

Supplementary Materials

Comparative metabolite profiling and fingerprinting of medicinal cinnamon bark and its commercial preparations *via* a multiplex approach of GC–MS, UV, and NMR techniques

Supplementary Tables

Table S1: The relative abundances (% ± S.E) of a list of detected peaks (126 peaks) following analysis of various cinnamon products by SPME coupled to GC/MS. The peaks were identified based on retention times, reference standards, and Kovat retention index. The samples codes are explained in **Table 1**.

Peak No.	RT (min)	Kovat retention index (RI)	Metabolite name	Chemical class	Relative abundance (%) ± S.E								
					Authenticated cinnamon drugs					Commercial cinnamon products			
					CA	CI	CT	CV	CVM	CP-1	CP-2	CP-3	CP-4
3	2.19	515.79	Acetic acid	Acids	0.03±0.01	0.33±0.22	0.07±0.05	0.07±0.02	0.53±0.46	1.12±0.94	0.95±0.42	0.44±0.05	0.35±0.16
8	6.81	969.4	Caproic acid		0.03±0.03	0.10±0.07	0.14±0.13	0.11±0.05	0.33±0.21	0.32±0.02	0.05±0.2	0.06±0.01	0.02±0.01
16	8.993	1173.45	Benzoic acid		0.16±0.12	0.15±0.11	0.27±0.23	0.52±0.25	0.39±0.21	0.05±0.0	0.14±0.07	0.10±0.01	0.16±0.07
34	10.653	1344.68	Hydrocinnamic acid		1.14±1.0	0.02±0.01	0.68±0.31	0.03±0.01	0.03±0.01	0.15±0.01	---	0.01±0.0	---
54	11.488	1430.94	Cinnamic acid		0.26±0.22	0.01±0.01	0.03±0.02	0.08±0.02	0.02±0.01	0.20±0.07	0.81±0.42	0.01±0.0	2.23±0.5
57	11.538	1436.26	2-Methoxy phenylacetic acid		---	---	---	---	---	---	0.01±0.0	---	0.01±0.0
Total acids					1.62	0.62	1.19	0.81	1.31	1.85	1.95	0.62	2.77
1	1.781	474.73	Ethanol	Alcohols	0.32±0.05	0.08±0.07	0.28±0.27	0.02±0.01	0.21±0.19	0.82±0.62	0.04±0.0	0.44±0.04	0.11±0.07
6	5.249	821.75	(Z)-3-Hexen-1-ol		0.17±0.12	0.12±0.09	0.61±0.59	0.18±0.1	3.09±1.84	30.89±1.7	0.15±0.08	23.30±5.08	0.02±0.01
9	7.183	1004.67	3-Hexen-1-ol isomer		1.58±1.55	0.39±0.33	4.16±4.12	0.49±0.28	6.78±3.66	11.34±2.96	0.57±0.32	29.18±4.3	0.02±0.01
10	7.283	1014.06	Unknown		---	---	---	---	0.06±0.04	7.47±1.21	---	0.96±0.04	---
15	8.46	1123.78	Phenylethyl alcohol		0.07±0.06	0.07±0.04	0.51±0.46	0.37±0.18	0.06±0.02	0.34±0.03	0.03±0.01	0.25±0.06	0.01±0.0
18	9.069	1181.04	Isoborneol		0.80±0.73	0.07±0.06	0.31±0.29	0.33±0.16	0.36±0.22	0.33±0.03	1.68±0.95	0.20±0.04	1.41±0.66
19	9.295	1201.6	α-Terpineol		0.16±0.15	0.10±0.09	0.25±0.23	0.10±0.05	0.03±0.02	0.15±0.0	0.88±0.5	0.05±0.0	0.82±0.39
24	9.624	1236.85	3-Phenylpropanol		0.14±0.07	0.22±0.15	0.10±0.04	0.02±0.02	0.08±0.06	0.01±0.0	0.04±0.02	0.05±0.01	0.02±0.01
27	10.064	1283.12	Cinnamyl alcohol isomer		0.03±0.01	0.27±0.1	0.06±0.02	0.04±0.04	0.07±0.03	0.29±0.02	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.02±0.02
30	10.266	1304.88	Cumic alcohol		0.21±0.2	0.01±0.0	0.19±0.17	0.02±0.01	0.03±0.01	0.11±0.05	2.85±1.6	0.03±0.01	2.25±0.93
33	10.413	1320.03±	Cinnamyl alcohol		0.30±0.02	1.25±0.69	0.09±0.01	0.75±0.12	0.7±0.29	0.69±0.03	0.08±0.02	0.33±0.07	0.06±0.0
86	13.202	1597.09	Caryophyllenyl alcohol		0.23±0.01	0.06±0.00	0.31±0.06	0.17±0.02	0.07±0.03	0.01±0.0	0.21±0.02	0.01±0.0	0.20±0.03
88	13.283	1605.64	Axenol		0.2±0.04	0.04±0.0	0.05±0.01	0.17±0.02	0.06±0.02	0.02±0.0	0.11±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.32±0.04
90	13.525	1631.82	Carotol		0.02±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.24±0.05	0.03±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	---	0.02±0.0
97	13.787	1661.03	Globulol		0.11±0.03	0.17±0.08	0.03±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.05±0.01	0.04±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0
100	13.852	1668.19	Epicubenol		0.06±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.10±0.03	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.03±0.0	---	0.03±0.01
101	13.932	1677.01	α-Cadinol		0.66±0.12	0.06±0.0	0.16±0.04	0.45±0.05	0.34±0.09	0.04±0.01	0.34±0.01	0.01±0.01	0.46±0.08
102	13.94	1678.21	Daucol		0.47±0.03	0.04±0.0	0.06±0.02	0.15±0.02	0.12±0.03	0.03±0.0	0.12±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.14±0.03
103	14.054	1690.47	β-Eudesmol		0.12±0.02	0.04±0.01	0.08±0.02	0.10±0.01	0.08±0.02	0.04±0.01	0.05±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.08±0.02
104	14.069	1692.63	Cubenol isomer		0.01±0.0	0.01±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.11±0.01	---	---	0.01±0.0
106	14.111	1696.62	β-Bisabolol		0.03±0.01	0.02±0.02	0.01±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.02±0.01	0.03±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0
109	14.259	1712.39	α-Bisabolol		0.07±0.01	0.04±0.0	0.05±0.01	0.02±0.0	0.03±0.0	0.06±0.0	0.05±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.02±0.01
112	14.466	1735.48	1-Naphthalenol		0.10±0.02	0.02±0.0	0.01±0.0	---	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	---	---	---
121	15.378	1834.66	Azulen-2-ol, 1,4-dimethyl-7-(1-methylethyl)-		0.04±0.01	0.01±0.01	0.01±0.0	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total alcohols					5.91	3.12	7.69	3.45	12.28	52.85	7.29	54.89	6.06

