

## Structure and Cytotoxicity of Diterpenoids from *Isodon adenolomus*

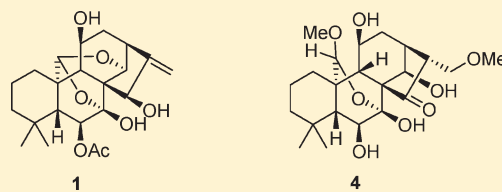
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**S** Supporting Information

**ABSTRACT:** Twelve new diterpenoids, isoadenolins A–L (**1**–**12**), and 24 known ones were isolated from the aerial parts of *Isodon adenolomus*. Their structures were identified using spectroscopic data, and the absolute configurations of **1** and **14** were determined by single-crystal X-ray diffraction. Selected compounds were evaluated for their in vitro cytotoxicity against human tumor HL-60, SMMC-7721, A-549, MCF-7, and SW-480 cell lines. Compounds **9**, **13**–**16**, and **21** showed significant inhibitory effects on all five cells, with IC<sub>50</sub> values in the range 0.7–9.7 μM.



The genus *Isodon* includes about 150 species and is a cosmopolitan and important genus of the family Lamiaceae. It has been reported to contain many diterpenoids with diverse structures, and interesting antibacterial, anti-inflammatory, and antitumor activities have been reported.<sup>1</sup> Over the past 30 years more than 60 *Isodon* species from China have been phytochemically investigated by our group, and the structures of more than 600 new diterpenoids (mainly *ent*-kauranoids) isolated and elucidated.<sup>2</sup>

*Isodon adenolomus* (Hand-Mazz.) H. Hara (Lamiaceae), a perennial herb, is distributed mainly in the southeast of China.<sup>3</sup> Our previous investigations of this species led to the discovery of seven *ent*-kauranoids.<sup>4,5</sup> Since the secondary metabolites of the genus *Isodon* often differ when grown in different ecological environments,<sup>6–11</sup> the aerial parts of this plant were collected in the Shangrila region of Yunnan Province, P. R. China, which had not been studied before. Investigation of this material has led to the isolation of 12 new *ent*-kaurane diterpenoids, isoadenolins A–L (**1**–**12**), and 24 known analogues. This paper reports the isolation, structure elucidation, and cytotoxic evaluation of selected compounds.

### RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

The 70% aqueous acetone extract of air-dried and powdered aerial parts of *I. adenolomus* was partitioned between EtOAc and H<sub>2</sub>O, and the EtOAc solubles were subjected to silica gel, MCI CHP-20 gel, Sephadex LH-20, and Lichroprep RP-18 gel column chromatography (CC) and semipreparative HPLC. The procedure yielded 12 new *ent*-kaurane diterpenoids, which we have named isoadenolins A–L (**1**–**12**), and 24 known compounds. The known compounds were identified as lasiokaurin (**13**),<sup>12</sup> xerophilusin N (**14**),<sup>13</sup> effusanin B (**15**),<sup>14</sup> longikaurin E (**16**),<sup>15</sup> xerophilusin J (**17**),<sup>16</sup> lasiokaurinin (**18**),<sup>17</sup> macrocalin B (**19**),<sup>18</sup>

ponicidin (**20**),<sup>19</sup> xerophilusin B (**21**),<sup>20</sup> adenolin B,<sup>21</sup> adenolin D,<sup>21</sup> adenolin C,<sup>21</sup> adenolin A,<sup>21</sup> longikaurin A,<sup>22</sup> lasiodonin acetone,<sup>23</sup> rabdoterin A,<sup>24</sup> rabdoterin E,<sup>25</sup> phyllostacin I,<sup>26</sup> nervosanin A,<sup>27</sup> lasiokaurinol,<sup>17</sup> xerophilusin XII,<sup>13</sup> longikaurin F,<sup>15</sup> longikaurin D,<sup>15</sup> and adenolin E.<sup>4</sup> The structures of the known compounds were determined by comparing spectroscopic data with literature values, and the absolute configurations of **1** and **14** were determined by X-ray analysis (CCDC 808511 and 808512, respectively).

Compound **1** was isolated as colorless crystals. Its molecular formula was determined as C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>30</sub>O<sub>7</sub> from the positive HRESIMS quasi-molecular ion peak at *m/z* 429.1885 [M + Na]<sup>+</sup>, requiring eight degrees of unsaturation. The IR spectrum showed absorptions at 3415 and 1639 cm<sup>-1</sup>, which were attributed to OH and C=C functional groups, respectively. The <sup>13</sup>C NMR and DEPT spectroscopic data (Table 1) exhibited 22 carbon signals, consisting of two methyls, five methylenes (including an olefinic one), eight methines (five oxygenated), five quaternary carbons (one oxygenated), and an acetyl group. Signals characteristic of a hemiketal quaternary carbon ( $\delta_C$  100.5, C-7) and two significant oxygenated methines ( $\delta_C$  97.7, C-20, and  $\delta_C$  71.3, C-14) indicated that **1** was a 7 $\alpha$ ,20:14 $\alpha$ ,20-diepoxy-*ent*-kaurane diterpenoid, which was confirmed by the HMBC correlations from H-20 to C-1, C-7, C-10, and C-14 (Figure 1). HMBC correlations from H-11 ( $\delta_H$  4.33) to C-8, C-9, and C-13 and from H-15 ( $\delta_H$  5.29) to C-7, C-9, and C-17 permitted the assignment of OH groups at C-11 and C-15, respectively, while HMBC correlations from H-6 ( $\delta_H$  5.55) to the acetyl carbonyl ( $\delta_C$  170.4) led to the location of an acetyl group at C-6.

In the ROESY spectrum, H-6 showed correlation to H<sub>3</sub>-19 $\alpha$ , H-11 correlated to H-12 $\alpha$ , and H-15 correlated to H-13 $\alpha$  and

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Table 1.  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR Spectroscopic Data for Isoadenolins A–L (1–12) ( $\delta$  in ppm)

