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Two new 14, 15-secopregnane-type steroidal glycosides from the roots of *Cynanchum limprichtii*

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Abstract

Two new steroidal glycosides **1** and **2**, along with three known ones (**3-5**), were isolated from the 95% ethanol extract of the roots of *Cynanchum limprichtii* Schltr. The structure of the new compounds was elucidated as 3-O- α -L-diginopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- β -D-digitoxopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- β -D-cymaropyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- β -D-thevetopyranosyl-14, 16:15, 20: 18, 20-triepoxy-14, 15-secopregn-4, 6, 8 (14)-triene (**1**) and 3-O- α -L-cymaropyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- β -D-digitoxopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- β -D-3-demethyl-2-deoxythevetopyranosyl-14, 16: 15, 20: 18, 20-triepoxy-14, 15- secopregn-5, 8 (14)-diene (**2**) on the basis of spectroscopic analysis together with acidic hydrolysis. All compounds showed cytotoxic activity against the human cancer cell line HL60, with IC₅₀ values of 55.36, 65.41, 17.88, 17.68, and 33.5 μ M, respectively. While only compound **3** showed cytotoxicity against the Caco-2 cell line, with an IC₅₀ value of 67.47 μ M.

Keywords: *Cynanchum limprichtii*; steroidal glycoside; cytotoxicity

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Mass Spectrum Molecular Formula Report

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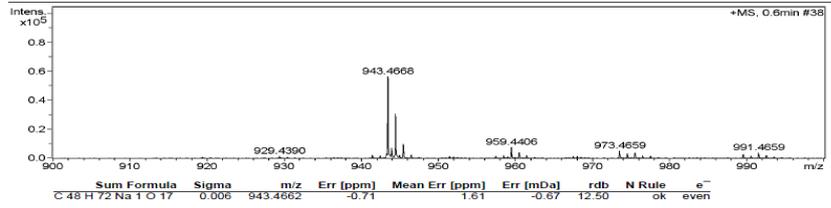


