Enantioselective synthesis of all diastereomers of heptadeca-1-ene-4,6-diyne-3,8,9,10-tetrol; Putative structure of a conjugated diyne natural product isolated from *Hydrocotyle leucocephala*

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General Procedures: Column chromatography was performed on silica gel, Acme grade 100-200 mesh. TLC plates were visualized either with UV, in an iodine chamber, or with phosphomolybdic acid spray, unless noted otherwise. Unless stated otherwise, all reagents were purchased from commercial sources and used without additional purification. THF was freshly distilled over Na-benzophenone ketyl. Melting points were uncorrected. Unless stated otherwise, ¹H NMR and ¹³C NMR spectra were recorded either on a 400 or on a 300 MHz machine in CDCl₃ as solvent with TMS as reference unless otherwise indicated. Unless stated otherwise, all the reactions were performed under inert atmosphere.



Compound was synthesized following the same procedure described for the synthesis of **16** in 43% yield. R_f 0.4 (1:9 EtOAc/petroleum ether); $[\alpha]_D^{26}$ + 132.3 (*c* 1.30, CHCl₃); IR (neat) 3421, 2954, 2931, 2858, 1250, 1214, 1111, 1059 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.74–7.64 (m, 4H), 7.44–7.37 (m, 6H), 5.84 (ddd, 1H, *J* = 16.8, 10.1, 5.4 Hz), 5.27 (d, 1H, *J* = 16.9 Hz), 5.13 (d, 1H, *J* = 10.1 Hz), 4.84 (d, 1H, *J* = 5.3 Hz), 4.39 (t, 1H, *J* = 4.9 Hz), 3.95 (dt, 1H, *J* = 7.7, 4.1 Hz), 3.74 (dd, 1H, *J* = 7.6, 4.8 Hz), 2.48 (brd, 1H, *J* = 5.6 Hz), 1.65–1.23 (m, 18 H), 1.09 (s, 9H), 0.87 (t, 3H, *J* = 7 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 135.8, 135.5, 135.3, 132.6, 132.4, 129.5, 127.22, 127.20, 115.7, 109.1, 82.6, 78.7, 77.2, 70.0, 69.0, 64.5, 62.8, 32.1, 31.3, 29.1, 28.7, 27.1, 26.6, 26.4, 25.5, 22.2, 18.9, 13.7; HRMS (*m*/*z*): [M + Na]⁺ calcd for C₃₆H₄₈O₄Si, 595.3220; found, 595.3221.



Compound **1d** was synthesized following same procedure described for the synthesis of **1c** as a white solid in 68% yield. R_f 0.5 (3:2 EtOAc/petroleum ether); mp 111–112 °C; $[\alpha]_D^{26}$ + 34.4 (*c* 1.40, MeOH); IR (KBr) 3271, 2918, 2851, 1431, 1079, 1015 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ 5.91 (ddd, 1H, *J* = 16.7, 10.1, 5.4 Hz), 5.40 (dd, 1H, *J* = 17.0, 1.1 Hz), 5.19 (dd, 1H, *J* = 10.1, 1.1 Hz), 4.44 (d, 1H, *J* = 7.5 Hz), 3.76 (t, 1H, *J* = 5.8 Hz), 3.38 (d, 1H, *J* = 7.5 Hz), 3.30 (s, 1H), 1.57–1.33 (m, 12H), 0.90 (t, 3H, *J* = 6.5 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CD₃OD) δ 138.0, 116.6, 79.9, 79.6, 77.6, 72.0, 70.4, 70.0, 65.4, 63.8, 34.9, 33.0, 30.7, 30.4, 26.9, 23.7, 14.4; HRMS (*m*/*z*): [M + Na]⁺ calcd for C₁₇H₂₆O₄, 317.1729; found, 317.1714.

$$MeO \xrightarrow{I}_{TBSO} C_7H_{15} \xrightarrow{LiBH_4, THF,} HO \xrightarrow{I}_{TBSO} C_7H_{15}$$

Reaction is performed similar to that described for the synthesis of **4** in 88% yield as colorless oil. R_f 0.5 (3:7 EtOAc/petroleum ether); $[\alpha]_D^{26}$ + 12.1 (*c* 3.50, CHCl₃); IR (neat) 3490, 2955, 2930, 1464, 1255 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 3.92–3.87 (m, 1H), 3.73–3.66 (m, 4H), 2.25–2.22 (m, 1H), 1.71–1.20 (m, 18H), 0.96–0.84 (m, 12H), 0.12 (s, 3H), 0.10 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 108.6, 81.2, 80.4, 73.9, 65.0, 34.6, 31.6, 29.6, 29.1, 27.3, 27.0, 26.2, 25.6, 22.5, 17.8, 14.0, -4.4, -4.6; HRMS (*m/z*): [M + Na]⁺ calcd for C₂₀H₄₂O₄Si, 397.2750; found, 397.2754.



