

Phytoconstituents from *Turraea obtusifolia* and their antiplasmodial activity

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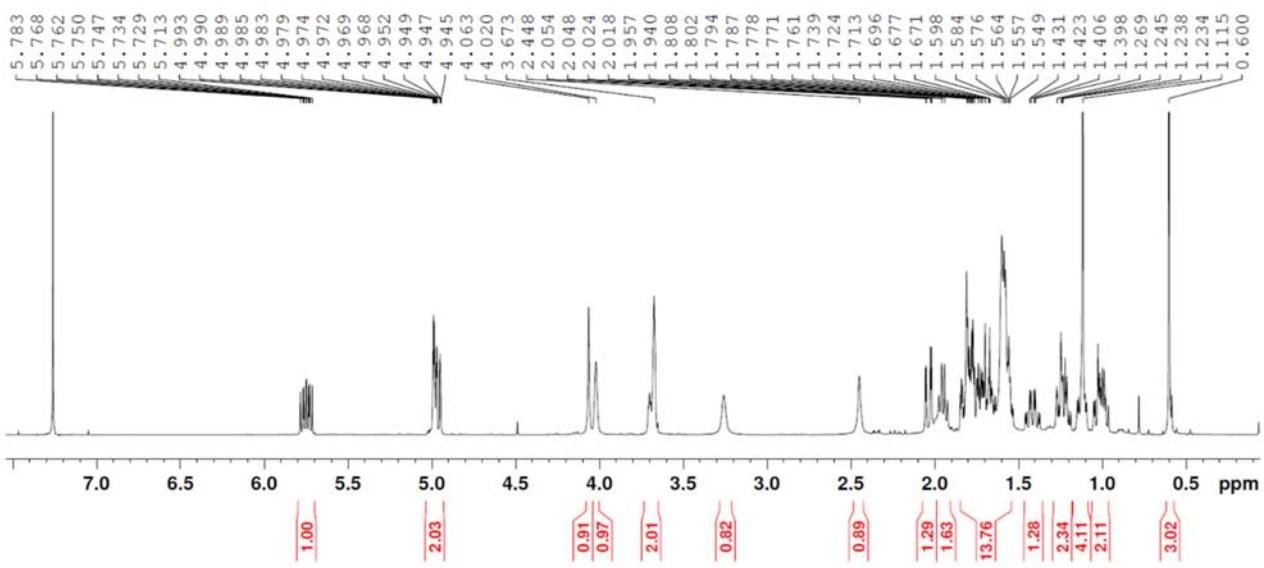


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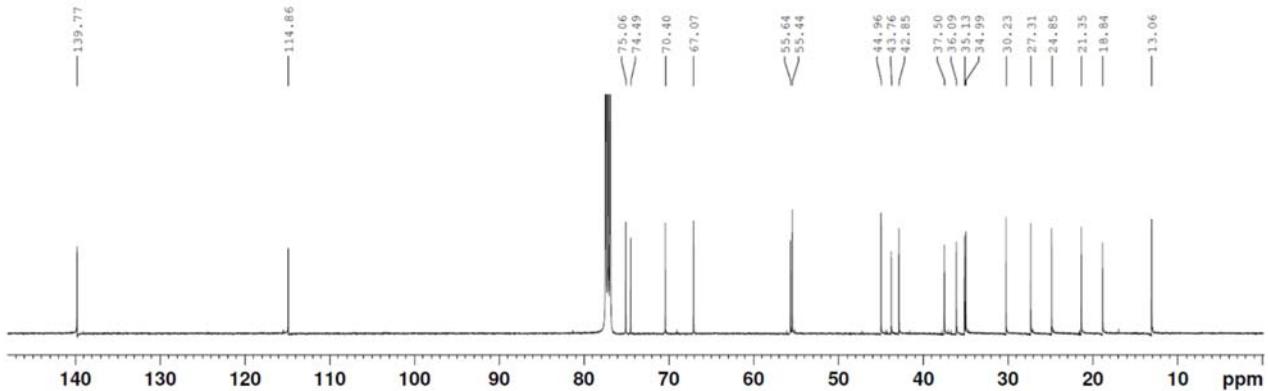


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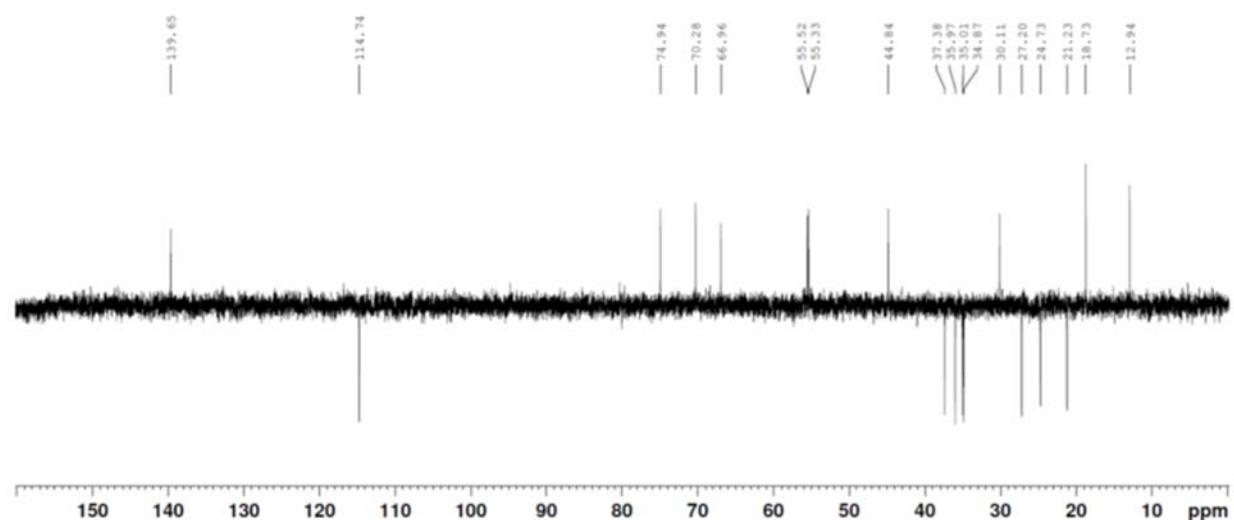


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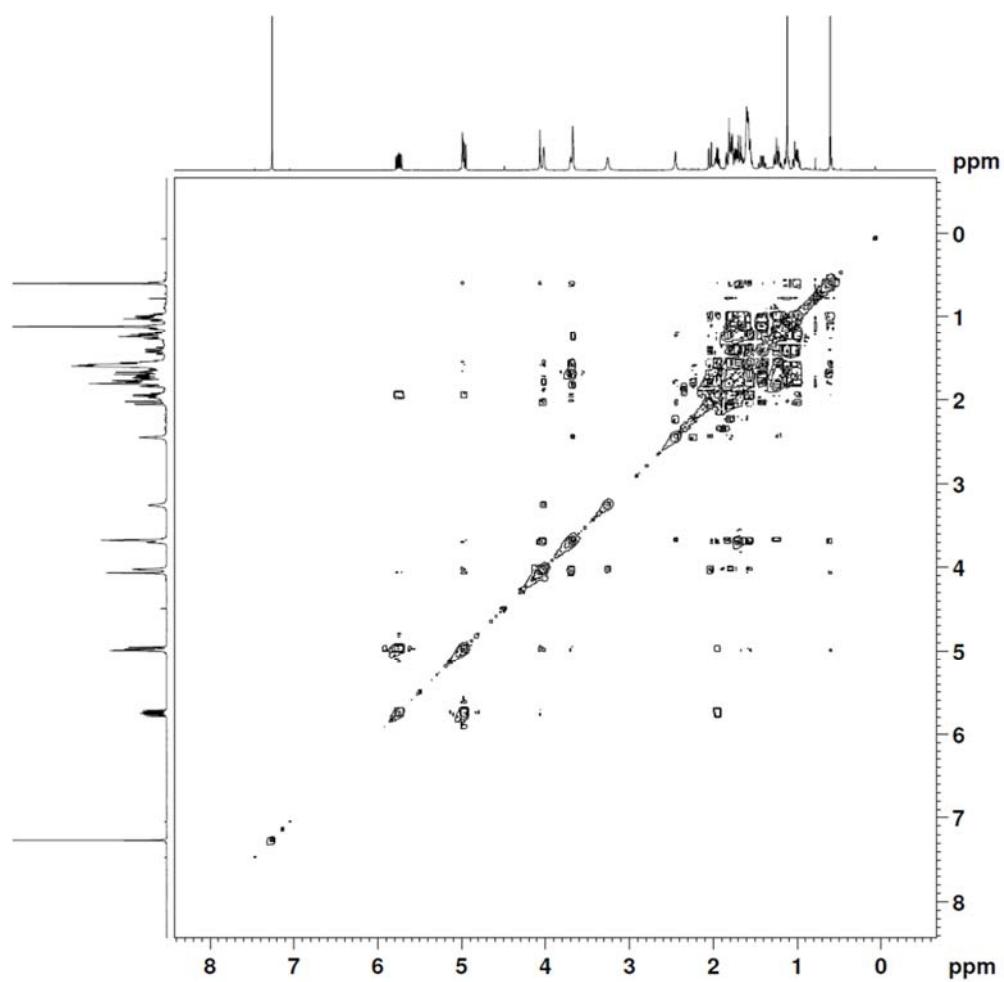


