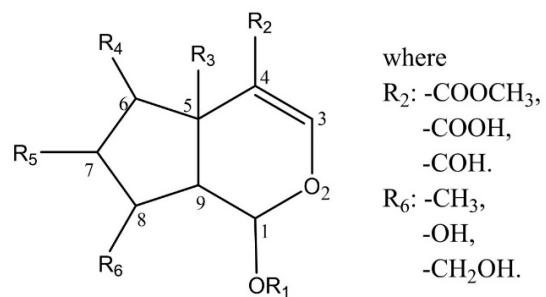
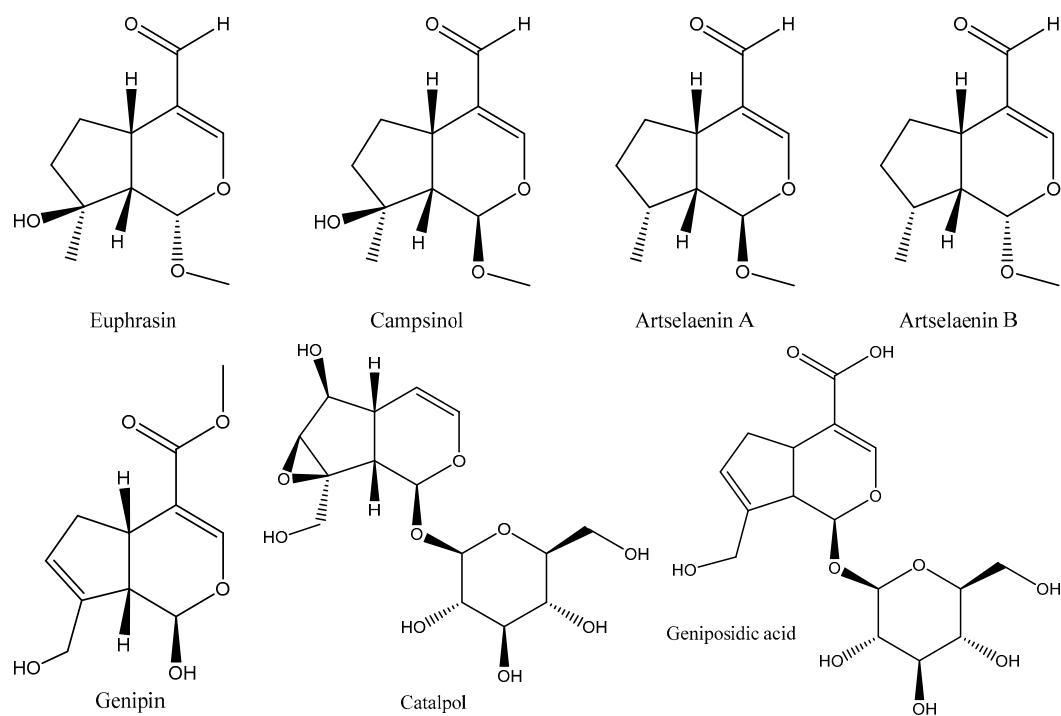


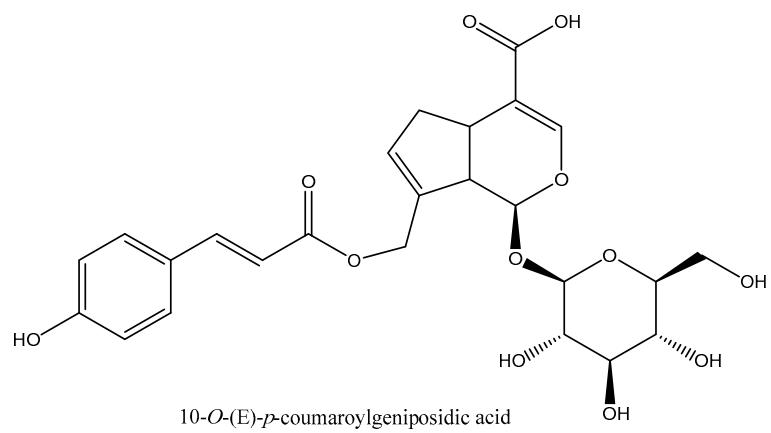
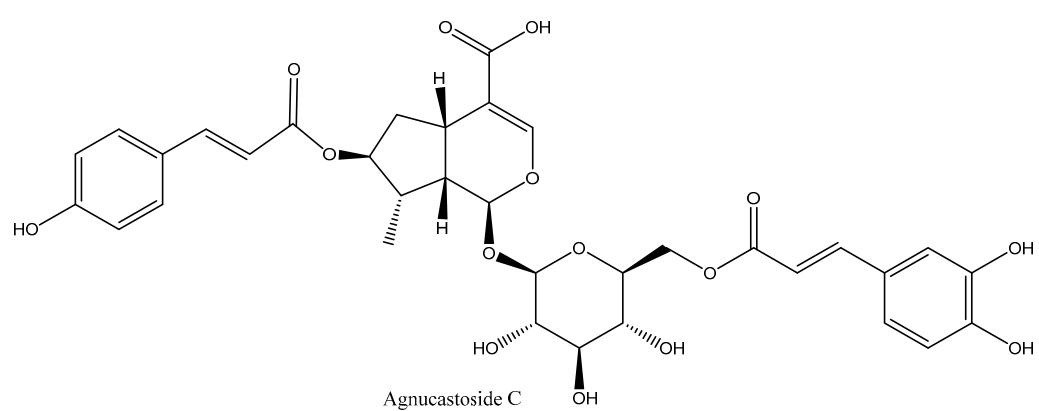
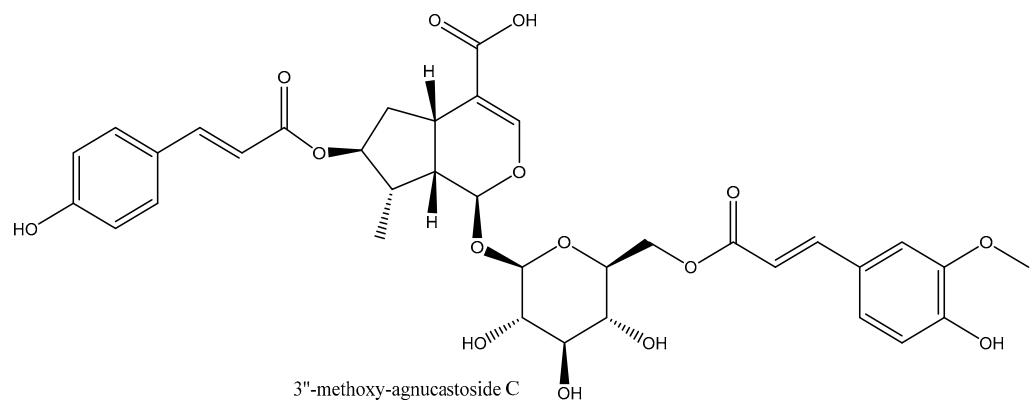
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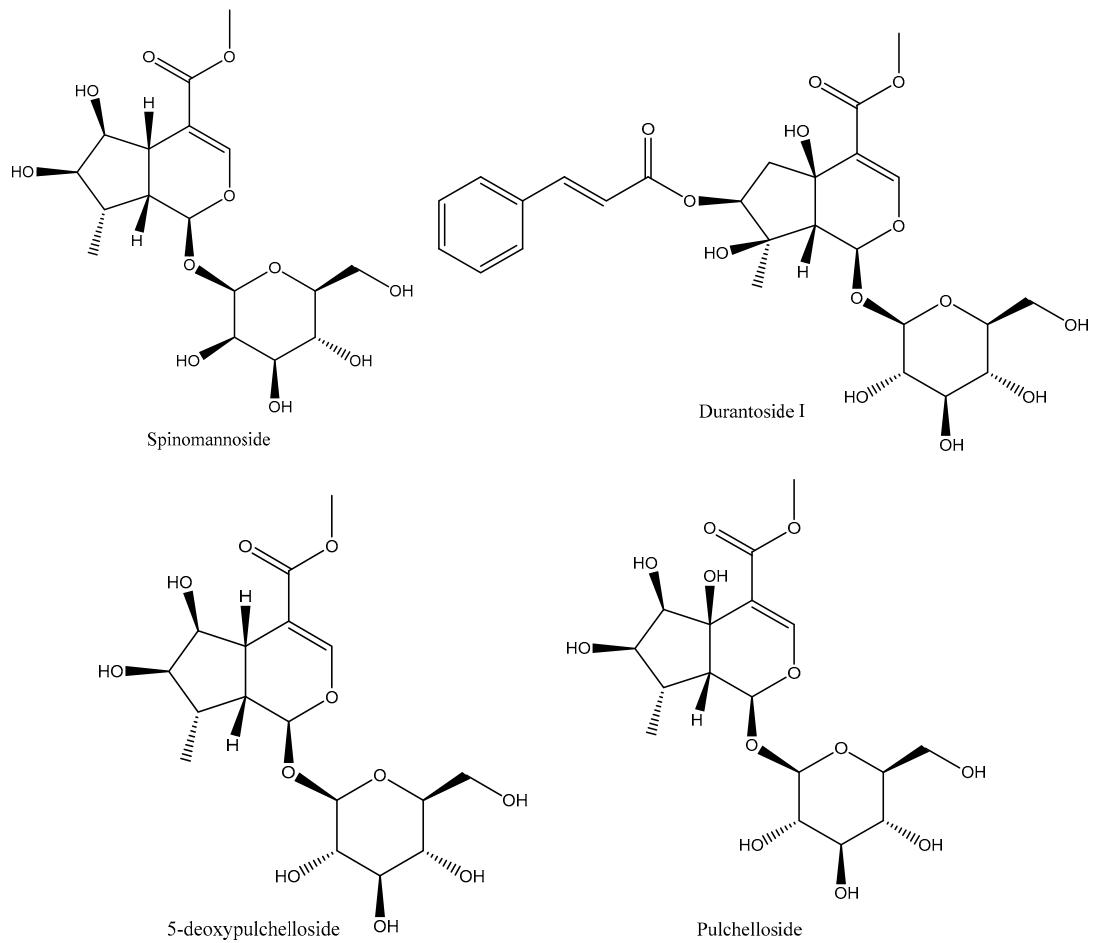
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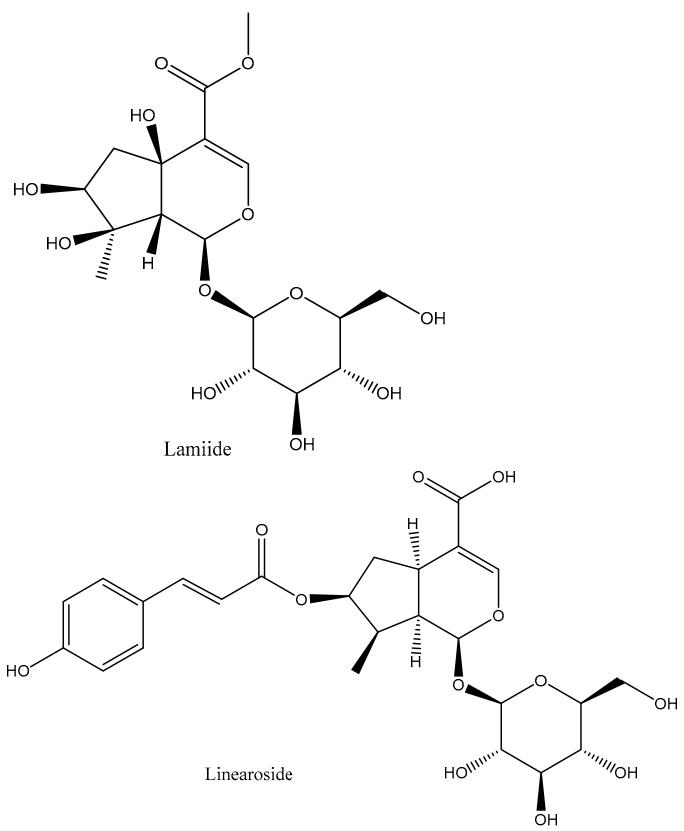


