

## Direct conversion of wheat bran hemicelluloses into *n*-decyl-pentosides

### Supplementary Data

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#### General information:

#### Materials and chemicals

*n*-decanol, H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> (96%) and NaOH (50% solution) of analytical grade were used as received (Acros) without further purification. Wheat Straw was used after being chopped with a mixer in order to obtain fibrils of 1-2 mm of length.

#### NMR, FT-IR and MS/HRMS

NMR spectra were recorded with a Bruker AC 250 (250 MHz for <sup>1</sup>H and 62 MHz for <sup>13</sup>C). Chemical shifts are given in ppm relative to the residual solvent signal.

IR spectra were recorded on a Nicolet AVATAR 320 FT-IR.

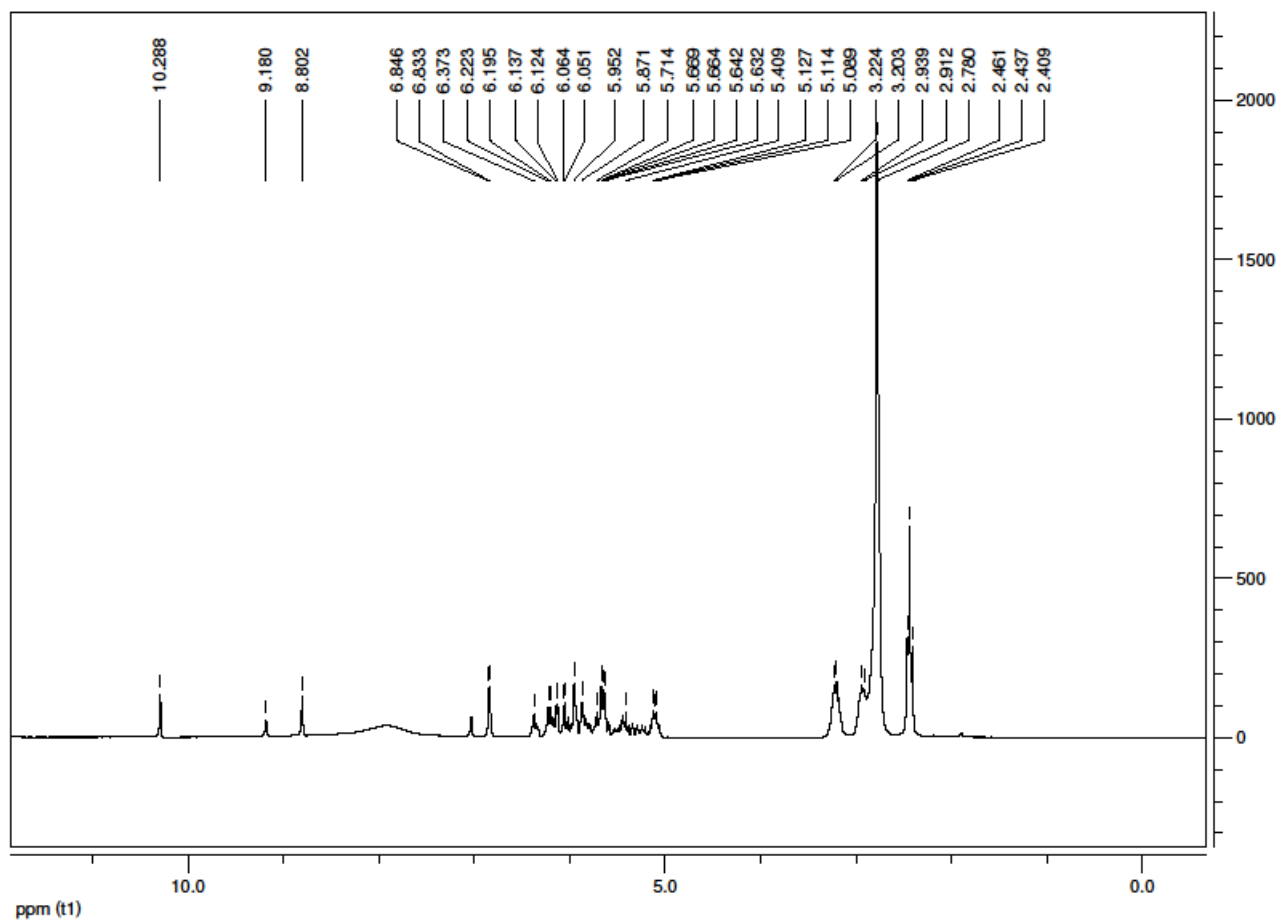
MS and HRMS were obtained on a hybrid tandem quadrupole/time-of-flight (Q-TOF) instrument, equipped with a pneumatically assisted electrospray (Z-spray) ion source (Micromass, Manshester, UK) operated in positive mode (EV = 30V, 80°C, flow of injection 5ml/min).