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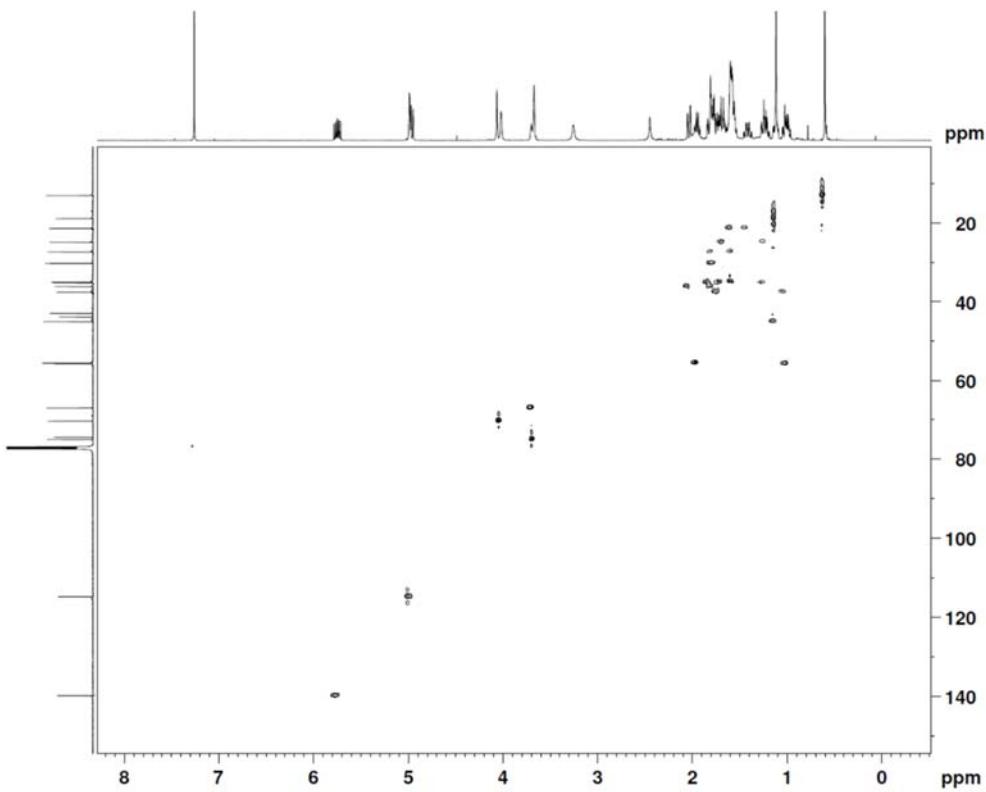


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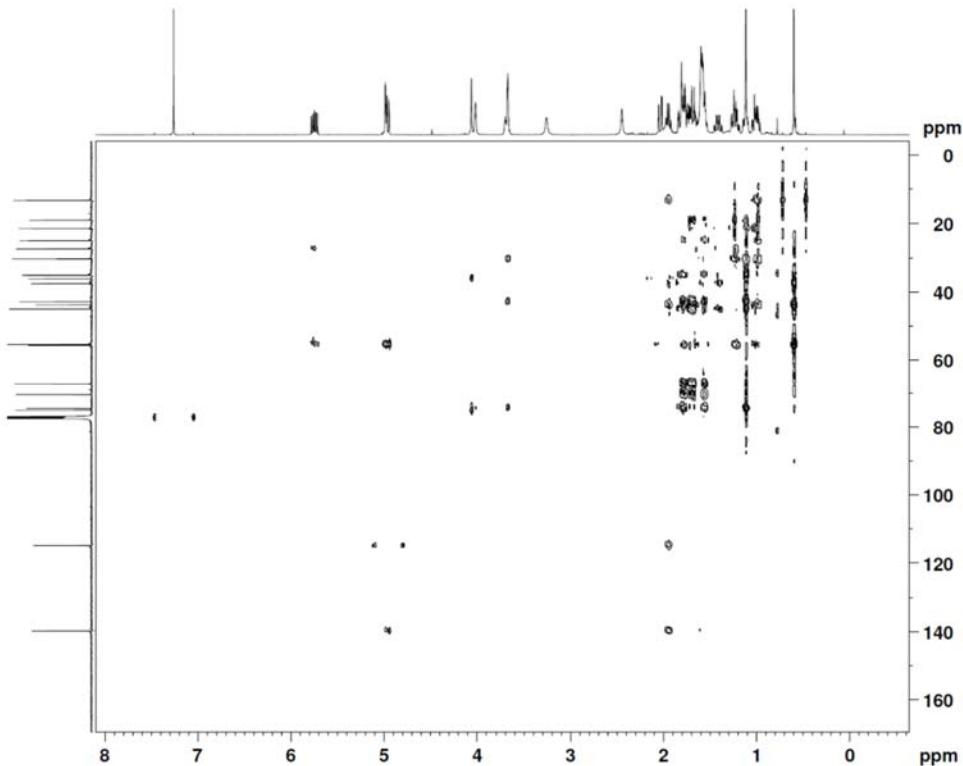


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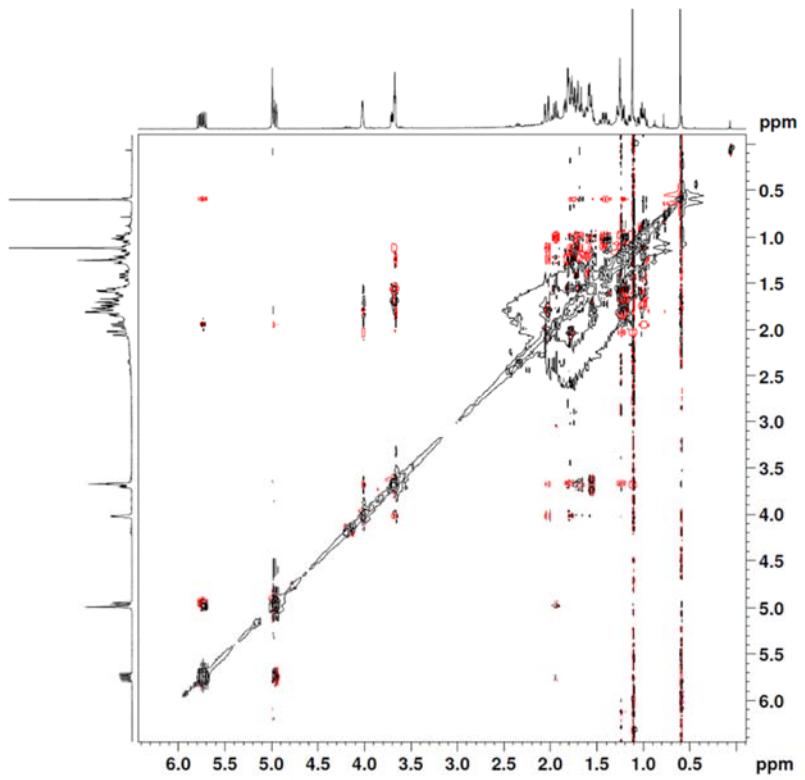