Figure 1S. HR-ESI-MS spectrum of 1

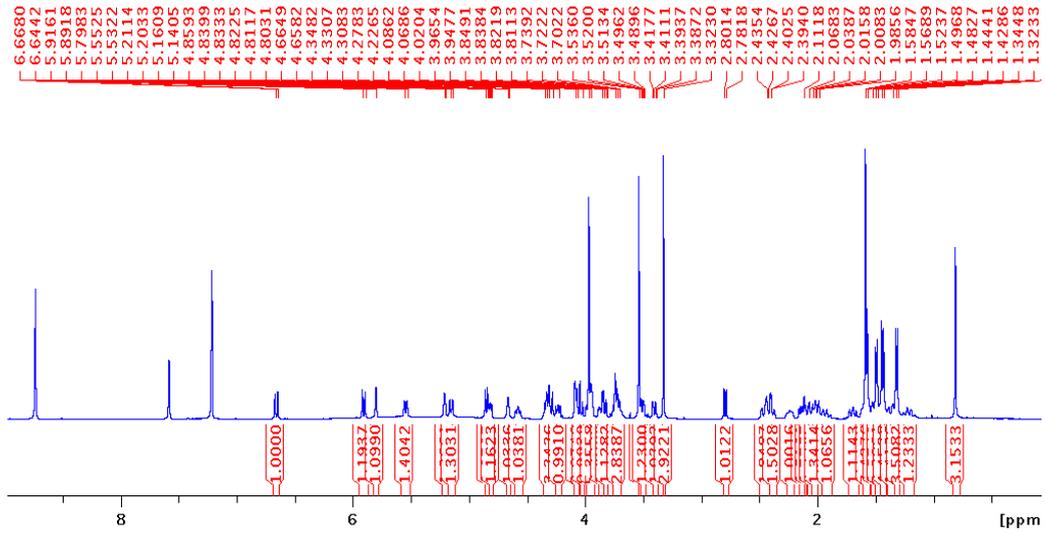


Figure 2S. The ¹H NMR (C₅D₅N, 400 MHz) data of 1

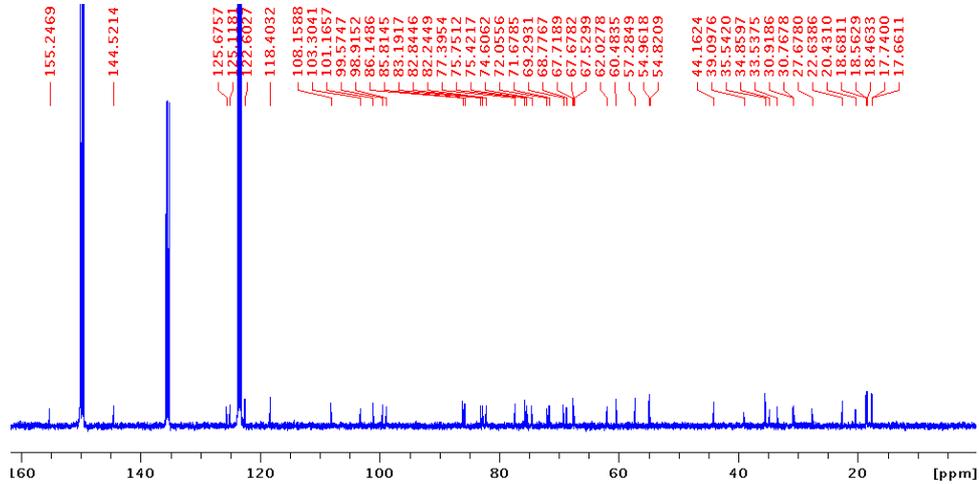


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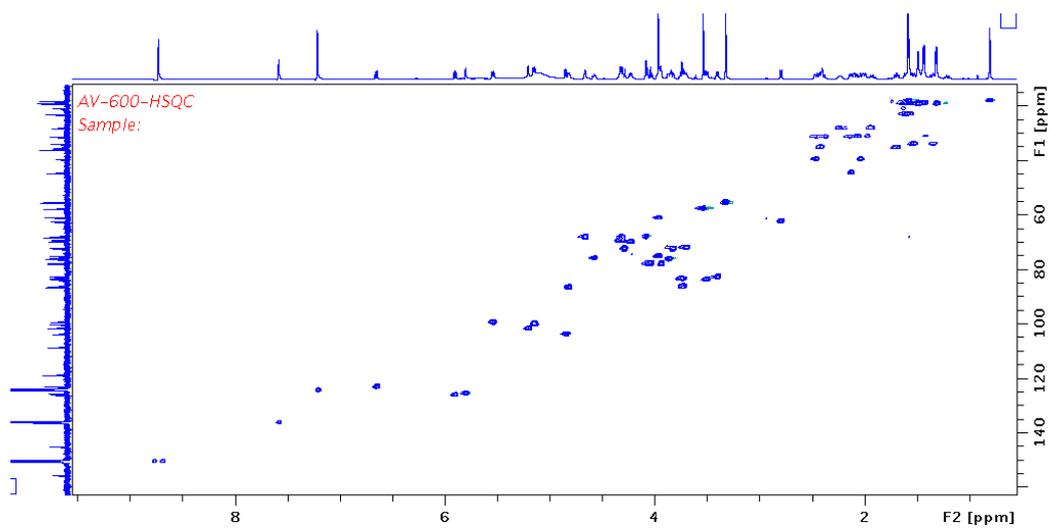


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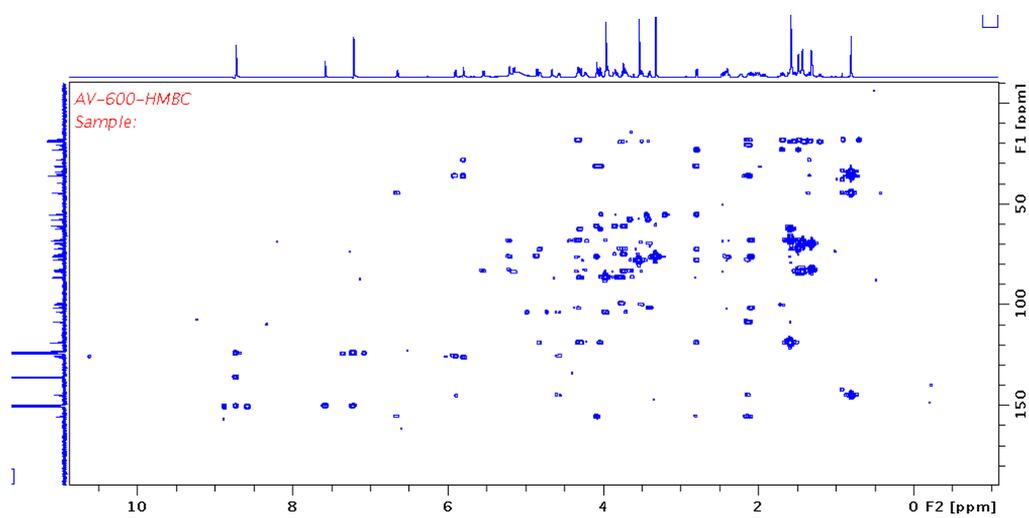


