

## Three New Monoterpene Glucosides from *Lamium amplexicaule*

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Three new monoterpene glucosides, lamiumplexosides A–C (**1–3**), along with thirteen known glucosides, were isolated from the whole plant of *Lamium amplexicaule* L. The structures of **1–3** were elucidated on the basis of spectroscopic, chemical, and physicochemical evidence.

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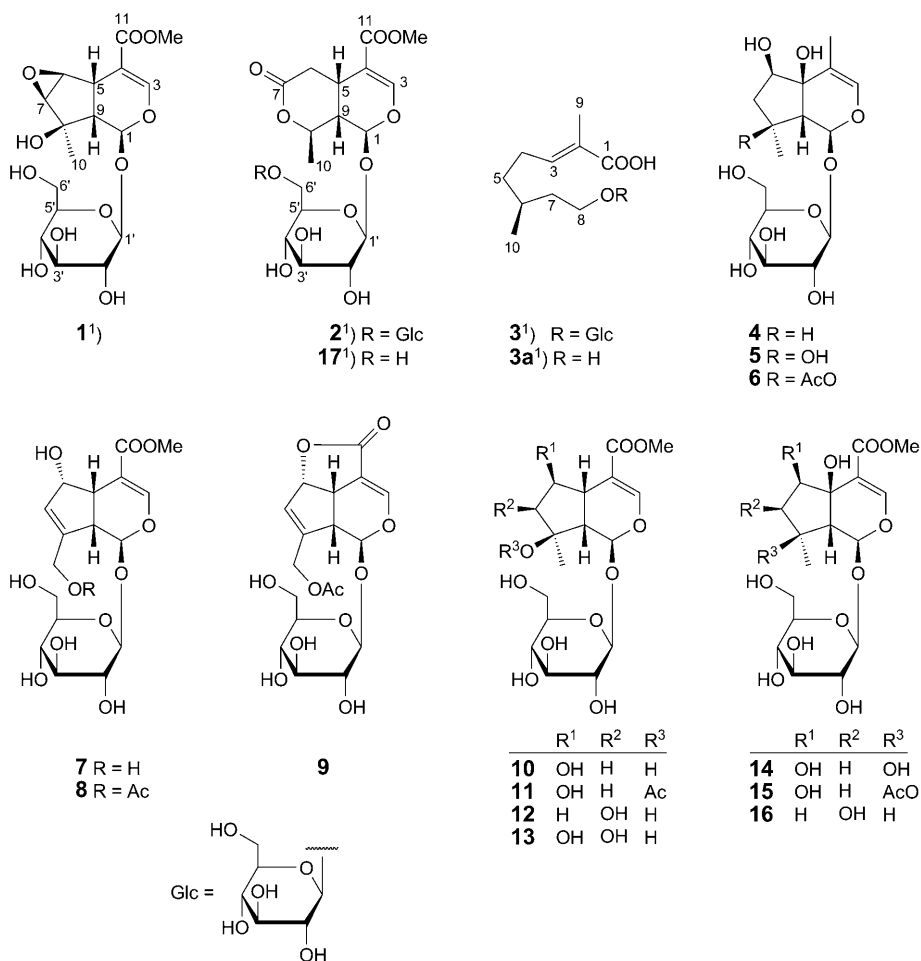
**Introduction.** – The genus *Lamium* L. (Labiatae) comprises about 40 species of annuals and perennials occurring from North Africa to Eurasia [1]. In a previous paper, we reported the isolation and structural elucidation of iridoid glucosides and phenylethanoid glucosides from the whole plant of *L. purpureum* L. [2]. As a part of our continuing studies on the glucosides of the genus *Lamium* plants, we examined the constituents of glucosides of *L. amplexicaule* L. There are reports of the isolation of iridoid glucosides [3–8] and flavonoid glucosides [9] from this plant. Careful reinvestigation of a MeOH extract of the whole plant of *L. amplexicaule* led to the isolation of three new glucosides, lamiumplexosides A–C<sup>1)</sup> (**1–3**, resp.), together with the thirteen known glucosides **4–16**. This article deals with the isolation and structural elucidation of the new compounds.

