

Supporting information

Characterization of a coumarin C-/O-prenyltransferase and a quinolone C-prenyltransferase from *Murraya exotica*

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Table S1 Plant PTs used for local tBlastn analysis.

Enzyme	Species	Accession number	Acceptor	Donor	Regio-specificity
CIPT1a	<i>Citrus limon</i>	BAP27988.1	Umbelliferone Esculetin 5,7-Dihydroxycoumarin 5-Methoxy-7-hydroxycoumarin	GPP	C-8, C-6, C-5
PsPT1	<i>Pastinaca sativa</i>	AJW31563.1	Umbelliferone	DMAPP	C-8, C-6
PsPT2	<i>Pastinaca sativa</i>	AJW31564.1	Umbelliferone	DMAPP	C-8, C-6
PcPT	<i>Petroselinum crispum</i>	BAO31627.1	Umbelliferone	DMAPP	C-6, C-8
CpPT1	<i>Citrus paradisi</i>	LC557129.1	5,7-Dihydroxycoumarin 5-Hydroxy-7-methoxycoumarin Bergaptol Xanthotoxol 8-Hydroxybergapten	GPP	O-prenyltransferase 5-O/7-O/8-O
CpPT3	<i>Citrus paradisi</i>	LC557131.1	Umbelliferone	GPP	C-8, C-6 (supposed)

Table S2 Accession numbers of plant PTs used for phylogenetic analysis.

Species	Enzyme	Accession number (GenBank)
<i>Murraya exotica</i>	MePT1	ON652845
<i>Murraya exotica</i>	MePT2	ON652846
<i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i>	AtPPT1	BAB20818.2
<i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i>	AtVTE2-1	AAM10489.1
<i>Arabidopsis thaliana</i>	AtVTE2-2	ABB70127.1
<i>Artemisia capillaris</i>	AcPT1	LC425153.1
<i>Arachis hypogaea</i>	AhR4DT-1	AQM74172.1
<i>Arachis hypogaea</i>	AhR3'DT-1	AQM74173.1
<i>Arachis hypogaea</i>	AhR3'DT-2	AQM74174.1
<i>Arachis hypogaea</i>	AhR3'DT-3	AQM74175.1
<i>Arachis hypogaea</i>	AhR3'DT-4	AQM74176.1
<i>Arnebia euchroma</i>	AePGT	ABD59796.2
<i>Arnebia euchroma</i>	AePGT4	ANC67957.1
<i>Arnebia euchroma</i>	AePGT6	ANC67959.1
<i>Angelica keiskei</i>	AkPT1	LC557134.1
<i>Cannabis sativa</i>	CsPT1	DAC76711.1
<i>Cannabis sativa</i>	CsPT3	DAC76713.1
<i>Cannabis sativa</i>	CsPT4	DAC76710.1
<i>Cannabis sativa</i>	CsPT8	XP_030491742 .1
<i>Chlamydomonas reinhardtii</i>	CrHST (CrVTE2-2)	CAL01105.1
<i>Citrus limon</i>	CIPT1a	BAP27988.1
<i>Citrus limon</i>	CIPT1b	BAP27989.1
<i>Clitorea ternatea</i>	CtHPT	ALR81009.1
<i>Cudrania tricuspidata</i>	CtIDT	AJD80983.1
<i>Citrus paradisi</i>	CpPT1	LC557129.1
<i>Citrus paradisi</i>	CpPT2	LC557130.1
<i>Citrus paradisi</i>	CpPT3	LC557131.1
<i>Citrus micrantha</i>	CmiPT1a	LC557132.1
<i>Citrus micrantha</i>	CmiPT1b	LC557133.1
<i>Ficus carica</i>	FcPT1a	LC369744.1
<i>Glycine max</i>	GmC4DT	BAW32575.1
<i>Glycine max</i>	GmG2DT	BAW32578.1
<i>Glycine max</i>	GmG4DT	BAH22520.1
<i>Glycine max</i>	GmIDT1	BAW32576.1
<i>Glycine max</i>	GmVTE2-1	ABB70126.1
<i>Glycine max</i>	GmVTE2-2	ABB70128.1
<i>Glycyrrhiza uralensis</i>	GuA6DT	AIT11912.1
<i>Glycyrrhiza uralensis</i>	GuILDIT	AMR58303.1

Species	Enzyme	Accession number (GenBank)
<i>Hordeum vulgare</i>	HvHGGT	AAP43911.1
<i>Humulus lupulus</i>	HIPT-1	BAJ61049.1
<i>Humulus lupulus</i>	HIPT2	AJD80255.1
<i>Hypericum calycinum</i>	HcPT8px	AZK16226.1
<i>Hypericum calycinum</i>	HcPTpat	AZK16227.1
<i>Hypericum sampsonii</i>	HsPT8px	AZK16224.1
<i>Hypericum sampsonii</i>	HsPTpat	AZK16225.1
<i>Ipomoea batatas</i>	IbHPT	ALG62646.1
<i>Lactuca sativa</i>	LsHPT	ACN78585.1
<i>Lithospermum erythrorhizon</i>	LePGT1	BAB84122.1
<i>Lithospermum erythrorhizon</i>	LePGT2	BAB84123.1
<i>Lotus japonicus</i>	LjG6DT (LjPT1)	ARV85585.1
<i>Lupinus albus</i>	LaPT1	AER35706.1
<i>Lupinus albus</i>	LaPT2	MH298812.1
<i>Malus domestica</i>	MdHPT	ACT75571.1
<i>Morus alba</i>	MaIDT	AJD80982.1
<i>Morus alba</i>	MaOGT	AXN57307.1
<i>Oryza sativa</i>	OsHGGT	AAP43913.1
<i>Oryza sativa</i>	OsHPT (RTD1)	BAS98961.1
<i>Oryza sativa</i>	OsPPT1	BAE96574.1
<i>Oberonia myosurus</i>	ObPPT1	n.a.
<i>Oberonia myosurus</i>	ObPPT2	n.a.
<i>Pastinaca sativa</i>	PsPT1	AJW31563.1
<i>Pastinaca sativa</i>	PsPT2	AJW31564.1
<i>Petroselinum crispum</i>	PcPT	BAO31627.1
<i>Psoralea corylifolia</i>	PcM4DT	AYV64464.1
<i>Rhododendron dauricum</i>	RdPT1	BBD96134.1
<i>Sophora flavescens</i>	SfFPT	AHA36633.1
<i>Sophora flavescens</i>	SfG6DT	BAK52291.1
<i>Sophora flavescens</i>	SfILD	BAK52291.1
<i>Sophora flavescens</i>	SfN8DT-1	BAG12671.1
<i>Sophora flavescens</i>	SfN8DT-2	BAG12673.1
<i>Sophora flavescens</i>	SfN8DT-3	BAK52289.1
<i>Triticum aestivum</i>	TaHGGT	AAP43912.1
<i>Zea mays</i>	ZmHST	ONM24667.1
<i>Zea mays</i>	ZmHPT	ABB70122.1

n.a., not available

Table S3 ^1H (600 MHz) and ^{13}C (150 MHz) NMR data of compounds **P1a** and **P1b** (δ in ppm, in CDCl_3).