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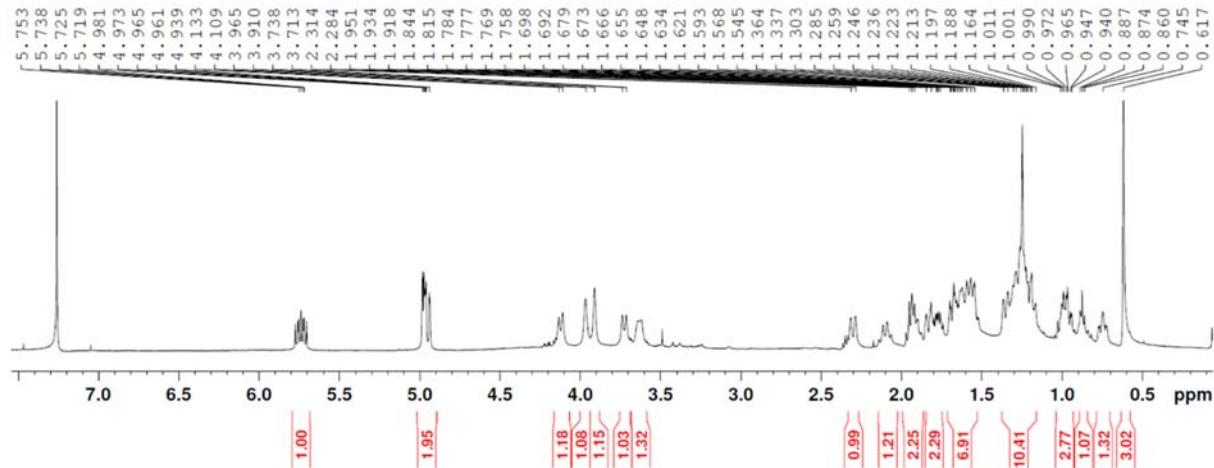


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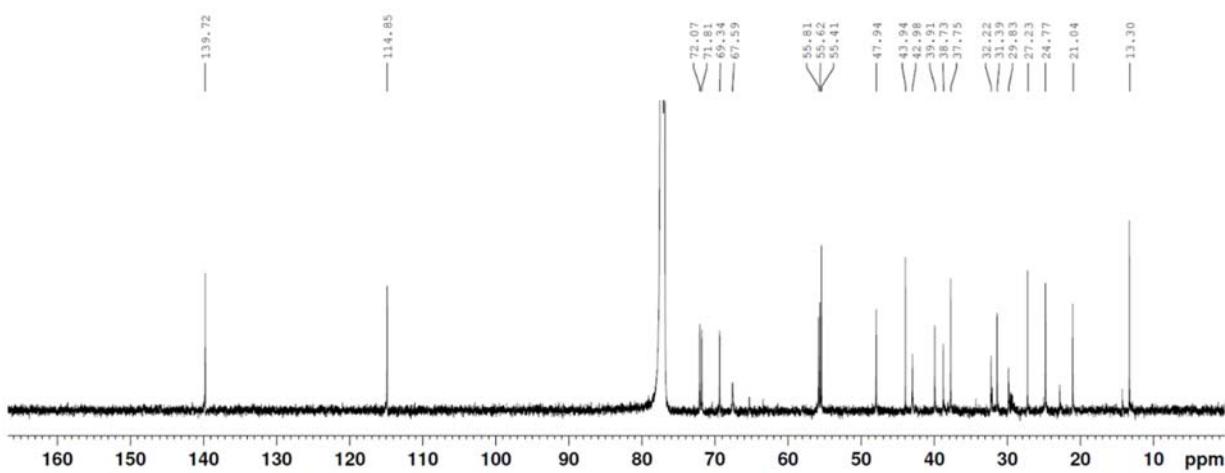


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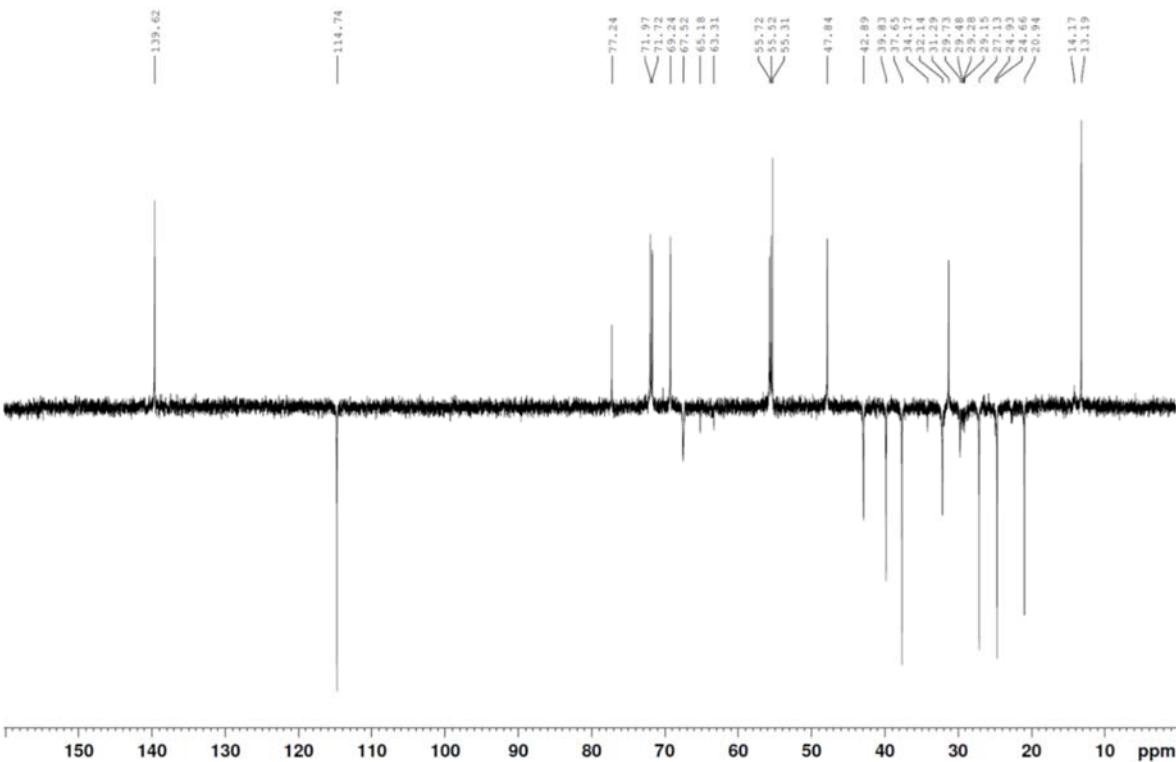


