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Further Studies on Glycosides with a Novel Sugar Chain
Containing a Pair of Optically Isomeric Sugars,
D- and L-Cymarose, from Cynanchum wilfordi

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Seven new glycosides named wilfosides D1N (7), K1N (8), M1N (9), F1N (10), W1N (11), W3N (12), and G1G (13) were isolated from *Cynanchum wilfordi* Hemsley (Asclepiadaceae), and their structures were deduced on the basis of spectral and chemical evidence. A unique feature is that 7—11 and 13, as well as wilfosides C1N (2), C2N (3), C1G (5), and C2G (6), each include both D- (22) and L-cymarose (23) in the sugar chain. L-Diginose (24) is also a constituent of their sugar chains. The carbon-13 nuclear magnetic resonance (13 C-NMR) chemical shifts of methyl α - (24a) and β -L-diginopyranoside (24b) were assigned, and the conformations of 24a and its acetate were studied.

Keywords—wilfosides D1N, K1N, M1N, F1N, W1N, W3N, G1G; D-cymarose; L-cymarose; ¹³C-NMR; L-diginose; *Cynanchum wilfordi*; Asclepiadaceae

The dried root of *Cynanchum wilfordi* HEMSLEY (Asclepiadaceae) has been used as a substitute for the tonic crude drug "Ka-shu-uh" (何首烏), which is the dried root of *Poligonum multiflorum* THUMB. (Poligonaceae) in Korea. In 1975 we reported the isolation of C/D-cis-polyoxypregnane esters such as caudatin (14), kidjoranine (16), penupogenin (21), aglycone-D (18), and aglycone-E (19) from the hydrolysate of the crude glycosides of this plant.²⁾ Recently we reported the structure of wilforibiose (26), which has a unique 1,4-dioxane linkage and was isolated from the hydrolysate of the glycosides mixture.³⁾ In the previous paper,⁴⁾ we described the structure determination of six glycosides, wilfosides C3N (1), C1N (2), C2N (3), C3G (4), C1G (5), and C2G (6).

In this paper we wish to describe the isolation of seven additional glycosides, wilfosides D1N (7), K1N (8), M1N (9), F1N (10), W1N (11), W3N (12), and G1G (13). Furthermore, we assigned the carbon-13 nuclear magnetic resonance (13 C-NMR) chemical shifts of methyl α -(24a) and β -L-diginopyranoside (24b) $^{4-6}$ and studied the conformations of 24a and its acetate on the basis of the proton nuclear magnetic resonance (1 H-NMR) spectra.

Among these new glycosides, 7—11 have the same sugar chain as 2 (Rb-type), as indicated by their ¹³C-NMR spectra with partially relaxed Fourier-transform (PR-FT) measurements⁷⁾ (Table I). The acidic hydrolyses of 7—11 afforded cymarose and 24, respectively, which were identified by thin layer chromatographic (TLC) comparison with authentic samples.

The aglycone moiety of 7 was determined to be an unknown derivative of C/D-cis-polyoxypregnane ester. The acidic hydrolysis of 7 afforded 15, named cynanforidine. High-resolution electron impact mass spectrometry (HR-EI-MS) of 15 gave the molecular formula $C_{28}H_{36}O_7$. The 200 MHz ¹H-NMR spectrum of 15 suggested the presence of a substituted phenyl group: δ 7.44 (2H, t, J=7.8 Hz, 4′, 6′-CH), 7.55 (1H, tt, J=7.8, 1.3 Hz, 5′-

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CH), and 7.95 (2H, dd, J=7.8, 1.3 Hz, 3', 7'-CH), and a deacylmetaplexigenin (17) derivative: δ 1.15 (3H, s, 18-CH₃), 1.55 (3H, s, 19-CH₃), 2.07 (3H, s, 21-CH₃), 3.58 (1H, m, 3-CH_a), 4.86 (1H, t, J=7.8 Hz, 12-CH_a), and 5.39 (1H, br t, J=3 Hz, 6-CH). EI-MS showed peaks which indicated the presence of 17 and a benzoyl group at m/z: 484 (M⁺), 441 (M⁺ -COCH₃), 319 (441 -COC₆H₅-OH), 301 (319 - H₂O), 283 (301 - H₂O), 105 (COC₆H₅, base peak), 77 (C₆H₅), and 43 (COCH₃). By comparing the 50 MHz ¹³C-NMR chemical shifts

			of 711 a	and 2 (δ in pr	om)		
		7	8	9	10	11	2
D-cym	C-1	96.1	96.2	96.2	96.1	96.1	96.1
	C-2	35.3	35.4	35.4	35.3	35.2	35.2
	C-3	77.6^{b}	$77.6^{b)}$	$77.5^{b)}$	$77.6^{b)}$	77.5^{b}	$77.4^{b)}$
	C-4	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3
	C-5	69.2	69.3	69.3	69.3	69.3	69.2
	C-6	18.8^{d}	18.8^{d}	18.8^{d}	$18.7^{e)}$	18.6^{e}	18.7^{d}
	$3-OCH_3$	57.2 ^{e)}	57.3 ^{e)}	57.3 ^{e)}	57.2^{g}	57.2^{f})	57.2^{f}
dig	C-1	100.9	100.9	100.9	$100.8^{j)}$	$100.8^{i)}$	100.8
	C-2	32.5	32.5	32.4	32.4	32.4	32.4
	C-3	73.9^{f}	73.9^{f}	73.9^{f}	73.8^{h}	73.7^{g}	73.7^{g}
,	C-4	74.6^{f})	74.7^{f})	74.7^{f})	74.5^{h}	74.4^{g}	74.6^{g}
	C-5	67.5^{f})	67.5^{f})	67.5^{f}	67.5^{h}	67.5^{g}	$67.4^{g)}$
	C-6	17.9	17.9	17.9	17.8	17.8	17.8

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 $99.0^{l)}$

32.1

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73.2

66.5

 18.3^{d}

56.6

55.3

36.3

77.8

82.3

69.3

 18.6^{e}

 58.2^{g}

 98.9^{m}

32.1

76.3

73.2

66.3

 18.0^{e}

56.5

 99.3^{k}

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 $98.9^{l)}$

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TABLE I. ¹³C-NMR Chemical Shifts^{a)} for Sugar Moieties of 7—11 and 2 (δ in ppm)

of 15 with those of 14, 16, and 17, which were assigned by the OFR and INEPT methods (Table II), the structure of 15 was deduced to be 12-O-benzoyl- 3β , 8β , 12β , 14, 17-pentahydroxy- 14β , 17α -pregn-5-en-20-one (12β -O-benzoyldeacylmetaplexigenin).