position	1 <sup>a,b</sup>	2 <sup>a,d</sup>	3 <sup>a,b</sup>	4 <sup>a,c</sup>	5 <sup>a,b</sup>	6 <sup>a,b</sup>	7 <sup>a,c</sup>	8 <sup>a,c</sup>	9 <sup>a,b</sup>	10 <sup>a,c</sup>	11 <sup>a,b</sup>	12 <sup>a,b</sup>
1	28.4 CH <sub>2</sub>	74.9 CH	72.0 CH	29.6 CH <sub>2</sub>	31.1 CH <sub>2</sub>	31.1 CH <sub>2</sub>	29.5 CH <sub>2</sub>	76.4 CH	74.2 CH	74.2 CH	74.3 CH	75.2 CH
2	18.9 CH <sub>2</sub>	26.6 CH <sub>2</sub>	30.2 CH <sub>2</sub>	18.7 CH <sub>2</sub>	18.9 CH <sub>2</sub>	18.6 CH <sub>2</sub>	18.7 CH <sub>2</sub>	26.1 CH <sub>2</sub>	24.8 CH <sub>2</sub>	24.8 CH <sub>2</sub>	25.0 CH <sub>2</sub>	26.0 CH <sub>2</sub>
3	41.0 CH <sub>2</sub>	39.4 CH <sub>2</sub>	39.9 CH <sub>2</sub>	41.3 CH <sub>2</sub>	41.6 CH <sub>2</sub>	41.2 CH <sub>2</sub>	41.1 CH <sub>2</sub>	39.4 CH <sub>2</sub>	38.9 CH <sub>2</sub>	38.8 CH <sub>2</sub>	38.6 CH <sub>2</sub>	38.6 CH <sub>2</sub>
4	33.7 C	33.9 C	33.5 C	34.2 C	34.2 C	34.1 C	34.2 C	32.9 C	33.5 C	33.5 C	33.7 C	34.3 C
5	61.7 CH	63.6 CH	63.4 CH	61.8 CH	58.6 CH	55.9 CH	58.2 CH	59.4 CH	52.5 CH	52.3 CH	51.5 CH	55.4 CH
6	72.6 CH	73.0 CH	72.9 CH	74.4 CH	73.8 CH	74.4 CH	73.5 CH	74.3 CH	75.2 CH	75.0 CH	73.6 CH	72.1 CH
7	100.5 C	102.2 C	101.9 C	99.7 C	101.4 C	100.0 C	101.2 C	99.9 C	96.7 C	99.4 C	100.4 C	107.4 C
8	50.8 C	56.2 C	57.7 C	63.2 C	53.9 C	53.9 C	53.5 C	62.6 C	61.3 C	64.7 C	56.1 C	53.6 C
9	48.4 CH	45.1 CH	44.6 C	54.8 CH	52.0 CH	51.8 CH	47.6 CH	54.7 CH	143.1 C	139.3 C	143.5 C	43.9 CH
10	42.6 C	47.7 C	48.4 C	40.4 C	40.3 C	40.5 C	40.1 C	43.6 C	43.2 C	43.0 C	42.5 C	48.1 C
11	63.9 CH	20.0 CH <sub>2</sub>	19.9 CH <sub>2</sub>	63.1 CH	63.6 CH	63.5 CH	68.4 CH	19.9 CH <sub>2</sub>	117.4 CH	118.7 CH	116.3 CH	19.7 CH <sub>2</sub>
12	36.7 CH <sub>2</sub>	26.1 CH <sub>2</sub>	19.3 CH <sub>2</sub>	41.9 CH <sub>2</sub>	44.9 CH <sub>2</sub>	43.8 CH <sub>2</sub>	41.4 CH <sub>2</sub>	30.7 CH <sub>2</sub>	35.8 CH <sub>2</sub>	35.5 CH <sub>2</sub>	79.4 CH	32.5 CH <sub>2</sub>
13	41.7 CH	41.1 CH	35.7 CH	40.5 CH	47.2 CH	46.8 CH	46.4 CH	43.3 CH	36.3 CH	44.3 CH	47.8 CH	45.6 CH
14	71.3 CH	70.1 CH	70.9 CH	77.5 CH	73.2 CH	76.3 CH	76.5 CH	72.8 CH	32.1 CH <sub>2</sub>	76.4 CH	39.2 CH <sub>2</sub>	72.5 CH
15	71.3 CH	200.1 C	211.5 C	221.3 C	76.4 CH	73.2 CH	73.5 CH	208.2 C	203.7 C	203.0 C	79.1 CH	74.8 CH
16	157.0 C	149.7 C	53.6 CH	60.7 CH	160.6 C	160.6 C	159.1 C	152.8 C	152.2 C	151.4 C	159.1 C	159.3 C
17	110.0 CH <sub>2</sub>	118.9 CH <sub>2</sub>	68.5 CH <sub>2</sub>	74.4 CH <sub>2</sub>	109.2 CH <sub>2</sub>	109.7 CH <sub>2</sub>	110.1 CH <sub>2</sub>	120.2 CH <sub>2</sub>	118.1 CH <sub>2</sub>	120.8 CH <sub>2</sub>	109.6 CH <sub>2</sub>	110.3 CH <sub>2</sub>
18	31.4 CH <sub>3</sub>	31.1 CH <sub>3</sub>	31.0 CH <sub>3</sub>	33.5 CH <sub>3</sub>	33.9 CH <sub>3</sub>	32.6 CH <sub>3</sub>	34.5 CH <sub>3</sub>	35.5 CH <sub>3</sub>	34.0 CH <sub>3</sub>	33.9 CH <sub>3</sub>	33.8 CH <sub>3</sub>	31.0 CH <sub>3</sub>
19	23.1 CH <sub>3</sub>	23.4 CH <sub>3</sub>	23.0 CH <sub>3</sub>	22.4 CH <sub>3</sub>	22.9 CH <sub>3</sub>	22.7 CH <sub>3</sub>	22.8 CH <sub>3</sub>	22.8 CH <sub>3</sub>	23.4 CH <sub>3</sub>	23.3 CH <sub>3</sub>	22.8 CH <sub>3</sub>	20.9 CH <sub>3</sub>
20	97.7 CH	97.1 CH	97.5 CH	103.4 CH	103.7 CH	103.6 CH <sub>2</sub>	103.2 CH	100.3 CH <sub>2</sub>	67.9 CH <sub>2</sub>	68.0 CH <sub>2</sub>	69.2 CH <sub>2</sub>	171.6 CH <sub>2</sub>
OAc	21.6 CH <sub>3</sub>	21.9 CH <sub>3</sub>				21.4 CH <sub>3</sub>	21.5 CH <sub>3</sub>	21.4 CH <sub>3</sub>	21.2 CH <sub>3</sub>	21.2 CH <sub>3</sub>	21.2 CH <sub>3</sub>	21.8 CH <sub>3</sub>
	170.4 C	170.8 C				169.1 C	170.3 C	170.1 C	170.2 C	170.2 C	170.3 C	170.7 C
OMe			58.6 CH <sub>3</sub>	55.5 CH <sub>3</sub>	55.8 CH <sub>3</sub>	55.8 CH <sub>3</sub>	55.7 CH <sub>3</sub>	55.0 CH <sub>3</sub>				
OMe				58.3 CH <sub>3</sub>								

<sup>a</sup> Recorded in C<sub>5</sub>D<sub>5</sub>N. <sup>b</sup> Recorded at 400 MHz. <sup>c</sup> Recorded at 500 MHz. <sup>d</sup> Recorded at 600 MHz.

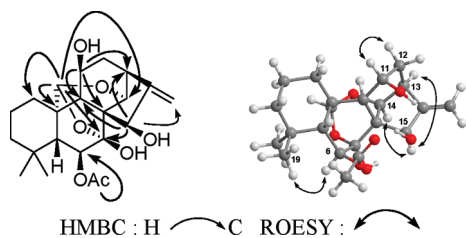


Figure 1. Key HMBC and ROESY correlations of **1**.

H-14 $\beta$ , revealing H-6, H-11, and H-15 to be  $\alpha$ -oriented (Figure 1). To confirm the structure and determine its absolute configuration, **1** was crystallized from MeOH to afford a crystal of the monoclinic space group  $P2_12_12_1$ , which was analyzed by X-ray crystallography. On the basis of seven oxygen atoms in the molecule, the final refinement on the Cu K $\alpha$  data resulted in a Flack parameter of 0.00 (15), allowing unambiguous assignment of the absolute configuration (Figure 2). The nine chiral centers, C-5, C-6, C-7, C-8, C-9, C-10, C-11, C-13, and C-14, were thus determined as S, S, R, S, R, S, R, S, and R, respectively. Thus, the structure of **1** was determined to be 6 $\beta$ -acetoxy-7 $\beta$ ,11 $\beta$ ,15 $\beta$ -trihydroxy-7 $\alpha$ ,20:14 $\alpha$ ,20-diepoxy-*ent*-kaur-16-ene, and it was given the trivial name isoadenolin A.

