

Functional analysis of members of the isoflavone and isoflavanone *O*-methyltransferase enzyme families from the model legume *Medicago truncatula*

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Supplementary Material

Figure S1a-n. HPLC chromatograms of MtIOMT reaction products

Figure S2. Positive ion LC/ESI/MSMS spectra of reaction products from liquiritigenin

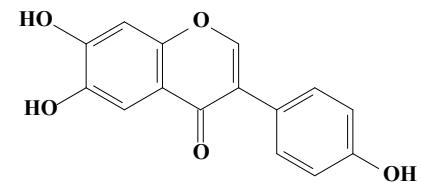
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Figure S4. Positive ion LC/ESI/MSMS spectra of reaction products from dihydrodaidzein

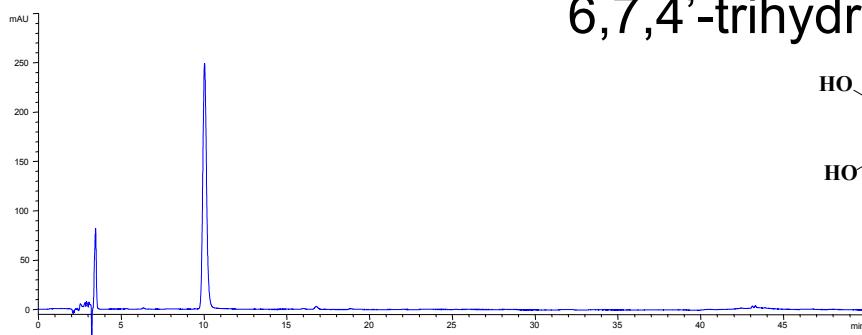
Table S1. Primers used for RT-PCR

Table S2. Quantification of methylated products in reactions with dihydrodaidzein

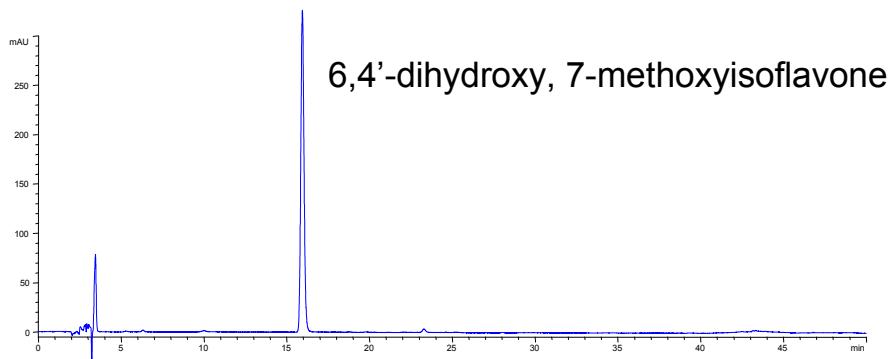
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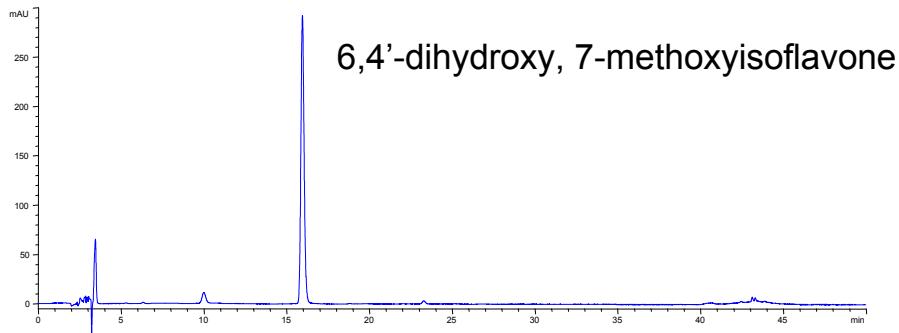
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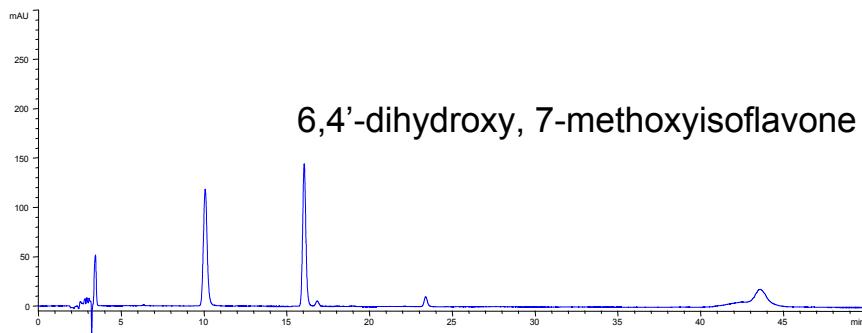
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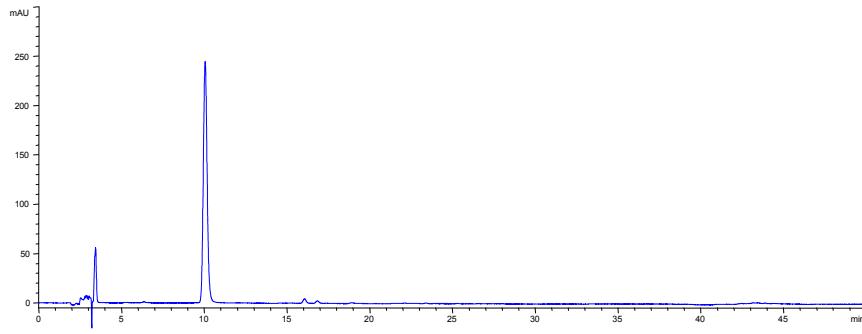
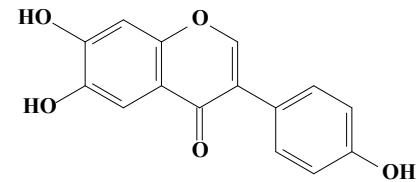
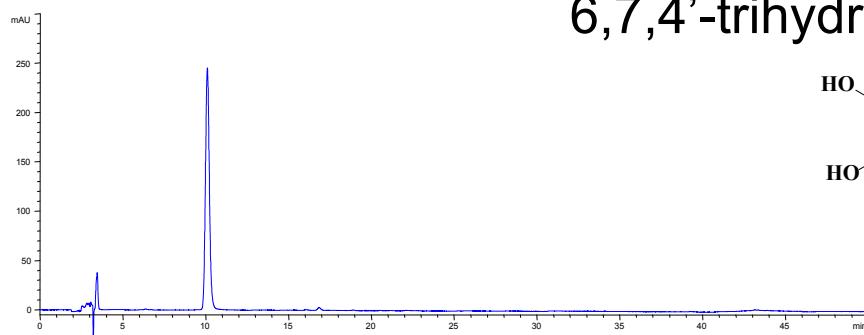


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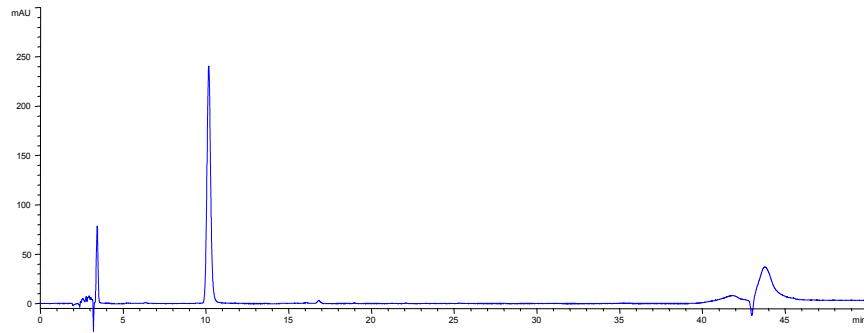
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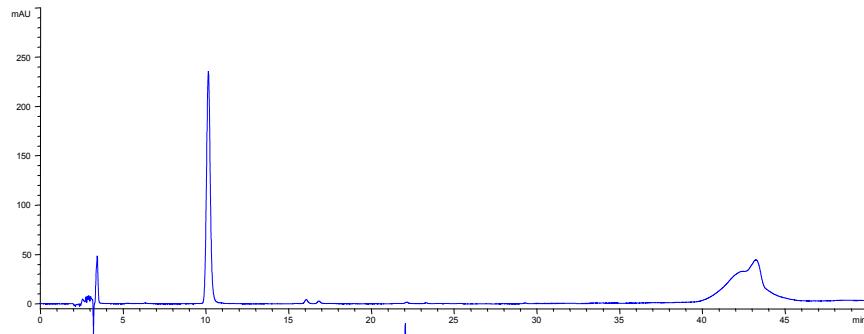
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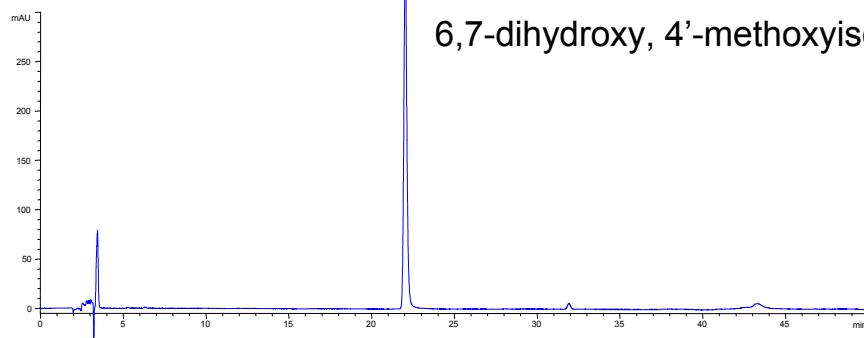


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6,7-dihydroxy, 4'-methoxyisoflavone

Standard



Standard

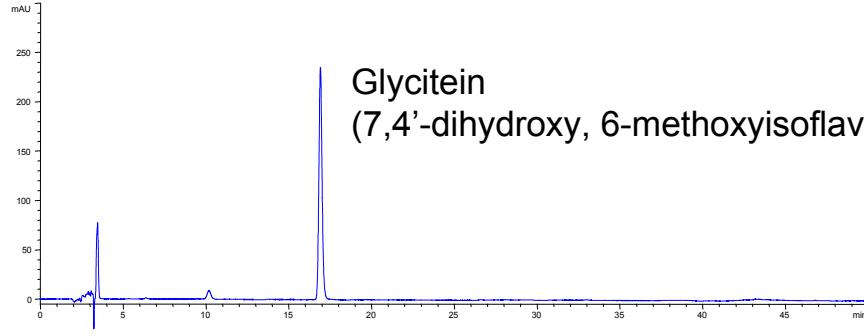
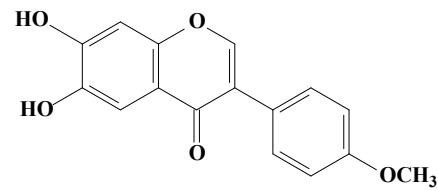
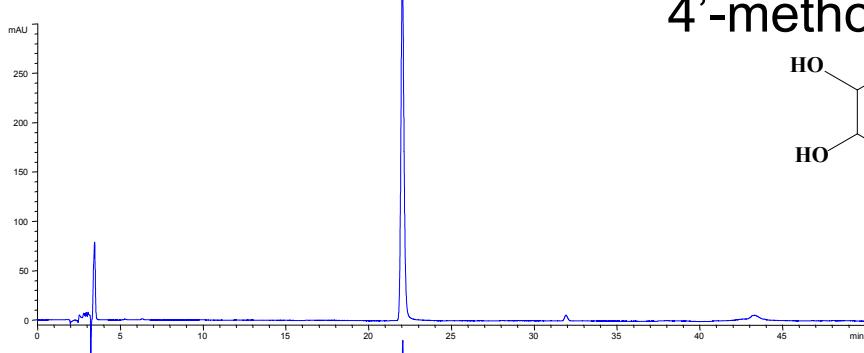


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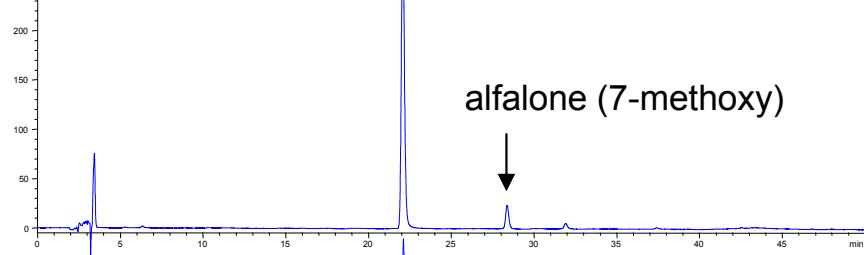
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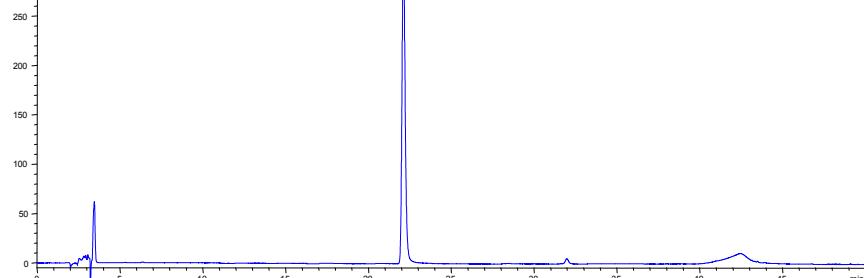
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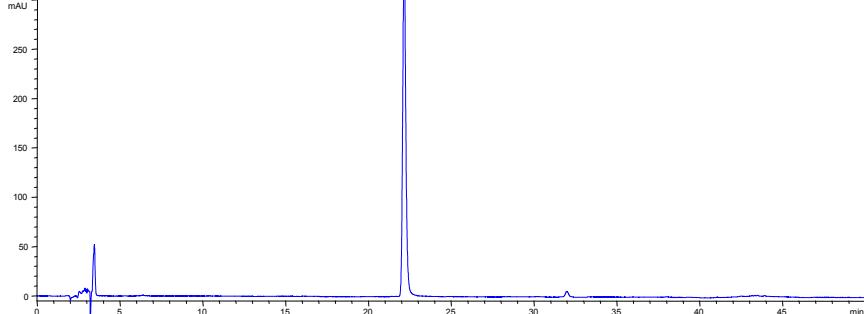
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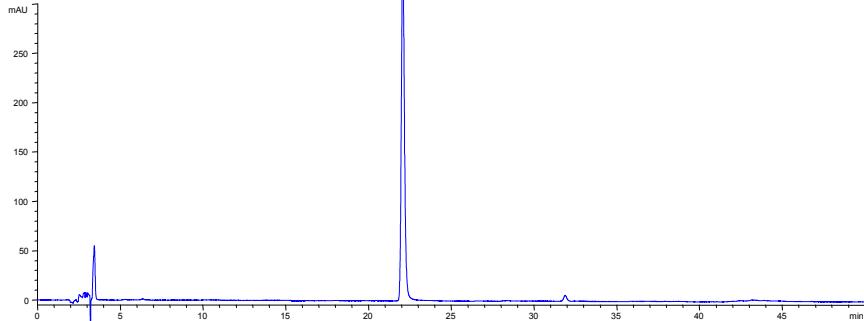
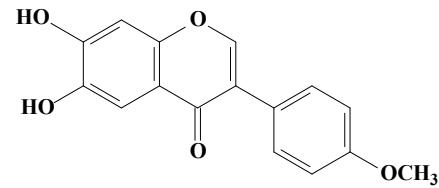
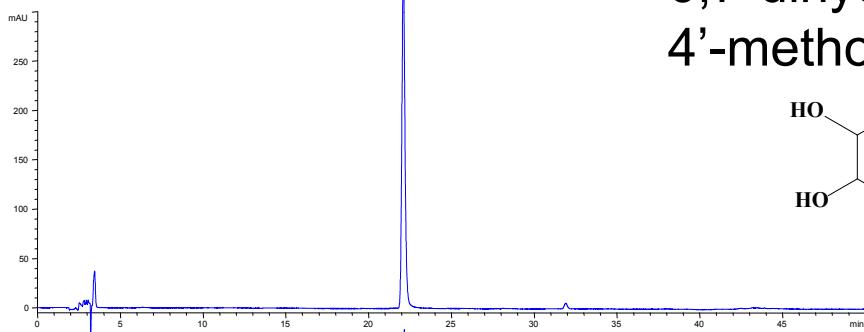


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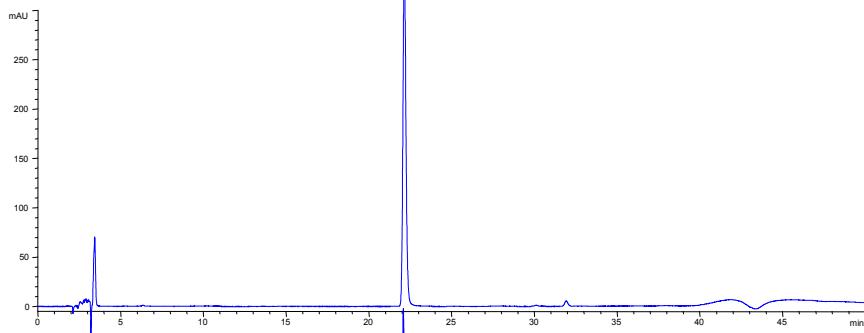
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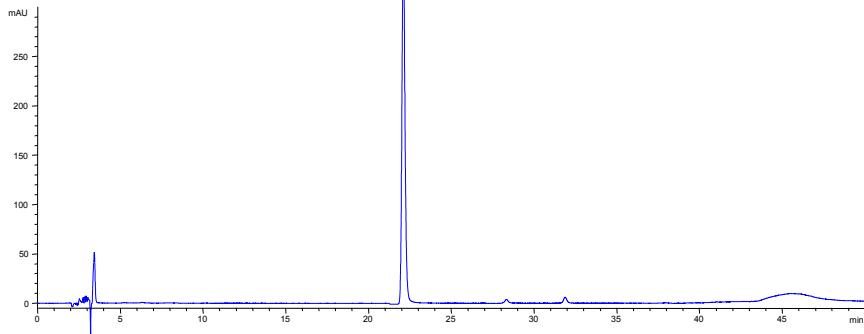
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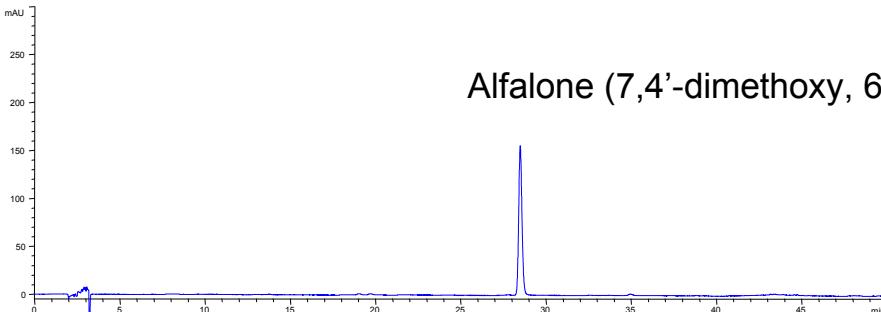


