

Phytochemical Constituents of *Carpesium macrocephalum* F_R . et S_{AV} .

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From the methanol extract of the whole plants of *Carpesium macrocephalum* F_R . et S_{AV} , five sesquiterpene lactones (1: carabron, 2: tomentosin, 3: ivalin, 4: 4*H*-tomentosin, 5: carabrol) and three terpenoids (6: loliolide, 7: vomifoliol, 8: citrusin C) were isolated. The structures and stereochemistry of compounds 1-8 were established on the basis of chemical analysis as well as 1D- and 2D-NMR spectroscopy. Among them, compounds 2, 4, and 6-8 were isolated for the first time from *Carpesium* species.

Key words: Carpesium macrocephalum, Compositae, Sesquiterpene lactone, Terpenoid

INTRODUCTION

Carpesium macrocephalum F_R . et S_{AV} . (Compositae) is a plant, which is rare in Korea, and it has been used in folk medicine as antipyretic, analgesic, vermifuge, insecticide, for pain-relief and antiinflammatory treatment in Korea (Lee, 1993).

An earlier investigation on the phytochemical constituents of the *Carpesium* species revealed them to be a rich source of sesquiterpene lactones; 11(13)-dehydroivaxillin (Maruyama *et al.*, 1983) and carpesiolin (Maruyama *et al.*, 1977) from *Carpesium abrotanoides*; divaricin A, B, and C (Maruyama, 1990) from *Carpesium divaricatum*; ineupatorolide A and B (Maruyama *et al.*, 1995) from *Carpesium glossophyllum*; two new guaianolides (Kim *et al.*, 2002) from *Carpesium macrocephalum*; divaricin analogues (Kim *et al.*, 1999) from *Carpesium triste* var. *manshuricum*.

In our continuing research for sesquiterpene lactones and other constituents from the whole plants of *C. macrocephalum*, we have isolated carabron (1), tomentosin (2), ivalin (3), 4*H*-tomentosin (4), carabrol (5), loliolide (6), vomifoliol (7), and citrusin C (8). Among them, compounds 2, 4, and 6-8 were reported for the first time from *Carpesium* species. In this paper, we describe the isolation

of the compounds and their subsequent structural determination by spectroscopic analysis.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

General procedure

The optical rotations were measured with a JASCO DIP-1000 digital polarimeter. UV spectra were obtained on a JASCO UV-530 UV/VIS Spectrophotometer. The EI-MS (70 eV) spectra were recorded on a JEOL JMS-AX 505H mass spectrometer. The NMR spectra were recorded on a Bruker DMX 600 spectrometer. The chemical shifts are expressed in parts per million (ppm) relative to TMS as the internal standard, and the coupling constants (J) are given in hertz (Hz). The 2D NMR spectra were recorded by using Brukers standard pulse program. Column chromatography was carried out with Kieselgel 60 (70-230 and 230-400 mesh, Merck) and polyamide gel (0.07 mm, MN polyamide SC6, MACHEREY-NAGEL). TLC was carried out on pre-coated Merck Kieselgel 60 F254 (art. 5715) and RP-18 F₂₅₄s (art. 15389) plates. The Lobar column chromatography and preparative HPLC were performed on Lichroprep® Si60 (40-63 μm) and a Hichrom RPB (5 μm, 10×250 mm, Hichrom Ltd.), respectively.

Plant material

The whole plants of *Carpesium macrocephalum* were collected in July 1999, at Odaesan, Kangwondo, Korea and were identified by Dr. Jae-Gil Kim. A voucher specimen

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was deposited in the Herbarium of the College of Pharmacy, Chungbuk National University (CBNU-99-007).

