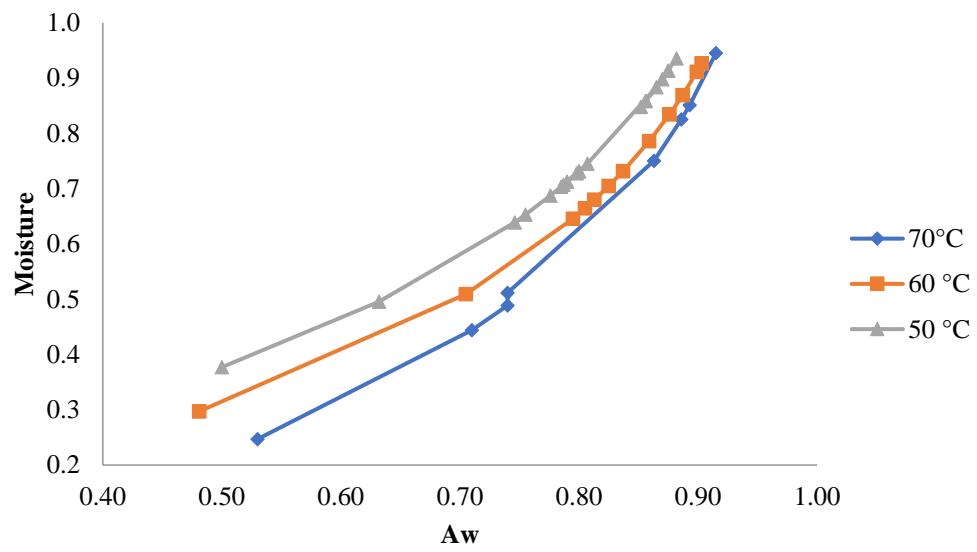
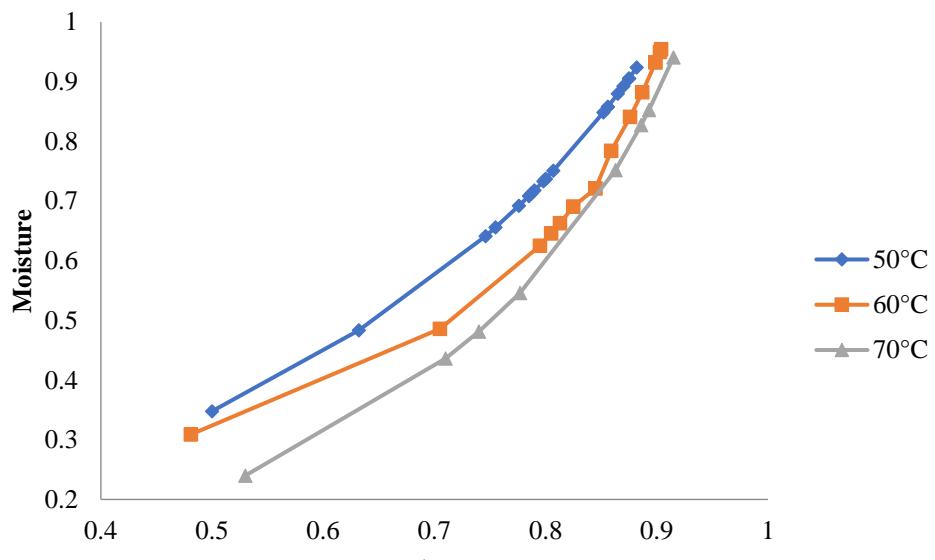


Supplementary files



(a)



(b)

Figure S1. Desorption isotherms interpolated with Smith (a) and GAB (b) models.

