| Variable | Model | df | AIC |
|-------------------|---|-----------|-----------|
| DOC concentration | Day 10: Treatment with by-factor smooth | 10.859073 | 146.82397 |
| DOC concentration | Day 10: Treatment with global smooth | 6.597496 | 157.79333 |
| DOC concentration | Day 10: global smooth | 5.480706 | 162.01092 |
| DOC concentration | Day 31: Treatment with by-factor smooth | 12.461216 | 117.69701 |
| DOC concentration | Day 31: Treatment with global smooth | 6.269602 | 159.97066 |
| DOC concentration | Day 31: global smooth | 5.333354 | 157.95637 |
| DOC concentration | Day 59: Treatment with by-factor smooth | 8.245834 | 64.03074 |
| DOC concentration | Day 59: Treatment with global smooth | 4.000041 | 69.72877 |
| DOC concentration | Day 59: global smooth | 3.000041 | 76.13433 |
| DOC concentration | Day 89: Treatment with by-factor smooth | 6.324018 | 110.85390 |
| DOC concentration | Day 89: Treatment with global smooth | 5.389740 | 109.29353 |
| DOC concentration | Day 89: global smooth | 4.384586 | 108.63107 |