

# Changes in the Antioxidative Activity and the Content of Phenolics and Iridoids during Fermentation and Aging of Natural Fruit Meads

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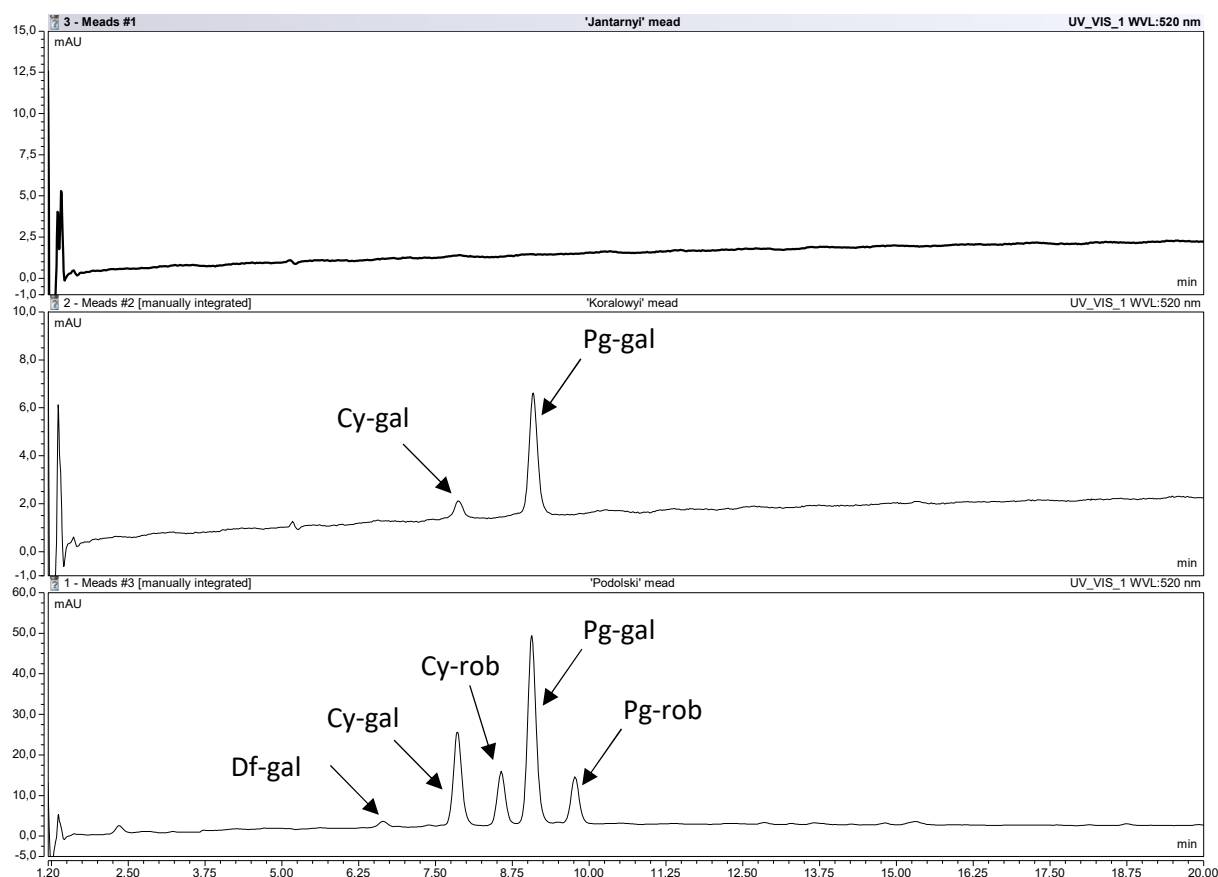


Figure S1. HPLC-PDA chromatograms (520 nm) of anthocyanins of fruit meads: **Df-gal**—delphinidin 3-*O*-galactoside; **Cy-gal**—cyanidin 3-*O*-galactoside; **Cy-rob**—cyanidin 3-*O*-robinobioside; **Pg-gal**—pelargonidin 3-*O*-galactoside; **Pg-rob**—pelargonidin 3-*O*-robinobioside