**Results and Discussion.** – The whole plant of *L. amplexicaule* was extracted with MeOH. The MeOH extract was partitioned between H<sub>2</sub>O and CHCl<sub>3</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>O and AcOEt, and H<sub>2</sub>O and BuOH. The BuOH-soluble fraction was subjected to column chromatography (silica gel and *Sephadex LH-20*) and prep. HPLC to afford a new compound, named lamiumplexoside A (**1**), and nine known compounds, **4**, **6–8**, **10–13**, and **15**. The H<sub>2</sub>O-soluble fraction was subjected to column chromatography (*Diaion HP-20* and silica gel) and prep. HPLC to afford two new compounds, named lamiumplexoside B (**2**) and lamiumplexoside C (**3**), and four known compounds, **5**, **9**, **14**, and **16**.

Lamiumplexoside A (**1**) was obtained as an amorphous powder. The molecular formula of **1** was determined as C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>24</sub>O<sub>11</sub> based on the positive-mode HR-FAB-MS (*m/z* 405.1384 ([*M* + H]<sup>+</sup>)). Acid hydrolysis of **1** gave D-glucose, which was identified by its retention time and optical rotation by means of chiral detection by HPLC. The <sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectrum of **1** in CD<sub>3</sub>OD (*Table 1*) exhibited signals due to one Me ( $\delta$ (H) 1.23 (*s*)), two CH, one MeO ( $\delta$ (H) 3.73 (*s*)), and three CH–O groups ( $\delta$ (H) 3.19 (*d*,

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<sup>1)</sup> Arbitrary atom numbering; for systematic names, see *Exper. Part*.



$J = 3.2$  Hz), 3.81 (*dd*,  $J = 3.2, 1.2$  Hz), and 5.69 (*s*) and one C=C–H moiety. Furthermore, one anomeric signal ( $\delta(\text{H})$  4.60 (*d*,  $J = 8.1$  Hz)) was recognized. The coupling constant of an anomeric signal indicated that the glucosyl linkage is in  $\beta$ -configuration. The  $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR spectrum of **1** in  $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$  (Table 1) showed signals due one O-bearing, quaternary,  $\text{sp}^3$ -type C-atom ( $\delta(\text{C})$  77.8) and one C=O group ( $\delta(\text{C})$  168.6). The  $^1\text{H}, ^1\text{H}$ -COSY data of **1** (Fig. 1) implied connectivities of H–C(5) to H–C(6), of H–C(5) to H–C(9), and of H–C(6) to H–C(7). The HMBC spectrum (Fig. 1) showed the correlations H–C(1)/C(3) and C(1'), H–C(3)/C(4), C(5), and C(11), H–C(9)/C(1), Me(10)/C(7), C(8), and C(9), and MeO/C(11). According to the molecular formula of **1**, there were six degrees of unsaturation. One C=O group, one C=C–H moiety, an iridoid skeleton, and one  $\beta$ -Glc unit accounted for five of those. The remaining degree of unsaturation was assumed to be due to an epoxide ring formed between C(6) and C(7), as inferred from the  $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR data ( $\delta(\text{C})$  57.8 (C(6))

Table 1.  $^1\text{H}$ - and  $^{13}\text{C}$ -NMR (400 and 100 MHz, resp.) Data of Compound **1** in  $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ .  $\delta$  in ppm,  $J$  in Hz.

