

Supporting Information

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A New Sesquiterpene from *Schisandra sphenanthera*

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TD-DFT calculations ECD of compound 1

Conformational searches carried out on Spartan 14 program (Wavefunction Inc., Irvine, CA, USA). Possible conformations were optimized and subjected to TDDFT calculation on Gaussian 09 program [1]. The calculated ECD spectra were composed after correction based on the Boltzmann distribution of the stable conformers using SpecDis v1.64 software [2]. Particularly, enantiomers **1a-1d** were submitted to conformational searches at ground state with semi-empirical AM1 set. The initial stable conformers (Boltzmann distributions over 1.0%) were optimized by DFT calculations at the B3LYP/6-31G(d,p) basic set and polarizable continuum model (PCM) calculation of the solvent methanol. Optimized conformers were subjected to TD-DFT calculation at the B3LYP/6-31G(d,p) level and methanol as a PCM. The ECD spectra at 30 excited states for each conformer were collected and summed to obtain theoretical ECD spectra of each stereoisomer. Half-band was taken at $\zeta = 0.3$ eV. The calculated ECD spectra of each stereoisomer was obtained and compared with experimental ECD spectra without any UV corrections.

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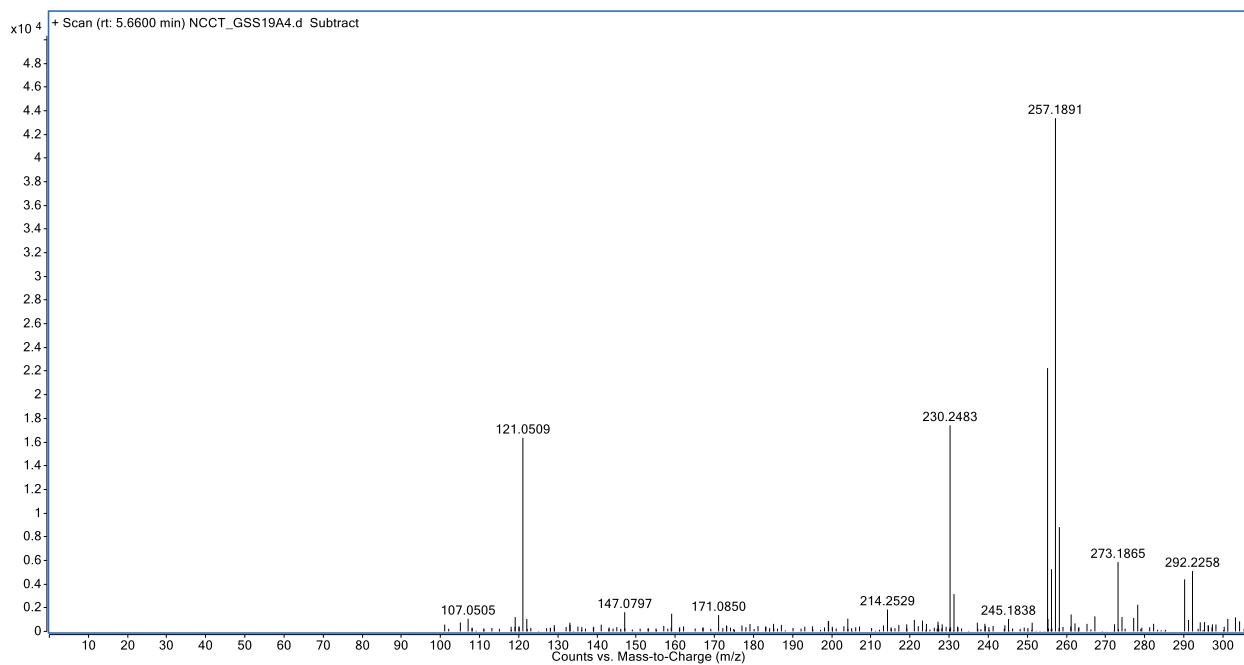


Figure S1: HR-ESI-MS spectrum of compound 1 (Schisandrathera E)