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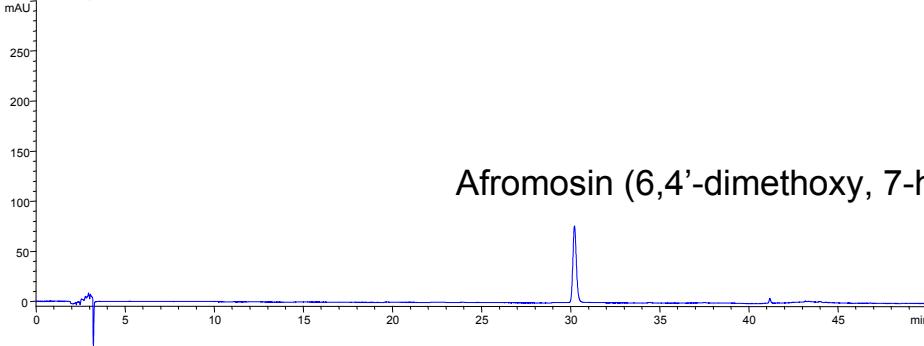
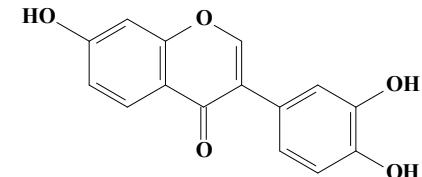
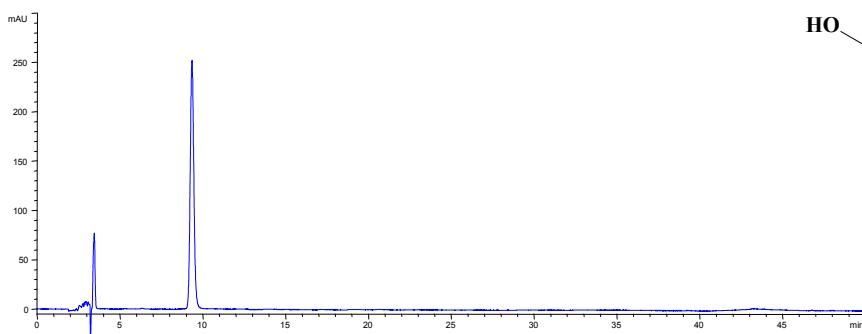


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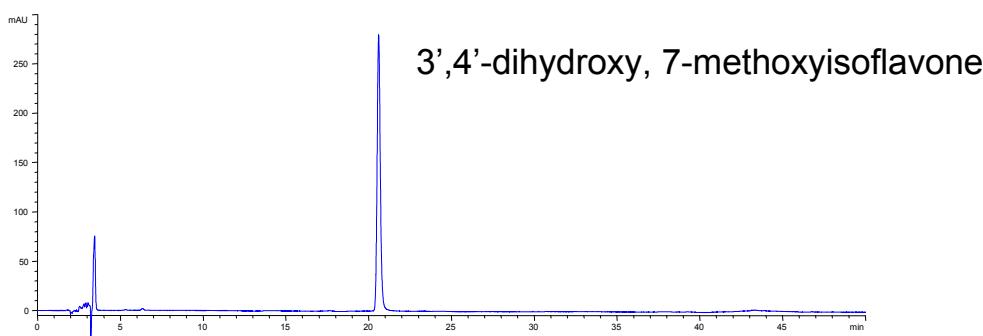
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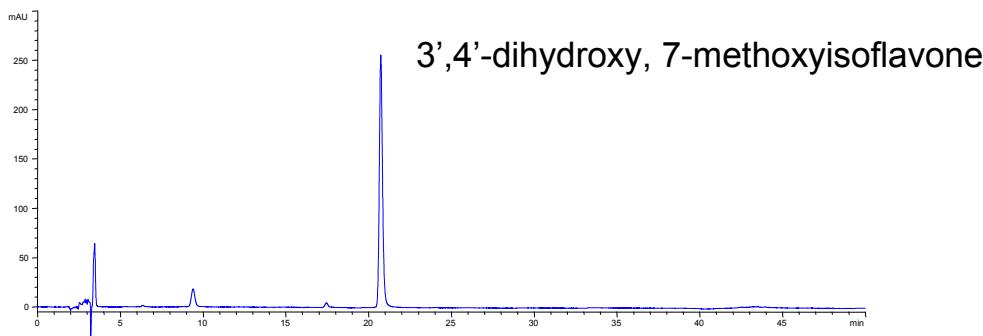
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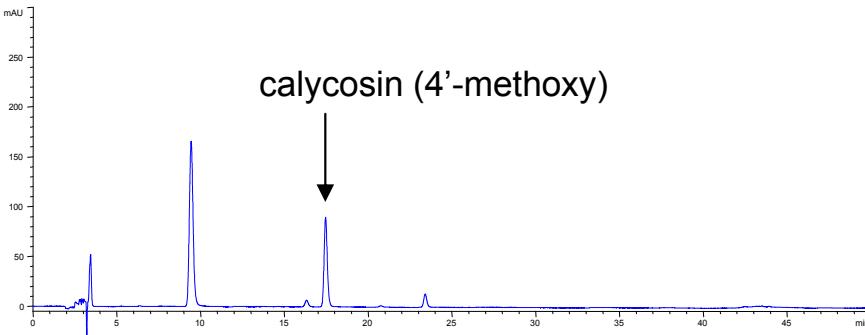
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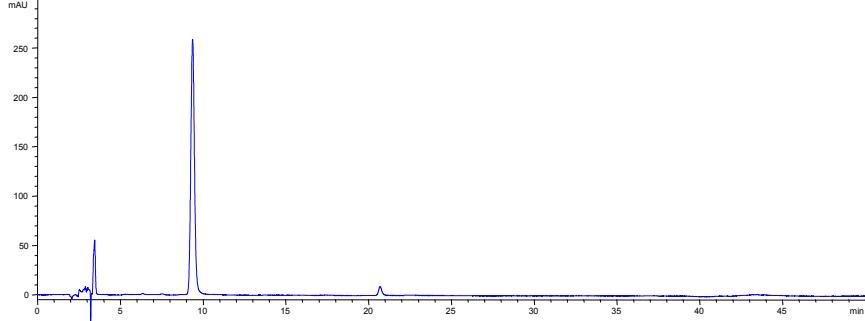
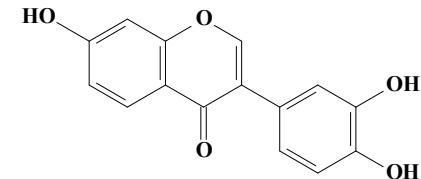
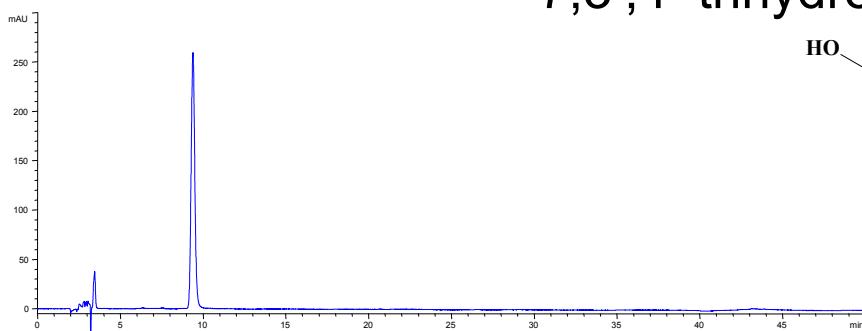


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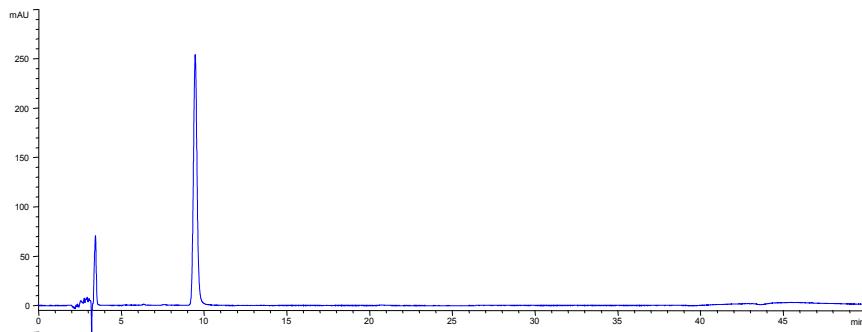
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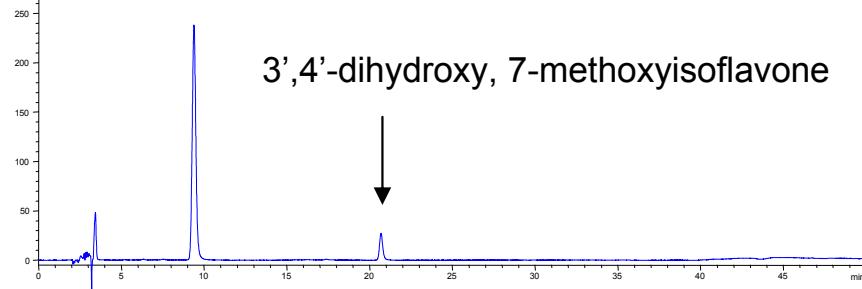
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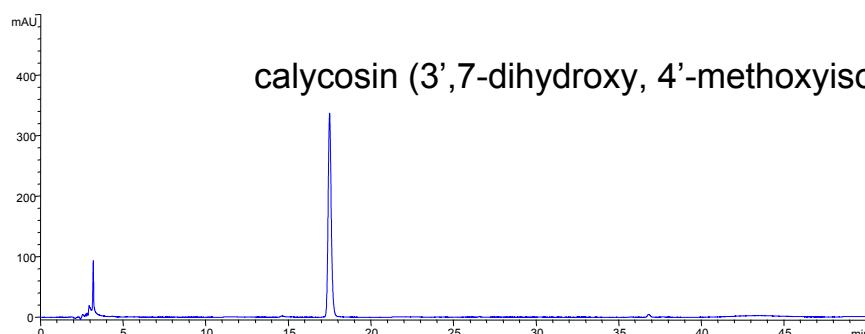


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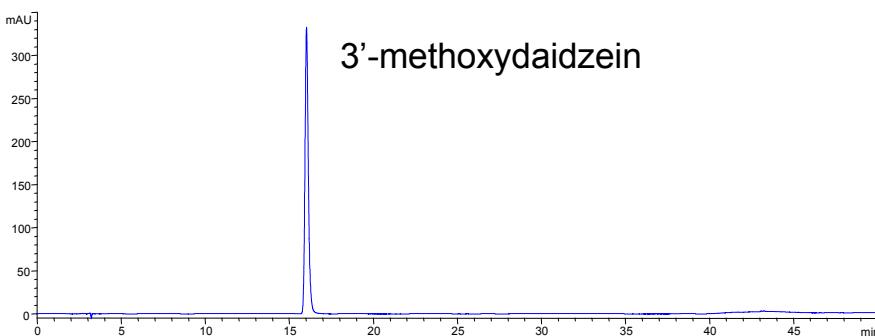
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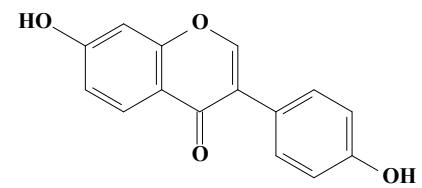
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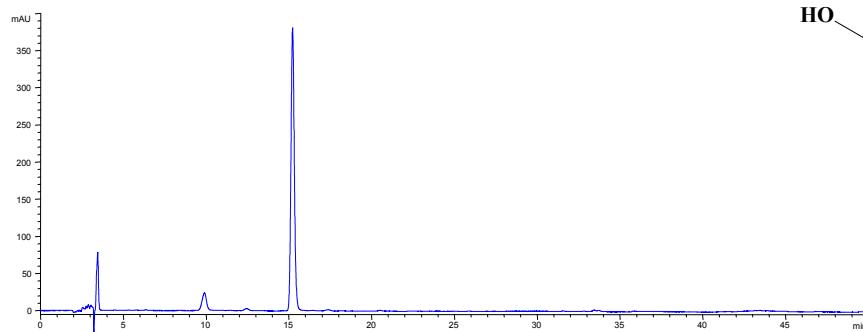
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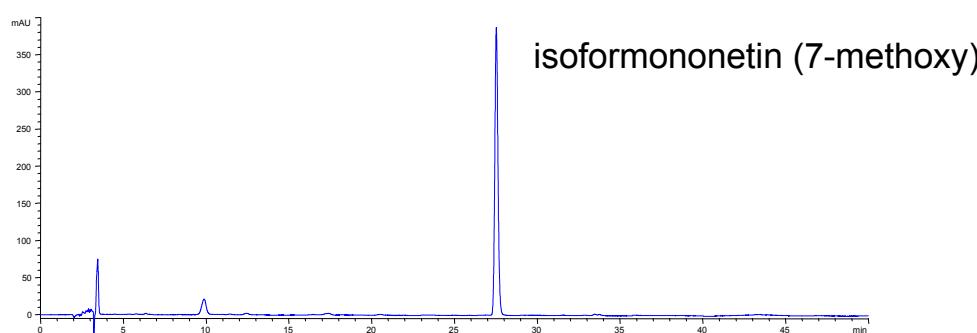
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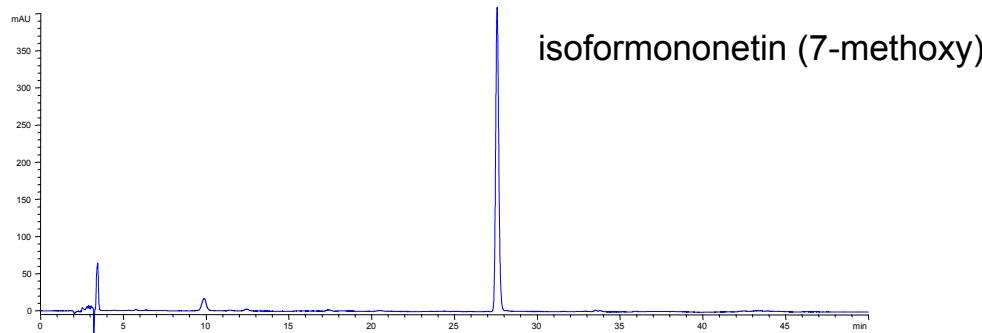
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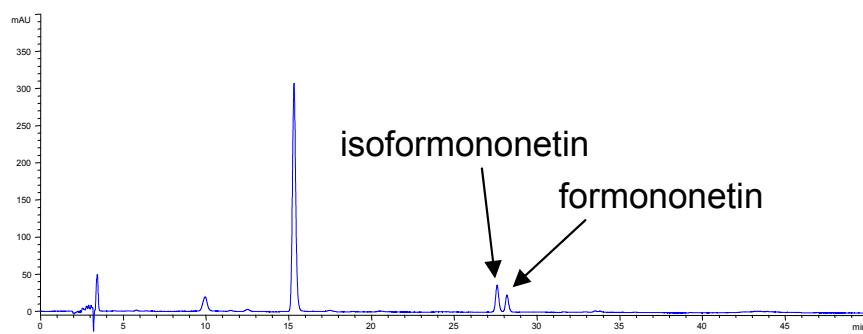
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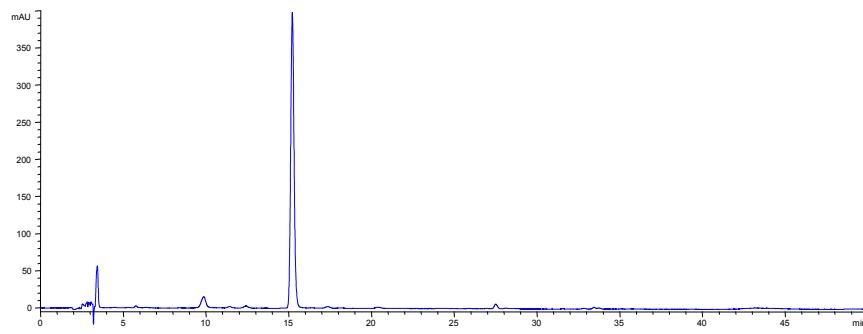
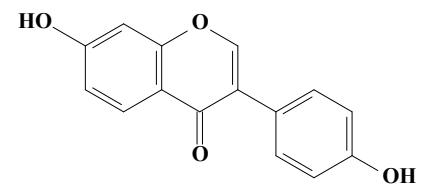
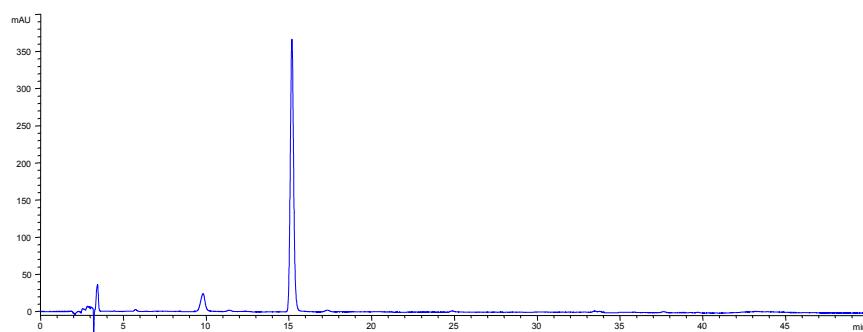


