

Study on the Chemical Constituents of *Daphniphyllum angustifolium*

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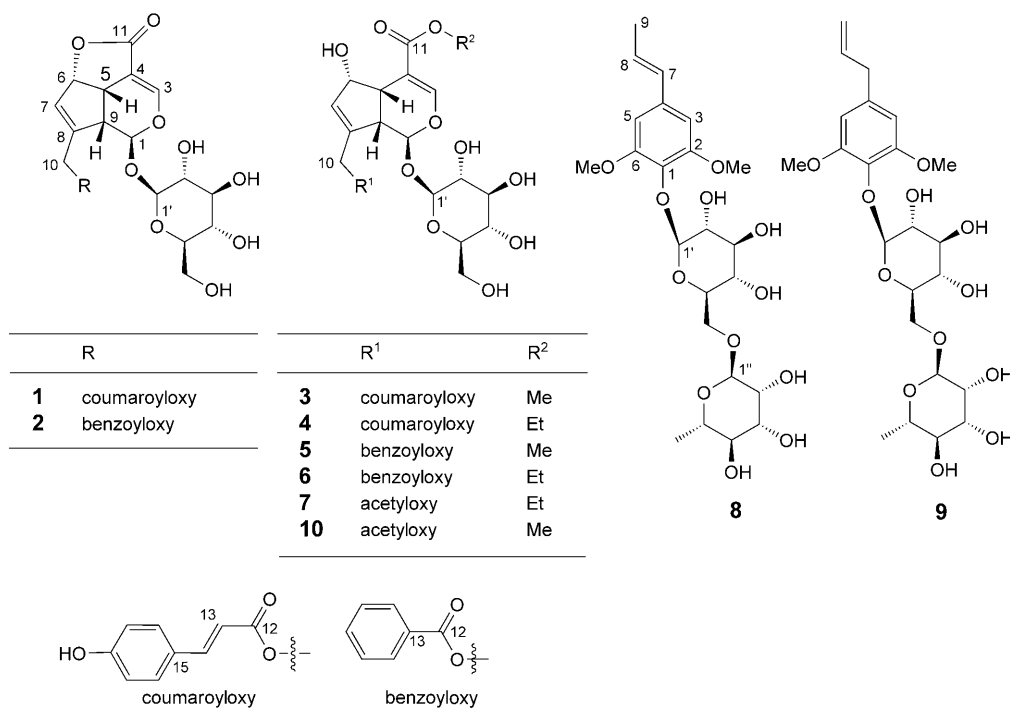
Seven new iridoid glucosides, **1–7**, two new phenyl glucosides, **8** and **9**, along with eight known compounds were isolated from the bark of *Daphniphyllum angustifolium*. Their structures were established by ESI-MS and by 1D- and 2D-NMR spectroscopic methods.

Introduction. – Iridoids are of biogenetic and chemotaxonomic importance and are found mainly as glycosides in higher plants. A number of iridoid glucosides [1] and *Daphniphyllum* alkaloids [2] have been reported from the family Daphniphyllaceae. *Daphniphyllum angustifolium* is a shrub native to China. No study concerning its chemical constituents has been reported previously. We have examined the EtOH extract of the bark of *D. angustifolium*, and succeeded in isolating the seven new iridoid glucosides **1–7** and the two new phenyl glucosides **8** and **9**, along with eight known compounds.

Results and Discussion. – The dried plant material was extracted with 95% EtOH, and the concentrate was partitioned between H₂O and CHCl₃. The H₂O-soluble part was fractionated by means of a macroporous resin column, affording four groups of eluates, which yielded the seven new iridoid glucosides **1–7** and the two new phenyl glucosides **8** and **9** (see Fig. 1), together with four known compounds, after further chromatographic purification. The CHCl₃-soluble part yielded four known compounds after repeated chromatographic purification.

The known compounds were characterized by detailed NMR analyses to be daphylloside (**10**) [1], 10-*O*-deacetylasperulosidic acid methyl ester [3], (–)-epiafzelechin 7-*O*-β-D-glucopyranoside [4], urolignoside [5], concarpan [6], eupomatenoide-6 [6], 28-hydroxyllupen-3-one [7], and stigmast-5-ene-3,7,16-triol [8].

Compound **1** was obtained as an optically active white powder. Its IR spectrum showed the presence of OH groups (3411 cm⁻¹) and of a γ-lactone (1739 cm⁻¹). The ESI-MS exhibited quasi-molecular ions [M+H]⁺ at *m/z* 519 and [M–H][–] at *m/z* 517, suggesting a molecular formula of C₂₅H₂₆O₁₂, which was confirmed by the quasi-molecular ion [M+H]⁺ at *m/z* 519.1510 generated by HR-ESI-MS. The ¹H-NMR, ¹³C-NMR, DEPT, HMQC, and HMBC spectra (see Table 1) suggested that **1** has a


 Fig. 1. The structures of compounds **1–10**

10-*O*-deacetylasperuloside skeleton [9]. Acid hydrolysis [10] of **1** yielded *D*-glucose. The structure of **1** was established as 10-*O*-coumaroyl-10-*O*-deacetylasperuloside¹⁾.

