

## Supporting Information

# Challenging structure elucidation of lumnitzeralactone, an ellagic acid derivative from the mangrove *Lumnitzera racemosa*

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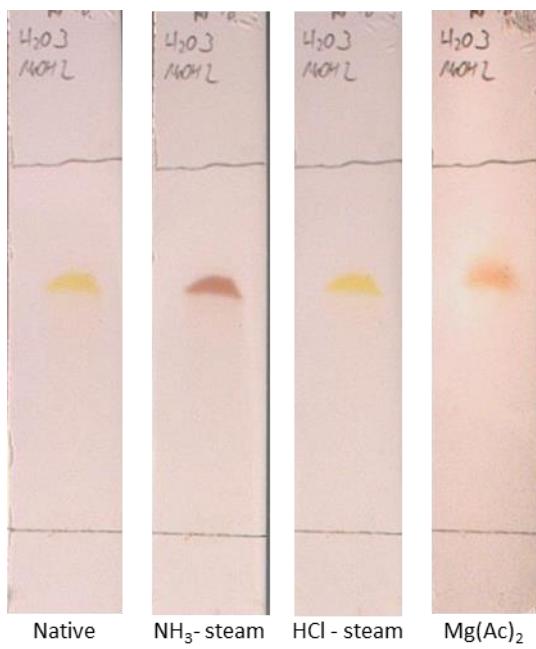
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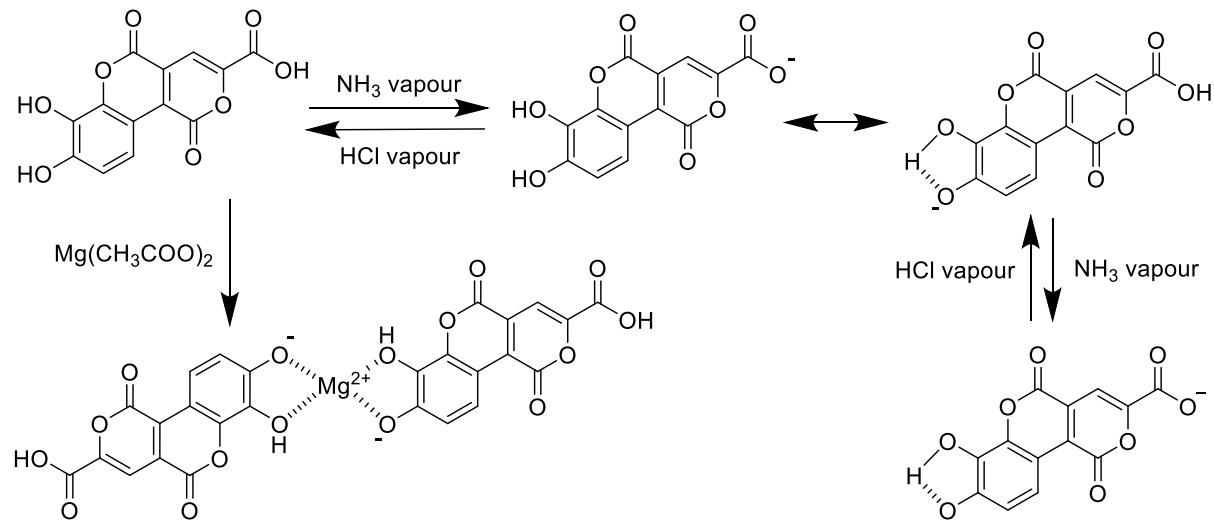
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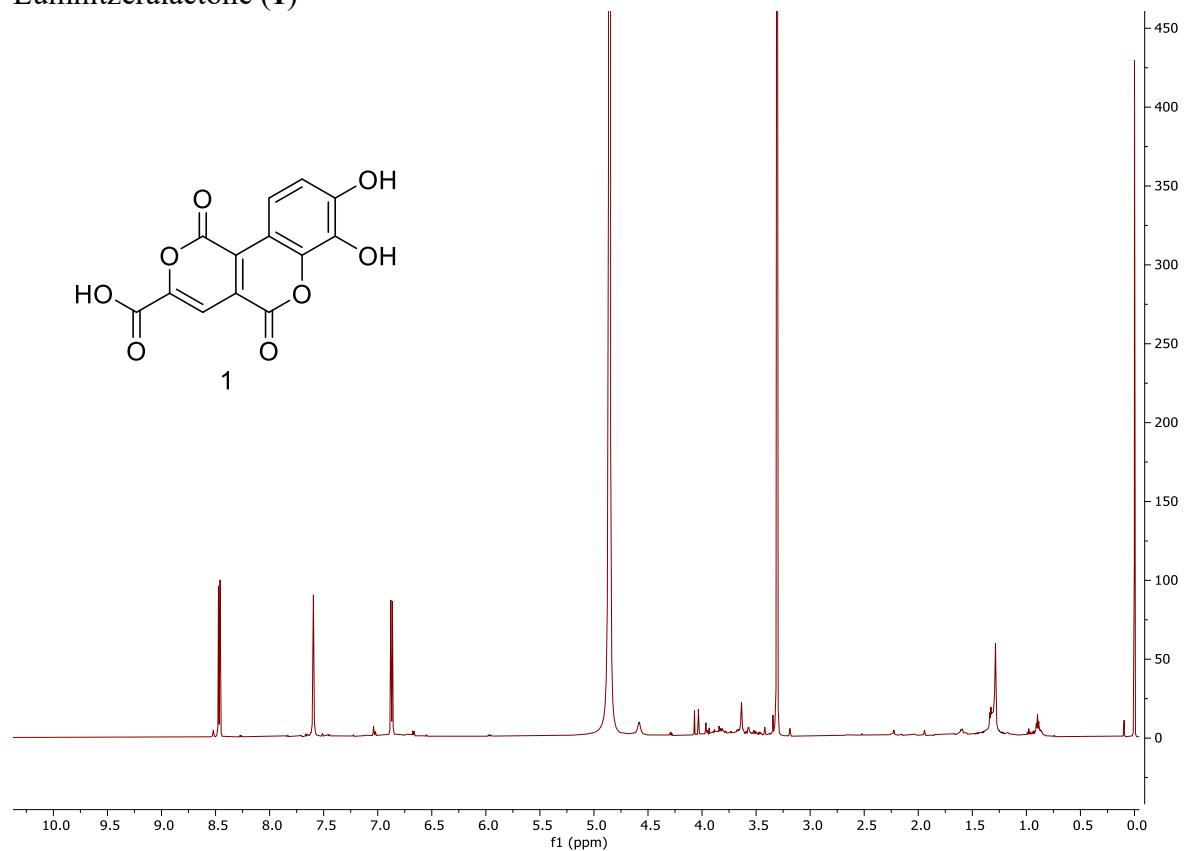


**Figure S1.** TLC of lumnitzeralactone (**1**) after the Bornträger reaction; stationary phase: RP18, solvent system: H<sub>2</sub>O:MeOH, 3:2 v/v.

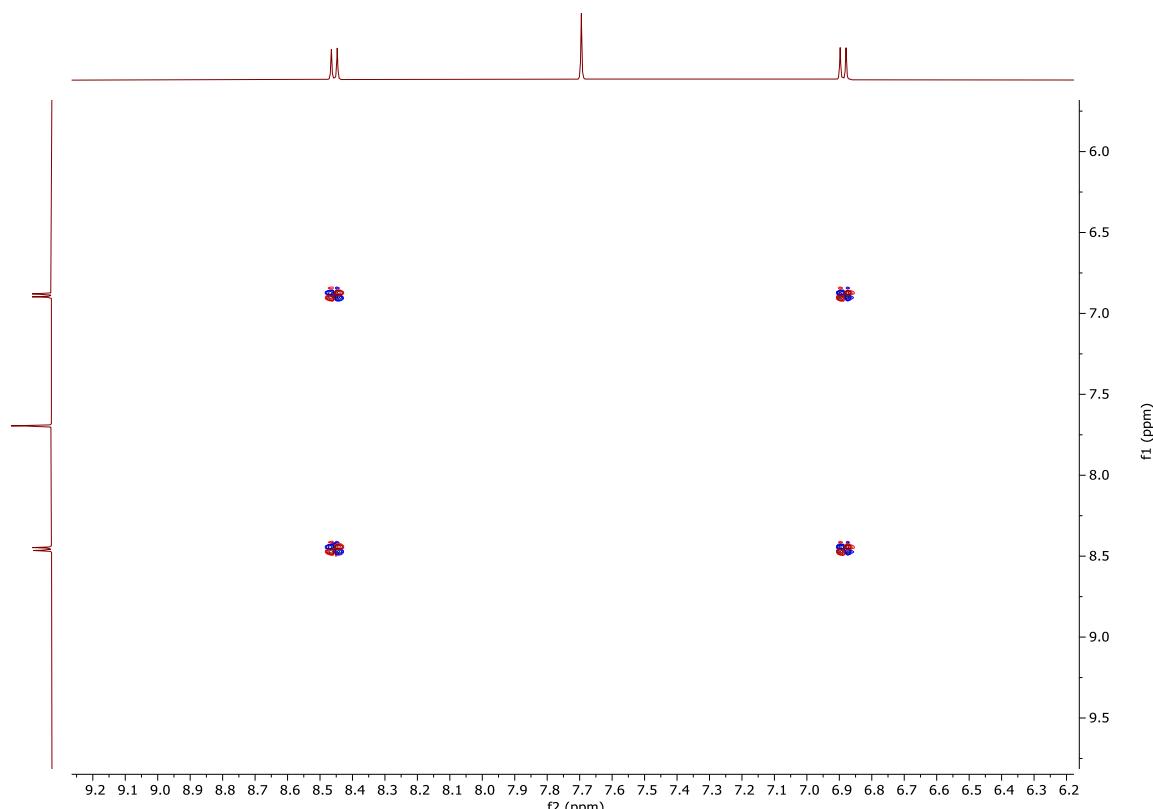


**Scheme S1.** Putative mechanism of the Bornträger reaction for lumnitzeralactone (**1**)

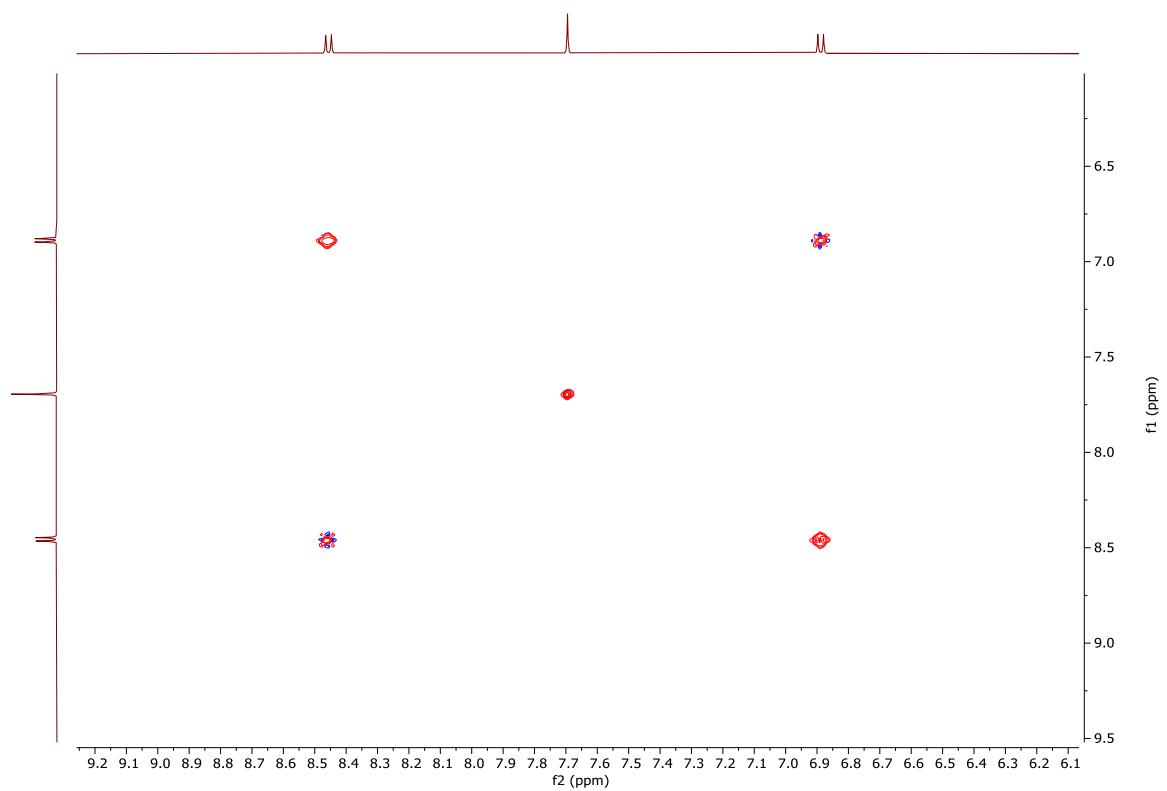
Lumnitzeralactone (**1**)



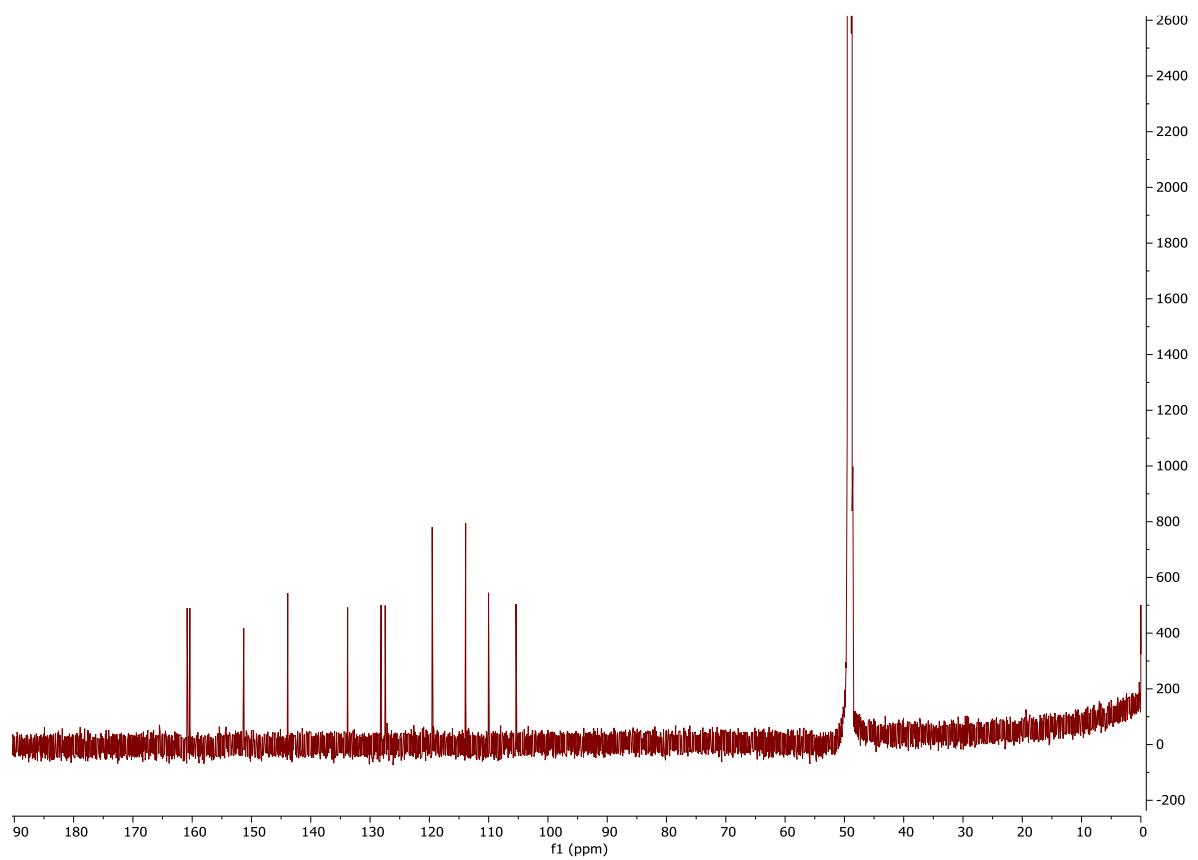
**Figure S2-1.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound **1** in  $\text{MeOH}-d_4$ , 600 MHz