The 500 MHz ¹H-NMR spectrum of 7 showed four methoxyl methyl signals at δ 3.40, 3.41, 3.43, and 3.47 (each 3H, s) and two each of α - and β -linked anomeric proton signals at δ 4.78 (1H, dd, J=10, 2Hz), 4.79 (1H, dd, J=3, 1Hz), 4.84 (1H, dd, J=9.8, 2Hz), and 4.98 (1H, dd, J=3.4, 1Hz). In the 25 MHz ¹³C-NMR spectrum of 7 (Table III) the glycosidation shifts⁸⁾ of the aglycone carbon signals were observed at C-2 (-2.2 ppm), C-3 (+6.1 ppm), and C-4 (-4.4 ppm), so the sugar moiety is linked to the C-3 hydroxyl group of 15. Thus, the structure of 7 is established as cynanforidine 3-O- α -L-cymaropyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- β -D-cymaropyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- α -L-diginopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 4)- β -D-cymaropyranoside.

The 500 MHz ¹H-NMR spectrum of **8** showed the signals due to a cinnamoyl group at δ 6.31 (1H, d, J=16.2 Hz, 3'-CH), 7.39 (3H, m, 6', 7', 8'-CH), 7.52 (2H, m, 5', 9'-CH), and 7.62 (1H, d, J=16.2 Hz, 2'-CH). The spectrum of **9** showed no substituted group in the aglycone moiety. The spectrum of **10** indicated the presence of an ikemaoyl group, in addition to a cinnamoyl group, based on the signals at δ 1.01, 1.03 (each 3H, d, J=6.7 Hz, 5", 6"-CH₃), 1.73 (3H, s, 7"-CH₃), 2.03 (1H, m, 4"-CH), and 5.68 (1H, br s, 2"-CH). In the

a) Measured in C_5D_5N with TMS as an internal standard. b-h) Indicated assignments in each column may be interchangeable (Tables I and III). i-m) Methine carbon signals of the sugars were recovered at the following times in PR-FT measurements. i) 120 ms, j) 140 ms, k) 160 ms, l) 180 ms, m) 200 ms. L-cym, α -L-cymaropyranosyl; D-cym, β -D-cymaropyranosyl; dig, α -L-diginopyranosyl.

TABLE II. ¹³C-NMR Chemical Shifts^{a)} for 14—20 (δ in ppm)

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	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
C-1	39.2	39.2	39.2	39.3	39.1	39.1	39.1
C-2	31.9	32.1	32.0	32.1	32.0	32.0	32.0
C-3	71.5	71.6	71.6	71.6	71.6	71.6	71.5
C-4	43.2	43.3	43.3	43.4	43.3	43.3	43.3
C-5	140.5	140.4	140.5	140.3	140.2	140.2	140.3
C-6	118.4	118.4	118.4	118.7	118.7	118.6	118.5
C-7	$33.8^{b)}$	$33.9^{b)}$	$33.8^{b)}$	$34.2^{b)}$	$33.9^{b)}$	$33.8^{b)}$	$33.7^{b)}$
C-8	74.3	74.5	74.4	74.3	74.4	74.4	74.4
C-9	44.5	44.5	44.6	45.0	44.1	44.1	44.1
C-10	37.3	37.4	37.4	37.3	37.3	37.3	37.3
C-11	25.0	25.1	25.1	29.5	25.7	25.7	25.7
C-12	72.5	74.1	73.7	69.0	74.6^{c}	74.5°)	74.6
C-13	57.9	58.4	58.1	60.4	57.0	57.0	57.1
C-14	89.4	89.6	89.5	89.3	88.9	88.8	88.9
C-15	$34.7^{b)}$	$34.8^{b)}$	$34.8^{b)}$	$35.1^{b)}$	$35.0^{b)}$	$34.9^{b)}$	$34.9^{b)}$
C-16	$32.9^{b)}$	$33.3^{b)}$	$33.0^{b)}$	$32.8^{b)}$	$33.6^{b)}$	$33.8^{b)}$	$34.1^{b)}$
C-17	92.3	92.5	92.4	92.5	87.7	87.7	87.5
C-18	10.7	10.8	10.6	9.4	11.5	11.4	11.4
C-19	18.3	18.4	18.4	18.5	18.2	18.2	18.2
C-20	209.2	210.0	209.7	209.6	$74.0^{c)}$	$75.0^{c)}$	76.4
C-21	27.5	27.8	27.7	27.8	15.4	15.4	15.4
	Ikem.	Bnz.	Cin.		Cin.	Cin.	Cin.
C-1'	165.9	165.3	165.8		166.8^{d}	166.7	166.7
C-2'	114.1	131.3	119.2		120.7	120.6	120.2
C-3′	165.2	128.9	144.8		143.7	143.7	144.0
C-4'	38.1	129.9	135.0		135.3	135.2	134.9
C-5′	$20.8^{c)}$	133.2	128.5		128.5	128.5	128.4
C-6′	$20.9^{c)}$	129.9	129.3		129.1	129.2	129.2
C-7'	16.4	128.9	130.5		130.4	130.4	130.5
C-8′			129.3		129.1	129.2	129.2
C-9′			128.5		128.5	128.5	128.4
					Ikem.	Tig.	Nic.
C-1''					166.1^{d}	166.7	
C-2''					114.3	129.5	153.7
C-3''					165.9	137.6	127.0
C-4''					38.2	14.1	137.3
C-5''					$20.8^{e)}$	12.2	123.6
C-6′′					$20.9^{e)}$		151.4
C-7''					16.2		164.6

a) Measured in C_5D_5N with TMS as an internal standard. b-e) Indicated assignments in each column may be interchangeable.

spectrum of 11, the presence of a tigloyl group was suggested by the signals at δ 1.70 (3H, dd, J=7.3, 1.5 Hz, 4"-CH₃), 1.74 (3H, t, J=1.5 Hz, 5"-CH₃), and 6.76 (1H, dq, J=7.3 Hz, 3"-CH), in addition to a cinnamoyl group. These ¹H-NMR spectra suggested that the aglycone moieties of 8, 9, 10, and 11 are 16, 17, 18, and 19, respectively. These results were supported by the ¹³C-NMR spectra (Table III), and 18 and 19 were named cynanforine and wilforidine. ²⁾ In the spectra of the aglycones of 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13, the glycosidation shifts⁸⁾ were observed at C-2, C-3, and C-4 in each case (Tables II, III, and IV), and hence the sugar moieties are linked to the hydroxyl group at C-3 of 16, 17, 18, 19, 19, and gagaminine (20). ⁹⁾ Consequently, the structures of 8, 9, 10, and 11 are confirmed to be kidjoranine 3-O- α -L-cymaropyranosyl- $(1 \rightarrow 4)$ - β -D-cymaropyranosyl- $(1 \rightarrow 4)$ - $(1 \rightarrow 4)$ -

TABLE III. ¹³C-NMR Chemical Shifts^{a)} for Aglycone Moieties of 7—13 (δ in ppm)