	$\delta(\text{H})$	$\delta(\text{C})$
H–C(1)	5.69 (s)	94.3
H–C(3)	7.47 (s)	154.1
C(4)		107.4
H–C(5)	3.24 (dd, $J=8.8, 1.2$ )	33.0
H–C(6)	3.81 (dd, $J=3.2, 1.2$ )	57.8
H–C(7)	3.19 (d, $J=3.2$ )	63.4
C(8)		77.8
H–C(9)	2.27 (d, $J=8.8$ )	46.5
Me(10)	1.23 (s)	21.4
C(11)		168.6
H–C(1')	4.60 (d, $J=8.1$ )	99.8
H–C(2')	3.14 (dd, $J=9.0, 8.1$ )	74.6
H–C(3')	<sup>a)</sup>	78.0
H–C(4')	<sup>a)</sup>	71.6
H–C(5')	<sup>a)</sup>	78.4
$\text{CH}_2(6')$	3.65 (dd, $J=12.0, 5.6$ ), 3.87 (dd, $J=12.0, 2.0$ )	62.8
MeO–C(11)	3.73 (s)	51.8

<sup>a)</sup> Overlapped by the solvent signal.

and 63.4 (C(7))) [10]. Therefore, the constitution of **1** was deduced. The relative configuration of **1** was determined as follows. In the  $^1\text{H}$ -NMR spectrum, the coupling constant ( $J=8.8$  Hz) between  $\text{H}_\beta\text{-C}(5)$  and  $\text{H}_\beta\text{-C}(9)$  indicates the *cis* relationship of these H-atoms, and that ( $J=1.2$  Hz) between  $\text{H}_\beta\text{-C}(5)$  and  $\text{H}_\alpha\text{-C}(6)$  indicates the *trans* relationship of these H-atoms, *i.e.*,  $\beta$ -orientation of the epoxide ring (Fig. 2) [11]. In an NOE experiment, irradiation of Me(10) enhanced the signals of  $\text{H}_\alpha\text{-C}(1)$  (4.31%) and  $\text{H}_\alpha\text{-C}(7)$  (4.46%). These observations revealed that the  $\beta$ -D-glucopyranosyloxy group at C(1) and the OH group at C(8) are on the same face ( $\beta$ ) of the ring system (Fig. 2). From these data, the structure of **1** was elucidated as *rel*-(1*aR*,1*bR*,5-*R*,5*aR*,6*S*,6*aR*)-5-( $\beta$ -D-glucopyranosyloxy)-1*a*,1*b*,5,5*a*,6,6*a*-hexahydro-6-hydroxy-6-methyloxireno[3,4]cyclopenta[1,2-*c*]pyran-2-carboxylic acid methyl ester, the absolute configuration of which remains to be established.

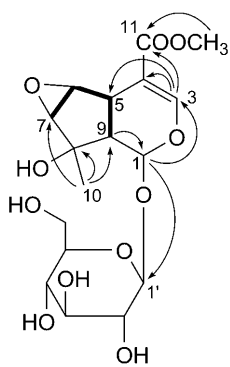
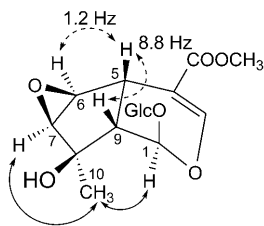


Fig. 1.  $^1\text{H}$ ,  $^1\text{H}$ -COSY (—) and HMBC (H  $\rightarrow$  C) of **1**

Fig. 2. Selected coupling constant ( $\leftarrow \text{---} \rightarrow$ ) and NOEs ( $\leftrightarrow$ ) of **1**<sup>1</sup>

Lamiauamplexoside B (**2**) was obtained as an amorphous powder. The molecular formula of **2** was determined as  $C_{23}H_{34}O_{16}$  based on the positive-mode HR-FAB-MS ( $m/z$  589.1744 ( $[M + Na]^+$ )). The  $^{13}C$ -NMR spectrum of **2** in  $CD_3OD$  (Table 2) was similar to that of 8-epikingiside (= (1*R*,4*aS*,8*S*,8*aS*)-8-( $\beta$ -D-glucopyranosyloxy)-4,4*a*,8,8*a*-tetrahydro-1-methyl-3-oxo-1*H*,3*H*-pyrano[3,4-*c*]pyran-5-carboxylic acid methyl ester; **17**) (see Table 2) [12][13], except for the presence of an additional hexosyl moiety and a difference in the chemical shift of  $CH_2(6')$  ( $\delta(C)$  70.8 ( $\Delta\delta = +8.0$ )) due to glucosylation [14]. Acid hydrolysis of **2** gave only D-glucose, as described above for **1**. In the  $^1H$ -NMR spectrum of **2** in  $CD_3OD$  (Table 2), two

