



Supplementary Materials for

Inhibition of Lipopolysaccharide-Induced Inflammatory Signaling by Soft Coral-Derived Prostaglandin A₂ in RAW264.7 Cells

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Spectral data for PGA₂ isolated from the soft coral *Lobophytum* sp.

$[\alpha]_{D^{25}} = +1.82$ ($c = 0.34$, CH₃OH), EIMS m/z 334 [M]⁺, ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CDCl₃) δ_H 7.50 (dd, $J = 5.9, 2.3$ Hz, 1 H), 6.18 (dd, $J = 5.4, 2.3$ Hz, 1 H), 5.62 (m, 1 H), 5.62 (m, 1 H), 5.43 (m, 1 H), 5.43 (m, 1 H), 4.13 (ddm, $J = 12.5, 6.1$ Hz, 1 H), 3.26 (m, 1 H), 2.49 (m, 1 H), 2.36 (t, $J = 7.3$ Hz, 2H), 2.33 (m, 1 H), 2.17 (m, 1 H), 2.13 (m, 2 H), 1.71 (tt, $J = 7.3, 7.3$ Hz, 2 H), 1.53 (m, 2 H), 1.30 (m, 2 H), 1.30 (m, 2 H), 1.30 (m, 2 H), 0.89 (t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3 H), ¹H NMR (400 MHz, CD₃OD) δ_H 7.65 (dd, $J = 5.4, 2.3$ Hz, 1 H), 6.17 (dd, $J = 5.4, 1.8$ Hz, 1 H), 5.60 (m, 1 H), 5.60 (m, 1 H), 5.44 (m, 1 H), 5.39 (m, 1 H), 4.01 (ddd, $J = 10.4, 6.3, 1.8$ Hz, 1 H), 3.31 (m, 1 H), 2.51 (m, 1 H), 2.29 (t, $J = 8.6$ Hz, 2 H), 2.28 (m, 1H), 2.16 (m, 1 H), 2.13 (m, 2 H), 1.67 (m, 2 H), 1.49 (m, 2 H), 1.32 (m, 2 H), 1.32 (m, 2 H), 1.32 (m, 2 H), 0.91 (t, $J = 6.8$ Hz, 3 H), ¹³C NMR (100 MHz, CD₃OD) δ_C 213.1, 178.0, 168.2, 136.6, 133.7, 132.3, 131.2, 127.8, 73.2, 53.4, 51.2, 38.3, 34.8, 33.0, 28.2, 27.7, 26.3, 26.2, 23.7, 14.4.

