



Figure S1. High-performance liquid chromatography (HPLC) of methanolic waste extracts of *A. cepa* red variety (A), *A. cepa* yellow variety (B) and *A. × cornutum* (C). Peaks shown are: (1) quercetin 3,4'-diglucoside; (2) quercetin 4'-monoglucoside; (3) myricetin, (4) quercetin aglycone and (5) isorhamnetin. *A. × cornutum* extract was diluted three times.

Data S1_Statistical analysis of HPLC quantification of flavonols and anthocyanins

Within each row, compare columns (simple effects within rows)

Number of families 13
 Number of comparisons per family 3
 Alpha 0,05

Tukey's multiple comparisons test Mean Diff, 95,00% CI of diff, Significant? Summary
 Adjusted P Value

Quercetin 3,4'-diglucoside

A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) 518,4 518,1 to 518,6 Yes **** <0,0001
 A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) 286,8 286,6 to 287,1 Yes **** <0,0001
 A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) -231,5 -231,8 to -231,3 Yes ****
 <0,0001

Quercetin 4'-monoglucoside

A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) 476,6 476,3 to 476,8 Yes **** <0,0001
 A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) 318,1 317,9 to 318,4 Yes **** <0,0001
 A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) -158,4 -158,7 to -158,2 Yes ****
 <0,0001

Myricetin

A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) 6,250 6,007 to 6,493 Yes **** <0,0001
 A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) 5,570 5,327 to 5,813 Yes **** <0,0001
 A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) -0,6800 -0,9226 to -0,4374 Yes ****
 <0,0001

Quercetin aglycone

A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) 236,7 236,5 to 236,9 Yes **** <0,0001
 A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) 227,1 226,9 to 227,4 Yes **** <0,0001
 A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) -9,590 -9,833 to -9,347 Yes ****
 <0,0001

Isorhamnetin

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| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 29,86 | 29,62 to 30,10 | Yes | **** | <0,0001 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 18,34 | 18,10 to 18,58 | Yes | **** | <0,0001 |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | -11,52 | -11,76 to -11,28 | Yes | **** | <0,0001 |

Peonidin 3'-glucoside

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| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | -1,110 | -1,353 to -0,8674 | Yes | **** | <0,0001 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | -4,263e-014 | -0,2426 to 0,2426 | No | ns | >0,9999 |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 1,110 | 0,8674 to 1,353 | Yes | **** | <0,0001 |

Peonidin 3'-glucoside acetate

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|--|---------|--------------------|-----|------|---------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 0,000 | -0,2426 to 0,2426 | No | ns | >0,9999 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | -0,6700 | -0,9126 to -0,4274 | Yes | **** | <0,0001 |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | -0,6700 | -0,9126 to -0,4274 | Yes | **** | <0,0001 |

Delphinidin 3'-glucoside acetate

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|--|--------|--------------------|----|----|---------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 0,2300 | -0,01257 to 0,4726 | No | ns | 0,0668 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,2300 | -0,01257 to 0,4726 | No | ns | 0,0668 |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,000 | -0,2426 to 0,2426 | No | ns | >0,9999 |

Malvidin 3'-glucoside

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|--|---------|--------------------|-----|------|---------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | -0,4800 | -0,7226 to -0,2374 | Yes | **** | <0,0001 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | -0,1900 | -0,4326 to 0,05257 | No | ns | 0,1538 |

A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) 0,2900 0,04743 to 0,5326 Yes *

0,0150

Cyanidin 3'-glucoside

A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) -7,530 -7,773 to -7,287 Yes **** <0,0001

A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) 0,2100 -0,03257 to 0,4526 No ns 0,1031

A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) 7,740 7,497 to 7,983 Yes **** <0,0001

Cyanidin 3'-glucoside acetate

A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) 0,4600 0,2174 to 0,7026 Yes **** <0,0001

A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) -2,220 -2,463 to -1,977 Yes **** <0,0001

A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) -2,680 -2,923 to -2,437 Yes **** <0,0001

Petunidin 3'-glucoside

A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) -0,1200 -0,3626 to 0,1226 No ns 0,4674

A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) 0,000 -0,2426 to 0,2426 No ns >0,9999

A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) 0,1200 -0,1226 to 0,3626 No ns 0,4674

Petunidin 3'-glucoside acetate

A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) 0,000 -0,2426 to 0,2426 No ns >0,9999

A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) -0,1700 -0,4126 to 0,07257 No ns 0,2215

