

## Supplementary Material

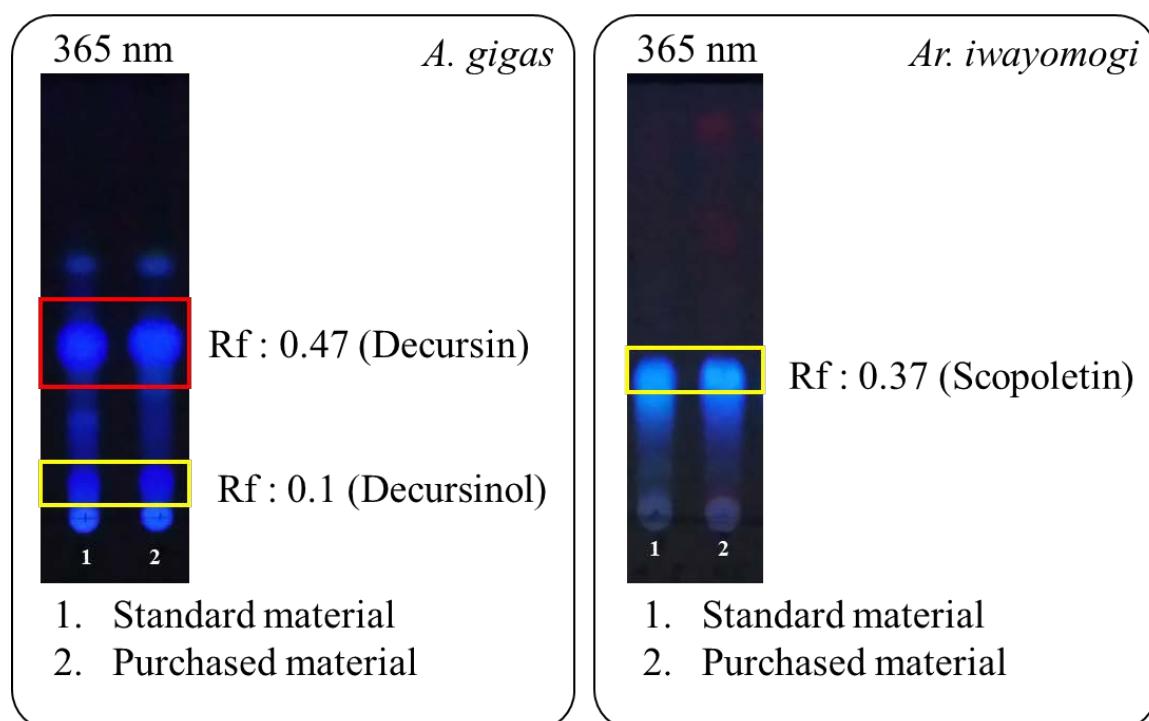
### 1. Verifications of two medicinal plants

#### 1.1. Analysis of roots of *Angelica gigas* Nakai

Weigh 1 g of standard material, add 5 mL of ethanol, heat it in a water bath for 10 minutes, cool it, and use the filtered solution as the standard solution. It is dropped on normal-phase thin-layer chromatography (TLC) plate. Next, a *n*-hexane/ethyl acetate mixture (2:1) is used as a developing solvent. Among the spots obtained by irradiation with ultraviolet (365 nm), two spots with the same color and retention factor (Rf) value are identified (decursinol at Rf: 0.1 and decursin at Rf: 0.4).

#### 1.2. Analysis of aerial parts of *Artemisia iwayomogi* Kitamura

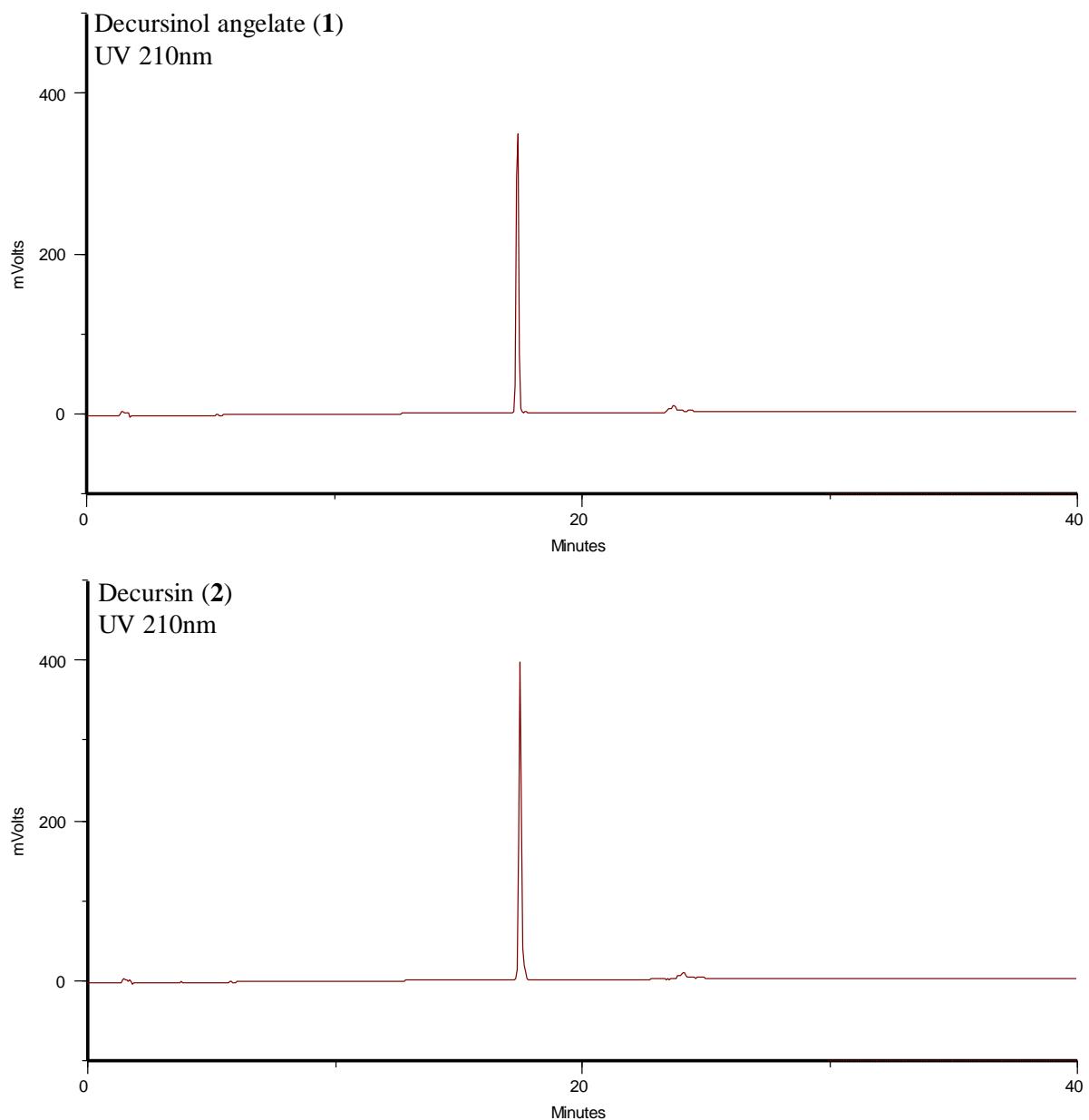
The method of NHMI was used with some modifications. Brief, weigh 2 g of standard material, add 10 mL of methanol, perform ultrasonic extraction for 10 minutes, and use the filtered solution as the standard solution. It is dropped on the TLC plate. Next, a *n*-hexane/ethyl acetate mixture (2:1) is used as a developing solvent. Next, a petroleum ether/ethyl acetate/acetone mixture (4:5:0.5) is developed as a developing solvent. By irradiating ultraviolet (365 nm), the composition and color of the spots between the standard material and the purchased material are compared (scopoletin at Rf: 0.37).



