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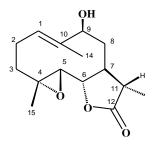
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JPD2

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ABSTRACT

Part I Chemical Constituents from the Stem of Punica granatum

Investigation of the crude methylene chloride and acetone extracts of the stem of Punica granatum, yielded 13 known compounds; three triterpenes: friedelin (CMD1), 5(6)-gluten- -ol (CMD2) and betulinic acid (CMD3), seven steroids: a mixture of β -sitosterol (CMD4) and stigmasterol (CMD5), stigmast-4-en-3-one (CMD6 -hydroxystigmast-4-en-3-one (CMD7), ergosterol peroxide (CMD8), -cholest-7-en-3-one (CMD9) and lophenol (CMD10), 5-methylmellein (CMD11), 3,4,3'-tri-O-methylellagic acid (CMD12) and 5,7,3',4',5'-penta-O-methylgallocatechin (CMD13). Their structures were elucidated by spectroscopic methods.

Part II Chemical Constituents from the root of Michelia alba

Investigation of the crude methylene chloride extract of the root of Michelia alba, yielded 7 compounds; six sesquiterpenes: costunolide (**JPD1**), parthenolide (**JPD2**), 9β -hydroxy- 11β H-dihydroparthenolide (**JPD3**), reynosin (**JPD4**), T-cadinol (**JPD5**), a new compound -(3',4',5'-trihydroxy-3'-methylbutanoyloxy)- 11β H-dihydroparthenolide (**JPD6**) and one lignan: lariciresinol (**JPD7**). Their structures were elucidated by spectroscopic methods.

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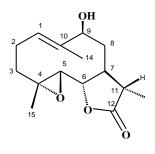
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THE RELEVANCE OF THE RESEARCH WORK TO THAILAND

The purpose of this research is to investigate the chemical constituents from the stem of Punica granatum and the root of Michelia alba. They are a part of the basic research on the Thai medicinal plants. Thirteen compounds and seven compounds have been isolated from the stem of Punica granatum and the root of Michelia alba, respectively.

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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

s = singlet

d = doublet

t = triplet

q = quartet

m = multiplet

dd = doublet of doublet

ddd = doublet of doublet

dt = doublet of triplet

ddq = doublet of doublet of quartet

br s = broad singlet

br d = broad doublet

g = gram

nm = nanometer

mp = melting point

cm⁻¹ = reciprocal centimeter (wave number)

= chemical shift relative to TMS

J = coupling constant

D = specific rotation

max = maximum wavelength

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS (Continued)

= absorption frequencies

= molar extinction coefficient

m/z = a value of mass divided by charge

°C = degree celcius

MHz = Megahertz

ppm = part per million

c = concentration

IR = Infrared

UV = Ultraviolet

MS = Mass Spectroscopy

EIMS = Electron Impact Mass Spectroscopy

FAB = Fast atom bombardment mass spectrometry

NMR = Nuclear Magnetic Resonance

1D NMR = One Dimensional Nuclear Magnetic Resonance

2D NMR = Two Dimensional Nuclear Magnetic Resonance

COSY = Correlation Spectroscopy

DEPT = Distortionless Enhancement by Polarization Transfer

LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS (Continued)

HMBC = Heteronuclear Multiple Bond Correlation

HMQC = Heteronuclear Multiple Quantum Coherence

NOESY = Nuclear Overhauser Effect Spectrosopy

CC = Column Chromatography

QCC = Quick Column Chromatography

PLC = Preparative Thin Layer Chromatography

TMS = tetramethylsilane

 $CDCl_3$ = deuterochloroform

 CD_3OD = deuteromethanol

DMSO-d₆ = deuterodimethylsulfoxide

CHAPTER 1.1

Introduction

1.1.1 Introduction

Punica granatum LINN. (pomegranate in English), is widely distributed in Southeast Asia. It is an ancient and highly distinctive fruit, the predominant member of two species comprising the Punicaceae family, granatum and protopunica. The pomegranate fruit as a medicinal plant (Al-Maiman & Ahnad, 2002) is now supported by data obtained from modern science showing that the fruit contains anti-carcinogenic (e.g., Adhami & Mukhtar, 2006; Bell & Hawthorne, 2008), anti-microbial (Reddy, Gupta, Jacob, Khan, & Ferreira, 2007) and anti-viral compounds (Kotwal, 2007; (Shwartza et al., 2009). The methanolic extract from the flowers of P. granatum was found to inhibit a tumor necrosis factor-a (TNF-a)-induced cytotoxicity in L929 cells. (Xie et al., 2008).

P. granatum is a small–sized, shrubby tree, 12-16 feet tall, has spiny branches. The leaves are glossy and lanceshaped, and the bark of the tree turns gray as the tree ages. The flowers are large, red, white, or variegated and have a tubular calyx that eventually becomes the fruit. The ripe pomegranate fruit can be up to five inches wide with a deep red, leathery skin, is grenade-shaped, and crowned by the pointed calyx. The fruit contains many seeds separated by white, membranous pericarp, and each is surrounded by small amounts of tart red juice.

In Thailand, *P. granatum* has been found in every part of the country. It has many local Thai names: Thapthim (ทับทิม) Central; Phila (พิลา) Nong Khai; Phila Khao (พิลาขาว), Ma kong kaeo (มะก่องแก้ว) Nan; Ma Ko (มะเก๊าะ) Northern; Makchange (หมากจัง) Mee Hong Son (Smitinand, 2001).

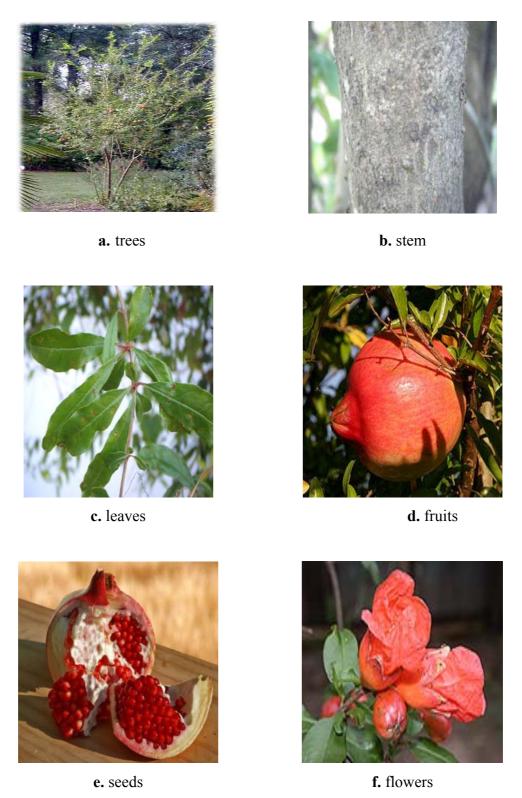


Figure 1 Different parts of *Punica granatum* LINN.

1.1.2 Review of Literatures

Chemical constituents isolated from *P. granatum* were summarized in **Table 1**. Information obtained from SciFinder Scholar copyright in 2009 will be presented and classified into groups: alkaloids, steroids, flavonoids, tannins, catechins, ellagic, coumarins, gallic acid, prenylpropanoid and triterpenoids.

Table 1 Compounds from plants of Punica genus.

a: tannins b: flavonoids
c: steroids d: triterpenes
e: alkaloids f: ellagic acid
g: catechins h: gallic acid

i: coumarins j: phenylpropanoid

Scientific name	Part	Compounds	Bibliography
P. granatum	Fruit	punicalagin, 1a	Mayer et al.,
		punicalin, 2a	1977
	Stem Bark	4,6-(<i>S</i> , <i>S</i>)-gallagyl-D-glucose, 3a	Tanaka <i>et al</i> .,
		2,3-(S)-hexahydroxydiphenoyl-4,6-	1986
		(S,S)-gallagyl-D-glucose, 4a	
		2-O-galloyl-4,6-(<i>S,S</i>)-gallagyl-D-	
		glucose, 5a	
	Seeds	estrone, 3c	Moneam et al.,
		coumestrol, 1i	1988
		genistein, 1b	
		daidzein, 2b	
		genistin, 3b	
		daidzin, 4b	
	Root Bark	hygrine, 1e	Neuhofer et al.,
		sedridine, 2e	1993
		pseudopelletierine, 3e	
		pelletierine, 4e	
		norpseudopelletierine, 5e	
		<i>N</i> -methylpelletierine, 6e	
		norhygrine, 7e	

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	Head	3'-O-methyl-3,4-	Tommy et al.,
	wood	methylenedioxyellagic acid, 1f	2001
		methyl gallate, 1h	
		gallic acid, 2h	
		ellagic acid, 2f	
		3,3'-di-O-methyl-ellagic acid, 2f	
		corilagin, 8a	
	Fruit	prodelphinidin B, 1g	Plumb et al.,
		prodelphinidin C, 2g	2002
		catechin-(4-8)-gallocatechin, 3g	
		gallocatechin, 4g	
	Fruit	α-punicalagin, 6a	Machado et al.,
		β-punicalagin, 7a	2002
	Seed	coniferyl 9-O-[β-D-	Wang et al., 2004
		apiofuranosyl(1β6)]-O-β-D-	
		glucopyranoside, 1j	
		sinapyl 9-O-[β-D-	
		apiofuranosyl(1β6)]-O-β-D-	
		glucopyranoside, 2j	
		daucosterol, 1c	
		3,3'-di-O-Methylellagic acid, 3f	
		3,3',4'-tri-O-Methylellagic acid, 4f	
	Flower	pomegranatate, 5f	Wang et al., 2006
		daucosterol, 1c	
		ellagic acid, 2f	
		maslinic acid, 1d	
		3,3',4'-tri-O-Methylellagic acid, 4f	
		ethyl brevifolincarboxylate, 2i	
Scientific	Part	Compounds	Bibliography

name			
	Flower	punicanolic acid, 2d	Xie et al.,2008
		ursolic acid, 3d	
		β-sitosterol, 2c	
		asiatic acid, 2b	
		luteolin, 4d	
		tricetin, 6b	
		maslinic acid, 1d	
		1,2,6-tri-O-Galloyl -β-D-	
		glucopyranoside, 9a	
		1,2-di-O-Galloyl-4,6-O-(S)-	
		hexahydroxydiphenoyl -β-D-	
		glucopyranoside, 10a	

structures

III,
$$R^1 = H$$
, $R^2 = OC$
OH
OH

$$I, RR^{1} = HO \longrightarrow OH HO OH$$

II, $R = R^1 = H$

1a: punicalagin (I) 2a: punicalin (II)

3a: 4,6-(*S*,*S*)-gallagyl-D-glucose

4a: 2,3-(*S*)-hexahydroxydiphenoyl-4,6(S,S)gallagyl-D-glucose

5a: 2-O-galloyl-4,6-(*S*,*S*)-gallagylglucose

6a. α -punicalagin

7a: β-punicalagin

8a: corilagin

9a: 1,2,6-tri-O-galloyl -β-D-glucopyranoside

10a: 1,2-di-O-galloyl-4,6-O-(*S*)-hexahydroxydiphenoyl glucopyranoside

b: flavonoids

HO OHOO

1b: genistein

2b: daidzein

3b: genistin

4b: daidzin

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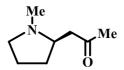
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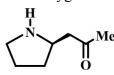
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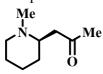
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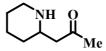
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7e: norhygrine

NH OH

2e: sedridin



5e: norpseudopelletierine

Me N

3e: pseudopelletierine



6e: *N*-methylpelletierine

f: ellagic acid

1f: 3'-O-methyl-3,4-methylenedioxyellagic acid

2f: ellagic acid

3f: 3,3'-di-O-methyl-ellagic acid

4f: 3,3',4'-tri-O-methylellagic acid

5f: pomegranatate

g: catechins

1g: prodelphinidin B

2g: prodelphinidin C

3g: catechin-(4-8)-gallocatechin

4g: gallocatechin

h: gallic acid

1h: methyl gallate

2h: gallic acid

i: coumarins

1i: coumestrol

2i: ethyl brevifolincarboxylate

j: phenylpropanoids

1j: coniferyl 9-O-[β-D-apiofuranosyl(1β6)]-O-β-D-glucopyranoside

2j: sinapyl 9-O-[β-D-apiofuranosyl(1β6)]-O-β-D-glucopyranoside

1.1.3 Objective

This part of research work involved isolation, purification and structure elucidation of chemical constituents from the stem of *Punica granatum*.

CHAPTER 1.2 EXPERIMENTAL

1.2.1 Instruments and Chemicals

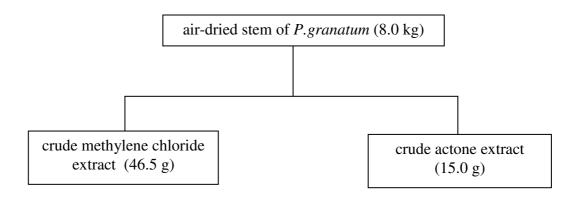
Melting points were determined on the Fisher-John melting point apparatus. The UV spectra were measured with a SPECORD S 100 (Analytikjena) and principle bands (λ_{max}) were recorded as wavelengths (nm) and log ε in MeOH solution. The optical rotation [α]_D was measured in chloroform and methanol solution with Sodium D line (590 nm) on a JASCO P-1020 digital polarimeter. The IR spectra were measured with a Perkin-Elmer FTS FT-IR spectrophotometer. NMR spectra were recorded using 300 MHz Bruker FTNMR Ultra ShieldTM spectrometers in acetone- d_6 and CDCl₃ with TMS as the internal standard. Chemical shifts are reported in δ (ppm) and coupling constants (J) are expressed in hertz. EI and HREI mass spectra were measured on a Kratos MS 25 RFA spectrometer. Solvents for extraction and chromatography were distilled at their boiling point ranges prior to use except chloroform was analytical grade reagent. Quick column chromatography (QCC) and column chromatography (CC) were carried out on silica gel 60 H (Merck) and silica gel 100 (Merck), respectively.

1.2.2 Plant Material

The stem of *P. granatum* was collected from Chumphon province in the southern part of Thailand, in May 2008. Identification was made by Assoc. Prof. Dr. Kitichate Sridith and a specimen (No.0013591) deposited at PSU Herbarium, Department of Biology, Faculty of Science, Prince of Songkla University.

1.2.3 Extraction and Isolation

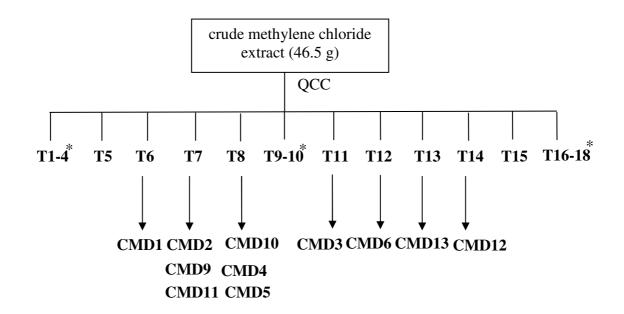
The chopped air-dried stem of *P. granatum* (8.0 kg) was successively extracted with methylene chloride and acetone (one week for each solvent) at room temperature. The solvent was evaporated under reduced pressure to give concentrated solution of methylene chloride extract as yellow viscous residue (46.5 g) and brownish acetone extract (15.0 g), respectively. The process of extraction was shown in **Scheme 1**



Scheme 1 Extraction of the stem of *P. granatum*

1.2.4 Isolation and Chemical Investigation

1.2.4.1 Investigation of the crude methylene chloride extract from the stem of *P. granatum*.



*No further investigation

Scheme 2 Isolation of compounds CMD1- CMD6, CMD9- CMD13 from the methylene chloride extract

The crude methylene chloride extract as yellow viscous residue (46.5 g) was subjected to quick column chromatography over silica gel using solvent of increasing polarity from hexane through acetone. The eluates were collected and combined based on TLC characteristics to give eighteen fractions (T1-T18).

Fraction T6 (4.5 g) was filtered and washed with hexane to give **CMD1**: friedelin (1.2 g) as white crystal and the mother liquor as yellow viscous oil after evaporation of the solvent.

Fraction T7 (3.5 g) was purified by QCC with a gradient of acetonehexane to afford twenty fractions (T7.1-T7.20).

Subfraction T7.15 (135.5 mg) was recrystallized from the methylene chloride to give **CMD9**: 5α -cholest-7-en-3-one (58.0 mg).

Subfraction T7.17 (56.7 mg) was purified by CC with 7% EtOAc/hexane to give **CMD2**: 5(6)-gluten- 3α -ol (9.4 mg).

Subfraction T7.20 (30.2 mg) was purified by CC with 20% acetone/hexane to give **CMD11**: 5-methylmellein (4.5 mg).

Fraction 8 (6.7 g) was separated by CC with a gradient of acetone-hexane to afford twelve fractions (T8.1-T8.12).

Subfraction T8.7 (3.6 g) was filtered and washed with hexane to yield a mixture of **CMD4**: β -sitosterol and **CMD5**: stigmasterol (2.3 g) as a white solid and the mother liquor as yellow viscous oil after evaporation of the solvent.

Subfraction T8.10 (43.2 mg) was purified by CC with 15% acetone/hexane to give **CMD10**: lophenol (10.7 mg).

Fraction T11 (4.1g) was separated by CC with 30% EtOAc/hexane to give **CMD3**: betulinic acid (1.7 g).

Fraction T12 (1.2 g) was separated by CC with 30% acetone/hexane to give **CMD6**: stigmast-4-en-3-one (30 mg).

Fraction T13 (113.6 mg) was separated by CC with 30% acetone/hexane to give **CMD13**: 5,7,3',4',5'-penta-O-methylgallocatechin (8.2 mg).

Fraction T14 (221.7 mg) was separated by CC with 30% EtOAc/hexane to give **CMD12**: 3,4,3'-tri-O-methylellagic acid (9.9 mg).

Compound CMD1: friedelin, white solid, m.p. 245-247°C; [α] $_D$ ²⁸: -28.2° (c = 0.63, CHCl₃); ref [α] $_D$ ²⁸: -22.3° (c = 0.54, CHCl₃) (Ahad *et al.*, 1991); IR (neat) v_{max} 1715 (C=O stretching) cm⁻¹. For ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 2**.

Compound CMD2: 5(6)-gluten-3 α -ol, white solid, m.p. 210-212°C; [α] $_{\rm D}$ 28 : +61.6° (c = 0.7, CHCl₃); IR (neat) $v_{\rm max}$ 3415 (O-H stretching) and 1618 (C=C stretching) cm⁻¹. For 1 H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and 13 C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 3**.

Compound CMD3: betulinic acid, white solid, m.p. 280-282°C; [α] D ²⁸: +18.7° (c = 0.03, CHCl₃); ref [α] D ²⁸: +17.7° (c = 0.03, CHCl₃) (Thongdeeying,

2005); IR (neat) v_{max} 3413 (O-H stretching), 1686 (C=O stretching) and 1645 (C=C stretching) cm⁻¹. For ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 4**.

Compounds CMD4 and CMD5: a mixture of β-sitosterol and stigmasterol, white solid; IR (neat) v_{max} 3425 (O-H stretching) and 1642 (C=C stretching) cm⁻¹.

Compound CMD6: stigmast-4-en-3-one, colorless viscous oil; [α] $_{\rm D}$ 28 : +67.7° (c = 0.47, CHCl₃); ref [α] $_{\rm D}$ 28 : +66.4° (c = 0.40, CHCl₃) (Della *et al.*, 1990); UV $\lambda_{\rm max}$ (MeOH) (log ε): 241 (4.21) nm; IR (neat) $\nu_{\rm max}$ 1674 (C=O stretching) and 1616 (C=C stretching) cm⁻¹. For 1 H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and 13 C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 5**.

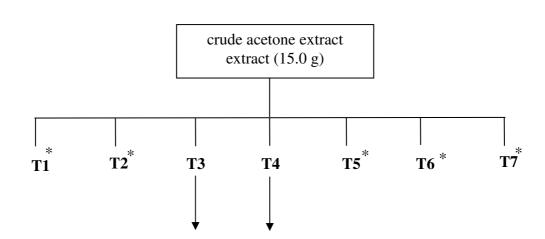
Compound CMD9: 5α-cholest-7-en-3-one, white solid, m.p. 144-146 °C; [α] $_{\rm D}$ 28 : +12.1° (c = 0.05, CHCl₃); IR (neat) $\nu_{\rm max}$ 3424 (O-H stretching) and 1616 (C=C stretching) cm⁻¹. For 1 H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and 13 C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 8**.

Compound CMD10: lophenol, white solid, m.p. 149-150°C; $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: +7.0° (c = 0.04, CHCl₃); ref $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: +5.0° (c = 0.03, CHCl₃) (Farines *et al.*, 1988); IR (neat) v_{max} 3424 (O-H stretching) and 1618 (C=C stretching) cm⁻¹. For ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 9**.

Compound CMD11: 5-methylmellein, colorless viscous oil; [α] $_{\rm D}^{28}$: -122° (c = 0.8, CHCl $_{\rm 3}$); ref [α] $_{\rm D}^{28}$: -118° (c = 0.06, CHCl $_{\rm 3}$) (Cambie *et al.*, 1991); UV $\lambda_{\rm max}$ (MeOH) (log ε): 208 (3.32) nm; IR (neat) $\nu_{\rm max}$ 3290 (O-H stretching), 1669 (C=O stretching) and 1610 (aromatic) cm $^{-1}$. For 1 H NMR (CDCl $_{\rm 3}$, 300 MHz) spectral data and 13 C NMR (CDCl $_{\rm 3}$, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 10**.