A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) -0,1700 -0,4126 to 0,07257 No ns 0,2215

Test details Mean 1 Mean 2 Mean Diff, SE of diff, N1 N2 q DF

Quercetin 3,4'-diglucoside

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|--|-------------|-------|-------------|--------|---|-------|-------|-------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 618,8 | 100,4 | 518,4 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | 7220 | 78,00 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 618,8 | 331,9 | 286,8 | 0,1015 | 1 | 3995 | 78,00 | |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 100,4 | 331,9 | -231,5 | 0,1015 | | 1 | 1 | |
| | 3225 | | | | | | | 78,00 |
| Quercetin 4'-monoglucoside | | | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 617,0 | 140,4 | 476,6 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | 6639 | 78,00 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 617,0 | 298,9 | 318,1 | 0,1015 | 1 | 4432 | 78,00 | |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 140,4 | 298,9 | -158,4 | 0,1015 | | 1 | 1 | |
| | 2207 | | | | | | | 78,00 |
| Myricetin | | | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 14,88 | 8,630 | 6,250 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | 87,06 | 78,00 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 14,88 | 9,310 | 5,570 | 0,1015 | 1 | 77,59 | 78,00 | |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 8,630 | 9,310 | -0,6800 | 0,1015 | | 1 | 1 | |
| | 9,472 | | | | | | | 78,00 |
| Quercetin aglycone | | | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 297,2 | 60,51 | 236,7 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | 3297 | 78,00 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 297,2 | 70,10 | 227,1 | 0,1015 | 1 | 3164 | 78,00 | |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 60,51 | 70,10 | -9,590 | 0,1015 | | 1 | 1 | |
| | 133,6 | | | | | | | 78,00 |
| Isorhamnetin | | | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 32,07 | 2,210 | 29,86 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | 415,9 | 78,00 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 32,07 | 13,73 | 18,34 | 0,1015 | 1 | 255,5 | 78,00 | |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 2,210 | 13,73 | -11,52 | 0,1015 | | 1 | 1 | |
| | 160,5 | | | | | | | 78,00 |
| Peonidin 3'-glucoside | | | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | -4,263e-014 | 1,110 | -1,110 | 0,1015 | | 1 | 1 | |
| | 15,46 | | | | | | | 78,00 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | -4,263e-014 | 0,000 | -4,263e-014 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | | |
| | 5,938e-013 | | | | | | | 78,00 |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 1,110 | 0,000 | 1,110 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | 15,46 | |
| | 78,00 | | | | | | | |
| Peonidin 3'-glucoside acetate | | | | | | | | |

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|--|---------|--------|---------|--------|---|---|-------|-------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 0,000 | 0,000 | 0,000 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | 0,000 | 78,00 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,000 | 0,6700 | -0,6700 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | 9,333 | 78,00 |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,000 | 0,6700 | -0,6700 | 0,1015 | 1 | | | |
| 1 | 9,333 | 78,00 | | | | | | |
| Delphinidin 3'-glucoside acetate | | | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 0,2300 | 0,000 | 0,2300 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | | |
| 3,204 | 78,00 | | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,2300 | 0,000 | 0,2300 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | 3,204 | 78,00 |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,000 | 0,000 | 0,000 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | 0,000 | 78,00 |
| Malvidin 3'-glucoside | | | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 0,05000 | 0,5300 | -0,4800 | 0,1015 | 1 | | | |
| 1 | 6,686 | 78,00 | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,05000 | 0,2400 | -0,1900 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | | |
| 2,647 | 78,00 | | | | | | | |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,5300 | 0,2400 | 0,2900 | 0,1015 | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 4,040 | 78,00 | | | | | |
| Cyanidin 3'-glucoside | | | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 0,3200 | 7,850 | -7,530 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | | |
| 104,9 | 78,00 | | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,3200 | 0,1100 | 0,2100 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | | |
| 2,925 | 78,00 | | | | | | | |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 7,850 | 0,1100 | 7,740 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | | |
| 107,8 | 78,00 | | | | | | | |
| Cyanidin 3'-glucoside acetate | | | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 1,220 | 0,7600 | 0,4600 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | | |
| 6,408 | 78,00 | | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 1,220 | 3,440 | -2,220 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | 30,92 | 78,00 |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,7600 | 3,440 | -2,680 | 0,1015 | | | | |
| 1 | 37,33 | 78,00 | | | | | | |
| Petunidin 3'-glucoside | | | | | | | | |

