



Il Progetto «MICROFLOWER»

Composizione e proprietà antiossidanti di microalghe ad alto valore biologico

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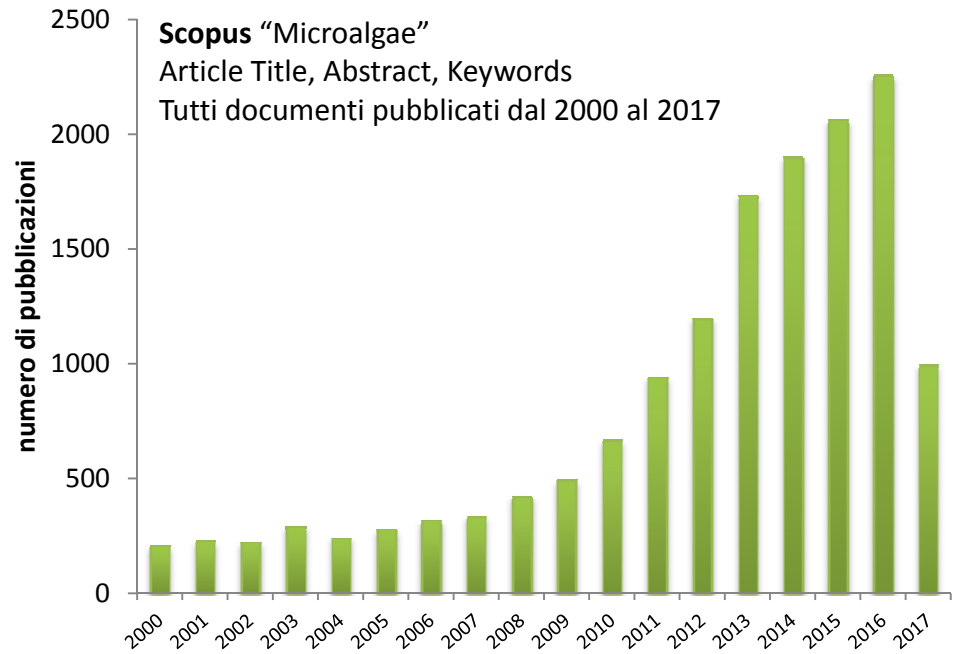
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Outline

- Composizione chimica delle microalghe
- Microalghe in ambito alimentare, farmaceutico e cosmetico
- Elevato valore biologico delle microalghe: la spirulina
- Risultati MICROFLOWER
- Conclusioni



Composizione chimica delle microalghe

Proteine

Carboidrati

Lipidi

Vitamine

Pigmenti

Minerali

Additivi alimentari /coloranti
Alimenti funzionali
Prodotti farmaceutici
Cosmetici

Applicazioni alimentari

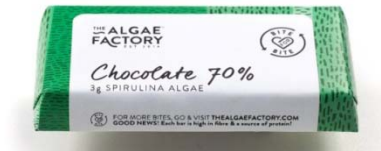


TABLE 1. General composition of different human food sources and algae (% of dry matter) (3)

Commodity	Protein	Carbo- hydrate	Lipid
Bakers' yeast	39	38	1
Meat	43	1	34
Milk	26	38	28
Rice	8	77	2
Soybean	37	30	20
<i>Anabaena cylindrica</i>	43–56	25–30	4–7
<i>Chlamydomonas reinhardtii</i>	48	17	21
<i>Chlorella vulgaris</i>	51–58	12–17	14–22
<i>Dunaliella salina</i>	57	32	6
<i>Porphyridium cruentum</i>	28–39	40–57	9–14
<i>Scenedesmus obliquus</i>	50–56	10–17	12–14
<i>Spirulina maxima</i>	60–71	13–16	6–7
<i>Synechococcus</i> sp.	63	15	11



Applicazioni farmaceutiche

Acidi grassi polinsaturi

- ❑ DHA sviluppo cerebrale e della vista
- ❑ GLA antinfiammatorio e antibatterico
- ❑ EPA antinfiammatorio e vasodilatatore

Carboidrati

- ❑ Polisaccaridi solfati
immunomodulanti e antitrombotici

Pigmenti

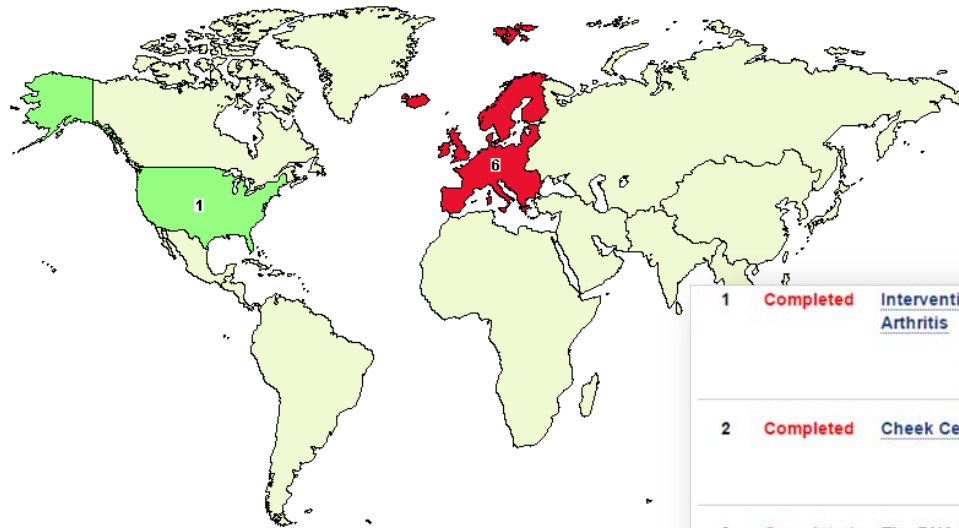
- ❑ *Marker* fluorescenti
- ❑ Carotenoidi
 - ❑ β -carotene antiossidante
 - ❑ Astaxantina antiossidante