Extraction and isolation

The air-dried whole plants of C. macrocephalum (1.58) kg) were finely ground and extracted with 90% aqueous MeOH (5 L×3) at room temperature for 2 weeks (×3). The MeOH solution was evaporated to dryness. The MeOH extract (165 g) was suspended in water (1.5 L), and then fractionated successively with equal volumes of *n*-Hexane, CH₂Cl₂, and EtOAc. The n-Hexane extract (28 g) was column chromatographed on a silica gel (650 g, 9×85 cm) column with an *n*-hexane-EtOAc (50:1 \rightarrow 1:1). Fractions were combined based on their TLC profiles to yield subfraction designated as H1-H8. The subfraction, H8 (1.75 g) was further purified by column chromatography over a silica gel (170 g, 4×70 cm) eluting with a CHCl₃-MeOH (300:1 \rightarrow 10:1) solvent system to afford four subfractions (H8.1-H8.4). Among these subfractions, H8.2 (250 mg) were carried out in Lobar column chromatography (MeOH-H2O, 45:55) and preparative HPLC (MeOH-i-PrOH-H₂O, 5:4:1) to yield compound 1 (79 mg, R_f=0.48). The subfraction, H8.3 (167 mg) was further purified by polyamide column chromatography (55 g, 1.7×65 cm, MeOH \rightarrow *i*-PrOH \rightarrow DMF \rightarrow *n*-hexane) and preparative HPLC (MeOH-H₂O, 1:1) to yield compound 2 (4.1 mg, R_f =0.45). The CH₂Cl₂ extract (6.6 g) was chromatographed on a silica gel (370 g, 6×75 cm) column with an *n*-hexane-EtOAc (50:1 \rightarrow 1:1) and CHCl₃-MeOH (50:1 \rightarrow 5:1). Fractions were combined based on their TLC profiles to yield subfraction designated as C1-C4. The subfraction, C1 (1.1 g) was rechromatographed on a silica gel (150 g, 3×68 cm) using an isocratic system of nhexane-EtOAc (1:1) to give two subfractions (C1.1-C1.2). The subfraction, C1.2 (180 mg) was further purified by chromatography on semi-preparative HPLC (MeOH-H₂O, 50:50) and recrystallization from CHCl₃-MeOH (2:1) to yield compound 3 (40 mg, $R_f=0.46$) and 6 (6 mg, R₌0.44). The subfraction, C2 (2 g) was rechromatographed on Lobar column (n-hexane-CHCl3-MeOH, 40:40:1) to give three subfractions (C2.1-C2.3). The subfraction, C2.3 (850 mg) was rechromatographed on preparative HPLC (MeOH-H₂O, 60:40) to yield compound 4 (26 mg, $R_i=0.30$) and 5 (34 mg, $R_f=0.32$). The subfraction, C3 (984 mg) was rechromatographed on a silica gel (230 g, 2.8×80 cm) using a stepwise gradient of *n*-hexane-EtOAc-Me₂CO (5:1:1 \rightarrow 1:1:1) to give nine subfractions (C3.1-C3.9). The subfraction, C3.5 (161.3 mg) was rechromatographed on preparative HPLC (MeOH-H2O, 48:52) to yield compound 7 (7 mg, R_i=0.43). The subfraction, C4 (421 mg) was rechromatographed on a silica gel (130 g, 2.3×70 cm) using a stepwise gradient of *n*-hexane-EtOAc- Me_2CO (5:1:1 \rightarrow 1:2:2) and $CHCl_3$ -MeOH (10:1 \rightarrow 1:1) to give two subfractions (C4.1-C4.2). The subfraction, C4.1 (250 mg) was rechromatographed on preparative HPLC (MeOH- H_2O , 38:62) to yield compound **8** (40 mg, R_f = 0.15).

TLC was performed on precoated Kieselgel 60 F_{254} plate developed with *n*-hexane-EtOAc-Me₂CO (1:1:1=A) and *n*-hexane-CHCl₃-MeOH (5:5:1=B, 3:2:1=C). A 10% H_2SO_4 reagent (in EtOH) was sprayed for detection and then heated.