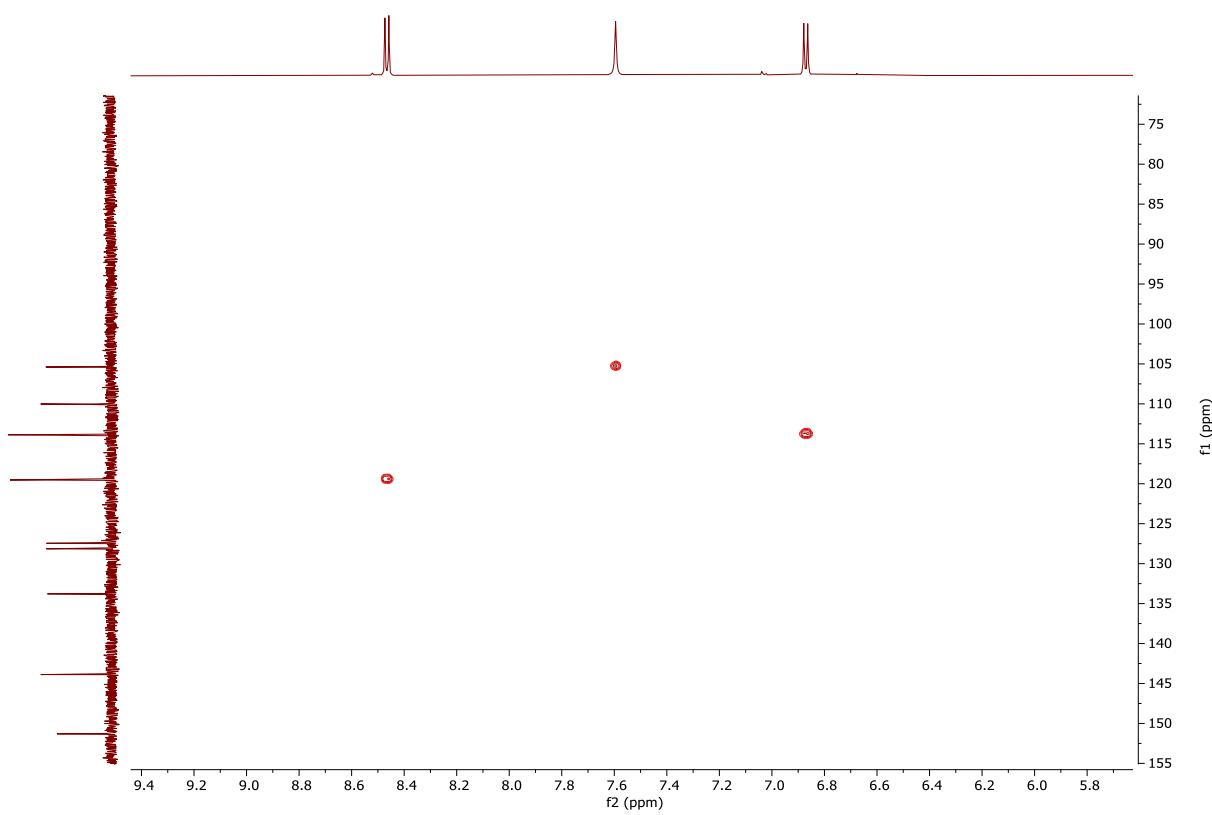
**Figure S2-2.** COSY spectrum of compound **1** in  $\text{MeOH}-d_4$ , 500 MHz



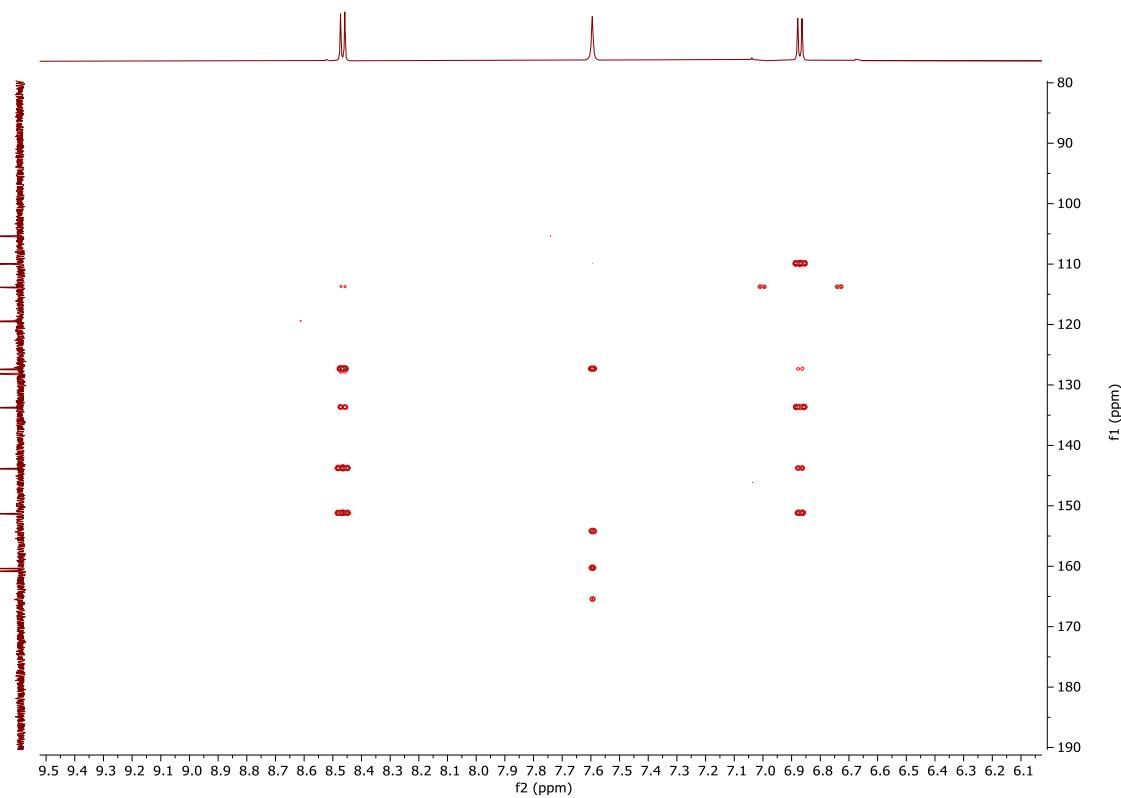
**Figure S2-3.** TOCSY spectrum of compound 1 in MeOH-*d*4, 500 MHz



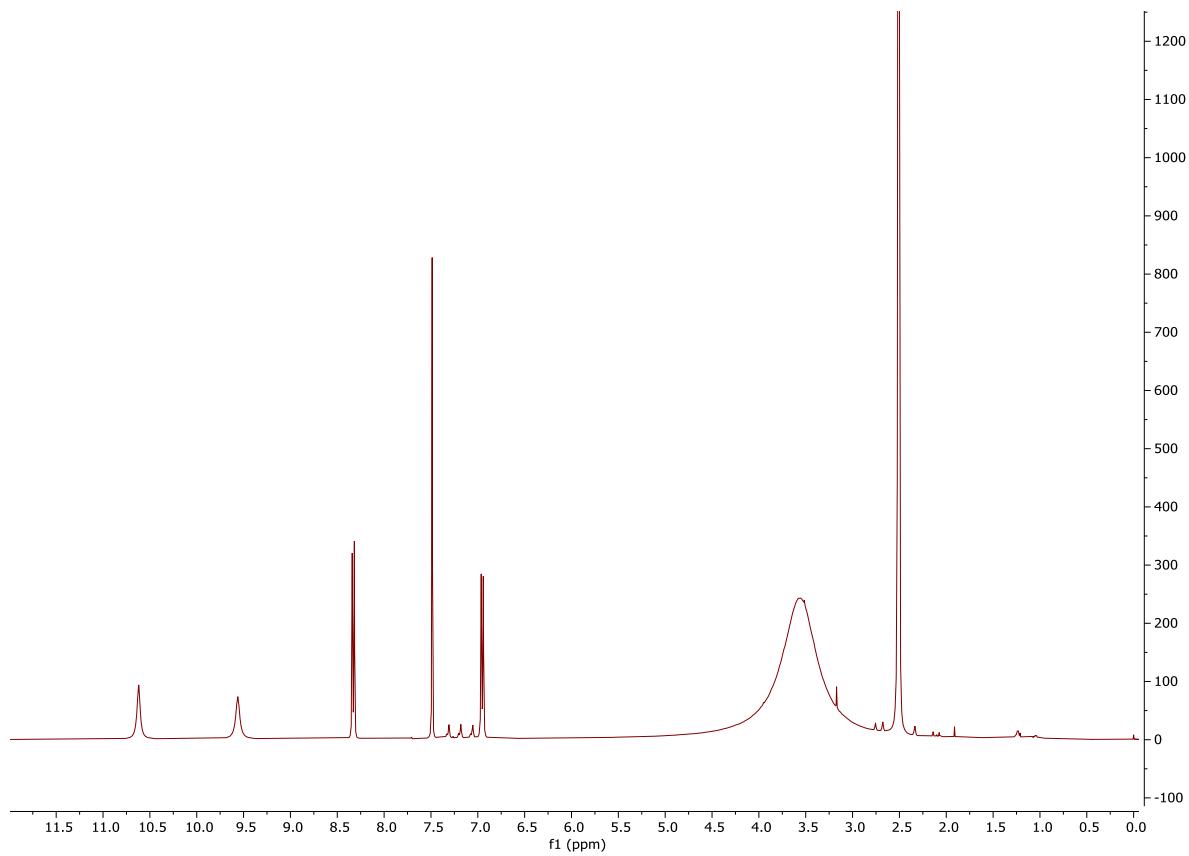
**Figure S2-4.**  $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR spectrum of compound 1 in MeOH-*d*4, 150 MHz



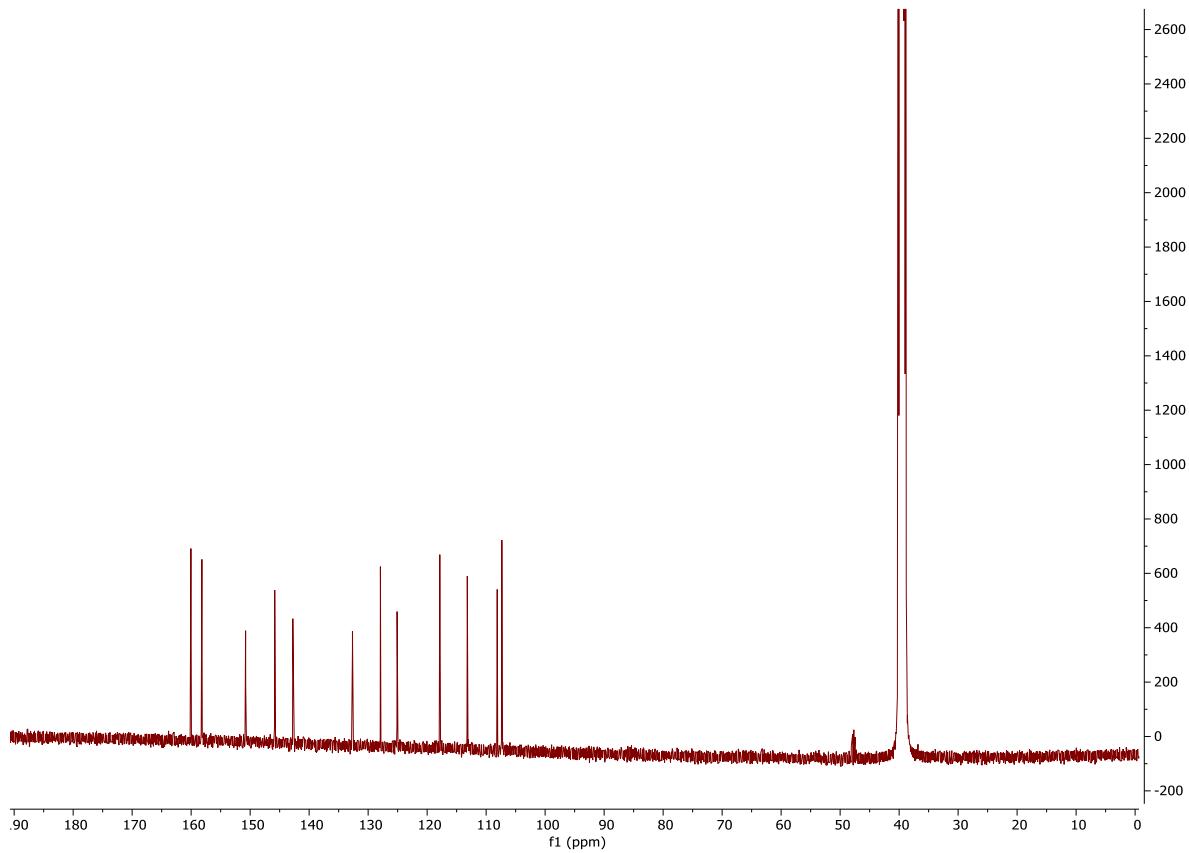
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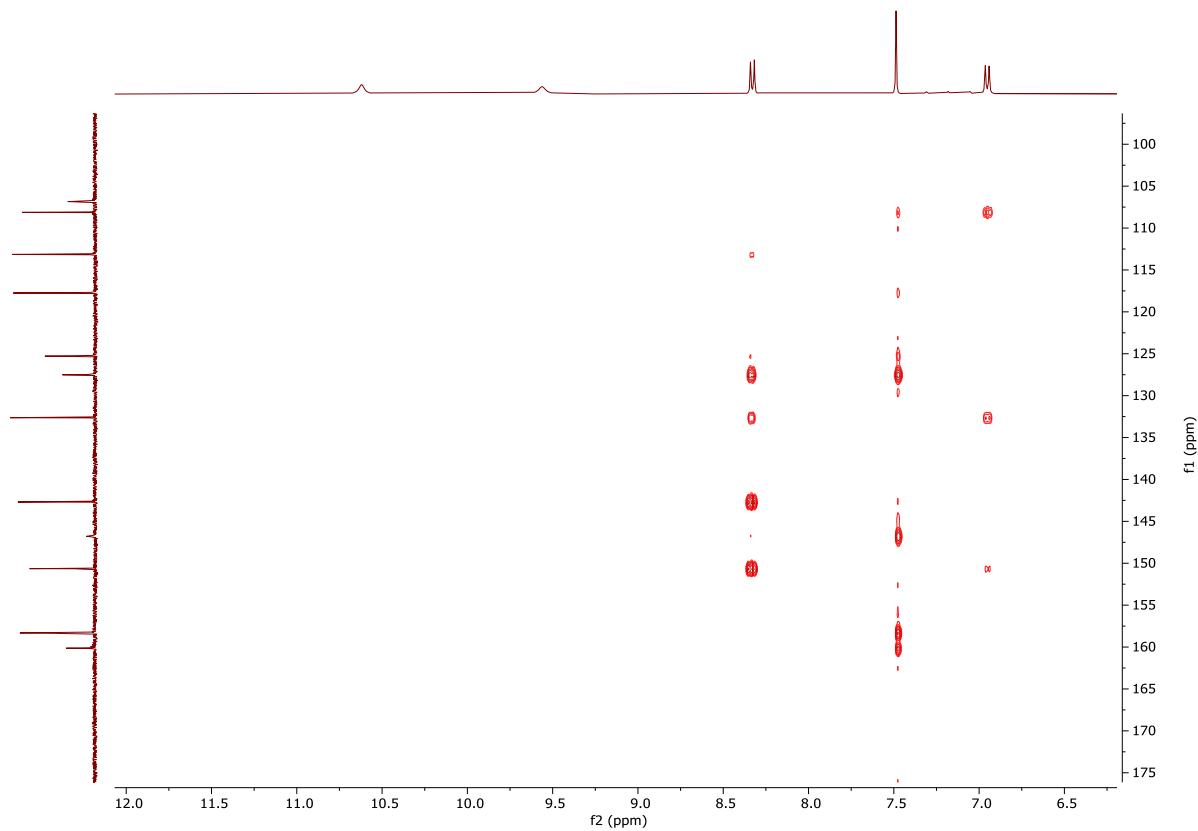
**Figure S2-6.** HMBC spectrum of compound **1** in MeOH-*d*4, 600/150 MHz