## 2. Analytical conditions of LC-ion trap MS

An LC-MS/MS equipped with electrospray ionization (ESI) interface and an ion trap mass analyzer (ThermoFinnigan LCQ Advantage MAX ion trap mass spectrometer) was applied to the MS and multistage mass spectrometry (MS<sup>n</sup>) analysis. Separation was carried out on ThermoFinnigan surveyor MS Pump using a Kinetex C18 column (150 × 4.6 mm, 5 µm; Phenomenex®, USA). The column was maintained at room temperature and flow rate was 1 mL/min (LC-MS post column flow splitters fixed, split ratio = 4:1). The mobile phase consisted of 0.1% formic acid in water (A) and 100% acetonitrile (B). The gradient profile was 0 to 30 min linear increase in B from 20% to 100%; 10 min held at 100% B. The ESI source was used and operated in both positive and negative ion mode. Mass analyzer scanned from 50 to 2,000 m/z. Collision induced dissociation spectra were obtained with a fragmentation amplitude of 40 V using helium as the collision gas.

**Table S1.** Analytical conditions of each compound



**Fig. S1. HPLC chromatograms of decursinol angelate (1) and decursin (2) (purity > 98%).** HPLC condition: HPLC analysis was carried out using a Gilson 151 UV-VIS detector and a 321 pump, and equipped with a Kinetex C18 column (150 × 4.6 mm, 5 µm; Phenomenex®, USA). The column was maintained at room temperature and flow rate was 1 mL/min. The mobile phase consisted of water (A) and 100% acetonitrile (B). The gradient profile was 0–30 min linear increase in B from 20% to 100%; 10 min held at 100% B.

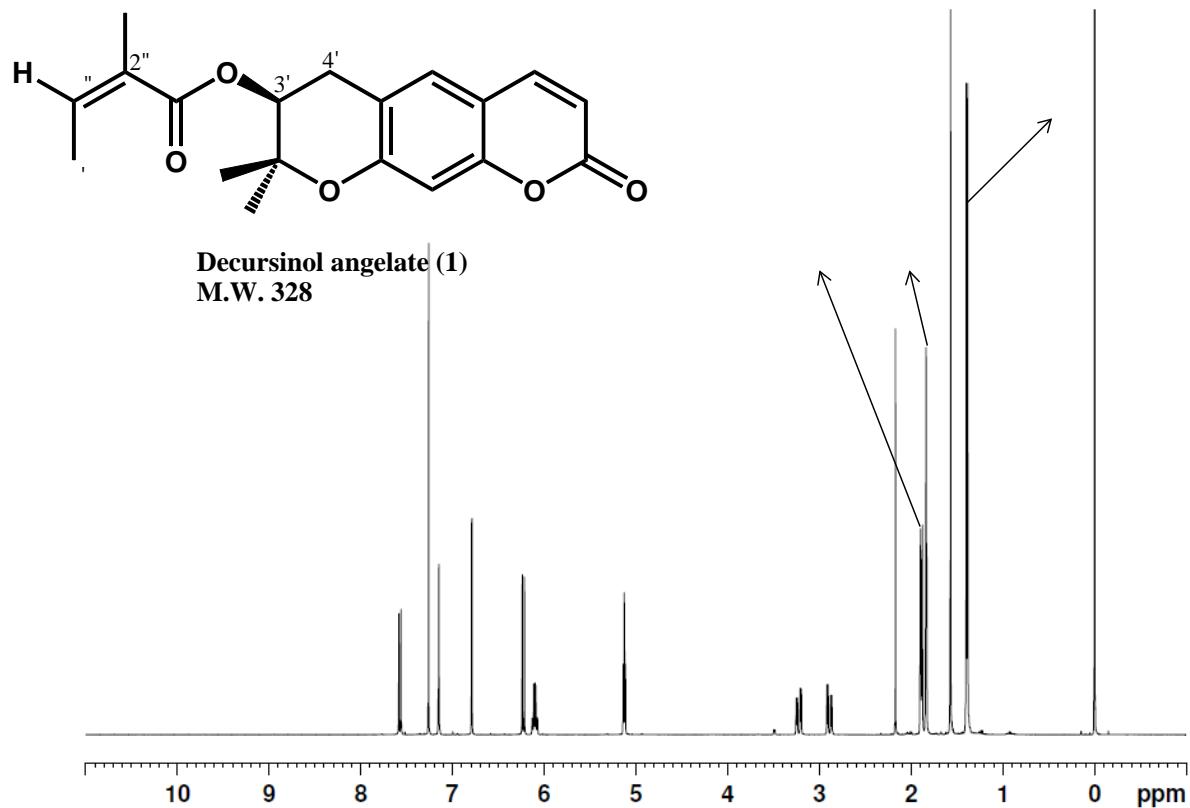


Fig. S2. <sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectrum of decursinol angelate (1).