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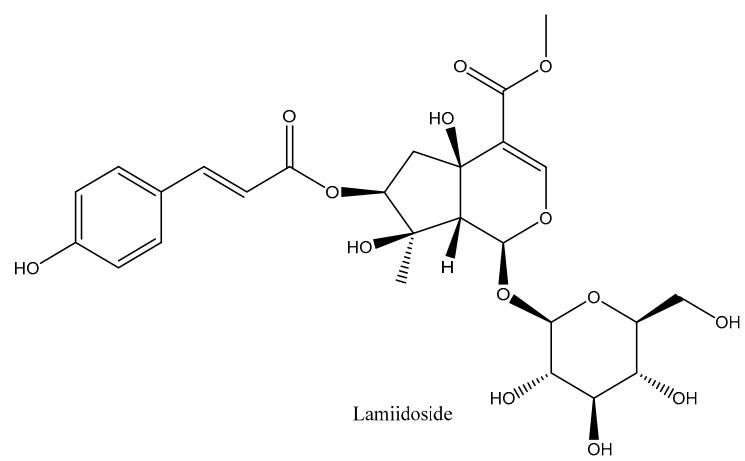


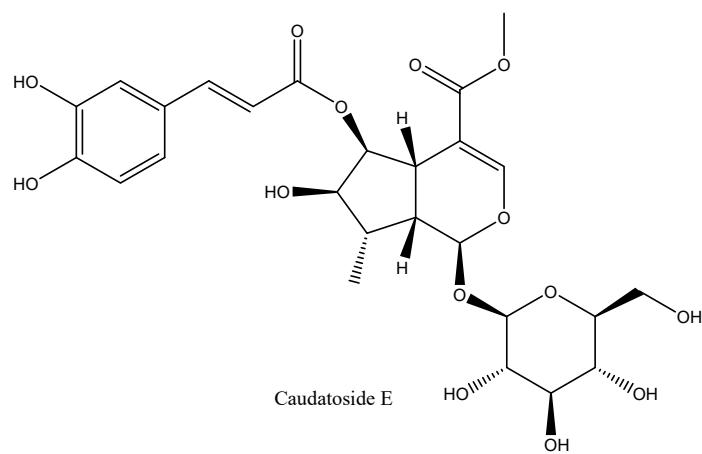
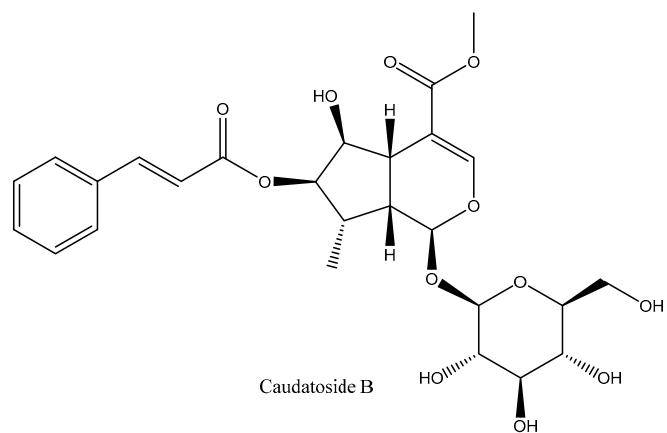
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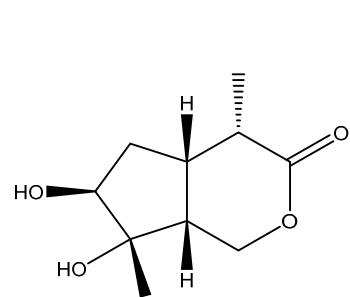


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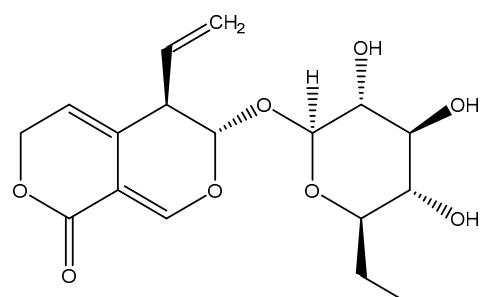




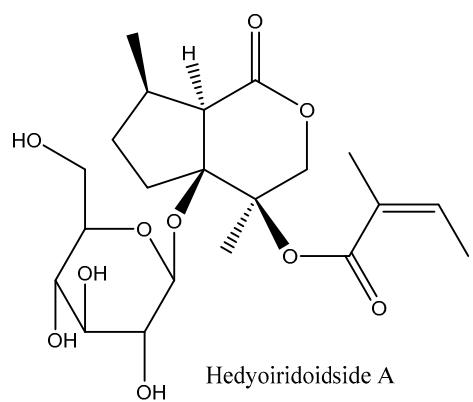
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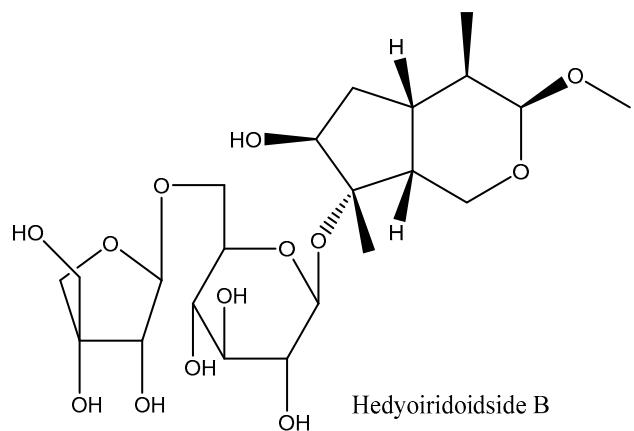
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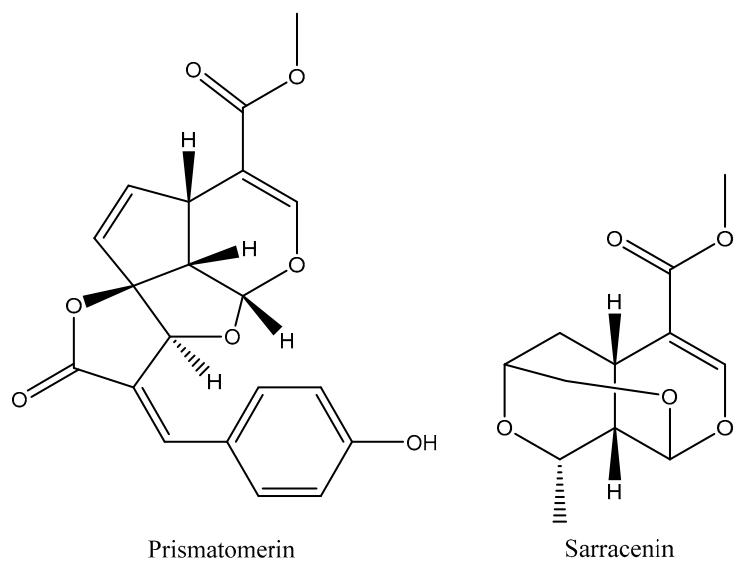