Position	P1a		P1b	
	δH (J in Hz)	δC	δH (J in Hz)	δC
2		161.8		162.0
3	6.23 (d, 9.6)	113.5	6.23 (d, 9.6)	112.9
4	7.62 (d, 9.6)	144.4	7.62 (d, 9.6)	144.0
4a		112.9		112.6
5	7.22 (d, 8.4)	126.9	7.20 (s)	128.6
6	6.79 (d, 8.4)	112.7		125.3
7		158.8		158.6
8		114.8	6.86 (s)	103.6
8a		153.2		154.5
9	3.62 (d, 7.2)	22.2	3.39 (d, 7.2)	29.0
10	5.26 (t, 7.2)	120.3	5.32 (t, 7.2)	121.0
11		140.3		139.5
12	2.08 (m)	39.9	2.14 (m)	39.9
13	2.06 (m)	26.5	2.12 (m)	26.6
14	5.02 (t, 6.6)	123.8	5.09 (t, 6.0)	123.9
15		132.3		132.3
16	1.57 (s)	25.9	1.61 (s)	26.0
17	1.83 (s)	17.9	1.77 (s)	18.0
18	1.65 (s)	16.5	1.70 (s)	16.5

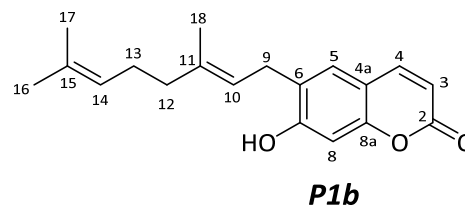
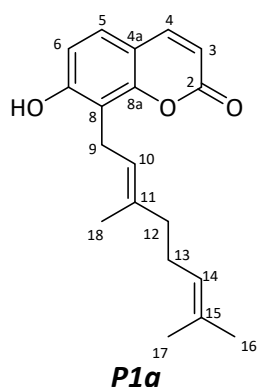


Table S4 Selectivity of MePT1 and MePT2 for 20 accepters and 4 prenyl donors.

NO.	Compound	MePT1				MePT2			
		DMAPP	GPP	FPP	GGPP	DMAPP	GPP	FPP	GGPP
1	Umbelliferone	+	+	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
2	5,7-Dihydroxycoumarin	N.D.	+	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
3	Coumarin	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
4	7-Methoxycoumarin	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
5	7-Hydroxy-6-methoxycoumarin	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
6	5,7-Dimethoxycoumarin	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
7	Xanthotoxol	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
8	Bergaptol	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
9	4-Hydroxy- <i>N</i> -methylquinolone	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	+	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
10	2,4-Dihydroxy-quinolone	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	+	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
11	1-methoxy-3-Methyl-carbazole	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
12	2-hydroxy-3-Methyl-carbazole	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
13	3-Methyl-carbazole	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
14	Indole	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
15	4-Hydroxybenzaldehyde	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
16	<i>p</i> -Coumaric acid	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
17	3-Hydroxybenzoic acid	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
18	4-Hydroxybenzoic acid	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
19	Kaempferol	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.
20	Kaempferide	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.	N.D.

Table S5 ^1H (700 MHz) and ^{13}C (175 MHz) NMR data of compound **P9** (δ in ppm, in CD_3OD).

Position	P9	
	δH (<i>J</i> in Hz)	δC
2		167.0
3		Not found
4		Not found
4a		110.4
5	8.16 (dd, 7.7, 0.7)	122.0
6	7.17 (t, 7.7)	125.9
7	7.49 (t, 7.7)	130.6
8	7.42 (d, 7.7)	115.1
8a		140.3
9	3.38 (d, 7.0)	26.1
10	5.26 (t, 7.0)	115.1
11		130.8
12	1.65 (s)	24.7
13	1.81 (s)	18.4
14	3.67 (s)	29.9

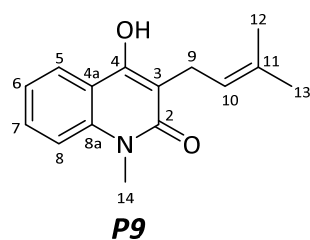


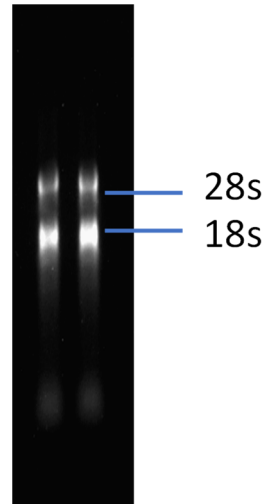
Table S6 PCR primers used in this experiment.

