Figure S1. Cell Counting Kit-8 assays in L929 cells, B16F10 cells and A375 cells. Cells were cultured in 5% fetal bovine serum DMEM medium and treated with dioscin (0, 1, 2, 4 and 8 μ M) for 48 h. Data are presented as mean ± standard deviation of three independent experiments. **P<0.01 vs. L929 group. FBS.

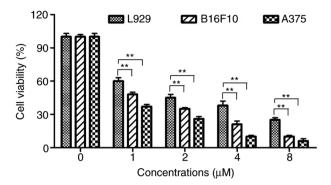


Figure S2. Cell Counting Kit-8 assays in B16F10 cells and A375 cells. Cells were cultured in 5% fetal bovine serum DMEM medium and treated with dioscin (0.00, 0.25 and 0.50 μ M) for 12 h. Data are presented as mean \pm standard deviation of three independent experiments.

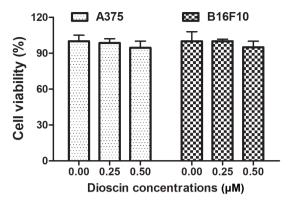


Figure S3. Dioscin lowers the ratios of p-Src/Src and p-STAT3/STAT3 in melanoma cells. Based on the results of western blot analyses in Fig. 4, the ratios of p-Src/Src and p-STAT3/STAT3 were calculated. (A) The ratios of p-Src/Src and p-STAT3/STAT3 in A375 cells. (B) The ratios of p-Src/Src and p-STAT3/STAT3 in B16F10 cells. Results for 12-, 24- and 48-h treatments were shown in the upper, middle and lower panels, respectively. The relative protein level of the control group was regarded as 1. Data are presented as the mean ± standard deviation of three independent experiments. *P<0.05; **P<0.01 vs. control. STAT3, signal transducer and activator of transcription 3. FBS, fetal bovine serum; p-, phosphorylated.

