A New Antibacterial Pyridinoside from a *Streptomyces* Species

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SUMMARY. A new compound, 8-propionate-2- β -(D+)-glucosyl-9,10-pyranopyridine, was isolated from the chloroform extract of a *Streptomyces* species. The structure of the compound was confirmed by spectroscopic techniques including UV, IR, HR-ESI-MS, ¹H-NMR, ¹³C-NMR, ¹H-¹H COSY and HMBC (long range coupling) spectra. The compound showed significant antibacterial activity against Gram-positive bacteria. The minimum inhibitory concentrations (MIC) of the isolated compound against Bacillus megaterium, *Streptococcus* β -haemolyticus, Bacillus subtilis, Escherichia coli, Salmonella typhi and Shigella dysenteriae were found to be 0.16, 0.08, 0.08, 0.04, 0.08 and 0.08 μ M, respectively.

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