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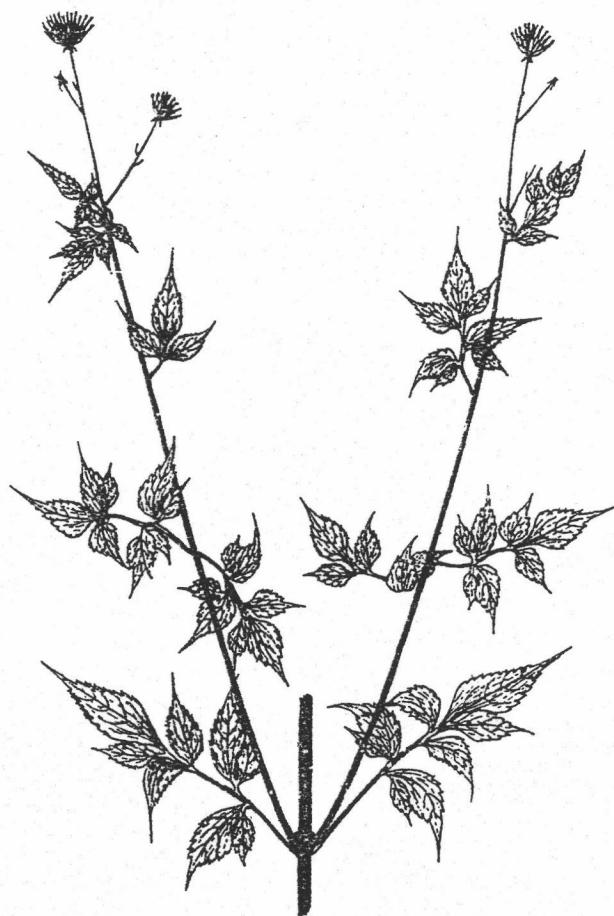
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## **APPENDIX**



**Figure 1** *Bidens biternata* (Lour.) Merr. & Sherff

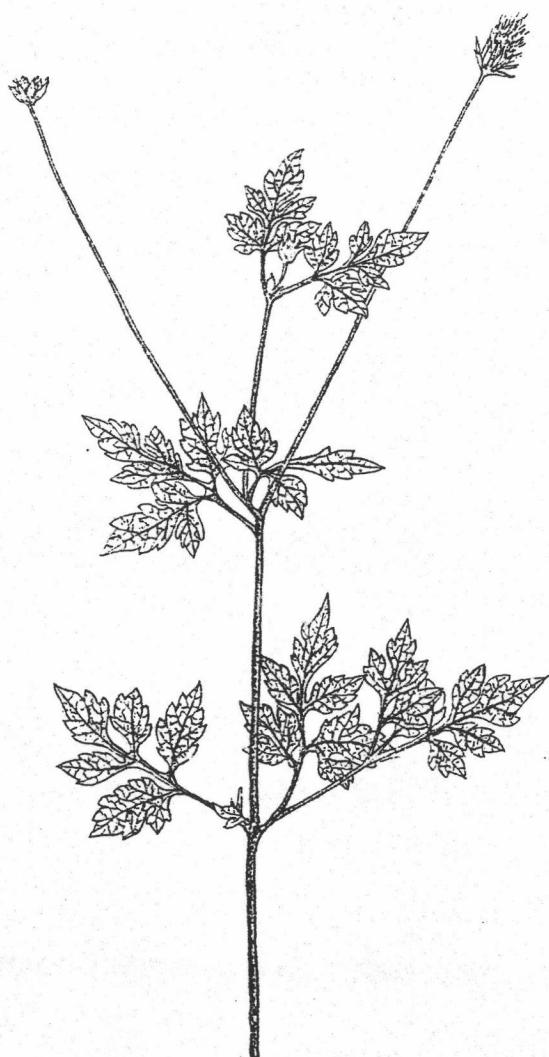
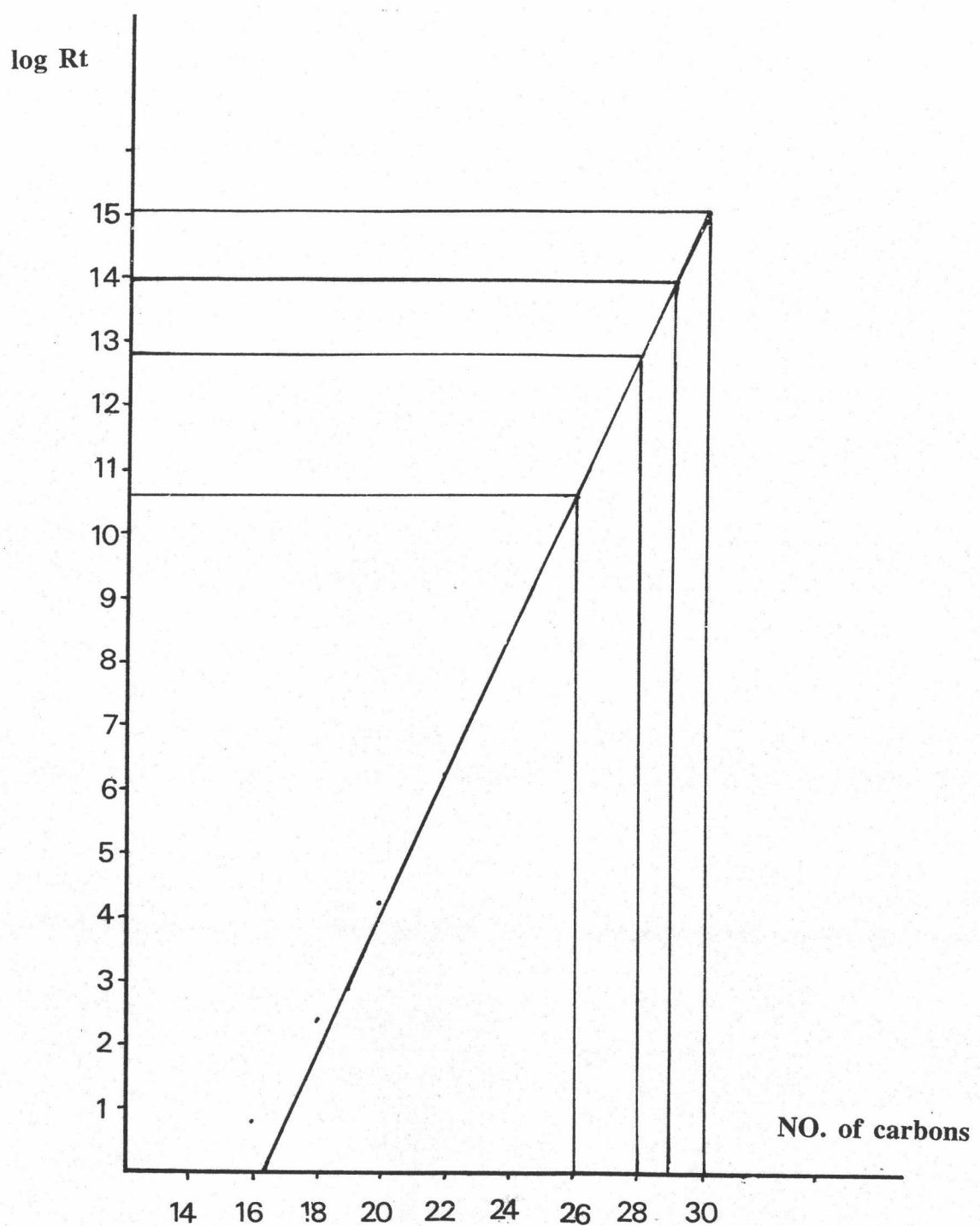


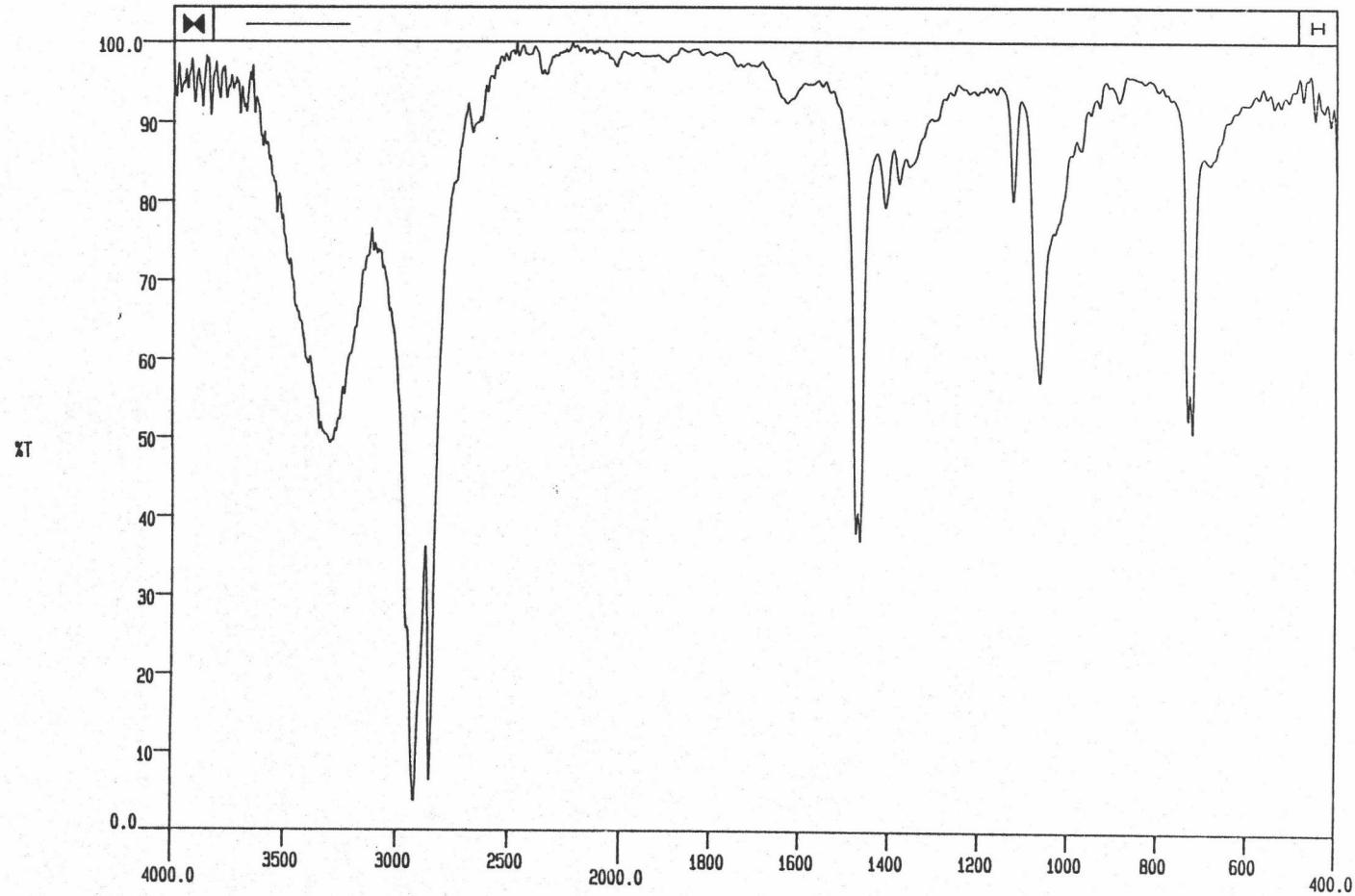
Figure 2 *Bidens bipinnata* Linn.



Figure 3 *Bidens pilosa* Linn.



**Figure 4** Graph illustrating the relationship between the  $\log R_t$  and the number of carbon of authentic long chain alcohols and BB-1