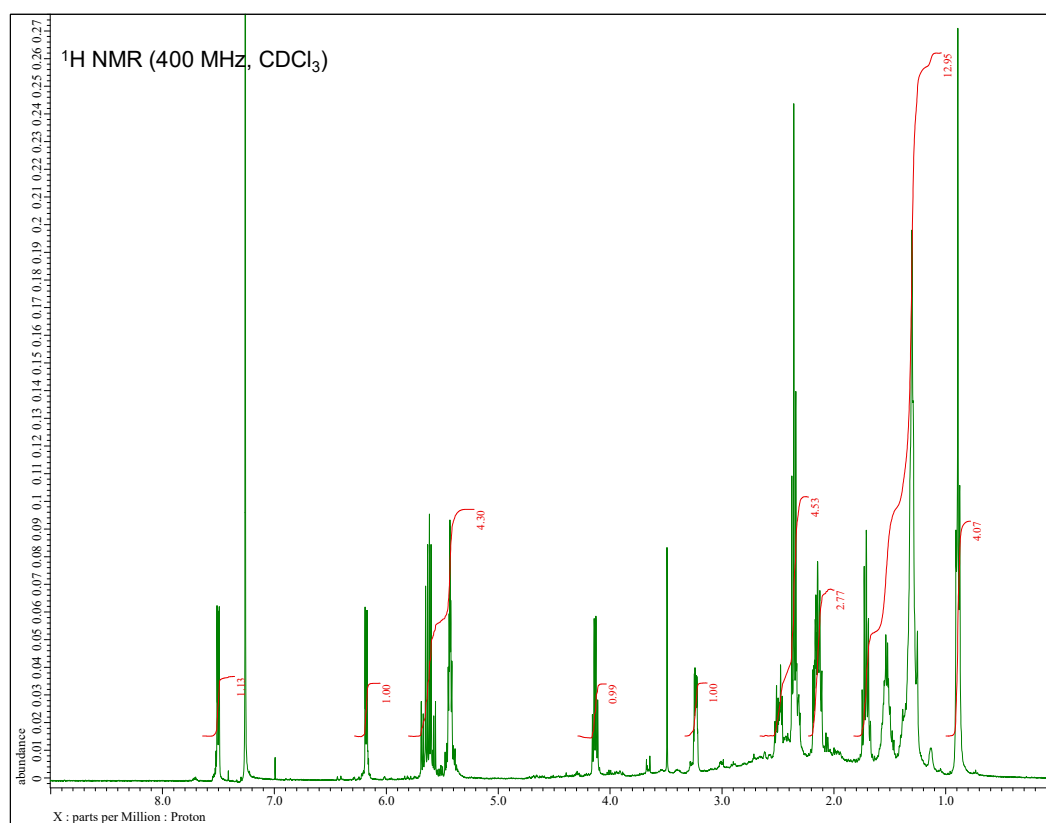


Figure S1. ¹H NMR spectrum of PGA₂ isolated from the soft coral *Lobophytum* sp. (400 MHz, CDCl₃).

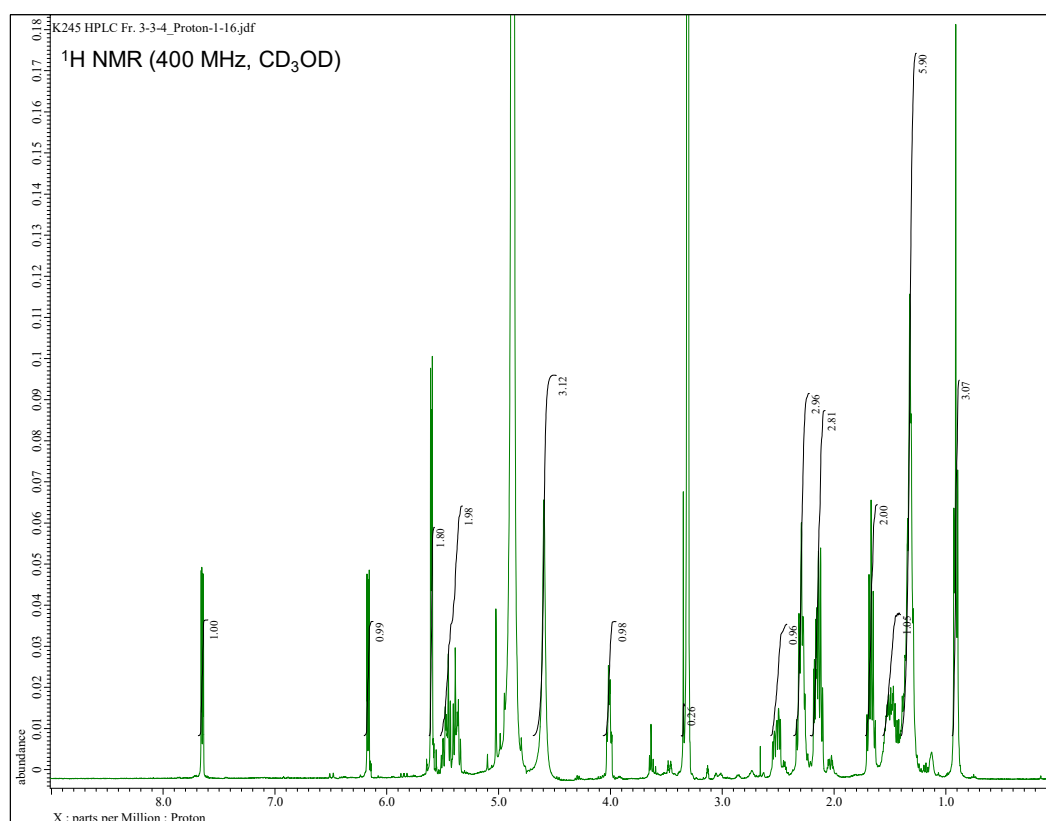


Figure S2. ¹H NMR spectrum of PGA₂ isolated from the soft coral *Lobophytum* sp. (400 MHz, CD₃OD).