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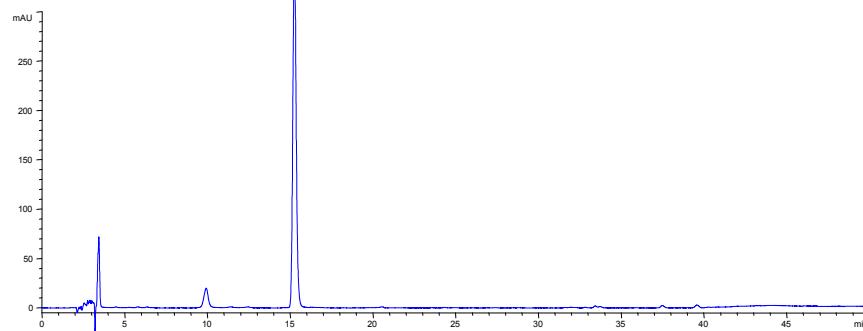
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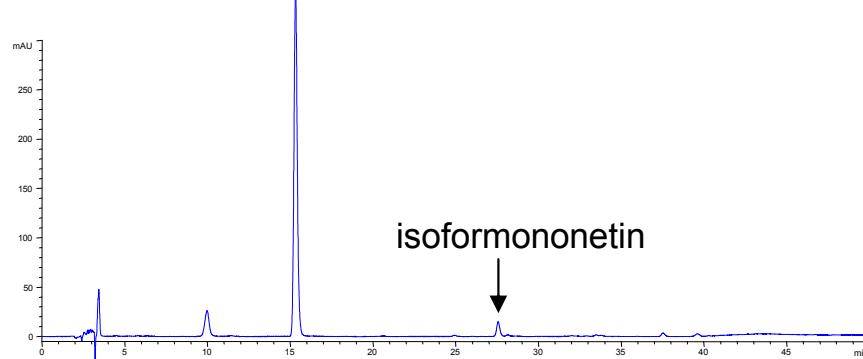
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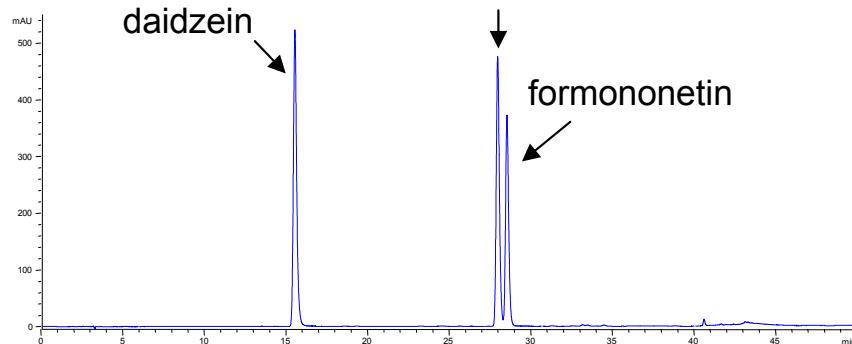
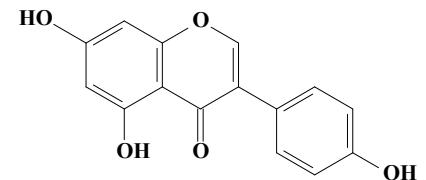
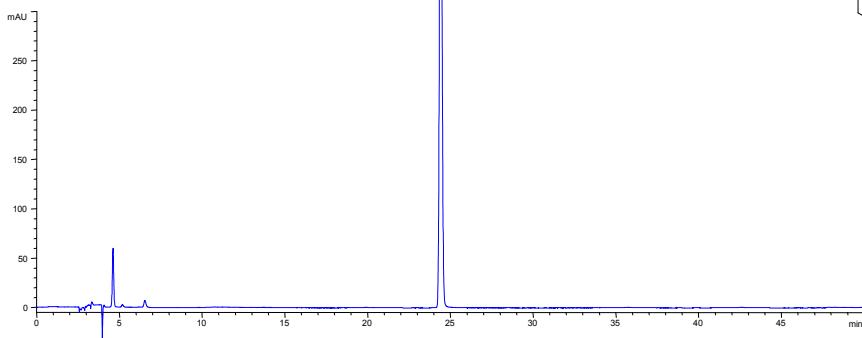


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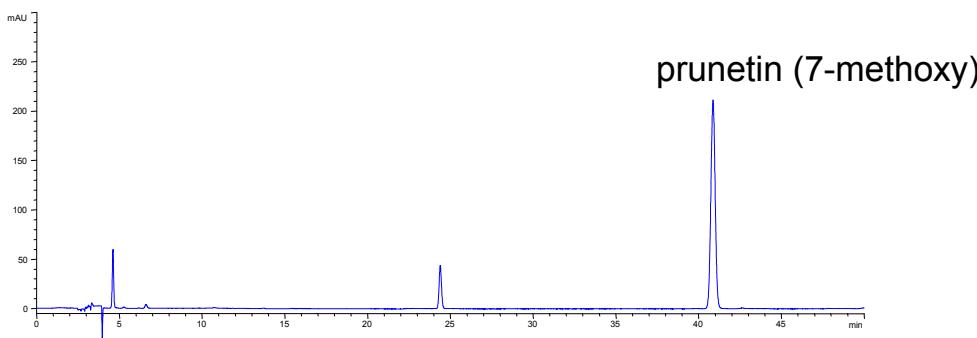
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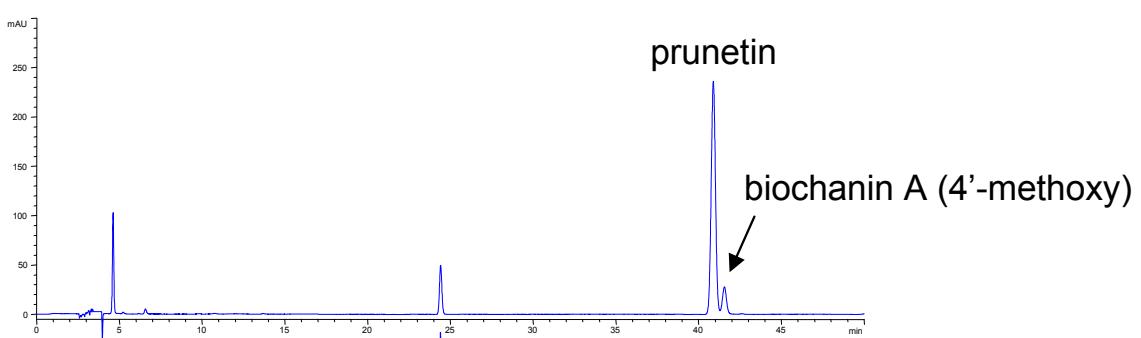
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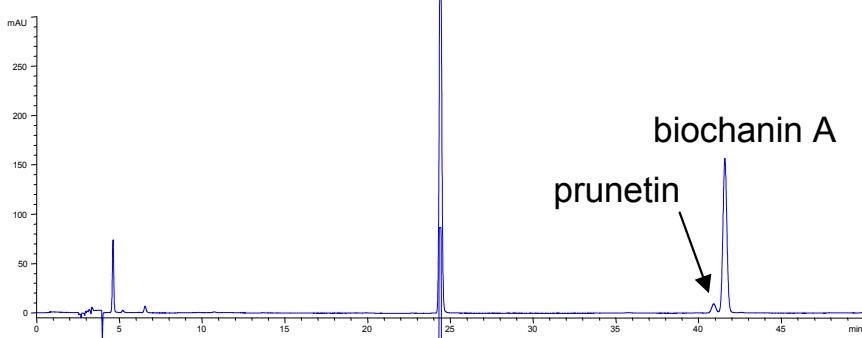
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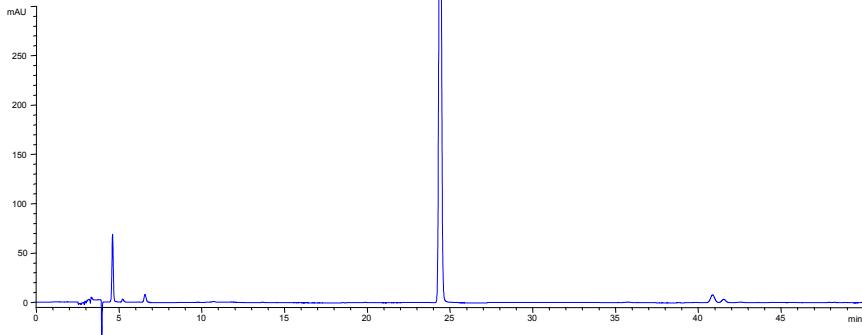
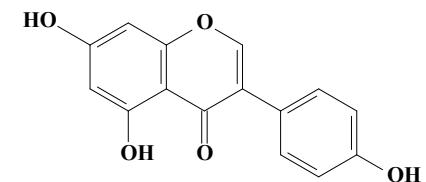
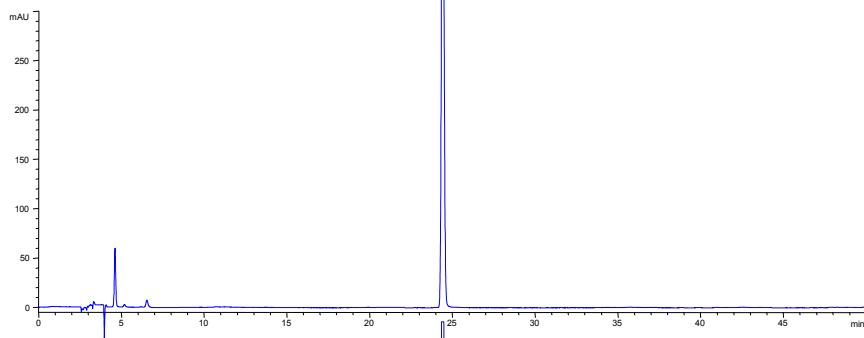


Figure S1(e). HPLC traces of reaction products with genistein

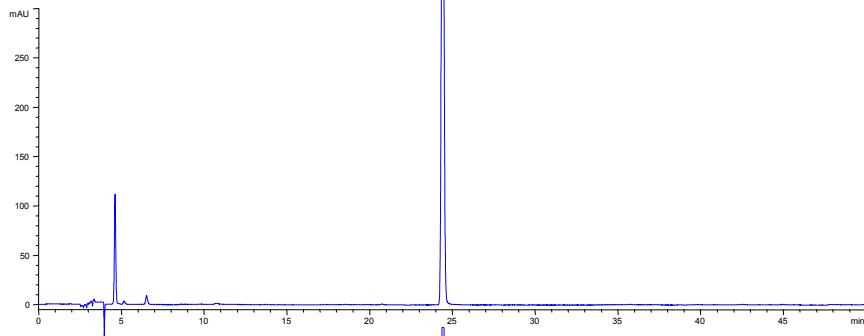
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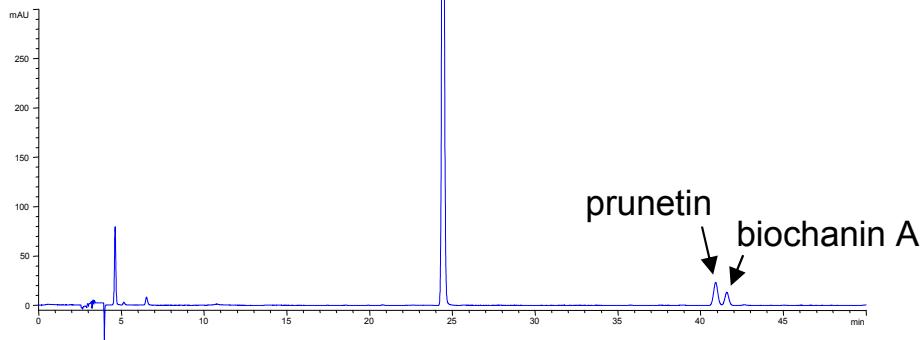
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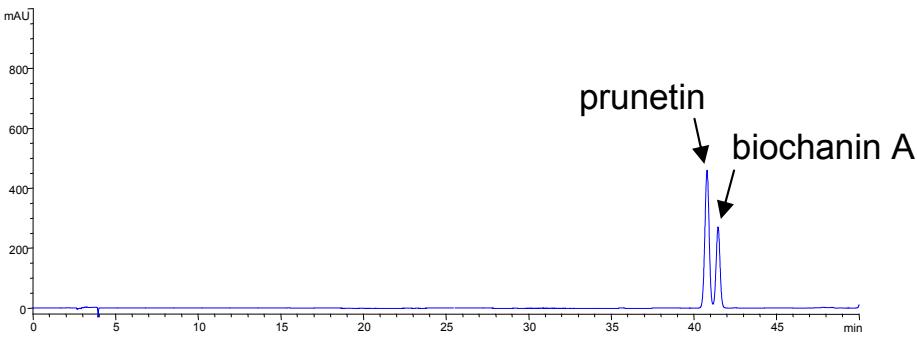
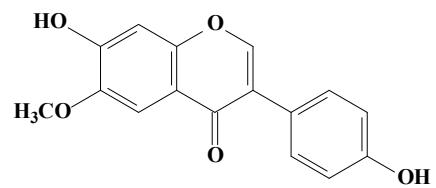
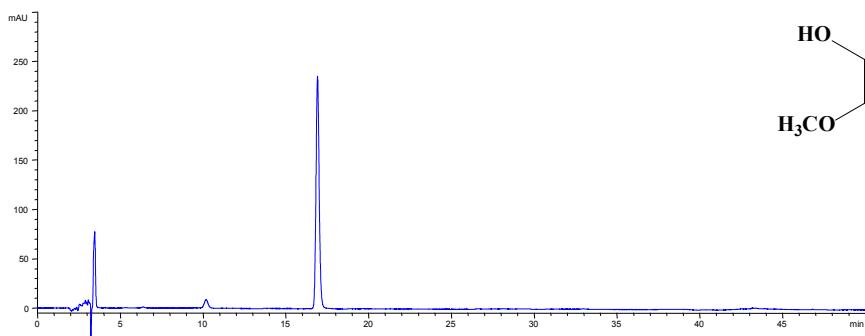


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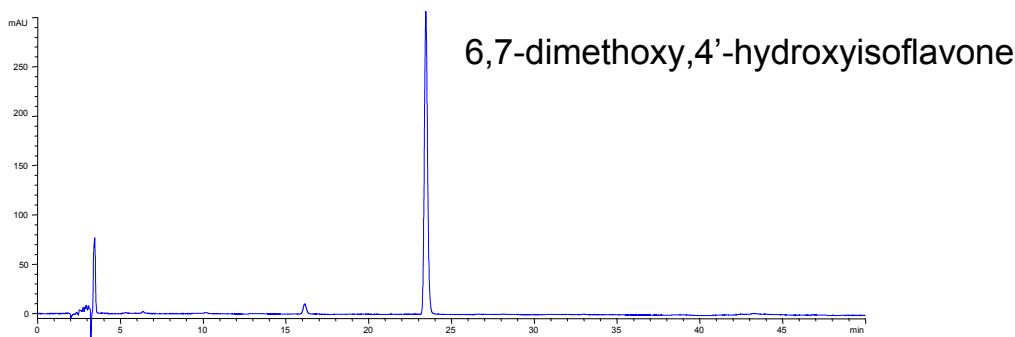
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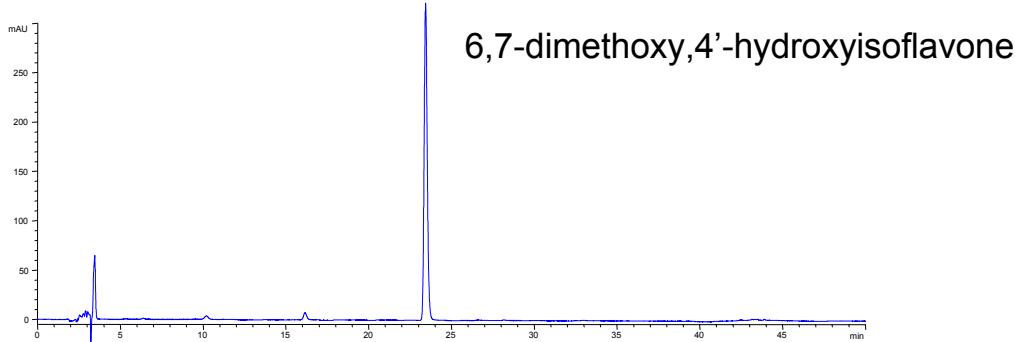
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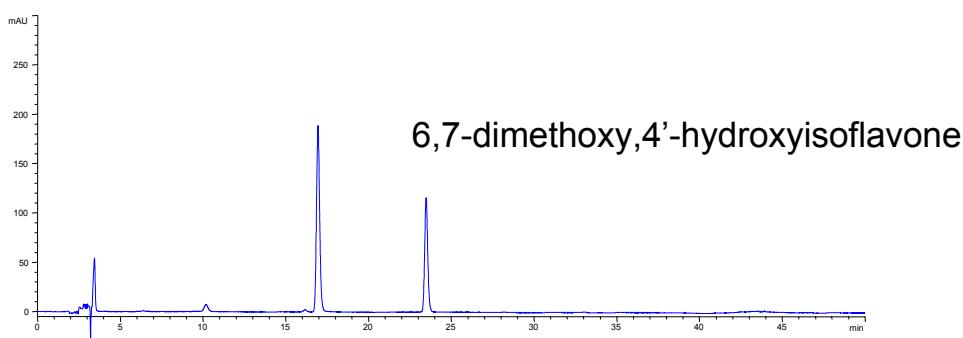
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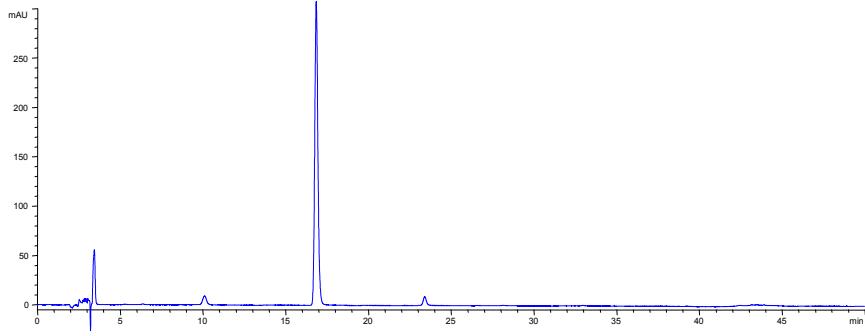
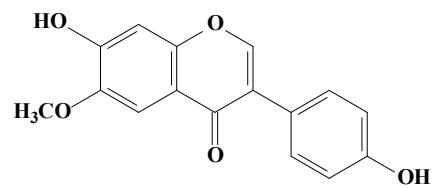
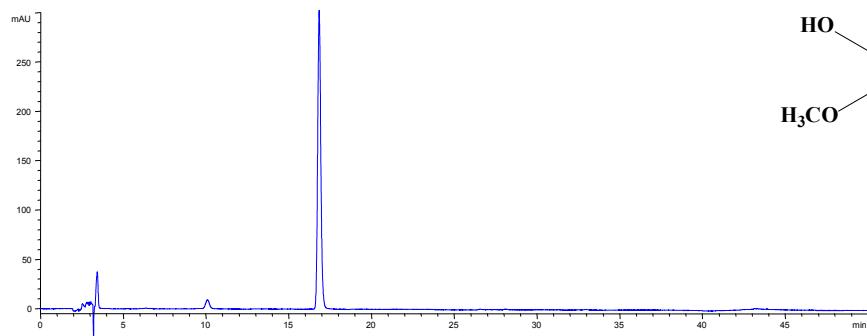


