

Supplementary materials

Caucasian *Gentiana* Species: Untargeted LC-MS Metabolic Profiling, Antioxidant and Digestive Enzyme Inhibiting Activity of Six Plants

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Table S1. Ethnopharmacological use of *Gentiana* species by the various Caucasus people.

Gentiana species	Plant part	Description of use [Ref.]
<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	Roots	Diabetes, antipyretic, hepatitis, appetizer (Shekinskii District, Azerbaijan, native population-based data); diarrhea (Adjara) [7]
<i>G. cruciata</i>	Whole plant	Appetizer, antipyretic (Nakhchivan Autonomous Republic, Azerbaijan, native population-based data); anemia (Gubinskii District, Azerbaijan, native population-based data)
	Herb	Stomach pain, malaria, hemorrhoid (Transcaucasia) [8]
<i>G. gelida</i>	Herb	Stomach pain, malaria (Azerbaijan) [7]; diarrhea (Caucasus) [9]
<i>G. paradoxa</i>	Herb	Diabetes, antipyretic, hepatitis, appetizer (Caucasus) [10]
<i>G. pneumonanthe</i>	Whole plant	Diarrhea (Caucasus) [11]
<i>G. septemfida</i>	Whole plant	Appetizer, antipyretic (Nakhchivan Autonomous Republic, Azerbaijan, native population-based data); hepatitis, tuberculosis, bronchitis, pneumonia (Lerikskii District, Azerbaijan, native population-based data); malaria (Azerbaijan) [7,9]
	Herb	Diabetes, antidepressant, antipyretic (Yardymlynskii District, Azerbaijan, native population-based data); stomach pain, wound healing (Astarinskii District, Azerbaijan, native population-based data)
	Roots	Digestive (Yardymlynskii District, Azerbaijan, native population-based data)

Table S2. Known compounds found in *Gentiana* species mentioned in present study (literature data).

No	Compound	Species	Found in [Ref.]	
			Herb	Roots
Flavonoids				
1	Isovitexin	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[15]	[16]
		<i>G. cruciata</i>	[17]	
		<i>G. pneumonanthe</i>	[18]	
		<i>G. septemfida</i>	[19]	
2	Isovitexin-7- <i>O</i> -glucoside (saponarin)	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[20]	
		<i>G. pneumonanthe</i>	[21]	
3	Isovitexin-4'- <i>O</i> -glucoside	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[15]	
		<i>G. cruciata</i>	[17]	
4	Isovitexin-7,4'-di- <i>O</i> -glucoside	<i>G. cruciata</i>	[22]	
5	Isovitexin-2''- <i>O</i> -glucoside	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[15]	
6	Isovitexin-2'',4'-di- <i>O</i> -glucoside	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[23]	
7	Vitexin	<i>G. cruciata</i>	[22]	[22]
8	Isoorientin	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[15]	[16]
		<i>G. cruciata</i>	[17]	
		<i>G. pneumonanthe</i>	[18]	
		<i>G. septemfida</i>	[19,24]	
9	Isoorientin 2''- <i>O</i> - <i>p</i> -hydroxybenzoyl ester	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[25]	
10	Isoorientin 2''- <i>O</i> -caffeoyl ester	<i>G. cruciata</i>	[17]	
11	Isoorientin-4'- <i>O</i> -glucoside	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[15]	
		<i>G. cruciata</i>	[17]	
12	Isoorientin-4'- <i>O</i> -(2''- <i>O</i> - <i>p</i> -hydroxybenzoyl)-glucoside	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[25]	
13	Isoorientin-2''- <i>O</i> -glucoside	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[15]	
14	Isoorientin-2'',4'-di- <i>O</i> -glucoside	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[23]	
15	Orientin	<i>G. cruciata</i>	[22]	
16	Isoscoparin	<i>G. pneumonanthe</i>	[21]	
17	Isoscoparin-7- <i>O</i> -glucoside	<i>G. pneumonanthe</i>	[21]	
Xanthones				
18	Mangiferin	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[15]	[16]
		<i>G. cruciata</i>	[17]	
		<i>G. pneumonanthe</i>	[18,26]	
19	Mangiferin-6- <i>O</i> -glucoside	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[20]	
20	Mangiferin-7- <i>O</i> -glucoside	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>	[20]	
21	Gentisin	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>		[27]
		<i>G. pneumonanthe</i>		[27]
22	Isogentisin	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>		[16]
Iridoids				
23	Eustoside	<i>G. septemfida</i>	[28]	
24	Eustomoside	<i>G. gelida</i>	[29]	
		<i>G. septemfida</i>	[28]	
25	Eustomorusside	<i>G. gelida</i>	[29]	
		<i>G. septemfida</i>	[28]	
26	Gelidoside	<i>G. gelida</i>	[29]	
		<i>G. septemfida</i>	[28]	
27	Gentiopicroside	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>		[27,30]
		<i>G. cruciata</i>	[22]	[22,27,31]
		<i>G. gelida</i>	[29]	
		<i>G. pneumonanthe</i>	[18]	[27]
		<i>G. septemfida</i>	[19,28]	
28	Gentiopicroside-6'- <i>O</i> -glucoside	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>		[30]
29	Loganic acid	<i>G. cruciata</i>	[22]	[22,31]
		<i>G. septemfida</i>	[28]	
30	Septemfidoside	<i>G. septemfida</i>	[28]	
31	Swertiamarin	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>		[27]
		<i>G. cruciata</i>	[22]	[22,27,31]
		<i>G. gelida</i>	[29]	
		<i>G. pneumonanthe</i>	[18,32]	[27]
		<i>G. septemfida</i>	[19,28]	

Table S2. Continuation

No	Compound	Species	Found in [Ref.]	
			Herb	Roots
32	Sweroside	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>		[27]
		<i>G. cruciata</i>	[22]	[22,27,31]
		<i>G. pneumonanthe</i>	[18,32]	[27]
		<i>G. septemfida</i>	[28]	
33	Gentomoside	<i>G. gelida</i>	[29]	
34	Trifloroside	<i>G. gelida</i>	[29]	
35	Amarogentin	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>		[27]
		<i>G. pneumonanthe</i>		[27]
Monoterpenes				
36	Pneumnanthoside	<i>G. pneumonanthe</i>	[32]	
Triterpenes				
37	Sitosterol	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>		[16]
38	Ursolic acid	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>		[16]
Various				
39	3,4-Dihydro-1H,6H,8H-naphtho[1,2-c:4,5-c',d']dipyrano-1,8-dione	<i>G. asclepiadea</i>		[33]

Table S3. Retention times (tr) and mass spectrometric data of compounds 1–137 found in herb and roots of six Caucasian *Gentiana* species.