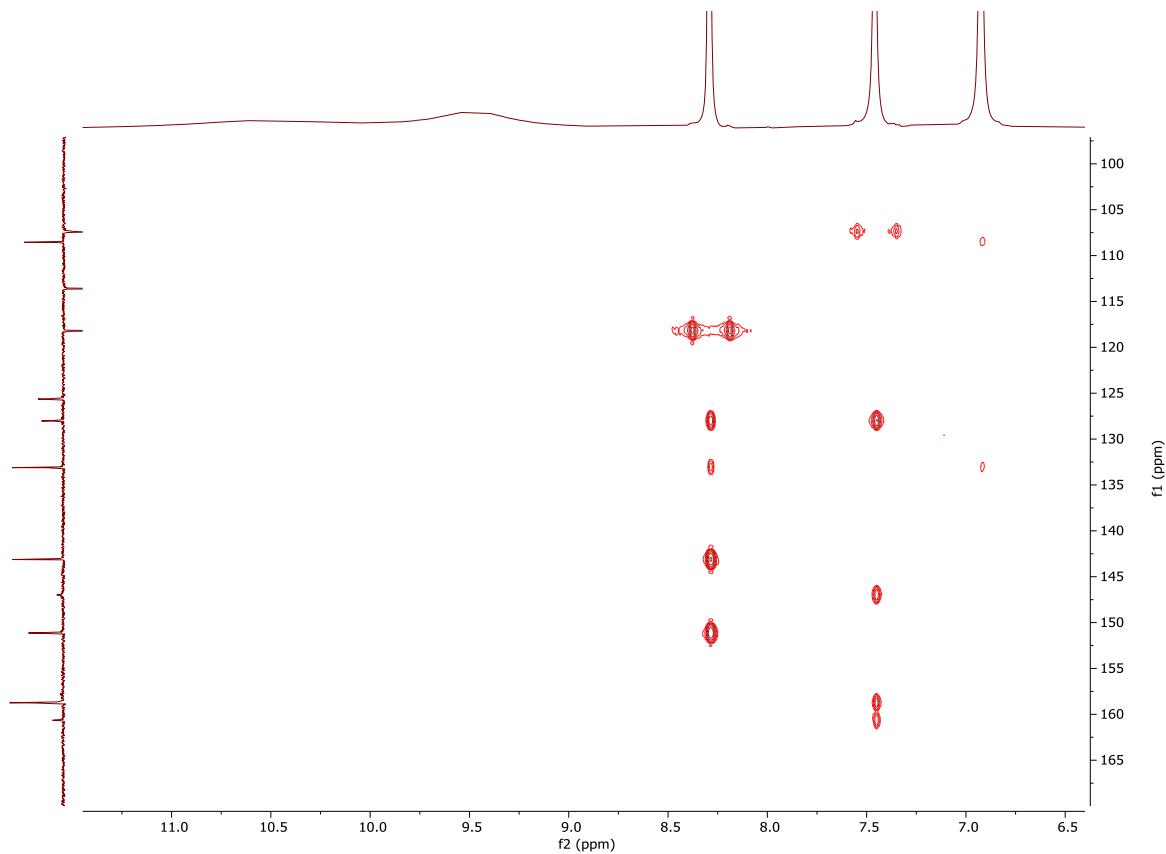
**Figure S2-7.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound 1 in DMSO-*d*6, 400 MHz



**Figure S2-8.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound 1 in DMSO-*d*6, 100 MHz



**Figure S2-9.** HMBC spectrum of compound **1** in  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ , 600/150 MHz



**Figure S2-10.** HMBC spectrum of compound **1** in  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ , 900/226 MHz

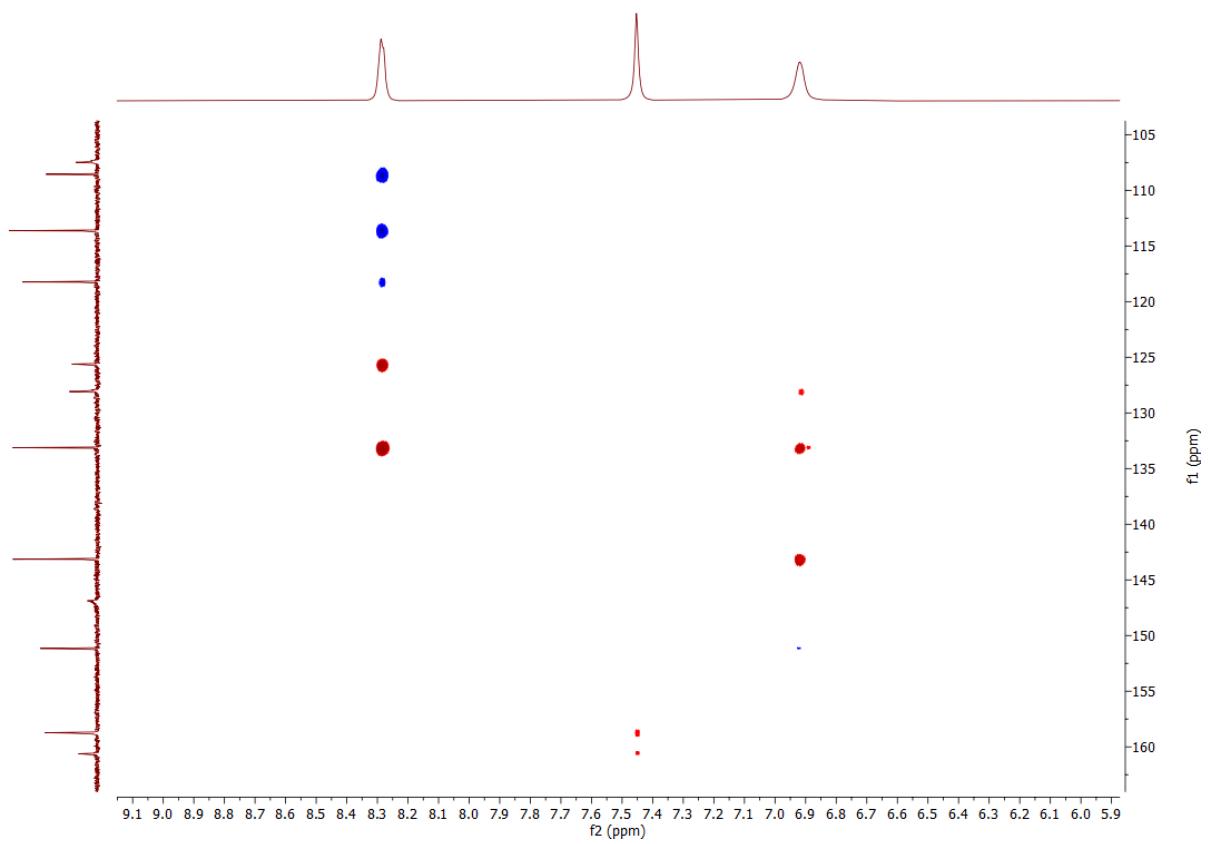


Figure S2-11. 1,n-ADEQUATE spectrum of compound 1 in  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ , 800/200 MHz

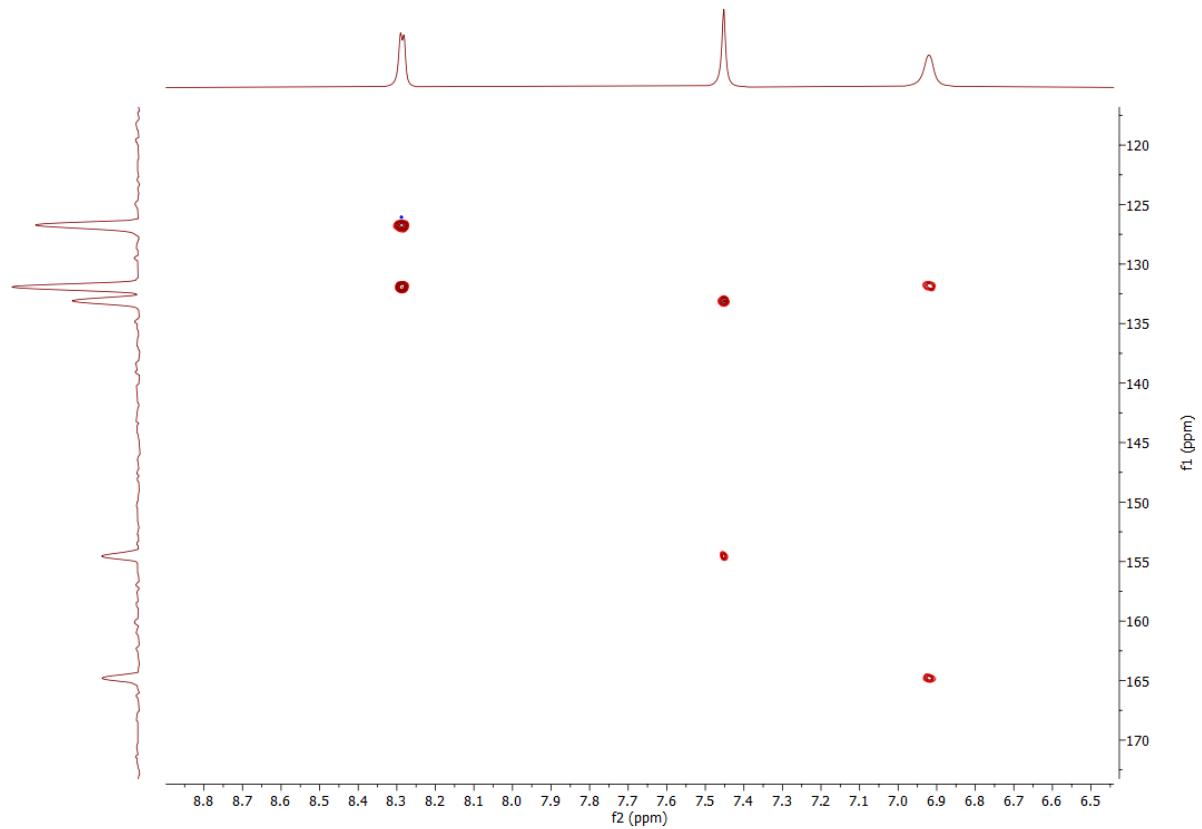
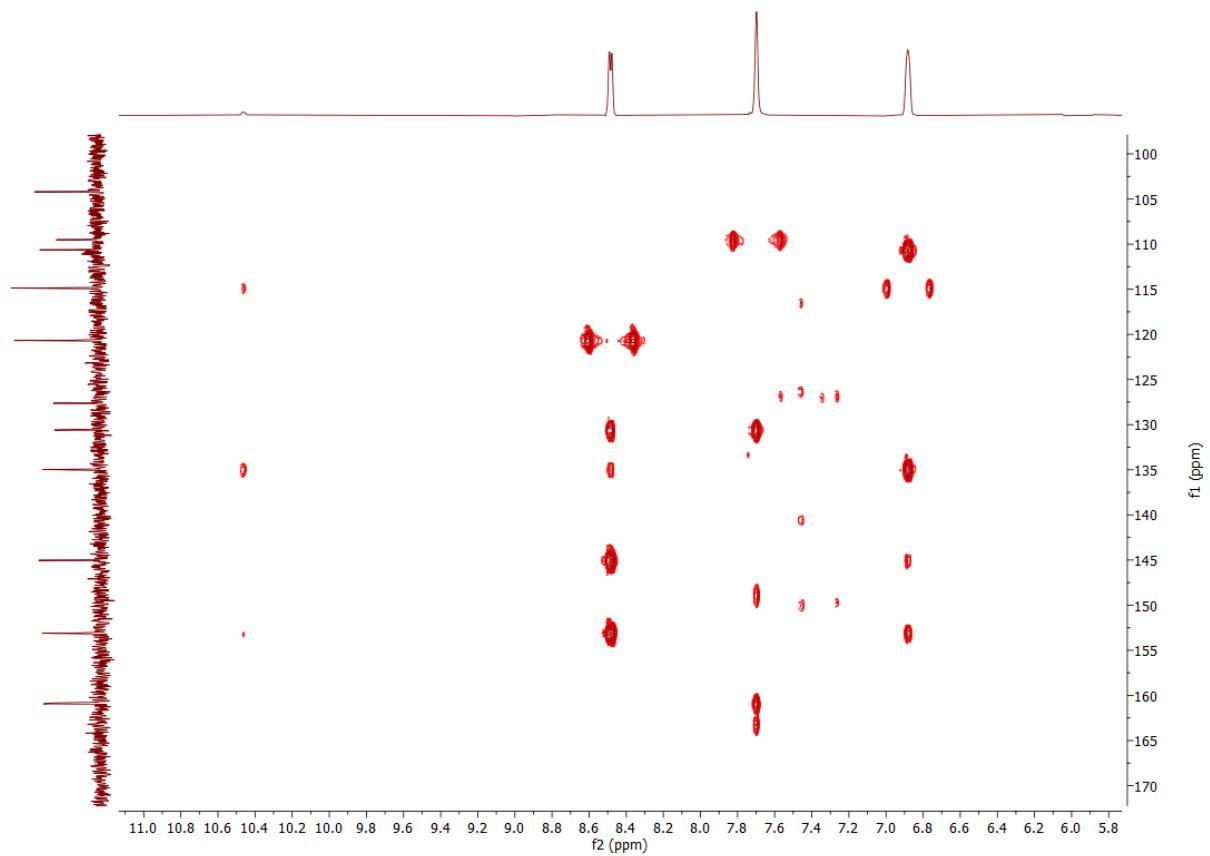


Figure S2-12. 1,1-ADEQUATE spectrum of compound 1 in  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ , 900/226 MHz



**Figure S2-13.** HMBC spectrum of compound **1** in MeOH-*d*3, 700/176 MHz, 253 K

**Table S1-1.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR data of compound **1** acquired in different solvents and under varying field strengths

No.	type	$\delta_{\text{H}}^{\text{a}}$ MeOH- <i>d</i> 4 600 MHz	$\delta_{\text{H}}$ MeOH- <i>d</i> 4 400 MHz	$\delta_{\text{H}}$ DMSO- <i>d</i> 6 400 MHz	$\delta_{\text{H}}$ DMSO- <i>d</i> 6 800 MHz <sup>c</sup>	$\delta_{\text{H}}$ DMSO- <i>d</i> 6 900 MHz <sup>c</sup>	$\delta_{\text{H}}$ DMSO- <i>d</i> 6 600 MHz <sup>c</sup>	$\delta_{\text{H}}^{\text{b}}$ MeOH- <i>d</i> 3 800 MHz <sup>c</sup>	$\delta_{\text{H}}^{\text{b}}$ MeOH- <i>d</i> 3 700 MHz <sup>c</sup>
4	CH	7.59, s	7.69, s	7.49, s	7.45, s	7.45, s	7.52, s	7.70, s	7.70, s
9	CH	6.87, d (9.0)	6.88, d (9.0)	6.95, d (9.0)	6.92, br d (6.8)	6.92, br d (7.8)	6.99, br d (8.3)	6.89, d (9.0)	6.88, d (9.0)
10	CH	8.46, d (9.0)	8.45, d (9.0)	8.33, d (9.0)	8.28, d (6.8)	8.28, d (7.8)	8.35, d (8.3)	8.48, d (9.0)	8.48, d (9.0)
7	COH			9.56, s	9.52, s	9.53, s	9.60, s	9.74, s	9.90, s
8	COH			10.62, s	10.60, s	10.65, s	10.70, s	10.30, s	10.46, s

