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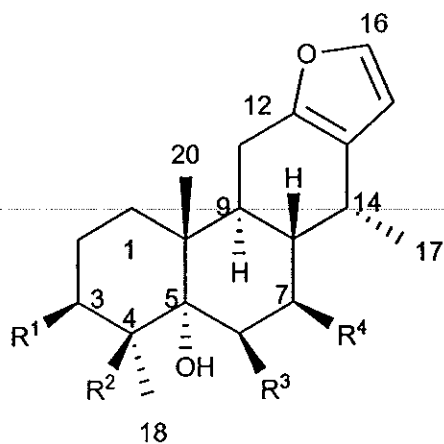
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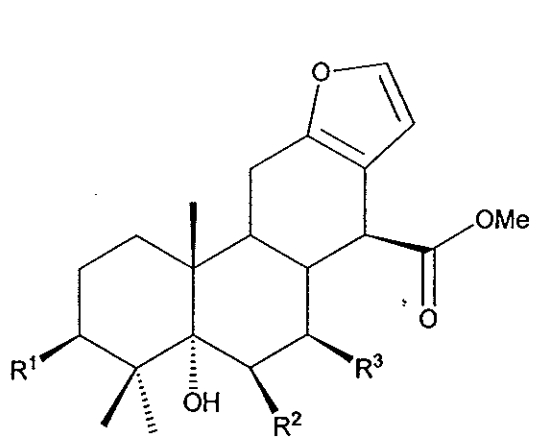
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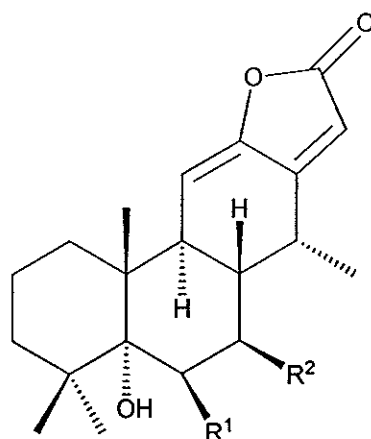
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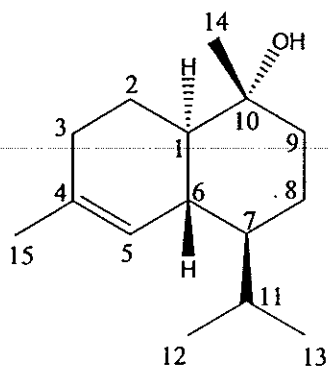
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 CP8 $R^1 = H, R^2 = Me, R^3 = OCOCH=CHPh, R^4 = OH$
 CP9 $R^1 = OCOPh, R^2 = COOH, R^3 = OCOPh, R^4 = OAc$
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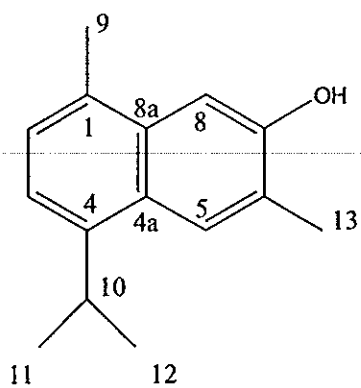
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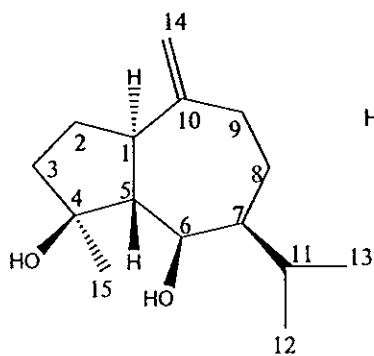
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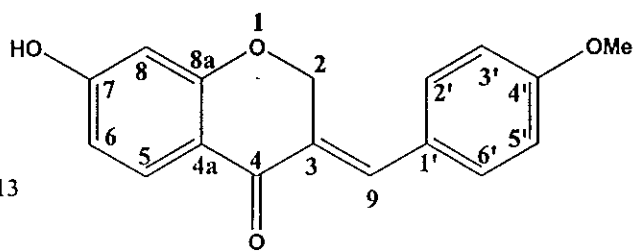
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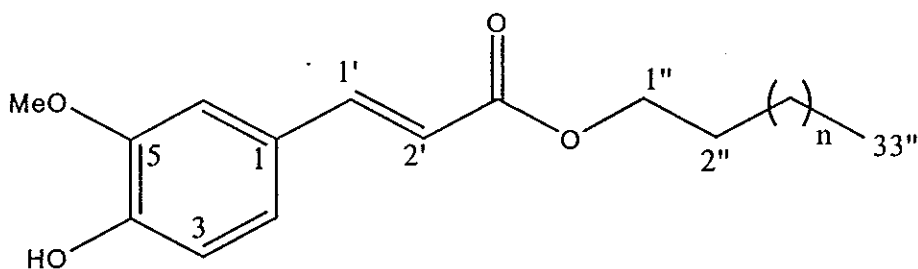
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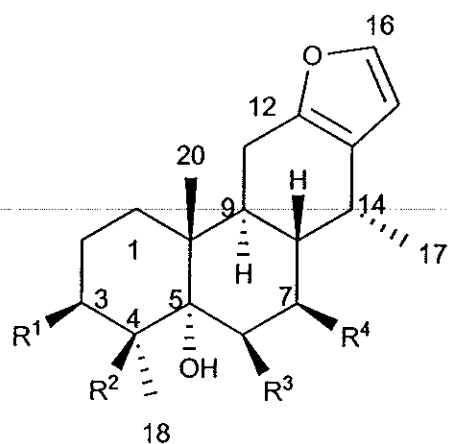


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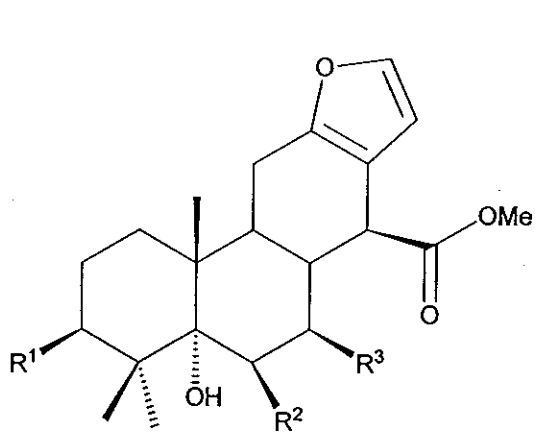
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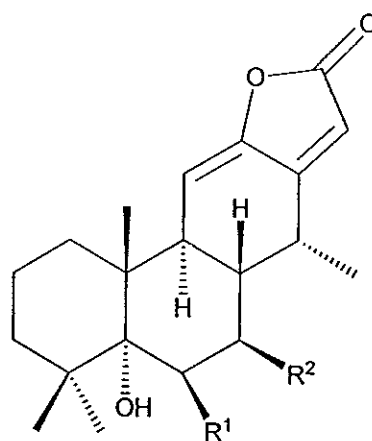
Investigation of the methylene chloride extract of the stem of *Caesalpinia pulcherrima* resulted in six new cassane diterpenoids: pulcherrin A (CP1), pulcherrin B (CP2), pulcherrin C (CP3), neocaesalpin P (CP4), neocaesalpin Q (CP5) and neocaesalpin R (CP6) and a new ferrulic ester: tritriacontyl ferrulate (CP15), together with eight known compounds: isovouacapenol C (CP7), 6 β -cinnamoyl-7 β -hydroxy-vouacapen-5 α -ol (CP8), pulcherrimin E (CP9), pulcherrimin C (CP10), α -cadinol (CP11), 7-hydroxycadalene (CP12), teucladiol (CP13) and bonducellin (CP14). Their structures were elucidated on the basis of spectroscopic data.



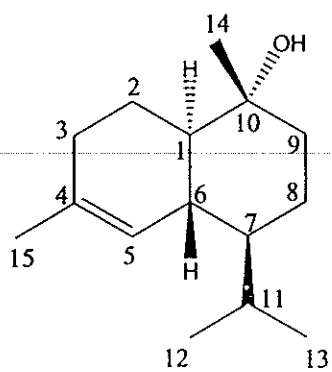
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 CP9 $R^1 = OCOPh, R^2 = COOH, R^3 = OCOPh, R^4 = OAc$
 CP10 $R^1 = H, R^2 = COOH, R^3 = OCOPh, R^4 = OCOPh$



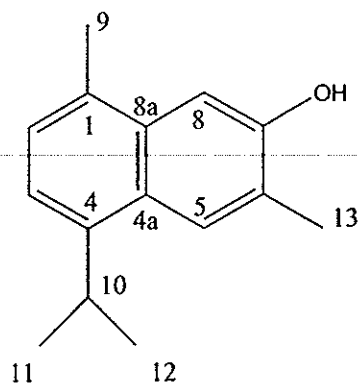
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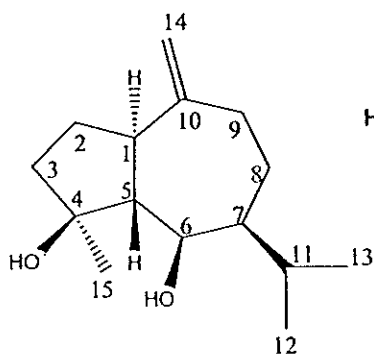
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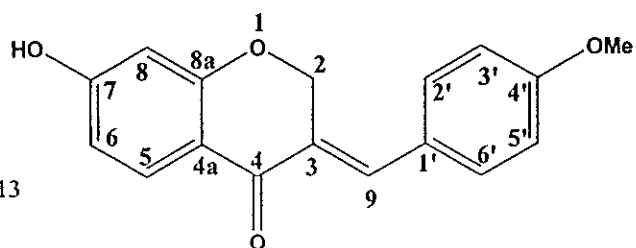
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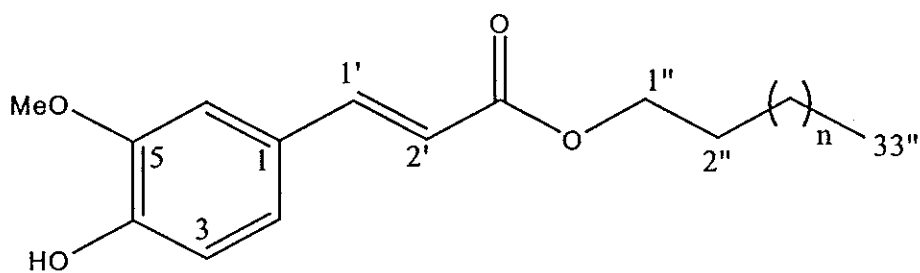
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THE RELEVANCE OF THE RESEARCH WORK TO THAILAND

The purpose of this research is to investigate the chemical constituents of *Caesalpinia pulcherrima*. It is a part of the basic research on the utilization of the Thai medicinal plants. Chemical investigation of constituents from the stem of *C. pulcherrima* has led to isolation of seven new compounds together with eight known compounds.

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ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

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

ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS (continued)

2D NMR	=	Two Dimensional Nuclear Magnetic Resonance
COSY	=	Correlation Spectroscopy
DEPT	=	Distortionless Enhancement by Polarization Transfer
HMBC	=	Heteronuclear Multiple Bond Correlation
HMQC	=	Heteronuclear Multiple Quantum Coherence
CC	=	Column Chromatography
QCC	=	Quick Column Chromatography
TMS	=	tetramethylsilane
CDCl ₃	=	deuteriochloroform
CD ₃ OD	=	deuteromethanol

CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Introduction

Caesalpinia pulcherrima Swartz. belongs to Leguminosae - Caesalpinioideae family and, is known locally as “Hang Nok Yung Thai (หางนกยูงไทย)”. Other common names for this species are Poinciana, Peacock Flower, Red Bird of Paradise, Mexican Bird of Paradise, Dwarf Poinciana, Pride of Barbados, and flamboyan-de-jardin. The Leguminosae-Caesalpinioideae family comprises about 150 genera with 2,200 species. In Thailand only 20 genera with 113 species are found, from *Caesalpinia* genus only 18 species are found. *C. pulcherrima* has been found through out Thailand.

C. pulcherrima is a small sized, perennial shrub, 1-3 m tall. The leaves are bipinnate, 20-40 cm long, bearing 3-10 pairs of pinnae, each with 6-10 pair of leaflets 15-25 mm long and 10-15 mm broad. The flowers are borne in racemes up to 2 cm long which appear yellow, pink, off-white and red with yellow margins. This plant is a striking ornamental plant, widely grown in tropical gardens. It is also the national flower of the Caribbean island of Barbados, and is depicted on the Queen's personal Barbadian flag.

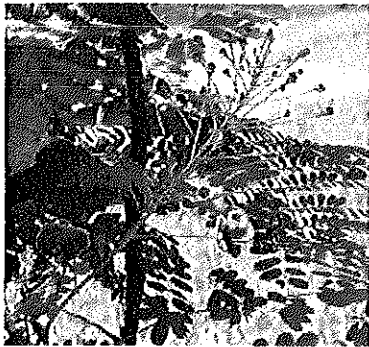
Several members of *Caesalpinia* genus are being used traditionally for a wide variety of ethnomedical properties (Uphof, 1968). The stem of this plant possesses interesting antitumor activities (Che *et al.*, 1986). Previous studies undertaken on *C. pulcherrima* in view of its medicinal significance have led to the isolation of several cassane-type diterpene (Ragasa *et al.*, 2002). Ester cassane-type diterpenes were found to be active against DNA repair-deficient yeast mutant (Patel *et al.*, 1997).



a. Tree



b. Leaves



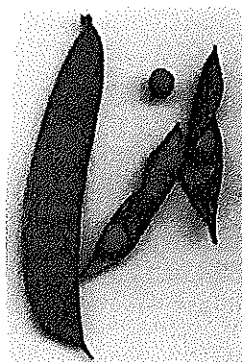
c. Stem



d. Flowers



e. Fruits



f. Seeds

Figure 1 Parts of *Caesalpinia pulcherrima*

1.2 Review of literatures

Chemical constituents isolated from 18 species of the genus *Caesalpinia* were summarized by Orapun Yodsaoue in 2008 (Yodsaoue, 2008).

These compounds are presented in Table 1.

Table 1 Compounds from plants of *Caesalpinia* genus

a : Benzenoids b : Coumarins c : Diterpenes
 d : Flavonoids e : Phenylpropanoids
 f : Sesquiterpenes g : Steroids h : Triterpenes

Scientific name	Investigated part	Compound	Bibliography
<i>C. benthamiana</i>	Root bark	Benthaminin 1, 8c Benthaminin 2, 9c Deoxycaesaldekarin C, 69c	Dickson <i>et al.</i> , 2007
<i>C. bonduc</i>	Part not specified	Caesalpinolide A, 65c Caesalpinolide B, 66c	Yadav <i>et al.</i> , 2007
	Bark	Caesaldekarin J, 19c 17-Hydroxy-campesta-4,6-dien-3-one, 151g 13,14- <i>seco</i> -Stigmasta-5,14-dien-3 α -ol, 152g 13,14- <i>seco</i> -Stigmasta-9(11), 14-Dien-3 α -ol, 153g Pipataline, 148e	Udenigwe <i>et al.</i> , 2007
	Kernels	2-Acetoxycaesaldekarin E, 6c	Pudhom <i>et al.</i> , 2007

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Scientific name	Investigated part	Compound	Bibliography
<i>C. bonduc</i>	Kernels	Bonducellpin A, 10c Bonducellpin B, 14c Bonducellpin C, 11c Bonducellpin E, 15c Bonducellpin F, 16c Bonducellpin G, 17c α -Caesalpin, 26c γ -Caesalpin, 28c Caesalmin B, 20c Caesalmin D, 24c Caesalmin E, 25c Caesalpinin C, 30c Caesalpinin I, 39c Caesalpinin K, 44c Caesalpinin P, 48c 14(17)-Dehydrocaesalpin F, 35c	Pudhom <i>et al.</i> , 2007
<i>C. crista</i>	Seeds	Taepeenin J, 109c Taepeenin K, 110c Taepeenin L, 111c (5 α)-Vouacapa-(14),9(11)-diene, 112c (5 α ,8 β)-Vouacapane, 113c (5 α ,6 β ,8 β)-Vouacapan-6-ol, 114c	Cheenpracha <i>et al.</i> , 2006
	Root	Taepeenin E, 102c Taepeenin H, 105c	Cheenpracha <i>et al.</i> , 2005

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Scientific name	Investigated part	Compound	Bibliography
<i>C. crista</i>	Root	Taepeenin I, 106c Vinhaticoic acid, 107c	Cheenpracha <i>et al.</i> , 2005
	Stems	<i>ent</i> -11 β -Hydroxy-rosa- 5,15-diene, 70c Methyl vinhaticoate, 108c Nortaepeenin A, 85c Nortaepeenin B, 86c Taepeenin A, 98c Taepeenin B, 99c Taepeenin C, 100c Taepeenin D, 101c Taepeenin F, 103c Taepeenin G, 104c	Cheenpracha <i>et al.</i> , 2005
	Kernels	7-Acetoxybonducellpin C, 37c 2-Acetoxycaesaldekarin E, 6c 2-Acetoxy-3-deacetoxy Caesaldekarin E, 4c 6-Acetoxy-3-deacetoxy Caesaldekarin E, 7c Caesaldekarin E, 5c Caesalmin B, 20c Caesalmin C, 23c Caesalmin E, 25c 14(17)-Dehydrocaesalpin F, 35c	Kalauni <i>et al.</i> , 2004

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		Caesalpinin MA, 49c	
		Caesalpinin MB, 50c	
		Caesalpinin MC, 51c	
		Caesalpinin ME, 53c	
		Norcaesalpinin B, 34c	
		Norcaesalpinin MA, 81c	
		Norcaesalpinin MB, 82c	
		Norcaesalpinin MC, 83c	
		7-Acetoxybonducellpin C, 37c	Kalauni <i>et al.</i> , 2005a
		2-Acetoxycaesaldekarin E, 6c	
		Caesaldekarin E, 5c	
		Caesalmin C, 23c	
		Caesalmin G, 21c	
		β -Caesalpin, 27c	
		Caesalpinin C, 30c	
		Caesalpinin D, 22c	
		Caesalpinin E, 36c	
		Caesalpinin F, 38c	
		Caesalpinin H, 42c	
		Caesalpinin I, 39c	
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		Caesalpinin N, 46c		
		Caesalpinin O, 43c		
		Norcaesalpinin MD, 84c		
		2-Acetoxycaesaldekarin E, 6c		Kalauni <i>et al.</i> , 2005b
		Bonducellpin C, 11c		
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		Caesalpinin MN, 61c		
		Caesalpinin MO, 63c		
		Caesalpinin MP, 64c		
		1-Deacetoxy-1-oxocaesalmin C, 67c		
		1-Deacetylcaesalmin C, 68c		
		Norcaesalpinin E, 32c	Linn <i>et al.</i> , 2005	
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		7-Acetoxybonducellpin, 37c		
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Caesaldekarin E, 5c				
Caesalmin B, 20c				

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<i>C. crista</i>	Kernels	Caesalpinin K, 44c Caesalpinin L, 45c Caesalpinin M, 47c Caesalpinin N, 46c Caesalpinin O, 43c Caesalpinin P, 48c 1-Deacetoxy-1-oxocaesalmin C, 67c Norcaesalpinin E, 32c Norcaesalpinin F, 79c	Awale <i>et al.</i> , 2006
	Leaves	Neocaesalpin H, 72c Neocaesalpin I, 73c	Kinoshita <i>et al.</i> , 2005
<i>C. decapetala</i>	Leaves	Caesaldecan, 18c 4,5-Epoxy-8(14)-caryophyllene, 149f Spathulenol, 150f Lupeol, 154h Squalene, 155h <i>trans</i> -Resveratrol, 2a Quercetin, 143d Astragalin, 115d	Kiem <i>et al.</i> , 2005
<i>C. digyna</i>	Twigs and stems roots	Bonducellin, 116d Bergenin, 3b	Boonsri <i>et al.</i> , 2005 Srinivasan <i>et al.</i> , 2007
<i>C. magnifoliolata</i>	Seeds	Caesalmin D, 24c Caesalmin E, 25c	Yin <i>et al.</i> , 2008

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<i>C. millettii</i> HOOK. <i>et</i> ARN	Stems	Bonducellin, 116d Eucomin, 126d Intricatinol, 128d 8-Methoxybonducellin, 127d 8-Methoxyisobonducellin, 134d Tamarixetin 3- <i>O</i> -(6''- <i>O</i> - <i>E</i> - caffeoyl)- β -D-alactopyra noside, 147d	Chen and Yang, 2007
<i>C. mimosoides</i> Lamk	Part not specified	Gallic acid, 1a	Chanwitheesuk <i>et al.</i> , 2007
<i>C. minax</i>	seeds	Neocaesalpin J, 74c Neocaesalpin K, 75c Neocaesalpin L, 76c Neocaesalpin M, 77c Neocaesalpin N, 78c	Li <i>et al.</i> , 2006
<i>C. pulcherrima</i>	Part not specified	Bonducellin, 116d Dihydrobonducellin, 119d Isobonducellin, 132d 20-Methoxybonducellin, 133d 20-Methoxydihydrobonduce llin, 120d	Zhao <i>et al.</i> , 2004

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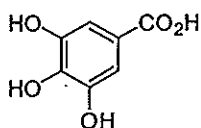
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<i>C. sappan</i>	Heartwood	Bonducellin, 116d Neoprotosappanin, 136d Brazilin, 117d 3'-Deoxysappanol, 123d 3'-Deoxy-4- <i>O</i> -methylsappanol, 122d 3'-Deoxysappanone B, 145d 3'- <i>O</i> -Methylbrazilin, 118d 4- <i>O</i> -Methylepisappanol, 135d 4- <i>O</i> -Methylsappanol, 124d Neosappanone A, 137d Protosappanin A, 138d Protosappanin A dimethyl acetal, 140d Protosappanin B, 141d Protosappanin C dimethyl acetal, 142d	Nguyen <i>et al.</i> , 2004 Nguyen <i>et al.</i> , 2005

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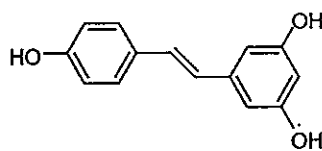
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<i>C. sappan</i>	Heartwood	Protosappanin E-2, 139d Sappanol, 121d Sappanone B, 146d Sappanchalcone, 144d	Nguyen <i>et al.</i> , 2005
	Seeds	Phanginin A, 87c Phanginin B, 88c Phanginin C, 89c Phanginin D, 90c Phanginin E, 91c Phanginin F, 92c Phanginin G, 93c Phanginin H, 94c Phanginin I, 95c Phanginin J, 96c Phanginin K, 97c	Yodsaoue <i>et al.</i> , 2008

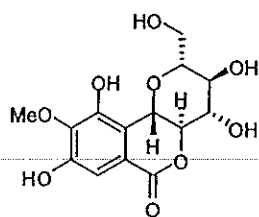
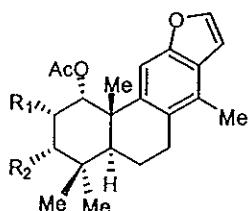
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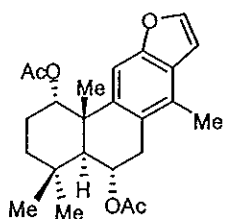
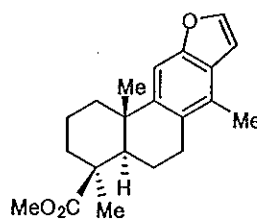
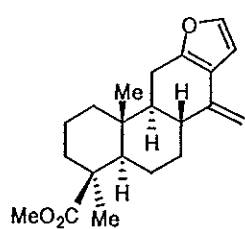
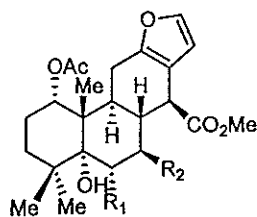


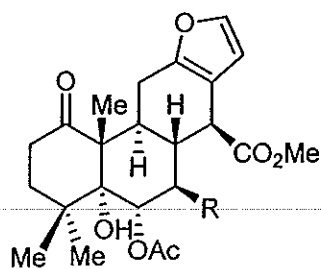
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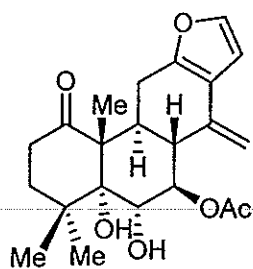
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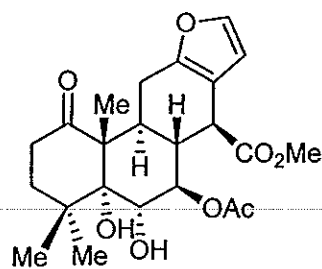
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13c: R = OAc; Caesalpinin J

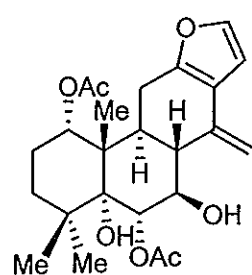


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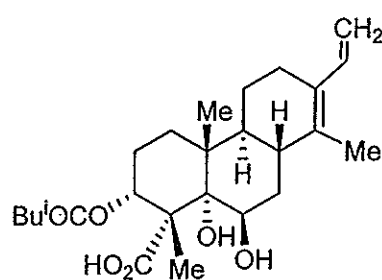


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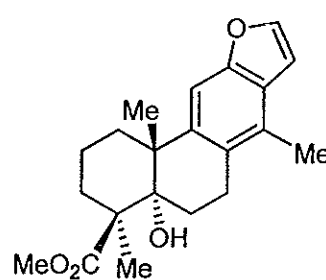
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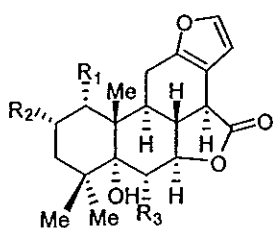
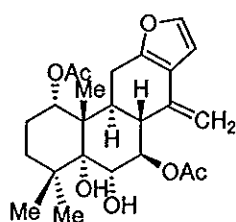
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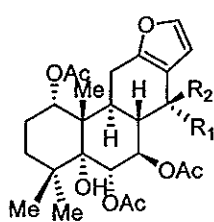
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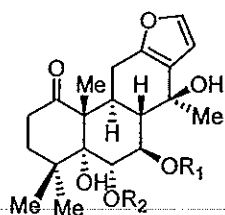
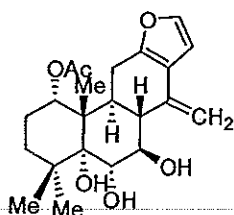
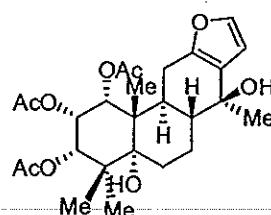


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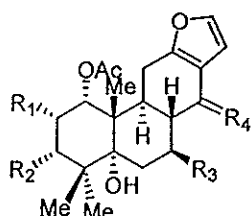
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23c: Caesalmin C

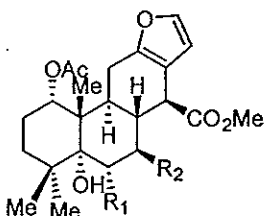
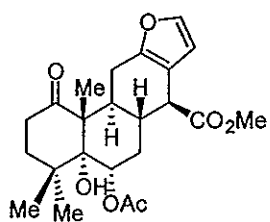
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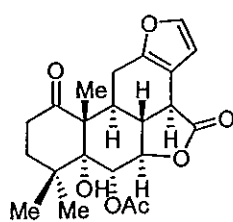
39c: Caesalpin F

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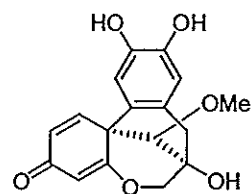
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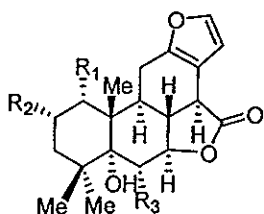
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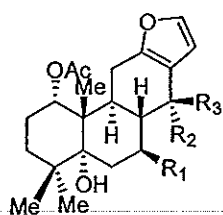


39c: Caesalpinin I



40c: Caesalpinin J

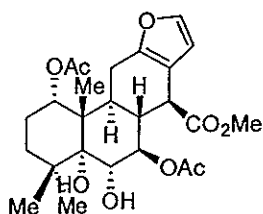
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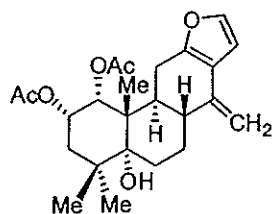
44c: $R_1 = \text{OH}$, $R_2 = \text{Me}$, $R_3 = \text{H}$; Caesalpinin K

45c: $R_1 = \text{OAc}$, $R_2 = \text{OH}$, $R_3 = \text{Me}$; Caesalpinin L

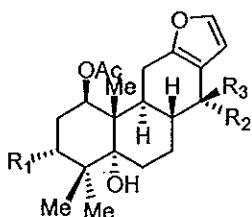
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47c: Caesalpinin M

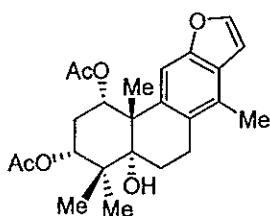


48c: Caesalpinin P

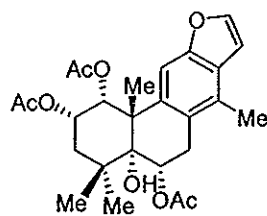


49c: $R_1 = \text{OAc}$, $R_2 = \text{Me}$, $R_3 = \text{H}$; Caesalpinin MA

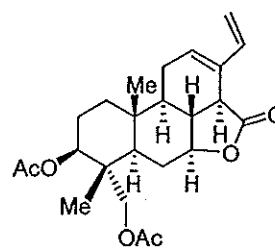
50c: $R_1 = R_2 = \text{H}$, $R_3 = \text{CO}_2\text{Me}$; Caesalpinin MB



51c: Caesalpinin MC



52c: Caesalpinin MD



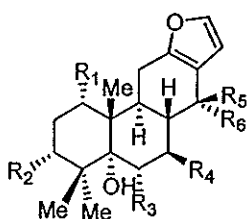
53c: Caesalpinin ME

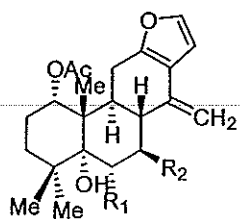
54c: $R_1 = R_2 = \text{OAc}$, $R_3 = R_4 = R_6 = \text{H}$, $R_5 = \text{CO}_2\text{Me}$;
Caesalpinin MF

55c: $R_1 = R_3 = R_4 = \text{OAc}$, $R_2 = R_6 = \text{H}$, $R_5 = \text{CO}_2\text{Me}$;
Caesalpinin MG

56c: $R_1 = R_3 = \text{OAc}$, $R_2 = R_6 = \text{H}$, $R_4 = \text{OH}$, $R_5 = \text{CO}_2\text{H}$;
Caesalpinin MH

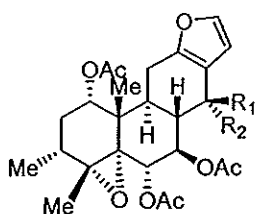
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Caesalpinin MI





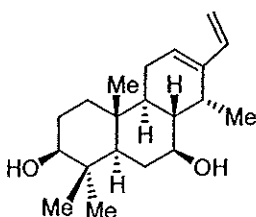
58c: $R_1 = H, R_2 = OAc$; Caesalpinin MJ

59c: $R_1 = OAc, R_2 = H$; Caesalpinin MK

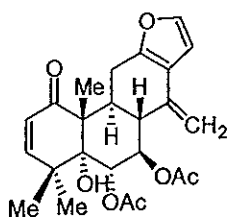


60c: $R_1 = Me, R_2 = OH$; Caesalpinin MM

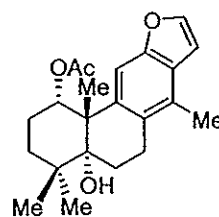
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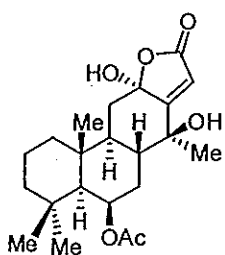
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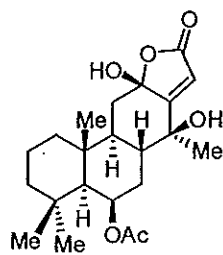
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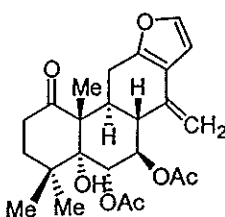
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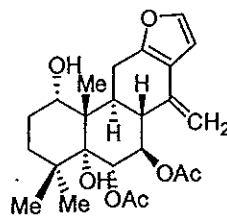
65c: Caesalpinolide A



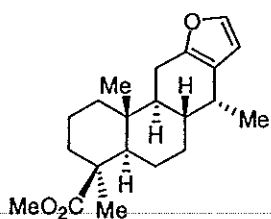
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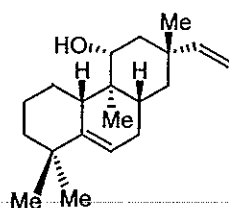
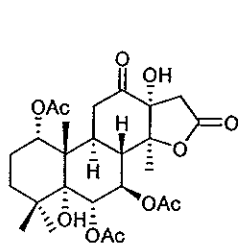
67c: 1-Deacetoxy-1-oxocaesalmin C



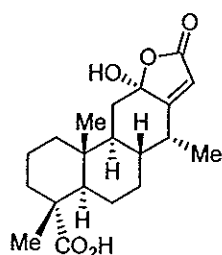
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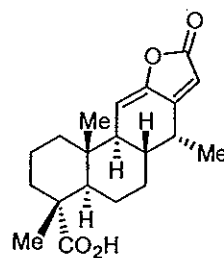
69c: Deoxycsaesaldekarin C

70c: *ent*-11 β -Hydroxy-rosa-5,15-diene

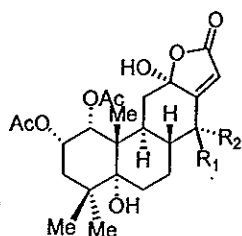
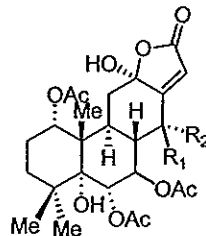
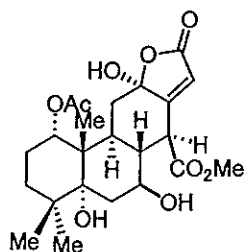
71c: Magnicaesalpin



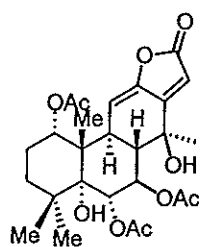
72c: Neocaesalpin H



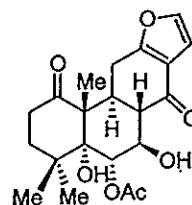
73c: Neocaesalpin I

74c: R₁ = Me, R₂ = H; Neocaesalpin J76c: R₁ = OH, R₂ = Me; Neocaesalpin L75c: R₁ = Me, R₂ = OMe; Neocaesalpin K77c: R₁ = OMe, R₂ = Me; Neocaesalpin M

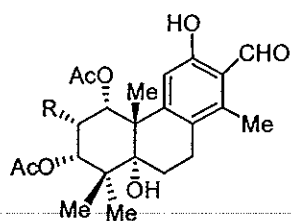
78c: Neocaesalpin N



79c: Neocaesalpin O

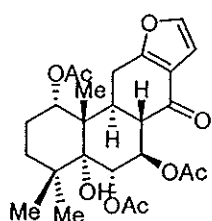


80c: Norcaesalpinin F

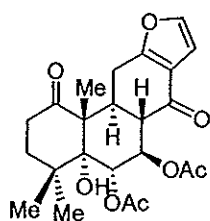


81c: R = H; Norcaesalpinin MA

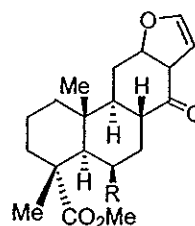
82c: R = OAc; Norcaesalpinin MB



83c: Norcaesalpinin MC

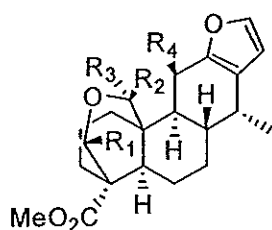


84c: Norcaesalpinin MD



85c: R = H; Nortaepeenin A

86c: R = OH; Nortaepeenin B



87c: R₁ = R₃ = R₄ = H, R₂ = OH; Phanginin A

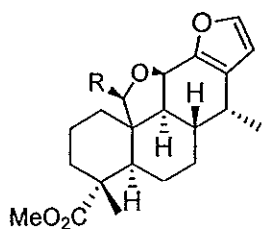
88c: R₁ = OH, R₂ = R₃ = R₄ = H; Phanginin B

89c: R₁ = R₂ = R₄ = H, R₃ = OMe; Phanginin C

90c: R₁ = OMe, R₂ = R₃ = R₄ = H; Phanginin D

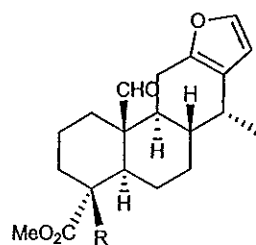
91c: R₁ = =O, R₂ = R₃ = R₄ = H; Phanginin E

92c: R₁ = R₂ = H, R₃ = R₄ = OH; Phanginin



93c: R = OH; Phanginin G

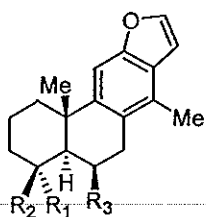
94c: R = H; Phanginin H



95c: R = Me; Phanginin I

96c: R = CHO; Phanginin J

97c: R = CO₂Me; Phanginin K



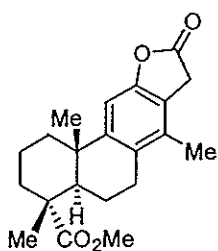
98c: $R_1 = \text{CO}_2\text{Me}$, $R_2 = \text{Me}$, $R_3 = \text{H}$; Taepeenin A

99c: $R_1 = \text{CO}_2\text{H}$, $R_2 = \text{Me}$, $R_3 = \text{H}$; Taepeenin B

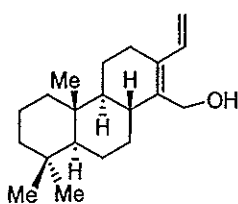
100c: $R_1 = \text{CO}_2\text{Me}$, $R_2 = \text{Me}$, $R_3 = \text{OH}$; Taepeenin C

101c: $R_1 = \text{CO}_2\text{Me}$, $R_2 = \text{Me}$, $R_3 = \text{OAc}$; Taepeenin D

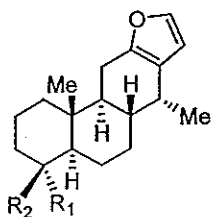
102c: $R_1 = \text{CO}_2\text{Me}$, $R_2 = \text{CHO}$, $R_3 = \text{H}$; Taepeenin E



103c: Taepeenin F



104c: Taepeenin G

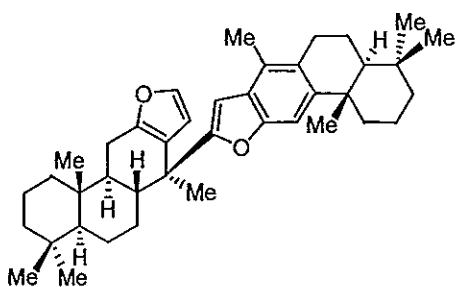


104c: $R_1 = \text{CO}_2\text{Me}$, $R_2 = \text{CHO}$; Taepeenin H

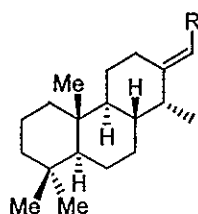
106c: $R_1 = \text{CO}_2\text{Me}$, $R_2 = \text{CH}_2\text{OH}$; Taepeenin I

107c: $R_1 = \text{CO}_2\text{H}$, $R_2 = \text{Me}$; Vinhaticoic acid

108c: $R_1 = \text{CO}_2\text{Me}$, $R_2 = \text{Me}$; Methyl vinhaticoate

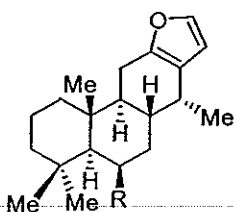
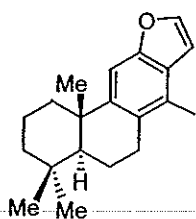


109c: Taepeenin J



110c: $R = \text{CHO}$; Taepeenin K

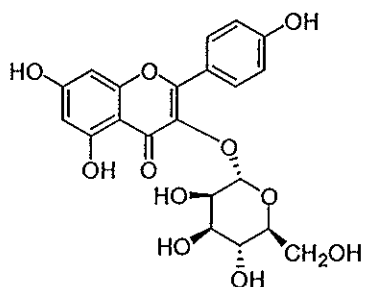
111c: $R = \text{CH}_2\text{OH}$; Taepeenin L



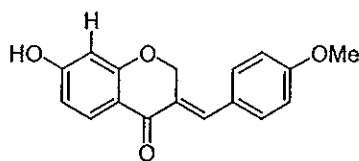
112c: (5α)-Vouacapa-8(14),9(11)-diene 113c: R = H; ($5\alpha,8\beta$)-Vouacapane

114c: R = OH; ($5\alpha,6\beta,8\beta$)-Vouacapan-6-ol

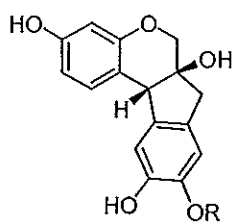
d : Flavonoids



115d: Astragalin

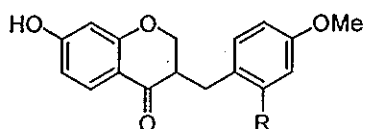


116d: Bonducellin



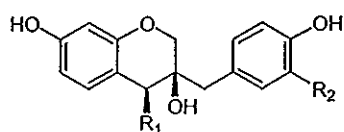
117d: R = H; Brazilin

118d: R = CH₃; 3'-O-Methylbrazilin



119d: R = H; Dihydrobonducellin

120d: R = CH₃; 20-Methoxydihydrobonducellin



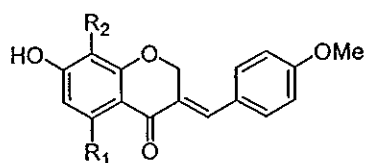
121d: R₁ = R₂ = OH; Sappanol

122d: R₁ = OMe, R₂ = H; 3'-Deoxy-4-O-methylsappanol

123d: R₁ = OH, R₂ = H; 3'-Deoxysappanol

124d: R₁ = OMe, R₂ = OH; 4-O-Methylsappanol

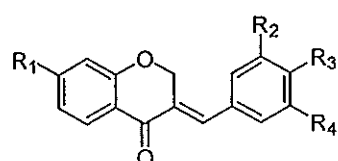
125d: R₁ = OH, R₂ = OMe; 3'-O-Methylsappanol



126d: $R_1 = \text{OH}$, $R_2 = \text{H}$; Eucomin

127d: $R_1 = \text{H}$, $R_2 = \text{OMe}$; 8-Methoxybonducellin

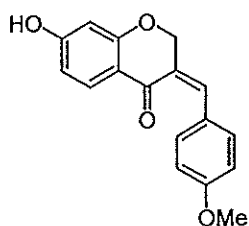
128d: $R_1 = \text{H}$, $R_2 = \text{OH}$; Intricatinol



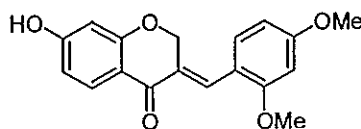
129d: $R_1 = \text{OMe}$, $R_2 = R_4 = \text{H}$, $R_3 = \text{OMe}$; (*E*)-7-Methoxy-3-(4'-methoxybenzylidene)chroman-4-one

130d: $R_1 = \text{OH}$, $R_2 = R_4 = \text{H}$, $R_3 = \text{OMe}$; (*E*)-7-Hydroxy-3-(4'-methoxybenzylidene)chroman-4-one

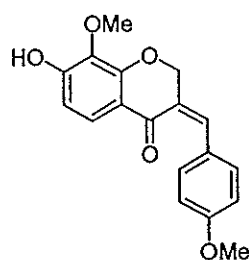
131d: $R_1 = \text{OH}$, $R_2 = R_4 = R_3 = \text{OMe}$; (*E*)-7-Hydroxy-3-(3',4',5'-trimethoxybenzylidene)chroman-4-one



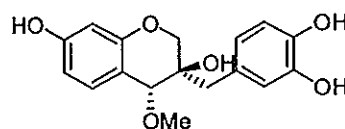
132d: Isobonducellin



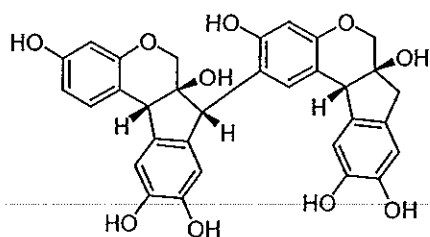
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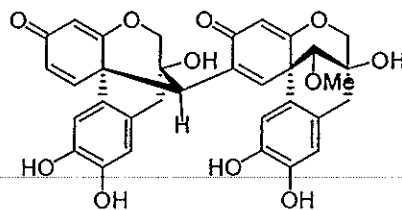
134d: 8-Methoxyisobonducellin



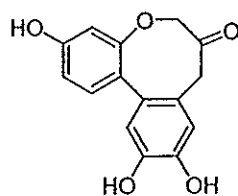
135d: 4-*O*-Methylepisappanol



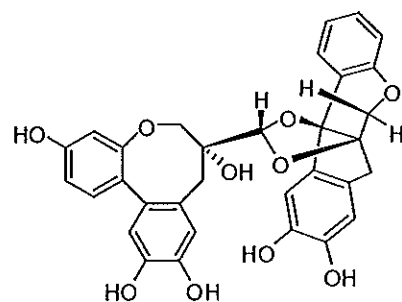
136d: Neoprotosappanin



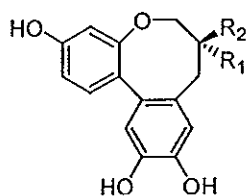
137d: Neosappanone A



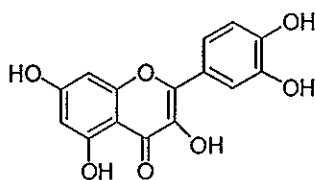
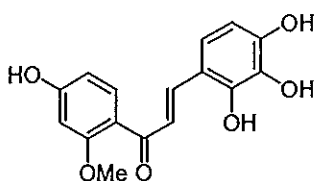
138d: Protosappanin A

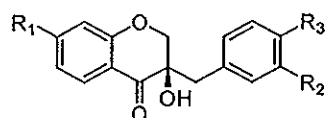


139d: Protosappanin E-2

140d: $R_1 = R_2 = \text{OMe}$; Protosappanin A dimethyl acetal141d: $R_1 = \text{OH}$, $R_2 = \text{CH}_2\text{OH}$; Protosappanin B142d: $R_1 = \text{OH}$, $R_2 = \text{CH}(\text{OCH}_3)_2$;

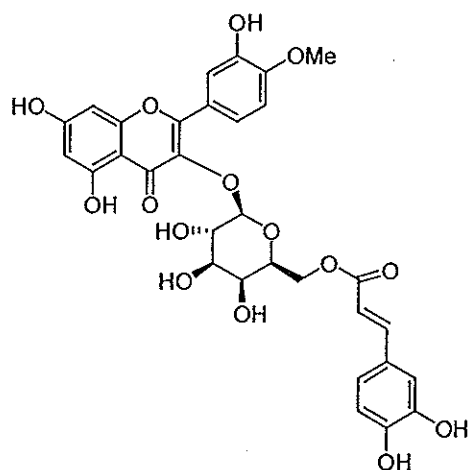
Protosappanin C dimethyl acetal

143d: $R_1 = R_2 = R_3 = R_4 = \text{OH}$; Quercetin144d: $R_1 = \text{OMe}$, $R_2 = \text{H}$, $R_3 = \text{OH}$; Sappanchalcone



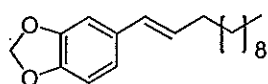
145d: R₁ = R₃ = OMe, R₂ = H; 3'-Deoxysappanone B

146d: R₁ = R₂ = R₃ = OH; Sappanone B



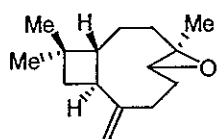
147d: Tamarixetin 3-*O*-(6''-*O*-*E*-caffeoyl)-β-*D*-alactopyranoside

e: Phenylpropanoids

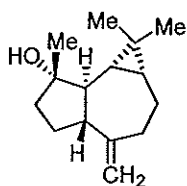


148e: Pipataline

f: Sesquiterpenes

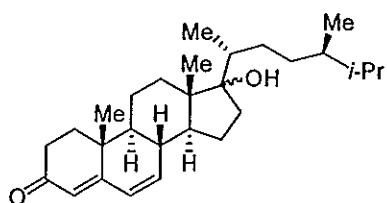


149f: 4,5-Epoxy-8(14)-caryophyllene

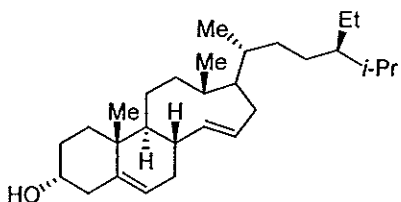
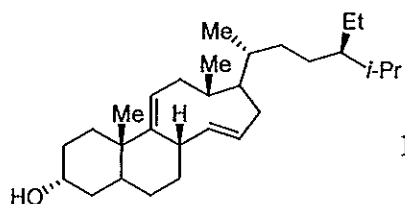


150f: Spathulenol

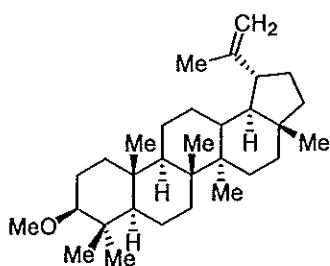
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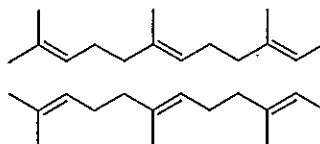
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152g: 13,14-*seco*-Stigmasta-5,14-dien-3 α -ol153g: 13,14-*seco*-Stigmasta-9(11),14-dien-3 α -ol

h: Triterpenes



154h: Lupeol



155h: Squalene

1.3 Objective

This research involved isolation, purification and structure elucidation of chemical constituents investigated from the stem of *Caesalpinia pulcherrima*.

CHAPTER 2 EXPERIMENTAL

2.1 Instruments and chemicals

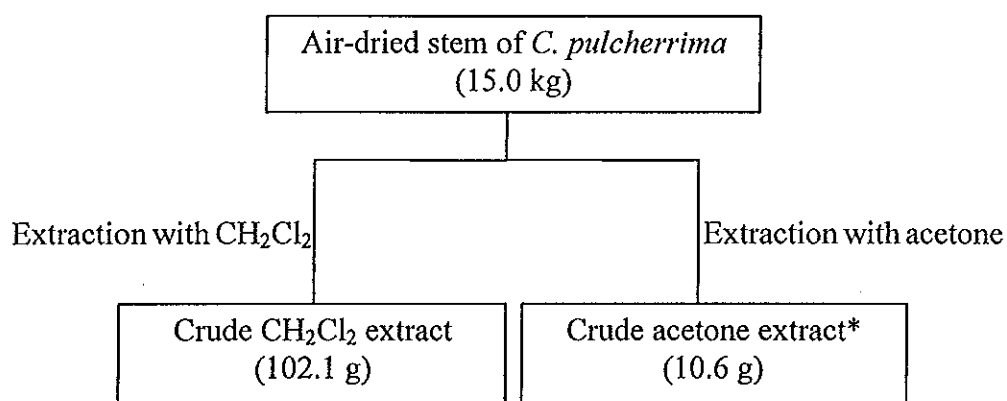
Melting point was recorded in °C on a Fisher-Johns melting point apparatus. Infrared spectra were recorded using FTS FT-IR spectrophotometer and major bands (ν) were recorded in wave number (cm^{-1}). Ultraviolet (UV) absorption spectra were recorded using a SPECORD S 100 (Analytikjena) and UV-160A spectrophotometer (SHIMADZU) and principle bands (λ_{max}) were recorded as wavelengths (nm) and $\log \epsilon$ in chloroform and methanol solution. Nuclear magnetic resonance spectra were recorded using 300 MHz Bruker FTNMR Ultra Shield™. Spectra were recorded in deuteriochloroform and deuterioacetone solution and were recorded as δ value in ppm downfield from TMS (internal standard δ 0.00). The EI-MS and ESI-TOF-MS were performed using a MAT 95 XL and Micromass LCT mass spectrometer, respectively. Optical rotation was measured in chloroform solution with sodium D line (590 nm) on an AUTOPOL^R II automatic polarimeter. Solvent for extraction and chromatography were distilled at their boiling point ranges prior to use except diethyl ether was analytical grade reagent. Quick column chromatography was performed on silica gel 60 GF₂₅₄ (Merck). Column chromatography was performed on silica gel (Merck) type 100 (0.063 – 0.200).

2.2 Plant material

Stem of *Caesalpinia pulcherrima* (L.) Swartz. was collected from Songkhla province, Thailand in October 2005. Identification was made by Assoc. Prof. Dr. Kitichate Sridith, Department of Biology, Faculty of Science, Prince of Songkla University and a specimen (No. SC51) deposited at Prince of Songkla University Herbarium.

2.3 Extraction

The air-dried stem (15.0 kg) of *C. pulcherrima* was extracted with CH_2Cl_2 and acetone successively (each 2 x 2.5 L, for 5 days) at room temp. The crude extracts were evaporated under reduced pressure to afford brownish CH_2Cl_2 (102.1 g) and acetone (10.6 g) extracts, respectively. The process of extraction was shown in **Scheme 1**.

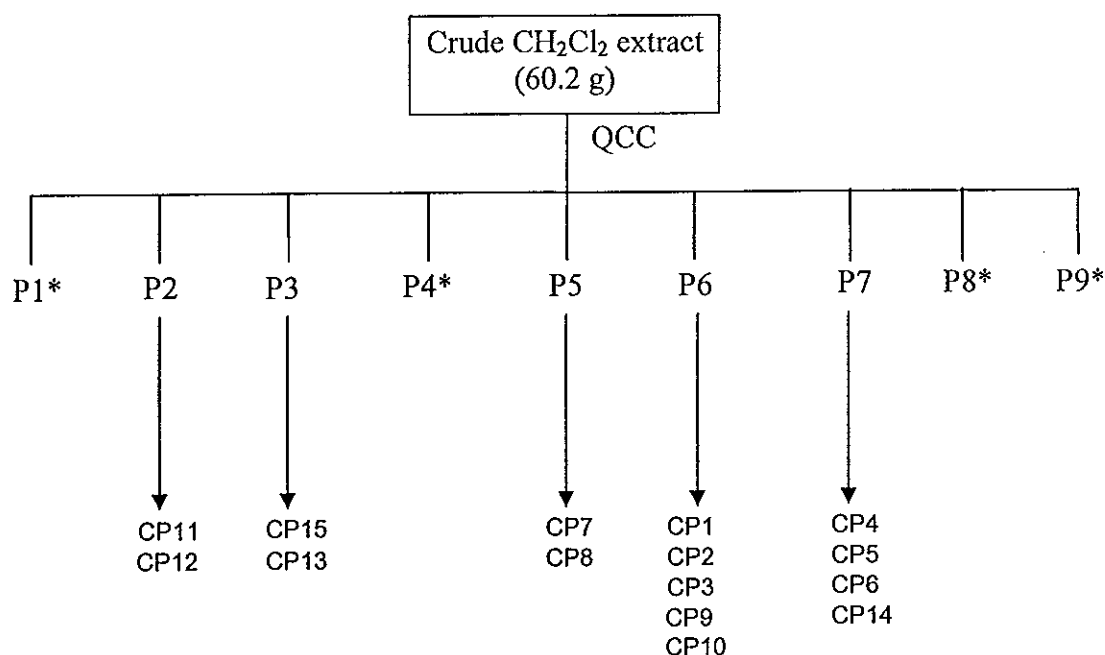


* Not further investigated

Scheme 1 Extraction of the stem of *C. pulcherrima*

2.4 Isolation and chemical investigation

2.4.1 Investigation of the crude methylene chloride extract from the stem of *C. pulcherrima*



* Not further investigated

Scheme 2 Isolation of compounds CP1-CP15 from the stem of *C. pulcherrima*

A portion of the crude methylene chloride extract (60.2 g) was purified by QCC using hexane as eluent and increasing polarity with ethyl acetate to give nine fractions (P1-P9, **Scheme 2**).

Fraction P2 (2.7g) was further purified by QCC with EtOAc-hexane (1:19, v/v) to give seven subfractions (P2a-P2g). Subfraction P2b (80.5 mg) was separated by CC with EtOAc-hexane (1:19, v/v) to give CP11 (10.2 mg). Subfraction P2c (50.8 mg) was purified by CC with EtOAc-hexane (1:13, v/v) to give CP12 (1.5 mg).

Fraction P3 (1.5 g) was separated by QCC using hexane as eluent and increasing polarity with acetone to afford four subfractions (P3a-P3d). Subfraction P3a (640.9 mg) was purified by QCC using hexane as eluent and increasing polarity with EtOAc to afford five subfractions (P3a1-P3a5). Subfraction P3a1 (80.5 mg) was separated by QCC with EtOAc-hexane (1:9, v/v) to give CP15 (6.2 mg). Subfraction P3b (751.0 mg) was subjected to QCC using hexane as eluent and increasing polarity with EtOAc to afford four subfractions (P3b1-P3b4). Subfraction P3b2 (30.2 mg) was separated by CC with EtOAc-CH₂Cl₂-hexane (5:13:15, v/v) to give CP13 (3.0 mg).

Fraction P5 (3.5 g) was purified by QCC using hexane as eluent and increasing polarity with EtOAc to afford six subfractions (P5a-P5f). Subfraction P5e (760.5 mg) was separated by CC with EtOAc-hexane (3:17, v/v) to afford CP7 (48.3 mg) and CP8 (6.4 mg).

Fraction P6 (3.1 g) was purified by QCC using hexane as eluent and increasing polarity with EtOAc to give eight subfractions (P6a-P6h). Subfraction P6f (1.3 g) was separated by QCC using hexane as eluent and increasing polarity with EtOAc to afford six subfractions (P6f1-P6f6). Subfraction P6f2 (501.8 mg) was purified by QCC using hexane as eluent and increasing polarity with EtOAc to give CP1 (10.2 mg). Subfraction P6f4 (85.1 mg) was subjected to CC with EtOAc-CH₂Cl₂-hexane (1:2:17, v/v) to afford CP2 (3.5 mg). Subfraction P6f5 (177.1 mg) was separated by CC with EtOAc-CH₂Cl₂-hexane (1:2:17, v/v) to afford CP9 (4.5 mg). Subfraction P6f6 (85.9 mg) was purified by CC with EtOAc-hexane (1:3, v/v) to afford CP10 (3.4 mg). Subfraction P6g (480.7 mg) was separated by QCC using hexane as eluent and increasing polarity with EtOAc to afford four subfractions (P6g1-P6g4). Subfraction P6g3 (79.1 mg) was separated to CC with EtOAc-CH₂Cl₂-hexane (1:2:17, v/v) to afford CP3 (8.2 mg).

