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# **ABSTRACT**

A composition utilizing natural materials is selected from a group of plant extract comprising: Taiwan cypress, stout camphor tree, Taiwan incense cedar, Cinnamomum camphora, Cymbopogon nardus, Litsea cubeba, Cinnamomum zeylanicum, Taiwan Cunninghamia lanceolatavar, Melaleuca alternifolia, Eucalyptus robusta smith, Cryptomeria japonica and Acacia confuse. The tumor cell-inhibited composition having the efficiency of inhibiting the growth of tumor cells is formed by mixing these extracts based on a specific ratio.

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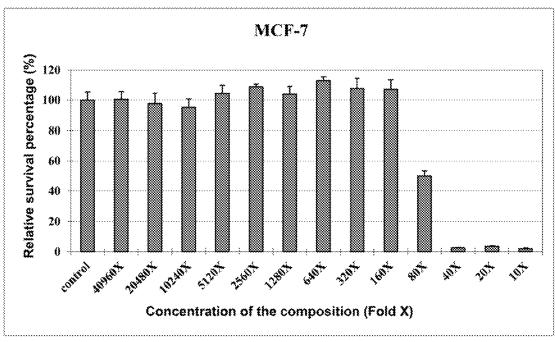


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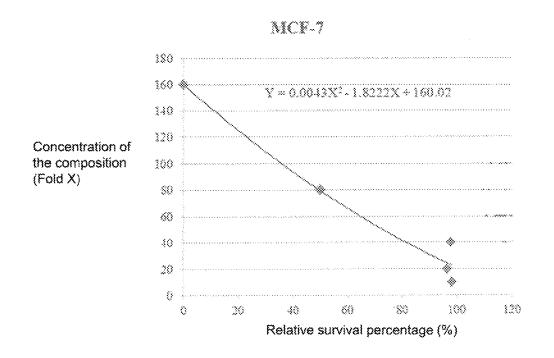


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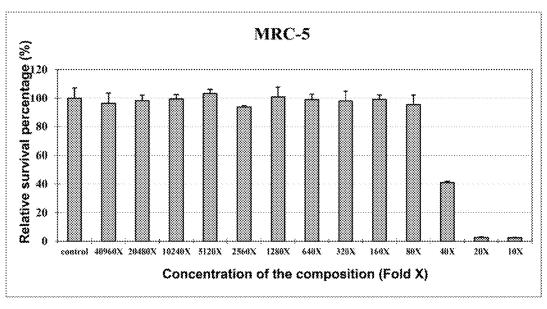


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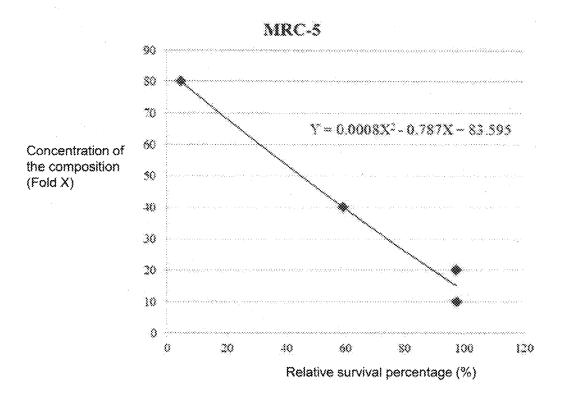


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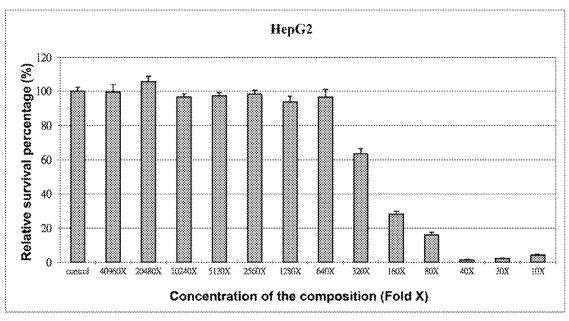


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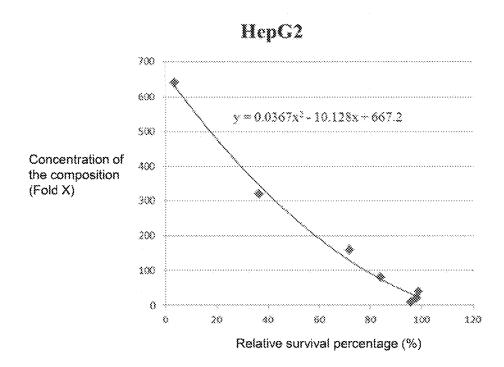


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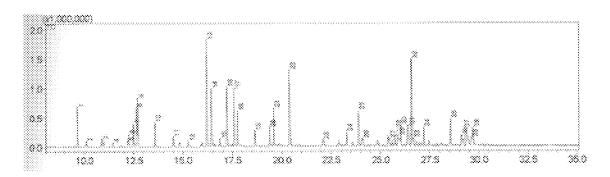


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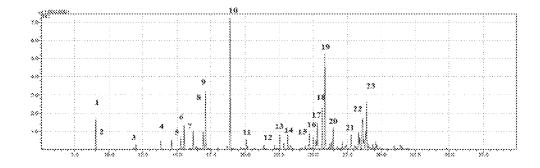


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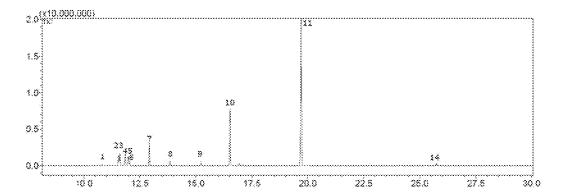
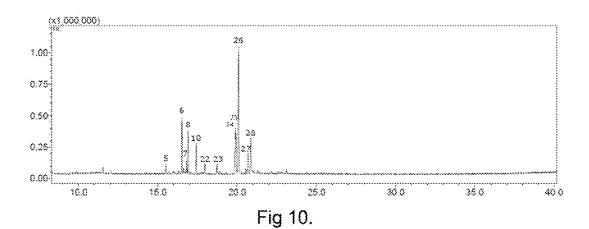