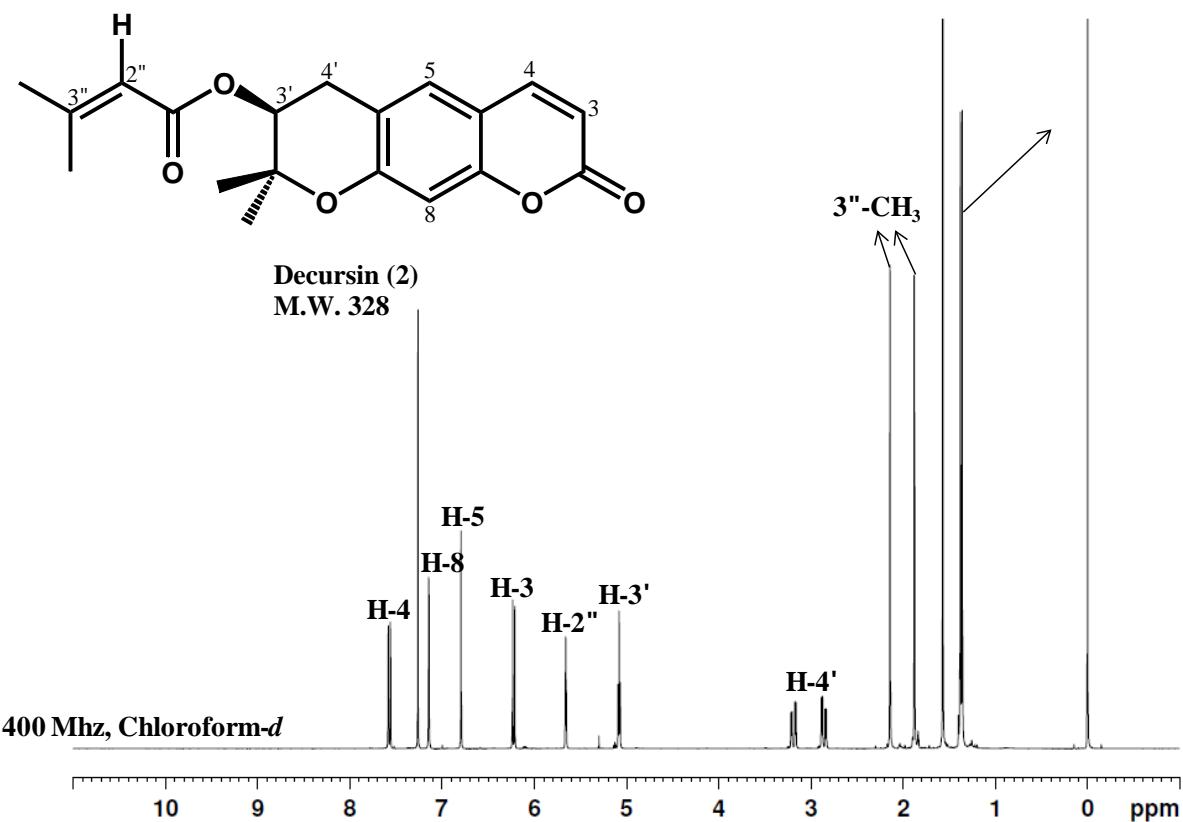


Fig. S3. <sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectrum of decursin (2).

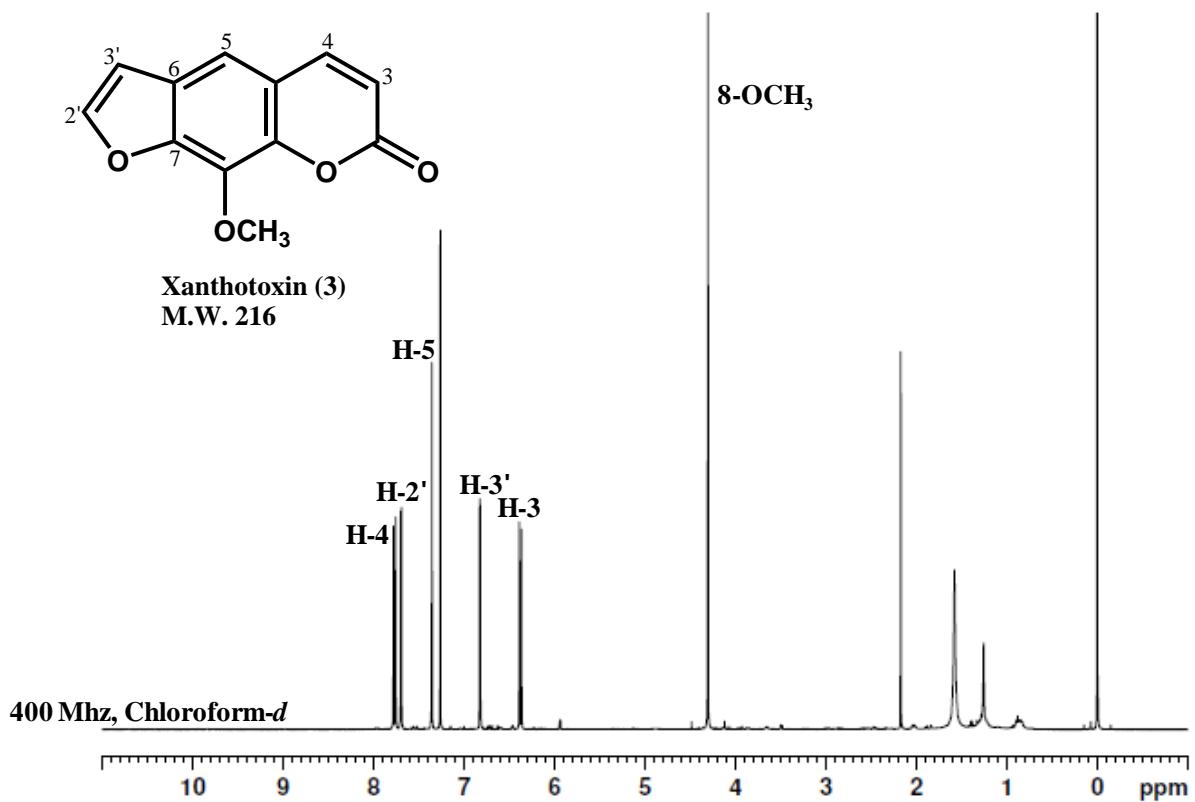
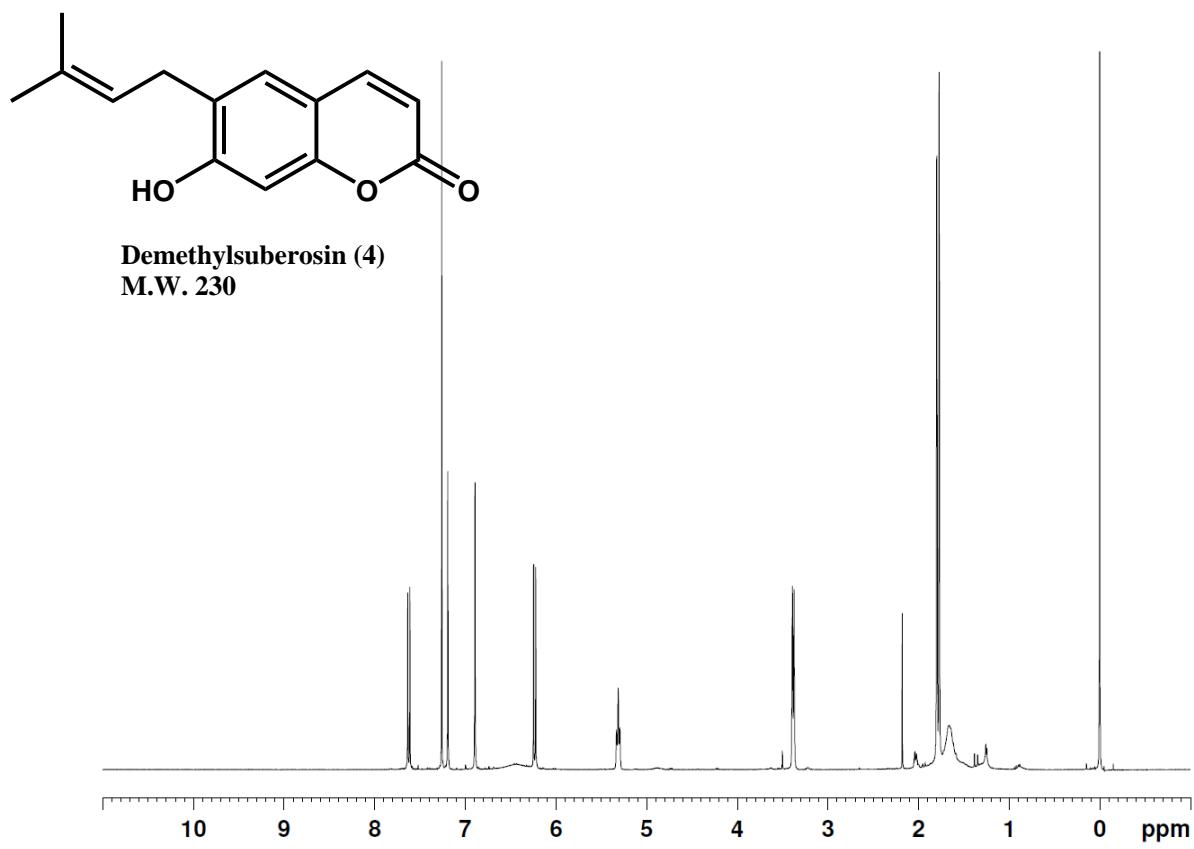
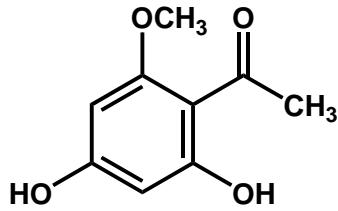