Fraction P7 (1.2 g) was purified by QCC using hexane as eluent and increasing polarity with EtOAc to afford six subfractions (P7a-P7f). Subfraction P7a (50.8 mg) was separated by CC with EtOAc-hexane (1:4, v/v) to afford CP6 (1.5 mg). Subfraction P7c (380.4 mg) was purified by CC with acetone-hexane (3:17, v/v) and followed by prep TLC with acetone-hexane (1:4, v/v) to give CP5 (1.5 mg), and CP4 (2.3 mg). Subfraction P7e (111.6 mg) was separated by CC with EtOAc-hexane (1:4, v/v) to afford CP14 (8.0 mg)

Compound CP1: White powder; m.p. 125-127 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{26} + 10.4^\circ$ (CHCl₃; *c* 0.51); UV (MeOH) λ_{\max} (log ϵ): 216 (3.63) and 277 (3.64) nm; IR (neat) ν_{\max} : 3467, 2914, 2847, 2361, 2335, 1700, 1279, 1170, 1046, 997, 757, 667 cm⁻¹; HREIMS: *m/z* [M]⁺ 464.2573 (calcd for C₂₉H₃₆O₅, 464.2563); ¹H (CDCl₃, 300 MHz), see Table 2; ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz), see Table 2.

Compound CP2: Amorphous solid; $[\alpha]_D^{26} + 10.9^\circ$ (CHCl₃; *c* 0.18); UV (MeOH) λ_{\max} (log ϵ): 226 (4.21) and 273 (3.63) nm; IR (neat) ν_{\max} : 3400, 2930, 2863, 2361, 2335, 1713, 1702, 1276, 1114, 1067, 1023, 770, 711, 667 cm⁻¹; HREIMS: *m/z* [M]⁺ 438.2407 (calcd for C₂₇H₃₄O₅, 438.2406); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz), see Table 3; ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz), see Table 3.

Compound CP3: White powder; m.p. 180-182 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{26} + 13.9^\circ$ (CHCl₃; *c* 0.41); UV (MeOH) λ_{\max} (log ϵ): 226 (3.98) and 273 (3.17) nm; IR (neat) ν_{\max} : 3509, 2930, 2863, 1715, 1276, 1157, 1114, 1026, 760, 711, 667 cm⁻¹; HREIMS: *m/z* [M]⁺ 540.2383 (calcd for C₃₀H₃₆O₉, 540.2359); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz), see Table 4; ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz), see Table 4.

Compound CP4: Amorphous solid; $[\alpha]_D^{26} + 89.3^\circ$ (CHCl₃; *c* 0.12); UV (MeOH) λ_{\max} (log ϵ): 216 (4.39) and 279 (4.67) nm; IR (neat) ν_{\max} : 3338, 2919, 2852, 2356, 2341, 1746, 1702, 1449, 1274, 767, 667 cm⁻¹; HREIMS: *m/z* [M-H₂O]⁺ 460.2225 (calcd for C₂₉H₃₂O₅, 460.2250); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz), see Table 5; ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz), see Table 5.

Compound CP5: White powder, m.p. 250-252 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{26} + 25.8^\circ$ (CHCl₃; *c* 0.08); UV (MeOH) λ_{\max} (log ϵ): 230 (3.96) and 280 (3.93) nm; IR (neat) ν_{\max} : 3524, 2935, 2356, 1749, 1713, 1452, 1271, 1108, 1067, 990, 757, 711, 667 cm⁻¹; HREIMS: *m/z* [M-H₂O]⁺ 428.2154 (calcd for C₂₇H₃₀O₄, 418.2144); ¹H NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz), see Table 6; ¹³C NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz), see Table 6.

Compound CP6: Amorphous solid; $[\alpha]_D^{26} + 33.3^\circ$ (CHCl₃; *c* 0.08); UV (MeOH) λ_{\max} (log ϵ): 227 (3.86) and 280 (3.79) nm; IR (neat) ν_{\max} : 3478, 2925,

2852, 2356, 2335, 1777, 1746, 1710, 1456, 1271, 767, 667 cm^{-1} ; HREIMS: m/z $[\text{M}]^+$ 452.2219 (calcd for $\text{C}_{27}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_6$, 452.2199).; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz), see **Table 7**; ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz), see **Table 7**.

Compound CP7: Amorphous solid; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{26}$: -25.0° ($c = 0.85$, CHCl_3); UV (MeOH) λ_{max} ($\log \epsilon$): 280 (3.94) nm; IR (neat) ν_{max} : 3482, 1709, 1276, 1176, 1126, 715 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz), see **Table 8**; ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz), see **Table 8**.

Compound CP8: Amorphous solid; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{26}$: $+70^\circ$ ($c = 0.39$, CHCl_3); UV (MeOH) λ_{max} ($\log \epsilon$): 220 (4.47) nm; IR (neat) ν_{max} : 3580, 2935, 1717, 1711, 1642, 1510 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz), see **Table 10**; ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz), see **Table 10**.

Compound CP9: Amorphous solid; mp: 222-224 $^\circ\text{C}$; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{26}$: $+30.7^\circ$ ($c = 0.29$, CHCl_3); UV (MeOH) λ_{max} ($\log \epsilon$): 226 (3.94) nm, 273 (3.92), 281 (3.84) nm; IR (neat) ν_{max} : 3446, 2929, 1723, 1275, 769, 710 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz), see **Table 10**; ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz), see **Table 10**.

Compound CP10: Amorphous solid; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{30}$: $+72.2^\circ$ ($c = 0.28$, CHCl_3); UV (MeOH) λ_{max} ($\log \epsilon$): 226 (3.94), 272 (3.92), 281 (3.87) nm; IR (neat) ν_{max} : 3446, 2929, 1728, 1281 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz), see **Table 11**; ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz), see **Table 11**.

Compound CP11: Amorphous solid; $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{26}$: -30.1° ($c = 0.90$, CHCl_3); IR (neat) ν_{max} : 3361, 2952, 1640, 1448, 1367 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz), see **Table 12**; ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz), see **Table 12**.

Compound CP12: Viscous oil; UV (MeOH) λ_{max} ($\log \epsilon$): 225 (4.81), 235 (4.83), 276 (3.87), 286 (3.92), 299 (3.94), nm; IR (neat) ν_{max} : 3328, 2952, 2863, 1623, 1439, 1362, 1236, 1155, 1129, 1041, 853 cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz), see **Table 14**; ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz), see **Table 13**.

Compound CPI3: Viscous oil; $[\alpha]_D^{26}$: + 2.9° ($c = 0.18$, CHCl_3); IR (neat) ν_{max} : 3400, 3080, 2960, 2930, 2870, 1640, 1465, 1385, 1370, 1150, 1060, 970, 885 cm^{-1} ; ^1H -NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz), see **Table 14**; ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz), see **Table 14**.

Compound CPI4: yellow crystal; UV (MeOH) λ_{max} ($\log \epsilon$): 317 (4.12), 357 (4.20) nm; IR (neat) ν_{max} : 3439, 2929, 2857, 1655, 1462, 1373, 1166, cm^{-1} ; ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz), see **Table 15**; ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz), see **Table 15**.

Compound CPI5: Viscous oil; UV (MeOH) λ_{max} ($\log \epsilon$): 234, 297, 325 nm; IR (neat) ν_{max} : 3375, 1695, 1635 cm^{-1} ; EIMS: m/z $[\text{M}-1]^+$ 655.6 (calcd for $\text{C}_{43}\text{H}_{76}\text{O}_4$, 655.6); ^1H NMR (CDCl_3 , 300 MHz), see **Table 16**; ^{13}C NMR (CDCl_3 , 75 MHz), see **Table 16**.

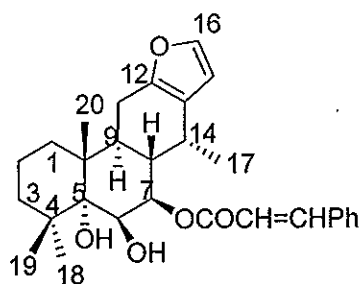
CHAPTER 3

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

3.1 Structural elucidation of compounds from the stem of *C. pulcherrima*

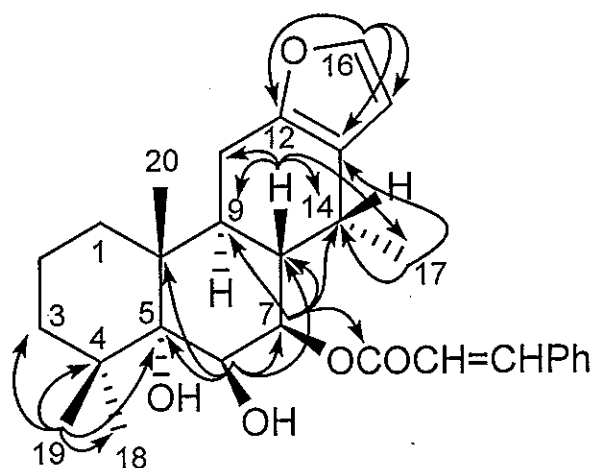
A portion of CH₂Cl₂ extract (60.2 g) of the stem of *C. pulcherrima* was subjected to chromatography to give new cassane-type diterpenes, **CP1-CP6** and a new ferrulic ester, **CP15** and eight known compounds **CP7-CP14**. The basic skeleton of compounds **CP1-CP10** was identified to be cassane diterpene on the basis of their IR and UV spectroscopic data and a positive Ehrlich test (Kuroda *et al.*, 2004). The UV absorptions of **CP1-CP3** (λ_{\max} 211-225 nm) were characteristic of a furano cassane-type diterpene (Cheenpracha *et al.*, 2005 and 2006), whereas the structures **CP4-CP6** showed absorption bands of an α,β -butenolide ring conjugated with an extra double bond (λ_{\max} 279-280 nm) (Kinoshita *et al.*, 2000 and 2005). In addition, the IR spectrum of all new compounds displayed carbonyl ester functionality (1700-1777 cm⁻¹).

3.1.1 Compound CP1



Compound **CP1** was obtained as white powder with the molecular formula of C₂₉H₃₆O₅ on the basis of molecular ion peak [M]⁺ at *m/z* 464.2573 in the HREIMS. The ¹H NMR spectral data (Table 2) supported a cassane-type furanoditerpenoid framework (Cheenpracha *et al.*, 2005 and 2006; McPherson *et al.*, 1986; Patil *et al.*, 1997; Ragasa *et al.*, 2002; Roach *et al.*, 2003; Yodsaoue *et al.*, 2008). Three tertiary methyl groups resonated at δ 1.04 (Me-19), 1.39 (Me-20), and

1.47 (Me-18) and one secondary methyl group resonated at δ 1.02 (*d*, $J = 6.9$ Hz, Me-17). A 2,3-disubstituted furan ring was evident from the resonances at δ 6.19 (*d*, $J = 1.8$ Hz, H-15) and δ 7.23 (*d*, $J = 1.8$ Hz, H-16). Signals of a hydroxyl proton at δ 1.97 (*d*, $J = 2.1$ Hz) and two oxymethine protons at δ 4.32 (*dd*, $J = 3.6, 2.1$ Hz) and 5.58 (*dd*, $J = 11.1, 3.6$ Hz) were displayed. These two oxymethine protons were assigned as H-6 and H-7, respectively due to HMBC correlation of the former proton to C-5 (δ 77.8), C-7 (δ 75.0), C-8 (δ 35.2) and C-10 (δ 40.7) and COSY correlation to H-7. The remaining ^1H NMR signals were those of a *trans*-cinnamoyl side chain displayed as two doublets at δ 6.51 and 7.75 ($J = 15.9$ Hz, H-2' and H-3', respectively), together with multiplet signals of aromatic protons between 7.41-7.55, whose location was placed at C-7 due to HMBC correlation of H-7 (δ 5.58) to a carbonyl carbon of a cinnamate ester group (δ 166.0). NOESY cross peaks of H-7 with H-6, H-9 and Me-17 indicated that these protons were on the same side of the molecule. The proton H-8 showed cross peaks with H-14 and Me-20 but no cross peak with H-7 and H-9, thus H-8, H-14 and Me-20 were on the same side but opposite side with H-6, H-7, H-9 and Me-17. The small vicinal coupling constant of H-6 and H-7 (3.6 Hz) supported their α -orientations. In addition, hydrolysis of compound **CP1** under methanolic K_2CO_3 afforded the parent alcohol, whose spectroscopic data were identical to those of 6 β -hydroxyisovoucapenol C (Roach *et al.*, 2003). Therefore, **CP1** was 6 β -hydroxy-7 β -cinnamoyloxyvoucapen-5 α -ol, a new compound (Pranithanchai *et al.*, 2009) and was named as pulcherrin A.

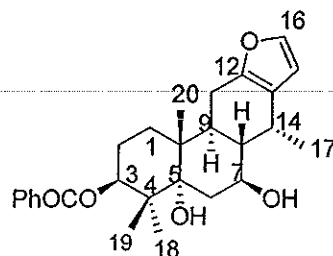


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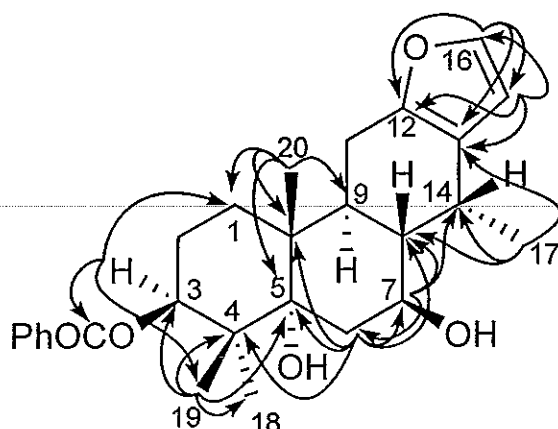
Table 2 ^1H and ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CPI

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	1.43 (m), 1.54 (m)	35.2	CH ₂	10
2	1.50 (m), 1.67 (m)	18.2	CH ₂	10
3	1.17 (m), 1.67 (m)	37.6	CH ₂	5
4	-	39.2	C	-
5	-	77.8	C	-
6	4.32 (dd, $J=3.6, 2.1$)	71.5	CH	5, 7, 8, 10
7	5.58 (dd, $J=11.1, 3.6$)	75.0	CH	8, 9, 14, 1'
8	2.31 (td, $J=11.1, 4.8$)	35.2	CH	9, 11, 14, 17
9	2.49 (m)	37.3	CH	7, 8, 10, 11, 20
10	-	40.7	C	-
11	2.53 (m)	21.8	CH ₂	8, 9, 12, 13
12	-	149.5	C	-
13	-	121.7	C	-
14	2.86 (qd, $J=6.9, 4.8$)	27.6	CH	8, 9, 12, 13, 17
15	6.19 (d, $J=1.8$)	109.5	CH	12, 13
16	7.23 (d, $J=1.8$)	140.5	CH	12, 13, 15
17	1.02 (d, $J=6.9$)	17.2	CH ₃	8, 13, 14
18	1.47 (s)	27.8	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 19
19	1.04 (s)	25.5	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 18
20	1.39 (s)	17.4	CH ₃	-
1'	-	166.0	C	-
2'	6.51 (d, $J=15.9$)	117.8	CH	1', 3'
3'	7.75 (d, $J=15.9$)	145.6	CH	1', 2', 4', 5'
4'	-	134.2	C	-
5'/9'	7.55 (m)	128.2	CH	4'
6'/8'	7.41 (m)	129.0	CH	4', 5'
7'	7.41 (m)	130.5	CH	5'
6-OH	1.97 (d, $J=2.1$)	-	-	5, 6

3.1.2 Compound CP2



Compound CP2, $[M]^+$ m/z 438.2407 ($C_{27}H_{34}O_5$) by HREIMS, showed related 1H and ^{13}C NMR spectral data (Table 3) to those of CP1. The signals of an oxymethine proton (δ 5.30, *dd*, $J = 11.5, 5.0$ Hz, H-3) and methylene protons (δ 1.86, *dd*, $J = 13.0, 11.0$ Hz and 2.05, *dd*, $J = 13.0, 5.5$ Hz, 2H-6) in CP2 replaced the methylene protons (δ 1.67 and 1.17, 2H-3) and an oxymethine proton (δ 4.32, H-6) in CP1. In addition, the signals of a cinnamoyloxy moiety [δ 6.51 (*d*, $J = 15.9$ Hz, H-2'), 7.75 (*d*, $J = 15.9$ Hz, H-3') and 7.41-7.55] in CP1 were replaced by a benzoate ester group resonating between δ 7.45-8.04, whose location was placed at C-3 due to HMBC correlation of H-3 (δ 5.30) to the carbonyl carbon of benzoate ester group (δ 166.2). The proton H-3 was assigned to be axially oriented from the small and large vicinal coupling constants ($J_{3ax,2eq} = 5.0$ Hz, $J_{3ax,2ax} = 11.5$ Hz). The oxymethine H-7 at δ 4.12 (*dt*, $J = 11.0, 5.5$ Hz) was deduced to be axially oriented from two large vicinal coupling constants ($J_{7ax,6ax} = 11.0$ Hz and $J_{7ax,8ax} = 11.0$ Hz) and small vicinal coupling constant ($J_{7ax,6eq} = 5.5$ Hz). It was further supported by NOESY correlations of H-7 with Me-17 and H-6 α but no cross peak with H-6 β , H-8 and H-14. From these data, the protons H-3 and H-7 were located on the same side. Thus, CP2 was assigned to be 3 β -benzoyloxy-7 β -hydroxyvoaucapen-5 α -ol, a new compound (Pranithanchai *et al.*, 2009) and was named as pulcherrin B.



Selected HMBC correlation of CP2

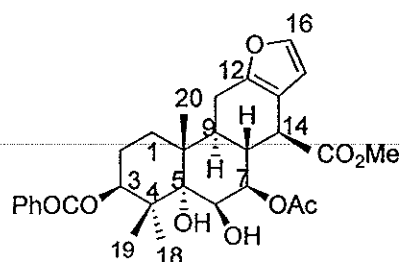
Table 3 ^1H and ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP2

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	1.51 (m), 1.77 (m)	31.0	CH_2	2, 3, 20
2	1.80 (m), 1.92 (m)	23.8	CH_2	3, 4, 10
3	5.30 (dd, $J = 11.5, 5.0$)	77.3	CH	1, 4, 18, 19, 1'
4	-	43.5	C	-
5	-	79.9	C	-
6	1.86 (dd, $J = 13.0, 11.0$) 2.05 (dd, $J = 13.0, 5.5$)	35.9	CH_2	4, 5, 7, 8, 10
7	4.12 (dt, $J = 11.0, 5.5$)	68.1	CH	6, 8, 14
8	1.74 (td, $J = 11.0, 7.0$)	42.8	CH	6, 9, 11, 14, 17
9	2.46 (m)	36.7	CH	1, 8, 10, 11, 14, 20
10	-	40.9	C	-
11	2.43 (m) 2.53 (dd, $J = 13.5, 5.0$)	22.5	CH_2	8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 15
12	-	149.1	C	-
13	-	121.9	C	-
14	3.09 (quint, $J = 7.0$)	27.4	CH	8, 9, 12, 13, 15, 17
15	6.22 (d, $J = 2.0$)	109.7	CH	12, 13, 16
16	7.25 (d, $J = 2.0$)	140.7	CH	12, 13, 15

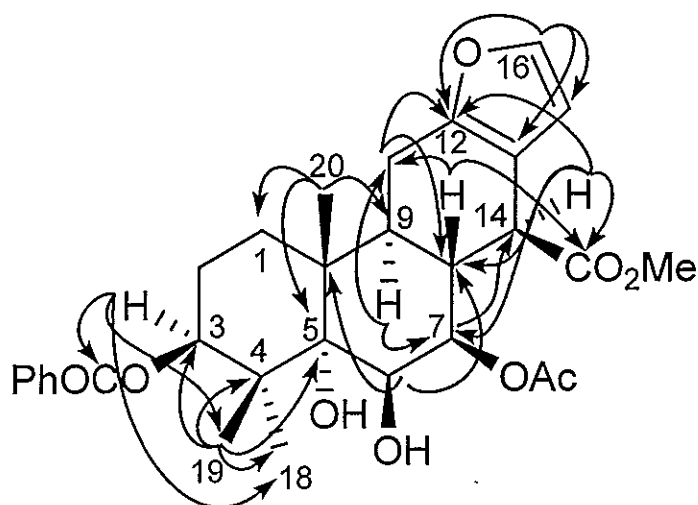
Table 3 (continued)

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
17	1.10 (d, $J=7.0$)	17.1	CH ₃	8, 13, 14
18	1.08 (s)	23.1	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 19
19	1.26 (s)	19.7	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 18
20	1.18 (s)	17.5	CH ₃	1, 5, 9, 10
1'	-	166.2	C	-
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3'/7'	8.04 (dd, $J=7.5, 1.0$)	129.5	CH	1', 5'
4'/6'	6.51 (t, $J=7.5$)	128.4	CH	2'
5'	7.57 (tt, $J=7.5, 1.0$)	140.7	CH	3', 7'

3.1.3 Compound CP3



Compound **CP3**, with the molecular formula $C_{30}H_{36}O_9$ by HERIMS, had the 1H and ^{13}C NMR (Table 4) spectra related to **CP2** except at C-6 and C-17, where signals of the methylene protons at δ 1.86 and 2.05 on C-6 and a secondary methyl at δ 1.10 (Me-17) in **CP2** were replaced by those of an oxymethine proton at δ 4.15 (*d*, $J = 3.3$ Hz) and a methyl ester at δ 3.75, respectively in **CP3**. Besides **CP3** displayed an additional O-acetyl group as a 1H NMR singlet signal at δ_H 2.06 : δ_C 21.0 and a carbonyl carbon at δ_C 170.2. In addition, H-14 (δ 3.38, *d*, $J = 8.7$ Hz) showed HMBC correlations to the ester carbonyl carbon at δ 174.9, supporting the placement of a methyl ester at C-14. The proton H-14 was in an axial position due to a large vicinal coupling constant ($J_{14ax,8ax} = 8.7$ Hz) and NOESY cross peaks of H-14 with H-7 and H-9 but not with H-8. Thus, **CP3** was deduced to be 3 β -benzoyloxy-6 β -hydroxy-7 β -acetoxy-17 β -methoxycarbonylvoaucapen-5 α -ol, a new compound (Pranithanchai *et al.*, 2009) and was named as pulcherrin C.

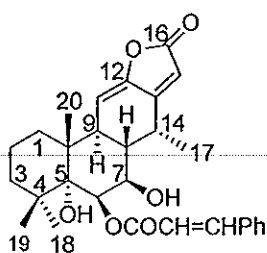


Selected HMBC correlation of **CP3**

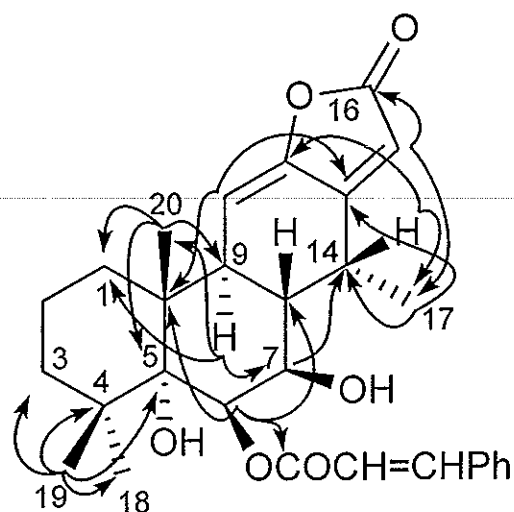
Table 4 ^1H and ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP3

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	1.46 (m), 1.89 (m)	32.7	CH ₂	2, 3, 5, 10
2	1.84 (m), 1.94 (m)	23.9	CH ₂	1, 4, 10
3	5.31 (m)	78.8	CH	18, 19, 1'
4	-	44.2	C	-
5	-	77.0	C	-
6	4.15 (d, $J=3.3$)	72.3	CH	7, 8, 9, 10
7	5.33 (dd, $J=11.4, 3.3$)	78.8	CH	8, 14, 1''
8	2.76 (td, $J=11.4, 8.7$)	34.3	CH	7, 9, 11, 14, 17
9	2.41 (m)	41.3	CH	7, 8, 10, 11
10	-	40.9	C	-
11	2.56 (brd, $J=8.1$)	21.3	CH ₂	8, 9, 12, 13
12	-	150.8	C	-
13	-	112.7	C	-
14	3.38 (d, $J=8.7$)	45.1	CH	7, 8, 12, 13, 17
15	6.13 (d, $J=1.5$)	108.3	CH	12, 13
16	7.24 (d, $J=1.5$)	141.4	CH	12, 13, 15
17	-	174.9	C	-
18	1.61 (s)	19.6	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 19
19	1.08 (s)	22.6	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 18
20	1.50 (s)	16.6	CH ₃	1, 5, 9, 10
1'	-	166.2	C	-
2'	-	130.8	C	-
3'/7'	8.05 (d, $J=7.5$)	129.6	CH	1', 5'
4'/6'	7.24 (t, $J=7.5$)	128.4	CH	2', 5'
5'	7.57 (t, $J=7.5$)	132.9	CH	3', 7'
1''	-	170.2	C	-
OCOCH ₃	2.06 (s)	21.0	CH ₃	1''
CO ₂ CH ₃	3.75 (s)	52.1	CH ₃	17

3.1.4 Compound CP4



Compound CP4, its molecular formula was deduced as $C_{29}H_{34}O_6$ from the HREIMS (m/z 460.2225, $[M-H_2O]^+$). The UV absorption maximum at 279 nm and IR absorption at 1746 cm^{-1} suggested an α,β -butenolide ring conjugated with an extra double bond similar to that found in neocaesalpin D (Kinoshita *et al.*, 2000) and I (Kinoshita *et al.*, 2005) previously isolated from the genus *Caesalpinia*. The ^1H NMR (Table 5) spectrum of CP4 displayed a singlet and a broad singlet at δ 5.68 (H-15) and 5.70 (H-11), respectively instead of the doublet signals associated with a 2,3-disubstituted furan as in CP1-CP3. There were resonances for three tertiary methyl groups at δ 0.99 (Me-18), 1.09 (Me-19) and 1.32 (Me-20), a secondary methyl group at δ 1.10 (d , $J = 7.5$ Hz, Me-17) and two oxymethine protons at δ 4.33 (dd , $J = 11.5, 4.0$ Hz, H-7) and 5.56 (d , $J = 4.0$ Hz, H-6). The *trans*-cinnamoyloxy side chain was displayed as two doublets at δ 6.38 and 7.64 ($J = 16.0$ Hz) and aromatic-proton signals between 7.31-7.45 whose location was placed at C-6 due to HMBC correlation of H-6 (δ 5.56) with the cinnamate carbonyl carbon at δ 167.5. NOESY cross peaks of H-7 with H-6 and Me-17 and between H-9 and H-7 suggested that these protons lay on the same side. In addition, the small coupling constant (4.0 Hz) supported the orientation at C-6 and C-7. From these data, CP4 was deduced to be 6β -cinnamoyloxy-11,13(15)-diene-5 α ,7 β -dihydroxycassan-12,16-olide, a new compound (Pranithanchai *et al.*, 2009) and was named as neocaesalpin P.



Selective HMBC correlation of CP4

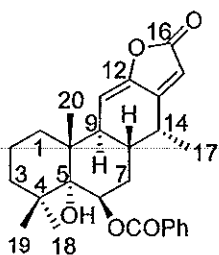
Table 5 ^1H and ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP4

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	1.51 (m)	33.1	CH_2	2,10
2	1.50 (m), 1.68 (m)	17.9	CH_2	4
3	1.07 (m), 1.67 (m)	37.7	CH_2	1, 2
4	-	39.2	C	-
5	-	77.9	C	-
6	5.56 (d, $J=4.0$)	73.8	CH	5, 7, 8, 10, 1'
7	4.33 (dd, $J=11.5, 4.0$)	67.6	CH	6, 8, 14
8	2.10 (td, $J=11.5, 4.5$)	39.1	CH	6, 7, 9, 11, 14, 15, 17
9	2.90 (dt, $J=11.5$)	40.6	CH	1, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 20
10	-	41.3	C	-
11	5.70 (brs)	111.6	CH	10, 12, 13
12	-	150.4	C	-
13	-	161.3	C	-
14	3.30 (qd, $J=7.5, 4.5$)	28.4	CH	8, 9, 12, 13, 15, 17
15	5.68 (s)	110.9	CH	8, 16, 17

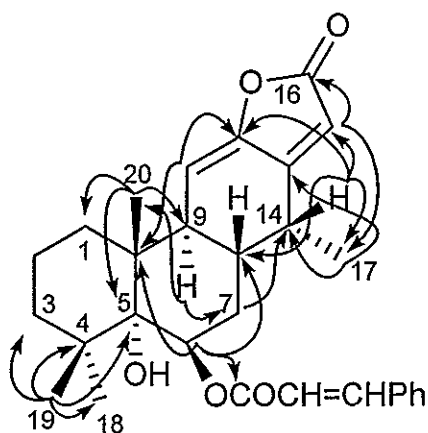
Table 5 (continued)

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
16	-	170.6	C	-
17	1.10 (d, $J = 7.5$)	14.2	CH ₃	8, 13, 14
18	0.99 (s)	27.3	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 19
19	1.09 (s)	24.8	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 18
20	1.32 (s)	17.9	CH ₃	1, 5, 9, 10
1'	-	167.5	C	-
2'	6.38 (d, $J = 16.0$)	117.5	CH	1', 3', 4'
3'	7.64 (d, $J = 16.0$)	146.5	CH	1', 2', 4', 5', 9'
4'	-	134.0	C	-
5'/9'	7.45 (dd, $J = 7.25, 2.5$)	128.3	CH	4', 6', 8'
6'/8'	7.32 (m)	129.0	CH	4'
7'	7.31 (m)	130.8	CH	6', 8'

3.1.5 Compound CP5



Compound CP5, $C_{27}H_{32}O_5$, displayed related 1H and ^{13}C NMR data (Table 6) to those of CP4. The differences were shown as the replacement of an oxymethine proton H-7 at δ 4.33 in CP4 with methylene protons at δ 1.50 (*m*, H-7_{eq}) and 2.30 (td, $J = 13.8, 3.6$ Hz, H-7_{ax}) in CP5. The cinnamoyloxy side chain in CP4 was replaced with a benzoyloxy side chain in CP5, whose location at C-6 was supported by HMBC correlation of H-6 (δ 5.44) with benzoate carbonyl carbon at δ 165.6. The relative configuration was characterized by NOESY correlations, the protons H-6 and H-7_{ax} were located on the same side due to cross peaks of H-7_{ax} with H-6 and Me-17, of H-7_{eq} with H-8 and of H-8 with H-14 and Me-20. In addition the small vicinal coupling constant ($J_{6eq,7ax}$, $J_{6eq,7eq} = 3.6$ Hz) supported the equatorial orientation of H-6. Therefore, CP5 was assigned as 6 β -benzoyloxy-11,13(15)-diene-5 α -hydroxycassan-12,16-olide, a new compound (Pranithanchai *et al.*, 2009) and was named as neocaesalpin Q.

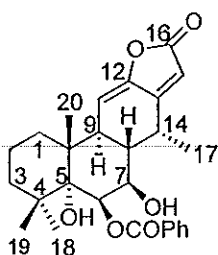


Selective HMBC correlation of CP5

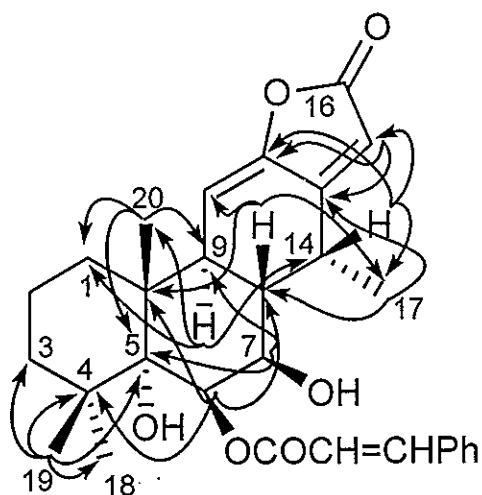
Table 6 ^1H and ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP5

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	1.62 (m), 1.64 (m)	33.2	CH ₂	2, 10
2	1.52 (m), 1.54 (m)	18.0	CH ₂	4
3	1.09 (m), 1.69 (m)	38.0	CH ₂	2, 1
4	-	38.9	C	-
5	-	77.2	C	-
6	5.44 (t, $J=3.6$)	72.5	CH	5, 7, 8, 10, 1'
7	1.50 (m)	30.9	CH ₂	6, 8, 14
	2.30 (td, $J=13.8, 3.6$)			
8	2.15 (tt, $J=10.2, 3.6$)	33.1	CH	7, 9, 11, 13, 14, 17
9	2.90 (brd, $J=10.2, 3.6$)	41.8	CH	7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 20
10	-	41.5	C	-
11	5.75 brs	112.3	CH	10, 12
12	-	150.2	C	-
13	-	161.3	C	-
14	2.73 (qd, $J=7.2, 3.6$)	33.3	CH	8, 9, 12, 13, 15, 17
15	5.66 (s)	110.0	CH	16, 17
16	-	170.1	C	-
17	1.03 (d, $J=7.2$)	14.6	CH ₃	8, 13, 14
18	0.94 (s)	27.2	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 19
19	1.14 (s)	25.3	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 18
20	1.42 (s)	18.1	CH ₃	1, 5, 9, 10
1'	-	165.6	C	-
2'	-	130.1	C	-
3'/7'	7.95 (dd, $J=7.5, 1.5$)	129.7	CH	2', 4'
4'/6'	7.39 (dt, $J=7.5, 1.5$)	128.7	CH	2'
5'	7.52 (tt, $J=7.5, 1.5$)	133.3	CH	4', 6'

3.1.6 Compound CP6



Compound CP6, $C_{27}H_{32}O_6$, displayed similar 1H and ^{13}C NMR data (Table 7) to those of CP5 except at C-7 where methylene protons at δ 1.50 (m) and 2.30 (td, $J = 13.8, 3.6$ Hz) in CP5 were replaced by an oxymethine proton at δ 4.38 (dd, $J = 11.5, 4.0$ Hz) in CP6. The NOESY cross peaks of H-7 with H-6 and Me-17 supported the *cis*-configuration of H-6 and H-7. Therefore, CP6 was assigned as 6 β -benzoyloxy-11,13(15)-diene-5 α ,7 β -dihydroxycassan-12,16-olide, a new compound (Pranithanchai *et al.*, 2009) and was named as neocaesalpin R,

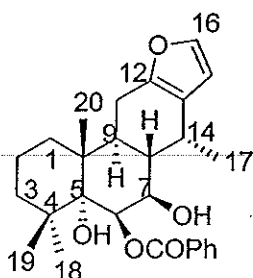


Selected HMBC correlation for compound CP6

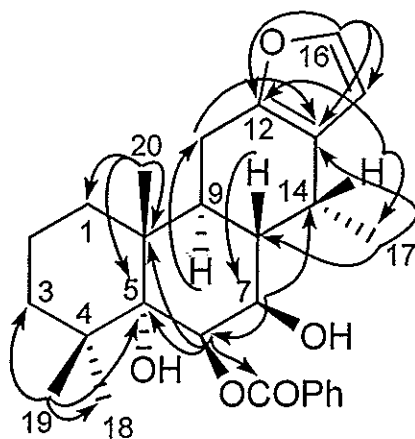
Table 7 ^1H and ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP6

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	1.52 (m), 1.59 (m)	33.2	CH_2	2, 10
2	1.34 (m), 1.53 (m)	17.0	CH_2	4
3	1.15 (m), 1.65 (m)	37.7	CH_2	2, 1
4	-	39.1	C	-
5	-	78.1	C	-
6	5.70 (d, $J=4.0$)	74.1	CH	5, 7, 8, 10, 1'
7	4.38 (dd, $J=11.5, 4.0$)	67.9	CH	6, 8, 14
8	2.12 (td, $J=11.5, 4.0$)	39.3	CH	7, 9, 11, 13, 14, 17
9	2.92 (brd, $J=11.0$)	40.5	CH	7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 20
10	-	41.3	C	-
11	5.72 brs	111.0	CH	10, 12
12	-	150.4	C	-
13	-	161.0	C	-
14	3.30 (qd, $J=7.5, 4.5$)	28.4	CH	8, 9, 12, 13, 15, 17
15	5.70 (s)	110.4	CH	16, 17
16	-	170.3	C	-
17	1.07 (d, $J=7.0$)	14.2	CH_3	8, 13, 14
18	1.00 (s)	27.2	CH_3	3, 4, 5, 19
19	1.07 (s)	24.9	CH_3	3, 4, 5, 18
20	1.41 (s)	18.0	CH_3	1, 5, 9, 10
1'	-	167.3	C	-
2'	-	129.2	C	-
3'/7'	7.96 (d, $J=7.5$)	129.9	CH	2', 4'
4'/6'	7.40 (t, $J=7.2$)	128.7	CH	2'
5'	7.53 (t, $J=7.5$)	133.5	CH	4', 6'

3.1.7 Compound CP7



Compound CP7 was isolated as amorphous solid. The ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectral data (Table 8) of CP7 were similar to those of CP1. The signals of a cinnamoyloxy moiety [δ 6.51 (*d*, $J = 15.9$ Hz, H-2'), 7.75 (*d*, $J = 15.9$ Hz, H-3') and 7.41-7.55] in **1** were replaced by a benzoate ester group resonating between δ 7.44-8.05, whose location was placed at C-6 due to HMBC correlation of H-6 (δ 5.83) to the carbonyl carbon of benzoate ester group (δ 167.3). The oxymethine H-7 at δ 4.41 (*dd*, $J = 11.1, 4.2$ Hz) was deduced to be axially oriented from large vicinal coupling constants ($J_{7\text{ax},8\text{ax}} = 11.1$ Hz) and small vicinal coupling constant ($J_{7\text{ax},6\text{eq}} = 4.2$ Hz). It was further supported by NOESY correlations of H-7 with Me-17, H-6 and H-9 but no cross peak with Me-20, H-8 and H-14. From these data, the protons H-6 and H-7 were located on the same side. Thus, CP7 was assigned to be isovouacapenol C (Ragasa *et al.*, 2002).



Selected HMBC correlation for compound CP7

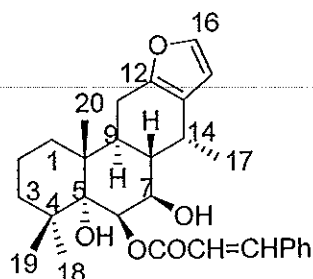
Table 8 ^1H and ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP7

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	1.47 (m), 1.57 (m)	34.9	CH_2	-
2	1.50 (m), 1.74 (m)	18.1	CH_2	-
3	1.14 (m), 1.70 (m)	37.7	CH_2	-
4	-	39.2	C	-
5	-	77.8	C	-
6	5.83 (d, $J=4.2$)	74.1	CH	5, 7, 8, 10, 1'
7	4.41 (dd, $J=11.1, 4.2$)	69.0	CH	6, 8, 14
8	2.02 (m)	38.2	CH	7, 9, 14
9	2.46 (m)	37.1	CH	10, 11
10	-	40.9	C	-
11	2.56 (m)	21.7	CH_2	9, 12, 13
12	-	149.2	C	-
13	-	121.9	C	-
14	3.02 (m)	27.3	CH	9, 12, 13, 15, 17
15	6.19 (d, $J=1.4$)	109.7	CH	12, 13, 16
16	7.24 (d, $J=1.4$)	140.5	CH	12, 13, 15
17	1.05 (d, $J=6.9$)	17.1	CH_3	8, 13, 14
18	1.12 (s)	27.8	CH_3	3, 5, 19
19	1.16 (s)	25.5	CH_3	3, 5, 18
20	1.52 (s)	17.6	CH_3	1, 5, 10
1'	-	167.3	C	-
2'	-	129.9	C	-
3'/7'	8.04 (d, $J=7.5$)	129.9	CH	2', 5'
4'/6'	7.43 (t, $J=7.5$)	128.5	CH	5'
5'	7.55 (t, $J=7.5$)	133.2	CH	3'

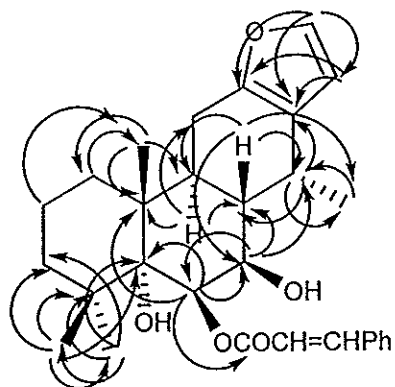
Table 9 Comparison of ^1H NMR and ^{13}C NMR spectral data of compounds CP7 and isovouacapenol C (R, recorded in CDCl_3)

Position	CP7		R	
	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}
1	1.47 (m), 1.57 (m)	34.9	1.49 (m), 1.54 (m)	35.1
2	1.50 (m), 1.74 (m)	18.1	1.56 (m), 1.70 (m)	18.1
3	1.14 (m), 1.70 (m)	37.7	1.18 (m), 1.67 (m)	37.8
4	-	39.2	-	39.3
5	-	77.8	-	77.9
6	5.83 (d, $J=4.2$)	74.1	5.81 (d, $J=4.1$)	74.7
7	4.41 (dd, $J=11.1, 4.2$)	69.0	4.41 (dd, $J=11.0, 4.1$) 1.57 (s, OH)	69.3
8	2.02 (m)	38.2	2.02 (m)	38.1
9	2.46 (m)	37.1	2.43 (m)	37.2
10	-	40.9	-	41.0
11	2.56 (m)	21.7	2.57 (m)	21.8
12	-	149.2	-	149.2
13	-	121.9	-	122.0
14	3.02 (m)	27.3	3.04 (m)	27.3
15	6.19 (d, $J=1.4$)	109.7	6.20 (d, $J=1.9$)	109.7
16	7.24 (d, $J=1.4$)	140.5	7.24 (d, $J=1.9$)	140.5
17	1.05 (d, $J=6.9$)	17.1	1.09 (d, $J=6.8$)	17.1
18	1.12 (s)	27.8	1.12 (s)	17.6
19	1.16 (s)	25.5	1.18 (s)	25.5
20	1.52 (s)	17.6	1.54 (s)	27.3
1'	-	167.3	-	167.2
2'	-	129.9	-	130.0
3'/7'	8.04 (d, $J=7.5$)	129.9	8.05 (m)	129.9
4'/6'	7.43 (t, $J=7.5$)	128.5	7.45 (m)	128.6
5'	7.55 (t, $J=7.5$)	133.2	7.57 (m)	133.2

3.1.8 Compound CP8



Compound **CP8** was isolated as amorphous solid. The ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectral data (Table 10) of **CP8** were similar to those of **CP7**, except that the benzoate ester side chain in **CP7** was replaced with a cinnamoyloxy side chain in **CP8**, whose location at C-6 was supported by HMBC correlation of H-6 (δ 5.65) with cinnamate carbonyl carbon at δ 167.4. The NOESY cross peaks of H-7 with H-6 and Me-17 supported the *cis*-configuration of H-6 and H-7. Therefore, **CP8** was assigned as 6 β -cinnamoyl-7 β -hydroxy-vouacapen-5 α -ol (McPherson *et al.*, 1986).



Selected HMBC correlation for compound **CP8**

Table 10 ^1H and ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP8

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	1.51 (m), 1.47 (m)	35.0	CH ₂	20
2	1.70 (m), 1.58 (m)	18.1	CH ₂	20
3	1.68 (m), 1.18 (m)	37.8	CH ₂	-
4	-	39.3	C	-
5	-	77.8	C	-
6	5.65 (d, $J=4.2$)	73.5	CH	5, 7, 10, 1'
7	4.38 (dd, $J=11.1, 4.2$)	69.2	CH	6, 8, 14
8	1.98 (dt, $J=11.1, 5.1$)	37.9	CH	7, 9, 14, 17
9	2.43 (m)	37.2	CH	8, 10, 11
10	-	41.1	C	-
11	2.54 (brd, $J=8.4$)	21.8	CH ₂	-
12	-	149.2	C	-
13	-	122.0	C	-
14	3.05 (brquint, $J=6.9$)	27.3	CH	8, 13, 17
15	6.20 (d, $J=1.7$)	109.7	CH	12, 13
16	7.23 (d, $J=1.7$)	140.5	CH	12, 13, 15
17	1.08 (d, $J=6.9$)	17.3	CH ₃	14
18	1.09 (s)	27.8	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 19
19	1.21 (s)	25.5	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 18
20	1.45 (s)	17.2	CH ₃	1, 9, 10
1'	-	167.4	C	-
2'	6.44 (d, $J=15.9$)	118.0	CH	1', 4'
3'	7.72 (d, $J=15.9$)	146.0	CH	1', 4'
4'	-	134.2	C	-
5'/9'	7.52 (m)	128.9	CH	3', 7'
6'/8'	7.39 (m)	128.3	CH	4'
7'	7.39 (m)	130.6	CH	5'

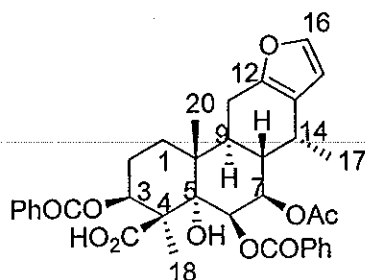
Table 11 Comparison of ^1H NMR and ^{13}C NMR spectral data of compounds **CP8** and **6 β -cinnamoyl-7 β -hydroxy-vouacapen-5 α -ol (R, recorded in CDCl_3)**

Position	CP8		R	
	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}
1	1.47 (m), 1.51 (m)	35.0	1.17 (brd), 1.68 (brd)	35.0
2	1.58 (m), 1.70 (m)	18.1	1.54 (brd), 1.65 (brd)	18.1
3	1.18 (m), 1.68 (m)	37.8	1.54 (brd), 1.76 (brd)	37.8
4	-	39.3	-	39.3
5	-	77.8	1.80, (s, OH)	76.8
6	5.65 (d, $J=4.2$)	73.5	5.65 (d, $J=4.0$)	73.6
7	4.38 (dd, $J=11.1, 4.2$)	69.2	4.38 (dd, $J=11.0, 3.5$)	69.2
8	1.98 (dt, $J=11.1, 5.1$)	37.9	1.98 (ddd, $J=12.0, 11.0, 5.0$)	37.9
9	2.43 (m)	37.2	2.45 (dt, $J=12.0, 9.0$)	37.2
10	-	41.1	-	41.1
11	2.54 (brd, $J=8.4$)	21.8	2.54 (brd, $J=9.0$)	21.8
12	-	149.2	-	149.2
13	-	122.0	-	122.0
14	3.05 (brquint, $J=6.9$)	27.3	3.05 (dq, $J=7.0, 6.0$)	27.3
15	6.20 (d, $J=1.7$)	109.7	6.20 (d, $J=2.0$)	109.7
16	7.23 (d, $J=1.7$)	140.5	7.23 (d, $J=2.0$)	140.5
17	1.08 (d, $J=6.9$)	17.3	1.07 (d, $J=7.0$)	17.3
18	1.09 (s)	27.8	1.09 (s)	27.7
19	1.21 (s)	25.5	1.21 (s)	25.5
20	1.45 (s)	17.2	1.45 (s)	17.1
1'	-	167.4	-	167.4
2'	6.44 (d, $J=15.9$)	118.0	6.44 (d, $J=16.0$)	118.0
3'	7.72 (d, $J=15.9$)	146.0	7.72 (d, $J=16.0$)	145.9
4'	-	134.2	-	134.2
5'/9'	7.52 (m)	128.9	7.53 (m)	128.9
6'/8'	7.39 (m)	128.3	7.38 (m)	128.2

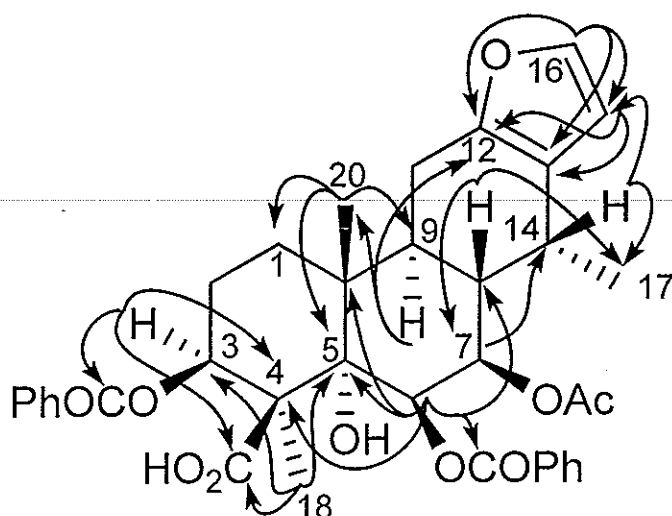
Table 11 (continued)

Position	CP8		R	
	δ_H (mult, J , Hz)	δ_C	δ_H (mult, J , Hz)	δ_C
7'	7.39 (m)	130.6	7.38 (m)	130.5

3.1.9 Compound CP9



Compound CP9 was isolated as amorphous solid. The ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectral data (Table 12) of CP9 were related to those of CP2. The signals of methylene protons (δ 1.86, *dd*, $J = 13.0, 11.0$ Hz and 2.05, *dd*, $J = 13.0, 5.5$ Hz, 2H-6) and oxymethine H-7 at δ 4.12 (*dt*, $J = 11.0, 5.5$ Hz) in CP2 were replaced by two oxymethine protons (δ 5.96, *d*, $J = 3.9$ Hz and 5.49, *dd*, $J = 11.4, 3.9$ Hz). The signal of methyl carbon at δ 19.7 in CP2 was replaced by a carbonyl carbon of carboxylic group at δ 177.0. In addition, signals of two benzoate ester group were displayed between δ 7.43-7.93 and an acetoxy methyl group at δ 1.95, whose locations were placed at C-3, C-6 and C-7, respectively due to HMBC correlations of H-3 (δ 5.33) to the carbonyl carbon of benzoate ester group (δ 165.9), of H-6 (δ 5.96) to the carbonyl carbon of benzoate ester group (δ 165.8) and of H-7 (δ 5.49) and acetoxy methyl (δ 1.95) to the carbonyl carbon of acetyl ester group (δ 171.3). The proton H-3 was assigned to be axially oriented from the small and large vicinal coupling constants ($J_{3ax,2eq} = 4.8$ Hz, $J_{3ax,2ax} = 12.3$ Hz). The oxymethine H-7 at δ 5.49 (*dd*, $J = 11.4, 3.9$ Hz) was deduced to be axially oriented from large vicinal coupling constants ($J_{7ax,8ax} = 11.4$ Hz) and small vicinal coupling constant ($J_{7ax,6eq} = 3.9$ Hz). It was further supported by NOESY correlations of H-3 with Me-18 and H-7 with Me-17, H-9 and H-6 but no cross peak with Me-20, and H-8. From these data, the protons H-3 and Me-18, H-6 and H-7 were located on the same side. Thus, compound CP9 was assigned to be pulcherrimin E (Roach *et al.*, 2003).



Selected HMBC correlation for compound CP9

Table 12 ^1H and ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP9

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	2.03 (m), 1.68 (m)	32.9	CH ₂	2, 10
2	2.58 (m), 1.92 (m)	24.3	CH ₂	1, 3, 10
3	5.33 (dd, $J=12.3, 4.8$)	77.0	CH ₂	2, 4, 19, 1'
4	-	53.5	C	-
5	-	79.4	C	-
6	5.96 (d, $J=3.9$)	68.9	CH	4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 1''
7	5.49 (dd, $J=11.4, 3.9$)	71.2	CH	8, 14, 1'''
8	2.29 (dt, $J=11.4, 3.8$)	35.2	CH	7, 9, 17
9	2.61 (m)	36.9	CH	11, 12, 20
10	-	41.6	C	-
11	2.67 (m), 2.65 (m)	22.2	CH ₂	9, 10, 13
12	-	148.8	C	-
13	-	121.4	C	-
14	2.82 (quint, $J=6.9$)	27.3	CH	8, 9, 13, 15, 17
15	6.19 (d, $J=1.8$)	109.5	CH	12, 13

Table 12 (continued)

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
16	7.26 (d, $J=1.8$)	140.9	CH	12, 13, 15
17	0.98 (d, $J=6.9$)	17.1	CH ₃	8, 14
18	1.25 (s)	19.9	CH ₃	3, 4, 19
19	-	177.0	C	-
20	1.61 (s)	17.2	CH ₃	1, 5, 9, 10
1'	-	165.9	C	-
2'	-	130.2	C	-
3'/7'	7.90 (d, $J=7.5$)	129.6	CH	1', 2', 5'
4'/6'	7.22 (t, $J=7.5$)	128.5	CH	-
5'	7.54 (t, $J=7.5$)	133.1	CH	4'
1''	-	165.8	C	-
2''	-	130.0	C	-
3''/7''	7.93 (d, $J=7.5$)	129.4	CH	1'', 2'', 5''
4''	7.29 (t, $J=7.5$)	128.3	CH	2''
5''	7.49 (t, $J=7.5$)	133.2	CH	3''
1'''	-	171.3	C	-
OCOCH ₃	1.95 (s)	20.9	CH ₃	1'''

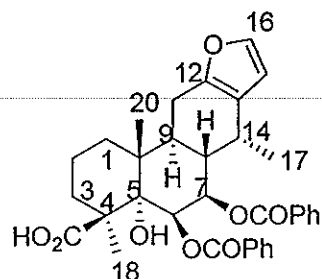
Table 13 Comparison of ^1H NMR and ^{13}C NMR spectral data of compounds CP9 and pulcherrimin E (**R**, recorded in CDCl_3)

Position	CP9		R	
	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}
1	1.68 (m), 2.03 (m)	32.9	1.68 (dd, $J = 13.2, 3.8$) 2.02 (dd, $J = 13.2, 3.8$)	32.9
2	1.92 (m), 2.58 (m)	24.3	1.93 (m), 2.61 (m)	24.3
3	5.33 (dd, $J = 12.3, 4.8$)	77.0	5.33 (dd, $J = 12.2, 4.9$)	77.0
4	-	53.5	-	53.4
5	-	79.4	-	79.4
6	5.96 (d, $J = 3.9$)	68.9	5.95 (d, $J = 4.0$)	69.0
7	5.49 (dd, $J = 11.4, 3.9$)	71.2	5.50 (dd, $J = 11.7, 4.0$)	71.0
8	2.29 (dt, $J = 11.4, 3.8$)	35.2	2.29 (dt, $J = 11.7, 5.0$)	35.2
9	2.61 (m)	36.9	2.58 (m)	36.9
10	-	41.6	-	41.6
11	2.65 (m), 2.67 (m)	22.2	2.62 (m), 2.66 (m)	22.2
12	-	148.8	-	148.7
13	-	121.4	-	121.4
14	2.82 (brqint, $J = 6.9$)	27.3	2.82 (dq, $J = 7.0, 5.0$)	27.3
15	6.19 (d, $J = 1.8$)	109.5	6.18 (d, $J = 1.9$)	109.5
16	7.26 (d, $J = 1.8$)	140.9	7.27 (d, $J = 1.9$)	140.9
17	0.98 (d, $J = 6.9$)	17.1	0.99 (d, $J = 7.0$)	17.1
18	1.25 (s)	19.9	1.28 (s)	19.9
19	-	177.0	-	176.4
20	1.61 (s)	17.2	1.62 (s)	17.2
1'	-	165.9	-	162.1
2'	-	130.2	-	130.0
3'/7'	7.90 (d, $J = 7.5$)	129.6	7.96 (dd, $J = 8.5, 1.1$)	129.6
4'/6'	7.22 (t, $J = 7.5$)	128.5	7.39 (dd, $J = 8.5, 8.5$)	128.5
5'	7.54 (t, $J = 7.5$)	133.1	7.56 (tm, $J = 8.5$)	133.2
1''	-	165.8	-	162.1

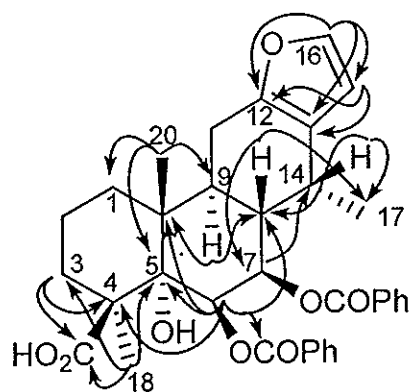
Table 13 (continued)

Position	CP9		R	
	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}
2''	-	130.0	-	130.2
3''/7''	7.93 (d, $J = 7.5$)	129.4	7.91 (dd, $J = 8.4, 1.3$)	129.4
4''	7.29 (t, $J = 7.5$)	128.3	7.24 (dd, $J = 8.4, 8.4$)	128.6
5''	7.49 (t, $J = 7.5$)	133.2	7.46 (tm, $J = 8.4$)	133.1
1'''	-	171.3	-	171.2
OCOCH ₃	1.95 (s)	20.9	1.95 (s)	20.9

3.1.10 Compound CP10



Compound **CP10** was isolated as amorphous solid. The ¹H and ¹³C NMR spectral data (Table 14) of **CP10** were related to those of **CP9**, except that the signals of acetoxy methyl ester (δ_{H} 1.95, δ_{C} 171.3 and 20.9) in **CP9** were replaced by the methylene protons (δ 1.85, *m* and 1.53, *m*) in **CP10**. Two benzoate ester groups resonating between δ 7.29-7.78 were placed at C-6 and C-7 due to HMBC correlation of H-6 at δ 6.09 (*d*, $J = 3.6$ Hz) to the carbonyl carbon of benzoate ester group (δ 165.6) and H-7 at δ 5.78 (*dd*, $J = 10.8, 3.6$ Hz) to the carbonyl carbon of benzoate ester group (δ 166.1). Therefore, **CP10** was assigned as pulcherrimin C (Patil et al., 1997).



