Supporting Information

for

Mechanistic investigations on six bacterial terpene cyclases

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Gas chromatograms of extracts from enzyme reactions and NMR spectra of compounds 1–5

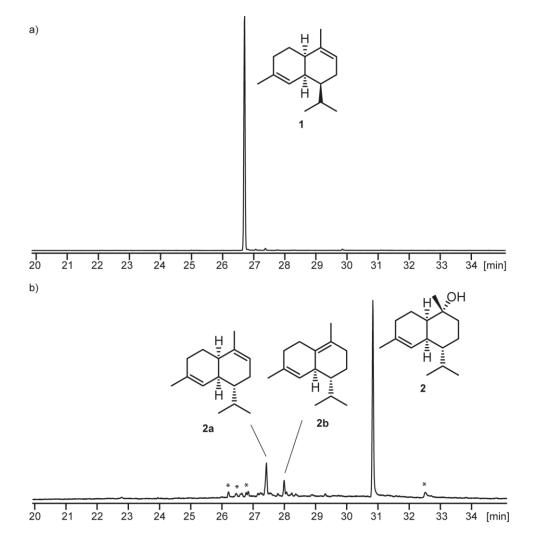


Figure S1: Total ion chromatograms of extracts from incubation experiments of FPP with a) (-)- α -amorphene synthase from *S. viridochromogenes* and b) (-)-7-epi- α -eudesmol synthase from *S. viridochromogenes*. Asterisks indicate unidentified compounds and contaminants such as plasticisers.

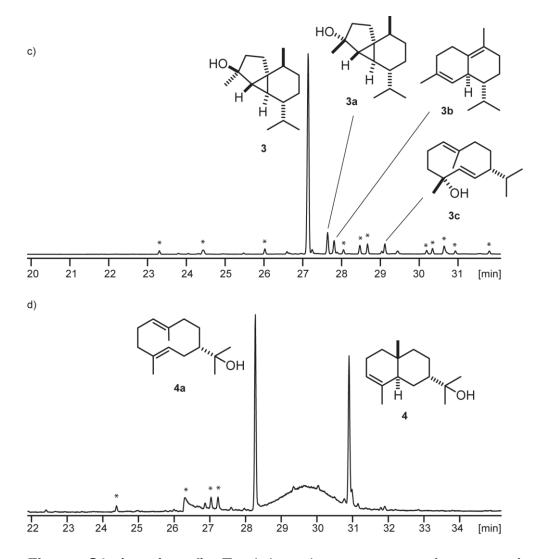


Figure S1 (continued): Total ion chromatograms of extracts from incubation experiments of FPP with c) (+)-T-muurolol synthase from *Roseiflexus castenholzii* and d) (+)-4-*epi*-cubebol synthase from *Streptosporangium roseum*. Asterisks indicate unidentified compounds and contaminants such as plasticisers.

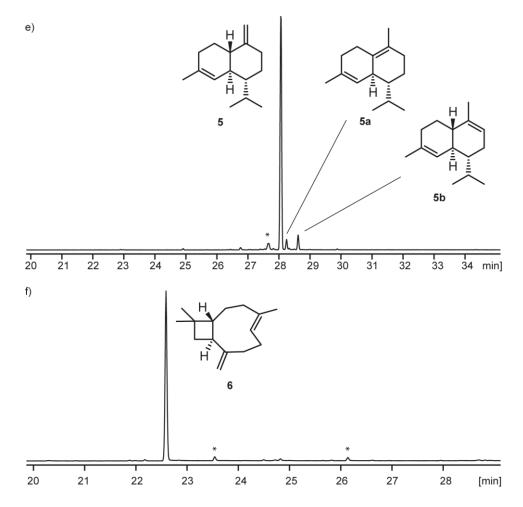


Figure S1 (continued): Total ion chromatograms of extracts from incubation experiments of FPP with e) (–)- γ -cadinene synthase from *Chitinophaga pinensis* and f) (–)-(*E*)- β -caryophyllene synthase from *Saccharothrix espanaensis*. Asterisks indicate unidentified compounds and contaminants such as plasticisers.

Table S1: Terpenes identified in hexane extracts of incubation experiments with FPP and recombinant purified terpene cyclases

Compound ^[a]	l [p]	/ (Lit.) ^[c]
α-muurolene (2a)	1504	1500
cubebol (3a)	1517	1514
δ -cadinene (2b , 3b , 5a)	1523	1520
α -cadinene (5b)	1546	1539
hedycaryol (4a)	1549	1546
germacrene D-4-ol (3c)	1577	1574

[[]a] Compound numbers refer to numbers in Figure 1. [b] Measured retention index on a HP5-MS column (data for main compounds **1** – **6** are given in the main text). [c] Retention index on a HP5-MS column from: Adams, R. P. *Identification of Essential Oil Components by Gas Chromatography/ Mass Spectrometry*, Allured, Carol Stream, **2009**.

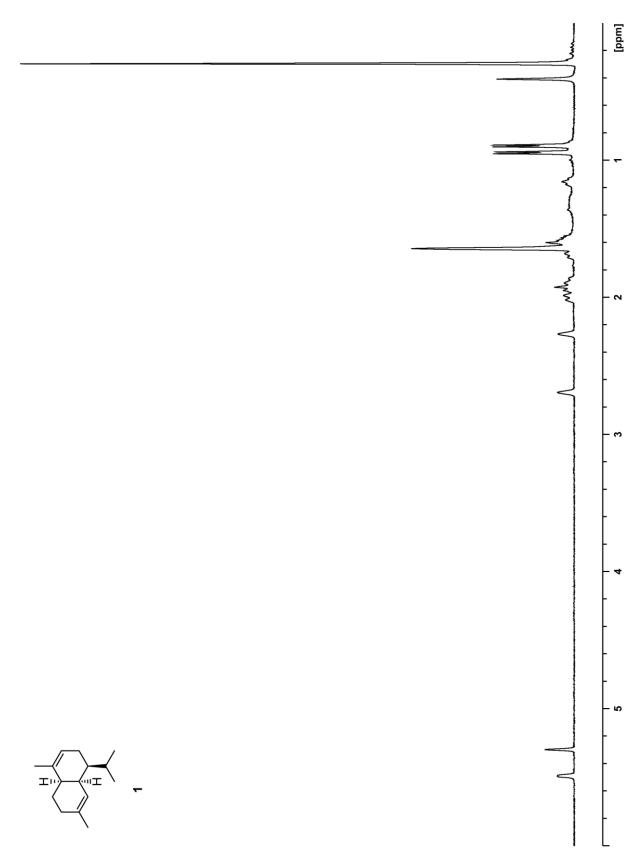


Figure S2: ¹H NMR spectrum of 1 at 500 MHz.

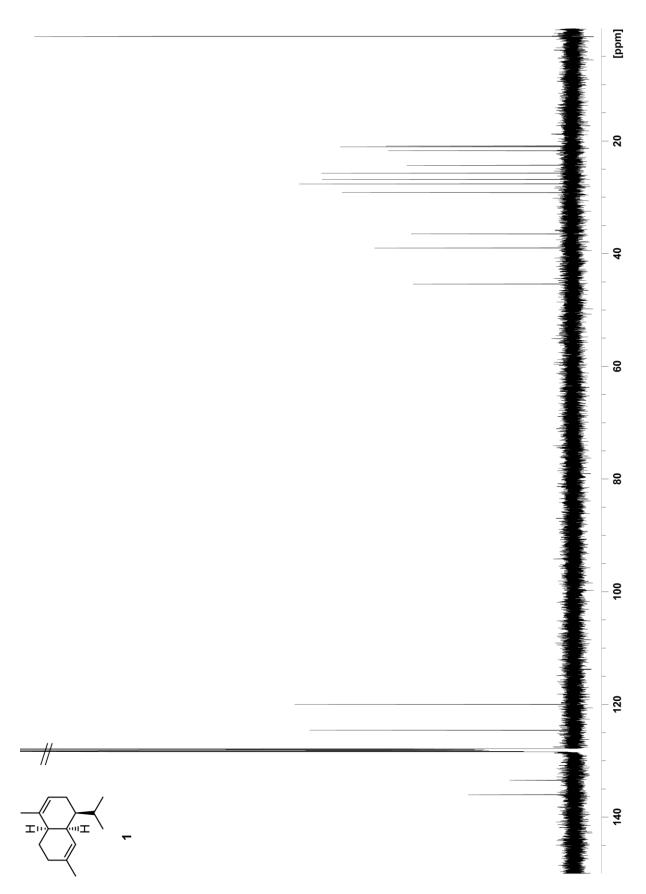


Figure S3: ¹³C NMR spectrum of **1** at 125 MHz.

