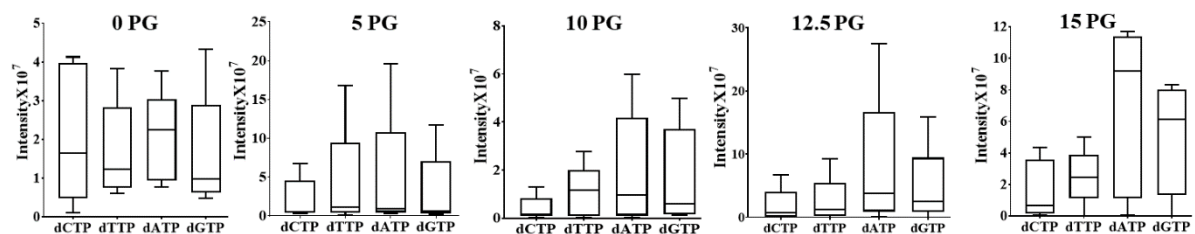
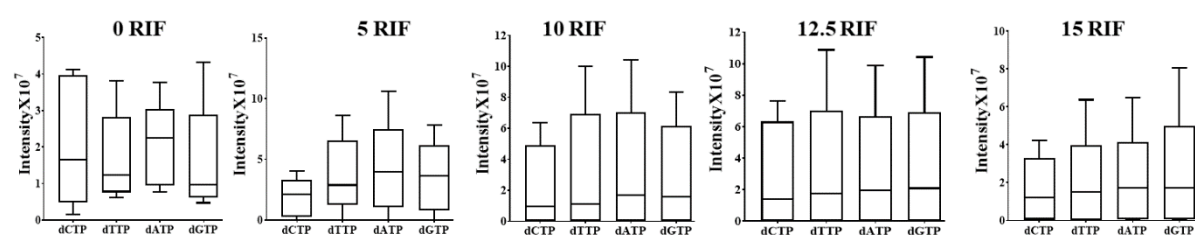


**FIG S2**

**Series A:**



**Series B:**



**Fig. S2.** Box and whisker plot representation of the signal intensities obtained from mass spectroscopic analysis of dNTPs extracted from cells which were either untreated (0) or treated with 5,10,12.5 and 15  $\mu\text{g/ml}$  of either plumbagin (PG, series A) or rifampicin (RIF, series B). The data used for creating these plots were derived from five independent experiments. The same data set was used to calculate  $[\text{dTTP}]/[\text{dATP}]$  ratios and their means  $\pm$  SD as shown in (Figs. 4c and f of the main text).