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| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 0,000 | 0,1200 | -0,1200 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 |
| 1,672 78,00 | | | | | | |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,000 | 0,000 | 0,000 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 |
| 0,000 78,00 | | | | | | |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,1200 | 0,000 | 0,1200 | 0,1015 | | 1 |
| 1 1,672 78,00 | | | | | | |

Petunidin 3'-glucoside acetate

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|--|-------|--------|---------|--------|---|---|-------------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 0,000 | 0,000 | 0,000 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | 0,000 78,00 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,000 | 0,1700 | -0,1700 | 0,1015 | 1 | 1 | 2,368 78,00 |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,000 | 0,1700 | -0,1700 | 0,1015 | | 1 | |
| 1 2,368 78,00 | | | | | | | |

Data S2_Statistical analysis of antioxidant activity

Within each row, compare columns (simple effects within rows)

Number of families 2
 Number of comparisons per family 3
 Alpha 0,05

Šídák's multiple comparisons test Mean Diff, 95,00% CI of diff, Below threshold? Summary
 Adjusted P Value

ORAC (Trolox eq)

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|--|-------|----------------|-----|------|---------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 7,520 | 2,526 to 12,51 | Yes | ** | 0,0039 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 15,86 | 10,87 to 20,85 | Yes | **** | <0,0001 |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 8,340 | 3,346 to 13,33 | Yes | ** | 0,0018 |

DPPH (% inhibition)

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|--|-------|----------------|-----|------|---------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 16,42 | 11,43 to 21,41 | Yes | **** | <0,0001 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 28,75 | 23,76 to 33,74 | Yes | **** | <0,0001 |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 12,33 | 7,336 to 17,32 | Yes | **** | <0,0001 |

Test details Mean 1 Mean 2 Mean Diff, SE of diff, N1 N2 t DF

ORAC (Trolox eq)

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|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|---|---|-------|-------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 20,50 | 12,98 | 7,520 | 1,803 | 3 | 3 | 4,172 | 12,00 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 20,50 | 4,640 | 15,86 | 1,803 | 3 | 3 | 8,798 | 12,00 |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 12,98 | 4,640 | 8,340 | 1,803 | 3 | 3 | 4,626 | 12,00 |

DPPH (% inhibition)

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| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 82,18 | 65,76 | 16,42 | 1,803 | 3 | 3 | 9,109 | 12,00 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 82,18 | 53,43 | 28,75 | 1,803 | 3 | 3 | 15,95 | 12,00 |
| A. cepa (yellow variety) vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 65,76 | 53,43 | 12,33 | 1,803 | 3 | 3 | 6,840 | 12,00 |

Data S3_Statistical analysis of antiproliferative activity of onion waste extracts

Within each row, compare columns (simple effects within rows)

Number of families 3
 Number of comparisons per family 3
 Alpha 0,05

Tukey's multiple comparisons test Mean Diff, 95,00% CI of diff, Below threshold? Summary
 Adjusted P Value

HeLa

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|--|--------|-----------------|----|----|--------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | -3,435 | -11,52 to 4,648 | No | ns | 0,4897 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | -2,765 | -10,85 to 5,318 | No | ns | 0,6214 |
| A. cepa (red variety) vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 0,6700 | -7,413 to 8,753 | No | ns | 0,9710 |

HCT116

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|--|--------|-----------------|----|----|--------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,4550 | -7,628 to 8,538 | No | ns | 0,9865 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | -5,880 | -13,96 to 2,203 | No | ns | 0,1603 |
| A. cepa (red variety) vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | -6,335 | -14,42 to 1,748 | No | ns | 0,1268 |

U2OS

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|--|--------|-----------------|----|----|--------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 0,4197 | -7,664 to 8,503 | No | ns | 0,9885 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | -1,353 | -9,436 to 6,731 | No | ns | 0,8881 |
| A. cepa (red variety) vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | -1,773 | -9,856 to 6,311 | No | ns | 0,8172 |

Test details Mean 1 Mean 2 Mean Diff, SE of diff, N1 N2 q DF

HeLa

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|--|--------|-------|--------|-------|---|---|-------|-------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 21,04 | 24,48 | -3,435 | 2,895 | 2 | 2 | 1,678 | 9,000 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 21,04 | 23,81 | -2,765 | 2,895 | 2 | 2 | 1,351 | 9,000 |
| A. cepa (red variety) vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 24,48 | 23,81 | 0,6700 | 2,895 | 2 | 2 | | |
| | 0,3273 | 9,000 | | | | | | |