No	tr, min	Compound [Ref.]	Negative ionization			Positive ionization		
			[M–H] [–]	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS	[M+H] ⁺	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS
1	2.78	O-Hexosyl-O-hexosyl-hexose ^L [41]	503	549 ^{A1}		505	527 ^{A2} 543 ^{A3}	[505]: 343 [343]: 181
2	2.83	O-Hexosyl-hexose ^L [41]	341	387 ^{A1}		343	365 ^{A2} 381 ^{A3}	[343]: 181
3	3.05	Iridoid glycoside (MW 408) ^L [28]	407	453 ^{A1}	[407]: 245	409	431 ^{A2} 447 ^{A3}	
4	3.17	Hexose ^L [41]	179	225 ^{A1}		181	203 ^{A2} 219 ^{A3}	
5	3.62	Iridoid glycoside (MW 408) ^L [28]	407	453 ^{A1}	[407]: 245	409	431 ^{A2} 447 ^{A3}	
6	5.56	Iridoid glycoside (MW 408) ^L [28]	407	453 ^{A1}	[407]: 245	409	431 ^{A2} 447 ^{A3}	
7	5.75	Iridoid glycoside (MW 478) ^L	477	523 ^{A1}	[477]: 315	479	501 ^{A2} 518 ^{A3}	
8	5.91	Swertiamarin-O-hexoside ^L [12]	535	581 ^{A1}	[535]: 373, 211	537	559 ^{A2} 575 ^{A3}	[537]: 375
9	6.16	Swertiamarin-O-hexoside ^L [12]	535	581 ^{A1}	[535]: 373, 211	537	559 ^{A2} , 575 ^{A3}	[537]: 375
10	6.39	Iridoid glycoside (MW 408) ^L [28]	407	453 ^{A1}	[407]: 245	409	431 ^{A2} , 447 ^{A3}	
11	6.81	2,3-Dihydroxybenzoic acid-O-hexoside ^L [55]	315		[315]: 153	317		
12	6.83	Eustoside ^{L,T} [28]	425	471 ^{A1}	[425]: 263	427	449 ^{A2} 465 ^{A3}	
13	6.85	Iridoid glycoside (MW 408) ^L [28]	407	453 ^{A1}	[407]: 245	409	431 ^{A2} 447 ^{A3}	
14	6.87	Eustomoside ^{L,T} [43]	389	435 ^{A1}	[389]: 227	391	413 ^{A2} 429 ^{A3}	
15	7.10	Loganic acid-6'-O-glucoside ^S [14]	537	583 ^{A1}	[537]: 375, 213	539	561 ^{A2} 577 ^{A3}	[539]: 377
16	7.45	2,3-Dihydroxybenzoic acid-O-hexoside ^L [55]	315		[315]: 153	317		
17	7.76	Iridoid glycoside (MW 408) ^L [28]	407	453 ^{A1}	[407]: 245	409	431 ^{A2} 447 ^{A3}	
18	8.65	Loganic acid ^S [14]	375	421 ^{A1}	[375]: 213	377	399 ^{A2} 415 ^{A3}	
19	8.67	Iridoid glycoside (MW 408) ^L [28]	407	453 ^{A1}		409	431 ^{A2} 447 ^{A3}	
20	8.69	Gentiopicroside-di-O-hexoside ^L [44]	679	725 ^{A1}	[679]: 517, 355 [355]: 193	681	703 ^{A2} 719 ^{A3}	[681]: 519, 357
21	8.71	1-O-Caffeoyl-glucose ^S [42]	341		[341]: 179	343		[343]: 181
22	9.06	Iridoid glycoside (MW 446) ^L [44]	445	491 ^{A1}	[445]: 283	447	469 ^{A2} 485 ^{A3}	
23	9.15	Morroniside ^S [44]	405	451 ^{A1}	[405]: 243	407	429 ^{A2} 445 ^{A3}	

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No	tr, min	Compound [Ref.]	Negative ionization			Positive ionization		
			[M-H] ⁻	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS	[M+H] ⁺	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS
24	9.25	Iridoid glycoside (MW 446) ^L [44]	445	491 ^{A1}	[445]: 283	447	469 ^{A2} 485 ^{A3}	
25	9.51	Loganin ^S [12]	389	435 ^{A1}	[389]: 227	391	413 ^{A2} 429 ^{A3}	
26	9.58	Swertiamarin-6'-O-glucoside ^S [12]	535	581 ^{A1}	[535]: 373 [373]: 211	537	559 ^{A2} 575 ^{A3}	[537]: 375
27	9.65	Gentiopicroside-6'-O-glucoside ^S [44]	517	563 ^{A1}	[517]: 355 [355]: 193	519	541 ^{A2} 557 ^{A3}	[519]: 357
28	9.67	Sweroside-6'-O-glucoside ^S [44]	519	565 ^{A1}	[519]: 357 [357]: 195	521	543 ^{A2} 559 ^{A3}	[521]: 359
29	9.76	Mangiferin-7-O-glucoside (neomangiferin) ^S [20]	583	629 ^{A1}	[583]: 421	585		[585]: 423
30	9.92	Mangiferin isomer ^L [15,17,26]	421	467 ^{A1}		423		
31	9.99	Septemfidoside ^{TL} [28]	765	811 ^{A1}		767	789 ^{A2} 805 ^{A3}	
32	10.04	Luteolin-C-hexoside-O-hexoside-O-hexoside ^L [23,57,58]	771		[771]: 609, 447 [609]: 447 [447]: 357, 327, 299	773		[773]: 611 [611]: 449
33	10.11	Swertiamarin ^S [12]	373	419 ^{A1}	[373]: 211	375	397 ^{A2} 415 ^{A3}	
34	10.14	Mangiferin-6-O-glucoside ^T [20]	583	629 ^{A1}	[583]: 421	585		[585]: 423
35	11.07	Isoorientin-7-O-glucoside ^S [14–17]	609		[609]: 447 [447]: 357, 327, 329, 299	611		[611]: 449
36	11.11	Isoorientin-2'',4''-di-O-glucoside ^S [23,57,58]	771		[771]: 609, 447 [609]: 447 [447]: 357, 327, 329, 299	773		[773]: 611 [611]: 449
37	11.12	Isovitexin-7,2''-di-O-glucoside ^S [14–17]	755		[755]: 593 [593]: 431 [431]: 341, 311, 313, 283	757		[757]: 595 [595]: 433
38	11.21	Gentiopicroside ^S [12]	355	401 ^{A1}	[355]: 193	357	379 ^{A2} 395 ^{A3}	
39	11.25	Mangiferin isomer ^L [15,17,26]	421	467 ^{A1}		423		
40	11.26	Sweroside ^S [12]	357	403 ^{A1}	[357]: 195	359	381 ^{A2} 397 ^{A3}	
41	11.28	Swertiamarin isomer ^L [12]	373	419 ^{A1}	[373]: 211	375	397 ^{A2} 415 ^{A3}	
42	11.46	Isovitexin-7-O-glucoside (saponarin) ^S [57]	593		[593]: 431 [431]: 341, 311, 313, 283	595		[595]: 433
43	11.51	Isoorientin-2''-O-glucoside ^S [14–17]	609		[609]: 447 [447]: 357, 327, 329, 299	611		[611]: 449

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No	tr, min	Compound [Ref.]	Negative ionization			Positive ionization		
			[M-H] ⁻	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS	[M+H] ⁺	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS
44	11.55	Sweroside isomer ^L [12]	357	403 ^{A1}	[357]: 195	359	381 ^{A2} 397 ^{A3}	
45	11.63	6-O-Caffeoyl-glucose ^S [42]	341		[341]: 179	343		[343]: 181
46	11.65	Luteolin-C-hexoside-O-hexoside-O-hexoside ^L [23,57,58]	771		[771]: 609, 447 [609]: 447 [447] 357, 327, 299	773		[773]: 611 [611]: 449
47	11.78	Isovitexin-2'',4''-di-O-glucoside ^S [14–17]	755		[755] 593 [593] 431 [431] 341, 311, 313, 283	757		[757] 595 [595] 433
48	12.13	Isoscoparin-7-O-glucoside ^S [21]	623		[623] 461 [461] 371, 341, 343, 313	625		[625] 463
49	12.22	Mangiferin ^S [15,17,26]	421	467 ^{A1}		423		
50	12.32	Isomangiferin ^S [15,17,26]	421	467 ^{A1}		423		
51	12.36	2-O-Caffeoyl-glucaric acid ^S [76]	371	417 ^{A1}	[371]: 209	373		
52	12.47	Isoorientin-4''-O-glucoside ^S [14–17]	609		[609]: 447 [447] 357, 327, 329, 299	611		[611]: 449
53	13.16	Chrysoeriol-C-hexoside-O-hexoside ^L [21,42,57]	623		[623] 461 [461] 371, 341, 343, 313	625		[625] 463
54	13.34	Isoorientin-6''-O-glucoside ^S [14–17]	609		[609]: 447 [447] 357, 327, 329, 299	611		[611]: 449
55	13.48	Isovitexin-2''-O-glucoside ^S [14–17]	593		[593] 431 [431] 341, 311, 313, 283	595		[595] 433
56	13.71	Gentiopicroside isomer ^L [12]	355	401 ^{A1}	[355]: 193	357	379 ^{A2} 395 ^{A3}	
57	13.77	Apigenin-C-hexoside-O-hexoside-O-hexoside ^L [23,57,58]	755		[755] 593 [593] 431 [431] 341, 311, 313, 283	757		[757] 595 [595] 433
58	13.79	Algidside I ^S [14]	511	557 ^{A1}	[511] 375 [375] 213	513	535 ^{A2} 551 ^{A3}	[513] 377
59	13.84	Loganic acid-O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [47,48]	673	719	[673] 511 [511] 375 [375] 213	675	697 ^{A2} 713 ^{A3}	[675] 513 [513] 377
60	13.86	Isoscoparin-2''-O-glucoside ^S [21]	623		[623] 461 [461] 371, 341, 343, 313	625		[625] 463
61	14.08	Isoorientin ^S [57]	447		[447] 357, 327, 329, 299	449		
62	14.55	Loganic acid-O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [47,48]	673	719	[673] 511 [511] 375 [375] 213	675	697 ^{A2} 713 ^{A3}	[675] 513 [513] 377

