

Studies on the Secondary Metabolites from Formosan Soft Coral *Sinularia mollis*. *Sinularia mollis*.

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In the course of our studies on secondary metabolites from soft coral *Sinularia mollis*, the acetone-solubles of the Formosan *Sinularia mollis* collected at Green Island had led to the isolation of fourteen compounds, including two new compounds of novel skeletons (**1** and **2**), three new steroids (**3–5**), a new 11,12-secocembrane-type diterpenoid (**7**), a new cembrane-type diterpenoid (**9**), along with seven known compound (**6**, **8** and **10–14**). The structure of isolated metabolites were elucidated through extensive spectroscopic analyses (MS, 1D and 2D NMR) and by comparison of the spectral data with those of related known compounds.