**Figure 5** The IR spectrum of BB-1 (KBr disc)

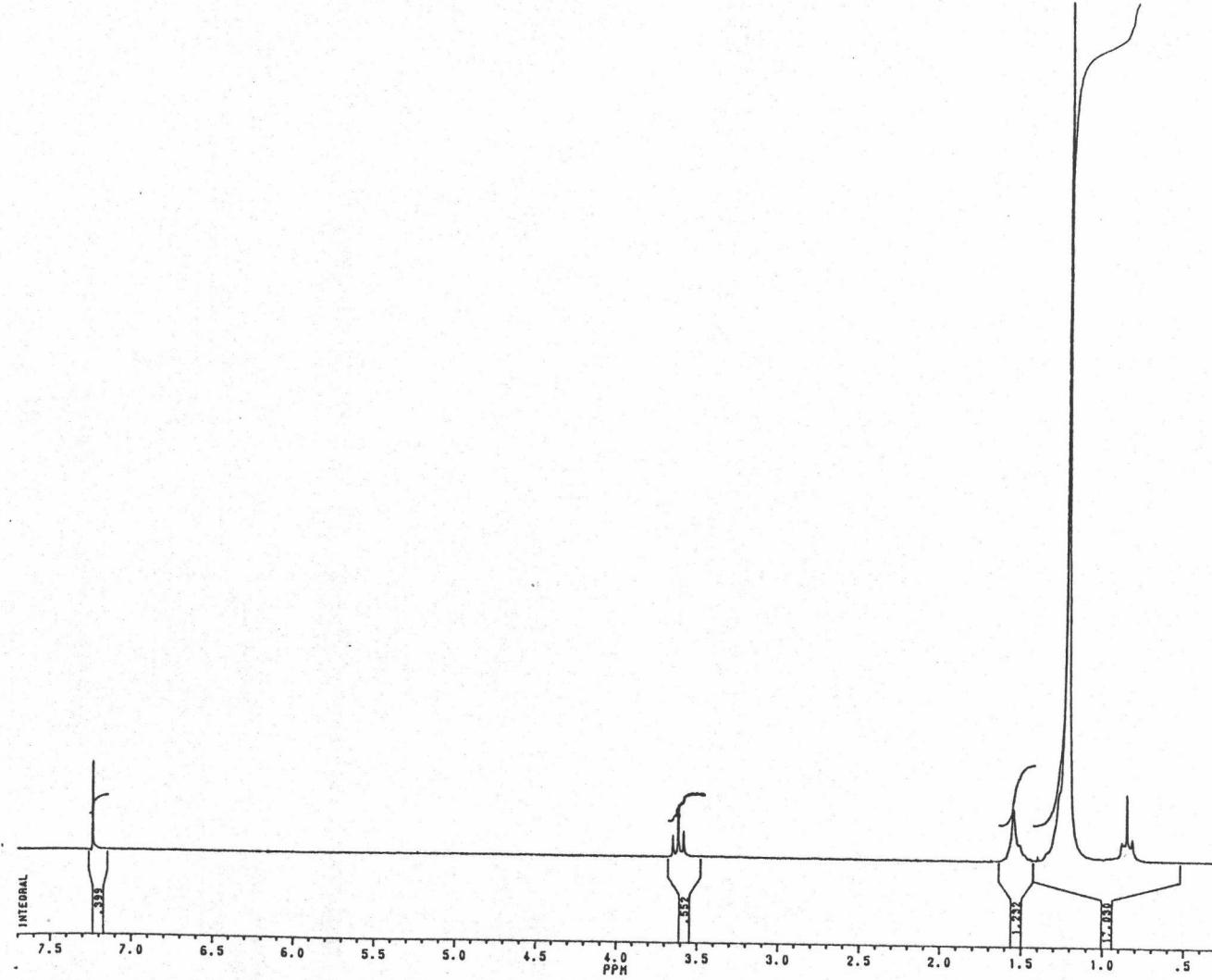


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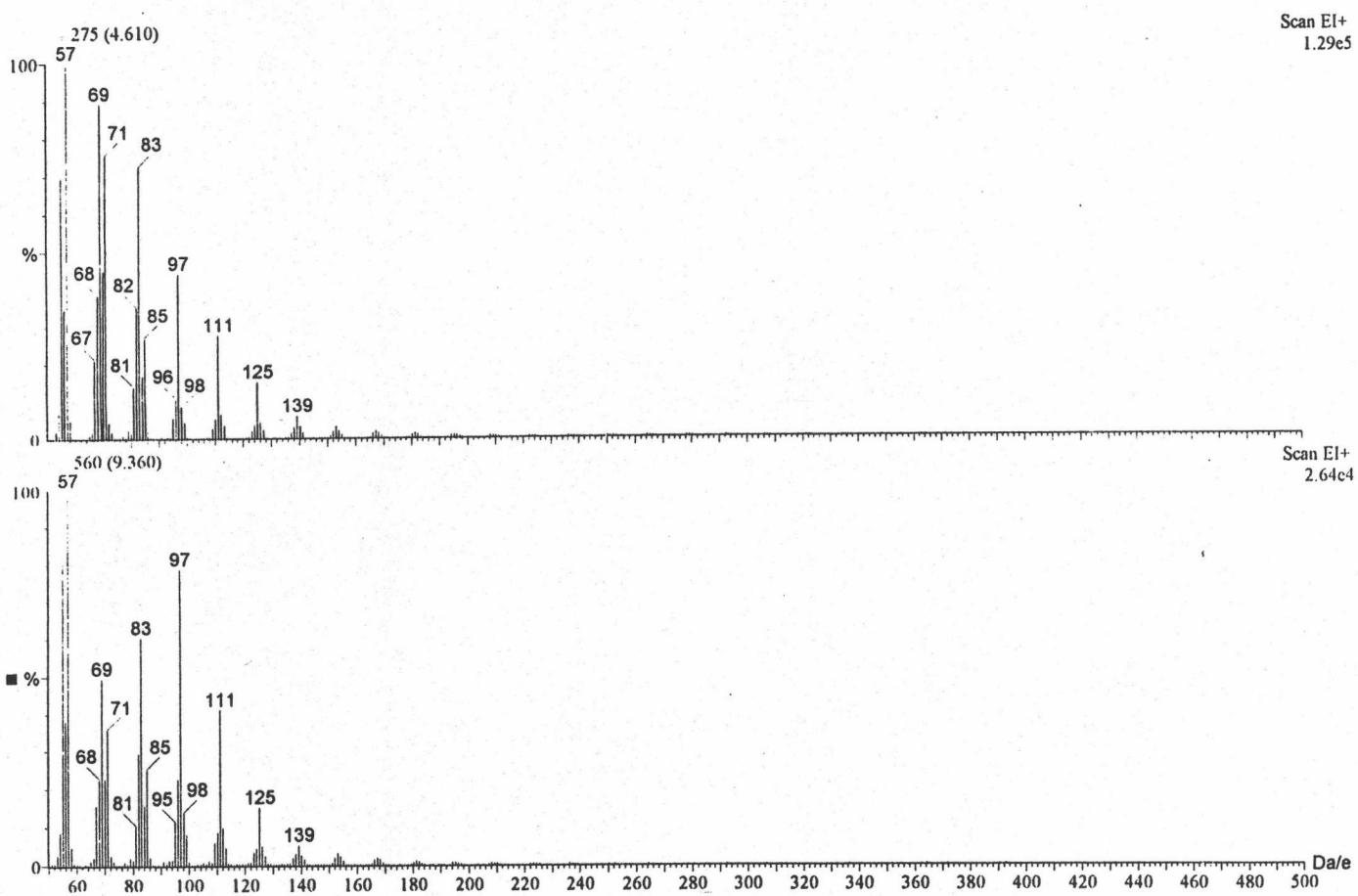
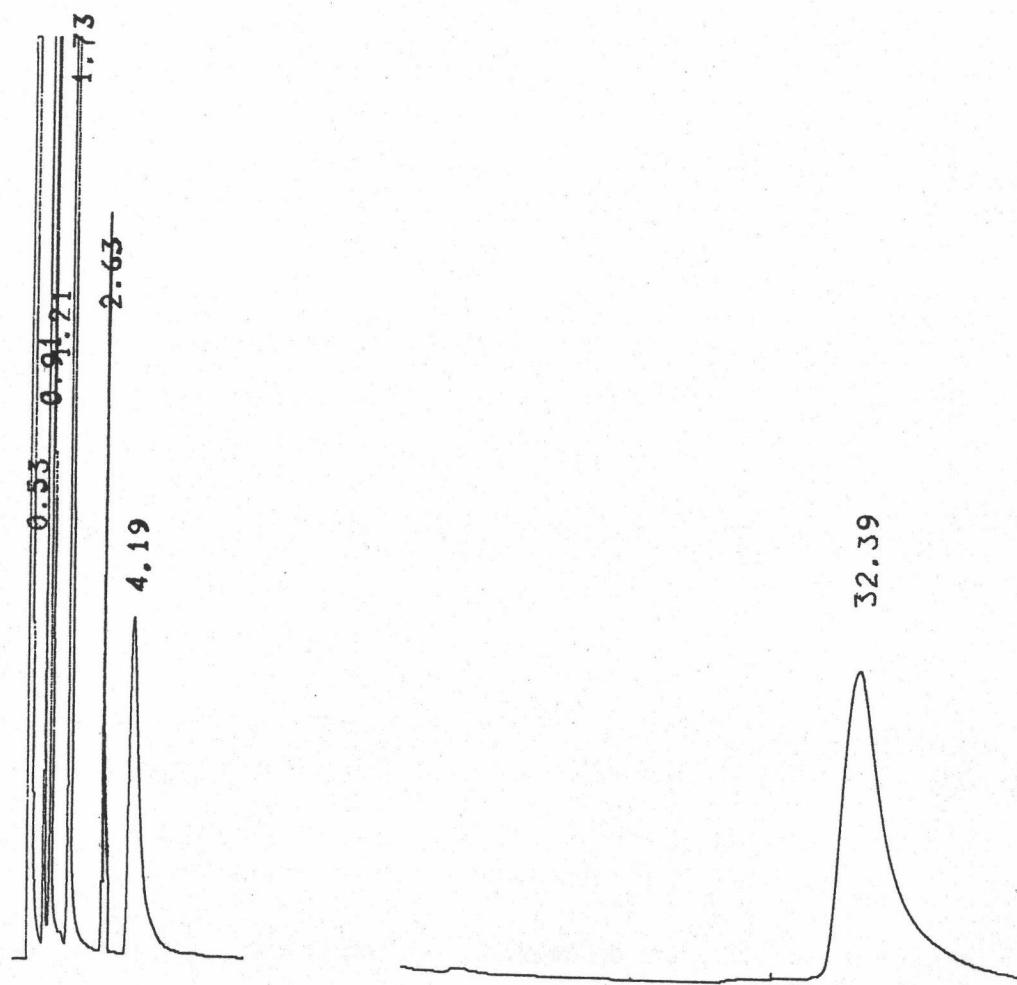
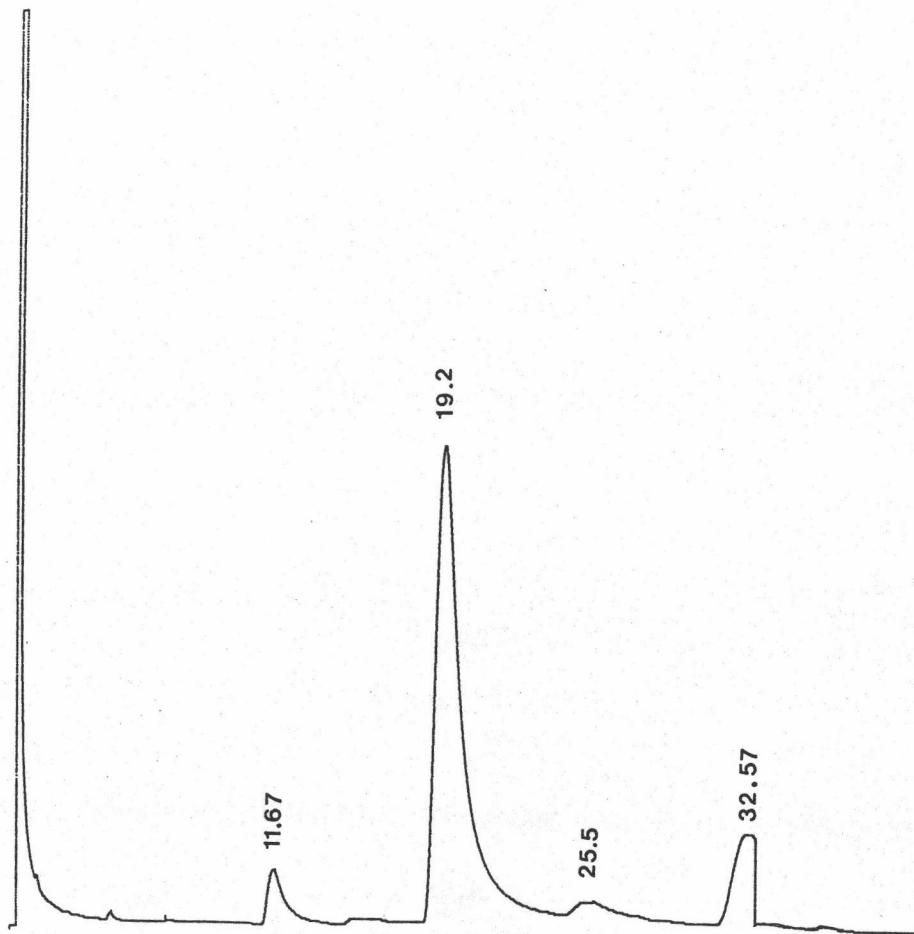


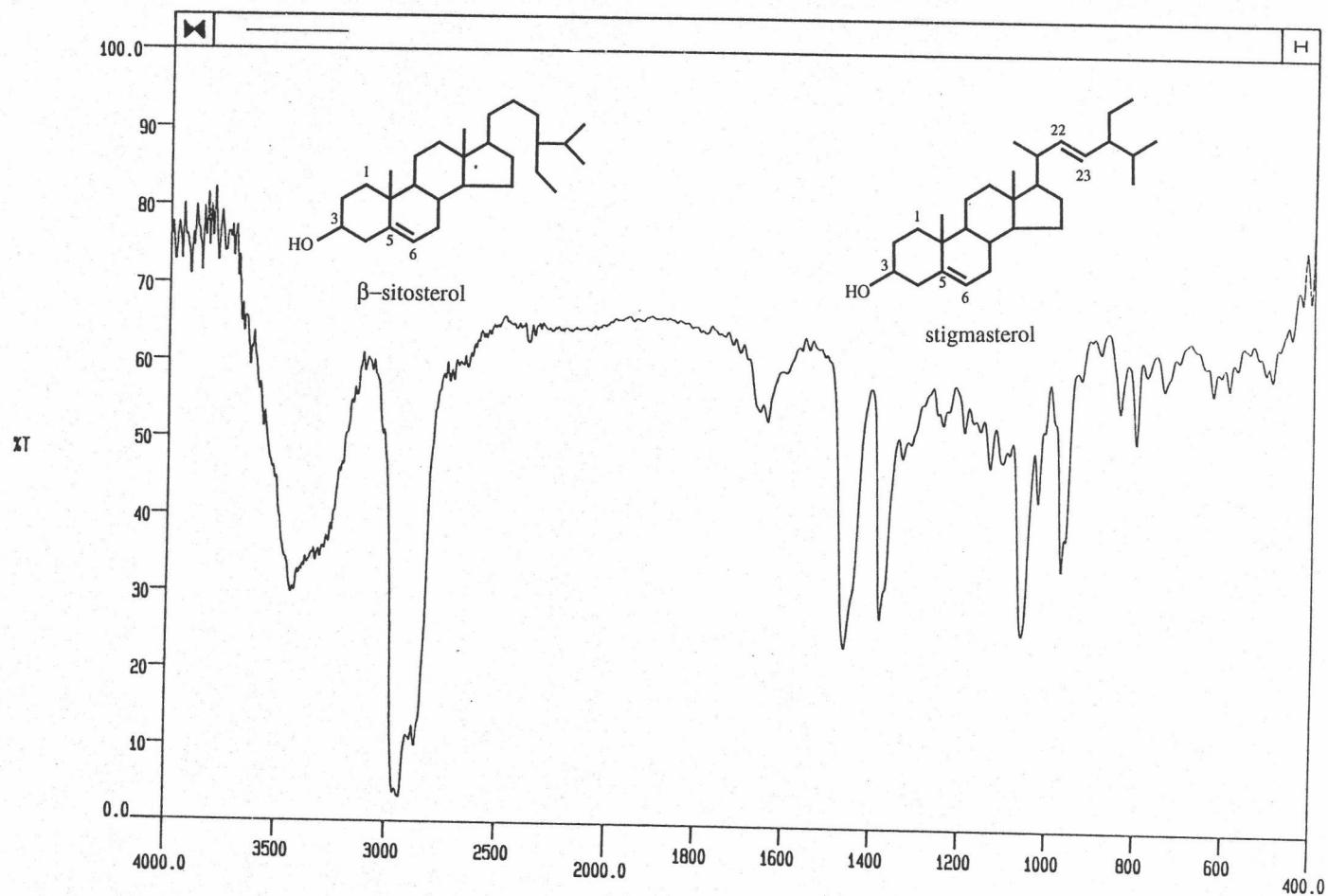
Figure 7 The EIMS spectrum of BB-1



**Figure 8** The gas chromatograms of the authentic long chain alcohols



**Figure 9** The gas chromatogram of BB-1



**Figure 10** The IR spectrum of BB-2 (KBr disc)

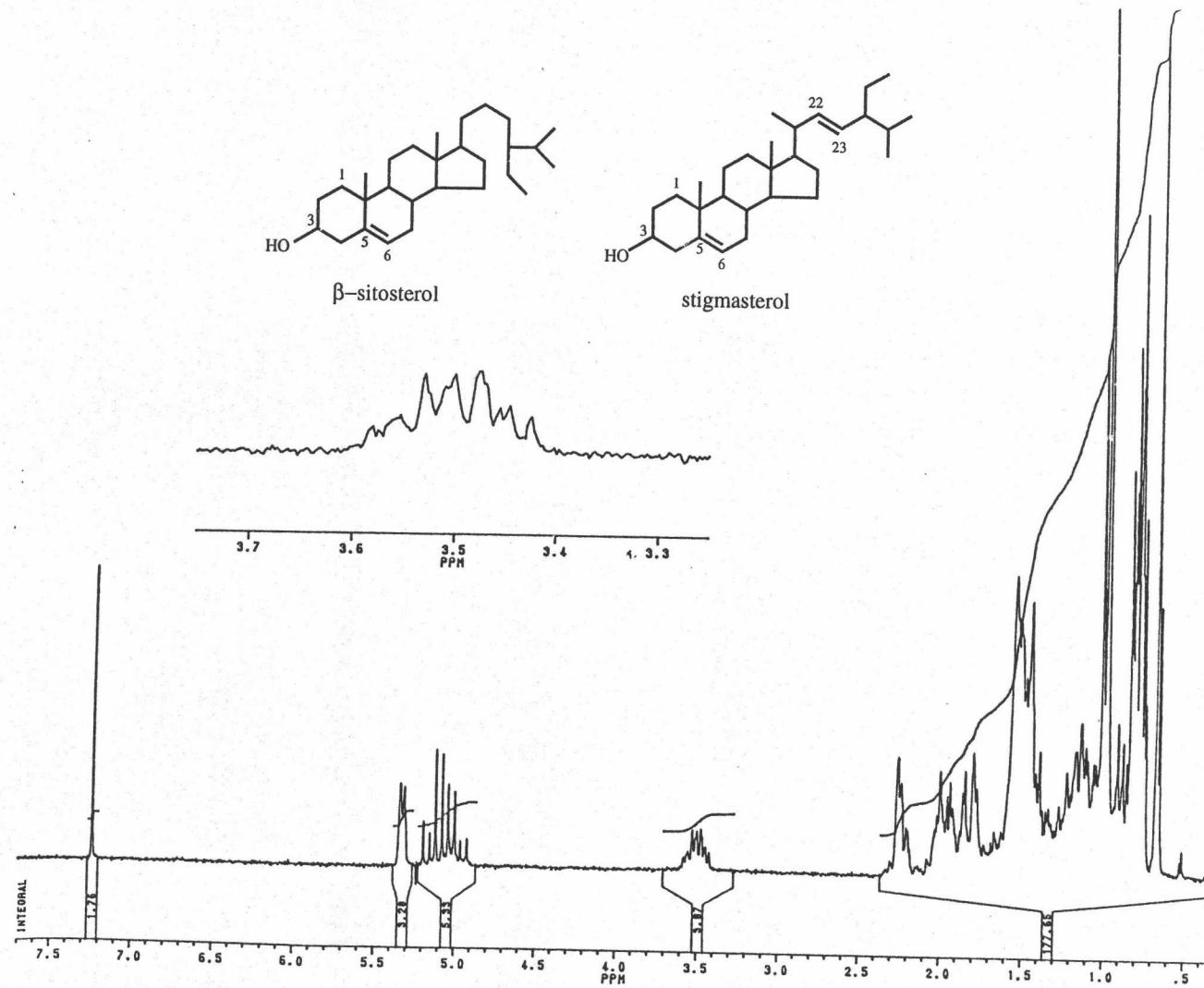


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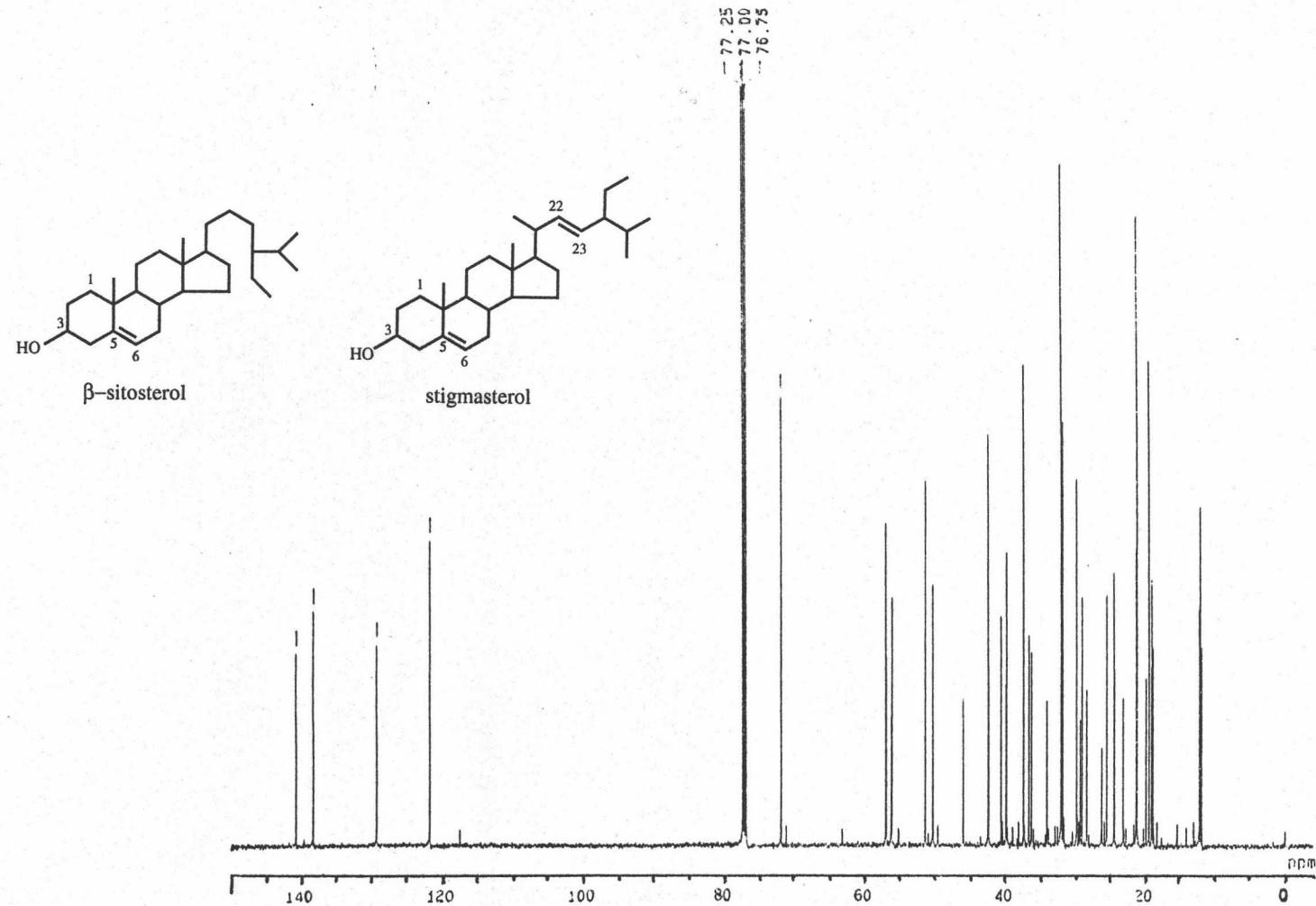


Figure 12 The 125 MHz  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of BB-2(in  $\text{CDCl}_3$ )