Fig. S4.  $^1\text{H}$ -NMR spectrum of xanthotoxin (3).



**Fig. S5.**  $^1\text{H}$ -NMR spectrum of demethylsuberosin (4).



2,4-Dihydroxy-6-methoxyacetophenone (**5**)  
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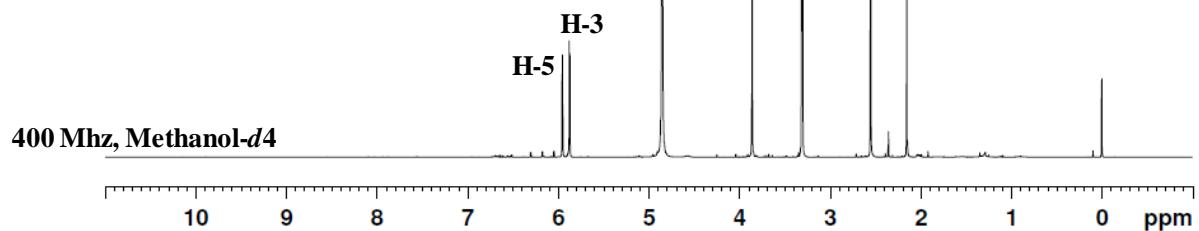
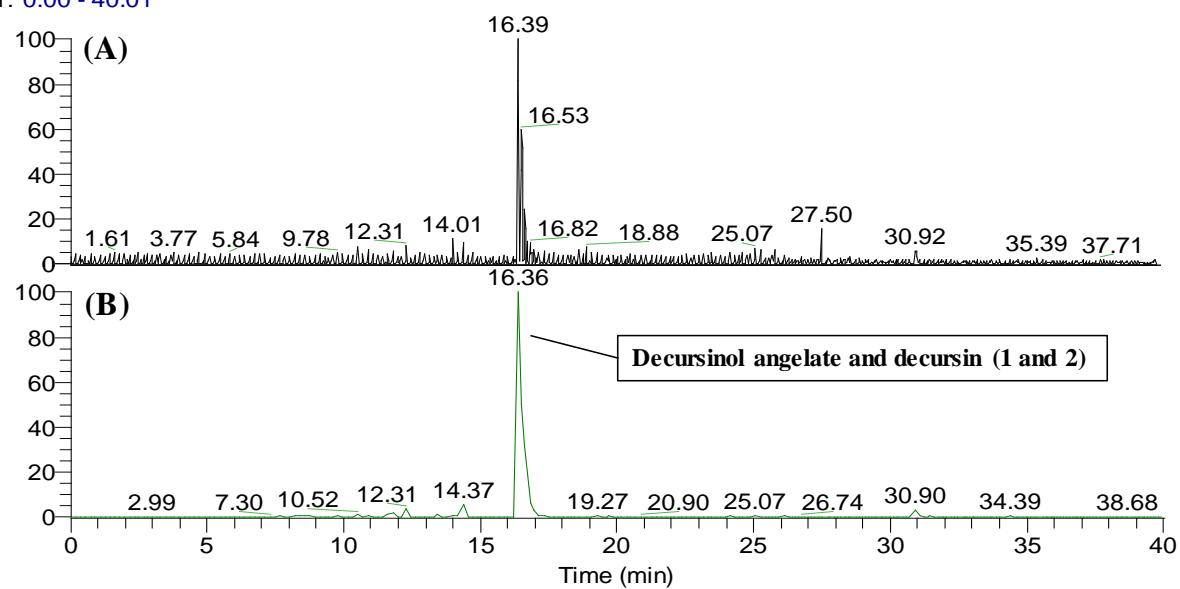