7	6.669	956.06	Benzaldehyde		0.35±0.24	1.07±0.89	1.03±0.93	0.46±0.24	1.22±0.65	1.70±0.09	1.76±0.93	2.66±0.05	0.93±0.44
11	7.671	1050.12	Salicylaldehyde		0.03±0.01	0.02±0.01	0.05±0.04	0.07±0.03	0.22±0.11	0.13±0.01	0.05±0.02	0.05±0.0	0.04±0.02
14	8.308	1109.66	Nonanal		0.02±0.0	0.05±0.02	0.02±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.54±0.28	0.04±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.04±0.01	0.01±0.0
20	9.372	1210.08	Decanal		0.03±0.02	0.03±0.01	0.02±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.07±0.03	0.05±0.01	0.02±0.01	0.04±0.01	0.01±0.0
22	9.597	1233.76	Cis-Cinnamaldehyde		0.02±0.01	0.29±0.15	0.11±0.04	0.80±0.3	0.22±0.07	0.03±0.0	0.43±0.18	0.07±0.02	1.23±0.32
25	9.811	1257.14	O-Anisaldehyde		0.45±0.36	0.03±0.02	0.11±0.04	0.15±0.07	0.04±0.02	0.10±0.02	0.13±0.07	0.03±0.0	0.01±0.0
26	9.946	1270.59	p-Anisaldehyde		0.05±0.03	0.45±0.35	0.15±0.02	0.03±0.0	0.04±0.01	0.04±0.01	0.02±0.0	0.03±0.0	0.01±0.01
28	10.195	1298.31	(E)-Cinnamaldehyde		4.16±0.47	48.51±4.85	35.09±5.28	55.63±4.34	60.88±6.3	6.31±0.74	64.6±5.98	21.93±9.81	47.94±2.55
31	10.28	1306.96	Safrole		0.02±0.01	0.05±0.02	0.05±0.02	0.10±0.04	0.06±0.01	0.13±0.07	0.08±0.02	0.03±0.0	---
36	10.734	1353.31	Piperonal		0.34±0.2	0.02±0.01	0.03±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.06±0.01	0.06±0.03	0.03±0.01	0.09±0.07
41	10.893	1370.88	Eugenol		0.04±0.01	4.66±2.0	0.17±0.05	0.55±0.14	0.02±0.01	0.02±0.0	0.02±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0
43	10.975	1379.1	Cerulignol		---	0.64±0.52	0.04±0.01	---	---	---	---	---	---
53	11.29	1411.28	Vanillin		0.02±0.01	0.01±0.01	0.02±0.01	0.10±0.05	0.06±0.03	0.04±0.02	0.08±0.04	0.01±0.0	0.20±0.05
73	12.454	1524.38	Acetisoegenol		0.02±0.01	0.02±0.01	0.09±0.02	---	0.02±0.02	---	0.02±0.0	0.01±0.0	---
77	12.572	1536.24	O-Methoxy cinnamaldehyde		0.63±0.2	2.40±0.77	0.32±0.06	9.57±1.05	8.48±1.82	0.55±0.11	0.84±0.12	0.22±0.03	2.17±0.25
80	12.752	1553.26	β-Asarone		0.01±0.01	0.02±0.0	---	0.01±0.0	---	0.07±0.0	---	---	---
84	13.153	1592.48	1,5-Epoxyisoval-4(14)-ene		0.79±0.21	0.08±0.03	0.11±0.02	0.02±0.0	---	0.03±0.0	0.03±0.01	0.02±0.0	0.07±0.01
95	13.694	1651.2	Apiole		0.02±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.06±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	---	0.02±0.0
99	13.827	1665.6	Unknown		0.03±0.01	0.51±0.32	0.03±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.40±0.08	0.02±0.01	0.16±0.04	0.02±0.0
114	14.611	1751.89	Ylangenol		0.01±0.0	0.01±0.01	0.01±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.08±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.01	---
117	14.965	1790.56	Unknown		0.83±0.17	0.05±0.02	0.07±0.02	0.04±0.0	0.22±0.05	0.30±0.01	0.02±0.0	0.02±0.01	0.02±0.0
Total aldehyde/ether					7.88	58.94	37.52	67.65	72.13	10.09	68.20	25.37	52.79
87	13.226	1599.47	Hexadecane	Aliphatic hydrocarbons	0.34±0.12	0.73±0.22	0.05±0.01	0.18±0.02	0.03±0.01	0.12±0.01	0.02±0.0	0.03±0.0	0.01±0.0
119	15.036	1798.62	Octadecane		0.15±0.02	0.18±0.03	0.02±0.01	0.07±0.01	0.01±0.01	0.03±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	---
Total aliphatic hydrocarbon					0.48	0.91	0.07	0.24	0.04	0.15	0.03	0.04	0.02
49	11.157	1398.68	β-Vinylnaphthalene	Aromatic hydrocarbons	0.02±0.0	0.76±0.25	0.01±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.01	0.02±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0
72	12.355	1515.12	Unknown		8.84±2.89	6.81±2.63	0.09±0.02	0.03±0.01	---	0.03±0.0	0.01±0.0	---	0.19±0.16
89	13.348	1612.72	unknown		0.09±0.05	5.95±2.45	0.29±0.11	0.04±0.01	0.02±0.01	0.05±0.03	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.01
93	13.618	1642.89	Naphthalene		0.02±0.01	---	0.01±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	---	0.02±0.0
96	13.725	1654.21	α-Corocalene		0.10±0.01	0.01±0.01	0.06±0.01	0.22±0.02	0.03±0.01	0.03±0.0	0.13±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.26±0.04
108	14.229	1709.72	Cadalene		1.03±0.24	0.10±0.04	0.36±0.1	0.77±0.1	0.15±0.03	0.13±0.0	1.75±0.24	0.02±0.01	0.88±0.17
120	15.146	1810.14	Anthracene		0.22±0.12	1.41±0.59	0.34±0.12	0.09±0.02	0.04±0.03	0.02±0.01	0.03±0.01	---	0.04±0.01
Total aromatic hydrocarbon					10.33	15.04	1.15	1.16	0.28	0.30	1.96	0.05	1.41
2	1.928	489.66	Ethyl acetate	Esters	0.80±0.77	0.16±0.15	0.28±0.28	0.24±0.1	0.20±0.19	0.24±0.04	0.19±0.0	0.99±0.44	0.28±0.14
17	9.032	1178.45	Unknown		6.55±5.68	0.13±0.05	5.44±2.55	1.18±0.34	0.33±0.07	2.01±0.4	0.12±0.04	0.11±0.02	0.21±0.07
35	10.664	1346.47	Salicylic acid methyl ether		0.40±0.21	0.02±0.01	0.16±0.07	0.01±0.0	0.04±0.03	0.06±0.02	---	0.03±0.01	---
37	10.735	1354.69	Cinnamyl formate		0.28±0.27	0.01±0.0	---	0.01±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.03±0.02	---	0.05±0.03
40	10.797	1360.5	Ethyl dihydrocinnamate		1.34±1.0	0.01±0.0	0.05±0.0	0.03±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0
44	10.994	1381.08	Hydrocinnamyl isobutyrate		0.10±0.06	0.18±0.12	0.02±0.01	0.04±0.01	0.06±0.03	0.02±0.0	0.03±0.01	0.02±0.01	0.02±0.01