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No	tr, min	Compound [Ref.]	Negative ionization			Positive ionization		
			[M-H] ⁻	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS	[M+H] ⁺	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS
63	14.59	Luteolin-C-hexoside-O-hexoside ^L [14–17]	609		[609]: 447 [447] 357, 327, 329, 299	611		[611]: 449
64	14.97	Isovitexin-4'-O-glucoside ^S [14–17]	593		[593] 431 [431] 341, 311, 313, 283	595		[595] 433
65	15.00	Luteolin-C-hexoside-O-hexoside-O-Caf ^L [56,59,60]	771		[771]: 609, 447 [609]: 447 [447] 357, 327, 299	773		[773]: 611 [611]: 449
66	15.02	Luteolin-C-hexoside-O-hexoside-O-pHBA ^L [25]	729		[729]: 609, 447 [447] 357, 327, 299	731		[731]: 611 [611]: 449
67	15.04	Iridoid glycoside (MW 684) ^L	683	729 ^{A1}		685	707 ^{A2} 723 ^{A3}	
68	15.09	Apigenin-C-hexoside-O-hexoside-O-Caf ^L [23,57,58,61]	755		[755] 593 [593] 431 [431] 341, 311, 313, 283	757		[757] 595 [595] 433
69	15.22	Algidiside II ^S [14]	511	557 ^{A1}	[511] 375 [375] 213	513	535 ^{A2} 551 ^{A3}	[513] 377
70	15.30	Chrysoeriol-C-hexoside-O-hexoside-O-Caf ^L [21,42,57]	785		[785] 623 [623] 461 [461] 371, 341, 343, 313	787		[787] 625, 463
71	15.41	Isovitexin ^S [57]	431		[431] 341, 311, 313, 283	433		
72	15.43	Sweroside-O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [47,48]	655	701 ^{A1}	[655] 493 [493] 357 [357] 195	657	679 ^{A2} 695 ^{A3}	[657] 495, 359
73	15.48	Luteolin-C-hexoside-O-hexoside-O-Caf ^L [56,59,60]	771		[771]: 609, 447 [609]: 447 [447] 357, 327, 299	773		[773]: 611 [611]: 449
74	15.51	Gentiopicroside-O-DOBA ^L [44]	491	537 ^{A1}	[491]: 355 [355]: 193	493	515 ^{A2} 531 ^{A3}	[493]: 357
75	15.53	Dehydrooleanolic acid-O-hexuronide-O-desoxyhexoside-O-hexoside ^L [63,64]	937	983 ^{A1}	[937]: 453	939	961 ^{A2} 977 ^{A3}	[939]: 777, 631, 455 [455]: 437, 419
76	15.54	Loganic acid-O-Caf ^L [53,54]	537	583 ^{A1}	[537]: 375, 213	539	561 ^{A2} 577 ^{A3}	[539]: 377
77	15.57	Loganic acid-O-DOBA ^L [14]	511	557 ^{A1}	[511] 375 [375] 213	513	535 ^{A2} 551 ^{A3}	[513] 377

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No	tr, min	Compound [Ref.]	Negative ionization			Positive ionization		
			[M-H] ⁻	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS	[M+H] ⁺	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS
78	15.61	Apigenin-C-hexoside-O-hexoside-O-Caf ^L [23,57,58,61]	755		[755] 593 [593] 431 [431] 341, 311, 313, 283	757		[757] 595 [595] 433
79	15.68	1,3-Di-O-caffeoyl-glycerol ^S [77]	415	461 ^{A1}	[415] 253	417		
80	15.69	Orientin ^S [57]	447		[447] 357, 327, 329, 299	449		
81	15.69	Gentiopicroside-O-DOBA ^L [44]	491	537 ^{A1}	[491]: 355 [355]: 193	493	515 ^{A2} 531 ^{A3}	[493]: 357
82	15.70	Loganic acid-O-Ac ₃ -O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [12,29,49]	799	845 ^{A1}	[799]: 637, 501, 375 [375]: 213	801	823 ^{A2} 839 ^{A3}	[801]: 377
83	15.71	Sweroside-6'-O-DOBA ^S [44]	493	539 ^{A1}	[493] 357 [357] 195	495	517 ^{A2} 533 ^{A3}	[495]: 359
84	15.76	Oleanolic acid-O-hexuronide-O-desoxyhexoside-O-hexoside ^L [63,64]	939	985 ^{A1}	[939]: 455	941	963 ^{A2} 979 ^{A3}	[941]: 779, 633, 457 [457]: 439, 421
85	15.77	Isoscoparin ^S [21]	461		[461] 371, 341, 343, 313	463		
86	15.78	Iridoid glycoside (MW 562) ^L [28]	561	607 ^{A1}		563	585 ^{A2} 601 ^{A3}	
87	15.89	Acacetin-C-hexoside-O-hexoside-O-Caf ^L [56,87]	769		[769] 607 [607] 445 [445] 355, 325, 327, 297	771		[771] 609 [609] 447
88	16.05	Eustomorusside-O-Ac ₃ -O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [28,29,46]	831	877 ^{A1}	[831] 669, 533, 407 [407] 245	833	855 ^{A2} 871 ^{A3}	[833] 409
89	16.06	Loganic acid-O-Ac ₃ -O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [12,29,49]	799	845 ^{A1}	[799]: 637, 501, 375 [375]: 213	801	823 ^{A2} 839 ^{A3}	[801]: 377
90	16.17	1,2-Di-O-caffeoyl-glycerol ^{L,T} [77]	415	461 ^{A1}	[415] 253	417		
91	16.19	Loganin-O-DOBA ^L [44]	525	571 ^{A1}	[525] 389 [389] 227	527	549 ^{A2} 565 ^{A3}	[527]: 391
92	16.24	Apigenin-C-hexoside-O-hexoside-O-Caf ^L [23,57,58,61]	755		[755] 593 [593] 431 [431] 341, 311, 313, 283	757		[757] 595 [595] 433
93	16.26	Swertiamarin-O-Ac-O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [29,49]	713	759 ^{A1}	[713] 551, 415, 373 [373] 211	715	737 ^{A2} 753 ^{A3}	[715] 375
94	16.29	Dehydrooleanolic acid-O-hexuronide-O-desoxyhexoside ^L [63,64]	775	821 ^{A1}	[775]: 453	777	799 ^{A2} 815 ^{A3}	[777]: 631, 455 [455]: 437, 419
95	16.56	Oleanolic acid-O-hexuronide-O-desoxyhexoside ^L [63,64]	777	823 ^{A1}	[777]: 455	779	801 ^{A2} 817 ^{A3}	[779]: 633, 457 [457]: 439, 421
96	16.62	Iridoid glycoside (MW 562) ^L [28]	561	607 ^{A1}		563	585 ^{A2} 601 ^{A3}	

