**, **CE13-CE16** and **CE18** were evaluated for their anti malarial and cytotoxicity against three human cancer cell lines (KB, MCF7 and NCI-H187). Only two compounds, **CE5** and **CE16**, exhibited anti malarial activity with IC₅₀ values of 0.533 and 6.74 µg/mL, respectively. Compounds **CE5**, **CE13- CE16** and **CE18** exhibited moderate to strong cytotoxic activity against KB and NCI-H187 cancer cell lines with IC₅₀ in range of 1.07-23.21 µg/mL whereas only compound **CE7** was found to be inactive. All tested compounds also showed moderate to strong cytotoxic activity against MFC7 with IC₅₀ in range of 1.61-25.26 µg/mL.



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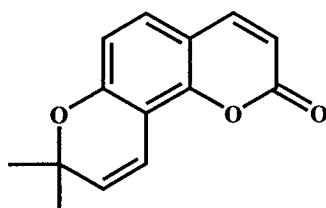
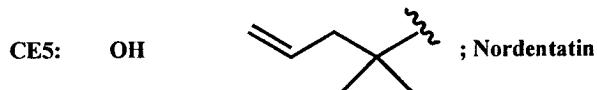
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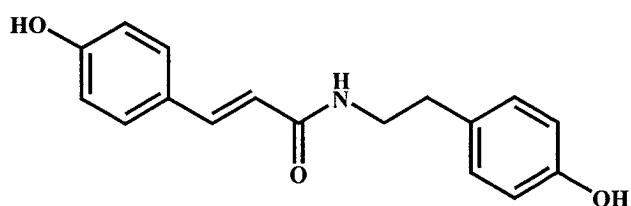


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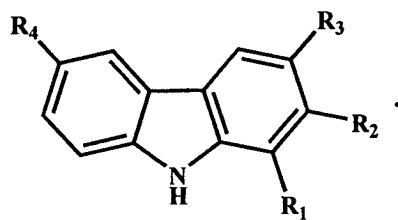
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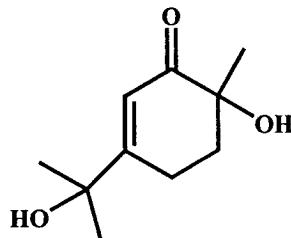
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ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

<i>s</i>	=	<i>singlet</i>
<i>d</i>	=	<i>doublet</i>
<i>t</i>	=	<i>triplet</i>
<i>q</i>	=	<i>quartet</i>
<i>m</i>	=	<i>multiplet</i>
<i>dd</i>	=	<i>doublet of doublet</i>
<i>dt</i>	=	<i>doublet of triplet</i>
<i>br s</i>	=	<i>broad singlet</i>
<i>br m</i>	=	<i>broad multiplet</i>
<i>g</i>	=	gram
<i>nm</i>	=	nanometer
<i>m.p.</i>	=	melting point
<i>cm⁻¹</i>	=	reciprocal centimeter (wave number)
<i>δ</i>	=	chemical shift relative to TMS
<i>J</i>	=	coupling constant
<i>[α]_D</i>	=	specific rotation
<i>λ_{max}</i>	=	maximum wavelength
<i>ν</i>	=	absorption frequencies
<i>ε</i>	=	molar extinction coefficient
Fig.	=	Figure
<i>m/z</i>	=	a value of mass divided by charge
°C	=	degree Celsius
MHz	=	Megahertz
ppm	=	part per million
<i>c</i>	=	concentration
IR	=	Infrared
UV	=	Ultraviolet-Visible
MS	=	Mass Spectroscopy

ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS (CONTINUED)

NMR	=	Nuclear Magnetic Resonance
2D NMR	=	Two Dimensional Nuclear Magnetic Resonance
COSY	=	Correlation Spectroscopy
DEPT	=	Distortionless Enhancement by Polarization Transfer
HMBC	=	Heteronuclear Multiple Bond Correlation
HMQC	=	Heteronuclear Multiple Quantum Coherence
ROESY	=	Rotating from Overhause Effect Spectroscopy
CC	=	Column Chromatography
QCC	=	Quick Column Chromatography
PLC	=	Preparative Thin Layer Chromatography
TMS	=	Tetramethylsilane
CDCl ₃	=	Deuterochloform

CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

1.1. *Clausena excavata*

C. excavata is a wild shrub of Rutaceae family which is widely distributed in southern and southeastern Asia. Local Thai people usually call it by the name “San Soak” which had been used as folk medicines for the treatment of cold, colic, cough, headache, malaria, cancer, AIDS, dermatopathy, abdominal pain, snake bite and detoxification. The botanical characteristics of this plant are summarized below.

Leaves: 20-60 cm, odd-pinnate, 7-15(20) pairs of sub-opposite or alternate leaflets, 2.5-12x1.8-4 cm, ovate or lanceolate with tapering tip and oblique base, untoothed or very shallowly toothed. Mature leaves thin, smooth or finely hairy especially below. Side leaflet stalks 0.1-0.2 cm, end one much longer.

Flowers: 0.7-1 cm, branched pyramidal clusters at end of twigs and upper leaf axils, 10-30(45) cm, individual stalks 0.1-0.2 cm, buds globose. 4 overlapping petals, 8 long and short, filaments swollen at base, style 1-2 mm, stout with tiny stigma.

Fruits: 0.7-2 cm, white or pale pink, oval slightly hairy when young, later smooth and gland-dotted, fleshy and juicy with 1-2 seeds.



A



B



C

Figure 1 Leaves, fruits and stem of *C. excavata* (A-C).

1.2. Review of Literatures

1.2.1. The Chemical Constituents of *Clausena* genus

Plants in genus *Clausena* are well known to be rich source of coumarins and carbazole alkaloids. Furthermore, a small group of limonoids, steroids, flavonoids, and essential oils were also isolated from this genus. The chemical constituents which were isolated from this genus according to the information from SciFinder were summarized in Table 1.

Table 1 Chemical compounds isolated from *Clausena* genus

A = Alkaloids **B** = Akanols **C** = Anthraquinone **D** = Benzenoids
E = Coumarins **F** = Ester **G** = Flavonoids **H** = Lipids
I = Steroids **J** = Terpenoids

Plant	Part	Compound	Bibliography
<i>C. anisata</i>	Aerial parts	2',3'-Epoxyanisolactone, E88	Lakshmi, <i>et al.</i> , 1984
		Anisolactone, E89	
		Imperatorin, E82	
		Indicolactone, E83	
		Xanthotoxol, E81	
	Branches	Clausamine A, A1	Ito, <i>et al.</i> , 1998
		Clausamine B, A2	
		Clausamine C, A3	
		Clausamine A, A1	Ito, <i>et al.</i> , 2000
		Clausamine B, A2	
		Clausamine C, A3	
		Clausamine D, A4	
		Clausamine E, A6	
		Clausamine F, A7	
		Clausamine G, A8	
		Clausine E, A39	
		Clausine F, A5	
		Ekeberginine, A9	
		O-Demethylmurrayanine, A54	
		Methyl carbazole-3-carboxylate, A55	
	Leaves	Estragole, D1	Okunade, <i>et al.</i> , 1986

Table 1 (Continued)

Plant	Part	Compound	Bibliography
<i>C. anisata</i>	Leaves	Anisocoumarin E, E5	Ngadjui, <i>et al.</i> , 1989
		Anisocoumarin F, E6	
		Anisocoumarin H, E8	Ngadjui, <i>et al.</i> , 1989
		Capnolactone, E57	
		Imperatorin, E82	
		Triphasiol, E77	
		Anisocoumarin A, E1	Ngadjui, <i>et al.</i> , 1991
		Anisocoumarin B, E2	
		Anisocoumarin C, E3	
		Anisocoumarin D, E4	
<i>C. anisata</i>	Roots	Anisocoumarin E, E5	
		Anisocoumarin F, E6	
		Anisocoumarin G, E7	
		Anisocoumarin H, E8	
		Anisocoumarin I, E9	
<i>C. anisata</i>	Root barks	Anisocoumarin J, E10	
		Capnolactone, E57	
		Imperatorin, E82	
		Isoponcimarin, E76	
		Triphasiol, E77	
<i>C. anisata</i>	Root barks	Umbelliferone, E69	
		Chalepin, E78	Okoria, 1975
		Clausanitin, A10	
		Coumarrayin, E73	
		Imperatorin, E 82	
<i>C. anisata</i>	Root barks	Osthol, E72	
		3-(1,1-Dimethylallyl)-xanthyletin, E42	Mesteri, <i>et al.</i> , 1977
		Chalepin, E78	

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<i>C. anisata</i>	Root barks	Coumarrayin, E73	Mesteri, <i>et al.</i> , 1977
		Imperatorin, E82	
		Osthol, E72	
		Xanthoxyletin, E39	
	Stems	Atanisatin, A11	Okoria, 1975
		Chalepin, E78	
		Clausanitin, A10	
		Clausamine B, A2	Ito, <i>et al.</i> , 2008
		Clausamine C, A3	
	Stem barks	Clausamine E, A6	
		Furanoclausamine A, A12	
	Stem barks	Furanoclausamine B, A13	
		Clausenine, A56	Chakraborty, <i>et al.</i> , 1995
	Stem barks and roots	Clausenol, A57	
		Clausenarin, J25	Ngadjui, <i>et al.</i> , 1989
		Clausenolide, J19	
		Clausenolide-1-ethyl ether, J 20	
		Zapoterin, J21	
		Anisocoumarins A, E1	Ngadjui, <i>et al.</i> , 1989
		Anisocoumarins B, E2	
		Anisocoumarins C, E3	
		Anisocoumarins D, E4	
		3-Methylcarbazole, A58	Ngadjui, <i>et al.</i> , 1989
		Atanisatin, A11	
		Clausanitin, A10	
		Ekeberginine, A9	
		Girinimbine, A14	
		Heptaphylline, A16	

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<i>C. anisata</i>	Stem barks and roots	Mupamine, A15 <i>N</i> -methylswietenidine B, A94 <i>O</i> -Demethylmurrayanine, A54 Swietenidine B, A93	Ngadjui, <i>et al.</i> , 1989
<i>C. anisum-olens</i>	Aerial parts	Clausenain I, A56	Wang, <i>et al.</i> , 2005
	Leaves and twigs	Anisucumarin A/B, E75	Wang, <i>et al.</i> , 2008
<i>C. dentata</i>	Root barks	Dentatin, E41 Imperatorin, E82 Nordentatin, E40	Govindachari, <i>et al.</i> , 1968
<i>C. dunniana</i>	Aerial parts	Dunniana acid A, J1 Dunniana acid B, J2 14,15-Dinorclerod-3-ene- 2,13-dione, J4 2β -(Acetoxy)clerod-3-en- 15-oic acid, J6 2β -(Formyloxy) clerod-3- en-15-oic acid, J7 4α ,18-Dihydroxyclerodan - 15-oic acid, J9 4β -Hydroxyclerodan-15-oic acid, J10 $3\alpha,4\alpha$ -Dihydroxyclerodan- 15-oic acid, J11 3β -Hydroxy-clerod-4(18)- en-15-oic acid, J12	He, <i>et al.</i> , 2002 He, <i>et al.</i> , 2003

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Plant	Part	Compound	Bibliography
<i>C. dunniana</i>	Aerial parts	Ethyl clerod-4(18)-en-15-oate, K13 Ethyl clerod-3-en-15-oate, J16 (2S)-1-[(6,7-Dimethoxyfuro[2,3- <i>b</i>]quinolin-4-yl)oxy]-3-methyl-butane-2,3-diol, A97 2-Oxoclerod-3-en-15-oic acid, J3 4α -Hydroxyclerodan-15-oic acid, J5 Clerod-4(18)-en-15-oic acid, J13 Clerod-3-en-15-oic acid, J15 <i>trans</i> -Palmitoylphytol, F2 Kokusaginine, A95 Skimmianine, A96 3-Hydroxy-9 <i>H</i> -carbazole-3-carboxaldehyde, A60 Clausenamide, A90 Tarolupenol, J29 Tarolupenyl acetate, J30 Haplociliatic acid, J18 Isoscopoletin, E71 Marmesin, E79	He, <i>et al.</i> , 2003

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<i>C. dunniana</i>	Aerial parts	β -Sitosterol, I1 3,5-Dihydroxy-4',7-dimethoxyflavone, G4 4',5-Dihydroxy-3,7-dimethoxyflavone, G3 5-Hydroxy-3,4',7-trimethoxyflavone, G6 Hexatriacontanoic acid, H2 Myricitrin, G7 Paeonol, D6 Stearic acid, H1 Triacontan-1-ol, B1	He, <i>et al.</i> , 2003
<i>C. excavata</i>	Aerial parts	Excavacoumarin B, E46 Excavacoumarin C, E47 Excavacoumarin D, E48 Excavacoumarin E, E49 Excavacoumarin F, E50 Excavacoumarin G, E51 (11 β)-21,23-Dihydro-11,21-dihydroxy-23-oxoobacun, J26 (11 β)-21,23-Dihydro-11,23-dihydroxy-21-oxoobactn, J24 (1 α , 11 β)-1,2,11,23-Tetrahydro-1,11,23-trihydroxy-21-oxoobacun, J22	He, <i>et al.</i> , 2000 He, <i>et al.</i> , 2002

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<i>C. excavata</i>	Aerial parts	(1 α ,11 β)-23-Ethoxy-1,2,21,23-tetrahydro-1,11-dihydroxy-21-oxobacunone, J23	He, <i>et al.</i> , 2002
		(11f)-1,2,21,23-Tetrahydro-11,23-dihydroxy-21-Oxoobacunoic acid, J27	
		Zapoterin, J21	
	Branches	Excavacoumarin H, E52	He, <i>et al.</i> , 2004
		Excavacoumarin I, E53	
	Leaves	Cladimarins A, E32 Cladimarins B, E33	Takemura, <i>et al.</i> , 2004
		2,6-Dimethoxy-4-(2-propenyl)phenyl- β -D-glycoside, D2 13 ² -Hydroxy(13 ² -R)-pheophytin-a, A98 2-Methoxy-4-(2-propenyl)phenyl- β -D-glucoside, D1 Clausine L, A45 <i>p</i> -Hydroxybenzoic acid, D3 Nicotiflorin, G8 Rutin, G9 Safrole, D7 Scopoletin, E70	Wu, <i>et al.</i> , 1993

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<i>C. excavata</i>	Leaves	Excavatin A, E54	Thuy, <i>et al.</i> , 1999
		Excavatin B, E55	
		Excavatin C, E56	
		Excavatin D, E57	
		Excavatin E, E58	
		Excavatin F, E59	
		Excavatin G, E60	
		Excavatin H, E61	
		Excavatin I, E62	
		Excavatin J, E63	
		Excavatin K, E64	
		Excavatin L, E65	
	Excavatin M, E66		
	Excavacoumarin A, E45	He, <i>et al.</i> , 2000	
Excavacoumarin B, E46			
Clauslactone A, E13	Ito, <i>et al.</i> , 2000		
	Clauslactone B, E14		
	Clauslactone C, E15		
	Clauslactone D, E16		
	Clauslactone E, E17		
	Clauslactone F, E18		
	Clauslactone G, E19		
	Clauslactone H, E20		
	Clauslactone I, E21		
	Clauslactone J, E22		

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<i>C. excavata</i>	Leaves and twigs	Clauslactone K, E23	Nakamura, <i>et al.</i> , 1998
		Clauslactone L, E24	
		Clauslactone M, E25	
	Rhizomes	3-Formylcarbazol, A59	Sunthitikawinsakul, <i>et al.</i> , 2002
		2-Hydroxy-3-formyl-7-methoxycarbazol, A63	
		3-Methoxycarbonylcarbazol, A61	
		Clausenidin, E34	
		Clauszoline, A64	
		Dentatin, E41	
		Mukonal, A60	
		Murrayanine, A62	
		Nordentatin, E40	
		Xanthoxyletin, E39	
	Roots	Clausarin, E43	Su, <i>et al.</i> , 2009
		Clausenidin, E34	
		Nordentatin, E40	
		Xanthoxyletin, E39	
	Root barks	Clausarin, E43	Wu, <i>et al.</i> , 1982
		Clausenidin, E34	
		Clausenidinaric acid, D9	
		Hetaphylline, A16	
		Nordentatin, E40	
		Xanthoxyletin, E39	
		Cedrelopsin, E74	Huang, <i>et al.</i> , 1997
		Claucavatin A, E35	
		Claucavatin B, E36	

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<i>C. excavata</i>	Root barks	Clausarin, E43 Clausenidin, E34 Isoliquiritigenin, G1 Liquiritigenin, G2 Kinocoumarin, E44 Nordentatin, E40 Osthol, E72 Xanthoxyletin, E39 Xanthyletin, E38	Huang, <i>et al.</i> , 1997
		Clausine W, A17 Clausine T, A18 Furoclausine A, A19 Furoclausine B, A20	Wu, <i>et al.</i> , 1997
		2-Hydroxy-3-formyl-7-methoxycarbazole , A63 Clausenatine A, A23 Clausine M, A46 Clausine N, A47 Clausine O, A48 Clausine P, A49 Clausine Q, A50 Clausine R, A51 Clausine S, A21 Clausine U, A22 Clausine V, A52 Glycozolidal, A65 Heptaphylline, A16 Murrayafoline A, A66	Wu, <i>et al.</i> , 1999

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<i>C. excavata</i>	Root barks	3-Formylcarbazole, A59 3-Methylcarbazole, A58 Clausine C, A38 Clausine E, A39 Clausine F, A5 Clausine K, A44 Clausine T, A18 Clausine W, A17 Furoclausine A, A19 Furoclausine B, A20 Claucavatin A, E54 Clausenidin, E34 Clausevatine D, A24 Clausevatine E, A25 Clausevatine F, A26 Clausevatine G, A27 Clausamine A, A1 Carbazomarine A, A28 Girinimbine, A14 Kinocoumarin, E44 Methyl carbazole-3-carboxylate, A69 Mukonal, A60 Mukonidine, A69 Mukonine, A68 Murrayanine, A 62	Wu, <i>et al.</i> , 1999

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<i>C. excavata</i>	Root barks	4',7-Dihydroxy flavanone , G10 Cedrellopsin, E74 Clausarin, E43 Isoliquiritigenin, G1 Nordentatin, E40 Osthol, E72 Xanthoxyletin, E39 Xanthyletin, E38	Wu, <i>et al.</i> , 1999
	Stem barks	Clausine A, A36 Clausine C, A38 Clausine G, A40 Clausine J, A43 2-Hydroxy-3-methylcarbazole, A71 Clausine B, A37 Clausine D, A29 Clausine E, A39 Clausine H, A41 Clausine I, A42 Clausine K, A44 Glycozolidal, A65 Heptaphylline, A16 Lansine, A70 Methyl carbazole-3-carboxylate, A69 Mukonal, A60 Mukonine, A68 Murrayanine, A62	Wu, <i>et al.</i> , 1996 Wu, <i>et al.</i> , 1996

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Plant	Part	Compound	Bibliography
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	Stem barks	Clausine B, A37 Clausine H, A41 Clausine TY, A53	Taufiq-Yap, <i>et al.</i> , 2007
	Stem and root barks	Carbazomarin A, A28 Clausenamine A, A30	Wu, <i>et al.</i> , 1996
<i>C. harmandiana</i>	Roots	Clausarin, E43 Clausine K, A44 Dentatin, E41 Heptaphylline, A16	Yenjai, <i>et al.</i> , 2000
	Root barks	Clausarin, E43 Dentatin, E41 Heptaphylline, A16 Nordentatin, E40 Osthol, E72 Xanthyletin, E38	Wangboonskul, <i>et al.</i> , 1984
		2-Hydroxy-3-formyl-7-methoxycarbazole, A63	Chaichantipyuth, <i>et al.</i> , 1988

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<i>C. harmandiana</i>	Root barks	7-Methoxyheptaphyline, A31	Chaichantipyuth, <i>et al.</i> , 1988
<i>C. heptaphylla</i>	Leaves	Clausenal, A72	Chakraborty, <i>et al.</i> , 1995
		Clausmarin A, E37	Sohrab, <i>et al.</i> , 2000
	Roots	Clausenidin, E34	Joshi, <i>et al.</i> , 1967
		3-Methylcarbazole, A58	Ray, <i>et al.</i> , 1974
		Murrayacine, A32	Ray, <i>et al.</i> , 1976
		Girinimbine, A14	
	Stem barks	Heptazolicine, A33	Bhattacharyya, <i>et al.</i> , 1984
		2-Methylanthraquinone, C1 3-Methylcarbazole, A58	Chakraborty, <i>et al.</i> , 1978
<i>C. indica</i>	Leaves	Balasubramide, A76 Madugin, A77 Methylmadugin, A82 Phenethyl cinnamide, A86 Prebalamide, A83	Riemer, <i>et al.</i> , 1997
<i>C. lansium</i>	Branches	Lansiumarin A, E85 Lansiumarin B, E86 Lansiumarin C, E87	Ito, <i>et al.</i> , 1998
		SB 204900, A89	Milner, <i>et al.</i> , 1996
		Clausenamide, A90 Cycloclausenamide, A92 Neoclausenamide, A91	He, <i>et al.</i> , 1988
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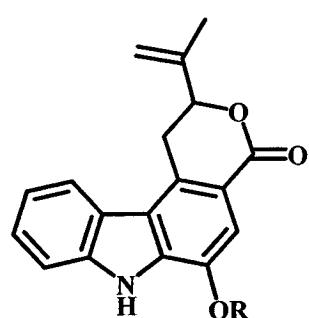
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		β -Sitosterol, I1 2,7-Dihydroxy-3-formyl-1-(3'-Methyl-2'-butenyl)carbazole, A35 Angustifolin, E11 Chalepensin, E80 Chalepin, E78 Gravelliferone, E12 Indizoline, A34	Kumar, <i>et al.</i> , 1995
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		Diseselin B, E68	He, <i>et al.</i> , 2006
		Lenisin A, D10	
		Lenisin B, D11	
		Lenisin C, D12	
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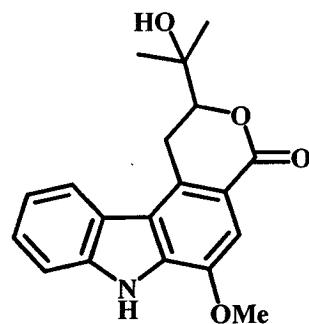
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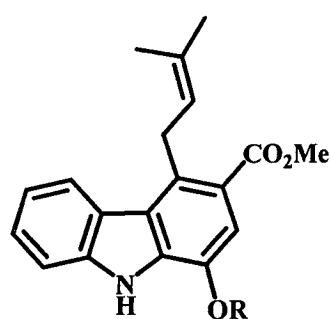
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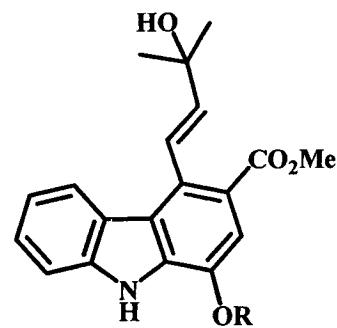


