



**UNIVERSITI PUTRA MALAYSIA**

***FORMATION OF POLYCYCLIC AROMATIC HYDROCARBONS AND  
HETEROCYCLIC AMINES IN GAS-GRILLED HONEY-SPICES  
MARINATED BEEF SATAY***

**NOR HASYIMAH BINTI AHMAD KAMAL**

**FSTM 2021 23**



**FORMATION OF POLYCYCLIC AROMATIC HYDROCARBONS AND  
HETEROCYCLIC AMINES IN GAS-GRILLED HONEY-SPICES  
MARINATED BEEF SATAY**

**By**

**NOR HASYIMAH BINTI AHMAD KAMAL**

**Thesis Submitted to the School of Graduate Studies, Universiti Putra Malaysia, in  
Fulfilment of the Requirements for the Degree of Master of Science**

**December 2020**

All material contained within the thesis, including without limitation text, logos, icons, photographs and all other artwork, is copyright material of Universiti Putra Malaysia unless otherwise stated. Use may be made of any material contained within the thesis for non-commercial purposes from the copyright holder. Commercial use of material may only be made with the express, prior, written permission of Universiti Putra Malaysia.

Copyright © Universiti Putra Malaysia



Abstract of thesis presented to the Senate of Universiti Putra Malaysia in fulfilment of the requirement for the degree of Master of Science

**FORMATION OF POLYCYCLIC AROMATIC HYDROCARBONS AND  
HETEROCYCLIC AMINES IN GAS-GRILLED HONEY-SPICES MARINATED  
BEEF SATAY**

By

**NOR HASYIMAH BINTI AHMAD KAMAL**

**December 2020**

**Chair : Prof. Jinap Selamat, PhD**  
**Faculty : Food Science and Technology**

Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) and heterocyclic amines (HCAs) are cooking toxicants that have been associated with elevated malignancy risk due to consumption of grilled red meat. They are simultaneously generated in satay due to high temperature grilling process. The objectives of this study were: a) To determine the effects of temperature on simultaneous formation of PAHs and HCAs in gas-grilled beef satay, b) To evaluate the effects of honey-spices marination on simultaneous formation of PAHs and HCAs. Unmarinated samples were used as control. Fifteen PAHs were determined using high performance liquid chromatography with fluorescence detection method (HPLC-FLD) and nine HCAs were quantified using liquid chromatography tandem-mass spectrometry (LC-MS/MS) with gradient programme. Solid-phase extraction (SPE) method was used for sample clean-up. The natural precursors in raw beef satay samples were analysed to reflect on the formations of PAHs (fats) and HCAs (free amino acids, sugars, and creatinine). For the first objective, beef satay were grilled at 150°C, 200°C, 250°C, 300°C, 350°C. The lowest concentrations of PAHs and HCAs were significantly ( $P < 0.05$ ) generated at 150°C as the formation of PAHs and HCAs increased simultaneously with temperatures. Benzo[a]pyrene were detected in all samples and increased markedly at 300°C and 350°C. The sums of 4 PAHs (PAH4) in marinated beef satay at 300°C and 350°C exceeded maximum level in Commission Regulation (EU) 2015/1125. Significant reductions of polar and non-polar HCAs, except 2-amino-1-methyl-6-phenylimidazo[4,5-b]pyridine (PhIP) were detected in marinated beef satay across all temperatures. The second objective of this study used two different honey-spices (*Apis mellifera* honey-spices and *Trigona sp.* honey-spices) marinades at grilling temperature of 150°C, 250°C, and 350°C. The formation of PAHs (marinated beef satay) and HCAs (control) were the highest ( $P < 0.05$ ) at 350°C. The most prominent PAHs were phenanthrene (24.61–84.36 ng/g) and fluoranthene (10.00–36.52 ng/g) while HCA were 9H-pyrido[4,3-b]indole (2.67–393.89 ng/g). Both honey-spices marinades significantly ( $P < 0.05$ ) reduced naphthalene, fluorene, and pyrene (PAHs), and 2-amino-9H-pyrido[2,3-b]indole, 1-methyl-9H-pyrido[4,3-b]indole, and 9H-pyrido-[4,3-b]indole (HCAs) in gas-grilled beef satay across all temperatures. However, 2-amino-3,7,8-

trimethylimidazo[4,5-f]quinoxaline (7,8-DiMeIQx) were not detected in any marinated samples. Partial least squares regression (PLSR) revealed significant positive correlations among precursors (raw beef satay samples) with PAHs and HCAs, respectively. Overall, it is concluded that overall formation of fifteen PAHs and nine HCAs simultaneously in gas-grilled beef satay samples increased with grilling temperatures. Formation of PAHs revealed inverse quantitative profiles in contrast with HCAs in marinated beef satay. Honey-spices marination prior to grilling reduced the formation of HCAs; on the contrary, do not present the same effect in the production of PAHs in grilled beef satay.



Abstrak tesis yang dikemukakan kepada Senat Universiti Putra Malaysia sebagai memenuhi keperluan untuk ijazah Master Sains

## **PEMBENTUKAN HIDROKARBON AROMATIK POLISIKLIK DAN AMINA HETEROSIKLIK DALAM SATE DAGING GAS-PANGGANG PERAP MADU-REMPAH**

Oleh

**NOR HASYIMAH BINTI AHMAD KAMAL**

**Disember 2020**

**Pengerusi : Prof. Jinap Selamat, PhD**  
**Fakulti : Sains dan Teknologi Makanan**

Polisiklik aromatik hidrokarbon (PAHs) dan heterosiklik amina (HCAs) adalah bahan toksik masakan yang dikaitkan dengan peningkatan risiko malignan berikutan pengambilan daging merah yang dipanggang. Mereka dihasilkan secara serentak dalam sate akibat proses memanggang yang bersuhu tinggi. Objektif kajian ini adalah: a) Untuk menentukan kesan suhu pada pembentukan PAHs dan HCAs dalam sate daging gas-panggang, b) Untuk menilai kesan perapan madu-rempah pada pembentukan PAHs dan HCAs. Sampel yang tidak diperap digunakan sebagai kawalan. Lima belas PAHs dikuantifikasi dengan menggunakan kromatografi cecair prestasi tinggi dengan kaedah pengesanan pendarfluor (HPLC-FLD) dan sembilan HCAs dikira menggunakan kromatografi cecair-spektrometri jisim (LC-MS / MS) dengan program kecerunan. Kaedah pengekstrakan fasa pepejal (SPE) digunakan untuk pembersihan sampel. Prekursor semulajadi dalam sampel sate daging mentah telah dianalisis untuk mencerminkan pembentukan PAHs (lemak) dan HCAs (asid amino bebas, gula, dan kreatinin). Bagi objektif pertama, sate daging dipanggang pada 150°C, 200°C, 250°C, 300°C, 350°C. Kepekatan terendah bagi PAHs dan HCAs adalah signifikan ( $P < 0.05$ ) pada 150°C memandangkan pembentukan PAHs dan HCAs meningkat secara serentak dengan suhu. Benzo[a]pirina dikesan dalam semua sampel dan meningkat dengan ketara pada 300°C dan 350°C. Jumlah 4 PAHs (PAH4) dalam sate daging perap yang dipanggang pada 300°C dan 350°C melebihi tahap maksimum dalam Peraturan Suruhanjaya (EU) 2015/1125. Pengurangan ketara HCAs polar dan bukan polar, kecuali 2-amino-1-metil-6-fenilimidazo(4,5-b)piridina (PhIP) dikesan dalam sate daging perap pada semua suhu. Objektif kedua kajian ini menggunakan dua perapan madu-rempah berbeza (madu *Apis mellifera*-rempah dan madu *Trigona sp.*-rempah) pada suhu 150°C, 250°C, dan 350°C. Pembentukan PAHs (sate daging perap) dan HCA (kawalan) yang tertinggi adalah signifikan ( $P < 0.05$ ) pada suhu 350°C. PAHs yang paling ketara adalah fenantrena (24.61–84.36 ng/g) dan fluorantena (10.00–36.52 ng/g) manakala HCA ialah 9H-pirido-[4,3-b]indola (2.67–393.89 ng/g). Pengurangan ketara ( $P < 0.05$ ) diperolehi bagi naftalena, fluorena, dan pirena (PAHs), dan 2-amino-9H-pirido[2,3-b]indola ( $\text{A}\alpha\text{C}$ ), 1-metil-9H-[4,3-b]indola, dan 9H-pirido-[4,3-b]indola

(HCA) bagi sate daging panggang pada semua suhu. Walau bagaimanapun, 2-amino-3,7,8-trimetilimidazo[4,5-f]kuinoksalina (7,8-DiMeIQx) tidak dikesan dalam mana-mana sampel sate daging perap. Regresi kuasa dua terkecil separa (PLSR) menunjukkan korelasi signifikan positif antara prekursor (sampel daging sate mentah) dengan PAHs dan HCAs. Secara keseluruhan disimpulkan bahawa pembentukan lima belas PAHs dan sembilan HCAs secara serentak dalam sampel sate daging gas-panggang meningkat mengikut suhu memanggang. Pembentukan PAHs menunjukkan profil kuantitatif songsang berbanding dengan HCAs dalam sate daging yang diperap. Perapan madu-rempah sebelum memanggang menunjukkan kesan pengurangan ke atas pembentukan HCAs; namun sebaliknya tidak menunjukkan kesan yang sama bagi PAHs dalam sate daging.



## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

In the name of Allah, the Most Gracious, the Most Merciful. I have gone through a long journey to complete this thesis and I would not have reached this destination without the love, support, and encouragement of many people. Therefore, I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to all of them.

First and foremost, I wish to express my heartfelt and sincere thanks to my supervisor, Prof. Jinap Selamat for providing me an opportunity to complete my thesis. I really appreciate her contributions, comments, and guidance that encourage me to learn more day by day. I am also indebted towards her generosity and patience in providing selfless support to me throughout these years. Big thanks once again to her for without her, this work would have never seen the light as it is today.

