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## Supporting Information

Bioactive Pentacyclic Triterpene Ester Derivatives from *Alnus viridis* ssp. *viridis* Bark

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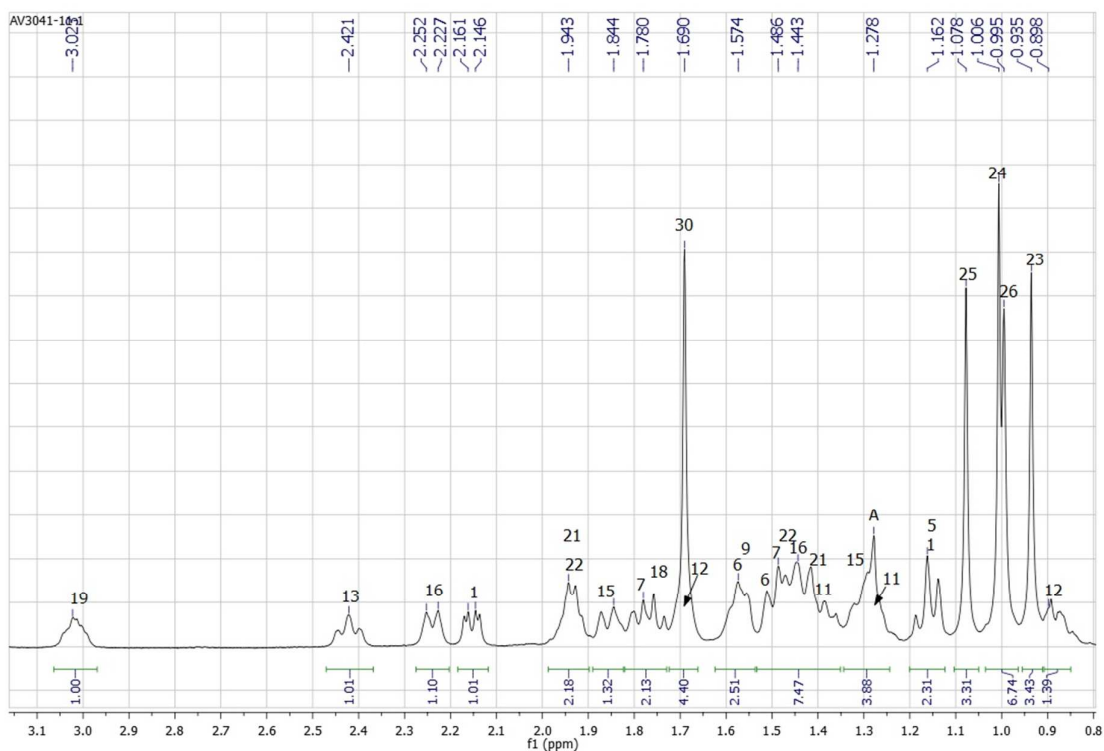


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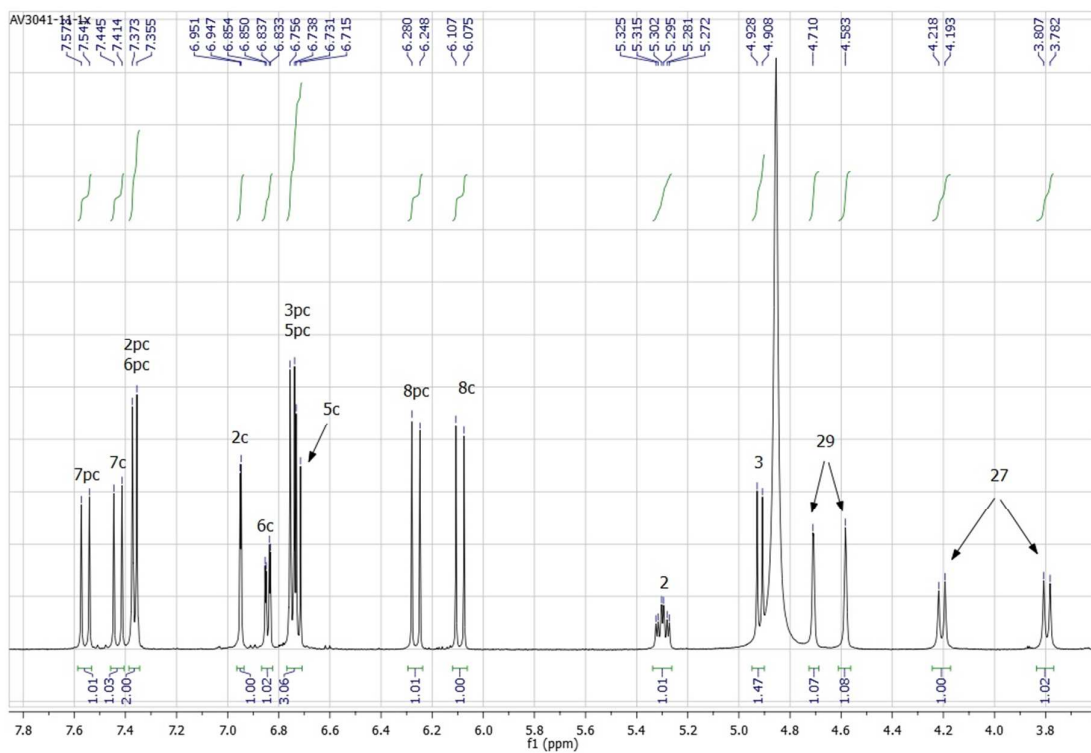
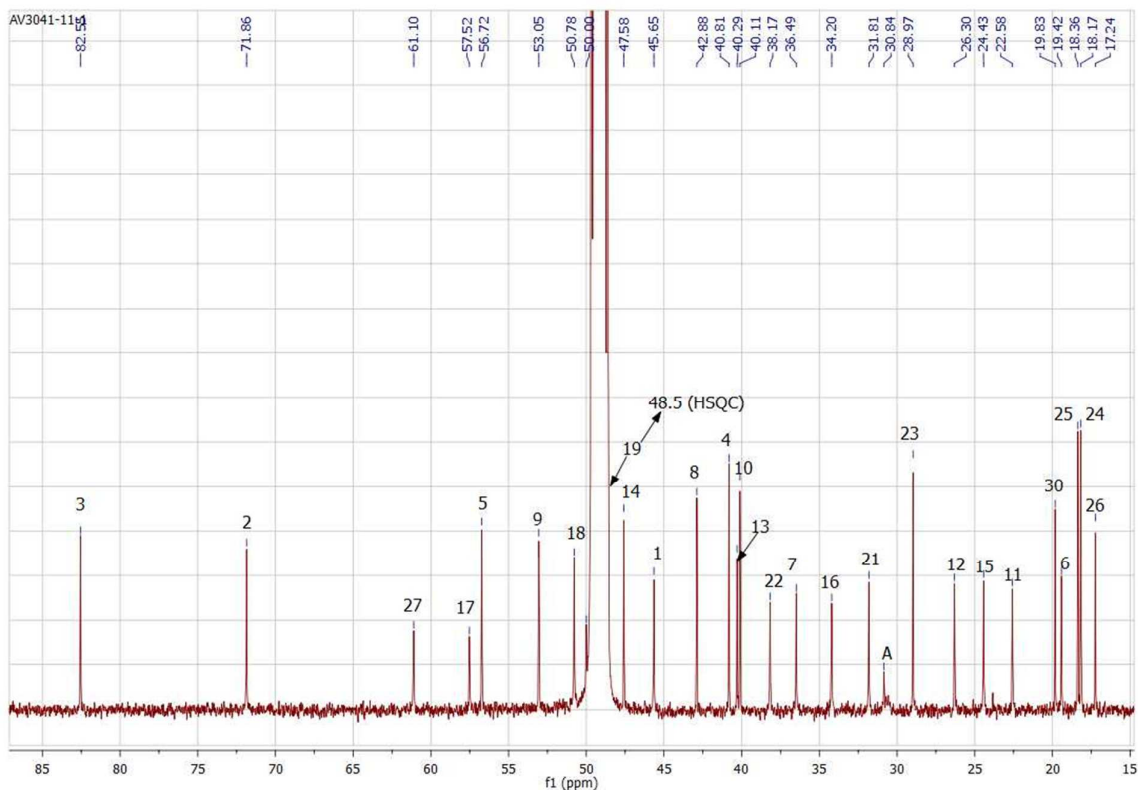
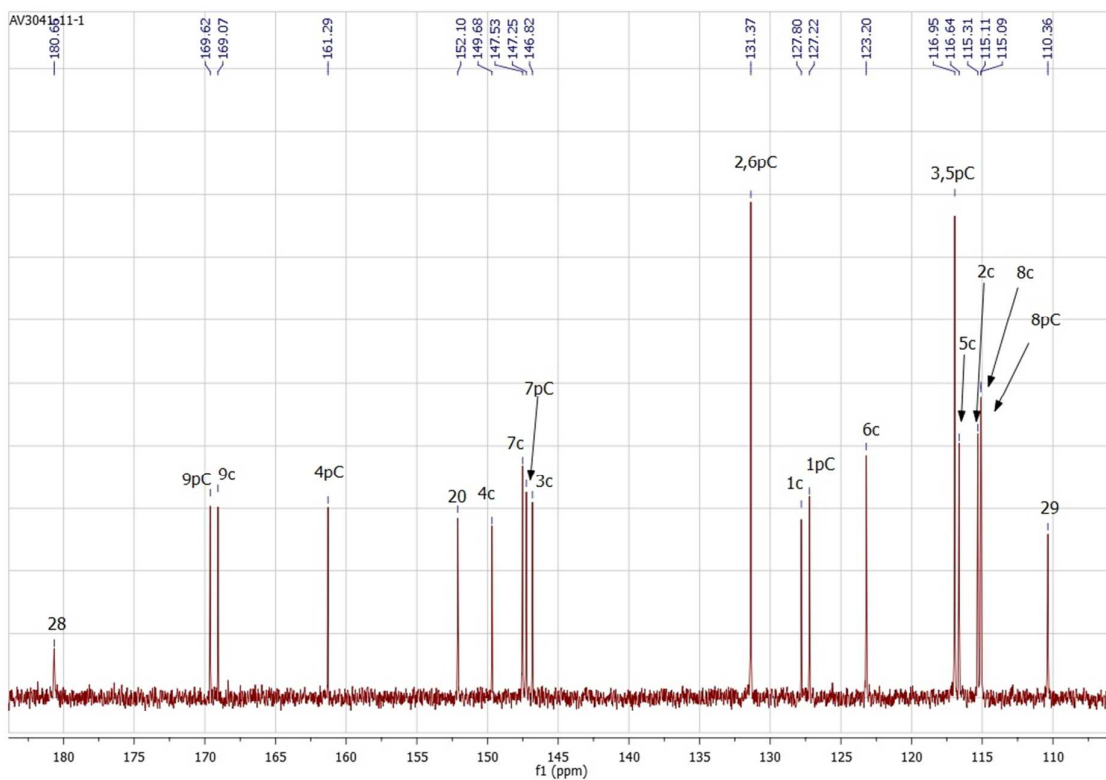