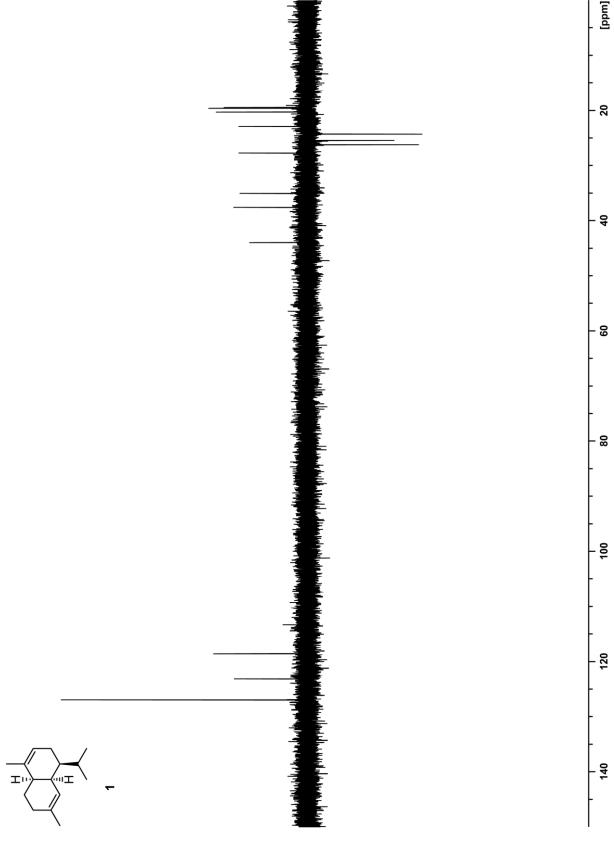


Figure S4: ¹³C-DEPT135 spectrum of 1 at 125 MHz.

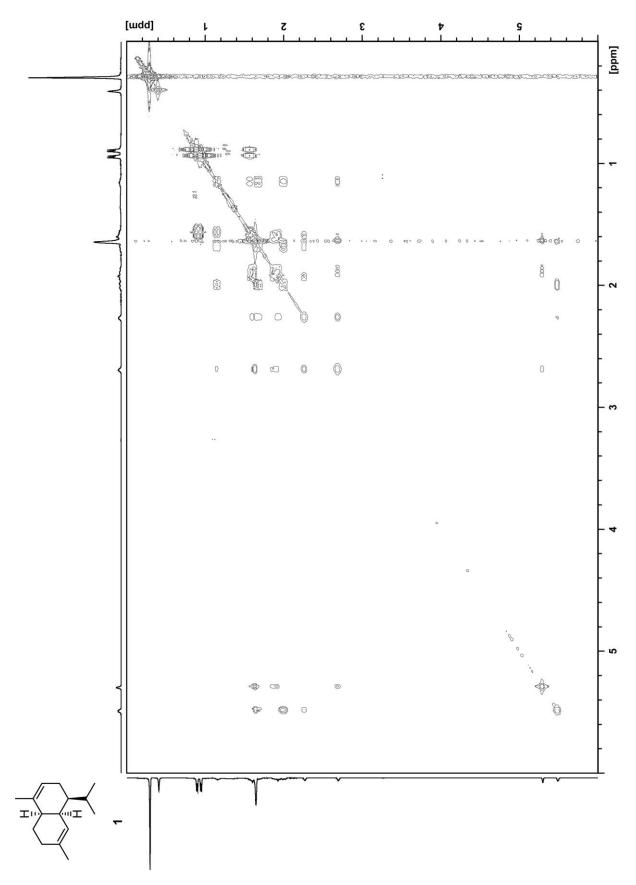


Figure S5: ¹H, ¹H-COSY spectrum of **1**.

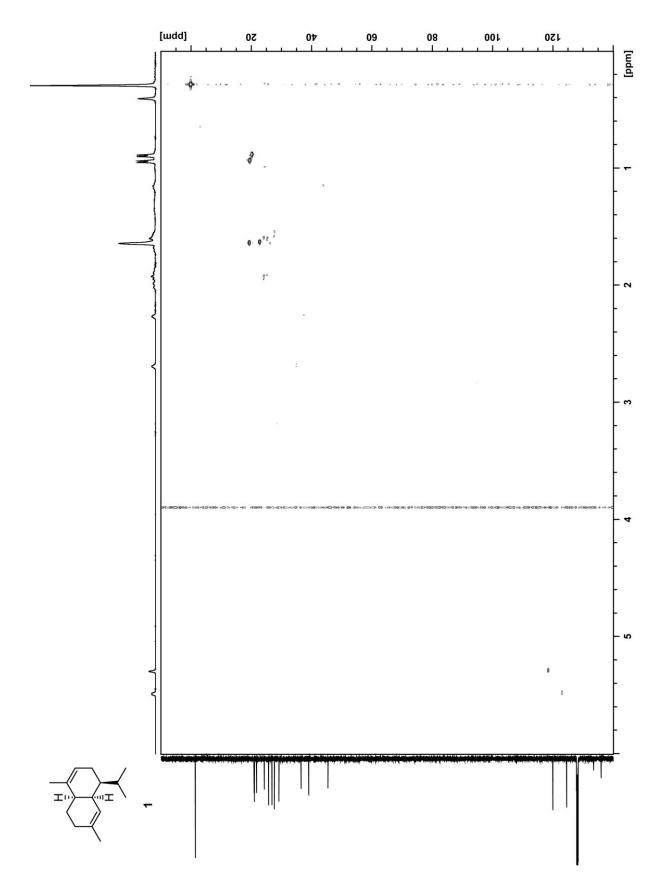


Figure S6: HSQC spectrum of 1.

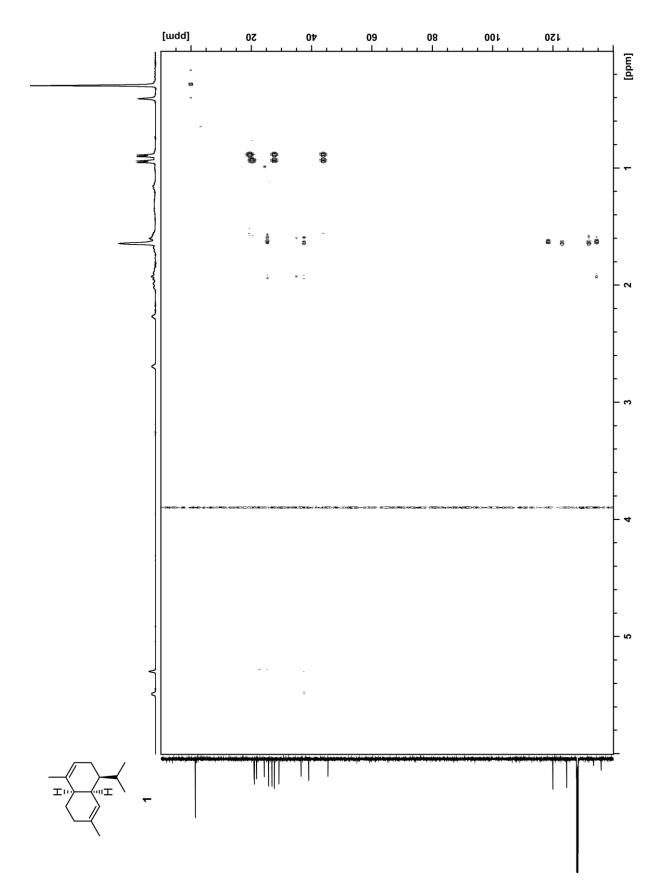


Figure S7: HMBC spectrum of 1.

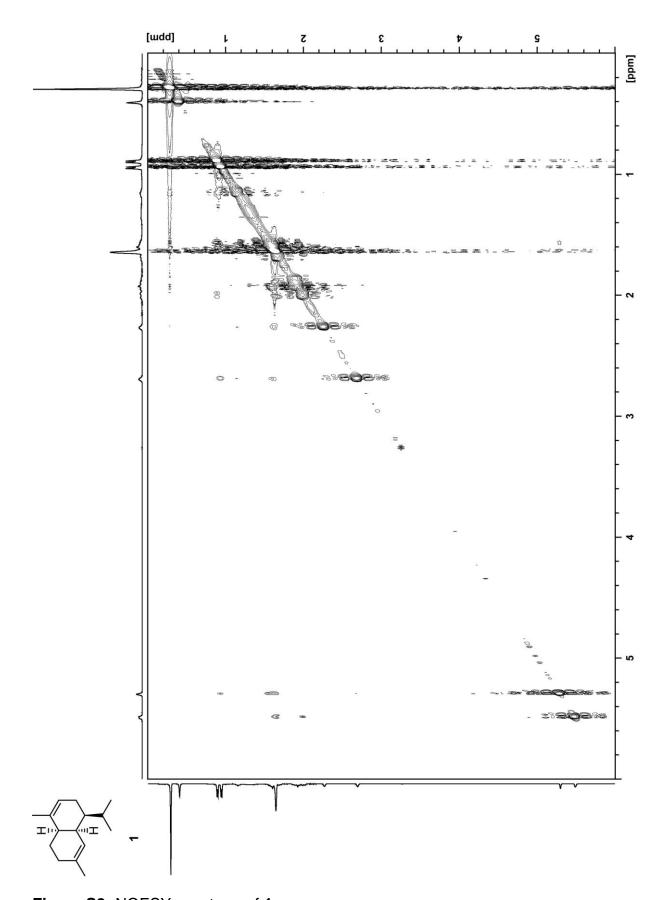


Figure S8: NOESY spectrum of 1.