The presence of a coumaroyloxy group (C(12) to C(20)¹⁾ in **1** gave rise to ¹³C-NMR signals at δ 168.6 (C(12)), 114.6 (CH(13)), 147.4 (CH(14)), 127.1 (C(15)), 131.5 (CH(16), CH(20)), 117.0 (CH(17), CH(19)), and 161.5 (C(18)). Signals of a β -*D*-glucosyl group (C(1') to C(6')) at δ 100.1 (CH(1')), 74.7 (CH(2')), 77.9 (CH(3')), 71.6 (CH(4')), 78.4 (CH(5')), 62.8 (CH₂(6')) and of an iridoid moiety (C(1) and C(3) to C(11)¹⁾ at δ 93.5 (CH(1)), 150.5 (CH(3)), 106.2 (C(4)), 37.4 (CH(5)), 86.4 (CH(6)), 129.1 (CH(7)), 144.5 (C(8)), 45.4 (CH(9)), 61.8 (CH₂(10)), and 173.0 (C(11)) were compatible with the proposed structure of **1**. The ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR and HMBC spectra also indicated the presence of an ester C=O and two trisubstituted C=C moieties in the iridoid skeleton. Thirteen degrees of unsaturation were deduced from the molecular formula C₂₅H₂₆O₁₂. The ten degrees of unsaturation accounting for the coumaroyl β -*D*-glucosyl, ester C=O, and two C=C moieties left three degrees of unsaturation which were attributed to a tricyclic ring system, suggesting that **1** has a 10-*O*-deacetylasperuloside skeleton [9]. The hydrolysis product of **1** was identified as *D*-glucose by GC analysis of its leucine derivative, which was compared with a reference compound. The chemical shifts and the shape of the signal for the anomeric center, *i.e.*, δ 4.72 (*d*, *J* = 7.8 Hz, H–C(1')) and δ 100.1 (C(1')) indicated a β -*D*-configuration for the glucosyl unit. The cross-peaks in the HMBC spectrum of **1** between the CH₂(10) signals at δ 4.76 and 4.89 and the ester carbonyl signal at δ 168.6 (C(12)) established that the coumaroyloxy moiety is located at C(10), and the correlation between H–C(1') at 4.72 and C(1) at δ 93.5 demonstrated that the β -*D*-glucosyloxy group is attached at C(1).

¹⁾ Trivial numbering, for systematic names, see *Exper. Part*.

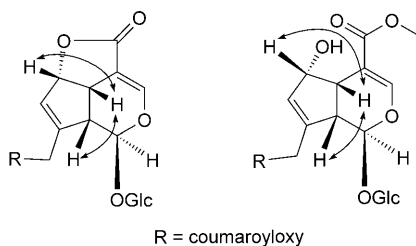
Table 1. ^1H - and ^{13}C -NMR, HMBC, and NOESY Data of **1**¹. δ in ppm, J in Hz.

	$\delta(\text{H})^{\text{a}}$	$\delta(\text{C})^{\text{b}}$	HMBC ^c	$^1\text{H}, ^1\text{H}$ -COSY ^a	NOE ^a
H–C(1)	6.04 (br. <i>s</i>)	93.5	C(3), C(9), C(1')	H–C(9)	CH ₂ (10), H–C(1')
H–C(3)	7.29 (<i>s</i>)	150.5	C(1), C(4), C(11)	H–C(5)	
C(4)		106.2			
H–C(5)	3.33–3.40 (<i>m</i>)	37.4	C(1), C(3), C(7), C(8), C(9)	H–C(3), H–C(6), H–C(9)	H–C(6), H–C(9)
H–C(6)	5.55 (br. <i>d</i> , $J=6.0$)	86.4	C(5), C(7), C(8), C(11)	H–C(5), H–C(7), H–C(9)	H–C(5)
H–C(7)	5.77 (<i>s</i>)	129.1	C(8)	H–C(9), H–C(10)	
H–C(8)		144.5			
H–C(9)	3.22–3.27 (<i>m</i>)	45.4	C(10)	H–C(1), H–C(5), H–C(6), H–C(7)	H–C(5)
CH ₂ (10)	4.76 (br. <i>d</i> , $J=14.3$), 4.89 (br. <i>d</i> , $J=14.3$)	61.8	C(8), C(9), C(12)	H–C(7), H–C(9)	H–C(1)
C(11)		173.0			
C(12)		168.6			
H–C(13)	6.37 (<i>d</i> , $J=15.9$)	114.6	C(12), C(14), C(15)	H–C(14)	H–C(14)
H–C(14)	7.65 (<i>d</i> , $J=15.9$)	147.4	C(12), C(13), C(16)	H–C(13)	H–C(13)
C(15)		127.1			
H–C(16)	7.54 (<i>d</i> , $J=8.4$)	131.5	C(14), C(18)	H–C(17)	H–C(13), H–C(17)
H–C(17)	6.87 (<i>d</i> , $J=8.4$)	117.0	C(15), C(18)	H–C(16)	H–C(16)
C(18)		161.5			
H–C(19)	6.87 (<i>d</i> , $J=8.4$)	117.0	C(15), C(18)	H–C(20)	H–C(16)
H–C(20)	7.54 (<i>d</i> , $J=8.4$)	131.5	C(14), C(18)	H–C(19)	H–C(13), H–C(19)
H–C(1')	4.72 (<i>d</i> , $J=7.8$)	100.1	C(1), C(6')		H–C(1)
H–C(2')	3.30–3.47 (<i>m</i>)	74.7			
H–C(3')	3.30–3.47 (<i>m</i>)	77.9			
H–C(4')	3.30–3.47 (<i>m</i>)	71.6			
H–C(5')	3.30–3.47 (<i>m</i>)	78.4			
CH ₂ (6')	3.64 (<i>dd</i> , $J=12.0, 6.3$), 3.86 (<i>d</i> , $J=12.0$)	62.8			

^a) Recorded in CD₃OD at 300 MHz. ^b) Recorded in CD₃OD at 75 MHz. ^c) Protons that correlate with C-atoms.

The configurations at C(1), C(5), C(6), and C(9) of **1** were determined by NOE correlations as shown in Fig. 2 and in Table 1. The NOEs between H–C(5), H–C(6), and H–C(9) indicated that they were *cis*-positioned to each other (β -configuration), and the absence of NOEs between H–C(1) and H–C(9) suggested that they are located on opposite faces of the dihydro pyrane ring.

Compound **2** was obtained as an optically active white powder. The ESI-MS exhibited a quasi-molecular ion $[M+\text{Na}]^+$ at m/z 499 suggesting a molecular formula C₂₃H₂₄O₁₁, which was confirmed by a quasi-molecular ion $[M+\text{Na}]^+$ at m/z 499.1211 generated by HR-ESI-MS. Compound **2** had similar UV features to those of **1**. A com-

Fig. 2. Important NOE correlations of **1** and **3**Table 2. ^1H - and ^{13}C -NMR, HMBC, and NOESY Data of **2**¹. δ in ppm, J in Hz.