	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
C-1	39.2	39.3	39.4	39.2	39.2	39.4	39.2
C-2	29.9 (-2.2)	29.9	30.0	29.8	29.8	29.9	29.8
C-3	$77.7^{b)} (+6.1)$	$77.7^{b)}$	$77.8^{b)}$	$77.7^{b)}$	$77.7^{b)}$	$77.7^{b)}$	77.6
C-4	38.9 (-4.4)	39.0	39.0	38.8	38.7	38.9	38.8
C-5	139.3	139.4	139.5	139.1	139.1	139.4	139.3
C-6	119.1	119.4	119.4	119.4	119.3	119.3	119.2
C-7	33.8 ^{c)}	$33.9^{c)}$	34.2	33.8	33.8	33.9 ^{c)}	$33.6^{b)}$
C-8	74.5	74.3	74.3	74.2	74.2	74.4	74.3
C-9	44.4	44.6	45.0	44.0	44.0	44.2	44.1
C-10	37.4	37.4	37.4	37.2	37.2	37.3	37.3
C-11	25.0	25.1	29.4	25.6	25.6	25.7	25.6
C-12	74.0	73.6	69.0	74.5^{d}	74.5^{d}	74.5^{d}	74.5
C-13	58.3	58.1	60.4	56.9	56.9	57.1	57.1
C-14	89.5	89.5	89.3	88.8	88.7	88.8	88.9
C-15	34.8°)	34.8^{c}	35.1 ^{c)}	$34.9^{c)}$	34.9^{c}	35.0^{c}	$34.9^{b)}$
C-16	33.1 ^{c)}	33.1 ^{c)}	32.8^{c}	33.6^{c}	$33.9^{c)}$	$34.0^{c)}$	$34.0^{b)}$
C-17	92.4	92.4	92.5	87.6	87.7	87.8	87.4
C-18	10.8	10.7	9.3	11.6	11.4	11.4	11.4
C-19	18.4^{d}	$18.5^{d)}$	18.4^{d}	18.4 ^{e)}	18.4 ^{e)}	18.1 ^{e)}	18.2^{c}
C-20	210.9	209.7	209.5	74.0^{d}	74.9^{d}	75.0^{d}	76.4
C-21	27.8	27.7	27.8	15.4	15.4	15.4	15.4
	Bnz.	Cin.	*	Cin.	Cin.	Cin.	Cin.
C-1′	165.2	165.8		166.8^{f}	166.6^{f}	166.8	166.6
C-2′	131.2	119.2		120.5	120.5	120.7	120.2
C-3′	128.8	144.9		143.7	143.6	143.7	144.0
C-4′	129.9	135.8		135.2	135.2	135.7	134.8
C-5′	133.2	128.6		128.5	128.5	128.5	128.4
C-6′	129.9	129.3		129.1	129.2	129.2	129.2
C-7'	128.8	130.6		130.4	130.4	130.4	130.5
C-8′		129.3		129.1	129.2	129.2	129.2
C-9'		128.6		128.5	128.5	128.5	128.5
0.1//				Ikem.	Tig.	Tig.	Nic.
C-1′′				166.1 ^f)	166.7 ^f)	166.8	
C-2′′				114.3	129.4	129.6	153.7
C-3''				165.8	137.6	137.5	126.9
C-4''				38.2	14.1	14.1	137.3
C-5''				20.8	12.2	12.2	123.7
C-6′′ C-7′′				20.8			151.4
<u> </u>				16.2	****		164.6

a) Measured in C_5D_5N with TMS as an internal standard. b-h) Indicated assignments in each column may be interchangeable (Tables I, III, and IV). (): Glycosidation shifts.

pyranoside, deacylmetaplexigenin 3-O- α -L-cymaropyranosyl- $(1 \rightarrow 4)$ - β -D-cymaropyranosyl- $(1 \rightarrow 4)$ - α -L-diginopyranosyl- $(1 \rightarrow 4)$ - β -D-cymaropyranosyl- $(1 \rightarrow 4)$ - $(1 \rightarrow$

The ¹³C-NMR spectrum of **12** (Tables III and IV) indicated that the same sugar moiety as that of **1** was linked to the hydroxyl group at C-3 of **19**. Therefore, the structure of **12** is established to be wilforidine 3-O- β -D-cymaropyranosyl- $(1\rightarrow 4)$ - α -L-diginopyranosyl- $(1\rightarrow 4)$ - β -D-cymaropyranoside, corresponding to **11** without the terminal α -L-cymaropyranose.

Table IV. ¹³C-NMR Chemical Shifts^{a)} for Sugar Moieties of 12, 13, 1, and 5 (δ in ppm)

		12	1	13	5
D-cym	C-1	96.2	96.1	96.1	9 6 .1
	C-2	35.4	35.3	35.4	$35.3^{b)}$
	C-3	77.6^{b}	77.5	77.6	$77.5^{c)}$
	C-4	82.3	82.3	82.3	82.3^{d}
	C-5	69.3	69.2	69.3	$69.2^{e)}$
	C-6	18.8^{e}	$18.7^{b)}$	18.7^{c}	18.7^{f})
	$3-OCH_3$	57.3^{f})	57.2^{c}	57.2^{d}	57.2^{g}
dig	C-1	$100.9^{k)}$	$100.8^{k)}$	100.9	100.9
_	C-2	32.5	32.5	32.2	32.4
	C-3	74.0^{g}	73.9^{d}	$73.9^{e)}$	73.9^{h}
	C-4	74.7^{g}	74.6^{d}	$74.5^{e)}$	74.6^{h}
	C-5	67.7^{g}	67.5^{d}	67.5^{e}	67.5^{h}
	C-6	17.9	17.8	17.8	17.8
	3-OCH ₃	55.4	55.3	55.3	55.3
D-cym	C-1	$99.5^{l)}$	$99.4^{l)}$	99.4	99.4
•	C-2	35.4	35.3	36.2	$36.2^{b)}$
	C-3	78.9	78.8	77.6	$77.7^{c)}$
	C-4	74.2	74.1	82.3	82.4^{d}
	C-5	71.2	71.0	69.3	$69.3^{e)}$
•	C-6	$18.8^{e)}$	18.1 ^{b)}	$18.5^{c)}$	18.5^{f}
	3-OCH ₃	57.9 ^f)	57.9 ^{c)}	58.3 ^d)	58.3^{g}
L-cym	C-1			98.9	98.9
3	C-2			32.2	32.2
	C-3			73.3	73.3
	C-4			78.9	78.8
	C-5			65.3	65.2
	C-6			18.0^{c}	18.2^{f}
	3-OCH ₃			56.7	56.7
glc	C-1			102.3^{i}	102.2^{i}
8	C-2			75.2	75.2
	C-3			78.4^{f})	78.5
	C-4			71.8	71.7
	C-5			78.5^{f}	78.5
	C-6			63.0	62.9

a) Measured in C_5D_5N with TMS as an internal standard. b-h) Indicated assignments in each column may be interchangeable (Tables III and IV). i-l) Methine carbon signals of the sugars were recovered at the following times by PR-FT measurements. i) 120 ms, j) 140 ms, k) 160 ms, l) 180 ms. L-cym, α -L-cymaropyranosyl; D-cym, β -D-cymaropyranosyl; dig, α -L-diginopyranosyl; glc, β -D-glucopyranosyl.

