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Figure S1. Detector response from HPLC purification of ngercheumicins, where fractions 6, 8, 9 and 11 gave ngercheumicin F, G, H and I, respectively. Fraction size is not shown, as these are pooled fractions from the automatic fractionation. Fraction 7 and 10 contains isomers of ngercheumicin F and H.

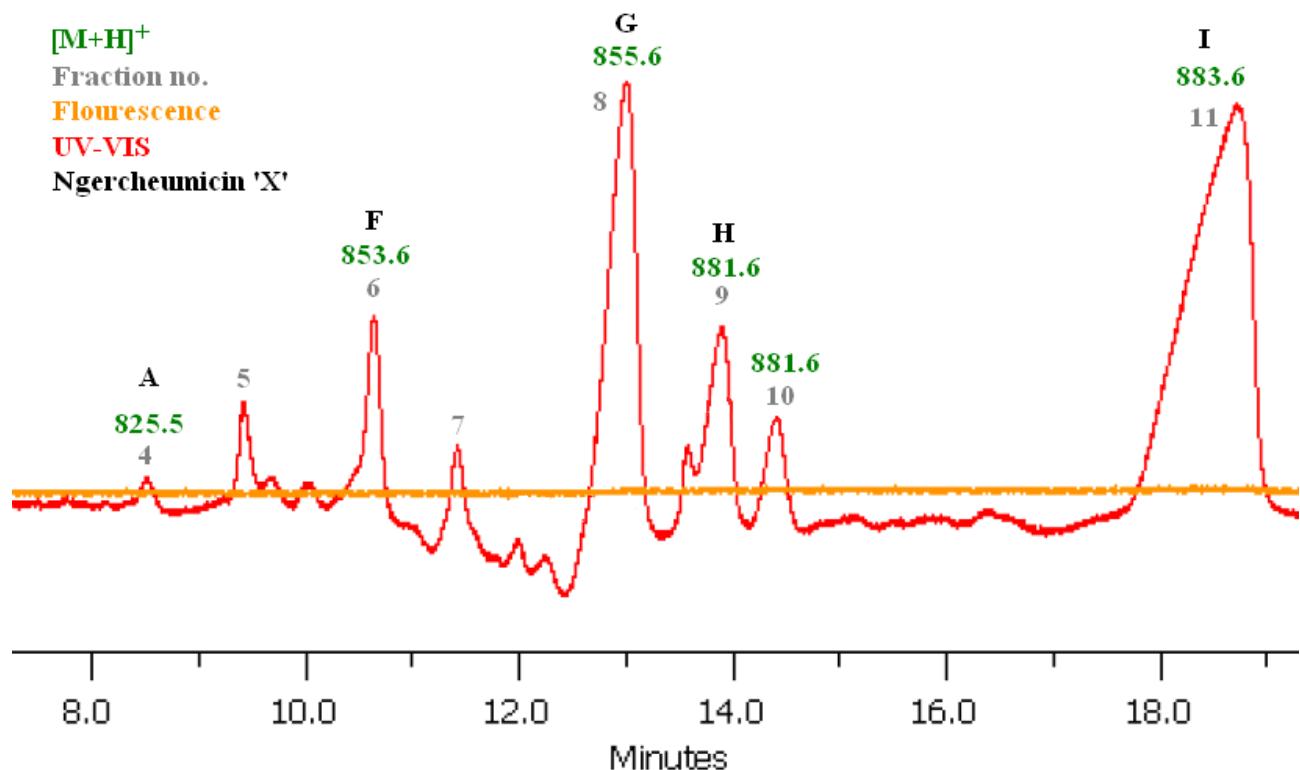


Figure S2. Diode array detected (200–700 nm) chromatograms for purified samples of ngercheumicin F, G, H and I (from the top).

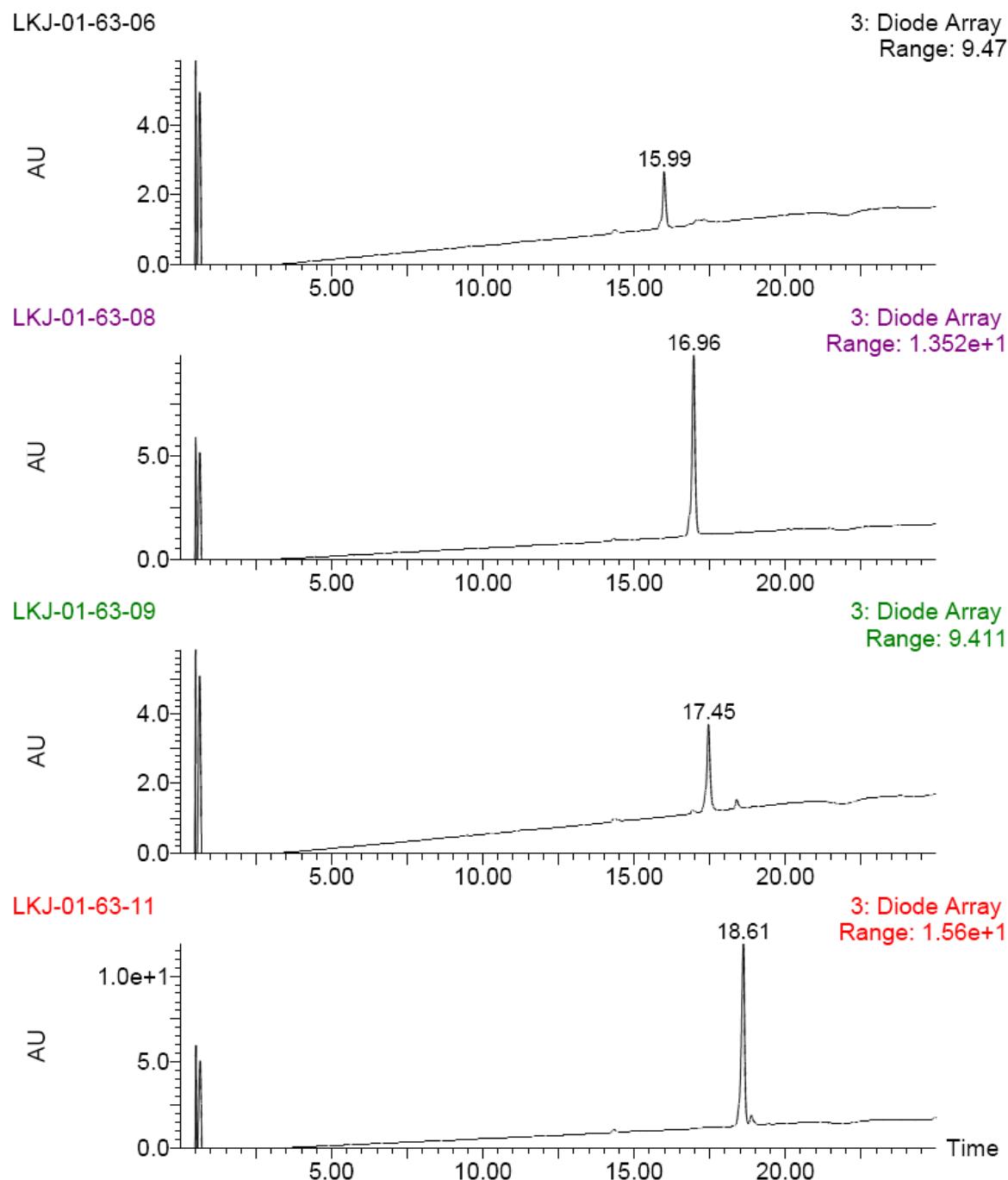


Figure S3. Selected region of the total ion chromatograms (TIC) of ngercheumicin F, G, H and I (from the top), showing $[M + H]^+$, $[M + NH_4]^+$ and weak $[M + Na]^+$ adducts. Outside the range are also $[2M + NH_4]^+$ at m/z 1723–1784.