	$\delta(\text{H})^{\text{a}}$	$\delta(\text{C})^{\text{b}}$	HMBC ^c	NOE ^a
H-C(1)	6.06 (br. s)	93.6	C(3), C(9), C(1')	CH ₂ (10), H-C(1')
H-C(3)	7.31 (<i>d</i> , $J=1.8$)	150.4	C(1), C(4), C(11)	
C(4)		106.4	C(4), C(7), C(8)	
H-C(5)	3.29–3.32 (<i>m</i>)	37.6	C(4), C(7), C(8)	H-C(6), H-C(9)
H-C(6)	5.58 (br. <i>d</i> , $J=6.0$)	86.4	C(8), C(11)	H-C(5)
H-C(7)	5.82 (<i>s</i>)	129.5	C(5), C(6), C(9)	
C(8)		144.4		
H-C(9)	3.17–3.21 (<i>m</i>)	45.6	C(1), C(5), C(10)	H-C(5)
CH ₂ (10)	4.90 (<i>d</i> , $J=13.8$), 5.03 (<i>d</i> , $J=13.8$)	62.7	C(7), C(8), C(9), C(12)	H-C(1)
C(11)		172.7		
C(12)		167.5		
C(13)		131.0		
H-C(14)	8.03 (<i>d</i> , $J=7.2$)	130.8	C(12), C(15), C(16)	H-C(15)
H-C(15)	7.49 (<i>t</i> , $J=7.2$)	129.8	C(13), C(14)	H-C(14), H-C(16)
H-C(16)	7.61 (<i>t</i> , $J=7.2$)	134.7	C(14)	H-C(15)
H-C(17)	7.49 (<i>t</i> , $J=7.2$)	129.8	C(16), C(18)	H-C(16), H-C(18)
H-C(18)	8.03 (<i>d</i> , $J=7.2$)	130.8	C(13), C(17)	H-C(17)
H-C(1')	4.68 (<i>d</i> , $J=8.1$)	100.2	C(1)	H-C(1)
H-C(2')	3.18–3.40 (<i>m</i>)	74.7		
H-C(3')	3.18–3.40 (<i>m</i>)	77.9		
H-C(4')	3.18–3.40 (<i>m</i>)	71.6		
H-C(5')	3.18–3.40 (<i>m</i>)	78.4		
CH ₂ (6')	3.71 (<i>d</i> , $J=12.0$), 3.86 (<i>d</i> , $J=12.0$)	62.8		

^a) Recorded in CD₃OD at 300 MHz. ^b) Recorded in CD₃OD at 75 MHz. ^c) Protons that correlate with C-atoms.

parison of the ^1H - and ^{13}C -NMR data of **2** (Table 2) with those of **1** revealed that the only difference was that the coumaroyloxy moiety in compound **1** is replaced by a benzoyloxy group in compound **2**. The position of the benzoyloxy group was also assigned to C(10), which was confirmed by HMBC experiments (correlation CH₂(10) (δ 4.90 and 5.03) C(12) (δ 165.2)). Thus, the structure of **2** was identified as 10-*O*-benzoyl-10-*O*-deacetylasperuloside¹.

Compound **3** was obtained as an optically active white powder. The ESI-MS exhibited quasi-molecular ions $[M + \text{Na}]^+$ at m/z 573 and $[M - \text{H}]^-$ at m/z 549, suggesting a

Table 3. ^1H - and ^{13}C -NMR, HMBC, and NOESY Data of **3**¹. δ in ppm, J in Hz.

	$\delta(\text{H})^{\text{a}}$	$\delta(\text{C})^{\text{b}}$	HMBC ^c	NOE ^a
H–C(1)	4.99 (<i>d</i> , $J=9.0$)	99.6	C(3), C(9), C(1')	CH ₂ (10), H–C(1')
H–C(3)	7.63 (<i>s</i>)	153.2	C(1), C(4), C(11)	
C(4)		107.2		
H–C(5)	2.91 (<i>t</i> , $J=6.6$)	40.8	C(1), C(3), C(7), C(8), C(9)	H–C(6), H–C(9)
H–C(6)	4.64 (<i>br. d</i> , $J=6.0$)	73.2	C(5), C(7), C(8), C(11)	H–C(5)
H–C(7)	6.00 (<i>br. s</i>)	131.8	C(8)	
C(8)		143.0		
H–C(9)	2.55 (<i>t</i> , $J=7.8$)	44.8	C(10)	H–C(5)
CH ₂ (10)	4.80 (<i>br. d</i> , $J=15.3$), 4.90 (<i>br. d</i> , $J=15.3$)	61.0	C(8), C(9), C(12)	H–C(1)
C(11)		166.9		
C(12)		166.3		
H–C(13)	6.44 (<i>d</i> , $J=15.9$)	113.9	C(12), C(14), C(15)	H–C(14)
H–C(14)	7.58–7.62 (<i>m</i>)	145.1	C(12), C(13), C(16)	H–C(13)
C(15)		125.1		
H–C(16)	7.54–7.58 (<i>m</i>)	130.5	C(14), C(18)	H–C(17)
H–C(17)	6.79 (<i>d</i> , $J=9.0$)	115.9	C(15), C(18)	H–C(16)
C(18)		160.1		
H–C(19)	6.79 (<i>d</i> , $J=9.0$)	115.9	C(15), C(18)	H–C(16)
H–C(20)	7.58–7.62 (<i>m</i>)	130.5	C(14), C(18)	H–C(19)
MeO	3.20 (<i>s</i>)	51.2	C(11)	
H–C(1')	4.59 (<i>d</i> , $J=8.1$)	99.1	C(1)	H–C(1)
H–C(2')	3.02–3.22 (<i>m</i>)	73.4		
H–C(3')	3.02–3.22 (<i>m</i>)	76.6		
H–C(4')	3.02–3.22 (<i>m</i>)	69.9		
H–C(5')	3.02–3.22 (<i>m</i>)	77.2		
CH ₂ (6')	3.43 (<i>dd</i> , $J=11.9, 4.8$), 3.64–3.66 (<i>m</i>)	62.0		

^a) Recorded in (D₆)DMSO at 300 MHz. ^b) Recorded in DMSO at 75 MHz. ^c) Protons that correlate with C-atoms.

molecular formula C₂₆H₃₀O₁₃, which was confirmed by a quasi-molecular ion $[M + \text{Na}]^+$ at m/z 573.1580 generated by HR-ESI-MS. The ^1H - and ^{13}C -NMR, DEPT, HMQC, and HMBC spectra (see Table 3) suggested the presence of a 10-*O*-deacetyldaphylloside skeleton. A direct comparison of the spectral data of **3** with those of daphylloside (**10**), which was also isolated from the title plant, indicated that **3** is an analogue of **10**, both compounds possessing the same daphylloside skeleton. The only difference between compound **3** and **10** was that the acetyloxy group at position 10 in compound **10** is replaced by a coumaroyloxy group in compound **3**. Thus, the structure of **3** was established 10-*O*-coumaroyl-10-*O*-deacetyldaphylloside.