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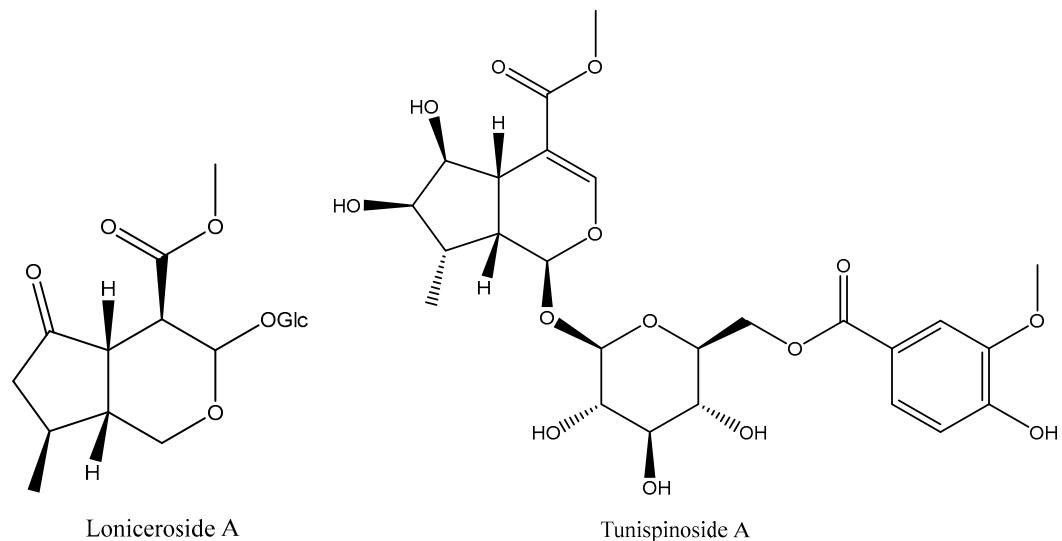
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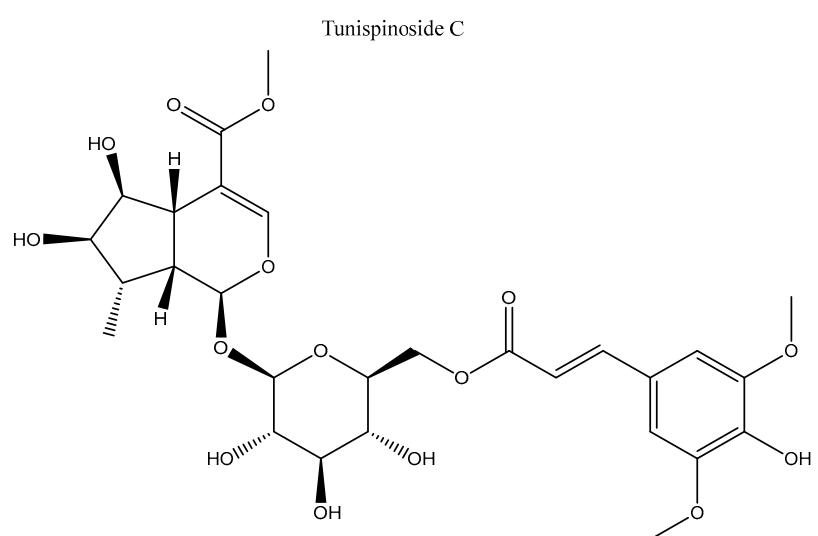
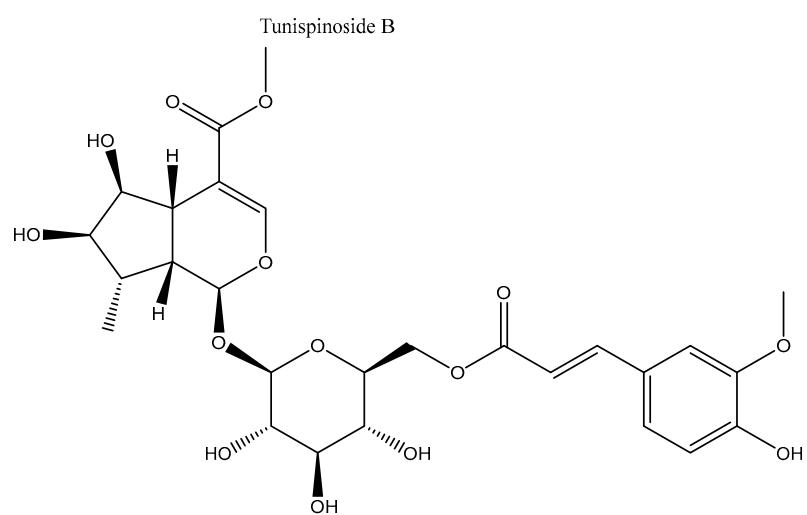
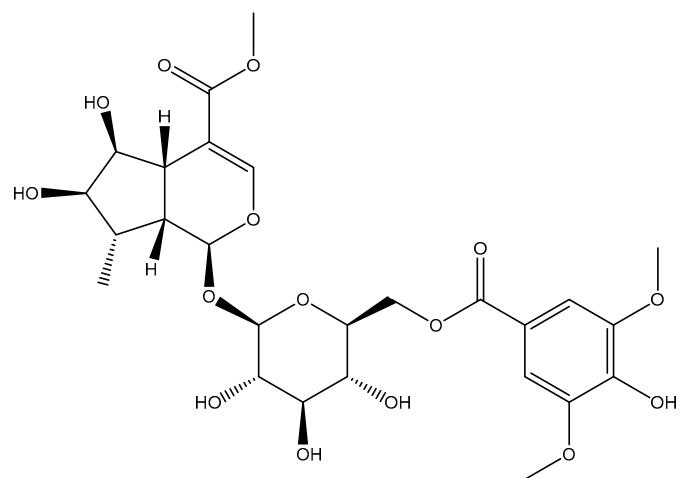
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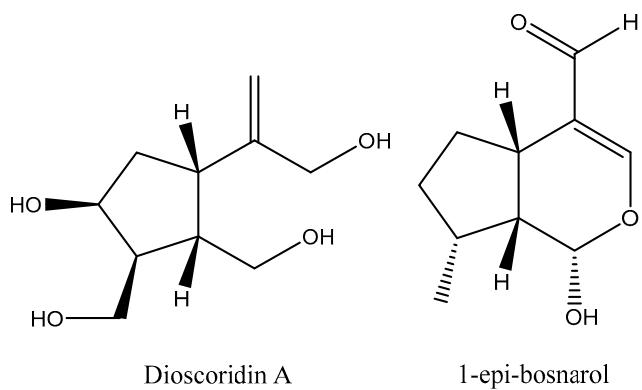
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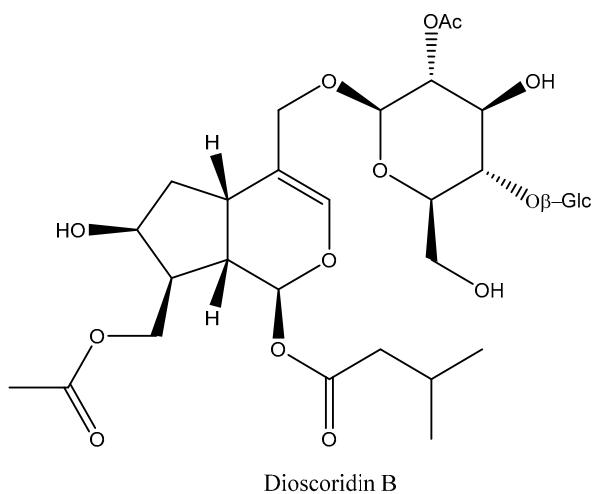
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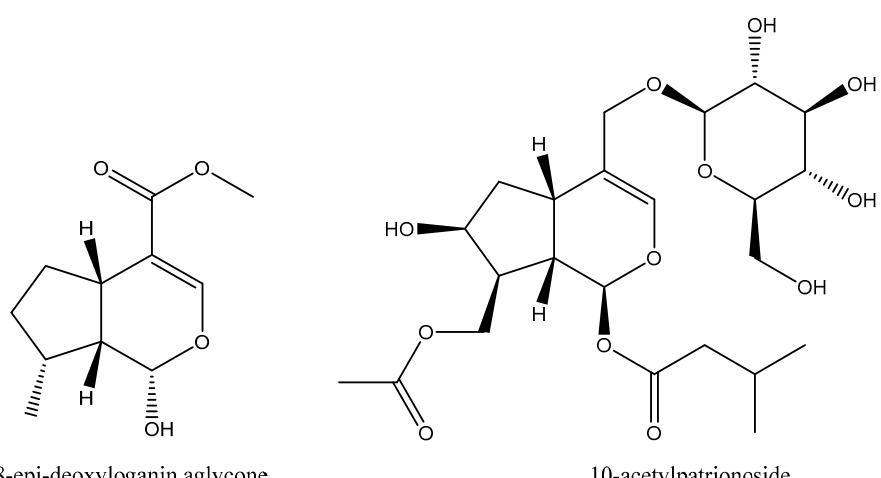
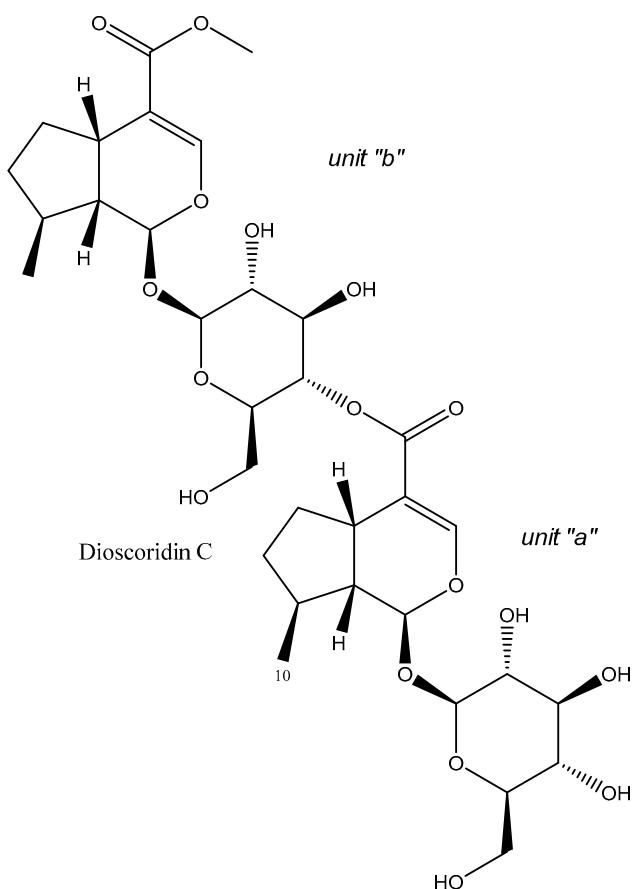
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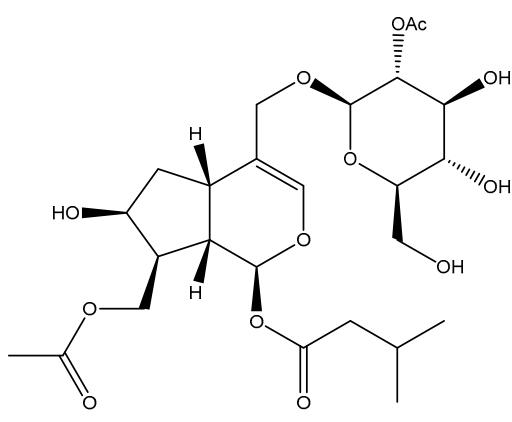


