

Supplementary Materials

Table S1. Retention times, UV-Vis as well as ESI-MS and –MS/MS characteristics of additional compounds that could not be identified in *Cyclopia genistoides* extracts.

Nr	t _R (min)	Compound	λ _{max} (nm)	Mode	Accurate Mass, exp.	Proposed Formula	Error (ppm)	Precursor Ion	LC-MS/MS Ions ^{a,b}
A	11.61	unidentified	239, 283	+	397.1137	C ₁₈ H ₂₁ O ₁₀	0.5	397	325, 277, 259, 247 , 231, 193, 163, 149
				−	395.0963	C ₁₈ H ₁₉ O ₁₀	−3.8	395	287, 275, 259, 247 , 233, 124
B	17.94	unidentified	nd	+	425.1415	C ₁₈ H ₂₆ O ₁₀ Na	−2.1	425 [M+Na] ⁺	425
				−	447.1491	C ₁₉ H ₂₇ O ₁₂	−2.7	447 [M+formate] [−]	401, 269 , 233, 161, 143, 131, 125, 113, 101, 85, 71, 55
C	19.18	unidentified	nd, coelution	+	476.1754	C ₂₀ H ₃₀ NO ₁₂	−2.9	476	481, 342, 165, 147 , 97
D	20.22	unidentified	nd	+	387.1989	C ₁₉ H ₃₁ O ₈	−7.7	387	149 , 137, 119, 109, 99, 95, 91, 79
				−	431.1906	C ₂₀ H ₃₁ O ₁₀	−2.6	431 [M+formate] [−]	347, 329, 317 , 301, 287, 275
E	21.98	unidentified	250, 316,	+	519.2466	C ₂₄ H ₃₉ O ₁₂	4.6	519	207 , 189, 179, 165, 161, 149, 135, 123, 119, 113, 95, 67
			368 (weak)	−	517.2287	C ₂₄ H ₃₇ O ₁₂	0.4	517	517, 505, 415, 347, 233, 205 , 191, 188, 153, 143, 125, 113, 108, 97, 89, 73
F	37.88	unidentified	nd	+	525.2296	C ₂₄ H ₃₈ O ₁₁ Na	−3.0	525 [M+Na] ⁺	525
				−	547.2405	C ₂₅ H ₃₉ O ₁₃	2.6	547 [M+formate] [−]	191, 175, 161, 149, 143, 131, 125, 119, 113, 99, 89 , 85, 71, 59, 43
G	41.19	unidentified	nd	+	527.2457	C ₂₄ H ₄₀ O ₁₁ Na	−2.1	527 [M+Na] ⁺	527
				−	549.2548	C ₂₅ H ₄₁ O ₁₃	0.2	549 [M+formate] [−]	503 , 371
H	44.24	unidentified	nd, coelution	+	527.2468	C ₂₄ H ₄₀ O ₁₁ Na	0.0	527 [M+Na] ⁺	527
			−	549.2560	C ₂₅ H ₄₁ O ₁₃	2.4	549 [M+formate] [−]	503 , 371	
I	53.69	unidentified	nd	+	471.2200	C ₂₁ H ₃₆ O ₁₀ Na	−0.6	471 [M+Na] ⁺	471 , 335
				−	493.2299	C ₂₂ H ₃₇ O ₁₂	2.8	493 [M+formate] [−]	447, 233, 191, 179, 161, 149, 143, 131, 125, 119, 113, 99 , 89, 85, 71, 59, 55, 43

^a Default collision energy (CE) of 30 V, unless otherwise stated; ^b Values in bold indicates the base peak ion; nd = not detected.

Table S2. Retention times, UV-Vis as well as ESI-MS and –MS/MS characteristics of additional authentic reference standard compounds used in the identification of constituents.

t_R (min)	Compound	λ_{max} (nm)	Mode	Accurate Mass, exp.	Proposed Formula	Error (ppm)	Precursor ion	LC-MS/MS Ions ^{a,b}
19.83	mangiferin-7- <i>O</i> - glucoside (neomangiferin)	241, 256, 317, 357	+	585.1454	C ₂₅ H ₂₉ O ₁₆	−0.3	585	489, 465, 435, 405, 387, 369, 357, 351, 339, 327, 313, 303 , 299, 285, 273, 261
			−	583.1309	C ₂₅ H ₂₇ O ₁₆	1.7	583	583, 565, 493 , 463, 421, 403, 331, 313, 301, 271, 259
30.57	3-hydroxyphloretin-3'- C-glucoside (aspalathin)	287	+	453.1385	C ₂₁ H ₂₅ O ₁₁	−2.6	453	381, 369, 351, 315, 297, 285, 277, 259, 247, 235, 229, 217, 211, 205, 193, 181, 165, 151, 139, 123
			−	451.1241	C ₂₁ H ₂₃ O ₁₁	0.2	451	361, 343, 331, 313, 289, 239, 221, 209 , 197, 179, 167, 137, 125
38.96	phloretin-3'-C- glucoside (nothofagin)	287	+	437.1449	C ₂₁ H ₂₅ O ₁₀	0.2	437	365, 353, 335, 317, 299, 287, 277, 259, 247, 235, 229, 217, 211, 205, 193, 181, 163, 151, 139, 107
			−	435.1285	C ₂₁ H ₂₃ O ₁₀	−1.4	435	345, 327, 315 , 285, 273, 239, 221, 209, 197, 179, 167, 137, 125
41.08	naringenin-7- <i>O</i> - neohesperidoside (naringin)	280	+	581.1870	C ₂₇ H ₃₃ O ₁₄	0.0	581	603, 581, 488, 435, 419, 401, 383, 315, 311, 273, 245, 231, 219, 195, 153, 147
			−	579.1714	C ₂₇ H ₃₁ O ₁₄	0.0	579	579, 459, 271, 151

^a Default collision energy (CE) of 30 V, unless otherwise stated; ^b Values in bold indicates the base peak ion.