45	11.012	1383.24	Unknown		0.10±0.05	0.31±0.25	0.12±0.08	0.30±0.1	0.10±0.04	0.27±0.12	0.04±0.02	0.12±0.05	0.16±0.02	
60	11.652	1446.65	Cinnamyl acetate		0.03±0.01	0.93±0.2	0.45±0.09	0.06±0.01	0.02±0.0	0.03±0.01	0.23±0.04	0.05±0.01	0.07±0.01	
62	11.769	1458.04	Dimethyl phthalate		0.07±0.03	0.08±0.01	0.10±0.01	0.09±0.02	0.18±0.07	0.71±0.04	0.05±0.0	0.50±0.11	0.04±0.0	
63	11.871	1467.88	(E)-Ethyl cinnamate		2.12±0.15	0.04±0.0	0.13±0.02	0.11±0.05	0.03±0.02	0.11±0.02	0.01±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.07±0.01	
81	12.827	1561.1	Ethyl O-hydroxy hydrocinnamate		0.03±0.01	0.01±0.01	0.02±0.0	0.04±0.0	0.03±0.01	0.05±0.0	0.04±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.03±0.01	
82	13.005	1577.51	Ethyl melilotate		0.43±0.13	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	---	---	0.01±0.01	0.02±0.0	---	0.02±0.01	
85	13.159	1592.9	Ethyl dodecanoate		0.73±0.13	---	0.03±0.01	0.03±0.0	---	0.01±0.0	---	---	---	
107	14.203	1706.76	Ethyl tridecanoate		0.26±0.03	0.01±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.02±0.0	---	---	0.01±0.0	---	0.01±0.0	
115	14.839	1776.66	Ethyl 9-tetradecenoate		0.02±0.01	0.05±0.03	0.03±0.02	---	0.01±0.0	0.03±0.01	---	0.01±0.01	0.02±0.01	
116	14.914	1785.1	Benzyl benzoate		0.23±0.05	0.85±0.38	0.16±0.03	0.14±0.0	0.29±0.09	0.04±0.02	0.09±0.02	0.03±0.02	0.12±0.01	
118	14.991	1793.3	Ethyl myristate		1.40±0.3	0.02±0.01	0.05±0.01	0.05±0.01	---	0.01±0.0	---	---	---	
122	15.871	1885.58	ethyl pentadecanoate		0.57±0.15	0.02±0.01	0.02±0.0	0.03±0.0	---	---	---	---	---	
123	16.173	1917.13	Methyl palmitate		0.02±0.01	0.07±0.04	0.01±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.15±0.09	0.04±0.04	0.29±0.16	---	0.24±0.06	
124	16.655	1967.6	Ethyl 9-hexadecenoate		0.18±0.06	0.22±0.13	0.01±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.54±0.34	0.02±0.02	0.01±0.0	---	0.01±0.0	
125	16.889	1991.48	Ethyl palmitate		7.70±2.26	0.01±0.0	0.08±0.08	0.28±0.05	---	---	---	---	0.02±0.01	
126	18.19	2123.07	Ethyl heptadecanoate		0.13±0.04	0.01±0.0	---	0.01±0.0	---	---	---	---	---	
Total esters					23.49	3.16	7.20	2.70	2.00	3.68	1.17	1.90	1.38	
4	2.743	571.44	Acetol		Ketones	---	0.01±0.0	---	0.03±0.02	0.19±0.11	0.01±0.0	1.59±0.18	---	
12	7.947	1075.8	Acetophenone			0.22±0.18	0.09±0.04	0.20±0.19	0.08±0.04	0.20±0.1	0.77±0.05	0.24±0.13	0.49±0.04	0.09±0.04
39	10.794	1360.12	Piperitenone			0.01±0.01	0.02±0.01	---	0.04±0.02	0.04±0.03	---	0.02±0.01	---	0.07±0.03
92	13.58	1639.12	Acorenone B			0.01±0.0	0.22±0.09	0.01±0.0	---	---	0.01±0.0	---	---	---
105	14.075	1692.67	aR-Turmerone			0.04±0.01	0.04±0.02	0.15±0.04	0.07±0.01	0.02±0.0	0.02±0.01	0.03±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.04±0.01
110	14.262	1713.42	Mustakone.			0.03±0.01	0.09±0.08	0.01±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.02±0.0	---	0.01±0.0
Total ketones					0.31	0.46	0.37	0.22	0.31	1.00	0.32	2.10	0.22	
42	10.93	1374.5	Prunolide.		Lactones	0.02±0.01	0.05±0.02	0.06±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.05±0.02	0.09±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.05±0.01	0.01±0.0
50	11.203	1402.34	Hydrocoumarin.			0.01±0.01	0.01±0.0	---	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.16±0.15	0.02±0.01	6.37±0.27	0.17±0.07
61	11.734	1454.57	Coumarin			44.76±10.74	1.19±0.41	39.56±9.47	6.76±0.65	7.97±2.34	19.11±1.0	11.41±1.95	3.30±0.04	9.22±1.81
Total lactones					44.79	1.24	39.62	6.78	8.04	19.36	11.43	9.71	9.40	
68	12.107	1490.88	Cis-4,10-Epoxyamorphane		Oxides	0.06±0.02	---	0.06±0.01	0.17±0.04	0.02±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.10±0.03	0.02±0.0	0.10±0.01
69	12.203	1500.35	10,11-Epoxykalamenene			0.07±0.02	0.02±0.02	0.04±0.01	0.25±0.05	0.03±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.12±0.04	0.01±0.0	0.20±0.01
98	13.811	1663.51	Caryophyllene oxide			0.43±0.07	0.05±0.0	0.14±0.03	0.34±0.03	0.17±0.06	0.14±0.01	0.35±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.95±0.16
Total oxides					0.55	0.08	0.24	0.76	0.23	0.16	0.58	0.04	1.25	
21	9.484	1221.7	Pyroguaic acid		Phenols	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.01	0.01±0.0	---	0.03±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.01±0.0
29	10.211	1299.38	Carvacrol			0.01±0.0	0.05±0.03	0.74±0.71	3.90±1.95	0.02±0.01	0.23±0.18	0.02±0.01	0.01±0.0	3.76±1.87
32	10.321	1310.25	Thymol			0.05±0.02	0.04±0.02	0.18±0.05	0.19±0.11	0.01±0.0	0.08±0.0	0.29±0.13	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0
83	13.077	1583.64	5-Hydroxycalamenene			0.03±0.0	0.01±0.01	0.06±0.01	0.02±0.0	---	0.01±0.0	0.03±0.0	---	0.06±0.01
113	14.563	1746.65	Unknown			0.15±0.04	0.01±0.01	0.08±0.02	0.08±0.01	0.07±0.01	0.07±0.01	0.07±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.09±0.02
Total phenols					0.24	0.12	1.06	4.19	0.12	0.41	0.42	0.05	3.92	
5	4.953	793.12	Furfural		Pyrans/furan	0.01±0.01	0.09±0.04	0.13±0.08	0.01±0.0	0.08±0.03	1.07±0.09	0.02±0.0	4.67±0.82	0.01±0.0
13	8.025	1083.19	Dihydro-3-methylene-5-			0.02±0.02	0.02±0.02	0.46±0.41	0.14±0.07	0.04±0.02	2.86±0.34	0.02±0.01	0.12±0.02	0.01±0.0

			methyl-2-furanone									
23	9.611	1235.57	5-Hydroxymethylfurfural	0.04±0.03	0.01±0.0	0.02±0.01	---	---	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	---	0.01±0.01
46	11.039	1386.16	2(3 <i>H</i>)-Furanone, 3-acetyl-dihydro-3-methyl-	0.04±0.02	0.04±0.02	---	---	0.03±0.01	0.04±0.01	---	0.03±0.0	0.01±0.0
Total pyran/furan				0.11	0.16	0.61	0.15	0.16	3.98	0.05	4.82	0.03
38	10.779	1358.17	Cadina-3,5-diene	0.11±0.07	---	---	0.01±0.01	0.01±0.0	---	---	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0
47	11.104	1392.35	Cyclosativene.	0.39±0.36	0.040±0.02	0.01±0.0	0.05±0.02	0.04±0.02	0.03±0.0	0.40±0.23	0.03±0.01	0.41±0.3
48	11.13	1396.44	Copaene	0.12±0.06	0.04±0.02	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.04±0.0	---	0.05±0.01	---
51	11.259	1408.53	β-Elemene.	0.01±0.0	0.11±0.06	0.01±0.0	0.03±0.01	---	0.06±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	---
52	11.287	1411.6	(+)-Sativen	0.02±0.01	0.13±0.05	0.18±0.05	0.03±0.0	0.12±0.07	0.62±0.11	0.02±0.0	0.06±0.01	0.01±0.0
55	11.495	1431.48	Isosativene.	0.03±0.03	0.19±0.1	0.01±0.01	---	0.01±0.0	0.02±0.02	0.02±0.01	0.01±0.0	---
56	11.508	1432.57	Himachalene-1,4-diene	1.18±0.58	0.02±0.02	1.11±0.59	0.07±0.04	0.08±0.04	4.97±1.31	0.22±0.05	0.02±0.01	0.05±0.02
58	11.559	1437.46	Caryophyllene	0.01±0.0	0.09±0.06	0.02±0.01	0.10±0.03	0.04±0.02	0.01±0.0	0.37±0.18	---	2.47±0.18
59	11.631	1444.43	<i>trans</i> -α-Bergamotene	0.07±0.07	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.08±0.03	0.07±0.04	0.01±0.0	0.09±0.05	---	0.53±0.18
64	11.887	1469.19	Humulene	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.07±0.02	0.01±0.01	---	0.04±0.02	---	0.19±0.02
65	11.973	1477.83	4- <i>epi</i> -α-Acoradiene	0.03±0.01	0.01±0.0	0.01±0.0	---	---	0.01±0.0	0.09±0.03	---	0.10±0.01
66	12.042	1483.63	γ-Muurolene	0.14±0.05	0.11±0.06	0.10±0.03	1.08±0.66	0.34±0.2	0.02±0.01	0.82±0.31	0.01±0.0	3.33±0.16
67	12.096	1489.21	α-Amorphene	0.03±0.01	0.05±0.03	0.02±0.0	0.02±0.01	0.02±0.0	0.09±0.01	0.02±0.01	0.05±0.0	0.06±0.0
70	12.211	1500.79	α-Selinene	0.02±0.01	5.21±1.11	0.06±0.02	0.01±0.0	---	0.02±0.01	---	---	0.01±0.0
71	12.29	1508.54	α-Muurolene	0.62±0.18	0.04±0.01	0.54±0.13	4.94±0.65	0.75±0.42	0.02±0.0	2.68±0.78	0.02±0.0	5.59±0.48
74	12.465	1525.5	γ-Cadinene	0.09±0.06	0.14±0.08	0.05±0.01	0.59±0.1	0.07±0.04	0.01±0.0	0.17±0.04	0.02±0.1	0.54±0.02
75	12.533	1531.85	δ-Cadinene	0.31±0.08	0.25±0.14	0.30±0.06	3.47±0.48	1.21±0.32	0.05±0.02	1.36±0.33	0.03±0.0	6.63±0.69
76	12.551	1534.16	<i>trans</i> -Calamenene	0.19±0.12	9.07±3.35	0.60±0.23	0.08±0.02	0.05±0.02	0.10±0.05	0.02±0.0	0.03±0.01	0.02±0.02
78	12.664	1544.73	Cubenene	0.13±0.04	0.03±0.0	0.09±0.02	0.82±0.11	0.14±0.06	---	0.01±0.0	---	0.07±0.0
79	12.725	1550.73	α-Dehydro-ar-himachalene	0.10±0.01	0.02±0.01	0.05±0.01	0.34±0.04	0.07±0.03	0.06±0.0	0.16±0.03	0.01±0.0	0.59±0.05
91	13.563	1636.47	Clovene	0.01±0.0	0.12±0.05	0.02±0.0	---	---	0.01±0.0	---	---	---
94	13.635	1644.33	δ-Cadinene	0.06±0.01	0.02±0.01	0.03±0.01	0.05±0.0	0.02±0.0	0.01±0.0	0.04±0.0	---	0.06±0.01
111	14.383	1726.68	Selina-3,7(11)-diene	0.56±0.01	0.44±0.03	0.01±0.0	---	0.01±0.0	0.02±0.0	---	0.04±0.02	---
Total sesquiterpene hydrocarbon				4.23	16.15	3.24	11.86	3.09	6.17	6.55	0.41	20.65
Sesquiterpene hydrocarbons												

Table S2: Resonance assignments with chemical shifts (δ , ppm) of constituents identified in 600 MHz ^1H , ^{13}C , COSY, and HMBC NMR spectra of different authenticated (e.g., CA, CI, and CV) and commercial (e.g., CP-1, CP-2, CP-3, and CP-4) cinnamon samples. The sample codes are listed in **Table 1**.