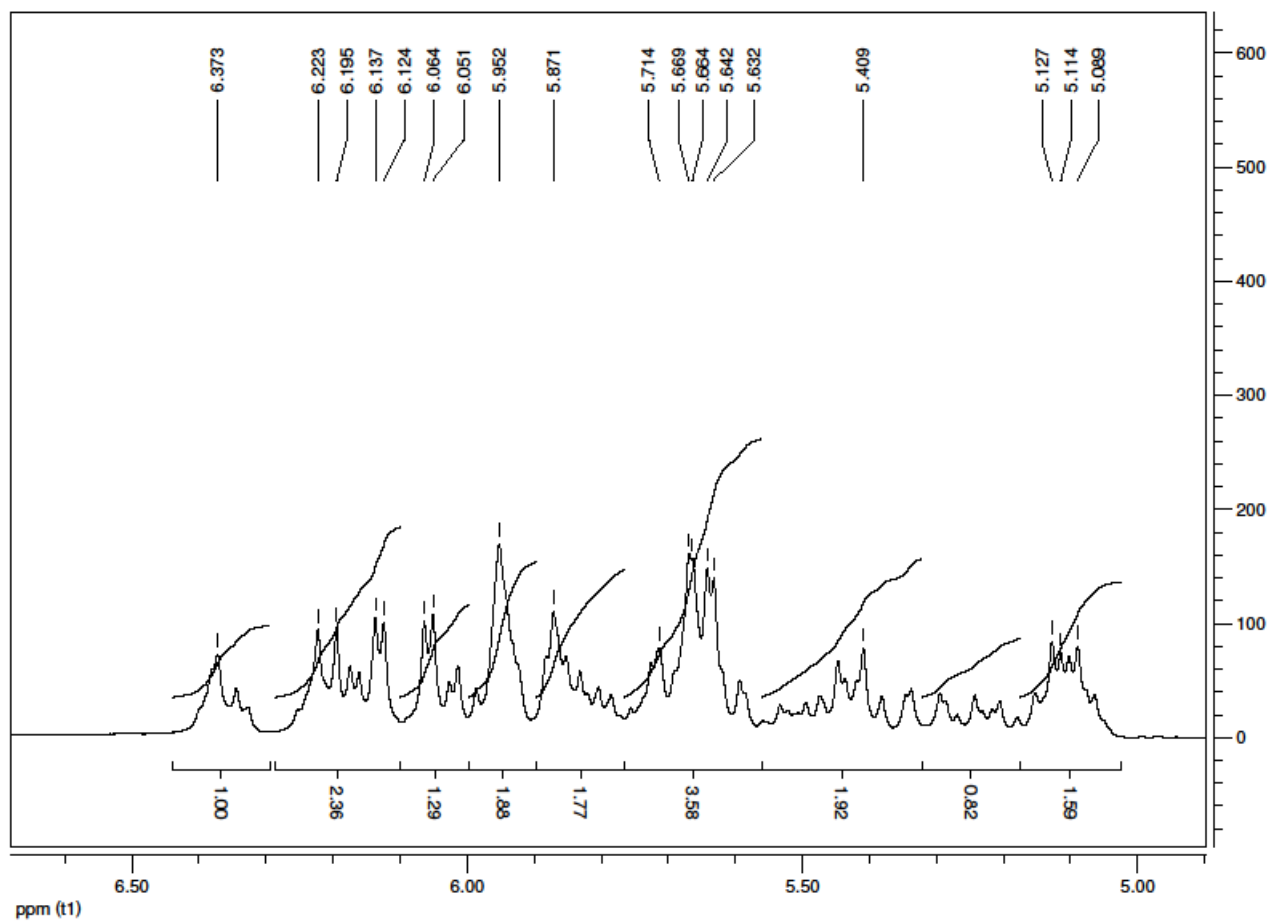
All decyl glycosides are known products synthesised as previously described<sup>1</sup>.

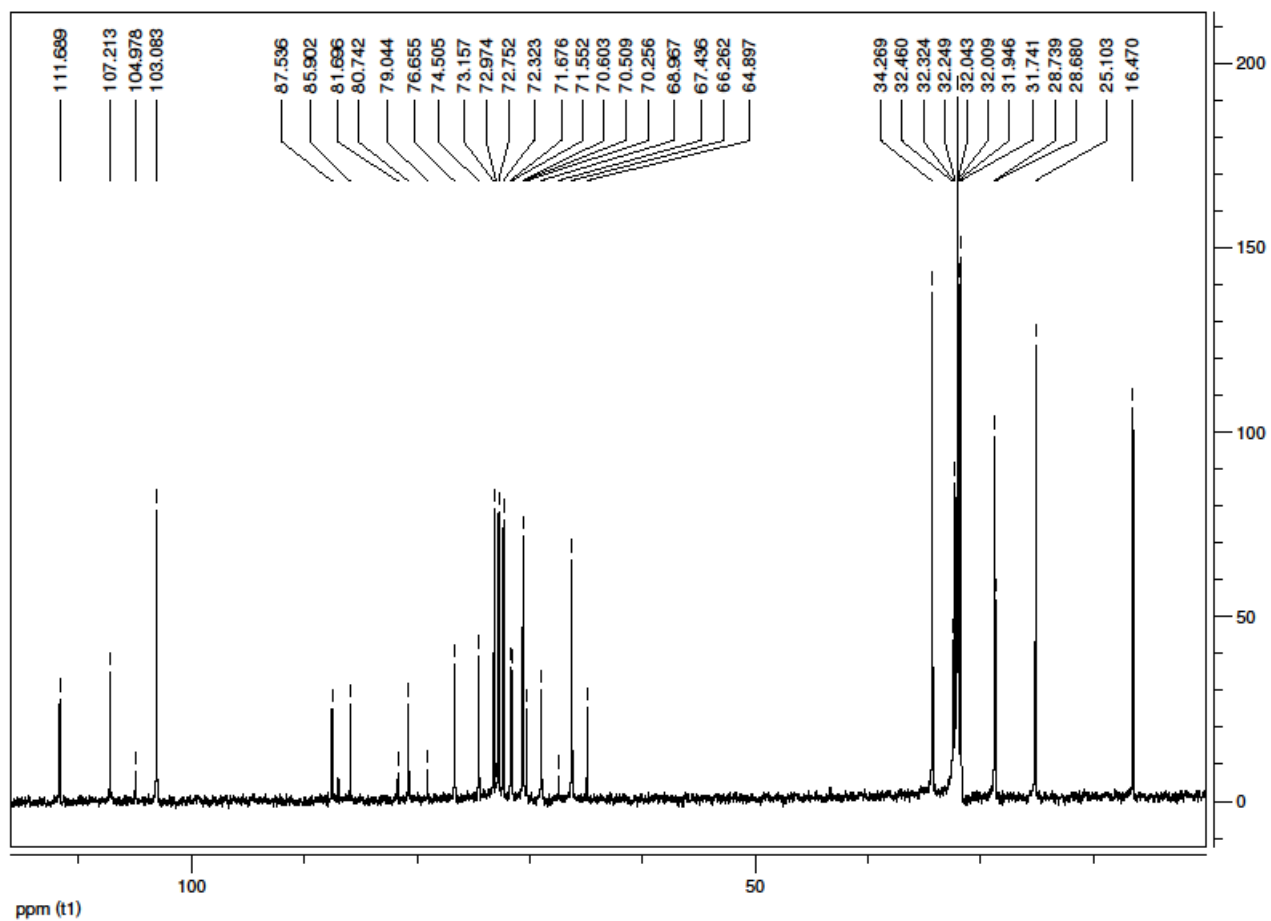
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m/z calculated for trimethylsilylated standard [C<sub>24</sub>H<sub>58</sub>NO<sub>5</sub>Si<sub>3</sub> +], 524.36, found 524