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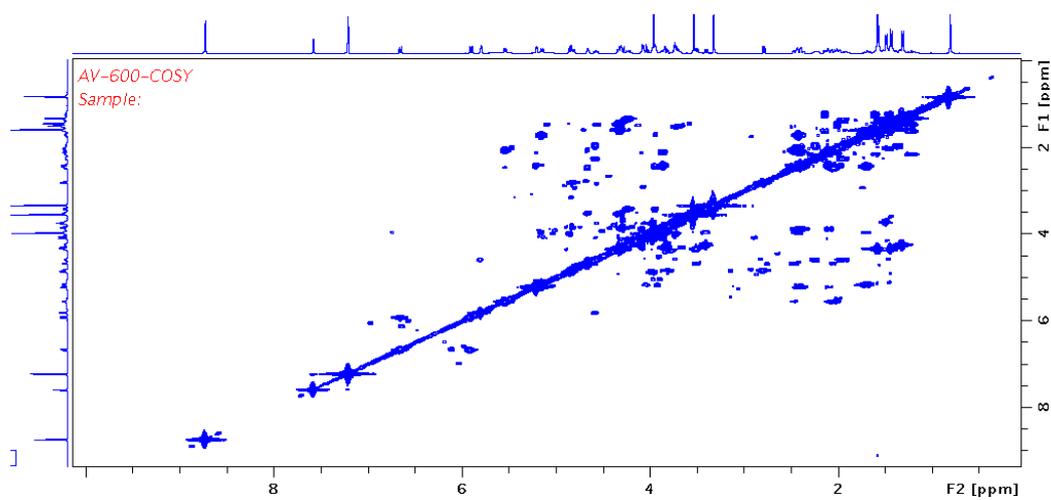


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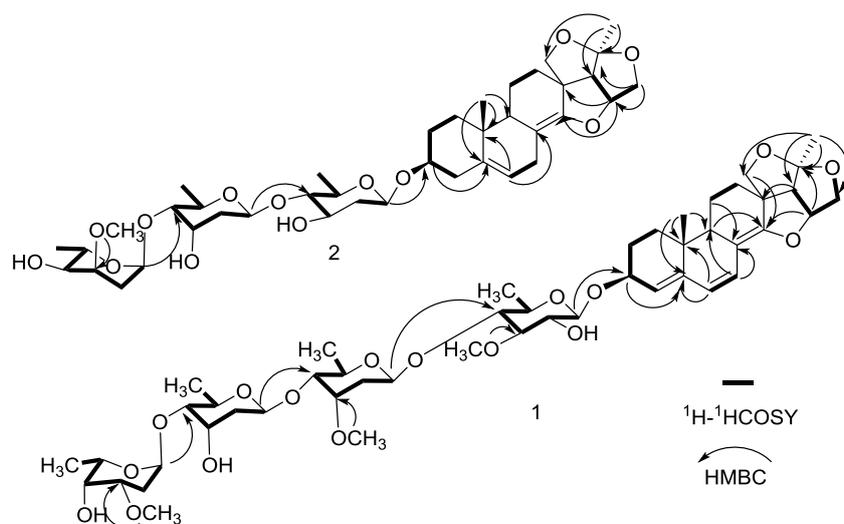