Dibromoolefin is synthesized following the same procedure described for compound **10** in 82% yield. R_f 0.6 (5:95 EtOAc/petroleum ether); $[\alpha]_D^{26}$ + 8.5 (*c* 3.30, CHCl₃); IR (neat) 2954, 2930, 2858, 1253, 1076 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 6.40 (d, 1H, *J* = 8.4 Hz), 4.34–4.33 (brm, 1H), 3.94–3.90 (brm, 1H), 3.61 (t, 1H, *J* = 6.3 Hz), 1.60–1.28 (m, 18H), 0.88 (s, 12H), 0.11 (s, 3H), 0.09 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 138.7, 109.0, 90.9, 82.8, 78.5, 74.5, 34.3, 31.7, 29.6, 29.1, 27.5, 26.8, 26.1, 25.7, 22.6, 14.0, – 4.4, –4.8; HRMS (*m*/*z*): [M + Na]⁺ calcd for C₂₁H₄₀Br₂O₃Si, 551.1098; found, 551.1053.



alkyne is synthesized following the same procedure that is described for the synthesis of **11** in 64% yield as colorless oil. R_f 0.5 (5:95 EtOAc/petroleum ether); $[\alpha]_D^{-26} - 10.3$ (*c* 2.20, CHCl₃); IR (neat) 3312,2955, 2930, 2858, 1464, 1253, 1087 cm⁻¹. ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 4.39 (dd, 1H, J = 5.7, 2.1 Hz), 4.01 (dt, 1H, J = 8.4, 3.1 Hz), 3.71 (dd, 1H, J = 7.1, 5.8 Hz), 2.46 (d, 1H, J = 2.1 Hz), 1.75–1.26 (m, 18H), 0.91–0.85 (m, 12H), 0.16 (s, 3H), 0.12 (s, 3H); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 108.9, 83.0, 78.5, 73.9, 63.9, 34.5, 31.7, 29.6, 29.1, 27.5, 27.0, 26.1, 25.7, 22.6, 18.1, 14.0, -4.7, -5.0; HRMS (*m/z*): [M + Na]⁺ calcd for C₂₁H₄₀O₃Si, 391.2644; found, 391.2636.



Silyl deprotection is performed following the same procedure that is described for the synthesis of **11** in 77% yield as colorless oil. R_f 0.6 (1:4 EtOAc/petroleum ether); $[\alpha]_D^{26}$ + 22.7 (*c* 2.30, CHCl₃); IR (neat) 3437, 3311, 2928, 2858, 1372 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 4.55–4.47 (m, 1H), 4.07 (dt, 1H, *J* = 8.1, 3.6 Hz), 3.79 (dd, 1H, *J* = 7.8, 3.8 Hz), 2.61 (d, 1H, *J* = 5.4 Hz), 2.54 (d, 1H, *J* = 2.2 Hz), 1.80–1.49 (m, 3H), 1.43 (s, 6H), 1.38–1.25 (m, 9H), 0.88 (t, 3H, *J* = 6.7 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 109.0, 82.3, 80.8, 77.3, 75.0, 62.2, 33.9, 31.7, 29.5, 29.0, 27.4, 26.8, 25.9, 22.5, 14.0; HRMS (*m/z*): [M + Na]⁺ calcd for C₁₅H₂₆O₃, 277.1780; found, 277.1779.



Bromo alkyne is prepared following the same procedure that is described for the synthesis of **3** 98% yield. R_f 0.6 (1:4 EtOAc/petroleum ether); $[\alpha]_D^{26}$ + 13.8 (*c* 3.0, CHCl₃); IR (neat) 3444, 2927, 2858, 1493 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 4.51 (t, 1H, *J* = 4.5 Hz), 4.05 (dt, 1H, *J* = 7.9, 3.9 Hz), 3.78 (dd, 1H, *J* = 7.8, 3.4 Hz), 2.74–2.69 (m, 1H), 1.77–1.28 (m, 18 H), 0.88 (t, 3H, *J* = 6.8 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 109.3, 82.5, 77.3, 77.2, 63.2, 47.4, 33.8, 31.7, 29.5, 29.1, 27.5, 26.8, 25.9, 22.6, 14.0; HRMS (*m/z*): [M + Na]⁺ calcd for C₁₅H₂₅BrO₃, 355.0885; found, 355.0891.



