

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

**Characterization of Free and Bound Phenolic Acids
and Flavonoid Aglycones in *Rosa rugosa* Thunb.
Leaves and Achenes Using LC–ESI–MS/MS–MRM
Methods**

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Table S1. The optimized LC-MS parameters for qualitative analysis of phenolic acids.

Compound	Retention time [min]	Q1 [m/z]	Q3 [m/z]	DP ^a [V]	EP ^b [V]	CEP ^c [V]	CE ^d [eV]	CXP ^e [V]
Gallic acid	5.14	168.7	78.9	-35	-3	-12	-36	0
			124.9*	-35	-3	-12	-14	0
5- <i>O</i> -caffeoylquinic acid	5.19	352.9	190.8*	-35	-4.5	-16	-24	-2
			84.9	-35	-4.5	-16	-60	0
Homogentisic acid	5.27	166.8	123	-25	-5	-12	-12	0
			108*	-25	-5	-12	-36	0
α -resorcylic acid	5.47	152.8	109	-30	-10.5	-10	-12	0
			64.9*	-30	-10.5	-10	-20	0
Protocatechuic acid	5.91	152.9	80.9	-55	-1	-10	-26	0
			107.8*	-55	-1	-10	-38	0
<i>trans</i> -Caffeic acid	6.92	178.7	88.9	-30	-6.5	-12	-46	0
			134.9*	-30	-6.5	-12	-16	0
<i>cis</i> -Caffeic acid	7.10	178.7	88.9	-30	-6.5	-12	-46	0
			134.9	-30	-6.5	-12	-16	0
Syringic acid	7.19	196.9	122.8	-30	-9	-12	-24	0
			181.9*	-30	-9	-12	-12	-2
4-hydroxybenzoic acid	7.32	136.8	92.9*	-30	-7	-10	-18	0
Vanilic acid	7.45	166.8	107.9*	-35	-4	-12	-18	0
			123	-35	-4	-12	-12	0
Gentisic acid	7.78	152.9	80	-70	-4	-16	-110	0
			107.9*	-70	-4	-16	-52	0
γ -resorcylic acid	7.99	152.8	108.9	-35	-3	-10	-14	0
			65*	-35	-3	-10	-30	0
3-hydroxybenzoic acid	8.10	136.9	93*	-35	-4	-16.72	-16	-2
			75	-35	-4	-16.72	-48	0
β -resorcylic acid	8.92	152.8	65*	-35	-2	-10	-24	0
			108.9	-35	-2	-10	-12	0
<i>trans</i> -Sinapic acid	9.23	222.8	121*	-35	-8.5	-10	-36	0
			148.9	-35	-8.5	-10	-20	0
<i>cis</i> -Sinapic acid	9.77	222.8	121	-35	-8.5	-10	-36	0
			148.9	-35	-8.5	-10	-20	0
<i>trans-p</i> -Coumaric acid (<i>trans</i> -4-hydroxycinnamic)	9.33	162.8	93	-30	-8	-12	-44	0
			119*	-30	-8	-12	-14	0
<i>trans</i> -Ferulic acid	9.88	192.8	133.9*	-25	-11.5	-14	-16	0
			177.9	-25	-11.5	-14	-12	-2
Rosmarinic acid	10.23	358.7	132.6	-50	-5	-26	-44	0
			160.8*	-50	-5	-26	-20	-2
<i>trans</i> -Isoferulic acid	10.55	192.8	133.9*	-30	-9.5	-14	-16	-2
			177.9	-30	-9.5	-14	-12	-2
<i>m</i> -Coumaric acid (<i>trans</i> -3-Hydroxycinnamic acid)	10.69	162.8	91	-35	-4.5	-12	-36	0
			119*	-35	-4.5	-12	-14	0
Veratric acid	10.82	180.7	121.9	-35	-6	-14	-18	0
			136.9*	-35	-6	-14	-12	0
3,4,5-trimethoxyphenylacetic acid	10.97	224.9	166.1*	-20	-3.5	-10	-12	-2
			180.8	-20	-3.5	-10	-10	-2
<i>o</i> -Coumaric acid (<i>trans</i> -2-Hydroxycinnamic acid)	11.87	162.8	119*	-25	-5	-10	-14	0
			93	-25	-5	-10	-46	0
3,4-dimethoxycinnamic acid	13.18	206.9	103.1	-30	-10	-16	-16	0
			163*	-30	-10	-16	-12	-2
Salicylic acid	14.18	136.9	75	-35	-4	-10	-48	0
			93*	-35	-4	-10	-16	-2

3,5-dimethoxybenzoic acid	14.53	180.8	136.9*	-35	-4	-14	-12	-2
			122	-35	-4	-14	-20	0

^aDP- Declustering Potential; ^bEP- Entrance Potential; ^cCEP- Cell Entrance Potential;

^dCE- Collision Energy; ^eCXP- Collision Cell Exit Potential; *Quantification ion

Table S2. The optimized LC-MS parameters for qualitative analysis of flavonoid aglycones.