The 500 MHz ¹H-NMR spectrum of 13 indicated that the aglycone moiety is 20, based on the signals of a nicotinoyl group, at δ 7.19 (1H, dd, J=7.8, 4.9 Hz, 5"-CH), 8.10 (1H, ddd, J=7.8, 4.5, 2.5 Hz, 4"-CH), 8.72 (1H, dd, J=4.9, 2.5 Hz, 6"-CH), and 9.18 (1H, d, J=4.5 Hz, 2"-CH). The acidic hydrolysis of 13 gave cymarose, 24, and glaucobiose (25), 10 which were identified by TLC comparison with authentic samples. The 13C-NMR spectrum of 13 (Table IV) showed that the sugar moiety is the same as that of 5 (Re-type). Thus, 13 was identified as gagaminine 3-O- β -D-glucopyranosyl- $(1 \rightarrow 4)$ - α -L-cymaropyranosyl- $(1 \rightarrow 4)$ - β -D-cymaropyranosyl- $(1 \rightarrow 4)$ - $(1 \rightarrow 4)$ -(1

The glycosides with the sugar moieties of Rb, Rc, Re, and Rf-types (Chart 1) are believed to be the first examples which contain a pair of optically isomeric sugars in each molecule.

In the 500 MHz 1 H-NMR spectrum of **24a** the signal of 2-CH_{eq} at δ 1.90 is split into double double double doublets (dddd, J=13.1, 5.5, 1.3, 1 Hz), and irradiation of a signal at

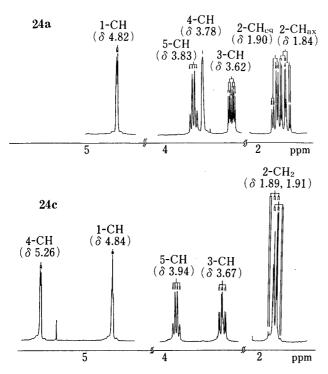


Fig. 1. Partial ¹H-NMR Spectra of **24a** and **24c** (500 MHz, CDCl₃)

Fig. 2. Model of 24c

TABLE V. ¹H-NMR Coupling Constants for **24c** (Hz)

$J_{1,2}$	2.3	$J_{2',3}$	7.9
$J_{1,2}$	2.3	$J_{3,4}$	3.1
$J_{2,2'}$	7.9	$J_{4,5}$	0.5
$J_{2,3}^{2,2}$	7.9	$J_{5,6}$	6.4

Two protons at C-2 were not assigned.

TABLE VI. ¹³C-NMR Chemical Shifts^{a)} for **24a** and **24b** (δ in ppm)

	24a	24b
C-1	99.2	101.8
C-2	30.4	32.5
C-3	75.9	79.0
C-4	67.6	67.0
C-5	66.8	71.4
C-6	17.5	17.5
2.0011	54.5	55.3
3-OCH ₃	55.0	55.9

a) Measured in C₅D₅N with TMS as an internal standard.

 δ 3.78 (4-CH) caused the dddd signal of 2-CH_{eq} to collapse to ddd. This long-range coupling is attributed to the W-conformation of the four sigma bonds between 2-CH_{eq} and 4-CH in the 1 C₄-conformation of **24a**. Acetylation of **24a** gave a monoacetate (**24c**), whose 500 MHz 1 H-NMR spectrum showed a shift of the 4-CH signal from δ 3.78 to 5.26. However, owing to the acetylation, the conformation of **24a** in deuterochloroform (CDCl₃) was changed into a twisted boat form (**24c**) as illustrated in Fig. 2, as inferred from the dihedral angle dependent on proton coupling constants¹¹⁾ (Fig. 1 and Table V). It was suspected that the twisted boat form of **24c** decreased the repulsion between 3-OCH₃ and 4-OCOCH₃.

All the carbon chemical shifts of **24a** and **24b** in pentadeuteropyridine (C_5D_5N) were assigned by means of selective decoupling (SEL) experiments (Table VI). Irradiation of signals at δ 3.76 (3-CH), 3.90 (5-CH), and 3.99 (4-CH) in the spectrum of **24a** caused the doublet signals at δ 75.9, 66.8, and 67.6 to collapse to singlets, and irradiation at δ 3.37 (3-CH), 3.90 (5-CH), and 3.89 (4-CH) in the case of **24b** caused the doublet signals at δ 79.0, 71.9,

and 67.0 to collapse to singlets, respectively. The orientation of the methoxyl group at C-1 has a considerable effect on the carbon chemical shifts, especially that of C-5 ($\delta_{24a} - \delta_{24b} = -5.1$).

Experimental

Melting points were determined on a Kofler hot stage apparatus and are uncorrected. Optical rotations were measured in CHCl₃ with a JASCO DIP-4 digital polarimeter at room temperature. Ultraviolet (UV) spectra were obtained in ethanol with a Shimadzu UV-220 spectrometer, and absorption maxima are given in nm. Infrared (IR) spectra were recorded in CHCl₃ on a JASCO A-102 spectrometer. 1 H-NMR spectra were run on JEOL FX-500 (500 MHz) and FX-200 (200 MHz) spectrometers in CDCl₃ or C_5D_5N , and 1 3C-NMR spectra on JEOL FX-200 (50 MHz) and FX-100 (25 MHz) machines in C_5D_5N with tetramethylsilane as an internal standard. EI-MS was carried out with a JEOL LMS-D-300 mass spectrometer. TLC was performed on Merck precoated plates (Kiesel gel 60 F₂₅₄) with the following solvent systems: Rf_1 MeOH–CHCl₃ (5:95 (v/v)), Rf_2 MeOH–CHCl₃ (1:9), Rf_3 MeOH–CHCl₃ (1:3:12, lower layer), and Rf_5 acetone–hexane (1:1). Column chromatography was carried out on Wakogel C-200 (200 mesh) or Lobar column Lichroprep RP-8 (reversed phase).

Isolation of Glycosides—The crude glycosides (137.7 g) reported in the previous paper⁴⁾ were subjected to column chromatography on silica gel using solvents of increasing polarity from CHCl₃ to MeOH-CHCl₃ (2:8 (v/v)) to separate fraction A (47.27 g, a crude fraction containing 1-3 and 7-12), fraction B (39.19 g, a crude fraction containing 4—6 and 13), and fraction C (28.50 g). Fraction A (37.50 g) was rechromatographed on silica gel using solvents of increasing polarity from MeOH-CHCl₃ (2:98) to MeOH-CHCl₃ (4:96) to separate fraction A2 (7.10 g, a crude fraction containing 1, 2, and 10—12), fraction A3 (21.59 g, a crude fraction containing 3, 7, and 8), and fraction A4 (2.65 g, a crude fraction containing 9). Rechromatography of fraction A2 on silica gel with acetone-hexane (1:2) and MeOH-CHCl₃ (2:98), and on a reversed phase gel column with H₂O-MeOH (20:80) gave 10 (168.4 mg, yield: 0.0059% from the dried root), 11 (185.1, 0.0068%), and 12 (13.2 mg, 0.0005%). Rechromatography of fraction A3 on silica gel with acetone-hexane (2:3 and 1:2) and on the reversed phase gel column with H₂O-MeOH (20:80 and 25:75) afforded 8 (442.5 mg, 0.016%), and further rechromatography on silica gel with MeOH-CHCl₃ (2:98) gave 7 (188.0 mg, 0.0068%). Rechromatography of fraction A4 on silica gel with acetone-hexane (1:1) and MeOH-CHCl₃ (4:96, 2:98, and 3:97), and on the reversed phase gel column with H₂O-MeOH (15:85) afforded 9 (23.9 mg, 0.0009%). Rechromatography of fraction B4 on silica gel with MeOH-CHCl₃ (8:92) and hexane-acetone (1:3), and on the reversed phase gel column with H_2O -MeOH (15:85) gave 13 (110.8 mg, 0.014%). Rf values: 7 (Rf₁ 0.36, Rf₅ $0.35), \, \textbf{8} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.35), \, \textbf{9} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.22, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.31), \, \textbf{10} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.47), \, \textbf{11} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.38, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{12} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.47), \, \textbf{13} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.38, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{14} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, \textit{Rf}_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, Rf_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, Rf_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, Rf_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, Rf_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, Rf_5 \,\, 0.43), \, \textbf{15} \, (\textit{Rf}_1 \,\, 0.40, \, Rf_5 \,\,$ 0.46), and 13 (Rf_3 0.45).