Omega-3 <i>polinsauri</i> (PUFA)	Omega-6 <i>polinsauri</i> (PUFA)
Acido alpha linolenico (ALA) <i>essenziale</i>	Acido linoleico (LA) <i>essenziale</i>
Acido Eicosapentaenoico (EPA)	Acido-Gamma-linolenico (GLA)
Acido Docosaesaenoico (DHA)	Acido Arachidonico (AA)



Trial clinici

ClinicalTrials.gov (ultimo accesso 12/06/2017)
“Microalgae”



Colors indicate the number of studies with locations in that region
Least  Most
Labels give the exact number of studies

1	Completed	Intervention With Long-chain n-3 Polyunsaturated Fatty Acids From Microalgae Oil in Patients With Rheumatoid Arthritis	Condition: Rheumatoid Arthritis Interventions: Dietary Supplement: long-chain n-3 PUFA; Dietary Supplement: sunflower oil
2	Completed	Cheek Cells - Non-invasive Fatty Acid Status Marker	Condition: Healthy Intervention: Dietary Supplement: DHA (docosahexaenoic acid)
3	Completed	The DHA (Docosahexaenoic Acid) Oxford Learning and Behaviour (DOLAB) Study	Conditions: Learning; Behaviour Interventions: Dietary Supplement: DHA (docosahexaenoic acid); Dietary Supplement: Sunflower oil capsules
4	Terminated	Effect of Docosahexaenoic Acid (DHA)-Enriched Human Milk in Premature Newborns	Condition: Premature Intervention: Dietary Supplement: Supplementation of lactating mothers who has delivered prematurely with DHA
5	Completed	Consumption of Eggs Rich in Lutein and Omega-3 Fatty Acids on the Macular Pigment	Condition: Age-related Macular Degeneration Intervention: Other: Nutritional study
6	Completed	Intervention With n-3 Polyunsaturated Fatty Acids (PUFA)-Supplemented Products in Moderate Hypertriglyceridemic Patients	Condition: Hypertriglyceridemia Intervention: Dietary Supplement: n-3 PUFA
7	Completed	Docosahexenoic Acid (DHA) Supplementation and Cardiovascular Disease in Men With High Triglycerides	Condition: Hypertriglyceridemia Interventions: Dietary Supplement: Docosahexenoic acid (DHA); Dietary Supplement: Olive oil

Applicazioni cosmetiche

Cute e capelli



Proprietà delle microalghe

- Anti-età
fotoprotettori
antiossidanti
inibitori degradazione del collagene
- Anti-macchia/Sbiancanti
- Antimicrobici

Impieghi

- Idratanti
- Tonici
- Ristrutturanti/anti-aging
- Solari

Elevato valore biologico delle microalghe

Arthrospira platensis

Content in 100 g
Proteins 35.4–70.0 g
<i>Amino acids</i>
Glutamate 7.0–7.3 g
Leucine 5.9–8.4 g
Aspartate 5.2–6.0 g
Lysine 2.6–4.6 g
Tyrosine 2.6–3.4 g
Phenylalanine 2.6–4.1 g
Methionine 1.3–2.7 g
Fat 4.0–16.0 g
<i>% of total fatty acids</i>
Palmitic 25.8–44.9%
Gamma-linoleic 17.1–40.1%
Linoleic 11.1–12.0%
Oleic 10.1–16.6%
Palmitoleic 2.3–3.8%
Stearic 1.7–2.2%
Carbohydrates 14.0–19.0 g
Crude fiber 3.0–7.0 g
<i>Minerals</i>
Potassium 2.0–2.6 g
Sodium 1.5–2.2 g
Total phosphorus 1.3–2.2 g
Iron 273.2–787.0 mg
Magnesium 330 mg
Calcium 120–900 mg
<i>Vitamins</i>
B12 5.7–38.5 µg
B2 3.0–4.6 mg
B6 0.5–0.8 mg
Niacin (B3) 13–15 mg
Folic acid 0.05–9.92 mg
Carotenoids 0.3–2.6 g
lucopherol 0.4–9.8 g

In 1967 Spirulina was recognized as a 'future food source' by the International Association of Applied Microbiology