<sup>a</sup> compound obtained under non-acidic conditions

<sup>b</sup> low temperature

**Table S1-2.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data of compound **1** acquired in different solvents and under varying field strengths

No.	type	$\delta_{\text{C}}^{\text{a}}$ MeOH- <i>d</i> 4 151 MHz	$\delta_{\text{C}}$ MeOH- <i>d</i> 4 126 MHz	$\delta_{\text{C}}$ DMSO- <i>d</i> 6 101 MHz	$\delta_{\text{C}}$ DMSO- <i>d</i> 6 201 MHz <sup>c</sup>	$\delta_{\text{C}}$ DMSO- <i>d</i> 6 151 MHz <sup>c</sup>	$\delta_{\text{C}}$ DMSO- <i>d</i> 6 226 MHz <sup>c</sup>	$\delta_{\text{C}}^{\text{b}}$ MeOH- <i>d</i> 3 176 MHz
1	C=O	160.3	159.7	158.2	158.7	158.7	158.7	158.5
3	C	154.4 <sup>c</sup>	147.4	145.8	146.9	146.9	147.9	144.7
4	CH	105.3	108.9	107.3	107.4	107.4	107.4	107.17
4a	C	128.1	126.5	125.1	125.6	125.6	125.7	125.2
5	C=O	160.8	159.9	158.3	158.7	158.7	158.7	158.6
6a	C	143.8	144.3	142.8	143.1	143.0	143.1	142.6
7	C	133.7	133.9	132.7	133.1	133.1	133.0	132.6
8	C	151.3	152.2	150.8	151.2	151.1	151.1	150.8
9	CH	113.8	114.1	113.2	113.6	113.6	113.6	112.6
10	CH	119.5	120.0	117.9	118.2	118.3	118.2	118.4
10a	C	110.0	109.7	108.1	108.5	108.5	108.5	108.3
10b	C	127.4	129.9	127.9	128.0	128.1	128.1	128.2
11	C=O	165.6 <sup>c</sup>	161.8	160.0	160.7	160.5	160.6	161.8

<sup>a</sup> compound obtained under non-acidic conditions

<sup>b</sup> low temperature

<sup>c</sup> derived from HMBC

**Table S1-3.** HMBC data of compound **1** acquired in different solvents and under varying field strengths

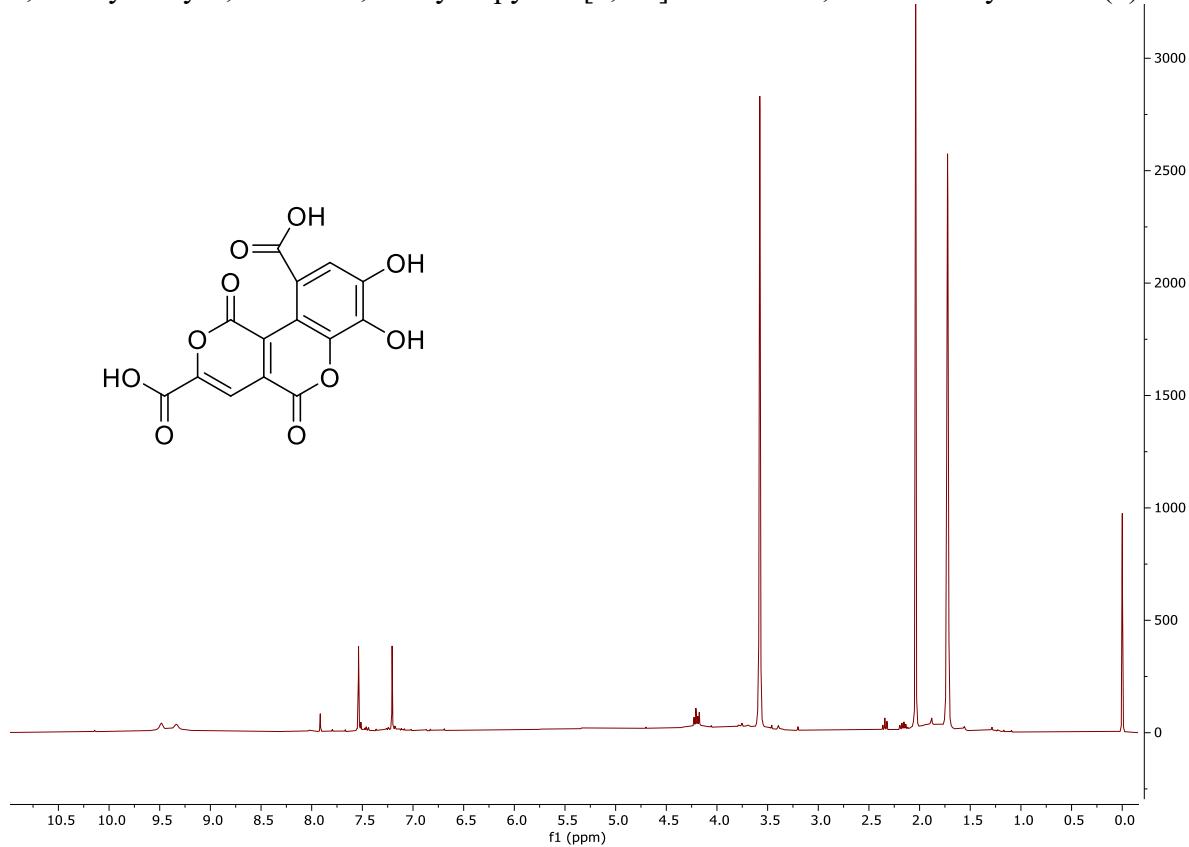
No.	CD <sub>3</sub> OD- <i>d</i> 4 <sup>a</sup> (600, 151MHz)	DMSO- <i>d</i> 6 (600, 151 MHz)	CD <sub>3</sub> OD- <i>d</i> 4 <sup>a</sup> (500, 126MHz)	DMSO- <i>d</i> 6 (600, 151 MHz)	CD <sub>3</sub> OH- <i>d</i> 3 <sup>b</sup> (701, 176 MHz)	CD <sub>3</sub> OH- <i>d</i> 3 <sup>b</sup> (800, 201 MHz)	DMSO- <i>d</i> 6 (900, 226 MHz)
4	3, 5, 10a, 10b, 11	3, 4a, 5, 10a, 10b, 11	3, 5, 10b, 11	3, 5, 10b, 11	3, 5, 10b, 11	5, 10b, 11	3, 5, 10b, 11
9		6a, 7, 8, 10a	6a, 7, 8, 10a	-	6a, 7, 8, 10a	6a, 7, 8, 10a, 10b	7, 10a
10		4a, 6a, 7, 8, 9, 10b	6a, 7, 8, 10b	6a, 7, 8, 10b	6a, 7, 8, 10b	1, 4a, 6a, 7, 8, 9, 10b	6a, 7, 8, 10b
7-OH					-		
8-OH					7, 8, 9		

blue = weak signal

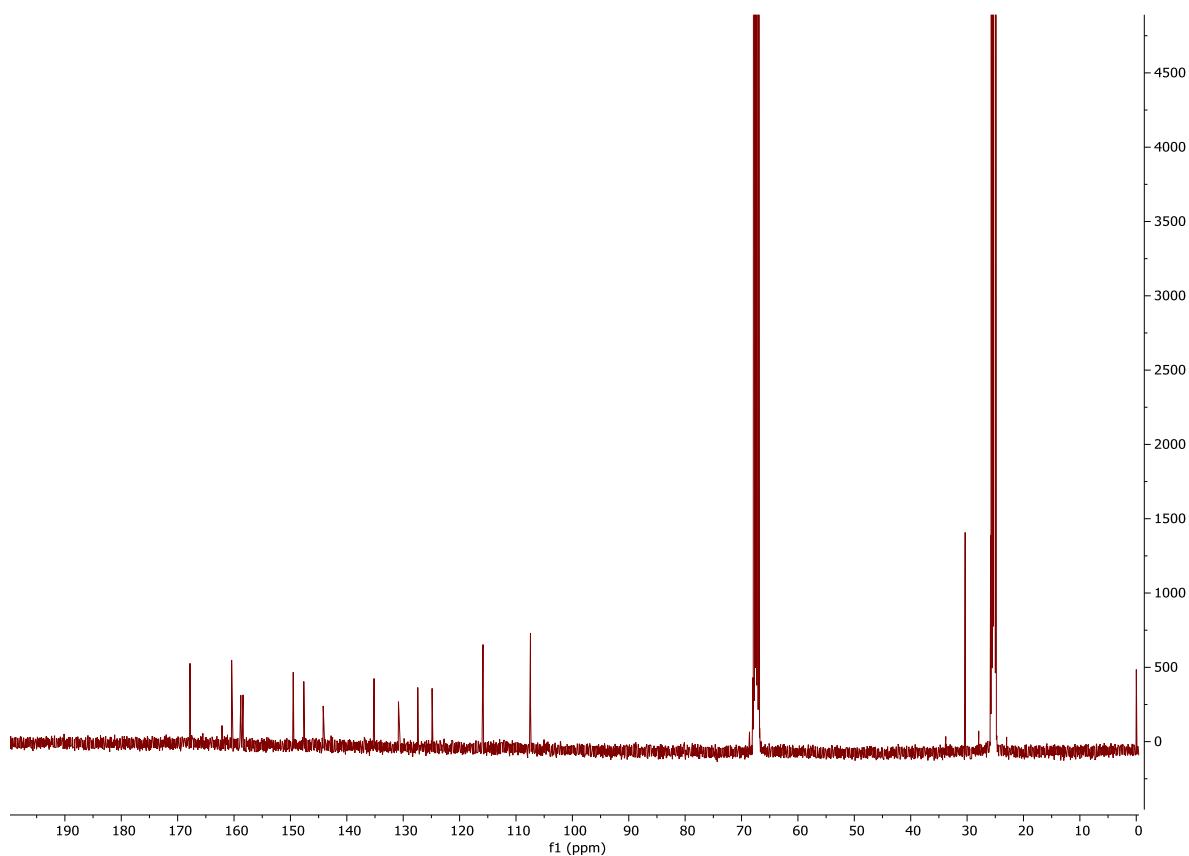
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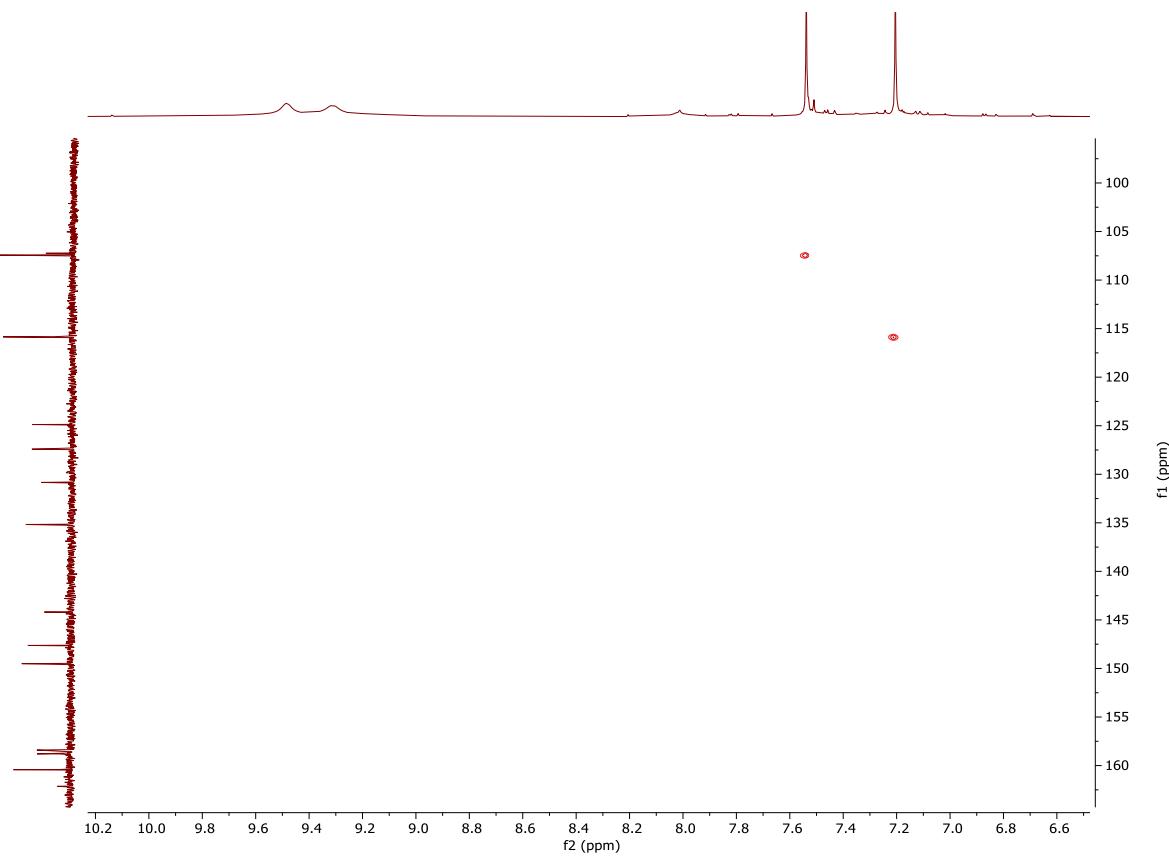
7,8-Dihydroxy-1,5-dioxo-1,5-dihydropyrano[4,3-c]chromene-3,10-dicarboxylic acid (**5**)