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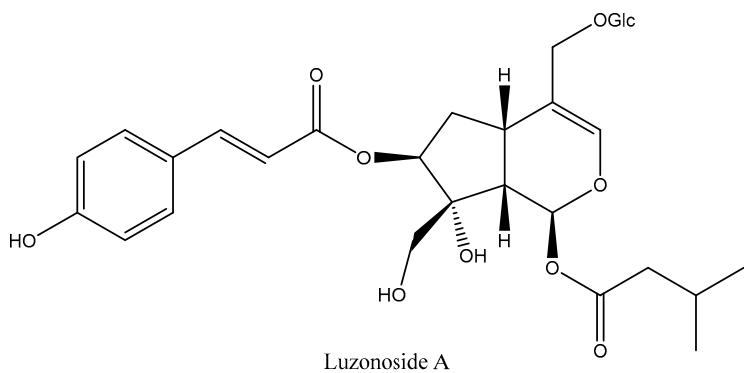
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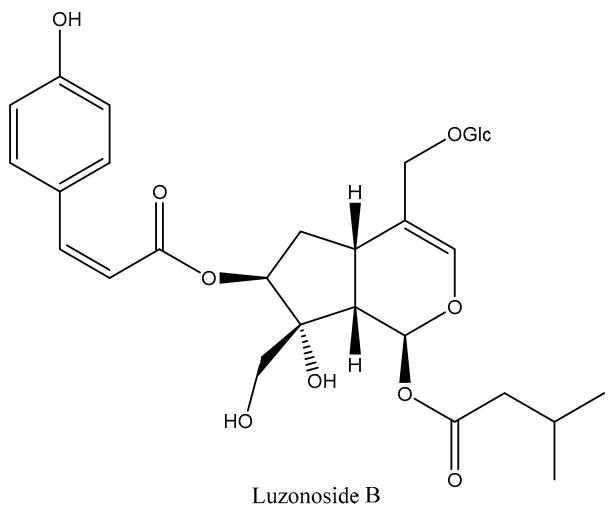
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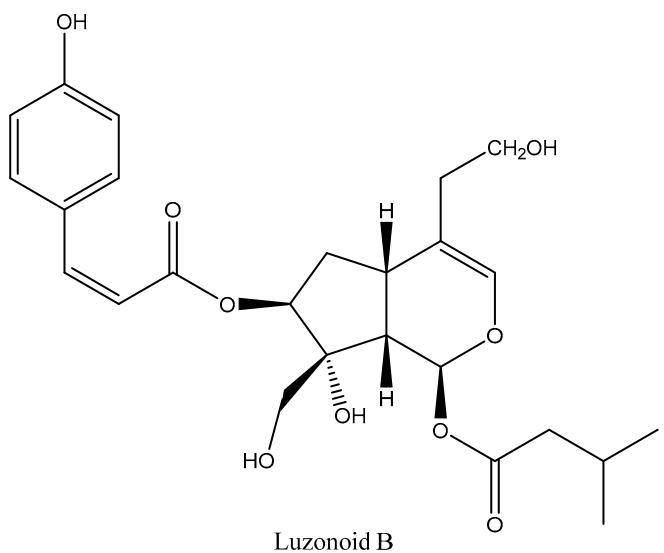
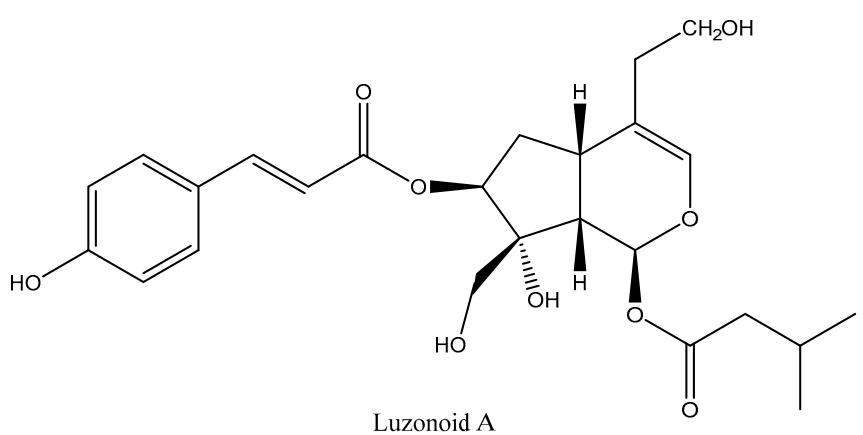


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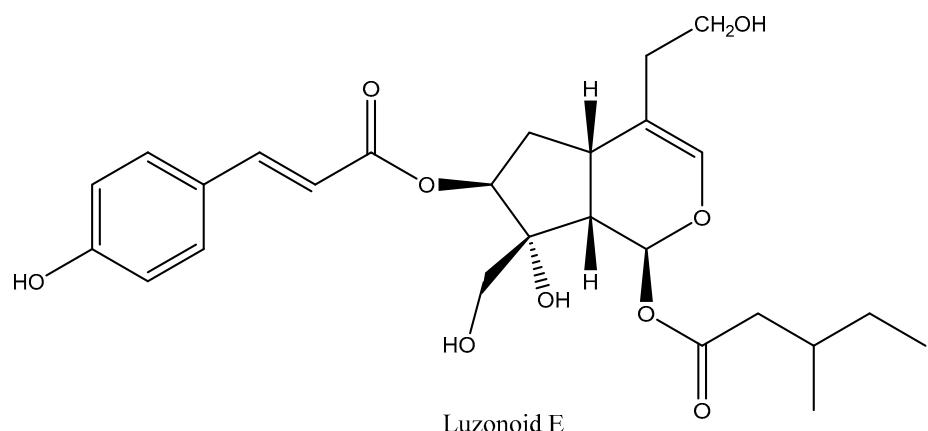
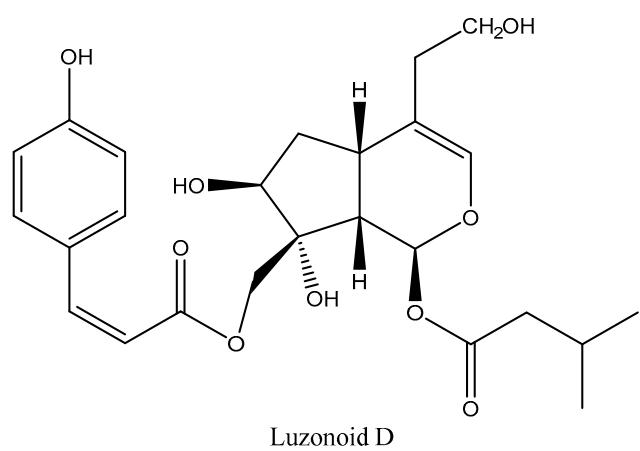
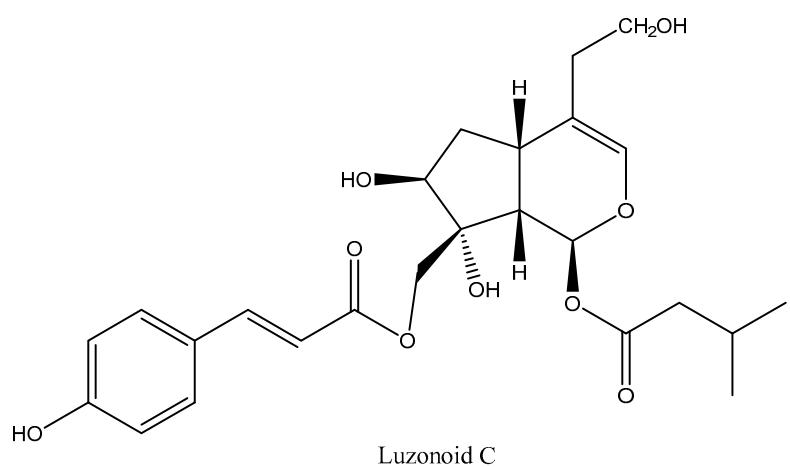


