

# Investigation on Neuroprotective Potential of Proteins Extracted from Leaves of *Orthosiphon stamineus*

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#### Abstract

Many of the central nervous system disorders lack complete cure and the management of these conditions is still a challenging task. The key hallmarks in most of these conditions are neurotoxicity and neurodegeneration. Consequently, neuroprotection is being explored as an alternative treatment strategy. Orthosiphon stamineus (OS; cat's whiskers; "misai kucing") is a medicinal plant with its primary metabolites remain unexplored. This study investigates the neuroprotective potential of proteins extracted from OS leaves (OSLP) on human SH-SY5Y cell model and adult zebrafish (Danio rerio). OSLP was successfully extracted using One-Tube Method. Proteomics analysis has identified the different protein compositions present in OSLP. Functional annotation analysis has classified them into 49 protein families, 21 cellular components and 23 types of molecular function. They involved in diverse biological processes encompassing protein homeostasis, trafficking, signalling, metabolic processes, energy metabolism, defence responses and gene transcriptions. Findings of the SH-SY5Y cell model induced by hydrogen peroxide (H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>) have demonstrated the neuroprotective potential of OSLP. OSLP pre-treatment (1000 µg/mL; 24-h) increased the survival of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>-induced cells (57%; 150  $\mu$ M H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>). Mass spectrometry (MS)-based proteomics and bioinformatics analysis have proposed OSLP neuroprotective potential is modulated by three pathways, namely the "Signaling of Interleukin-4 and Interleukin-13", "Attenuation Phase" and "HSP90 Chaperone Cycle for Steroid Hormone Receptors". Findings of the zebrafish model induced by pentylenetetrazol (PTZ, 170 mg/kg) have demonstrated the neuroprotective potential of OSLP as an anticonvulsant. OSLP was safe up to 800 µg/kg. OSLP-treated PTZinduced zebrafish (800 µg/kg, i.p., 30 min) had improvements in the seizure profile (lower score and prolonged onset time) and locomotor behaviors. OSLP modulated excitatory glutamate (Glu) and had increased brain protein Complexin 2 (Cplx2) expressions. MS-based proteomics and bioinformatics analysis have proposed the role of Cplx2 involved in the regulation of calcium-dependent synaptic vesicle exocytosis via "Synaptic Vesicle Cycle" pathway for the neuroprotective potential of OSLP. Whilst, OSLP pre-treatment (800 µg/kg i.p., 30 min) had demonstrated a subtle anticonvulsive effect in the zebrafish model of double challenge (hypoxia induction, 15-18 min on average; PTZ injection, 170 mg/kg). OSLP pre-treatment showed

improvements in seizure profile, locomotor behaviors, neurotransmitter profile (lower Glu levels), and increased brain protein glutamine synthetase (Glula) expression. Glula encodes for glutamine synthetase which is required to keep the GABA-Glu-Gln (glutamine) cycle in check. OSLP also increased Enolase 2 and Isocitrate dehydrogenase 2 expressions in the hypoxic but seizure-free zebrafish. These proteins promote anaerobic metabolism in neurons under hypoxic conditions. Taken together, OSLP is suggested to influence the synaptic transmission by providing hypoxic-ischaemic tolerance to the synapses via the "Glutamatergic Synapse" and "GABAergic Synapse" pathways, in addition to modulating cellular energy metabolism via the "HIF-1 Signalling" and "Citrate Cycle" pathways. Overall, this study provides evidence on the neuroprotective potential of OSLP in neuronal cells and adult zebrafish.

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# **List of Abbreviations**

B.W.	Body weight
CHAPS	3-[(3-cholamidopropyl)dimethylammonio]-1-propanesulfonate
DZP	Diazepam
ESI	Electrospray ionisation
FDR	False Discovery rate
GABA	Gamma-Aminobutyric acid,
Glu	Glutamate
Gln	Glutamine
GO	Gene Ontology
$H_2O_2$	Hydrogen peroxide
I.P.	Intraperitoneal injection
KAAS	KEGG Automatic Annotation Server
KEGG	Kyoto Encyclopedia of Genes and Genomes
КО	KEGG Orthology
LC-MS/MS	Liquid-chromatography tandem mass spectrometry
LFQ	Label-free proteomics quantification
LN <sub>2</sub>	Liquid nitrogen
M.W.	Molecular weight
M/Z	Mass to charge ratio
MALDI	Matrix assisted laser desorption ionisation
MTBE	Methyl tert-butyl ether
MTT	3-[4,5-dimethylthiazole-2-yl]-2,5-diphenyltetrazolium bromide
NADP <sup>+</sup>	Oxidised nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide phosphate
NADPH	Reduced nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide phosphate
NCBInr	National Center for Biotechnology Information non-reduntant sequence database
OSLP	Orthosiphon stamineus leaf protein
OTM	One-Tube Method
PTZ	Pentylenetetrazol

QQQ	Triple quadrupole
QTOF	Quadrupole time-of-flight
RT	Retention time
UniProt	Universal Protein Resource
UniProtKB	Universal Protein Knowledgebase
ZFIN	Zebrafish Information Network

Chapter 1

**General Introduction and Literature Review** 

#### 1.1 Introduction

Neurological disorders are the leading cause of disability and the second leading cause of death worldwide. Over the past 25 years, the absolute number of people affected by or remaining disabled from neurological disorders has surged globally (Feigin et al., 2017; G. B. D. Neurology Collaborators, 2019). Although there are many conventional drugs available however, some patients fail to respond adequately to the treatment, or they have tolerability issues due to adverse effects. Some of them have turned to alternative interventions especially traditional and complementary medicine (T&CM) as well as herbal medicine. Owing to their health protection backed by well-established evidence, herbal medicines have come under the limelight in the search for novel central nervous system (CNS) treatment.

*Orthosiphon stamineus* (OS) or *Orthosiphon aristatus var. aristatus* (OAA) is commonly known as cat's whiskers or "misai kucing". As a folk medicine in Southeast Asia, the aerial leaves of OS are dried and used as a herbal remedy (Gan et al., 2017). In modern medicine, hundreds of bioactive phytochemicals of OS are successfully characterized. Amongst, the most prominent are flavonoids (i.e. sinensetin, eupatorin, 3'-hydroxy-5,6,7,4'-tetramethoxyflavones), phenylpropanoids (i.e. rosmarinic acid, caffeic acid) and terpenoids (i.e. orthosiphols A-Z, orthosiphones A-D, siphonols A-E, ursolic acid, hydroxybetullinic acid). These secondary metabolites, justified by the plethora of pharmacological studies, are shown to have diverse biological activities such as cognitive-enhancing (Z.-L. Huang et al., 2005), anti-inflammatory and antioxidative, to name a few (Adnyana, Setiawan, & Insanu, 2013; Ameer, Salman, Asmawi, Ibraheem, & Yam, 2012; Ashraf, Sultan, & Adam, 2018).

Neurological disorders may occur through a single or a wide variety of mechanisms, sharing some commonalities such as abnormal protein behavior, oxidative stress, mitochondrial dysfunction, neuroinflammation, neuroexcitation and others (Jellinger, 2010). These varied mechanisms result in an equally varied array of disorders such as epilepsy, motor neuron disease, multiple sclerosis and neurodegenerative diseases including Parkinson's and Alzheimer's, to name a few (Vajda, 2004). Although there remain gaps in understanding the complex interactions underlying neurological disorders, the ultimate goal is to better preserve CNS functions. In view of that, neuroprotection worth being considered as a possible

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treatment strategy for CNS dysfunctions. For centuries, OS has widely been trusted as an important medicinal plant with substantial natural goodness on health in many traditional medicine systems (Adnyana et al., 2013; Sawaya & Poupelloz, 2011). With all the science-backed evidence, OS is worthwhile to be explored as a dietary complement to supporting a healthy lifestyle or used as an alternative to mitigate ailments of which the conventional medicine cannot meet the expected clinical effectiveness.

The present chapter is a comprehensive systematic literature review of the neuroprotective potential of OS on the CNS disorders. Hence, the objectives of this chapter are:

- 1. To explore the pharmacological actions underlying the neuroprotective potential of OS on various neurological disorders
- 2. To propose the future discovery of novel neuroprotection of OS using its primary metabolites

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# A Systematic Review of the Protective Actions of Cat's Whiskers (Misai Kucing) on the Central Nervous System

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## **INTRODUCTION**

Neuroprotection is a relatively new concept in neuroscience research, coined to incorporate a great variety of mechanisms that aim to prevent neuronal injury and loss of various brain functions with an ultimate goal to better preserve brain function (Schapira, 2010). Thus, neuroprotection is being explored as a possible treatment strategy for Central Nervous System (CNS) disorders such as neurodegeneration, stroke, or trauma that result in CNS injuries (Lalkovičová and Danielisová, 2016). These disorders may

occur through a wide variety of mechanisms, although some common themes include abnormal protein behavior, oxidative stress, mitochondrial dysfunction, neuroinflammation, excitotoxicity, and others (Jellinger, 2010). These varied mechanisms result in an equally varied array of disorders such as epilepsy, motor neuron disease, Parkinson's disease, multiple sclerosis, and Alzheimer's disease (Vajda, 2004). Neurological disorders remain as one of the greatest threats to public health. There are several gaps in understanding the many issues related to neurological disorders, but we already know enough about their nature and treatment to be able to shape effective intervention responses to some of the most prevalent among them.

In the search for novel CNS treatments, medicinal plants are worthy of attention as they have been used as natural remedies since the dawn of civilization due to their substantial protective effects on human health. Thus, the different traditional medicinal systems practiced by the diverse communities worldwide may contain clues pointing towards natural remedies or an effective cure. Among these systems are the Sowa Rigba in Bhutan, Jamu in Indonesia, Ayuverda and Unani in India, Bangladesh, Nepal and Sri Lanka, homeopathy practices in European societies, Islamic Traditional Medicine among Muslims, Traditional Chinese Medicine among the Chinese, and Koryo Medicine among the Koreans (World Health Organization, 2013). Even today, medicinal plants still have significant roles to play in not only addressing various health issues, but also in supporting a healthy lifestyle. In modern medicine, extensive research evidence has shown that many plant-derived secondary metabolites have notable protective effects on the CNS (Edeoga et al., 2005; Rabiei, 2017; Manchishi, 2018). For instance, discovered in the 1940s, reserpine which is an indole alkaloid (Gurib-Fakim, 2006; Abdelfatah and Efferth, 2015) isolated from the roots of Rauwolfia serpentina (Indian snakeroot) was an antipsychotic used to treat schizophrenia in the past (Nur and Adams, 2016) and has heralded the beginning of a new era of drug treatment for mental disorders. Cannabis-based products such as cannabidiol (CBD) is another candidate in the spotlight for its efficacy and safety for treating different forms of epilepsy (See completed cannabidiol clinical trials in epilepsy https:// clinicaltrials.gov/) (Perucca, 2017; Silvestro et al., 2019).

Orthosiphon stamineus (OS) or Orthosiphon aristatus var. aristatus (OAA), is commonly known as cat's whiskers or "misai kucing". Belonging to the Lamiaceae family, it is a perennial, herbaceous medicinal shrub that stands 30 to 150 cm tall and is ubiquitous in the temperate and tropical areas of Asia, Australia, and the Pacific. The stamens and pistil can grow as far as 2 cm beyond the flower clusters during full bloom to form a shape that is reminiscent of cat whiskers (Sawaya and Poupelloz, 2011; Ameer et al., 2012; Adnyana et al., 2013). OS is believed to originate in South East Asia and is unsurprisingly known by a myriad of local names such as java tea (English common name), "neko no hige" (Japan), "mao xu cao" (China), "se-cho" or "myit-shwe" (Myanmar); "rau-meo" (Vietnam) and "yaa-nuad-maew" or "payab-mek" (Thailand), "misai kucing", "ruku hutan", or cat's whisker (Malaysia), "kumis kucing", "kutum", "mamam", "bunga laba-laba", "remuk jung/remujung", "songot koceng" and "sesalaseyan" (Indonesia); "kabling gubat/kabling parang" (Philippines). It is a popular medicinal plant due to its widespread and prolonged used in many traditional and complementary medicinal systems across many South East Asian and European countries for the prevention and treatment of disorders such as rheumatism, diabetes, hypertension, and epilepsy among many others (Sawaya and Poupelloz, 2011; Adnyana et al., 2013). OS has been reported to be anorexic (Son et al., 2011), diuretic, hypouriceamic and antiurolithic; anti-inflammatory, analgesic and antipyretic; antioxidative, hepatoprotective, nephroprotective, gastroprotective, cardiovascular-protective, hypolipidaemic, antihypertensive and anti-obesity; hypoglycaemic, antiproliferative, cytotoxic and antiangiogenic; antimicrobial and also has anti-sebum activity (Ameer et al., 2012; Adnvana et al., 2013). Given its traditional use as a treatment for epilepsy (which is a CNS disorder) and that the ability of OS to counteract oxidative stress and inflammation [which are both implicated in CNS disorders (Kamat et al., 2008; Amor et al., 2010)], OS could have the potential to be neuroprotective. However, while there are extensive reviews of OS, both narrative and systematic, reviews on neuroprotective potential of OS was however found to be lacking. Hence, a comprehensive systematic literature review was commenced to address this shortcoming and to elaborate on the protective actions of OS on the CNS.

# MATERIALS AND METHODS

#### Search Method

Five databases (Google Scholar, SCOPUS, SpringerLink, ScienceDirect, and PubMed) were searched to identify relevant articles using the keywords "Orthosiphon stamineus AND Brain Protection" and "Orthosiphon stamineus AND CNS". The common term Orthosiphon stamineus was used as the alternative name for Orthosiphon aristatus as this term typically produces more search results. The results were then filtered to include only studies between January 2009 and December 2019 to maximise the inclusion of more recent publications in this review, while minimizing the possibility of inadvertently excluding older studies. SCOPUS and ScienceDirect results were exported as RIS files, Google Scholar results were exported using Harzing's Publish or Perish 7 into RIS files, SpringerLink results were individually exported as RIS files and PubMed results were exported as nbib files. All the exported files were then imported into EndNote X9.2 to generate a library, which was then exported as a text file in the EndNote Export style. The text file was then imported into Rayyan (Ouzzani et al., 2016) and the generated list of unique entries (software identified duplicates were automatically excluded) were screened for their relevance based on their title and abstract.

# **Study Selection and Inclusion Criteria**

Only original research articles were considered for their content for this systematic review as other publication types would not have provided sufficient information for evaluation and comparison. Any duplicated results that were missed by Rayyan were also removed, as well as those that have no relevance to OS or the field of neuroscience. The result selection process was conducted as per the PRISMA guidelines (Moher et al., 2015).

# RESULTS

Searching the aforementioned databases using the chosen keywords resulted in a total of 781 records. Of the 781 records, 737 records were from Google Scholar, 0 from SCOPUS, 20 from SpringerLink and 24 Science Direct and 0 from PubMed. After applying exclusion criteria, 777 records were removed, which includes 101 duplicates and 676 articles not related to the scope of the review (**Figure 1**). The remaining four records underwent full text evaluation and no further records were removed as all four records were found to be relevant. The four articles are summarized in **Table 1** and discussed in the present systematic review.

HPLC analysis of an ethanolic OS extract for seven reference compounds by George et al. (2015) showed that their standardised extract contained ombuin (3,3',5-trihydroxy-4',7-dimethoxyflavone) (0.14%), 3'-hydroxy-4',5,6,7-tetramethoxyflavone (0.10%), sinensetin (0.07%), orthosiphol B (0.26%), orthosiphol A (0.67%), staminol A (0.45%), and orthosiphonone A (0.12%) as shown in **Figure 2**. A summary of the preparations used in each of the selected articles is given in **Table 2**.

#### **OS and Alzheimer's Disease**

Alzheimer's disease (AD) is an age-related neurodegenerative disorder that leads to cognitive, functional and behavioral alterations (Cummings et al., 2018). The cause of Alzheimer's disease is currently unknown, but is believed to result from a



variety of factors such as an abnormal accumulation of betaamyloid, death of cholinergic neurons, aggregation of microtubule tau proteins, metal dyshomeostasis, and metal-induced oxidative stress (Simunkova et al., 2019). As compared to rats given only 1 mg/kg of scopolamine, an ethanolic extract of OS has been shown by Retinasamy et al. (2019) to enhance memory when given to rats in a scopolamine-induced amnesia model which mimics the memory impairment in human Alzheimer's patients. They believed that the effects of the extract could be due to its positive modulation of the *CREB1* (cAMP response element-binding protein), *BDNF* (Brain-derived neurotrophic factor), and *TrKB* (Tropomyosin receptor kinase B) genes which are involved in memory, as BDNF binds to the TrKB receptor with a high affinity.

#### **Epilepsy**

Epilepsy is a CNS disorder that afflicts approximately one in every hundred people, with about half of those cases being idiopathic (Holland, 2014). Epileptic seizures are a short-term appearance of various signs and/or symptoms due to unusually excessive or concurrent brain activity (Fisher et al., 2014). Seizures can affect memory, cognition, behavior, or emotional state among others, though not always in tandem (Fisher et al., 2005). As compared to zebrafish given 170 mg/kg of the pro-convulsant pentylenetetrazol only, OS extract has been shown by Choo et al. (2018) to have antiseizure properties in an adult zebrafish model of pentylenetetrazol induced acute seizures. Choo et al. (2018) remarked that OS extract appears to prevent the upregulation of NF-kB (Nuclear Factor kappa-light-chain-enhancer of activated B cells) and NPY (Neuropeptide Y), which was puzzling as the upregulation of both genes is associated with a decrease in seizure threshold (Lubin et al., 2007; Wickham et al., 2019). Choo et al. (2018) postulated that these two pathways were not activated in the presence of OS as it exerted its anti-seizure activity via one or more other mechanisms. They suggested that one of these mechanisms could be at least partially due to the downregulation of  $TNF\alpha$  (Tumor Necrosis Factor alpha).

#### Learning and Memory

In the CNS, endogenous adenosine receptors have been associated with an array of functions including sleep and arousal, cognition, learning and memory, protection from neuronal damage and degeneration as well as influencing neuronal maturation (Chen et al., 2007). Adenosine receptors (AR) belong to the G-protein-coupled receptor family (Fredholm et al., 1999) and their antagonism can produce CNS-enhancing effects. Adenosine is known to modulate cognitive functions through the adenosine receptors  $A_1$  (A1R) and adenosine  $A_{2A}$ (A2AR). The selective blockade of A1R and A2AR can facilitate learning and memory in *in vivo* models (Pereira et al., 2002; Takahashi et al., 2008). A proprietary standardized ethanolic OS leaf extract has been shown to have memory-enhancing properties in Sprague Dawley rats possibly by reversing agerelated deficits in short-term social memory and due to involvement of adenosine A1 and adenosine A2A as a target bioactivity site in the restoration of memory (George et al., 2015). They determined this via in vitro binding assays (A2A binding assay, A1 and A2A functional agonist and antagonist activity assays) which showed that an OS concentration of 150 µg/ml was

Study details	Study design and model	Testing dose	Active constituents	Administration route	Pharmacological actions	Summary of findings
Retinasamy et al. (2019)	<i>in vivo</i> (adult Sprague Dawley rats)	50, 100 and 200 mg/ kg	Not mentioned	Oral and intraperitoneal (i.p., at a volume corresponding to 0.1 mL/100 g of b.w.)	Anti-AD <i>via</i> the BDNF-TrKB and CREB-BDNF pathways and can promote hippocampal neurogenesis	Ethanolic extract of OS might be a promising candidate as a memory enhancer or as a therapeutic treatment for neurodegenerative diseases like AD
Choo et al. (2018)	in vivo (adult Danio rerio)	50, 100 and 200 mg/L	Not mentioned	Oral	Anti-convulsive and anti- inflammatory <i>via</i> TNFα pathway	Ethanolic leaf extract of OS has the potential to be a novel symptomatic treatment for epileptic seizures as it is pharmacologically active against seizures in the zebrafish
George et al. (2015)	<ul> <li>For <i>in vitro</i> adenosine receptors A2<sub>A</sub> and A1 assays:</li> <li>human recombinant HEK-293 cells and Wistar rat vas deferens</li> <li>For <i>in vivo</i> work:</li> <li>adult male Sprague Dawley (3-mo, 200 – 250 g) and juvenile male SD rats (35–40-do, 75 –100 g)</li> </ul>	A2 <sub>A</sub> binding assay: 15 and 150 $\mu$ g/mL; A2 <sub>A</sub> and A <sub>1</sub> functional assay antagonist and agonist: 3, 30 and 300 $\mu$ g/mL 200, 300 and 600 mg/ kg (p.o.) 60 and 120 mg/kg (i.p.)	ombuin (3,3',5-trihydroxy- 4',7-dimethoxyflavone) (0.14%),3'-hydroxy- 4',5,6,7- tetramethoxyflavone (0.10%), sinensetin (0.07%), orthosiphol B (0.26%), orthosiphol A (0.67%), staminol A (0.45%), orthosiphonone A (0.12%)	Oral and intraperitoneal	Enhanced learning and memory <i>via</i> blockade of receptors A <sub>1</sub> and A <sub>2A</sub>	Standardised ethanolic extract of OS may reverse age-related deficits in short-term social memory and can be considered to prevent or decrease the rate of neurodegeneration
Sree et al. (2015)	<i>in vitro</i> (human neuroblastoma cell line, SH-SY5Y)	0.01 to 1 mg/mL	Not mentioned	N/A	Antioxidative, antiapoptotic and neuroprotective to alleviate ROS- mediated dysfunction of dopamenergic neurons and neuronal cell death	OS methanol bioactive guided fraction (OMF) can attenuate the $H_2O_2$ induced oxidative stress by improving the antioxidant status, cell viability, ROS formation, mitochondrial membrane integrity and regulation of gene expression in the neuronal cells. OMF can be considered as an alternative to some of the toxic synthetic antioxidants which are used in food, cosmetics and pharmaceutical applications

AD, Alzheimer's Disease; BDNF, brain-derived neurotrophic factor; b.w., body weight; CREB, cAMP response element binding protein; do, day-old; i.p., intraperitoneal; mo, month-old; OS, Orthosiphon stamineus; p.o., per oral; SD, Sprague Dawley; TrKB, Tropomyosin receptor kinase B.

sufficient to produce 74% inhibition of the A2AR and 300  $\mu$ g/ml essentially produced complete inhibition of the A1R and A2AR. They measured social memory *via* the social recognition tests which compares the time spent by an adult rat in investigating a juvenile rat, with the assumption that a second successive encounter should produce a shorter investigation time if the juvenile rat is recognised by the adult. By comparing the successive investigation times before and after treatment with OS, George et al. (2015) concluded that the standardized ethanolic extract of OS can be considered to prevent or to decrease the rate of neurodegeneration as compared to a rats given the vehicle control of distilled water.

#### **Oxidative Stress-Induced Neurotoxicity**

Oxidative stress has been shown to play a key role in regulating redox reactions in the CNS. Elevated levels of oxidative stress as a

result of increased generation of free radicals such as reactive oxygen species (ROS), have been linked to apoptosis in neuronal cells which in turn leads to various neurological disorders (Hensley et al., 2000). As compared to an unspecified vehicle control, a methanolic fraction extracted from OS leaves (OMF) has been shown by Sree et al. (2015) to have neuroprotective and cytoprotective effects in the human SH-SY5Y cell model. When 1,000 µg of OMF was given to SH-SY5Y cells, H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>-induced oxidative stress (increased cell viability, decreased ROS formation, and lipid peroxidation) and the loss of mitochondrial membrane integrity (decreased amounts of lactate dehydrogenase leakage and increased mitochondrial membrane potential) was prevented. Lactate dehydrogenase leakage can also be indirectly used as a measure for cell death (Smith et al., 2011) and the decreased level found by Sree et al. (2015) also suggests that OMF is not cytotoxic to SH-SY5Y cells. SH-SY5Y cells given 1,000 µg of OMF also had improved



TABLE 2 | Summary table of the preparations used by the studies in the present systematic literature review.

Study	Formulation	Source	Species, concentration	Quality control reported? (Y/N)	Chemical analysis reported? (Y/N)
Retinasamy et al. (2019)	50% ethanolic extract	NatureCeuticals Sdn Bhd, Kedah DA, Malaysia	Orthosiphon stamineus, Unknown concentration	Y- Prepared in a Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP) based environment	Ν
Choo et al. (2018)	50% ethanolic extract	NatureCeuticals Sdn Bhd, Kedah DA, Malaysia	Orthosiphon stamineus Unknown concentration	Ν	Ν
George et al. (2015)	70% ethanolic extract	Prepared by George et al. (2015)	<i>Orthosiphon stamineus</i> [Biotropics Malaysia Berhad, Malaysia], 1000g	Y - Plant material identified by a taxonomist on the basis of exomorphic characters and literature review	Y - HPLC
Sree et al. (2015)	Methanolic fraction	Prepared by Sree et al. (2015)	<i>Orthosiphon stamineus</i> [Western Ghats, India], 3 mg/m	Y - Plant material authenticated at Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur, India	Y - HPLC

antioxidant status (increased SOD, CAT and GPx expressions). Superoxide dismutase (SOD), catalase (CAT), and glutathione peroxidase (GPx) are active scavengers of superoxide ( $O_2$ .<sup>-</sup>) and hydrogen peroxide ( $H_2O_2$ ). Additionally, OMF enhanced the expression of neuronal biomarker genes (increased levels of *BDNF*, *TH*, and *AADC*) in SH-SY5Y cells. *BDNF*, *TH* (Tyrosine hydroxylase), and *AADC* (Amino acid decarboxylase) are genes that play a pivotal role in the survival and differentiation of dopaminergic neurons. This increase occurred both in the presence or absence of  $H_2O_2$  oxidative stress, though to a greater degree when  $H_2O_2$  was present, even though  $H_2O_2$  alone downregulates these genes. Based on their findings, Sree et al. (2015) proposed that the neuroprotective potential of OMF could possibly be *via* antioxidative mechanisms.

## DISCUSSION

Various forms of CNS disorders may not be caused by only a single factor, but may also be a combination of multiple factors. For instance, the synaptic dysfunction and memory impairment

detected in AD (McGeer and McGeer, 2010; Gomes et al., 2011) are also components commonly found in epilepsy (Wen et al., 2010; Holmes, 2015) and oxidative stress-induced neurological conditions (Aguiar et al., 2012; Ho et al., 2015; Chitnis and Weiner, 2017; Walker, 2018). There exists an interplay between oxidative stress, neurodegeneration, and neuroinflammation. The studies elaborated in this systematic review have collectively proposed that OS has a protective role to play in the CNS. OS has demonstrated its ability to intercept the cross-talk between neurodegeneration, neuroinflammation, and oxidative stress, and hence contributes to neuroprotection *via* four mechanisms: enhancing memory, anti-inflammation, anti-seizure, and antioxidative as depicted in **Figure 3**.

# Modulation of BDNF Signalling and Neurogenesis

All neurodegenerative processes are evolving conditions (Gomes et al., 2011). Based on the studies in this systematic review, OS contributes to the prevention of evolving memory impairment by modulating the BDNF-TrkB and CREB-BDNF signalling pathways as well as promoting neurogenesis. These three

pathways serve to counteract the progressive impairment of memory as a result of neurodegeneration (Toledo and Inestrosa, 2010); with BDNF together with its major receptor TrkB being involved in synaptic plasticity in the form of long term potentiation and also long term memory formation and consolidation (Cunha et al., 2010). Modulation of these signalling pathways results in the initiation of three major signalling pathway cascades, namely phospholipase Cy (PLCy), phosphatidylinositol 3-kinase (PI3K), and extracellular signalregulated kinases (ERK) (Cunha et al., 2010). All three of these pathways and the transcription factor CREB1 have been associated with learning and memory, though the exact role of BDNF and any interactions between these pathways have yet to be fully uncovered (Barco et al., 2003; Thomas and Huganir, 2004; Liu et al., 2006; Gruart et al., 2007). The upregulation of CREB also has positive effects on memory consolidation and performance as CREB modulates BDNF expression and thus upregulates it in turn (Suzuki et al., 2011). In addition, the transcription factor CREB, is also capable of promoting anti-inflammatory responses. These anti-inflammatory responses could be neuroprotective by inhibiting unwanted inflammation, tissue damage, and autoimmune response (Wen et al., 2010) in the CNS. Owing to the anti-inflammatory potential of OS, this may also enhance its capability to prevent neurodegeneration due to a decrease in

CREB. OS extract could also reverse the scopolamine induced suppression of neurogenesis in the dentate gyrus of the hippocampus, which again plays a role in spatial memory. The role of the dentate gyrus in spatial memory is postulated to be in the alignment of an internally memorized spatial map with external landmarks as determined by sensory information and thus an impaired dentate gyrus would also impair spatial memory if the external landmarks change (Won Lee et al., 2009).

# Antagonism of A1R and A2AR

OS contributes to enhancing learning and memory by modulating the adenosine receptors, A1R and A2AR in the CNS, as discovered by George et al. (2015). In a human study using positron emission tomography (PET) and 8-dicyclopropylmethyl-1-[11C] methyl-3propylxanthine, Fukumitsu et al. (2008) showed a significant reduction in A1R binding potential in the temporal cortex and thalamus of AD patients as compared with elderly normal subjects. Cunha (2005) also reported a decrease of A1R density and efficiency in neurodegenerative disorders. Canas et al. (2009) and Dall'Igna et al. (2003) have showed that A2AR antagonism prevents synaptic loss as well as neuronal death triggered by A $\beta$  synthetic peptides and thus suggests that modulation of A2AR antagonism could have neuroprotective effects in AD. One interesting finding by Prediger and Takahashi (2005) is that antagonising either adenosine



receptor, A1R or A2AR, can still result in an enhancement of social memory. An experiment by Kaster et al. (2015) proposed that caffeine acts through neuronal adenosine A2A receptors to prevent mood and memory dysfunction triggered by chronic stress. This finding may suggest that OS could be working in a similar manner. By acting on these adenosine receptors, synaptic degeneration and subsequent neuronal death can be improved. This enhances learning and memory to help in arresting neurodegeneration at the early stages (Gomes et al., 2011).

# Modulation of Dopaminergic Neurotransmission

OS contributes to the prevention of neurodegeneration by modulating dopaminergic neurotransmission (Sree et al., 2015). This suggests that OS could be preventing dopamine neuron dysfunction or loss as a consequence of neurodegeneration, oxidative stress, neuroinflammation, or a combination of the aforementioned. There is a large body of evidence that associates BDNF, TH, and AADC with the survival, differentiation, and regulation of dopaminergic neurons (Baquet et al., 2005; Bathina and Das, 2015; Lima Giacobbo et al., 2019). Additionally, OS may also be capable of enhancing memory, besides preventing memory loss. Dopamine together with noradrenaline, are two key enzymes in catecholamine neurotransmitter synthesis. Catecholamine neurotransmission is important as it is implicated in working memory performance (Cools and D'Esposito, 2011).

#### **TNF**α Signalling

OS contributes to the prevention of seizures and epilepsy by downregulating  $TNF\alpha$  (Choo et al. (2018).  $TNF\alpha$  has been shown to play a part in not only systemic inflammation, but also in epilepsy (Rana and Musto, 2018) and oxidative stress (Aguiar et al., 2012). Sinha et al. (2008) have found a decrease in cytokines, including  $TNF\alpha$ , in patients with epilepsy. An experiment by Ho et al. (2015) has also reported an increased seizure susceptibility due to the induction of neuroinflammation and oxidative stress in the hippocampus. Perhaps the anticonvulsive potential of OS could be acting against neuroinflammation owing to its anti-inflammatory properties (Yam et al., 2008; Yam et al., 2010). The downregulation of TNF $\alpha$  also reduces AMPA ( $\alpha$ -amino-3-hydroxy-5-methyl-4isoxazolepropionic acid) glutamatergic receptor trafficking in turn and hence decreases excitatory synaptic transmission (Patel et al., 2017). In addition, the downregulation of  $TNF\alpha$ also decrease glutamate release through the downregulation of glutaminase and microglia gap junctions (Takeuchi et al., 2006) and also reduces the endocytosis of inhibitory  $\gamma$ -aminobutyric acid (GABA) receptors (Stellwagen et al., 2005).

## **Redox Signalling**

Oxidative stress, alone or in combination, plays a pivotal role in various CNS disorders and can also damage essential macromolecules (Čolak, 2008; Pizzino et al., 2017). For instance, post-mortem samples from patients with AD revealed that there were elevated markers of oxidative stress including protein carbonylation and lipid peroxidation within the tissue (Butterfield and Lauderback, 2002; Sultana et al., 2006). Based on the studies in this systematic review, OS has demonstrated its capability in modulating the redox signalling cascade by regulating SOD, CAT, and GPx, to scavenge ROS. These enzymatic antioxidants collectively known as the first line defense antioxidants (Ighodaro and Akinloye, 2018). They act very fast to suppress or prevent the formation of free radicals or reactive species in cells by neutralizing any molecule with the potential of developing into a free radical or any free radical with the ability to induce the production of other radicals. An experiment by Akowuah et al. (2005) has reported that an OS leaf extract containing major components including sinensetin, eupatorine, 3'-hydroxy-5,6,7,4'-tetramethoxyflavone, rosmarinic acid, and quercetin, shows significant free radical scavenging and antioxidant abilities. In another experiment by Yam et al. (2007), a standardized OS extract has also demonstrated anti-oxidant and free-radical scavenging abilities. With these science-backed evidence, OS has been suggested to play a fundamental role in the redox signalling cascade-by activating the first line enzymatic antioxidants defense, it is able to scavenge and prevent the accumulation of free radicals (prooxidants such as O2., H2O2 and hydroxyl, OH) and thus, reducing the deleterious effects of oxidative stress. OS can thereby contribute to the delay of the onset and progression of neurodegeneration such as neuronal death, AD, and dementia induced by oxidative stress (Uberti et al., 2002; Zhang et al., 2010; Barsukova et al., 2011).

In the face of increased oxidative stress, the inability of antioxidant defense systems to counter the proinflammatory response is key to the onset and progression of neurodegeneration and neuroinflammation (Bakunina et al., 2015). There exists large amount of evidence suggesting that several basic mechanisms which drive neurodegeneration may be triggered by inflammatory cells and their mediators at various stages of the neurodegenerative cascade (Wyss-Coray and Mucke, 2002; Chitnis and Weiner, 2017; Kinney et al., 2018; Walker, 2018). In AD, for instance, the two most common mechanisms are mitochondrial dysfunction and inflammation mediated by cytokines and activated immune cells. de la Monte and Wands (2006) found that the neurons of AD patients have a high percentage of damaged mitochondria, which may be due to the increased presence of mutations in the mitochondrial DNA. Oxidative damage of mitochondrial proteins and DNA is found even in early stages of AD, suggesting a role of oxidative stress in disease progression (Nunomura et al., 2001; de la Monte and Wands, 2006). In both astrocytes and microglia, toll-like receptor (TLR)-mediated activation can release cytokines and chemokines (i.e. TNFa, IL-1, -3, -6, CCL2/MCP-1) as well as ROS, which can either promote neuronal survival or, in case of massive damage as in AD (Lee et al., 2018), ischemia or spinal cord injury, may promote inflammation and aggravate neuronal damage (van Noort and Bsibsi, 2009; Hinojosa et al., 2011). Activated immune cells, particularly macrophages, can produce ROS which also contributes to mitochondrial dysfunction and ultimately neuronal apoptosis (Chitnis and Weiner, 2017). In two separate experiments by Yam and colleagues (Yam et al., 2008; Yam et al., 2010), the components of OS leaves which are responsible for its anti-inflammatory effect were found to be the

polymethoxylated flavones sinensetin, eupatorine and 30-hydroxy-5,6,7,40-tetramethoxyflavone.

# Safety and Toxicity of OS

According to the Assessment Report on *Orthosiphon stamineus* Benth. (EMA/HMPC/135701/2009), clinical safety data is limited. The report concludes that no safety problems concerning the traditional use of OS or its preparations overall. OS preparations are considered not harmful when used in the recommended dosages for specified preparations. Its use however, can only be limited to the adults and elderly as no data on the use in children and adolescents is available. As there is no information on reproductive and developmental toxicity, its use during pregnancy and lactation cannot be recommended.

## Pharmacokinetics of OS

Recently, selected secondary metabolites of OS have been investigated for their pharmacokinetics. Guo et al. (2019) studied the plasma pharmacokinetics of an OS extract with selected nine analytes (protocatechuic acid, PCA; danshensu, DSS; caffeic acid, CAA; rosmarinic acid, RA; sinensetin, SIN; eupatorine, EUP; cichoric acid, CA; salvianolic acid A, Sal A and salvianolic acid B, Sal B) in rats after oral administration at 10 g/kg. The maximum plasma time  $(T_{max}, h)$  ranged between 0.36–2.79 and the maximum concentration (C<sub>max</sub> ng/ml) was between 2.05–1008.02. The half-life  $(t_{1/2z} h)$ ranged from 0.59-13.50, area under the plasma concentration versus time curve from zero to last sampling time (AUC<sub>0-t</sub>, h) was 1.66–9421.62 and mean residence time (MRT<sub>0-t</sub>, h) was 0.79–9.02. In another study by Shafaei et al. (2017), the plasma pharmacokinetics of an ethanolic OS extract with four marker compounds (RA, SIN, EUP and 3'-hydroxy-5,6,7,4'-tetramethoxyflavone, TMF) in rats after oral administration at 1,000 mg/kg and intravenous administration at 250 mg/kg via the tail vein was elucidated. After oral administration, T<sub>max</sub> was ranged between 2.83-3.17 h and C<sub>max</sub> was between 0.77-1.89 µg/ml, AUC (0-24, µg h/ml) ranged between 0.91-4.37 and bioavailability was between 15.28-26.45%. After IV administration, the estimated volume of distribution (Vd, l/kg h) ranged between 0.09-1.06, mean clearance value (CL, l/kg h) was 0.12-0.66, elimination rate constant (Ke, h-1) was 0.62-1.44, biological half-life ( $t_{1/2}$ , h) 0.49–1.13 and AUC (24- $\infty$ ,  $\mu$ g h/ml) ranged between 1.73-4.13. These studies suggested that different OS extracts display a varying pharmacokinetic profiles dependent upon the route of administration.

## **Future Directions**

All the four articles discussed in this review share one major limitation, that is all the studies were in the pre-clinical stage and were conducted on animals or in isolated cells rather than in humans. While the results are nevertheless encouraging, it should be noted that it is far from certain that the results would be translatable to humans (Cahill et al., 2011) if and when clinical trials are conducted in humans. However, there is one other limitation, in that all the studies in this review used various extracts of OS rather than pure compounds. This could be problematic when comparing the various studies as the levels of certain secondary metabolites can vary depending on the place in which the plant is grown, even within the same country, and hence their properties can differ as well (Akowuah et al., 2004). If OS is to be developed into drugs for treating CNS disorders, either the extract properties need to be standardized or the interactions between the constituents need to be established. While there have been limited studies conducted on pure compounds of OS constituents (Erkan et al., 2008; Laavola et al., 2012; Shin et al., 2012), this however creates another issue as there could be synergistic effects between the constituents.

Besides secondary metabolites, OS is also naturally bestowed with rich primary metabolites encompassing proteins, lipids, and carbohydrates. Yet, they are not as popularly sought after, especially the OS proteins. However, the pharmaceutical demand for plant-derived proteins is tremendous, with one third of all approved pharmaceuticals being glycoproteins (Solá and Griebenow, 2010). Plantderived proteins have emerged as a favourable therapeutic alternative mainly owing to their product safety. For instance, topical applications of plant-derived glycoproteins in humans was reported to have no significant side effects (Yao et al., 2015). Additionally, plant-based proteins eliminates potential contamination of the therapeutic drug with animal pathogens (i.e. prions, viruses, mycoplasmas) (Yao et al., 2015). Perhaps, the primary metabolites of OS such as proteins, lipids, and carbohydrates, may also hold valuable therapeutic rationale. These primary metabolites are therefore worthy of future exploration particularly in the search for a more promising treatment to a wide array of CNS disorders.

# CONCLUSION

The studies elaborated in current systematic review have collectively proposed that OS plays a protective role in the CNS. OS has demonstrated its ability, notably *via* its secondary metabolites (small molecules), to intercept the cross-talk between neurodegeneration, neuroinflammation, and oxidative stress, and hence contributing to neuroprotection. However, all these studies were at the pre-clinical phase and it remains to be seen if OS will be as effective in humans.

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# Chapter 2

Extraction and Characterisation of Orthosiphon stamineus Proteins

#### 2.1 Introduction

The Lamiaceae family represents one of the twenty largest plant families with a significant proportion of medicinal values, with 13.7% of species in the family used for medicinal purposes (Allkin, 2017). Orthosiphon stamineus (OS) or Orthosiphon aristatus var. aristatus (OAA) is a member of the Lamiaceae family, and more popularly known as cat's whiskers or "misai kucing". OS has since attracted extensive research focus, particularly on its secondary metabolites (small molecules), as evidenced by a substantial volume of investigation devoted to it (Adnyana et al., 2013; George et al., 2015; Z.-L. Huang et al., 2005; Son et al., 2011). Whilst on the market, OS continues to draw tremendous attention. There are corporate patents filed for the use of OS extracts such as in lymph drainage (Aboca S.P.A Società Agricola, WO2016110794A1) patented by а French group, in cosmetic use (US20110244063A1, BASF Beauty Care Solutions France Sas) and as cognition enhancer patented by a Malaysian corporate (US20110151033A, Biotropics Malaysia Berhad), to name a few. Typically, they all used various secondary metabolites extracted from OS.

Up to date, literature search found only a paper published by Saidan and colleagues (Saidan et al., 2015) which reported the anti-oxidative potential (DPPH and FRAP assays) and anti-proliferative activities (in MCF7 and HCT116 cells) of a combination of primary metabolites extracted from OS leaves. This thus shed light on the possibility of primary metabolites possessing protective potential. Additional literature search has found one existing use of a medicinal plant-derived protein (a component of primary metabolites) in pharmaceutical: thaumatin (also known as talin) extracted from Thaumatococcus daniellii (Benn.) Benth. ex Eichler is widely used as a substitute of synthetic sweetener in pharmaceutical products for its low-calorie nature and intense sweetness (Yeboah, Hilger, & Kroschel, 2003). Recently, another medicinal plant-derived protein, protein osmotin (24 kDa) extracted from Nicotiana tabacum L., has been reported to potentially improve Alzheimer's disease (Niu, Chen, & Gao, 2019; S. A. Shah et al., 2017). This sees that the rationale of OS primary metabolites being used for pharmaceutical application may be under-utilized (and often under-researched), particularly the proteins. The OS proteins, similar to the two medicinal plant-derived proteins aforementioned, may be a possible source of a drug cadidate.

Proteomics is defined as large-scale analysis of proteome. Proteome is a highly structured entity formed by a set of constituent proteins of which carry out their functions at specific times and locations in a cell, in physical or functional association with other proteins or biomolecules (Aebersold & Mann, 2016). Proteomics facilitates the identification, quantification and characterization of proteins present in a complex crude, in terms of expression, localization, interactions and post-translational modifications (Y. Liu et al., 2019; Zhang, Fonslow, Shan, Baek, & Yates III, 2013). Proteomics has been described as an important approach to obtain biological information as many biological activities are attributed by proteins, thus enhancing our understanding of biological systems (Patterson & Aebersold, 2003).

Liquid chromatography-mass spectrometry (LC-MS) based proteomics can analyze large-scale proteomics owing to its rapid advancement in resolution, sensitivity, mass accuracy and protein analysis scan rate (Zhang et al., 2013). It also provides the quantitative state of a proteome (Aebersold & Mann, 2016). In recent decades, with the availability of online protein databases, LC-MS has accelerated the research on plant proteomics particularly in medicinal plants. Detection of homologous proteins in the medicinal plants obtained from mass spectrometry analysis is assisted by the protein sequences databases available online such as The Universal Protein Resource (UniProt) and The National Center for Biotechnology Information (NCBI) (Xu & Xu, 2004). Nevertheless, the richness of plant protein databases remains lower when compared to the other databases such as human, yeast, bacterium, and snake, to name a few. Nonetheless, LC-MS based proteomics is still an essential component in the comprehensive characterization of medicinal plants. Moreover, it may contribute to the discovery of novel proteins with potential therapeutic applications or as an important research tool. In fact, the pharmaceutical demand for plant-derived proteins is high. It is estimated that about one third of all the approved pharmaceuticals comes from glycoproteins (Solá & Griebenow, 2010). Plant-derived proteins have since emerged as a favorable therapeutic alternative mainly owing to their product safety. For instance, Yao, Weng, Dickey, & Wang (2015) has reported that topical applications of plant-derived glycoproteins in humans was found no significant side effects. Therefore, it is worthwhile to explore OS proteins as a therapeutic source from medicinal plants.

The present chapter investigates an optimal protein extraction method achievable at laboratory scale and analysed the proteins extracted using mass spectrometry-based proteomics (shotgun-LC-MS/MS approach). The protein compositions of OSLP are determined using automated *de novo* protein sequencing software (PEAKS<sup>®</sup> Studio). Functional annotation analysis is applied to characterize the protein family, cellular component and molecular functions Hence, the objectives of this chapter are:

- 1. To develop an optimal protein extraction method for OS
- 2. To identify the protein compositions of OS
- 3. To characterize the protein compositions of OS

The flowchart outlining the overview of experimental design to achieve the objectives is summarized in Figure 2.1 below:



Figure 2.1: Flowchart summarizing the overview of experimental design.

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# **EXTRACTION AND CHARACTERISATION OF** *ORTHOSIPHON STAMINEUS* **PROTEINS**

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### ABSTRACT

Orthosiphon stamineus (OS) is a medicinal plant in the Lamiaceae family commonly found in Malaysia. Substantial research evidence on OS secondary metabolites have suggested their contributions to many drug discoveries. Nonetheless, OS primary metabolites remain unexplored, let alone its proteins. This study attempts to extract proteins from OS leaves (OSLP) with the One-Tube Method (OTM) at laboratory scale and characterize the protein compositions of OSLP. Fresh OS leaves were flash-frozen by liquid nitrogen (LN<sub>2</sub>). OTM used sequential extraction strategy to separate the non-protein constituents from OSLP. OSLP extracted were analysed using mass spectrometry-based proteomics. OTM successfully extracted OSLP from the LN<sub>2</sub> flash-frozen leaf sample, with a total yield of 3 mg/g (about 0.3%). Proteomics analysis detected the different protein compositions present in OSLP and they were classified into 49 protein families. The protein compositions were found to localized at 21 different cellular components, from cytoplasm and nucleus to chloroplast and plastid. The three major protein compositions were lyases (14%), oxidoreductases (28%) and monooxygenases (10%). Using functional annotation analysis, they were categorised into 23 classes based on their molecular functions, ranging from biosynthesis of metabolites and enzymatic activities to protein homeostasis and gene transcriptions. Findings in this study contribute to understanding the protein compositions of OSLP which could be helpful in the exploration of protein with important therapeutic potential.

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### **1** INTRODUCTION

Orthosiphon stamineus (OS) or Orthosiphon aristatus var. aristatus (OAA), popular known as cat's whiskers (in English), "misai kucing" (in Malay), "mao xu cao" (in Mandarin) and "Java tea" (across European countries), is a medicinal plant in the Lamiaceae family. Aerial leaves and stem tips collected during the flowering season are key components used in various herbal preparations as natural remedies or folk medicine across Southeast Asian countries (Adnyana, Setiawan, & Insanu, 2013; Agency, 2011; George et al., 2015). For instance, OS leaves are used as a traditional medicine to manage seizures and epilepsy (Gan et al., 2017). Extensive modern pharmacological studies, notably on the secondary metabolites (small molecules) of OS, have since been in the limelight owing to their well-known health benefits such as cognitive-enhancing (George et al., 2015; Huang et al., 2005), antioxidative and anti-inflammatory (Adnyana et al., 2013; Ameer, Salman, Asmawi, Ibraheem, & Yam, 2012), to name a few. The primary metabolites of OS however, are not as popularly sought after. In recent years, plant-derived proteins have emerged as a favorable therapeutic alternative mainly owing to their product safety with a low risk of contamination by animal pathogens (Yao, Weng, Dickey, & Wang, 2015). It is reported that nearly one third of all the approved pharmaceuticals derived from glycoproteins (Solá & Griebenow, 2010).

Proteomics study permits the identification, quantification and characterization of proteins present in a complex mixture. This information is particularly useful in studying the expression, localization, interactions and post-translational modifications of a protein (Liu et al., 2019; Y. Zhang, Fonslow, Shan, Baek, & Yates, 2013). Proteomics has been described as an important approach to obtain biological information as most biological activities are attributed by proteins, thus enhancing our conception of a biological system (Aebersold & Mann, 2016; Patterson & Aebersold, 2003). In recent decades, with the availability of online protein databases, liquid chromatography-mass spectrometry (LC-MS) based proteomics has accelerated the research on plant proteomics particularly in medicinal plants. Detection of homologous proteins in the medicinal plant obtained from mass spectrometry spectra analysis is assisted by the protein sequences databases deposited online such as The Universal Protein Resource (UniProt) and The National Center for Biotechnology Information (NCBI) (Xu & Xu, 2004). Nevertheless, the richness of plant protein databases remains lower when compared to the other databases available for human, snake, bird and yeast, to name a few. Nonetheless, LC-MS based proteomics is still an

essential tool in the investigation of medicinal plants, contributing to the discovery of novel proteins with potential therapeutic applications or as an important research approach.

This study attempts to extract proteins from OS leaves (OSLP) with a method achievable at laboratory scale and characterize the protein compositions of OSLP extracted using mass spectrometry-based proteomics.

### 2 MATERIALS AND METHODS

### 2.1 Preparation of plant material

The OS plants aged about 12 months old (voucher specimen 11009) were collected from Kampung Repuh, Batu Kurau (GPS coordinates: 4.52°N, 100.48°E; Perak, Malaysia). The fresh leaves were collected, cleaned, flash-frozen using liquid nitrogen and grounded into fine, homogeneous powder using pre-chilled grinder and ultrasonic cell crusher. The leaf powder was then weighed (50 mg) and kept in sterile 2.0 mL protein lo-bind (Eppendorf) microtubes.

#### **2.2** Preparation of reagents

Non-protein extraction buffer (M1) was prepared in 100 mL of methyl tert-butyl ether (MTBE)/methanol (MeOH): 75 mL of MTBE to 25 mL of MeOH (3:1, vol/vol). The M1 buffer was kept at -20°C. Phase separation-inducing solvent (M2) was prepared in 100 mL of Milli-Q ultrapure water (MQUPW) /MeOH: 75 mL of MQUPW was added to 25 mL of MeOH (3:1, vol/vol). The M2 solvent was kept at 4°C. Protein extraction (PE) buffer was freshly prepared in 10 mL which contained 6 M urea, 2 M thiourea, 15 mM dithiothreitol (DTT), 3-[(3-cholamidopropyl) dimethylammonio]-1-propanesulfonate (CHAPS, 2%), protease and phosphatase inhibitors. The PE buffer was kept at room temperature (r.t.).

### 2.3 Protein extraction by One-Tube Method (OTM)

One-Tube Method (OTM) was modified from previous studies (Isaacson et al., 2006; Salem, Jüppner, Bajdzienko, & Giavalisco, 2016; Smaczniak et al., 2012). 1.0 mL of precooled M1 was added into each aliquot (50 mg of LN<sub>2</sub> flash-frozen OS leaf powder in individual microtube). All microtubes were thoroughly vortexed (1 min; 2000 rpm) and then incubated on orbital shaker (60 min; 70 rpm; 4°C). Following that, all the microtubes were subjected to sonication (ice water; 30 min; 4°C). Next, pre-cold M2 (650  $\mu$ L) was added into each aliquot, thoroughly vortexed (1 min; 2000 rpm) and centrifuged at 18,000 g for 10 minutes; at 4°C. The aqueous phases were carefully pipetted off without disturbing the insoluble pellet formed at the bottom. 500  $\mu$ L of pre-cooled (4°C) MeOH was added and vortexed thoroughly (30 s; 1400 rpm). Following that, all the microtubes were centrifuged (18,000 x g; 10 min; 4°C). This washing step was repeated for two times. The washed pellet from each aliquot was re-suspended in 200  $\mu$ L of freshly prepared PE (1:4; wt/vol) followed by sonication (ice water; 10 min; 4°C) and then incubated on orbital shaker (60 min; 70 rpm; r.t.). Finally, all the microtubes were centrifuged (10,000 g; 5 min; 4°C). The supernatants produced were then harvested and subjected to vacuum concentration (300 rpm; 24 h; 40°C).

### 2.4 Protein estimation by Bradford protein assay

Protein concentration was estimated using Quick Start<sup>TM</sup> Bradford Protein Assay with bovine serum albumin as standard (Bio-Rad, USA). Briefly,  $5\mu$ L of the protein sample (OSLP) or standard was separately loaded onto a sterile 96-well plate in triplicate. 250  $\mu$ L of dye reagent was then added into each well. The plate was incubated (25-27°C; 5 min) and the absorbance was read at 595 nm (Bio-Rad Benchmark Plus Microplate Reader with Microplate Manager 5.2.1 software, Bio-Rad, USA). The percentage (%) of yield for OSLP was calculated:

 $Yield of OSLP (\%) = \frac{weight of \ extract}{weight of liquid \ nitrogen \ flash - frozen \ OSB \ leaf \ powder}$ 

### 2.5 Protein separation by one-dimensional sodium dodecyl sulphatepolyacrylamide gel electrophoresis (1-D SDS-PAGE)

One-dimensional SDS-PAGE (1-D SDS-PAGE, 12% polyacrylamide gel ) was performed according to the Laemmli method (Laemmli, 1970) with modifications. Briefly, OSLP was re-suspended in MQUPW, boiled at 95°C (5 min) and cooled to room temperature. Then, 50  $\mu$ g of solubilized OSLP was well mixed with loading buffers in a 1:1 ratio and separated on 12% (w/v) resolving gel and 4% (w/v) stacking gel using the Laemmli buffer system. This procedure was conducted at room temperature. Thermo Scientific PageRuler<sup>TM</sup> Plus Pre-stained Protein Ladder was used as the molecular weight marker. BioRad mini-Protean II electrophoresis set was used to perform the protein separation under constant 200V for 60 min until the loading dye front reached the bottom of gel.

### 2.6 Silver nitrate staining of protein in 1-D SDS-PAGE

After completion of electrophoresis, the gel was subjected to ultrafast silver nitrate staining as previously described (Chevallet, Luche, & Rabilloud, 2006) with modifications. Briefly, the gel was rinsed with MQUPW followed by the addition of fixation solution and incubated with gentle shaking (overnight). Next, the gel was collected and washed with ethanol (50%, 20 min; 20%, 20 min) with gentle shaking. The gel was rinsed with MQUPW (20 s; twice) and was soaked in sensitizing solution (1 min). Then, the gel was rinsed with MQUPW (20 s; twice) followed by silver nitrate impregnation (20 min; r.t.) with gentle shaking and then was washed off using MQUPW (20 s; twice). Developing solution was added until clear protein bands appeared and then was rinsed off with MQUPW (2 min; twice). Finally, the staining process was terminated by adding in 10% glacial acetic acid. The gel image was scanned using Epson Expression 10,000XL coupled with Epson Scan Utility software (Seiko Epson Co., Japan).

### 2.7 De-staining 1-D SDS-PAGE

The gel was de-stained prior to in-gel protein digestion. Firstly, the silver nitrate stained SDS-PAGE gel was soaked overnight in MQUPW. Next, selected visible gel bands were carefully excised and transferred to sterile 2.0 mL Protein lo-bind microtubes and de-stained using 0.4 g of potassium ferricyanide in 200 mL sodium thiosulphate (0.2 g/L water). The gel bands were incubated at room temperature in the de-staining solution with gentle shaking for 15 minutes or until completely de-stained. Then, the gel bands were rinsed for 15 minutes with MQUPW. The washing step was repeated for a total of 5 times with gentle shaking.

#### 2.8 In-gel protein digestion

In-gel protein digestion was carried out based on manufacturer's instructions (Mass Spec Grade Promega, USA). Briefly, the gel bands were washed in 25 mM ammonium bicarbonate (ABC) and dehydrated in acetonitrile (ACN) (4 times; r.t.). Herein, this washing and dehydration was termed as Step 1. Next, the gel bands were reduced in 10 mM DTT (65°C; 30 minutes). Following that, Step 1 as aforementioned was repeated. The gel bands were then alkylated in 10 mM IAA in 25 mM ABC and incubated in the dark (45 min; 37°C).

Step 1 as aforementioned was repeated. After that, 20  $\mu$ L of 20 ng/ $\mu$ L Trypsin/Lys-C Mix in 25 mM ABC was added and the mixture was incubated for 10 min. Next, the mixture was incubated overnight at 37°C (Mass Spec Grade Promega, USA). Finally, the digestion was terminated by adding in 1% formic acid (FA). The extracted peptides were vacuum-concentrated (300 rpm; 24 h; 40°C) and de-salted using C-18 spin column following the manufacturer's instructions (Thermo Scientific, USA). 8  $\mu$ L of MQUPW with 0.1 % FA was used to reconstitute the de-salted peptides prior to Agilent ESI-LCMS/MS analysis.

### 2.9 In-solution protein digestion

In-solution protein digestion was carried out based on manufacturer's instructions (Mass Spec Grade Promega, USA). Briefly, 20  $\mu$ g of OSLP was digested by Trypsin/Lys-C Mix (ratio 25 protein:1 protease; w/w) buffered in 50 mM Tris (hydroxymethyl) aminomethane (THAM) hydrochloride (Tris-HCl, pH 8) and then incubated in the dark (overnight; 37°C). FA (1%) was added to cease the enzyme activity. Following that, the digested peptides were spun down (16,000 x g; 4°C; 10 min) to collect the supernatant. The supernatant was vacuum-concentrated (300 rpm; 24 h; 40°C). They were de-salted using C-18 spin column (Thermo Scientific, USA). Finally, the de-salted peptides were reconstituted in 10  $\mu$ L of FA (0.1%), briefly vortexed and centrifuged prior to Agilent LCMS/MS analysis.

### 2.10 Protein analysis of nanoflow liquid chromatography electrosprayionization coupled with tandem mass spectrometry/mass spectrometry (Nanoflow-ESI-LCMS/MS)

The digested peptides were loaded onto C-18 300Å Large Capacity Chip (Agilent, USA) and separated using a binary buffer system. The column was equilibrated by Buffer 1 (0.1% FA in MQUPW) and Buffer 2 (60% ACN containing 0.1% FA). The digested peptides were eluted with a linear gradient: 50 min in 0-40% Buffer 2 followed by 40-80% Buffer 2 for additional 30 minute. Quadrupole-time of flight (Q-TOF) was set at positive polarity, capillary voltage at 2050 V, fragmentor voltage at 300 V, drying gas flow 5 L/min and gas temperature of 300°C. The peptide spectrum was analyzed in auto MS mode ranging from 110-3000 m/z for MS scan and 50-3000 m/z for MS/MS scan, followed by up to 15 data-dependent MS/MS scans (Top 15 approach) with higher-energy collisional dissociation (HCD) at a resolution of 17,500 at 200 m/z. Dynamic exclusion was set to 30 seconds. Agilent MassHunter data acquisition software (version B.07.00, Agilent Technologies,

Santa Clara, CA, USA) and PEAKS<sup>®</sup>Studio software (version 7.5, Bioinformatics Solutions Inc., Waterloo, ON, Canada) were used for the spectrum analysis.

### 2.11 Identification of protein and peptide by automated *de novo* sequencing

The Lamiaceae protein databases (March 2018) of UniProtKB (http://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/) and NCBInr (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/) were downloaded. Protein identification and homology search by comparing the *de novo* sequence tag were assisted by the PEAKS<sup>®</sup>Studio (Version B.07.00). The settings applied were as follow: both parent mass and precursor mass tolerance was set at 0.1 Da with monoisotopic as the precursor mass search type, carbamidomethylation was set as fixed modification with maximum missed cleavage was set at 3, maximum variable post-translational modification was set at 3 and Trypsin/Lys-C was selected as the digestion enzyme. The other parameters were set as default by Agilent. The filtration parameters were set at a significant score (-10logP) of protein  $\geq 20$  and number of peptides  $\geq 20$  to exclude inaccurate proteins. PEAKS<sup>®</sup> indicated that a -10logP score of greater than 20 is of relatively high in confidence as it targets very few decoy matches above the threshold (J. Zhang et al., 2012). Separately, the different protein compositions of OSLP detected were searched in the databases of of UniProtKB. **NCBInr** and **InterPro** Classification Protein Families (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/interpro/protein/) for their annotated protein family, cellular component and molecular function, and the percentage (%) of each category was calculated (Eq. 1 - 3):

$$\% \ protein \ family = \frac{no. \ of \ protein \ compositions \ in \ same \ protein \ family}{total \ detected \ protein \ compositions} x \ 100 \qquad \dots Eq.1$$
  
$$\% \ cellular \ component = \frac{no. \ of \ protein \ compositions \ in \ same \ cellular \ component}{total \ detected \ protein \ compositions} x \ 100 \qquad \dots Eq.2$$

% molecular function = 
$$\frac{\text{no. of protein compositions with same molecular function}}{\text{total detected protein compositions}} x 100 \dots \text{Eq.3}$$

### **3 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

### 3.1 Yield of OSLP from OTM

Extraction of protein from medicinal plants represents a great challenge, especially from the green leaf tissues. Plant cells are enveloped by a rigid and tough structure constituted of two layers of cell wall, primary and secondary. The primary cell is thinner and harder than the secondary cell wall. This wall structure is constructed by a complex network of pectins, cross-linking glycans, cellulose microfibrils and lignins, all of which are present substantially and ubiquitously. In addition, the middle lamella structure is rich in pectins. These structures make the plant cell walls to be significantly thicker and more difficult to be completely ruptured. To harvest the proteins embedded deeply beyond the cell walls, an optimal protein extraction strategy is required.

In this study, OTM employed the sequential extraction strategy to extract OSLP from the LN<sub>2</sub> flash-frozen leaf sample. Buffer M1 separated the "non-protein contaminants" including polar-, semi-polar and hydrophobic metabolites. Buffer M2 precipitated the insoluble compounds including proteins, starch and plant cell wall components (Salem et al., 2016). The protein compositions of OSLP were harvested by the PE buffer. OTM has successfully produced a total yield of 3 mg of OSLP per 1 g of LN<sub>2</sub> flash-frozen leaf sample (about 0.3%). This yield was relatively higher when compared to the previous studies reported (N. Wang et al., 2015; W. Wang et al., 2003); the former extracted proteins from aged olive leaf sample (total yield was 2.49 mg/g) and the latter extracted proteins from maize leaf midrib (total yield was 1.86 mg/g), wherein the phenol-based and trichloroacetic acid (TCA) precipitation-based protocols were employed respectively. Plant protein extractions, conventionally, were either phenol-based or TCA precipitation-based. In some cases, a combination of both was used depending on the sample type and experimental requirements (N. Wang, Wu, Ku, Chen, & Wang, 2016; W. Wang et al., 2003; Xiang et al., 2010). These common methods used organic solvents especially acetone, TCA, phenol and SDS (sodium dodecyl sulphate). The phenol-based method is more time-consuming and laborious than the TCA precipitation-based protocol, but it is more preferred rendered by its potential to separate and precipitate proteins more efficiently from the recalcitrant plant tissues (Isaacson et al., 2006; N. Wang et al., 2016; W. Wang et al., 2003; Xiang et al., 2010). However, organic solvents especially SDS and phenol are denaturant agents that may introduce chemical modifications to proteins and thereby, affect the folding and structures

(Bhuyan, 2010). Conformational changes cause a protein to lose its specific actions (Hashiguchi & Komatsu, 2017). Thus, concern arises on the preservation of biological actions of a protein. The preservation of plant-derived bioactive proteins is essential as they also possess important pharmaceutical values (Shah et al., 2017; Yeboah, Hilger, & Kroschel, 2003). In comparison, OTM did not use denaturant agents. This might reduce the damage to the protein structures and thereby, contribute to the slight increase in the total protein yield obtained in this study. As such, OTM used in this study can be considered as an optimal extraction alternative at laboratory scale particularly in a fundamental research laboratory which often is equipped with limited resources.