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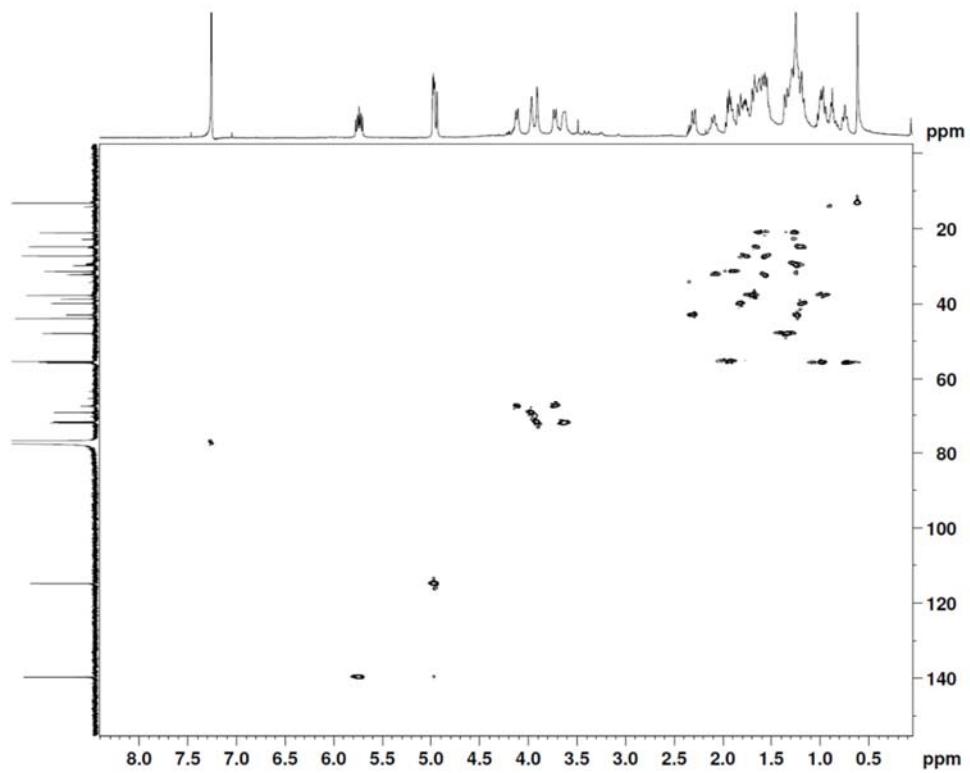


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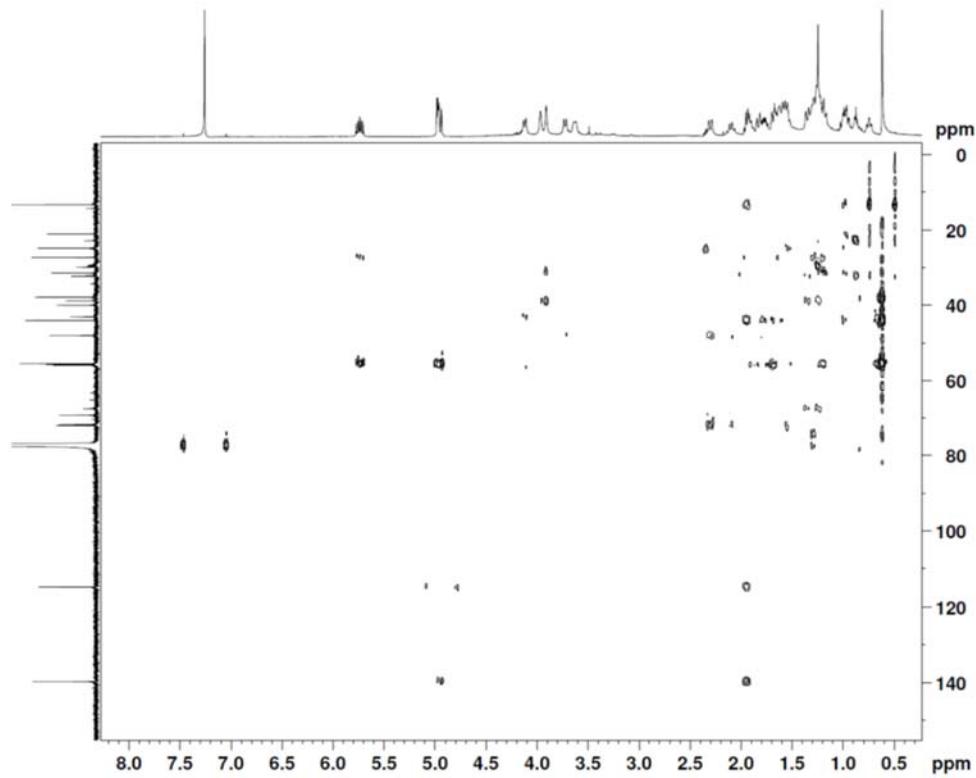


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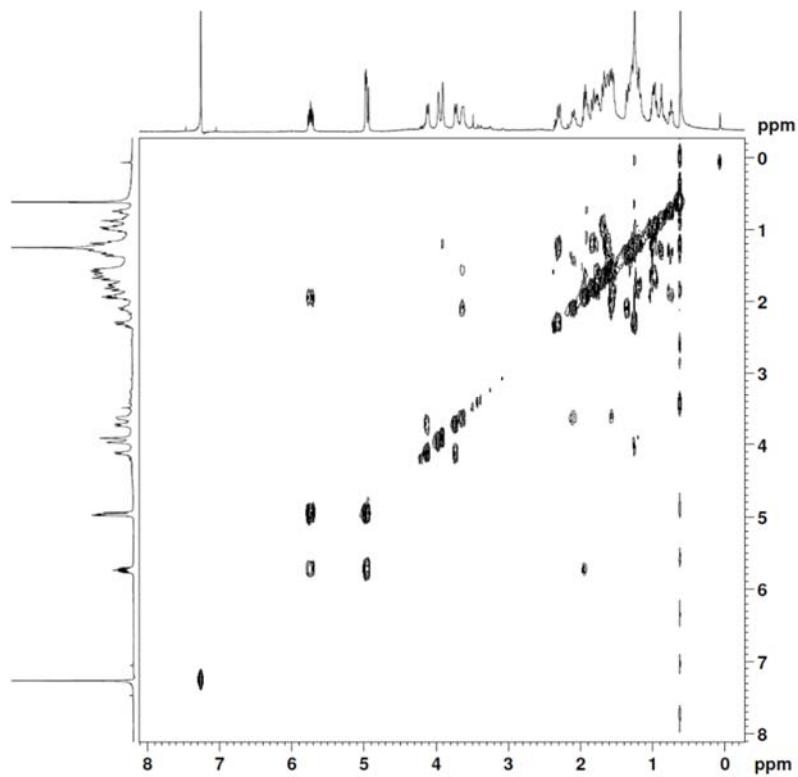