I am also extremely grateful to have Prof. Madya Dr. Maimunah Sanny as my co-supervisor for her tremendous mentor and guidance. I would like to thank her for encouraging my research which allows me to grow as a research scholar. I really appreciate my supervisory committee for invaluable insights and assistance. Those useful discussions and comments have helped me to widen my knowledge throughout the course of my study.

Words cannot express the feelings I have for my mom and my siblings for their constant unconditional support in my study. I would not be here if it is not for them. Mom, you have been the constant source of strength and inspiration to me especially in going through the difficult moments regardless physically, mentally, and spiritually. Your prayer for me has always been the pillar that keeps sustaining me this far and put me through from many difficulties that I am facing for all these years.

I would also thank all the departmental staffs of Fakultas Sains dan Teknologi Makanan (FSTM) for helping me during these years of my study, both academically and officially. A special thanks to School of Graduate Studies (SGS) for their assistance, financially (Graduate Research Funds, GRF) and academically. Also, not forgetting my wonderful friends in UPM, for their supports through the moments of difficulties.

Above all, I thank Allah, the Highest and the Almighty, for letting me through this journey of life. I feel your guidance day by day in every stage of this thesis. Thank you Allah, for your endless blessing that has showered upon me. Alhamdulillah for everything.



This thesis was submitted to the Senate of Universiti Putra Malaysia and has been accepted as fulfilment of the requirement for the degree of Master of Science. The members of the Supervisory Committee were as follows:

**Jinap binti Selamat, PhD**

Professor  
Faculty of Food Science and Technology  
Universiti Putra Malaysia  
(Chairman)

**Maimunah binti Sanny, PhD**

Associate Professor  
Faculty of Food Science and Technology  
Universiti Putra Malaysia  
(Member)

---

**ZALILAH MOHD SHARIFF, PhD**

Professor and Dean  
School of Graduate Studies  
Universiti Putra Malaysia

Date: 8 April 2021

## Declaration by Members of Supervisory Committee

This is to confirm that:

- the research conducted and the writing of this thesis was under our supervision;
- supervision responsibilities as stated in the Universiti Putra Malaysia (Graduate Studies) Rules 2003 (Revision 2012-2013) are adhered to.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Chairman of  
Supervisory  
Committee: Prof. Jinap binti Selamat

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Member of  
Supervisory  
Committee: Prof. Madya Dr. Maimunah binti Sanny

## TABLE OF CONTENTS

	<b>Page</b>
<b>ABSTRACT</b>	i
<b>ABSTRAK</b>	iii
<b>ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS</b>	V
<b>APPROVAL</b>	vi
<b>DECLARATION</b>	viii
<b>LIST OF TABLES</b>	xiii
<b>LIST OF FIGURES</b>	xiv
<b>LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS</b>	xvi
<b>CHAPTER</b>	
<b>1 INTRODUCTION</b>	<b>1</b>
1.1 Research background	1
1.2 Significance of study	2
1.3 Research hypotheses	3
1.4 Research objectives	3
<b>2 LITERATURE REVIEW</b>	<b>4</b>
2.1 Introduction	4
2.2 Chemical structures of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) and heterocyclic aromatic amines (HCAs)	4
2.3 Mutagenicity and carcinogenicity of dietary PAHs and HCAs	7
2.4 Formation mechanism of PAHs and HCAs in heat-treated meat	11
2.4.1 Mechanism of PAHs formation in grilled meat	12
2.4.2 Mechanism of HCAs formation in grilled meat	15
2.5 Occurrence of PAHs and HCAs in grilled meat	20
2.6 Effects of precursors on formation of PAHs and HCAs	22
2.6.1 Amino acids	23
2.6.2 Sugars	25
2.6.3 Creatin(in)e	27
2.6.4 Lipid	27
2.7 Physical factors affecting the formation of PAHs and HCAs	29
2.7.1 Effects of time and temperature on PAHs and HCAs formation	29
2.7.2 Effects of cooking methods on PAHs and HCAs formation	30
2.8 Reduction of PAHs and HCAs content formed in grilled meat	31
2.8.1 Effects of marination on PAHs and HCAs formation	31
2.8.2 Influence of honey as marinade ingredient on PAHs and HCAs	32
<b>3 SIMULTANEOUS FORMATION OF POLYCYCLIC AROMATIC HYDROCARBONS (PAHS) AND HETEROCYCLIC AROMATIC AMINES (HCAS) IN GAS-GRILLED BEEF SATAY AT DIFFERENT TEMPERATURES</b>	<b>33</b>
3.1 Introduction	33

3.2	Materials and methods	34
3.2.1	Chemicals and reagents	34
3.2.2	Preparation of beef satay	35
3.2.3	Beef satay grilling condition	35
3.2.4	Analysis of amino acids	36
3.2.5	Analysis of sugars	36
3.2.6	Analysis of creatinine	36
3.2.7	Analysis of fat content	37
3.3	Analysis of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)	37
3.3.1	Preparation of standard solutions	37
3.3.2	Extraction and clean up procedures	37
3.3.3	High performance liquid chromatography with fluorescence detection method (HPLC-FLD) analysis	38
3.4	Analysis of heterocyclic aromatic amines (HCAs)	38
3.4.1	Preparation of standard solutions	38
3.4.2	Extraction and clean up procedures	39
3.4.3	Liquid chromatography tandem mass spectrometer (LC-MS/MS) analysis	39
3.5	Statistical analysis	39
3.6	Results and discussion	40
3.6.1	Final internal temperature of gas-grilled beef satay	40
3.6.2	Precursor contents in raw beef satay	40
3.6.3	Concentrations of PAHs and HCAs in gas-grilled beef satay	43
3.6.4	Concentrations of HCAs in gas-grilled beef satay	46
3.7	Conclusion	50
<b>4</b>	<b>EFFECTS OF HONEY-SPICES MARINATION ON POLYCYCLIC AROMATIC HYDROCARBONS AND HETEROCYCLIC AMINES FORMATION IN GAS-GRILLED BEEF SATAY</b>	<b>51</b>
4.1	Introduction	51
4.2	Materials and methods	52
4.2.1	Chemicals and reagents	52
4.2.2	Preparation of beef satay samples	53
4.2.3	Grilling method of beef satay	54
4.2.4	Preparations of working standard solutions	54
4.3	Analysis of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)	54
4.3.1	PAHs extraction and clean-up procedures	54
4.3.2	High performance liquid chromatography with fluorescence detection method (HPLC-FLD) analysis	55
4.4	Analysis of heterocyclic aromatic amines (HCAs)	55
4.4.1	HCAs extraction and clean-up procedures	55
4.4.2	Liquid Chromatography tandem Mass Spectrometer (LC-MS/MS) analysis	55
4.5	Analysis of precursors in raw beef satay samples	55
4.5.1	Amino acids	55
4.5.2	Sugars (fructose, glucose, maltose, and sucrose)	55
4.5.3	Creatinine	56

	4.5.4	Fat content	56
	4.6	Statistical analysis	56
	4.7	Results and discussion	56
	4.8	Conclusion	74
<b>5</b>		<b>SUMMARY, GENERAL CONCLUSION RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FUTURE RESEARCH</b>	<b>AND 75</b>
	5.1	Summary and general conclusion	75
	5.2	Recommendations for future research	76
			77
		<b>REFERENCES</b>	
		<b>APPENDICES</b>	94
		<b>BIODATA OF STUDENT</b>	115
		<b>LIST OF PUBLICATIONS</b>	116

## LIST OF TABLES

Table		Page
2.1	Classification and properties of HCA	7
2.2	The degree of evidence for carcinogenicity of PAHs in experimental animals and overall evaluations of carcinogenicity to humans (evaluated by IARC and WHO)	8
2.3	Carcinogenic classifications of selected PAHs by specific agencies	9
2.4	Studies conducted to determine PAHs in various meat products with different cooking methods	21
2.5	Studies conducted to determine HCAs in various meat products with different cooking methods	23
3.1	Marinade ingredients composition (for 100 g of meat)	35
3.2	Final internal temperature (°C) of gas-grilled beef satay samples	40
3.3	Precursors content between control and marinated in raw beef satay	42
3.4	PAHs concentration (ng/g) detected in beef satay samples at different grilling temperatures	45
3.5	HCAs concentration (ng/g) detected in beef satay samples at different grilling temperatures	48
4.1	List of ingredients used in marinating beef satay samples (for 100 g of meat)	53
4.2	Final internal temperatures (°C) of gas-grilled beef satay	57
4.3	Concentrations of 15 PAHs (ng/g) detected in gas-grilled beef satay samples at three different grilling temperatures (°C)	60
4.4	Free amino acids, sugars, creatinine, and fat content in raw beef satay as precursors of PAHs and HCAs	61
4.5	Concentrations of 9 HCAs (ng/g) detected in gas-grilled beef satay samples at three different grilling temperatures (°C)	65

## LIST OF FIGURES

Figure		Page
2.1	Chemical structures of 16 PAHs from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (US EPA) priority pollutant list	5
2.2	Chemical structures of HCAs: (a) amino-imidazo-azaarenes (AIAs) and (b) aminocarboline	6
2.3	Two cyclopentadienyl radicals combine and rearrange to form naphthalene	12
2.4	Diels-Alder reaction for the formation of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons during pyrolysis	13
2.5	Proposed pathway of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) formation in food	14
2.6	Formation of imidazoquinolines and imidazoquinoxalines from products of the Maillard reaction (2-methyl-pyridine, 2,5-dimethyl-pyrazine) with acetaldehyde and creatinine	16
2.7	Suggested pathway for formation of IQ-like compounds	17
2.8	Involvement of pyrazine cation radical and carbon-centered radical in the imidazoquinoxaline-type heterocyclic amine mutagens	18
2.9	Formation of Norharman from tryptophan Amadori rearrangement product	19
2.10	Proposed mechanism of formation of $\beta$ -carboline	19
2.11	Primary reaction pathways for the thermal decomposition of amino acids in thermal reaction model system	24
4.1	Percentage difference (%) of total PAHs and HCAs (ng/g) against control at different grilling temperatures ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ )	62
4.2	Partial least squares-regression (PLSR) analysis loading plots showing relationships between PAHs in grilled beef satay with free amino acids (a) PAH8, (b) non-carcinogenic PAHs	67
4.3	Partial least squares-regression (PLSR) analysis loading plots showing relationships between PAHs in grilled beef satay with fat (a) PAH8, (b) non-carcinogenic PAHs	68
4.4	Partial least squares-regression (PLSR) analysis loading plots	69

	showing relationships between PAHs in grilled beef satay with sugars (a) PAH8, (b) non-carcinogenic PAHs	
4.5	Partial least squares-regression (PLSR) analysis loading plots showing relationships between HCAs in grilled beef satay with free amino acids (a) aminoimidazoazaarenes, (b) aminocarboline	71
4.6	Partial least squares-regression (PLSR) analysis loading plots showing relationships between HCAs in grilled beef satay with creatinine (a) aminoimidazoazaarenes, (b) aminocarboline	72
4.7	Partial least squares-regression (PLSR) analysis loading plots showing relationships between HCAs in grilled beef satay with sugars (a) aminoimidazoazaarenes, (b) aminocarboline	73



## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

4,8-DiMeIQx	2-amino-3,4,8-trimethylimidazo[4,5-f]quinoxaline
7,8-DiMeIQx	2-amino-3,7,8-trimethylimidazo[4,5-f]quinoxaline
Ace	acenaphthene
Acy	acenaphthylene
Ant	anthracene
A $\alpha$ C	2-amino-9H-pyrido[2,3-b]indole
ANOVA	analyses of variance
AOAC	Association of Official Analytical Chemists
ATSDR	Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry
BaA	benz[a]anthracene
BaP	benzo[a]pyrene
BbF	benzo[b]fluoranthene
BghiP	benzo[g,h,i]perylene
BkF	benzo[k]fluoranthene
CO <sub>2</sub>	carbon dioxide
CH <sub>4</sub>	methane
Chr	chrysene
DAD	diode array detector
DBahA	dibenzo[a,h]anthracene
DiMeIQx	2-amino-3, 4, 8-trimethylimidazo[4,5-f]quinoxaline
DNA	deoxyribonucleic acid
EFSA	European Food Safety Authority
EU	European Union
Fl	Fluorine

Fla	fluoranthene
GC-MS	gas chromatography–mass spectrometry
H <sub>2</sub> O	water
H <sub>2</sub> S	hydrogen sulfide
Harman	1-methyl-9H-pyrido-[4,3-b]indole
HCA	heterocyclic amines
HMW	high molecular weight
HPLC	high performance liquid chromatography
HPLC-FLD	high performance liquid chromatography with fluorescence detection
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer
Ind	indeno[1,2,3-cd]pyrene
IQ	2-amino-3-methyl-3H-imidazo[4,5-f]quinolone
IQx	2-amino-3-methyl-3H-imidazo[4,5-f]quinoxaline
LC-MS/MS	liquid chromatography tandem mass spectrometer
Lex	excitation light
Lem	emission light
LMW	low molecular weight
LOD	limit of detection
LOQ	limit of quantification
MA	marinated gas-grilled beef satay with <i>Apis mellifera</i> honey-spices marination
MeAαC	2-amino-3-methyl-9H-pyrido[2,3-b]indole
MeIQ	2-amino-3,4-dimethyl-3H-imidazo[4,5-f]quinolone
MeIQx	2-amino-3,8-dimethylimidazo[4,5-f]quinoxaline
MMW	medium molecular weight
MT	marinated gas-grilled beef satay with <i>Trigona sp.</i> honey-spices

	marination
NaOH	sodium hydroxide
Nap	naphthalene
ND	not detected
Norharman	9H-pyrido-[4,3-b]indole
NTP	National Toxicology Program
PAHs	polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons
Phe	phenanthrene
PhIP	2-amino-1-methyl-6-phenylimidazo[4,5-b]pyridine
PLSR	partial least square regression
PRS	propyl sulfonic acid strong cationic
Pyr	pyrene
ROS	reactive oxygen species
SCF	Scientific Community on Foods
SPE	solid-phase extraction
UHPLC	ultra-high performance liquid chromatography
US EPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
WHO	World Health Organization

# CHAPTER 1

## INTRODUCTION

### 1.1 Research background

Red meats are the excellent food sources with high biological value proteins, omega-3 polyunsaturated fatty acids and conjugated linoleic acids, vitamins (vitamins B6, B12, and D), and other micronutrients which provide high energy densities (Laskowski et al., 2018). Thus, thermal food processing is used to produce microbiologically safe foods including raw meats with optimal organoleptic properties and minimise the amount of potentially harmful substances. Hence, raw meats turned to be more appetizing with changes in texture, appearance, flavour, and chemical properties as a result from the alteration of protein structures and other added ingredients (Ferguson, 2010; Jägerstad & Skog, 2005). However, cooking toxicants are incidentally incorporated as by-products during food processing at high temperatures, which potentially cause adverse health effects if present in large amounts. The exposure risks however vary among individuals depending on dietary habits and differences in cooking practice (Gibis, 2016; Jägerstad & Skog, 2005).

Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) being the ubiquitous environmental pollutants are also generated during thermal food processing such as grilling. The production of carcinogenic compounds in grilled meat is not only accounted by the formation of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), which were detected in 1963 (Jägerstad & Skog, 2005). Since 1977, much interest was also focused on another class of food-borne toxicants termed as heterocyclic amines (HCAs) (Gibis, 2016). These cooking toxicants simultaneously present especially in the charred parts of proteinaceous muscle meat such as beef when heated at high temperatures (grilling) for a period of time. HCAs showed extremely high mutagenic potency using the Ames test, 100 to 100 000 times higher than PAHs although PAHs were shown to be the major mutagens on a mass basis (Alomirah et al., 2011; Ferguson, 2010; Gooderham et al., 2001).

Anthropogenic PAHs are produced from variety of incomplete combustion meanwhile food seems to be the major dietary route of PAHs exposition (Alaejos & Afonso, 2011). PAHs generally exists in cooking oil fumes, smoked foods, and foods cooked at high temperature; composed mainly of compounds consisting of three or more fused benzene rings without any acyclic groups (Adeyeye, 2018; Jägerstad & Skog, 2005). The mechanism of formation of PAHs is not well understood, but two principal pathways (pyrolysis and pyrosynthesis) are considered to be involved. High temperature grilling mainly appears as the major route of generating PAHs in meats compared to other cooking methods. Knize et al. (1997) concluded that open flame grilling enhances the formation of PAHs. Consumption of grilled and charred meats increases an individual's exposure to PAHs (Pirsaheb et al., 2020; Wenzl et al., 2006; Jägerstad & Skog, 2005).

Cooking methods greatly influence the formation of HCAs as the concentration of HCAs in food is usually found within the low range of nanogram/gram (ng/g). HCAs are classified in 2 groups: thermic HCAs (100°C to 300°C) and pyrolytic HCAs (> 300°C). Potent HCAs are formed during heat treatment via Maillard reaction (Alaejos & Afonso, 2011; Cheng et al., 2007). HCAs are created within the muscle meats as a result of reactions between amino acids (building blocks of proteins) and creatine (a chemical found in muscle) during thermal exposure (high temperature cooking). HCAs are found most concentrated in the meat juices. Apart from cooking method, the formation of HCAs is also dependent on temperature and heating conditions used (Gibis, 2016).

PAHs and HCAs have been evaluated by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) on the risk of cancers which has come to the conclusion that several of these food-borne toxicants are possibly or probably carcinogenic to humans. Benzo[a]pyrene (BaP) is classified as carcinogenic to humans (Group 1), and some of other PAHs as probably carcinogenic or possibly carcinogenic. Eight of the HCAs the most abundant 2-amino-3,8-dimethylimidazo[4,5-f]quinoxaline (MeIQx) and 2-amino-1-methyl-6-phenylimidazo[4,5-b]pyridine (PhIP) as possible human carcinogens (Group 2B) and 2-amino-3-methylimidazo[4,5-f]quinoline (IQ) as a probable human carcinogens (Group 1) (Viegas et al., 2012; Alaejos & Afonso, 2011). Frequent dietary intake high in PAHs may induce foregut tumours and lung tumours. Epidemiologic studies found the relationship of HCAs (particularly the tryptophan pyrolysis products) to several types of cancer (pancreas, breast, and colon) in humans (Gibis, 2016; Alaejos & Afonso, 2011).

## 1.2 Significance of study

PAHs and HCAs are considered as dietary risk factor for human cancer due to the capability of PAHs and HCAs to form on proteinaceous muscle foods during ordinary cooking practices even at low parts-per-billion (ppb), hence implies frequent exposure to the general public. Moreover, grilled foods are gaining popularity not only at home but in the restaurants as well. Satay is an example of popular grilled meat (beef or chicken) in many Southeast Asian countries (Malaysia, Indonesia, Thailand, Singapore) and even in some European countries such as Holland (Farhadian et al., 2012). Due to the increasing popularity, it is a great concern that grilled meat (including satay) may pose a risk to the population.

This study determined simultaneous formation of PAHs and HCAs in gas-grilled beef satay since their occurrence and mitigation strategies in grilled foods are still a challenge as the available studies simultaneously highlighting both of the concomitant mutagens (PAHs and HCAs) in satay are still scarce. Moreover, PAHs and HCAs concentrations in beef satay subjected to temperatures higher than conventional grilling temperatures (200°C) or using different grilling methods than charcoal grilling have not been fully investigated which creates a knowledge gap.

The marinating ingredients including spices and other condiments used in marination of the grilled meat leads to variations in the total PAHs and HCAs generated in grilled meat (Pirsaheb et al., 2020). There are extensive ingredients are used for marination of satay which varies according to different food vendors (Wu et al., 1997). Continuous possible innovations of interventions towards reducing PAHs and HCAs simultaneously in grilled satay is indeed a major research area to work out (Singh et al., 2016). Therefore, the potential effects of honey-spices marination on formation of both, PAHs and HCAs simultaneously is definitely worthy as concerns are raised on consumers' health risks on grilled meat (Irnanda et al., 2012).

### **1.3 Research hypotheses**

There are two hypotheses for this study as follows:

H1: Grilling temperatures affect the formation of both, PAHs and HCAs in gas-grilled beef satay.

