

1 **Table 1.** LC–HR–ESIMS dereplication results of the alcoholic extract of *Livistona decipens*
2 leaves and fruits

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No.	Metabolite name	<i>L. decipens</i>		RT (min.)	MF	<i>m/z</i>	Calculated <i>m/z</i>
		Leaves	Fruits				
1	ρ -Hydroxybenzoic acid	×	✓	2.0135	C ₇ H ₆ O ₃	137.0238	138.0317
2	Syringol	×	✓	2.0486	C ₈ H ₁₀ O ₃	153.0557	154.0629
3	Neochlorogenic acid	✓	✓	2.2486	C ₁₆ H ₁₈ O ₉	353.0881	354.0951
4	Isoorientin	✓	✓	2.3678	C ₂₁ H ₂₀ O ₁₁	447.0932	448.1006
5	Caffeic acid	✓	✓	2.3739	C ₉ H ₈ O ₄	179.0346	180.0422
6	(+)-Catechin	✓	✓	2.4451	C ₁₅ H ₁₄ O ₆	289.0713	290.0790
7	Vitexin	✓	×	2.6408	C ₂₁ H ₂₀ O ₁₀	431.0974	432.1056
8	Isoquercetin	✓	✓	2.7137	C ₂₁ H ₂₀ O ₁₂	463.0876	464.0955
9	Quercetin	×	✓	2.7605	C ₁₅ H ₁₀ O ₇	301.0351	302.0427
10	(-)-Epiafzelechin	×	✓	2.9733	C ₁₅ H ₁₄ O ₅	273.0766	274.0841
11	Tricin	×	✓	3.8475	C ₁₇ H ₁₄ O ₇	329.0658	330.0739
12	Luteolin	✓	✓	4.2993	C ₁₅ H ₁₀ O ₆	285.0763	286.0477

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5 MF: molecular formula, RT: retention time, min: minute.

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10 **Table 2:** Predicted binding free energy (ΔG) in kcal/mol for dereplicated compounds with the
 11 active site of COVID-19 virus M^{pro} (PDB 7BQY; co-crystallized with N3) compared to two
 12 structurally similar COVID-19 virus M^{pro} inhibitors, namely cinanserin and shikonin.

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Ligand	Predicted ΔG (kcal/mol) COVID-19 virus M ^{pro}	<i>In vitro</i> COVID-19 virus M ^{pro} IC ₅₀ (μM) ^a	Antiviral activity determined by qRT-PCR (μM) ^a
Isoquercetin (8)	-8.2	ND ^b	ND ^b
Vitexin (7)	-7.6	ND ^b	ND ^b
Isoorientin (4)	-7.6	ND ^b	ND ^b
Cinanserin	-6.9	124.93 \pm 7.89	20.61 \pm 0.97
Neochlorogenic acid (3)	-6.8	ND ^b	ND ^b
Tricin (11)	-6.7	ND ^b	ND ^b
Shikonin	-6.5	15.75 \pm 8.22	ND ^b
Quercetin (9)	-6.4	ND ^b	ND ^b
Luteolin (12)	-6.2	ND ^b	ND ^b
Epiafzelechin (10)	-6.2	ND ^b	ND ^b
Catechin (6)	-5.8	ND ^b	ND ^b
Caffeic acid (5)	-4.8	ND ^b	ND ^b
Syringol (2)	-4.8	ND ^b	ND ^b
Aesculetin	-4.7	ND ^b	ND ^b
ρ-Hydroxybenzoic acid (1)	-4.4	ND ^b	ND ^b

^a *In vitro* COVID-19 virus M^{pro} IC₅₀ and antiviral activity shown as reported (Jin et al. 2020).

^b ND, not determined.