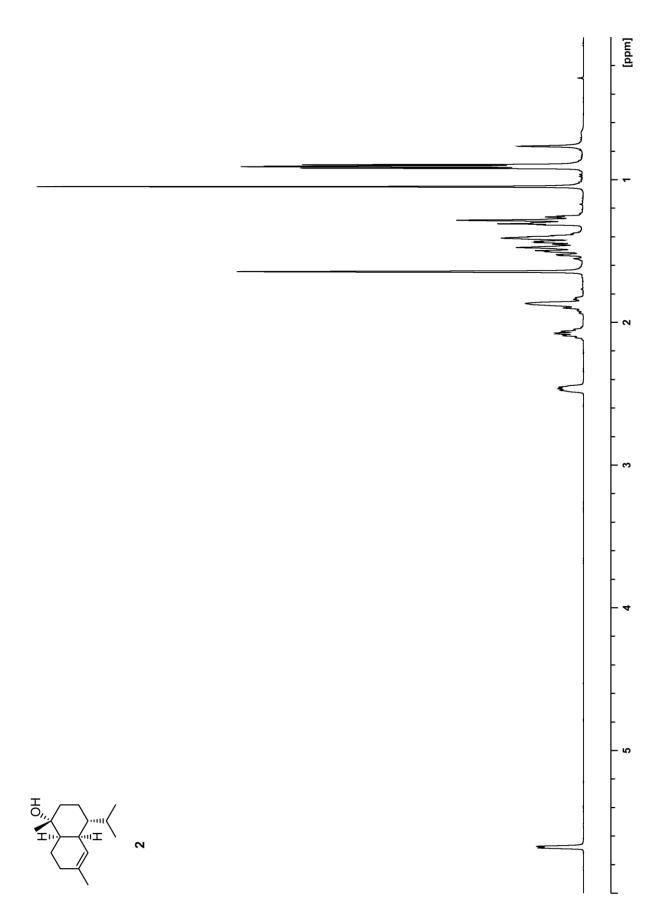


Figure S9: ¹H NMR spectrum of 2 at 500 MHz.

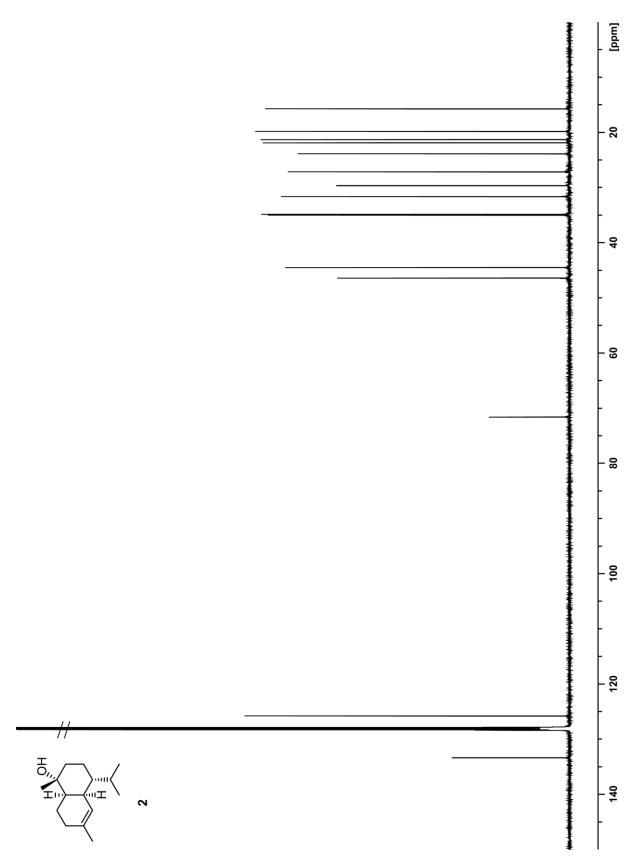


Figure S10: ¹³C NMR spectrum of 2 at 125 MHz.

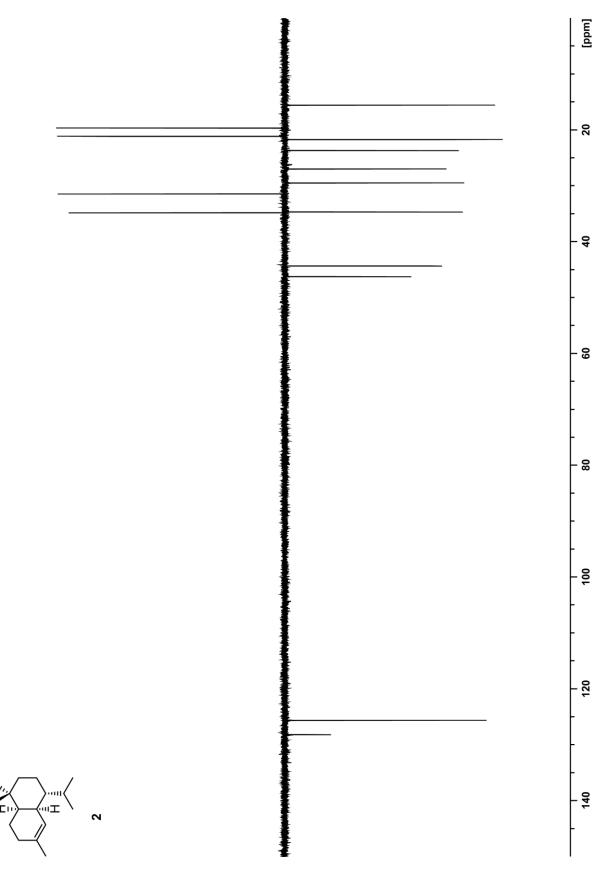


Figure S11: ¹³C-DEPT135 spectrum of **2** at 125 MHz.

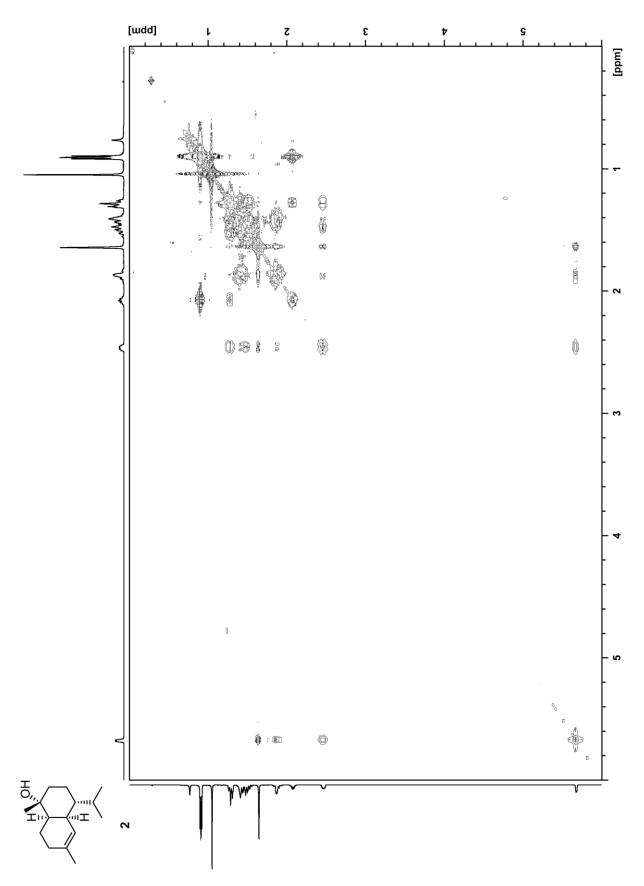


Figure S12: ¹H, ¹H-COSY spectrum of 2.

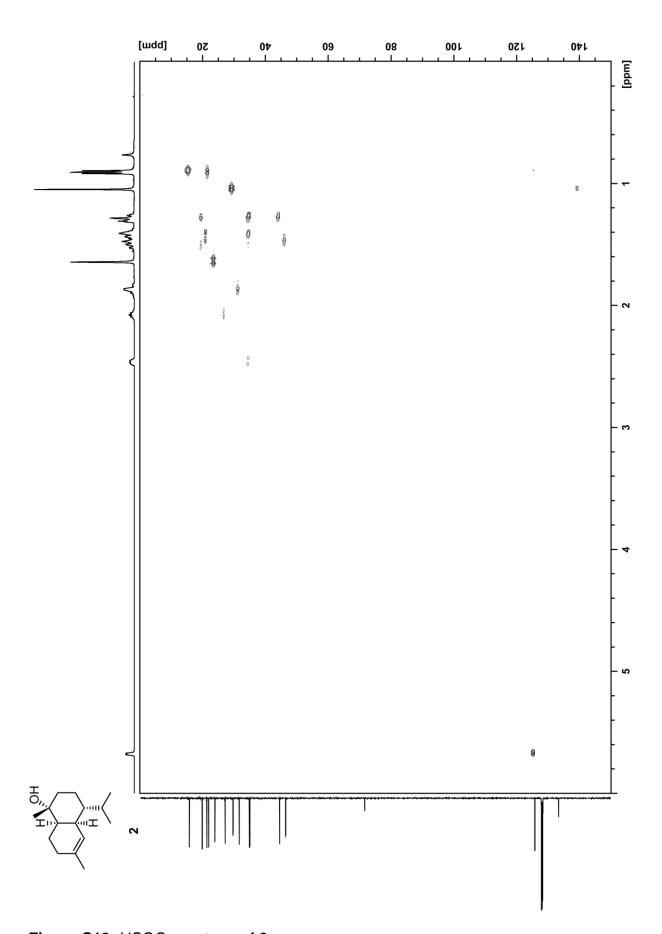


Figure S13: HSQC spectrum of 2.