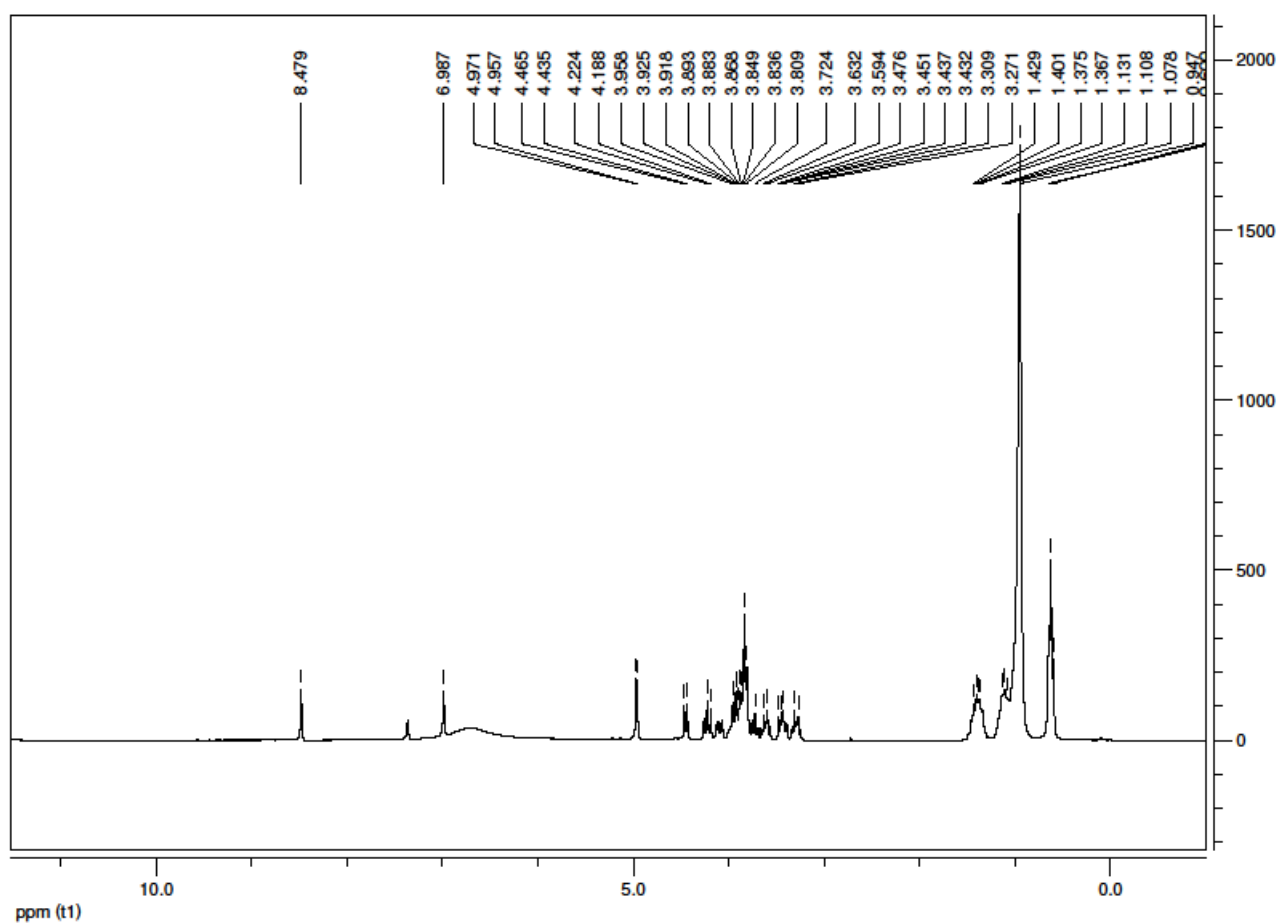
### *n*-decyl xylosides

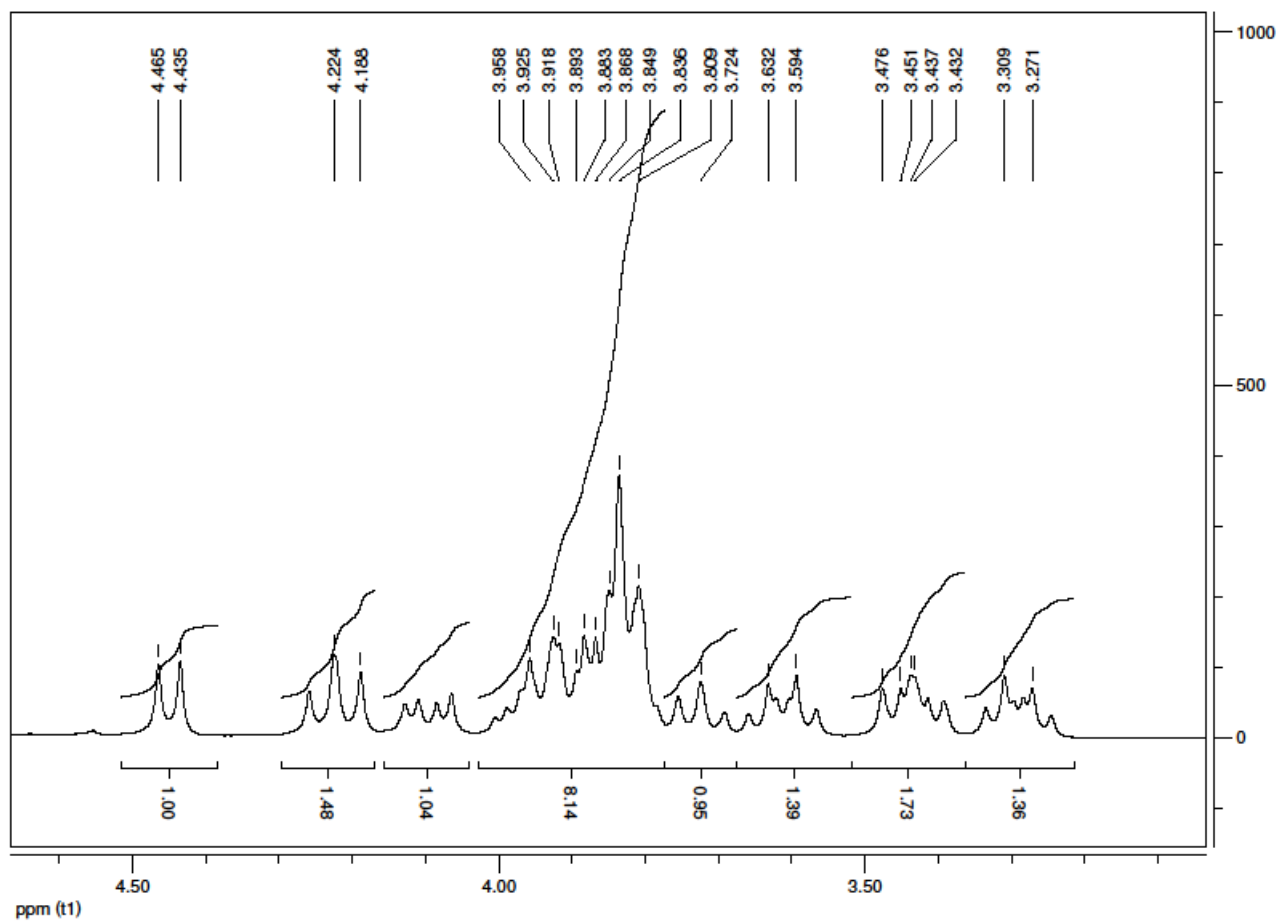
IR :  $\nu_{\max}$  (film)/ $\text{cm}^{-1}$  : 3378 (F, O-H), 2919, 2852 (F, C-H), 1469 (f,  $\text{CH}_2$ ), 1377 (f,  $\text{CH}_3$ ), 1245 (f, C-O), 1144, 1114 (f, C-OH), 1044 (F, C-OH)

