

**LDL-antioxidant Activities of
3,8-dehydroxyquinoline and 2,4-di-*tert*-butyl-phenol from
the *Scolopendra subspinipes***

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Oxidized low density lipoprotein (ox-LDL) play a critical role in atherosclerosis has been steadily accumulating. In the course of screening program for low-density lipoprotein (LDL)-antioxidant from insect resources, 3,8-dehydroxyquinoline (1) and 2,4-di-*tert*-butyl-phenol (2) as inhibitor of LDL-oxidation from the solvent extracts of the centipede, *S. subepinipes*. The NMR spectroscopic analyses showed the molecular formula of compounds were C₉H₇NO₂ for 1 and C₁₄H₂₂O for 2, respectively. EI-Mass spectrometry gave molecular mass 161 and 206. Compounds 1 and 2 exhibited LDL-antioxidant activity in the thiobarbituric acid-reactive substances (TBARS) assay (1: IC₅₀ = 2.6 μM, 2: IC₅₀ = 8.2 μM), the relative electrophoretic mobility (REM) of ox-LDL, the apoB-100 fragmentation on copper-mediated LDL oxidation, radical DPPH scavenging activity, metal chelation activity.

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