Compound CMD12: 3,4,3'-tri-O-methylellagic acid, white solid; UV λ_{max} (MeOH) (log ε): 248 (3.55) and 371 (2.94) nm; IR (neat) ν_{max} 3400 (O-H stretching), 1744 (C=O stretching) and 1602 (aromatic) cm⁻¹. For ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 11.**

Compound CMD13: 5,7,3',4',5'-penta-O-methylgallocatechin, colorless viscous oil; [α] $_{\rm D}$ ²⁸: -47.7° (c = 0.07, CHCl₃); UV $_{\rm max}$ (MeOH) (log $_{\rm E}$): 207 (3.34) and 270 (2.59) nm; IR (neat) $_{\rm max}$ 3453 (O-H stretching) and 1602 (aromatic) cm⁻¹. For $^{\rm 1}$ H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and $^{\rm 13}$ C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 12.**



1.2.4.2 Investigation of the crude acetone extract from the stem of *P. granatum*

*No further investigation

CMD8

Scheme 3 Isolation of compounds **CMD7** and **CMD8** from the acetone extract.

CMD7

The brownish crude acetone extract of P. granatum (15.0 g) was subjected to quick column chromatography and eluted with hexane and acetone. The eluates were combined on the basis of TLC characteristic to give seven fractions (T1-T7).

Fraction T3 (1.4 g) was separated by CC with 2% methanol/CH₂Cl₂ to give **CMD7**: 6α -hydroxystigmast-4-en-3-one (4.1 mg).

Fraction T4 (1.7 g) was purified by CC with 30% acetone/hexane to afford seven fractions (T4.1-T4.7).

Subfraction T4.5 (35.6 g) was separated by CC with 2% methanol/CH₂Cl₂ to give **CMD8**: ergosterol peroxide (4.9 mg).

Compound CMD7: 6α-hydroxystigmast-4-en-3-one, colorless viscous oil; [α] $_{\rm D}$ 28 : +12.5° (c = 0.80, CHCl $_{\rm 3}$); ref [α] $_{\rm D}$ 28 : +10.7° (c = 0.63, CHCl $_{\rm 3}$) (Della Greca *et al.*, 1990); UV $\lambda_{\rm max}$ (MeOH) (log ε): 241 (4.73); IR (neat) $\nu_{\rm max}$ 3418 (O-H stretching), 1670 (C=O stretching) and 1645 (C=C stretching) cm $^{-1}$. For 1 H NMR

(CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 6.**

Compound CMD8: ergosterol peroxide, colorless viscous oil; $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: -11.3° (c = 0.32, CHCl₃); ref $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: -12.8° (c = 0.42, CHCl₃) (Daengrot 2006); IR (neat) v_{max} 3442 (O-H stretching), 1716 (C=O stretching). For ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 7**.

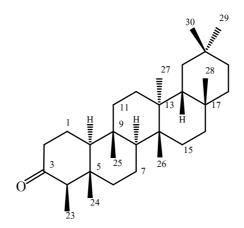
CHAPTER 1.3 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

1.3.1 Structure elucidation of compounds from the stem of *P. granatum*

The crude methylene chloride and acetone extracts from the stem of P. granatum were subjected to repeated quick column and column chromatography over silica gel to furnish thirteen known compounds of three triterpenes: friedelin (CMD1), 5(6)-gluten-3 α -ol (CMD2) and betulinic acid (CMD3), seven steroids: a mixture of β -sitosterol (CMD4) and stigmasterol (CMD5), stigmast-4-en-3-one (CMD6), 6 α -hydroxystigmast-4-en-3-one (CMD7), ergosterol peroxide (CMD8), 5 α -cholest-7-en-3-one (CMD9) and lophenol (CMD10), 5-methylmellein (CMD11), 3,4,3'-tri-O-methylellagic acid (CMD12), and 5,7,3',4',5'-penta-O-methylgallocatechin (CMD13).

Their structures were elucidated mainly by 1D and 2D NMR spectroscopic data: ¹H, ¹³C NMR, DEPT 135°, DEPT 90°, HMQC, HMBC, COSY and NOESY. The physical data of the known compounds were also compared with the reported values.

1.3.1.1 Compound CMD1



Compound CMD1 was obtained as a white solid, mp 245-247 °C, [α] $_D$ ²⁸: -28.2° (c = 0.63, CHCl₃). The IR spectrum showed absorption bands for carbonyl group at 1715 cm⁻¹. It gave a purple vanillin-sulfuric acid test indicating a triterpene.

The 13 C NMR spectral data recorded in CDCl₃ showed 30 signals for 30 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested the presence of eight methyl (δ 6.8, 14.7, 17.9, 18.7, 20.3, 31.8, 32.1 and 35.0), eleven methylene (δ 18.2, 22.3, 30.5, 32.4, 32.8, 35.3, 35.6, 36.0, 39.3, 41.3 and 41.5), four methine (δ 42.8, 53.1, 58.2 and 59.5) and seven quaternary carbons (δ 28.2, 30.0, 37.4, 38.3, 39.7, 42.2 and 213.3).

The 1 H NMR spectral data showed characteristic of friedelin as one methyl doublet at δ 0.89 (3H-23, d, J = 6.3 Hz) and seven methyl singlets at δ 0.72, 0.87, 0.95, 1.00, 1.01, 1.05 and 1.18.

The position of a methyl group 3H-23 was determined through an HMBC experiment in which the methyl protons at δ 0.89 (3H-23) showed correlations with C-3 (δ 213.3), C-4 (δ 58.2) and C-5 (δ 42.2). Thus on the basis of its spectroscopic data and comparison with the previously reported data of friedelin (Ahad *et al.*, 1991), compound CMD1 was therefore assigned as friedelin.

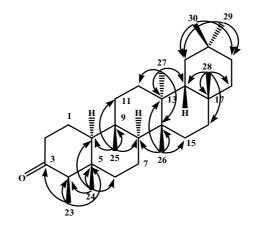


Figure 2 Selected HMBC correlations of CMD1

Table 2 1 H, 13 C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **CMD1** (CDCl₃) and friedelin (**R**, CDCl₃)

Position	Type of C	δc /ppm		δн / ppm (multiplicity, J/Hz)	HMBC ¹H→ ¹³C
		CMD1	R	CMD1	
1	CH_2	22.3	22.3	1.64 (<i>m</i>), 1.69 (<i>m</i>)	-
2	CH_2	41.5	41.5	2.36 (m), 2.23 (m)	-
3	С	213.3	213.2	-	-
4	СН	58.2	58.2	2.24 (m)	-
5	C	42.2	42.2	-	-
6	CH_2	41.3	41.3	2.44 (m), 1.78 (m)	-
7	CH_2	18.2	18.2	1.52 (m), 1.39 (m)	-
8	СН	53.1	53.1	1.42 (m)	-
9	C	37.4	37.5	-	-
10	СН	59.5	59.5	1.56 (m)	-
11	CH_2	35.6	35.6	1.61 (<i>m</i>), 1.43 (<i>m</i>)	-
12	CH_2	30.5	30.5	1.46 (<i>m</i>), 1.34 (<i>m</i>)	-
13	С	39.7	39.7	-	-
14	С	38.3	38.3	-	-
15	CH_2	32.4	32.4	1.51 (<i>m</i>), 1.29 (<i>m</i>)	-
16	CH ₂	36.0	36.0	1.61 (<i>m</i>), 1.36 (<i>m</i>)	-

 Table 2 (Continued)

Position	Type of C	δc /ppm		δн / ppm (multiplicity, J/Hz)	HMBC ¹H→ ¹³C
		CMD1	R	CMD1	
17	C	30.0	30.0	-	-
18	СН	42.8	42.8	1.53 (m)	-
19	CH_2	35.3	35.4	1.62 (<i>m</i>), 1.49 (<i>m</i>)	-
20	C	28.2	28.1	-	-
21	CH_2	39.3	39.3	1.48 (m), 0.93 (m)	-
22	CH_2	32.8	32.8	1.50 (<i>m</i>), 1.26 (<i>m</i>)	-
23	CH_3	6.8	6.8	0.89 (<i>d</i> , 6.3)	3, 4, 5
24	CH ₃	14.7	14.7	0.72(s)	4, 5, 6, 10
25	CH ₃	17.9	18.0	0.87(s)	8, 9, 10, 11
26	CH_3	18.7	18.7	1.01 (s)	8, 13, 14, 15
27	CH_3	20.3	20.3	1.05 (s)	12, 13, 14, 18
28	CH ₃	32.1	32.1	1.18 (s)	16, 17, 18, 22
29	CH_3	31.8	31.8	1.00(s)	19, 20, 21
30	CH ₃	35.0	35.0	0.95 (s)	19, 20, 21

1.3.1.2 Compound CMD2

Compound CMD2 was obtained as a white solid, mp 210-212 °C, $[\alpha]_D$ ²⁸: +61.6° (c = 0.7, CHCl₃); The IR spectrum showed absorption band of a hydroxyl group at 3415 cm⁻¹.

The 13 C NMR spectral data recorded in CDCl₃ showed 30 signals for 30 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested the presence of eight methyl (δ 16.2, 18.4, 19.6, 25.4, 29.0, 32.0, 32.4 and 34.5), ten methylene (δ 18.2, 23.8, 27.9, 30.4, 32.1, 33.2, 34.6, 35.1, 36.1 and 39.0), five methine (δ 43.1, 47.7, 49.7, 76.4 and 122.1) and seven quaternary carbons (δ 28.3, 30.1, 34.9, 37.9, 39.3, 40.8 and 141.7).

The 1 H NMR spectral data showed eight methyl singlets at δ 0.85, 0.95, 0.99, 1.00, 1.04, 1.09, 1.14 and 1.16, a vinyl proton at δ 5.63 (1H, d, J = 6.0 Hz, H-6). The 13 C NMR spectrum confirmed the presence of a carbon-carbon double bond at δ 122.1 (C-6) and 141.7 (C-5). The broad singlet of H-3 indicated a (β) orientation of H-3.

On the basis of HMBC the vinyl proton H-6 at δ 5.63 showed correlations with C-4 (δ 40.8), C-5 (δ 141.7), C-7 (δ 23.8), C-8 (δ 47.7), and C-10 (49.7), suggesting the presence of a double bond between C-5 and C-6. Thus on the basis of its spectroscopic data and comparison with those reported in the literatures (Susidarti et al., 2006), compound CMD2 was therefore assigned as 5(6)-gluten-3 α -ol.

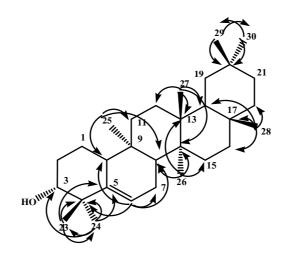


Figure 3 Selected HMBC correlations of CMD2

Table 3 1 H, 13 C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **CMD2** (CDCl₃) and 5(6)-gluten-3 α -ol (**R**, CDCl₃)

Position	Туре	δс /р	pm	δ _H / ppm (multiplicity, J/Hz)	HMBC
	of C	CMD2	R	CMD3	$^{1}\text{H} \rightarrow ^{13}\text{C}$
1	CH_2	18.2	18.3	1.00 (m), 1.60 (m)	-
2	CH_2	27.9	28.1	1.13 (m), 1.68 (m)	-
3	СН	76.4	76.6	3.47 (br s)	-
4	C	40.8	41.0	-	-
5	C	141.7	141.9	-	-
6	СН	122.1	122.3	5.63 (d, 6.0)	4, 5, 7, 8, 10
7	CH_2	23.8	23.9	1.68 (<i>m</i>), 2.01 (<i>m</i>)	-
8	СН	47.7	47.7	1.52 (m)	-
9	C	34.9	35.1	-	-
10	СН	49.7	49.9	1.98 (m)	-
11	CH_2	34.6	34.8	1.33 (<i>m</i>), 1.52 (<i>m</i>)	-
12	CH_2	30.4	30.6	1.38 (<i>m</i>), 1.15 (<i>m</i>)	-
13	C	37.9	38.1	-	-
14	C	39.3	39.5	-	-
15	CH_2	32.1	32.3	1.25 (<i>m</i>), 1.49 (<i>m</i>)	-
16	CH_2	39.0	39.2	0.92 (m), 1.57 (m)	-

 Table 3 (Continued)

Position	Туре	δc /p	pm	δн / ppm (multiplicity, J/Hz)	HMBC	
	of C	CMD2	R	CMD3	¹H > ³ C	
17	C	30.1	30.3	-	-	
18	СН	43.1	43.3	1.58 (m)	-	
19	CH_2	33.2	33.4	1.25 (m), 1.50 (m)	-	
20	C	28.3	28.5	-	-	
21	CH_2	35.1	35.3	1.51 (<i>m</i>), 1.40 (<i>m</i>)	-	
22	CH_2	36.1	36.3	1.53 (m), 1.42 (m)	-	
23	CH_3	29.0	29.2	1.04 (s)	3, 5, 24	
24	CH_3	25.4	25.7	1.14 (s)	3, 5, 23	
25	CH_3	16.2	16.4	0.85 (s)	8, 10, 11	
26	CH_3	18.4	18.6	1.00 (s)	8, 13, 14, 15	
27	CH_3	19.6	19.8	1.09 (s)	13, 14, 18	
28	CH_3	32.0	32.3	1.16 (s)	16, 17, 18, 22	
29	CH_3	34.5	34.7	0.95 (s)	19, 21, 20, 30	
30	CH ₃	32.4	32.6	0.99 (s)	19, 21, 20, 29	

1.3.1.3 Compound CMD3

Compound CMD3 was obtained as a white solid, mp. 280-282 °C, $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: +18.7° (c = 0.03, CHCl₃). It gave a purple vanillin-sulfuric acid test. The IR spectrum showed absorption band of a hydroxyl group at 3415 cm⁻¹ and a carbonyl group at 1686 cm⁻¹.

The 13 C NMR spectral data recorded in CDCl₃ showed 30 signals for 30 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested the presence of six methyl (δ 14.5, 15.2, 15.6, 15.9, 19.1, and 27.6), eleven methylene (δ 18.2, 20.8, 25.4, 26.9, 29.6, 30.5, 32.2, 34.2, 37.1, 38.7 and 109.3), six methine (δ 38.2, 46.9, 49.1, 50.5, 55.3 and 78.7) and seven quaternary carbons (δ 37.1, 38.7, 40.6, 42.3, 56.1, 150.7 and 179.1).

The ¹H NMR spectral data showed characteristic of lupane triterpenes as one vinylic methyl at δ 1.69, two protons of an isopropenyl moiety at δ 4.61 (br s) and 4.74 (br s) and a typical lupine β H-19 proton at δ 3.01 (m). An oxymethine proton was shown at δ 3.19 (dd, J = 10.8, 5.4 Hz). The doublet of doublet splitting pattern together with a large coupling constant of H-3 with J_{ax-ax} = 10.8 Hz and J_{ax-eq} = 5.4 Hz indicated an axial (α) orientation of H-3. The ¹³C NMR spectral data displayed a signal of carboxyl carbon at δ 179.1, thus suggesting a carboxylic functionality at C-28. The location of the carboxyl group was confirmed by HMBC experiment in which the methylene proton 2H-22 (δ 1.41 and 1.93) showed correlations with C-17 (δ 56.1), C-18 (δ 49.1) and C-28 (179.1). Thus on the basis of its spectroscopic data and comparison with those reported in the literatures (Macias et al., 1994 and Thongdeeying, 2005), compound CMD3 was therefore assigned as betulinic acid.

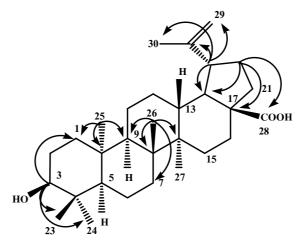


Figure 4 Selected HMBC correlations of CMD3

Table 4 ¹H, ¹³C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **CMD3** (CDCl₃) and betulinic acid (**R**, CDCl₃)

Position	osition Type of C		pm		ppm city, J/Hz)	HMBC
	oi C	CMD3	R	CMD3	R	¹H > ³C
1	CH_2	38.7	38.5	0.88 (<i>m</i>), 1.65 (<i>m</i>)	0.95 (<i>m</i>), 1.70 (<i>m</i>)	-
2	CH_2	26.9	28.2	1.57 (<i>m</i>), 1.61 (<i>m</i>)	1.57 (<i>m</i>), 1.62 (<i>m</i>)	-
3	СН	78.7	78.1	3.19 (<i>dd</i> , 10.8, 5.4)	3.19 (<i>dd</i> , 10.8, 5.4)	1, 23, 24
4	C	38.7	39.4	-	-	-
5	СН	55.3	55.9	0.69 (m)	0.71 (m)	4, 6, 7, 9
6	CH_2	18.2	18.7	1.36 (<i>m</i>), 1.51 (<i>m</i>)	1.45 (<i>m</i>), 1.55 (<i>m</i>)	-
7	CH_2	34.2	34.7	1.38 (m)	1.42 (m)	-
8	C	40.6	41.0	-	-	-
9	СН	50.5	50.9	1.26 (m)	1.33 (m)	-
10	C	37.1	37.5	-	-	-
11	CH_2	20.8	21.1	1.23 (<i>m</i>), 1.43 (<i>m</i>)	1.25 (<i>m</i>), 1.45 (<i>m</i>)	-
12	CH_2	25.4	26.0	1.69 (m)	1.07 (m), 1.73 (m)	-
13	СН	38.2	39.2	2.22 (m)	2.30 (m)	-
14	C	42.3	42.8	-	-	-
15	CH_2	29.6	30.2	1.51 (<i>m</i>), 1.51 (<i>m</i>)	1.18 (m), 1.53 (m)	-
16	CH_2	32.2	32.8	1.40 (<i>m</i>), 2.25 (<i>m</i>)	1.43 (<i>m</i>), 2.23 (<i>m</i>)	-

 Table 4 (Continued)

Position	Type of C		pm	δн / _] (multiplic		HMBC
	of C	CMD3	R	CMD3	R	¹H > ³ C
17	C	56.1	56.6	-	-	-
18	СН	49.1	49.7	1.58 (m)	1.63 (m)	-
19	СН	46.9	47.7	3.01 (<i>m</i>)	3.02 (m)	18, 20, 21,
						29, 30
20	C	150.7	151.4	-	-	-
21	CH_2	30.5	31.4	1.42 (<i>m</i>), 1.91 (<i>m</i>)	1.40 (<i>m</i>), 1.93(<i>m</i>)	-
22	CH_2	37.1	37.4	1.41 (<i>m</i>), 1.93 (<i>m</i>)	1.43 (<i>m</i>), 1.91(<i>m</i>)	17, 18, 28
23	CH_3	27.6	28.5	0.97(s)	0.95 (s)	3,4,5, 24
24	CH_3	15.2	16.2	0.75(s)	0.75 (s)	3, 4, 5, 23
25	CH_3	15.9	16.3	0.82(s)	0.86 (s)	1, 5, 9, 10
26	CH_3	15.6	16.2	0.94 (s)	0.97 (s)	7, 8, 9, 14
27	CH_3	14.5	14.8	0.98(s)	1.01 (s)	8, 13, 14, 15
28	C	179.1	179.0	-	-	-
29	CH_2	109.3	110.0	4.61 (<i>br s</i>)	4.59 (dd, 2.2, 1.0)	19, 30
				4.74 (br s)	4.71 (<i>d</i> , 2.2)	
30	CH_3	19.1	19.4	1.69 (s)	1.69 (d, 1.0)	19, 20, 29

1.3.1.4 Compounds CMD4 and CMD5

The mixture of CMD4 and CMD5 was isolated as a white solid. Its IR spectrum showed absorption bands at 3425 (hydroxyl) and 1642 cm⁻¹ (double bond). The ¹H NMR spectral data contained an oxymethine proton at δ 3.57-3.47 (m), three olefinic protons at δ 5.36 (d, J = 5.1 Hz), 5.16 (dd, J = 15.1, 8.4 Hz) and 5.01 (dd, J = 15.1, 8.4 Hz). The ¹H NMR (Cheenpracha, 2004) data was corresponded to a previous reported data of β -sitosterol and stigmasterol. Thus, this mixture was identified as β -sitosterol (CMD4) and stigmasterol (CMD5).

1.3.1.5 Compound CMD6

Compound CMD6 was isolated as colorless viscous oil; $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: +67.7° (c = 0.47, CHCl₃). Its IR spectrum showed absorption bands for α,β -unsaturated carbonyl group at 1674 cm⁻¹ and double bond at 1616 cm⁻¹. The UV absorption was shown at 241 nm.

The ¹³C NMR spectral data recorded in CDCl₃ showed 29 signals for 29 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested a presence of six methyl (11.9, 12.0, 17.4, 18.7, 19.0 and 19.8), eleven methylene (21.0, 23.1, 24.2, 26.1, 28.2, 32.1, 32.9, 33.9, 34.0, 35.7 and 39.6), eight methine (29.2, 35.6, 36.1, 45.8, 53.8, 55.9, 56.1 and 123.7) and four quaternary carbons (38.6, 42.4, 171.6 and 199.6).