Table S3. Continuation

No	tr, min	Compound [Ref.]	Negative ionization			Positive ionization		
			[M–H] [–]	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS	[M+H] ⁺	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS
97	16.63	Isoorientin-O-Caf ^L [17,56]	609		[609]: 447 [447]: 357, 327, 329, 299	611		[611]: 449
98	16.70	Luteolin-7-O-glucoside ^S [57]	447		[447]: 285	449		[449]: 287
99	16.72	Desoxyoleanolic acid-O-hexuronide-O-desoxyhexoside ^L [63,64]	761	807 ^{A1}	[761]: 439	763	785 ^{A2} 801 ^{A3}	[785]: 617, 441 [441]: 423
100	16.75	Iridoid glycoside (MW 562) ^L [28]	561	607 ^{A1}		563	585 ^{A2} 601 ^{A3}	
101	16.79	Sweroside-O-Ac-O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L	697	743 ^{A1}	[697]: 535, 399, 357 [357]: 195	699	721 ^{A2} 737 ^{A3}	[699]: 537, 359
102	16.84	Swertiamarin-O-Ac-O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [29,49]	713	759 ^{A1}	[713]: 551, 415, 373 [373]: 211	715	737 ^{A2} 753 ^{A3}	[715]: 375
103	17.00	Loganin-O-DOBA ^L [44]	525	571 ^{A1}	[525]: 389 [389]: 227	527	549 ^{A2} 565 ^{A3}	[527]: 391
104	17.01	Isoscoparin-O-Caf ^L [21,42,57]	623		[623]: 461 [461]: 371, 341, 343, 313	625		[625]: 463
105	17.10	Amarogentin ^S [27]	585	631 ^{A1}		587	609 ^{A2} 625 ^{A3}	
106	17.34	Isoscoparin-O-Caf ^L [21,42,57]	623		[623]: 461 [461]: 371, 341, 343, 313	625		[625]: 463
107	17.54	Isovitexin-O-Caf ^L [23,57,58]	593		[593]: 431 [431]: 341, 311, 313, 283	595		[595]: 433
108	17.56	Swertiamarin-O-Ac-O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [29,49]	713	759 ^{A1}	[713]: 551, 415, 373 [373]: 211	715	737 ^{A2} 753 ^{A3}	[715]: 375
109	17.58	Gentisin-1-O-primveroside (gentioside) ^S [27]	551	597 ^{A1}	[551]: 419, 257	553	575 ^{A2}	[553]: 259
110	17.60	Sweroside-O-Ac-O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [49–51]	697	743 ^{A1}	[697]: 535, 399, 357 [357]: 195	699	721 ^{A2} 737 ^{A3}	[699]: 537, 359
111	17.61	Sweroside-O-Ac-O-DOBA ^L [45,46]	619	665 ^{A1}	[619]: 483, 357 [357]: 195	621	643 ^{A2} 659 ^{A3}	[621]: 359
112	17.62	Desoxyoleanolic acid-O-hexuronide-O-desoxyhexoside ^L [63,64]	761	807 ^{A1}	[761]: 439	763	785 ^{A2} 801 ^{A3}	[785]: 617, 441 [441]: 423
113	17.64	Swertiamarin-O-Ac-O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [29,49]	755	801 ^{A1}	[755]: 593, 457, 373 [373]: 211	757	779 ^{A2} 795 ^{A3}	[757]: 375
114	17.65	Apigenin-C-hexoside-O-hexoside-O-Caf ^L [23,57,58,61]	755		[755]: 593 [593]: 431 [431]: 341, 311, 313, 283	757		[757]: 595 [595]: 433

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No	tr, min	Compound [Ref.]	Negative ionization			Positive ionization		
			[M-H] ⁻	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS	[M+H] ⁺	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS
115	17.67	Sweroside-O-Caf ^L [53,54]	519	565 ^{A1}	[519]: 357 [357]: 195	521	543 ^{A2} 559 ^{A3}	[521]: 359
116	17.85	Eustomoside-O-Ac ₃ -O-DOBA-O-hexoside (gentomoside) ^{L,T} [29]	813	859 ^{A1}	[813]: 861, 515, 389 [389]: 227	815	837 ^{A2} 853 ^{A3}	[815]: 391
117	18.08	Swertiamarin-O-Ac ₂ -O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [29,49]	755	801 ^{A1}	[755]: 593, 457, 373 [373]: 211	757	779 ^{A2} 795 ^{A3}	[757]: 375
118	18.09	Apigenin-C-hexoside-O-hexoside-O-Caf ^L [23,57,58,61]	755		[755]: 593 [593]: 431 [431]: 341, 311, 313, 283	757		[757]: 595 [595]: 433
120	18.10	Swertiamarin-O-Ac ₃ -O-DOBA-O-hexoside-O-hexoside ^L [29,49]	959	1005 ^{A1}	[959]: 797, 635, 499, 373 [373]: 211	961	983 ^{A2} 999 ^{A3}	[961]: 375
121	18.11	Sweroside-O-Ac ₂ -O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [49–51]	739	785 ^{A1}	[739]: 577, 441, 357 [357]: 195	741	763 ^{A2} 779 ^{A3}	[741]: 359
122	18.15	Acacetin-C-hexoside-O-Caf ^L [56,87]	607		[607]: 445 [445]: 355, 325, 327, 297	609		[609]: 447
123	18.17	Desoxyoleanolic acid-O-hexuronide ^L [63,64]	615	661 ^{A1}	[615]: 439	617	639 ^{A2} 655 ^{A3}	[617]: 441 [441]: 423
124	18.20	Acacetin-C-hexoside-O-Caf ^L [56,87]	607		[607]: 445 [445]: 355, 325, 327, 297	609		[609]: 447
125	18.51	Apigenin-7-O-glucoside ^S [57]	431		[431]: 269	433		[433]: 271
126	18.52	Sweroside-O-Ac ₃ -O-DOBA-O-hexoside-O-hexoside ^L [51,52]	943	989 ^{A1}	[943]: 827, 619, 483, 357 [357]: 195	945	967 ^{A2} 983 ^{A3}	[945]: 359
127	18.63	Sweroside-O-Ac ₂ -O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [49–51]	739	785 ^{A1}	[739]: 577, 441, 357 [357]: 195	741	763 ^{A2} 779 ^{A3}	[741]: 359
128	18.68	Swertiamarin-O-Ac ₃ -O-DOBA-O-hexoside-O-hexoside ^L [29,49]	959	1005 ^{A1}	[959]: 797, 635, 499, 373 [373]: 211	961	983 ^{A2} 999 ^{A3}	[961]: 375
129	19.14	Sweroside-O-Ac ₃ -O-DOBA-O-hexoside-O-hexoside ^L [51,52]	943	989 ^{A1}	[943]: 827, 619, 483, 357 [357]: 195	945	967 ^{A2} 983 ^{A3}	[945]: 359
130	19.16	Loganic acid-O-Ac ₃ -O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [12,29,49]	799	845 ^{A1}	[799]: 637, 501, 375 [375]: 213	801	823 ^{A2} 839 ^{A3}	[801]: 377
131	19.18	Gelidoside (rindoside) ^S [29]	797	843 ^{A1}	[797]: 635, 499, 373 [373]: 211	799	821 ^{A2} 837 ^{A3}	[799]: 375
132	19.67	Trifloroside ^S [46]	781	827 ^{A1}	[781]: 619, 483, 357 [357]: 195	783	805 ^{A2} 821 ^{A3}	[783]: 359

Table S3. Continuation

No	tr, min	Compound [Ref.]	Negative ionization			Positive ionization		
			[M-H] ⁻	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS	[M+H] ⁺	Adduct ions ^a	MS/MS
133	19.74	Eustomoside-O-Ac ₃ -O-DOBA-O-hexoside ^L [29]	813	859 ^{A1}	[813]: 861, 515, 389 [389]: 227	815	837 ^{A2} 853 ^{A3}	[815]: 391
134	21.94	Swertiamarin-O-Ac ₃ -O-DOBA ^L [45,46]	635	681 ^{A1}	[635]: 499, 373 [373]: 211	637	659 ^{A2} 675 ^{A3}	[637]: 375
135	22.42	Sweroside-O-Ac ₃ -O-DOBA ^L [45,46]	619	665 ^{A1}	[619]: 483, 357 [357]: 195	621	643 ^{A2} 659 ^{A3}	[621]: 359
136	22.67	Chrysoeriol ^S [57]	299			301		
137	22.85	Gentisin ^S [27]	257	303 ^{A1}		259	281 ^{A2}	

^a Adduct ions was signed as follows: ^{A1} for [(M-H)+HCOOH]⁻; ^{A2} for [M+Na]⁺; ^{A3} for [M+K]⁺. Abbreviation used: Ac—acetate, Caf—caffeoyl, DOBA—2,3-dihydroxybenzoyl, MW—molecular weight, pHBA—*p*-hydroxybenzoyl. ^S Compound identification was based on comparison with reference standard. ^L Compound identification was based on interpretation of UV and MS spectral data and comparison with literature data. ^T Tentative identification.