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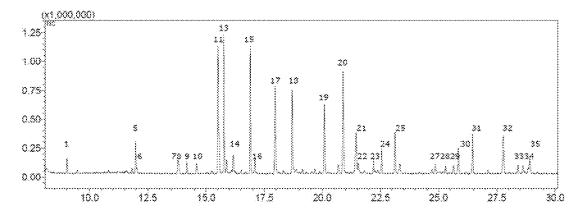


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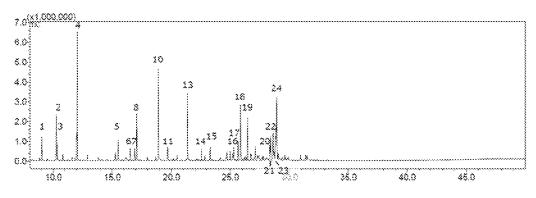


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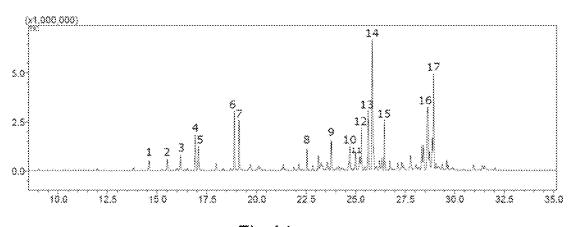


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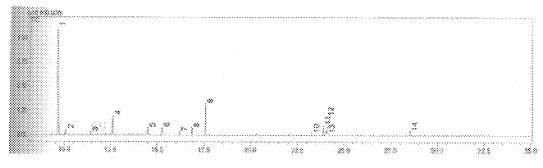


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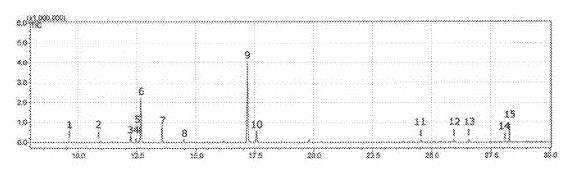


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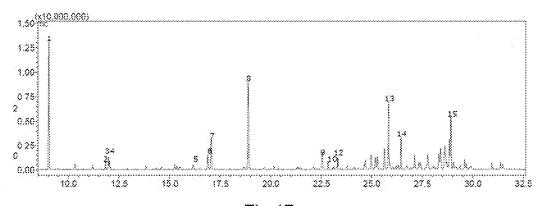


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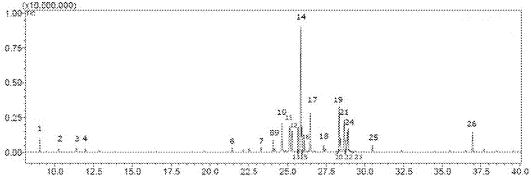


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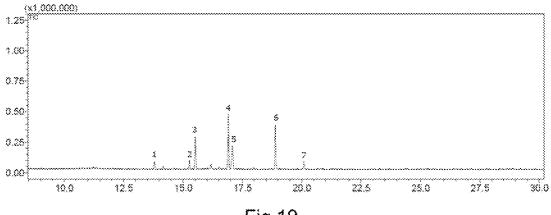


Fig 19.

# TUMOR CELL-INHIBITING COMPOSITION

#### TECHNICAL FIELD

The present invention relates to a composition plant 5 extract from a plant raw material based on a specific ratio. The composition has the efficiency of inhibiting the growth of tumor cells.

#### PRIOR ART

In the recent ten years, cancer ranks number one among the top ten causes of death, in which the lung cancer, hepatic carcinoma and intestinal cancer rank top three from both of male and female aspects. From female aspect, the fourth and 15 fifth mortalities are breast cancer and pancreatic cancer, and from male aspect, the fourth and fifth ones are oral cancer and esophageal cancer. All of the domestic and overseas doctors and research scholars are devoted to the research of avoiding or reducing the generation or proliferation of tumor 20 cell

Pulmonary fibrosis refers to the pulmonary alveoli is being replaced by fibrous matter due to the effect of the pulmonary issue being subjected to phlogosis, so that the soft pulmonary issue becomes hard and loses its elasticity, 25 gradually, the lungs would lose the ability of contraction, relaxation, and gas exchange. The patients would have the symptoms of brachypnea, chest tightness or dry cough, etc., severely, may not breathe and cause respiratory failure eventually.

Nowadays, the aforementioned diseases all have medicine and method to carry out a treatment or an inhibition. However, these medicines mostly are chemical-synthesized or radiotherapy, hence, during the treatment, many patients would have side effects, and the side effects would make the 35 patients much more uncomfortable comparing to the illness from the diseases. This is a huge deficiency.

Taiwan cypress (Chamaecyparis formosensis) is one of the evergreen arbors in Conifers Cupressaceae, it is an important species among the needle-leaved trees. Taiwan 40 cypress has some characteristics such as a scent without pungent smell, the wooden quality of hardness, the abilities not to be rotten or damaged by worms. Furthermore, the researches indicate that Taiwan cypress has the superior inhibitory function to typhoid, Escherichia coli, Achorion 45 and Staphylococcus auresus, and Taiwan cypress also has an anti-inflammatory function.

Stout camphor tree (*Cinnamomum micranthun*) belongs to Lauraceous plants. Its appearance is tall, straight and delicate, hence, it is a perfect species for landscape design. 50 Its wooden quality is superior and has a unique scent, which would also be the excellent material for wooden art craft and furniture. Stout camphor tree contains triterpenoids, superoxide dismutase, adenoside, polysaccharide, multiple proteins, and multiple vitamins, etc. It has the functions of 55 anti-tumor, enhancing the immunity, reducing blood sugar and cholesterol and the like. Most of the related researches about the anti-cancer focus on the stout camphor tree. There is no research revealing that the stout camphor tree itself or its extract has specific function of anti-tumor.