Compound	Retention time [min]	Q1 [m/z]	Q3 [m/z]	DP ^a [V]	EP ^b [V]	CEP ^c [V]	CE ^d [eV]	CXP ^e [V]
Taxifolin	5.61	302.7	124.9*	-45	-3.5	-18	-26	0
			284.8	-45	-3.5	-18	-14	-4
Myricetin	5.95	316.7	136.9*	-55	-9	-14	-32	0
			150.9	-55	-9	-14	-26	0
Morin	6.25	300.7	124.9*	-50	-3.5	-20	-24	0
			106.9	-50	-3.5	-20	-30	0
Luteolin	6.54	284.7	132.9*	-75	-9	-18	-38	0
			150.9	-75	-9	-18	-26	0
3- <i>O</i> -Methylquercetin	6.55	314.7	299.8*	-55	-9.5	-22	-18	-4
			270.8	-55	-9.5	-22	-26	-4
Quercetin	6.67	300.7	150.9*	-60	-2.5	-12	-26	0
			178.8	-60	-2.5	-12	-20	-2
Eriodictyol	7.01	286.7	134.9*	-45	-6	-12	-32	0
			150.9	-45	-6	-12	-18	-2
Apigenin	7.42	268.8	117*	-70	-9.5	-12	-44	0
			106.8	-70	-9.5	-12	-34	0
Naringenin	7.45	270.8	119*	-50	-11.5	-12	-34	0
			150.9	-50	-11.5	-12	-22	0
Isokaempferide (3- <i>O</i> -Methylkaempferol)	7.49	298.8	283.9*	-50	-4.5	-12	-18	-4
			226.9	-50	-4.5	-12	-28	-2
Kaempferol	7.62	284.7	116.8*	-70	-5	-12	-46	0
			93	-70	-5	-12	-52	0
Isorhamnetin	7.7	314.7	299.7	-65	-2.5	-26	-20	-4
			150.9*	-65	-2.5	-26	-30	0
Rhamnetin	8.7	314.7	165*	-60	-5.5	-18	-24	0
			120.9	-60	-5.5	-18	-36	0
Chrysin	9.81	252.8	208.9*	-80	-10	-14	-22	-2
			142.9	-80	-10	-14	-26	0
Sakuranetin	9.9	284.7	118.9*	-60	-5.5	-12	-34	0
			164.8	-60	-5.5	-12	-20	-2
Prunetin	10.05	282.8	267.7	-55	-12	-18	-20	-4
			238.7*	-55	-12	-18	-26	-2
Rhamnazin	10.45	328.7	270.8*	-70	-3	-28	-26	-2
			313.8	-70	-3	-28	-14	-4

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Figure S1. LC-MS/MS-MRM chromatogram of phenolic acids standards sharing the same MRM transitions; m/z 166.8 \rightarrow 107.9 - homogentisic and vanilic acid; m/z 152.8 \rightarrow 109 - resorcylic acids; m/z 136.8 \rightarrow 93 - hydroxybenzoic acids; m/z 162.8 \rightarrow 119 - coumaric acids; m/z 192.8 \rightarrow 133.9 - ferulic and isoferulic acid; m/z 180.7 \rightarrow 136.9 - veratric and 3,5-dimethoxybenzoic acid. Rt values as given in Table S1.