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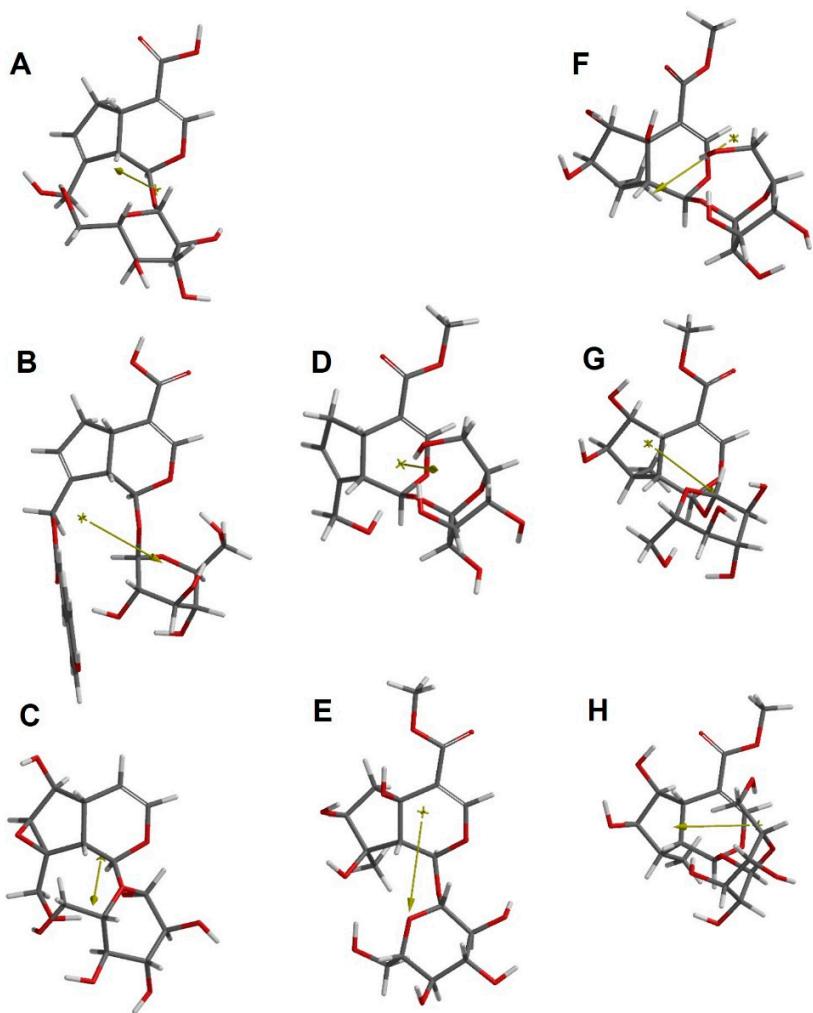
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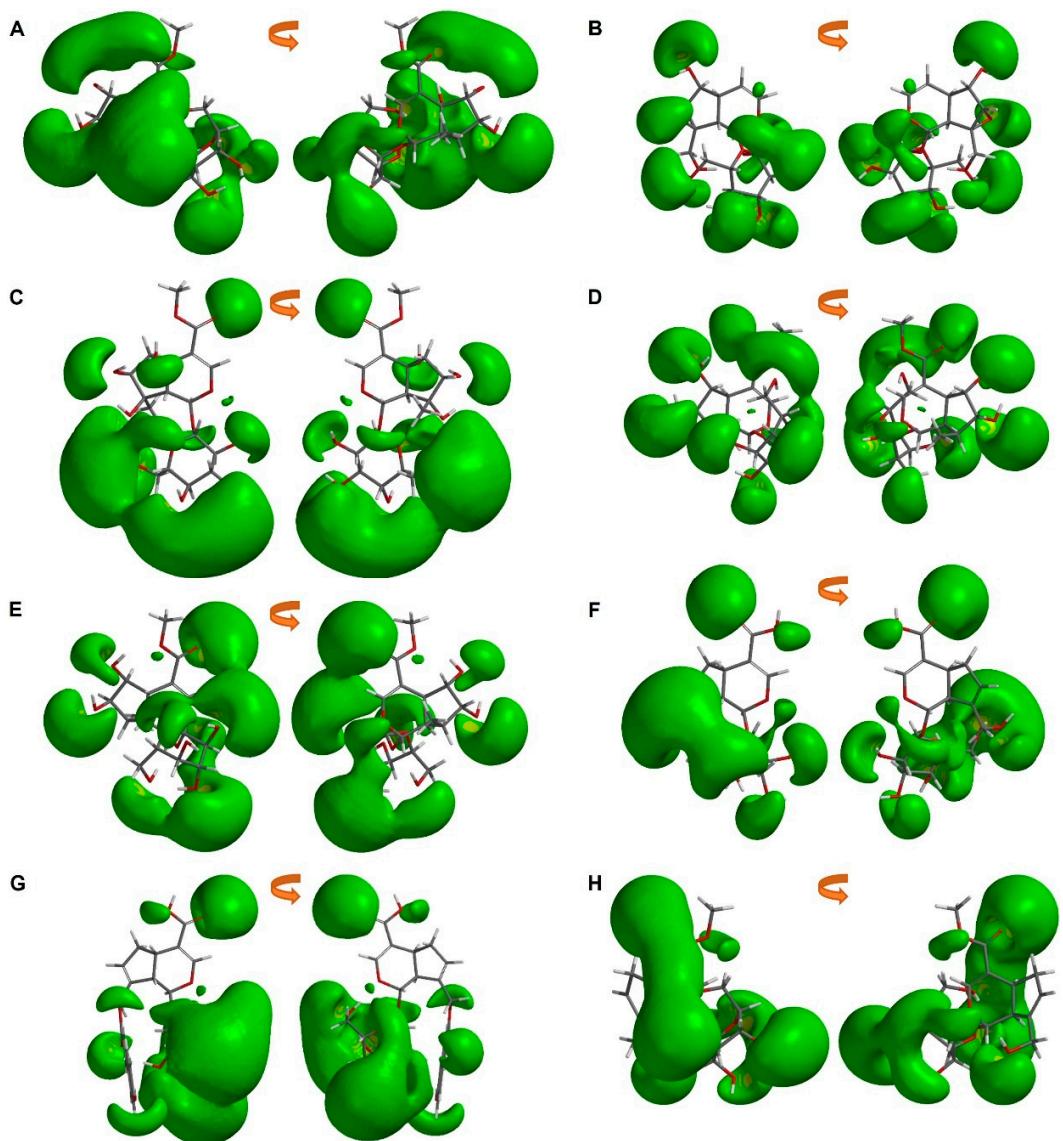
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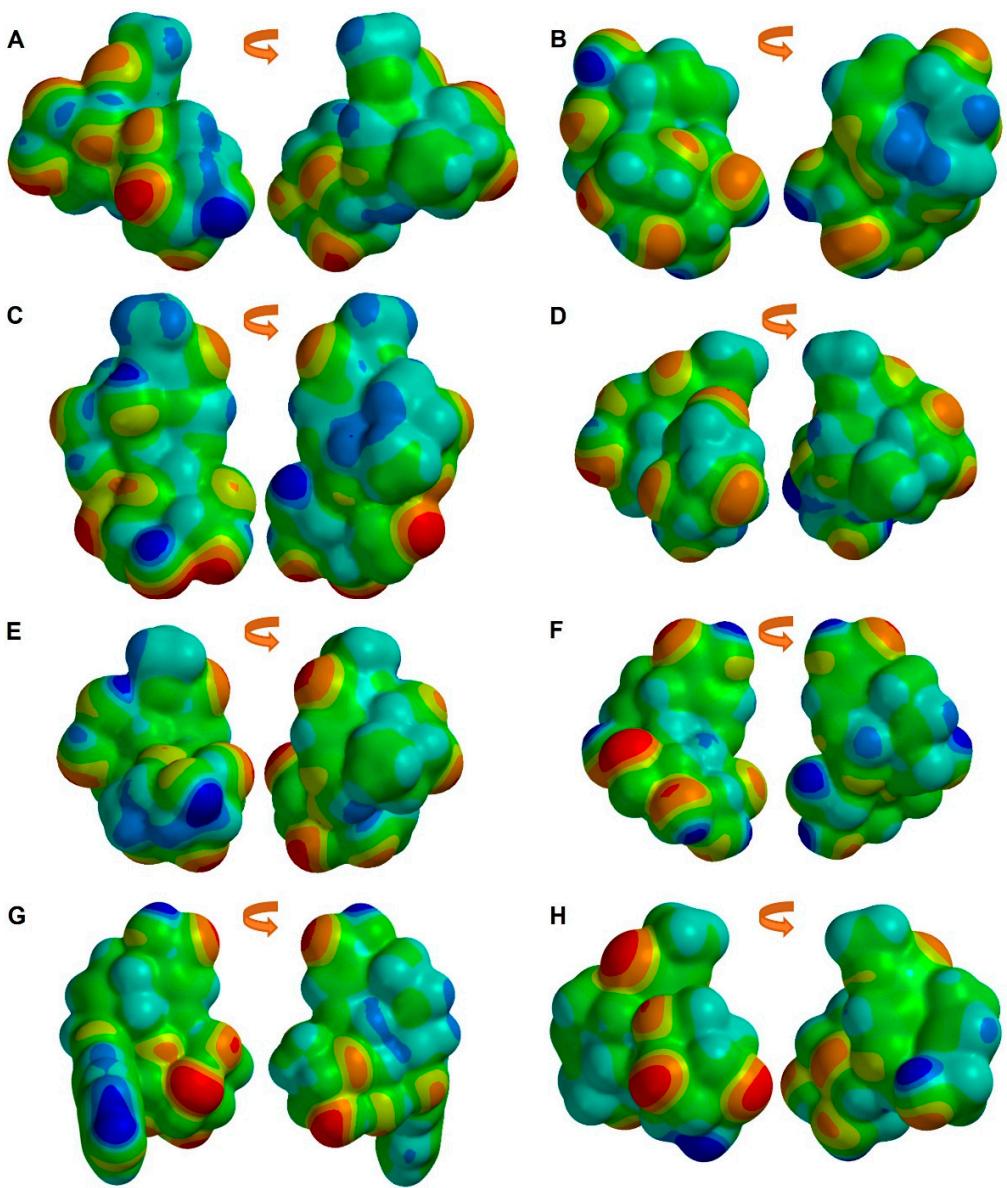
**Figure S2.** 2D structures of iridoids with reported cytotoxic activity against HeLa cell line.