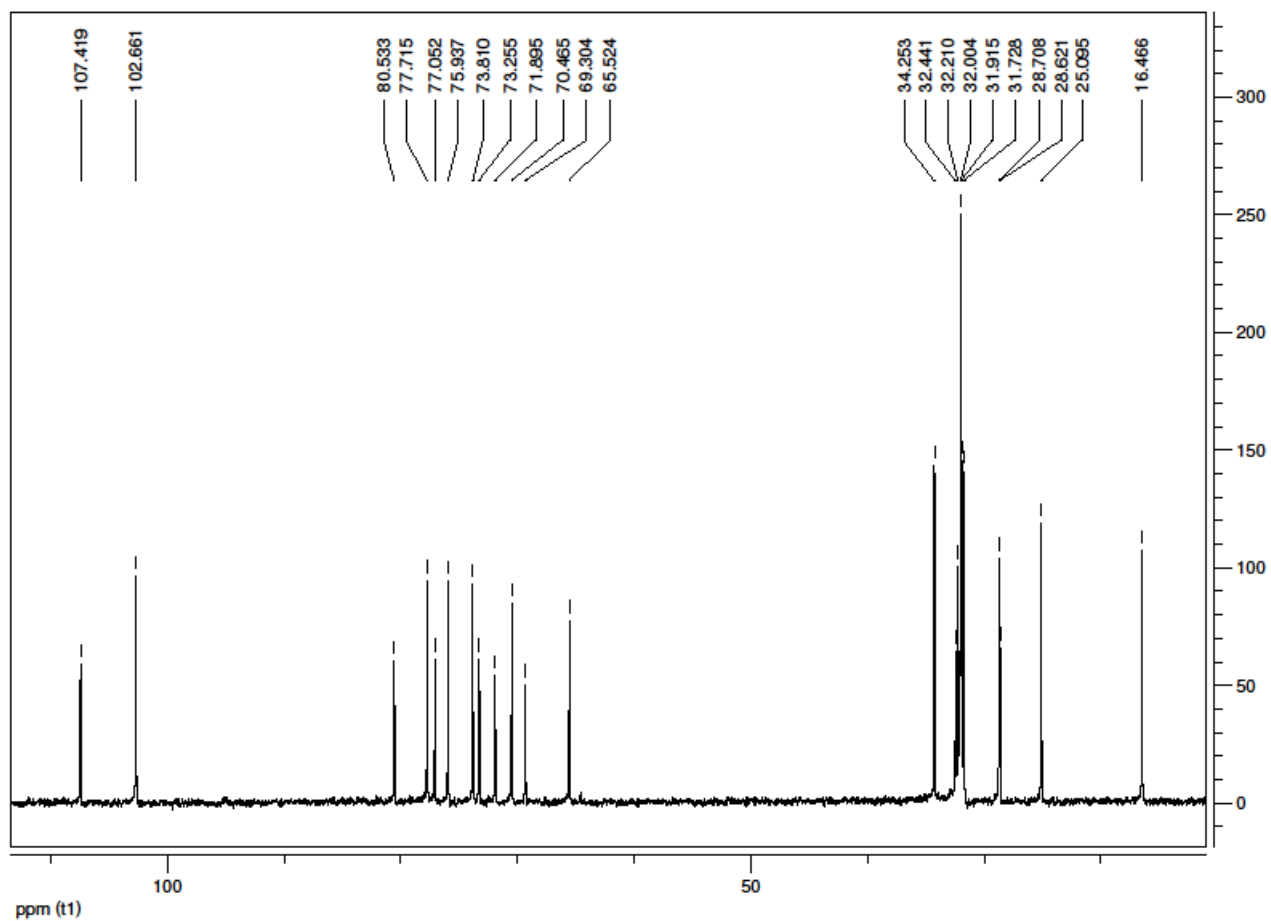
$m/z$  calculated for  $[\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_5 + \text{Na}^+]$ , 313,1991, found 313,1980

Elemental analysis ( $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{30}\text{O}_5$ ) :      Calculated      C = 62,04 % ; H = 10,41 %