Primer name	Sequences (5'-3')
<i>MePT1</i> -Fw	ATTCAAATGCATTGAGTTCAAGC
<i>MePT1</i> -Rv	TCATCGTAAGAAATGAATAAGGAGATATTCAG
<i>MePT2</i> -Fw	ATGCTGCTTCAAATGAATTCTTCTGC
<i>MePT2</i> -Rv	TCAACGTATGAAGTGCATAAGGA
ΔTP_{49} - <i>MePT1</i> - <i>Apal</i> -Fw	ATACGACTCACTATAG GGGCC ATGTGCACTCAAAGTGATTCATTTT
<i>MePT1</i> - <i>XhoI</i> -Rv	GCGGTACCAAGCTT ACTCGAGT CATCGTAAGAAATGAATAAGGAGATATT
ΔTP_{89} - <i>MePT2</i> - <i>Apal</i> -Fw	ATACGACTCACTATAG GGGCC ATGGCGTCACAAGATGATAATATTTAA
<i>MePT2</i> - <i>XhoI</i> -Rv	GCGGTACCAAGCTT ACTCGAGT CAACGTATGAAGTGCATAAGGAAG
<i>MePT1</i> -qpcr-Fw	ATTCAAATGCATTGAGTTCAAGCT
<i>MePT1</i> -qpcr-Rv	TCATCGTAAGAAATGAATAAGGAGATATTCAG
<i>MePT2</i> -qpcr-Fw	ATGCTGCTTCAAATGAATTCTTCTGC
<i>MePT2</i> -qpcr-Rv	TCAACGTATGAAGTGCATAAGGA
Actin-Fw	TACGTCGCCCTTGACTTCG
Actin-Rv	AGACTCCATACCTAAGAAG

* Bold text represents restriction sites for subcloning.



A



B

Figure S1 *M. exotica* used in this study (**A**) and agarose gel electrophoresis of RNA (**B**).

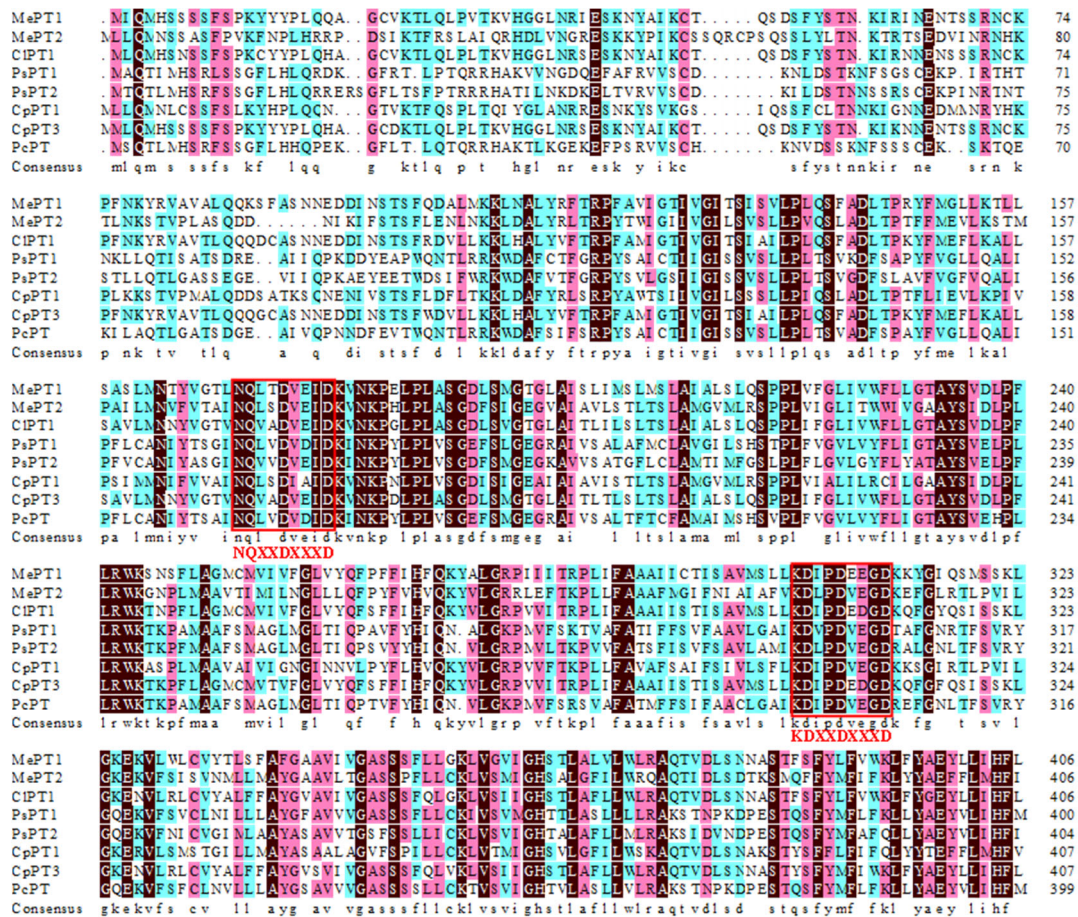


Figure S2 ClustalW multiple sequence alignments of MePT1, MePT2 and related PTs. Identical amino acids were shown in white on a black background. The conserved aspartate-rich motifs NQxxDxxxD and KDxxDx(E/D) GD are highlighted with red box.