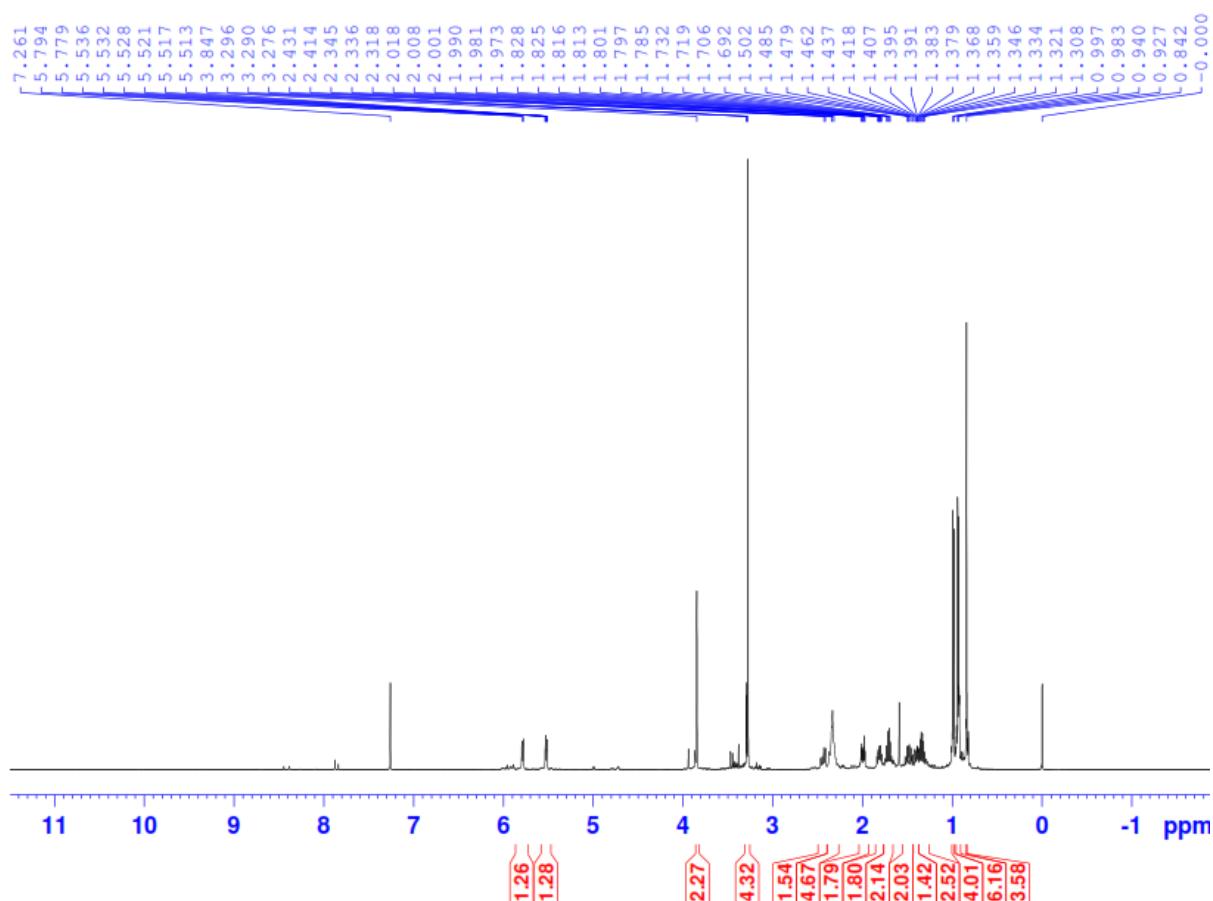


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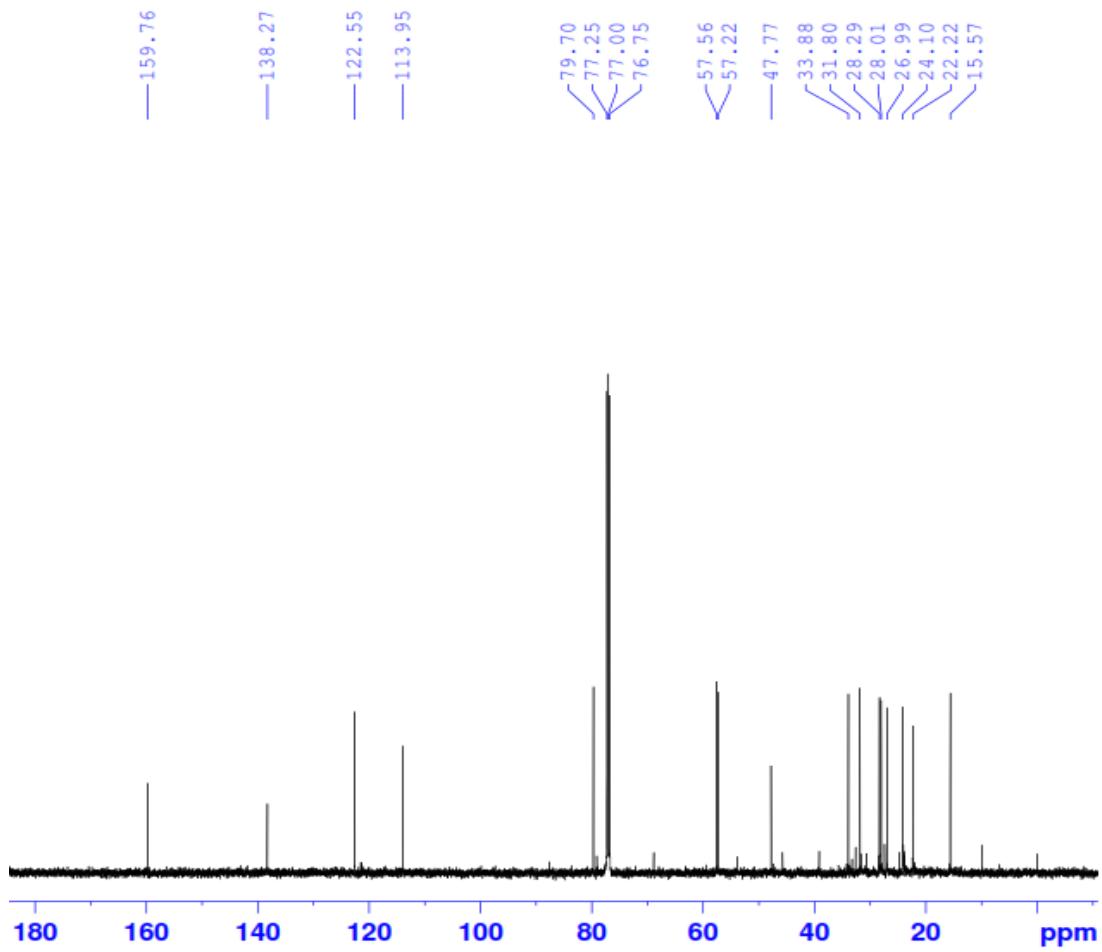