Found                      C = 60,02 % ; H = 10,55 %







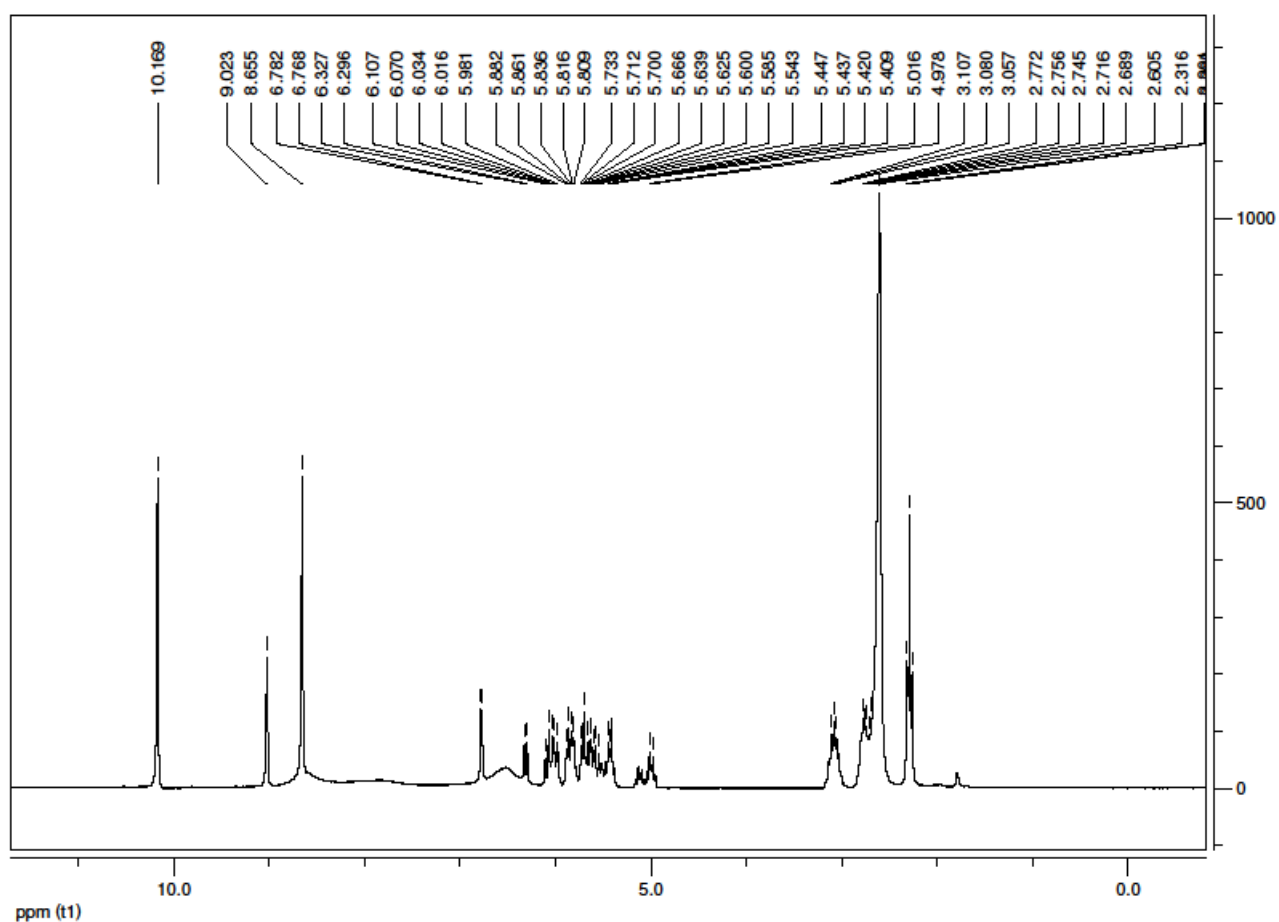
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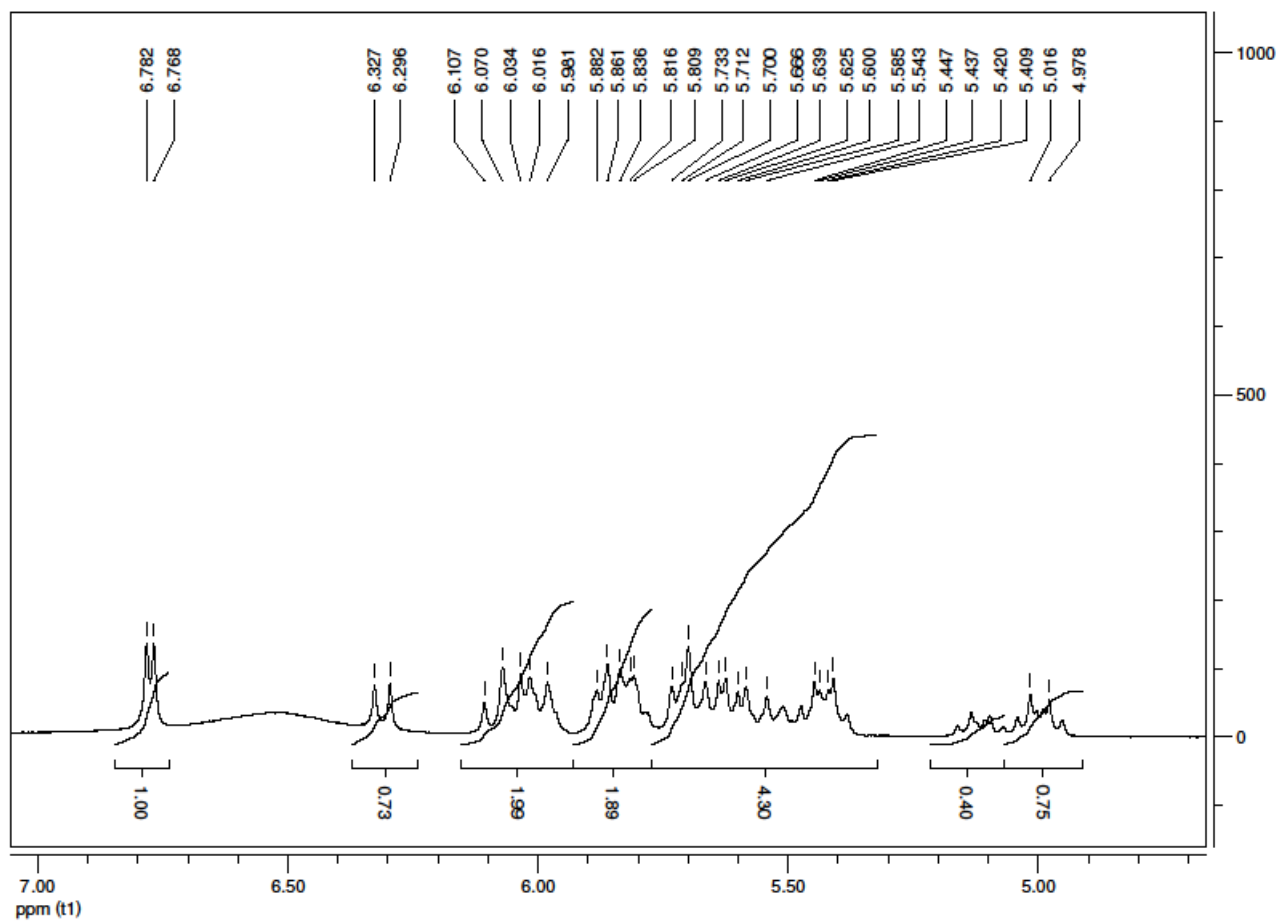