Figure S1(f). HPLC traces of reaction products with glycitein

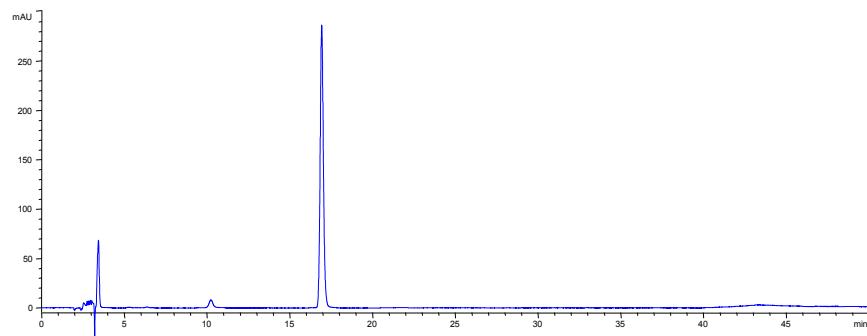
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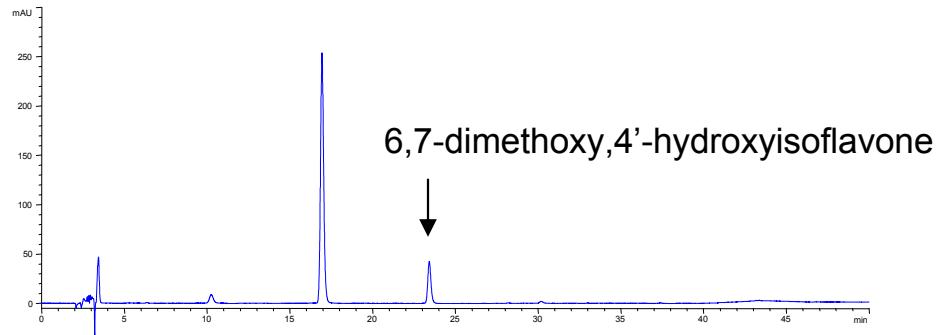
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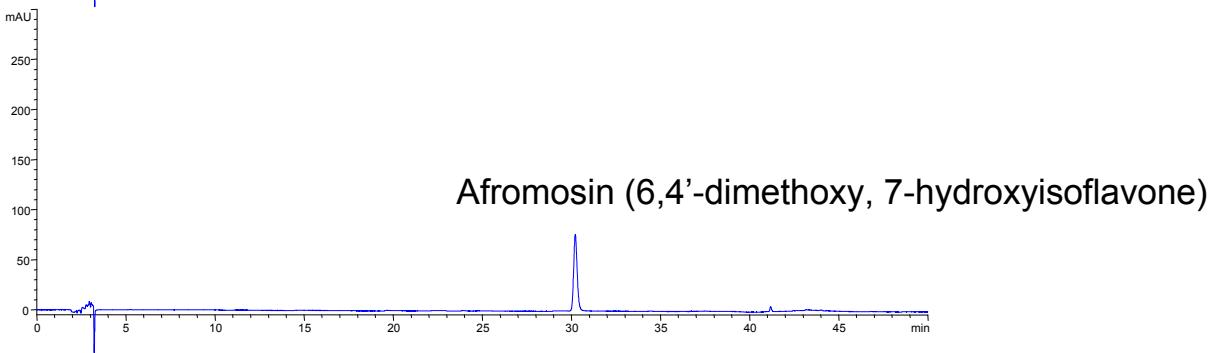
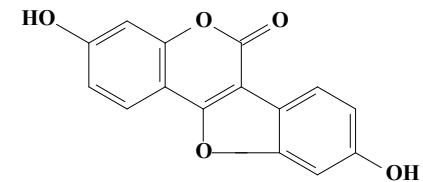
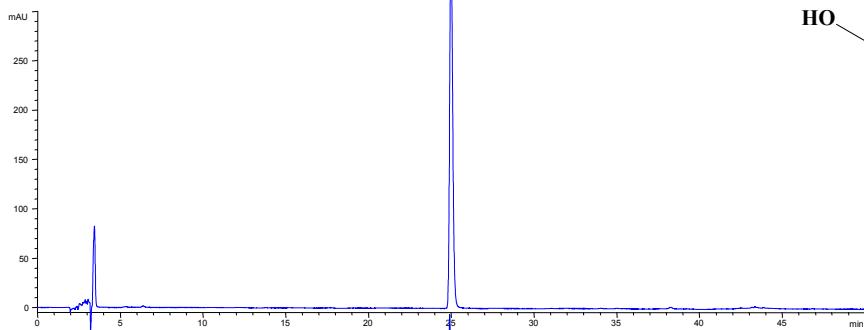


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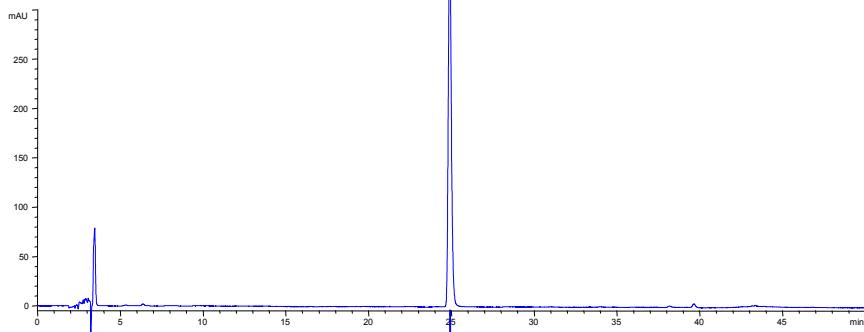
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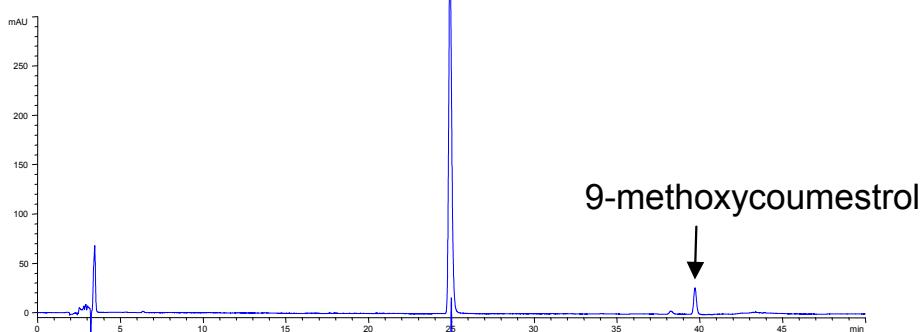
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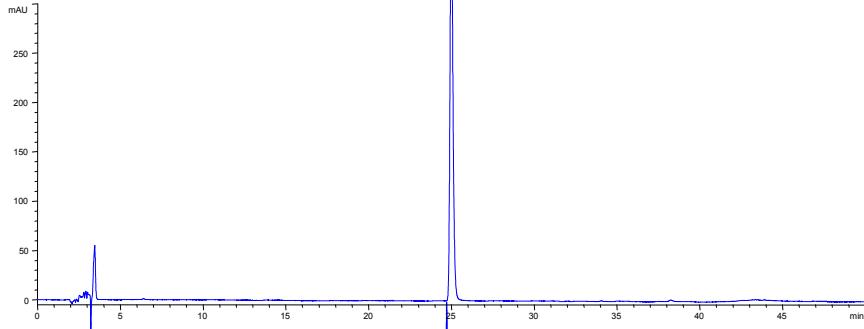
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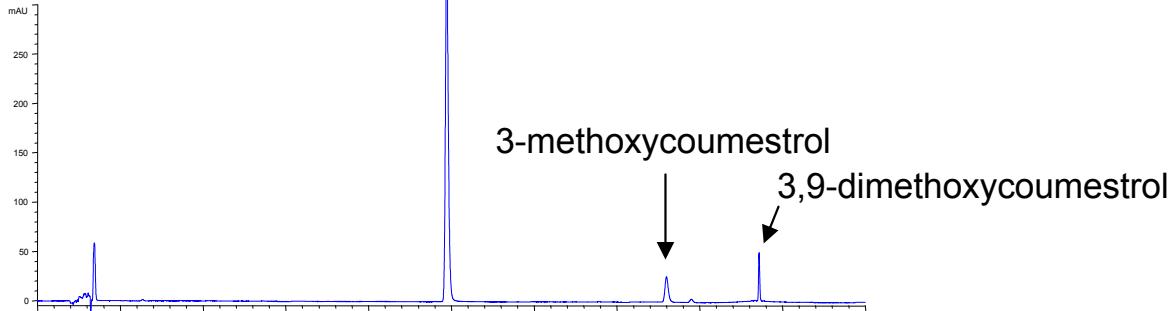
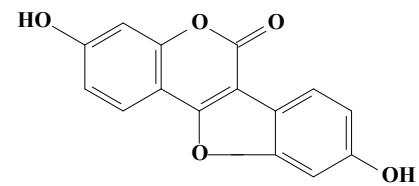
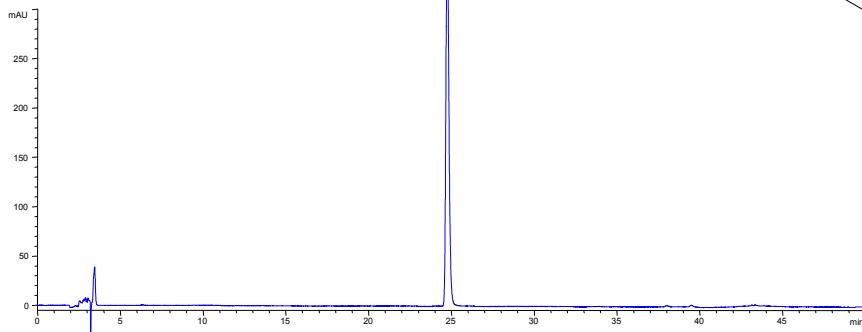


Figure S1(g). HPLC traces of reaction products with coumestrol

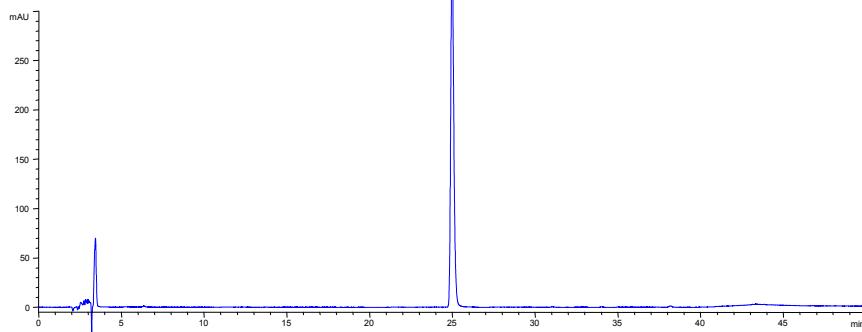
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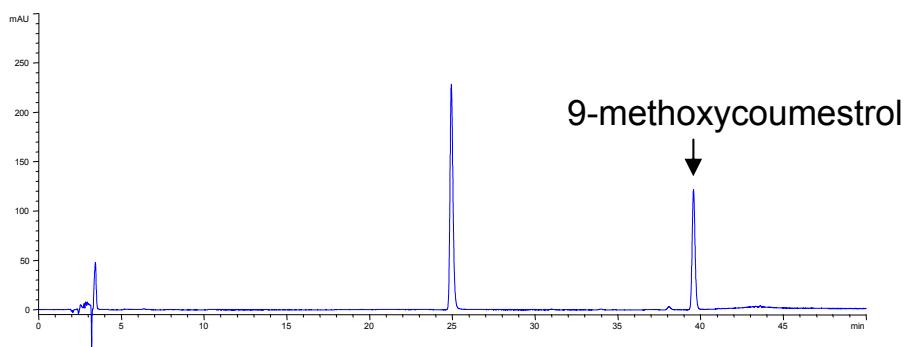
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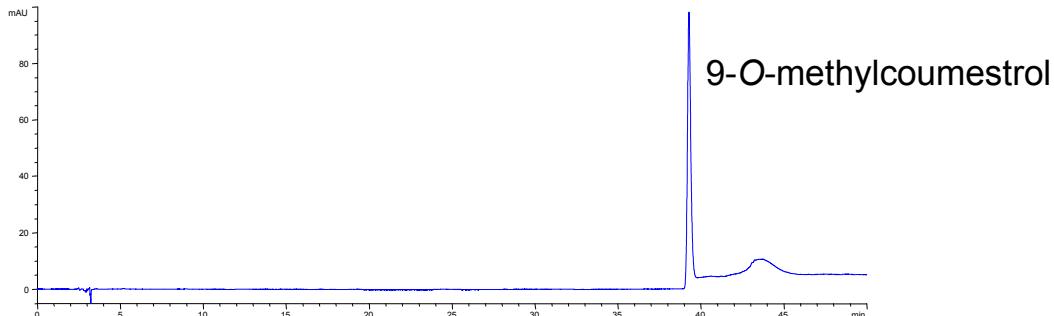
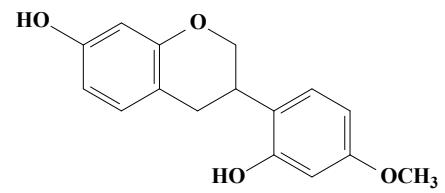
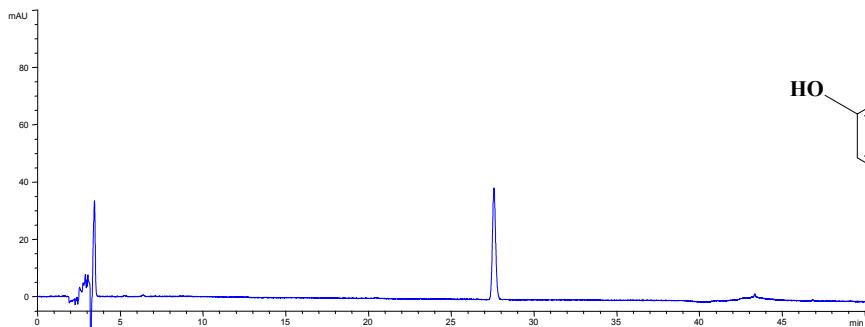


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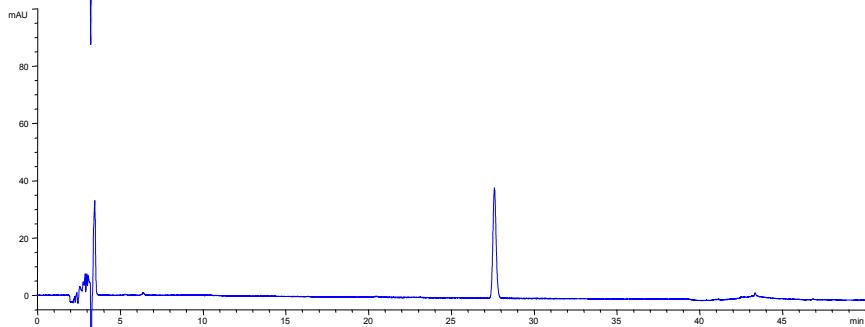
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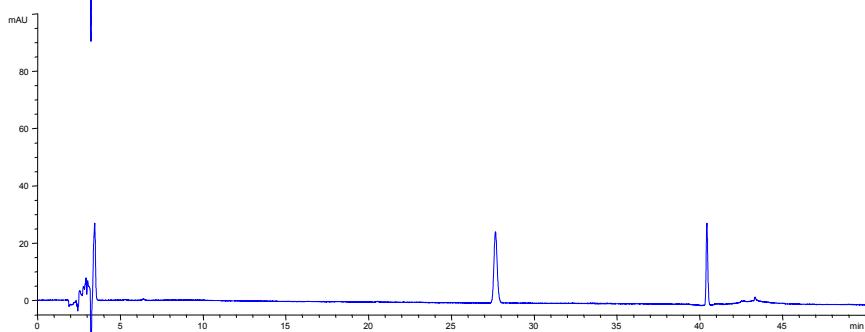
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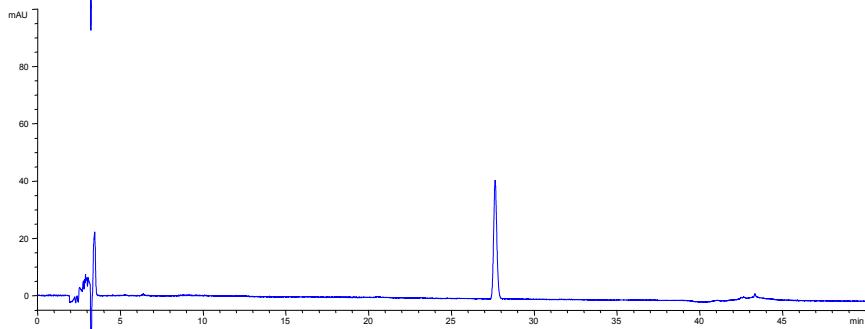
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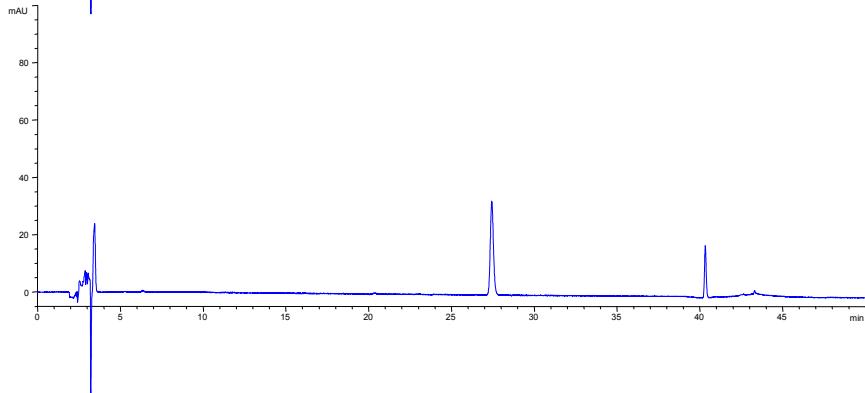


