

# A New Flavone from the Roots of *Milicia excelsa* (Moraceae)

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A new flavonoid identified as 2-(2,4-dihydroxyphenyl)-5-hydroxy-8,8-dimethyl-4H,8H-pyranopyrano[2,3-f]chromen-4-one (2'-hydroxyatalantoflavone) (**1**) was obtained from the roots of *Milicia excelsa* along with five known compounds including atalantoflavone (**2**), neocyclomorusin (**3**), 6-geranyl norartocarpin (**4**), cudraxanthone I (**5**), and betulinic acid (**6**). The structures of the isolates were established on the basis of their spectral data and by comparison with those reported in the literature.

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