Wilfoside D1N (7)——An amorphous powder, mp 143—145 °C, $[\alpha]_0^{17}$ – 46.9 ° (c = 1.08, CHCl₃). Anal. Calcd for C₅₆H₈₄O₁₉· H₂O: C, 62.32; H, 8.03. Found: C, 62.30; H, 8.07. UV $\lambda_{\max}^{\text{ethanol}}$ nm (log ε): 284 (3.92), 277 (4.13), 233 (3.58), 212 (3.57). IR $\nu_{\max}^{\text{CHCl}_3}$ cm⁻¹: 3450 (OH), 1710 (C=O), 1640 (C=C-C=O), 1600, 1490, 1465 (C₆H₅), 1160 (C-O-C). ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 1.13 (3H, s, 18-CH₃), 1.22, 1.23, 1.24, 1.26 (each 3H, d, J=6.4 Hz), 1.55 (3H, s, 19-CH₃), 2.07 (3H, s, 21-CH₃), 2.86 (1H, m, 3-CH₄), 3.24, 3.30 (each 1H, dd, J=9.8, 2.8 Hz, 4-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.40, 3.41, 3.43, 3.47 (each 3H, s, 3-OCH₃ of sugar moiety), 3.70, 3.77 (each ddd, J=3, 3, 2.8 Hz, 3-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.85 (1H, br s, 4-CH of α-L-diginopyranose), 3.86 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.96 (1H, dq, J=6.7, 0.5 Hz, 5-CH of α-L-diginopyranose), 4.05 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 4.78 (1H, dd, J=10, 2 Hz, anomeric H), 4.79 (1H, dd, J=3, 1 Hz, anomeric H), 4.84 (1H, dd, J=9.8, 2 Hz, anomeric H), 4.85 (1H, t, J=7.9 Hz, 12-CH_α), 4.98 (1H, dd, J=3.4, 1 Hz, anomeric H), 5.39 (1H, br s, 6-CH), 7.43 (2H, t, J=7.4 Hz, 4′, 6′-CH), 7.56 (1H, tt, J=7.4, 1.2 Hz, 5′-CH), 7.94 (2H, dd, J=7.4, 1.2 Hz, 3′, 7′-CH). ¹³C-NMR (25 MHz, C₅D₅N): see Tables I and III.

Acidic Hydrolysis of 7——A solution of 7 (95.4 mg) in MeOH (30 ml) was allowed to react with 0.2 N H₂SO₄ (10 ml) at 60 °C for 20 min, then H₂O (30 ml) was added and the whole mixture was concentrated to 40 ml. The solution was kept at 60 °C for a further 30 min, and extracted with ether (40 ml). The ether layer was washed with satd. NaHCO₃ (10 ml × 2) and satd. NaCl (10 ml × 2), and the solvent was evaporated off to give 15 (23.1 mg). Rf_2 0.34, Rf_5 0.41. mp 142—145 °C, [α]₁₈ – 3.8 ° (c = 1.26, CHCl₃). Anal. Calcd for C₂₈H₃₆O₇·1/2H₂O: C, 68.13; H, 7.56. Found: C, 68.31; H, 7.86. UV $\lambda_{\text{max}}^{\text{ethanol}}$ nm (log ε): 281 (3.10), 273 (3.11), 230 (3.59), 207 (3.50). IR $\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{CHCl}_3}$ cm⁻¹: 3455 (OH), 1710 (C=O), 1635 (C=C-C=O), 1600, 1585, 1490, 1450 (C₆H₅), 1180 (C-O-C). EI-MS m/z: 484 (M⁺), 441 (M⁺ - COCH₃), 319 (M⁺ - COCH₃-COC₆H₅-OH), 301 (319 - H₂O), 283 (319 - 2H₂O), 105 (COC₆H₅, base peak), 77 (105 - CO), 43 (COCH₃). HR-EI-MS: Calcd for C₂₈H₃₆O₇: 484.2460. Found: 484.2432. ¹H-NMR (200 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 1.15, 1.55, 2.07 (each 3H, s, 18, 19, 21-CH₃), 3.58 (1H, m, 3-CH_α), 4.86 (1H, t, J = 7.8 Hz, 12-CH_α), 5.39 (1H, br t, J = 3 Hz, 6-CH), 7.44 (2H, t, J = 7.8 Hz, 4′, 6′-CH), 7.55 (1H, tt, J = 7.8, 1.3 Hz, 5′-CH), 7.95 (2H, dd, J = 7.8, 1.3 Hz, 3′, 7′-CH). ¹³C-NMR (50 MHz, C₅D₅N): see Table II. The aqueous layer was neutralized with satd. Ba(OH)₂. The precipitates were filtered off and the filtrate was evaporated to give a mixture of cymarose and 24, which were identified by TLC comparison with authentic samples. Rf values: cymarose (Rf_4 0.59, Rf_5 0.42) and 24 (Rf_4 0.56, Rf_5 0.35).