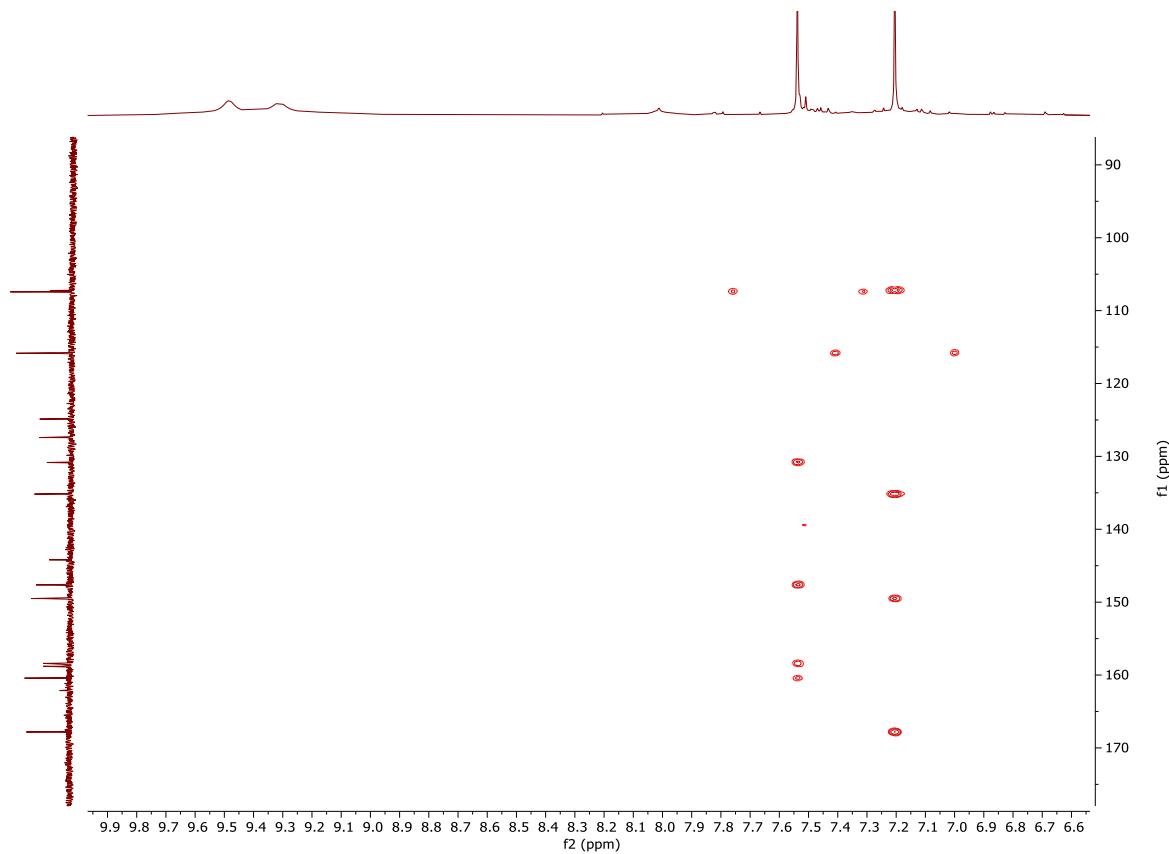
**Figure S3-1.** <sup>1</sup>H spectrum of compound **5** in THF-*d*8, 400 MHz



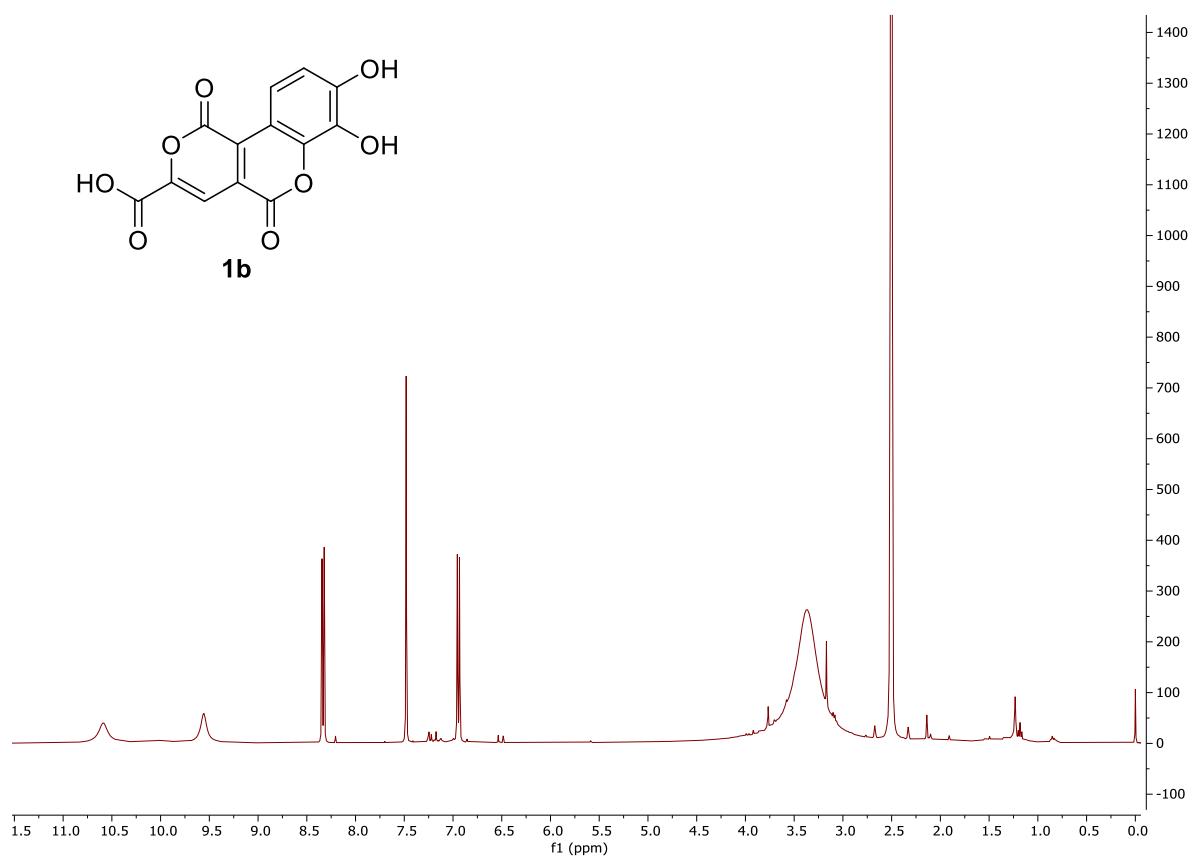
**Figure S3-2.** <sup>13</sup>C spectrum of compound **5** in THF-*d*8, 100 MHz



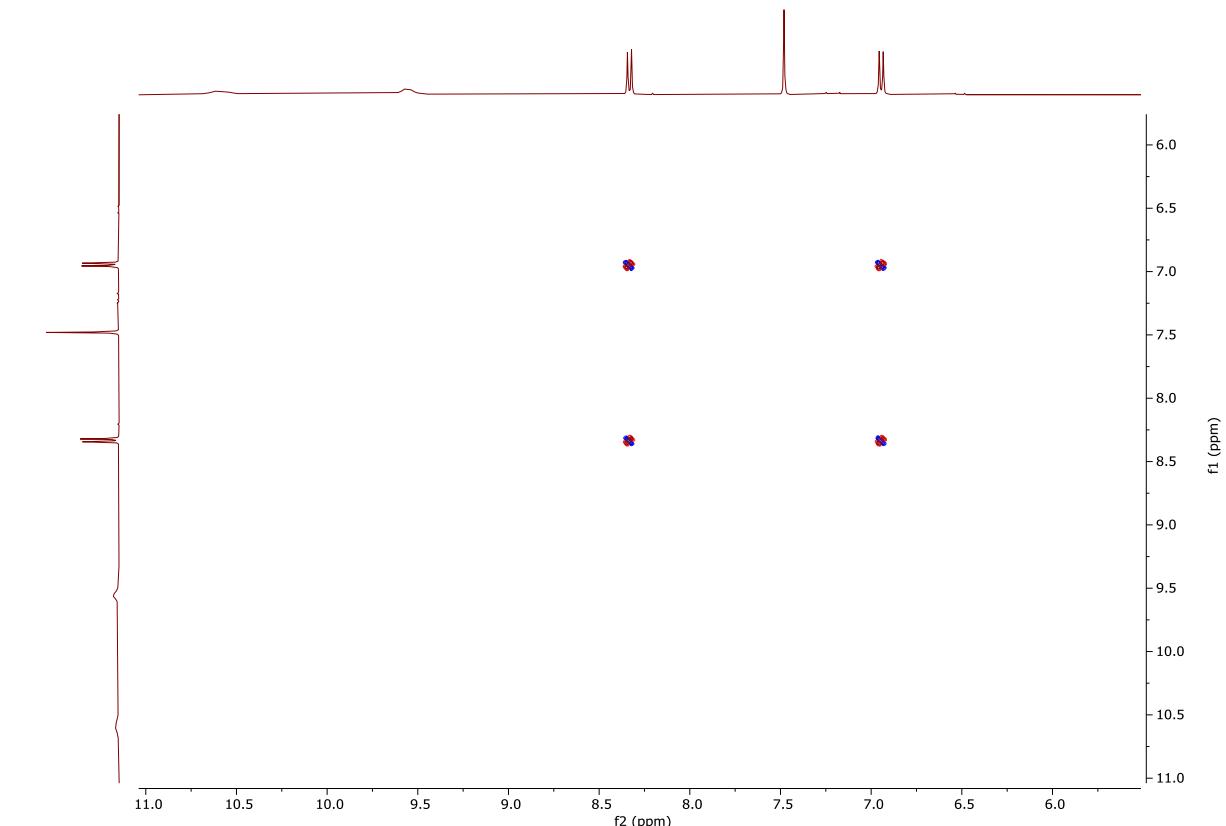
**Figure S3-3.** HSQC spectrum of compound **5** in THF-*d*8, 400/100 MHz



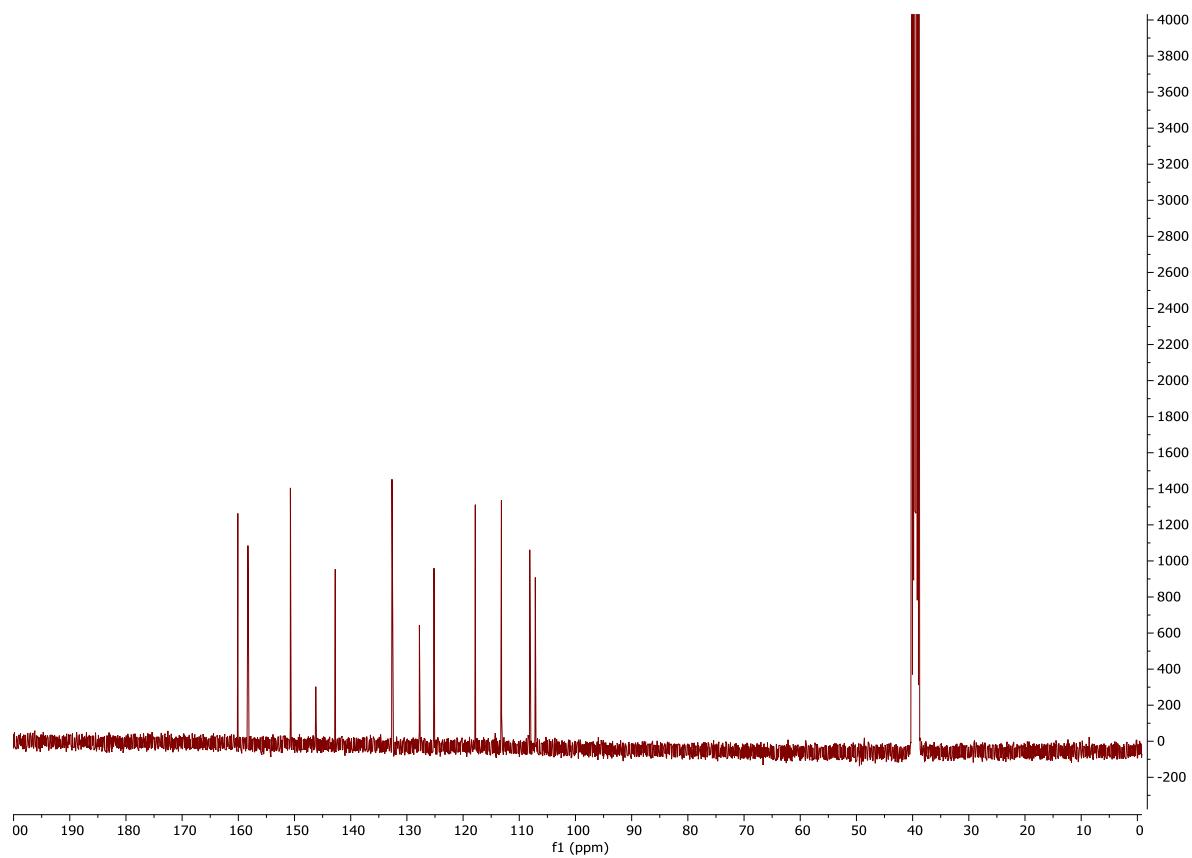
**Figure S3-4.** HMBC spectrum of compound **5** in THF-*d*8, 400/100 MHz



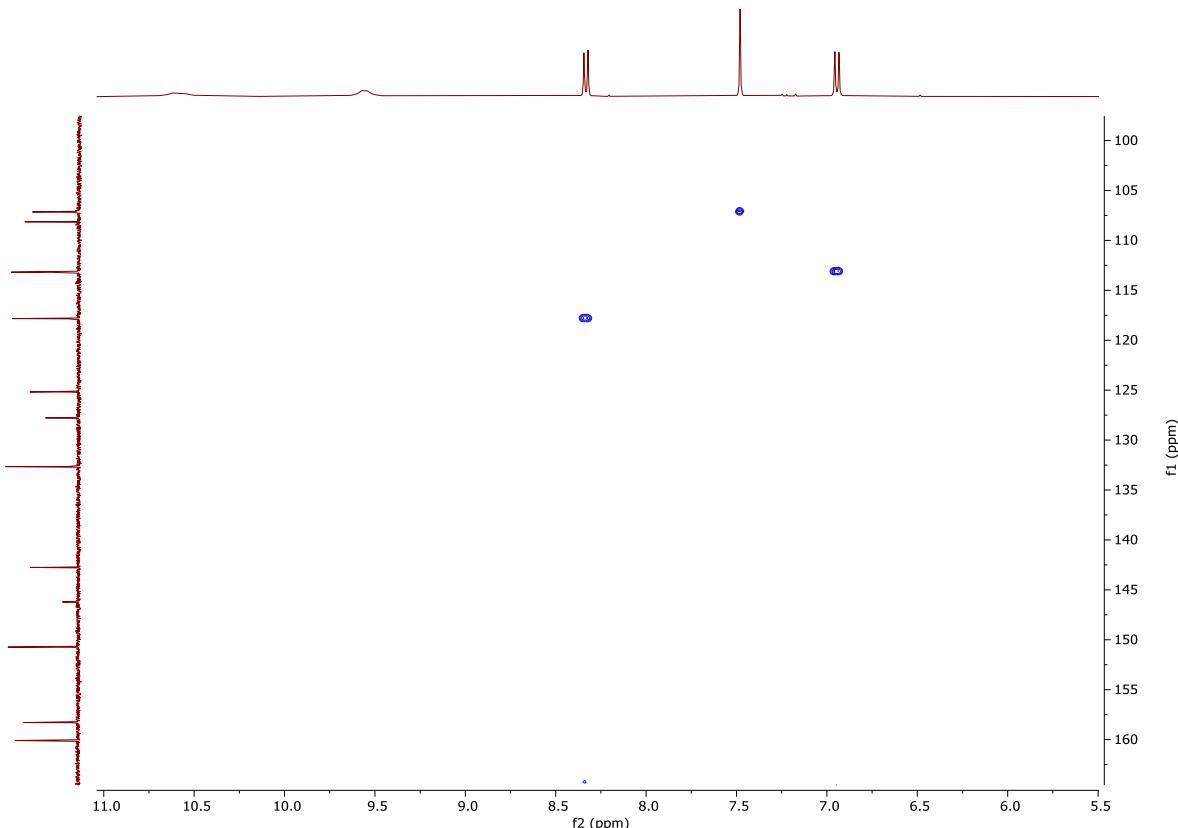
**Figure S4-1.**  $^1\text{H}$  spectrum of compound **1b** in  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ , 400MHz