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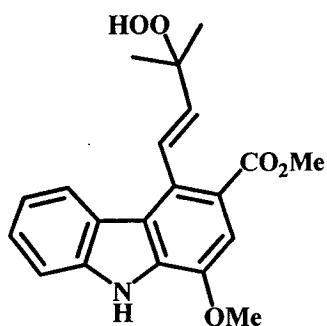


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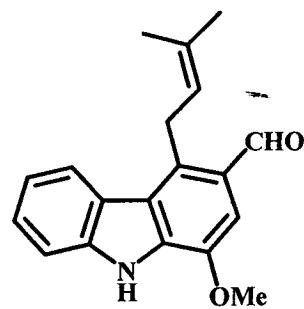


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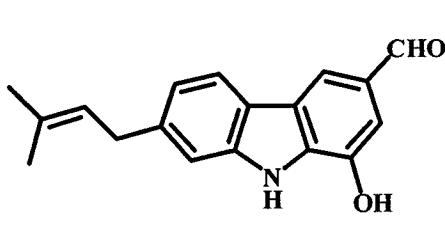
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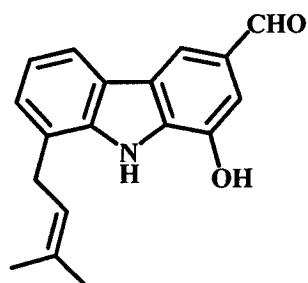
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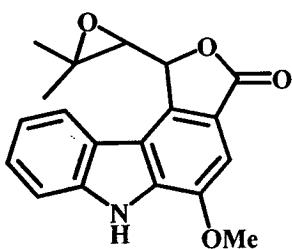
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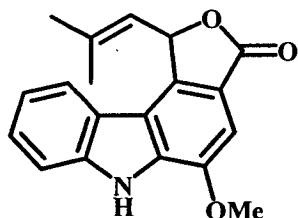
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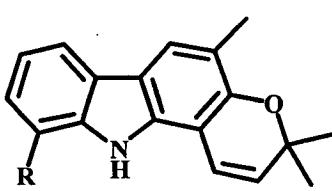
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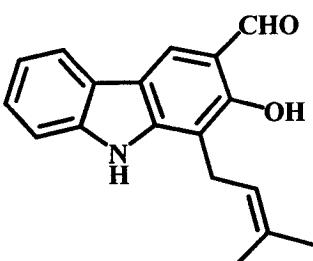
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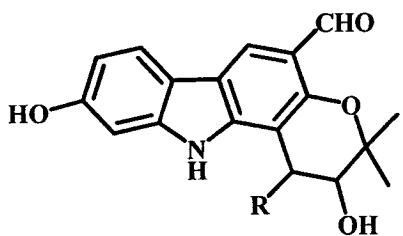


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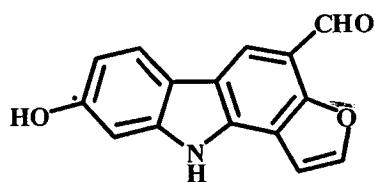
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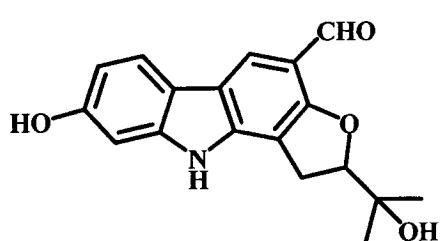


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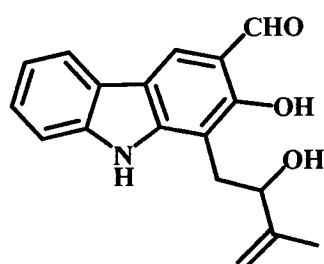
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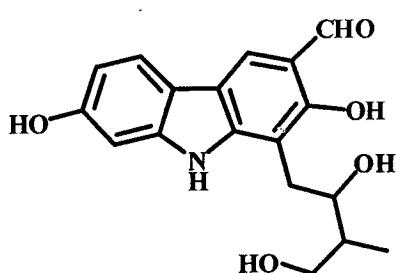
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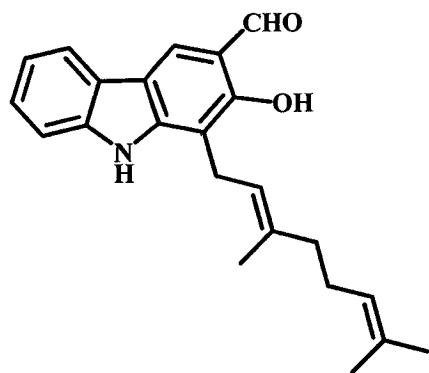
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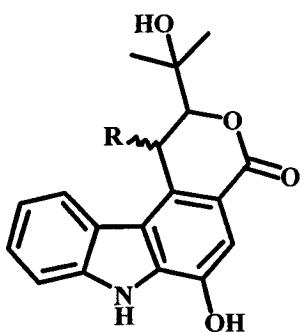
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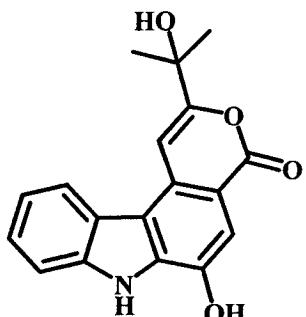
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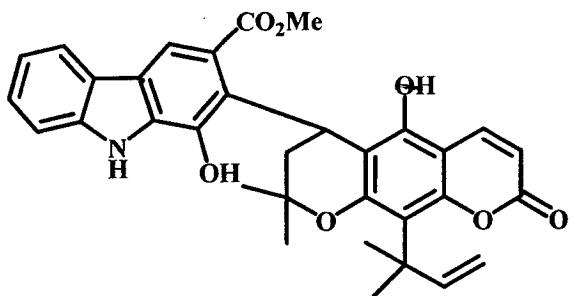
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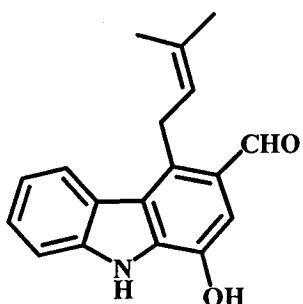
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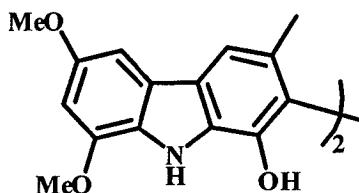
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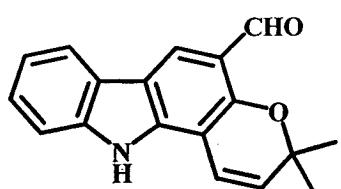
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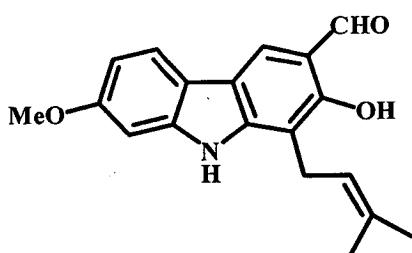
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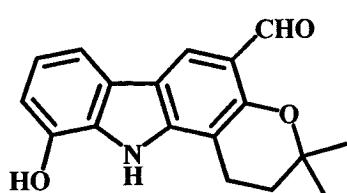
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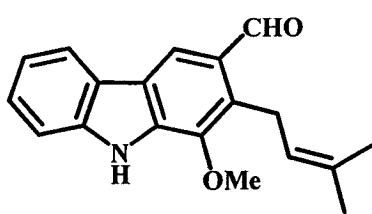
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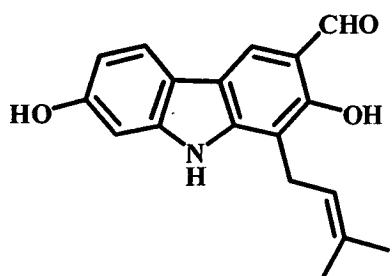
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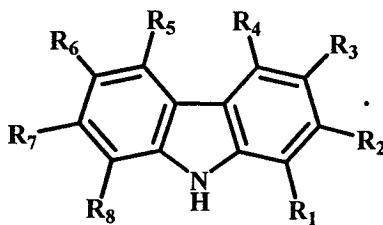
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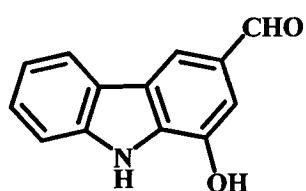
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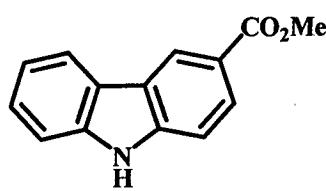
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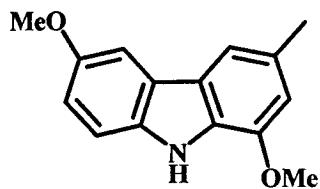
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H	H	CO ₂ Me	H	H	H	OMe	H	Clausine C, A38
OH	H	CO ₂ Me	H	H	H	H	H	Clausine E, A39
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H	OMe	CO ₂ H	H	H	H	OMe	H	Clausine K, A44
H	OMe	CO ₂ Me	H	H	H	H	H	Clausine L, A45
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OH	H	CO ₂ Me	H	H	H	OH	H	Clausine R, A51
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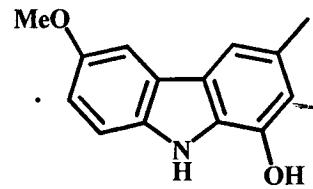
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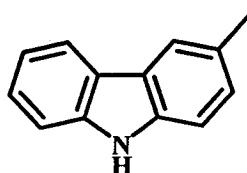
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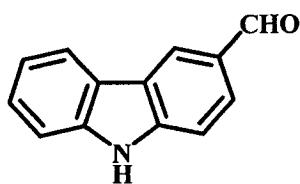
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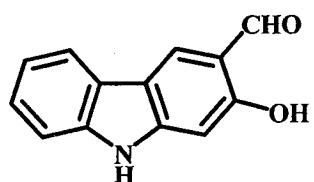
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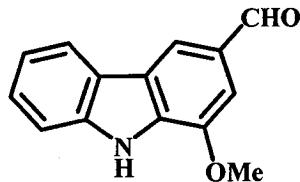
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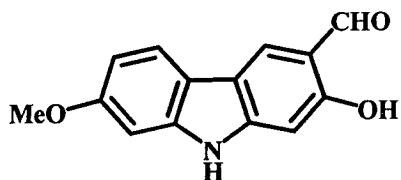
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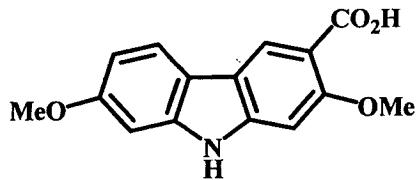
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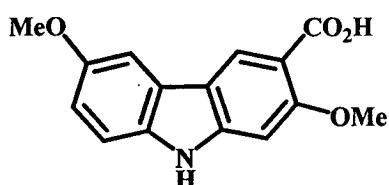
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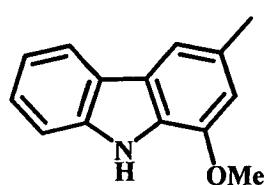
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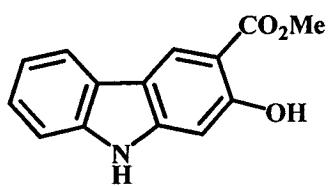
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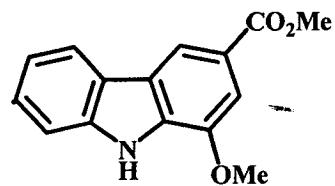
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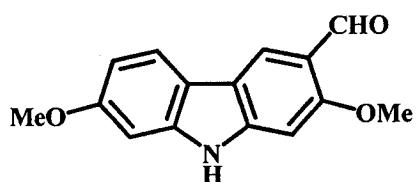
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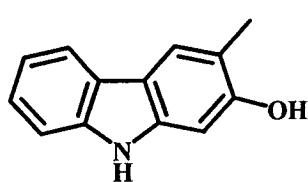
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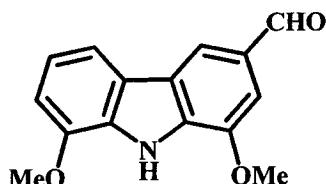
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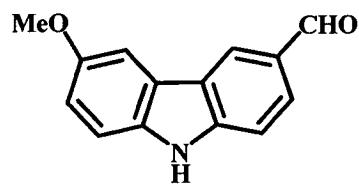
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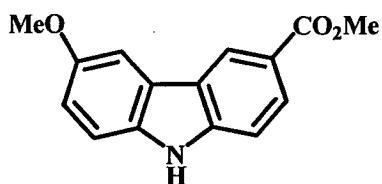
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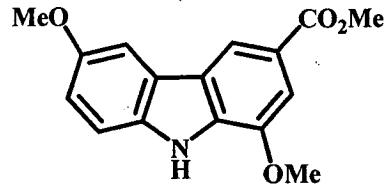
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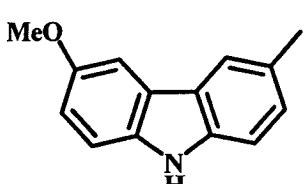
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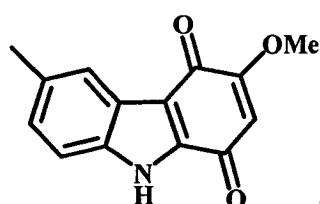
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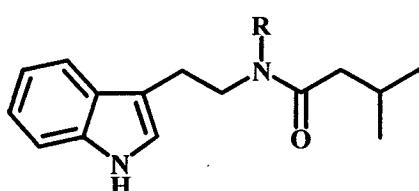
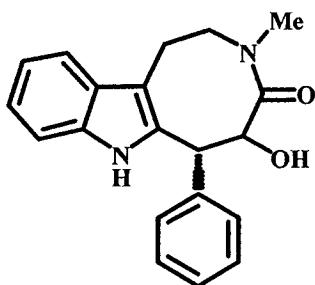
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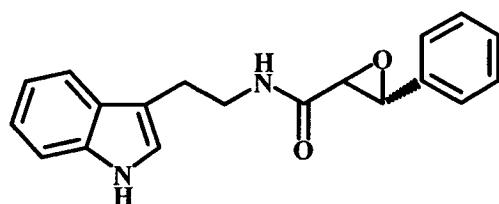
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Clausenaquinone-A, A75

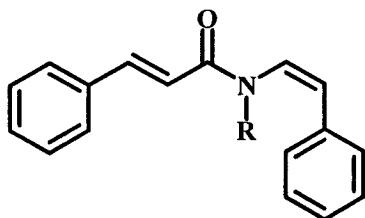


R = H, Madugin, A81

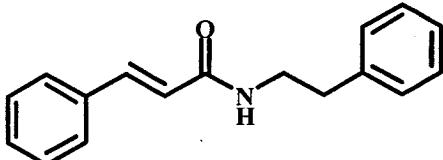


Prebalamide, A83

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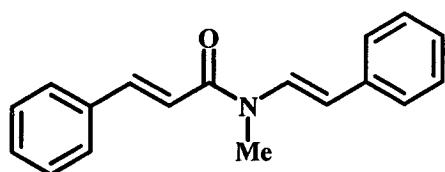
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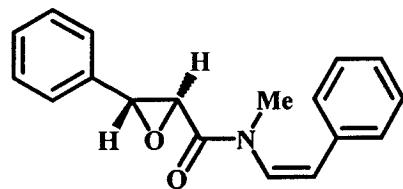
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R = Me, Lansiumamide B, A85

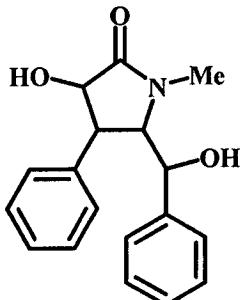
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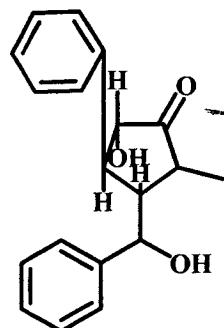
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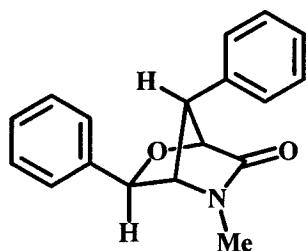
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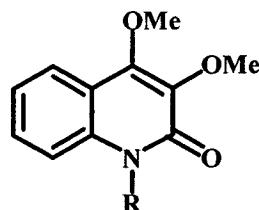
Clausenamide, A90



Neoclausenamide, A91

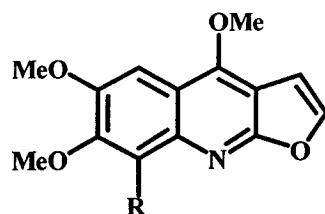


Cycloclausenamide, A92



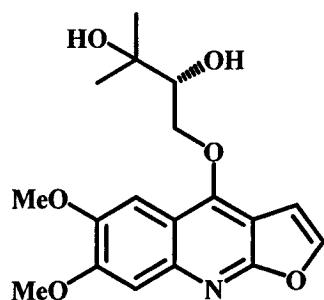
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R = OMe, N-methylswietenidine, A94

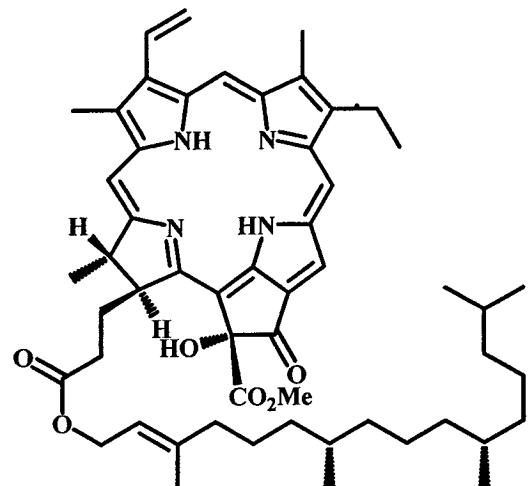


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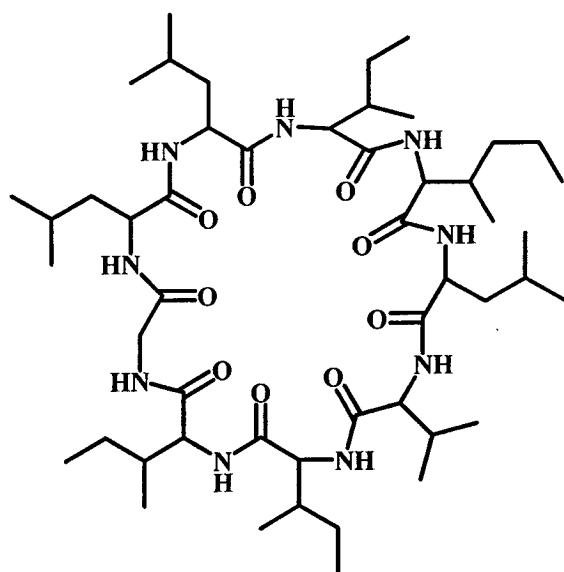
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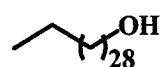


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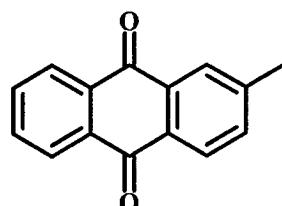
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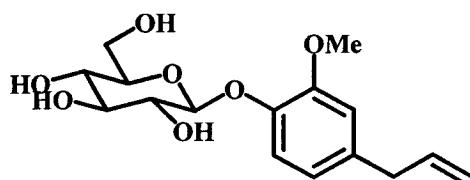
Triacontan-1-ol, B1