Selected HMBC correlation for compound **CP10**

Table 14 ^1H and ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP10

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	1.74 (m), 1.58 (m)	34.7	CH ₂	10
2	2.02 (m), 1.46 (m)	18.7	CH ₂	5, 10
3	1.85 (m), 1.53 (m)	33.6	CH ₂	4, 19
4	-	48.9	C	-
5	-	77.9	C	-
6	6.09 (d, $J=3.6$)	69.0	CH	4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 1'
7	5.78 (dd, $J=10.8, 3.6$)	72.3	CH	6, 8, 14, 1''
8	2.45 (dt, $J=11.7, 4.8$)	35.7	CH	7, 9, 14, 17
9	2.53 (m)	37.4	CH	8, 10
10	-	41.6	C	-
11	2.70 (m), 2.60 (m)	22.3	CH ₂	8, 9, 10, 13
12	-	149.1	C	-
13	-	121.4	C	-
14	2.87 (m)	27.4	CH	8, 9, 12, 13, 17
15	6.14 (d, $J=1.8$)	109.5	CH	12, 13
16	7.23 (d, $J=1.8$)	140.8	CH	12, 13, 15
17	1.00 (d, $J=6.9$)	17.1	CH ₃	8, 14
18	1.20 (s)	24.2	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 19
19	-	180.0	C	-
20	1.40 (s)	17.7	CH ₃	1, 5, 9, 10
1'	-	165.6	C	-
2'	-	130.1	C	-
3'/7'	7.78 (d, $J=7.2$)	129.6	CH	1', 5'
4'/6'	7.36 (t, $J=7.2$)	128.3	CH	2'
5'	7.50 (m)	132.6	CH	3', 7'
1''	-	166.1	C	-
2''	-	130.0	C	-
3''/7''	7.81 (d, $J=7.5$)	129.5	CH	1'', 5''
4''/6''	7.29 (t, $J=7.5$)	128.1	CH	2''

Table 14 (continued)

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
5''	7.49 (m)	132.8	CH	3'', 7''

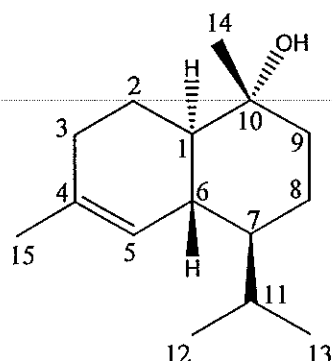
Table 15 Comparison of ^1H NMR and ^{13}C NMR spectral data of compounds CP10 and pulcherrimin C (**R**, recorded in CDCl_3)

Position	CP8		R	
	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}
1	1.58 (m), 1.74 (m)	34.7	1.53 (m), 1.70 (m)	34.6
2	1.46 (m), 2.02 (m)	18.7	1.44 (m), 1.93 (m)	18.7
3	1.53 (m), 1.85 (m)	33.6	1.55 (m), 1.76 (m)	33.4
4	-	48.9	-	49.0
5	-	77.9	-	77.8
6	6.09 (d, $J=3.6$)	69.0	6.05 (d, $J=3.7$)	68.9
7	5.78 (dd, $J=10.8, 3.6$)	72.3	5.76 (dd, $J=11.1, 3.7$)	72.4
8	2.45 (dt, $J=11.7, 4.8$)	35.7	2.44 (ddd, $J=12.0, 11.1, 5.0$)	35.6
9	2.53 (m)	37.4	2.52 (m)	37.3
10	-	41.6	-	41.5
11	2.60 (m), 2.70 (m)	22.3	2.63 (m), 2.67 (m)	22.2
12	-	149.1	-	149.1
13	-	121.4	-	121.4
14	2.87 (m)	27.4	2.86 (dq, $J=7.0, 5.0$)	27.4
15	6.14 (d, $J=1.8$)	109.5	6.14 (d, $J=1.8$)	109.5
16	7.23 (d, $J=1.8$)	140.8	7.24 (d, $J=1.8$)	140.8
17	1.00 (d, $J=6.9$)	17.1	1.00 (d, $J=7.0$)	17.1
18	1.20 (s)	24.2	1.12 (s)	24.2
19	-	180.0	-	181.6
20	1.40 (s)	17.7	1.35 (s)	17.8
1'	-	165.6	-	165.6
2'	-	130.1	-	130.5
3'/7'	7.78 (d, $J=7.2$)	129.6	7.76 (dd, $J=8.4, 1.3$)	129.5
4'/6'	7.36 (t, $J=7.2$)	128.3	7.36 (dd, $J=8.4, 8.4$)	128.3
5'	7.50 (m)	132.6	7.50 (tm, $J=8.4$)	132.6
1''	-	166.1	-	166.2

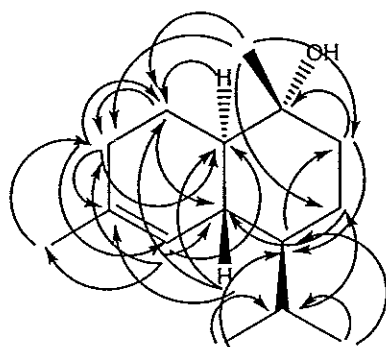
Table 15 (continued)

Position	CP9		R	
	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}
2''	-	130.0	-	129.9
3''/7''	7.81 (d, $J = 7.5$)	129.5	7.78 (dd, $J = 8.4, 1.3$)	129.6
4''	7.29 (t, $J = 7.5$)	128.1	7.28 (dd, $J = 8.4, 8.4$)	128.1
5''	7.49 (m)	132.8	7.48 (tm, $J = 8.4$)	132.9

3.1.11 Compound CP11



Compound **CP11** was obtained as viscous oil, it exhibited hydroxyl (3361 cm^{-1}), and an olefinic group (1640 cm^{-1}). The ^1H NMR spectrum of **CP11** (Table 16) showed signals for an isopropyl group at δ 0.89, 0.84 (3H each, *d*, $J = 6.9$ Hz) and 1.98 (1H, *m*, H-12), a three-proton singlet at δ 1.20 for a methyl attached to a quaternary carbon bearing hydroxyl group, a trisubstituted olefinic proton at δ 5.56 (1H, *m*, H-5) and a methyl group at 1.65 (*brs*). The ^{13}C -NMR spectrum (Table 16) exhibited 15 carbon signals for four CH_3 , four CH_2 , two olefinic carbons, four CH, and one C. It can be proposed to be a cadinane-type sesquiterpene. The ^1H - ^1H correlated spectroscopy (COSY) of **CP11** displayed the connectivity of H-5 to H-6, which was also coupled to H-1 (δ 1.53, *m*) and H-7 (δ 1.28, *m*). The NOESY cross peak of H-6 with CH_3 -15, CH_3 -13 and CH_3 -14 and no cross peak with H-1 supported the *trans*-fused ring of **CP11**. From this data, **CP13** was assigned as α -cadinol (Kuo *et al.*, 2003).

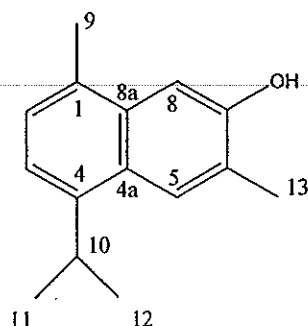


Selected HMBC correlation for compound **CP11**

Table 16 ^1H , ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP11

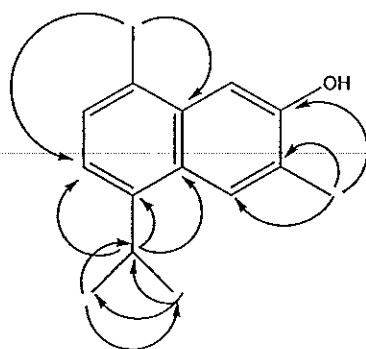
Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	1.53 (m)	46.1	CH	2
2	1.60 (m), 1.54 (m)	21.0	CH ₂	3, 6
3	1.99 (m), 1.95 (m)	31.3	CH ₂	1, 2, 4, 5
4	-	133.5	C	-
5	5.56 (m)	124.8	CH	1, 3, 6, 11
6	2.26 (m)	34.5	CH	1, 2, 4
7	1.28 (m)	43.6	CH	9
8	1.40 (m), 1.34 (m)	19.4	CH ₂	6
9	1.51 (m), 1.37 (m)	34.6	CH ₂	7, 10
10	-	72.4	C	-
11	1.98 (m)	26.7	CH	8, 13
12	0.89 (d, $J = 6.9$)	21.6	CH ₃	7, 11
13	0.84 (d, $J = 6.9$)	21.6	CH ₃	7, 11
14	1.20 (s)	29.3	CH ₃	1, 2, 8, 9
15	1.65 (brs)	23.6	CH ₃	3

3.1.12 Compound CP12



CP12 was obtained as viscous oil. The UV spectrum exhibited the absorption bands at 225, 235, 276, 286 and 299 nm. The IR spectrum indicated the presence of hydroxyl functionality (3328 cm^{-1}).

The ^1H NMR spectrum of CP12 (Table 17) displayed two *ortho*-coupled aromatic protons at δ 7.13 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, H-3) and 7.19 (d, $J = 7.5$ Hz, H-2). Two singlet signals of aromatic protons at δ 7.89 (s, H-5) and 7.25 (s, H-8), suggesting that they were *para* to each other. This was confirmed by HMBC spectrum, which showed the low-field proton (H-5) correlated with the methyl carbon at δ 16.8 (4-Me) and carbon at δ 142.2 (C-4) and the upfield proton (H-8) correlated with carbon at δ 130.1 (C-1), 126.9 (C-4a) and 125.1 (C-6). In addition, the presence of two methyl groups (δ 2.47 and 2.56) and one isopropyl moiety [δ 1.37, (6H, d, 6.6 Hz) and 3.67, (1H, sept)] was evident by ^1H and ^{13}C NMR signals (Table 17), establishing the cadinane skeleton. The methyl group at δ 2.47 was placed at C-6 because of HMBC correlations to C-5 (δ 125.6), C-6 (δ 125.1) and C-7 (δ 152.1) and the methyl at δ 2.56 was placed at C-1 due to HMBC correlations to C-2 (δ 126.2) and C-8a (δ 133.1). Finally, the isopropyl group was placed to C-4, judging from HMBC correlations of its methine proton δ 3.67 (sept, 6.6 Hz) with C-3 (119.1), C-4 (142.2) and C-4a (126.9). Thus, CP12 was identified as 7-hydroxycadinane (Lindgren *et al.*, 1968)

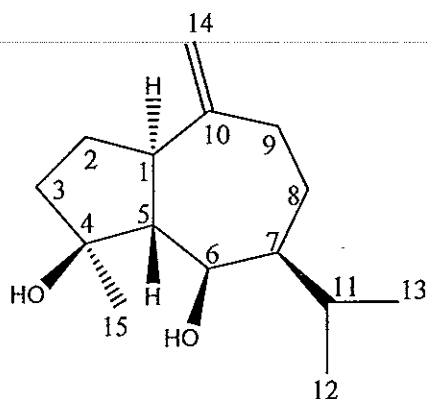


Selected HMBC correlation for compound CP12

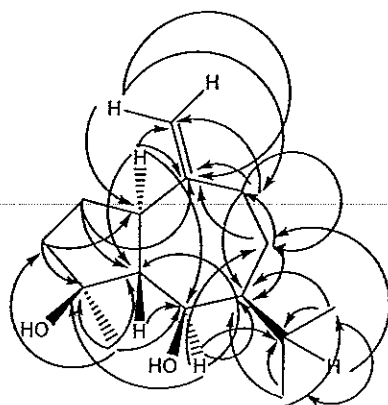
Table 17 ^1H , ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP12

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	-	130.1	C	-
2	7.19 (d, $J=7.5$)	126.2	CH	3, 4, 8a, 9
3	7.13 (d, $J=7.5$)	119.1	CH	1, 4a, 9, 10
4	-	142.2	C	-
4a	-	126.9	C	-
5	7.89 (s)	125.6	CH	13, 4, 8a
6	-	125.1	C	-
7	-	152.1	C	-
8	7.25 (s)	106.9	CH	4a, 6, 13
8a	-	133.1	C	-
9	2.56 (s)	19.5	CH_3	3, 8a
10	3.67 (sept)	28.4	CH	3, 4, 4a
11	1.37 (d, $J=6.6$)	23.7	CH_3	4, 10, 12
12	1.37 (d, $J=6.6$)	23.7	CH_3	4, 10, 11
13	2.47 (s)	16.8	CH_3	5, 6, 7

3.1.13 Compound CP13



Compound **CP13** was isolated as a colorless viscous oil. It exhibited hydroxyl (3400 cm^{-1}), and double bond (1640 cm^{-1}) absorptions in the IR spectrum. The ^1H NMR spectral data of **CP13** (Table 18) showed signals with a guaiane sesquiterpene hydrocarbon skeleton possessing an isopropyl group at δ 1.03, 0.96 (3H each, *d*, $J = 6.6\text{ Hz}$) and 1.70 (1H, *m*, H-11), 10(14)-exocyclic methylene at δ 4.76 (*brs*, 1H) and δ 4.73 (*brs*, 1H); δ_{C} 152.5 and 108.1, a tertiary methyl group at C-4 position (δ_{C} 80.8), a 3H singlet signal at δ 1.31 and an oxymethine proton at δ_{H} 4.08 : δ_{C} 72.6. The proton H-5 was assigned to be axially oriented from the two large vicinal coupling constants ($J_{5_{\text{ax}},1_{\text{ax}}} = 11.7\text{ Hz}$, $J_{5_{\text{ax}},6_{\text{ax}}} = 9.3\text{ Hz}$). The NOESY correlations of H-1 with Me-15 and H-7 but no cross peak with H-5, of H-6 and Me-15 and H-7 but no cross peak with Me-12 and Me-13. These data supported the *trans*-fused ring and the protons H-1, H-6, H-7 and Me-15 were located on the same side. Therefore, **CP13** was assigned as teucladiol (Bruno *et al.*, 1993).



Selected HMBC correlation for compound CP13

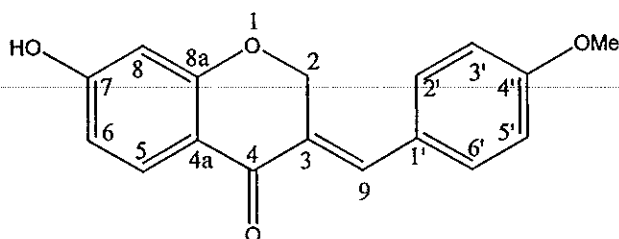
Table 18 ^1H , ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP13

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	2.37 (m)	42.8	CH	5, 6, 10, 14
2	1.86 (m), 1.74 (m)	27.3	CH ₂	5, 10
3	1.88 (m), 1.72 (m)	40.5	CH ₂	1, 4
4	-	80.8	C	-
5	1.90 (dd, $J = 11.7, 9.3$)	59.5	CH	6
6	4.08 (dd, $J = 9.3, 3.6$)	72.6	CH	4, 5, 7, 8, 11
7	1.26 (m)	48.5	CH	11
8	1.67 (m), 1.59 (m)	23.1	CH ₂	7, 9, 10
9	2.56 (dt, $J = 14.1, 6.6$) 2.14 (dt, $J = 14.1, 7.2$)	35.5	CH ₂	1, 7, 8, 10, 14
10	-	152.5	C	-
11	1.70 (m)	28.9	CH	8
12	1.03 (d, $J = 6.6$)	21.6	CH ₃	7, 11, 13
13	0.96 (d, $J = 6.6$)	21.6	CH ₃	7, 11, 12
14A	4.73 (brs)	108.1	CH ₂	1, 9, 10
14B	4.76 (brs)			
15	1.31 (s)	24.0	CH ₃	3, 4, 5, 6

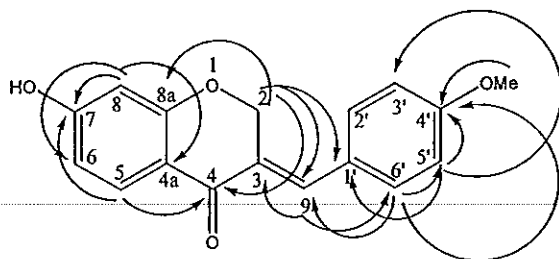
Table 19 Comparison of ^1H NMR and ^{13}C NMR spectral data of compounds **CP13** and teucladiol (**R**, recorded in CDCl_3)

Position	CP13		R	
	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}
1	2.37 (m)	42.8	-	42.8
2	1.86 (m), 1.74 (m)	27.3	-	27.3
3	1.88 (m), 1.72 (m)	40.5	-	40.6
4	-	80.8	-	80.8
5	1.90 (dd, $J = 11.7, 9.3$)	59.5	1.88 (dd, $J = 11.6, 9.6$)	59.5
6	4.08 (dd, $J = 9.3, 3.6$)	72.6	4.09 (dd, $J = 9.6, 3.9$)	72.6
7	1.26 (m)	48.5	-	48.5
8	1.67 (m), 1.59 (m)	23.1	-	24.0
9	2.14 (dt, $J = 14.4, 7.2$)	35.5	2.14 (dt, $J = 14.4, 7.2$)	35.5
	2.56 (dt, $J = 14.4, 7.3$)		2.56 (dt, $J = 14.4, 7.3$)	
10	-	152.5	-	152.5
11	1.70 (m)	28.9	-	29.0
12	1.03 (d, $J = 6.6$)	21.6	1.03 (d, $J = 6.6$)	21.5
13	0.96 (d, $J = 6.6$)	21.6	0.97 (d, $J = 6.6$)	21.6
14A	4.73 (brs)	108.1	4.73 (d, $J = 1.0$)	108.1
14B	4.76 (brs)		4.76 (d, $J = 0.7$)	
15	1.31 (s)	24.0	1.31 (s)	23.2

3.1.14 Compound CP14



Compound **CP14** was obtained as a yellow crystal, m.p. = 158 °C. The UV spectrum exhibited the absorption bands at 317 and 357 nm. The IR spectrum showed the absorption bands of a free hydroxyl and carbonyl groups at 3439 cm^{-1} , 1655 cm^{-1} respectively. It implied that the main skeleton of compound **CP14** is a homoisoflavone type (McPherson *et al.*, 1983). The ^1H NMR spectral data of **3** showed the signals of aromatic protons on ring A at δ 7.87 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, H-5), 6.56 (dd, $J = 8.7, 2.4$ Hz, H-6) and 6.36 (d, $J = 2.4$ Hz, H-8). In the HMBC spectrum, an aromatic proton at δ_{H} 7.87 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, H-5) showed 3J correlation to δ_{C} 164.8 (C-7), suggesting that the hydroxyl group was attached at C-7. Moreover, two sets signal of *p*-disubstituted aromatic protons on ring C were shown at δ 7.28 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, H-2' and H-6') and 6.99 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, H-3' and H-5'). In the HMBC spectrum, the aromatic proton at δ_{H} 7.28 (d, $J = 8.7$ Hz, H-2' and H-6') showed 3J correlation to δ_{C} 160.6, while the methoxy proton resonanced at δ 3.87 (s) also showed correlation to δ_{C} 160.6, implying that the methoxy group was attached at C-4' of ring C. In the COSY spectrum of compound **CP14**, the methine proton at δ_{H} 7.78 was coupled with the methylene proton resonanced at δ_{H} 5.34, whose signals were assigned to C-9 and C-2 respectively. The geometry of C-3 and C-9 double bond was assigned as a trans-trisubstituted alkene. The HMBC data of compound **CP14** were summarized in **Table 20**. Therefore, compound **CP14** was deduced as Bonducellin (McPherson *et al.*, 1983)



Selected HMBC correlation for compound CP14

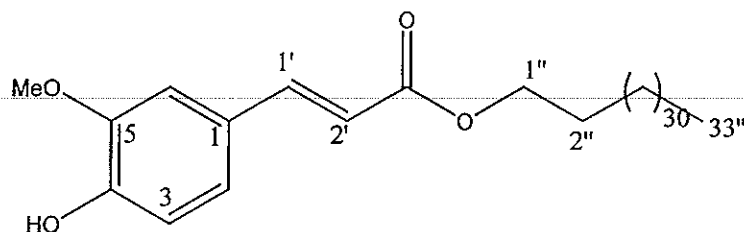
Table 20 ^1H , ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP14

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
2	5.34 (d, $J = 1.8$)	67.8	CH_2	3, 4, 8a, 9
3	-	129.0	C	-
4	-	181.7	C	2, 3, 4a, 5, 8a, 9
4a	-	114.8	C	-
5	7.87 (d, $J = 8.7$)	129.8	CH	4, 6, 7, 8
6	6.56 (dd, $J = 8.7, 2.4$)	111.2	CH	4a, 7, 8
7	-	164.8	C	-
8	6.36 (d, $J = 2.4$)	102.7	CH	4, 4a, 6, 7, 8a
8a	-	163.2	C	-
9	7.78 (brs)	136.8	CH	2, 3, 4, 1', 2', 6'
1'	-	127.1	C	-
2'/6'	7.28 (d, $J = 8.7$)	131.9	CH	9, 1', 3', 4', 6'
3'/5'	6.99 (d, $J = 8.7$)	114.2	CH	4'
4'	-	160.6	C	-
OMe	3.78 (s)	55.3	CH_3	1', 3', 4', 6'

Table 21 Comparison of ^1H NMR spectral data of compounds **CP14** (recorded in $\text{CDCl}_3+\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$) and bonducellin (**R**, recorded in acetone- d_6)

Position	CP8	R
	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)
2	5.34 (d, $J=1.8$)	5.39 (d, $J=1.8$)
3	-	-
4	-	-
4a	-	-
5	7.87 (d, $J=8.7$)	7.83 (d, $J=8.5$)
6	6.56 (dd, $J=8.7, 2.4$)	6.60 (dd, $J=8.7, 2.2$)
7	-	-
8	6.36 (d, $J=2.4$)	6.38 (d, $J=2.2$)
8a	-	-
9	7.78 (brs)	7.70 (t, $J=1.9$)
1'	-	-
2'/6'	7.28 (d, $J=8.7$)	7.40 (d, $J=8.9$)
3'/5'	6.99 (d, $J=8.7$)	7.03 (d, $J=8.9$)
4'	-	-
OMe	3.78 (s)	3.87 (s)
7-OH	-	3.31 (brs)

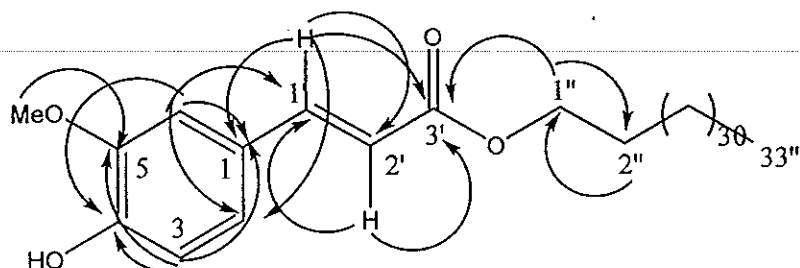
3.1.15 Compound CP15



Compound **CP15** was isolated as a colorless viscous oil, It exhibited hydroxyl (3375 cm^{-1}), conjugated ester (1695 cm^{-1}) and double bond (1635 cm^{-1}) absorptions in the IR spectrum. The UV spectrum showed absorption bands at λ_{max} : 234, 297 and 325 nm, again suggesting the presence of conjugation in the molecule. Its molecular formula, $\text{C}_{43}\text{H}_{76}\text{O}_4$ ($[\text{M}-1]^+$ 655.6 calcd 655.6), was deduced by EI mass spectrum.

In the ^1H NMR spectral data of **CP15** (Table 22), the presence of a *trans* double bond was evidenced by two doublet signals at δ 6.29 and 7.61 ppm with a coupling constant of 15.9 Hz. ^1H NMR signals at δ 6.92 (d, $J = 8.4$ Hz), δ 7.08 (dd, $J = 8.4$ and 1.8 Hz) and δ 7.04 (d, $J = 1.8$ Hz) established the presence of three aromatic protons with *ortho*, *ortho/meta* and *meta* coupling, respectively. The presence of one methoxyl group was also shown by a three-proton singlet at δ 3.93 ppm. Furthermore, the calculated MW of 655.6 was in agreement with molecular formula, $\text{C}_{38}\text{H}_{66}\text{O}_4$ as deduced by EI mass spectrum. The ^1H NMR spectrum showed signals of methylene protons at δ 4.19 ($\text{H}_2\text{-1}''$), a triplet at δ 0.88 ($\text{H}_3\text{-33}''$), and a broad signal at δ 1.12-1.14 which could be deduced from molecular formula to be those of 60H. Therefore, compound **CP15** should be a long chain ester of ferulic acid. The ^{13}C NMR spectral data of **CP15** showed signals at δ 167.4 (C-3') due to the carbonyl group of an ester function and δ 144.6 (C-1') and δ 115.7 (C-2') due to a side chain C-C double bond. Further confirmation of this skeleton came from the mass spectrum of **CP15** which showed, besides the molecular ion, significant fragment peak at m/z ion 177 and 194, both being characteristic of a methoxy and hydroxyl substituted cinnamic moiety. HMBC correlations were summarized in

Table 22. On the basis of its spectroscopic data, Compound CP15 was suggested to be tritriacontyl ferrulate, a new compound.



Selected HMBC correlation for compound CP15

Table 22 ^1H , ^{13}C NMR, DEPT and HMBC spectral data of compound CP15

Position	δ_{H} (mult, J , Hz)	δ_{C}	DEPT	HMBC
1	-	127.1	C	-
2	7.08 (dd, $J=8.4, 1.8$)	123.0	CH	6
3	6.92 (d, $J=8.4$)	114.7	CH	1, 4, 5
4	-	147.9	C	-
5	-	146.8	C	-
6	7.04 (d, $J=1.8$)	109.3	CH	1, 2, 4, 1'
1'	7.61 (d, $J=15.9$)	144.6	CH	1, 2, 2', 3'
2'	6.29 (d, $J=15.9$)	115.7	CH	1', 3'
3'	-	167.4	C	-
1''	4.19 (t, $J=8.4$)	64.6	CH ₂	3', 2''
2''	1.70 (m)	26.0	CH ₂	1''
33''	0.88 (t, $J=6.3$)	14.1	CH ₃	-
OMe	3.93	55.9	CH ₃	5

CHAPTER 4

CONCLUSION

Six new cassane diterpenoids: pulcherrin A (CP1), pulcherrin B (CP2), pulcherrin C (CP3), neocaesalpin P (CP4), neocaesalpin Q (CP5) and neocaesalpin R (CP6) and a new ferrulic ester: tritriacontyl ferrulate (CP15), together with eight known compounds: isovouacapenol C (CP7), 6 β -cinnamoyl-7 β -hydroxyvouacapen-5 α -ol (CP8), pulcherrimin E (CP9), pulcherrimin C (CP10), α -cadinol (CP11), 7-hydroxycadalene (CP12), teucladiol (CP13) and bonducellin (CP14) were isolated from the stem of *Caesalpinia pulcherrima*. Their structures were elucidated on the basis of spectroscopic techniques.

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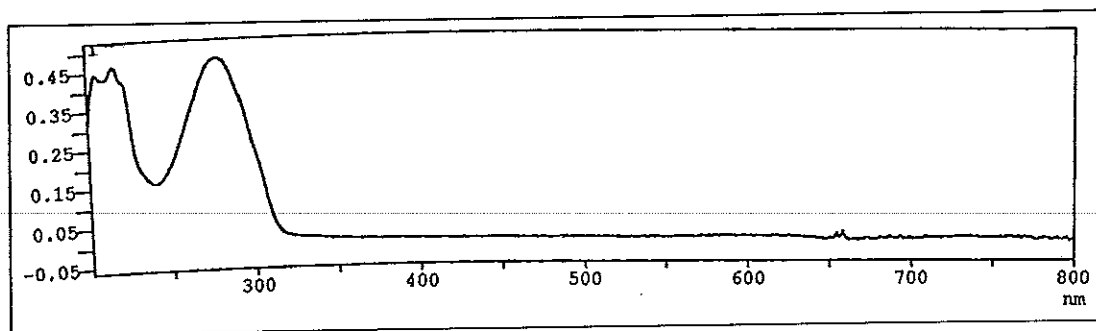


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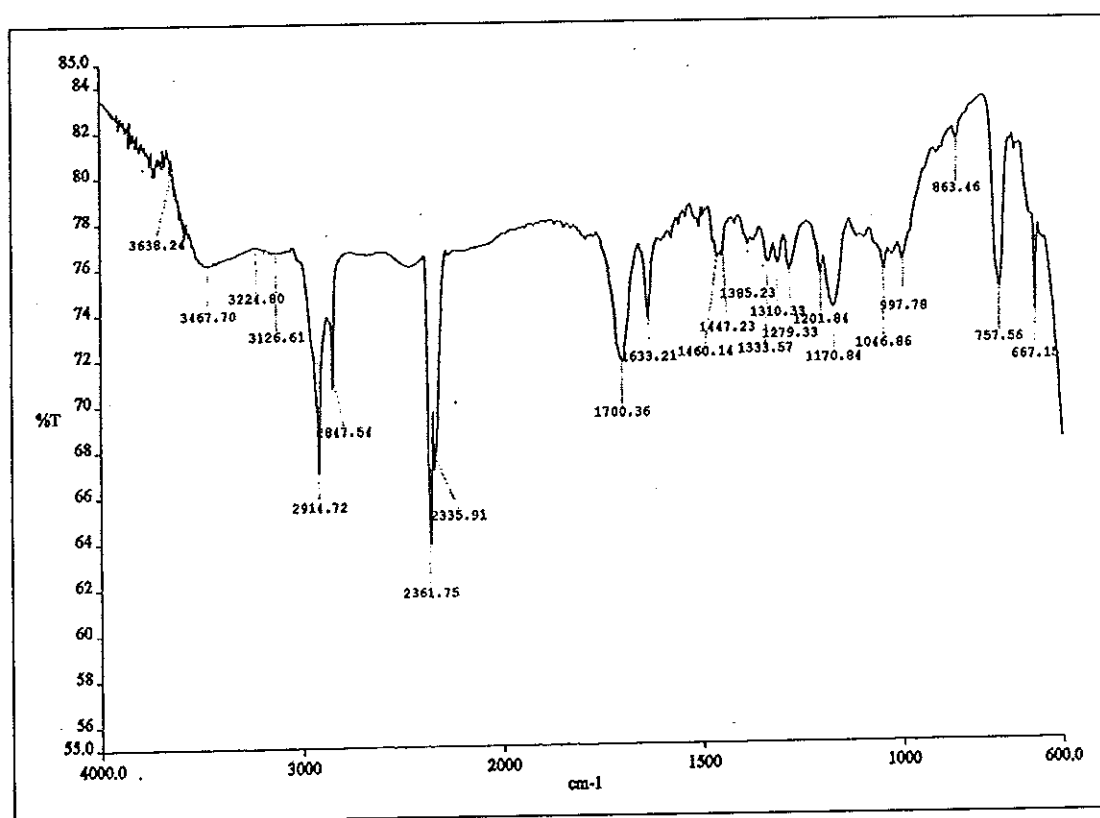


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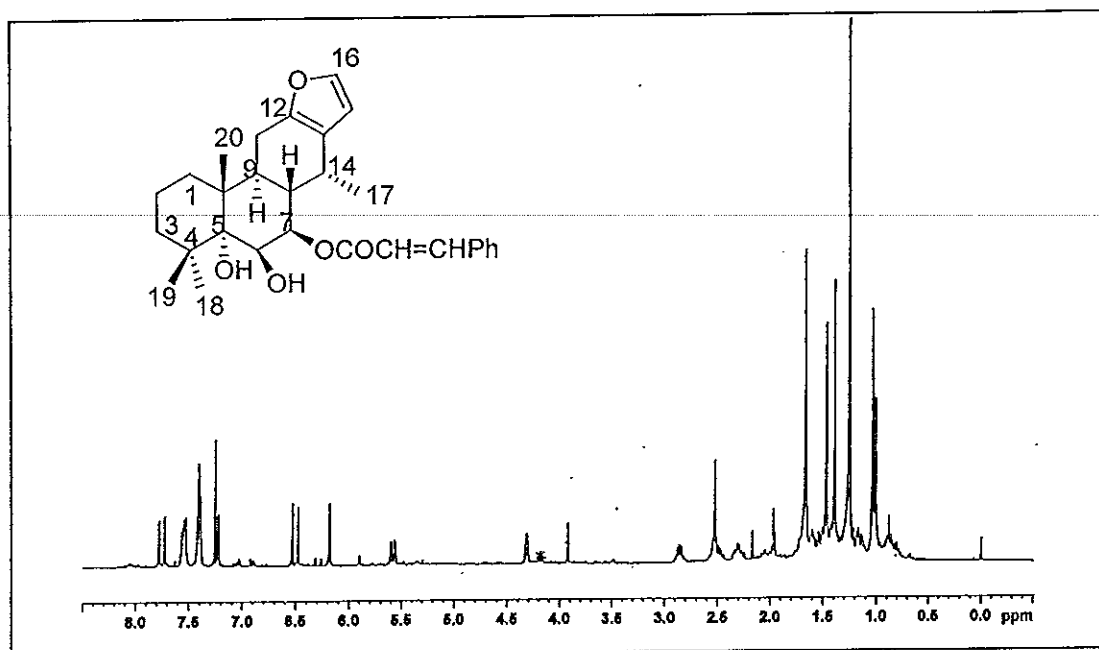


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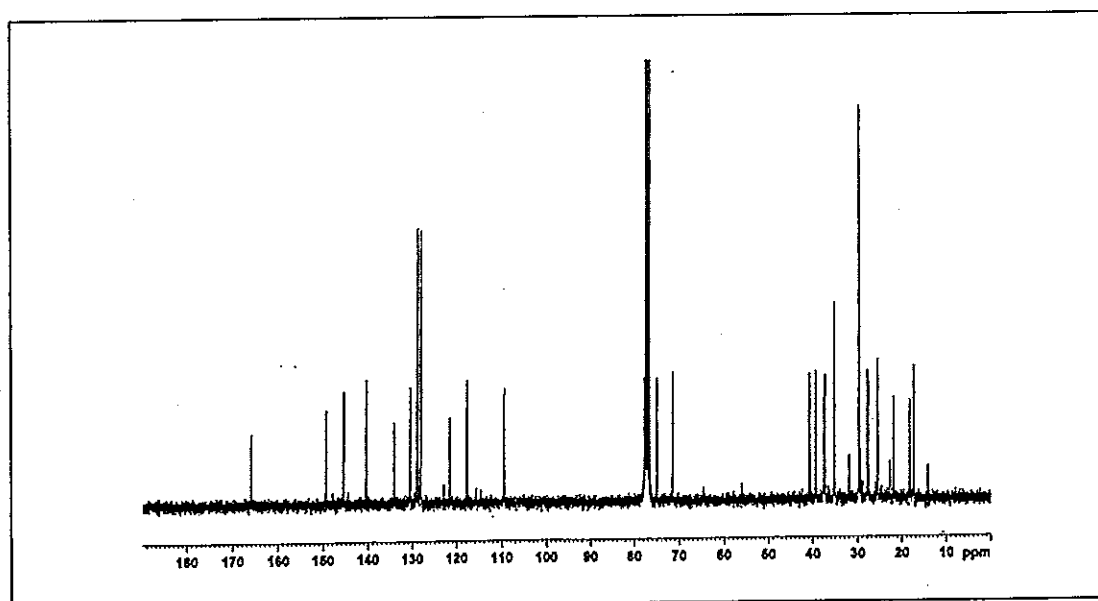


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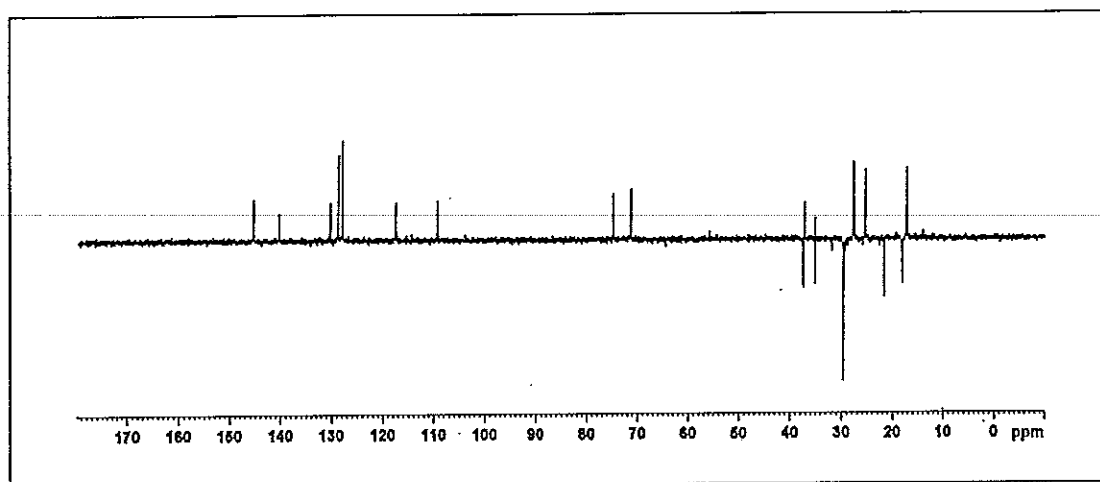


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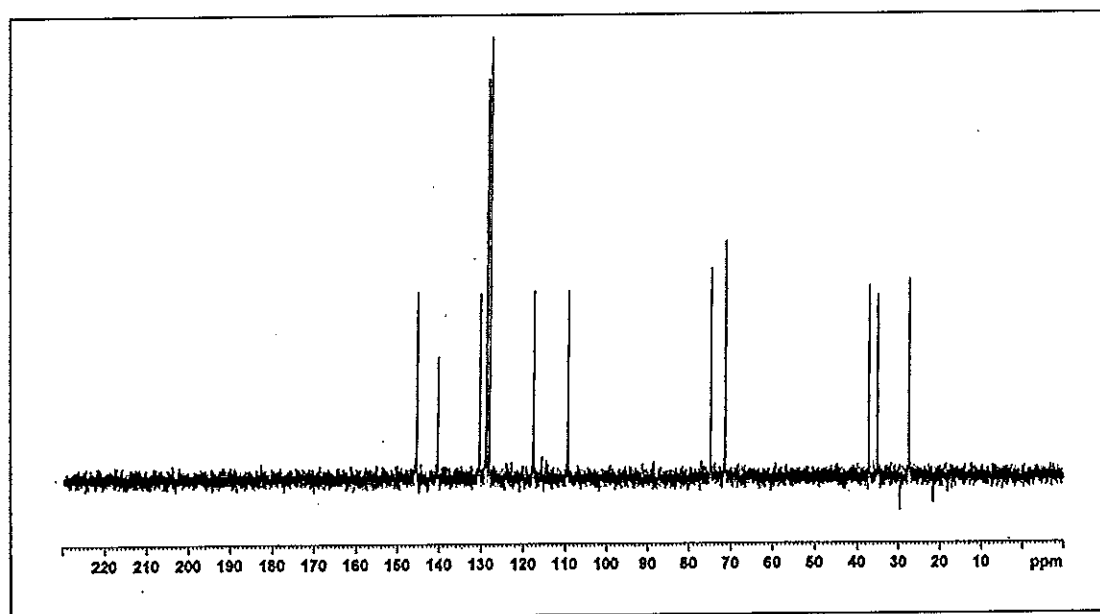


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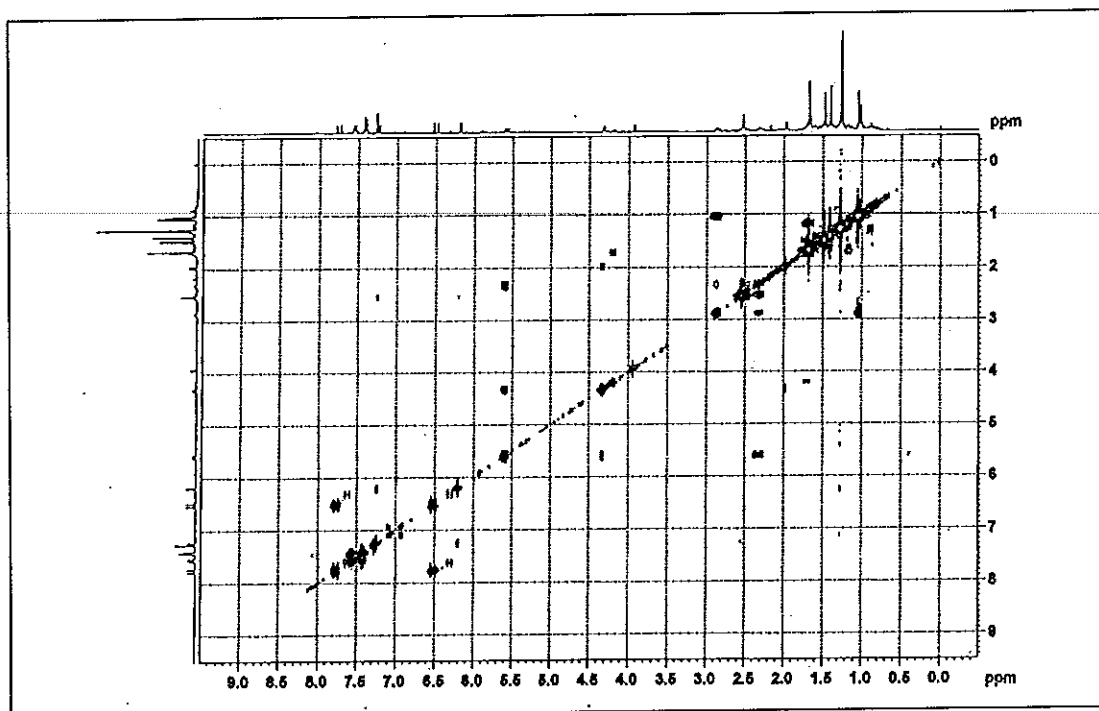


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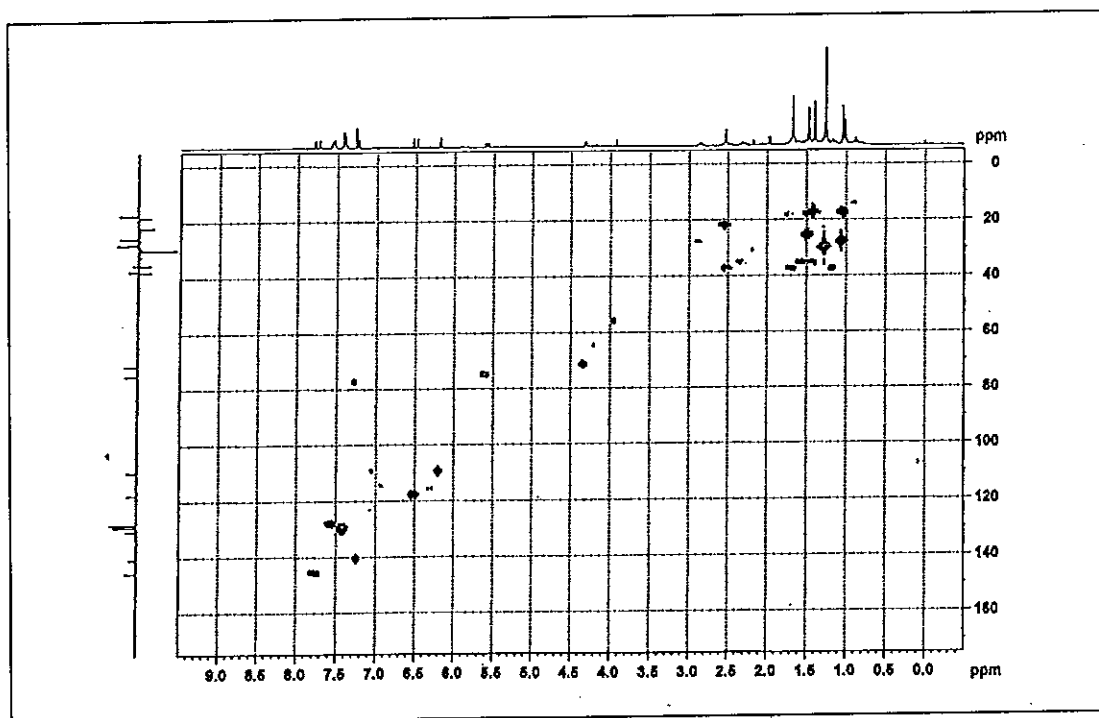


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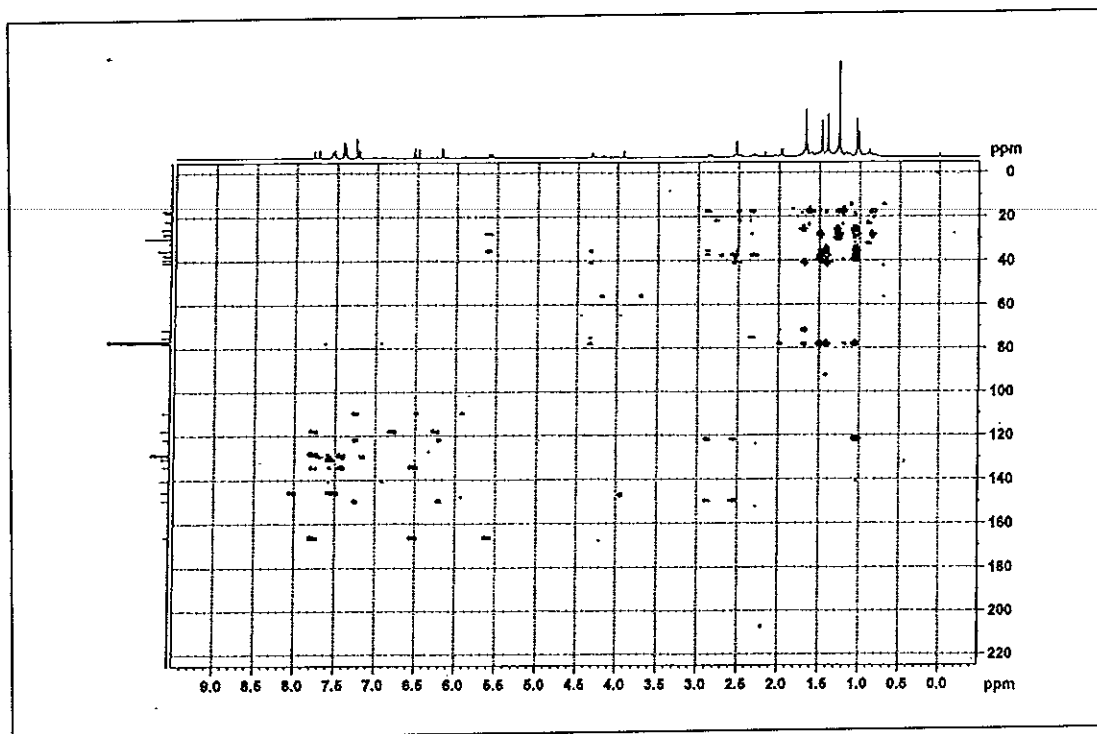


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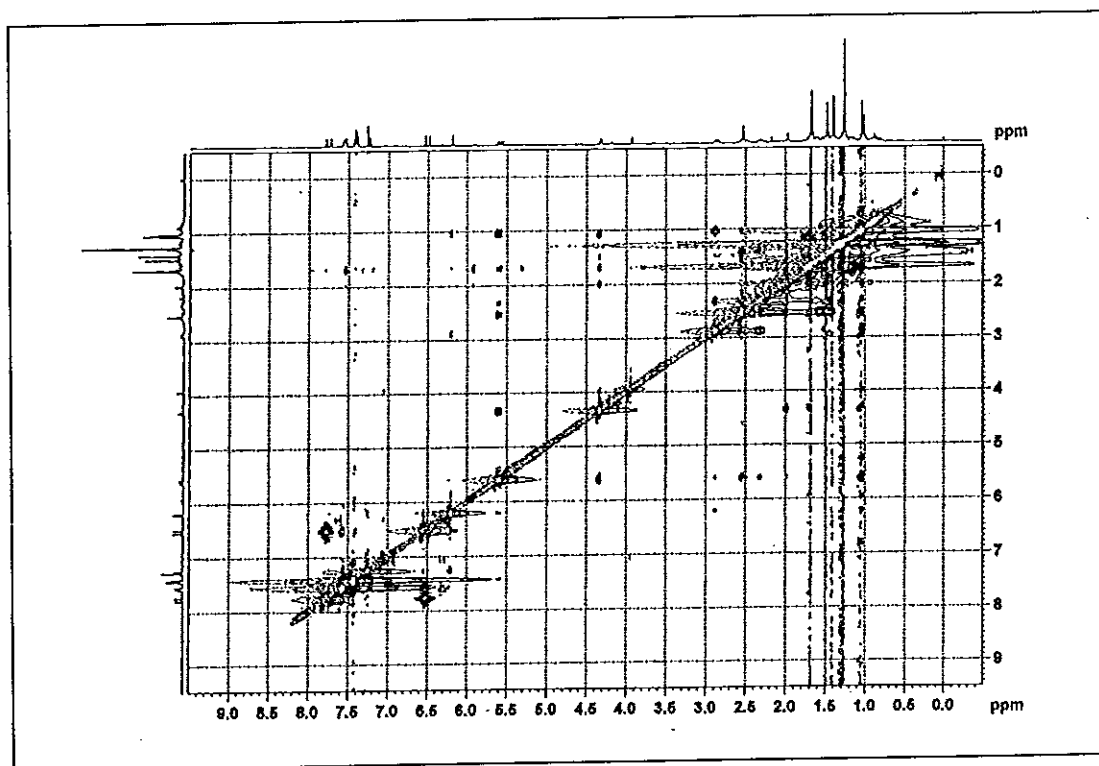


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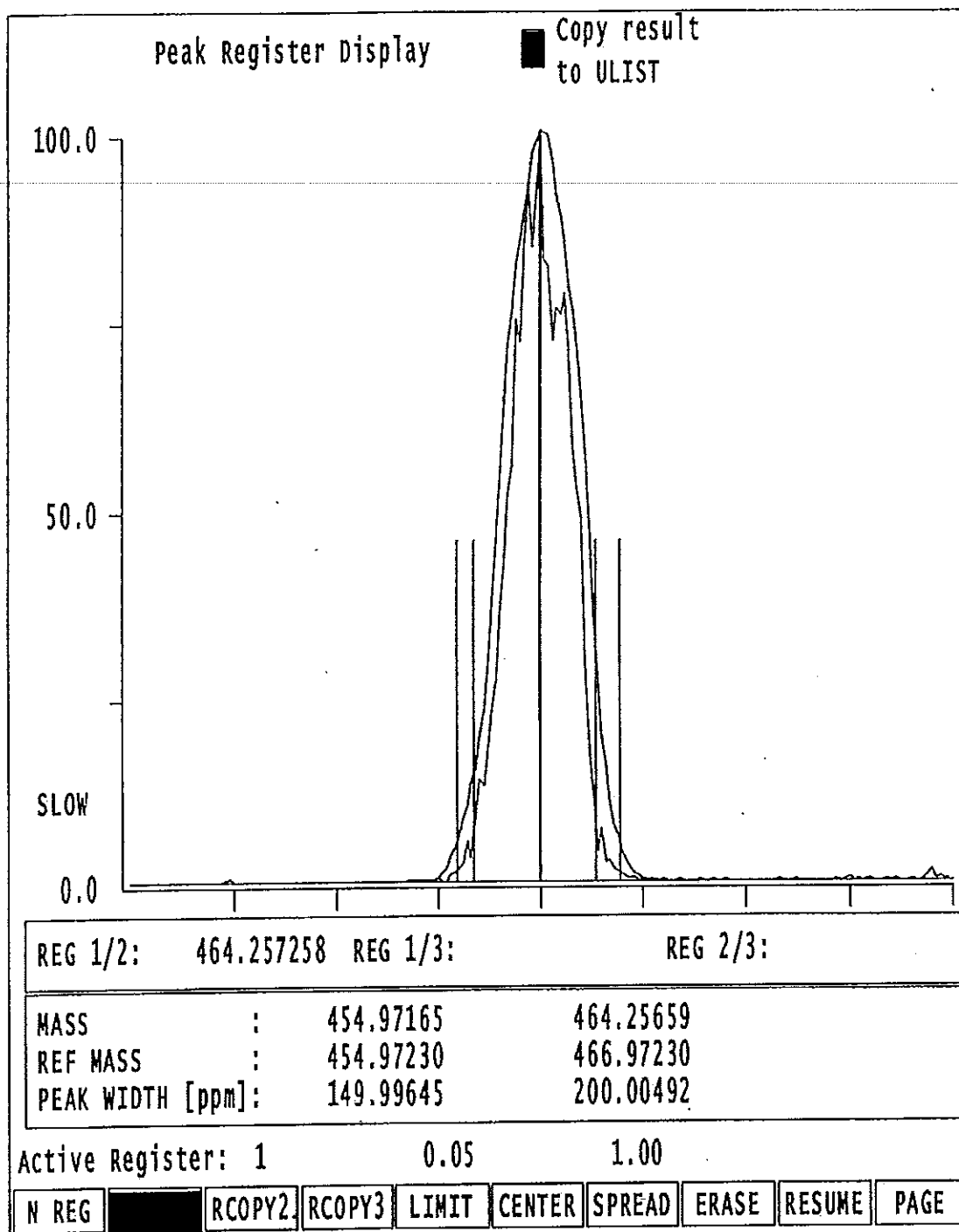


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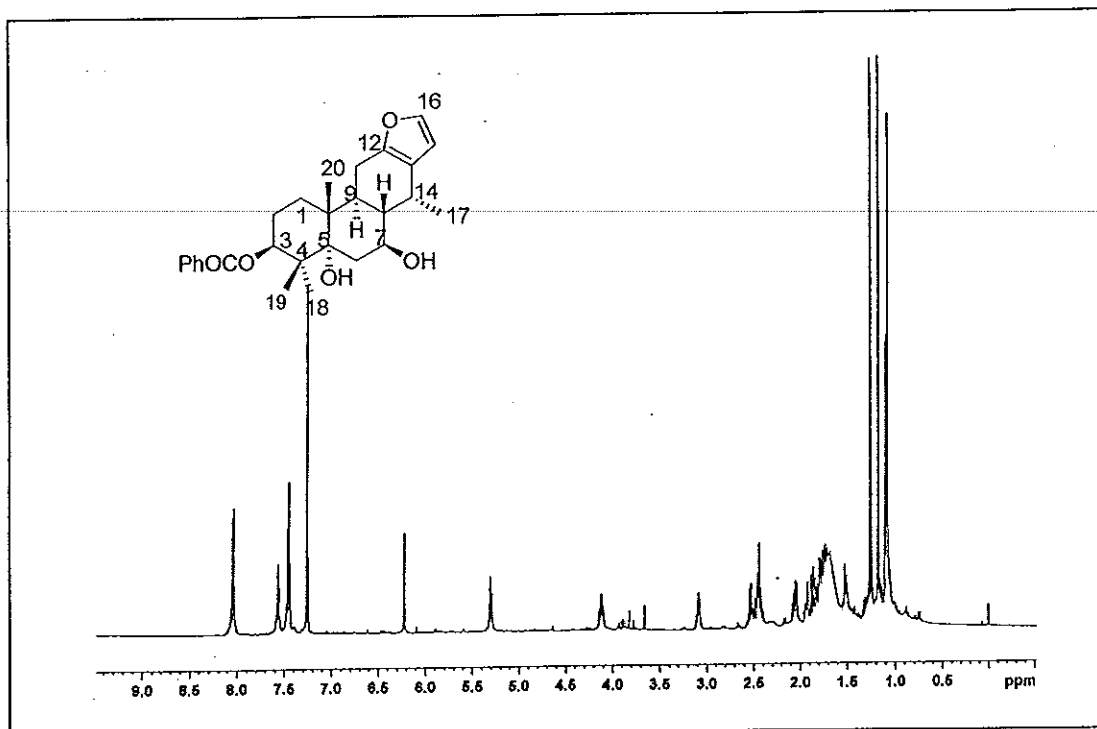


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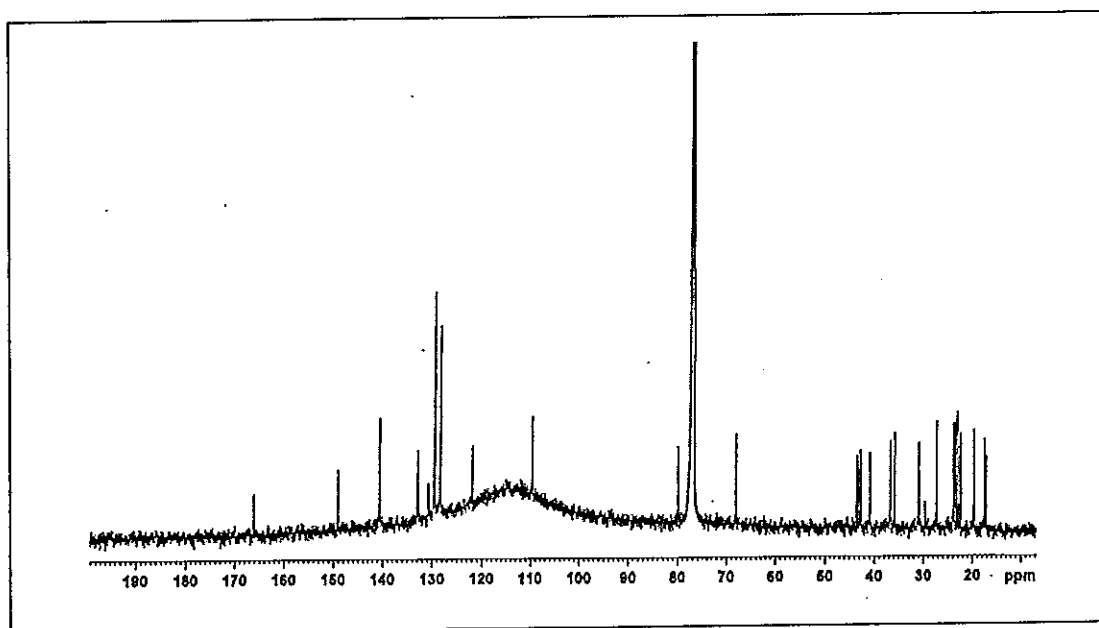


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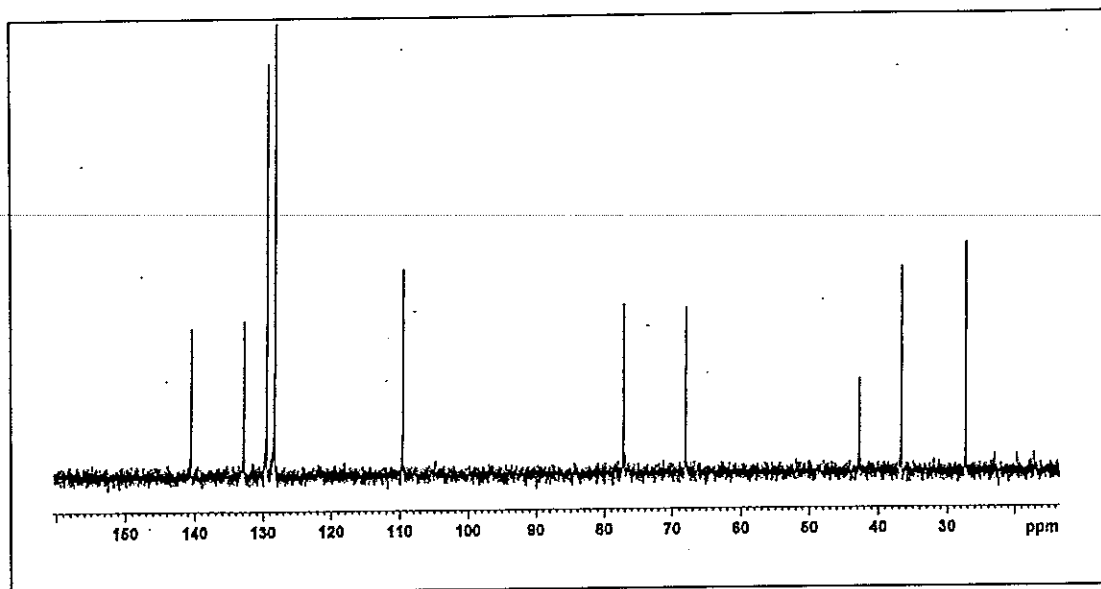


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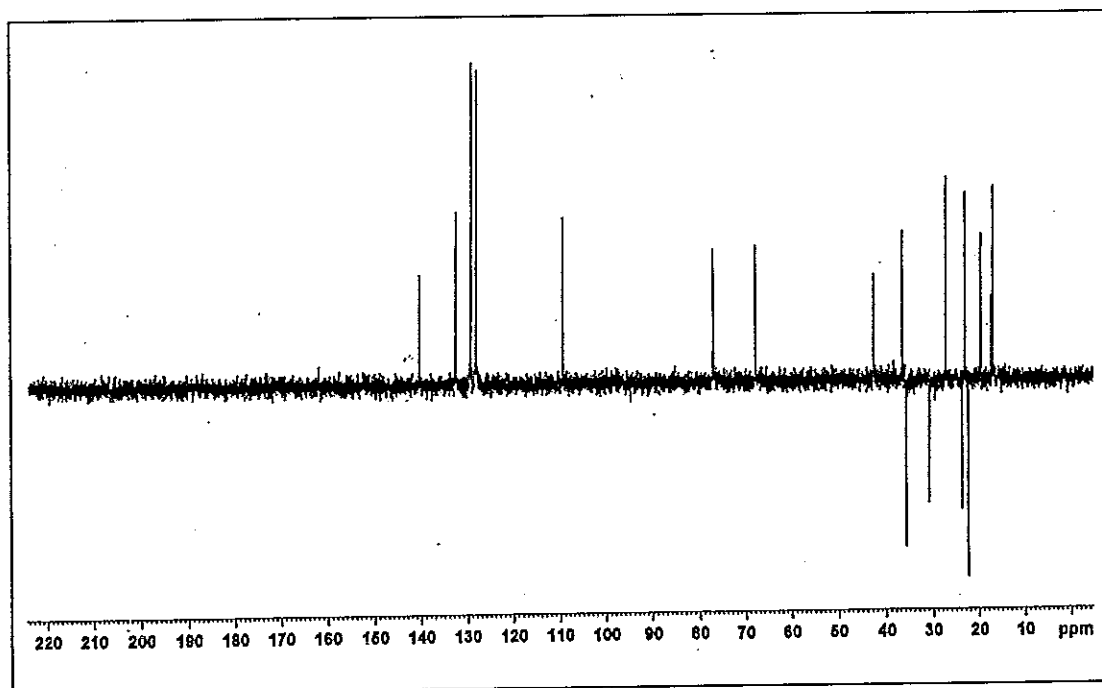