The 1 H NMR spectral data displayed a downfield vinyl proton at δ 5.72 (H-4). The 13 C NMR spectrum confirmed the presence of a carbon–carbon double bond at δ 123.7 (C-4) and 171.6 (C-5) and the downfield chemical shift of C-5 (δ 171.6) also indicated the presence of the conjugate carbonyl function. On the basis of HMBC the vinyl proton (δ 5.72) showed correlations with C-2 (δ 33.9), C-3 (δ 199.6), C-6 (δ 32.9) and C-10 (δ 38.6) suggesting the presence of a double bond between C-4 and C-5. On the basis of its spectroscopic data and comparison with previously reported data (Della *et al.*, 1990), Compound CMD6 was identified as stigmast-4-en-3-one.

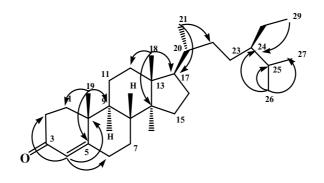


Figure 5 Selected HMBC correlations of CMD6

Table 5 1 H, 13 C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **CMD6** (CDCl₃) and stigmast-4-en-3-one (**R**, CDCl₃)

		δc /ppm		δ _H / ppn	n	
Position	Type of			(multiplicity,	J/Hz)	HMBC
	C	CMD6	R	CMD6	R	$H^1 \rightarrow ^{13}C$
1	CH_2	35.7	35.7	1.54 (m), 1.67 (m)	-	-
2	CH_2	33.9	33.9	2.28 (m), 2.50 (m)	-	-
3	С	199.6	198.9	-	-	-
4	СН	123.7	123.6	5.72 (br s)	5.74 (<i>d</i> , 2.2)	2, 3, 6, 10
5	C	171.6	171.0	-	-	-
6	CH_2	32.9	32.9	2.25 (m), 2.40 (m)	-	-
7	CH_2	32.1	32.1	1.10 (m), 1.85 (m)	-	-
8	СН	35.6	35.7	1.71 (m)	-	-
9	СН	53.8	53.8	0.92 (m)	-	-
10	С	38.6	38.6	-	-	-
11	CH_2	21.0	21.0	1.40 (m), 1.50 (m)	-	-
12	CH_2	39.6	39.5	1.15 (<i>m</i>), 2.04 (<i>m</i>)	-	-
13	C	42.4	42.4	-	-	-
14	СН	55.9	55.9	1.00 (m)	-	-
15	CH_2	24.2	24.1	1.23 (m), 1.29 (m)	-	-
16	CH_2	28.2	28.1	1.27 (<i>m</i>), 1.32 (<i>m</i>)	-	-

Table 5 (Continued)

		δc /ppm δ_H / ppm		ppm		
Position	Type of			(multipli	city, J/Hz)	НМВС
	C	CMD6	R	CMD6	R	$H^1 \rightarrow {}^{13}C$
17	СН	56.1	56.1	1.11 (m)	-	-
18	CH_3	12.0	12.0	0.71(s)	0.72(s)	12, 14, 17
19	CH_3	17.4	17.4	1.18 (s)	1.19 (s)	1, 5, 9, 10
20	СН	36.1	36.1	2.01 (m)	-	-
21	CH_3	18.7	18.7	0.92 (<i>d</i> , 6.3)	0.93 (<i>d</i> , 6.6)	17, 20, 22
22	CH_2	34.0	34.0	2.39 (m)	-	-
23	CH_2	26.1	26.0	1.17 (m)	-	-
24	СН	45.8	45.8	$0.93\ (m)$	-	-
25	СН	29.2	29.1	1.26 (m)	-	-
26	CH_3	19.8	19.8	0.85(d, 6.9)	0.84 (<i>d</i> , 6.8)	24, 25, 27
27	CH_3	19.0	19.2	0.84 (<i>d</i> , 6.6)	0.82 (<i>d</i> , 6.8.)	24, 25, 26
28	CH_2	23.1	23.1	1.29 (m)	-	-
29	CH_3	11.9	11.4	0.83 (<i>d</i> , 6.6)	0.85 (d, 7.2)	24, 28

1.3.1.6 Compound CMD7

Compound CMD7 was isolated as colorless viscous oil; $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: +12.5° (c = 0.8, CHCl₃). The absorption bands for IR and UV spectral data were similar to compound CMD6 with additional IR hydroxyl absorption at 3446 cm⁻¹.

The 1 H and 13 C NMR spectral data of compounds CMD6 and CMD7 showed structural similarity, except for additional signal for an oxymethine proton at δ 4.33 (H-6) in CMD7. The multiplicity of the oxymethine proton signal as a doublet of doublet of doublet ($J_{ax-ax} = 17.7$, $J_{ax-eq} = 5.7$, $J_{allylic} = 1.2$ Hz) from coupling with 2H-7 and H-4, indicated that H-6 was situated in an axial (β) position. The location of a hydroxyl group at C-6 was determined through an HMBC experiment in which the oxymethine proton signal at δ 4.33 (H-6) showed long-range correlations with C-3 (δ 198.5), C-4 (δ 118.7), C5 (δ 170.6), C-7 (δ 40.5), C-8 (δ 33.2) and C-10 (δ 38.0). Thus on the basis of its spectroscopic data and comparison with previously reported data (Della Greca *et al.*, 1990), compound CMD7 was assigned as $\delta\alpha$ -hydroxystigmast-4-en-3-one.

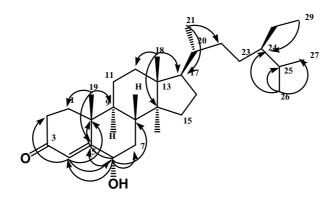


Figure 6 Selected HMBC correlations of CMD7

Table 6 ¹H, ¹³C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **CMD7** (CDCl₃) and 6α-hydroxystigmast-4-en-3-one (**R**, CDCl₃)

Position	Type of C	δc /ppm		δн / ppm (multiplicity, J/Hz)	HMBC ¹H→ ¹³C
	01 C	CMD7	R	CMD7	
1	CH_2	35.3	36.3	1.74 (<i>m</i>), 1.79 (<i>m</i>)	-
2	CH_2	32.9	34.1	2.32 (m), 2.38 (m)	-
3	С	198.5	202.9	-	-
4	СН	118.7	119.4	6.17 (<i>d</i> , 1.2)	2, 3, 6, 10
5	C	170.6	171.0	-	-
6	СН	67.7	68.7	4.33 (<i>ddd</i> , 17.7, 5.7, 1.2)	4, 5, 7, 8, 10
7	CH_2	40.5	39.4	1.08 (m), 2.15 (m)	-
8	СН	33.2	33.8	1.63 (m)	-
9	СН	52.8	53.7	0.95 (m)	-
10	C	38.0	39.3	-	-
11	CH_2	20.0	21.0	1.51 (<i>m</i>), 1.55 (<i>m</i>)	-
12	CH_2	38.5	39.4	2.02(m), 2.06(m)	-
13	C	41.5	41.5	-	-
14	СН	54.7	55.5	1.12 (m)	-
15	CH_2	23.2	24.4	1.12 (<i>m</i>), 1.64 (<i>m</i>)	-
16	CH_2	28.7	28.1	1.28 (m), 1.71 (m)	-

Table 6 (Continued)

Position Type of C		δc / _]	ppm	δн / ppm (multiplicity, J/Hz)	HMBC ¹H→ ¹³C
	oi C	CMD7 R		CMD7	
17	СН	55.0	55.9	1.16 (<i>m</i>)	-
18	CH_3	10.9	11.9	0.71 (s)	12, 14, 17
19	CH ₃	17.3	17.9	1.18 (s)	1, 5, 9, 10
20	СН	35.1	36.1	2.05 (m)	-
21	CH ₃	17.7	18.7	0.92 (d, 6.3)	17, 20, 22
22	CH_2	32.8	33.9	2.48 (m)	-
23	CH_2	27.1	26.1	0.88(m)	-
24	СН	44.8	45.8	0.97 (m)	-
25	СН	28.2	29.2	1.62 (m)	-
26	CH ₃	18.8	19.7	0.84 (<i>d</i> , 6.9)	24, 25, 27
27	CH ₃	18.0	19.0	0.81 (<i>d</i> , 6.6)	24, 25, 26
28	CH_2	22.1	23.1	1.18 (m)	-
29	CH ₃	11.0	11.9	0.85 (t, 6.9)	24, 28

1.3.1.7 Compound CMD8

Compound CMD8 was isolated as colorless viscous oil; $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: - 11.3°(c = 0.33, CHCl₃). Its IR spectrum showed absorption bands for a hydroxyl group at 3414 cm⁻¹.

The 13 C NMR spectral data recorded in CDCl₃ showed 28 signals for 28 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested a presence of six methyl (δ 12.9, 17.6, 18.2, 19.6, 19.9 and 20.9), seven methylene (δ 20.6, 23.4, 28.6, 30.1, 34.7, 37.0 and 39.4), eleven methine (δ 33.1, 39.7, 42.8, 51.1, 51.7, 56.2, 66.5, 130.8, 132.3, 135.2 and 135.4) and four quaternary carbons (δ 36.9, 44.6, 79.4 and 82.2). Two quaternary carbon signals at δ 82.2 and δ 79.4 were, respectively, assignable to C-5 and C-8 bearing a 5 α , 8 α -peroxide bonds.

The 1 H NMR spectral data showed characteristic of ergostane-type sterol as four methyl doublets at δ 0.82 (3H, J = 6.6 Hz, Me-26), 0.83 (3H, J = 6.6 Hz, Me-27), 0.91 (3H, J = 6.9 Hz, Me-28) and 1.01 (3H, J = 6.6 Hz, Me-21) and two methyl singlets at δ 0.82 (Me-18) and 0.88 (Me-19). Two parts of olefinic proton signals at δ 6.27 (H-6) and 6.50 (H-7) (each 1H, d, J = 8.7 Hz) and 5.14 (H-22) and 5.23 (H-23) (each 1H, dd, J = 15.3, 7.8 Hz) were attributable to Δ 6 and Δ 22 double bonds, respectively. The oxymethine proton signal at δ 3.97 (H-3, m) was assigned as H-3 α due to the absence of NOESY cross peak with 3H-19 (δ 0.88).

The location of the peroxide bond was confirmed by HMBC experiment in which the olefinic proton H-6 (δ 6.27) showed correlations with C-4 (δ 39.4), C-5 (δ 82.2) and C-8 (δ 79.4). The olefinic proton H-7 (δ 6.50) showed long-range correlations with C-5 (δ 82.2), C-8 (δ 79.4), C-9 (δ 51.1) and C-14 (δ 51.7). Thus on the basis of its spectroscopic data and comparison with those reported in the

literatures (Yue *et al.*, 2001, Rosecke *et al.*, 2000 and Daengrot 2006), compound CMD8 was, therefore, assigned as ergosterol peroxide.

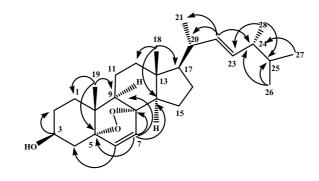


Figure 7 Selected HMBC correlations of CMD8

Table 7 ¹H, ¹³C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **CMD8** (CDCl₃) and ergosterol peroxide (**R**, CDCl₃)

		δc /p	pm	δ _H / ppn	1	HMBC
Position	Type of			(multiplicity,	J/Hz)	(CMD)
	C	CMD8	R	CMD8	R	$H^1 \rightarrow ^{13}C$
1	CH_2	30.1	30.2	1.56 (<i>m</i>), 1.85 (<i>m</i>)	-	-
2	CH_2	34.7	34.8	1.71 (m), 1.98 (m)	-	-
3	СН	66.5	66.5	3.97 (m)	3.97 (m)	2
4	CH_2	39.4	39.4	1.25 (<i>m</i>), 1.96 (<i>m</i>)	-	-
5	C	82.2	82.2	-	-	-
6	СН	135.4	135.2	6.27 (d, 8.7)	6.24 (<i>d</i> , 8.7)	4, 5, 8
7	СН	130.8	130.7	6.50 (d, 8.7)	6.51 (<i>d</i> , 8.7)	5, 8, 9, 14
8	C	79.4	79.4	-	-	-
9	СН	51.1	51.3	1.51 (m)	-	-
10	C	36.9	37.0	-	-	-
11	CH_2	20.6	20.7	1.42 (<i>m</i>), 1.61 (<i>m</i>)	-	-
12	CH_2	37.0	37.0	1.91 (<i>m</i>), 2.13 (<i>m</i>)	-	-
13	C	44.6	44.6	-	-	-

Table 7 (Continued)

		δc /ppm		$\delta_{\rm H}$ / pp	m	
Position	Type of	111		(multiplicity	, J/Hz)	HMBC
	C	CMD8	R	CMD8	R	$H^1 \rightarrow {}^{13}C$
14	CH	51.7	51.7	1.61 (<i>m</i>)	-	-
15	CH_2	23.4	23.4	1.24 (<i>m</i>), 1.53 (<i>m</i>)	-	-
16	CH_2	28.6	28.6	1.40 (<i>m</i>), 1.76 (<i>m</i>)	-	-
17	СН	56.2	56.2	1.24 (m)	-	-
18	CH_3	12.9	12.9	0.82(s)	0.82(s)	12, 14, 17
19	CH_3	18.2	18.2	0.88 (s)	0.88(s)	1, 5, 9
20	CH	39.7	39.7	2.04 (m)	-	-
21	CH_3	20.9	20.9	1.01 (<i>d</i> , 6.6)	0.91 (<i>d</i> , 6.6)	17, 20, 22
22	CH	135.2	135.2	5.14 (<i>dd</i> , 15.3, 7.8)	5.22 (<i>dd</i> ,	20, 21, 24
					15.3, 8.2)	
23	CH	132.3	132.3	5.23 (dd, 15.3, 7.8)	5.14 (<i>dd</i> ,	20, 24, 28
					15.3, 7.6)	
24	CH	42.8	42.8	1.87 (m)	-	-
25	CH	33.1	33.1	1.49 (m)	-	-
26	CH_3	19.6	19.6	0.82 (d, 6.6)	0.82 (d, 6.6)	24, 25, 27
27	CH_3	19.9	19.9	0.83 (d, 6.6)	0.82 (d, 6.6)	24, 25, 26
28	CH_2	17.6	17.6	0.91 (<i>d</i> , 6.9)	1.00 (<i>d</i> , 6.6)	23, 25

1.3.1.8 Compound CMD9

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Compound CMD9 was isolated as a white solid. mp. 144-146 °C, $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: +12.1° (c = 0.05, CHCl₃). Its IR spectrum showed absorption bands for carbonyl group at 1708 cm⁻¹ and double bond at 1630 cm⁻¹.

The 13 C NMR spectral data recorded in CDCl₃ showed 27 signals for 27 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested a presence of five methyl (δ 11.9, 12.4, 18.9, 22.6 and 22.8), eleven methylene (δ 21.7, 23.0, 24.0, 27.9, 30.1, 36.1, 38.1, 38.8, 39.5(x2) and 44.2), seven methine (δ 28.0, 36.5, 42.9, 48.9, 55.0, 56.2 and 117.0) and four quaternary carbons (δ 34.4, 43.4, 139.6 and 212.0).

The 1 H NMR spectral data displayed a downfield vinyl proton at δ 5.19 (H-7). The 13 C NMR spectrum confirmed the presence of a carbon–carbon double bond at δ 117.0 (C-7) and 139.6 (C-8). On the basis of HMBC the vinyl proton H-7 (δ 5.19) showed correlations with C-5 (δ 42.9), C-6 (δ 30.1), C-9 (δ 48.9) and C-14 (δ 55.0) suggesting the presence of a double bond between C-7 and C-8. On the basis of its spectroscopic data and comparison with previously reported data (Dolle *et al.*, 1991), Compound CMD9 was identified as $\delta\alpha$ -cholest-7-en-3-one.

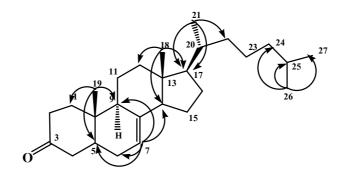


Figure 8 Selected HMBC correlations of CMD9

Table 8 1 H, 13 C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **CMD9** (CDCl₃) and 5α -cholest-7-en-3-one (**R**, CDCl₃)

Position	Type of	δc /ppm		δ _H / ppm (multiplicity, J/Hz)	НМВС
		CMD9	R	CMD9	$H^1 \rightarrow ^{13}C$
1	CH_2	38.8	38.2	2.28 (m), 2.48 (m)	-
2	CH_2	39.5	39.6	1.22 (m), 2.22 (m)	-
3	C	212.0	211.8	-	-
4	CH_2	44.2	44.3	2.34 (m), 2.90 (m)	-
5	СН	42.9	43.0	1.83 (m)	-
6	CH_2	30.1	30.2	1.03 (m), 1.72 (m)	-
7	СН	117.0	117.0	5.19 (br s)	5, 6, 9, 14
8	C	139.6	139.6	-	-
9	СН	48.9	49.0	1.72 (m)	-
10	C	34.4	34.5	-	-
11	CH_2	21.7	21.8	1.57 (<i>m</i>), 2.10 (<i>m</i>)	-
12	CH_2	38.1	38.9	1.28 (<i>m</i>), 1.35 (<i>m</i>)	-
13	C	43.4	43.5	-	-
14	СН	55.0	55.1	1.82 (m)	-
15	CH_2	23.0	23.0	1.38 (<i>m</i>), 1.52 (<i>m</i>)	-
16	CH_2	27.9	28.0	1.23 (m), 1.91 (m)	-

Table 8 (Continued)

Position	Type of	δc /ppm		$\delta_{\rm H}$ / ppm (multiplicity, J/Hz)	НМВС
	C	CMD9	R	CMD9	$H^1 \Rightarrow^{13} C$
17	СН	56.2	56.3	1.22 (m)	-
18	CH_3	11.9	11.9	0.56(s)	12, 13, 14, 17
19	CH_3	12.4	12.5	1.02 (s)	1, 5, 9, 10
20	СН	36.5	36.2	1.10 (m)	-
21	CH_3	18.9	18.9	0.92 (<i>d</i> , 6.6)	17, 20, 22
22	CH_2	36.1	36.2	1.38 (m)	-
23	CH_2	24.0	24.0	1.17 (m)	-
24	CH_2	39.5	39.6	2.10 (m)	-
25	СН	28.0	28.0	1.90 (m)	-
26	CH_3	22.6	22.6	0.87 (d, 6.6)	24, 25, 27
27	CH_3	22.8	22.8	0.87 (d, 6.6)	24, 25, 26

1.3.1.9 Compound CMD10

Compound CMD10 was obtained as a white solid. mp. 149-150 °C, [α] $_{\rm D}$ 28 : +7.0° (c = 0.04, CHCl₃). The IR spectrum showed absorption band of a hydroxyl group at 3424 cm⁻¹.

The 13 C NMR spectral data recorded in CDCl₃ showed 28 signals for 28 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested the presence of six methyl (δ 11.9, 14.2, 15.2, 18.9, 22.6 and 22.8), ten methylene (δ 21.4, 22.9, 23.9, 26.7, 28.0, 31.0, 36.2, 37.0, 39.5 and 39.6), nine methine (δ 28.0, 36.2, 40.3, 46.7, 49.7, 55.0, 56.2, 76.3 and 117.5) and three quaternary carbons (δ 34.9, 43.4 and 139.2).

The 1 H NMR spectral data showed two methyl singlets at δ 0.52 and 0.83, four methyl doublets at δ 0.86, 0.87, 0.92 and 0.99 and a vinyl proton at δ 5.18 (1H, dd, J = 5.18, 1.5 Hz, H-7). The 13 C NMR spectral data confirmed the presence of a carbon-carbon double bond at δ 117.5 (C-7) and 139.2 (C-8). The doublet of doublet splitting pattern of H-3 at δ 3.12 (1H, dd, J = 10.5, 4.5 Hz) indicated its (α) orientation.

On the basis of HMBC the vinyl proton H-7 (δ 5.18) showed correlations with C-5 (δ 46.7), C-6 (δ 26.7), C-9 (δ 49.7) and C-14 (δ 55.0), suggesting the presence of a double bond between C-7 and C-8. Thus on the basis of its spectroscopic data and comparison with those reported in the literatures (Farines *et al.*, 1988), compound CMD10 was therefore assigned as lophenol.