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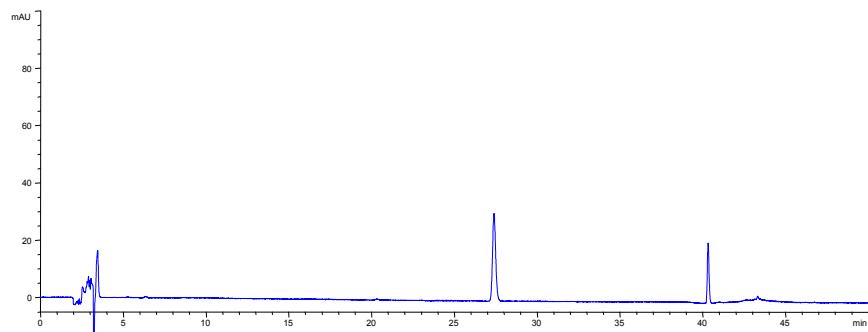
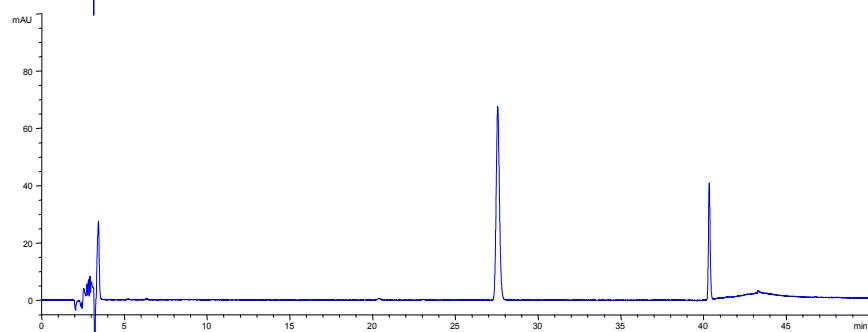
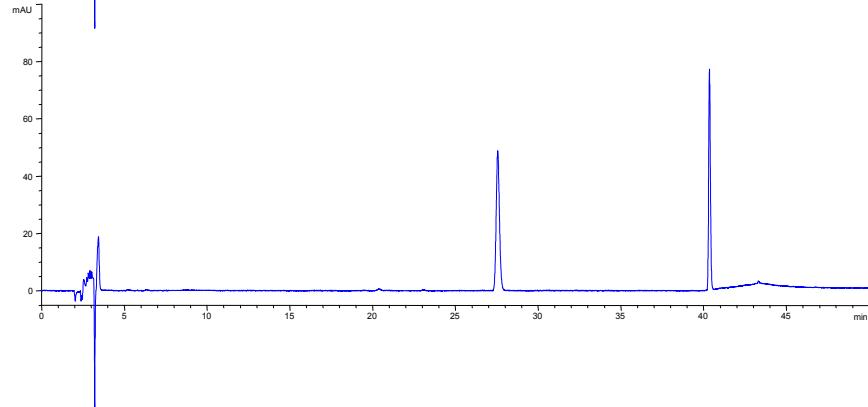
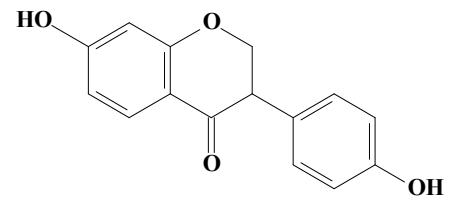
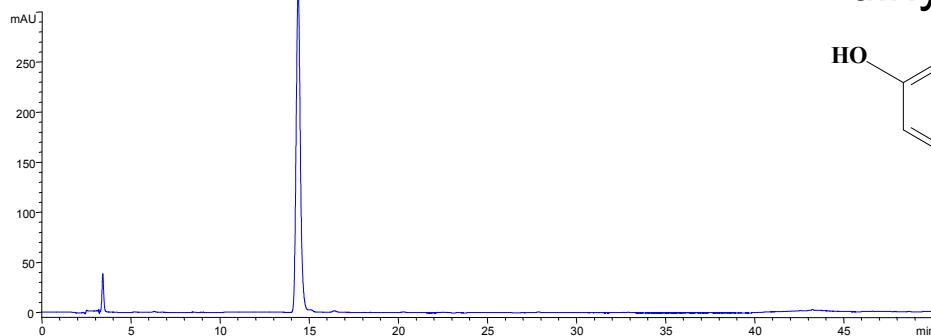
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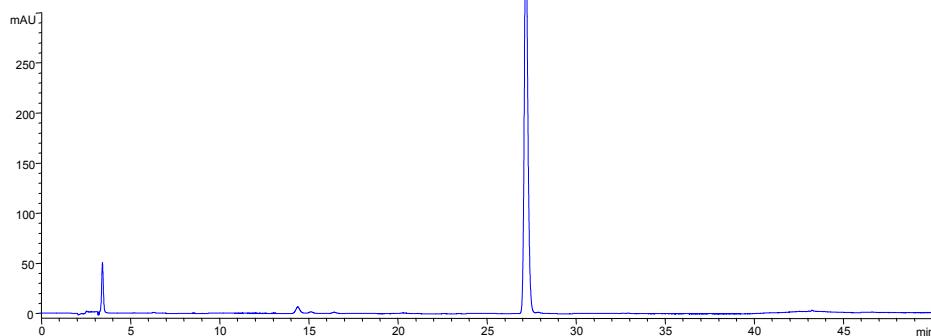
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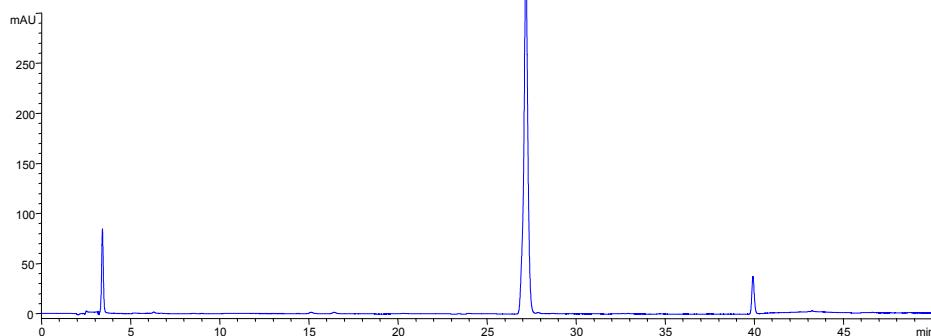
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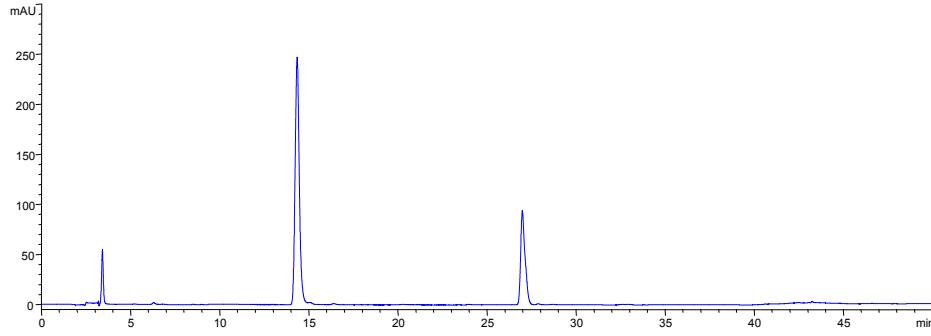
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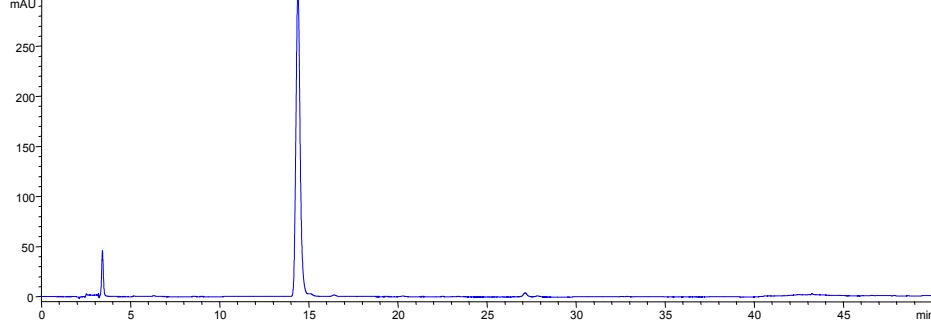


Figure S1(i). HPLC traces of reaction products with dihydrodaidzein

dihydrodaidzein

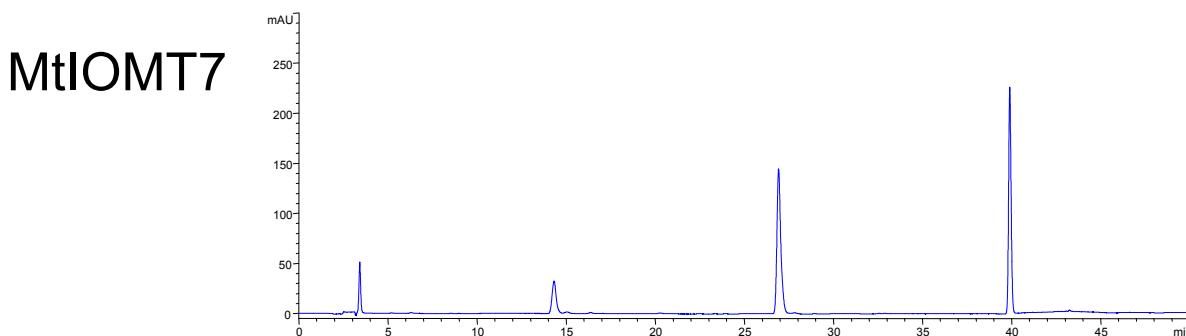
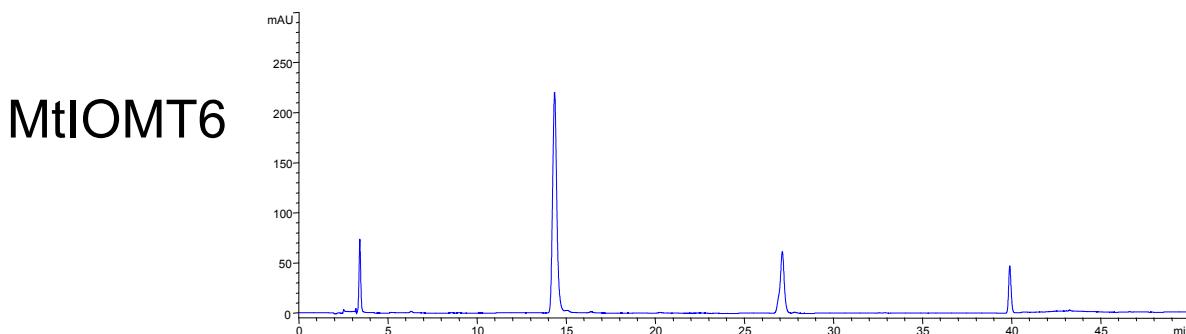
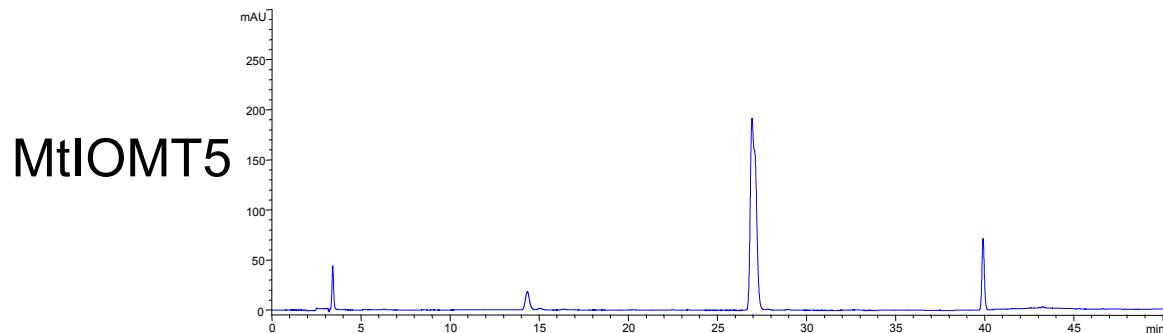
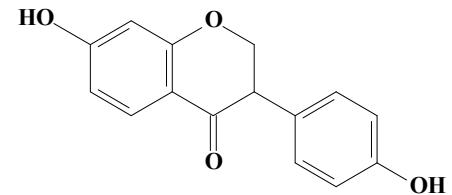
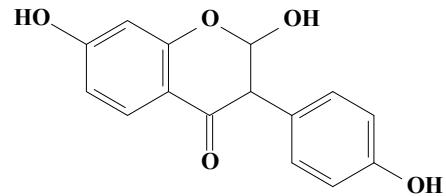
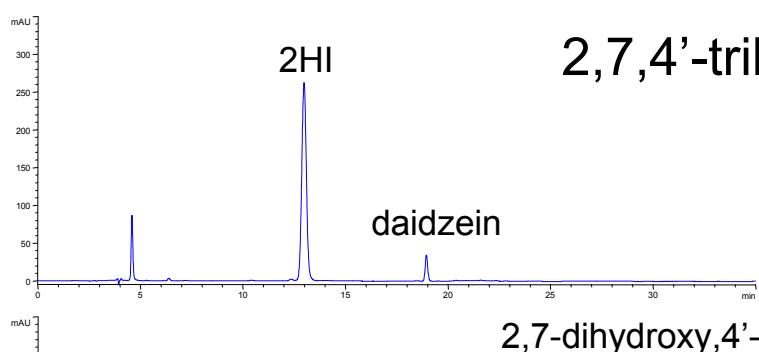


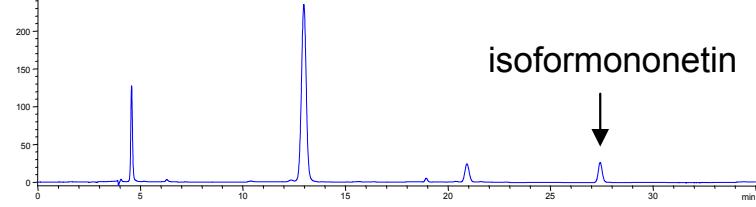
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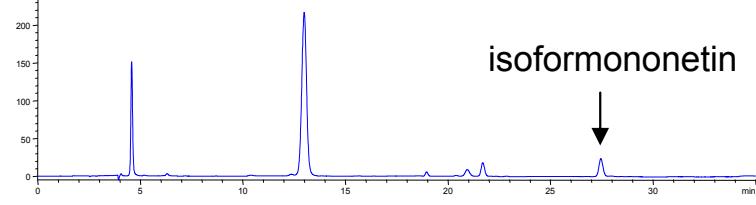
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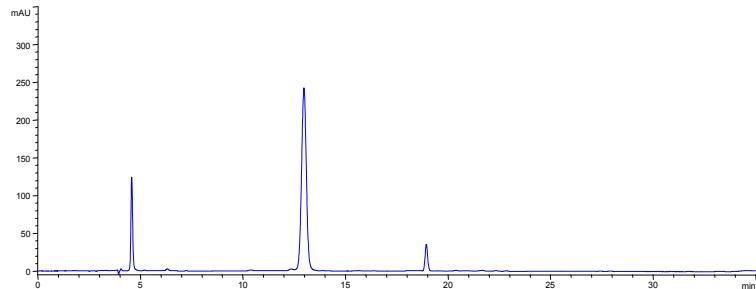
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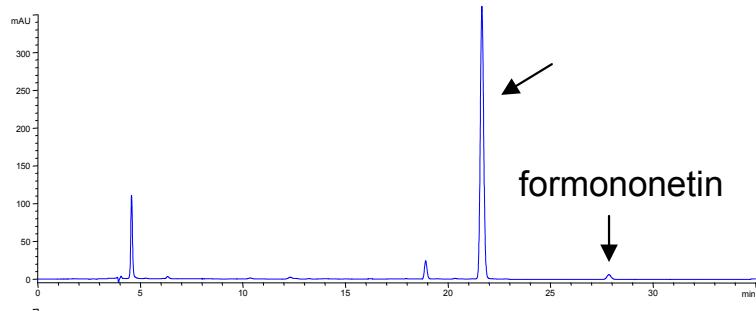
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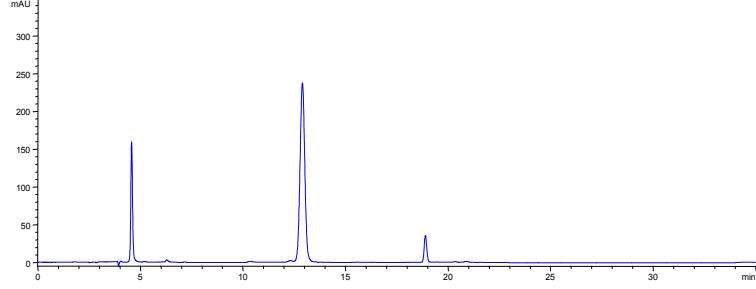
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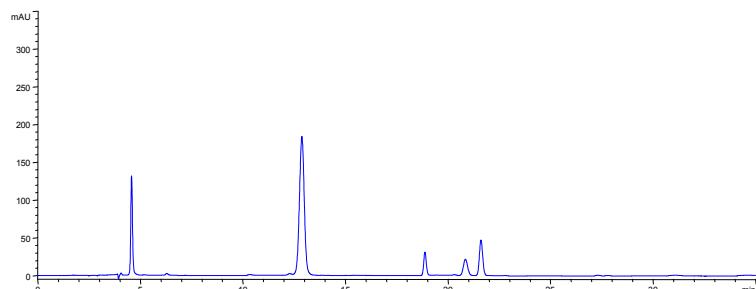
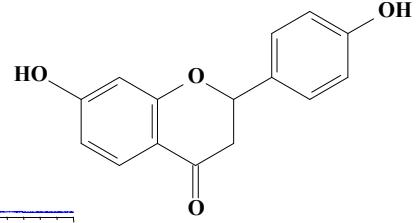
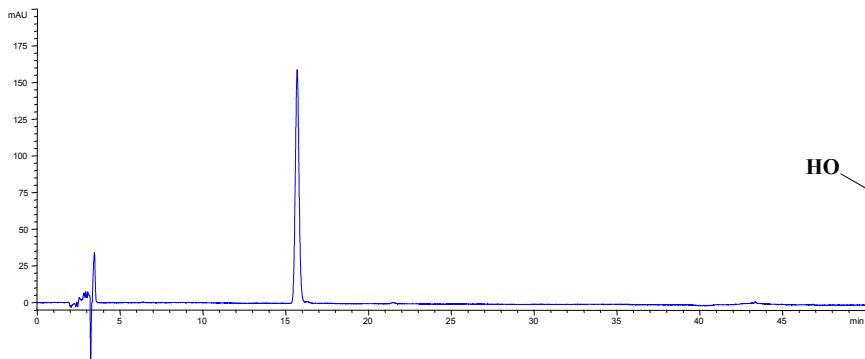