Carabrone (1)

Yellowish oil; UV (MeOH) λ_{max} 213 nm; El-MS (rel.int.%) m/z 248 (M⁺, 8.3), 230 (8.5), 190 (81.9), 145 (81), 79 (60.3), 43 (100); ¹H-NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) δ : 6.24 (1H, d, J=2.8 Hz, H-13 α), 5.55 (1H, d, J=2.4 Hz, H-13 β), 4.77 (1H, m, H-8), 3.15 (1H, m, H-7), 2.53 (2H, t, J=7.5 Hz, H₂-3), 2.33 (2H, m, H₂-6), 2.16 (3H, s, H-15), 1.61 (2H, m, H₂-9), 1.17 (3H, s, H-14), 0.93 (2H, m, H₂-2), 0.46 (1H, m, H-1), 0.40 (1H, m, H-5); ¹³C-NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) δ : 208.68 (C-4), 170.67 (C-12), 138.93 (C-11), 122.57 (C-13), 75.57 (C-8), 43.55 (C-3), 37.69 (C-7), 37.25 (C-9), 34.19 (C-1), 30.70 (C-6), 30.07 (C-15), 23.30 (C-2), 22.86 (C-5), 18.19 (C-14), 17.13 (C-10).

Tomentosin (2)

Colorless oil; UV (MeOH) λ_{max} 210 nm; El-MS (rel.int.%) m/z 248 (M⁺, 4.6), 205 (22.4), 190 (92.8), 145 (71.6), 107 (50.6), 79 (48.7), 43 (100); 'H-NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) δ : 6.26 (1H, d, J=2.8 Hz, H-13 α), 5.52 (1H, d, J=2.2 Hz, H-13 β), 5.44 (1H, t, H-5), 4.64 (1H, m, H-8), 3.31 (1H, m, H-7), 2.52 (2H, m, H₂-2), 2.36 (2H, m, H₂-6), 2.25 (2H, t, J=7.5 Hz, H₂-9), 2.16 (3H, s, H-15), 1.99 (1H, m, H-10), 1.63 (2H, m, H₂-3), 1.14 (3H, d, J=2.2 Hz, H-14); ¹³C-NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) δ : 208.09 (C-4), 170.31 (C-12), 138.94 (C-11), 122.19 (C-13), 120.28 (C-5), 79.24 (C-8), 42.10 (C-7), 42.09 (C-3), 36.62 (C-9), 35.43 (C-10), 30.39 (C-2), 29.91 (C-15), 29.54 (C-6), 20.92 (C-14).

Ivalin (3)

White crystals; $[\alpha]_{0}^{25}$ +133.52° (c 1.0, CHCl₃); UV (MeOH) λ_{max} 210 nm; IR ν_{max} (KBr) cm⁻¹: 3308 (OH), 1774 (α-methylene-γ-lactone moiety), 1723 (C=O), 1646 (C=C), 1138 (C-O); EI-MS (rel.int.%) m/z 248 (M⁺, 10), 230 (98.5), 215 (32.5), 215 (98.5), 119 (100), 91 (77.5); 1 H-NMR (CDCl₃, 300 MHz) δ: 6.15 (1H, d, J=3.0 Hz, H-13α), 5.61 (1H, d, J=3.0 Hz, H-13β), 4.89 (1H, d-like, H-15a), 4.57 (1H, d-like, H-15b), 4.51 (1H, t-like, H-8), 3.84 (1H, m, H-2), 3.01 (1H, H-7), 2.69 (1H, dd, J=2.7, 12.3 Hz, H-3a), 2.27 (1H, dd, J=15.6 Hz, H-9a), 2.00 (1H, t, J=11.7 Hz, H-3b), 1.82 (2H, m, H-1a, 5), 1.79 (1H, d, J=6.9 Hz, H-6a), 1.54 (1H, dd, J=4.8, 15.3 Hz, H-9b), 1.39 (1H, q, H-6b), 1.19 (1H, t, J=11.7 Hz, H-1b), 0.85 (3H, s, H-14); 13 C-NMR (CDCl₃, 75 MHz) δ: 170.46 (C-12), 145.98 (C-4),

141.91 (C-11), 120.44 (C-13), 109.35 (C-15), 76.56 (C-8), 67.10 (C-2), 50.90 (C-1), 46.31 (C-3), 45.64 (C-5), 41.17 (C-9), 40.56 (C-7), 33.91 (C-10), 27.32 (C-6), 18.74 (C-14).