Compound **2** was isolated as a white powder with the molecular formula C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>28</sub>O<sub>7</sub>, as determined by HRESIMS ( $[M + Na]^+ m/z$  427.1741, calcd 427.1732), with nine degrees of unsaturation. The NMR data (Tables 1 and 2), C-7 ( $\delta_C$  102.2), C-20 ( $\delta_C$  97.1), and C-14 ( $\delta_C$  70.1), indicated that **2** was a 7 $\alpha$ ,20:14 $\alpha$ ,20-diepoxy-*ent*-kaurane diterpenoid similar to **20**,

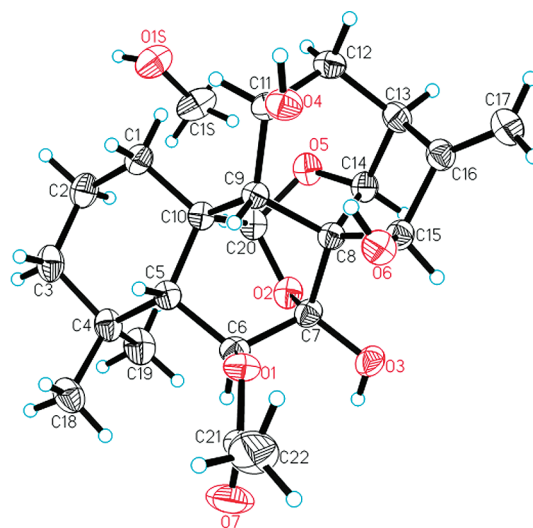


Figure 2. X-ray crystal structure of **1**.

except for an acetyl group at C-1. HMBC correlations from H-1 ( $\delta_H$  5.07) to the acetyl carbonyl ( $\delta_C$  170.8), from H-20 ( $\delta_H$  5.92) to C-7, and from H-14 ( $\delta_H$  4.95) to C-20 confirmed the above conclusion. The AcO-1 was  $\alpha$ -oriented, as indicated by the ROESY correlations of H-1/H-5 $\beta$ . Consequently, compound **2** was identified as 1 $\alpha$ -acetoxy-6 $\beta$ ,7 $\beta$ -dihydroxy-7 $\alpha$ ,20:14 $\alpha$ ,20-diepoxy-*ent*-kaur-16-en-15-one, and it was named isoadenolin B.

Compound **3** was assigned as C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>30</sub>O<sub>7</sub>, deduced from the HRESIMS and its NMR data. The  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data

Table 2. <sup>1</sup>H NMR Spectroscopic Data for Isoadenolins A–F (1–6) ( $\delta$  in ppm,  $J$  in Hz)

position	1 <sup>a,b</sup>	2 <sup>a,c</sup>	3 <sup>a,c</sup>	4 <sup>a,c</sup>	5 <sup>a,b</sup>	6 <sup>a,b</sup>
1 $\alpha$	1.69 (d, 13.0)			2.32	2.60 (d, 14.1)	2.58 (m)
1 $\beta$	1.19 (m)	5.07	3.85 (m)	1.81 (m)	2.11 (m)	2.09 (m)
2 $\alpha$	1.39–1.44 (m)	1.92 (m)	2.00 (m)	1.44	1.47 (m)	1.46 (m)
2 $\beta$		1.72				
3 $\alpha$	1.30 (d, 13.0)	1.28 (m)	1.42 (m)	1.38	1.39	1.33, (m)
3 $\beta$	1.00 (m)		1.31 (m)	1.14	1.18	1.06
5 $\beta$	1.42	1.72	1.65 (br s)	1.55 (d, 5.0)	1.64 (d, 4.8)	1.62 (d, 7.1)
6 $\alpha$	5.55	4.95	4.22 (br s)	4.16 (d, 5.0)	4.17 (d, 4.8)	5.72 (d, 7.1)
8 $\alpha$						
9 $\beta$	2.83 (s)	2.97 (d, 6.0)	2.86	3.39 (d, 5.0)	3.05 (m)	3.00 (d, 10.6)
11 $\alpha$	4.33 (d, 5.0)	1.63 (m)	1.71	4.92 (br s)	5.10	5.08
11 $\beta$			2.45 (m)			
12 $\alpha$	2.58 (m)	2.51 (m)	2.84	2.80	1.14	2.90
12 $\beta$	2.03 (d, 13.0)	1.43 (m)	1.72	2.09 (m)	2.01 (m)	1.98 (m)
13 $\alpha$	2.90 (m)	3.22 (m)	2.99	2.78	2.90	2.88
14 $\alpha$				5.35 (br s)	5.83 (br s)	5.34
14 $\beta$	4.63 (d, 5.8)	4.95	5.12			
15 $\alpha$	5.29				5.36 (s)	5.58 (d, 2.9)
16 $\alpha$			2.99			
16 $\beta$				2.35		
17a	5.55	6.16 (s)	3.98 (m)	3.95 (m)	5.65 (s)	5.63 (s)
17b	5.29	5.29	3.75 (t, 8.8)		5.32 (s)	5.34 (s)
18	0.86 (s)	1.01 (s)	1.06 (s)	1.16 (s)	1.13 (s)	0.81 (s)
19	0.83 (s)	0.93 (s)	0.94 (s)	0.99 (s)	1.06 (s)	1.09 (s)
20a	5.42 (s)	5.92 (s)	5.95 (s)	5.30 (s)	5.44 (s)	5.44 (s)
20b						
OAc	2.24 (s)	2.13 (s)				2.20 (s)
OMe			3.24 (s)	3.21 (s)	3.48 (s)	3.46 (s)
OMe				3.42 (s)		

<sup>a</sup> Recorded in C<sub>3</sub>D<sub>3</sub>N. <sup>b</sup> Recorded at 400 MHz. <sup>c</sup> Recorded at 500 MHz.

(Tables 1 and 2) revealed that the compound closely resembled **20** except for the D ring. The double bond between C-16 and C-17 in **20** was replaced by an OCH<sub>3</sub> group at C-17 ( $\delta_C$  68.5) and a methine at C-16 ( $\delta_C$  53.6) in **3**, which was supported by the HMBC correlations from H-16 ( $\delta_H$  2.99) to C-17, from H<sub>2</sub>-17 ( $\delta_H$  3.98, 3.75) to C-13, and from MeO-17 ( $\delta_H$  3.24) to C-17. ROESY correlations of H-16/H-14 $\beta$ , H-1/H-9/H-11 $\beta$ , and H-6/H<sub>3</sub>-19 $\alpha$  indicated that the orientations of H-16, H-1, and H-6 were  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ , and  $\alpha$ , respectively. Thus, compound **3** was assigned as 16(*S*)-1 $\alpha$ ,6 $\beta$ ,7 $\beta$ -trihydroxy-17-methoxy-7 $\alpha$ ,20:14 $\alpha$ ,20-diepoxy-*ent*-kaur-15-one, and it was named isoadenolin C.