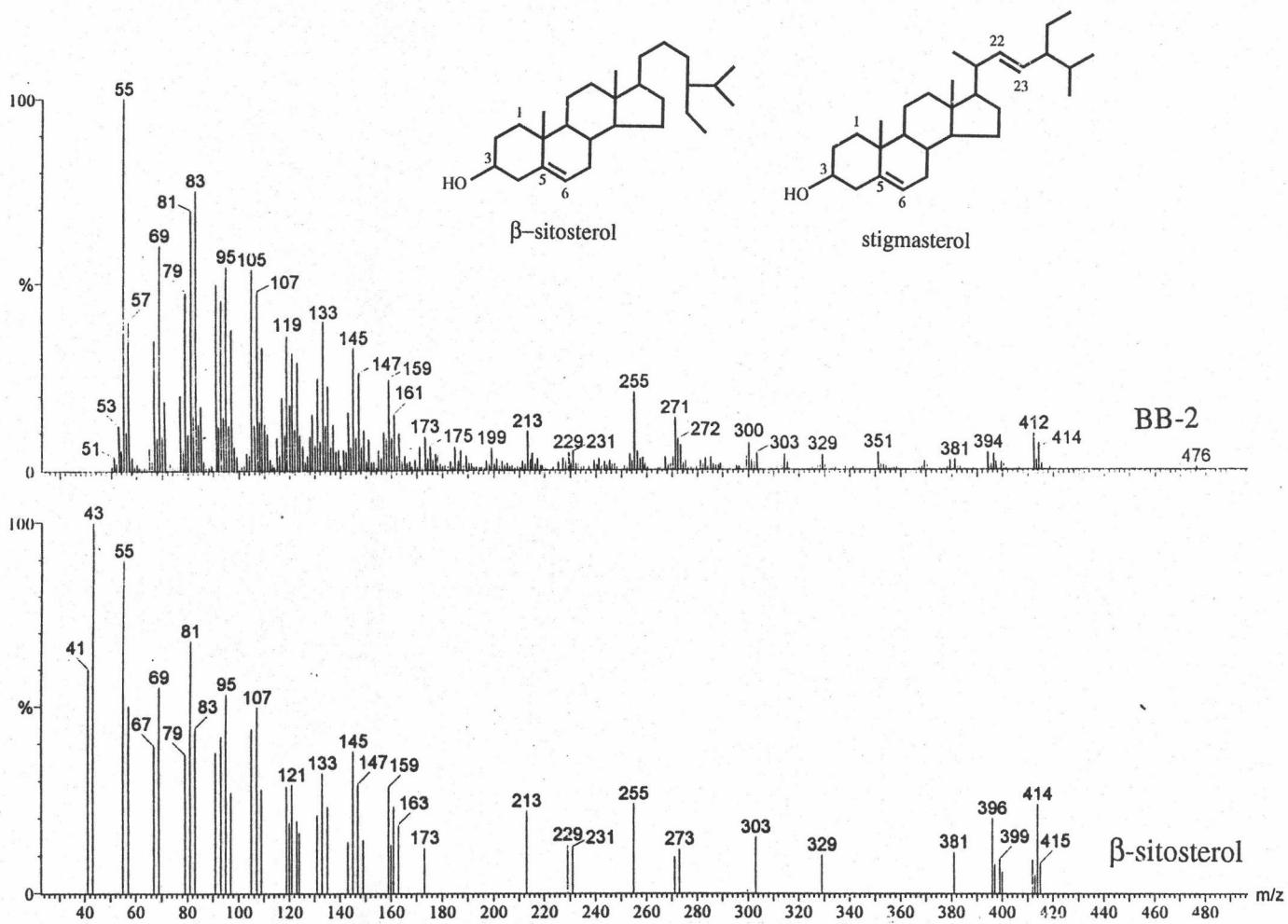
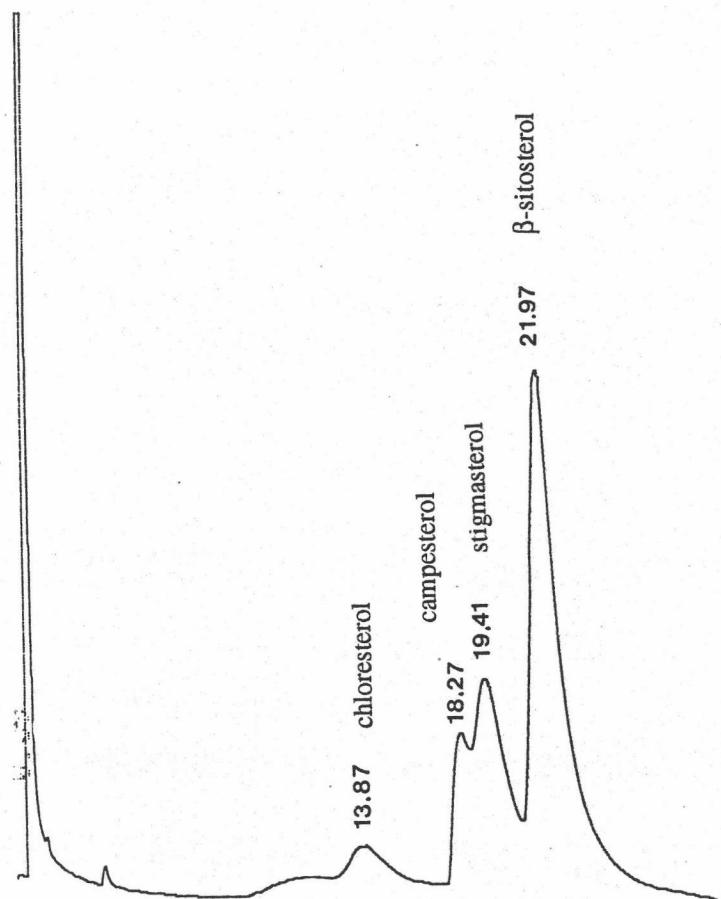
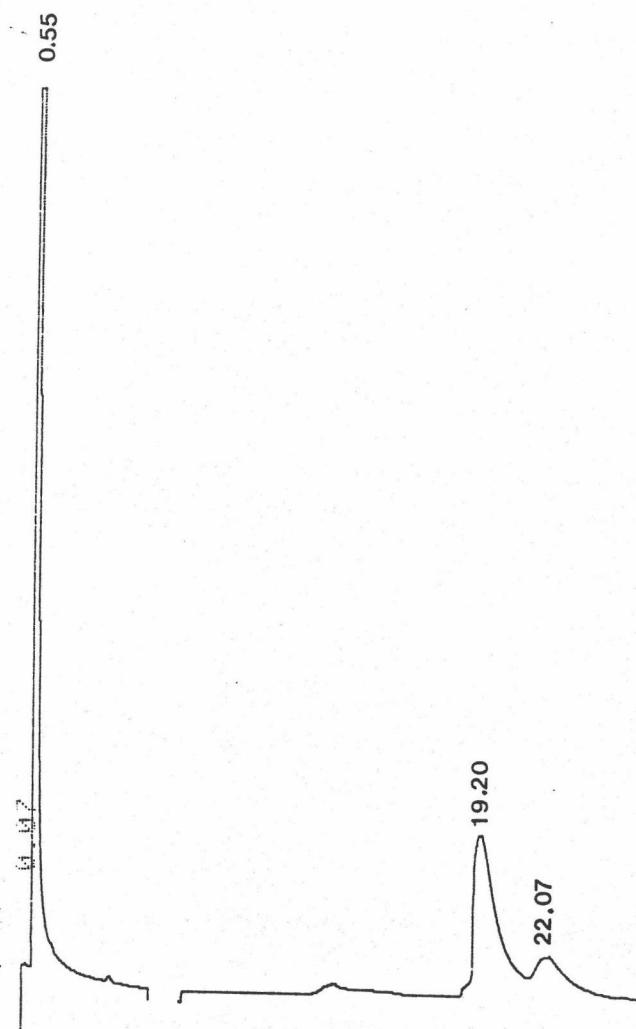


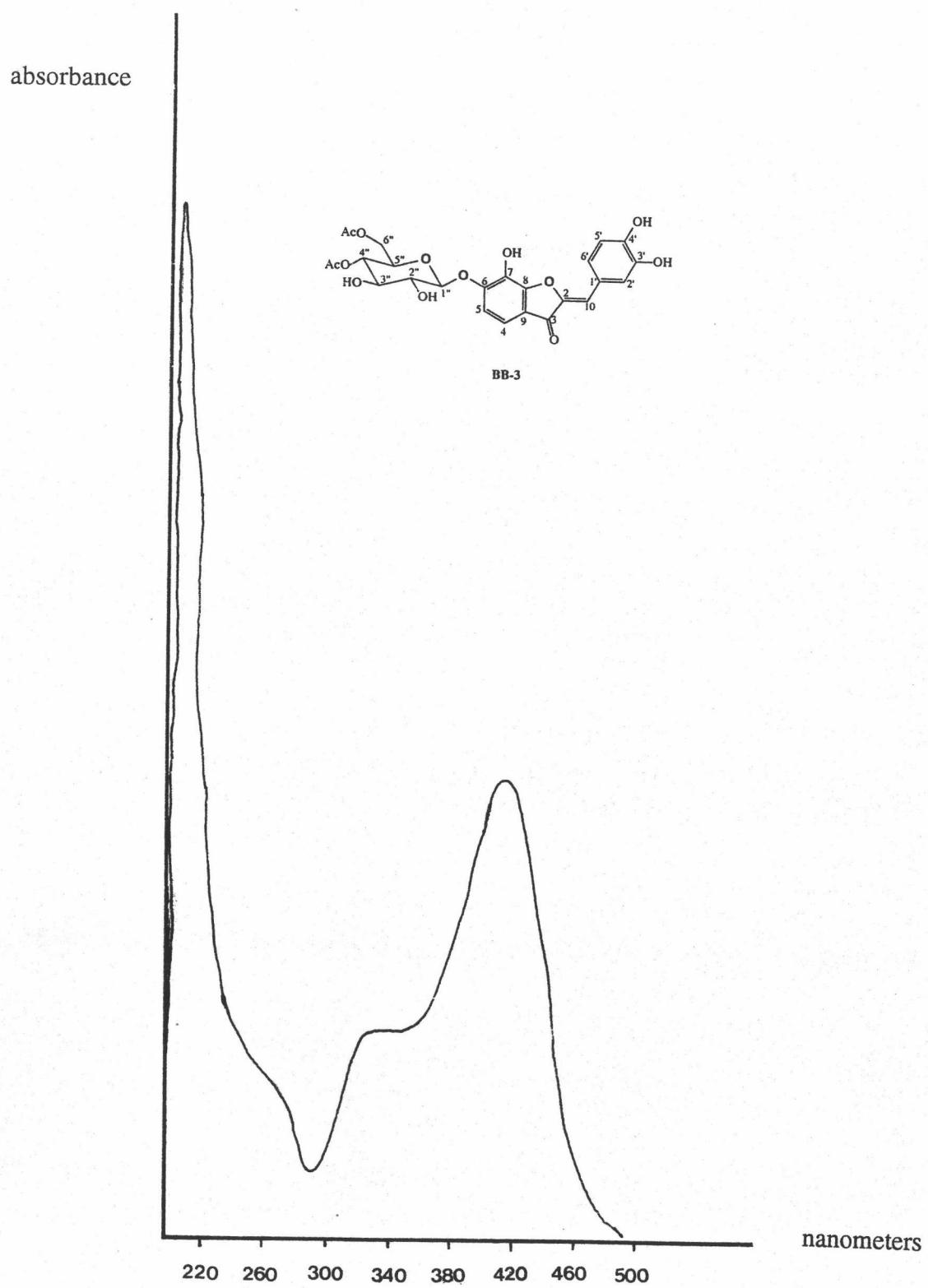
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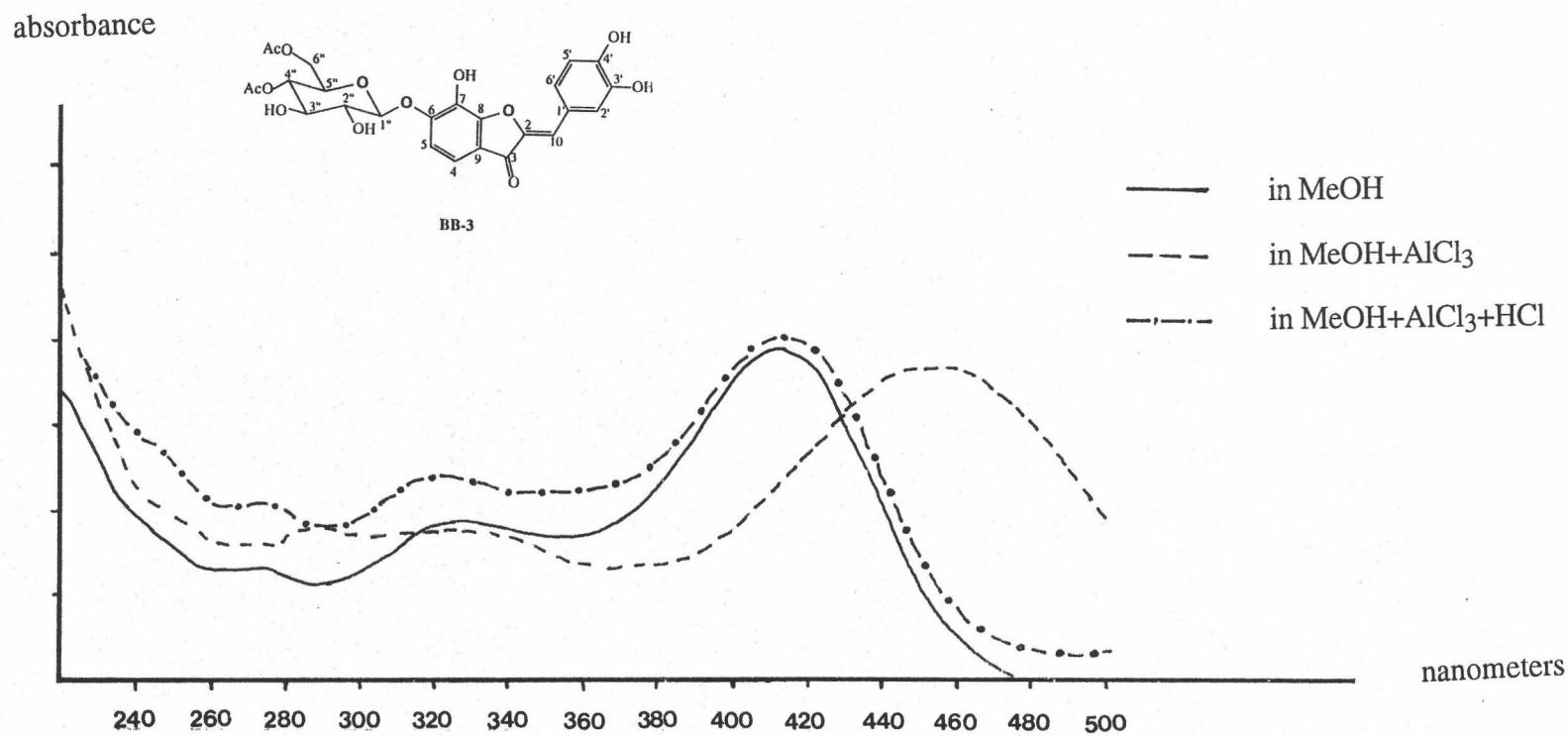
**Figure 14** The gas chromatogram of the authentic steroids