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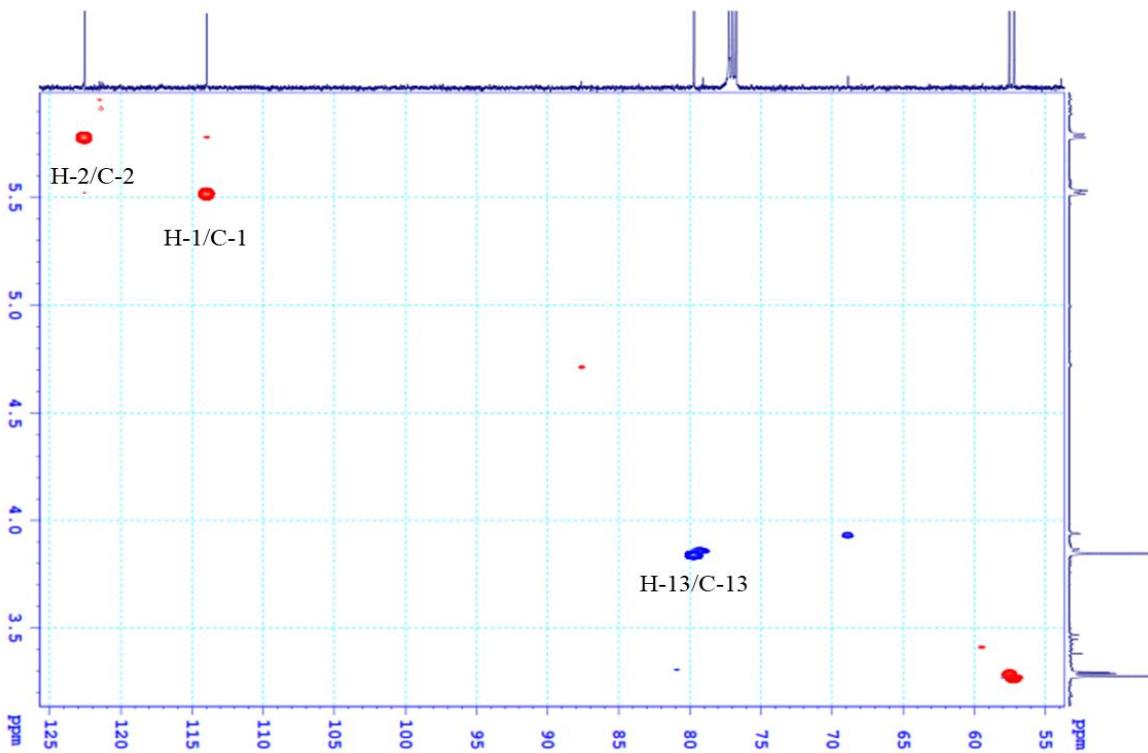


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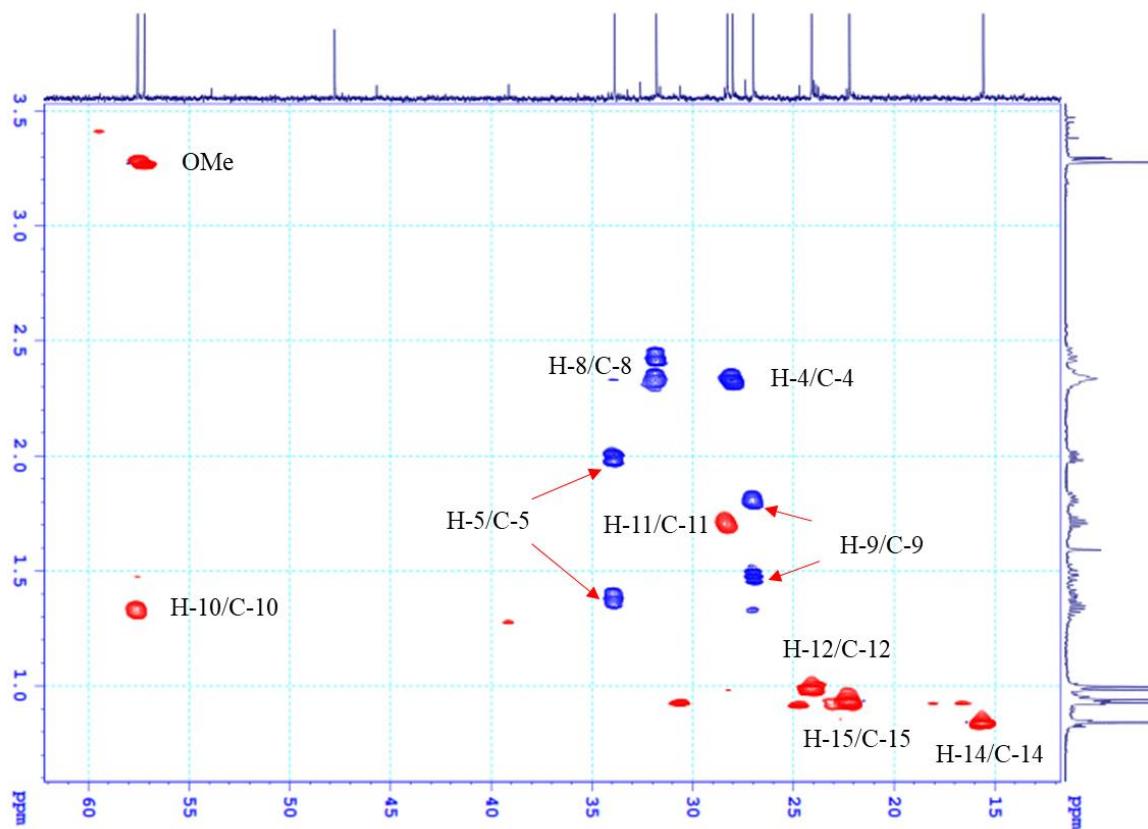