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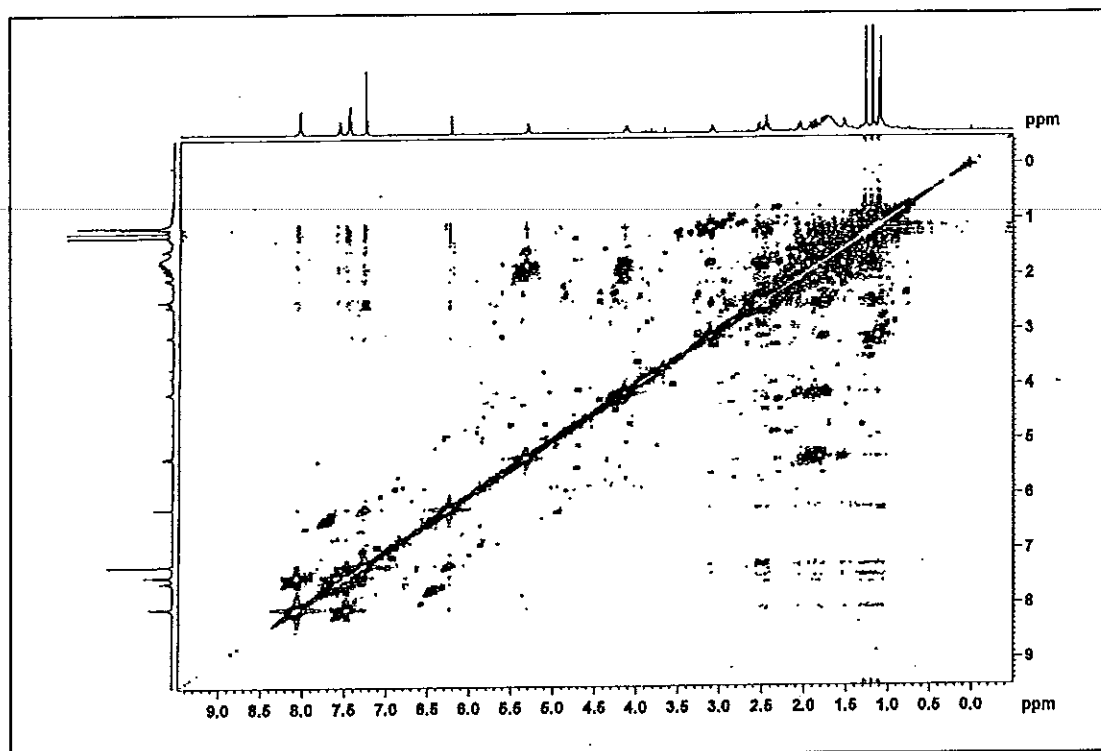


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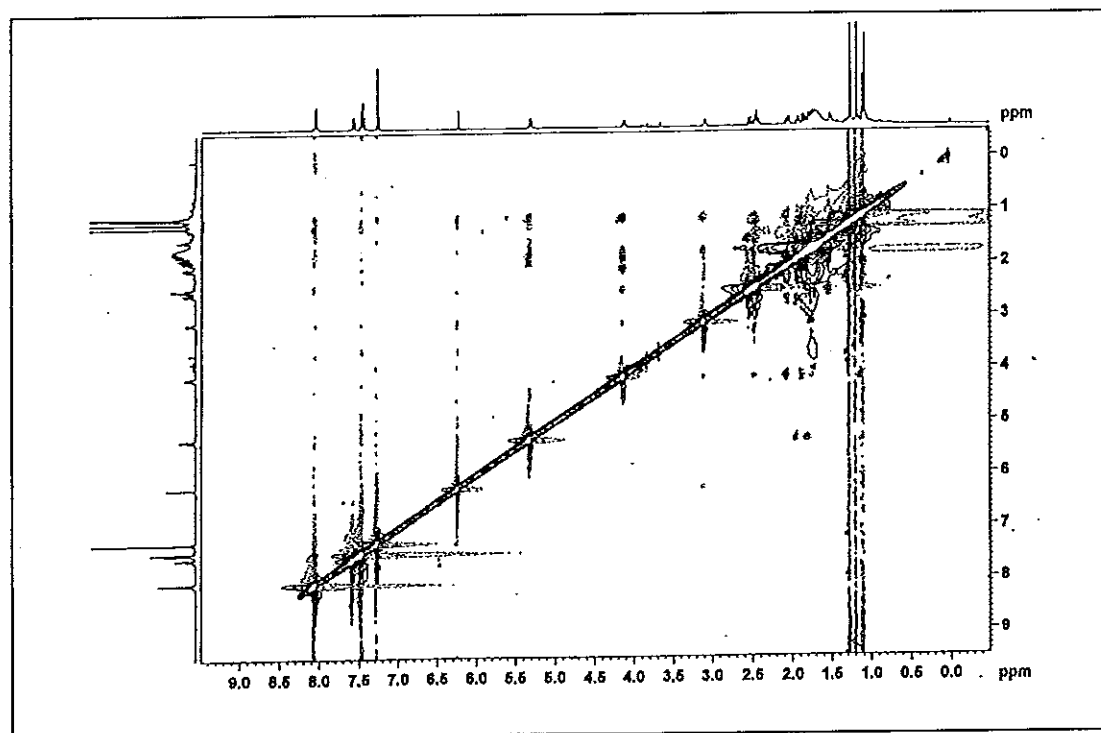


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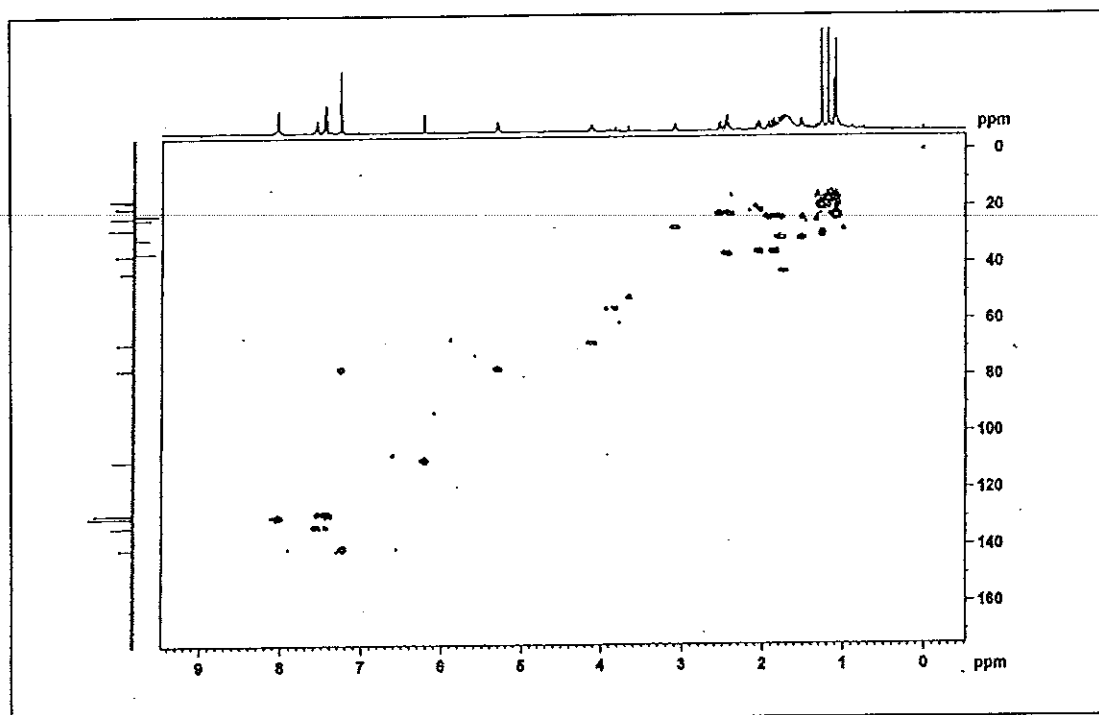


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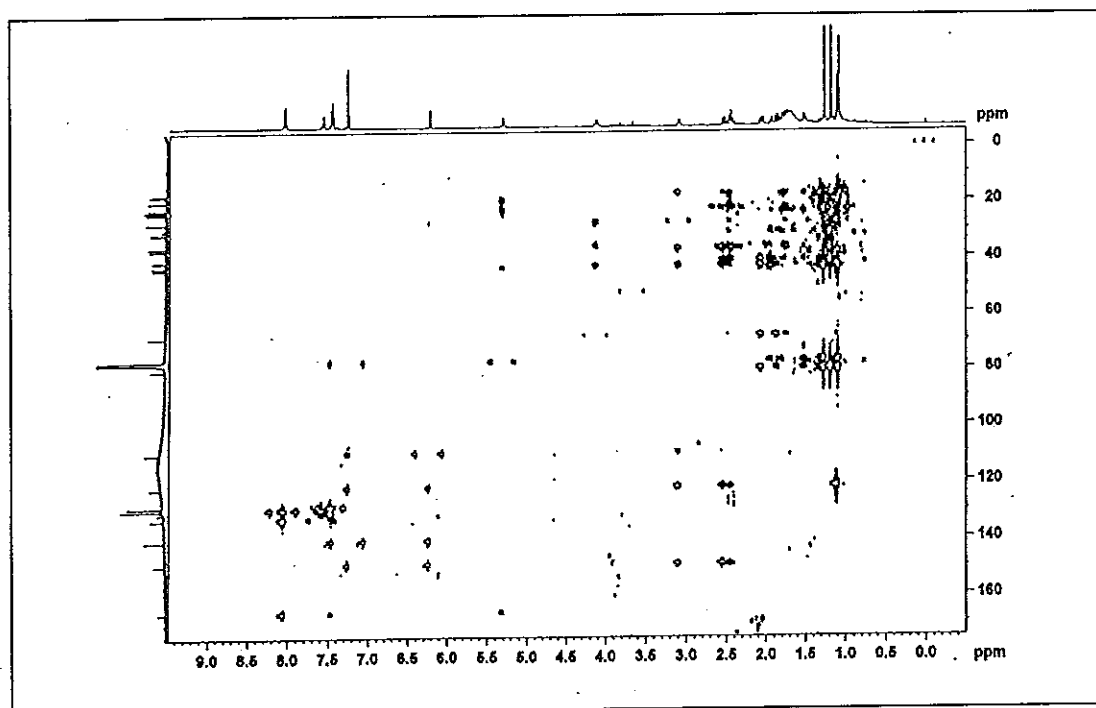


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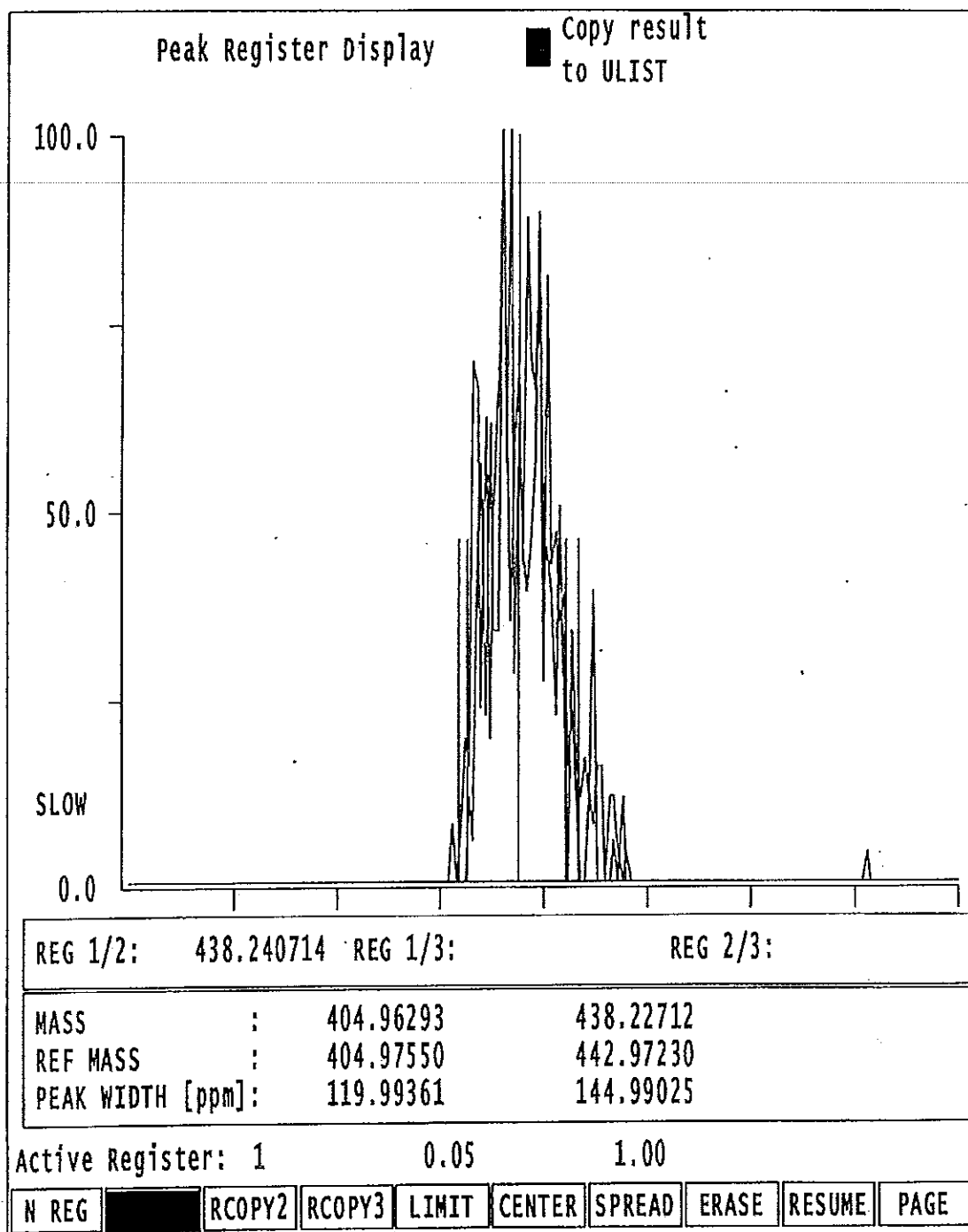


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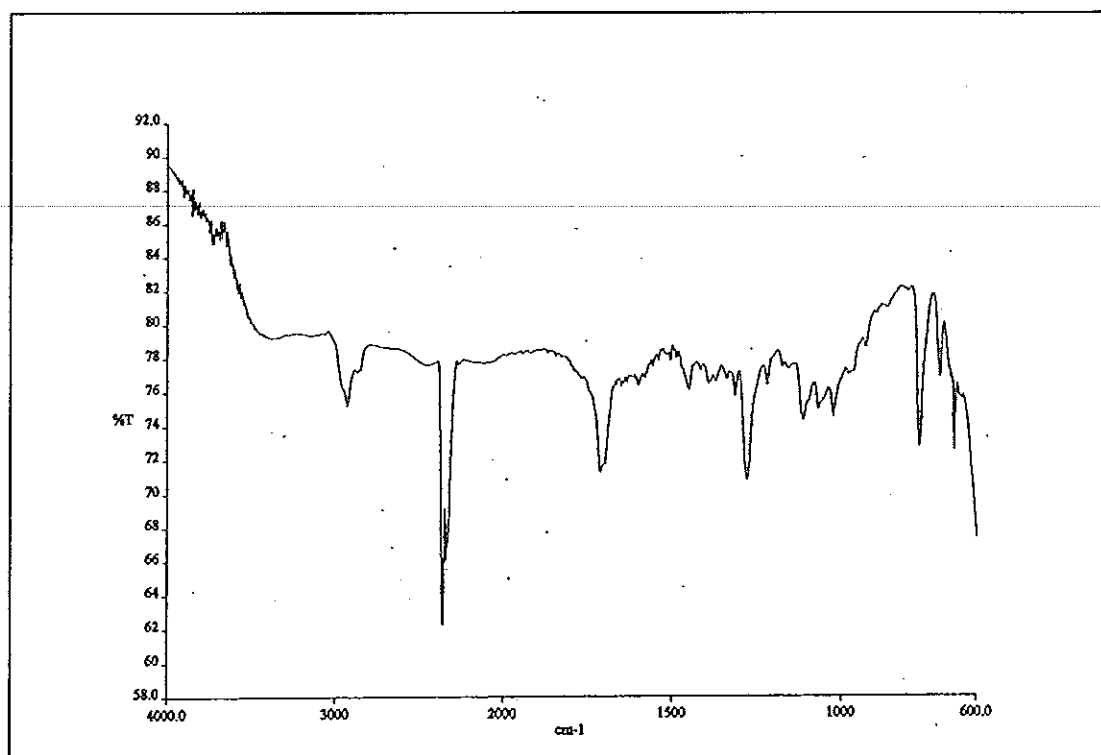


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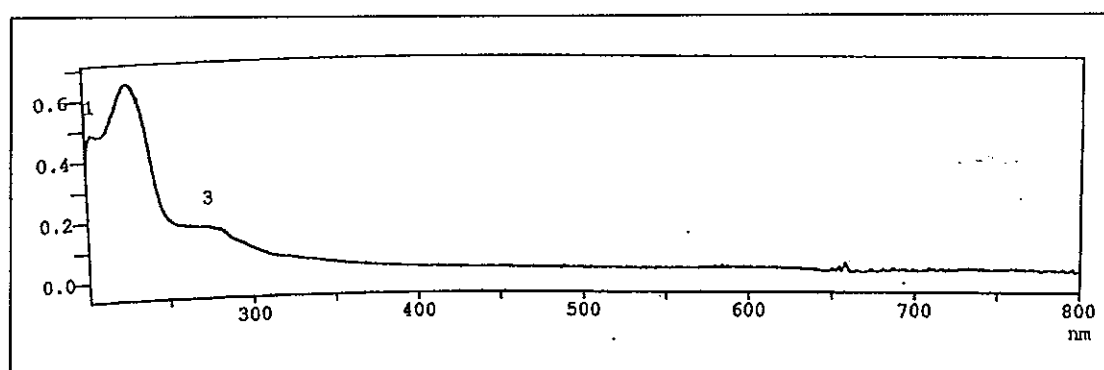


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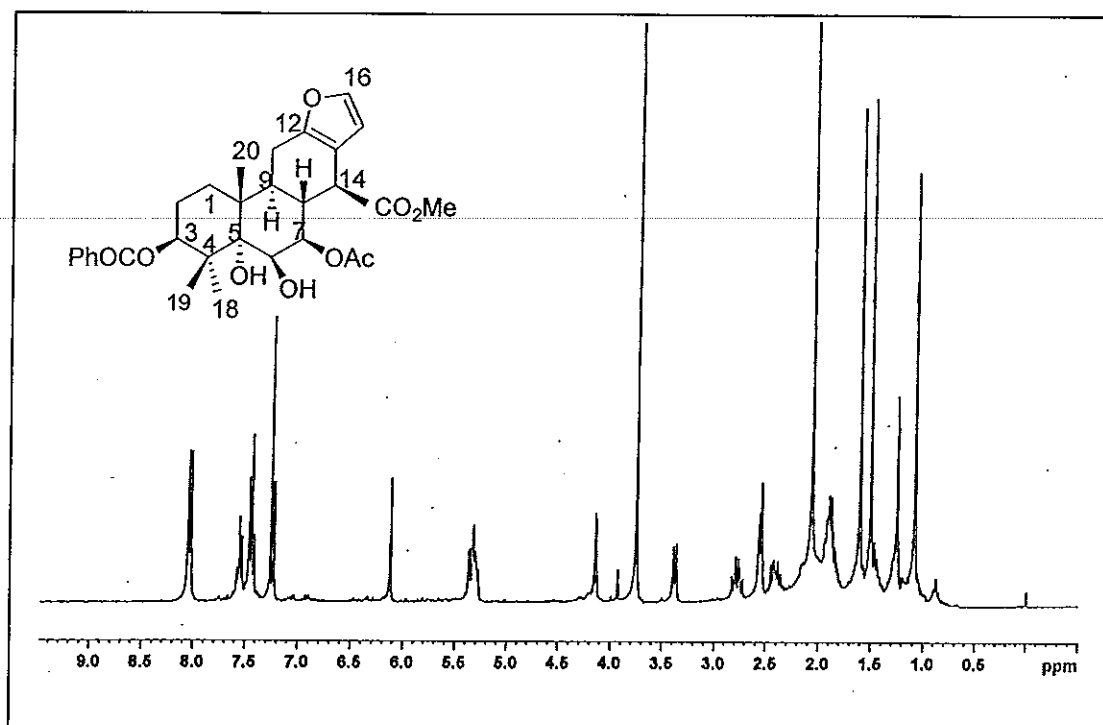


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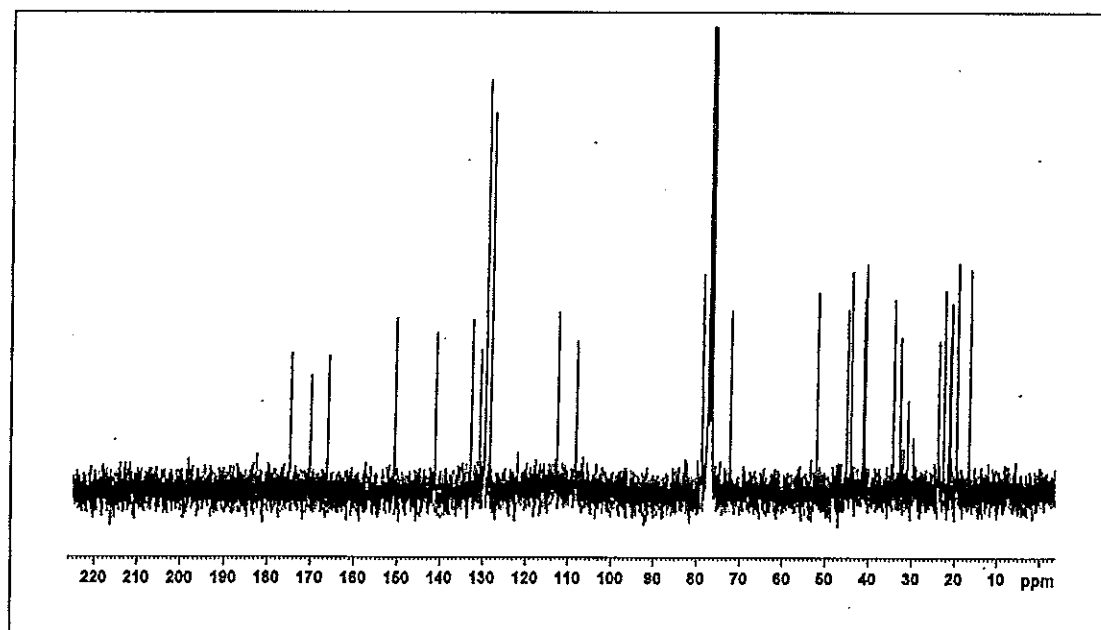


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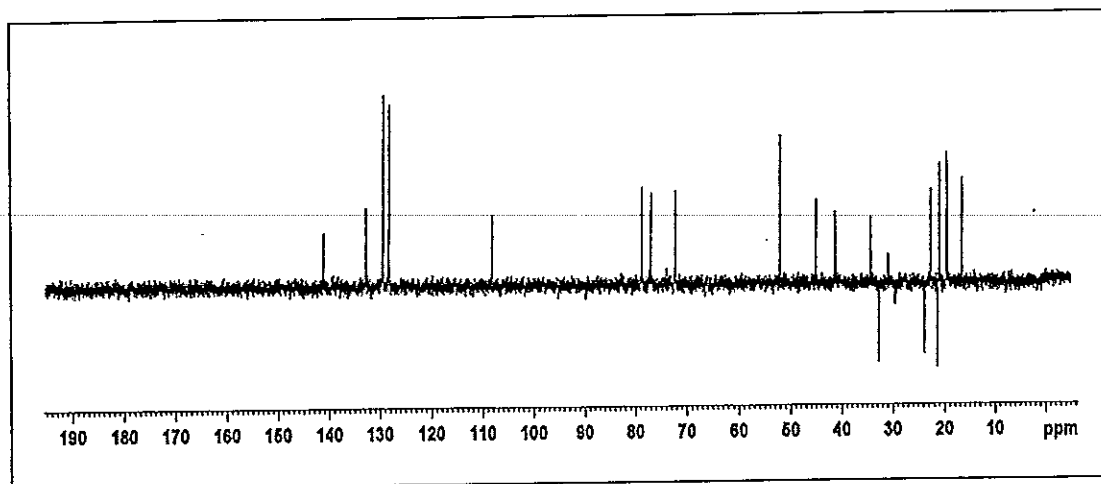


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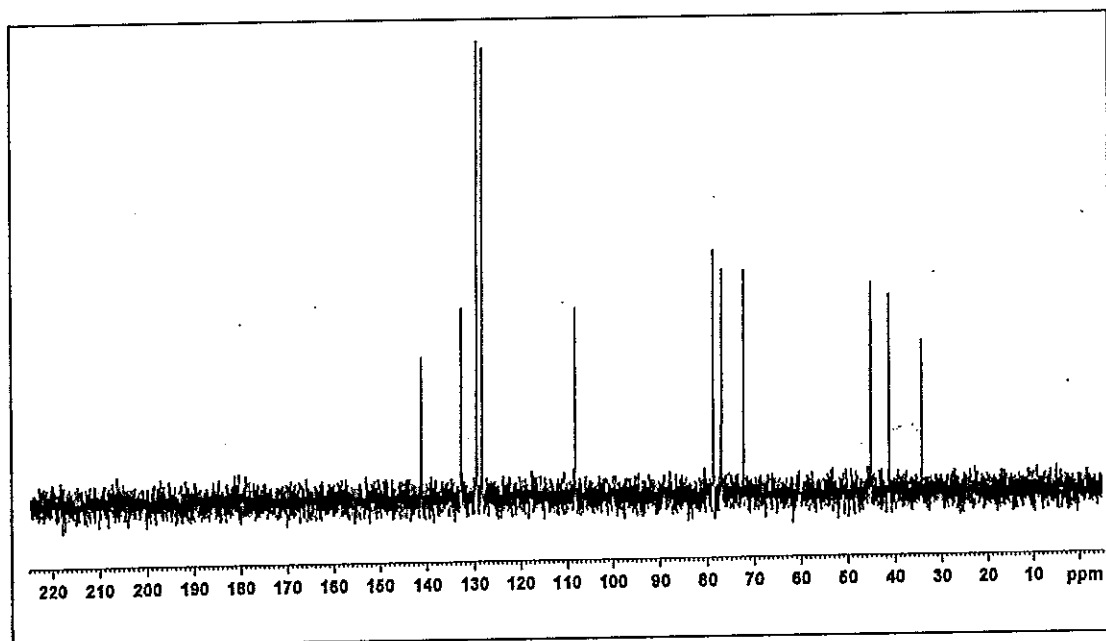


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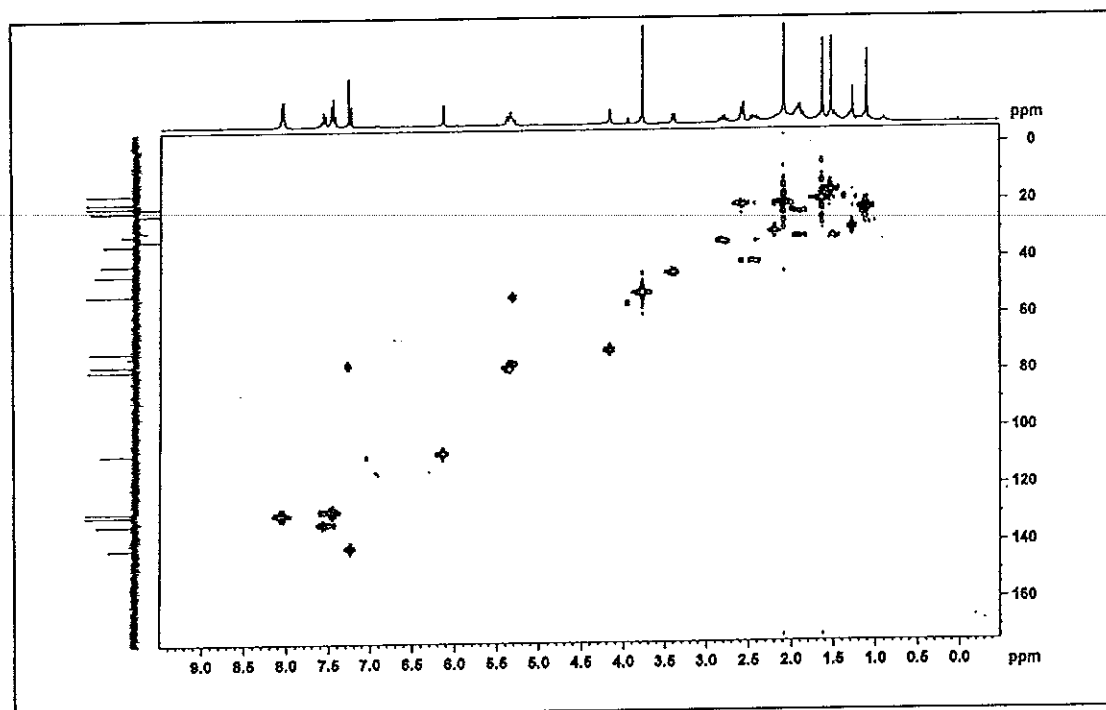


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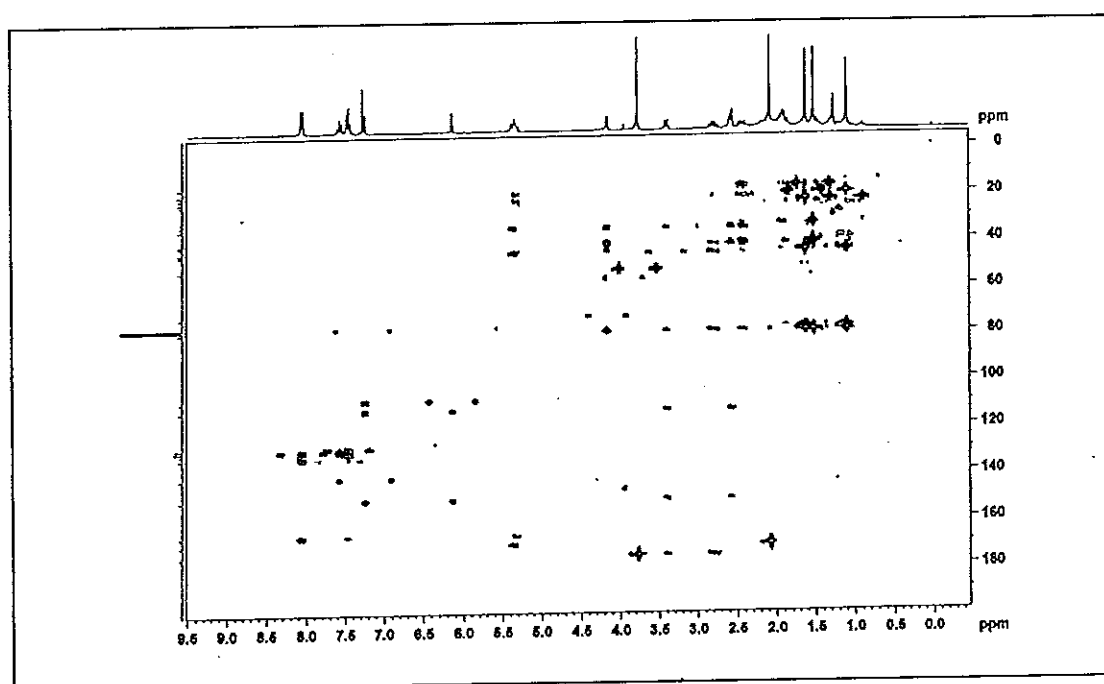


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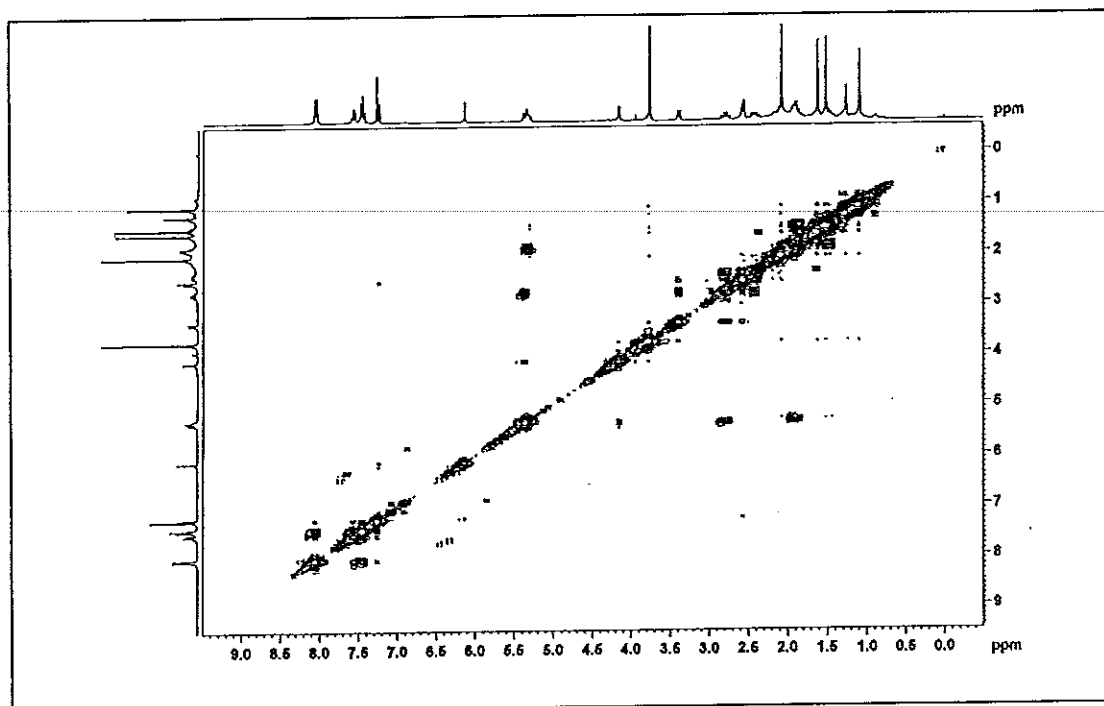


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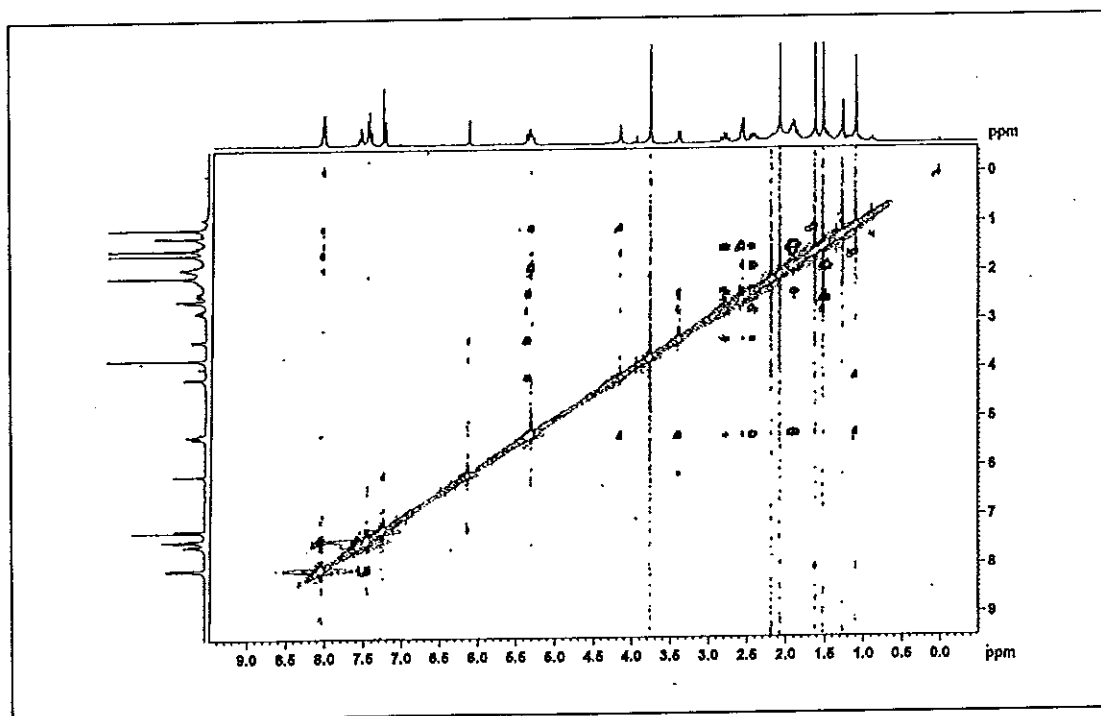


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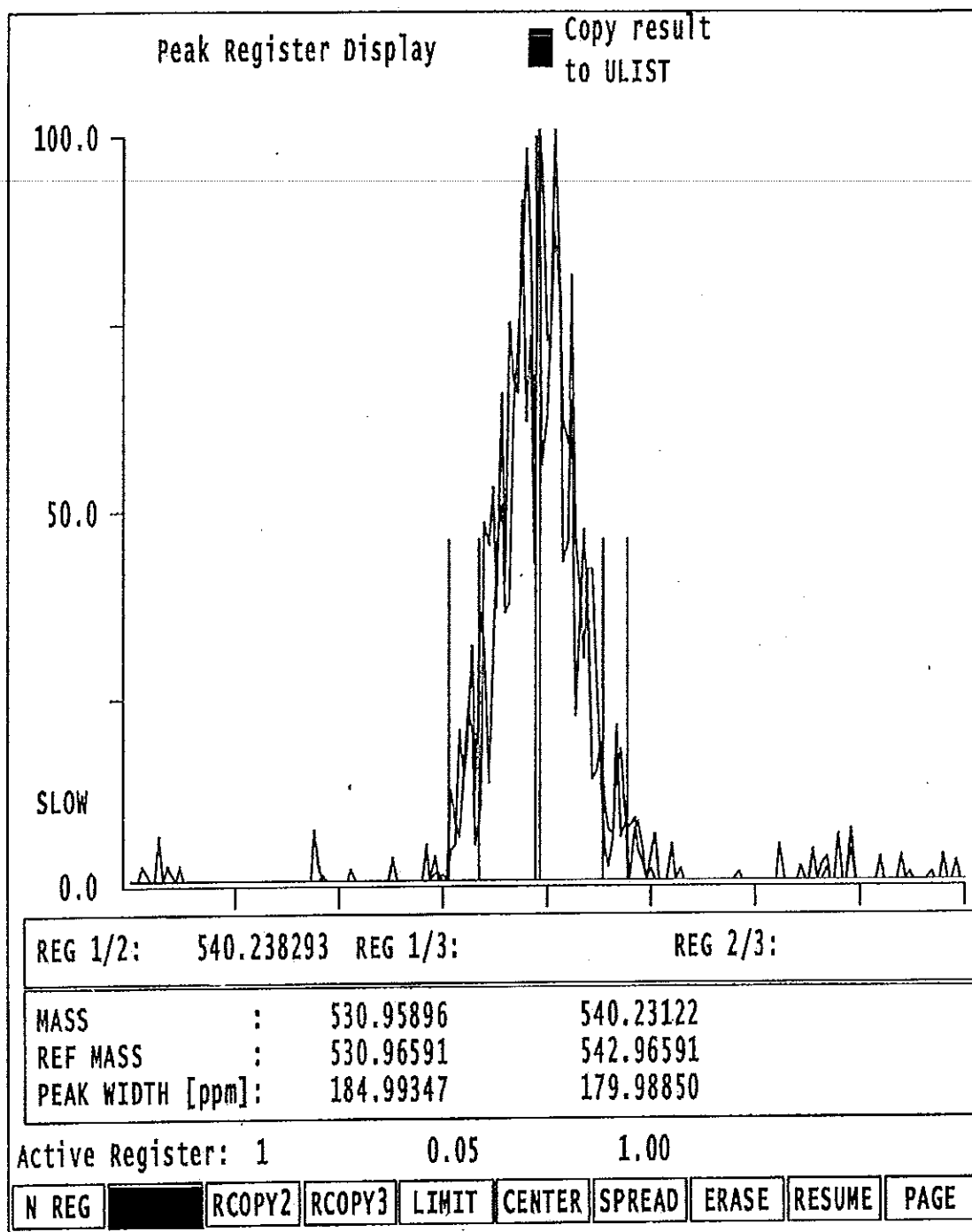


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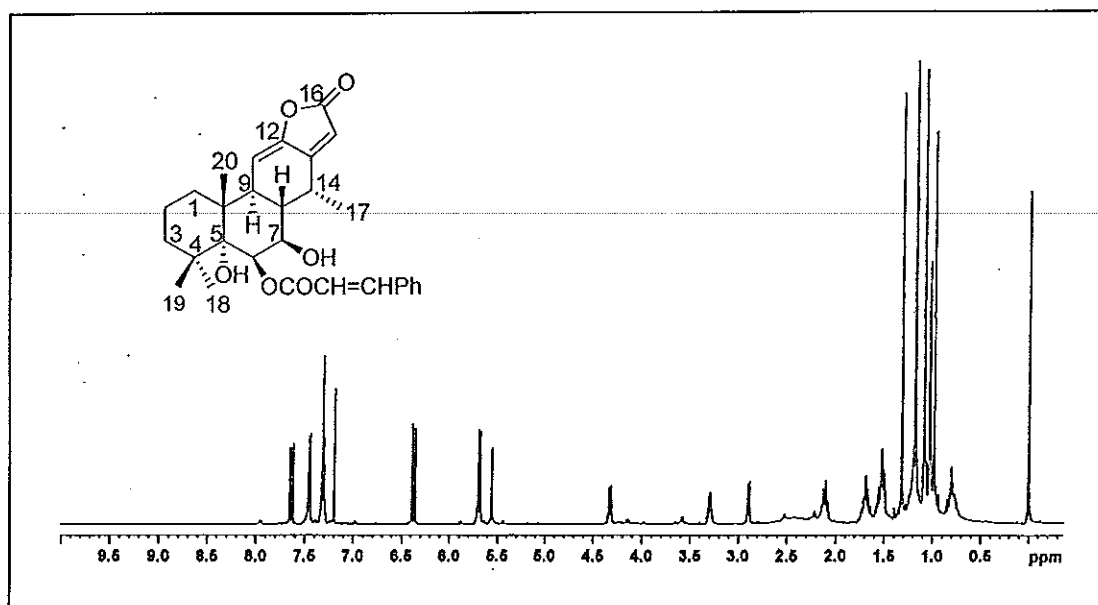


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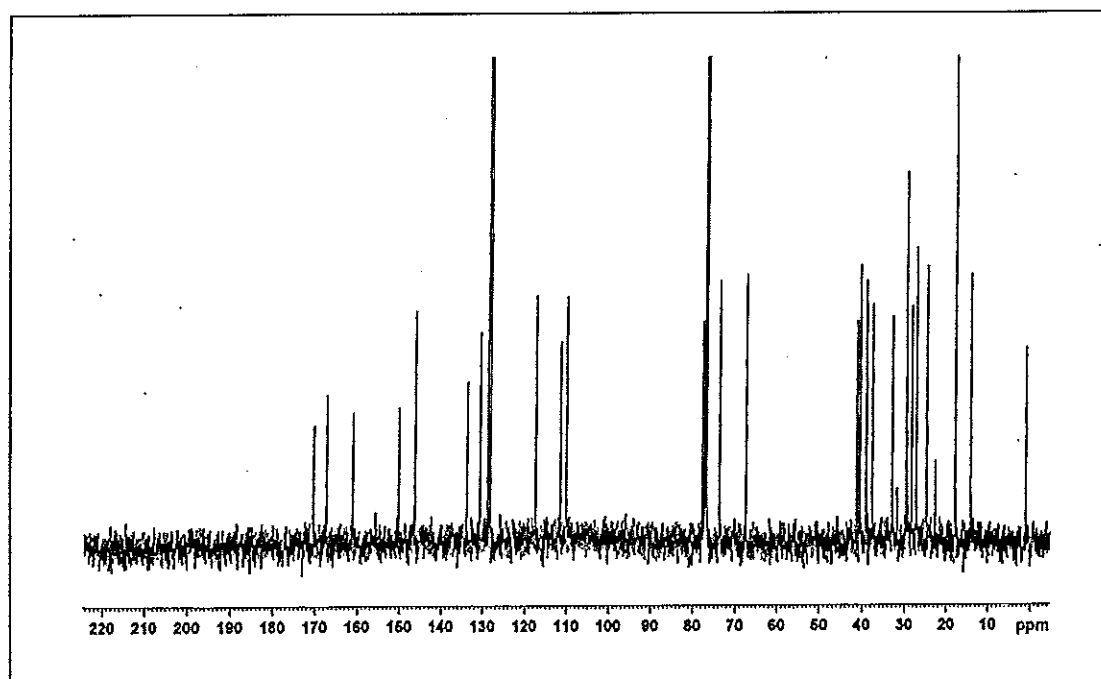


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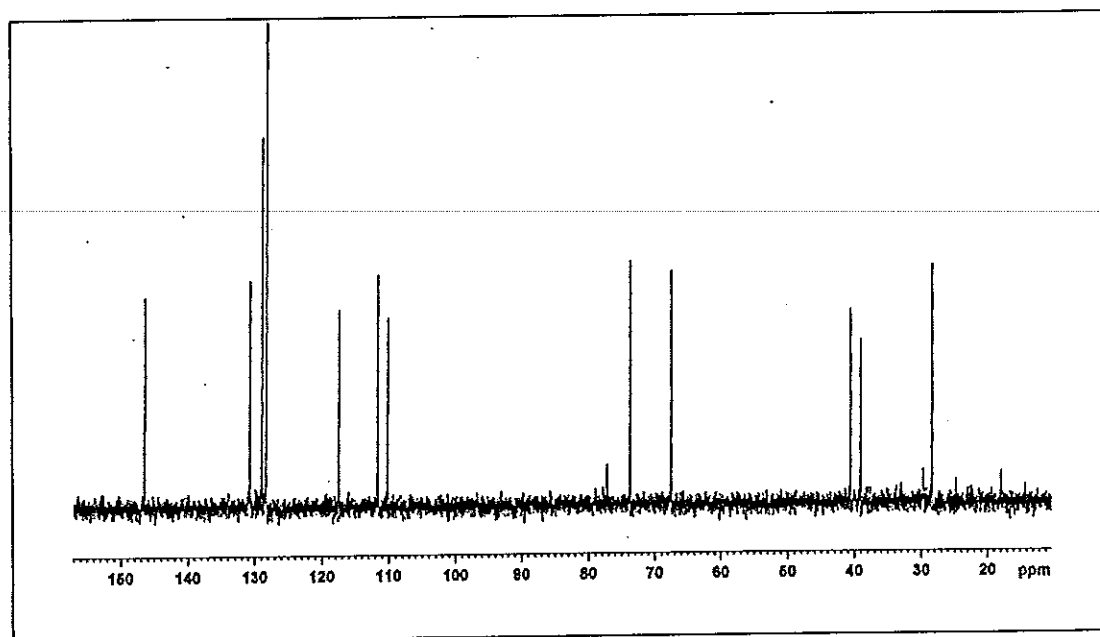


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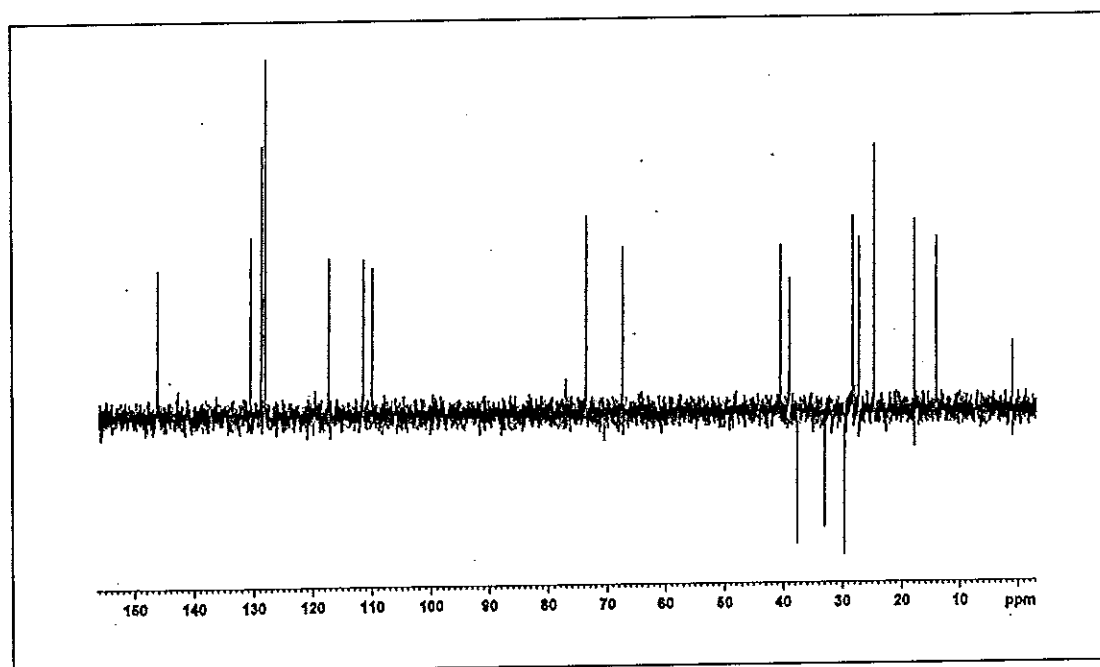


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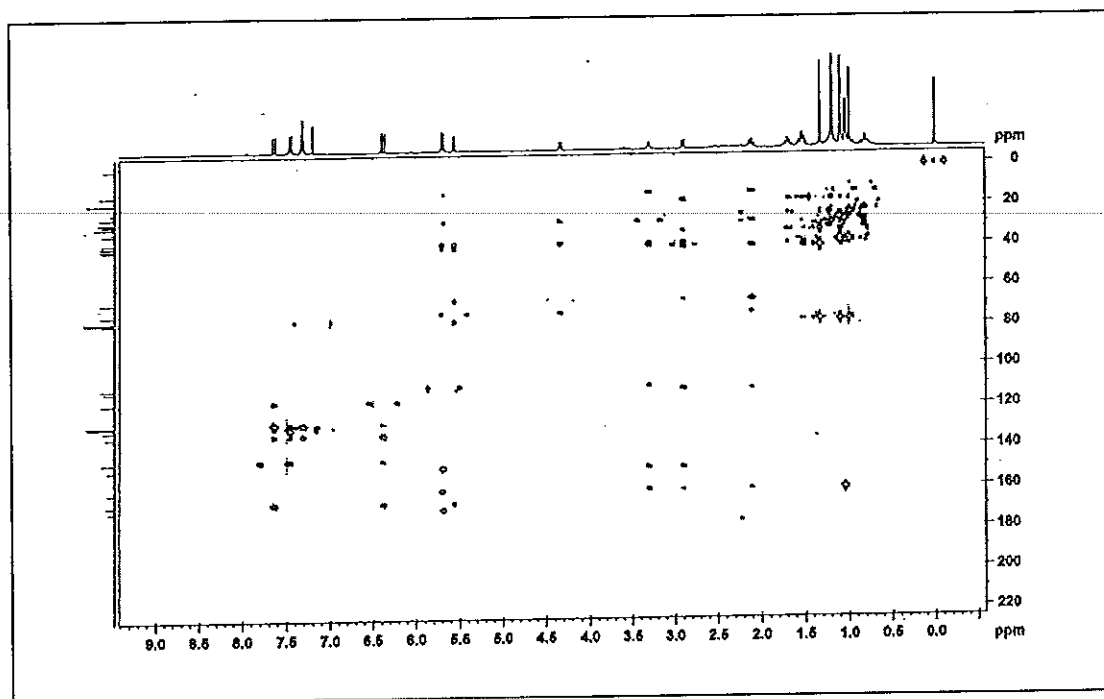


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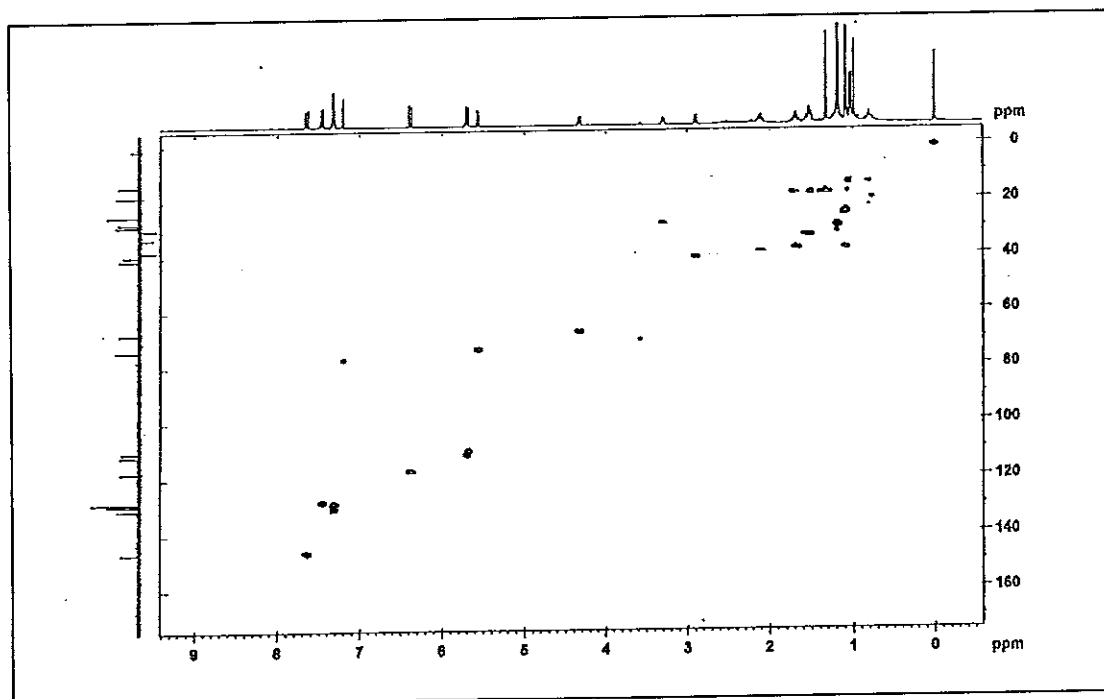


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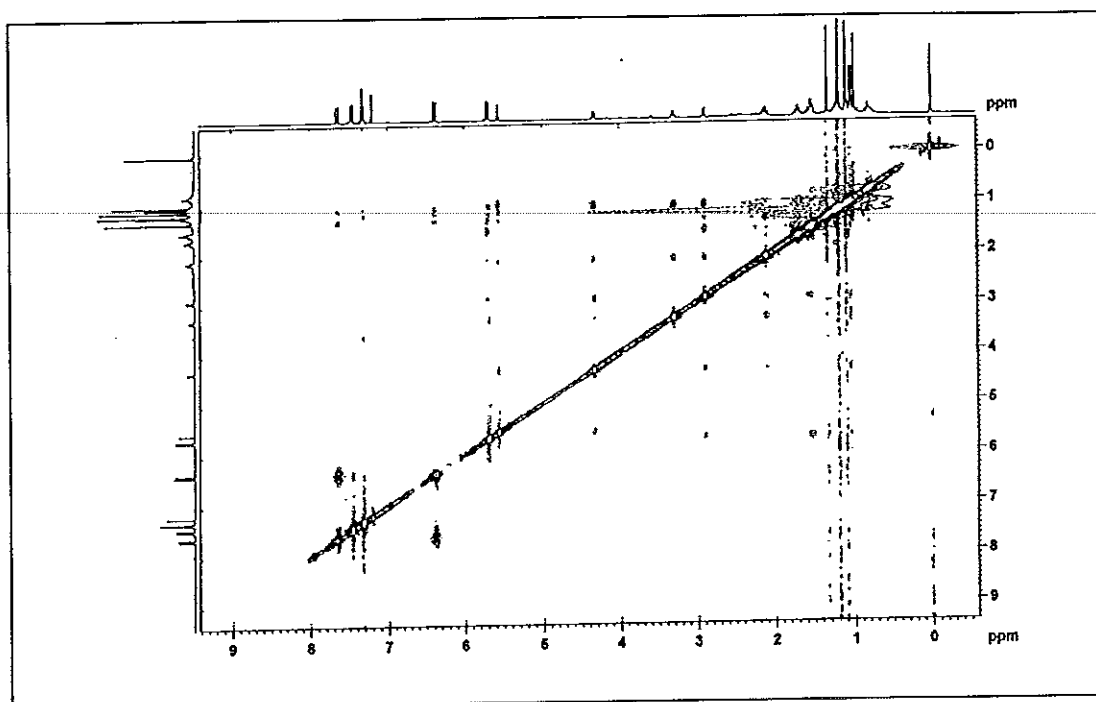


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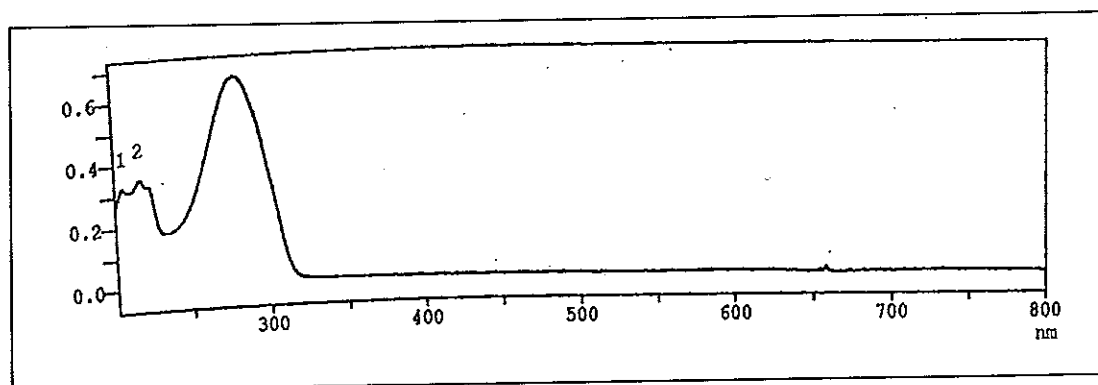


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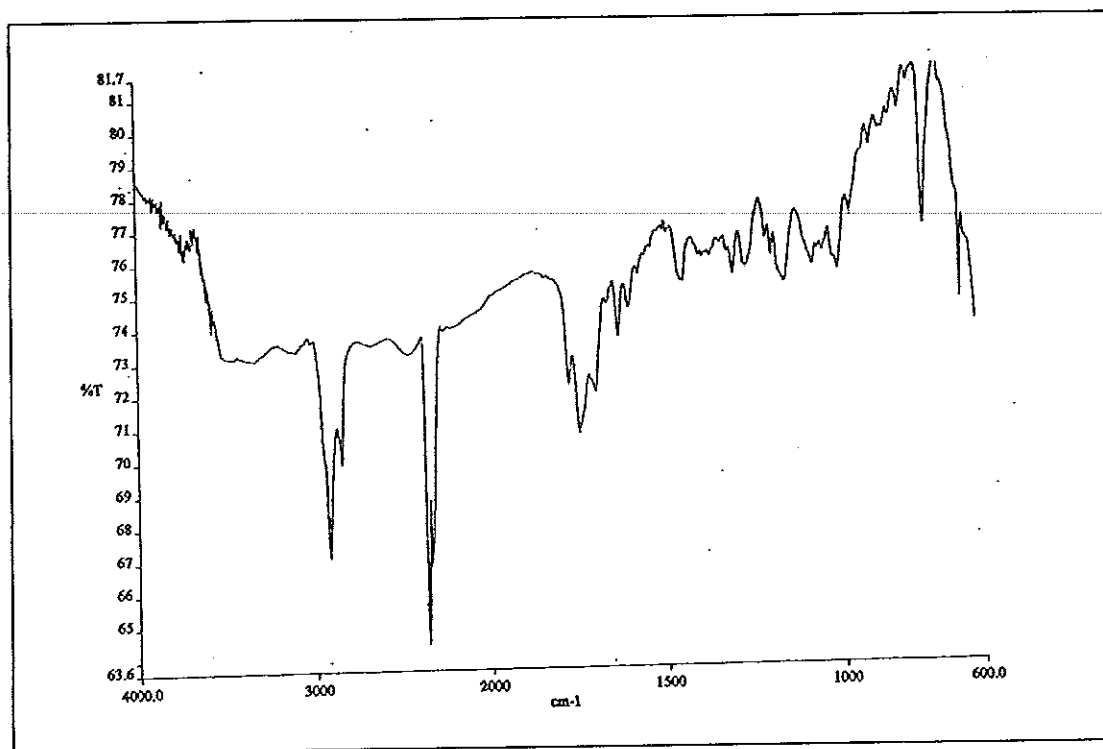