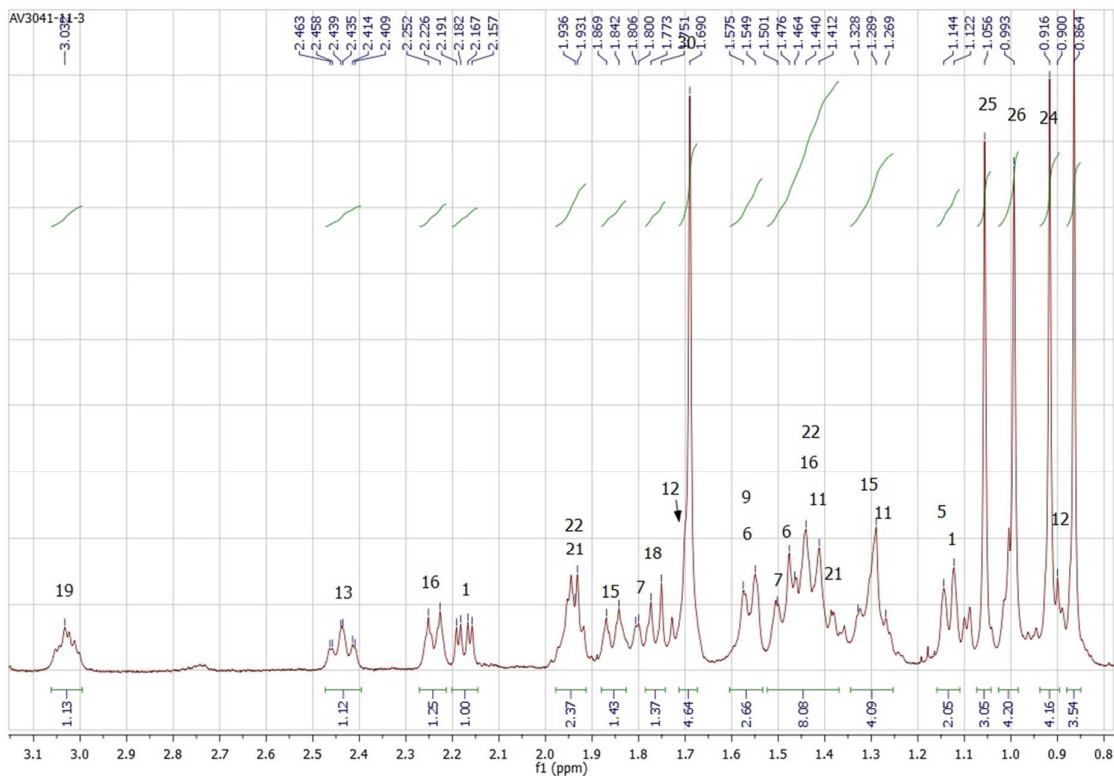
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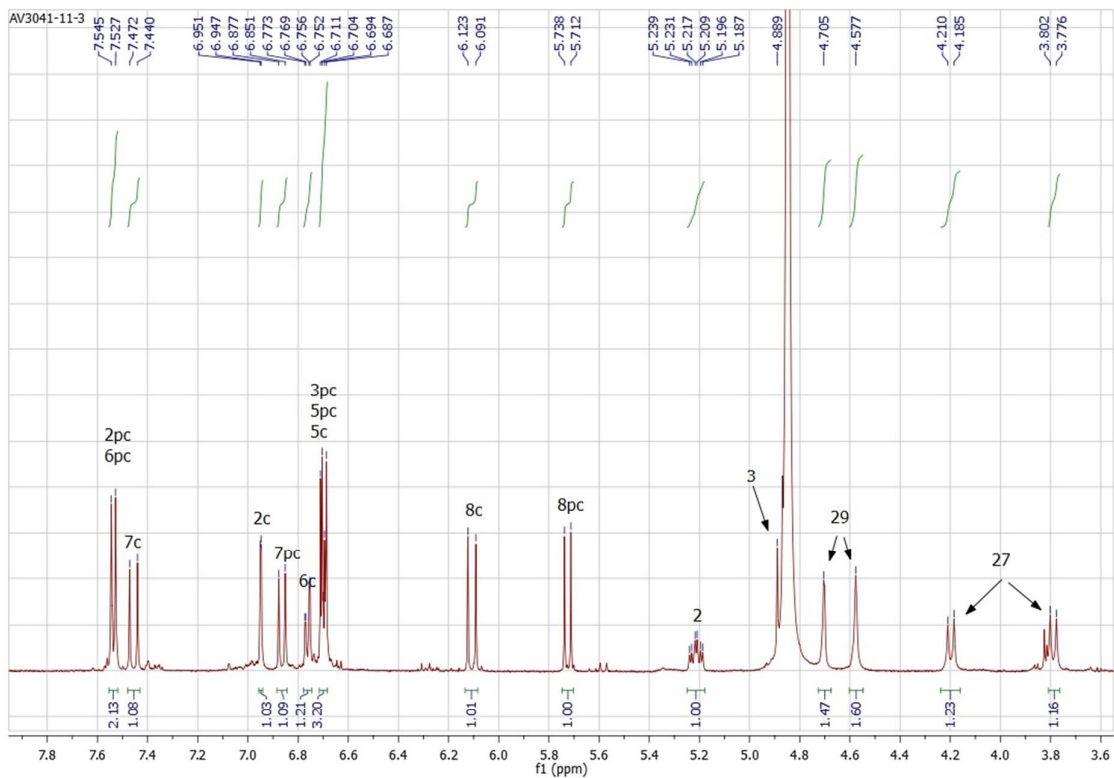
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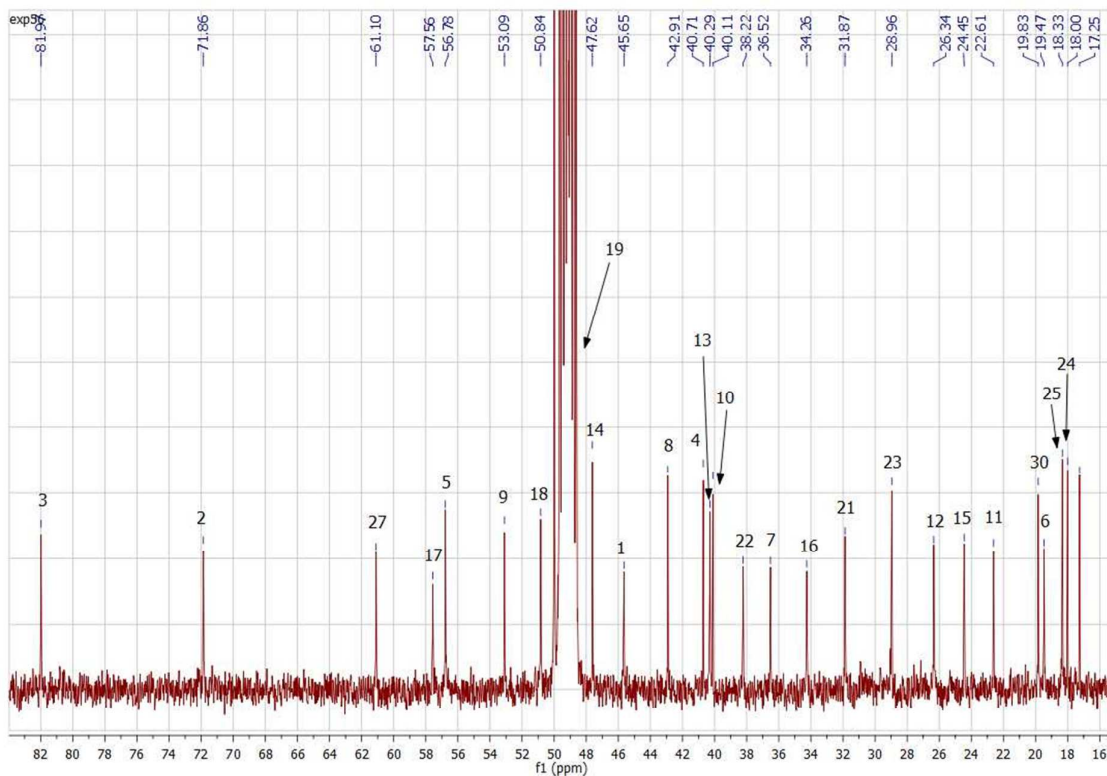
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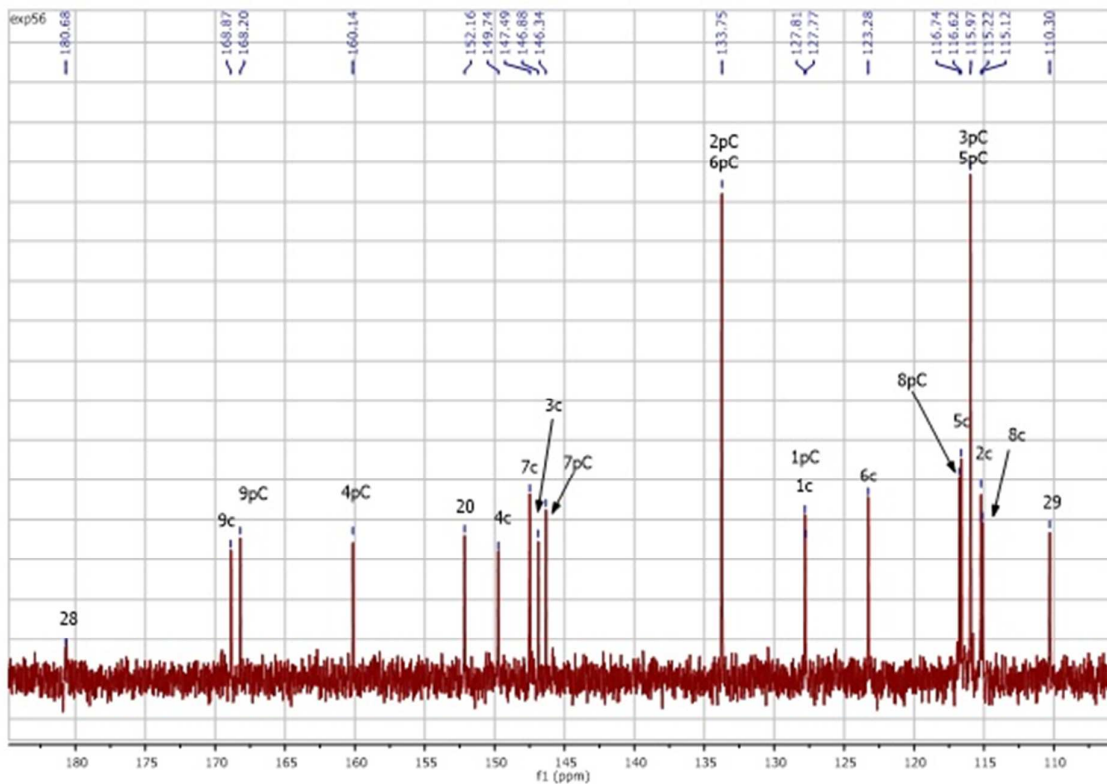
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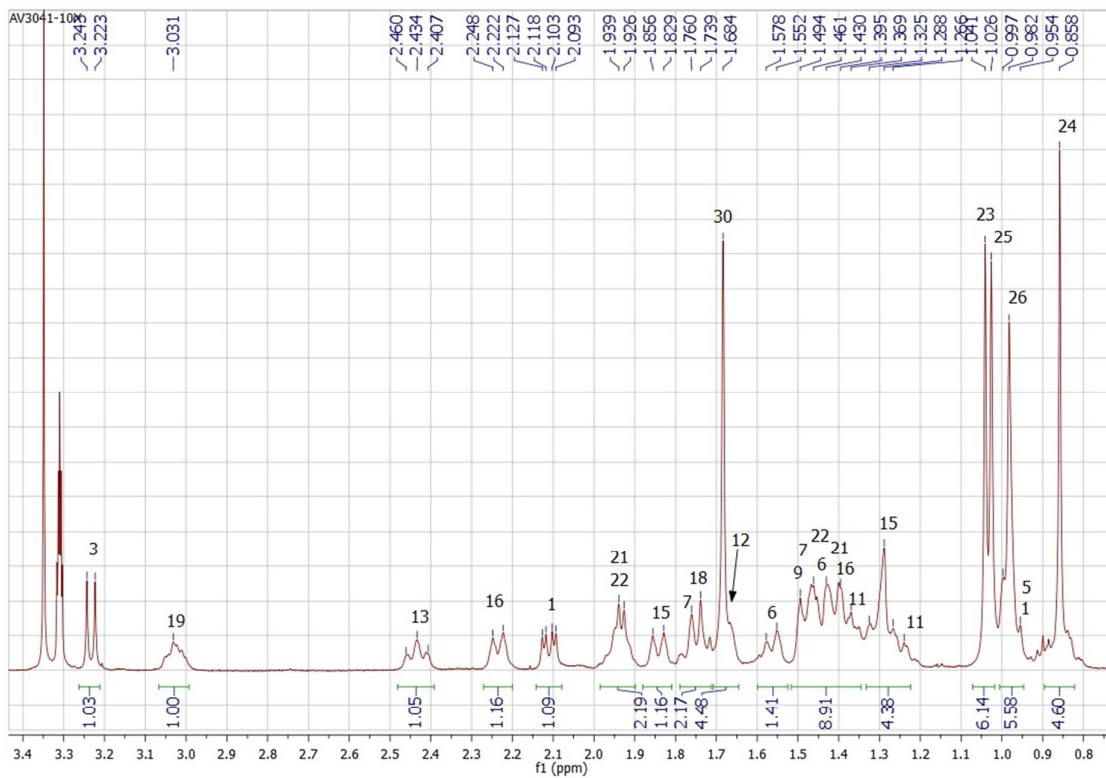
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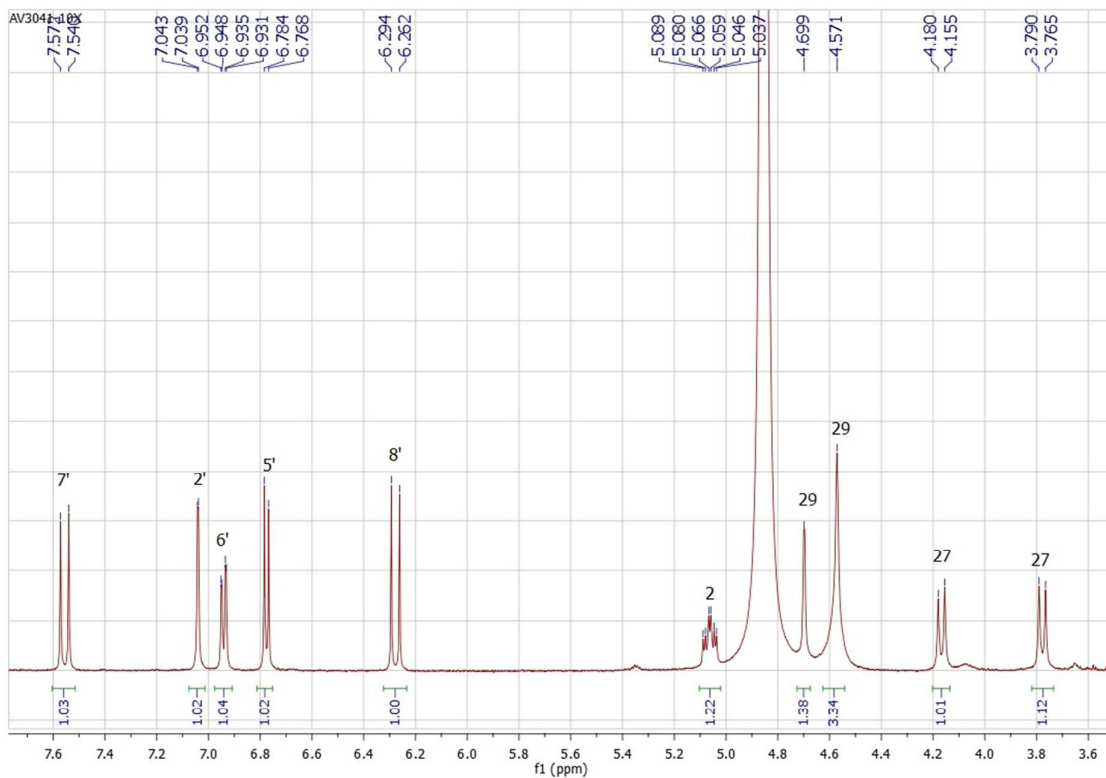
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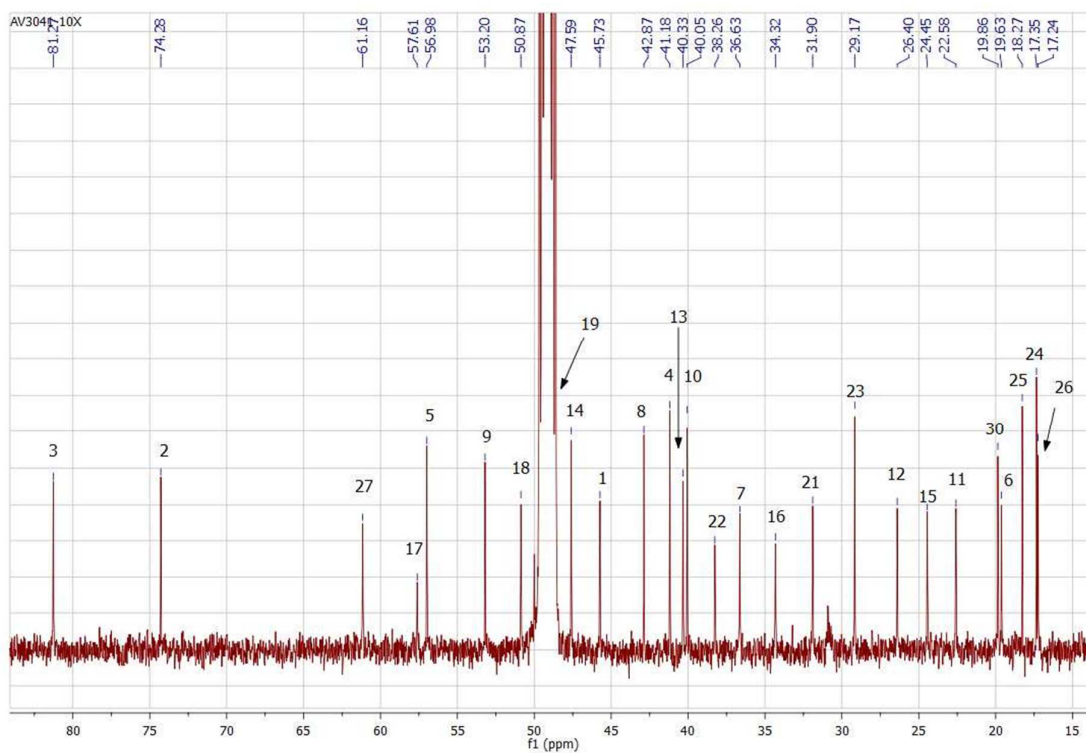


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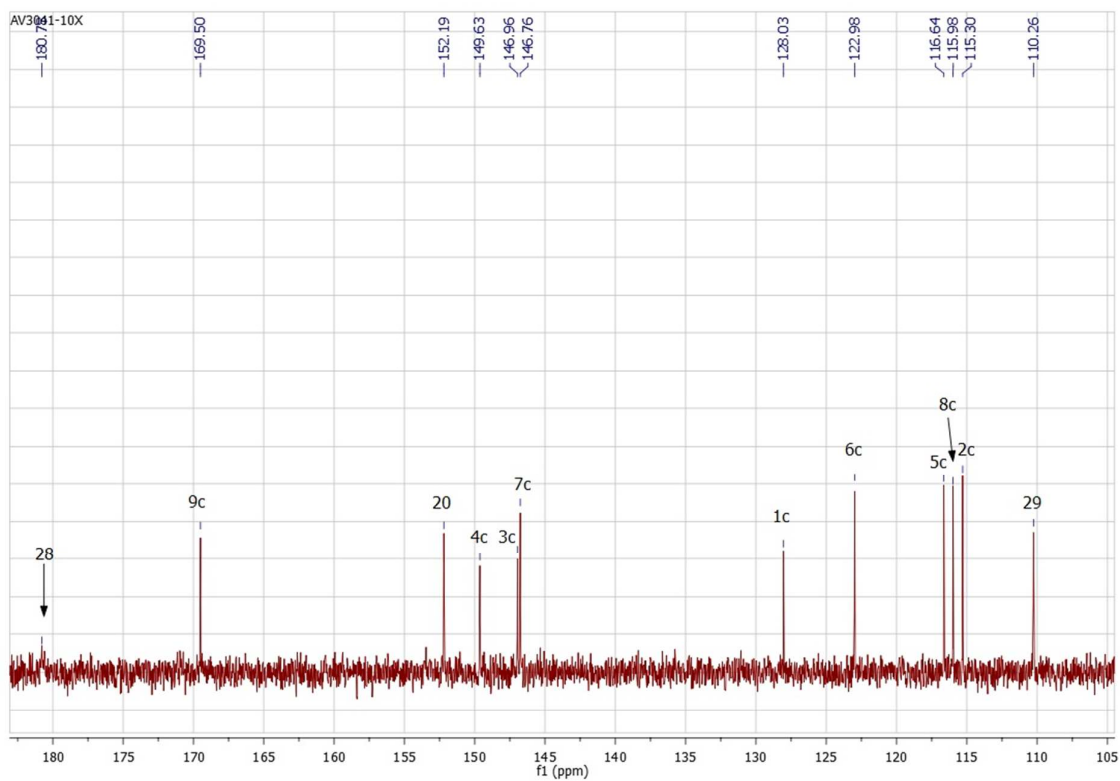


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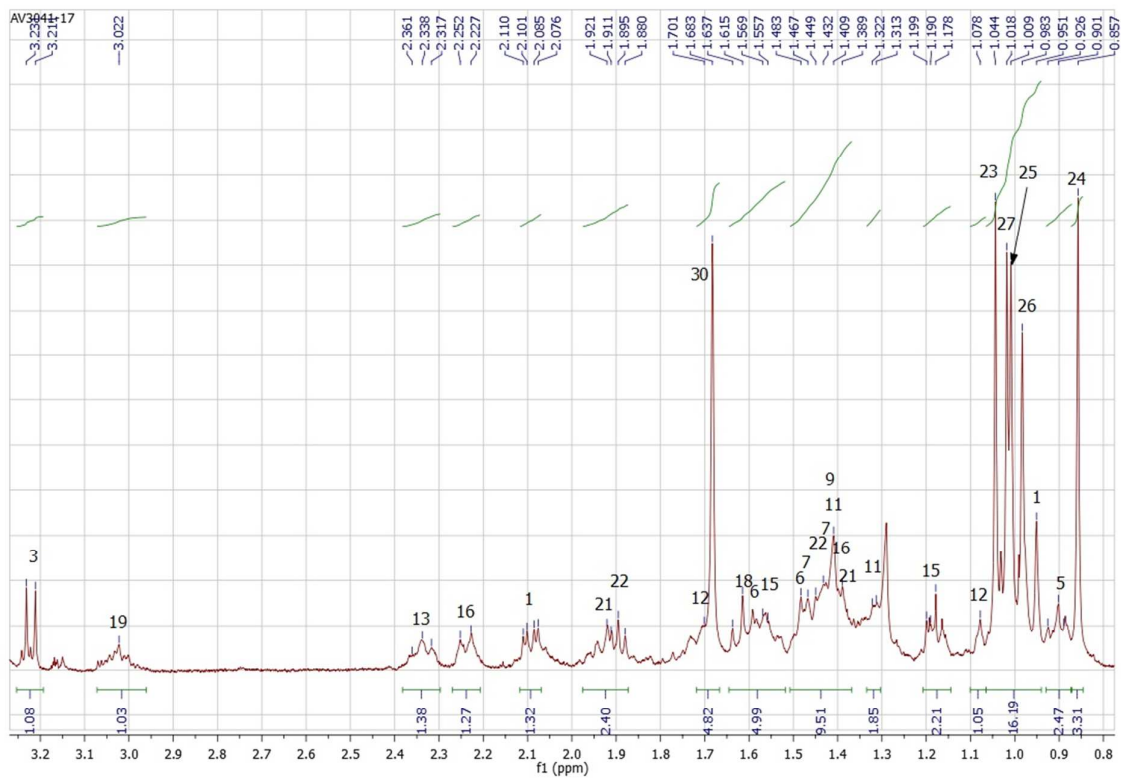




