

Supporting Material

Stevia Polyphenols, Their Antimicrobial and Anti-Inflammatory Properties, and Inhibitory Effect on Digestive Enzymes

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The Main components and polyphenols in the PPS

There are more than 39 phenolic compounds in *stevia rebaudiana* (bertoni) have been disclosed. In this experiment, seven phenolic compounds (chlorogenic acid, isochlorogenic acid A, B, C, cryptochlorogenic acid, neochlorogenic acid, and quercetin) were observed in the **assayed** PPS as main components (Table S1, Figure S1).

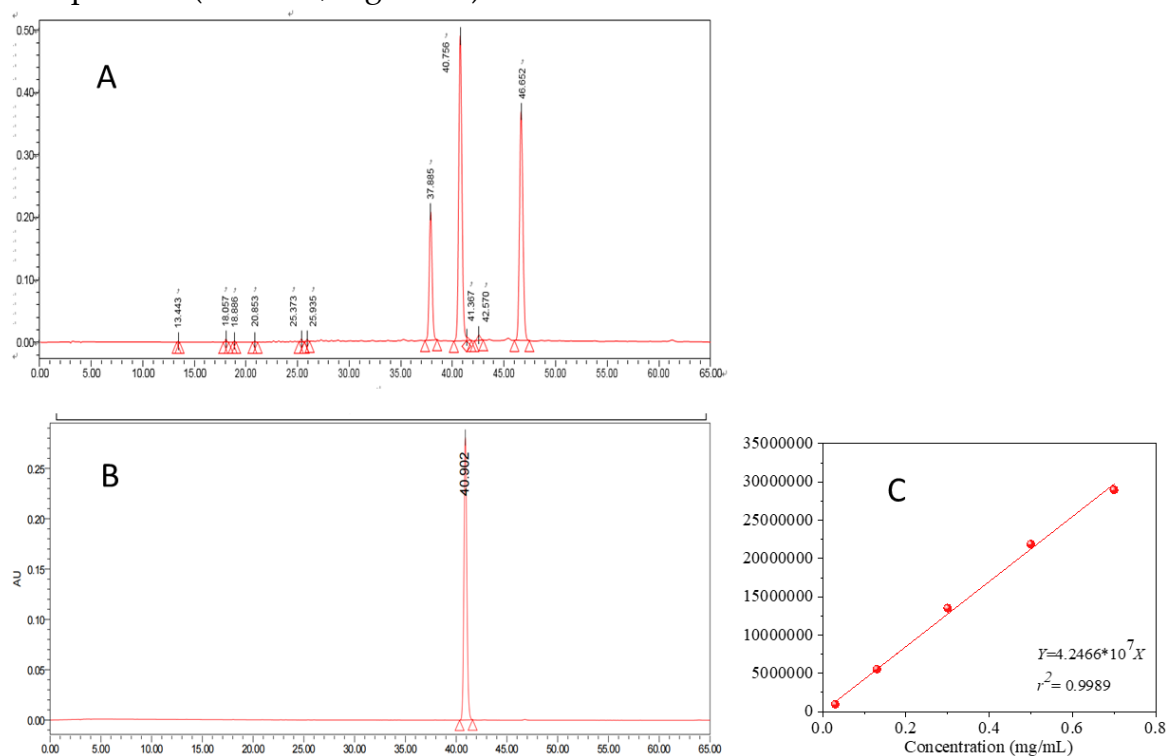


Figure S1. Vendor provided HPLC profile of the PPS (A), Isochlorogenic acid A (B) and calibration of Isochlorogenic acid A (C). Isochlorogenic acid A was used as the standard to determine the content of other polyphenols. The conversion factors (f) of HPLC peak area (A_i) of each polyphenol over that of isochlorogenic acid A (A_0) are as follows ($f = A_i / A_0$): Neochlorogenic acid: 0.69; Chlorogenic acid: 0.69; Cryptochlorogenic acid: 0.69; Isochlorogenic acid B: 1.0; Quercitrin: 0.87; Isochlorogenic acid C: 1.0.

Table S1. The composition of the PPS sample from *Stevia rebaudiana* Bertoni leaves

Composition	Contents (wt.%, HPLC)[1]	Retention time (min)
Neochlorogenic acid	0.1	13.443
Chlorogenic acid	0.48	18.057
Cryptochlorogenic acid	0.10	18.886
Caffeic acid	0	-
Galuteolin	0	-
Isochlorogenic acid A	26.18	40.756
Isochlorogenic acid B	6.59	37.885
Isochlorogenic acid C	21.26	46.652
Quercetin	0.01	41.367
Protein	0.82	
Total flavonoid	0.44	
Polysaccharide	31.64	
Water	4.5	

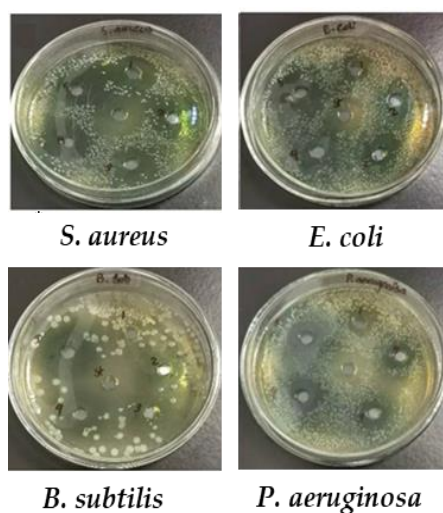


Figure S2. Antibacterial activity of the PPS against *P. aeruginosa*, *E. coli*, *B. subtilis* and *S. aureus*.

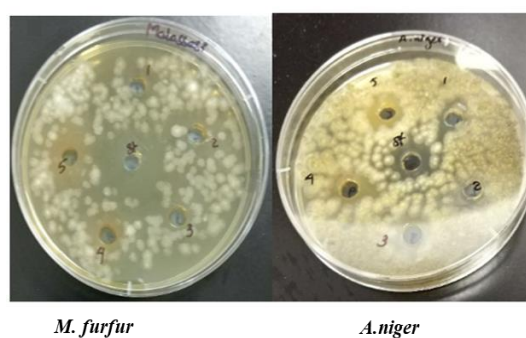


Figure S3. Antifungal activity of the PPS against *M. furfur* and *A. niger*.

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