

## **Supplementary Materials**

### **Expression of IRAK1 in hepatocellular carcinoma, its clinical significance, and docking characteristics with selected natural compounds**

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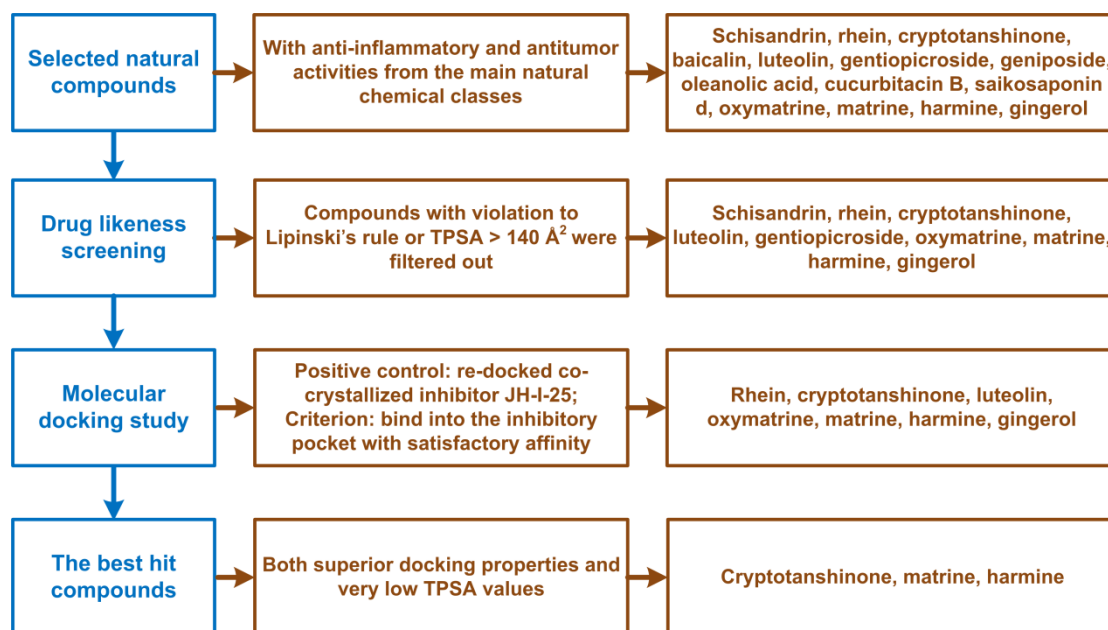
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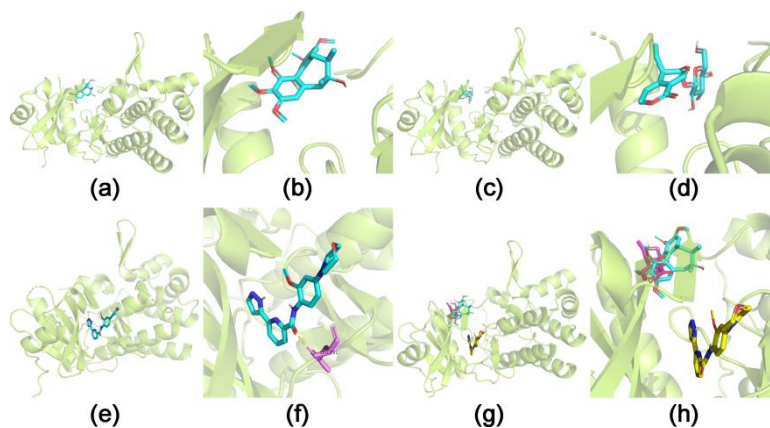
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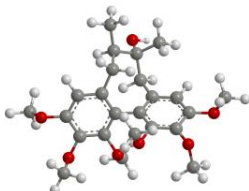
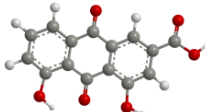
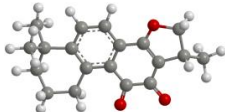
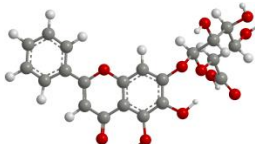
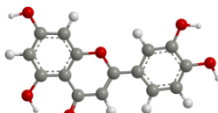


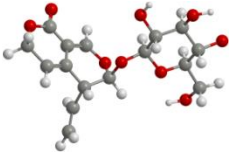
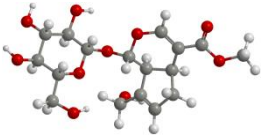
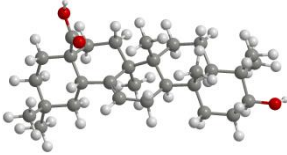
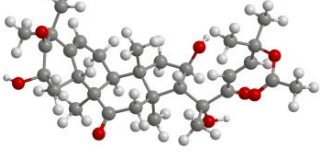
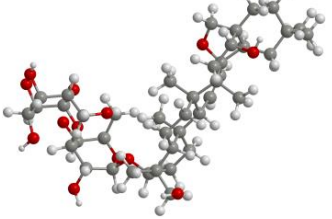
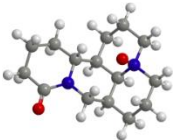
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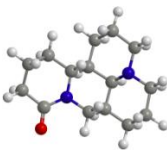
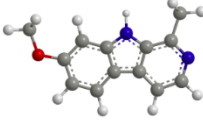
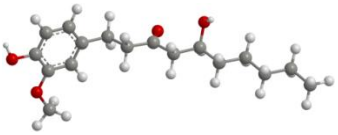


**Figure S1.** Docking poses of schisandrin and gentiopicroside which failed the molecular docking for they were unable to be docked into the inhibitory pocket. **(a, b)** Schisandrin; **(c, d)** Gentiopicroside; **(e, f)** The re-docked original ligand inhibitor, JH-I-25; **(g, h)** Superposed poses. Colors of the carbon skeleton: schisandrin in cyan, gentiopicroside in violet, JH-I-25 in yellow. Colors of other atoms: hydrogen (polar) in gray, nitrogen in blue, oxygen in red; The panels (a, c, e, g) are in global view, whereas panels (b, d, f, h) are in part view.