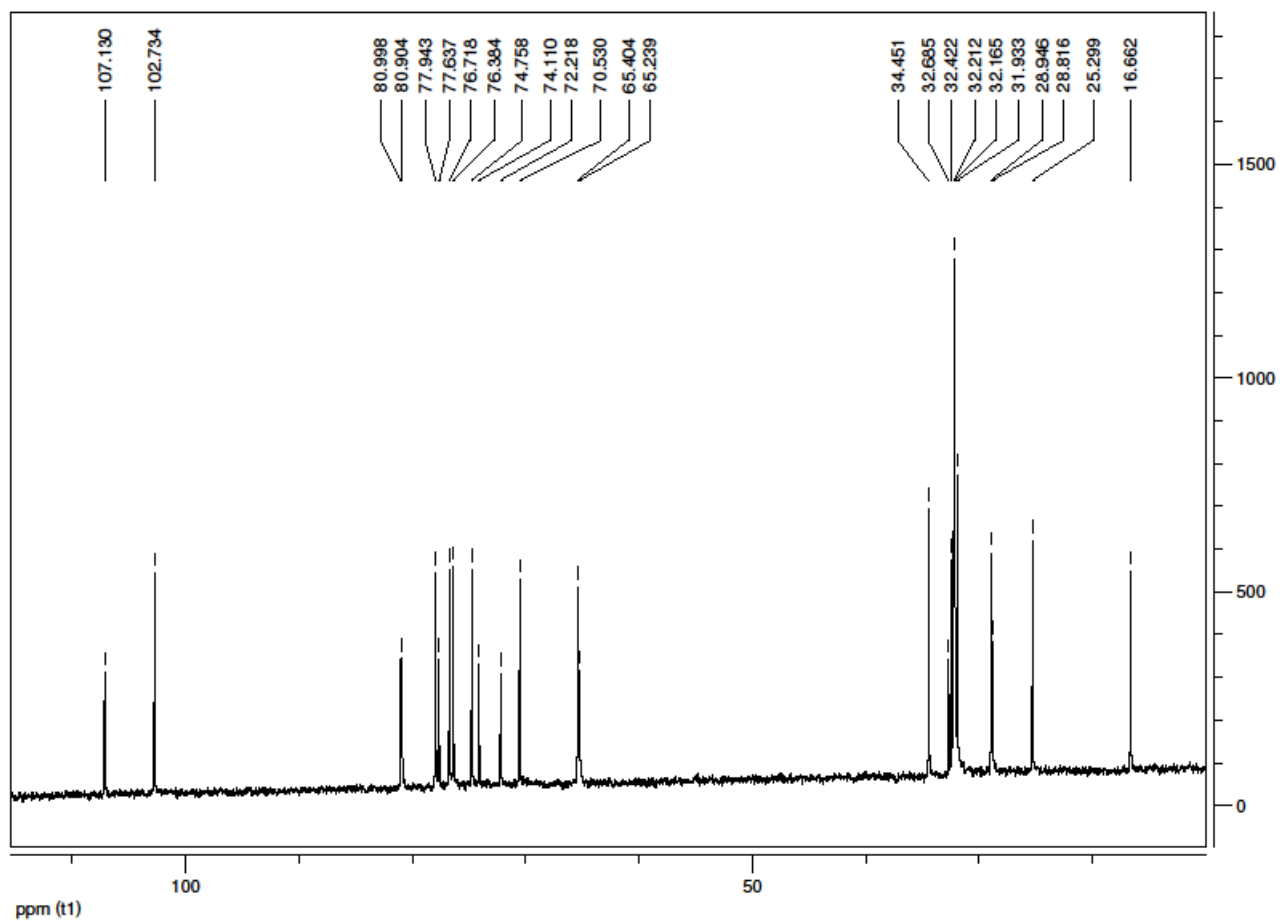
## *n*-decyl glucosides

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$m/z$  calculated for  $[\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{37}\text{O}_5 + \text{Na}^+]$ , 341,1784, found 341,1776

