

The role of Polli Horticultural Research Centre in horticulture and food production

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- 1945 breeding fruits and berries, reseach cultivation technologies
- 2008 research novel storage technologies
- 2009 fruit and berry processing, product development
- 2014 research extraction technologies, value added food

Breeding

Cultivation technologies

Research novel storage technologies

Fruit and berry processing, product development

Research extraction technologies, value added food







The role of fruit and berry pocessing, product development





- Fruit and berry storage (+2°C)
- Deep freeze storage (-21 °C)
- Unclarified juice processing
- Dehydration processes
- Puree and jam production
- · Seedoil cold pressing
- Disintegrator milling process
- Test production of carbonated juice drinks
- Consultation, workshops

up to 180 t 60-80 t

up to 1000 l/ per day

up to 140 kg/batch

up to 150 kg/d

2-10 kg/h

up to 150 kg/hour

up to 80 l/hour



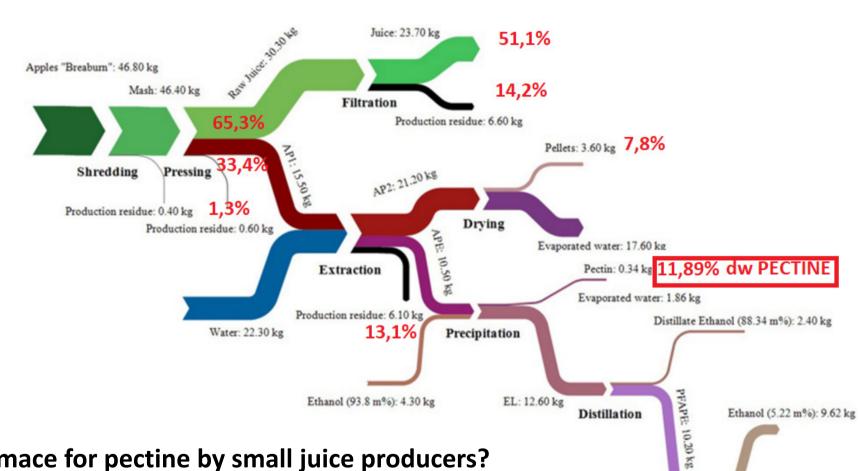


Evaporation

cPFAPE: 0.58 kg

Apple juice production into a zero discharge biorefnery

process



Utilization apple pomace for pectine by small juice producers?

Apple pomace 27 t/ww = 500-600 kg/dw pectine Apple pectine in world market ~15,00 \$/kg

Apple pomace fractionation after juice pressing

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Peel

Total polyphenols, GAA ekv ug/g/dw in fractions

condensative dehydration, 50°C

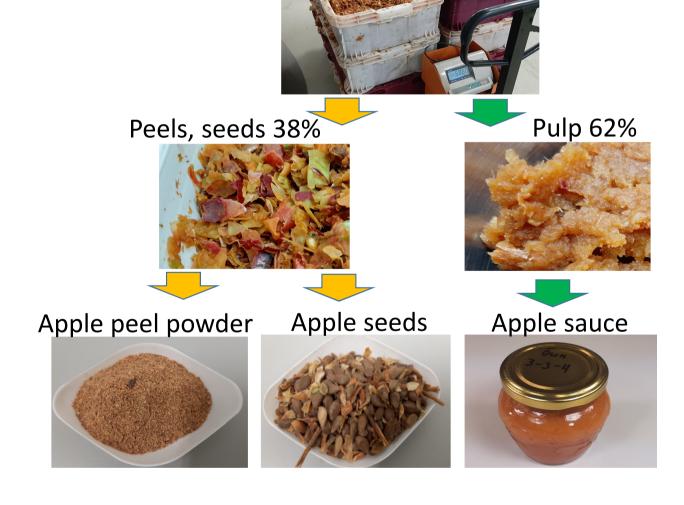
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Pulp

GAA ekv ug/g (dw)

1600

1400 1200 1000



Apple pomace

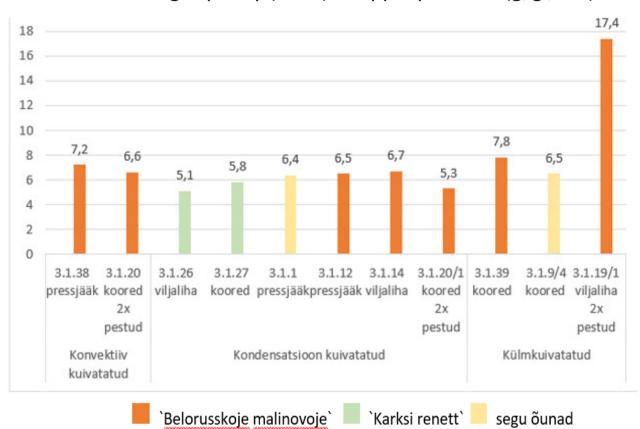
Apple powder with black currant extract



Apple peel powder with black currant extract



Water-binding capacity (WBC) of apple powders (g/g ,dw)



Extraction and processing technologies for product

development

- Solid-liquid extraction, distillation
- Microwave and ultrasound assisted extraction
- Supercritical carbon dioxide extraction

- Freeze and spray drying, encapsulation
- Milling, mixing, homogenization, filtration
- Pilot scale processing
- Analyses

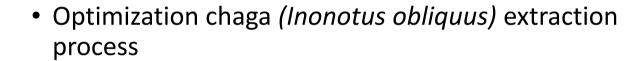


Valuble SC-CO2 seedoils



Product development project with entrepreneurs

• Development of fireweed (Epilobium angustifolium) powder extract and flavored oils



Evaluation raspberry seedoil extraction technology

• Development of extraction technology the red pigment from *Furcellaria lumbricalis*















• Development of Jerusalem artichoke (*Helianthus tuberosus*) juice and food powder







• Development ice-tea product from meadowsweet (Filipendula ulmaria)







Development of fish hydrolysate and compost from low value fish







 Development of food powders from carrot and pumpkin juice pressing residues







 Utilization of spent grain from beer industry for food and snacks



Development of vegan ice cream powder



Assessment of red algae compression moulding



• Effect of membrane technologies for black currant juice concentrate



Thank you!

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