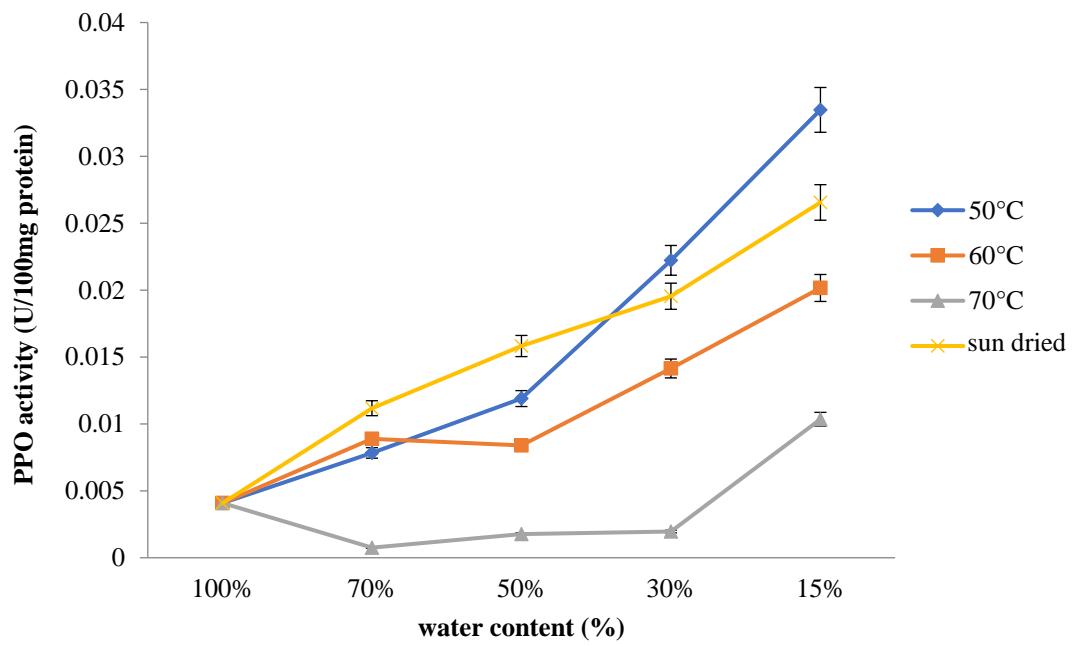


Figure S2. PPO activity.

Table S1. pH TA and °Brix during drying

| <i>treatment</i> | | 100% | 70% | 50% | 30% | 15% |
|------------------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 50°C | pH | 4.30 | 4.20 | 4.19 | 4.21 | 4.27 |
| | TA | 0.30 | 0.30 | 0.20 | 0.10 | 0.10 |
| | °Brix | 7.10 | 10.00 | 15.10 | 20.50 | 31.20 |
| 60°C | pH | 4.30 | 4.31 | 4.28 | 4.27 | 4.32 |
| | TA | 0.30 | 0.30 | 0.10 | 0.10 | 0.10 |
| | °Brix | 7.10 | 10.10 | 15.10 | 20.30 | 33.50 |
| 70°C | pH | 4.30 | 4.05 | 4.07 | 4.02 | 4.00 |
| | TA | 0.30 | 0.50 | 0.30 | 0.20 | 0.20 |
| | °Brix | 7.10 | 8.10 | 13.60 | 19.90 | 33.90 |
| Sun | pH | 4.30 | 4.32 | 4.35 | 4.28 | 4.36 |
| | TA | 0.30 | 0.30 | 0.20 | 0.10 | 0.10 |
| | °Brix | 7.10 | 9.80 | 14.50 | 20.30 | 28.00 |

Table S2. Carotenoids content during drying (ppm DM)

| %H₂O | 50 °C | 60 °C | 70 °C | Sun |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 100% | 227.0 ± 1.4 | 227.0 ± 1.4 | 227.0 ± 1.4 | 227.0 ± 1.4 |
| 70% | 211.0 ± 0.7 | 192.3 ± 7.7 | 129.2 ± 2.1 | 219.0 ± 11.4 |
| 50% | 189.2 ± 0.5 | 332.7 ± 5.0 | 181.3 ± 4.1 | 370.9 ± 8.7 |
| 30% | 320.3 ± 6.2 | 343.5 ± 4.1 | 306.2 ± 0.6 | 356.5 ± 8.1 |
| 15% | 190.8 ± 2.5 | 557.1 ± 13.3 | 710 ± 17 | 530.0 ± 2.5 |