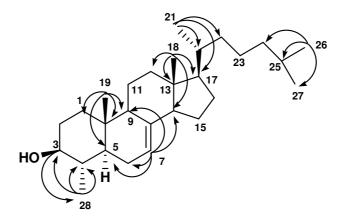


Figure 9 Selected HMBC correlations of CMD10

Table 9 1 H, 13 C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **CMD10** (CDCl₃) and lophenol (**R**, CDCl₃)

Position	Type of	δc /ppm	δ _H /]		
			(multiplic	HMBC	
	C	CMD10	CMD10	R	$H^1 \Rightarrow {}^{13}C$
1	CH_2	37.0	1.83 (<i>m</i>), 1.13 (<i>m</i>)	-	-
2	CH_2	31.0	1.80(m), 1.45(m)	-	-
3	СН	76.3	3.12 (dd, 10.5, 4.5)	3.12 (<i>dd</i> , 10.6, 4.7)	28
4	CH	40.3	1.33 (m)	-	-
5	СН	46.7	1.12 (m)	-	-
6	CH_2	26.7	1.60(m), 2.10(m)	5.18 (<i>d</i> , 5.2)	-
7	СН	117.5	5.18 (dd, 5.8, 1.5)	-	5, 6, 9, 14
8	C	139.2	-	-	-
9	СН	49.7	$1.62\ (m)$	-	-
10	C	34.9	-	-	-
11	CH_2	22.9	1.53 (m), 1.32 (m)	-	-
12	CH_2	39.5	1.12 (m), 1.35 (m)	-	-
13	C	43.4	-	-	-
14	СН	55.0	1.81 (m)	-	-
15	CH_2	23.9	1.15 (m), 1.52 (m)	-	-
16	CH_2	28.0	$1.28\ (m), 1.91\ (m)$	-	-

Table 9 (Continued)

Position	Type of δc /pp		δ _H / p (multiplici	НМВС	
	C	CMD10	CMD10	R	$H^1 \rightarrow {}^{13}C$
17	CH	56.2	1.20~(m)	-	-
18	CH_3	11.9	0.52(s)	0.53 (s)	12, 13, 14, 17
19	CH_3	14.2	0.83(s)	0.83 (s)	1, 5, 9, 10
20	CH	36.2	1.23 (m)	-	-
21	CH_3	18.9	0.92 (<i>d</i> , 6.3)	0.99 (d, 6.3)	17, 20, 22
22	CH_2	36.2	1.34 (<i>m</i>)	-	-
23	CH_2	39.6	1.21 (m)	-	-
24	CH_2	21.4	1.55 (m)	-	-
25	СН	28.0	1.85 (m)	-	-
26	CH_3	22.6	0.87 (<i>d</i> , 6.6)	0.87 (d, 6.5)	24, 25, 27
27	CH_3	22.8	0.86 (<i>d</i> , 6.6)	0.86 (d, 6.5)	24, 25, 26
28	CH ₃	15.2	0.99 (d, 6.3)	0.92 (d, 5.8)	3, 4, 5

1.3.1.10 Compound CMD11

Compound CMD11 was obtained as a colorless viscous oil, $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: - 122° (c = 0.03, CHCl₃) It exhibited UV absorption bands at 208, 248 and 323 nm for benzene chromophore. The IR spectrum showed absorption bands at 3290 and 1669 cm⁻¹ indicating the presence of hydroxyl and chelated carbonyl groups, respectively.

The 13 C NMR spectral data displayed 15 signals for 15 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested the presence of two methyl (δ 18.1 and 20.9), one methylene (δ 31.9), three methine (δ 75.4, 115.7 and 137.4) and five quaternary carbons (δ 108.1, 134.9, 137.0, 160.6 and 170.3).

The ¹H NMR spectral data consisted of signals for two *ortho*-coupled aromatic protons of a 1,2,3,4-tetrasubstituted benzene at δ 6.82 (1H, d, J = 8.4 Hz, H-7) and 7.29 (1H, d, J = 8.4 Hz, H-6), one oxymethine proton at δ 4.68 (1H, ddq, J = 16.8, 11.4, 3.6 Hz, H-3), one methylene group at δ 2.72 (1H, dd, J = 16.8, 11.4 Hz, H-4) and 2.95 (1H, dd, J = 16.8, 3.6 Hz, H-4) and two methyl groups at δ 1.55 (3H, d, J = 6.0 Hz, Me-10) and 2.20 (3H, s, Me-9)

The locations of the two methyl groups (Me-9 and Me-10) at C-3 and C-5, respectively were deduced from HMBC correlations of Me-9 (δ 1.55) with C-3 (δ 75.4) and C-4 (δ 31.9) and of Me-10 (δ 2.20) with C-5 (δ 134.9), C-4a (δ 137.0) and C-6 (δ 137.4). On the basis of the above results and comparison with the reported data of 5-methylmellein [Cambie *et al.*, 1991], compound CMD11 was therefore assigned as 5-methylmellein.

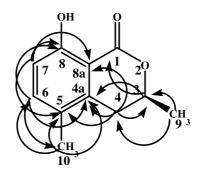


Figure 10 Selected HMBC correlations of CMD11

Table 10 1 H, 13 C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **CMD11** (CDCl₃) and 5-methylmellein (**R**, CDCl₃)

Position	Type of C	δ _c /ppm		δ_{H} / ppm (multiplicity, J/Hz)		$\begin{array}{c} HMBC \\ H^{1} \rightarrow {}^{13}C \end{array}$
		CMD11	R	CMD11	R	-
1	С	170.3	170.4	-	-	-
2	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	СН	75.4	75.4	4.68 (<i>ddq</i> , 16.8,	4.69 (<i>ddq</i> , 16.6,	1, 4a
				11.4, 3.6)	11.4, 3.4)	
4	CH_2	31.9	31.9	2.72 (<i>dd</i> ,	2.72 (<i>dd</i> ,	3, 4a, 5, 8a
				16.8, 11.4),	11.6, 16.6),	
				2.95 (dd,	2.95 (dd,	
				16.8, 3.6)	16.6, 3.4)	
4a	C	137.0	137.1	-	-	-
5	C	134.9	134.9	-	-	-
6	СН	137.4	137.9	7.29 (d, 8.4)	7.29 (d, 8.5)	4a, 8, 10
7	СН	115.7	115.7	6.82 (<i>d</i> , 8.4)	6.82 (<i>d</i> , 8.5)	5, 8, 8a
8	C	160.6	160.5	-	-	-
8a	C	108.1	108.1	-	-	-
9	CH_3	20.9	20.9	1.55 (<i>d</i> , 6.0)	1.55 (<i>d</i> , 6.3)	3, 4
10	CH ₃	18.1	16.1	2.20 (s)	2.20 (s)	5, 4a, 6

1.3.1.11 Compound CMD12

Compound CMD12 was obtained as a white solid. It exhibited UV absorption bands at 248 and 371 nm for benzene chromophore. The IR spectrum showed absorption bands at 3400 and 1744 cm⁻¹ indicating the presence of hydroxyl and carbonyl groups, respectively.

The 13 C NMR spectral data displayed 17 signals for 17 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested the presence of three methyl (δ 56.8, 61.5 and 61.8), two aromatic methine (δ 107.7 and 112.8) and 12 quaternary carbons (δ 111.7, 112.0, 112.7, 114.0, 140.7, 141.0, 141.4, 141.8, 152.8, 154.0, 158.7 and 159.1).

The 1 H NMR spectral data consisted of signals for two *singlets* aromatic protons at δ 7.68 (1H, s, H-5) and 7.64 (1H, s, H-5'), three methoxyl groups at δ 4.17 (3H, s, 3-OMe), 4.04 (3H, s, 4-OMe) and 4.19 (3H, s, 3'-OMe).

The locations of the two aromatic protons (H-5 and H-5') were deduced from HMBC correlations of H-5 (δ 7.68) with C-3 (δ 141.8), C-4 (δ 154.0), C-6 (δ 114.0) and C-7 (δ 159.1) and of H-5' (δ 7.64) with C-1' (δ 111.7), C-3' (δ 140.7), C-4' (δ 152.8) and C-7' (δ 158.7). On the basis of the above results and comparison with the reported data of 3,4,3'-tri-O-methylellagic acid [Bai *et al.*, 2008], compound CMD12 was assigned as 3,4,3'-tri-O-methylellagic acid.

Figure 11 Selected HMBC correlations of CMD12

Table 11 ¹H, ¹³C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **CMD12** (CDCl₃+DMSO-d₆) and 3,4,3'-tri-O-methylellagic acid (**R**, CDCl₃)

Position	Type of C	δc /ppm		$\delta_{\rm H}$ / ppm (multiplicity, J/Hz)		$\begin{array}{c} HMBC \\ H^1 \rightarrow {}^{13}C \end{array}$
		CMD12	R	CMD12	R	
1	С	112.0	107.4	-	-	-
2	С	141.4	141.2	-	-	-
3	С	141.8	141.1	-	-	-
4	С	154.0	153.7	-	-	-
5	СН	107.7	107.4	7.68 (s)	7.51 (s)	3, 4, 6, 7
6	С	114.0	113.5	-	-	-
7	С	159.1	158.6	-	-	-
1′	C	111.7	107.4	-	-	-
2′	C	141.0	140.6	-	-	-
3′	С	140.7	140.3	-	-	-
4′	C	152.8	153.2	-	-	-
5′	СН	112.8	111.8	7.64 (s)	7.60 (s)	1', 3' ,4' ,7'
6′	С	112.7	112.5	-	-	-
7′	С	158.7	153.7	-	-	-
3-OMe	CH ₃	61.8	61.3	4.17 (s)	4.03 (s)	3
4-OMe	CH ₃	56.8	56.7	4.04 (s)	3.99 (s)	4
3'-OMe	CH ₃	61.5	60.9	4.19 (s)	4.05 (s)	3′

1.3.1.12 Compound CMD13

Compound CMD13 was obtained as a colorless viscous oil, [α] $_D$ ²⁸: - 47.7° (c = 0.07, CHCl $_3$) The IR spectrum showed absorption band for a hydroxyl at 3453 cm⁻¹. The UV spectrum showed absorption maxima at 207 and 270 nm.

The 13 C NMR spectral data displayed 20 signals for 20 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested the presence of four aromatic methine carbons (δ 92.0, 93.0 and 104.0 (x2)), two oxymethine carbons (δ 68.4 and 82.2), a methylene carbon (δ 22.8), eight quaternary aromatic carbons (δ 101.1, 133.4, 138.2, 153.6 (x2), 155.2, 158.8 and 159.8) and five methoxyl carbons (δ 55.4, 55.5, 56.2 and 60.8 (x2)).

The ¹H NMR spectral data suggested the presence of four aromatic protons (δ 6.12, 6.15 and 6.68 (x2)), two methine protons (δ 4.08 and 4.63), two methylene protons (δ 2.60 and 3.10) and five methoxyl groups at δ 3.76, 3.81, 3.86 (x2) and 3.88 (each 3H, s, OCH₃). Two doublet resonances at δ 6.12 and 6.15 with the coupling constant of 2.1 Hz corresponded to the resonances of meta protons H-6 and H-8, respectively. A singlet at δ 6.68 were assigned for the resonances of H-2' and H-6'. The spectra further showed the resonances of H-2 (δ 4.63, d, d = 8.4 Hz), H-3 (m) and 2H-4 (δ 2.60, dd, d = 16.3, 9.0 Hz and 3.10, dd, d = 16.3, 6.0 Hz).

The downfield chemical shift of H-2 (δ 4.63) and H-3 (δ 4.08) indicated that these two protons were next to oxygen-bearing carbons. From NOESY experiment, the methine proton at δ 4.63 (H-2) showed no cross peak with H-3 supporting that H-2 and H-3 were *trans*. From comparison of the reported data of gallocatechin (Foo *et al.*, 2000), compound CMD13 was therefore assigned as 5,7,3',4',5'-penta-O-methylgallocatechin.

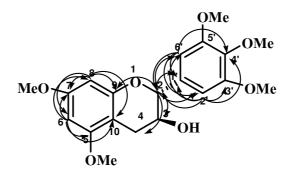


Figure 12 Selected HMBC correlations of CMD13

Table 12 ¹H, ¹³C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compound **CMD13** (CDCl₃) and comparison with ¹H NMR of gallocatechin.

Position	Туре	δc /ppm	δ _H / ppm multi	δ _H / ppm multiplicity, J/Hz)		
	of C	CMD13	CMD13	Gallocatechin	$H^1 \rightarrow^{13}C$	
1	_	_	_	_	_	
2	СН	82.2	4.63 (<i>d</i> , 8.4)	4.55 (<i>d</i> , 7.2)	3, 4, 9, 1', 2', (6')	
3	СН	68.4	4.08 (m)	3.97 (m)	1', 10	
4	CH ₂	22.8	2.60 (<i>dd</i> , 16.3, 9.0)	2.4-2.9 (m)	2, 5, 9, 10	
	2		3.10 (<i>dd</i> , 16.3, 6.0)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	, , ,	
5	C	158.8	-		-	
6	СН	92.0	6.12 (<i>d</i> , 2.1)	5.94 (<i>dd</i> , 2.2)	5, 7, 8, 10	
7	С	159.8	-		-	
8	СН	93.0	6.15 (<i>d</i> , 2.1)	5.88 (<i>d</i> , 2.2)	6, 7, 9, 10	
9	C	155.2	-		-	
10	C	101.1	-		-	
1′	С	133.4	-		-	
2', 6'	СН	104.0	6.68 (s)	6.4 (s)	2, 1', 3', 4'	
3', 5'	C	153.6	-	-	-	
4′	C	138.2	-	-	-	
5-OMe	CH_3	55.5	3.81 (s)	-	5	
7-OMe	CH ₃	55.4	3.76 (s)	-	7	
3′, 5′-OMe	CH_3	60.8	3.88 (s)	-	3', 5'	
4'-OMe	CH ₃	56.2	3.86 (s)	-	4′	

CHAPTER 2.1

Introduction

2.1.1 Introduction

Michelia alba DC. (M. longifolia B.) is a member of the Magnoliaceae family and called "champee" in Thailand (Smitinand, 2001). The genus Michelia contains about 50 species. Michelia species have been used for the treatment of cancer, for example M. champaca has been used in India for the treatment of abdominal tumors whereas M. hypoleuca and M. officinalis for carcinomatous sores and leukemia, respectively (Chen et al., 2008). In the previous report, parthenolide and costunolide have been isolated from the chloroform extract of the fresh bark of Michelia longifolia Blume. Parthenolide displayed significant activity against the human laryngeal epidermoid carcinoma (ED₅₀ = 0.76) and the 9KB cell culture system (ED₅₀ = 0.45). Costunolide showed reproducible inhibitory activity against the KB cell culture of a human carcinoma of the nasopharynx (Likhitwitayawuid et al., 1998).

M. alba is an evergreen tropical tree from Southeast Asia, 10-12 m tall. The bark is distinct ridges and brown color. Leaves are single arrange alternate oval, length 20 cm, width 8 cm. The flowers are fragrant white and have 8-12 petals.



Figure 13 Different parts of Michelia alba DC.

2.1.2 Review of Literatures

Chemical constituents isolated from the ten species of this genus were summarized in **Table 13**. Information obtained from SciFinder Scholar copyright in 2009 will be presented and classified into groups: monoterpenoids, sesquiterpenoids, triterpenoids, alkaloids, steroids, amide, lignin, benzenoids and aliphatic.

 Table 13
 Compounds from plants of Michelia genus

a: aliphatic b: steroids

c: amide d: triterpenoids

e: sesquiterpenoids f: monoterpenoids

g: lignin h: alkaloids

i: benzenoids

Scientific name	Part	Compounds	Bibliography
M. alba	Not specified	oxoushinsunin, 1h	Yang et al.,
		ushinsunin, 2h	1962
		norushinsunin, 3h	
	Not specified	dehydrolinalool oxide, 1f	
		costunolide, 1e	Asaruddin <i>et</i>
		caryophyllene oxide, 2e	al., 2003
		dihydrocostunolide, 3e	
		dihydroparthenolide, 4e	
		parthenolide, 5e	
	Leaves	(-)-anonaine, 4h	
		(-)-norushinsunine, 5h	Chen et al.,
		(-)-ushinsunine, 6h	2008
		(-)-N-acetylanonaine, 7h	
		liriodenine, 8h	
		oxoxylopine, 9h	
		michelenolide, 6e	
		costunolide, 1e	
		11,13-dehydrolanuginolide, 7e	
		<i>N-trans</i> -feruloyltyramine, 1c	
		(+)-syringaresinol, 1g	

	Part	Compounds	Bibliography
name			
M. alba	Leaves	4-hydroxybenzaldehyde, 1i	Chen et al.,
		4-hydroxybenzoic acid, 2i	2008
		methylparaben, 3i	
		β-sitosterol, 1b	
		stigmasterol, 2b	
		palmitic acid, 1a	
		stearic acid, 2a	
		linoleic acid, 3a	
	Flower	eugenol methyl ether, 4i	Hung et al.,
		camphene, 2f	2009
		α-pinene, 3f	
		caryophyllene, 8e	
		germacrene D, 9e	
		estragole, 5i	
		spathulenol, 10e	
		α -humulene, 11e	
		eucalyptol, 4f	
M. fuscata	Not specified	deacetyllanuginolide, 12e	Iida <i>et al.</i> , 1982
		michefuscalide, 13e	11dd et at., 1502
		azuleno[4,5-b]furan-2(3H)-one, 15e	
		michefuscalide, 13e	
		lipiferolide, 17e	
		(-)-syringaresinol, 2g	
	Not specified	tribenzylmagnolamine, 10h	Tanaka et al.,
		tri-o-ethylmagnolamine, 11h	1981
		coclaurine, 12h	
		reticuline, 13h	
		magnolamine, 14h	

Scientific name	Part	Compounds	Bibliography
M. fuscata	Leaves	thalictrine picrate, 15h D-(-)-2,2-dimethylcoclaurinium picrate, 16h (-)-magnocurarine, 17h α-magnoflorine, 18h	Yakugaku <i>et</i> al., 1959
	Not specified	magnolamine, 14h (+)-armepavine, 19h tri-o-methylmagnolamine, 20h o-methylcodamine, 21h magnolamine, 14h evoeuropine, 22h magnolin, 23h	Ito et al., 1959 Aleshinskaya et al, 1957
M. hydyosperma	Not specified	β-pinene, 5f α-terpineol, 6f safrole, 6i	Liu et al., 2007
	Fruit	methyl eugenol ether, 7i epi-α-Selinene, 18e β-sesquiphellandrene, 19e α-cubebene, 20e α-bergamotene, 21e eudesma-4(14),11-diene, 22e α-muurolene, 23e α-caryophyllene, 24e copaene, 25e β-phellandrene, 16f β-elemene, 8f β-bisabolene, 26e δ-cadinene, 27e	

Scientific name	Part	Compounds	Bibliography
M. hydyosperma	Fruit	eucalyptol, 9f	Liu et al.,
	Not specified	(+)-limonene, 10f	2007
		safrole, 6i	Wu et al.,
		methyl eugenol ether, 7i	1981
M. lacei	Branches	(+)-alloaromadendrane-4α,10β-	Chen et al.,
		diol, 28e	2002
		D-aromadendrane-4β,10α-diol, 29e	
		parthenolide, 5e	
		spathulenol, 30e	
		syringin, 8i	
M. lanuginose	Bark	(-)-parthenolide, 5e	Talapatra <i>et</i>
		11βH,13-dihydroparthenolide, 4e	al., 1978
	Bark	michelanugine, 24h	Talapatra <i>et</i>
		N,O- diacetylmichelanugine, 25h	al., 1975
		oxoushinsunine, 1h	
		oxoxylopine, 9h	Cao et al.,
M. maudiae	Leaves	(±)-γ-cadinene, 31e	2007
		γ-murolene, 32e	
		4-carene, 11f	
		l-alloaromadendrene, 33e	
		l-terpinen-4-ol, 12f	
		β-cubebene, 34e	

Scientific name	Part	Compounds	Bibliography
M. maudiae	Leaves	(±)-3-carene, 13f	Cao et al., 2007
		(R)-(+)- α -pinene, 3f	
		α-caryophyllene, 24e	
		espatulenol, 35e	
		(+)-limonene, 10f	
		α-copaene, 25e	
		elixene, 14f	
		β-caryophyllene oxide, 36e	
		δ-terpinene, 15f	
		(+)-ledol, 37e	
		β-phellandrene, 16f	
		(-)-β-cadinene, 38e	
		β-elemene, 39e	
		2-borneol, 17f	
		α-gurjunene, 40e	
		(+)-aromadendrene, 41e	
		β-selinenol, 42e	
		eucalyptol, 4f	
		β-pinene, 5f	
		γ-caryophyllen, 43e	
		γ-terpinene, 18f	
		α-terpineol, 6f	
		3,3-dimethyl-2- methylenenorbornane, 7f	

Scientific name	Part	Compounds	Bibliography
M. maudiae	Leaves	β-caryophyllene, 44e	Cao et al., 2007
M. montana	Bark	safrole, 6i	Dutta et al.,
		sarisan, 9i	1987
	Leaves	asaricin, 10i	Van Genderren
		α-asaron, 11i	et al., 1999
		myristicin, 12i	
		safrole, 6i	
		eugenyl methyl ether, 13i	
M. nilagirica	Root Bark	parthenolide, 5e	Kumar et al.,
		costunolide, 1e	1995
M najanjana	Bark	(-)-parthenolide, 5e	Ruangrungsi et
M. rajaniana		oxoushinsunine, 1h	al., 1988
M. szechuanica	Aerial part	sphaelactone A, 45e	Lin et al., 1999
		3,4-divanilyltetrahydrofuran, 3g	
		(-)-syringaresinol, 2g	
		sinapaldehyde, 14i	
		syringaldehyde, 15i	
M. yunnanennsis	Flower	(+)-methylxanthoxylol, 4g	Xiong et al.,
		horsfieldin, 5g	2008
		(-)-sesamin, 6g	
		(-)-eudesmin, 7g	
	Not specified	1β-hydroxyarbusculin A , 46e	Hong et al.,
		reinosin, 47e	1998
		(-)-parthenolide, 5e	
		oleanolic acid, 1d	
		syringaldehyde, 15i	
	Not	12,13-di-acetoxy-1,4,6,11-	Hong et al.,
	specified	eudesmanetetrol, 48e	1998