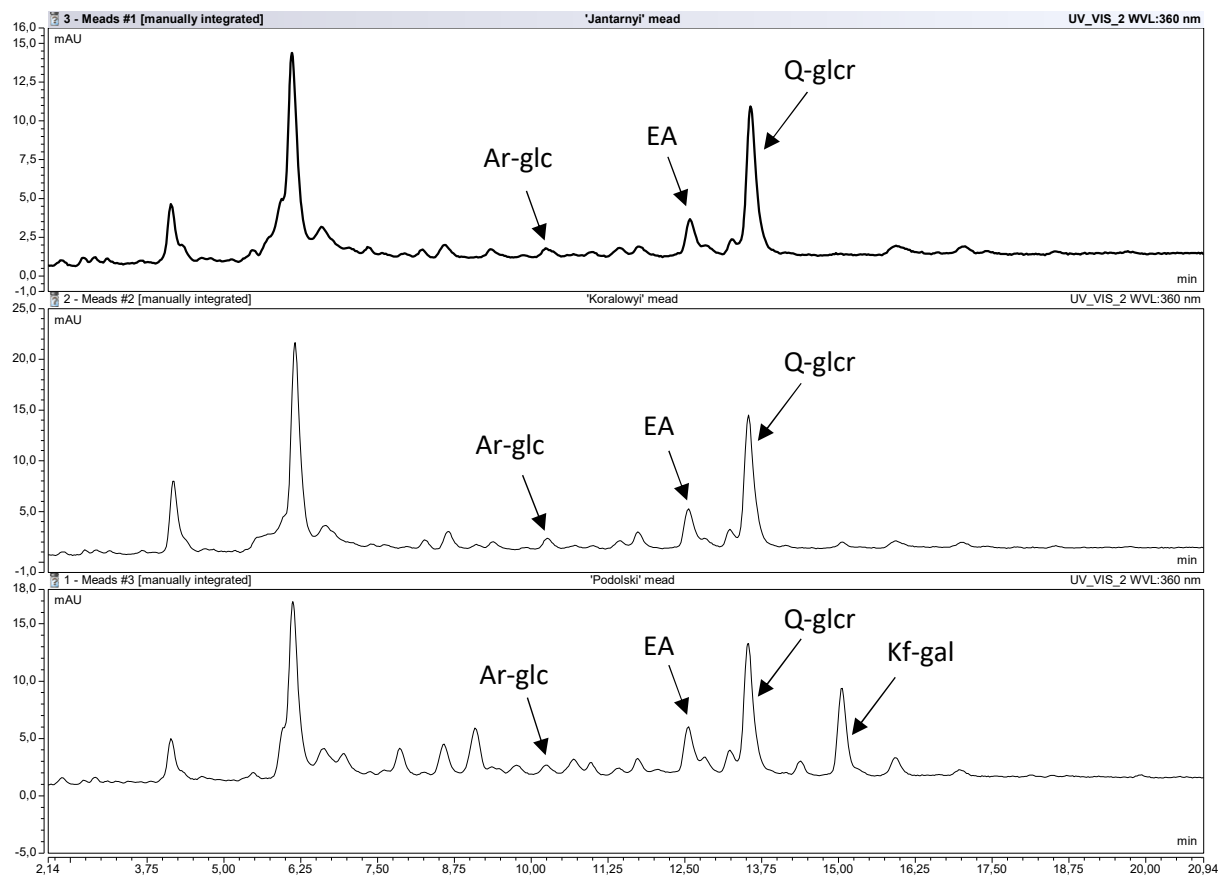


Figure S2. HPLC-PDA chromatograms (360 nm) of flavonols and ellagic acid of fruit meads: **Ar-glc**—aromadendrin 7-*O*-glucoside; **EA**—ellagic acid; **Q-glc**—quercetin 3-*O*-glucuronide, **Kf-gal**—kaempferol 3-*O*-galactoside.

