

$[M - \text{AngOH}]^+$ (0.6), 344 $[M - \text{C}_4\text{H}_9\text{CO}_2\text{H}]^+$ (0.9), 244 $[344 - \text{AngOH}]^+$ (5), 326 $[344 - \text{H}_2\text{O}]^+$ (1), 85 $[\text{C}_4\text{H}_9\text{CO}]^+$ (31), 83 $[\text{C}_4\text{H}_7\text{CO}]^+$ (100), 57 $[85 - \text{CO}]^+$ (68), 55 $[83 - \text{CO}]^+$ (52).

$$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = \frac{589}{+10} \frac{578}{+17} \frac{546}{+19} \frac{436 \text{ nm}}{+38} (\text{CHCl}_3; c 0.4).$$

11,13-Epoxy-11,13H-budlein A (15). Colourless crystals, mp 93°, IR $\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{CCl}_4} \text{ cm}^{-1}$: 3620 (OH), 1800 (γ -lactone), 1720 (C=CCO), 1600 (C=C-OR); MS m/z (rel. int.): 390.132 $[M]^+$ (16), 291 $[M - \text{OCOR}]^+$ (2), 273 $[291 - \text{H}_2\text{O}]^+$ (1), 83 $[\text{C}_4\text{H}_7\text{CO}]^+$ (100), 55 $[83 - \text{CO}]^+$ (98); $[\alpha]_{\text{D}} = -27^\circ$.

11 β -Hydroxy-13-chloro-11,13H-budlein A (16). Colourless gum, IR $\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{CCl}_4} \text{ cm}^{-1}$: 3580 (OH), 1780 (γ -lactone), 1720 (C=CCO₂R); MS m/z (rel. int.): 426.103 $[M]^+$ (5) (C₂₀H₂₃O₈Cl), 390 $[M - \text{HCl}]^+$ (10), 327 $[M - \text{OCOR}]^+$ (1), 291 $[327 - \text{HCl}]^+$ (1), 83 $[\text{C}_4\text{H}_7\text{CO}]^+$ (100), 55 $[83 - \text{CO}]^+$ (94).

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EREMOPHILENE AND GERMACRENE DERIVATIVES FROM *SENECIO GLANDULOSO-PILOSUS**

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Key Word Index—*Senecio glanduloso-pilosus*; Compositae; sesquiterpenes; eremophilene derivative; germacrene hydroperoxide.

Abstract—*Senecio glanduloso-pilosus* afforded in addition to known compounds a new eremophilene derivative and a hydroperoxide derived from germacrene D.

In a continuation of our investigation of *Senecio* species we have studied the constituents of *S. glanduloso-pilosus* Volkens et Muschel. The aerial parts afforded germacrene D, α -humulene, β -farnesene, 5'-angeloyloxysenspeciosone (1)[1] and the isomeric ester 2 as well as the hydroperoxide 6. The structure of 2 followed from the molecular formula and the ¹H NMR spectral data (Table 1), which were similar

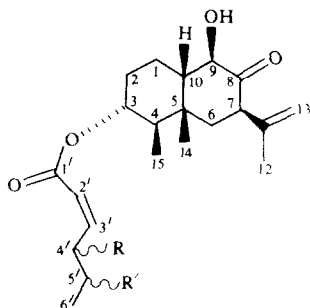
to those of 1 and of the 7,11-isomer of 2[1]. The nature of the ester residue clearly followed from the typical ¹H NMR signals. The three-fold doublet at δ 6.22 was coupled with one of the olefinic protons and with those of a neighbouring CH₂ group, which were also coupled with a methyl group (1.00t). The stereochemistry at C-7, C-9 and C-10 followed from the couplings $J_{6,7}$ and $J_{9,10}$, which were identical with those of the isomeric ester isolated previously[1]. Structures 1–5 represent the relative configurations, which are also probably the absolute ones as the configuration at C-7 is normally β . The structure of 6 was deduced from the spectral data. In the mass