Figure S1(j). HPLC traces of reaction products with 2,7,4'-trihydroxyisoflavanone

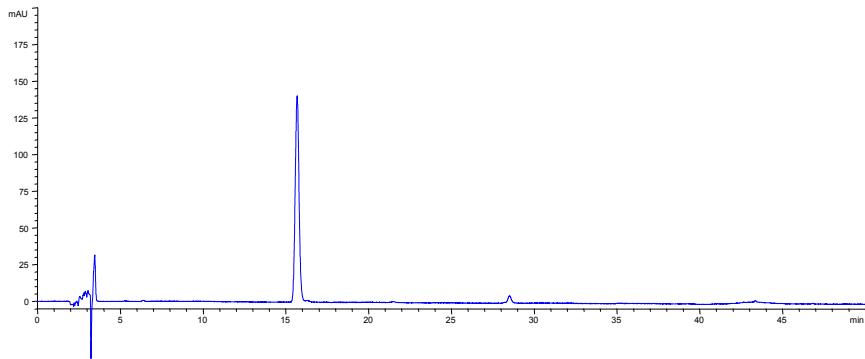
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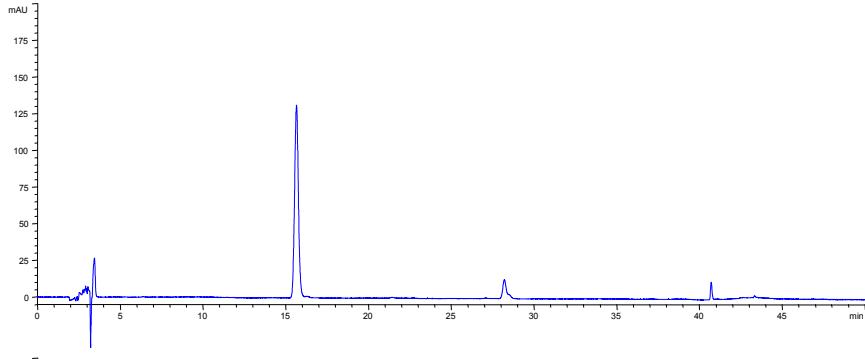
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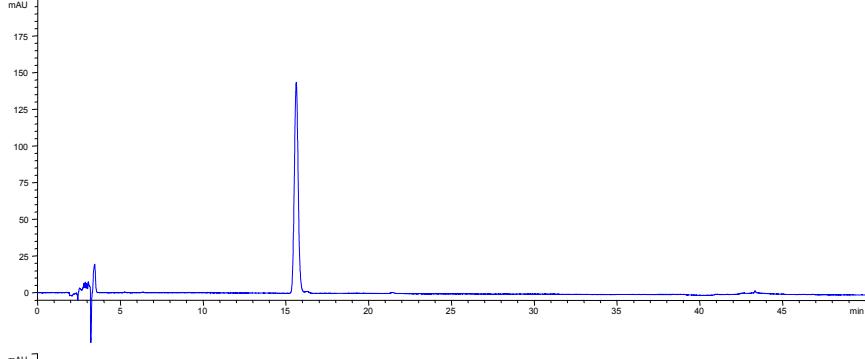
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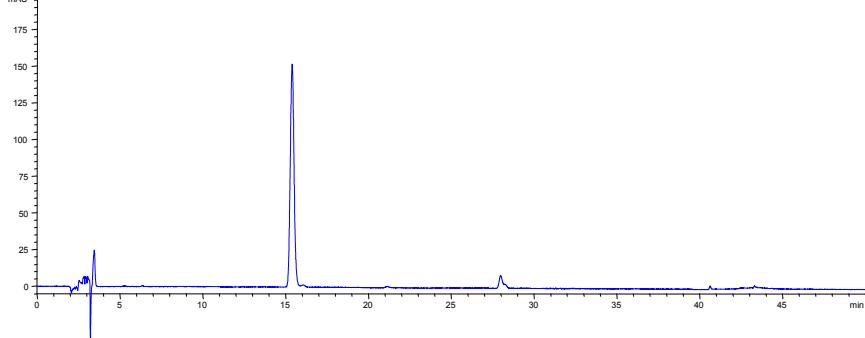
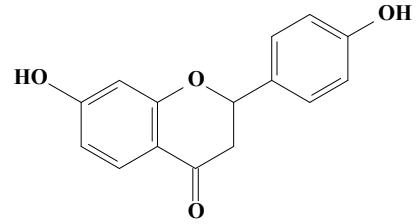
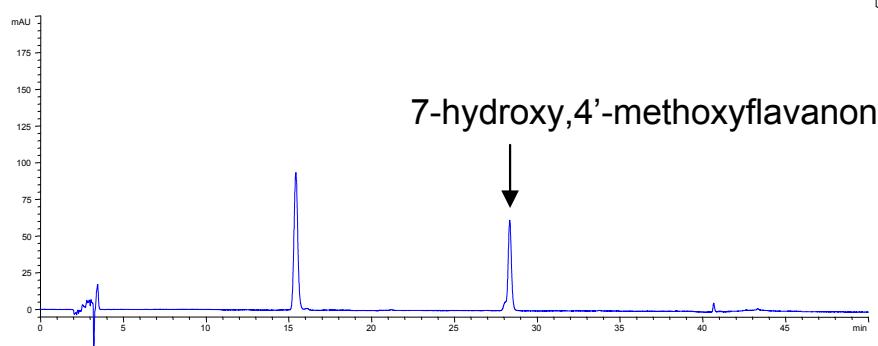


Figure S1(k). HPLC traces of reaction products with liquiritigenin

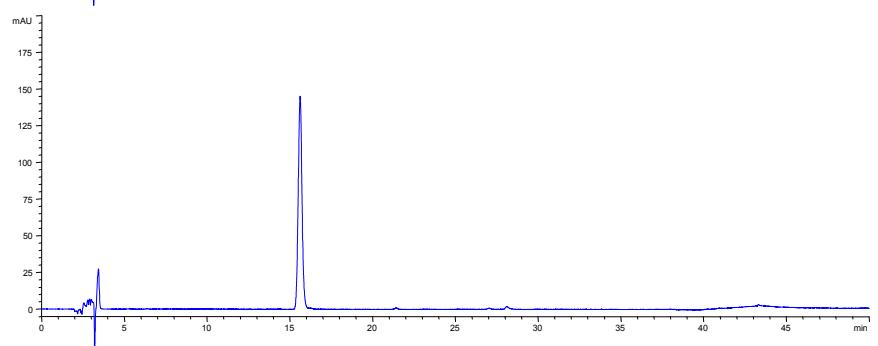
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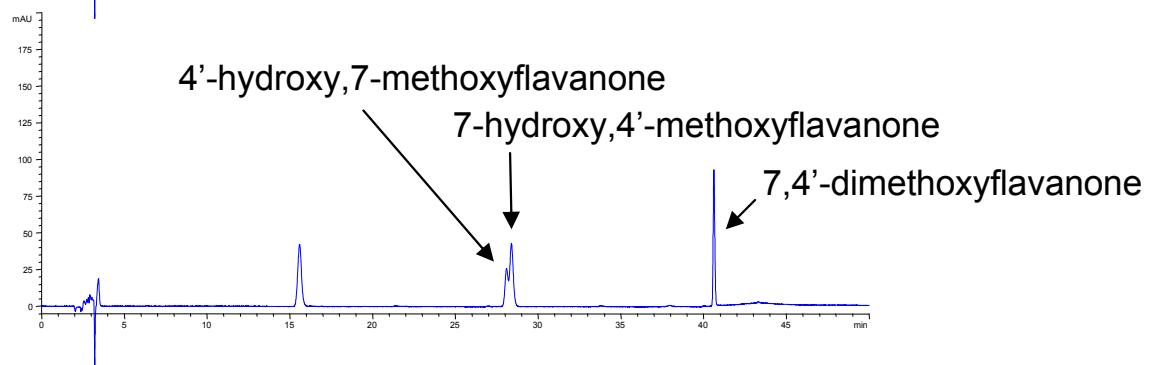
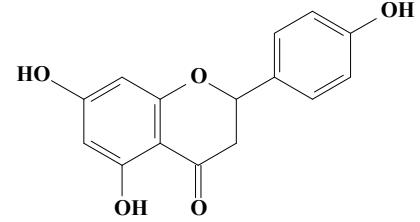
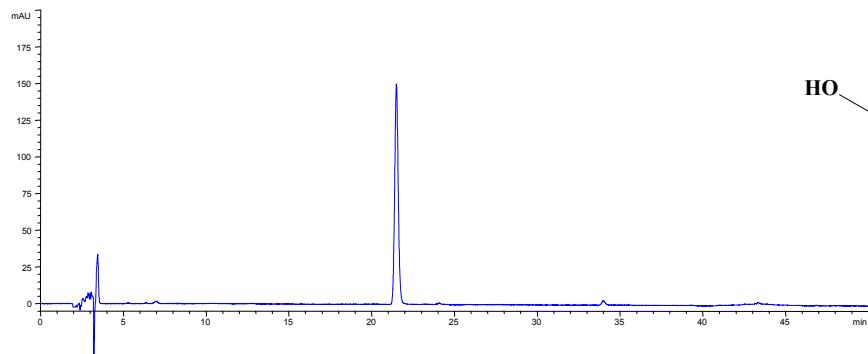


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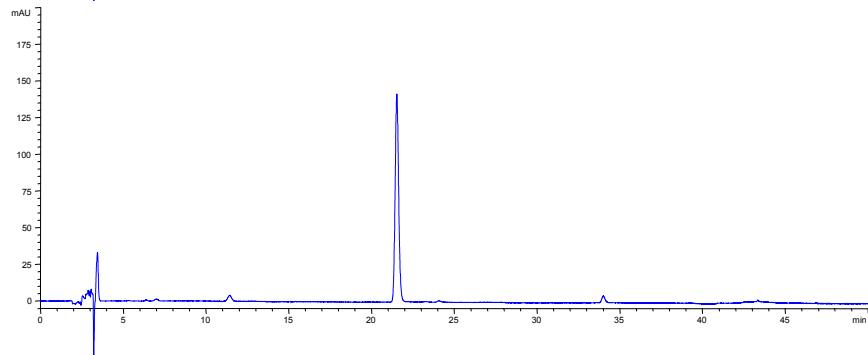
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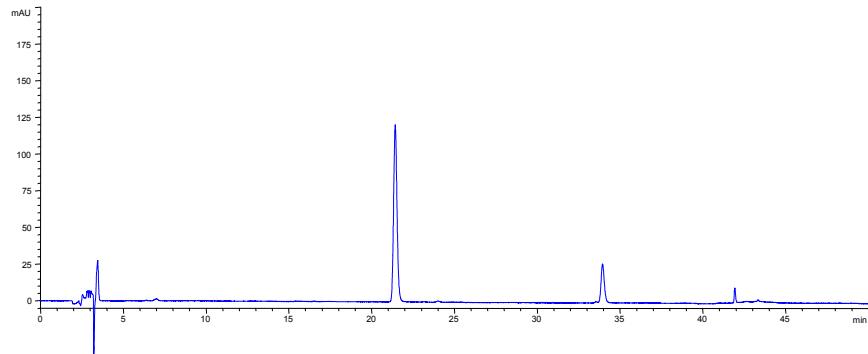
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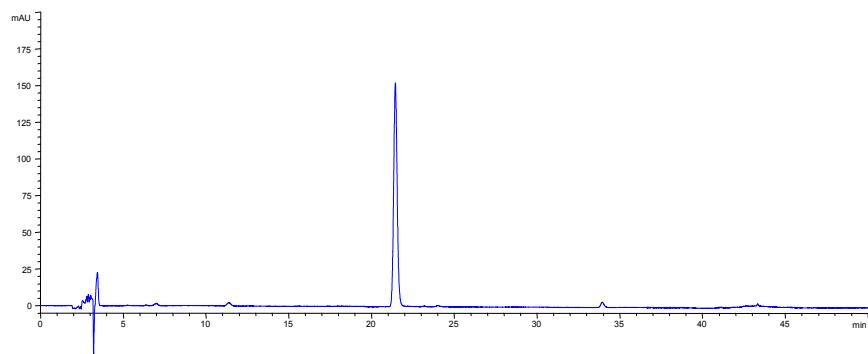
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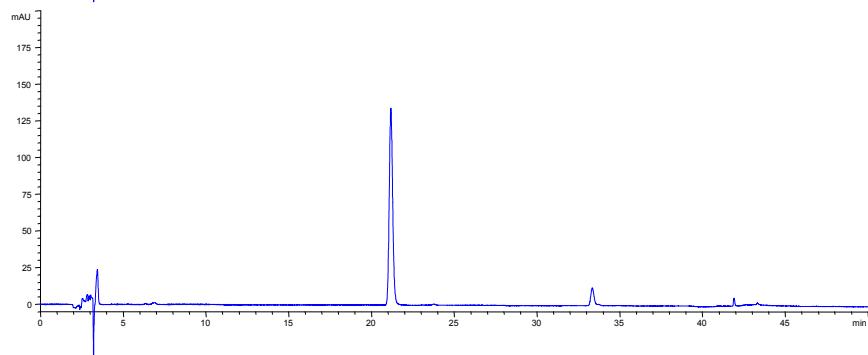
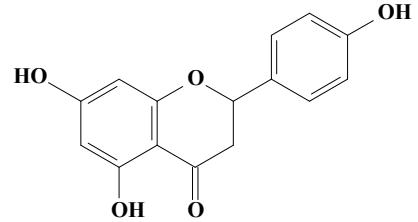
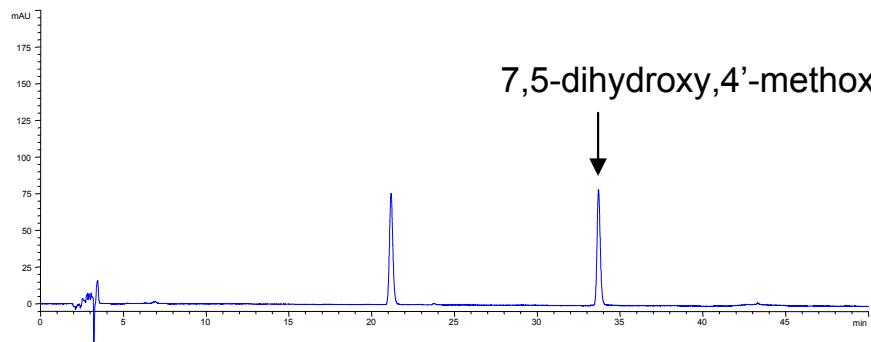


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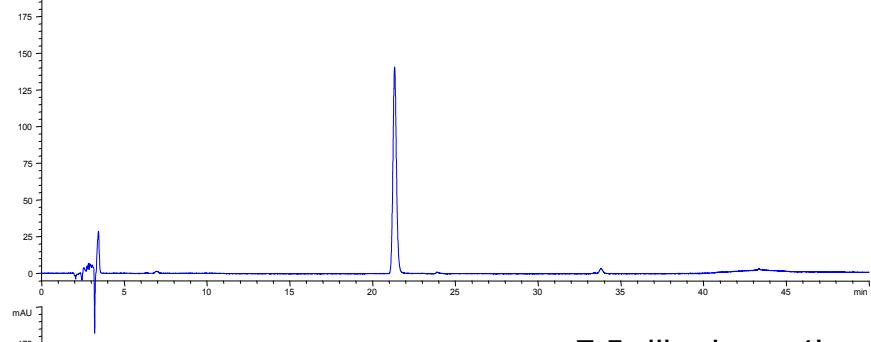
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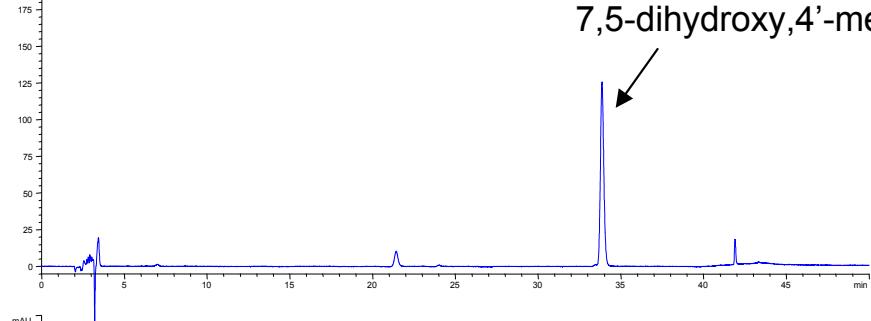
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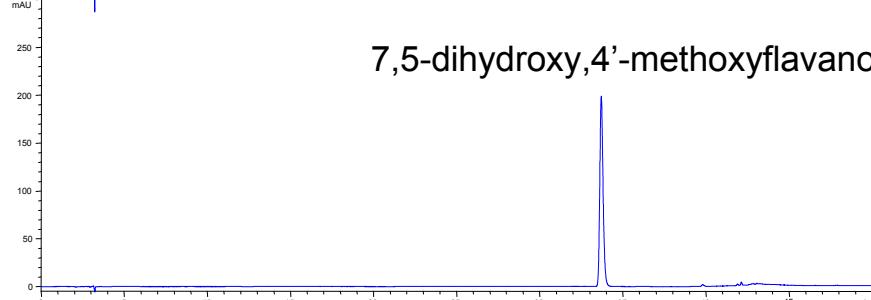
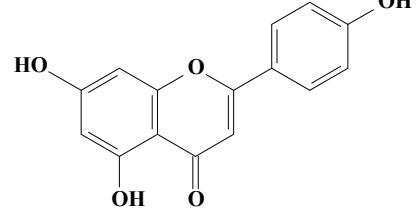
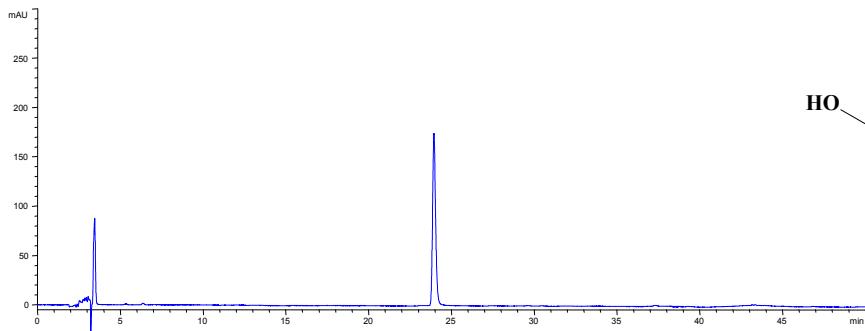