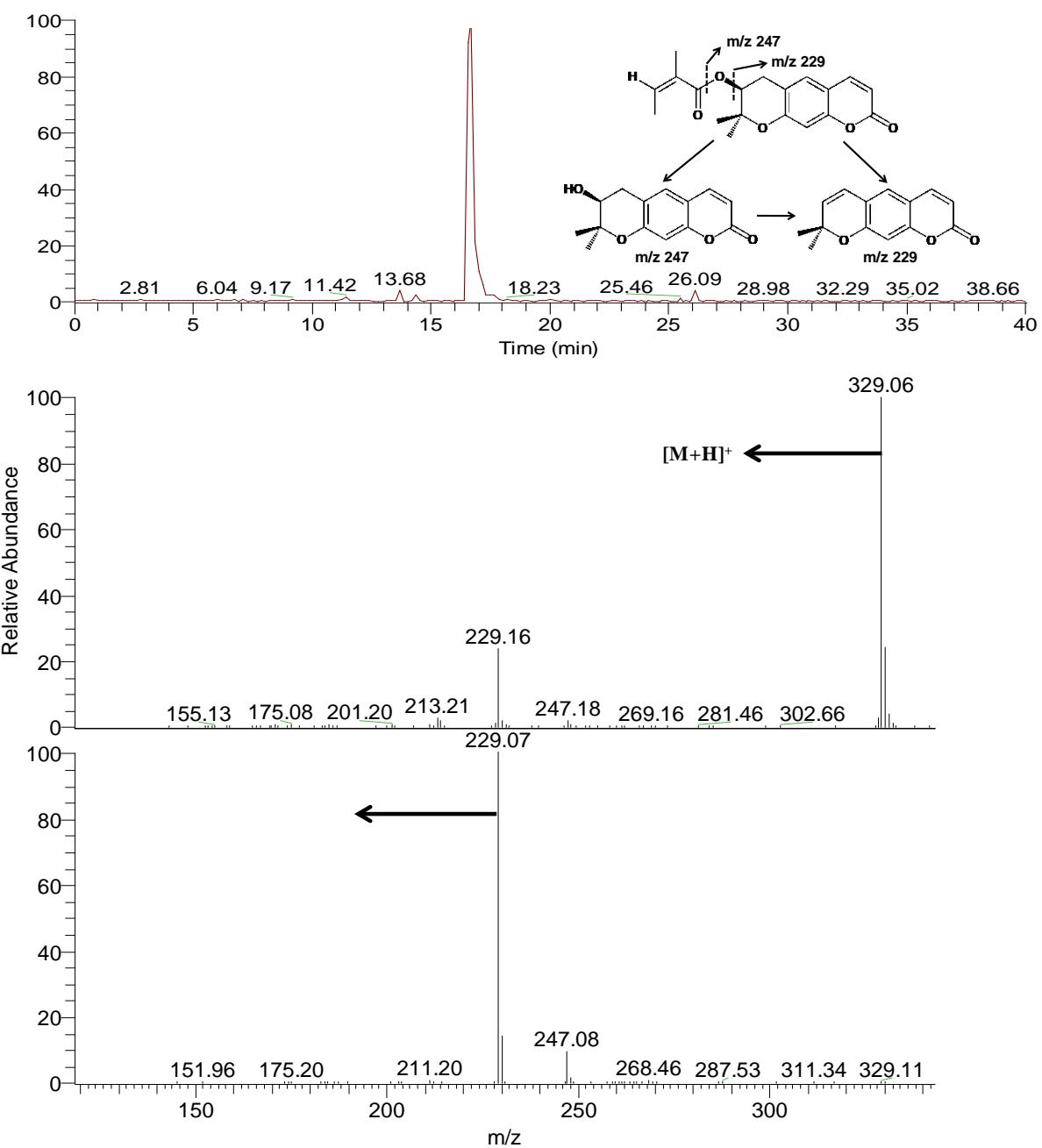
Fig. S6. <sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectrum of 2,4-Dihydroxy-6-methoxyacetophenone (**5**).

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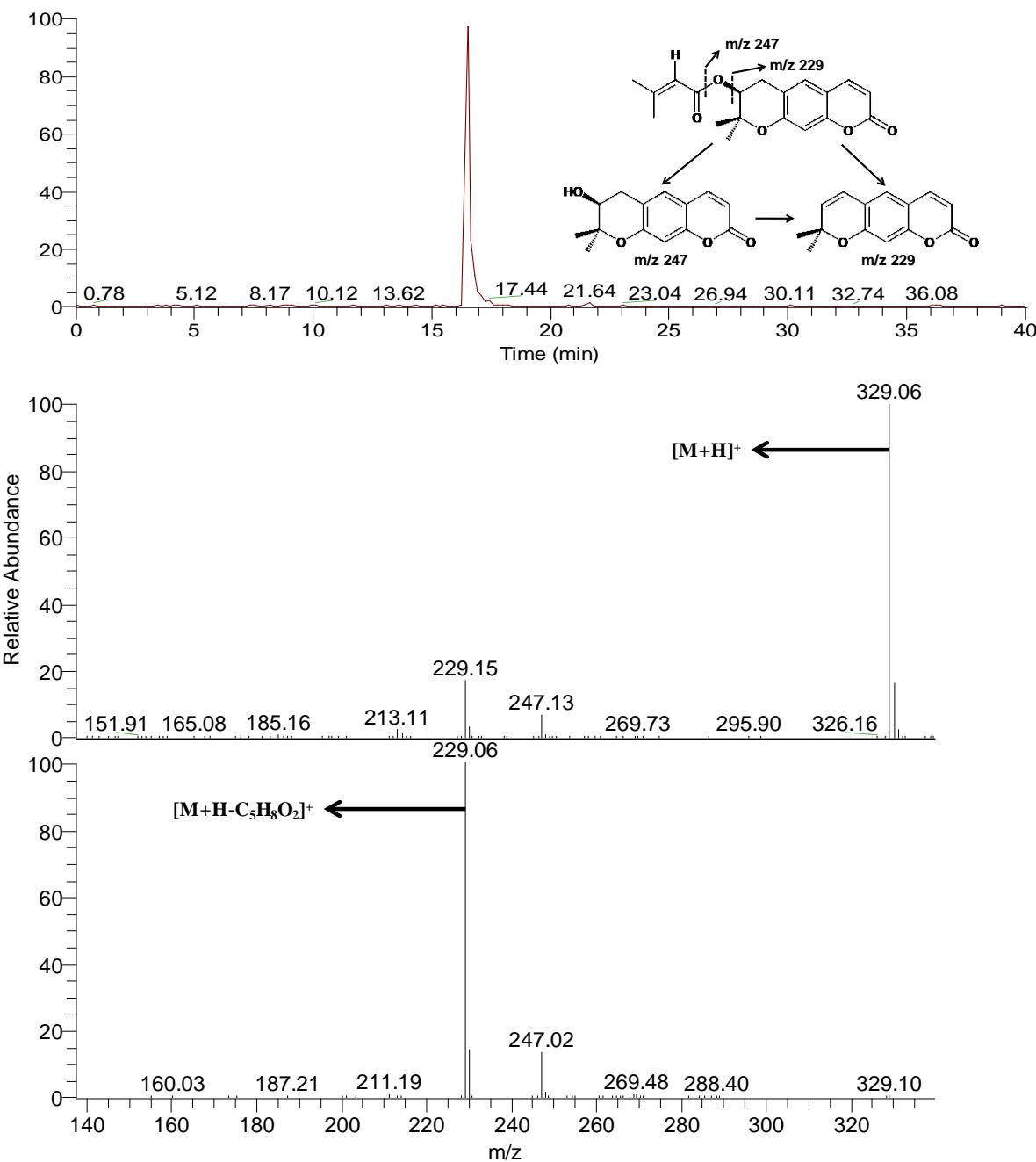


**Fig. S7. LC-MS chromatograms of active sub-fraction MC-I. (A)** Total ion chromatogram of MC-I. **(B)**

Chromatogram of positive ESI-MS.