Taiwan incense cedar (Calocedrus formosana) belongs to a Taiwan specific species, an evergreen big arbor of Cupressaceae Taiwan incense cedar. It has special scent, and its texture is compact and delicate. The research discloses that its extracts have the activities of anti-fungus, anti-oxidation 65 and anti-inflammation. However, the researches related to the components of Taiwan incense cedar mainly are the

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extracts from branches and leaves, and less is about the extracts from wooden core. There is no research revealing that the extract of the Taiwan incense cedar has specific function of anti-cancer.

The recent researches discover that many plants (as aforementioned) have the functions of anti-inflammation or anti-oxidation, especially the distillated extracts of the plants would have the function to improve the cell membrane permeability for the nutrition and the oxygen needed by the cells getting into the cells and exhausting the waste produced by the cells out of the cells, so that the cell metabolism can be enhanced. Therefore, the cell may healthily be activated, and all the tissues, organs and immune system may function normally to provide human body the immunity, resistance and the ability of self-healing.

Prior art disclosed a method for preparing a plant extract liquid and its composition solution, wherein comprises shaving the plant raw material into pieces, and then putting the pieces in the main furnace of a steam kiln, and lighting up the wood to have the fractional distillation temperature to be set up. When each of the plant raw materials reach its steam reaction time, the steam extracts of each plants can be obtained via cooling and separation. The extract made by utilizing the method in prior art, no matter the oil layer or the water layer (purification), is different from the oil and the purification made by a distillation method carried out by a regular machine, which is characterized in that the extracts (oil or purification) made by the method would contain much richer compound from the distillation method carried out by the regular machine.

In addition, although these plants have the functions of anti-oxidation, anti-inflammation and the like individually, the recent researches know nothing about what treatment for diseases that a single plant can provide. Furthermore, a single plant offers a poor efficiency on the tumor inhibition and cannot be widely applied. These are the two deficiencies.

The applicants were aware of the deficiency of inhibition techniques, so that they invented a way to inhibit, reduce or ease the symptoms of the disease utilizing composite natural materials for improving the aforementioned conventional deficiency.

### SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

The main purpose of the present invention is providing a composition of natural plant extract (TGLON composition). The composition has the function of adjusting or facilitating the cell metabolism, and has the function of inhibiting the growth of tumor cells.

For achieving the aforementioned purpose, the characteristic of the present invention is utilizing the theory of mixing the plants grown from low, middle and high altitudes in Taiwan to design the composition of The Greatest Love of Nature composite plant extract (TGLON composition). Utilizing the following plant extracts with the specific ratio to combine a tumor cell-inhibited composition, wherein its components comprise: Taiwan cypress, stout camphor tree, Taiwan incense cedar, Cinnamomum camphora, Cymbopogon nardus, Litsea cubeba, Cinnamomum zeylanicum, Taiwan Cunninghamia lanceolatavar, Melaleuca alternifolia, Eucalyptus robusta smith, Cryptomeria japonica and Acacia confuse extracts.

The other characteristic of the present invention is the disclosed plant extract is the purification made by utilizing the method of prior art. The characteristic of the purification

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made by utilizing the method in prior art is having richer compound components comparing to a regular purification.

After a serial dilution of the TGLON composition, incubating the breast cancer cells (MCF-7), hepatic carcinoma cells (HepG2) and lung fibrous cells (MRC-5) for 72 hours, and then utilizing ELISA Reader (540 nm) to analyze the survival rate of these cell strains. As a result, when the composition is diluted by 40 folds, it has the inhibitory efficiency of cell growth above 50%.

### **DRAWINGS**

- FIG. 1 is the diagram disclosing the relative survival percentage of the composition of the present invention to the breast cancer cell strain.
- FIG. 2 is the diagram disclosing the relative inhibitory percentage of the composition of the present invention to the breast cancer cell strain.
- FIG. 3 is the diagram disclosing the relative survival  $_{20}$  percentage of the composition of the present invention to the lung fibrous cell strain.
- FIG. 4 is the linear regression curve diagram disclosing the inhibitory percentage of the composition of the present invention to the lung fibrous cell strain.
- FIG. 5 is the diagram disclosing the relative survival percentage of the composition of the present invention to the hepatic carcinoma cell strain.
- FIG. **6** is the linear regression curve diagram disclosing the inhibitory percentage of the composition of the present <sup>30</sup> invention to the hepatic carcinoma cell strain.
- FIG. 7 is the analysis chart of the components of the composition of the present invention.
- FIG. **8** is the analysis chart of the Taiwan cypress purification of the composition of the present invention.
- FIG. 9 is the analysis chart of the stout camphor tree purification of the composition of the present invention, wherein the component less than 0.05% is not being labelled.
- FIG. 10 is the analysis chart of the Taiwan incense cedar purification of the composition of the present invention, wherein the component less than 0.05% is not being labelled.
- FIG. 11 is the analysis chart of the *Cinnamomum cam-* 45 *phora* purification of the composition of the present invention, wherein the component less than 0.05% is not being labelled.
- FIG. 12 is the analysis chart of the *Cymbopogon nardus* purification of the composition of the present invention, 50 wherein the component less than 0.05% is not being labelled.
- FIG. 13 is the analysis chart of the *Litsea cubeba* purification of the composition of the present invention, wherein the component less than 0.05% is not being labelled.
- FIG. **14** is the analysis chart of the *Cinnamonum zey-lanicum* purification of the composition of the present invention.
- FIG. **15** is the analysis chart of the Taiwan *Cunninghamia* lanceolatavar purification of the composition of the present 60 invention
- FIG. **16** is the analysis chart of the *Melaleuca alternifolia* purification of the composition of the present invention.
- FIG. 17 is the analysis chart of the *Eucalyptus robusta* smith purification of the composition of the present invention, wherein the component less than 0.05% is not being labelled.

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FIG. 18 is the analysis chart of the *Cryptomeria japonica* purification of the composition of the present invention, wherein the component less than 0.05% is not being labelled

FIG. **19** is the analysis chart of the *Acacia confuse* purification of the composition of the present invention, wherein the component less than 0.05% is not being labelled.

#### **EMBODIMENT**

For a better knowing and understanding of the tumor cell-inhibited composition of the present invention at the examiner's convenience, the present invention is illustrated in details by the examples with figures hereafter.

