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## 2-{(1*S*,2*S*,4a*R*,8*R*,8a*R*)-8-Hydroxy-4a,8-dimethyl-1-[(2*E*)-2-methylbut-2-enoyloxy]perhydronaphthalen-2-yl}acrylic acid from *Sclerorhachis platyrachis*

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**Abstract:** The eudesmane-type terpenoid,  $C_{20}H_{30}O_5$ , isolated from *Sclerorhachis platyrachis*, has a decalin skeleton whose sixmembered rings adopt chair conformations. The two methyl substituents occupy axial positions, whereas the other three substituents occupy equatorial positions. The hydroxy group is an intramolecular hydrogen-bond donor to the single-bond ester O atom; adjacent molecules are linked through the carboxylic acid interacting with the hydroxyl group, forming a hydrogen-bonded chain running along the *c* axis.