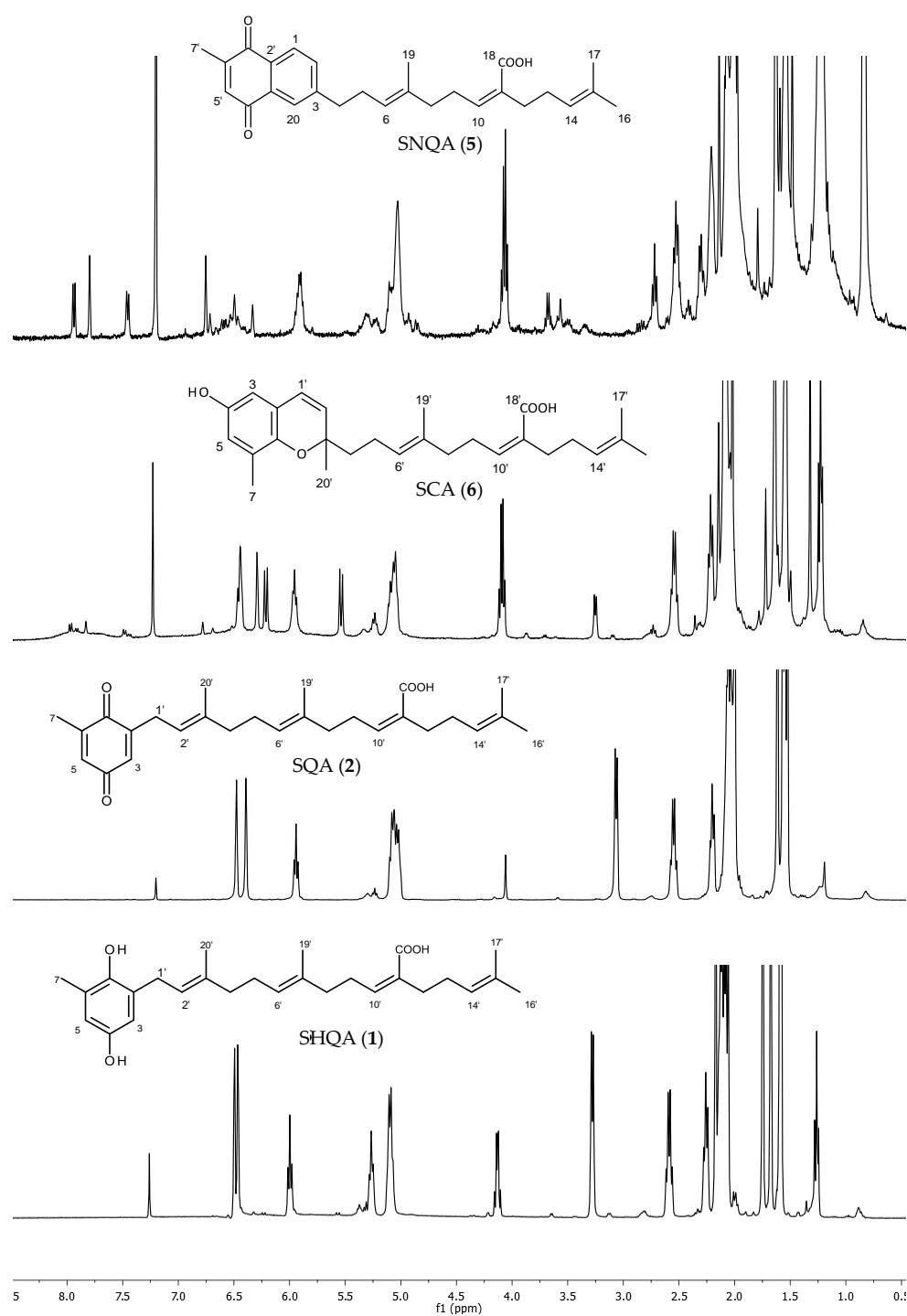


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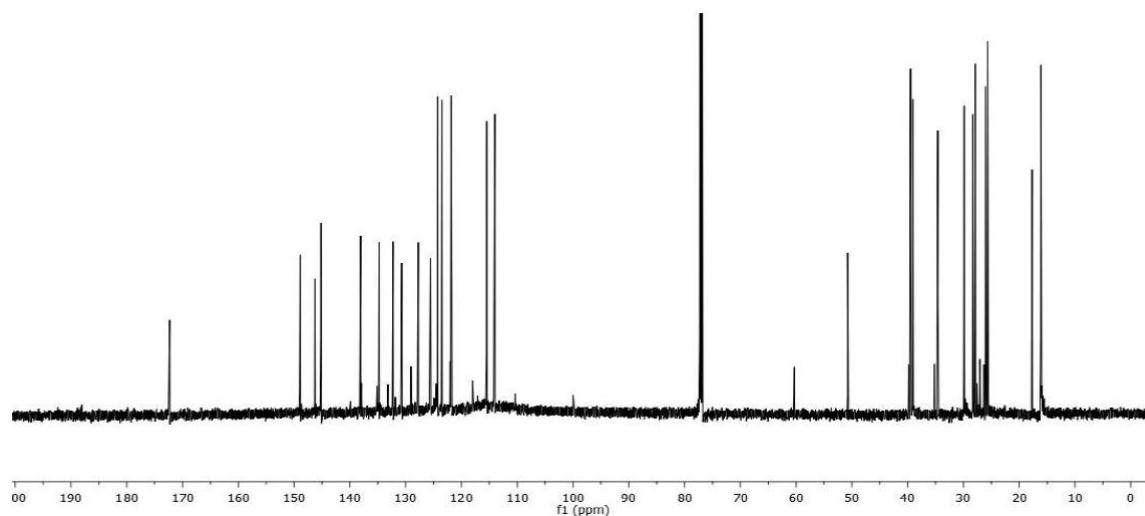
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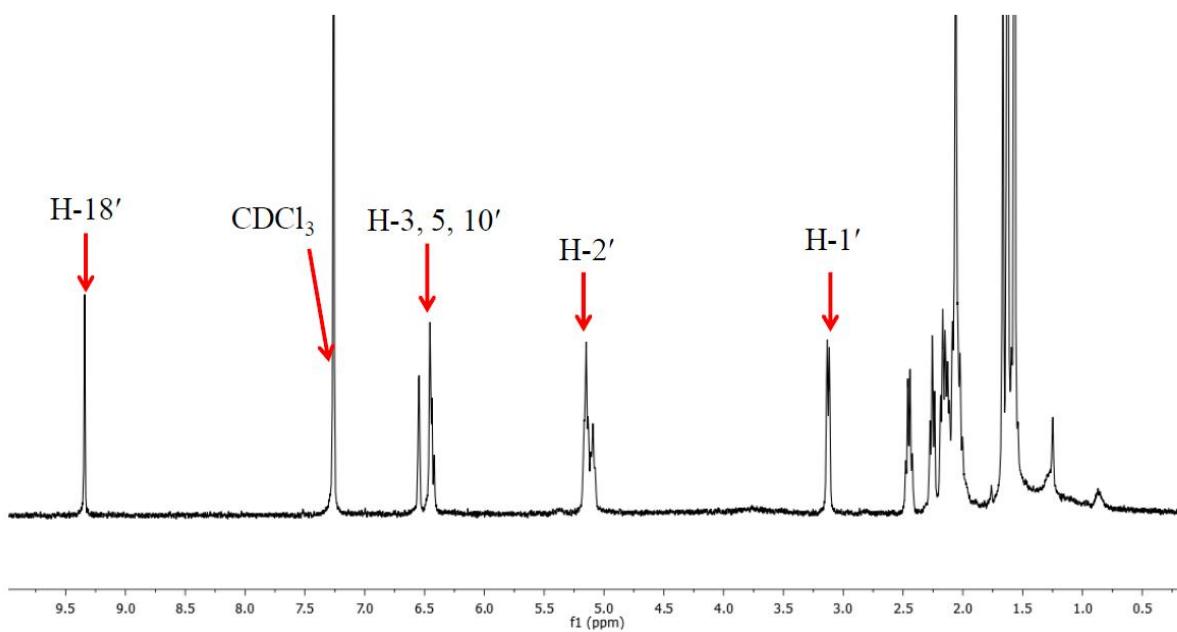
**Figure S1.** Photograph of *S. incisifolium* specimen used in this study.