Generally recognized as safe (GRAS) dal 1981 (FDA)

Antiossidante
Antinfiammatorio
Ipoglicemizzante
Antipertensivo
Antibatterico



Finamore et al. Oxidative Medicine and Cellular Longevity 2017, Article ID 3247528;
Lupatini et al. J Sci Food Agric 2017 97:724–732; Wu et al. Arch Toxicol 2016 90:1817–1840

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Composizione e valutazione attività antiossidante

A. platensis coltivata considerando 4 medium di coltura:

- Zarrouck: medium di riferimento
 - T3.1: $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3/\text{KNO}_3$
 - K1: KNO_3
 - RM6: NaNO_3
- } Medium low cost

... e considerando tre condizioni di coltura:

- Lab scale (ISILS)
- Lab scale con riciclo medium (ISILS)
- Mid scale (P680)

Confronto:

- Liofilizzazione
- Essiccazione a freddo

Proteine

Carboidrati

Lipidi

Pigmenti

Attività antiox

Controllo:

Arthropira platensis
commerciale

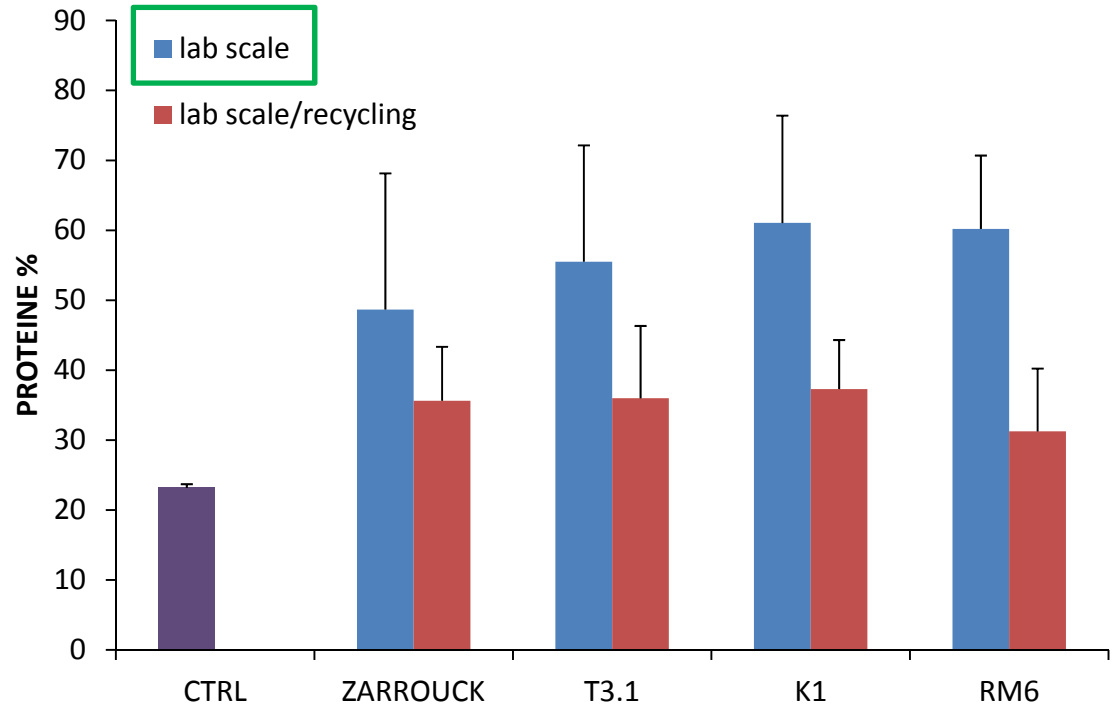


Risultati MICROFLOWER Proteine

Materiali e metodi

Microalghe 0,1 mg/ml in H₂O
BCA-protein assay kit
Incubazione a 37°C per 2h
Centrifugazione 3000 g 10 min
 λ 562 nm
Standard albumina serica bovina

Trattamento $p < 0,0001$
Medium n.s.



