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Surface-Enhanced Raman Scattering Spectroscopy of Resveratrol

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	Structure of conformers	relative energy (kJ mo⊦¹)	torsion angles
(a)	$ \xrightarrow{H}_{H} \xrightarrow{H} \xrightarrow{H}_{H} \xrightarrow{H}_{H} \xrightarrow{H}_{H} \xrightarrow{H}_{H} \xrightarrow{H}_{H} \xrightarrow{H}_{H} \xrightarrow{H}$	+3.15	C(5)-C(4)-C(8)-C(9) = -3.6° C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15) = -4.1°
(b)	$ \begin{array}{c} H \\ H $	+1.05	C(5)-C(4)-C(8)-C(9) = -6.2° C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15) = -8.7°
(c)	$ \begin{array}{c} H \\ H $	+0.53	C(5)-C(4)-C(8)-C(9) = -4.7° C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15) = -6.3°
(d)	$H \xrightarrow{H} H \xrightarrow{H} $	0.00	C(5)-C(4)-C(8)-C(9) = -4.2° C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15) = -6.1°
(e)		+0.79	C(5)-C(4)-C(8)-C(9) = -5.4° C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15) = -8.3°
(f)		+2.89	C(5)-C(4)-C(8)-C(9) = -2.9° C(8)-C(9)-C(10)-C(15) = -3.8°

Fig. S1: Relative energies and torsion angles of six different conformers of *trans*- resveratrol calculated using DFT calculations at B3LYP/6-31G(d) level.



Fig. S2: Predicted Raman spectra of the six different conformers of *trans*- resveratrol (a-f) obtained from DFT calculations at B3LYP/6-31G(d) level in comparison to the experimental solid-state Raman spectrum collected using a 782-nm excitation laser (g).



Fig. S3: Relative energies and predicted Raman spectra of *trans*-resveratrol obtained from two different methods—DFT (*I*) and Hartree-Focks (*II*) calculations—in comparison to those of *cis*- isomer calculated using DFT method at B3LYP/6-31G(d) level (*III*).



Fig. S4: Experimental Raman spectra of *trans*-resveratrol in 96% ethanol solution using 782nm excitation laser in comparison to reference spectra of ethanol and *trans*-resveratrol. Bands marked by ($\mathbf{\nabla}$) represents ethanol signatures, whereas the band marked by (*) reveals the existence of resveratrol disclosed after performing spectral subtraction to remove ethanol interference.