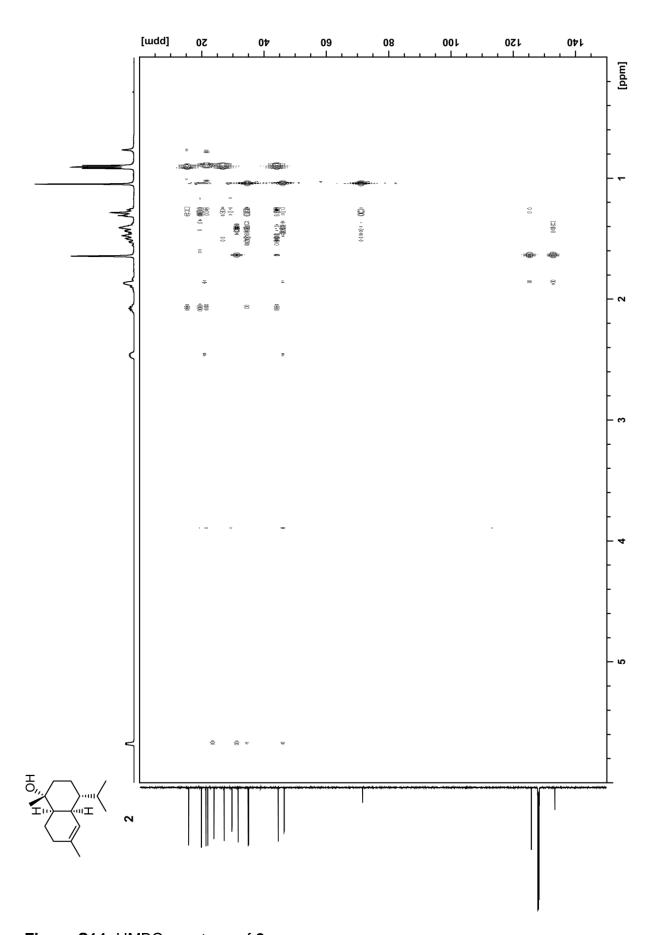


Figure S14: HMBC spectrum of 2.

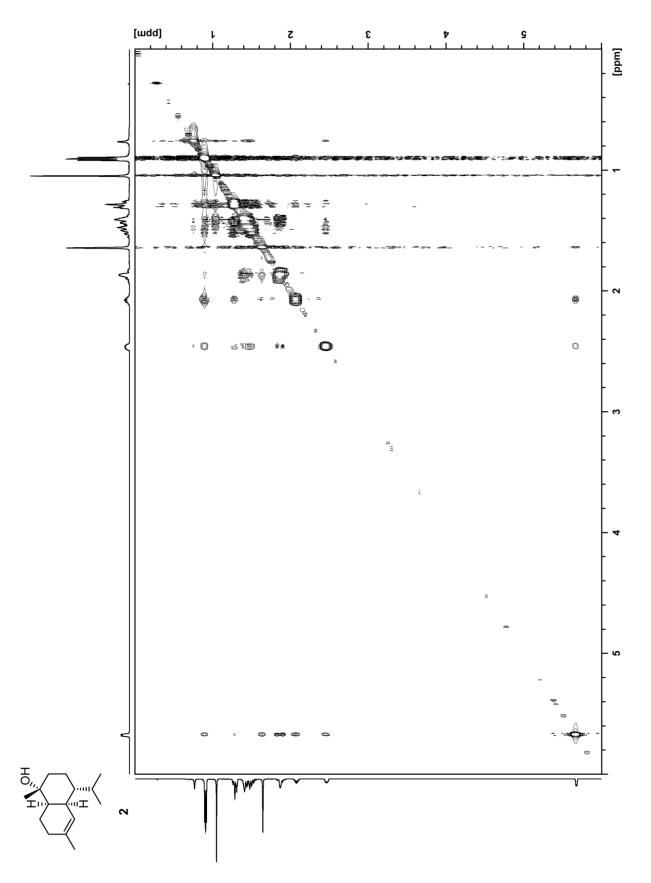


Figure S15: NOESY spectrum of 2.

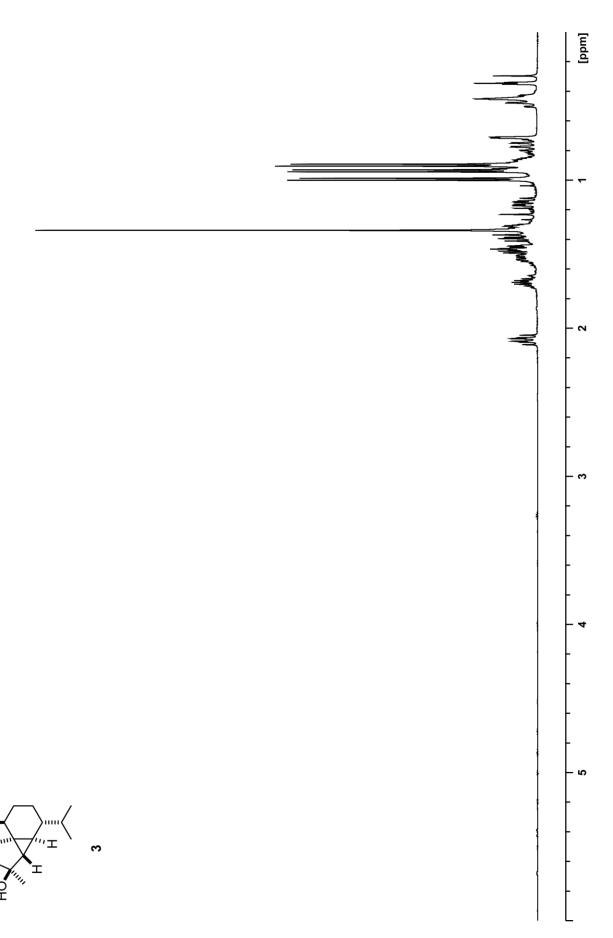


Figure S16: ¹H NMR spectrum of 3 at 500 MHz.

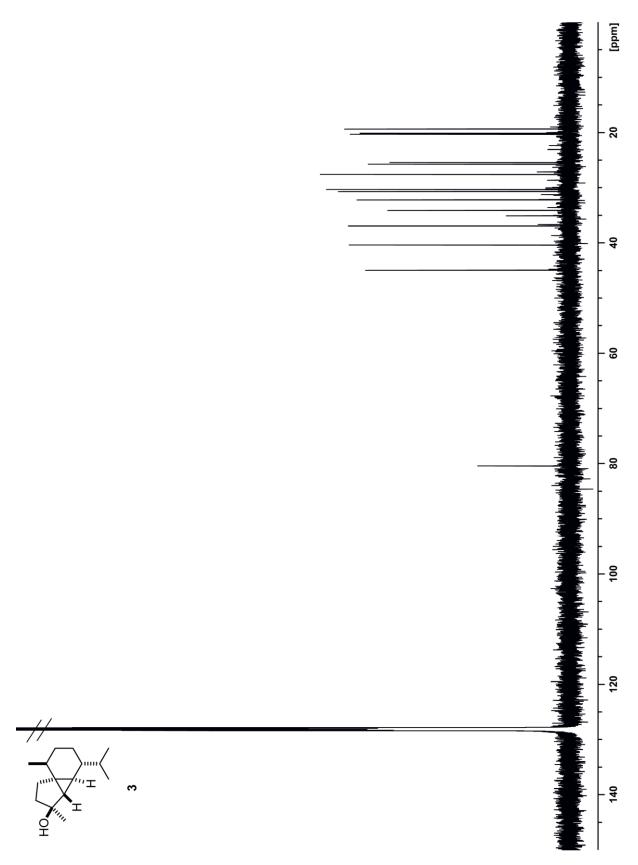


Figure S17: ¹³C NMR spectrum of 3 at 125 MHz.