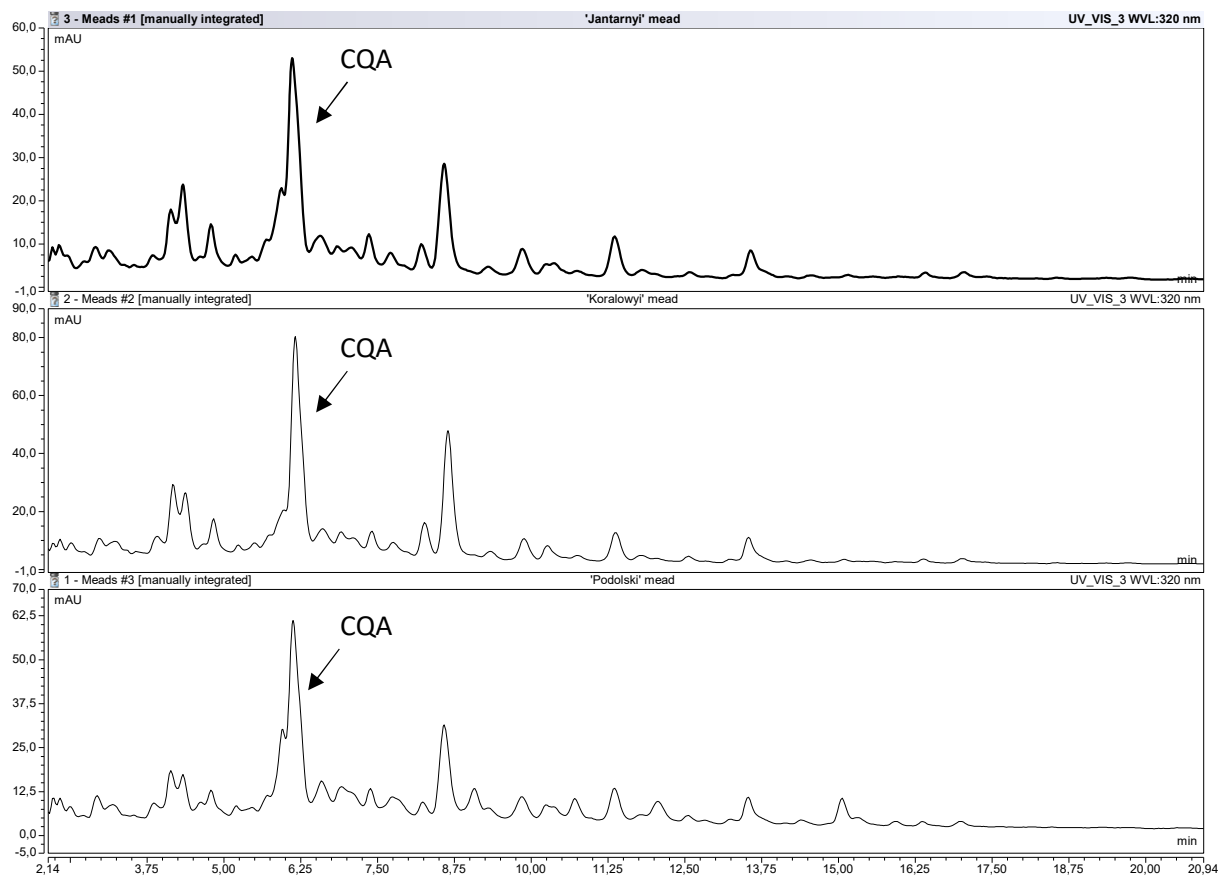


Figure S3. HPLC-PDA chromatograms (320 nm) of phenolic acids of fruit meads: **CQA**–caffeoylquinic acids.