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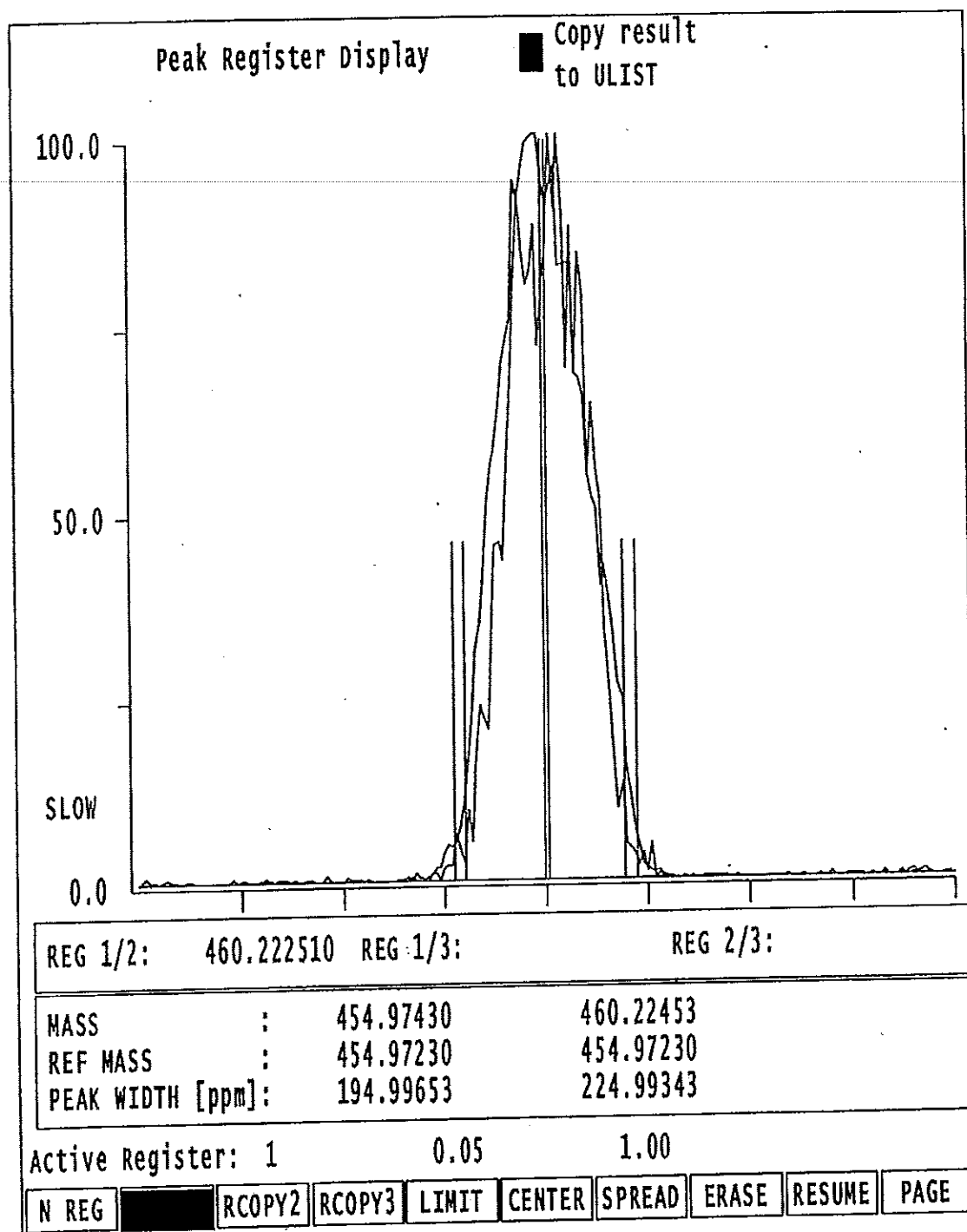


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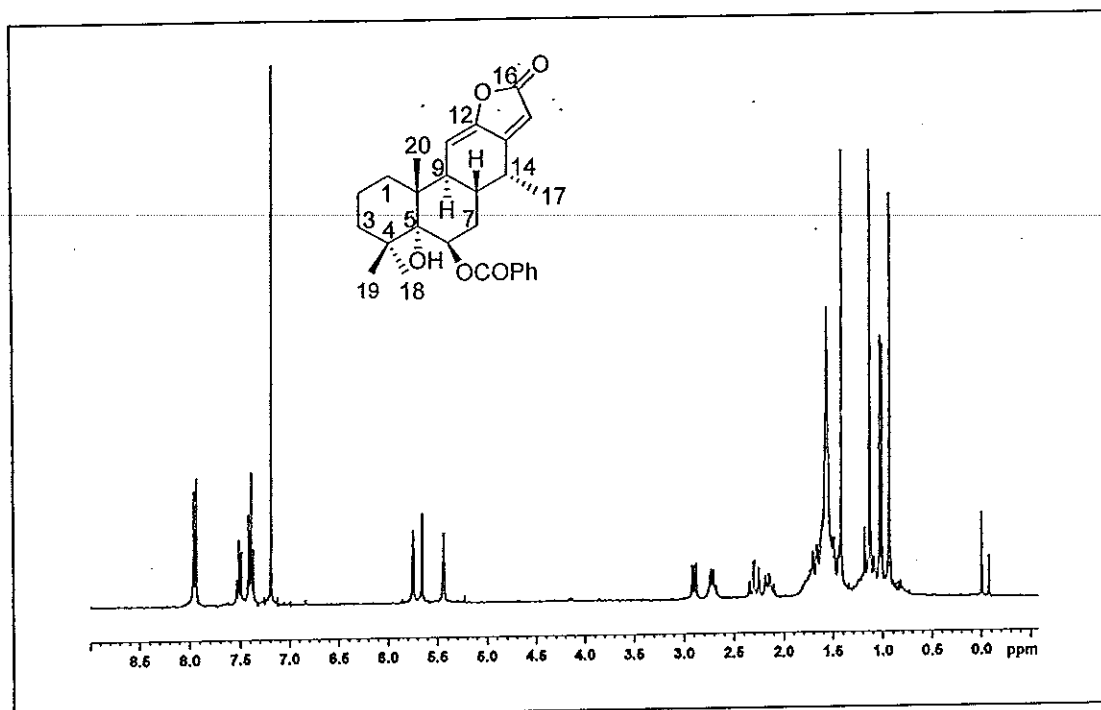


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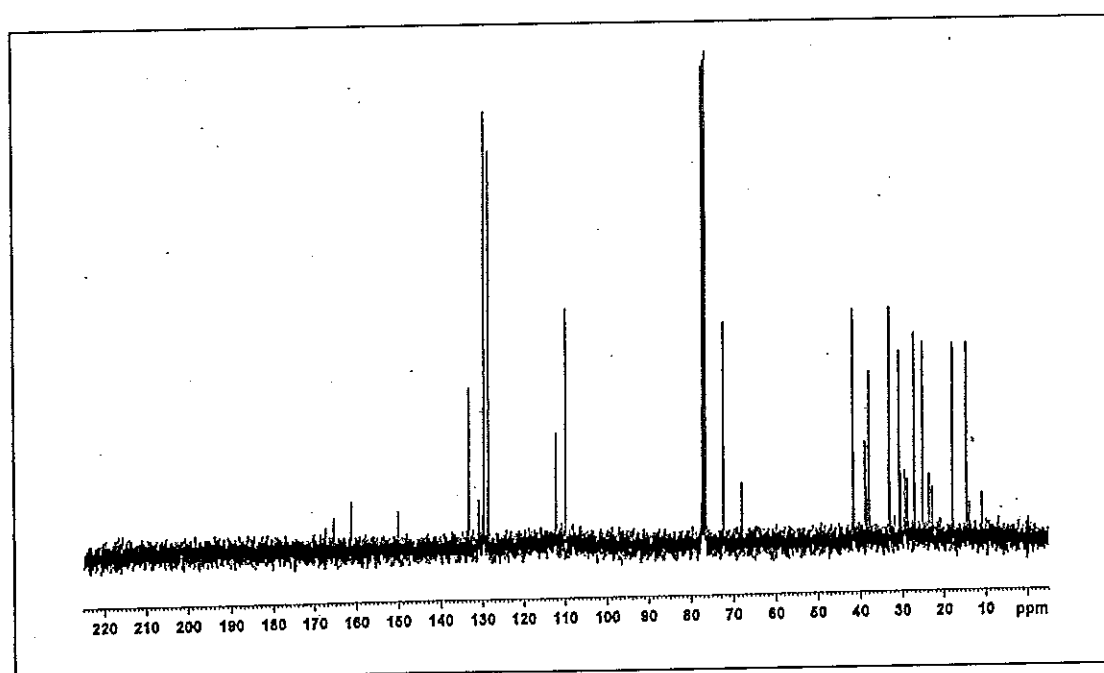


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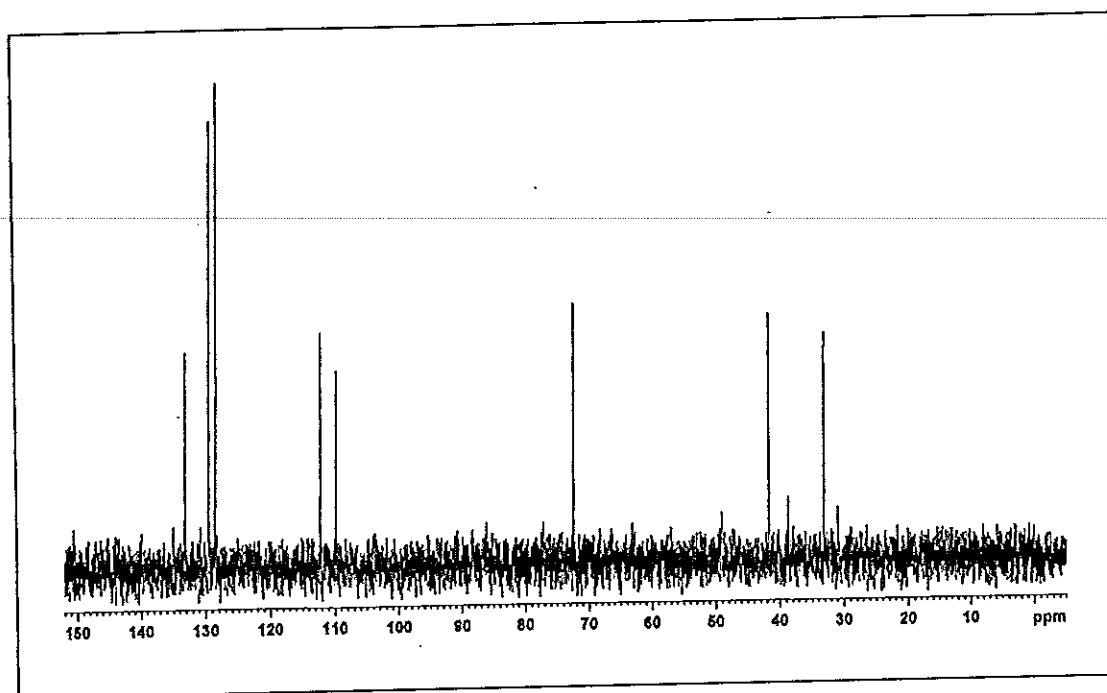


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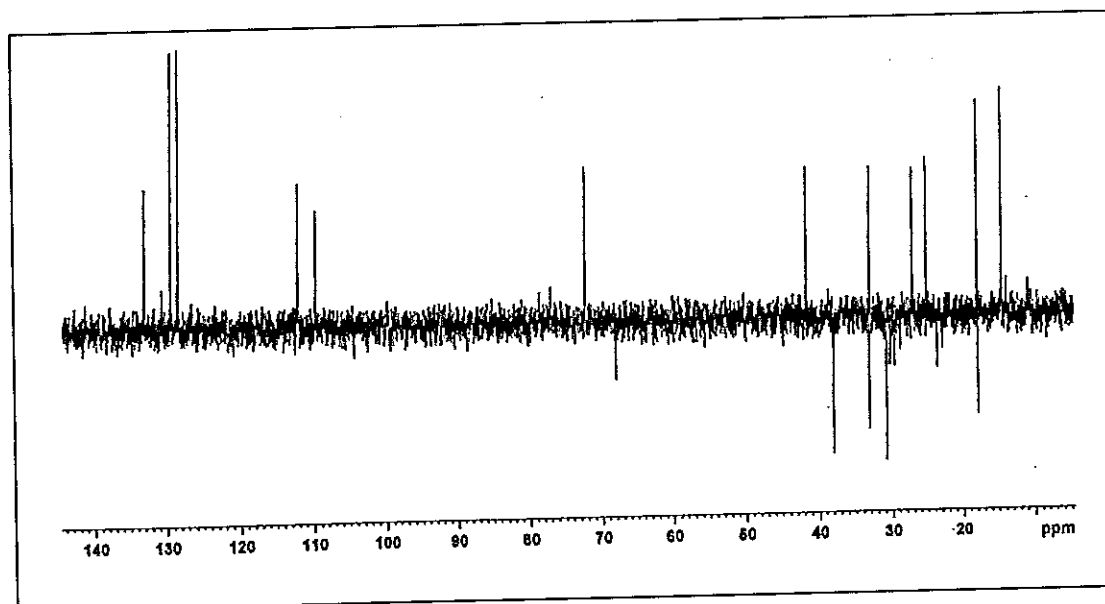


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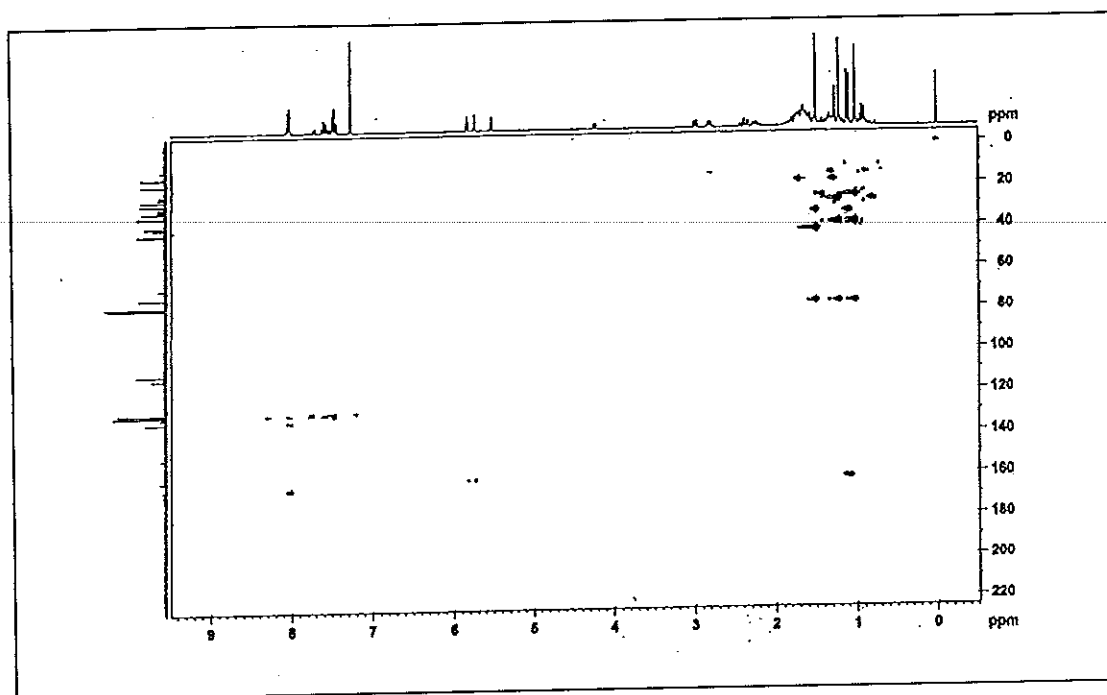


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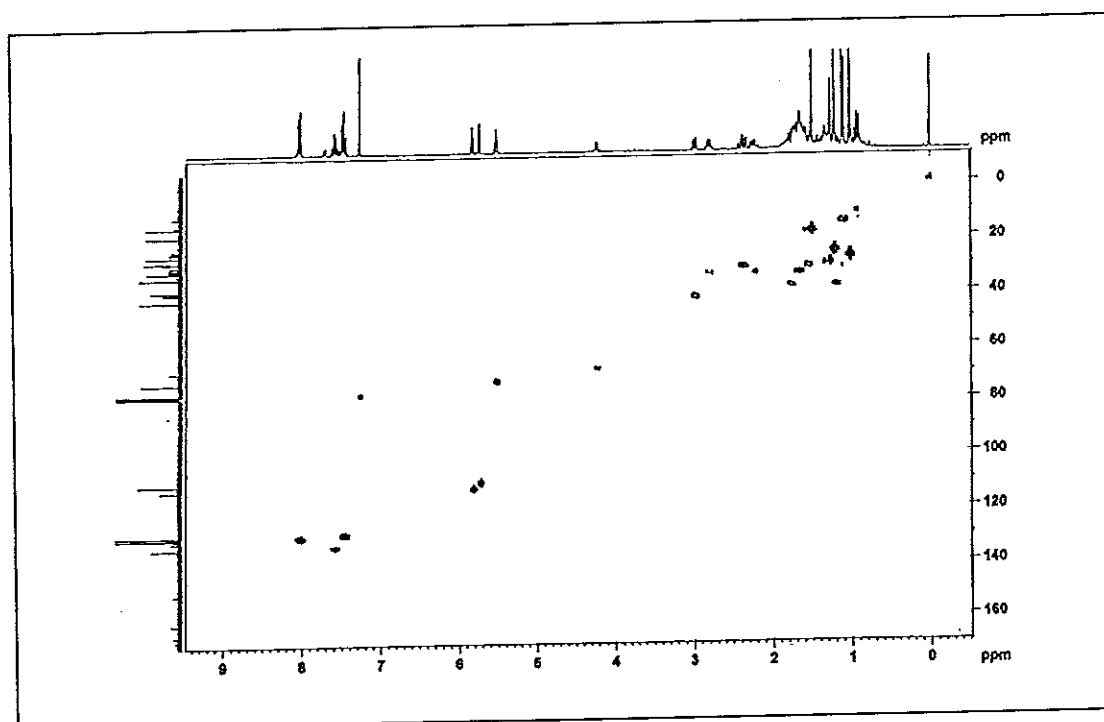


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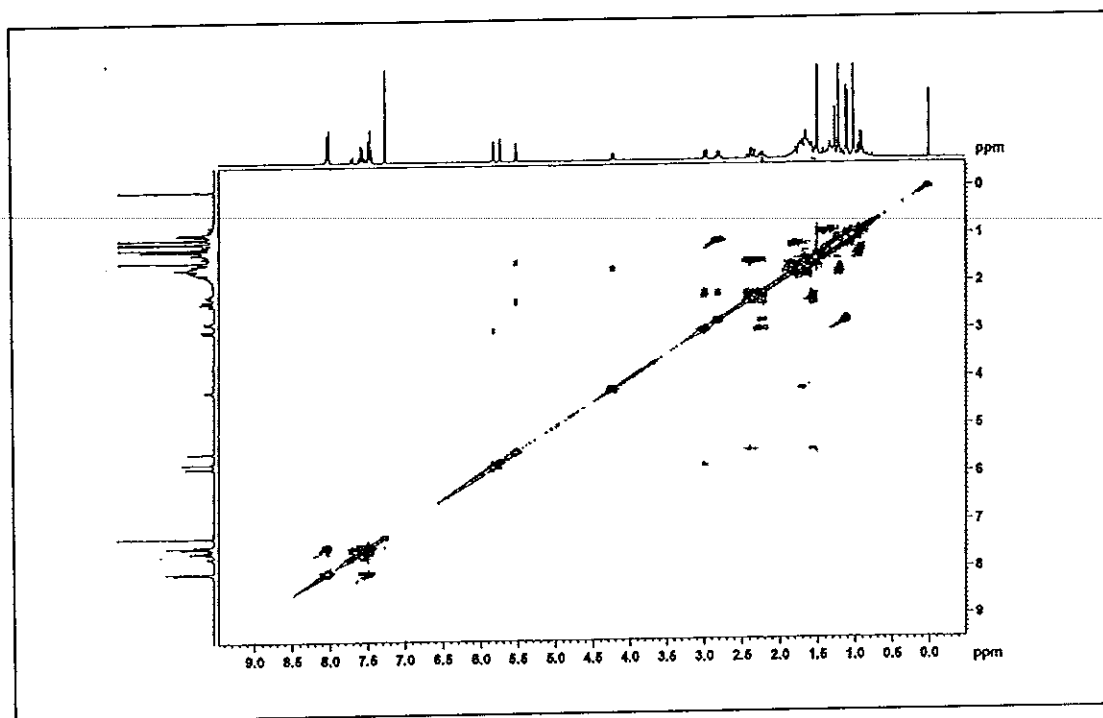


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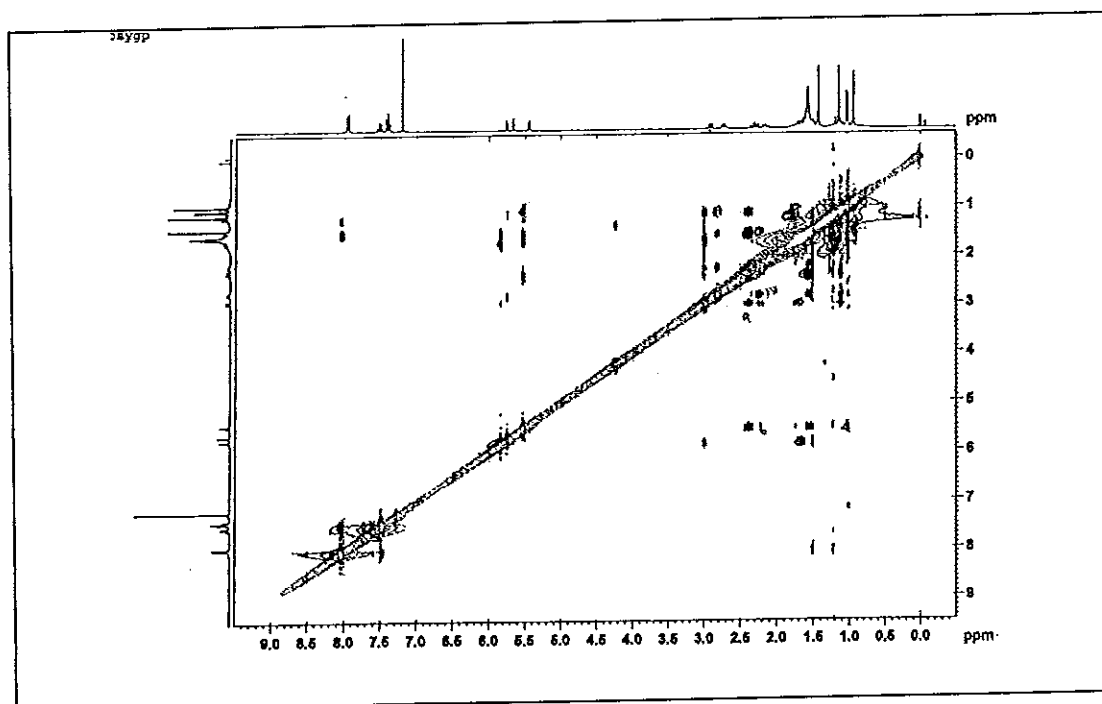


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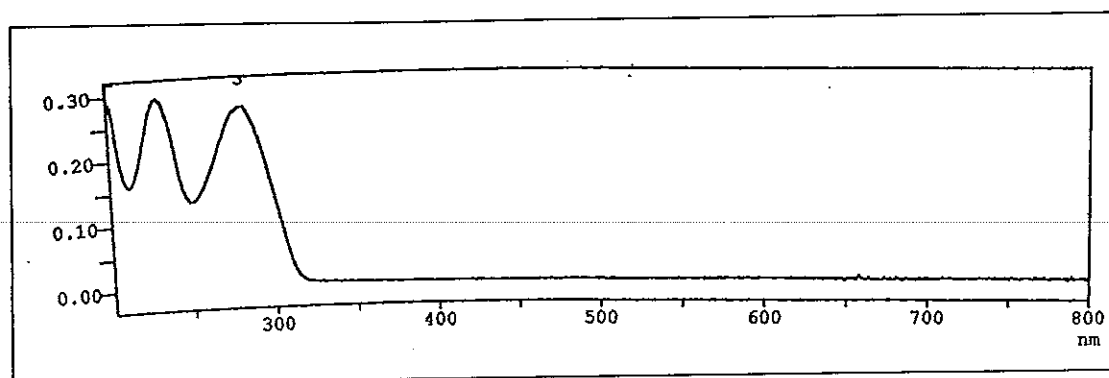


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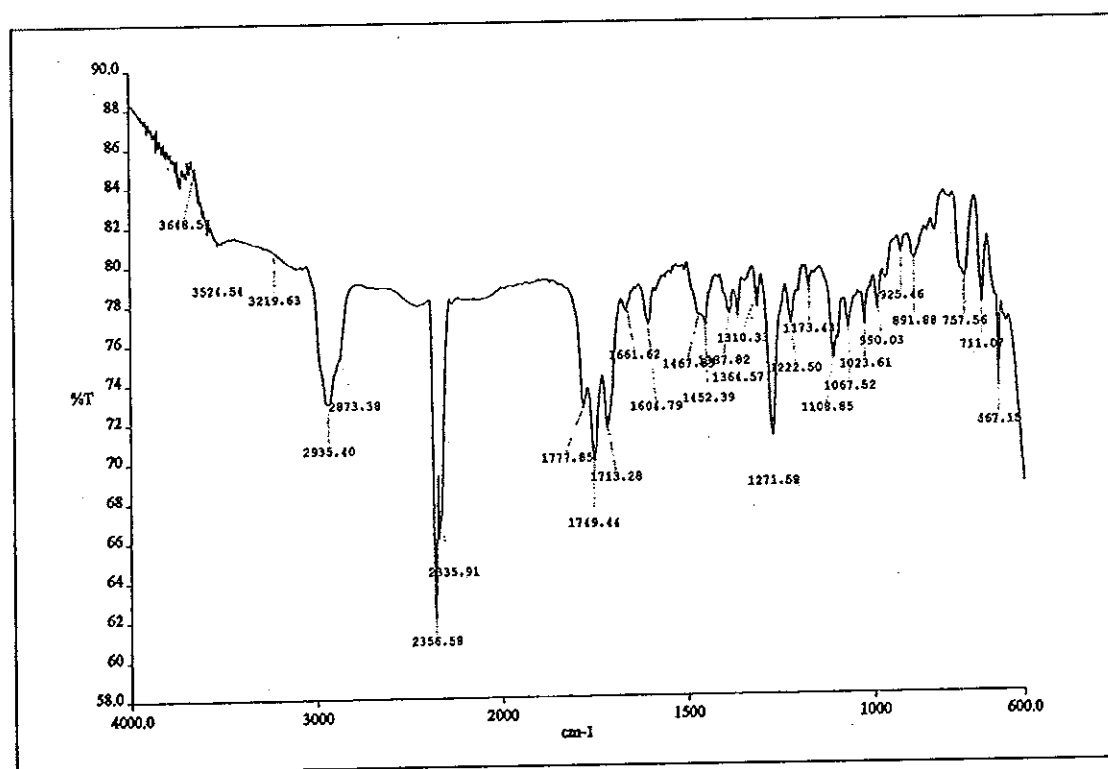


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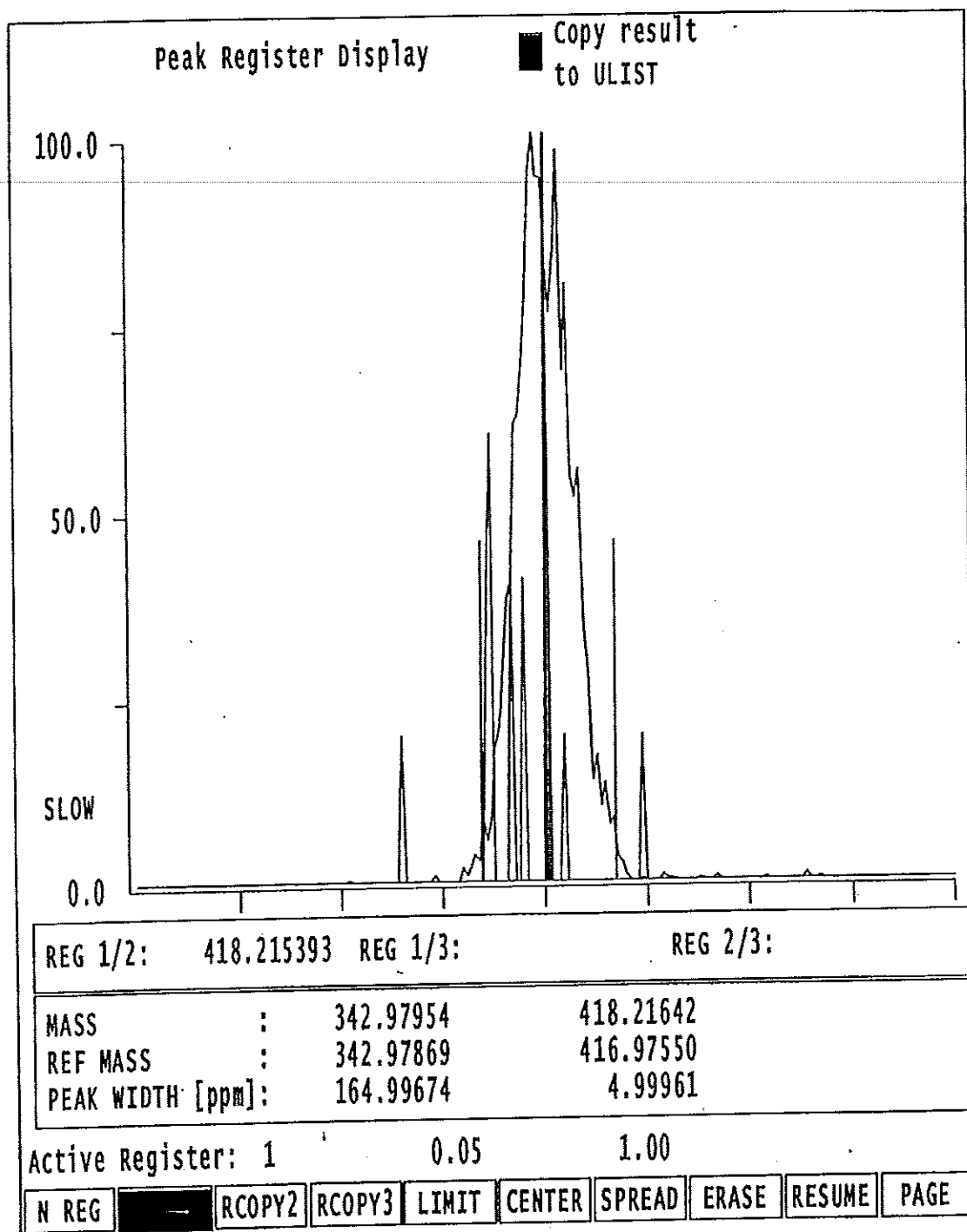


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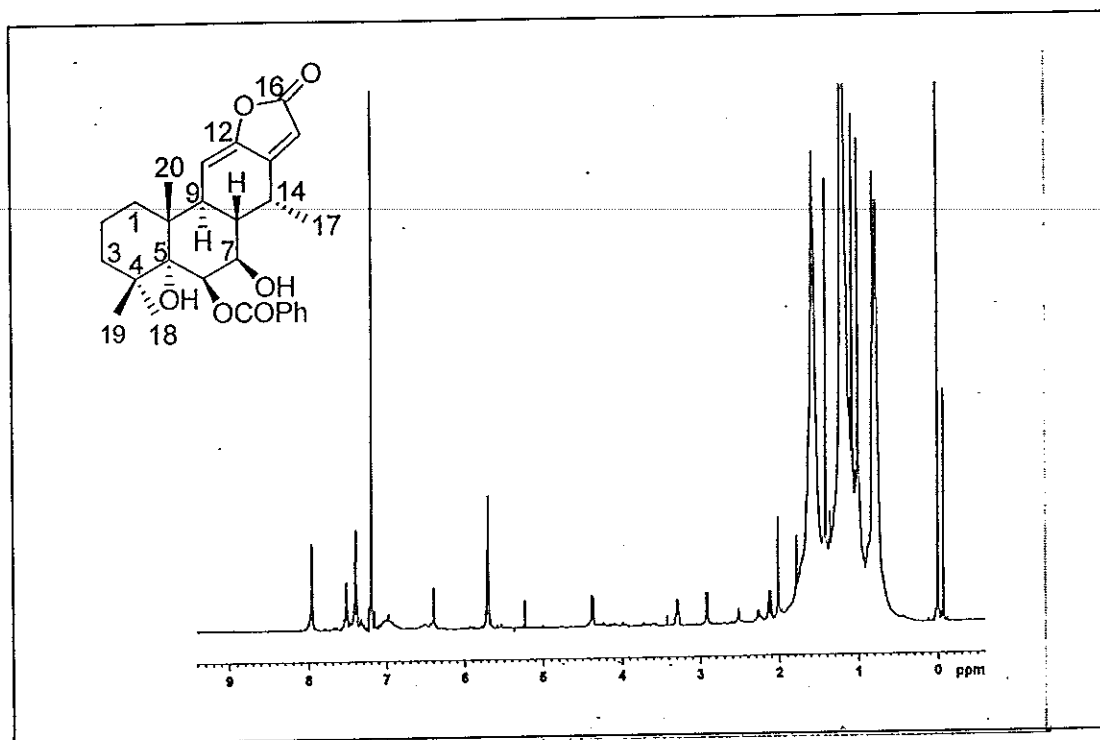


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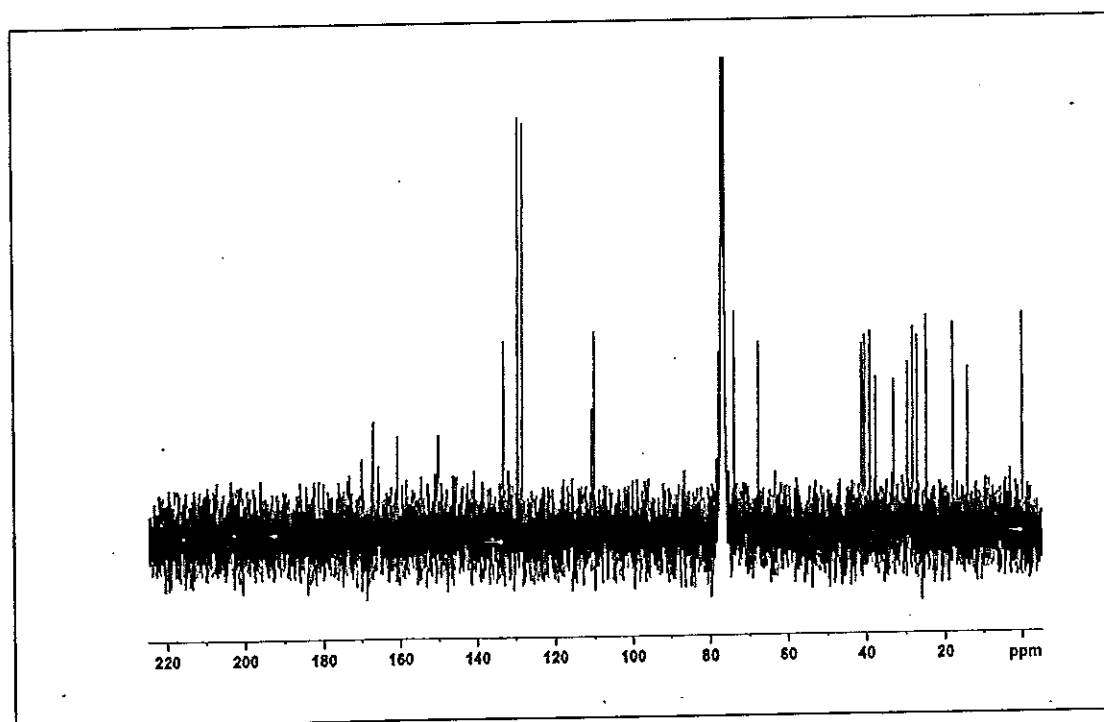


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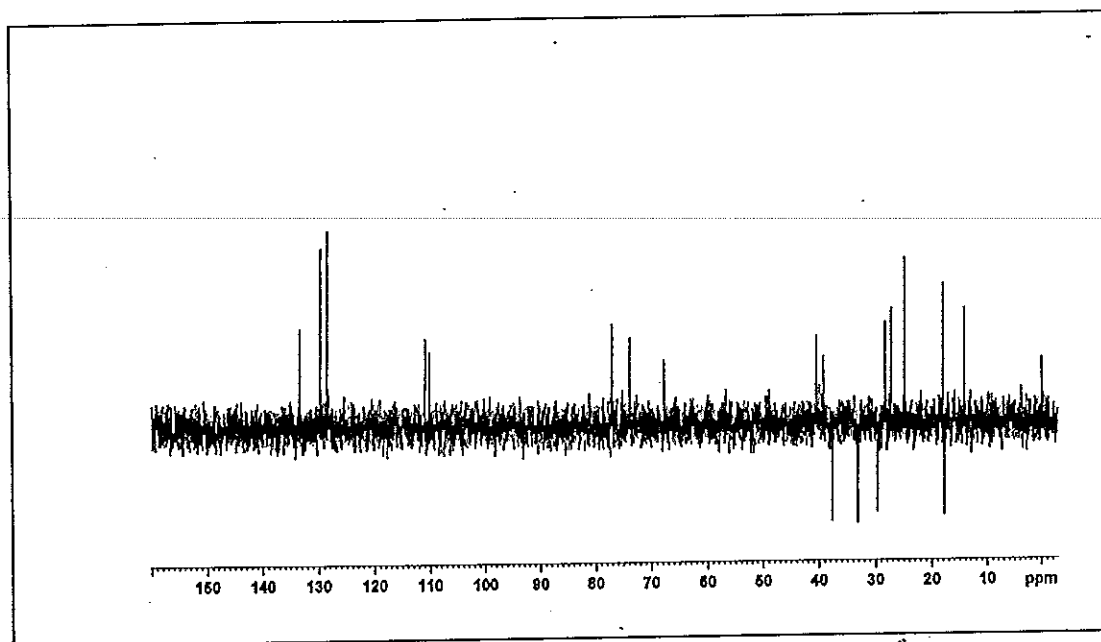


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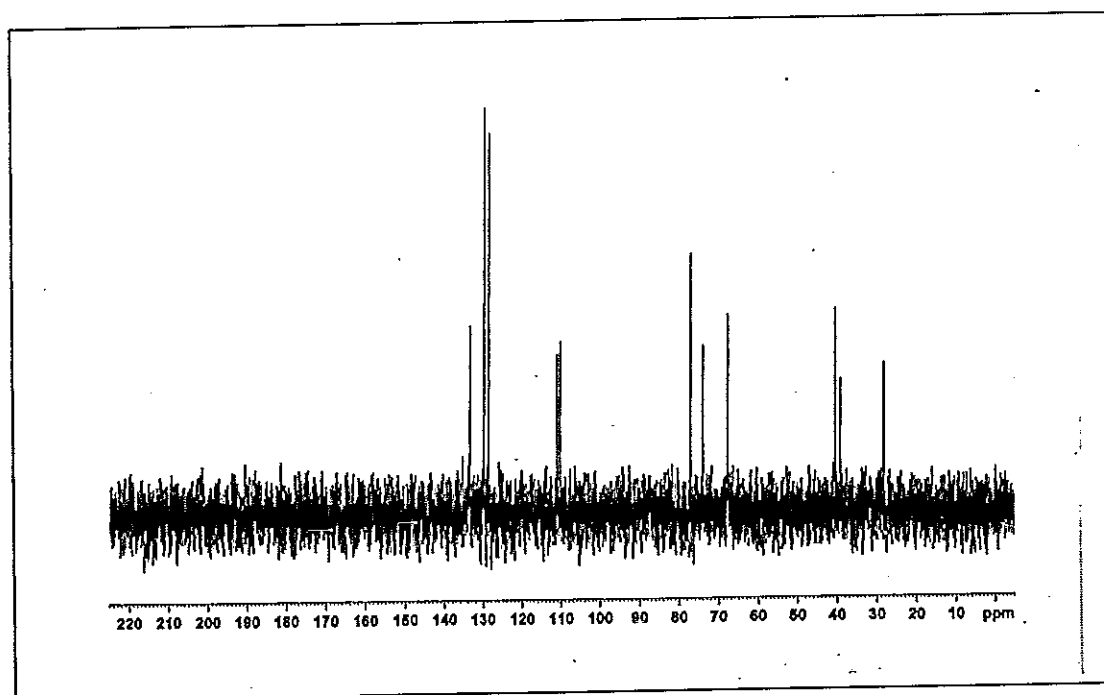


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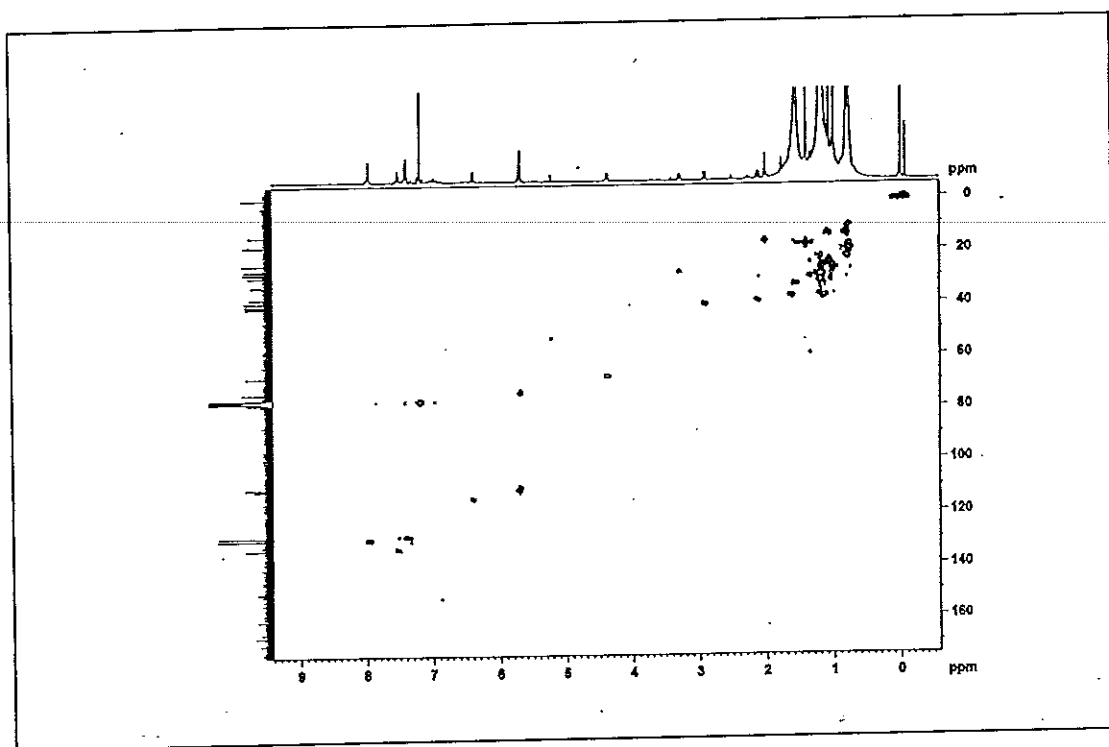


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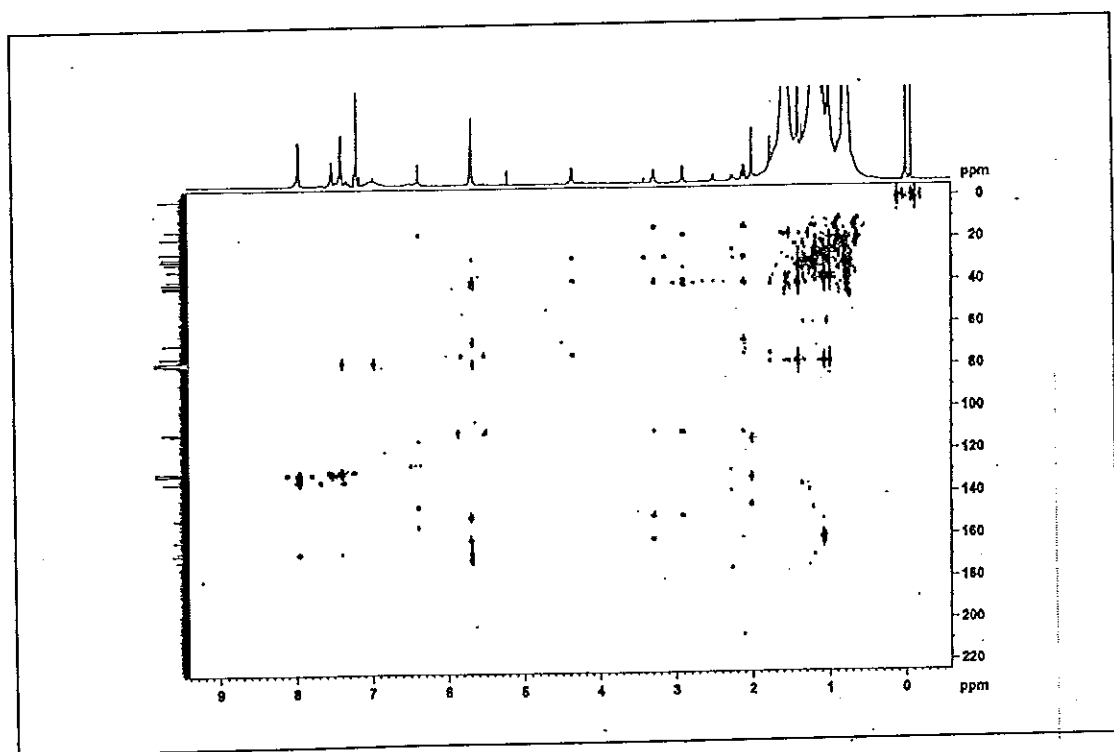


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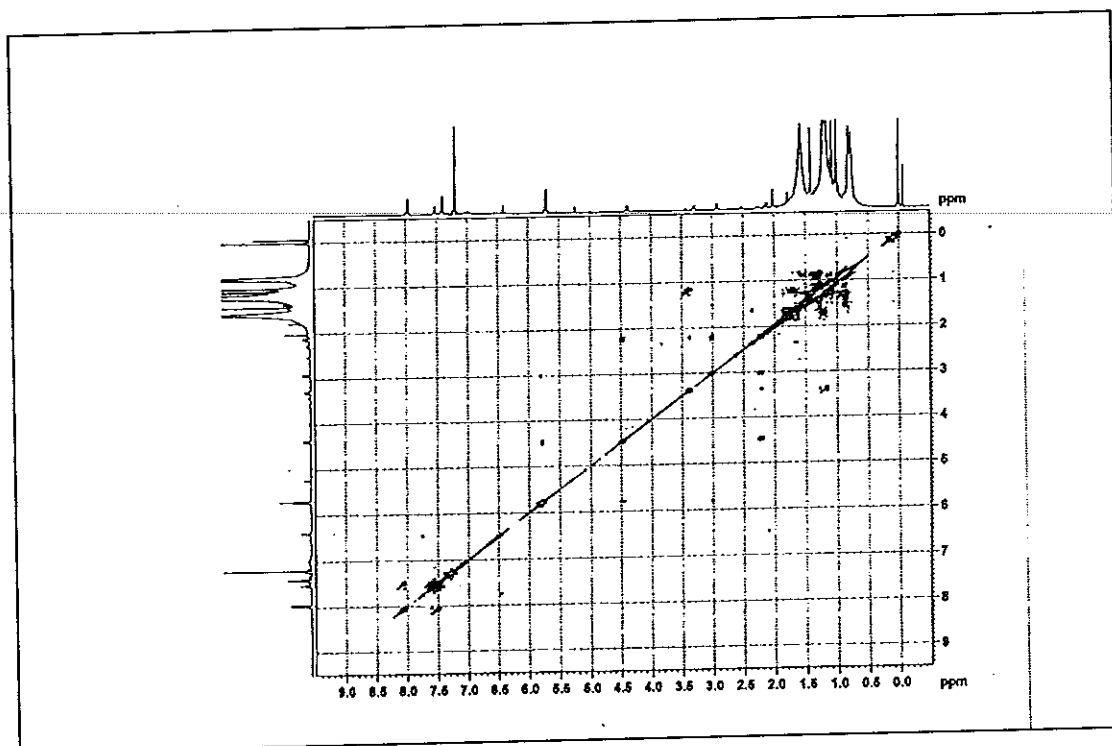


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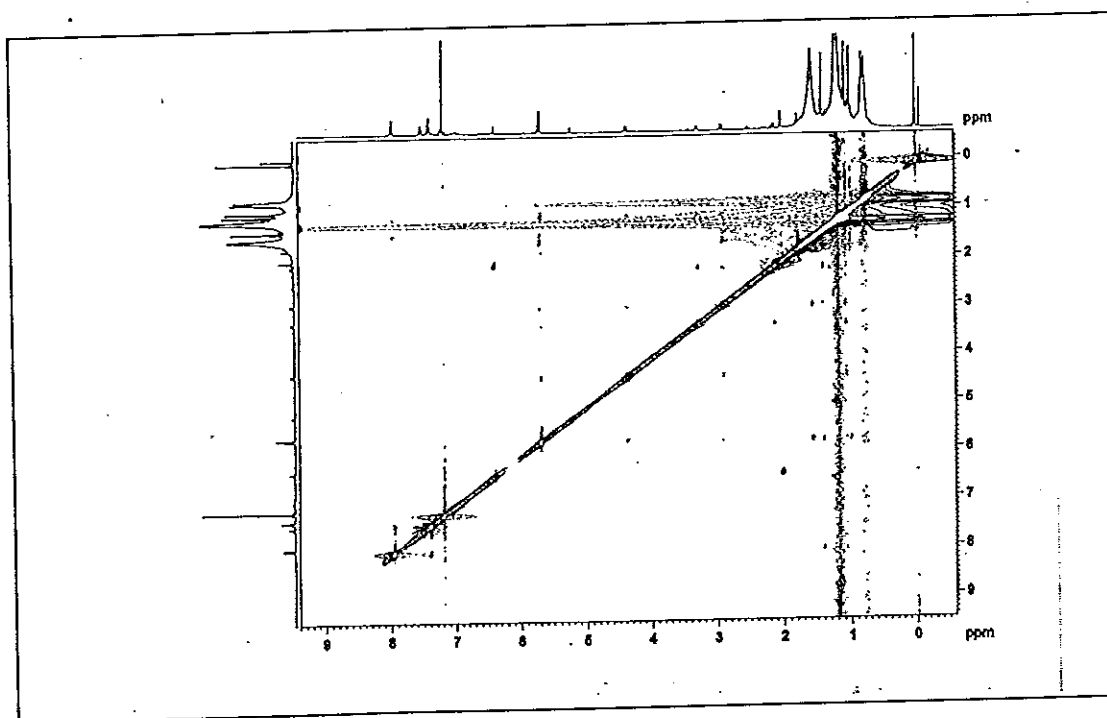


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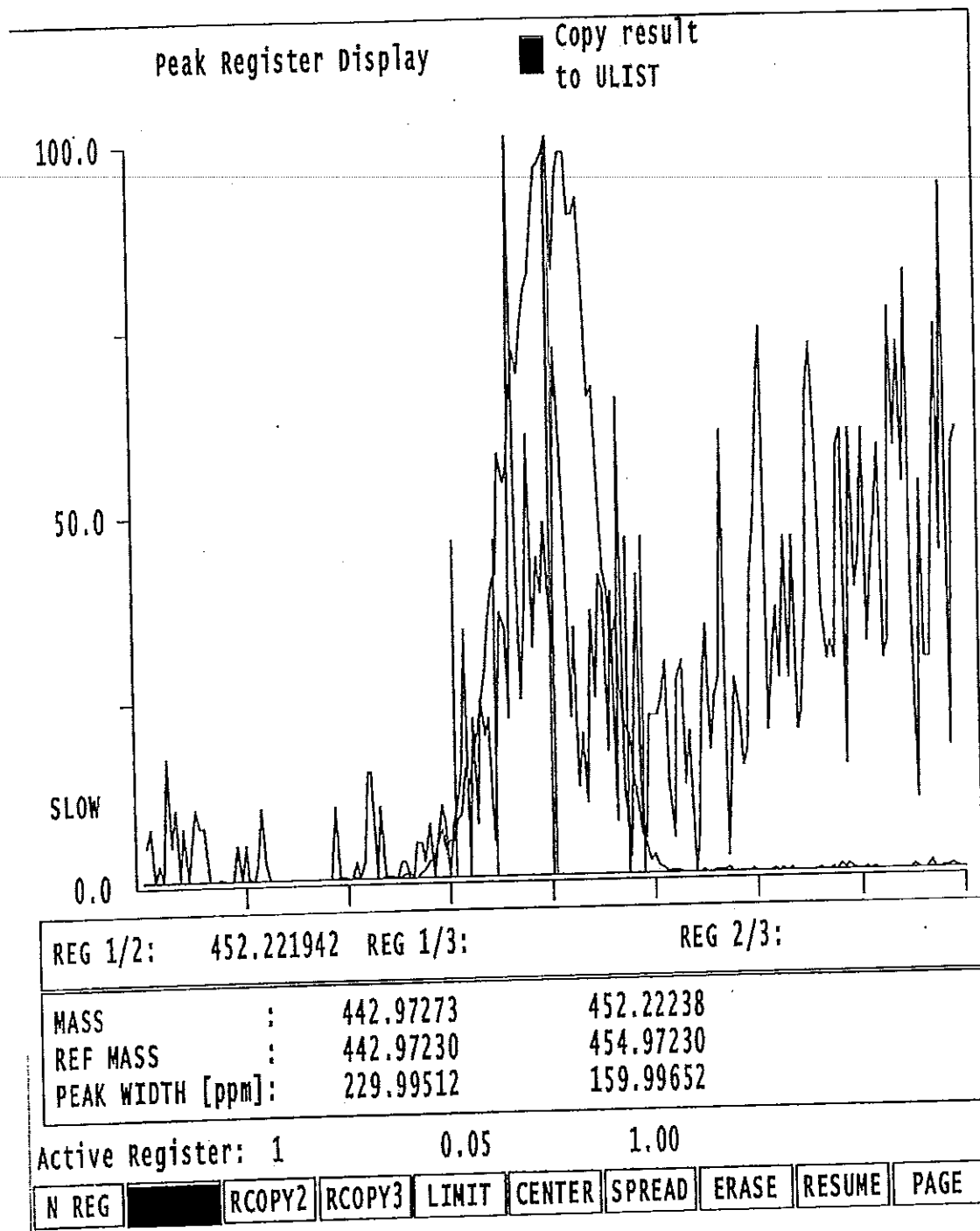


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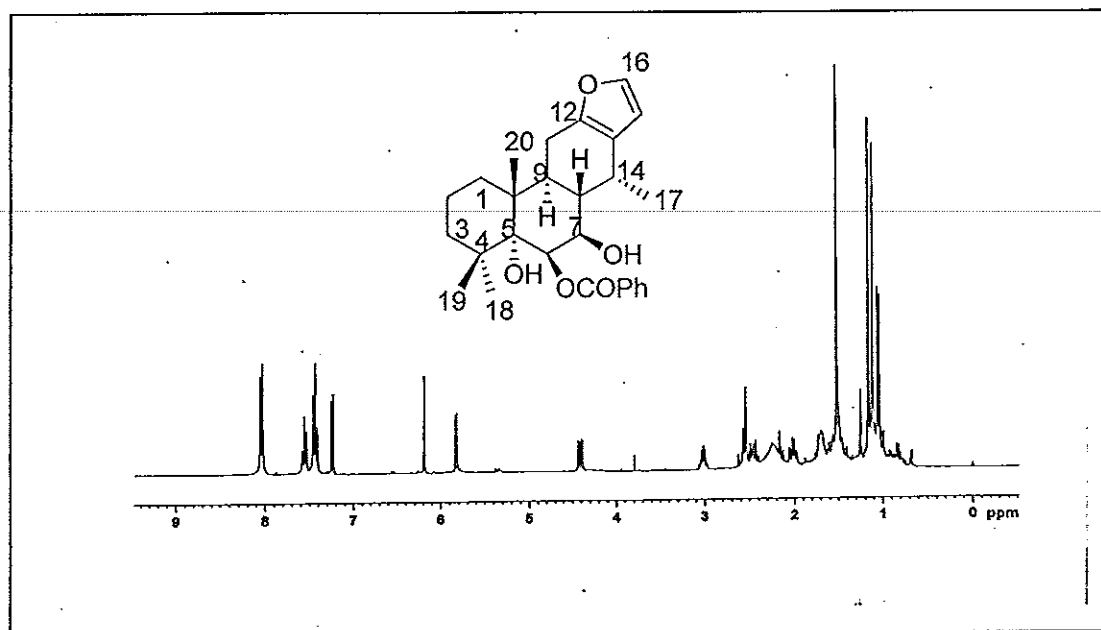


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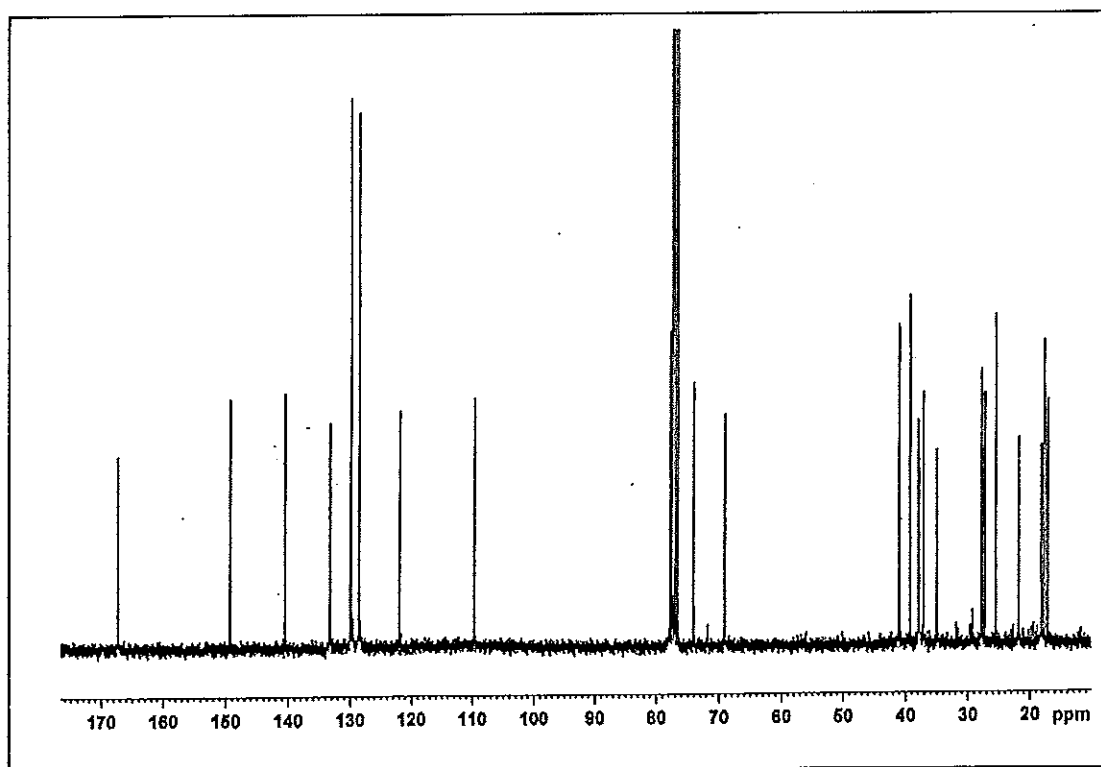