Structures

a: aliphatic

1a: palmitic acid

2a: stearic acid

$$_{\mathrm{HO_{2}C}}$$
 $^{\mathrm{(CH_{2})_{7}}}$ $^{\mathrm{(CH_{2})_{4}}}$ $^{\mathrm{Me}}$

3a: linoleic acid

b: steroids

1b: β-sitosterol

2b: stigmasterol

c: amide

1c: N-trans-feruloyltyramine

d: triterpenoids

1d: oleanolic acid

1e: costunolide

3e: dihydrocostunolide

5e: parthenolide

7e: 11,13-dehydrolanuginolide

9e: germacrene D

2e: caryophyllene oxide

4e: dihydroparthenolide

6e: michelenolide

8e: caryophyllene

10e: spathulenol

11e: α-humulene

13e: michefuscalide

15e: azuleno[4,5-b]furan-2(3H)-one

17e: lipiferolide

19e: β-sesquiphellandrene

12e: deacetyllanuginolide

14e: 11,13-dihydrostizolin

16e: β-cyclolipiferolide

18e: epi-α-selinene

20e: α-cubebene

21e: α -bergamotene

23e: α-muurolene

25e: copaene

27e: δ -cadinene

29e: D-aromadendrane- 4β , 10α -diol

22e: eudesma-4(14),11-diene

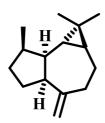
24e: α-caryophyllene

26e: β-bisabolene

28e: (+)-alloaromadendrane- 4α , 10β -diol

30e: spathulenol

31e: (\pm) - γ -cadinene



33e: l-alloaromadendrene

35e: espatulenol

37e: (+)-ledol

39e: β-elemene

32e: γ-murolene

34e: β-cubebene

36e: β-caryophyllene oxide

38e: (-)-β-cadinene

40e: α-gurjunene

41e: (+)-aromadendrene

43e: γ-caryophyllen

45e: sphaelactone A

47e: reinosin

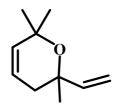
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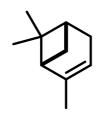
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48e: 12,13-di-acetoxy-1,4,6,11-eudesmanetetrol

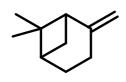
f: monoterpenoids



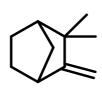
1f: dehydrolinalool oxide



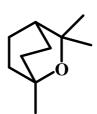
3f: α-pinene



5f: β -pinene



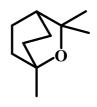
7f: 3,3-dimethyl-2-methylenenorbornane



9f: eucalyptol

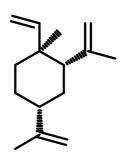


2f: camphene



4f: eucalyptol

6f: α-terpineol



8f: β -elemene

10f: (+)-limonene

f: monoterpenoids

$$\times \bigcirc$$

11f: 4-carene

$$\times$$

13f: 3-carene

15f: δ-terpinene

17f: 2-borneol

g: lignin

1g: syringaresinol

12f: l-terpinen-4-ol

14f: elixene

16f: β -phellandrene

18f: γ-terpinene

2g: (-)-syringaresinol

g: lignin

5g: horsfieldin

7g: (-)-eudesmin

4g: (+)-methylxanthoxylol

6g: (-)-sesamin

h: alkaloids

1h: oxoushinsunin

2h: ushinsunin

3h: norushinsunin

4h: $R_1 = R_2 = R_3 = H$

4h: (-)-anonaine

5h: $R_1 = R_2 = H$, $R_3 = OH$

5h: (-)-norushinsunine

6h: $R_1 = CH_3$, $R_2 = H$, R = OH

6h: (-)-ushinsunine

7h: $R = COCH_3$, $R_2 = R_3 = H$

7h: (-)-*N*-acetylanonaine

8h: R = H

8h: liriodenine

9h: R = OH

9h: oxoxylopine

h: alkaloids

Ph.

MeC

10h: tribenzylmagnolamine

12h: coclaurine

14h: magnolamine

15h: thalictrine picrate

16h: D-(-)-2,2-dimethylcoclaurinium picrate

17h: (-)-magnocurarine

h: alkaloids

18h: α-magnoflorine

19h: (+)-armepavine

20h: tri-O-methylmagnolamine

21h: O-methylcodamine

22h: evoeuropine

23h: magnolin

24h: michelanugine

25h: N,O-diacetylmichelanugine

i: benzenoids

1i: R = H

1i: 4-hydroxybenzaldehyde

2i: R = OH

2i: 4-hydroxybenzoic acid

3i: $R = OCH_3$

3i: methylparaben

4i: eugenol methyl ether

5i: estragole

6i: safrole

7i: methyl eugenol ether

8i: syringing

9i: sarisan

10i: asaricin

11i: α-asaron

i: benzenoids

12i: myristicin

13i: eugenyl methyl ether

14i: sinapaldehyde

15i: syringaldehyde

2.1.3 Objective

This part of research work involved isolation, purification and structure elucidation of chemical constituents from the root of *Michelia alba*.

CHAPTER 2.2 EXPERIMENTAL

2.2.1 Instruments and Chemicals

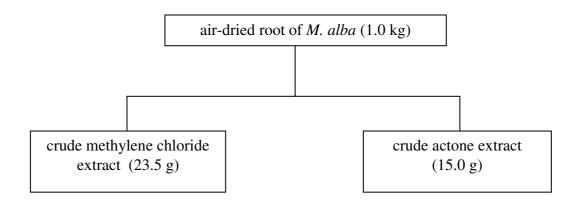
Melting points were determined on the Fisher-John melting point apparatus. The UV spectra were measured with a SPECORD S 100 (Analytikjena) and principle bands (λ_{max}) were recorded as wavelengths (nm) and log ε in MeOH solution. The optical rotation [α]_D was measured in chloroform and methanol solution with Sodium D line (590 nm) on a JASCO P-1020 digital polarimeter. The IR spectra were measured with a Perkin-Elmer FTS FT-IR spectrophotometer. NMR spectra were recorded using 300 MHz Bruker FTNMR Ultra ShieldTM spectrometers in acetone- d_6 and CDCl₃ with TMS as the internal standard. Chemical shifts are reported in δ (ppm) and coupling constants (J) are expressed in hertz. EI and HRFAB mass spectra were measured on a Kratos MS 25 RFA spectrometer. Solvents for extraction and chromatography were distilled at their boiling point ranges prior to use except chloroform was analytical grade reagent. Quick column chromatography (QCC) and column chromatography (CC) were carried out on silica gel 60 H (Merck) and silica gel 100 (Merck), respectively.

2.2.2 Plant Material

The root of *M. alba* was collected from Chumphon province in the southern part of Thailand, in May 2008. Identification was made by Assoc. Prof. Dr. Kitichate Sridith and a specimen (No. 0013594) deposited at PSU Herbarium, Department of Biology, Faculty of Science, Prince of Songkla University.

2.2.3 Extraction and Isolation

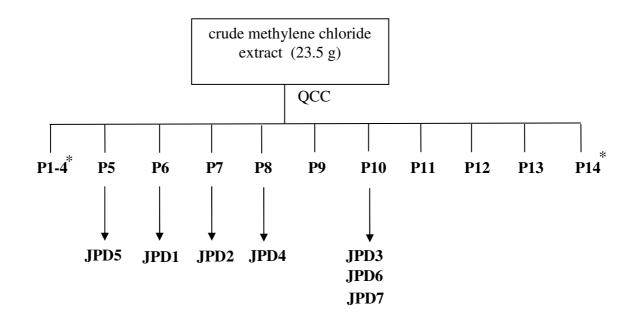
The chopped air-dried root of *M. alba* (1.0 kg) was successively extracted with methylene chloride and acetone (one week for each solvent) at room temperature. The solvent was evaporated under reduced pressure to give crude methylene chloride extract as green viscous residue (23.5 g) and crude acetone extract (15.0 g), respectively. The process of extraction was shown in **Scheme 4.**



Scheme 4. Extraction of the root of *M. alba*

2.2.4 Isolation and Chemical Investigation

2.2.4.1 Investigation of the crude methylene chloride extract from the root of *M. alba*



*No further investigation

Scheme 5 Isolation of compounds JPD1- JPD7 from the methylene chloride extract

The crude methylene chloride extract as green viscous residue (23.5 g) was subjected to quick column chromatography over silica gel using solvent of increasing polarity from hexane through EtOAc. The eluates were collected and combined based on TLC characteristics to give fourteen fractions (P1-P14).

Fraction P5 (235.0 mg) was purified by CC with 10% acetone/hexane to give **JPD5**: T-cadinol (55.0 mg).

Fraction P6 (2.3 g) was filtered and washed with hexane to give **JPD1**: costunolide (1.21 g) as white crystal and the mother liquor as violet viscous oil after evaporation of the solvent.

Fraction P7 (2.8 g) was filtered and washed with hexane to give **JPD2**: parthenolide (1.71 g) as white crystal and the mother liquor as green viscous oil after evaporation of the solvent.

Fraction P8 (115.7 mg) was separated by CC with 30% EtOAc/hexane to give **JPD4**: reynosin (10.7 mg).

Fraction P10 (111.8 mg) was separated by CC with 30% acetone/hexane to give **JPD3**: 9β -hydroxy- 11β H-dihydroparthenolide (6.7 mg), **JPD6**: 2-(3',4',5'-trihydroxy-3'-methylbutanoyloxy)- 11β H-dihydroparthenolide (14.0 mg) and **JPD7**: lariciresinol (8.8 mg).

Compound JPD1: costunolide, white solid, m.p. 103-105 °C; [α] $_D$ ²⁸: +132° (c = 0.30, CHCl₃);ref [α] $_D$ ²⁸: +131° (c = 0.30, CHCl₃) (Ming *et al.*, 1989); UV λ_{max} (MeOH) (log ε): 207 (3.56) nm; IR (neat) ν_{max} 1763 (C=O stretching) and 1663 (C=C stretching) cm⁻¹. For ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 14**.

Compound JPD2: parthenolide, white solid, m.p. 113-115 °C; [α] $_{\rm D}^{28}$: -50° (c = 0.49, CHCl₃); ref [α] $_{\rm D}^{28}$: -26° (c = 0.03, CHCl₃) (Galal *et al.*, 1999); UV $\lambda_{\rm max}$ (MeOH) (log ε): 205 (3.59) nm; IR (neat) $\nu_{\rm max}$ 1769 (C=O stretching) and 1680 (C=C stretching) cm⁻¹. For 1 H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and 13 C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 15.**

Compound JPD3: 9β-hydroxy-11βH-dihydroparthenolide, white solid, m.p. 143-145°C; [α] $_{\rm D}$ 28 : -49.3° (c = 1.45, CHCl₃). UV $\lambda_{\rm max}$ (MeOH) (log ε): 205 (3.62) nm; IR (neat) $\nu_{\rm max}$ 3444 (O-H stretching), 1769 (>C=O stretching) and 1669 (C=C stretching) cm⁻¹. For 1 H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and 13 C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 16.**

Compound JPD4: reynosin, white solid, m.p. 133-135 °C; [α] $_{\rm D}$ ²⁸: +95.6 (c = 0.06, CHCl₃); ref [α] $_{\rm D}$ ²⁸: +137° (c = 0.11, CHCl₃) (Abegaz *et al.*, 1991); UV $\lambda_{\rm max}$ (MeOH) (log ε): 205 (3.63) nm; IR (neat) $\nu_{\rm max}$ 3467 (O-H stretching), 1766

(C=O stretching) and 1654 (C=C stretching) cm⁻¹. For ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 17.**

Compound JPD5: T-cadinol, white solid, m.p. 44-46 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: +5° (c = 0.9), CHCl₃); ref $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: +3° (c = 1.2, CHCl₃) (Claeson *et al.*, 1991); IR (neat) v_{max} 3450 (O-H stretching) and 1668 (C=C stretching) cm⁻¹. For ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 18.**

Compound JPD6: 2α -(3',4',5'-trihydroxy-3'-methylbutanoyloxy)-11βH-dihydroparthenolide, colorless viscous oil; [α] $_D$ ²⁸: -43° (c = 0.7) , CHCl₃). UV λ_{max} (MeOH) (log ε): 206 (3.76) nm; IR (neat) ν_{max} 3437 (O-H stretching), 1770 (>C=O stretching) and 1639 (C=C stretching) cm⁻¹. HRFAB: m/z [M+H]⁺ 399.2015 (calcd for C₂₀H₃₁O₈, 3992019); For 1 H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) spectral data and 13 C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 19**.

Compound JPD7: lariciresinol, yellow viscous oil; [α] $_{\rm D}^{28}$: +35° (c = 1.3), CHCl₃); ref [α] $_{\rm D}^{28}$: +30° (c = 0.10, CHCl₃) (xie *et al.*, 2003); UV $\lambda_{\rm max}$ (MeOH) (log ε): 205 (3.76), 228 (3.24) and 281 (2.87) nm; IR (neat) $\nu_{\rm max}$ 3419 (O-H stretching) and 1604 (C=C stretching) cm⁻¹. For 1 H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) 13 C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) spectral data see **Table 20.**

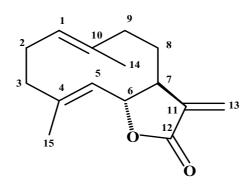
CHAPTER 2.3 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

2.3.1 Structure elucidation of compounds from the root of *M. alba*

The crude methylene chloride extract from the root of M. alba were subjected to repeated quick column and column chromatography over silica gel to furnish one new sesquiterpene: 2α -(3',4',5'-trihydroxy-3'-methylbutanoyloxy)-11 β H-dihydroparthenolide (**JPD6**) together with five known sesquiterpenes: costunolide (**JPD1**), parthenolide (**JPD2**), 9β -hydroxy-11 β H-dihydroparthenolide (**JPD3**), reynosin (**JPD4**) and T-cadinol (**JPD5**), and one known lignan: lariciresinol (**JPD7**).

Their structures were elucidated mainly by 1D and 2D NMR spectroscopic data: 1 H, 13 C NMR, DEPT 135°, DEPT 90°, HMQC, HMBC, COSY and NOESY. The physical data of the known compounds were also compared with the reported values. Mass spectra were determined for the new sesquiterpene: 2α -(3',4',5'-trihydroxy-3'-methylbutanoyloxy)-11 β H-dihydroparthenolide (**JPD6**).

2.3.1.1 Compound JPD1



Compound JPD1 was obtained as a white solid, mp 103-105 °C, [α] $_{\rm D}$ 28 : +132° (c = 0.30, CHCl₃). The IR spectrum showed absorption bands at 1763 cm⁻¹ indicating the presence of an α , β -unsaturated γ -lactone.

The locations of the two methyl groups (Me-14 and Me-15) at C-10 and C-4, respectively were deduced from HMBC correlations of Me-14 (δ 1.42) with C-9 (δ 40.9), C-10 (δ 136.8) and C-1 (δ 127.0) and of Me-15 (δ 1.70) with C-3 (δ 39.3), C-4 (δ 140.0) and C-5 (δ 127.3). The stereochemistry at C-6 and C-7 in compound JPD1 was assigned from NOESY experiments. Since no cross peak was observed between H-6 and H-7, compound JPD1 should contain a *trans*-fused lactone ring. The lack of NOESY cross peaks between H-1 and Me-14 and between H-5 and Me-15 suggested *E*-configurations of both double bonds. On the basis of the above results and comparison with the reported data of costunolide [Ming *et al.*, 1989], compound JPD1 was assigned as costunolide.

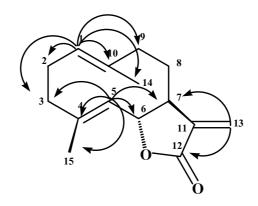


Figure 14 Selected HMBC correlations of JPD1

Table 14 1 H, 13 C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **JPD1** (CDCl₃) and costunolide (**R**, CDCl₃)

			ppm	δ _H / ppm (mu	ultiplicity, J/Hz)	HMBC
Position	Type of C	JPD1	R	JPD1	R	H ¹ → ¹³ C
1	СН	127.0	127.0	4.84 (<i>brdd</i> ,	4.84 (<i>brdd</i> ,	2, 3, 9, 14
				10.5, 3.9)	12.3, 4.0)	
2	CH_2	26.1	28.2	2.0-2.4 (m)	1.67 (<i>m</i>),	1, 3, 4, 10
					2.0-2.4 (<i>m</i>)	
3	CH_2	39.3	41.1	$2.4-2.0\ (m)$	2.4-2.0 (<i>m</i>)	6, 7, 12
4	C	140.0	140.0	-	-	-
5	СН	127.3	127.2	4.74 (<i>brd</i> , 9.9)	4.73 (<i>brd</i> , 10.5)	3, 6, 7, 11, 15
6	СН	82.0	82.0	4.57 (t, 9.9)	4.57 (t, 9.5)	4, 5, 7, 8, 11
7	СН	50.7	50.5	2.57 (m)	2.56 (m)	6, 9, 11, 12, 13
8	CH_2	27.9	26.3	1.67 (<i>m</i>),	2.0-2.4 (m)	6, 7, 9, 10
				2.0-2.4 (m)		
9	CH_2	40.9	39.7	2.0-2.4 (m)	2.0-2.4 (m)	1, 7, 8, 10
10	C	136.8	136.9	-	-	-
11	C	141.3	141.4	-	-	-
12	C	170.3	170.4	-	-	-

 Table 14 (Continued)

		δc /ppm		δH / ppm (mu	НМВС	
Position	Type of C	JPD1	R	JPD1	R	$H^1 \Rightarrow^{13} C$
13	CH ₂	119.8	119.7	5.53 (<i>d</i> , 3.6), 6.25 (<i>d</i> , 3.6)	5.51 (<i>d</i> , 3.5) 6.25 (<i>d</i> , 3.5)	6, 7, 12
14 15	CH ₃ CH ₃	16.0 17.6	16.3 17.5	1.42 (s) 1.70 (s)	1.40 (s) 1.70 (s)	1, 2, 8, 9, 10 3, 4, 5, 6

2.3.1.2 Compound JPD2

Compound JPD2 was obtained as a white solid, mp 113-115 °C, [α] $_D$ ²⁸: -50° (c = 0.49, CHCl₃). The IR spectrum showed absorption bands of an α , β -unsaturated γ -lactone at 1769 cm⁻¹.

The ¹³C NMR spectral data showed 15 signals for 15 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested the presence of two methyl (δ 17.0 and 17.3), five methylene (δ 24.2, 31.7, 36.4, 41.2 and 121.3), four methine (δ 47.7, 66.4, 82.5 and 125.3) and four quaternary carbons (δ 61.6, 134.7, 139.3 and 169.3). The ¹H NMR spectral data displayed the signals for exocyclic methylene protons conjugated with the γ -lactone ring system at δ 5.63 (H-13, d, J = 3.6 Hz) and 6.35 (H-13, d, J = 3.6 Hz), a lactone proton signal at δ 3.86 (H-6, t, J =8.7 Hz), an oxymethine proton at δ 2.79 (1H, d, J = 8.7 Hz, H-5), two methyl signals at δ 1.71 (Me-14, s) and 1.30 (Me-15, s). The ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectral data of compound JPD2 were closely related to those of compound JPD1 suggesting the same sesquiterpene lactone skeleton. The differences were shown at positions 4 and 5 in which an olefinic methine proton H-5 at δ_{H} 4.74 in JPD1 was replaced by an oxymethine proton at $\delta_{\rm H}$ 2.79 (d, $J=8.7~{\rm Hz}$) in JPD2 and the chemical shifts of C-4 (δ 140.0) and C-5 (δ 127.3) which were those of sp² carbons in JPD1 were replaced by those of C-4 (δ 61.6) and C-5 (δ 66.4) in JPD2 whose values suggested an epoxide functionality.

The stereochemistry at C-4, C-5, C-6 and C-7 was deduced by NOESY experiment. Cross peaks were observed between H-5/H-7, H-6/Me-15, with the absence of cross peaks between H-6/H-7 and H-5/Me-15. These results indicated the *trans*-fused lactone ring and also the orientation of the epoxy group to be *trans* to Me-

15 and to H-5. Thus on the basis of its spectroscopic data and comparison with the previously reported data of parthenolide (Galal *et al.*, 1999), compound JPD2 was therefore, assigned as parthenolide.

