Output from this research work

- 1). Among the isolated compounds from *E. prostrata*, wedelolactone (6) and orobol (5) are responsible for anti-HIV-1 IN activity. This finding also supports the use of *E. prostrata* in AIDS treatment which agrees with its traditional use for treatment of blood-related diseases.
- 2). The present study may support the use in Thai traditional medicine of K. parviflora for treatment of inflammatory-related diseases through the inhibition of NO and PGE₂ releases, but partly due to that of TNF- α .

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