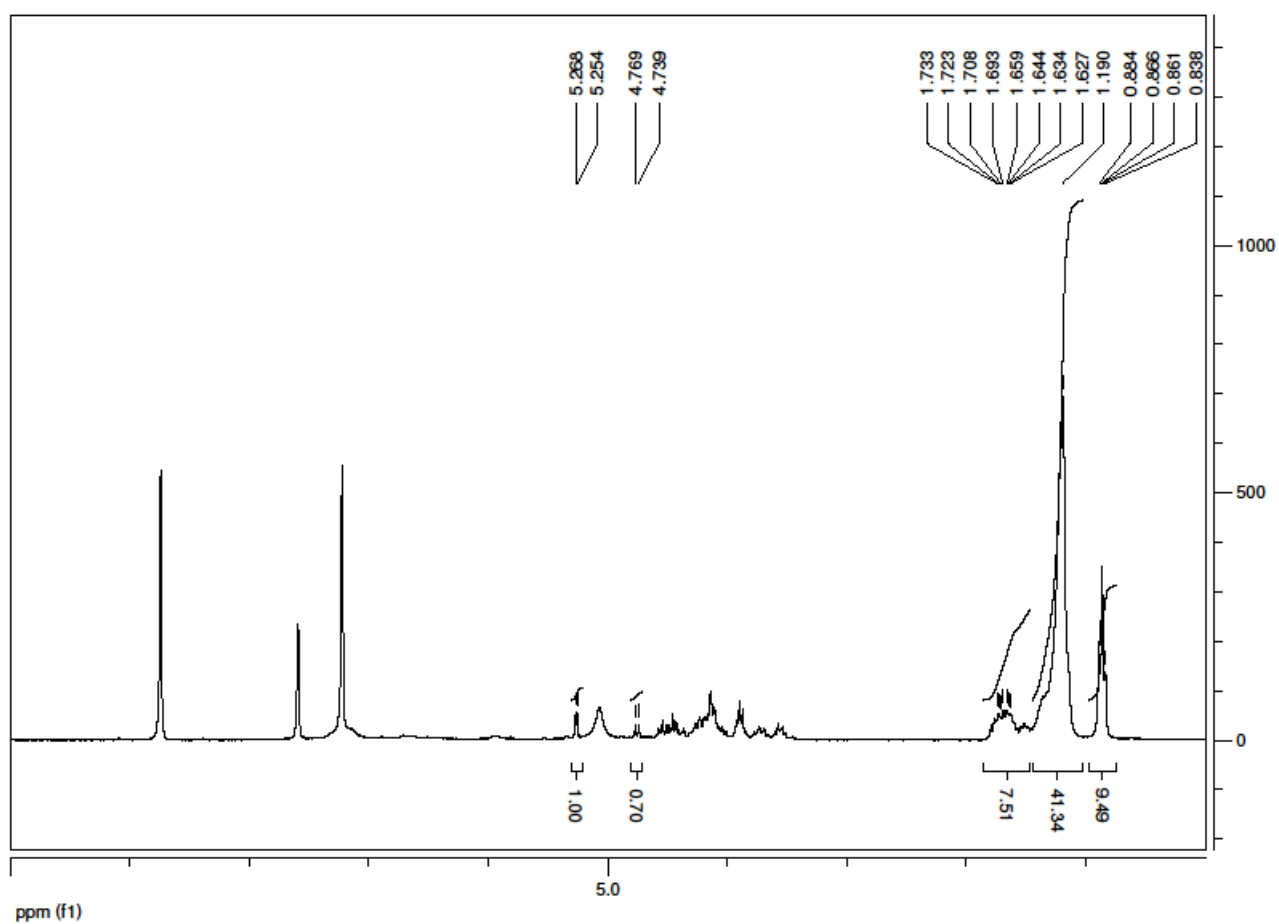


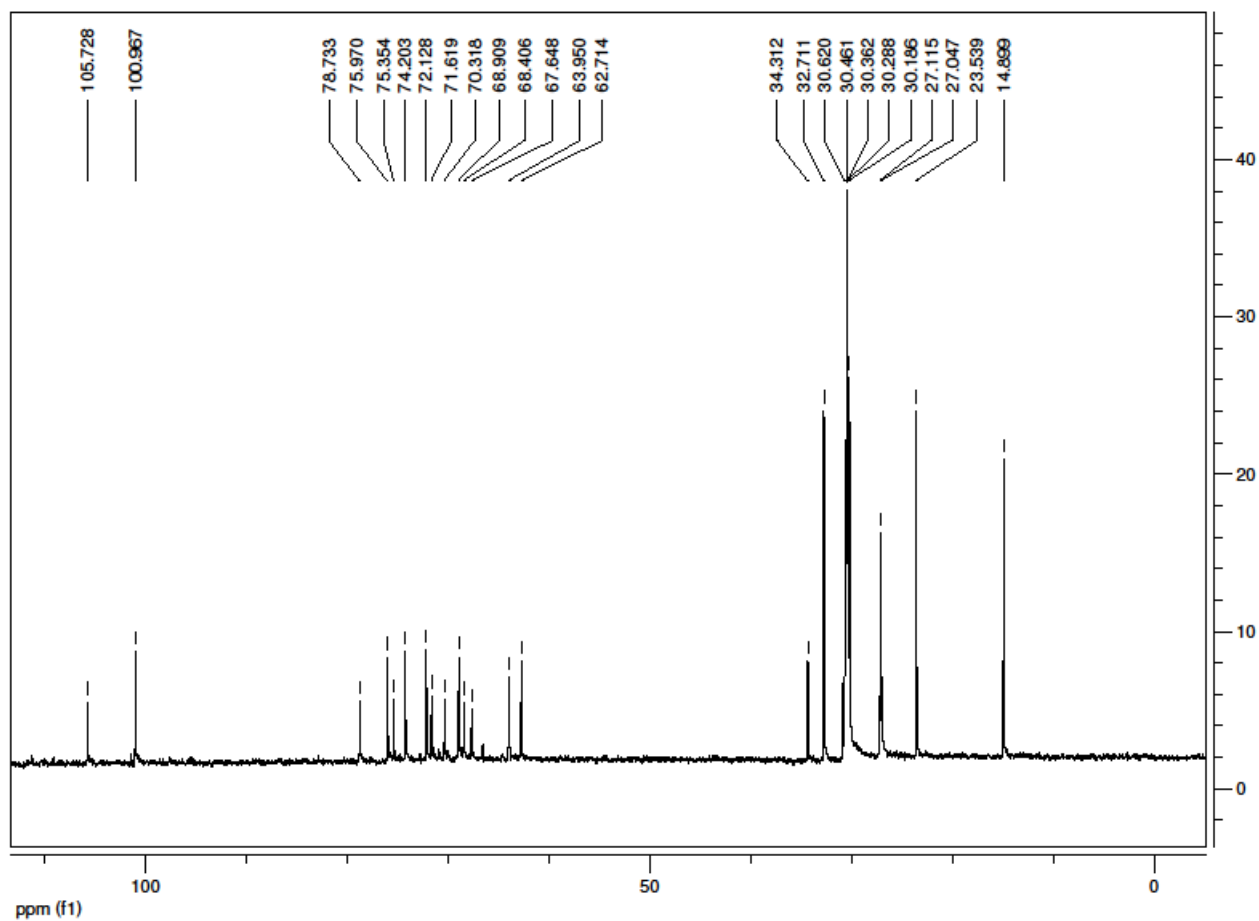




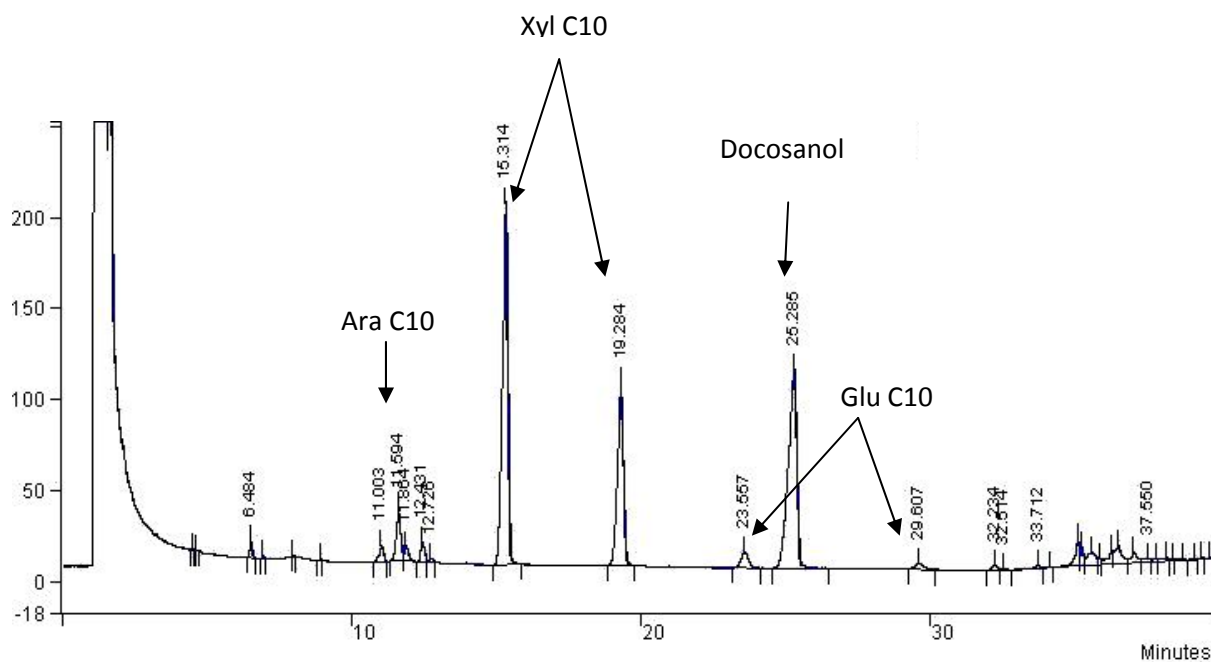
m/z calculated for trimethylsilylated standard [C<sub>28</sub>H<sub>64</sub>O<sub>6</sub>Si<sub>4</sub> +], 608.38, found 608

**NMR spectra of the isolated decyl-glycosides crude mixture obtained from wheat bran  
(Entry 9, Table 1).**





## Trace GC of the crude glycosides mixture (table 1 entry 12) after trimethylsilylether formation<sup>1</sup>.



Materials: docosanol, anhydrous pyridine (ACROS, 99 +%), 1,1,1,3,3,3-hexamethyldisilazane (HMDS) (ACROS, 98%), Chlorotrimethylsilane (TMSCl) (Aldrich, 98%), Tert-butylméthyléther (TBME), (ACROS, 99%)

### PREPARATION OF THE SAMPLE

In a 50 ml flask, weigh accurately 1000 mg of glycosides, add precisely 100 mg of docosanol. Add 10 ml of anhydrous pyridine and let the material solubilize for 12 hours under magnetic stirring.

When dissolved, add 5 ml of HMDS and 3 ml of TMSCl. Let the mixture under magnetic stirring during 10 minutes. Evaporate the solvent under vacuum 1mbar at 55 ° C. The crude residue is then solubilized in 6 ml of TBME and filtered.