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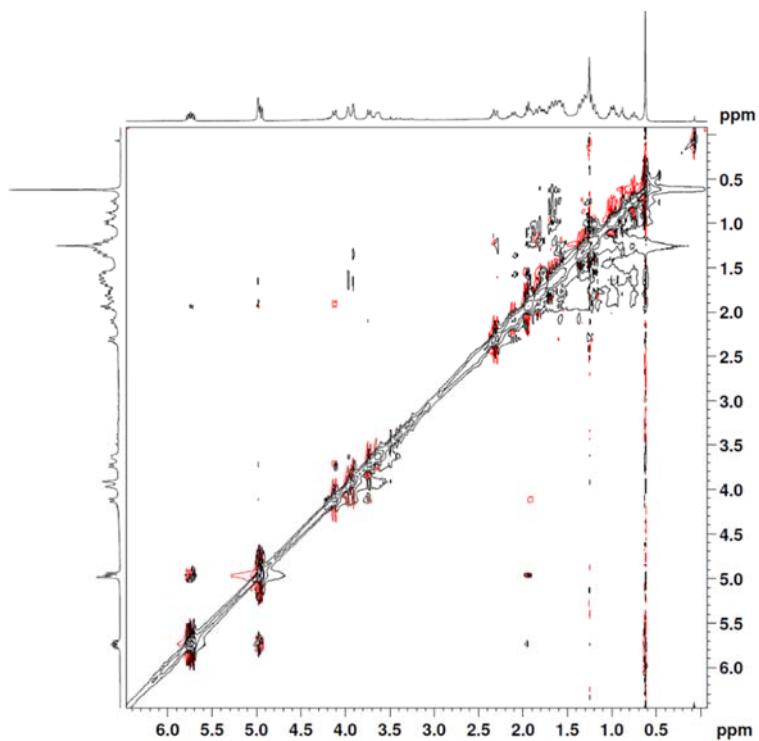
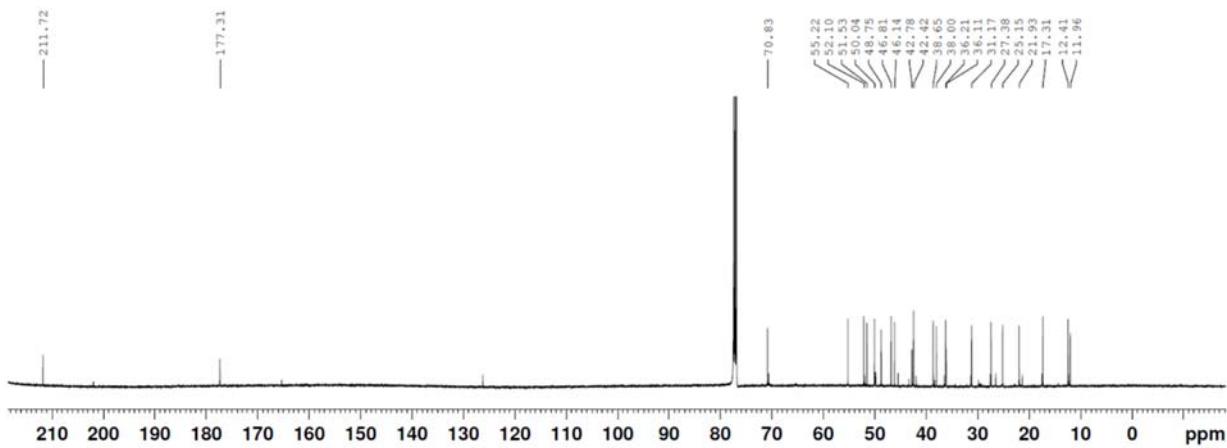
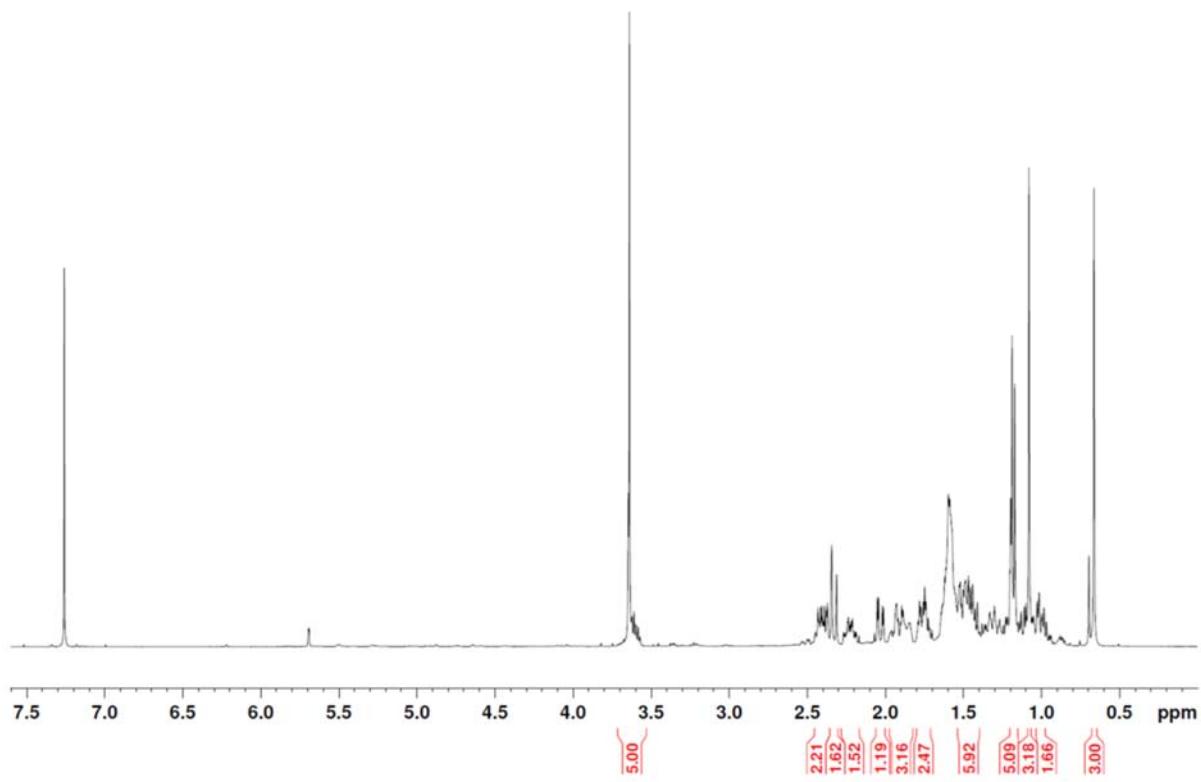


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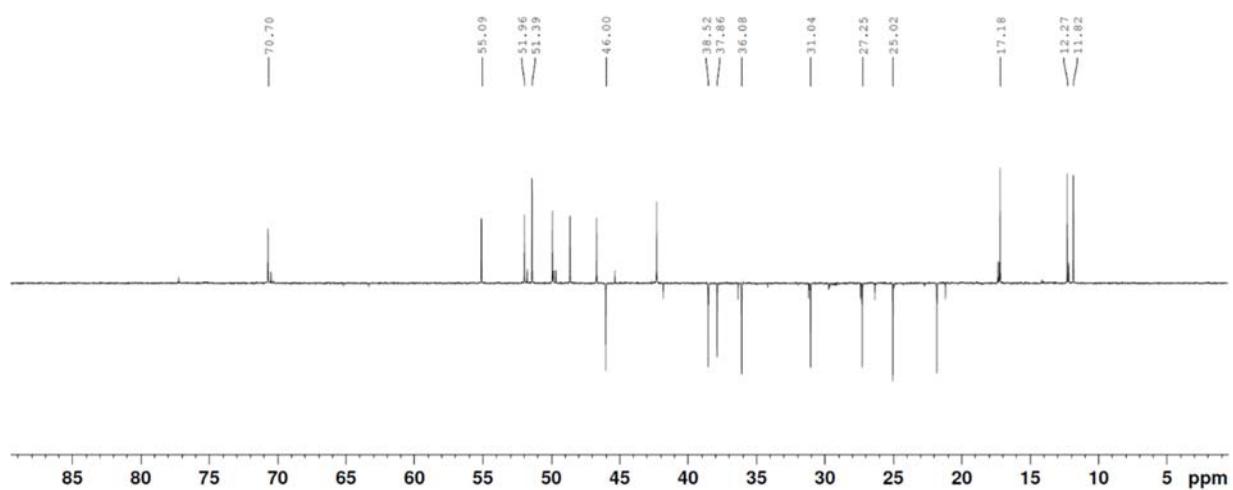