Figure 7 S. Key ¹H-¹H COSY and HMBC correlations of compounds 1 and 2

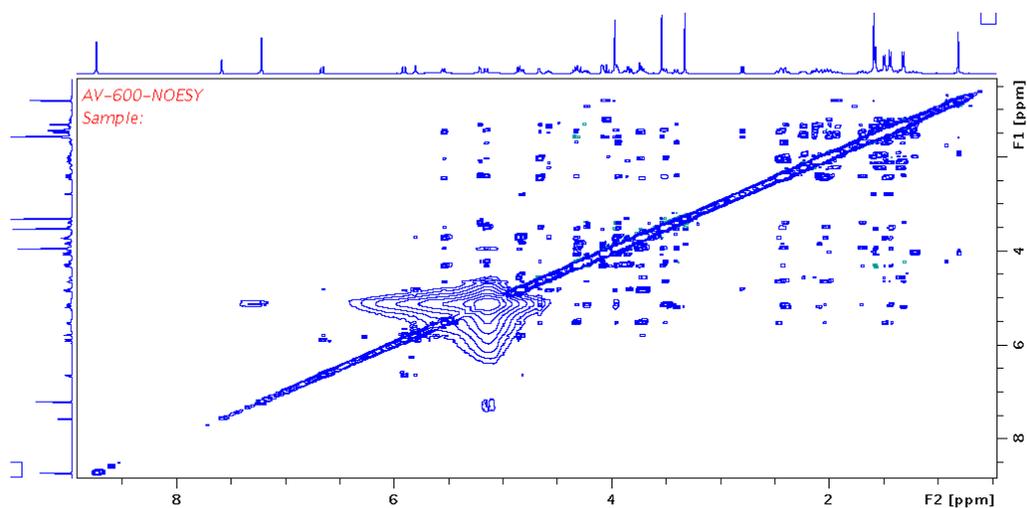


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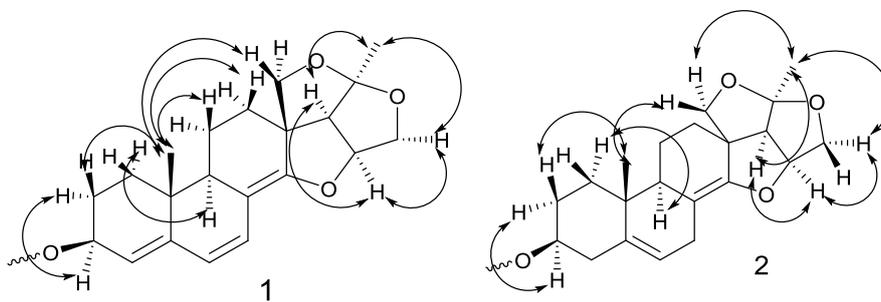


Figure 9 S. Key NOESY correlations of compounds 1 and 2

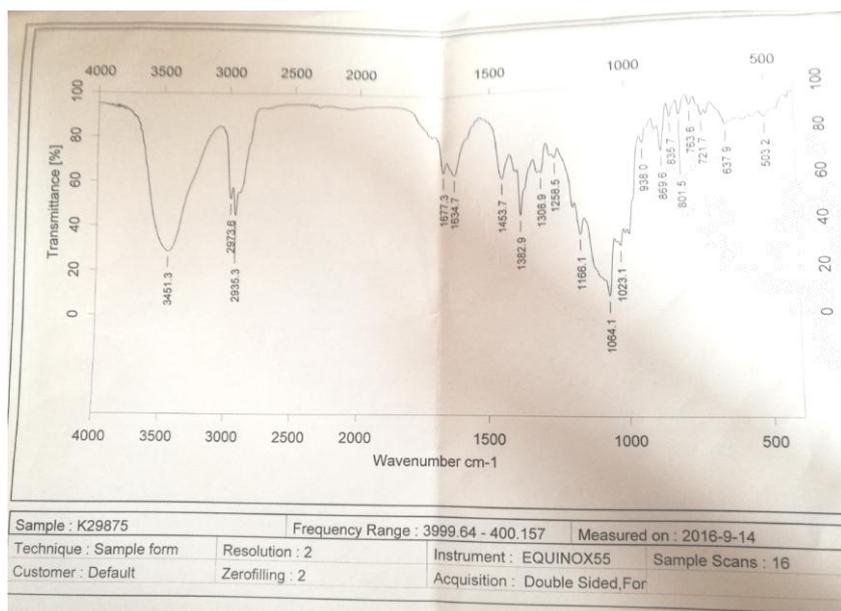


Figure 10S. the IR spectra of 1

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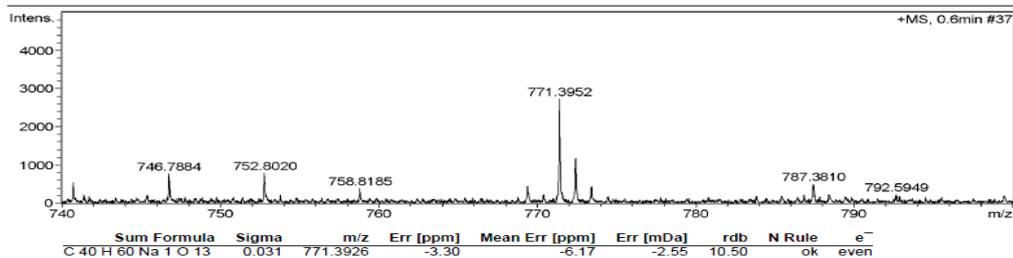