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Wilfoside K1N (8)——An amorphous powder, mp 183—187 °C, [α] $_{18}^{18}$ – 23.2 ° (c = 1.06, CHCl $_{3}$). Anal. Calcd for C $_{58}$ H $_{86}$ O $_{19}$ · 1/3H $_{2}$ O: C, 63.72; H, 7.93. Found: C, 63.76; H, 8.08. UV $\lambda_{max}^{ethanol}$ nm (log ε): 277 (3.86), 221 (3.87), 217 (3.83), 205 (4.01). IR ν_{max}^{CHCl} cm $^{-1}$: 3430 (OH), 1700 (C=O), 1635 (C=C-C=O), 1580, 1495, 1465 (C $_{6}$ H $_{5}$), 1160 (C-O-C). 1 H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl $_{3}$): δ1.14 (3H, s, 18-CH $_{3}$), 1.22, 1.23, 1.24, 1.26 (each 3H, d, J=6.4 Hz, 6-CH $_{3}$) of sugar moiety), 1.47, 2.20 (each 3H, s, 19, 21-CH $_{3}$), 2.86 (1H, m, 3-CH $_{α}$), 3.24, 3.30 (each 1H, dd, J=9.5, 2.8 Hz, 4-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.39, 3.41, 3.43, 3.47 (each 3H, s, 3-OCH $_{3}$ of sugar moiety), 3.70, 3.77 (each 1H, ddd, J=3, 3, 2.8 Hz, 3-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.83 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.85 (1H, br s, 4-CH of α-L-diginopyranose), 3.86 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.96 (1H, dq, J=6.7, 0.5 Hz, 5-CH of α-L-diginopyranose), 4.05 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 4.70 (1H, m, 12-CH $_{α}$), 4.77 (1H, dd, J=10, 2 Hz, anomeric H), 4.79 (1H, dd, J=3, 1 Hz, anomeric H), 4.84 (1H, dd, J=9.8, 2 Hz, anomeric H), 4.98 (1H, dd, J=3.4, 1 Hz, anomeric H), 5.38 (1H, br s, 6-CH), 6.31 (1H, d, J=16.2 Hz, 3'-CH), 7.39 (3H, m, 6', 7', 8'-CH), 7.52 (2H, m, 5', 9'-CH), 7.62 (1H, d, J=16.2 Hz, 2'-CH). 13 C-NMR (50 MHz, C $_{5}$ D $_{5}$ N): see Tables I and III.

Acidic Hydrolysis of 8 — A solution of 8 (1 mg) in MeOH (3 ml) was allowed to react with $0.2 \text{ N H}_2\text{SO}_4$ (1 ml) at $60 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$ for 15 min, then H_2O (3 ml) was added and the whole mixture was concentrated to 4 ml. The solution was kept at $60 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$ for a further 30 min, and neutralized with satd. Ba(OH)₂. The precipitates were filtered off and the filtrate was evaporated to dryness. The products were identified as 16, cymarose, and 24 by TLC comparison with authentic samples. Rf values: 16 (Rf_2 0.34, Rf_5 0.44), cymarose (Rf_4 0.59, Rf_5 0.42), and 24 (Rf_4 0.56, Rf_5 0.35).

Wilfoside M1N (9)——An amorphous powder, mp 141—143 °C, [α]_D¹⁵ -40.3 ° (c=1.73, CHCl₃). Anal. Calcd for C₄₉H₈₀O₁₈: C, 61.48; H, 8.43. Found: C, 61.68; H, 8.40. UV $\lambda_{\text{max}}^{\text{ethanol}}$ nm (log ε): 280 (3.71), 2.07 (4.36). IR $\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{CHCl}_3}$ cm⁻¹: 3450 (OH), 1710 (C=O). ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 1.16 (3H, s, 18-CH₃), 1.22, 1.23, 1.24, 1.25 (each 3H, d, J=6.4 Hz, 6-CH₃ of sugar moiety), 1.27, 2.35 (each 3H, s, 19, 21-CH₃), 3.25, 3.30 (each 1H, dd, J=9.8, 2.9 Hz, 4-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.39, 3.41, 3.42, 3.47 (each 3H, s, 3-OCH₃ of sugar moiety), 3.70, 3.77 (each 1H, ddd, J=3, 3, 2.9 Hz, 3-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.83 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.85 (1H, br s, 4-CH of α-L-diginopyranose), 3.86 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.96 (1H, dq, J=6.7, 0.5 Hz, 5-CH of α-L-diginopyranose), 4.04 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 4.77 (1H, dd, J=10, 2 Hz, anomeric H), 4.78 (1H, dd, J=3, 1 Hz, anomeric H), 4.83 (1H, dd, J=9.6, 2 Hz, anomeric H), 4.99 (1H, dd, J=3, 1 Hz, anomeric H), 5.37 (1H, br s, 6-CH). ¹³C-NMR (50 MHz, C₅D₅N): see Tables I and III.

Acidic Hydrolysis of 9—A solution of 9 (1 mg) in MeOH (3 ml) was allowed to react with $0.2 \text{ N H}_2\text{SO}_4$ (1 ml) at $60 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$ for 15 min, then H₂O (3 ml) was added and the whole mixture was concentrated to 4 ml. The solution was kept at $60 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$ for a further 30 min, and neutralized with satd. Ba(OH)₂. The precipitates were filtered off and the filtrate was evaporated to dryness. The products were identified as 17, cymarose, and 24 by TLC comparison with authentic samples. Rf values: 17 (Rf₂ 0.22, Rf₅ 0.29), cymarose (Rf₄ 0.59, Rf₅ 0.42), and 24 (Rf₄ 0.56, Rf₅ 0.35).

Wilfoside F1N (10)——An amorphous powder, mp 140—144 °C, $[\alpha]_D^{17} + 32.6$ ° $(c=1.03, \text{CHCl}_3)$. Anal. Calcd for $C_{65}H_{98}O_{20} \cdot 2/3$ H_2O : C, 64.43; H, 8.27. Found: C, 64.32; H, 8.20. UV $\lambda_{\text{max}}^{\text{ethanol}}$ nm (log ε): 289 (4.04), 222 (4.11), 215 (4.14), 212 (4.10). IR $\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{CHCl}_3}$ cm $^{-1}$: 3500 (OH), 1710 (C=O), 1640 (C=C-C=O), 1580, 1495, 1450 (C₆H₅), 1160 (C-O-C). ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 1.01, 1.03 (each 3H, d, J=6.7 Hz, 5″, 6″-CH), 1.15 (3H, s, 18-CH₃), 1.22 (3H, d, J=6.4 Hz, 6-CH₃ of sugar moiety), 1.23 (3H, s, 21-CH₃), 1.24, 1.26 (each 3H, d, J=6.4 Hz, 6-CH₃ of sugar moiety), 1.54, 1.73 (each 3H, s, 19, 7″-CH₃), 3.24, 3.30 (each 1H, dd, J=9.8, 3.1 Hz, 4-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.39, 3.41, 3.42, 3.46 (each 3H, s, 3-OCH₃ of sugar moiety), 3.70, 3.76 (each 1H, ddd, J=3.1, 3, 3 Hz, 3-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.82 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.85 (1H, br s, 4-CH of α-L-diginopyranose), 3.86 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.96 (1H, dq, J=6.8, 0.5 Hz, 5-CH of α-L-diginopyranose), 4.05 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 4.66 (1H, q, J=6.1 Hz, 20-CH), 4.77 (1H, dd, J=10, 2 Hz, anomeric H), 4.79 (1H, dd, J=3.4, 1 Hz, anomeric H), 4.79 (1H, dd, J=3.4, 1 Hz, anomeric H), 5.38 (1H, br s, 6-CH), 5.68 (1H, br s, 2″-CH), 6.24 (1H, d, J=15.9 Hz, 3′-CH), 7.35 (3H, m, 6′, 7′, 8′-CH), 7.46 (2H, m, 5′, 9′-CH), 7.57 (1H, d, J=15.9 Hz, 2′-CH). ¹³C-NMR (500 MHz, C_5D_5 N): see Tables I and III.