No.	Metabolite	Assignment	δ ^1H (ppm)	δ ^{13}C in HSQC (ppm)	COSY correlation ^1H (ppm)	HMBC correlation ^{13}C (ppm)	Cinnamon samples
N1	Fatty acids (ω -6)	C-1	-	177.6	-	-	CV, CA, CI, CP-1, CP-2, CP-3, CP-4
		C-2	2.27 ($t, J=7.2$ Hz)	34.8	1.59 (H-3)	C-1 (177.6), C-3 (25.9), $(\text{CH}_2)_n$ (30.2)	
		C-3	1.59 (m)	25.9	2.27 (H-2), 1.32 (CH_2)	C-1 (177.6), C-2 (34.8), $(\text{CH}_2)_n$ (30.2)	
		H-8/H-14 allylic CH_2	2.02-2.07 (m)	27.9	1.32 (CH_2) _n , 5.34 (olefinic Hs)	129.9 (olefinic C), 30.2 (CH_2) _n	
		H-11 <i>bis</i> allylic	2.77 ($t, J=6.6$ Hz)	-	5.34 (olefinic Hs)	129.9 (olefinic C)	
		olefinic Hs	5.34 (m)	129.9	2.77 (<i>bis</i> allylic CH_2), 2.02-2.07 (allylic CH_2)	27.9 (allylic CH_2)	
		$(\text{CH}_2)_n$	1.32 (br. S)	30.2	0.89 (ω -1), 1.59 (H-3), 2.02-2.07 (allylic CH_2)	129.9 (olefinic C), 30.2 (CH_2) _n , 34.8 (C-2), 25.9 (C-3), 27.9 (allylic C), 14.3 (<i>t</i> - CH_3)	
		ω -1 (<i>t</i> - CH_3)	0.89 ($t, J=7.2$ Hz)	14.3	1.32 (CH_2) _n	23.6 (ω -2), 32.9 (ω -3)	
N2	Glycerol	C-1/3	3.5 (dd, $J=11.4, 6$ Hz)	64.3	-	64.3 (C-3), 73.7 (C-2)	CV, CA, CI, CP-2, CP-4
		C-1/3	3.58 (dd, $J=11.4,$ 4.8 Hz)	64.3	-	64.3 (C-3), 73.7 (C-2)	
		C-2	3.64 (m)	73.7	-	64.3 (C-1/3)	
N3	β -glucose	C-1	4.46 (d, $J=7.8$ Hz)	98.1	3.11 (H-2)	76.1 (C-2)	CV, CA, CI, CP-1, CP-2, CP-3, CP-4
		C-2	3.11 (dd, $J=9, 7.8$ Hz)	76.1	4.46 (H-1), 3.35 (H-3)	98.1 (C-1), 78.0 (C-3)	
N4	α -glucose	C-1	5.09 (d, $J=3.6$ Hz)	94.2	3.34 (H-2)	73.7 (C-2)	CV, CA, CI, CP-1, CP-2, CP-4
		C-2	3.34 (dd, $J=3.6, 9.6$ Hz)	73.7	5.09 (H-1)	-	

N5	Fructose	C-5	4.01 (dd, $J=1.2, 12.6$ Hz)	64.3	3.57 (H-4)	71.1	CV, CA, CI, CP-1, CP-2, CP-4
N6	Sucrose	C-1	5.14 (d, $J=3$ Hz)	93.9	3.4 (H-2)	74.7 (C-2)	CA, CI, CP-1
		C-2	3.4 (dd, $J=3.6, 9.6$ Hz)	74.7	5.14 (H-1), 3.8 (m)	-	
		C-3,4,6	3.8 (m)	73.7	3.4 (H-2)	-	
		C-5	3.49 (td, $J=9, 1.8$ Hz)	-	-	-	
N7	(Z)-Cinnamic acid	C-1	-	163.7	-	-	CV, CA, CI, CP-1, CP-2, CP-4
		C-2	6.42 (d, $J=9.6$ Hz)	116.9	7.94 (H-3)	163.7 (C-1)	
		C-3	7.94 (d, $J=9.6$ Hz)	145.5	6.42 (H-2)	163.7 (C-1), 116.9 (C-2),	
N8	(E)-Cinnamic acid	C-1	-	170.3	-	-	CV, CA, CI, CP-1, CP-2, CP-4
		C-2	6.47 (d, $J=15.6$ Hz)	119.4	7.63 (H-3)	170.3 (C-1), 146 (C-3)	
		C-3	7.63 (d, $J=15.6$ Hz)	146	6.47 (H-2)	170.3 (C-1)	
		C-4	-	133.1	-	-	
		C-5,9	7.63 (dd, $J=7.8, 1.2$ Hz)	-	-	146 (C-3), 133.1 (C-4)	
N9	(E)-Cinnamaldehyde	C-1	9.67 d ($J=7.8$ Hz)	195.9	6.78(H-2)	129.3 (C-2)	CV, CA, CI, CP-1, CP-2, CP-4
		C-2	6.78 (dd, $J= 15.6, 7.8$ Hz)	129.3	7.68 (H-3), 9.67 (H-1)	151.9 (C-3), 134.1 (C-4)	
		C-3	7.68 (d, $J=15.6$ Hz)	151.9	6.78 (H-2)	195.9 (C-1), 129.3 (C-2)	
		C-4	-	134.1	-	-	
		C-5,9	7.67 (dd, $J= 8.4, 2.4$ Hz)	129.6	7.45 (H-6,7,8)	-	
		C-7	7.45 (m)	nd	7.67 (H-5,9)	-	
		C-6,8	7.45(m)	129.9	7.67 (H-5,9)	-	
N10	(E)-Methoxy cinnamaldehyde	C-1	9.62 (d, $J=7.8$ Hz)	-	-	-	CV
		C-2	6.82 (dd, $J= 16,7.8$ Hz)	-	-	-	
		C-3	7.93 (d, $J=16$ Hz)	-	-	-	
		OCH ₃	3.84 (s)	-	-	-	

N11	Cinnamaldehyde dimethyl acetal	C-1	4.92 (dd, $J= 5.4, 1.2$ Hz)	104.6	6.14 (H-2)	53.1 (OCH_3)	CV, CA, CI
		C-2	6.14 (dd, $J=16.2, 5.4$ Hz)	-	4.92 (H-1), 6.72 (H-3)	137.4 (C-4)	
		C-3	6.72 (d, $J=16.2$ Hz)	-	6.14 (H-2)	104.6 (C-1), 137.4 (C-4), 127.5 (C-5.9)	
		C-4	-	137.4	-	-	
		C-5,9	-	127.5	-	-	
		OCH_3	-	53.1	-	-	
N12	Protocatechuic acid	C-1	-	-	-	-	CV, CA, CI
		C-2	7.42 (m)	117.6	-	170.1 (CO), 152.4(C-4), 146.8 (C-3)	
		C-3	-	-	-	-	
		C-4	-	-	-	-	
		C-5	6.78 (d, $J= 8.4$ Hz)	115.5	-	152.4(C-4), 146.8 (C-3)	
		C-6	8.01 (dd, $J= 8.4, 1.2$ Hz)	130.6	-	170.1 (CO)	
		CO	-	170.1	-	-	
N13	Coumarin	C-2	-	170.2	-	-	CA, CI, CP-1, CP-2, CP-4
		C-3	-	117.3	-	-	
		C-4	-	145.6	-	-	
		C-5	7.63 (dd, $J= 7.8, 1.2$ Hz)	129.6	7.34 (H-6)	155.2(C-9), 145.6 (C-4), 133.1 (C-7), 117.3 (C-3), 120.3 (C-10)	
		C-6	7.34 (ddd, $J= 8.4, 7.8, 1.2$ Hz)	125.8	7.63 (H-5), 7.59 (H-7)	155.2 (C-9), 29.6 (C-5), 120.3 (C-10), 117.7 (C-6)	
		C-7	7.59 (ddd, $J= 8.4, 6, 1.2$ Hz)	133.1	7.34 (H-6),	155.2 (C-9), 129.6 (C-5), 120.3 (C-10), 117.7 (C-8)	
		C-8	7.4 (dd, $J= 6, 1.8$ Hz)	117.7	-	170.2(C-2), 155.2 (C-9), 129.6 (C-5)	
		C-9	-	155.2	-	-	
		C-10	-	120.3	-	-	
N14	Vitamin B3 (Niacin)	C-2	9.02 (d, $J=1.8$ Hz)	-	-	-	CP-3