### **3.2 One-dimensional SDS-PAGE (1-D SDS-PAGE)**

1-D SDS-PAGE was used to accessed the protein compositions of OSLP (Fig. 2). As seen, OSLP constituted of protein compositions with varying electrophoretic (molecular weight-distribution) protein profiles. Silver nitrate-stained OSLP bands were displayed in several regions, ranging from 10, 25-35, 55-250 to above 250 kDa. The separation pattern was sufficiently distinctive and with low backgrounds. In 1-D SDS-PAGE, visible bands are indicative of the presence of a protein sample whereas a low-backgrounds staining is indicative of a clean protein sample with the interfering substances including non-protein contaminants, salts, detergents, denaturants and organic solvents are sufficiently removed (Evans, Romero, & Westoby, 2009). 1-D SDS-PAGE has confirmed the presence of OSLP extracted with OTM. A visual representation of the OSLP pattern illustrates the complexity of the sample being investigated.

Leaf is considered as a type of recalcitrant tissue which the protein contents inside are difficult to be extracted mainly due to high levels of interfering compounds (W. Wang et al., 2003). In line with that, a study by Rehman and Adnan (2018) on medicinal plants from different families have found the majority is especially low in protein contents. Conversely, they are naturally rich in secondary metabolites such as phenolic compounds, pigments, oils, starches and cell wall polysaccharides. In proteomics study, these components are known as "non-protein contaminants" which may contaminate a protein sample and thereby, interfere protein separations (Isaacson et al., 2006; Saha & Bhattacharya, 2017; Xiang et al., 2010). Additional limitations from green leaf tissues are the high levels of proteases (e.g. Serine and Cysteine) and oxidative enzymes (e.g. Catalase), which may be detrimental to the stability and function of a protein (Isaacson et al., 2006; Mónico, Martínez-Senra, Zorrilla,

& Pérez-Sala, 2017). In view of this, as an attempt to lower the degradation of OSLP as much as possible, both protease and phosphatase inhibitors as well as CHAPS were included in the PE buffer. Protease inhibitors suppress a broad spectrum of proteolytic activities whilst phosphatase inhibitors suppress various cellular protein phosphatases (e.g. alkaline phosphatase, serine/threonine (Ser/Thr) phosphatase, tyrosine (Tyr) phosphatase and dual specificity, Tyr and Ser/Thr phosphatase). This is helpful in freezing the phosphorylation state of a protein at a selected time point (Gleiser I, 2010) and improving the stability of proteins (Cook, 1993; Wenger, O'Dorisio, & Campolito, 1991). CHAPS is a mild and non-denaturing zwitterionic sulfobetaine detergent. It solubilizes membrane proteins and receptors, useful for breaking protein-protein interactions (Chattopadhyay & Harikumar, 1996; Singh et al., 2015). 1-D SDS-PAGE has visualised the OSLP bands of varying molecular weights (Fig. 2). This might be attributed to the improved protein recovery rate, in line with the findings reported by Salem et al. (2016). However, Salem and colleagues (Salem et al., 2016) did not visualise the proteins extracted from *Arabidopsis thaliana* rosette leaves (Brassicaceae family) with any gel electrophoresis applications.

### 3.3 Proteomic identification and characterization of OSLP

In this study, shotgun-proteomics and tandem mass spectrometry were employed in the identification of protein compositions present in OSLP. The protein compositions identified were matched to the Lamiaceae family protein databases in UniProtKB and NCBInr. A total of 904 protein compositions were detected from the in-gel and in-solution samples (See Supplementary Data). The detected protein compositions were then filtered by PEAKS<sup>®</sup> Studio software. After removing duplications and grouping them accordingly, a total of 336 of protein compositions were found (Table 1).

Orthosiphon stamineus (OS) is a medicinal plant in the Lamiaceae family. Therefore, matching to the Lamiaceae databases increased the identification of unique protein compositions which shares highly homologous or identical peptides. Similar homology-driven proteomics approach has been adopted by Salem et al. (2016) wherein the detected proteins from *Arabidopsis thaliana* rosette leaves were matched to the Brassicaceae database and in a study by Saha and Bhattacharya (2017), the allergens from *Phoenix sylvestris* was compared to the Arecaceae database. Homology-driven proteomics is a powerful tool in protein identification as it allows multiple mismatches in a sequence stretch by using peptide sequences that are highly homologous or genetically similar (Junqueira et al., 2008;

Shevchenko, Valcu, & Junqueira, 2009). Nonetheless, matching to the same family database may limit the number of proteins detected. The richness of a plant family database remains lower when compared to the Viridiplantae kingdom database wherein the data is made up of the green algae, aquatic and the land plants. This is one of the limitations in this study.

Table 1 List of protein compositions identified from OSLP with annotations based on UniProtKB (http://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/) and NCBInr (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/).

No.	Protein Accession No.	Average Mass	Max- 10logP	Max Coverage (%)	Max# Peptides	Max# Unique Peptides	Protein Description
1	gi 403399409 sp E2E2P0 GTPS_ORIVU	69063	534.29	33	26	26	Gamma-terpinene synthase, chloroplastic [Origanum vulgare] (Wild marjoram)
2	gi 75306222 sp Q947B7 MFS_MENPI	55360	272	28	15	15	(+)-menthofuran synthase [Mentha piperita](Peppermint) (Mentha aquatica x Mentha spicata)
3	gi 75251483 sp Q5SBP6 GDS_OCIBA	63395	178.18	5	3	3	Germacrene-D synthase [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
4	gi 29839421 sp Q9XGW0 COMT1_OCIBA	39529	566.71	50	22	12	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1 [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
5	gi 29839420 sp Q9XGV9 COMT2_OCIBA	39613	500.82	56	25	17	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2 [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
6	gi 75315260 sp Q9XHE7 C71DD_MENPI	56601	227.54	14	7	7	Cytochrome P450 71D13 [Mentha piperita](Peppermint) (Mentha aquatica x Mentha spicata)
7	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0 PULR_MENPI	37915	1021.98	65	33	33	(+)-pulegone reductase [Mentha piperita](Peppermint) (Mentha aquatica x Mentha spicata)
8	gi 75251484 sp Q5SBP7 SELS_OCIBA	63125	415.32	27	15	14	Selinene synthase [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
9	gi 75251481 sp Q5SBP4 AZIS_OCIBA	62858	93.41	6	3	3	Alpha-zingiberene synthase [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
10	gi 5915814 sp 004164 C71A6_NEPRA	57955	486.08	31	18	18	Cytochrome P450 71A6 [Nepeta racemosa] (Catmint) (Raceme catnip)
11	gi 62899675 sp O81192 BPPS_SALOF	69292	327.6	17	10	8	(+)-bornyl diphosphate synthase, chloroplastic [Salvia officinalis] (Sage)
12	gi 122210943 sp Q2XSC5 LALIN_LAVAN	65654	189.93	8	4	4	R-linalool synthase [Lavandula angustifolia] (Lavender)
13	gi 75180331 sp Q9LRC8 BAGLU_SCUBA	58772	289.62	21	9	9	Baicalin-beta-D-glucuronidase [Scutellaria baicalensis] (Baical skullcap)
14	gi 122233627 sp Q4JF75 RBR_SCUBA	111795	881.95	67	78	78	Retinoblastoma-related protein [Scutellaria baicalensis] (Baical skullcap)
15	gi 75251477 sp Q5SBP0 TPSD_OCIBA	70000	400.55	30	22	16	Terpinolene synthase, chloroplastic [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)

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16	gi 5921781 sp O04111 CHSY_PERFR	42686	253	54	38	38	Chalcone synthase [Perilla frutescens] (Beefsteak mint) (Perilla ocymoides)
17	gi 75251482 sp Q5SBP5 GCS1_OCIBA	63566	305.93	15	9	8	Gamma-cadinene synthase [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
18	gi 910312590 ref YP_009162251.1	158800	75.7	2	2	2	DNA-directed RNA polymerase beta subunit-2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
19	gi 916442749 gb AKZ23931.1	157974	98.65	4	4	4	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
20	gi 836643373 ref YP_009144505.1	158291	68.68	2	2	2	DNA-directed RNA polymerase beta" subunit (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
21	gi 401879732 gb AFQ30919.1	158403	68.68	2	2	2	DNA-directed RNA polymerase beta subunit-2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
22	gi 827345865 gb AKJ77166.1	25335	49.94	8	2	2	NAD(P)H-quinone oxidoreductase subunit K, chloroplastic [Scutellaria baicalensis]
23	gi 122219295 sp Q49SP7 TPSCS_POGCB	63586	356.54	31	17	17	Gamma-curcumene synthase [Pogostemon cablin] (Patchouli) (Mentha cablin)
24	gi 8134569 sp Q42662 METE_PLESU	84590	567.24	29	24	24	5-methyltetrahydropteroyltriglutamate homocysteine methyltransferase [Plectranthus scutellarioides] (Coleus) (Solenostemon scutellarioides)
25	gi 122237148 sp Q15GI4 EGS1_OCIBA	35607	88.09	6	2	2	Eugenol synthase 1 [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
26	gi 75227033 sp Q76MR7 UBGAT_SCUBA	48654	294.42	33	14	14	Baicalein 7-O-glucuronosyltransferase [Scutellaria baicalensis] (Baical skullcap)
27	gi 75161989 sp Q8W1W9 5MAT1_SALSN	50724	335.2	14	7	7	Malonyl-coenzyme:anthocyanin 5-O-glucoside-6"- O-malonyltransferase [Salvia splendens] (Scarlet sage)
28	$gi 84027871 sp Q93WU2 EOMT1\_OCIBA$	40237	128.93	8	3	3	Eugenol O-methyltransferase [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
29	gi 403399735 sp E2E2N7 BCGS_ORIVU	64443	172.34	6	4	4	Bicyclogermacrene synthase [Origanum vulgare] (Wild marjoram)
30	gi 75338882 sp Q9ZR27 5GT1_PERFR	50974	177.13	10	5	5	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 5-O- glucosyltransferase 1 [Perilla frutescens] (Beefsteak mint) (Perilla ocymoides)
31	gi 75338881 sp Q9ZR26 5GT2_PERFR	49110	125.23	8	4	4	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 5-O- glucosyltransferase 2 [Perilla frutescens] (Beefsteak mint) (Perilla ocymoides)

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32	gi 75288825 sp Q65CJ7 HPPR_PLESU	34128	72.51	6	2	2	Hydroxyphenylpyruvate reductase [Plectranthus scutellarioides] (Coleus) (Solenostemon scutellarioides)
33	gi 748013964 gb AJE28434.1	225117	274.52	14	32	24	Protein TIC 214 [Premna microphylla]
34	gi 827346602 gb AKJ77788.1	181164	149.72	7	9	6	Protein TIC 214 [Perilla frutescens]
35	gi 401879732 gb AFQ30919.1	158403	111.71	4	4	4	DNA-directed RNA polymerase subunit beta" [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
36	gi 836643373 ref YP_009144505.1	158291	86.06	4	4	4	DNA-directed RNA polymerase subunit beta" [Rosmarinus officinalis]
37	gi 827345132 gb AKJ76716.1	218366	180.02	6	6	6	Protein TIC 214 [Rosmarinus officinalis]
38	gi 510794432 gb AGN52182.1	27098	22.41	3	1	1	MYB-related transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
39	gi 510794526 gb AGN52229.1	28066	22.41	3	1	1	MYB-related transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
40	gi 510794500 gb AGN52216.1	35378	22.41	3	1	1	MYB-related transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
41	gi 510794478 gb AGN52205.1	38440	22.41	2	1	1	MYB-related transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
42	gi 844572791 gb AKN09590.1	34611	22.35	4	1	1	basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
43	gi 844572722 gb AKN09568.1	41656	105.33	8	4	4	basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
44	gi 908373664 gb AKT44364.1	81096	41.79	2	2	2	heat shock protein 2 [Tectona grandis]
45	gi 56749087 sp Q85XY6 MATK_OCIBA	60282	345.11	36	20	20	Maturase K [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
46	gi 75290511 sp Q6IV13 C7D95_MENSP	56322	408.04	32	17	11	Cytochrome P450 71D95 [Mentha spicata] (Spearmint)
47	gi 75293242 sp Q6WKY9 C7D95_MENGR	56365	239.93	23	11	10	Cytochrome P450 71D95 [Mentha gracilis] (Gingermint)
48	gi 75219538 sp O48935 TPSBF_MENPI	63830	330.11	36	21	20	Beta-farnesene synthase [Mentha piperita] (Peppermint) (Mentha aquatica x Mentha spicata)
49	gi 75293243 sp Q6WKZ0 C7D94_MENGR	56308	524.59	75	53	50	Cytochrome P450 71D94 [Mentha gracilis] (Gingermint)
50	gi 62900763 sp O81191 SCS_SALOF	69369	124.9	12	7	7	1,8-cineole synthase, chloroplastic [Salvia officinalis] (Sage)
51	gi 75251479 sp Q5SBP2 FES_OCIBA	69866	37.38	2	1	1	(-)-endo-fenchol synthase, chloroplastic [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)

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52	gi 75224312 sp Q6USK1 GERS_OCIBA	64933	117.7	4	2	2	Geraniol synthase, chloroplastic [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
53	gi 3914545 sp Q31655 RBL_AJUCH	52455	118.97	10	5	5	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain [Ajuga chamaepitys] (Yellow bugle) (Teucrium chamaepitys)
54	gi 548687 sp P36483 RBL_CALDI	49209	29.59	2	1	1	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain [Callicarpa dichotoma] (Purple beautyberry) (Porphyra dichotoma)
55	gi 132044 sp P28453 RBL_SCUBO	51794	175.85	22	10	10	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain [Scutellaria bolanderi] (Sierra skullcap)
56	gi 122219292 sp Q49SP4 TPGD1_POGCB	64197	183.33	10	7	4	Germacrene D synthase 1 [Pogostemon cablin] (Patchouli) (Mentha cablin)
57	gi 510785777 sp G0LD36 RAS_MELOI	47161	205.33	18	8	8	Rosmarinate synthase [Melissa officinalis] (Lemon balm)
58	gi 17366672 sp Q9ARF9 HPPD_PLESU	47736	48.63	4	2	2	4-hydroxyphenylpyruvate dioxygenase [Plectranthus scutellarioides] (Coleus) (Solenostemon scutellarioides)
59	gi 753709941 gb AJI44435.1	41648	38.44	2	1	1	Oxoglutarate-dependent flavone 7-O-demethylase [Ocimum basilicum]
60	gi 745791067 gb AJD25242.1	53008	48.25	6	2	2	cytochrome P450 CYP707A102 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
61	gi 745790971 gb AJD25194.1	55908	22.03	2	1	1	cytochrome P450 CYP81B62 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
62	gi 410176144 gb AFV61803.1	26773	110.53	20	4	4	30S ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
63	gi 916442902 gb AKZ23975.1	26773	132.1	25	5	5	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
64	gi 916442908 gb AKZ23977.1	26686	132.1	25	5	5	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
65	gi 827346574 gb AKJ77760.1	26722	132.1	25	5	5	30S ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
66	gi 827345166 gb AKJ76750.1	26770	43.14	10	2	2	30S ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
67	gi 401879731 gb AFQ30918.1	26744	43.14	10	2	2	30S ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
68	gi 916442905 gb AKZ23976.1	26758	132.1	25	5	5	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
69	gi 442775714 gb AGC73980.1	19816	20.22	6	1	1	jasmonate ZIM-domain protein 1 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
70	gi 745791091 gb AJD25254.1	55430	48.55	2	2	2	cytochrome P450 CYP728D17 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]

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71	gi 735679295 gb AJA39985.1	82378	100.26	5	4	4	(E)-4-hydroxy-3-methylbut-2-enyl diphosphate synthase [Salvia miltiorrhiza f. alba]
72	gi 122249145 sp Q49SP3 TPSPS_POGCB	64199	456.1	51	31	29	Patchoulol synthase [Pogostemon cablin] (Patchouli) (Mentha cablin)
73	gi 116256299 sp Q9XES0 DXR_MENPI	51034	129.28	15	9	9	1-deoxy-D-xylulose 5-phosphate reductoisomerase, chloroplastic [Mentha piperita] (Peppermint) (Mentha aquatica x Mentha spicata)
74	gi 75192856 sp Q9MBC1 3AT_PERFR	50675	179.09	15	7	7	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 6"-O-acyltransferase [Perilla frutescens] (Beefsteak mint) (Perilla ocymoides)
75	gi 75129654 sp Q6VMW0 Q8OMT_MENPI	40849	43.32	6	2	2	8-hydroxyquercetin 8-O-methyltransferase [Mentha piperita] (Peppermint) (Mentha aquatica x Mentha spicata)
76	gi 916438881 gb AKZ22145.1	84354	99.12	3	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
77	gi 410176201 gb AFV61860.1	84295	99.12	3	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
78	gi 669254287 gb AII20583.1	77022	93.96	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Holocheila longipedunculata]
79	gi 669254291 gb AII20585.1	79070	93.96	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Petraeovitex multiflora]
80	gi 669254283 gb AII20581.1	77991	93.96	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Holocheila longipedunculata]
81	gi 395484522 gb AFN66518.1	76105	93.96	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium subspinosum]
82	gi 669254293 gb AII20586.1	79081	125.9	7	4	4	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Hymenopyramis cana]
83	gi 401879790 gb AFQ30977.1	83587	247.04	12	10	8	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
84	gi 395484502 gb AFN66509.1	75956	93.96	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium divaricatum]
85	gi 395484481 gb AFN66500.1	76061	93.96	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium flavum subsp. glaucum]
86	gi 395484475 gb AFN66497.1	78510	93.96	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Rubiteucris palmata]
87	gi 836643377 ref YP_009144562.1	84218	187.92	6	6	6	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
88	gi 916438885 gb AKZ22147.1	84443	93.96	3	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]

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89	gi 395484513 gb AFN66514.1	76814	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium pyrenaicum]
90	gi 827346594 gb AKJ77780.1	84248	93.96	3	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
91	gi 827345833 gb AKJ77134.1	85675	156.12	6	6	6	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
92	gi 395484511 gb AFN66513.1	76860	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium oxylepis]
93	gi 752789835 ref YP_009117269.1	85385	187.92	6	6	6	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
94	gi 395484489 gb AFN66504.1	76910	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium betonicum]
95	gi 916438887 gb AKZ22148.1	83254	86.22	3	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
96	gi 395484495 gb AFN66506.1	76993	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium eriocephalum subsp. almeriense]
97	gi 395484500 gb AFN66508.1	77065	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium stocksianum subsp. incanum]
98	gi 395484526 gb AFN66520.1	76596	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium bicolor]
99	gi 395484515 gb AFN66515.1	76501	121.16	8	4	4	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium racemosum]
100	gi 395484473 gb AFN66496.1	78531	127.61	9	5	4	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucridium parvifolium]
101	gi 395484524 gb AFN66519.1	75723	51.28	4	2	2	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium kotschyanum]
102	gi 395484477 gb AFN66498.1	76293	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Spartothamnella puberula]
103	gi 395484517 gb AFN66516.1	76688	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium salviastrum]
104	gi 395484520 gb AFN66517.1	76892	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium spinosum]
105	gi 395484483 gb AFN66501.1	77431	128.1	9	5	4	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium albicaule]
106	gi 395484504 gb AFN66510.1	77454	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium laciniatum]
107	gi 395484530 gb AFN66522.1	76725	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium viscidum var. miquelianum]

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108	gi 395484528 gb AFN66521.1	76705	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium japonicum]
109	gi 395484537 gb AFN66525.1	78210	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium decipiens]
110	gi 395484533 gb AFN66523.1	75763	78.06	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium montbretii subsp. heliotropiifolium]
111	gi 395484507 gb AFN66511.1	77434	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium nudicaule]
112	gi 395484479 gb AFN66499.1	34714	78.06	12	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Oncinocalyx betchei]
113	gi 395484535 gb AFN66524.1	76413	78.06	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium antitauricum]
114	gi 395484493 gb AFN66505.1	77203	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium pseudochamaepitys]
115	gi 395484487 gb AFN66503.1	77172	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium aroanium]
116	gi 395484509 gb AFN66512.1	77251	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium orientale subsp. gloeotrichum]
117	gi 395484485 gb AFN66502.1	77595	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium aristatum]
118	gi 395484497 gb AFN66507.1	77873	86.22	6	3	3	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium fruticans]
119	gi 827345131 gb AKJ76715.1	266537	154.6	0	4	4	Protein Ycf2 [Rosmarinus officinalis]
120	gi 573462016 emb CCQ71685.1	267080	154.6	0	4	4	Protein Ycf2 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
121	gi 748013968 gb AJE28438.1	268103	154.6	0	4	4	Protein Ycf2 [Premna microphylla]
122	gi 910312663 ref YP_009162324.1	268069	154.6	0	4	4	Protein Ycf2 [Scutellaria baicalensis]
123	gi 827346597 gb AKJ77783.1	266476	77.3	0	2	2	Protein Ycf2 [Perilla frutescens]
124	gi 749489569 emb CEO43479.1	50534	28.93	2	1	1	unnamed protein product [Lavandula angustifolia] - patented sequence
125	gi 787592954 gb AKA27904.1	30582	23.75	4	1	1	WRKY protein [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
126	gi 659902912 gb AID69536.1	58940	22.81	2	1	1	phenylalanine ammonia-lyase, partial [Phlomoides rotata]
127	gi 735665579 gb AJA38250.1	90993	40.08	4	2	2	copalyl diphosphate synthase, partial [Salvia fruticosa]
128	gi 62900766 sp O81193 SSS_SALOF	68942	92.38	9	5	4	(+)-sabinene synthase, chloroplastic [Salvia officinalis] (Sage)

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129	gi 510785778 sp A0PDV5 RAS_PLESU	47902	81.71	8	5	5	Rosmarinate synthase [Plectranthus scutellarioides] (Coleus) (Solenostemon scutellarioides)
130	gi 122219294 sp Q49SP6 TPGD2_POGCB	64149	543.51	53	36	31	Germacrene D synthase 2 [Pogostemon cablin] (Patchouli) (Mentha cablin)
131	gi 75315261 sp Q9XHE8 C71DI_MENSP	56149	74.62	8	4	2	Cytochrome P450 71D18 [Mentha piperita] (Peppermint) (Mentha aquatica x Mentha spicata)
132	gi 75315259 sp Q9XHE6 C71DF_MENPI	56532	94.94	6	3	3	Cytochrome P450 71D15 [Mentha piperita] (Peppermint) (Mentha aquatica x Mentha spicata)
133	gi 704000326 sp S4UX02 CYPH1_SALMI	55520	114.72	5	3	3	Ferruginol synthase [Salvia miltiorrhiza] (Chinese sage)
134	gi 122200954 sp Q2KNL5 CADH1_OCIBA	38769	23.05	4	1	1	Cinnamyl alcohol dehydrogenase 1 [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
135	gi 401879801 gb AFQ30988.1	218699	154.47	4	6	5	Photosystem I assembly protein Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
136	gi 573462011 emb CCQ71680.1	218685	152.08	4	6	5	Photosystem I assembly protein Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
137	gi 836643389 ref YP_009144556.1	29997	113.08	12	4	4	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
138	gi 401879808 gb AFQ30995.1	29997	56.54	6	2	2	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
139	gi 916441525 gb AKZ23467.1	29921	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
140	gi 410176218 gb AFV61877.1	29997	56.54	6	2	2	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
141	gi 916441521 gb AKZ23465.1	29997	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
142	gi 916441523 gb AKZ23466.1	29997	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
143	gi 752789852 ref YP_009117286.1	30084	56.54	6	2	2	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
144	gi 827346587 gb AKJ77773.1	31403	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
145	gi 827346537 gb AKJ77723.1	31391	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
146	gi 910312642 ref YP_009162303.1	30114	113.08	12	4	4	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
147	gi 916441533 gb AKZ23471.1	30010	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
148	gi 916441821 gb AKZ23615.1	17837	25.53	7	1	1	ribosomal protein L22 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]

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149	gi 913341377 gb AKU77131.1	121334	23.61	1	1	1	Structural maintenance of chromosomes protein 1, partial [Callicarpa bodinieri]
150	gi 762060299 gb AJQ20621.1	41314	21.58	2	1	1	Enoyl-ACP Reductase [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
151	gi 661525312 gb AIE15763.1	216665	106.44	4	4	4	Dicer-like protein 1 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
152	gi 5915815 sp Q42716 C71A8_MENPI	57213	188.9	28	15	15	Cytochrome P450 71A8 [Mentha piperita] (Peppermint) (Mentha aquatica x Mentha spicata)
153	gi 661525316 gb AIE15765.1	184302	229.83	7	7	7	Dicer-like protein 3 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
154	gi 827345132 gb AKJ76716.1	218366	62.38	2	2	2	Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
155	gi 787592932 gb AKA27893.1	37310	25.11	4	1	1	WRKY protein [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
156	gi 662170387 gb AIE45494.1	44939	24.14	3	1	1	CONSTANS-like protein 9 [Tectona grandis]
157	gi 745790929 gb AJD25173.1	57680	43.97	2	2	2	Cytochrome P450 CYP73A120 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
158	gi 630057998 gb AHY94893.1	57803	22.85	1	1	1	Cinnamate-4-hydroxylase [Prunella vulgaris]
159	gi 725812545 gb AIY32618.1	57979	43.97	2	2	2	Cinnamate-4-hydroxylase [Perilla frutescens]
160	gi 745791023 gb AJD25220.1	56140	22.76	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 CYP94B50 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
161	gi 762060309 gb AJQ20626.1	51963	21.88	4	1	1	Ketoacyl-ACP Synthase I [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
162	gi 844572842 gb AKN09607.1	76725	43.94	2	2	2	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
163	gi 762060281 gb AJQ20612.1	13344	20.65	12	1	1	Acyl Carrier Protein [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
164	gi 822603217 emb CQR79430.1	35399	20.39	3	1	1	Maturase K, partial (chloroplast) [Clerodendrum bracteatum]
165	gi 630058023 gb AHY94894.1	51993	41.41	4	2	2	4-coumarate:CoA ligase, partial [Prunella vulgaris]
166	gi 122219293 sp Q49SP5 TPGAS_POGCB	64232	302.47	24	15	15	Germacrene A synthase [Pogostemon cablin] (Patchouli) (Mentha cablin)
167	gi 75283876 sp Q5C9I9 ISPD_MENPI	27191	102.75	18	5	5	(-)-isopiperitenol/(-)-carveol dehydrogenase, mitochondrial [Mentha piperita] (Peppermint) (Mentha aquatica x Mentha spicata)
168	gi 75252096 sp Q5W283 TPSCM_MENPI	63839	254.94	15	9	9	Cis-muuroladiene synthase [Mentha piperita] (Peppermint) (Mentha aquatica x Mentha spicata)
169	gi 748013964 gb AJE28434.1	225117	248.42	8	18	16	hypothetical chloroplast RF19 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
170	gi 916443350 gb AKZ24105.1	17446	55.83	10	2	2	ribosomal protein S7 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]

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171	gi 827345872 gb AKJ77173.1	17389	223.32	40	8	8	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
172	gi 827345177 gb AKJ76761.1	17379	223.32	40	8	8	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
173	gi 916443332 gb AKZ24099.1	17391	55.83	10	2	2	ribosomal protein S7 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
174	gi 573462013 emb CCQ71682.1	17361	133.84	20	4	4	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
175	gi 410176200 gb AFV61859.1	17361	111.66	20	4	4	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
176	gi 752789834 ref YP_009117268.1	17361	223.68	40	8	8	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
177	gi 827346599 gb AKJ77785.1	17361	111.66	20	4	4	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
178	gi 916443335 gb AKZ24100.1	17379	55.83	10	2	2	ribosomal protein S7 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
179	gi 916443338 gb AKZ24101.1	17361	55.83	10	2	2	ribosomal protein S7 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
180	gi 910312663 ref YP_009162324.1	268069	381.43	3	11	11	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
181	gi 748013968 gb AJE28438.1	268103	329.96	4	8	8	Hypothetical chloroplast RF21 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
182	gi 827346597 gb AKJ77783.1	266476	159.62	2	4	4	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
183	gi 836643370 ref YP_009144558.1	266537	306.8	4	8	8	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
184	gi 573462016 emb CCQ71685.1	267080	159.62	2	4	4	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
185	gi 401879785 gb AFQ30972.1	267080	72.34	0	2	2	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
186	gi 410176216 gb AFV61875.1	264781	153.4	2	4	4	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
187	gi 585636485 gb AHJ59322.1	90900	24.77	1	1	1	Copalyl diphosphate synthase [Salvia miltiorrhiza f. alba]
188	gi 751414476 gb AJF93403.1	58880	24.19	2	1	1	Ent-kaurene oxidase [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
189	gi 745791049 gb AJD25233.1	58838	24.19	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 CYP701A40 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
190	gi 787592958 gb AKA27906.1	38850	20.03	3	1	1	WRKY protein [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
191	gi 75251480 sp Q5SBP3 LLOS_OCIBA	65822	178.43	14	8	8	R-linalool synthase (chloroplastic) [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)

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192	gi 6919914 sp P56848 ISPE_MENPI	44603	63.19	5	2	2	4-diphosphocytidyl-2-C-methyl-D-erythritol kinase (chloroplastic) [Mentha piperita] (Peppermint) (Mentha aquatica x Mentha spicata)
193	gi 916439925 gb AKZ22667.1	82427	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
194	gi 410176154 gb AFV61813.1	82441	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
195	gi 916439921 gb AKZ22665.1	82459	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
196	gi 827345836 gb AKJ77137.1	82407	42.9	2	2	2	photosystem I P700 apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
197	gi 836643380 ref YP_009144514.1	82458	42.9	2	2	2	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
198	gi 916439923 gb AKZ22666.1	82440	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
199	gi 752789785 ref YP_009117220.1	82392	42.9	2	2	2	photosystem I P700 apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
200	gi 573461950 emb CCQ71619.1	82459	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
201	gi 916439933 gb AKZ22671.1	82411	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
202	gi 401879741 gb AFQ30928.1	82459	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
203	gi 827346564 gb AKJ77750.1	82379	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
204	gi 75244696 sp Q8H2B4 LLOS_MENAQ	70535	274.95	25	20	18	R-linalool synthase (chloroplastic) [Mentha aquatica] (Water mint)
205	gi 762060711 gb AJQ20633.1	73689	38.32	2	1	1	Long-Chain Acyl-CoA Synthetase [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
206	gi 913341331 gb AKU77108.1	104619	30.23	1	1	1	Structural maintenance of chromosomes protein 2, partial [Callicarpa bodinieri]
207	gi 827346602 gb AKJ77788.1	181164	29.32	1	1	1	Ycf1, partial (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
208	gi 691200620 gb AIR77798.1	26940	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Perovskia atriplicifolia]
209	gi 691200582 gb AIR77779.1	29756	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Tectona grandis]
210	gi 691200714 gb AIR77845.1	29953	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Gmelina arborea]
211	gi 691200580 gb AIR77778.1	30438	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Congea tomentosa]

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212	gi 691200590 gb AIR77783.1	26615	32.97	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Origanum vulgare]
213	gi 691200584 gb AIR77780.1	30608	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Callicarpa cathayana]
214	gi 691200708 gb AIR77842.1	29615	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Congea tomentosa]
215	gi 691200712 gb AIR77844.1	29757	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Holmskioldia sanguinea]
216	gi 691200594 gb AIR77785.1	25444	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Mentha longifolia]
217	gi 691200596 gb AIR77786.1	25755	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Mentha longifolia]
218	gi 691200624 gb AIR77800.1	29841	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Mentha longifolia]
219	gi 691200622 gb AIR77799.1	29930	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Premna fulva]
220	gi 691200630 gb AIR77803.1	26302	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Ocimum basilicum]
221	gi 510794468 gb AGN52200.1	23112	24.18	3	1	1	MYB-related transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
222	gi 662858700 gb AIE77092.1	90197	20.42	1	1	1	(+)-copalyl diphosphate synthase [Marrubium vulgare]
223	gi 837370038 gb AKM94187.1	20521	20.13	6	1	1	Maturase K, partial (chloroplast) [Leonotis nepetifolia]
224	gi 837370329 gb AKM94283.1	28841	20.13	4	1	1	Maturase K, partial (chloroplast) [Leonotis nepetifolia]
225	gi 837372516 gb AKM95003.1	28942	20.13	4	1	1	Maturase K, partial (chloroplast) [Leonotis nepetifolia]
226	gi 837371203 gb AKM94570.1	20329	20.13	6	1	1	Maturase K, partial (chloroplast) [Leonotis nepetifolia]
227	gi 75251478 sp Q5SBP1 MYRS_OCIBA	69964	210.84	21	15	10	Beta-myrcene synthase (chloroplastic) [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
228	gi 3914571 sp Q33600 RBL_LAVLA	52404	86.13	8	4	4	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain [Salvia divinorum] (Maria pastora) (Diviner's sage)
229	gi 1352807 sp P36485 RBL_SALDI	52005	80.31	8	4	4	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain [Salvia divinorum] (Maria pastora) (Diviner's sage)
230	gi 122200955 sp Q2KNL6 GEDH1_OCIBA	39044	41.75	4	1	1	Geraniol dehydrogenase 1 [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
231	gi 122210942 sp Q2XSC4 LABER_LAVAN	62405	29.22	2	1	1	Exo-alpha-bergamotene synthase [Lavandula angustifolia] (Lavender)

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232	gi 84029472 sp Q93WU3 CVMT1_OCIBA	39916	40.43	6	2	2	Chavicol O-methyltransferase [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
233	gi 752789776 ref YP_009117211.1	158193	96.12	2	2	2	RNA polymerase beta' subunit (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
234	gi 827346527 gb AKJ77713.1	158467	83.3	3	3	3	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
235	gi 916442767 gb AKZ23937.1	155842	83.3	3	3	3	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
236	gi 844572778 gb AKN09586.1	68167	22.47	1	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
237	gi 844572715 gb AKN09566.1	67854	22.47	1	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
238	gi 748013960 gb AJE28430.1	19533	85.42	24	4	4	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit I (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
239	gi 766946303 gb AJT36912.1	32806	20.06	3	1	1	Ycf1, partial (chloroplast) [Vitex negundo var. negundo]
240	gi 751663101 gb AJF98632.1	51505	48.13	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Nepeta cataria]
241	gi 916441445 gb AKZ23427.1	52869	48.13	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Nepeta cataria]
242	gi 751663177 gb AJF98669.1	51810	48.13	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Stachys byzantina]
243	gi 751663109 gb AJF98636.1	51713	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Mentha x piperita]
244	gi 817992263 gb AKG25296.1	52111	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Prunella vulgaris]
245	gi 817992309 gb AKG25319.1	51956	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Salvia pratensis]
246	gi 817991831 gb AKG25080.1	51983	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Clinopodium vulgare]
247	gi 751663103 gb AJF98633.1	51988	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Mentha spicata]
248	gi 751663105 gb AJF98634.1	52345	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Mentha suaveolens]

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249	gi 827345151 gb AKJ76735.1	52873	91	8	4	4	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
250	gi 916441443 gb AKZ23426.1	52850	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
251	gi 410176163 gb AFV61822.1	52889	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
252	gi 916441441 gb AKZ23425.1	52888	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
253	gi 817991973 gb AKG25151.1	52020	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Galeopsis bifida]
254	gi 751663168 gb AJF98665.1	51966	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Ocimum tenuiflorum]
255	gi 817992375 gb AKG25352.1	52022	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Stachys sylvatica]
256	gi 817992237 gb AKG25283.1	52058	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Phlomis fruticosa]
257	gi 751663097 gb AJF98630.1	52095	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Ocimum basilicum]
258	gi 817992335 gb AKG25332.1	51941	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Scutellaria galericulata]
259	gi 817992071 gb AKG25200.1	51959	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Lavandula x intermedia]
260	gi 817992059 gb AKG25194.1	51961	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Lamium galeobdolon]
261	gi 751663113 gb AJF98638.1	52702	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Ajuga bracteosa]
262	gi 401879750 gb AFQ30937.1	52887	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
263	gi 916441453 gb AKZ23431.1	53169	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]

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264	gi 910312608 ref YP_009162269.1	53663	91	8	4	4	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
265	gi 827346558 gb AKJ77744.1	53955	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
266	gi 573461959 emb CCQ71628.1	53698	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
267	gi 599079565 dbj BAO57028.1	49007	44.57	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Sideritis cretica subsp. spicata]
268	gi 817992077 gb AKG25203.1	49757	44.57	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Leonurus cardiaca]
269	gi 817992301 gb AKG25315.1	49431	41.41	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
270	gi 602690611 gb AHN96261.1	27410	165.64	28	8	8	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
271	gi 602690623 gb AHN96267.1	27409	124.23	21	6	6	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
272	gi 602690627 gb AHN96269.1	27428	82.82	14	4	4	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
273	gi 602690615 gb AHN96263.1	27394	124.23	21	6	6	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
274	gi 751663115 gb AJF98639.1	27926	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
275	gi 602690633 gb AHN96272.1	27525	124.23	21	6	6	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
276	gi 752789794 ref YP_009117229.1	53224	82.82	8	4	4	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
277	gi 599079563 dbj BAO57027.1	48957	41.41	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Teucrium heterophyllum]
278	gi 910312590 ref YP_009162251.1	158800	176.64	4	6	6	RNA polymerase beta subunit-2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]

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279	gi 521953395 gb AGQ04156.1	82464	28.81	2	1	1	4-hydroxy-3-methylbut-2-enyl diphosphate synthase [Lavandula angustifolia]
280	gi 796406070 gb AKA59790.1	28575	24.94	4	1	1	MYB19 [Scutellaria playfairii]
281	gi 670606706 gb AII31147.1	9275	20.48	11	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria hyssopifolia var. hyssopifolia]
282	gi 670606710 gb AII31149.1	9520	20.48	10	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria hyssopifolia var. kuegleri]
283	gi 670606712 gb AII31150.1	10786	20.48	9	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria teneriffae var. cordifolia]
284	gi 670606714 gb AII31151.1	11074	20.48	9	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria teneriffae var. cordifolia]
285	gi 670606704 gb AII31146.1	10951	20.48	9	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria lepida subsp. lepida]
286	gi 670606708 gb AII31148.1	11164	20.48	9	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria hyssopifolia var. kuegleri]
287	gi 670606716 gb AII31152.1	11349	20.48	9	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria hyssopifolia var. glabrescens]
288	gi 670606702 gb AII31145.1	11506	20.48	9	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria hyssopifolia var. glabrescens]
289	gi 401879785 gb AFQ30972.1	267080	87.28	2	2	2	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
290	gi 510794472 gb AGN52202.1	40938	24.14	2	1	1	MYB-related transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
291	gi 573462009 emb CCQ71678.1	45534	46.36	8	2	2	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
292	gi 836643397 ref YP_009144571.1	45642	46.36	8	2	2	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
293	gi 410176210 gb AFV61869.1	45519	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
294	gi 916439041 gb AKZ22225.1	45538	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
295	gi 916439045 gb AKZ22227.1	45533	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
296	gi 916439043 gb AKZ22226.1	45734	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
297	gi 916439047 gb AKZ22228.1	45476	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
298	gi 827346580 gb AKJ77766.1	45539	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]

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299	gi 827345853 gb AKJ77154.1	45491	46.36	8	2	2	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
300	gi 752789844 ref YP_009117278.1	45401	46.36	8	2	2	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
301	gi 916438099 gb AKZ21755.1	37677	21.34	2	1	1	cytochrome c biogenesis protein (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
302	gi 836643373 ref YP_009144505.1	158291	68.68	2	2	2	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
303	gi 410176145 gb AFV61804.1	158559	21.28	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
304	gi 916442746 gb AKZ23930.1	158642	21.28	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
305	gi 75244696 sp Q8H2B4.1 LLOS_MENAQ	267080	137.47	5	14	14	R-linalool synthase (chloroplastic) [Mentha aquatica] (Water mint)
306	gi 122210942 sp Q2XSC4 LABER_LAVAN	84218	34.94	1	1	1	Exo-alpha-bergamotene synthase [Lavandula angustifolia] (Lavender)
307	gi 122200954 sp Q2KNL5 CADH1_OCIBA	84443	34.94	1	1	1	Cinnamyl alcohol dehydrogenase 1 [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
308	gi 401879785 gb AFQ30972.1	267080	274.94	10	28	28	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
309	gi 844572794 gb AKN09591.1	22976	53.82	8	2	2	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
310	gi 916441767 gb AKZ23588.1	15470	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
311	gi 827345878 gb AKJ77179.1	15363	48.04	12	2	2	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
312	gi 916441755 gb AKZ23582.1	15554	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
313	gi 916441757 gb AKZ23583.1	15566	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
314	gi 410176177 gb AFV61836.1	15446	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
315	gi 916441753 gb AKZ23581.1	15522	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomalprotein L20 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
316	gi 827345181 gb AKJ76765.1	15446	48.04	12	2	2	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
317	gi 827346543 gb AKJ77729.1	15537	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
318	gi 748013927 gb AJE28397.1	15724	48.04	12	2	2	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]

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319	gi 573461974 emb CCQ71643.1	15541	48.04	12	2	2	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
320	gi 745791013 gb AJD25215.1	56512	21.31	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 CYP92B28 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
321	gi 14423898 sp Q9M573 RL31_PERFR	13894	64.2	7	1	1	60S ribosomal protein L31 [Perilla frutescens] (Beefsteak mint)
322	gi 410176212 gb AFV61871.1	217739	129.41	11	24	23	Protein Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
323	gi 661525318 gb AIE15766.1	183633	46.23	0	1	1	Dicer-like protein 4a [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
324	gi 410176197 gb AFV61856.1	264781	80.62	2	4	4	Protein Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
325	gi 844572640 gb AKN09541.1	34841	39.74	3	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
326	gi 602690681 gb AHN96278.1	37139	264.67	21	7	7	Maturase K, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
327	gi 602690683 gb AHN96279.1	37138	75.62	6	2	2	Maturase K, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
328	gi 602690687 gb AHN96281.1	37105	113.43	9	3	3	Maturase K, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
329	gi 745790967 gb AJD25192.1	58706	32.46	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 CYP79D40 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
330	gi 844572703 gb AKN09562.1	36568	32.19	2	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
331	gi 910312590 ref YP_009162251.1	158800	54.02	2	2	2	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
332	gi 745791003 gb AJD25210.1	57675	23.31	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 CYP89A115 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
333	gi 521953403 gb AGQ04160.1	40132	21.67	3	1	1	Farnesyl diphosphate synthase [Lavandula angustifolia]
334	gi 762060297 gb AJQ20620.1	48394	21.05	2	1	1	Dihydrolipoamide Acetyltransferase [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
335	gi 548918017 gb AGX15389.1	56042	20.86	2	1	1	Flavonoid 3' monooxygenase [Plectranthus barbatus]
336	gi 661525320 gb AIE15767.1	174990	20.37	1	1	1	Dicer-like protein 4b [Salvia miltiorrhiza]

Additionally, the InterPro Classification of Protein Families and UniProtKB databases were used to characterize the respective protein class (Fig.3), cellular component (Fig.4) and molecular function (Fig.5).

The protein compositions of OSLP were categorized into 49 protein families (Fig.3). The two major protein families (13%) were ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain (RuBisCo large chain) and nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide (NADH)-plastoquinone oxidoreductase, chain 5. A number of the protein compositions was annotated as "none predicted" in the databases at the time this study was commenced. They represent the second large family (10%). 9% of the protein compositions belongs to the terpene synthase family and 8% of them was found in the family of cytochrome P450. The remaining protein families was displayed in Fig.3.

The protein compositions of OSLP were found at 21 different cellular components encompassing cytoplasm within which various organelles and particles are localised; intracellular organelles such as cytosol, chloroplast, plastid, ribosome, chromosome and mitochondrion, to name a few. The identified protein compositions were also found at the nucleus (Fig.4).

The protein compositions of OSLP were also analyzed using functional annotation; majority of them were involved in the biosynthesis of metabolites, both primary and secondary. For instance, DNA (Deoxyribonucleic Acid) and RNA (Ribonucleic Acid) bindings are essential for controlling protein synthesis and functions whereas, a wide spectrum of enzymatic activities regulate the production of different small molecules. The three major enzymes were found to be lyases (14%), oxidoreductases (28%) and monooxygenases (10%). The others were found to be involved in ATP (Adenosine-5'-triphosphate) bindings; kinases which regulate the phosphorylation of proteins (Avendaño & Menéndez, 2008) and transport proteins that involved in both active and passive cellular transports of many substrates (e.g. ions; glucose; proteins and messenger molecules) (Fig.5). In a plant cell, these protein compositions regulate diverse biological processes encompassing protein homeostasis, trafficking, signalling, metabolic processes, energy metabolism, defence responses and gene transcriptions.

On a separate note, the protein compositions of OSLP may hold important therapeutic potential. Seeing that the pharmaceutical demand for plant-derived proteins as a

favourable therapeutic alternative is on the rise (Solá & Griebenow, 2010; Yao et al., 2015), the protein compositions of OSLP is especially worthy of future investigation. For instance, heat shock protein 2 (HSP2) of the heat shock protein (Hsp90) family. HSP 2 may be potentially protective for neurons in a similar way like the other HSPs such as HSP27, 60, 70 and 90, which have been reported for inhibiting neuronal excitability (Akbar et al., 2003; Bidmon et al., 2004; Gammazza et al., 2015; Hu et al., 2019; Kamel, Mounir, Okaily, Abdelzaher, & Hassan, 2018; Kandratavicius, Hallak, Carlotti Jr, Assirati Jr, & Leite, 2014). Baicalein 7-O-glucuronosyltransferase (Cytochrome P450 family) and baicalin-beta-Dglucuronidase (Glycosyl hydrolase 79 family) are responsible the biosynthesis of baicalein and baicalin respectively. R-linalool synthase and Beta-mycrene synthase, belonging to the terpene synthase family, are proteins involved in the biosynthesis of linalool and myrcene respectively. These small molecules have been reported for their anticonvulsant effects (Hill et al., 2013; Karniol, Shirakawa, Takahashi, Knobel, & Musty, 1975; Z. Zhang, Lian, Li, & Stringer, 2009) and anti-tumour activities (Nagashima, Hirotani, & Yoshikawa, 2000). Rosmarinate synthase (Transferase family) catalyzes the production of rosmarinic acid (Weitzel & Petersen, 2011). Rosmarinic acid and its analogs have been demonstrated to inhibit neuroexcitation (Choo et al., 2018; Coelho et al., 2015) and to inhibit macrophagemediated lung inflammatory diseases, such as chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) (Thammason, Khetkam, Pabuprapap, Suksamrarn, & Kunthalert, 2018).

In this study, OTM has successfully extracted OSLP from the different cellular components with different molecular functions. This suggests that OTM is an optimal protein extraction method and hence, could be adopted as a routine procedure at laboratory scale. Mass spectrometry-based proteomics has successfully identified the protein compositions of OSLP extracted by OTM. Functional annotation analysis has characterized the protein compositions of OSLP in terms of protein families, cellular components and molecular functions. Some of the small molecules synthesized have demonstrated protective effects as aforementioned. OSLP alone has never been extracted for investigation before. There is no prior published scientific evidence on OSLP. A prior literature search only yielded one study wherein Saidan and colleagues (Saidan et al., 2015) examined a mixture of primary metabolites (not proteins alone) extracted from OS leaves for their antioxidative and anti-proliferative activities. As such, this study represents the first of its kind.

# 4 Concluding remarks

OTM has successfully extracted OSLP from OS leaves. OTM could be considered as a routine procedure useful in plant protein extraction achievable at laboratory scale. The protein compositions of OSLP merit for future investigation for their therapeutic potential.

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**Fig.5** Bar graph represents the molecular function (expressed in percentage, %) of the protein compositions identified in OSLP. A total of 23 molecular functions were annotated.

## SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

**Table SD-1.** List of the total identified protein compositions of OSLP (both in-solution and in-gel digestions) using shotgun-ESI-LC-MS/MS approach. The annotations were retrieved from the databases of UniProtKB (http://www.uniprot.org/uniprot/) and NCBInr (https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/).

No.	Accession Number	Average Mass	Max- 10logP	Max Coverage (%)	Max# Peptides	Max# Unique	Description
1	gi 403399409 sp E2E2P0.1 GTPS_ORIVU	69063	95.94	7	6	6	Gamma-terpinene synthase, chloroplastic; Short=Ovtps2; AltName: Full=Alpha-terpinene synthase; Flags: Precursor
2	gi 75306222 sp Q947B7.1 MFS_MENPI	55360	85.61	4	2	2	(+)-menthofuran synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-pulegone 9-hydroxylase
3	gi 75251483 sp Q5SBP6.1 GDS_OCIBA	63395	77.82	2	1	1	Germacrene-D synthase; AltName: Full=(-)-germacrene D synthase
4	gi 29839421 sp Q9XGW0.1 COMT1_OCIBA	39529	73.20	2	1	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1; Short=CAOMT-1; Short=COMT-1; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1
5	gi 29839420 sp Q9XGV9.1 COMT2_OCIBA	39613	71.77	2	1	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2; Short=CAOMT-2; Short=COMT-2; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2
6	gi 75315260 sp Q9XHE7.1 C71DD_MENPI	56601	72.69	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71D13; AltName: Full=(-)-(4S)- Limonene-3-hydroxylase; AltName: Full=Cytochrome P450 isoform PM17
7	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	68.99	6	3	3	(+)-pulegone reductase
8	gi 75251484 sp Q5SBP7.1 SELS_OCIBA	63125	68.51	3	2	2	Selinene synthase
9	gi 75251481 sp Q5SBP4.1 AZIS_OCIBA	62858	67.78	4	2	2	Alpha-zingiberene synthase
10	gi 5915814 sp O04164.1 C71A6_NEPRA	57955	66.16	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71A6
11	gi 62899675 sp O81192.1 BPPS_SALOF	69292	49.27	2	1	1	(+)-bornyl diphosphate synthase, chloroplastic; Short=BPPS; AltName: Full=(+)-alpha-pinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-camphene synthase; AltName: Full=SBS; Flags: Precursor

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12	gi 122210943 sp Q2XSC5.1 LALIN_LAVAN	65654	47.80	2	1	1	R-linalool synthase; Short=LaLINS
13	gi 75180331 sp Q9LRC8.1 BAGLU_SCUBA	58772	46.95	1	1	1	Baicalin-beta-D-glucuronidase; AltName: Full=Baicalinase; Flags: Precursor
14	gi 122233627 sp Q4JF75.1 RBR_SCUBA	111795	39.51	1	1	1	Retinoblastoma-related protein
15	gi 75251477 sp Q5SBP0.1 TPSD_OCIBA	70000	39.42	1	1	1	Terpinolene synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
16	gi 5921781 sp O04111.1 CHSY_PERFR	42686	36.23	3	1	1	Chalcone synthase; AltName: Full=Naringenin-chalcone synthase
17	gi 75251482 sp Q5SBP5.1 GCS1_OCIBA	63566	26.10	1	1	1	Gamma-cadinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-gamma- cadinene synthase
18	gi 910312590 ref YP_009162251.1	158800	37.85	1	1	1	DNA-directed RNA polymerase beta subunit-2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
19	gi 827345829 gb AKJ77130.1	158800	37.85	1	1	1	DNA-directed RNA polymerase beta subunit-2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
20	gi 916442749 gb AKZ23931.1	157974	34.34	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
21	gi 836643373 ref YP_009144505.1	158291	34.34	1	1	1	DNA-directed RNA polymerase beta'' subunit (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
22	gi 827345133 gb AKJ76717.1	158291	34.34	1	1	1	DNA-directed RNA polymerase beta'' subunit (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
23	gi 401879732 gb AFQ30919.1	158403	34.34	1	1	1	DNA-directed RNA polymerase beta subunit-2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
24	gi 573461941 emb CCQ71610.1	158403	34.34	1	1	1	DNA-directed RNA polymerase beta" subunit (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
25	gi 827345865 gb AKJ77166.1	25335	24.97	4	1	1	NAD(P)H-quinone oxidoreductase subunit K, chloroplastic [Scutellaria baicalensis]

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26	gi 910312604 ref YP_009162265.1	25335	24.97	4	1	1	NAD(P)H-quinone oxidoreductase subunit K, chloroplastic [Scutellaria baicalensis]
27	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	20.85	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
28	gi 5915814 sp O04164.1 C71A6_NEPRA	57955	20.22	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71A6
29	gi 122219295 sp Q49SP7.1 TPSCS_POGCB	63586	136.21	11	7	7	Gamma-curcumene synthase; AltName: Full=PatTpsA
30	gi 5915814 sp O04164.1 C71A6_NEPRA	57955	113.24	3	4	4	Cytochrome P450 71A6
31	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	91.51	3	2	2	(+)-pulegone reductase
32	gi 403399409 sp E2E2P0.1 GTPS_ORIVU	69063	86.99	2	1	1	Gamma-terpinene synthase, chloroplastic; Short=Ovtps2; AltName: Full=Alpha-terpinene synthase; Flags: Precursor
33	gi 8134569 sp Q42662.2 METE_PLESU	84590	83.05	1	1	1	5-methyltetrahydropteroyltriglutamatehomocysteine methyltransferase; AltName: Full=Cobalamin- independent methionine synthase isozyme; AltName: Full=Vitamin-B12-independent methionine synthase isozyme
34	gi 122237148 sp Q15GI4.1 EGS1_OCIBA	35607	65.94	3	1	1	Eugenol synthase 1 [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
35	gi 75227033 sp Q76MR7.1 UBGAT_SCUBA	48654	63.01	2	1	1	Baicalein 7-O-glucuronosyltransferase; AltName: Full=UDP-glucuronate:baicalein 7-O- glucuronosyltransferase
36	gi 75251483 sp Q5SBP6.1 GDS_OCIBA	63395	59.78	1	1	1	Germacrene-D synthase; AltName: Full=(-)-germacrene D synthase
37	gi 75161989 sp Q8W1W9.1 5MAT1_SALSN	50724	56.73	3	1	1	Malonyl-coenzyme:anthocyanin 5-O-glucoside-6'''-O- malonyltransferase; Short=Malonyl CoA:anthocyanin 5- O-glucoside-6'''-O-malonyltransferase; Short=Ss5MaT1
38	gi 84027871 sp Q93WU2.1 EOMT1_OCIBA	40237	48.94	2	1	1	Eugenol O-methyltransferase; AltName: Full=(Iso)eugenol O-methyltransferase EOMT1;

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							AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L-methionine:(Iso)eugenol O-methyltransferase EOMT1
39	gi 75251482 sp Q5SBP5.1 GCS1_OCIBA	63566	48.14	1	1	1	Gamma-cadinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-gamma- cadinene synthase
40	gi 403399735 sp E2E2N7.1 BCGS_ORIVU	64443	45.36	2	1	1	Bicyclogermacrene synthase; Short=Ovtps4
41	gi 75338882 sp Q9ZR27.1 5GT1_PERFR	50974	44.00	2	1	1	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 5-O-glucosyltransferase 1; AltName: Full=UDP-glucose:anthocyanin 5-O- glucosyltransferase 3R4; Short=p3R4; Flags: Precursor
42	gi 75338881 sp Q9ZR26.1 5GT2_PERFR	49110	37.36	2	1	1	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 5-O-glucosyltransferase 2; AltName: Full=UDP-glucose:anthocyanin 5-O- glucosyltransferase 3R6; Short=p3R6; Flags: Precursor
43	gi 75180331 sp Q9LRC8.1 BAGLU_SCUBA	58772	34.79	1	1	1	Baicalin-beta-D-glucuronidase; AltName: Full=Baicalinase; Flags: Precursor
44	gi 75288825 sp Q65CJ7.2 HPPR_PLESU	34128	29.75	3	1	1	Hydroxyphenylpyruvate reductase; Short=HPPR
45	gi 748013964 gb AJE28434.1	225117	108.02	6	15	11	Protein TIC 214 [Premna microphylla]
46	gi 752789846 ref YP_009117280.1	225117	108.02	6	15	11	Protein TIC 214 [Premna microphylla]
47	gi 827346602 gb AKJ77788.1	181164	97.80	5	7	4	Protein TIC 214 [Perilla frutescens]
48	gi 916442749 gb AKZ23931.1	157974	43.03	2	2	2	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
49	gi 401879732 gb AFQ30919.1	158403	43.03	2	2	2	DNA-directed RNA polymerase subunit beta" [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
50	gi 836643373 ref YP_009144505.1	158291	43.03	2	2	2	DNA-directed RNA polymerase subunit beta" [Rosmarinus officinalis]
51	gi 827345133 gb AKJ76717.1	158291	43.03	2	2	2	DNA-directed RNA polymerase subunit beta" [Rosmarinus officinalis]

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52	gi 827345132 gb AKJ76716.1	218366	30.45	1	1	1	Protein TIC 214 [Rosmarinus officinalis]
53	gi 836643372 ref YP_009144573.1	218366	30.45	1	1	1	Protein TIC 214 [Rosmarinus officinalis]
54	gi 5915814 sp O04164.1 C71A6_NEPRA	57955	29.66	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71A6
55	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	25.41	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
56	gi 510794432 gb AGN52182.1	27098	22.41	3	1	1	MYB-related transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
57	gi 510794526 gb AGN52229.1	28066	22.41	3	1	1	MYB-related transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
58	gi 510794500 gb AGN52216.1	35378	22.41	3	1	1	MYB-related transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
59	gi 510794478 gb AGN52205.1	38440	22.41	2	1	1	MYB-related transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
60	gi 844572791 gb AKN09590.1	34611	22.35	4	1	1	basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
61	gi 844572722 gb AKN09568.1	41656	20.96	2	1	1	basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
62	gi 908373664 gb AKT44364.1	81096	21.38	1	1	1	heat shock protein 2 [Tectona grandis]
63	gi 5921781 sp O04111.1 CHSY_PERFR	42686	131.05	46	35	35	Chalcone synthase; AltName: Full=Naringenin-chalcone synthase
64	gi 75306222 sp Q947B7.1 MFS_MENPI	55360	96.60	19	10	10	(+)-menthofuran synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-pulegone 9-hydroxylase
65	gi 56749087 sp Q85XY6.1 MATK_OCIBA	60282	91.89	20	12	12	Maturase K; AltName: Full=Intron maturase
66	gi 122219295 sp Q49SP7.1 TPSCS_POGCB	63586	91.44	13	6	6	Gamma-curcumene synthase; AltName: Full=PatTpsA
67	gi 75227033 sp Q76MR7.1 UBGAT_SCUBA	48654	82.13	15	8	8	Baicalein 7-O-glucuronosyltransferase; AltName: Full=UDP-glucuronate:baicalein 7-O- glucuronosyltransferase

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68	gi 75290511 sp Q6lV13.1 C7D95_MENSP	56322	73.91	15	7	7	Cytochrome P450 71D95; AltName: Full=(-)-(4S)- Limonene-3-hydroxylase
69	gi 75293242 sp Q6WKY9.1 C7D95_MENGR	56365	73.91	15	7	7	Cytochrome P450 71D95; AltName: Full=(-)-(4S)- Limonene-3-hydroxylase
70	gi 75251482 sp Q5SBP5.1 GCS1_OCIBA	63566	64.20	5	3	3	Gamma-cadinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-gamma- cadinene synthase
71	gi 62899675 sp O81192.1 BPPS_SALOF	69292	45.92	2	1	1	(+)-bornyl diphosphate synthase, chloroplastic; Short=BPPS; AltName: Full=(+)-alpha-pinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-camphene synthase; AltName: Full=SBS; Flags: Precursor
72	gi 75219538 sp O48935.1 TPSBF_MENPI	63830	45.64	4	2	2	Beta-farnesene synthase
73	gi 75338881 sp Q9ZR26.1 5GT2_PERFR	49110	43.65	2	1	1	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 5-O-glucosyltransferase 2; AltName: Full=UDP-glucose:anthocyanin 5-O- glucosyltransferase 3R6; Short=p3R6; Flags: Precursor
74	gi 75293243 sp Q6WKZ0.1 C7D94_MENGR	56308	41.18	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71D94
75	gi 62900763 sp O81191.1 SCS_SALOF	69369	40.37	2	1	1	1,8-cineole synthase, chloroplastic; Short=SCS; Flags: Precursor
76	gi 403399409 sp E2E2P0.1 GTPS_ORIVU	69063	39.33	3	2	2	Gamma-terpinene synthase, chloroplastic; Short=Ovtps2; AltName: Full=Alpha-terpinene synthase; Flags: Precursor
77	gi 403399735 sp E2E2N7.1 BCGS_ORIVU	64443	37.93	1	1	1	Bicyclogermacrene synthase; Short=Ovtps4
78	gi 75338882 sp Q9ZR27.1 5GT1_PERFR	50974	37.58	2	1	1	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 5-O-glucosyltransferase 1; AltName: Full=UDP-glucose:anthocyanin 5-O- glucosyltransferase 3R4; Short=p3R4; Flags: Precursor
79	gi 75251477 sp Q5SBP0.1 TPSD_OCIBA	70000	37.03	2	1	1	Terpinolene synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
80	gi 75251478 sp Q5SBP1.1 MYRS_OCIBA	69964	37.38	2	1	1	Beta-myrcene synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor

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81	gi 75251479 sp Q5SBP2.1 FES_OCIBA	69866	37.38	2	1	1	(-)-endo-fenchol synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
82	gi 75224312 sp Q6USK1.1 GERS_OCIBA	64933	32.96	2	1	1	Geraniol synthase, chloroplastic; Short=ObGES; Flags: Precursor
83	gi 3914545 sp Q31655.1 RBL_AJUCH	52455	29.59	2	1	1	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain; Short=RuBisCO large subunit; Flags: Precursor
84	gi 548687 sp P36483.1 RBL_CALDI	49209	29.59	2	1	1	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain; Short=RuBisCO large subunit; Flags: Precursor
85	gi 132044 sp P28453.1 RBL_SCUBO	51794	21.37	2	1	1	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain; Short=RuBisCO large subunit
86	gi 122219292 sp Q49SP4.1 TPGD1_POGCB	64197	24.21	1	1	1	Germacrene D synthase 1; AltName: Full=PatTpsB15
87	gi 510785777 sp G0LD36.1 RAS_MELOI	47161	21.06	2	1	1	Rosmarinate synthase; Short=MoRAS; AltName: Full=Hydroxycinnamoyl-CoA:hydroxyphenyllactate hydroxycinnamoyltransferase
88	gi 17366672 sp Q9ARF9.1 HPPD_PLESU	47736	20.60	2	1	1	4-hydroxyphenylpyruvate dioxygenase; AltName: Full=4-hydroxyphenylpyruvic acid oxidase; Short=4HPPD; Short=HPD; Short=HPPDase
89	gi 753709941 gb AJI44435.1	41648	38.44	2	1	1	Oxoglutarate-dependent flavone 7-O-demethylase [Ocimum basilicum]
90	gi 827345132 gb AKJ76716.1	218366	38.05	1	1	1	Protein TIC 214 [Rosmarinus officinalis]
91	gi 836643372 ref YP_009144573.1	218366	38.05	1	1	1	Protein TIC 214 [Rosmarinus officinalis]
92	gi 827346602 gb AKJ77788.1	181164	21.27	1	1	1	Protein TIC 214 [Perilla frutescens]
93	gi 745791067 gb AJD25242.1	53008	22.18	3	1	1	cytochrome P450 CYP707A102 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
94	gi 745790971 gb AJD25194.1	55908	22.03	2	1	1	cytochrome P450 CYP81B62 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]