C = Anthraquinone

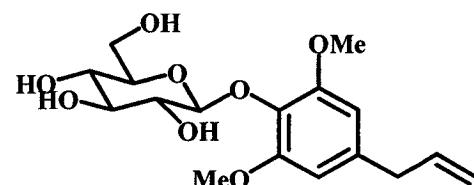


2-Methylantraquinone, **C1**

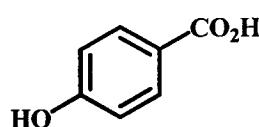
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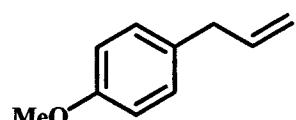
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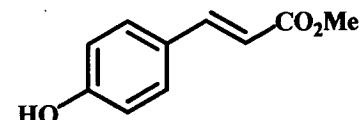
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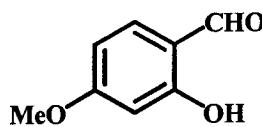
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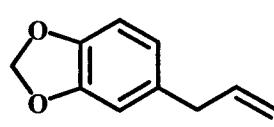
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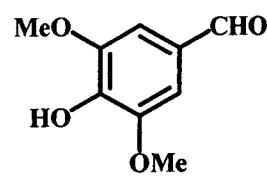
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D5



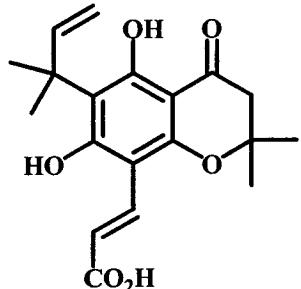
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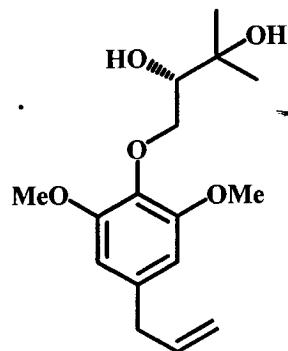
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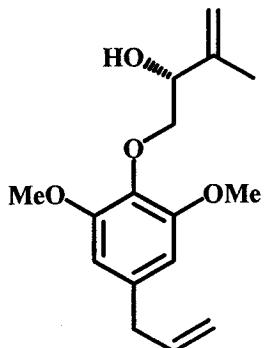
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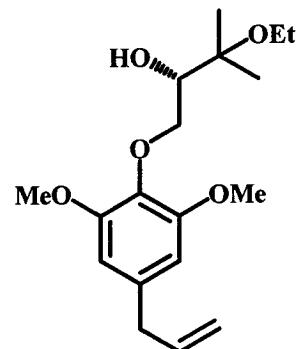
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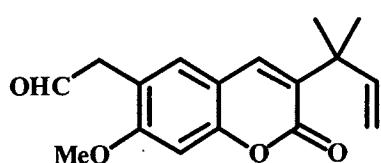


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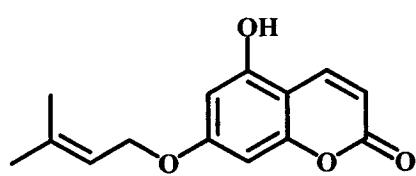


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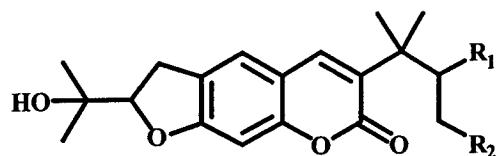
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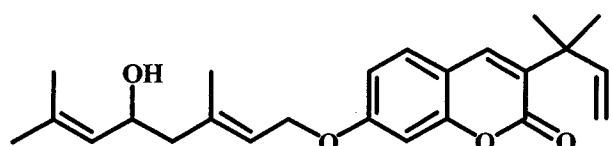
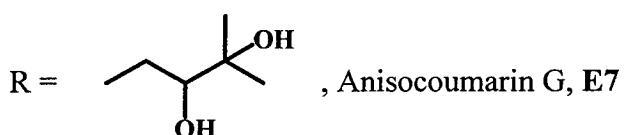
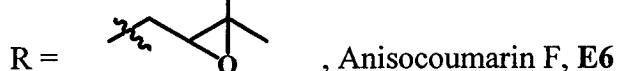
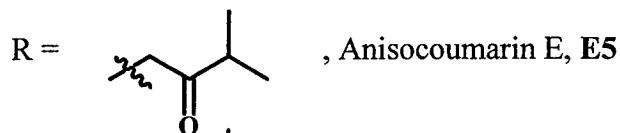
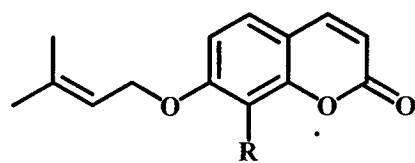


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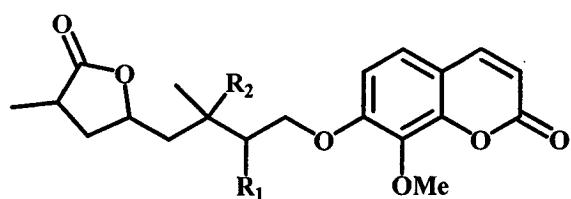


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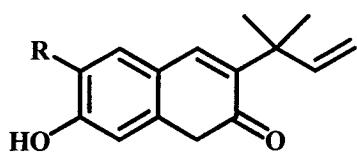


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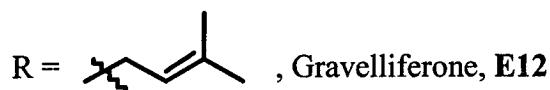


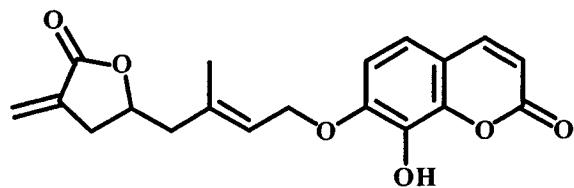
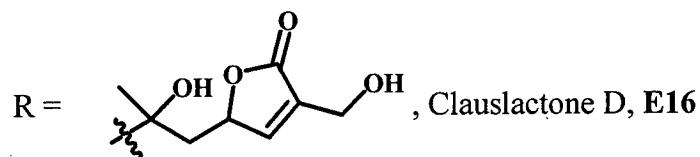
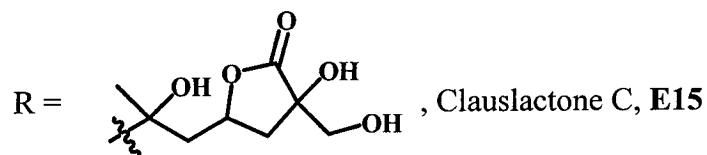
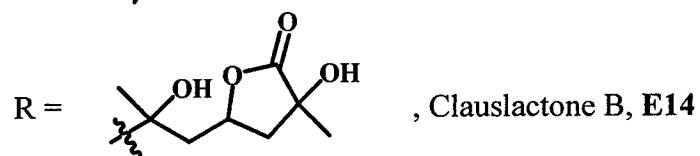
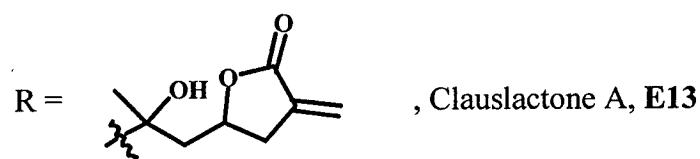
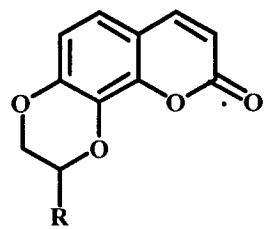
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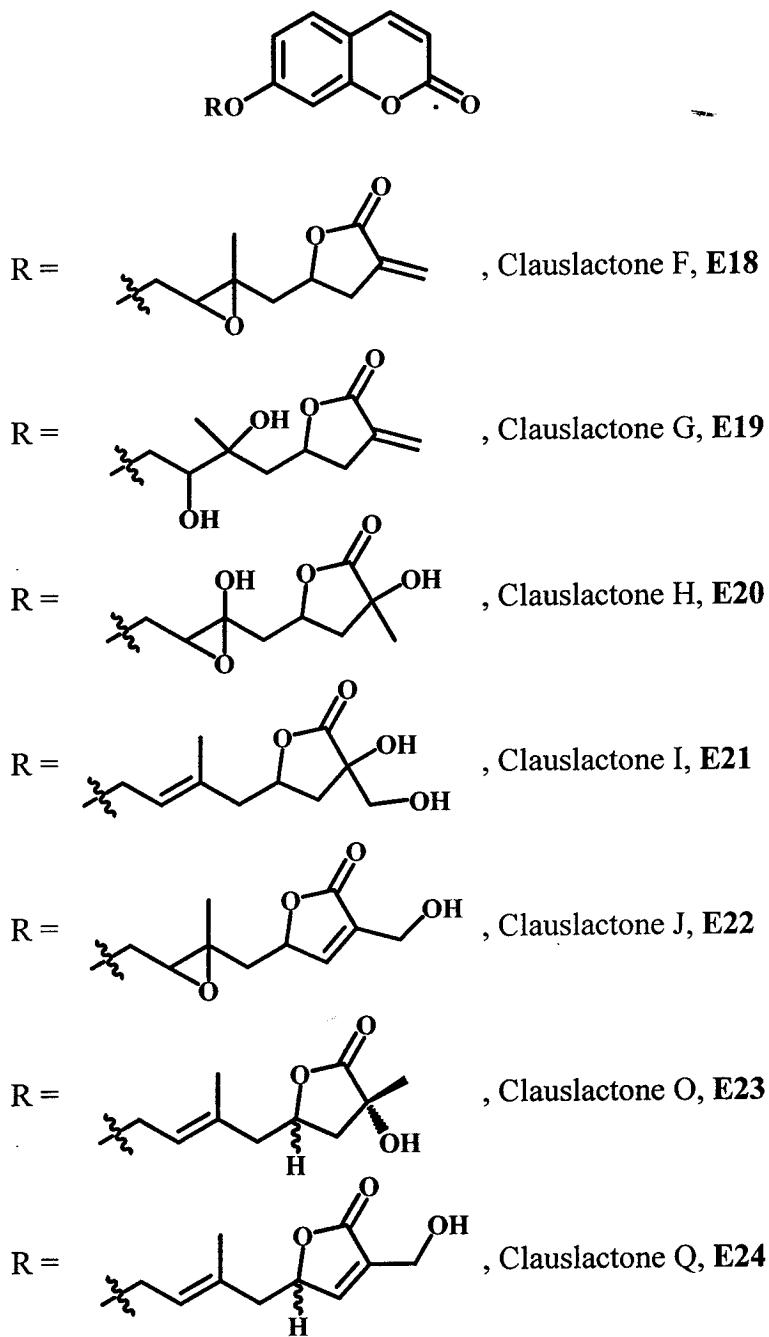


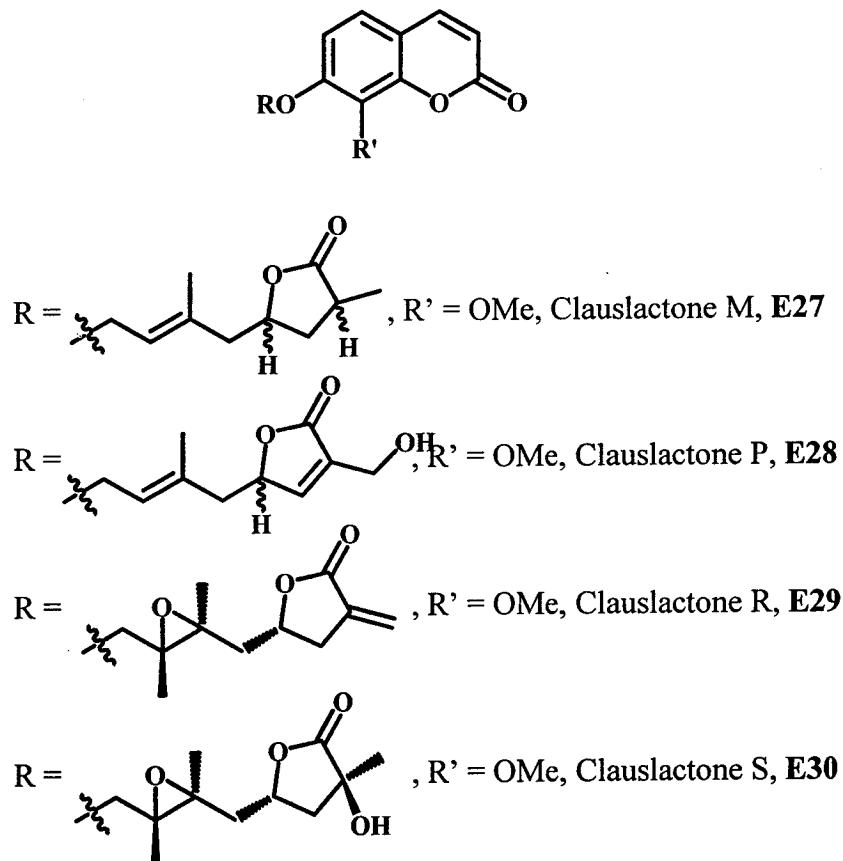
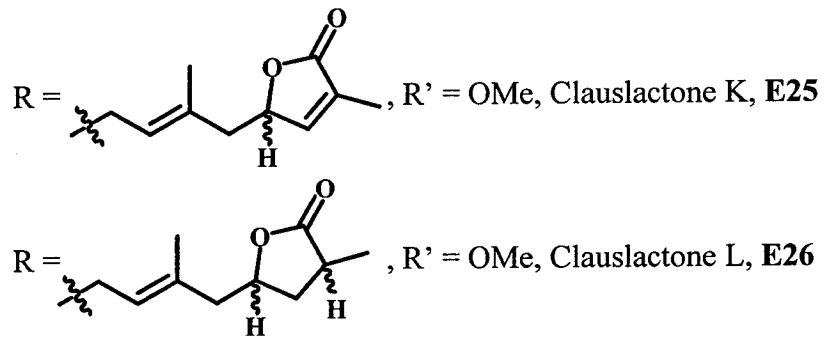
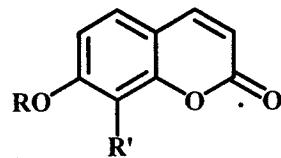
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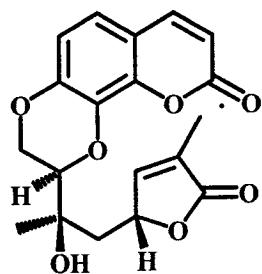




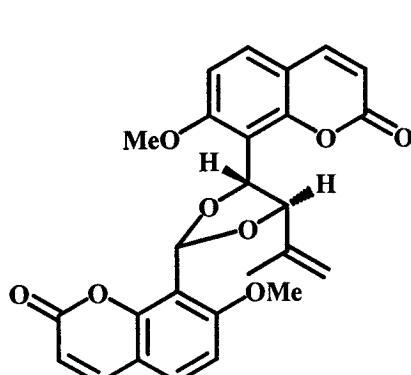
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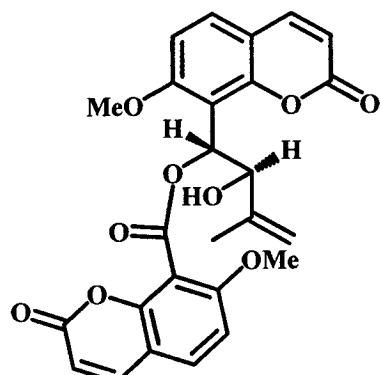




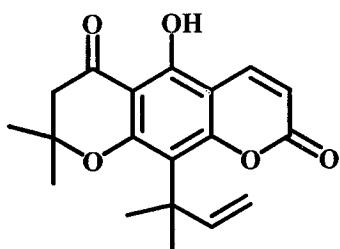
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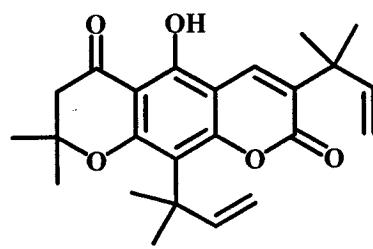
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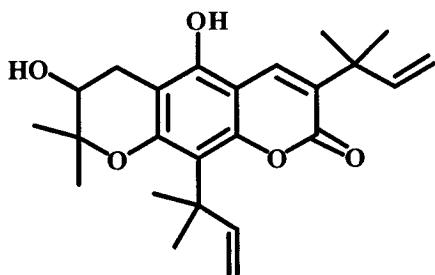
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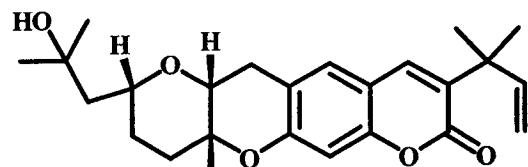
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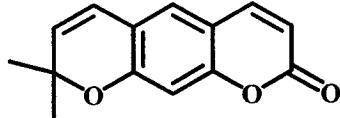
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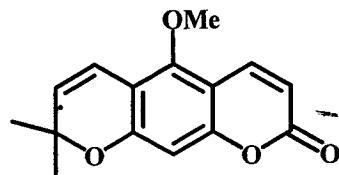
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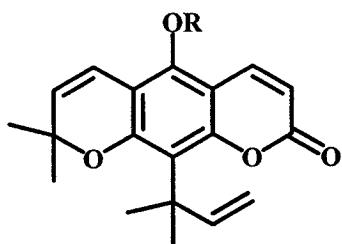
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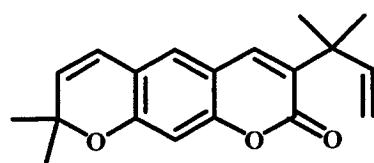


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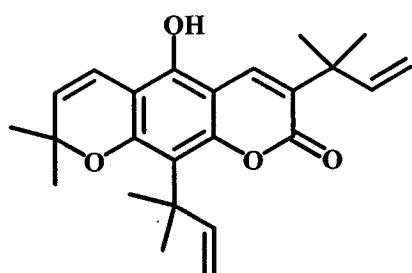