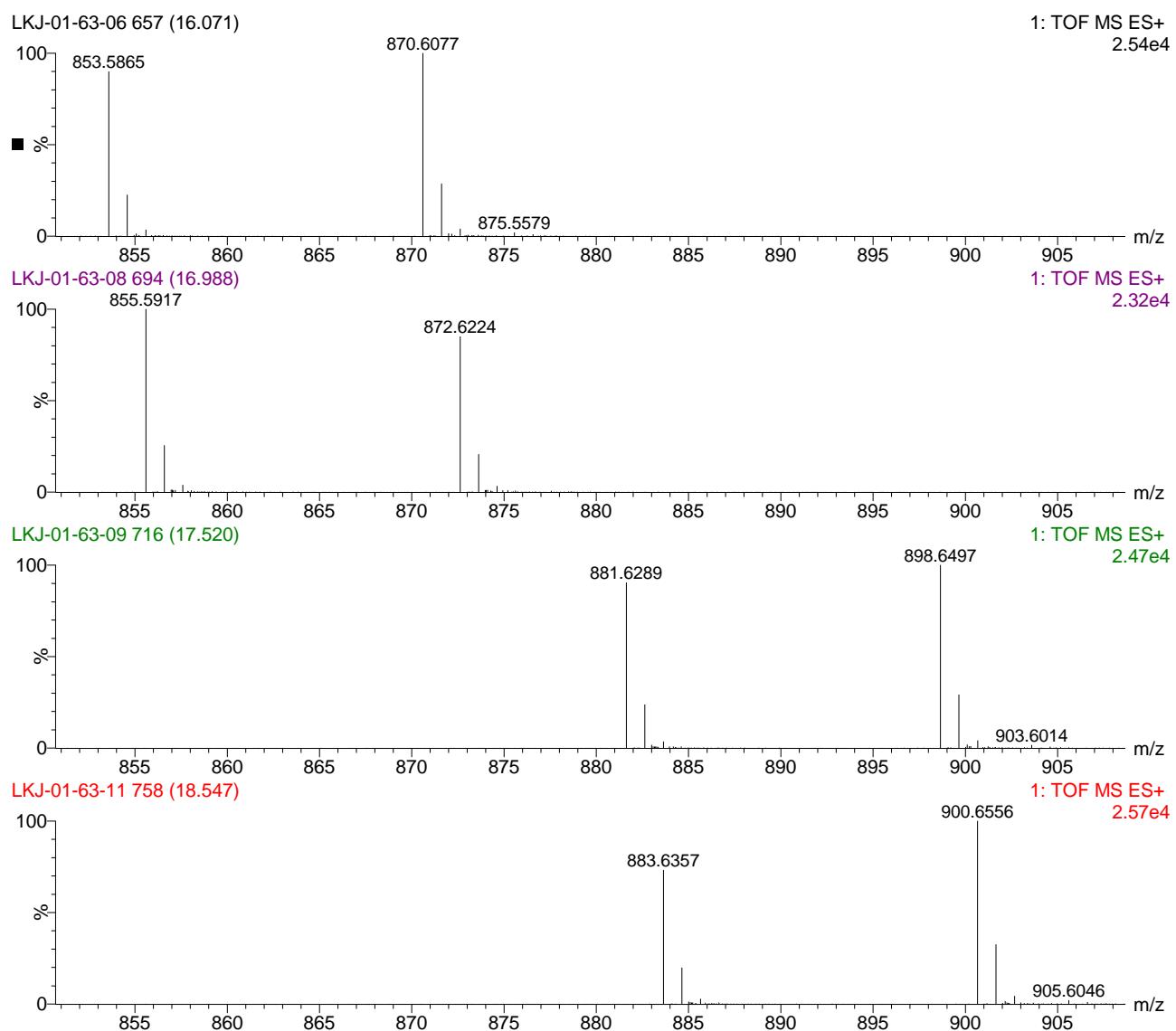


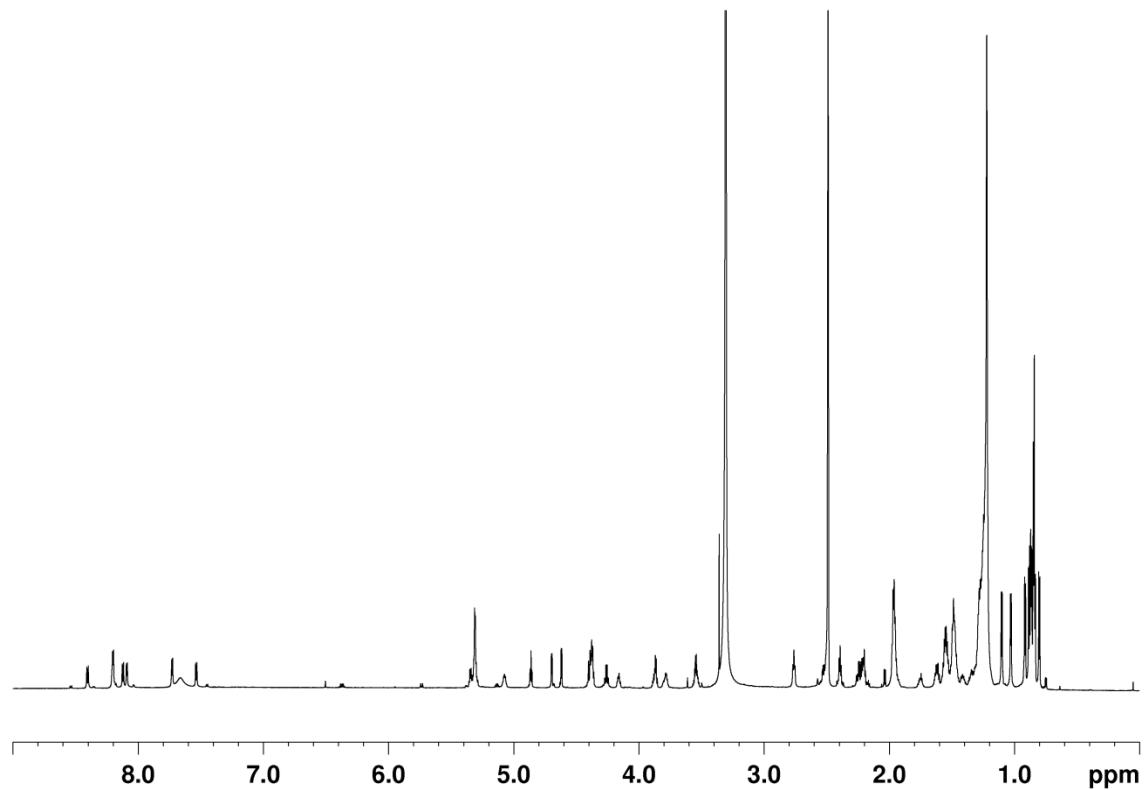
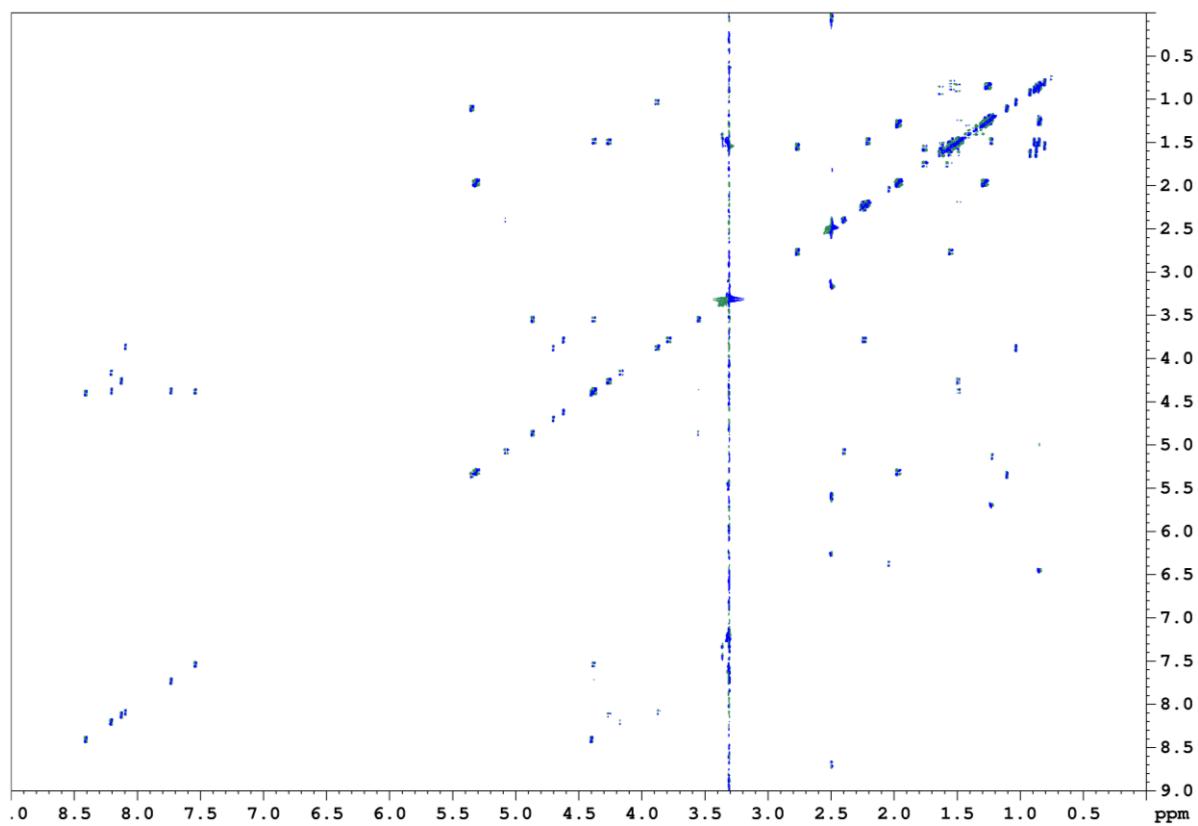
Figure S4. ^1H spectrum for ngercheumicin F.**Figure S5.** DQF-COSY for ngercheumicin F.