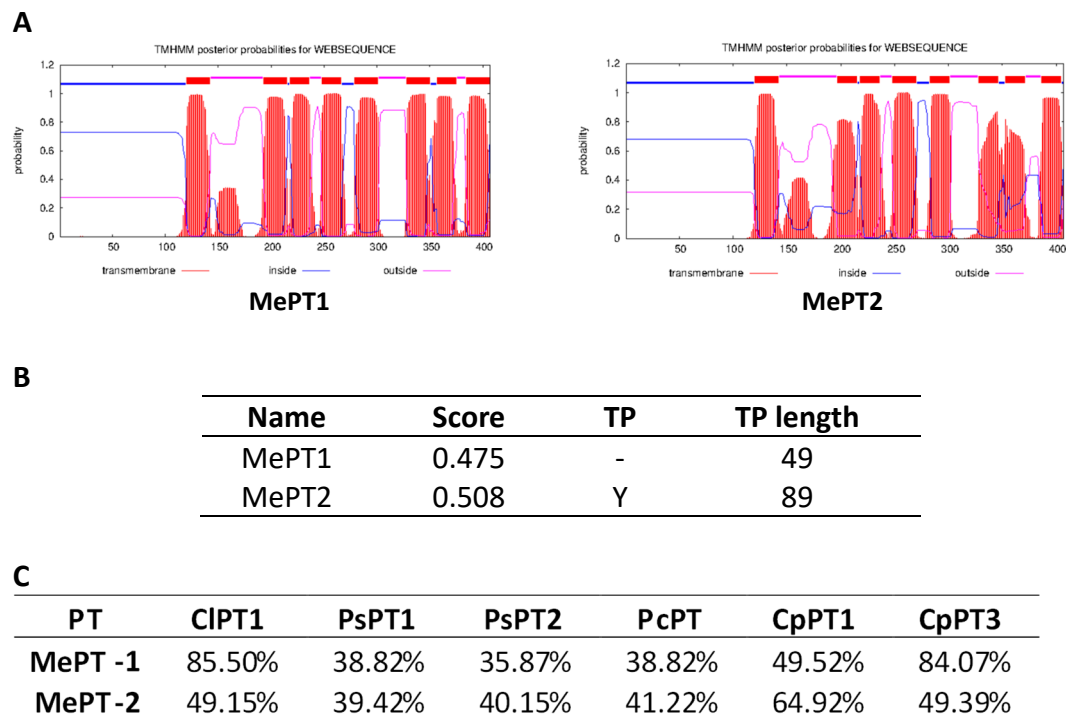


Figure S3 In silico analysis of MePT1 and MePT2 polypeptides. **(A)** Transmembrane (TM) regions of MePT1 and MePT2 predicted by TMHMM. **(B)** Transit peptides (TPs) of MePT1 and MePT2 predicted by ChloroP. **(C)** Comparison of the amino acid identity of MePT1, MePT2, and six known PTs from *Rutaceae* and *Apiaceae* plants.

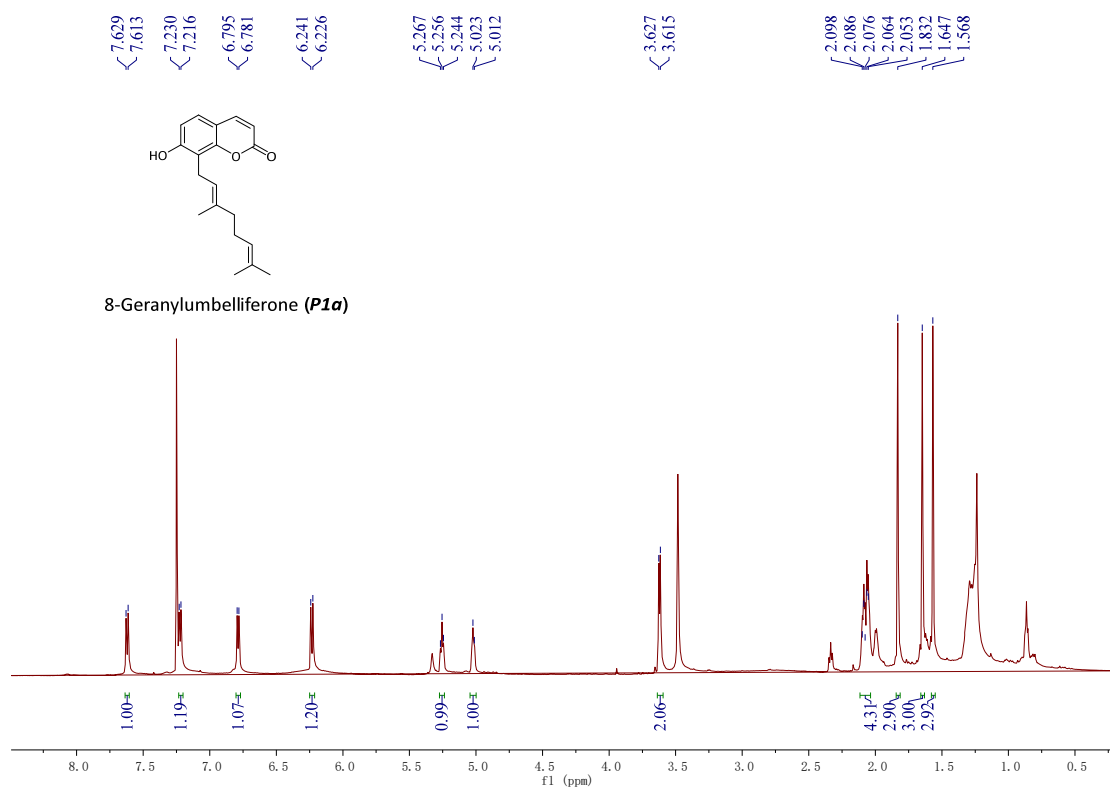


Figure S4 The ¹H NMR spectrum of **P1a** (600 MHz, in CDCl₃)