Compound **4** was isolated as a white, amorphous powder. Its molecular formula (C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>34</sub>O<sub>8</sub>) indicated six degrees of unsaturation. The IR spectrum showed absorptions at 3425 and 1724 cm<sup>-1</sup>, which were attributed to OH and carbonyl groups. The <sup>13</sup>C NMR and DEPT spectra (Table 1) displayed signals of four methyls (including two OCH<sub>3</sub>), five methylenes (one oxygenated), eight methines (four oxygenated), and five quaternary carbons (one oxygenated and one ketone), which were very similar to those of xerophilusin XII. The principal differences between them were a characteristic double bond (C-16 and C-17) in xerophilusin XII changing into a methine ( $\delta_C$  60.7, C-16) and an oxygenated methylene ( $\delta_C$  74.4, C-17) in **4** on the basis of HMBC correlations from H-16 ( $\delta_H$  2.35) to C-12 and

C-14 and from H-17 ( $\delta_H$  3.95) to the methoxy carbon (Figure 3), which was supported by the shift of C-13 ( $\Delta\delta_C$  – 4.2) in **4** relative to xerophilusin XII due to the  $\gamma$ -gauche steric compression effect between MeO-17 and H-13 $\alpha$ , and the absence of the double bond (C-16 and C-17). The relative configuration of **4** was the same as that of xerophilusin XII except that H-16 was  $\beta$ -oriented in **4**, which was confirmed by the ROESY correlation of H<sub>2</sub>-17 with H-13 $\alpha$  and no correlation of H-16 with H-13 $\alpha$ . The configuration at C-20 was assigned as *S* from the ROESY correlation between H-20 and H<sub>3</sub>-19 $\alpha$  (Figure 3). Therefore, the structure of **4** was elucidated as 16(*R*),20(*S*)-6 $\beta$ ,7 $\beta$ ,11 $\beta$ ,14 $\beta$ -tetrahydroxy-17,20-dimethoxy-7 $\alpha$ ,20-epoxy-*ent*-kaur-15-one, and it was named isoadenolin D.

Compound **5** gave a molecular formula of C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>32</sub>O<sub>7</sub> by HRESIMS. The NMR data (Tables 1 and 2) demonstrated that **5** was very similar to xerophilusin XII, and the only differences were that the <sup>13</sup>C NMR signals of C-8, C-15, C-16, and C-17 had changed to  $\delta_C$  53.9, 76.4, 160.6, and 109.2 in **5** instead of  $\delta_C$  62.8, 210.0, 152.6, and 119.5) in xerophilusin XII. This indicated that a ketone carbon was absent at C-15 in **5**, as established by the HMBC spectrum from H-15 ( $\delta_H$  5.36) to C-13, C-14, and C-16, and was further supported by the shift of C-9 ( $\Delta\delta_C$  – 8.7) in **5** relative to xerophilusin XII, due to the  $\gamma$ -gauche steric compression effect between OH-15 $\beta$  and H-9 $\beta$ . The other three OH groups were connected to C-6, C-11, and C-14 by the HMBC

Chart 1

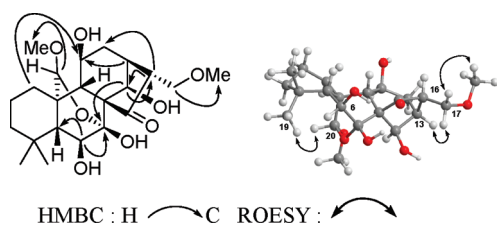
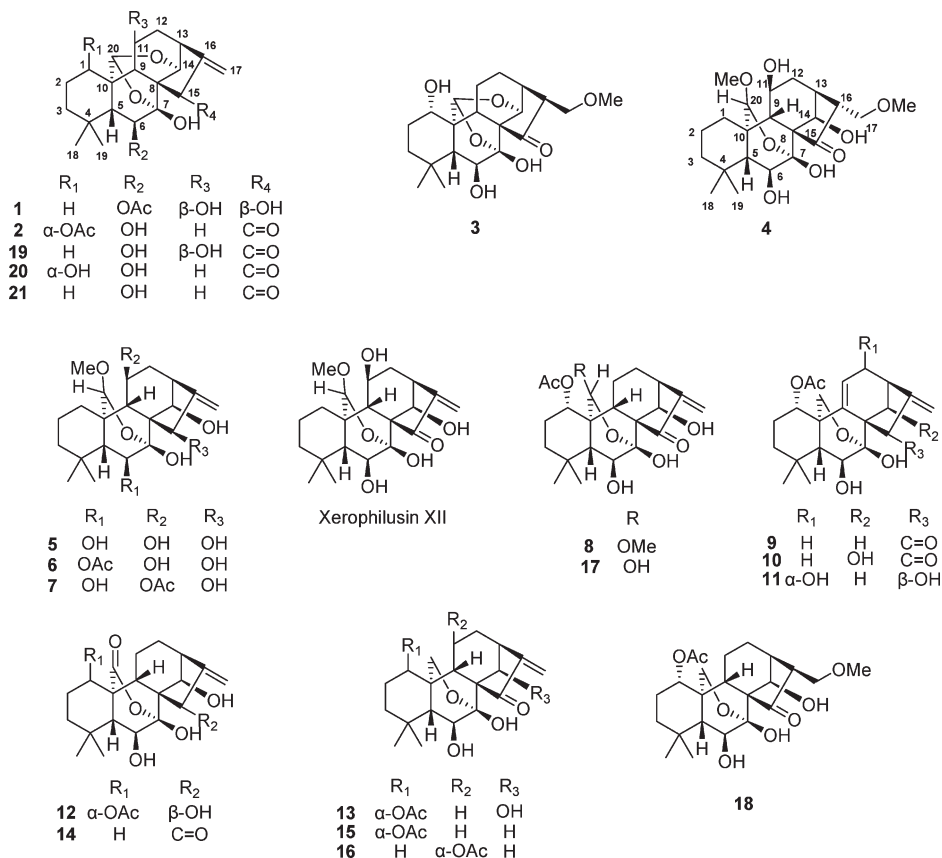


Figure 3. Key HMBC and ROESY correlations of 4.

correlations from H-6 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  4.17) to C-14, C-5, and C-9, from H-11 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  5.10) to C-9 and C-10, and from H-14 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  5.83) to C-14 and C-16. The relative configurations of OH-6, OH-11, OH-14, and OH-15 were assigned on the basis of ROESY correlations of H-6/H<sub>3</sub>-19 $\alpha$ , H-11/H-14/H-13 $\alpha$ , and H-15/H-13 $\alpha$ . Hence, compound 5 was 20(*S*)-6 $\beta$ ,7 $\beta$ ,11 $\beta$ ,14 $\beta$ ,15 $\beta$ -pentahydroxy-20-methoxy-7 $\alpha$ ,20-epoxy-*ent*-kaur-16-ene, and it was named isoadenolin E.

Compounds 6 and 7 both had the molecular formula C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>34</sub>O<sub>8</sub>, based on HRMS and NMR data, requiring seven degrees of unsaturation. The <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectra of 6 and 7 (Tables 1, 2, and 3) were similar to those of compound 5, except that signals of an acetoxy group were evident in 6 and 7. HMBC correlations in 6 from H-6 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  5.72) to the acetyl carbonyl ( $\delta_{\text{C}}$  169.1), from H-11 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  5.08) to C-10 and C-11, from H-14 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  5.34) to C-9, and from H-15 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  5.58) to C-16 verified that the acetyl carbonyl and the OH groups were at C-6, C-11, C-14, and C-15 in 6. The acetyl group was at C-11 in 7, based on the

HMBC correlation from H-11 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  6.08) to the acetyl carbonyl ( $\delta_{\text{C}}$  170.3), which was supported by the downfield shift of C-11 from  $\delta_{\text{C}}$  63.6 in 5 to  $\delta_{\text{C}}$  68.4 in 7. HMBC correlations from H-6 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  4.13) to C-5 and C-4, from H-14 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  5.28) to C-9, and from H-15 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  5.78) to C-16 and C-17 placed the OH groups at C-6, C-14, and C-15 in 7. The relative configurations of 6 and 7 were determined to be the same as those of 5, based on detailed analysis of the ROESY spectrum.