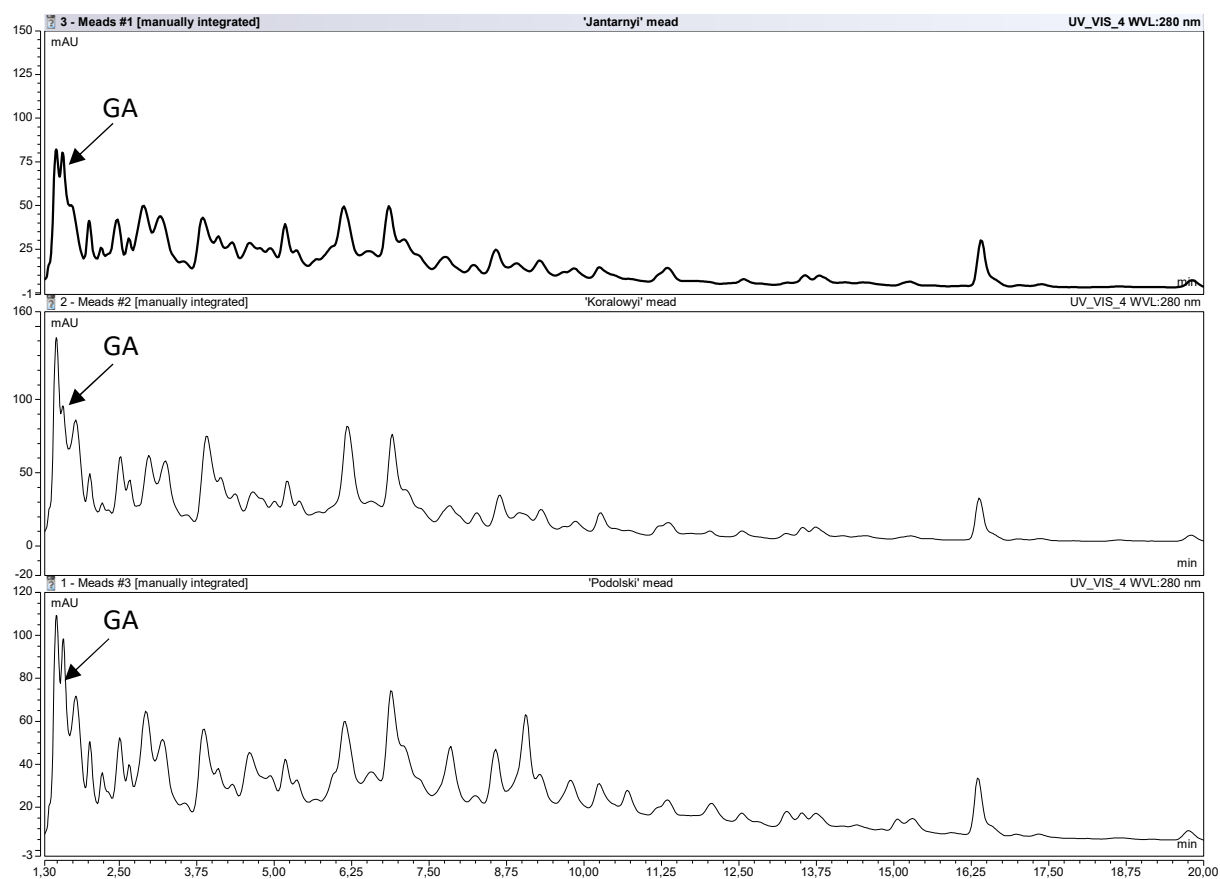


Figure S4. HPLC-PDA chromatograms (280 nm) of phenolic acids of fruit meads: **GA**—gallic acid.