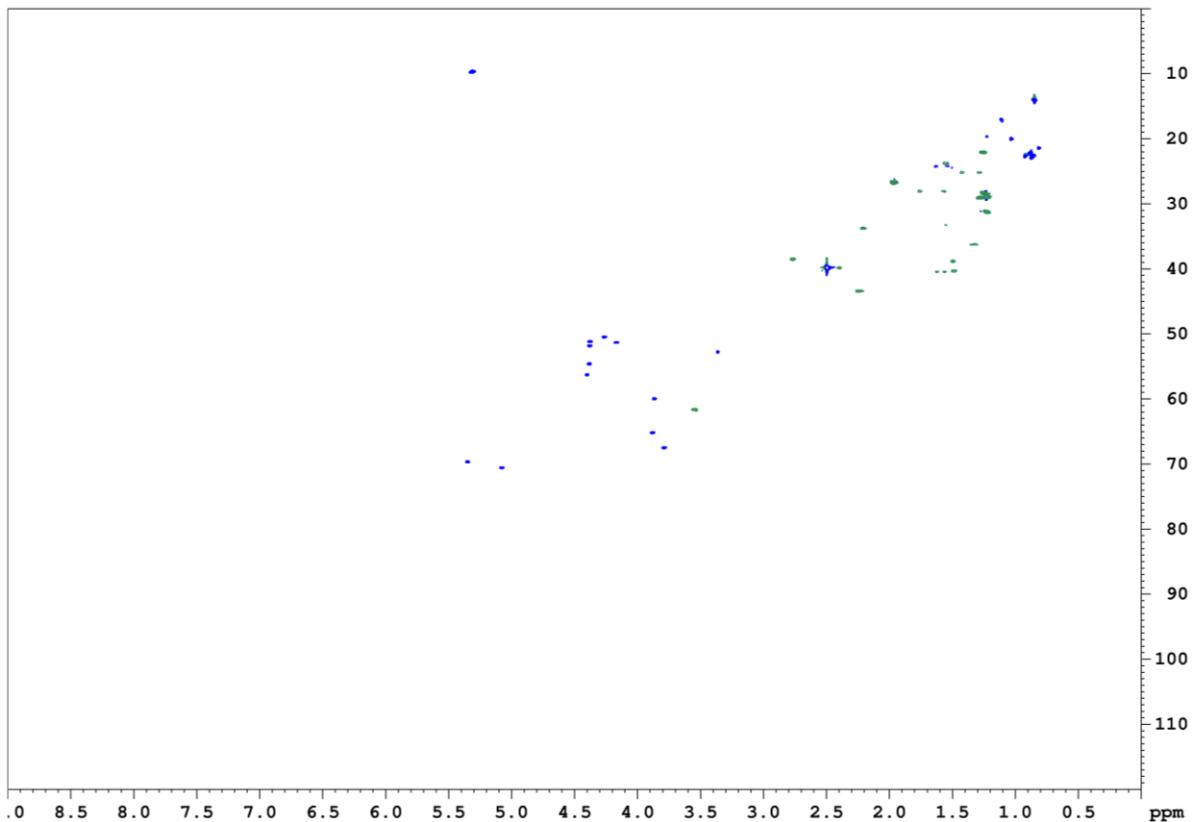
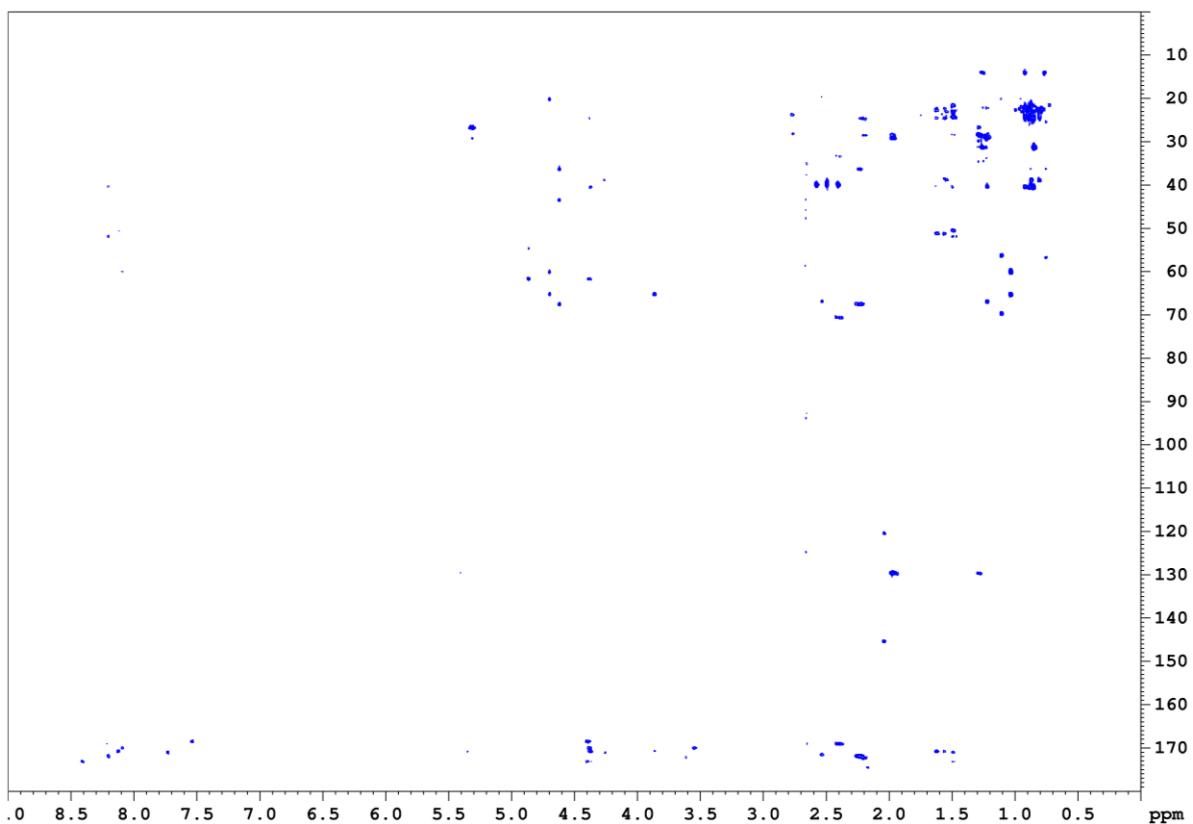
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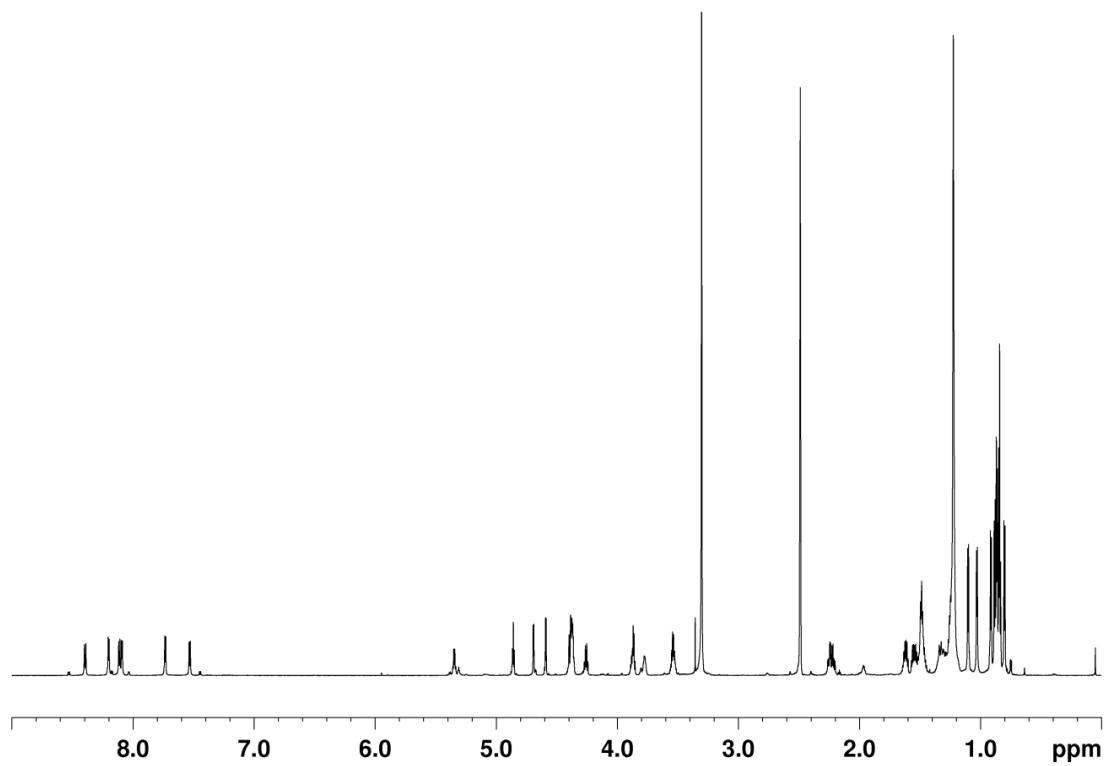
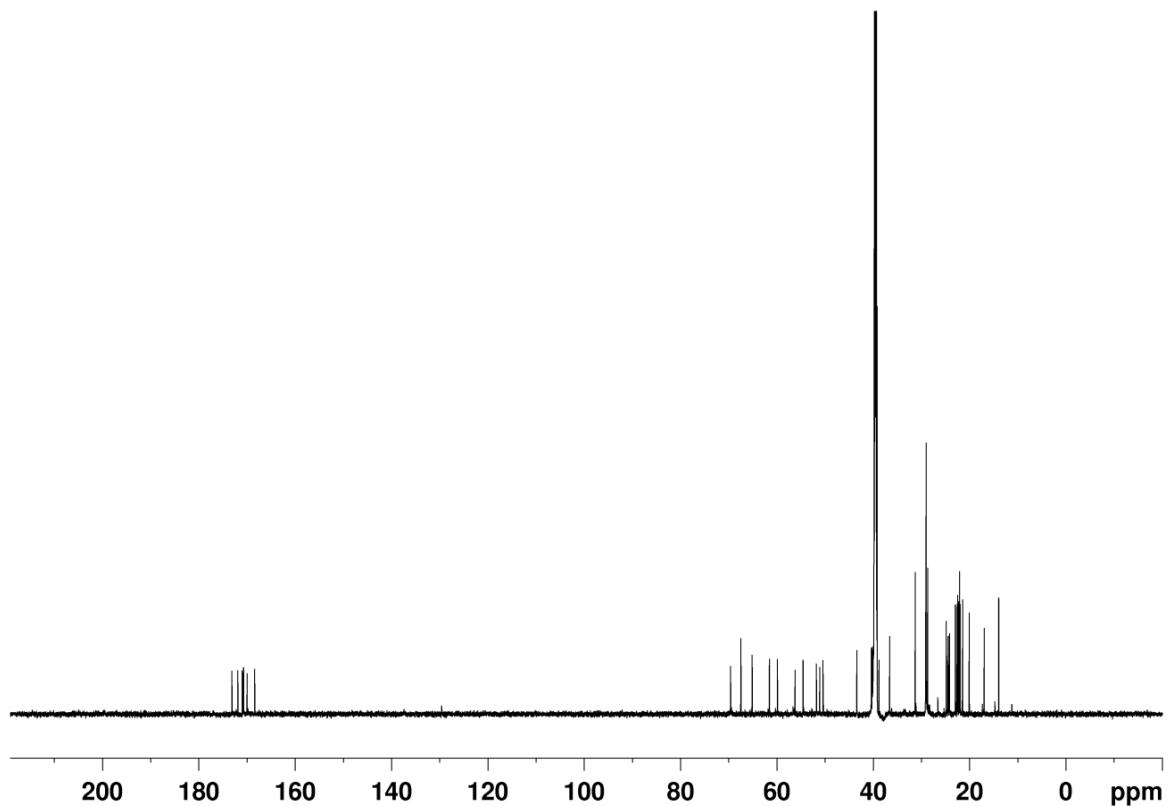
Figure S8. ^1H spectrum for ngercheumicin G.**Figure S9.** ^{13}C spectrum for ngercheumicin G.

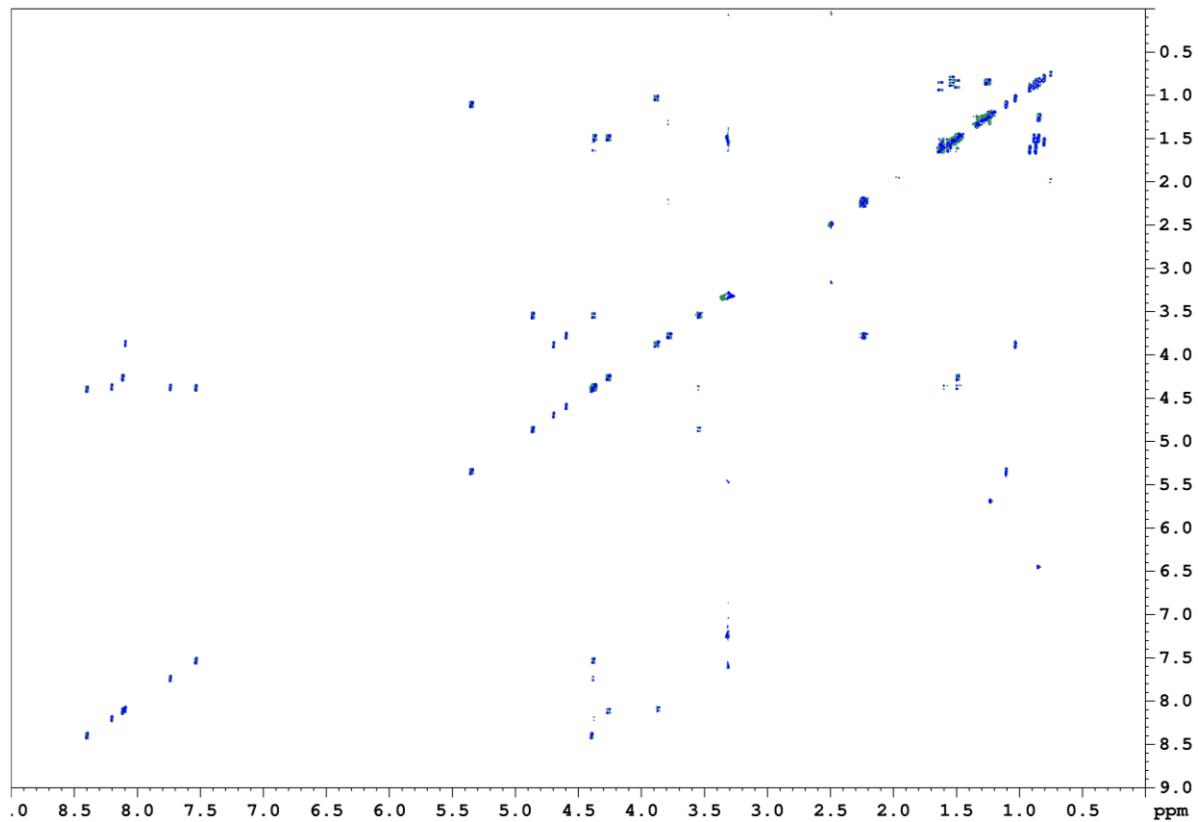
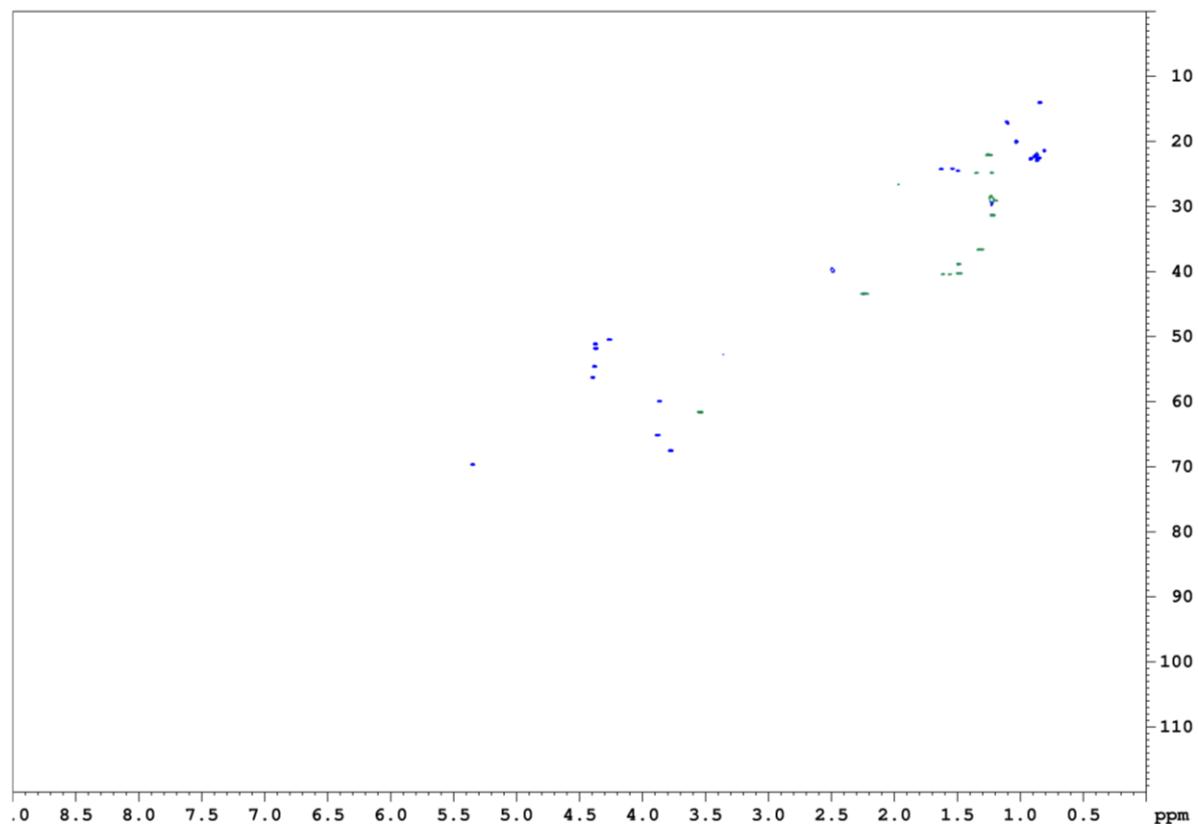
Figure S10. DQF-COSY for ngercheumicin G.**Figure S11.** Multiplicity edited gHSQC for ngercheumicin G.