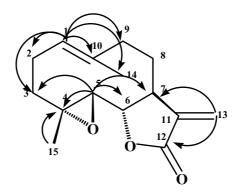


Figure 15 Selected HMBC correlations of JPD2

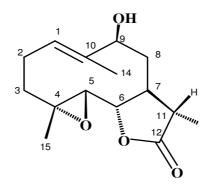
Table 15 ¹H, ¹³C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **JPD2** (CDCl₃) and parthenolide (**R**, CDCl₃)

		δc /	ppm	δ _H / ppm (mi	ultiplicity, J/Hz)	НМВС
Position	Type of C	JPD2	R	JPD2	R	$H^1 \rightarrow ^{13}C$
1	СН	125.3	125.2	5.21 (<i>br d</i> , 11.7)	5.21 (<i>dd</i> , 12.2, 4.0)	2, 3, 8, 9, 14
2	CH_2	24.2	24.1	2.10-2.25 (<i>m</i>),	2.09-2.24 (m),	1, 3, 4, 10
				2.46 (m)	2.46 (<i>ddd</i> , 13.8,	
					12.2, 12.5)	
3	CH_2	36.4	36.3	1.25 (m),	1.25 (m),	1, 2, 4, 5, 15
				2.10-2.25 (m)	2.09-2.24 (m)	
4	C	61.6	61.5	-	-	-
5	СН	66.4	66.3	2.79 (d, 8.7)	2.79 (d, 8.9)	3, 4, 6, 7, 15
6	СН	82.5	82.4	3.86 (t, 8.7)	3.86 (<i>dd</i> , 8.9, 8.3)	4, 7, 8, 11, 12
7	СН	47.7	47.6	$2.78 \ (m)$	2.78 (m)	5, 9, 11, 12, 13
8	CH_2	31.7	30.6	2.10-2.25 (m)	2.09-2.24 (m)	6, 7, 9, 10
				1.72 (m)	1.73 (m)	
9	CH_2	41.2	41.1	2.10-2.25 (m)	2.09-2.24 (m)	1, 7, 8, 10, 14
				2.38 (m)	2.38 (m)	

 Table 15 (Continued)

		δc /ppm		δ _H / ppm (mu	ltiplicity, J/Hz)	HMBC
Position	Type of C	JPD2	R	JPD2	R	$H^1 \rightarrow ^{13}C$
10	С	134.7	134.6	-	-	-
11	C	139.3	139.2	-	-	-
12	C	169.3	169.2	-	-	-
13	CH_2	121.3	121.1	5.63 (d, 3.6),	5.63 (d, 3.6),	7, 11, 12
				6.35 (<i>d</i> , 3.6)	6.35 (d, 3.6)	
14	CH_3	17.0	16.5	1.71 (s)	1.72 (s)	1, 9, 10
15	CH ₃	17.3	17.2	1.30 (s)	1.31 (s)	3, 4, 5

2.3.1.3 Compound JPD3



Compound JPD3 was obtained as a white solid , mp 143-145 °C, [α] $_D$ 28 : -49.3° (c = 1.45, CHCl₃). The IR spectrum showed absorption bands at 3444 and 1769 cm⁻¹ indicating the presence of hydroxyl and γ -lactone functionalities, respectively.

The 1 H and 13 C NMR spectral data of compound JPD3 were comparable to those of compound JPD2. The major differences between compound JPD3 and compound JPD2 were that compound JPD3 did not show the two downfield doublets at $\delta_{\rm H}$ 5.63 and 6.35 due to the exocyclic methylene protons as in compound JPD2. Instead, in compound JPD3 a new methyl signal at $\delta_{\rm H}$ 1.30 (d, J = 7.2 Hz) appeared together with a multiplet signal of a methine proton at $\delta_{\rm H}$ 2.30. A new oxymethine proton was also evidenced at $\delta_{\rm H}$ 4.15 (m) whose position at C-9 was determined through an HMBC experiment which showed correlations with C-1 (δ 125.8), C-7 (δ 48.3), C-8 (δ 37.8) and C-14 (δ 10.8). The new methyl protons at δ 1.30 (Me-13) was attached to the ring at C-11 due to its HMBC correlations with C-7 (δ 48.3), C-11 (δ 42.0) and C-12 (δ 177.2). NOESY experiment displayed cross peaks of H-7/Me-13/H-9 and H-6/H-11 suggesting 9 β OH and 11 β H. Thus on the basis of its spectroscopic data and comparison with the previous report [Galal et al., 1999], compound JPD3 was assigned as 9 β -hydroxy-11 β H-dihydroparthenolide.

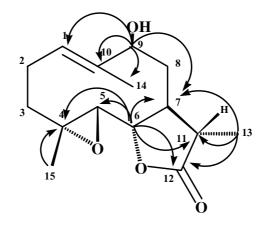


Figure 16 Selected HMBC correlations of JPD3

Table 16 1 H, 13 C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **JPD3** (CDCl₃) and 9β -hydroxy- 11β H-dihydroparthenolide (**R**, CDCl₃)

	δc /ppm		opm	δ _H / ppm (mul	tiplicity, J/Hz)	НМВС
Position	Type of C	JPD3	R	JPD3	R	$H^1 \rightarrow ^{13}C$
1	CH	125.8	126.6	5.36 (<i>dd</i> , 12.0, 2.7)	5.37 (<i>dd</i> , 12.3, 1.2)	2, 3, 9, 14
2	CH_2	23.6	24.2	2.16 (<i>m</i>),	2.16 (m),	1, 3, 4, 10
				2.46 (m)	2.46 (<i>dddd</i> , 13.4,	
					12.2, 5.4, 4.5)	
3	CH_2	36.3	36.8	1.12 (<i>m</i>), 2.13 (<i>m</i>)	1.12 (<i>ddd</i> , 13.0,	1, 5, 15
					5.6, 5.5), 2.14 (<i>m</i>)	
4	C	61.4	61.8	-	-	-
5	СН	66.0	66.5	2.61 (<i>d</i> , 8.7)	2.6 (d, 8.9)	3, 4, 6, 7
6	СН	81.3	81.7	3.81 (<i>t</i> , 8.7)	3.8 (t, 8.6)	4, 5, 7, 8, 11
7	СН	48.3	48.9	1.96 (m)	1.96 (m)	5, 9, 11, 13
8	CH_2	37.8	38.2	1.96 (<i>m</i>), 1.89 (<i>m</i>)	1.96 (<i>m</i>), 1.86 (<i>m</i>)	6, 9, 11
9	СН	80.0	80.0	4.15 (m)	4.16 (m)	1, 7, 10 ,14
10	C	136.6	136.9	-	-	-
11	СН	42.0	42.5	2.30 (m)	2.29 (m)	6, 8, 12, 13
12	C	177.2	177.4	-	-	-

 Table 16 (Continued)

		δc /ppm		$\delta_{\rm H}$ / ppm (mul	НМВС	
Position	Type of C	JPD3	R	JPD3	R	$H^1 \rightarrow ^{13}C$
13	CH_3	13.6	13.6	1.30 (d, 7.2)	1.30 (d, 7.0)	7, 11, 12
14	CH_3	10.8	11.3	1.73 (s)	1.73 (s)	1, 9, 10
15	CH_3	17.2	17.7	1.31 (s)	1.31 (s)	3, 4, 5

2.3.1.4 Compound JPD4

Compound JPD4 was obtained as a white solid, mp 133-135 °C, [α] $_D$ ²⁸: +95.6 (c = 0.26, CHCl₃). The IR spectrum showed absorption bands at 3467 and 1766 cm⁻¹ indicating the presence of hydroxyl and γ -lactone functionalities, respectively.

The 13 C NMR and DEPT spectral data exhibited 15 carbons, attributable to one methyl (δ 11.6), six methylene (δ 21.4, 31.3, 33.5, 35.7, 110.0 and 117.0), four methine (δ 49.6, 53.0, 78.2 and 79.6) and four quaternary carbons (δ 43.0, 139.2, 142.4 and 170.7). The 1 H NMR spectral data displayed signals assignable to a tertiary methyl at δ 0.81 (Me-14), an oxymethine at δ 3.55 (1H, dd, J = 11.4, 4.5 Hz, H-1) and two sets of exocyclic methylene protons at δ 4.85 (1H, br s, H-15), 5.00 (1H, br s, H-15) and 5.43 (1H, d, J = 3.6, H-13), 6.10 (1H, d, J = 3.6 Hz, H-13).

The locations of the two sets of exocyclic methylene protons at C-13 and C-15 were confirmed by HMBC correlations of 2H-13 at δ 5.43 and 6.10 with the carbons at C-11 (δ 139.2), C-12 (δ 170.7) and C-7 (δ 49.6), and of 2H-15 at δ 4.85 and 5.00 with C-3 (δ 33.5), C-4 (δ 142.4) and C-5 (δ 53.0). In addition an oxymethine proton at δ 3.55 showed correlations with C-2 (δ 31.3), C-3 (δ 33.5), C-10 (δ 43.0), C-5 (δ 53.0) and C-14 (δ 11.6) suggesting a hydroxyl group at C-1. NOESY experiment displayed cross peak between H-1/H-5, H-5/H-7, H-6/Me-14 and no cross peaks between H-6/H-7 suggesting that Me-14 and H-6 were on the same side whereas those of H-1, H-5 and H-7 were on the same side but opposite to Me-14 and H-6 and the lactone ring was *trans*-fused as in compounds JPD1 and JPD2. On the basis of the above analysis and comparison with the literatures, the structure of JPD4 was identified as reynosin (Abegaz *et al.*, 1991).

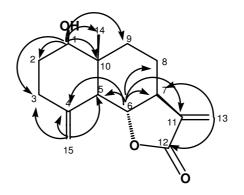


Figure 17 Selected HMBC correlations of JPD4

Table 17 1 H, 13 C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **JPD4** (CDCl₃) and reynosin (**R**, CDCl₃)

		δc/ppm	$\delta_{\rm H}$ / ppm (multi	plicity, J/Hz)	НМВС	
Position	Type of C	JPD4	JPD4	R	H [→] ¹³ C	
1	СН	78.2	3.55 (<i>dd</i> , 11.4, 4.5)	3.55 (<i>dd</i> , 12.0, 6.0)	2, 3, 5, 10, 14	
2	CH_2	31.3	-	-	-	
3	CH_2	33.5	1.60 (<i>m</i>), 1.80 (<i>m</i>)	-	-	
4	C	142.4	-	-	-	
5	СН	53.0	2.19 (d, 10.8)	-	1, 3, 7, 9	
6	СН	79.6	4.02 (t, 10.8)	4.02 (t, 11.0)	4, 5, 8, 10, 11, 12	
7	СН	49.6	2.55 (td, 11.5, 3.0)	-	5, 6, 8, 11, 13	
8	CH_2	21.4	1.60 (<i>m</i>), 2.10 (<i>m</i>)	-	-	
9	CH_2	35.7	1.30 (<i>m</i>), 2.15 (<i>m</i>)	-	-	
10	C	43.0	-	-	-	
11	C	139.2	-	-	-	
12	C	170.7	-	-	-	
13	CH_2	117.0	5.43 (d, 3.6),	5.43 (d, 3.6),	7, 11, 12	
			6.10 (d, 3.6)	6.10 (<i>d</i> , 3.6)		
14	CH_3	11.6	0.81 (s)	0.80(s)	1, 5, 9, 10	
15	CH_2	110.0	4.85 (br s)	4.85 (br s)	3, 4, 5	
			5.00 (br s)	5.00 (br s)		

2.3.1.5 Compound JPD5

Compound JPD5 was obtained as a white solid, m.p. 44-46 °C, $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: +5° (c = 0.9), CHCl₃). The IR spectrum showed absorption bands of hydroxyl group at 3450 cm⁻¹ and double bond at 1668 cm⁻¹.

The 13 C NMR spectral data showed 15 signals for 15 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested the presence of four methyl (δ 15.2, 21.2, 26.1 and 28.2), four methylene (δ 19.8, 22.6, 30.9 and 40.3), five methine (δ 23.7, 37.7, 46.6, 47.9 and 122.6) and two quaternary carbons (δ 70.7, and 134.3).

The ¹H NMR spectral data displayed the signals for an isopropyl group at δ 2.18 (1H, m, H-12), 0.79 (3H, d, J = 6.9 Hz, Me-14) and 0.91 (3H, d, J = 6.9 Hz, Me-13), a three-proton singlet at δ 1.22 for a methyl attached to a quaternary carbon bearing a hydroxyl group, a trisubstituted olefinic proton at δ 5.55 (1H, brs, H-5) and a methyl group at δ 1.67 (brs).

The stereochemistry at C-1, C-6, C-7 and C-10 was deduced by NOESY experiment. Cross peaks were observed between H-1/H-7, H-1/Me-15, with the absence of cross peaks between H-1/H-6. These results indicated the *trans*-fused ring of JPD5. Thus on the basis of its spectroscopic data and comparison with the previously reported data of T-cadinol (Claeson *et al.*, 1991), compound JPD5 was therefore, assigned as T-cadinol.

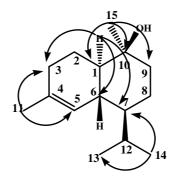


Figure 18 Selected HMBC correlations of JPD5

Table 18 1 H, 13 C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **JPD5** (CDCl₃) and T-cadinol (**R**, CDCl₃)

		δc /	ppm	$\delta_{\rm H}$ / ppm (mu	ltiplicity, J/Hz)	НМВС
Position	Type of C	JPD5	R	JPD5	R	$H^1 \rightarrow {}^{13}C$
1	СН	47.9	47.9	1.10 (<i>dd</i> , 10.2, 2.1)	1.09 (<i>ddd</i> , 12.3, 10.2, 1.9)	3, 6, 7
2	CH_2	22.6	22.6	1.93 (m), 1.35 (m)	•	-
3	CH_2	30.9	30.9	1.89-2.20 (m)	1.92-2.08 (m)	-
4	C	134.3	134.3	-	-	-
5	СН	122.6	122.6	5.55 (brs)	5.55 (brs)	1, 3, 6, 7, 11
6	СН	37.7	37.7	1.97 (brs)	1.95 (brs)	2, 4, 5, 10, 12
7	СН	46.6	46.6	1.00 (tt, 11.1, 2.1)	1.00 (tt, 11.3, 3.2)	1, 6, 8, 9, 12, 13
8	CH_2	19.8	19.8	1.45 (m), 1.33 (m)	1.47(m), 1.32(m)	-
9	CH_2	40.3	40.3	1.40 (m), 1.72 (m)	1.41(m), 1.74(m)	-
10	C	70.7	70.6	-	-	-
11	СН	23.7	23.8	1.67 (<i>brs</i>)	1.67 (<i>brs</i>)	3, 4, 5
12	CH_3	26.1	26.2	2.18 (hept d, 3.3)	2.18 (hept d, 3.2)	6, 7, 8, 13, 14
13	CH_3	21.2	21.4	0.91 (<i>d</i> , 6.9)	0.91 (<i>d</i> , 6.9)	7, 12, 14
14	CH_3	15.2	15.2	0.79 (<i>d</i> , 6.9)	0.79(d, 7.0)	7, 12, 13
15	CH_3	28.2	28.5	1.22 (s)	1.22 (s)	1, 9, 10

2.3.1.6 Compound JPD6

Compound JPD6 was obtained as a colorless gum, $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: -43° (c = 0.7), CHCl₃). It was assigned a molecular formula $C_{20}H_{31}O_8$ [M+H]⁺ on the basis of a molecular ion at m/z 399.2015 by HRFABMS. The IR spectrum showed absorption bands of an α , β -unsaturated γ -lactone at 1770 cm⁻¹ and hydroxyl at 3437 cm⁻¹.

The 13 C NMR spectral data showed 20 signals for 20 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested the presence of four methyl (δ 17.0, 17.6, 18.2 and 21.4), four methylene (δ 29.4, 41.2, 45.4 and 72.0), seven methine (δ 42.4, 51.8, 66.3, 66.4, 73.2, 81.8 and 128.9) and five quaternary carbons (δ 60.7, 73.5, 136.2, 177.2 and 178.2).

The 1 H and 13 C NMR spectral data of compound JPD6 were closely related to those of compound JPD3 suggesting the same sesquiterpene skeleton. The differences were shown in the main skeleton at C-9, of which that of JPD3 was an oxymethine carbon (δ 80.0) whereas that of JPD6 was a methylene carbon (δ 41.2). Another difference was shown as an additional ester side chain signals of JPD6 at δ 4.14 (1H, dd, J = 3.6, 1.0 Hz, H-4'), 4.37 (1H, dd, J = 10.7, 3.6 Hz, H_a-5'), 4.31 (1H, dd, J = 10.7, 1.0 Hz, H_b-5') and 1.47 (3H, s, Me-6'). The oxymethine H-4' (δ 4.14) showed COSY cross peak with an oxymethine H-5' (δ 4.37) and also showed HMBC correlations with C-2' (δ 178.2), C-3' (δ 73.5), C-5' (δ 72.0) and C-6' (δ 21.4). The methyl protons Me-6' (δ 1.47) showed HMBC correlations with C-2' (δ 178.2), C-3' (δ 73.5) and C-4' (δ 73.2). These informations suggested a 2,3,4-trihydroxy-2-methylbutanoyloxy side chain whose attachment at C-2 of a sesquiterpene skeleton was determined through an HMBC experiment in which the oxymethine proton signal

at δ 4.66 (1H, dt, J = 10.5, 5.7 Hz, H-2) showed correlations with C-1 (δ 128.9), C-3 (δ 45.4) and C-10 (δ 136.2). The multiplicity of the oxymethine proton H-2 signal as a doublet of triplet (J_{ax-ax} = 10.5, J_{ax-eq} = 5.7 Hz) from coupling with H-1 and 2H-3, indicated that H-2 was situated in an axial (β) position. NOESY experiment displayed cross peaks of H-1/H-5/H-7, H-6/H-11/Me-15 and H-2/Me-14/Me15/H-3 β . suggesting α -orientation of 2,3,4-trihydroxy-2-methylbutanoyloxy side chain. Compound JPD6 was therefore suggested as 2α -(3',4',5'-trihydroxy-3'-methylbutanoyloxy)-11 β H-dihydro parthenolide, a new compound.

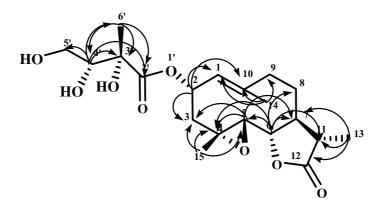


Figure 19 Selected HMBC correlations of JPD6

Table 19 ¹H, ¹³C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compound **JPD6** (CDCl₃) and comparison of ¹³C NMR with **JPD3**

Position	Туре	δc /ppm		δ_{H} / ppm (multiplicity, J/Hz)	$ \begin{array}{c} HMBC \\ H^1 \Rightarrow {}^{13}C \end{array} $	COSY
	of C	JPD6	JPD3	JPD6		
1	СН	128.9	125.8	5.25 (brd, 10.5)	3, 8, 9, 14	2
2	СН	66.4	23.6	4.66 (<i>dt</i> , 10.5, 5.7)	1, 3, 10	1, 3
3	CH_2	45.4	36.3	2.55 (<i>dd</i> , 12.0, 5.7),	1, 2, 4, 5, 6	2
				1.22 (<i>dd</i> , 12.0, 10.5)	-	
4	С	60.7	61.4	-	-	-
5	СН	66.3	66.5	2.79 (d, 9.3)	3, 4, 7	6

 Table 19 (Continued)

Position	Type of C	δc /ppm JPD6 JPD3		δ _H / ppm (multiplicity, J/Hz) JPD6	$\begin{array}{c} HMBC \\ H^1 \Rightarrow {}^{13}C \end{array}$	COSY
6	СН	81.8	81.3	3.80 (t, 9.3)	4, 5, 7, 8, 11	5, 7
7	СН	51.8	48.3	1.88 (m)	5, 6, 8, 9, 11, 13	6, 8, 11
8	CH_2	29.4	37.8	1.95 (<i>m</i>), 1.65 (m)	-	-
9	CH_2	41.2	80.0	2.10 (m), 2.30 (m)	1, 7, 8, 10	-
10	C	136.2	136.6	-	-	-
11	CH	42.4	42.0	$2.30 \ (m)$	7, 8, 12, 13	7, 13
12	C	177.2	177.2	-	-	-
13	CH_3	13.2	13.6	1.29 (<i>d</i> , 6.9)	7, 11, 12	11
14	CH_3	17.6	10.8	1.77 (s)	1, 8, 9, 10	-
15	CH_3	18.2	17.2	1.30 (s)	3, 4, 5	-
2′	C	178.2	-	-	-	-
3′	C	73.5	-	-	-	-
4′	СН	73.2	-	4.14 (<i>dd</i> , 3.6, 1.0)	2', 3', 5', 6'	5′
5′	CH_2	72.0	-	4.37 (dd, 10.7, 3.6)	2', 3', 4',6'	4′
				4.31 (<i>dd</i> , 10.7, 1.0)		
6′	CH_3	21.4	-	1.47 (s)	2', 3', 4'	-

2.3.1.7 Compound JPD7

Compound JPD7 was isolated as a colorless viscous oil, $[\alpha]_D^{28}$: +35° (c = 1.3), CHCl₃). Ihe IR spectrum showed absorption bands due to hydroxyl at 3419 cm⁻¹ and double bond at 1604 cm⁻¹. The UV absorption was shown at 205, 228 and 281nm.

The 13 C NMR spectral data recorded in CDCl₃ showed 20 signals for 20 carbons. Analysis of DEPT 90° and DEPT 135° spectra of this compound suggested a presence of four oxygenated olefinic quaternary carbons at δ 144.0, 145.0, 146.5 and 146.6, two olefinic quaternary carbons at δ 132.3 and 134.8, six aromatic carbons at δ 108.3, 111.2, 114.2, 114.4, 118.8 and 121.9, an oxygenated methine carbon at δ 82.8, two methine carbons at δ 42.4 and 52.6, two oxygenated methylene carbons at δ 60.9 and 72.9 and two methoxyl carbons at δ 55.9x2.

The ¹H NMR spectral data showed signals at δ 6.88 (1H, d, J = 1.8, H-2), 6.82 (1H, d, J = 8.4, H-5), 6.79 (1H, dd, J = 8.4, 1.8, H-6), 6.68 (1H, d, J = 1.8, H-2'), 6.85 (1H, d, J = 8.4, H-5') and 6.69 (1H, dd, J = 8.4, 1.8, H-6') indicating two 1,3,4-trisubstituted benzene rings. An oxygenated methine signal at δ 4.78 (1H, d, J = 6.6 Hz, H-7), two methine signals at δ 2.40 (1H, m, H-8) and 2.73 (1H, m, H-8') and two methoxyl signals at δ 3.86 (3H, s, 3-OMe) and δ 3.88 (3H, s, 3'-OMe) were observed.