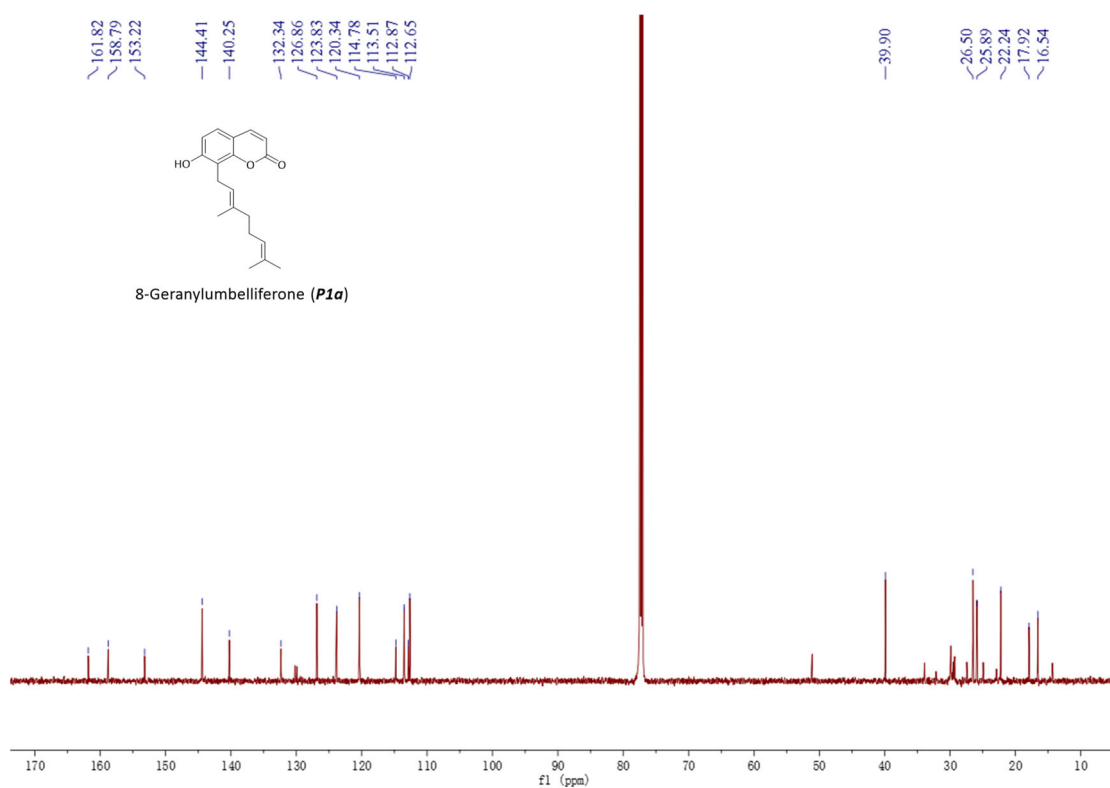


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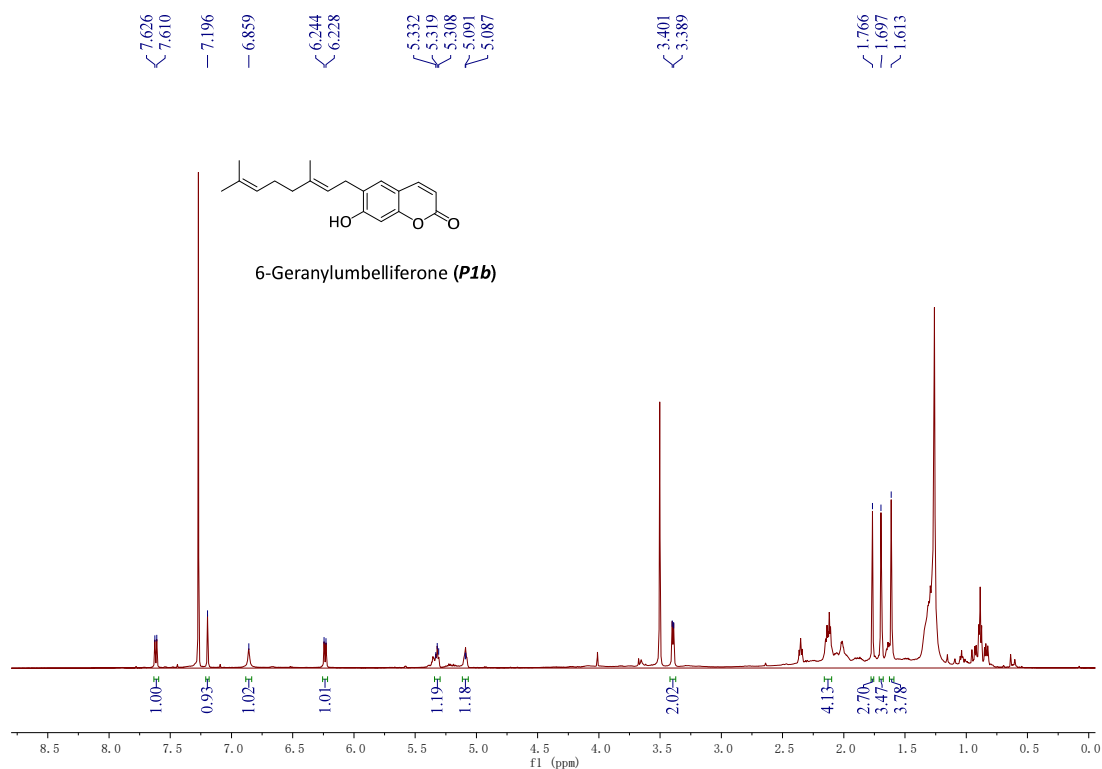


Figure S6 The ¹H NMR spectrum of **P1b** (600 MHz, in CDCl₃)

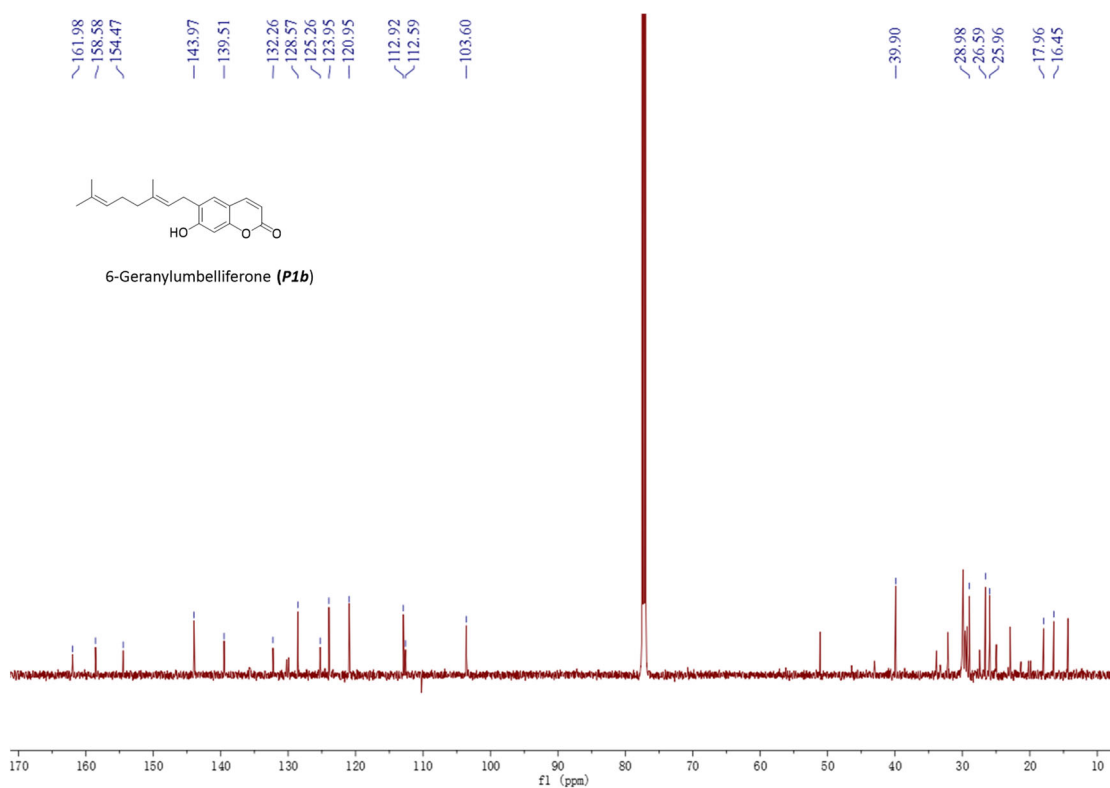


Figure S7 The ¹³C NMR spectrum of **P1b** (150 MHz, in CDCl₃)