		C-4	8.28 (dt, $J=1.8,7.8$ Hz)	-	-	-	
		C-5	7.54 (dd, $J=4.8,7.8$ Hz)	-	-	-	
		C-6	8.69 (dd, $J=1.2, 4.8$ Hz)	-	-	-	
N15	Vitamin C (Ascorbic acid)	C-4	4.78	-	-	-	CP-3
		C-5	3.89 (t, $J=6$ Hz)	-	-	-	
		C-6	3.67 (d, $J=6$ Hz)	-	-	-	
N16	Vitamin (α -Tocopherol)	C-3	1.81 (m)	-	-	-	CP-3
		C-4	2.62 (t, $J=6.6$ Hz)	-	-	-	
		C-1'-C12'	1.1-1.6	-	-	-	
		C2-CH ₃	1.24 (s)	-	-	-	
		C5-CH ₃	2.07 (s)	-	-	-	
		C7-CH ₃	1.98 (s)	-	-	-	
		C8-CH ₃	1.95 (s)	-	-	-	
		C4'-CH ₃	0.86 (d, $J=6.6$ Hz)	-	-	-	
		C8'-CH ₃	0.85 (d, $J=6.6$ Hz)	-	-	-	
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Supplementary Figures

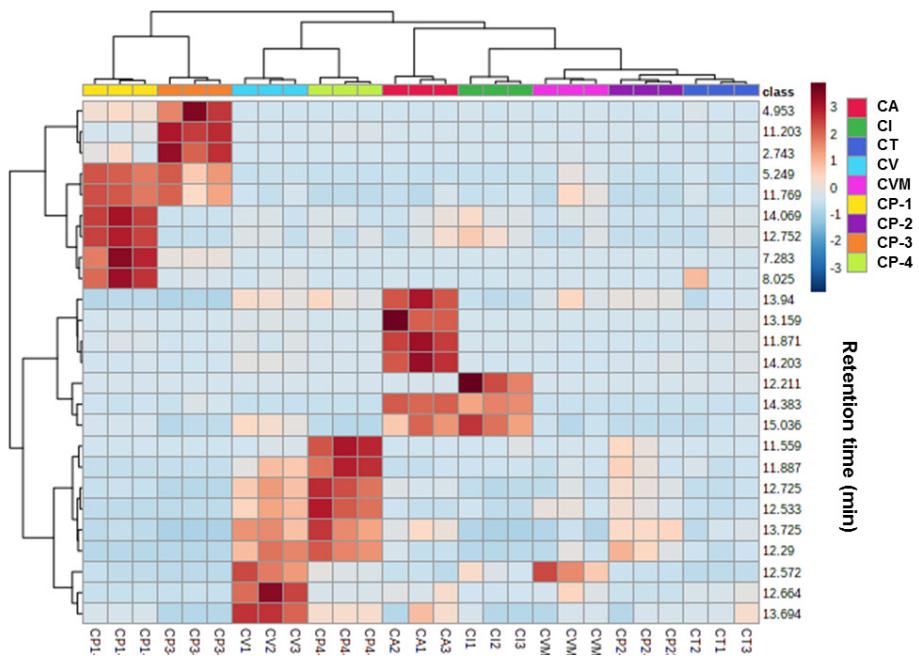


Figure S1: Heatmap analysis for all cinnamon samples based on SPME/GC-MS. The Y-axis represents the retention time (min) of the volatiles peak. The peak retention times for all samples and code are listed in **Table S1** and **Table 1**, respectively. Y-axis to the right shows retention times in min showing relative abundance among cinnamon specimens.

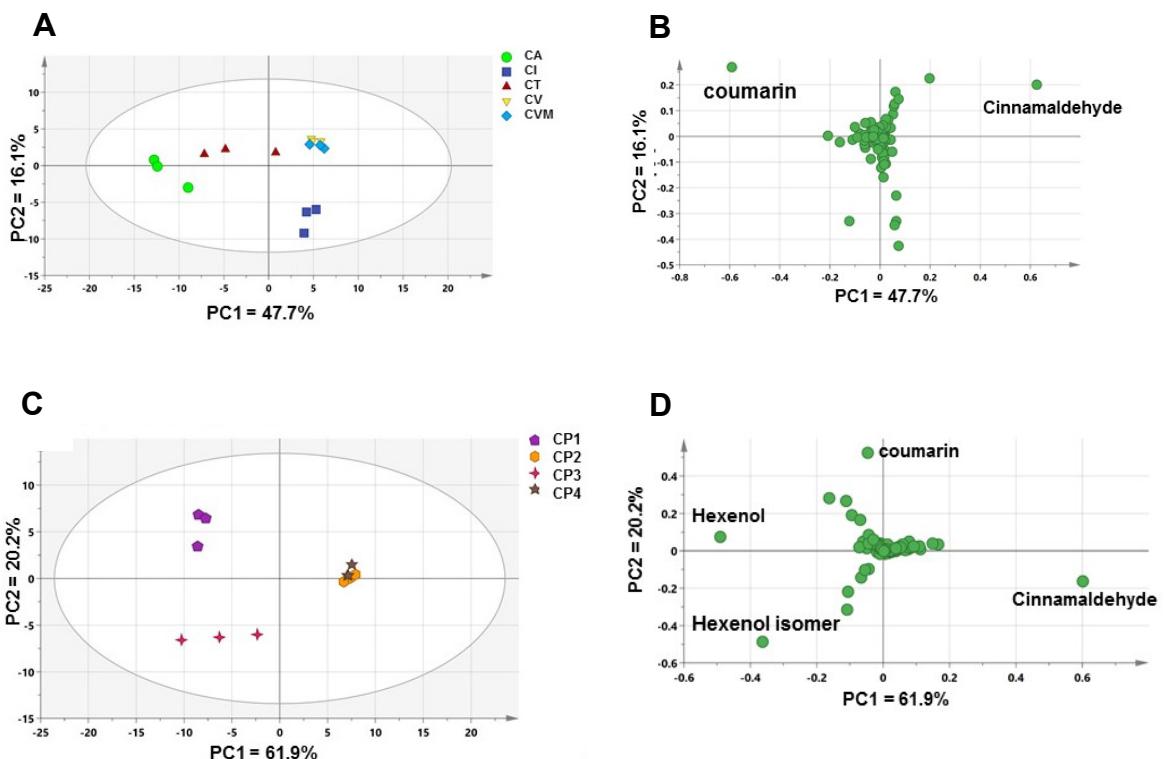


Figure S2: PCA score plot (A and C) and loading plot (B and D) for authenticated and commercial cinnamon samples, respectively, of cinnamon volatiles analyzed by SPME/GC-MS. The samples code is listed in **Table 1**.

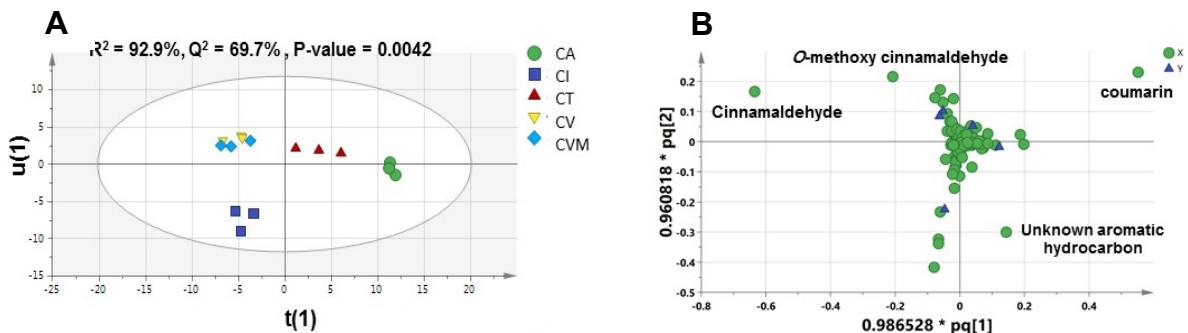


Figure S3: OPLS-DA score plot (A) and loading plot (B) of authenticated drugs for cinnamon volatiles analyzed by SPME/GC-MS. Samples code is listed in **Table 1**.