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95	gi 410176144 gb AFV61803.1	26773	21.57	5	1	1	30S ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
96	gi 916442902 gb AKZ23975.1	26773	21.57	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
97	gi 916442908 gb AKZ23977.1	26686	21.57	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
98	gi 827346574 gb AKJ77760.1	26722	21.57	5	1	1	30S ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
99	gi 827345166 gb AKJ76750.1	26770	21.57	5	1	1	30S ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
100	gi 836643406 ref YP_009144504.1	26770	21.57	5	1	1	30S ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
101	gi 401879731 gb AFQ30918.1	26744	21.57	5	1	1	30S ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
102	gi 573461940 emb CCQ71609.1	26744	21.57	5	1	1	30S ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
103	gi 916442905 gb AKZ23976.1	26758	21.57	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
104	gi 442775714 gb AGC73980.1	19816	20.22	6	1	1	jasmonate ZIM-domain protein 1 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
105	gi 745791091 gb AJD25254.1	55430	20.07	1	1	1	cytochrome P450 CYP728D17 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
106	gi 8134569 sp Q42662.2 METE_PLESU	84590	20.07	1	1	1	5-methyltetrahydropteroyltriglutamatehomocysteine methyltransferase; AltName: Full=Cobalamin- independent methionine synthase isozyme; AltName: Full=Vitamin-B12-independent methionine synthase isozyme
107	gi 29839421 sp Q9XGW0.1 COMT1_OCIBA	39529	20.07	1	1	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1; Short=CAOMT-1; Short=COMT-1; AltName: Full=S-adenosysI-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1

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108	gi 29839420 sp Q9XGV9.1 COMT2_OCIBA	39613	20.07	1	1	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2; Short=CAOMT-2; Short=COMT-2; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2
109	gi 735679295 gb AJA39985.1	82378	20.07	1	1	1	(E)-4-hydroxy-3-methylbut-2-enyl diphosphate synthase [Salvia miltiorrhiza f. alba]
110	gi 75219538 sp O48935.1 TPSBF_MENPI	63830	109.4	23	14	13	Beta-farnesene synthase
111	gi 122249145 sp Q49SP3.1 TPSPS_POGCB	64199	102.97	22	14	13	Patchoulol synthase; Short=PatTps177; AltName: Full=Alpha-guaiene synthase; AltName: Full=Delta- guaiene synthase
112	gi 116256299 sp Q9XES0.2 DXR_MENPI	51034	80.68	11	7	7	1-deoxy-D-xylulose 5-phosphate reductoisomerase, chloroplastic; Short=1-deoxyxylulose-5-phosphate reductoisomerase; Short=DXP reductoisomerase; AltName: Full=2-C-methyl-D-erythritol 4-phosphate synthase; F
113	gi 75192856 sp Q9MBC1.1 3AT_PERFR	50675	78.82	8	4	4	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 6"-O-acyltransferase; Short=3AT
114	gi 29839420 sp Q9XGV9.1 COMT2_OCIBA	39613	77.93	6	3	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2; Short=CAOMT-2; Short=COMT-2; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2
115	gi 75293243 sp Q6WKZ0.1 C7D94_MENGR	56308	76.56	7	4	4	Cytochrome P450 71D94
116	gi 403399409 sp E2E2P0.1 GTPS_ORIVU	69063	74.1	5	4	4	Gamma-terpinene synthase, chloroplastic; Short=Ovtps2; AltName: Full=Alpha-terpinene synthase; Flags: Precursor
117	gi 29839421 sp Q9XGW0.1 COMT1_OCIBA	39529	72.15	6	3	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1; Short=CAOMT-1; Short=COMT-1; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1
118	gi 132044 sp P28453.1 RBL_SCUBO	51794	68.35	12	5	5	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain; Short=RuBisCO large subunit

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119	gi 8134569 sp Q42662.2 METE_PLESU	84590	56.89	4	3	3	5-methyltetrahydropteroyltriglutamatehomocysteine methyltransferase; AltName: Full=Cobalamin- independent methionine synthase isozyme; AltName: Full=Vitamin-B12-independent methionine synthase isozyme
120	gi 75129654 sp Q6VMW0.1 Q8OMT_MENPI	40849	43.32	6	2	2	8-hydroxyquercetin 8-O-methyltransferase; AltName: Full=Flavonol 8-O-methyltransferase
121	gi 75293242 sp Q6WKY9.1 C7D95_MENGR	56365	42.08	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71D95; AltName: Full=(-)-(4S)- Limonene-3-hydroxylase
122	gi 75290511 sp Q6lV13.1 C7D95_MENSP	56322	42.08	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71D95; AltName: Full=Limonene-3- hydroxylase
123	gi 75306222 sp Q947B7.1 MFS_MENPI	55360	30.62	2	1	1	(+)-menthofuran synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-pulegone 9-hydroxylase
124	gi 17366672 sp Q9ARF9.1 HPPD_PLESU	47736	28.03	2	1	1	4-hydroxyphenylpyruvate dioxygenase; AltName: Full=4-hydroxyphenylpyruvic acid oxidase; Short=4HPPD; Short=HPD; Short=HPPDase
125	gi 510785777 sp G0LD36.1 RAS_MELOI	47161	26.9	2	1	1	Rosmarinate synthase; Short=MoRAS; AltName: Full=Hydroxycinnamoyl-CoA:hydroxyphenyllactate hydroxycinnamoyltransferase
126	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	26.37	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
127	gi 122237148 sp Q15Gl4.1 EGS1_OCIBA	35607	22.15	3	1	1	Eugenol synthase 1 [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil)
128	gi 56749087 sp Q85XY6.1 MATK_OCIBA	60282	20.19	2	1	1	Maturase K; AltName: Full=Intron maturase
129	gi 29839421 sp Q9XGW0.1 COMT1_OCIBA	39529	28.48	1	1	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1; Short=CAOMT-1; Short=COMT-1; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1
130	gi 8134569 sp Q42662.2 METE_PLESU	84590	37.07	1	1	1	5-methyltetrahydropteroyltriglutamatehomocysteine methyltransferase; AltName: Full=Cobalamin- independent methionine synthase isozyme; AltName:

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							Full=Vitamin-B12-independent methionine synthase isozyme
131	gi 29839420 sp Q9XGV9.1 COMT2_OCIBA	39613	28.48	1	1	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2; Short=CAOMT-2; Short=COMT-2; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2
132	gi 735679295 gb AJA39985.1	82378	28.48	1	1	1	(E)-4-hydroxy-3-methylbut-2-enyl diphosphate synthase [Salvia miltiorrhiza f. alba]
133	gi 745791091 gb AJD25254.1	55430	28.48	1	1	1	cytochrome P450 CYP728D17 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
134	gi 916438881 gb AKZ22145.1	84354	39.87	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
135	gi 410176201 gb AFV61860.1	84295	39.87	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
136	gi 669254287 gb All20583.1	77022	34.71	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Holocheila longipedunculata]
137	gi 669254291 gb All20585.1	79070	34.71	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Petraeovitex multiflora]
138	gi 669254285 gb All20582.1	74815	34.71	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Holocheila longipedunculata]
139	gi 669254283 gb All20581.1	77991	34.71	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Holocheila longipedunculata]
140	gi 395484522 gb AFN66518.1	76105	34.71	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium subspinosum]
141	gi 669254293 gb All20586.1	79081	34.71	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Hymenopyramis cana]
142	gi 401879790 gb AFQ30977.1	83587	34.70	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]

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143	gi 573462000 emb CCQ71669.1	83587	34.70	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
144	gi 395484502 gb AFN66509.1	75956	34.71	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium divaricatum]
145	gi 395484481 gb AFN66500.1	76061	34.71	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium flavum subsp. glaucum]
146	gi 395484475 gb AFN66497.1	78510	34.71	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Rubiteucris palmata]
147	gi 836643377 ref YP_009144562.1	84218	34.71	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
148	gi 827345137 gb AKJ76721.1	84218	34.71	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
149	gi 916438885 gb AKZ22147.1	84443	34.71	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
150	gi 395484513 gb AFN66514.1	76814	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium pyrenaicum]
151	gi 827346594 gb AKJ77780.1	84248	34.71	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
152	gi 827345833 gb AKJ77134.1	85675	26.97	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
153	gi 910312648 ref YP_009162309.1	85675	26.97	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
154	gi 395484511 gb AFN66513.1	76860	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium oxylepis]
155	gi 752789835 ref YP_009117269.1	85385	34.71	1	1	1	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]

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156	gi 748013953 gb AJE28423.1	85385	34.71	1	1	1	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
157	gi 395484489 gb AFN66504.1	76910	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium betonicum]
158	gi 916438887 gb AKZ22148.1	83254	26.97	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
159	gi 395484495 gb AFN66506.1	76993	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium eriocephalum subsp. almeriense]
160	gi 395484500 gb AFN66508.1	77065	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium stocksianum subsp. incanum]
161	gi 395484526 gb AFN66520.1	76596	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium bicolor]
162	gi 395484515 gb AFN66515.1	76501	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium racemosum]
163	gi 395484473 gb AFN66496.1	78531	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucridium parvifolium]
164	gi 395484524 gb AFN66519.1	75723	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium kotschyanum]
165	gi 395484477 gb AFN66498.1	76293	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Spartothamnella puberula]
166	gi 395484517 gb AFN66516.1	76688	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium salviastrum]
167	gi 395484520 gb AFN66517.1	76892	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium spinosum]
168	gi 395484483 gb AFN66501.1	77431	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium albicaule]

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169	gi 395484504 gb AFN66510.1	77454	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium laciniatum]
170	gi 395484530 gb AFN66522.1	76725	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium viscidum var. miquelianum]
171	gi 395484528 gb AFN66521.1	76705	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium japonicum]
172	gi 395484537 gb AFN66525.1	78210	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium decipiens]
173	gi 395484533 gb AFN66523.1	75763	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium montbretii subsp. heliotropiifolium]
174	gi 395484507 gb AFN66511.1	77434	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium nudicaule]
175	gi 395484479 gb AFN66499.1	34714	26.97	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Oncinocalyx betchei]
176	gi 395484535 gb AFN66524.1	76413	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium antitauricum]
177	gi 395484493 gb AFN66505.1	77203	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium pseudochamaepitys]
178	gi 395484487 gb AFN66503.1	77172	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium aroanium]
179	gi 395484509 gb AFN66512.1	77251	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium orientale subsp. gloeotrichum]
180	gi 395484485 gb AFN66502.1	77595	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium aristatum]
181	gi 395484497 gb AFN66507.1	77873	26.97	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium fruticans]

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182	gi 827345131 gb AKJ76715.1	266537	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Rosmarinus officinalis]
183	gi 827345130 gb AKJ76714.1	266537	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Rosmarinus officinalis]
184	gi 836643371 ref YP_009144577.1	266537	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Rosmarinus officinalis]
185	gi 836643370 ref YP_009144558.1	266537	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Rosmarinus officinalis]
186	gi 573462016 emb CCQ71685.1	267080	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
187	gi 573461995 emb CCQ71664.1	267080	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
188	gi 401879785 gb AFQ30972.1	267080	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
189	gi 401879806 gb AFQ30993.1	267080	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
190	gi 748013968 gb AJE28438.1	268103	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Premna microphylla]
191	gi 752789850 ref YP_009117284.1	268103	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Premna microphylla]
192	gi 752789831 ref YP_009117265.1	268103	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Premna microphylla]
193	gi 748013949 gb AJE28419.1	268103	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Premna microphylla]
194	gi 910312663 ref YP_009162324.1	268069	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Scutellaria baicalensis]
195	gi 827345827 gb AKJ77128.1	268069	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Scutellaria baicalensis]
196	gi 910312644 ref YP_009162305.1	268069	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Scutellaria baicalensis]
197	gi 827345826 gb AKJ77127.1	268069	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Scutellaria baicalensis]
198	gi 827346597 gb AKJ77783.1	266476	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Perilla frutescens]
199	gi 827346579 gb AKJ77765.1	266476	38.65	0	1	1	Protein Ycf2 [Perilla frutescens]
200	gi 827346602 gb AKJ77788.1	181164	30.65	1	1	1	Protein TIC 214 [Perilla frutescens]
201	gi 827345132 gb AKJ76716.1	218366	21.51	1	1	1	Protein TIC 214 [Rosmarinus officinalis]

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202	gi 836643372 ref YP_009144573.1	218366	21.51	1	1	1	Protein TIC 214 [Rosmarinus officinalis]
203	gi 748013964 gb AJE28434.1	225117	29.24	1	1	1	Protein TIC 214 [Premna microphylla]
204	gi 752789846 ref YP_009117280.1	225117	29.24	1	1	1	Protein TIC 214 [Premna microphylla]
205	gi 75192856 sp Q9MBC1.1 3AT_PERFR	50675	28.93	2	1	1	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 6"-O-acyltransferase; Short=3AT
206	gi 749489569 emb CEO43479.1	50534	28.93	2	1	1	unnamed protein product [Lavandula angustifolia] - patented sequence
207	gi 745791067 gb AJD25242.1	53008	26.07	3	1	1	cytochrome P450 CYP707A102 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
208	gi 410176144 gb AFV61803.1	26773	25.72	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
209	gi 916442902 gb AKZ23975.1	26773	25.72	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
210	gi 916442908 gb AKZ23977.1	26686	25.72	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
211	gi 827346574 gb AKJ77760.1	26722	25.72	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
212	gi 827345166 gb AKJ76750.1	26770	25.72	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
213	gi 836643406 ref YP_009144504.1	26770	25.72	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
214	gi 401879731 gb AFQ30918.1	26744	25.72	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
215	gi 573461940 emb CCQ71609.1	26744	25.72	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
216	gi 916442905 gb AKZ23976.1	26758	25.72	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
217	gi 787592954 gb AKA27904.1	30582	23.75	4	1	1	WRKY protein [Salvia miltiorrhiza]

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218	gi 659902912 gb AID69536.1	58940	22.81	2	1	1	phenylalanine ammonia-lyase, partial [Phlomoides rotata]
219	gi 735665579 gb AJA38250.1	90993	20.04	2	1	1	copalyl diphosphate synthase, partial [Salvia fruticosa]
220	gi 763711578 gb AJQ30184.1	90993	20.04	2	1	1	copalyl diphosphate synthase, partial [Salvia fruticosa]
221	gi 122233627 sp Q4JF75.1 RBR_SCUBA	111795	107.9	14	16	16	Retinoblastoma-related protein
222	gi 62900766 sp O81193.1 SSS_SALOF	68942	92.38	9	5	4	(+)-sabinene synthase, chloroplastic; Short=SSS; Flags: Precursor
223	gi 29839420 sp Q9XGV9.1 COMT2_OCIBA	39613	89.09	15	7	4	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2; Short=CAOMT-2; Short=COMT-2; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2
224	gi 122249145 sp Q49SP3.1 TPSPS_POGCB	64199	88.62	15	8	7	Patchoulol synthase; Short=PatTps177; AltName: Full=Alpha-guaiene synthase; AltName: Full=Delta- guaiene synthase
225	gi 62900763 sp O81191.1 SCS_SALOF	69369	84.53	10	6	6	1,8-cineole synthase, chloroplastic; Short=SCS; Flags: Precursor
226	gi 510785778 sp A0PDV5.1 RAS_PLESU	47902	81.71	8	5	5	Rosmarinate synthase; Short=CbRAS; AltName: Full=Hydroxycinnamoyl transferase; Short=CbHCT1
227	gi 29839421 sp Q9XGW0.1 COMT1_OCIBA	39529	78.79	11	5	2	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1; Short=CAOMT-1; Short=COMT-1; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1
228	gi 75251477 sp Q5SBP0.1 TPSD_OCIBA	70000	72.11	9	5	4	Terpinolene synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
229	gi 8134569 sp Q42662.2 METE_PLESU	84590	71.27	6	5	5	5-methyltetrahydropteroyltriglutamatehomocysteine methyltransferase; AltName: Full=Cobalamin- independent methionine synthase isozyme; AltName: Full=Vitamin-B12-independent methionine synthase isozyme

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230	gi 75251484 sp Q5SBP7.1 SELS_OCIBA	63125	71.11	7	4	4	Selinene synthase
231	gi 122219294 sp Q49SP6.1 TPGD2_POGCB	64149	67.75	4	2	1	Germacrene D synthase 2; AltName: Full=PatTpsBF2
232	gi 62899675 sp O81192.1 BPPS_SALOF	69292	65.17	3	2	1	(+)-bornyl diphosphate synthase, chloroplastic; Short=BPPS; AltName: Full=(+)-alpha-pinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-camphene synthase; AltName: Full=SBS; Flags: Precursor
233	gi 122210943 sp Q2XSC5.1 LALIN_LAVAN	65654	56.70	2	1	1	R-linalool synthase; Short=LaLINS
234	gi 75251482 sp Q5SBP5.1 GCS1_OCIBA	63566	48.42	1	1	1	Gamma-cadinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-gamma- cadinene synthase
235	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	46.22	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
236	gi 75315261 sp Q9XHE8.1 C71DI_MENSP	56149	37.31	4	2	1	Cytochrome P450 71D18; AltName: Full=(-)-(4S)- Limonene-6-hydroxylase
237	gi 75293244 sp Q6WKZ1.1 C71DI_MENGR	56149	37.31	4	2	1	Cytochrome P450 71D18; AltName: Full=(-)-(4S)- Limonene-6-hydroxylase
238	gi 75180331 sp Q9LRC8.1 BAGLU_SCUBA	58772	33.32	6	2	2	Baicalin-beta-D-glucuronidase; AltName: Full=Baicalinase; Flags: Precursor
239	gi 75315259 sp Q9XHE6.1 C71DF_MENPI	56532	32.17	4	2	2	Cytochrome P450 71D15; AltName: Full=(-)-(4S)- Limonene-3-hydroxylase; AltName: Full=Cytochrome P450 isoform PM2
240	gi 75161989 sp Q8W1W9.1 5MAT1_SALSN	50724	31.33	2	1	1	Malonyl-coenzyme:anthocyanin 5-O-glucoside-6'''-O- malonyltransferase; Short=Malonyl CoA:anthocyanin 5- O-glucoside-6'''-O-malonyltransferase; Short=Ss5MaT1
241	gi 75293243 sp Q6WKZ0.1 C7D94_MENGR	56308	31.28	4	2	1	Cytochrome P450 71D94
242	gi 704000326 sp S4UX02.1 CYPH1_SALMI	55520	31.06	1	1	1	Ferruginol synthase; AltName: Full=Cytochrome P450 76AH1

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243	gi 75338882 sp Q9ZR27.1 5GT1_PERFR	50974	31.00	2	1	1	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 5-O-glucosyltransferase 1; AltName: Full=UDP-glucose:anthocyanin 5-O- glucosyltransferase 3R4; Short=p3R4; Flags: Precursor
244	gi 75338881 sp Q9ZR26.1 5GT2_PERFR	49110	22.61	2	1	1	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 5-O-glucosyltransferase 2; AltName: Full=UDP-glucose:anthocyanin 5-O- glucosyltransferase 3R6; Short=p3R6; Flags: Precursor
245	gi 122200954 sp Q2KNL5.1 CADH1_OCIBA	38769	23.05	4	1	1	Cinnamyl alcohol dehydrogenase 1; Short=CAD 1; Short=ObaCAD1
246	gi 75227033 sp Q76MR7.1 UBGAT_SCUBA	48654	22.49	5	1	1	Baicalein 7-O-glucuronosyltransferase [Scutellaria baicalensis](Baical skullcap)
247	gi 84029472 sp Q93WU3.1 CVMT1_OCIBA	39916	20.44	3	1	1	Chavicol O-methyltransferase [Ocimum basilicum] (Sweet basil) Status
248	gi 84027871 sp Q93WU2.1 EOMT1_OCIBA	40237	20.44	3	1	1	Eugenol O-methyltransferase; AltName: Full=(Iso)eugenol O-methyltransferase EOMT1; AltName: Full=S-adenosysI-L-methionine:(Iso)eugenol O-methyltransferase EOMT1
249	gi 401879801 gb AFQ30988.1	218699	41.13	1	2	2	Photosystem I assembly protein Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
250	gi 573462011 emb CCQ71680.1	218685	41.13	1	2	2	Photosystem I assembly protein Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
251	gi 836643389 ref YP_009144556.1	29997	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
252	gi 827345149 gb AKJ76733.1	29997	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
253	gi 827345150 gb AKJ76734.1	29997	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]

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254	gi 836643390 ref YP_009144579.1	29997	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
255	gi 401879808 gb AFQ30995.1	29997	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
256	gi 401879783 gb AFQ30970.1	29997	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
257	gi 916441525 gb AKZ23467.1	29921	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
258	gi 410176218 gb AFV61877.1	29997	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
259	gi 410176195 gb AFV61854.1	29997	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
260	gi 916441521 gb AKZ23465.1	29997	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
261	gi 916441523 gb AKZ23466.1	29997	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
262	gi 752789852 ref YP_009117286.1	30084	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
263	gi 752789829 ref YP_009117263.1	30084	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
264	gi 827346587 gb AKJ77773.1	31403	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
265	gi 827346537 gb AKJ77723.1	31391	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
266	gi 910312642 ref YP_009162303.1	30114	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
267	gi 910312665 ref YP_009162326.1	30114	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
268	gi 827345846 gb AKJ77147.1	30114	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]

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269	gi 827345845 gb AKJ77146.1	30114	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
270	gi 916441533 gb AKZ23471.1	30010	28.27	3	1	1	ribosomal protein L2 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
271	gi 836643406 ref YP_009144504.1	26770	27.53	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
272	gi 827345166 gb AKJ76750.1	26770	27.53	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
273	gi 401879731 gb AFQ30918.1	26744	27.53	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
274	gi 573461940 emb CCQ71609.1	26744	27.53	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
275	gi 827346574 gb AKJ77760.1	26722	27.53	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
276	gi 410176144 gb AFV61803.1	26773	27.53	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
277	gi 916442905 gb AKZ23976.1	26758	27.53	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
278	gi 916442902 gb AKZ23975.1	26773	27.53	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
279	gi 916442908 gb AKZ23977.1	26686	27.53	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
280	gi 916441821 gb AKZ23615.1	17837	25.53	7	1	1	ribosomal protein L22 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
281	gi 913341377 gb AKU77131.1	121334	23.61	1	1	1	Structural maintenance of chromosomes protein 1, partial [Callicarpa bodinieri]
282	gi 735679295 gb AJA39985.1	82378	22.90	1	1	1	(E)-4-hydroxy-3-methylbut-2-enyl diphosphate synthase [Salvia miltiorrhiza f. alba]
283	gi 762060299 gb AJQ20621.1	41314	21.58	2	1	1	Enoyl-ACP Reductase [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
284	gi 661525312 gb AIE15763.1	216665	20.56	1	1	1	Dicer-like protein 1 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]

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285	gi 908373664 gb AKT44364.1	81096	20.41	1	1	1	Heat shock protein 2 [Tectona grandis]
286	gi 8134569 sp Q42662.2 METE_PLESU	84590	115.32	8	7	7	5-methyltetrahydropteroyltriglutamatehomocysteine methyltransferase; AltName: Full=Cobalamin- independent methionine synthase isozyme; AltName: Full=Vitamin-B12-independent methionine synthase isozyme
287	gi 5915814 sp O04164.1 C71A6_NEPRA	57955	92.61	5	3	3	Cytochrome P450 71A6
288	gi 29839421 sp Q9XGW0.1 COMT1_OCIBA	39529	90.64	6	3	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1; Short=CAOMT-1; Short=COMT-1; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1
289	gi 5915815 sp Q42716.1 C71A8_MENPI	57213	90.02	5	3	3	Cytochrome P450 71A8
290	gi 122219292 sp Q49SP4.1 TPGD1_POGCB	64197	86.02	3	2	2	Germacrene D synthase 1; AltName: Full=PatTpsB15
291	gi 5921781 sp O04111.1 CHSY_PERFR	42686	85.72	5	2	2	Chalcone synthase; AltName: Full=Naringenin-chalcone synthase
292	gi 122233627 sp Q4JF75.1 RBR_SCUBA	111795	73.59	3	2	2	Retinoblastoma-related protein
293	gi 84027871 sp Q93WU2.1 EOMT1_OCIBA	40237	59.55	3	1	1	Eugenol O-methyltransferase; AltName: Full=(Iso)eugenol O-methyltransferase EOMT1; AltName: Full=S-adenosysI-L-methionine:(Iso)eugenol O-methyltransferase EOMT1
294	gi 122219294 sp Q49SP6.1 TPGD2_POGCB	64149	59.19	3	1	1	Germacrene D synthase 2; AltName: Full=PatTpsBF2
295	gi 75161989 sp Q8W1W9.1 5MAT1_SALSN	50724	46.86	2	1	1	Malonyl-coenzyme:anthocyanin 5-O-glucoside-6'''-O- malonyltransferase; Short=Malonyl CoA:anthocyanin 5- O-glucoside-6'''-O-malonyltransferase; Short=Ss5MaT1
296	gi 75251484 sp Q5SBP7.1 SELS_OCIBA	63125	43.61	2	1	1	Selinene synthase

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297	gi 122249145 sp Q49SP3.1 TPSPS_POGCB	64199	42.70	4	1	1	Patchoulol synthase; Short=PatTps177; AltName: Full=Alpha-guaiene synthase; AltName: Full=Delta- guaiene synthase
298	gi 75293243 sp Q6WKZ0.1 C7D94_MENGR	56308	40.60	3	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71D94
299	gi 75338882 sp Q9ZR27.1 5GT1_PERFR	50974	37.18	2	1	1	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 5-O-glucosyltransferase 1; AltName: Full=UDP-glucose:anthocyanin 5-O- glucosyltransferase 3R4; Short=p3R4; Flags: Precursor
300	gi 75180331 sp Q9LRC8.1 BAGLU_SCUBA	58772	37.03	5	1	1	Baicalin-beta-D-glucuronidase; AltName: Full=Baicalinase; Flags: Precursor
301	gi 704000326 sp S4UX02.1 CYPH1_SALMI	55520	35.26	1	1	1	Ferruginol synthase; AltName: Full=Cytochrome P450 76AH1
302	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	33.26	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
303	gi 75227033 sp Q76MR7.1 UBGAT_SCUBA	48654	27.59	5	1	1	Baicalein 7-O-glucuronosyltransferase; AltName: Full=UDP-glucuronate:baicalein 7-O- glucuronosyltransferase
304	gi 661525316 gb AIE15765.1	184302	48.48	1	1	1	Dicer-like protein 3 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
305	gi 836643406 ref YP_009144504.1	26770	34.08	5	1	1	Ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
306	gi 827345166 gb AKJ76750.1	26770	34.08	5	1	1	Ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
307	gi 401879731 gb AFQ30918.1	26744	34.08	5	1	1	Ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
308	gi 573461940 emb CCQ71609.1	26744	34.08	5	1	1	Ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
309	gi 410176144 gb AFV61803.1	26773	34.08	5	1	1	Ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]

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310	gi 916442902 gb AKZ23975.1	26773	34.08	5	1	1	Ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
311	gi 916442905 gb AKZ23976.1	26758	34.08	5	1	1	Ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
312	gi 916442908 gb AKZ23977.1	26686	34.08	5	1	1	Ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
313	gi 827346574 gb AKJ77760.1	26722	34.08	5	1	1	Ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
314	gi 827345132 gb AKJ76716.1	218366	31.19	1	1	1	Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
315	gi 836643372 ref YP_009144573.1	218366	31.19	1	1	1	Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
316	gi 401879801 gb AFQ30988.1	218699	30.62	1	1	1	Photosystem I assembly protein Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
317	gi 573462011 emb CCQ71680.1	218685	30.62	1	1	1	Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
318	gi 787592932 gb AKA27893.1	37310	25.11	4	1	1	WRKY protein [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
319	gi 662170387 gb AIE45494.1	44939	24.14	3	1	1	CONSTANS-like protein 9 [Tectona grandis]
320	gi 745790929 gb AJD25173.1	57680	22.85	1	1	1	Cytochrome P450 CYP73A120 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
321	gi 630057998 gb AHY94893.1	57803	22.85	1	1	1	Cinnamate-4-hydroxylase [Prunella vulgaris]
322	gi 725812545 gb AIY32618.1	57979	22.85	1	1	1	Cinnamate-4-hydroxylase [Perilla frutescens]
323	gi 745791023 gb AJD25220.1	56140	22.76	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 CYP94B50 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
324	gi 762060309 gb AJQ20626.1	51963	21.88	4	1	1	Ketoacyl-ACP Synthase I [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
325	gi 844572842 gb AKN09607.1	76725	21.06	1	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
326	gi 762060281 gb AJQ20612.1	13344	20.65	12	1	1	Acyl Carrier Protein [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
327	gi 822603217 emb CQR79430.1	35399	20.39	3	1	1	Maturase K, partial (chloroplast) [Clerodendrum bracteatum]

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328	gi 630058023 gb AHY94894.1	51993	20.11	2	1	1	4-coumarate:CoA ligase, partial [Prunella vulgaris]
329	gi 29839421 sp Q9XGW0.1 COMT1_OCIBA	39529	20.10	2	1	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1; Short=CAOMT-1; Short=COMT-1; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1
330	gi 29839420 sp Q9XGV9.1 COMT2_OCIBA	39613	20.10	2	1	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2; Short=CAOMT-2; Short=COMT-2; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2
331	gi 122219293 sp Q49SP5.1 TPGAS_POGCB	64232	129.73	17	10	10	Germacrene A synthase; AltName: Full=PatTpsCF2
332	gi 75283876 sp Q5C9I9.1 ISPD_MENPI	27191	102.75	18	5	5	(-)-isopiperitenol/(-)-carveol dehydrogenase, mitochondrial; Flags: Precursor
333	gi 8134569 sp Q42662.2 METE_PLESU	84590	91.09	3	2	2	5-methyltetrahydropteroyltriglutamatehomocysteine methyltransferase; AltName: Full=Cobalamin- independent methionine synthase isozyme; AltName: Full=Vitamin-B12-independent methionine synthase isozyme
334	gi 75219538 sp O48935.1 TPSBF_MENPI	63830	90.41	4	2	2	Beta-farnesene synthase
335	gi 75252096 sp Q5W283.1 TPSCM_MENPI	63839	85.44	4	2	2	Cis-muuroladiene synthase; Short=MxpSS1
336	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	89.97	6	3	3	(+)-pulegone reductase
337	gi 75224312 sp Q6USK1.1 GERS_OCIBA	64933	84.74	2	1	1	Geraniol synthase, chloroplastic; Short=ObGES; Flags: Precursor
338	gi 75293243 sp Q6WKZ0.1 C7D94_MENGR	56308	75.65	4	2	2	Cytochrome P450 71D94
339	gi 403399409 sp E2E2P0.1 GTPS_ORIVU	69063	74.54	2	1	1	Gamma-terpinene synthase, chloroplastic; Short=Ovtps2; AltName: Full=Alpha-terpinene synthase; Flags: Precursor

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340	gi 75161989 sp Q8W1W9.1 5MAT1_SALSN	50724	49.68	2	1	1	Malonyl-coenzyme:anthocyanin 5-O-glucoside-6'''-O- malonyltransferase; Short=Malonyl CoA:anthocyanin 5- O-glucoside-6'''-O-malonyltransferase; Short=Ss5MaT1
341	gi 122210943 sp Q2XSC5.1 LALIN_LAVAN	65654	48.77	2	1	1	R-linalool synthase; Short=LaLINS
342	gi 75251481 sp Q5SBP4.1 AZIS_OCIBA	62858	25.63	2	1	1	Alpha-zingiberene synthase
343	gi 748013964 gb AJE28434.1	225117	38.72	1	2	1	hypothetical chloroplast RF19 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
344	gi 752789846 ref YP_009117280.1	225117	38.72	1	2	1	hypothetical chloroplast RF19 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
345	gi 916443350 gb AKZ24105.1	17446	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
346	gi 827345872 gb AKJ77173.1	17389	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
347	gi 910312647 ref YP_009162308.1	17389	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
348	gi 827345873 gb AKJ77174.1	17389	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
349	gi 827345177 gb AKJ76761.1	17379	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
350	gi 827345176 gb AKJ76760.1	17379	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
351	gi 836643417 ref YP_009144574.1	17379	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
352	gi 836643416 ref YP_009144561.1	17379	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]

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353	gi 916443332 gb AKZ24099.1	17391	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
354	gi 573462013 emb CCQ71682.1	17361	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
355	gi 401879803 gb AFQ30990.1	17361	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
356	gi 573461998 emb CCQ71667.1	17361	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
357	gi 401879788 gb AFQ30975.1	17361	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
358	gi 410176200 gb AFV61859.1	17361	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
359	gi 410176213 gb AFV61872.1	17361	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
360	gi 752789834 ref YP_009117268.1	17361	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
361	gi 748013965 gb AJE28435.1 ,	17361	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
362	gi 752789847 ref YP_009117281.1	17361	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
363	gi 748013952 gb AJE28422.1	17361	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
364	gi 827346599 gb AKJ77785.1	17361	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
365	gi 827346590 gb AKJ77776.1	17361	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
366	gi 916443335 gb AKZ24100.1	17379	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
367	gi 910312660 ref YP_009162321.1	17389	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
368	gi 916443338 gb AKZ24101.1	17361	33.46	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
369	gi 661525316 gb AIE15765.1	184302	22.76	1	1	1	Dicer-like protein 3 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]

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370	gi 75290511 sp Q6lV13.1 C7D95_MENSP	56322	168.40	9	6	1	Cytochrome P450 71D95; AltName: Full=Limonene-3- hydroxylase
371	gi 122233627 sp Q4JF75.1 RBR_SCUBA	111795	136.20	1	1	1	Retinoblastoma-related protein
372	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	114.35	6	3	3	(+)-pulegone reductase
373	gi 122249145 sp Q49SP3.1 TPSPS_POGCB	64199	106.65	3	2	2	Patchoulol synthase; Short=PatTps177; AltName: Full=Alpha-guaiene synthase; AltName: Full=Delta- guaiene synthase
374	gi 403399735 sp E2E2N7.1 BCGS_ORIVU	64443	54.15	2	1	1	Bicyclogermacrene synthase; Short=Ovtps4
375	gi 661525316 gb AIE15765.1	184302	47.70	1	1	1	Dicer-like protein 3 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
376	gi 910312663 ref YP_009162324.1	268069	41.48	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
377	gi 827345827 gb AKJ77128.1	268069	41.48	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
378	gi 910312644 ref YP_009162305.1	268069	41.48	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
379	gi 827345826 gb AKJ77127.1	268069	41.48	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
380	gi 748013968 gb AJE28438.1	268103	36.17	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF21 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
381	gi 752789850 ref YP_009117284.1	268103	36.17	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF21 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
382	gi 752789831 ref YP_009117265.1	268103	36.17	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF21 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
383	gi 748013949 gb AJE28419.1	268103	36.17	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF21 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]

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384	gi 827346597 gb AKJ77783.1	266476	36.17	0	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
385	gi 827346579 gb AKJ77765.1	266476	36.17	0	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
386	gi 836643370 ref YP_009144558.1	266537	36.17	0	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
387	gi 827345131 gb AKJ76715.1	266537	36.17	0	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
388	gi 827345130 gb AKJ76714.1	266537	36.17	0	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
389	gi 836643371 ref YP_009144577.1	266537	36.17	0	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
390	gi 573462016 emb CCQ71685.1	267080	36.17	0	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
391	gi 573461995 emb CCQ71664.1	267080	36.17	0	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
392	gi 401879785 gb AFQ30972.1	267080	36.17	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
393	gi 401879806 gb AFQ30993.1	267080	36.17	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
394	gi 410176216 gb AFV61875.1	264781	36.17	0	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
395	gi 410176197 gb AFV61856.1	264781	36.17	0	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
396	gi 661525312 gb AIE15763.1	216665	28.26	1	1	1	Dicer-like protein 1 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
397	gi 585636485 gb AHJ59322.1	90900	24.77	1	1	1	Copalyl diphosphate synthase [Salvia miltiorrhiza f. alba]
398	gi 751414476 gb AJF93403.1	58880	24.19	2	1	1	Ent-kaurene oxidase [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
399	gi 745791049 gb AJD25233.1	58838	24.19	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 CYP701A40 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
400	gi 410176144 gb AFV61803.1	26773	23.20	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
401	gi 916442902 gb AKZ23975.1	26773	23.20	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
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402	gi 916442908 gb AKZ23977.1	26686	23.20	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
403	gi 827346574 gb AKJ77760.1	26722	23.20	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
404	gi 836643406 ref YP_009144504.1	26770	23.20	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
405	gi 827345166 gb AKJ76750.1	26770	23.20	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
406	gi 401879731 gb AFQ30918.1	26744	23.20	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
407	gi 573461940 emb CCQ71609.1	26744	23.20	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
408	gi 916442905 gb AKZ23976.1	26758	23.20	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S2 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
409	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	21.98	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
410	gi 787592958 gb AKA27906.1	38850	20.03	3	1	1	WRKY protein [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
411	gi 122219294 sp Q49SP6.1 TPGD2_POGCB	64149	107.08	8	5	5	Germacrene D synthase 2; AltName: Full=PatTpsBF2
412	gi 122233627 sp Q4JF75.1 RBR_SCUBA	111795	101.83	4	4	4	Retinoblastoma-related protein
413	gi 56749087 sp Q85XY6.1 MATK_OCIBA	60282	86.78	4	2	2	Maturase K; AltName: Full=Intron maturase
414	gi 75219538 sp O48935.1 TPSBF_MENPI	63830	84.66	5	3	3	Beta-farnesene synthase
415	gi 75252096 sp Q5W283.1 TPSCM_MENPI	63839	81.24	5	3	3	Cis-muuroladiene synthase; Short=MxpSS1
416	gi 122219293 sp Q49SP5.1 TPGAS_POGCB	64232	80.48	1	1	1	Germacrene A synthase; AltName: Full=PatTpsCF2
417	gi 510785777 sp G0LD36.1 RAS_MELOI	47161	71.10	7	3	3	Rosmarinate synthase; Short=MoRAS; AltName: Full=Hydroxycinnamoyl-CoA:hydroxyphenyllactate hydroxycinnamoyltransferase
418	gi 75251480 sp Q5SBP3.1 LLOS_OCIBA	65822	67.77	3	2	2	R-linalool synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor

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419	gi 6919914 sp P56848.1 ISPE_MENPI	44603	63.19	5	2	2	4-diphosphocytidyl-2-C-methyl-D-erythritol kinase, chloroplastic; AltName: Full=4-(cytidine-5'-diphospho)-2- C-methyl-D-erythritol kinase; Short=CMK; Flags: Precursor
420	gi 75251484 sp Q5SBP7.1 SELS_OCIBA	63125	53.85	2	1	1	Selinene synthase
421	gi 122219295 sp Q49SP7.1 TPSCS_POGCB	63586	46.67	2	1	1	Gamma-curcumene synthase; AltName: Full=PatTpsA
422	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	29.75	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
423	gi 75293243 sp Q6WKZ0.1 C7D94_MENGR	56308	26.13	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71D94
424	gi 75251480 sp Q5SBP3.1 LLOS_OCIBA	65822	44.02	5	3	3	R-linalool synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
425	gi 844572842 gb AKN09607.1	76725	22.88	1	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
426	gi 916443332 gb AKZ24099.1	17391	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
427	gi 916443350 gb AKZ24105.1	17446	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
428	gi 827345872 gb AKJ77173.1	17389	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
429	gi 910312647 ref YP_009162308.1	17389	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
430	gi 827345177 gb AKJ76761.1	17379	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
431	gi 827345176 gb AKJ76760.1	17379	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
432	gi 836643417 ref YP_009144574.1	17379	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]

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433	gi 836643416 ref YP_009144561.1	17379	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
434	gi 573462013 emb CCQ71682.1	17361	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
435	gi 401879803 gb AFQ30990.1	17361	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
436	gi 573461998 emb CCQ71667.1	17361	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
437	gi 401879788 gb AFQ30975.1	17361	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
438	gi 410176200 gb AFV61859.1	17361	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
439	gi 752789834 ref YP_009117268.1	17361	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
440	gi 748013965 gb AJE28435.1	17361	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
441	gi 752789847 ref YP_009117281.1	17361	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
442	gi 748013952 gb AJE28422.1	17361	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
443	gi 827345873 gb AKJ77174.1	17389	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
444	gi 910312660 ref YP_009162321.1	17389	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
445	gi 827346599 gb AKJ77785.1	17361	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
446	gi 827346590 gb AKJ77776.1	17361	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
447	gi 410176213 gb AFV61872.1	17361	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
448	gi 916443335 gb AKZ24100.1	17379	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
449	gi 916443338 gb AKZ24101.1	17361	22.37	5	1	1	ribosomal protein S7 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]

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450	gi 916439925 gb AKZ22667.1	82427	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
451	gi 410176154 gb AFV61813.1	82441	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
452	gi 916439921 gb AKZ22665.1	82459	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
453	gi 827345836 gb AKJ77137.1	82407	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
454	gi 910312599 ref YP_009162260.1	82407	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
455	gi 836643380 ref YP_009144514.1	82458	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
456	gi 827345140 gb AKJ76724.1	82458	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
457	gi 916439923 gb AKZ22666.1	82440	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
458	gi 752789785 ref YP_009117220.1	82392	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
459	gi 573461950 emb CCQ71619.1	82459	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
460	gi 916439933 gb AKZ22671.1	82411	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
461	gi 401879741 gb AFQ30928.1	82459	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
462	gi 748013903 gb AJE28373.1	82392	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]

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463	gi 827346564 gb AKJ77750.1	82379	21.45	1	1	1	photosystem I P700 chlorophyll a apoprotein A2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
464	gi 122219294 sp Q49SP6.1 TPGD2_POGCB	64149	163.8	30	23	22	Germacrene D synthase 2; AltName: Full=PatTpsBF2
465	gi 403399409 sp E2E2P0.1 GTPS_ORIVU	69063	113.8	11	10	10	Gamma-terpinene synthase, chloroplastic; Short=Ovtps2; AltName: Full=Alpha-terpinene synthase; Flags: Precursor
466	gi 75315260 sp Q9XHE7.1 C71DD_MENPI	56601	111.98	10	5	5	Cytochrome P450 71D13; AltName: Full=(-)-(4S)- Limonene-3-hydroxylase; AltName: Full=Cytochrome P450 isoform PM17
467	gi 29839420 sp Q9XGV9.1 COMT2_OCIBA	39613	108.84	23	9	6	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2; Short=CAOMT-2; Short=COMT-2; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2
468	gi 29839421 sp Q9XGW0.1 COMT1_OCIBA	39529	100.08	15	5	2	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1; Short=CAOMT-1; Short=COMT-1; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1
469	gi 8134569 sp Q42662.2 METE_PLESU	84590	92.48	5	4	4	5-methyltetrahydropteroyltriglutamatehomocysteine methyltransferase; AltName: Full=Cobalamin- independent methionine synthase isozyme; AltName: Full=Vitamin-B12-independent methionine synthase isozyme
470	gi 75180331 sp Q9LRC8.1 BAGLU_SCUBA	58772	74.70	6	3	3	Baicalin-beta-D-glucuronidase; AltName: Full=Baicalinase; Flags: Precursor
471	gi 75244696 sp Q8H2B4.1 LLOS_MENAQ	70535	72.02	1	1	1	R-linalool synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
472	gi 75192856 sp Q9MBC1.1 3AT_PERFR	50675	71.34	5	2	2	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 6"-O-acyltransferase; Short=3AT
473	gi 122219295 sp Q49SP7.1 TPSCS_POGCB	63586	49.89	2	1	1	Gamma-curcumene synthase; AltName: Full=PatTpsA
474	gi 75251484 sp Q5SBP7.1 SELS_OCIBA	63125	47.56	2	1	1	Selinene synthase

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475	gi 75293243 sp Q6WKZ0.1 C7D94_MENGR	56308	40.29	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71D94
476	gi 75306222 sp Q947B7.1 MFS_MENPI	55360	38.64	2	1	1	(+)-menthofuran synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-pulegone 9-hydroxylase
477	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	28.57	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
478	gi 75227033 sp Q76MR7.1 UBGAT_SCUBA	48654	25.41	2	1	1	Baicalein 7-O-glucuronosyltransferase; AltName: Full=UDP-glucuronate:baicalein 7-O- glucuronosyltransferase
479	gi 395484483 gb AFN66501.1	77431	41.88	3	2	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium albicaule]
480	gi 401879790 gb AFQ30977.1	83587	37.73	3	2	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
481	gi 573462000 emb CCQ71669.1	83587	37.73	3	2	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
482	gi 395484473 gb AFN66496.1	78531	41.39	3	2	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucridium parvifolium]
483	gi 762060711 gb AJQ20633.1	73689	38.32	2	1	1	Long-Chain Acyl-CoA Synthetase [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
484	gi 913341331 gb AKU77108.1	104619	30.23	1	1	1	Structural maintenance of chromosomes protein 2, partial [Callicarpa bodinieri]
485	gi 827346602 gb AKJ77788.1	181164	29.32	1	1	1	Ycf1, partial (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
486	gi 844572722 gb AKN09568.1	41656	28.76	2	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
487	gi 691200620 gb AIR77798.1	26940	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Perovskia atriplicifolia]
488	gi 691200582 gb AIR77779.1	29756	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Tectona grandis]
489	gi 691200714 gb AIR77845.1	29953	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Gmelina arborea]

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490	gi 691200580 gb AIR77778.1	30438	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Congea tomentosa]
491	gi 691200590 gb AIR77783.1	26615	32.97	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Origanum vulgare]
492	gi 691200584 gb AIR77780.1	30608	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Callicarpa cathayana]
493	gi 691200708 gb AIR77842.1	29615	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Congea tomentosa]
494	gi 691200712 gb AIR77844.1	29757	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Holmskioldia sanguinea]
495	gi 691200594 gb AIR77785.1	25444	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Mentha longifolia]
496	gi 691200596 gb AIR77786.1	25755	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Mentha longifolia]
497	gi 691200624 gb AIR77800.1	29841	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Mentha longifolia]
498	gi 691200622 gb AIR77799.1	29930	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Premna fulva]
499	gi 691200630 gb AIR77803.1	26302	25.37	4	1	1	TCP transcription factor, partial [Ocimum basilicum]
500	gi 75251484 sp Q5SBP7.1 SELS_OCIBA	63125	24.81	2	1	1	Selinene synthase
501	gi 510794468 gb AGN52200.1	23112	24.18	3	1	1	MYB-related transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
502	gi 662858700 gb AIE77092.1	90197	20.42	1	1	1	(+)-copalyl diphosphate synthase [Marrubium vulgare]
503	gi 837370038 gb AKM94187.1	20521	20.13	6	1	1	Maturase K, partial (chloroplast) [Leonotis nepetifolia]
504	gi 837370329 gb AKM94283.1	28841	20.13	4	1	1	Maturase K, partial (chloroplast) [Leonotis nepetifolia]
505	gi 837372516 gb AKM95003.1	28942	20.13	4	1	1	Maturase K, partial (chloroplast) [Leonotis nepetifolia]
506	gi 837371203 gb AKM94570.1	20329	20.13	6	1	1	Maturase K, partial (chloroplast) [Leonotis nepetifolia]
507	gi 122233627 sp Q4JF75.1 RBR_SCUBA	111795	128.39	19	22	22	Retinoblastoma-related protein
508	gi 75244696 sp Q8H2B4.1 LLOS_MENAQ	70535	102.21	17	14	13	R-linalool synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor

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509	gi 5915815 sp Q42716.1 C71A8_MENPI	57213	98.88	23	12	12	Cytochrome P450 71A8
510	gi 75251478 sp Q5SBP1.1 MYRS_OCIBA	69964	98.67	16	12	8	Beta-myrcene synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
511	gi 75251477 sp Q5SBP0.1 TPSD_OCIBA	70000	75.90	7	6	2	Terpinolene synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
512	gi 75251480 sp Q5SBP3.1 LLOS_OCIBA	65822	66.64	6	3	3	R-linalool synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
513	gi 62899675 sp O81192.1 BPPS_SALOF	69292	55.98	4	3	3	(+)-bornyl diphosphate synthase, chloroplastic; Short=BPPS; AltName: Full=(+)-alpha-pinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-camphene synthase; AltName: Full=SBS; Flags: Precursor
514	gi 403399409 sp E2E2P0.1 GTPS_ORIVU	69063	49.59	3	2	2	Gamma-terpinene synthase, chloroplastic; Short=Ovtps2; AltName: Full=Alpha-terpinene synthase; Flags: Precursor
515	gi 116256299 sp Q9XES0.2 DXR_MENPI	51034	48.60	4	2	2	1-deoxy-D-xylulose 5-phosphate reductoisomerase, chloroplastic; Short=1-deoxyxylulose-5-phosphate reductoisomerase; Short=DXP reductoisomerase; AltName: Full=2-C-methyl-D-erythritol 4-phosphate synthase; F
516	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	47.66	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
517	gi 122219294 sp Q49SP6.1 TPGD2_POGCB	64149	45.43	2	1	1	Germacrene D synthase 2; AltName: Full=PatTpsBF2
518	gi 3914571 sp Q33600.1 RBL_LAVLA	52404	43.88	4	2	2	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain; Short=RuBisCO large subunit; Flags: Precursor
519	gi 3914545 sp Q31655.1 RBL_AJUCH	52455	43.88	4	2	2	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain; Short=RuBisCO large subunit; Flags: Precursor
520	gi 132044 sp P28453.1 RBL_SCUBO	51794	43.88	4	2	2	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain; Short=RuBisCO large subunit
521	gi 1352807 sp P36485.2 RBL_SALDI	52005	38.06	4	2	2	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain; Short=RuBisCO large subunit

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522	gi 75288825 sp Q65CJ7.2 HPPR_PLESU	34128	42.76	3	1	1	Hydroxyphenylpyruvate reductase; Short=HPPR
523	gi 122200955 sp Q2KNL6.1 GEDH1_OCIBA	39044	41.75	4	1	1	Geraniol dehydrogenase 1; Short=ObaGEDH1
524	gi 122219293 sp Q49SP5.1 TPGAS_POGCB	64232	41.24	3	2	2	Germacrene A synthase; AltName: Full=PatTpsCF2
525	gi 5915814 sp O04164.1 C71A6_NEPRA	57955	40.18	3	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71A6
526	gi 122210943 sp Q2XSC5.1 LALIN_LAVAN	65654	36.66	2	1	1	R-linalool synthase; Short=LaLINS
527	gi 403399735 sp E2E2N7.1 BCGS_ORIVU	64443	34.90	1	1	1	Bicyclogermacrene synthase; Short=Ovtps4
528	gi 56749087 sp Q85XY6.1 MATK_OCIBA	60282	34.86	2	1	1	Maturase K; AltName: Full=Intron maturase
529	gi 122219295 sp Q49SP7.1 TPSCS_POGCB	63586	32.33	3	2	2	Gamma-curcumene synthase; AltName: Full=PatTpsA
530	gi 122210942 sp Q2XSC4.1 LABER_LAVAN	62405	29.22	2	1	1	Exo-alpha-bergamotene synthase; Short=LaBERS; AltName: Full=Trans-alpha-bergamotene synthase
531	gi 75227033 sp Q76MR7.1 UBGAT_SCUBA	48654	28.98	2	1	1	Baicalein 7-O-glucuronosyltransferase; AltName: Full=UDP-glucuronate:baicalein 7-O- glucuronosyltransferase
532	gi 75251484 sp Q5SBP7.1 SELS_OCIBA	63125	23.05	2	1	1	Selinene synthase
533	gi 84029472 sp Q93WU3.1 CVMT1_OCIBA	39916	22.03	3	1	1	Chavicol O-methyltransferase; AltName: Full=(Iso)eugenol O-methyltransferase CVOMT1; AltName: Full=S-adenosysI-L-methionine:(Iso)eugenol O-methyltransferase CVOMT1
534	gi 75338881 sp Q9ZR26.1 5GT2_PERFR	49110	21.61	2	1	1	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 5-O-glucosyltransferase 2; AltName: Full=UDP-glucose:anthocyanin 5-O- glucosyltransferase 3R6; Short=p3R6; Flags: Precursor
535	gi 75306222 sp Q947B7.1 MFS_MENPI	55360	20.53	1	1	1	(+)-menthofuran synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-pulegone 9-hydroxylase

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536	gi 752789776 ref YP_009117211.1	158193	48.06	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta' subunit (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
537	gi 748013894 gb AJE28364.1	158193	48.06	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta' subunit (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
538	gi 827346527 gb AKJ77713.1	158467	47.83	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
539	gi 910312590 ref YP_009162251.1	158800	47.83	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta subunit-2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
540	gi 827345829 gb AKJ77130.1	158800	47.83	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta subunit-2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
541	gi 916442767 gb AKZ23937.1	155842	47.83	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
542	gi 844572722 gb AKN09568.1	41656	30.64	2	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
543	gi 844572778 gb AKN09586.1	68167	22.47	1	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
544	gi 844572715 gb AKN09566.1	67854	22.47	1	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
545	gi 748013960 gb AJE28430.1	19533	20.98	6	1	1	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit l (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
546	gi 752789842 ref YP_009117276.1	19533	20.98	6	1	1	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit l (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
547	gi 75251484 sp Q5SBP7.1 SELS_OCIBA	63125	20.86	2	1	1	Selinene synthase
548	gi 766946303 gb AJT36912.1	32806	20.06	3	1	1	Ycf1, partial (chloroplast) [Vitex negundo var. negundo]
549	gi 122233627 sp Q4JF75.1 RBR_SCUBA	111795	120.77	8	9	9	Retinoblastoma-related protein

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550	gi 122219294 sp Q49SP6.1 TPGD2_POGCB	64149	100.26	6	4	1	Germacrene D synthase 2; AltName: Full=PatTpsBF2
551	gi 122219292 sp Q49SP4.1 TPGD1_POGCB	64197	73.10	6	4	1	Germacrene D synthase 1; AltName: Full=PatTpsB15
552	gi 75251482 sp Q5SBP5.1 GCS1_OCIBA	63566	72.41	3	2	1	Gamma-cadinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-gamma- cadinene synthase
553	gi 62899675 sp O81192.1 BPPS_SALOF	69292	70.24	3	2	1	(+)-bornyl diphosphate synthase, chloroplastic; Short=BPPS; AltName: Full=(+)-alpha-pinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-camphene synthase; AltName: Full=SBS; Flags: Precursor
554	gi 75180331 sp Q9LRC8.1 BAGLU_SCUBA	58772	62.83	2	1	1	Baicalin-beta-D-glucuronidase; AltName: Full=Baicalinase; Flags: Precursor
555	gi 75251484 sp Q5SBP7.1 SELS_OCIBA	63125	61.96	5	3	2	Selinene synthase
556	gi 122219293 sp Q49SP5.1 TPGAS_POGCB	64232	51.02	3	2	2	Germacrene A synthase; AltName: Full=PatTpsCF2
557	gi 704000326 sp S4UX02.1 CYPH1_SALMI	55520	48.40	3	1	1	Ferruginol synthase; AltName: Full=Cytochrome P450 76AH1
558	gi 75293242 sp Q6WKY9.1 C7D95_MENGR	56365	42.87	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71D95; AltName: Full=(-)-(4S)- Limonene-3-hydroxylase
559	gi 75290511 sp Q6lV13.1 C7D95_MENSP	56322	42.58	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71D95; AltName: Full=Limonene-3- hydroxylase
560	gi 75315260 sp Q9XHE7.1 C71DD_MENPI	56601	42.87	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71D13; AltName: Full=(-)-(4S)- Limonene-3-hydroxylase; AltName: Full=Cytochrome P450 isoform PM17
561	gi 56749087 sp Q85XY6.1 MATK_OCIBA	60282	35.91	2	1	1	Maturase K; AltName: Full=Intron maturase
562	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	30.97	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase

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563	gi 75338882 sp Q9ZR27.1 5GT1_PERFR	50974	27.37	2	1	1	Anthocyanidin 3-O-glucoside 5-O-glucosyltransferase 1; AltName: Full=UDP-glucose:anthocyanin 5-O- glucosyltransferase 3R4; Short=p3R4; Flags: Precursor
564	gi 510785777 sp G0LD36.1 RAS_MELOI	47161	25.33	2	1	1	Rosmarinate synthase; Short=MoRAS; AltName: Full=Hydroxycinnamoyl-CoA:hydroxyphenyllactate hydroxycinnamoyltransferase
565	gi 748013964 gb AJE28434.1	225117	85.49	3	7	7	Hypothetical chloroplast RF19 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
566	gi 752789846 ref YP_009117280.1	225117	85.49	3	7	7	Hypothetical chloroplast RF19 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
567	gi 751663101 gb AJF98632.1	51505	48.13	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Nepeta cataria]
568	gi 916441445 gb AKZ23427.1	52869	48.13	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Nepeta cataria]
569	gi 751663177 gb AJF98669.1	51810	48.13	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Stachys byzantina]
570	gi 751663109 gb AJF98636.1	51713	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Mentha x piperita]
571	gi 817992263 gb AKG25296.1	52111	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Prunella vulgaris]
572	gi 817992309 gb AKG25319.1	51956	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Salvia pratensis]
573	gi 817991831 gb AKG25080.1	51983	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Clinopodium vulgare]
574	gi 751663103 gb AJF98633.1	51988	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Mentha spicata]

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575	gi 751663105 gb AJF98634.1	52345	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Mentha suaveolens]
576	gi 827345151 gb AKJ76735.1	52873	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
577	gi 836643391 ref YP_009144523.1	52873	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
578	gi 916441443 gb AKZ23426.1	52850	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
579	gi 410176163 gb AFV61822.1	52889	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
580	gi 916441441 gb AKZ23425.1	52888	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
581	gi 817991973 gb AKG25151.1	52020	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Galeopsis bifida]
582	gi 751663168 gb AJF98665.1	51966	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Ocimum tenuiflorum]
583	gi 817992375 gb AKG25352.1	52022	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Stachys sylvatica]
584	gi 817992237 gb AKG25283.1	52058	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Phlomis fruticosa]
585	gi 751663097 gb AJF98630.1	52095	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Ocimum basilicum]
586	gi 817992335 gb AKG25332.1	51941	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Scutellaria galericulata]

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587	gi 817992071 gb AKG25200.1	51959	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Lavandula x intermedia]
588	gi 817992059 gb AKG25194.1	51961	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Lamium galeobdolon]
589	gi 3914545 sp Q31655.1 RBL_AJUCH	52455	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain; Short=RuBisCO large subunit; Flags: Precursor
590	gi 751663113 gb AJF98638.1	52702	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Ajuga bracteosa]
591	gi 401879750 gb AFQ30937.1	52887	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
592	gi 916441453 gb AKZ23431.1	53169	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
593	gi 910312608 ref YP_009162269.1	53663	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
594	gi 827345848 gb AKJ77149.1	53663	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
595	gi 827346558 gb AKJ77744.1	53955	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
596	gi 573461959 emb CCQ71628.1	53698	45.5	4	2	2	Ribulose-1 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
597	gi 1352807 sp P36485.2 RBL_SALDI	52005	42.25	4	2	2	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain; Short=RuBisCO large subunit
598	gi 3914571 sp Q33600.1 RBL_LAVLA	52404	42.25	4	2	2	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain; Short=RuBisCO large subunit
599	gi 132044 sp P28453.1 RBL_SCUBO	51794	42.25	4	2	2	Ribulose bisphosphate carboxylase large chain; Short=RuBisCO large subunit

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600	gi 599079565 dbj BAO57028.1	49007	44.57	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Sideritis cretica subsp. spicata]
601	gi 817992077 gb AKG25203.1	49757	44.57	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Leonurus cardiaca]
602	gi 817992301 gb AKG25315.1	49431	41.41	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (plastid) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
603	gi 602690611 gb AHN96261.1	27410	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
604	gi 602690609 gb AHN96260.1	27410	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
605	gi 602690607 gb AHN96259.1	27410	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
606	gi 602690629 gb AHN96270.1	27410	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
607	gi 602690623 gb AHN96267.1	27409	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
608	gi 602690619 gb AHN96265.1	27409	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
609	gi 602690617 gb AHN96264.1	27409	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
610	gi 602690627 gb AHN96269.1	27428	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
611	gi 602690625 gb AHN96268.1	27428	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]

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612	gi 602690615 gb AHN96263.1	27394	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
613	gi 602690613 gb AHN96262.1	27394	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
614	gi 602690621 gb AHN96266.1	27394	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
615	gi 751663115 gb AJF98639.1	27926	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
616	gi 602690633 gb AHN96272.1	27525	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
617	gi 602690631 gb AHN96271.1	27525	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
618	gi 602690635 gb AHN96273.1	27525	41.41	7	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphatecarboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
619	gi 752789794 ref YP_009117229.1	53224	41.41	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
620	gi 748013912 gb AJE28382.1	53224	41.41	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
621	gi 599079563 dbj BAO57027.1	48957	41.41	4	2	2	Ribulose-1,5-bisphosphate carboxylase/oxygenase large subunit, partial (chloroplast) [Teucrium heterophyllum]
622	gi 910312590 ref YP_009162251.1	158800	40.49	1	2	2	RNA polymerase beta subunit-2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
623	gi 827345829 gb AKJ77130.1	158800	40.49	1	2	2	RNA polymerase beta subunit-2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]

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624	gi 827346527 gb AKJ77713.1	158467	35.47	2	2	2	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
625	gi 916442767 gb AKZ23937.1	155842	35.47	2	2	2	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
626	gi 669254293 gb All20586.1	79081	31.94	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Hymenopyramis cana]
627	gi 521953395 gb AGQ04156.1	82464	28.81	2	1	1	4-hydroxy-3-methylbut-2-enyl diphosphate synthase [Lavandula angustifolia]
628	gi 735679295 gb AJA39985.1	82378	28.81	2	1	1	(E)-4-hydroxy-3-methylbut-2-enyl diphosphate synthase [Salvia miltiorrhiza f. alba]
629	gi 796406070 gb AKA59790.1	28575	24.94	4	1	1	MYB19 [Scutellaria playfairii]
630	gi 661525316 gb AIE15765.1	184302	21.75	1	1	1	Dicer-like protein 3 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
631	gi 910312663 ref YP_009162324.1	268069	21.56	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
632	gi 827345826 gb AKJ77127.1	268069	21.56	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
633	gi 827345827 gb AKJ77128.1	268069	21.56	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
634	gi 910312644 ref YP_009162305.1	268069	21.56	0	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
635	gi 670606706 gb All31147.1	9275	20.48	11	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria hyssopifolia var. hyssopifolia]
636	gi 670606710 gb All31149.1	9520	20.48	10	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria hyssopifolia var. kuegleri]