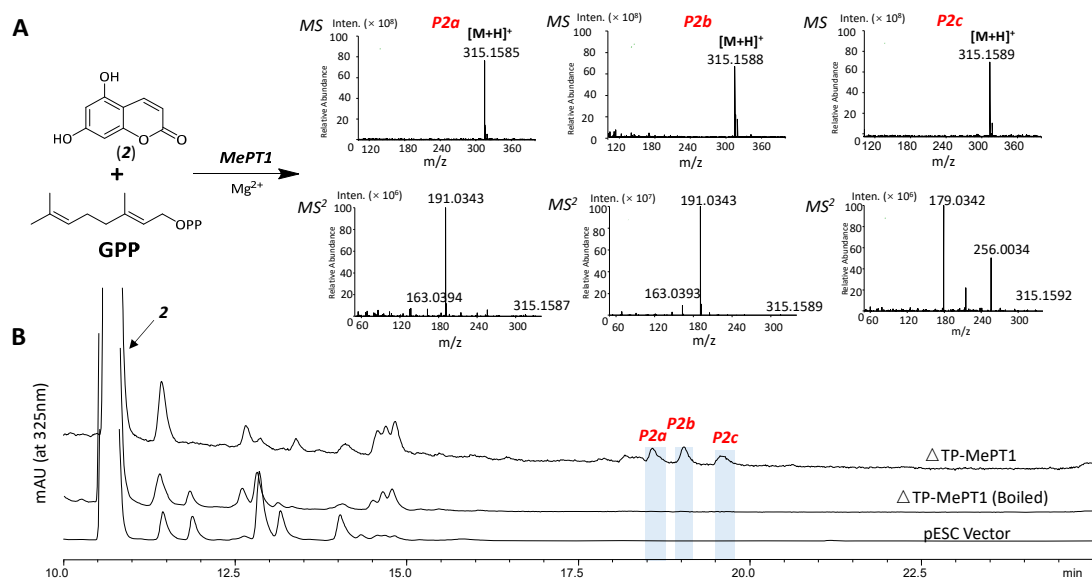


Figure S8 Enzymatic formation of three geranylated products (**P2a**, **P2b**, and **P2c**) by MePT1 from 5,7-dihydroxycoumarin (**2**) and GPP. **(A)** MS analysis of the reaction products **P2a**, **P2b** and **P2c**. **(B)** HPLC chromatograms for the formation of **P2a**, **P2b** and **P2c**. Limited by the low yields, further preparation of enough amount of samples for NMR analysis are challenging, which prevent us from the unambiguous assignments of the exact prenylated positions in **P2a**, **P2b**, and **P2c**. However, In the MS² spectra of the products **P2a** and **P2b**, the observation of the typical fragment ion peak at m/z 191 contributing to the loss of C-geranyl moiety (one carbon left on the backbone) suggested that **P2a** and **P2b** are two C-geranylated products. In contrast, the presence of the typical fragment ion peak at m/z 179 contributing to the loss of the entire geranyl moiety suggested that **P2c** is an O-geranylated product from 5,7-dihydroxycoumarin. ΔTP-MePT1: the truncated protein of MePT1 with the N-terminal transit peptides removed.

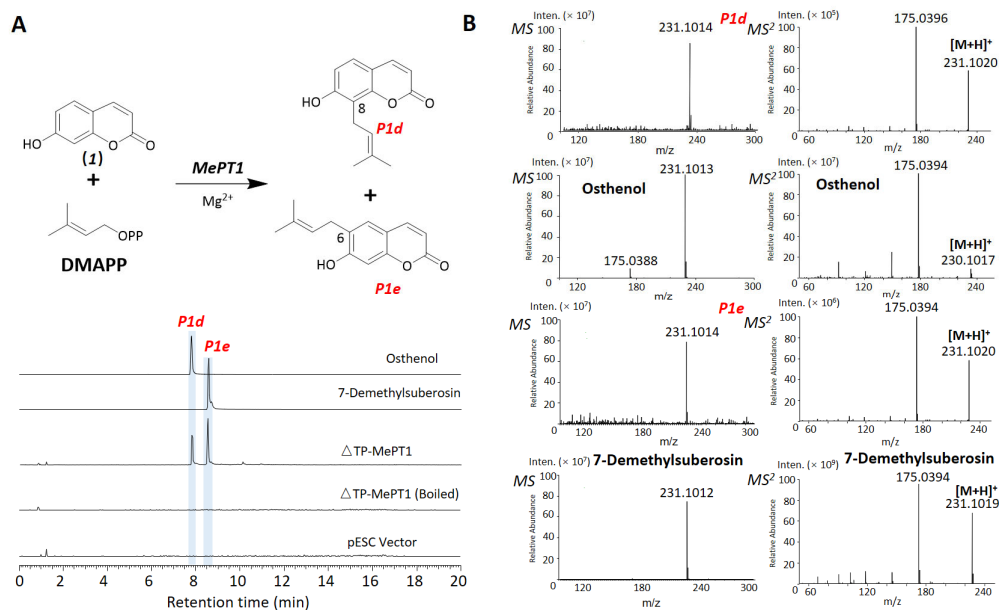


Figure S9 Enzymatic formation of 8-C-dimethallylumbelliferone (**P1d**) and 6-C-dimethallylumbelliferone (**P1e**) by MePT1 from umbelliferone (**1**) and DMAPP. **(A)** Structures and extract ion chromatograms (EICs). **(B)** The MS and MS² spectra of the reaction products **P1d** and **P1e**, the authentic compounds 7-demethylsuberosin and osthenol. ΔTP-MePT1: truncated protein of MePT1 with the *N*-terminal transit peptides removed.