The presence of a coumaroyloxy group (C(12) to C(20)¹) in **3** was established by the ^{13}C -NMR signals at δ 166.3 (C(12)), 113.9 (CH(13)), 145.1 (CH(14)), 125.1 (C(15)), 130.5 (CH(16), CH(20)), 115.9 (CH(17), CH(19)), and 160.1 (C(18)) that of a β -*D*-glucosyl group (C(1') to C(6')) by the signals at δ 99.1 (CH(1')), 73.4 (CH(2')), 76.6 (CH(3')), 69.9 (CH(4')), 77.2 (CH(5')), and 62.0 (CH₂(6')), that of a MeO group by δ 51.2 and the 10 C-atoms of the iridoid skeleton (C(1) and C(3) to C(11)¹) by the sig-

nals at δ 99.6 (CH(1)), 153.2 (CH(3)), 107.2 (C(4)), 40.8 (CH(5)), 73.2 (CH(6)), 131.8 (CH(7)), 143.0 (C(8)), 44.8 (CH(9)), 61.0 (CH₂(10)), and 166.9 (C(11)). The ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR and HMBC spectra also indicated the presence of an ester C=O and two trisubstituted C=C moieties in the iridoid skeleton. The HMBC correlations MeO (δ 3.20)/C(11) (δ 166.9) and H–C(1') (δ 4.59)/C(1) (δ 99.6) indicated that the MeO group was located at C(11) and the β -D-glucosyloxy group at C(1). The position of the coumaroyloxy group of **3** was assigned to C(10) by the HMBC cross-peaks CH₂(10) (δ 4.80 and 4.90)/C(12) (δ 166.3).

The configurations at C(1), C(5), C(6), and C(9) were determined by NOE correlations as shown in Fig. 2 and in Table 3. The NOEs between H–C(5), H–C(6), and H–C(9) indicated that they were in *cis*-position to each other (β -configuration), and the absence of NOEs between H–C(1) and H–C(9) suggested the α -configuration of H–C(1).

Compound **4** was obtained as an optically active white powder. The molecular formula C₂₇H₃₂O₁₃ was confirmed by a quasi-molecular ion [*M* – H][–] at *m/z* 563.1770 generated by HR-ESI-MS. Compound **4** had similar UV features to those of **3**. A comparison of the ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR data of **4** (see Tables 4 and 5) with those of **3** revealed that the only difference consists in compound **4** having an EtO group at C(11) instead of the

Table 4. ¹H-NMR Data of **4**–**7**¹). δ in ppm, *J* in Hz.

	4 ^{a)}	5 ^{b)}	6 ^{a)}	7 ^{a)}
H–C(1)	5.09 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =9.0)	5.14 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =5.1)	5.10 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =9.0)	5.06 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =9.0)
H–C(3)	7.63 (<i>s</i>)	7.66 (<i>s</i>)	7.64 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =1.2)	7.65 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =1.2)
H–C(5)	3.02 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =6.6)	2.94 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =6.6)	3.07 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =6.6)	3.05 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =8.1)
H–C(6)	4.78 (<i>br. d</i> , <i>J</i> =6.0)	4.74 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =6.0)	4.78–4.82 (<i>m</i>)	4.77–4.87 (<i>m</i>)
H–C(7)	6.03 (<i>br. s</i>)	6.08 (<i>br. s</i>)	6.09 (<i>br. s</i>)	6.02 (<i>br. s</i>)
H–C(9)	2.65 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =8.1)	2.61 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =8.1)	2.68 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =8.1)	2.63 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =8.1)
CH ₂ (10)	4.78–4.82 (<i>m</i>), 5.08 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =15.3)	4.99 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =15.3), 5.04 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =15.3)	5.01 (<i>br. d</i> , <i>J</i> =15.3), 5.22 (<i>br. d</i> , <i>J</i> =15.3)	4.77–4.87 (<i>m</i>), 4.94 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =15.3)
H–C(13)	6.35 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =16.2)			
H–C(14)	7.63 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =16.2)	8.03 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	8.04 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	
H–C(15)		7.55 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	7.48 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	
H–C(16)	7.45 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =9.0)	7.66 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	7.60 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	
H–C(17)	6.78 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =9.0)	7.55 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	7.48 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	
H–C(18)		8.03 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	8.04 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	
H–C(19)	6.78 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =9.0)			
H–C(20)	7.45 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =9.0)			
MeCH ₂ O or MeO	4.17 (<i>q</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	3.35 (<i>s</i>)	4.17 (<i>q</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	4.17 (<i>q</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)
MeCH ₂ O	1.27 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)		1.27 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	1.27 (<i>t</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)
H–C(1')	4.72 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	4.59 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =7.5)	4.73 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =7.2)	4.72 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =7.5)
H–C(2')	3.23–3.39 (<i>m</i>)	2.98–3.19 (<i>m</i>)	3.23–3.40 (<i>m</i>)	3.23–3.39 (<i>m</i>)
H–C(3')	3.23–3.39 (<i>m</i>)	2.98–3.19 (<i>m</i>)	3.02–3.22 (<i>m</i>)	3.23–3.39 (<i>m</i>)
H–C(4')	3.23–3.39 (<i>m</i>)	2.98–3.19 (<i>m</i>)	3.02–3.22 (<i>m</i>)	3.23–3.39 (<i>m</i>)
H–C(5')	3.23–3.39 (<i>m</i>)	2.98–3.19 (<i>m</i>)	3.02–3.22 (<i>m</i>)	3.23–3.39 (<i>m</i>)
CH ₂ (6')	3.57 (<i>dd</i> , <i>J</i> =6.9, 2.0), 3.84 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =12.0)	3.39–3.42 (<i>m</i>), 3.60–3.64 (<i>m</i>)	3.60 (<i>dd</i> , <i>J</i> =5.4, 12.0), 3.86 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =12.0)	3.61 (<i>dd</i> , <i>J</i> =5.7, 11.7), 3.84 (<i>d</i> , <i>J</i> =11.7)
AcO				2.08 (<i>s</i>)

^{a)} Recorded in CD₃OD at 300 MHz. ^{b)} Recorded in (D₆)DMSO at 300 MHz.