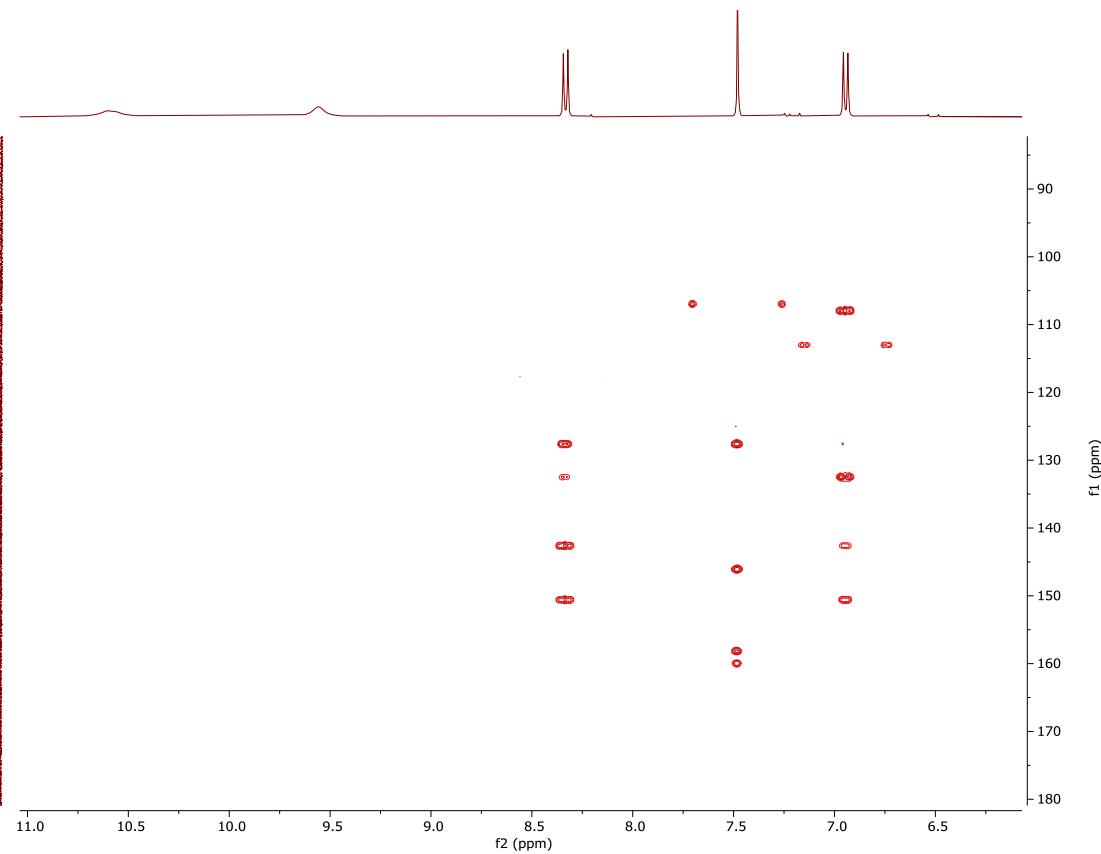
**Figure S4-2.** COSY spectrum of compound **1b** in  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ , 400MHz



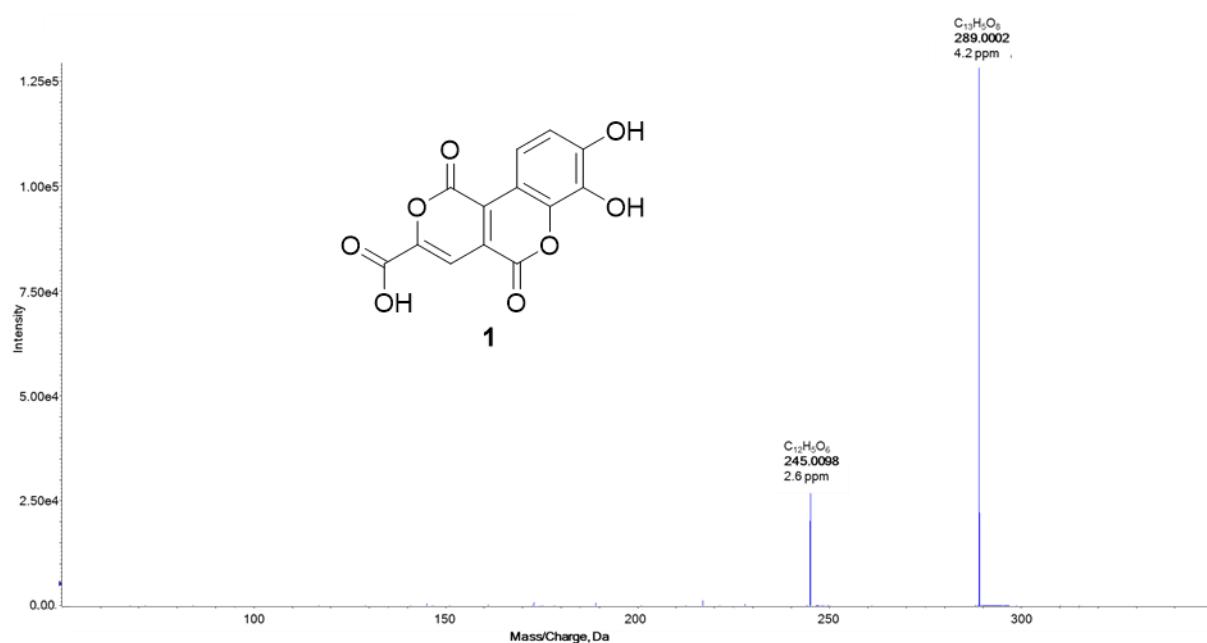
**Figure S4-3.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  spectrum of compound **1b** in  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ , 100MHz



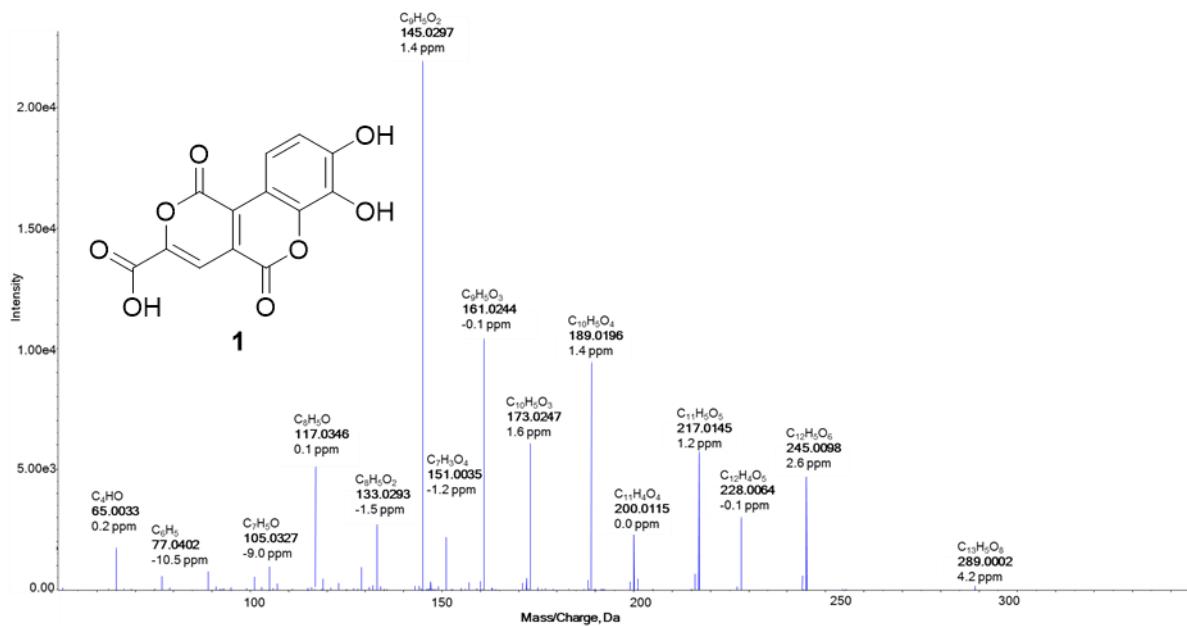
**Figure S4-4.** HSQC spectrum of compound **1b** in  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ , 400/100MHz



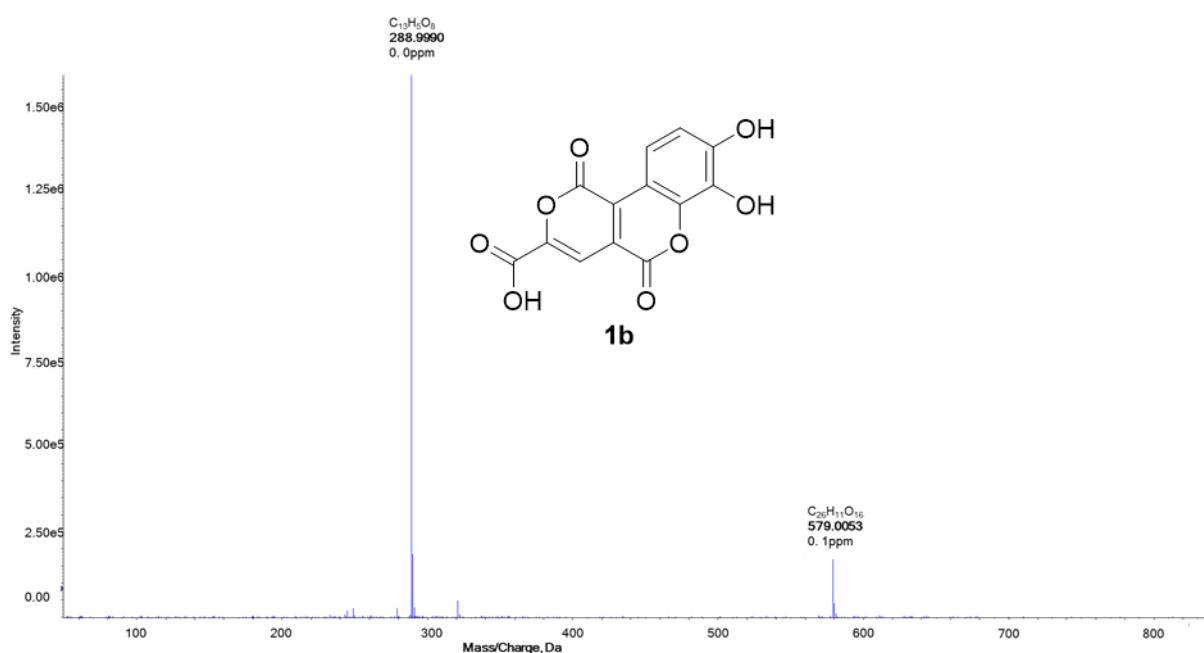
**Figure S4-5.** HMBC spectrum of compound **1b** in  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ , 400/100MHz



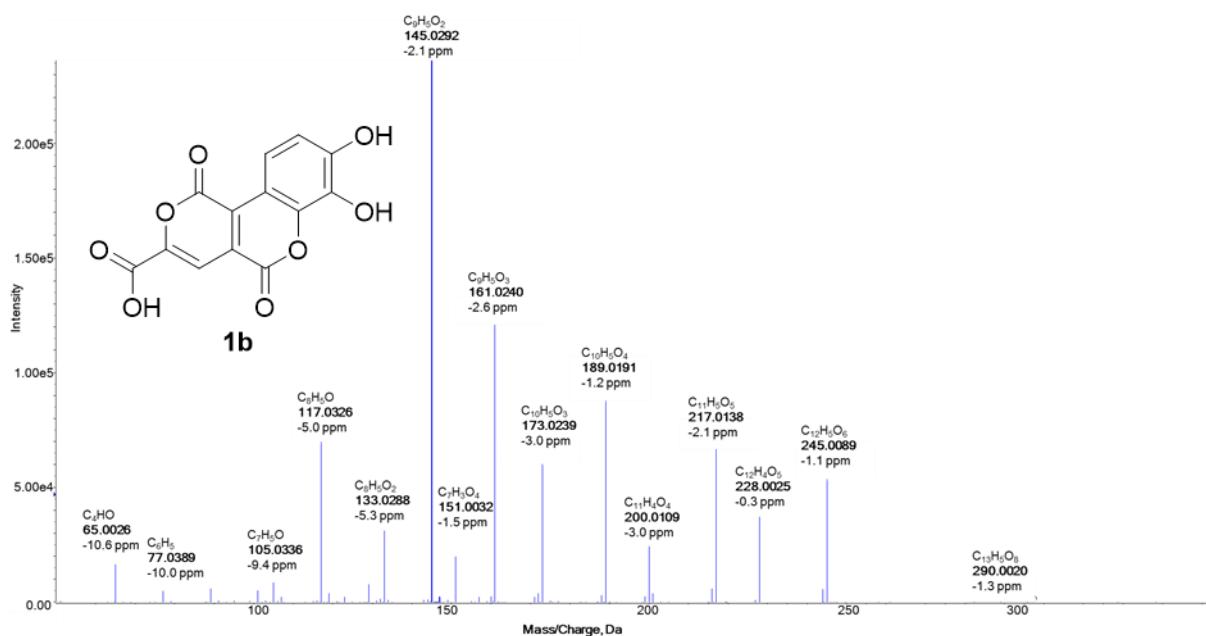
**Figure S5-1.** High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) acquired with quadrupole-time-of-flight-tandem instrument (QqTOF-MS) of compound **1**.



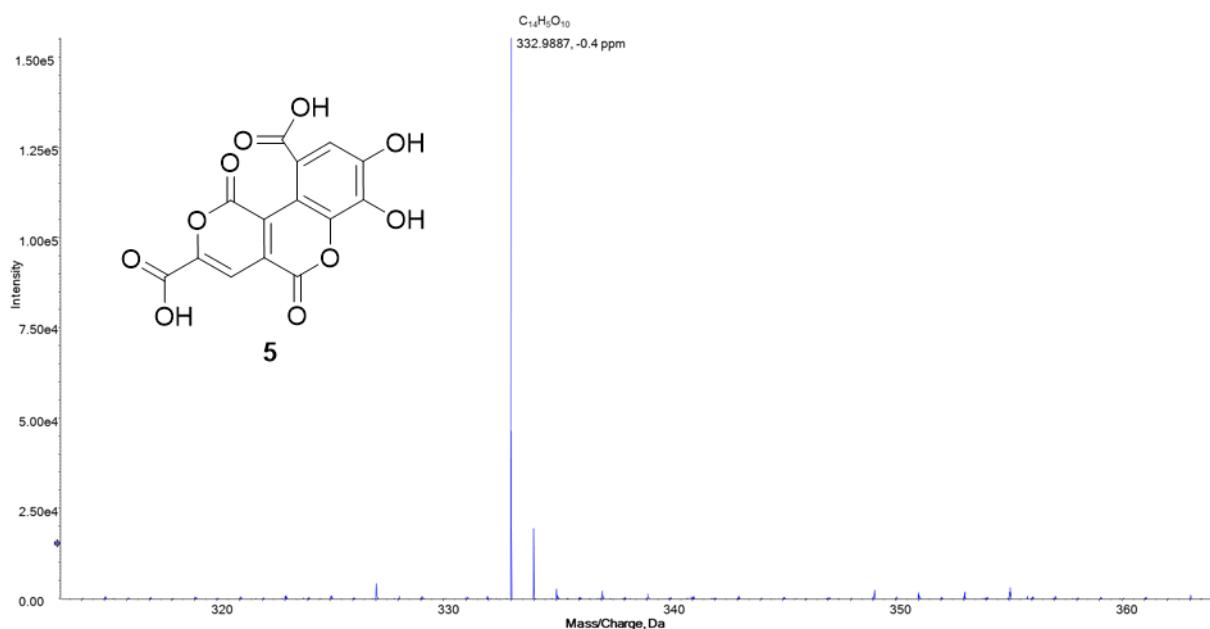
**Figure S5-2.** MS<sup>2</sup> of compound **1** acquired with quadrupole-time-of-flight-tandem instrument (QqTOF-MS/MS).