Compound 8 had the molecular formula C<sub>23</sub>H<sub>32</sub>O<sub>8</sub>. Comparison of its NMR data (Tables 1 and 3) with those of 17 revealed similarities except for the signal of an OCH<sub>3</sub> group in 8 instead of a hydroxy group in 17, which was supported by the HMBC correlation from MeO ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  3.47) to C-20. The ROESY spectrum of H-20/H-11 $\alpha$  and H-20/MeO-20 showed that C-20 in 8 had an *R*-configuration. Therefore, 8 was 20(*R*)-1 $\alpha$ -acetoxy-6 $\beta$ ,7 $\beta$ ,14 $\beta$ -trihydroxy-7 $\alpha$ ,20-epoxy-*ent*-kaur-16-en-15-one and was named isoadenolin H.

The HRESIMS of compound 9 suggested a molecular formula of C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>28</sub>O<sub>6</sub>, with nine degrees of unsaturation. Its <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR data (Tables 1 and 3) indicated a 7 $\alpha$ ,20-epoxy-*ent*-kaurane, similar to 15. The most notable difference was that a methine (C-9) and a methylene (C-11) in 15 were changed into a double bond in 9. This was supported by HMBC correlations from H-11 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  5.37) to C-10 and C-8, from H-13 and H<sub>2</sub>-14 to C-11 ( $\delta_{\text{C}}$  117.4), and from H-1, H<sub>2</sub>-20, H-12, and H<sub>2</sub>-14 to C-9 ( $\delta_{\text{C}}$  143.1). The ROESY experiment indicated that they had the same relative configuration. Consequently, compound 9 was determined to be



Table 3.  $^1\text{H}$  NMR Spectroscopic Data for Isoadenolins G–L (7–12) ( $\delta$  in ppm,  $J$  in Hz)

position	7 <sup>a,c</sup>	8 <sup>a,c</sup>	9 <sup>a,c</sup>	10 <sup>a,c</sup>	11 <sup>a,c</sup>	12 <sup>a,b</sup>
1 $\alpha$	2.06 (m)					
1 $\beta$	1.35	4.86 (dd, 11.5, 5.1)	5.16 (dd, 11.6, 4.9)	5.14 (dd, 11.3, 4.7)	5.25 (dd, 14.5, 6.4)	5.05
2 $\alpha$	1.47–1.35	1.97	1.82	1.82 (t, 4.3)	1.86 (d, 14.0)	2.23 (m)
2 $\beta$		1.76 (d, 3.9)	1.45	1.41 (t, 9.0)	1.51 (d, 14.0)	2.00 (m)
3 $\alpha$	1.47–1.35	1.37	1.45	1.31	1.33 (m)	1.35 (m)
3 $\beta$			1.32		1.24	
5 $\beta$	1.59 (d, 4.8)	1.64 (d, 9.4)	1.79	1.76 (d, 9.0)	2.26 (d, 8.8)	1.85 (d, 5.5)
6 $\alpha$	4.13 (d, 4.8)	4.35 (t, 10.7)	4.44	4.37	4.51 (d, 8.8)	4.27 (t, 4.8)
8 $\alpha$						
9 $\beta$	3.18	2.02				3.21 (t, 6.2)
11 $\alpha$	6.08 (m)	1.80 (m)	5.37 (d, 2.9)	5.41 (s)	5.37 (d, 4.0)	1.61 (m)
11 $\beta$		1.49 (m)				1.45
12 $\alpha$	3.15	2.27 (m)	2.57 (m)	2.71 (dd, 9.0, 4.0)		2.21
12 $\beta$	1.62 (m)	1.49	2.01		5.85 (d, 2.6)	1.49
13 $\alpha$	2.85 (d, 7.9)	3.12 (d, 9.4)	2.99 (br. s)	3.19 (s)	3.03 (d, 4.8)	2.80 (d, 9.1)
14 $\alpha$	5.28 (s)	5.17 (s)	2.71 (dd, 11.1, 4.7)	4.84 (s)	2.69 (m)	5.68 (s)
14 $\beta$			2.07		2.34 (m)	
15 $\alpha$	5.78 (s)				4.90 (s)	4.96 (s)
16 $\alpha$						
17a	5.69 (s)	6.25 (s)	6.03 (s)	6.29 (s)	5.66 (s)	5.66 (s)
17b	5.37 (s)	5.47 (s)	5.45 (s)	5.62 (s)	5.32 (s)	5.30 (s)
18	1.02 (s)	1.35 (s)	1.30 (s)	1.20 (s)	1.22 (s)	1.09 (q)
19	1.14 (s)	1.21 (s)	1.12 (s)	0.97 (s)	1.12 (s)	1.02 (q)
20a	5.31 (s)	5.29 (s)	4.41	4.40 (d, 9.0)	4.51 (d, 10.7)	
20b			4.18 (d, 8.7)	4.16 (d, 9.0)	4.18 (d, 10.7)	
OAc	2.01 (s)	2.03 (s)	2.04 (s)	2.03 (s)	2.03 (s)	2.07 (s)
OH					6.72 (d, 4.8)	
OMe	3.41 (s)	3.47 (s)				

<sup>a</sup> Recorded in  $\text{C}_3\text{D}_3\text{N}$ . <sup>b</sup> Recorded at 400 MHz. <sup>c</sup> Recorded at 500 MHz.

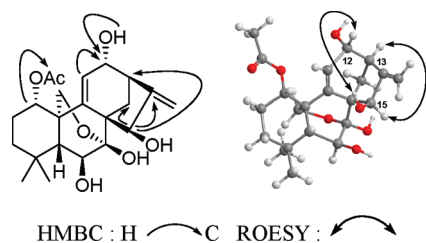


Figure 4. Key HMBC and ROESY correlations of 11.

1 $\alpha$ -acetoxy-6 $\beta$ ,7 $\beta$ -dihydroxy-7 $\alpha$ ,20-epoxy-*ent*-kaur-9(11),16-dien-15-one, and it was named isoadenolin I.

The  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data (Tables 1 and 3) of compound 10 were very similar to those of 9, but it was evident that 10 had an additional OH group. The OH group was assigned to C-14 since the methylene signal ( $\delta_{\text{C}}$  32.1, C-14) in 9 changed to an oxygenated methine signal ( $\delta_{\text{C}}$  76.4, C-14) in 10, which was confirmed by the HMBC spectrum from H-14 to C-8, C-12, C-15, and C-17. H-14 was  $\beta$ -oriented, based on ROESY correlations of H-12 $\alpha$ /H-14/H-13 $\alpha$ . The other substituents had the same orientations as those in 9. Therefore, 10 was 1 $\alpha$ -acetoxy-6 $\beta$ ,7 $\beta$ ,14 $\beta$ -trihydroxy-7 $\alpha$ ,20-epoxy-*ent*-kaur-9(11),16-dien-15-one, and it was given the trivial name isoadenolin J.

Compound 11, obtained as a white powder, gave a molecular formula of  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_7$  (HRESIMS). The  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data

(Tables 1 and 3) revealed that it closely resembled 9, except for an additional OH group at C-12 and the reduction of a carbonyl group at C-15. This was confirmed by HMBC correlations from H-11 to C-12 ( $\delta_{\text{C}}$  79.9) and from H-15 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  4.90) to C-13, C-14, and C-16 (Figure 4). The OH group ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  6.72, d,  $J$  = 4.8 Hz) was assigned at C-15 by the HMBC from OH-15 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  6.72) to C-15. H-12 was  $\beta$ -oriented on the basis of ROESY correlations of OH-15 $\beta$ /H-12, H-12/H-13 $\alpha$ , and H-15/H-13 $\alpha$  (Figure 4). Thus, 11 was elucidated as 1 $\alpha$ -acetoxy-6 $\beta$ ,7 $\beta$ ,12 $\alpha$ ,15 $\beta$ -tetrahydroxy-7 $\alpha$ ,20-epoxy-*ent*-kaur-9(11),16-diene and was named isoadenolin K.