Acidic Hydrolysis of 10—A solution of 10 (1 mg) in MeOH (3 ml) was allowed to react with $0.2 \text{ N H}_2\text{SO}_4$ (1 ml) at 60 °C for 15 min, then H₂O (3 ml) was added and the whole mixture was concentrated to 4 ml. The solution was kept at 60 °C for a further 30 min, and neutralized with satd. Ba(OH)₂. The precipitates were filtered off and the filtrate was evaporated to dryness. The products were identified as 18, cymarose, and 24 by TLC comparison with authentic samples. Rf values: 18 (Rf₂ 0.40, Rf₅ 0.53), cymarose (Rf₄ 0.59, Rf₅ 0.42), and 24 (Rf₄ 0.56, Rf₅ 0.35).

Wilfoside W1N (11)—An amorphous powder, mp 143.5—146 °C, $[\alpha]_{D}^{17}$ + 33.0 ° (c = 0.94, CHCl₃). Anal. Calcd for C₆₃H₉₄O₂₀·1/2 H₂O: C, 64.10; H, 8.11. Found: C, 64.14; H, 8.23. UV $\lambda_{max}^{ethanol}$ nm (log ε): 276 (4.02), 222 (4.06), 216 (4.01), 210 (4.07). IR $\nu_{max}^{CHCl_3}$ cm $^{-1}$: 3500 (OH), 1710 (C=O), 1640 (C=C-C=O), 1600, 1580, 1500, 1450 (C₆H₅), 1160 (C-O-C). 1 H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 1.15 (3H, s, 18-CH₃), 1.22 (3H, d, J=6.4 Hz, 6-CH₃ of sugar moiety), 1.23 (3H, d, J=6.1 Hz, 21-CH₃), 1.26 (3H, d, J=6.4 Hz, 6-CH₃ of sugar moiety), 1.54 (3H, s, 19-CH₃), 1.70 (3H, dd, J=7.3, 1.5 Hz, 4′′-CH₃), 1.74 (3H, t, J=1.5 Hz, 5′′-CH₃), 3.24, 3.31 (each 1H, dd, J=9.8, 3.0 Hz, 4-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.39, 3.41, 3.42, 3.46 (each 3H, s, 3-OCH₃ of sugar moiety), 3.70, 3.76 (each 1H, ddd, J=3.0, 3, 3 Hz, 3-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.82 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.85 (1H, br s, 4-CH of α-L-diginopyranose), 3.86 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.96 (1H, dq, J=6.7, 0.5 Hz, 5-CH of α-L-diginopyranose), 3.86 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.96 (1H, dq, J=6.7, 0.5 Hz, 5-CH of α-L-diginopyranose)

diginopyranose), 4.05 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 4.71 (1H, q, J=6.1 Hz, 20-CH), 4.77 (1H, dd, J=10, 2 Hz, anomeric H), 4.79 (1H, dd, J=3, 1 Hz, anomeric H), 4.83 (1H, dd, J=10, 2 Hz, anomeric H), 4.98 (1H, dd, J=3.4, 1 Hz, anomeric H), 5.37 (1H, br s, 6-CH), 6.23 (1H, d, J=16.0 Hz, 3'-CH), 6.76 (1H, dq, J=7.3, 1.5 Hz, 3''-CH), 7.37 (3H, m, 6', 7', 8'-CH), 7.47 (2H, m, 5', 9'-CH), 7.53 (1H, d, J=16.0 Hz, 2'-CH). ¹³C-NMR (25 MHz, C_5D_5N): Tables I and III.

Acidic Hydrolysis of 11—A solution of 11 (1 mg) in MeOH (3 ml) was allowed to react with $0.2 \text{ N H}_2\text{SO}_4$ (1 ml) at 60 °C for 15 min, then H₂O (3 ml) was added and the whole mixture was concentrated to 4 ml. The solution was kept at 60 °C for a further 30 min, and neutralized with satd. Ba(OH)₂. The precipitates were filtered off and the filtrate was evaporated to dryness. The products were identified as 19, cymarose, and 24 by TLC comparison with authentic samples, Rf values: 19 (Rf_2 0.39, Rf_5 0.49), cymarose (Rf_4 0.59, Rf_5 0.42), and 24 (Rf_4 0.56, Rf_5 0.35).

Wilfoside W3N (12)—An amorphous powder, mp 120—123 °C, [α]_D¹⁵ +43.3 ° (c =1.03, CHCl₃). Anal. Calcd for C₅₆H₈₂O₁₇: C, 65.47; H, 8.05. Found: C, 65.57; H, 7.95. UV $\lambda_{\text{max}}^{\text{ethanol}}$ nm (log ε): 278 (3.96), 223 (4.07), 218 (4.12), 206 (4.05). IR $\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{CHCl}_3}$ cm $^{-1}$: 3450 (OH), 1700 (C=O), 1640 (C=C-C=O), 1600, 1580, 1500, 1450 (C₆H₅), 1160 (C-O-C). ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 1.15 (3H, s, 18-CH₃), 1.23, 1.24, 1.30 (each 3H, d, J=6.4 Hz, 6-CH₃ of sugar moiety), 1.55 (3H, s, 19-CH₃), 1.71 (3H, dd, J=7.3, 1.5 Hz, 4′′-CH₃), 1.73 (3H, t, J=1.5 Hz, 5′′-CH₃), 3.24, 3.31 (each 1H, dd, J=9.5, 3.0 Hz, 4-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.415 (3H, s, 3-OCH₃ of sugar moiety), 3.424 (6H, s, 3-OCH₃ × 2 of sugar moiety), 3.56 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.65, 3.70 (each 1H, ddd, J=3.0, 3, 3 Hz, 3-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.83 (1H, dq, J=8.9, 6.4 Hz, 5-CH of cymaropyranose), 3.86 (1H, br s, 4-CH of α-L-diginopyranose), 3.97 (1H, dq, J=6.7, 0.5 Hz, 5-CH of α-L-diginopyranose), 4.69 (1H, dd, J=10, 2 Hz, anomeric H), 4.71 (1H, q, J=6.4 Hz, 20-CH), 4.77 (1H, dd, J=11.3, 4.0 Hz, 12-CH_α), 4.84 (1H, dd, J=9.6, 2 Hz, anomeric H), 4.98 (1H, dd, J=3.4, 1 Hz, anomeric H), 5.38 (1H, br s, 6-CH), 6.23 (1H, d, J=16.2 Hz, 3′-CH), 6.76 (1H, dq, J=7.3, 1.5 Hz, 3′′-CH), 7.37 (3H, m, 6′, 7′, 8′-CH), 7.47 (2H, m, 5′, 9′-CH), 7.53 (1H, d, J=16.2 Hz, 2′-CH). ¹³C-NMR (50 MHz, C₅D₅N): see Tables III and IV.