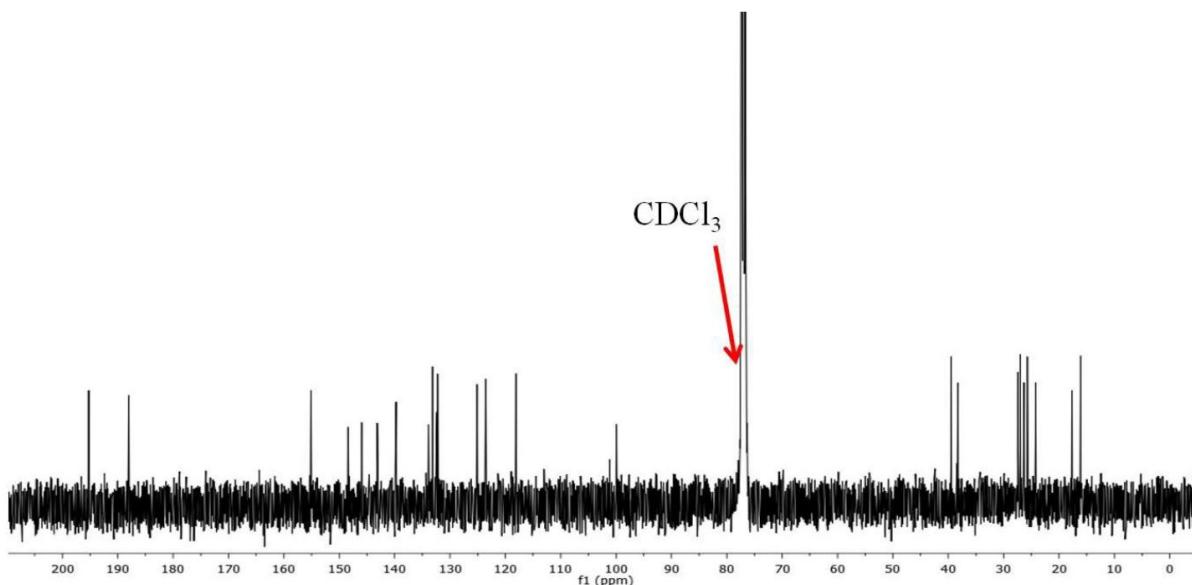
**Figure S2.** <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectra (CDCl<sub>3</sub>, 400 MHz) for sargahydroquinic acid (**1**), sargaquinoic acid (**2**), sargachromenoic acid (**6**) and saganaphthoquinic acid (**5**).