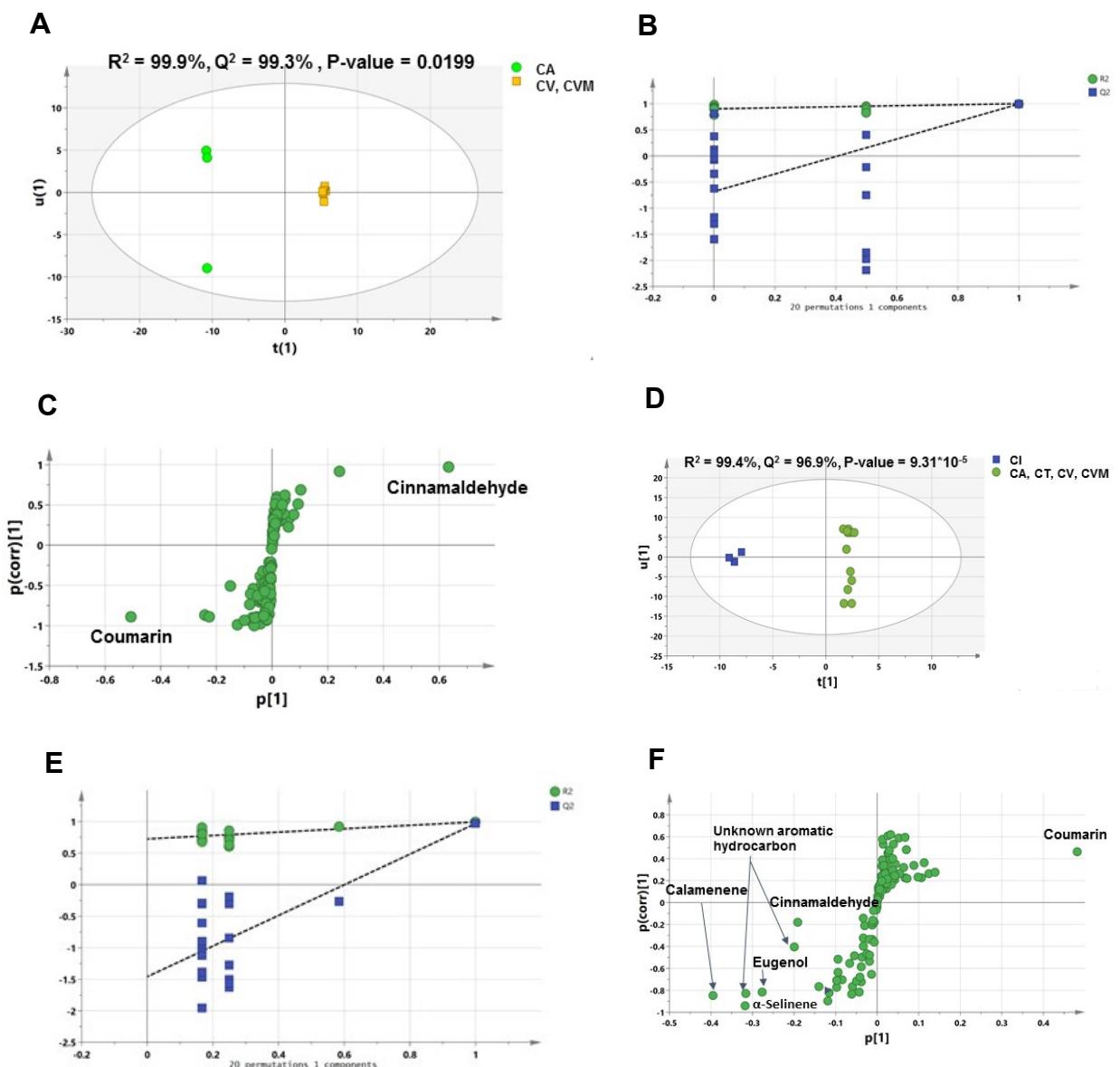


Figure S4: OPLS-DA for authentication of *Cinnamomum verum* against other *Cinnamomum* species for volatiles analyzed by SPME/GC-MS. A) and D) are score plot showing validation parameters, B) and E) are permutation plot, and C) and F) are S-plot for analysis CA and CI vs other authenticated cinnamon species. The samples code is listed in **Table 1**.

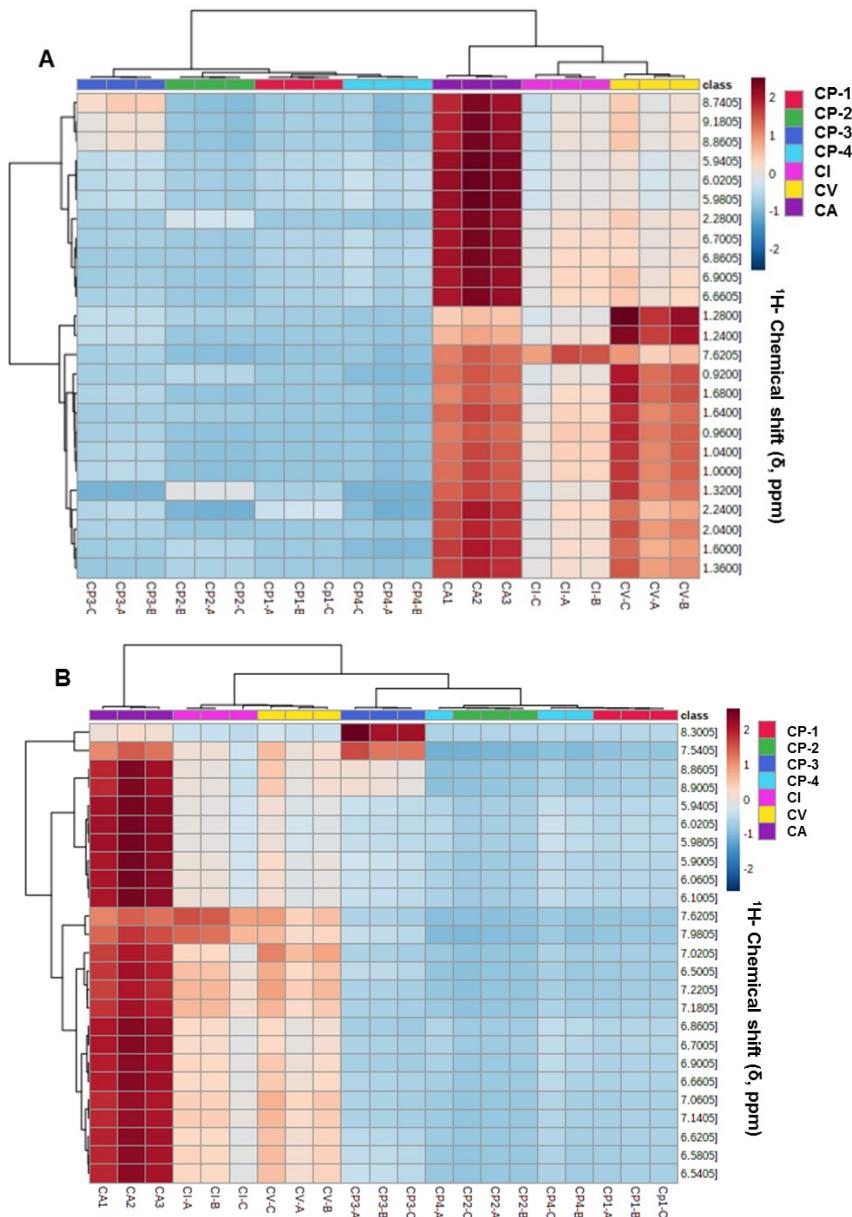


Figure S5: Unsupervised heatmap analysis of all cinnamon dataset. A) Full-scale (δ_{H} 0.0-10.0 ppm) and B) aromatic region (δ_{H} 5.5-10.0 ppm). The samples code is listed in **Table 1** and the metabolites assignment based on chemical shifts is summarized in **Table S2**. Y-axis to the right shows the chemical shifts showing relative abundance among cinnamon specimens.