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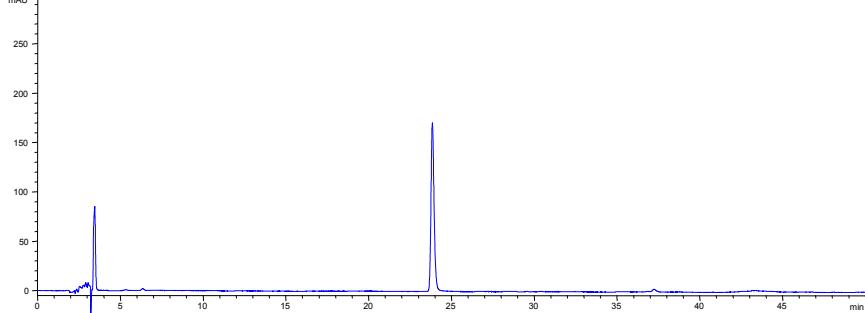
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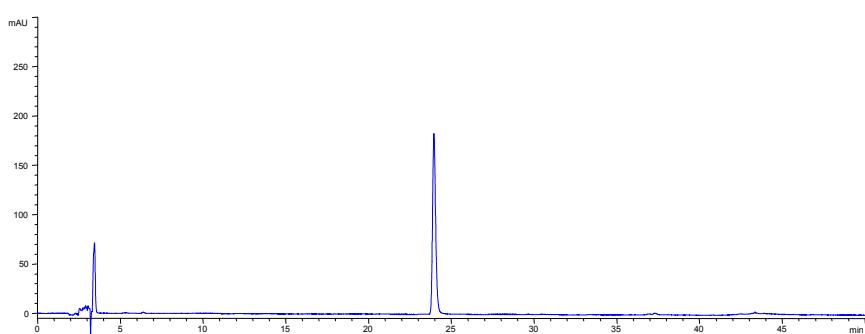
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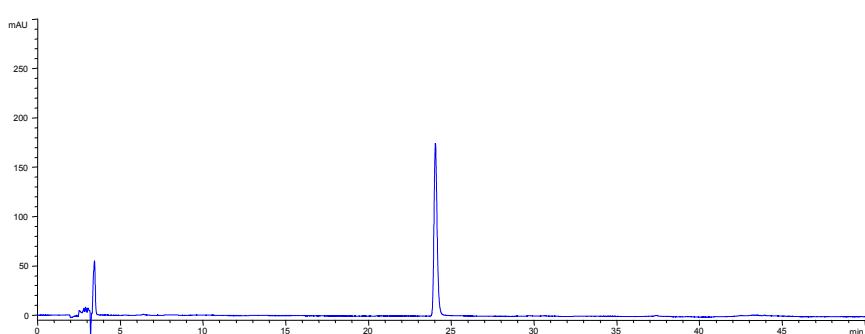
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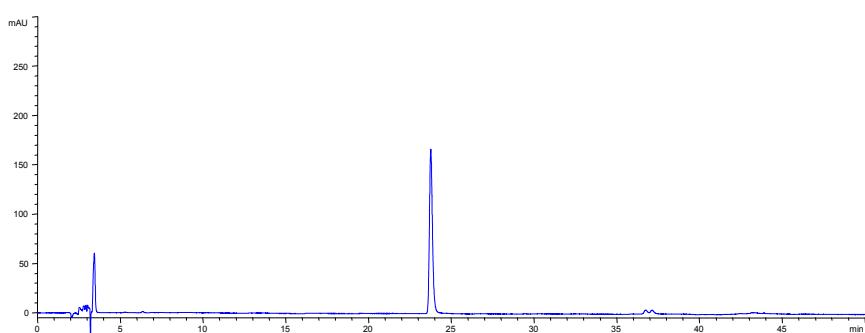
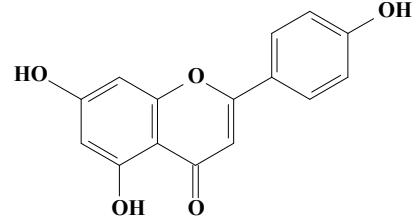
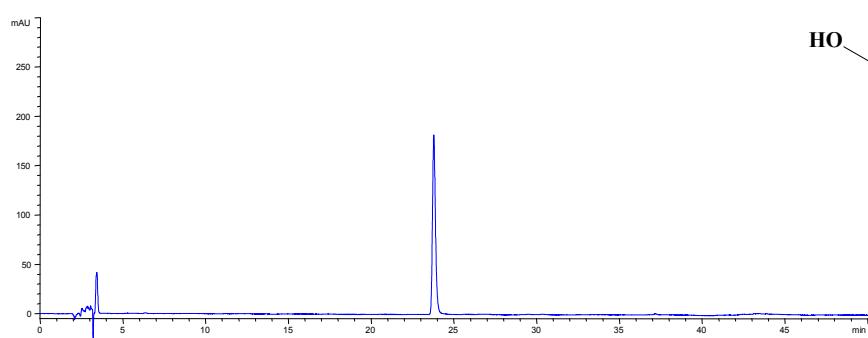


Figure S1(m). HPLC traces of reaction products with apigenin

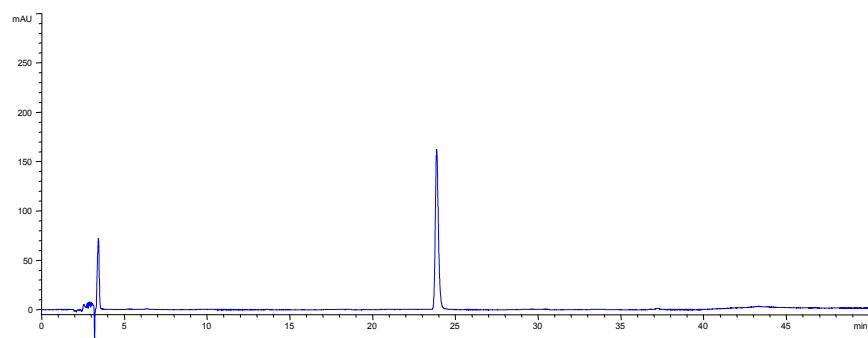
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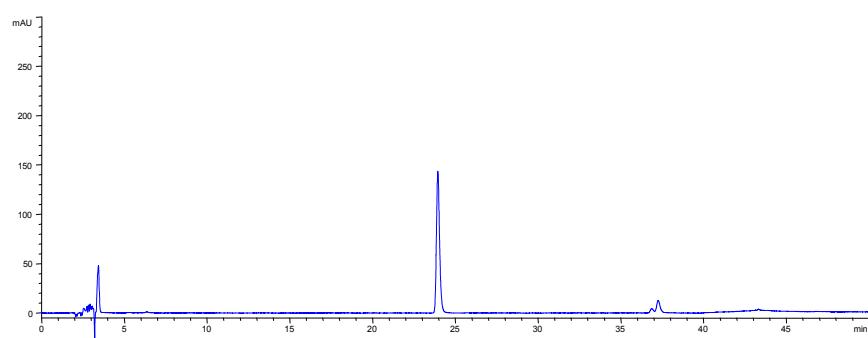
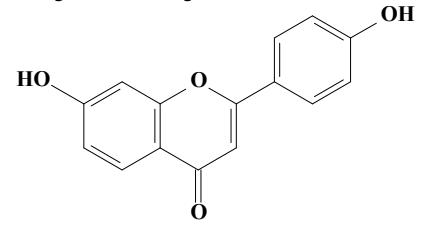
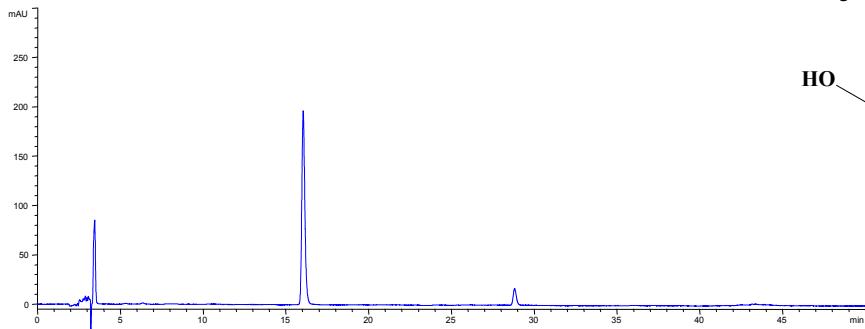


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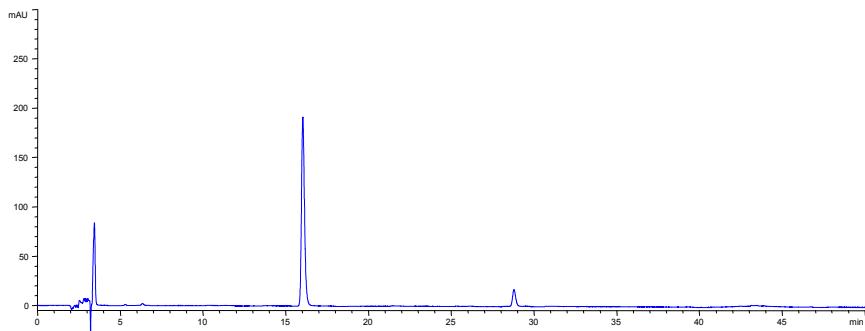
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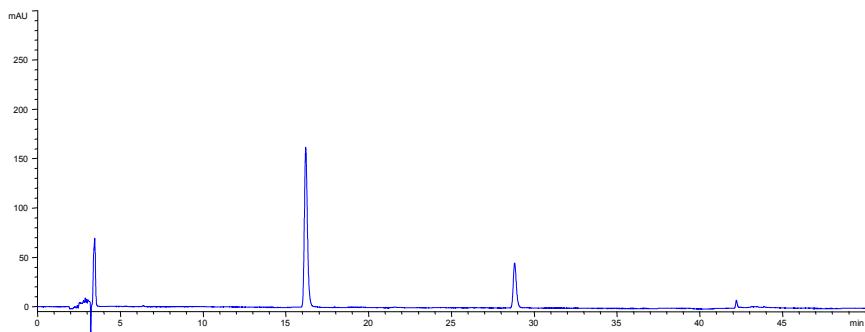
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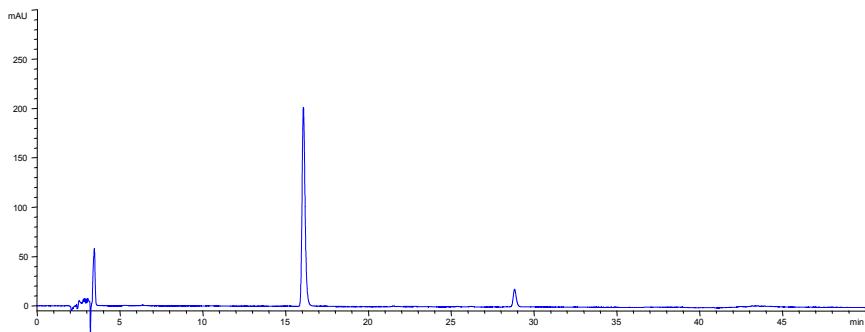
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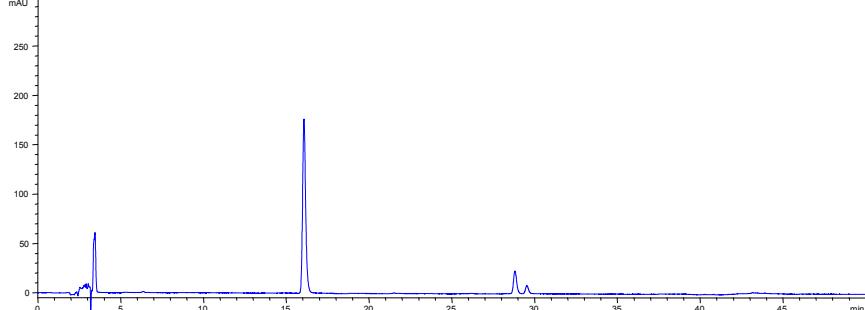
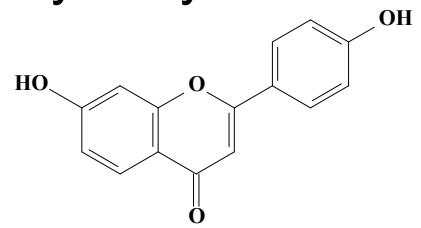
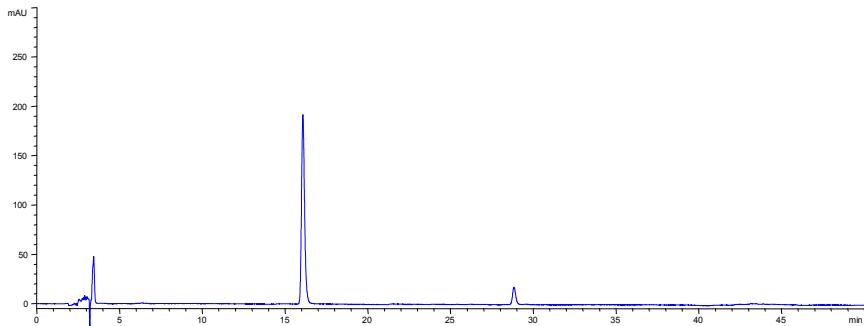


Figure S1(n). HPLC traces of reaction products with 7,4'-dihydroxyflavone

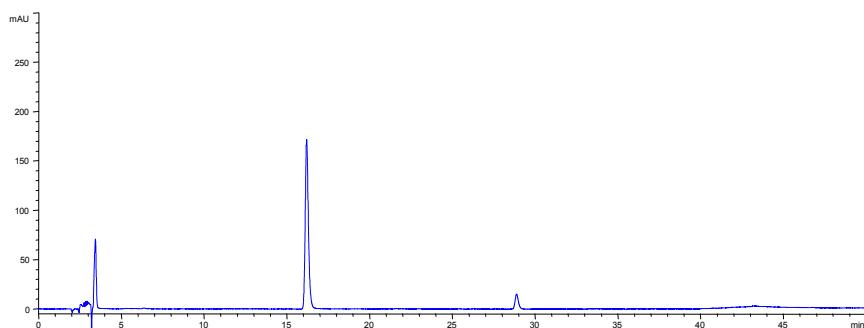
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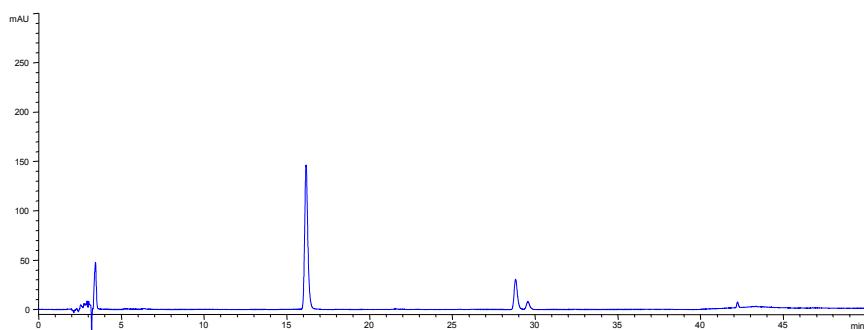


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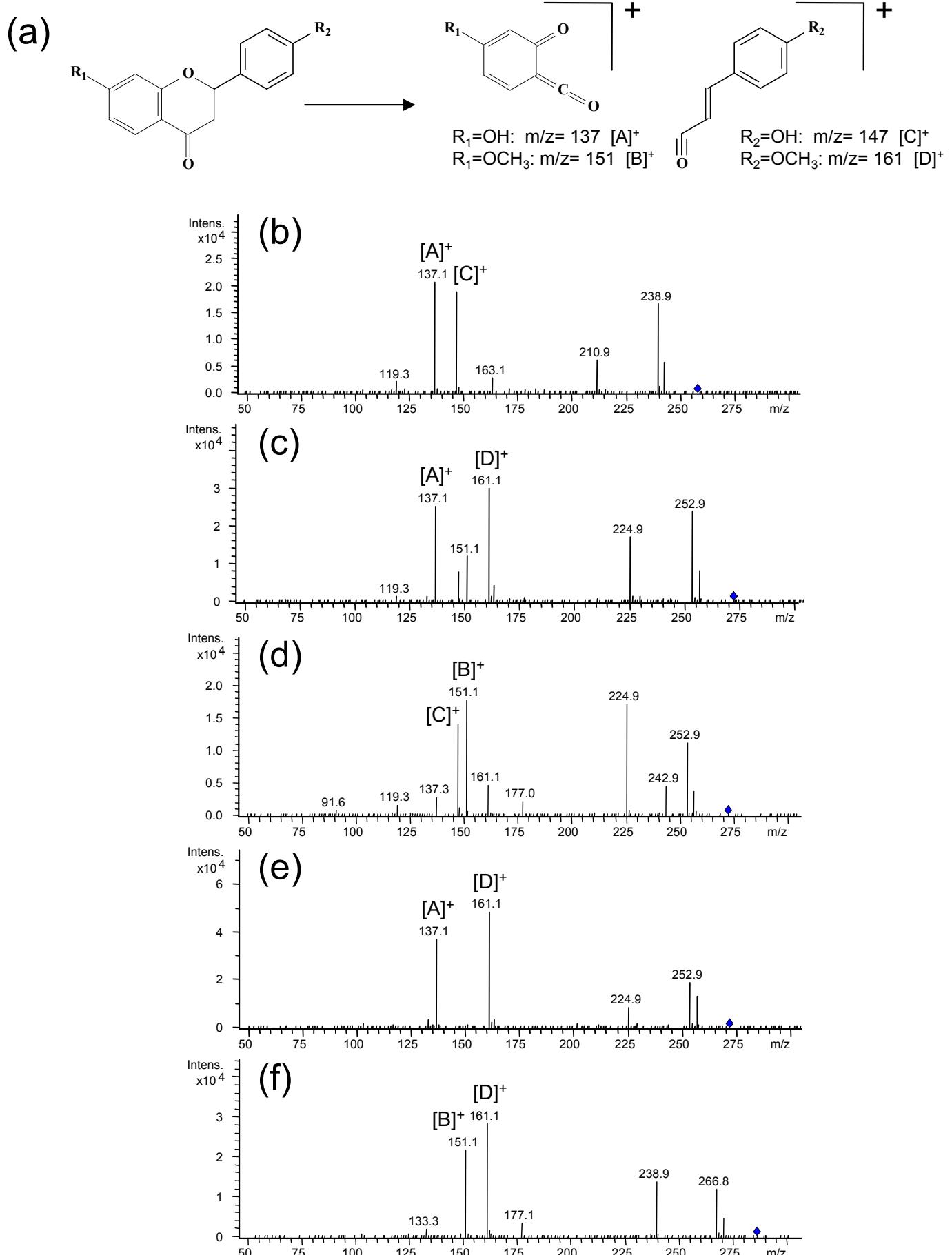


Figure S2. Positive ion LC/ESI/MSMS spectra of liquiritigenin reaction products. (a) Proposed fragmentation scheme. (b) Liquiritigenin, precursor ion is m/z 257. (c) MtIOMT5 methylated product, precursor ion is m/z 271. (d)-(f) MtIOMT7 methylated products, precursor ion is m/z 271 (d,e) or m/z 285 (f).