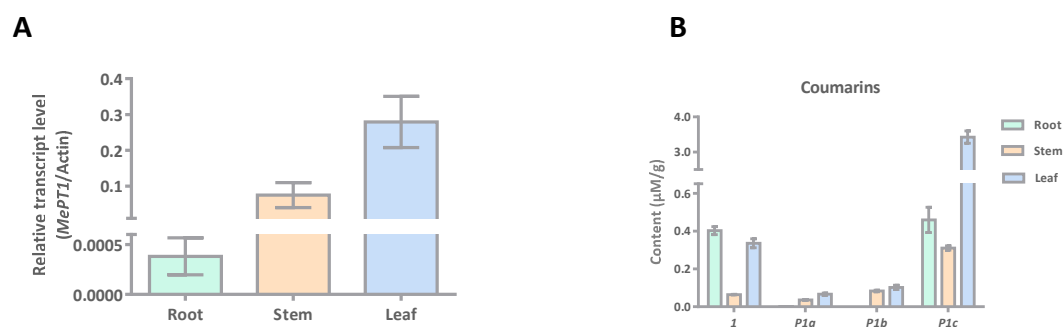


Figure S10 Real-time PCR analysis of *MePT1* in the different tissues of *M. exotica* (A) and the contents of substrate **1**, enzymatic products **P1a**, **P1b**, and **P1c** in the different tissues of *M. exotica* (B). Relative expression levels of *MePT1* were normalized by the actin gene as a reference ($n = 3$). Compounds were quantified by LC/MS. Values are means $\pm$ SD of three biological replicates.

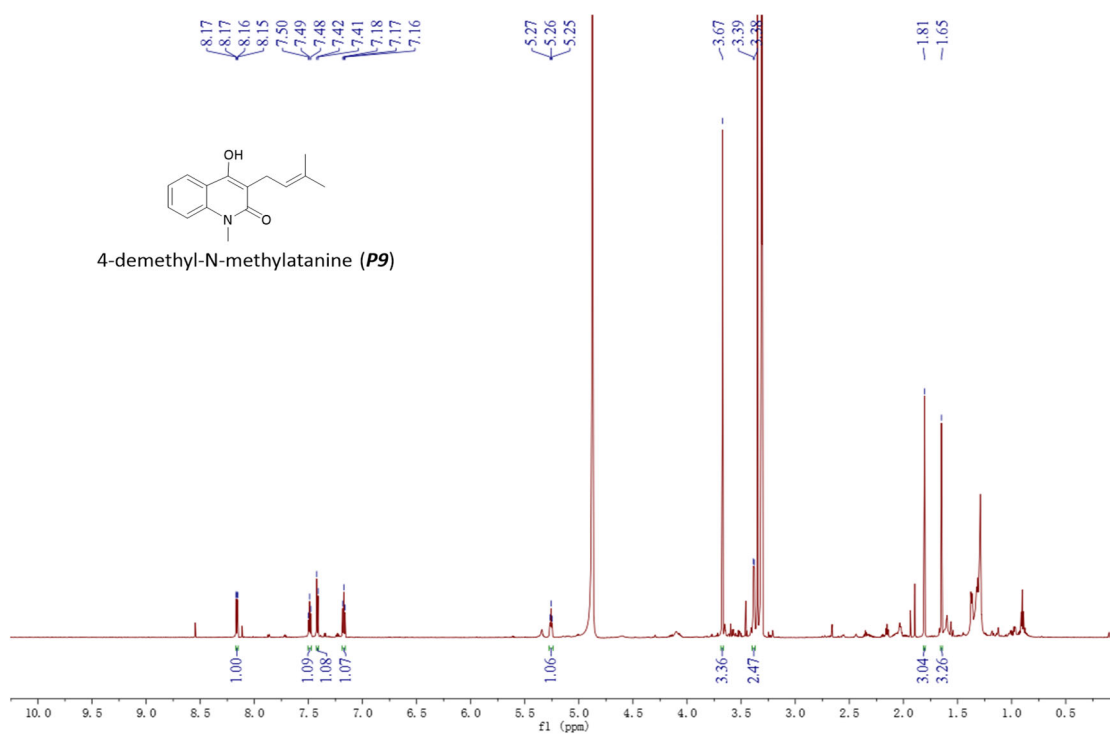


Figure S11 The ¹H NMR spectrum of **P9** (700 MHz, in CD₃ OD)