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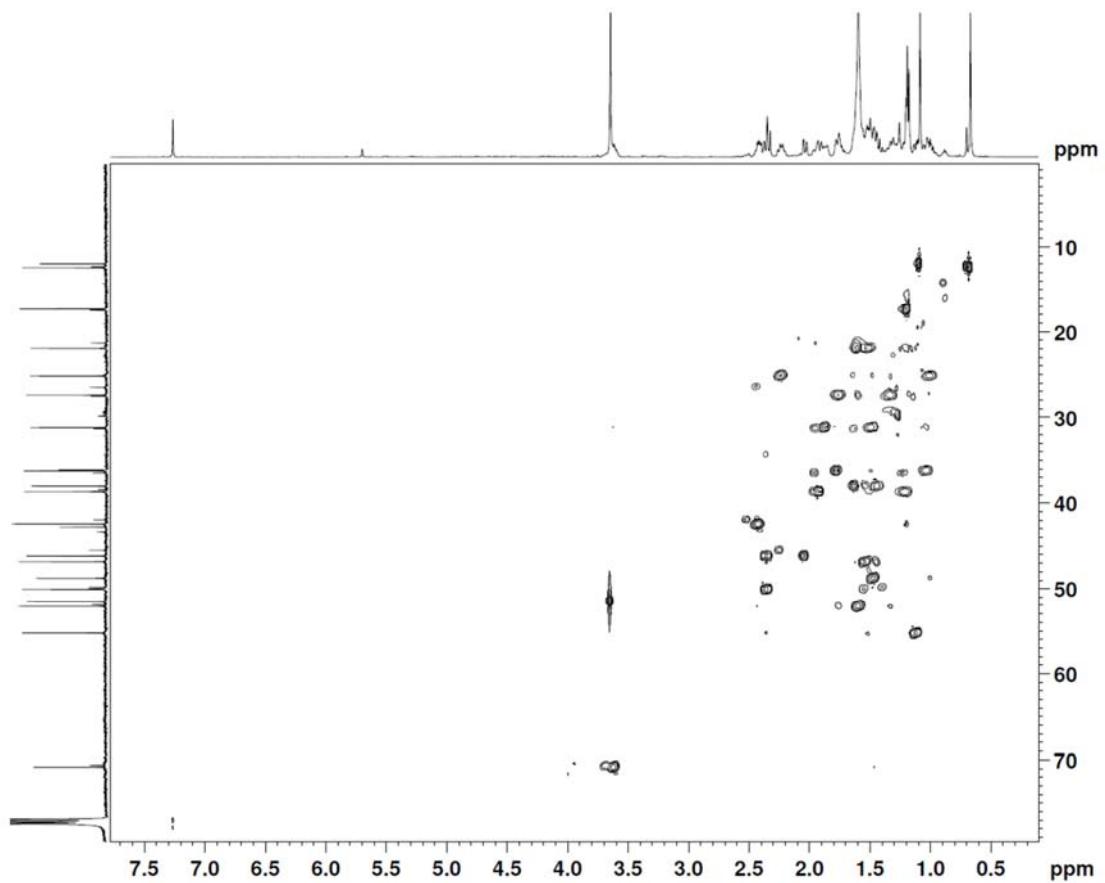


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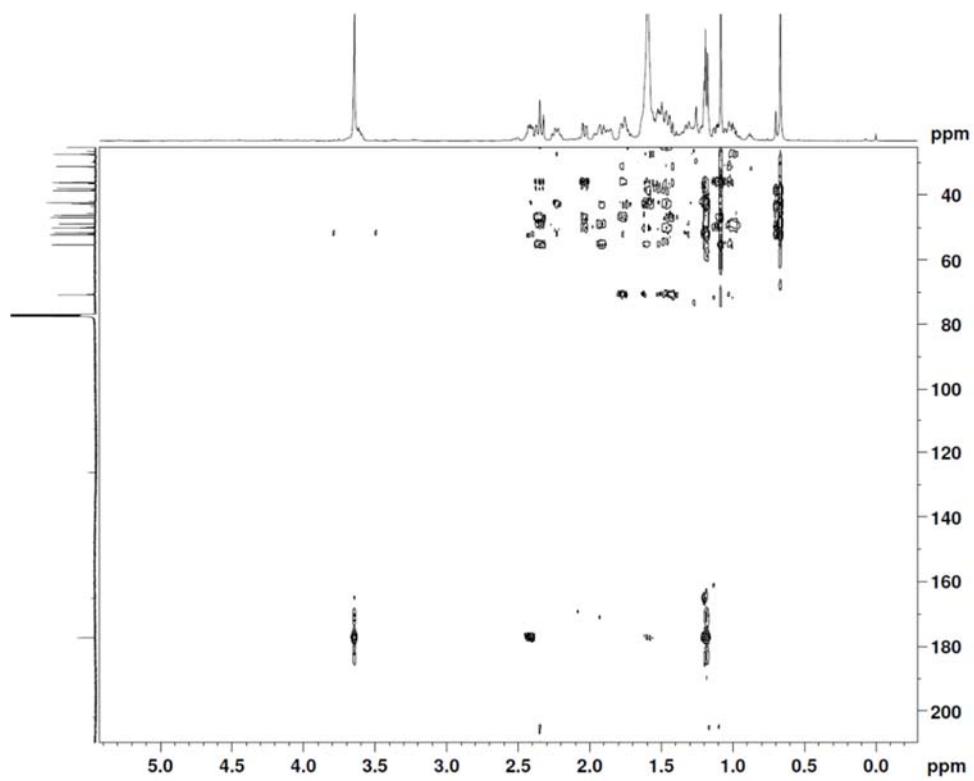


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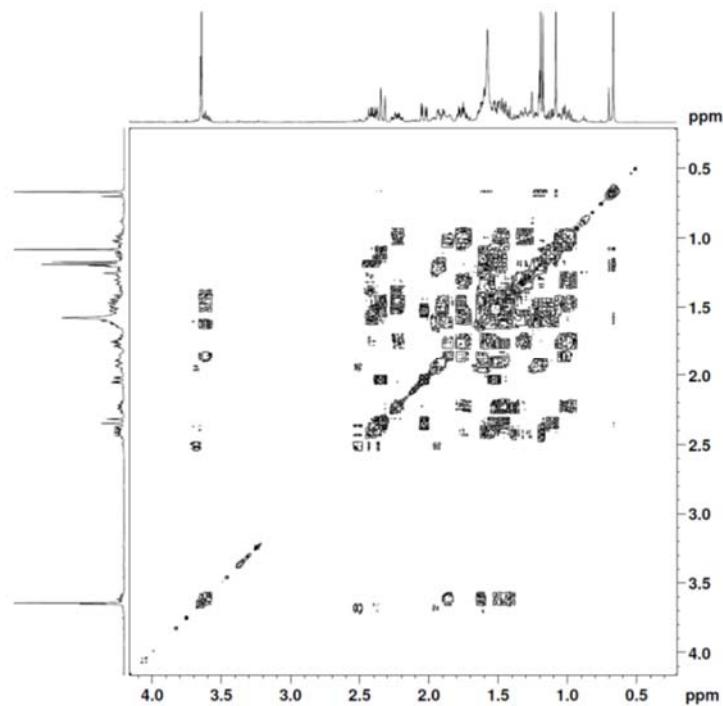


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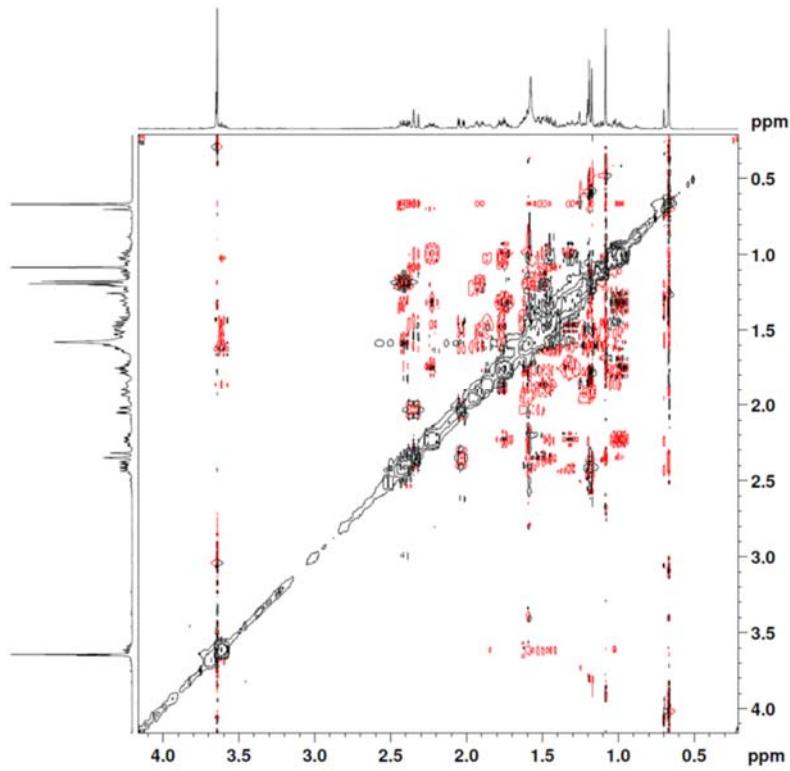


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Supplementary table 1: Comparison of ^1H (500 MHz) and ^{13}C (125 MHz) NMR data of isolated nymania 1 (4) in CDCl_3 to the published data (L. Musza et al. 1994).