HCT116

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|--|-------|-------|--------|-------|---|---|--------|-------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 30,40 | 29,94 | 0,4550 | 2,895 | 2 | 2 | 0,2223 | 9,000 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 30,40 | 36,28 | -5,880 | 2,895 | 2 | 2 | 2,872 | 9,000 |
| A. cepa (red variety) vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 29,94 | 36,28 | -6,335 | 2,895 | 2 | 2 | 3,094 | |
| | 9,000 | | | | | | | |

U2OS

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|--|--------|-------|--------|-------|---|---|--------|-------|
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (red variety) | 25,40 | 24,98 | 0,4197 | 2,895 | 2 | 2 | 0,2050 | 9,000 |
| A. × cornutum vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 25,40 | 26,75 | -1,353 | 2,895 | 2 | 2 | 0,6608 | |
| | 9,000 | | | | | | | |
| A. cepa (red variety) vs. A. cepa (yellow variety) | 24,98 | 26,75 | -1,773 | 2,895 | 2 | 2 | | |
| | 0,8658 | 9,000 | | | | | | |

Data S4_Statistical analysis of antiproliferative activity of quercetin conjugates

Compare each cell mean with the other cell mean in that row

Number of families 1
 Number of comparisons per family 3
 Alpha 0,05

Šídák's multiple comparisons test Mean Diff, 95,00% CI of diff, Below threshold? Summary
 Adjusted P Value

quercetin 4'-monoglucoside - quercetin 3,4'-diglucoside
 HeLa -225,2 -229,6 to -220,8 Yes **** <0,0001
 HCT116 -13,07 -17,44 to -8,690 Yes *** 0,0002
 U2OS -50,60 -54,97 to -46,22 Yes **** <0,0001

| Test details | Mean 1 | Mean 2 | Mean Diff, | SE of diff, N1 | N2 | t | DF |
|---|--------|--------|------------|----------------|----|---|-------------|
| quercetin 4'-monoglucoside - quercetin 3,4'-diglucoside | | | | | | | |
| HeLa | 95,12 | 320,3 | -225,2 | 1,336 | 2 | 2 | 168,5 6,000 |
| HCT116 | 104,2 | 117,3 | -13,07 | 1,336 | 2 | 2 | 9,778 6,000 |
| U2OS | 106,9 | 157,4 | -50,60 | 1,336 | 2 | 2 | 37,86 6,000 |

Data S5_Statistical analysis of antiproliferative activity of A. x cornutum after digestion

Within each row, compare columns (simple effects within rows)

Number of families 3
 Number of comparisons per family 3
 Alpha 0,05

Dunnett's multiple comparisons test Mean Diff, 95,00% CI of diff, Below threshold? Summary
 Adjusted P Value

Hela

Undigested vs. OF -1,335 -5,980 to 3,310 No ns 0,7840
 Undigested vs. GF -0,2750 -4,920 to 4,370 No ns 0,9971
 Undigested vs. IF 5,850 1,205 to 10,50 Yes * 0,0143

HCT116

Undigested vs. OF 0,4300 -4,215 to 5,075 No ns 0,9890
 Undigested vs. GF -3,050 -7,695 to 1,595 No ns 0,2352
 Undigested vs. IF 5,545 0,8996 to 10,19 Yes * 0,0197

U2OS

Undigested vs. OF 0,8350 -3,810 to 5,480 No ns 0,9303
 Undigested vs. GF 0,5400 -4,105 to 5,185 No ns 0,9789
 Undigested vs. IF 5,185 0,5396 to 9,830 Yes * 0,0286

Test details Mean 1 Mean 2 Mean Diff, SE of diff, N1 N2 q DF

Hela

Undigested vs. OF 23,77 25,10 -1,335 1,731 2 2 0,7710 12,00
 Undigested vs. GF 23,77 24,04 -0,2750 1,731 2 2 0,1588 12,00
 Undigested vs. IF 23,77 17,92 5,850 1,731 2 2 3,379 12,00

HCT116

Undigested vs. OF 32,77 32,34 0,4300 1,731 2 2 0,2483 12,00
 Undigested vs. GF 32,77 35,82 -3,050 1,731 2 2 1,762 12,00
 Undigested vs. IF 32,77 27,23 5,545 1,731 2 2 3,202 12,00