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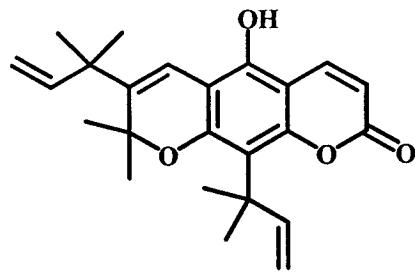
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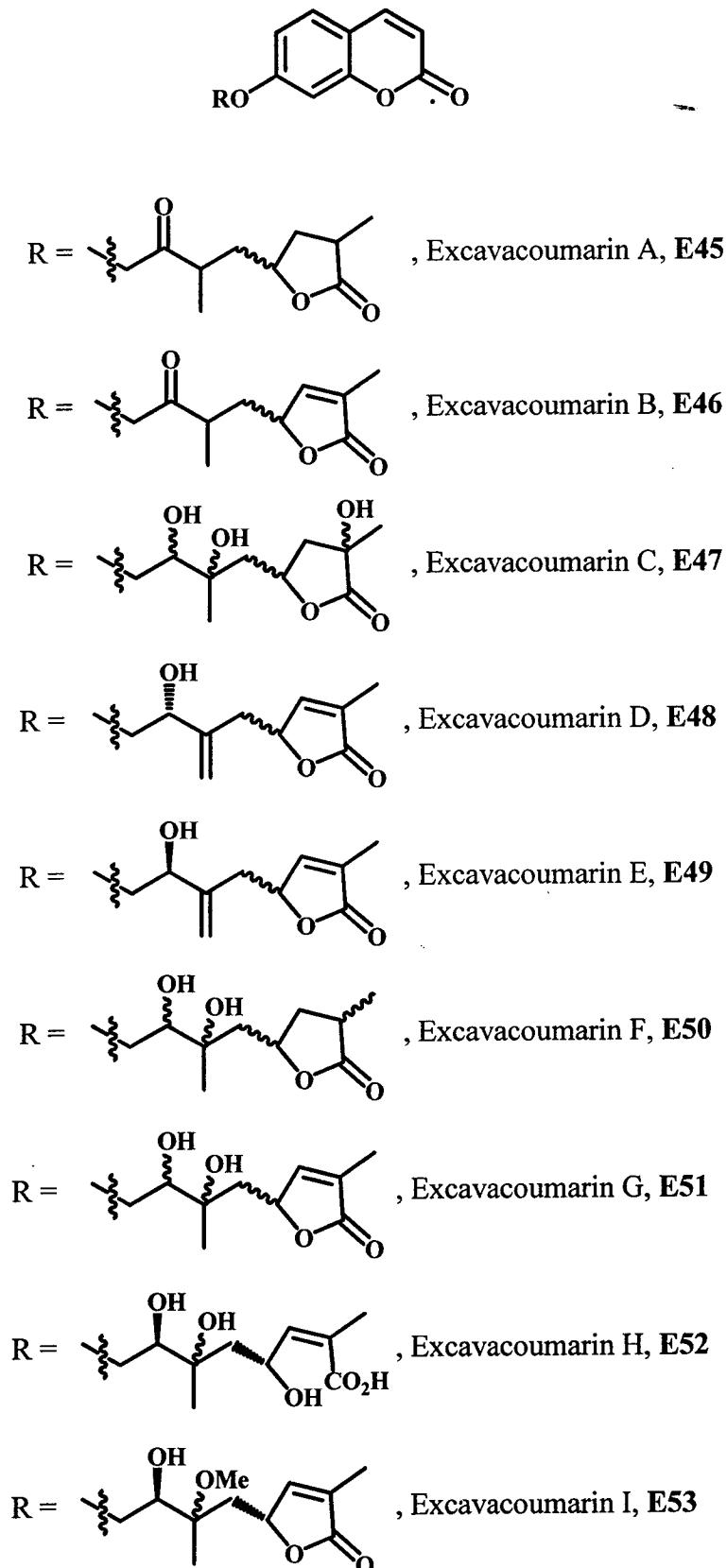
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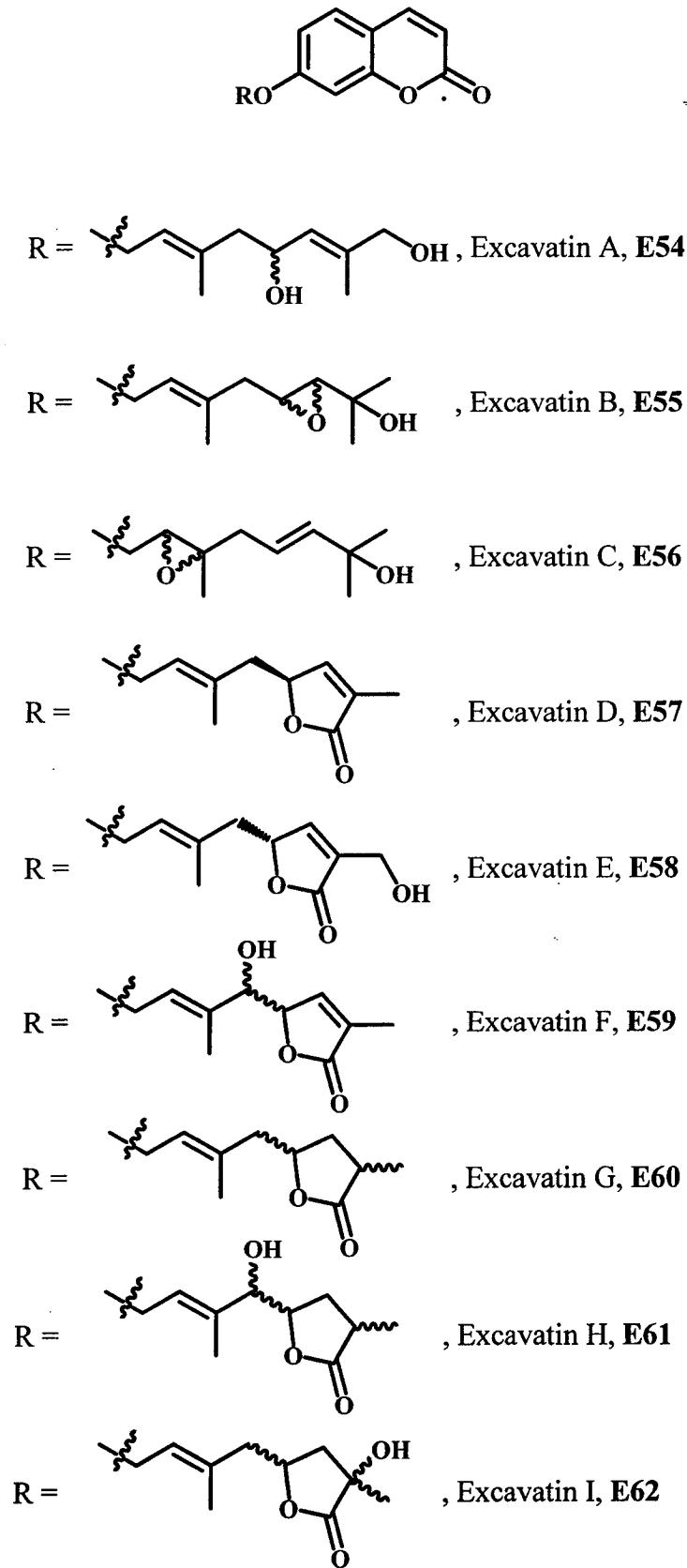


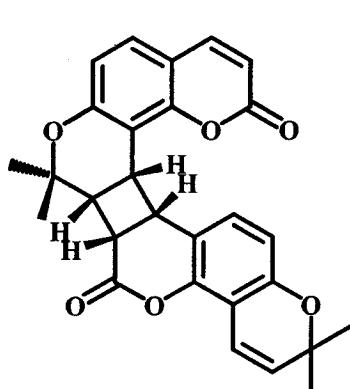
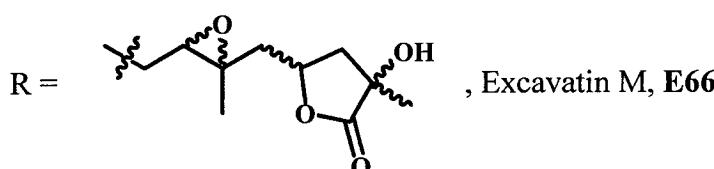
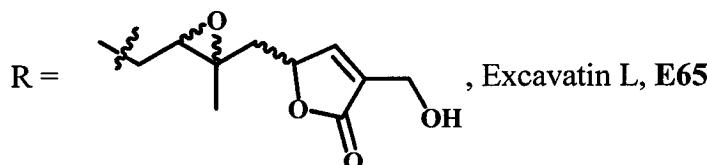
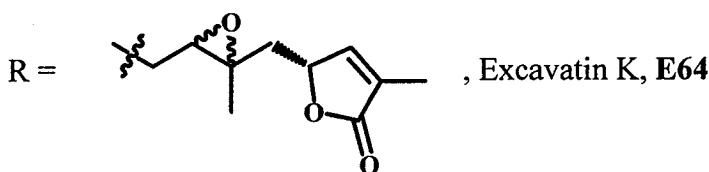
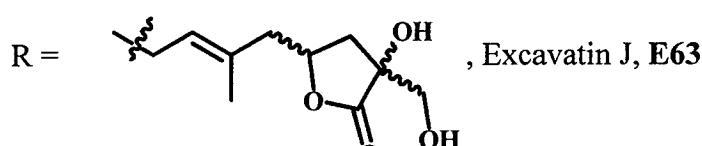
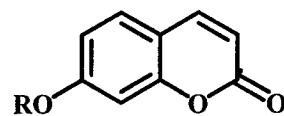
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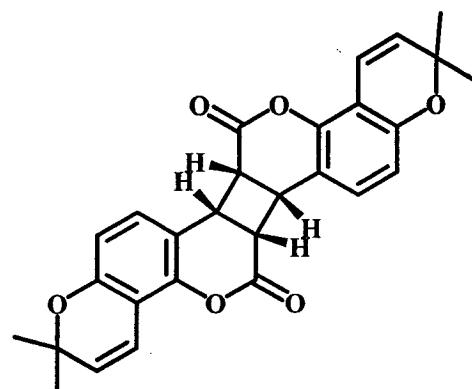
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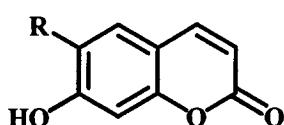




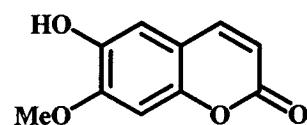
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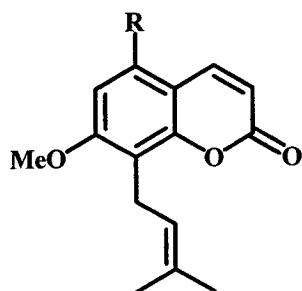


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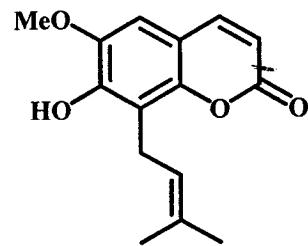
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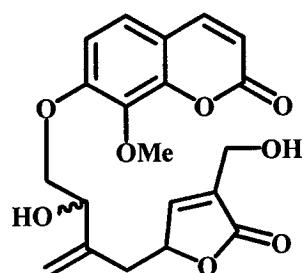


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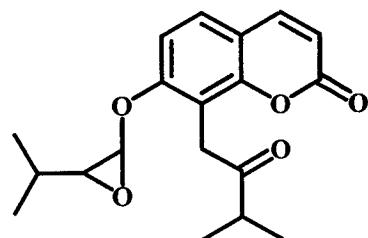
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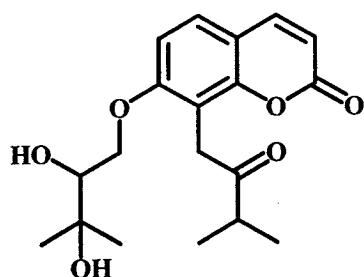
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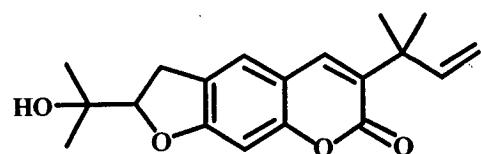
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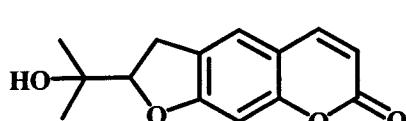
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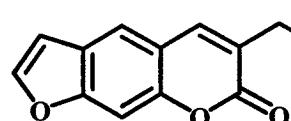
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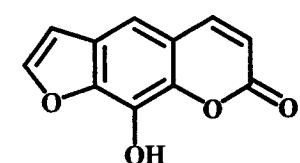
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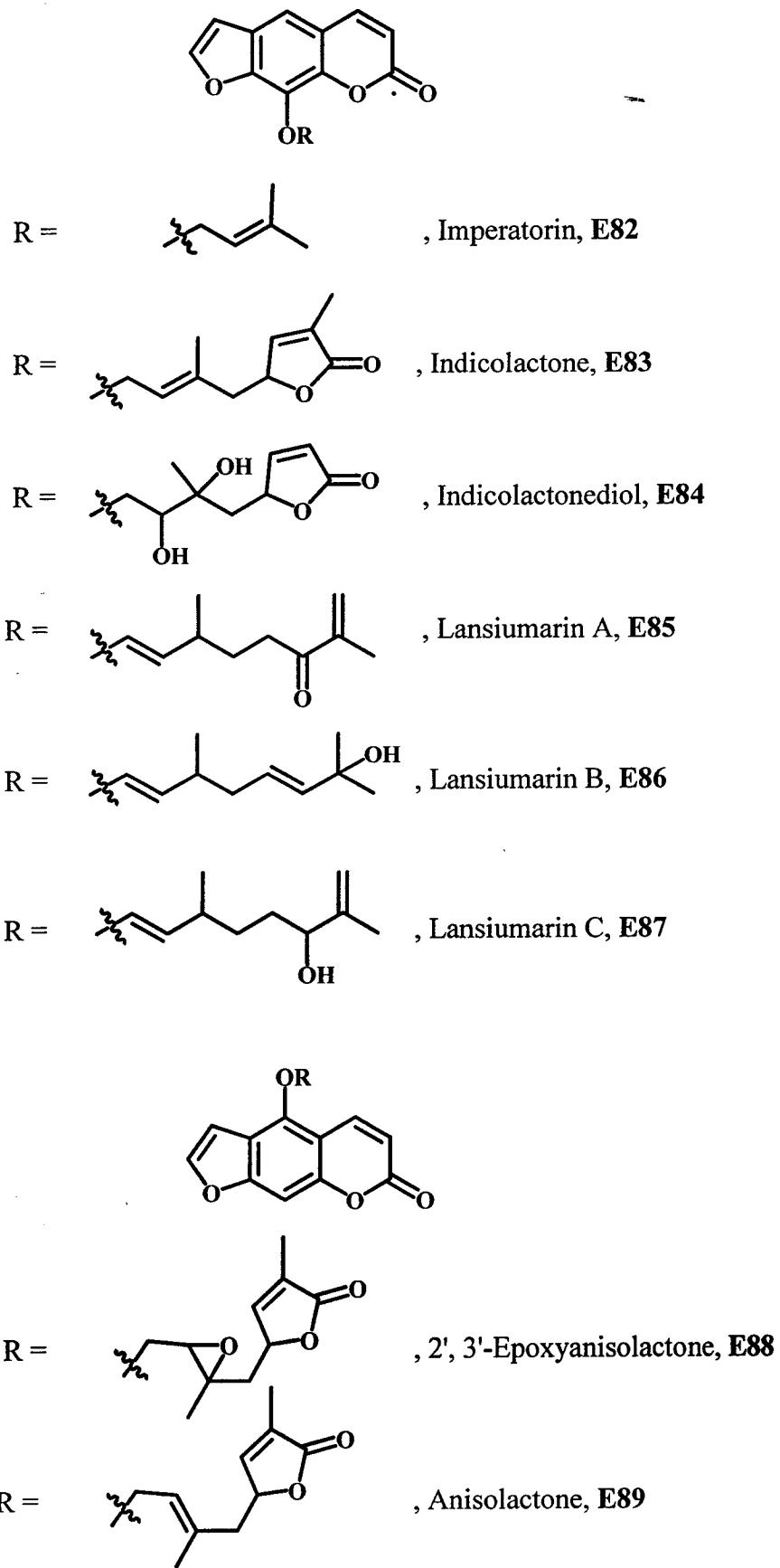
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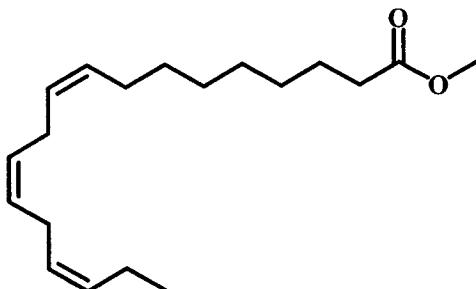
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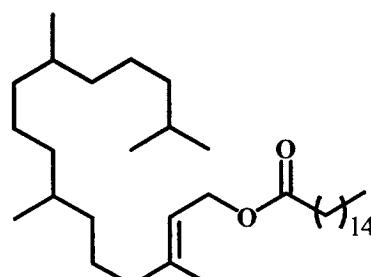
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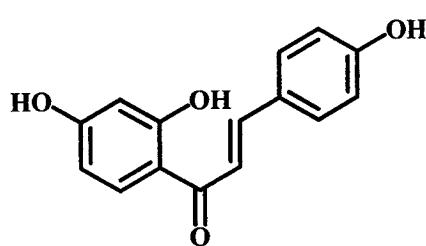


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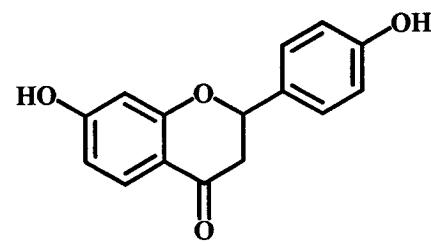


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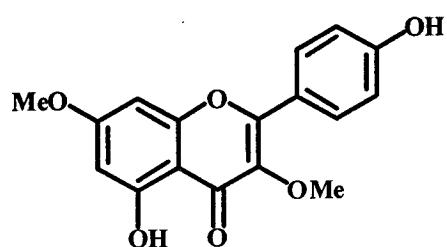
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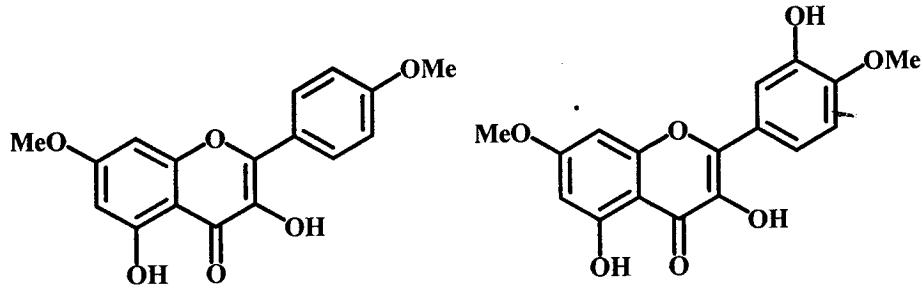
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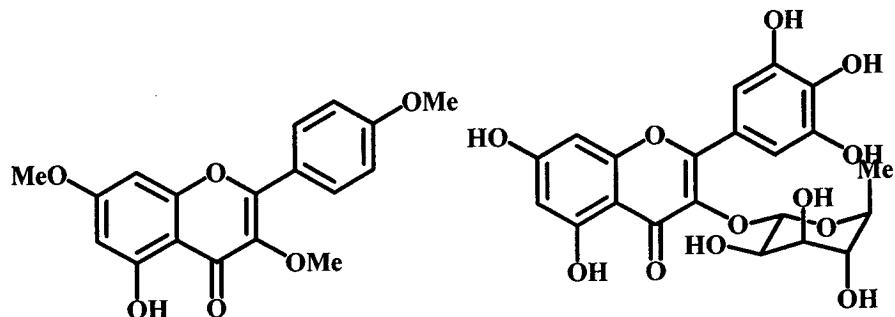


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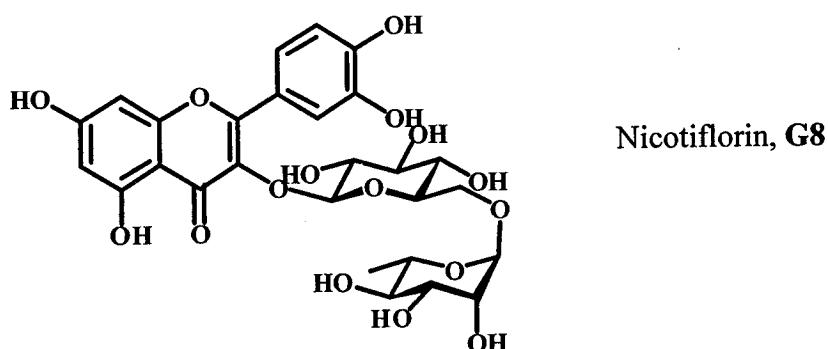
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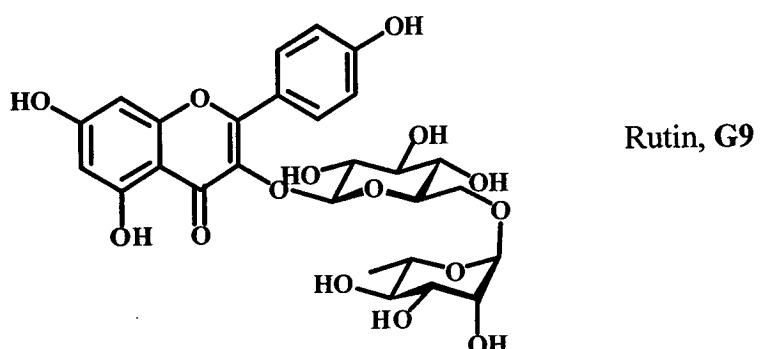


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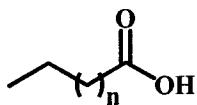


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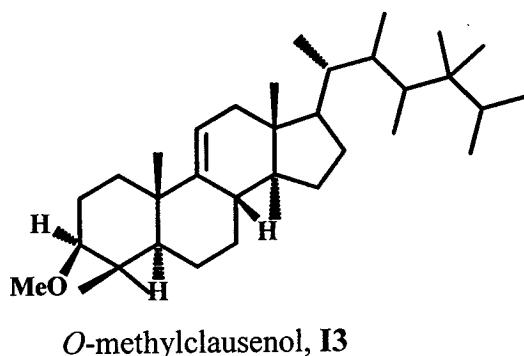
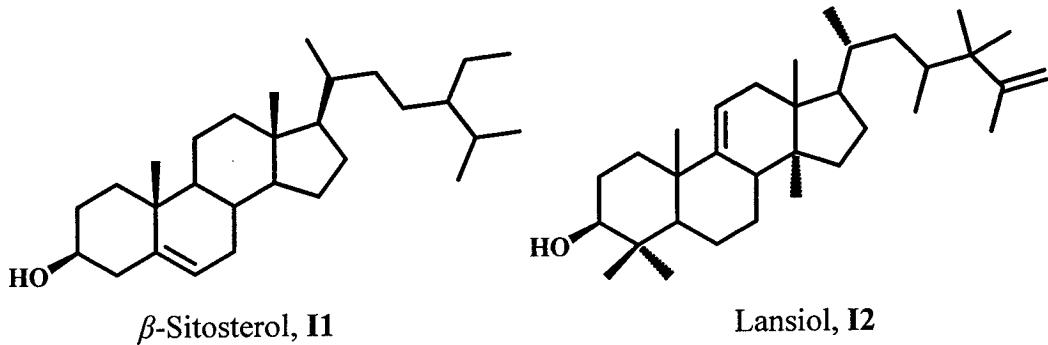
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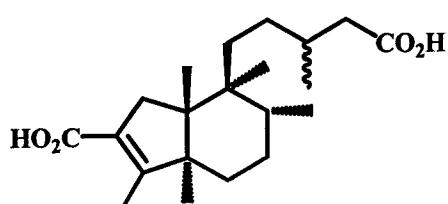
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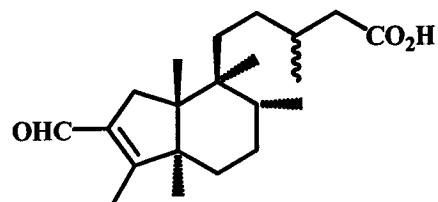