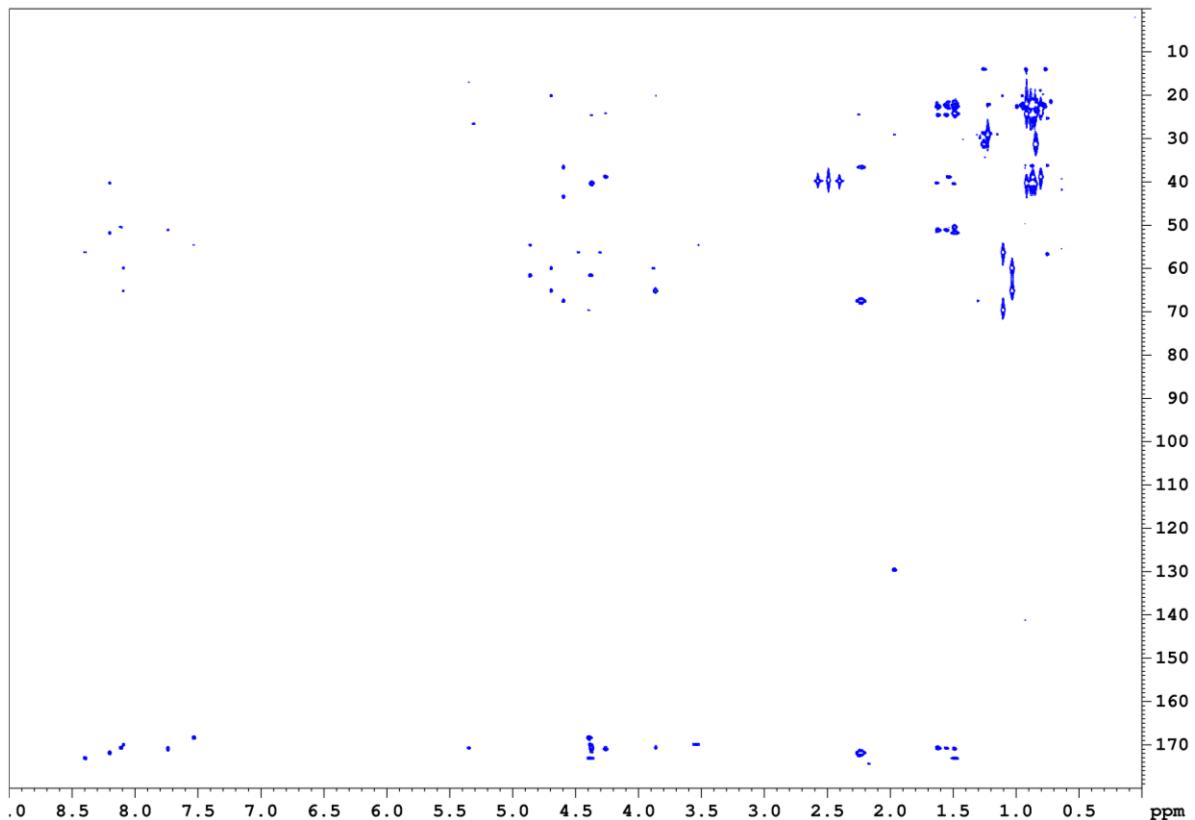
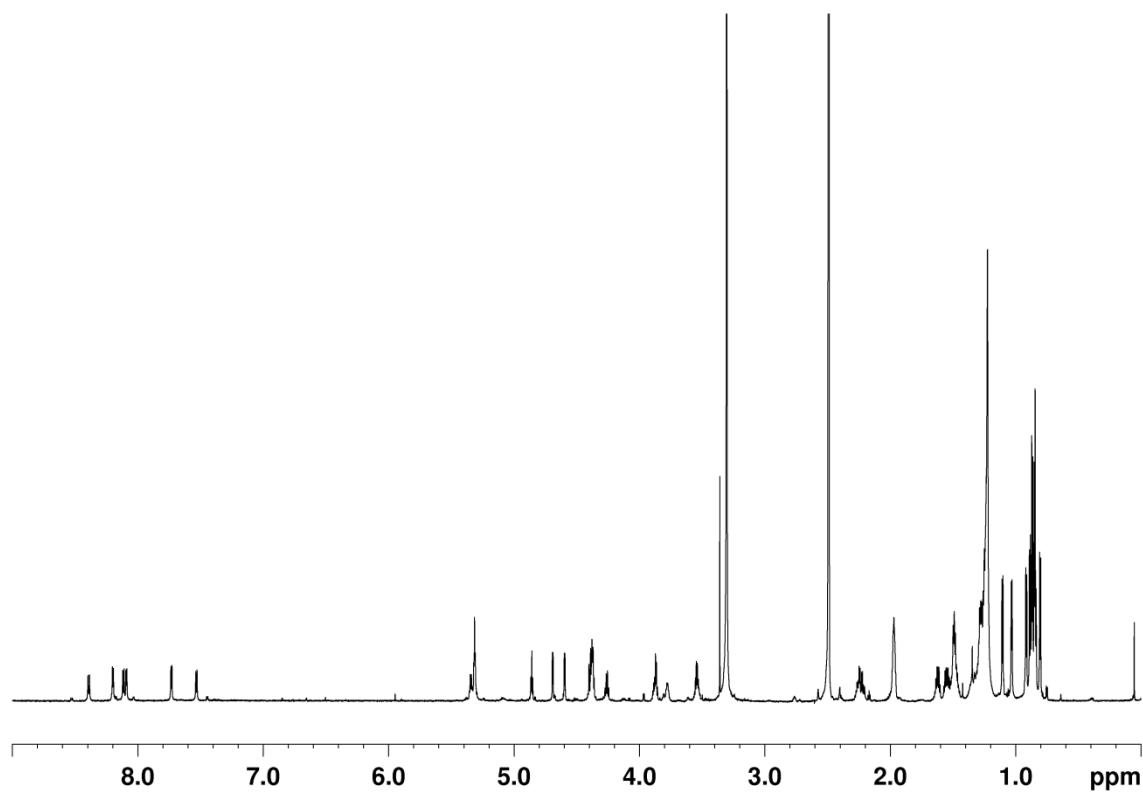
Figure S12. gHMBC for ngercheumicin G.**Figure S13.** ^1H spectrum for ngercheumicin H.

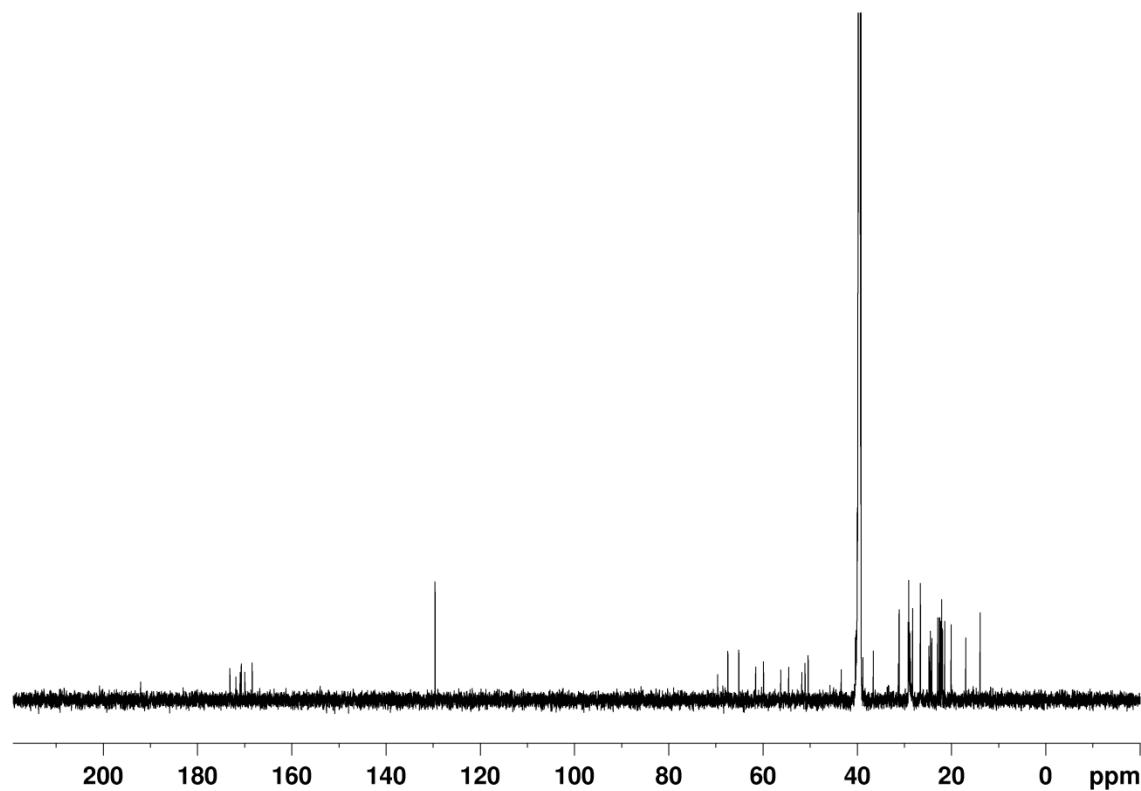
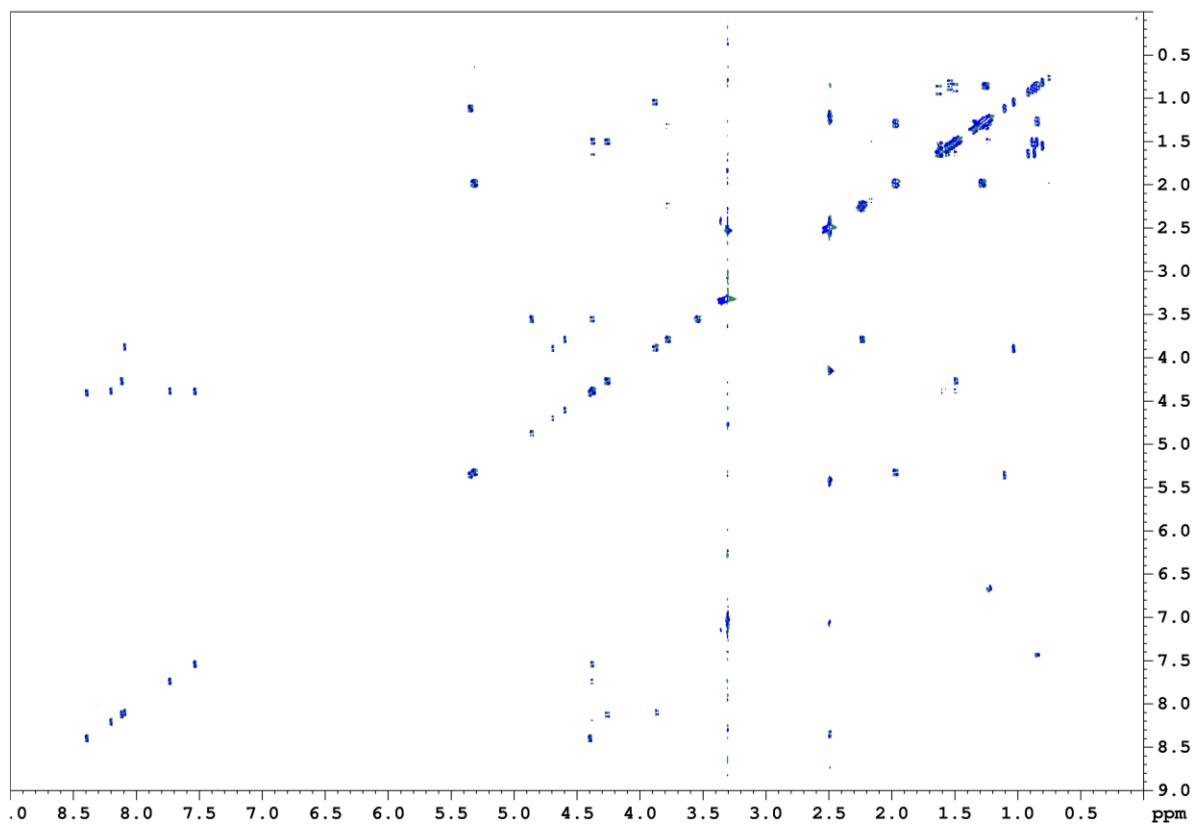
Figure S14. ^{13}C spectrum for ngercheumicin H.**Figure S15.** DQF-COSY for ngercheumicin H.