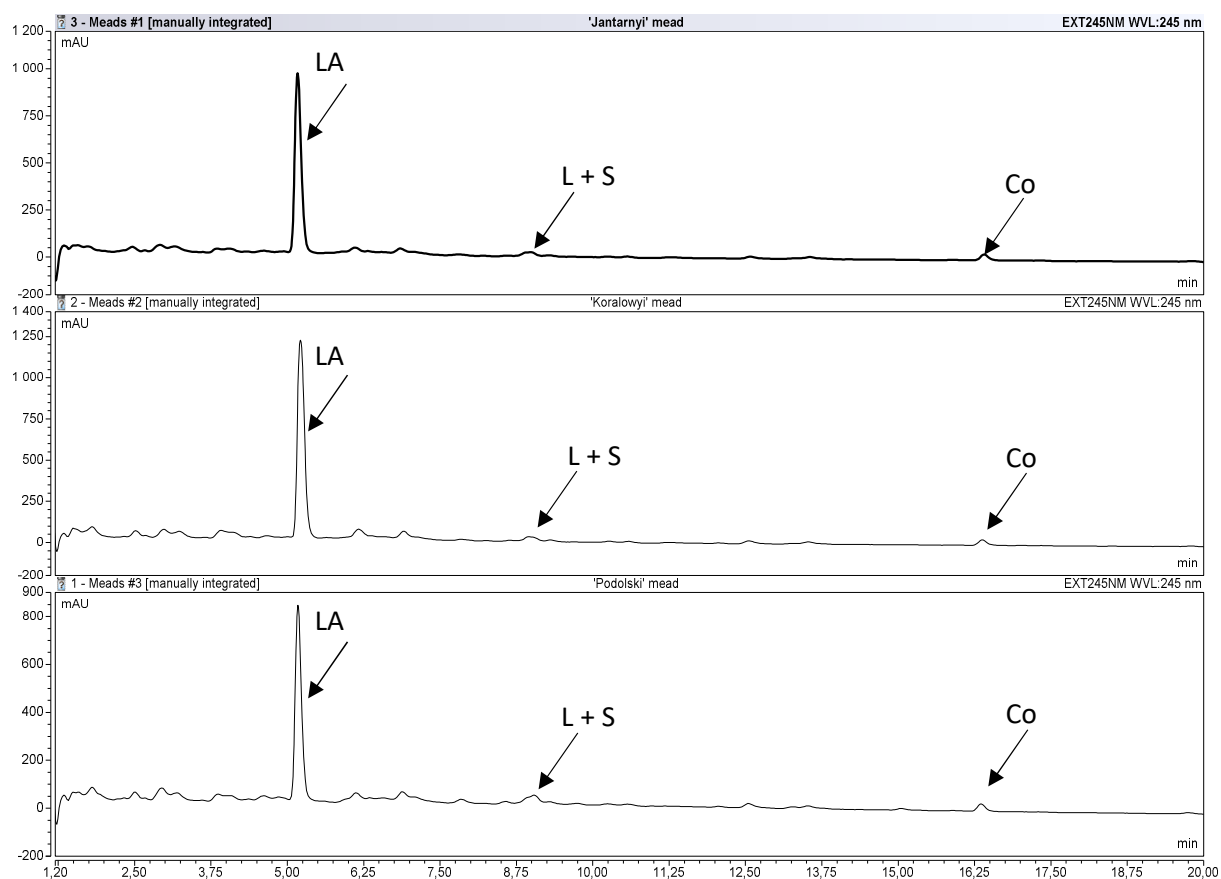


Figure S5. HPLC-PDA chromatograms (245 nm) of iridoids of fruit meads: **LA**—loganic acid; **L**—loganine; **S**—sweroside; **Co**—cornuside.

Table S1. Identification (UPLC retention times, spectra UV/Vis, and MS) of compounds of cornelian cherry juice by LC-MS.

Peak No.	$t_{R\text{ LC-MS}}$ (min)	Compound	UV/Vis $\lambda_{\text{max}}$ (nm)	$[M - H]^-/[M + H]^+$ ( $m/z$ )	Other ions ( $m/z$ )
1	3.7	Gallic acid	272	169	-
2	4.9	Loganic acid	246	375 (377 <sup>+</sup> )	213 (215 <sup>+</sup> )
3	5.8	Caffeoylquinic acid	324	353	191
4	5.73	Loganin	246	389	227 435 $[M + \text{HCOO-H}]^-$
5	5.73	Sweroside	246	357	195 403 $[M + \text{HCOO-H}]^-$
6	6.3	Delphinidin 3- <i>O</i> -galactoside	524	463 <sup>+</sup>	303 <sup>+</sup>
7	7.6	Cyanidin 3- <i>O</i> -galactoside;	515	449 <sup>+</sup>	287 <sup>+</sup>
8	8.3	Cyanidin 3- <i>O</i> -robinobioside	516	595 <sup>+</sup>	287 <sup>+</sup>
9	8.8	Pelargonidin 3- <i>O</i> -galactoside	501	433 <sup>+</sup>	271 <sup>+</sup>
10	9.5	Pelargonidin 3- <i>O</i> -robinobioside	501	579 <sup>+</sup>	271 <sup>+</sup>
11		Aromadendrin 7- <i>O</i> -glucoside	295	449	287
12	12.3	Ellagic acid	254/362	301	-
13	13.2	Quercetin 3- <i>O</i> -glucuronide	354	477	301
14	14.8	Kaempferol 3- <i>O</i> -galactoside	348	447	285
15	16.1	Cornuside	245/273	541 (543 <sup>+</sup> )	169 (171 <sup>+</sup> )

### Identification of iridoids and polyphenols by LC-MS

The method was previously described by Kucharska et al. [2017]. Identification of compounds was performed using the Acquity ultra-performance liquid chromatography (UPLC) system, coupled with a quadrupole-time of flight (Q-TOF) MS instrument (UPLC/Synapt Q-TOF MS, Waters Corp., Milford, MA, USA), with an electrospray ionization (ESI) source. Separation was achieved on an Acquity BEH C18 column (100 mm × 2.1 mm i.d., 1.7 μm; Waters). The mobile phase was a mixture of 2.0% aq. formic acid v/v (A) and acetonitrile (B). The gradient program was as follows: initial conditions—1% B in A, 12 min—25% B in A, 12.5 min—100% B, 13.5 min—1% B in A. The flow rate was 0.45 mL/min and the injection volume was 5 μL. The column was operated at 30 °C. UV-vis absorption spectra were recorded on-line during UPLC analysis, and the spectral measurements were made in the wavelength range of 200–600 nm, in steps of 2 nm. The major operating parameters for the Q-TOF MS were set as follows: capillary voltage 2.0 kV, cone voltage 40 V, cone gas flow of 11 L/h, collision energy 28–30 eV, source temperature 100 °C, desolvation temperature 250 °C, collision gas, argon; desolvation gas (nitrogen) flow rate, 600 L/h; data acquisition range,  $m/z$  100–1000 Da; ionization mode, negative (iridoids, phenolic acids, flavonols) and positive (anthocyanins). The data were collected with Mass-Lynx™ V 4.1 software (Waters Corp., Milford, MA, USA). The runs were monitored at the following wavelengths: iridoids at 245 nm, phenolic acids at 320 nm, 254 nm, 280 nm, flavonols at 360 nm, anthocyanins at 520 nm.

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