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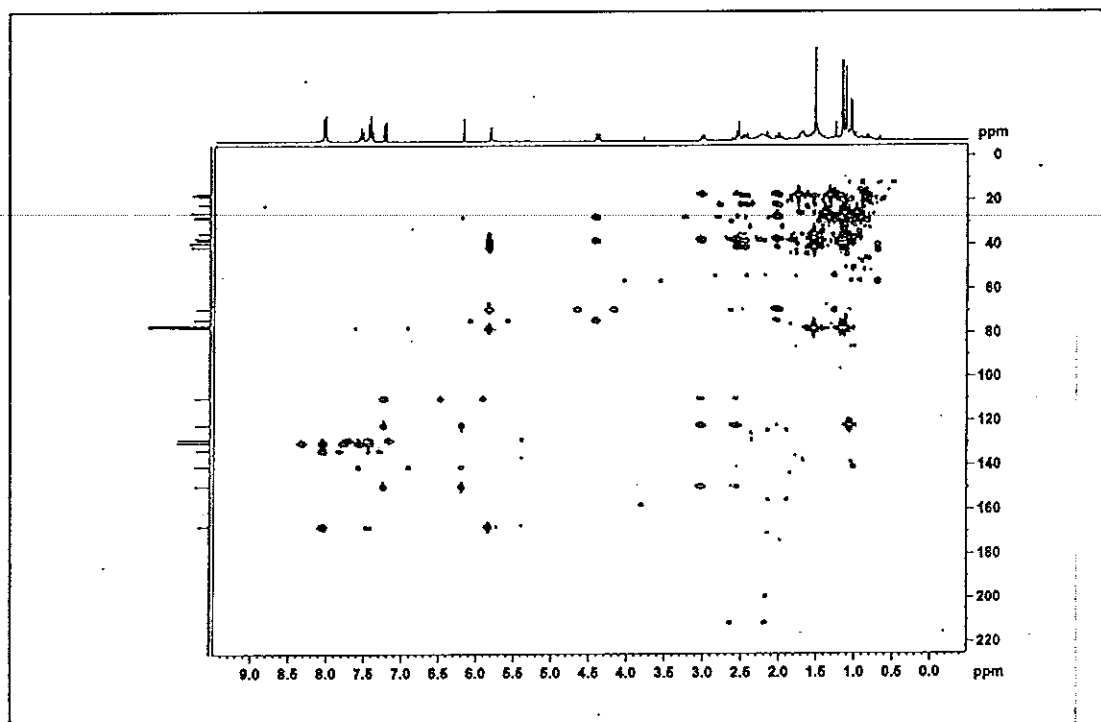


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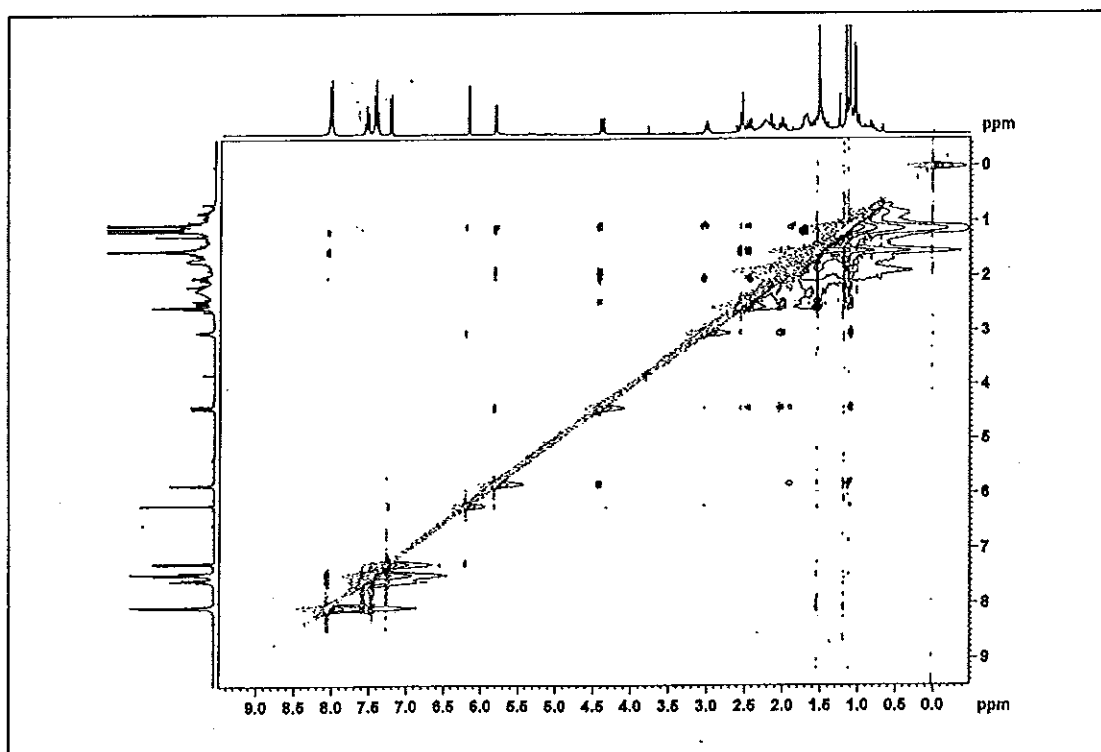


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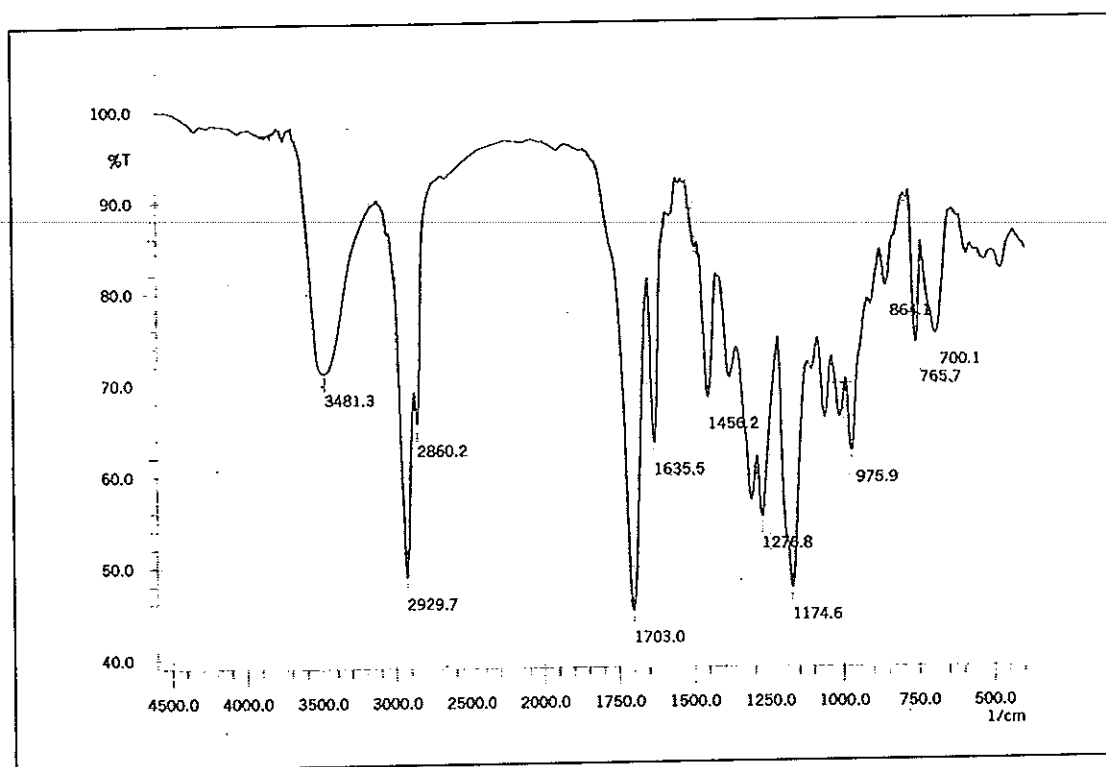


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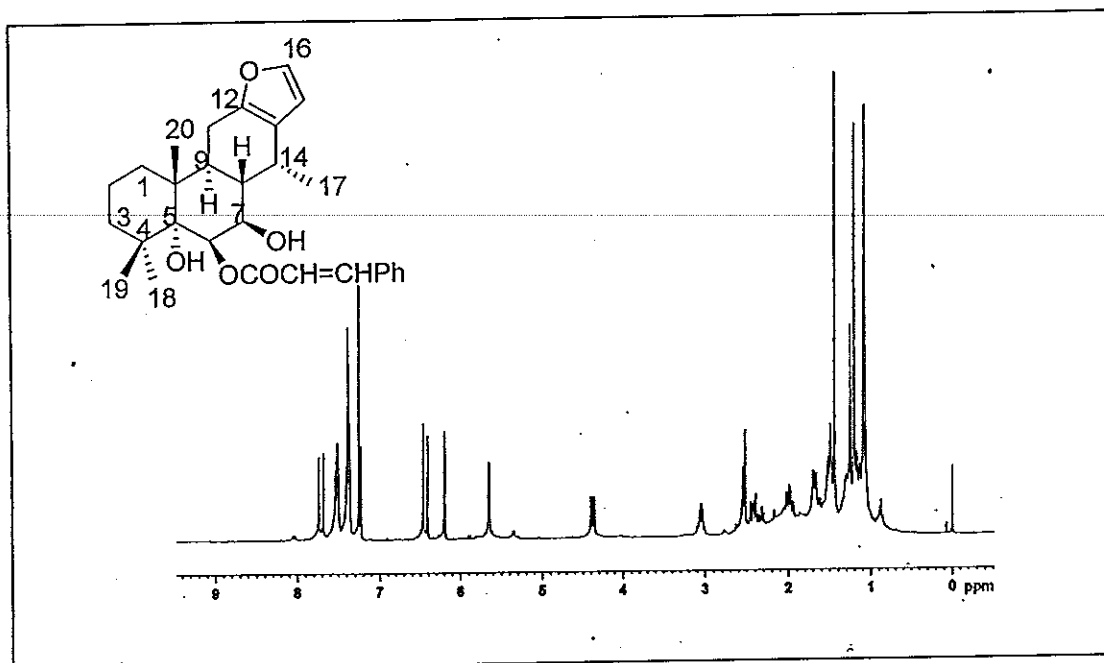


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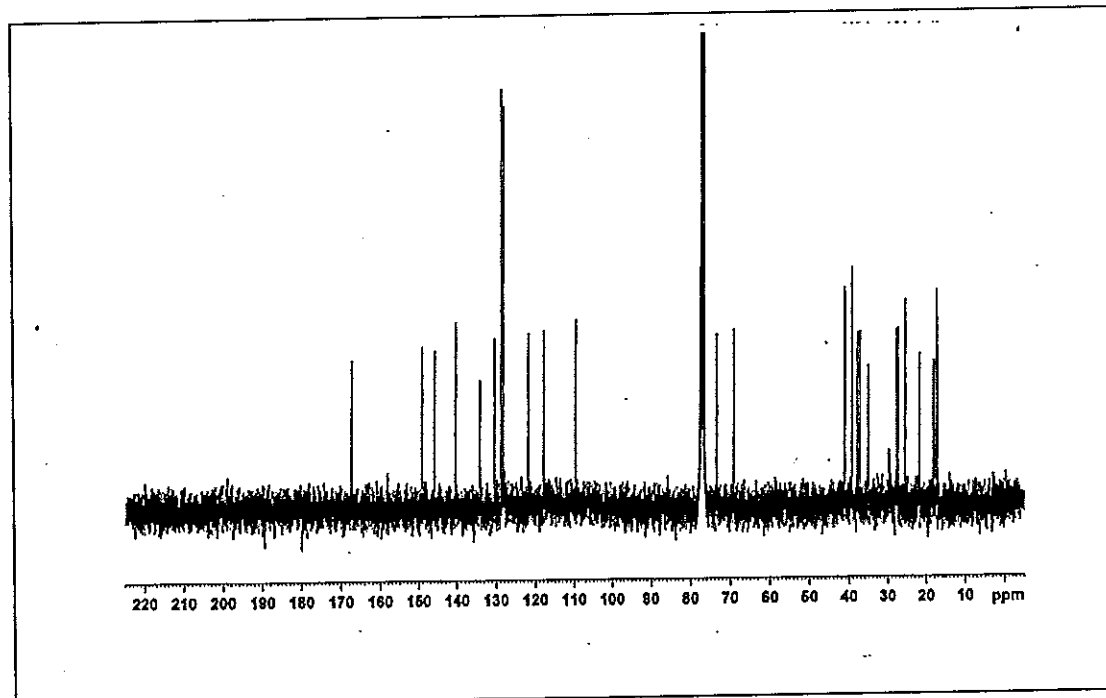


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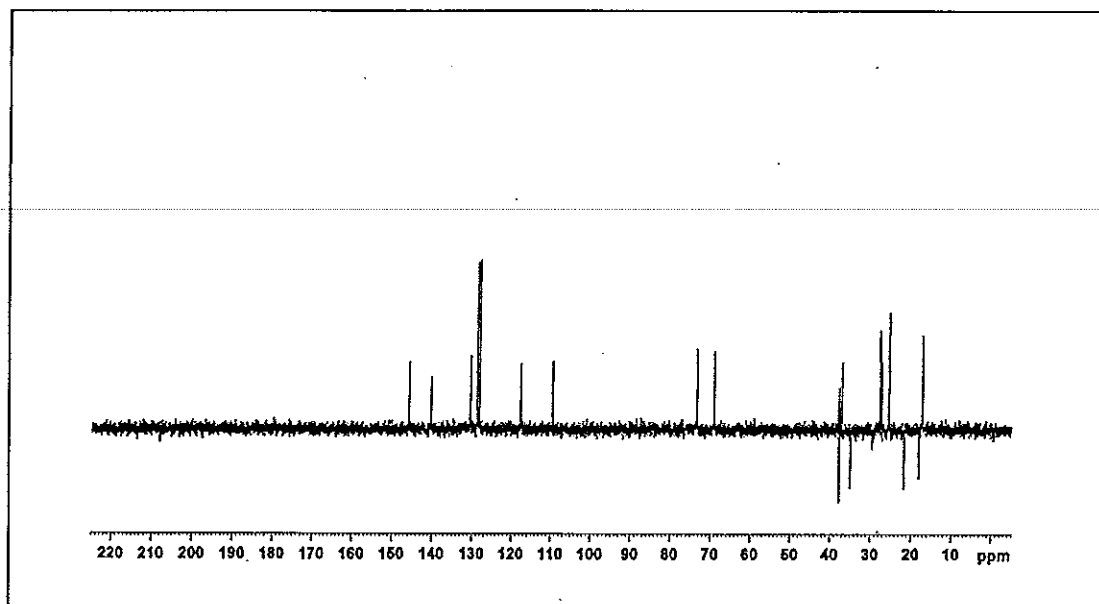


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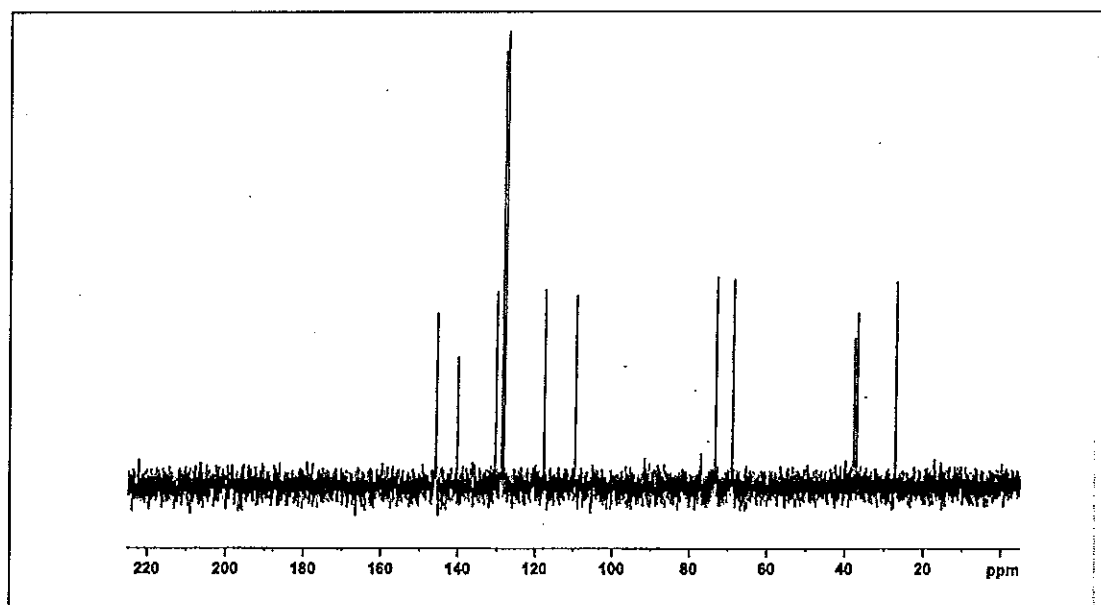


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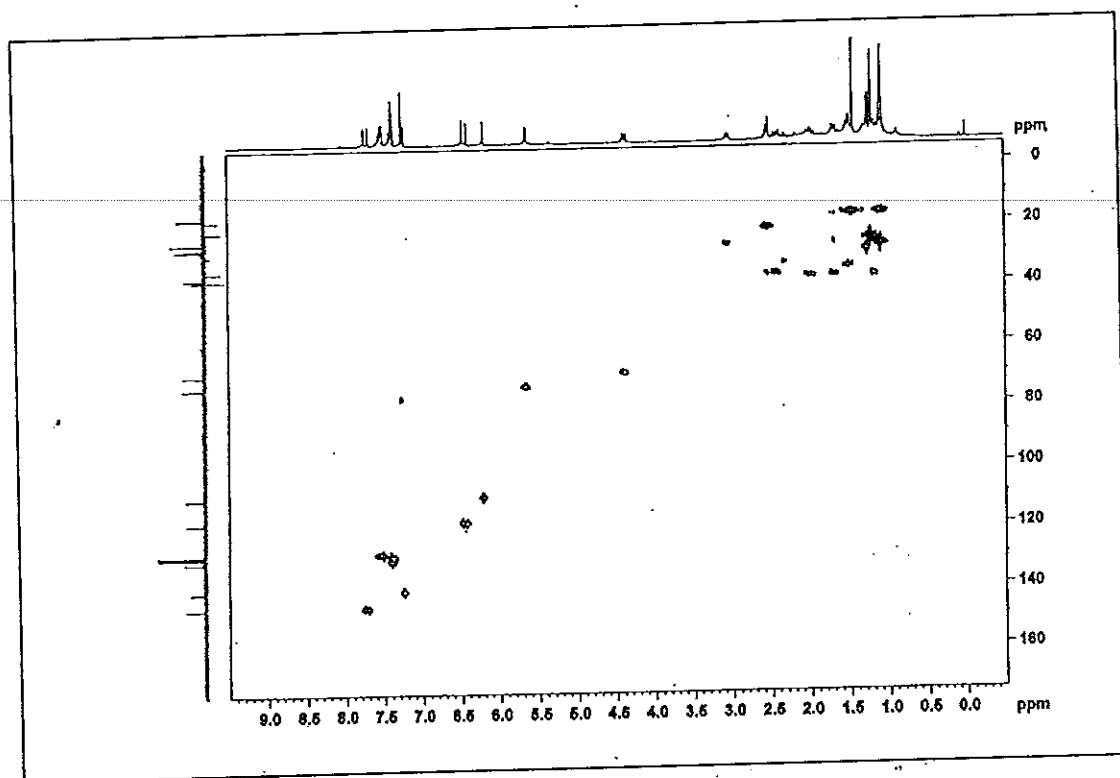


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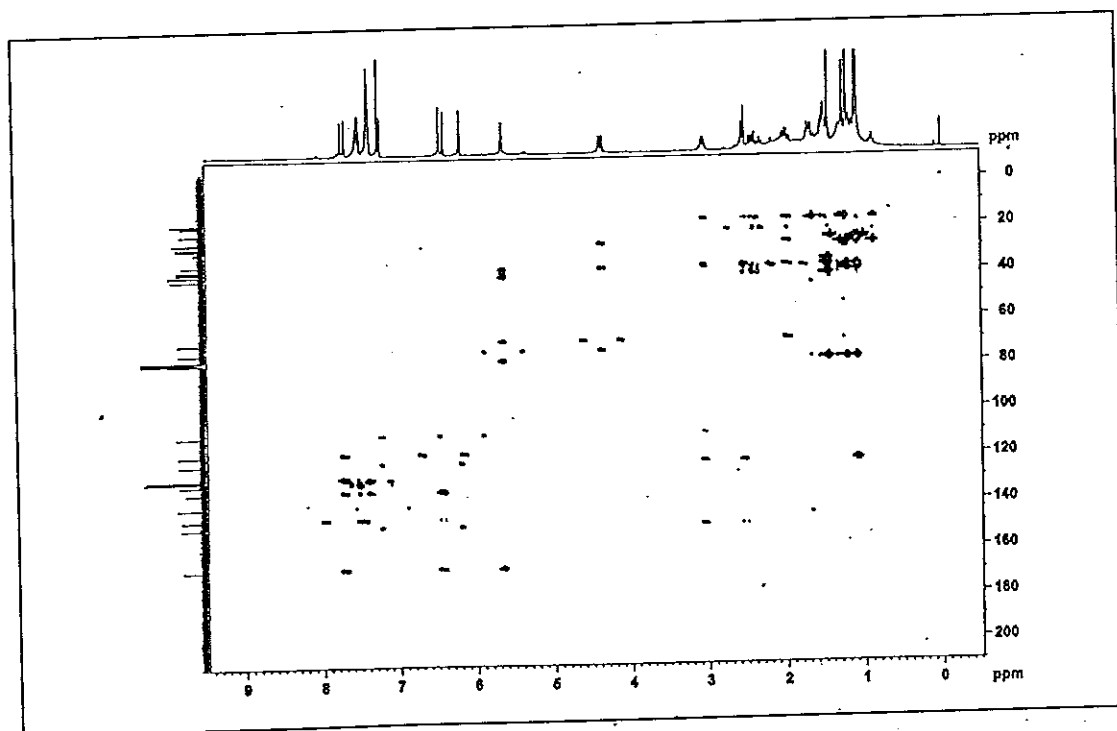


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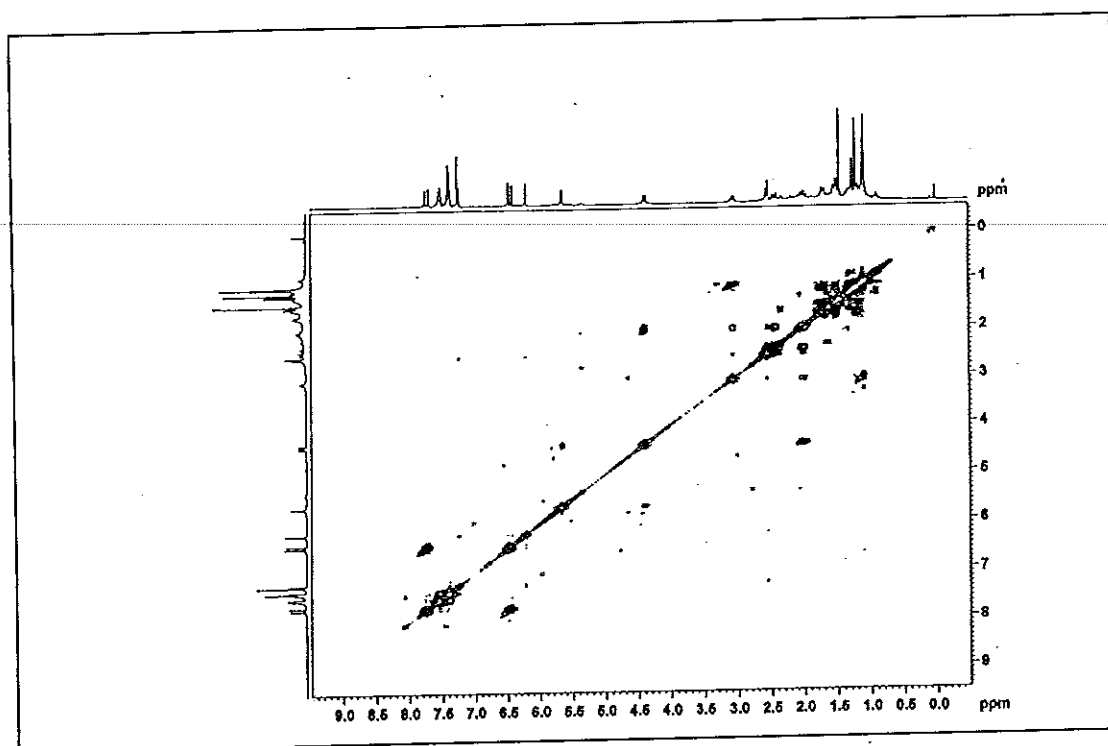


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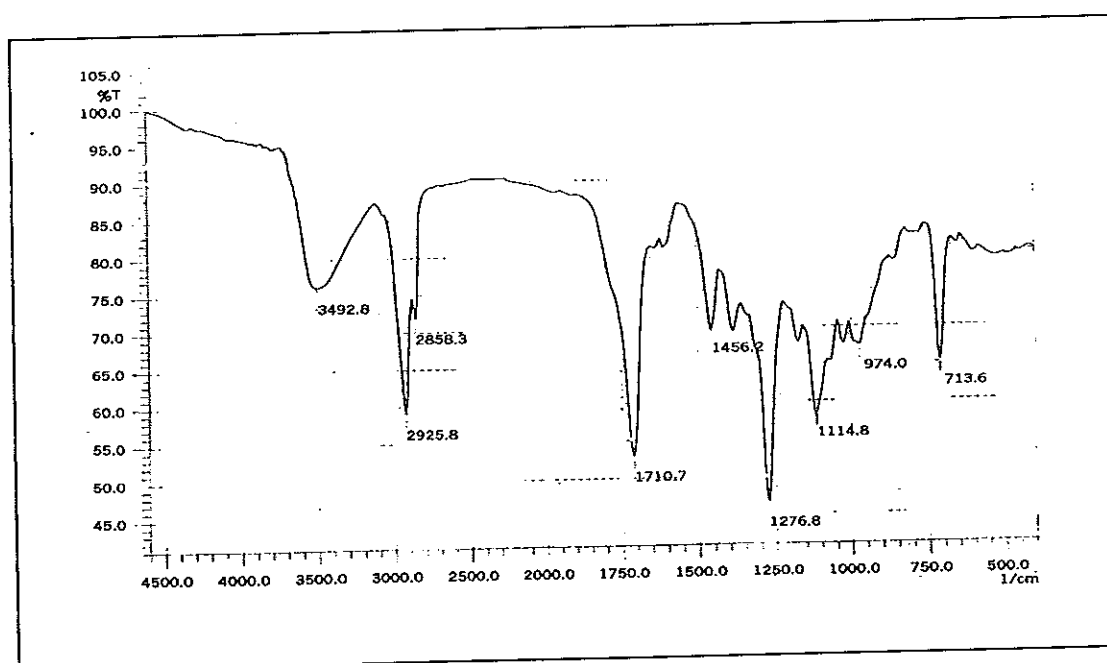


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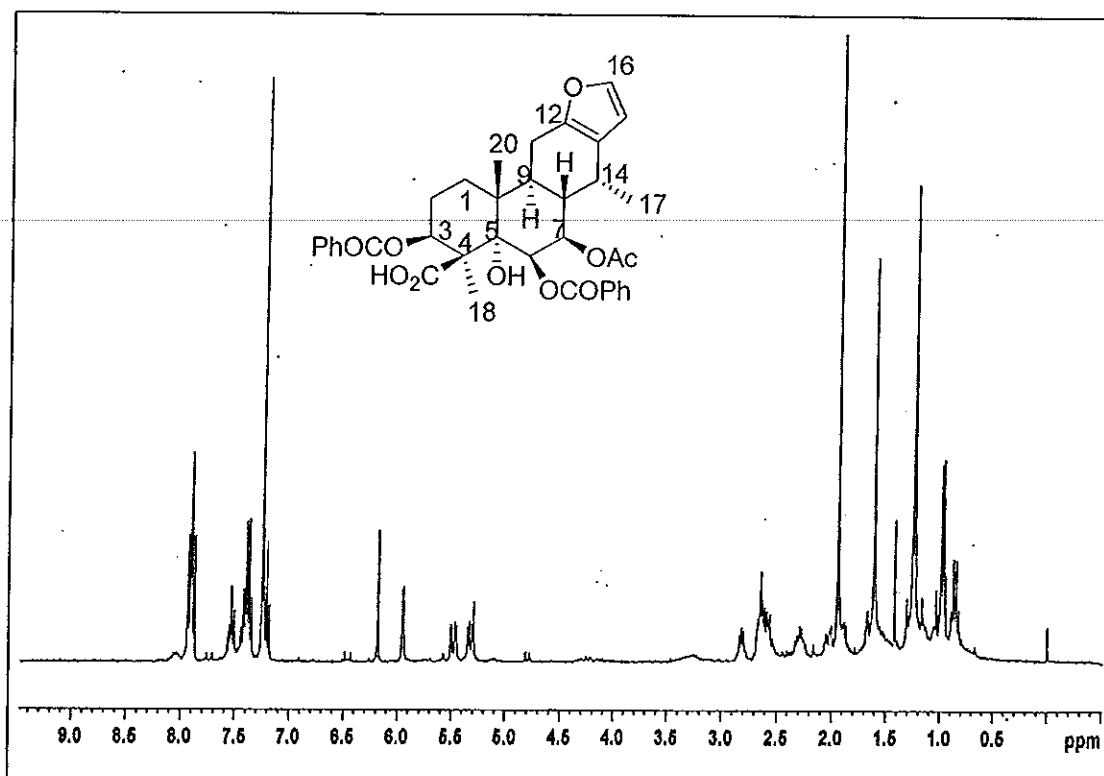


Figure 76 ^1H NMR (300 MHz) (CDCl_3) spectrum of compound CP9

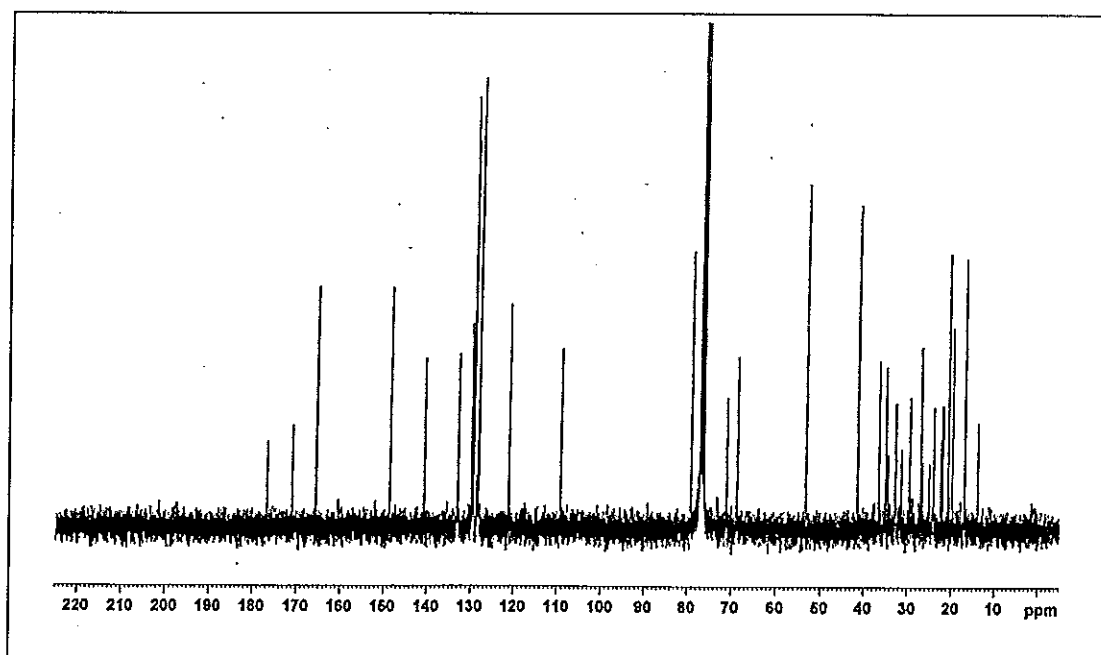


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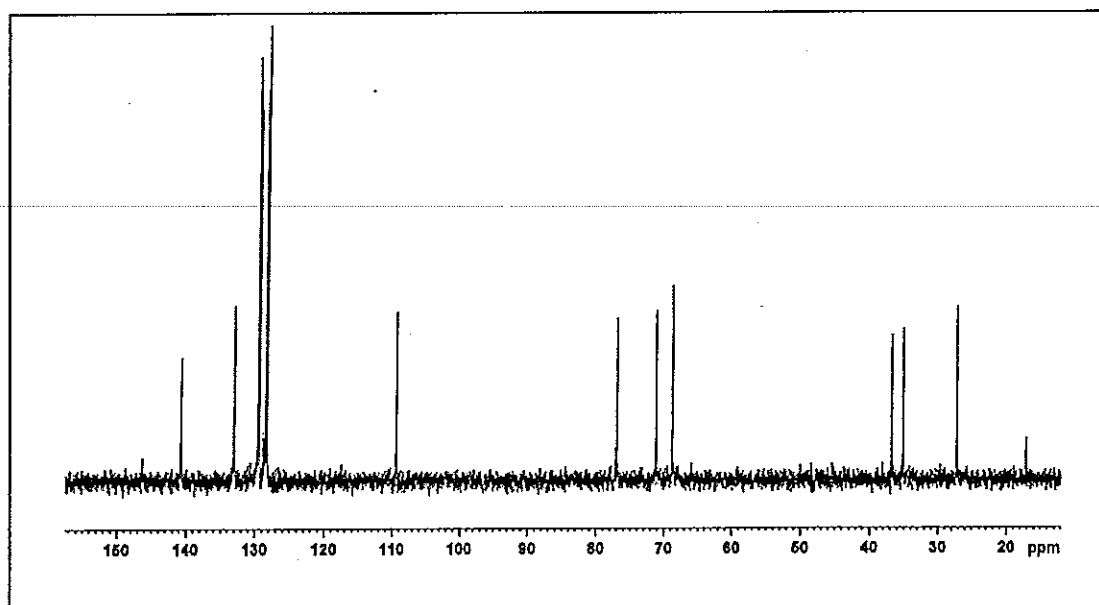


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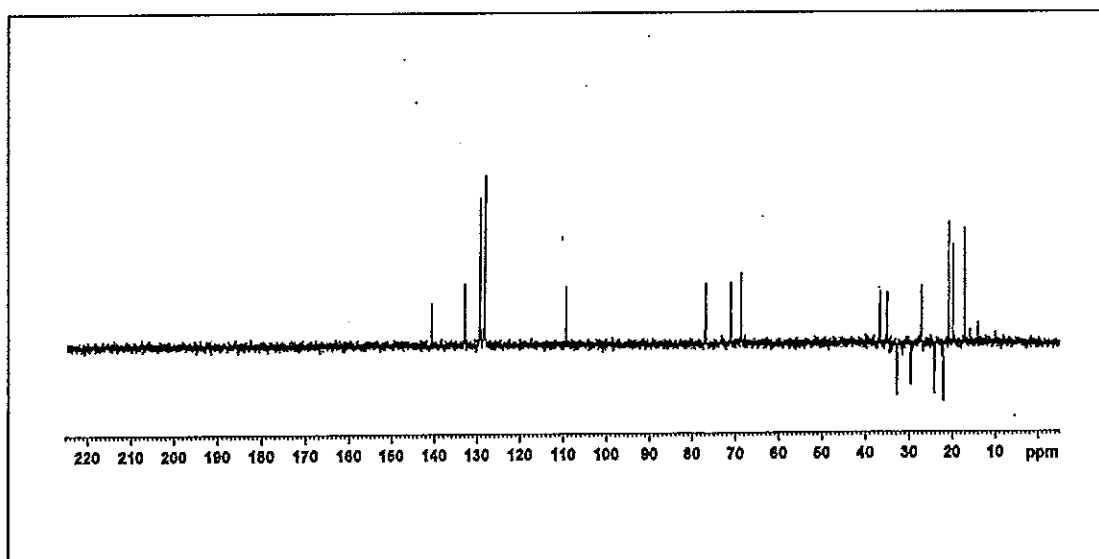


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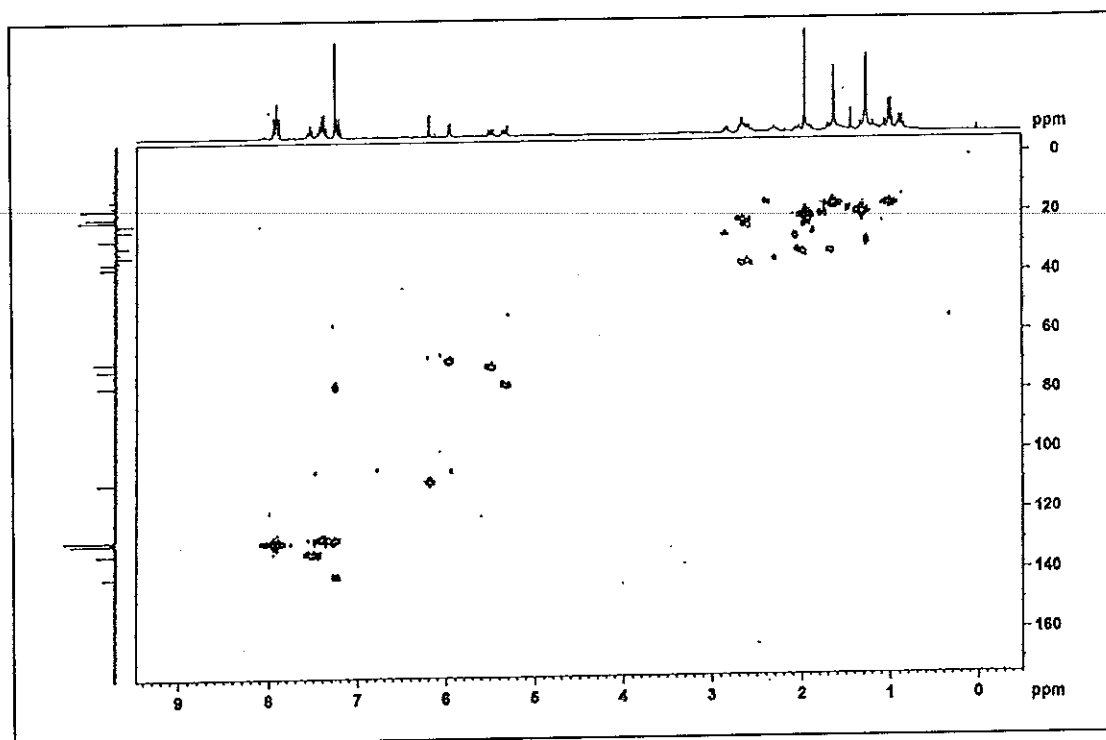


Figure 80 2D HMQC (CDCl_3) spectrum of compound CP9

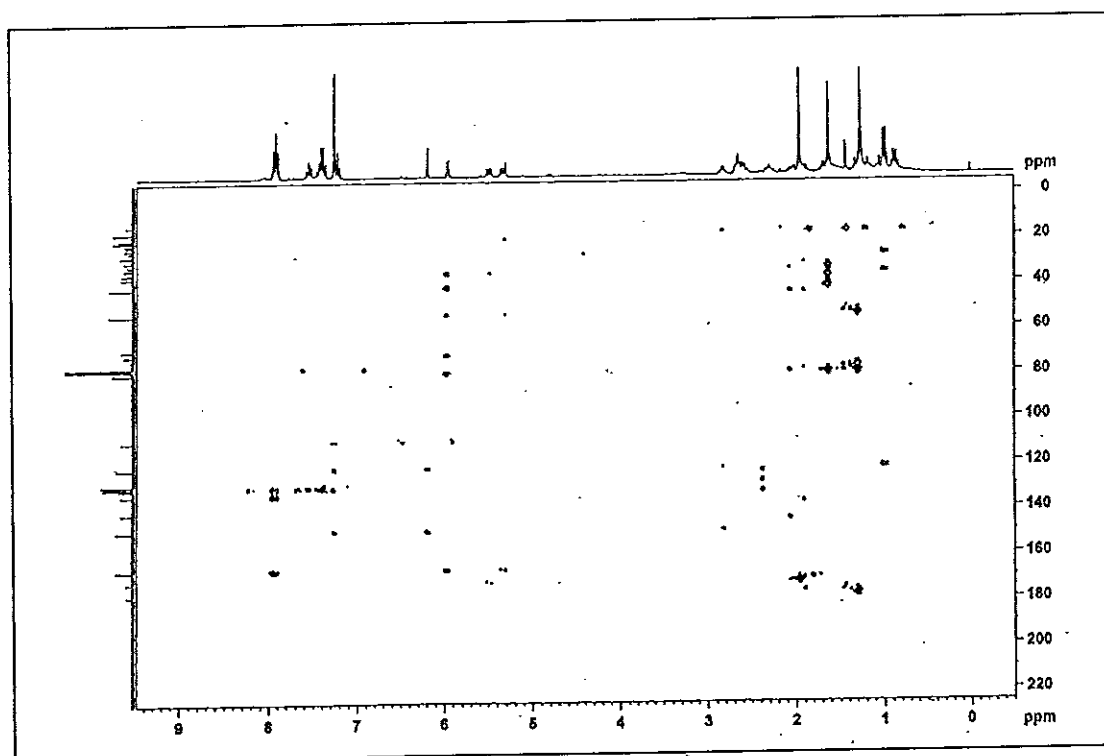


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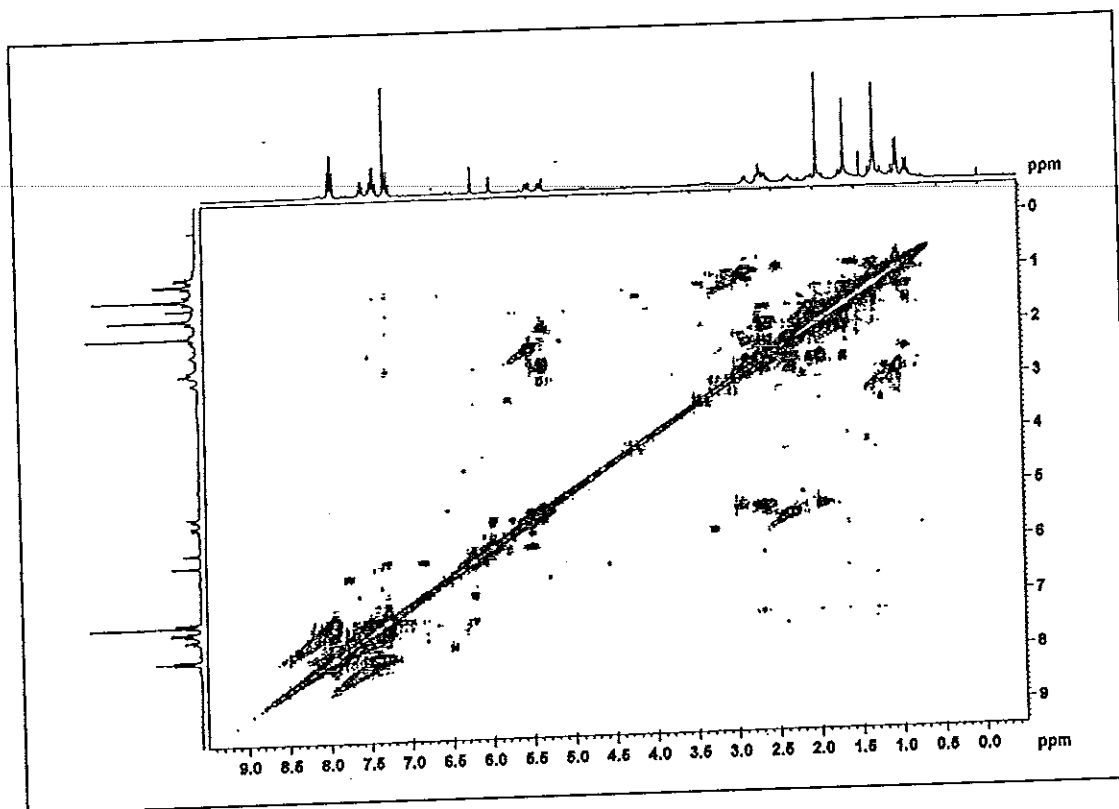


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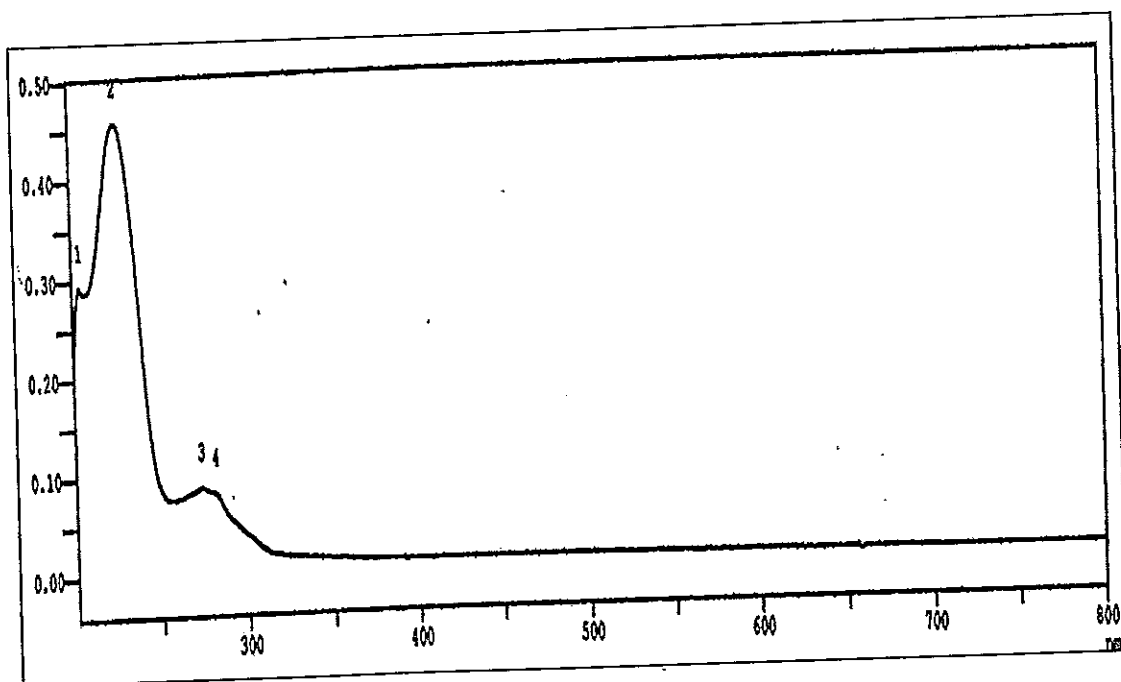


Figure 83 UV (MeOH) spectrum of compound CP9

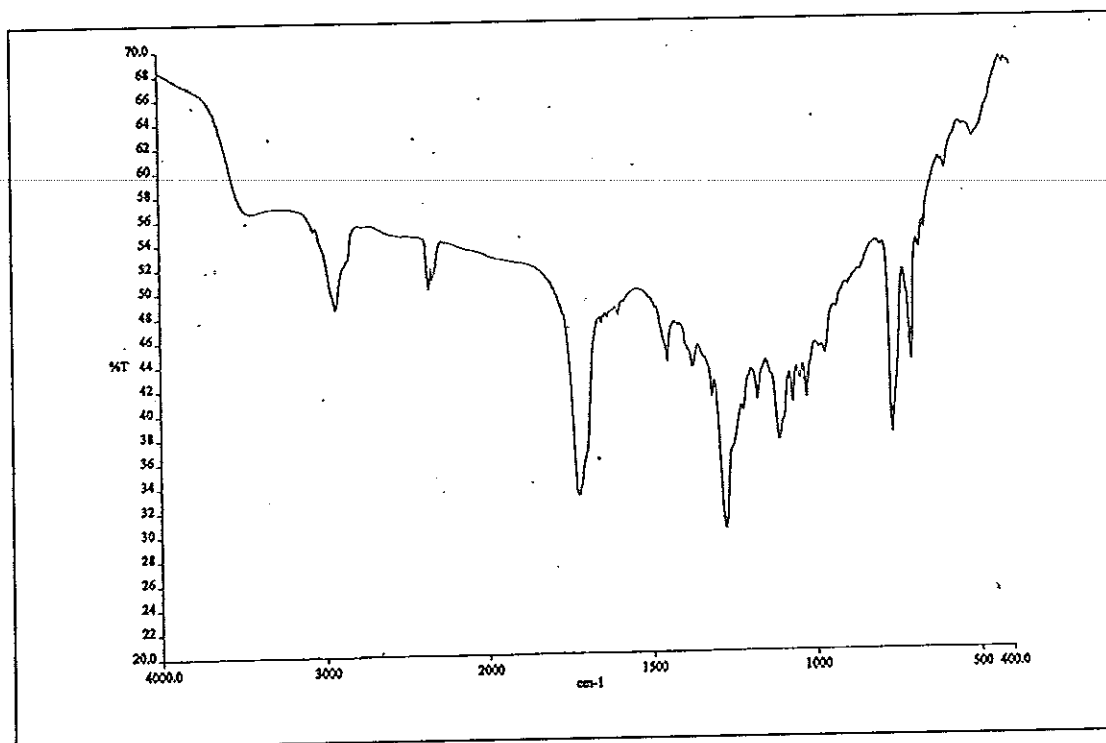


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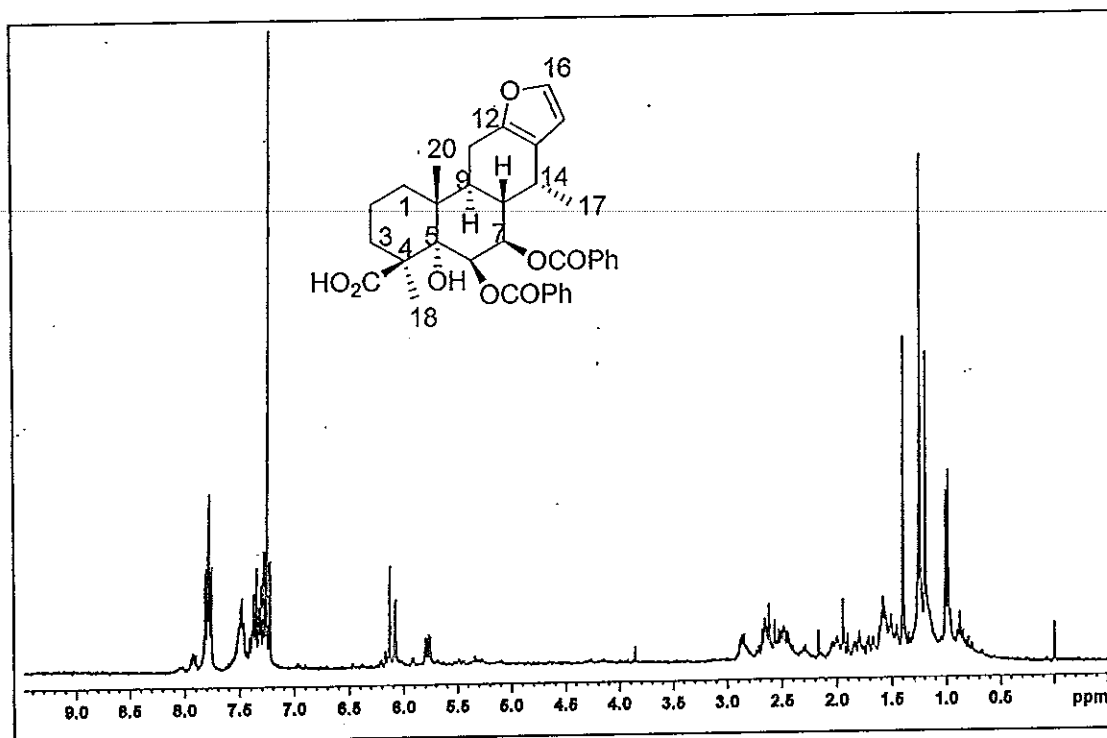


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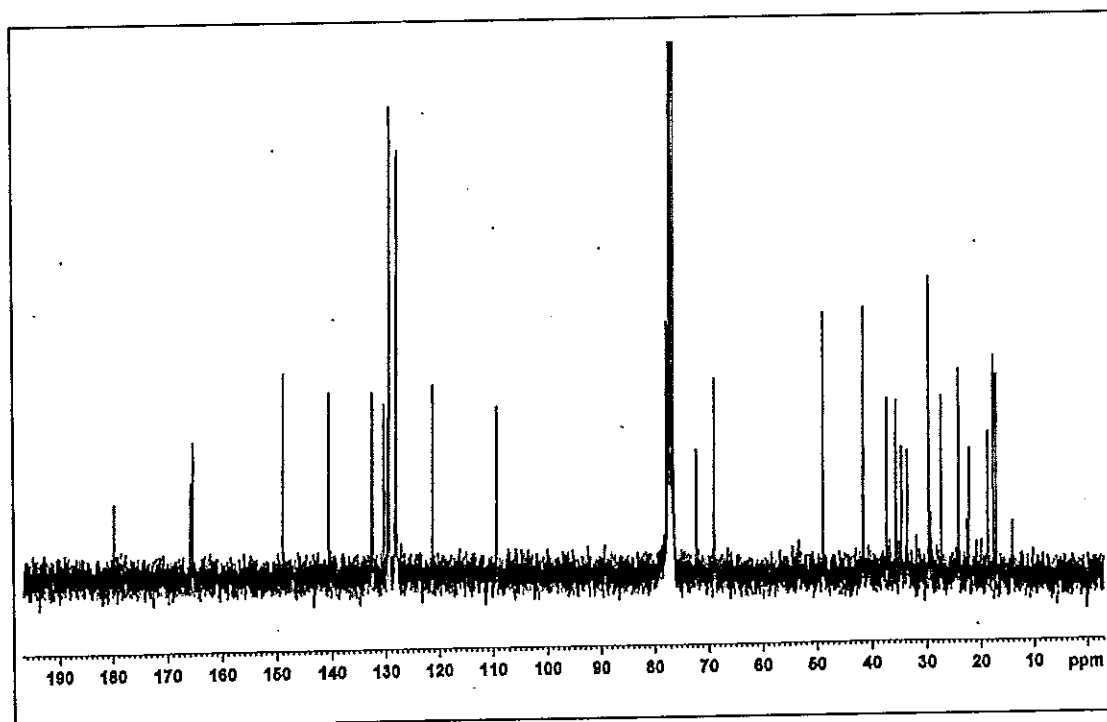


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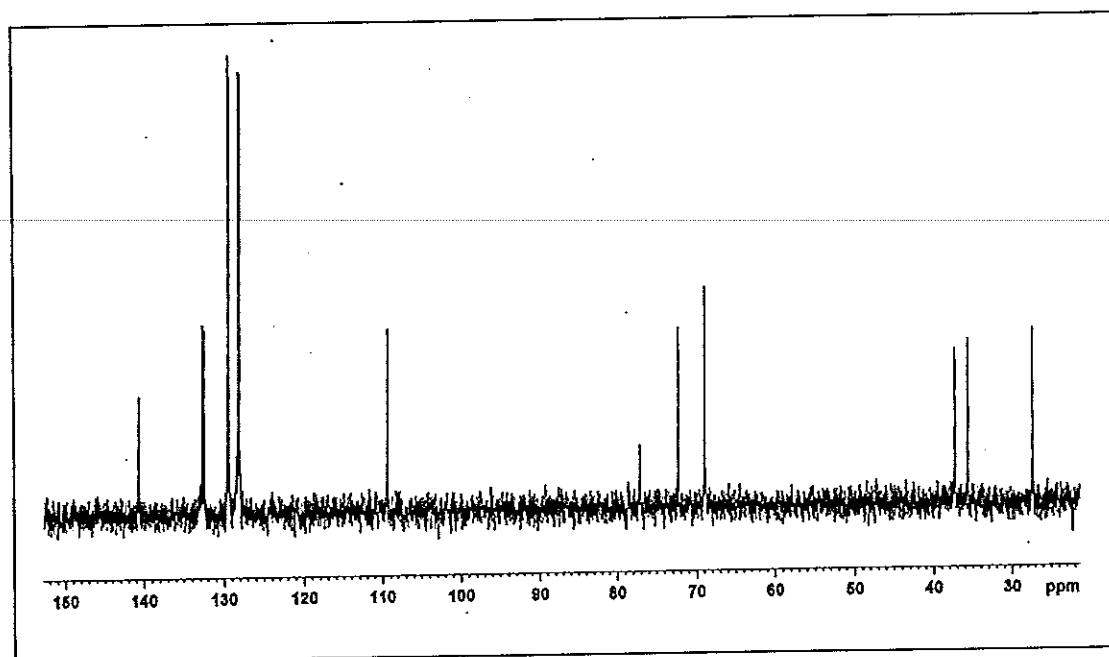


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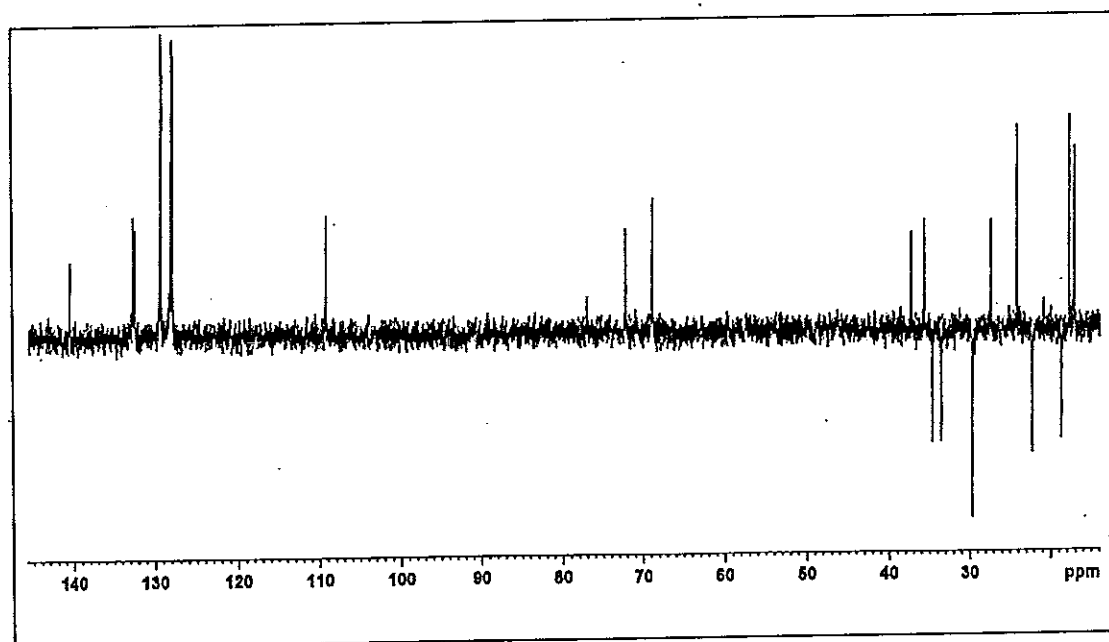