H2: Marination reduces the simultaneous formation of PAHs and HCAs in gas-grilled beef satay.

### **1.4 Research objectives**

The objectives of this study are:

1. To determine the effects of temperature on simultaneous formation of PAHs and HCAs in gas-grilled beef satay
2. To assess the effects of honey-spices marination on simultaneous formation of PAHs and HCAs.

## REFERENCES

- Aaslyng, M.D., Deudahl-Olesen, L., Jensen, K., & Meinert, L. (2013). Content of heterocyclic amines and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in pork, beef and chicken barbecued at home by Danish consumers. *Meat Science*, (93), 85–91.
- Abdel-Shafy, H. I., & Mansour, M. S. (2016). A review on polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons: Source, environmental impact, effect on human health and remediation. *Egyptian Journal of Petroleum*, 25(1), 107–123.
- Abnet, C. C. (2007). Carcinogenic food contaminants. *Cancer Investigation*, 25(3), 189–196.
- Adeyeye, S. A .O. (2018). Heterocyclic Amines and Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons in Cooked Meat Products: A Review. *Polycyclic Aromatic Compounds*, 1–11.
- Ahmad Kamal, N. H., Selamat, J., & Sanny, M. (2018). Simultaneous formation of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) and heterocyclic aromatic amines (HCAs) in gas-grilled beef satay at different temperatures. *Food Additives & Contaminants: Part A*, 35(5), 848–869.
- Ahn, J., & Grün, I. (2005). Heterocyclic amines: 1. Kinetics of formation of polar and nonpolar heterocyclic amines as a function of time and temperature. *Journal of Food Science*, 70(2), 173–179.
- Alaejos, M. S., & Afonso, A. M. (2011). Factors that affect the content of heterocyclic aromatic amines in foods. *Comprehensive Reviews in Food Science and Food Safety*, 10(2), 52–108.
- Alam Shah, S., Selamat, J., Haque Akanda, M. J., Sanny, M., & Khatib, A. (2018). Effects of different types of soy sauce on the formation of heterocyclic amines in roasted chicken. *Food Additives & Contaminants: Part A*, 35(5), 870–881.
- Alomirah, H., Al-Zenki, S., Al-Hooti, S., Zaghoul, S., Sawaya, W., Ahmed, N., & Kannan, K. (2011). Concentrations and dietary exposure to polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) from grilled and smoked foods. *Food Control*, 22(12), 2028–2035.
- Alomirah, H., Al-Zenki, S., Husain, A., Sawaya, W., Ahmed, N., Gevao, B., & Kannan, K. (2010). Benzo[a]pyrene and total polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) levels in vegetable oils and fats do not reflect the occurrence of the eight genotoxic PAHs. *Food Additives and Contaminants - Part A Chemistry, Analysis, Control, Exposure and Risk Assessment*, 27(6), 869–878.
- Arnoldi, A., Arnoldi, C., Baldi, O., & Ghizzoni, C. (1990). Effect of lipids in the Maillard reaction. In P.A. Finot, H.U. Aeschbacher, R.F. Hurrell, & R. Liardon (Eds.), *Advances in Life Sciences* (pp. 133–138). Basel: Birkhäuser.

- Arumugaswamy, R. K., Gulam Rusul R A, & Siti Nadzriah A. H. (1994). Prevalence of *Listeria monocytogenes* in foods in Malaysia. *International Journal of Food Microbiology*, 23(1), 117–121.
- Arvidsson, P., Boekel, M.A.J.S.V., Skog, K., Solyakov, A., & Jägerstad, M. (1999). Formation of heterocyclic amines in a meat juice model system. *Journal of Food Science*, 64(2), 216–221.
- Aygün, S.F., & Kabadayi, F. (2005). Determination of benzo[a]pyrene in charcoal grilled meat samples by HPLC with fluorescence detection. *International Journal of Food Sciences and Nutrition*, 56(8), 581–585.
- Babaoglu, A. S., Karakaya, M., & Öz, F. (2017). Formation of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in beef and lamb kokorec: Effects of different animal fats. *International Journal of Food Properties*, 20(9), 1960–1970.
- Bhat, Z. F., Morton, J. D., Mason, S. L., & Bekhit, A. E. (2018). Applied and emerging methods for meat tenderization: A comparative perspective. *Comprehensive Reviews in Food Science and Food Safety*, 17(4), 841–859.
- Bogard, A., Fuller, C., Radke, V., Selman, C. & Smith, K., (2013). Ground Beef Handling and Cooking Practices in Restaurants in Eight States†. *Journal of Food Protection*, 76(12), pp.2132–2140.
- Britt, P.F., Buchanan, A.C., Owens, Jr C.V., & Skeen, J.T. (2004). Does glucose enhance the formation of nitrogen containing polycyclic aromatic compounds and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in the pyrolysis of proline? *Fuel*, 83, 1417–1432.
- Camargo, M.C.R., Antonioli, P.R., Vicente, E., & Tfouni, S.A.V. (2011). Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in Brazilian commercial soybean oils and dietary exposure. *Food Additives & Contaminants: Part B*, 4(2):152–159.
- Chen, B.H., & Chen Y.C. (2001). Formation of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in the smoke from heated model lipids and food lipids. *Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry*, 49, 5238–5243.
- Chen, B.H., & Lin, Y.S. (1997). Formation of Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons during Processing of Duck Meat. *Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry*, 45, 1394–1403.
- Chen, D-W., & Zhang, M. (2007). Non-volatile taste active compounds in the meat of Chinese mitten crab (*Eriocheir sinensis*). *Food Chemistry*, 104, 1200–1205.
- Chen, Y., Xia, E., Xu, X., Li, S., Ling, W., Wu, S., Deng, G., Zou, Z., Zhou, J., & Li, H. (2012). Evaluation of Benzo[a]pyrene in food from China by high-performance liquid chromatography-fluorescence detection. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 9(11), 4159–4169.
- Cheng, K. W., Chen, F., & Wang, M. (2007). Inhibitory activities of dietary phenolic compounds on heterocyclic amine formation in both chemical model system and beef patties. *Molecular Nutrition and Food Research*, 51(8), 969–976.



- Cheok, C.Y., Chin, N.L., Yusof, Y.A., Mustapa Kamal, S.M., & Sazili A.Q. (2011). Effect of marinating temperatures on physical change of traditionally marinated beef satay. *Journal of Food Processing and Preservation*, 35, 474–482.
- Chiavari, G. & Galletti, G. C. (1992). Pyrolysis-gas chromatography/mass spectrometry of amino acids. *Journal of Analytical and Applied Pyrolysis*, 24, 123–137.
- Chung, S. Y., Yettella, R. R., Kim, J. S., Kwon, K., Kim, M. C., & Min, D. B. (2011). Effects of grilling and roasting on the levels of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in beef and pork. *Food Chemistry*, 129, 1420–1426.
- Cianciosi, D., Forbes-Hernández, T., Afrin, S., Gasparri, M., Reboredo-Rodríguez, P., Manna, P., Zhang, J., Bravo Lamas, L., Martínez Flórez, S., Agudo Toyos, P., Quiles, J., Giampieri, F., & Battino, M. (2018). Phenolic compounds in honey and their associated health benefits: A review. *Molecules*, 23(9), 2322.
- Ciecierska, M., & Obiedzinski, M.W. (2013). Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in the bakery chain. *Food Chemistry*, 141, 1–9.
- Damašius, J., Venskutonis, P.R., Feerracane, R., & Fogliano, V. (2011). Assessment of the influence of some spice extracts on the formation of heterocyclic amines in meat. *Food Chemistry*, 126, 149–156.
- Daniel, C. R., Schwartz, K. L., Colt, J. S., Dong, L. M., Ruterbusch, J. J., Purdue, M. P., Cross, A. J., Rothman, N., Davis, F. G., Wacholder, S., Graubard, B. I., Chow, W. H., & Sinha, R. (2011). Meat-cooking mutagens and risk of renal cell carcinoma. *British Journal of Cancer*, 105(7), 1096–1104.
- Dennis, C., Karim, F., & Smith, S. (2015). Evaluation of Maillard reaction variables and their effect on heterocyclic amine formation in chemical model systems.
- Deudahl-Olesen, L., Aaslyng, M., Meinert, L., Christensen, T., Jensen, A.H., & Binderup, M.L. (2015). Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH) in Danish barbecued meat. *Food Control*, 57, 168–176.
- Dolan, L. C., Matulka, R. A., & Burdock, G. A. (2010). Naturally occurring food toxins. *Toxins*, 2(9), 2289–2332.
- Domingo, J.L., & Nadal, M. (2015). Human dietary exposure to polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons: A review of the scientific literature. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 86, 144–153.
- Domínguez, R., Pateiro, M., Gagaoua, M., Barba, F. J., Zhang, W., & Lorenzo, J. M. (2019). A Comprehensive Review on Lipid Oxidation in Meat and Meat Products. *Antioxidants*, 8(10), 429.
- Dong, S., Liu, G., Hu, J., & Zheng, M. (2013). Polychlorinated dibenzo-p-dioxins and dibenzofurans formed from sucralose at high temperatures. *Scientific Reports*, 3, 4–7.