Table 2.  $^1H$ - and  $^{13}C$ -NMR (600 and 150 MHz, resp.) Data of Compounds **2**<sup>1</sup>, and  $^{13}C$ -NMR (150 MHz) Data of Compound **17**<sup>1</sup>) in  $CD_3OD$ .  $\delta$  in ppm,  $J$  in Hz.

	<b>2</b>		<b>17</b>
	$\delta(H)$	$\delta(C)$	$\delta(C)$
H–C(1)	5.48 ( <i>d</i> , $J = 8.1$ )	96.9	96.2
H–C(3)	7.58 ( <i>d</i> , $J = 1.1$ )	154.5	154.4
C(4)		109.4	109.5
H–C(5)	3.06 ( <i>ddd</i> , $J = 11.7, 7.0, 3.7$ )	28.3	28.1
$CH_2(6)$	2.54 ( <i>dd</i> , $J = 16.5, 11.7, H_\alpha$ ), 2.86 ( <i>dd</i> , $J = 16.5, 3.7, H_\beta$ )	34.9	34.6
C(7)		175.0	174.7
H–C(8)	4.53 ( <i>dq</i> , $J = 7.7, 6.6$ )	75.9	75.7
H–C(9)	2.13 ( <i>ddd</i> , $J = 8.1, 7.7, 7.0$ )	41.9	41.8
Me(10)	1.51 ( <i>d</i> , $J = 6.6$ )	21.9	21.7
C(11)		168.4	168.3
H–C(1')	4.70 ( <i>d</i> , $J = 8.1$ )	101.2	100.6
H–C(2')	3.16 ( <i>dd</i> , $J = 9.2, 8.1$ )	74.7	74.6
H–C(3')	<sup>a)</sup>	78.0	78.4
H–C(4')	<sup>a)</sup>	71.9	71.6
H–C(5')	<sup>a)</sup>	77.4	77.8
$CH_2(6')$	3.72 ( <i>dd</i> , $J = 11.7, 5.9$ ), 4.20 ( <i>dd</i> , $J = 11.7, 2.2$ )	70.8	62.8
H–C(1'')	4.30 ( <i>d</i> , $J = 8.1$ )	105.6	
H–C(2'')	3.18 ( <i>dd</i> , $J = 9.2, 8.1$ )	75.2	
H–C(3'')	<sup>a)</sup>	77.9	
H–C(4'')	<sup>a)</sup>	71.6	
H–C(5'')	<sup>a)</sup>	78.0	
$CH_2(6'')$	3.65 ( <i>dd</i> , $J = 11.7, 5.9$ ), 3.86 ( <i>dd</i> , $J = 11.5, 1.5$ )	62.8	
MeO–C(11)	3.72 ( <i>s</i> )	52.0	52.0

<sup>a)</sup> Overlapped by the solvent signal.

anomeric signals ( $\delta(\text{H})$  4.30 ( $d, J = 8.1$  Hz) and 4.70 ( $d, J = 8.1$  Hz)) were recognized. The coupling constants of the latter indicated that the glucosyl linkages are in  $\beta$ -configuration. Consequently, the structure of **2** was elucidated as *rel*-(1*R*,4*aS*,8*S*,8*aS*)-8-[(6-*O*- $\beta$ -D-glucopyranosyl- $\beta$ -D-glucopyranosyl)oxy]-4,4*a*,8,8*a*-tetrahydro-1-methyl-3-oxo-1*H*,3*H*-pyrano[3,4-*c*]pyran-5-carboxylic acid methyl ester. The absolute configuration of **2** could not be determined yet.

