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# Simultaneous Determination of Steroids and NSAIDs, Using DLLME-SFO Extraction and HPLC Analysis, in Milk and Eggs Collected from Rural Roma Communities in Transylvania, Romania

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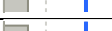
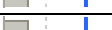

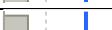





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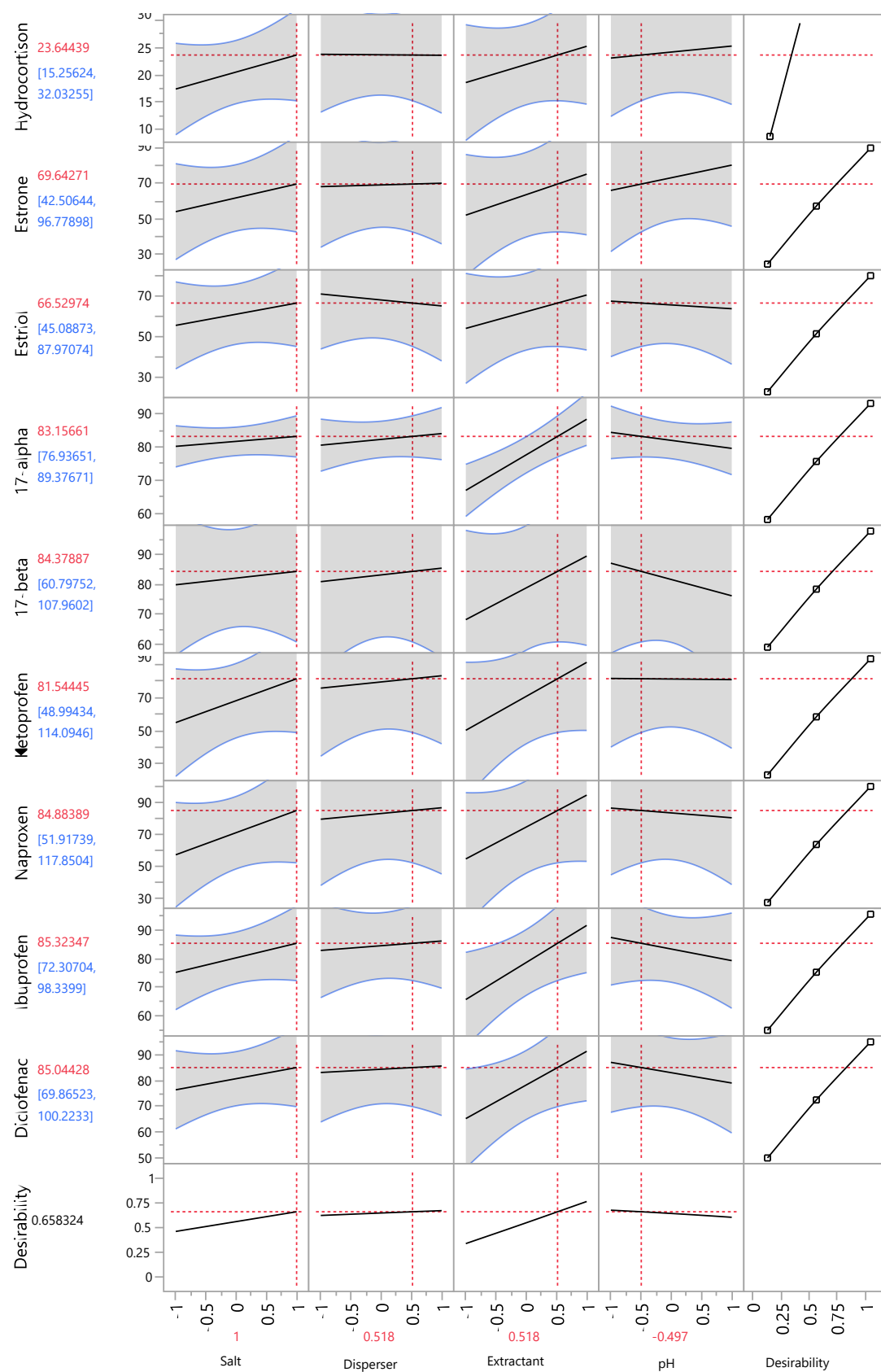
**Table S1.** The set code value of variables used in each experiment and the values of extraction recovery (%) obtained for each compound.