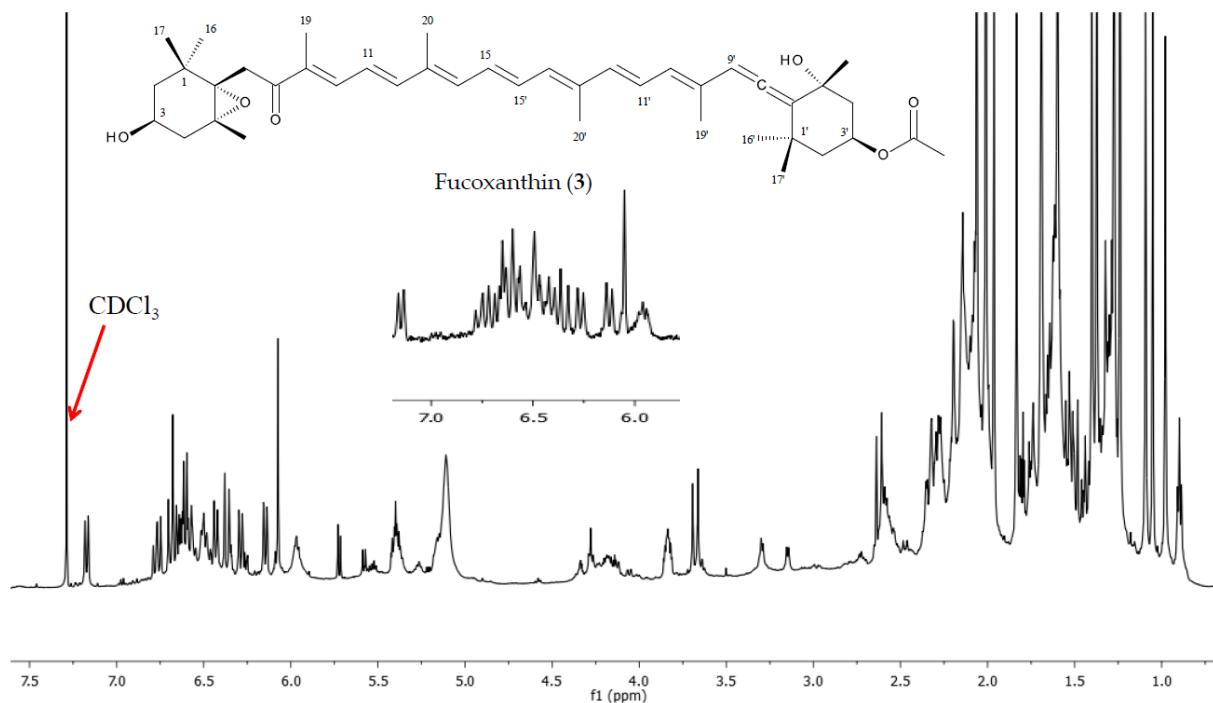
**Figure S3.** <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz) of sargahydroquinone acid (**1**).



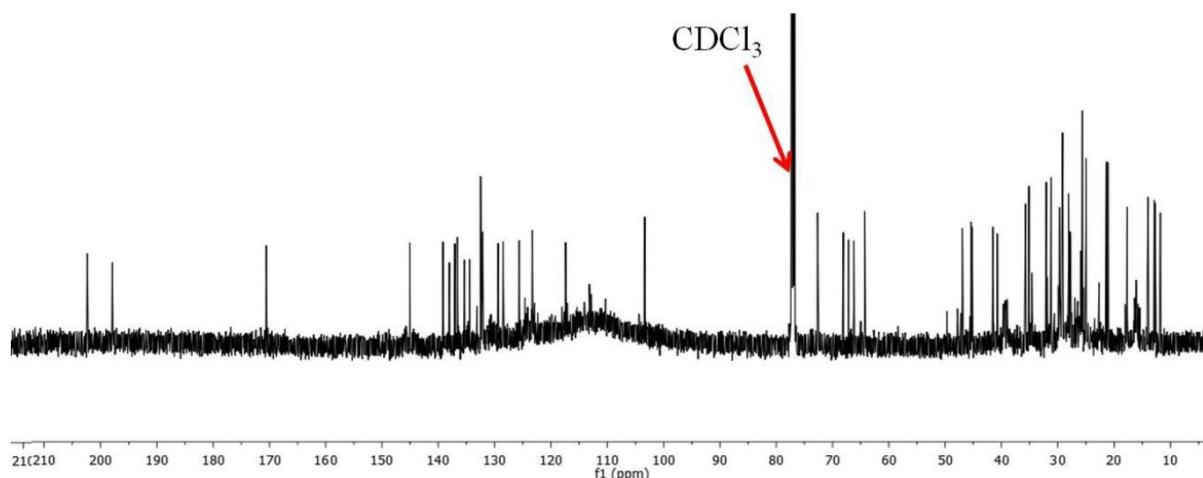
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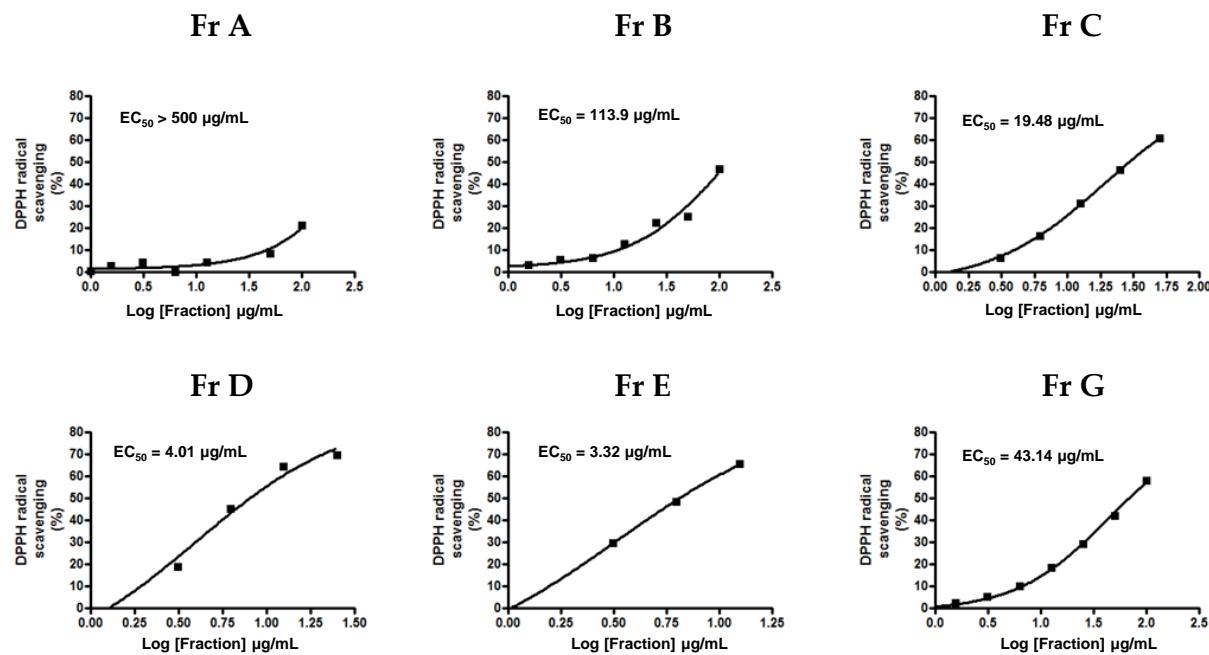
**Figure S5.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz) of  $10'E$ -sargaquinal (**4**).