Position	Isolated nymania 1 (CDCl_3)		Data published for nymania 1 in CDCl_3 (L. Musza et al. 1994)	
	δ_{H} (m , J in Hz)	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (m , J in Hz)	δ_{C}
1	5.25 (dd, 12.3, 2.8, 1H)	70.7	5.25 (dd, 3.2,12.4, 1H)	70.6
2 α	2.03 (dd, 12.3, 3.4, 1H)	39.9	2.03 (dd, 3.2,13.9, 1H)	39.8
2 β	2.58 (t, 13.0, 1H)		2.57 (t, 13.2, 1H)	
3		119.6		119.4
4		82.8		82.7
5	2.94 (m, 1H)	48.9	2.95 (d, 10.7, 1H)	48.8
6 α	1.72 (m, 1H)	33.8	1.71 (d, 17.8, 1H)	33.6
6 β	2.74 (dd, 10.0, 17.6, 1H)		2.73 (dd, 10.0, 17.9, 1H)	
7		175.7		175.6

8		138.8		142.8
9	4.197 (d, 7.1, 1H)	50.7	4.19 (d, 8.2, 1H)	48.6
10		48.8		49.4
11	5.38 (t, 8.7, 1H)	71.4	5.37 (dd, 8.5.10.7, 1H)	71.2
12	6.03 (d, 12.0, 1H)	74.3	6.05 (m, 1H)	74.6
13		49.6		50.6
14		80.9		80.8
15		207.0		207.3
16 α	2.94 (m, 1H)	41.8	2.97 (dd, 8.5, 18.8, 1H)	41.6
16 β	2.32 (m, 1H)		2.30 (dd, 9.4, 19.2, 1H)	
17	3.98 (t, 9.1, 1H)	35.2	3.97 (dd, 7.4, 9.3, 1H)	35.1
18-CH ₃	1.00 (s, 3H)	13.2	1.00 (s, 3H)	13.1
19-CH ₃	1.297 (s, 3H)	16.7	1.29 (s, 3H)	16.6
20		123.3		126.3
21	7.20 (s, 3H)	140.7	7.20 (s, 3H)	140.6
22	6.25 (d, 12.0, 1H)	110.7	6.25 (s, 1H)	110.6
23	7.37 (d, 11.8, 1H)	143.1	7.37 (s, 1H)	143.0
28	1.42 (s, 3H)	29.0	1.42 (s, 3H)	28.8
29 α	3.65 (d, 8.4, 1H)	73.8	3.64 (d, 8.6, 1H)	73.7
29 β	4.12 (d, 8.4, 1H)		4.11 (d, 8.6, 1H)	
30a (E to H-9)	6.06 (brs, 1H)	126.4	6.06 (d, 1.4, 1H)	123.2
30b (Z to H-9)	5.98 (s, 1H)		5.98 (d, 1.2, 1H)	
1'		175.1		174.9
2'	3.20 (d, 1.2, 1H)	74.7	3.20 (m, 1H)	74.1
3'	1.5 (m, 1H)	38.3	1.52 (m, 1H)	38.2
4'a	1.16 (m, 1H)	23.3	1.16 (m, 1H)	23.2

4'b	1.08 (m, 1H)		1.08 (m, 1H)	
5'-CH ₃	0.86 (dd, 6.7, 12.3, 3H)	15.3	0.86 (d, 4.7, 3H)	15.2
6'-CH ₃	0.79 (d, 7.3, 3H)	11.8	0.78 (t, 7.4, 3H)	11.6
1''		170.0		169.7
1''-CH ₃	2.02 (s, 3H)	21.3	2.02 (s, 3H)	21.1
HCOO	7.94 (s, 1H)	161.1	7.93 (s, 1H)	160.9
7-OCH ₃	3.73 (s, 3H)	53.2	3.72 (s, 3H)	53.0
14-OH	4.43 (s, 1H)			

Supplementary table 2: Comparison of ¹H (500 MHz) and ¹³C (125 MHz) NMR data of isolated rubralin B (**5**) in CDCl₃ to the published data (Musza et al. 1995).

Position	Isolated rubralin B (CDCl₃)		Data published for rubralin B (¹H, 360 MHz ¹³C, 90 MHz) (Musza et al. 1995)	
	δ_{H} (m, <i>J</i> in Hz)	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (m, <i>J</i> in Hz)	δ_{C}
1	4.74 (dd, 3.1, 5.2, 1H)	70.5	4.75 (dd, 3.5, 4.5, 1H)	70.4
2	3.22 (m, 1H)	35.1	3.20 (m, 1H)	35.0
3		168.9		168.5
4		85.3		85.0
5	2.55 (dd, 2.2, 13.2, 1H)	44.5	2.56 (d, 10.9, 1H)	44.4
6 α	1.95 (m, 1H)	26.5	1.95 (m, 1H)	26.4
6 β	2.04 (m, 1H)		2.10 (m, 1H)	
7	5.29 (br q, 1.7, 1H)	75.2	5.29 (m, 1H)	75.2
8		41.5		41.4
9	2.72 (dd, 8.1, 11.7, 1H)	37.3	2.73 (dd, 8.1, 11.7, 1H)	37.2
10		44.2		44.2
11 α	1.16 (m, 1H)	25.5	1.30 (m, 1H)	25.4
11 β	2.04 (m, 1H)		2.07 (m, 1H)	

12	5.05 (t, 8.4, 1H)	76.6	5.06 (t, 8.3, 1H)	76.5
13		51.3		51.2
14		155.1		155.1
15	5.50 (dd, 1.7, 3.6, 1H)	122.5	5.51 (brs, 1H)	122.4
16	2.41 (m, 1H)	36.8	2.41 (m, 1H)	36.7
17	3.02 (dd, 8.0, 10.5, 1H)	49.9	3.03 (dd, 7.9, 10.6, 1H)	49.9
18-CH ₃	1.19 (s, 3H)	15.5	1.20 (s, 3H)	15.3
19-CH ₃	0.93 (s, 3H)	14.8	0.95 (s, 3H)	14.7
20		124.5		124.1
21	7.18 (brs, 1H)	140.4	7.18 (s, 1H)	140.3
22	6.22 (dd, 0.8, 2.0, 1H)	111.6	6.22 (s, 1H)	111.5
23	7.34 (t, 1.9, 1H)	142.4	7.34 (s, 1H)	142.2
28-CH ₃	1.43 (s, 3H)	29.2	1.43 (s, 3H)	29.1
29 α	4.04 (d, 12.3, 1H)	65.6	4.05 (d, 12.3, 1H)	65.6
29 β	4.95 (d, 12.3, 1H)		4.93 (d, 12.3, 1H)	
30	1.25 (s, 3H)	28.3	1.25 (s, 3H)	28.1
1'		174.9		174.7
2'	4.14 (d, 3.8, 1H)	75.1	4.14 (d, 3.8, 1H)	75.5
3'	1.82 (m, 1H)	39.1	1.83 (m, 1H)	39.0
4'	1.29 (m, 1H)	23.8	1.28 (m, 1H)	23.7
5'	0.89 (t, 7.4, 3H)	11.9	0.90 (t, 7.4, 3H)	11.7
6'	1.00 (d, 6.9, 3H)	15.5	1.00 (d, 7.6, 3H)	15.4
1"		174.1		173.9
2"	4.04 (m, 1H)	75.5	4.03 (m, 1H)	75.0
3"	2.09 (m, 1H)	31.9	2.06 (m, 1H)	31.8
4"	1.09 (d, 7.0, 3H)	19.5	1.09 (d, 7.0, 3H)	19.3
5"	0.85 (d, 6.8, 3H)	15.8	0.87 (d, 6.9, 3H)	15.7

1'''		169.6		169.4
1'''-CH ₃	2.07 (s, 3H)	20.8	2.07 (s, 3H)	20.6
1''''		171.0		170.8
1''''-CH ₃	1.93 (s, 3H)	21.5	1.93 (s, 3H)	21.3

Supplementary table 3: Comparison of ¹H (500 MHz) and ¹³C (125 MHz) NMR data of isolated aphapolynin C (**6**) in CDCl₃ to the published data (Zhang et al. 2013).