**Figure 15** The gas chromatogram of BB-2



**Figure 16** The UV spectrum of BB-3 (in methanol)



**Figure 17** The UV spectra of BB-3 with shift reagent

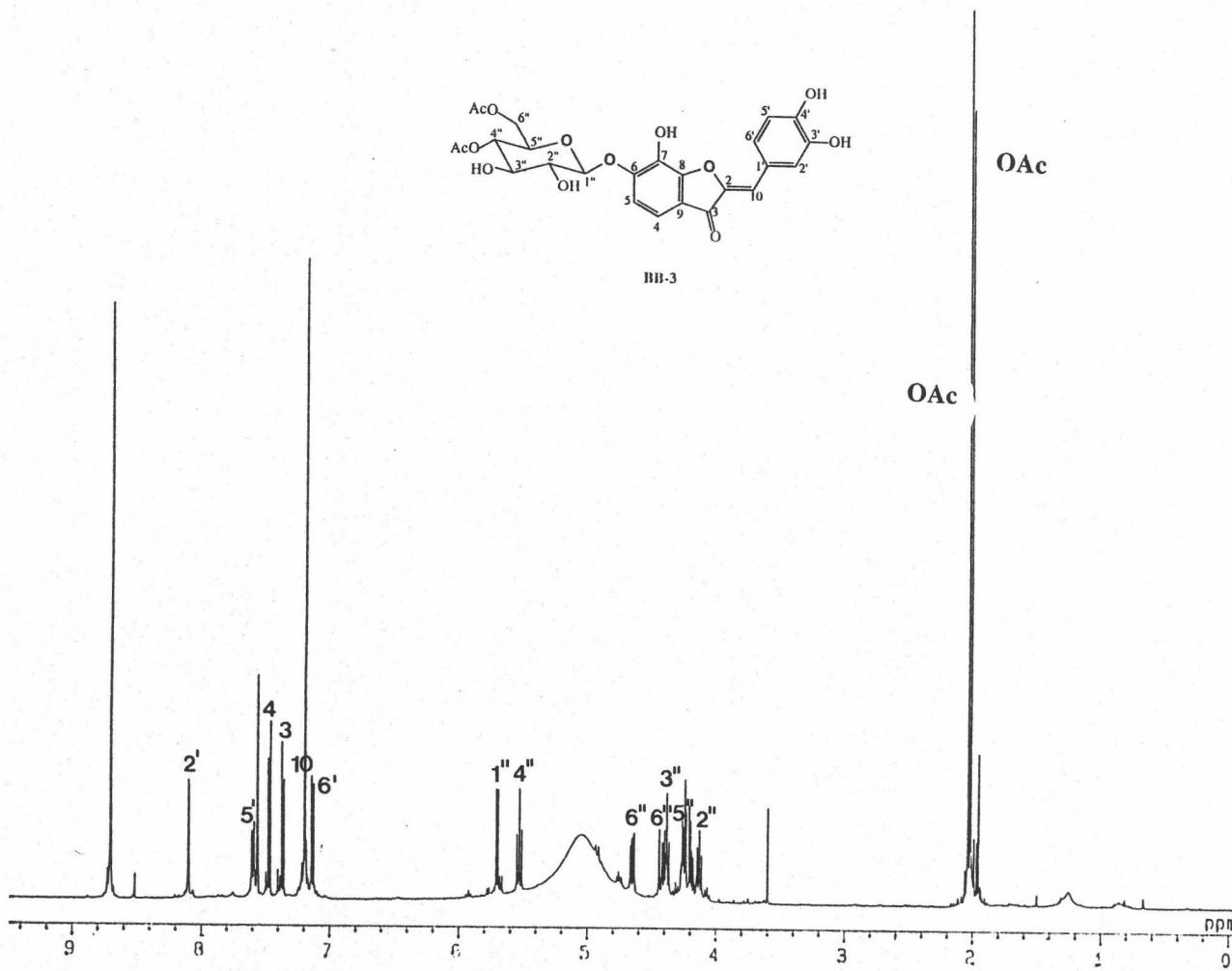
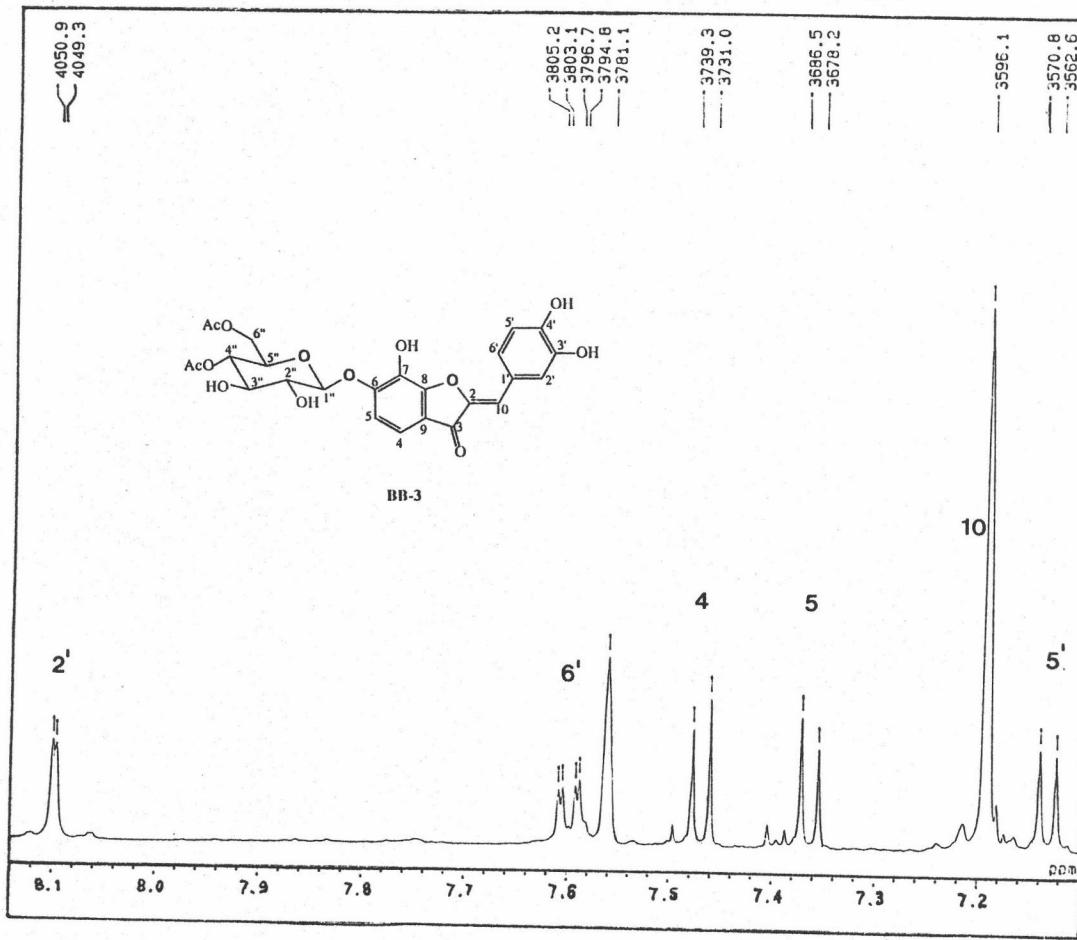
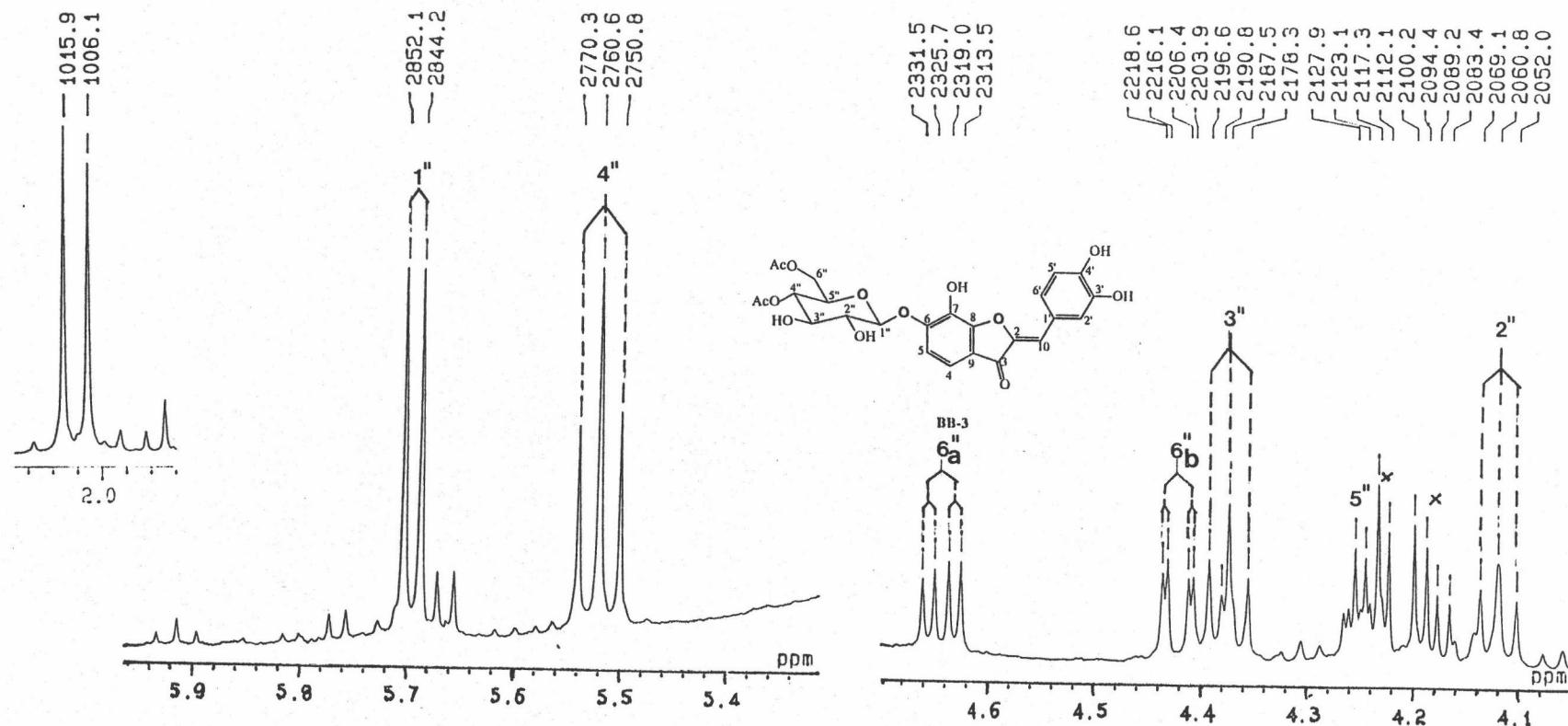


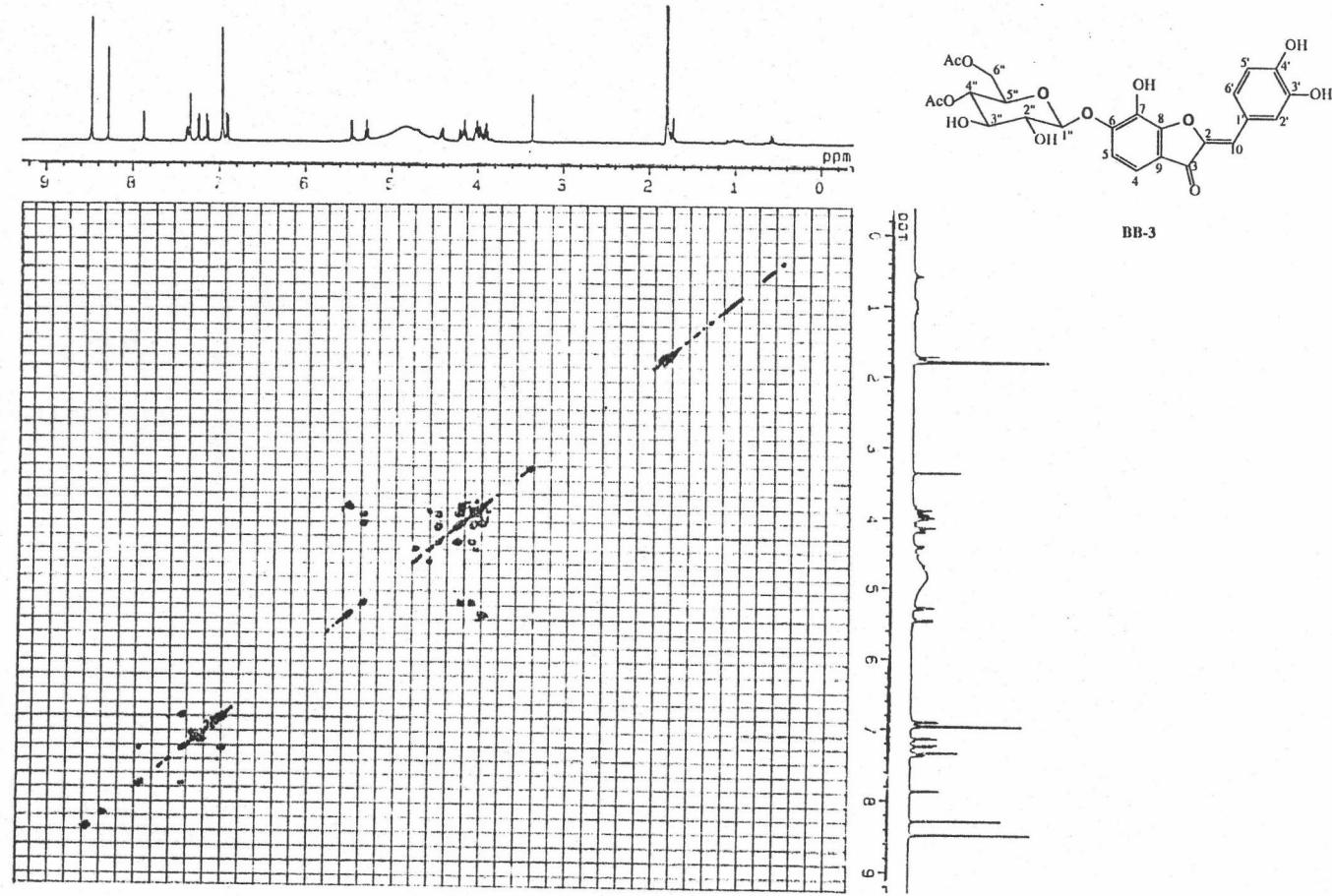
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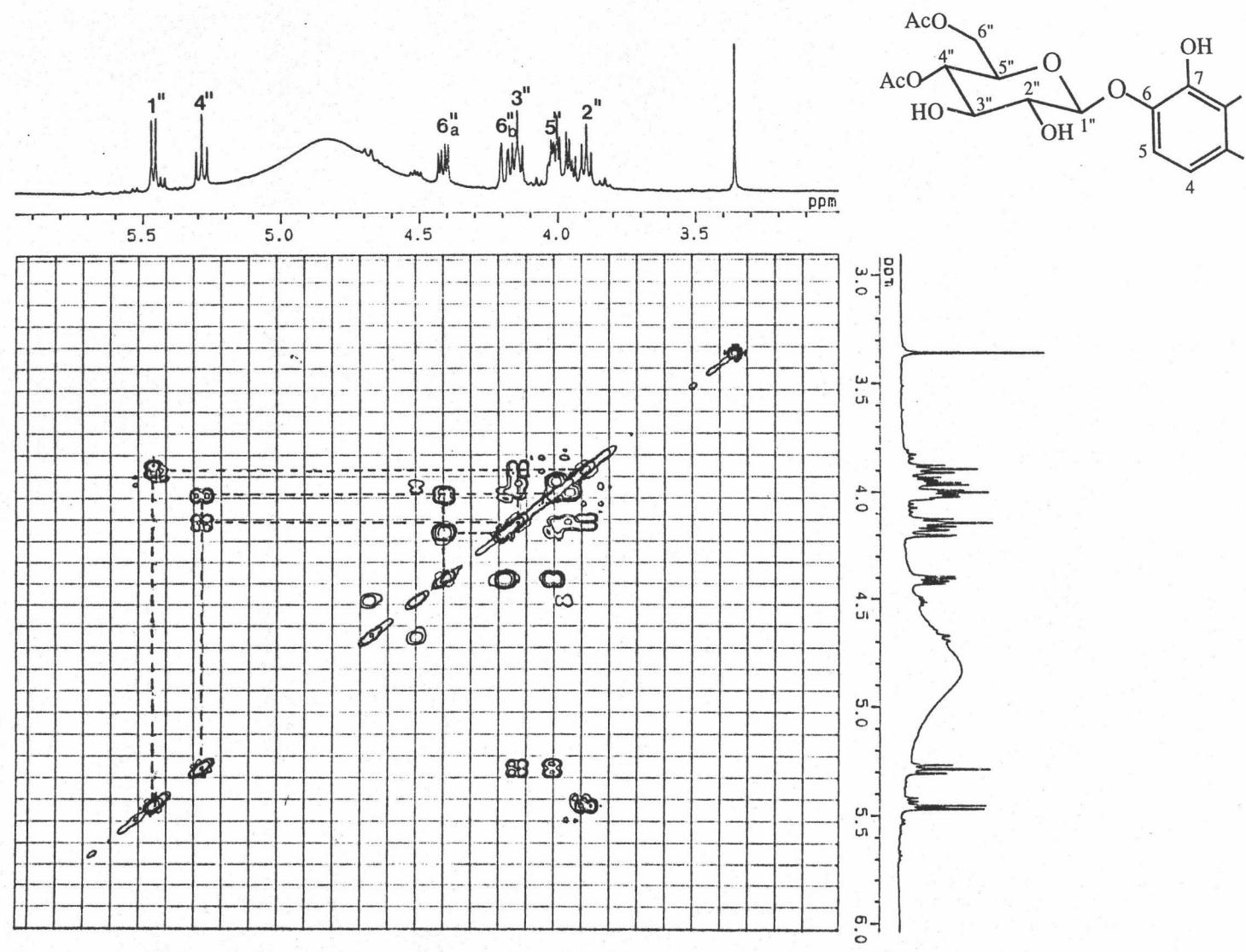
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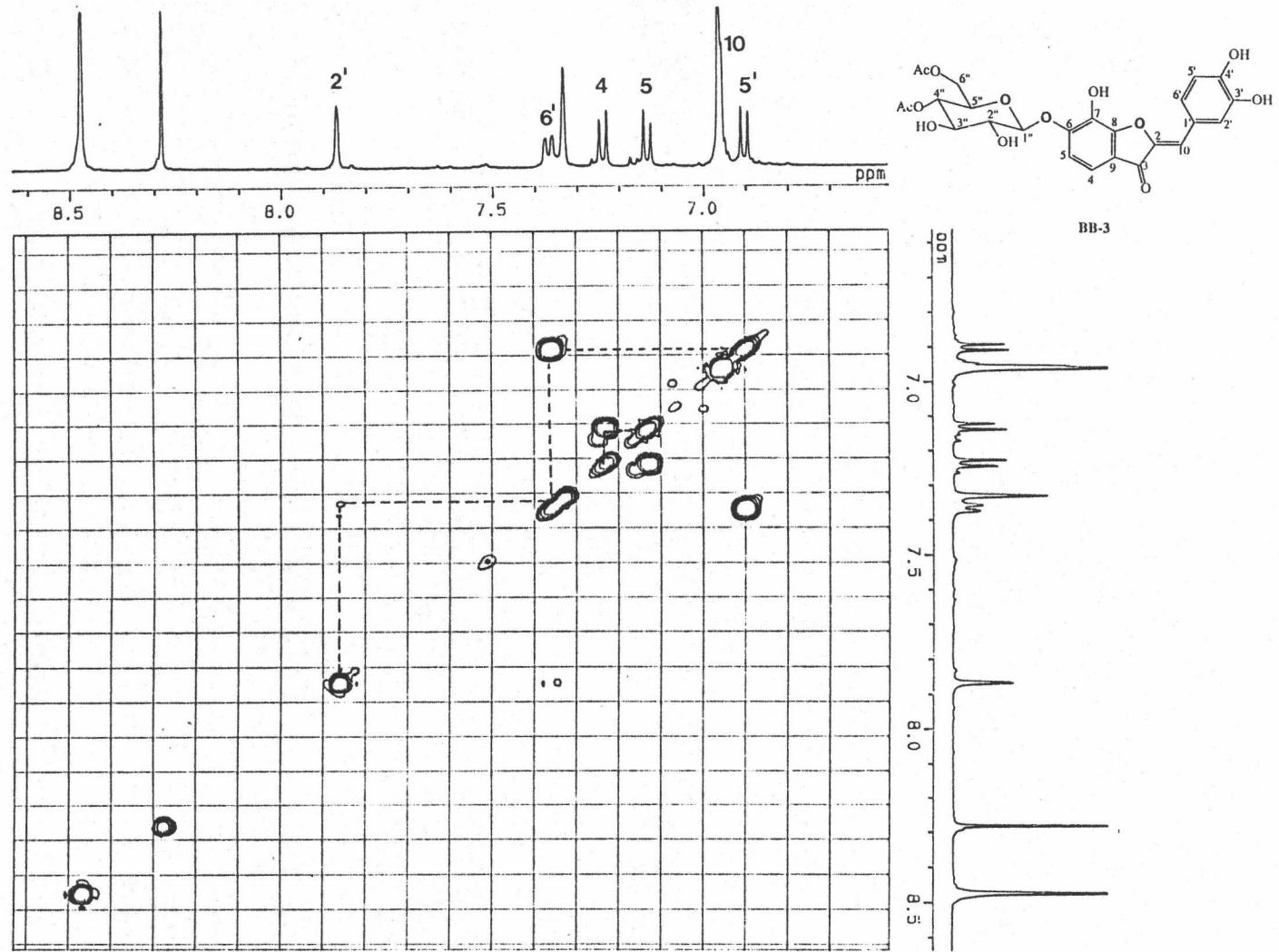
**Figure 20** The expansion of 500 MHz  $^1\text{H}$  NMR partial spectra of BB-3 (in  $\text{C}_5\text{D}_5\text{N}$ )