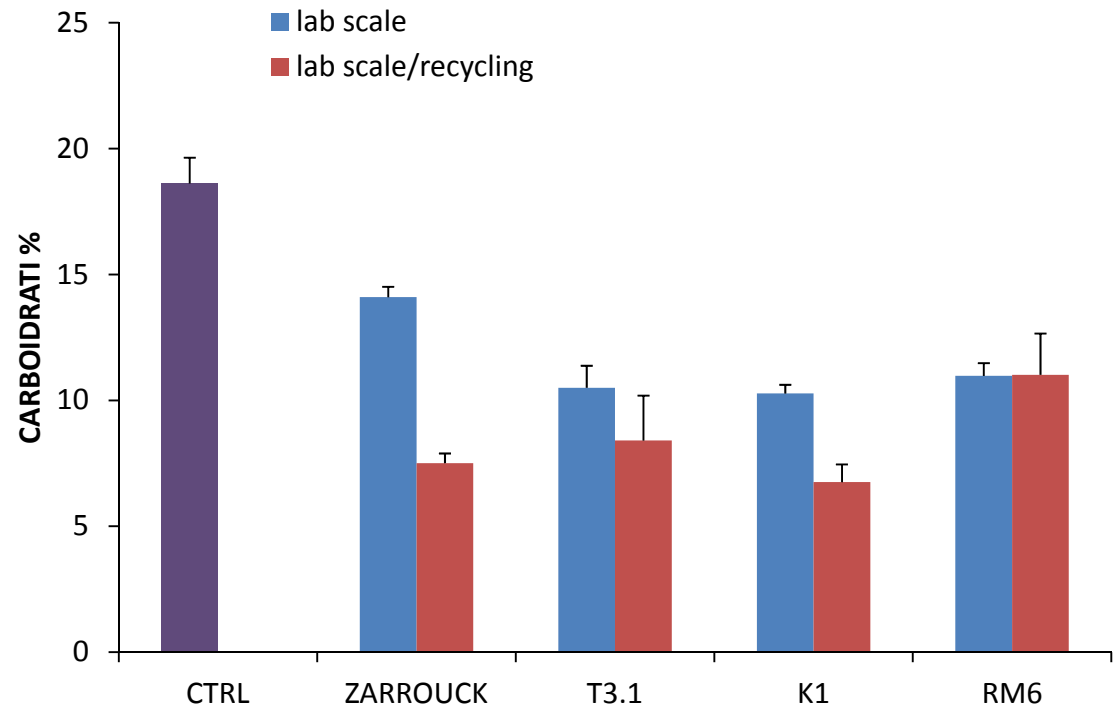
Risultati MICROFLOWER Carboidrati

Materiali e metodi

Microalghe 20 mg/ml
in HCl 2.5N 100 °C 3h
Aggiunta di Na₂CO₃ sino a fine
effervescenza e H₂O
concentrazione finale 1 mg/ml
Centrifugazione 3000 g 20 min
2 ml surnatante + 1 ml fenolo +
5 ml acido solforico
Incubazione 10 min
λ 490 nm
Standard glucosio

Waghmare et al. Bioresour. Bioprocess. 2016 3:16

Trattamento $p < 0,0001$
Medium $p < 0,0001$



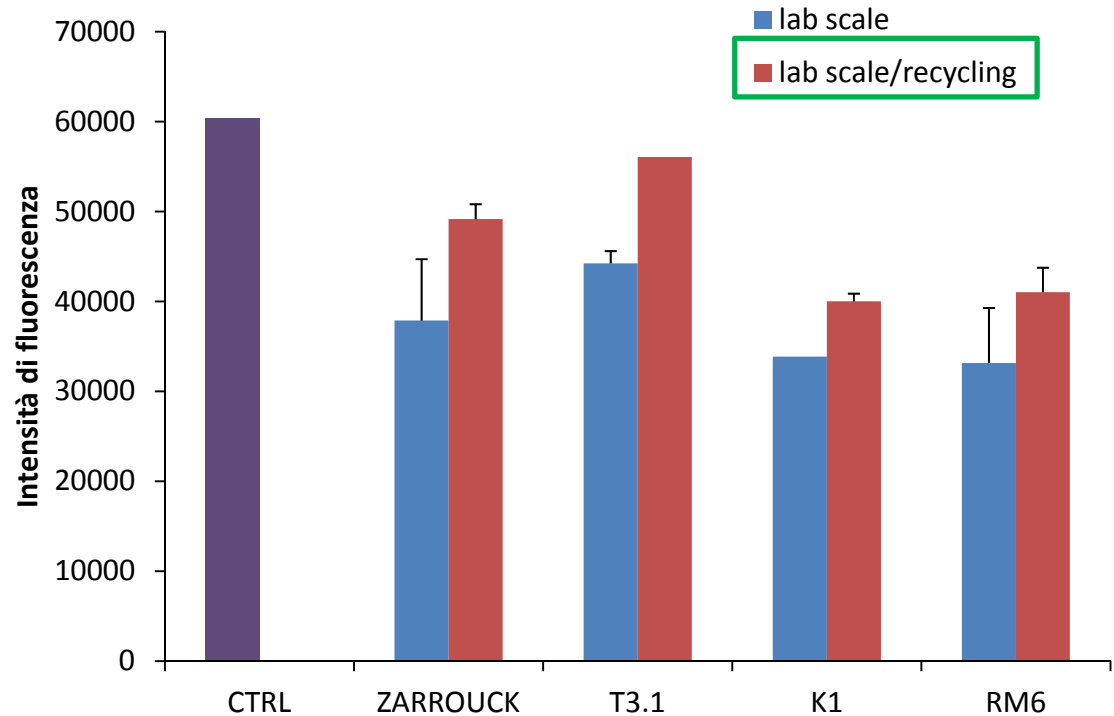
Risultati MICROFLOWER Lipidi

Materiali e metodi

Microalga 0,3 mg/ml in H₂O
Trattamento con glicerolo
Incubazione con Nile Red
(15 µg/ml) in acetone
Intensità di fluorescenza
filtri di Ecc/Em 485/590 nm

Balduyck et al. J MicrobiolMethods 2015 118:152-158

Trattamento $p = 0,0275$
Medium n.s.