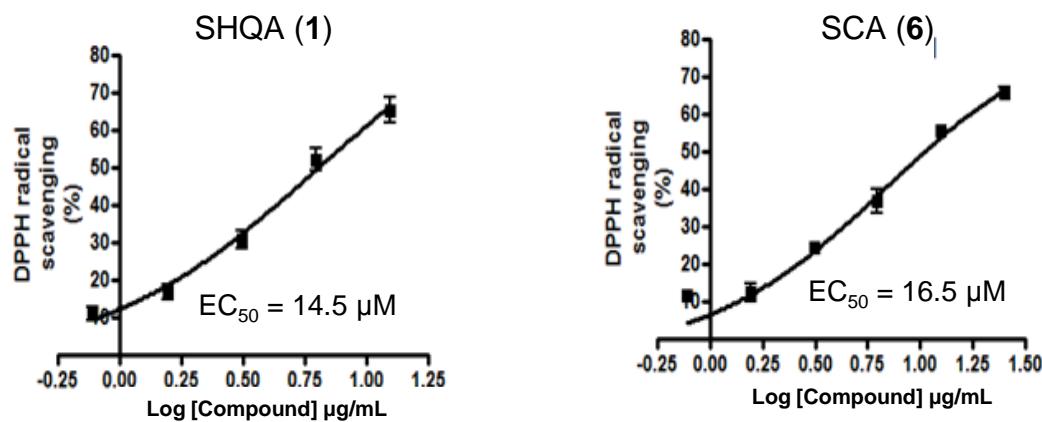
**Figure S6.**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 400 MHz) of fucoxanthin (3).