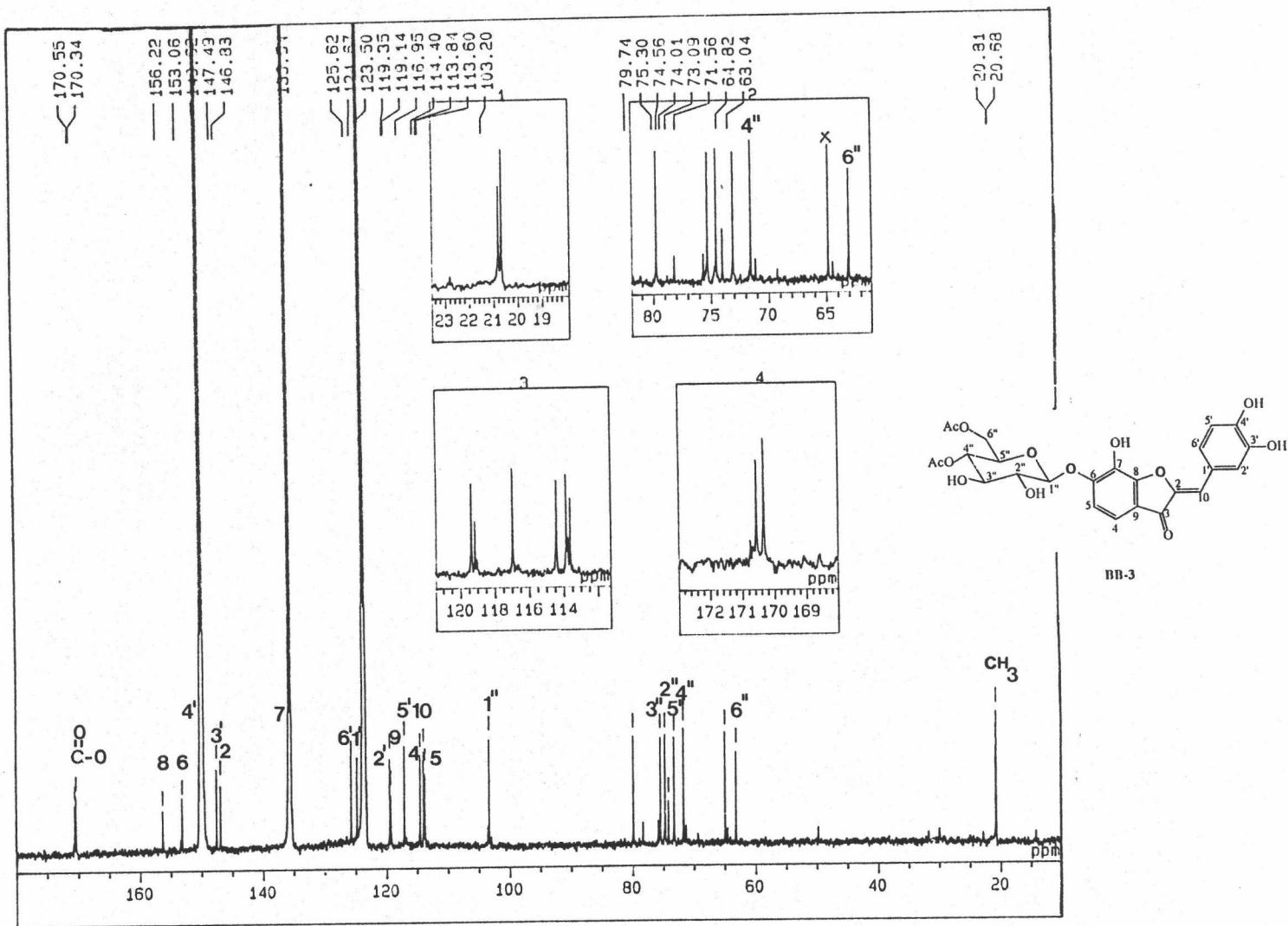
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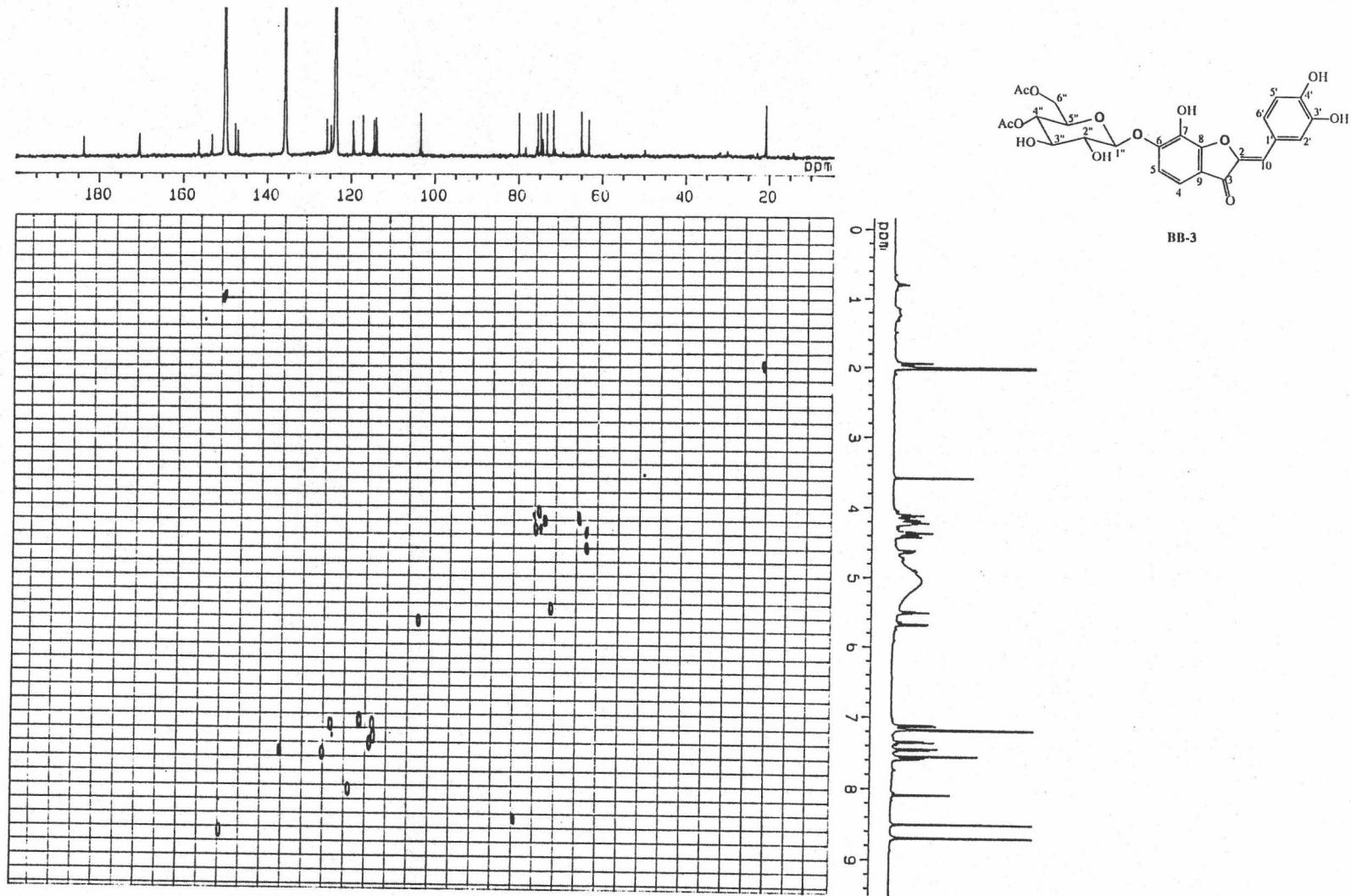
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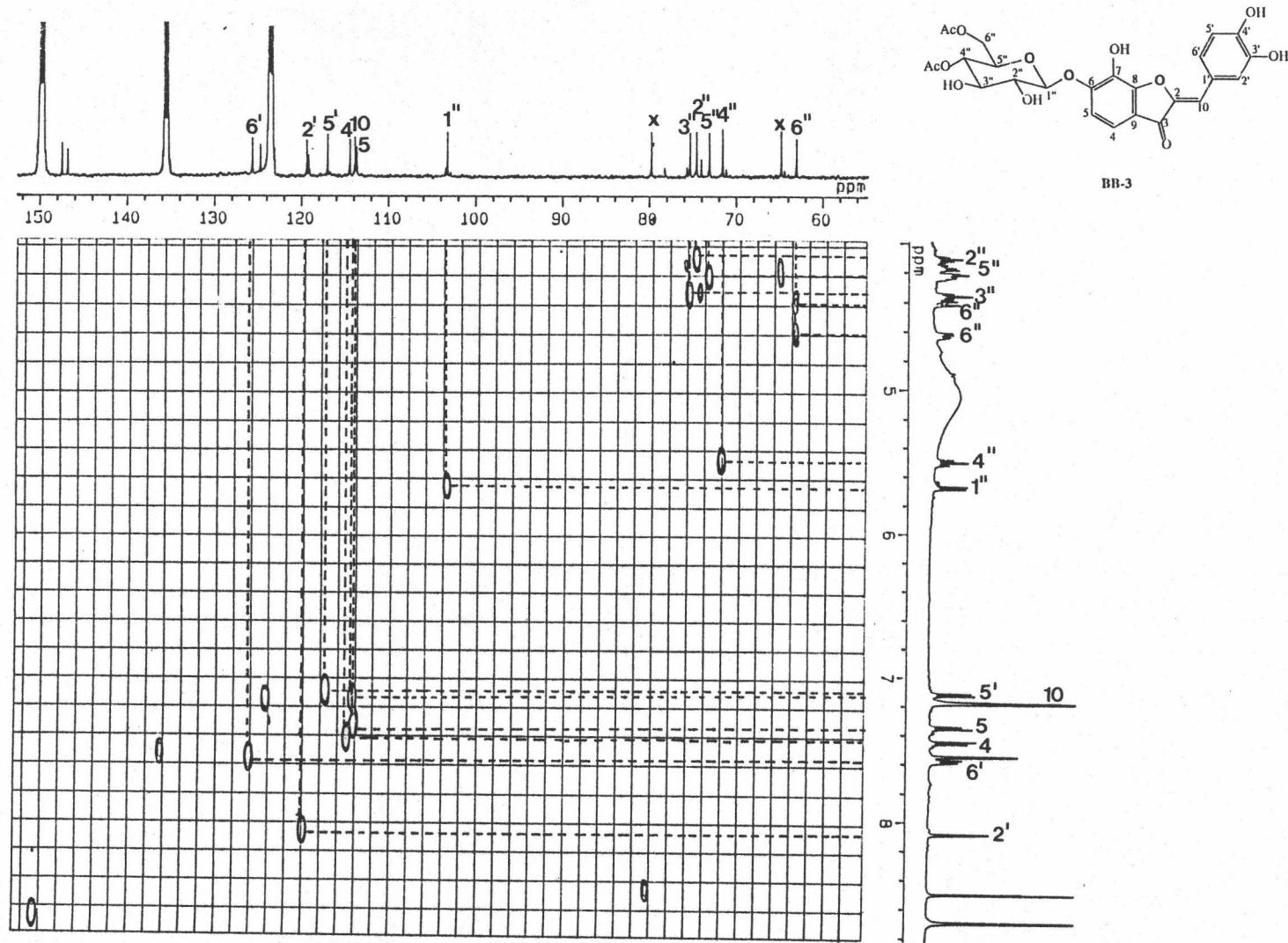
**Figure 23** The 500 MHz  $^1\text{H}$   $^1\text{H}$  COSY spectrum of BB-3 (in  $\text{C}_5\text{D}_5\text{N}$ ) (expanded from 6.0-8.6 ppm)



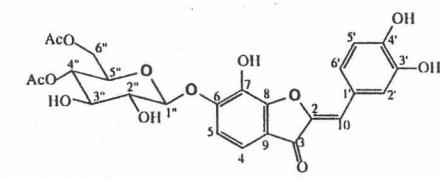
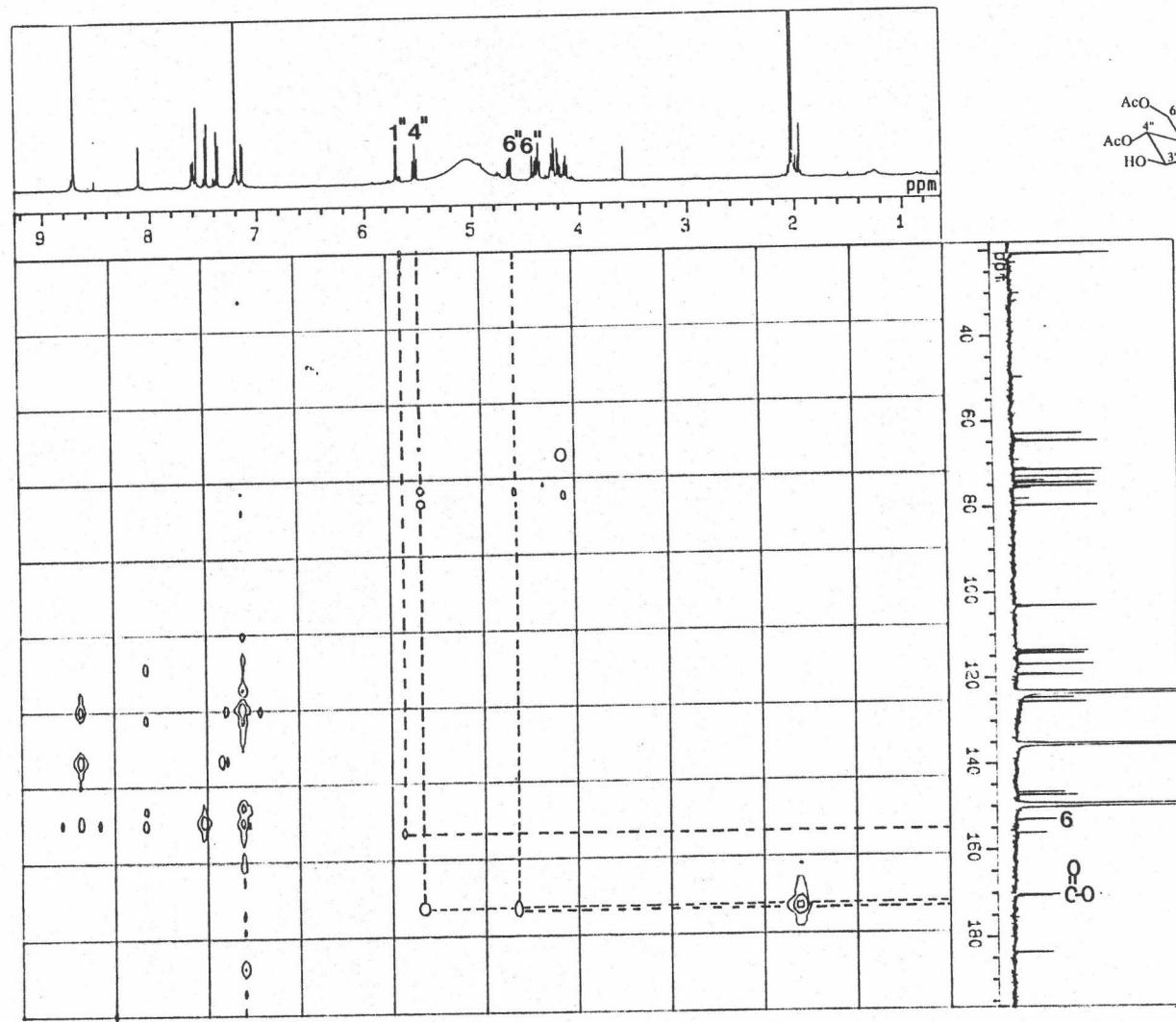
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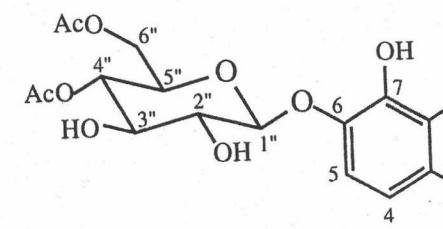
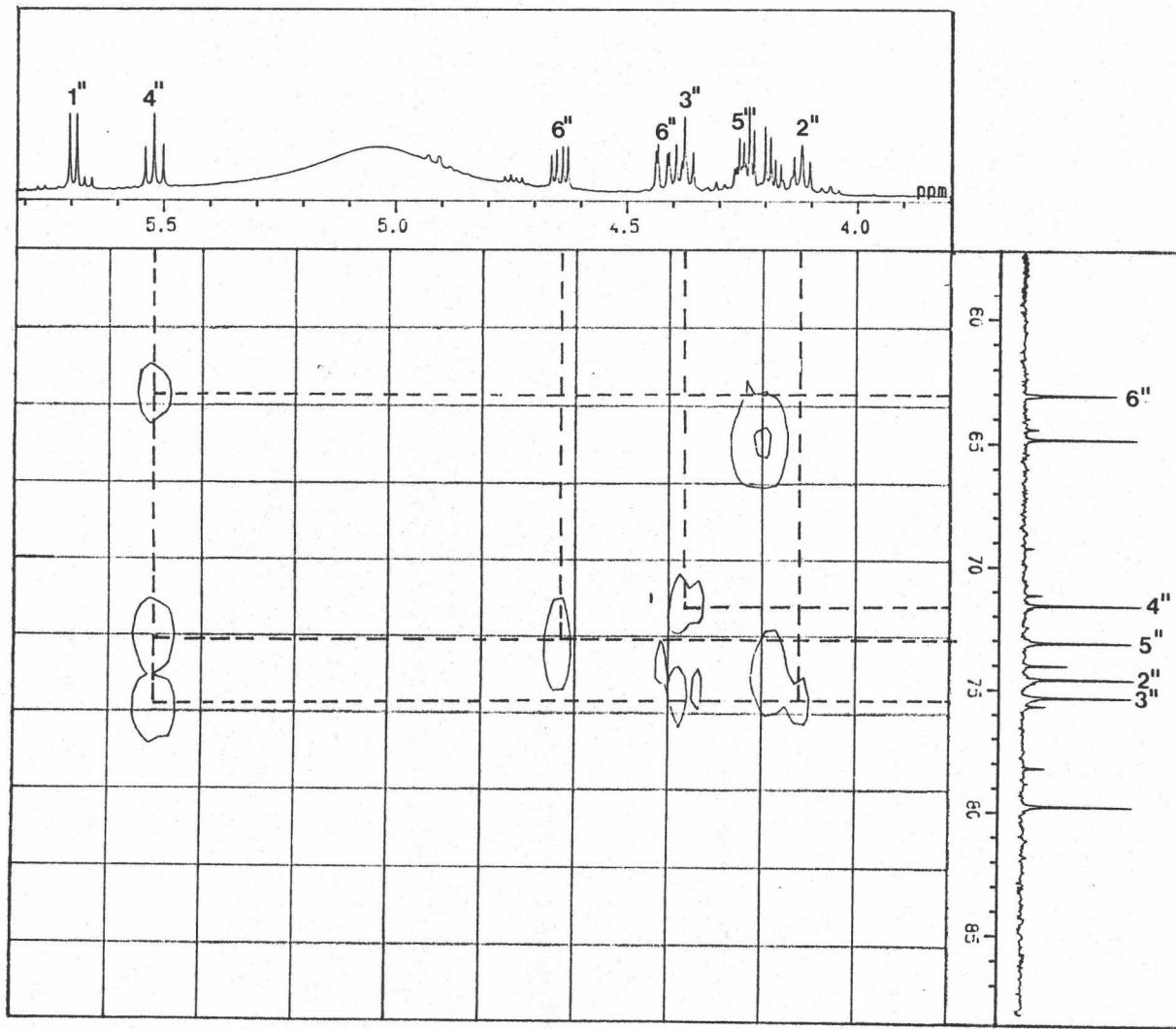
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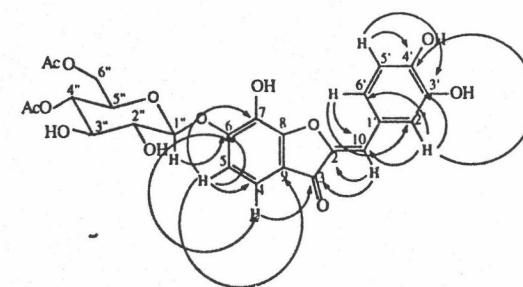
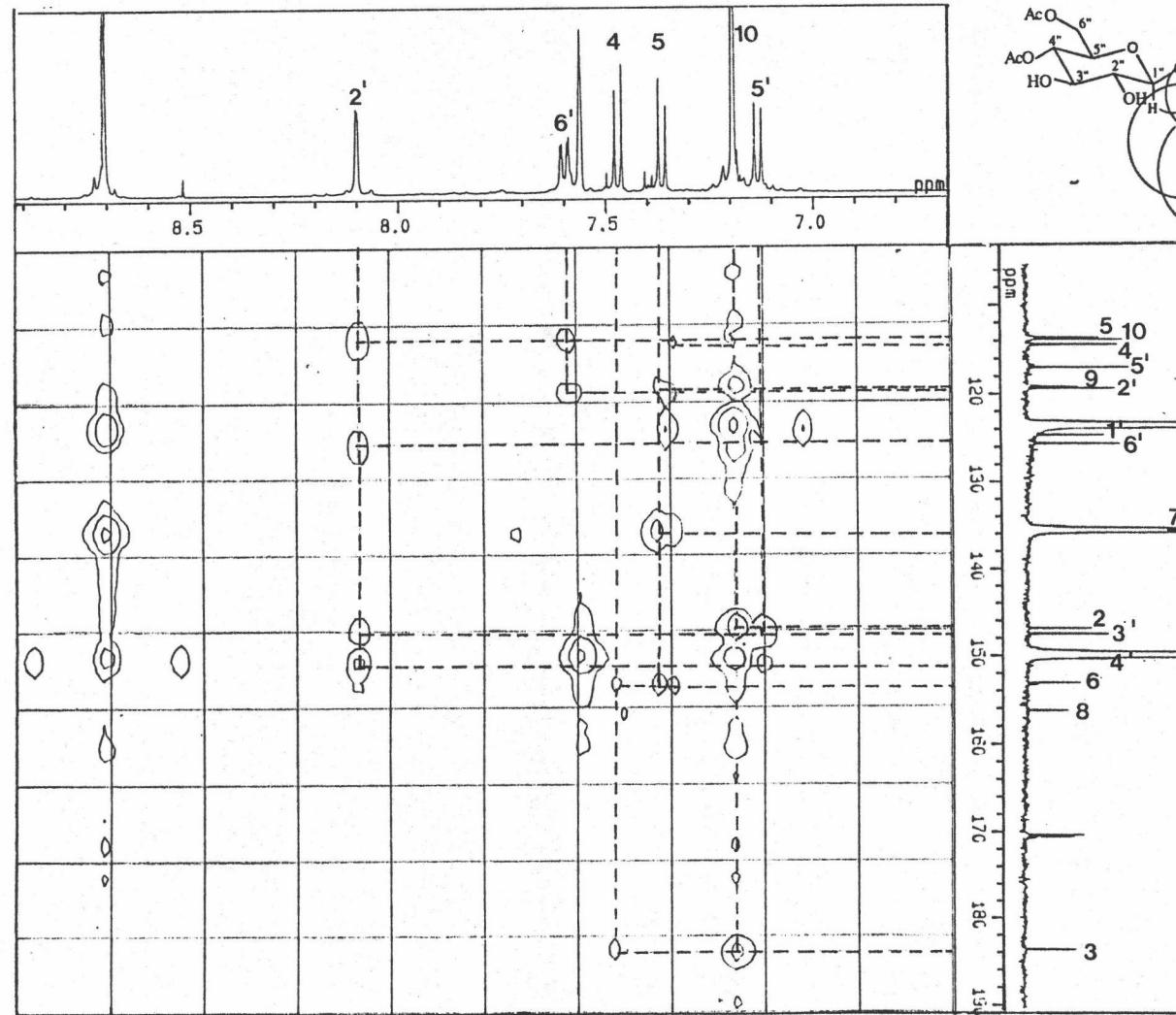
**Figure 26** The 125 MHz  $^{13}\text{C}$ - $^1\text{H}$  COSY spectrum of BB-3 (in  $\text{C}_5\text{D}_5\text{N}$ ) (expanded from 4.0-9.0 ppm)