U2OS

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|-------------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|---|---|--------|-------|
| Undigested vs. OF | 33,14 | 32,31 | 0,8350 | 1,731 | 2 | 2 | 0,4822 | 12,00 |
| Undigested vs. GF | 33,14 | 32,60 | 0,5400 | 1,731 | 2 | 2 | 0,3119 | 12,00 |
| Undigested vs. IF | 33,14 | 27,96 | 5,185 | 1,731 | 2 | 2 | 2,995 | 12,00 |

Data S6_Statistical analysis of antiproliferative activity of A. cepa (yellow variety) after digestion

Within each row, compare columns (simple effects within rows)

Number of families 3
 Number of comparisons per family 3
 Alpha 0,05

Dunnett's multiple comparisons test Mean Diff, 95,00% CI of diff, Below threshold? Summary
 Adjusted P Value

Hela

Undigested vs. OF -0,1950 -4,209 to 3,819 No ns 0,9983
 Undigested vs. GF 0,6550 -3,359 to 4,669 No ns 0,9460
 Undigested vs. IF 6,610 2,596 to 10,62 Yes ** 0,0023

HCT116

Undigested vs. OF -0,4600 -4,474 to 3,554 No ns 0,9797
 Undigested vs. GF -2,455 -6,469 to 1,559 No ns 0,2819
 Undigested vs. IF 8,670 4,656 to 12,68 Yes *** 0,0003

U2OS

Undigested vs. OF 0,02000 -3,994 to 4,034 No ns >0,9999
 Undigested vs. GF -1,200 -5,214 to 2,814 No ns 0,7648
 Undigested vs. IF 4,455 0,4414 to 8,469 Yes * 0,0295

Test details Mean 1 Mean 2 Mean Diff, SE of diff, N1 N2 q DF

Hela

Undigested vs. OF 25,00 25,19 -0,1950 1,496 2 2 0,1303 12,00
 Undigested vs. GF 25,00 24,34 0,6550 1,496 2 2 0,4378 12,00
 Undigested vs. IF 25,00 18,39 6,610 1,496 2 2 4,418 12,00

HCT116

Undigested vs. OF 37,92 38,38 -0,4600 1,496 2 2 0,3075 12,00
 Undigested vs. GF 37,92 40,37 -2,455 1,496 2 2 1,641 12,00
 Undigested vs. IF 37,92 29,25 8,670 1,496 2 2 5,795 12,00

U2OS

| | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|-------|-------|---------|-------|---|---|---------|-------|
| Undigested vs. OF | 36,91 | 36,89 | 0,02000 | 1,496 | 2 | 2 | 0,01337 | 12,00 |
| Undigested vs. GF | 36,91 | 38,11 | -1,200 | 1,496 | 2 | 2 | 0,8021 | 12,00 |
| Undigested vs. IF | 36,91 | 32,45 | 4,455 | 1,496 | 2 | 2 | 2,978 | 12,00 |

Data S7_Statistical analysis of antiproliferative activity of A. cepa (red variety) after digestion

Within each row, compare columns (simple effects within rows)

Number of families 3
 Number of comparisons per family 3
 Alpha 0,05

Dunnett's multiple comparisons test Mean Diff, 95,00% CI of diff, Below threshold? Summary
 Adjusted P Value

Hela

Undigested vs. OF -1,145 -4,251 to 1,961 No ns 0,6449
 Undigested vs. GF -1,075 -4,181 to 2,031 No ns 0,6842
 Undigested vs. IF 6,960 3,854 to 10,07 Yes *** 0,0002

HCT116

Undigested vs. OF 0,01000 -3,096 to 3,116 No ns >0,9999
 Undigested vs. GF -2,025 -5,131 to 1,081 No ns 0,2396
 Undigested vs. IF 4,275 1,169 to 7,381 Yes ** 0,0081

U2OS

Undigested vs. OF 0,1150 -2,991 to 3,221 No ns 0,9993
 Undigested vs. GF 0,5950 -2,511 to 3,701 No ns 0,9179
 Undigested vs. IF 5,675 2,569 to 8,781 Yes *** 0,0010

Test details Mean 1 Mean 2 Mean Diff, SE of diff, N1 N2 q DF

Hela

Undigested vs. OF 26,11 27,25 -1,145 1,158 2 2 0,9891 12,00
 Undigested vs. GF 26,11 27,18 -1,075 1,158 2 2 0,9287 12,00
 Undigested vs. IF 26,11 19,15 6,960 1,158 2 2 6,013 12,00

HCT116

Undigested vs. OF 29,92 29,91 0,01000 1,158 2 2 0,008639 12,00
 Undigested vs. GF 29,92 31,94 -2,025 1,158 2 2 1,749 12,00
 Undigested vs. IF 29,92 25,64 4,275 1,158 2 2 3,693 12,00