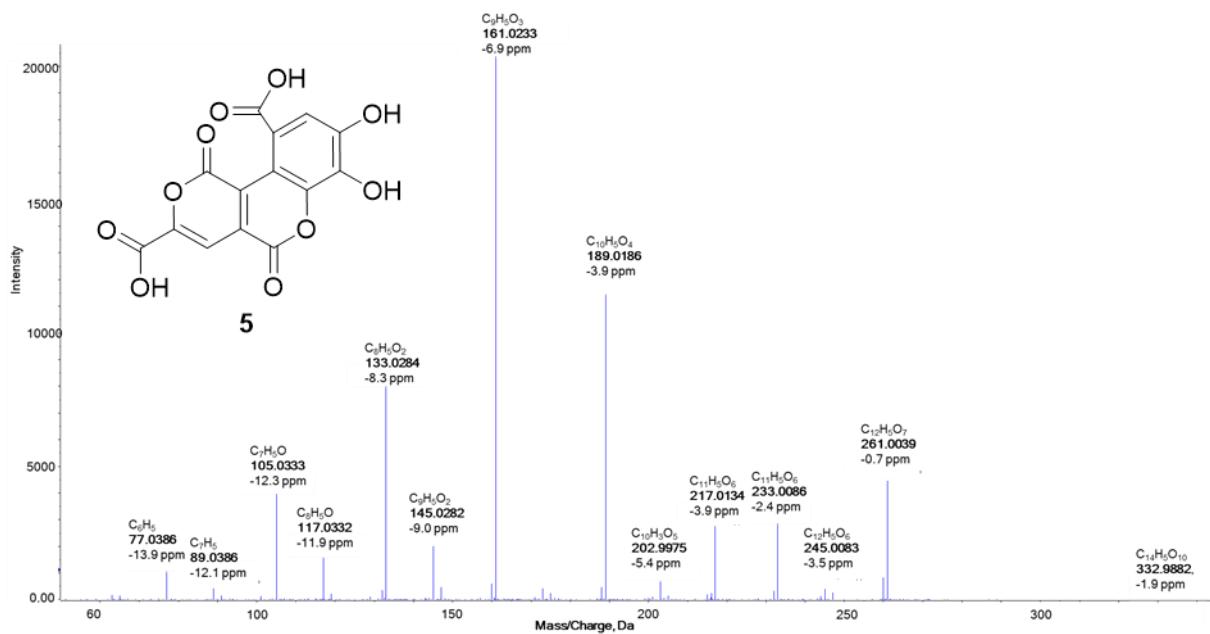
**Figure S6-1.** High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) acquired with quadrupole-time-of-flight-tandem instrument (QqTOF-MS) of synthetic compound **1b**



**Figure S6-2.** MS<sup>2</sup> of synthetic compound **1b** acquired with quadrupole-time-of-flight-tandem instrument (QqTOF-MS/MS)

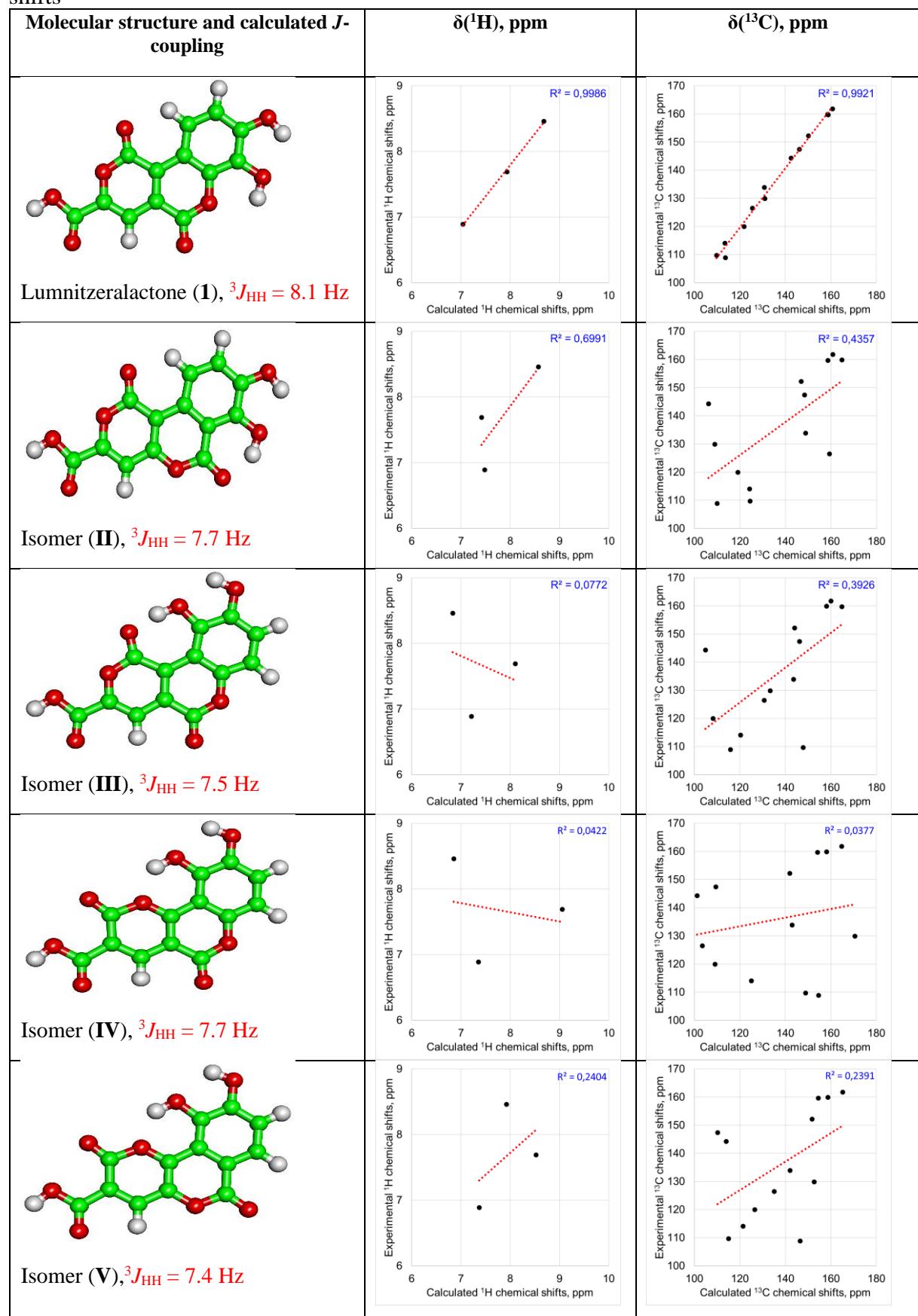


**Figure S7-1.** High resolution mass spectra (HRMS) acquired with quadrupole-time-of-flight-tandem instrument (QqTOF-MS) of synthetic compound **5**



**Figure S7-2.**  $MS^2$  of synthetic compound **5** acquired with quadrupole-time-of-flight-tandem instrument (QqTOF-MS/MS)

**Table S2-1.** DFT calculations: comparison between experimental and calculated chemical shifts\*



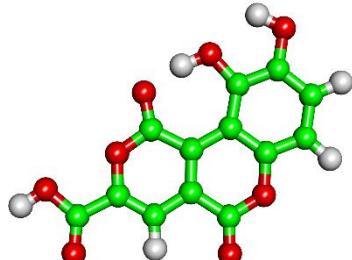
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**Table S2-2.** Cartesian coordinates of structures A-E used in DFT calculations

Structure		Cartesian Coordinates		
	Element	X	Y	Z
Lummitzeralactone ( <b>1</b> )	C	-1.94132100	0.54152900	0.00026300
	C	-3.33084100	0.50949900	-0.00030500
	C	-3.98314000	-0.72941700	-0.00082200
	C	-3.22924500	-1.91141900	-0.00050000
	C	-1.84330900	-1.86882800	0.00018300
	C	-1.15460200	-0.63107300	0.00053400
	C	0.27884300	-0.44001400	0.00075300
	C	0.81984100	0.83835500	0.00065600
	C	-0.04131300	2.03720300	0.00080200
	O	-1.40116600	1.80630300	0.00049700
	C	1.21064600	-1.59411500	0.00133900
	O	2.56367800	-1.29172600	-0.00003900
	C	3.05078900	-0.02352500	-0.00016200
	C	2.23161200	1.05309500	0.00033500
	O	-5.33558800	-0.79300300	-0.00152400
	O	-4.10945400	1.63388700	-0.00089900
	O	0.34751100	3.18120500	0.00127700
	O	0.90621200	-2.76447900	0.00248000
	C	4.53371200	0.09503900	-0.00100800
	O	5.10957000	1.16480800	-0.00101700
	O	5.15801700	-1.09716300	-0.00189500
	H	-3.75590200	-2.85933000	-0.00075300
	H	-1.27151300	-2.78523200	0.00050300
	H	2.64049200	2.05464800	0.00035300
	H	-5.69923700	0.10672600	-0.00152600
	H	-3.54784100	2.42413900	0.00043200
	H	6.11372000	-0.91758000	-0.00246000
Isomer ( <b>II</b> )	Element	X	Y	Z
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	C	-3.26876200	0.39705300	0.00012100
	C	-3.86340200	-0.87719600	0.00002900
	C	-3.05494400	-2.01153900	0.00006300
	C	-1.66225800	-1.91267800	0.00003800
	C	-1.03947400	-0.65605600	0.00007800
	C	0.39892900	-0.43641100	-0.00002300
	C	0.88959500	0.85337000	-0.00016900
	C	1.36759100	-1.53803600	-0.00014000
	O	2.72307600	-1.17418000	-0.00017500
	C	3.14446900	0.10719700	-0.00033200
	C	2.28020800	1.15064100	-0.00032400
	O	-5.21409500	-1.00004200	-0.00000600
	O	-4.11371000	1.45165500	0.00001300
	O	1.12821500	-2.72306400	-0.00013900
	C	4.62198300	0.30780700	-0.00048900
	O	5.13414900	1.40930600	0.00015100
	O	5.30901100	-0.84686500	0.00063400
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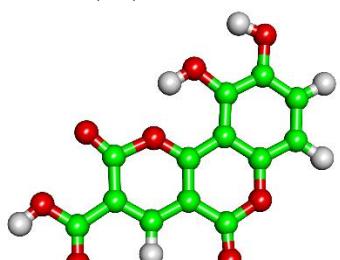
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O	-1.92801500	2.89048300	0.00010400
O	0.07923300	1.94916900	-0.00006600

Isomer (III)



Element	X	Y	Z
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C	3.28940800	1.66851600	0.01450300
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C	-0.03188100	-0.09655300	0.00694600
C	-0.82525800	1.04795600	-0.00096100
C	-0.23734700	2.40570800	0.00213600
O	1.11508300	2.46861100	0.02124600
C	-0.76220400	-1.38448200	0.03411400
O	-2.12483300	-1.35064800	0.01567500
C	-2.85915100	-0.20687200	-0.00420700
C	-2.25005900	0.99768700	-0.00911900
O	-0.88686300	3.42825400	-0.00531600
O	-0.28038000	-2.51085200	0.07763400
C	-4.33477200	-0.38833000	-0.01670000
O	-5.10840300	0.54663200	-0.03395200
O	-4.70488900	-1.68159700	-0.00695800
H	-2.82670100	1.91308400	-0.02024400
H	-5.67722000	-1.70203700	-0.01635600
O	4.70775400	-1.68750200	-0.03206100
O	2.20852500	-2.33576600	-0.04319900
H	1.23416700	-2.55134400	0.00735000
H	4.22387600	-2.53015100	-0.03832600
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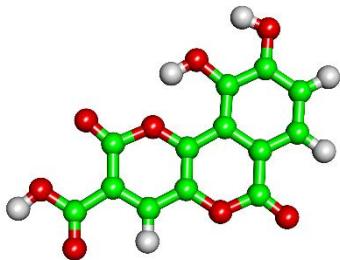
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C	-3.75196900	-0.93391800	-0.00016000
C	-2.36106200	-1.09914700	0.00002100
C	-1.51677100	0.03884800	0.00009000
C	-0.08668000	0.00095600	0.00016600
C	0.68010100	1.15115000	0.00057400
C	0.03830200	2.46991500	0.00062800
O	-1.34589100	2.46896700	0.00042000
C	2.72158200	-0.19851800	0.00037400
C	2.09082600	1.02296700	0.00034200
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C	4.21304300	-0.19512300	-0.00034000