- Dost, K., & Ideli, C. (2012). Determination of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in edible oils and barbecued food by HPLC/UV-Vis detection. *Food Chemistry*, *133*(1), 193–199.
- Duan, X., Shen, G., Yang, H., Tian, J., Wei, F., Gong, J., & Zhang, J. (2016). Dietary intake polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) and associated cancer risk in a cohort of Chinese urban adults: Inter- and intra-individual variability. *Chemosphere*, *144*, 2469–2475.
- Ekiz, E. & Oz, F. (2018). The effects of different frying oils on the formation of heterocyclic aromatic amines in meatballs and the changes in fatty acid compositions of meatballs and frying oils. *Journal of the Science of Food and Agriculture*, *99*(4), 1509–1518.
- El Badry, N. (2010). Effect of Household Cooking Methods and Some Food Additives on Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs) Formation in Chicken Meat. *World Applied Sciences Journal*, *9*, 963–974.
- El Husseini, M., Mourad, R., Abdul Rahim, H., Al Omar, F., & Jaber, F. (2019). Assessment of Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAH4) in the Traditional Lebanese Grilled Meat Products and Investigation of Broasted Frying Cooking Method and Meat Size on the PAH4 Formation. *Polycyclic Aromatic Compounds*, 1–19.
- European Commission (2011). Commission regulation (EU) no. 835/2011 of 19 August 2011 amending regulation (EC) no. 1881/2006 as regards maximum levels for polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in foodstuffs. Official Journal of the European Union, 215/4.
- Farhadian, A., Jinap, S., Faridah, A., & Zaidul, I. S. M. (2012). Effects of marinating on the formation of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (benzo[a]pyrene, benzo[b]fluoranthene and fluoranthene) in grilled beef meat. *Food Control*, *28*(2), 420–425.
- Farhadian, A., Jinap, S., Hanifah, H.N., & Zaidul, I.S. (2011). Effects of meat preheating and wrapping on the levels of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in charcoal-grilled meat. *Food Chemistry*, *124*(1), 141–146.
- Farhadian, A., Jinap, S., Abas, F., & Sakar, Z.I. (2010). Determination of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in grilled meat. *Food Control*, *21*, 606–610.
- Felton, J.S., Knize, M.G., Wu, R.W., Colvin, M.E., Hatch, F.T., & Malfatti, M.A. (2007). Mutagenic potency of food-derived heterocyclic amines. *Mutation Research*, *616*, 90–94.
- Ferguson, L. R. (2010). Meat and cancer. *Meat Science*, *84*(2), 308–313.
- Fernandez-Gonzalez, R., Yebra-Pimentel, I., Martínez-Carballo, E. & Simal-Gándara J. (2012). Feed ingredients mainly contributing to polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbon and polychlorinated biphenyl residues. *Polycyclic Aromatic Compounds*, *32*(2), 280–295.

- Frederiksen, H. (2005). Two food-borne heterocyclic amines: metabolism and DNA adduct formation of amino-alpha-carbolines. *Molecular Nutrition & Food Research*, 49, 263–273.
- Friedman, M., Molnár-Perl, I., & Knighton, D. R. (1992). Browning prevention in fresh and dehydrated potatoes by SH-containing amino acids. *Food Additives and Contaminants*, 9(5), 499-503.
- Fromberg, A., Højgård, A., & Duedahl-Olesen L. (2007). Analysis of Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons in Vegetable Oils Combining Gel Permeation Chromatography with Solid-Phase Extraction Clean-Up. *Food Additives & Contaminants* 24, 758–767.
- Garnaga, G. (2012). Integrated assessment of pollution in the Baltic sea. *Ekologija*, 58(3), 331–355.
- Gibis, M. (2016). Heterocyclic Aromatic Amines in Cooked Meat Products: Causes, Formation, Occurrence, and Risk Assessment. *Comprehensive Reviews in Food Science and Food Safety*, 15(2), 269–302.
- Gibis, M., & Weiss, J. (2015). Impact of Precursors Creatine, Creatinine, and Glucose on the Formation of Heterocyclic Aromatic Amines in Grilled Patties of Various Animal Species. *Journal of Food Science*, 80(11), C2430–C2439.
- Gibis, M. & Weiss, J. (2010). Inhibitory effect of marinades with hibiscus extract on formation of heterocyclic aromatic amines and sensory quality of fried beef patties. *Meat Science*, 85(4), 735–742.
- Golon, A., Kropf, C., Vockenroth, I., & Kuhnert, N. (2014). An Investigation of the Complexity of Maillard Reaction Product Profiles from the Thermal Reaction of Amino Acids with Sucrose Using High Resolution Mass Spectrometry. *Foods*, 3, 461–475.
- Gooderham, N. J., Murray, S., Lynch, A. M., Yadollahi-Farsani, M., Zhao, K., Boobis, A. R., & Davies, D. S. (2001). Food-derived heterocyclic amine mutagens: Variable metabolism and significance to humans. *Drug Metabolism and Disposition*, 29(4 II), 529–534.
- Gorji, M.E., Ahmadkhaniha, R., Moazzen, M., Yunesian, M., Azari, A., & Rastkari, N. (2016). Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in Iranian Kebabs. *Food Control*, 60, 57–63.
- Gosetti, F., Chiuminatto, U., Mazzucco, E., Robotti, E., Calabrese, G., Gennaro, M.C., & Marengo, E. (2011). Simultaneous determination of thirteen polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons and twelve aldehydes in cooked food by an automated on-line solid phase extraction ultra high performance liquid chromatography tandem mass spectrometry. *Journal of Chromatography A*, 1218, 6308–6318.
- Gross, G.A., & Grüter, A. (1992). Quantitation of mutagenic/carcinogenic heterocyclic aromatic amines in food products. *Journal of Chromatography A*, 592(1-2), 271–278.

- Gu, Y.S., Kim, I.S., Park, J.H., Lee, S.H., Park, D.C., Yeum, D.M., Ji, C.I., Kim, S.H., Wakabayashi, K., & Kim, S.B. (2001). Effects of seasoning and heating device on mutagenicity and heterocyclic amines in cooked beef. *Bioscience, Biotechnology, and Biochemistry*, 65(10), 2284–2287.
- Haiba, N. S., Asaal, A. M., El Massry, A. M., Ismail, I., Basahi, J., & Hassan, I. A. (2019). Effects of “Doneness” level on PAH concentrations in charcoal-grilled beef and chicken: An Egyptian study case. *Polycyclic Aromatic Compounds*, 1–11.
- Hashim, I. B., McWatters, K. H., & Hung, Y-C. (1999). Marination Method and Honey Level Affect Physical and Sensory Characteristics of Roasted Chicken. *Journal of Food Science*, 64(1), 163–166.
- Hasnol, N.D.S., Jinap, S., & Sanny, M. (2014). Effect of different types of sugars in a marinating formulation of heterocyclic amines in grilled chicken. *Food Chemistry*, 145, 514–521.
- Heinen, M.M., Verhage, B.A.J., Goldbohm, R.A., & Van den Brandt, P.A. (2009). Meat and fat intake and pancreatic cancer risk in the Netherlands cohort study. *International Journal of Cancer*, 125, 1118–1126.
- Hidalgo, F.J. & Zamora, R. (2017). Food Processing Antioxidants. In F. Toldrá (Ed.), *Advances in Food and Nutrition Research* (pp. 31–64). Cambridge: Academic Press.
- Hussein, I. A-S. & Mona, S. M. M. (2016). A review on polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons: Source, environmental impact, effect on human health and remediation. *Egyptian Journal of Petroleum*, 25, 107–123. *Indonesian Journal of Cancer Chemoprevention*, 3(3), 433–437.
- Irnanda, K., Meiftasari, A., Nagadi, & S., Lukitaningsih, E. (2012). Safety evaluation of chicken satay in Yogyakarta Indonesia based on benzo[a]pyrene content. *Indonesian Journal of Cancer Chemoprevention*. 3(3), 432.
- Istrati, D., Simion CiuCiu, A-M., Ionescu, A., Vizireanu, C. & Dinica, R. (2012). Influence of spice and wine based marinades on bovine Biceps femoris muscle tenderness. *African Journal of Biotechnology*, 11(79), 14461–14467.
- Iwasaki, M., Kataoka, H., Ishihara, J., Takachi, R., Hamada, G.S., Sharma, S., Merchand, L.L., & Tsugane, S. (2010). Heterocyclic amines content of meat and fish cooked by Brazilian methods. *Journal of Food Composition and Analysis*, 23(1), 61–69.
- Iwegbue, C. M., Obi, G., Aganbi, E., Ogala, J. E., Omo-Irabor, O. O., & Martincigh, B. S. (2016). Concentrations and health risk assessment of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in soils of an urban environment in the Niger delta, Nigeria. *Toxicology and Environmental Health Sciences*, 8(3), 221–233.

- Jägerstad, M., & Skog, K. (2005). Genotoxicity of heat-processed foods. *Mutation Research/Fundamental and Molecular Mechanisms of Mutagenesis*, 574(1-2), 156–172.
- Jägerstad G., & Skog, G.O. (1991). Formation of heterocyclic amines using model systems. *Mutation Research*, 259, 219–233.
- Jahurul, M.H.A., Jinap, S., Zaidul, I.S.M, Sahena, F., Farhadian, A., & Hajeb, P. (2013). Determination of fluoranthene, benzo[b]fluoranthene and benzo[a]pyrene in meat and fish products and their intake by Malaysian. *Food Bioscience*, 1, 73–80.
- Janoszka B, Warzecha L, Blaszczyk U, Bodzek D. 2004. Organic compounds formed in thermally treated high protein food Part 1: Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons. *Acta Chromatographica*, 14, 115–128.
- Jinap, S., Shahzad, Z. I., Nur Hafiza, T. & Hasnol, N. D. S. (2016). Heterocyclic aromatic amines in deep fried lamb meat: The influence of spices marination and sensory quality. *Journal of Food Science and Technology*, 53(3), 1411–1417.
- Jinap, S., Mohd-Mokhtar, M.S., Farhadian, A., Hasnol, N.D.S., Jaafar, N.S., & Hajeb, P. (2013). Effects of varying degrees of doneness on the formation of heterocyclic aromatic amines in chicken and beef satay. *Meat Science*, 94(2), 202–207.
- Jinap, S., Shahzad, Z.I., & Selvam, R.M.P. (2015). Effect of selected local spices marinades on the reduction of heterocyclic amines in grilled beef (satay). *LWT-Food Science and Technology*, 63, 919–926.
- Johansson, M. A, Fredholm L., Bjerne, I., & Jagerstad M. (1995). Influence of frying fat on the formation of heterocyclic amines in fried beefburgers and pan residues. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 33, 993–1004.
- Johansson, M.A.E., & Jägerstad, M. (1993). Influence of oxidized deep-frying fat and iron on the formation of food mutagens in a model system. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 31, 971–980.
- Kao, T.S., Chen, S., Chen, C.J., Huang, C.W., & Chen, B.H. (2012). Evaluation of analysis of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons by the QuEChERS method and gas chromatography–mass spectrometry and their formation in poultry meat as affected by marinating and frying. *Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry*, 60(6), 1380–1389.
- Kao, T.S., Chen, S., Huang, C.W., Chen, C.J., & Chen, B.H. (2014). Occurrence and exposure to polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in kindling-free-charcoal grilled meat products in Taiwan. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 71, 149–158.
- Kato, T., Michikoshi, K., Minowa, Y., & Kikugawa, K. (2000). Mutagenicity of cooked hamburger is controlled delicately by reducing sugar content in ground beef. *Mutation Research*, 471, 1–6.