4H-tomentosin (4)

Colorless oil; $[\alpha]_D^{25}+10.2^\circ$ (c 1.0, MeOH); UV (MeOH) λ_{max} 205 nm; EI-MS (rel.int.%) m/z 250 (M+, 1), 232 (33), 217 (17), 203 (10), 193 (28.5), 175 (26.5), 161 (19), 147 (45.5), 134 (45), 121 (100), 107 (48.5), 93 (59), 67 (29), 41 (28.5); $^1\text{H-NMR}$ (CD3OD, 300 MHz) δ : 6.10 (1H, d, J=3.2 Hz, H-13 α), 5.56 (1H, d, J=2.8 Hz, H-13 β), 5.45 (1H, m, H-5), 4.65 (1H, m, H-8), 3.61 (1H, m, H-7), 3.32 (1H, m, H-4), 2.36 (2H, m, H₂-6), 2.15 (1H, m, H-9a), 1.96 (3H, m), 1.88 (1H, m, H-9b), 1.42 (2H, m, H-3), 1.07 (3H, d, J=6.2 Hz, H-15), 1.06 (3H, d, J=6.9 Hz, H-14); $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ (CD3OD, 75 MHz) δ : 172.88 (C-12), 147.32, 141.41 (C-11), 123.20 (C-13), 121.54 (C-5), 81.83 (C-8), 68.78, 43.86 (C-7), 39.62, 38.21, 36.80, 34.44, 28.05, 23.73 (C-15), 21.80 (C-14).

Carabrol (5)

Colorless oil; $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ +98.9° (c 1.0, MeOH); UV (MeOH) λ_{max} 208 nm; El-MS (rel.int.%) m/z 250 (M⁺, 0.5), 232 (2.5), 217 (3), 206 (2), 190 (6.5), 175 (7.5), 161 (6), 145 (17), 131 (14.5), 119 (18), 105 (17.5), 85 (100), 79 (23), 68 (14), 43 (14), 41 (13.5); 1 H-NMR (CD₃OD, 300 MHz) δ : 6.12 (1H, d, J=2.8 Hz, H-13 α), 5.63 (1H, d, J=2.4 Hz, H-13 β), 4.79 (1H, m, H-8), 3.71 (1H, m, H-4), 3.20 (1H, m, H-7), 2.36 (2H, q, J=7.0 Hz, H₂-3), 2.24 (2H, dd, J=6.1, 13.5 Hz, H₂-6), 1.46 (2H, m, H₂-9), 1.31 (2H, m), 1.12 (3H, J=6.3 Hz, H-15), 0.97 (3H, s, H-14), 0.92 (1H, m, H₂-2), 0.46 (1H, m, H-1), 0.38 (1H, m, H-5); 13 C-NMR (CD₃OD, 75 MHz) δ : 173.11(C-12), 141.47 (C-11), 123.55 (C-13), 78.12 (C-8), 68.41, 40.5 (C-7), 39.30, 38.64, 36.32, 32.14, 26.72, 24.68, 23.98, 18.88 (C-14), 18.48 (C-15).

Loliolide (6)

White crystals; $[\alpha]_0^{25}$ -57.32° (c 0.25, MeOH); UV (MeOH) λ_{max} 213 nm; EI-MS (rel.int.%) $\emph{m/z}$ 196 (M+, 27), 178 (55), 163 (32), 111 (100); 1 H-NMR (CD $_3$ OD, 600 MHz) δ : 5.75 (1H, s, H-3), 4.21 (1H, m, H-6), 2.41 (1H, td, $\emph{J}=$ 13.8 Hz, H-7 α), 1.97 (1H, td, $\emph{J}=$ 14.4 Hz, H-5 α), 1.76 (3H, s, H-10), 1.74 (1H, d, $\emph{J}=$ 3.3 Hz, H-7 β), 1.53 (1H, d, $\emph{J}=$ 3.6 Hz, H-5 β), 1.46 (3H, s, H-8), 1.27 (3H, s, H-9); 13 C-NMR (CD $_3$ OD, 150 MHz) δ : 185.43 (C-2), 174.55 (C-7b), 113.47 (C-3), 88.90 (C-7a), 67.34 (C-6), 47.93 (C-5), 46.55 (C-7), 37.28 (C-4), 31.16 (C-9), 27.57 (C-10), 26.98 (C-8).