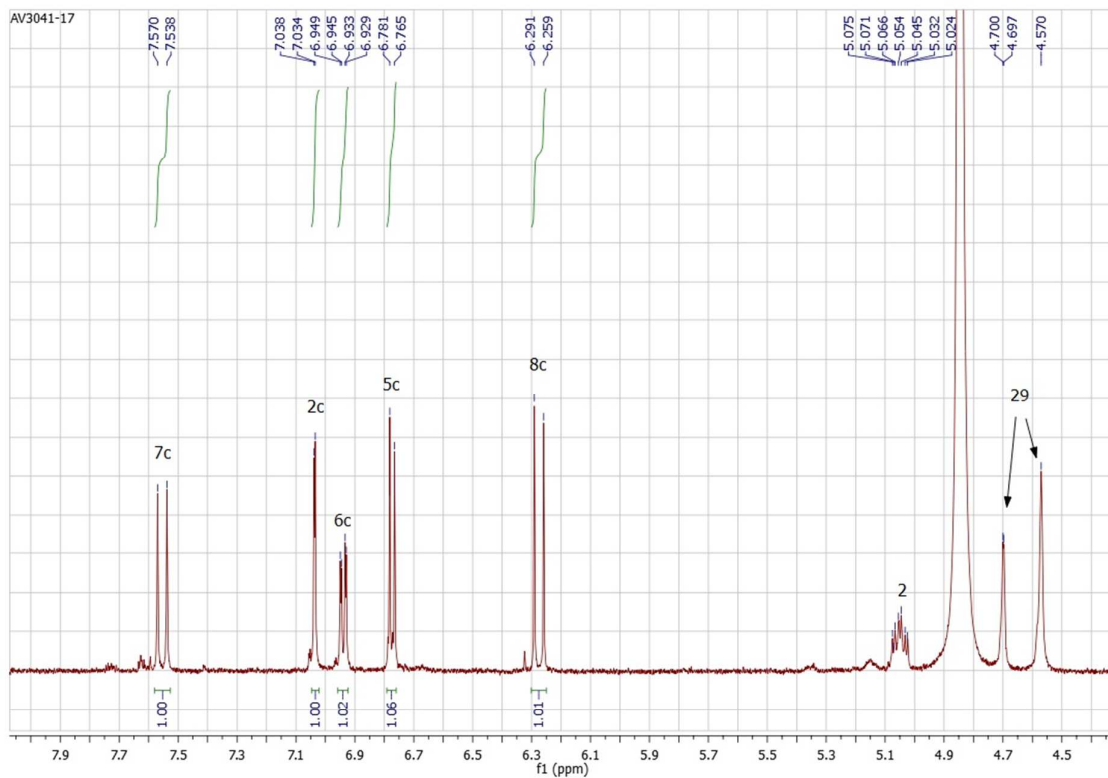
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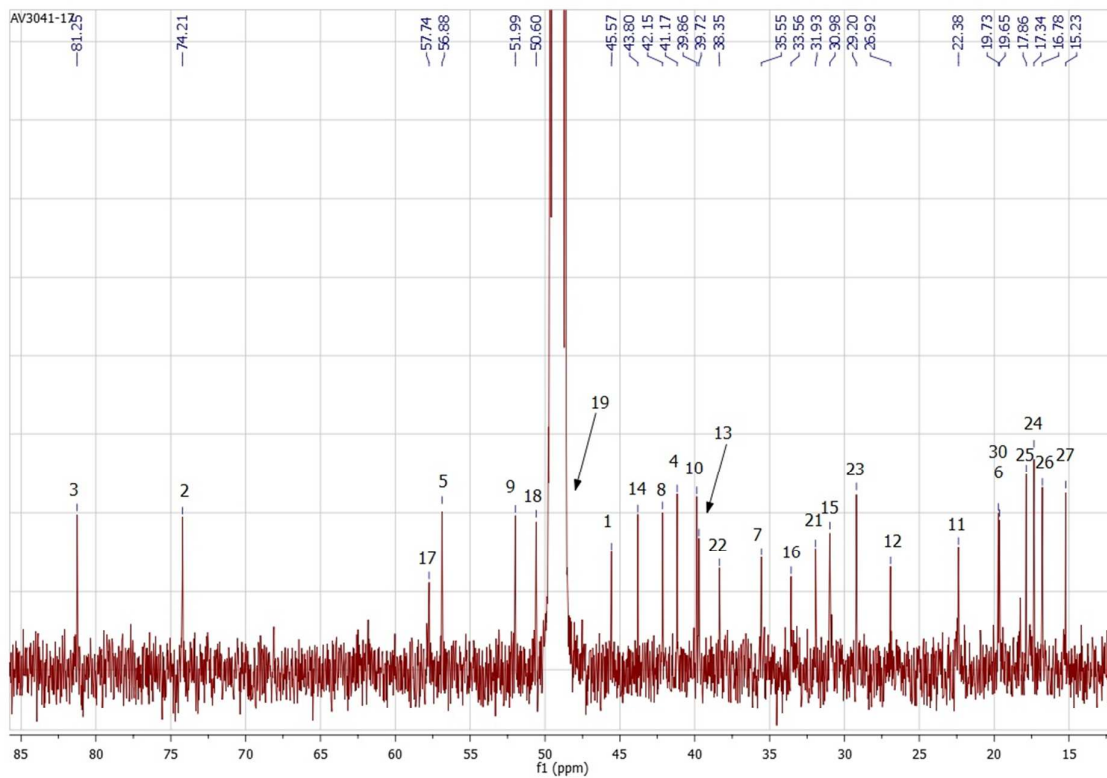
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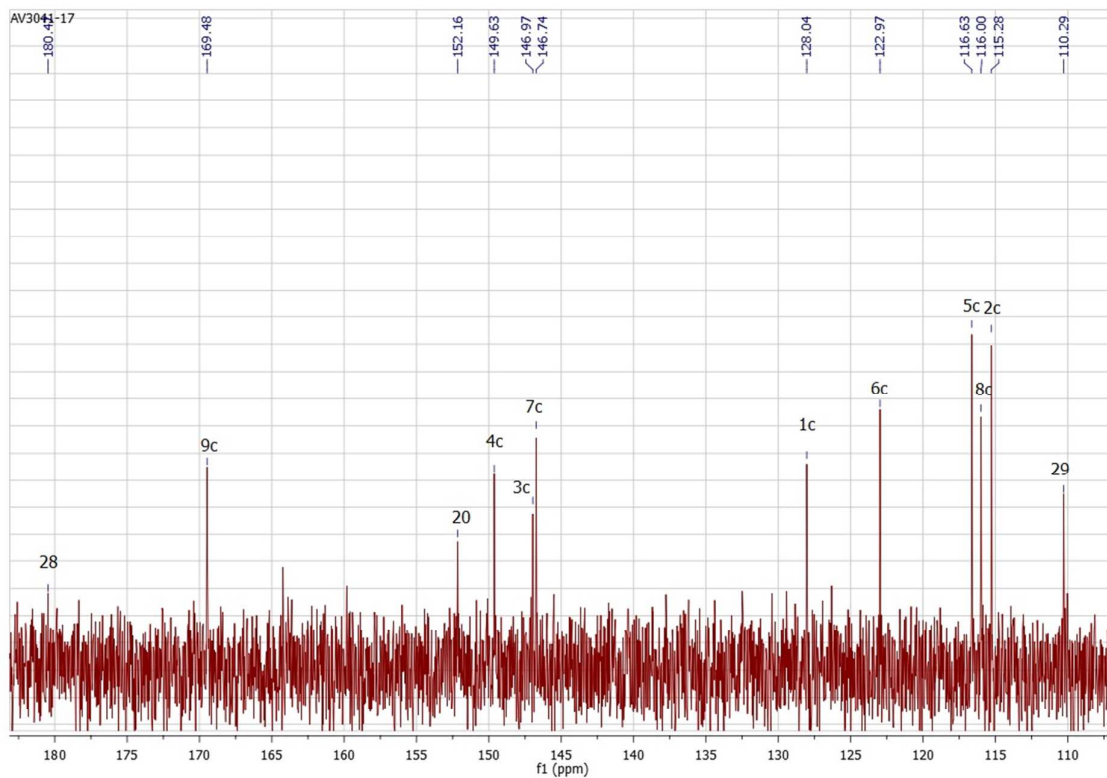
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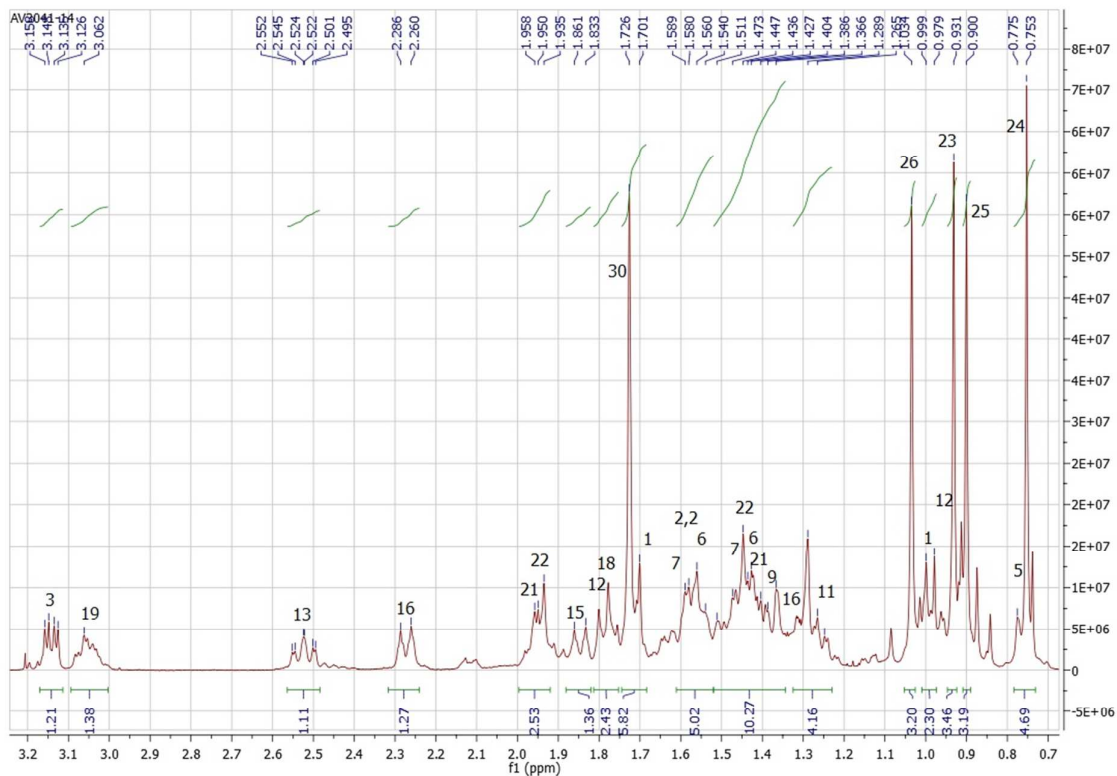


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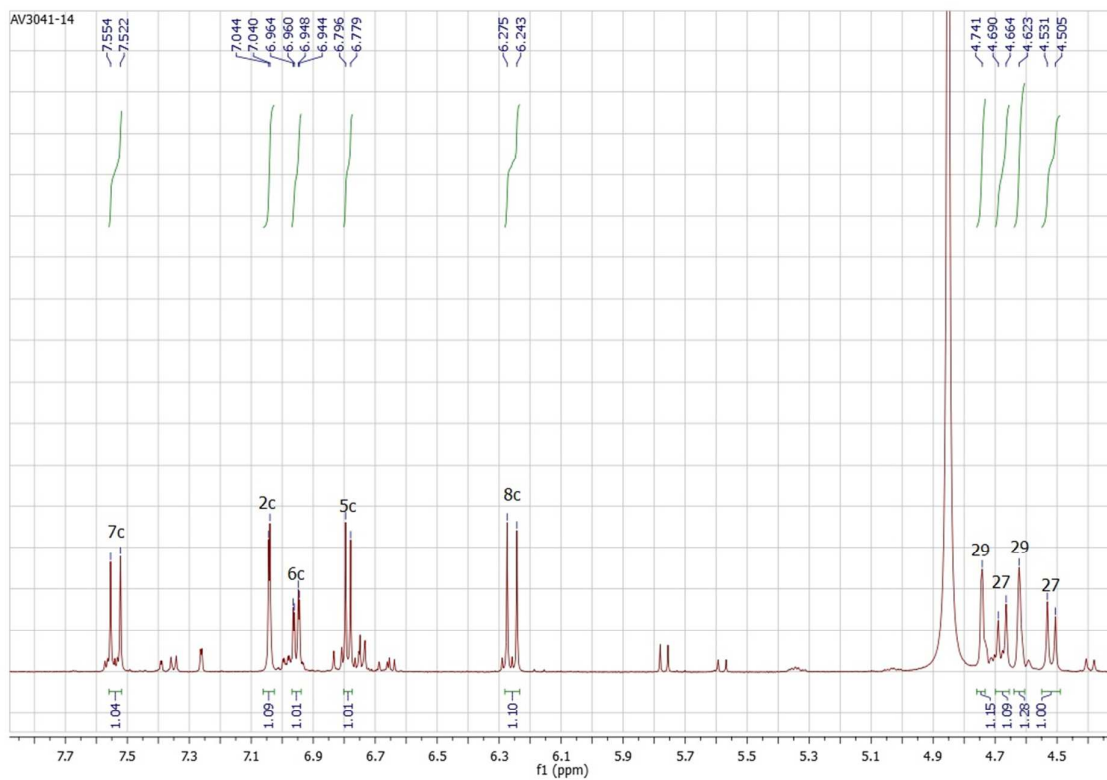
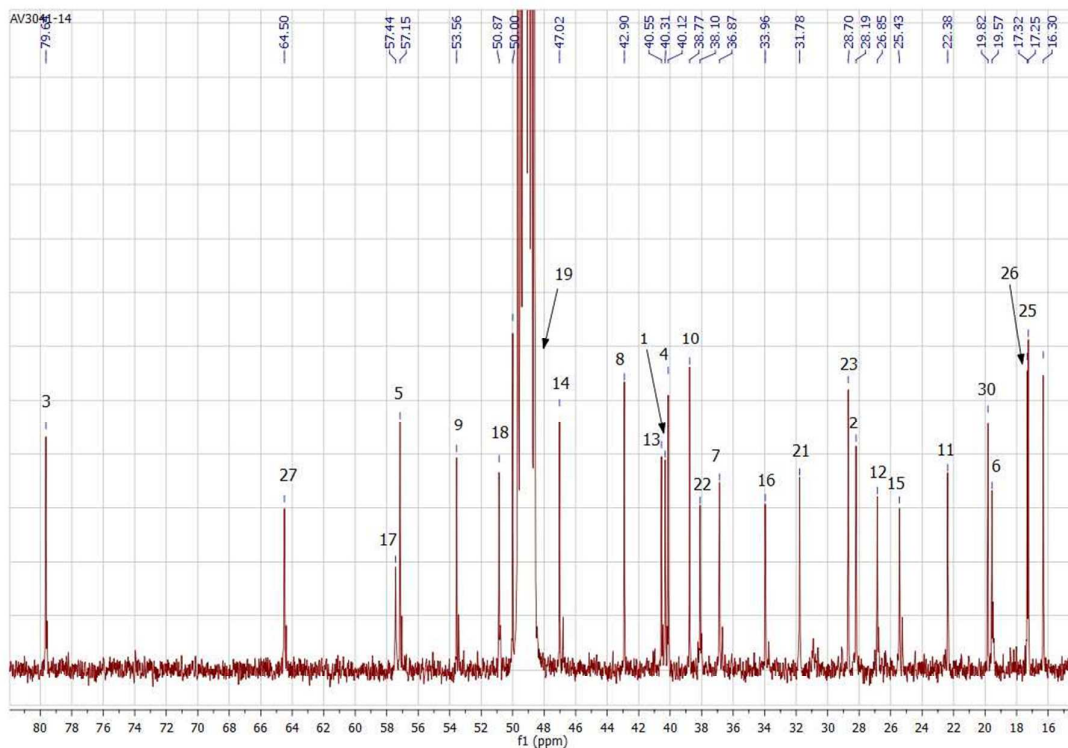
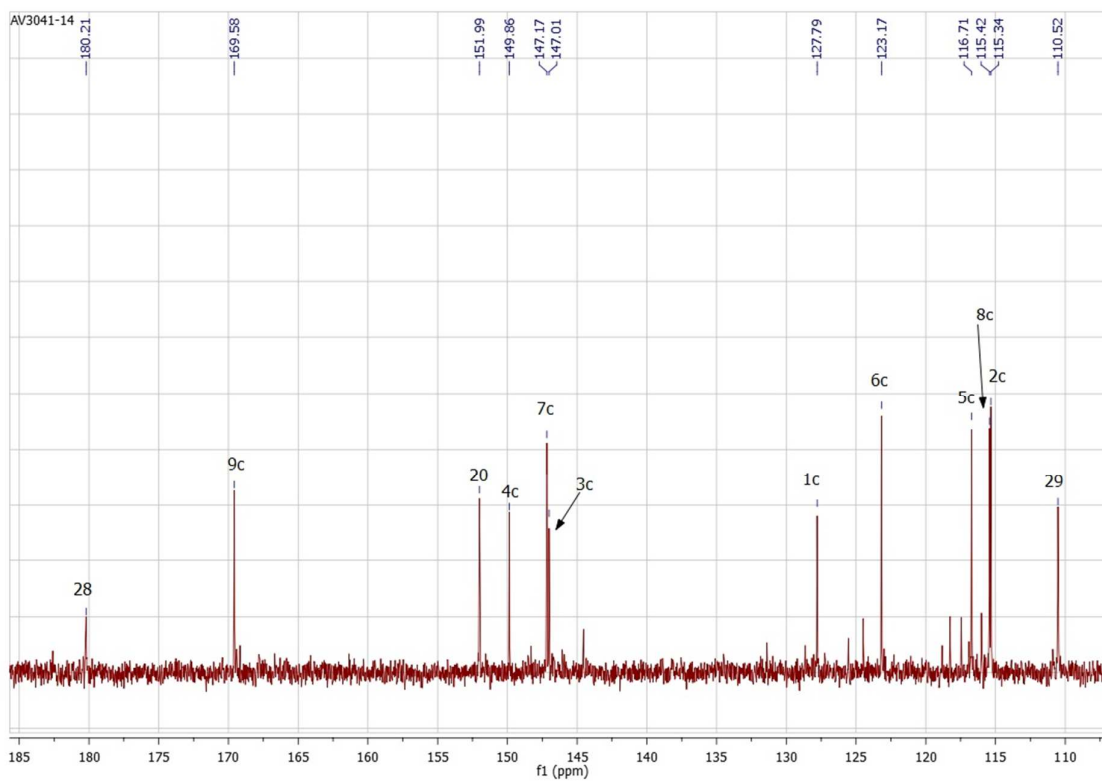