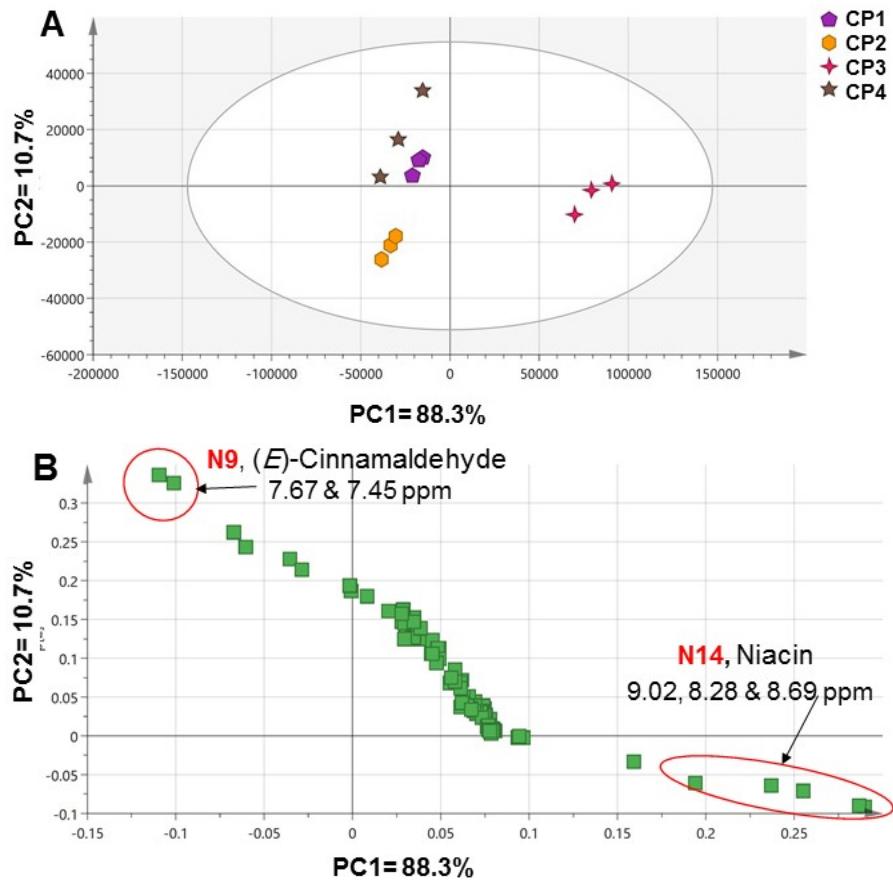
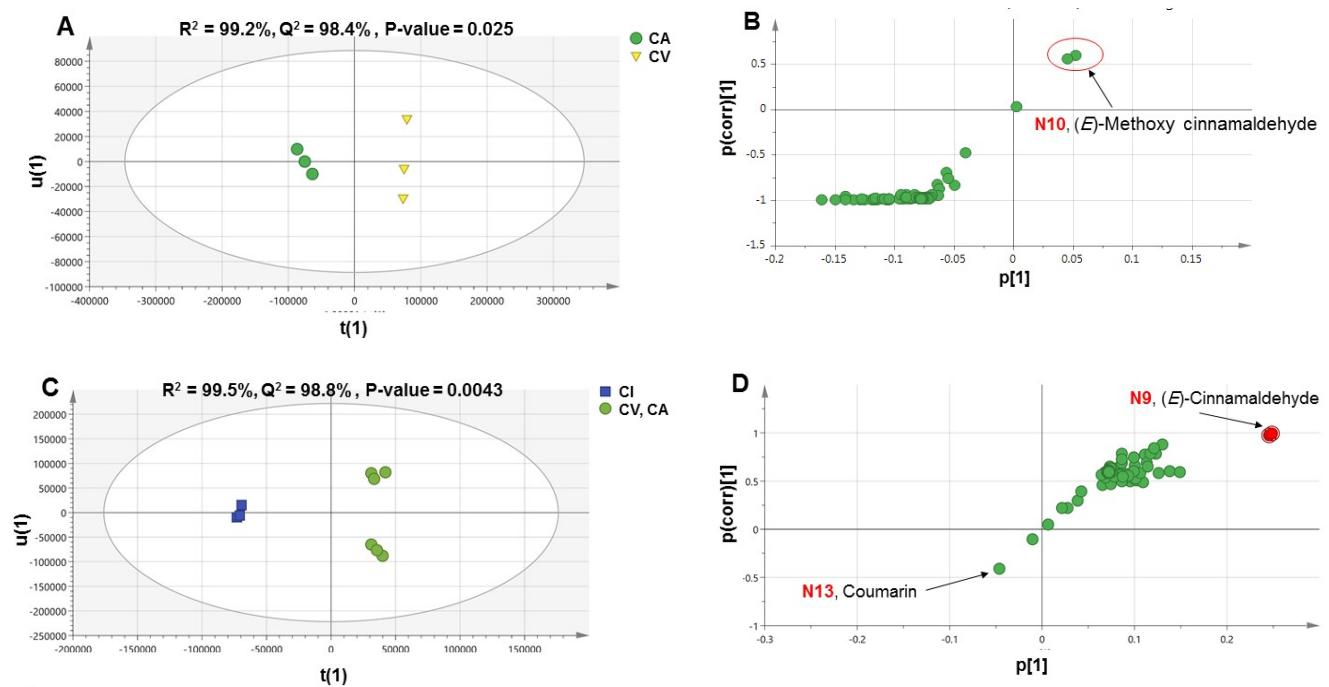


Figure S6: Unsupervised data analysis of the commercial cinnamon dataset in the aromatic region (δ_H 5.5-10.0 ppm). **A)** Principal component analysis (PCA) score plot, and **B)** PCA loading plot. The samples code is listed in **Table 1** and the metabolites assignment is summarized in **Table S2**.



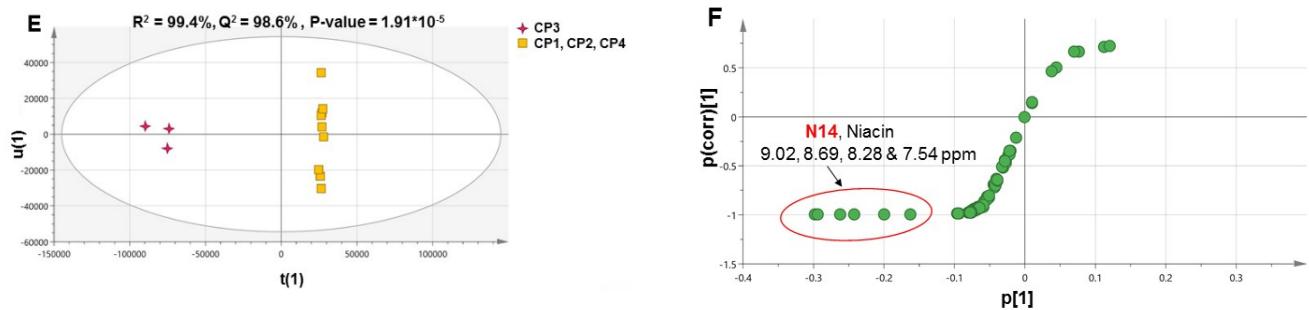


Figure S7: Supervised data analysis (OPLS-DA) of cinnamon dataset in the aromatic region (δ_H 5.5–10.0 ppm). OPLS score plot (A, C, and E) and loading plot (B, D, and F) for modelling of CA vs CV, CI vs CV and CA, in addition to CP3 vs CP1, CP2 and CP4. The samples code is listed in **Table 1** and the metabolites assignment is summarized in **Table S2**.

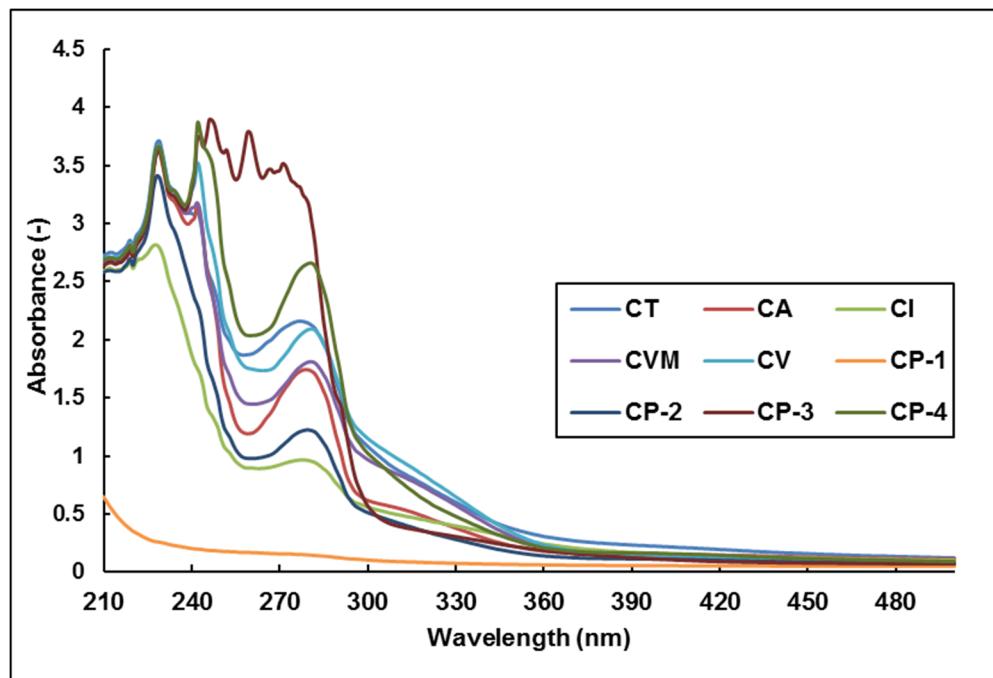


Figure S8: UV/Vis spectra of investigated authenticated and commercial cinnamon samples. The samples code is listed in **Table 1**. The figure shows the unique spectrum of CP-3.