Risultati MICROFLOWER *Pigmenti*

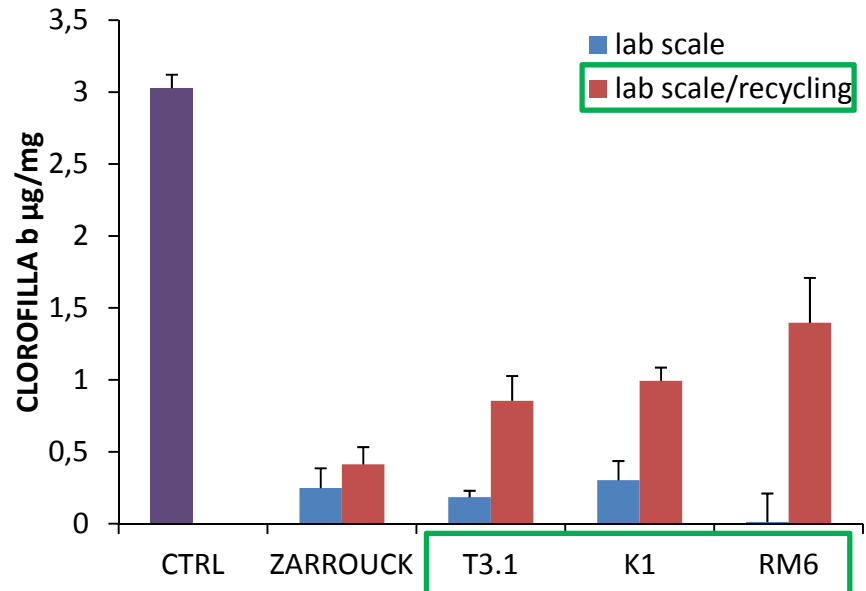
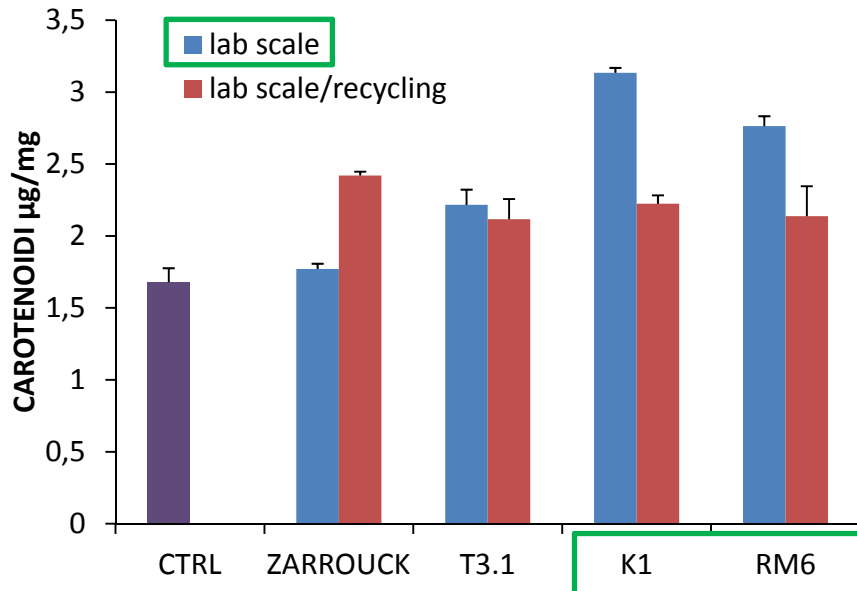
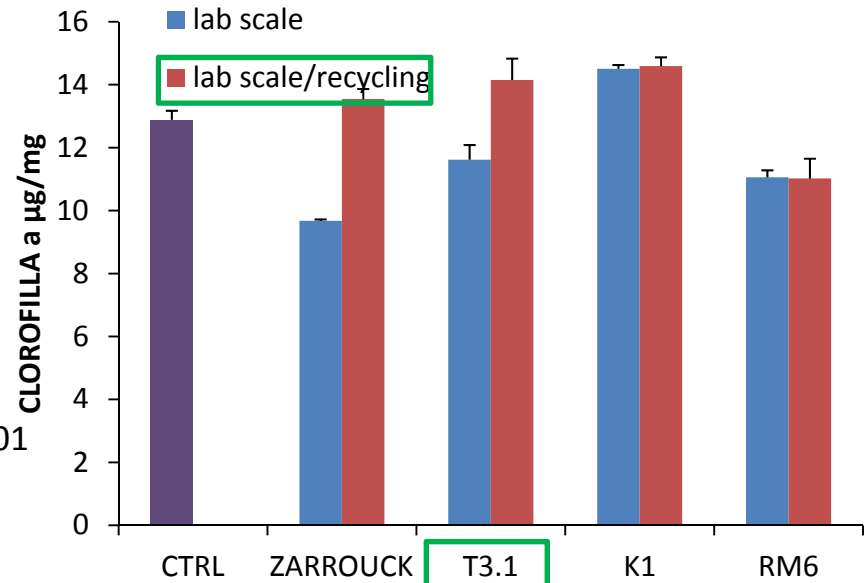
Materiali e metodi