One of the tumor cell-inhibited composition (TGLON composition) of the present invention comprising the plant extract selected from the following group: Taiwan cypress, stout camphor tree, Taiwan incense cedar, Cinnamomum camphora, Cymbopogon nardus, Litsea cubeba, Cinnamomum zeylanicum, Taiwan Cunninghamia lanceolatavar, Melaleuca alternifolia, Eucalyptus robusta smith, Cryptomeria japonica and Acacia confuse. The present invention utilized the separation techniques to extract the effective component from the plant raw material, wherein the separation techniques are: distillation method, solvent extraction method, cold pressed method, supercritical carbon dioxide extraction and absorption method, etc. The TGLON composition itself has the function of adjusting or facilitating the cell metabolism, and has the function of inhibiting the growth of tumor cells.

For further illustrations, the plant extract of the present invention is the purification made by distillation method. For another further illustration, the purification is the purification made by the method disclosed in prior art, which is characterized in having richer compound components comparing to a regular purification.

The present invention also utilized the theory of mixing the plants grown from low, middle and high altitudes in Taiwan to be provided with a full efficiency in treatment, and further have the purification of the aforementioned plants mixed to become the tumor cell-inhibited composition. The weight percentage of the mixed composition is: 40%-50% of the Taiwan cypress purification, 10%-20% of the stout camphor tree purification, 10%-20% of the Taiwan incense cedar purification, 8%-10% of the Cinnamomum camphora purification, 8%-10% of the Cymbopogon nardus purification, 6%-8% of the Litsea cubeba purification, 6%-8% of the Cinnamomum zeylanicum purification, 4%-6% of the Taiwan Cunninghamia lanceolatavar purification, 2%-4% of the Melaleuca alternifolia purification, 2%-4% of the Eucalyptus robusta smith purification, 2%-4% of the Cryptomeria japonica purification and 2%-4% of the Acacia confuse purification.

Furthermore, utilizing the tumor cell-inhibited composition to carry out the survival experiments to the tumor cells based on the breast cancer cells (MCF-7), lung fibrous cells (MIRC-5) and hepatic carcinoma cell (HepG2).

# Example 1

In the present example, the tumor cell-inhibited compositions are diluted by different multiples, and then are added into breast cancer cell strain (MCF-7) to be cultured. Furthermore, utilizing MTT colormetric method to test the composition inhibiting the growth of the breast cancer cell strain. The applicants observed whether the composition has

the inhibitory efficiency to the growth of the breast cancer cell strain and its inhibitory concentration.

Firstly, culture the well-growing breast cancer cell strain into 96-well microplate, about 3,000 cells per well, then put the plate into the 5% of CO<sub>2</sub>, 37 incubator overnight, then 5 add the tumor cell-inhibited composition. Before adding the composition, filter the composition by 0.22 um filter to remove of bacteria. Then serial dilute the composition by distill water with two folds, completely shock the diluted composition into 96-well microplate, and the final concentration would be 40960x, 20480x, 10240x, 5120x, 2560x, 1280×, 640×, 320×, 160×, 80×, 40×, 20× and 10×. Incubating them in the 5% of CO<sub>2</sub>, 37° C. incubator for 72 hours, after 72 hours adding 1/10 of the total volume of MTT (5 mg/mL) solution into each well. Incubating them in the 5% of CO<sub>2</sub>, 37° C. incubator for 4 hours, and then remove the mixed liquid in each well. Adding 100 µl DMSO into each well to dissolve blue-purple crystal (formazan) in the cells, and furthermore place the 96-well microplate in the ELISA 20 reader to read and analyze the data.

Please referring to Table 1 and FIGS. 1 and 2, the composition has the significant inhibitory efficiency to the growth of the breast cancer cell. When the dilution multiple is 80 folds, its inhibitory efficiency may achieve to 50% and 25 more. When the dilution multiple is 10 folds to 40 folds, the inhibitory efficiency composition to the breast cancer cells may achieve to 98% and more.

Please further referring to FIG. 2, based on the data of the concentration of the composition (Y axis) and its corresponding inhibitory percentage (X axis), analyzing the two-dimensional linear regression and we may obtain a regression formula: Y=160.02–1.8222X+0.0043X². If X=50 in this regression formula and we can get that Y=80, the value means the semi-inhibition concentration (50% Inhibition  $^{35}$  Concentration, IC $_{50}$ ) of the composition to the breast cancer cell strain with 80 folds of diluted concentration.

TABLE 1

The growth inhibitory test of the composition of the present invention to the breast cancer cell strain (MCF-7)				4
Concentration of the composition (Fold X)	O.D. value (mean ± SD)	Relative survival percentage (%) (mean ± SD)	Relative inhibitory percentage (%)	4:

_	the composition (Fold X)	O.D. value (mean ± SD)	percentage (%) (mean ± SD)	Relative inhibitory percentage (%)	4
	Control	1.188 ± 0.065	100.0 ± 5.5	0	
	40960X	$1.195 \pm 0.062$	$100.5 \pm 5.3$	0	
	20480X	$1.162 \pm 0.082$	$97.7 \pm 6.9$	2.3	
	10240X	$1.134 \pm 0.064$	$95.4 \pm 5.4$	4.6	
	5120X	$1.242 \pm 0.064$	$104.5 \pm 5.4$	0	_
	2560X	$1.295 \pm 0.021$	$108.9 \pm 1.8$	0	5
	1280X	$1.234 \pm 0.063$	$103.9 \pm 5.3$	0	
	640X	$1.342 \pm 0.030$	$113.0 \pm 2.5$	0	
	320X	$1.283 \pm 0.079$	$107.9 \pm 6.6$	0	
	160X	$1.275 \pm 0.074$	$107.3 \pm 6.2$	0	
	80X	$0.579 \pm 0.039$	$50.2 \pm 3.3$	49.8	
	40X	$0.027 \pm 0.004$	$2.3 \pm 0.3$	97.7	5
	20X	$0.043 \pm 0.004$	$3.6 \pm 0.3$	96.4	
	10 <b>X</b>	$0.024 \pm 0.005$	$2.0 \pm 0.4$	98.0	
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Example 2

In the present example, the tumor cell-inhibited compositions are diluted by different multiples, and then are added into lung fibrous cell strain (MRC-5) to be cultured. Furthermore, utilizing MTT colormetric method to test the 65 composition inhibiting the growth of the lung fibrous cell strain. The applicants observed whether the composition has

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the inhibitory efficiency to the growth of the lung fibrous cell strain and its inhibitory concentration.