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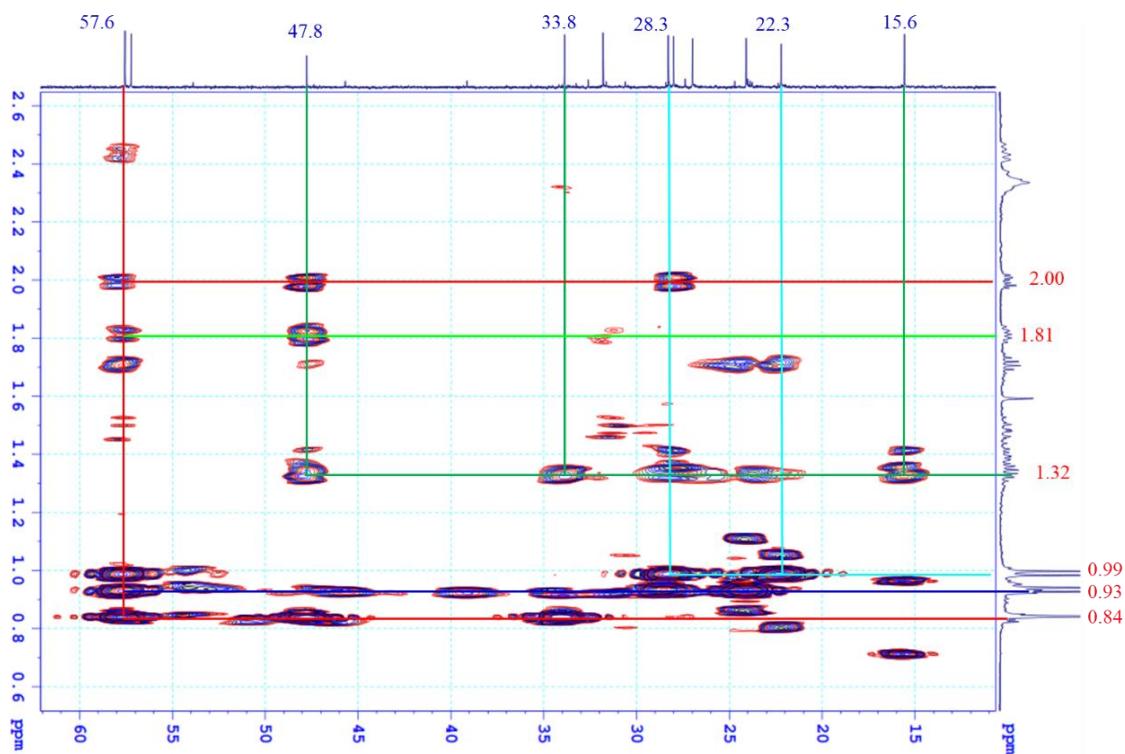


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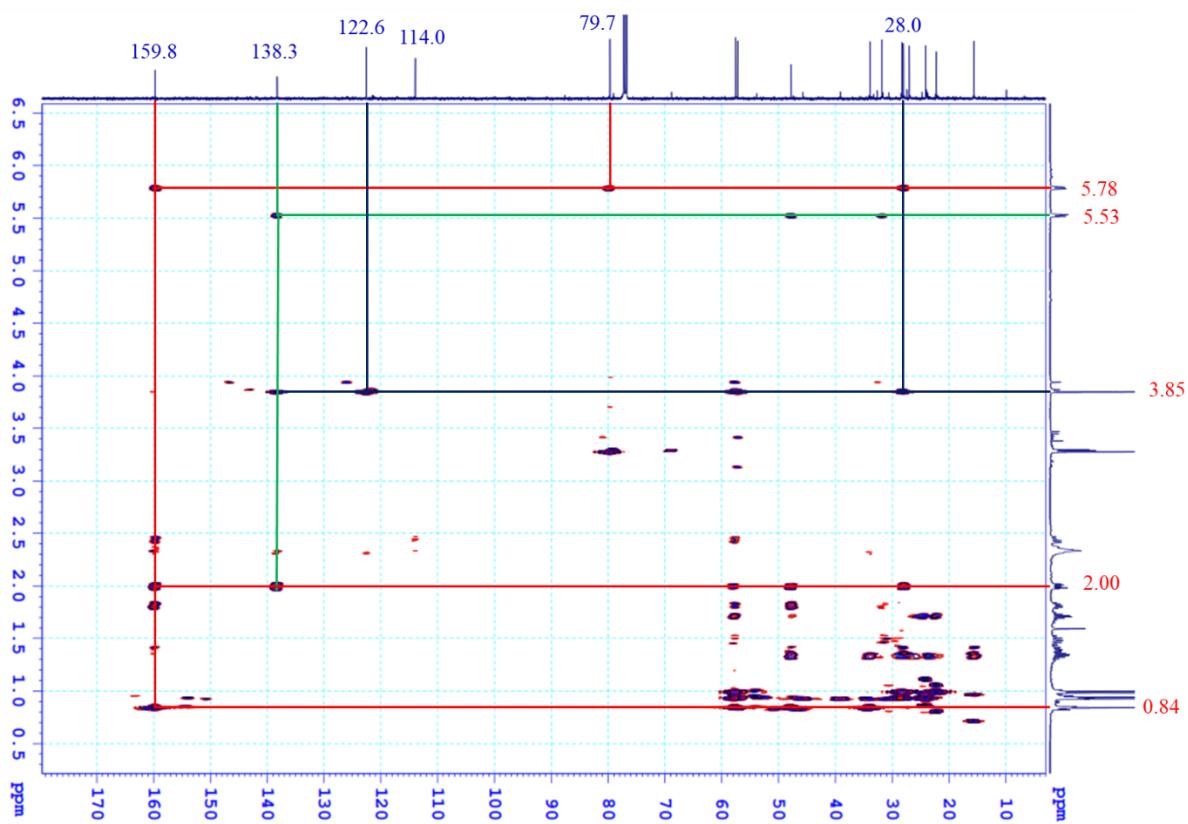