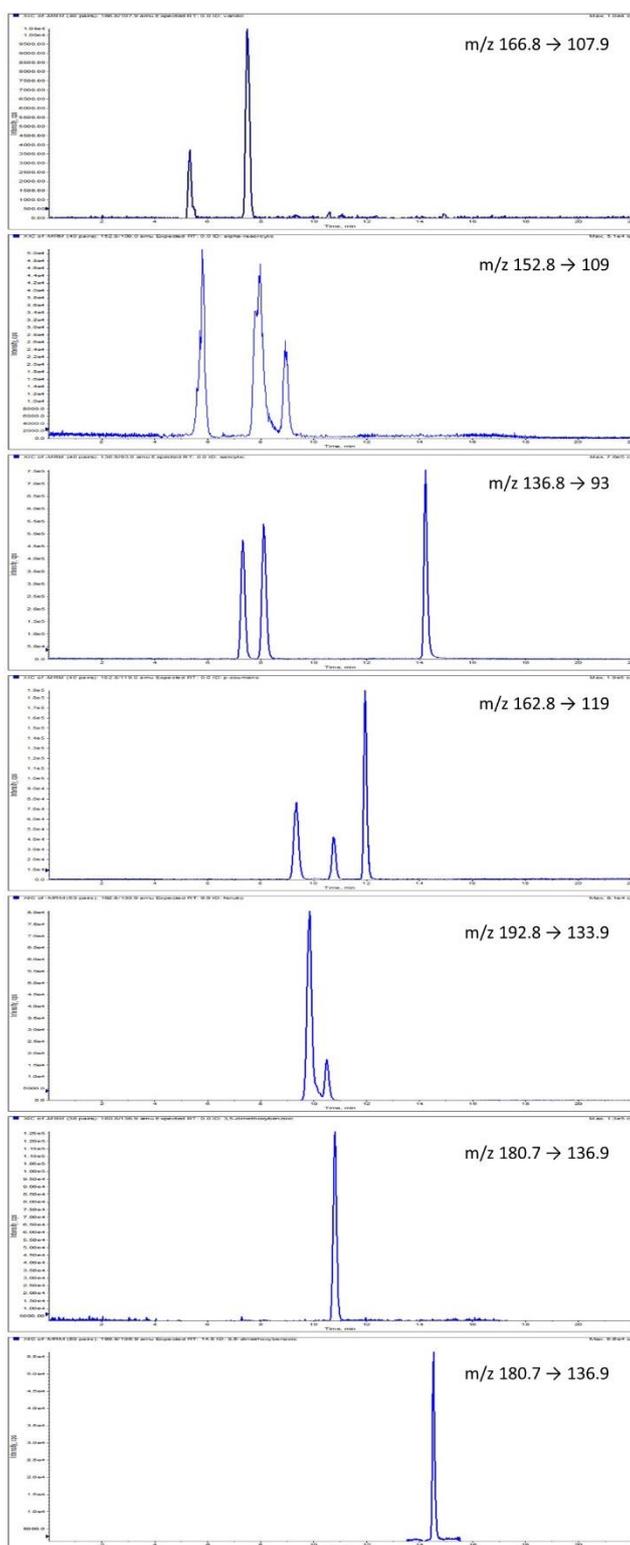


Figure S2. An exemplary LC-MS/MS-MRM chromatogram of bound phenolic acids found in *R. rugosa* true fruits (achenes).

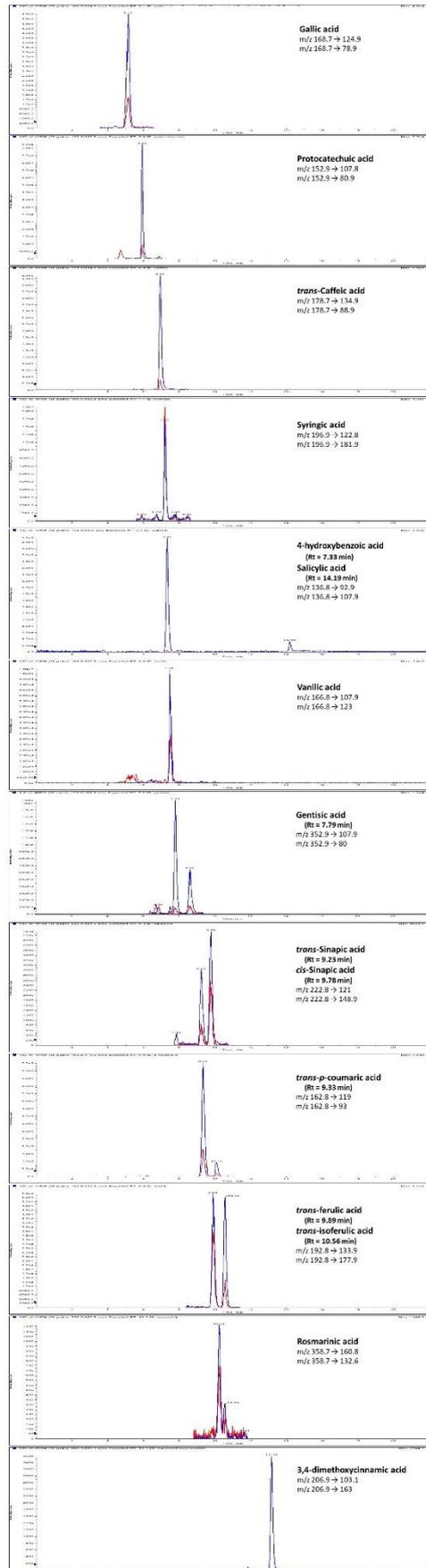


Figure S3. MRM chromatograms showing the effect of endogenous sample components that interfere with the ionization of ferulic acid (blue) and syringic acid (red).