### GAS CHROMATOGRAPHY:

\* Apparatus: Shimadzu GC-14B / \* Column: Track 2 CP-sil 13 CB (Varian) Inside diameter: 0.32 mm; Thickness: 1.2 m; Length: 25 m / \* Chromatographic conditions: File 7, Range 0;

Oven: 230 ° C: 32 min; 20 ° C / min, 300 ° C; 300 ° C: 5min; - Injector: 250 ° C - Sensors (F.I.D.): 340 ° C

\* Injection: 0.4 µl

\* Carrier gas: Helium 100 kPa

## STANDARD CALIBRATION

### ETALONNAGE DPI ARA,XYL, GLU DE C8 à C14 PAR RAPPORT AU C22OH :

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Etalon interne		a	b		R2
C22	ARA C8	1,6238	-0,0363	0,13<Ra<1,4	0,991
C22	XYL C8	1,7455	0,0033	0,10<Ra<0,65	0,9985
C22	GLU C8	1,0481	0,0520	0,3<Ra<2,70	0,9938
C22	ARA C10	1,2951	-0,0021	0,2<Ra<0,92	0,9947
C22	XYL C10	1,8945	-0,0475	0,10<Ra<1,05	0,9958
C22	GLU C10	1,0215	-0,0183	0,28<Ra<2,60	0,9973
C22	ARA C12	1,2137	0,0492	0,15<Ra<0,76	0,9881
C22	XYL C12	1,0250	0,0107	0,05<Ra<1,1	0,9981
C22	GLU C12	1,0630	0,0063	0,2<Ra<0,72	0,9969
C22	ARA C14	1,2503	0,0042	0,16<Ra<0,86	0,9967
C22	XYL C14	0,9651	0,0256	0,07<Ra<1,1	0,9966
C22	GLU C14	0,9079	0,0839	0,22<Ra<1,22	0,9665