Exp. no	Salt (X1)	Disperser (X2)	Extractant (X3)	pH (X4)	HCOR	E1	E3	EE2	E2	KET	NAP	IBU	DI C
1	1	-1	-1	-1	12.3	42.9	52.6	59.4	61.9	33.4	34.5	57.3	57.1
2	1	-1	1	-1	25.3	68.6	77.6	87.8	92.9	84.0	89.0	91.0	92.1
3	1	1	-1	-1	19.1	47.1	56.3	69.2	74.3	46.1	50.3	64.5	63.8
4	1	1	1	-1	23.4	68.5	65.2	91.8	96.4	91.1	96.0	94.1	93.0
5	-1	-1	-1	-1	11.5	30.1	58.2	71.1	75.7	39.1	50.0	59.6	54.6
6	-1	-1	1	-1	13.9	46.6	66.7	86.0	87.4	42.0	41.3	73.9	76.0
7	-1	1	-1	-1	9.5	26.7	54.9	63.9	68.9	26.0	29.6	59.1	51.9
8	-1	1	1	-1	18.3	53.4	51.2	89.1	90.0	53.1	54.3	78.2	81.4
9	-1	-1	-1	1	19.7	49.5	29.0	60.4	61.8	49.5	59.7	62.8	63.4
10	-1	-1	1	1	20.6	72.4	55.1	88.8	84.8	90.0	94.0	93.0	91.0
11	-1	1	-1	1	14.7	44.6	24.9	67.7	68.8	44.6	54.7	67.7	70.3
12	-1	1	1	1	21.6	73.3	53.9	74.0	76.2	73.3	71.6	75.4	78.8
13	1	-1	-1	1	15.1	59.2	42.4	71.2	68.0	59.2	65.1	69.2	66.1
14	1	-1	1	1	28.8	78.3	65.4	85.3	81.1	78.3	78.8	79.5	78.0
15	1	1	-1	1	20.1	57.8	40.0	69.3	70.0	57.8	63.1	68.7	68.3
16	1	1	1	1	25.5	85.2	68.8	83.0	82.0	85.2	81.5	81.1	81.2
17	0	0	0	0	27.7	77.9	68.1	71.4	60.5	82.2	86.1	81.8	83.4
18	0	0	0	0	21.8	70.2	69.5	71.8	61.5	81.6	87.2	83.1	84.3
19	0	0	0	0	21.3	77.1	68.9	72.2	61.2	82.9	85.7	82.6	82.8

**Table S2.** The magnitude of the effects and the significance level for the variables and their interactions.

Source	Logworth		PValue	
Extractant	2.626		0.00237	
Salt*Disperser*Extractant*pH	1.008		0.09824	
pH	0.840		0.14446	^
Salt	0.793		0.16098	^
Extractant*pH	0.768		0.17046	^
Disperser*Extractant*pH	0.724		0.18865	^
Salt*Disperser*Extractant	0.577		0.26460	^
Salt*Extractant*pH	0.569		0.26985	^
Disperser*pH	0.566		0.27171	^
Salt*pH	0.562		0.27410	^
Salt*Disperser	0.560		0.27534	^
Disperser*Extractant	0.468		0.34066	^
Salt*Disperser*pH	0.370		0.42697	^
Salt*Extractant	0.321		0.47723	^
Disperser	0.220		0.60312	^

**Figure S1.** The optimal conditions predicted by model, minimum, maximum and optimum extraction recovery values, and the value of desirability function.



**Table S3.** Results obtained for contaminated milk and egg samples.

Samples/ compounds	Amount found in samples [ng]								
	HCOR	E1	E2	EE2	E3	KET	NAP	DIC	IBU
Milk initial	nd	0.11	0.06	1.18	0.08	nd	0.40	0.07	0.30
Milk spiked 1	10.83	86.72	89.50	81.40	63.46	76.80	74.70	74.46	87.07
Milk spiked 2	9.98	85.46	87.61	82.91	63.29	77.89	74.02	75.12	88.21
Milk spiked 3	10.60	86.01	87.68	84.84	64.2	78.89	74.49	74.17	87.92
Average milk	<b>10.47</b>	<b>86.06</b>	<b>88.26</b>	<b>83.05</b>	<b>63.32</b>	<b>77.86</b>	<b>74.40</b>	<b>74.58</b>	<b>87.73</b>
Standard deviation	0.44	0.63	1.07	1.72	0.13	1.04	0.34	0.48	0.59
Egg initial	nd	0.28	0.26	nd	0.35	0.17	0.82	0.12	1.57
Egg spiked 1	10.66	85.85	92.20	90.87	63.25	76.05	77.91	78.34	95.07
Egg spiked 2	9.77	81.61	87.66	86.98	65.87	76.71	75.68	76.85	92.02
Egg spiked 3	10.5	82.73	89.9	88.83	63.74	75.48	76.5	77.7	94.54
Average Egg	<b>10.31</b>	<b>83.40</b>	<b>89.92</b>	<b>88.89</b>	<b>64.29</b>	<b>76.08</b>	<b>76.70</b>	<b>77.63</b>	<b>93.88</b>
Standard deviation	0.47	2.20	2.27	1.95	1.39	0.62	1.13	0.75	1.63

“nd” – not detected

**Table S4.** Results of steroids and NSAIDs obtained on the milk analyzed samples.

Sampling point	Concentration [ $\mu\text{g/L}$ ]							
	E1	E2	EE2	E3	KET	NAP	DIC	IBU
Almaşu	0.97	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL
Avrămeşti	0.85	1.10	0.87	<MDL	1.03	1.23	0.78	2.18
Băgaciu	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL
Coltău	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	3.41
Delenii	1.59	<MDL	2.54	0.77	0.90	<MDL	0.71	1.15
Diosig	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL
Gorneşti	<MDL	<MDL	1.31	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL
Gurghiu	<MDL	<MDL	1.86	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL
Racoviţa	<MDL	1.62	4.30	0.95	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL
Roşia Montana	<MDL	<MDL	0.67	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL
Saschiz	<MDL	<MDL	1.32	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL
Şaeş	<MDL	1.92	3.49	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	2.90
Terebeşti	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	2.66
Turulung	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	0.77	1.76
Țețchea	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	0.86	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	0.81