Firstly, culture the well-growing lung fibrous cell strain into 96-well microplate, about 3,000 cells per well, then put the plate into the 5% of CO<sub>2</sub>, 37° C. incubator overnight, then add the tumor cell-inhibited composition. Before adding the composition, filter the composition by 0.22 um filter to remove of bacteria. Then serial dilute the composition by distill water with two folds, completely shock the diluted composition into 96-well microplate, and the final concentration would be 40960x, 20480x, 10240x, 5120x, 2560x, 1280x, 640x, 320x, 160x, 80x, 40x, 20x and 10x. Incubating them in the 5% of CO<sub>2</sub>, 37° C. incubator for 72 hours, after 72 hours adding 1/10 of the total volume of MTT (5 mg/mL) solution into each well. Incubating them in the 5% of CO<sub>2</sub>, 37° C. incubator for 4 hours, and then remove the mixed liquid in each well. Adding 100 µl DMSO into each well to dissolve blue-purple crystal (formazan) in the cells, and furthermore place the 96-well microplate in the ELISA reader to read and analyze the data.

Please referring to Table 2 and FIGS. 3 and 4, the composition has the significant inhibitory efficiency to the growth of the lung fibrous cell. When the dilution multiple is 80 folds, its inhibitory efficiency may achieve to 50% and more. When the dilution multiple is 10 folds to 40 folds, the inhibitory efficiency composition to the lung fibrous cells may achieve to 97% and more.

Please further referring to FIG. **4**, based on the data of the concentration of the composition (Y axis) and its corresponding inhibitory percentage (X axis), analyzing the two-dimensional linear regression and we may obtain a regression formula: Y=83.595–0.787X+0.0008X<sup>2</sup>. If X=50 in this regression formula and we can get that Y=46, the value means the semi-inhibition concentration (50% Inhibition Concentration, IC<sub>50</sub>) of the composition to the breast cancer cell strain with 46 folds of diluted concentration.

TABLE 2

The growth inhibitory test of the composition of the present invention to lung fibrous cell strain (MRC-5)

45	Concentration of the composition (Fold X)	O.D. value (mean ± SD)	Relative survival percentage (%) (mean ± SD)	Relative inhibitory percentage (%)
	Control	1.177 ± 0.084	100.0 ± 7.1	0
	40960X	$1.134 \pm 0.088$	$96.3 \pm 7.5$	3.7
	20480X	$1.157 \pm 0.046$	$98.3 \pm 3.9$	1.7
	10240X	$1.171 \pm 0.037$	$99.5 \pm 3.1$	0.5
	5120X	$1.216 \pm 0.034$	$103.3 \pm 2.9$	0
50	2560X	$1.104 \pm 0.011$	$93.8 \pm 0.9$	6.2
	1280X	$1.189 \pm 0.078$	$101.0 \pm 6.7$	0
	640X	$1.167 \pm 0.046$	$99.1 \pm 3.9$	0.9
	320X	$1.153 \pm 0.082$	$98.0 \pm 7.0$	2
	160X	$1.168 \pm 0.036$	$99.2 \pm 3.1$	0.7
	80X	$1.124 \pm 0.081$	$95.4 \pm 6.9$	4.6
55	40X	$0.482 \pm 0.012$	$40.9 \pm 1.0$	59.1
	20X	$0.032 \pm 0.004$	$2.7 \pm 0.3$	97.3
	10X	$0.030 \pm 0.004$	$2.5 \pm 0.3$	97.5

Example 3

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In the present example, the tumor cell-inhibited compositions are diluted by different multiples, and then are added into hepatic carcinoma cell strain (HepG2) to be cultured. Furthermore, utilizing MTT colormetric method to test the composition inhibiting the growth of the hepatic carcinoma cell strain. The applicants observed whether the composition

has the inhibitory efficiency to the growth of the lung hepatic carcinoma cell strain and its inhibitory concentration.

Firstly, culture the well-growing hepatic carcinoma cell strain into 96-well microplate, about 3,000 cells per well, then put the plate into the 5% of CO<sub>2</sub>, 37° C. incubator 5 overnight, then add the tumor cell-inhibited composition. Before adding the composition, filter the composition by 0.22 µm filter to remove of bacteria. Then serial dilute the composition by distill water with two folds, completely shock the diluted composition into 96-well microplate, and 10 the final concentration would be 40960x, 20480x, 10240x, 5120×, 2560×, 1280×, 640×, 320×, 160×, 80×, 40×, 20× and 10×. Incubating them in the 5% of CO<sub>2</sub>, 37° C. incubator for 72 hours, after 72 hours adding 1/10 of the total volume of MTT (5 mg/mL) solution into each well. Incubating them in 15 the 5% of CO<sub>2</sub>, 37° C. incubator for 4 hours, and then remove the mixed liquid in each well. Adding 100 µl DMSO into each well to dissolve blue-purple crystal (formazan) in the cells, and furthermore place the 96-well microplate in the ELISA reader to read and analyze the data.

Please referring to Table 3 and FIGS. **5** and **6**, the composition has the significant inhibitory efficiency to the growth of the hepatic carcinoma cell. When the dilution multiple is 160 folds, its inhibitory efficiency may achieve to 50% and more. When the dilution multiple is 10 folds to 40 25 folds, the inhibitory efficiency composition to the lung fibrous cells may achieve to 97% and more.

Please further referring to FIG. 6, based on the data of the concentration of the composition (Y axis) and its corresponding inhibitory percentage (X axis), analyzing the two-dimensional linear regression and we may obtain a regression formula:  $Y=0.0367X^2-10.128X+66.72$ . If X=50 in this regression formula and we can get that Y=253, the value means the semi-inhibition concentration (50% Inhibition Concentration,  $IC_{50}$ ) of the composition to the hepatic 35 carcinoma cell strain with 253 folds of diluted concentration.