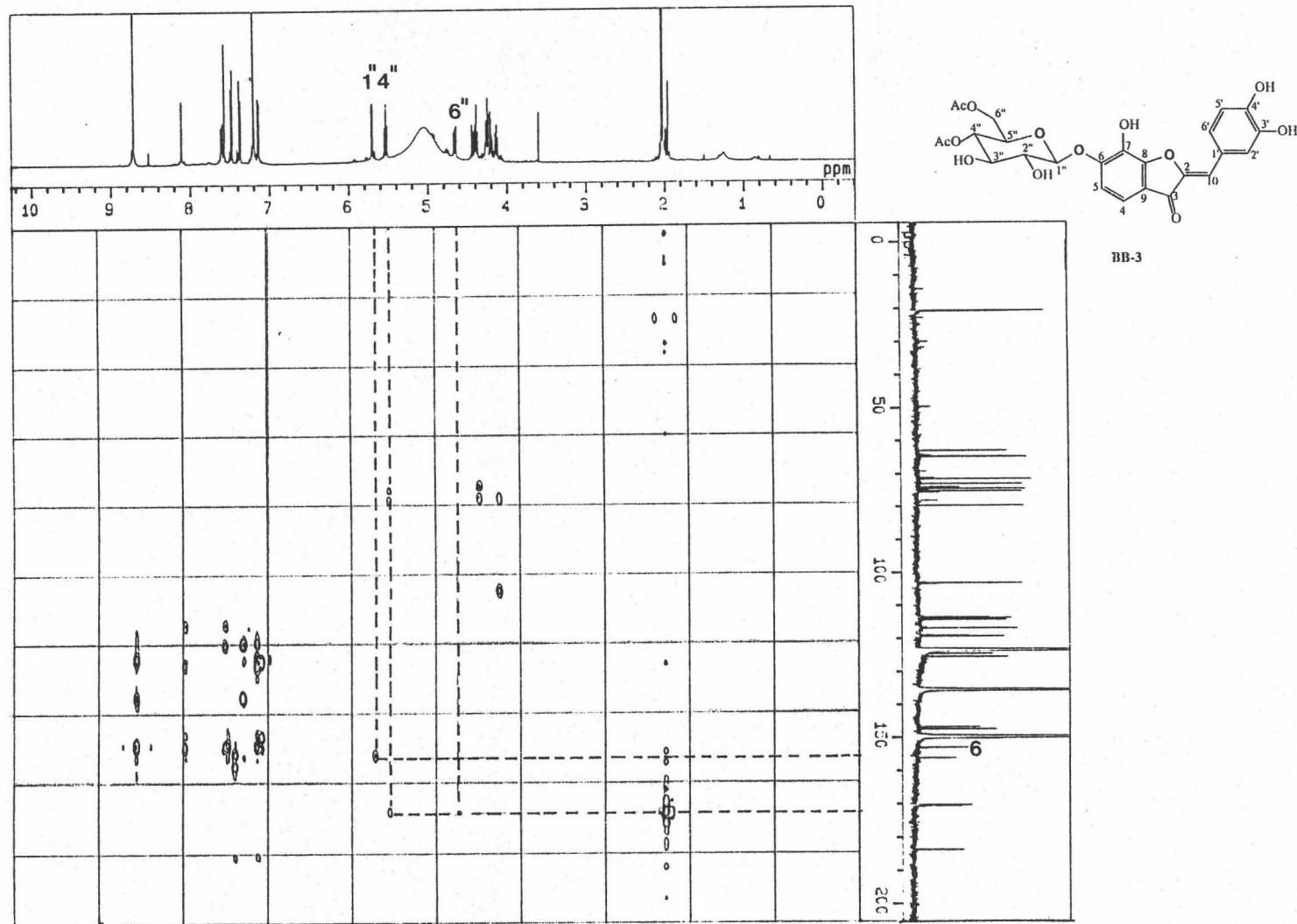
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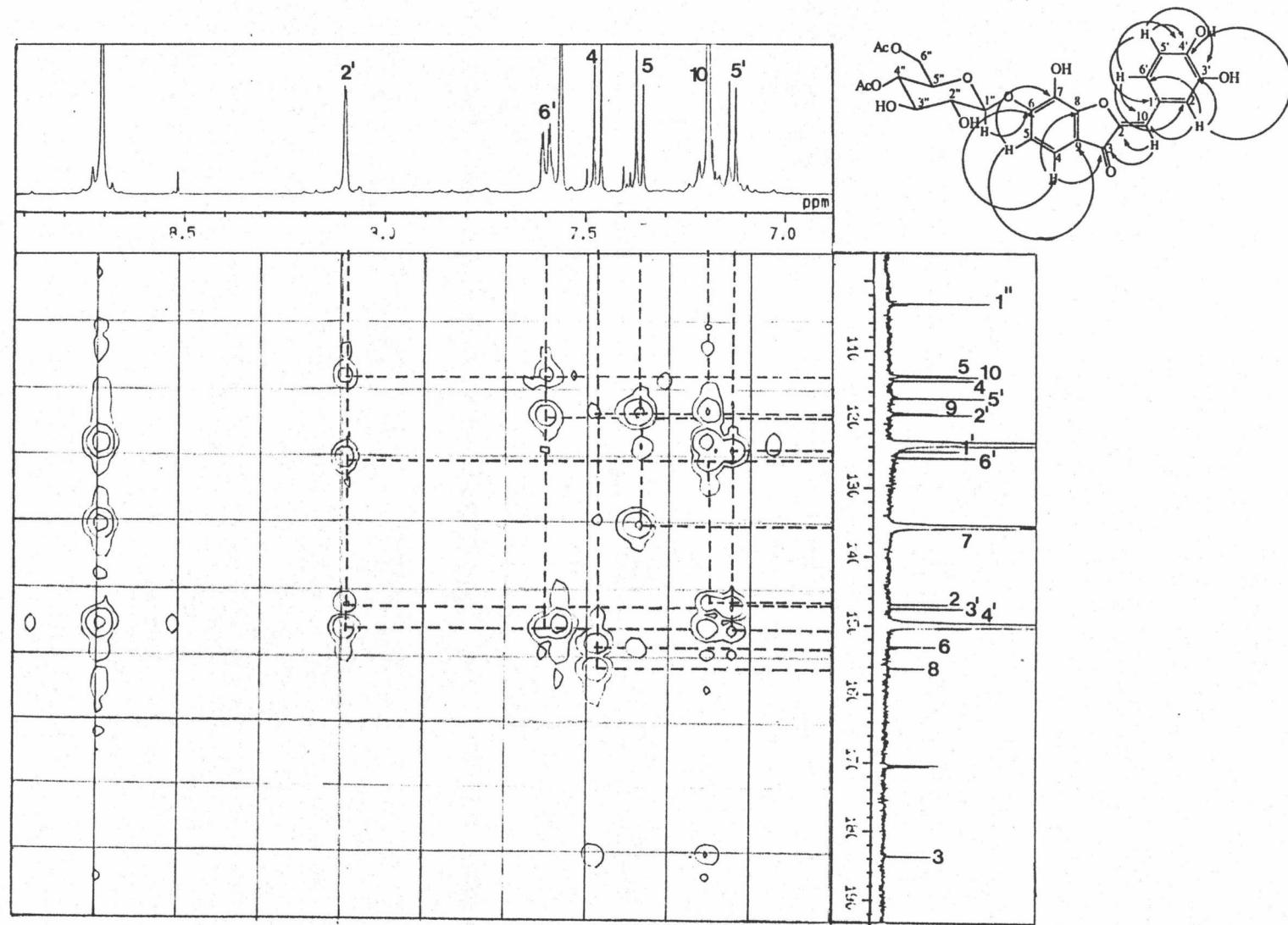
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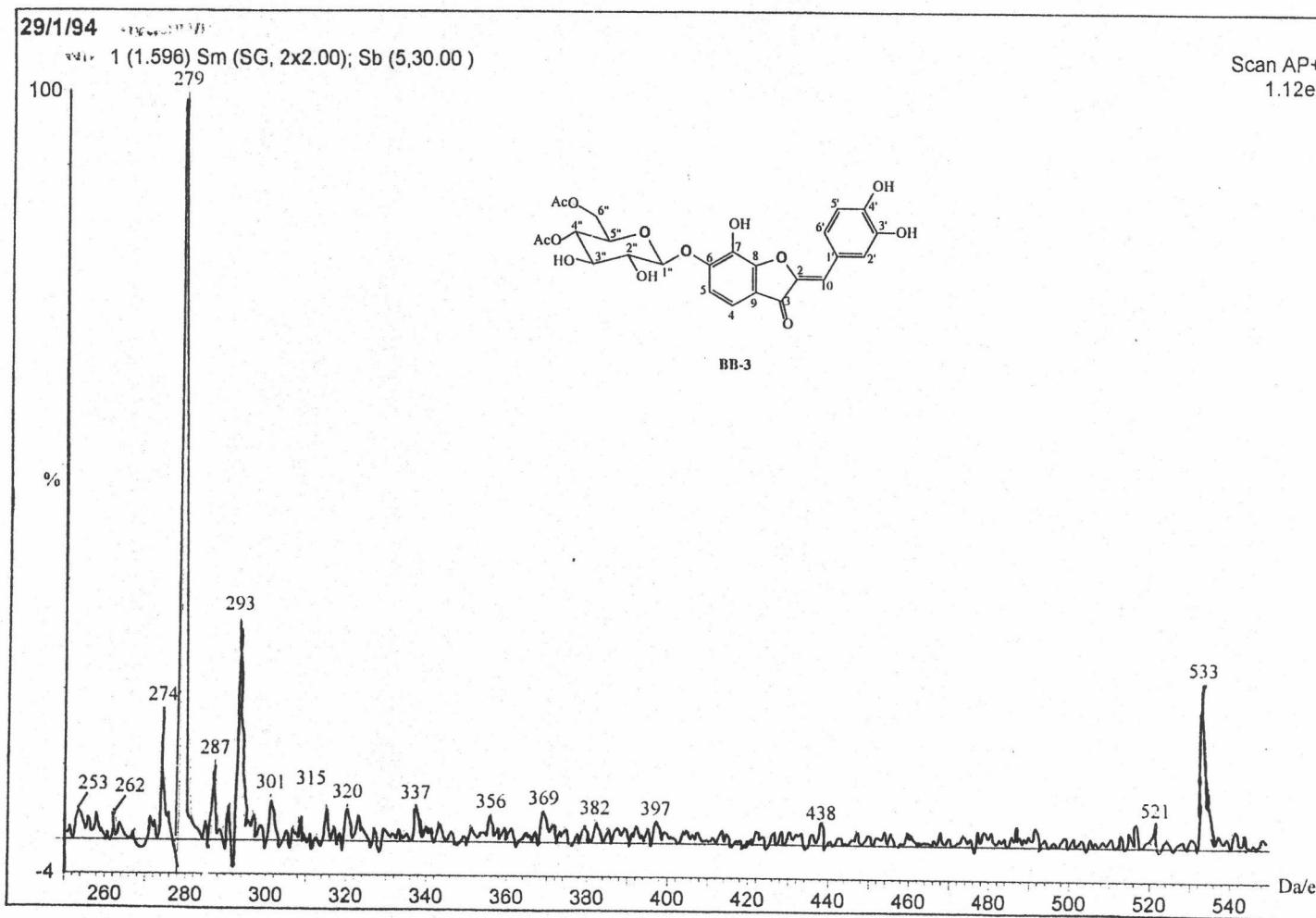
**Figure 29** The 500 MHz HMBC at 5 Hz spectrum of BB-3 (in C<sub>5</sub>D<sub>5</sub>N) (expanded from 6.2-9.0 ppm)



**Figure 30** The 500 MHz HMBC at 8 Hz spectrum of BB-3 (in C<sub>5</sub>D<sub>5</sub>N)



**Figure 31** The 500 MHz HMBC at 8 Hz spectrum of BB-3 (in  $\text{C}_5\text{D}_5\text{N}$ ) (expanded from 6.9-9.0 ppm)