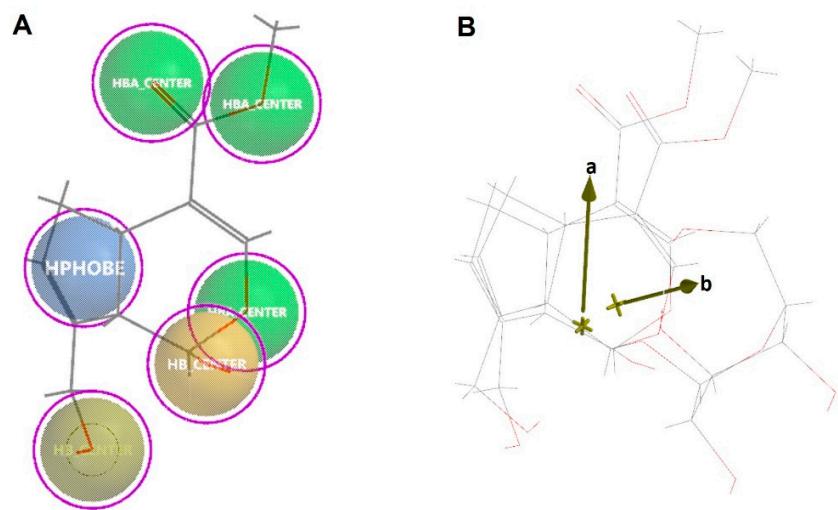
**Figure S3.** 3D structures of iridoids glycosides evaluated against HeLa cell line, including the dipole vector (gold arrow). (A) Geniposidic acid, (B) 10-O-(E)-p-coumaroylgeniposidic acid, (C) Catalpol, (D) Geniposide, (E) Lamiide, (F) Pulchelloside I, (G) 5-deoxypulchelloside I, (H) Spinomannoside.



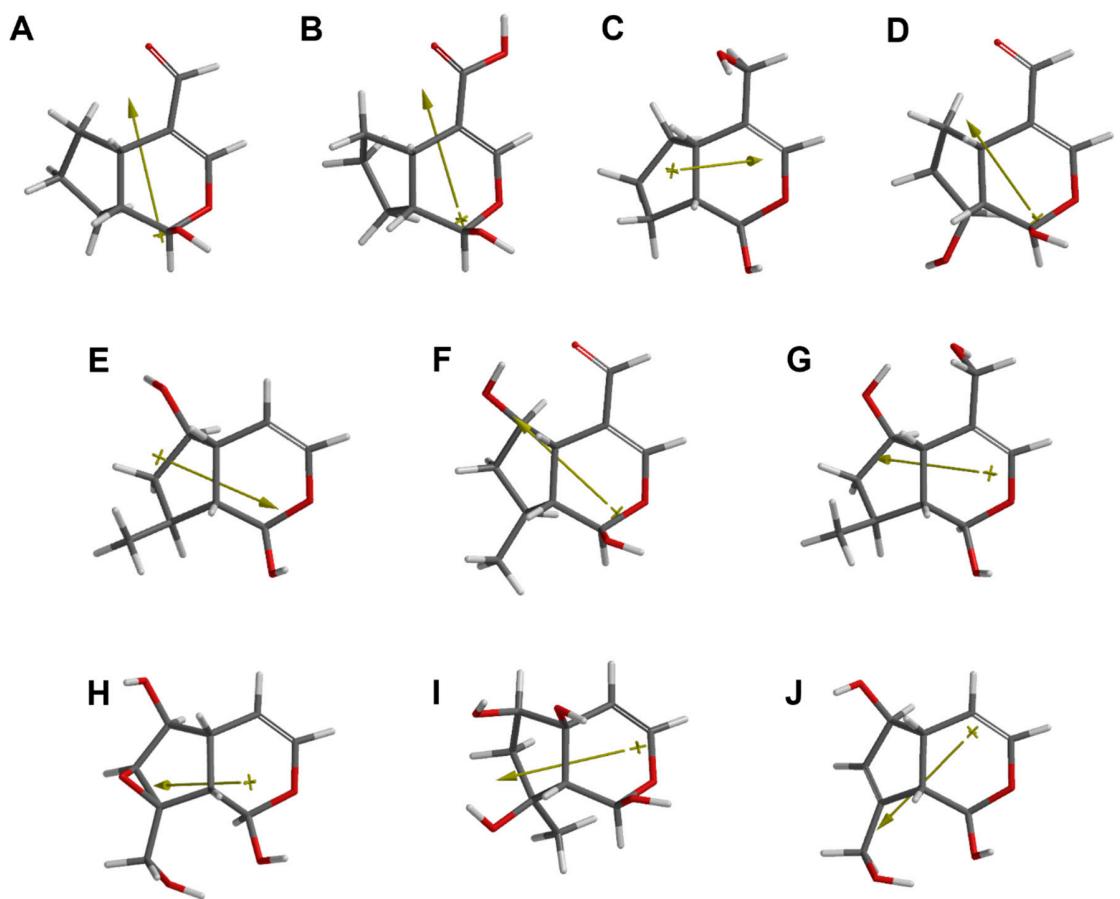
**Figure S4.** Molecular electrostatic potential iso-surface of -10 kcal/mol of iridoids glycosides. (A) Pulchelloside I, (B) Catalpol, (C) Lamiide, (D) Spinomannoside, (E) 5-deoxypulchelloside I, (F) geniposidic acid, (G) 10-O-(E)-*p*-coumaroyleniposidic acid, (H) Geniposide.



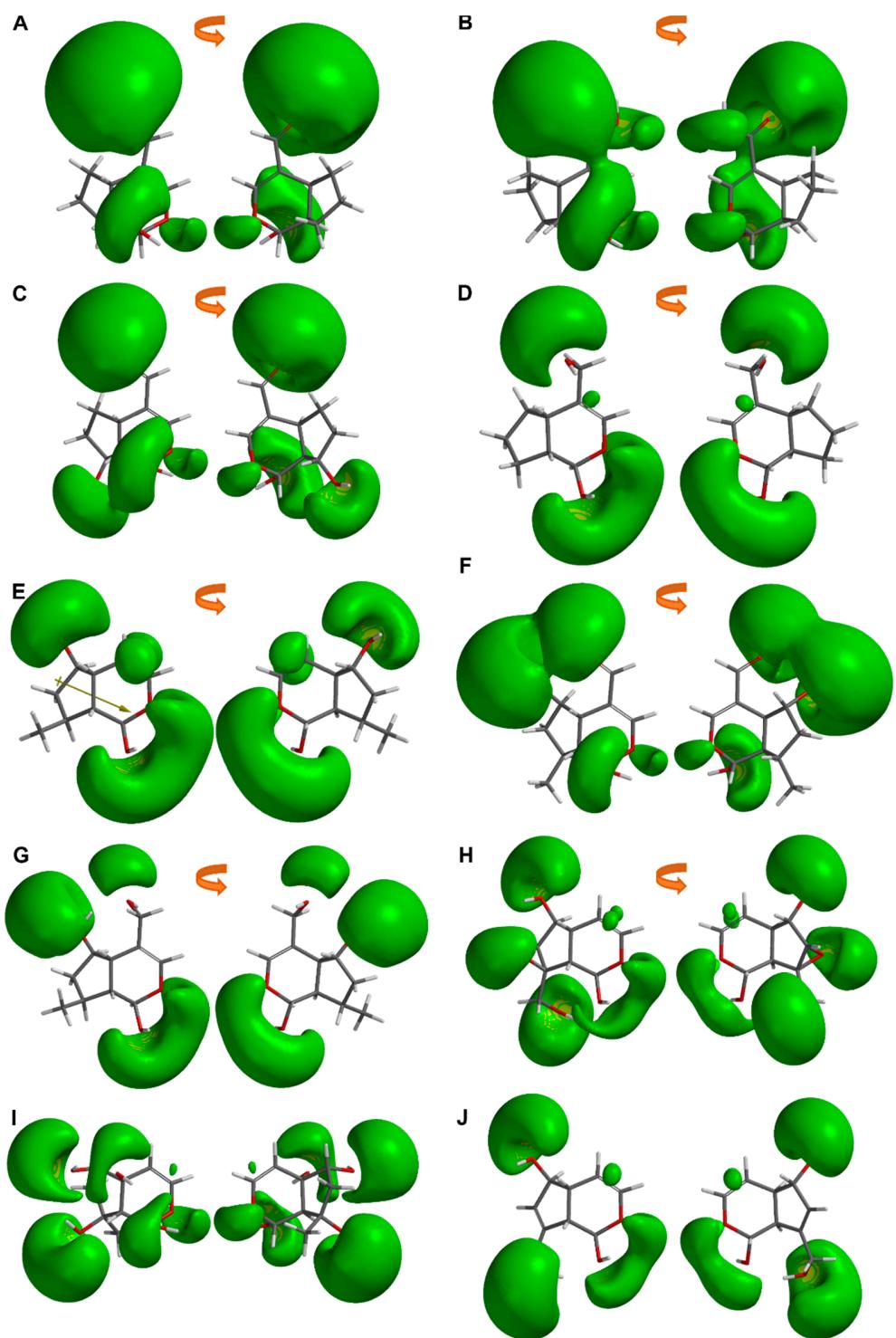
**Figure S5.** Molecular electrostatic potential map of iridoids glycosides. (A) Pulchelloloside I, (B) Catalpol, (C) Lamiide, (D) Spinomannoside, (E) 5-deoxypulchelloloside I, (F) Geniposidic acid, (G) 10-O-(E)-p-coumaroylgeniposidic acid, (H) Geniposide.



