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Evidence for the human health benefits of fresh fruit in validated human digestion, bioavailability and disease model systems (P1, P3, P4)

Results of P1 GROUP

- ❑ **Study I:** Protective effect of Sveva strawberry polyphenol-rich extract against oxidative stress induced by AAPH on human dermal fibroblasts.
- ❑ **Study II:** Effects of two different strawberry cultivars (Adria and Sveva) against doxorubicin (DOX)-induced toxicity in rats.
- ❑ **Study III:** Effect of 500 g/day of Alba strawberries supplementation for 1 month on 23 healthy volunteers.

STUDY I

Anthocyanin-rich strawberry extract protects against oxidative stress damage and improves mitochondrial functionality in human dermal fibroblasts exposed to oxidant agent.

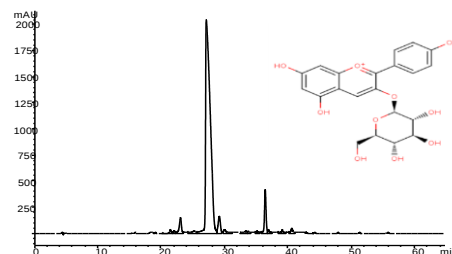


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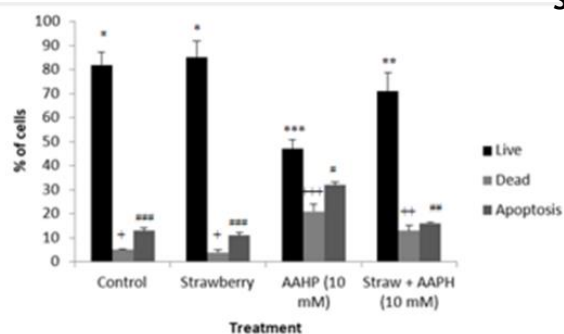


HPLC-DAD-MS analysis



- High content of phenolic compounds
- Relevant total antioxidant capacity

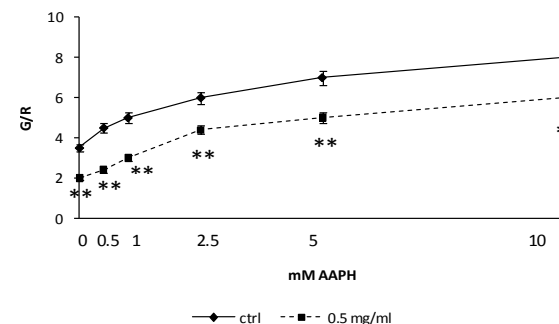
Cell viability



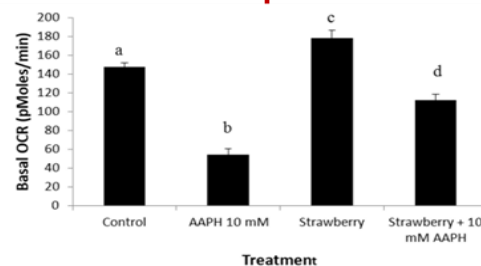
Incubation for 24 h with strawberry extract