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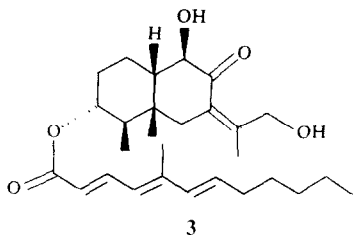
Table 1. ^1H NMR spectral data of compound **2** (400 MHz, CDCl_3 , TMS as internal standard)

H-3 β	4.89 dd	H-2'	5.83 dd
H-7 α	3.25 dd	H-3'	6.14 dd
H-9 α	3.98 dd	H-4'	6.22 ddd
H-12	5.01 dq	H-5'	1.5 m
H-12'	4.80 br s	H-6'	1.00 t
H-13	1.80 br s	OAng	6.08 qq
H-14	1.17 s		1.99 dq
H-15	0.94 d		1.90 dq
		OH	3.51 d

J (Hz): $2\alpha,3\beta = 3\beta,4\alpha = 10$; $2\beta,3\beta = 5$; $4\alpha,15 = 6.5$; $6\alpha,7\alpha = 5$; $5\beta,7\alpha = 13$; $6,12 = 1.5$; $9\alpha,10\beta = 11.5$; $9\alpha, \text{OH} = 2.5$.



- 1 $R = \text{H}$, $R' = \text{OAng}$
 2 $R = \text{OAng}$, $R' = \text{H}$



spectrum a clear molecular ion was visible leading to the molecular formula $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_2$. The presence of a hydroperoxide was indicated by loss of hydrogen peroxide and water (m/z 202 and 218). Accordingly reaction with triphenylphosphine afforded the alcohol **7**, identical with an authentic sample[3]. In the ^1H NMR spectrum (Table 2) the signals were similar to those of **7**. However, the chemical shift of H-1 was

Table 2. ^1H NMR spectral data of compound **6** (400 MHz, CDCl_3 , TMS as internal standard)

H-1	4.12 dd	H-12	0.84 d
H-2	2.04 m	H-13	0.92 d
H-3	2.45 ddd	H-14	5.33 br s
H-3'	2.28 dddd	H-14'	5.20 br s
H-5	6.02 d	H-15	4.96 br s
H-6	5.44 dd	H-15'	4.88 br s
		-OOH	7.51 s

J (Hz): $1,2 = 11.5$; $1,2' = 3.5$; $2,3 = 3,3' = 12$; $2,3' = 4.5$; $2',3 = 5$; $2',3' = 3$; $3,15 = 1.5$; $5,6 = 16$; $6,7 = 10.5$; $11,12 = 11.13 = 7$.

slightly different. Furthermore a singlet at δ 7.51 in the spectrum of **6** was obviously that of the hydroperoxide proton.

The roots gave germacrene D, bisabolene, the eremophilenes **1**–**3**[1] and the furanoremorphilanes **4** and **5**[1]. The chemistry of this *Senecio* species is very similar to that of *S. speciosus*[1] and *S. scaposus*[2].

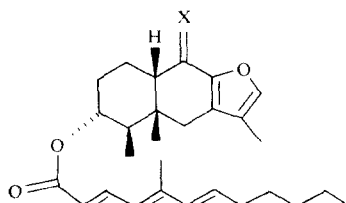
EXPERIMENTAL

The air-dried plant material, collected in February 1981 in Transvaal, (voucher 81/231, deposited in the Botanic Research Institute, Pretoria) was extracted with Et_2O –petrol (1:2) and the resulting extracts were separated by CC (Si gel) and further be repeated TLC (Si gel). Known compounds were identified by comparing the ^1H NMR spectra with those of authentic material. The aerial parts (35 g) afforded 50 mg germacrene D, 50 mg α -humulene, 10 mg β -farnesene, 50 mg **1**, 20 mg **2** (Et_2O –petrol, 3:1), and 10 mg **6** (Et_2O –petrol, 1:3), while the roots (10 g) gave 5 mg bisabolene, 1 mg germacrene D, 20 mg **1**, 5 mg **2**, 5 mg **3**, 2 mg **4** and 2 mg **5**.