The diyne was synthesized following the same procedure described for the synthesis of **16**. Yield 47% (colorless oil). R_f 0.4 (1:9 EtOAc/petroleum ether); $[\alpha]_D^{26} - 85.8$ (*c* 3.20, CHCl₃); IR (neat) 3421, 2955, 2931, 2858, 1111, 1060 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.73–7.64 (m, 4H), 7.44–7.35 (m, 6H), 5.84 (ddd, 1H, J = 16.6, 10.1, 5.4 Hz), 5.28 (d, 1H, J = 16.9 Hz), 5.13 (d, 1H, J = 10.1 Hz), 4.84 (d, 1H, J = 5.3 Hz), 4.53 (s, 1H), 4.03 (dt, 1H, J = 7.9, 4.0 Hz), 3.78 (dd, 1H, J = 7.8, 3.5 Hz), 2.47 (brs, 1H), 1.66–1.27 (m, 18H), 1.08–1.07 (m, 9H), 0.87 (t, 3H, J = 6.8 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 136.2, 135.9, 135.7, 134.7, 133.0, 132.7, 129.9, 129.6, 127.7, 127.61, 127.60, 116.1, 109.3, 82.5, 78.9, 77.3, 76.4, 71.1, 69.3, 64.8, 63.1, 33.7, 31.7, 29.5, 29.1, 27.5, 26.8, 26.7, 26.5, 25.9, 22.6, 19.3, 14.1; HRMS (m/z): [M + Na]⁺ calcd for C₃₆H₄₈O₄Si, 595.3220; found, 595.3224.



Compound **1f** was synthesized following a similar procedure that is described for the synthesis of **1c**. Yield 75% (Gummy mass). R_f 0.5 (3:2 EtOAc/petroleum ether); $[\alpha]_D^{26}$ + 28.2 (*c* 1.10, MeOH); IR (KBr) 3365, 2926, 2856, 2429, 1022 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ 5.90 (ddd, 1H, *J* = 16.9, 10.1, 5.5 Hz), 5.39 (d, 1H, *J* = 17.0 Hz), 5.18 (d, 1H, *J* = 10.1 Hz), 4.42 (d, 1H, *J* = 7.3 Hz), 3.84–3.75 (m, 1H), 3.37 (dd, 1H, *J* = 2.4, 7.3 Hz), 3.30 (s, 1H), 1.57–1.30 (m, 12H), 0.90 (t, 3H, *J* = 6.9 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CD₃OD) δ 136.6, 115.1, 80.0, 77.5, 75.2, 69.6, 68.9, 68.1, 63.2, 62.4, 33.1, 31.6, 29.3, 29.0, 25.5, 22.3, 13.0; HRMS (*m*/*z*): [M + Na]⁺ calcd for C₁₇H₂₆O₄, 317.1729; found, 317.1713.



Compound diyne was synthesized following the same procedure as for **16.** Yield 58%. R_f 0.4 (1:9 EtOAc/petroleum ether); $[\alpha]_D^{26}$ + 155.3 (*c* 2.90, CHCl₃); IR (neat) 3414, 2953, 2930, 2858, 1112, 1059 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.74–7.65 (m, 4H), 7.43–7.37 (m, 6H), 5.85 (ddd, 1H, *J* = 16.7, 10.1, 5.4 Hz), 5.29 (d, 1H, *J* = 16.9 Hz), 5.12 (d, 1H, *J* = 10.1 Hz), 4.84 (d, 1H, *J* = 5.3 Hz), 4.40 (m, 1H), 4.20 (dt, 1H, *J* = 10.1, 5.8 Hz), 4.13–4.09 (m, 1H), 2.46 (brs, 1H), 1.75–1.24 (m, 18H), 1.09 (s, 9H), 0.88 (t, 3H, *J* = 6.9 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 136.3, 135.9, 135.7, 134.8, 133.0, 132.8, 129.8, 127.61, 127.60, 116.1, 108.6, 79.7, 78.7, 78.0, 77.2, 70.9, 69.7, 64.9, 63.0, 31.7, 29.5, 29.2, 28.8, 27.3, 27.0, 26.8, 26.5, 25.3, 22.6, 19.3, 14.1; HRMS (*m*/*z*): [M + Na]⁺ calcd for C₃₆H₄₈O₄Si, 595.3220; found, 595.3205.