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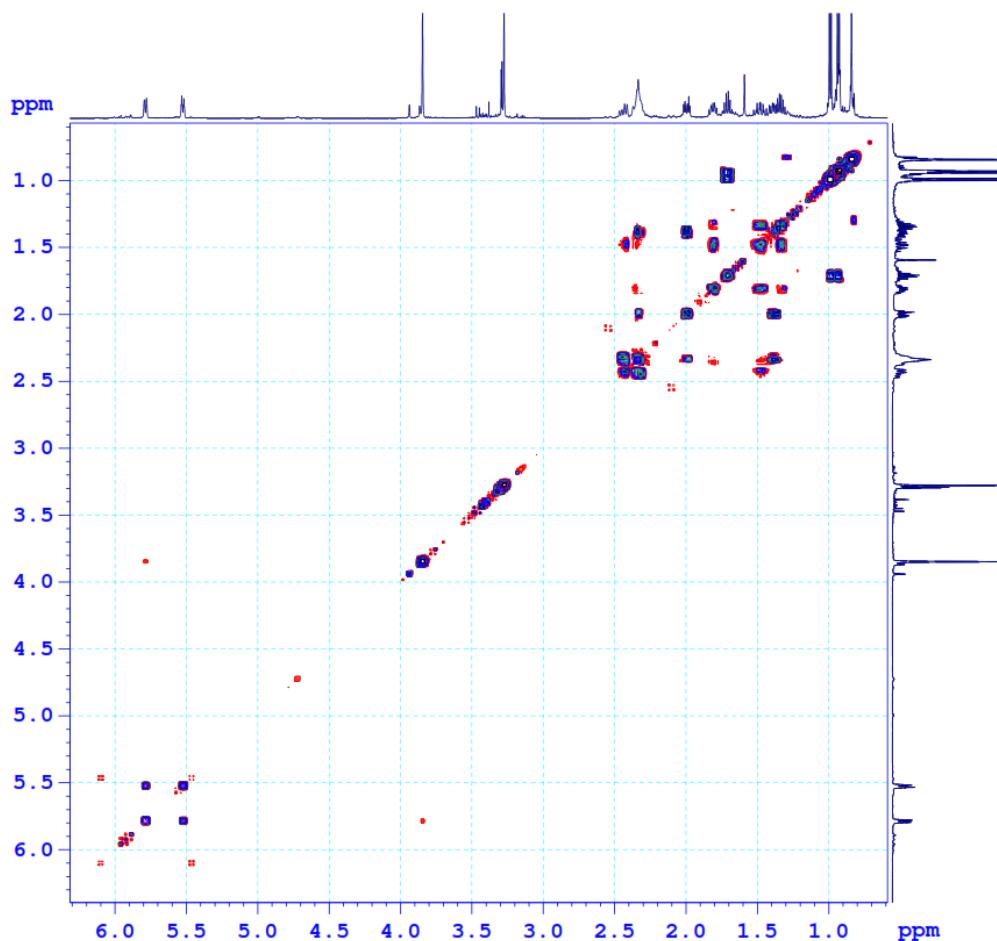


Figure S8: COSY spectrum of compound **1** (Schisandrathera E)