Microalghe 1 mg/ml in EtOH
3 cicli
Sonicazione 20 minuti
Centrifugazione 3000 g 10 min
 λ 470, 648 e 664 nm

Chl a $\rightarrow y=(13,36*A_{664})-(5,15*A_{648})$
Chl b $\rightarrow y=(27,43*A_{648})-(8,12*A_{664})$
Carot. $\rightarrow y=[(1000*A_{470})-(1,63*Chla)-$
 $-(104,96*Chlb)]/221$

Lichtenhaler, F4.3.1-F4.3.8, Wiley & Sons, Inc., 2001

Trattamento $p < 0,0001$
Medium $p < 0,005$



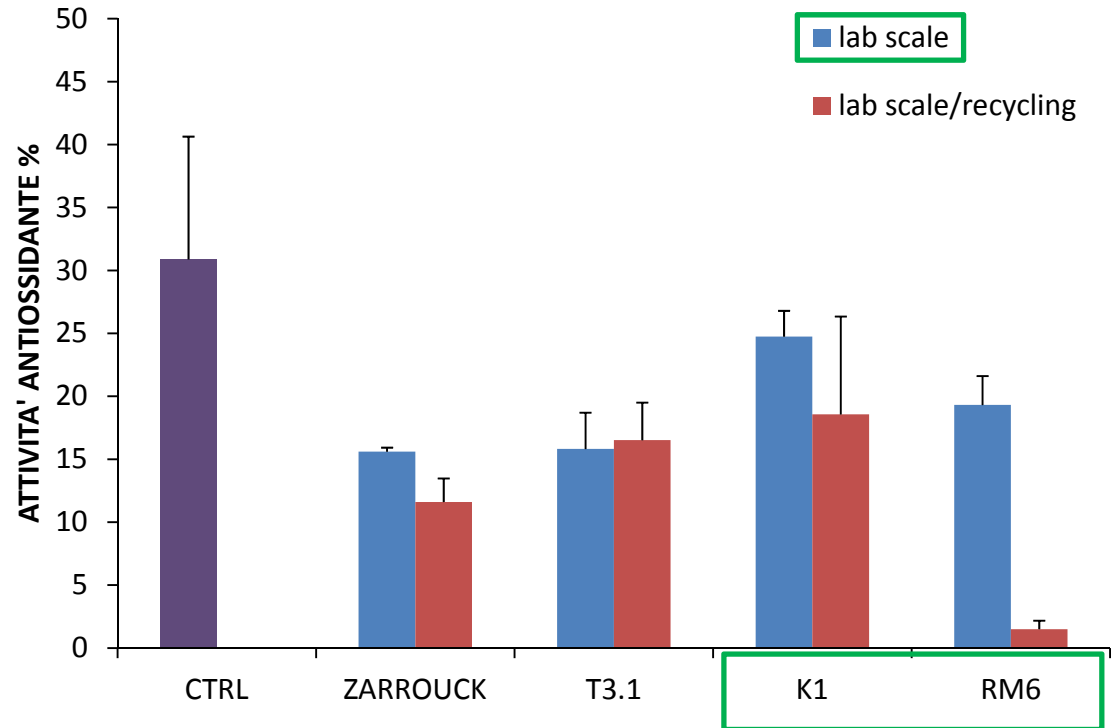
Risultati MICROFLOWER Attività antiossidante

Materiali e metodi

Microalga 25 mg/ml
MeOH 70% v/v
Soluzione DPPH (2,2-diphenyl-2-picrylhydrazyl hydrate)
Incubazione 20 minuti
Centrifugazione 3000 g 10 minuti
 λ 515 nm
Ac. ascorbico controllo positivo
$$\text{Att}\% = (A_{\text{ctr}} - A_{\text{camp}}) / A_{\text{ctr}} * 100$$
 A_{ctr} assorbanza controllo negativo
 A_{camp} assorbanza campione