MDL- method detection limit

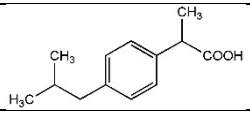
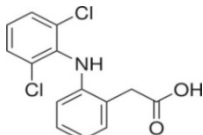
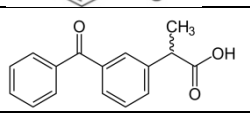
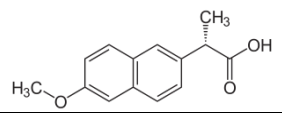
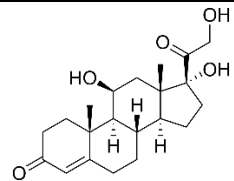
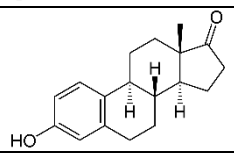
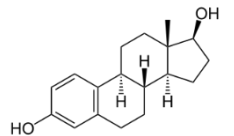
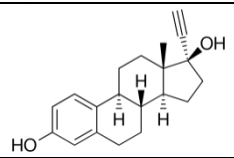
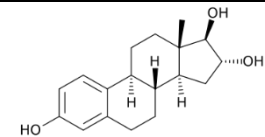
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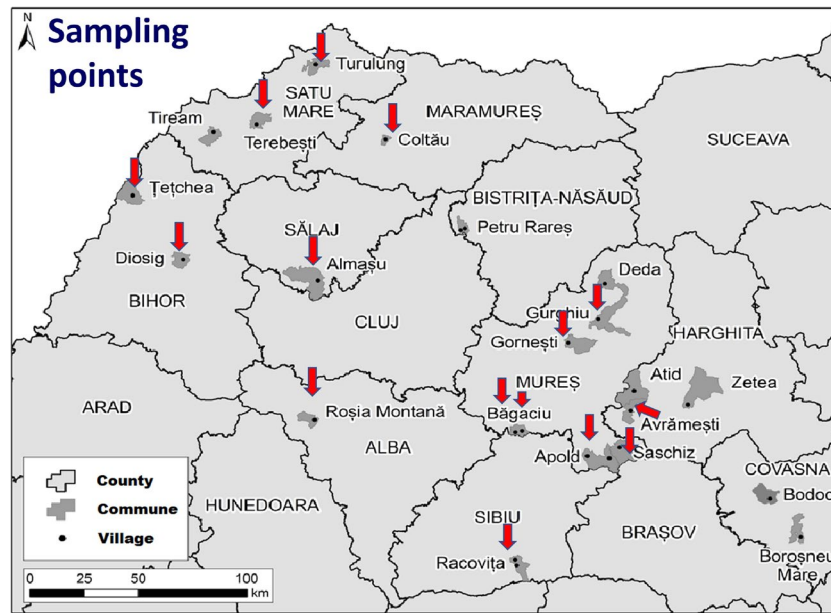
Sample point	Concentration [ $\mu\text{g/kg}$ ]							
	E1	E2	EE2	E3	KET	NAP	DIC	IBU
Almaşu	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	0.98	0.81	<MDL	<MDL	0.89
Avrămeşti	<MDL	1.42	<MDL	<MDL	0.98	1.63	<MDL	2.20
Băgaciu	0.73	2.79	2.23	<MDL	<MDL	2.10	<MDL	<MDL
Coltău	<MDL	2.69	2.04	<MDL	1.99	1.68	<MDL	2.28
Delenii	<MDL	2.64	<MDL	1.08	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	2.11
Diosig	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	1.16	<MDL	1.26	<MDL	<MDL
Gorneşti	<MDL	2.79	2.19	1.99	<MDL	2.10	<MDL	1.76
Gurghiu	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	1.44
Racoviţa	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL
Roşia Montana	<MDL	<MDL	0.89	<MDL	0.78	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL
Saschiz	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	1.01	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL
Şaeş	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	1.28	1.71	<MDL	<MDL
Terebeşti	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	0.89	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	0.98
Turulung	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	0.89	1.72	<MDL	1.62
Țețchea	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	0.98	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL	<MDL

MDL- method detection limit



**Table S6.** Physical-chemical properties of tested compounds and abbreviations

Compound name	Molecular formula	Abbreviation	LogP	pKa
Ibuprofen		IBU	3.97	5.03
Diclofenac		DIC	4.51	4.15
Ketoprofen		KET	3.12	4.45
Naproxen		NAP	3.18	4.15
Hydrocortisone		HCOR	1.61	12.59
Estrone		E1	2.6	10.77
17 $\beta$ -estradiol		E2	4.01	10.08
17 $\alpha$ -ethynylestradiol		EE2	3.67	10.21
Estriol		E3	2.45	10.54



**Figure S2.** Map indication of all 15 sampling points in the investigated area