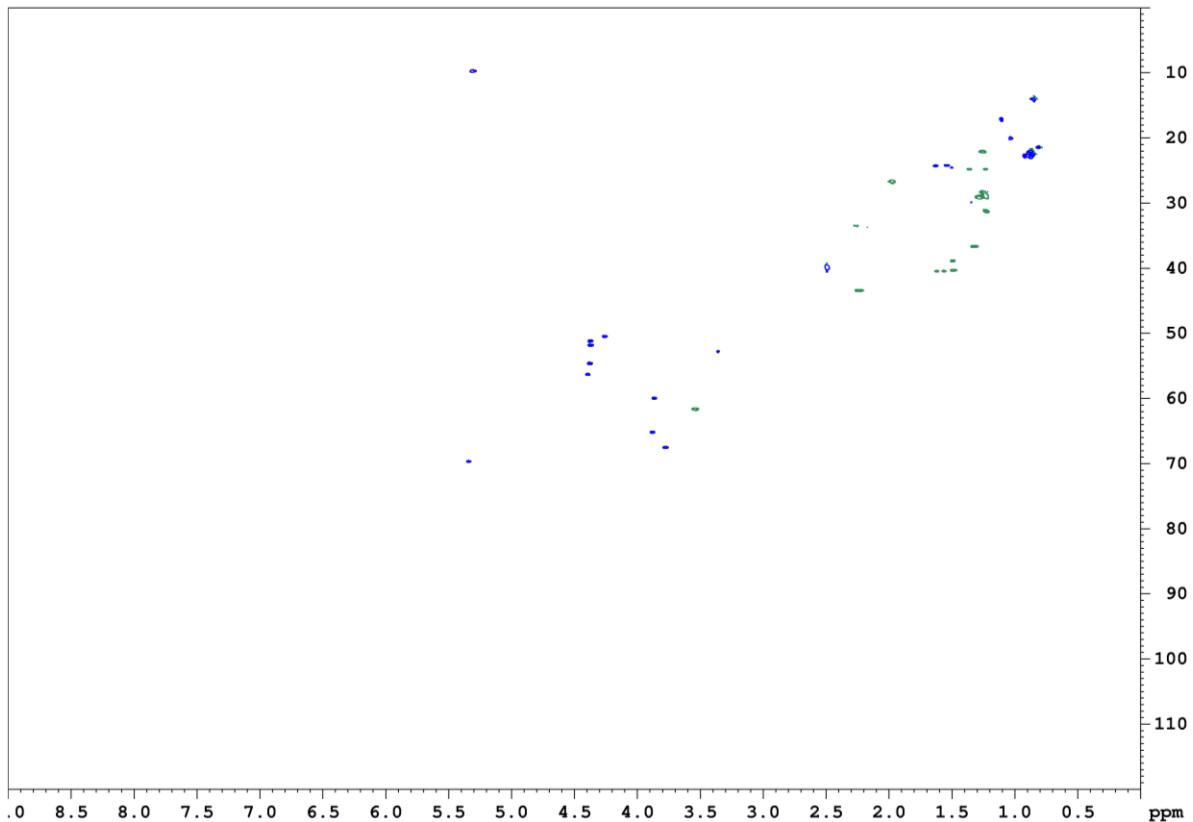
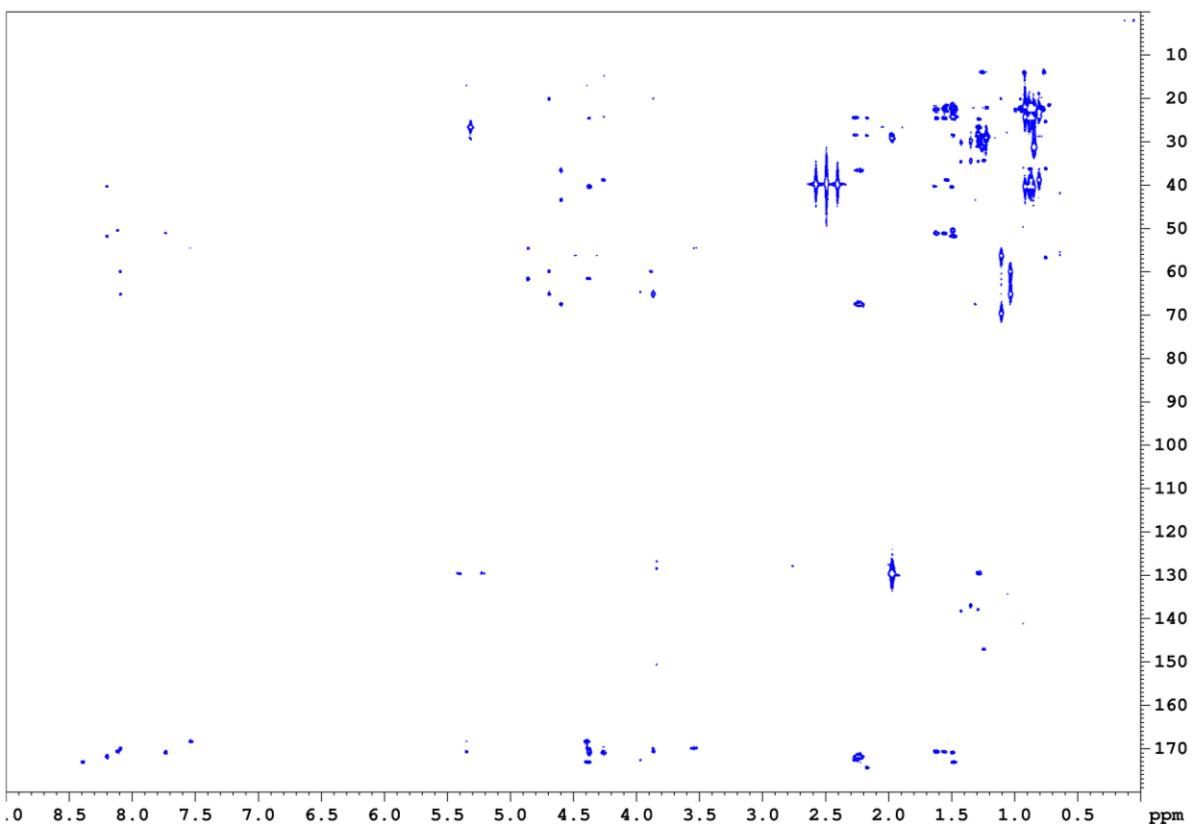
Figure S16. Multiplicity edited gHSQC for ngercheumicin H.**Figure S17.** gHMBC for ngercheumicin H.

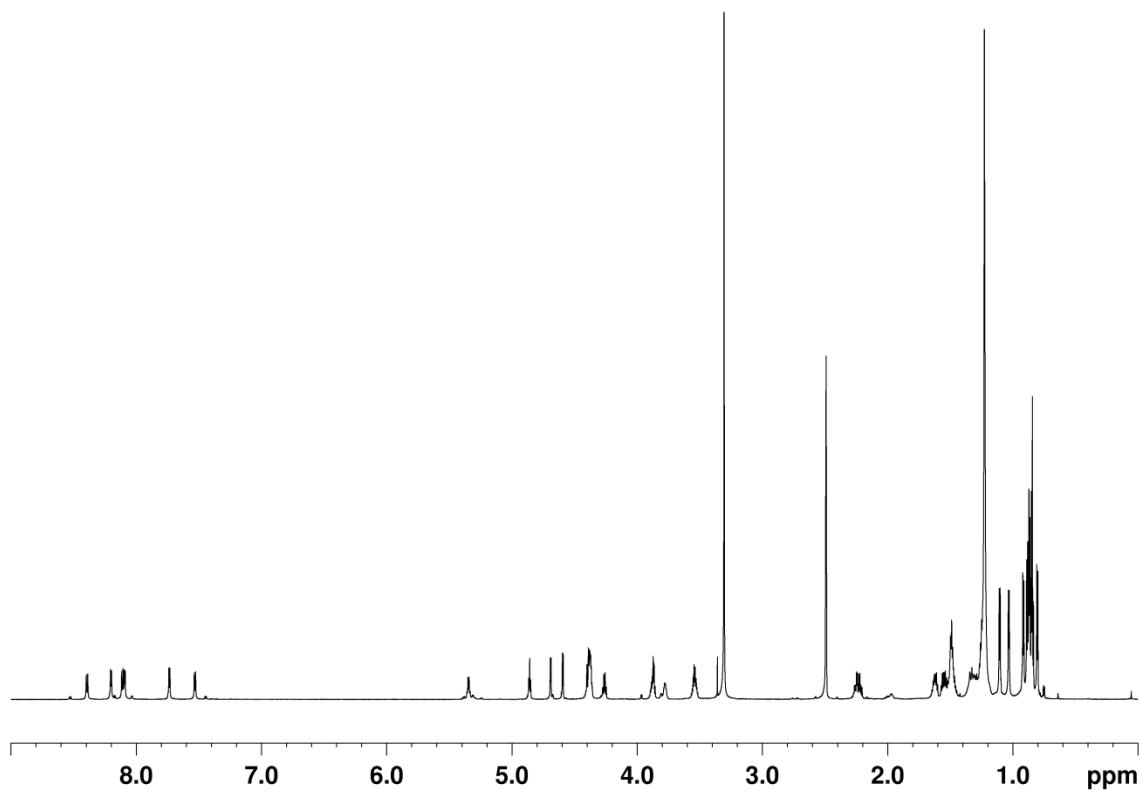
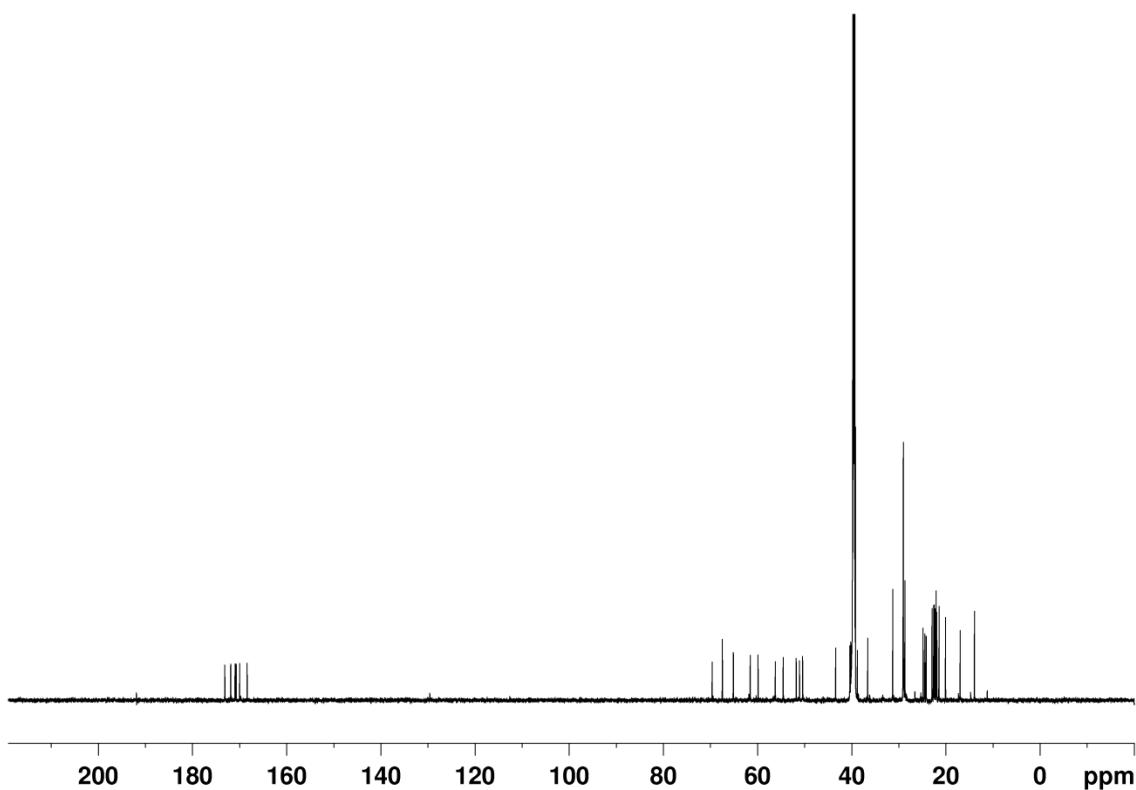
Figure S18. ^1H spectrum for ngercheumicin I.**Figure S19.** ^{13}C spectrum for ngercheumicin I.