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637	gi 670606712 gb All31150.1	10786	20.48	9	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria teneriffae var. cordifolia]
638	gi 670606714 gb All31151.1	11074	20.48	9	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria teneriffae var. cordifolia]
639	gi 670606704 gb All31146.1	10951	20.48	9	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria lepida subsp. lepida]
640	gi 670606708 gb All31148.1	11164	20.48	9	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria hyssopifolia var. kuegleri]
641	gi 670606716 gb All31152.1	11349	20.48	9	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria hyssopifolia var. glabrescens]
642	gi 670606702 gb All31145.1	11506	20.48	9	1	1	Adenosine kinase, partial [Micromeria hyssopifolia var. glabrescens]
643	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	20.03	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
644	gi 75293243 sp Q6WKZ0.1 C7D94_MENGR	56308	192.9	51	41	39	Cytochrome P450 71D94
645	gi 122233627 sp Q4JF75.1 RBR_SCUBA	111795	173.76	17	23	23	Retinoblastoma-related protein
646	gi 122249145 sp Q49SP3.1 TPSPS_POGCB	64199	115.16	7	6	6	Patchoulol synthase; Short=PatTps177; AltName: Full=Alpha-guaiene synthase; AltName: Full=Delta- guaiene synthase
647	gi 75251477 sp Q5SBP0.1 TPSD_OCIBA	70000	111	6	6	6	Terpinolene synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
648	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	107.88	8	4	4	(+)-pulegone reductase
649	gi 75252096 sp Q5W283.1 TPSCM_MENPI	63839	88.26	6	4	4	Cis-muuroladiene synthase; Short=MxpSS1
650	gi 75290511 sp Q6lV13.1 C7D95_MENSP	56322	81.07	4	2	1	Cytochrome P450 71D95; AltName: Full=Limonene-3- hydroxylase

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651	gi 75293242 sp Q6WKY9.1 C7D95_MENGR	56365	81.07	4	2	1	Cytochrome P450 71D95; AltName: Full=(-)-(4S)- Limonene-3-hydroxylase
652	gi 75161989 sp Q8W1W9.1 5MAT1_SALSN	50724	46.62	2	1	1	Malonyl-coenzyme:anthocyanin 5-O-glucoside-6'''-O- malonyltransferase; Short=Malonyl CoA:anthocyanin 5- O-glucoside-6'''-O-malonyltransferase; Short=Ss5MaT1
653	gi 62899675 sp O81192.1 BPPS_SALOF	69292	41.02	3	1	1	(+)-bornyl diphosphate synthase, chloroplastic; Short=BPPS; AltName: Full=(+)-alpha-pinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-camphene synthase; AltName: Full=SBS; Flags: Precursor
654	gi 75251483 sp Q5SBP6.1 GDS_OCIBA	63395	40.58	2	1	1	Germacrene-D synthase; AltName: Full=(-)-germacrene D synthase
655	gi 748013968 gb AJE28438.1	268103	46.32	1	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF21 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
656	gi 752789850 ref YP_009117284.1	268103	46.32	1	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF21 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
657	gi 752789831 ref YP_009117265.1	268103	46.32	1	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF21 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
658	gi 748013949 gb AJE28419.1	268103	46.32	1	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF21 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
659	gi 573462016 emb CCQ71685.1	267080	43.64	1	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
660	gi 573461995 emb CCQ71664.1	267080	43.64	1	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
661	gi 401879785 gb AFQ30972.1	267080	43.64	1	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
662	gi 401879806 gb AFQ30993.1	267080	43.64	1	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
663	gi 827346579 gb AKJ77765.1	266476	43.64	1	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]

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664	gi 827346597 gb AKJ77783.1	266476	43.64	1	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
665	gi 836643370 ref YP_009144558.1	266537	40.53	1	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
666	gi 827345131 gb AKJ76715.1	266537	40.53	1	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
667	gi 827345130 gb AKJ76714.1	266537	40.53	1	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
668	gi 836643371 ref YP_009144577.1	266537	40.53	1	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
669	gi 410176216 gb AFV61875.1	264781	40.53	1	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
670	gi 410176197 gb AFV61856.1	264781	40.53	1	1	1	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
671	gi 827345827 gb AKJ77128.1	268069	43.09	1	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
672	gi 827345826 gb AKJ77127.1	268069	43.09	1	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
673	gi 910312644 ref YP_009162305.1	268069	43.09	1	1	1	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
674	gi 661525316 gb AIE15765.1	184302	31.49	1	1	1	Dicer-like protein 3 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
675	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	31.47	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
676	gi 844572722 gb AKN09568.1	41656	24.97	2	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
677	gi 395484497 gb AFN66507.1	77873	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium fruticans]
678	gi 395484493 gb AFN66505.1	77203	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium pseudochamaepitys]
679	gi 395484487 gb AFN66503.1	77172	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium aroanium]

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680	gi 395484509 gb AFN66512.1	77251	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium orientale subsp. gloeotrichum]
681	gi 395484485 gb AFN66502.1	77595	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium aristatum]
682	gi 836643377 ref YP_009144562.1	84218	24.31	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
683	gi 827345137 gb AKJ76721.1	84218	24.31	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
684	gi 916438885 gb AKZ22147.1	84443	24.31	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
685	gi 395484473 gb AFN66496.1	78531	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucridium parvifolium]
686	gi 827346594 gb AKJ77780.1	84248	24.31	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
687	gi 395484489 gb AFN66504.1	76910	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium betonicum]
688	gi 395484515 gb AFN66515.1	76501	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium racemosum]
689	gi 395484524 gb AFN66519.1	75723	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium kotschyanum]
690	gi 395484517 gb AFN66516.1	76688	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium salviastrum]
691	gi 395484511 gb AFN66513.1	76860	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium oxylepis]
692	gi 401879790 gb AFQ30977.1	83587	24.31	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]

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693	gi 573462000 emb CCQ71669.1	83587	24.31	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
694	gi 395484522 gb AFN66518.1	76105	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium subspinosum]
695	gi 752789835 ref YP_009117269.1	85385	24.31	1	1	1	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
696	gi 748013953 gb AJE28423.1	85385	24.31	1	1	1	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
697	gi 395484475 gb AFN66497.1	78510	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Rubiteucris palmata]
698	gi 916438887 gb AKZ22148.1	83254	24.31	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
699	gi 395484502 gb AFN66509.1	75956	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium divaricatum]
700	gi 395484481 gb AFN66500.1	76061	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium flavum subsp. glaucum]
701	gi 395484520 gb AFN66517.1	76892	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium spinosum]
702	gi 395484477 gb AFN66498.1	76293	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Spartothamnella puberula]
703	gi 395484483 gb AFN66501.1	77431	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium albicaule]
704	gi 669254293 gb All20586.1	79081	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Hymenopyramis cana]
705	gi 669254291 gb AII20585.1	79070	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Petraeovitex multiflora]

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706	gi 916438881 gb AKZ22145.1	84354	24.31	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
707	gi 410176201 gb AFV61860.1	84295	24.31	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
708	gi 395484537 gb AFN66525.1	78210	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium decipiens]
709	gi 395484530 gb AFN66522.1	76725	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium viscidum var. miquelianum]
710	gi 395484528 gb AFN66521.1	76705	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium japonicum]
711	gi 395484507 gb AFN66511.1	77434	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium nudicaule]
712	gi 395484504 gb AFN66510.1	77454	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium laciniatum]
713	gi 395484526 gb AFN66520.1	76596	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium bicolor]
714	gi 827345833 gb AKJ77134.1	85675	24.31	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
715	gi 910312648 ref YP_009162309.1	85675	24.31	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
716	gi 669254285 gb All20582.1	74815	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Holocheila longipedunculata]
717	gi 669254287 gb All20583.1	77022	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Holocheila longipedunculata]
718	gi 669254283 gb AII20581.1	77991	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Holocheila longipedunculata]

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719	gi 395484513 gb AFN66514.1	76814	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium pyrenaicum]
720	gi 395484495 gb AFN66506.1	76993	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium eriocephalum subsp. almeriense]
721	gi 395484500 gb AFN66508.1	77065	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium stocksianum subsp. incanum]
722	gi 395484479 gb AFN66499.1	34714	24.31	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Oncinocalyx betchei]
723	gi 395484533 gb AFN66523.1	75763	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium montbretii subsp. heliotropiifolium]
724	gi 395484535 gb AFN66524.1	76413	24.31	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium antitauricum]
725	gi 510794472 gb AGN52202.1	40938	24.14	2	1	1	MYB-related transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
726	gi 573462009 emb CCQ71678.1	45534	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
727	gi 401879799 gb AFQ30986.1	45534	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
728	gi 836643397 ref YP_009144571.1	45642	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
729	gi 827345157 gb AKJ76741.1	45642	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
730	gi 410176210 gb AFV61869.1	45519	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
731	gi 916439041 gb AKZ22225.1	45538	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]

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732	gi 916439045 gb AKZ22227.1	45533	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
733	gi 916439043 gb AKZ22226.1	45734	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
734	gi 916439047 gb AKZ22228.1	45476	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
735	gi 827346580 gb AKJ77766.1	45539	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
736	gi 827345853 gb AKJ77154.1	45491	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
737	gi 910312657 ref YP_009162318.1	45491	23.18	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
738	gi 752789844 ref YP_009117278.1	45401	23.18	4	1	1	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
739	gi 748013962 gb AJE28432.1	45401	23.18	4	1	1	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit 7 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
740	gi 748013960 gb AJE28430.1	19533	21.73	6	1	1	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit l (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
741	gi 752789842 ref YP_009117276.1	19533	21.73	6	1	1	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit l (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
742	gi 916438099 gb AKZ21755.1	37677	21.34	2	1	1	cytochrome c biogenesis protein (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
743	gi 916442749 gb AKZ23931.1	157974	21.28	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
744	gi 836643373 ref YP_009144505.1	158291	21.28	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]

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745	gi 827345133 gb AKJ76717.1	158291	21.28	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
746	gi 410176145 gb AFV61804.1	158559	21.28	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
747	gi 916442746 gb AKZ23930.1	158642	21.28	1	1	1	RNA polymerase beta" subunit (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
748	gi 75244696 sp Q8H2B4.1 LLOS_MENAQ	267080	137.47	5	14	14	R-linalool synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
749	gi 75251477 sp Q5SBP0.1 TPSD_OCIBA	267080	137.47	5	14	14	Terpinolene synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
750	gi 8134569 sp Q42662.2 METE_PLESU	267080	137.19	5	14	14	5-methyltetrahydropteroyltriglutamatehomocysteine methyltransferase; AltName: Full=Cobalamin- independent methionine synthase isozyme; AltName: Full=Vitamin-B12-independent methionine synthase isozyme
751	gi 75251482 sp Q5SBP5.1 GCS1_OCIBA	267080	137.47	5	14	14	Gamma-cadinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-gamma- cadinene synthase
752	gi 122249145 sp Q49SP3.1 TPSPS_POGCB	78531	34.94	2	1	1	Patchoulol synthase; Short=PatTps177; AltName: Full=Alpha-guaiene synthase; AltName: Full=Delta- guaiene synthase
753	gi 75251481 sp Q5SBP4.1 AZIS_OCIBA	76501	34.94	2	1	1	Alpha-zingiberene synthase
754	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	84218	34.94	1	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
755	gi 122210942 sp Q2XSC4.1 LABER_LAVAN	84218	34.94	1	1	1	Exo-alpha-bergamotene synthase; Short=LaBERS; AltName: Full=Trans-alpha-bergamotene synthase
756	gi 122200954 sp Q2KNL5.1 CADH1_OCIBA	84443	34.94	1	1	1	Cinnamyl alcohol dehydrogenase 1; Short=CAD 1; Short=ObaCAD1
757	gi 122219295 sp Q49SP7.1 TPSCS_POGCB	77203	34.94	2	1	1	Gamma-curcumene synthase; AltName: Full=PatTpsA

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758	gi 122233627 sp Q4JF75.1 RBR_SCUBA	84354	34.94	1	1	1	Retinoblastoma-related protein
759	gi 75161989 sp Q8W1W9.1 5MAT1_SALSN	79081	34.94	2	1	1	Malonyl-coenzyme:anthocyanin 5-O-glucoside-6'''-O- malonyltransferase; Short=Malonyl CoA:anthocyanin 5- O-glucoside-6'''-O-malonyltransferase; Short=Ss5MaT1
760	gi 510785777 sp G0LD36.1 RAS_MELOI	84295	34.94	1	1	1	Rosmarinate synthase; Short=MoRAS; AltName: Full=Hydroxycinnamoyl-CoA:hydroxyphenyllactate hydroxycinnamoyltransferase
761	gi 573461995 emb CCQ71664.1	267080	137.47	5	14	14	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
762	gi 573462016 emb CCQ71685.1	267080	137.47	5	14	14	Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
763	gi 401879785 gb AFQ30972.1	267080	137.47	5	14	14	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
764	gi 401879806 gb AFQ30993.1	267080	137.47	5	14	14	Hypothetical chloroplast RF2 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
765	gi 395484473 gb AFN66496.1	78531	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucridium parvifolium]
766	gi 395484515 gb AFN66515.1	76501	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium racemosum]
767	gi 836643377 ref YP_009144562.1	84218	34.94	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
768	gi 827345137 gb AKJ76721.1	84218	34.94	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
769	gi 916438885 gb AKZ22147.1	84443	34.94	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
770	gi 395484493 gb AFN66505.1	77203	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium pseudochamaepitys]

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771	gi 916438881 gb AKZ22145.1	84354	34.94	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (plastid) [Monarda fistulosa var. mollis]
772	gi 669254293 gb All20586.1	79081	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Hymenopyramis cana]
773	gi 410176201 gb AFV61860.1	84295	34.94	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
774	gi 395484517 gb AFN66516.1	76688	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium salviastrum]
775	gi 395484511 gb AFN66513.1	76860	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium oxylepis]
776	gi 395484489 gb AFN66504.1	76910	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium betonicum]
777	gi 669254285 gb All20582.1	74815	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Holocheila longipedunculata]
778	gi 669254287 gb All20583.1	77022	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Holocheila longipedunculata]
779	gi 669254283 gb All20581.1	77991	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Holocheila longipedunculata]
780	gi 395484483 gb AFN66501.1	77431	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium albicaule]
781	gi 395484520 gb AFN66517.1	76892	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium spinosum]
782	gi 395484495 gb AFN66506.1	76993	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium eriocephalum subsp. almeriense]
783	gi 395484500 gb AFN66508.1	77065	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium stocksianum subsp. incanum]

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784	gi 395484526 gb AFN66520.1	76596	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium bicolor]
785	gi 395484507 gb AFN66511.1	77434	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium nudicaule]
786	gi 395484504 gb AFN66510.1	77454	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium laciniatum]
787	gi 395484477 gb AFN66498.1	76293	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Spartothamnella puberula]
788	gi 395484513 gb AFN66514.1	76814	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium pyrenaicum]
789	gi 395484502 gb AFN66509.1	75956	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium divaricatum]
790	gi 395484522 gb AFN66518.1	76105	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium subspinosum]
791	gi 669254291 gb All20585.1	79070	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (chloroplast) [Petraeovitex multiflora]
792	gi 395484475 gb AFN66497.1	78510	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Rubiteucris palmata]
793	gi 395484481 gb AFN66500.1	76061	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium flavum subsp. glaucum]
794	gi 916438887 gb AKZ22148.1	83254	34.94	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
795	gi 748013953 gb AJE28423.1	85385	34.94	1	1	1	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
796	gi 752789835 ref YP_009117269.1	85385	34.94	1	1	1	NADH-plastoquinone oxidoreductase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]

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797	gi 395484530 gb AFN66522.1	76725	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium viscidum var. miquelianum]
798	gi 395484528 gb AFN66521.1	76705	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium japonicum]
799	gi 827346594 gb AKJ77780.1	84248	34.94	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
800	gi 395484497 gb AFN66507.1	77873	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium fruticans]
801	gi 395484509 gb AFN66512.1	77251	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium orientale subsp. gloeotrichum]
802	gi 395484485 gb AFN66502.1	77595	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium aristatum]
803	gi 395484487 gb AFN66503.1	77172	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium aroanium]
804	gi 395484537 gb AFN66525.1	78210	34.94	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium decipiens]
805	gi 573462000 emb CCQ71669.1	83587	26.78	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
806	gi 401879790 gb AFQ30977.1	83587	26.78	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
807	gi 395484533 gb AFN66523.1	75763	26.78	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium montbretii subsp. heliotropiifolium]
808	gi 395484535 gb AFN66524.1	76413	26.78	2	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Teucrium antitauricum]
809	gi 827345833 gb AKJ77134.1	85675	26.78	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]

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810	gi 910312648 ref YP_009162309.1	85675	26.78	1	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit 5 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
811	gi 395484479 gb AFN66499.1	34714	26.78	4	1	1	NADH dehydrogenase subunit F, partial (plastid) [Oncinocalyx betchei]
812	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	34.40	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
813	gi 5915814 sp O04164.1 C71A6_NEPRA	57955	124.01	14	7	7	Cytochrome P450 71A6
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819	gi 75251477 sp Q5SBP0.1 TPSD_OCIBA	70000	65.09	5	3	2	Terpinolene synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
820	gi 75315259 sp Q9XHE6.1 C71DF_MENPI	56532	62.77	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 71D15; AltName: Full=(-)-(4S)- Limonene-3-hydroxylase; AltName: Full=Cytochrome P450 isoform PM2
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822	gi 29839421 sp Q9XGW0.1 COMT1_OCIBA	39529	59.08	3	1	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1; Short=CAOMT-1; Short=COMT-1; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1

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826	gi 401879801 gb AFQ30988.1	218699	34.68	1	1	1	Photosystem I assembly protein Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
827	gi 573462011 emb CCQ71680.1	218685	32.29	1	1	1	Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
828	gi 661525316 gb AIE15765.1	184302	32.29	1	1	1	Dicer-like protein 3 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
829	gi 844572794 gb AKN09591.1	22976	26.64	4	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
830	gi 661525312 gb AIE15763.1	216665	24.47	1	1	1	Dicer-like protein 1 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
831	gi 916441767 gb AKZ23588.1	15470	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (plastid) [Teucrium canadense]
832	gi 827345878 gb AKJ77179.1	15363	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
833	gi 910312623 ref YP_009162284.1	15363	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Scutellaria baicalensis]
834	gi 916441755 gb AKZ23582.1	15554	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (plastid) [Nepeta cataria]
835	gi 916441757 gb AKZ23583.1	15566	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (plastid) [Salvia nemorosa]
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838	gi 827345181 gb AKJ76765.1	15446	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
839	gi 836643421 ref YP_009144537.1	15446	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
840	gi 827346543 gb AKJ77729.1	15537	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Perilla frutescens]
841	gi 748013927 gb AJE28397.1	15724	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
842	gi 752789809 ref YP_009117244.1	15724	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Premna microphylla]
843	gi 573461974 emb CCQ71643.1	15541	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
844	gi 401879765 gb AFQ30952.1	15541	24.02	6	1	1	Ribosomal protein L20 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
845	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	23.86	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
846	gi 745791013 gb AJD25215.1	56512	21.31	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 CYP92B28 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
847	gi 75161989 sp Q8W1W9.1 5MAT1_SALSN	101.20	10	5	5	50724	Malonyl-coenzyme:anthocyanin 5-O-glucoside-6'''-O- malonyltransferase; Short=Malonyl CoA:anthocyanin 5- O-glucoside-6'''-O-malonyltransferase; Short=Ss5MaT1
848	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	96.90	6	3	3	37915	(+)-pulegone reductase
849	gi 8134569 sp Q42662.2 METE_PLESU	92.21	4	4	4	84590	5-methyltetrahydropteroyltriglutamatehomocysteine methyltransferase; AltName: Full=Cobalamin- independent methionine synthase isozyme; AltName: Full=Vitamin-B12-independent methionine synthase isozyme

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851	gi 75288825 sp Q65CJ7.2 HPPR_PLESU	79.89	3	1	1	34128	Hydroxyphenylpyruvate reductase; Short=HPPR
852	gi 75180331 sp Q9LRC8.1 BAGLU_SCUBA	77.84	4	2	2	58772	Baicalin-beta-D-glucuronidase; AltName: Full=Baicalinase; Flags: Precursor
853	gi 75219538 sp O48935.1 TPSBF_MENPI	73.42	4	2	2	63830	Beta-farnesene synthase
854	gi 122219294 sp Q49SP6.1 TPGD2_POGCB	72.68	2	1	1	64149	Germacrene D synthase 2; AltName: Full=PatTpsBF2
855	gi 75244696 sp Q8H2B4.1 LLOS_MENAQ	71.83	2	1	1	70535	R-linalool synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
856	gi 62899675 sp O81192.1 BPPS_SALOF	70.92	2	1	1	69292	(+)-bornyl diphosphate synthase, chloroplastic; Short=BPPS; AltName: Full=(+)-alpha-pinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-camphene synthase; AltName: Full=SBS; Flags: Precursor
857	gi 14423898 sp Q9M573.1 RL31_PERFR	64.2	7	1	1	13894	60S ribosomal protein L31
858	gi 75251477 sp Q5SBP0.1 TPSD_OCIBA	59.95	2	1	1	70000	Terpinolene synthase, chloroplastic; Flags: Precursor
859	gi 75251482 sp Q5SBP5.1 GCS1_OCIBA	41.49	4	1	1	63566	Gamma-cadinene synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-gamma- cadinene synthase
860	gi 56749087 sp Q85XY6.1 MATK_OCIBA	40.87	2	1	1	60282	Maturase K; AltName: Full=Intron maturase
861	gi 122210943 sp Q2XSC5.1 LALIN_LAVAN	39.51	1	1	1	65654	R-linalool synthase; Short=LaLINS
862	gi 510785777 sp G0LD36.1 RAS_MELOI	38.69	2	1	1	47161	Rosmarinate synthase; Short=MoRAS; AltName: Full=Hydroxycinnamoyl-CoA:hydroxyphenyllactate hydroxycinnamoyltransferase
863	gi 75306222 sp Q947B7.1 MFS_MENPI	34.67	5	1	1	55360	(+)-menthofuran synthase; AltName: Full=(+)-pulegone 9-hydroxylase

No.	Accession Number	Average Mass	Max- 10logP	Max Coverage (%)	Max# Peptides	Max# Unique	Description
864	gi 410176212 gb AFV61871.1	217739	129.41	11	24	23	Protein Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]; Protein TIC 214
865	gi 401879801 gb AFQ30988.1	218699	48.04	1	2	1	Photosystem I assembly protein Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]; Protein TIC 214
866	gi 573462011 emb CCQ71680.1	218685	48.04	1	2	1	Protein Ycf1 (chloroplast) [Salvia miltiorrhiza]; Protein TIC 214
867	gi 661525318 gb AIE15766.1	183633	46.23	0	1	1	Dicer-like protein 4a [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
868	gi 75129878 sp Q6WAU0.1 PULR_MENPI	37915	41.91	2	1	1	(+)-pulegone reductase
869	gi 410176197 gb AFV61856.1	264781	40.31	1	2	2	Protein Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
870	gi 410176216 gb AFV61875.1	264781	40.31	1	2	2	Protein Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Origanum vulgare subsp. vulgare]
871	gi 836643370 ref YP_009144558.1	266537	40.31	1	2	2	Protein Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
872	gi 827345131 gb AKJ76715.1	266537	40.31	1	2	2	Protein Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
873	gi 827345130 gb AKJ76714.1	266537	40.31	1	2	2	Protein Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
874	gi 836643371 ref YP_009144577.1	266537	40.31	1	2	2	Protein Ycf2 (chloroplast) [Rosmarinus officinalis]
875	gi 844572640 gb AKN09541.1	34841	39.74	3	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
876	gi 602690681 gb AHN96278.1	37139	37.81	3	1	1	Marurase K, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
877	gi 602690679 gb AHN96277.1	37139	37.81	3	1	1	Marurase K, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
878	gi 602690689 gb AHN96282.1	37139	37.81	3	1	1	Marurase K, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
879	gi 602690701 gb AHN96288.1	37139	37.81	3	1	1	Marurase K, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
880	gi 602690697 gb AHN96286.1	37139	37.81	3	1	1	Marurase K, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]

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883	gi 602690683 gb AHN96279.1	37138	37.81	3	1	1	Marurase K, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
884	gi 602690699 gb AHN96287.1	37138	37.81	3	1	1	Marurase K, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
885	gi 602690687 gb AHN96281.1	37105	37.81	3	1	1	Marurase K, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
886	gi 602690685 gb AHN96280.1	37105	37.81	3	1	1	Marurase K, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
887	gi 602690677 gb AHN96276.1	37105	37.81	3	1	1	Marurase K, partial (chloroplast) [Zhumeria majdae]
888	gi 661525312 gb AIE15763.1	216665	33.15	1	1	1	Dicer-like protein 1 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
889	gi 745790967 gb AJD25192.1	58706	32.46	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 CYP79D40 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
890	gi 844572703 gb AKN09562.1	36568	32.19	2	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
891	gi 29839420 sp Q9XGV9.1 COMT2_OCIBA	39613	31.81	3	1	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2; Short=CAOMT-2; Short=COMT-2; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 2
892	gi 29839421 sp Q9XGW0.1 COMT1_OCIBA	39529	24.12	3	1	1	Caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1; Short=CAOMT-1; Short=COMT-1; AltName: Full=S-adenosysl-L- methionine:caffeic acid 3-O-methyltransferase 1
893	gi 844572794 gb AKN09591.1	22976	27.18	4	1	1	Basic helix-loop-helix transcription factor [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
894	gi 910312590 ref YP_009162251.1	158800	27.01	1	1	1	DNA-directed RNA polymerase subunit beta"UniRule annotation (EC:2.7.7.6UniRule annotation)
895	gi 827345829 gb AKJ77130.1	158800	27.01	1	1	1	DNA-directed RNA polymerase subunit beta"UniRule annotation (EC:2.7.7.6UniRule annotation)
No.	Accession Number	Average Mass	Max- 10logP	Max Coverage (%)	Max# Peptides	Max# Unique	Description
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896	gi 661525316 gb AIE15765.1	184302	25.36	1	1	1	Dicer-like protein 3 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
897	gi 745791003 gb AJD25210.1	57675	23.31	2	1	1	Cytochrome P450 CYP89A115 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
898	gi 521953403 gb AGQ04160.1	40132	21.67	3	1	1	Farnesyl diphosphate synthase [Lavandula angustifolia]
899	gi 630058023 gb AHY94894.1	51993	21.30	2	1	1	4-coumarate:CoA ligase, partial [Prunella vulgaris]
900	gi 745790929 gb AJD25173.1	57680	21.12	1	1	1	Cytochrome P450 CYP73A120 [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
901	gi 725812545 gb AIY32618.1	57979	21.12	1	1	1	Cinnamate-4-hydroxylase [Perilla frutescens]
902	gi 762060297 gb AJQ20620.1	48394	21.05	2	1	1	Dihydrolipoamide Acetyltransferase [Salvia miltiorrhiza]
903	gi 548918017 gb AGX15389.1	56042	20.86	2	1	1	Flavonoid 3' monooxygenase [Plectranthus barbatus]
904	gi 661525320 gb AIE15767.1	174990	20.37	1	1	1	Dicer-like protein 4b [Salvia miltiorrhiza]

## Chapter 3

Neuroprotective Potential of *Orthosiphon stamineus* Proteins in SH-SY5Y Cell Model Induced by Hydrogen Peroxide

#### 3.1 Introduction

Human neuroblastoma cell line, SH-SY5Y with a stable karyotype consisting of 47 chromosomes, is an *in vitro* model ideal for high-throughput study on neurobiology (Kovalevich & Langford, 2013). SH-SY5Y model provides an efficient platform essential for preliminary drug testing, protein functionality and molecular mechanisms in neurological conditions as well as the pathogenesis of viral infection on the CNS (Shipley, Mangold, & Szpara, 2016).

The present chapter begins with optimizing the SH-SY5Y cell growth at different seeding density. The optimal cell density determined is then used in all the subsequent in vitro assays as described in Figure 3.1. Cytotoxic study of OSLP at varying concentrations over two-time points, 24- and 48-hour, are evaluated. The maximal non-toxic dose (MNTD) and the minimal toxic dose (MTD) are also determined. The SH-SY5Y cells are challenged by hydrogen peroxide ( $H_2O_2$ ) and the half-maximal inhibitory concentration ( $IC_{50}$ ), as well as the maximal inhibitory concentration ( $IC_{90}$ ), are determined. The  $IC_{50}$  value determined is then used in the evaluation of OSLP protective potential in the H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>-induced SH-SY5Y cell model and the protein expression study. The protective mechanism of OSLP in the H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>induced SH-SY5Y cell model is also investigated using mass spectrometry-based label-free proteomic quantification (LFQ). LFQ profiles the differentially expressed proteins between the H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>-induced cells and OSLP-treated H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>-induced cells. This thus provides fundamental information to study the functional annotations, the protein-protein interactions, and their gene-disease associations. These enriched biological data help to visualize the molecular interactions, reactions, and relations associated with the anticonvulsive mechanism of OSLP on disease pathway maps. Hence, the objectives of this chapter are:

- 1. To evaluate the cytotoxic effects of OSLP on SH-SY5Y cells (24- and 48-hour).
- 2. To establish the  $H_2O_2$ -induced SH-SY5Y cell model and determine the IC<sub>50</sub> value.
- 3. To evaluate OSLP protective potential in the H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>-induced SH-SY5Y cell model.
- 4. To elucidate OSLP protective mechanism at protein expression levels in combination with bioinformatics methods.

The flowchart outlining the overview of experimental design to achieve the objectives are summarized Figure 3.1 below:





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# Orthosiphon stamineus Proteins Alleviate Hydrogen Peroxide Stress in SH-SY5Y Cells

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13 Abstract: The neuroprotective potential of extracted Orthosiphon stamineus leaf proteins (OSLP) has 14 never been evaluated in SH-SY5Y cells challenged by hydrogen peroxide (H2O2). This work thus 15 aimed to elucidate OSLP neuroprotective potential in alleviating H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> stress. OSLP at varying 16 concentrations were evaluated for cytotoxicity (24- and 48-h) and neuroprotective potential in H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>-17 induced SH-SY5Y cells (24-h). The OSLP protective mechanism on H2O2-induced SH-SY5Y cells was 18 also explored via mass spectrometry-based label-free quantitative proteomics (LFQ) and 19 bioinformatics. OSLP (25, 50, 125, 250, 500 and 1000 µg/mL; 24- and 48-h) were found to be safe. Pre-20 treatments with OSLP doses (250, 500 and 1000 µg/mL, 24-h) significantly increased the survival of 21 SH-SY5Y cells in a concentration-dependent manner and improved the cell architecture; pyramidal-22 shaped cells, reduced clumping and shrinkage, and with apparent neurite formations. OSLP pre-23 treatment (1000 µg/mL, 24-h) had lowered the expressions of two major heat shock proteins, HSPA8 24 (Heat Shock Protein Family A (Hsp70) Member 8) and HSP90AA1 (Heat shock protein 90), which 25 promote cellular stress signalling under stress conditions. OSLP is therefore suggested to be anti-26 inflammatory by modulating the "Signaling of Interleukin-4 and Interleukin-13" pathway as the 27 predominant mechanism in addition to regulating the "Attenuation Phase" and "HSP90 Chaperone 28 Cycle for Steroid Hormone Receptors" pathways to counteract heat shock protein (HSP)-induced 29 damage under stress conditions.

30 Keywords: Orthosiphon stamineus; Plant-derived proteins; Neuroprotective; SH-SY5Y cell model;

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33 1. Introduction

Worldwide, central nervous system (CNS) disorders remain as one of the greatest threats in public health and account for a significant proportion in the picture of global disease burden [1, 2]. These disorders though may involve a wide variety of mechanisms but share some common themes including abnormal protein behaviour, oxidative stress, mitochondrial dysfunction, excitotoxicity, ions imbalance, cellular inflammation, cytotoxicity, necrosis, apoptosis and others [3-7].

Neuroprotection has been explored as a possible treatment strategy [6, 8] that aims to prevent
 neuronal injury and loss of various brain functions with an ultimate goal to better preserve brain
 function [9].

42 *Orthosiphon stamineus* (OS) or *Orthosiphon aristatus var. aristatus* (OAA) is a medicinal plant 43 belonging to the Lamiaceae family. Often, it is referred to as cat's whiskers or "misai kucing". A 44 plethora of studies on the crude extracts or secondary metabolites of OS has shown protective effects 45 including antioxidative, anti-inflammatory, antiproliferative, cytotoxic and anti-angiogenic [10, 11]. 46 Added to that, OS has recently been reported for neuroprotective effects [12]. To date, there is no 47 systematic investigation on OS primary metabolites especially their protective potential for the CNS. 48 This thus sees a lack of science-backed evidence to justify the protective potential of OS primary 49 metabolites, let alone its proteins. Using another medicinal plant known as Nicotiana tabacum L., Shah, 50 Yoon [13] have found the extracted protein osmotin (24 kDa) shown protection against Alzheimer's 51 disease. The OS proteins, could be similar to the protein osmotin, in that they also possess valuable 52 protective properties for the CNS. Human neuroblastoma cell line, SH-SY5Y with a stable karyotype 53 consisting of 47 chromosomes, is an *in vitro* model ideal for high-throughput study on neurobiology 54 [14]. SH-SY5Y model provide an efficient platform essential for preliminary drug testing, protein 55 functionality and molecular mechanisms in neurological conditions as well as the pathogenesis of 56 viral infection on the CNS [15]. This study was commenced to evaluate the neuroprotective potential 57 of OSLP in SH-SY5Y cells induced by hydrogen peroxide (H2O2).

#### 58 2. Materials and Methods

#### 59 2.1. Materials, chemicals and apparatuses

60 Human SH-SY5Y neuroblastoma cells (ATCC®CRL-2266TM) were purchased from the 61 American Type Culture Collection (ATCC, VA, USA). Foetal bovine serum (FBS) and penicillinstreptomycin mixture (Pen/Strep) were purchased from PAA Laboratories (Austria). 62 63 Haemocytometer BLAUBRAND®Neubauer, Dulbecco's Modified Eagle's Medium (DMEM), 3-(4,5-64 methylthiazol-2-yl)-2,5-diphenyl-tetrazolium bromide (MTT), cOmplete EDTA-free protease 65 inhibitors, phosphatase inhibitors cocktail 2, Hydrogen peroxide (H2O2), TRIS hydrochloride (TRIS-66 HCl), dithiothreitol (DTT), iodoacetamide (IAA), HPLC-grade methanol (MeOH), ammonium 67 bicarbonate (ABC), trifluoroethanol (TFE), formic acid (FA) and 2,3,5-triphenyltetrazolium chloride 68 (TTC) were purchased from Sigma-Aldrich (USA). Trypsin/Lys-C Mix (Promega, USA), T-25 flask 69 (Corning Inc., MA, USA), 15 mL Falcon tube (BD Biosciences, MA, USA), TrypLE<sup>™</sup> Express (Life 70 Technologies, Denmark) and phosphate-buffered saline solution (10XPBS) (Abcam, China). 71 Pierce®trypsin protease, mass spec grade Pierce®Radioimmunoprecipitation assay (RIPA) buffer as 72 well as the Pierce®C18 mini spin columns were purchased from Thermo Scientific Pierce (USA). 73 Protein LoBind microcentrifuge tubes were purchased from (Eppendorf, USA), Quick 74 Start™Bradford Protein Assay Kit from Bio-Rad (USA), trifluoroacetic acid (TFA), acetonitrile (ACN), 75 and mass-spec grade CHAPS (Nacailai Tesque, Japan) were all purchased from Sigma-Aldrich 76 (USA). Milli-Q ultrapure water (MQUP) was from Millipore GmbH (Germany), Dimethylsulfoxide 77 (DMSO) and 37% formaldehyde solution were purchased from Friendemann Schmidt Chemical 78 (Western Australia). Refrigerated centrifuge 5415R (Eppendorf AG, Germany), hydrochloric acid 79 (36%) from Ajax Chemical (Australia) and acetic acid (glacial, 100%) from Merck (Germany). Purified 80 nitrogen gas (99.999%) was supplied by Iwatani Malaysia S/B, liquid nitrogen (LN2) was purchased 81 from Linde Malaysia, Ultrasonic cell crusher (JY88-II N, China), Eyela SpeedVac Vacuum 82 Concentrator (Thermo Scientific Pierce, USA), precision incubator (Memmert INB200, Germany) and 83 Cole-Parmer™ Stuart™ Orbital Shaker (Thermo Scientific Pierce, USA). All the other chemicals used 84 were of analytical grade.

#### 85 2.2. Software and equipment

Olympus CKX41 inverted trinocular microscope (Philippines) connected to Olympus UIS2
optical system camera and AnalySIS 1.5 was used for the microscopic examination of SH-SY5Y cells.
In the protein expression study, an Agilent 1200 series HPLC paired with an Agilent 6550
iFunnel Quadrupole Time of Flight (Q-TOF) LC/MS, a C-18 300Å Large Capacity Chip and the
Agilent MassHunter data acquisition software (all from Agilent Technologies, USA) were used to
determine the differentially expressed proteins. Additionally, Version 8.0 of the PEAKS®Studio
software (Bioinformatics Solution, Canada) and the UniProtKB database (Organism: *Homo sapiens*)

- 93 were used to analyse the results of the mass spectrometry-based label-free quantitative proteomics
- 94 (LFQ). The Cytoscape software with version 3.7.2 of the BiNGO plugin was used for Gene Ontology
- 95 (GO) annotated information (Cytoscape Consortium, USA). Reactome Pathway Browser Version 3.7
- 96 and Reactome Database Release 72 (Organism: Homo sapiens) were utilised for the investigation into
- 97 the protein-protein interactions, functional annotations and systemic pathway enrichment analysis.
- 98 2.3. Experimental design

#### 99 2.3.1. SH-SY5Y cells initial culture, sub-culture and seeding conditions

100 The SH-SY5Y cells obtained were maintained in an initial culture medium (pre-warmed to 37°C) 101 consisting of DMEM supplemented with 10% FBS and 1% Pen/Strep, and kept in incubator at 37°C 102 with 5% CO<sub>2</sub> and 95% air. The initial culture medium was refreshed every 4 – 7 days to remove non-103 adherent cells and to replenish nutrients and was monitored for cell confluence. When cells reached 104  $\geq$  80% confluence, sub-culture was performed. The old initial culture medium was aspirated and the 105 T-25 flask was rinsed with 1 mL of warm 1X PBS (5 s, twice). To lift the cells, 1 mL of TrypLE™ 106 Express was added and the flask was incubated (5 - 10 min, 37°C, 5% CO<sub>2</sub> and 95% air). The flask 107 was removed and observed under a microscope to confirm the detachment of cells (SH-SY5Y cells 108 were seen as "floating"). The cell suspension produced was very gently transferred to a sterile 15 mL 109 Falcon tube containing 1 mL of 1X PBS (37°C). The tube was centrifuged (1000 rpm, 3 min, r. t.). 110 Supernatant produced was gently discarded without disturbing the soft, transparent cell pellet 111 formed at the bottom. The cell pellet was re-suspended in 1 mL fresh growth medium consisting of 112 DMEM supplemented with 1% FBS and 1% Pen/Strep (pre-warmed to 37°C) and was ready for 113 seeding into the plates. In this study, the cells used for each experiment were of less than 20 passage 114 number.

115 2.3.2. Determination of SH-SY5Y cell growth at different seeding density

116 A twofold serial dilution of SH-SY5Y cells was carried out to achieve a cell density ranging from 117 200000, 100000, 50000, 25000, 12500, 6250, 3125 to 1560 cells per well, and the cells were seeded into 118 96-well plates (n = 3). The cells were incubated for 24-, 48-, 72- and 96-hour respectively (37°C, 5% 119 CO<sub>2</sub>, 95% air). Different growth performance over 4 time points were evaluated by MTT assay upon 120 complete incubation at each time point. Absorbance was read at wavelength 570 nm with reference 121 filter set at 690 nm. All experiments were 3 independent biological replicates performed in triplicate.

122 2.3.3. Evaluation of cytotoxic effects of OSLP on SH-SY5Y cells (24- and 48-hour)

123 SH-SY5Y cells  $(5x10^4)$  were seeded into 96-well plates (n = 3). Vacuum-concentrated OSLP was 124 diluted in the growth medium at a concentration range of 25, 50, 125, 250, 500, 1000, 2000, 4000 and 125 10000 µg/mL. The cells were then treated with OSLP at varying concentrations and incubated for 24 126 and 48 hours (37°C, 5% CO<sub>2</sub>, 95% air). Upon complete incubation, both treatment groups were 127 evaluated for cytotoxic effects using MTT assays. All experiments were 3 independent biological 128 replicates performed in triplicate, and the relative cell viability was expressed as a percentage (%) 129 relative to the untreated control cells (normal control). Also, the maximal non-toxic dose (MNTD) 130 and minimal toxic dose (MTD) of OSLP at 24- and 48-hours were also determined [16].

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$$Cell \ viability \ (\%) = \frac{Absorbance \ of \ sample - Absorbance \ of \ blank}{Absorbance \ of \ control - Absorbance \ of \ blank} \ x \ 100$$

132 2.3.4. Hydrogen peroxide (H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>) induction and determination of half-maximal inhibitory 133 concentration (IC50)

134 SH-SY5Y cells  $(5x10^4)$  were seeded in 96-well plates (n = 3). SH-SY5Y cells were induced by H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> 135 at concentrations of 0, 50, 100, 150, 200, 250, 300 and 350 µM. All concentrations of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> were freshly 136 prepared by diluting a 30.2% (v/v) stock solution with DMEM. Following that, the H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>-induced cells

137 were incubated at 37°C with 5% CO<sub>2</sub> and 95% air for 24 hours. Upon completion of incubation, cell viability (%) of SH-SY5Y cells, the half-maximal inhibitory concentration (IC<sub>50</sub>) and the maximal
 inhibitory concentration (IC<sub>90</sub>) were determined using MTT assay. All experiments were 3
 independent biological replicates performed in triplicate.

141 2.3.5. Evaluation of OSLP protective effects on SH-SY5Y cells

142 SH-SY5Y cells  $(5x10^4)$  were seeded in 96-well plates (n = 6). Vacuum-concentrated OSLP was 143 diluted in the growth medium at a concentration range of 25, 50, 125, 250, 500 and 1000  $\mu$ g/mL. The 144 cells were assigned to a total of 8 groups, namely normal control (NC) without H2O2 induction and 145 OSLP treatments, negative control (Neg C, H2O2) was induced by 150 µM of H2O2 and 6 OSLP 146 treatment groups received 6 different concentrations ( $25 - 1000 \mu g/mL$ ) (Table 1). All 6 treatment 147 groups were pre-treated with OSLP and incubated for 24-hour at 37°C with 5% CO<sub>2</sub> and 95% air. 148 Following that, all 6 treatment groups were induced by 150 µM of H2O2 for another 24-hour at 37°C 149 with 5% CO<sub>2</sub>. Upon completion of incubation, all 8 experiment groups were evaluated using MTT 150 assays. All experiments were 6 independent biological replicates performed in triplicate.

151 **Table 1.** Experiment groups in the evaluation of OSLP protective effects on SH-SY5Y cells.

Group	Treatment
NC	Normal control (untreated cells)
$H_2O_2$	H2O2 induction (150 µM H2O2)
25	OSLP 25 µg/mL + 150 µM H2O2
50	OSLP 50 µg/mL + 150 µM H2O2
125	OSLP 125 μg/mL + 150 μM H2O2
250	OSLP 250 μg/mL + 150 μM H2O2
500	OSLP 500 μg/mL + 150 μM H2O2
1000	OSLP 1000 µg/mL + 150 µM H2O2

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Remark: H2O2, hydrogen peroxide; OSLP, Orthosiphon stamineus leaf proteins.

153 Microscopic examination using bright-field imaging

154 Microscopic changes (10X) of the SH-SY5Y cells were studied using bright-field microscopy. The

156 OSLP treatment groups (250, 500 and 1000  $\mu g/mL)$  were captured with Olympus CKX41 inverted

157 trinocular microscope connected to Olympus UIS2 optical system camera and AnalySIS 1.5 software.

158 2.4. Protein expression study

159 2.4.1. Protein expression profiling with mass spectrometry-based label-free quantitative proteomics160 (LFQ)

161 OSLP was prepared in a concentration of 10 mg/mL (as mother stock) and then was twofold 162 diluted to 250, 500, and 1000 µg/mL in fresh growth medium (DMEM with 1% FBS and 1% Pen/Strep). 163 SH-SY5Y cells (1x10<sup>6</sup>) were seeded in 6-well plates. The cells were assigned to 5 groups (Table 2). The 164 three treatment groups were pre-treated with freshly prepared OSLP and incubated for 24-hour 165  $(37^{\circ}C, 5\% \text{ CO}_2, 95\% \text{ air})$ . Following that, they were induced by 150  $\mu$ M of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> for another 24-hour 166 and returned to incubation (37°C, 5% CO<sub>2</sub>, 95% air). Upon complete incubation, all five experiment 167 groups were subject to cell lysis for protein extraction in order to conduct mass spectrometry-based 168 label-free quantitative proteomics (LFQ). All experiments were 3 independent biological replicates 169 performed.

Table 2. Experiment groups in the protein expression study.

Group	Treatment
NC	Normal control (untreated cells)
$H_2O_2$	H2O2 induction (150 µM H2O2)
250	OSLP 250 μg/mL + 150 μM H2O2
500	OSLP 500 μg/mL + 150 μM H2O2
1000	OSLP 1000 μg/mL + 150 μM H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub>

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#### Remark: H2O2, hydrogen peroxide; OSLP, Orthosiphon stamineus leaf proteins.

172 2.4.2. Protein extraction from SH-SY5Y cells

173 After aspirating the media, cells were treated with TrypLE<sup>TM</sup> Express, incubated and rinsed with 174 pre-cooled 1X PBS. The content was collected into individual sterile ProtLoBind microtubes and 175 centrifuged (500 x g, 4°C; 10 min). The produced supernatant was discarded but the soft, transparent 176 pellet was collected and lysed with ice-cold lysis buffer (200 µL of RIPA, protease inhibitor 20% v/v, 177 phosphatase inhibitor 1% v/v) and incubated (4°C; 20 min). Following that, the cell suspension was 178 homogenised using an ultrasonic cell crusher and then briefly centrifuged (2000 x g, 4°C; 10 min). 179 Proteins extracted were collected into new, individual sterile ProtLoBind microtubes and were 180 concentrated using a speed-vacuum concentrator (300 rpm; 24 h; 60°C) before storage at -152°C for 181 subsequent analysis.

182 2.4.3. Protein estimation by Bradford protein assay

Protein concentration was estimated using Quick Start<sup>™</sup> Bradford Protein Assay following the instructions of the manufacturer. Briefly, 5µL of sample or standard was loaded onto a 96-well plate in triplicate. This was followed by adding 250 µL of dye reagent into each well. The plate was incubated at room temperature (25 - 27°C; 5 min). Absorbance was read at 595 nm with Bio-Rad Benchmark Plus Microplate Reader with Microplate Manager 5.2.1 software. Protein concentrations were determined from the standard curve.

189 2.4.4. In-solution digestion of proteins

190 In-solution protein digestion was performed as instructed (Mass Spec Grade Promega, USA). 191 Protein samples were solubilised in 6M urea / 50 mM TRIS-HCl (pH 8.02) followed by the addition 192 of 5 mM DTT (freshly prepared) and incubated in the dark (30 min; 37°C). Next, 15 mM IAA (freshly 193 prepared) was added and incubated in the dark (30 min; r.t.). The reduced and alkylated protein 194 solutions were diluted sixfold with 50 mM TRIS-HCl (pH 8.02). Following that, 20 µg of crude protein 195 was digested by Trypsin/Lys-C Mix (ratio 25 protein:1 protease; w/w) buffered in 50 mM TRIS-HCl 196 (pH 8.02) and then incubated in the dark (overnight; 37°C). Formic acid (1%) was added to halt the 197 enzymatic reaction. Following that, all the samples were subjected to centrifugation  $(16,000 \times g; 4^{\circ}C;$ 198 10 min). The supernatant produced was collected and concentrated using a speed-vacuum 199 concentrator (300 rpm; 24 hr; 60°C). Formic acid (10 µL of 0.1%) was added into all the sample tubes 200 followed by brief vortexing and centrifugation.

201 2.4.5. De-salting of proteins

202 Each protein biological replicate was independently de-salted using modified instructions for 203 the Pierce®C18 mini spin column. Every mini spin column was firstly activated using a 50% ACN 204 solution (repeated thrice, r.t.) and equilibrated using a 0.5% solution of TFA in 5% ACN (repeated 205 thrice, r.t.). A 90 µL volume of protein was individually added into a 30 µL solution of sample buffer 206 (2% of TFA in 20% of ACN) and momentarily vortexed at a speed of 2,200 rpm to ensure proper 207 mixing. This step was repeated individually for each protein biological replicate. Next, each them 208 was loaded onto individual sterile mini spin column for de-salting (repeated thrice, r.t.). 209 Subsequently, each protein biological replicate was washed using a 0.5% solution of TFA in 5% ACN 210 (repeated thrice, r.t.). Finally, each protein biological replicate was eluted using a 70% solution of 211 ACN (repeated thrice, r.t.) and all the produced flow-through was collected, vacuum-concentrated 212 (300 rpm; 24 h; 60°C) and was then stored at -20°C for mass spectrometry-based LFQ at a later date.

213 2.4.6. Mass spectrometry-based label-free quantitative proteomics (LFQ) using Nanoflow-ESI-

214 LCMS/MS

215 An Agilent C-18 300Å Large Capacity Chip was used to load the previously de-salted peptides.

216 The column was equilibrated using a 0.1% solution of formic acid in water (Solution 1) and the

217 peptides were eluted using an increasing gradient of 90% acetonitrile in a 0.1% solution of formic 218 acid (Solution 2) using the following gradient, 3-50% Solution B from 0-30 min, 50-95% Solution 2 219 from 30-32 min, 95% Solution 2 from 32-39 min and 95-3% Solution B from 39-47 min. The Q-TOF 220 settings were as follows: positive polarity, fragmentor voltage at 300 V, capillary voltage at 2050 V, 221 drying gas at a flow rate of 5 L/min and a 300°C gas temperature. Auto MS/MS mode was used to 222 anaylse the intact protein with a range of 110-3000 m/z for the MS scan and a 50-3000 m/z range for 223 the MS/MS scan. The Agilent MassHunter data acquisition software was used to perform the 224 spectrum analysis.

#### 225 2.4.7. Peptide and protein identification by automated *de novo* sequencing and LFQ analysis

226 Automated de novo sequencing protein identification was carried out with Version 8.0 of 227 PEAKS®Studio. The **UniProtKB** database (Organism: Ното sapiens) 228 (https://www.uniprot.org/proteomes/UP000005640, 163,191 proteins; last modified March 13, 2018) 229 was used to identify the peptides and proteins as well as conduct homology searching via comparison 230 of the de novo sequence tag, using the following settings: trypsin cleavage, a parent mass and a 231 precursor mass tolerance of 0.1 Da, minimum ratio count of 2, maximum variable post-translational 232 modification of 3, carbamidomethylation as fixed modification with maximum missed cleavage of 3, 233 mass error tolerance of 20.0 ppm and other parameters as default settings of Agilent. The false 234 discovery rate (FDR) threshold was set at 1% and protein score of -10lgP > 20 was used to filter out 235 proteins that were inaccurate. The PEAKS® software indicated that a protein score of -10lgP> 20 has 236 a relatively high confidence as it targets very few decoy matches above the threshold.

237The differentially expressed proteins were identified using LFQ analysis using the following238settings: significance score  $\geq 13$ , protein fold change  $\geq 1$ , number of unique peptides  $\geq 1$  and an FDR239threshold of  $\leq 1\%$ . PEAKSQ indicated that a significance score of  $\geq 13$  is equal to a significance value240of p < 0.05. All other parameters were kept at the default settings set by Agilent.

#### 241 2.5. Bioinformatics analysis

Using bioinformatics analysis (functional annotations, protein-protein interactions and systemic
pathway enrichment analysis) of the identified differentially expressed proteins, the proteins were
analysed and matched using the GO Consortium, Ensemble (http://www.ensembl.org/*Homo\_sapiens*)
and Reactome Database (Release 72; Organism: *Homo sapiens*) online databases.

#### 246 2.6. Statistical Analysis

247 Statistical analysis was carried out using version 5.0 of GraphPad Prism. The data obtained from 248 the *in vitro* assays were expressed using the notation of mean ± standard error of the mean (SEM). 249 One-way ANOVA followed by the Dunnett's post-hoc test was used to compare data between the 250 control and treated groups using the significance levels of \*p < 0.5, \*\*p < 0.01 and \*\*\*p < 0.001. The 251 built-in statistical tool of PEAKS® software (PEAKSQ statistical analysis) was used to analyse the 252 identified differentially expressed proteins. A 13% significance score of (which is equal to a 253 significance level of 0.05) and an FDR of  $\leq 1\%$  was considered to be statistically significant. In the 254 bioinformatics analysis, the hypergeometric test followed by Benjamini & Hochberg FDR correction 255 at a p value < 0.05 (built-in BiNGO statistical tool) was used to correlate the functional annotation of 256 genes with their interacting proteins; overrepresentation analysis of pathways was tested with 257 hypergeometric distribution followed with Benjamani-Hochberg method corrected at p value < 0.05 258 (Reactome Pathway Browser version 3.7 built-in statistical tool). Overrepresentation analysis of 259 Reactome pathways was used to predict the possible associations of systemic pathways with their 260 interacting proteins and genes [17].

#### 262 **3. Results**

263 3.1. Growth evaluation of SH-SY5Y cells at different seeding density

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Figure 1. Growth curve of SH-SY5Y cells at different seeding density. Data shown are presented as 3
 independent experiments performed in triplicate.

268 Cell density ranging from 50000 cells per well demonstrated an increased growth pattern from 269 24-h to 72-h, and came to a steady decrease after 72 hours (Figure 1). Cell density at 25000 cells per 270 well demonstrated an increased growth pattern after 24-h, continued to 48- and 72-h but had a steep 271 decrease after 72 hours. Cell density below 25000 cells per well did not demonstrate increase in the 272 growth pattern after 24-h. Cell density at 200000 cells per well demonstrated a decline in the growth 273 pattern after 24-h. Cell density at 100000 cells per well had shown an absorbance value higher than 274 1.50. According to ATCC, the number of cells to use in an assay should yield an absorbance of 0.75 -275 1.25. Therefore, seeding density at 5x10<sup>4</sup> cells per well was used in the subsequent viability and 276 neuroprotection assays.

#### 277 3.2. Evaluation of cytotoxic effects of OSLP on SH-SY5Y cells (24- and 48-hour)

After 24-hr of incubation, significant cytotoxic effects of OSLP were not observed at concentrations below 4000 µg/mL when compared to the NC (F=251.7; p > 0.05; Figure 2). Cytotoxic effects were apparent when the SH-SY5Y cells were treated with 4000 µg/mL of OSLP (95±1%). This slight reduction however did not attain any statistical significance when compared to the NC (F=251.7; p > 0.05; Figure 2). In contrast, treatment with 1 mg/mL of OSLP was found to result in a significant decrease, about 52±2%, when compared to the NC (F=251.7; ^^^p < 0.001; Figure 2).

284 After 48-hour of incubation, significant cytotoxic effects of OSLP were not observed at 285 concentrations below 2000  $\mu$ g/mL when compared to the NC (F=106.6; p > 0.05; Figure 2). Significant 286 cytotoxic effects of OSLP were apparent at concentrations above 2000 µg/mL when compared to the 287 NC (F=106.6; \*\*p < 0.01; Figure 2). At 2000 µg/mL of OSLP, the cell viability significantly decreased to 288 84±4% (F=106.6; \*\**p* < 0.01; Figure 2). and declined further to 68±0.5% at 4000 μg/mL of OSLP (F=106.6; 289 \*\*\*p < 0.001; Figure 2). A significant plunge, about 84±2%, in SH-SY5Y cell population was observed 290 at 1 mg/mL of OSLP treatment (F=106.6; \*\*\*p < 0.001; Figure 2). This indicates that 1 mg/mL of OSLP 291 exerted significant cytotoxic effects on the survival of SH-SY5Y cells.

From the graph plotted (Figure 2), the MNTD of OSLP at 24-h treatment was determined as approximately 2000  $\mu$ g/mL whilst the MTD of OSLP at 24-h treatment was approximately 4000

- $\mu$ g/mL. In contrast, the MNTD of OSLP at 48-h treatment was determined as approximately 1000
- $\mu$ g/mL whereas the MTD of OSLP at 48-h treatment was approximately 2000  $\mu$ g/mL.



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298Figure 2. Cytotoxic effects of OSLP on SH-SY5Y cells at 24- and 48-hr. Data shown are presented as299mean  $\pm$  SEM of 3 independent experiments performed in triplicate. "showed p < 0.001 against the300untreated group (NC, 24-h). "showed p < 0.001 against the untreated group (NC, 48-h). One-way301ANOVA with Dunnett's *post-hoc* test.

302 3.3. Hydrogen peroxide (H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>) induction and determination of half-maximal inhibitory concentration (IC<sub>50</sub>)

303 As depicted in **Figure 3**, exposure to 50 to 350  $\mu$ M of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> decreased the cell population in a 304 concentration-dependent manner. The cell viability (%) decreased when H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> concentrations 305 increased. When compared to the NC, 50 - 100  $\mu$ M of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> did not significantly inhibit SH-SY5Y cell 306 growth (F=105.6; p > 0.5; Figure 3) but 150 - 350  $\mu$ M of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> had significantly inhibit SH-SY5Y cell 307 growth (F=105.6; ""p < 0.001; Figure 3). At about 150  $\mu$ M of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>, the cell viability was reduced 308 significantly to  $42\pm6\%$  (F=105.6; \*\*\*p < 0.001) and further declined significantly to  $34\pm3\%$  (F=105.6; \*\*\*p < 0.001) 309 0.001) when the concentration increased to 200  $\mu$ M growth. Following that, cell viability tumbled 310 steeply to 11±0.4%, 3±0.5% and 5±0.2%, when  $H_2O_2$  induction increased to 250, 300 and 350  $\mu$ M 311 respectively (F=105.6; \*\*\*p < 0.001). From the graph plotted (Figure 3), the IC<sub>50</sub> of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> was determined 312 as approximately 150 µM whilst the IC90 of H2O2 was determined as 250 µM and above.



314Figure 3. Cell viability of SH-SY5Y cells induced by H2O2. SH-SY5Y cells were treated with 0 - 350  $\mu$ M315H2O2. Data shown are presented as mean ± SEM of 3 independent experiments performed in triplicate.316\*\*\*showed p < 0.001 against the untreated group (NC, 24-h). One-way ANOVA with Dunnett's *post-hoc* test.

#### 318 3.4. Evaluation of OSLP protective effects on SH-SY5Y cells

319 From the graph plotted (Figure 4),  $H_2O_2$  induction (negative control, 150  $\mu$ M) had significantly 320 declined the SH-SY5Y cell viability ( $43\pm5\%$ ; F=17.9; \*\*\*p < 0.001) when compared to the NC. OSLP at 321 these two concentrations,  $25 \mu g/mL$  ( $38\pm 2\%$ ; F=17.9; p > 0.5) and  $50 \mu g/mL$  ( $42\pm 5\%$ ; F=17.9; p > 0.5), did 322 not show significant protection against H2O2 induction. At 125 μg/mL, OSLP had increased the cell 323 viability, with about 30% increase when compared to the H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> group (61±9%; F=17.9; p > 0.5). OSLP 324 at 250  $\mu$ g/mL had significantly increased the SH-SY5Y cell viability (71±12%; F=17.9; \*p < 0.01) when 325 compared to the H2O2 group. An increase of 39% in cell viability was recorded. OSLP at these two 326 concentrations, 500 µg/mL (88±6%; F=17.9; \*\*\**p* < 0.001) and 1000 µg/mL (101±2%; F=17.9; \*\*\**p* < 0.001), 327 had significantly increased the SH-SY5Y cell viability when compared to the H2O2 group. OSLP at 328 500 µg/mL had about 51% increase whilst OSLP at 1000 µg/mL had about 57% increase in the cell 329 viability.



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#### 334 3.4.1. Microscopic examination using bright-field imaging

335 Figure 5 displays the representative bright-field microscopic images of the SH-SY5Y cells. The 336 NC displayed normal cell architecture with pyramidal-shaped cells having apparent neurites (a, blue 337 arrows). SH-SY5Y cells induced by 150 µM of H2O2 had shown disrupted cell architecture with 338 clusters of clumping cells and reduced neurites (b, red arrows) compared to the normal control (NC) 339 which received no OSLP treatment and H2O2 induction (a, blue arrows). Pre-treatment with OSLP at 340 250, 500 and 1000 µg/mL had seen improvements in the cell architecture with reduced clumping cells 341 and restored the neuronal cell shapes with clear neurites (c-e, orange arrows) when compared to the 342 negative control (H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>,150 µM). The cell population was also markedly declined in the negative 343 control but pre-treatments with OSLP had increased cell growth.



345Figure 5. Representative bright-field microscopic images of SH-SY5Y cells. Upper row: (a) Normal346Control (NC, without OSLP treatment and H2O2 induction) displays pyramidal-shaped cells showing347clear neurites (blue arrows) and did not cluster; (b) H2O2 (induced by 150  $\mu$ M of H2O2) shows348disrupted neuronal cell shapes with many clumping cells (red arrows) and reduced neurites also349declined population. Lower row: (c - e) OSLP treatment groups, 250, 500 and 1000  $\mu$ g/mL respectively.350OSLP treatments reduced clumping cells and restored the neuronal cell shapes with clear neurites351seen (orange arrows). Scale bar = 100  $\mu$ m.

352 3.5. Protein expression study

353 Proteins were extracted from the normal control (NC, SH-SY5Y cells without OSLP treatment 354 and  $H_2O_2$  induction),  $H_2O_2$  (150  $\mu$ M  $H_2O_2$  Only) and three OSLP treatment groups (250  $\mu$ g/mL+150 355  $\mu$ M H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>, 500  $\mu$ g/mL+150  $\mu$ M H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> and 1000  $\mu$ g/mL+150  $\mu$ M H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>). The protein samples were 356 subjected to mass spectrometry-based label-free quantitative proteomic (LFQ) using nanoflow-ESI-357 LCMS/MS and subsequent bioinformatics analysis. As for the final results and discussion, only these 358 two pairs were used: Pair A, H2O2 (150 µM H2O2 Only) versus normal control (without OSLP 359 treatment and H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> induction) and Pair B, H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> (150 µM H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> Only) versus OSLP treatment (OSLP 360 1000 µg/mL+150 µM H2O2). The highest dose of OSLP was chosen to elucidate its maximal protective 361 effects on SH-SY5Y cells induced by H2O2.

362 3.5.1. Protein expression analysis with mass spectrometry-based quantitative label-free proteomics363 (LFQ)

LFQ has profiled 32 differentially expressed proteins of which 22 were identified in Pair A (H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>
vs. NC) and 10 were identified in Pair B (H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> vs. Treatment) (Figure 6, Table 3 & 4).