On the basis of HMBC the oxygenated methine proton H-7 at δ 4.78 showed correlations with C-1 (δ 134.8), C-8 (δ 52.6), C-9 (δ 60.9), C-8' (δ 42.4) and C-9' (δ 72.9), a methine proton H-8 at δ 2.40 showed correlations with C-1 (δ 134.8), C-9 (δ 60.9), C-7' (δ 33.3), C-8' (δ 42.4) and C-9' (δ 72.9) and that of H-8' at δ 2.73 showed correlations with C-7 (δ 82.8), C-8 (δ 52.6), C-9 (δ 60.9), C-1' (δ 132.3), C-7' (δ 33.3) and C-9' (δ 72.9).

The stereochemistry at C-7, C-8 and C-8' was deduced by NOESY experiment. Cross peaks were observed between H-8/H-8', with the absence of cross peaks between H-8/H-7. These results indicated that H-8 and H-8' were *cis* and H-8 and H-7 were *trans*. On the basis of its spectroscopic data and comparison with previously reported data (xie *et al.*, 2003). Compound JPD7 was identified as lariciresinol.

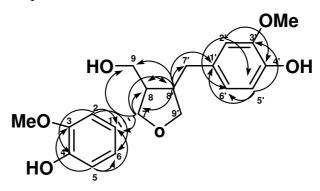


Figure 20 Selected HMBC correlations of JPD7

Table 20 ¹H, ¹³C NMR and HMBC spectral data of compounds **JPD7** (CDCl₃) and lariciresinol (**R**, MeOD)

		δc/p	ppm	$\delta_{ m H}$ /	ppm /	
Position	Type of			(multipli	HMBC	
	С	JPD7	R	JPD7	R	$H^1 \Rightarrow {}^{13}C$
1	C	134.8	135.8	-	-	-
2	СН	108.3	110.7	6.88 (<i>d</i> , 1.8)	6.90 (<i>d</i> , 1.8)	1, 4,6
3	С	146.5	149.0	-	-	-
4	С	145.0	147.1	-	-	-
5	СН	114.2	116.0	6.82 (<i>d</i> , 8.4)	6.76 (<i>m</i>)	1, 3, 6
6	СН	118.8	119.8	6.79 (<i>dd</i> , 8.4, 1.8)	6.75 (<i>m</i>)	1, 2, 4, 5
7	СН	82.8	84.1	4.78 (<i>d</i> , 6.6)	4.74 (<i>d</i> , 7.0)	1, 8, 9, 8', 9'
8	СН	52.6	54.0	2.40 (m)	2.37 (m)	1, 9, 7', 8', 9'
9	CH_2	60.9	60.5	3.74 (<i>dd</i> , 8.4, 6.6)	3.62 (<i>dd</i> , 10.9, 6.5)	
				3.90 (dd, 8.4, 7.2)	3.83 (<i>dd</i> , 10.9, 8.0)	

 Table 20 (Continued)

		δc /p	pm	δ _H /	ppm	
Position	Type			(multiplic	city, J/Hz)	HMBC
	of C	JPD7	R	JPD7	R	H ¹ → ¹³ C
1′	C	132.3	133.6	-	-	-
2'	СН	111.2	113.5	6.68 (<i>d</i> , 1.8)	6.79 (<i>d</i> , 1.9)	4', 5', 6'
3′	C	146.6	149.0	-	-	-
4′	C	144.0	145.8	-	-	-
5′	СН	114.4	116.2	6.85 (d, 8.4)	6.71 (<i>d</i> , 8.0)	1', 3', 6'
6′	СН	121.9	122.2	6.69 (<i>dd</i> , 8.4, 1.8)	6.64 (<i>dd</i> , 8.0, 1.9)	2', 4', 7'
7′	CH_2	33.3	33.7	2.54 (<i>dd</i> , 13.2,	2.48 (<i>dd</i> , 13.4,	
				10.8)	11.1)	
				2.92 (dd, 13.2,	2.92 (dd, 13.4,	
				5.1)	4.8)	
8′	СН	42.4	43.9	2.73 (m)	2.73 (m)	7, 8, 9, 1', 7', 9'
9′	CH_2	72.9	73.5	3.77 (dd, 8.4, 5.7)	3.72 (<i>dd</i> , 8.4, 5.8)	7, 8, 7'
				4.05 (dd, 8.4, 6.6)	3.97 (dd, 8.4, 6.5)	
3-OMe	CH_3	55.9	56.4	3.86 (s)	3.82 (s)	3
3'-OMe	CH_3	55.9	56.4	3.88 (s)	3.84 (s)	3′

CHAPTER 4 CONCLUSION

Thirteen known compounds; three triterpenes: friedelin (CMD1), 5(6)-gluten-3 α -ol (CMD2) and betulinic acid (CMD3), seven steroids: a mixture of β -sitosterol (CMD4) and stigmasterol (CMD5), stigmast-4-en-3-one (CMD6), 6 α -hydroxystigmast-4-en-3-one (CMD7), ergosterol peroxide (CMD8), 5 α -cholest-7-en-3-one (CMD9) and lophenol (CMD10), 5-methylmellein (CMD11), 3,4,3'-tri-O-methylellagic acid (CMD12) and 5,7,3',4',5'-penta-O-methylgallocatechin (CMD13) were isolated from the stem of *Punica granatum*. Their structures were elucidated by spectroscopic methods. A mixture of CMD4 and CMD5 (2.3 g) and CMD1 (1.2 g) were major components.

One new sesquiterpene, 2α -(3',4',5'-trihydroxy-3'-methylbutanoyloxy)- 11β H-dihydroparthenolide (**JPD6**), and six known compounds, five sesquiterpenes: costunolide (**JPD1**), parthenolide (**JPD2**), 9β -hydroxy- 11β H-dihydroparthenolide (**JPD3**), reynosin (**JPD4**) and T-cadinol (**JPD5**), one lignan: lariciresinol (**JPD7**) were isolated from the root of *Michelia alba*. Their structures were elucidated by spectroscopic methods. Compounds **JPD1** (1.21 g) and **JPD2** (1.71 g) were major components.

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APPENDIX

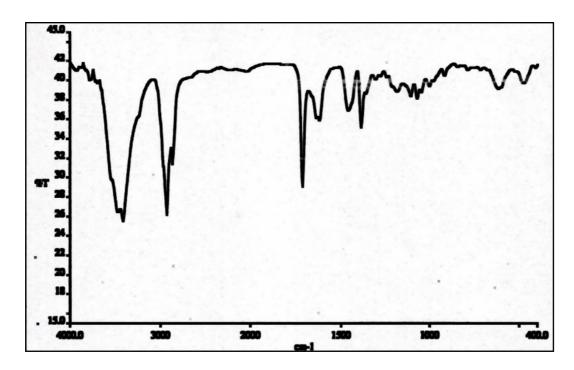


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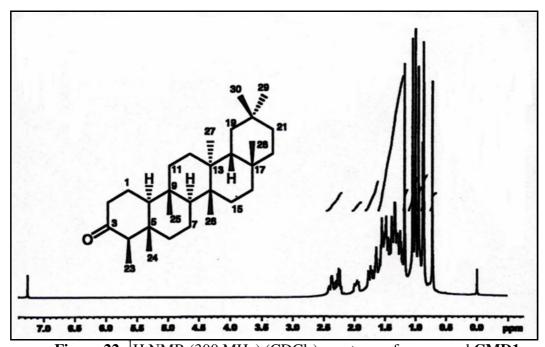


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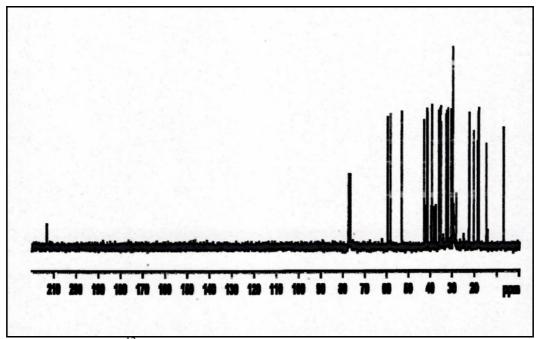


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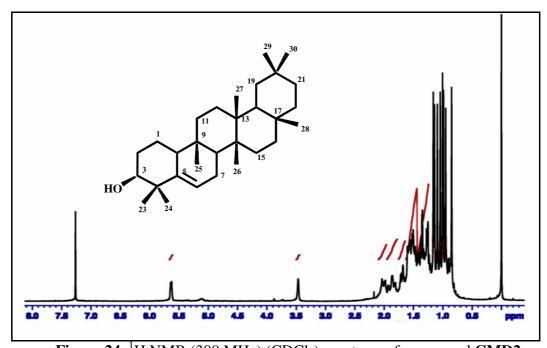


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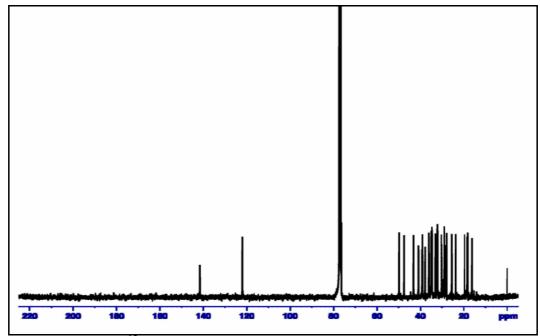


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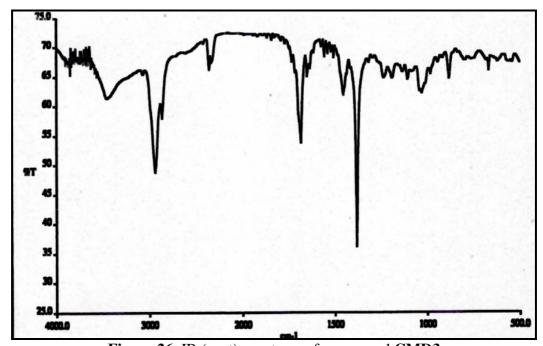


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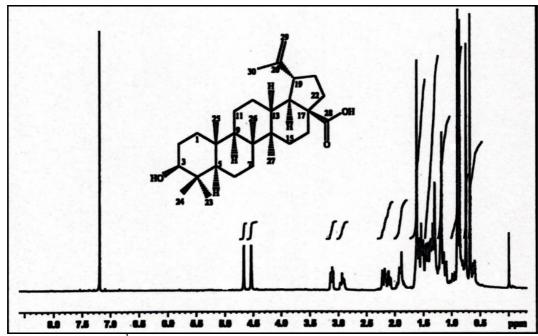


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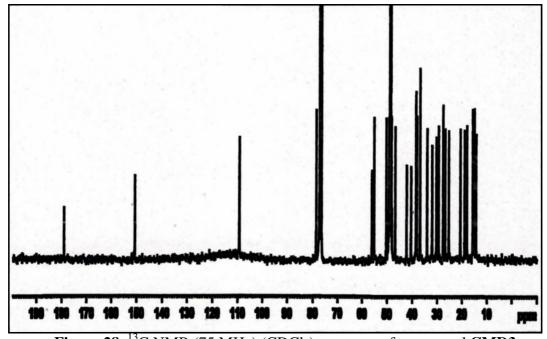


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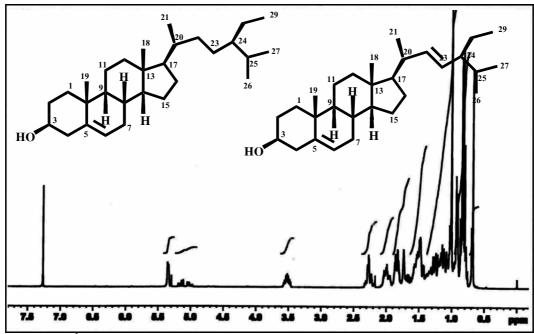


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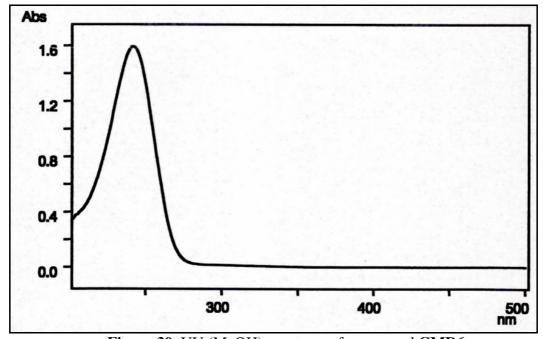


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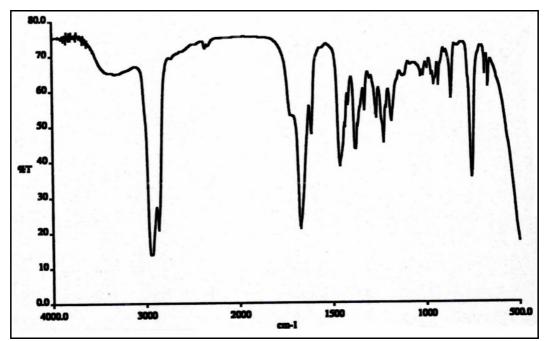


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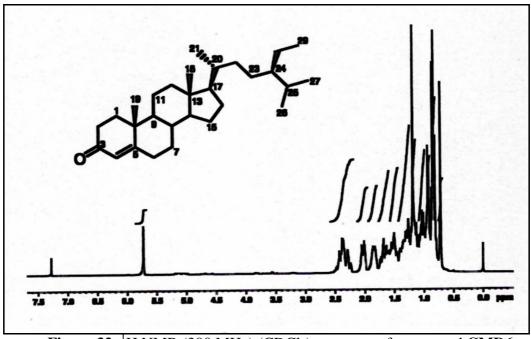


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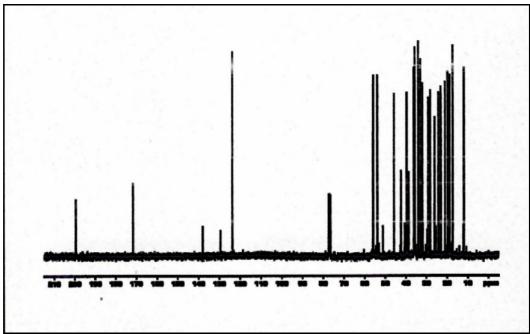


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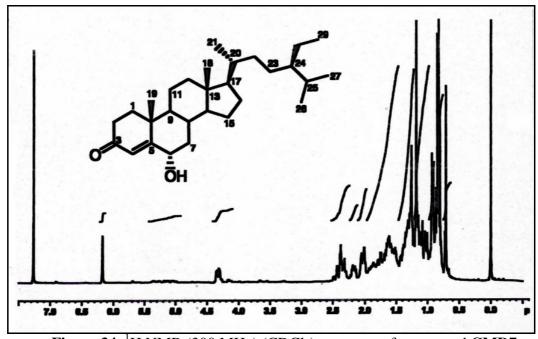


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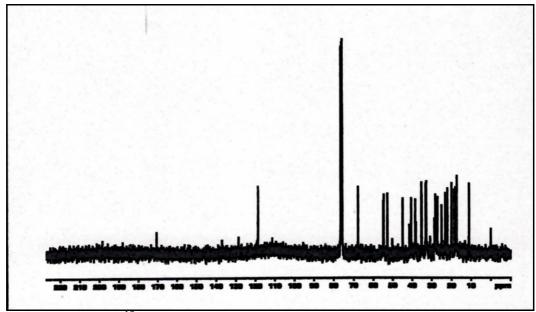


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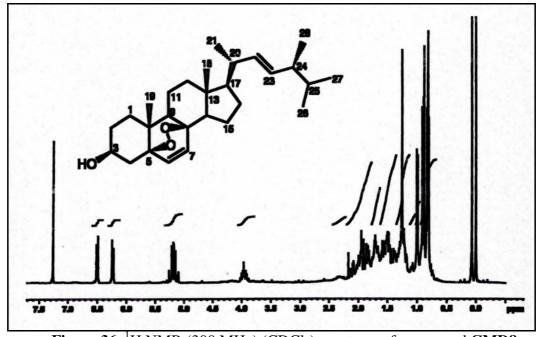


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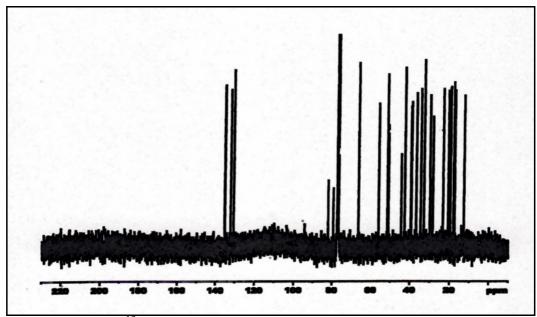


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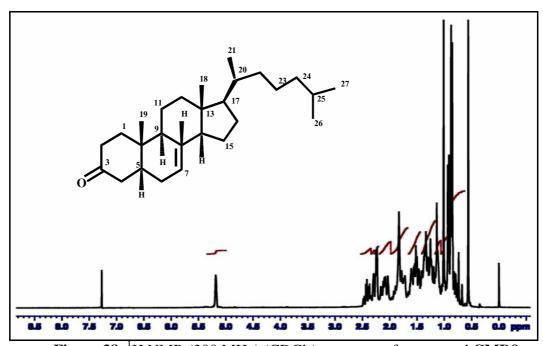


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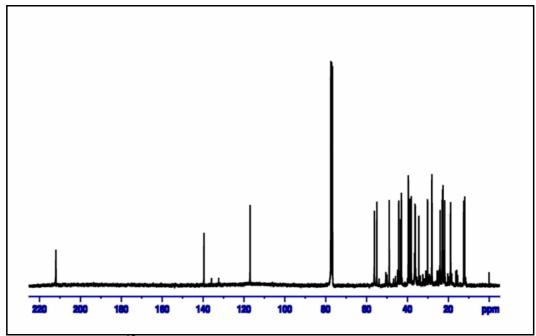


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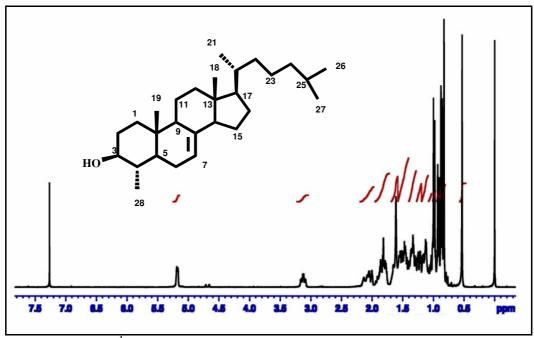


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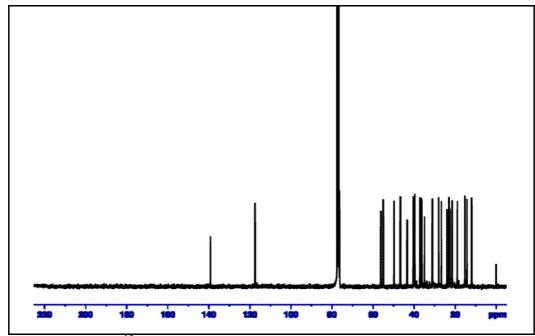


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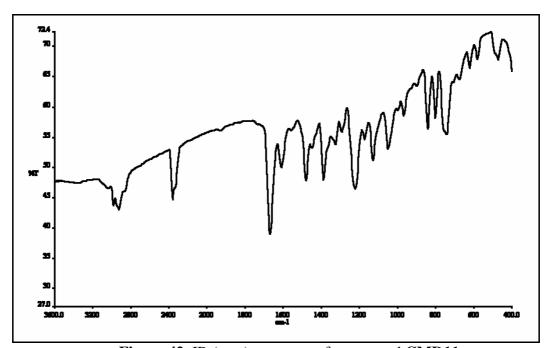


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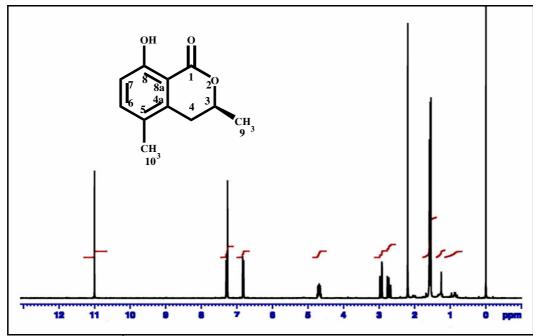


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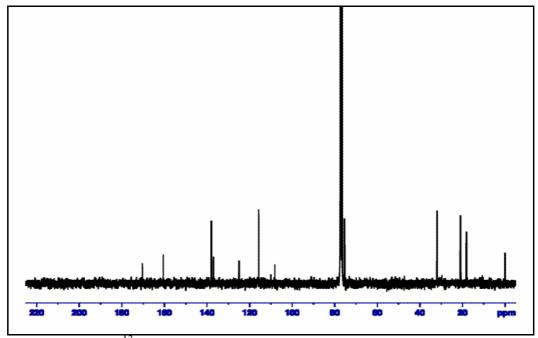