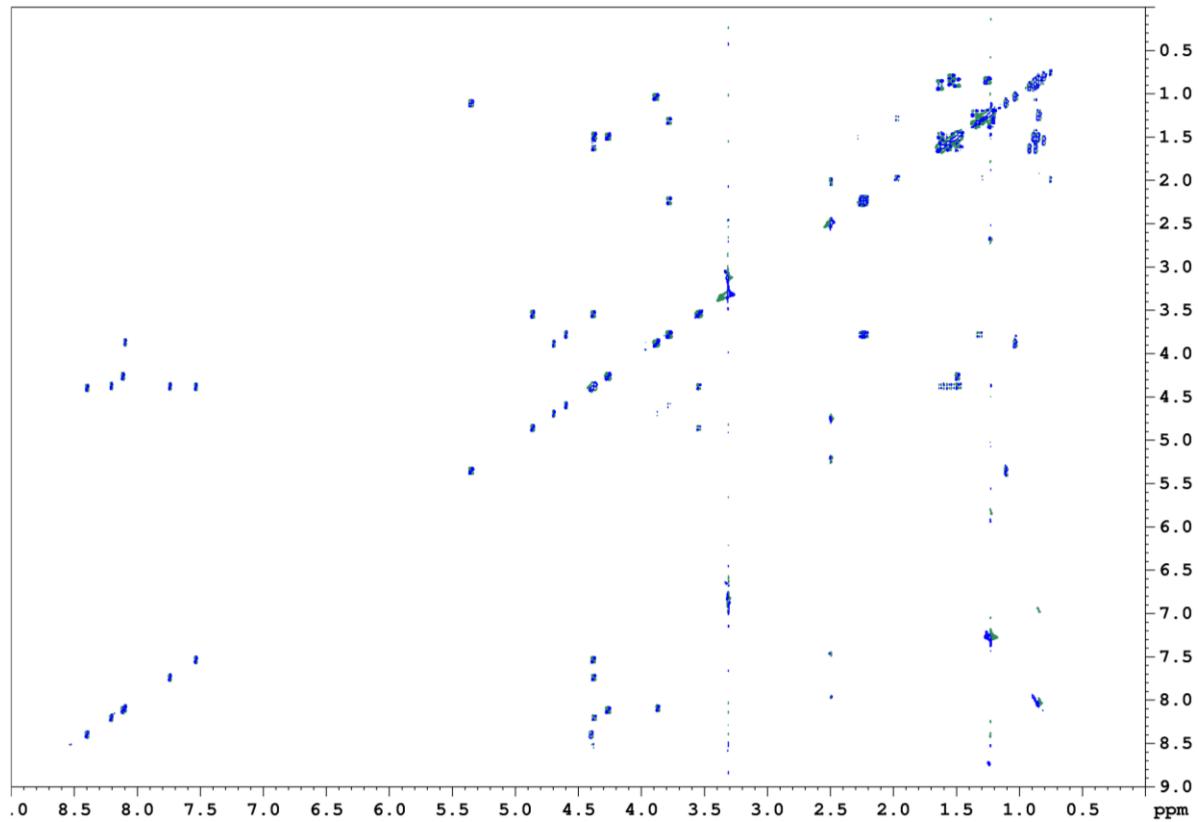
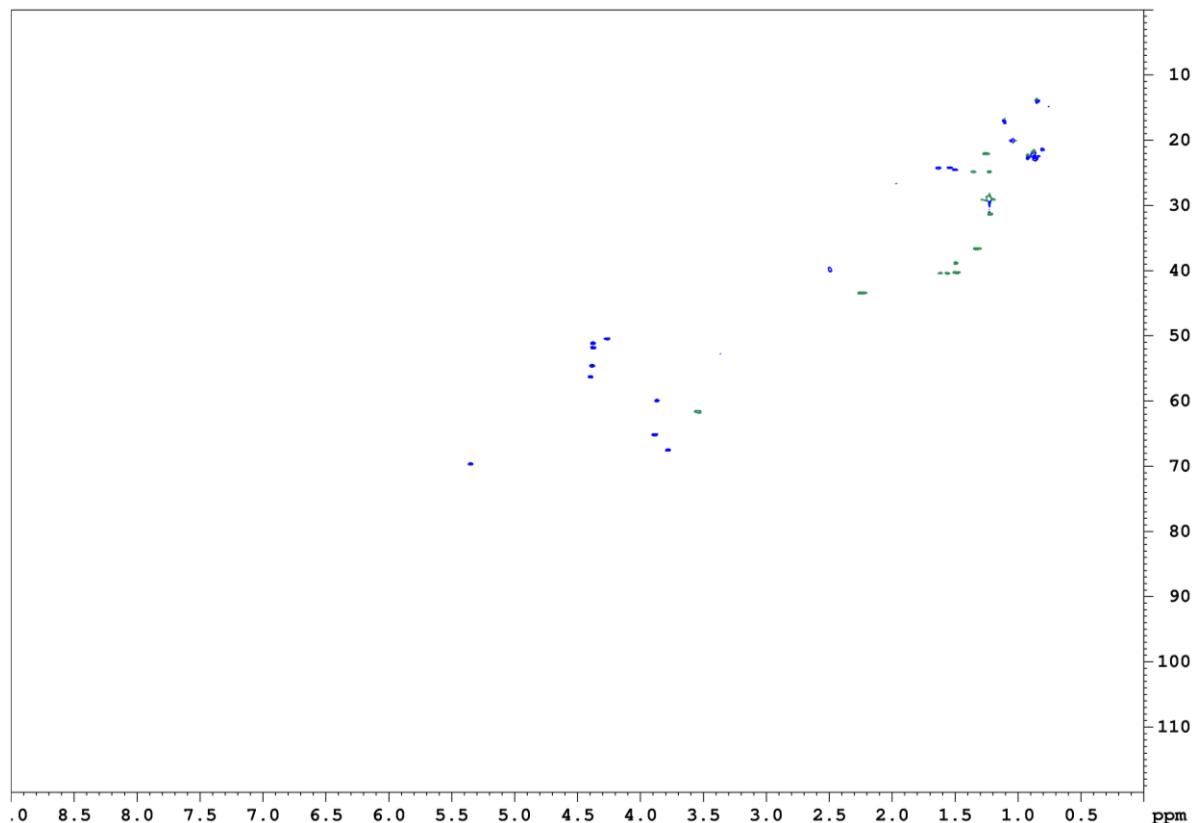
Figure S20. DQF-COSY for ngercheumicin I.**Figure S21.** Multiplicity edited gHSQC for ngercheumicin I.

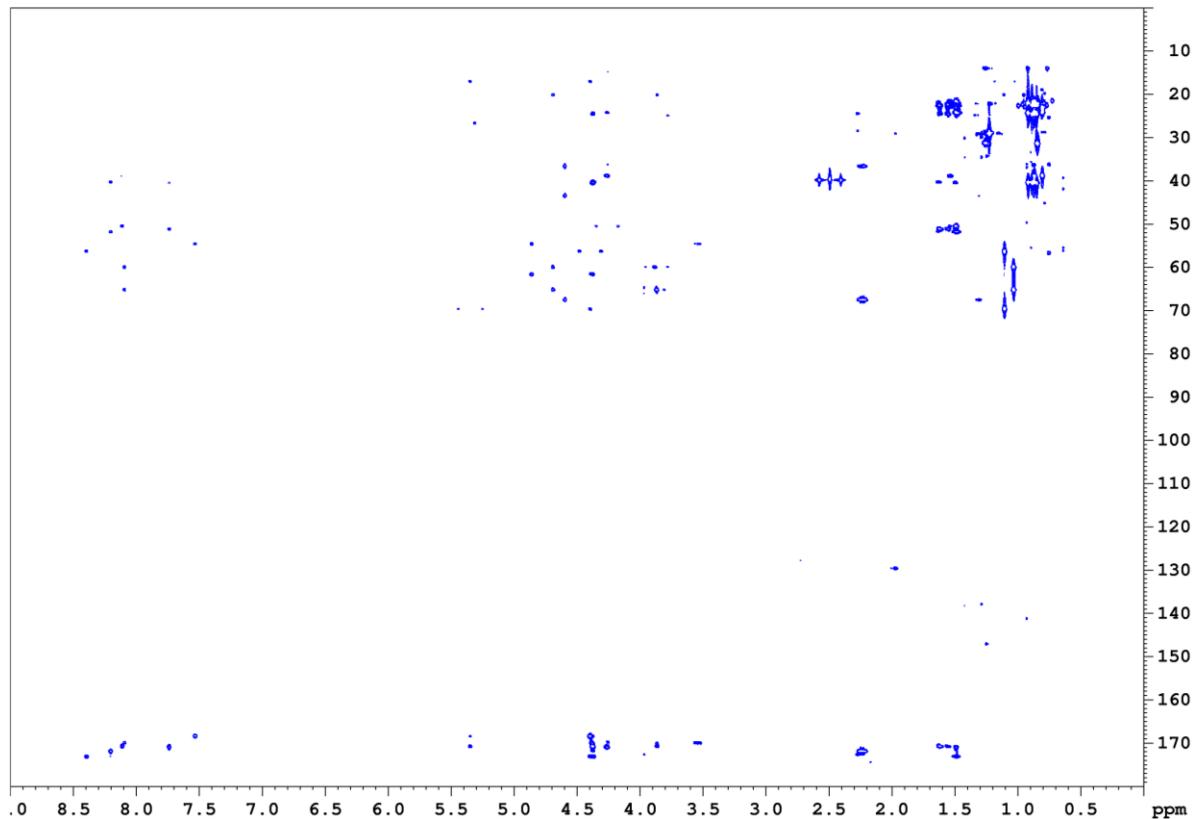
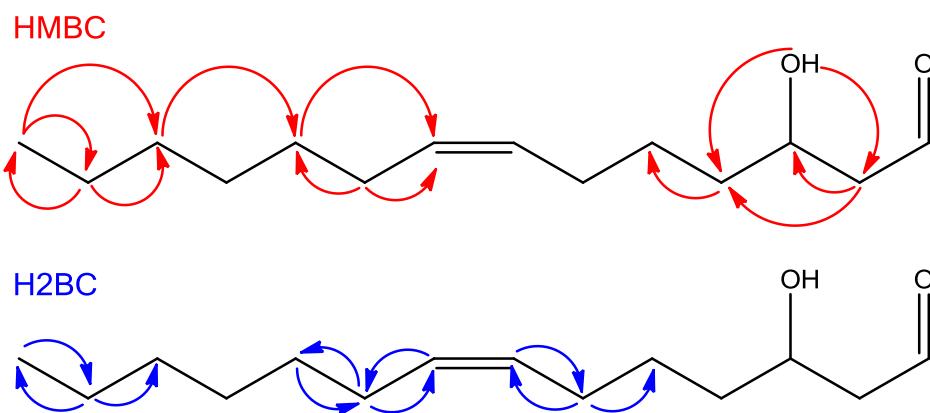
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Figure S24. Northern blot results for ngercheumicin F, G, H and I in DMSO at 5 $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$ ($\approx 6 \mu\text{M}$) and 20 $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$ ($\approx 23 \mu\text{M}$) against *S. aureus* USA300/FPR3757 at $\text{OD}_{600} = 0.8$ and $\text{OD}_{600} = 3.0$. DMSO is used as negative control.