TABLE 3

		the composition of t cinoma cell strain (1)  Relative survival percentage (%) (mean ± SD)		45
Control	1.206 ± 0.027	100.0 ± 2.3	_	
40960X	$1.199 \pm 0.055$	$99.4 \pm 4.6$	0.6	
20480X	$1.276 \pm 0.037$	$105.8 \pm 3.1$	_	
10240X	$1.164 \pm 0.023$	$96.5 \pm 1.9$	3.5	
5120X	$1.173 \pm 0.023$	$97.2 \pm 1.9$	2.8	
2560X	$1.184 \pm 0.028$	$98.2 \pm 2.3$	1.8	50
1280X	$1.131 \pm 0.039$	$93.8 \pm 3.2$	6.2	
640X	$1.163 \pm 0.055$	$96.4 \pm 4.5$	3.6	
320X	$0.767 \pm 0.036$	$63.5 \pm 3.0$	36.5	
160X	$0.342 \pm 0.020$	$28.3 \pm 1.7$	71.7	
80X	$0.194 \pm 0.019$	$16.0 \pm 1.6$	84.0	
40X	$0.017 \pm 0.002$	$1.4 \pm 0.2$	98.6	55
20X	$0.026 \pm 0.002$	$2.2 \pm 0.2$	97.8	
10X	$0.051 \pm 0.005$	$4.2 \pm 0.4$	95.8	

# Example 4

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Please refers to Table 4 and FIG. 7, the composition can be confirmed that it has the function of inhibiting the growth of the tumor cells based on the aforementioned examples. Furthermore, the inventors have the tumor cell-inhibited 65 composition analyzed by GC/MS, wherein the contained chemical components comprise: 1,8-Cineole, Camphor,

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Borneol, Terpinen-4-ol, α-Terpineol, (-)-Myrtenol, cis-Myrtanol, α-Pinene, Camphene, Sabinene, Myrcene, 1,4-Cineole, α-Terpinene, Cymene, Limonene, γ-Terpinene, α-Terinolen, α-Fenchol, Citronellal, Citronellol, Nerol, Safrole, α-Terpinyl acetate, β-Elemene, α-Cedrene, β-Cedrene, α-Amorphene, β-Selinene, γ-2-Cadinene, α-Muurolene, γ-Cadinene, δ-Cadinene, β-Cadinene, α-Elemol, Cedrol, α-Cubebene, γ-Eudesmol, β-Eudesmol, tau-Muurolol.

TABLE 4

Peak	Compound name			
1	α-Pinene			
2	Camphene			
3	Sabinene			
4	Myrcene			
5	1,4-Cineole			
6	α-Terpinene			
7	Cymene			
8	Limonene			
9	1,8-Cineole			
10	γ-Terpinene			
11	α-Terpinene			
12	α-Fenchol			
13	Camphor			
14	Citronellal			
15	Borneol			
16	Terpinen-4-ol			
17	α-Terpineol			
18	(-)-Myrtenol			
19	Citronellol			
20	Nerol			
21	cis-Myrtanol			
22	Safrole			
23	α-Terpinyl acetate			
24	β-Elemene			
25	α-Cedrene			
26	β-Cedrene			
27	α-Amorphene			
28	β-Selinene			
29	γ-2-Cadinene			
30	α-Muurolene			
31	γ-Cadinene			
32	δ-Cadiene			
33	β-Cedrene			
34	α-Elemol			
35	Cedrol			
36	α-Cubebene			
37	γ-Eudesmol			
38	β-Eudesmol			
39	tau-Muurolol			
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Please referring to FIGS. 8 to 19 and Table 5 to 16, the inventors further utilize GC/MS to analyze the components of the tumor cell-inhibited composition in each plant individually. The component less than 0.05% is not being labelled in the figures.

Please refer to Table 5 and FIG. 8, for chemical components contained in Taiwan cypress.

TABLE 5

Peak	Compound name	Chemical formula
1	α-Pinene	C10H16
2	Camphene	C10H16
3	Limonene	C10H16
4	Terpinolene	C10H16
5	(1R)-(+)-norinone	C9H140
6	Camphor	C10H16O
7	Borneol	C10H18O
8	α-Terpineol	C10H18O
9	(-)-Myrtenol	C10H16O
10	Trans-Myrtanol	C10H18O
11	cis-terpin hydrate	C10H20O2

TABLE 5-continued

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TABLE 7-continued

Peak	Compound name	Chemical formula	
12	α-Terpinyl acetate	C12H20O2	_ :
13	α-Terpinyl formate	C11H18O2	
14	α-Cedrene	C15H24	
15	γ-Cadinene	C15H24	
16	β-Selinene	C15H24	1
17	α-Muurolene	C15H24	
18	Cadinene	C15H24	
19	δ-Cadinene	C15H24	
20	α-Elemol	C15H26O	
21	Cedrol	C15H26O	1
22	epi-α-Muurolene	C15H26O	1
23	α-Cadinol	C15H26O	

Please refer to Table 6 and FIG.  $\bf 9$ , for chemical components contained in stout camphor tree.

TABLE 6

1	Myrcene	C10H16
2	1,4-Cineole	C10H18O
3	α-Terpinene	C10H16
4	p-Cymene	C10H14
5	Limonene	C10H16
6	Cineole:Eucalyptol	C10H18O
7	γ-Terpinene	C10H16
8	α-Terpinolene	C10H16
9	1-Terpineol	C10H16
10	4-Terpineol	C10H16
11	Safrole	C10H10O2
12	3-Hydroxy-5-methyl-2-	C9H15NO5
	nitrocyclohexyl acetate	
13	Myristicin	C11H12O3
14	δ-Cadinene	C15H24

Please refer to Table 7 and FIG. 10, for chemical components contained in Taiwan incense cedar.