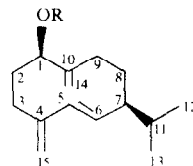
4'-Angeloyloxysenspeciosone (**2**). Colourless gum. IR $\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{CCl}_4}$ cm^{-1} : 3500 (OH, hydrogen bonded), 1740, 1235 (OAc), 1720, 1645 ($\text{C}=\text{CCO}_2\text{R}$); MS m/z (rel. int.): 446.267 [M] $^+$ (5) ($\text{C}_{26}\text{H}_{38}\text{O}_6$), 346 [$\text{M} - \text{AngOH}$] $^+$ (1), 235 [$\text{M} - \text{O}_2\text{CR}$] $^+$ (27), 234 [$\text{M} - \text{HO}_2\text{CR}$] $^+$ (26), 195 [RCO] $^+$ (2), 113 [$195 - \text{O}=\text{C}(\text{Me})-\text{CH}=\text{CH}_2$] $^+$ (59), 83 [$\text{C}_4\text{H}_7\text{CO}$] $^+$ (100).

$$[\alpha]_{24}^{\text{A}} = \frac{589}{-40} \quad \frac{578}{-44} \quad \frac{546}{-53} \quad \frac{436 \text{ nm}}{-90} \quad (\text{CHCl}_3; c 0.2).$$

1 β - Peroxygermacra - 4(15),5,10(14) - triene (**6**). Colourless oil, IR $\nu_{\text{max}}^{\text{CCl}_4}$ cm^{-1} : 3500 (OOH), 975 (*trans* $\text{CH}=\text{CH}$), 895 ($\text{C}=\text{CH}_2$); MS m/z (rel. int.): 236.178 [M] $^+$ (1) ($\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_2$), 218 [$\text{M} - \text{H}_2\text{O}$] $^+$ (9), 202 [$\text{M} - \text{H}_2\text{O}_2$] $^+$ (14), 175 [$218 -$



- 4 $X = \text{O}$
 5 $X = \alpha - \text{OH}, \text{H}$



- 6 $R = \text{OH}$
 7 $R = \text{H}$

CHMe_2^+ (14), 159 $[202 - \text{CHMe}_2]^+$ (30), 119 (41), 109 (62), 91 (51), 69 (80), 55 (100); CI (iso-butane): 237 $[\text{M} + 1]^+$ (7), 219 $[237 - \text{H}_2\text{O}]^+$ (3), 203 $[237 - \text{H}_2\text{O}_2]^+$ (100).

$$[\alpha]_{\text{D}}^{25} = \frac{589}{-38} \frac{578}{-40} \frac{546}{-46} \frac{436 \text{ nm}}{-80} (\text{CHCl}_3; c 0.1).$$

To 3 mg **6** in 0.5 ml CDCl_3 , 10 mg triphenylphosphine was added. After 5 min the ^1H NMR spectrum was identical with that of **7**.

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TEUPOLIN III, A FURANOID DITERPENE FROM *TEUCRIUM POLIUM*

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Abstract—A new clerodane derivative was isolated from *Teucrium polium* var. *polium*. The structure and stereochemistry have been established by detailed studies of the ^1H NMR spectra.

We have previously described some clerodane and nor-clerodane derivatives from *Teucrium polium* var. *polium* [1]. In a continuation of this work we have isolated from the same plant a new clerodane diterpene, teupolin III (**1**). The IR spectrum of **1** contained two strong bands for a primary and a tertiary alcohol (1050, 1150, 3420 cm^{-1}), a furan ring (3130, 1600, 1505, 870 cm^{-1}), and a strong band for a carbonyl group (1700 cm^{-1}).

The ^1H NMR spectrum (Table 1) showed two ABq (δ 3.70, 3.78 and 3.90, 4.60) which we have assigned to H-19 and H-18. The double doublet at δ 5.13 and the singlet at 5.20 were assigned to H-12 and H-20, respectively. The proton of the hydroxyl group at C-4 appeared as a singlet at δ 3.88 (hydrogen bond of OH-4 with 6-keto).

^1H NMR spin decoupling studies were particularly informative. A double doublet (δ 3.70) which we have assigned to H-19 β , was coupled to a single-proton resonance at δ 1.97 ($^4J_{10\beta,19\alpha} = 1 \text{ Hz}$). A double dou-