AAPH induced stress

Lipid peroxidation



Mitochondrial performance



Protective effects of Sveva against oxidative stress induced by AAPH

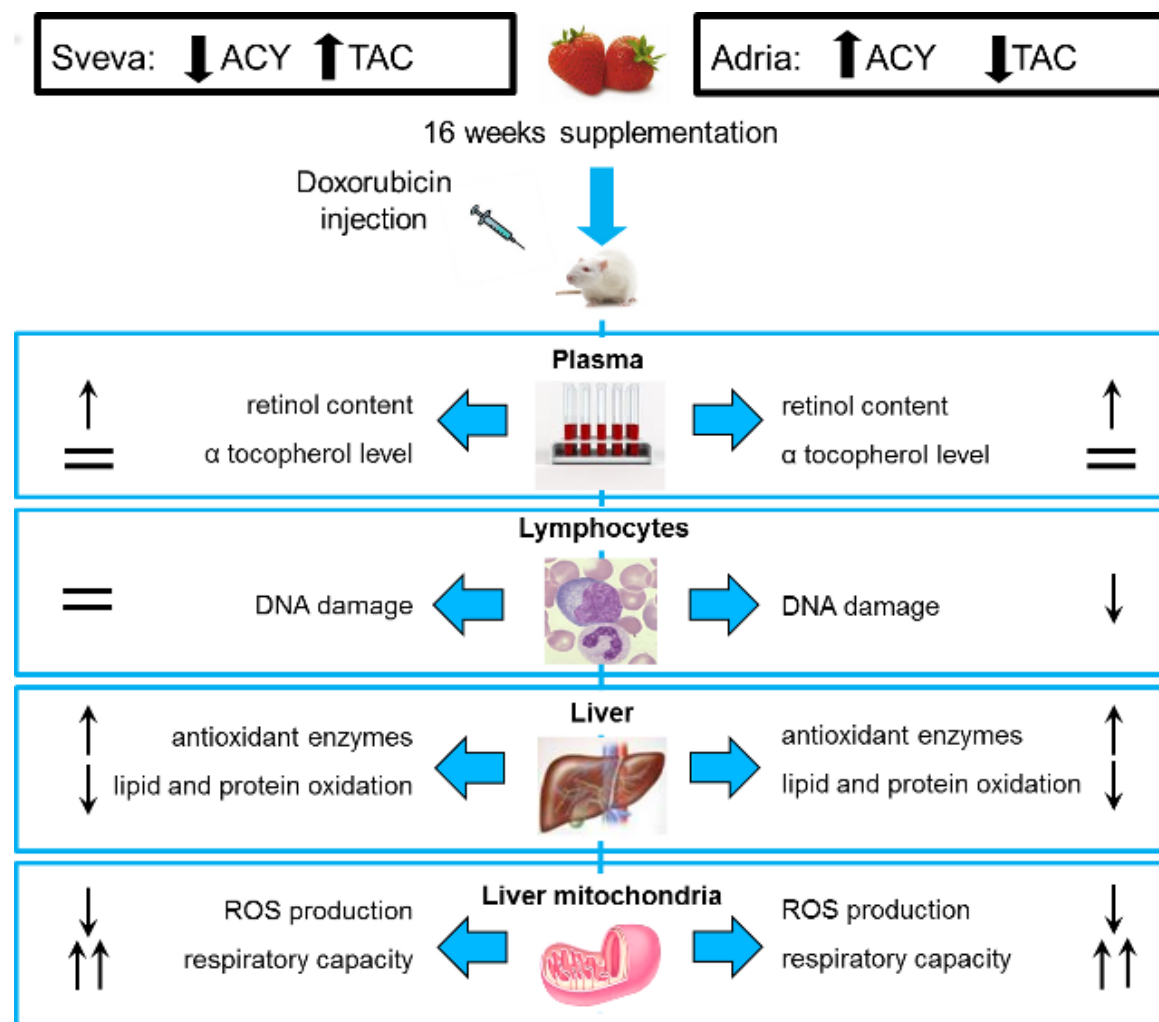
STUDY II

Doxorubicin-Induced Oxidative Stress in Rats Is Efficiently Counteracted by Dietary Anthocyanin Differently Enriched Strawberry (*Fragaria x ananassa* Duch.)

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Effect of Adria and Sveva against DOX-induced toxicity

STUDY III

One-month strawberry-rich anthocyanin supplementation ameliorates cardiovascular risk, oxidative stress markers and platelet activation in humans

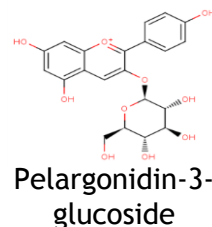
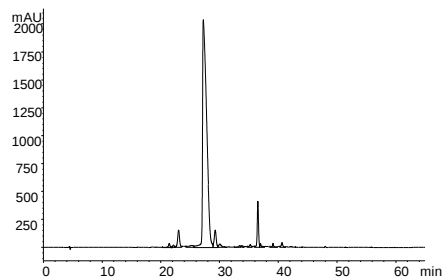
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HPLC-DAD-MS
analysis



- High content of pelargonidin-3-glucoside
- Relevant total antioxidant capacity
- High content of Vitamin C

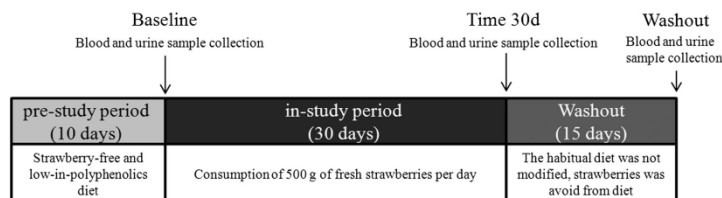
Biomarkers of oxidative stress

↑ FRAP, ORAC, Vit C
= Uric Acid

↓ MDA, 8-OHdG, Isoprostane

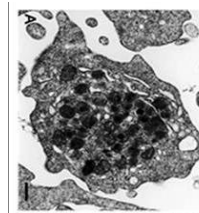
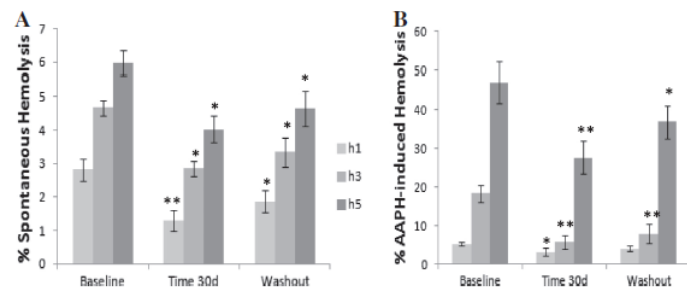
Lipid profile

↓ TC, LDL-C, TG

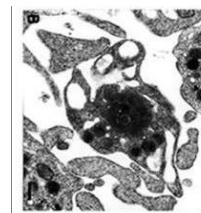


AFTER STRAWBERRY INTAKE

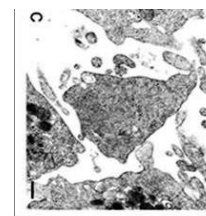
Significant reduction of spontaneous and oxidative hemolysis compared to the baseline point, which remained stable after the washout period.



A) Resting platelet



B) Central clustering platelets



C) Degranulated platelets

Alba supplementation ameliorates cardiovascular risk

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