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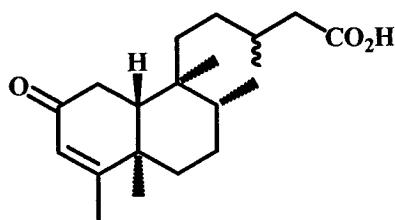
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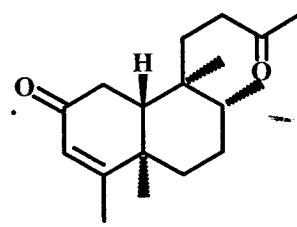
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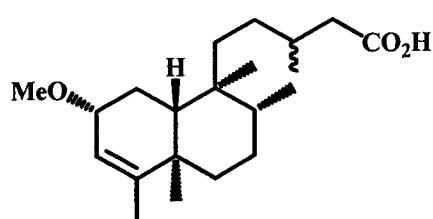
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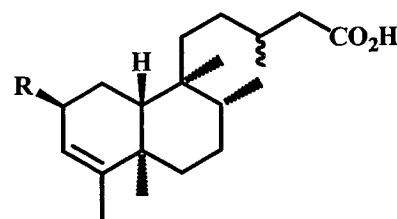
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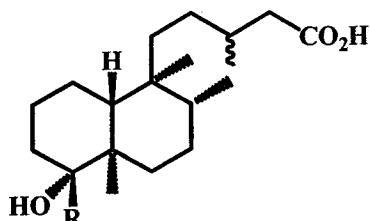
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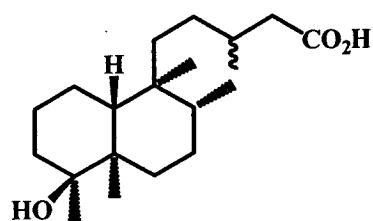
2 α -Methoxyclerod-3-en-15-oic acid, **J5**



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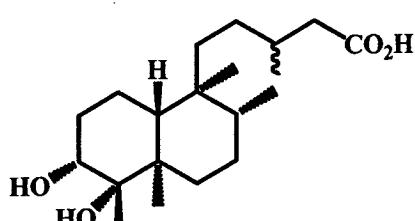


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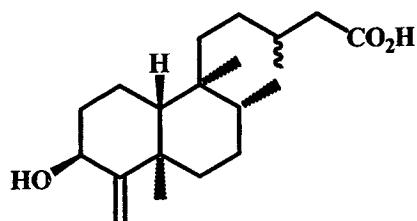


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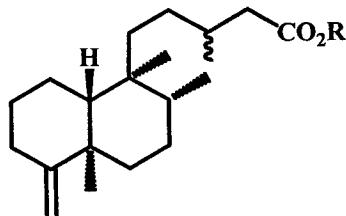
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3 α , 4 α -dihydroxyclerodan-15-oic acid, **J11**

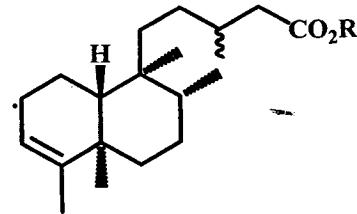


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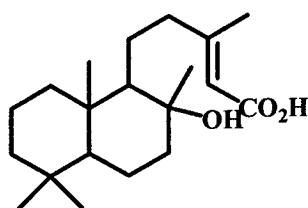
R = H, clerod-4(18)-en-15-oic acid, **J13**

R = CH₂CH₃, Ethyl Clerod-4(18)-en-15-oate, **J14**

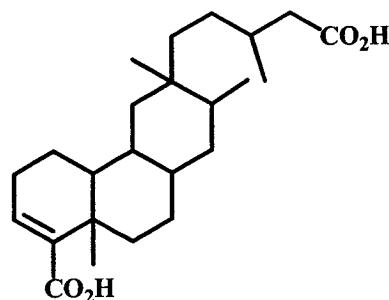


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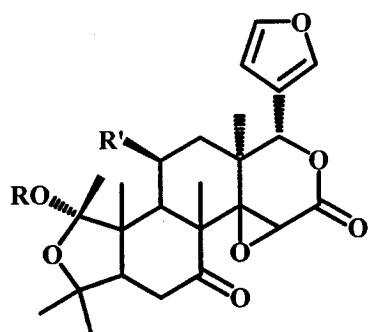
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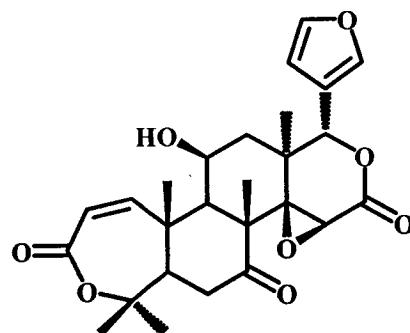


Haplociliatic acid, **J18**

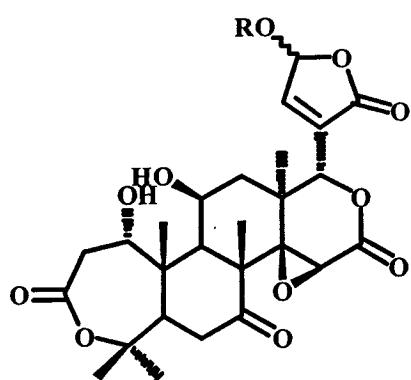


R = H, R' = OH, Clausenolide, **J19**

R = Et, R' = OH, Clausenolide-1-ethyl ether, **J20**



Zapoterin, **J21**



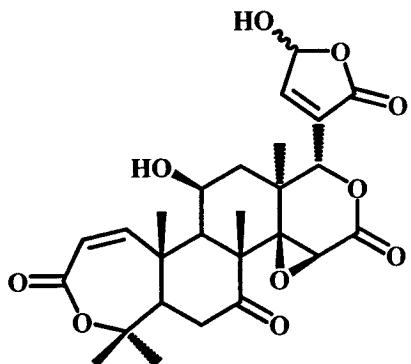
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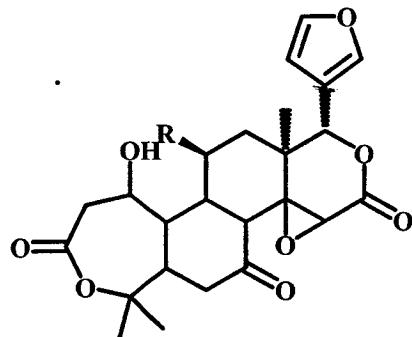
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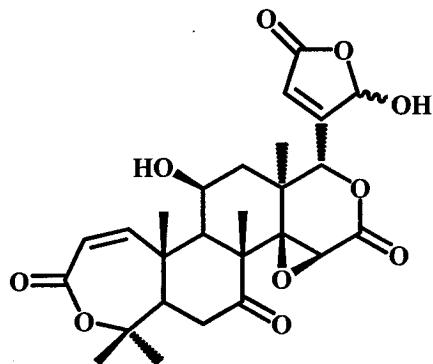
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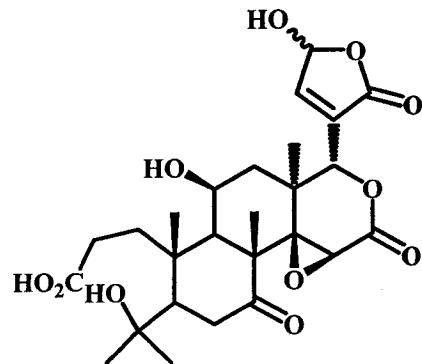
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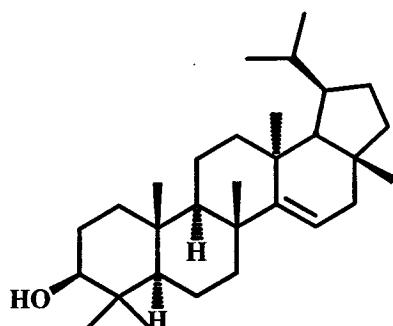
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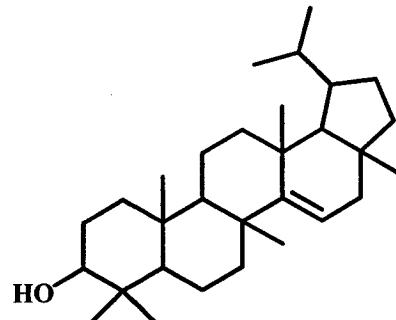
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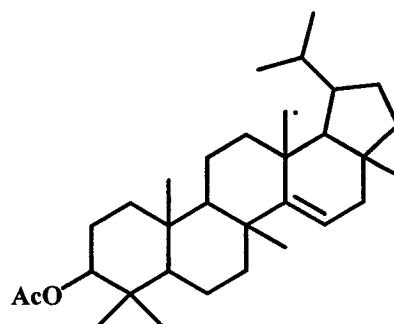
(11 α)-1,2,21,23-Tetrahydro-11,23-
dihydroxy-21-oxoobacunoic acid, **J27**



Tarolupeol, **J28**



Tarolupenol, **J29**



Tarolupenyl acetate, J30

1.2.2. The Biological Activities of *Clausena excavata*

Clausena excavata has been used as folk medicines for the treatment of several disorders such as used for the ailment of colic, cough, headache, rhinitis, sore, wounds, yaws and detoxification in Asian countries. The crude extract are pure compound which isolated from *C. excavata* were evaluated for their biological activities such as cytotoxicities against lung cancer (A549), breast cancer (MCF-7), nasopharynx (KB), nasopharynx MDR (KB-VIN), hepatitis B virus (HBV), topoisomerase II, anti-HIV-1 and toxicity assay in 1A2 cell line antifungal activities. The biological activities which were isolated from this plant were summarized in Table 2.

Table 2 Biological activities from *Clausena excavata*

Compounds	Parts	Activities	Bibliography
A16	Branches	Topoisomerase II inhibitory effects (N/A)	Takamura <i>et al.</i> , 2004
A35	Branches	Topoisomerase II inhibitory effects (50 μ M)	Takamura <i>et al.</i> , 2004
A39	Branches	Topoisomerase II inhibitory effects (50 μ M)	Takamura <i>et al.</i> , 2004
A44	Branches	Topoisomerase II inhibitory effects (N/A)	Takamura <i>et al.</i> , 2004

Table 2 (Continued)

Compounds	Parts	Activities	Bibliography
A55	Rhizomes	Antimycobacterial (MIC 50 $\mu\text{g/mL}$)	Kongkathip and Kongkathip, 2009
A59	Rhizomes and roots	Antimycobacterial (MIC 100 $\mu\text{g/mL}$); antifungal (IC_{50} 13.6 $\mu\text{g/mL}$ against <i>Candida albicans</i>)	Kongkathip and Kongkathip, 2009
A60	Rhizomes and roots	Antimycobacterial (MIC 200 $\mu\text{g/mL}$); antifungal (IC_{50} 29.3 $\mu\text{g/mL}$ against <i>Candida albicans</i>)	Kongkathip and Kongkathip, 2009
A62	Branches, rhizomes and roots	Topoisomerase II inhibitory effects (N/A); antifungal (IC_{50} 2.8 $\mu\text{g/mL}$ against <i>Candida albicans</i>); Antimycobacterial (MIC 100 $\mu\text{g/mL}$)	Takamura <i>et al.</i> , 2004
E34	Rhizomes and roots	Cytotoxic (EC_{50} 2.25-19.83 $\mu\text{g/mL}$ against A549, KB and KB-VIN); HBV HBsAg (EC_{50} 1.88 μM against HepA2 cell); Antimycobacterial (MIC 200 $\mu\text{g/mL}$); Anti-HIV-1 (EC_{50} 5.3 μM and IC_{50} 37.2 μM by syncytium and toxicity assay in 1A2 cell line)	Su <i>et al.</i> , 2009; Kongkathip and Kongkathip, 2009

Table 2 (Continued)

Compounds	Parts	Activities	Bibliography
E40	Rhizomes and roots	Cytotoxic (EC_{50} 8.70-17.32 $\mu g/mL$ against A549, MCF-7, KB and KB-VIN); HBV HBsAg (EC_{50} 6.38 μM against HepA2cell); Antimycobacterial (MIC 100 $\mu g/mL$)	Su <i>et al.</i> , 2009; Kongkathip and Kongkathip, 2009
E41	Rhizomes	Antimycobacterial (MIC 50 $\mu g/mL$)	Kongkathip and Kongkathip, 2009
E43	Roots	Cytotoxic (EC_{50} 1.61-7.96 $\mu g/mL$ against A549, MCF-7, KB and KB-VIN); HBV HBsAg (N/A)	Su <i>et al.</i> , 2009

CHAPTER 2

MATERIAL AND METHODS

2.1 Instruments and Chemicals

Melting points were determined using a Fisher-John melting point apparatus. The optical rotation $[\alpha]_D$ values were determined with a Bellingham Stanley ADP440 or JASCO P-1020 digital polarimeter. UV spectra were measured with Perkin-Elmer UV-Vis or SPECORD S100 (Analytikjena) spectrophotometers. The IR spectra were measured with a Perkin-Elmer FTS FT-IR spectrophotometer. The ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectra were recorded using 400 MHz Bruker FTNMR Ultra Shield and 500 MHz Varian UNITY INOVA spectrometers. Chemical shifts were recorded in parts per million (δ) in CDCl_3 or CD_3OD with tetramethylsilane (TMS) as an internal reference. The HRMS was obtained from MicroTOF, Bruker Daltonics or MAT 95 XL spectrometer. Column chromatography was performed by using quick column chromatography (QCC) and column chromatography (CC) were carried out on silica gel 60 H (Merck, 5-40 μm) and silica gel 100 (Merck, 63-200 μm), respectively. SephadexTM LH-20 was used for isolation procedure.

2.2 Plant materials

The fruits and stems of *C. excavata* were collected in May 2008 from Satoon Province, southern part of Thailand. Botanical identification was achieved through comparison with a voucher specimen number QBG 6277 in herbarium collection of Queen Sirikit Garden, Mae Rim District, Chiang Mai Province, Thailand.

2.3 Extraction and Isolation

2.3.1 Extraction and isolation of compounds from the fruits of *C. excavata*

The fruits of *C. excavata* were extracted with hexane and dichloromethane (CH_2Cl_2), respectively, over a period of 3 days each at room temperature. Removal the solvent under reduced pressure provided hexane extract and CH_2Cl_2 extract. The hexane and CH_2Cl_2 extracts were combined (987.7 mg) and chromatographed by CC over silica gel eluted with a gradient of EtOAc-hexane (20%

EtOAc-hexane to 100% MeOH) to give twenty-two fractions (A-V). Fraction I (194.2 mg) was separated by sephadex LH-20 with 60% CH₂Cl₂-MeOH to provide five subfractions (I1-I5). Subfraction I3 (85.0 mg) was purified by CC using 8% CHCl₃-hexane to afford compound **CE6** (8.2 mg). Fraction T (384.8 mg) was also separated by sephadex LH-20 eluted with 60% CH₂Cl₂-MeOH to obtain four subfractions (T1-T4). Compounds **CE2** (1.5 mg), **CE19** (5.7 mg), and **CE1** (4.2 mg) were derived from subfraction T1 (173.4 mg) by CC with 3% acetone-CH₂Cl₂. The summary of isolations of compounds from *C. excavata* fruits was showed in Figure 2.

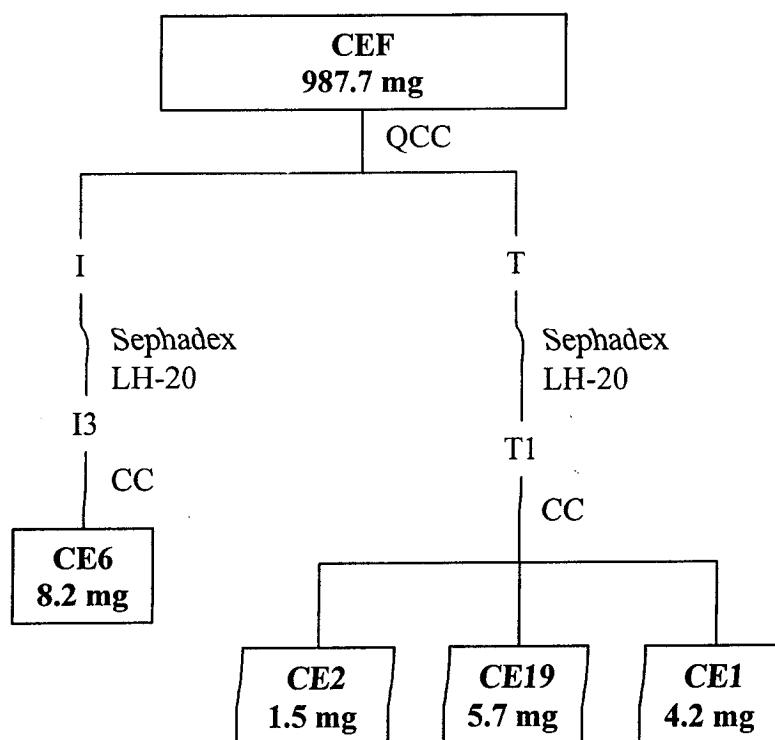


Figure 2 Isolation of compounds **CE1-2**, **CE6** and **CE19** from hexane-CH₂Cl₂ extract of fruits of *C. excavata*

Compound CE1: C₁₉H₂₄O₇, colorless viscous oil; [α]_D²⁹ -223.4° (c 0.04, CHCl₃).

UV $\lambda_{\text{max}}^{\text{MeOH}}$ nm (log ε): 207 (2.26), 230 (4.14), 258 (2.27), 258 (2.30), 318 (2.47). IR (neat) ν_{max} : 3408, 2971, 2932, 1718, 1612 cm⁻¹. For ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 500 MHz), ¹³C

NMR (CDCl_3 , 125 MHz) and DEPT spectra see Table 3. HREIMS m/z 346.1422 [M- H_2O]⁺ (calcd m/z 346.1416).

Compound CE2: $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_8\text{O}_4$, white solid; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) spectra see Table 4.

Compound CE6: $\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_3$, colorless viscous oil; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz) spectra see Table 5.

Compound CE19: $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{16}\text{O}_3$, yellow viscous oil; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 400 MHz), ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 100 MHz) and DEPT spectra see Table 6.

2.3.2 Extraction and isolation of compounds from the stems of *C. excavata*

The stems of *C. excavata* were extracted with ethyl acetate (EtOAc) over a period of 3 days each at room temperature. Removal the solvent under reduced pressure provided EtOAc extract (70.50 g). This extracted was chromatographed by QCC over silica gel and eluted with gradient of hexane-acetone (100% hexane to 100% acetone) to afford twenty-six fractions (A-Z). Fraction I (297.3 mg) was performed by QCC with 27% CH_2Cl_2 -hexane yields twelve subfractions (I1-I12). Subfraction I4 (27.0 mg) was recrystallized with hexane to give compound **CE7** (4.4 mg). Fraction J (230.0 mg) was purified by CC with 15% acetone-hexane to give six subfractions (J1-J6). Subfraction J2 (16.0 mg) was further purified by CC with 50% CHCl_3 -hexane to give compound **CE4** (2.0 mg). Fraction K and L (1.15 mg) were combined and subjected to sephadex LH-20 with 60% CH_2Cl_2 -MeOH to give five subfractions (KL1-KL4). Subfraction KL4 was fractionated by repeated QCC with 25% CH_2Cl_2 -hexane and gave six subfraction (KL4.1-KL4.6). Subfraction KL4.3 (80.7 mg) was purified by CC with 60% CH_2Cl_2 -hexane to give compound **CES8** (7.3 mg) whereas compound **CE11** (2.6 mg) derived from subfraction KL4.5 (55.4 mg) by repeated CC using 80% CH_2Cl_2 -hexane afforded as eluent. Subfraction KL4.6 (130.0 mg) was further purified by CC with 40% CH_2Cl_2 -hexane to give compound **CE9** (5.0 mg), along with three subfractions (KL4.6.1-KL4.6.3). Compound **CE10** (17.6 mg) was obtained from subfraction KL4.6.3 by repeated CC with 70% CH_2Cl_2 -hexane.

Fraction N (387.4 mg) was subjected to QCC with 45% CH₂Cl₂-hexane to afford nine subfractions (N1-N8). Subfraction N8 (75.0 mg) was recrystallized with CH₂Cl₂ gave two subfractions (N4.1-N4.2). Subfraction N8.1 (21.5 mg) was further purified by CC with 45% CH₂Cl₂-hexane to give compound **CE3** (4.3 mg). Fraction P and Q (842.0 mg) were combined and subjected to QCC with 75% CH₂Cl₂-hexane as eluent to afford eight subfractions (PQ1-PQ8). Subfraction PQ2 (103.9 mg) was purified by CC with 80% CH₂Cl₂-hexane as eluent to give compounds **CE12** (6.0 mg) and **CE13** (51.0 mg). Subfraction PQ5 (65.8 mg) was recrystallized from CH₂Cl₂ obtained compound **CE14** (8.0 mg). The mother liquor of subfraction PQ5 (55.0 mg) was subjected to CC with 23% acetone-hexane to yield six subfractions (PQ5.1-PQ5.6). Subfraction PQ5.2 (10.0 mg) was recrystallized with CH₂Cl₂ to give compound **CE5** (3.0 mg). Compound **CE15** (12.0 mg) was isolated from subfraction PQ8 (73.0 mg) by repeated CC with 23% EtOAc-CH₂Cl₂, while compound **CE16** (10.0 mg) was obtained from subfraction PQ13 (40.4 mg) by CC with 18% EtOAc-CH₂Cl₂. Fraction S (445.0 mg) was subjected to QCC with 10% EtOAc-CH₂Cl₂ to afford four subfractions (S1-S4). Subfraction S2 (20.0 mg) was further purified by CC with 30% acetone-hexane to give compound **CE17** (2.4 mg). Fraction U (561.0 mg) was subjected to sephadex-LH20 with 60% CH₂Cl₂-MeOH and obtained three subfractions (U1-U3). Subfraction U3 (145.1 mg) was recrystallized with 50% acetone-CH₂Cl₂ to give compound **CE18** (62.0 mg). The summary of isolation of compounds from *C. exvacata* was showed in scheme 2 and 3.