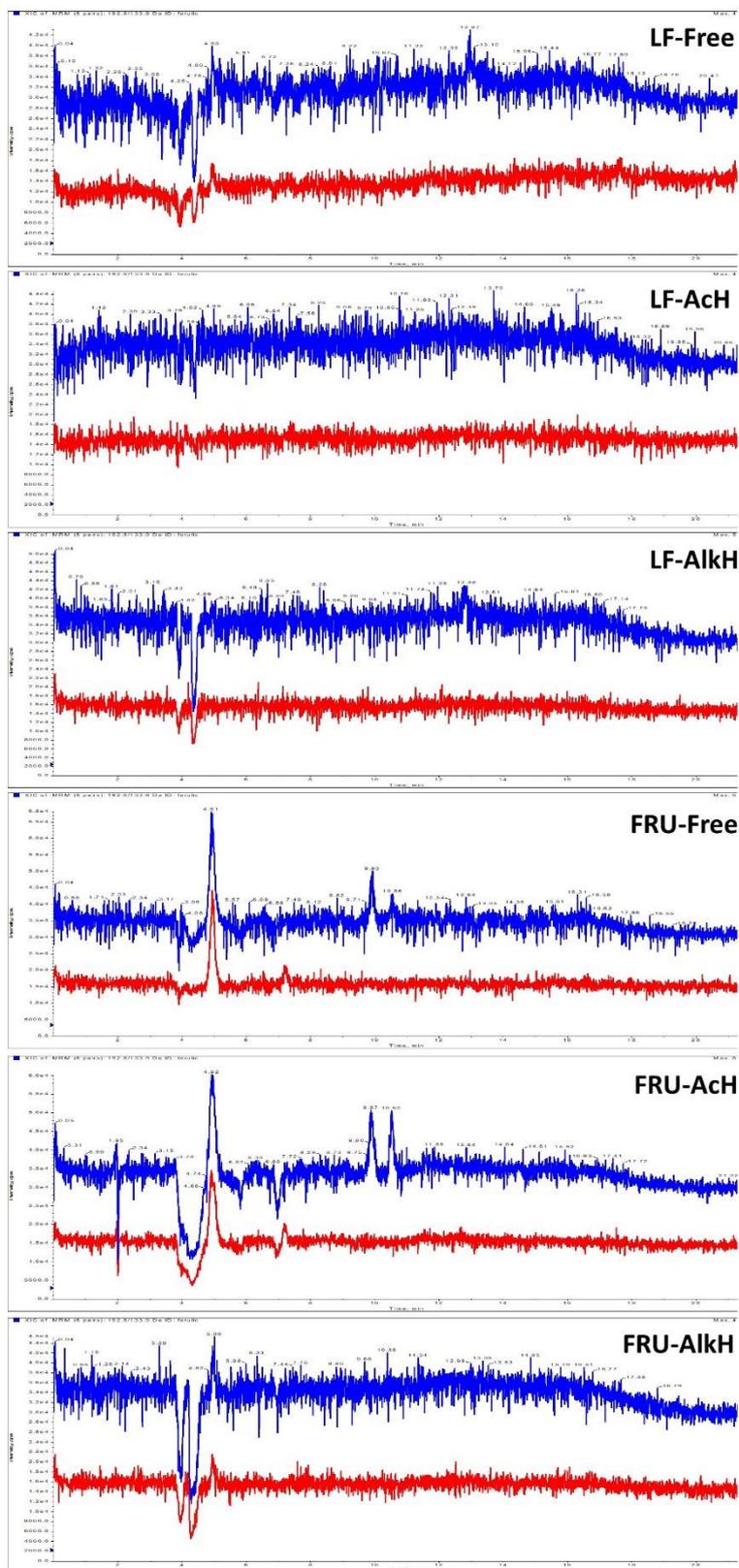


Figure S4. MRM chromatograms showing the effect of endogenous sample components that interfere with the ionization of myricetin.