Table S4. Regression equations, correlation coefficients (r^2), standard deviation (S_{yx}), limits of detection (LOD), limits of quantification (LOQ) and linear ranges for 18 compounds.

Compound ^a	Regression equation	r^2	S_{yx}	LOD ($\mu\text{g/mL}$)	LOQ ($\mu\text{g/mL}$)	Linear range ($\mu\text{g/mL}$)
Loganic acid	$y = 0.075 \cdot x - 0.033$	0.9678	$8.31 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.37	1.11	1.75–900.0
Swertiamarin	$y = 0.063 \cdot x - 0.023$	0.9789	$4.75 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.25	0.75	1.00–900.0
Gelidoside	$y = 0.073 \cdot x - 0.034$	0.9581	$3.83 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.17	0.52	1.00–900.0
Gentiopicroside	$y = 0.055 \cdot x - 0.029$	0.9294	$7.56 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.45	1.37	1.50–900.0
Gentiopicroside-6''-O-Glc	$y = 0.061 \cdot x - 0.048$	0.9377	$9.01 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.49	1.48	1.50–900.0
Sweroside	$y = 0.067 \cdot x - 0.037$	0.9890	$7.33 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.36	1.09	1.50–900.0
Trifloroside	$y = 0.071 \cdot x - 0.043$	0.9854	$4.27 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.20	0.60	1.00–900.0
Isovitexin	$y = 0.054 \cdot x - 0.028$	0.9739	$5.09 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.31	0.94	1.00–900.0
Isovitexin-2''-O-Glc	$y = 0.060 \cdot x - 0.022$	0.9923	$8.07 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.44	1.35	1.50–900.0
Saponarin	$y = 0.086 \cdot x - 0.019$	0.9781	$8.99 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.34	1.05	1.50–900.0
Apigenin-7-O-Glc	$y = 0.068 \cdot x - 0.025$	0.9639	$3.78 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.18	0.56	1.00–900.0
Isoorientin	$y = 0.033 \cdot x - 0.023$	0.9943	$6.30 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.63	1.91	2.00–900.0
Isoorientin-2''-O-Glc	$y = 0.031 \cdot x - 0.024$	0.9856	$5.42 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.58	1.75	2.00–900.0
Isoorientin-6''-O-Glc	$y = 0.083 \cdot x - 0.056$	0.9735	$8.76 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.35	1.06	1.50–900.0
Luteolin-7-O-Glc	$y = 0.078 \cdot x - 0.068$	0.9867	$5.98 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.25	0.77	1.00–900.0
Isoscoparin	$y = 0.082 \cdot x - 0.016$	0.9680	$6.34 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.26	0.77	1.00–900.0
Mangiferin	$y = 0.045 \cdot x - 0.020$	0.9915	$8.01 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.59	1.78	2.00–900.0
Gentioside	$y = 0.056 \cdot x - 0.013$	0.9851	$6.11 \cdot 10^{-3}$	0.36	1.09	1.50–900.0

Abbreviation used: Glc—glucose.

Table S5. Intra- and inter-day precision, repeatability, stability and recovery for 18 compounds.

Compound ^a	Precision intra-day (RSD%) n=5	Precision inter-day (RSD%) n=4	Repeatability (RSD%) n=7	Stability (RSD%) n=7	Recovery (%) n=5
Loganic acid	1.41	1.27	1.78	1.29	95.14
Swertiamarin	1.52	1.09	2.02	1.37	100.03
Gelidoside	1.33	1.33	1.74	1.88	100.78
Gentiopicroside	1.99	2.02	1.88	1.63	99.89
Gentiopicroside-6''-O-Glc	2.03	1.95	1.65	1.40	96.78
Sweroside	1.89	1.77	1.19	1.03	100.95
Trifloroside	1.65	1.96	1.37	1.88	102.13
Isovitexin	1.96	1.66	1.88	2.01	101.99
Isovitexin-2''-O-Glc	1.31	2.05	2.14	1.84	100.36
Saponarin	1.80	1.66	1.43	2.23	99.07
Apigenin-7-O-Glc	2.15	1.70	1.11	1.87	99.81
Isoorientin	2.21	1.82	2.08	1.72	94.95
Isoorientin-2''-O-Glc	1.73	1.59	1.59	1.39	103.56
Isoorientin-6''-O-Glc	1.98	1.36	1.49	2.12	102.14
Luteolin-7-O-Glc	1.62	1.28	1.74	1.06	100.78
Isoscoparin	1.36	1.94	1.89	1.85	96.34
Mangiferin	1.47	1.97	1.64	1.59	97.21
Gentioside	1.54	2.15	1.32	1.91	95.29

Abbreviation used: Glc—glucose.

Table S6. Content of selected phenolic compounds in dry extracts of gentian herbs and roots ^a, mg/g of dry extract weight ($\pm$ S.D.).

Compound	GAS	GCR	GGE	GPA	GPN	GSE
Gentian herb extracts						
Isovitexin	3.15 $\pm$ 0.06	10.44 $\pm$ 0.19	4.09 $\pm$ 0.08	1.91 $\pm$ 0.04	2.94 $\pm$ 0.06	14.46 $\pm$ 0.28
Isovitexin-2''-O-Glc	6.42 $\pm$ 0.12	10.80 $\pm$ 0.21	5.42 $\pm$ 0.11	8.23 $\pm$ 0.16	5.20 $\pm$ 0.10	28.12 $\pm$ 0.56
Saponarin	4.41 $\pm$ 0.08	6.11 $\pm$ 0.12	0.04 $\pm$ 0.00	5.65 $\pm$ 0.11	4.46 $\pm$ 0.09	33.32 $\pm$ 0.65
Apigenin-7-O-Glc	8.82 $\pm$ 0.17	2.16 $\pm$ 0.04	2.54 $\pm$ 0.05	2.45 $\pm$ 0.05	1.41 $\pm$ 0.03	0.40 $\pm$ 0.01
Isoorientin	64.09 $\pm$ 1.28	21.99 $\pm$ 0.43	131.03 $\pm$ 2.62	23.89 $\pm$ 0.47	89.29 $\pm$ 1.78	68.88 $\pm$ 1.40
Isoorientin-2''-O-Glc	142.17 $\pm$ 2.85	72.23 $\pm$ 1.44	59.14 $\pm$ 1.18	50.65 $\pm$ 1.01	19.03 $\pm$ 0.38	80.48 $\pm$ 1.61
Isoorientin-6''-O-Glc	0.00	0.00	12.23 $\pm$ 0.24	0.00	0.00	33.50 $\pm$ 0.67
Luteolin-7-O-Glc	4.52 $\pm$ 0.09	0.84 $\pm$ 0.02	3.04 $\pm$ 0.06	4.83 $\pm$ 0.09	7.51 $\pm$ 0.15	9.57 $\pm$ 0.19
Isoscoparin	0.00	0.00	4.33 $\pm$ 0.08	0.00	8.15 $\pm$ 0.16	1.48 $\pm$ 0.03
Mangiferin	59.43 $\pm$ 1.18	26.46 $\pm$ 0.52	0.00	17.41 $\pm$ 0.34	12.73 $\pm$ 0.25	0.00
Total phenolic compounds	293.01	151.03	221.86	115.02	150.72	270.21
Gentian root extracts						
Isoorientin-2''-O-Glc	17.28 $\pm$ 0.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Gentioside	2.93 $\pm$ 0.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total phenolic compounds	20.21	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

^a Gentian species: GAS—*Gentiana asclepiadea*, GCR—*Gentiana cruciata*, GGE—*Gentiana gelida*, GPA—*Gentiana paradoxa*, GPN—*Gentiana pneumonanthe*, GSE—*Gentiana septemfida*. "tr."—trace content (<LOQ). Abbreviation used: Glc—glucose.