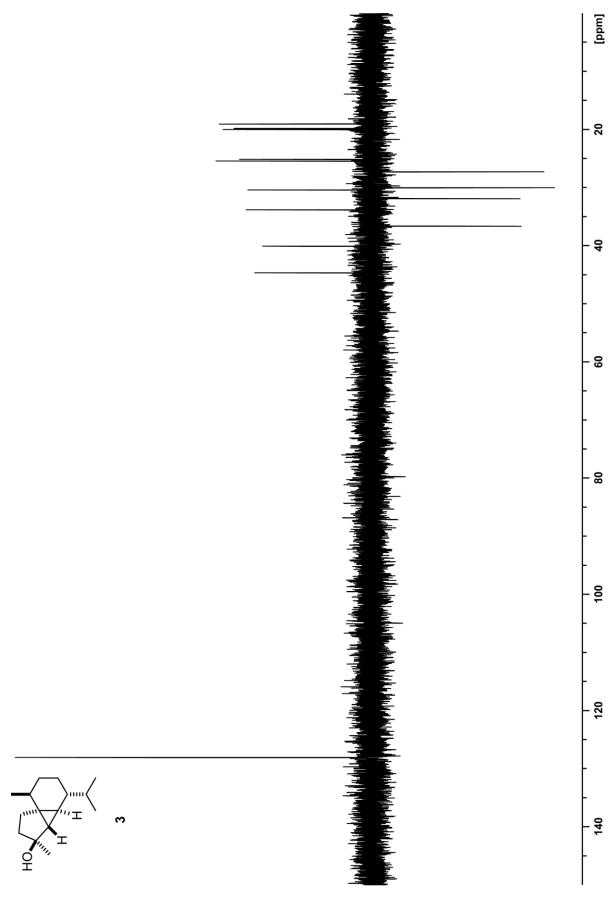


Figure S18: ¹³C-DEPT135 NMR spectrum of 3 at 125 MHz.

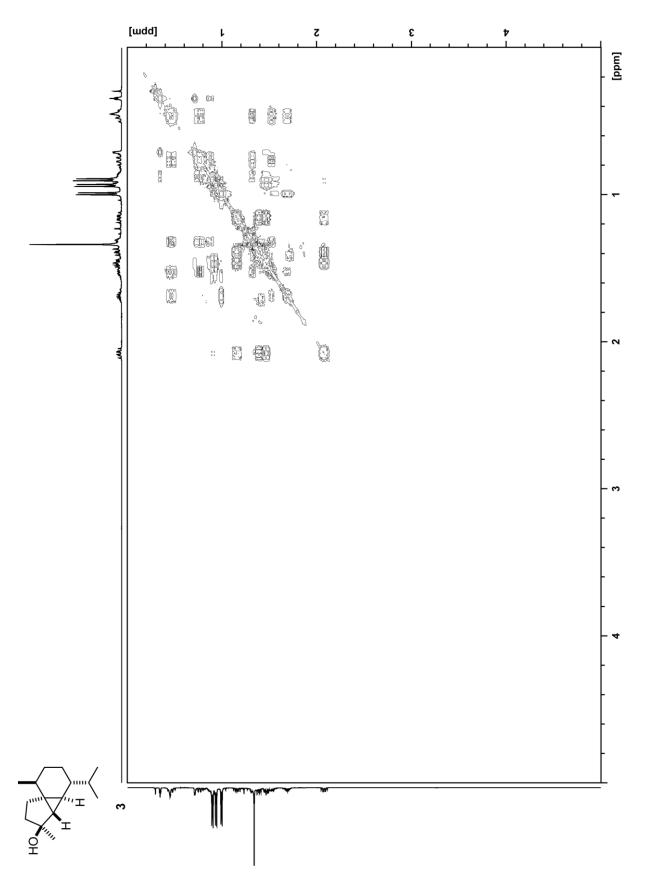


Figure S19: ¹H, ¹H-COSY NMR spectrum of 3.

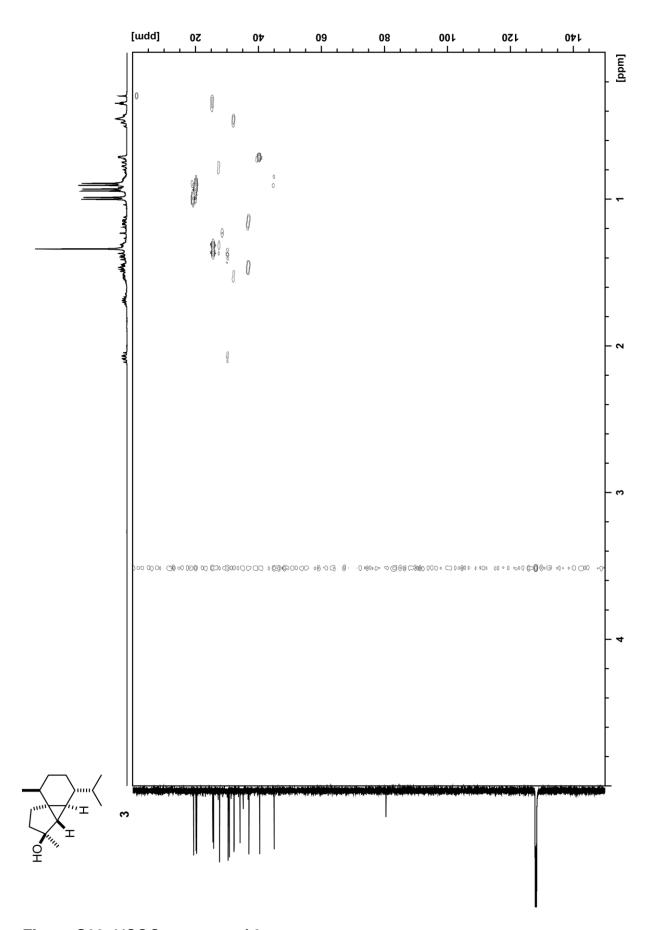


Figure S20: HSQC spectrum of 3.

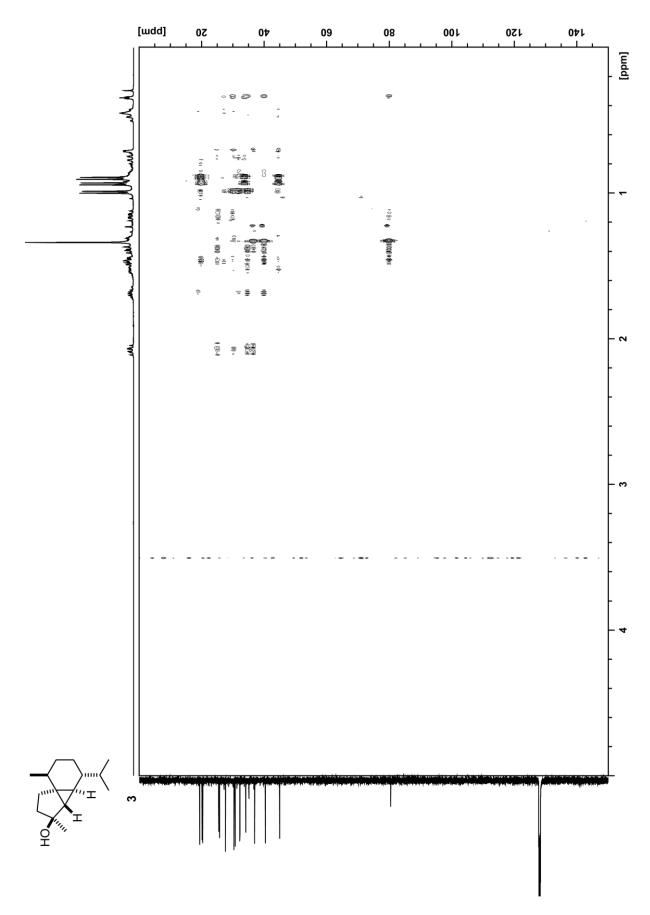


Figure S21: HMBC spectrum of 3.

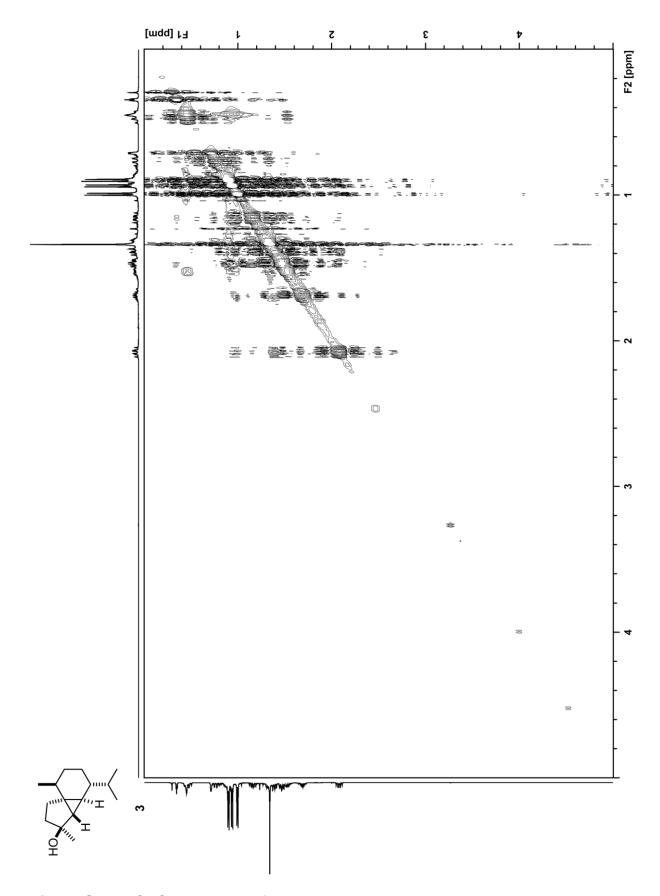


Figure S22: NOESY spectrum of 3.