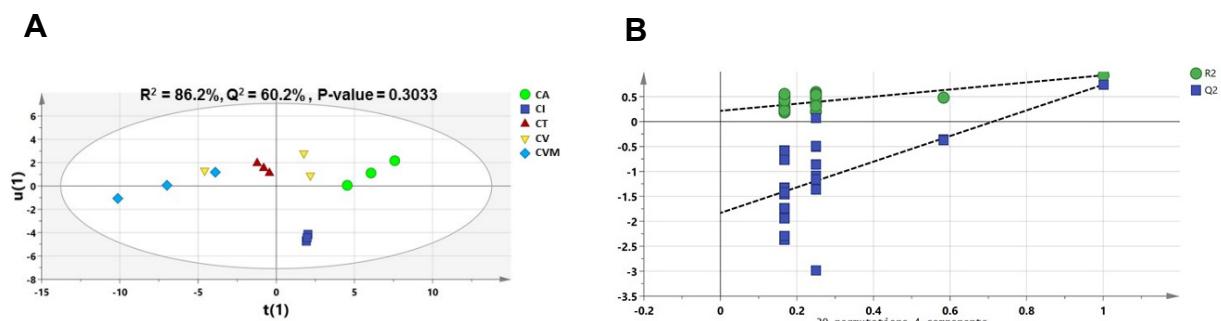


Figure S9: Supervised OPLS-DA score plot (A) of authenticated cinnamon samples and permutation calculation (B). The samples code is listed in **Table 1**.

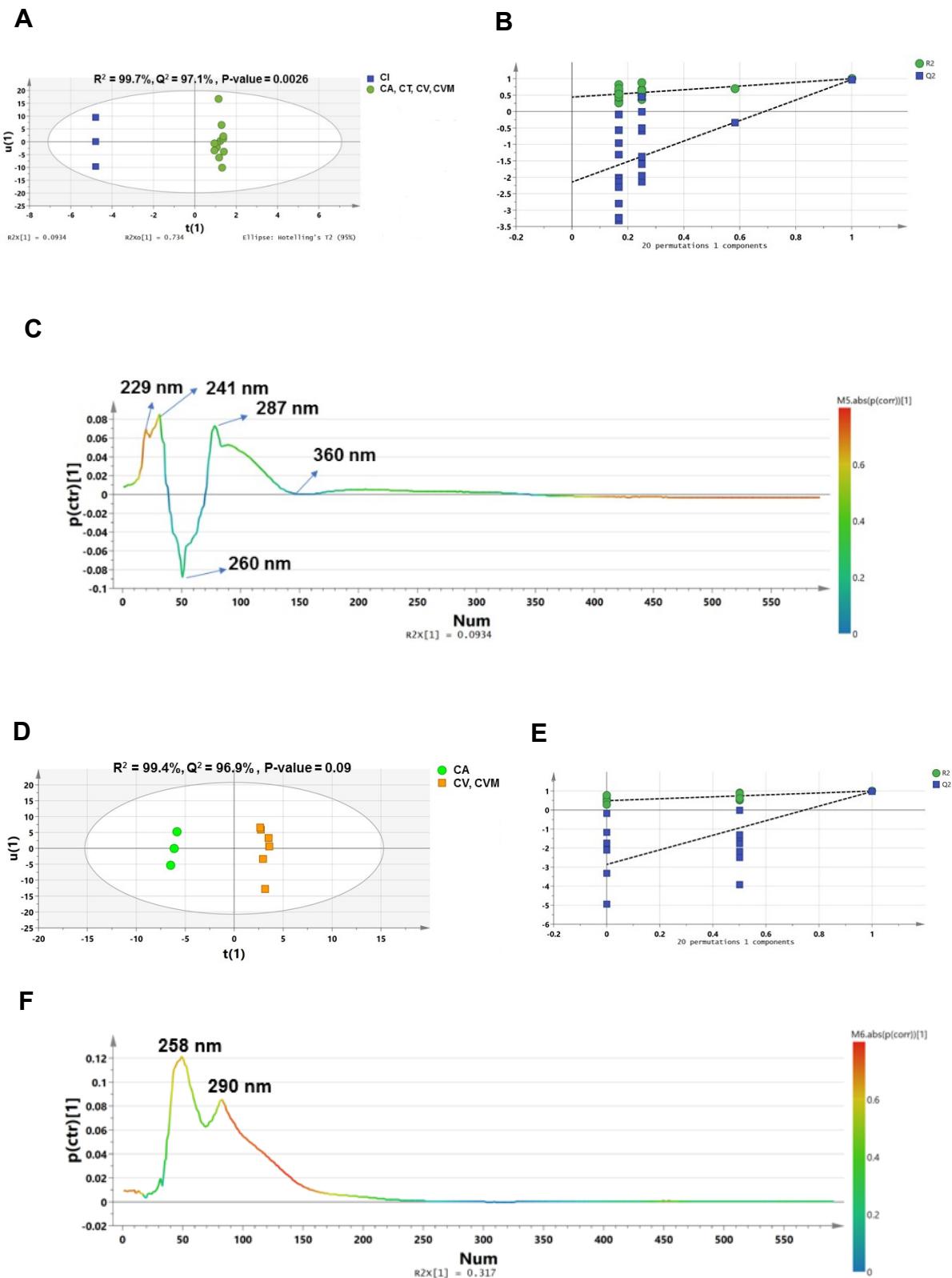


Figure S10: Supervised OPLS-DA score plot (A) of CI against other authenticated cinnamon samples and permutation results (B), OPLS-DA line-plot (C). OPLS-DA score plot of CA against CV and CVM samples (D), permutation results (E), and OPLS-DA line-plot (F). The samples code is listed in **Table 1**.

Raw data

A sample (CP-1) of the NMR data can be shared under the following links

- ¹H-NMR:
<https://drive.google.com/drive/u/0/folders/1W306Qy6wyID1IyJU2hzBQSsklrHQutD0>
- COSY:
<https://drive.google.com/drive/u/0/folders/1HAqf0nNod3yh49bRlssnfuoirYTyl-Xw>
- HMBC:
https://drive.google.com/drive/u/0/folders/1zJ93i9_L4XzWi-kEEAhI4A_BAKgilvGo
- HSQC:
<https://drive.google.com/drive/u/0/folders/12pyeOxEITW09VTWQlrHr9BKKFG3qf3ag>

NMR binning matrix:

https://pharmtantaedu-my.sharepoint.com/:x/g/personal/ahmed_zayed1_pharm_tanta_edu_eg/EbNs13uJq3RJuWCoDTCF2wB5IMBJVjpMNRZYgPDoEHbow?e=qkkAtY

Also, the raw data of SPME/GC-MS can be found in this link

- SPME/GC-MS identification sheet:
https://pharmtantaedu-my.sharepoint.com/:x/g/personal/ahmed_zayed1_pharm_tanta_edu_eg/EUMD6pWtVOtAtjJjk937iYBSDM9ngUa0pXV8oqar2zHag?e=KUcTLf

- Raw data net cdf universal files:

1. CV:

https://pharmtantaedu-my.sharepoint.com/:u/g/personal/ahmed_zayed1_pharm_tanta_edu_eg/EbjzfSUsLAhEtESTAA3GxPsB2-bRTKh1GC5tEAORfSiwSA?e=mYhOhn

2. CVM:

https://pharmtantaedu-my.sharepoint.com/:u/g/personal/ahmed_zayed1_pharm_tanta_edu_eg/EYtPHIaoBQVNnRTiWbEDfr4BNG4i4nvIV_KkWRz_DmiIkw?e=0Wmd5o

3. CT:

https://pharmtantaedu-my.sharepoint.com/:u/g/personal/ahmed_zayed1_pharm_tanta_edu_eg/ERwjumiSE7JLt7npAW_aC4BuMlfigs6ho6KXnb7tgc7-w?e=hHNalj