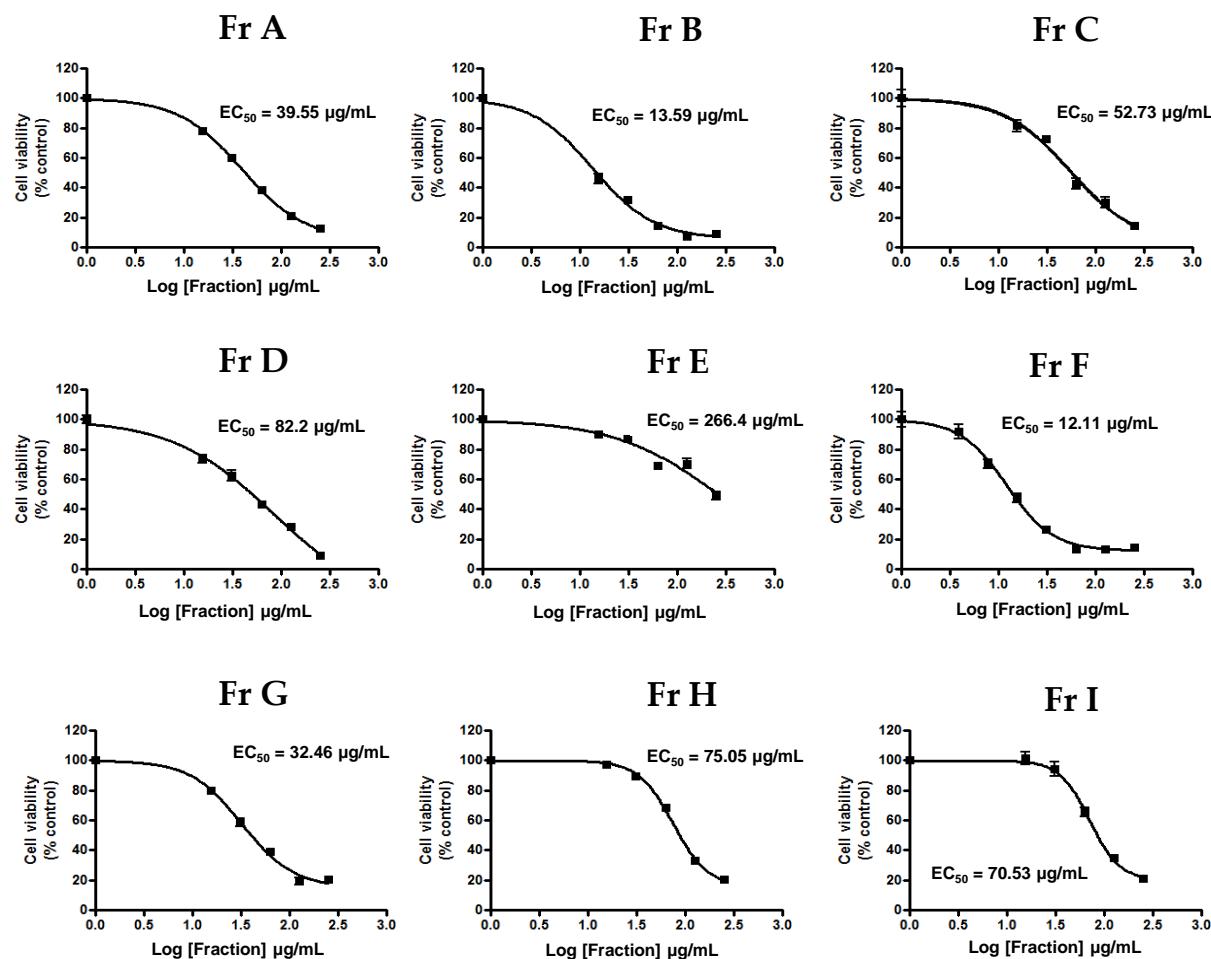
**Figure S7.**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum ( $\text{CDCl}_3$ , 100 MHz) of fucoxanthin (3).



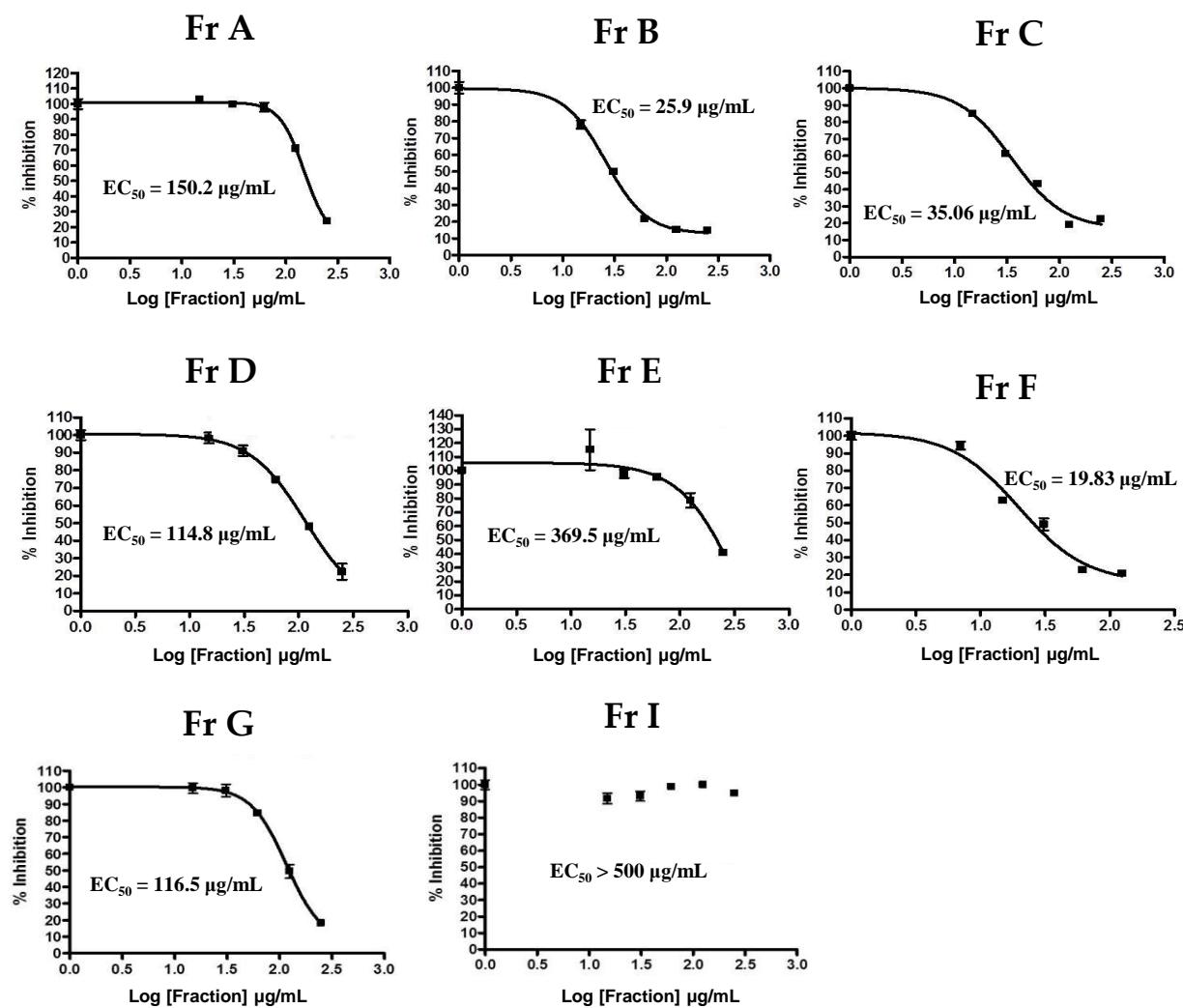
**Figure S8.** Titration curves for the DPPH radical scavenging activity of *Sargassum incisifolium* crude fractions Fr A, Fr B, Fr C, Fr D, Fr E and Fr G.