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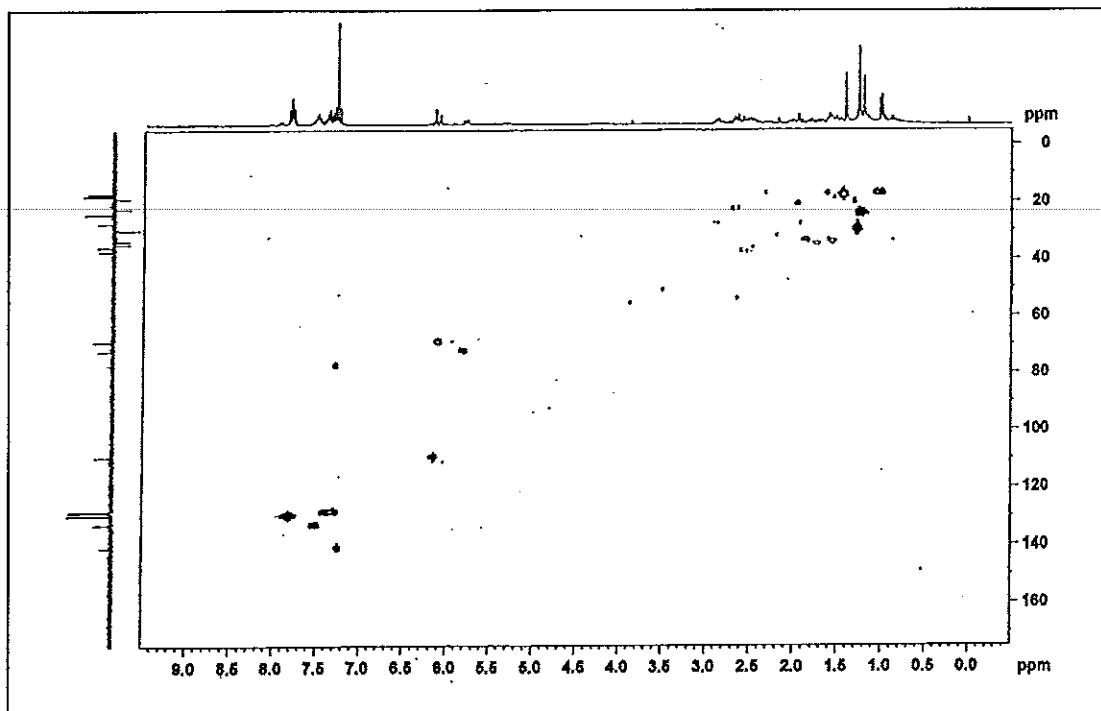


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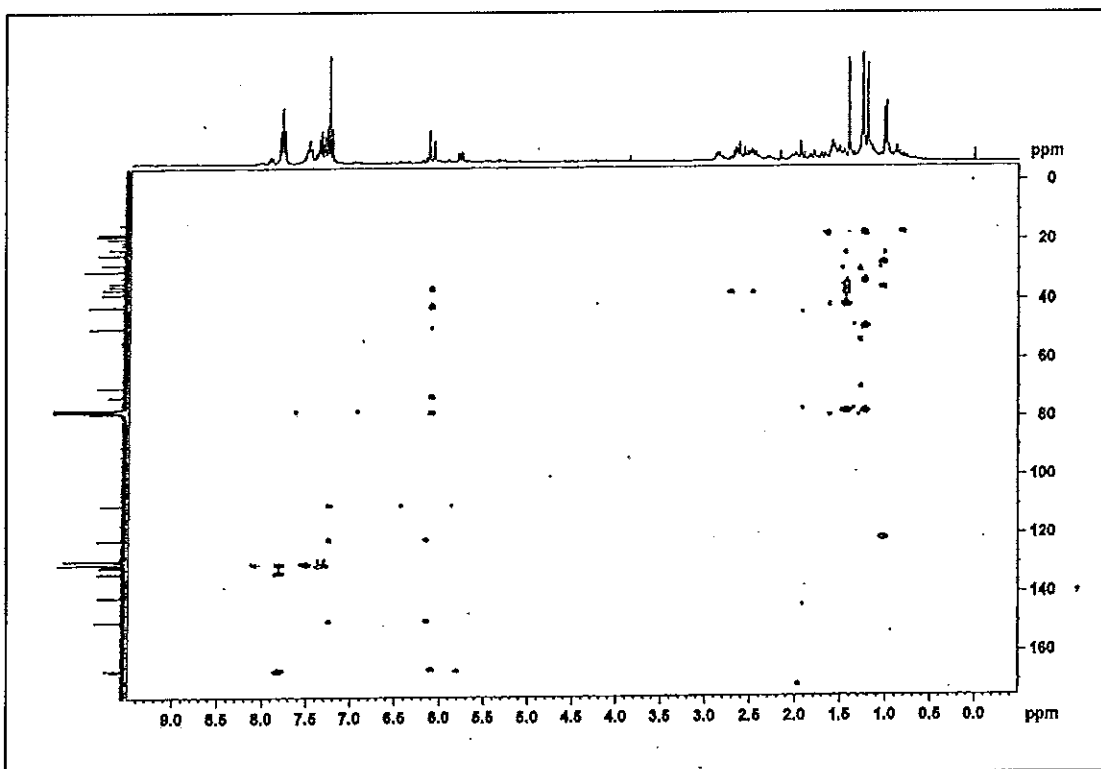


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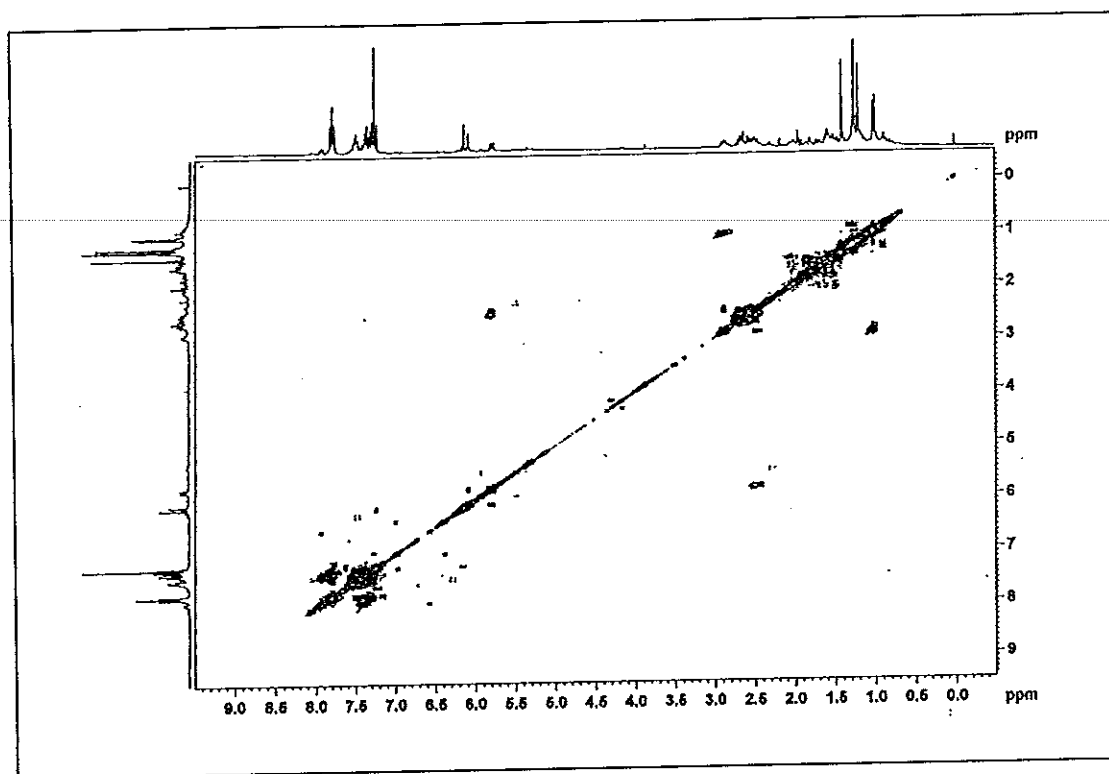


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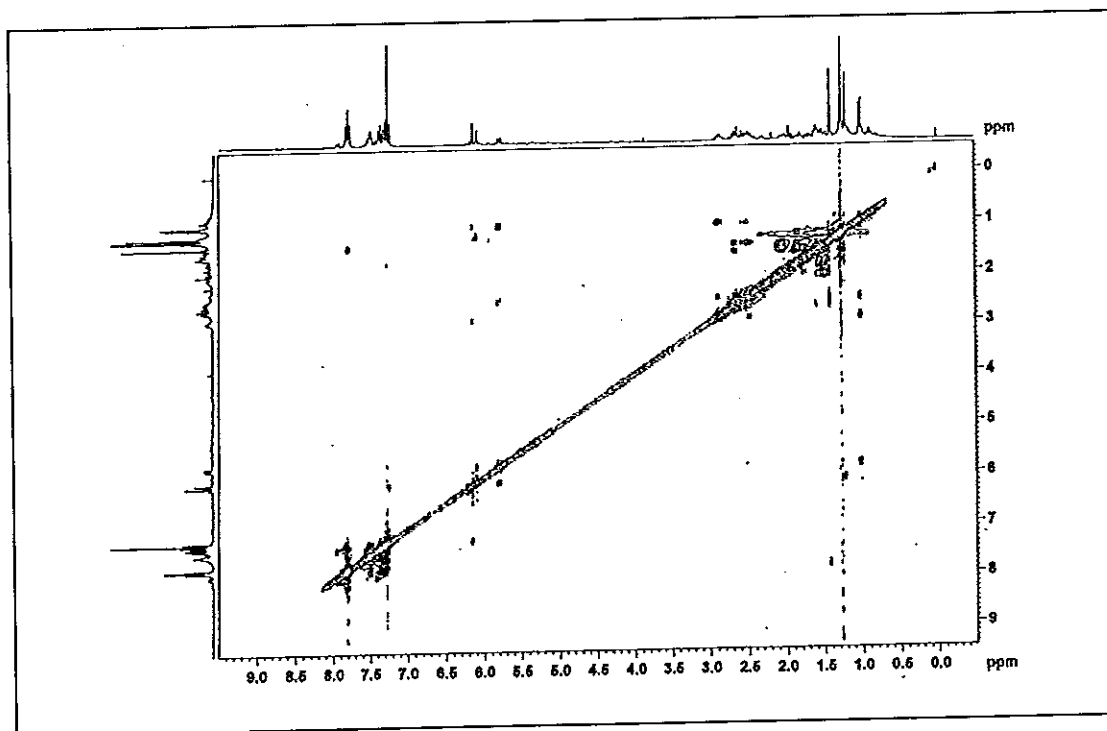


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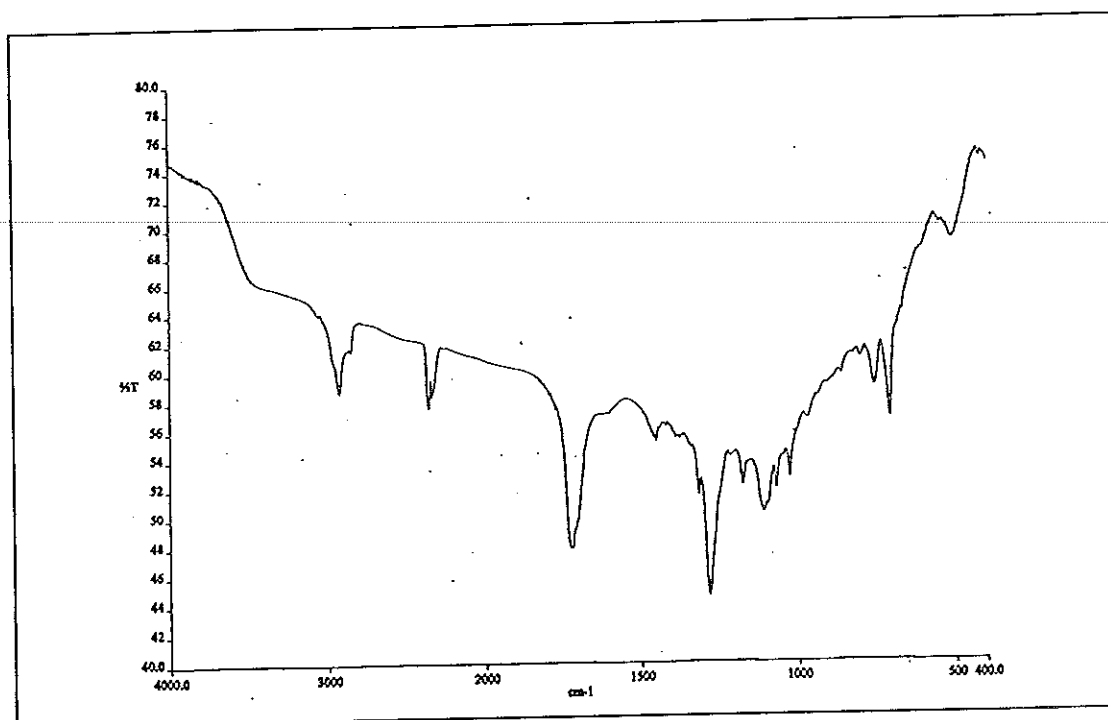


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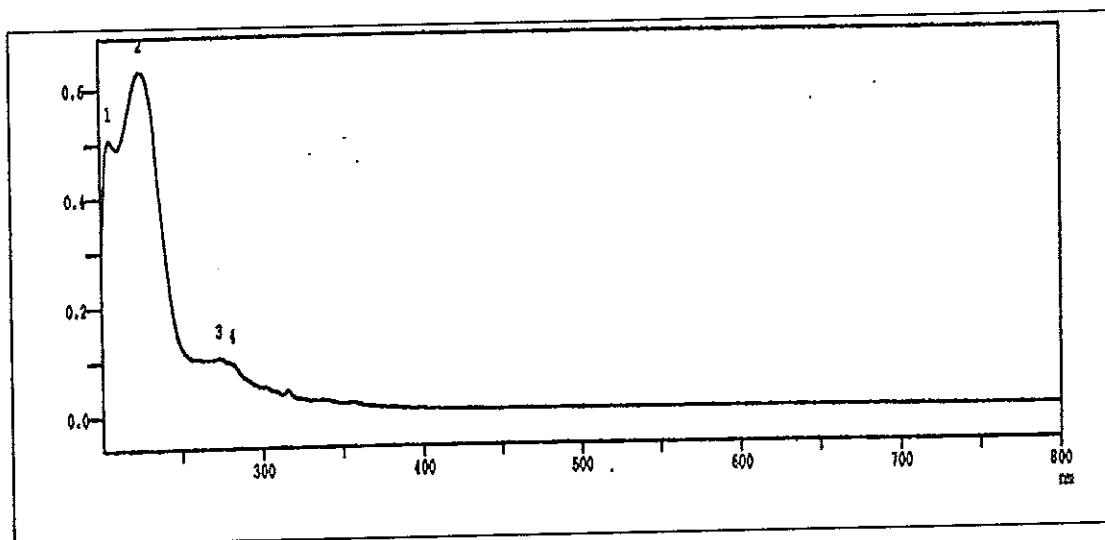


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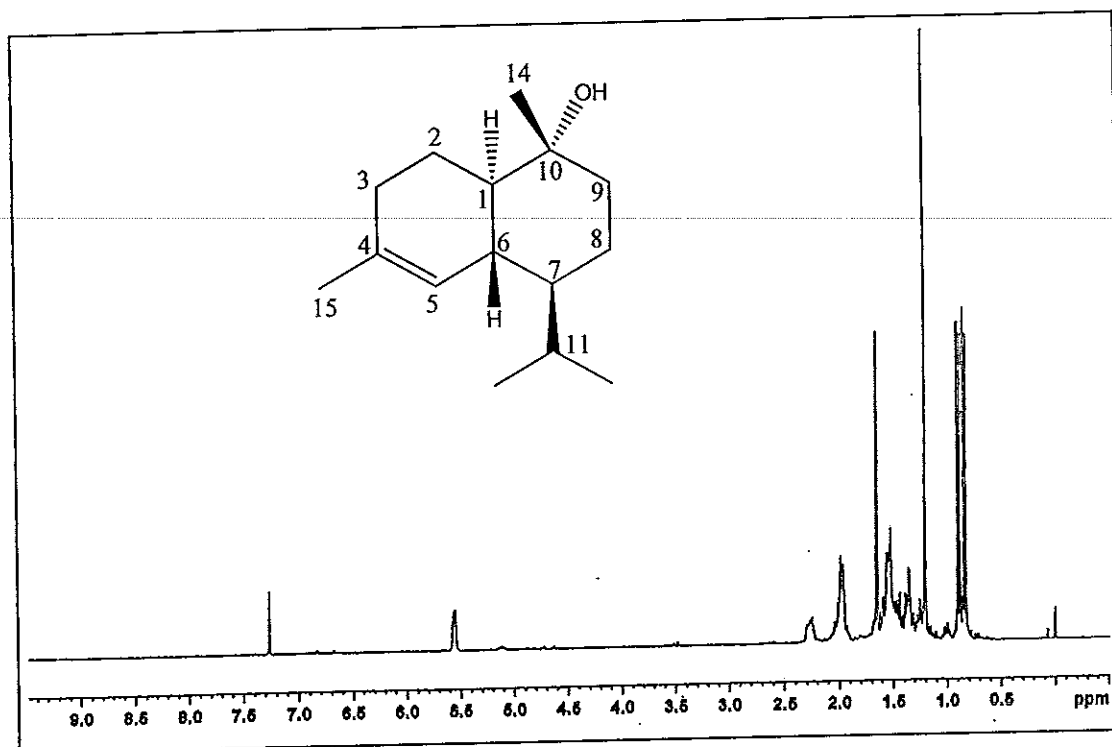


Figure 95 ^1H NMR (300 MHz) (CDCl_3) spectrum of compound CP11

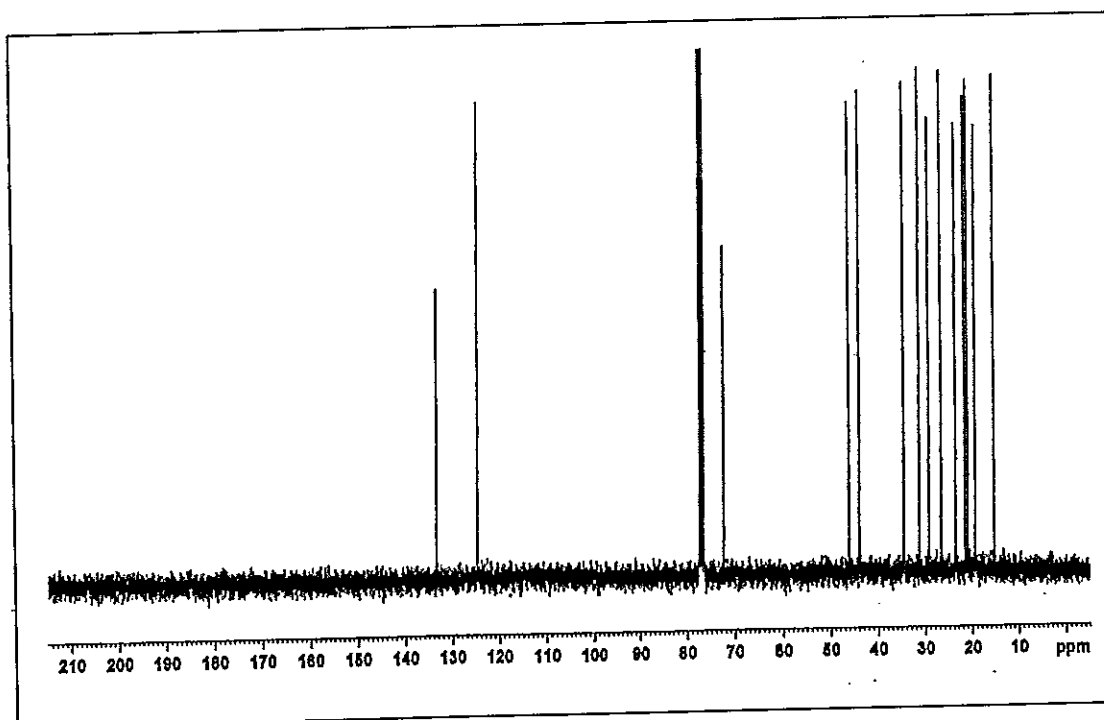


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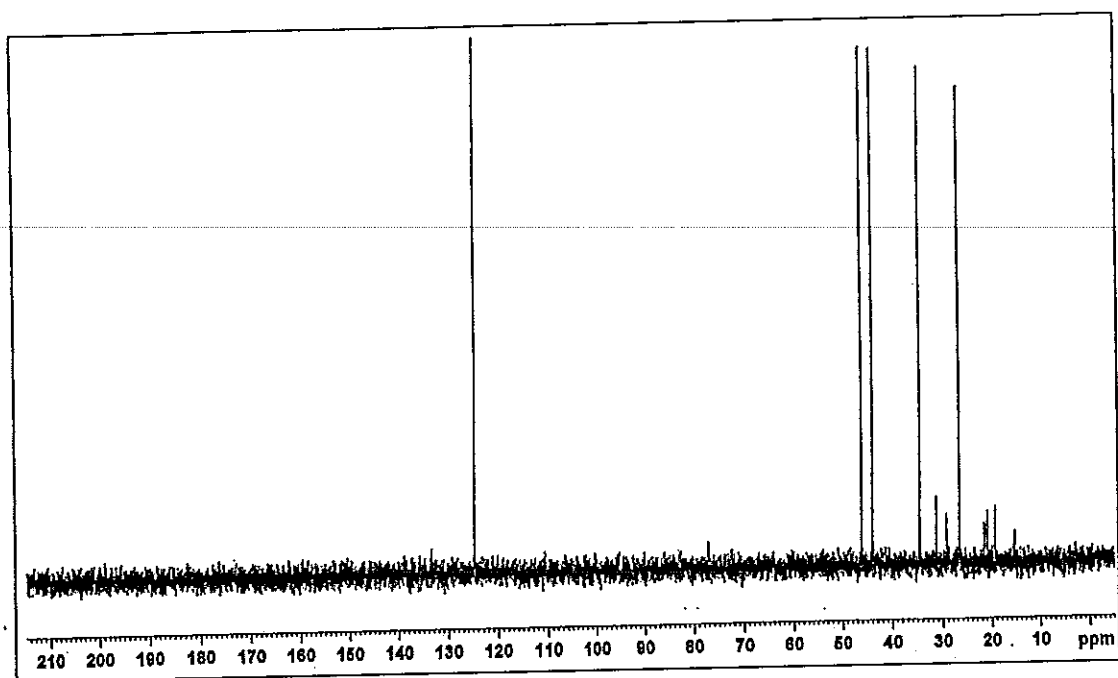


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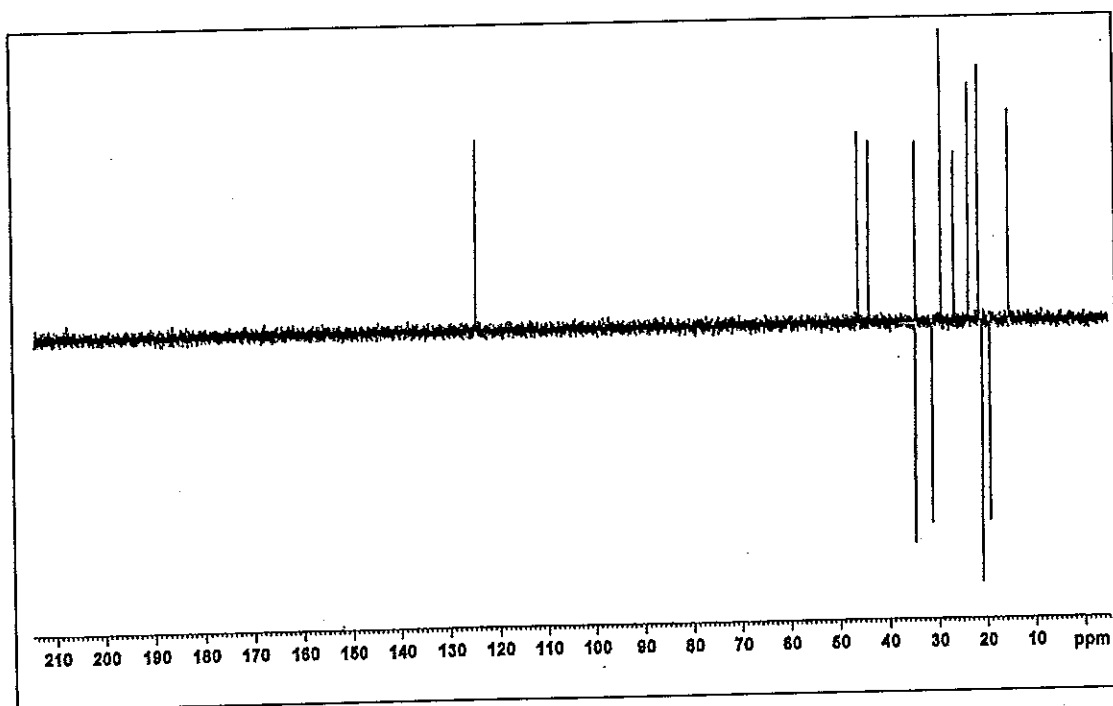


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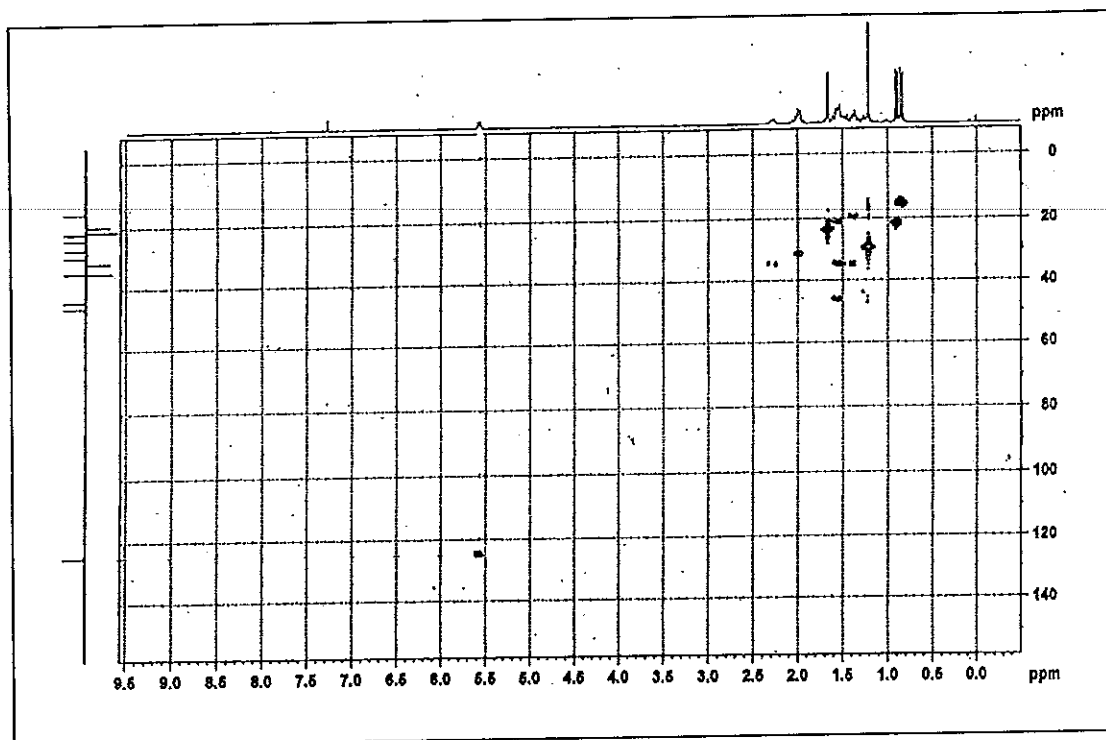


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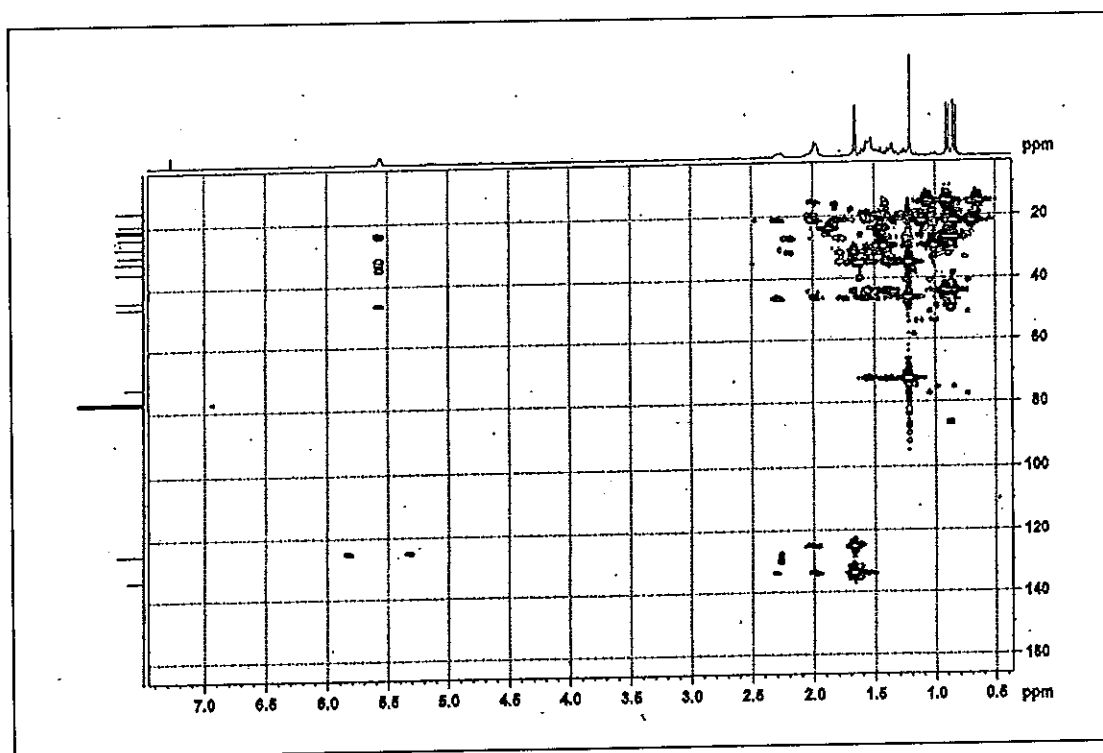


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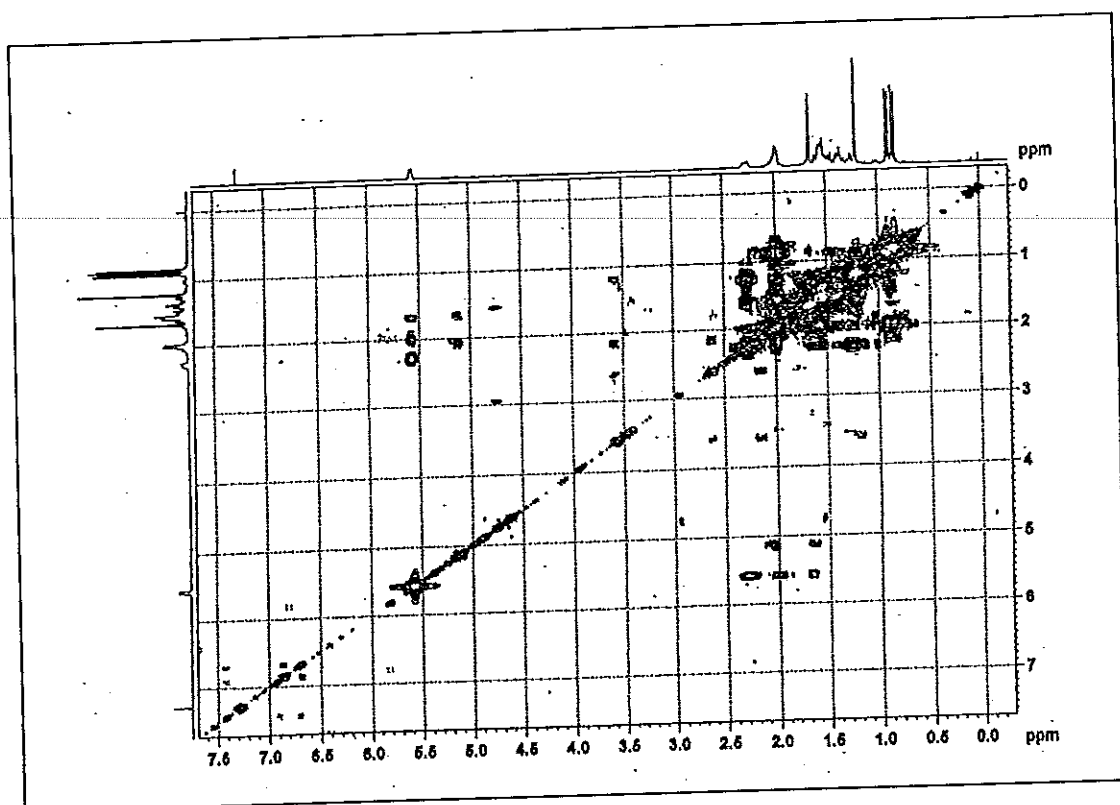


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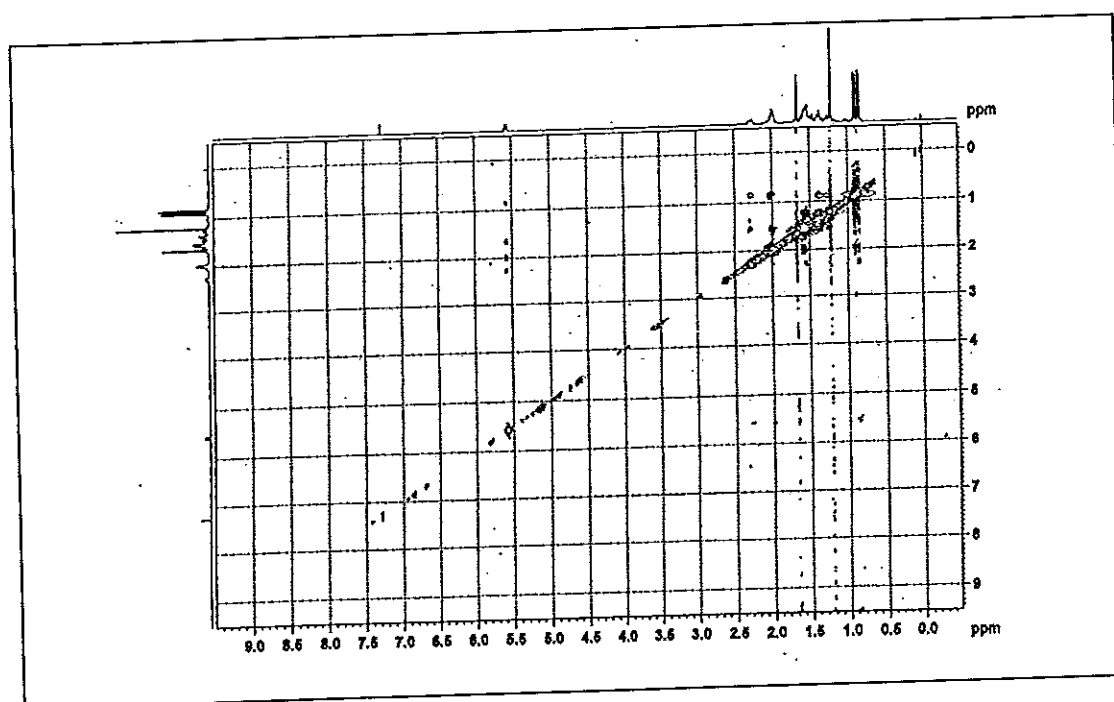


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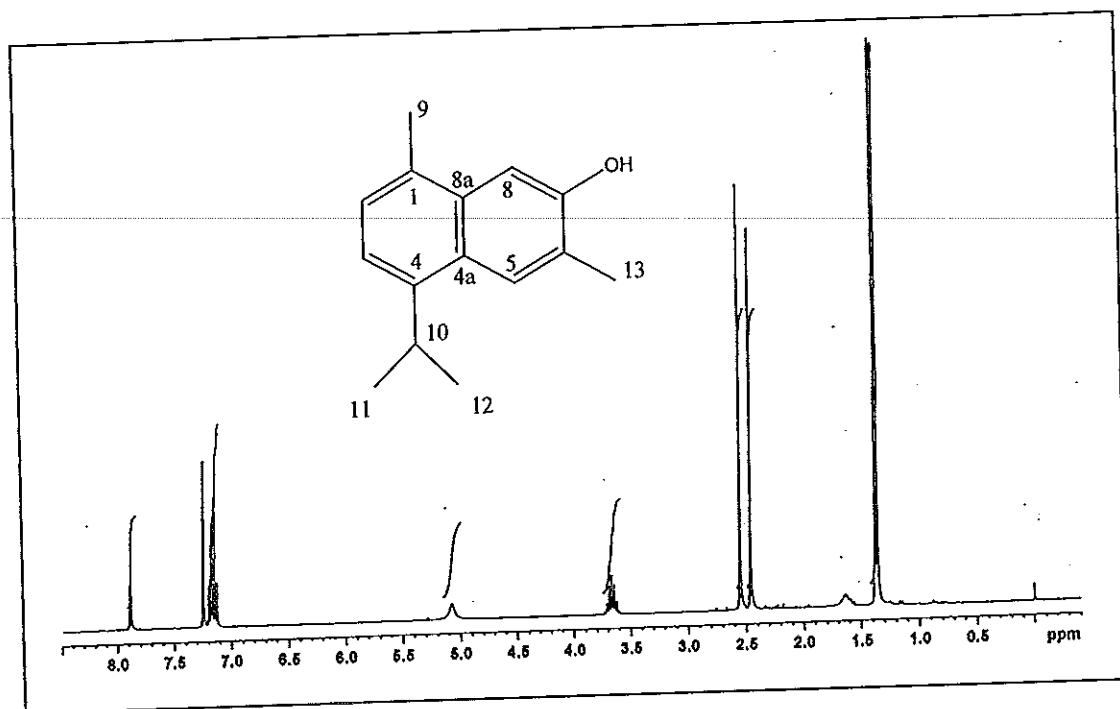


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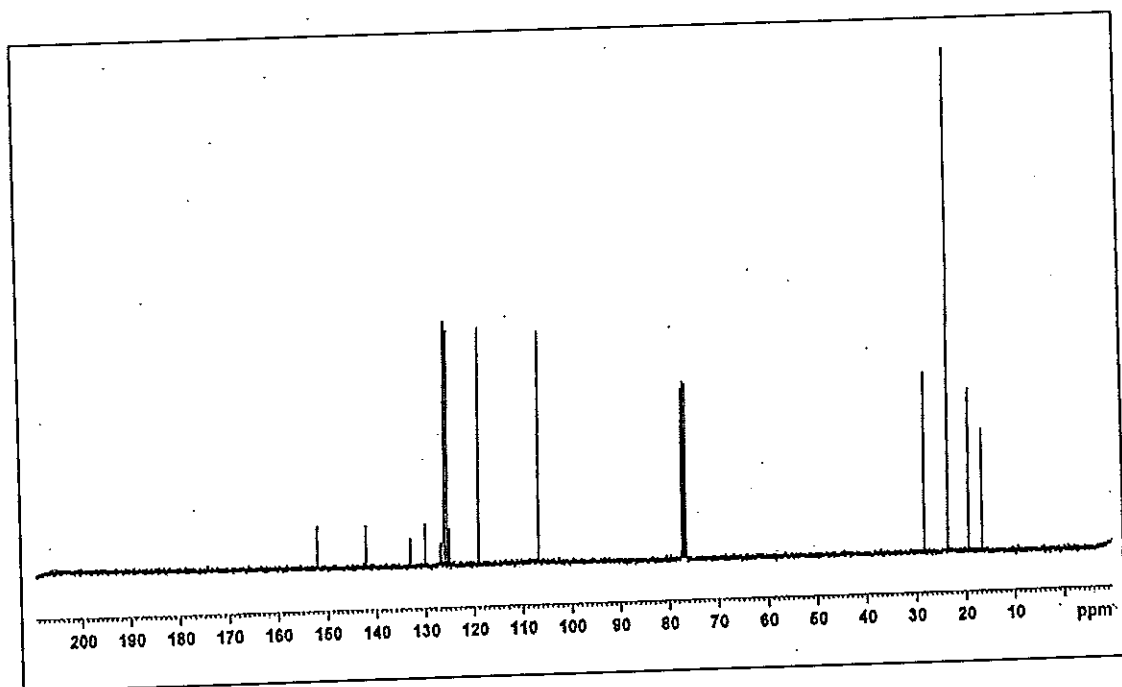


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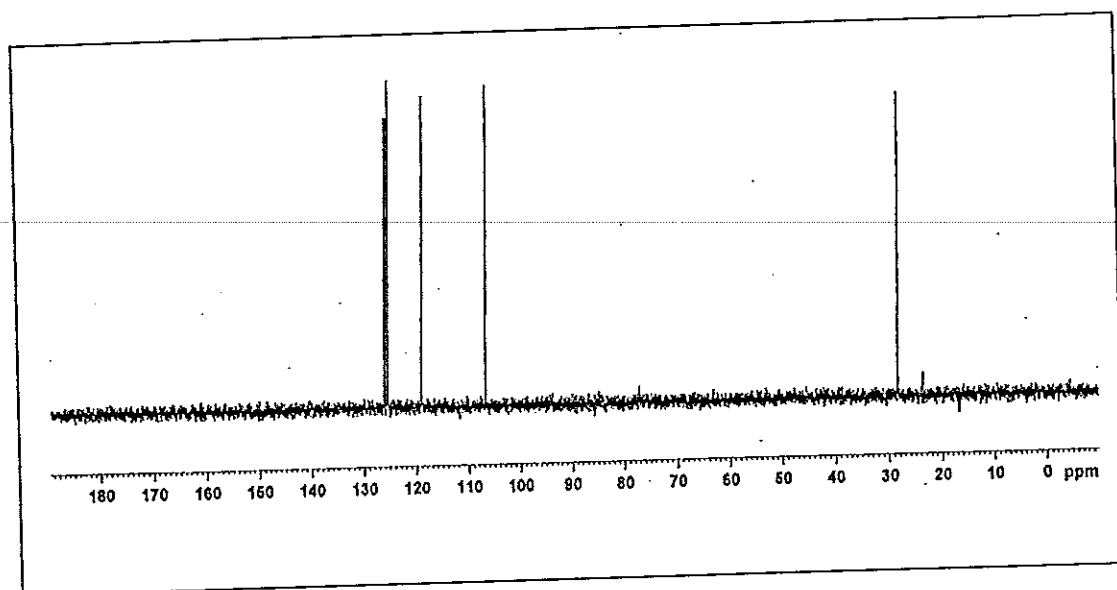


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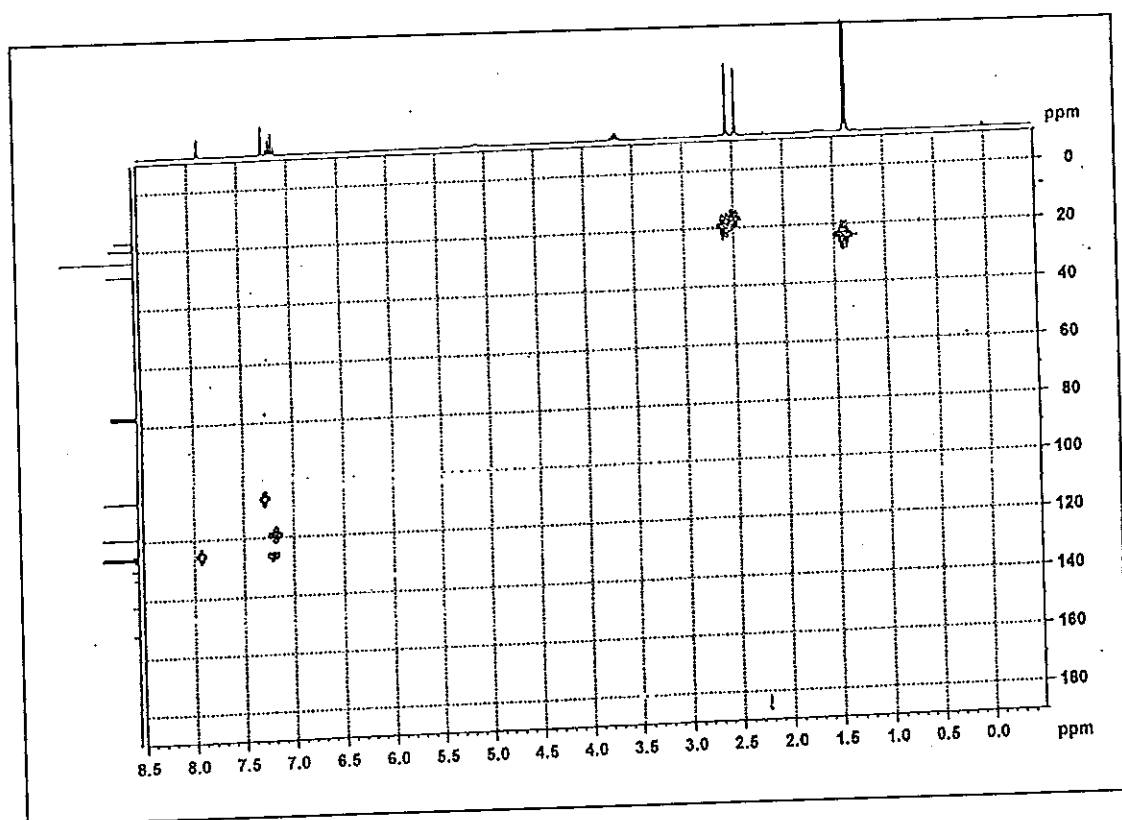


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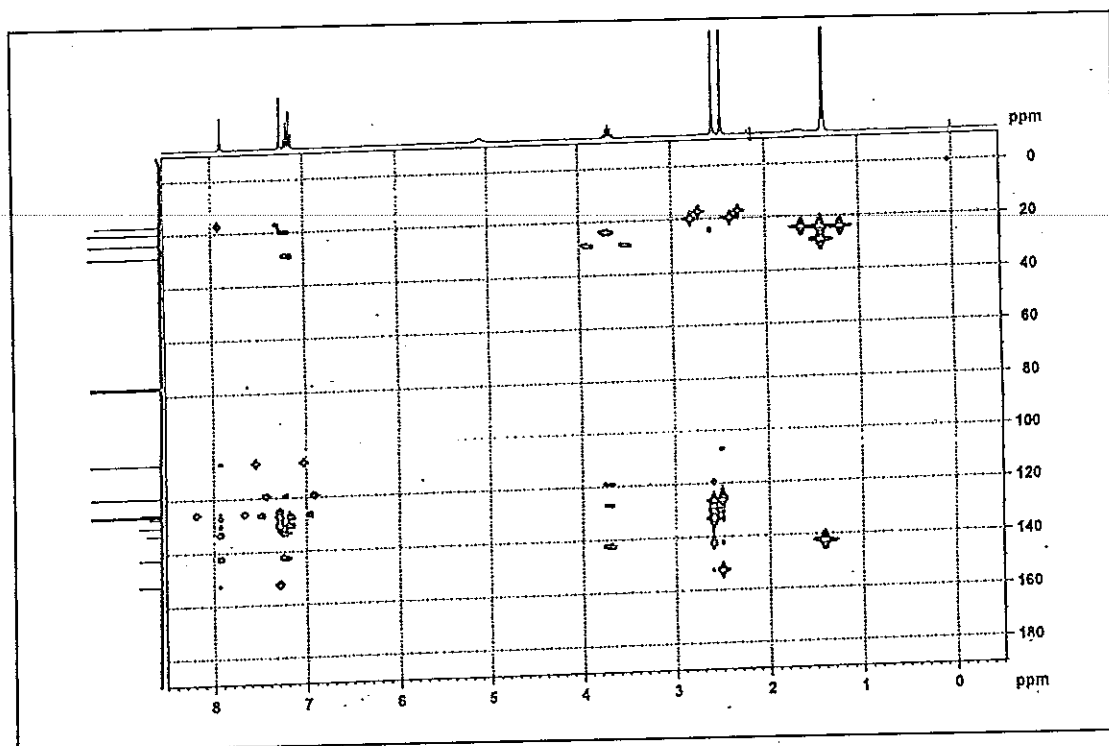


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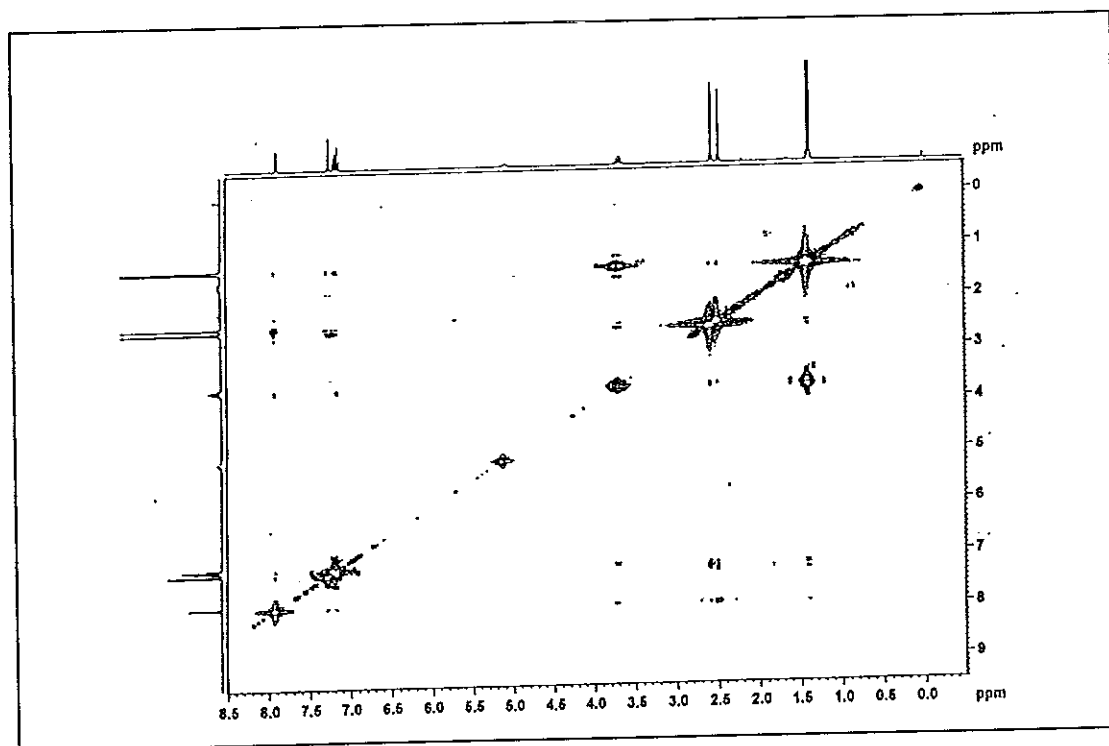


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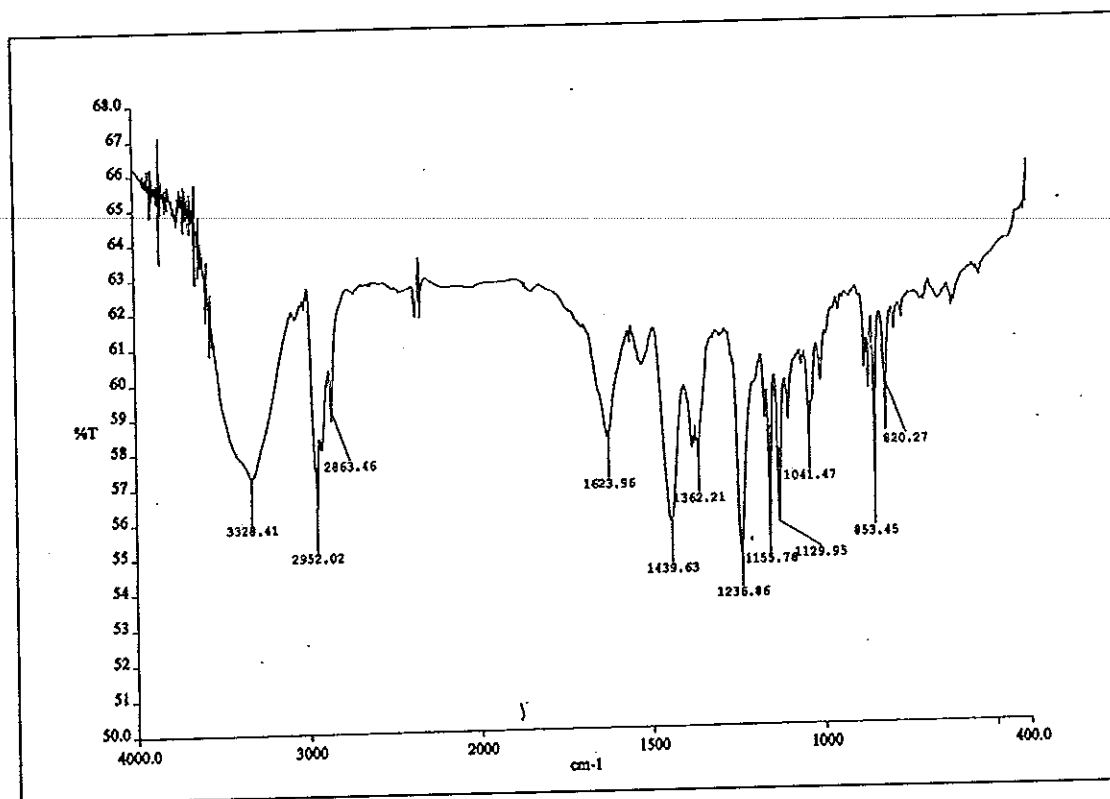


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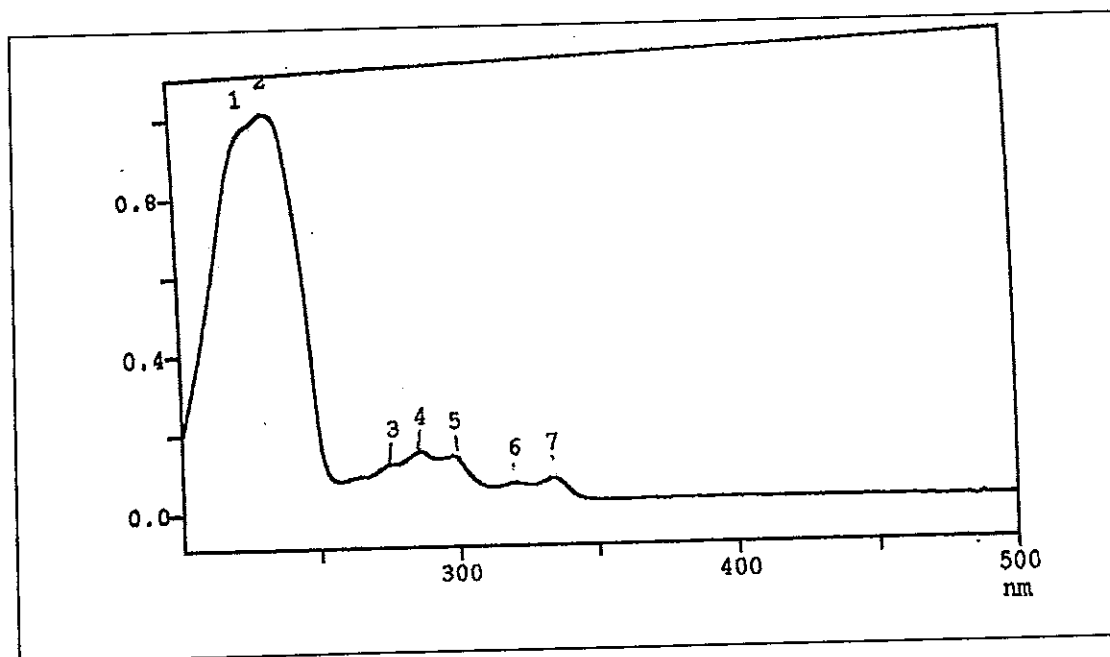


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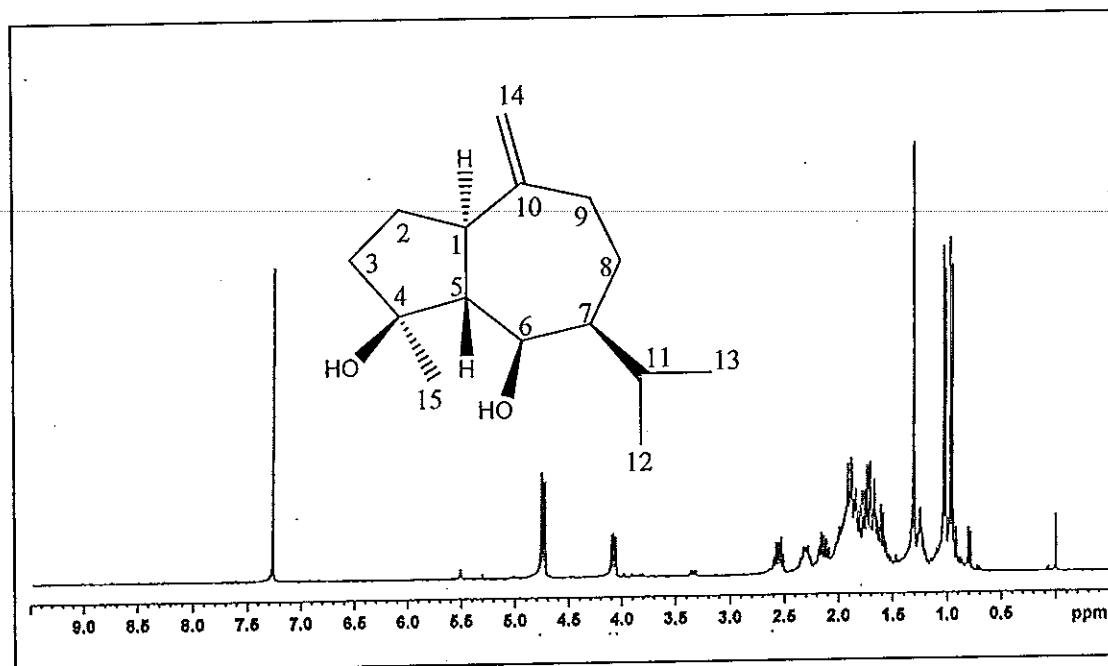


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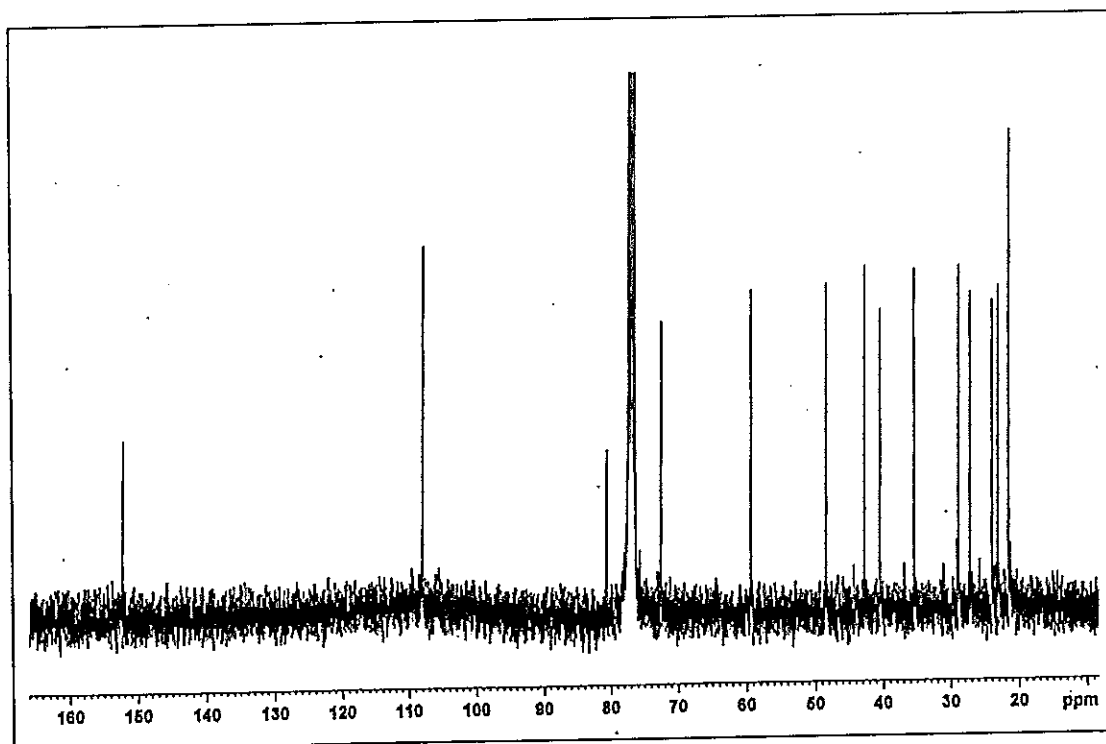