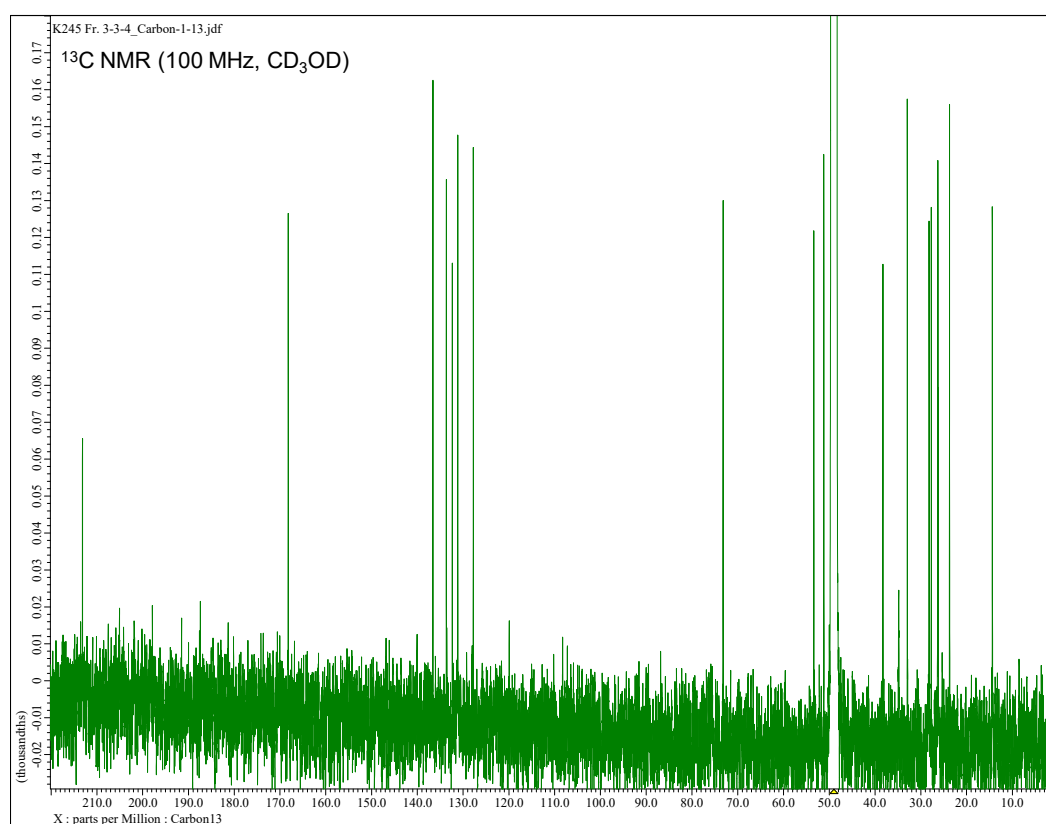


Figure S3. ¹³C NMR spectrum of PGA₂ isolated from the soft coral *Lobophytum* sp. (100 MHz, CD₃OD).

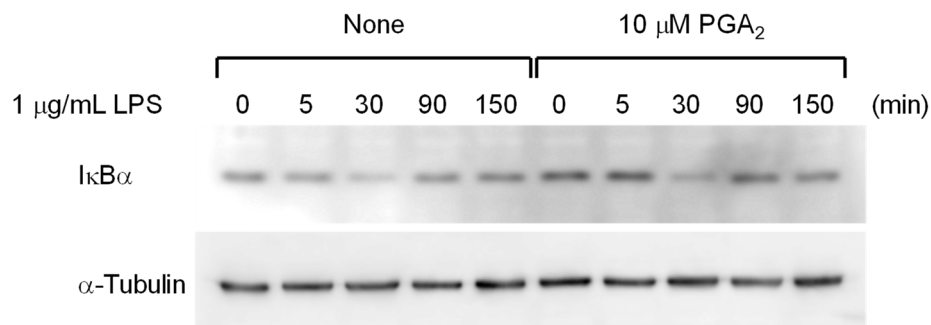


Figure S4. Effects of 10 μM PGA₂ on LPS-induced degradation and resynthesis of IκBα. RAW264.7 cells (1×10^6) were preincubated with or without 10 μM PGA₂ for 20 min, then treated with 1 μg/mL LPS for the indicated periods. The cell lysates were analyzed by western blotting with antibodies against IκBα and α-tubulin.

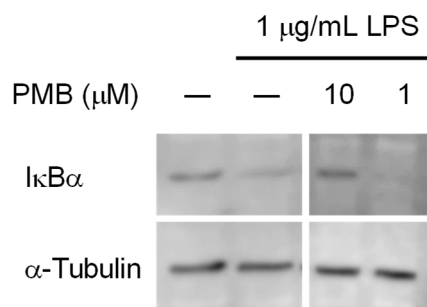


Figure S5. Effects of PMB on LPS-induced degradation of IκBα. RAW264.7 cells (1×10^6) were pretreated with the indicated concentrations of PMB at 20 min prior to exposure to 1 μg/mL LPS for 30 min. Then, the cell lysates were analyzed by western blotting with antibodies against IκBα and α-tubulin.