New Lignans from *Jatropha curcas* Linn.

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Four new lignans, curcasinlignan A (1), curcasinlignan B (2), curcasinlignan C (3), and curcasinlignan D (4), together with eight known compounds, (±)-rel-(2\(\alpha\),3\(\beta\))-7-O-methylcedrusin (5), (±)-\(\textit{R}^*\),8\(\textit{S}^*\)-5-methoxydihydrodehydroconiferyl alcohol (6), dehydrodiisoeugenol (7), (threo)-1-(4-hydroxy-3-methoxyphenyl)-2-(4-formyl-2-methoxy-phenoxy)-propane-1,3-diol (8), (±)-machilin D (9), (+)-pinoresinol (10), 5\(^\prime\)-methoxypropacin (11), and hemidesmin-2 (12), were isolated from the aerial parts of *Jatropha curcas*. Their structures were established on the basis of extensive spectroscopic analysis.

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