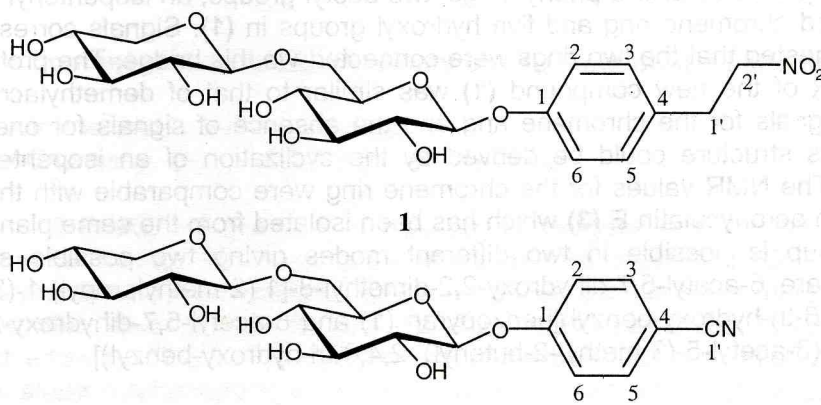


New phenyl glycosides from the fruits of *Diploclisia glaucescens*

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Diploclisia glaucescens of the family Menispermaceae is a liana growing in the mid country regions of India and Sri Lanka. Leaves of the plant have been used in the treatment of biliousness and venereal diseases. Several phytoecdysteroids, saponins, triterpenoids and alkaloids have been reported from the seeds, leaves, stem and fruits of the plant. We have recently reported the isolation of a new ecdysteroid 2-deoxy-5 β ,20-dihydroxyecdysone, together with 20-hydroxyecdysone, 3-deoxy-1 β ,20-dihydroxy ecdysone, 2-deoxy-20-hydroxyecdysone, 24-ethyl-20-hydroxyecdysone and some triterpenoidal and steroidal saponins from the fruits of the plant. This report deals with the isolation of two new phenyl glycosides, 4-(2-nitro ethyl)phenyl β -D-xylopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 6)- β -D-glucopyranoside (1) and 4-cyanophenyl β -D-xylopyranosyl-(1 \rightarrow 6)- β -D-glucopyranoside (2) from the methanol extract of the fruits of *D. glaucescens*. Structures of 1 and 2 were established by detail analysis of ¹H, ¹³CNMR, H-H COSY, HMQC, HMBC and FABMS.



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