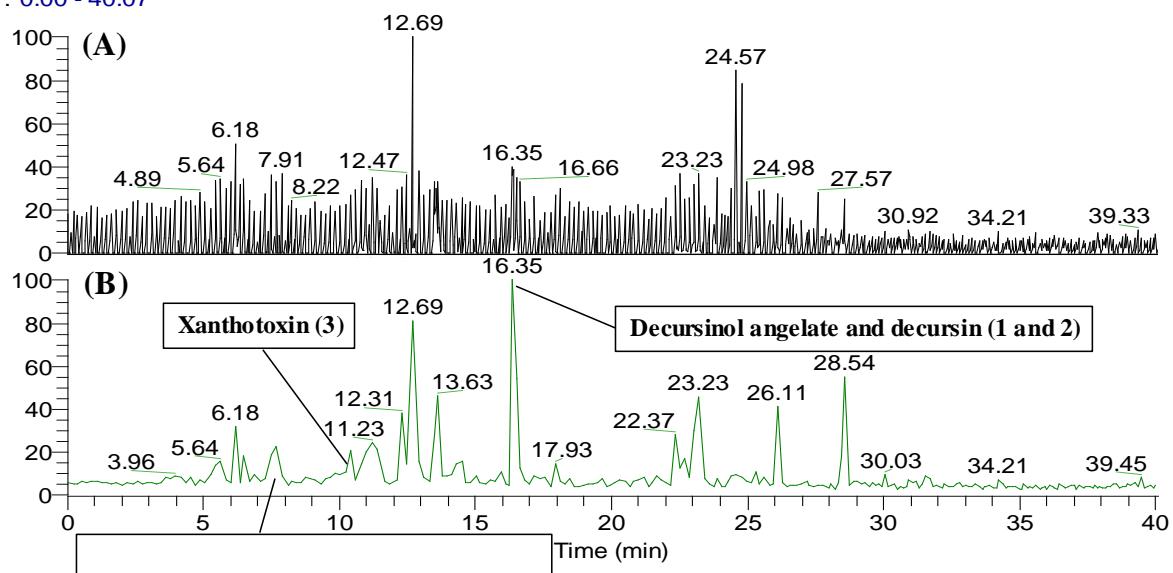


**Fig. S8. MS fragmentation of decursinol angelate (1).**

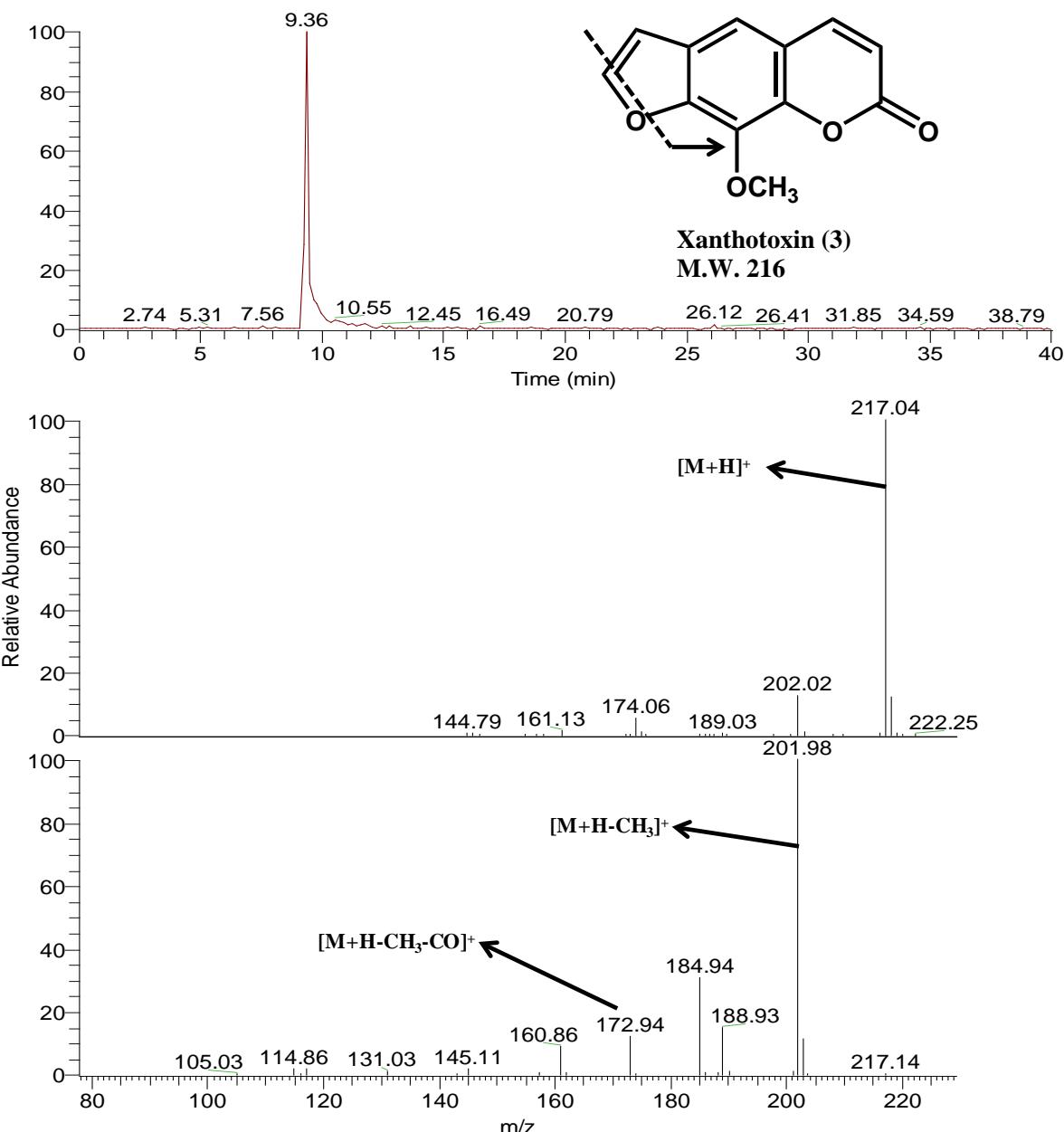


**Fig. S9. MS fragmentation of decursin (2).**

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**Fig. S10. LC-MS chromatograms of active sub-fraction MC-II. (A)** Total ion chromatogram of MC-II. **(B)** Chromatogram of positive ESI-MS.