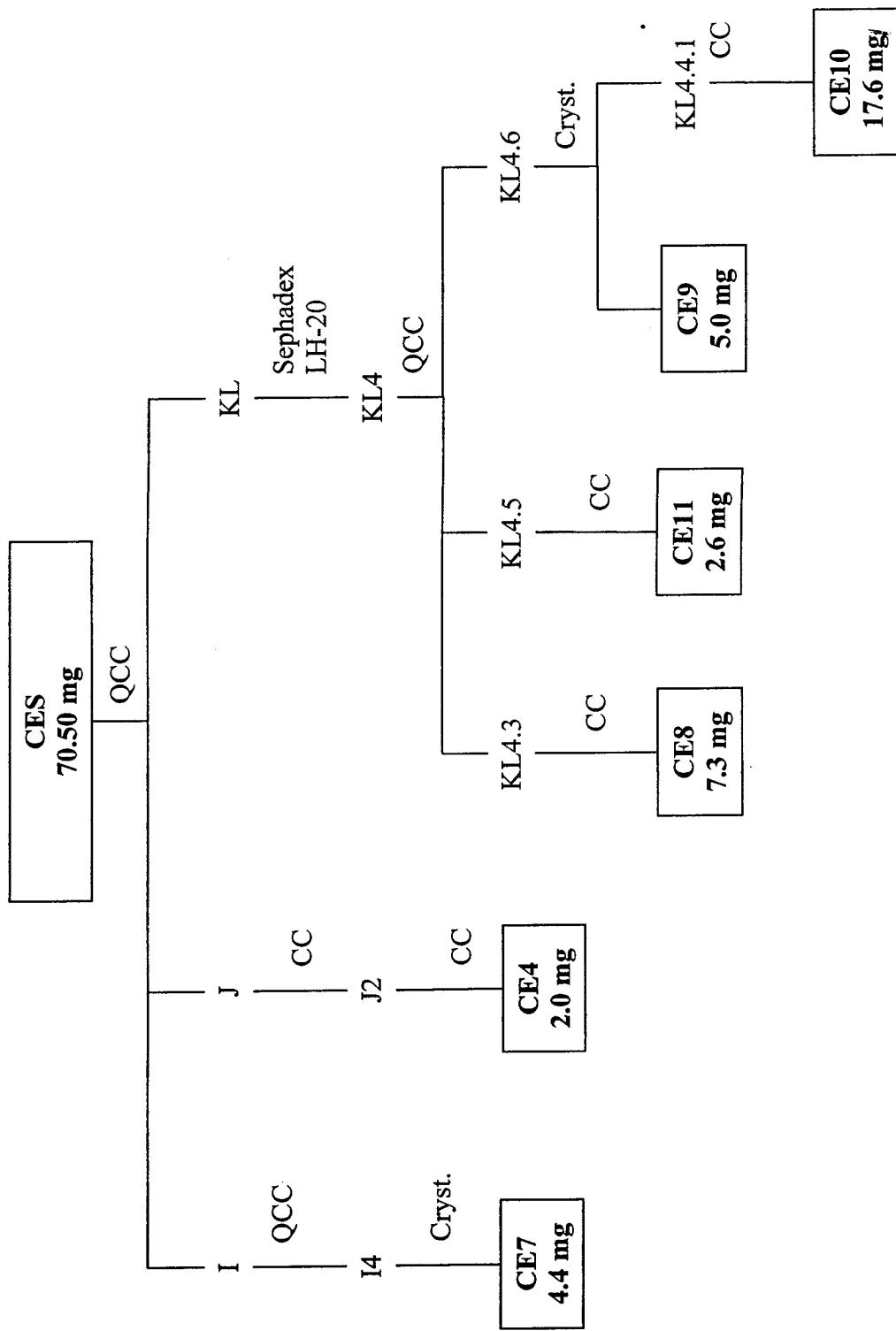


Figure 3 Isolation of compounds CE4 and CE7-11 from EtOAc extract of stems of *C. excavata*

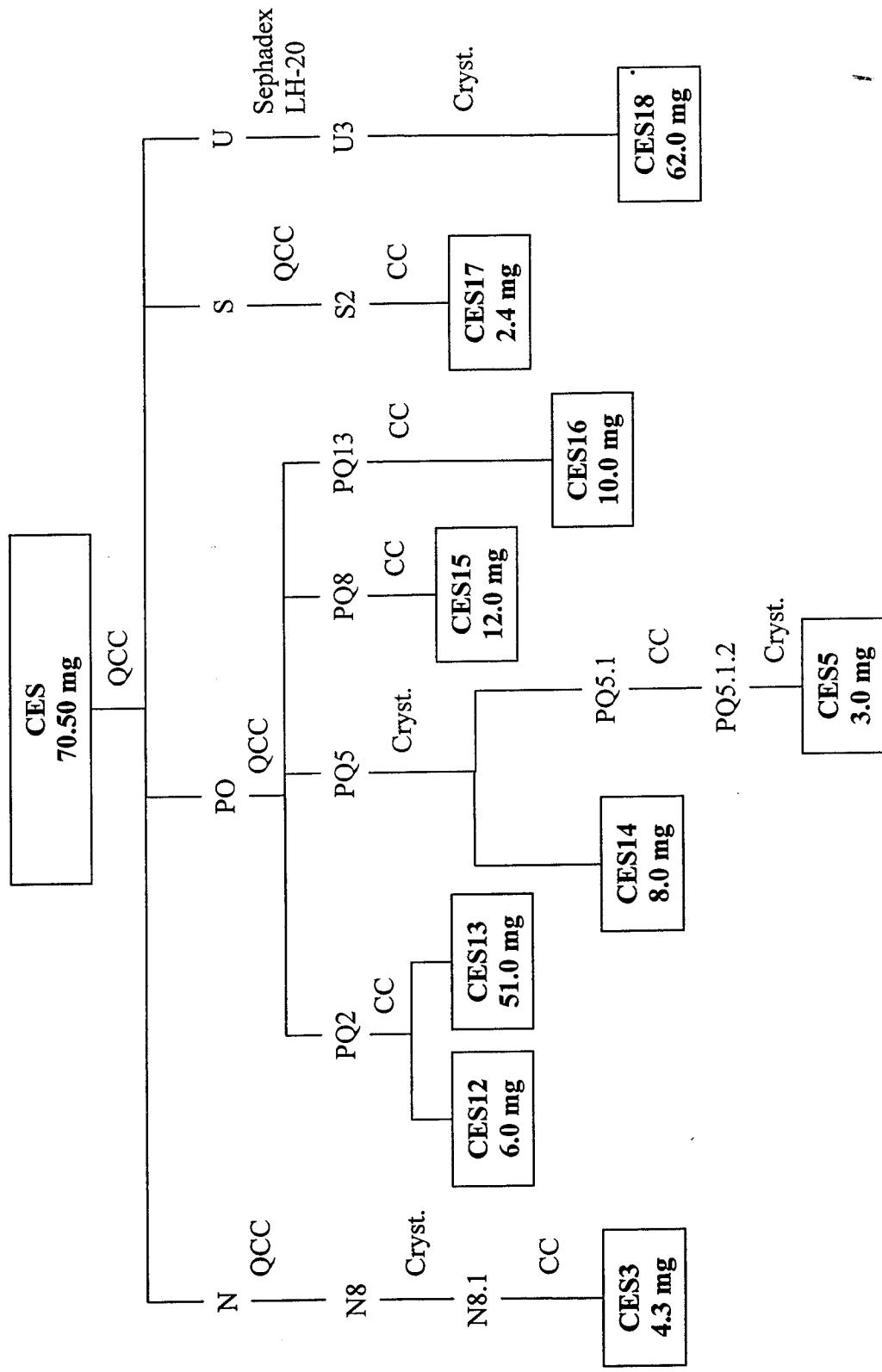


Figure 4 Isolation of compounds CES, CE5 and CE12-18 from EtOAc extract of stems of *C. excavata*

Compound CE3: C₁₉H₂₂O₃, yellow viscous; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) spectra see Table 7.

Compound CE4: C₁₄H₁₂O₃, light yellow viscous; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) spectra see Table 8.

Compound CE5: C₁₉H₂₀O₄, white solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz), ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) and DEPT spectra see Table 9.

Compound CE7: C₁₅H₁₃NO₃, white solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz), ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) and DEPT spectra see Table 10.

Compound CE8: C₁₄H₁₁NO₂, white solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz), ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) and DEPT spectra see Table 11.

Compound CE9: C₁₄H₁₁NO₃, yellow solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz), ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) and DEPT spectra see Table 12.

Compound CE10: C₁₄H₁₁NO₂, light yellow solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz), ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) and DEPT spectra see Table 13.

Compound CE11: C₁₃H₉NO, white solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz), ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) and DEPT spectra see Table 14.

Compound CE12: C₁₄H₁₁NO₃, colorless solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) spectra see Table 15.

Compound CE13: C₁₄H₁₁NO₂, light yellow solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz), ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) and DEPT spectra see Table 16.

Compound CE14: C₁₄H₁₁NO₄, light brown solid; UV λ_{max} (log ε) (MeOH): 203 (1.59), 223 (1.47), 243 (1.46), 256 (1.46), 278 (1.59), 297 (1.54) and 356 (1.25) nm; IR (neat): 3372, 1631, 1455, 1384, 1157, 1050. For ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz), ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) and DEPT spectra see Table 19. HREIMS *m/z*: 257.0683 ([M]⁺, calc. C₁₄H₁₁NO₄, 257.0688).

Compound CE15: C₁₄H₁₁NO₃, yellow solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) see Table 18.

Compound CE16: C₁₃H₉NO₂, light brown solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) see Table 19.

Compound CE17: C₁₄H₁₁NO₄, yellow solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz) see Table 20.

Compound CE18: C₁₃H₉NO₃4, light brown solid; ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 400 MHz), ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 100 MHz) and DEPT spectra see Table 21.

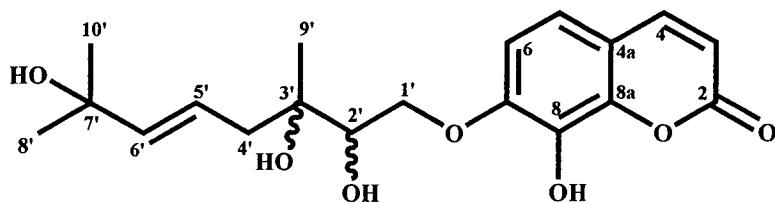
CHAPTER 3

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

3.1. Structural elucidation of compounds isolated from the fruits of *C. exvacata*

The hexane-CH₂Cl₂ extract of the fruits of *C. exvacata* was subjected to column chromatography to give one novel compound, **CE1** (4.2 mg) along with three known compounds, **CE2** (1.5 mg), **CE6** (8.2 mg) and **CE19** (5.7 mg). Their structures were determined using spectroscopic data.

3.1.1. Compound **CE1** (Clausenaexcavin)



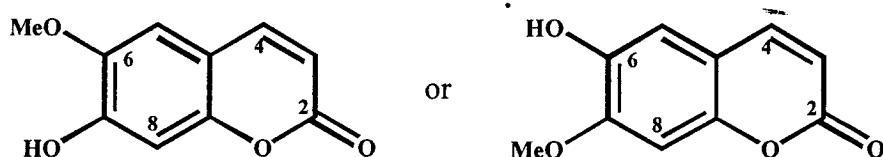
Compound **CE1** was isolated as a colorless solid with the molecular ion peak at *m/z* 346.1422 [M-H₂O] in the HREIMS (calcd *m/z* 346.1416), corresponding to the molecular formula C₁₉H₂₄O₇. The UV spectrum showed maxima absorption bands at 207, 230, 258 and 318 nm indicating conjugated system in the molecule whereas the IR spectrum showed the hydroxyl and carbonyl functionalities at 3408 and 1718 cm⁻¹ respectively. The ¹³C NMR and DEPT spectral data (Table 3) revealed 19 carbons, including 3 methyls (δ 22.8, 29.8, and 29.9), 2 methylenes (δ 41.4 and 65.1), 7 methines (δ 77.9, 113.3, 113.5, 119.5, 120.3, 143.5 and 143.8), and 7 quaternary carbons (δ 70.7, 72.2, 113.4, 131.5, 143.8, 146.0 and 160.7). The ¹H NMR signals at δ 7.60 (1H, *d*, *J* = 9.5, H-4), 6.94 (1H, *d*, *J* = 8.5, H-5), 6.81 (1H, *d*, *J* = 8.5, H-6) and 6.25 (1H, *d*, *J* = 9.5, H-3) indicated the present of 7, 8-dioxygenated coumarin moiety. In addition the existence of 2,3,7-trihydroxy-3,7-dimethyloct-5-enyloxy group was also observed in the ¹H NMR spectrum at δ 5.77 (*d*, *J* = 16.0 Hz, H-6'), 5.73 (m, H-5'), 4.99 (*dd*, *J* = 3.0, 11.5 Hz, H-1'a), 4.09 (*dd*, *J* = 9.0, 11.5 Hz, H-1'b), 3.98 (*dd*, *J* = 3.0, 9.0 Hz, H-2'), 2.44 (*dd*, *J* = 6.0, 14.0 Hz, H-4'a), 2.29 (*dd*, *J* = 7.5, 14.0 Hz, H-4'b), 1.34 (s, H-9'), 1.30 (s, H-8') and 1.29 (s, H-10'). The COSY and HMBC correlations (Figure 3) were also supported this moiety. The HMBC correlations

between H-1', H-5 and H-6 and C-7 (δ 146.4) indicated the side chain moiety was located at C-7 of coumarin framework. The geometry of double bond at C-5'/C-6' was identified to be *E*-geometry due to the large amount of J value of H-6' (16.0 Hz). Therefore, clausenaexcavin was identified to be **CE1**.

Table 3 ^1H -NMR (500 MHz), ^{13}C -NMR (125 MHz), DEPT and HMBC spectral data of **CE1** in CDCl_3

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
2	160.7	-	C	-
3	113.5	6.25 (<i>d</i> , J = 9.5)	CH	2, 4a
4	143.9	7.60 (<i>d</i> , J = 9.5)	CH	2
4a	113.4	-	C	-
5	119.5	6.93 (<i>d</i> , J = 8.5)	CH	4, 6, 7
6	113.3	6.80 (<i>d</i> , J = 8.5)	CH	4a, 8
7	146.4	-	C	-
8	131.8	-	C	-
8a	143.7	-	C	-
1'	65.1	4.09 (<i>dd</i> , J = 11.5, 9.0) 4.99 (<i>dd</i> , J = 11.5, 3.0)	CH_2	7
2'	77.9	3.98 (<i>dd</i> , J = 9, 3.0)	CH	1', 3'
3'	72.9	-	C	-
4'	41.5	2.29 (<i>dd</i> , J = 14.0, 7.5) 2.44 (<i>dd</i> , J = 14.0, 6.0)	CH_2	5, 6
5'	140.3	5.73 (<i>m</i>)	CH	3, 4
6'	120.3	5.77 (<i>d</i> , J = 16.0)	CH	7
7'	72.3	-	C	-
8'	29.9	1.30 (<i>s</i>)	CH_3	7
9'	22.8	1.34 (<i>s</i>)	CH_3	4
10'	29.9	1.29 (<i>s</i>)	CH_3	7

3.1.3. Compound CE2 (Scopoletin or isoscopoletin)



Compound **CE2** ($C_{16}H_{18}O_4$) was isolated as pale yellow oil. The ^{13}C NMR and DEPT spectral data (Table 4) revealed 10 carbons, including 1 methyl (δ 56.4), 4 methines (δ 103.2, 107.4, 113.4 and 143.1), and 5 quaternary carbons (δ 111.0, 144.0, 149.0, 150.2 and 161.0). The ^1H NMR spectrum (Table 4) showed typical resonances of lactone ring similar to that of **CE1** at δ 6.27 (1H, *d*, J = 9.6 Hz, H-3) and 7.60 (1H, *d*, J = 9.6 Hz, H-4). Also, the ^1H NMR spectrum showed two *para*-aromatic protons at δ 6.84 (1H, *s*, H-5) and 6.92 (1H, *s*, H-8). In addition the methoxy group and hydroxyl group were also observed at δ 3.95 (3H, *s*, 6-OMe) and 6.14 (1H, *brs*, 7-OH), respectively, in ^1H NMR spectrum. However, the location of both methoxy and hydroxyl groups was not identified due to lack of NOE or NOESY spectra. Therefore, the structure of **CE2** could be proposed into two structures. They are 6-methoxy, 7-hydroxy coumarin (scopoletin) or 6-hydroxy, 7-methoxy coumarin (isoscopoletin) (Kayser and Kolodziej, 1995, and Kong *et al.*, 1996).

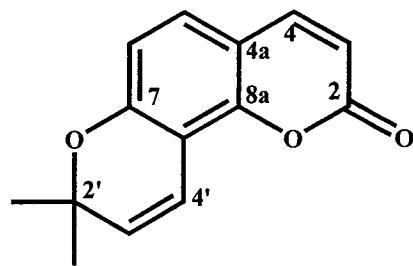
Table 4 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz), ^{13}C -NMR (100 MHz), DEPT and HMBC spectral data of **CE2** in CDCl_3

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
2	161.0	-	C	-
3	113.4	6.27 (<i>d</i> , J = 9.6)	CH	2, 4a
4	143.3	7.60 (<i>d</i> , J = 9.6)	CH	2, 5, 8a
4a	111.0	-	C	-
5	107.4	6.84 (<i>s</i>)	CH	4, 8, 8a
6	144.0	-	C	-
7	149.0	-	C	-
8	103.2	6.92 (<i>s</i>)	CH	4a, 6, 8a

Table 4 (Continued)

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
8a	150.2	-	C	-
6-OMe	56.4	3.95 (s)	CH ₃	6
7-OH	-	6.14 (brs)	-	-

3.1.2. Compound CE6 (Seselin)

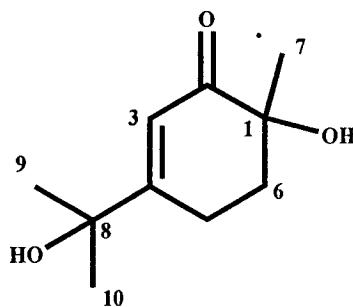


Compound **CE6** ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_3$) was isolated as pale yellow oil. The ^1H NMR spectral data of **CE6** (Table 5) was similar to that of **CE1** accept for the appearance of chromene ring at δ 6.88 ($d, J = 10.0$ Hz, H-4'), 5.72 ($d, J = 10.0$ Hz, H-3') and 1.47 (s , 2'-Me x 2) which located on C-7 and C-8 instead of a geranyl and a hydroxyl groups. Therefore, compound **CE6** was identified as seselin (Ito *et al.*, 2000).

Table 5 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz) of **CE6** in CDCl_3

Position	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	Position	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)
3	6.22 ($d, J = 9.6$)	6	6.71 ($d, J = 8.4$)
4	7.59 ($d, J = 9.6$)	3'	5.72 ($d, J = 10.0$)
5	7.20 ($d, J = 8.4$)	4'	6.88 ($d, J = 10.0$)
		2'-Me	1.47 (d)

3.1.5. Compound CE19 (1,8-Dihydroxy-*p*-menth-3-en-2-one)



Compound **CE19** ($C_{10}H_{16}O_3$) was isolated as yellow viscous oil. The ^{13}C NMR and DEPT spectral data (Table 6) revealed 10 carbons, including 3 methyls (δ 23.9, 28.7 and 28.8), 2 methylenes (δ 24.74 and 35.8), 1 methine (δ 119.4), and 4 quaternary carbons (δ 72.6, 72.7, 170.9 and 203.0) suggested that **CE23** was a monoterpenoid with a cyclohexenone skeleton (Tan, J. J. et al., 2005). The ^1H NMR spectrum (Table 6) showed typical resonances of an alpha proton of α, β -unsaturated lactone ring at 6.19 (1H, *s*, H-3), 4 methylene signals at 2.62 (1H, *m*, H-5a), 2.57 (1H, *m*, H-5b), 2.18 (1H, *m*, H-6a) and 1.98 (1H, *m*, H-6b) and three methyl signals of H-7, H-9 and H-10 at 1.31 (3H, *s*), 1.43 (3H, *s*) and 1.44 (3H, *s*), respectively. The locations of substituent groups (methyl and 2-hydroxylpropyl group) were confirmed HMBC spectra (Table 6). Therefore, 1, 8-dihydroxy-*p*-menth-3-en-2-one was identified to be **CE23** (Tan et al., 2005).