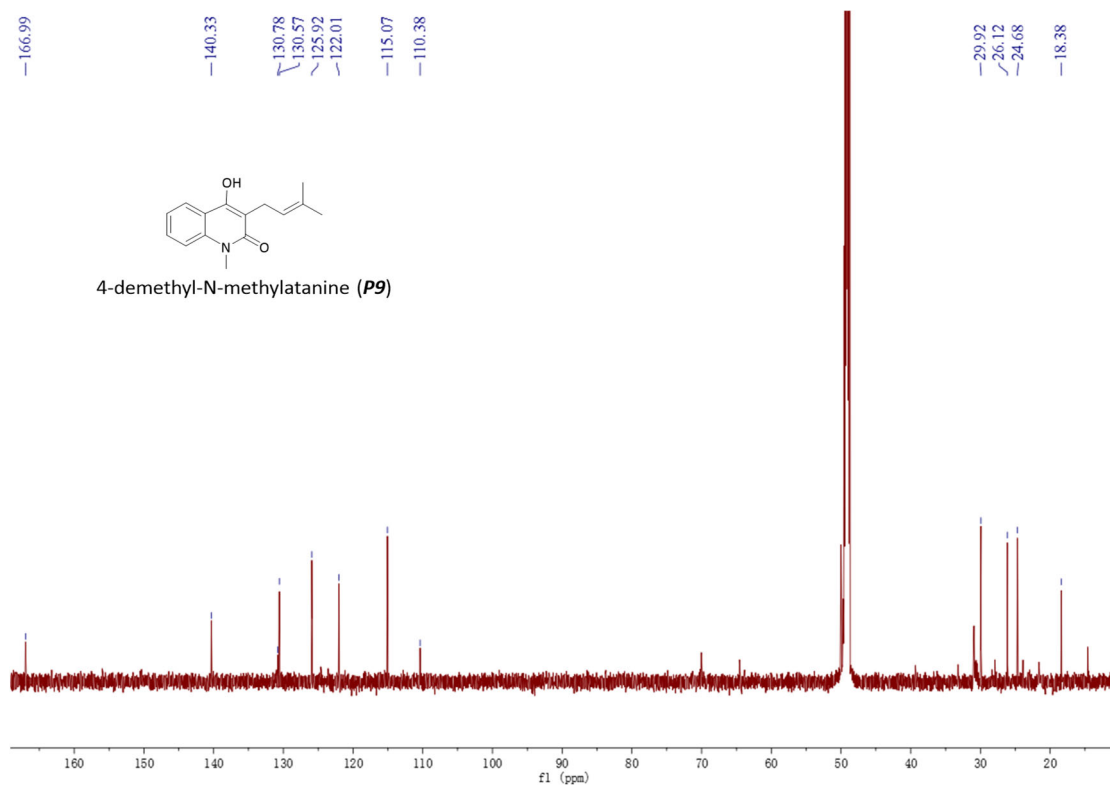


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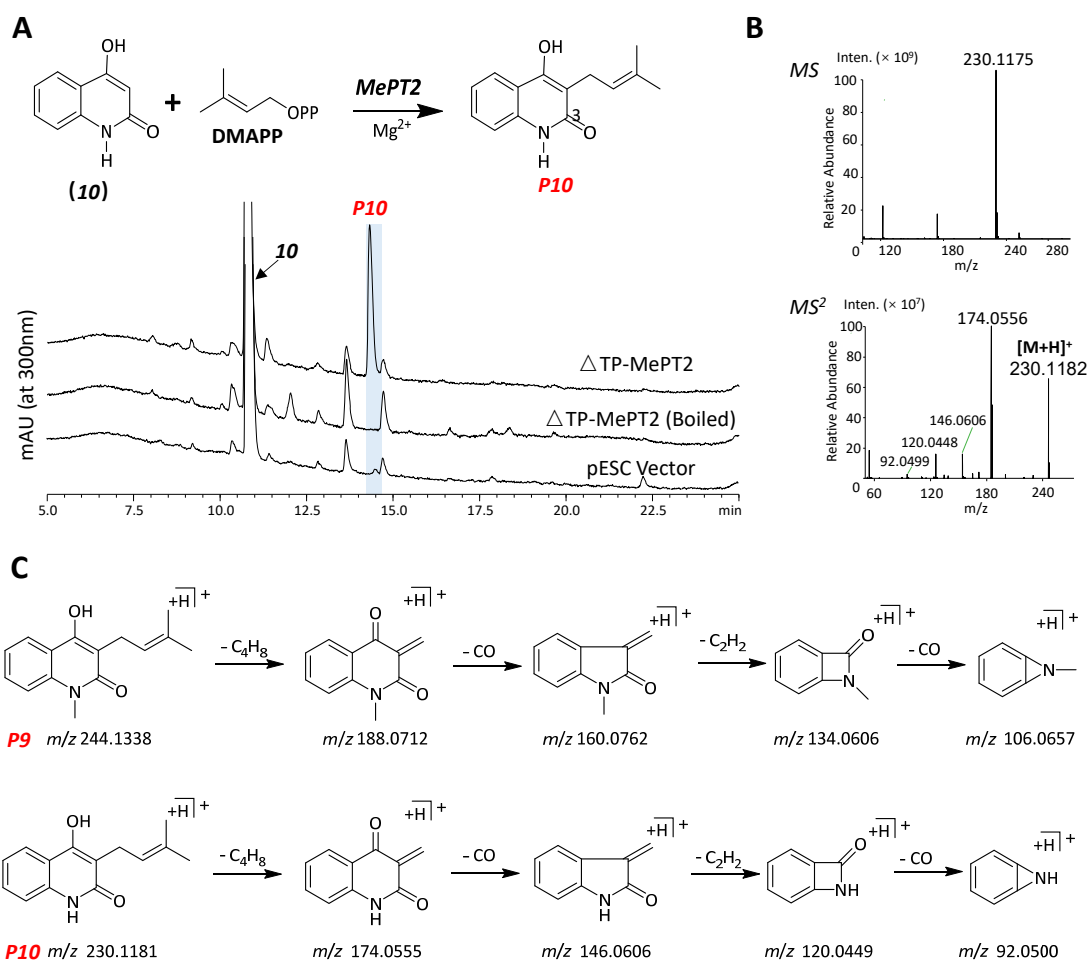


Figure S13 Enzymatic formation of 3-C-dimethylallylquinolone (**P10**) by MePT2 from quinolone (**10**) and DMAPP. **(A)** Structures and HPLC chromatograms. **(B)** The MS and MS² spectra of the enzymatic product **P10**. **(C)** The comparison of the MS² fragments of the enzymatic products **P9** and **P10**. The same MS cleavage behaviors of **P9** and **P10** observed in their MS² spectra suggested that **P10** shares a similar skeleton and the same dimethylallylated position (at C-3) with **P9**. ΔTP-MePT2: truncated protein of MePT2 with the N-terminal transit peptides removed.

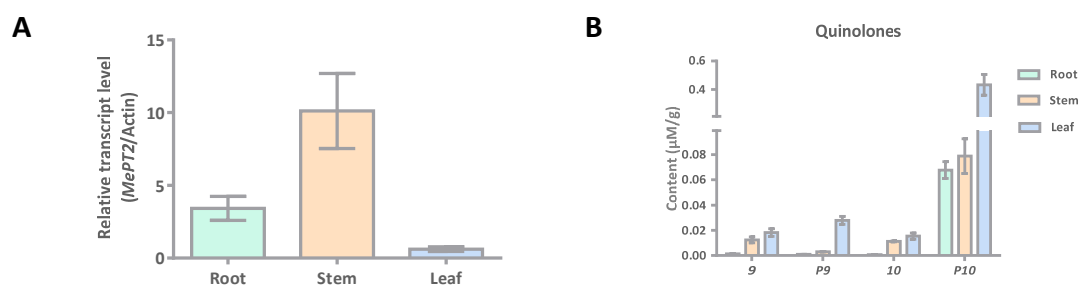


Figure S14 Real-time PCR analysis of *MePT2* in the different tissues of *M. exotica* (A), and the contents of substrates **9** and **10**, enzymatic products **P9** and **P10** in the different tissues of *M. exotica* (B). Relative expression levels of *MePT2* were normalized by the actin gene as a reference. Compound contents were quantified by LC/MS. Values are means $\pm$ SD of three biological replicates.