Vomifoliol (7)

Colorless oil; UV (MeOH) λ_{max} 230 nm; ¹H-NMR (CD₃OD, 600 MHz) δ : 5.82 (1H, s, H-4), 5.80 (1H, d, J=3.7 Hz, H-8), 5.78 (1H, H-7), 4.31 (1H, q, H-9), 2.21 (1H, H-2a), 2.17

(1H, H-2b), 1.38 (3H, H-10), 1.04 (3H, s, H-11), 1.01 (3H, s, H-12); 13 C-NMR (CD₃OD, 150 MHz) δ : 200.86 (C-3), 161.54 (C-5), 136.98 (C-8), 130.08 (C-7), 125.94 (C-4), 79.98 (C-6), 68.72 (C-9), 49.92 (C-2), 42.26 (C-1), 24.74 (C-12), 23.84 (C-10), 23.55 (C-11), 20.05 (C-13).

Citrusin C (8)

White crystals; $[\alpha]_D^{25}$ -43.6° (c 1.0, MeOH,); UV (MeOH) λ_{max} 275 nm; IR ν_{max} (KBr) cm⁻¹: 3368 (OH), 2860 (arom. OCH₃), 1636 (C=C), 1076, 1029; ¹H-NMR (CD₃OD, 600 MHz) δ : 7.08 (1H, d, J=8.2 Hz, H-6), 6.82 (1H, d, J=1.9 Hz, H-3), 6.72 (1H, dd, J=1.9, 8.2 Hz, H-5), 5.94 (1H, dd, J=9.6, 16.9, Hz, H-8), 5.07 (1H, dd, J=1.6, 18.6 Hz, H-9a), 5.03 (1H, dd, J=1.6, 9.4 Hz, H-9b), 4.84 (1H, d, J=7.3 Hz, H-1'), 3.86 (1H, dd, J=6.0, 12.2 Hz, H_{glc}-6a), 3.83 (3H, s, H-10), 3.69 (1H, dd, J=5.1, 12.0 Hz, H_{glc}-6b), 3.47 (2H, m, H_{glc}-2, 5), 3.39 (2H, m, H_{glc}-3, 4), 3.32 (2H, d, J=6.7 Hz, H-7); ¹³C-NMR (CD₃OD, 150 MHz) δ : 150.85 (C-2), 146.31 (C-1), 138.92 (C-4), 136.58 (C-8), 122.19 (C-5), 118.30 (C-3), 115.97 (C-9), 114.29 (C-6), 103.18 (C_{glc}-1), 78.16 (C_{glc}-5), 77.80 (C_{glc}-3), 74.97 (C_{glc}-2), 71.41 (C_{glc}-4), 62.53 (C_{glc}-6), 56.74 (10-OCH₃), 40.86 (C-7).

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

The MeOH extract of the whole plants of *Carpesium macrocephalum* was suspended in water and then consecutively partitioned with *n*-Hexane, CH₂Cl₂, and EtOAc. The soluble parts of the *n*-Hexane and CH₂Cl₂ extract were purified by column chromatography using silica gel, as well as a combination of polyamide column chromatography and preparative HPLC, to yield the eight known compounds (**1-8**, Fig. 1).

Among them, compounds **2**, **4**, and **6-8** have been isolated for the first time from *Carpesium* species.

Compound 1 was obtained as yellowish oil. The EI-MS spectrum showed the molecular ion peak at m/z 248. The $^{1}\text{H-NMR}$ spectrum showed two doublet signals at δ 6.24 (1H, d, J=2.8 Hz, H-13 α) and 5.55 (1H, d, J=2.4 Hz, H-13β), which are characteristic of the exocyclic methylene protons of an α-methylene-γ-lactone group (Yoshioka et al., 1973). Moreover, two up-field signals showed at δ 2.16 (3H, s) and 1.17 (3H, s) were assigned to methyl protons at C-15 and 14, respectively, in the HMQC spectrum. The ¹³C-NMR spectrum showed three signals at δ 170.67, 138.93, and 122.57 (C-12, 11, and 13, respectively) due to the α -methylene- γ -lactone moiety, carbonyl group at δ 208.68 (C-4), and two methyl signals at δ 30.07 and 18.19 (C-15 and 14, respectively). Based on the foregoing observations and a comparison of the data with the literature (Maruyama and Omura, 1977), compound 1 was determined to be carabrone.