366 In Pair A (H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> vs. NC), all the proteins were found expressed at higher levels in the H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>-367 treated than in the NC. Whereas, in Pair B (H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> vs. Treatment), seven proteins were expressed at 368 lower levels in the OSLP-treated group than in the H2O2-treated. They were keratin, type II 369 cytoskeletal 8 (KRT8, P05787), heat shock cognate 71 kDa protein (HSPA8, P11142), 60S ribosomal 370 protein L14 (RPL14, P50914), beta-galactosidase-1-like protein (GLB1L, Q6UWU2), keratin, type I 371 cytoskeletal 19 (KRT19, P08727), creatine kinase B-type (CKB, P12277) and heat shock protein HSP 372 90-alpha (HSP90AA1, P07900). The others, namely heterogeneous nuclear ribonucleoprotein U 373 (HNRNPU, Q00839), 60S ribosomal protein L24 (RPL24, P83731) and stathmin (STMN1, P16949) were 374 expressed at higher levels in the OSLP-treated group than in the H2O2-treated (Figure 6, Table 3 & 4). 375 Additionally, four proteins were found expressed in both pairs (Figure 7). They were heat shock 376 cognate 71 kDa protein (HSPA8, P11142), keratin, type II cytoskeletal 8 (KRT8, P05787), keratin, type 377 I cytoskeletal 19 (KRT19, P08727) and heat shock protein HSP 90-alpha (HSP90AA1, P07900).

378 Interestingly, these proteins were found expressed at lower levels in both NC and OSLP-treated 379 groups (Figure 6).





381Figure 6. Heat map displays the differentially expressed proteins identified from (a) Pair A: H2O2 (150382 $\mu$ M H2O2 only) versus NC (normal control without OSLP treatment and H2O2 induction) and (b) Pair383B: H2O2 (150  $\mu$ M H2O2 only) versus OSLP treatment (OSLP 1000  $\mu$ g/mL+150  $\mu$ M H2O2), n=3,384significance  $\geq$  13, FDR  $\leq$  1%, fold change  $\geq$  1, number of unique peptide  $\geq$  1. Protein names are listed385on the left while experimental groups are indicated on top. The colour key on the bottom right386indicates the log2 (ratio) expression levels (green = low, red = high).



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388Figure 7. A two-way Venn diagram depicts the differentially expressed proteins identified from (a)389Pair A: H2O2 (150  $\mu$ M H2O2 only) versus NC (normal control without OSLP treatment and H2O2390induction) and (b) Pair B: H2O2 (150  $\mu$ M H2O2 only) versus OSLP treatment (OSLP 1000  $\mu$ g/mL+150391 $\mu$ M H2O2), n=3. As shown, a total of 32 differentially expressed proteins are identified with 4 are392overlaps between the two pairs, 18 are identified in Pair A and 6 are in Pair B.

Uniprot Accession ID	Uniprot Protein Name	Significance (≥ 13)	Coverage (%)	#Peptides	#Unique	Avg. Mass	Group Profile (ratio of NC/H2O2)	Ensembl Protein
P11142	Heat shock cognate 71 kDa protein	34.31	16	7	5	67980	0.34:1.00	HSPA8
P04075	Fructose-bisphosphate aldolase A	24.61	25	5	5	39818	0.20:1.00	ALDOA
P68371	Tubulin beta-4B chain	24.00	15	5	1	49831	0.12:1.00	TUBB4B
P05787	Keratin, type II cytoskeletal 8	23.26	63	31	15	53704	0.20:1.00	KRT8
O00299	Chloride intracellular channel protein 1	23.2	8	1	1	26794	0.02:1.00	CLIC1
P06733	Alpha-enolase	22.22	23	7	7	47169	0.28:1.00	ENO1
P05783	Keratin, type I cytoskeletal 18	20.41	63	19	17	48030	0.16:1.00	KRT18
P38646	Stress-70 protein, mitochondrial	20.12	13	6	6	72401	0.20:1.00	HSPA9
P04792	Heat shock protein beta-1	19.50	40	6	6	22783	0.15:1.00	HSPB1
P23528	Cofilin-1	18.80	28	4	4	22728	0.17:1.00	CFL1
P07737	Profilin-1	18.10	46	5	5	15054	0.25:1.00	PFN1
P14618	Pyruvate kinase PKM	17.35	18	6	3	57937	0.23:1.00	PKM/PK3
P30041	Peroxiredoxin-6	16.95	21	1	1	11161	0.18:1.00	PRDX6
P22314	Ubiquitin-like modifier-activating enzyme 1	16.61	3	2	2	117849	0.10:1.00	UBA1
P63261	Actin, cytoplasmic 2	16.55	33	11	1	41793	0.07:1.00	ACTG1
P49327	Fatty acid synthase	16.33	3	4	4	273424	0.29:1.00	FASN
Q9BQE3	Tubulin alpha-1C chain	15.94	18	7	7	57730	0.26:1.00	TUBA1C
P14174	Macrophage migration inhibitory factor	14.39	10	1	1	12476	0.11:1.00	MIF
P08727	Keratin, type I cytoskeletal 19	13.91	34	10	8	44106	0.15:1.00	KRT19
P07900	Heat shock protein HSP 90-alpha	13.79	12	6	3	68372	0.36:1.00	HSP90AA1
P11021	Endoplasmic reticulum chaperone BiP	13.35	7	3	2	66914	0.17:1.00	HSPA5
P06748	Nucleophosmin	13.27	15	2	2	28400	0.21:1.00	NPM1

Table 3. Differentially expressed p	proteins identified from Pa	air A (H2O2 vs. NC).
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Remark: Ensembl Human Database (https://asia.ensembl.org/Homo\_sapiens/Info/Index, accessed from 09/11/2018) were used to search for the Ensembl protein nomenclatures.

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Uniprot Accession ID	Uniprot Protein Name	Significance (≥ 13)	Coverage (%)	#Peptide s	#Uniqu e	Avg. Mass	Group Profile (ratio of H2O2/treatment)	Ensembl Protein
Q00839	Heterogeneous nuclear ribonucleoprotein U	31.91	2	1	1	67980	1.00:1.72	HNRNPU
P05787	Keratin, type II cytoskeletal 8	25.07	69	41	20	39818	1.00:0.44	KRT8
P11142	Heat shock cognate 71 kDa protein	18.72	21	11	2	49831	1.00:0.94	HSPA8
P83731	60S ribosomal protein L24	16.92	11	1	1	53704	1.00:2.79	RPL24
P50914	60S ribosomal protein L14	16.33	6	1	1	26794	1.00:0.58	RPL14
P16949	Stathmin	15.88	15	2	2	47169	1.00:2.24	STMN1
Q6UWU2	Beta-galactosidase-1-like protein	15.63	2	1	1	48030	1.00:0.38	GLB1L
P08727	Keratin, type I cytoskeletal 19	14.96	43	14	12	72401	1.00:0.27	KRT19
P12277	Creatine kinase B-type	14.25	12	2	2	22783	1.00:0.41	СКВ
P07900	Heat shock protein HSP 90-alpha	13.00	20	11	3	22728	1.00:0.49	HSP90AA

Table 4. Differentially expressed proteins identified from Pair B (H2O2 vs. Treatment).

Remark: Ensembl Human Database (https://asia.ensembl.org/Homo\_sapiens/Info/Index, accessed from 09/11/2018) were used to search for the Ensembl protein nomenclatures.

401 3.5.2. Bioinformatics analysis

402 The differentially expressed proteins were also studied using functional annotation analysis to 403 identify and visualise the cellular component, molecular function and biological process of the 404 differentially expressed proteins. The top ten enriched terms in all three categories were selected to 405 elucidate the association between OSLP protection and H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> stress (Figure 8).



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407 Figure 8. Classification of the top 10 enriched terms in cellular component, molecular function and
408 biological process annotated by BiNGO (Organism: *Homo sapiens*). Hypergeometric test with
409 Benjamini & Hochberg False Discovery Rate (FDR) correction at *p* < 0.05.</li>

410 The differentially expressed proteins were found to localise at cellular components including 411 non-membrane-bounded organelle (GO:43228), intracellular non-membrane-bounded organelle 412 (GO:43232), cytoskeleton (GO:5856), cytoplasm (GO:5737), cytoplasmic part (GO:44444), intracellular 413 organelle (GO:43229), organelle (GO:43226), cell surface (GO:9986), pigment granule (GO:48770) and 414 melanosome (GO:42470) (Figure 9).



Figure 9. BiNGO result for cellular component as visualised in Cytoscape (Organism: *Homo sapiens*).
Coloured nodes indicate significant overrepresentions. White nodes indicate insignificant overrepresention and they are included to show the coloured nodes in the context of the GO hierarchy. Colour key on the bottom right indicates the significance level of overrepresentation.

420 At these cellular localisations, the interactions of the differentially expressed proteins have been 421 networked to an array of molecular functions involving in protein binding (GO:5515), unfolded 422 protein binding (GO:51082), structural molecule activity (GO:5198), caspase inhibitor activity 423 (GO:43027), ATP binding (GO:5524), adenyl ribonucleotide binding (GO:32559), ribonucleotide 424 binding (GO:32553), purine ribonucleotide binding (GO:32555), adenyl nucleotide binding 425 (GO:30554) and purine nucleotide binding (GO:17076) (Figure 10).

These molecular functions were found to involve in a myriad of biological processes encompassing negative regulation of apoptosis (GO:43066), negative regulation of programmed cell death (GO:43069), negative regulation of cell death (GO:60548), ribosomal large subunit biogenesis (GO:42273), cytoskeleton organisation (GO:7010), response to unfolded protein (GO:6986), multiorganism process (GO:51704), response to biotic stimulus (GO:9607), anti-apoptosis (GO:6916) and response to protein stimulus (GO:51789) (Figure 11).



Figure 10. BiNGO results for molecular function as visualised in Cytoscape (Organism: *Homo sapiens*).
Coloured nodes indicate significant overrepresentions. White nodes indicate insignificant overrepresention and they are included to show the coloured nodes in the context of the GO hierarchy. Colour key on the bottom right indicates the significance level of overrepresentation.



Figure 11. BiNGO results for biological process as visualised in Cytoscape (Organism: *Homo sapiens*).
Coloured nodes indicate significant overrepresentions. White nodes indicate insignificant overrepresention and they are included to show the coloured nodes in the context of the GO hierarchy. Colour key on the bottom right indicates the significance level of overrepresentation.

#### 445 Systematic pathway enrichment analysis

446 Reactome Pathways has found the differentially expressed proteins to significantly associate 447 with 80 pathways (See Supplementary Data Pair A). Among, 25 pathways are predicted to have the 448 highest relevance (p < 0.05, Figure 12). These pathways were associated with 11 top-level pathway 449 hierarchies, namely signal transduction, vesicle-mediated transport, cellular responses to external 450 stimuli, metabolism of proteins, cell cycle, neuronal system, autophagy, metabolism, developmental 451 biology, haemostasis and immune system (Table 5). At sub-level pathway hierarchy, they were seen 452 involved in the signalling by Rho GTPases membrane trafficking, cellular responses to stress and 453 HSF1-dependent transactivation, protein folding and post-translational protein modification, mitotic 454 cell cycle, post NMDA receptor activation events and activation of NMDA receptors and postsynaptic 455 events, macroautophagy, metabolism of glucose and carbohydrates, nervous system development, 456 response to elevated platelet cytosolic Ca<sup>2+</sup> and innate immune system (Table 5).

457 In particular, to predict the protective mechanism of OSLP against H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> stress, the differentially 458 expressed proteins in Pair B (H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> vs. OSLP treatment) were analysed exclusively by Reactome 459 Pathways. As per the analysis, the protein expression has a significant association with the ten most 460 relevant pathways (p < 0.05, Figure 13) out of 56 pathways identified (See Supplementary Data Pair 461 B). They were interleukin-4 and Interleukin-13 signalling (R-HSA-6785807), attenuation phase (R-462 HSA-3371568), formation of the cornified envelope (R-HSA-6809371), HSF1-dependent 463 transactivation (R-HSA-3371571), HSP90 chaperone cycle for steroid hormone receptors (R-HSA-464 3371497), keratinisation (R-HSA-6805567), influenza viral RNA transcription and replication (R-HSA-465 168273), resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to sapitinib (R-HSA-9665244), resistance of ERBB2 KD 466 mutants to trastuzumab (R-HSA-9665233) and resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to afatinib (R-HSA-

467 9665249). These pathways were associated with three top-level pathway hierarchies encompassing468 immune system, cellular responses to external stimuli and developmental biology; two disease

469 pathways namely influenza infection and diseases of signal transduction by growth factor receptors

470 and second messengers (Table 6).



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472Figure 12. Classification of the 25 most relevant pathways sorted by False Discovery Rate (FDR)473correction at p < 0.05 in logarithmic scale (base 10) generated by Reactome Pathway Browser474(Organism: *Homo sapiens*).



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476Figure 13. Classification of the 10 most relevant pathways sorted by False Discovery Rate (FDR)477correction at p < 0.05 in logarithmic scale (base 10) generated by Reactome Pathway Browser478(Organism: *Homo sapiens*).

479 Table 5. Pathway hierarchy of the 25 most relevant pathways. "Bold" indicates the top-level pathway
480 hierarchy; "bold and italic" indicates the sub-pathway hierarchy.

Reactome Pathway Name	Reactome Pathway	Entities <i>p</i> -
Cional transduction	Identifier	value
Signal transduction		
PHO CTPages activate IOC A Pa	D LICA 5626467	1 28E 06
RHO CTPaces Activate IQGATS	R-HSA 5662220	1.56E-06
Vesiele medieted transport	K-H3A-3003220	1.43E-04
Vesicie-mediated transport		
Memorane trafficking Microschule dener dent trafficking of composition from Colori to the plasme		
menorubune-dependent transcring of connexons from Goigi to the plasma	R-HSA-190840	2.41E-06
Transport of conneycone to the plasma membrane	D HCA 100872	2 97E 06
Can junction trafficking	R-H3A-190872	2.07 E-00
Cap junction trafficking and regulation	D HSA 157858	4.56E-04
Translocation of SLC2A4 (CLUTA) to the plasma membrane	D HSA 1445148	4.001455
	R-113A-1443146	0.001455
Lispon abarrana anda far ataraid barrana recontara (CLIR)	D LICA 2271407	4 24E 06
HSF90 chaperone cycle for steroid normone receptors (SHK)	К-П5А-3371497	4.24E-06
HSF1-uepenuent transaction		
Attenuation phase	P HSA 2271568	0.001068
Metabolism of protoins	K-H5A-5571506	0.001068
Destain folding		
Protein journg Poet chaperonin tuhulin folding pathway	D HSA 280077	1 48E 05
Formation of tubulin folding intermediated by CCT/TriC	R-H3A-307977	1.40E-05
Profaldin mediated transfer of substrate to CCT/TriC	D LICA 280057	9.10E-03
Cooperation of Profoldin and TriC/CCT in actin and tabulin folding	R-H5A-309937	2.49E-04
<b>D</b> oot translational protoin and TriC/CCT in actin and tubuin folding	к-п5А-309930	9.00E-04
Carboxyterminal post translational modifications of tubulin	D HSA 8055222	6 85E 05
	R-113A-6955552	0.0012-00
Cell cycle		
Cell cycle, milolic Recruitment of NuMA to mitotic controcomec	P HSA 280220	5 42E 05
Scaling of the nuclear envelope (NE) by ESCPT III	D HSA 0668228	2.42E-03
The role of CTSE1 in C2/M progression after C2 checkpoint	D HSA 8852276	0.001125
Neuronal system	K-113A-0032270	0.001155
Dest N method D scientists (NMDA) resenter activation events		
Activation of AMPK downstroom of NMDAPo	D LICA 0610492	5 80E 05
Activation of NMDA recentors and noticementic events	K-H3A-9019403	5.69E-05
Accombly and cell surface presentation of NMDA recentors	P HSA 0600726	9.66E.04
Assembly and cell sufface presentation of NMDA receptors	R-113A-9009730	9.001-04
Autophagy		
Agrophagy	D LICA 0646200	1 02E 04
Matabalian	K-113A-9040399	1.02E-04
Chucono motobolicm		
Giucose metabolism	D LICA 70171	1 70E 04
Giycolysis Matabalian of Cantabulated	R-H5A-70171	1./UE-04
Chucasa matabaliam	K-113A-70320	0.001552
Bruclean entel hiele en		
Nerrous sustan development		
Nervous system development	D LICA 427220	2.910.04
Recycling pathway of L1	к-пэн-43/239	3.01E-04
naemostasis		
Response 10 elevatea platelet cytosolic Ca <sup>2+</sup>	D LICA 114600	7 (01 04
	к-п5А-114608	7.68E-04
Immune system		
Innute immune system		0 225 04
ineutrophil degranulation	K-M3A-0/98093	0.23E-04

**Table 6.** Pathway hierarchy of the 10 most relevant pathways. "Bold" indicates the top-level pathway hierarchy; "bold and italic" indicates the sub-pathway hierarchy.

Reactome Pathway Name	Reactome Pathway Identifier	Entities <i>p</i> - value
Immune system		
Cytokine signalling in immune system		
Interleukin-4 and Interleukin-13 signalling	R-HSA-6785807	4.29E-04
Cellular responses to external stimuli		
Cellular responses to stress		
HSF1-dependent transactivation	R-HSA-3371571	0.001867
Attenuation phase	R-HSA-3371568	0.001204
HSP90 chaperone cycle for steroid hormone receptors (SHR)	R-HSA-3371497	0.005152
Developmental biology		
Keratinisation		
Formation of the cornified envelope	R-HSA-6809371	0.001410
Keratinisation	R-HSA-6805567	0.003672
Disease		
Influenza infection		
Influenza Viral RNA Transcription and Replication	R-HSA-168273	0.002496
Diseases of signal transduction by growth factor receptors & second		
messengers		
Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to sapitinib	R-HSA-9665244	0.0053
Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to trastuzumab	R-HSA-9665233	0.0053
Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to afatinib	R-HSA-9665249	0.0053



487Figure 14. HSP90AA1 (aka Heat shock protein 90) and HSPA8 (aka Heat Shock Protein Family A488(Hsp70) Member 8 or HSP70) highlighted in yellow were mapped onto the Attenuation Phase489pathway sorted by False Discovery Rate (FDR) correction at p < 0.05 in logarithmic scale (base 10)490generated by Reactome Pathway Browser (Organism: Homo sapiens).

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492 Figure 15. HSP90AA1 (aka Heat shock protein 90) and HSPA8 (aka Heat Shock Protein Family A
493 (Hsp70) Member 8 or HSP70) highlighted in yellow were mapped onto the HSP90 chaperone cycle
494 for steroid hormone receptors (SHR) pathway sorted by False Discovery Rate (FDR) correction at *p*495 < 0.05 in logarithmic scale (base 10) generated by Reactome Pathway Browser (Organism: *Homo*496 *sapiens*).

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498Figure 16. HSPA8 (aka Heat Shock Protein Family A (Hsp70) Member 8 or HSP70) and HSP90AA1 (aka Heat Shock Protein 90, as part of STAT3-upregulated genes499for cytosolic proteins and STAT3-upregulated cytosolic proteins) highlighted in yellow were mapped onto the Signalling of Interleukin-4 and Interleukin-13500pathway sorted by False Discovery Rate (FDR) correction at p < 0.05 in logarithmic scale (base 10) generated by Reactome Pathway Browser (Organism: *Homo*501sapiens).

#### 502 4. Discussion

503 Evaluation of cytotoxic effects of OSLP on SH-SY5Y cells (24- and 48-h) in this study has found 504 that OSLP at concentrations of 25, 50, 125, 250, 500 and 1000 µg/mL did not challenge the survival of 505 SH-SY5Y cells. Therefore, OSLP (25, 50, 125, 250, 500 and 1000) is considerably safe in SH-SY5Y cells. 506 In addition, the MNTD and the MTD of OSLP at 24-h treatment was determined as 2000 µg/mL and 507 4000 µg/mL respectively. In contrast, the MNTD and the MTD of OSLP at 48-h treatment was 508 determined as 1000 µg/mL and 2000 µg/mL respectively. MNTD (the maximal non-toxic dose) 509 represents the highest concentration which does not cause cytotoxic effects in a treated cell 510 population whilst MTD (the minimal toxic dose) represents the lowest concentration which causes 511 cytotoxic effects in a treated cell population [16]. On top of that, OSLP at 1 mg/mL has been found in 512 this study to be potentially cytotoxic to the SH-SY5Y cells. Based on these findings, OSLP (25, 50, 125, 513 250, 500 and 1000) is used in the evaluation of OSLP protective effects on SH-SY5Y cells.

514 Hydrogen peroxide (H2O2) induction has challenged the survival of SH-SY5Y cells. SH-SY5Y cell 515 survival decreased when  $H_2O_2$  concentrations increased.  $H_2O_2$  at about 150  $\mu$ M had sufficiently 516 inhibited the cell population by half. Concentrations higher than 250 µM was found to sufficiently 517 inhibit the cell population close to 90%. Based on these findings, the  $IC_{50}$  in this study has been 518 determined at 150  $\mu$ M whereas the IC<sub>90</sub> is 250  $\mu$ M and above. The half-maximal inhibitory 519 concentration (IC<sub>50</sub>) represents the dose which inhibits a cell population by half whilst the maximal 520 inhibitory concentration (IC<sub>90</sub>) represents the dose which inhibits a cell population by 90% [18]. 521 Therefore, 150  $\mu$ M of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> is used in the following evaluation of protective effects of OSLP on SH-522 SY5Y cells.

523 Protective effects of OSLP was evaluated in H2O2-induced SH-SY5Y cells. H2O2 induction (150 524  $\mu$ M) has challenged the survival of SH-SY5Y cells. OSLP treatments have exhibited protection against 525  $H_2O_2$  induction in a concentration-dependent manner. OSLP at 125 µg/mL has been found to be the 526 lowest treatment dose showing protection against  $H_2O_2$  stress. Pre-treatment with 125  $\mu$ g/mL of 527 OSLP had increased the survival of SH-SY5Y cells (about 30%) when compared to the H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> group 528 though it did not attain statistical significance. Pre-treatments with OSLP at these three 529 concentrations, 250, 500 and 1000 µg/mL, had significantly increased the survival of SH-SY5Y cells, 530 with an increase of 39%, 51% and 57% respectively, when compared to the H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> group. In particular, 531 pre-treatments with 500 and 1000  $\mu$ g/mL of OSLP have demonstrated apparent inhibitions of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>. 532 Such observations suggest that OSLP at these concentrations (250 µg/mL or higher) could potentially 533 inhibit the actions of H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> and additionally, could promote the growth of SH-SY5Y cells. In line with 534 the bright-field microscopic images obtained, OSLP pre-treatments at 250, 500 and 1000 µg/mL has 535 seen improvements in the cell architecture. OSLP-treated H2O2-induced SH-SY5Y cells showed 536 reduced clumping and shrinkage (i.e. round up), with apparent neurite formations and pyramidal-537 shaped cells. In contrast, H2O2-treated cells showed shrinkage, round up and clumping, all of which 538 indicative of unhealthy cell appearance, loss of cell viability and progression towards death [15, 19-539 22]. Additionally, H2O2-treated cells has shown a decline in the population but OSLP pre-treatments 540 have shown an increase in the cell population.

Taken together, the outcomes of *in vitro* assays collectively suggest that OSLP (250, 500 and 1000
 μg/mL) could be having neuroprotective potential with considerably low cytotoxic effects.

543 Proteomic analysis has identified a distinct protein expression pattern with all the proteins were 544 highly expressed in H2O2 (SH-SY5Y cells induced by 150 µM H2O2). compared to NC (SH-SY5Y cells 545 without H2O2 induction and OSLP treatment). This observation is not seen in the OSLP-treated SH-546 SY5Y cells, with the majority of proteins were expressed at lower levels when compared to the H2O2-547 treated. Using functional annotation analysis, the top ten enriched terms in the cellular component, 548 molecular function and biological process were identified (Figure 8). The ten selected enriched terms 549 have seen a significant association with 25 cellular signalling pathways, as suggested by the Reactome 550 Pathways analysis (Figure 12 and Table 5). Additionally, Reactome Pathways analysis has predicted 551 the top ten cellular signalling pathways most likely modulated by OSLP treatment (Figure 13 and 552 Table 6).

553 In the SH-SY5Y cells, H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> induction could have triggered cellular stress signalling via two main 554 pathways: "Attenuation Phase" and "HSP90 Chaperone Cycle for Steroid Hormone Receptors" 555 (Figures 14 & 15). The modulations of these pathways are particularly related to two major heat shock 556 proteins, HSPA8 (aka Heat Shock Protein Family A (Hsp70) Member 8 or HSP70) and HSP90AA1 557 (aka Heat shock protein 90), act together as a machinery to modulate folding of proteins. Studies have 558 shown that most cellular proteins do not activate the HSP90/HSP70-based chaperone machinery for 559 folding, stabilisation and trafficking under normal physiological conditions; following stress, the 560 function of HSP90/HSP70-based chaperone machinery is disrupted [23-25]. The HSP90/HSP70-based 561 chaperone machinery can influence a wide variety of client proteins and thus, affecting numerous 562 important cellular pathways such as protein conformational cycles, co-chaperone interactions, inter-563 domain communications, protein conformational stability, trafficking and turnover; signal 564 transduction, intracellular transport [23, 24, 26, 27], synaptic transmissions [28-31] and inflammation 565 [25, 32]. Additionally, studies have shown that activations of HSP70 and HSPB1 (also known as 566 HSP27) following exposure to stress manipulate the heat shock transcriptional response and its client 567 proteins; under normal physiological conditions, these ATP-independent chaperones (HSP70 and 568 HSPB1) provide a wide variety of protections. To name a few, these chaperones prevent the 569 accumulation of improperly folded proteins, participate in the regulated degradation of misfolded 570 proteins, protect the cytoskeleton, involve in cellular metabolism, decrease stress-induced apoptosis 571 [33-35] in addition to preventing synaptic loss and neuronal death [36].

572 In this study, HSP90, HSP70 and HSPB1 had higher expressions in the H2O2 (induced by H2O2 573 alone) compared to the normal control (without H2O2 induction). Therefore, it is suggested that both 574 impaired HSP90/HSP70-based chaperone machinery and HSPB1 activation could have altered, direct 575 or indirectly, a variety of cellular processes in the neuronal cells. In particular, these alterations 576 include neuronal regulation in terms of growth, development and death; neuronal architecture of 577 cytoskeletons, cytoskeletal dynamics and cytoskeletal protein expressions; excitatory postsynaptic 578 transmission activated by NMDA receptors, cellular metabolism especially glucose and proteins, 579 protein conformations, stabilisation and posttranslational modifications as well as inflammatory 580 responses (Figure 12 and Table 5). Alterations as such are some common themes found in 581 neurodegenerative diseases and neurological disorders.

582 In the SH-SY5Y cells, OSLP treatment might help to buffer against cellular stress signalling 583 chiefly via the "Signalling of Interleukin-4 and Interleukin-13" (IL-4/-13 Signalling, R-HSA-6785807) 584 (Figure 16). Within the CNS, HSPs are released from stressed or damaged cells and they act as local 585 "danger signals" that trigger inflammatory responses. OSLP might modulate the expression of IL-586 4/IL-13 by affecting the interaction of HSP90 with the downstream targets such as HSP8 and the 587 cytoplasmic protein Arachidonate 15-lipoxygenase (ALOX15). In the expression of IL-4/-13, HSP90 is 588 one of the genes for cytoplasmic proteins upregulated by signal transducer and activator of 589 transcription 3 (STAT3); via phosphorylation of STAT3 and signal transducer and activator of 590 transcription 6 (STAT6), HSP8 participates in the down-regulation of extracellular proinflammatory 591 signal transducers including ALOX15. Most likely, by modulating the "IL-4/-13 Signalling" pathway, 592 OSLP could have promoted the neuroprotective effects of IL-4 and IL-13 acting as anti-inflammatory 593 cytokines [37, 38] or IL-4 alone acts directly as a cytoprotective cytokine [39]. For instance, IL-4 and 594 IL-13 induce alternative activation of microglia (aka the M2 state) to protect against neuronal damage 595 in the hippocampus and in the cortex in experimental models of ischaemic stress [40, 41]. Specifically, 596 IL-13 alone has shown anti-inflammatory ability in a mouse model of cerebral ischaemia [42] 597 whereas, a study in humans with multiple sclerosis found high levels of IL-13 enhanced gamma-598 aminobutyric acid (GABA, the dominant inhibitory neurotransmitter) over glutamate transmission 599 [43]. Otherwise, low levels of IL-4 in epileptic patients have decreased inflammation-related epilepsy 600 [44, 45].

Additionally, OSLP treatment might also protect against cellular stress-mediated pathways
including "Attenuation Phase" (R-HSA-3371568) and "HSP90 Chaperone Cycle for Steroid Hormone
Receptors" (R-HSA-3371497) (Figures 14 & 15). Via the "Attenuation Phase" pathway, OSLP might
modulate the downstream interaction of HSP70 and its co-chaperone HSP40 with CoREST

605 (transcriptional corepressor for repressor element 1-silencing transcription factor) at the negative-606 feedback loop. This negative feedback loop provides an important mechanism by which cells can 607 regulate the activation and attenuation of Heat Shock Factor 1 (HSF1) via the presence and 608 concentration of HSPs in the cell. OSLP might also regulate SHR-protein interactions via the "HSP90 609 Chaperone Cycle for Steroid Hormone Receptors" pathway. Upon the upstream activations of 610 HSP40, HSP70 and stress-induced-phosphoprotein 1 (STIP1) respectively, HSP90 binds to the 611 downstream co-chaperones FK506 binding protein 5 (FKBP51 and FKBP52) and Prostaglandin E 612 Synthase 3 (PTGES3). The HSP90 and chaperone-mediated conformational changes are required to 613 keep SHRs in a ligand binding-competent state. In this regard, OSLP could have promoted the 614 cytoprotective functions of HSPs as an alternative of neuroprotection [46]. For instance, HSPs and 615 their respective co-chaperones facilitate native protein stabilisation, translocation, re-folding and 616 degradation in response to stressful stimuli. HSPs-based chaperone machinery not only ensure 617 protein quality control but also prevent protein aggregation that would otherwise overwhelm the cell 618 and lead to programmed cell death (apoptosis) or necrosis in unfavourable conditions [47, 48]. In 619 recent times, HSPs have demonstrated their ability to fine-tune inflammation in the CNS [32]. For 620 instance, HSPs have been shown to assist in the protection of motor neurons and to prevent chronic 621 inflammation after spinal cord injuries in animal models [49, 50].

622 Last but not least, the changes of both KRT8 and KRT19 were also worthy of mention. They are 623 keratins; KRT8 is a member of the type II keratin family and KRT19 belongs to the of type I family. 624 The intermediate filament (IF) cytoskeleton of all epithelia is built from type I and type II keratins. 625 Keratins not only maintain structural rigidity and stability, they also provide resistance to 626 environmental stress [51]. In the presence of H2O2 stress, the keratin network organisation in 627 cytoskeleton could be altered. Altered expression of keratins has an impact on the keratin network 628 organisation and has been associated with inflammation, cellular stress, epithelial barrier defects, and 629 higher sensitivity to tumour necrosis factor (TNF)-induced cell death [51-53].

630 Taken together, the protein expression study and bioinformatics analysis collectively suggest 631 that OSLP could protect the neuronal cells against inflammation and cellular stress. The 632 neuroprotective potential of OSLP could be attributed to an assortment of proteins present in the 633 crude. For instance, baicalein 7-O-glucuronosyltransferase and its glucoronosylated baicalein have 634 been reported to possess anti-inflammatory, antioxidative and neuroprotective activities [54] as well 635 as anticonvulsive [55]; baicalin biosynthesised by baicalin-beta-D-glucuronidase has shown 636 antioxidant activities [56, 57] whilst, rosmarinic acid biosynthesised by rosmarinate synthase have 637 attracted interest for being anti-inflammatory, anti-oxidant, anti-angiogenic, anti-tumour, anti-638 microbial [58] and anti-seizure [59].

#### 639 5. Concluding Remarks

The study suggests that OSLP could be a potential neuroprotective agent. Its neuroprotective potential is attributed to the ability of OSLP to modulate the "Signaling of Interleukin-4 and Interleukin-13" pathway as the predominant mode of action and thereby, activate anti-inflammatory cytokines to protect against pro-inflammatory responses under stress conditions. OSLP also modulates the "Attenuation Phase" and "HSP90 Chaperone Cycle for Steroid Hormone Receptors" pathways to counteract HSP-induced damage under stress conditions. OSLP is therefore worthy of detailed investigations.

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## SUPPLEMENTARY DATA PAIR A

Figure SD-1 for Pair A. Genome-wide overview of the 80 significant pathways as visualized in Reacfoam generated by FoamTree (Organism: Homo sapiens). Reactome pathways are arranged in a hierarchy. The centre of each of the circular foam is the root of one top-level pathway hierarchy. Each step away from the center represents the next level lower in the pathway hierarchy. Colored foams denote pathways significantly over-represented at *p* < 0.05. Light grey foams denote pathways that are not significantly over-represented. The color key on the top right indicates the significance level of overrepresentation.


# Table SD-1 for Pair A. 80 significant pathways generated by Reactome Pathways. Colorued cells are the top 25 most relevant pathways.

Pathway identifier	Pathway name	#Entities found	#Entities total	#Interact ors found	#Interact ors total	Entities ratio	Entities pValue	Entities FDR	#Reactio ns found	#Reactio ns total	Reactions ratio	Species identifier	Species name	Submitted entities found	Mapped entities	Submitted entities hit interactor	Interacts with	Found reaction identifiers
R-HSA- 5626467	RHO GTPases activate IQGAPs	5	36	0	10	0.002480364	1.38E-06	8.09E-04	2	5	3.94E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B;ACTG1				R-HSA-5626507;R-HSA-5672329
R-HSA- 190840	Microtubule- dependent trafficking of connexons from Golgi to the plasma membrane	4	22	0	0	0.001515778	2.41E-06	8.09E-04	1	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-190520
R-HSA- 190872	Transport of connexons to the plasma membrane	4	23	0	0	0.001584677	2.87E-06	8.09E-04	1	3	2.36E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-190520
R-HSA- 3371497	HSP90 chaperone cycle for steroid hormone receptors (SHR)	6	70	2	35	0.00482293	4.24E-06	8.94E-04	12	12	9.45E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;HSPA 8;HSP90AA1;T UBB4B	P11142;P07900; P68363;P04350; P68371;Q9BQE3	HSP90AA1;HSPB1	Q13451;Q02790; P31948;Q15185	R-HSA-5618085;R-HSA-3371590;R-HSA- 5618080;R-HSA-5618099;R-HSA-5618098;R-HSA- 5618093;R-HSA-5618110;R-HSA-5618105;R-HSA- 3371503;R-HSA-5618073;R-HSA-3371422;R-HSA- 5618107
R-HSA- 389977	Post- chaperonin tubulin folding pathway	4	25	0	10	0.001722475	1.48E-05	0.002505556	9	9	7.09E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-389956;R-HSA-389972;R-HSA-389974;R- HSA-389969;R-HSA-389955;R-HSA-389964;R- HSA-389976;R-HSA-389963;R-HSA-389978
R-HSA- 380320	Recruitment of NuMA to mitotic centrosomes	5	97	0	0	0.006683202	5.42E-05	0.007130186	2	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;HSP9 0AA1;TUBB4B				R-HSA-380316;R-HSA-380508
R-HSA- 9619483	Activation of AMPK downstream of NMDARs	4	34	0	18	0.002342566	5.89E-05	0.007130186	1	3	2.36E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-9619542
R-HSA- 8955332	Carboxytermin al post- translational modifications of tubulin	4	52	0	0	0.003582748	6.85E-05	0.00719337	6	6	4.72E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-8955706;R-HSA-8955869;R-HSA- 8955712;R-HSA-8865774;R-HSA-8867370;R-HSA- 8866105
R-HSA- 389960	Formation of tubulin folding intermediates by CCT/TriC	4	30	0	26	0.00206697	9.10E-05	0.00854771	2	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-389954;R-HSA-389961
R-HSA- 9646399	Aggrephagy	5	47	0	67	0.003238253	1.02E-04	0.00854771	6	15	0.0011811 02	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;HSP9 0AA1;TUBB4B				R-HSA-9646354;R-HSA-9646679;R-HSA- 9646390;R-HSA-9646347;R-HSA-9646383;R-HSA- 9646685
R-HSA- 5663220	RHO GTPases Activate Formins	6	149	0	49	0.01026595	1.45E-04	0.0111372	9	27	0.0021259 84	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B;PFN1;ACTG 1				R-HSA-5665751;R-HSA-5665767;R-HSA- 5665809;R-HSA-5666001;R-HSA-5665982;R-HSA- 5665802;R-HSA-5665659;R-HSA-203070;R-HSA- 5666169
R-HSA- 70171	Glycolysis	5	110	0	18	0.007578889	1.70E-04	0.011887748	3	24	0.0018897 64	9606	Homo sapiens	PKM;ENO1;AL DOA				R-HSA-71670;R-HSA-71496;R-HSA-71660
R-HSA- 9668328	Sealing of the nuclear envelope (NE) by ESCRT-III	4	39	0	38	0.002687061	2.37E-04	0.014946677	1	7	5.51E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-9668419
R-HSA- 389957	Prefoldin mediated transfer of substrate to CCT/TriC	3	29	0	0	0.001998071	2.49E-04	0.014946677	2	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-389970;R-HSA-389980

Pathway identifier	Pathway name	#Entities found	#Entities total	#Interact ors found	#Interact ors total	Entities ratio	Entities pValue	Entities FDR	#Reactio ns found	#Reactio ns total	Reactions ratio	Species identifier	Species name	Submitted entities found	Mapped entities	Submitted entities hit interactor	Interacts with	Found reaction identifiers
R-HSA- 190828	Gap junction trafficking	5	52	0	98	0.003582748	3.36E-04	0.018842268	7	20	0.0015748 03	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B;ACTG1				R-HSA-196017;R-HSA-190519;R-HSA-196026;R- HSA-190520;R-HSA-191737;R-HSA-190877;R- HSA-190829
R-HSA- 437239	Recycling pathway of L1	5	55	0	101	0.003789445	3.81E-04	0.019810556	5	14	0.0011023 62	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B;ACTG1				R-HSA-445077;R-HSA-443779;R-HSA-445089;R- HSA-445071;R-HSA-373736
R-HSA- 157858	Gap junction trafficking and regulation	5	56	0	107	0.003858344	4.56E-04	0.022339072	7	24	0.0018897 64	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B;ACTG1				R-HSA-196017;R-HSA-190519;R-HSA-196026;R- HSA-190520;R-HSA-191737;R-HSA-190877;R- HSA-190829
R-HSA- 114608	Platelet degranulation	5	137	0	36	0.009439162	7.68E-04	0.036080321	4	11	8.66E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA5;CFL1;E NO1;ALDOA;P FN1				R-HSA-482775;R-HSA-429157;R-HSA-481007;R- HSA-351323
R-HSA- 6798695	Neutrophil degranulation	8	480	0	0	0.033071517	8.23E-04	0.036204833	5	10	7.87E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA8;HSP90 AA1;PKM;FAS N;MIF;TUBB4B; ALDOA;PRDX6				R-HSA-6798739;R-HSA-6800434;R-HSA- 6798751;R-HSA-6798748;R-HSA-6798745
R-HSA- 389958	Cooperation of Prefoldin and TriC/CCT in actin and tubulin folding	4	37	4	69	0.002549263	9.66E-04	0.038640098	5	6	4.72E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B	P68363;P04350; P68371;Q9BQE3	ACTG1;HSPA8; PFN1;CFL1	P60709	R-HSA-390453;R-HSA-389970;R-HSA-389954;R- HSA-389980;R-HSA-389961
R-HSA- 9609736	Assembly and cell surface presentation of NMDA receptors	4	49	1	62	0.003376051	9.66E-04	0.038640098	3	23	0.0018110 24	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B	P68363;P04350; P68371;Q9BQE3	KRT18	P07196	R-HSA-9610627;R-HSA-9610408;R-HSA-9610879
R-HSA- 3371568	Attenuation phase	3	47	0	1	0.003238253	0.001067984	0.040583377	4	5	3.94E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA8;HSP90 AA1;HSPB1				R-HSA-3371554;R-HSA-5324617;R-HSA- 5082369;R-HSA-5082384
R-HSA- 8852276	The role of GTSE1 in G2/M progression after G2 checkpoint	5	83	0	112	0.005718617	0.001135296	0.040870667	4	10	7.87E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;HSP9 0AA1;TUBB4B				R-HSA-8852306;R-HSA-8852298;R-HSA- 8852362;R-HSA-8852280
R-HSA- 70326	Glucose metabolism	5	140	0	62	0.009645859	0.001331683	0.046608911	5	50	0.0039370 08	9606	Homo sapiens	PKM;ENO1;AL DOA				R-HSA-71495;R-HSA-71670;R-HSA-71496;R-HSA- 71660;R-HSA-70494
R-HSA- 1445148	Translocation of SLC2A4 (GLUT4) to the plasma membrane	5	79	0	126	0.005443021	0.001454593	0.048001553	3	15	0.0011811 02	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B;ACTG1				R-HSA-2316352;R-HSA-2316347;R-HSA-2316349
R-HSA- 6811436	COPI- independent Golgi-to-ER retrograde traffic	4	63	1	65	0.004340637	0.001621252	0.051880073	2	7	5.51E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B	P68363;P04350; P68371;Q9BQE3	HSP90AA1	P43034	R-HSA-8849350;R-HSA-8849353
R-HSA- 190861	Gap junction assembly	4	41	0	88	0.002824859	0.001823798	0.056537751	3	16	0.0012598 43	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-190520;R-HSA-191737;R-HSA-190877
R-HSA- 3371571	HSF1- dependent transactivation	3	59	0	1	0.004065041	0.002013494	0.060404823	5	8	6.30E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA8;HSP90 AA1;HSPB1				R-HSA-3371554;R-HSA-5324617;R-HSA- 5082356;R-HSA-5082369;R-HSA-5082384
R-HSA- 76005	Response to elevated platelet cytosolic Ca2+	5	144	0	93	0.009921455	0.002914843	0.084530434	4	14	0.0011023 62	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA5;CFL1;E NO1;ALDOA;P FN1				R-HSA-482775;R-HSA-429157;R-HSA-481007;R- HSA-351323
R-HSA- 8854518	AURKA Activation by TPX2	3	74	0	6	0.005098526	0.004048415	0.113355627	2	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1;TU BB4B				R-HSA-8853405;R-HSA-8853419
R-HSA- 983189	Kinesins	4	68	0	98	0.004685132	0.004491515	0.121270902	2	14	0.0011023 62	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-983259;R-HSA-983266

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R-HSA- 68877	Mitotic Prometaphase	5	211	0	77	0.014537688	0.00589258	0.143528908	9	20	0.0015748 03	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;HSP9 0AA1;TUBB4B				R-HSA-9648114;R-HSA-9648017;R-HSA- 2484822;R-HSA-375302;R-HSA-380316;R-HSA- 380508;R-HSA-1638803;R-HSA-2468287;R-HSA- 1638821
R-HSA- 3371556	Cellular response to heat stress	5	135	2	157	0.009301364	0.005980371	0.143528908	17	29	0.0022834 65	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA9;HSPA8; HSP90AA1;HS PA5;HSPB1	P11021;P11142; P07900;ENSG000 00106211;P38646	HSP90AA1;HSPB1	P49137;Q15185	R-HSA-5251955;R-HSA-5082409;R-HSA- 5251959;R-HSA-5324632;R-HSA-5082369;R-HSA- 3371518;R-HSA-3371554;R-HSA-3371586;R-HSA- 4793819;R-HSA-5251942;R-HSA-3371467;R-HSA- 5324617;R-HSA-5082356;R-HSA-5252041;R-HSA- 5082384;R-HSA-4793911;R-HSA-5252079
R-HSA- 8950505	Gene and protein expression by JAK-STAT signaling after Interleukin-12 stimulation	6	73	4	334	0.005029627	0.006203243	0.148877824	5	36	0.0028346 46	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA9;CFL1;M IF	ENSG000002409 72;ENSG0000017 2757;P14174;P23 528;ENSG000001 13013;P38646	MIF;ACTG1; HSPB1;HSPA5	P00441;P23528; P14174;P78417	R-HSA-8950732;R-HSA-8950175;R-HSA- 8950771;R-HSA-8950389;R-HSA-8950581
R-HSA- 9648025	EML4 and NUDC in mitotic spindle formation	4	121	0	68	0.008336778	0.007273065	0.167280493	2	5	3.94E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-9648114;R-HSA-9648017
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R-HSA- 6811434	COPI- dependent Golgi-to-ER retrograde traffic	4	107	0	116	0.007372192	0.011728918	0.229925954	2	11	8.66E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-6811426;R-HSA-6811423
R-HSA- 6807878	COPI- mediated anterograde transport	4	107	0	117	0.007372192	0.012101366	0.229925954	2	12	9.45E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-6809006;R-HSA-6809003
R-HSA- 9020591	Interleukin-12 signaling	6	84	4	405	0.005787516	0.013797147	0.248348645	5	56	0.0044094 49	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA9;CFL1;M IF	ENSG000002409 72;ENSG000017 2757;P14174;P23 528;ENSG00001 13013;P38646	MIF;ACTG1; HSPB1;HSPA5	P00441;P23528; P14174;P78417	R-HSA-8950732;R-HSA-8950175;R-HSA- 8950771;R-HSA-8950389;R-HSA-8950581
R-HSA- 399954	Sema3A PAK dependent Axon repulsion	2	19	2	29	0.001309081	0.01434738	0.258252847	4	6	4.72E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1;CFL 1	P07900;P23528	ACTG1;CFL1	P53667;P23528	R-HSA-399952;R-HSA-399950;R-HSA-419644;R- HSA-419645

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R-HSA- 3371453	Regulation of HSF1- mediated heat shock response	4	113	1	137	0.007785586	0.017885779	0.264180554	8	14	0.0011023 62	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA9;HSPA8; HSPA5;HSPB1	P11021;P11142;E NSG00000106211 ;P38646	HSPB1	P49137	R-HSA-5251955;R-HSA-5251942;R-HSA- 5251959;R-HSA-3371467;R-HSA-5252041;R-HSA- 3371518;R-HSA-4793911;R-HSA-5252079
R-HSA- 380259	Loss of NIp from mitotic centrosomes	3	71	0	66	0.004891829	0.018067499	0.264180554	2	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1;TU BB4B				R-HSA-380272;R-HSA-380303
R-HSA- 2262752	Cellular responses to stress	13	690	7	1089	0.047540306	0.018214489	0.264180554	45	227	0.0178740 16	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA9;TUBA1 C;HSPA8;HSP9 0AA1;HSPA5;F ASN;RPL14;RP L24;HSPB1;TU BB4B;PRDX6	P07900;P68363; P30041;P68371; P38646;P11021; P11142;P50914; P83731;P04350; P45985;Q9BQE3; ENSG000001062 11	HNRNPU;HSP90A A1;NPM1;HSPA8; KRT18;PKM; HSPB1	P05412;Q16665; Q8N726;P08243; Q13451;Q02790; P31948;P49137; P42771;Q15185; Q9NUX5	R-HSA-5324632;R-HSA-168136;R-HSA- 5082369;R-HSA-5618073;R-HSA-3371518;R-HSA- 3371554;R-HSA-3229152;R-HSA-4793819;R-HSA- 1234177;R-HSA-1791118;R-HSA-3785711;R-HSA- 1234181;R-HSA-5324617;R-HSA-5252041;R-HSA- 9633742;R-HSA-5324617;R-HSA-5082384;R-HSA- 6804998;R-HSA-9633008;R-HSA-5082384;R-HSA- 5082409;R-HSA-5618099;R-HSA-5251955;R-HSA- 5082409;R-HSA-5618100;R-HSA-5251955;R-HSA- 5082409;R-HSA-5618110;R-HSA-5251959;R-HSA- 5082409;R-HSA-5618110;R-HSA-5618105;R-HSA- 3209114;R-HSA-5618110;R-HSA-5618105;R-HSA- 3371422;R-HSA-5618110;R-HSA-5618085;R-HSA- 5618008;R-HSA-5251942;R-HSA-3371467;R-HSA- 5618009;R-HSA-5082356;R-HSA-9645672;R-HSA- 9634669;R-HSA-4793911;R-HSA-9633005;R-HSA- 5252079
R-HSA- 380284	Loss of proteins required for interphase microtubule organization from the centrosome	3	71	0	68	0.004891829	0.01877931	0.264180554	3	3	2.36E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1;TU BB4B				R-HSA-380294;R-HSA-380272;R-HSA-380303
R-HSA- 9665737	Drug resistance in ERBB2 TMD/JMD mutants	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.020321581	0.264180554	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665708
R-HSA- 9665244	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to sapitinib	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.020321581	0.264180554	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665304
R-HSA- 9665233	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to trastuzumab	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.020321581	0.264180554	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665232
R-HSA- 9665247	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to osimertinib	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.020321581	0.264180554	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665280
R-HSA- 9665245	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to tesevatinib	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.020321581	0.264180554	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665315
R-HSA- 9665251	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to lapatinib	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.020321581	0.264180554	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665284
R-HSA- 9665250	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to AEE788	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.020321581	0.264180554	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665278
R-HSA- 9665246	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to neratinib	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.020321581	0.264180554	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665286
R-HSA- 9665249	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to afatinib	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.020321581	0.264180554	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665311

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R-HSA- 9663891	Selective autophagy	6	89	5	454	0.00613201	0.020538095	0.266995241	14	48	0.0037795 28	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;HSPA 8;HSP90AA1;T UBB4B	P11142;P07900; P68363;P04350; P68371;Q9BQE3	RPL14;PRDX6; HSP90AA1; HSPA8;HSPA9	P21796;P11142; P50542	R-HSA-9646354;R-HSA-9664850;R-HSA- 9646679;R-HSA-9646390;R-HSA-5205673;R-HSA- 9613530;R-HSA-9646685;R-HSA-9613565;R-HSA- 9613666;R-HSA-9646347;R-HSA-9613352;R-HSA- 9613513;R-HSA-9646383;R-HSA-5205682
R-HSA- 5620924	Intraflagellar transport	3	56	1	108	0.003858344	0.020626356	0.268142626	7	12	9.45E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C; TUBB4B	P04350;P68371; Q9BQE3	HSPA8	Q8TDR0	R-HSA-5624949;R-HSA-5625424;R-HSA- 5625426;R-HSA-5625421;R-HSA-5617820;R-HSA- 5624952;R-HSA-5625416
R-HSA- 8953897	Cellular responses to external stimuli	13	708	7	1107	0.048780488	0.021148268	0.274927488	45	258	0.0203149 61	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA9;TUBA1 C;HSPA8; HSP90AA1; HSPA5;FASN; RPL14;RPL24; HSPB1; TUBB4B; PRDX6	P07900;P68363; P30041;P68371; P38646;P11021; P11142;P50914; P83731;P04350; P45985;Q9BQE3; ENSG000001062 11	HNRNPU; HSP90AA1;NPM1; HSPA8;KRT18; PKM;HSPB1	P05412;Q16665; Q8N726;P08243; Q13451;Q02790; P31948;P49137; P42771;Q15185; Q9NUX5	R-HSA-5324632;R-HSA-168136;R-HSA- 5082369;R-HSA-5618073;R-HSA-3371518;R-HSA- 3371554;R-HSA-3229152;R-HSA-4793819;R-HSA- 1234177;R-HSA-1791118;R-HSA-3785711;R-HSA- 1234181;R-HSA-5324617;R-HSA-5252041;R-HSA- 9633742;R-HSA-3371503;R-HSA-5251955;R-HSA- 6804998;R-HSA-9633008;R-HSA-5251955;R-HSA- 5082409;R-HSA-5618099;R-HSA-5251959;R-HSA- 5082409;R-HSA-5618109;R-HSA-5251959;R-HSA- 5618098;R-HSA-5618107;R-HSA-5018105;R-HSA- 3209114;R-HSA-5618107;R-HSA-5618105;R-HSA- 3371422;R-HSA-5618107;R-HSA-5618105;R-HSA- 3618080;R-HSA-450292;R-HSA-3371590;R-HSA- 5618080;R-HSA-551942;R-HSA-3371590;R-HSA- 5618080;R-HSA-5082356;R-HSA-9645672;R-HSA- 9634669;R-HSA-4793911;R-HSA-9633005;R-HSA- 5252079
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R-HSA- 380287	Centrosome maturation	3	83	0	68	0.005718617	0.023374559	0.280494707	6	6	4.72E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1; TUBB4B				R-HSA-380311;R-HSA-380455;R-HSA-380294;R- HSA-380272;R-HSA-380303;R-HSA-380283
R-HSA- 8856688	Golgi-to-ER retrograde transport	4	148	1	141	0.010197051	0.026664386	0.319972627	4	18	0.0014173 23	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C; TUBB4B	P68363;P04350; P68371;Q9BQE3	HSP90AA1	P43034	R-HSA-8849350;R-HSA-6811426;R-HSA- 6811423;R-HSA-8849353
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R-HSA- 9609690	HCMV Early Events	4	215	0	104	0.014813284	0.040342709	0.443769801	2	12	9.45E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	TUBA1C;TUBB 4B				R-HSA-9614343;R-HSA-9614367

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R-HSA- 3371511	HSF1 activation	2	43	1	40	0.002962657	0.04219468	0.464141476	4	7	5.51E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1;HS PB1	P07900;ENSG000 00106211	HSP90AA1	Q15185	R-HSA-3371586;R-HSA-4793819;R-HSA- 5082409;R-HSA-5324632
R-HSA- 419771	Opsins	1	10	0	1	6.89E-04	0.044169362	0.479950698	1	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	GLB1L				R-HSA-419841
R-HSA- 71387	Metabolism of carbohydrates	6	456	1	195	0.031417941	0.04799507	0.479950698	8	243	0.0191338 58	9606	Homo sapiens	PKM;GLB1L;EN O1;ALDOA	P13929;P06733;P 14618-2;P14618- 1;P04075;Q6UWU 2	KRT19	Q8IVS8	R-HSA-6799495;R-HSA-2090079;R-HSA-71495;R- HSA-71670;R-HSA-71496;R-HSA-1630306;R-HSA- 71660;R-HSA-70494
R-HSA- 9665230	Drug resistance in ERBB2 KD mutants	1	12	0	0	8.27E-04	0.048087829	0.480878293	8	8	6.30E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665315;R-HSA-9665232;R-HSA- 9665280;R-HSA-9665286;R-HSA-9665284;R-HSA- 9665304;R-HSA-9665311;R-HSA-9665278
R-HSA- 9029558	NR1H2 & NR1H3 regulate gene expression linked to lipogenesis	2	17	0	68	0.001171283	0.048089733	0.480897332	2	8	6.30E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	FASN				R-HSA-9605063;R-HSA-9028533
R-HSA- 2565942	Regulation of PLK1 Activity at G2/M Transition	3	92	0	112	0.006338707	0.048460857	0.484608571	4	12	9.45E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1;TU BB4B				R-HSA-3000319;R-HSA-2574845;R-HSA- 3000310;R-HSA-2574840

# SUPPLEMENTARY DATA PAIR B

Figure SD-2 for Pair B. Genome-wide overview of the 56 significant pathways as visualised in Reacfoam generated by FoamTree (Organism: Homo sapiens). Reactome pathways are arranged in a hierarchy. The centre of each of the circular foam is the root of one top-level pathway hierarchy. Each step away from the center represents the next level lower in the pathway hierarchy. Colored foams denote pathways significantly over-represented at *p* < 0.05. Light grey foams denote pathways that are not significantly over-represented. The color key on the top right indicates the significance level of overrepresentation.



# Table SD-2 for Pair B. 56 significant pathways generated by Reactome Pathways. Coloured cells are the top 10 most relevant pathways.

Pathway identifier	Pathway name	#Entities found	#Entities total	#Interactors found	#Interactors total	Entities ratio	Entities pValue	Entities FDR	#Reactions found	#Reactions total	Reactions ratio	Species identifier	Species name	Submitted entities found	Mapped entities	Submitted entities hit interactor	Interacts with	Found reaction identifiers
R-HSA- 6785807	Interleukin-4 and Interleukin-13 signaling	4	211	0	143	0.014537688	4.29E-04	0.155759727	2	46	0.003622047	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA8;HSP90A A1				R-HSA-6797269;R-HSA-6790041
R-HSA- 3371568	Attenuation phase	2	47	0	1	0.003238253	0.001203973	0.155759727	4	5	3.94E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA8;HSP90A A1				R-HSA-3371554;R-HSA- 5324617;R-HSA-5082369;R- HSA-5082384
R-HSA- 6809371	Formation of the cornified envelope	3	138	0	84	0.009508061	0.001410096	0.155759727	8	27	0.002125984	9606	Homo sapiens	KRT19;KRT8				R-HSA-6810357;R-HSA- 6811539;R-HSA-6814387;R- HSA-8942224;R-HSA- 6814734;R-HSA-6814764;R- HSA-6814298;R-HSA-6810937
R-HSA- 3371571	HSF1-dependent transactivation	2	59	0	1	0.004065041	0.00186676	0.155759727	5	8	6.30E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA8;HSP90A A1				R-HSA-3371554;R-HSA- 5324617;R-HSA-5082356;R- HSA-5082369;R-HSA-5082384
R-HSA- 168273	Influenza Viral RNA Transcription and Replication	3	175	2	93	0.012057324	0.002495973	0.155759727	3	14	0.001102362	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1;RPL 14;RPL24	P07900;P50 914; P83731	HSP90AA1;HS PA8	P07900	R-HSA-192704;R-HSA- 192841;R-HSA-192830
R-HSA- 6805567	Keratinization	3	226	0	84	0.015571173	0.00367219	0.155759727	15	34	0.002677165	9606	Homo sapiens	KRT19;KRT8				R-HSA-6806629;R-HSA- 6805573;R-HSA-6814734;R- HSA-6814764;R-HSA- 6805546;R-HSA-6806613;R- HSA-6810357;R-HSA- 6811539;R-HSA-6814387;R- HSA-6806610;R-HSA- 6809393;R-HSA-6809663;R- HSA-8942224;R-HSA- 6814298;R-HSA-6810937
R-HSA- 3371497	HSP90 chaperone cycle for steroid hormone receptors (SHR)	2	70	1	35	0.00482293	0.00515232	0.155759727	12	12	9.45E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA8;HSP90A A1	P11142;P07 900	HSP90AA1	Q13451;Q027 90;P31948; Q15185	8-HSA-5618085;R-HSA- 3371590;R-HSA-5618080;R- HSA-5618099;R-HSA- 5618098;R-HSA-5618093;R- HSA-5618110;R-HSA- 5618105;R-HSA-3371503;R- HSA-5618073;R-HSA- 3371422;R-HSA-5618107
R-HSA- 9665244	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to sapitinib	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.005299788	0.155759727	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665304
R-HSA- 9665233	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to trastuzumab	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.005299788	0.155759727	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665232
R-HSA- 9665249	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to afatinib	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.005299788	0.155759727	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665311
R-HSA- 9665251	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to lapatinib	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.005299788	0.155759727	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665284
R-HSA- 9665250	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to AEE788	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.005299788	0.155759727	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665278
R-HSA- 9665246	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to neratinib	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.005299788	0.155759727	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665286
R-HSA- 9665245	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to tesevatinib	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.005299788	0.155759727	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665315
R-HSA- 9665737	Drug resistance in ERBB2 TMD/JMD mutants	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.005299788	0.155759727	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665708
R-HSA- 9665247	Resistance of ERBB2 KD mutants to osimertinib	1	5	0	0	3.44E-04	0.005299788	0.155759727	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665280
R-HSA- 72689	Formation of a pool of free 40S subunits	2	106	0	6	0.007303293	0.006076314	0.155759727	1	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-72673
R-HSA- 72764	Eukaryotic Translation Termination	2	106	0	6	0.007303293	0.006183332	0.155759727	3	5	3.94E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-141671;R-HSA- 141691;R-HSA-141673
R-HSA- 2408557	Selenocysteine synthesis	2	113	0	2	0.007785586	0.006620019	0.155759727	2	7	5.51E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-2408529;R-HSA-5333615
R-HSA- 1799339	SRP-dependent cotranslational protein targeting to membrane	2	119	0	0	0.00819898	0.007070411	0.155759727	5	5	3.94E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-1799326;R-HSA- 1799330;R-HSA-1799329;R- HSA-1799335;R-HSA-1799332
R-HSA- 975956	Nonsense Mediated Decay (NMD) independent of the Exon	2	101	0	23	0.006958798	0.00730071	0.155759727	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-927789

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	Junction Complex (EJC)																	
R-HSA- 156827	L13a-mediated translational silencing of Ceruloplasmin expression	2	120	0	2	0.008267879	0.00741713	0.155759727	1	3	2.36E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-156826
R-HSA- 156902	Peptide chain elongation	2	97	0	32	0.006683202	0.008133314	0.170799596	4	5	3.94E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-156915;R-HSA- 156912;R-HSA-156923;R-HSA- 156907
R-HSA- 192823	Viral mRNA Translation	2	114	0	22	0.007854485	0.009006769	0.180135378	2	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-192704;R-HSA-192841
R-HSA- 168255	Influenza Infection	3	199	2	272	0.0137109	0.01133385	0.204191448	7	59	0.004645669	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1;RPL 14;RPL24	P07900;P50 914; P83731	HSP90AA1;HS PA8	P07900;P0348 5	R-HSA-192704;R-HSA- 195926;R-HSA-192746;R-HSA- 168299;R-HSA-192841;R-HSA- 192830;R-HSA-168894
R-HSA- 419771	Opsins	1	10	0	1	6.89E-04	0.011624145	0.204191448	1	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	GLB1L				R-HSA-419841
R-HSA- 72706	GTP hydrolysis and joining of the 60S ribosomal subunit	2	120	0	47	0.008267879	0.012011262	0.204191448	2	3	2.36E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-72672;R-HSA-72671
R-HSA- 9665230	Drug resistance in ERBB2 KD mutants	1	12	0	0	8.27E-04	0.012674466	0.215465921	8	8	6.30E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9665315;R-HSA- 9665232;R-HSA-9665280;R- HSA-9665286;R-HSA- 9665284;R-HSA-9665304;R- HSA-9665311;R-HSA-9665278
R-HSA- 156842	Eukaryotic Translation Elongation	2	102	0	73	0.007027697	0.013966207	0.223459307	4	9	7.09E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-156915;R-HSA- 156912;R-HSA-156923;R-HSA- 156907
R-HSA- 9652282	Drug-mediated inhibition of ERBB2 signaling	1	14	0	0	9.65E-04	0.014771912	0.224599153	3	3	2.36E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-9652277;R-HSA- 9652264;R-HSA-9665726
R-HSA- 927802	Nonsense- Mediated Decay (NMD)	2	124	0	79	0.008543475	0.016885091	0.224599153	5	6	4.72E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-927836;R-HSA- 927789;R-HSA-927832;R-HSA- 927813;R-HSA-927889
R-HSA- 975957	Nonsense Mediated Decay (NMD) enhanced by the Exon Junction Complex (EJC)	2	124	0	79	0.008543475	0.016885091	0.224599153	4	5	3.94E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-927836;R-HSA- 927832;R-HSA-927813;R-HSA- 927889
R-HSA- 2408522	Selenoamino acid metabolism	2	181	0	15	0.012470718	0.018259218	0.224599153	2	33	0.002598425	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-2408529;R-HSA-5333615
R-HSA- 9613829	Chaperone Mediated Autophagy	2	23	3	179	0.001584677	0.01860999	0.224599153	17	19	0.001496063	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA8;HSP90A A1	P11142;P07 900	HSP90AA1;HS PA8; KRT19	P14136;P1114 2	R-HSA-9626034;R-HSA- 9626256;R-HSA-9626039;R- HSA-9626235;R-HSA- 9622840;R-HSA-9626046;R- HSA-9624158;R-HSA- 9626242;R-HSA-9625188;R- HSA-9626276;R-HSA- 9620197;R-HSA-9615721;R- HSA-9622831;R-HSA- 9626060;R-HSA-9625196;R- HSA-9626253;R-HSA-9625197
R-HSA- 428359	Insulin-like Growth Factor-2 mRNA Binding Proteins (IGF2BPs/IMPs/VI CKZs) bind RNA	0	13	1	7	8.96E-04	0.021038762	0.224599153	1	3	2.36E-04	9606	Homo sapiens			HNRNPU	Q9NZI8	R-HSA-428296
R-HSA- 168336	Uncoating of the Influenza Virion	0	18	1	7	0.001240182	0.022079531	0.224599153	1	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens			HSPA8	P03485	R-HSA-168299
R-HSA- 168270	Fusion and Uncoating of the Influenza Virion	0	18	1	7	0.001240182	0.022079531	0.224599153	1	5	3.94E-04	9606	Homo sapiens			HSPA8	P03485	R-HSA-168299
R-HSA- 2022857	Keratan sulfate degradation	1	22	0	0	0.001515778	0.023119243	0.224599153	1	7	5.51E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	GLB1L				R-HSA-1630306
R-HSA- 72737	Cap-dependent Translation Initiation	2	130	0	109	0.008956869	0.023621275	0.224599153	3	18	0.001417323	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-72673;R-HSA-72672;R- HSA-72671
R-HSA- 72613	Eukaryotic Translation Initiation	2	130	0	110	0.008956869	0.023816526	0.224599153	4	21	0.001653543	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-72673;R-HSA-72672;R- HSA-156826;R-HSA-72671
R-HSA- 1251985	Nuclear signaling by ERBB4	2	47	1	189	0.003238253	0.024802871	0.224599153	3	34	0.002677165	9606	Homo sapiens	STMN1	P16949; ENSG0000 0117632	KRT19	P14136	R-HSA-1253321;R-HSA- 9612444;R-HSA-9612445
R-HSA- 168303	Packaging of Eight RNA Segments	0	17	1	15	0.001171283	0.027267551	0.224599153	1	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens			HSPA8	P03485	R-HSA-195926
R-HSA- 163680	AMPK inhibits chREBP transcriptional activation activity	0	11	1	16	7.58E-04	0.027267551	0.224599153	1	4	3.15E-04	9606	Homo sapiens			HSP90AA1	Q15831	R-HSA-164151
R-HSA- 8854521	Interaction between PHLDA1 and AURKA	0	4	1	24	2.76E-04	0.029335393	0.224599153	2	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens			RPL14	Q8WV24	R-HSA-8853429;R-HSA-8853444

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R-HSA- 9010553	Regulation of expression of SLITs and ROBOs	2	183	0	81	0.012608516	0.029980948	0.224599153	2	20	0.001574803	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24				R-HSA-9014652;R-HSA-9014610
R-HSA- 71288	Creatine metabolism	1	25	0	4	0.001722475	0.030367741	0.224599153	1	6	4.72E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	СКВ				R-HSA-200318
R-HSA- 446107	Type I hemidesmosome assembly	1	11	0	24	7.58E-04	0.034486659	0.224599153	1	6	4.72E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	KRT19				R-HSA-446077
R-HSA- 3371556	Cellular response to heat stress	2	135	1	157	0.009301364	0.035093119	0.224599153	15	29	0.002283465	9606	Homo sapiens	HSPA8;HSP90A A1	P11142;P07 900	HSP90AA1	Q15185	R-HSA-5251955;R-HSA- 5082409;R-HSA-5251959;R- HSA-5324632;R-HSA- 5082369;R-HSA-3371518;R- HSA-3371554;R-HSA- 3371586;R-HSA-5251942;R- HSA-3371467;R-HSA- 5324617;R-HSA-5082356;R- HSA-5252041;R-HSA- 5082384;R-HSA-5252079
R-HSA- 9633012	Response of EIF2AK4 (GCN2) to amino acid deficiency	2	115	1	170	0.007923384	0.035322679	0.224599153	5	16	0.001259843	9606	Homo sapiens	RPL14;RPL24	P50914;P83 731	HSPA8	P08243	R-HSA-9633008;R-HSA- 1791118;R-HSA-9633742;R- HSA-9634669;R-HSA-9633005
R-HSA- 3000484	Scavenging by Class F Receptors	1	16	0	20	0.001102384	0.037564882	0.224599153	2	2	1.57E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-2247514;R-HSA-2197645
R-HSA- 5603027	IKBKG deficiency causes anhidrotic ectodermal dysplasia with immunodeficiency (EDA-ID) (via TLR)	0	3	1	37	2.07E-04	0.038588872	0.224599153	1	1	7.87E-05	9606	Homo sapiens			HSP90AA1	015111	R-HSA-5262921
R-HSA- 168330	Viral RNP Complexes in the Host Cell Nucleus	0	15	1	29	0.001033485	0.039611823	0.224599153	1	3	2.36E-04	9606	Homo sapiens			HSPA8	P03485	R-HSA-192746
R-HSA- 399954	Sema3A PAK dependent Axon repulsion	1	19	0	29	0.001309081	0.045727744	0.224599153	2	6	4.72E-04	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-419644;R-HSA-419645
R-HSA- 5601884	PIWI-interacting RNA (piRNA) biogenesis	1	31	0	13	0.002135869	0.045727744	0.224599153	1	15	0.001181102	9606	Homo sapiens	HSP90AA1				R-HSA-5601883
R-HSA- 3134963	DEx/H-box helicases activate type I IFN and inflammatory cytokines production	0	7	1	40	4.82E-04	0.046743443	0.224599153	1	5	3.94E-04	9606	Homo sapiens			HNRNPU	Q08211	R-HSA-3134954
R-HSA- 2024096	HS-GAG degradation	1	44	0	1	0.003031556	0.046743443	0.224599153	1	14	0.001102362	9606	Homo sapiens	GLB1L				R-HSA-2090079

# Chapter 4

Anticonvulsive Potential of *Orthosiphon stamineus* Proteins in Zebrafish Model Induced by Pentylenetetrazol

### 4.1 Introduction

Epilepsy is a common neurologic disorder, affecting about 70 million people worldwide (Ngugi, Bottomley, Kleinschmidt, Sander, & Newton, 2010). Among, nearly one-third of the people have epilepsy that is not well controlled by a single antiepileptic drug (AED). Consequently, they often require add-on therapy, a treatment strategy using two or more AEDs (Chen et al., 2019). In the continuous search for effective treatments for epilepsy and its associated complications, the fundamental contribution of medicinal plants must not be understated.