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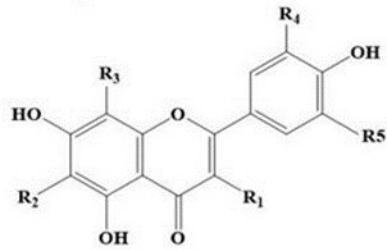
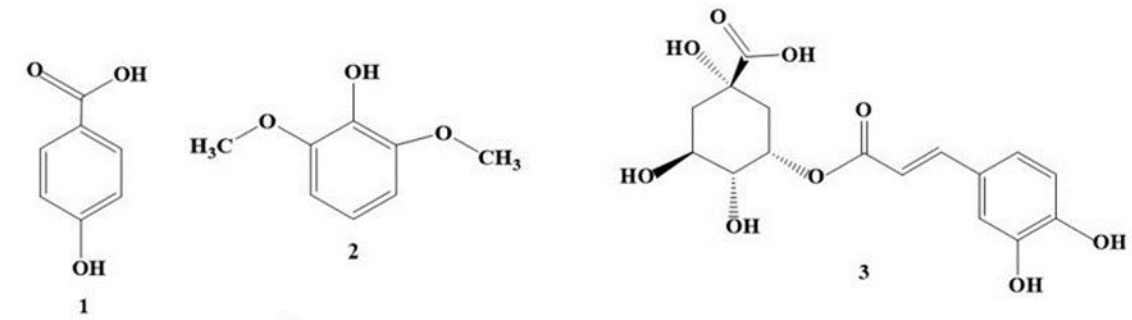
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Table 3. Drug-likeness based on Lipinski's rule of five, ADME properties and medicinal chemistry parameters.

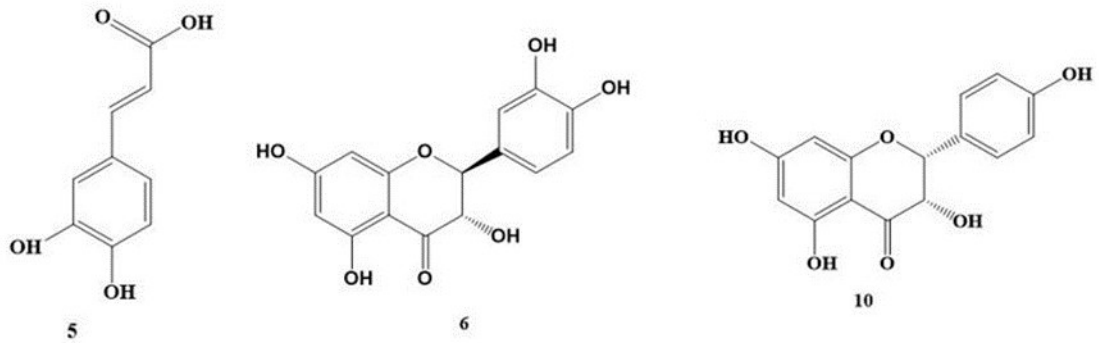
Ligand	# of violations	Pgp substrate	GI Absorption	Bioavailability score	PAINS alerts
Isoquercetin (8)	2	No	Low	0.17	1
Vitexin (7)	1	No	Low	0.55	0
Isoorientin (4)	2	No	Low	0.17	1
Cinanserin	0	No	High	0.55	0
Neochlorogenic acid (3)	1	No	Low	0.11	1
Tricin (11)	0	No	High	0.55	0
Shikonin	0	No	High	0.55	2
Quercetin (9)	0	No	High	0.55	1
Luteolin (12)	0	No	High	0.55	1
Epiarzelechin (10)	0	Yes	High	0.55	0
Catechin (6)	0	Yes	High	0.55	1
Caffeic acid (5)	0	No	High	0.56	1
Syringol (2)	0	No	High	0.55	0
Aesculetin	0	No	High	0.55	1
p-Hydroxybenzoic acid (1)	0	No	High	0.56	0

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Compound No.	R ₁	R ₂	R ₃	R ₄	R ₅
4	H	Glucose	H	OH	H
7	H	H	Glucose	H	H
8	O— Glucose	H	H	OH	H
9	OH	H	H	OH	H
11	H	H	H	OCH ₃	OCH ₃
12	H	H	H	OH	H

Compounds 4, 7-9 and 11-12



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41 **Figure 1.** Structures of the dereplicated metabolites from the alcoholic extract of *Livistona*