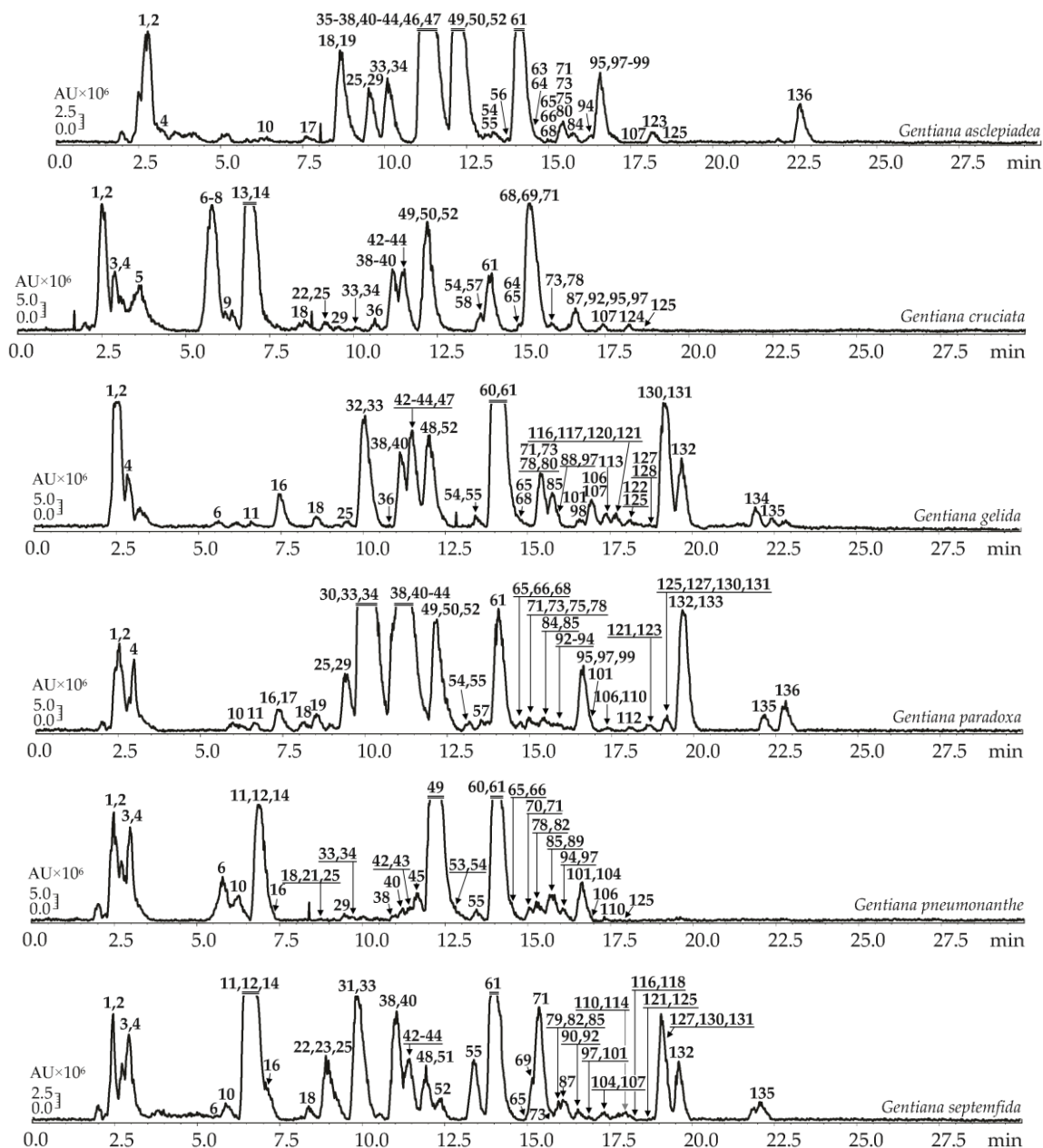


Figure S1. High-Performance Liquid Chromatography with Electrospray Ionization Triple Quadrupole Mass Spectrometric Detection (HPLC-ESI-MS) chromatogram in base peak chromatogram mode (BPC mode, negative ionization) of six *Gentiana* herb and root extracts. Compounds are numbered as listed in Table 1.

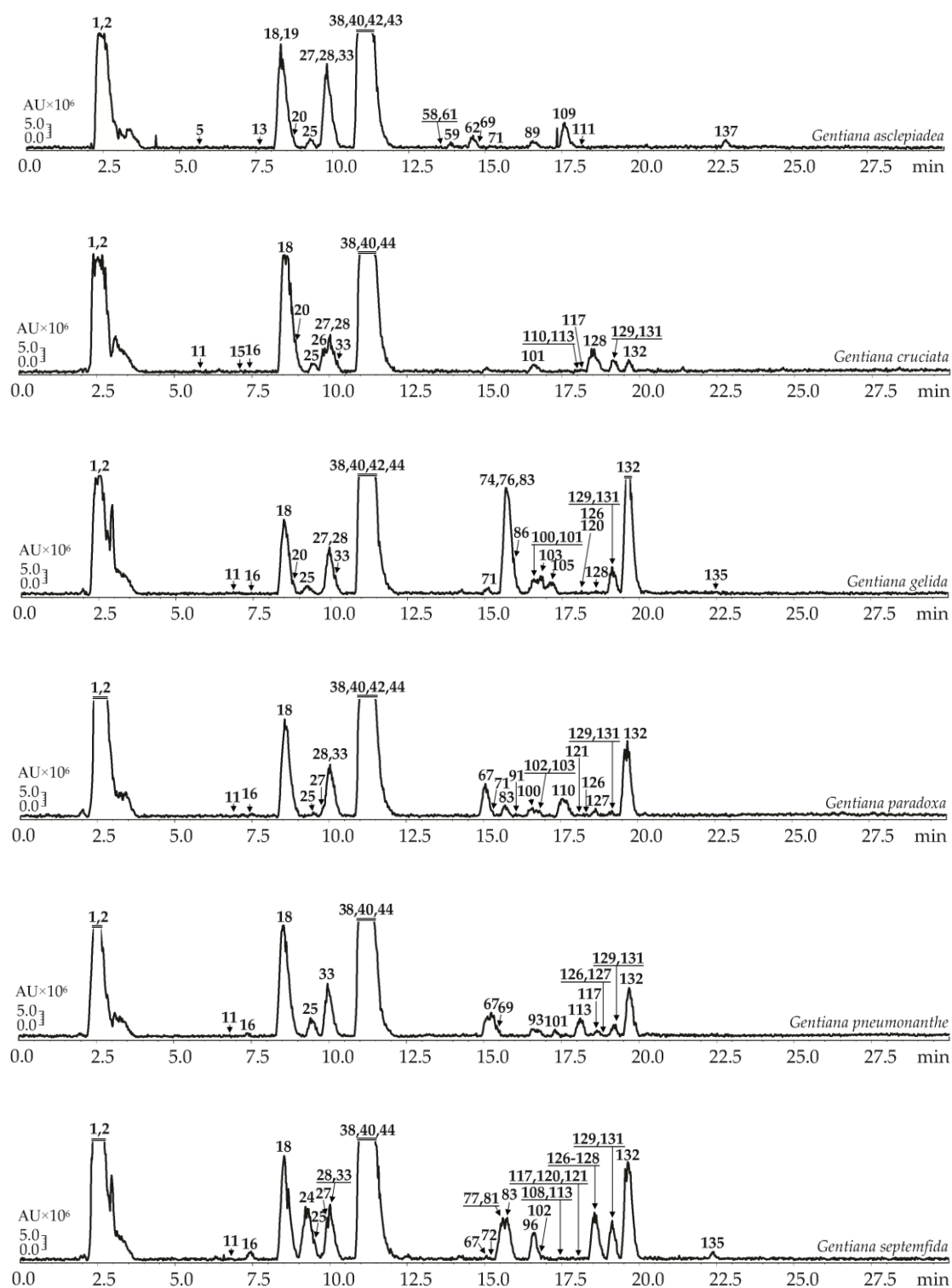


Figure S1. Continuation.