Compound 12 had the molecular formula  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_8$ . The  $^{13}\text{C}$  and DEPT NMR spectra (Table 1) displayed 22 signals for the carbons of the diterpenoid skeleton, substituted by an acetoxy group ( $\delta_{\text{C}}$  170.7, 21.8). Comparison of the spectroscopic data of 12 with that of 14 revealed similarities, except for the occurrence of an additional acetyl group at C-1 and an OH at C-15 in 12, which was confirmed by HMBC correlations from H-1 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  5.05) to the acetyl carbonyl ( $\delta_{\text{C}}$  170.3) and from H-15 ( $\delta_{\text{H}}$  4.96) to C-8, C-14, and C-17. The  $\alpha$ -orientation of the AcO-1 group and  $\beta$ -orientation of the OH-15 group were apparent from the ROESY correlations of H-1 with H-5 $\beta$  and H-9 $\beta$  and of H-15 with H-13 $\alpha$  and H-12 $\alpha$ . Therefore, 12 was elucidated as 1 $\alpha$ -acetoxy-6 $\beta$ ,7 $\beta$ ,14 $\beta$ ,15 $\beta$ -tetrahydroxy-*ent*-kaur-16-en-7 $\alpha$ ,20-olide, and it was given the name isoadenolin L.

The absolute configuration of 14 was determined by X-ray analysis (Figure 5).

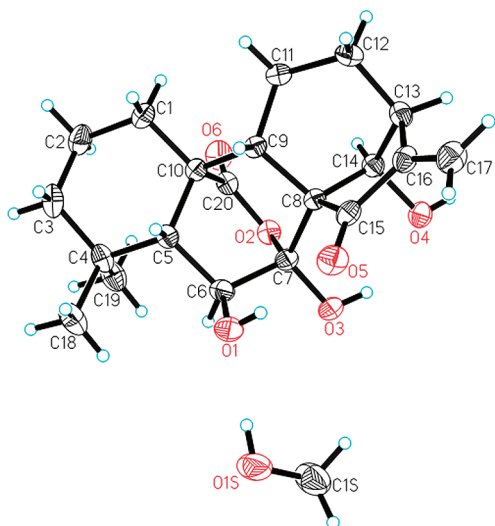


Figure 5. X-ray crystal structure of 14.

Table 4.  $IC_{50}$  Values ( $\mu M$ ) of Diterpenoids from *I. adenolomus* for Human Tumor Cell Lines

compound <sup>a</sup>	HL-60	SMMC-7721	A-549	MCF-7	SW480
9	2.6	3.0	5.0	2.6	3.1
11	3.5	5.7	14.1	3.0	3.1
13	3.2	2.0	7.6	5.3	2.3
14	3.8	3.6	9.7	7.9	3.5
15	0.7	1.0	3.5	0.7	0.8
16	1.8	1.9	3.9	1.9	2.4
17	7.6	4.6	21.7	9.7	2.7
18	6.8	4.8	20.4	6.0	4.9
19	12.4	9.1	31.9	26.9	10.9
20	7.4	5.0	16.5	16.3	2.8
21	0.8	1.3	2.0	1.1	0.9
DDP <sup>b</sup>	1.5	14.5	14.1	15.0	16.9
paclitaxel <sup>b</sup>	0.01	<0.008	<0.008	<0.008	<0.008

<sup>a</sup> Other compounds than selected ones were inactive ( $IC_{50} > 10 \mu M$ ) for all or one of cell lines. <sup>b</sup> DDP (cisplatin) and paclitaxel were used as positive controls.

Selected compounds were evaluated for their in vitro growth inhibitory effects against five human cancer cell lines (HL-60, SMMC-7721, A-549, MCF-7, and SW-480) using a previously described method.<sup>28</sup> The results are summarized in Table 4. Compounds **9**, **13**, **14**, **15**, **16**, and **21** exhibited significant activity ( $IC_{50} < 10 \mu M$ ) for all five cell lines, suggesting that the carbonyl conjugated with an exomethylene group is the active center.<sup>2</sup>

## EXPERIMENTAL SECTION

**General Experimental Procedures.** X-ray data were collected using a Bruker APEX DUO instrument. Optical rotations were measured with Horiba SEPA-300 and Jasco P-1020 polarimeters, respectively. UV spectra were obtained using a Shimadzu UV-2401A spectrophotometer. A Tenor 27 spectrophotometer was used for IR spectra, using KBr pellets. 1D and 2D NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker AM-400 and DRX-500 spectrometers with TMS as internal

standard. Unless otherwise specified, chemical shifts ( $\delta$ ) were expressed in ppm with reference to the solvent signals. HRESIMS was performed on an API QSTAR time-of-flight spectrometer. Semipreparative HPLC was performed on an Agilent 1100 liquid chromatograph with a Zorbax SB-C<sub>18</sub> (9.4 mm  $\times$  25 cm) column. Column chromatography (CC) was performed using silica gel (200–300 mesh, Qingdao Marine Chemical, Inc., Qingdao, P. R. China), Lichroprep RP-18 gel (40–63  $\mu m$ , Merck, Darmstadt, Germany), and MCI gel (75–150  $\mu m$ , Mitsubishi Chemical Corporation, Tokyo, Japan). Fractions were monitored by TLC, and spots were visualized by heating silica gel plates sprayed with 5% H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> in EtOH.

**Plant Material.** The aerial parts of *I. adenolomus* were collected in the region of Shangrila, Yunnan Province, People's Republic of China, in August 2008. The sample was identified by Prof. Xi-Wen Li, and a voucher specimen (KIB 200809127) has been deposited in the State Key Laboratory of Phytochemistry and Plant Resources in West China, Kunming Institute of Botany, Chinese Academy of Sciences.

**Extraction and Isolation.** The air-dried and powdered aerial parts of *I. adenolomus* (10 kg) were extracted four times with 70% aqueous Me<sub>2</sub>CO (4  $\times$  100 L, each 3 days) at room temperature and filtered. The filtrate was evaporated under reduced pressure and then partitioned with EtOAc (4  $\times$  60 L). The EtOAc partition (900 g) was applied to silica gel (200–300 mesh) CC, eluting with CHCl<sub>3</sub>–Me<sub>2</sub>CO (1:0–0:1 gradient), to give six fractions. The fractions were decolorized on MCI gel, eluted with 90% MeOH–H<sub>2</sub>O, to yield fractions A–F.

Fraction B (250 g), brown gum, was subjected to CC on silica gel (200–300 mesh), eluted with ether–Me<sub>2</sub>CO (1:0–0:1 gradient), to obtain fractions B1–B5. Compound **19** (1.0 g) and adenolin C (5 mg) were precipitated from fractions B2, B4, and B5, respectively. After repeated CC (silica gel, petroleum ether–Me<sub>2</sub>CO, 9:1–2:1 gradient), fraction B1 afforded adenolin B (2 mg). Fraction B3 was separated by RP-18 (30%–100% MeOH–H<sub>2</sub>O), then by HPLC with 50% MeOH–H<sub>2</sub>O, to obtain compounds **1** (10 mg), **2** (2 mg), **3** (4 mg), **4** (2 mg), **5** (2 mg), **6** (6 mg), **11** (4 mg), **13** (8 mg), **14** (40 mg), **15** (100 mg), **16** (42 mg), **17** (90 mg), **19** (5 mg), **21** (8 mg), adenolin D (4 mg), and adenolin C (6 mg).