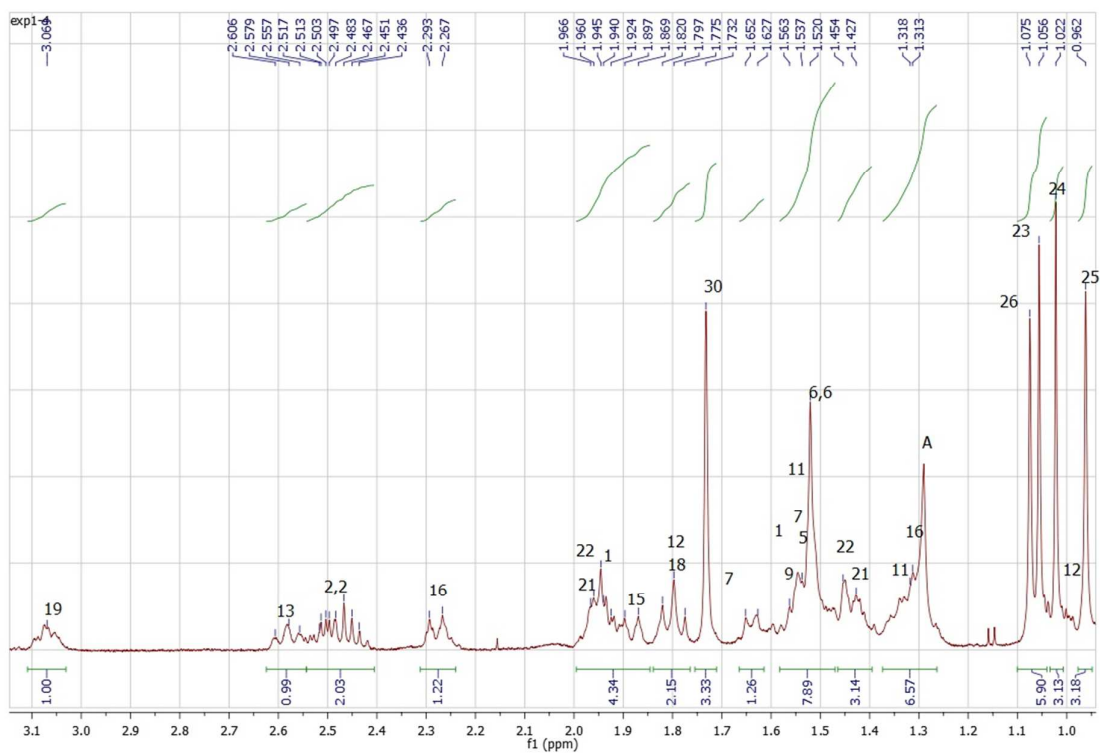
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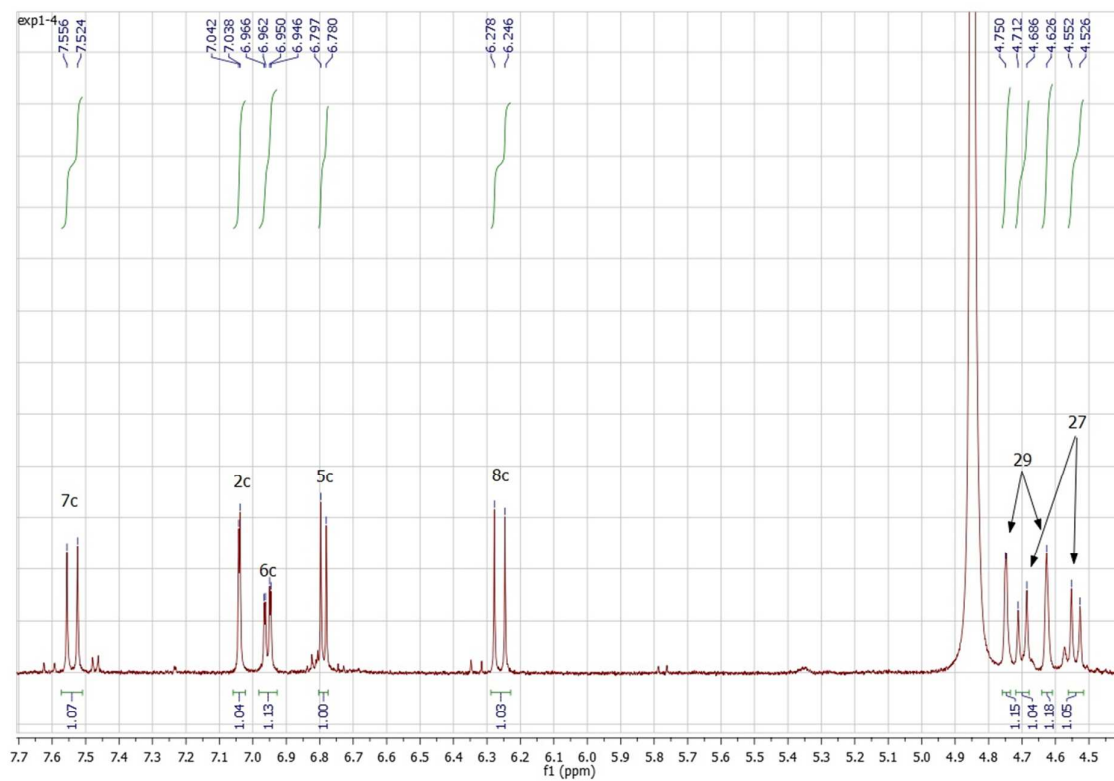
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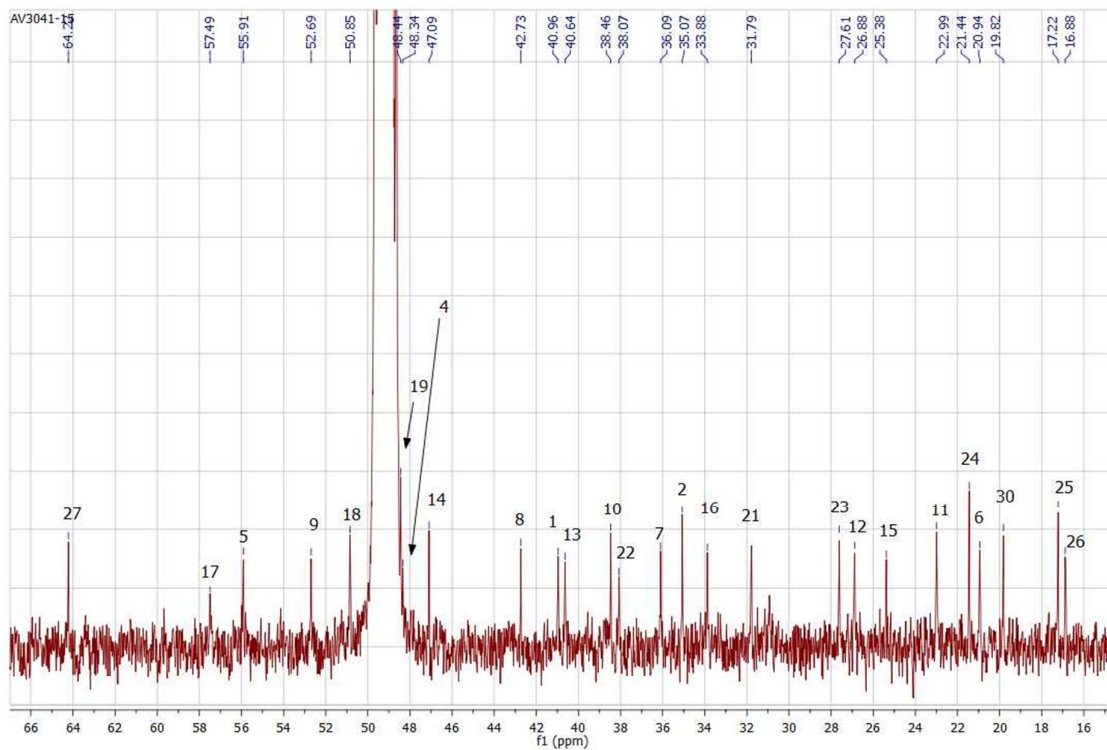
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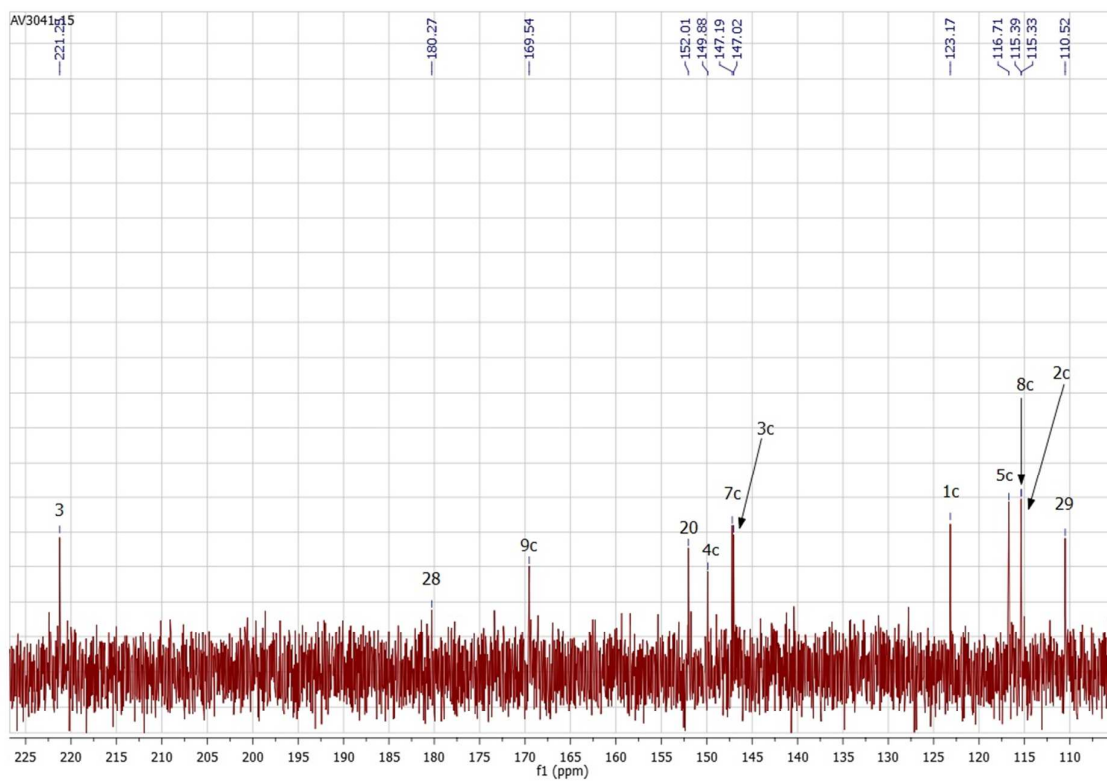
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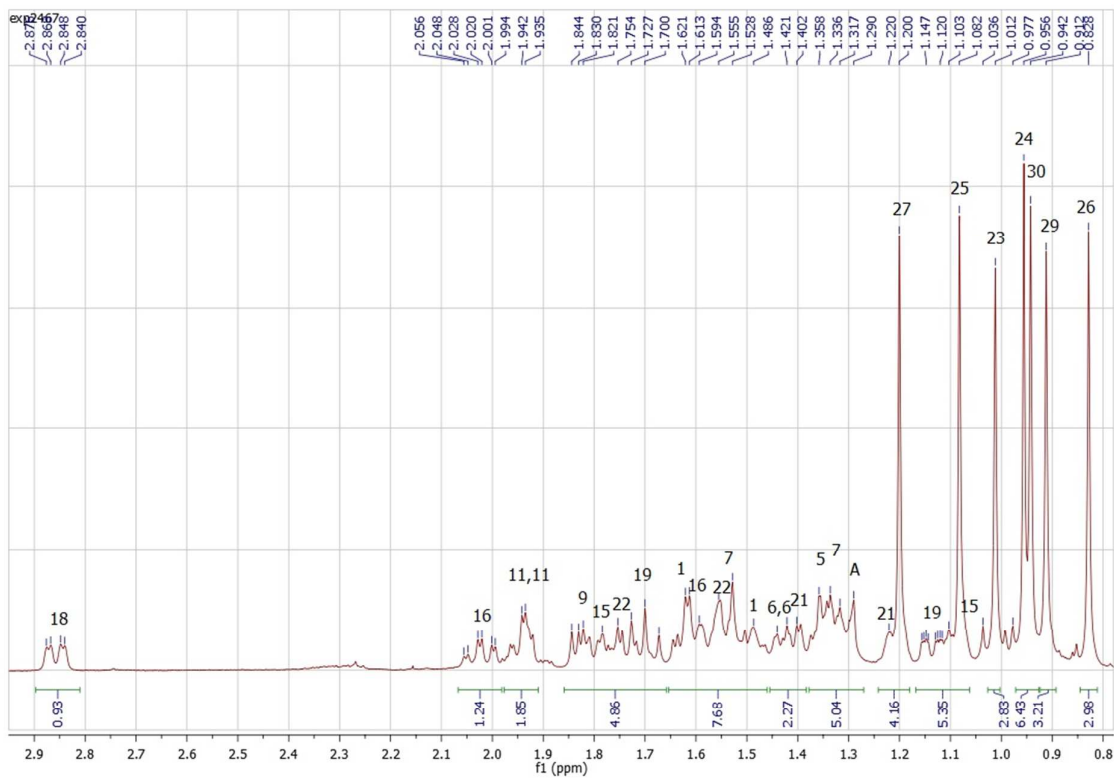
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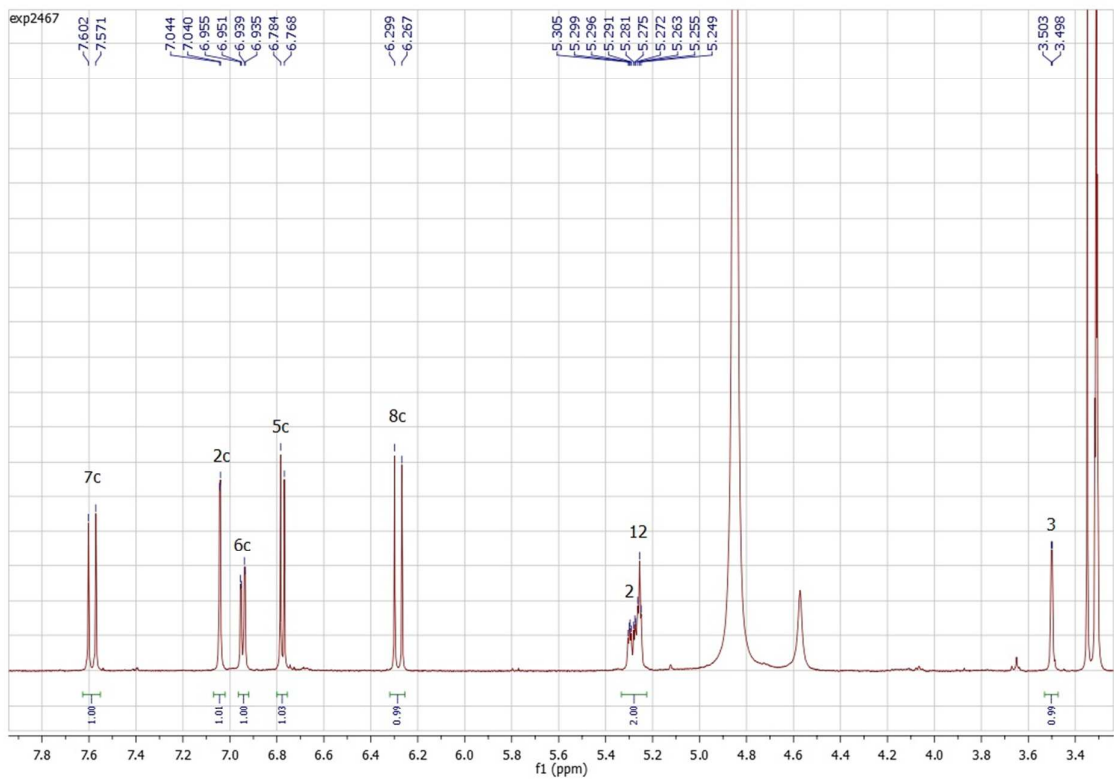
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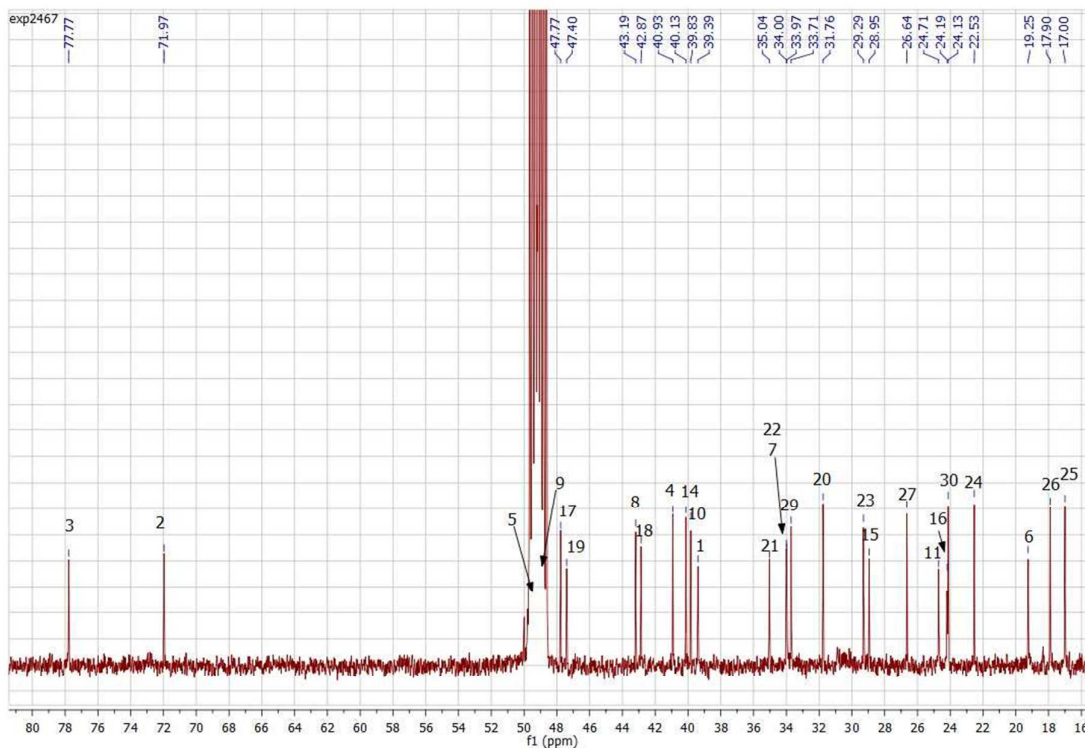