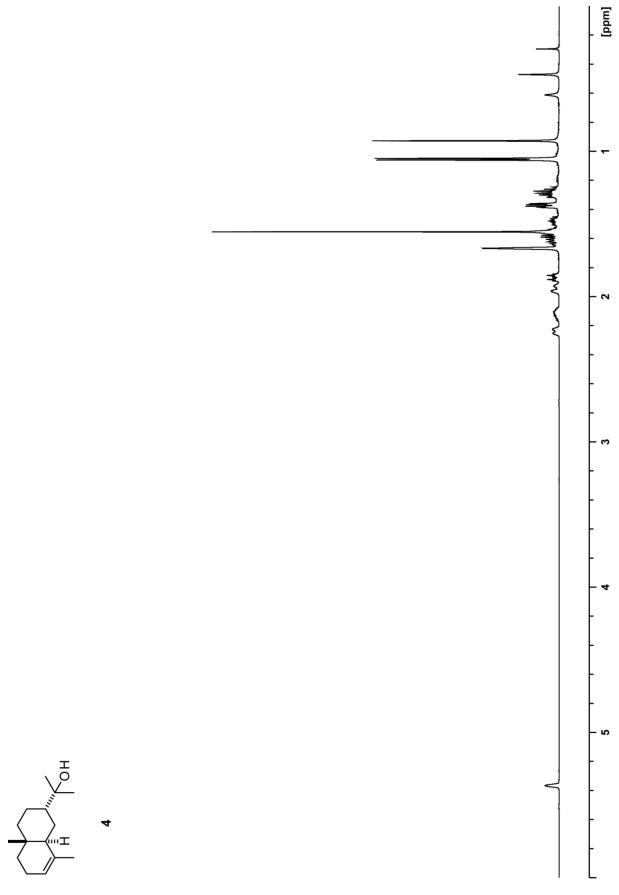


Figure S23: ¹H NMR spectrum of **4** at 500 MHz.

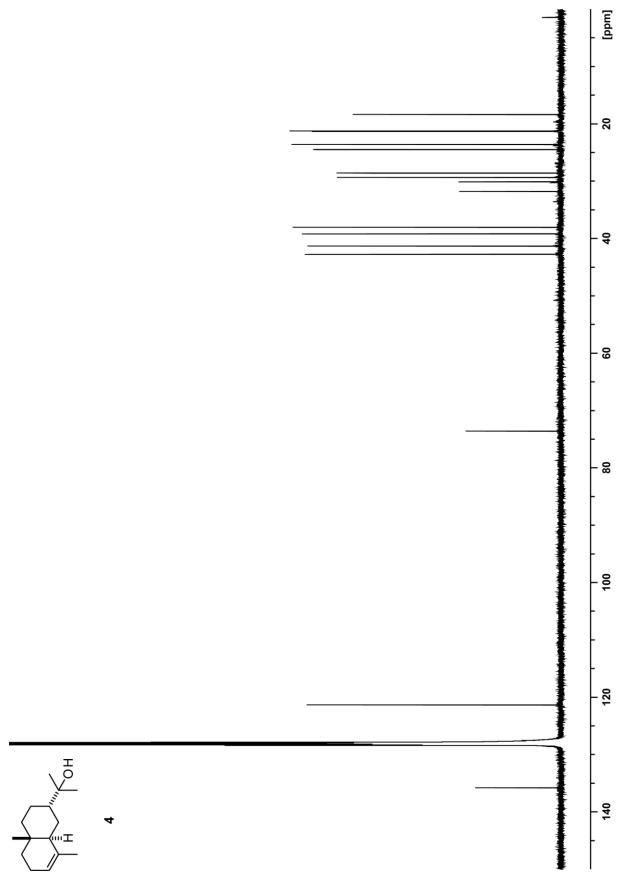


Figure S24: ¹³C-NMR spectrum of 4 at 125 MHz.

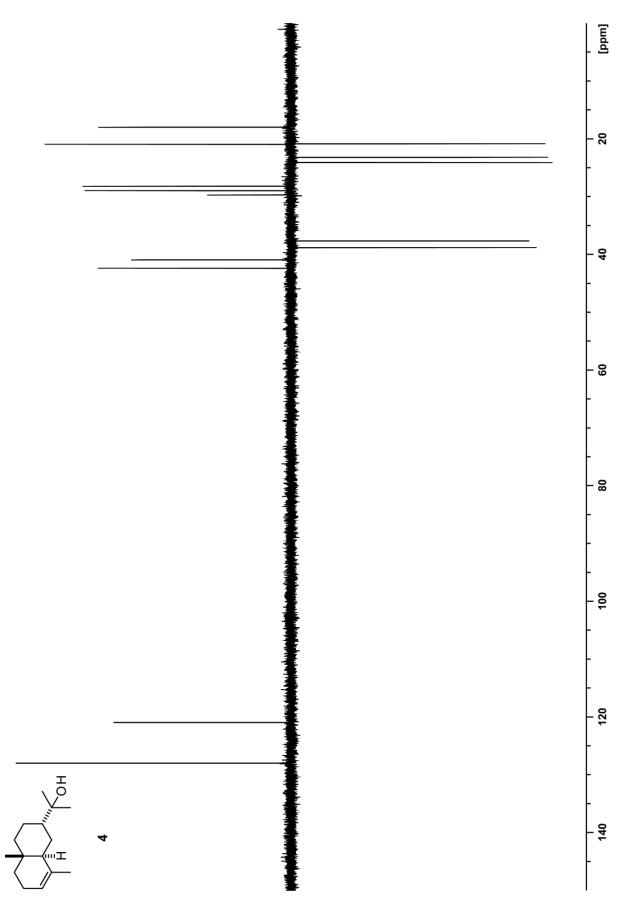


Figure S25: ¹³C-DEPT135 NMR spectrum of **4** at 125 MHz.

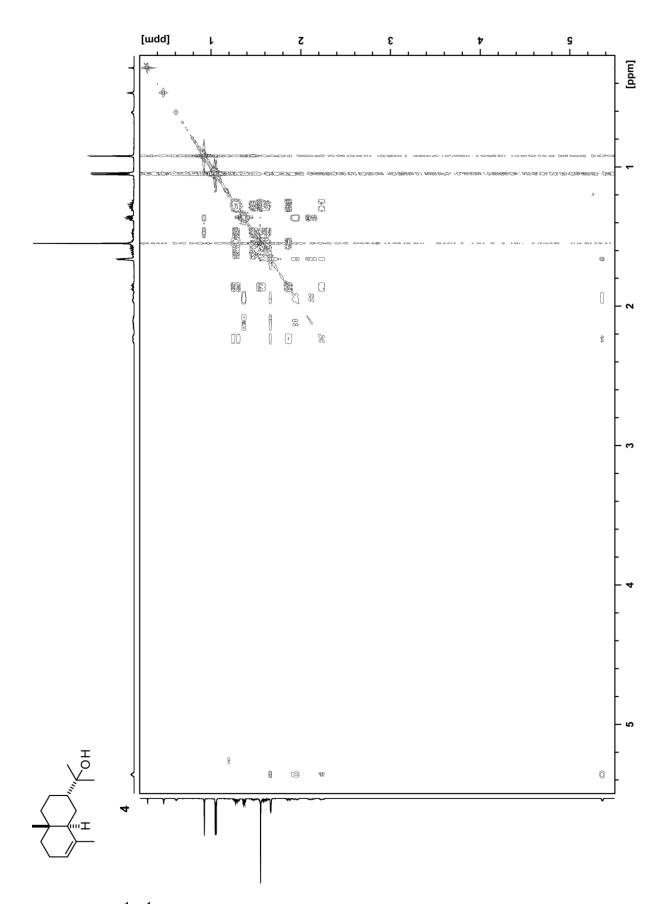


Figure S26: ¹H, ¹H-COSY spectrum of 4.

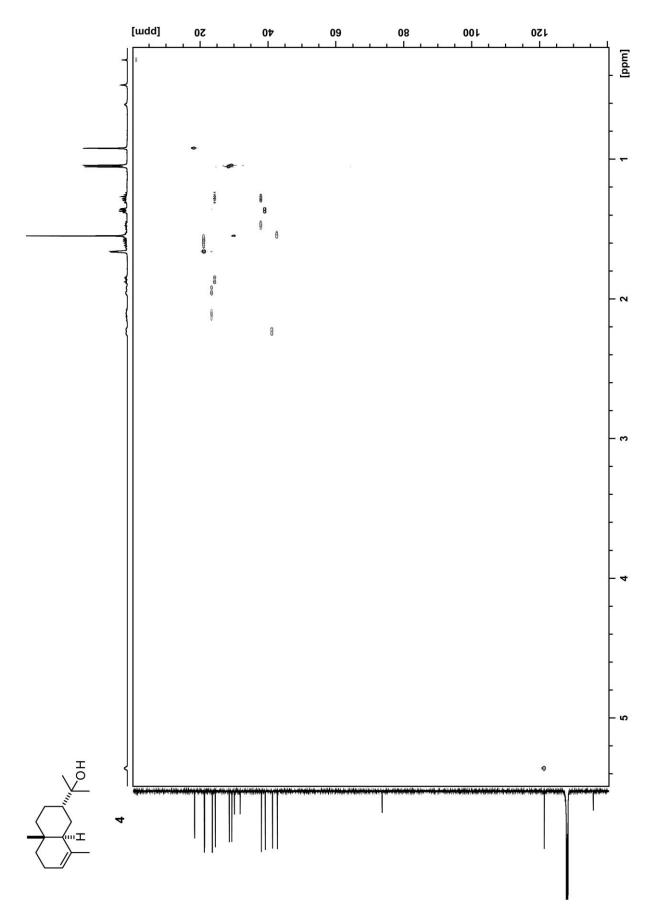


Figure S27: HSQC spectrum of 4.