- Kazerouni, N., Sinha, R., Hsu, C.H., Greenberg, A., & Rothman, N. (2001). Analysis of 200 food items for benzo[a]pyrene and estimation of its intake in an epidemiologic study. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 39, 423–436.
- Keiluweit, M., Kleber, M., Sparrow, M.A., Simoneit, B.R.T., & Prah, F.G. (2012). Solvent-Extractable Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons in Biochar: Influence of Pyrolysis Temperature and Feedstock. *Environmental Science & Technology*, 46, 9333–9341.
- Kennish, M. J. Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons. In *Practical Handbook of Estuarine and Marine Pollution* (pp. 141–142). Boca Raton: CRC Press.
- Khan, M. R., Naushad, M., & Abdullah Alotman, Z. (2017). Presence of heterocyclic amine carcinogens in home-cooked and fast-food camel meat burgers commonly consumed in Saudi Arabia. *Scientific Reports*, 7(1).
- Khan, M. I., Jo, C., & Tariq, M. R. (2015). Meat flavor precursors and factors influencing flavor precursors—A systematic review. *Meat Science*, 110, 278–284.
- Khan, M. R. & Naushad, M. (2014). UPLC-MS/MS Analysis of Heterocyclic Amines in Cooked Food. In M. Naushad and M. R. Khan (Eds.), *Ultra Performance Liquid Chromatography Mass Spectrometry: Evaluation and Application in Food Analysis* (pp. 129–174). Boca Raton: CRC Press.
- Kikugawa, K. (1999). Involvement of free radicals in the formation of heterocyclic amines and prevention by antioxidants. *Cancer Letters*, 143, 123–126.
- Kikugawa, K. (2004). Prevention of mutagen formation in heated meats and model systems. *Mutagenesis*, 19(6), 431–439.
- Kılıç Büyükkurt, Ö., Aykin Dinçer, E., Burak Çam, İ., Candal, C., & Erbaş, M. (2017). The Influence of Cooking Methods and Some Marinades on Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbon Formation in Beef Meat. *Polycyclic Aromatic Compounds*, 1–11.
- Kim, H.J., Lee, J.S., Kim, A., Koo, S., Cha, H.J., Han, J-A., Do, Y., Kim, K.M., Kwon, B.S., Mittler, R.S., Cho, H.R., & Kwon, B. (2013). TLR2 signalling in tubular epithelial cells regulates NK cell recruitment in kidney ischemia-reperfusion injury. *Journal of Immunology*, 191, 2657–2664.
- Kim, H. J., Kim, C. K., Carpentier, A., & Poortmans, J. R. (2011). Studies on the safety of creatine supplementation. *Amino Acids*, 40(5), 1409–1418.
- Kirkland, J. B. (2006). Phytochemicals, xenobiotic metabolism, and carcinogenesis. In K.A. Meckling (Ed.), *Nutrient-Drug Interactions* (pp. 63–95). Boca Raton: Taylor & Francis Group.
- Kizil, M., Oz., F., & Besler, H.T. (2011). A review on the formation of carcinogenic/mutagenic heterocyclic aromatic amines. *Journal of Food Processing & Technology*, 2(5), 120–125.

- Knize, M. G., Salmon, C. P., Hopmans, E. C., & Felton, J. S. (1997). Analysis of foods for heterocyclic aromatic amine carcinogens by solid-phase extraction and high-performance liquid chromatography. *Journal of Chromatography A*, 763(1–2), 179–185.
- Knize, M. G., Salmon, C. P., Mehta, S. S., & Felton, J. S. (1997). Analysis of cooked muscle meats for heterocyclic aromatic amine carcinogens. *Mutation Research/Fundamental and Molecular Mechanisms of Mutagenesis*, 376(1–2), 129–134.
- Lan, C. M., & Chen, B. H. (2002). Effects of soy sauce and sugar on the formation of heterocyclic amines in marinated foods. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 40(7), 989–1000.
- Larsson, B.K., Sahlberg, G.P., Eriksson, A.T., & Busk, L.A. (1983). Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in grilled food. *Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry*, 31(4), 867–873.
- Laser Reuterswärd, A., Skog, K., & Jägerstad, M. (1987). Mutagenicity of pan-fried bovine tissues in relation to their content of creatine, creatinine, monosaccharides and free amino acids. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 25, 755–762.
- Laskowski, W., Górska-Warsewicz, H., & Kulykovets, O. (2018). Meat, meat products and seafood as sources of energy and nutrients in the average polish diet. *Nutrients*, 10(10), 1412.
- Lee, H., Lin, M-Y., & Chan, S-C. (1994). Formation and identification of carcinogenic heterocyclic aromatic amines in boiled pork juice. *Mutation Research*, 308, 77–88.
- Lee, K-J., Lee, G-H., Kim, H., Oh, M-S., Chu, S., Hwang, I.J., Lee, J-Y, Choi, A., Kim, C-I., & Park, H-M. (2015). Determination of Heterocyclic Amines and Acrylamide in Agricultural Products with Liquid Chromatography-Tandem Mass Spectrometry. *Toxicological Research*, 31(3), 255–264.
- Liao, G., Xu, X., & Zhou, G. (2009). Effects Of Cooked Temperatures And Addition Of Antioxidants On Formation Of Heterocyclic Aromatic Amines In Pork Floss. *Journal of Food Processing and Preservation*, 33(2), 159–175.
- Lijinsky, W. & Shubik, P. (1964). Benzo[a]pyrene and Other Polynuclear Hydrocarbons in Charcoal-Broiled Meat. *Science*, 145(3627), 53–55.
- Lineback, D. R. & Stadler, R. H. (2009). Introduction to food process toxicants. In R.H. Stadler and D.R. Lineback (Eds.), *Process-Induced Food Toxicants: Occurrence, Formation, Mitigation, and Health Risks* (pp. 3–19). New Jersey: John Wiley & Sons, Inc.
- Louis, E.D., & Zheng, W. (2010).  $\beta$ -carboline alkaloids and essential tremor: Exploring the environmental determinants of one of the most prevalent neurological diseases. *The Scientific World Journal*, 10, 1783–1794.

- Lu, F., Kuhnle, G. K., & Cheng, Q. (2017). Vegetable oil as fat replacer inhibits formation of heterocyclic amines and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in reduced fat pork patties. *Food Control*, *81*, 113–125.
- Martorell, I., Perelló, G., Martí-Cid, R., Castell, V., Llobet, J. M., & Domingo, J. L. (2010). Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) in foods and estimated PAH intake by the population of Catalonia, Spain, temporal trend. *Environment International*, *36*, 424–432.
- McGrath, T. E., Chan, W., & Hajaligol, M. R. (2003). Low temperature mechanism for the formation of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons from the pyrolysis of cellulose. *Journal of Analytical and Applied Pyrolysis*, *66*(1–2), 51–70.
- Meo, S.A., Al-Asiri, S.A., Mahesar, A.L., & Ansari, M.J. (2017). Role of honey in modern medicine. *Saudi Journal of Biological Sciences*, *24* (5), 975–978.
- Messner, C., & Murkovic, M. (2004). Evaluation of a new model system for studying the formation of heterocyclic amines. *Journal Of Chromatography. B, Analytical Technologies In The Biomedical And Life Sciences*, *802*(1), 19–26.
- Meurillion, M., & Engel, E. (2016). Mitigation strategies to reduce the impact of heterocyclic aromatic amines in proteinaceous foods. *Trends in Food Science & Technology*, *50*, 70–84.
- Mills, C., Mottram, D. S., & Wedzicha, B. L. (2009). Acrylamide. In R.H. Stadler and D.R. Lineback (Eds.), *Process-Induced Food Toxicants: Occurrence, Formation, Mitigation, and Health Risks* (pp. 23–50). New Jersey: John Wiley & Sons, Inc.
- Moazzen, M., Ahmadkhaniha, R., Gorji, M.E., Yunesian, M., & Rastkari, N. (2013). Magnetic solid-phase extraction based on magnetic multi-walled carbon nanotubes for the determination of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in grilled meat samples. *Talanta*, *115*, 957–965.
- Mohammadi, M., & Valizadeh-kakhki, F. (2016). Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons determination in grilled beef and chicken. *Polycyclic Aromatic Compounds*, *38*(5), 434–444.
- Moorthy, B., Chu, C., & Carlin, D. J. (2015). Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons: From metabolism to lung cancer. *Toxicological Sciences*, *145*(1), 5–15.
- Murkovic, M. (2004). Chemistry, formation and occurrence of genotoxic heterocyclic aromatic amines in fried products. *European Journal of Lipid Science and Technology*, *106*(11), 777–785.
- Murkovic, M. (2007). Analysis of heterocyclic aromatic amines. *Analytical and Bioanalytical Chemistry*, *389*(1), 139–146.
- Naghham, M. J. (2014). Review in cyclic compounds with heteroatom. *International Journal of Current Research in Chemistry and Pharmaceutical Sciences*, *1*(9), 88–120.