**Figure 32** The APCI spectrum of BB-3

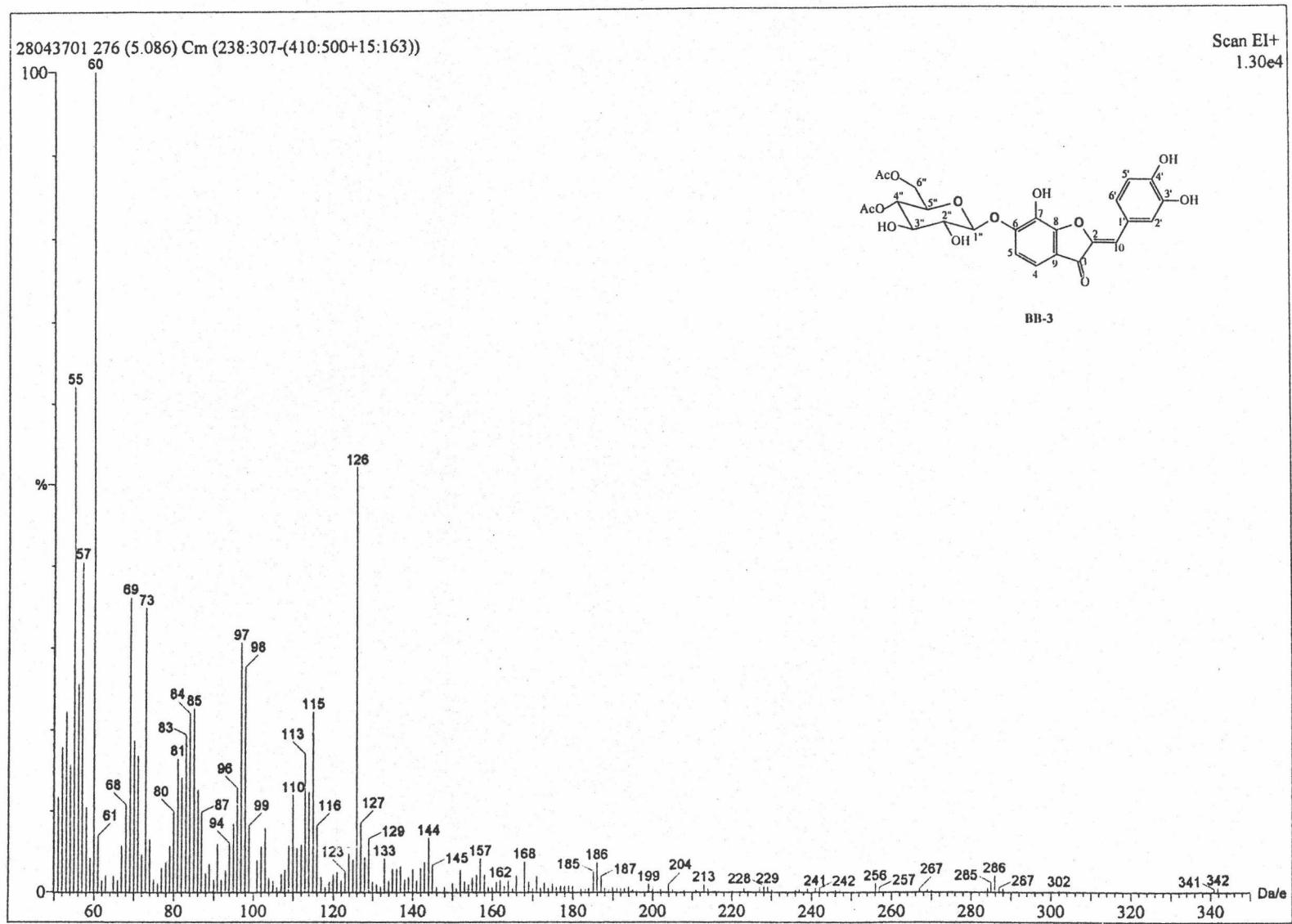


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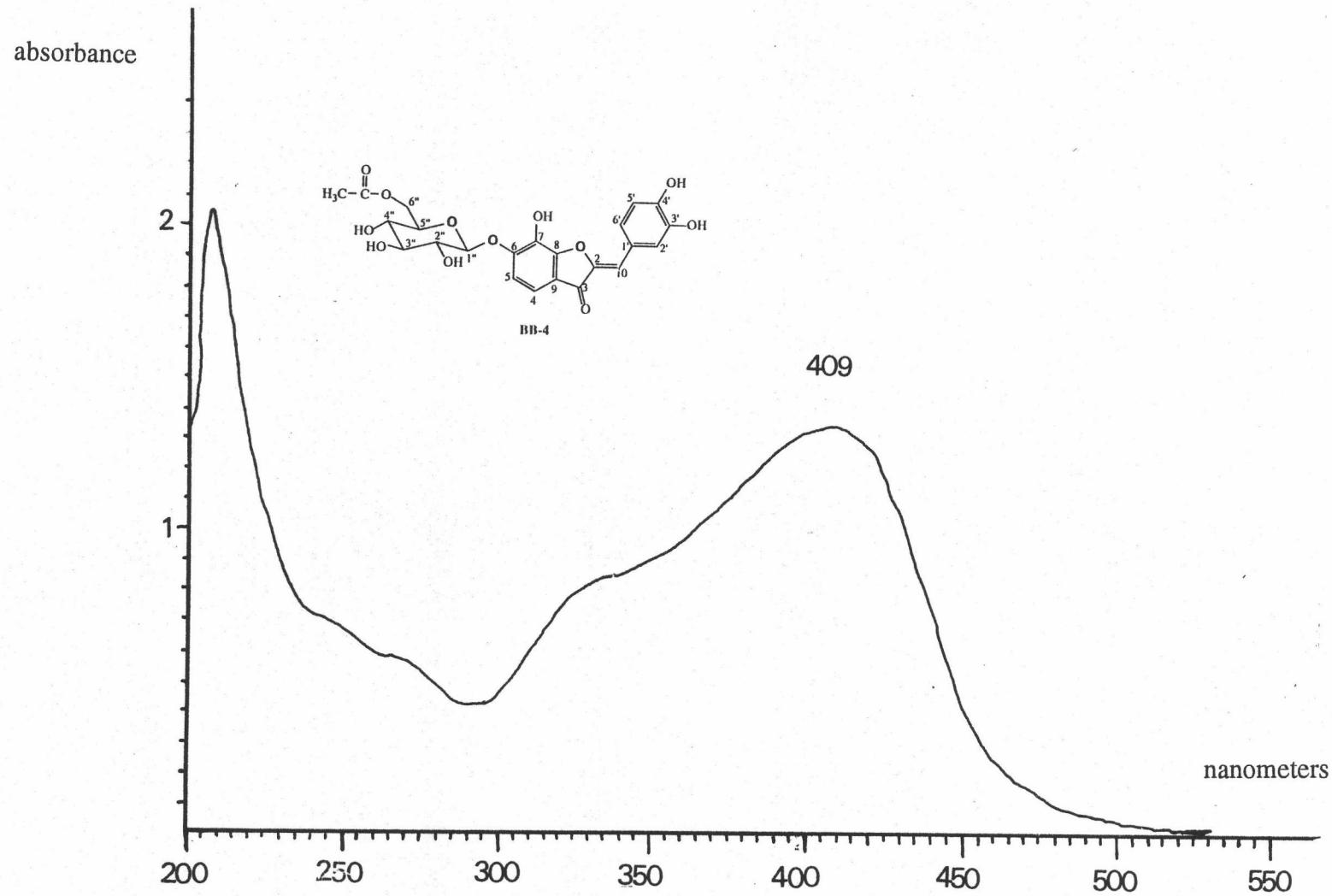
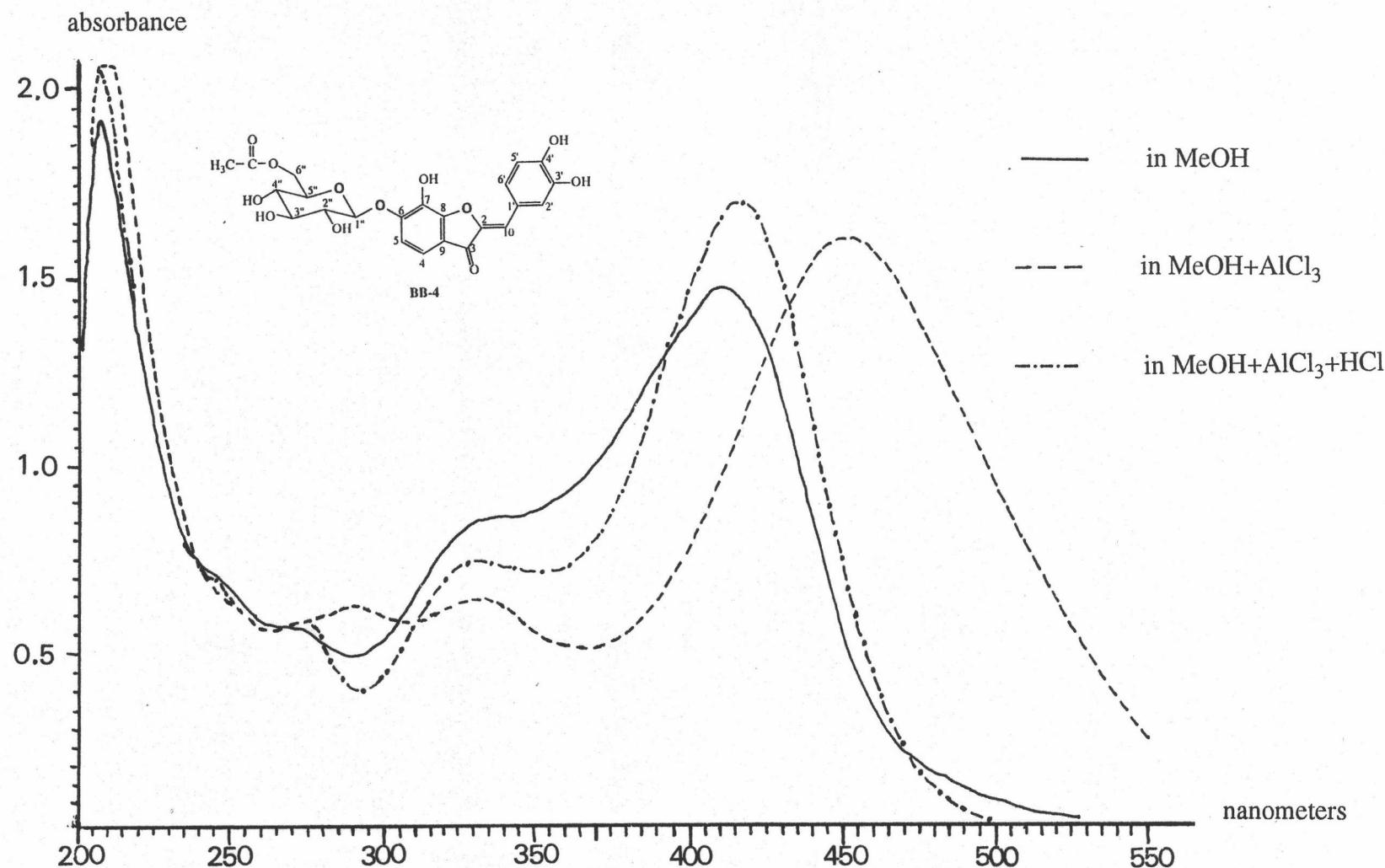


Figure 34 The UV spectrum of BB-4 (in methanol)



**Figure 35** The UV spectra of BB-4 (in methanol) with shift reagents

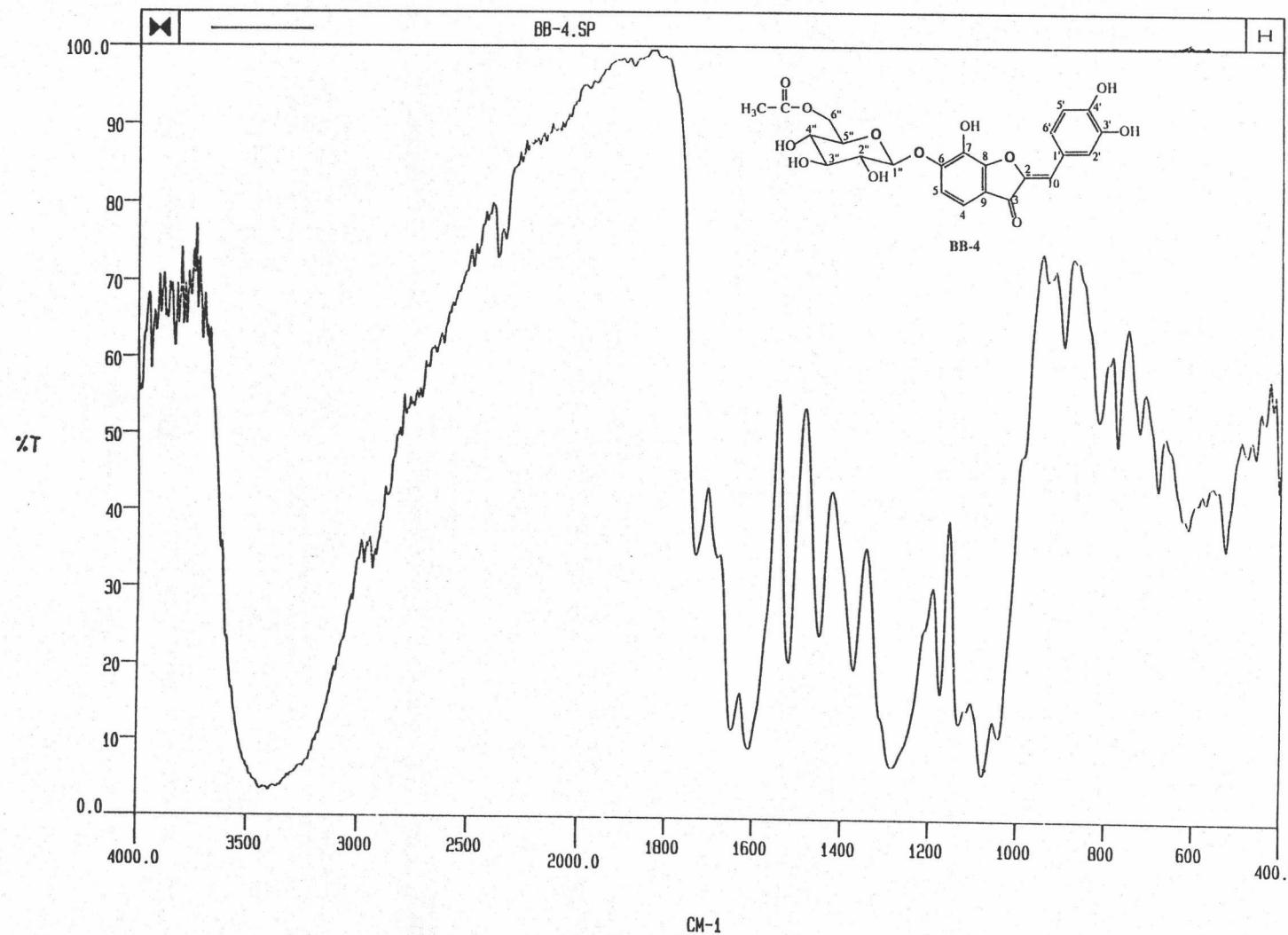
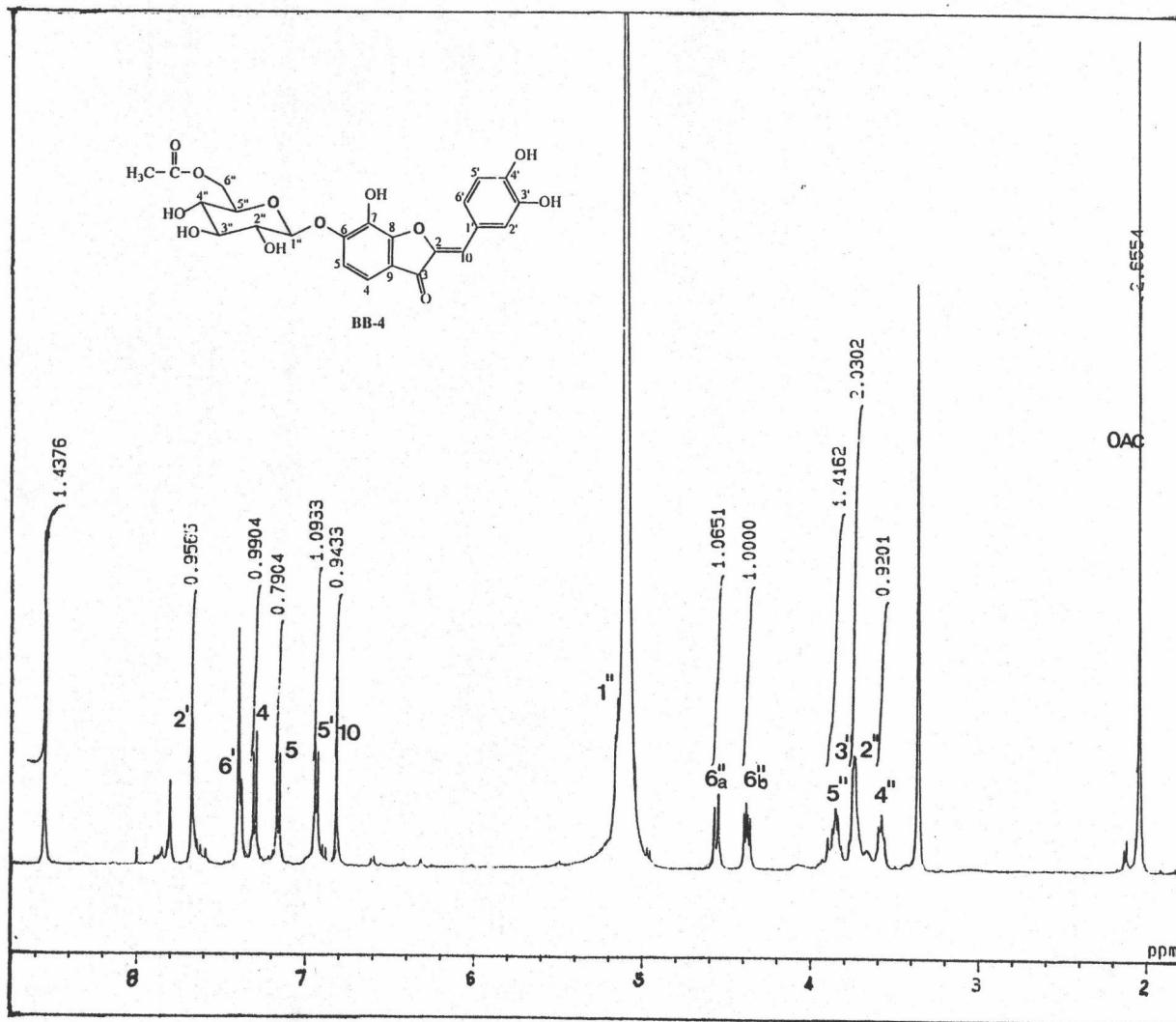


Figure 36 The IR spectrum of BB-4 (KBr disc)



**Figure 37** The 500 MHz  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of BB-4 (in  $\text{C}_5\text{D}_5\text{N}-\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$  1:5)