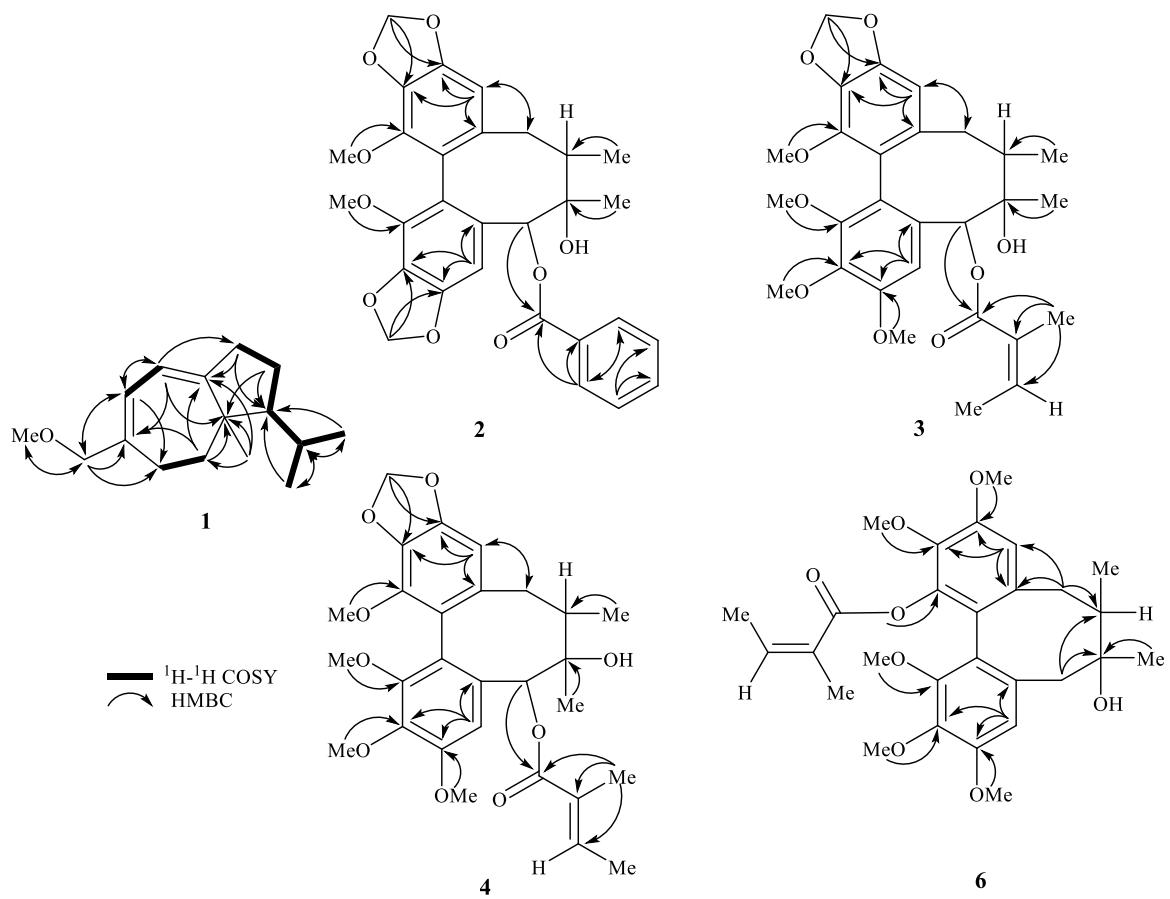


Figure S9: Selected HMBC and COSY correlations in compounds **1**, **2**, **3**, **4**, and **6**.

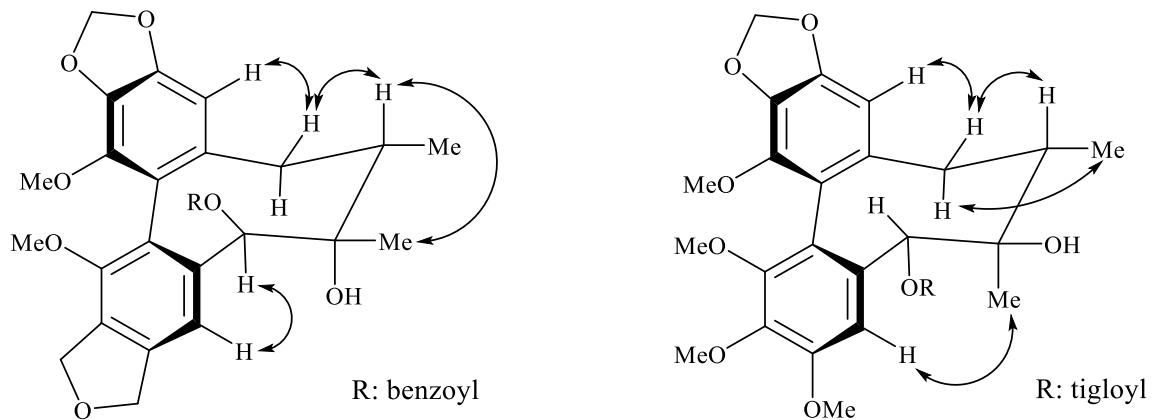


Figure S10: Selected NOESY correlations in compounds **2** and **4**.

Table S1. NMR comparison between compound **1** and Hortonone B

Pos.	^[5] δ_C	^{a,b} δ_C	^{a,c} δ_H (mult., J = Hz)
1	204.5 (C)	113.9 (CH)	5.52 (1H, dt, <i>J</i> = 7.5, 2.0 Hz)
2	126.1 (CH)	122.5 (CH)	5.78 (1H, d, <i>J</i> = 7.5 Hz)
3	159.9 (C)	138.3 (C)	-
4	27.7 (CH ₂)	28.0 (CH ₂)	2.34 (2H, m)
5	40.9 (CH ₂)	33.9 (CH ₂)	2.00 (1H, m) 1.39 (1H, m)
6	48.3 (C)	47.8 (C)	-
7	65.0 (CH)	159.8 (C)	-
8	22.7 (CH ₂)	31.8 (CH ₂)	2.44 (1H, dd, <i>J</i> = 17.5, 8.5 Hz) 2.32 (1H, m)
9	30.0 (CH ₂)	27.0 (CH ₂)	1.81 (1H, m) 1.48 (1H, m)
10	55.1 (CH)	57.6 (CH)	1.32 (1H, m)
11	29.8 (CH)	28.3 (CH)	1.71 (1H, m)
12	23.1 (CH ₃)	24.1 (CH ₃)	0.99 (3H, d, <i>J</i> = 7.0 Hz)
13	66.4 (CH ₂)	79.7 (CH ₂)	3.85 (2H, s)
14	20.9 (CH ₃)	15.6 (CH ₃)	0.84 (3H, s)
15	23.1 (CH ₃)	22.3 (CH ₃)	0.93 (3H, d, <i>J</i> = 7.0 Hz)
OMe		57.2 (CH ₃)	3.28 (3H, s)

Measured in ^aCDCl₃, ^b125 MHz, ^c500 MHz, ^[5]δ_C of hortonone B in CD₂Cl₂ at 600 MHz.