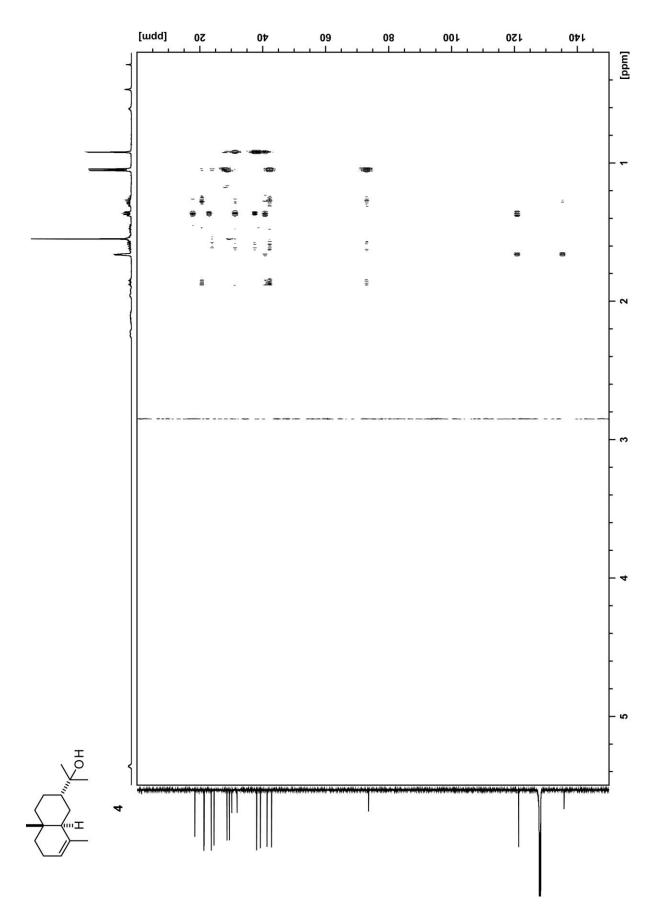


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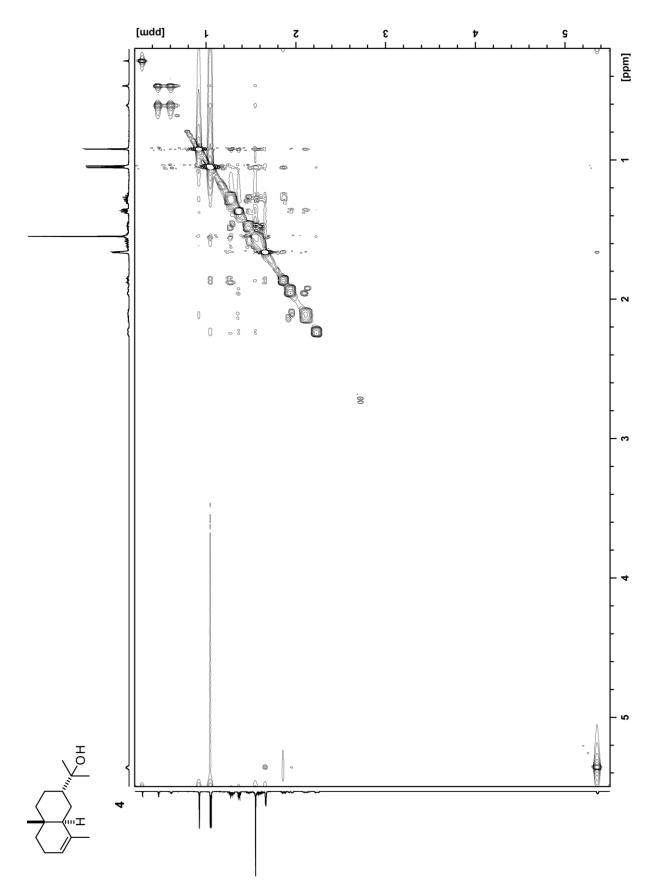


Figure \$29: NOESY spectrum of 4.

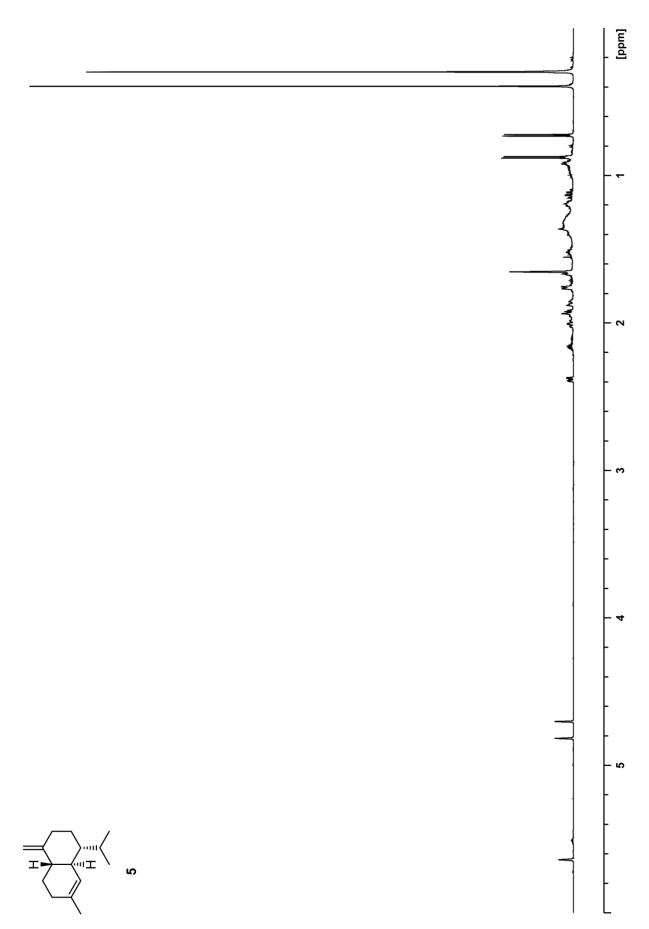


Figure S30: ¹H NMR spectrum of 5 at 500 MHz.

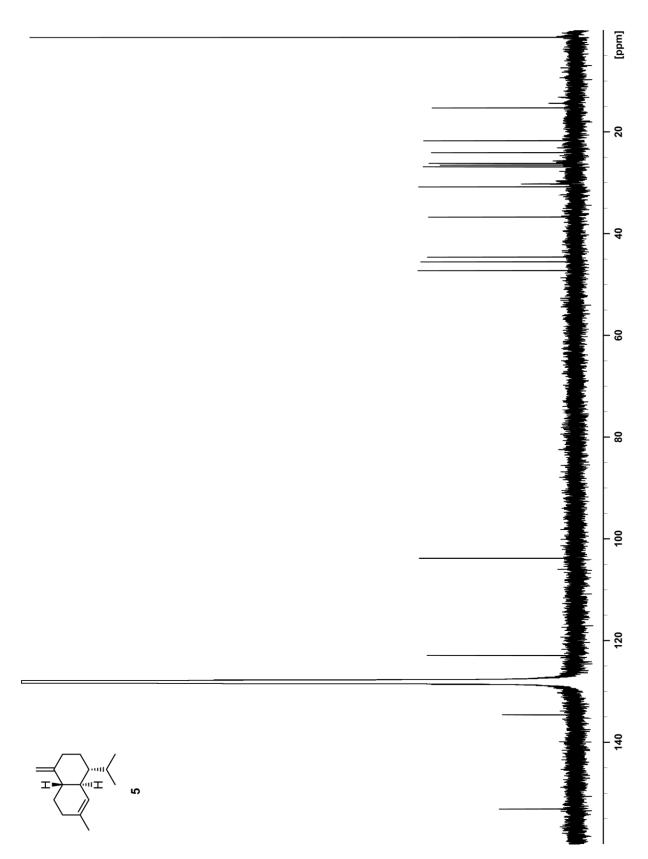


Figure S31: ¹³C NMR spectrum of 5 at 125 MHz.