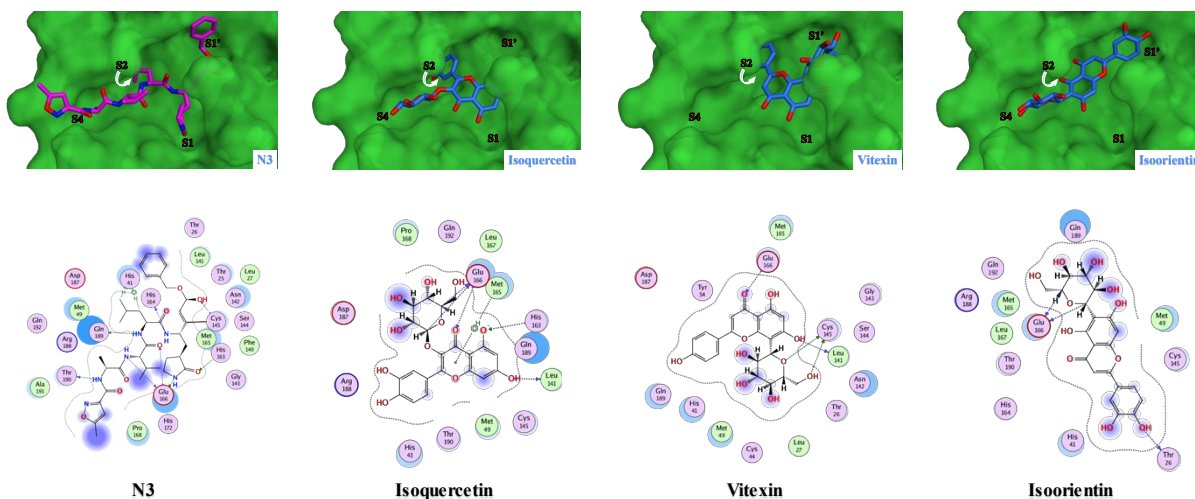
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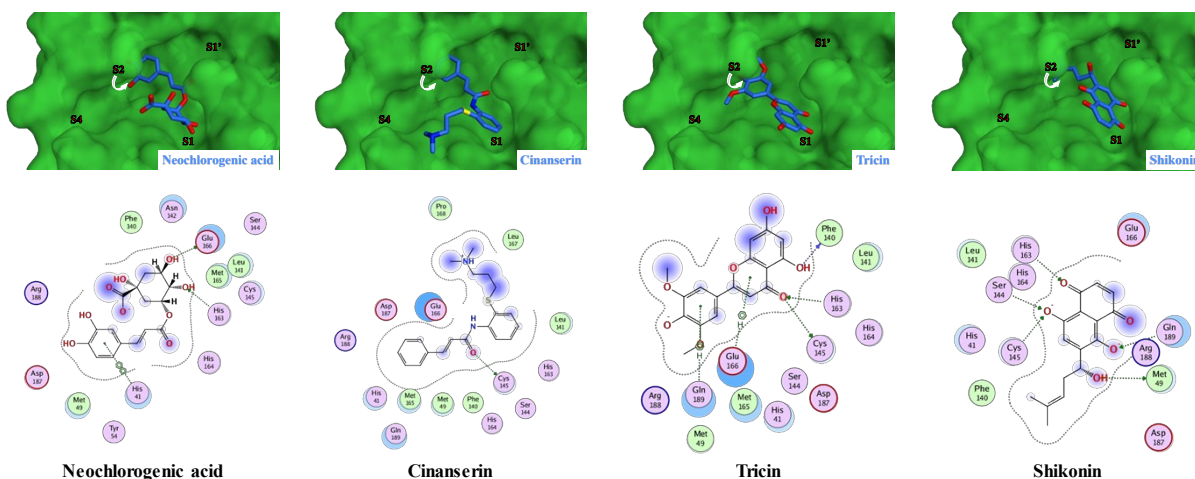
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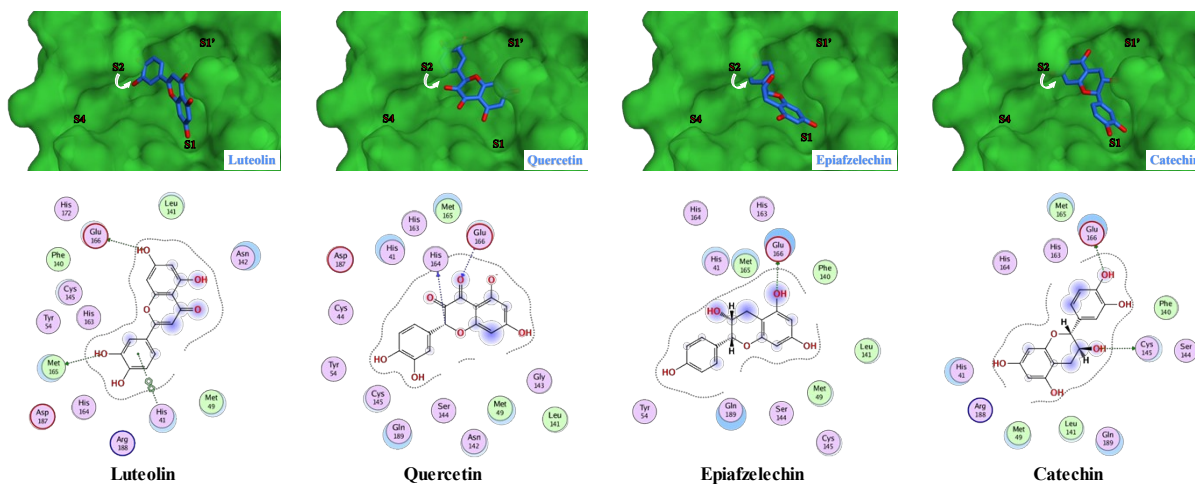


