# Indazole-Type Alkaloids from *Nigella sativa* Seeds Exhibit Antihyperglycemic Effects via AMPK Activation In Vitro

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(1) in methanol-d4

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(1) in methanol-d4

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17-O-( $\beta$ -D-glucopyranosyl)-4-O-methylnigellidine (1) in methanol-d4

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#### Part 1

#### 1. Experimental procedures of cell viability assay

The viability of HepG2 cells after 24 h of continuous exposure to the test compounds was determined by performing colorimetric MTS [3-(4,5-dimethylthiazol-2-yl)-5-(3-carboxymeth-oxyphenyl)-2-(4-sulphenyl)-2H-tetra zolium salt] assay (Promega, Madison, CA, USA) according to the protocol described previously. Briefly, after 24 h of treatment, 20  $\mu$ L of MTS reagent was added to each reaction well (in a 96-well format). After 2 h of incubation, the absorbance was measured at 490 nm using a spectrophotometer (SpectraMax M2, Molecular Devices Corp, Sunnyvale, CA, USA).



#### 2. Results of the cell viability assay

# Part 2



Figure S1. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound **1** 







Figure S3. HSQC spectrum of compound 1







Figure S5. <sup>1</sup>H-<sup>1</sup>H COSY spectrum of compound **1** 

Figure S6. HRESIMS of compound 1





Figure S7. <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectrum of compound **2** 

Figure S8. <sup>13</sup>C NMR spectrum of compound **2** 













Figure S11. <sup>1</sup>H-<sup>1</sup>H COSY spectrum of compound **2** 

Figure S12. HRESIMS of compound 2



Figure S13. CD spectrum of compound 2 in methanol-d4



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