- Nair, S., O'Brien, S.V., Hayden, K., Pandya, B., Lisboa, P.J., Hardy, K.J., & Wilding, J.P. (2014). Effect of a cooked meat meal on serum creatinine and estimated glomerular filtration rate in diabetes-related kidney disease. *Diabetes Care*, 37(2), 483–487.
- Nerurkar, P.V., Marchand, L.L., & Cooney, R.V. (1999). Effects of marinating with Asian marinades or Western barbecue sauce on PhIP and MeIQx formation in barbecued beef. *Nutrition and Cancer*, 34(2), 147–152.
- Nie, W., Cai, K., Li, Y., Zhang, S., Wang, Y., Guo, J., Chen, C., & Xu, B. 2019. Small molecular weight aldose (D-glucose) and basic amino acids (L-lysine, L-arginine) increase the occurrence of PAHs in grilled pork sausages. *Molecules*, 23, 3377.
- Nozal, M., Bernal, J., Toribio, M., Diego, J., & Ruiz, A. (2004). Rapid and sensitive method for determining free amino acids in honey by gas chromatography with flame ionization or mass spectrometric detection. *Journal of Chromatography A*, 1047(1), 137–146.
- Olatunji, O.S., Fatoki, O.S., Opeolu, B.O., & Ximba, B.J. (2014). Determination of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons [PAHs] in processed meat products using gas chromatography-Flame ionization detector. *Food Chemistry*, 156, 296–300.
- Olsson, V., Solyakov, A., Skog, K., Lundström, K., & Jägerstad, M. (2002). Natural variations of precursors in pig meat affect the yield of heterocyclic amines – effects of RN genotype, feeding regime, and sex. *Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry*, 50(10), 2962–2969.
- Omaye, S. T. (2004). Introduction to food toxicology. In D.H. Watson (Ed.), *Pesticide, Veterinary and Other Residues in Food* (pp. 1–28). Cambridge: Woodhead Publishing Limited.
- Onyango, A. A., Lalah, J. O., & Wandiga, S. O. (2012). The effect of local cooking methods on polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) contents in beef, goat meat, and pork as potential sources of human exposure in Kisumu city, Kenya. *Polycyclic Aromatic Compounds*, 32(5), 656–668.
- Orecchio, S., Ciotti, V. P., & Culotta, L. (2009). Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) in coffee brew samples: Analytical method by GC–MS, profile, levels and sources. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 47(4), 819–826.
- Oz, F. & Kaya, M. (2011). The inhibitory effect of black pepper on formation of heterocyclic aromatic amines in high-fat meatball. *Food Control*, 22(3–4), 596–600.
- Oz, F., & Yuzer, M. O. (2016). The effects of cooking on wire and stone barbecue at different cooking levels on the formation of heterocyclic aromatic amines and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in beef steak. *Food Chemistry*, 203, 59–66.

- Ozcan, A., Liles, N., Coffey, D., Shen, S. S., & Truong, L. D. (2011). PAX2 and PAX8 expression in primary and metastatic Müllerian epithelial tumors. *The American Journal of Surgical Pathology*, 35(12), 1837-1847.
- Ozden O. 2005. Changes in amino acid and fatty acid composition during shelf-life of marinated fish. *Journal of the Science of Food and Agriculture*, 85, 2015–2020.
- Palm, L. M. N., Carboo, D., yeboah, P. P., Quasie, W. J., Gorleku, M. A., & Darko, A. (2011). Characterization of Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs) present in smoked fish from Ghana. *Advance Journal of Food Science and Technology*, 3(5), 332–338.
- Park, J-H., & Penning, T. (2009). Polyaromatic hydrocarbons. In: Stadler RH, Lineback DR, editors. *Process-Induced Food Toxicants: Occurrence, Formation, Mitigation, and Health Risks*. New Jersey: Wiley; pp. 243–282.
- Pearson, A. M., Chen, C., Gray, J. I., & Aust, S. D. (1992). Mechanism(s) involved in meat mutagen formation and inhibition. *Free Radical Biology & Medicine*, 13, 161–167.
- Pereira, R.T.D.S., Dörr, F.A., Pinto, E., Solis, M.Y., Artioli, G.G., Fernandes, A.L., Gualano, B. (2015). Can creatine supplementation form carcinogenic heterocyclic amines in humans? *The Journal of Physiology*, 593(17), 3959–3971.
- Perelló, G., Marti-Cid, R., Castell, V., Llobet, J.M., & Domingo, J.L. (2009). Concentrations of polybrominated diphenyl ethers, hexachlorobenzene and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in various foodstuffs before and after cooking. *Food & Chemical Toxicology*, 47, 709–715.
- Pérez-Palacios, T., Eusebio, J., Ferro Palma, S., Carvalho, M. J., Mir-Bel, J., & Antequera, T. (2017). Taste compounds and consumer acceptance of chicken soups as affected by cooking conditions. *International Journal of Food Properties*, 20(sup1), S154–S165.
- Pirsaheb, M., Dragoi, E. and Vasseghian, Y., 2020. Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs) Formation in Grilled Meat products—Analysis and Modeling with Artificial Neural Networks. *Polycyclic Aromatic Compounds*, 1–17.
- Polak, T., Andrenšek, S., Žlender, B., & Gašperlin, L. (2009). Effects of ageing and low internal temperature of grilling on the formation of heterocyclic amines in beef *Longissimus dorsi* muscle. *LWT-Food Science and Technology*, 42(1), 256–264.
- Pouzou, J. G., Costard, S., & Zagmutt, F. J. (2018). Probabilistic estimates of heterocyclic amines and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons concentrations in meats and breads applicable to exposure assessments. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 114, 346–360.

- Puangsoombat, K. & Smith, S. (2010). Inhibition of Heterocyclic Amine Formation in Beef Patties by Ethanolic Extracts of Rosemary. *Journal of Food Science*, 75(2), 40–47.
- Rao, P. V., Krishnan, K. T., Salleh, N., & Gan, S. H. (2016). Biological and therapeutic effects of honey produced by honey bees and stingless bees: a comparative review. *Revista Brasileira de Farmacognosia*, 26, 657–664.
- Rather, I. A., Koh, W. Y., Paek, W. K., & Lim, J. (2017). The sources of chemical contaminants in food and their health implications. *Frontiers in Pharmacology*, 8, 830.
- Rizwan Khan, M., Naushad, M., & Abdullah Allothman, Z. (2017). Presence of heterocyclic amine carcinogens in home-cooked and fast-food camel meat burgers commonly consumed in Saudi Arabia. *Scientific Reports*, 7(1).
- Rose, M., Holland, J., Dowding, A., Petch, S. (R.G.), White, S., Fernandes, A., & Mortimer, D. (2015). Investigation into the formation of PAHs in foods prepared in the home to determine the effects of frying, grilling, barbecuing, toasting and roasting. *Food & Chemical Toxicology*, 78, 1–9.
- Salmon, C. P., Knize, M. G., & Felton, J. S. (1997). Effects of marinating on heterocyclic amine carcinogen formation in grilled chicken. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 35(5), 433–441.
- Sanny, M., Jinap, S., Bakker, E., Van Boekel, M., & Luning, P. (2012). Possible causes of variation in acrylamide concentration in french fries prepared in food service establishments: An observational study. *Food Chemistry*, 132(1), 134–143.
- Scientific Committee on Food (SCF) (2002). Opinion of the Scientific Committee on Food on the Risks to Human Health of Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons in Food Source: [http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/food/fs/sc/scf/out153\\_en.pdf](http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/food/fs/sc/scf/out153_en.pdf).
- Shabbir, M. A., Raza, A., Anjum, F. M., Khan, M. R. & Suleria, H. A. R. (2015). Effect of Thermal Treatment on Meat Proteins with Special Reference to Heterocyclic Aromatic Amines (HAAs). *Critical Reviews in Food Science and Nutrition*, 55(1), 82–93.
- Sharma, R. K., Chan, W., Seeman, J. I., & Hajaligol, M. R. (2003). Formation of low molecular weight heterocycles and polycyclic aromatic compounds (PACs) in the pyrolysis of  $\alpha$ -amino acids. *Journal of Analytical and Applied Pyrolysis*, 66(1–2), 97–121.
- Shimada, K., Filipuzzi, I., Stahl, M., Helliwell, S., Studer, C., Hoepfner, D., Seeber, A., Loewith, R., Movva, N., & Gasser, S. (2013). TORC2 signaling pathway guarantees genome stability in the face of DNA Strand breaks. *Molecular Cell*, 51(6), 829–839.
- Shin H.S., & Ustunol, Z. (2004). Influence of honey-containing marinades on heterocyclic aromatic amine formation and overall mutagenicity in fried beef steak and chicken breast. *Journal of Food Science*, 69(3), 147–153.

- Shin, H. S., Strasburg, G.M., & Ustunol, Z. (2003). Influence of Different Unifloral Honeys on Heterocyclic Aromatic Amine Formation and Overall Mutagenicity in Fried Ground-beef Patties. *Journal of Food Chemistry and Toxicology*, 68(3), 810–815.
- Shin, H-S., Park, H., & Park, D. (2003). Influence of different oligosaccharides and inulin on heterocyclic aromatic amine formation and overall mutagenicity in fried ground beef patties. *Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry*, 51, 6726–6730.
- Singh, L., Varshney, G., & Agarwal, T. (2016). Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons' formation and occurrence in processed food. *Food Chemistry*, 199, 768–781.
- Sinha, R., & Norat, T. (2002). Meat cooking and cancer risk. *IARC Scientific Publications*, 156, 181–186.
- Sinha, R., Rothman, N., Brown, E.D., Mark, S.D., Hoover, R.N., Caporaso, N.E., Levander, O.A., Knize, M.G., Lang, N.P., & Kadlubar, F.F. (1994). Pan-fried meat containing high levels of heterocyclic aromatic amines but low levels of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons induces cytochrome P4501A2 activity in humans. *Cancer Research*, 54, 6154–6159.
- Skog, K., & Jägerstad, M. (1990). Effects of monosaccharides and disaccharides on the formation of food mutagens in model systems. *Mutation Research*, 230(2), 263–272.
- Skog, K., Johansson, M., & Jägerstad, M. (1998). Carcinogenic heterocyclic amines in model systems and cooked foods: A review on formation, occurrence and intake. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 36(9–10), 879–896.
- Skog, K., Solyakov, A., & Jägerstad, M. (2000). Effects of heating conditions and additives on the formation of heterocyclic amines with reference to amino-carbolines in a meat juice model system. *Food Chemistry*, 68, 299–308.
- Skog, K., Steineck, G., Augustsson, K., & Jägerstad, M. (1995). Effect of cooking temperature on the formation of heterocyclic amines in fried meat products and pan residues. *Carcinogenesis*, 16(4), 861–867.
- Smith, J.S., Ameri, F., & Gadgil, P. (2008). Effect of Marinades on the Formation of Heterocyclic Amines in Grilled Beef Steaks. *Journal of Food Science*, 73(6), T100–T105.
- Sobral, M.M.C., Cunha, S.C., Faria, M.A., & Ferreira, M.P.L.V.O. (2018). Domestic Cooking of Muscle Foods: Impact on Composition of Nutrients and Contaminants. *Comprehensive Reviews in Food Science and Food Safety*, 17, 309–333.
- Sugimura, S., Ritter, L. J., Sutton-McDowall, M. L., Mottershead, D. G., Thompson, J. G., & Gilchrist, R. B. (2014). Amphiregulin Co-operates with bone morphogenetic protein 15 to increase bovine oocyte developmental