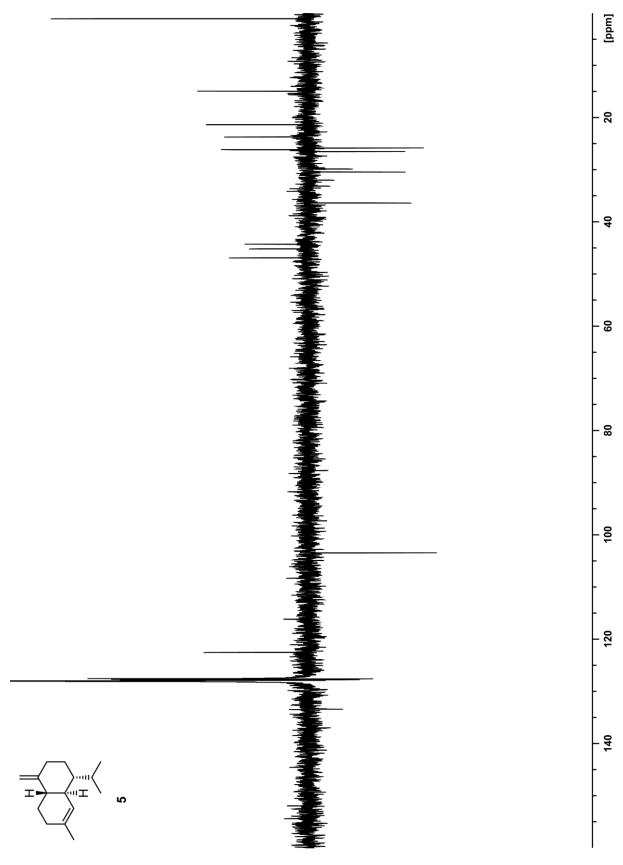


Figure S32: ¹³C-DEPT135 NMR spectrum of **5** at 125 MHz.

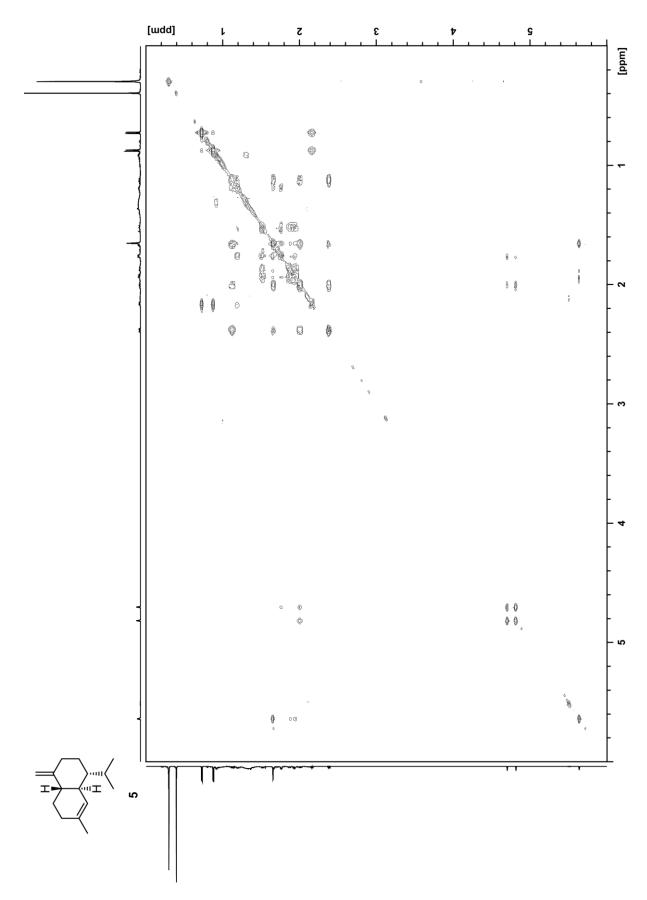


Figure S33: ¹H, ¹H-COSY spectrum of 5.

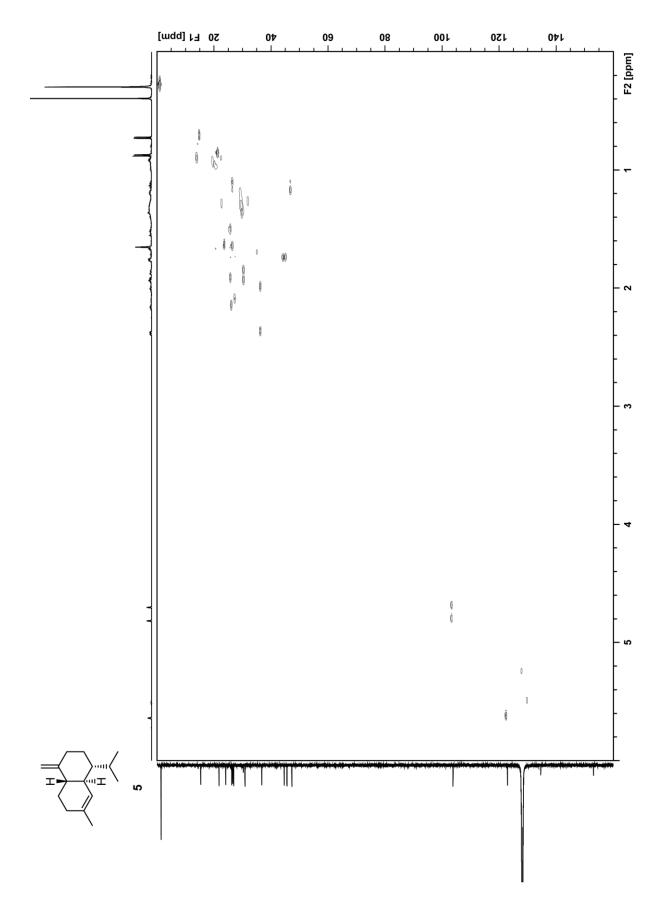


Figure S34: HSQC spectrum of 5.

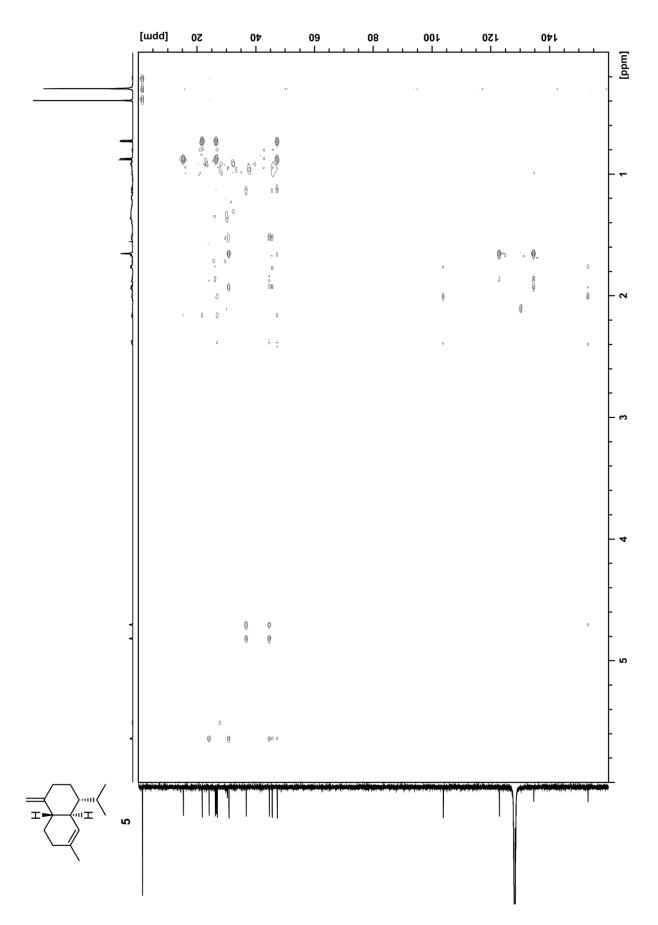


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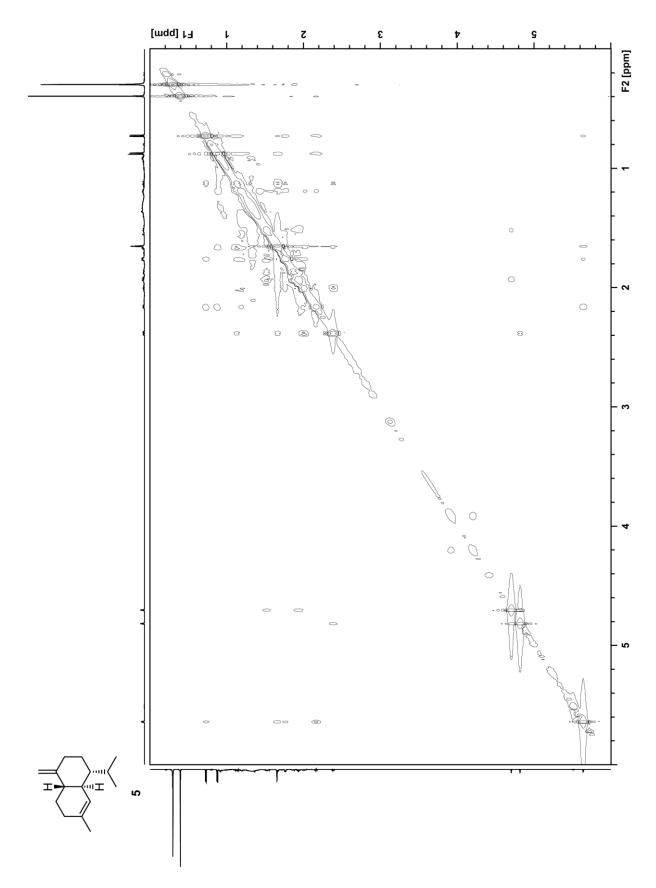


Figure \$36: NOESY spectrum of 5.