Table 5. ^{13}C -NMR Data of **4**– **7**¹). δ in ppm.

	4 ^{a)}	5 ^{b)}	6 ^{a)}	7 ^{a)}
C(1)	101.5	99.6	101.5	101.4
C(3)	155.4	153.2	155.4	155.3
C(4)	108.5	107.2	108.5	108.5
C(5)	42.6	40.7	42.6	42.5
C(6)	75.0	73.4	75.0	75.0
C(7)	131.8	131.9	131.4	131.9
C(8)	146.3	142.7	146.1	146.0
C(9)	48.3	44.8	46.6	46.3
C(10)	61.4	61.0	61.4	61.4
C(11)	169.0	166.9	169.1	172.6
C(12)	168.9	165.4	167.8	
C(13)	114.9	129.6	131.4	
C(14)	147.2	129.4	130.8	
C(15)	127.1	128.9	129.8	
C(16)	131.4	133.5	134.6	
C(17)	117.1	128.9	129.8	
C(18)	161.7	129.4	130.8	
C(19)	117.1			
C(20)	131.4			
C(1')	100.8	99.1	100.8	100.7
C(2')	75.6	73.4	75.6	75.6
C(3')	77.9	76.5	78.0	78.0
C(4')	71.6	69.9	71.6	71.6
C(5')	78.7	77.2	78.7	78.7
C(6')	63.1	62.8	63.1	63.1
MeCH ₂ O or MeO	63.8	51.1	64.4	63.9
MeCH ₂ O	14.7		14.7	14.7
–OAc				169.0, 20.9

^{a)} Recorded in CD₃OD at 75 MHz. ^{b)} Recorded in (D₆)DMSO at 75 MHz.

MeO group. Its structure was established as 10-*O*-coumaroyl-10-*O*-deacetyl-11-demethoxy-11-daphylloside¹).

Compound **5** was obtained as an optically active white powder. The molecular formula C₂₄H₂₈O₁₂ was confirmed by a quasi-molecular ion $[M+H]^+$ at m/z 509.1663 generated by HR-ESI-MS. The ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR spectra of **5** (see Tables 4 and 5) were similar to those of **3**, except for the substituent at C(10). Comparison of the ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR and HMBC spectra established that the only difference between **5** and **3** was that **5** had a benzyloxy group at C(10) instead of the coumaroyloxy group. The structure of a 10-*O*-benzoyl-10-*O*-deacetyldaphylloside¹) for **5** was confirmed by its ¹H, ¹H-COSY, HMQC, HMBC, and NOESY spectra.

Also compound **6** was optically active and obtained as a white powder. The molecular formula C₂₅H₃₀O₁₂ was confirmed by a quasi-molecular ion $[M+COOH]^-$ at m/z 567.1710 generated by HR-ESI-MS. The ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR spectra of **6** (see Tables 4 and 5) were similar to those of **3**. Comparison of the ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR spectra of **6**

and **3** established the structure of **6** as 10-*O*-benzoyl-10-*O*-deacetyl-11-demethoxy-11-ethoxydaphylloside¹).

Compound **7** was optically active and obtained as a white powder. The molecular formula C₂₀H₂₈O₁₂ was confirmed by a quasi-molecular ion $[M+H]^+$ at m/z 461.1664 generated by HR-ESI-MS. The ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR spectra of **7** (see *Tables 4* and *5*) were similar to those of daphylloside (**10**). A comparison of the ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR spectra of **7** and **10** revealed that the only difference was the presence of an EtO group at C(11) in **7** compared to a MeO group in **10**. The configurations at C(1), C(5), C(6), and C(9) were confirmed by the NOESY data. Thus, the structure of **7** was established as 11-demethoxy-11-ethoxydaphylloside¹).

Compound **8** was obtained as an optically active white powder. The molecular formula C₂₃H₃₄O₁₂ was confirmed by a quasi-molecular ion $[M+H]^+$ at m/z 503.2124 generated by HR-ESI-MS. Acid hydrolysis of **8** yielded D-glucose and L-rhamnose, identified by GC analysis of their leucine derivatives which were compared with reference samples. The ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR, ¹H,¹H-COSY, HMQC, and HMBC experiments (*Table 6*) established the structure of **8** as 2,6-dimethoxy-4-[(1*E*)-prop-1-enyl]phenyl *O*-α-L-rhamnopyranosyl-(1 → 6)-β-D-glucopyranoside.

The presence of a CH=CH–Me group (C(7) to C(9)¹) in **8** was indicated by the ¹³C-NMR signals at δ 132.2 (CH(7)), 126.5 (CH(8)), 18.7 (Me(9)). The tetrasubstituted benzene moiety (C(1) to C(6)¹) gave rise to signals at δ 135.3 (C(1)), 154.5 (C(2)), 104.8 (CH(3)), 136.4 (C(4)), 104.8 (CH(5)), and 154.5 (C(6)), the β-D-glucosyl moiety (C(1') to C(6')) to δ 105.6 (CH(1')), 75.7 (CH(2')), 77.9 (CH(3')), 71.8 (CH(4')), 77.4 (CH(5')), and 68.1 (CH₂(6')), and the α-L-rhamnosyl moiety (C(1'') to C(6'')) to δ 102.2 (CH(1'')), 72.4 (CH(2'')), 72.2 (CH(3'')), 74.1 (CH(4'')), 69.8 (CH(5'')), and 18.2 (Me(6'')). Finally two MeO groups appeared at δ 57.1. The value of the coupling $J(7,8) = 15.6$ Hz in the ¹H-NMR spectrum indicated an (*E*)-CH=CH–Me group. The chemical shifts and the shape of the signals for the anomeric centers (δ 4.75 (*d*, $J = 7.8$ Hz, H–C(1')), and 105.6 (CH(1'), δ 4.67 (*s*, H–C(1'')) and δ 102.2 (C(1'')) indicated a β-D-configuration for the glucosyl unit and an α-L-configuration for the rhamnosyl unit. Their positions were determined by ¹³C,¹H long-range connectivities: *i*) The correlations H–C(7) (δ 6.34)/C(4) (δ 136.4) and C(3) and C(5) (δ 104.8), and H–C(8) (δ 6.23–6.26)/C(4) (δ 136.4) established that the (*E*)-CH=CH–Me moiety was located at C(4). *ii*) The correlation H–C(1') (δ 4.75)/C(1) (δ 135.3) allowed to position the glucosyloxy unit at C(1). *iii*) The correlation H–C(1'') (δ 4.67)/C(6') (δ 68.1) elucidated that the rhamnosyloxy unit was located at C(6'). *iv*) The correlations of the 2 MeO (δ 3.85) with C(2) and C(6) (δ 154.5) established the position of the 2 MeO at C(2) and C(6).