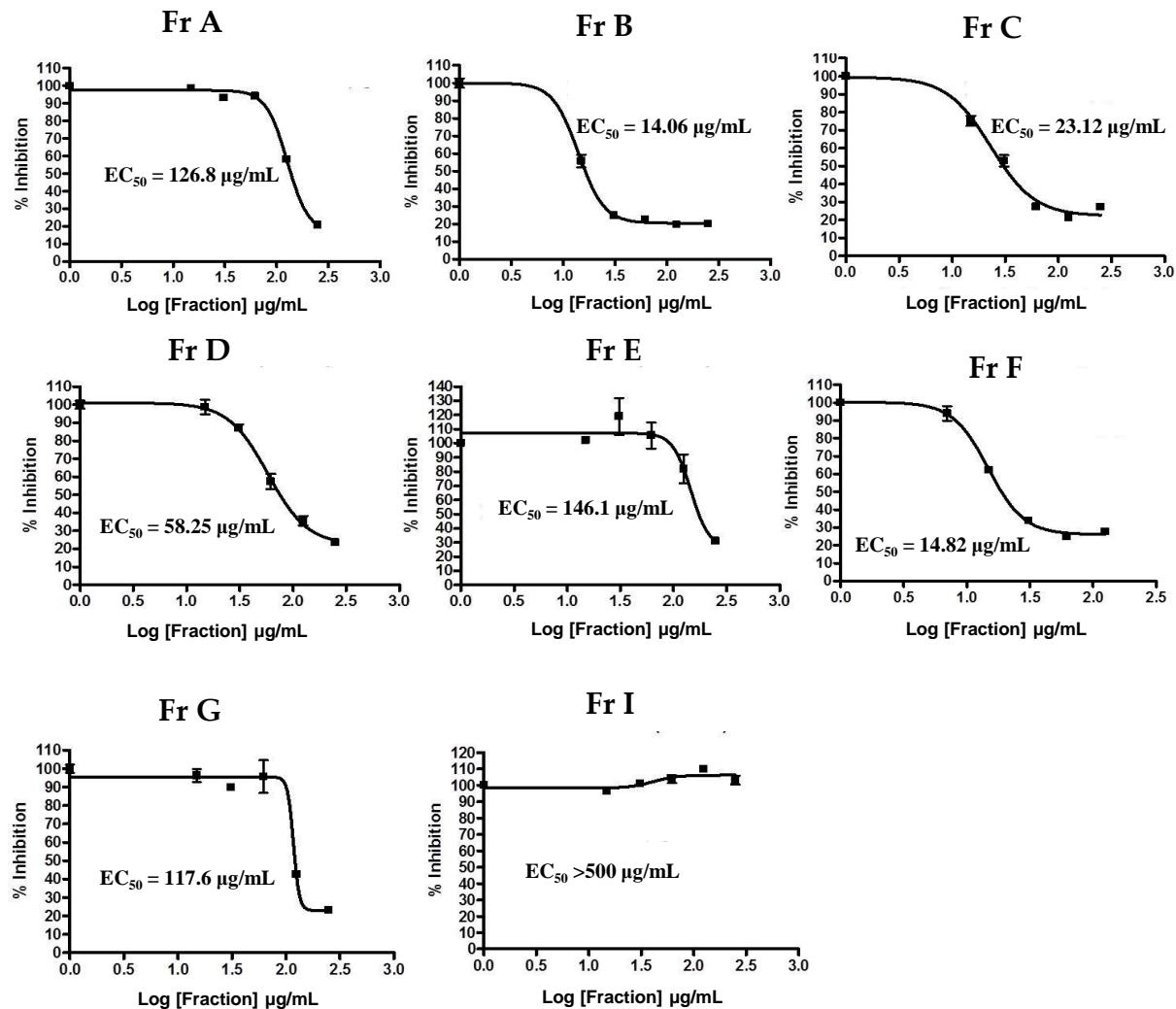
**Figure S9.** Titration curves for the DPPH radical scavenging activity of SHQA (1) and SCA (6).