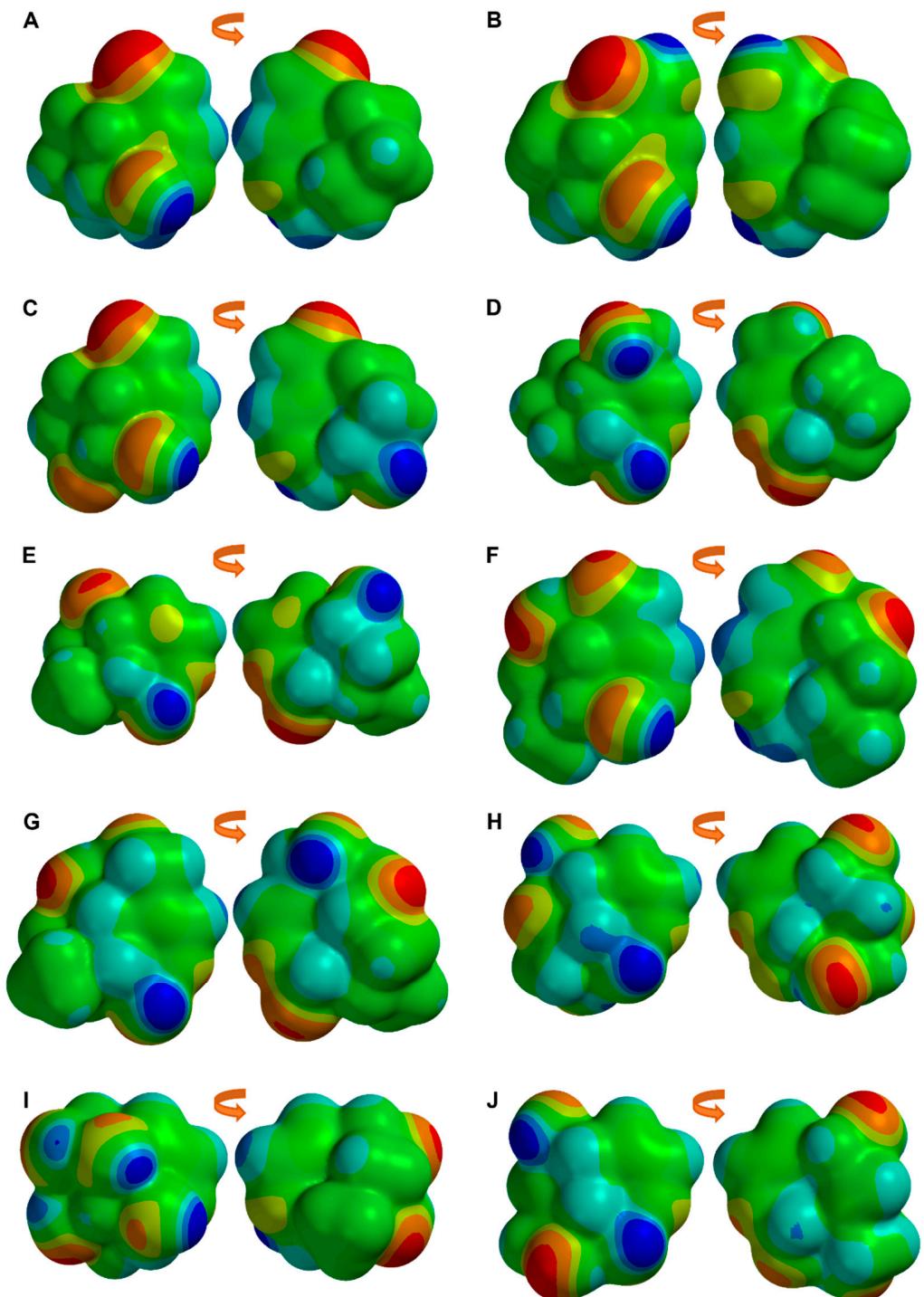
**Figure S6.** Alignment of genipin with geniposide. (A) Common similarity centers by CFDs of genipin (purple circles represent the CFDs selected for the alignment), (B) Dipole vector represented by gold arrows of both iridoids aligned is shown (a: genipin, b: geniposide).



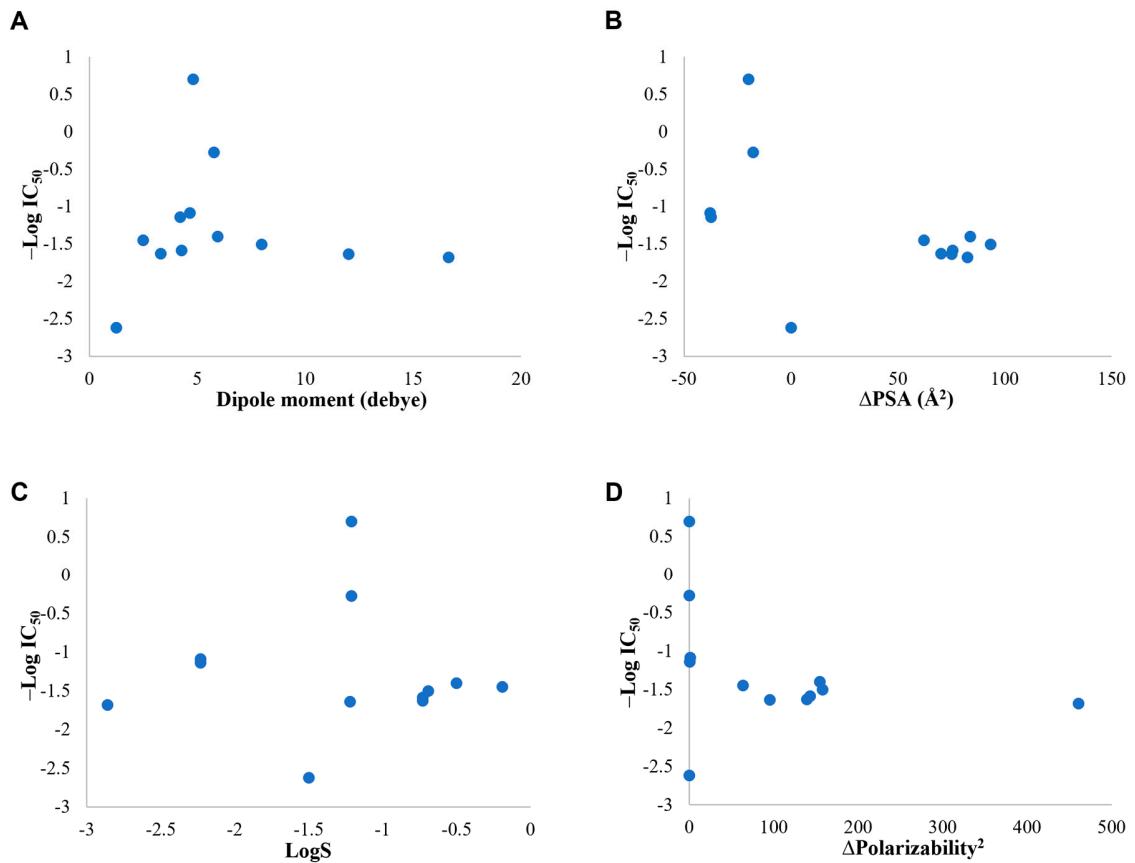
**Figure S7.** 3D structures of the best designed iridoids based on genipin. Gold arrows represent dipole vector in each iridoid. (A) D9, (B) D10, (C) D35, (D) D36, (E) D55, (F) D56, (G) D58, (H) D60, (I) D61, (J) D62.