Figure 11S. HR-ESIMS spectrum of 2

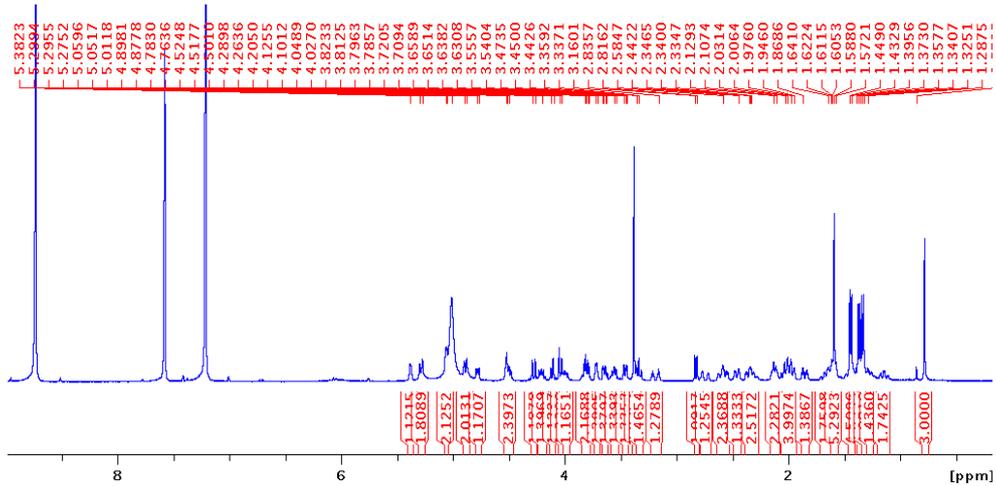


Figure 12S. The ^1H NMR ($\text{C}_5\text{D}_5\text{N}$, 400 MHz) data of 2

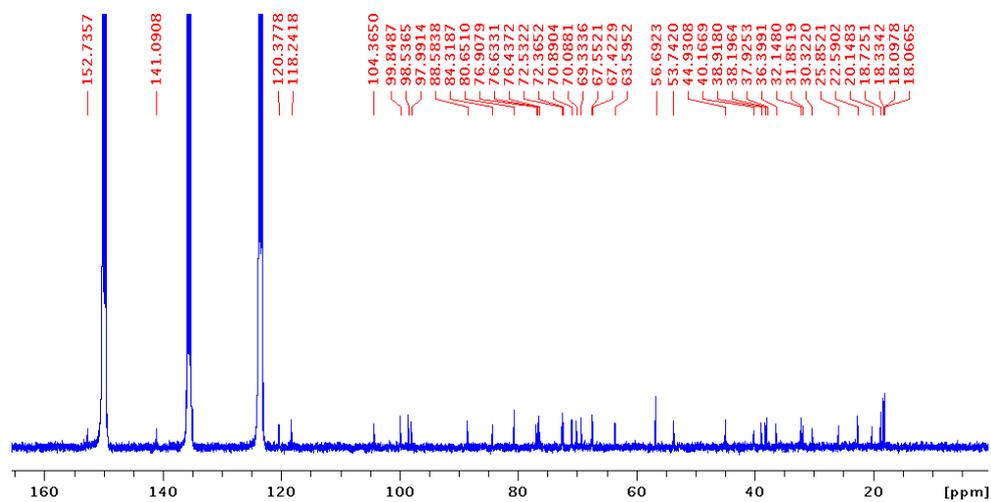


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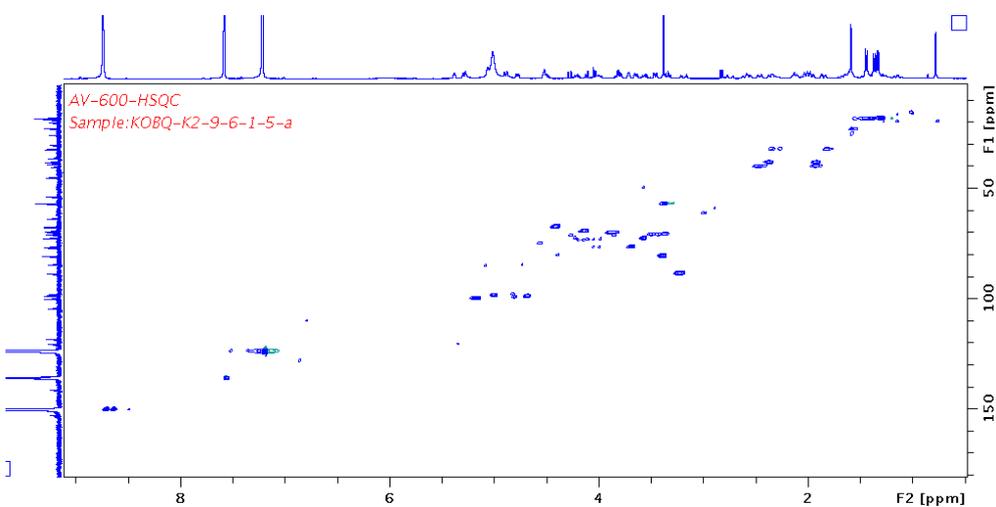