Position	Isolated Aphapolynin C (CDCl₃)		Data published for Aphapolynin C in DMSO-d₆ (¹H, 500 MHz ¹³C, 125 MHz) (Zhang et al. 2013)	
	δ_{H} (m, J in Hz)	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (m, J in Hz)	δ_{C}
1	7.46 (d, 10.4, 1H)	152.3	7.43 (d, 12.0, 1H)	152.9
2	6.07 (d, 12.4, 1H)	120.9	5.96 (d, 12.0, 1H)	119.2
3		171.9		166.9
4		79.1		79.7
5	2.12 (brs, 1H)	50.8	2.37 (brs, 1H)	49.9
6 α	2.48 (dd, 15.1, 4.1, 1H)	29.7	2.56 (dd, 15.5, 10.0, 1H)	29.8
6 β	2.71 (m, 1H)		2.70 (dd, 15.5, 7.5, 1H)	
7		169.3		172.7
8		136.8		138.8
9	3.72 (brs, 1H)	52.4	3.00 (d, 7.5, 1H)	51.9
10				43.4
11	5.66 (brs, 1H)	71.1	5.42 (dd, 10.5, 7.5, 1H)	71.6
12	6.19 (d, 10.2, 1H)	75.6	6.04 (d, 10.5, 1H)	74.7
13		49.5		49.1
14		80.6		79.2
15		207.2		207.5
16 α	2.39 (dd, 9.9, 19.4, 1H)	41.8	2.47 (dd, 19.5, 9.5, 1H)	41.2

16 β	2.93 (dd, 8.8, 19.4, 1H)		2.76 (dd, 19.5, 9.0, 1H)	
17	3.99 (t, 9.4, 1H)	35.4	3.79 (t, 9.5, 1H)	34.9
18-CH ₃	0.96 (s, 3H)	13.5	0.86 (s, 3H)	12.4
19-CH ₃	1.02 (s, 3H)	23.0	1.02 (s, 3H)	23.1
20		122.2		123.0
21	7.23 (d, 6.2, 1H)	140.9	7.39 (s, 1H)	140.5
22	6.25 (d, 10.6, 1H)	110.3	6.49 (s, 1H)	111.1
23	7.40 (d, 12.0, 1H)	143.5	7.55 (s, 1H)	142.8
28-CH ₃	1.68 (s, 3H)	27.3	1.53 (s, 3H)	25.3
29 α	4.29 (d, 11.2, 1H)	74.4	4.23 (d, 11.5, 1H)	73.6
29 β	4.10 (d, 11.4, 1H)		4.16 (d, 11.5, 1H)	
30a	5.99 (s, 1H)	123.6	5.78 (s, 1H)	120.6
30b	5.35 (s, 1H)		5.35 (s, 1H)	
1'		175.0		173.3
2'	3.12 (d, 2.6, 1H)	74.9	3.07 (dd, 5.5, 3.5, 1H)	74.2
3'	1.50 (m, 1H)	37.7	1.40 (m, 1H)	37.2
4'	1.16 (m, 1H) 0.96 (m, 1H)	22.8	a = 1.08 (m, 1H) b = 0.96 (m, 1H)	22.8
5'	0.80 (t, 7.0, 3H)	11.5	0.71 (t, 7.5, 5H)	11.3
6'	0.87 (d, 6.8, 3H)	15.4	0.72 (d, 7.0, 3H)	15.4
HCOO	7.92 (s, 1H)	159.7	8.22 (s, 1H)	160.7
14-OH			6.64 (s, 1H)	
2'-OH			4.96 (d, 5.5, 1H)	

Supplementary table 4: Comparison of ^1H (500 MHz) and ^{13}C (125 MHz) NMR data of isolated Trichillia substance Tr B (**7**) in CDCl_3 to the published data (Gunatilaka et al. 1998).

Position	Isolated Trichillia substance Tr B (CDCl_3)		Data published for Trichillia substance Tr B in CDCl_3 (^1H, 500 MHz ^{13}C, 100.57 MHz) (Gunatilaka et al. 1998)	
	δ_{H} (m, <i>J</i> in Hz)	δ_{C}	δ_{H} (m, <i>J</i> in Hz)	δ_{C}
1	5.00 (brs, 1H)	75.4	5.44 (dd, 6.8, 5.9, 1H)	73.1
2	3.23 (brs, 2H)	37.5	2.05 (dd, 11.8, 9.0, 2H)	41.9
3		169.0		169.7
4		79.2		79.3
5	3.18 (brs, 1H)	42.5	3.18 (dd, 7.7, 3.8, 1H)	38.0
6 α	2.57 (d, 4.9, 1H)	32.0	2.48 (dd, 9.0, 7.7, 1H)	42.2
6 β	2.69 (dd, 4.9, 16.2, 1H)		2.63 (dd, 7.7, 3.8, 1H)	
7		173.2		173.7
8		138.5		138.2
9	3.79 (brs, 1H)	51.4	3.78 (d, 7.4, 1H)	51.3
10		46.0		45.8
11	5.49 (dd, 7.6, 10.2, 1H)	71.0	5.46 (dd, 7.4, 10.3, 1H)	78.1
12	6.12 (d, 10.2, 1H)	73.3	6.16 (d, 10.3, 1H)	71.2
13		49.7		49.6
14		80.9		80.8
15		206.7		206.3
16 α	2.41 (dd, 8.7, 18.3, 1H)	41.8	2.34 (dd, 8.5, 9.0, 1H)	35.0
16 β	2.88 (dd, 8.6, 18.3, 1H)		2.82 (dd, 8.8, 9.0, 1H)	
17	3.95 (t, 8.7, 1H)	35.7	3.95 (t, 8.5, 1H)	37.9
18-CH ₃	0.98 (s, 3H)	12.8	0.97 (s, 3H)	12.9
19-CH ₃	1.76 (s, 3H)	21.0	1.62 (s, 3H)	22.9

20		122.8		125.2
21	7.23 (brs, 1H)	140.8	7.20 (brs, 1H)	140.6
22	6.29 (brs, 1H)	110.5	6.23 (brs, 1H)	110.3
23	7.40 (brs, 1H)	143.3	7.38 (t, 1H)	143.3
28	1.81 (s, 3H)	23.0	1.81 (s, 3H)	28.5
29 α	4.16 (d, 11.1, 1H)	78.0	4.22 (dd, 12.0, 2H)	75.5
29 β	4.24 (d, 11.1, 1H)			
30a	5.89 (brs, 1H)	124.0	5.89 (brs, 1H)	122.5
30b	5.52 (brs, 1H)		5.49 (brs, 1H)	
1'		174.9		174.9
2'	3.08 (brs, 1H)	74.6	3.30 (br d, 1H)	74.6
3'	1.43 (m, 1H)	37.9	1.45 (m, 1H)	37.9
4'	1.11 (m, 1H) 0.96 (m, 1H)	22.8	1.15 (m, 2H)	22.7
5'	0.75 (t, 7.3, 3H)	11.3	0.84 (t, 7.6, 3H)	11.4
6'	0.81 (d, 6.6, 3H)	15.0	0.82 (d, 6.5, 3H)	15.1
HCOO	7.78 (s, 1H)	160.3	7.74 (s, 1H)	
CH ₃ CO	2.06 (s, 1H)	21.2	1.99 (s, 1H)	
		169.4		

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