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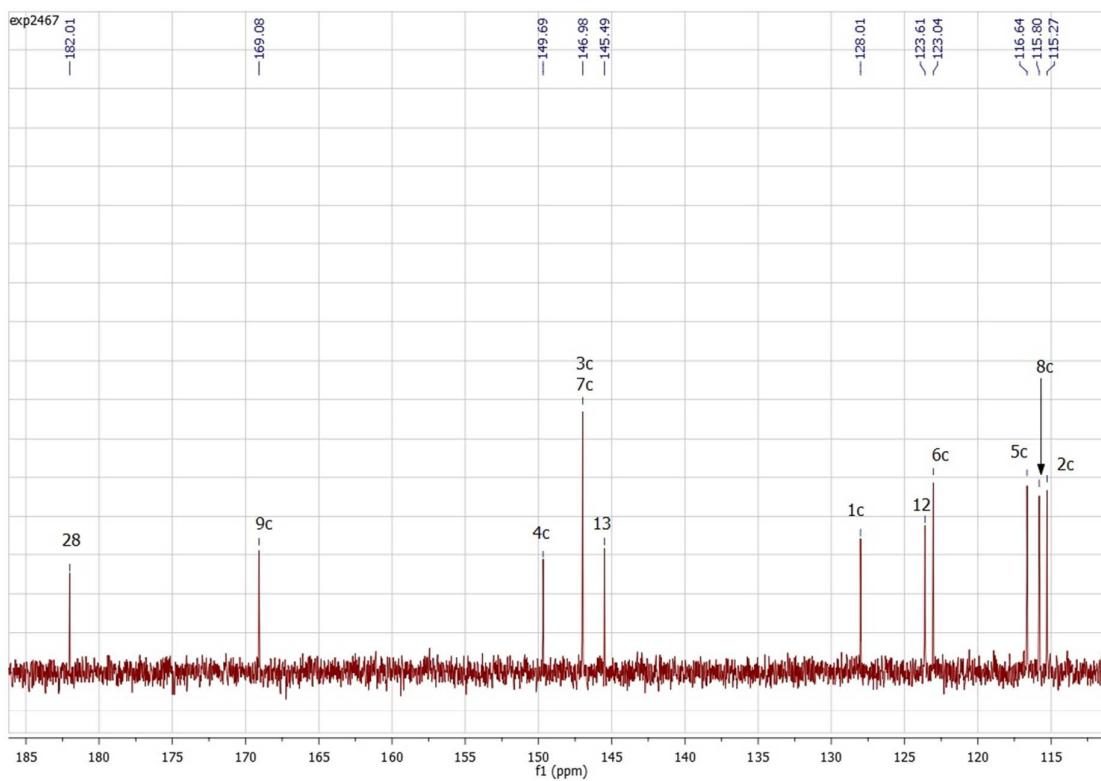


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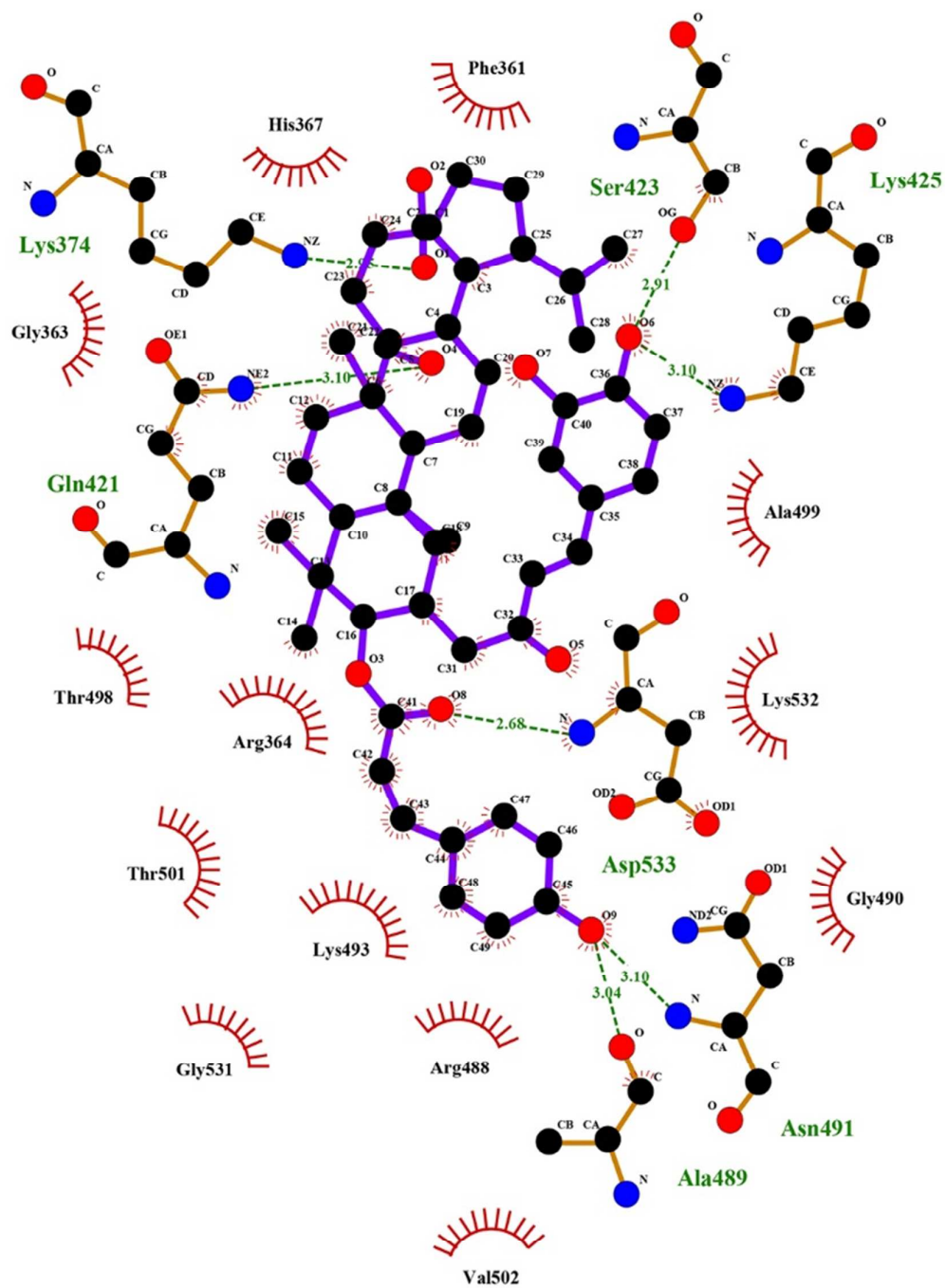




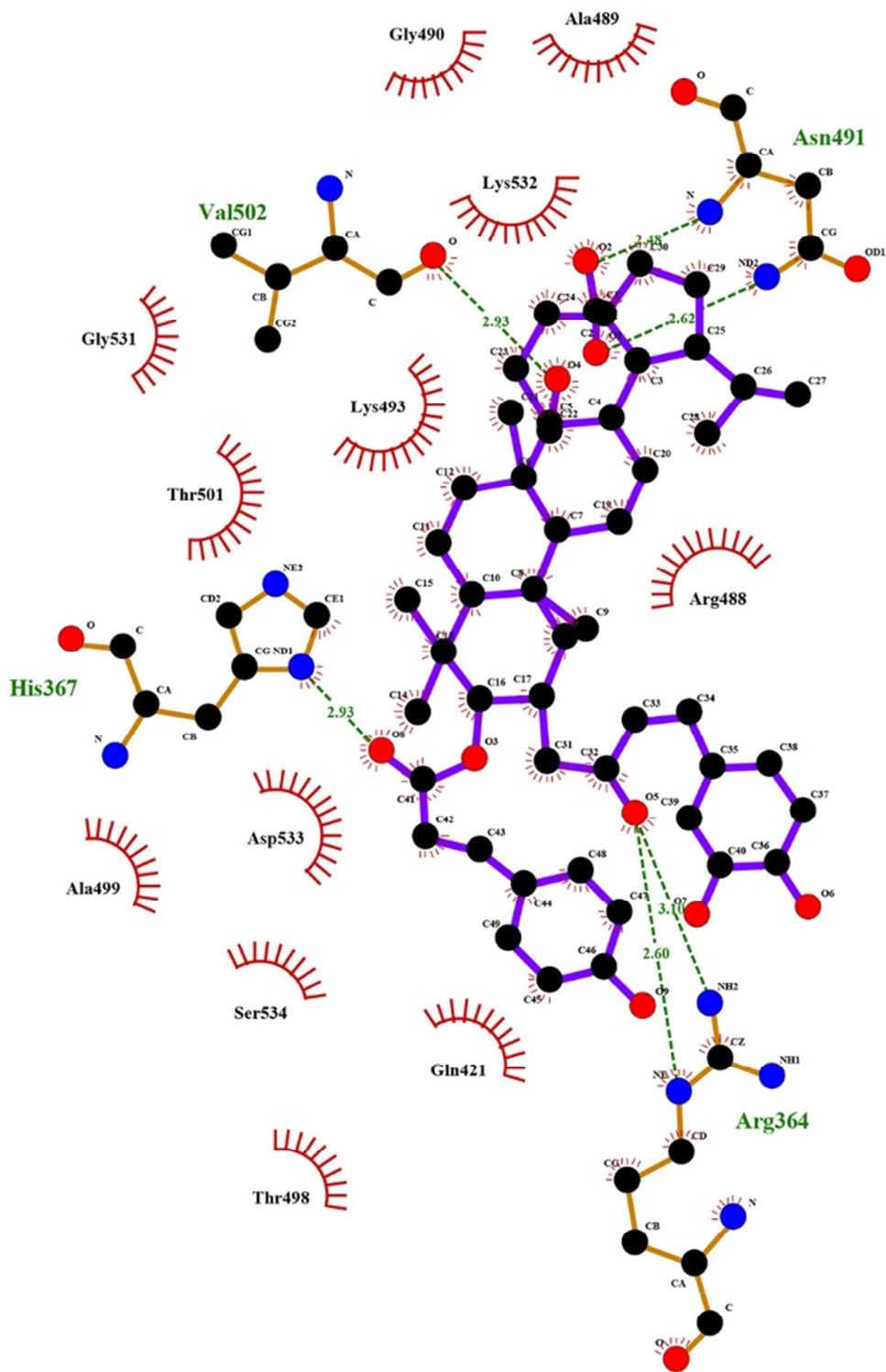
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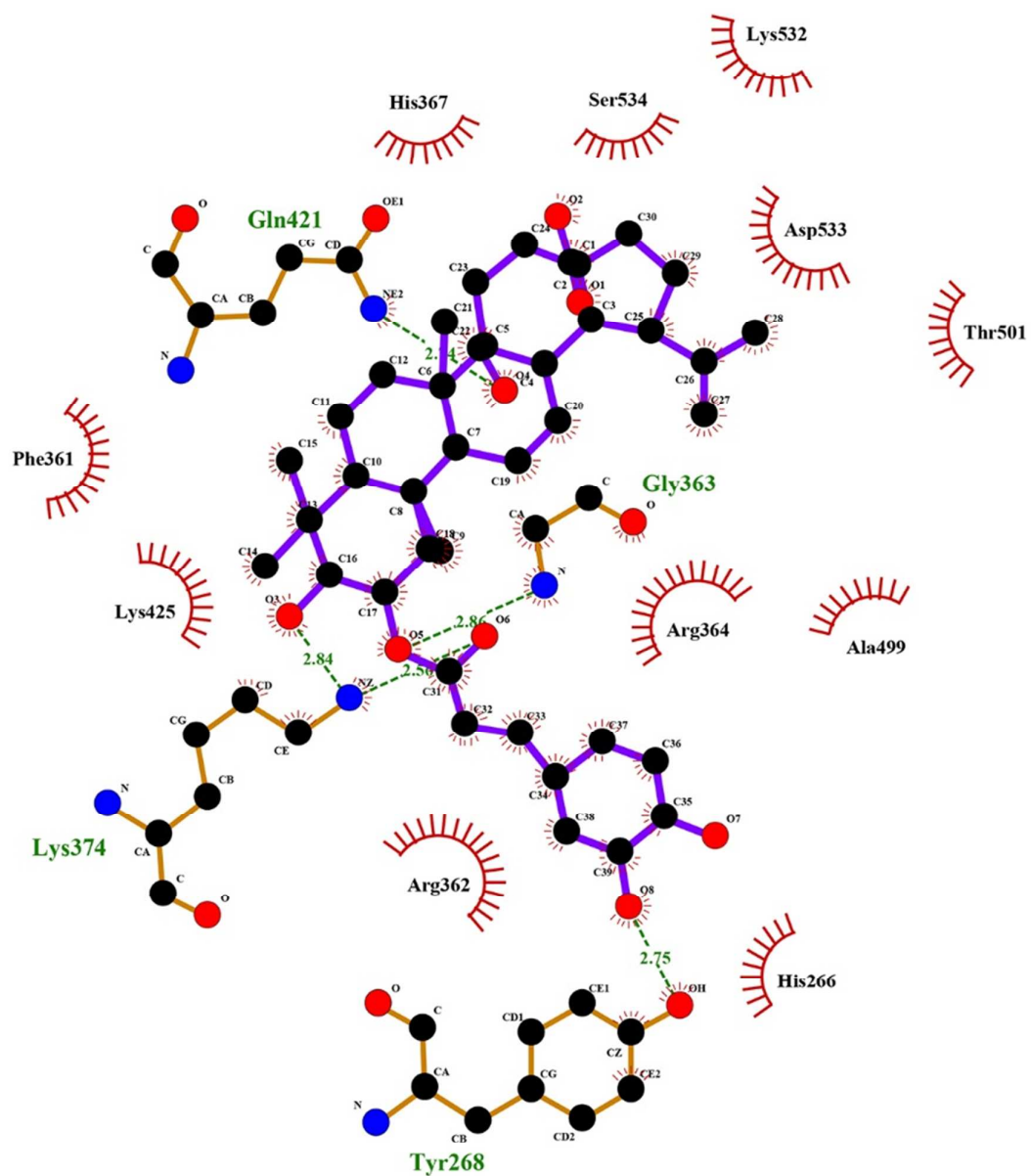
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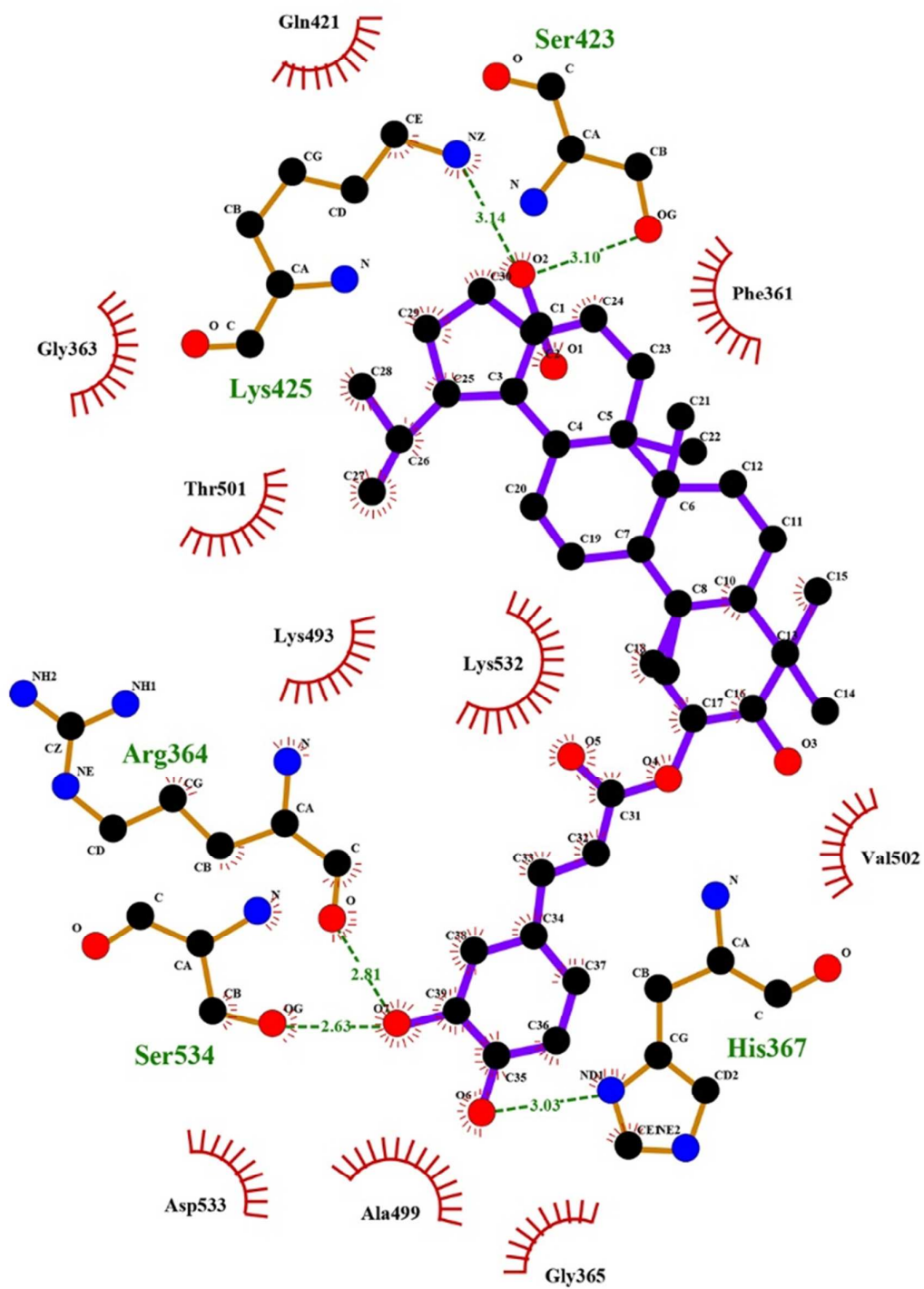
**Figure S29.** Two-dimensional representation of the best docking pose for compound 1 inside the topoisomerase I binding pocket.