*Orthosiphon stamineus* (OS) has recently been reported for protective effects on the central nervous system (CNS) (Choo et al., 2018; George et al., 2015; Retinasamy, Shaikh, Kumari, & Othman, 2019; Sree, Sri, & Ramarao, 2015). Typically, these studies focus only on the secondary metabolites of OS. Up to date, there is no systematic study on the primary metabolites of OS. Meanwhile, using another medicinal plant namely *Nicotiana tabacum* L., S. Shah et al. (2017) found protein osmotin (24 kDa) was protective for the CNS. This thus sees a lack of science-backed evidence to justify the therapeutic potential of OS primary metabolites for the CNS, let alone its proteins. OS proteins, could be similar to protein osmotin, also hold valuable protective potential for the CNS. The proteins extracted from OS leaves (OSLP) is therefore worthy of investigation.

In light of the current situation, the anticonvulsive potential of OSLP in an *in vivo* system is worthy of exploration. Zebrafish (*Danio rerio*) is a promising model in the research of epilepsy and drug discovery. Zebrafish shares a genetic profile with about 70% similarity to that of human and about 84% of genes known to human diseases are also expressed in zebrafish (Howe et al., 2013; Norton & Bally-Cuif, 2010). Zebrafish model of seizures can be induced using pentylenetetrazol (PTZ) (Copmans, Siekierska, & de Witte, 2017). PTZ is a tetrazol derivative (Stone, 1970). PTZ exerts its convulsive effects by inhibiting gamma-aminobutyric acid (GABA) activity at GABA<sub>A</sub> receptors (R.-Q. Huang et al., 2001; Shaikh, Sancheti, & Sathaye, 2013; Velíšek, 2009). PTZ is well known for its use in screening antiepileptic drugs (Desmond et al., 2012; Kundap, Kumari, Othman, & Shaikh, 2017; Shaikh et al., 2013; Zhao & Holmes, 2006).

The present chapter begins with elucidating the safety study of OSLP in normal adult zebrafish without PTZ induction. The maximum safe starting dose of OSLP determined is then used in the screening against anticonvulsive potential in zebrafish challenged by PTZ injection. Behavioral study based on changes in seizure frequency, seizure onset time, and

locomotor activity is evaluated. Expressions of the two major neurotransmitters, GABA and glutamate (Glu) are analysed using nanoflow-ESI-LCMS/MS. The protective mechanism of OSLP on zebrafish brains at protein levels is also investigated using mass spectrometrybased label-free proteomic quantification (LFQ). LFQ profiles the differentially expressed proteins between the non-seizures and OSLP-treated seizures. This thus provides fundamental information to study the functional annotations, the protein-protein interactions and their gene-disease associations. These enriched biological data provides information to the molecular interactions, reactions and relations associated with the anticonvulsive mechanism of OSLP on disease pathway maps. Hence, the objectives of this chapter are:

- 1. To elucidate the maximum safe starting dose of OSLP achievable via intraperitoneal (i.p.) route in normal zebrafish
- 2. To evaluate OSLP anticonvulsive potential in the PTZ-induced zebrafish model
- 3. To evaluate the anticonvulsive mechanism of OSLP using neurotransmitters and protein expression analysis.

The flowchart outlining the overview of experimental design to achieve the objectives are summarised in Figure 4.1 below:



Figure 4.1: Flowchart summarizing the overview of experimental design.

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# Article Orthosiphon stamineus Proteins Alleviate Pentylenetetrazol-Induced Seizures in Zebrafish

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Abstract: The anticonvulsive potential of proteins extracted from Orthosiphon stamineus leaves (OSLP) has never been elucidated in zebrafish (Danio rerio). This study thus aims to elucidate the anticonvulsive potential of OSLP in pentylenetetrazol (PTZ)-induced seizure model. Physical changes (seizure score and seizure onset time, behavior, locomotor) and neurotransmitter analysis were elucidated to assess the pharmacological activity. The protective mechanism of OSLP on brain was also studied using mass spectrometry-based label-free proteomic quantification (LFQ) and bioinformatics. OSLP was found to be safe up to 800 µg/kg and pre-treatment with OSLP (800 µg/kg, i.p., 30 min) decreased the frequency of convulsive activities (lower seizure score and prolonged seizure onset time), improved locomotor behaviors (reduced erratic swimming movements and bottom-dwelling habit), and lowered the excitatory neurotransmitter (glutamate). Pre-treatment with OSLP increased protein Complexin 2 (Cplx 2) expression in the zebrafish brain. Cplx2 is an important regulator in the trans-SNARE complex which is required during the vesicle priming phase in the calcium-dependent synaptic vesicle exocytosis. Findings in this study collectively suggests that OSLP could be regulating the release of neurotransmitters via calcium-dependent synaptic vesicle exocytosis mediated by the "Synaptic Vesicle Cycle" pathway. OSLP's anticonvulsive actions could be acting differently from diazepam (DZP) and with that, it might not produce the similar cognitive insults such as DZP.

Keywords: Orthosiphon stamineus; plant-derived proteins; epilepsy; seizures; zebrafish

#### 1. Introduction

Epilepsy is a chronic non-communicable disease of the brain that affects around 70 million people of all ages worldwide and accounts for about 1% of the global burden of disease. Epilepsy has a high prevalence and an estimated five million people are diagnosed with epilepsy each year. Epilepsy is characterized by recurrent seizures due to brief disturbances in the electrical functions of the brain. It involves brief episodes of involuntary movement that lead to changes in sensory perception, motor control, behavior, autonomic function, or sometimes loss of consciousness [1]. To date, despite having more than 30 antiepileptic drugs (AEDs) on the market [2,3], there are still difficulties in reaching the goal of treating epilepsy and its associated complications without adverse effects. Globally, epilepsy remains a public health imperative.

People with epilepsy often require lifelong treatment. AEDs are the mainstay of treatment. These conventional drugs bring about clinically worthwhile improvements but have tolerability issues due to their side effects. Many AEDs used in current mainstream clinical practice have been reported to elicit undesired neuropsychological consequences such as depression (24% lifetime prevalence), anxiety (22%), and intellectual disability, particularly in children with epilepsy (30%–40%) [1]. More than one-third of epileptic seizures are not well controlled by a single AED and often require treatment with two or more AEDs (add-on therapy) [1,2]. Furthermore, about 40%–60% of epileptic patients, accounting for both children and adults, develop neuropsychological impairments [3]. This drives a significant portion of epileptic patients to seek alternative interventions, particularly in herbal medicine [4]. Current systematic studies are reporting promising anticonvulsive activities in a constellation of medicinal plants [5,6].

*Orthosiphon stamineus* (OS) or *Orthosiphon aristatus var. aristatus* (OAA), also commonly known as cat's whiskers or "misai kucing," is an important medicinal plant. Choo et al. (2018) has shown that the ethanolic extract of OS, exhibited anticonvulsive activity in zebrafish Choo, Kundap [7] and Coelho et al. (2015) has demonstrated the anticonvulsant potential of rosmarinic acid in mice, which is an active chemical constituent in OS extract Coelho, Vieira [8]. Nonetheless, until now the protective potential of OS primary metabolites has not been studied, let alone its proteins. The proteins extracted from OS leaves (OSLP) may also hold valuable protective potential for central nervous system (CNS) disorders such as epilepsy. In the research of epilepsy and drug discovery, zebrafish (*Danio rerio*) has been widely recognised as an important and promising vertebrate model. Genetic profile of zebrafish shares approximately 70% similarity with human and about 84% of genes known to human diseases are also expressed in zebrafish [9,10]. This makes the zebrafish model particularly useful as a high-throughput screening system in studying mechanisms of brain functions and dysfunctions [11]. To the best of our knowledge, this is the first study on elucidating the anticonvulsive potential of proteins extracted from OSLP.

#### 2. Experimental Section

#### 2.1. Materials Chemicals and Apparatuses

L-Glutamic acid (Glu), Gamma-Aminobutyric acid (y-aminobutyric acid), Pentylenetetrazol (PTZ), Diazepam (DZP), Benzocaine, complete EDTA-free protease inhibitors, phosphatase inhibitors cocktail 2, dithiothreitol (DTT), trifluoroethanol (TFE), ammonium bicarbonate (ABC), 2,3,5-triphenyltetrazolium chloride (TTC), formic acid (FA), and methanol (MeOH) of HPLC-grade were purchased from Sigma-Aldrich (St. Louis, MO, USA). Pierce® trypsin protease, Pierce® Radioimmunoprecipitation assay (RIPA) buffer of mass spec grade and Pierce®C18 mini spin columns were purchased from Thermo Scientific Pierce (Rockford, IL, USA). Protein LoBind microcentrifuge tube (Eppendorf, Enfield, CT, USA), acetonitrile (ACN), trifluoroacetic acid (TFA), indoleacetic acid (IAA) and CHAPS (Nacailai Tesque, Kyoto, Japan) of mass spec grade were from Sigma-Aldrich (St. Louis, MO, USA), Quick Start™ Bradford Protein Assay Kit from Bio-Rad (Hercules, CA, USA), Dimethylsulfoxide (DMSO) and 37% formaldehyde solution were from Friendemann Schmidt Chemical (Parkwood, Western Australia), Milli-Q ultrapure (MQUP) water from Millipore GmbH (Darmstad, Germany), acetic acid (glacial, 100%) from Merck (Darmstadt, Germany) and Phosphate buffered saline (PBS) tablets from VWR Life Science AMRESCO® (Radnor, PA, USA). Liquid nitrogen was purchased from Linde Malaysia, Hamilton syringes 25 µL (MICROLITER™ #702) from Hamilton Co. (Reno, NV, USA), 35 gauge needles (PrecisionGlide<sup>™</sup>) were from Becton, Dickinson and Company (Franklin Lakes, NJ, USA), ultrasonic cell crusher (JY88-II N, Shanghai Xiwen Biotech. Co., Ltd., Shanghai, China), Eyela SpeedVac Vacuum Concentrator (Thermo Scientific Pierce, Rockford, IL, USA), Camry High-Precision Electronic Pocket Scale (Model EHA901, Zhaoqing, China) and Classic pH Pen Tester from Yi Hu Fish Farm Trading Pte. Ltd. (Singapore). The other chemicals of analytical grade were from established suppliers worldwide.

#### 2.2. Software and Equipment

For the behavioral study, SMART V3.0.05 tracking software (Panlab Harvard Apparatus, Barcelona, Spain) was used for the automated tracking of zebrafish swimming patterns. The video recorded using the camcorder was analyzed using the software. The water-filled tank was divided into two halves of the same size; the upper-half was marked as the top zone and the lower-half as the bottom zone as described by Kundap et al. 2017 [12].

For the neurotransmitter analysis, the solvent delivery was performed using Agilent Ultra High-Performance Liquid Chromatography (UHPLC) 1290 Series (Agilent Technologies, Santa Clara, CA, USA) consisting of Agilent 1290 Series High-Performance Autosampler, Agilent 1290 Series Binary Pump and Agilent 1290 Series Thermostatted Column Compartment; the separations were performed using Zorbax Eclipse Plus C18 (Rapid Resolution HD,  $2.1 \times 150.0$  mm with 1.8  $\mu$ M pore size reverse-phase column) (Agilent Technologies, Santa Clara, CA, USA), and coupled with Agilent 6410B Triple Quadrupole (QQQ) mass spectrometer equipped with an electrospray ionization (ESI) (Agilent Technologies, Santa Clara, CA, USA) to detect the targeted neurotransmitters.

In the protein expression study, Agilent 1200 series HPLC coupled with Agilent 6550 iFunnel Quadrupole Time of Flight (Q-TOF) LC/MS, C-18 300Å Large Capacity Chip (Agilent Technologies, Santa Clara, CA, USA) and Agilent MassHunter data acquisition software were used to identify the differentially expressed proteins (Agilent Technologies, Santa Clara, CA, USA). In addition, PEAKS®Studio software (Version 8.0, Bioinformatics Solution, Waterloo, ON, Canada) and UniProtKB (Organism: *Danio rerio*) database were used for the analysis of mass spectrometry-based label-free proteomic quantification (LFQ). Cytoscape software (Version 3.7.2 plugin BiNGO for Gene Ontology (GO) annotated information, Cytoscape Consortium, San Diego, CA, USA), Zebrafish Information Network (ZFIN) Database Information, KAAS (KEGG Automatic Annotation Server Version 2.1, Kanehisa Lab., Kyoto, Japan) and KEGG PATHWAY Database (Organism: *Danio rerio*) were used to study the functional annotations, protein-protein interactions, and systemic pathway enrichment analysis.

#### 2.3. Zebrafish Maintenance and Housing Conditions

Adult zebrafish (*Danio rerio*; 3–4 months old) of heterogeneous strain wild-type stock (standard short-fin phenotype) were housed in the Animal Facility of Monash University Malaysia and maintained under standard husbandry conditions as follows: standard zebrafish tanks (length of 36 cm × width of 22 cm × height of 26 cm) equipped with circulating water systems to provide constant aeration, controlled water temperature between 26–28 °C and controlled water pH between 6.8–7.1. They were kept in stress-free and hygienic conditions. The zebrafish aquarium was maintained under a 250-lux light intensity with a cycle of 14-h of light to 10-h of darkness controlled by autotimer (light on at 0800 and light off at 2200). Group housing was practiced (10–12 fish per tank) with the females and males separated. The adult zebrafish were fed ad libitum three times a day (TetraMin<sup>®</sup> Tropical Flakes) and were supplemented with live brine shrimps (Artemia) purchased from Bio-Marine (Aquafauna Inc., Hawthorne, CA, USA). The adult zebrafish were allowed to acclimatize for a period of seven days to reduce stress before commencing the experiments. The Monash University Malaysia Animal Ethics Committee approved all the animal experimental procedures on 17 January 2019.

#### 2.4. Experimental Design

#### 2.4.1. OSLP Safety Study in Adult Zebrafish

A limit test was first performed based on a modified version of the OECD Guidelines for the Testing of Chemicals No. 203 [11,12] and the protocols of Choo et al. [10,13]. Prior to the experimental procedures, all the adult zebrafish were fasted for 24 h. Meanwhile, OSLP powder was completely dissolved in tank water (26–28 °C) and concentrations ranging from 50–1600 µg/kg of zebrafish body weight were freshly prepared. Three-month-old adult zebrafish with an average weight of 0.45–0.50 g

were selected. The zebrafish were then divided into 7 groups (Table 1), with 8 fish per group (n = 8) as follows:

Group	Treatment
VC	Vehicle control (tank water, i.p.)
Treatment Group a	OSLP (50 μg/kg, i.p.)
Treatment Group b	OSLP (100 µg/kg, i.p.)
Treatment Group c	OSLP (200 μg/kg, i.p.)
Treatment Group d	OSLP (400 μg/kg, i.p.)
Treatment Group e	OSLP (800 μg/kg, i.p.)
Treatment Group f	OSLP (1600 µg/kg, i.p.)

Table 1. Experimental groups in OSLP safety study.

A clean observation tank was first set up and filled with 13 L of tank water (Milli-Q filtered water used for keeping the zebrafish; 26–28 °C). One zebrafish from the vehicle control (VC) group was then placed in the observation tank and its behavior was recorded for 10 min using a digital camera (Sony, Japan). After finishing recording, the zebrafish was transferred into a clean individual 1 L tank filled with the same water. This procedure was then repeated for all the other zebrafish in the VC group. For the OSLP-treated groups (II-VII), different concentrations of OSLP were injected intraperitoneally (i.p.) into the zebrafish. Before each IP injection, a zebrafish was individually immersed in anesthesia solution (30 mg/L of Benzocaine) until the cessation of movement [10,13,14]. Immediately, the zebrafish was extracted out to determine the body weight and to calculate the injection volume. The injection volume was calculated at a volume corresponding to 10 microliters per gram of body weight (modified from 15). After injection, the zebrafish was immediately transferred back to the 13 L observation tank. Then, the same recording and tank transfer procedure was repeated, as performed in the VC group. All 56 zebrafish were then kept for 96 h in their respective 1 L tanks. They were checked on every 15 min for the first two hours of exposure and every half an hour thereafter for the first day. On subsequent days, the zebrafish were checked on the morning, afternoon, and evening (3 times per day). Any zebrafish found to exhibit signs of pain, suffering, or anomaly according to our predefined monitoring sheet at any checkpoint were humanely euthanized via an overdose of benzocaine. This protocol deviates from the OECD guidelines in that it does not use mortality as the criterion to determine toxic effects due to the concerns of the MARP-Australia in using death as an endpoint.

#### 2.4.2. Anticonvulsive Potential of OSLP in Adult Zebrafish

The anticonvulsive potential of OSLP was investigated in the pentylenetetrazol (PTZ)-induced seizure model. Seizure score and seizure onset time, were one of the primary evaluation parameters used to examine the anticonvulsive activity. Behavioral changes in the zebrafish were determined by evaluating their swimming patterns, total distance travelled (cm) and time spent in the tank (upper-half versus lower-half, s). Three-month-old adult zebrafish with an average weight of 0.45–0.50 g were selected. Prior to beginning the experiments, the zebrafish were kept in 1 L treatment tanks filled with 1 L of tank water (26–28 °C) normally used to fill the zebrafish tanks. In this study, the zebrafish were divided into 5 groups (n = 10) (Table 2) and procedures of experiment (Figure 1) were as follows:

Table 2. Experim	ental groups in the e	valuation of OSLP	anti-convulsive	potential.
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Group	Treatment
VC	Vehicle control (tank water, i.p. + tank water)
NC	Negative control (tank water + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.)
PC	Positive control (DZP 1.25 mg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.)
TC	Treatment control (800 $\mu$ g/kg + tank water, i.p.)
O+P	OSLP-treated PTZ (800 µg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.)



Figure 1. Shows the procedures of experiment.

All the groups were habituated in their treatment tanks for a half hour before the administration of PTZ. Before each i.p. injection, a zebrafish was individually immersed in anesthesia solution (30 mg/L of Benzocaine) until the cessation of movement. When multiple IP injections were required in tandem on the same zebrafish, the injections were given at alternating lateral ends, rather than the midline between the pelvic fins 10, 13, 14. The VC group was injected with tank water twice. The NC group was first pre-treated with tank water and then PTZ (170 mg/kg) whereas the PC group was pre-treated with diazepam (1.25 mg/kg) followed by PTZ (170 mg/kg). The TC group was injected with 800 µg/kg of OSLP and tank water. The O+P group was pre-treated with OSLP (800 µg/kg) followed by PTZ (170 mg/kg). PTZ-induced seizures lasted for approximately 10 min after the PTZ injection [10,13,14]. All the groups were then transferred to a 13 L observation tank filled three quarters of the way with water. Behavioral changes of the zebrafish were then recorded individually (10 min) with a digital camera (Sony, Japan). The PTZ injected zebrafish presented diverse seizure profiles, intensities and latency in reaching the different seizure scores and seizure onset times. In order to determine the seizure score and seizure onset time, the individual video was analyzed using a computer as per the scoring system below (Table 3) [10,13–16]:

Score	Criteria
1	short swim mainly at the bottom of tank
2	increased swimming activity and high frequency of opercular movements
3	burst swimming, left and right movements as well as the erratic movements
4	circular movements

Table 3. Seizure scoring syst	tem.
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At the end of the experiment, all the groups were sacrificed. The zebrafish were euthanized with 30 mg/L of Benzocaine until the cessation of movement. The brains were then carefully harvested for neurotransmitter analysis, protein expression study and systemic pathway enrichment analysis.

#### 2.5. Extraction of Brains from Zebrafish

At the end of the behavioral studies, the zebrafish brains were carefully harvested from the zebrafish skulls and kept in a sterile Petri dish. Each brain was then immediately transferred into a sterile, pre-chilled 2.0 mL microtube and was flash-frozen in liquid nitrogen (LN<sub>2</sub>) before storing them at -152 °C until further analysis.

The levels of neurotransmitters in the brains, namely gamma-aminobutyric acid (GABA) and glutamate (Glu) were estimated using LC-MS/MS with modifications [13,14,17]. All experiments were performed in 3 independent biological replicates.

A mother stock of neurotransmitter standards was prepared by mixing GABA and Glu in methanol, MQUP water and 0.1% formic acid, to make up a final concentration of 1 mg/mL. Next, serial dilution was performed to prepare 8 points of standard calibrations ranging from 6.25–1000 ng/mL. A blank (methanol, MQUP water in 0.1% formic acid) with a final concentration of 1 mg/mL was also prepared. Together with the 8 points of standard calibrations, they were used for quantifying the levels of GABA and Glu in LC-MS/MS study.

Firstly, each LN<sub>2</sub> flash-frozen zebrafish brain was homogenized in 1 mL ice-cold methanol/MQUP water (3:1, *vol/vol*) using an ultrasonic cell crusher (JY88-II N, Shanghai Xiwen Biotech. Co., Ltd., Shanghai, China). The homogenate was then vortex-mixed (2500 rpm, 3 m) and later incubated on an agitating shaker (4 °C, 1 h). The homogenate was then centrifuged (4 °C, 10,000× *g*, 10 min) and the supernatant was carefully transferred into a sterile 2.0 mL microtube. 100  $\mu$ L of 0.1% formic acid was slowly added, vortex-mixed (2500 rpm, 3 m) and then centrifuged (4 °C, 10,000× *g*, 10 min). The supernatant was carefully transferred into a sterile insert and vial. Finally, all the brain samples were subjected to LC-MS/MS analysis.

LC-MS/MS was run on an Agilent 1290 Infinity UHPLC coupled with an Agilent 6410B Triple Quad MS/MS equipped with an electrospray ionization (ESI). The separations were performed using Zorbax Eclipse Plus C18 (Rapid Resolution HD,  $2.1 \times 150.0$  mm with 1.8 uM pore size reverse-phase column). The flow rate was 0.3 mL/min with the mobile phase consisting of 0.1% formic acid in water (Solvent A) and acetonitrile (Solvent B). The gradient elution used was: (i) 0 min, 5% Solvent B; (ii) 0–3 min, 50% Solvent B and (iii) 3–5 min, 100% Solvent B, with one-minute post time. The injection volume was 1.0  $\mu$ L per sample with the column compartment temperature and the autosampler temperature set at 25 °C and 4 °C respectively. The total run time for each injection was 5 min. ESI-MS/MS was used in positive ionization mode with a nitrogen gas temperature of 325 °C, gas flow 9 L/min, nebulizer pressure of 45 psi and the capillary voltage of 4000 V. The MS acquisition was scanned in multiple reaction monitoring (MRM) mode. A calibration range of 1.56–200 ng/mL was used for quantifying the targeted neurotransmitters, with a linear plot where r<sup>2</sup> > 0.99.

#### 2.7. Protein Expression Profiling Using Mass Spectrometry-Based Label-Free Proteomic Quantification (LFQ)

Brains of these two groups, namely NC (injected with PTZ 170 mg/kg) and O+P (pre-treated with OSLP 800  $\mu$ g/kg followed by PTZ 170 mg/kg) were subjected to tissue lysis to extract the proteins for mass spectrometry-based label-free proteomic quantification (LFQ). All experiments were performed in 4 independent biological replicates.

#### 2.7.1. Protein Extraction from Zebrafish Brain

The zebrafish brain was lysed with 1 mL of ice-cold lysis buffer (RIPA, protease inhibitor 20% v/v, phosphatase inhibitor 1% v/v) in a sterile ProtLoBind microtube and then incubated on an orbital shaker (4 °C; 90 min). Next, the content was homogenized using an ultrasonic cell crusher, briefly centrifuged (18,000 × g, 4 °C; 10 min) and the supernatant produced was harvested. The supernatant extracted was collected into a new sterile ProtLoBind microtube. Protein concentration was estimated using the Quick Start<sup>TM</sup> Bradford Protein Assay as instructed by the manufacturer (Bio-Rad, Hercules, CA, USA). After that, the brain lysates were concentrated in a speed-vacuum concentrator (300 rpm; 24 h; 60 °C).

#### 2.7.2. In-Solution Digestion of Proteins

In-solution protein digestion was carried out according to the instructions (Agilent Technologies, Santa Clara, CA, USA). Briefly, protein samples were re-suspended, denatured and reduced in 25  $\mu$ L of ABC, 25  $\mu$ L of TFE and 1  $\mu$ L of DTT, followed by being vortex-mixed (2500 rpm, 3 m) and then heated in an oven (60 °C, 60 min). Next, the samples were alkylated in 4  $\mu$ L of IAA and were incubated in the dark (60 min, r.t.). After that, 1  $\mu$ L of DTT was again added to quench excessive IAA (60 min, r.t., in the dark). 300  $\mu$ L of MQUP water and 100  $\mu$ L of ABC were added to dilute and adjust the pH of the protein solutions (pH 7–9). Following that, 1  $\mu$ L of trypsin was added and was then incubated in an oven (37 °C, 18 h, in the dark). Upon completion of incubation, 1  $\mu$ L of formic acid was added to terminate the tryptic digestion. Finally, all the samples were concentrated in a speed-vacuum concentrator (300 rpm; 24 h; 60 °C, Eyela SpeedVac Vacuum Concentrator). The dry pellets were kept at –20 °C.

#### 2.7.3. De-Salting of Proteins

De-salting of the protein sample was carried out. Each biological replicate was de-salted independently using a Pierce<sup>®</sup>C18 mini spin column as instructed (Thermo Scientific Pierce, Rockford, IL, USA), with modifications. Firstly, each mini spin column was activated in 50% ACN (repeated 3 times, r.t.) and equilibrated in 0.5% of TFA in 5% ACN (repeated 3 times, r.t.). Separately, 90  $\mu$ L of crude protein was added into 30  $\mu$ L of sample buffer (2% of TFA in 20%) and briefly vortexed at 2200 rpm to mix well. This step was repeated for all the protein samples. Following that, each of the protein samples was loaded onto a mini spin column and was de-salted (repeated 3 times, r.t.). Subsequently, all the protein samples were washed in 0.5% of TFA in 5% ACN (repeated 3 times, r.t.). Lastly, all the protein samples were eluted in 70% ACN (repeated 3 times, r.t.) and all the flow-through produced was collected, vacuum-concentrated (300 rpm; 24 h; 60 °C) and stored at -20 °C prior to mass spectrometry-based LFQ.

#### 2.7.4. Mass Spectrometry-Based Label-Free Proteomic Quantification (LFQ) Using Nanoflow-ESI-LCMS/MS

De-salted peptides were loaded onto an Agilent C-18 300Å Large Capacity Chip. The column was equilibrated by 0.1% formic acid in water (Solution A) and peptides were eluted with an increasing gradient of 90% acetonitrile in 0.1% formic acid (Solution B) by the following gradient, 3%–50% Solution B from 0–30 min, 50%–95% Solution B from 30–32 min, 95% Solution B from 32–39 min and 95%–3% Solution B from 39–47 min. The polarity of Q-TOF was set at positive, capillary voltage at 2050 V, fragmentor voltage at 300 V, drying gas flow 5 L/min and gas temperature of 300 °C. The intact protein was analyzed in auto MS/MS mode from range 110–3000 *m/z* for MS scan and 50–3000 *m/z* range for MS/MS scan. The spectrum was analyzed using Agilent MassHunter data acquisition software.

#### 2.7.5. Brain Protein and Peptide Identification by Automated de Novo Sequencing and LFQ Analysis

Protein identification by automated de novo sequencing was performed with PEAKS®Studio Version 8.0. UniProtKB (Organism: *Danio rerio*) database (http://www.uniprot.org/proteomes/UP000000437, 46,847 proteins, accessed on 14 February 2020) was used for protein identification and homology search by comparing the de novo sequence tag, with the following settings: both parent mass and precursor mass tolerance was set at 0.1 Da, carbamidomethylation was set as fixed modification with maximum missed cleavage was set at 3, maximum variable post-translational modification was set at 3, trypsin cleavage, the minimum ratio count set to 2, mass error tolerance set as 20.0 ppm and other parameters were set as default by Agilent. False discovery rate (FDR) threshold of 1% and protein score of -10lgP > 20 were applied to filter out inaccurate proteins. PEAKS® indicated that a -10lgP score of greater than 20 is of relatively high in confidence as it targets very few decoy matches above the threshold.

For LFQ analysis, the differentially expressed proteins between the NC (injected with PTZ 170 mg/kg) and O+P (pre-treated with OSLP 800  $\mu$ g/kg followed by PTZ 170 mg/kg) groups were

identified with the following settings: FDR threshold  $\leq 1\%$ , fold change  $\geq 1$ , unique peptide  $\geq 1$ , and significance score  $\geq 20$ . PEAKSQ indicated that a significance score of greater than 20 is equivalent to significance *p* value < 0.01. Other parameters were set as default by Agilent.

#### 2.8. Bioinformatics Analysis

Bioinformatics analysis (functional annotations, protein-protein interactions and systemic pathway enrichment analysis) of the differentially expressed proteins were analyzed and matched with the databases obtained from GO Consortium, ZFIN (www.zfin.org) and the KEGG PATHWAY Database (*Danio rerio*) [13]. KAAS provides functional annotation of genes by BLAST or GHOST comparisons against the manually curated KEGG GENES database. The result contains KO (KEGG Orthology) assignments (bi-directional best hit) and automatically generated KEGG pathways. The KEGG pathway maps organism-specific pathways: green boxes are hyperlinked to GENES entries by converting K numbers (KO identifiers) to gene identifiers in the reference pathway, indicating the presence of genes in the genome and also the completeness of the pathway.

#### 2.9. Statistical Analysis

For behavioral study and neurotransmitter estimation, statistical analysis was performed using GraphPad Prism version 8.0. All data were expressed as mean  $\pm$  standard error of the mean (SEM). One-way analysis of variance (ANOVA) followed with Dunnett's post-hoc test at significance levels of \* p < 0.05, \*\* p < 0.01 and \*\*\* p < 0.001 against the negative control group (NC, 170 mg/kg PTZ). PEAKSQ statistical analysis (built-in statistical tool of PEAKS<sup>®</sup> software) was used in the analysis of differentially expressed proteins identified by LFQ. A significance score of 20% (equivalent to significance level of 0.01) and FDR  $\leq$  1% was considered statistically significant. In bioinformatics analysis, hypergeometric test followed with Benjamini and Hochberg FDR correction at p value < 0.05 (BiNGO built-in statistical tool of KAAS was used to assess the possible association of interacting proteins; the built-in statistical tool of KAAS was used to assess the possible association of interacting proteins and systemic pathways in the KEGG PATHWAY Database.

#### 3. Results

#### 3.1. OSLP Safety Study in Adult Zebrafish

#### 3.1.1. Behavioral Study

#### Swim Path Analysis

As seen in the swim paths generated by PANLAB SMART v3.0 software, the VC group (Figure 2a) swam throughout the whole tank without showing apparent preference for any part of the tank. The OSLP-treated groups, 50, 100, 200, and 400  $\mu$ g respectively, showed slight preferences for the bottom half of tank when compared to the VC group (Figure 2b–e). In comparison, the OSLP 800  $\mu$ g group (Figure 2f) showed a similar swimming pattern to the VC group as they swam throughout the whole tank with no apparent preference for any part of the tank. The 1600  $\mu$ g/kg dose was excluded for causing mortality after an extended duration.

#### 3.1.2. Locomotion Parameters

For the mean total distance travelled, no significant differences (F = 1.798, p > 0.05) were found between the untreated VC group and all the OSLP-treated groups (50–800 µg/kg) (Figure 3a).

For another locomotion parameter, time spent in upper half of tank (s), no significant differences (F = 1.408, p > 0.05) were found between the untreated VC group and all the OSLP-treated groups Figure 3b, c). In a similar trend, no significant differences were also found in the mean time spent in

lower half of tank, except in the OSLP 800 µg group. The zebrafish treated with OSLP 800 µg/kg spent a shorter time in the lower half of tank,  $328 \pm 54$  s (F = 6.596, \*\* *p* < 0.01) than the VC group.



**Figure 2.** Representative swim paths for the corresponding 6 experimental groups (n = 8). (**a**) VC (tank water only, i.p.), (**b**) OSLP (50 µg/kg, i.p.), (**c**) OSLP (100 µg/kg, i.p.), (**d**) OSLP (200 µg/kg, i.p.), (**e**) OSLP (400 µg/kg, i.p.) and (**f**) OSLP (800 µg/kg, i.p.).



**Figure 3.** Mean locomotion parameters over 600 s for all the experimental groups. Figure (**a**) represents the mean total distance travelled (cm), Figure (**b**) shows the mean time spent in upper zone (s) and Figure (**c**) displays the mean time spent in lower zone (s). The data are expressed as Mean  $\pm$  SEM, n = 8 and was analyzed using One-way ANOVA followed with Dunnett's post-hoc test at significance level of \*\* p < 0.01 against the VC group (tank water only, i.p.).

Based on the swim path analysis (Figure 2) and locomotion parameters (Figure 3), OSLP ranging from 50 to 800  $\mu$ g did not result in any abnormal behavioral changes in the adult zebrafish. These doses were found to be safe for the use in adult zebrafish and did not result in any mortality or morbidity. Considering the maximum protective effects OSLP could possibly exhibit in brain at a safe concentration, 800  $\mu$ g was fixed as the maximum safe starting dose. Subsequently, OSLP at 800  $\mu$ g was used as the treatment dose across all further studies in this work. On the other hand, mortality in the adult zebrafish was recorded when treated with 1600  $\mu$ g of OSLP. Therefore, this dose was considered as unsafe and the findings were not included in this work.

#### 3.2. Evaluation of Anticonvulsive Potential of OSLP

#### 3.2.1. Behavioral Study

#### Swim Path Analysis

The VC group (Figure 4a) managed to swim throughout the entire tank without showing apparent preference for any part of the tank. In contrast, the NC group showed a more erratic swimming pattern after the PTZ challenge, with the zebrafish dwelling at the bottom half of tank more frequently (Figure 4b). Pre-treatment with DZP (PC group) modified the post PTZ challenge swimming behavior into a swimming pattern comparable to the VC group, with roughly equal amount of time being spent at the top and bottom of the tank (Figure 4c). Pre-treatment with OSLP 800  $\mu$ g (O+P) also produced a swimming pattern similar to that of the VC group, without showing apparent preference for any part of the tank (Figure 4d). The treatment control group (TC) managed to swim throughout the whole tank without showing erratic swimming pattern (Figure 4e).



**Figure 4.** Representative swimming patterns for the corresponding 5 experimental groups (n = 10). VC ((**a**) tank water, i.p.), NC ((**b**) PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.), PC ((**c**) DZP 1.25 mg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.), O+P ((**d**) OSLP 800 µg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.) and TC ((**e**) OSLP 800 µg/kg + tank water, i.p.).

#### 3.2.2. Seizure Score and Seizure Onset Time

The cutoff time for seizure scoring was 600 s as fish fully recovered from seizures by 600 s. Mean seizure onset time for both the VC group and TC group were set as 600 s and a maximum seizure score of zero was assigned to these groups. They did not receive any PTZ challenges and thus did not show seizures. They served only as the study controls. PTZ injection into the zebrafish resulted in diverse seizure profiles, intensities, and latency in reaching the different seizure scores and onset time.

The NC group injected with PTZ had a significant increase in seizure score to 2.8 (F = 34.35 \*\*\* p < 0.001) and had significantly prompted the seizure onset time to the lowest, 76 s (F = 49.50, \*\*\* p < 0.001), when compared to the VC group. Higher seizure score with a concurrent lower seizure onset time indicated more severe seizures in the PTZ-injected zebrafish. Treatment with 800 µg/kg of OSLP showed a significant decrease in seizure score, to 1.5 (F = 34.35, \*\*\* p < 0.001) and significantly delayed the seizure onset time to 349 s (F = 49.50, \*\*\* p < 0.001) compared to the NC group. As expected, the PC group treated with DZP also showed a significant decrease in seizure score, to < 1 (F = 34.35, \*\*\* p < 0.001) and had significantly delayed the seizure onset time to 564 s (F = 49.50, \*\*\* p < 0.001) compared to the NC group.

In this study, PTZ (170 mg/kg of b.w.) was shown to sufficiently induce seizures in the adult zebrafish, with a high seizure score and a fast seizure onset time. OSLP treatment (800  $\mu$ g/kg of b.w.) was shown to reduce seizure severity, with a lower seizure score and delayed the onset time to the most serious seizure score 4 (Figure 5).



**Figure 5.** Mean seizure scores and mean seizure onset time (s) for the corresponding 5 experimental groups. Data are mean  $\pm$  SEM. Experiments were repeated in n = 10, \*\*\* showed p < 0.001 against negative control. One-way ANOVA with Dunnett's post-hoc test. VC (tank water, i.p.), NC (PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.), PC (DZP 1.25 mg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.), O+P (OSLP 800 µg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.) and TC (OSLP 800 µg/kg + tank water, i.p.).

#### 3.2.3. Locomotion Parameters

Mean total distance travelled of the VC group was  $68\pm16$  cm (F = 4.527, \*\* p < 0.01) and was significantly shorter than the NC group injected with PTZ (172 ± 34 cm, F = 4.527, \*\*p < 0.01). The NC group travelled about a 60% longer distance than the VC group (Figure 6a). The PC group treated with DZP had mean total distance travelled of 74 ± 16 cm which was 57% shorter than the PTZ-injected group (F = 4.527, \*\* p < 0.01) (Figure 6a). This significant improvement was also comparable to the VC group (68 ± 16 cm). A reduction was also seen in the O+P group, with mean total distance travelled of 137 ± 22 cm, which was about 20% shorter than the PTZ-induced alone group (Figure 6A).



**Figure 6.** Mean locomotion parameters over 600 s for all the experimental groups. Figure (**a**) represents the mean total distance travelled (cm), Figure (**b**) shows the mean time spent in upper zone (s) and Figure (**c**) displays the mean time spent in lower zone (s). The data are expressed as Mean  $\pm$  SEM, n = 10 and was analyzed using One-way ANOVA followed with Dunnett's post-hoc test at significance level of \* p < 0.05 and \*\* p < 0.01 against the negative control group (NC, PTZ 170 mg/kg). VC (tank water, i.p.), PC (DZP 1.25 mg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.), O+P (OSLP 800 µg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.) and TC (OSLP 800 µg/kg + tank water, i.p.).

For the parameter of time spent in each half of the tank, only groups VC and PC showed a significant longer time spent in the upper half of tank ( $324 \pm 80$  s and  $352 \pm 54$  s respectively, F = 2.716, \* p < 0.05) and a visibly shorter time spent in the bottom of tank than the NC group (Figure 6b,c). The O+P group (Figure 6b) had a trend of spending a slightly longer time in the upper half of tank ( $259 \pm 78$  s) but a slightly shorter time in the bottom half ( $149 \pm 15$  s) compared to the NC group (Figure 6c).

It is also worthy to mention that the TC group had displayed a similar trend to the VC group in all three locomotion parameters (Figure 6a–c). OSLP at a dose of 800  $\mu$ g/kg did not trigger any locomotor manipulations and hence, was considerably safe in the adult zebrafish (Figure 6a–c).

3.2.4. Neurotransmitter Study

Neurotransmitters in the zebrafish brains, namely GABA and glutamate (Glu) and their ratio (GABA/Glu) were evaluated (Figure 7a–c).



**Figure 7.** Mean neurotransmitter levels (ng/mL), namely GABA (**a**), glutamate (**b**) and GABA/Glu ratio (**c**) over 600 s for all the experimental groups. The data are expressed as Mean  $\pm$  SEM, n = 10 and was analyzed using One-way ANOVA followed with Dunnett's post-hoc test at significance level of \* p < 0.05, \*\* p < 0.01 and \*\*\* p < 0.001 against the negative control group (NC, PTZ 170 mg/kg). VC (tank water, i.p.), PC (DZP 1.25 mg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.), O+P (OSLP 800 µg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.) and TC (OSLP 800 µg/kg + tank water, i.p.).

The NC group showed a significant decrease in mean GABA levels ( $182 \pm 26 \text{ ng/mL}$ , \*\*\* p < 0.001) when compared to the VC group ( $276 \pm 10 \text{ ng/mL}$ , F = 37.74, \*\*\* p < 0.001) (Figure 7a). Mean GABA levels of the O+P group was  $196 \pm 9 \text{ ng/mL}$ . Despite attaining about 7% higher GABA levels than the NC group, this treatment however did not attain statistical significance (Figure 7a). DZP treatment also brought about a slight increase in the GABA levels, to  $202 \pm 14 \text{ ng/mL}$  as compared to  $182 \pm 26 \text{ ng/mL}$  in the NC group (p > 0.05) (Figure 7a). Similarly, both PC ( $202 \pm 14 \text{ ng/mL}$ ) and O+P ( $196 \pm 9 \text{ ng/mL}$ ) had showed just slightly higher GABA levels than the NC group (Figure 7a).

In contrast, NC group showed a significant increase in Glu level (290 ± 30 ng/mL, F = 4.779, \*\* p < 0.01) when compared to the VC and TC groups (153 ± 46 ng/mL and 136 ± 2 ng/mL respectively, F = 4.779, \*\* p < 0.01) (Figure 7b). Meanwhile, DZP treatment brought about a significant decrease to 172 ± 16 ng/mL in the Glu levels, or about 41% lower than the NC group (F = 4.779, \* p < 0.05) (Figure 7b). Mean Glu levels of the O+P group was 169 ± 22 ng/mL, which was 42% significantly lower than the NC group (F = 4.779, \* p < 0.05) (Figure 7b). This outcome thus suggests that OSLP treatment could be effectively lower the Glu concentrations, normalizing it to the level comparable to those treated with DZP.

In addition, PTZ injection caused a significant decrease in the GABA/Glu ratio to <1, whereas, both VC and TC groups had a higher GABA/Glu ratio (R > 2, F = 13.81, \*\* p < 0.01 and \*\*\* p < 0.001, respectively) (Figure 7c). Very noteworthy is that the OSLP-treated and DZP-treated groups had a similar GABA/Glu ratio, though they did not attain statistical significance when compared to the NC (Figure 7c). It is worth mentioning that the TC group (treatment dose control) had higher GABA levels ( $401 \pm 3 \text{ ng/mL}$ , F = 37.74, \*\*\* p < 0.001) (Figure 7a) and lower Glu levels ( $136 \pm 2 \text{ ng/mL}$ , F = 4.779, \*\*\* p < 0.001) (Figure 7b) than the VC group. Also, the GABA/Glu ratio was comparable to the VC group.

3.2.5. Proteins Expression Profiling Using Mass Spectrometry-Based Label-Free Proteomic Quantification (LFQ)

LFQ profiled 29 differentially expressed proteins from the brain samples of PTZ injected zebrafish (NC group) and the OSLP-treated PTZ group (O+P). These proteins were found to be expressed at lower levels in the NC group than in the O+P group (Figure 8 and Table 4). Among them, five proteins, namely hemoglobin subunit alpha (Hbaa1, isoforms Q803Z5 and Q90487), hemoglobin subunit beta-1 (Hbba1, Q90486), fructose-bisphosphate aldolase C-B (Aldocb, Q8JH70), actin beta 2 (Actb2, A8WG05), and complexin 2 (Cplx2, E7FBR8) were found expressed at higher levels.



**Figure 8.** Heat map shows the differentially expressed proteins identified from negative control (NC, PTZ 170 mg/kg only) and O+P (OSLP 800  $\mu$ g/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg) zebrafish brains, n = 4, significance  $\geq 20$ , FDR  $\leq 1\%$ , fold change  $\geq 1$ , unique peptide  $\geq 1$ . Protein names are listed on the left while experimental groups are indicated on top. The color key on the bottom right indicates the log2 (ratio) expression levels (green = low and red = high).

#### 3.2.6. Bioinformatics Analysis

The differentially expressed proteins (Table 4) were searched in the ZFIN Database Information to match the gene ID. The database of InterPro Classification of Protein Families was searched for the respective protein class. The results were presented in Table 5.

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Uniprot Accession ID	Uniprot Protein Name	Significance (≥13)	Coverage (%)	#Peptides	#Unique	Avg. Mass	Group Profile (Ratio of NC/O+P)	ZFIN Protein
Q90487	Hemoglobin subunit alpha	200	49	12	4	15,524	0.00:1.00	Hbaa1
Q803Z5	Hemoglobin subunit alpha	200	49	12	4	15,508	1.00:255.14	Hbaa1
Q90486	Hemoglobin subunit beta-1	200	43	8	8	16,389	1.00:49.49	Hbba1
Q08BA1	ATP synthase subunit alpha	200	15	6	3	59,744	0.00:1.00	Atp5fa1
Q6PC12	Enolase 1	200	12	4	3	47,074	0.00:1.00	Eno1a
Q4VBK0	ATP synthase subunit beta	200	9	3	3	55,000	0.00:1.00	Atp5f1b
Q6ZM12	Hemoglobin beta adult 2	200	13	3	3	16,295	0.00:1.00	Hbba2
E7F2M5	CD59 molecule (CD59 blood group)	200	26	2	2	12,914	0.00:1.00	Cd59
E9QBF0	Triosephosphate isomerase	200	20	4	4	21,811	0.00:1.00	Tpi1b
Q6PC53	Peptidyl-prolyl cis-trans isomerase	200	18	3	3	17,489	0.00:1.00	Ppiab
F8W4M7	Aconitate hydratase mitochondrial	200	4	2	2	85,590	0.00:1.00	Aco2
Q8AY63	Brain-subtype creatine kinase	153.53	7	3	3	42,884	0.00:1.00	Ckbb
Q4VBT9	Cox4i1 protein	126.93	18	2	2	19,443	0.00:1.00	Cox4i1
Q8JH70	Fructose-bisphosphate aldolase C-B	126.51	12	4	4	39,259	1.00:8.14	Aldocb
Q6PE34	Tubulin beta chain	125.32	31	12	3	49,635	0.00:1.00	Zgc:65894
A0A0R4IKF0	Apolipoprotein A-Ib	112	9	2	2	30,140	0.00:1.00	Apoa1b
F8W3W8	Myelin basic protein a	110.44	63	10	2	10,776	0.00:1.00	Mbpa
A3KPR4	Histone H4	104.16	24	2	2	11,367	0.00:1.00	Hist1h4l
B3DFP9	Apolipoprotein A-II	103.56	21	2	2	15,537	0.00:1.00	Apoa2
Q5BJC7	Haemoglobin alpha adult 2	79.54	17	3	2	15,403	0.00:1.00	Hbaa2
Q8AYC4	Tubulin beta chain	76.34	39	13	2	49,826	0.00:1.00	Tubb5
R4GE02	Si:ch211–113a14.11	56.58	21	4	2	27,149	0.00:1.00	Si:ch211–113a14.11
Q7ZUY3	Histone H2AX	56.36	34	4	2	15,001	0.00:1.00	H2ax
Q6TH32	Cofilin 1	44.76	13	2	2	18,771	0.00:1.00	Cfl1
A0A2R8Q2Z0	Ependymin	44.72	12	2	2	23,370	0.00:1.00	Epd
A8WG05	Actin beta 2	43.68	15	6	6	41,753	1.00:9.75	Actb2
E7FBR8	Complexin 2	43.27	24	2	2	15,094	1.00:5.64	Cplx2
A8DZ95	Dihydropyrimidinase-like 2b	43.27	6	2	2	58,285	0.00:1.00	Dpysl2b
Q6GQM9	Eno2 protein	36.01	7	2	1	46,841	0.00:1.00	Eno2

Table 4. Differentially expressed proteins identified from negative control (NC, PTZ 170 mg/kg only) and O+P (OSLP 800 µg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg) zebrafish brains.

Remark: ZFIN protein nomenclatures were searched in the ZFIN Database Information (www.zfin.org) as accessed on 17/02/2020.

**Table 5.** Protein family of the differentially expressed proteins identified from negative control (NC, PTZ 170 mg/kg only) and O+P (OSLP 800 µg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg) zebrafish brains.

Protein Family	ZFIN Protein	ZFIN Gene ID			
Globin domain-containing protein					
Belongs to the family of hemoglobin, alpha-type and to the subfamily of hemoglobin, pi	Hbaa1	ZDB-GENE-980526-79			
	Hbaa2	ZDB-GENE-081104-38			
Member of the hemoglobin, beta-type	Hbba1	ZDB-GENE-990415-18			
0, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1,	Hbba2	ZDB-GENE-040801-164			
Plasma protein					
Member of the CD marker	Cd59	ZDB-GENE-030131-7871			
Member of the apolipoprotein A/E	Apoa2	ZDB-GENE-030131-1046			
Belong to the myelin basic protein	Mbpa	ZDB-GENE-030128-2			
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Cytoskalatal protain	npoulo	200 GEIVE 050502 172			
Mambar of the actin family	A ctb2	ZDB_CENIE_000329_3			
Member of the activity line	Acto2	ZDD-GENE-000327-3 ZDP CENE 021110 4			
Member of the beta tubuin	7	ZDD-GEINE-031110-4 ZDB CENIE 020121 7741			
- · · ·	Zgc:65894	ZDB-GENE-030131-7741			
Enzyme protein					
Iransferase	<b>C111</b>				
Member of the ATP:guanido phosphotransferase protein	Ckbb	ZDB-GENE-020103-2			
Member of the ATP synthase, F1 complex, beta subunit	Atp5f1b	ZDB-GENE-030131-124			
Member of the mitochondrial F1-F0 ATP synthase subunit F	Atp5mf	ZDB-GENE-050309-87			
Member of the ATP synthase, F1 complex, alpha subunit	Atp5fa1	ZDB-GENE-060201-1			
Isomerase					
Member of the cyclophilin-type peptidyl-prolyl cis-trans isomerase	Ppiab	ZDB-GENE-030131-7459			
Member of the triosephosphate isomerase	Tpi1b	ZDB-GENE-020416-4			
Lyase					
Member of the fructose-bisphosphate aldolase, class-I	Aldocb	ZDB-GENE-030821-1			
Member of the enolase	Eno1a	ZDB-GENE-030131-6048			
Citric acid cycle related protein					
Belongs to the family of aconitase, mitochondrial-like	Aco2	ZDB-GENE-030131-1390			
Member of the enolase	Eno2	ZDB-GENE-040704-27			
Histone protein					
Core Histone					
Member of the history H2A	H2ax	ZDB-GENE-040426-987			
	Sich211-113a14 11	ZDB-GENE-121214-162			
Member of the history H4	Hiet1h4l	ZDB-GENE-070927-10			
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Member of the complexity/synaphin family	Cpixz	ZDD-GEINE-081113-1			
ADF-H domain-containing protein	0.01				
Belongs to the family of ADF/Cofilin	Cfill	ZDB-GENE-030131-215			
Transporter protein-Primary active transporter					
Belongs to the cytochrome c oxidase subunit IV family and to the subfamily of cytochrome c oxidase subunit IV	Cox4i1	ZDB-GENE-030131-5175			
Amidohydro-rel domain-containing protein					
Belongs to the hydantoinase/dihydropyrimidinase family and to the subfamily of dihydropyrimidinase-related protein 2	Dpysl2b	ZDB-GENE-031105-1			

Remark: Protein Families and their respective functions were searched in the InterPro Classification of Protein Families and the ZFIN Database Information (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/ interpro/protein/UniProt/ and www.zfin.org accessed on 17 February 2020).

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In addition, the differentially expressed proteins were found to localize at 14 different cellular components; mainly at the organelle part (GO:44422) and the macromolecular complex (GO:32991). They were localized at the intracellular non-membrane-bounded organelle (GO:43232), intracellular organelle part (GO:44446), cytoskeletal part (GO:44430), microtubule cytoskeleton (GO:15630), microtubule (GO:5874), protein complex (GO:43234), phosphopyruvate hydratase complex (GO:15), hemoglobin complex (GO:5833), cytosol (GO:5829), cytosolic part (GO:44445), and non-membrane-bounded organelle (GO:43228). The identified proteins were also localized at the nucleus of the cell part (GO:5634) (Figure 9).



**Figure 9.** BiNGO result for cellular component as visualized in Cytoscape (Organism: *Danio rerio*). Colored nodes are significantly overrepresented. White nodes are not significantly overrepresented; they are included to show the colored nodes in the context of the GO hierarchy. Color key on the bottom right indicates the significance level of overrepresentation.

The proteins that were found localized at the different cellular components aforementioned have their interactions significantly associated with 14 corresponding molecular functions (Figure 10). Around 12 were involved in catalytic activities of lyase (GO:16829), carbon-oxygen lyase (GO:16835), hydro-lyase (GO:16836), phosphopyruvate hydratase (GO:4634), aconitate hydratase (GO:3994), fructose-bisphosphate aldolase (GO:4332), and aldehyde-lyase (GO:16832); triose-phosphate isomerase (GO:4807), and intramolecular oxidoreductase which interconverts aldoses and ketoses (GO:16861); creatine kinase (GO:4111) and phosphotransferase uses nitrogenous group as acceptor (GO:16775), and GTPase activity (GO:3924). Two protein interactions were particularly noteworthy: the bindings of SNARE (GO:149) and syntaxin (GO:19905) (blue box; Figure 10).

#### 3.2.7. Systematic Pathway Enrichment Analysis

KEGG PATHWAY database (Organism: *Danio rerio*) revealed that the differentially expressed proteins were significantly associated with six major categories of pathways; five of them were associated with metabolism, genetic information processing, environmental information processing, cellular processes, and organismal systems whilst the last one was associated with human diseases (see Table 6).



**Figure 10.** BiNGO result for molecular function as visualized in Cytoscape (Organism: *Danio rerio*). Colored nodes are significantly overrepresented. White nodes are not significantly overrepresented; they are included to show the colored nodes in the context of the GO hierarchy. Color key on the bottom right indicates the significance level of overrepresentation.

KEGG Pathway ID	Pathway Category	Mapped Protein
	Metabolism	
01100	Metabolic pathways	Ckbb, Aldocb, Aco2, Eno1a, Eno2, Tpi1b, Atp5fa1, Atp5f1b, Cox4i1
01110	Biosynthesis of secondary metabolites	Aldocb, Aco2, Eno1a, Eno2, Tpi1b
01120	Microbial metabolism in diverse environments	Aldocb, Aco2, Eno1a, Eno2, Tpi1b
01200	Carbon metabolism	Aldocb, Aco2, Eno1a, Eno2, Tpi1b
01210	2-Oxocarboxylic acid metabolism	Aco2
01230	Biosynthesis of amino acids	Aldocb, Aco2, Eno1a, Eno2, Tpi1b
	Carbohydrate metabolism	
00010	Glycolysis/Gluconeogenesis	Aldocb, Eno1a, Eno2, Tpi1b
00020	Citrate cycle (TCA cycle)	Aco2
00030	Pentose phosphate pathway	Aldocb
00051	Fructose and mannose metabolism	Aldocb, Tpi1b
00630	Glyoxylate and dicarboxylate metabolism	Aco2
00562	Inositol phosphate metabolism	Tpi1b
	Energy metabolism	-
00190	Oxidative phosphorylation	Atp5fa1, Atp5f1b, Cox4i1
00710	Carbon fixation in photosynthetic organisms	Aldocb, Tpi1b
00720	Carbon fixation pathways in prokaryotes	Aco2
00680	Methane metabolism	Aldocb, Eno1a, Eno2, Ppiab
	Amino acid metabolism	
00330	Arginine and proline metabolism	Ckbb

**Table 6.** KEGG pathways (Organism: *Danio rerio*) associated with the differentially expressed proteins identified from negative control (NC, PTZ 170 mg/kg only) and O+P (OSLP 800  $\mu$ g/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg) zebrafish brains.

Table	6.	Cont.