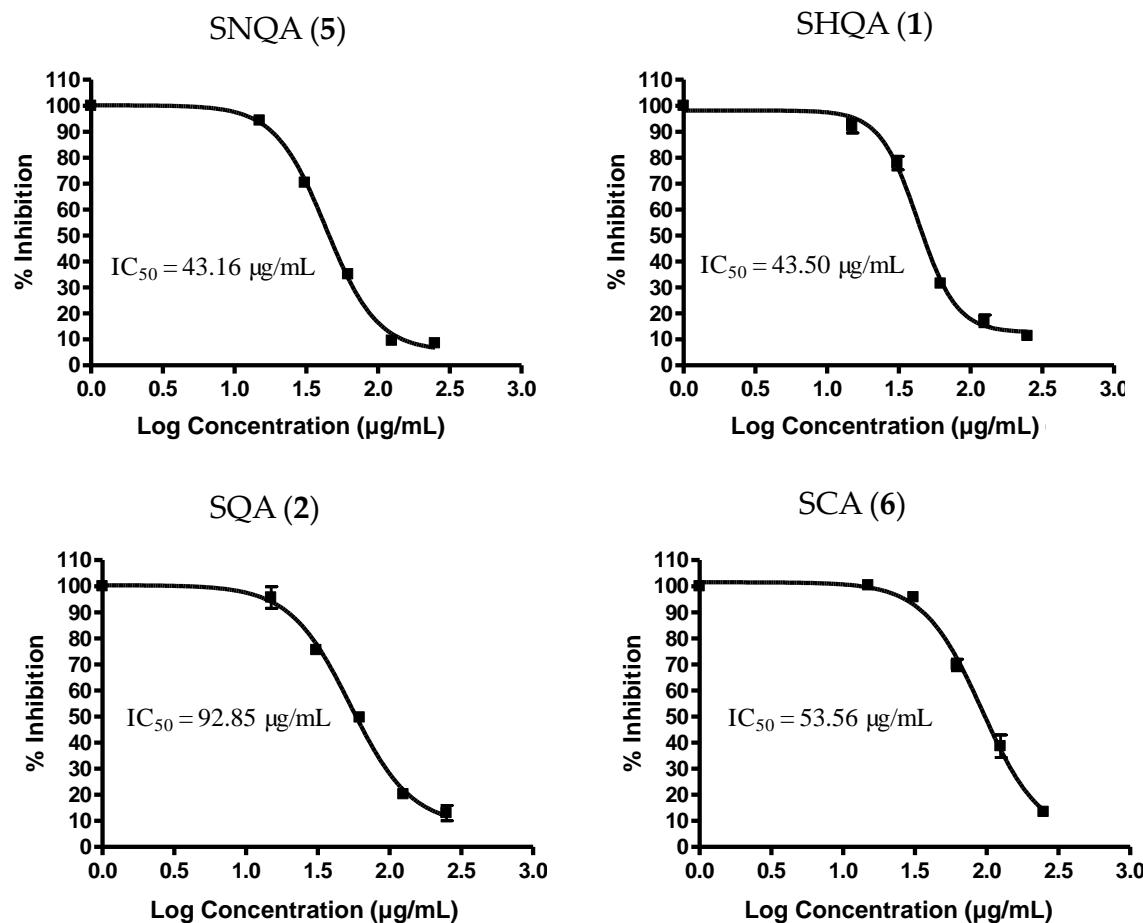
**Figure S10.** Dose dependent inhibition of HeLa cell viability by *S. incisifolium* fractions Fr A–I.



