

Correction to Watermelon Juice: Potential Functional Drink for Sore Muscle Relief in Athletes

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We make the following addition to our published paper. The following sentences in the introduction were quotations taken from Cynober et al. The original quotation marks were lost during the manuscript writing and submission process.

"Until recently, L-citrulline attracted little interest among the nutrition community, almost certainly because it is a non-protein amino acid and was viewed solely as a metabolic intermediary in the urea cycle. Also, L-citrulline is almost absent from natural foods, watermelon being a notable exception."

"These antioxidant properties, together with the ability to generate nitric oxide (NO), make citrulline an excellent candidate for the treatment of pathological situations characterized by oxidative stress and decreased arginine availability,³ for example, hypertension, heart failure, atherosclerosis, sickle cell disease,⁴⁻⁶ and sexual stamina and erectile functions."

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