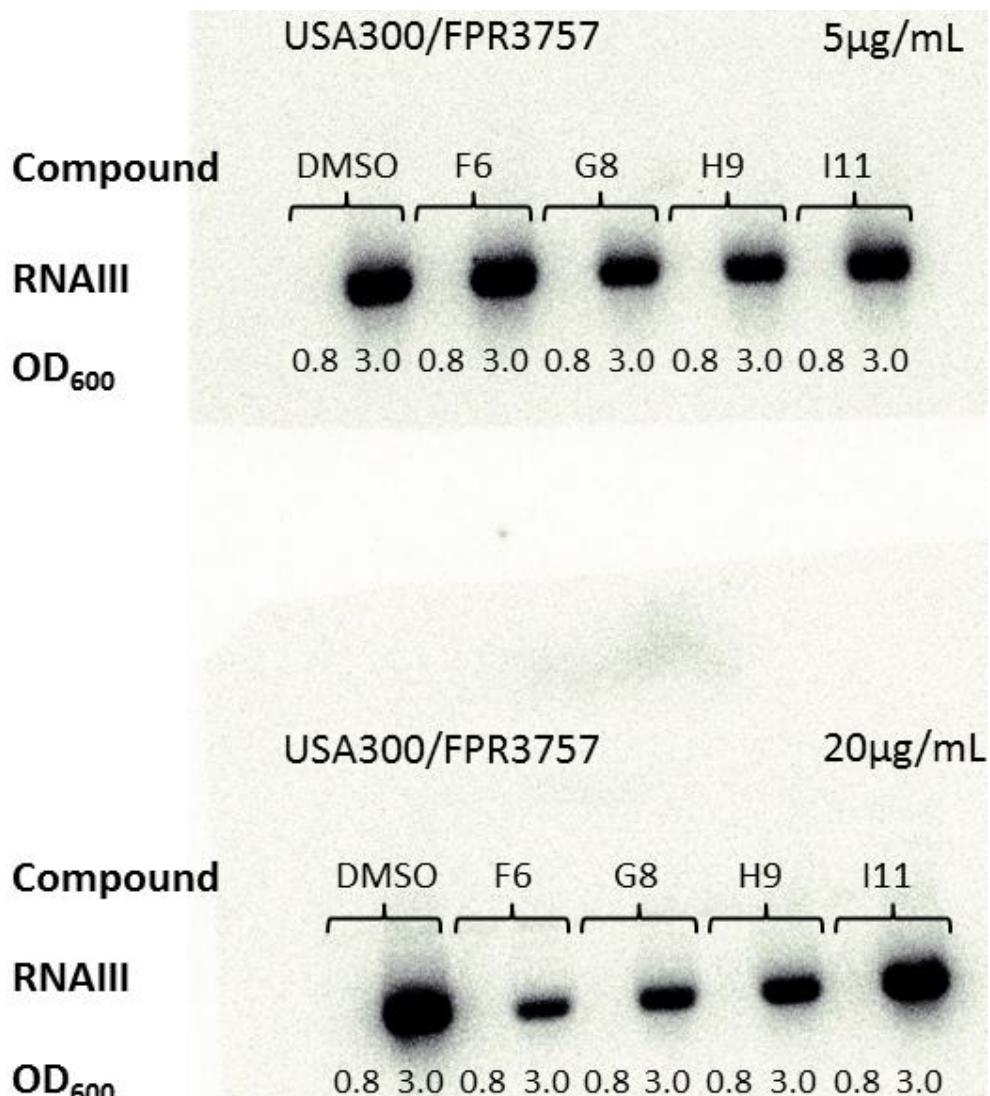


Figure S25. Plate assay results in the colorimetric *S. aureus lacZ* reporter assay with ngercheumicins F, G, H and I in DMSO at 1 mg/mL against *S. aureus* 8325-4. DMSO and water is used as negative controls. Inhibitors of the *agr* locus enhance transcription of *spa* and reduce expression of *hla* and *rnaIII*.

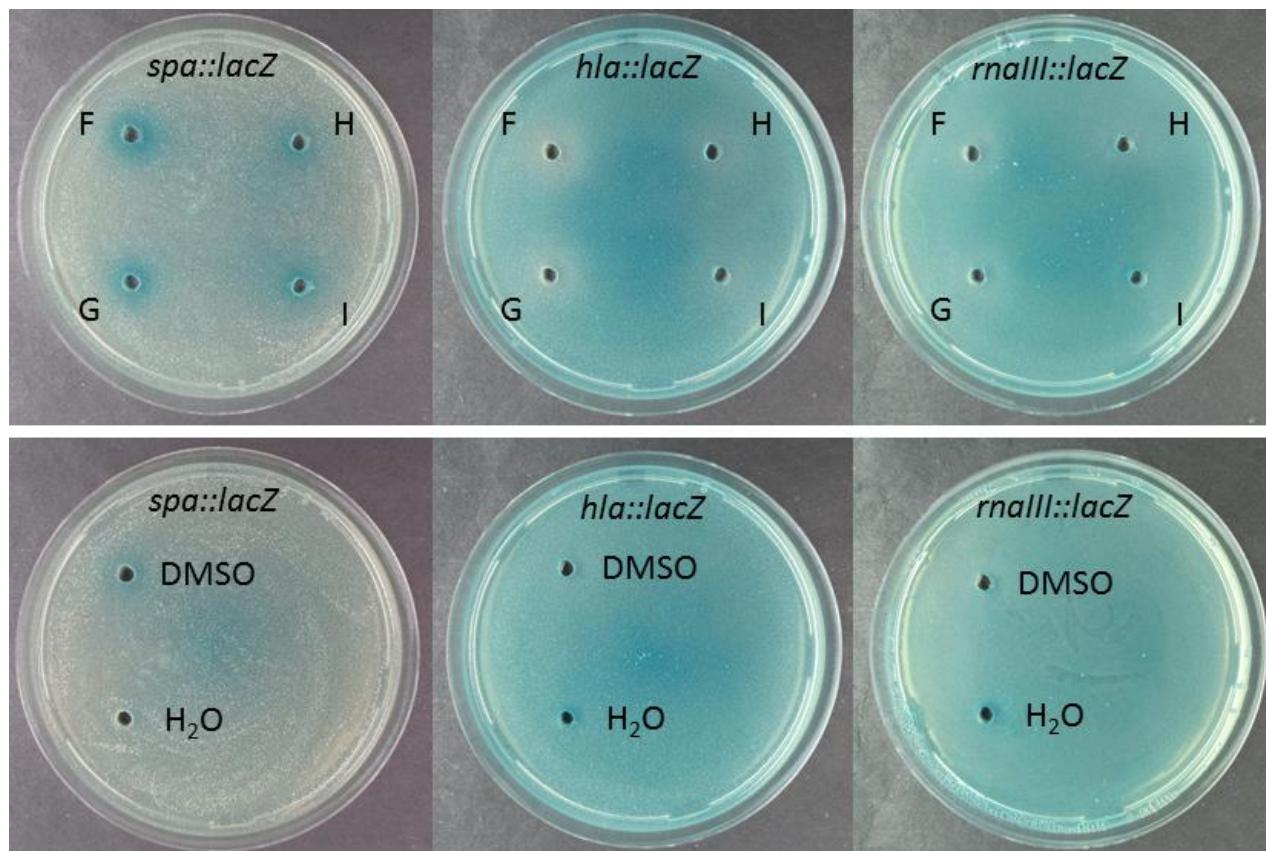


Table S1. NMR table for Ngercheumicin F.

Position, Type	δ_H (ppm), #H, Multiplicity, J (Hz)	δ_C (ppm)	HMBC Connectivity	H2BC Connectivity
<i>Leu</i> ¹				
1—CO	—	170.8	—	
2—CH _α	4.37, 1H, m	51.1	1, 3	
3—CH _β	1.62, 1H, m 1.55, 1H, m	40.4	1, 2, 4, 5, 6	
4—CH _γ	1.49, 1H, m	24.5	3	
5—CH _{δ,1}	0.88, 3H, d, 6.5	22.3	3, 4, 6	4
6—CH _{δ,2}	0.85, 3H, d, 6.5	22.5	3, 4, 5	4
7—NH	7.73, 1H, d, 6.5	—	(2), 8	2
<i>Leu</i> ²				
8—CO	—	171.0	—	
9—CH _α	4.26, 1H, q, 8.0	50.4	8, 10	10
10—CH _β	1.49, 2H, m	38.8	9, 11, 13	9
11—CH _γ	1.53, 1H, m	24.2		10
12—CH _{δ,1}	0.87, 3H, d, 6.5	22.9	10, 11, 13	11
13—CH _{δ,2}	0.80, 3H, d, 6.5	21.4	10, 11, 12	11
14—NH	8.12, 1H, d, 8.5	—	(9), 15	9

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<i>L-allo-Thr¹</i>				
15—CO	—	170.7	—	
16—CH _α	3.86, 1H, m	59.9	15, 17	17
17—CH _β	3.88, 1H, m	65.1	(16)	16, 18
17—OH	4.70, 1H, d, 4.6	—	16, 17, 18	17
18—CH _γ	1.03, 3H, d, 6.0	20.0	16, 17	17
19—NH	8.09, 1H, d, 6.0	—	(16), 20	16
<i>D-Ser</i>				
20—CO	—	170.0	—	
21—CH _α	4.38, 1H, m	54.5	20, 22, 24	22
22—CH _β	3.54, 2H, m	61.6	20, (21)	21
22—OH	4.86, 1H, t, 6.0	—	(21), 22	22
23—NH	7.53, 1H, d, 8.0	—	24	21
<i>L-allo-Thr²</i>				
24—CO	—	168.4	—	
25—CH _α	4.40, 1H, d, 9.0	56.2	24, 29	
26—CH _β	5.35, 1H, qd, 6.0, <1	69.6	1	27
27—CH _γ	1.10, 3H, d, 6.5	17.0	25, 26	26
28—NH	8.40, 1H, d, 9.5	—	29	25
<i>Leu³</i>				
29—CO	—	173.1	—	
30—CH _α	4.37, 1H, m	51.7	29, 31	31
31—CH _β	1.48, 2H, m	40.3	29, 30, 32	
32—CH _γ	1.62, 1H, m	24.2	33	
33—CH _{δ,1}	0.92, 3H, d, 6.5	22.6	31, 32, 34	32
34—CH _{δ,2}	0.87, 3H, d, 6.5	21.9	31, 32, 33	32
35—NH	8.20, 1H, d, 6.5	—	30, 31, 36	30
<i>Fatty acid</i>				
36—CO	—	171.8	—	
37	~2.24, 2H, m	43.3	36, 38, (39)	38
38	3.78, 1H, m	67.4		37
38—OH	4.62, 1H, d, 5.0	—	37, 38, 39	38
39	1.34, 1H, m	36.2	(38), 40	(38), 40
	1.30, 1H, m			
40	1.42, 1H, m	25.1	41, 42	41
	1.28, 1H, m			
41	1.96, 2H, m	26.6	43	(40), 42
42	5.31, 1H, m	129.6	44	41, 43
43	5.31, 1H, m	129.6	43	42, 44
44	1.96, 2H, m	26.5	42	43, 45
45	1.28, 2H, m	29.0		44
46	1.24, 2H, m	28.3		47
47	1.22, 2H, m	31.1	45	46
48	1.25, 2H, m	22.1	47, 49	47, 49
49	0.84, 3H, t, 7.0	13.9	47, 48	48

Table S2. NMR table for Ngercheumicin G.