Lamiuamplexoside C (**3**) was obtained as an amorphous powder. The negative-mode FAB-MS of **3** showed a quasimolecular ion at  $m/z$  347 ( $[M - \text{H}]^-$ ). The  $^1\text{H-NMR}$  spectrum of **3** in  $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$  (Table 3) exhibited signals due to two Me ( $\delta(\text{H})$  0.93 ( $d, J = 6.4$  Hz) and 1.84 ( $d, J = 1.2$  Hz)), one CH, three  $\text{CH}_2$ , and one  $\text{CH}_2\text{-O}$  group ( $\delta(\text{H})$  3.59–3.63 ( $m$ ) and 3.91–3.95 ( $m$ )) and one  $\text{C}=\text{C-H}$  moiety. Furthermore, one anomeric signal ( $\delta(\text{H})$  4.24 ( $d, J = 7.8$  Hz)) was recognized. The coupling constant of the latter indicated that the glucosyl linkage is in  $\beta$ -configuration. The  $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$  spectrum of **3** in  $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$  (Table 3) showed signals due one  $\beta$ -Glc unit and one  $\text{C}=\text{O}$  group ( $\delta(\text{C})$  169.8). The  $^1\text{H},^1\text{H-COSY}$  data of **3** (Fig. 3) implied connectivities of  $\text{H-C}(3)$  to  $\text{CH}_2(4)$ , of  $\text{CH}_2(4)$  to  $\text{CH}_2(5)$ , of  $\text{CH}_2(5)$  to  $\text{H-C}(6)$ , of  $\text{H-C}(6)$  to  $\text{CH}_2(7)$ , of  $\text{H-C}(6)$  to Me(10), and of  $\text{CH}_2(7)$  to  $\text{CH}_2(8)$ . The HMBC spectrum (Fig. 3) showed the correlations Me(9)/C(1), C(2), and C(3) and  $\text{H-C}(1')/C(8)$ . The  $\text{C}=\text{C}$  bond between C(2) and C(3) was (*E*)-configured, based on a NOESY cross-peak between  $\text{CH}_2(4)$  and Me(9) (Fig. 3). On enzymatic hydrolysis with cellulose and  $\beta$ -glucosidase (*ca.* 3:1), **3** yielded (*2E,6S*)-8-hydroxy-2,6-dimethyloct-2-enoic acid (**3a**) [15] and D-glucose, which was identified as described above for **1**. The absolute configuration at C(6) of **3a** was determined as (*S*) by comparison of the optical-rotation values with those reported in the literature [15]. Thus, the structure of **3** was elucidated as (*2E,6S*)-8-( $\beta$ -D-glucopyranosyloxy)-2,6-dimethyloct-2-enoic acid. The

Table 3.  $^1\text{H-}$  and  $^{13}\text{C-NMR}$  (400 and 100 MHz, resp.) Data of Compound **3**<sup>1</sup>) in  $\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$ .  $\delta$  in ppm,  $J$  in Hz.