KEGG Pathway ID	Pathway Category	Mapped Protein
	Genetic Information Processing	
	Folding, sorting and degradation	
03018	RNA degradation	Eno1a, Eno2
	Environmental Information Processing	
	Signal transduction	
04015	Rap1 signaling pathway	Actb2
04390	Hippo signaling pathway	Actb2
04391	Hippo signaling pathway - fly	Actb2
04066	HIF-1 signaling pathway	Aldocb, Eno1a, Eno2
	Cellular Processes	
	Transport and catabolism	
04145	Phagosome	Actb2, Tubb5, Zgc:65894
	Cell growth and death	
04210	Apoptosis	Actb2
04217	Necroptosis	Ppiab, H2ax
	Cellular community-eukaryotes	
04510	Focal adhesion	Actb2
04520	Adherens junction	Actb2
04530	Tight junction	Actb2
04540	Gap junction	Tubb5, Zgc:65894
	Cell motility	
04810	Regulation of actin cytoskeleton	Actb2, Cfl1
	Organismal Systems	
	Immune system	
04640	Hematopoietic cell lineage	Cd59
04610	Complement and coagulation cascades	Cd59
04611	Platelet activation	Actb2
04666	Fc gamma R-mediated phagocytosis	Cfl1
04670	Leukocyte transendothelial migration	Actb2
	Endocrine system	
04921	Oxytocin signaling pathway	Actb2
04919	Thyroid hormone signaling pathway	Actb2
	Circulatory system	
04260	Cardiac muscle contraction	Cox4i1
	Digestive system	
04971	Gastric acid secretion	Actb2
	Nervous system	
04721	Synaptic vesicle cycle	Cplx2
	Sensory system	*
04745	Phototransduction - fly	Actb2
	Development and regeneration	
04360	Axon guidance	Cfl1, Dpysl2b
	Environmental adaptation	
04714	Thermogenesis	Atp5fa1, Atp5f1b, Cox4i1, Actb2
	Human Diseases	
	Cancer: overview	
05205	Proteoglycans in cancer	Actb2
05203	Viral carcinogenesis	Si:ch211-113a14.11, Hist1h4l
	Cancer: specific types	,
05225	Hepatocellular carcinoma	Actb2
	Immune disease	
05322	Systemic lupus erythematosus	H2ax, Si:ch211-113a14.11, Hist1h4l
	Neurodegenerative disease	
05010	Alzheimer disease	Atp5fa1, Atp5f1b, Cox4i1, Tubb5
05012	Parkinson disease	Atp5fa1, Atp5f1b, Cox4i1
05016	Huntington disease	Atp5fa1, Atp5f1b, Cox4i1, Tubb5
	Substance dependence	
05034	Alcoholism	H2ax, Si:ch211-113a14.11, Hist1h4l
	Cardiovascular disease	
05418	Fluid shear stress and atherosclerosis	Actb2
05410	Hypertrophic cardiomyopathy (HCM)	Acth2
00110	Arrhythmogenic right vontricular	14(102
05412	cardiomyopathy (ARVC)	Actb2
05414	Dilated cardiomyopathy (DCM)	Actb2
	Dimica caraioniyopuniy (DCM)	11002
05416	Viral myocarditie	Acth?
05416	Viral myocarditis	Actb2

KEGG Pathway ID	Pathway Category	Mapped Protein
	Infectious disease: bacterial	
05110	Vibrio cholerae infection	Actb2
05130	Pathogenic Escherichia coli infection	Actb2, Tubb5, Zgc:65894
05132	Salmonella infection	Actb2
05131	Shigellosis	Actb2
05135	Yersinia infection	Actb2
05133	Pertussis	Cfl1
05100	Bacterial invasion of epithelial cells	Actb2, Cfl1
	Infectious disease: viral	
05164	Influenza A	Actb2
	Drug resistance: antimicrobial	
01503	Cationic antimicrobial peptide (CAMP) resistance	Ppiab

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The synaptic vesicle cycle (04721) in the nervous system that is nested under the organismal systems category, was the pathway most likely to play a significant role (Table 6). Complexin 2 (Cplx2) was mapped onto the synaptic vesicle cycle pathway (04721), highlighted in a green box as Complexin (Figure 11). Cplx2 is an isoform of the complexin protein family with four isoforms, Cplx1–4. As shown in a synapse, during priming phase, Cplx2 is bound to the trans-SNARE complex together with synaptotagmin (Syt), vesicle-associated membrane protein (Vamp), syntaxin (Stx), and synaptosomal-associated protein of 25 kDa (Snap25). SNARE binding of complexin is essential for normal priming at the presynaptic plasma membrane, which is known as the active zone, and subsequent Ca<sup>2+</sup>-evoked neurotransmitter release.



**Figure 11.** Complexin 2 in green box was mapped onto the synaptic vesicle cycle pathway (04721) generated by KEGG PATHWAY (Organism: *Danio rerio*). Solid arrows represent molecular interactions or relations whereas dashed arrows represent indirect links or unknown reactions.

#### 4. Discussion

This study investigates the maximum safe starting dose of OSLP and elucidates its anticonvulsive potential in PTZ-induced adult zebrafish seizures.

Firstly, the maximum safe starting dose of OSLP to be used for anticonvulsive activity determination in the adult zebrafish [14,18] was evaluated. In this study, OSLP concentrations ranging from 50–1600  $\mu$ g/kg of b.w. were tested in each assigned group. The zebrafish swimming pattern after exposure to 800  $\mu$ g of OSLP did not show bottom-dwelling behavior. Diving to the bottom of tank can be a natural reflexive response of zebrafish. However, increased bottom-dwelling behavior has been linked to anxiety in the novel tank test [15,16]. The bottom dwelling frequency has been found reduced in zebrafish when treated with anxiolytic compounds [7,17]. These earlier findings thus lend support to the anxiolytic potential of OSLP in adult zebrafish, at least at a concentration greater than 800  $\mu$ g/kg of body weight. Noteworthy however, OSLP at a concentration of 1600  $\mu$ g is capable of causing lethal events in adult zebrafish. This finding has drawn a line to limit the maximum safe dose of OSLP achievable via intraperitoneal route to be not greater than 1600  $\mu$ g/kg of body weight, at least in the case of zebrafish. This also lends support to the exclusion of 1600  $\mu$ g OSLP for further analysis in this work. Building on the safety study outcomes and considering the maximum protective effects of OSLP at a safe concentration, 800  $\mu$ g was chosen as the treatment dose in this study.

The OSLP safety study was crucial as there was no prior published scientific evidence on OSLP in both in vitro and in vivo models, let alone its neuroprotective potential. A prior literature search only yielded two studies on the ethanolic extracts of *Orthosiphon stamineus*; Choo et al. (2018) examined the anticonvulsive potential in adult zebrafish [9] and Ismail et al. (2017) reported on toxicity in zebrafish embryos [19]. As such, this work represents the first of its kind.

In this study, the PTZ-induced seizure model was established [7,12] to investigate the anticonvulsive potential of OSLP (800 µg/kg of b.w.) using adult zebrafish. Pre-treatment with OSLP 800 µg for 30 min brought about significant improvements in the PTZ-injected zebrafish, with a lower seizure score and a prolonged seizure onset time. Pre-treatment with OSLP 800 µg also produced a swimming pattern comparable to that of the untreated VC which received neither PTZ injection nor OSLP treatment (TC). It was seen that the O+P group managed to swim through the whole tank without showing an apparent preference for any spot or apparent bottom-dwelling behavior. Contradictorily, the representative zebrafish swimming pattern showed a bottom-dwelling behavior in the PTZ-injected group, which has been strongly linked to the anxious behavior in seizures [15,16]. A similar observation was also reported in two recent studies using PTZ-induced zebrafish [7,12]. Diazepam (DZP, 1.25 mg/kg) has been found in this study to efficaciously control seizures in the PTZ-injected zebrafish and thus, a swimming pattern comparable to that of the untreated VC was observed. Interestingly, the TC group which received neither PTZ injection nor DZP treatment, produced a swimming pattern comparable to that of the untreated VC group. This finding thus reaffirms that OSLP at 800 µg/kg of body weight does not produce lethal events and with that it could be potentially anticonvulsive. Nevertheless, one of the limitations in this study includes a considerably low yield of OSLP (approximately 0.3%) extracted from OS leaves and hence, based on the safety study (Section 3.1), only the maximal safe dose (800  $\mu$ g/kg of b.w.) was used.

The PTZ-injected group had the highest mean total distance travelled and travelled about 60% longer distance than the untreated VC group. This uncontrolled movement has been strongly linked to burst neuronal firing in addition to the pass-out phenomenon in seizures [20,21]. A similar observation was also reported in two recent studies using PTZ-induced zebrafish [7,12]. A disruption occurred in the normal balance of excitation and inhibition following the injection of PTZ. Binding of PTZ to GABA<sub>A</sub> ( $\gamma$ -aminobutyric acid type A) receptors stimulated excitability in the brains and hence provoked uncontrolled seizures in the zebrafish. This explains the representative swim path of the PTZ-injected group which showed burst swimming activities (i.e., erratic movements, loss of direction) which taken together, contributed to the longest total distance travelled. Moreover, the PTZ-injected group spent a longer time in the lower half of tank, which could possibly be attributed to the bottom-dwelling behavior in seizures [15,16].

In contrast, pre-treatment with DZP significantly alleviated the manipulations of PTZ. A 57% reduction in the total distance travelled was seen in the DZP-treated group and it spent more time in the
upper half of tank in a comparable manner to that of the untreated group. Interestingly however, it also spent a longer time in the bottom half of the tank, but the untreated group did not. This phenomenon could be attributed to the sedative effects of DZP. DZP is an anxiolytic benzodiazepine with fast-acting and long-lasting actions [22]. When administered intravenously, DZP has been shown to act within 1 to 3 min, while oral dosing onset ranges between 15 to 60 min; with a duration of action of more than 12 h. Similar to most benzodiazepines, DZP causes adverse effects including syncope (temporary loss of consciousness), sedation and confusion, to name a few [23]. A similar finding was also reported in three studies using DZP to treat zebrafish [7,12,24]. Pre-treatment with OSLP 800  $\mu$ g also alleviated the manipulations of PTZ. A 20% reduction in the total distance travelled was seen in the OSLP-treated group and similarly, they spent more time in the upper half of tank compared to the DZP-treated group. Interestingly however, they did not spend a longer time in the bottom half of tank as the DZP-treated group did, but in a pattern more comparable to the untreated VC group. Hence, this outcome suggests that OSLP's anticonvulsive actions could be acting differently from DZP and with that, it might not produce the similar cognitive insults such as DZP. This similar outcome has been reported in Choo's study using O. stamineus ethanolic extracts to treat adult zebrafish [7]. On the market, DZP has since been one of the top selling AEDs of all time, well known for its fast onset of action and is often effective in adults [25,26]. However, DZP's high clinical efficacy in treating epilepsy and seizures comes with multiple adverse reactions such as suicidality, paradoxical CNS stimulation, syncope, sedation, depression and dystonia, to name a few [23]. These adverse effects are common in currently available AEDs. Worthy of mention, the TC group did not show any abnormal locomotion parameters and hence, reaffirming that this dose is considerably safe in the adult zebrafish.

Taken together, the outcomes of behavioral study suggest that OSLP at 800  $\mu$ g/kg of body weight is potentially anticonvulsive. OSLP treatment produced milder anticonvulsant effects in comparison to DZP treatment, which is one of the standard AEDs available today.

In this study, two major neurotransmitters, namely GABA and Glu, were investigated. An interrupted GABA/Glu cycle was seen in the PTZ-injected zebrafish, with a drop in the mean GABA level but a surge in the mean Glu level. Distinctively, such anomalies were not found in the untreated zebrafish which did not receive PTZ injection. Additionally, the GABA/Glu ratio of PTZ-injected group remained the lowest. This thus shows a disruption in the normal balance of excitation and inhibition following the PTZ treatment. PTZ is a tetrazol derivative known to block GABA<sub>A</sub> receptor function [27]. PTZ suppresses GABA inhibitory activities which in turn potentiates the Glu excitatory activities in the brain and eventually results in an unbalanced GABA/Glu ratio. This finding has lent more support to the severe seizures seen in the PTZ-injected group. Pre-treatment with DZP, without surprise, significantly suppressed the excitatory neurotransmitter Glu, normalizing it to be comparable to the untreated VC group. Concurrently, the GABA levels in the DZP-treated group saw a slight elevation and this eventually improved the GABA/Glu ratio. A similar finding has been reported earlier [28]. DZP inhibits Glu release to suppress glutamatergic hyperactivity and hence, restores the balance between GABA and Glu to promptly arrest neuroexcitation [29,30]. Pre-treatment with OSLP has also improved the neurotransmitters profile, with significantly lower excitatory Glu levels. More interestingly, OSLP treatment brings the GABA/Glu ratio close to the DZP treatment. Although to a lesser degree than the pure drug control, taken together, these findings show that OSLP has GABA potentiating actions and antiglutamatergic effects. Moreover, the finding that TC group had a neurotransmitters profile comparable to the untreated VC group, has also buttressed the proposal of OSLP could be having neuroprotective potential.

The present protein expression study is useful in helping to predict the anticonvulsive mechanism of OSLP. The main findings are the following. First, mass spectrometry-based LFQ analysis compared the differentially expressed proteins in the seizure group (NC, induced by PTZ 170 mg/kg only) and the OSLP-treated seizure group (OSLP 800  $\mu$ g/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg). This identified a distinct protein expression profile of 29 differentially expressed proteins that had higher expressions in the O+P group than in the NC group. Second, functional annotation analysis found the protein bindings

of SNARE (GO:149) and syntaxin (GO:19905) at intracellular localizations that were particularly interesting, given the fundamental role they play in the regulation of membrane fusion during presynaptic vesicle exocytosis. Third, KEGG pathway mapping proposed the synaptic vesicle cycle (04721) as the most probable pathway, in line with the strong association between SNARE and syntaxin proteins. These proteins are required in calcium (Ca<sup>2+</sup>)-dependent synaptic vesicle exocytosis. As shown, the trans-SNARE complex was assembled in the presence of SNARE proteins including complexin (Cplx), syntaxin (Stx), synaptotagmin (Syt), synaptosomal-associated protein of 25 kDa (Snap25) and vesicle-associated membrane protein (Vamp). According to ZFIN (https://zfin.org/ZDB-GENE-081113-1), gene cplx2 is predicted to orthologous to human gene CPLX2.

Complexin is an important regulator of synaptic vesicle exocytosis. Complexins, also called synaphins, are small cytosolic proteins. They form a small protein family with four isoforms, Cplx1–4 [31]. Cplx1 and Cplx2 are highly homologous. In particular, they bind to the SNARE complex which are expressed at presynaptic sites [32–35]. SNARE binding is a highly specialized regulation that is strictly regulated by synaptic fusion machinery. The basic components of a synaptic fusion machinery are the SNARE proteins namely Cplx, Stx, Syt, Snap25, Vamp, and two mammalian uncoordinated proteins (Munc13 and Munc18) [36]. The formation of the trans-SNARE complex is required in the vesicle priming phase. As the trans-SNARE complex forms, the vesicle is pulled close to the plasma membrane, where it is ready to fuse in response to the  $Ca^{2+}$  influx that is triggered by an action potential, usually in less than a millisecond. Complexin binds to the trans-SNARE complex and modulates the fusion process by either increasing or decreasing the height of the energy barrier for fusion. The height of the energy barrier for fusion is not only important for evoked release but also determines how likely vesicles are to fuse spontaneously in the absence of a Ca<sup>2+</sup>-triggering signal. After fusion, the vesicle is retrieved by endocytosis and reloaded for another round of exocytosis [13,32,33,36]. Therefore, the binding of complexin to the SNARE complex is crucial for the normal priming and subsequent Ca<sup>2+</sup>-evoked neurotransmitter release during presynaptic vesicle exocytosis.

The findings of protein expression study have suggested that synaptic vesicle cycle pathway could play a significant role in modulating the anticonvulsive mechanism of OSLP. OSLP could be regulating the release of GABA and Glu via calcium-dependent synaptic vesicle exocytosis. Similar findings have been reported by studies using samples from rats and patients [32,34,35]. Decreased expressions of complexin 2 have also been associated with neurodegenerative diseases including Alzheimer's, Huntington's, and Parkinson's; psychiatric disorders including schizophrenia and bipolar disorder [37–40], with seizures and epilepsy being common comorbidities [41–46].

OSLP could be a potential anticonvulsant. Found in OSLP, baicalein 7-O-glucuronosyltransferase and baicalin-beta-D-glucuronidase are responsible for the biosynthesis of baicalein and baicalin, respectively. Baicalein and baicalin have been reported to have anxiolytic activity and acting on GABA and glutamic acid in rat brains [47], binding to the benzodiazepine site of the GABAA receptor to potentiate GABA-mediated inhibition [48–50] and anticonvulsive action in the PTZ-induced seizure rat model [51]. Beta-mycrene synthase and R-linalool synthase are proteins responsible for the biosynthesis of myrcene and linalool respectively. Linalool has been reported to have antiepileptiform and antiseizure properties in PTZ-treated rats [52–54] whereas beta-mycrene has also been reported for sedative effects in human [55] and anticonvulsive effects in PTZ-treated rats [56]. Beta-mycrene synthase and R-linalool synthase might not directly act on cannabinoid receptors but could be producing synergic effects with future cannabinoid-based AEDs. The postulated synergistic contribution on both GABA and Glu neurotransmitters can increase the efficacy of future cannabinoid-based AEDs in managing epilepsy and seizures [57–60]. Rosmarinate synthase is involved in the biosynthesis of rosmarinic acid Choo, Kundap [7] suggested that rosmarinic acid (in an ethanolic extract of OS) is one of the probable antiepileptic components of the extract in adult zebrafish whereas similar findings in PTZ-induced seizures in mice have also been reported earlier [10,61].

#### 5. Conclusions

The study suggests that OSLP could be a potential anticonvulsant. OSLP most likely regulates the release of the neurotransmitters, GABA and Glu, via calcium-dependent synaptic vesicle exocytosis mediated by the "synaptic vesicle cycle" pathway. To the best of our knowledge, this study is the first to show that OSLP can safely ameliorate epilepticeizures in adult zebrafish.

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## SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

 Table SD-1 KO (KEGG Orthology) generated KEGG pathways.

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tr Q6PE34 Q6PE34_DANRE	K07375
tr F8W3W8 F8W3W8_DANRE	K17269
tr Q08BA1 Q08BA1_DANRE	K02132
tr A8WG05 A8WG05_DANRE	K05692
sp Q7ZUY3 H2AX_DANRE	K11251
tr A3KPR4 A3KPR4_DANRE	K11254
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tr Q4VBK0 Q4VBK0_DANRE	K02133
tr Q6ZM12 Q6ZM12_DANRE	K13825
sp Q8JH70 ALDCB_DANRE	K01623
tr E7F2M5 E7F2M5_DANRE	K04008
tr R4GE02 R4GE02_DANRE	K11252
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tr E9QBF0 E9QBF0_DANRE	K01803
tr Q8AY63 Q8AY63_DANRE	K00933
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tr Q6TH32 Q6TH32_DANRE	K05765
tr Q6PC53 Q6PC53_DANRE	K03767
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tr Q6GQM9 Q6GQM9_DANRE	K01689
tr F8W4M7 F8W4M7_DANRE	K01681
tr A8DZ95 A8DZ95_DANRE	K07528
tr A0A2R8Q2Z0 A0A2R8Q2Z0_DANRE	no data
tr E7FBR8 E7FBR8_DANRE	K15294
tr Q4VBT9 Q4VBT9_DANRE	K02263

# Chapter 5

## Anticonvulsive Potential of *Orthosiphon stamineus* Proteins in a Zebrafish Model of Hypoxia-associated Seizures Model

### 5.1 Introduction

Specifically, cerebral hypoxia occurs when there is a decreased supply of oxygen to the brain. Cerebral hypoxia can lead to hypoxic-ischaemic injury (McKenna, Scafidi, & Robertson, 2015). Hypoxic-ischaemic encephalopathy (HIE), a form of hypoxic-ischaemic injury, has been linked to the incidence of epilepsy (Sutter, Marsch, Fuhr, & Rüegg, 2013; Vintila, Roman, & Rociu, 2010; Weinhouse, Young, & Morrison, 2015). In HIE, seizures signal the secondary injury phase which can further decline cognitive functions of the Central Nervous System (CNS) (Scully, 2014).

Zebrafish (*Danio rerio*) is a cost-effective model ideal for high-throughput study on stress adaptation in a vertebrate system (Kokel et al., 2010; Piato et al., 2011; Steenbergen, Richardson, & Champagne, 2011; Yu & Li, 2011). It provides fundamental information for neurological, physiological and behavioral responses. Therefore, this makes zebrafish a potential alternative for studying the complex mechanism underlying hypoxic-ischaemia, seizures and epilepsy.

To date nonetheless, there remains no systematic study on the primary metabolites of OS, particularly in the CNS. As a primary metabolite, proteins extracted from OS leaves (OSLP) may hold novel protection for managing HIE and epilepsy.

The present chapter begins with establishing an adult zebrafish model of double challenge – hypoxia induction followed by PTZ injection. The model reminiscent the hypoxicischaemic insults on a mammalian brain. This model is then used to evaluate OSLP anticonvulsive potential under a hypoxic condition. The maximum safe starting dose of OSLP determined (See Chapter 4) is then used. The behavioral study including seizure score, seizure onset time, and locomotor activity are evaluated. Expressions of the two major neurotransmitters, gamma-Aminobutyric acid (GABA) and glutamate (Glu) are analysed using nanoflow-ESI-LCMS/MS. The protective mechanism of OSLP on zebrafish brains at the protein level is also investigated using mass spectrometry-based label-free proteomic quantification (LFQ). LFQ profiles the differentially expressed proteins between the four treatment groups: hypoxia-induced alone, hypoxia+PTZ-induced, OSLP-treated hypoxia, and OSLP-treated hypoxia+PTZ-induced. This thus provides fundamental information to study the functional annotations, the protein-protein interactions, and their gene-disease associations. These enriched biological data help to visualize the molecular interactions, reactions, and relations associated with the anticonvulsive mechanism of OSLP under hypoxia on disease pathway maps. Hence, the objectives of this chapter are:

- To establish an adult zebrafish model of double challenge hypoxia induction followed by PTZ induced seizures
- 2. To evaluate OSLP for its anticonvulsive potential under a hypoxic condition.
- 3. To study the potential of OSLP on neurotransmitters and protein expression levels

The flowchart outlining the overview of experimental design to achieve the objectives are summarized in Figure 5.1 below:



Figure 5.1: Flowchart summarizing the overview of experimental design.

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1 Article

**Orthosiphon stamineus Proteins Provide** 

2 Hypoxic-Ischaemic Tolerance to Zebrafish Challenged 3 by Hypoxia and Pentylenetetrazol-Induced Seizures 4

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15 **Abstract:** Hypoxic-ischaemic encephalopathy (HIE) is a form of hypoxic-ischaemic injury capable of 16 eliciting epilepsy. This study thus aims to elucidate the the anticonvulsive potential of proteins 17 extracted from OS leaves (OSLP) in hypoxic zebrafish. Hypoxia induction (15 -18 min per fish) 18 followed by pentylenetetrazol (PTZ) injection (170 mg/kg of body weight) was sufficiently induced 19 hypoxia and provoked seizures in the adult zebrafish. Physical changes under hypoxic conditions 20 (seizure intensity and onset duration, swimming behaviour, locomotor) and neurotransmitter 21 analysis (gamma-aminobutyric acid, GABA; glutamate, Glu) were elucidated to assess the 22 pharmacological activity. The protective mechanism of OSLP on brain was also studied using mass 23 spectrometry-based label-free proteomic quantification (LFQ) and bioinformatics. OSLP 24 pre-treatment (800 µg/kg, i.p., 30 min) had demonstrated subtle anticonvulsive effect in the zebrafish 25 model of double challenge. OSLP showed subtle improvements in the seizure profile, swimming and 26 locomotor behaviours; lowered the excitatory Glu and increased brain protein glutamine synthetase 27 (Glula) expression. Glula is required to keep the GABA-Glu-Gln (glutamine) cycle in check. OSLP 28 also increased the brain proteins (Enolase 2 and Isocitrate dehydrogenase 2) in the hypoxic but 29 seizure-free zebrafish. These proteins promote anaerobic metabolism in neurons under hypoxic 30 conditions. Taken together, this study suggests that OSLP is most likely to influence the synaptic 31 transmission by providing hypoxic-ischaemic tolerance to the synapses via the "Glutamatergic 32 Synapse" and "GABAergic Synapse" pathways, in addition to modulating cellular energy 33 metabolism in neurons via the "Hypoxia-inducible factors (HIF)-1 Signalling" and "Citrate Cycle" 34 pathways.

35 Keywords: Orthosiphon stamineus; plant-derived protein; hypoxic-ischaemic encephalopathy; 36 epilepsy; zebrafish; seizures

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#### 38 1. Introduction

39 Cerebral hypoxia is a form of hypoxia affecting the brain and is a condition in which oxygen is not 40 available in sufficient amounts to maintain adequate homeostasis. This can result from inadequate 41 oxygen delivery to the brain either due to low blood supply or low oxygen content in the blood 42 (hypoxaemia). Cerebral hypoxia can vary in intensity from mild to severe and can present in acute or 43 chronic forms [1, 2], depending on the degree and duration of oxygen deprivation [3, 4]. Cerebral 44 hypoxia can starve the neurons of oxygen and glucose that triggers a series of biochemical and

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46 inflammation, damage or death of the neural tissues of the brain [6, 7].

47 Hypoxic-ischaemic encephalopathy (HIE) is a form of hypoxic-ischaemic injury capable of 48 eliciting epilepsy [8, 9]. HIE challenges the cellular metabolism and energy production in 49 neurotransmitters and thereby, disrupts their synthesis, release and uptake [6]. This provokes seizures. 50 In HIE, seizures signal the secondary injury phase to further cause a decline in sensory perception, 51 motor control, behaviour, memory, autonomic function and syncope. Consequently, HIE can result in 52 severe brain damage and permanent disabilities. On a global scale, HIE remains as one of the most 53 challenging neurological disorders in adults [10].

In terms of genetic profile, zebrafish (*Danio rerio*) are close to 70% similar to humans and zebrafish also express approximately 84% of known human disease related genes [11, 12], providing fundamental information for neurological, physiological and behavioural responses. With this, zebrafish have become a promising species in studying stress adaptation in a vertebrate system [13-16]. The zebrafish model is therefore a potential alternative for studying the complex mechanism underlying hypoxic-ischaemia, seizures and epilepsy.

Various Orthosiphon stamineus (OS) crude extracts have been studied for their antioxidative [17] and anticonvulsive activities individually [18]. The proteins extract from OS leaves (OSLP) however, has not been explored yet. OSLP has been shown to be potentially anticonvulsive in adult zebrafish given the pro-convulsant pentylenetetrazol (PTZ) [19]. The anticonvulsive potential of OSLP in the face of hypoxia remains unstudied. Seeing the interplay between cerebral hypoxia and epilepsy, this study was thus commenced to elucidate the anticonvulsive potential of OSLP under a hypoxic condition.

#### 67 2. Materials and Methods

#### 68 2.1. Materials, chemicals and apparatuses

#### 69 2.1.1. Materials & Chemicals

From Sigma-Aldrich (USA), phosphatase inhibitors cocktail 2, trifluoroethanol (TFE), L-Glutamic
acid (Glu), HPLC-grade methanol (MeOH), 2,3,5-triphenyl tetrazolium chloride (TTC),
γ-aminobutyric acid, formic acid (FA), diazepam (DZP), ammonium bicarbonate (ABC),
Pentylenetetrazol (PTZ), iodoacetamide (IAA), cOmplete EDTA-free protease inhibitors, Benzocaine
and dithiothreitol (DTT) were purchased. Mass-spec-grade acetonitrile (CAN), trifluoroacetic acid
(TFA) and CHAPS (Nacailai Tesque, Japan) were also purchased from Sigma-Aldrich (USA)

Of the remaining materials & chemicals, 37% formaldehyde solution and dimethylsulfoxide (DMSO) were purchased from Friedemann Schmidt Chemical (Western Australia), phosphate buffered saline (PBS) tablets from VWR Life Science AMRESCO® (USA), mass-spec-grade Pierce®Radioimmunoprecipitation assay (RIPA) buffer and Pierce®trypsin protease from Thermo Scientific Pierce (USA), acetic acid (glacial, 100%) from Merck (Germany) and hydrochloric acid (36%) from Ajax Chemical (Australia).

Additionally, liquid nitrogen (LN<sub>2</sub>) was purchased from Linde Malaysia, purified nitrogen gas
(99.999%) was supplied by Iwatani Malaysia S/B and Milli-Q ultrapure water (MQUP) was from
Millipore GmbH (Germany). Any other unlisted chemicals were analytic grade and were sourced from
established supplier worldwide.

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### 87 2.1.2. Apparatus

The apparatus used for the study include the Quick Start<sup>TM</sup>Bradford Protein Assay Kit (Bio-Rad,
USA), Pierce<sup>®</sup>C18 mini spin column (Thermo Scientific Pierce, USA), Protein LoBind microcentrifuge
tube from (Eppendorf, USA), Cole-Parmer<sup>TM</sup> Stuart<sup>TM</sup> Orbital Shaker (Thermo Scientific Pierce, USA),
35 gauge needles (PrecisionGlide<sup>TM</sup>, Becton, Dickinson and Company, USA), Hamilton syringes 25 μL
(MICROLITER<sup>TM</sup> #702, Hamilton Co. USA), refrigerated centrifuge 5415R (Eppendorf AG, Germany),
classic pH Pen Tester (Yi Hu Fish Farm Trading Pte. Ltd., Singapore), Camry High-Precision Electronic

Pocket Scale (Model EHA901, China), ultrasonic cell crusher (JY88-II N, China), Sera O<sub>2</sub> Test Kit (Sera
 GmbH, Germany), precision incubator (Memmert INB200, Germany) and the Eyela SpeedVac Vacuum
 Concentrator (Thermo Scientific Pierce, USA).

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#### 98 2.2. Software and equipment

99 Automated tracking of zebrafish swimming patterns was acomplished using the SMART V3.0.05 100 tracking software from Panlab Harvard Apparatus, Spain in combination with a camcorder from Sony, 101 Japan to record video for software analysis. As described by Kundap, Kumari [20], the tank containing 102 the swimming zebrafish was equally divided into two and designated as the top and bottom zones 103 respectively.

104 To detect the targeted neurotransmitters, an Agilent Ultra-High-Performance Liquid 105 Chromatography (UHPLC) 1290 Series (Agilent Technologies, USA) was used for solvent delivery. 106 The chromatography system consists of the Agilent 1290 Series Thermostatted Column Compartment, 107 Agilent 1290 Series High-Performance Autosampler and the Agilent 1290 Series Binary Pump. The 108 Zorbax Eclipse Plus C18 (Rapid Resolution HD, 2.1 x 150.0 mm with a 1.8  $\mu$ M pore size reverse-phase 109 column) (Agilent Technologies, USA) together with an electrospray ionisation (ESI) equipped Agilent 110 6410B Triple Quadrupole (QQQ) mass spectrometer (Agilent Technologies, USA) was used to perform 111 the separations.

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113 To identify the proteins being differentially expressed, an Agilent 1200 series HPLC coupled with 114 an Agilent 6550 iFunnel Quadrupole Time of Flight (Q-TOF) LC/MS, C-18 300Å Large Capacity Chip 115 (Agilent Technologies, USA) and the Agilent MassHunter data acquisition software (Agilent 116 Technologies, USA) was used. To analyse mass spectrometry-based label-free proteomic quantification 117 (LFQ), the PEAKS®Studio software (Version 8.0, Bioinformatics Solution, Canada) together with the 118 UniProtKB (Organism: Danio rerio) database was used. To study protein-protein interactions and 119 functional annotations as well as analyse systemic pathways, the Zebrafish Information Network 120 (ZFIN) database, KAAS (KEGG Automatic Annotation Server Version 2.1, Kanehisa Lab., Japan), 121 KEGG PATHWAY Database (Organism: Danio rerio) and Cytoscape software (Version 3.7.2 plugin 122 BiNGO for Gene Ontology (GO) annotated information, Cytoscape Consortium, USA) were used.

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#### 124 2.3. Zebrafish maintenance and housing conditions

125 Heterogenous wild-type three to four month old adult zebrafish (Danio rerio) with a short-fin 126 phenotype were maintained under standard husbandry conditions [21] in the Monash University 127 Malaysia animal facility. Standardised zebrafish housing tanks (36 cm long x 26 cm tall and 22 cm 128 wide) were connected to a water circulation system which aerates the water as well as controls the 129 water temperature (26 -  $28^{\circ}$ C) and pH (6.8 – 7.1) to provide a hygenic and low stress environment. The 130 tanks were maintained under a light intensity of 250 lux with a 14-h to 10-h light-dark cycle with the 131 lights being regulated by an automatic timer that turns on the light at 0800 and turns off the light at 132 2200. Up to ten to twelve zebrafish were housed in one tank, with only male or female zebrafish being 133 in any one tank at a time. The zebrafish were fed ad libitum with TetraMin® Tropical Flakes three times 134 a day and their diet was supplemented with live brine shrimps (Artemia) (Bio-Marine, Aquafauna Inc., 135 USA). The zebrafish were accorded a 7-day acclimatisation period to reduce any stress before 136 commencement of the experiments. All the animal experimentations conducted in this study 137 (MUM/2018/14) were approved by the Monash Animal Research Platform (MARP) Animal Ethics 138 Committee (Australia).

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#### 140 2.4. Experimental design

141 2.4.1. Anticonvulsive potential of OSLP in hypoxic animals

142 The anticonvulsive potential of OSLP under a hypoxic condition was investigated. In this study, 143 the adult zebrafish received a double challenge: first with hypoxia induction and immediately 144 followed by an intraperitoneal (i.p.) injection of PTZ. The treatment dose of OSLP was determined to 145 be 800 µg/kg of body weight as determined by an initial safety study [19]. Seizure score as well as 146 onset time were the two parameters used to quantify convulsive activity. Zebrafish behavioural 147 changes were evaluated by taking into account their time spent in the tank (upper-versus lower-half, 148 s), total distance travelled (cm) as well as swimming pattern. Before beginning the experiments, adult 149 zebrafish weighing between 0.45 - 0.50 g were selected and kept in 1 L treatment tanks filled with 1 L 150 of the tank water (26 -  $28^{\circ}$ C) normally used to fill the tanks. The seven zebrafish groups (n = 10) (Table 151 1) as well as the experimental procedure were as follows (Figure 1):

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#### Table 1. Experimental groups.

Group	Treatment
VC	Vehicle control (tank water + tank water, i.p.)
NC 1	Negative control 1 (tank water + hypoxia-induced + tank water, i.p.)
NC 2	Negative control 2 (tank water + hypoxia-induced + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.)
PC	Positive control (DZP 1.25 mg/kg + hypoxia-induced + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.)
TC	Treatment control (OSLP 800 $\mu$ g/kg + tank water, i.p.)
O+H	OSLP-treated hypoxia (OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxia-induced + tank water, i.p.)
O+P	OSLP-treated hypoxia + PTZ (OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxia-induced + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.)

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Figure 1. Procedures of the experiment.

All the groups were habituated for half hour before the hypoxia induction (except the VC and TC groups) and before the administration of PTZ (except the VC, NC 1 and TC groups). Before giving each individual IP injection, the zebrafish was individually immersed in benzocaine, at a concentration of 30 mg/L, until it ceased moving. For all the groups receiving hypoxia induction (NC1, NC2, PC, O+H and O+H+P), the zebrafish did not again undergo anaesthesia before the injection of PTZ. If more than a single IP injection was required consecutively on the individual zebrafish, the injections were not given at the midline between the pelvic fins but rather at alternating lateral ends [20, 22].

#### 163 Setting up the hypoxia chamber

164 The hypoxia chamber was made of thick, transparent acrylic with dimensions of 20 cm (L) x 20 cm 165 (W) x 20 cm (H). It had a thick, black rubber band running around the bottom side of the lid to produce 166 an air-tight condition. There were two small ports on both left and right sides (about 5 cm away from 167 the top) of the chamber; the left port was connected from the air space inside the container to the 168 outside open air, allowing oxygen exchange and the right port was connected to purified nitrogen gas 169 (99.999% N<sub>2</sub>) tank (Figure 2). Prior to creating a systemic hypoxia environment, approximately 80 % of 170 the total chamber space was filled up with tank water (26 - 28°C) normally used to fill the zebrafish 171 tanks while leaving about 20 % air space for controlling oxygen exchange. Purified N2 was flushed at a 172 constant flow rate of 10 mg/L into the chamber water for 20 min and then sealed immediately after 173 stopping N<sub>2</sub> perfusion. Once sealed, this produced a systemic hypoxia condition and the dissolved 174 oxygen (DO2) concentration in the chamber was determined to be near to 2 mg/L (modified from Yu 175 and Li [16], Cao, Jensen [23]). A hypoxic condition is defined as when DO<sub>2</sub> level is near to or below 2 176 mg/L, according to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources [24, 25].



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Figure 2. Diagram of the hypoxia chamber.

#### 179 Hypoxia induction

180 When the chamber was hypoxia-ready, a zebrafish from each group (except the VC and TC groups) was transferred into the hypoxic chamber and the water was continuously perfused with a steady stream of purified N<sub>2</sub> at a constant flow rate of 2 mg/L. The end-point of the time a zebrafish in the hypoxic chamber was determined as follows (Table 2) [16, 23]:

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Гаble	2. H	ypoxia	measurem	ent

No.	Criteria
1	Lying motionless except for occasionally opercular movements for 40 s and above
2	Lying on one side or with abdomen up for 40 s and above
*Remark	<i>This measurement is not accumulative, any motionless or staying still status less than 40</i> <i>s is ignored.</i>

185 In this protocol, the hypoxia induction required an average of 15 – 18 min per zebrafish. After the 186 termination of hypoxia induction, all the zebrafish were hypoxic but remained alive and were not

187 vegetative. Behavioural changes of the hypoxic zebrafish were individually recorded using a

188 camcorder.

#### 189 PTZ injection

190 Once a zebrafish was hypoxic, it was immediately extracted out of the hypoxia chamber and was 191 immediately injected with PTZ. The NC 1 group did not receive a 170 mg/kg injection of PTZ. The NC 192 2 group was injected with 170 mg/kg of PTZ. The PC group was pre-treated with 1.25 mg/kg of DZP 193 followed by 170 mg/kg of PTZ. The O+H group was pre-treated with 800  $\mu$ g/kg of OSLP but did not 194 receive the 170 mg/kg PTZ injection whereas the O+H+P group was pre-treated with 800 µg/kg of 195 OSLP followed by 170 mg/kg of PTZ. Both VC and TC did not receive hypoxia induction or PTZ 196 injection because they served as the experimental controls. The VC group was IP injected with only 197 tank water whereas the TC group was injected with 800 µg/kg of OSLP and also injected with tank 198 water. After that, all the zebrafish were individually transferred to a 13 L observation tank filled 199 three-quarters of its volume with tank water. Any zebrafish behavioural changes were individually 200 recorded (10 min) using a camcorder. The hypoxic and PTZ injected zebrafish presented various 201 seizure scores and onset times. To determine the seizure score and onset time, the individual video 202 was analysed using a computer as per the defined scoring system that is given in Table 3 [18, 20, 22, 26, 203 27].

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Score	Criteria
1	short swim mainly at the bottom of the tank
2	increased swimming activity and high frequency of opercular movements
3	burst swimming; left and right movements as well as the erratic movements
4	circular movements

#### 205 2.5. Extraction of brains from zebrafish

After concluding the experiment, all the zebrafish used were sacrificed by euthanising them in benzocaine at a concentration of 30 mg/L. The brains of the zebrafish were carefully removed from their skulls and temporarily kept individually on a sterile petri dish before being transferred as quickly as possible to a sterile, pre-chilled 2.0 mL microtube and flash-frozen in liquid nitrogen (LN<sub>2</sub>) before storage at -152°C until further protein expression study and systemic pathway enrichment analysis as well as neurotransmitter analysis.

212 2.6. Neurotransmitter analysis using nanospray liquid chromatography coupled with tandem mass spectrometry
 213 (Nanospray-ESI-LC-MS/MS)

The levels of two major brain neurotransmitters, glutamate (Glu) and gamma-Aminobutyric acid (GABA) were determined using LC-MS/MS with some modifications to the method used in previous studies [19, 20, 22, 28]. All experiments were performed as three independent biological replicates.

A mother stock containing the neurotransmitter standards was prepared by mixing Glu and GABA in MQUP water, MeOH and 0.1% FA and, and the final concentration was adjusted to 1 mg/mL. Next eight standard calibration points (6.25 - 1000 ng/mL) was prepared by serial dilution. A blank was also prepared by mixing MeOH and MQUP water into 0.1% FA, and the final concentration was adjusted to 1 mg/mL. The blank together with the eight standard calibration points was used to quantify the levels of Glu and GABA.

223 Each LN<sub>2</sub> flash-frozen zebrafish brain was firstly homogenised in 1 mL of MeOH/MQUP water 224 (3:1 vol/vol, ice-cold) using an ultrasonic cell crusher. The homogenate was then vortex-mixed (2500 225 rpm, 3 m) and incubated afterwards on an agitated shaker (4°C, 1 h). Next, the homogenate was 226 centrifuged (4°C, 10,000 x g, 10 min) and the produced supernatant was carefully transferred into a 2.0 227 mL sterile microtube before slowly adding 100 µL of 0.1 % formic acid, followed by vortex-mixing 228 (2500 rpm, 3 m) and then centrifuging (4°C, 10,000 x g, 10 min). The supernatant produced was then 229 carefully transferred into a sterile insert fixed in a sterile mass spec grade vial. Finally, all the 230 neurotransmitter samples were subjected to nanospray-ESI-LC-MS/MS analysis.

231 Nanospray-ESI-LC-MS/MS analysis was run using an Agilent 1290 Infinity UHPLC coupled to 232 the electrospray ionisation equipped Agilent 6410B Triple Quad MS/MS. The separations were 233 performed using the Zorbax Eclipse Plus C18 reverse-phase column (Rapid Resolution HD, 2.1 x 150.0 234 mm with a 1.8 uM pore size). The flow rate was set at 0.3 mL/min with the mobile phase consisting of 235 0.1% FA in MQUP water (Solvent 1) and ACN (Solvent 2). The gradient elution used was as follows: (i) 236 0 min, 5% Solvent 2; (ii) 0 - 3 min, 50% Solvent 2 and (iii) 3 - 5 min, 100% Solvent 2, with one-minute 237 post time. The injection volume was 1.0 uL per sample with the autosampler temperature and the 238 column compartment temperature set at 4°C and 25°C respectively. Every injection had a total run 239 time of 5 min. ESI-MS/MS was used in positive ionisation mode with a nitrogen gas temperature of 240 325°C, a gas flow of 9 L/min, nebuliser pressure of 45 psi and a capillary voltage of 4000 V. The MS 241 acquisition was scanned in Multiple Reaction Monitoring (MRM) mode. Quantification of the targeted 242 neurotransmitters was done using a calibration range of 1.56 - 200 ng/mL, with a linear plot in which  $r^2$ 243 > 0.99.

244 2.7. Protein expression profiling using mass spectrometry-based label-free proteomic quantification (LFQ)

The brains of these two pairs, namely Negative Control 1 versus OSLP-treated hypoxia (Pair 1, NC1 vs. O+H) and Negative Control 2 versus OSLP-treated hypoxia + PTZ (Pair 2, NC2 vs. O+H+P) were subjected to tissue lysis to extract the proteins for mass spectrometry-based LFQ. All experiments were performed as four independent biological replicates.

249 2.7.1. Protein extraction from zebrafish brain

Ice-cold lysis buffer (1 mL, RIPA, protease inhibitor 20% v/v, phosphatase inhibitor 1% v/v) was used to lyse the zebrafish brain inside a sterile ProtLoBind microtube before incubating on an orbital shaker (4°C; 90 min). Next, the contents of the microtube were homogenised using an ultrasonic cell crusher and briefly centrifuged (18000 x g, 4°C; 10 min) to harvest the supernatant produced and collect it into a new sterile ProtLoBind microtube. Using the Quick Start<sup>TM</sup> Bradford Protein Assay as instructed by the manufacturer, protein concentration was estimated. Subsequently, the brain lysates were concentrated using a speed-vacuum concentrator (300 rpm; 24 h; 60°C).

257 2.7.2. In-solution digestion of proteins

258 In-solution protein digestion was carried out as instructed by the manufacturer (Agilent 259 Technologies, USA). In brief, the protein samples were re-suspended, denatured and reduced in 25 µL 260 of TFE, 25 µL of ABC and 1 µL of DTT before being vortex-mixed (2500 rpm, 3 m) and oven heated 261  $(60^{\circ}C, 60 \text{ min})$ . The samples were then alkylated in 4  $\mu$ L of IAA and then incubated in darkness (60 262 min, r.t.). Next, excessive IAA was quenched with 1  $\mu$ L of DTT (60 min, r.t., in darkness). 100  $\mu$ L of 263 ABC and 300  $\mu$ L of MQUP water were then added to dilute and to adjust the final pH of the protein 264 solutions to between pH 7 and pH 9.1  $\mu$ L of trypsin was then added before incubating in an oven 265 (37°C, 18 h, in darkness). After the incubation, 1 µL of FA was added to cease the tryptic digestion. 266 Lastly, every sample was vacuum-concentrated using a speed-vacuum concentrator (300 rpm; 24 h; 267  $60^{\circ}$ C,). The dry pellets were then kept at -20°C.

268 2.7.3. De-salting of protein samples

269 Each biological replicate was independently de-salted using a Pierce<sup>®</sup>C18 mini spin column as 270 according to the manufacturer's instructions (Thermo Scientific Pierce, USA) though with several 271 modifications. Each mini spin column was firstly activated in 50% of ACN (three-time repetition, r.t.) 272 and equilibrated using 0.5% of TFA in 5% ACN (three-time repetition, r.t.). Separately, 90 µL of crude 273 protein sample was individually added into 30 µL of sample buffer (2% of TFA in 20% ACN) and 274 mixed well by briefly vortexing at 2,200 rpm. Each of the protein samples were then individually 275 loaded onto a mini spin column for de-salting (three-time repetition, r.t.). Subsequently, all protein 276 samples were washed using 0.5% of TFA in 5% ACN (three-time repetition, r.t.). Lastly, all the protein samples were eluted using 70% ACN (repeated 3 times, r.t.) and all the produced flow-through was
collected, vacuum-concentrated (300 rpm; 24 h; 60°C) and stored at -20°C before mass
spectrometry-based LFQ.

- 280 2.7.4. Mass spectrometry-based label-free proteomic quantification (LFQ) using
- 281 Nanospray-ESI-LCMS/MS

282 An Agilent C-18 300Å Large Capacity Chip was used to load the de-salted peptides. The column 283 was equilibrated using 0.1% of FA in MQUP water (Buffer A) and the peptides were eluted with an 284 increasing gradient of 90% ACN in 0.1% of FA (Buffer B) by the following gradients: 3-50% Buffer B 285 from 0-30 min, 50-95% Buffer B from 30-32 min, 95% Buffer B from 32-39 min and 95-3% Buffer B from 286 39-47 min. Q-TOF was set as follow: positive polarity, capillary voltage at 2050 V, fragmentor voltage 287 at 300 V, nitrogen gas temperature of 300°C and drying gas flow at 5 L/min. The intact protein was 288 analysed in auto MS/MS mode from a range of 110-3000 m/z for MS scan and 50-3000 m/z range for 289 MS/MS scan. The spectrum was analysed using the Agilent MassHunter data acquisition software.

290 2.7.5. Brain protein and peptide identification by automated *de novo* sequencing and LFQ analysis

291 Automated de novo sequencing using the PEAKS®Studio software (Version 8.0) was performed for 292 protein identification. Protein identification and homology search was done by comparing the *de novo* 293 sequence the UniProtKB (Organism: Danio rerio) database tag using 294 (http://www.uniprot.org/proteomes/UP000000437, 46,847 proteins, accessed on 16/04/2020). The 295 settings applied were: trypsin cleavage, carbamidomethylation was set as fixed modification with 296 maximum missed cleavage was set at 3, the maximum variable post-translational modification was set 297 at 3, the minimum ratio count set to 2, mass error tolerance set as 20.0 ppm with both parent mass and 298 precursor mass tolerance were set at 0.1 Da. The other parameters were set as default by Agilent. To 299 filter out the inaccurate proteins, a false discovery rate (FDR) threshold of 1% and a protein score of 300 -10lgP > 20 were applied. PEAKS<sup>®</sup> indicated that a -10lgP score of greater than 20 is of relatively high in 301 confidence as very few decoy matches above the threshold are targeted.

302For LFQ analysis, the differentially expressed proteins between the two pairs, NC1 versus O+H303(Pair 1) and NC2 versus O+H+P (Pair 2) were identified using the following filters: number of unique304peptide  $\geq 1$ , protein fold change  $\geq 1$ , significance score  $\geq 13$ , and FDR threshold  $\leq 1\%$  PEAKSQ305indicated that a significance score of greater than 13 is equivalent *p*-value < 0.05. The other parameters</td>306were set as default by Agilent.

#### 307 2.8. Bioinformatics analysis

308 Bioinformatics analysis (protein-protein interactions, functional annotations, and systemic 309 pathway enrichment analysis) of the differentially of the expressed proteins was matched to databases 310 obtained from ZFIN (www.zfin.org), the GO Consortium and the KEGG PATHWAY database (Danio 311 rerio) [29]. KAAS allows functional annotation of genes by GHOST or BLAST comparisons against a 312 manually curated KEGG GENES database. The result contains automatically generated KEGG 313 pathways and KO (KEGG Orthology) assignments (bi-directional best hit). Organism-specific 314 pathways are mapped by KEGG pathways: GENES entries are hyperlinked by green boxes by 315 converting K numbers (KO identifiers) to gene identifiers in the reference pathway, indicating the 316 completeness of the pathway and also the presence of genes in the genome [30].

#### 317 2.9. Statistical Analysis

For behavioural study and the estimation of neurotransmitter levels, statistical analysis was performed using GraphPad Prism version 8.0. All data were expressed as mean ± standard error of the mean (SEM). One-way analysis of variance (ANOVA) followed with Tukey's post-hoc test at significance levels of \*p < 0.05, \*\*p < 0.01 and \*\*\*p < 0.001 against the negative control 1 (NC1, hypoxia-induced alone) whereas \*p < 0.05, \*\*p < 0.01 and \*\*\*p < 0.001 against the negative control 2  $\begin{array}{ll} 323 & (\text{NC 2, Hypoxia + PTZ-induced}). \text{ For the analysis of differentially expressed proteins identified by}\\ 324 & \text{ms-based LFQ, PEAKSQ statistical analysis (built-in statistical tool of PEAKS® software) was used. An}\\ 325 & \text{FDR} \leq 1\% \text{ and a significance score of 13\% (equivalent to the significance level of 0.05) was considered} \end{array}$ 

- 326 as statistically significant. In the bioinformatics analysis, the hypergeometric test followed by the
- 327 Benjamini & Hochberg FDR correction at *p*-value < 0.05 (BiNGO built-in statistical tool) was used to
- 328 correlate the associations between the functional annotation of genes and interacting proteins; the
- built-in statistical tool of KAAS was used to assess the possible association of interacting proteins and
- 330 systemic pathways using the KEGG PATHWAY Database.

### **331 3. Results**

332 3.1. OSLP safety study in adult zebrafish

OSLP safety study conducted previously [19] found that the maximal safe starting dose of OSLP
achievable via intraperitoneal (i.p.) route was 800 µg/kg of body weight. Therefore, 800 µg of OSLP
was chosen in this study as the treatment dose.

- 336 3.2. Evaluation of the anticonvulsive potential of OSLP in hypoxic animals
- 337 3.2.1. Behavioural study
- 338 3.2.2. Swim path analysis

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340 Figure 3. Representative swimming patterns for the corresponding 7 experimental groups (n = 10). VC (a, tank water, i.p.), NC 1 (b, hypoxia-induced alone), NC 2 (c,

341 Hypoxia + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.), O+H (d, OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxia, i.p.), O+H+P (e, OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxia + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.), PC (f, DZP 1.25 mg/kg + PTZ 342

170 mg/kg, i.p.) and TC (g, OSLP 800 µg/kg + tank water, i.p.).

343 The automated tracking software analysed the zebrafish swimming patterns, and one 344 representative swimming pattern was selected for each group from among the n = 10 zebrafish per 345 group (Figure 3). The VC group (Panel a) swam throughout the entire tank without showing a clear 346 preference for any part of the tank. In contrast, the NC 1 (Panel b) group did not swim throughout the 347 whole tank but showed an evident preference for the upper half of the tank, particularly close to the 348 water surface, whilst the NC 2 group showed apparent twitching and a more erratic swimming 349 pattern, with the zebrafish dwelling at the upper half of the tank more frequently (Panel c). The O+H 350 group also did not manage to swim throughout the entire tank when compared to the untreated VC 351 and showed a similar swimming pattern to that of the NC 1, with an apparent preference for the upper 352 half of the tank (Panel d). The O+H+P group (Panel e) managed to swim through the whole tank with 353 reduced twitching and a less erratic swimming pattern compared to the NC 2. The PC group did not 354 produce a swimming pattern comparable to that of the untreated VC but still showed an evident 355 preference for the upper half of the tank (Panel f). The TC group (Panel g) showed a swimming pattern 356 comparable to that of the untreated VC.



#### 357 3.2.3. Seizure score and seizure onset time



359	Figure 4. Mean seizure scores and mean seizure onset time (s) for the corresponding 7 experimental
360	groups. Data are mean $\pm$ SEM. Experiments were repeated in n = 10, ***showed $p < 0.001$ against the
361	NC1 (Hypoxia-induced alone) whereas *** $p < 0.001$ against the NC2 (Hypoxia + PTZ-induced).
362	One-way ANOVA with Tukey's post-hoc test was used. VC (tank water, i.p.), O+H (OSLP 800 µg/kg +
363	hypoxia, i.p.), O+H+P (OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxia + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.) , PC (DZP 1.25 mg/kg + PTZ
364	170 mg/kg, i.p.) and TC (OSLP 800 ug/kg + tank water, i.p.).

365 The cutoff time for seizure scoring was 600 seconds (s) as fish recover from seizures after around 366 600 seconds and thus, any seizures beyond that time point was not considered. Mean seizure onset 367 time for both the untreated vehicle control (VC group) and OSLP treatment dose control (TC group) 368 was set as 600 s and a maximum seizure score of zero (0) was assigned to these groups (Figure 4). They 369 did not receive any PTZ injection and thus did not show seizures, serving only as the study controls. 370 The NC 1 also did not receive any PTZ injection but was observed for the development of seizures. 371 These groups received PTZ injections: NC 2, O+H+P and PC. PTZ injection into the zebrafish resulted 372 in different seizure scores and onset times, particularly in the face of hypoxia.

The NC 2 group, induced by hypoxia and injected with PTZ, had a significant increase in seizure score to 3.3 (F = 26.17,  $^{\#\#}p < 0.001$ ) and had a significantly reduced seizure onset time to the lowest, 91 s (F = 31.52,  $^{\#\#}p < 0.001$ ), when compared to the VC group. Treatment with 800 µg/kg of OSLP (O+H+P) significantly decreased the seizure score to 1.7 (F = 26.17,  $^{\#\#}p < 0.001$ ) and significantly delayed the

- seizure onset time to 231 s (F = 31.52,  $^{##}p < 0.001$ ) compared to the NC 2 group. The PC group treated with DZP also showed a significant decrease in seizure score to 1.6 (F =26.17,  $^{##}p < 0.001$ ) and had a significantly delayed seizure onset time to 286 s, (F = 31.52,  $^{##}p < 0.001$ ), when compared to the NC 2 group.
- 381 In this study, hypoxia induction (15 -18 min per fish) sufficiently induced hypoxic insults.
- 382 However, the hypoxic adult zebrafish (NC 1) did not exhibit any significant seizure behaviour and
- 383 thus, the seizure score and seizure onset time remained unchanged. OSLP treatment (800  $\mu$ g/kg of
- b.w.) did not show significant protection in the hypoxic adult zebrafish (O+H). On the other hand, PTZ
- 385 (170 mg/kg of b.w.) sufficiently induced seizures in the adult zebrafish under a hypoxic condition (NC
- 386 2). OSLP treatment (800  $\mu$ g/kg of b.w.) was shown to significantly alleviate seizures in hypoxic adult
- 387 zebrafish (O+H+P), with seizure score and seizure onset time comparable to the PC group.
- 388 3.2.4. Locomotion parameters

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390Figure 5. Mean locomotion parameters over 600 s for all the experimental groups. Figure a represents the mean total distance travelled (cm), Figure b shows the mean<br/>time spent in upper zone (s) and Figure c displays the mean time spent in lower zone (s). Data are mean  $\pm$  SEM. Experiments were repeated in n = 10, \*\*\*showed p <<br/>0.001 against the NC 1(Hypoxia-induced alone) whereas \*\*\* p < 0.001 against the NC 2 (Hypoxia + PTZ-induced). One-way ANOVA with Tukey's *post-hoc* test was<br/>used. VC (tank water, i.p.), O+H (OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxia, i.p.), O+H+P (OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxia + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.) , PC (DZP 1.25 mg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg,<br/>i.p.) and TC (OSLP 800 µg/kg + tank water, i.p.).

395 Both negative control groups, NC 1 (78±8 cm, F = 17.99, \*\*\**p* < 0.001) and NC 2 (133±29 cm, F = 17.99, 396  $^{##}p < 0.001$ ) showed a significant reduction in the mean total distance travelled when compared to the 397 VC group (247±20 cm) (Figure 5a). When compared between the two negative controls, the NC 2 group 398 had travelled about a 41% longer mean total distance than the NC 1 group. This outcome, however, 399 did not attain statistical significance (p > 0.05). Whereas, mean total distance travelled of the O+H 400 group was 76±2 cm and was insignificantly lower than the NC 1 group. Mean total distance travelled 401 of the O+H+P group was 81±16 cm and was insignificantly lower than the NC 2 group. The PC group, 402 treated with DZP, had a mean total distance travelled of 141±13 cm when compared to the NC 2 group.

403 For the parameter of time spent in each half of the tank, both negative control groups, NC 1(F =404 15.50, \*\*\*p < 0.001) and NC 2 (F = 15.50, \*\*\*p < 0.001) showed increased time spent in the upper half of tank 405 when compared to the VC (287±53 s) and TC (279±28 s) (Figure 5b). Both VC (314±53 s) and TC (265±35 406 s) had showed a significantly longer time spent in the bottom half of tank than both NC 1 (F = 12.17, 407 \*\*\*p < 0.001) and NC 2 (F = 12.17,  $^{\#}p < 0.001$ ) (Figure 5c). When compared between the two negative 408 controls, NC 2 had spent about 8% longer time in the upper half of tank but spent a shorter time in the 409 lower half of tank (about 57 %) than NC 1. This outcome however did not attain statistical significance 410 (p > 0.05). Both OSLP-treated groups, O+H and O+H+P, did not show a trend of overcoming the 411 adverse effects when compared to both NC groups (p > 0.05) for the parameter of time spent in each 412 half of the tank. The PC group was seemed to reduce the time spent in the upper half of tank and 413 correspondingly increase time spent in the bottom half of tank. This outcome however did not attain 414 statistical significance (p > 0.05). Worthy of mention is that the TC group had displayed a similar trend

415 to the VC group in the parameter of time spent in each half of the tank (Figures 5b and 5c).

416 3.2.4. Neurotransmitter study



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418Figure 6. Mean neurotransmitter levels (ng/mL), namely GABA (a), glutamate (b) and GABA/Glu ratio (c) over 600 s for all the experimental groups. Data are mean  $\pm$ 419SEM. Experiments were repeated in n = 10, \*\*\*showed p < 0.001 against the NC 1 (Hypoxia-induced alone) whereas \*\*\* p < 0.001 against the NC 2 (Hypoxia +420PTZ-induced). One-way ANOVA with Tukey's *post-hoc* test was used. VC (tank water, i.p.), O+H (OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxia, i.p.), O+H+P (OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxia)

421 + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.), PC (DZP 1.25 mg/kg + PTZ 170 mg/kg, i.p.) and TC (OSLP 800 μg/kg + tank water, i.p.).

422 Neurotransmitters, namely GABA and Glu, and their ratio (GABA/Glu) were evaluated. Both 423 negative control groups, NC 1 (71±8 ng/mL, F = 486.7, \*\*p < 0.001) and NC 2 (62±4 ng/mL, F = 486.7, \*\*\*p 424 < 0.001) showed a significant decrease in the mean GABA levels when compared to the VC group 425 (299±4 ng/mL) (Figure 6a). Mean GABA levels of the O+H group was 42±3 ng/mL (F = 486.7, \*p < 0.05) 426 and was about 41% lower when compared to NC 1. Mean GABA levels of the O+H+P group was 17±13 427 ng/mL which was about 76% lower than the NC 1 group (F = 486.7, \*\*\*p < 0.001) and was about 73% 428 lower than the NC 2 group (F = 486.7,  $^{##}p < 0.001$ ). The PC group had a significant increase in the mean 429 GABA levels to  $104\pm5$  ng/mL when compared to both NC 1 (71 $\pm8$  ng/mL, F = 486.7, \*p < 0.05) and NC 2 430  $(62\pm 4 \text{ ng/mL}, \text{F} = 486.7, \# p < 0.01).$ 

431 In contrast, both NC 1 (288±27 ng/mL, F = 16.98, p > 0.05) and NC 2 and (293±23 ng/mL, F = 16.98, p432 > 0.05) showed slightly higher mean Glu levels than the VC (273±14 ng/mL) whereas, mean Glu levels 433 of the O+H group was 212±18 ng/mL which was about 26 % lower than the NC 1 group (Figure 6b). 434 Mean Glu levels of the O+H+P group was 110±39 ng/mL, which was about 62 % significantly lower 435 than both NC 1 (F = 16.98, \*\*\*p < 0.001) and NC 2 (F = 16.98,  $^{\#\pi}p < 0.001$ ). Surprisingly, the PC group 436 treated with DZP saw a spike in the mean Glu levels ( $428\pm37$  ng/mL) when compared to NC 1 (F = 437 16.98, \*p < 0.01) and NC 2 (F = 16.98, p < 0.05). The TC group displayed a similar trend to the VC group 438 in the neurotransmitter analysis (Figure 6b).

439 The GABA/Glu ratio showed a significant decrease in both negative control groups, NC 1 (R < 1, F 440 = 813.6, \*\*\*p < 0.001) and NC 2 (R < 1, F = 813.6, \*\*\*p < 0.001) when compared to the VC group (R > 1) 441 (Figure 6c). Meanwhile, the O+H+P group had a lower GABA/Glu ratio (R < 1, F = 813.6, \*p < 0.5) when 442 compared to the NC 1 group but had no significant difference when compared to the NC 2 group. The 443 O+H group did not display a significant difference in the GABA/Glu ratio when compared to both 444 negative control groups. Neither the PC group show a significant difference in the GABA/Glu ratio 445 when compared to both negative control groups (Figure 6c). Interestingly, the TC group had a 446 significant difference in the GABA/Glu ratio when compared to the NC 1 (R > 2, F = 813.6, \*\*p < 0.001) 447 and NC 2 (R > 2, F = 813.6, ###p < 0.001) (Figure 6c).

#### 448 3.3. Protein expression study

3.3.1. Proteins expression profiling using mass spectrometry-based label-free proteomic quantification(LFQ)



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In the LFQ analysis, the -10lgP value (significance level) signifies that the higher the score, more confident the detection of the protein is. The peptide value (#peptides) denotes the number of peptides belonging to a particular identified protein and the unique value (#unique) signifies its resemblance with the identified protein. The coverage (%) means that out of the identified peptides, only a particular % belongs to the identified protein as mentioned in the protein description (Tables 4 and 5).

LFQ profiled 10 differentially expressed proteins from the hypoxia-induced group (NC 1) versus the OSLP-treated hypoxia group (O+H). These proteins were found to be expressed at higher levels in the NC1 group than in the O+H group (Figure 7 & Table 4). Interestingly, haemoglobin subunit beta-1 (Hbba1, Q90486), eno 2 protein (Eno2, Q6GQM9), apolipoprotein A-II (Apoa2, B3DFP9), isocitrate dehydrogenase [NADP] (Idh2, Q7ZUP6) and myelin basic protein a (Mbpa, F8W3W8) were expressed slightly higher compared to the other proteins.



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468Figure 8. Heat map shows the differentially expressed proteins identified from NC 2 (hypoxic + PTZ469170 mg/kg) and O+H+P (OSLP 800  $\mu$ g/kg + hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg), n = 4, significance  $\geq$  13, FDR  $\leq$ 4701%, fold change  $\geq$  1, unique peptide  $\geq$  1. Protein names are listed on the left while experimental groups471are indicated on top. The colour key on the bottom right indicates the log2 (ratio) expression levels472(green = low and red = high).