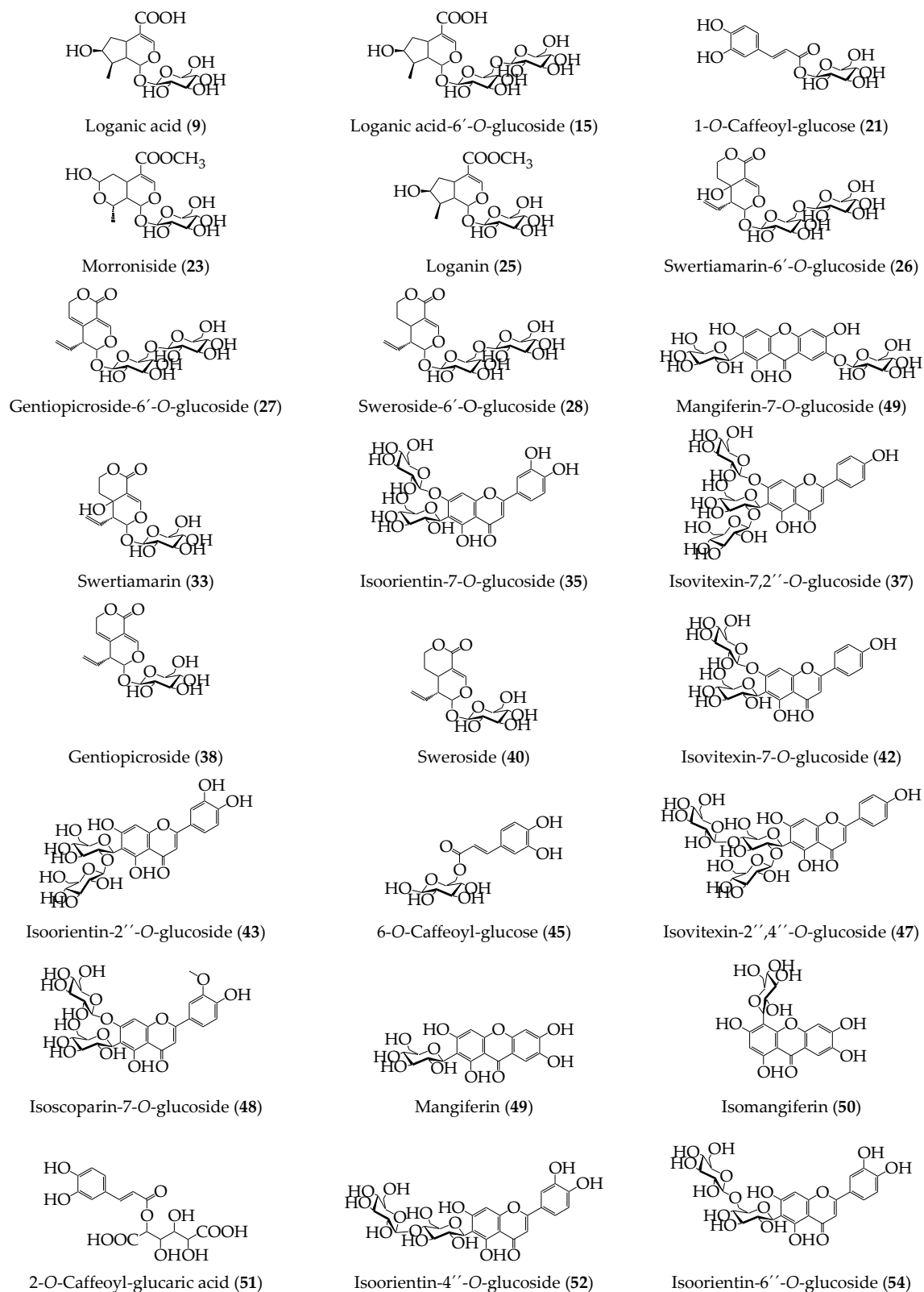


Figure S2. Structures of reference compounds (numbered accordingly to Table 1).