	$\delta(\text{H})$	$\delta(\text{C})$
C(1)		169.8
C(2)		129.0
H-C(3)	6.81 ( <i>ddq</i> , $J = 7.6, 7.6, 1.2$ )	143.6
$\text{CH}_2(4)$	2.18–2.25 ( <i>m</i> )	27.1
$\text{CH}_2(5)$	1.24–1.31 ( <i>m</i> ), 1.47–1.53 ( <i>m</i> )	36.9
H-C(6)	1.67–1.72 ( <i>m</i> )	30.5
$\text{CH}_2(7)$	1.43–1.46 ( <i>m</i> ), 1.63–1.66 ( <i>m</i> )	37.6
$\text{CH}_2(8)$	3.59–3.63 ( <i>m</i> ), 3.91–3.95 ( <i>m</i> )	68.8
Me(9)	1.84 ( $d, J = 1.2$ )	12.6
Me(10)	0.93 ( $d, J = 6.4$ )	19.9
H-C(1')	4.24 ( $d, J = 7.8$ )	104.3
H-C(2')	3.16 ( <i>dd</i> , $J = 9.0, 7.8$ )	75.2
H-C(3')	<sup>a)</sup>	77.9
H-C(4')	<sup>a)</sup>	71.7
H-C(5')	<sup>a)</sup>	78.2
$\text{CH}_2(6')$	3.66 ( <i>dd</i> , $J = 12.0, 5.4$ ), 3.86 ( <i>dd</i> , $J = 12.0, 2.0$ )	62.9

<sup>a)</sup> Overlapped by the solvent signal.

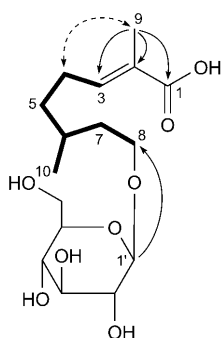


Fig. 3.  $^1\text{H},^1\text{H}$ -COSY (—), HMBC (H→C), and NOESY (· · · · ·) Correlations of **3**)

corresponding compound with (6*R*) configuration has been already reported from the dried stems of *Cistanche tubulosa* (SCHRENK) R. WIGHT (Orobanchaceae) [16].

In addition to the three new glucosides, the other thirteen known glucosides, 8-deoxylamiol (**4**) [17], lamiol (**5**) [3], lamioside (**6**) [7], 6*α*-hydroxygeniposide (**7**) [18], daphylloside (**8**) [19], asperuloside (**9**) [20], shanzhiside methyl ester (**10**) [7], barlerin (**11**) [7], caryoptoside (**12**) [21], lamalbid (**13**) [7], 6*β*-hydroxyipolamide (**14**) [22], phlorigidoside B (**15**) [23], and 5-hydroxy-8-epiloganin (**16**) [24], were identified on the basis of their optical-rotation values and NMR and MS data. This is the first report of compounds **4**, **7**, **8**, **12**, **14**, **15**, and **16** from *L. amplexicaule*.

Iridoid monoglucosides with COOMe or Me groups at C(4) are considered as chemotaxonomic markers for *Lamium* species [1][25][26]. The co-occurrence of lamiamplexoside A (**1**) with shanzhiside methyl ester (**10**) and caryoptoside (**12**) in this plant suggests that the former compound plays a role as a precursor for the formation of the latter compounds [27]. Lamiamplexoside B (**2**), with a gentiobiosyl moiety, is the first secoiridoid diglucoside isolated from this genus. Also, lamiamplexoside C (**3**) is the first acyclic monoterpenoid glucoside isolated from this genus.

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### Experimental Part

*General.* Column chromatography (CC): silica gel (SiO<sub>2</sub>; 70–230 mesh; Merck), Diaion HP-20 (250–300 μm; Mitsubishi Chemical Corporation), and Sephadex LH-20 (18–111 μm; GE Healthcare Bio-Sciences AB). HPLC: CCPM pump (Tosoh), UV-8020 UV/VIS detector (Tosoh), and Jasco-OR-2090 plus chiral detector; *t<sub>R</sub>* in min. Optical rotations: Jasco-DIP-360 digital polarimeter. UV Spectra: Beckman-DU-64 spectrophotometer;  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  (log  $\epsilon$ ) in nm. NMR Spectra: Jeol-JNM-LA 600 ( $^1\text{H}$  at 600 and  $^{13}\text{C}$  at 150 MHz) and Jeol-JNM-LA 400 ( $^1\text{H}$  at 400 and  $^{13}\text{C}$  at 100 MHz) spectrometers; chemical shifts  $\delta$  in ppm rel. to Me<sub>4</sub>Si, *J* in Hz. FAB-MS: Jeol-JMS-DX-303 mass spectrometer; glycerol as matrix; in *m/z*.