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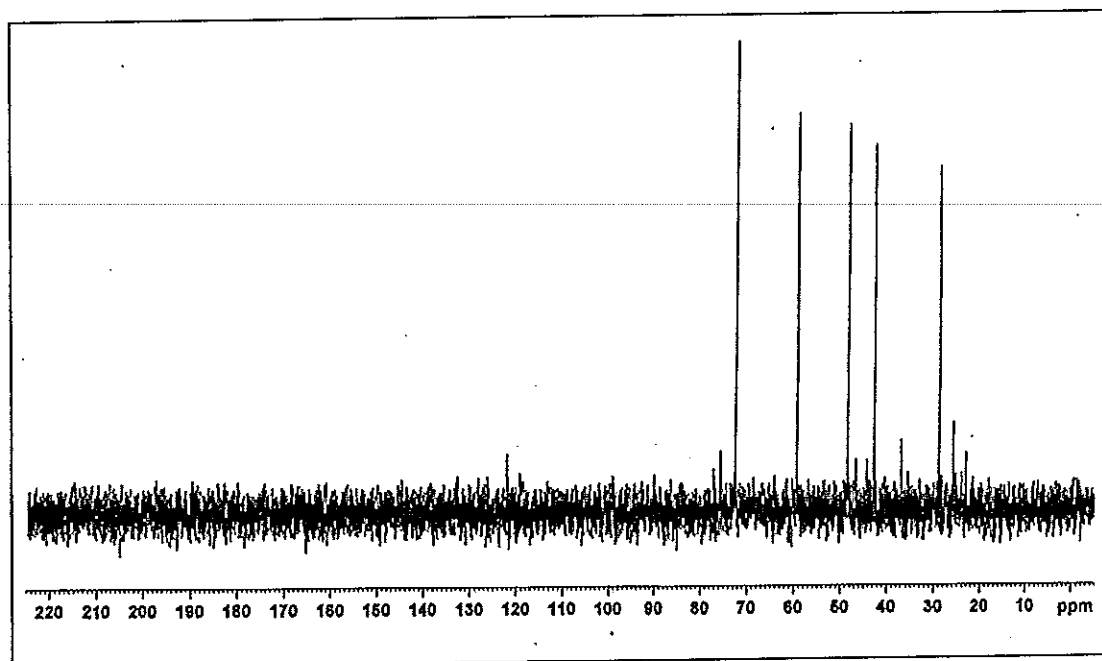


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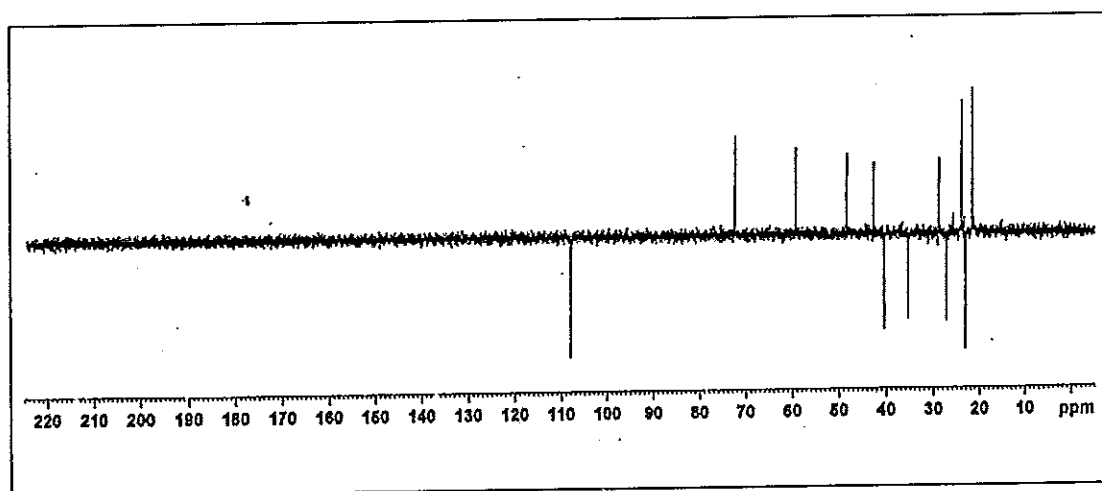


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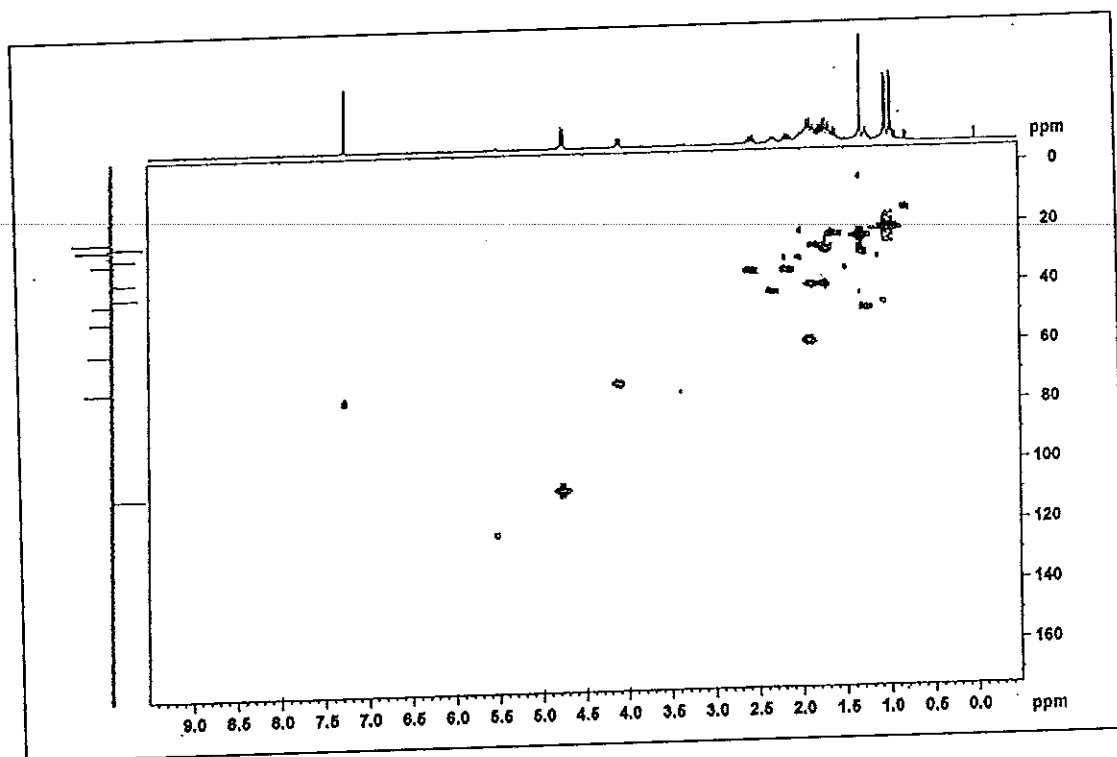


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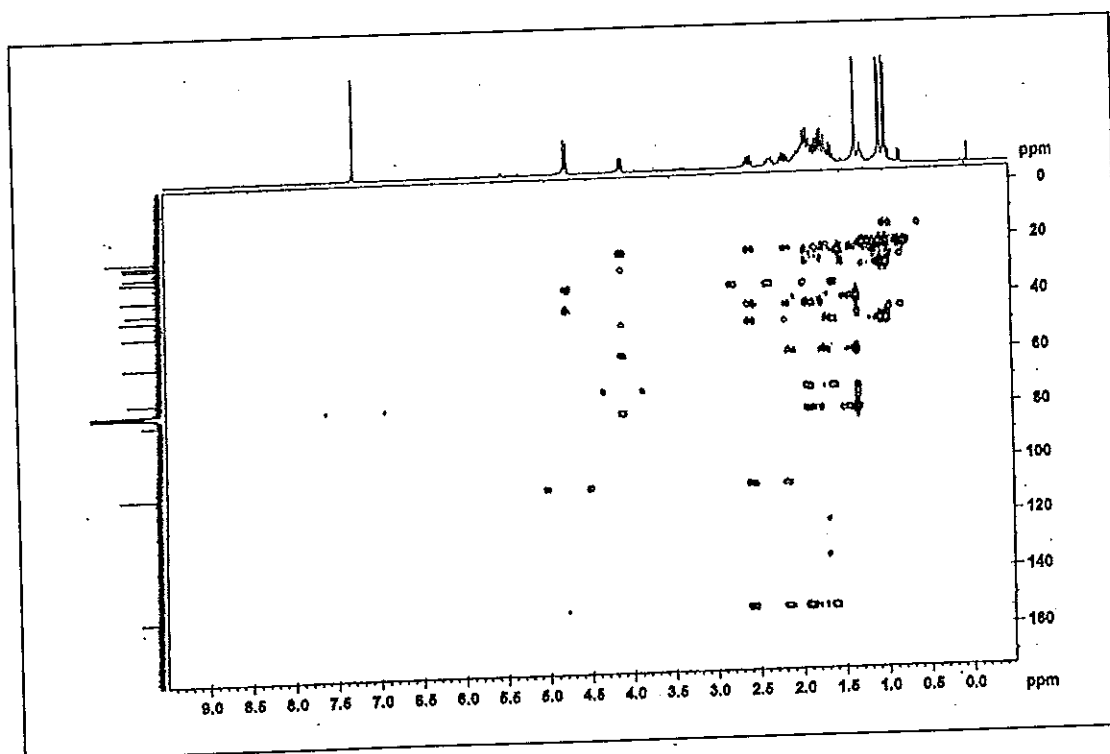


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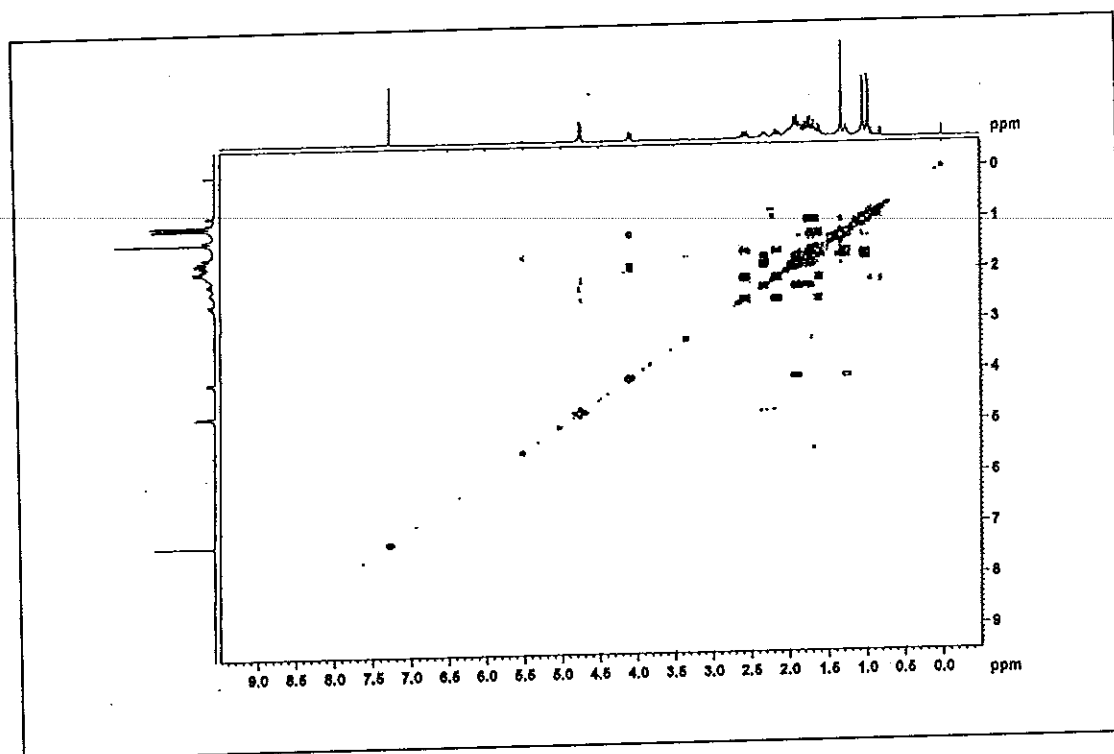


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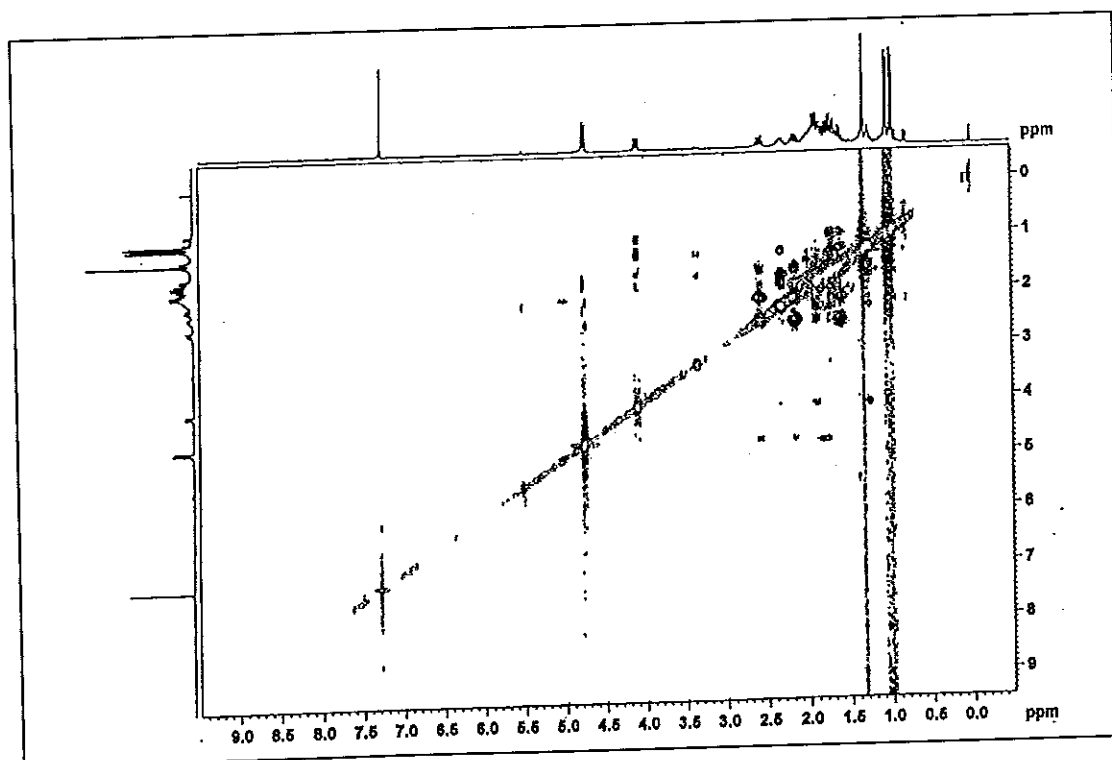


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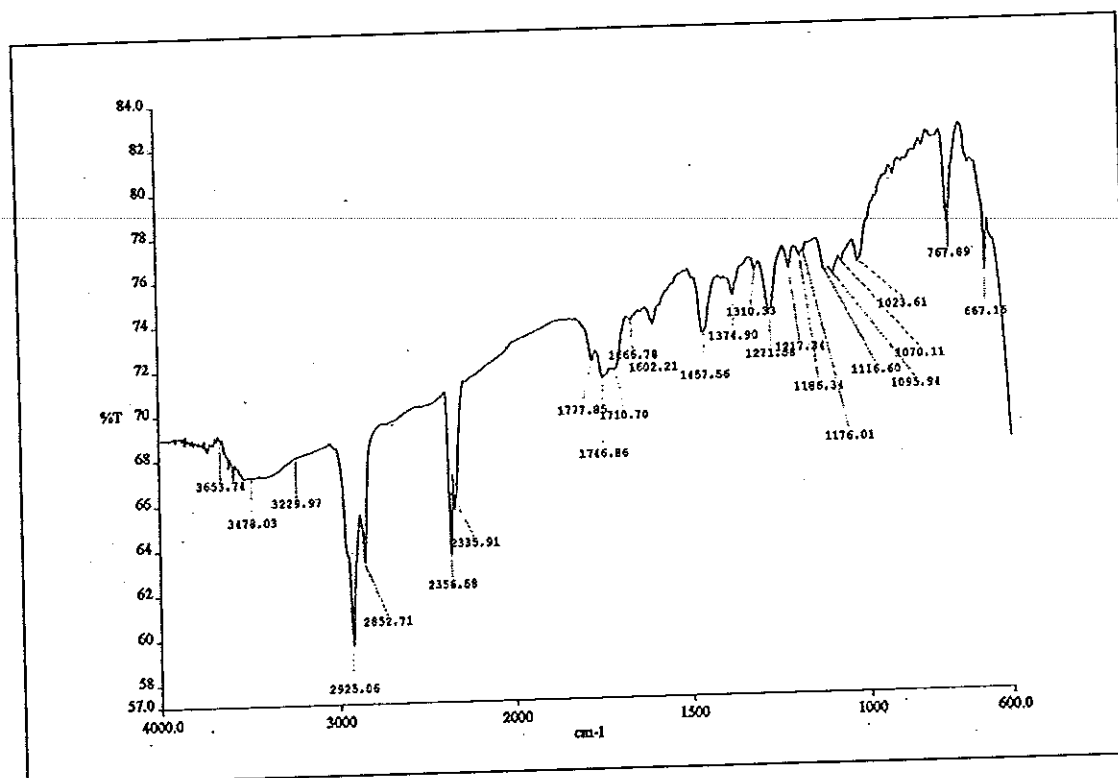


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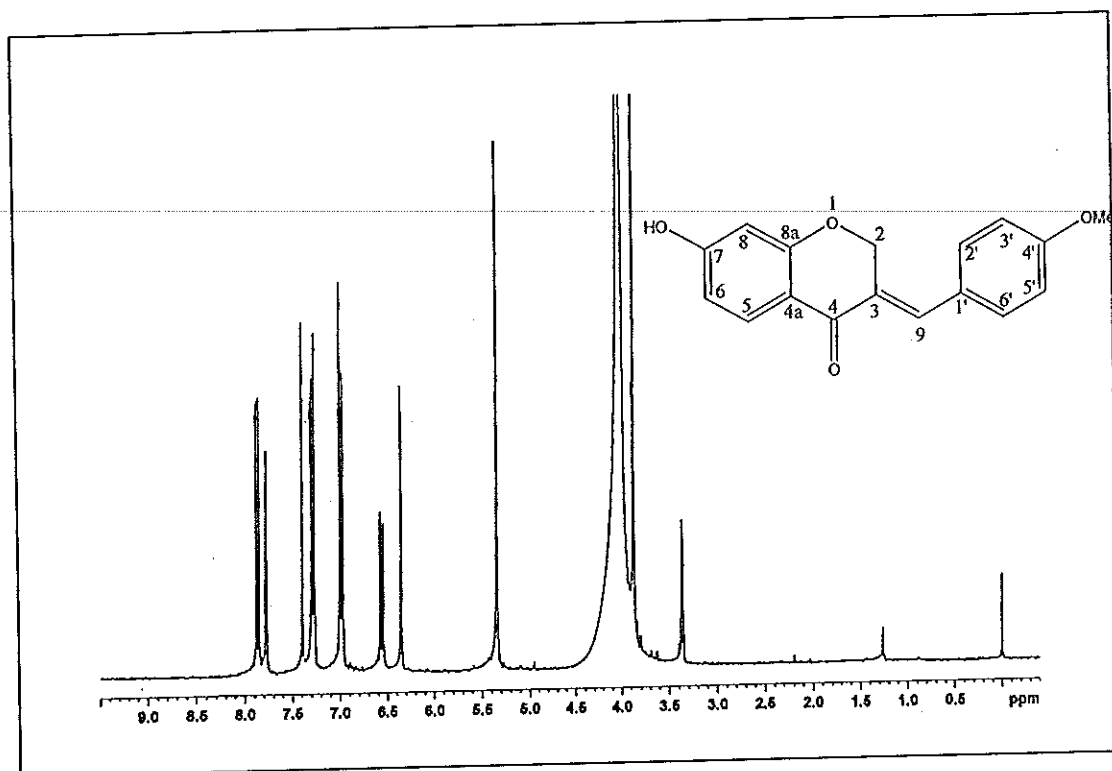


Figure 120 ^1H NMR (300 MHz) ($\text{CDCl}_3 + \text{CD}_3\text{OD}$) spectrum of compound CP14

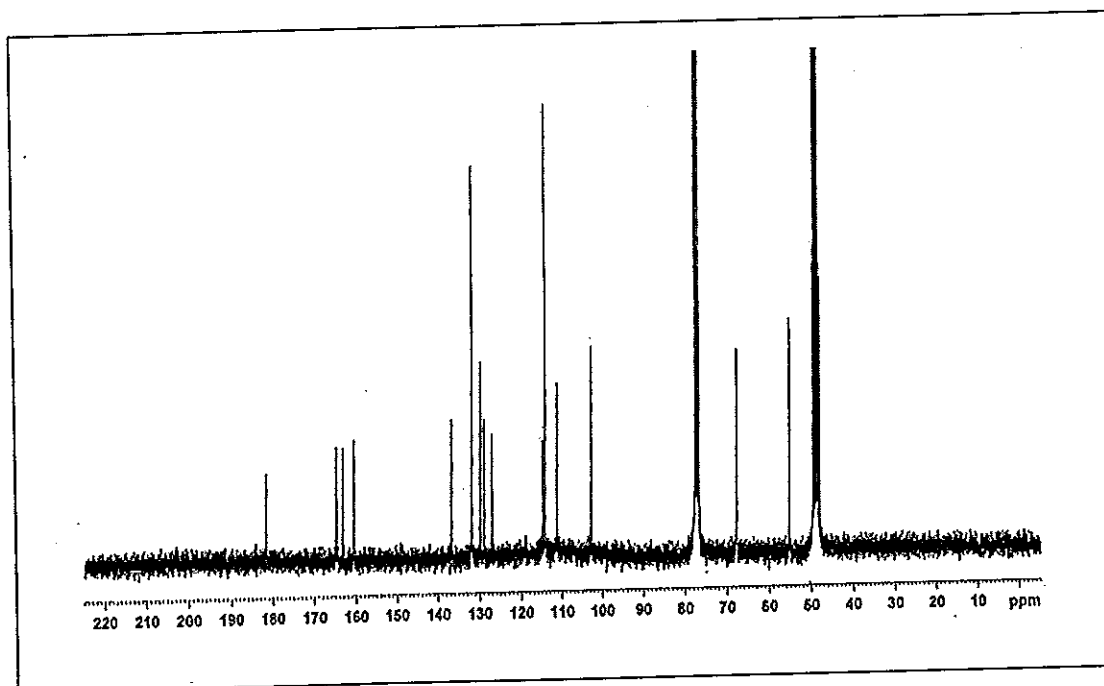


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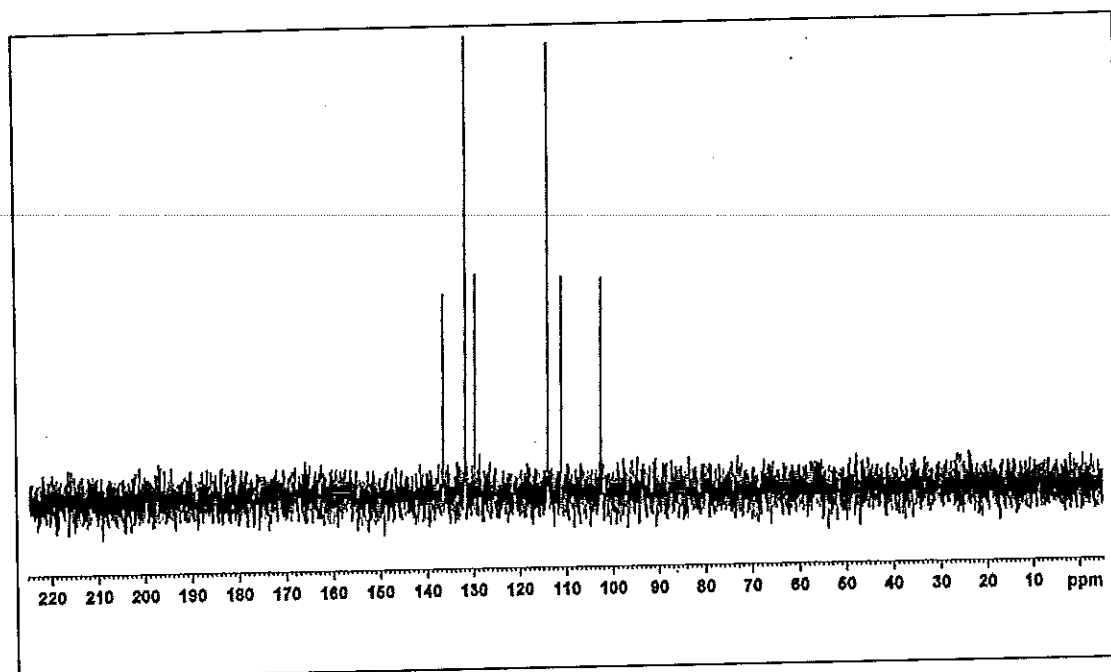


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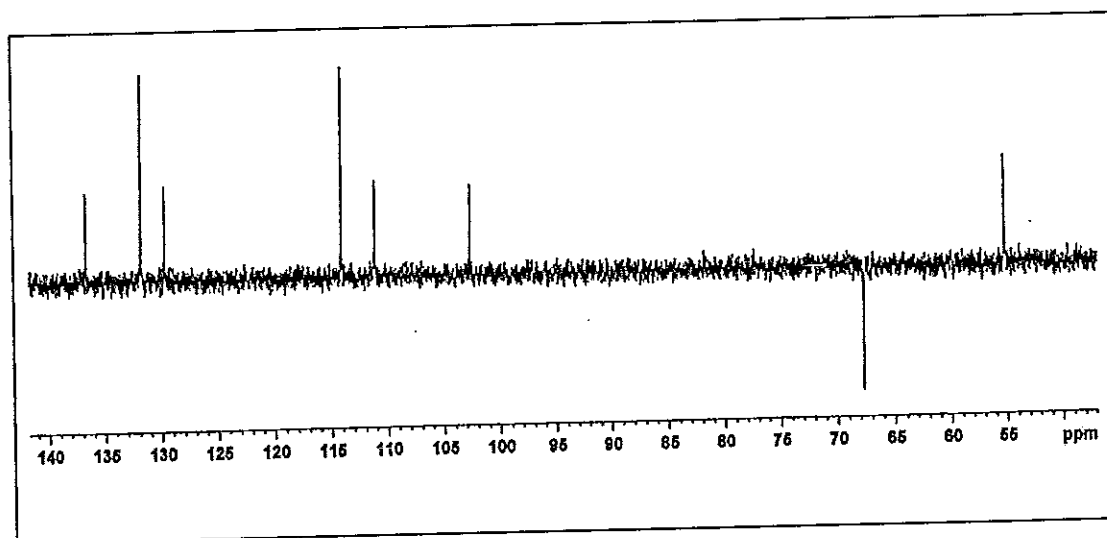


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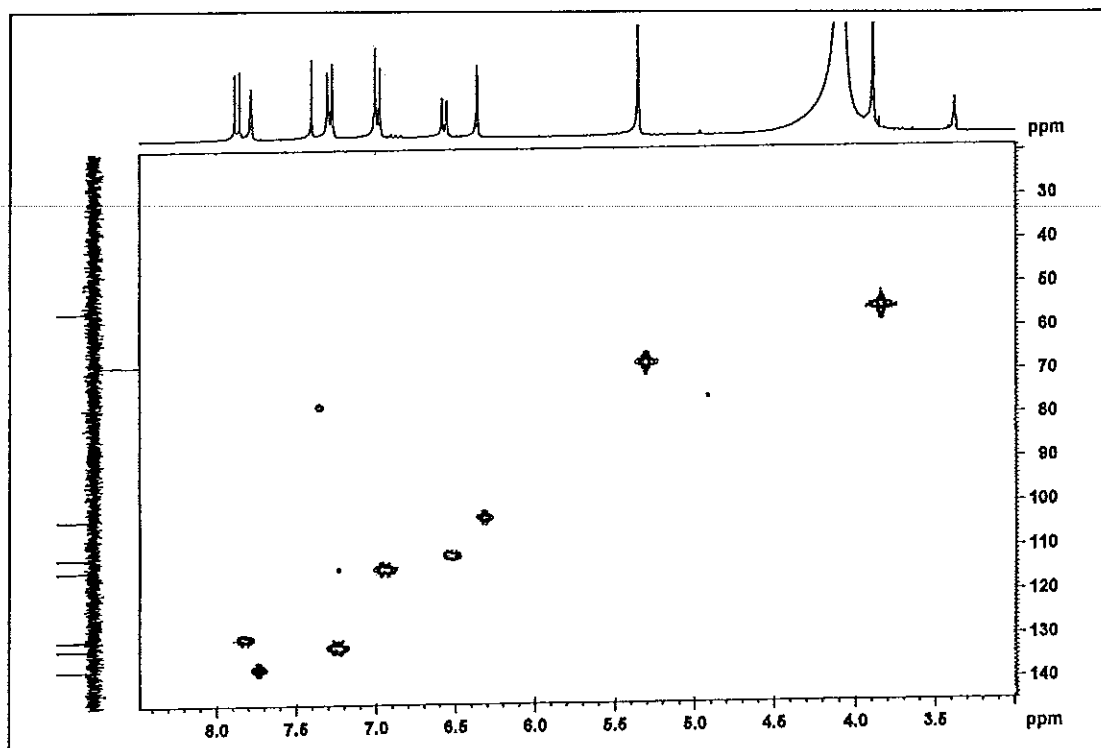


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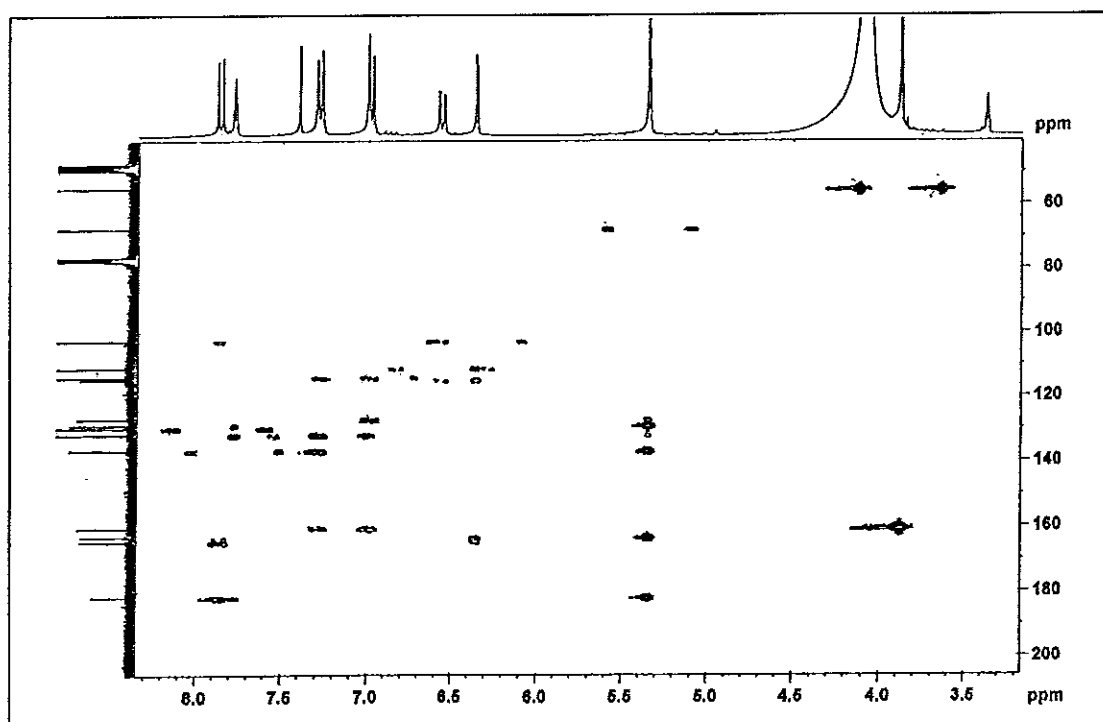


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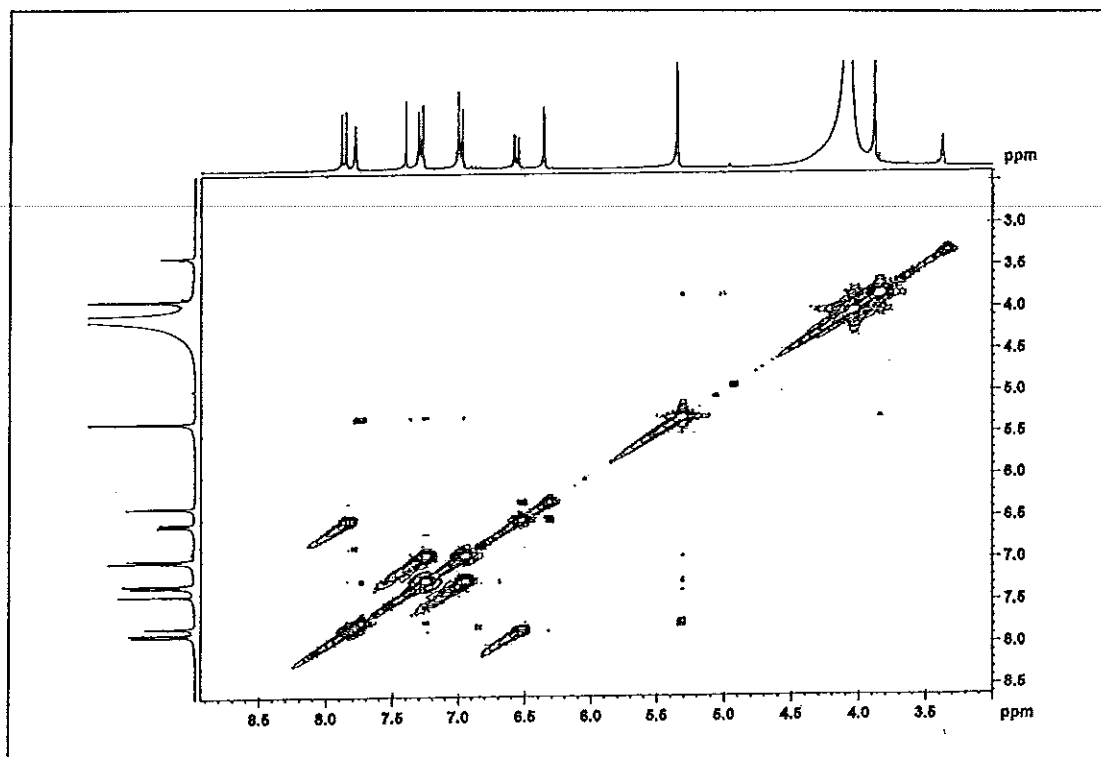


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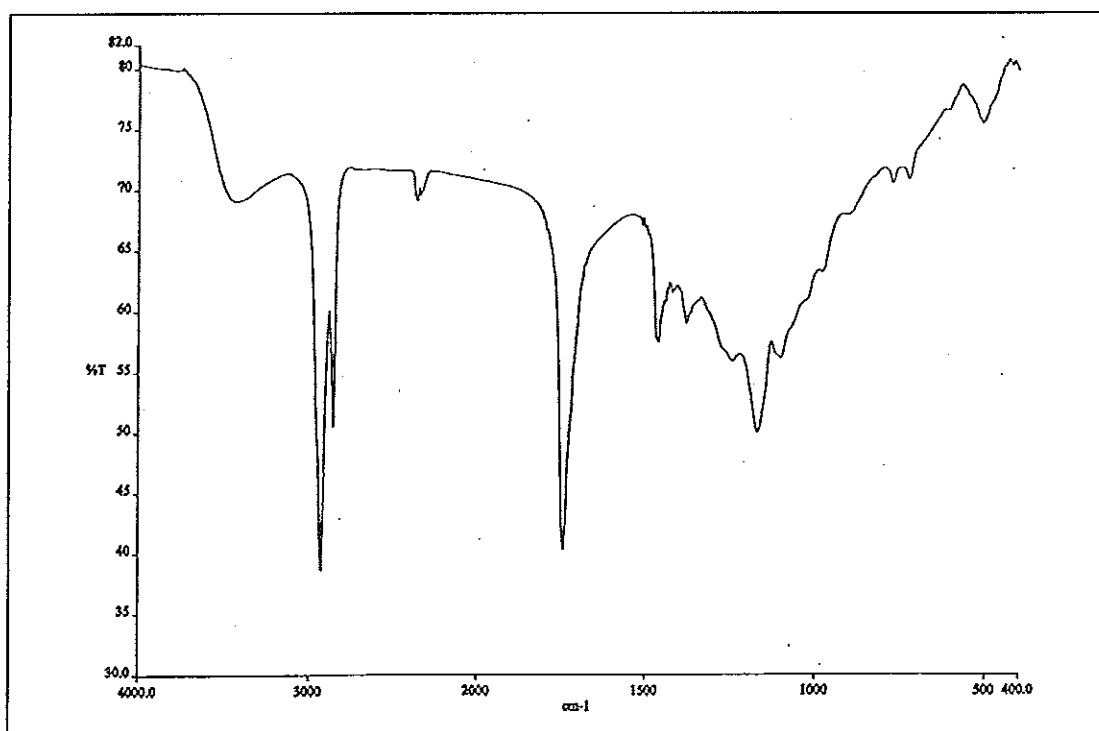


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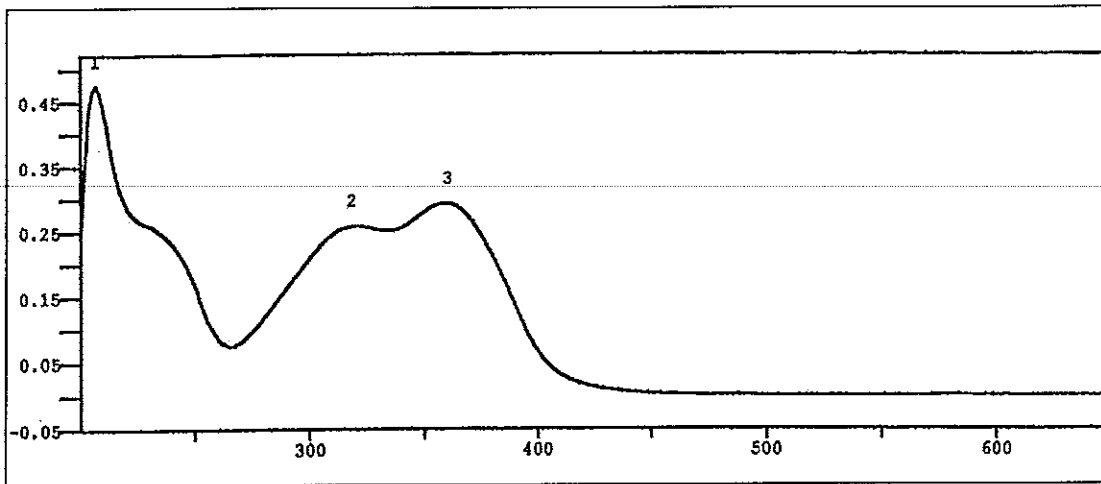


Figure 128 UV (MeOH) spectrum of compound CP14

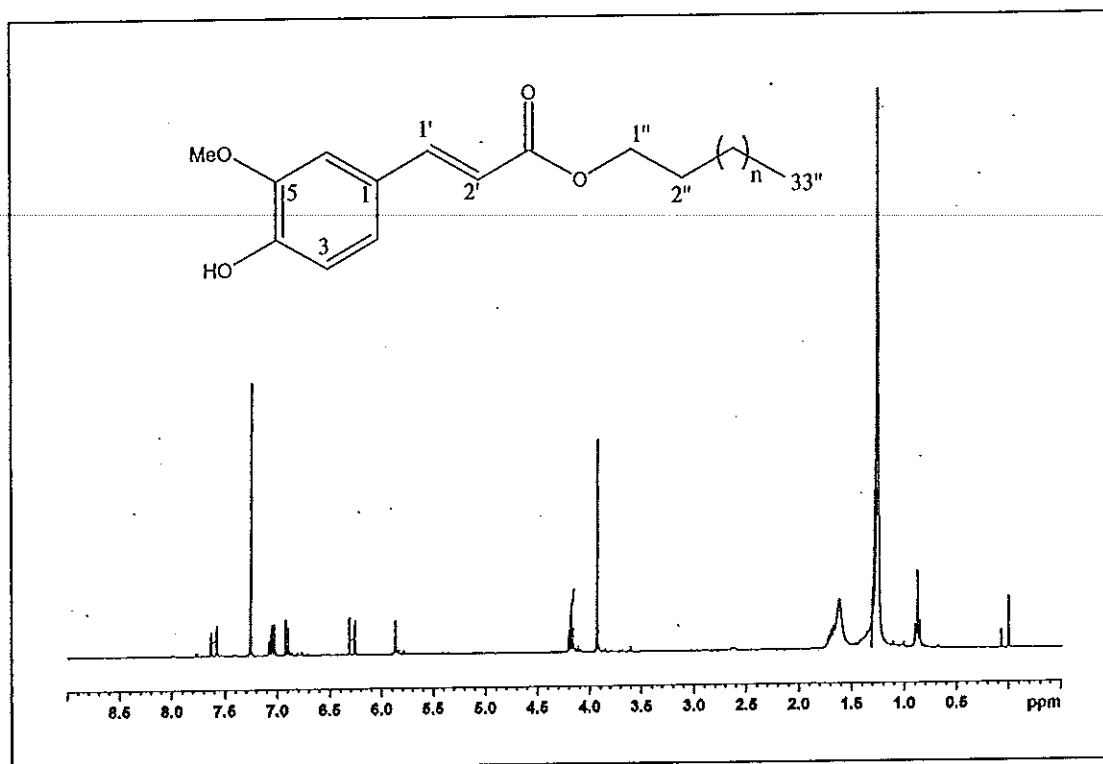


Figure 129 ¹H NMR (300 MHz) (CDCl₃) spectrum of compound CP15

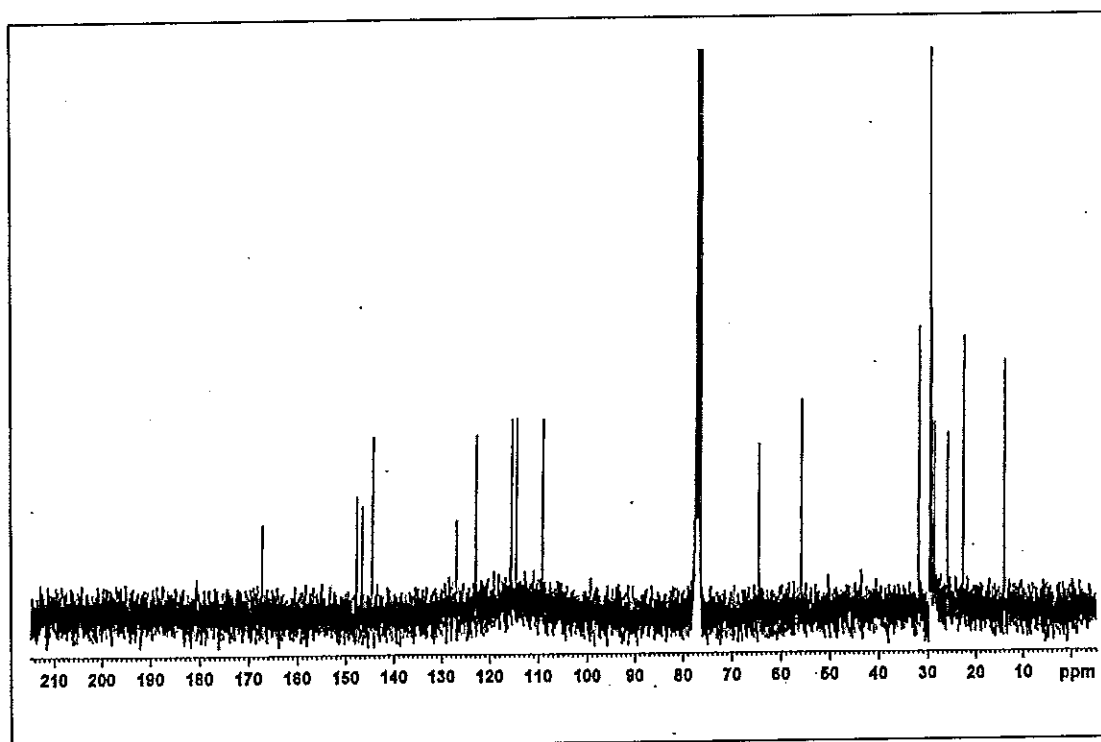


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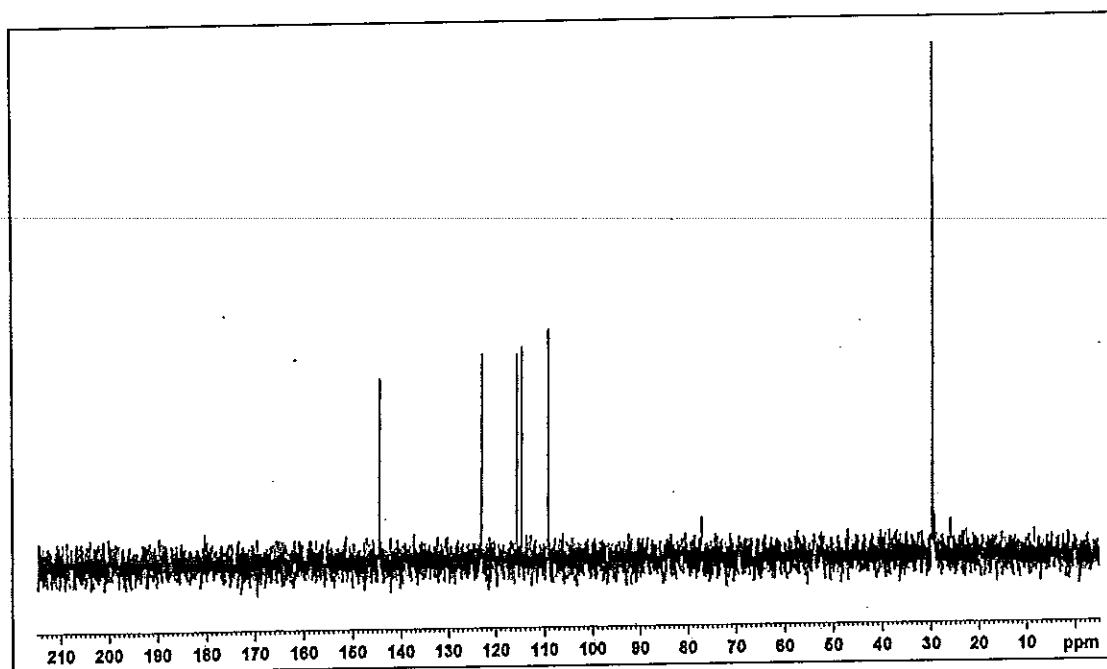


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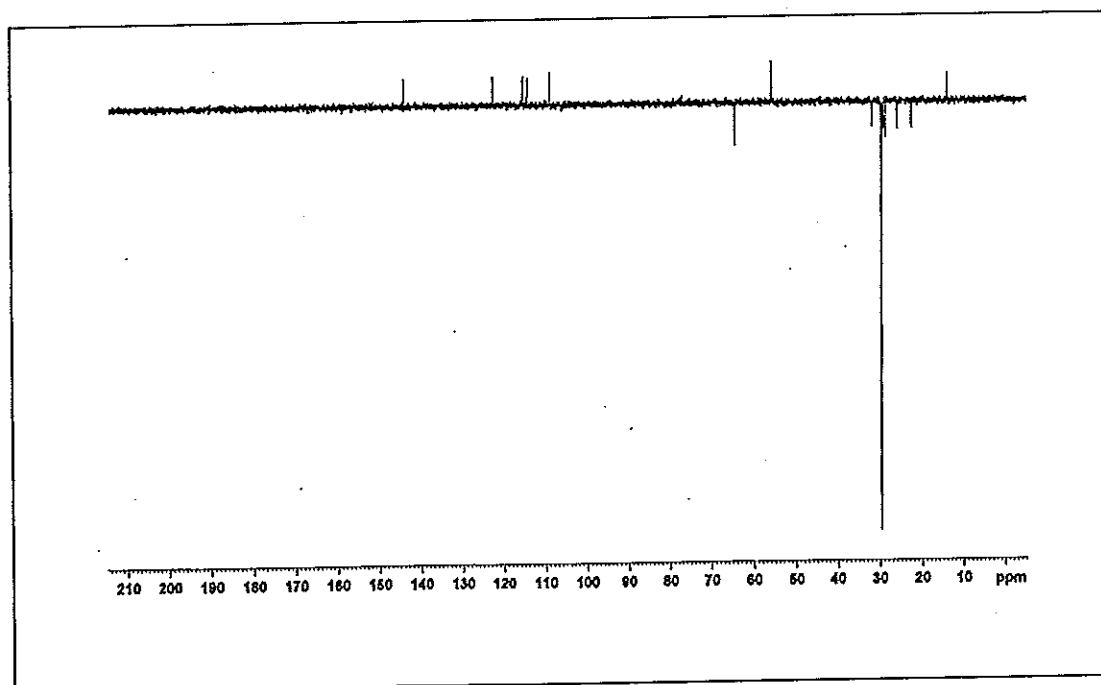


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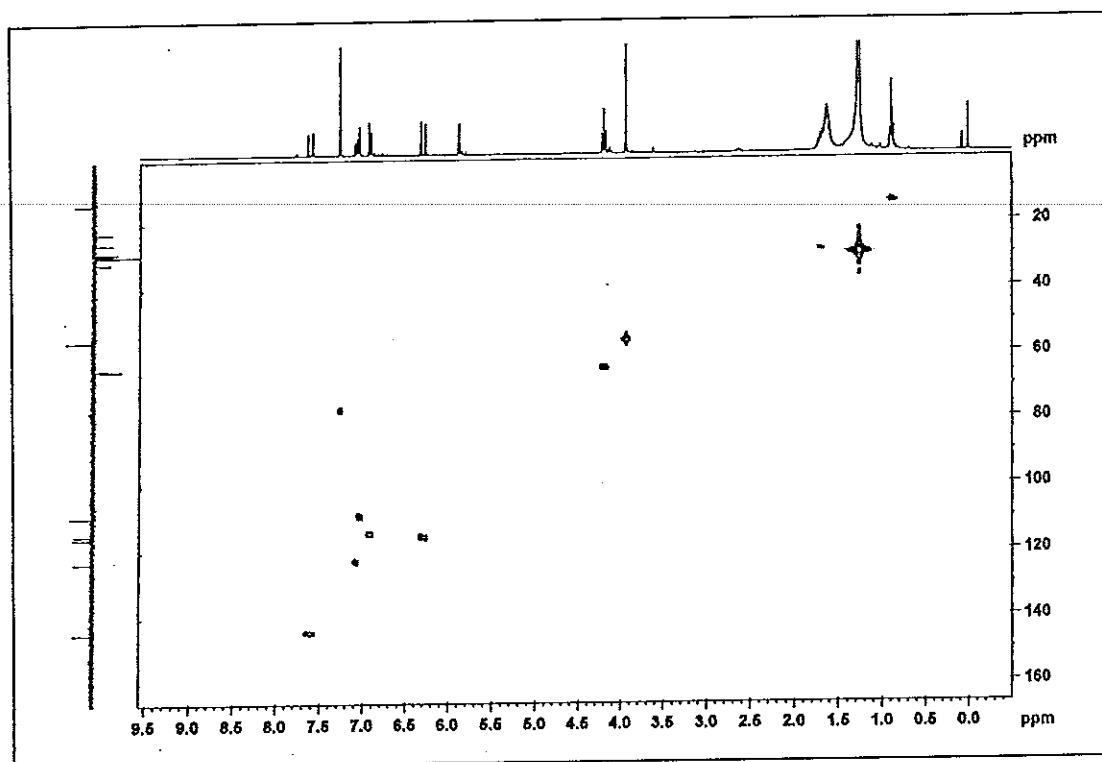


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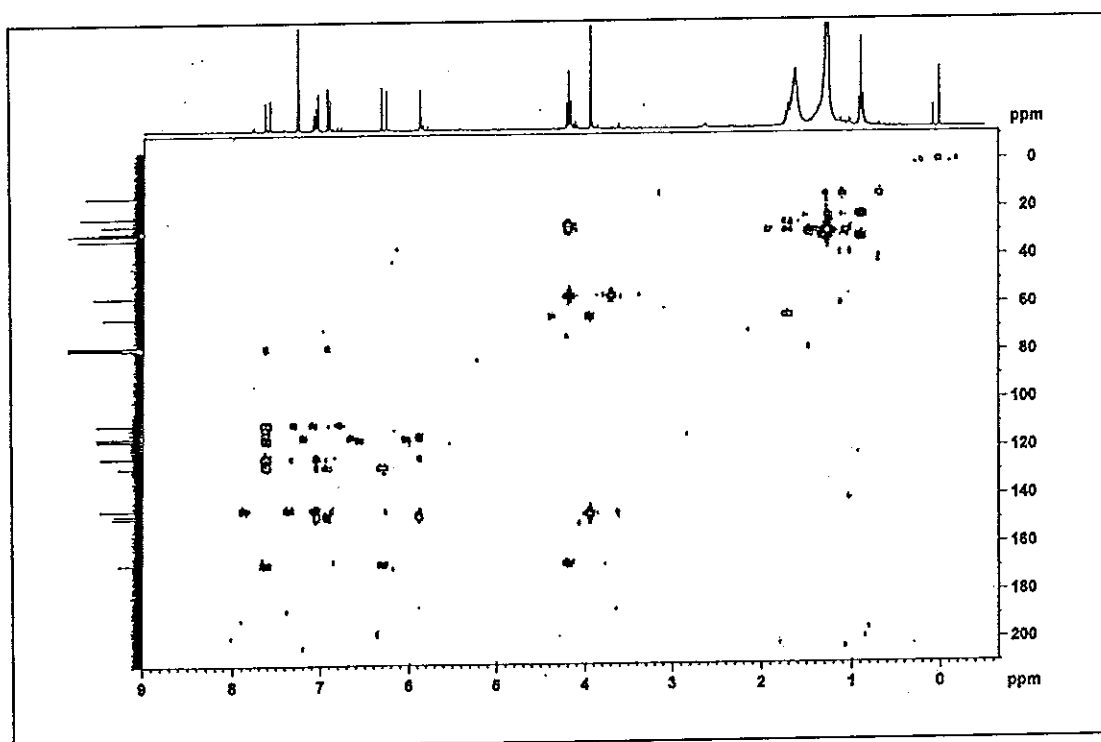


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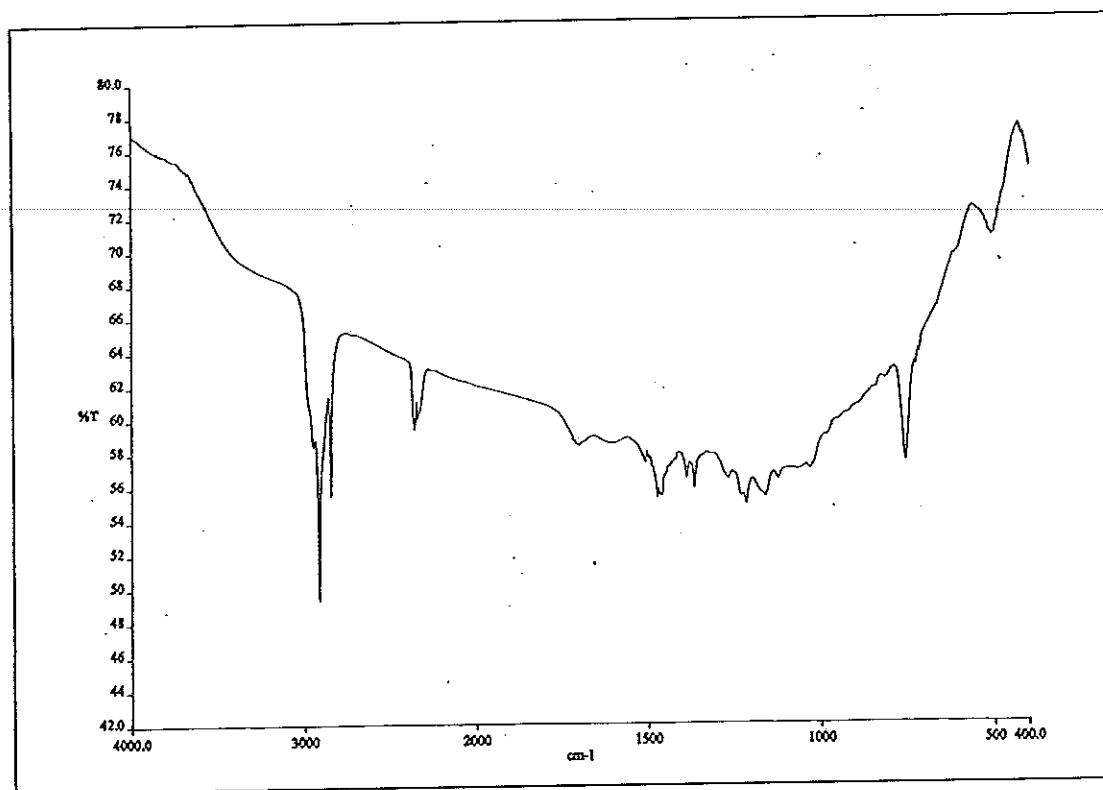


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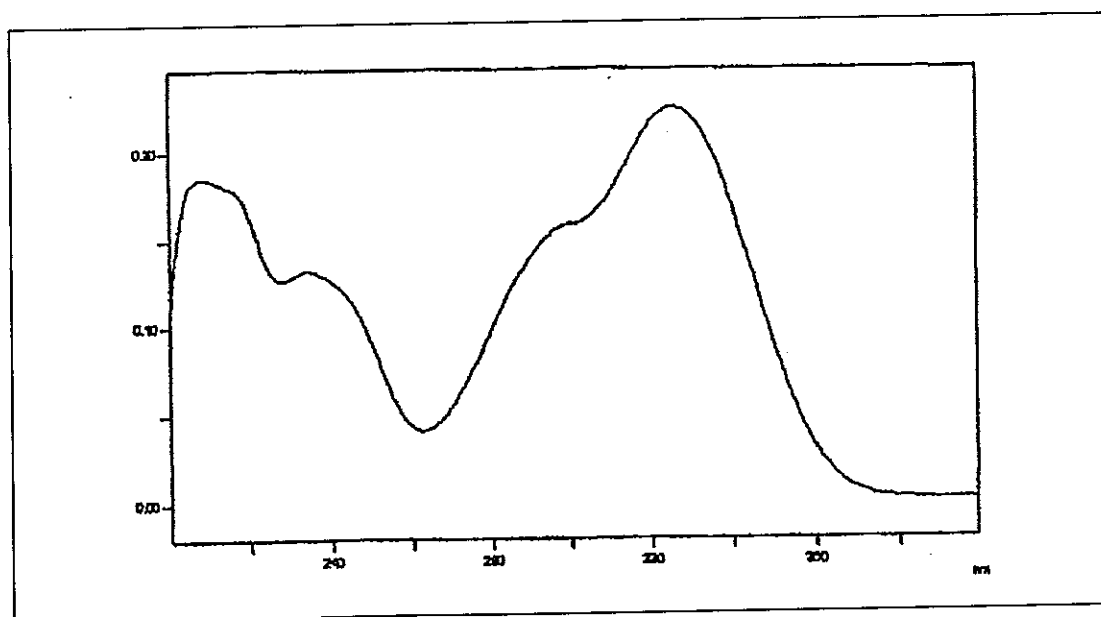


Figure 136 UV (MeOH) spectrum of compound CP15

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