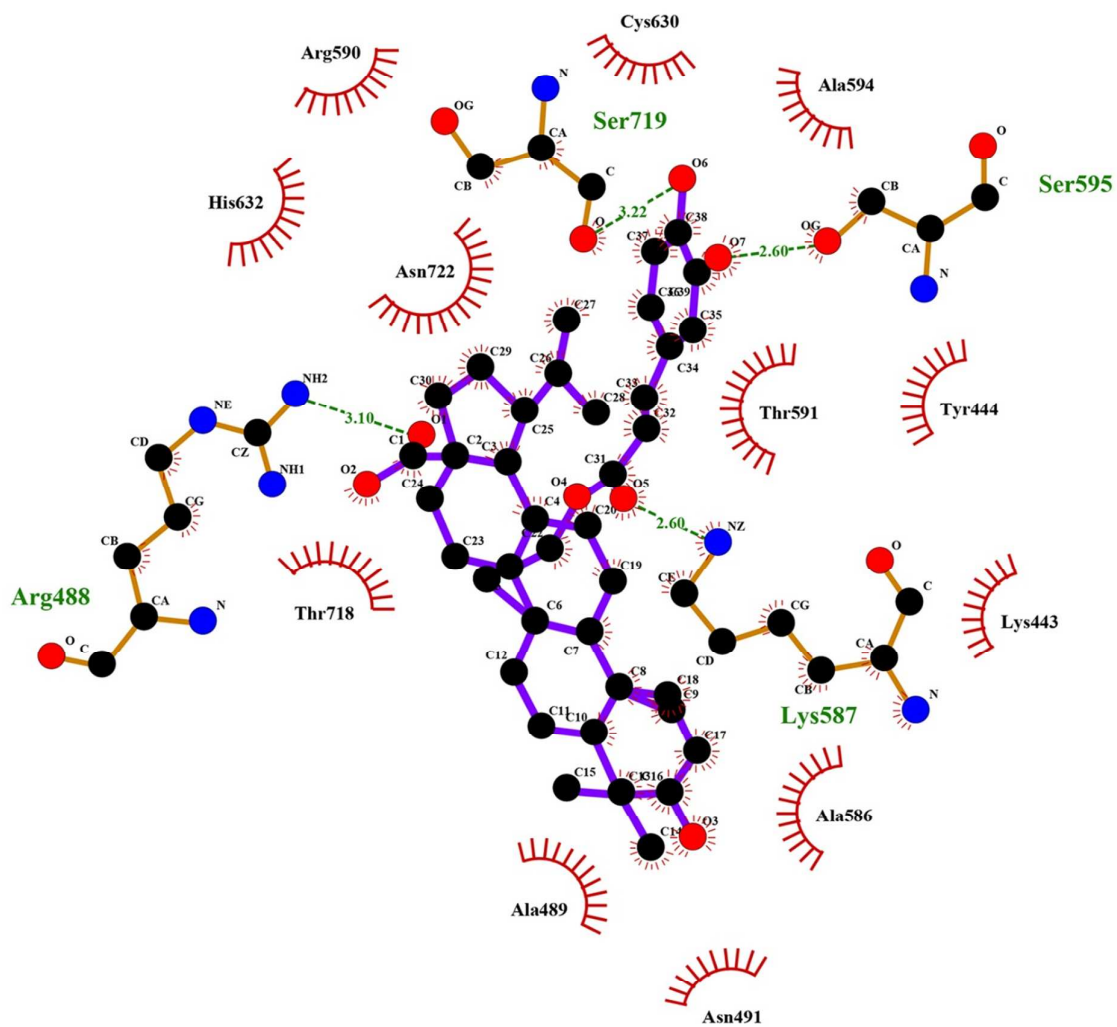
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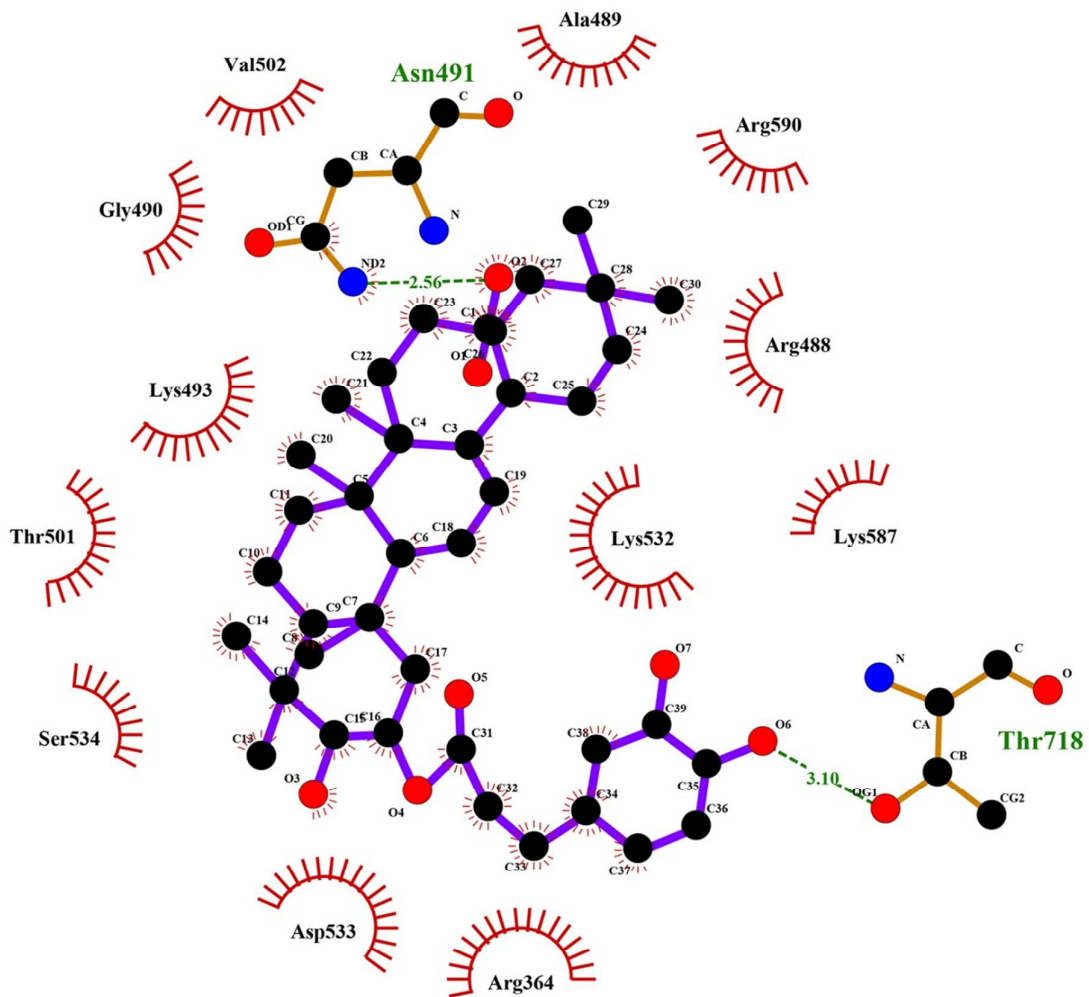
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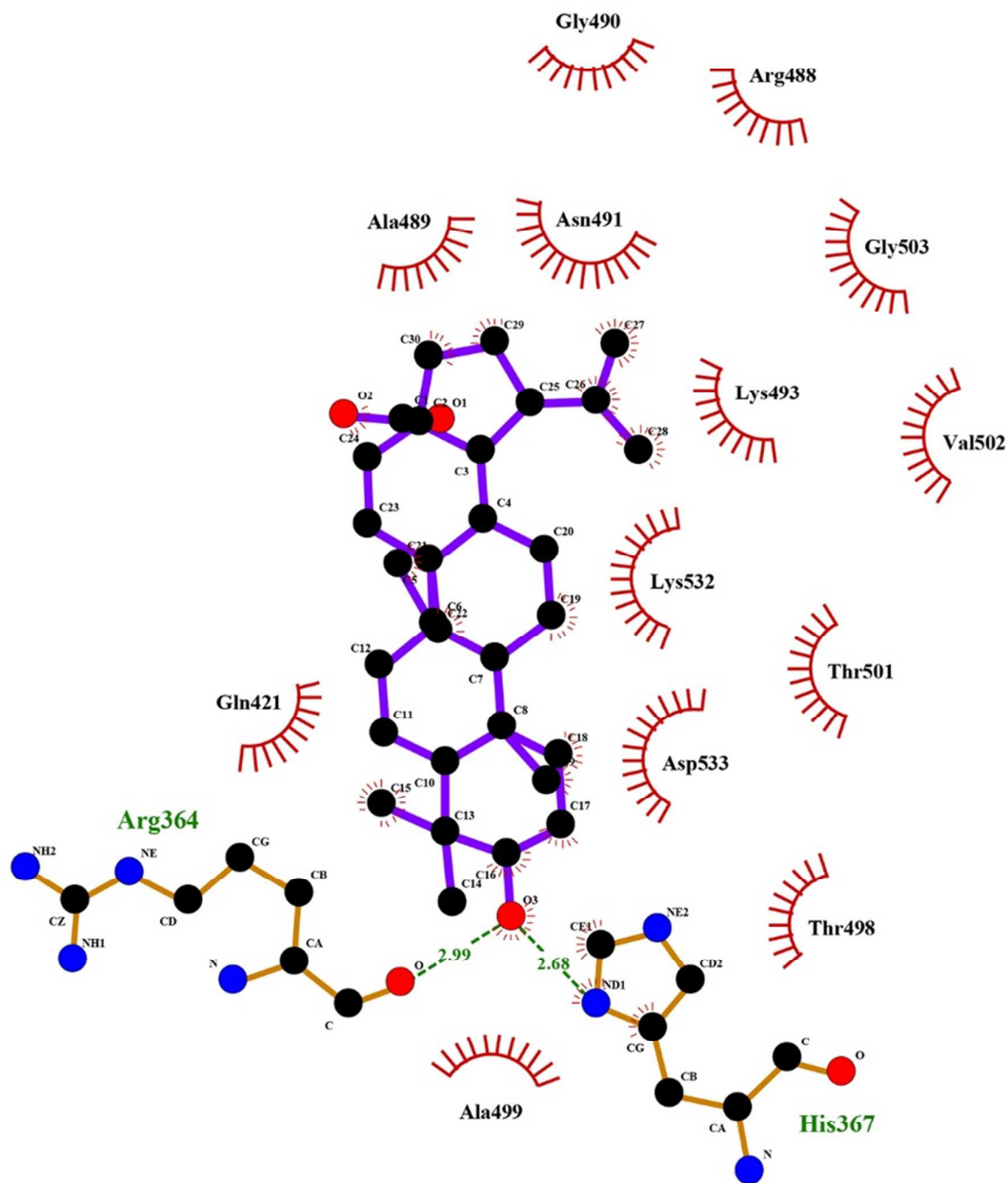
**Figure S32.** Two-dimensional representation of the best docking pose for compound 4 inside the topoisomerase I binding pocket.



**Figure S33.** Two-dimensional representation of the best docking pose for compound **6** inside the topoisomerase I binding pocket.