Table 6 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz), ^{13}C -NMR (100 MHz), DEPT and HMBC spectral data of **CE19** in CDCl_3

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., <i>J</i> in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
1	72.7	-	C	-
2	203.0	-	C	-
3	119.4	6.19 (<i>s</i>)	CH	8
4	170.9	-	C	-
5	24.7	2.57 (<i>m</i>) 2.62 (<i>m</i>)	CH_2	4, 6, 8
6	35.8	1.98 (<i>m</i>) 2.18 (<i>m</i>)	CH_2	1, 4

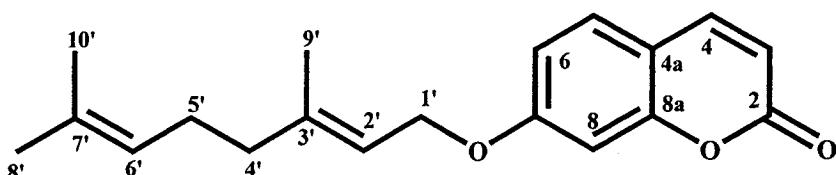
Table 6 (Continued)

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
7	23.9	1.31 (<i>s</i>)	CH ₃	1, 2, 6
8	72.6	-	C	-
9	28.7	1.43 (<i>s</i>)	CH ₃	3, 4
10	28.8	1.44 (<i>s</i>)	CH ₃	8

3.2. Structural elucidation of compounds isolated from the stems of *C. exvacata*

Purification of the EtOAc extract of the stems of *C. exvacata* by chromatographic techniques yielded one new compound, **CE14** (8.0 mg) along with three known compounds fourteen compounds, **CE3** (4.3 mg), **CE4** (2.0 mg), **CE5** (3.0 mg), **CE7** (4.4 mg) **CE8** (7.3 mg), **CE9** (5.0 mg), **CE10** (17.6 mg), **CE11** (2.6 mg), **CE12** (6.0 mg), **CE13** (51.0 mg), **CS15** (12.0 mg), **CE16** (10.0 mg), **CE17** (2.4 mg) and **CE18** (62.0 mg). Their structures were determined using spectroscopic data.

3.2.1. Compound **CE3** (Auraptene)

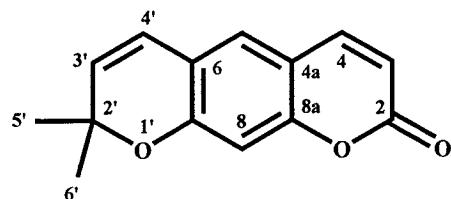


Compound **CE3** ($C_{19}H_{22}O_3$) was isolated as light yellow viscous. The ^1H NMR spectrum (Table 7) were similar to that of **CE1** except **CE3** showed a set of ABX aromatic proton signals at δ 6.82 (1H, *d*, $J = 2.4$ Hz, H-8), 6.85 (1H, *dd*, $J = 8.4, 2.4$ Hz, H-6) and 7.36 (1H, *d*, $J = 8.4$ Hz, H-5) instead of two meta coupled proton. In addition, the 3,7-dimethyloct-2,6-dienyl group was also observed in the ^1H NMR spectrum at δ 5.47 (1H, *m*, H-2'), 5.08 (1H, *m*, H-6'), 4.60 (2H, *d*, $J = 6.8$ Hz, H-1'), 2.10 (4H, *m*, H-4' and 5'), 1.76 (3H, *s*, H-9'), 1.67 (3H, *s*, H-10') and 1.59 (3H, *s*, H-8') which located on C-7 due to the elimination process. Therefore, auraptene was identified to be **CE3** (Tatsuo and Takao, 1953).

Table 7 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz) of **CE3** in CDCl_3

Position	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	Position	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)
3	6.25 ($d, J = 9.6$)	4'	2.10 (m)
4	7.64 ($d, J = 9.6$)	5'	2.10 (m)
5	7.36 ($d, J = 8.4$)	6'	5.08 (brt)
6	6.85 ($d, J = 8.4, 2.4$)	8'	1.59 (s)
8	6.82 ($d, J = 2.4$)	9'	1.76 (s)
1'	4.60 ($d, J = 6.8$)	10'	1.67 (s)
2'	5.47 (brt)		

3.2.2. Compound **CE4** (Xanthyletin)

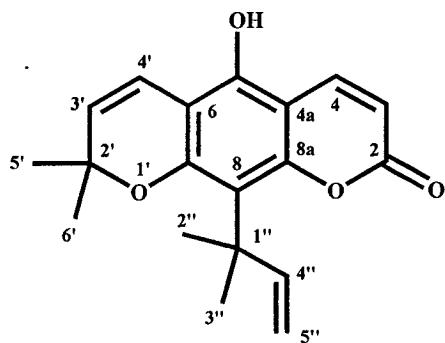


Compound **CE4** ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_3$) was isolated as colorless viscous oil. The ^1H NMR spectral data of **CE4** (Table 8) were similar to that of **CE6** accept for the location of chromene ring. The chromene ring of **CE4** located at C-6 and C-7 while **CE6** placed on of C-6 and C-7. Therefore, xanthyletin was identified to be **CE4** (Cazal *et al.*, 2009).

Table 8 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz) of **CE4** in CDCl_3

Position	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	Position	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)
3	6.22 (<i>d</i> , J = 9.6)	3'	5.72 (<i>d</i> , J = 10.0)
4	7.59 (<i>d</i> , J = 9.6)	4'	6.88 (<i>d</i> , J = 10.0)
5	7.20 (<i>d</i> , J = 8.4)	2'-Me	1.47 (<i>d</i>)
6	6.71 (<i>d</i> , J = 8.4)		

3.2.3. Compound **CE5** (Nordentatin)

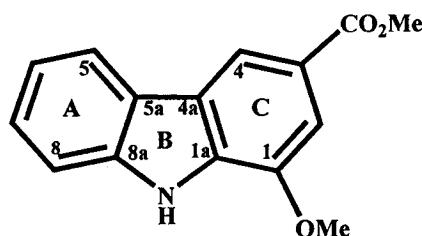


Compound **CE5** ($\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{20}\text{O}_4$) was isolated as a white solid. The ^{13}C NMR and DEPT spectral data (Table 9) revealed 19 carbons, including 4 methyls (δ 27.8 x 2 and 29.5 x 2), 1 methylene (δ 108.0), 5 methines (δ 110.5, 114.7, 130.1, 139.9 and 150.0), and 9 quaternary carbons (δ 41.0, 77.0, 103.7, 105.8, 116.2, 146.3, 154.0, 156.0 and 160.9). The ^1H NMR spectral data of **CE5** (Table 9) were similar to that of **CE4** accept for the appearance of dimethylallyl at δ 6.28 (1H, *dd*, J = 17.2, 10.4 Hz, H-4''), 4.92 (1H, *dd*, J = 17.2, 1.2 Hz, H-5a), 4.86 (1H, *dd*, J = 10.4, 1.2 Hz, H-5b) and 1.64 (6H, *s*, 2'' and 3''-Me) which located on C-8. Therefore, nordentatin was identified to be **CE5** (Huang, S. C. et al 1997).

Table 9 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz), ^{13}C -NMR (100 MHz), DEPT and HMBC spectral data of **CE5** in CDCl_3

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
2	160.9	-	C	-
3	110.5	6.15 (<i>d</i> , $J = 9.6$)	CH	2, 4a
4	139.9	7.99 (<i>d</i> , $J = 9.6$)	CH	2, 5, 8a
5	146.3	-	C	-
6	105.8	-	C	-
7	156.0	-	C	-
8	116.2	-	C	-
2'	77.0	-	C	-
3'	130.1	5.70 (<i>d</i> , $J = 10$)	CH	5, 5', 2'
4'	114.7	6.47 (<i>d</i> , $J = 10$)	CH	5, 6, 7, 2'
5' and 6'	27.2	1.44 (<i>s</i>)	$\text{CH}_3\times 2$	3'
1"	41.0	-	C	-
2" and 3"	29.5	1.64 (<i>s</i>)	$\text{CH}_3\times 2$	1", 4", 8
4"	150.0	6.28 (<i>dd</i> , $J = 17.2, 10.4$)	CH	1", 2", 3"
5"	108.0	4.86 (<i>dd</i> , $J = 10.4, 1.2$) 4.92 (<i>dd</i> , $J = 17.2, 1.2$)	CH_2	1", 4"

3.2.4. Compound **CE7** (Mukonine)



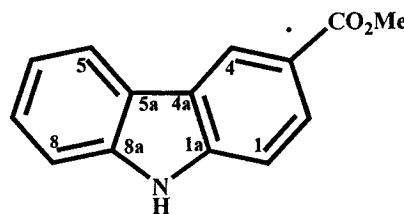
Compound **CE7** ($\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{13}\text{NO}_3$) was isolated as a white solid. The ^{13}C NMR and DEPT spectral data (Table 10) revealed 15 carbons, including 2 methyls (δ 52.0 and 55.7), 6 methines (δ 106.7, 111.2, 116.2, 120.3, 120.7 and 126.3), and 7 quaternary carbons (δ 121.9, 123.6, 123.7, 132.9, 139.5, 145.0 and 167.9). The ^1H NMR spectral

data (Table 10 and 22) of **CE7** showed characteristic of C-3 methyl ester carbazole alkaloid which appeared ^1H NMR signals of four mutually coupling aromatic protons of ring A at δ 8.12 (1H, *d*, $J = 8$ Hz, H-5), 7.49 (1H, *d*, $J = 6.8$ Hz, H-8), 7.45 (1H, *dd*, $J = 8.0, 6.8$ Hz, H-7) and 7.28 (1H, *dd*, $J = 8.4, 8.0$ Hz, H-6), and methyl ester protons at δ 3.98 (3H, *s*, 3-CO₂Me). In addition, two meta-coupled aromatic protons at δ 8.47 (1H, *d*, $J = 1.2$ Hz, H-4) and 7.59 (1H, *d*, $J = 1.2$ Hz, H-2), methoxyl group at δ (3H, *s*, 1-OMe) and NH proton at δ 8.48 (1H, brs) were also observed in the ^1H NMR spectrum. Finally, the structure was confirmed by HMBC as summarized in Table 10. Therefore, mukonine was identified to be **CES7** (Liger, F. et al 2007).

Table 10 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz), ^{13}C -NMR (100 MHz), DEPT and HMBC spectral data of **CE7** in CDCl₃

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
1	145	-	C	-
1a	132.9	-	C	-
2	106.7	7.59 (<i>d</i> , $J = 1.2$)	CH	1, 4, 4a, 3-CO ₂ Me
3	123.7	-	C	-
4	116.2	8.47 (<i>d</i> , $J = 1.2$)	CH	1a, 2, 3, 3-CO ₂ Me
4a	121.9	-	C	-
5	120.7	8.12 (<i>d</i> , $J = 8.0$)	CH	5a, 7, 8a
6	120.3	7.28 (<i>dd</i> , $J = 8.4, 8.0$)	CH	5a
7	126.3	7.45 (<i>dd</i> , $J = 8.0, 6.8$)	CH	6, 8, 8a
8	111.2	7.49 (<i>d</i> , $J = 6.8$)	CH	5a
8a	139.5	-	C	-
1-OMe	55.7	4.06 (<i>s</i>)	CH ₃	1
3-CO ₂ Me	167.9	-	C	-
3-CO ₂ Me	52.0	3.98 (<i>s</i>)	CH ₃	3-CO ₂ Me
NH	-	8.48 (<i>s</i>)	-	-

3.2.5. Compound CE8 (Methyl carbazole-3-carboxylate)



Compound **CE8** ($C_{14}H_{11}NO_2$) was isolated as a white solid. The ^{13}C NMR and DEPT spectral data (Table 11) revealed 14 carbons, including 1 methyl (δ 51.9), 7 methines (δ 110.1, 110.9, 120.3, 120.6, 122.9, 126.5 and 127.4), and 6 quaternary carbons (δ 121.5, 123.0, 123.4, 139.8, 142.3 and 167.9). The ^1H NMR spectral data (Table 11 and 22) of **CE8** was similar to that of **CE7** except **CE8** showed the characteristic of ABX aromatic protons at δ 8.75 (1H, brs, H-4), 8.06 (1H, *dd*, $J = 8.4, 1.6$ Hz, H-2) and 7.36 (1H, *d*, $J = 8.4$ Hz, H-1) instead of *meta*-coupled aromatic protons. The structure of **CE8** was confirmed by HMBC as shown in Table 11. Therefore, methyl carbazole-3-carboxylate was identified to be **CE8** (Wu *et al.*, 1996).

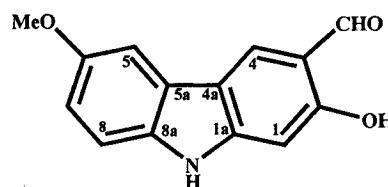
Table 11 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz), ^{13}C -NMR (100 MHz), DEPT and HMBC spectral data of CES8 in CDCl_3

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
1	110.1	7.36 (<i>d</i> , $J = 8.4$)	CH	3, 4a
1a	142.3	-	C	-
2	127.4	8.06 (<i>dd</i> , $J = 8.4, 1.6$)	CH	1a, 3- CO_2Me , 4
3	121.5	-	C	-
4	122.9	8.75 (brs)	CH	1a, 2, 3- CO_2Me , 5a
4a	123.0	-	C	-
5	120.6	8.05 (<i>d</i> , $J = 7.6$)	CH	7, 8a
5a	123.4	-	C	-
6	120.3	7.22 (<i>m</i>)	CH	8
7	126.5	7.38 (<i>m</i>)	CH	5
8	110.9	7.39 (<i>d</i> , $J = 7.6$)	CH	7, 8a

Table 11 (Continued)

Position	δ_C	δ_H (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
8a	139.8	-	C	-
3-CO ₂ Me	167.9	-	C	-
3-CO ₂ Me	51.9	3.90 (<i>s</i>)	CH ₃	3-CO ₂ Me
NH	-	8.27 (brs)	-	-

3.2.6. Compound CE9 (Lansine)



Compound **CE9** ($C_{14}H_{11}NO_3$) was isolated as a yellow solid. The ^{13}C NMR and DEPT spectral data (Table 12) revealed 14 carbons, including 1 methyl (δ 56.0), 6 methines (δ 96.8, 103.3, 111.4, 114.4, 127.4 and 195.1), and 7 quaternary carbons (δ 115.3, 117.8, 123.9, 134.7, 146.1, 154.9 and 161.1). The 1H NMR spectral data (Table 12 and 22) of **CE9** was similar to that of **CE7** except **CE9** showed the characteristic of ABX aromatic protons at δ 7.48 (1H, *d*, J = 2.8 Hz, H-5), 7.29 (1H, *d*, J = 8.8 Hz, H-8) and 7.20 (1H, *dd*, J = 8.8, 2.8 Hz, H-7) of ring A instead of four mutually coupling aromatic protons. The structure of **CE9** was also confirmed by HMBC as shown in Table 12. Therefore, lansine was identified to be **CE9** (Wu, *et al.*, 1996).

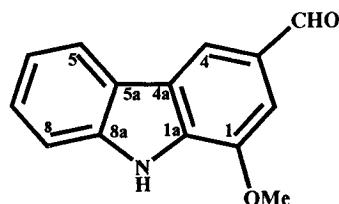
Table 12 1H -NMR (400 MHz), ^{13}C -NMR (100 MHz), DEPT and HMBC spectral data of **CE9** in CDCl₃

Position	δ_C	δ_H (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
1	96.8	6.83 (<i>s</i>)	CH	1a, 2, 3, 4a
1a	146.1	-	C	-
2	161.1	-	C	-
3	115.3	-	C	-
4	127.4	8.14 (brs)	CH	1a, 2, 3-CO ₂ Me, 5a

Table 12 (Continued)

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
4a	117.8	-	C	-
5	103.3	7.48 (<i>d</i> , J = 2.8)	CH	4a, 6, 7, 8a
5a	123.9	-	C	-
6	154.9	-	CH	4a, 6, 7, 8a
7	114.4	7.02 (<i>dd</i> , J = 8.8, 2.8)	CH	5, 6, 8a
8	111.4	7.29 (<i>d</i> , J = 8.8)	CH	5a, 6, 8a
8a	134.7	-	C	-
2-OH	-	11.43 (<i>s</i>)	-	1, 2, 3
3-CHO	195.1	9.92 (<i>s</i>)	CH	2, 3, 4
6-OMe	56.0	3.92 (<i>s</i>)	CH ₃	6
NH	-	8.14 (brs)	-	-

3.2.7. Compound CE10 (Murrayanine)

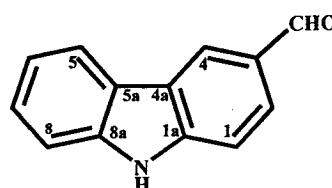


Compound **CE10** ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_2$) was isolated as a light yellow solid. The ^{13}C NMR and DEPT spectral data (Table 13) revealed 14 carbons, including 1 methyl (δ 55.8), 7 methines (δ 103.5, 111.5, 120.4, 120.7x2, 126.6, and 191.9), and 6 quaternary carbons (δ 123.6x2, 130.1, 134.0, 139.4 and 146.1). The ^1H NMR spectral data (Table 13 and 22) of **CE10** was very similar to that of **CE7** except for the appearance of a formyl group at δ 10.05 (1H, *s*, 3-CHO) instead of methyl ester. The structure of **CE10** was also confirmed by HMBC as shown in Table 13. Thus, murrayanine was characterized to be **CE10** (Sunthitikawinsakul, *et al.*, 2002).

Table 13 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz), ^{13}C -NMR (100 MHz), DEPT and HMBC spectral data of **CE10** in CDCl_3

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
1	146.1	-	C	-
1a	134	-	C	-
2	103.5	7.46 (<i>d</i> , $J = 0.8$)	CH	1a, 3-CHO, 4
3	130.1	-	C	-
4	120.4	8.19 (<i>d</i> , $J = 0.8$)	CH	3-CHO, 4a
4a	123.6	-	C	-
5	120.7	8.11 (<i>d</i> , $J = 8.0$)	CH	5a, 7
6	120.7	7.32 (<i>m</i>)	CH	5a, 8
7	126.6	7.48 (<i>m</i>)	CH	8a
8	111.5	7.52 (<i>d</i> , $J = 8.0$)	CH	5a, 6
8a	139.4	-	C	-
1-OMe	55.8	4.07(<i>s</i>)	CH_3	1
3-CHO	191.9	10.05 (<i>s</i>)	CH	2, 3 ,4
NH	-	8.64 (brs)	-	-

3.2.8. Compound **CE11** (3-Formylcarbazole)



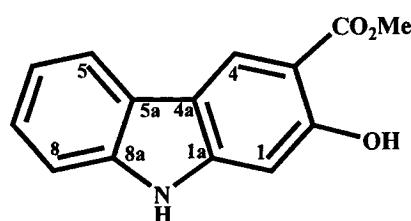
Compound **CE11** ($\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_9\text{NO}$) was isolated as a white solid. The ^{13}C NMR and DEPT spectral data (Table 14) revealed 13 carbons, including 8 methines (δ 110.9, 111.5, 120.7x2, 124.0, 126.9, 127.3 and 191.9), and 5 quaternary carbons (δ 123.2, 123.5, 129.1, 140.2 and 143.3). The ^1H NMR spectral data (Table 14 and 23) of **CE11** was very similar to that of **CE8** except for the appearance of a formyl group at δ 10.10 (1H, *s*, 3-CHO) instead of methyl ester. The structure of **CE11** was also confirmed by

HMBC as shown in Table 14. Thus, 3-formylcarbazole was characterized to be **CE11** (Sunthitikawinsakul, *et al.*, 2002).

Table 14 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz), ^{13}C -NMR (100 MHz), DEPT and HMBC spectral data of **CE11** in CDCl_3

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
1	111.1	7.49 (<i>d</i> , $J = 8.8$)	CH	4a
1a	143.3	-	C	-
2	127.3	7.97 (<i>dd</i> , $J = 8.8, 1.6$)	CH	1a, 3, 3-CHO, 4
3	129.1	-	C	-
4	124.0	8.60 (<i>d</i> , $J = 0.8$)	CH	3, 3-CHO
4a	123.5	-	C	-
5	120.7	8.13 (<i>d</i> , $J = 8.4$)	CH	7, 8a
6	120.7	7.32 (<i>m</i>)	CH	7
7	110.9	7.48 (<i>m</i>)	CH	5, 8a
8	126.9	7.51 (<i>d</i> , $J = 8.4$)	CH	5a
8a	140.0	-	C	-
3-CHO	191.9	10.10 (<i>s</i>)	CH	4
NH	-	8.55 (brs)	-	-

3.2.9. Compound **CE12** (Mukonidine)

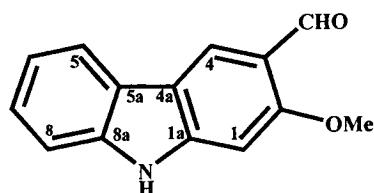


Compound **CE12** ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_3$) was isolated as a colorless solid. The ^1H NMR spectral data (Table 15 and 23) was very similar to that of **CE9** except that compound **CE12** showed four mutually coupling aromatic protons instead of ABX aromatic protons of ring A and methyl ester at δ 3.92 (3H, *s*, 3-CO₂Me). Thus, mukonidine was characterized to be **CE12** (Wu, *et al.*, 1999).