TABLE 7

Peak	Compound name	Chemical formula
1	α-Pinene	C10H16
2	α-Fenchene	C10H16
3	p-Cymene	C10H14
4	Limonene	C10H16
5	Camphor	C10H16O
6	4-Tepineol	C10H18O
7	Terpineol Isomer	C10H18O
8	α-Terpineol	C10H18O
9	(-)-Myrtenol	C10H16O
10	Verbenone	C10H14O
11	Trans-Myrtanol	C10H18O
12	Nopol*	C11H18O
13	β-Elemene	C15H24
14	Myrtensaeure	C10H14O2
15	α-Muurolene	C15H24
16	γ-Cadinene	C15H24
17	δ-Cadinene	C15H24
18	α-Cadinol	C15H26O
19	3(10)-Caren-4-ol.	C14H20O3
	acetoacetic acid	
	ester*	
20	C12H20O2*	C12H20O2
21	C12H20O2*	C12H20O2
22	Oct-7-enol	C10H20O
23	Piperitone*	C10H16O
24	C10H20O2*	C10H20O2
25	C10H20O2*	C10H20O2

Peak	Compound name	Chemical formula
26	cis-terpin hydrate	C10H20O2
27	C10H20O2*	C11H20O2
28	C10H16*	C10H16O

\*similarity scores were less than 95% among data base.

Please refer to Table 8 and FIG. 11, for chemical components contained in *Cinnamomum camphora*.

TABLE 8

	Peak	Compound name	Chemical formula
	1	α-(+)-Pinene	C10H16
20	2	Camphene	C10H16
	3	β-Pinene	C10H16
	4	p-cymene	C10H14
	5	Limonene	C10H16
	6	Cineole:Eucalyptol	C10H18O
	7	Linalool	C10H18O
25	8	Camphor	C10H16O
	9	4-Terpineol	C10H18O
	10	α-Terpineol	C10H18O
	11	L-Citronellol	C10H20O
	12	Safrole	C10H20O2
	13	α-Copaene	C15H24
80	14	(E)-β-Farnesene	C15H24
	15	Nerolidol	C15H26O
	16	(-)-Guaiol	C15H26O

Please refer to Table 9 and FIG. **12**, for chemical components contained in *Cymbopogon nardus*.

TABLE 9

			Chemical
40	Peak	Compound name	formula
	1	α-(+)-Pinene	C10H16
	2	Camphene	C10H16
	3	β-Myrcene	C10H16
	4	p-Cymene	C10H14
	5	Limonene	C10H16
45	6	Cineole:Eucalyptol*	C10H18O
	7	L-Fenchone	C10H16O
	8	Terpinolene	C10H16
	9	Linalool	C10H18O
	10	(+)-Fenchol	C10H18O
	11	Camphor	C10H16O
50	12	(–)-Isopulegol*	C10H18O
	13	β-Citronellal	C10H18O
	14	Borneol	C10H18O
	15	α-Terpineol	C10H18O
	16	γ-Terpineol	C10H18O
	17	L-Citronellol	C10H20O
55	18	β-Geraniol	C10H18O
	19	Terpin Hydrate	C10H20O2
	20	para-menthane-3,8-diol	C10H20O2
	21	Citronellyl acetate	C12H22O2
	22	Eugenol	C10H12O3
	23	Geranyl acetate	C15H24
60	24	β-Elemene	C15H24
00	25	$\alpha$ -Cedrene	C15H24
	26	β-Cedrene	C15H24
	27	GERMACRENE D	C15H24
	28	$\alpha$ -Muurolene	C15H24
	29	γ-Cadinene	C15H24
	30	δ-Cadinene	C15H24
65	31	α-Elemol	C15H26O
	32	Cedrol	C15H26O

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TABLE 9-continued

**12** TABLE 12

Peak	Compound name	Chemical formula
33	γ-Eudesmol	C15H26O
34	tau-Cadinol	C15H26O
35	tau-Muurolo*	C15H26O

<sup>\*</sup>similarity scores were less than 95% among data base.

Please refer to Table 10 and FIG. 13, for chemical components contained in *Litsea cabeba*.

TABLE 10

	Chemical formula	Compound name	Peak
20	C10H16	α-Pinene	1
	C10H16	Sabinene	2
	C10H16	β-Pinene	2 3
	C10H18O	Cineole:Eucalyptol	4
	C10H16O	Camphor	5
	C10H18O	Terpinene-4-ol	6
25	C10H18O	α-Terpineol	7
	C10H16O	Myrtenol	8
	C10H16O	β-Citral	9
	C10H18O	(-)-trans-Myrtanol	10
	C10H16O	α-Citral	11
	C10H10O2	Safrole	12
30	C12H20O2	α-Terpinyl acetate	13
	C15H24	β-Elemene	14
	C15H24	Caryophylene	15
	C15H24	α-Muurolene	16
	C15H24	γ-Cadinene	17
	C15H24	δ-Cadinene	18
35	C15H26O	α-Elemol	19
5.	C15H26O	Cubenol*	20
	C15H26O	γ-Eudesmol	21
	C15H26O	tau-Cadinol	22
	C15H26O	β-Eudesmol	23
	C15H26O	tau-Muurolol*	24

<sup>\*</sup>similarity scores were less than 95% among data base.

Please refer to Table 11 and FIG. 14, for chemical components contained in *Cinnamomum zeylanicum*.

TABLE 11

Peak	Compound name	Chemical formula	
1	(+)-Fenchol	C10H18O	
2	Camphor	C10H16O	50
3	Borneol	C10H18O	
4	α-Terpineol	C10HI18O	
5	(-)-Myrtenol	C10H16O	
6	(-)-trans-Myrtanol	C10H18O	
7	Cinnamaldehyde	C10H16O	
8	β-Elemene	C15H24	55
9	Cinnamyl acetate	C11H12O2	
10	Cadinene isomer	C15H24	
11	β-Selinene	C25H24	
12	α-Muurolene	C15H24	
13	γ-Cadinene	C15H24	
14	δ-Cadinene	C15H24	60
15	α-Elemol	C15H26O	00
16	tau-Cadinol	C15H26O	
17	α-Cadinol	C15H26O	

Please refer to Table 12 and FIG. **15**, for chemical <sub>65</sub> components contained in Taiwan *Cunninghamia lanceolata-*

Peak	Compound name
1	α-Pinene
2	Camphene
3	Myrcene
4	Limonene
5	α-Terpinolen
6	α-Fenchol
7	Camphor
8	Borneol
9	lpha-Terpineol
10	β-Elemene
11	α-Cedrene
12	Caryophyllene
13	β-Cedrene
14	Cedrol

Please refer to Table 13 and FIG. 16, for chemical components contained in *Melaleuca alternifolia*.