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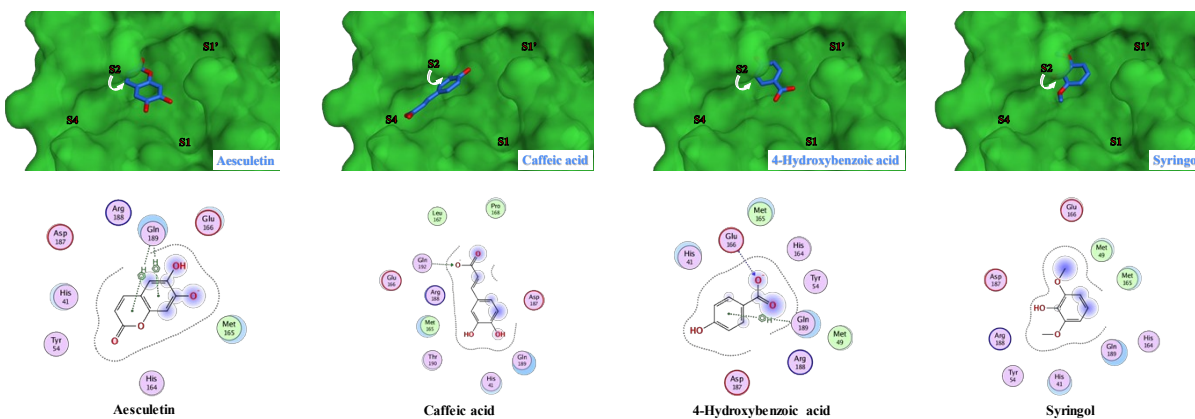
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Figure 3. Predicted 2D/3D docking poses of neochlorogenic acid and triclin compared to their corresponding structurally similar COVID-19 virus M^{pro} inhibitors, namely cinanserin and shikonin showing their binding interactions with the key amino acids in the active site of COVID-19 virus M^{pro}. M^{pro} is shown as green background and ligands are in blue.



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Figure 4. Predicted 2D/3D docking poses of four flavonoids (luteolin, quercetin, epiafzelechin and catechin) showing their binding interactions with the key amino acids in the active site of COVID-19 virus M^{pro}. M^{pro} is shown as green background and ligands are in blue.



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Figure 5. Predicted 2D/3D docking poses of four dereplicated compounds (aesculetin, caffeic acid, 4-hydroxybenzoic acid and syringol) showing their binding interactions with the key amino acids in the active site of COVID-19 virus M^{pro}. M^{pro} is shown as green background and ligands are in blue.