Position, Type	δ_H (ppm), #H, Multiplicity, J (Hz)	δ_C (ppm)	HMBC Connectivity	H2BC Connectivity
<i>Leu¹</i>				
1—CO	—	170.8	—	
2—CH _a	4.37, 1H, m	51.1	1, 3, 4, 8	3
3—CH _β	1.61, 1H, m 1.55, 1H, m	40.4	1, 2, 4, 5, 6	2, 4
4—CH _γ	1.49, 1H, m	24.5	3, 5, 6	3
5—CH _{δ,1}	0.88, 3H, d, 6.5	22.3	3, 4, 6	4
6—CH _{δ,2}	0.85, 3H, d, 6.5	22.5	3, 4, 5	4
7—NH	7.73, 1H, d, 6.5	—	(1), 2, 3, 8	2
<i>Leu²</i>				
8—CO	—	171.0	—	
9—CH _a	4.26, 1H, q, 8.0	50.4	8, 10, 11	10
10—CH _β	1.49, 2H, m	38.8	9, 11, 12, 13	9, 11
11—CH _γ	1.53, 1H, m	24.2	(9), 10, 12, 13	10
12—CH _{δ,1}	0.87, 3H, d, 6.5	22.9	10, 11, 13	11
13—CH _{δ,2}	0.80, 3H, d, 6.5	21.4	10, 11, 12	11
14—NH	8.11, 1H, d, 8.5	—	9, (10), 15	9
<i>L-allo-Thr¹</i>				
15—CO	—	170.7	—	
16—CH _a	3.86, 1H, m	59.9	15, 17, (18), 20	17
17—CH _β	3.88, 1H, m	65.1	16	16, 18
17—OH	4.69, 1H, d, 4.6	—	16, 17, 18	17
18—CH _γ	1.03, 3H, d, 6.0	20.1	16, 17	17
19—NH	8.09, 1H, d, 6.0	—	16, 17, 20	16
<i>D-Ser</i>				
20—CO	—	170.0	—	
21—CH _a	4.38, 1H, m	54.6	20, 22, (24)	22
22—CH _β	3.54, 2H, m	61.5	20, 21	21
22—OH	4.86, 1H, t, 6.0	—	21, 22	22
23—NH	7.53, 1H, d, 8.0	—	(20), 21, 22, 24	21
<i>L-allo-Thr²</i>				
24—CO	—	168.4	—	
25—CH _a	4.39, 1H, d, 9.0	56.2	24, 26, 27, 29	
26—CH _β	5.34, 1H, qd, 6.0, <1	69.6	1, 24, 27	27
27—CH _γ	1.10, 3H, d, 6.5	17.0	25, 26	26
28—NH	8.39, 1H, d, 9.5	—	25, (26), 29	25
<i>Leu³</i>				
29—CO	—	173.2	—	
30—CH _a	4.37, 1H, m	51.8	29, 31, 32, 36	31
31—CH _β	1.48, 2H, m	40.2	29, 30, 32, 33	30
32—CH _γ	1.62, 1H, m	24.2	31, 33	31, 33, 34
33—CH _{δ,1}	0.92, 3H, d, 6.5	22.6	31, 32, 34	32
34—CH _{δ,2}	0.87, 3H, d, 6.5	21.9	31, 32, 33	32
35—NH	8.20, 1H, d, 6.5	—	(29), 30, 31, 36	30
<i>Fatty acid</i>				

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38—OH	4.60, 1H, d, 5.0	—	37, 38, 39	38
39	1.31, 2H, m	36.6	37, 38, 41	38, 40
40	1.34, 1H, m 1.22, 1H, m	24.8		
41	1.23, 2H, m	~29		
42	~1.2, 2H, m	~29		
43	~1.2, 2H, m	~29		
44	~1.2, 2H, m	~29		
45	~1.2, 2H, m	~29		
46	1.21, 2H, m	29.1		
47	1.22, 2H, m	31.3		46, 48
48	1.25, 2H, m	22.1	47, 49	47, 49
49	0.84, 3H, t, 7.0	13.9	47, 48	48

Table S3. NMR table for ngercheumicin H.

Position, Type	δ_H (ppm), #H, Multiplicity, J (Hz)	δ_C (ppm)	HMBC Connectivity	H2BC Connectivity
<i>Leu¹</i>				
1—CO	—	170.8	—	
2—CH _α	4.37, 1H, m	51.1	1, 3, 4, 8	
3—CH _β	1.62, 1H, m 1.56, 1H, m	40.4	1, 2, 4, 5, 6	
4—CH _γ	1.50, 1H, m	24.5	2, 3, 5, 6	
5—CH _{δ,1}	0.89, 3H, d, 6.5	22.3	3, 4, 6	4
6—CH _{δ,2}	0.85, 3H, d, 6.5	22.5	3, 4, 5	4
7—NH	7.73, 1H, d, 6.5	—	(1), 2, 3, 8	2
<i>Leu²</i>				
8—CO	—	171.0	—	
9—CH _α	4.25, 1H, q, 8.0	50.4	8, 10, 11	10
10—CH _β	1.49, 2H, m	38.8	9, 11, 13	9, 11
11—CH _γ	1.54, 1H, m	24.1	9, 10, 13	10
12—CH _{δ,1}	0.87, 3H, d, 6.5	22.9	10, 11, 13	11
13—CH _{δ,2}	0.80, 3H, d, 6.5	21.4	10, 11, 12	11
14—NH	8.11, 1H, d, 8.5	—	9, 10, 15	9
<i>L-allo-Thr¹</i>				
15—CO	—	170.7	—	
16—CH _α	3.86, 1H, m	59.9	15, 17, 18, 20	17
17—CH _β	3.88, 1H, m	65.1	16	16, 18
17—OH	4.69, 1H, d, 4.6	—	16, 17, 18	17
18—CH _γ	1.03, 3H, d, 6.0	20.1	16, 17	17
19—NH	8.09, 1H, d, 6.0	—	16, 17, 20	16
<i>D-Ser</i>				

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23—NH	7.53, 1H, d, 8.0	—	(20), 21, 22, 24	21
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24—CO	—	168.4	—	
25—CH _α	4.39, 1H, d, 9.0	56.2	24, 26, 27, 29	
26—CH _β	5.34, 1H, qd, 6.0, <1	69.6	1, 24, 27	27
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33—CH _{δ,1}	0.91, 3H, d, 6.5	22.6	31, 32, 34	32
34—CH _{δ,2}	0.87, 3H, d, 6.5	21.9	31, 32, 33	32
35—NH	8.20, 1H, d, 6.5	—	(29), 30, 31, 36	30
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36—CO	—	171.9	—	
37	2.25, 1H, dd, 14.0, 6.0 2.22, 1H, dd, 14.0, 7.0	43.4	36, 38, 39	38
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41	~1.2, 2H, m	~29		
42	1.28, 2H, m	~29	44/45	43
43	1.97, 2H, m	26.6	41?	42, 44
44	5.31, 1H, m	129.6	43/46	43, 45
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48	1.25, 2H, m	28.2		
49	1.22, 2H, m	31.1	47, (51)	48, 50
50	1.25, 2H, m	22.0	48, 49, 51	49, 51
51	0.84, 3H, t, 7.0	13.9	49, 50	50

Table S4. NMR table for ngercheumicin I.

Position, Type	δ_H (ppm), #H, Multiplicity, J (Hz)	δ_C (ppm)	HMBC Connectivity	H2BC Connectivity
<i>Leu¹</i>				
1—CO	—	170.8	—	
2—CH _a	4.37, 1H, m	51.1	1, 3, 4, 8	
3—CH _β	1.61, 1H, m 1.56, 1H, m	40.4	1, 2, 4, 5, 6	
4—CH _γ	1.49, 1H, m	24.5	2, 3, 5, 6	
5—CH _{δ,1}	0.88, 3H, d, 6.5	22.3	3, 4, 6	4
6—CH _{δ,2}	0.85, 3H, d, 6.5	22.5	3, 4, 5	4
7—NH	7.73, 1H, d, 6.5	—	(1), 2, 3, 8	2
<i>Leu²</i>				
8—CO	—	171.0	—	
9—CH _a	4.26, 1H, q, 8.0	50.4	8, 10, 11	10
10—CH _β	1.49, 2H, m	38.8	9, 11, 13	9, 11
11—CH _γ	1.54, 1H, m	24.1	9, 10, 13	10
12—CH _{δ,1}	0.87, 3H, d, 6.5	22.9	10, 11, 13	11
13—CH _{δ,2}	0.80, 3H, d, 6.5	21.4	10, 11, 12	11
14—NH	8.11, 1H, d, 8.5	—	9, 10, 15	9
<i>L-allo-Thr¹</i>				
15—CO	—	170.7	—	
16—CH _a	3.86, 1H, m	59.9	15, 17, 18, 20	17
17—CH _β	3.87, 1H, m	65.1	16	16, 18
17—OH	4.69, 1H, d, 4.6	—	16, 17, 18	17
18—CH _γ	1.03, 3H, d, 6.0	20.1	16, 17	17
19—NH	8.09, 1H, d, 6.0	—	16, 17, 20	16
<i>D-Ser</i>				
20—CO	—	170.0	—	
21—CH _a	4.38, 1H, m	54.5	20, 22, 24	22
22—CH _β	3.54, 2H, m	61.5	20, 21	21
22—OH	4.86, 1H, t, 6.0	—	21, 22	22
23—NH	7.53, 1H, d, 8.0	—	(20), 21, 22, 24	21
<i>L-allo-Thr²</i>				
24—CO	—	168.4	—	
25—CH _a	4.39, 1H, d, 9.0	56.2	24, 26, 27, 29	
26—CH _β	5.35, 1H, qd, 6.0, <1	69.6	1, 24, 27	27
27—CH _γ	1.10, 3H, d, 6.5	17.0	25, 26	26
28—NH	8.39, 1H, d, 9.5	—	25, 26, 29	25
<i>Leu³</i>				
29—CO	—	173.2	—	
30—CH _a	4.37, 1H, m	51.8	29, 31, 32, 36	31
31—CH _β	1.48, 2H, m	40.2	29, 30, 32, 33	30
32—CH _γ	1.63, 1H, m	24.2	30, 31, 34	
33—CH _{δ,1}	0.92, 3H, d, 6.5	22.6	31, 32, 34	32

Table S4. *Cont.*

34—CH _{δ,2}	0.87, 3H, d, 6.5	21.9	31, 32, 33	32
35—NH	8.20, 1H, d, 6.5	—	(29), 30, 31, 36	30
<i>Fatty acid</i>				
36—CO	—	171.9	—	
37	2.25, 1H, dd, 14.0, 7.0 2.22, 1H, dd, 14.0, 6.0	43.4	36, 38, 39	38
38	3.78, 1H, m	67.5	36, 40	37, 39
38—OH	4.59, 1H, d, 5.0	—	37, 38, 39	38
39	1.32, 2H, m	36.6	38, 41	38, 40
40	1.35, 1H, m 1.22, 1H, m	24.8		
41	1.23, 2H, m	29.1		
42	~1.2, 2H, m	~29		
43	~1.2, 2H, m	~29		
44	~1.2, 2H, m	~29		
45	~1.2, 2H, m	~29		
46	~1.2, 2H, m	~29		
47	~1.2, 2H, m	~29		
48	~1.2, 2H, m	~29		
49	1.22, 2H, m	31.3		48, 50
50	1.25, 2H, m	22.1	48, 49, 51	49, 51
51	0.84, 3H, t, 7.0	13.9	49, 50	50