

7301-1 (Miscellaneous)

Name: Sphaerococcenol A

Origin: *Sphaerococcus coronopifolius* (near La Escala, Spain)⁽¹⁾;

Sphaerococcus coronopifolius (near Plomin, Yugoslavia)⁽²⁾;

Sphaerococcus coronopifolius (El Jadida on the Atlantic coast of Morocco)⁽³⁾;

Sphaerococcus coronopifolius (the west coast of Coefu Island, Greece)⁽⁴⁾;

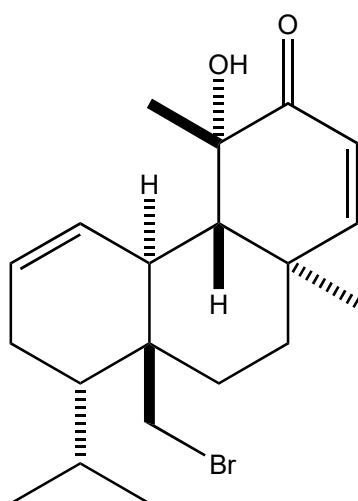
Sphaerococcus coronopifolius (Berlenga Nature Reserve, Peniche, Portugal)⁽⁵⁾;

Formula: C₂₀H₂₉BrO₂

Mol. Wt.: 381.35

Opt. Rot.: [α]_D²⁵ -93 (CHCl₃)⁽¹⁾; [α]_D -78 (CHCl₃)⁽²⁾

Mp.: 184-185 (from CCl₄)⁽¹⁾; 181-183⁽²⁾



References and Notes

(1) Fenical, W., Finer, J., and Clardy, J. 1976. Tetrahedron Lett., **17**, 731-734. Sphaerococcenol A; A new rearranged bromo-diterpene from the red alga *Sphaerococcus coronopifolius*.

(X-ray crystallographic analysis) (UV, IR, ¹H-NMR, ¹³C-NMR, MS)

(2) De Rosa, S., De Stefano, S., Scarpelli, P., and Zavodnik, N. 1988. Phytochemistry, **27**, 1875-1878. Terpenes from the red alga *Sphaerococcus coronopifolius* of the north Adriatic Sea.

(UV, IR, ¹H-NMR, ¹³C-NMR, MS) (together with sphaeroxetane, [sphaerococcenol A](#), bromosphaerol, alloaromadendrene)

(3) Etahiri, S., Bultel-Ponce, V., Caux, C., and Guyot, M. 2001. J. Nat. Prod., **64**, 1024-1027. New bromoditerpenes from the red alga, *Sphaerococcus coronopifolius*. (¹H-NMR, ¹³C-NMR)

(together with sphaerolabdadiene-3,14-diol, bromosphaerone, 12*S*-hydroxybromosphaerol, [sphaerococcenol A](#))

(4) Smyrniotopoulos, V., Quesada, A., Vagias, C., Moreau, D., Roussakis, C., and Roussis, V. 2008. Tetrahedron, **64**, 5184-5190. Cytotoxic bromoditerpenes from the red alga *Sphaerococcus coronopifolius*.

(together with 3 new bromoditerpenes, 6 known diterpenes; 1-hydroperoxybromosphaerane I, bromosphaerodiol, 12*R*-hydroxybromosphaerol, 12*S*-hydroxybromosphaerol, bromosphaerol, [sphaerococcenol A](#))

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(5) Rodrigues, D., Alves, C., Horta, A., Pinteus, S., Silva, J., Culioli, G., Thomas, O. P., and Podrosa, R. 2015. Mar. Drugs, **13**, 713-726. Antitumor and antimicrobial potential of bromoditerpenes isolated from the red alga, *Sphaerococcus coronopifolius*. (IR, ¹H-NMR, ¹³C-NMR)
(together with sphaerodactylomelol, bromosphaerol, 12*S*-hydroxybromosphaerol, 12*R*-hydroxybromosphaerol, [sphaerococcenol A](#))