Fraction C (150 g) was separated by RP-18 (30–100% MeOH–H<sub>2</sub>O) into fractions C1–C8. After repeated CC (silica gel, petroleum ether–Me<sub>2</sub>CO, 9:1–1:1), fraction C1 afforded **18** (8 mg). Fraction C2 was separated by RP-18 (30–100% MeOH–H<sub>2</sub>O), then by HPLC with 45% MeOH–H<sub>2</sub>O, to yield compounds **7** (2 mg), **8** (5 mg), adenolin A (4 mg), longikaurin A (5 mg), lasiodonin acetonide (6 mg), rabdoternin A (4 mg), rabdoternin E (8 mg), phyllostacin I (10 mg), and nervosinin A (5 mg). In the same way, lasiokaurinol (3 mg) were isolated from fraction C3. Also, **12** (8 mg) was obtained from fractions C4 and C8, respectively.

Fraction D (180 g) was separated by RP-18 CC (30–80% MeOH–H<sub>2</sub>O) into fractions D1–D5. Compound **10** (2 mg) crystallized from fraction D3, and the mother liquid was passed through a silica gel column, eluted with petroleum ether–2-propanol, 9:1–1:1, to yield xerophilusin XII (50 mg). Fraction E was subjected to RP-18 (55% MeOH–H<sub>2</sub>O), then by HPLC (45% MeOH–H<sub>2</sub>O), to give **9** (150 mg) and **20** (6 mg). Similarly, longikaurin F (30 mg), longikaurin D (7 mg), and adenolin E (12 mg) were obtained from fraction F.

*Isoadenolin A (1)*: colorless crystals; mp 183.0–183.7 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{26}$  –59.4 (*c* 2.40, MeOH); UV (MeOH)  $\lambda_{max}$  (log  $\epsilon$ ) 205 (3.54) nm; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{max}$  3415, 2985, 2931, 2870, 1738, 1639, 1440, 1397, 1372, 1311, 1246, 1140, 1119, 1085, 1048, 1016, 997, 975, 943, 909, 849, 774, 722, 673, 650, 568, 533  $cm^{-1}$ ; <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR data, Tables 1 and 3; positive ESIMS *m/z* 429 [M + Na]<sup>+</sup>; positive HRESIMS [M + Na]<sup>+</sup> *m/z* 429.1885 (calcd for C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>30</sub>O<sub>7</sub>Na, 429.1889).

*Isoadenolin B (2)*: white powder; mp 185–187 °C;  $[\alpha]_D^{14}$  –76.8 (*c* 0.37, MeOH); UV (MeOH)  $\lambda_{max}$  (log  $\epsilon$ ) 227 (2.93) nm; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{max}$  3427, 2929, 2875, 1776, 1689, 1656, 1639, 1459, 1048, 1033  $cm^{-1}$ ;

$^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data, Tables 1 and 2; positive ESIMS  $m/z$  427  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ ; positive HRESIMS  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$   $m/z$  427.1741 (calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{28}\text{O}_7\text{Na}$ , 427.1732).

**Isoadenolin C (3):** white powder; mp 202–205 °C;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{27}$  –97.9 ( $c$  1.53, MeOH); UV (MeOH)  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  ( $\log \epsilon$ ) 202 (3.11) nm; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3431, 2930, 2871, 1732, 1637, 1392, 1085, 967, 775, 597  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data, Tables 1 and 2; positive ESIMS  $m/z$  417  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ ; positive HRESIMS  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$   $m/z$  417.1885 (calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_7\text{Na}$ , 417.1889).

**Isoadenolin D (4):** white solid; mp 150–152 °C;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{23}$  –27.8 ( $c$  0.81, MeOH); UV (MeOH)  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  ( $\log \epsilon$ ) 201 (3.17) nm; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3425, 2958, 2927, 1724, 1629, 1639, 1461, 1377, 1287, 1175, 1176, 1107, 1032, 1054, 983, 943, 580  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data, Tables 1 and 2; positive ESIMS  $m/z$  449  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ ; positive HRESIMS  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$   $m/z$  449.2143 (calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{34}\text{O}_8\text{Na}$ , 449.2151).

**Isoadenolin E (5):** white solid; mp 157–159 °C;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{26}$  +8.3 ( $c$  1.63, MeOH); UV (MeOH)  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  ( $\log \epsilon$ ) 203 (3.52) nm; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3419, 2930, 2869, 1630, 1447, 1367, 1251, 1198, 1176, 1102, 1072, 1029, 984, 942  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data, Tables 1 and 2; positive ESIMS  $m/z$  419  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ ; positive HRESIMS  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$   $m/z$  419.2052 (calcd for  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{32}\text{O}_7\text{Na}$ , 419.2045).

**Isoadenolin F (6):** white solid; mp 214–216 °C;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{27}$  +29.2 ( $c$  3.17, MeOH); UV (MeOH)  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  ( $\log \epsilon$ ) 203 (3.53) nm; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3446, 3345, 2981, 2934, 2868, 1763, 1722, 1640, 1629, 1459, 1461, 1449, 1370, 1357, 1207, 1104, 1055, 981, 941, 910, 860, 848, 720, 660, 572  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data, Tables 1 and 2; negative ESIMS  $m/z$  437  $[\text{M} - \text{H}]^-$ ; negative HRESIMS  $[\text{M} - \text{H}]^-$   $m/z$  437.2167 (calcd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{33}\text{O}_8$ , 437.2175).

**Isoadenolin G (7):** white solid; mp 160–162 °C;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{15}$  +6.8 ( $c$  9.14, MeOH); UV (MeOH)  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  ( $\log \epsilon$ ) 217 (2.72) nm; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3429, 2924, 1710, 1629  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data, Tables 2 and 3; positive ESIMS  $m/z$  461  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ ; positive HRESIMS  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$   $m/z$  461.2154 (calcd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{34}\text{O}_8\text{Na}$ , 461.2151).

**Isoadenolin H (8):** white solid; mp 142–144 °C;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{15}$  –37.3 ( $c$  0.13, MeOH); UV (MeOH)  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  ( $\log \epsilon$ ) 234 (3.14) nm; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3427, 2948, 2872, 1737, 1712, 1641, 1441, 1241, 1058, 959  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data, Tables 2 and 3; positive ESIMS  $m/z$  437  $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$ ; positive HRESIMS  $[\text{M} + \text{H}]^+$   $m/z$  437.2180 (calcd for  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{33}\text{O}_8$ , 437.2175).

**Isoadenolin I (9):** white solid; mp 172–174 °C;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{27}$  +18.6 ( $c$  1.05, MeOH); UV (MeOH)  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  ( $\log \epsilon$ ) 203 (3.52), 237 (3.51) nm; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3423, 2950, 2908, 1739, 1711, 1641, 1631, 1460, 1238, 1042, 973, 951, 917, 607  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data, Tables 2 and 3; positive ESIMS  $m/z$  411  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ ; positive HRESIMS  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$   $m/z$  411.1775 (calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{28}\text{O}_6\text{Na}$   $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ , 411.1783).