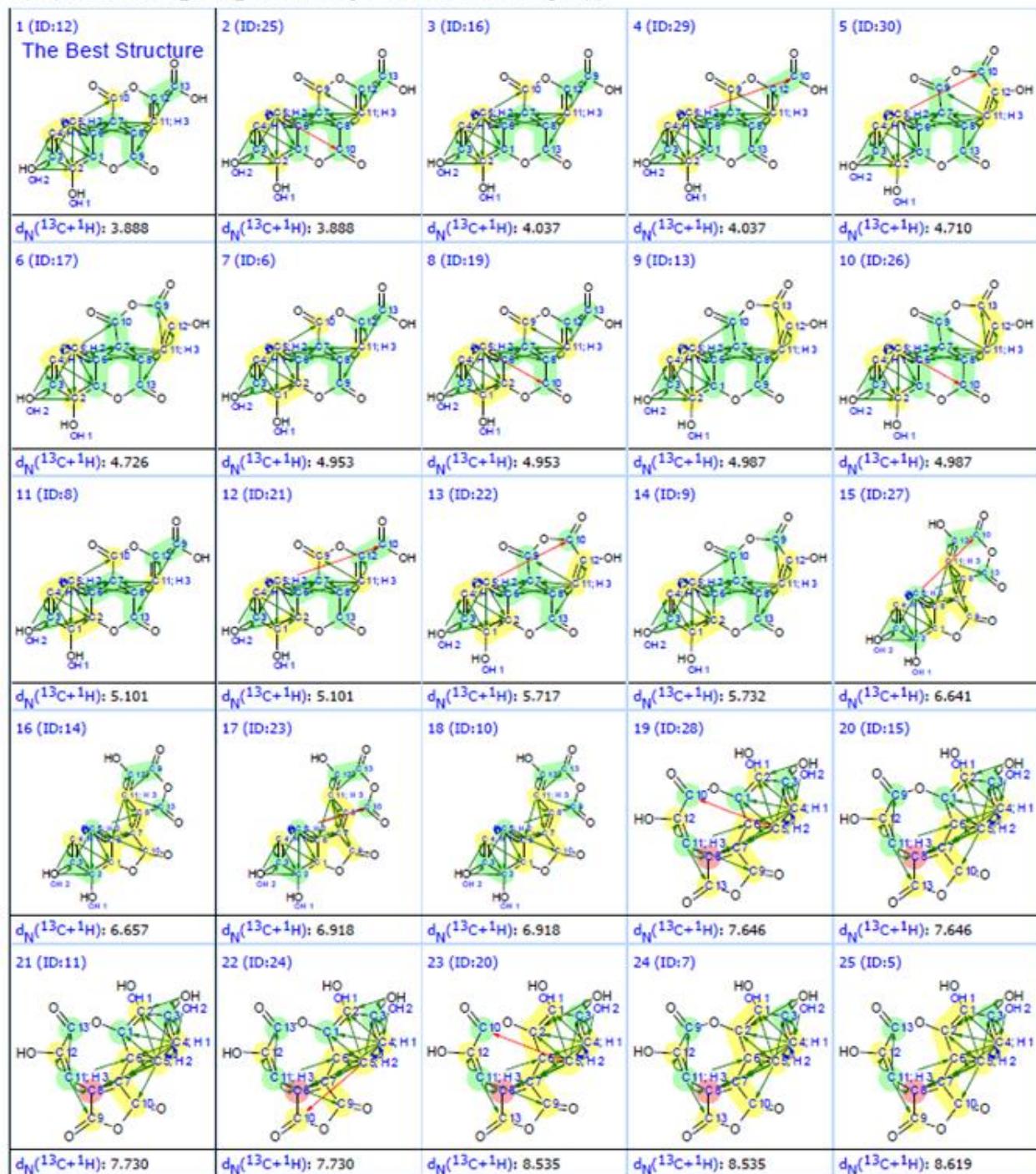
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H	5.73360000	-1.28612900	-0.00247900
O	-4.57721600	-2.01634100	-0.00029700
O	-1.92812600	-2.38737900	0.00003200
H	-0.95610000	-2.43155200	0.00025100
H	-4.03859300	-2.82305900	0.00016500
H	-5.38092000	0.44600000	-0.00141800
H	-3.90899900	2.48221800	-0.00007300
C	1.94597400	-1.42796400	0.00127500
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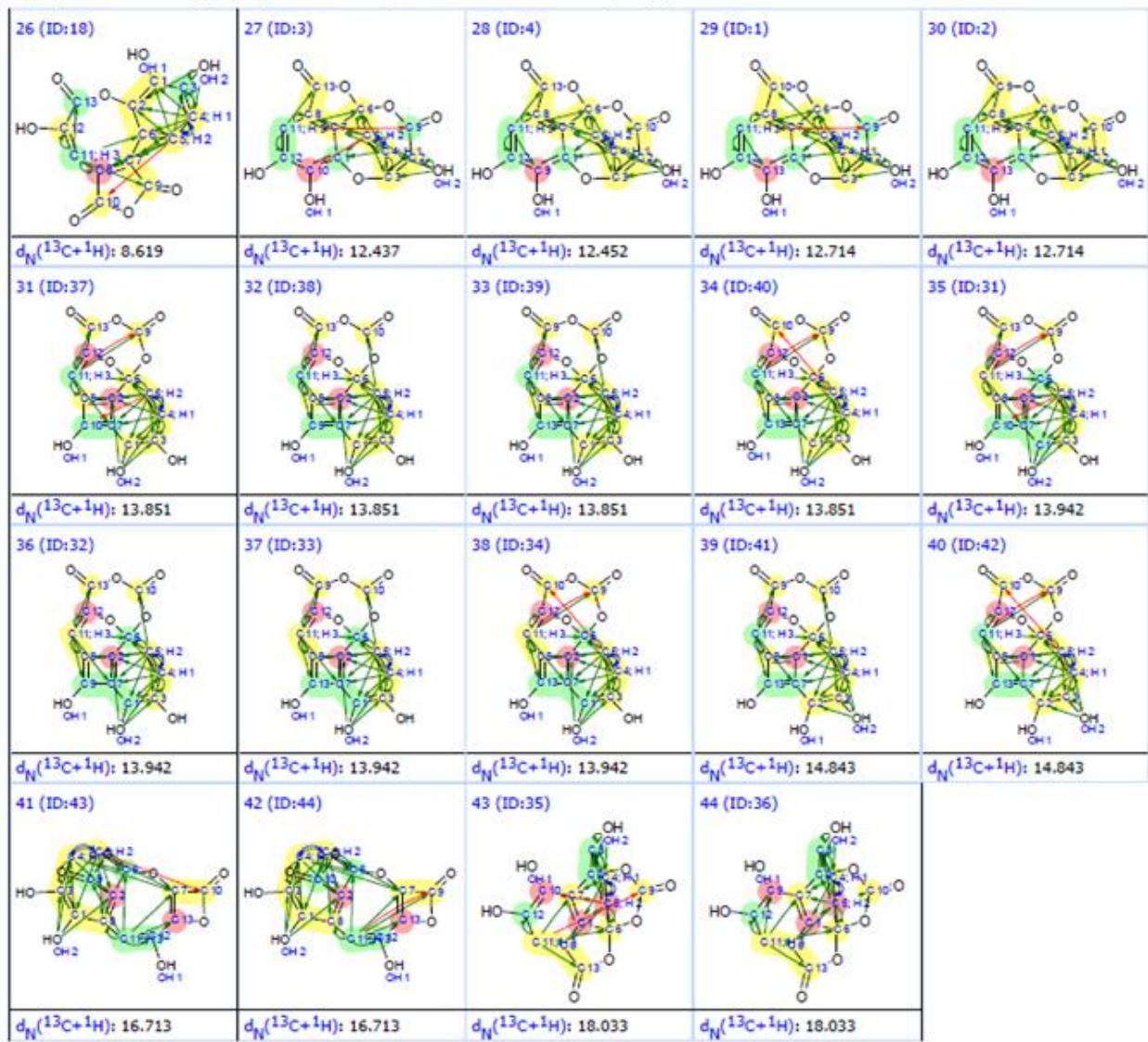
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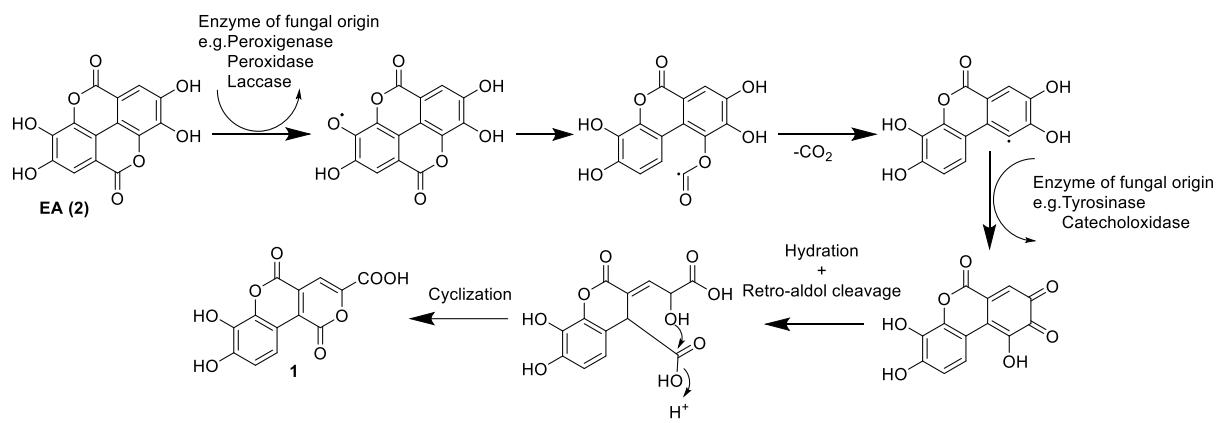


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C	-3.57970600	-1.18466700	0.00001000
C	-2.17347400	-1.25306800	-0.00009500
C	-1.42107900	-0.06509900	-0.00031000
C	0.01358000	-0.02061800	-0.00017400
C	0.69415000	1.16887500	-0.00009900
C	2.81962200	-0.01396300	-0.00008900
C	2.10331000	1.16205500	-0.00012600
C	4.30565600	0.10757900	-0.00016600
O	4.87794700	1.18318000	0.00109700
O	4.95987800	-1.06680100	-0.00182000
H	2.64411500	2.10373000	-0.00014600
H	5.90933200	-0.85536500	-0.00177500
O	-4.31070200	-2.32243800	0.00008900
O	-1.66228200	-2.51458900	-0.00032400
H	-0.68893900	-2.49805200	-0.00018200
H	-3.70955100	-3.08526900	0.00034000
H	-5.31296800	0.06769200	-0.00042600
H	-3.98181500	2.19840900	0.00025800
C	2.13657900	-1.30061400	0.00029700
O	2.55983100	-2.42462800	0.00191500
O	0.69824800	-1.18880800	-0.00004200
C	-1.34604800	2.46083900	-0.00027900
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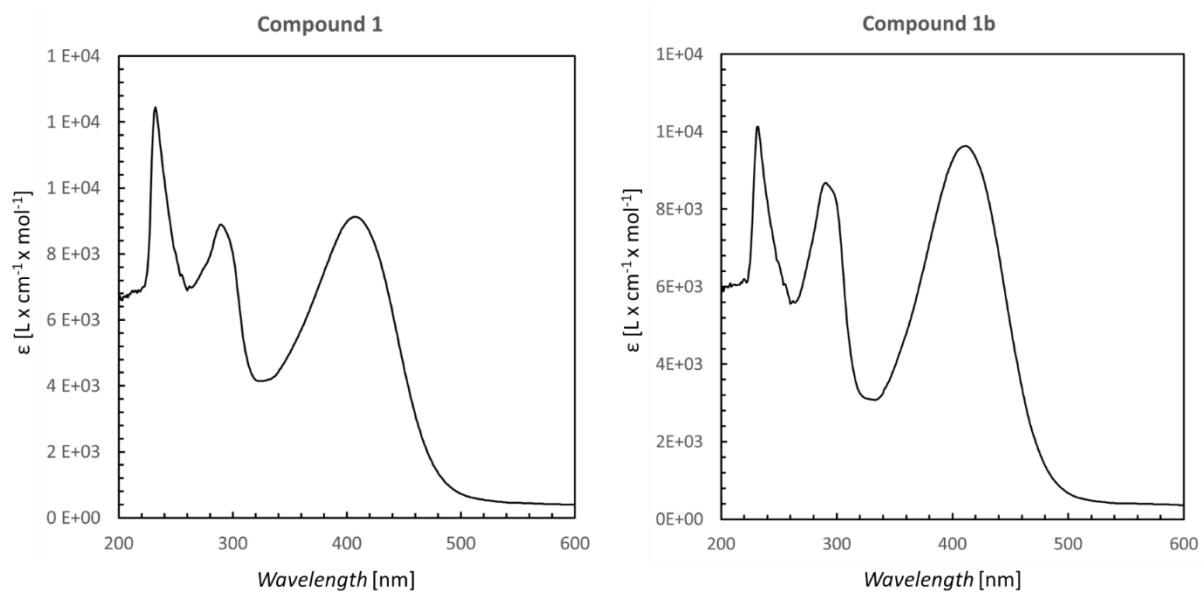


**Figure S8-2.** Overview of structures generated by ACD-SE

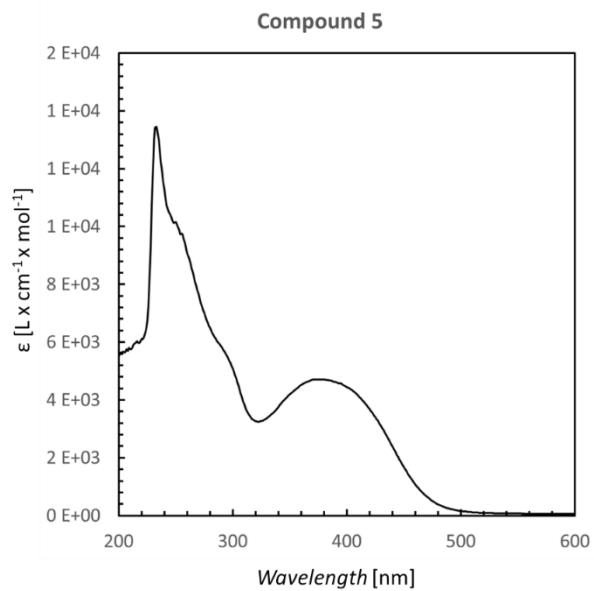
**Figure S8-2, continued.** Overview of structures generated by ACD-SE



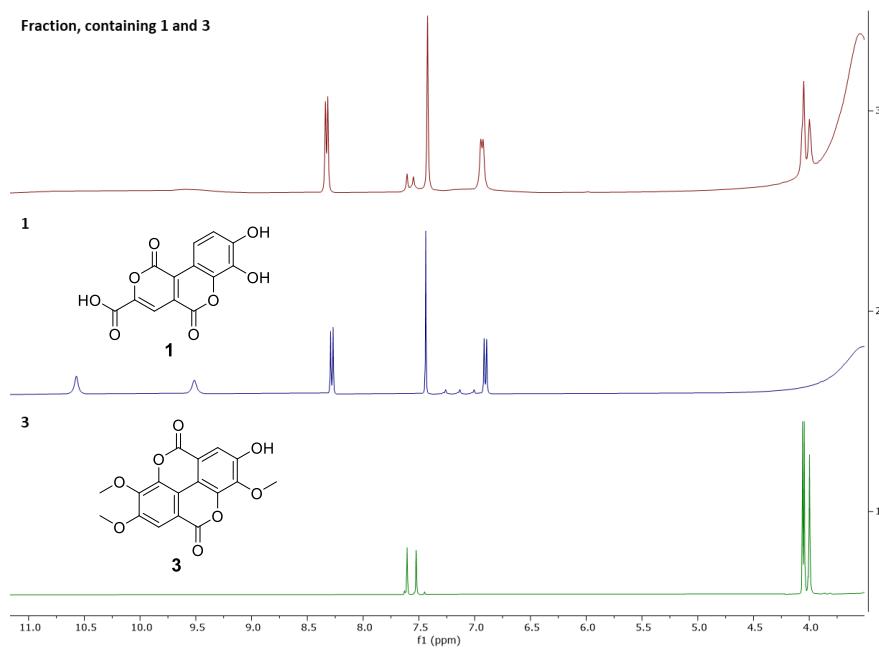
**Scheme S2-1.** A suggested pathway for the biosynthesis of lumnitzeralactone (**1**), including a radical induced decarboxylation step (dark pathway)



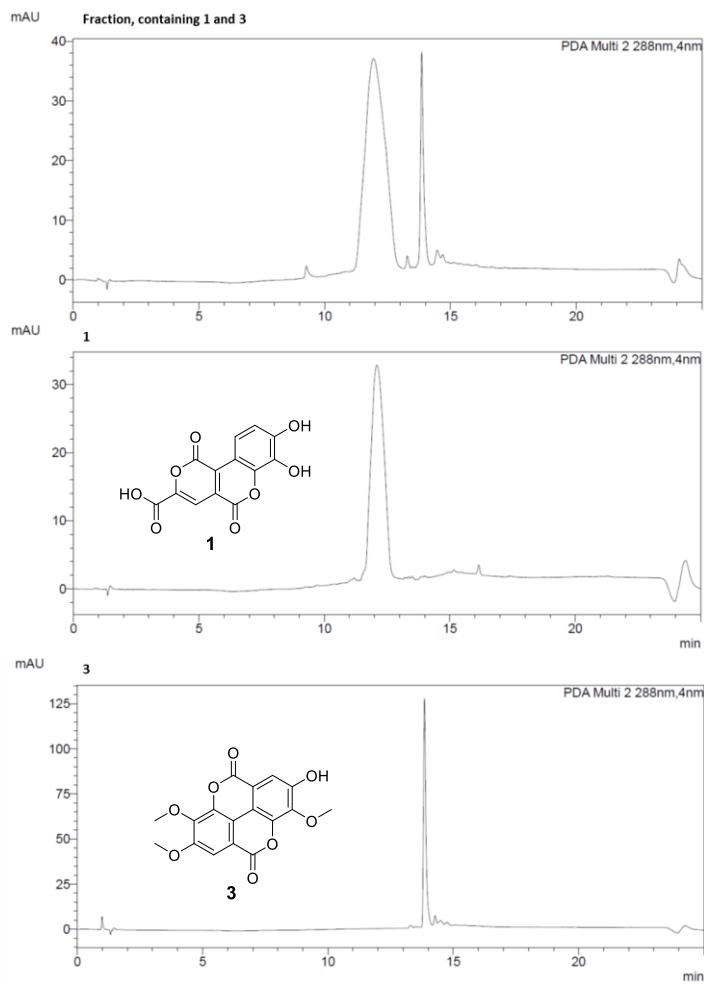
**Figure S9-1.** UV spectra of isolated compound **1** and synthetic **1b**



**Figure S9-2.** UV spectrum of compound **5**



**Figure S10-1.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the antibacterial fraction containing **1** and **3** compared to the isolated compounds **1** and **3** in  $\text{DMSO}-d_6$ , 400 MHz.



**Figure S10-2.** HPLC chromatogram of the antibacterial fraction containing **1** and **3** compared to the isolated compounds **1** and **3** (YMC-Triart C18; water (A)/methanol (B) gradient: 0-5, 5% B; 2-12 min, 5-100% B; 12-20 min, 100% B isocratic, flow rate of 1.5 mL/min).