Compound 2 was obtained as colorless oil. The EI-MS

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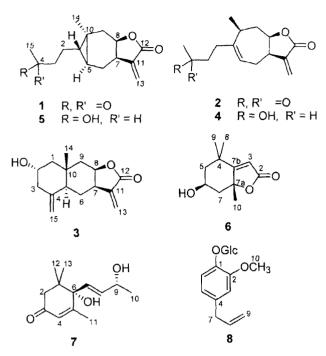


Fig. 1. Chemical structures of compounds 1-8 from C. macrocephalum

spectrum showed the molecular ion peak at $\emph{m/z}$ 248. In the $^{1}\text{H-}$ and $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ spectra showed typical signals due to the α -methylene- γ -lactone moiety (δ_{H} 6.26, 1H, d, \emph{J} =2.8 Hz, H-13 α : 5.52, 1H, d, \emph{J} =2.2 Hz, H-13 β ; δ_{C} 170.31, C-12: 138.94, C-11: 122.19, C-13) (Yoshioka $\emph{et al., }$ 1973). Moreover, two up-field signals at δ 2.16 (3H, s) and 1.14 (3H, d, \emph{J} =2.2 Hz), and one down-field signal at δ 5.44 (1H, t) were assigned to methyl protons and olefinic proton at C-15, 14, and 5, respectively, in the HMQC spectrum. Down-field signal at δ 208.09 was assigned to carbonyl carbon at C-4 in the $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$ spectrum. Based on the foregoing observations and a comparison of the data with the literature (Bohlman $\emph{et al., }$ 1978), compound **2** was determined to be tomentosin (2,3-dihydro-4-one-1(5), 11(13)-xanthadien-8 β ,12-olide).

Compound **3** was obtained as white crystals, showed the absorbance band at 3502 (OH), 1773 (α -methylene- γ -lactone moiety), 1723 (C=O), and 1646 (C=C) cm⁻¹ in the IR spectrum. The EI-MS spectrum showed the molecular ion peak at m/z 248. The ¹H-NMR spectrum was also showed two doublet signals at δ 6.15 (1H, d, J=3.0 Hz, H-13 α) and 5.61 (1H, d, J=3.0 Hz, H-13 β), which are characteristic of the exocyclic methylene protons of an α -methylene- γ -lactone group (Yoshioka *et al.*, 1973), two down-field signals at δ 4.89 (1H, d-like, H-15a) and 4.57 (1H, d-like, H-15b) were assigned to methylene protons. The ¹³C-NMR spectrum showed three signals at δ 170.46, 141.91, and 120.44 (C-12, 11, and 13, respectively) due to the α -methylene- γ -lactone moiety, two signals due to the C-15 and C-4 carbons at δ 145.98 and 109.35,

respectively, and one methyl signal due to the C-14 carbon at δ 18.74. Based on the forgoing observations and a comparison of the data with the literature (Walter *et al.*, 1976), compound **3** was determined to be ivalin (2 α -hydroxy-4(15),11(13)-eudesmadien-8 β ,12-olide).

Compound 4 was obtained as colorless oil. The El-MS spectrum showed the molecular ion peak at m/z 250. The ¹H-NMR spectrum showed of 4 was similar to that of 2; their only difference was that a methyl singlet at δ 2.16 (3H, H-15) in the spectrum of 2 replaced by a 3H doublet at δ 1.07 (d, J=6.2 Hz, H-15) and a 1H multiplet at δ 3.32 (H-4) in the spectrum of 4. These facts suggested that 4 had a secondary hydroxyl group in place of carbonyl group of 2. However, the stereochemistry of OH group at C-4 could not be determined by comparison of the ¹H-NMR data of literature (Bohlmann *et al.*, 1978). Based on the foregoing observations and a comparison of the data with the literature (Bohlmann *et al.*, 1978), compound 4 was determined to be 4*H*-tomentosin (2,3-dihydro-4-hydroxy-1(5),11(13)-xanthadien-8 β ,12-olide).