Compound **9**, an optically active white powder, exhibited a quasi-molecular ion $[M+Na]^+$ at m/z 525 in the ESI-MS, suggesting a molecular formula C₂₃H₃₄O₁₂, which was confirmed by a quasi-molecular ion $[M+Na]^+$ at m/z 525.1952 generated by HR-ESI-MS. The ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR spectra of **9** (see *Table 6*) were similar to those of **8** (*Table 6*), except for the signals of the side chain C(7) to C(9)¹). The ¹³C-NMR and HMBC spectra of **9** suggested the side chain to be a CH₂=CH–CH₂ group (δ 41.5 (CH₂(7)), 137.6 (CH(8)), 116.4 (CH₂C(9))). The structure of **9** was confirmed by its ¹H,¹H-COSY, HMQC, and HMBC spectra as 2,6-dimethoxy-4-(prop-2-enyl)phenyl *O*-α-L-rhamnopyranosyl-(1 → 6)-β-D-glucopyranoside.

The ethyl esters **4**, **6**, and **7** may be artifacts formed from **1**, **2**, and **10**, respectively, during the 7-day extraction of the plants with EtOH (see *Exper. Part*), and the methyl esters **3** and **5** may also be artifacts formed from **1** and **2** by nucleophilic opening of the γ-lactone moiety during column chromatography with MeOH.

Table 6. ^1H - and ^{13}C -NMR, HMBC, and ^1H , ^1H -COSY Data of **8** and ^1H - and ^{13}C -NMR Data of **9**¹. δ in ppm, J in Hz.

	8		9			
	$\delta(\text{H})^{\text{a}}$	$\delta(\text{C})^{\text{b}}$	HMBC ^c	^1H , ^1H -COSY ^a	$\delta(\text{H})^{\text{a}}$	$\delta(\text{C})^{\text{b}}$
C(1)		135.3				138.9
C(2)		154.5				154.3
H–C(3)	6.66 (s)	104.8	C(1), C(2), C(4), C(7)	MeO	6.48 (s)	107.4
C(4)		136.4				134.5
H–C(5)	6.66 (s)	104.8	C(1), C(2), C(4), C(7)	MeO	6.48 (s)	107.4
C(6)		154.5				154.3
H–C(7) or CH ₂ (7)	6.34 (d, $J=15.6$)	132.2	C(3), C(4), C(9)		2.84 (d, $J=6.3$)	41.5
H–C(8)	6.23–6.26 (m)	126.5	C(4), C(9)		5.05–5.07 (m)	137.6
Me(9) or CH ₂ (9)	1.85 (d, $J=6.3$)	18.7	C(7), C(8)		4.59–4.61 (m)	116.4
MeO	3.85 (s)	57.1	C(2, C(3), C(5), C(6), C(3), C(5)		3.85 (s)	57.1
H–C(1')	4.75 (d, $J=7.8$)	105.6	C(1)		4.75 (d, $J=7.2$)	105.6
H–C(2')	3.30–3.91 (m)	75.7			3.30–3.91 (m)	75.7
H–C(3')	3.30–3.91 (m)	77.9			3.30–3.91 (m)	77.9
H–C(4')	3.30–3.91 (m)	71.8			3.30–3.91 (m)	71.8
H–C(5')	3.30–3.91 (m)	77.4			3.30–3.91 (m)	77.4
CH ₂ (6')	3.30–3.91 (m)	68.1			3.30–3.91 (m)	68.1
H–C(1'')	4.67 (s)	102.2	C(6')		4.67 (s)	102.3
H–C(2'')	3.30–3.91 (m)	72.4			3.30–3.91 (m)	72.4
H–C(3'')	3.30–3.91 (m)	72.2			3.30–3.91 (m)	72.2
H–C(4'')	3.30–3.91 (m)	74.1			3.30–3.91 (m)	74.1
H–C(5'')	3.30–3.91 (m)	69.8			3.30–3.91 (m)	69.8
Me(6'')	1.19 (d, $J=6.6$)	18.2			1.19 (d, $J=6.6$)	18.2

^a) Recorded in CD₃OD at 300 MHz. ^b) Recorded in CD₃OD at 75 MHz. ^c) Protons that correlate with C-atoms.

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Experimental Part

General. Column chromatography (CC): silica gel (200–300 mesh), *Sephadex LH-20*, macroporous resin *AB-8* (from the Chemical Plant of Nankai University, Tianjin, China), *MCI Gel CHP20P* (75–150 μm ; *Mitsubishi Chemical Industry, Ltd.*), and *C-18* reversed-phase silica gel (*ODS*; 20–45 μm , *Fuji Silysia Chemical, Ltd.*). M.p.: *Yanagimoto* micromelting point apparatus; uncorrected. Optical rotations: in MeOH; *Perkin-Elmer-341* polarimeter. UV Spectra: λ_{max} (log ϵ) in nm. NMR Spectra: *Bruker AMX-500* spectrometer. MS: *Bruker Esquire-3000-plus* spectrometer for ESI and *Bruker Atex-III* instrument for HR-ESI in MeOH; in m/z .