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Table S2. ¹H-NMR data for compounds **2-5**

Pos.	2	3	4	5
	^{a,b} δ_H (mult., J = Hz)			
4	6.78 (s)	6.77 (s)	6.96 (s)	6.53 (s)
6	5.75 (s)	5.61 (s)	5.51 (s)	3.78 (m)
7				1.72 (m)
8	2.07 (m)	1.94 (m)	1.88 (m)	1.84 (m)
9	2.20 (d, 14.0) 2.64 (dd, 10.0, 14.0)	2.14 (d, 14.0) 2.30 (dd, 9.5, 14.0)	2.08 (d, 13.5) 2.23 (dd, 10.0, 13.5)	2.32 (d, 14.0) 1.92 (dd, 10.0, 14.0)
11	6.62 (s)	6.46 (s)	6.58 (s)	6.51 (s)
17	1.23 (d, 7.0)	1.13 (d, 7.0)	1.11 (d, 7.0)	0.87 (d, 7.0)
18	1.36 (s)	1.33 (s)	1.14 (s)	0.90 (d, 7.0)
1-OMe	3.77 (s)	3.55 (s)	3.55 (s)	3.52 (s)
2-OMe		3.90 (s)	3.87 (s)	3.91 (s)
3-OMe		3.90 (s)	3.88 (s)	3.91 (s)
6-OMe				3.02 (s)
13-OMe				3.91 (s)
14-OMe	3.30 (s)	3.73 (s)	3.79 (s)	3.73 (s)
OCH ₂ O	6.02 (brs)	5.86 (d, 1.5) 5.89 (d, 1.5)	5.96 (d, 1.5) 5.97 (d, 1.5)	
OCH ₂ O	5.73 (brs) 5.82 (d, 1.5)			
2'	7.48 (d, 8.0)			
3'	7.40 (t, 8.0)	5.99 (m)	7.00 (m)	
4'	7.60 (t, 8.0)	1.85 (dd, 1.5, 7.0)	1.83 (dd 7.0, 1.5)	
5'	7.40 (t, 8.0)	1.39 (dd, 1.5, 1.5)	1.88 (dd 1.5, 1.5)	
6'	7.48 (d, 8.0)			

Recorded in ^aCD₃OD, ^b500 MHz.

Table S3. ^{13}C -NMR data for compounds **2-5**

Pos.	2		3		4		5	
	$^{[\$]}\delta_{\text{C}}$	$^{[a,c]}\delta_{\text{C}}$	$^{[\#]}\delta_{\text{C}}$	$^{[a,c]}\delta_{\text{C}}$	$^{[{\Delta}]}\delta_{\text{C}}$	$^{[a,c]}\delta_{\text{C}}$	$^{[\ddagger]}\delta_{\text{C}}$	$^{[a,c]}\delta_{\text{C}}$
1	141.6	142.4	152.1	152.1	151.1	152.1	148.9	151.9
2	136.9	137.3	141.8	141.8	141.1	142.8	139.1	141.9
3	148.1	149.1	151.9	151.9	152.3	153.8	148.3	151.4
4	102.4	107.8	110.0	110.0	106.2	107.9	110.0	111.5
5	120.6	122.8	130.6	130.7	133.0	135.3	131.5	133.8
6	84.9	86.6	84.4	84.5	77.6	78.5	89.9	90.5
7	72.2	73.3	72.2	72.3	75.2	75.8	40.1	38.5
8	42.7	44.2	42.5	42.5	46.6	47.9	38.2	36.7
9	36.4	37.3	36.5	36.5	36.7	37.4	39.2	38.3
10	121.4	122.4	135.2	135.2	136.7	138.4	134.8	137.5
11	105.9	103.4	102.7	102.7	103.0	103.9	107.8	109.1
12	148.8	150.3	148.7	148.8	149.4	150.9	145.8	148.6
13	133.9	135.4	134.3	134.3	135.6	136.9	134.8	137.5
14	140.2	141.5	140.6	140.6	141.5	142.3	147.5	150.6
15	135.3	134.3	122.3	122.3	122.9	121.0	119.8	121.7
16	129.1	131.7	121.2	121.3	119.6	124.3	122.0	124.0
17	18.8	19.2	18.9	18.9	17.5	17.4	19.6	17.3
18	28.3	29.0	28.2	28.2	18.8	19.0	19.6	17.3
OMe								
1	*	60.0	60.6	60.6	60.6	61.0	60.6	60.2
2			60.8	60.8	60.9	61.3	61.6	60.9
3			55.9	55.9	55.9	56.6	56.9	56.1
6							56.6	55.8
13							61.4	60.1
14	*	59.0	59.0	59.0	60.2	60.2	60.9	59.9
OCH ₂ O	*	102.5	100.5	100.6	101.0	102.4		
OCH ₂ O		101.7						
1'	129.1	130.8	165.8	165.8	166.6	168.0		
2'	132.8	130.5	127.1	127.1	128.8	130.0		
3'	127.8	129.1	139.8	139.8	137.5	138.6		
4'	129.5	134.3	15.7	15.7	14.4	14.4		
5'	127.8	129.1	19.7	19.7	12.2	12.3		
6'	132.8	130.5						
C=O	164.6	166.3						

Recorded in ^{a)} CD₃OD, ^{c)} 125 MHz, ^{\$} δ of schisantherin D in CDCl₃, [&] δ of schirubrisin B in CDCl₃,
[#] δ of schisantherin B in CDCl₃, ^Δ δ of tigloylgomisin P in CDCl₃, [‡] δ of schisphenin E in CDCl₃.

