




# COMPARISON OF DIFFERENT EXTRACTION METHODS OF PHENOLIC COMPOUNDS FROM BAY LEAF (*LAURUS NOBILIS*L.)

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# INTRODUCTION

- ✓ Bay leaf (*Laurus nobilis* L.)
  - ✓ Oldest known spice
  - ✓ Alternative medicine
    - ✓ Antioxidant
    - ✓ Antimicrobial
    - ✓ Anti-inflammatory
    - ✓ Cytotoxic
    - ✓ Anti-asthmatic
    - ✓ Anti-arthritic
    - ✓ Analgesic

(Sayyah et al., 2003; Kaileh et al., 2007; Lee et al., 2013).



# BIOACTIVE COMPOUNDS

- ✓ Called as phytochemicals
- ✓ Secondary metabolites
  - ✓ Carotenoids
  - ✓ Anthocyanins
  - ✓ Phenolic compounds

(Kris-Etherton et al., 2002)



# PHENOLIC COMPOUNDS

- ✓ Secondary metabolite
- ✓ Positive health effect
- ✓ Organoleptic properties
  - ✓ color,
  - ✓ taste,
  - ✓ odor,
  - ✓ nutritional quality
- ✓ Natural antioxidant
- ✓ Natural colorant

(Dai and Mumper, 2010; Ignat et al., 2011)





- ✓ Conventional (solvent) extraction
  - ✓ Long time
  - ✓ Excess solvent
  - ✓ Low yield

- ✓ Alternative extraction methods
  - ✓ Enzyme assisted extraction
  - ✓ Microwave assisted extraction
  - ✓ Ultrasound assisted extraction
    - ✓ Supercritical extraction



(Dai and Mumper, 2010)



# AIM

- ✓ Comparison of three different extraction methods in bay leaf extract in terms of phenolic content and antioxidant capacity;
  - ✓ Microwave assisted,
  - ✓ Enzyme-assisted,
  - ✓ Solvent extraction



# MATERIALS AND METHODS

- ✓ **Raw Material:** Dry bay leaf (*Laurus nobilis* L.)
- ✓ **Methods:**
  - ✓ Conventional (solvent) extraction
  - ✓ Enzyme assisted extraction
  - ✓ Microwave extraction





### **Conventional (Solvent) Extraction**

- ❖ Solvent: 50% ethanol concentration
- ❖ Solid/solvent ratio: 1/10 (w/v)
- ❖ Extraction time: 24 hours  
(Muniz-Marquez et al., 2018)

### **Enzyme Assisted Extraction**

- ❖ Enzyme: Pectinex Ultra SP-L
- ❖ Dose: %8 (v/v)
- ❖ Extraction time: 30 min.
- ❖ Extraction medium pH: 5,5
- ❖ Extraction temperature: 45 °C  
(Özkan and Bilek, 2015)

### **Microwave Assisted Extraction**

- ❖ Power: 500 Watt
- ❖ Time: 30-60-90 s
- ❖ Solvent: 50% ethanol  
(Zhang et al., 2019)