**Figure S11.** Dose dependent inhibition of HT-29 cell viability by *S. incisifolium* fractions.

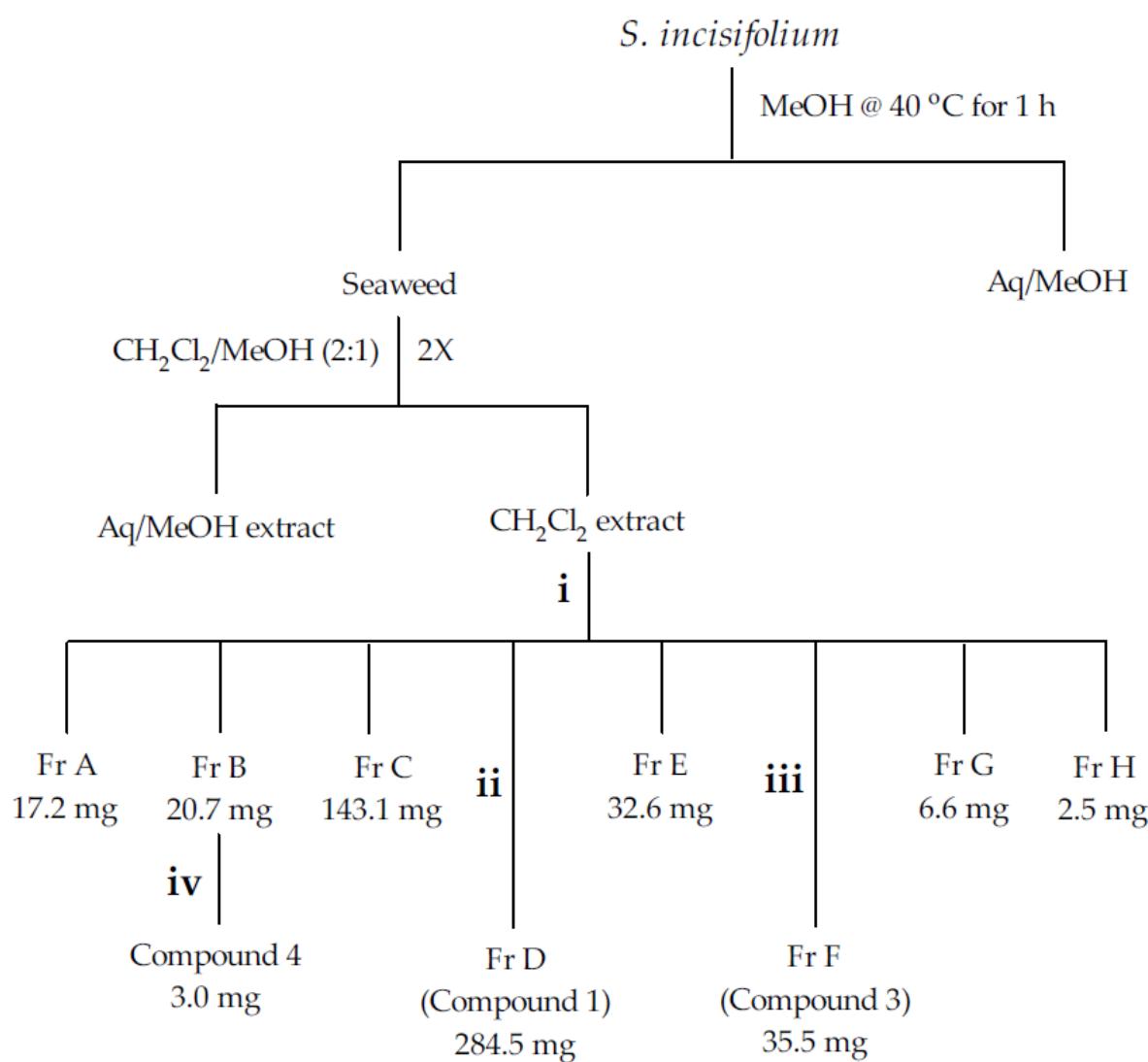


**Figure S12.** Dose dependent inhibition of Caco-2 cell viability by *S. incisifolium* fractions.

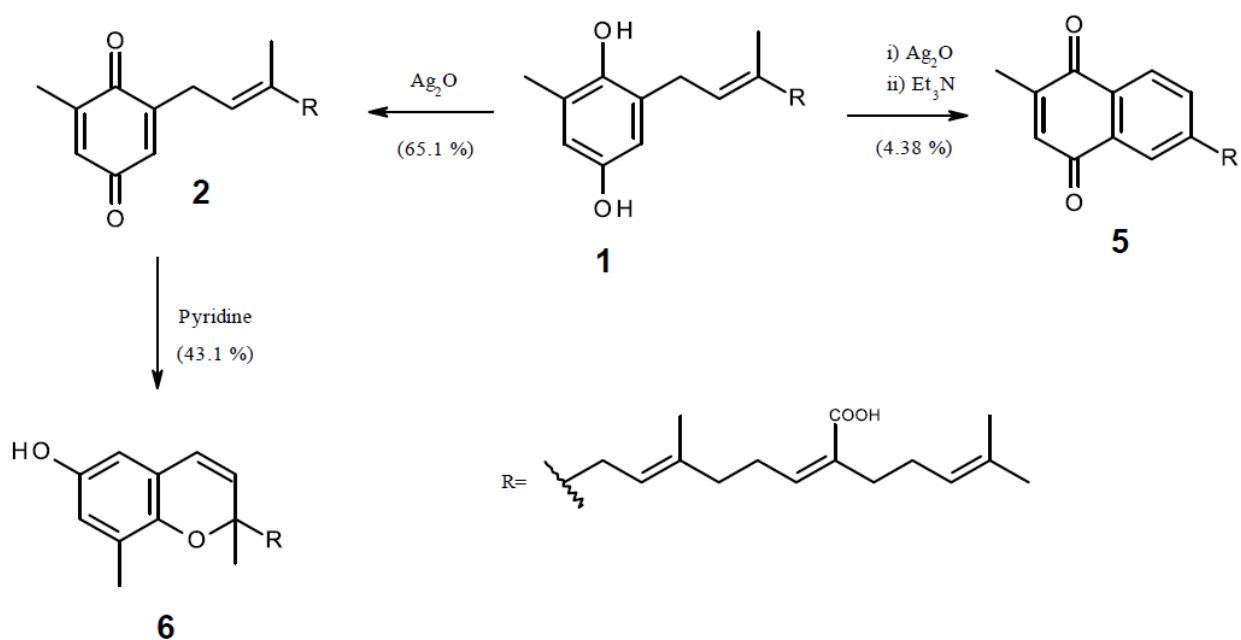


**Figure S13.** Dose dependent inhibition of HeLa cell viability by saganaphthoquinoic acid (5), sargahydroquinoic acid (1), sargaquinoic acid (2) and sargachromenoic acid (6).

## Extraction and isolation



**Scheme S1.** Isolation of compounds **1**, **3**, and **4** from *S. incisifolium*. Conditions: (i) Step gradient silica gel column chromatography, mobile phase *n*-hexane-EtOAc. (ii) Silica gel column fraction, *n*-hexane-EtOAc (7:3). (iii) Silica gel column fraction, *n*-hexane-EtOAc (4:6). (iv) Normal Phase HPLC fraction, *n*-hexane- EtOAc (9:1).



**Scheme S2.** Semi-synthetic derivatization of sargahydroquinone acid (**1**) analogs; **2**, **5**, and **6**.