**Figure S8.** Molecular electrostatic potential iso-surface of -10 kcal/mol of the best designed iridoids. (A) D9, (B) D10, (C) D35, (D) D36, (E) D55, (F) D56, (G) D58, (H) D60, (I) D61, (J) D62.



**Figure S9.** Molecular electrostatic potential map of the best designed iridoids. (A) D9, (B) D10, (C) D35, (D) D36, (E) D55, (F) D56, (G) D58, (H) D60, (I) D61, (J) D62.



**Figure S10.** Independent correlations between the biological activity and the descriptors of the QSAR model. (A)  $-\text{Log IC}_{50}$  vs Dipole moment, (B)  $-\text{Log IC}_{50}$  vs  $\Delta\text{PSA}$ , (C)  $-\text{Log IC}_{50}$  vs LogS, (D)  $-\text{Log IC}_{50}$  vs  $\Delta\text{Polarizability}^2$ .

**Table S1.** Pearson correlation matrix.

Variables	Dipole moment	$\Delta\text{PSA}$	LogS	$\Delta\text{Polarizability}^2$
<b>Dipole moment</b>	1	0.1818	0.2138	0.5893
<b><math>\Delta\text{PSA}</math></b>	0.1818	1	0.1994	0.4912
<b>Log S</b>	0.2138	0.1994	1	0.0628
<b><math>\Delta\text{Polarizability}^2</math></b>	0.5893	0.4912	0.0628	1

**Table S2.** pKa values of the acid iridoids.

<i>Ligand</i>	<i>pKa</i>
<i>Geniposidic acid</i>	4.22
<i>10-O-(E)-p-coumaroylgeniposidic acid</i>	4.16
<i>D1</i>	4.51
<i>D4</i>	4.56
<i>D7</i>	4.56
<i>D10</i>	4.62
<i>D29</i>	4.72

**Table S3.** Molecular descriptors of designed iridoids. *Cont.*

<b>Ligand</b>	<b>Dipole moment</b> GAPHOMO-LUMO (kcal)	<b>Area</b> (Å <sup>2</sup> )	<b>Volume</b> (Å <sup>3</sup> )	<b>PSA</b> (Å <sup>2</sup> )	<b>Ovality</b>	<b>LogP</b>	<b>Polarizability</b>	<b>HBD Count</b>	<b>HBA Count</b>	
D1*	-125.85	1.81	217.56	199.31	78.714	1.32	-0.52	56.25	3	4
D2	-120.73	2.64	208.92	192.24	59.084	1.30	-0.79	55.73	2	4
D3	-127.72	3.02	244.68	223.58	65.992	1.37	0.14	58.20	2	4
D4*	-126.69	3.41	221.65	203.47	78.335	1.32	-0.12	56.58	3	4
D5	-123.30	5.40	214.52	196.18	61.021	1.31	-0.38	56.02	2	4
D6	-126.95	3.29	245.94	224.18	65.825	1.38	0.14	58.26	2	4
D7*	-126.50	3.73	223.82	203.34	80.250	1.34	-0.12	56.57	3	4
D8	-122.27	5.42	215.72	196.31	61.345	1.32	-0.38	56.04	2	4
D9	-123.61	4.80	187.58	170.55	42.052	1.26	0.42	53.94	1	3
D10*	-599.13	12.32	190.51	175.42	54.222	1.26	--	54.14	1	4
D11	-127.89	2.20	219.28	198.11	47.446	1.33	0.95	56.13	1	3
D12	-122.45	3.61	206.94	189.55	42.020	1.30	-0.08	55.49	1	3
D13	-123.80	3.20	210.58	193.53	41.979	1.30	0.32	55.80	1	3
D14	-122.68	4.37	211.90	193.67	41.090	1.31	0.32	55.83	1	3
D15	-122.56	3.47	218.12	199.03	41.939	1.32	0.44	56.26	1	3
D16	-123.82	2.79	221.00	203.00	41.821	1.32	0.84	56.57	1	3
D17	-122.67	4.42	222.08	202.97	40.996	1.33	0.84	56.58	1	3
D18	-122.73	4.10	216.01	196.71	62.142	1.32	-0.41	56.07	2	4
D19	-123.30	6.44	219.60	200.68	60.798	1.32	-0.01	56.39	2	4
D20	-123.12	5.94	220.74	200.82	61.263	1.33	-0.01	56.40	2	4
D21	-127.06	2.47	222.59	202.35	84.953	1.34	-1.17	56.48	3	5
D22	-127.83	3.60	226.70	206.31	83.982	1.34	-0.77	56.80	3	5
D23	-129.51	5.38	227.87	206.45	84.829	1.35	-0.77	56.79	3	5
D24	-120.42	2.63	229.19	210.22	61.867	1.34	-0.01	57.19	2	4

\*These iridoids were analyzed in their anion form. --: Not determined with Spartan'20.

**Table S3.** Molecular descriptors of designed iridoids. *Cont.*

Ligand	GAP <sub>HOMO-LUMO</sub> (kcal)	Dipole moment (debye)	Area (Å <sup>2</sup> )	Volume (Å <sup>3</sup> )	PSA (Å <sup>2</sup> )	Ovality	LogP	Polarizability	HBD Count	HBA Count
D25	-120.85	4.28	232.76	214.18	60.492	1.34	0.39	57.51	2	4
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D27	-139.77	0.59	215.39	194.54	47.457	1.33	0.88	55.72	2	3
D28	-123.43	4.80	206.65	188.8	42.041	1.30	0.75	55.42	1	3
D29*	-89.18	11.93	211.04	193.89	55.479	1.30	--	56.19	1	4
D30	-126.98	2.29	237.49	216.71	46.402	1.36	1.28	57.65	1	3
D31	-128.21	3.95	219.07	198.98	65.082	1.33	0.36	56.20	2	4
D32	-128.28	4.00	199.75	180.67	64.951	1.29	0.03	54.71	2	4
D33	-121.04	4.05	224.89	206.79	41.505	1.33	1.52	56.91	1	3
D34	-121.19	4.05	205.95	188.56	41.547	1.30	1.19	55.43	1	3
D35	-123.99	3.36	197.34	178.62	60.872	1.29	-0.67	54.59	2	4
D36	-138.78	0.69	196.25	176.32	47.478	1.29	0.55	54.25	2	3
D37	-118.35	2.24	213.18	194.21	41.271	1.31	1.20	55.91	1	3
D38	-505.46	2.89	258.12	237.65	40.393	1.39	2.09	59.41	1	3
D39	-121.33	2.90	227.28	207.57	40.391	1.34	1.84	56.97	1	3
D40	-122.19	3.23	244.69	225.37	40.061	1.37	2.17	58.40	1	3
D41	-120.24	3.53	233.02	212.41	40.307	1.35	1.49	57.37	1	3
D42	-120.89	3.85	250.54	230.24	39.951	1.38	1.82	58.81	1	3
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D53	-122.14	2.92	265.73	250.8	39.881	1.38	2.75	60.47	1	3
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D61	-145.63	3.19	207.72	190.41	80.817	1.30	-1.25	55.33	4	5
D62	-135.25	0.86	196.11	178.97	61.665	1.28	-0.79	54.50	3	4

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**Table S3.** Molecular descriptors of designed iridoids. *Cont.*

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D64	-121.91	3.11	276.76	255.71	40.739	1.42	2.42	60.87	1	3
D65	-121.14	2.80	273.51	253.54	40.435	1.41	2.51	60.70	1	3
D66	-122.09	2.95	292.14	271.56	40.779	1.44	2.84	62.15	1	3
D67	-121.09	2.70	288.39	269.65	40.352	1.43	2.93	62.01	1	3
D68	-122.08	3.01	305.93	287.51	40.105	1.45	3.26	63.44	1	3
D69	-130.53	3.51	269.44	248.10	50.269	1.41	0.98	60.16	2	4
D70	-130.04	3.66	288.14	266.22	49.777	1.44	1.31	61.64	2	4
D71	-137.74	2.13	225.54	202.41	52.922	1.35	0.27	56.38	2	4
D72	-133.99	4.17	241.33	219.48	51.970	1.37	0.60	57.80	2	4
D73	-140.90	4.11	230.88	207.20	52.801	1.36	0.48	56.74	2	4
D74	-137.00	4.34	249.84	225.37	52.539	1.40	0.81	58.25	2	4
D75	-129.17	4.96	233.03	210.51	51.527	1.36	0.98	57.13	2	4
D76	-135.26	4.02	255.21	229.88	52.563	1.41	1.31	58.63	2	4
D77	-136.40	5.49	239.97	215.68	51.589	1.38	--	57.47	2	4
D78	-533.02	6.25	257.40	233.22	51.275	1.40	--	58.99	2	4
D79	-137.70	2.26	246.55	221.08	52.731	1.39	0.61	57.90	2	4
D80	-140.36	3.98	246.76	239.11	52.530	1.42	0.94	59.33	2	4
D81	-129.02	3.56	253.51	232.11	50.210	1.39	0.56	58.88	2	4
D82	-540.05	3.67	272.36	250.18	50.028	1.42	0.89	60.35	2	4
D83	-130.53	3.51	269.44	248.10	50.269	1.41	0.98	60.16	2	4
D84	-130.04	3.66	288.14	266.22	49.777	1.44	1.31	61.64	2	4
D85	-138.22	4.33	286.35	264.62	51.888	1.44	1.40	61.42	2	4
D86	-138.33	4.29	305.36	282.82	51.735	1.47	1.73	62.90	2	4

<sup>a</sup>These iridoids were analyzed in their anion form. --: Not determined with Spartan'20.