Compound **5** was obtained as colorless oil. The EI-MS spectrum showed the molecular ion peak at m/z 250. The ¹H-NMR spectrum showed of **5** was similar to that of **1**; their only difference was that a methyl singlet at δ 2.16 (3H, H-15) in the spectrum of **1** replaced by a 3H doublet at δ 1.12 (d, J=6.3 Hz, H-15) and a 1H multiplet at δ 3.71 (H-4) in the spectrum of **5**. These facts suggested that **5** had a secondary hydroxyl group in place of carbonyl group of **1**. However, the stereochemistry of OH group at C-4 could not be determined by comparison of the ¹H-NMR data of literature (Maruyama *et al.*, 1983). Based on the foregoing observations and a comparison of the data with the literature (Maruyama *et al.*, 1983), compound **5** was determined to be carabrol.

Compound **6** was obtained as white crystals, showed the absorbance band at 213 nm in the UV spectrum. The EI-MS spectrum showed the molecular ion peak at m/z 196. The ¹H-NMR spectrum showed two germinal methyl protons at δ 1.46 (3H, s, H-8) and 1.27 (3H, s, H-9). The ¹³C-NMR spectrum showed carbonyl group at δ 185.43 (C-2). Based on the NMR spectral evidence, and a comparison of the data with the literature (Valdes III, 1986), compound **6** was determined to be loliolide (5,6,7,7a-tetrahydro-6-hydroxy-4,4,7a-trimethyl-2(4*H*)-benzofuranone).

Compound **7** was obtained as white crystals, showed the absorbance band at 230 nm. The 1 H-NMR spectrum showed germinal methyl protons at δ 1.04 (3H, s, H-12) and 1.01 (3H, s, H-13), and *trans* olefinic protons at δ 5.80 (1H, d, J=3.7 Hz, H-8) and 5.78 (1H, H-7). The 13 C-NMR spectrum exhibited a carbonyl carbon at δ 200.86 (C-3), four methyl carbons at δ 24.74 (C-12), 23.84 (C-10), 23.55 (C-11), and 20.05 (C-13). Based on the NMR

spectral evidence, and a comparison of the data with the literature (Okamura *et al.*, 1981), compound **7** was determined to be vomifoliol (6,9-dihydroxy-4,7-megastigmadien-3-one).

Compound 8 was obtained as white crystals, showed the absorbance band at 275 nm. Its IR spectrum showed absorption bands due to hydroxyl groups (3368, 1076, and 1029 cm⁻¹) and olefinic group (1636 cm⁻¹). The ¹H-NMR spectrum showed four olefinic protons at δ 7.08 (1H, d. J=8.2 Hz, H-6), 6.82 (1H, d, J=1.9 Hz, H-3), 6.72 (1H, dd, J=1.9, 8.2 Hz, H-5), and 5.94 (1H, dd, J=9.6, 16.9 Hz, H-8), four methylene protons at δ 5.07 (1H, dd, J=1.6, 8.6 Hz, H-9a), 5.03 (1H, dd, J=1.6, 9.4 Hz, H-9b), and 3.32 (2H. d. J=6.7 Hz. H₂-7), and methoxy group at δ 3.83 (3H, s, H-10). Moreover, three signals due to a glucosyl moiety were observed at δ 4.84 (1H, d, J=7.3 Hz, $H_{olc}=1$), 3.86 (1H, dd, J=6.0, 12.2 Hz, H_{alc}-6a), and 3.69 (1H, dd, J=5.1, 12.0 Hz, H_{ole}-6b), of which the coupling constant indicated the β-linkage (Kim et al., 2004) with the aglycone. The ¹³C-NMR spectrum showed signals due to D-glucopyranoside, trisubstituted olefinic carbons at δ 150.85 (C-2), 146.31 (C-1), and 138.92 (C-4), another olefinic carbons at δ 122.19 (C-5), 118.30 (C-3), and 114.29 (C-6), and methoxy carbon at δ 56.74 (C-10). Based on the NMR spectral evidence, and a comparison of the data with the literature (Tomoyuki and Mitsuru, 1992), compound 8 was determined to be citrusin C (eugenyl O-β-D-glucopyranoside).

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