**Fig. S11. MS fragmentation of xanthotoxin (3).**

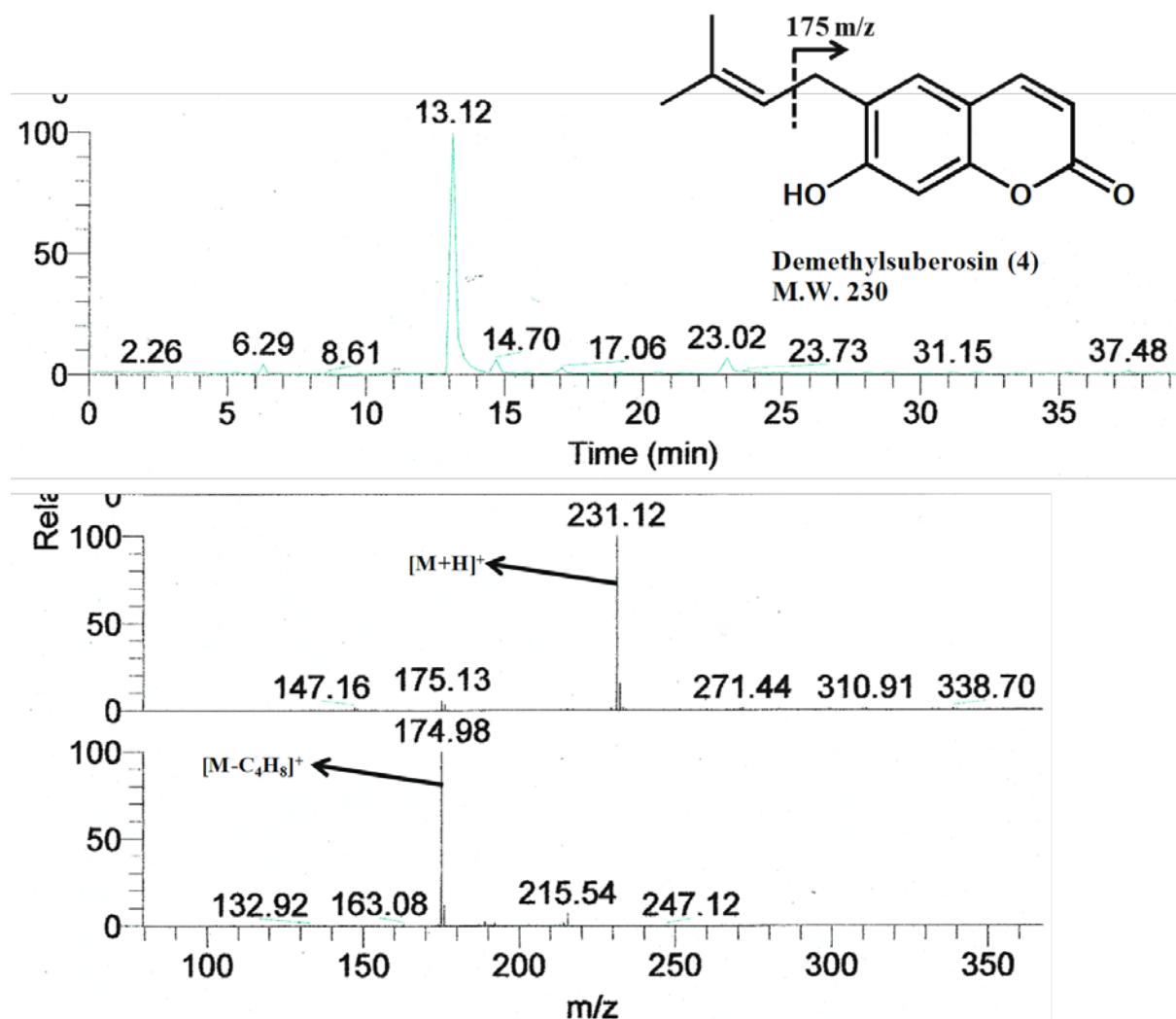
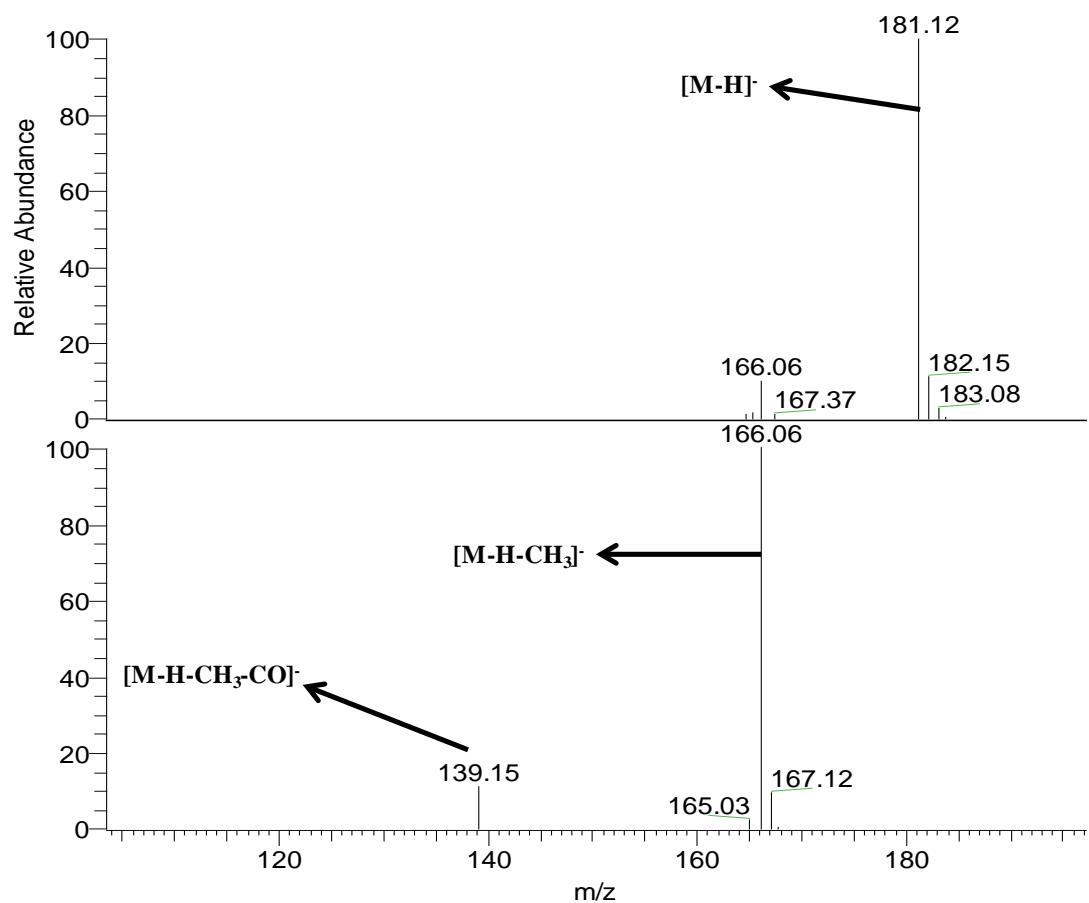
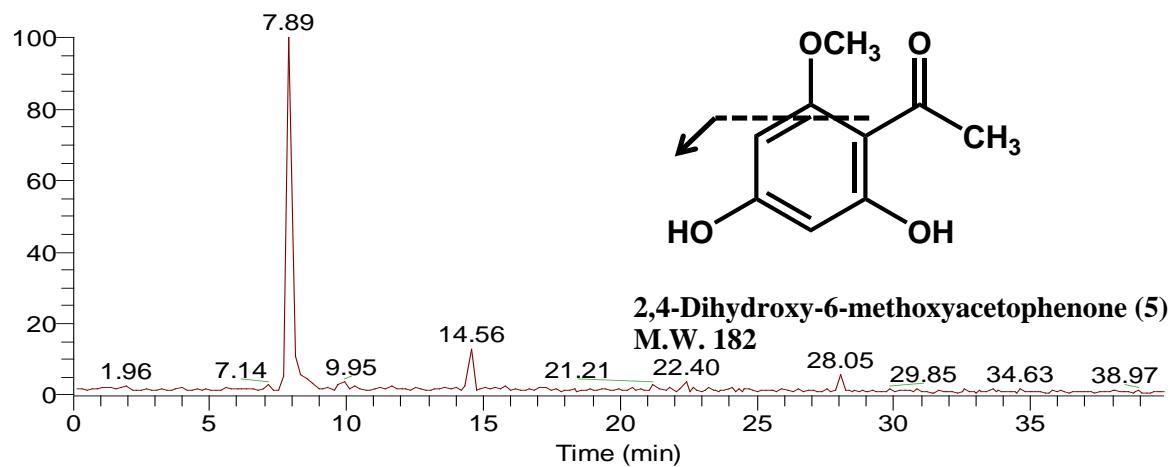
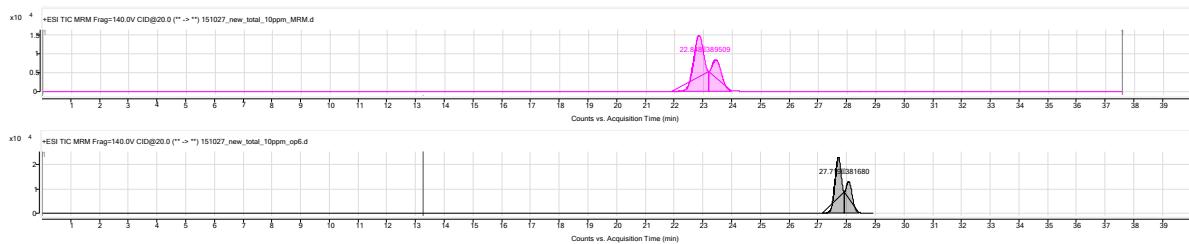