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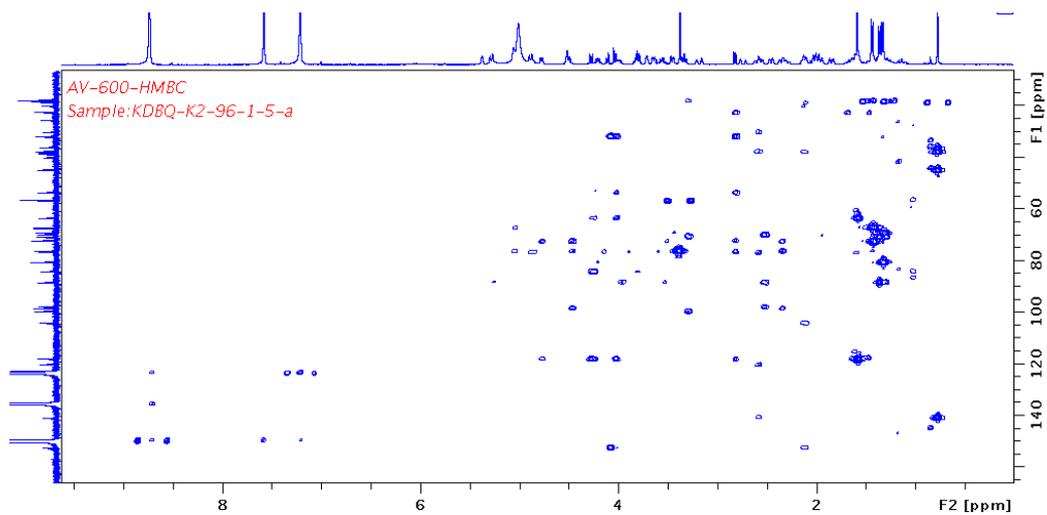


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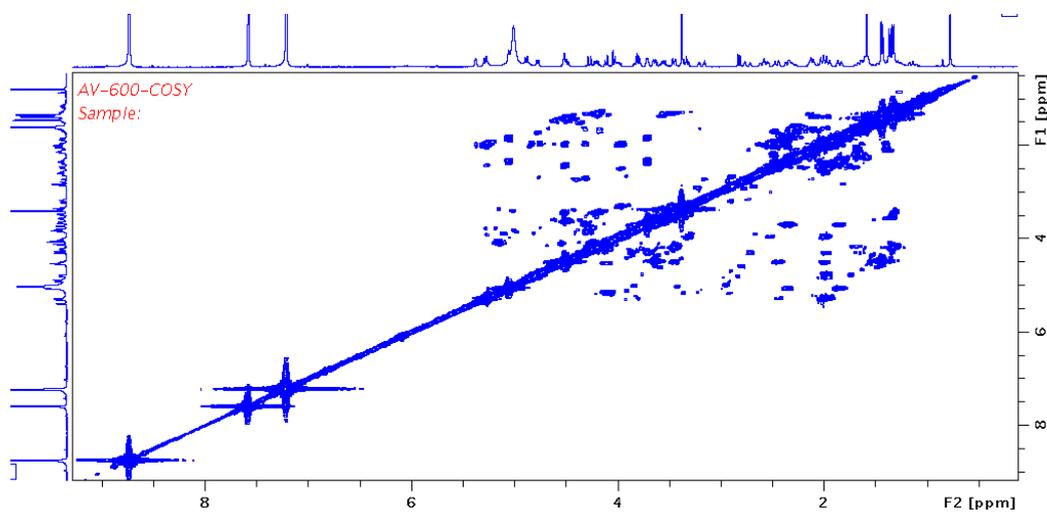