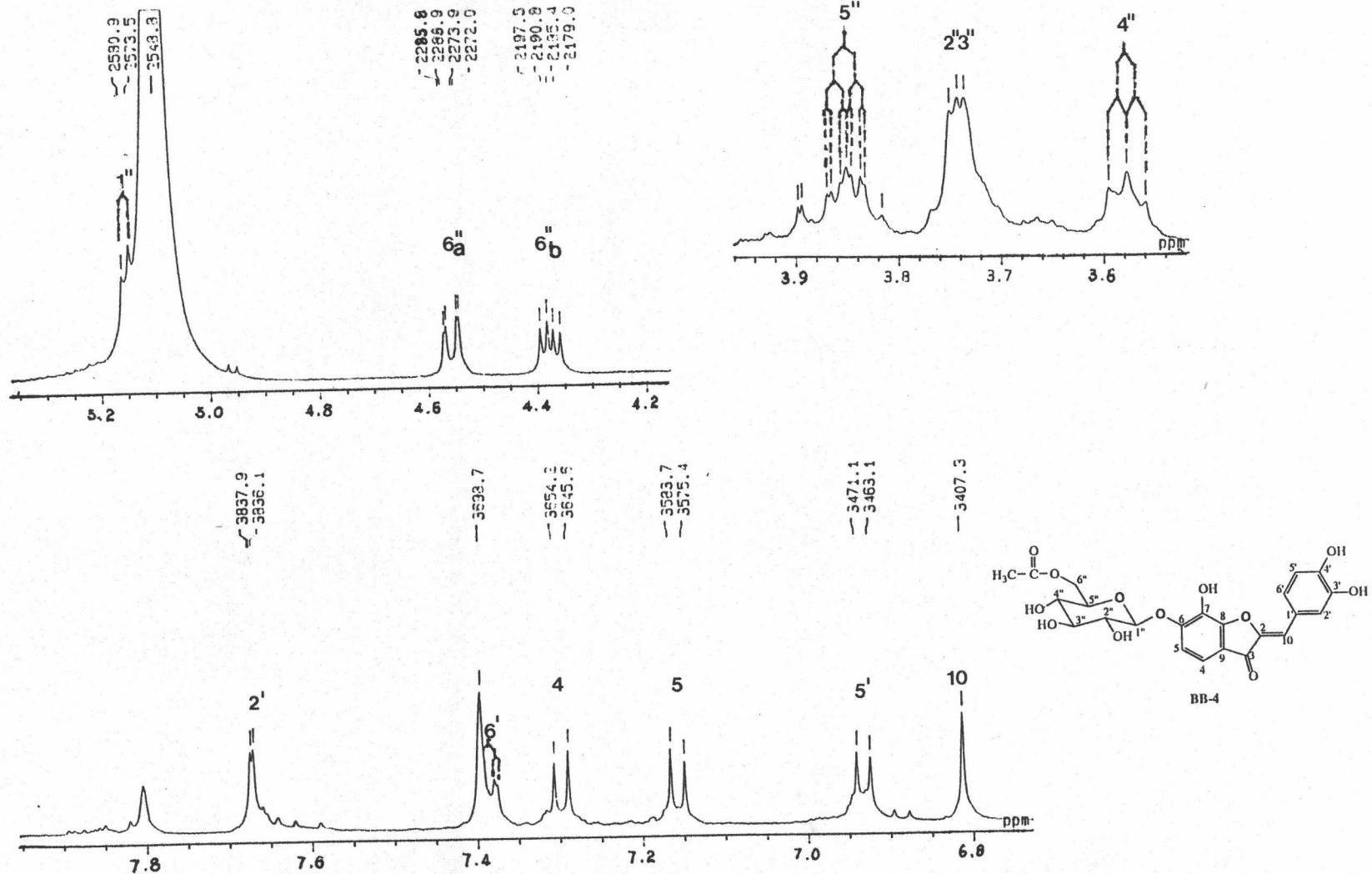
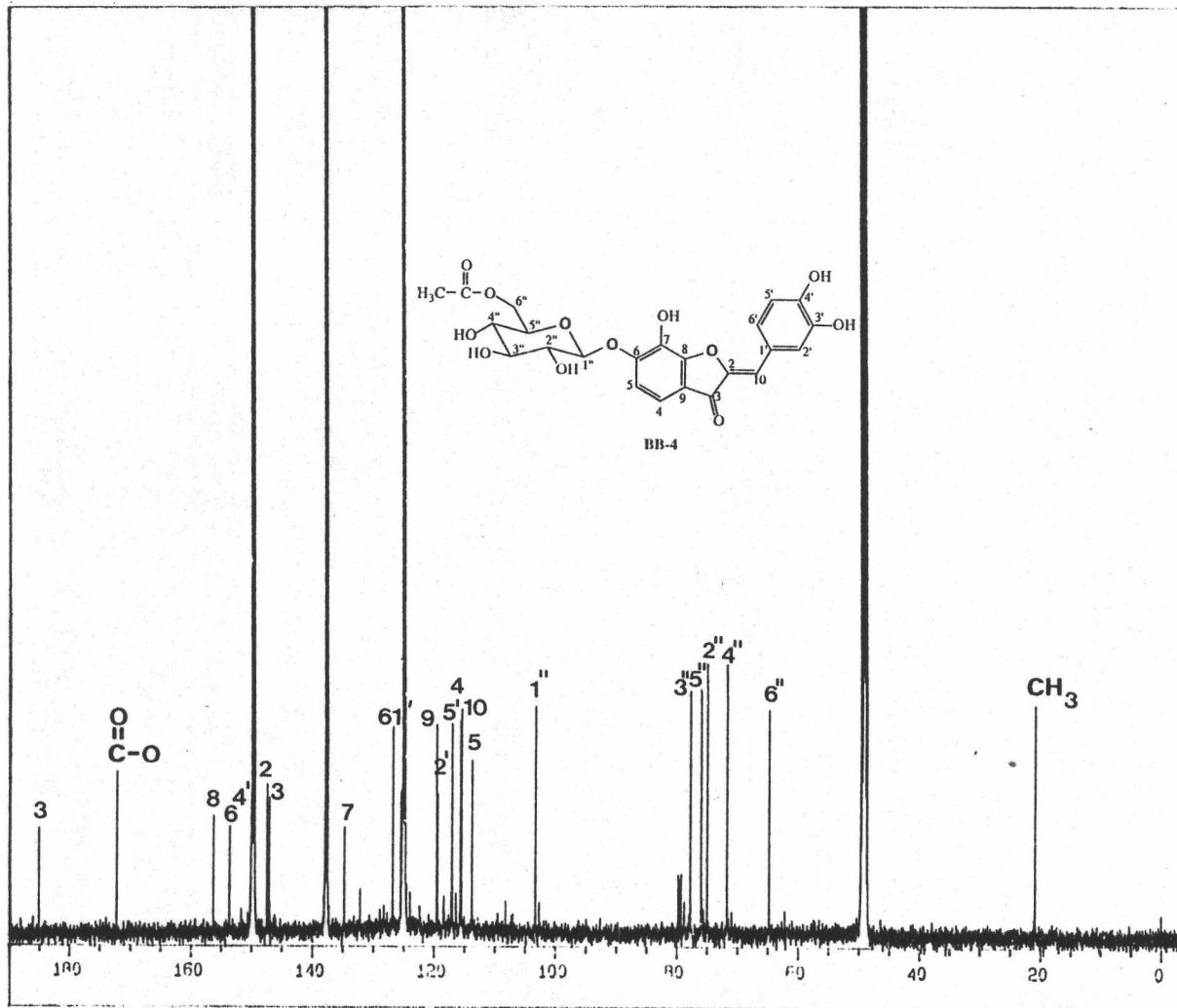


Figure 38 The expansion of 500 MHz <sup>1</sup>H NMR partial spectra of BB-4 (in C<sub>5</sub>D<sub>5</sub>N-CD<sub>3</sub>OD 1:5)



**Figure 39** The 125 MHz  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of BB-4 (in  $\text{C}_5\text{D}_5\text{N}-\text{CD}_3\text{OD}$  1:5)

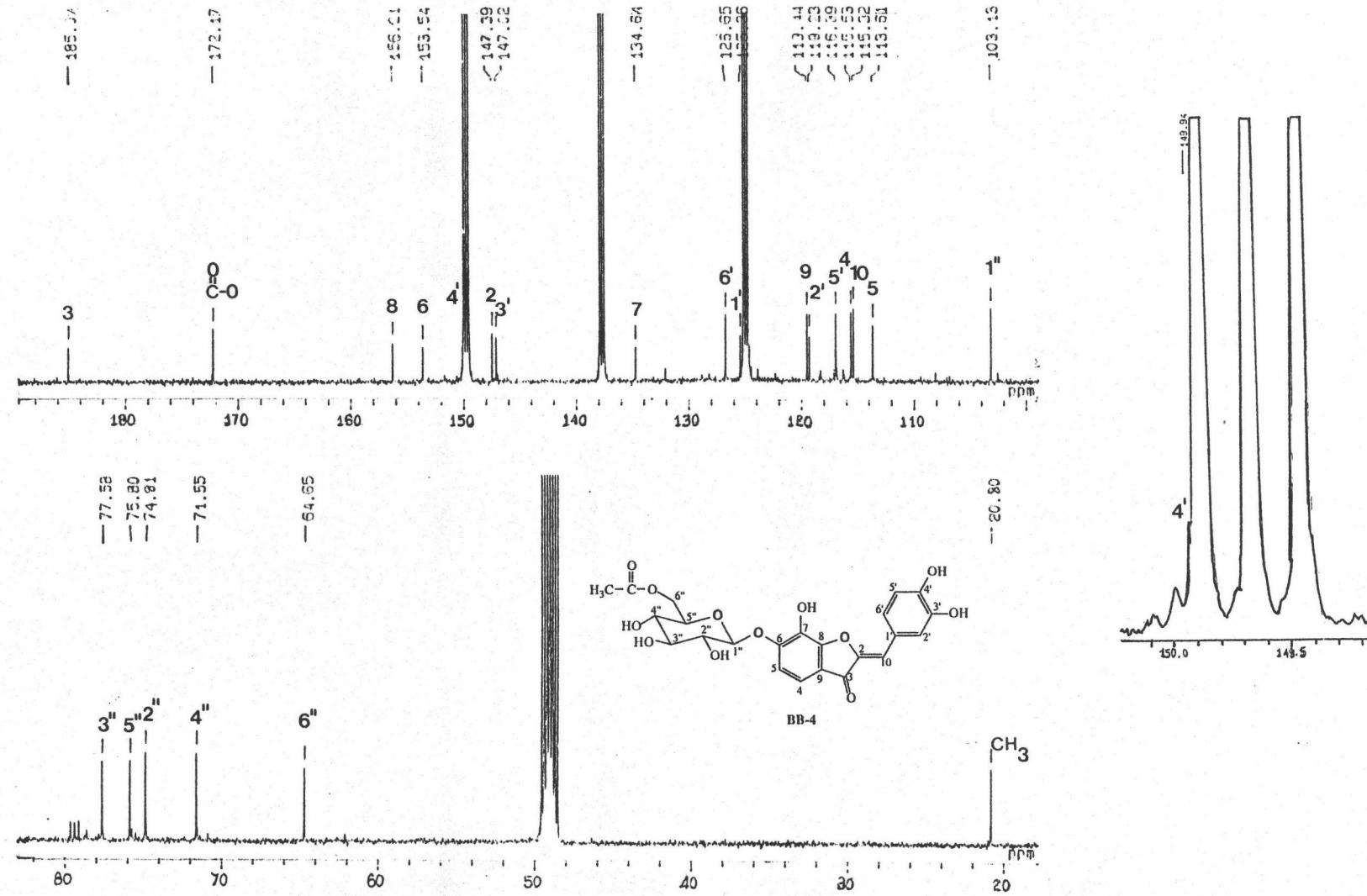


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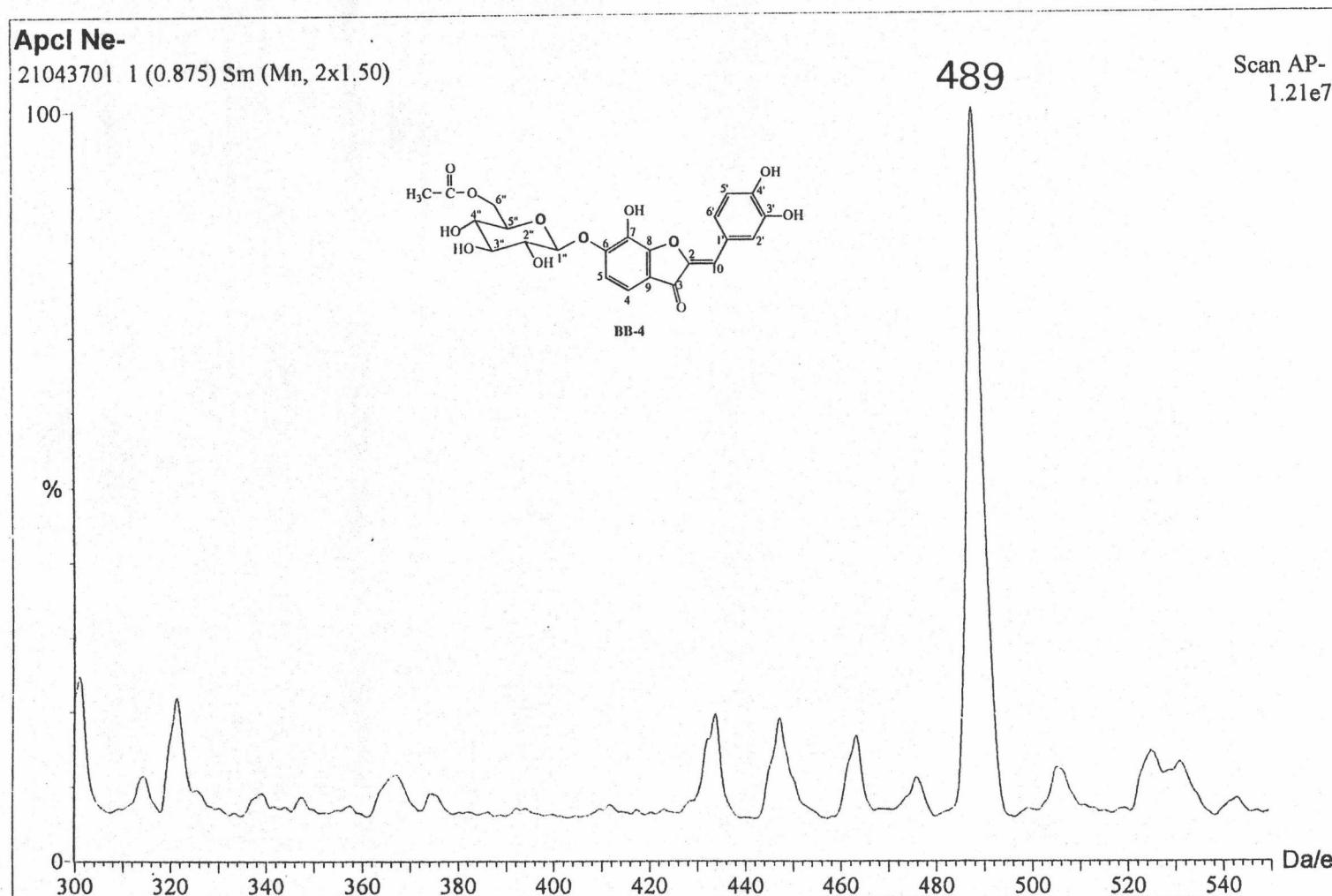
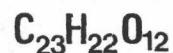


Figure 41 The APCI spectrum of BB-4

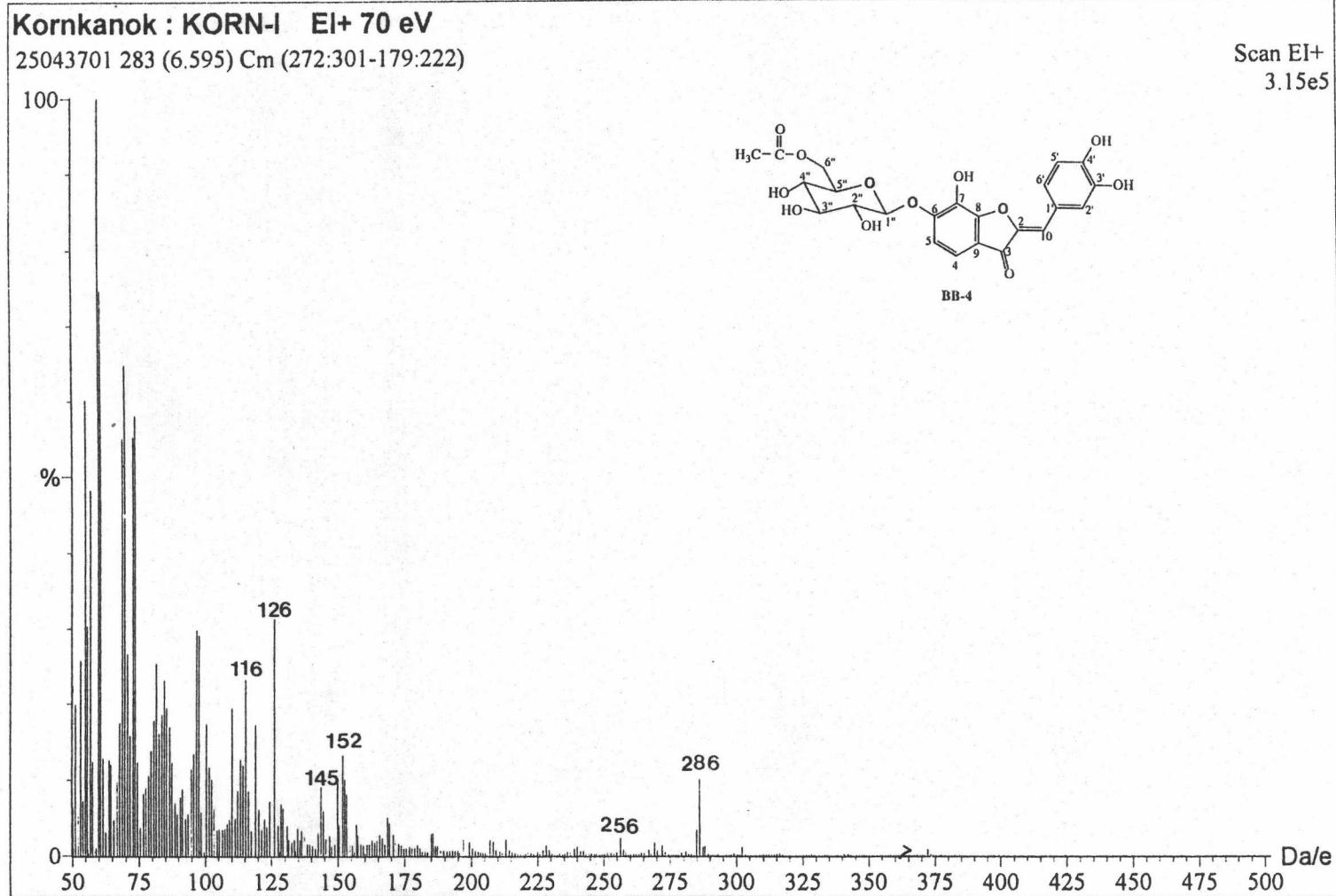


Figure 42 The EIMS spectrum of BB-4

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