*Plant Material.* The whole plants of *Lamium amplexicaule* were collected in Sendai City, Miyagi Prefecture, Japan, in April 2007. A voucher specimen (LA-2007-01) was deposited with the Laboratory of Molecular Structural Analysis, Tohoku Pharmaceutical University.

*Extraction and Isolation.* The fresh whole plants (including roots, stems, leaves, and flowers) of *Lamium amplexicaule* (900 g) were extracted three times (14 d each time) with MeOH (3 l) at r.t. The MeOH extract was filtered and concentrated, and the residue (21.0 g) was suspended in H<sub>2</sub>O (1 l). This suspension was extracted with CHCl<sub>3</sub> (3 × 1 l), AcOEt (3 × 1 l), and BuOH (3 × 1 l).

The BuOH-soluble fraction was concentrated to afford a residue (8.0 g), which was subjected to CC (SiO<sub>2</sub>, CHCl<sub>3</sub>/MeOH/H<sub>2</sub>O 30:10:1): *Fractions 1–16* (by TLC). *Fr. 3*, on prep. HPLC (TSKgel-ODS-120T column (300 × 7.8 mm, 10 μm; Tosoh), MeOH/H<sub>2</sub>O 1:2, 1.5 ml/min) gave **8** (10.0 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 22.8), **15** (0.4 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 30.4), and **11** (23.3 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 40.0). *Fr. 4* was purified by CC (Sephadex LH-20, MeOH/H<sub>2</sub>O 1:1): **6** (28.9 mg). *Fr. 6*, on prep. HPLC (TSKgel-Amide-80 column (300 × 7.8 mm, 10 μm; Tosoh), MeCN/H<sub>2</sub>O 9:1, 1.5 ml/min) gave **1** (2.6 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 26.0), **4** (3.1 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 35.6), **10** (8.1 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 37.4), and **7/12** (*t<sub>R</sub>* 39.6). The mixture **7/12**, on prep. HPLC (TSKgel-ODS-120T column (300 × 7.8 mm, 10 μm; Tosoh), MeOH/H<sub>2</sub>O 1:2, 1.5 ml/min) gave **7** (0.3 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 9.0) and **12** (0.7 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 12.8). *Fr. 9* was purified by CC (Sephadex LH-20, MeOH/H<sub>2</sub>O 1:1) to afford **13** (52.6 mg).

The H<sub>2</sub>O-soluble fraction was passed through a Diaion HP-20 column, and the adsorbed material was eluted with H<sub>2</sub>O and MeOH. The MeOH eluate was concentrated to afford a residue (2.1 g), which was subjected to CC (SiO<sub>2</sub>, CHCl<sub>3</sub>/MeOH/H<sub>2</sub>O 30:10:1): *Fractions 1–14* (by TLC). *Fr. 2*, on prep. HPLC (TSKgel-ODS-120T column (300 × 7.8 mm, 10 μm; Tosoh), MeOH/H<sub>2</sub>O 1:4, 1.5 ml/min) gave **9** (2.4 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 28.7). *Fr. 4*, on prep. HPLC (TSKgel-ODS-120T column (300 × 7.8 mm, 10 μm; Tosoh), MeOH/H<sub>2</sub>O 1:3, 1.5 ml/min) gave **5** (1.0 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 14.0), **14** (4.8 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 16.4), **2** (1.0 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 15.4), and **16** (1.1 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 21.8). *Fr. 10*, on prep. HPLC (TSKgel-ODS-120T column (300 × 7.8 mm, 10 μm; Tosoh), MeOH/H<sub>2</sub>O 1:3, 1.0 ml/min) gave **3** (2.3 mg, *t<sub>R</sub>* 12.2).