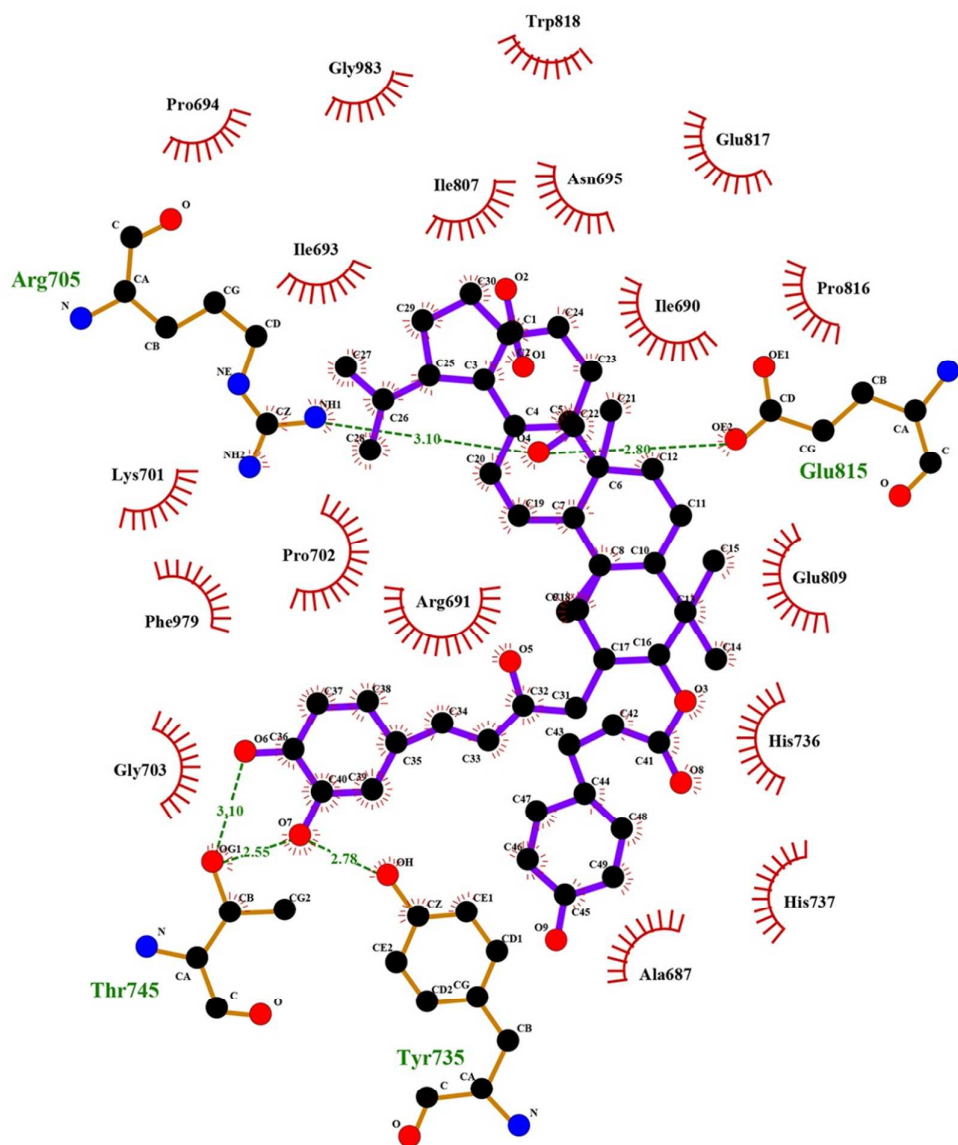


**Figure S34.** Two-dimensional representation of the best docking pose for compound 7 inside the topoisomerase I binding pocket.

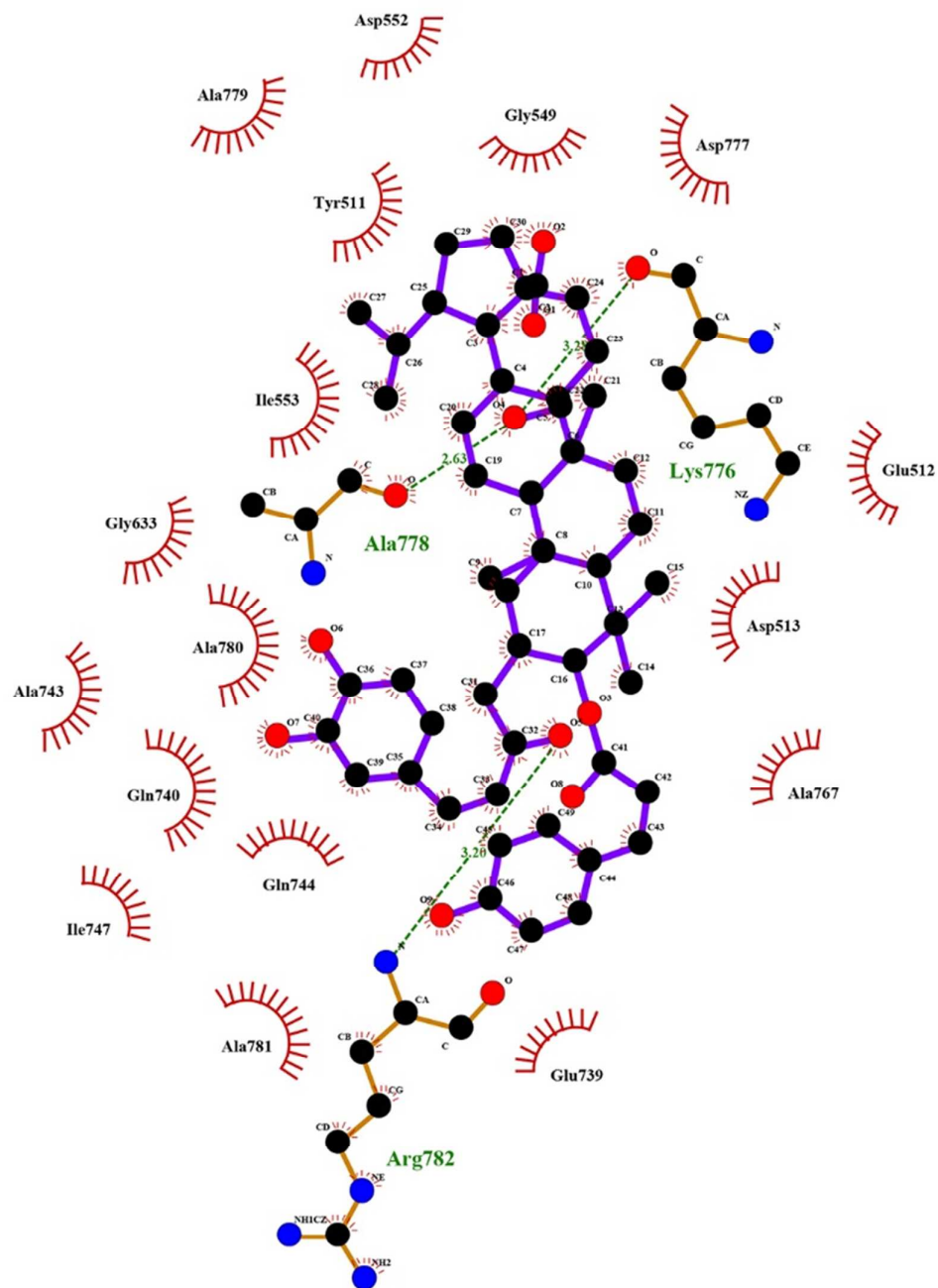


**Figure S35.** Two-dimensional representation of the best docking pose for betulinic acid inside the topoisomerase I binding pocket.

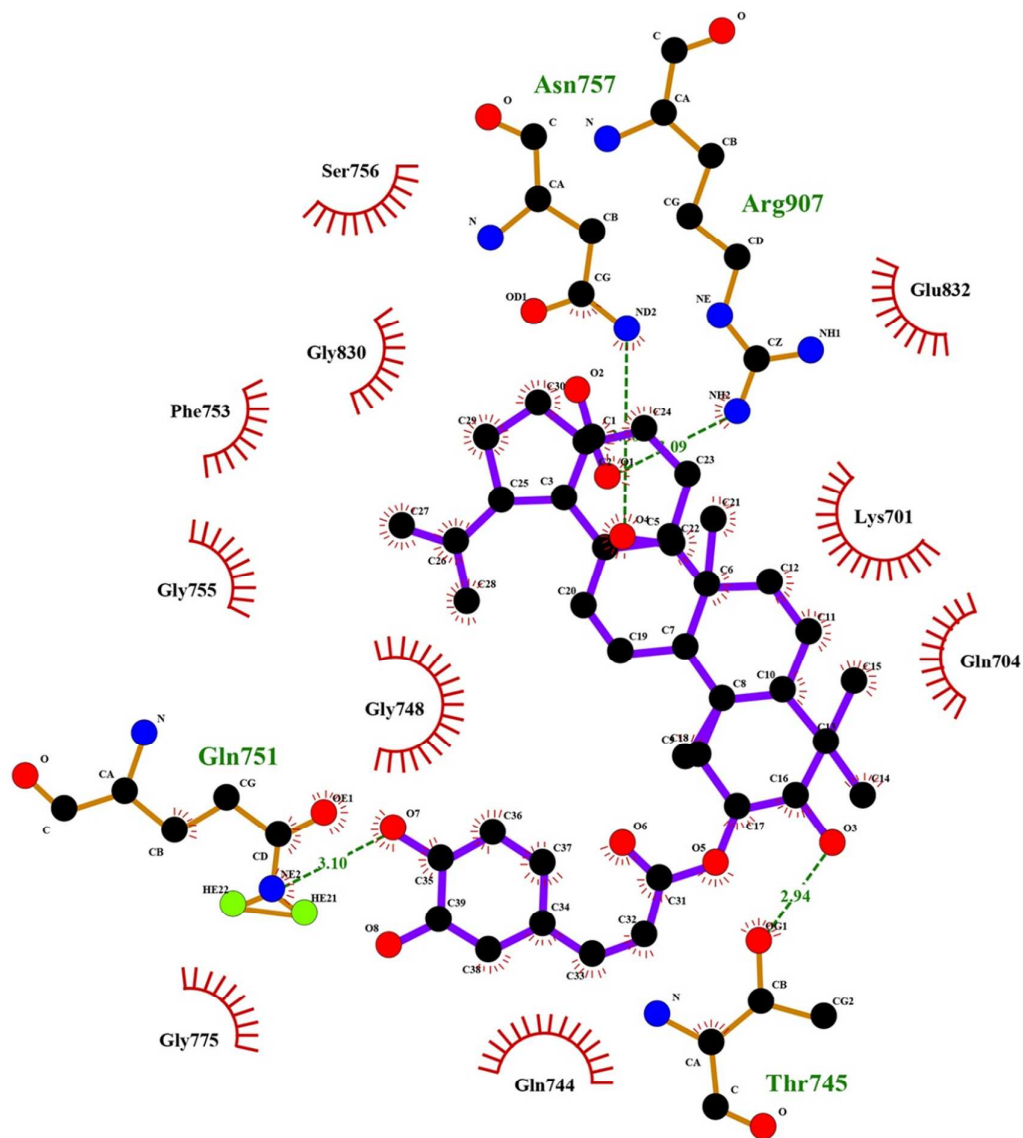




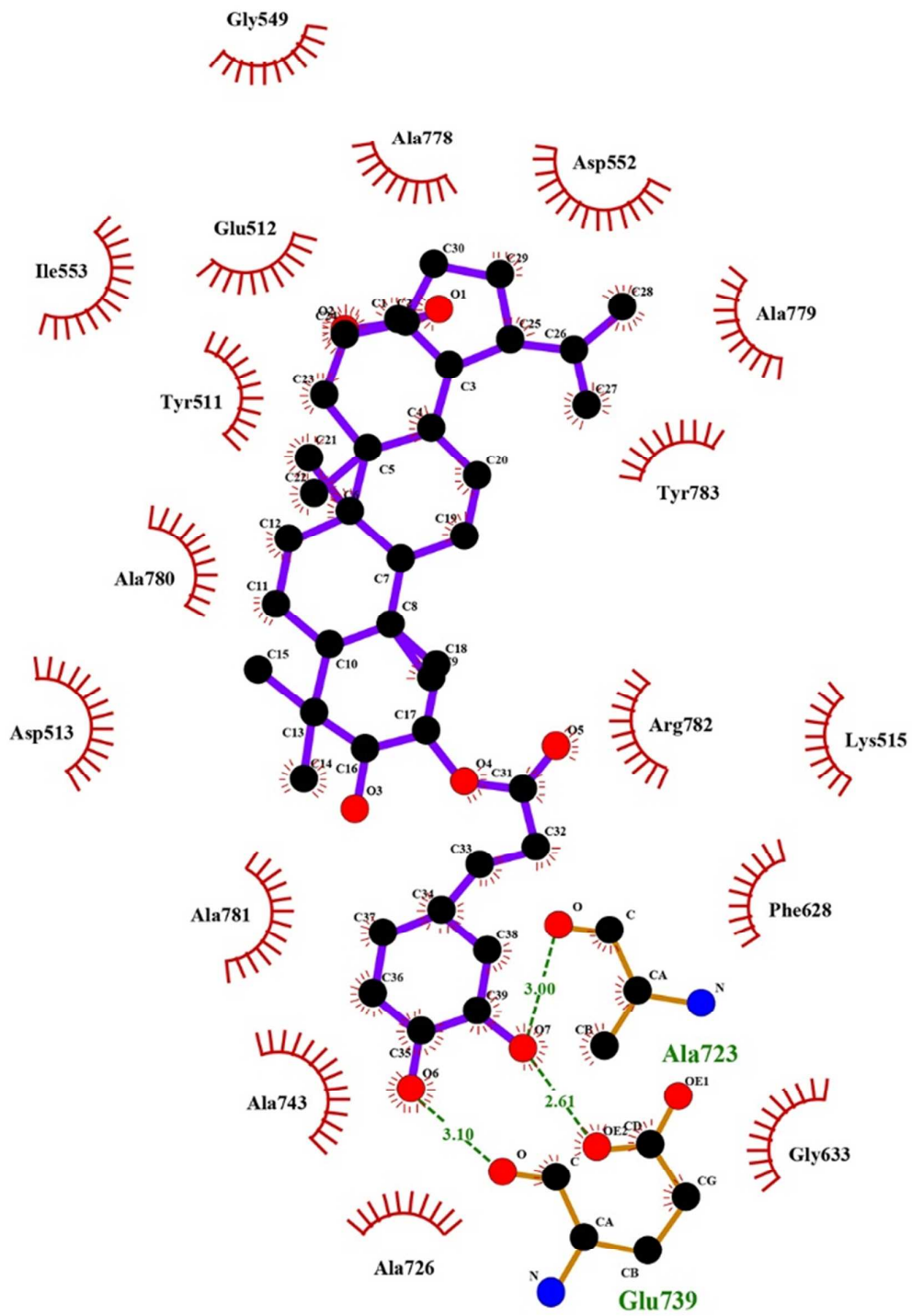
**Figure S36.** Two-dimensional representation of the best docking pose for compound **1** inside the topoisomerase II $\alpha$  binding pocket.