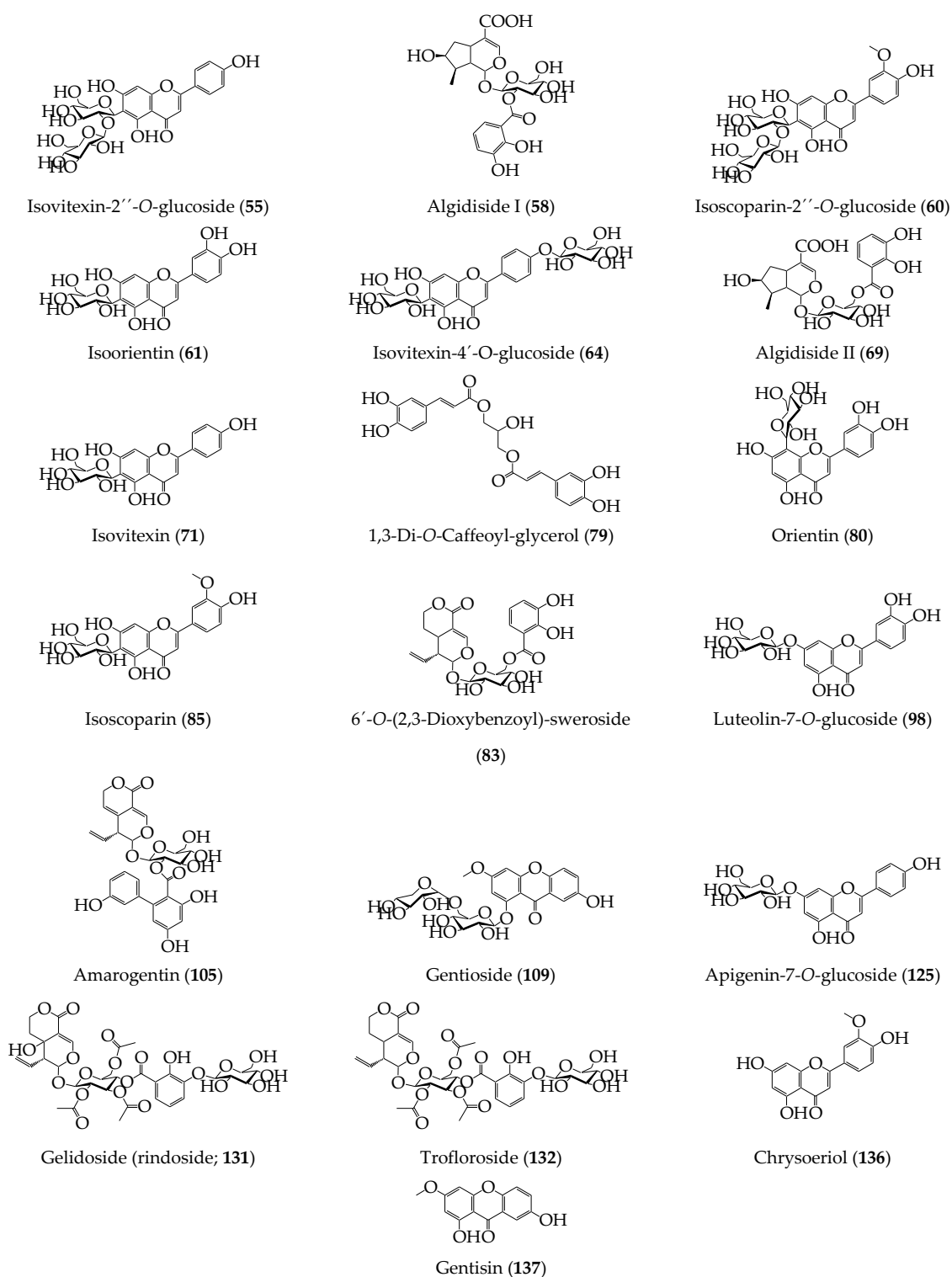


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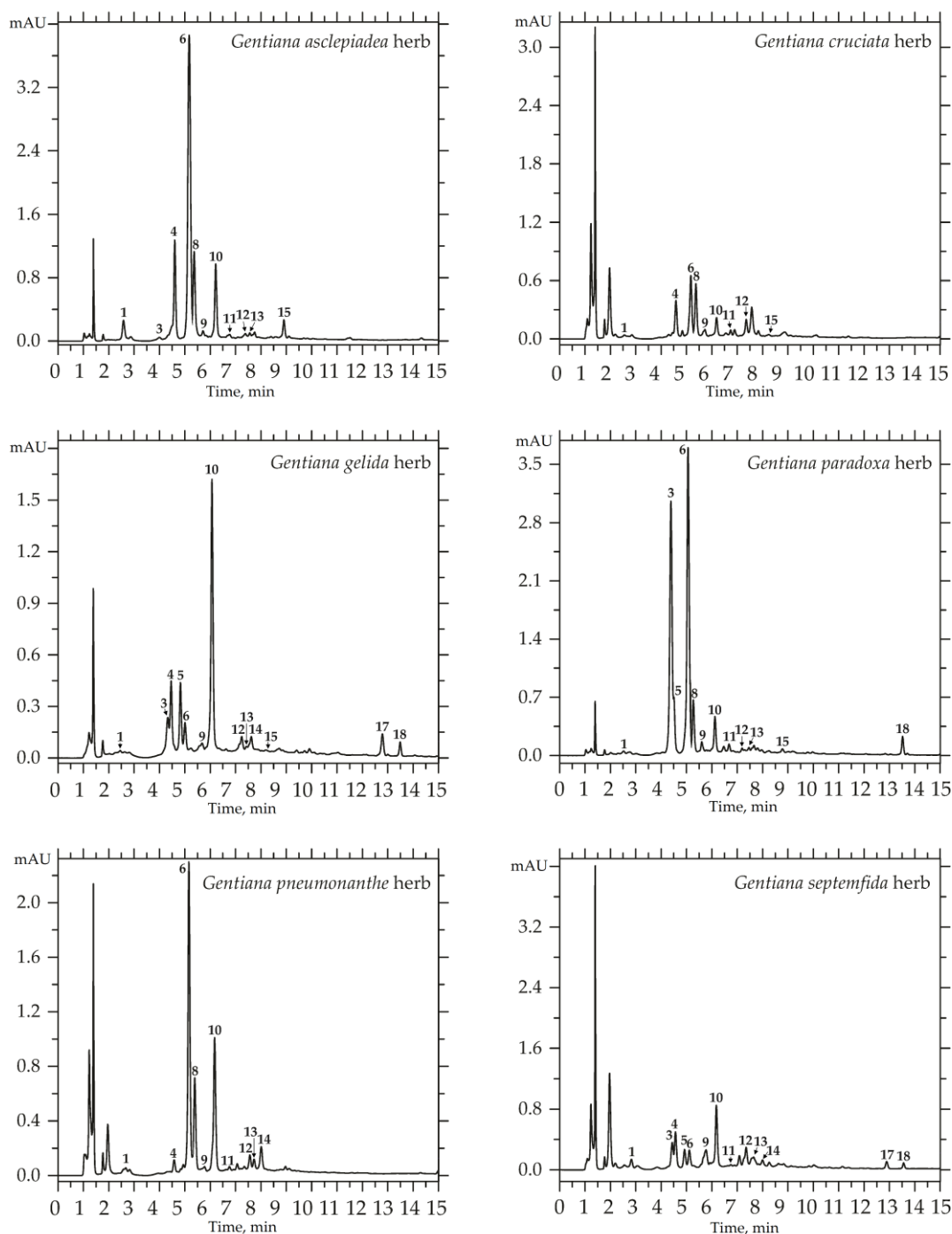


Figure S3. High-Performance Liquid Chromatography with Diode Array Detection (HPLC-DAD) chromatograms of gentian herb and roots extracts at 210 nm. Compounds are numbered as follows: 1—loganic acid; 2—gentiopicroside-6''-O-glucoside; 3—swertiamarin; 4—isorientin-2''-O-glucoside; 5—isorientin-6''-O-glucoside; 6—gentiopicroside; 7—sweroside; 8—mangiferin; 9—isovitexin-2''-O-glucoside; 10—isorientin; 11—saponarin; 12—isoovitexin; 13—luteolin-7-O-glucoside; 14—isoscoparin; 15—apigenin-7-O-glucoside; 16—gentioside; 17—gelidoside (rindoside); 18—trifloroside.

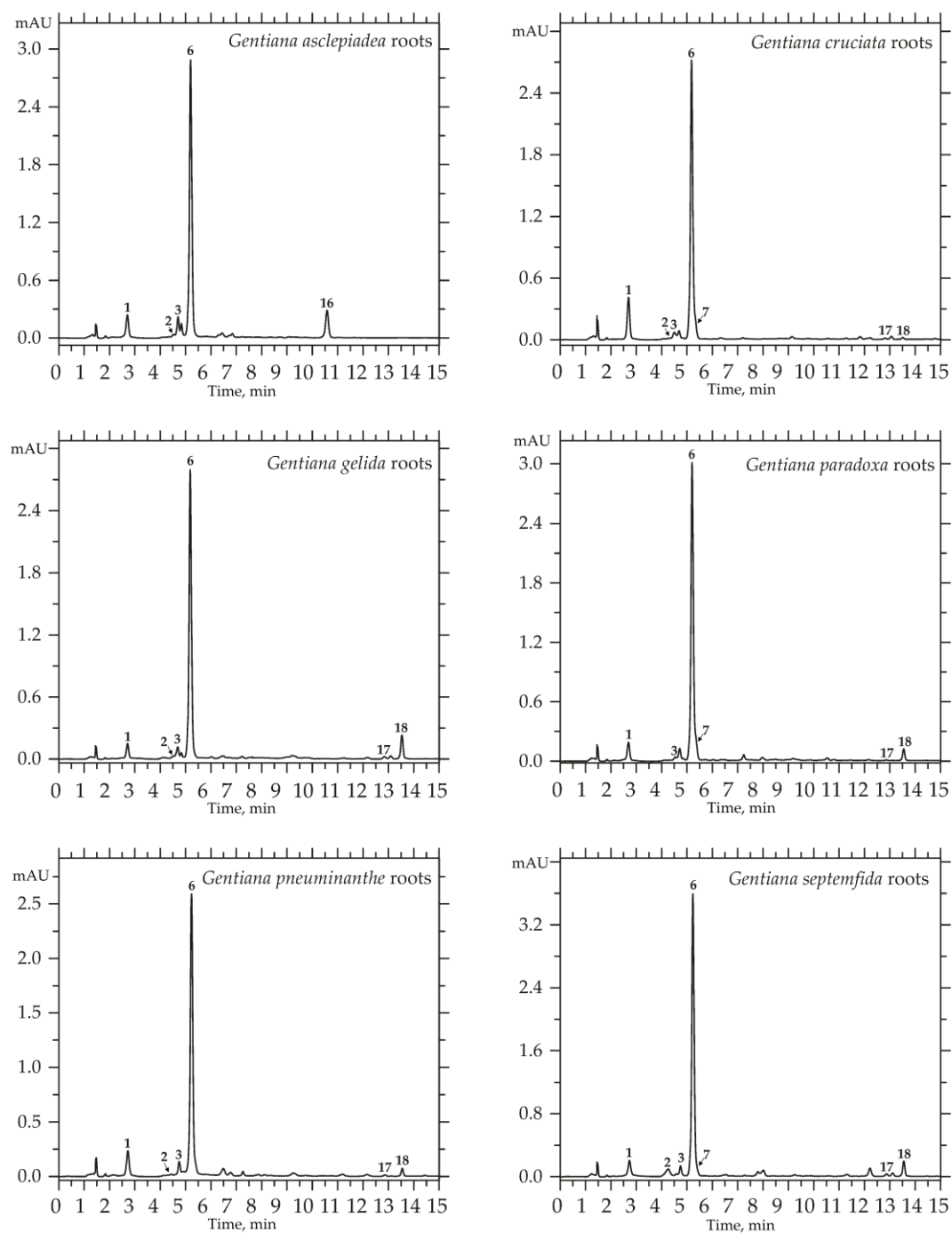


Figure S3. Continuation.