U2OS

| | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|---|---|---------|-------|
| Undigested vs. OF | 32,42 | 32,30 | 0,1150 | 1,158 | 2 | 2 | 0,09935 | 12,00 |
| Undigested vs. GF | 32,42 | 31,82 | 0,5950 | 1,158 | 2 | 2 | 0,5140 | 12,00 |
| Undigested vs. IF | 32,42 | 26,74 | 5,675 | 1,158 | 2 | 2 | 4,903 | 12,00 |

Data S8-1: Quality parameters of the optimized HPLC for flavonol quantification (n = 6).

| Flavonols | Quercetin calibration range (mg/L) | r ² |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------|
| (1) Quercetin 3,4-diglucoside | 2.48-158.40 | 0.999981 |
| (2) Quercetin 4-monoglucoside | 1.88-120 | 0.999990 |
| (3) Quercetin | 2.11-135.1 | 0.999841 |
| (4) Isorhamnetin | 0.66-42.46 | 0.999967 |
| (5) Myricetin | 0.58-36.8 | 0.999968 |
| (6) Kaempferol | 0.41-26.28 | 0.999926 |

Data S8-2: Stability data. detection and quantification limits of 5 flavonoid standards analyzed by HPLC

| Component name | Time [min] | Area [Uv*sec] | Area [%] | LOD (µg/ml) | LOQ (µg/mL) |
|-------------------------------|------------|---------------|----------|-------------|-------------|
| (1) quercetin 3,4-diglucoside | 33.322 | 19564.66 | 24.33 | 0.133 | 0.339 |
| (2) quercetin 4-monoglucoside | 41.471 | 23154.07 | 28.79 | 0.07 | 0.21 |
| (3) quercetin | 48.185 | 24298.08 | 30.22 | 0.038 | 0.114 |
| (4) isorhamnetin | 52.933 | 4323.8 | 5.38 | 0.081 | 0.243 |
| (5) kaempferol | 52.24 | 9072.13 | 11.28 | 0.032 | 0.096 |

Data S8-3: Stability data. detection and quantification limits of four anthocyanins standard analysed by HPLC

| Anthocyanins | Retention time (min) | Area (counts) | Result | LOD (µg/ml) | LOQ (µg/ml) |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|---------------|----------|-------------|-------------|
| (1) Malvidin 3-glucoside | 13.808 | 10731967 | 22.4944 | 0.032 | 0.066 |
| (2) Cyanidin 3-glucoside | 8.605 | 2222866 | 164.8706 | | |
| (3) Petunidin 3-glucoside | 10.072 | 2789539 | 684.6994 | | |
| (4) Delphinidin 3-glucoside | 19.907 | 98032 | 70.8784 | | |

Data S8-4: Quality parameters of the optimized HPLC for anthocyanin quantification (n = 1)

| Flavonols | Malvidin 3-glucoside calibration range (mg/L) | r ² |
|--------------------------|---|----------------|
| (1) Malvidin 3-glucoside | 0.208-100 | 0.9993 |

Table S1. Preparation of stock solutions of stimulated digestive fluids.

| Compound | Stock concentration | | SSF | SGF | SIF |
|---|---------------------|-------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| | | | pH 7.0 | pH 3.0 | pH 7.0 |
| | | | Concentration in SSF | Concentration in SGF | Concentration in SIF |
| | g/l | mol/l | mmol/l | mmol/l | mmol/l |
| KCl | 37.3 | 0.5 | 15.1 | 6.9 | 6.8 |
| KH ₂ PO ₄ | 68 | 0.5 | 3.7 | 0.9 | 0.8 |
| NaHCO ₃ | 84 | 1 | 13.6 | 25 | 85 |
| NaCl | 117 | 2 | - | 47.2 | 38.4 |
| MgCl ₂ (H ₂ O) ₆ | 30.5 | 0.15 | 0.15 | 0.1 | 0.33 |
| (NH ₄) ₂ CO ₃ | 48 | 0.5 | 0.06 | 0.5 | - |
| NaOH | - | 1 | - | - | 8.4 |
| HCl | - | 6 | 1.1 | 15.6 | - |
| CaCl ₂ (H ₂ O) ₂ | 44.1 | 0.3 | (0.75) | (0.075) | (0.3) |

SSF- stimulated salivary fluid; SGF- stimulated gastric fluid; SIF- stimulated intestinal fluid