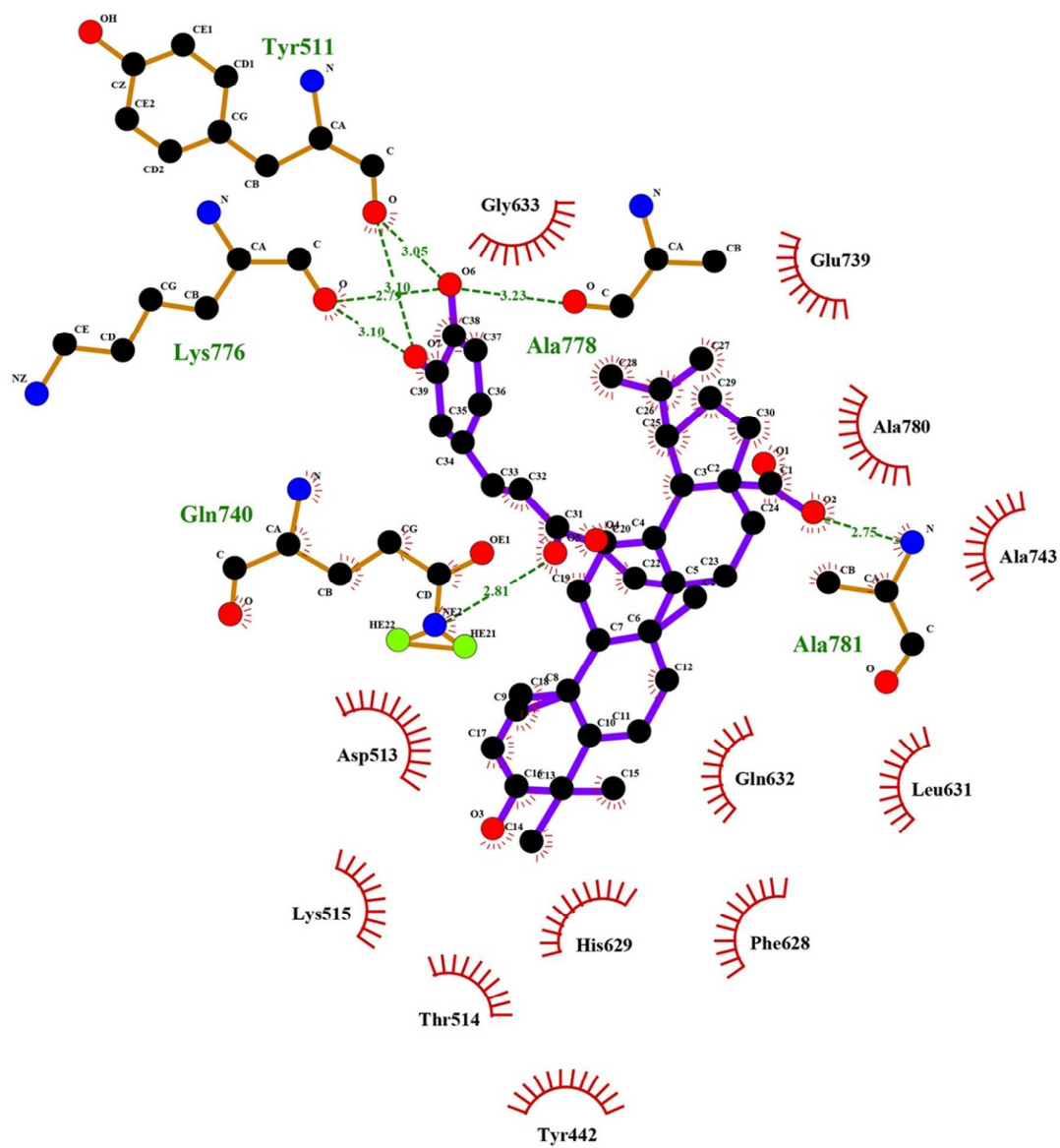
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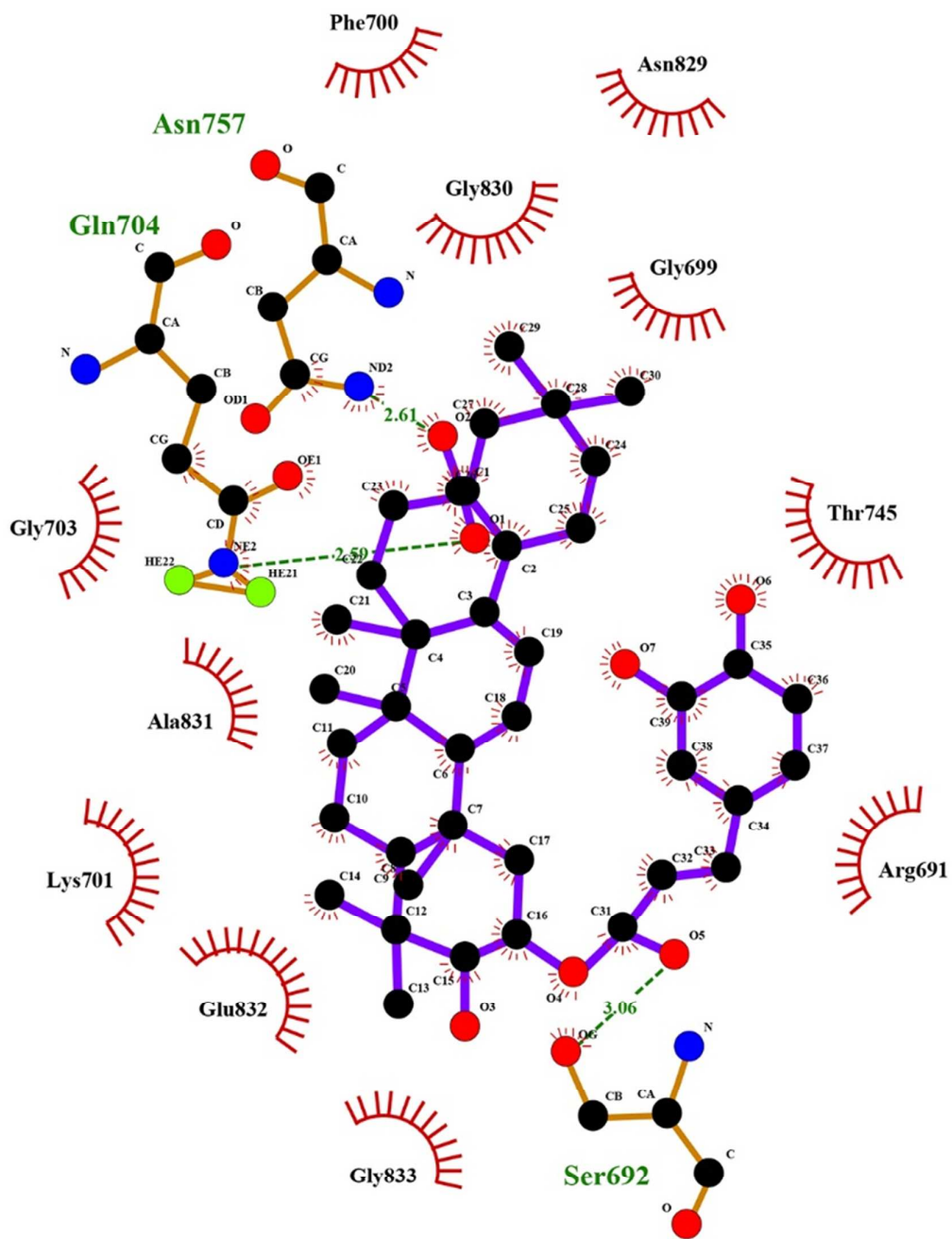
**Figure S38.** Two-dimensional representation of the best docking pose for compound **3** inside the topoisomerase II $\alpha$  binding pocket.



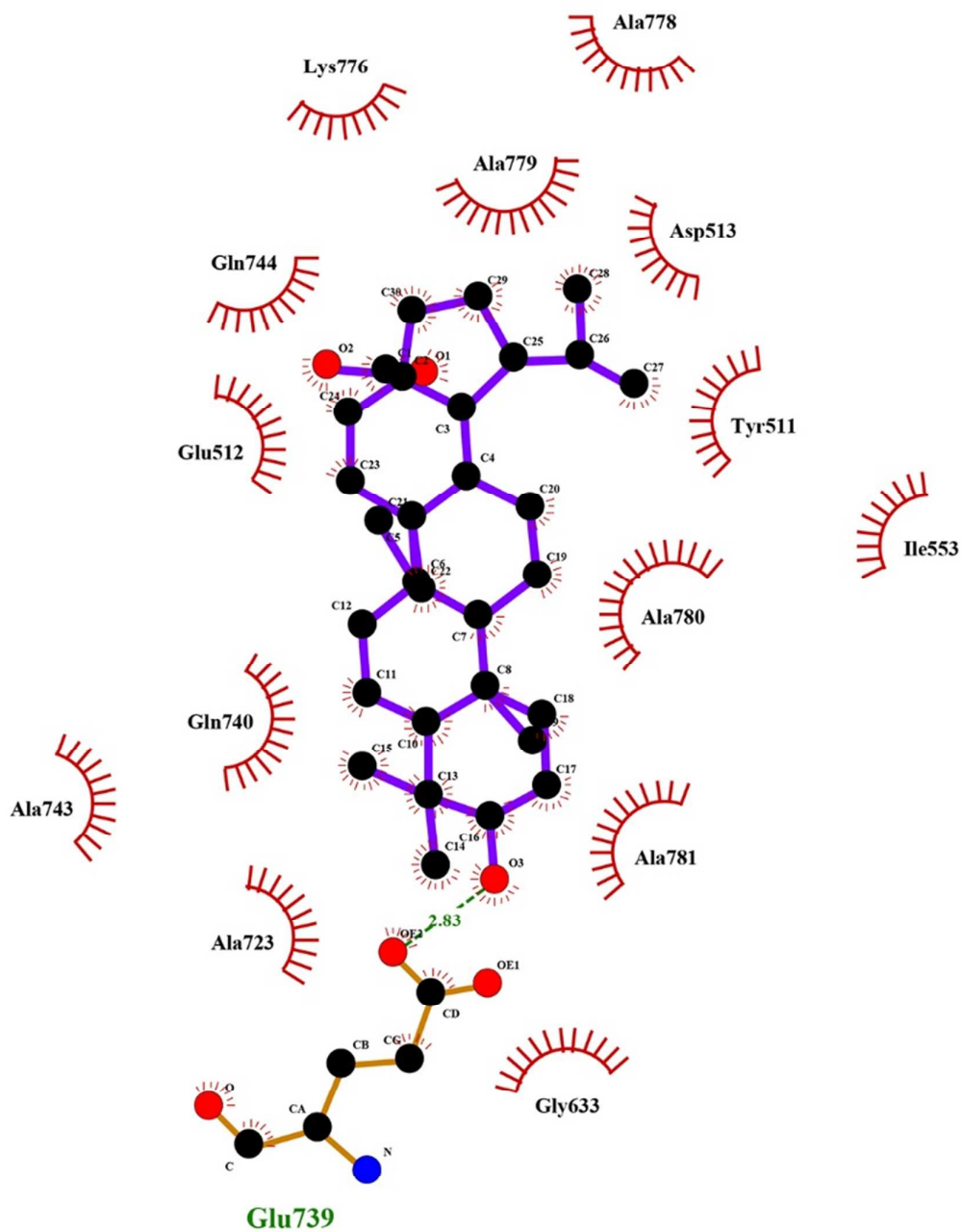
**Figure S39.** Two-dimensional representation of the best docking pose for compound 4 inside the topoisomerase II $\alpha$  binding pocket.



**Figure S40.** Two-dimensional representation of the best docking pose for compound 6 inside the topoisomerase II $\alpha$  binding pocket.



**Figure S41.** Two-dimensional representation of the best docking pose for compound 7 inside the topoisomerase II $\alpha$  binding pocket.



**Figure S42.** Two-dimensional representation of the best docking pose for betulinic acid inside the topoisomerase II $\alpha$  binding pocket.

**Table S1. <sup>1</sup>H and <sup>13</sup>C NMR Data of Compounds 4 and 5 Recorded in CD<sub>3</sub>OD (500 MHz for <sup>1</sup>H and 125 MHz for <sup>13</sup>C)**

position	4		5	
	δC	δH	δC	δH
1	45.6	0.95 m, 2.10 dd (12.5;4.5) <sup>a</sup>	40.3	0.98 m, 1.72 m
2	74.2	5.05 ddd (11.0;10.0;4.5)	28.2	1.58 m, 1.62 m
3	81.3	3.22 d (10.0)	79.6	3.14 dd (11.0;5.0)
4	41.2	-	40.1	-
5	56.9	0.89 m	57.2	0.76 m
6	19.7	1.48 m, 1.57 m	19.6	1.44 m, 1.55 m
7	35.6	1.42 m, 1.46 m	36.9	1.46 m, 1.56 m
8	42.2	-	42.9	-
9	52.0	1.42 m	53.6	1.37 m
10	39.9	-	38.8	-
11	22.4	1.30 m, 1.40 m	22.4	1.26 m, 1.51 m
12	26.9	1.07 m, 1.72 m	26.9	0.95 m, 1.77 m
13	39.7	2.34 bt (12.5)	40.6	2.52 td (12.5;2.5)
14	43.8	-	47.0	-
15	31.0	1.17 m, 1.55 m	25.4	1.45 m, 1.85 m
16	33.6	1.40 m, 2.24 d (12.5)	34.0	1.29 m, 2.27 bd (13.0)
17	57.7	-	57.4	-
18	50.6	1.62 m	50.9	1.78 m
19	48.6 <sup>b</sup>	3.02 m	48.5 <sup>b</sup>	3.06 m
20	152.2	-	152.0	-
21	31.9	1.36 m, 1.95 m	31.8	1.41 m, 1.96 m
22	38.4	1.45 m, 1.90 m	38.1	1.44 m, 1.94 m
23	29.2	1.04 s	28.7	0.93 s
24	17.3	0.86 s	16.3	0.75 s
25	17.9	1.01 s	17.3	0.90 s
26	16.8	0.98 s	17.3	1.03 s
27	15.2	1.02 s	64.5	4.52 d (13.0), 4.68 d (13.0)
28	180.5	-	180.2	-
29	110.3	4.57 bs, 4.70 bs	110.5	4.62 bs, 4.74 bs
30	19.7	1.70 s	19.8	1.73 s
1c <sup>c</sup>	128.0	-	127.8	-
2c	115.3	7.04 d (2.0)	115.3	7.04 d (2.0)
3c	147.0	-	147.0	-
4c	149.6	-	149.9	-
5c	116.6	6.78 d (8.0)	116.7	6.79 d (8.5)
6c	123.0	6.94 dd (8.0;2.0)	122.8	6.95 dd (8.5;2.0)
7c	146.7	7.55 d (16.0)	147.2	7.54 d (16.0)
8c	116.0	6.28 d (16.0)	115.4	6.26 d (16.0)
9c	169.5	-	169.6	-

<sup>a</sup>J values are given in parenthesis. <sup>b</sup>Signal overlapped with the signal of solvent; value obtained from the HSQC spectrum. <sup>c</sup>"c" – caffeoyl



**Table S2. Score Values (kcal/mol) for All Studied Compounds 1–4, 6, 7 for Topoisomerase I Activity**

compound	MolDock Score	RerankScore	PoseEnergy	LE1	LE3	HBond
1	-203.052	-101.365	-203,052	-350.009	-174.767	-166.501
2	-180.151	-426.024	-180,151	-310.606	-173.452	-117.429
3	-162.799	-125.187	-162,799	-346.382	-266.356	-142.554
4	-171.217	-123.581	-171,217	-372.212	-268.655	-166.678
6	-181.419	-976.498	-181,419	-394.389	-212.282	-99.534
7	-166.217	-121.19	-166,217	-361.342	-263.456	-71.593
BA <sup>a</sup>	-125.511	-901.372	-125,511	-380.336	-253.143	-53.574

<sup>a</sup>BA- betulinic acid**Table S3. Identified Hydrogen Bonds Between Studied Ligands and Amino Acids from Topoisomerase I Active Site**

compound	identified hydrogen bonds between ligand and amino acids from the active site
1	Gly421(3.10 Å), Lys374(2.85 Å), Ser423(2.91 Å), Lys425(3.10 Å), Asp533(2.68 Å), Ala489(3.04 Å), Asn491(3.10 Å)
2	Asn491(2.48 Å and 2.62 Å), Val502(2.93 Å), His367(2.93 Å), Arg364(2.60 Å and 3.10 Å)
3	Gln421 (2.74 Å), Tyr268 (2.75 Å), Gly363(2.86 Å), Lys374(2.56 Å and 2.84 Å)
4	Ser423(3.10 Å and 3.14 Å), Ser535(2.63 Å and 2.81 Å), His367(3.03 Å)
6	Ser719(3.22 Å), Ser595(2.60 Å), Arg488(3.10 Å), Lys587(2.60 Å)
7	Asn491(2.56 Å), Thr781(3.10 Å)
BA <sup>a</sup>	Arg364(2.99 Å), His367(2.88 Å)

<sup>a</sup>BA- betulinic acid**Table S4. Score Values (kcal/mol) for All Studied Compounds 1–4, 6 and 7 for the Topoisomerase II $\alpha$  Activity**

compound	MolDock Score	RerankScore	PoseEnergy	LE1	LE3	HBond
1	-217.744	-384.338	-206.78	-375.421	-662.651	-145.673
2	-210.952	-592.479	-204.404	-363.714	-102.152	-156.712
3	-174.257	-118.666	-181.424	-370.759	-252.482	-180.17
4	-182.662	-137.408	-187.287	-397.091	-298.712	-114.963
6	-174.029	-664.934	-178.74	-378.324	-144.551	-168.656
7	-180.373	-139.764	-185.266	-392.115	-303.834	-126.776
BA <sup>a</sup>	-129.316	-608.735	-126.593	-391.868	-184.465	-5

<sup>a</sup>BA- betulinic acid**Table S5. Identified Hydrogen Bonds Between Studied Ligands and Amino Acids from the Topoisomerase II $\alpha$  Active Site**

compound	identified hydrogen bonds between ligand and amino acids from active site
1	Arg705(3.10 Å), Glu815(2.80 Å), Thr754(2.55 Å and 3.10 Å), Tyr735(2.78 Å)
2	Ala778(2.63 Å), Lys776(3.28 Å), Arg782(3.20 Å)
3	Asn757(2.86 Å), Arg907(3.09 Å), Gln751(3.10 Å), Thr(2.94 Å)
4	Ala723(3.00 Å), Glu739(2.61 Å and 3.10 Å)
6	Tyr511(3.05 Å and 3.10 Å), Lys776(2.79 Å and 3.10 Å), Ala778(3.23 Å), Gln740(2.81 Å), Ala781(2.75 Å)
7	Asn757(2.61 Å), Gln704(2.59 Å), Ser692(3.06 Å)
BA <sup>a</sup>	Glu739(2.83 Å)

<sup>a</sup>BA- betulinic acid

**Table S6. Gradient Elution Program Used for the Silica Gel CC Separation of *A. viridis* ssp. *viridis* Extract**

V (mL)	CH <sub>2</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub>	CH <sub>3</sub> OH	fr. no.
200	100	0	-
800	90	10	-
400	85	15	0-13
400	80	20	14-34
600	75	25	35-63
700	70	30	64-100
600	65	35	101-132
400	60	40	133-155
600	50	50	156-189
400	40	60	190-211
800	0	100	212-240