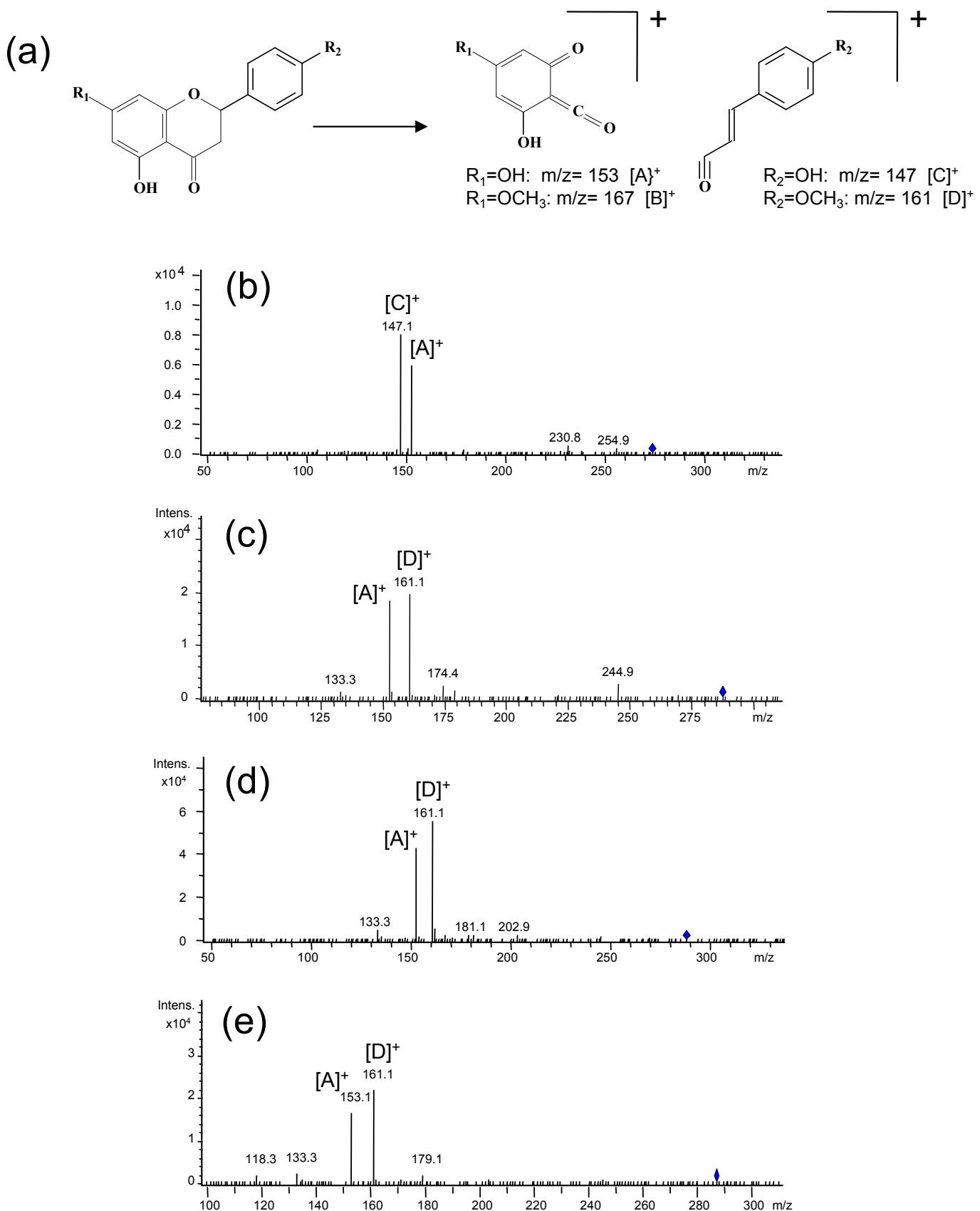


Figure S3. Positive ion LC/ESI/MSMS spectra of naringenin reaction products. (a) Proposed fragmentation scheme. (b) Naringenin, precursor ion is m/z 273. (c) MtIOMT5 methylated product, precursor ion is 287. (d) MtIOMT7 methylated product, precursor ion is 287. (e) 5,7-Dihydroxy, 4'-methoxyflavanone standard, precursor ion is 287.

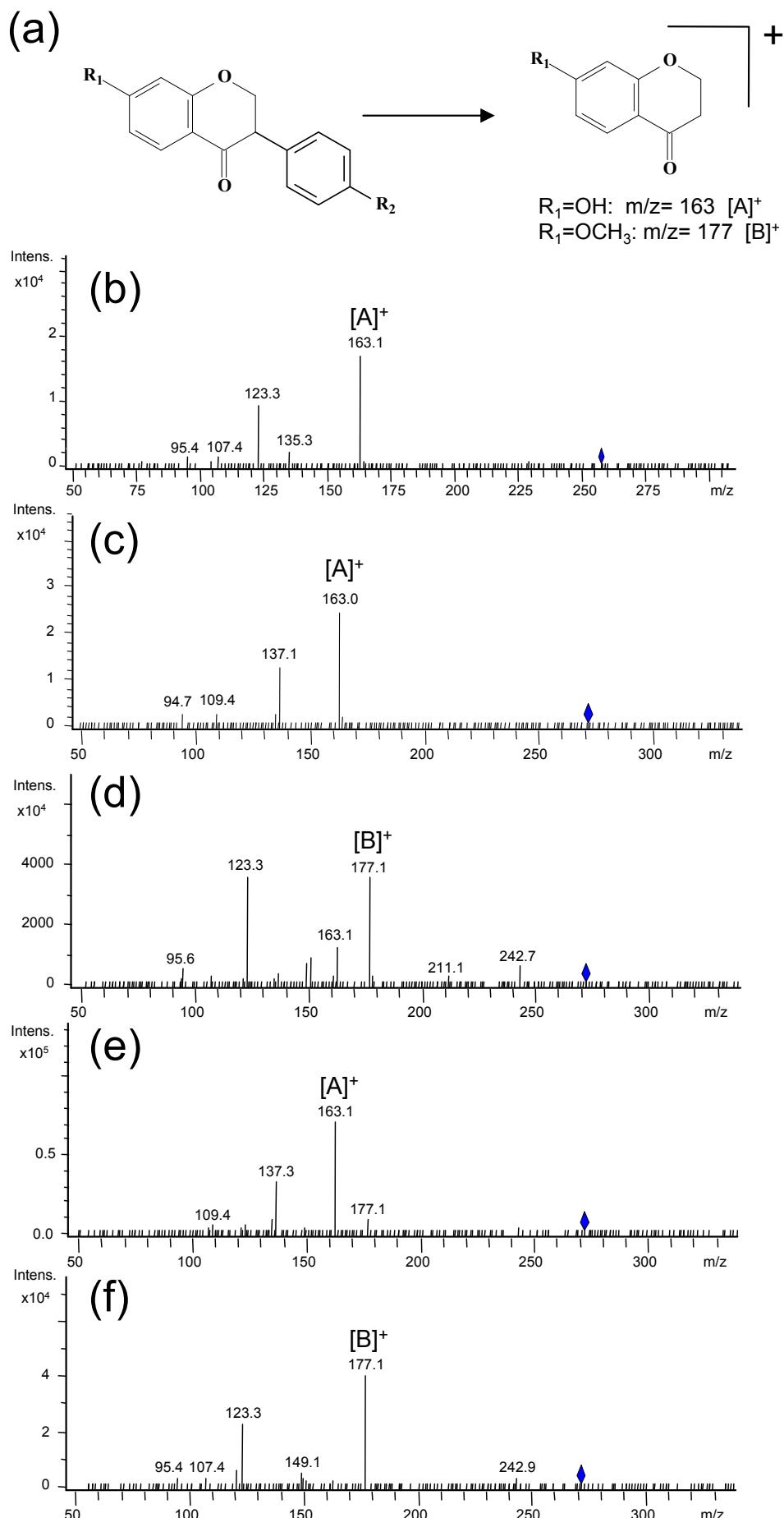


Figure S4. Positive ion LC/ESI/MSMS spectra of dihydrodaidzein reaction products. (a) Proposed fragmentation scheme. (b) Dihydrodaidzein, precursor ion is m/z 257. (c)-(d) MtlOMT5 methylated products, precursor ion is m/z 271. (e)-(f) MtlOMT7 methylated products precursor ion is m/z 271.

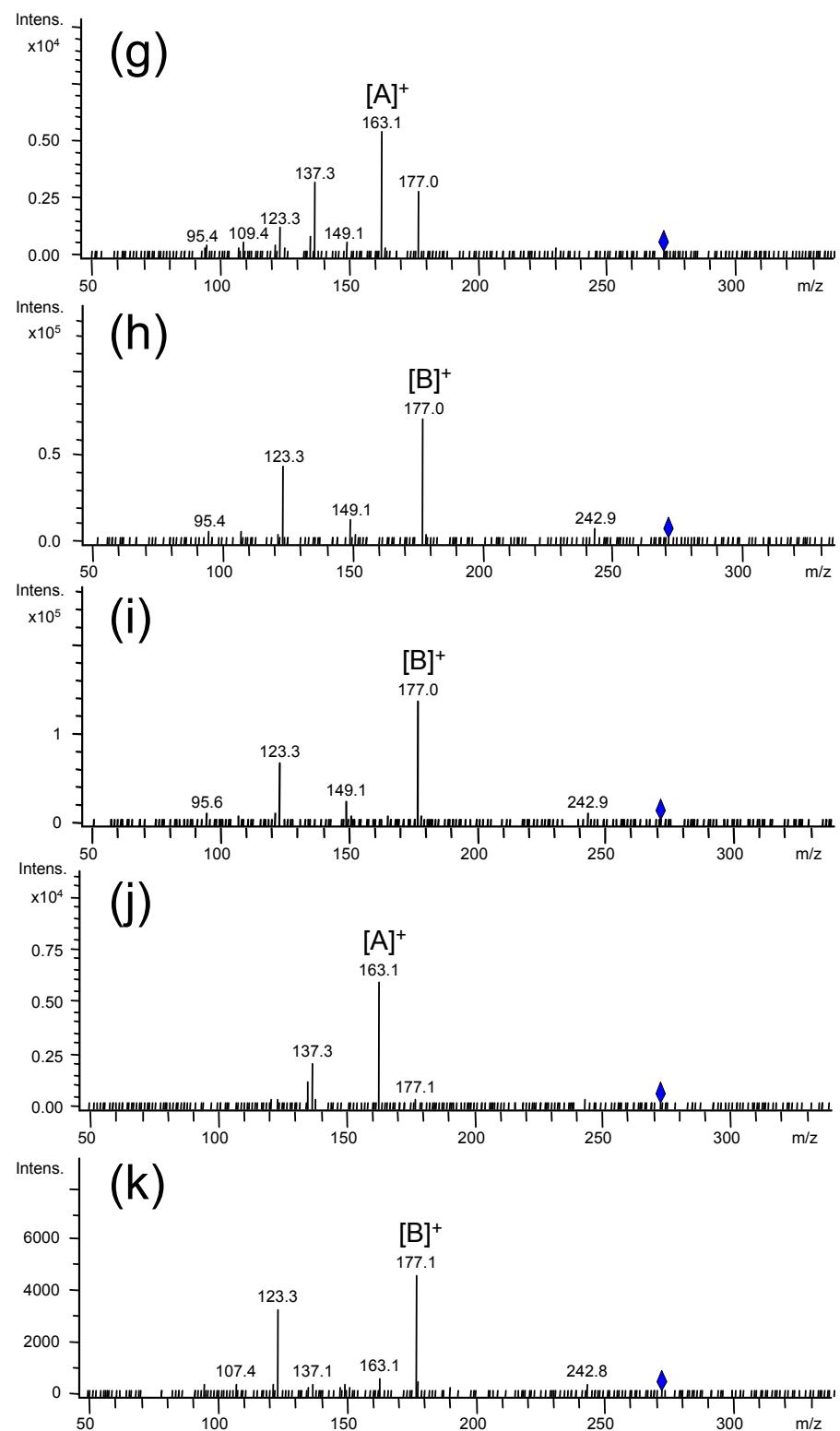


Figure S4, cont. (g)-(h) MtIOMT6 methylated products, precursor ion is m/z 271. (i) MtIOMT1 methylated product, precursor ion is m/z 271. (j)-(k) MtIOMT2 methylated products, precursor ion is m/z 271.

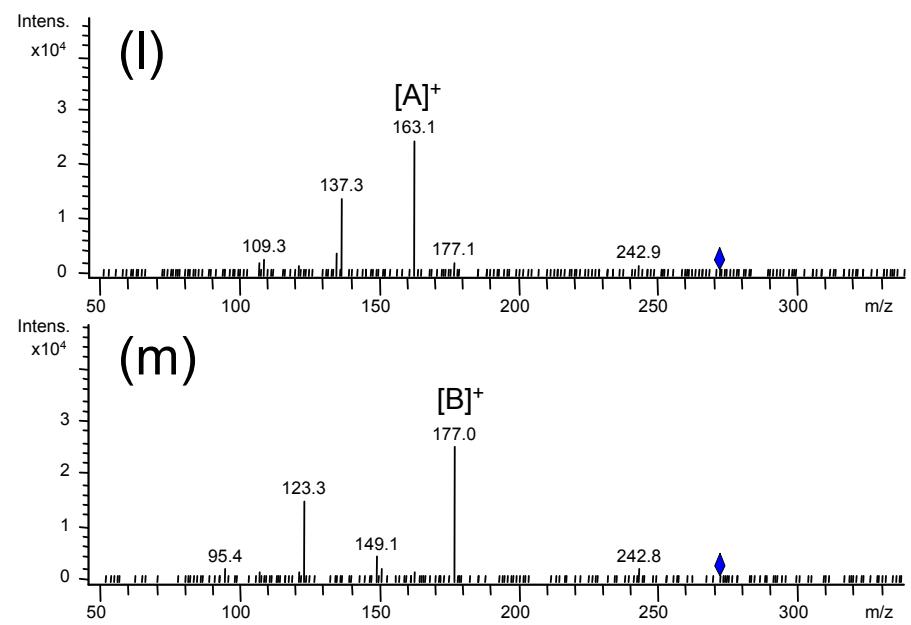


Figure S4, cont. (l)-(m). MtIOMT3 methylated products, precursor ion is m/z 271.

Table S1 Primers used for RT-PCR (listed 5' to 3')

| MtIOMT | Forward primer | Reverse primer |
|---------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
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| MTIOMT2 | acaaaattttcatttcagggtgt | ggatcaaacagaaccacaaacattac |
| MTIOMT3 | gttcttgatccaacacttcaac | tccaaatcatgcaaaaccgc |
| MTIOMT4 | ttaacaccaatggttttatgtctac | atacgaccgtatcaatatgcct |
| MTIOMT5 | acaatagtgaaaggcaaagaaggagat | aacttgcagcaacttcagg |
| MTIOMT6 | acatggaaaggctatgactgttc | acacaactccagtcacccacctg |
| MTIOMT7 | agaaacacaagacatcaccaag | cttcttccttcttgccat |

Table S2 Quantification of methylated products in reactions with dihydrodaidzein

| | % 4'-Methylated | % 7-Methylated | % Dimethylated | Ratio 4'/7-methylated |
|---------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------------|
| MtIOMT1 | 0 | >99 | <1 | 0 |
| MtIOMT2 | 33 | 66 | <1 | 0.5 |
| MtIOMT3 | 92 | 8 | 0 | 11.4 |
| MtIOMT4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| MtIOMT5 | 44 | 25 | 31 | 1.7 |
| MtIOMT6 | 14 | 38 | 48 | 0.4 |
| MtIOMT7 | 35 | 3 | 62 | 10.5 |