Plant Material. *Daphniphyllum Angustifolium* was collected in Nanchuan County, Chongqing City, People's Republic of China, in May, 2001. A voucher specimen of the plant (No. PA0501) was identified by Mr. *Jin-Gui Shen* and deposited at the herbarium of the Chinese National Center for Drug Screening, Shanghai, P. R. China.

Extraction and Isolation. The dried and powdered bark of *D. Angustifolium* (10.0 kg) were extracted with 95% EtOH (3 \times 35 l) at r.t. for 7 days. The extract was evaporated and the residue partitioned between CHCl₃ (1.200 l) and H₂O (2.000 l). The H₂O-soluble portion (100 g) was then separated into

4 fractions by CC (macroporous resin, EtOH/H₂O): *Fr. 1* (15 g) with 15% EtOH (1 l), *Fr. 2* (15 g) with 30% EtOH (1 l), *Fr. 3* (30 g) with 60% EtOH (1 l), and *Fr. 4* (5 g) with 100% EtOH (1 l). *Fr. 4* (5 g) was subjected to CC (*MCI*, MeOH/H₂O): *Fr. 4.1* (850 mg) with 75% MeOH (1 l) and *Fr. 4.2* (3 g) with 90% MeOH (1 l). *Fr. 4.1* (850 mg) was further subjected to CC (*ODS*, 60% MeOH/H₂O (3 l)): **1** (73 mg) and **2** (69 mg). *Fr. 3* (30 g) was subjected to CC (*MCI*, MeOH/H₂O): *Fr. 3.1* (1.5 g) with 45% MeOH (1 l), *Fr. 3.2* (700 mg) with 55% MeOH (1 l), *Fr. 3.3* (3 g) with 65% MeOH (1 l), and *Fr. 3.4* (700 mg) with 80% MeOH (1 l). *Fr. 3.1* (500 mg) was further subjected to CC (*ODS*, 20% (2 l), 25% MeOH/H₂O (1 l)): 10-O-deacetylasperulosidic acid methyl ester (43 mg). *Fr. 3.2* (700 mg) was further subjected to CC (*ODS*, 25% MeOH/H₂O (3 l)): **3** (40 mg) and **4** (9 mg). *Fr. 3.3* (500 mg) was further subjected to CC (*ODS*, 30% MeOH/H₂O (2 l)): **5** (23 mg), **7** (12 mg), and **10** (100 mg). *Fr. 3.4* (700 mg) was further subjected to CC (silica gel, CHCl₃/MeOH 20:1): **6** (9 mg) and **10** (300 mg). *Fr. 2* (15 g) was subjected to CC (*MCI*, MeOH/H₂O): *Fr. 2.1* (150 mg) with 25% MeOH (1 l), *Fr. 2.2* (5 g) with 35% MeOH (2 l), and *Fr. 2.3* (6 g) with 45% MeOH (1 l). *Fr. 2.1* (150 mg) was further subjected to CC (*ODS*, 25% MeOH/H₂O (2 l)): **8** (28 mg). *Fr. 2.2* (500 mg) was further subjected to CC (*ODS*, 25% MeOH/H₂O (2 l)): **9** (18 mg) and (–)-epiafzelechin 7-O-β-D-glucopyranoside (55 mg). *Fr. 2.3* (100 mg) was further subjected to CC (*ODS*, 25% MeOH/H₂O (2 l)): urolignoside (30 mg). The CHCl₃-soluble portion (20 g) was subjected to CC (silica gel, CHCl₃/MeOH): *Fr. A* (250 mg) with CHCl₃ (1 l), *Fr. B* (6 g) with CHCl₃/MeOH 100:2 (1 l), and *Fr. C* (1 g) with CHCl₃/MeOH 100:5 (1 l). *Fr. A* (250 mg) was subjected to CC (silica gel, petroleum ether/AcOEt 10:1: concarpan (34 mg). *Fr. B* (6 g) was subjected to CC (silica gel, petroleum ether/acetone): *Fr. A.1* (120 mg) with petroleum ether/acetone 20:1 (1 l) and *Fr. A.2* (90 mg) with petroleum ether/acetone 10:1 (2 l). *Fr. A.1* was further subjected to CC (*Sephadex LH-20*, CHCl₃/MeOH 1:1 (1 l)): 28-hydroxylupen-3-one (11 mg) and stigmast-5-ene-3,7,16-triol (13 mg). *Fr. A.2* (90 mg) was further subjected to CC (*ODS*, 55% MeOH/H₂O (2 l)): eupomatenoid-6 (29 mg).

10-O-Coumaroyl-10-O-deacetylasperuloside (= [(2*aS*,4*aS*,5*S*,7*bS*)-5-(β-D-Glucopyranosyloxy)-2*a*,4*a*,5,7*b*,-tetrahydro-1-oxo-1*H*-2,6-dioxacyclopent[*cd*]inden-4-yl)methyl (2*E*)-3-(4-Hydroxyphenyl)prop-2-enoate; **1**): White powder. M.p. 65–66°. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -96.1$ ($c=0.60$, MeOH). UV (MeOH): 222.8 (3.25), 312.5 (3.08). IR (KBr): 3411, 2923, 1739, 1656, 1604, 1516, 1261, 1168, 1074, 1020, 982, 833. ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR: Table 1. HR-ESI-MS: 519.1510 ($[M+H]^+$, C₂₅H₂₇O₁₂⁺; calc. 519.1502).

10-O-Benzoyl-10-O-deacetylasperuloside (= (2*aS*,4*aS*,5*S*,7*bS*)-4-[(Benzoyloxy)methyl]-5-(β-D-glucopyranosyloxy)-2*a*,4*a*,5,7*b*,-tetrahydro-1*H*-2,6-dioxacyclopent[*cd*]inden-1-one; **2**): White powder. M.p. 78–80°. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -88$ ($c=0.07$, MeOH). UV (MeOH): 202.5 (1.25), 231.0 (1.80). ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR: Table 2. HR-ESI-MS: 499.1211 ($[M+Na]^+$, C₂₃H₂₄NaO₁₁⁺; calc. 499.1216).