*Lamiuamplexoside A* (= rel-(1aR,1bR,5R,5aR,6S,6aR)-5-(β-D-Glucopyranosyloxy)-1a,1b,5,5a,6,6a-hexahydro-6-hydroxy-6-methyloxireno[3,4]cyclopenta[1,2-c]pyran-2-carboxylic Acid Methyl Ester; **1**): Amorphous powder.  $[\alpha]_D^{25} = -75.3$  (*c* = 0.26, MeOH). UV (MeOH): 231 (3.9). <sup>1</sup>H- and <sup>13</sup>C-NMR: Table 1. FAB-MS (pos.): 405 ([*M* + H]<sup>+</sup>). HR-FAB-MS (pos.): 405.1384 ([*M* + H]<sup>+</sup>, C<sub>17</sub>H<sub>25</sub>O<sub>11</sub><sup>+</sup>; calc. 405.1397).

*Lamiuamplexoside B* (= rel-(1R,4aS,8S,8aS)-8-[(6-O-β-D-Glucopyranosyl-β-D-glucopyranosyl)-oxy]-4,4a,8,8a-tetrahydro-1-methyl-3-oxo-1H,3H-pyrano[3,4-c]pyran-5-carboxylic Acid Methyl Ester; **2**): Amorphous powder.  $[\alpha]_D^{19} = -58.2$  (*c* = 0.10, MeOH). UV (MeOH): 231 (3.9). <sup>1</sup>H- and <sup>13</sup>C-NMR: Table 2. FAB-MS (pos.): 589 ([*M* + Na]<sup>+</sup>). HR-FAB-MS (pos.): 589.1744 ([*M* + Na]<sup>+</sup>, C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>34</sub>NaO<sub>16</sub><sup>+</sup>; calc. 589.1744).

*Lamiuamplexoside C* (= (2E,6S)-8-(β-D-Glucopyranosyloxy)-2,6-dimethyloct-2-enoic Acid; **3**): Amorphous powder.  $[\alpha]_D^{22} = -19.5$  (*c* = 0.23, MeOH). <sup>1</sup>H- and <sup>13</sup>C-NMR: Table 3. FAB-MS (neg.): 347 ([*M* – H]<sup>–</sup>).

*Acid Hydrolysis of 1 and 2*. Each of the compounds **1** and **2** (ca. 0.3 mg) was refluxed with 5% HCl soln. for 5 h. The mixture was neutralized with Ag<sub>2</sub>CO<sub>3</sub> and filtered. The soln. was concentrated and dried to give a sugar fraction. The sugar fraction was analyzed by HPLC (Shodex-SUGAR-KS-801 column (300 × 8.0 mm; Showa Denko), H<sub>2</sub>O, 1.0 ml/min, chiral detection): *t<sub>R</sub>* 7.5 (D-glucose, pos. optical rotation).

*Enzymatic Hydrolysis of 3*. Compound **3** (2.3 mg) was treated with cellulase (from *Aspergillus niger*, 0.39 units/mg; Sigma Chemical Corporation; 3.0 mg) and β-glucosidase (from almond, 5.5 units/mg; Sigma Chemical Corporation; 1.0 mg) in an AcOH/AcONa buffer soln. (0.02M, pH 4.6; 5.0 ml). The mixture was stirred at 37° for 3 d, then extracted with an equal amount of AcOEt (3 ×), and the AcOEt layer was concentrated. The residue was dried to give the aglycone **3a**, which was identified as (2E,6S)-8-hydroxy-2,6-dimethyloct-2-enoic acid by the optical-rotation value ( $[\alpha]_D^{20} = -10.0$  (*c* = 0.10, MeOH)) and <sup>1</sup>H-NMR data [15]. The sugar fraction, obtained by concentration of the aq. layer, was analyzed by HPLC (Shodex-SUGAR-KS-801 column (300 × 8.0 mm; Showa Denko), H<sub>2</sub>O, 1.0 ml/min, chiral detection): *t<sub>R</sub>* 7.5 (D-glucose, pos. optical rotation).

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