Figure 16S. ^1H - ^1H COSY data of **2**

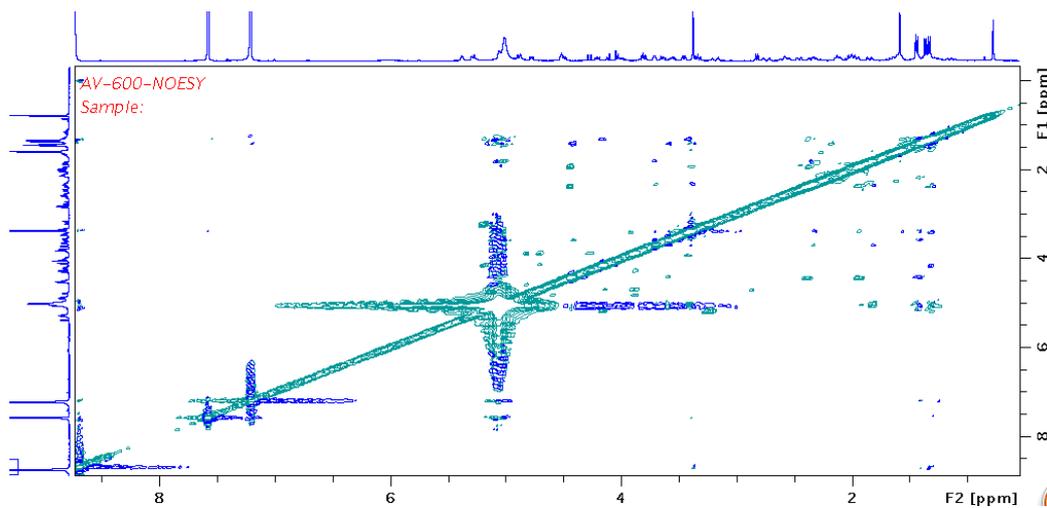


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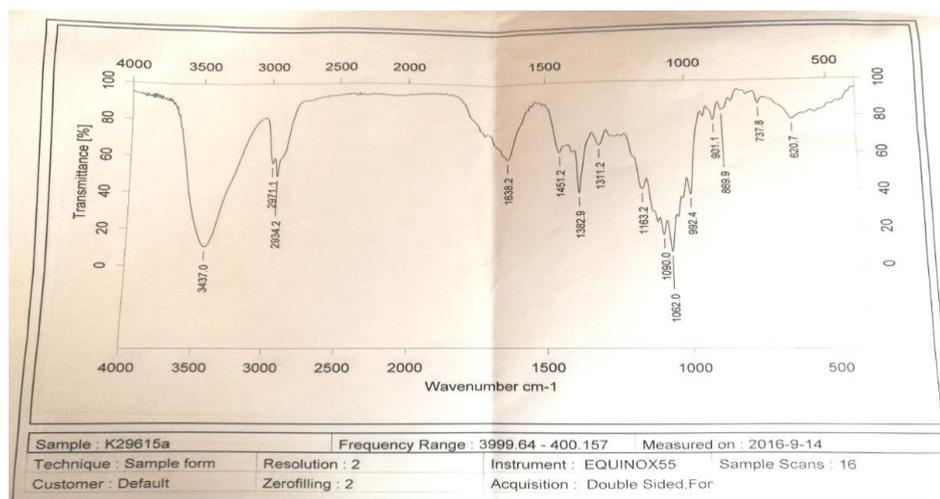


Figure 18S. the IR spectra of 2

Table 1S. ^1H and ^{13}C NMR spectral data of **1** and **2** (400 MHz for ^1H and 100 MHz for ^{13}C , $\text{C}_5\text{D}_5\text{N}$)