- competence: Effects on gap Junction-mediated metabolite supply. *MHR: Basic science of reproductive medicine*, 20(6), 499-513.
- Sugimura, T. (2000). Nutrition and dietary carcinogens. *Carcinogenesis*, 21(3), 387-395.
- Sugimura, T. (1997). Overview of carcinogenic heterocyclic amines. *Mutation Research*, 376, 211-219.
- Suzuki, A., Homma, N., Fukuda, A., Hirao, K., Uryu, T., & Ikeuchi, Y. (1994). Effects of high pressure treatment on the flavour-related components in meat. *Meat Science*, 37(3), 369-379.
- Szterk, A. (2015a). Acridine derivatives (PANHs, azaarenes) in raw, fried or grilled pork from different origins, and PANH formation during pork thermal processing. *Journal of Food Composition and Analysis*, 43, 18-24.
- Szterk, A. (2015b). Heterocyclic aromatic amines in grilled beef: The influence of free amino acids, nitrogenous bases, nucleosides, protein and glucose on HAAs content. *Journal of Food Composition and Analysis*, 40, 39-46.
- Szterk, A., & Jesionkowska, K. (2015). Influence of the cold storage time of raw beef meat and grilling parameters on sensory quality and content of heterocyclic aromatic amines. *LWT - Food Science and Technology*, 61(2), 299-308.
- Szterk, A., & Waszkiewicz-Robak, B. (2014). Influence of selected quality factors of beef on the profile and the quantity of heterocyclic aromatic amines during processing at high temperature. *Meat Science*, 96(3), 1177-1184.
- Szterk, A. (2013). Chemical state of heterocyclic aromatic amines in grilled beef: Evaluation by in vitro digestion model and comparison of alkaline hydrolysis and organic solvent for extraction. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 62, 653-660.
- Szterk, A., Roszko, M., & Cybulski, A. (2012). Determination of azaarenes in oils using the LC-APCI-MS/MS technique: New environmental toxicant in food oils. *Journal of Separation Science*, 35(21), 2858-2865.
- Tang, D., Liu, J.J., Rundle, A., Neslund-Dudas, C., Savera, A.T., Bock, C.H., Nock, N.L., Yang, J.J., & Rybicki, B.A. (2007). Grilled meat consumption and PhIP-DNA adducts in prostate carcinogenesis. *Cancer Epidemiology, Biomarkers & Prevention*, 16(4), 803-808.
- Teixeira, V. H., Casal, S., & Oliveira, M. B. (2007). PAHs content in sunflower, soybean and virgin olive oils: Evaluation in commercial samples and during refining process. *Food Chemistry*, 104(1), 106-112.
- [a]pyrene in Turkish döner kebab samples cooked with charcoal or gas fire. *Irish Journal of Agricultural and Food Research*, 47(2), 187-193.
- Tfouni, S. A. V., Souza, N. G., Neto, M. B., Loredo, I. S. D., Leme, F. M., & Furlani, R. P. Z. (2009). Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs) in Sugarcane Juice. *Food Chemistry*, 116(1), 391-394.

- Totsuka, Y., Ushiyama, H., Ishihara, J., Sinha, R., Goto, S., Sugimura, T., & Wakabayashi, K. (1999). Quantification of the Co-mutagenic  $\beta$ -carbolines, norharman and Harman, in cigarette smoke condensates and cooked foods. *Cancer Letters*, 143(2), 139–143.
- Trafialek, J., & Kolanowski, W. (2014). Dietary exposure to meat-related carcinogenic substances: Is there a way to estimate the risk? *International Journal of Food Sciences and Nutrition*, 65(6), 774–780.
- Turesky, R. J., & Le Marchand, L. (2011). Metabolism and biomarkers of heterocyclic aromatic amines in molecular epidemiology studies: Lessons learned from aromatic amines. *Chemical Research in Toxicology*, 24(8), 1169–1214.
- Turesky, R. J. (2009). Heterocyclic aromatic amines. In R.H. Stadler and D.R. Lineback (Eds.), *Process-Induced Food Toxicants: Occurrence, Formation, Mitigation, and Health Risks* (pp. 75–115). New Jersey: John Wiley & Sons, Inc.
- Unal, K., Karakaya, M., & Oz, F. (2017). The effects of different spices and fat types on the formation of heterocyclic aromatic amines in barbecued sucuk. *Journal of the Science of Food and Agriculture*, 98(2), 719–725.
- Viegas O, Novo P, Pinho O, & Ferreira IMPIVO. (2012). Effect of charcoal types and grilling conditions on formation of heterocyclic aromatic amines (HAs) and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) in grilled muscle foods. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 50, 2128–2134.
- Viegas, O., Žegura, B., Pezdric, M., Novak, M., Ferreira, I. M. P. L. V. O., Pinho, O., & Filipič, M. (2012). Protective effects of xanthohumol against the genotoxicity of heterocyclic aromatic amines MeIQx and PhIP in bacteria and in human hepatoma (HepG2) cells. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*, 50(3–4), 949–955.
- Vintilă, I. (2016). Typical Traditional Processes: Cooking and Frying. *Regulating Safety of Traditional and Ethnic Foods*, 29–62.
- Vlahova-Vangelova, D., & Dragoev, S. (2014). Marination: effect on meat safety and human health. A review. *Bulgarian Journal of Agricultural Science*, 20(3), 503–509.
- Wang, C., Xie, Y., Qi, J., Yu, Y., Bai, Y., Dai, C., Li, C., Xu, X., & Zhou, G. (2017). Effect of Tea Marinades on the formation of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons in charcoal-grilled chicken wings. *Food Control*, 93, 325–333.
- Wang, H., Wang, C., Li, C., Xu, X., & Zhou, G. (2019). Effects of Phenolic Acid Marinades on the Formation of Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons in Charcoal-Grilled Chicken Wings. *Journal of Food Protection*, 82(4), 684–690.
- Wenzl, T., Simon, R., Anklam, E., & Kleiner, J. (2006). Analytical methods for polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) in food and the environment needed for new food legislation in the European Union. *TrAC - Trends in Analytical Chemistry*, 25(7), 716–725.

- Wretling, S., Eriksson, A., Eskhult, G. A., & Larsson, B. (2010). Polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) in Swedish smoked meat and fish. *Journal of Food Composition and Analysis*, 23, 264–272.
- Xiong, Y. L., Noel, D. C., & Moody, W. G. (1999). Textural and sensory properties of low-fat beef sausages with added water and polysaccharides as affected by pH and salt. *Journal of Food Science*, 64(3), 550–554.
- Yan, J., Wang, L., Fu, P. P., & Yu, H. (2004). Photomutagenicity of 16 polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons from the US EPA priority pollutant list. *Mutation Research*, 557(1), 99–108.
- Yaylayan, V.A. (2015, 23–28 August). *Mechanistic pathways to process-induced toxicants in meat*. Paper presented at the 61<sup>st</sup> International Congress of Meat Science and Technology. [http://icomst-proceedings.helsinki.fi/papers/2015\\_05\\_00.pdf](http://icomst-proceedings.helsinki.fi/papers/2015_05_00.pdf) (accessed 11 June 2018).
- Yu, H. (2002). Environmental carcinogenic polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons: photochemistry and phototoxicity. *Journal of Environmental Science and Health, Part C Environmental Carcinogenesis and Ecotoxicology Reviews*, 20(2), 149–183.
- Yusop, S., O’Sullivan, M., & Kerry, J. (2011). Marinating and enhancement of the nutritional content of processed meat products. *Processed Meats*, 421–449.
- Zamora, R., & Hidalgo, F. J. (2011). The Maillard reaction and lipid oxidation. *Lipid Technology*, 23(3), 59–62.
- Zamora, R., & Hidalgo, F. J. (2015). 2-Amino-1-methyl-6-phenylimidazo[4,5-b]pyridine (PhIP) formation and fate: An example of the coordinate contribution of lipid oxidation and Maillard reaction to the production and elimination of processing-related food toxicants. *RSC Advances*, 5(13), 9709–9721.
- Zelinkova, Z., & Wenzl, T. (2015). The Occurrence of 16 EPA PAHs in Food – A Review. *Polycyclic Aromatic Compounds*, 35(2–4), 248–284.
- Zeng, M., He, Z., Zheng, Z., Qin, F., Tao, G., Zhang, S., Gao, Y., & Chen, J. (2014). Effect of six Chinese spices on heterocyclic amine profiles in roast beef patties by ultra performance liquid chromatography-tandem mass spectrometry and principal component analysis. *Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry*, 62(40), 9908–9915.
- Zheng, W., & Lee, S. (2009). Well-done meat intake, heterocyclic amine exposure, and cancer risk. *Nutrition and Cancer*, 61(4), 437–446.
- Zhou, C., Li, J., & Tan, S. (2014). Effect of L-Lysine on the physicochemical properties of pork sausage. *Food Science and Biotechnology*, 23(3), 775–780.
- Zöchling, S., & Murkovic, M. (2002). Formation of the heterocyclic aromatic amine PhIP: identification of precursors and intermediates. *Food Chemistry*, 79, 125–134.