Acidic Hydrolysis of 12—A solution of 12 (1 mg) in MeOH (3 ml) was allowed to react with $0.2 \text{ N H}_2\text{SO}_4$ (1 ml) at 60 °C for 15 min, then H₂O (3 ml) was added and the whole mixture was concentrated to 4 ml. The solution was kept at 60 °C for a further 30 min, and neutralized with satd. Ba(OH)₂. The precipitates were filtered off and the filtrate was evaporated to dryness. The products were identified as 19, cymarose, and 24 by TLC comparison with authentic samples. Rf values: 19 (Rf₂ 0.39, Rf₅ 0.49), cymarose (Rf₄ 0.59, Rf₅ 0.42), and 24 (Rf₄ 0.56, Rf₅ 0.35).

Wilfoside G1G (13)——An amorphous powder, mp 164—167 °C, [α]₀¹⁷ + 28.2 ° (c = 0.98, CHCl₃). Anal. Calcd for C₇₀H₁₀₁NO₂₅·1/2 H₂O: C, 61.57; H, 7.52; N, 1.03. Found: C, 61.37; H, 7.73; N, 0.77. UV $\lambda_{\text{max}}^{\text{ethanol}}$ nm (log ε): 220 (4.49), 279 (4.43). IR $\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{CHCl}_3}$ cm $^{-1}$: 3400 (OH), 1720, 1690 (C=O), 1640 (C=C-C=O), 1590 (C₆H₅), 1160 (C-O-C). ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 1.12 (3H, s, 18-CH₃), 1.21, 1.23 (each 3H, d, J=6.4 Hz, 6-CH₃ of sugar moiety), 1.62 (3H, s, 19-CH₃), 3.38, 3.41, 3.42, 3.45 (each 3H, s, 3-OCH₃ of sugar moiety), 4.39 (1H, d, J=7.3 Hz, anomeric H of β-D-glucopyranose), 4.76 (1H, dd, J=10, 2 Hz, anomeric H), 4.98 (1H, dd, J=3, 1 Hz, anomeric H), 5.37 (1H, br s, 6-CH), 6.08 (1H, d, J=16.1 Hz, 3'-CH), 7.19 (1H, dd, J=7.8, 4.9 Hz, 5''-CH), 7.39 (1H, d, J=16.1 Hz, 2'-CH), 8.10 (1H, ddd, J=7.8, 4.5, 2.5 Hz, 4''-CH), 8.72 (1H, dd, J=4.9, 2.5 Hz, 6''-CH), 9.18 (1H, d, J=4.5 Hz, 2''-CH). NMR (50 MHz, C₅D₅N): see Tables III and IV.

Acidic Hydrolysis of 13—A solution of 13 (1 mg) in MeOH (3 ml) was allowed to react with $0.2 \text{ N H}_2\text{SO}_4$ (1 ml) at $60 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$ for 15 min, then H₂O (3 ml) was added and the whole mixture was concentrared to 4 ml. The solution was kept at $60 \,^{\circ}\text{C}$ for a further 30 min, and neutralized with satd. Ba(OH)₂. The precipitates were filtered off and the filtrate was evaporated to dryness. The products were identified as 20, cymarose, 24, and 25 by TLC comparison with authentic samples. Rf values: 20 (Rf_2 0.24, Rf_5 0.28), cymarose (Rf_4 0.59, Rf_5 0.42), 24 (Rf_4 0.56, Rf_5 0.35), and 25 (Rf_4 0.16, Rf_5 0.01).

Methyl α-L-Diginopyranoside (24a)—— ¹H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ : 1.31 (3H, d, J=6.7 Hz, 6-CH₃), 1.84 (1H, ddd, J=13.1, 11.6, 3.4 Hz, 2-CH_{ax}), 1.90 (1H, dddd, J=13.1, 5.5, 1.3, 1 Hz, 2-CH_{eq}), 3.33, 3.39 (each 3H, s, 1, 3-OCH₃), 3.62 (1H, ddd, J=11.6, 5.5, 3.1 Hz, 3-CH), 3.78 (1H, ddd, J=3.1, 1, 0.6 Hz, 4-CH), 3.83 (1H, dq, J=6.7, 1 Hz, 5-CH), 4.82 (1H, dd, J=3.4, 1.3 Hz, 1-CH). ¹H-NMR (200 MHz, C₅D₅N) δ : 1.50 (3H, d, J=6.4 Hz, 6-CH₃), 1.97 (1H, ddt, J=12.2, 4.9, 1.0 Hz, 2-CH_{eq}), 2.30 (1H, dt, J=12.2, 3.4 Hz, 2-CH_{ax}), 3.33, 3.34 (each 3H, s, 1, 3-OCH₃), 3.77 (1H, ddd, J=12.2, 4.9, 2.9 Hz, 3-CH), 3.91 (1H, ddd, J=2.9, 1.0, 1 Hz, 4-CH), 4.89 (1H, dd, J=3.4, 1.0 Hz, 1-CH). ¹³C-NMR (50 MHz, C₅D₅N): see Table VI.

Acetyl-24a (24c)——Compound 24a (7.4 mg) was dissolved in pyridine (1 ml), and acetic anhydride (0.8 ml) was added. The reaction mixture was kept at room temperature overnight, then H_2O (20 ml) was added, and the whole was extracted with CHCl₃ (10 ml). The CHCl₃ layer was washed with 2 n HCl (10 ml × 2), satd. NaHCO₃ (10 ml × 2), and satd. NaCl (10 ml × 2), and dried over anhydrous sodium sulfate. Then, the solvent was evaporated off to give 24c (7.7 mg). 1 H-NMR (500 MHz, CDCl₃) δ: 1.16 (3H, d, J=6.4 Hz, 6-CH₃), 1.89, 1.91 (each 1H, dt, J=7.9, 2.3 Hz, 2-CH₂), 2.16 (3H, s, 4-OCOCH₃), 3.341, 3.345 (each 3H, s, 1, 3-OCH₃), 3.67 (1H, dt, J=7.9, 3.1 Hz, 3-CH), 3.94 (1H, dq, J=6.4, 0.5 Hz, 5-CH), 4.84 (1H, t, J=2.3 Hz, 1-CH), 5.26 (1H, dd, J=3.1, 0.5 Hz, 4-CH).

Methyl β-L-Diginopyranoside (24b)——¹H-NMR (500 MHz, C₅D₅N) δ: 1.53 (3H, d, J=6.4 Hz, 6-CH₃), 2.08 (1H, ddd, J=11.7, 4.9, 2.4 Hz, 2-CH_{eq}), 2.23 (1H, dt, J=11.7, 9.8 Hz, 2-CH_{ax}), 3.37 (3H, s, -OCH₃), 3.37 (1H, ddd, J=11.7, 4.9, 2.9 Hz, 3-CH), 3.52 (1H, dq, J=6.4, 1.0 Hz, 5-CH), 3.53 (3H, s, -OCH₃), 3.88 (1H, dd, J=2.9, 1.0 Hz,

4-CH), 4.44 (1H, dd, J=9.3, 2.4 Hz, 1-CH). ¹³C-NMR (50 MHz, C_5D_5N): see Table VI.

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