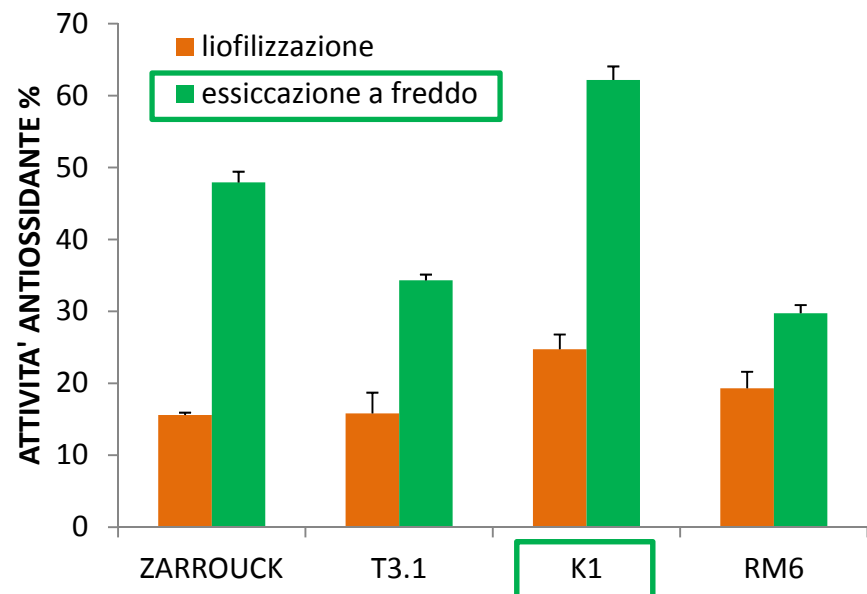
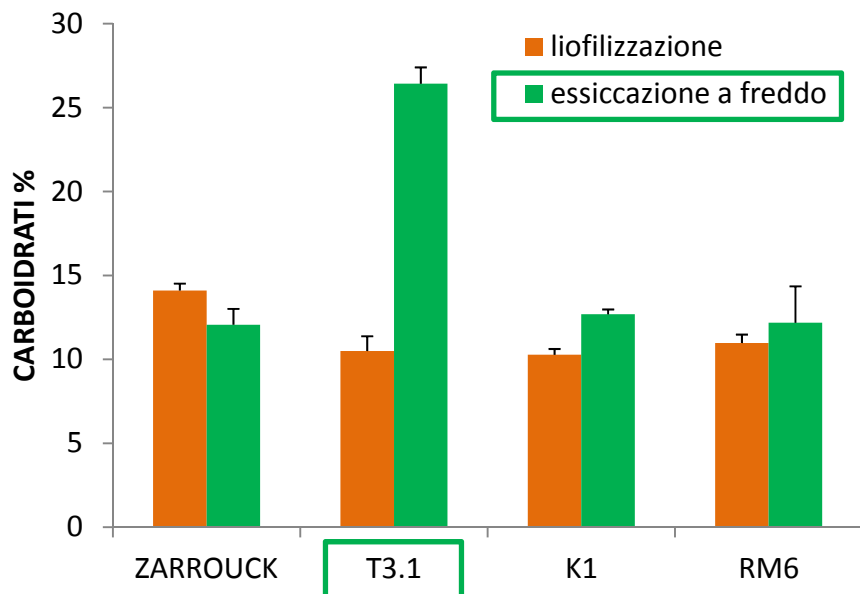
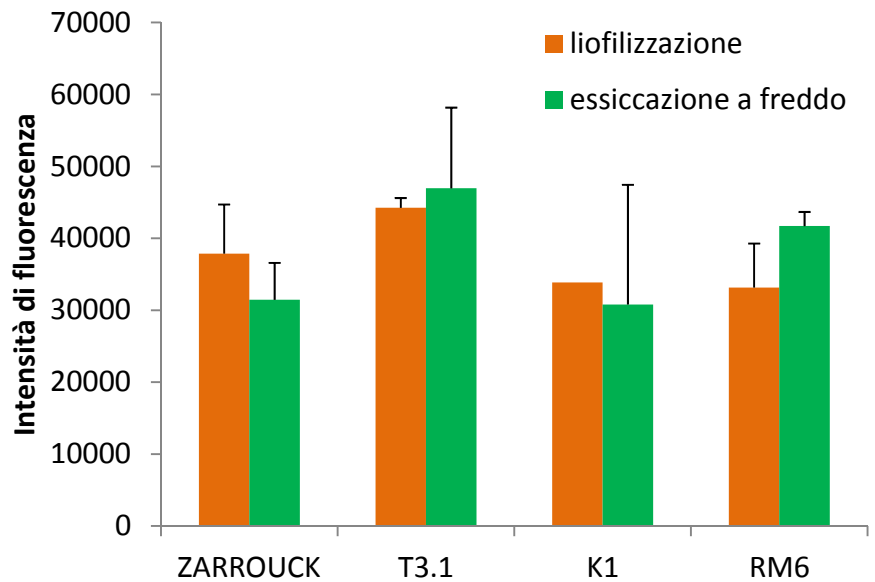
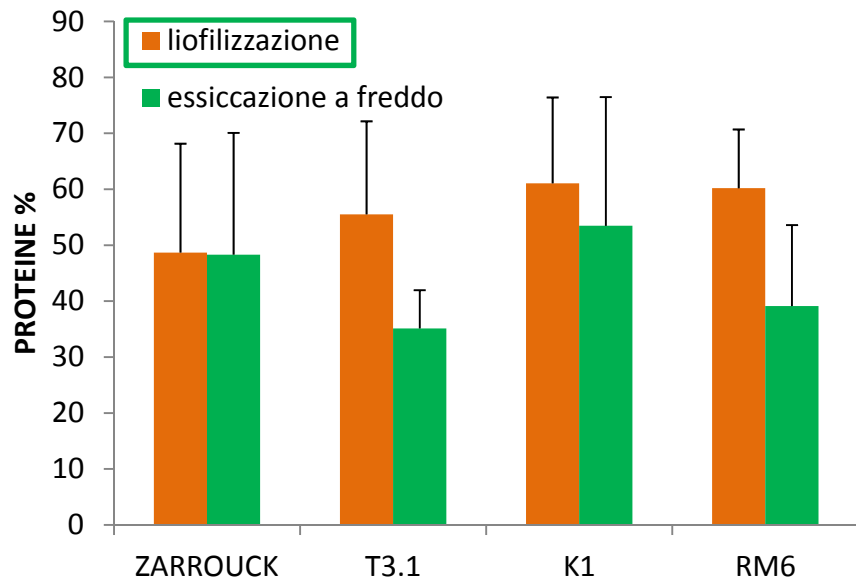
Lucconi et al. Pharm Dev Technol 2013 19:65-72