**Isoadenolin J (10):** white powder; mp 133–135 °C;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{15}$  +36.8 ( $c$  0.72, MeOH); UV (MeOH)  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  ( $\log \epsilon$ ) 234 (3.06) nm; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3430, 2922, 2853, 1743, 1706, 1638, 1629, 1476, 1450  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data, Tables 1 and 3; positive ESIMS  $m/z$  427  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ ; positive HRESIMS  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$   $m/z$  427.1734 (calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{28}\text{O}_7\text{Na}$ , 427.1732).

**Isoadenolin K (11):** white powder; mp 153–156 °C;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{26}$  +6.4 ( $c$  1.11, MeOH); UV (MeOH)  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  ( $\log \epsilon$ ) 203 (3.65) nm; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3416, 2950, 2910, 1738, 1722, 1640, 1527, 1460, 1433, 1372, 1242, 1191, 1129, 1088, 1043, 968, 951, 924, 863, 847, 775, 664, 629, 607, 559, 551  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data, Tables 1 and 3; positive ESIMS  $m/z$  429  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ ; positive HRESIMS  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$   $m/z$  429.1886 (calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_7\text{Na}$   $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ , 429.1889).

**Isoadenolin L (12):** amorphous solid; mp 210–212 °C;  $[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{26}$  –27.6 ( $c$  1.21, MeOH); UV (MeOH)  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  ( $\log \epsilon$ ) 203 (3.57) nm; IR (KBr)  $\nu_{\text{max}}$  3423, 2957, 2934, 1738, 1639, 1630, 1460, 1452, 1396, 1375, 1363, 1253, 1219, 1178, 1067, 1033, 989, 957, 905, 873, 809, 777, 677  $\text{cm}^{-1}$ ;  $^1\text{H}$  and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR data, see Tables 1 and 3; positive ESIMS

$m/z$  445  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$ ; positive HRESIMS  $[\text{M} + \text{Na}]^+$   $m/z$  445.1844 (calcd for  $\text{C}_{22}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_8\text{Na}$ , 445.1838).

**X-ray Crystal Structure Analysis.** Colorless crystals of **1** and **14** were obtained from  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ . Intensity data were collected at room temperature on a Bruker APEX DUO diffractometer equipped with an APEX II CCD, using  $\text{Cu K}\alpha$  radiation. Cell refinement and data reduction were performed with Bruker SAINT. The structures were solved by direct methods using SHELXS-97.<sup>29</sup> Refinements were performed with SHELXL-97<sup>29</sup> using full-matrix least-squares, with anisotropic displacement parameters for all the non-hydrogen atoms. The H-atoms were placed in calculated positions and refined using a riding model. Molecular graphics were computed with PLATON. Crystallographic data (excluding structure factor tables) for the structures reported have been deposited with the Cambridge Crystallographic Data Center as supplementary publications no. CCDC 808511 for **1** and CCDC 808512 for **14**. Copies of the data can be obtained free of charge on application to CCDC, 12 Union Road, Cambridge CB 1EZ, UK [fax: Int. +44(0) (1223) 336 033; e-mail: deposit@ccdc.cam.ac.uk].

**Isoadenolin A (1):**  $\text{C}_{23}\text{H}_{34}\text{O}_8$ ,  $M_w = 438.5$ , orthorhombic, space group,  $P2_12_12_1$ ,  $Z = 4$ ,  $a = 6.7560(1)$  Å,  $b = 11.1010(2)$  Å,  $c = 29.6561(4)$  Å;  $\alpha = \beta = \gamma = 90^\circ$ ,  $V = 2224.2(6)$  Å<sup>3</sup>,  $\mu(\text{Cu K}\alpha) = 0.81$  mm<sup>-1</sup>,  $\rho_{\text{calc}} = 1.31$  g cm<sup>-3</sup>;  $S = 1.09$ , final  $R$  indices:  $R_1 = 0.036$  and  $wR_2 = 0.0927$  for 3822 observed from 16 291 independent and 3843 measured reflections ( $\theta_{\text{max}} = 66.5$ ,  $I > 2\sigma(I)$  criterion and 289 parameters); maximum and minimum residues are 0.18 and  $-0.23$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>, respectively. The Flack<sup>30</sup> parameter value was  $x = -0.00(15)$ , indicating that the absolute structure has been determined correctly.

**Xerophilusin N (14):**  $\text{C}_{21}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_7$ ,  $M_w = 394.5$ , orthorhombic, space group,  $P2_12_12_1$ ,  $Z = 4$ ,  $a = 6.4226(1)$  Å,  $b = 8.7598(1)$  Å,  $c = 35.3066(4)$  Å;  $\alpha = \beta = \gamma = 90^\circ$ ,  $V = 1986.37(5)$  Å<sup>3</sup>,  $\mu(\text{Cu K}\alpha) = 0.81$  mm<sup>-1</sup>,  $\rho_{\text{calc}} = 1.32$  g cm<sup>-3</sup>;  $S = 1.06$ , final  $R$  indices:  $R_1 = 0.038$  and  $wR_2 = 0.101$  for 3366 observed from 7652 independent and 3378 measured reflections ( $\theta_{\text{max}} = 65.1$ ,  $I > 2\sigma(I)$  criterion and 261 parameters); maximum and minimum residues are 0.22 and  $-0.19$  e Å<sup>-3</sup>, respectively. The Flack<sup>30</sup> parameter value was  $x = -0.08(16)$ , indicating that the absolute structure has been determined correctly.

**Cytotoxicity Assay.** The following human tumor cell lines were used: HL-60, SMMC-7721, A-549, MCF-7, and SW-480. All cells were cultured in RPMI-1640 or DMEM medium (Hyclone, Logan, UT), supplemented with 10% fetal bovine serum (Hyclone) at 37 °C in a humidified atmosphere with 5%  $\text{CO}_2$ . Cell viability was assessed by conducting colorimetric measurements of the amount of insoluble formazan formed in living cells based on the reduction of 3-(4,5-dimethylthiazol-2-yl)-2,5-diphenyltetrazolium bromide (MTT) (Sigma, St. Louis, MO).<sup>21</sup> Briefly, 100  $\mu\text{L}$  of adherent cells was seeded into each well of a 96-well cell culture plate and allowed to adhere for 12 h before drug addition, while suspended cells were seeded just before drug addition, both with an initial density of  $1 \times 10^5$  cells/mL in 100  $\mu\text{L}$  of medium. Each cell line was exposed to the test compound at various concentrations in triplicate for 48 h, with cisplatin and paclitaxel (Sigma) as positive controls. After the incubation, MTT (100  $\mu\text{g}$ ) was added to each well, and the incubation continued for 4 h at 37 °C. The cells were lysed with 100  $\mu\text{L}$  of 20% SDS–50% DMF after removal of 100  $\mu\text{L}$  of medium. The optical density of the lysate was measured at 595 nm in a 96-well microtiter plate reader (Bio-Rad 680). The  $\text{IC}_{50}$  value of each compound was calculated by Reed and Muench's method.<sup>31</sup>

## ■ ASSOCIATED CONTENT

Supporting Information. This material ( $^1\text{H}$ ,  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR, DEPT, HSQC, HMBC, COSY, NOESY, HRESIMS, IR, and UV spectra of compounds **1**, **4**, **9**, and **12**;  $^1\text{H}$ ,  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR, DEPT, and ESIMS spectra of compounds **2–3**, **5–8**, **10**, and **11**; X-ray data



of compounds **1** and **14**) is available free of charge via the Internet at <http://pubs.acs.org>.

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