| No. | 1 | | 2 | |
|-----|---------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | δ_{C} | δ_{H} (J Hz) | δ_{C} | δ_{H} (J Hz) |
| 1 | 33.5 | 1.34(m), 1.54(m) | 37.9 | 2.02(m) |
| 2 | 27.2 | 2.24(m), 1.94(m) | 31.8 | 2.32(m), 1.83(dt, 14.2, 3.7) |
| 3 | 75.4 | 4.56(brt, 7.8) | 76.9 | 3.71(m) |
| 4 | 125.1 | 5.80(brs) | 38.9 | 2.56(m), 2.30(m) |
| 5 | 144.5 | | 141.1 | |
| 6 | 125.7 | 5.90(d, 9.7) | 120.4 | 5.38(brs) |
| 7 | 122.6 | 6.65(d, 9.7) | 25.8 | 1.62(m), 1.59(m) |
| 8 | 108.2 | | 104.4 | |
| 9 | 44.2 | 2.13(dd, 11.2, 5.8) | 44.9 | 2.12(m) |
| 10 | 35.5 | | 36.4 | |
| 11 | 20.4 | 1.62(o), 1.21(dd, 13.7, 11.2) | 20.1 | 1.29(m), 1.15(m) |
| 12 | 30.8 | 1.99(m), 1.45(m) | 30.3 | 2.11(m) |
| 13 | 54.8 | | 53.7 | |
| 14 | 155.2 | | 152.7 | |
| 15 | 72.1 | 4.28(d, 10.8), 3.82(dd, 4.3, 10.8) | 72.4 | 4.28(d, 10.5), 3.64(dd, 8.3, 3.4) |
| 16 | 86.1 | 4.82(dd, 7.8, 4.3) | 84.3 | 4.77(dd, 7.6, 3.4) |
| 17 | 62.0 | 2.80(d, 7.8) | 63.6 | 2.80(d, 7.8) |
| 18 | 77.3 | 4.02(d, 8.8), 4.07(d, 8.8) | 76.6 | 4.12(d, 9.7), 4.03(d, 9.7) |
| 19 | 17.6 | 0.81(s) | 18.7 | 0.77(s) |
| 20 | 118.4 | | 118.3 | |
| 21 | 22.6 | 1.59(s) | 22.6 | 1.59(s) |
| | β -D-the | β -D-the | β -D-3-demeth | β -D-3-demeth |
| 1' | 103.3 | 4.85(d, 7.8) | 98.0 | 4.87(dd, 9.8, 1.7) |
| 2' | 74.6 | 3.95(m) | 40.2 | 2.45(m), 2.01(m) |

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|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| 3' | 85.8 | 3.73(m) | 69.3 | 4.17(m) |
| 4' | 82.8 | 3.74(m) | 88.6 | 3.35(m) |
| 5' | 71.7 | 3.70(m) | 70.9 | 3.56(m) |
| 6' | 18.7 | 1.49(d, 5.6) | 18.1 | 1.33(d, 6.2) |
| 3-OCH ₃ | 60.5 | 3.96(s) | | |
| | <i>β</i> -D- cym | <i>β</i> -D-cym | <i>β</i> -D-digt | <i>β</i> -D-digt |
| 1'' | 99.6 | 5.15(d, 8.1) | 99.8 | 5.29(dd, 9.7, 1.6) |
| 2'' | 34.9 | 2.41(m), 1.68(m) | 38.2 | 2.47(m), 1.95(m) |
| 3'' | 77.4 | 3.94(m) | 67.5 | 4.52(m) |
| 4'' | 82.2 | 3.40(m) | 80.4 | 3.45(m) |
| 5'' | 69.3 | 4.22(m) | 70.9 | 4.18(m) |
| 6'' | 18.6 | 1.31(d, 6.2) | 18.07 | 1.36(d, 6.1) |
| 3-OCH ₃ | 57.3 | 3.54(s) | | |
| | <i>β</i> -D-digt | <i>β</i> -D-digt | <i>α</i> -L-cym | <i>α</i> -L-cym |
| 1''' | 98.9 | 5.54(d, 8.2) | 98.5 | 5.02(d, 3.2) |
| 2''' | 39.1 | 2.46(m), 2.04(m) | 32.1 | 2.36(m), 1.84(m) |
| 3''' | 67.68 | 4.66(dd, 9.9, 3.2) | 76.4 | 3.80(m) |
| 4''' | 83.2 | 3.50(dd, 9.9, 2.6) | 72.5 | 3.71(m) |
| 5''' | 68.8 | 4.32(m) | 67.4 | 4.48(m) |
| 6''' | 18.5 | 1.42(6.2) | 18.3 | 1.43(d, 6.4) |
| 3-OCH ₃ | | | 56.7 | 3.38(s) |
| | <i>α</i> -L-dign | <i>α</i> -L-dign | | |
| 1'''' | 101.2 | 5.21(d, 3.2) | | |
| 2'''' | 30.9 | 2.41(m), 2.11(m) | | |
| 3'''' | 75.8 | 3.86(m) | | |
| 4'''' | 67.5 | 4.08(m) | | |
| 5'''' | 67.72 | 4.31(m) | | |
| 6'''' | 17.74 | 1.57(d, 6.3) | | |
| 3-OCH ₃ | 55.0 | 3.32(s) | | |