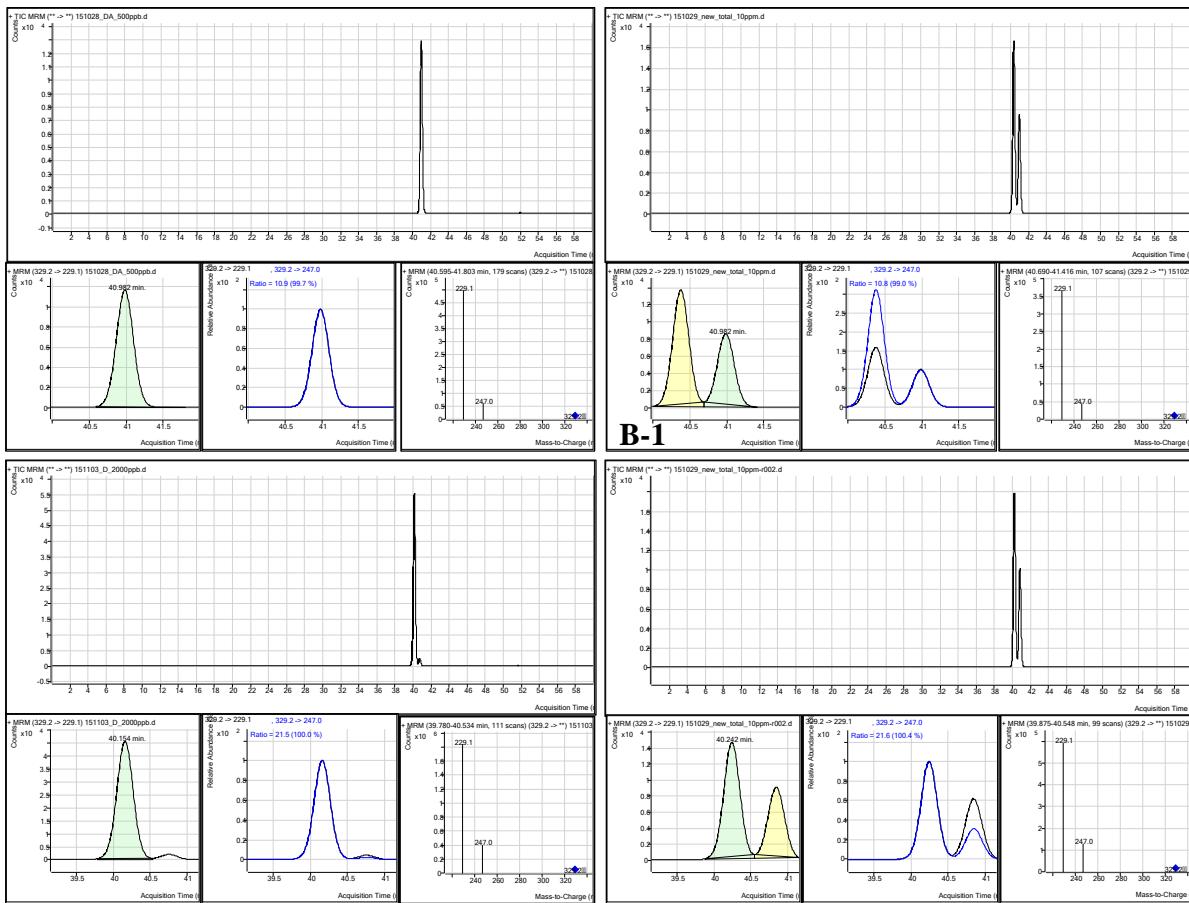
Fig. S12. MS fragmentation of demethylsuberosin (4).



**Fig. S13.** MS fragmentation of 2,4-Dihydroxy-6-methoxyacetophenone (5).



**Fig. S14. LC-MS chromatogram for decursinol angelate (1) and decursin (2) in CE in two different C<sub>18</sub> columns (50 or 150 × 4.6 mm, solvent conditions are the same as in Table S1).**



**Fig. S15. Specificity of decursinol angelate (**1**) and decursin (**2**).** (A) MRM chromatogram of each standard compound; A-1, 2: peak area and retention time of each standard compound; (B) MRM chromatogram of CE; B-1, 2: peak area and retention time of each active compound in CE.