Table 15 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz) of **CE12** in CDCl_3

Position	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	Position	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)
1	7.08 (<i>s</i>)	7	7.24 (<i>d</i> , J = 8.0, 7.2)
4	7.51 (<i>s</i>)	8	7.40 (<i>d</i> , J = 8.0)
5	7.93 (<i>d</i> , J = 8.0)	3-CO ₂ Me	3.92 (<i>s</i>)
6	7.07 (<i>d</i> , J = 8.0, 7.2)		

3.2.10. Compound **CE13** (*O*-Methylmukonal)



Compound **CE13** ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_2$) was isolated as a light yellow solid. The ^{13}C NMR and DEPT spectral data (Table 16) revealed 14 carbons, including 1 methyl (δ 55.8), 7 methines (δ 92.4, 110.6, 120.2, 120.8, 121.8, 125.7, and 189.5), and 6 quaternary carbons (δ 117.4, 119.1, 123.7, 139.9, 139.9, 144.9 and 161.6). The ^1H NMR spectral data (Table 16 and 23) was very similar to that of **CE12** except for the appearance of a formyl group at δ 10.49 (1H, *s*, 3-CHO) and methoxymethyl group at δ 3.99 (3H, *s*, 2-OMe). The structure of **CE13** was also confirmed by HMBC as shown in Table 16. Therefore, *O*-methylmukonal was characterized to be **CE13** (Kongkathip and Kongkathip, 2009).

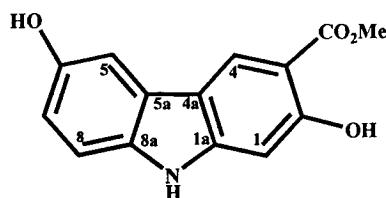
Table 16 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz), ^{13}C -NMR (100 MHz), DEPT and HMBC spectral data of **CE13** in CDCl_3

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
1	92.4	6.87(<i>s</i>)	CH	1a, 2, 3
1a	144.9	-	C	-
2	161.6	-	C	-
3	119.1	-	C	-

Table 16 (Continued)

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
4	121.8	8.56 (s)	CH	3-CHO
4a	117.4	-	C	-
5	120.2	8.00 (<i>d</i> , $J = 8.0$)	CH	4a, 7, 8, 8a
6	110.6	7.39 (<i>m</i>)	CH	5a
7	125.9	7.40 (<i>m</i>)	CH	-
8	120.8	7.26 (<i>d</i> , $J = 7.6$)	CH	5a, 7, 8a
8a	139.9	-	C	-
2-OMe	55.8	3.99 (s)	CH_3	2
3-CHO	189.5	10.49 (s)	CH	3
NH	-	8.29 (brs)	-	-

3.2.11. Compound CE14 (Sansoakamine)



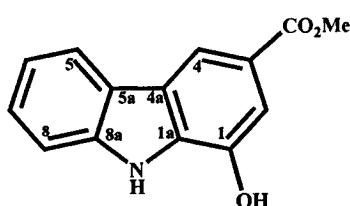
Compound **CE14** ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_4$) was isolated as a light brown solid with the molecular ion peak at m/z 257.0683 [M] in the HREIMS (calcd m/z 257.0688), corresponding to the molecular formula $\text{C}_{19}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_7$. The UV spectrum showed maxima absorption bands at 203, 223, 243, 256, 278, 297 and 356 nm indicating conjugated system in the molecule whereas the IR spectrum showed the hydroxyl and/or NH and carbonyl functionalities at 3372 and 1631 cm^{-1} respectively. The ^{13}C NMR and DEPT spectral data (Table 17) revealed 14 carbons, including 1 methyl (δ 51.6), 5 methines (δ 96.5, 105.3, 111.3, 114.4 and 122.5), and 8 quaternary carbons (δ 104.8, 116.9, 124.2, 134.9, 146.3, 151.8, 160.4 and 171.3). The ^1H NMR spectral data (Table 17 and 23) was very similar to that of **CE9** except for the appearance of a methyl ester group at δ 3.98 (3H, s, 3-CO₂Me) and two hydroxyl groups at δ 11.03 (1H, s, 2-OH)

and δ 10.26 (1H, s, 6-OH). The structure of **CE14** was also confirmed by HMBC as shown in Table 17. Therefore, sansoakamine was characterized to be **CE14**.

Table 17 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz), ^{13}C -NMR (100 MHz), DEPT and HMBC spectral data of **CE14** in Acetone- d_6

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
1	96.5	6.85(s)	CH	2, 3
1a	146.3	-	C	-
2	160.4	-	C	-
3	116.9	-	C	-
4	122.5	8.52 (s)	CH	1a, 3, 3-CHO, 5a
4a	104.8	-	C	-
5	105.3	7.50 ($d, J = 2.4$)	CH	6, 8a
6	151.8	-	C	-
7	114.4	6.92 ($dd, J = 8.8, 2.4$)	CH	6, 8a
8	111.3	7.28 ($d, J = 8.8$)	CH	5a, 7, 8a
8a	134.9	-	C	-
2-OH	-	11.03 (s)	-	1, 2
3-CO ₂ Me	51.6	3.98 (s)	CH ₃	3-CO ₂ Me
3-CO ₂ Me	171.3	-	C	-
6-OH	-	10.26 (s)	-	-
NH	-	8.06 (brs)	-	-

3.2.12. Compound **CE15** (Clauszoline-I)



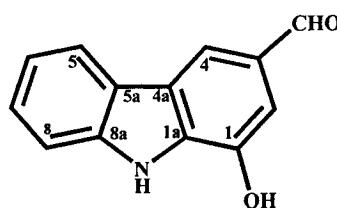
Compound **CE15** ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_3$) was isolated as a yellow solid. The ^1H NMR spectral data (Table 18 and 24) was very similar to that of **CE7** except for the

disappearance of a methoxyl group at δ 4.06 (3H, *s*, 1-OMe). Therefore, clauszoline-I was characterized to be **CE15** (Liger *et al.*, 2007).

Table 18 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz) of **CES15** in Acetone-*d*₆

Position	δ_{H} (mult., <i>J</i> in Hz)	Position	δ_{H} (mult., <i>J</i> in Hz)
2	7.61 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> = 2.4)	6	7.46 (<i>m</i>)
4	8.44 (brs)	7	7.50 (<i>m</i>)
5	8.09 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> = 8.0)	8	7.29 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> = 8.4)
		3-CO ₂ Me	3.97 (<i>s</i>)

3.2.13. Compound **CE16** (*O*-Demethylmurrayanine)

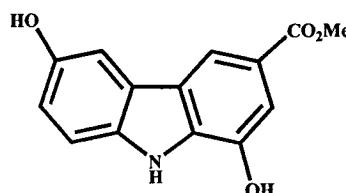


Compound **CE16** ($\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{9}\text{NO}_2$) was isolated as a light brown solid. The ^1H -NMR spectral data (Table 19 and 24) was very similar to that of **CE15** except compound **CE16** showed a signal of formyl group at δ 10.02 (1H, *s*, 3-CHO). Thus, *O*-demethylmurrayanine was characterized to be **CE16** (Ito *et al.*, 2000).

Table 19 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz) of **CE16** in Acetone-*d*₆

Position	δ_{H} (mult., <i>J</i> in Hz)	Position	δ_{H} (mult., <i>J</i> in Hz)
2	7.43 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> = 1.2)	6	7.27 (<i>m</i>)
4	8.27 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> = 1.2)	7	7.47 (<i>m</i>)
5	8.21 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> = 7.6)	8	7.65 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> = 8.0)
		3-CHO	10.02 (<i>s</i>)

3.2.14. Compound CE17 (Methyl 1, 6-dihydroxy-9*H*-carbazole-3-carboxylate)

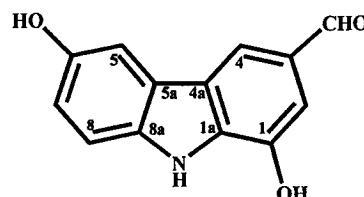


Compound **CE17** ($\text{C}_{14}\text{H}_{11}\text{NO}_4$) was isolated as a yellow solid. The ^1H NMR spectral data (Table 20 and 24) was very similar to that of **CE15** except compound **CE17** showed the characteristic of ABX aromatic protons at δ 7.57 ($d, J = 2.4$ Hz, H-5), 7.44 ($d, J = 8.8$ Hz, H-8) and 7.02 ($dd, J = 8.8, 2.4$ Hz, H-7). Thus, methyl 1, 6-dihydroxy-9*H*-carbazole-3-carboxylate was characterized to be **CE17** (Borger and Knolker, 2008).

Table 20 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz) of **CE17** in Acetone- d_6

Position	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	Position	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)
2	7.53 ($d, J = 1.2$)	8	7.44 ($d, J = 8.8$)
4	8.28 ($d, J = 1.2$)	1-OH	8.99 (s)
5	7.57 ($d, J = 2.4$)	3-CO ₂ Me	3.87 (s)
7	7.02 ($dd, J = 8.8, 2.4$)	6-OH	10.63 (s)

3.2.15. Compound CE18 (Clausine-Z)



Compound **CE18** ($\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_9\text{NO}_3$) was isolated as a light brown solid. The ^{13}C NMR and DEPT spectral data (Table 21) revealed 13 carbons, including 6 methines (δ 105.1, 107.0, 112.3, 115.8, 118.7 and 191.2), and 7 quaternary carbons (δ 123.9, 124.4, 129.6, 134.6, 134.8, 143.6 and 151.7). The ^1H NMR spectral data (Table 21

and 24) was very similar to that of **CE17** except for the appearance of a formyl group at δ 9.96 (1H, s, 3-CHO) instead of the methyl ester. The structure of **CE18** was also confirmed by HMBC as shown in Table 21. Therefore, clausine-Z was characterized to be **CE18** (Potterat *et al.*, 2005).

Table 21 ^1H -NMR (400 MHz), ^{13}C -NMR (100 MHz), DEPT and HMBC spectral data of **CE18** in Acetone- d_6

Position	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult., J in Hz)	DEPT	HMBC
1	143.6	-	C	-
1a	134.8	-	C	-
2	107.0	7.38 (<i>d</i> , J = 1.2)	CH	1, 1a, 3-CHO, 4
3	129.6	-	C	-
4	118.7	8.15 (<i>d</i> , J = 1.2)	CH	1a, 2, 3-CHO, 5a
4a	123.9	-	C	-
5	105.1	7.60 (<i>d</i> , J = 2.0)	CH	6, 7, 8a
6	151.7	-	C	-
7	115.8	7.04 (<i>d</i> , J = 8.8, 2.0)	CH	5
8	112.3	7.47 (<i>d</i> , J = 8.8)	CH	5a, 6, 8a
8a	134.6	-	C	-
1-OH	-	10.60 (brs)	-	1a, 4a
3-CHO	191.2	9.96 (<i>s</i>)	CH	2, 4
6-OH	-	8.44 (brs)	-	-
NH	-	8.44 (brs)	-	-

Table 22 $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectral data for compound CE7-CE10 (δ , mult., J in Hz)

Position	CE7	CE8	CE9	CE10
1	-	7.36 ($d, J = 8.4$)	6.83 (s)	-
2	7.59 ($d, J = 1.2$)	8.06 ($dd, J = 8.4, 1.6$)	-	7.46 ($d, J = 0.8$)
4	8.47 ($d, J = 1.2$)	8.75 (brs)	8.14 (brs)	8.19 ($d, J = 0.8$)
5	8.12 ($d, J = 8.0$)	8.05 ($d, J = 7.6$)	7.48 ($d, J = 2.8$)	8.11 ($d, J = 8.0$)
6	7.28 ($dd, J = 8.4, 8.0$)	7.22 (m)	-	7.32 (m)
7	7.45 ($dd, J = 8.0, 6.8$)	7.38 (m)	7.02 ($dd, J = 8.8, 2.8$)	7.48 (m)
8	7.49 ($d, J = 6.8$)	7.39 ($d, J = 7.6$)	7.29 ($d, J = 8.8$)	7.52 ($d, J = 8.0$)
1-OMe	4.06 (s)	-	-	4.07 (s)
2-OH	-	-	11.43 (s)	-
3-CHO	-	-	9.92 (s)	10.05 (s)
3-CO ₂ Me	3.98 (s)	3.90 (s)	-	-
6-OMe	-	-	3.92 (s)	-
NH	8.48 (s)	8.27 (brs)	8.14 (brs)	8.64 (brs)

Table 23 $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectral data for compound CE11-CE14 (δ , mult., J in Hz)

Position	CE11	CE12	CE13	CE14
1	7.49 ($d, J = 8.8$)	7.08 (s)	6.87(s)	6.85(s)
2	7.97 ($dd, J = 8.8, 1.6$)	-	-	-
4	8.60 ($d, J = 0.8$)	7.51 (s)	8.56 (s)	8.52 (s)
5	8.13 ($d, J = 8.4$)	7.93 ($d, J = 8.0$)	8.00 ($d, J = 8.0$)	7.50 ($d, J = 2.4$)
6	7.32 (m)	7.07 ($d, J = 8.0, 7.2$)	7.39 (m)	-
7	7.48 (m)	7.24 ($d, J = 8.0, 7.2$)	7.40 (m)	6.92 ($dd, J = 8.8, 2.4$)
8	7.51 ($d, J = 8.4$)	7.40 ($d, J = 8.0$)	7.26 ($d, J = 7.6$)	7.28 ($d, J = 8.8$)
2-OH	-	-	-	11.03 (s)
2-OMe	-	-	3.99 (s)	-
3-CHO	10.10 (s)	-	10.49 (s)	-
3-CO ₂ Me	-	3.92 (s)	-	3.98 (s)
6-OH	-	-	-	10.26 (s)
NH	8.55 (brs)	-	8.29 (brs)	8.06 (brs)

Table 24 $^1\text{H-NMR}$ spectral data for compound CE15-CE18 (δ , mult., J in Hz)

Position	CE15	CE16	CE17	CE18
2	7.61 ($d, J = 2.4$)	7.43 ($d, J = 1.2$)	7.53 ($d, J = 1.2$)	7.38 ($d, J = 1.2$)
4	8.44 (brs)	8.27 ($d, J = 1.2$)	8.28 ($d, J = 1.2$)	8.15 ($d, J = 1.2$)
5	8.09 ($d, J=8.0$)	8.21 ($d, J = 7.6$)	7.57 ($d, J = 2.4$)	7.60 ($d, J = 2.0$)
6	7.46 (<i>m</i>)	7.27 (<i>m</i>)	-	-
7	7.50 (<i>m</i>)	7.47 (<i>m</i>)	7.02 (<i>dd</i> , $J = 8.8, 2.4$)	7.04 ($d, J = 8.8, 2.0$)
8	7.29 ($d, J=8.4$)	7.65 ($d, J = 8.0$)	7.44 ($d, J = 8.8$)	7.47 ($d, J = 8.8$)
1-OH	-	-	8.99 (<i>s</i>)	10.60 (brs)
3-CHO	-	10.02 (<i>s</i>)	-	9.96 (<i>s</i>)
3-CO ₂ Me	3.97 (<i>s</i>)	-	3.87 (<i>s</i>)	-
6-OH	-	-	10.63 (<i>s</i>)	8.44 (brs)

3.3. Biological activities of compounds isolated from the fruits and stems of *C. exvacata*

Some isolated compounds (**CE5** **CE7**, **CE13-16** and **CE18**) were selected for the evaluation of antimalarial activity against *Plasmodium falciparum* and cytotoxicity against three human cancer cell lines including oral cavity cancer (KB), breast cancer (MCF7) and small cell lung cancer (NCI-H187). The results were summarized in Table 23

Table 23 Antimalarial activity and cytotoxicity of compounds **CE5**, **CE7**, **CE13-16**, and **CE18**

Compounds	IC ₅₀ (μg/mL)			
	Antimalaria	KB	MCF7	NCI-H187
CE5	0.533	5.95	13.77	7.10
CE7	N/A	N/A	25.26	N/A
CE13	N/A	23.21	25.00	4.11
CE14	N/A	14.29	15.28	2.82
CE15	N/A	17.76	15.43	9.38
CE16	6.74	13.54	7.67	2.14
CE18	N/A	12.50	1.61	1.07
Dihydroartemisinine	0.0041	-	-	-
Ellipiicine	-	0.311	-	0.526
Doxorubicine	-	0.180	1.25	0.077

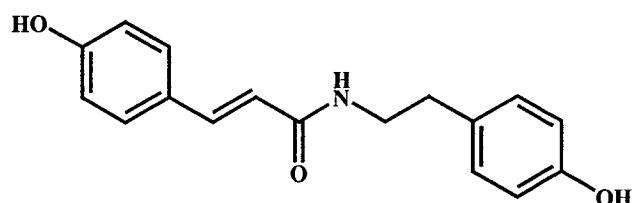
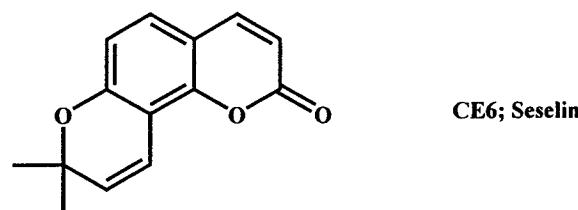
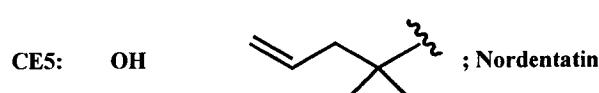
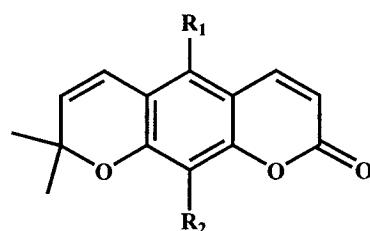
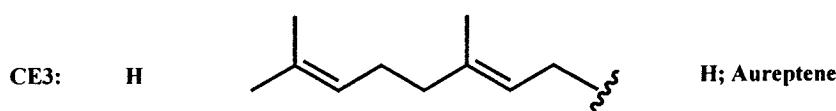
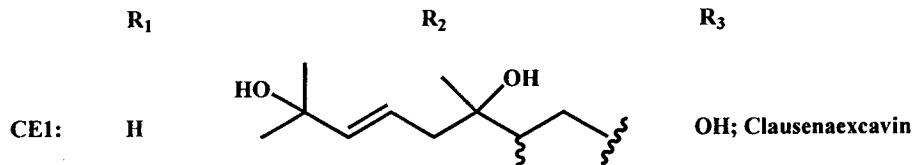
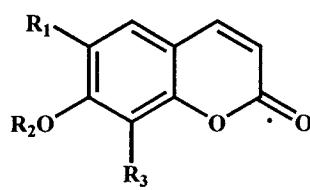
Compounds **CE5** and **CE16** exhibited antimalarial activity against *P. falciparum* with the IC₅₀ values of 0.533 and 6.74 μg/mL, respectively. The remaining compounds were found to be inactive. All tested compounds were found to be active with cytotoxicity against all three human cancer cell lines excepted compound **CE7** was found to be inactive. Compound **CE18** was the most active against MCF7 and NCI-H187 cancer cell lines with IC₅₀ values of 1.61 and 1.07 μg/mL, respectively, whereas compound **CE5** was the best activity against KB cancer cell line with IC₅₀ value of 5.97 μg/mL.

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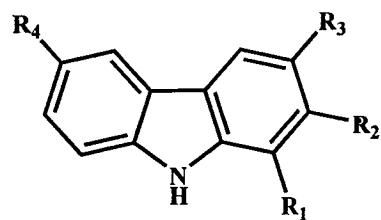
CONCLUSION

The investigation of constituents from *C. excavata* led to the isolation and identification of nineteen compounds. Four of them (**CE1**, **CE2**, **CE6** and **CE19**) were isolated from hexane-CH₂Cl₂ extract of fruits isolated. The remaining fifteen compounds (**CE3-CE5** and **CE7-CE18**) were isolated from the EtOAc extracts of the stems. Compounds **CE1** and **CE14** were new coumarin and carbazole alkaloid, respectively. Their structures were elucidated by spectroscopic methods.

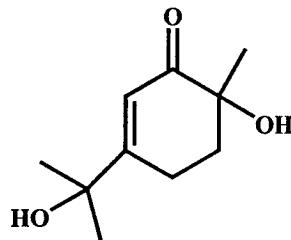
Compounds **CE5** **CE7**, **13-16** and **18** were evaluated for antimalarial activity against *P. falciparum* and three human cancer cell lines including MCF7, NCI-H187 and KB cancer cell lines. Compound **CE5** showed the best activity in anti malaria against *P. falciparum* with the IC₅₀ value of 0.533 µg/mL whereas compound **CE18** was the most active against MCF7 and NCI-H187 cancer cell lines with IC₅₀ values of 1.61 and 1.07µg/mL, respectively. Compound **CE5** was also the best activity against KB cancer cell line with IC₅₀ value of 5.97µg/mL.



CE19; *N*-(*p*-trans-coumaroyl)benzaldehyde



	R₁	R₂	R₃	R₄	
CE7:	OMe	H	CO ₂ Me	H	; Mokonine
CE8:	H	H	CO ₂ Me	H	; Methylcarbazole-3-carboxylate
CE9:	OMe	H	CHO	H	; Lansine
CE10:	H	H	CHO	H	; Murrayanine
CE11:	H	OH	CHO	OMe	; 3-Formylcarbazole
CE12:	H	OH	CO ₂ Me	H	; Mokonidine
CE13:	H	OMe	CHO	H	; O-Methylmukonal
CE14:	H	OH	CO ₂ Me	OH	; Sansoakamine
CE15:	OH	H	CO ₂ Me	H	; Clauszoline-I
CE16:	OH	H	CHO	H	; O-Demethylmurrayanine
CE17:	OH	H	CO ₂ Me	OH	; Methyl 1,6-dihydroxy-9H-carbazole-3-carboxylate
CE18:	OH	H	CHO	OH	; Clausine-Z



CE19: 1, 8-Dihydroxy-p-menth-3-en-2-one

Figure 5 Compounds isolated from the fruits and stems of *C. excavata*

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