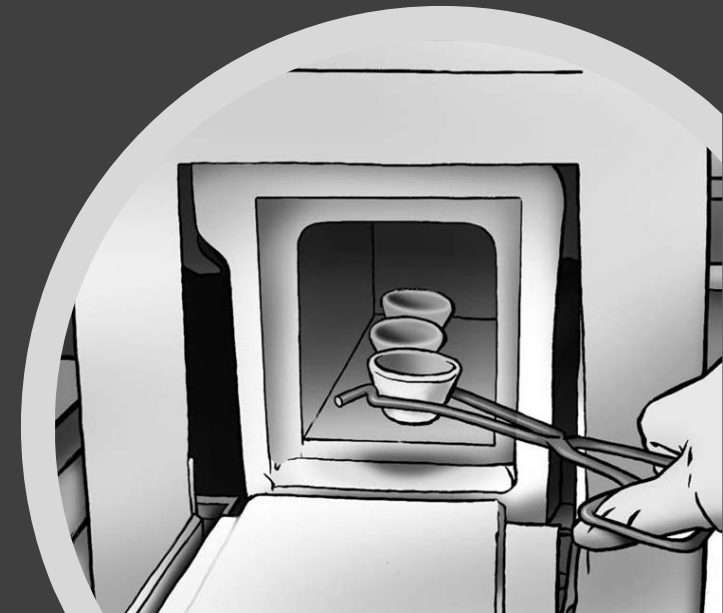
# ANALYSES

## ✓ Raw material analyses:

- ✓ Total dry matter (AOAC, 1990),
- ✓ Total ash (AOAC, 1990),
- ✓ Ascorbic acid (Bajaj and Kaur, 1981)
- ✓ pH value (Cemeroğlu, 2013)
- ✓ Titratable acidity (Cemeroğlu, 2013)
- ✓ Chlorophyll content (Vernon, 1960)

## ✓ Extract analyses:

- ✓ Total phenolic content (Bilek, 2010)
- ✓ DPPH radical scavenging activity (Garcia et al., 2012)





# RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

✓ Table 1. Composition of dry bay leaf

Analysis	Result
Total dry matter (%)	95.39±0.39
Total ash (%) (D.M. basis)	3.67±0.33
Ascorbic acid (mg/100 g D.M.)	294.24±0.10