Table S3. Percentage relative standard deviation (% RSD) values for the determination of analyte stability and analytical precision of phenolic constituents as part of a standard calibration mixture and unfermented and fermented *C. genistoides* extracts.

Nr	Compound	Stability		Analytical Precision		
		24 h (<i>n</i> = 6)	Day 1 (<i>n</i> = 6)	Day 2 (<i>n</i> = 6)	Day 3 (<i>n</i> = 6)	Pooled (<i>n</i> = 3)
Standard Calibration Mixture						
na ^a	maclurin	0.31	0.47	0.28	0.32	1.02
4	Mangiferin ^b	0.31	0.63	0.30	0.20	1.23
6	vicenin-2 ^b	1.44	0.51	0.68	0.74	1.07
na ^a	aspalathin	0.33	0.51	0.35	0.14	0.79
7	eriocitrin	0.58	0.68	0.49	0.69	0.52
8 ^a	narirutin	0.33	0.33	0.22	0.21	0.48
9	hesperidin	0.17	0.21	0.17	0.14	0.50
Unfermented Extract						
a	maclurin-di- <i>O,C</i> -hexoside	5.89	2.24	2.39	2.55	0.88
b	iriflophenone-di- <i>O,C</i> -hexoside	0.51	0.12	0.14	0.22	0.18
c	maclurin-3- <i>C</i> -glucoside	0.68	0.30	0.32	0.37	0.47
A	unidentified compound	0.55	0.75	0.70	0.39	0.38
3	iriflophenone-3- <i>C</i> -glucoside	0.24	0.17	0.18	0.11	0.15
k	tetrahydroxyxanthone- <i>C</i> -hexoside dimer	nq ^c	nq ^c	nq ^c	nq ^c	nq ^c
l	tetrahydroxyxanthone-di- <i>O,C</i> -hexoside	0.63	0.16	0.32	0.18	0.45
s	eriodictyol- <i>O</i> -hexose- <i>O</i> -deoxyhexose	0.73	0.50	0.40	0.36	0.12
4	mangiferin	0.32	0.12	0.06	0.11	0.31
5	isomangiferin	0.13	0.26	0.25	0.24	0.26
6	vicenin-2	0.20	0.24	0.21	0.21	0.37
v	naringenin- <i>O</i> -hexose- <i>O</i> -deoxyhexose	0.39	0.35	0.28	0.43	0.48
w	naringenin- <i>O</i> -hexose- <i>O</i> -deoxyhexose	0.36	0.26	0.21	0.24	0.20
7	eriocitrin	1.05	1.21	0.93	1.63	0.24
x	3-hydroxyphloretin-3',5'-di- <i>C</i> -hexoside	0.40	0.58	0.55	0.50	0.38
y	tetrahydroxyxanthone- <i>C</i> -hexoside isomer	0.99	0.78	0.52	0.46	0.56
z	phloretin-3',5'-di- <i>C</i> -glucoside	0.57	0.45	0.37	0.23	0.23
9	hesperidin	0.34	0.52	0.27	0.25	0.29
Fermented Extract						
a	maclurin-di- <i>O,C</i> -hexoside	5.75	2.02	2.71	2.14	0.78
b	iriflophenone-di- <i>O,C</i> -hexoside	0.40	0.14	0.22	0.15	0.40
c	maclurin-3- <i>C</i> -glucoside	1.04	1.17	1.56	1.30	0.38
A	unidentified compound	0.58	0.45	0.91	0.78	0.49
3	iriflophenone-3- <i>C</i> -glucoside	0.27	0.11	0.33	0.23	0.24
k	tetrahydroxyxanthone- <i>C</i> -hexoside dimer	0.93	0.76	0.98	0.86	0.75

Table S3. *Cont.*

Nr	Compound	Stability	Analytical Precision			
		24 h	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Pooled
		(n = 6)	(n = 6)	(n = 6)	(n = 6)	(n = 3)
Fermented Extract						
l	tetrahydroxyxanthone-di- <i>O,C</i> -hexoside	0.80	0.73	0.57	0.42	0.70
s	eriodictyol- <i>O</i> -hexose- <i>O</i> -deoxyhexose	0.57	1.08	0.57	0.53	0.88
4	mangiferin	0.32	0.12	0.12	0.09	0.95
5	isomangiferin	0.42	0.23	0.27	0.15	0.64
6	vicenin-2	0.13	0.24	0.37	0.13	0.30
v	naringenin- <i>O</i> -hexose- <i>O</i> -deoxyhexose	0.49	0.58	0.48	0.40	0.50
w	naringenin- <i>O</i> -hexose- <i>O</i> -deoxyhexose	0.75	0.43	0.27	0.39	0.10
7	eriocitrin	1.00	1.15	1.85	1.78	1.14
x	3-hydroxyphloretin-3',5'-di- <i>C</i> -hexoside	1.03	0.86	1.67	1.29	0.84
y	tetrahydroxyxanthone- <i>C</i> -hexoside isomer	0.97	0.69	0.66	0.69	0.46
z	phloretin-3',5'-di- <i>C</i> -glucoside	0.74	0.68	0.23	0.73	0.44
9	hesperidin	0.28	0.24	0.51	0.28	0.15

^a na = not applicable, standard compound not detected and/or not quantified in the sample extracts, but used in the quantification of other phenolic constituents; ^b Diluted with DMSO, while other compounds were diluted with water; ^c nq = not quantified due to extremely small peak area (<30 mAU) yielding large percentage error associated with difficult integration; Values in bold indicates % RSD values > 2.