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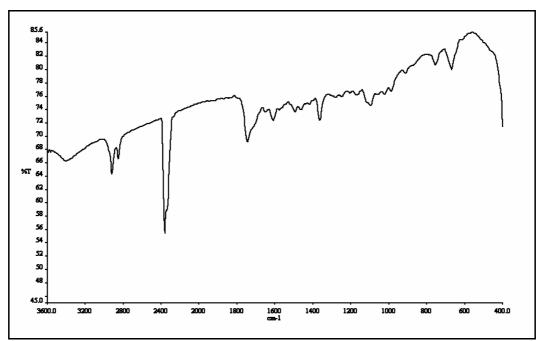


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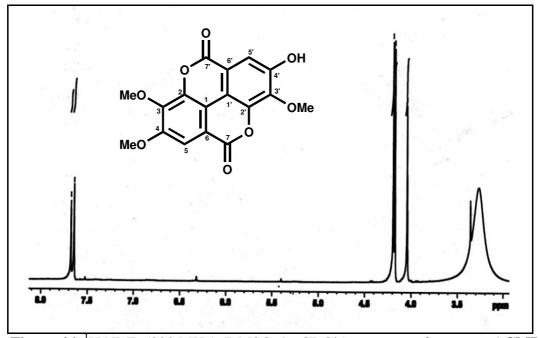


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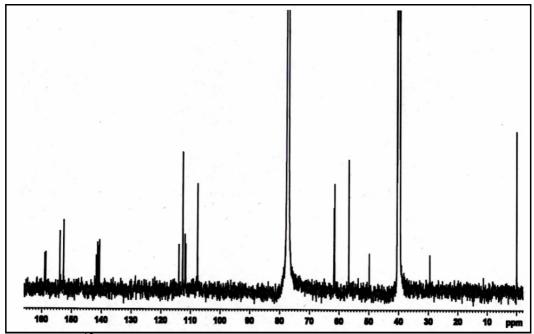


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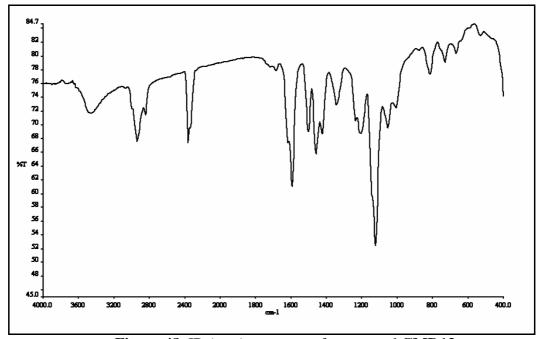


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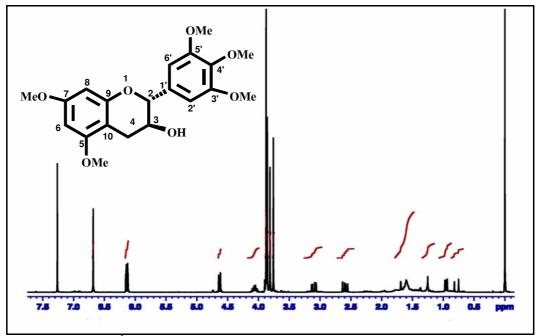


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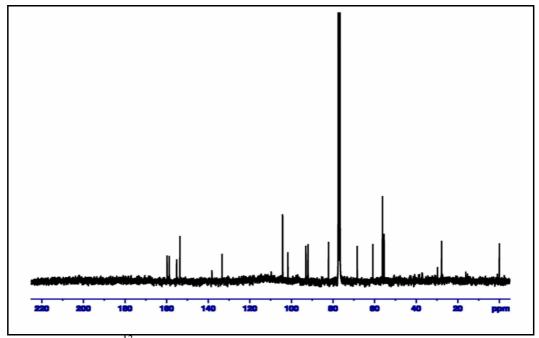


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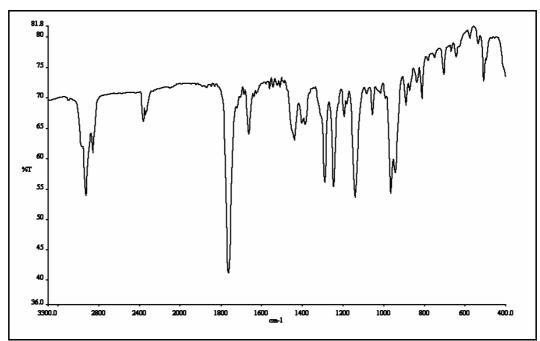


Figure 51 IR (neat) spectrum of compound JPD1

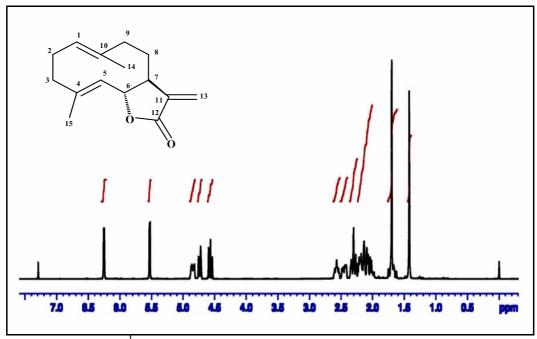


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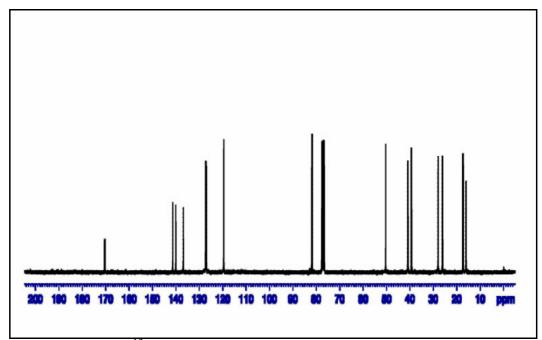


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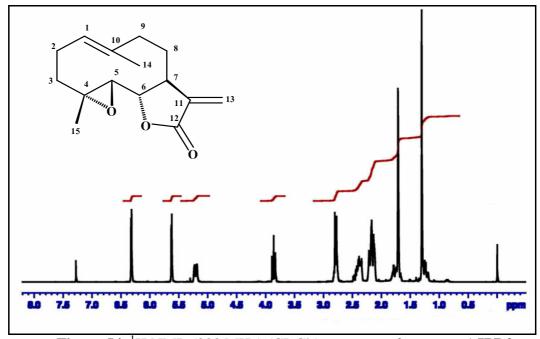


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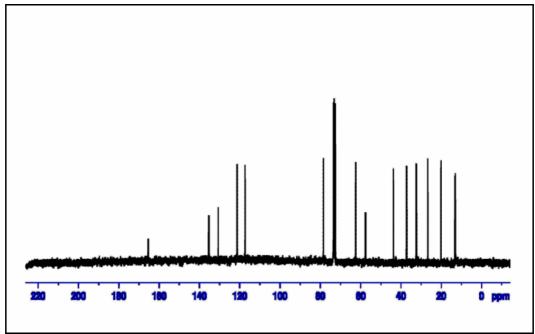


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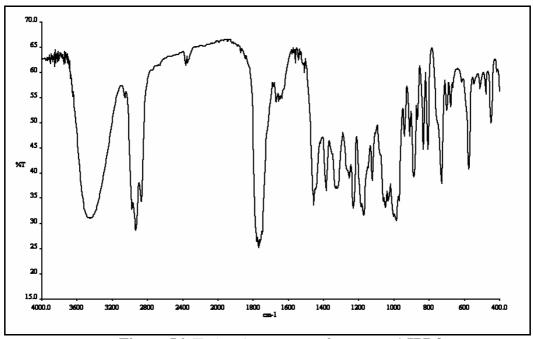


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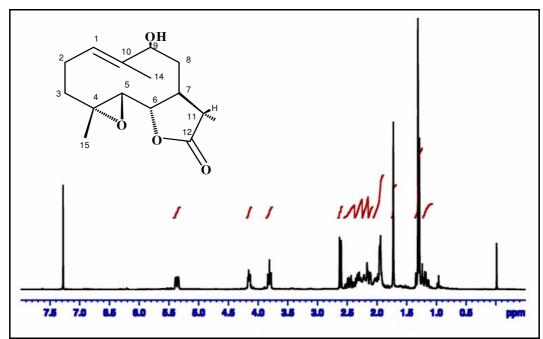


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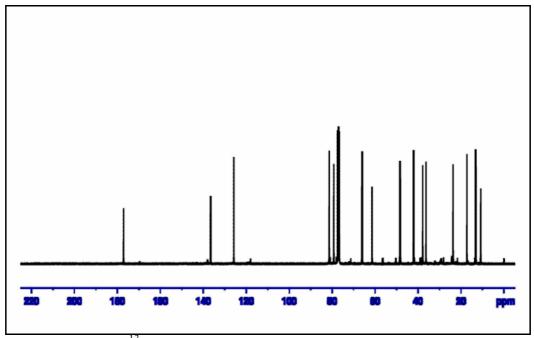


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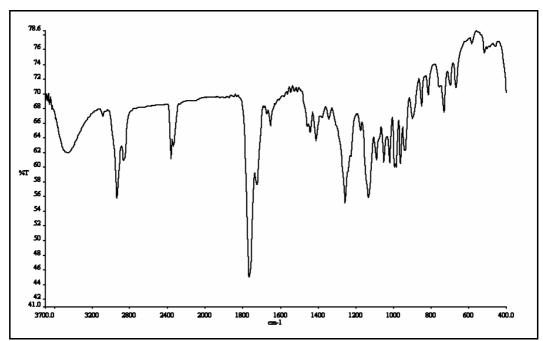


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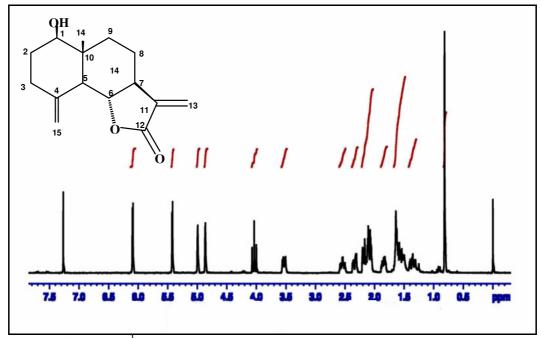


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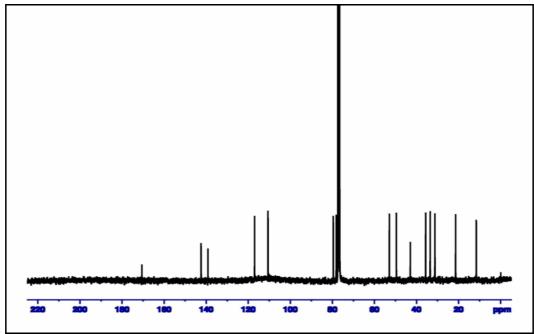


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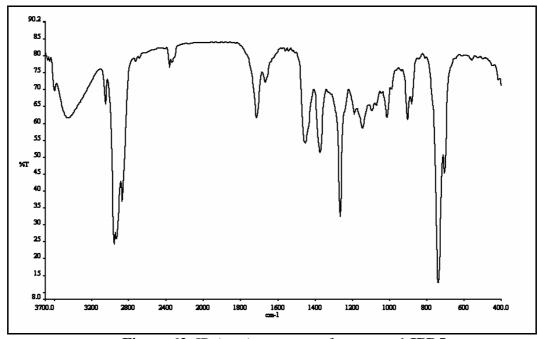


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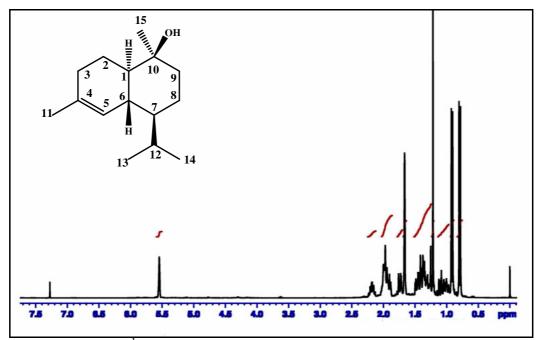


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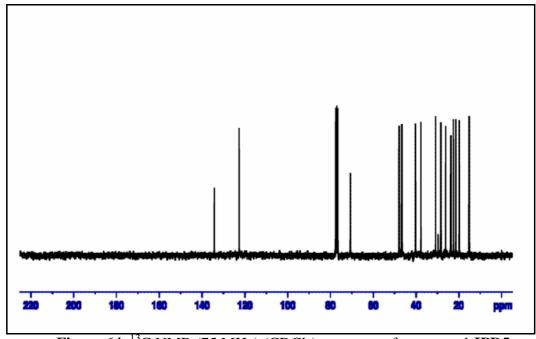


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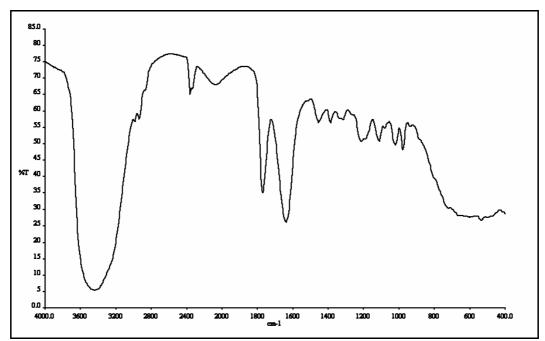


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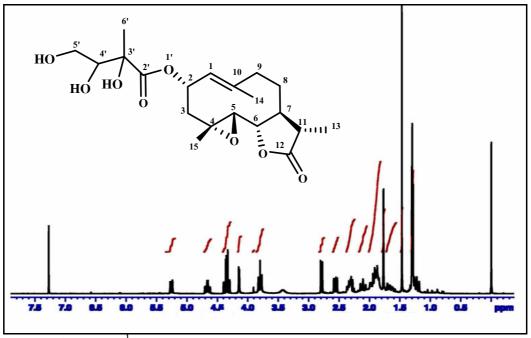


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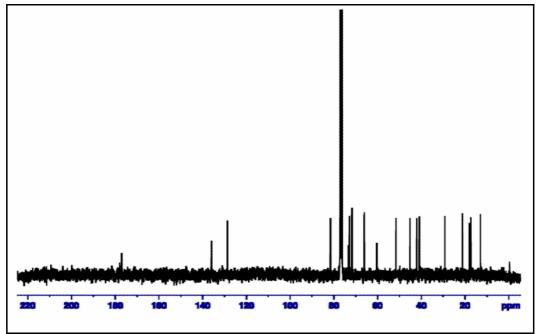


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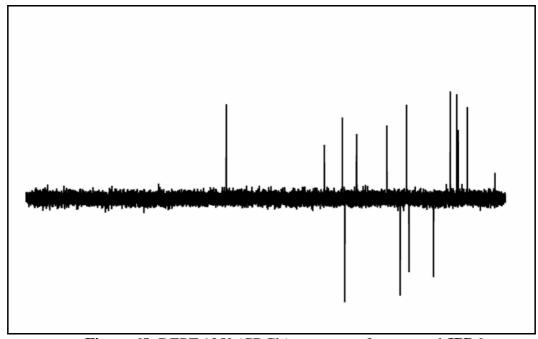


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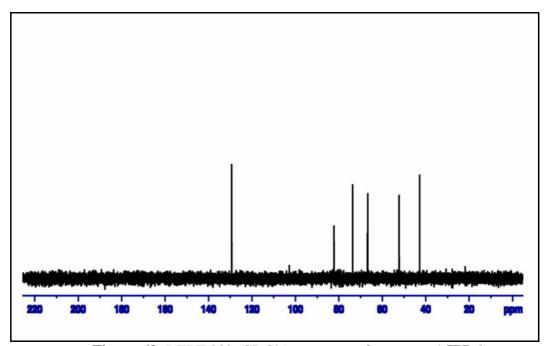


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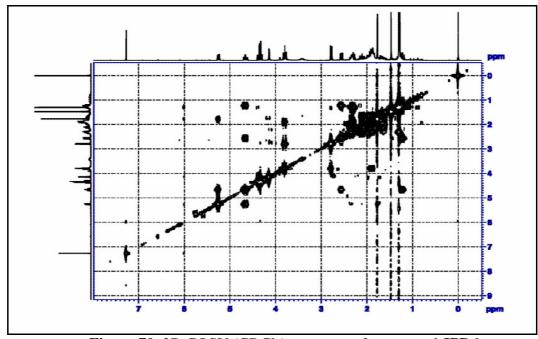


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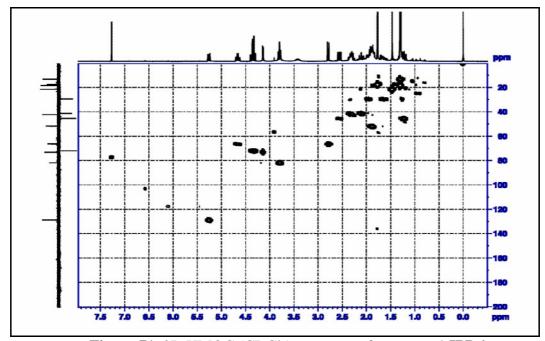


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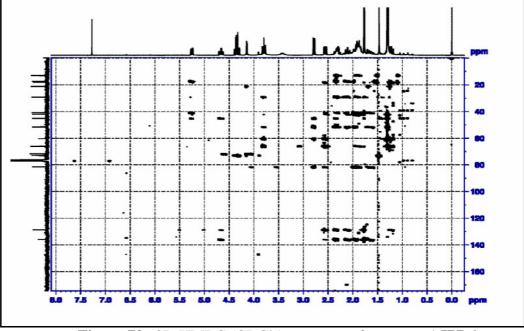


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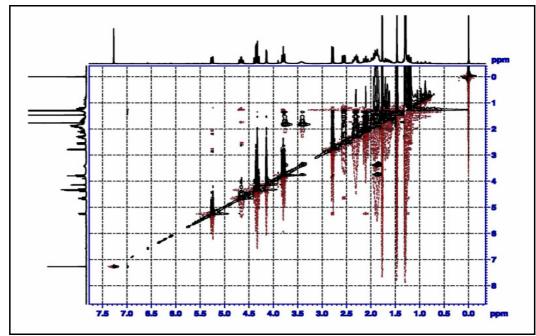


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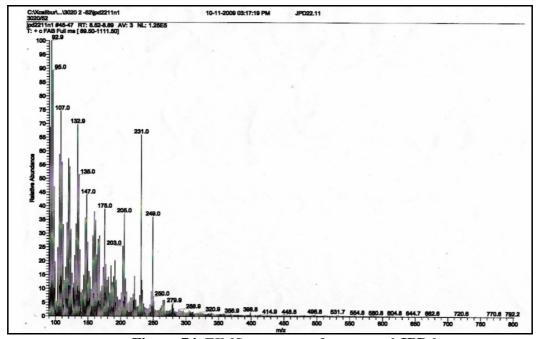


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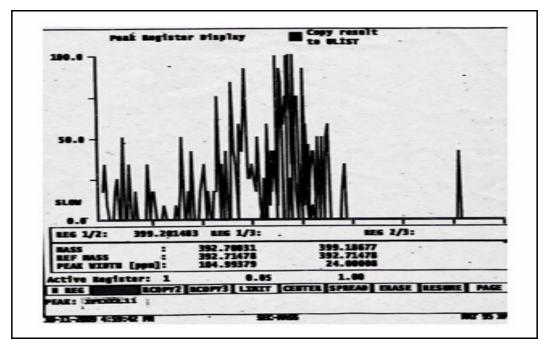


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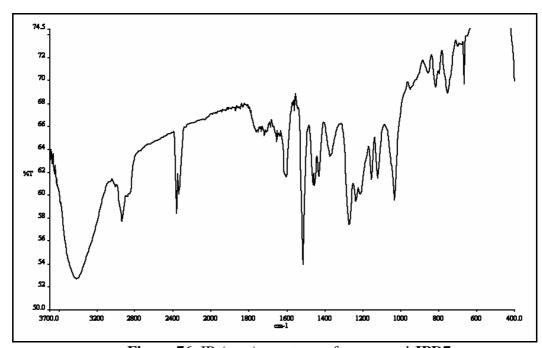


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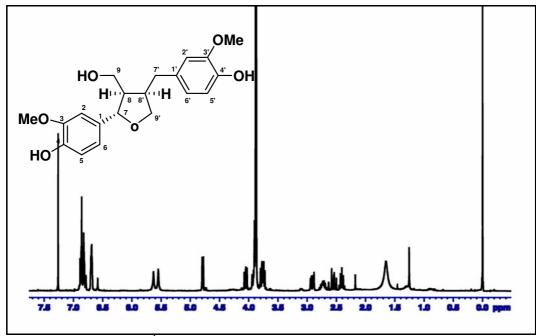


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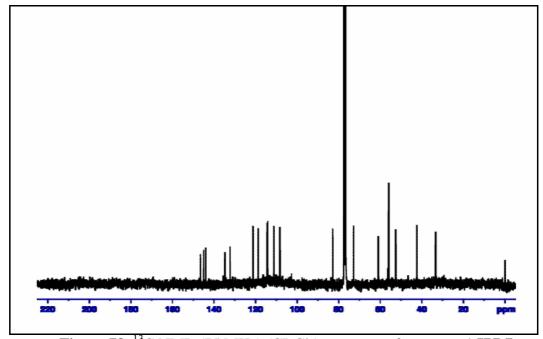


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