10-O-Coumaroyl-10-O-deacetyldaphylloside (= Methyl (1*S*,4*aS*,5*S*,7*aS*)-1-(β-D-Glucopyranosyloxy)-1,4*a*,5,7*a*,-tetrahydro-5-hydroxy-7-[[[(2*E*)-3-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-1-oxoprop-2-enyl]oxy]methyl]cyclopenta[*c*]pyran-4-carboxylate; **3**): White powder. M.p. 67–68°. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +5$ ($c=0.23$, MeOH). UV (MeOH): 225.8 (0.71), 316.5 (0.75). IR (KBr): 3427, 2922, 1695, 1633, 1604, 1516, 1440, 1275, 1169, 1076, 833, 519. ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR: Table 3. HR-ESI-MS: 573.1580 ($[M+Na]^+$, C₂₆H₃₁NaO₁₃⁺; calc. 573.1579).

10-O-Coumaroyl-10-O-deacetyl-11-demethoxy-11-ethoxydaphylloside (= Ethyl (1*S*,4*aS*,5*S*,7*aS*)-1-(β-D-Glucopyranosyloxy)-1,4*a*,5,7*a*,-tetrahydro-5-hydroxy-7-[[[(2*E*)-3-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-1-oxoprop-2-enyl]oxy]methyl]cyclopenta[*c*]pyran-4-carboxylate; **4**): White powder. M.p. 66–68°. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -7$ ($c=0.24$, MeOH). UV (MeOH): 225.0 (0.70), 316.2 (0.74). ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR: Tables 4 and 5. HR-ESI-MS: 563.1770 ($[M-H]^-$, C₂₇H₃₃O₁₃⁻; calc. 563.1765).

10-O-Benzoyl-10-O-deacetyldaphylloside (= Methyl (1*S*,4*aS*,5*S*,7*aS*)-7-[(Benzoyloxy)methyl]-1-(β-D-glucopyranosyloxy)-1,4*a*,5,7*a*,-tetrahydro-5-hydroxycyclopenta[*c*]pyran-4-carboxylate; **5**): White powder. M.p. 65–67°. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = +3$ ($c=0.09$, MeOH). UV (MeOH): 202.0 (0.63), 232.0 (1.36). ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR: Tables 4 and 5. HR-ESI-MS: 509.1663 ($[M+H]^+$, C₂₄H₂₇O₁₂⁺; calc. 509.1659).

10-O-Benzoyl-10-O-deacetyl-11-demethoxy-11-ethoxydaphylloside (= Ethyl (1*S*,4*aS*,5*S*,7*aS*)-7-[(Benzoyloxy)methyl]-1-(β-D-glucopyranosyloxy)-1,4*a*,5,7*a*,-tetrahydro-5-hydroxycyclopenta[*c*]pyran-4-carboxylate; **6**): White powder. M.p. 70–72°. $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -9$ ($c=0.16$, MeOH). UV (MeOH): 204.0 (0.73), 231.8 (1.18). ¹H- and ¹³C-NMR: Tables 4 and 5. HR-ESI-MS: 567.1710 ($[M+COOH]^-$, C₂₆H₃₁O₁₄⁻; calc. 567.1714).

11-Demethoxy-11-ethoxydaphylloside (= Ethyl (1*S*,4*aS*,5*S*,7*aS*)-7-[(Acetyloxy)methyl]-1-(β -D-glucopyranosyloxy)-1,4*a*,5,7*a*-tetrahydro-5-hydroxycyclopenta[*c*]pyran-4-carboxylate; **7**): White powder. M.p. 63–65°. $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -10$ ($c = 0.20$, MeOH). UV (MeOH): 203.0 (0.46), 233.0 (0.53). ^1H - and ^{13}C -NMR: Tables 4 and 5. HR-ESI-MS: 461.1664 ($[M+H]^+$, $\text{C}_{20}\text{H}_{29}\text{O}_{12}^+$; calc. 461.1659).

*2,6-Dimethoxy-4-[(1*E*)-prop-1-enyl]phenyl α -L-Rhamnopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 6)- β -D-glucopyranoside* (**8**): White powder. M.p. 180–182°. $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -37$ ($c = 0.16$, MeOH). UV (MeOH): 216.0 (2.40). ^1H - and ^{13}C -NMR: Table 6. HR-ESI-MS: 503.2124 ($[M+H]^+$, $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{35}\text{O}_{12}^+$; calc. 503.2129).

2,6-Dimethoxy-4-(prop-2-enyl)phenyl α -L-Rhamnopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 6)- β -D-glucopyranoside (**9**): White powder. M.p. 206–207°. $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{20} = -62$ ($c = 0.26$, MeOH). UV (MeOH): 217.0 (2.40). ^1H - and ^{13}C -NMR: Table 6. HR-ESI-MS: 503.2124 ($[M+H]^+$, $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{35}\text{O}_{12}^+$; calc. 503.2129).

Acid Hydrolysis of Compounds 1–9 [10]. A compound **1–9** (4 mg) in 10% HCl soln./dioxane (1:1, (1 ml) was heated separately at 80° for 4 h in a water bath. The mixture was neutralized with Ag_2CO_3 , filtered, and then extracted with CHCl_3 (3×1 ml). The H_2O layer was evaporated and the residue (monosaccharide portion) examined by TLC ($\text{CHCl}_3/\text{MeOH}/\text{H}_2\text{O}$ 55:45:10) and compared with authentic samples.

Determination of the Sugar Components [10]. The monosaccharide units were obtained by hydrochloric acid hydrolysis as described above. The sugar residue was then dissolved in of H_2O (2 ml), NaBH_4 (15 mg) was added, and the mixture was left to stand for 2 h at r.t. Several drops of 25% AcOH were added until the pH value was 4–5. After co-distillation with MeOH to remove the extra boric acid and H_2O , the resulting product was dried overnight in a vacuum desiccator and then heated at 110° for 15 min to further remove H_2O . Next, Ac_2O (3 ml) was added and the soln. kept at 100° for 1 h. Then the soln. was cooled and co-distilled with toluene several times. The acetate derivative was dissolved in CHCl_3 and the soln. washed with dist. H_2O , dried (Na_2SO_4), and then concentrated to 0.1 ml. The acetate derivatives were subjected to GC (column temp. 210°; injection temp. 250°; carrier gas N_2 , flow rate 25 ml/min): t_{R} 17.38 min for derivative of D-glucose and 4.85 min for derivative of L-rhamnose.

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