**Table S1.** Chemical information and drug likeness screening of the 14 representative natural compounds with anti-inflammatory and anti-tumor activities.

Category	Name	Chemical structure	Molecular formula	CAS NO.	PubChem CID	Biological activities	MW	Mlog <i>P</i>	H-A	H-D	Lipinski violations	TPSA, Å <sup>2</sup>	
Lignans	Schisandrin		C <sub>24</sub> H <sub>32</sub> O <sub>7</sub>	7432-28-2	23915	anti-inflammatory protect against liver injury anti-cancer	432.5	1.77	7	1	0	75.6	
Anthraquinones	Rhein		C <sub>15</sub> H <sub>8</sub> O <sub>6</sub>	478-43-3	10168	hepatoprotective anti-cancer anti-inflammatory	284.2	0.29	6	3	0	111.9	
Phenanthraquinones	Cryptotanshinone		C <sub>19</sub> H <sub>20</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	35825-57-1	160254	anti-tumor anti-inflammatory	296.4	2.36	3	0	0	43.4	
Flavones	Baicalin		C <sub>21</sub> H <sub>18</sub> O <sub>11</sub>	21967-41-9	64982	anti-inflammatory antineoplastic anticoronaviral antibacterial	446.4	-1.63	11	6	2	H-A > 10, H-D > 5	183.0
Flavones	Luteolin		C <sub>15</sub> H <sub>10</sub> O <sub>6</sub>	491-70-3	5280445	anti-inflammatory immune system modulatory antineoplastic	286.2	-0.03	6	4	0	107.0	

Iridoid glycosides	Gentiopicroside		C <sub>16</sub> H <sub>20</sub> O <sub>9</sub>	20831-76-9	88708	hepatoprotective anti-inflammatory	356.3	-1.42	9	4	0	134.9
Iridoid glycosides	Geniposide		C <sub>17</sub> H <sub>24</sub> O <sub>10</sub>	24512-63-8	107848	anti-inflammatory antioxidative antiproliferative	388.4	-1.86	10	5	0	155.1
Triterpenoids	Oleanolic acid		C <sub>30</sub> H <sub>48</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	508-02-1	10494	antitumor hepatoprotective protect against liver injury	456.7	5.82	3	2	1	57.5 MlogP > 4.15
Triterpenoids	Cucurbitacin B		C <sub>32</sub> H <sub>46</sub> O <sub>8</sub>	6199-67-3	5281316	antitumor inhibit proliferation anti-inflammatory	558.7	1.76	8	3	1	138.2 MW > 500
Triterpenoids	Saikosaponin d		C <sub>42</sub> H <sub>68</sub> O <sub>13</sub>	20874-52-6	107793	antitumor anti-inflammatory	781.0	0.18	13	8	3	208.0 MW > 500, H-A > 10, H-D > 5
Alkaloids	Oxymatrine		C <sub>15</sub> H <sub>24</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub>	16837-52-8	114850	anti-cancer anti-inflammation protect against liver injury	264.4	0.39	2	0	0	38.4

Alkaloids	Matrine		C <sub>15</sub> H <sub>24</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O	519-02-8	91466	anti-inflammation alleviate liver injury anti-cancer	248.4	2.27	2	0	0	23.6
Alkaloids	Harmin		C <sub>13</sub> H <sub>12</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O	442-51-3	5280953	anti-cancer anti-inflammatory	212.3	1.56	2	1	0	37.9
Phenols	Gingerol		C <sub>17</sub> H <sub>26</sub> O <sub>4</sub>	23513-14-6	442793	anti-inflammatory anti-cancer protective against toxins	294.4	2.14	4	2	0	66.8

Notes: MW, molecular weight; H-A, hydrogen bond acceptors; H-D, hydrogen bond donors; TPSA, topological polar surface area.

**Table S2.** Molecular docking results of the selected natural compounds after drug likeness screening and the original co-crystallized inhibitor with IRAK1.

Compounds	Outcome of the docking	Binding energy (kcal/mol)	Residues of hydrogen bonding interactions
Schisandrin	Unable to be docked to the active site	Not applicable	Not applicable
Rhein	Docked to the active site successfully	-10.3	LEU-291, ILE-218, GLY-294
Cryptotanshinone	Docked to the active site successfully	-9.4	LEU-291
Luteolin	Docked to the active site successfully	-10.1	LEU-291, ASP-358, LYS-239, ILE-218
Gentiopicroside	Unable to be docked to the active site	Not applicable	Not applicable
Oxymatrine	Docked to the active site successfully	-8.4	SER-344
Matrine	Docked to the active site successfully	-9.3	None
Harmine	Docked to the active site successfully	-9.2	LEU-291, ASP-358
Gingerol	Docked to the active site successfully	-7.6	LEU-291, ASP-358, LYS-239
Original ligand inhibitor JH-I-25	Docked to the active site successfully	-10.2	LEU-291