Chlorophyll (mg/100 g D.M.)	79.57±0.28
pH value (Dilution factor: 10% w/v):	5.35
Titrateable acidity (g citric acid/100 g)	0.38

# EXTRACT

Table 2: Total phenolic content and DPPH radical scavenging activity of bay leaf by different extraction techniques

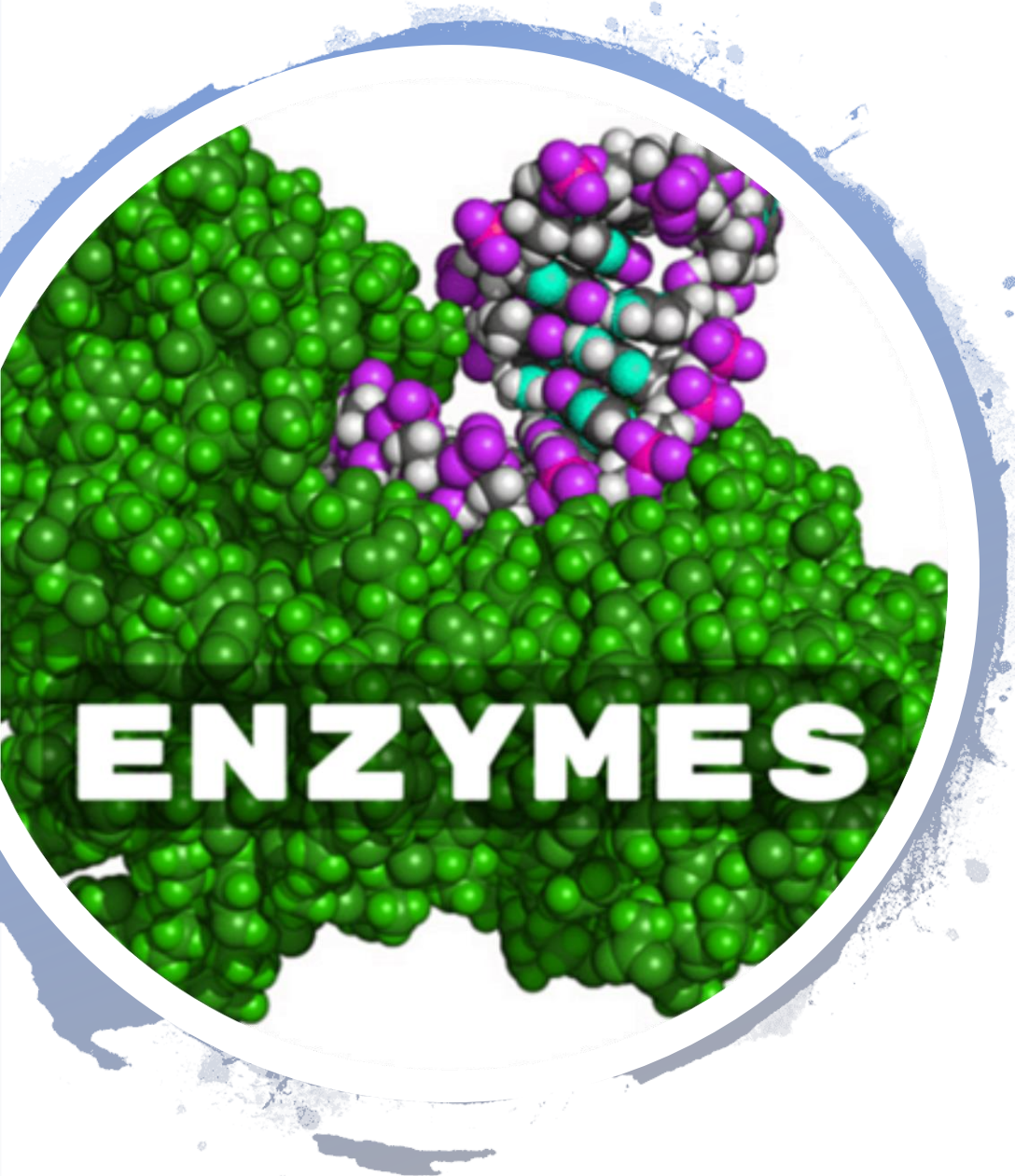
	<b>Solvent extraction</b>	<b>Enzyme assisted ext.</b>	<b>Microwave assisted (30 s)</b>	<b>Microwave assisted (60 s)</b>
Total phenolic content	23.29±0.02 mg GAE/g	<b>32.45±0.02</b> <b>mg GAE/g</b>	30.49±0.02 mg GAE/g	29.23±0.01 mg GAE/g
DPPH radical scavenging activity	36.91%±0.05	<b>50.72%±0.27</b>	41.51%±0.09	38.03%±0.37

# RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS



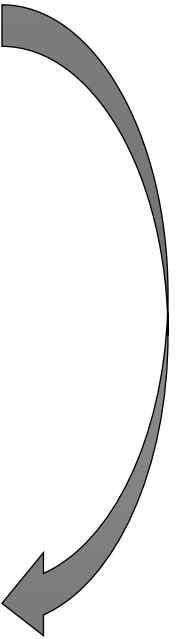
✓ In literature;

- ❖ Total phenolic compounds: 12.0-84.5 mg GAE/g plant (Elmastaş et al., 2006; Muchuweti et al., 2007; Ouchikh et al., 2011; Albayrak et al., 2012)
- ❖ DPPH radical scavenging activity: 83.0-91.1% (Cherrat et al., 2014; El et al., 2014)

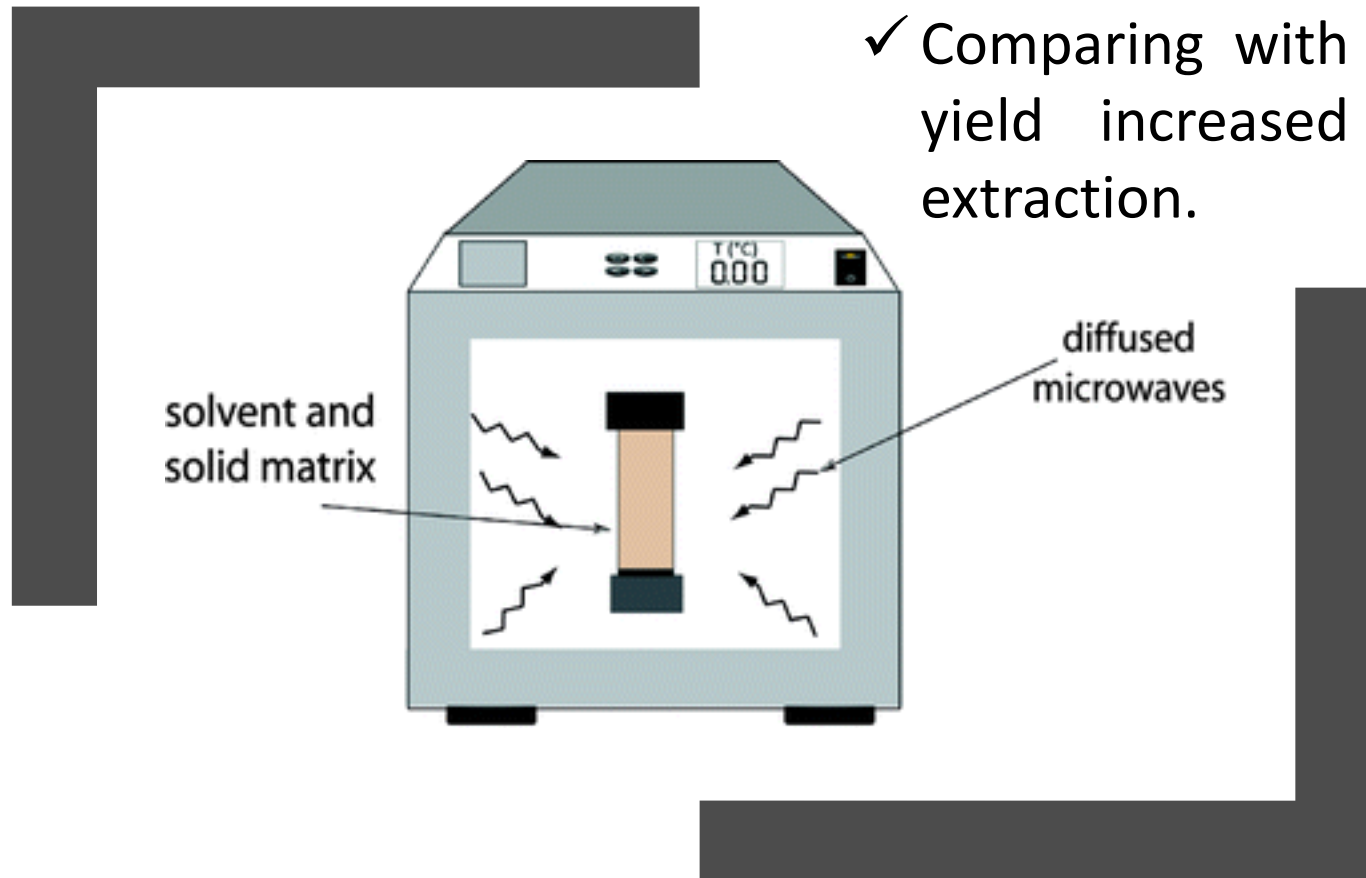


- ✓ Looking at the total phenolic content and DPPH radical scavenging activity, it has seen that the best method is enzyme assisted extraction (TPC: 32.45 mg GAE/g plant).
- ✓ This can be due to the Pectinex Ultra SP-L (Novozyme) disrupt the cell wall in the plant cell, facilitating the extraction of phenolic compounds (Boulila et al., 2015).
- ✓ Comparing with conventional extraction method, it was observed that the TPC extraction yield increased 39.29%.

- Poligalakturonase,
- Pectinesterase,
- Pectin trans eliminase
- Hemicellulase
- Cellulase



- ✓ After enzyme assisted extraction, it was seen that the microwave assisted extraction is also efficient for extraction of phenolic compounds.



- ✓ Comparing with solvent extraction, TPC extraction yield increased 30.87% in microwave assisted extraction.

- ✓ This can be due to in contrast to conventional heating, in microwave heating, for example, all are heated simultaneously, homogeneously and quickly.



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- ✓ The cells are heated by microwaves due to the moisture in them and as a result of evaporation, they apply pressure to the cell wall thus the cell wall disintegrates with this high pressure and the components can pass into the solvent.
  - ✓ However, the increase in extraction time in microwave assisted extraction may cause the degradation of bioactive compounds therefore the efficiency can decrease.




# CONCLUSION

- The conventional extraction is not satisfactory in terms of extraction efficiency and time.
- The enzyme assisted extraction is the best way to increase the extraction efficiency based on the TPC and DPPH radical scavenging activity.
- In addition to enzyme assisted extraction, microwave assisted extraction can also be good solution in order to improve yield and energy saving.

# CONCLUSION

- Extraction efficiency increased in both methods. Although the enzyme assisted extraction is better than microwave assisted extraction in terms of TPC yield, enzymes are expensive biological catalysts.
- In this case, optimization of parameters in both enzyme and microwave assisted extraction methods is important.

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