TABLE 13

Peak	Compound name	Chemical formula
1	α-Pinene	C10H16
2	Sabinene	C10H16
3	α-Terpinene	C10H16
4	p-Cymene	C10H24
5	Limonene	C10H16
6	1,8-Cineole	C10H18O
7	γ-Terpinene	C10H16
8	Terpinolene	C10H16
9	Terpinen-4-ol	C10H18O
10	α-Terpineol	C10H18O
11	Aromadendrene	C15H24
12	Ledene	C15H24
13	δ-Cadinene	C15H24
14	Globulol	C15H26O
15	Viridiflorol	C15H26O

Please refer to Table 14 and FIG. 17, for chemical  $^{45}$  components contained in *Eucalyptus robusta* smith.

TABLE 14

Peak	Compound name	Chemical formula
1	α-Pinene	C10H16
2	p-Cymene	C10H14
3	Limonene	C10H16
4	Cineole	C10H18O
5	(-)-Borneol	C10H18O
6	α-Terpineol	C10H18O
7	(-)-Myrtenol	C10H16O
8	trans-Myrtanol	C10H18O
9	β-Elemene	C15H24
10	β-Panasinsene	C15H24
11	α-Cedrene	C15H24
12	Caryophylene	C15H24
13	δ-Cadinene	C15H24
14	α-Elemol	C15H26O
15	α-Cadinol*	C15H26O

\*similarity scores were less than 95% among data base.

Please refer to Table 15 and FIG. **18**, for chemical components contained in *Cryptomeria japonica*.

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TABLE 13		
Peak	Compound name	Chemical formula
1	α-Pinene	C10H16
2	Sabinene	C10H16
3	δ-3-Carene	C10H16
4	Limonene	C10H16
5	Cineole:Eucalyptol	C10H18O
6	α-Cubebene	C15H24
7	Caryophyllene	C15H24
8	N/A*	C15H24
9	α-Humulene	C15H24
10	N/A*	C15H24
11	γ-Muurolene*	C15H24
12	α-Muurolene	C15H24
13	(-)-Cedreanol*	C15H26O
14	δ-Cadinene	C15H24
15	(+)-Epizonarene	C15H24
16	4.10-dimethyl-7-isopropyl-	C15H24
	bicyclo(4.4.0)-1,4-decadiene	
17	α-Elemol	C15H26O
18	N/A*	C15H24
19	N/A*	C15H24
20	γ-Eudesmol	C15H26O
21	tau-Cadinol*	
22	δ-Cadinol	C15H26O
23	β-Eudesmol	C15H26O
24	10-epi-γ-Eudesmol	C15H26O
25	N/A*	C15H24
26	Kaur-16-ene	C20H32

<sup>\*</sup>similarity scores were less than 95% among data base.

Please refer to Table 16 and FIG. 19, for chemical components contained in Acacia confuse.

TABLE 16

Peak	Compound name	Chemical formula
1	L-Fenchone	C10H16O
2	(1R)-(+)-Norinone	C9H14O
3	Camphene	C10H16O
4	α-Terpineol	C10H18O
5	(-)-Myrtenol	C10H16O
6	(-)-cis-Myrtanol	C10H18O
7	cis-Terpin hydrate*	C10H20O2

<sup>\*</sup>similarity scores were less than 95% among data base.

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The aforementioned detailed illustrations are the specific explanations for the workable examples of the present invention. However, these examples are not used as a limitation to the scope of claims of the present invention. The equal application or modification which falls in the scope of the present invention is included in the scope of the present application.

What is claimed is:

- 1. A tumor cell-inhibiting composition,
- comprising 40% Taiwan cypress hydrosols, 10% stout camphor tree hydrosols, 10% Taiwan incense cedar hydrosols, 8% Cinnamomum camphora hydrosols, 8% Cymbopogon nardus hydrosols, 6% Litsea cubeba hydrosols, 6% Cinnamomum zeylanicum hydrosols, 4% Cunninghamia lanceolata hydrosols, 2% Melaleuca alternifolia hydrosols, 2% Eucalyptus robusta smith hydrosols, 2% Cryptomeria japonica hydrosols and 2% Acacia confusa hydrosols,
- wherein the hydrosols are obtained from a first stream of extracts of the plants by a kiln distillation method.
- 2. The tumor cell-inhibiting composition according to claim 1, wherein the composition inhibits the growth of the breast cancer cells.
- 3. The tumor cell-inhibiting composition according to claim 1, wherein the composition inhibits the growth of the hepatic carcinoma cells.
- 4. The tumor cell-inhibiting composition according to claim 1, wherein the composition inhibits the growth of the lung fibrous cells.
- 5. The tumor cell-inhibiting composition according to claim 1, wherein the composition comprises: 1,8-Cineole, Camphor, Borneol, Terpinen-4-ol, α-Terpineol, (-)-Myrtenol, cis-Myrtanol, α-Pinene, Camphene, Sabinene, Myrcene, 1,4-Cineole, α-Terpinene, Cymene, Limonene, γ-Terpinene, α-Terinolen, α-Fenchol, Citronellal, Citronellol, Nerol, Safrole, α-Terpinyl acetate, β-Elemene, α-Cedrene,  $\beta$ -Cedrene,  $\alpha$ -Amorphene,  $\beta$ -Selinene,  $\gamma$ -2-Cadinene, α-Muurolene, γ-Cadinene, δ-Cadinene, β-Cadinene, α-Elemol, Cedrol, α-Cubebene, γ-Eudesmol, β-Eudesmol, tau-Muurolol.