473 LFQ profiled 12 differentially expressed proteins from the hypoxia- and PTZ-induced (NC 2, 474 hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg) versus O+H+P (OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg) groups (Figure 475 8 & Table 5). Among them, nine proteins were expressed at lower levels in the NC2 group than in the 476 O+P+H group. They were novel alpha-globin (Hbaa1, isoforms Q7SZV9 and Q90487), myelin basic 477 protein a (Mbpa, F8W3W8), ependymin (Epd, A0A2R8Q2Z0), peptidyl-prolyl cis-trans isomerase 478 (Ppiab, Q6PC53), CD59 molecule (Cd59, A0A0B5JW41), tubulin alpha chain (Tuba1c, isoforms 479 A0A2R8RZK5 and Q6PE34) and glutamine synthetase (Glula, Q7T2P7). The other three proteins 480 namely haemoglobin subunit alpha (Hbaa1, isoforms Q803Z5 and Q90487), spectrin alpha 481 non-erythrocytic 1 (Sptan1, F1R446), apolipoprotein A-II (Apoa2, B3DFP9) and heat shock 60 protein 1 482 (Hspd1, Q803B0) were found to be expressed at higher levels in the NC 2 group than in the O+P+H 483 group.

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Table 4. Differentially expressed proteins identified from negative control 1 (NC 1, Hypoxic Only) and O+H (OSLP 800 µg/kg + Hypoxic).

Uniprot Accession ID	Uniprot Protein Name	Significanc e (≥ 13)	Coverag e (%)	#Pept ides	#Uni que	Avg. Mass	Group Profile (ratio of NC1/O+H)	ZFIN Protein
B8JKH7	Myosin light polypeptide 3 skeletal muscle	200	9	1	1	13758	1.00:0.00	Mylz3
Q90486	Haemoglobin, beta adult 1	200	28	3	3	16389	1.00:0.10	Hbba1
Q9I8V1	Actin alpha cardiac muscle 1b	200	12	1	1	41973	1.00:0.00	Actc1b
Q6NWJ5	Tubulin alpha chain	200	8	2	2	50034	1.00:0.00	Tuba8l4
B3DFP9	Apolipoprotein A-II	200	21	2	2	15537	1.00:0.05	Apoa2
Q6P5J4	Peptidyl-prolyl cis-trans isomerase	200	8	1	1	19472	1.00:0.00	Ppiaa
Q6GQM9	Eno2 protein	200	4	1	1	46841	1.00:0.10	Eno2
Q6P102	Tyrosine 3-monooxygenase/tryptophan 5-monooxygenase activation protein beta polypeptide-like	200	6	1	1	27907	1.00:0.00	Ywhabl
Q7ZUP6	Isocitrate dehydrogenase [NADP]	136.71	3	1	1	50397	2.89:1.00	Idh2
F8W3W8	Myelin basic protein a	19.1	13	1	1	10776	1.00:0.71	Mbpa

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Remark: ZFIN protein nomenclatures were searched in the ZFIN Database Information (www.zfin.org) accessed from 16/04/2020.

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487 Table 5. Differentially expressed proteins identified from negative control 2 (NC 2, Hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg) and O+H+P (OSLP 800 μg/kg + Hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg).
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Uniprot Accession ID	Uniprot Protein Name	Significance (≥ 13)	Coverage (%)	#Peptid es	#Uniqu e	Avg. Mass	Group Profile (ratio of NC2/O+H+P)	ZFIN Protein
Q7SZV9	Novel alpha-globin	200	41	6	3	15524	0.00:1.00	Hbaa1
F8W3W8	Myelin basic protein a	200	65	12	12	10776	1.00:14.30	Mbpa
Q90487	Haemoglobin subunit alpha	200	41	6	3	15522	1.00:3.77	Hbaa1
A0A2R8Q2Z0	Ependymin	200	25	3	3	23370	1.00:13.66	Epd
Q6PC53	Peptidyl-prolyl cis-trans isomerase	200	26	3	3	17489	1.00:6.38	Ppiab
A0A0B5JW41	CD59 molecule (CD59 blood group)	200	34	2	2	10145	1.00:4.82	Cd59
A0A2R8RZK5	Tubulin alpha chain	87.27	23	7	4	48534	1.00:2.30	Tuba1c
Q7T2P7	Glutamine synthetase	83.70	14	3	3	41613	1.00:2.26	Glula
F1R446	Spectrin alpha non-erythrocytic	20.61	1	1	1	284928	1.00:0.08	Sptan1
B3DFP9	Apolipoprotein A-II	20.32	39	3	3	15537	1.00:0.68	Apoa2
Q6PE34	Tubulin beta chain	18.59	41	13	3	49635	1.00:1.41	Zgc:65894
Q803B0	Heat shock 60 protein 1	15.74	4	1	1	61196	1.00:0.40	Hspd1

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Remark: ZFIN protein nomenclatures were searched in the ZFIN Database Information (www.zfin.org) accessed from 16/04/2020.

#### 490 3.3.1. Bioinformatics analysis

The differentially expressed proteins (Table 4 and Table 5) were searched using the ZFIN
Database Information to match the ID of the gene. The InterPro Classification of Protein Families
database was searched for the respective protein class. The results are presented in Table 6 and Table 7.

494 The differentially expressed proteins were also examined using functional annotation analysis. 495 For Pair 1 (NC1 vs. O+H), they were found to localise at seven different cellular components 496 encompassing intracellular non-membrane-bounded organelle (GO:43232), non-membrane-bounded 497 organelle (GO:43228), protein complex (GO:43234), phosphopyruvate hydratase complex (GO:15), 498 cytosolic part (GO:44445), cytosol (GO:5829) and cytoskeleton (GO:5856) (Figure 9). At these cellular 499 localisations, the interactions of the differentially expressed proteins have significantly been associated 500 with four corresponding molecular functions. Three were involved in the catalytic activities of 501 isocitrate dehydrogenase (NADP+) (GO:4450), isocitrate dehydrogenase (GO:4448) and 502 phosphopyruvate hydratase (GO:4634) whilst one was involved in magnesium ion binding (GO:287). 503 Among them, the enzymatic activity of phosphopyruvate hydratase was particularly interesting (pink 504 box; Figure 10).

505 For Pair 2 (NC2 vs. O+H+P), the differentially expressed proteins were found to localise at four 506 cellular components mainly at mitochondrial lumen (GO: 31980), mitochondrial matrix (GO:5759), 507 haemoglobin complex (GO:5833) and cytoskeleton (GO:5856) (Figure 11). Found localised at these 508 cellular components, their interactions have significantly been associated with eight corresponding 509 molecular functions. Three were involved in the catalytic activities of glutamate-ammonia ligase 510 (GO:4356), ammonia ligase (GO:16211) and acid-ammonia (or amide) ligase (GO:16880). Four were 511 involved in the bindings of ribonucleotide (GO:32553), purine ribonucleotide (GO:32555), purine 512 nucleotide (GO:17076) and oxygen (GO:19825) whilst the last molecular function was seen in oxygen 513 transporter activity (GO:5344). Among them, the enzymatic activity of glutamate-ammonia ligase was 514 particularly noteworthy (purple box; Figure 12).

Protein Family	ZFIN Protein	ZFIN Gene ID
Globin domain-containing protein		
Member of the haemoglobin, beta-type	Hbba1	ZDB-GENE-990415-18
Plasma protein		
Member of the CD marker	Cd59	ZDB-GENE-030131-7871
Member of the apolipoprotein A/E	Apoa2	ZDB-GENE-030131-1046
Belongs to the myelin basic protein	Mbpa	ZDB-GENE-030128-2
Cytoskeletal protein		
Belongs to the actin family	Actc1b	ZDB-GENE-000322-1
Belongs to the tubulin family; subfamily of the alpha tubulin	Tuba8l4	ZDB-GENE-040426-860
14-3-3 protein		
Belongs to the 14-3-3 family	Ywhabl	ZDB-GENE-030131-448
Enzyme protein		
Isomerase		
Member of the cyclophilin-type peptidyl-prolyl cis-trans isomerase	Ppiaa	ZDB-GENE-030131-7459
Isocitrate dehydrogenase		
Member of the isocitrate dehydrogenase NADP-dependent	Idh2	ZDB-GENE-031118-95
Citric acid cycle related protein		
Member of the enolase	Eno2	ZDB-GENE-040704-27
Motor protein		
Belongs to the family of myosin	Mylz3	ZDB-GENE-000322-6

#### 515 Table 6. Protein family of the differentially expressed proteins identified from negative control 1 (NC 1, Hypoxic Only) and O+H (OSLP 800 µg/kg + Hypoxic).

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517 databases (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/interpro/protein/UniProt/, www.zfin.org and https://www.genome.jp/kegg/brite.html accessed from 16/04/2020).

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519Table 7. Protein family of the differentially expressed proteins identified from negative control 2 (NC 2, Hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg) and O+H+P (OSLP 800 μg/kg +<br/>Hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg).520Hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg).

Protein Family	ZFIN Protein	ZFIN Gene ID					
Globin domain-containing protein							
Belongs to the family of haemoglobin, alpha-type and to the subfamily of haemoglobin, pi	Hbba1	ZDB-GENE-980526-79					
Plasma protein							
Member of the CD marker	Cd59	ZDB-GENE-030131-7871					
Member of the apolipoprotein A/E	Apoa2	ZDB-GENE-030131-1046					
Belongs to the myelin basic protein	Mbpa	ZDB-GENE-030128-2					
Cytoskeletal protein							
Belongs to the tubulin family; subfamily of the alpha tubulin	Tuba1c	ZDB-GENE-061114-1					
Belongs to the tubulin family; subfamily of the beta tubulin	Zgc:65894	ZDB-GENE-030131-7741					
A filamentous cytoskeletal protein	Sptan1	ZDB-GENE-051113-60					
Enzyme protein							
Isomerase							
Member of the cyclophilin-type peptidyl-prolyl cis-trans isomerase	Ppiab	ZDB-GENE-030131-7459					
Mitochondrial enzyme							
Belongs to the glutamine synthetase family	Glula	ZDB-GENE-030131-688					
Chaperonin protein - Cpn60/TCP-1 family							
Member of the chaperonin Cpn60	Hspd1						
Intracellular protein - Ependymin							
Member of the ependymin-related protein family (EPDRs)	Epd	ZDB-GENE-980526-111					
Remark: Protein Families and their respective functions were searched in the InterPro Classification of Protein I	Families, ZFIN Database	Information and KEGG Brite					

databases (https://www.ebi.ac.uk/interpro/protein/UniProt/, www.zfin.org and https://www.genome.jp/kegg/brite.html accessed from 16/04/2020).

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Figure 9. BiNGO result for cellular component as visualised in Cytoscape (Group: NC1 vs. O+H; Organism: *Danio rerio*). Coloured nodes are significantly overrepresented. White nodes are insignificantly overrepresented, they are included to show the coloured nodes in the context of the GO hierarchy. Colour key on the bottom left indicates the significance level of overrepresentation.

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528Figure 10. BiNGO result for molecular function as visualised in Cytoscape (Group: NC1 vs. O+H;529Organism: Danio rerio). Coloured nodes are significantly overrepresented. White nodes are530insignificantly overrepresented, they are included to show the coloured nodes in the context of the GO531hierarchy. Colour key on the bottom right indicates the significance level of overrepresentation.



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533 Figure 11. BiNGO result for cellular component as visualised in Cytoscape (Group: NC2 vs. O+H+P; Organism: Danio rerio). Coloured nodes are significantly

overrepresented. White nodes are insignificantly overrepresented, they are included to show the coloured nodes in the context of the GO hierarchy. Colour key on the
 bottom right indicates the significance level of overrepresentation.

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Figure 12. BiNGO result for molecular function as visualised in Cytoscape (Group: NC2 vs. O+H+P;
Organism: *Danio rerio*). Coloured nodes are significantly overrepresented. White nodes are
insignificantly overrepresented, they are included to show the coloured nodes in the context of the
GO hierarchy. Colour key on the bottom right indicates the significance level of overrepresentation.

541 Systematic pathway enrichment analysis

542 For Pair 1 (NC1 vs. O+H), the differentially expressed proteins were found to be significantly 543 associated with six major pathway categories; five of them were associated with metabolism, genetic 544 information processing, environmental information processing, cellular processes and organismal 545 systems whilst the last one was associated with human diseases (Table 8). Among them, the 546 hypoxia-inducible factor 1 (HIF-1) signalling pathway (04066) in signal transduction nested under 547 the environmental information processing category and the citrate cycle (TCA cycle, 00020) in 548 carbohydrate metabolism nested under the metabolism category, were two most probable pathways 549 (Table 8).

550 Enolase 2 (Eno2) was mapped onto the HIF-1 signalling pathway (as ENO 1 in green box; 551 Figure 13). Enolase has three isoenzymes namely Eno1, Eno2 and Eno3. Eno2, also known as 552 neuron-specific enolase (NSE) and is particularly highly expressed in neurons and neural tissues. According to ZFIN (https://zfin.org/ZDB-GENE-040704-27), Eno2 is orthologous to human ENO2. As shown in the HIF-1 signalling pathway, Eno2 interacted with the other proteins to promote anaerobic metabolism in the mitochondria under hypoxic conditions. Also seen in this pathway was the citrate cycle. The citrate cycle was part of the metabolic cycle in the HIF-1 signalling pathway under hypoxic conditions.

558 The citrate cycle, also known as the tricarboxylic acid (TCA) cycle or the Krebs cycle, occurs in 559 the mitochondrial matrix. Isocitrate dehydrogenase 2 (Idh2) was mapped onto the citrate cycle 560 pathway (as EC 1.1.1.42 in the green box; Figure 14). Idh2 is an isoform of the isocitrate 561 dehydrogenase enzyme family with three isoforms, Idh1 - 3. According to ZFIN 562 (https://zfin.org/ZDB-GENE-031118-95), Idh2 is orthologous to human IDH2. As shown in the citrate 563 cycle pathway, Idh2 catalyses reversible reactions, either decarboxylating isocitrate to 2-oxoglutarate 564 (2OG) while reducing NADP<sup>+</sup> to NADPH or acting in the reductive carboxylation reaction to convert 565 20G to isocitrate while oxidising NADPH to NADP<sup>+</sup>. In particular, under hypoxic conditions, the 566 citrate cycle was shifted to the reductive carboxylation reaction. As seen, the citrate cycle was part of 567 the metabolic programme in the HIF-1 signalling pathway (04066).

568 For Pair 2 (NC2 vs. O+H+P), the differentially expressed proteins were found to be significantly 569 associated with six major pathway categories; five of them were associated with metabolism, genetic 570 information processing, environmental information processing, cellular processes and organismal 571 systems whilst the last one was associated with human diseases (Table 9). Among them, 572 glutamatergic synapse (04724) and GABAergic synapse (04727) were two pathways most likely to 573 play a significant role in the regulation of neurotransmitters under hypoxia. They all were grouped 574 in the subsection of the nervous system under the organismal systems category. Glutamine 575 synthetase (Glula) was mapped onto the glutamatergic synapse and the GABAergic synapse 576 respectively (as GLNS in the green box, 04724; as GS in the green box, 04727; Figure 15 and Figure 577 16).

578 Glutamine synthetase (EC 6.3.1.2 or GS or glutamate-ammonia ligase) is encoded by the gene 579 glula. According to ZFIN (https://zfin.org/ZDB-GENE-030131-688), Glula is orthologous to human 580 GLUL (glutamate-ammonia ligase). GS catalyses glutamate (Glu) to glutamine (Gln). As shown in 581 the glutamatergic synapse pathway, GS directly converted Glu to Gln, which was then transported 582 to the presynaptic terminal and released into the synaptic cleft. After being released into the synaptic 583 cleft, Glu was removed from the synaptic cleft and transported back into glial cell where it was again 584 converted back to Gln. Whilst, in the GABAergic synapse, GS was involved in the GABA shunt to 585 produce and conserve the supply of GABA via the transamination of  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate, formed from 586 glucose metabolism in the citrate cycle and by GABA  $\alpha$ -oxoglutarate transaminase (GABA-T) 587 into Glu which is then converted to Gln by GS in glial cells. Glu was transported out and deposited 588 in the presynaptic terminal where it was catalysed by glutamate decarboxylase (aka glutamic acid 589 decarboxylase, GAD) to form GABA.

590 Table 8. KEGG pathways (Organism: *Danio rerio*) associated with the differentially expressed
591 proteins identified from negative control 1 (NC1, Hypoxic Only) and O+H (OSLP 800 μg/kg +
592 Hypoxic).

KEGG Pathway ID Pathway Category		Mapped Protein	
	Metabolism		
01100	Metabolic pathways	Idh2, Eno2	
01110	Biosynthesis of secondary metabolites	Idh2, Eno2	
01120	Microbial metabolism in diverse environments	Idh2, Eno2	
01200	Carbon metabolism	Idh2, Eno2	
01210	2-Oxocarboxylic acid metabolism	Idh2	
01230	Biosynthesis of amino acids	Idh2, Eno2	
Carbohydrate metabolism			
00010	Glycolysis / Gluconeogenesis	Eno2	
00020	Citrate cycle (TCA cycle)	Idh2	

KEGG Pathway ID	Pathway Category	Mapped Protein		
	Energy metabolism			
00720	Carbon fixation pathways in prokaryotes	Idh2		
00680	Methane metabolism	Eno2		
	Metabolism of other amino acid			
00480	Glutathione metabolism	Idh2		
	Genetic Information Processing			
	Folding, sorting and degradation			
03018	RNA degradation	Eno2		
	Environmental Information Processing			
	Signal transduction			
04013	MAPK signalling pathway - fly	Ywhabl		
04390	Hippo signalling pathway	Ywhabl		
04391	Hippo signalling pathway - fly	Ywhabl		
04066	HIF-1 signalling pathway	Eno2		
04020	Calcium signalling pathway	Ppiaa		
04022	cGMP-PKG signalling pathway	Ppiaa		
04151	PI3K-Akt signalling pathway	Ywhabl		
	Cellular Processes			
	Transport and catabolism			
04145	Phagosome	Actc1b, Tuba8l4		
04146	Peroxisome	Idh2		
	Cell growth and death			
04110	Cell cycle	Ywhabl		
04114	Oocyte meiosis	Ywhabl		
04210	Apoptosis	Tuba8l4		
Cellular community - eukaryotes				
04530	Tight junction	Tuba8l4		
04540	Gap junction	Tuba8l4		
	Organismal Systems			
	Circulatory system			
04260	Cardiac muscle contraction	Actc1b		
04261	Adrenergic signalling in cardiomyocytes	Actc1b		
	Aging			
04212	Longevity regulating pathway - worm	Ywhabl		
	Human Diseases			
	Cancer: overview			
05203	Viral carcinogenesis	Ywhabl		
	Neurodegenerative disease			
05010	Alzheimer disease	Tuba8l4, Ppiaa		
05012	Parkinson disease	Ppiaa		
05016	Huntington disease	Tuba8l4, Ppiaa		
	Cardiovascular disease			
05410	Hypertrophic cardiomyopathy (HCM)	Actc1b		
05414	Dilated cardiomyopathy (DCM)	Actc1b		
	Infectious disease: bacterial			
05130	Pathogenic Escherichia coli infection	Tuba8l4		
	Infectious disease: viral			
05161	Hepatitis B	Ywhabl		
05160	Hepatitis C	Ywhabl		

KEGG Pathway ID	Pathway Category	Mapped Protein
	Infectious disease: parasitic	
05145	Toxoplasmosis	Ppiaa

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**Table 9.** KEGG pathways (Organism: Danio rerio) associated with the differentially expressed proteins identified from negative control 2 (NC2, Hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg) and O+H+P (OSLP 800 μg/kg + Hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg).

KEGG Pathway ID	Pathway Category	Mapped Protein
	Metabolism	
01100	Metabolic pathways	Glula
01120	Microbial metabolism in diverse environments	Glula
01230	Biosynthesis of amino acids	Glula
	Carbohydrate metabolism	
00630	Glyoxylate and dicarboxylate metabolism	Glula
	Energy metabolism	
00910	Nitrogen metabolism	Glula
	Amino acid metabolism	
00250	Alanine, aspartate and glutamate metabolism	Glula
00220	Arginine biosynthesis	Glula
	Genetic Information Processing	
	Folding, sorting and degradation	
03018	RNA degradation	Hspd1
	Environmental Information Processing	
	Signal transduction	
02020	Two-component system	Glula
	Cellular Processes	
	Transport and catabolism	
04145	Phagosome	Tuba1c, Zgc:65894
	Cell growth and death	
04210	Apoptosis	Sptan1, Tuba1c
04217	Necroptosis	Glula, Ppiab
	Cellular community - eukaryotes	
04530	Tight junction	Tuba1c
04540	Gap junction	Tuba1c, Zgc:65894
	Organismal Systems	
	Immune system	
04640	Haematopoietic cell lineage	Cd59
04610	Complement and coagulation cascades	Cd59
	Nervous system	
04724	Glutamatergic synapse	Glula
04727	GABAergic synapse	Glula
	Aging	
04212	Longevity regulating pathway - worm	Hspd1
	Human Diseases	
	Neurodegenerative disease	
05010	Alzheimer disease	Tuba1c, Zgc:65894
05016	Huntington disease	Tuba1c, Zgc:65894
	Endocrine and metabolic disease	
04940	Type I diabetes mellitus	Hspd1
	Infectious disease: bacterial	

KEGG Pathway ID Pathway Category		Mapped Protein		
05130	Pathogenic Escherichia coli infection	Tuba1c, Zgc:65894		
05134	Legionellosis	Hspd1		
05152	05152 Tuberculosis			
Infectious disease: viral				
05144	Malaria	Hbba1		
05143	African trypanosomiasis	Hbba1		
Drug resistance: antimicrobial				
01503	Cationic antimicrobial peptide (CAMP) resistance	Ppiab		

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Figure 13. Enclase 2 in the green box was mapped onto the HIF-signalling pathway (04066) generated by KEGG PATHWAY (Organism: Danio rerio).

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Figure 14. Isocitrate dehydrogenase 2 (Idh2) in the green box was mapped onto the citrate cycle (TCA cycle) pathway (00020) generated by KEGG PATHWAY (Organism:
 *Danio rerio*).

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Figure 15. Glutamine synthetase (Glula) in the green box was mapped onto the glutamatergic synapse pathway (04724) generated by KEGG PATHWAY (Organism: Danio
 *rerio*).

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605 **Figure 16.** Glutamine synthetase (Glula) in the green box was mapped onto the GABAergic synapse pathway (04727) generated by KEGG PATHWAY (Organism: *Danio* 606 *rerio*).

#### 607 4. Discussion

In this study, the anticonvulsive potential of OSLP (800 μg/kg of b.w.) in adult zebrafish under
a hypoxic condition was investigated. The OSLP safety study [19] conducted previously, limits the
maximum zebrafish intraperitoneal route safe dose of OSLP achievable to 800 μg/kg of body weight.

611 Firstly, an adult zebrafish model of double challenge – hypoxia induction followed by PTZ 612 injection was established. Findings obtained from the behavioural study have suggested that 613 hypoxia induction for 15 -18 min sufficiently resulted in hypoxic insults. The adult zebrafish were 614 hypoxic but remained alive at the end of the hypoxia induction. This is crucial as it permits the 615 second challenge using PTZ (170 mg/kg of b.w., i.p.). However, the hypoxic adult zebrafish (NC 1) 616 were not observed to have seizures. Based on this outcome, it is therefore suggested that the timing 617 might be insufficient to elicit seizures in the adult zebrafish. Kubová and Mareš [31] have reported a 618 similar finding in a rat model. On the other hand, the adult zebrafish were hypoxic and epileptic 619 (NC 2) following the double challenge. It is therefore suggested that, in this study, hypoxia induction 620 followed by PTZ injection can provoke seizures.

621 This zebrafish model has never been established before as there is no prior published scientific 622 evidence. A prior literature search only yielded one study; Kubová and Mareš [31] established an 623 immature Wistar albino rat model using a simulation of hypobaric hypoxia and PTZ injection. As 624 such, this work represents the first of its kind.

625 Swim path analysis in this study has shown that the hypoxia-induced group (NC 1) did not 626 manage to swim through the whole tank but rather, showed an apparent preference for the upper 627 half of the tank, particularly close to the water surface. The NC 2 group (hypoxia + PTZ-induced) 628 showed apparent twitching and erratic movements. Additionally, the NC 2 group saw a higher 629 seizure score and a delayed seizure onset time when compared to the VC group. Such observations 630 suggest that PTZ is sufficient to elicit seizures in the hypoxic zebrafish. PTZ inhibits GABA actions 631 particularly at the GABAA receptors [32-34] and hence suppresses GABA inhibitory activities which 632 in turn potentiates Glu excitatory activities. Decreased GABA contributes to promoting excitability 633 in the brains and hence, provoked uncontrolled movements (i.e. kindling or twitching) in the 634 zebrafish. This explains the representative swim path of NC 2 group showing erratic swimming 635 patterns. The NC 2 group, though showing erratic swimming patterns, however, also did not 636 manage to swim throughout the whole tank. Similarly, it was seen that both negative controls 637 showed strong preferences for the upper half of the tank, which allows them to be closer to the water 638 surface. When encountering hypoxic conditions, fish in most cases will respond by escaping to 639 oxygenated environments [35]. It is perhaps by doing so, the zebrafish could restore the exchange of 640 oxygen and carbon dioxide in blood and pH, as a means to quickly provide tolerance to counteract 641 the effects of hypoxia. Previous studies have reported that acute inadequate oxygen supply can 642 trigger anaerobic metabolism and increased respiration in an attempt to increase oxygen intake 643 [35-38].

644 Meanwhile, these two groups, OSLP-treated hypoxia (O+H) and OSLP-treated hypoxia + PTZ 645 (O+H+P) received pre-treatment with OSLP 800 µg for 30 min before hypoxia induction or double 646 challenge, respectively. The O+H+P group saw subtle improvements (lower seizure score, prolonged 647 seizure onset time and less erratic swimming pattern) compared to the NC 2 group. This observation 648 suggests that OSLP 800 µg could exert anticonvulsive effects but at a lower degree under hypoxia. 649 The O+H group did not observe a swimming pattern comparable to that of the untreated VC. Rather, 650 it showed a similar swimming pattern with an apparent preference for the upper half of the tank and 651 both OSLP-treated groups did not manage to swim through the whole tank. This observation 652 suggests that OSLP 800 µg could not efficaciously oppose the hypoxia insults. Meanwhile, the PC 653 group pre-treated with Diazepam (DZP, 1.25 mg/kg) was also found in this study to mildly improve 654 seizures (lower seizure score, prolonged seizure onset time and less erratic swimming pattern) 655 compared to the NC 2 group. Nonetheless, the DZP-treated zebrafish still showed an apparent 656 preference for the upper half of the tank and did not produce a swimming pattern comparable to 657 that of the untreated VC and TC. Such observations suggest that DZP could still exert anticonvulsive 658 effects under hypoxic conditions. Goswami, Singh [39] and Kubová and Mareš [31] have reported

similar findings. DZP, however, could not efficaciously oppose the hypoxia insults because DZP isnot a drug used in clinical settings to treat hypoxia or hypoxemia.

661 Locomotion parameter analysis in this study showed that the NC 1 group had a lower mean 662 total distance travelled and travelled about a 68 % shorter distance than the untreated VC group. 663 Such lower locomotor activity has been strongly linked to the disruption of cerebral blood flow 664 which starves neurons of oxygen and glucose and thereby affects energy metabolism under hypoxic 665 conditions [4, 40]. The NC 2 group also had a lower mean total distance travelled and travelled about 666 a 46 % shorter distance than the untreated VC group. However, when compared to the NC 1 group, 667 the NC 2 group had a higher mean total distance travelled, which was about a 41 % longer distance. 668 Such uncontrolled movements could be rendered by burst neuronal firing in addition to the pass-out 669 phenomenon in seizures [31, 41, 42] after PTZ injection. PTZ disrupted the balance of excitation and 670 inhibition in the brains and hence elicited uncontrolled movements (i.e. kindling or twitching, erratic 671 swimming, loss of direction) which taken together, contributed to a longer mean total distance 672 travelled in NC 2.

673 Pre-treatment with OSLP 800 µg was found to insufficiently mitigate the hypoxia insults as the 674 O+H group still had a lower mean total distance travelled than the NC 1 and untreated VC groups at 675 the end of the experiment. The O+H+P group showed a reduction in mean total distance travelled, 676 which was about a 39 % shorter distance than the NC 2 group. This observation suggests that OSLP 677 could exert anticonvulsive effects. Interestingly, the PC group saw only a subtle improvement in the 678 mean total distance travelled, which was insignificantly different from the NC 2 group and still had 679 a lower mean total distance travelled than the untreated VC group at the end of the experiment. This 680 could be related to adverse effects including sedation, hypnosis, syncope (temporary loss of 681 consciousness), confusion [43] and respiratory suppression due to the anxiolytic action of DZP 682 [44-46] which might be worsened by a hypoxic blackout, a common condition in hypoxia [47, 48]. 683 Moreover, the DZP-treated group spent a long time in the upper half of the tank, which possibly is 684 attributed to the starvation of oxygen in the zebrafish following hypoxia induction. Overall, it was 685 seen that all the hypoxia-treated groups displayed a trend of spending a long time in the upper half 686 of the tank whereas, the non-hypoxic groups, VC and TC, did not show a strong preference for any 687 spot in the tank but managed to swim throughout the whole tank.

Taken together, the outcomes of the behavioural study suggest that hypoxia induction for 15 -18
min per adult zebrafish is sufficient to cause cerebral hypoxia though this acute hypoxia induction is
insufficient to provoke convulsive activity. The double challenge with hypoxia induction and PTZ
injection is sufficient to cause cerebral hypoxia and provoke seizures. The anticonvulsive effect of
OSLP (800 μg/kg of b.w.) could be milder under a hypoxic condition.

693 In this study, GABA and Glu, were investigated as two of the major neurotransmitters. An 694 interrupted GABA/Glu cycle was seen in all the hypoxia-treated groups, with a lower mean GABA 695 level but a higher mean Glu level when compared to the untreated VC and TC groups. Both negative 696 controls saw an interrupted GABA/Glu cycle, with a decrease in GABA levels but an increase in Glu 697 levels. GABA/Glu synthesis in the glia involves intermediates of the citric acid cycle that are 698 regulated by oxygen availability. When oxygen becomes limiting, GABA/Glu synthesis in the glia is 699 shifted to reductive carboxylation in the citrate cycle, with  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate (aka 2-oxoglutarate, 2OG) 700 as the key intermediate [49-51]. Consequently, Glu competes for  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate with GABA to 701 continuously support a normal synthesis under hypoxia [52-54]. This ultimately disrupted the 702 GABA/Glu cycle in the CNS. This explains a lower GABA/Glu ratio in all the hypoxia-treated 703 groups.

The NC 2 group saw a lower GABA/Glu ratio than the NC 1 group. The PTZ injection could have exacerbated the GABA/Glu cycle in the face of hypoxia. As aforementioned, PTZ suppresses GABA which in turn favours Glu accumulation. In this regard, glial Glu uptake is necessary to prevent the accumulation of Glu at the synaptic terminals [55-58]. However, Glu uptake could become impaired by disrupted cerebral blood flow in hypoxia. Additionally, seizures provoked by PTZ have been linked to alteration of ion channel functions involving the six major known ions, namely potassium (K<sup>+</sup>), sodium (Na<sup>+</sup>), chloride (Cl<sup>-</sup>), calcium (Ca<sup>2+</sup>), hydrogen (H<sup>+</sup>) and bicarbonate (HCO<sup>-3</sup>) [59]. Altered ion channel functions (i.e. clearance and release, depolarisation and
hyperpolarisation) could be further affected by hypoxia as a possible result of alterations in reactive
oxygen species levels [60-62]. As such, it has possibly resulted in an unbalanced GABA/Glu ratio.

Pre-treatment with OSLP 800 μg has been found to mildly alleviate seizures as the O+H+P group showed a lower mean Glu level when compared to the NC 2 group and therefore a subtle improvement in the GABA/Glu ratio, though, such improvement was lower when compared to the untreated VC group. Hypoxia might decrease the activity of OSLP. Hypoxia can decrease the synthesis, release and uptake of neurotransmitters; as well as alter ionic gradients, redox status and metabolic rate in the brain [6, 63].

720 Unexpectedly, the PC group (pre-treated with DZP) had a surge in mean Glu level when 721 compared to all the hypoxia-treated groups. This might be related to the alteration of ion channel 722 functions under hypoxia. DZP is a benzodiazepine derivative that binds to an allosteric site in the 723 GABAA receptor (Cl<sup>-</sup>) channels to enhance the efficacy of inhibitory synapses [64]. However, 724 hypoxia could alter ion channel functions as aforementioned [60-62] and such alterations might have 725 partially affected the binding of DZP and its subsequent efficacy. Studies have found the chloride 726 (Cl<sup>-</sup>) channel influences the efficacy and polarity of synaptic transmission mediated by GABA [65] 727 and the formation [66] as well as functional maintenance of glutamatergic synapses [67]. 728 Additionally, Hertle, Werhahn [68] have linked the reduction of functional recovery and neuronal 729 survival in rats to sedative effects as sedation is one of the known side effects of DZP [43]. These 730 studies have lent support to the observations seen in the present study. DZP could be still exerting 731 anticonvulsive effects under hypoxic conditions but its efficacy might be reduced under hypoxia. 732 The PC group showed an interrupted GABA/Glu cycle at the end of the experiment. A similar trend 733 was seen in all the hypoxia-treated groups.

734 Interestingly, the TC group neither showed interrupted mean GABA nor mean Glu activity and 735 consequently, displayed a balance in the GABA/Glu ratio at the end of the experiment. Taken 736 together, the neurotransmitter study suggests that hypoxia induction alone or together with PTZ 737 injection could disrupt the GABA/Glu balance. OSLP could be potentially anticonvulsive but its 738 effect was milder under a hypoxic condition.

The protein expression study was performed to predict the anticonvulsive mechanism of OSLP.The main findings are the following.

741 For Pair 1 (NC 1 vs. O+H), mass-spectrometry-based LFQ analysis compared the differentially 742 expressed proteins in the hypoxic group (NC1, induced by hypoxia only) and the OSLP-treated 743 hypoxia group (O+H, OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxia). This identified a distinct protein expression 744 profile of 10 differentially expressed proteins. They had higher expressions in the NC 1 group than 745 in the O+H group. Functional annotation analysis found that the enzymatic activity of 746 phosphopyruvate hydratase (aka Eno2; GO:4634) localised at the phosphopyruvate hydratase 747 complex (GO:15) was particularly interesting, given the important role Eno2 plays in the adaptation 748 to hypoxic insults in neurons. In line with this, KEGG pathway mapping has proposed 749 hypoxia-inducible factor 1 (HIF-1) signalling (04066) as the most probable pathway. As shown, the 750 citrate cycle was part of the metabolic cycle in the HIF-1 signalling pathway under hypoxic 751 conditions., implying a strong association between Eno2 and Idh2. The enzymatic activities of 752 isocitrate dehydrogenase (NADP+) (GO:4450) and isocitrate dehydrogenase (GO:4448) regulate 753 energy supply which can influence the biosynthesis of neurotransmitters under hypoxia. In line with 754 this, KEGG pathway mapping also proposed the citrate cycle (00020) as another relevant pathway.

755 Enzyme Eno2, also known as neuron-specific enolase (NSE), is produced by neurons and 756 neuroendocrine cells, particularly the cells of the amine precursor uptake and decarboxylation 757 lineage [69, 70]. As shown, Eno2 is one of the hypoxia-inducible proteins in the HIF-1 signalling 758 pathway in neurons [71]. The HIF-1 signalling pathway, predominantly governed by HIF-1 759 stabilisation [72, 73], is activated in response to hypoxia, a condition in which there is a decrease in 760 the oxygen supply to a neuron. Under hypoxia, HIF-1 (in particular HIF-1 $\alpha$ ) is rapidly stabilised and 761 its downstream target genes are promptly increased [72]. Eno2 is one of the downstream target 762 genes. Eno2 is activated to promote anaerobic metabolism by switching from oxidative

763 phosphorylation (aerobic) to the citrate cycle (anaerobic), as a means to reduce oxygen consumption 764 [74] through metabolic depression and to maintain normal cellular metabolism, proliferation and 765 apoptosis, under hypoxia [35, 37]. HIF-1 elicits a wide range of adaptive responses, which mainly 766 focus on the upregulation of transcriptional cascades that are important for tissue protection and 767 adaptation [72, 73].

768 When oxygen becomes limiting, cerebral blood flow can be disrupted. Sensing the disruption, 769 neurons swiftly elicit adaptive responses by resetting their cellular metabolism to a low oxygen 770 consumption mode. Hence, the reductive carboxylation reaction (in the reverse citrate cycle 771 direction) is triggered as the primary way of energy production (in the form of adenosine 772 triphosphate, ATP). As shown, reductive carboxylation reaction is catalysed by Idh2 to convert 773 2-oxoglutarate (2OG) to isocitrate while oxidising NADPH to NADP+. 2OG (aka  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate, 774 2-ketoglutaric acid, oxoglutaric acid), and is a key intermediate of the citrate cycle [49]. It is a 775 precursor for the synthesis of the neurotransmitters Gln and Glu [75, 76]. Neurons can then refill Gln 776 from the citrate cycle via the conversion of Glu and  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate catalysed by glutaminase and 777 glutamate dehydrogenase, respectively. Gln or Glu is then used as fuel by neurons [75, 77, 78] to 778 continuously support a normal cellular metabolism with an optimal energy supply in hypoxia.

779 The findings of Pair 1 (NC 1 vs. O+H) suggested that OSLP could be modulating the energy 780 metabolism in neurons via HIF-1 signalling and citrate cycle pathways and thereby, indirectly 781 influencing the synthesis of neurotransmitters under hypoxia. Hypoxia can disrupt cerebral blood 782 flow which in turn starves the neurons of oxygen and glucose while also reducing the clearance of 783 toxic waste products such as acids, reactive oxygen species and dead cellular components [40, 72, 784 74]. A study by van der Meer, van den Thillart [79] found that genes encoding enzymes for 785 glycolysis and fermentation are expressed more strongly after long-term hypoxia in adult zebrafish 786 whereas Ton, Stamatiou [80] reported a similar finding in zebrafish embryos after 24-h of anoxia (0% 787  $O_2$ ). It is perhaps by acting on these pathways, that the neurons find metabolic support to provide 788 hypoxic-ischaemic tolerance to the disrupted cerebral blood flow and energy substrates [49, 72, 75, 789 76].

790 For Pair 2 (NC 2 vs. O+H+P), mass-spectrometry-based LFQ analysis compared the 791 differentially expressed proteins in the hypoxic and epileptic (NC2, hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg) 792 versus OSLP-treated hypoxia + PTZ (O+H+P, OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg) groups. 793 This has identified a unique protein expression profile of 12 differentially expressed proteins. 794 Among them, protein glutamine synthetase (Glula, Q7T2P7, lowly expressed in NC 2 but highly 795 expressed in O+H+P) was particularly noteworthy. Functional annotation analysis found the 796 enzymatic activity of glutamate-ammonia ligase (GO:4356; aka glutamine synthetase, GS) to be 797 particularly interesting, given the fundamental role Glula plays in the regulation of neurotransmitter 798 synthesis in the glia. In line with this, KEGG pathway mapping proposed the glutamatergic synapse 799 (04724) and the GABAergic synapse (04727) pathways as most likely to play a significant role in the 800 synaptic transmission under hypoxia.

801 Glutamine (Gln) acts as a precursor for glutamate (Glu) in the glutamatergic synapse. In the 802 glutamatergic synapse, Glu is converted to Gln by GS or enters the citrate cycle in glia. Glu acts on 803 postsynaptic ionotropic Glu receptors (iGluRs) to mediate fast excitatory synaptic transmission [57]. 804 After its action on these receptors, Glu is removed from the synaptic cleft and is transported back 805 into glial cells where it is again converted back to Gln. A small portion of Glu is oxidatively 806 metabolised, thus making de novo synthesis of Glu necessary to maintain adequate Glu levels [81], as 807 shown in the glutamatergic synapse pathway. Gamma-aminobutyric acid (GABA), a dominant 808 inhibitory neurotransmitter, is either reutilised as an inhibitory neurotransmitter or metabolised 809 predominantly via the GABA shunt in glial cells where Glu is converted to Gln by GS [52-54], as 810 shown in the GABAergic synapse pathway.

811 Under hypoxia, GABA and Glu synthesis and subsequently GABA and Glu concentrations can 812 be profoundly altered. In particular, Glu synthesis in glial cells in the glutamatergic synapse is 813 shifted to reductive carboxylation in the citrate cycle, with  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate (aka 2OG) as the key 814 intermediate [49-51].  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate is then catalysed by glutamate dehydrogenase to form Glu 815 which is then converted to Gln by GS, refilling the Gln pool. This is crucial because Gln is the 816 precursor of Glu in glial cells [82]. GABA is predominantly formed from the transamination of 817  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate produced in the citrate cycle by GABA  $\alpha$ -oxoglutarate transaminase (GABA-T) into 818 Glu [52-54].  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate is catalysed by glutamate dehydrogenase to form Glu via the GABA 819 shunt in glial cells in the GABAergic synapse, which is then converted to Gln by GS, refilling the Gln 820 pool. This is critical for conserving the supply of GABA in glial cells [52-54]. Therefore, following the 821 shift to reductive carboxylation in the glutamatergic synapse, Glu competes for  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate with 822 GABA to continuously support a normal energy metabolism under hypoxia. This ultimately 823 disrupted the GABA-Glu-Gln cycle in the CNS [50, 82].

824 The GABA-Glu-Gln cycle could also be exacerbated by PTZ in the face of hypoxia. PTZ, a 825 tetrazole derivative [83], is known to be capable of inhibiting GABA actions particularly at the 826 GABAA receptors [32-34]. PTZ inhibits GABA inhibitory activities at GABAergic synapses which in 827 turn potentiates Glu excitatory activities on glutamatergic synapses. In this regard, the removal of 828 Glu from synaptic terminals is crucial as Glu is not only an excitatory neurotransmitter but is also an 829 excitotoxic agent which, in high concentrations, has the potential to cause neuronal death [56]. The 830 excessive amount of Glu is removed from the synaptic terminals via glial Glu uptake and is then 831 converted back to Gln by GS [55-58]. This might further elevate metabolic demand in glial cells at a 832 time when energy supplies are inadequate and thus exacerbates the GABA-Glu-Gln cycle.

The findings of Pair 2 (NC 2 vs. O+H+P) suggested that OSLP could be modulating the synthesis of GABA and Glu in glial cells via the "Glutamatergic synapse" and "GABAergic synapse" pathways and thereby, influencing the regulation of neurotransmission. It is perhaps by acting on these pathways, the neurons keep the GABA-Glu-Gln cycle in check to provide hypoxic-ischaemic tolerance to disrupted synaptic transmission as a result of hypoxia induction and PTZ injection [50, 51, 53, 57, 58]. The double challenge saw a more direct impact on the synaptic transmission compared with the Pair 1 (NC 1 vs. O+H).

840 In the brain, hypoxic stress can contribute to hypoxic-ischaemic insults which can also alter the 841 metabolism of cellular energy and neurotransmitters. For instance, hypoxic-ischaemic 842 encephalopathy (HIE), a neuro-vascular and neuro-metabolic syndrome caused by a shortage of 843 supply of oxygen and glucose or their metabolites in the brain. HIE results from a global 844 hypoperfusion or oxygenation deficiency rather than from infarction in a specific vascular or 845 cerebral territory [10]. In particular, Eno2 is one of the key biomarkers in clinical settings to assess 846 HIE. Elevations of Eno2 have been reported in adult patients with cerebrovascular incidents [84-86] 847 and in animal models with traumatic brain injuries [87]. Additionally, HIE can also alter the 848 neurotransmitter metabolism which can affect the synaptic transmission and thereby causes 849 aberrant neuronal activities. For instance, Goldberg, Monyer [88] have reported impaired energy 850 metabolism in the synaptic transmitter pools in cortical cell cultures during experimental hypoxia or 851 ischaemia. Wang, Wu [89] have demonstrated that brain hypoxia-ischaemia can induce early-onset 852 convulsive seizures in ageing mice. Sutter, Marsch [8] have reported HIE as one of the main 853 presumed etiologies of refractory status epilepticus in patients in a 7-year observational study. HIE 854 has also been recognised as a common cause of seizures in term neonates [90, 91]. Vintila, Roman 855 [10] have described HIE as one of the most frequent and dramatic urgency found in neurological 856 diseases of adults.

Based on the present protein expression study, OSLP most likely modulates the anticonvulsive
mechanism by acting on the HIF-1 signalling and citrate cycle pathways to slow the metabolic
processes in an attempt to maintain the cellular energy metabolism in neurons under hypoxia; as
well as glutamatergic and GABAergic synapse pathways to regulate the synthesis of GABA and Glu
in glial cells with optimal energy supply under a hypoxic-ischaemic condition.

862 Last but not least, the present protein expression study profiled a limited number of proteins. 863 This observation could be linked to the denaturation of proteins as a result of the depletion of 864 energy-rich compounds following hypoxia induction or the double challenge. For instance, as 865 energy-dependent membrane pumps fail, neuronal and glial cell membranes depolarise and allow 866 the influx of  $Ca^{2+}$  ions. Elevated intracellular  $Ca^{2+}$  and other second messengers activate lipases and proteases, which release membrane-bound free fatty acids that denature proteins in the ischaemic
cascade [5]. This lends support to the detection of higher expressions of protein Apoa2
(apolipoprotein A-II) in both negative controls (NC 1 and NC 2) in this study.

#### 870 5. Conclusions

871 OSLP most likely influences synaptic transmission by providing hypoxic-ischaemic tolerance to 872 the synapses. This potential is most likely attributed to the ability of OSLP to regulate the synthesis 873 of GABA and Glu in glial cells via the "Glutamatergic Synapse" and "GABAergic Synapse" 874 pathways, in addition to modulating cellular energy metabolism in neurons via the "HIF-1 875 Signalling" and "Citrate Cycle" pathways. OSLP can safely alleviate seizures in an adult zebrafish 876 model of double challenge – hypoxia induction followed by PTZ injection and could be a potential 877 candidate for further investigation and development.

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## SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

**Table SD-1.** NC 1 (hypoxic only) and O+H (OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxic). KO (KEGG Orthology) generated KEGG pathways

UniProt ID	KO ID
tr B8JKH7 B8JKH7_DANRE	no data
tr B3DG37 B3DG37_DANRE	К13825
tr Q9I8V1 Q9I8V1_DANRE	К12314
tr Q6NWJ5 Q6NWJ5_DANRE	К07374
tr B3DFP9 B3DFP9_DANRE	no data
tr F8W3W8 F8W3W8_DANRE	К17269
tr Q6P5J4 Q6P5J4_DANRE	К09565
tr Q6GQM9 Q6GQM9_DANRE	К01689
tr Q6P102 Q6P102_DANRE	К16197
tr Q7ZUP6 Q7ZUP6_DANRE	K00031

**Table SD-2.** NC 2 (hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg) and O+H+P (OSLP 800 µg/kg + hypoxic + PTZ 170 mg/kg). KO (KEGG Orthology) generated KEGG pathways.

UniProt ID	KOID
tr Q7SZV9 Q7SZV9_DANRE	K13822
tr Q6PE34 Q6PE34_DANRE	K07375
tr F8W3W8 F8W3W8_DANRE	K17269
sp Q90487 HBA_DANRE	K13826
tr B3DFP9 B3DFP9_DANRE	no data
tr A0A2R8RZK5 A0A2R8RZK5_DANRE	K07374
tr A0A2R8Q2Z0 A0A2R8Q2Z0_DANRE	no data
tr Q6PC53 Q6PC53_DANRE	K03767
tr Q7T2P7 Q7T2P7_DANRE	K01915
tr A0A0B5JW41 A0A0B5JW41_DANRE	K04008
tr Q803B0 Q803B0_DANRE	K04077
tr F1R446 F1R446_DANRE	K06114

# Chapter 6

Integrated Discussion and Conclusion

#### 6.1 Integrated Discussion

Proteins from Orthosiphon stamineus have never been extracted before as per the available literature. Saidan and colleagues (Saidan et al., 2015) had extracted a mixture of primary metabolites (not proteins alone) from OS leaves but they did not investigate its neuroprotective potential. As such, this study represents the first of its kind. The first step in this study was to establish an optimal protein extraction method achievable at a laboratory scale. One-Tube Protein Extraction Method (OTM) has successfully extracted OSLP out of the many attempts tried (not included in this thesis). OTM extracted OSLP from LN<sub>2</sub>-flashfrozen OS leaves. The total protein yield of OTM was about 3 mg/g which was equivalent to approximately 0.3% out of 1 g of LN<sub>2</sub>-flash-frozen leaf sample. At a laboratory scale, this yield was considered optimal. Studies on various protein extraction methods using various plant materials reported elsewhere collectively lend support to this finding. Hence, OTM was used as the routine extraction method in this study. Prior to the subsequent experiments in this study, OSLP extracted was analyzed by mass spectrometry-based proteomics. Proteomics analysis has identified the different protein compositions present in OSLP. Functional annotation analysis was employed to characterise the different protein compositions of OSLP. They were categorised into 49 protein families. The protein compositions present at 21 cellular components, from extracellular to intracellular compartments. They involved in 23 types of molecular function, protein homeostasis, trafficking, signalling, metabolic processes, energy metabolism, defence responses and gene transcriptions. The proteomic profiling of OSLP has never been reported elsewhere and hence, the present finding also represents the first of its kind. This information may provide important clues to further explore the protective potential of OSLP in different aspects. For example, rosmarinic acid biosynthesized by rosmarinate synthase has been reported for anti-inflammatory, antioxidative, anti-angiogenic, anti-tumor, anti-microbial (Kim, Park, Jin, & Park, 2015) and anti-seizure (Choo et al., 2018).

Before screening for OSLP protective potential, it is important to find out if the OSLP extracted from OTM possesses biological activity. Therefore, a high-throughput screening approach is necessary. *In vitro* screening is a high-throughput approach ideal for both time and cost efficiencies. The human neuroblastoma cell line (SH-SY5Y) was used in this study. Prior to screening for OSLP protective potential, its cytotoxic activity was evaluated. The selected OSLP doses (25, 125, 250, 500 and 1000  $\mu$ g/mL; 24- and 48-h) have demonstrated considerably low cytotoxic effects on the neuronal cells. Moreover, OSLP has demonstrated protective potential in SH-SY5Y cells challenged by hydrogen peroxide (H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>). H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> is a

chemical stress inducer. H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> insults have been prevalently reported in different neurological disorders including neuroexcitation, neuroinflammation, and neurotoxicity, just to name a few (Feeney et al., 2008; van der Vliet & Janssen-Heininger, 2014; Wittmann et al., 2012). OSLP pre-treatments (250, 500, 1000 µg/mL; 24-h) has increased the survival of cells (39%, 51% and 57%) induced by 150  $\mu$ M H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> (IC<sub>50</sub> value determined). Bright-field imaging has also captured microscopic images of improved cell architecture (pyramidalshaped cells with apparent neurite formations) and reduced dead cells (as round-shaped, clustered cells). Cell lysis extracted the proteins from the H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>-induced cells pre-treated with OSLP (250, 500, 1000 µg/mL; 24-h). The proteins were analyzed by mass spectrometry-based label-free quantitative proteomic technique (LFQ). LFQ provides a fast and low-cost measurement of protein expression levels in complex biological samples in the area of discovery proteomics (Zhu, Smith, & Huang, 2010). In combinations with functional analysis and systemic pathway enrichment analysis, the neuroprotective mechanism of OSLP (1000 µg/mL, 24-h) was elucidated. Findings obtained have shown that OSLP is potentially neuroprotective by acting as an anti-inflammatory agent and antioxidant. In this study, it is suggested that the predominant neuroprotective action of OSLP is modulated via the "Signalling of Interleukin-4 and Interleukin-13" pathway. It is also suggested that OSLP could exert its antioxidative potential by modulating "Attenuation Phase" and "HSP90 Chaperone Cycle for Steroid Hormone Receptors" pathways. Last but not least, it is shown that OTM has not only successfully extracted OSLP but it has also preserved the biological activity of OSLP extracted and this permits further explorations for OSLP biological activity.

Additionally, this study also investigated the neuroprotective potential of OSLP in a vertebrate system using adult zebrafish (*Danio rerio*). Two different zebrafish models were used; PTZ injection (170 mg/kg, i.p.) and double challenge (hypoxia induction for 15 - 18 min on average) followed by PTZ injection (170 mg/kg, i.p.), a new zebrafish model which was not studied before. The zebrafish model has been widely used as an *in vivo* high-throughput model in studying mechanisms of CNS functions and dysfunctions important for drug discovery (Stewart, Braubach, Spitsbergen, Gerlai, & Kalueff, 2014). It is a promising species because the genetic profile of zebrafish share approximately 70% similarity with humans and express approximately 84% of known human disease related genes (Howe et al., 2013; Norton & Bally-Cuif, 2010). OSLP safety profile was evaluated before screening for its anticonvulsive potential. The selected OSLP doses administered via intraperitoneal route (50 - 800  $\mu$ g/kg of b.w., i.p.; 96-h) in zebrafish were found safe and thereby, the maximal safe starting dose of OSLP (800  $\mu$ g/kg of b.w.) was used as the

treatment dose in both zebrafish models. The selection was based on three reasons: (1) safety study of OSLP has found concentration greater than 800  $\mu$ g was lethal, (2) to achieve the maximum protective potential of OSLP at a safe concentration, 800  $\mu$ g is an optimal treatment dose and (3) the limit of considerably low yield of OSLP (approximately 0.3%) in a laboratory doing fundamental research.

In the PTZ-injected seizures model, OSLP pre-treatment (800 µg/kg, i.p.; 30 min) has demonstrated improvements in the behavioral profiles; seizure profile (lower score and prolonged onset time), locomotor activity (reduced erratic swimming movements and bottom-dwelling habit) and neurotransmitter profile (decreased excitatory glutamate, Glu; increased inhibitory gamma-Aminobutyric acid, GABA). Tissue lysis extracted the brain proteins and was analyzed by mass spectrometry-based LFQ. OSLP pre-treatment has increased the protein expression of Complexin 2 (Cplx2), an ortholog to human CPLX2 protein. Cplx2 binds to the SNARE complex to modulate normal calcium-evoked neurotransmitter release during presynaptic vesicle exocytosis. Bioinformatics analysis has proposed that OSLP is most likely to regulate the release of neurotransmitters, GABA and Glu, via the calcium-dependent synaptic vesicle exocytosis mediated by the "Synaptic Vesicle Cycle" pathway. Taken together, the findings collectively suggest the neuroprotective potential of OSLP as an anticonvulsant.

In the double challenge model, hypoxia induction followed by PTZ injection has created a hypoxic-ischaemic condition that can lead to hypoxic-ischaemic injury capable of eliciting epilepsy (Scully, 2014; Sutter et al., 2013). This zebrafish model has never been established before as there is no prior published scientific evidence; Kubová and Mareš (2007) established an immature Wistar albino rats model using a simulation of hypobaric hypoxia followed by PTZ injection. As such, this study represents the first of its kind. In this study, hypoxia induction followed by PTZ injection has sufficiently provoked convulsive activity in the zebrafish. More so, the double challenge has influenced the efficiency of OSLP pre-treatment (800 µg/kg i.p., 30 min), with a subtle anticonvulsive effect seen. OSLP pretreatment has demonstrated improvements in the behavioral profiles; seizure profile (lower score and prolonged onset time), locomotor activity (less erratic swimming patterns) and neurotransmitter profile (lower excitatory glutamate, Glu). Tissue lysis extracted the brain proteins and was analyzed by mass spectrometry-based LFQ. OSLP pre-treatment has increased the protein expression of glutamine synthetase (Glula), an ortholog to human GLUL protein. Glula encodes for the mitochondrial enzyme glutamine synthetase which is required to keep the GABA-Glu-Gln (glutamine) cycle in check. Whereas, OSLP pretreatment also increased the protein expressions of Enolase 2 (Eno2) and Isocitrate dehydrogenase 2 (Idh2) in the hypoxic but seizure-free zebrafish. These proteins promote anaerobic metabolism in neurons under hypoxic conditions. Taken together, this study suggests that OSLP is most likely to influence the synaptic transmission by providing hypoxic-ischaemic tolerance to the synapses via the "Glutamatergic Synapse" and "GABAergic Synapse" pathways, in addition to modulating cellular energy metabolism in neurons via the "HIF-1 Signalling" and "Citrate Cycle" pathways. Taken together, the findings collectively suggest that OSLP is capable to provide hypoxic-ischaemic tolerance to disrupted synaptic transmission. The neuroprotective potential of OSLP as an anticonvulsant has seen a subtle effect in a hypoxic-ischaemic condition.

#### 6.1.1 Conclusion

The findings in this study provide new insights into (1) the protein extraction method from OS leaf sample using OTM achievable at laboratory scale, (2) the neuroprotective potential of OSLP against  $H_2O_2$  stress, (3) the anticonvulsive potential of OSLP under a normal condition and a hypoxic-ischemic condition. It is postulated that the OSLP may be an interesting candidate for future investigation as a dietary supplement or adjuvant in CNS disorders.

#### 6.1.2 Future Directions:

There are recommendations for future studies.

OSLP is a mixture of active proteins. Due to the complexity, the protective action of an isolated protein may not be well elucidated. Fractionation and purification will be good strategies to reduce the intricacy of OSLP. The selected fractions can be screened for their biological activities, not limited only to neuroprotective potential; characterized for their molecular functions and further purified to isolate a specific protein target which holds accountable for a specific protection. For this purpose, a reverse-phase high-performance liquid chromatography (RP-HPLC) is recommended. RP-HPLC is particularly useful for peptides and protein analysis with advantages such as excellent resolution of molecules separation, experimentally easy to manipulate mobile phase changes, high recovery and productivity and good reproducibility. Using analytical RP-HPLC, the purify of a protein can be evaluated. The purified protein can further be estimated for peptide and protein masses using nanospray ESI-LC-MS/MS. These strategies allow the quantification and identification of a protein within a specific time frame. Protein docking, a molecular modeling method, represents another powerful approach. Assisted by computer science algorithms and techniques, it aims to predict the mutual orientation and position of two molecules forming a complex. One of the molecules is a protein, the other could be another protein, a nucleic acid chain or a smaller molecule. Using the protein-ligand docking approach, the structures of proteins can be predicted with high accuracy regardless of the types of ligands, such as protein-protein docking and protein-small molecule docking. The proteins purified from OSLP can therefore be elucidated more efficiently, in terms of (1) 3-dimensional structures of molecules, (2) hydrophobicity or hydrophilicity, (3) binding affinity calculated through scoring functions and (4) flexibility or rigidity of the backbone. This will allow the identification of a specific protein target with its specific activity after purification by RP-HPLC.

Gene expression study will be another interesting aspect for more in-depth insights into the neuroprotective actions of OSLP elucidated in this study. Microarray analysis extremely powerful to efficiently detect the expression of thousands of genes at the same time. The data gathered through microarrays can be used to create gene expression profiles that show simultaneous changes in the expression of many genes in response to a particular experimental condition. In combination with systemic pathway analysis, this strategy will allow the identification and visualization of specific gene targets with their respective molecular actions in diverse cellular pathways.

In the past, the OS leaves were only used to extract for their rich small molecules (secondary metabolites) and then were disposed. This study has revealed the neuroprotective actions of OSLP at pre-clinical stages extracted using the OTM protocol. OTM is a scalable and reproducible protein extraction protocol. The final yield of OSLP can be adjusted according to the amount of LN<sub>2</sub>-flash-frozen leaf sample and the volume of solvents. The production of OSLP on a large scale is therefore achievable. OTM is not only applicable for the extraction of protein alone, it can also be used to extract diverse materials encompassing primary metabolites (i.e. starch and plant cell wall components), small molecules and identifiable materials from the OS leaves without the demand of additional inputs. This will also contribute to reducing the wastage of natural resources, which may be reused in healthcare instead of disposed after a single use (only extract for small molecules). In the long run, OTM may be considered as an extraction strategy with decent economic efficiency alongside environmental sustainability.

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Appendices

## Appendix I

Methods	Descriptions
Non-freeze-dried	Slurry paste, sticky
Freeze-dried	Fine powder, dry
Liquid nitrogen (LN₂) flash-frozen	Very fine powder, frozen

Figure 1 shows different leaf samples of OS.

### Appendix II



**Figure 2** Comparison of protein yields using different leaf samples and extraction methods (Chapter 2). AH, acetone/water; SE, sequential extraction; E, ethanol; W, water; 1-tube, OTM.

## Appendix III



**Figure 3 (1)** shows a hypoxic zebrafish. As seen, the hypoxic zebrafish had indistinct body strips when compared to the non-hypoxic zebrafish in **Figure 3 (2)**. The hypoxic zebrafish displayed a pale tail and dull scales but in contrast, the non-hypoxic zebrafish had a bright tail with vivid scales. Overall, the non-hypoxic zebrafish displayed vibrantly colored physical but the hypoxic zebrafish were blanched (Chapter 5).



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## Treatment, Therapy and Management of Metabolic Epilepsy: A Systematic Review

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Abstract: Metabolic epilepsy is a metabolic abnormality which is associated with an increased risk of epilepsy development in affected individuals. Commonly used antiepileptic drugs are typically ineffective against metabolic epilepsy as they do not address its root cause. Presently, there is no review available which summarizes all the treatment options for metabolic epilepsy. Thus, we systematically reviewed literature which reported on the treatment, therapy and management of metabolic epilepsy from four databases, namely PubMed, Springer, Scopus and ScienceDirect. After applying our inclusion and exclusion criteria as per the Preferred Reporting Items for Systematic Reviews and Meta-Analyses (PRISMA) guidelines, we reviewed a total of 43 articles. Based on the reviewed articles, we summarized the methods used for the treatment, therapy and management of metabolic epilepsy. These methods were tailored to address the root causes of the metabolic disturbances rather than targeting the epilepsy phenotype alone. Diet modification and dietary supplementation, alone or in combination with antiepileptic drugs, are used in tackling the different types of metabolic epilepsy. Identification, treatment, therapy and management of the underlying metabolic derangements can improve behavior, cognitive function and reduce seizure frequency and/or severity in patients.

Keywords: metabolic epilepsy; metabolic disorders; antiepileptic drugs; dietary therapy; seizures; cognitive function

## Appendix V

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- 16th Asian Oceanian Congress of Neurology Date of Event: 08-11 November 2018 Poster Presentation: Protective Potential of Orthosiphon Stamineus Leaf Protein against Hydrogen Peroxide-Induced Neurotoxicity Venue of Event: Seoul, South Korea
- Cure Epilepsy Seminar and Research Meeting (as Organising Committee) Date of Event: 28 February 2018 Venue of Event: Monash University, Malaysia
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Malaysian Zebrafish Workshop Date of Event: 27 November 2019 Poster Presentation: *Orthosiphon stamineus* Proteins Alleviate Pentylenetetrazol-Induced Epileptic Seizure in Zebrafish Venue of Event: Universiti Malaya, Malaysia

#### Workshop

 Agilent's Integrated Biology Workshop 2018 Date of Event: 05-06 December 2018 Venue of Event: Monash University, Malaysia