Trattamento $p < 0,0001$
Medium $p < 0,0001$



Risultati MICROFLOWER

Liofilizzazione Vs Essiccazione a freddo



Conclusioni

Nutrienti

Temperatura

pH

Luce



Lipidi



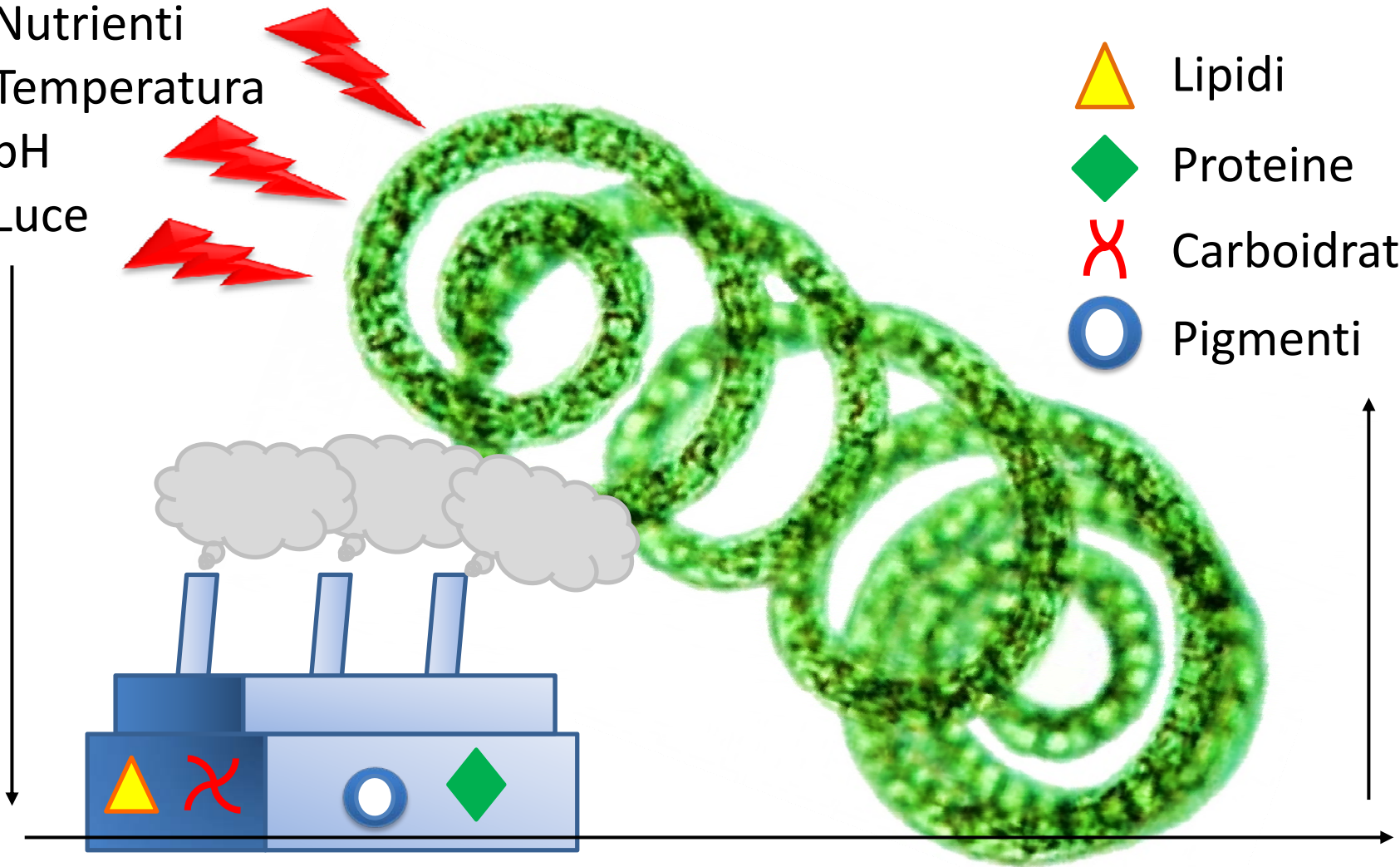
Proteine



Carboidrati



Pigmenti



Microalgae as Drug Factory



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