Preparation of 1g: Compound **1g** was synthesized following the same procedure as for **1c.** Yield 77% (Yellow oil). R_f 0.5 (3:2 EtOAc/petroleum ether); $[\alpha]_D^{26} - 41.7$ (*c* 2.3, MeOH); IR (neat) 3352, 2954, 2925, 2855, 1406, 1021 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 5.91 (ddd, 1H, J = 16.6, 10.1, 5.3 Hz), 5.46 (d, 1H, J = 16.9 Hz), 5.24 (d, 1H, J = 10.1 Hz), 4.93 (d, 1H, J = 4.4 Hz), 4.75 (brs, 2H), 4.52 (brs, 1H), 3.98 (brs, 1H), 3.68–3.65 (brm, 2H), 3.42 (brs, 1H), 1.76–1.27 (m, 12H), 0.88 (t, 3H, J = 6.9 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 135.6, 117.4, 78.4, 78.1, 76.4, 72.9, 70.5, 70.2, 64.7, 63.1, 33.3, 31.9,

29.7, 29.4, 25.6, 22.6, 14.1; HRMS (m/z): $[M + Na]^+$ calcd for $C_{17}H_{26}O_4$, 317.1729; found, 317.1713.



Conjugated diyne was synthesized following the same procedure as for **16**. Yield 55% (colorless oil). R_f 0.4 (1:9 EtOAc/petroleum ether); $[\alpha]_D^{26} - 72.6$ (*c* 2.5, CHCl₃); IR(neat) 3414, 2954, 2930, 2858, 1111, 1058, 702 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 7.74–7.64 (m, 4H), 7.43–7.36 (m, 6H), 5.84 (ddd, 1H, *J* = 16.9, 10.1, 5.4 Hz), 5.27 (dd, 1H, *J* = 17.0, 1.2 Hz), 5.12 (d, 1H, *J* = 10.1 Hz), 4.83 (d, 1H, *J* = 5.3 Hz), 4.40 (dd, 1H, *J* = 7.1, 5.0 Hz), 4.20 (ddd, 1H, *J* = 13.5, 6.1, 4.4 Hz), 4.09 (m, 1H), 2.23 (brd, 1H, *J* = 7.3 Hz), 1.76–1.21 (m, 18H), 1.08–1.04 (m, 9H), 0.87 (t, 3H, *J* = 7 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CDCl₃) δ 136.3, 135.9, 135.8, 134.8, 133.0, 132.8, 129.8, 129.6, 127.7, 127.61, 127.60, 116.1, 108.6, 79.7, 78.7, 78.0, 77.2, 70.9, 69.7, 64.9, 63.0, 31.7, 29.5, 29.2, 28.8, 27.3, 27.0, 26.8, 26.5, 25.3, 22.6, 19.3, 14.0; HRMS (*m*/*z*): [M + Na]⁺ calcd for C₃₆H₄₈O₄Si, 595.3220; found, 595.3213.



Compound **1h** was synthesized following the same procedure as for **1c.** Yield 63% (Gummy mass). R_f 0.5 (3:2 EtOAc/petroleum ether); $[\alpha]_D^{26} + 11.9$ (*c* 1.4, MeOH); IR (neat) 3305, 2918, 1453, 1290, 1071, 1013 cm⁻¹; ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ 5.91 (ddd, 1H, J = 16.9, 10.1, 5.5 Hz), 5.40 (d, 1H, J = 17 Hz), 5.19 (d, 1H, J = 10.1 Hz), 4.64 (d, 1H, J = 3.9 Hz), 3,56–3.52 (m, 1H), 3.44 (dd, 1H, J = 8.1, 4.0 Hz), 3.31 (brs, 1H), 1.78–1.32 (m, 12H), 0.91 (t, 3H, J = 6.9 Hz); ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CD₃OD) δ 138.1, 116.6, 79.9, 78.8, 78.4, 73.1, 70.5, 70.2, 65.6, 63.8, 34.2, 33.0, 30.8, 30.5, 26.4, 23.7, 14.4; HRMS (m/z): [M + Na]⁺ calcd for C₁₇H₂₆O₄, 317.1729; found, 317.1724.























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