Table S4. ^1H - and ^{13}C -NMR data for compounds **6-8**

C	6			7			8		
	$^{\text{a},\text{c}}\delta_{\text{C}}$	$^{\text{a},\text{c}}\delta_{\text{C}}$	$^{\text{a},\text{b}}\delta_{\text{H}}$ (mult., $J = \text{Hz}$)	$^{\text{a},\text{c}}\delta_{\text{C}}$	$^{\text{a},\text{b}}\delta_{\text{H}}$ (mult., $J = \text{Hz}$)	$^{\text{a},\text{c}}\delta_{\text{C}}$	$^{\text{a},\text{c}}\delta_{\text{C}}$	$^{\text{a},\text{b}}\delta_{\text{H}}$ (mult., $J = \text{Hz}$)	
1	152.6	152.6	-	151.75	152.6	-	151.3	152.6	-
2	140.4	140.4	-	140.32	141.4	-	139.9	141.1	-
3	151.8	151.8	-	153.09	153.2	-	153.2	154.3	-
4	110.1	110.1	6.56 (s)	107.43	108.8	6.70 (s)	107.3	108.0	6.68 (s)
5	133.1	133.1	-	139.40	140.8	-	139.8	140.8	-
6	40.7	40.7	2.74 (d, 14.0) 2.35 (d, 14.0)	35.82	36.4	2.11 (d, 13.5) 2.48 (d, 13.5)	35.8	36.5	2.09 (d, 13.5) 2.45 (d, 13.5)
7	72.0	72.0	-	41.00	42.3	1.92 (m)	40.9	42.5	1.92 (m)
8	40.9	42.0	1.88 (m)	33.98	35.1	1.80 (m)	33.8	35.2	1.79 (m)
9	34.3	34.3	2.42 (dd, 2.0, 14.5) 2.72 (dd, 8.0, 14.5)	39.37	40.0	2.28 (dd, 10.0, 13.5) 2.65 (dd, 8.0, 13.5)	39.2	40.1	2.28 (dd, 10.0, 13.5) 2.62 (dd, 8.0, 13.5)
10	133.8	133.9	-	134.17	135.6	-	134.3	135.7	-
11	112.8	112.8	6.70 (s)	110.74	112.2	6.69 (s)	107.9	109.0	6.45 (s)
12	151.7	151.7	-	153.09	154.4	-	150.6	152.4	-
13	139.7	139.7	-	139.97	141.1	-	134.0	135.5	-
14	142.3	142.3	-	151.62	152.5	-	146.9	148.8	-
15	122.9	123.3	-	123.62	124.7	-	117.0	118.9	-
16	127.7	122.9	-	122.57	123.6	-	121.3	123.5	-
17	15.9	15.9	0.85 (d, 7.0)	12.88	12.9	1.03 (d, 7.0)	12.8	13.0	1.03 (d, 7.0)
18	29.8	29.9	1.25 (s)	21.99	22.0	0.75 (d, 7.0)	21.7	22.1	0.75 (d, 7.0)
OMe									
1				60.74	61.0	3.49 (s)	61.0	61.2	3.57 (s)
2	60.9	60.9	3.84 (s)	61.17	61.4	3.84 (s)	61.1	61.2	3.83 (s)
3	56.1	56.1	3.91 (s)	56.12	56.5	3.88 (s)	56.0	56.5	3.88 (s)
12	56.1	56.0	3.87 (s)	56.12	56.5	3.88 (s)	55.9	56.3	3.88 (s)
13	60.8	60.8	3.84 (s)	61.17	61.4	3.84 (s)	61.0	61.2	3.84 (s)
14	60.6	60.6	3.55 (s)	60.74	61.0	3.49 (s)			
Ang									
1'	165.7	165.7	-						
2'	138.2	127.7	-						
3'	137.2	137.2	5.88 (m)						
4'	15.3	15.3	1.76 (dq, 7.2, 1.0)						
5'	20.3	20.3	1.76 (s)						

Measured in ^a) CD_3OD , ^b) 500 MHz, ^c) 125 MHz, ^e δ_{C} of angeoylgomisin H in CDCl_3 , ^θ δ_{C} of (+)-deoxyschizandrin in CDCl_3 , ^μ δ_{C} of (+)-gomisin K₃ in CDCl_3 ,

Table S5. Cytotoxic effect of compounds **1-8** toward PC3 and MCF7 cell lines

Compounds	Cell viability (%) at 30μM	
	PC3	MCF7
1	49.40 ± 0.46	29.80 ± 0.27
2	84.50 ± 0.78	45.20 ± 0.41
3	75.80 ± 0.70	62.10 ± 0.56
4	95.00 ± 0.97	83.60 ± 0.75
5	89.30 ± 0.82	74.30 ± 0.67
6	98.00 ± 1.05	74.60 ± 0.67
7	78.00 ± 0.72	35.50 ± 0.32
8	76.00 ± 0.70	31.60 ± 0.28
Capecitabine*	22.00 ± 0.92	17.00 ± 0.90

*Positive control

Table S6. IC₅₀ of compounds **1, 7-8** against PC3 and MCF7 cell lines

Compounds	IC ₅₀ (μM)	
	PC3	MCF7
1	22.60 ± 0.48	7.80 ± 0.30
7	34.00 ± 0.20	8.30 ± 0.01
8	39.30 ± 0.50	22.20 ± 1.60
Capecitabine*	11.2 ± 1.44	7.17 ± 3.93

*Positive control