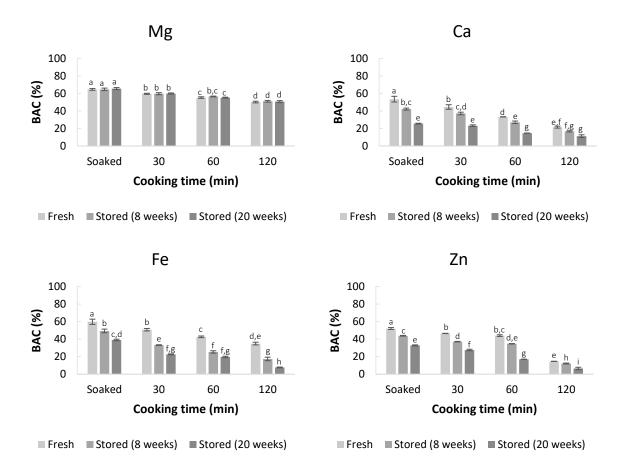
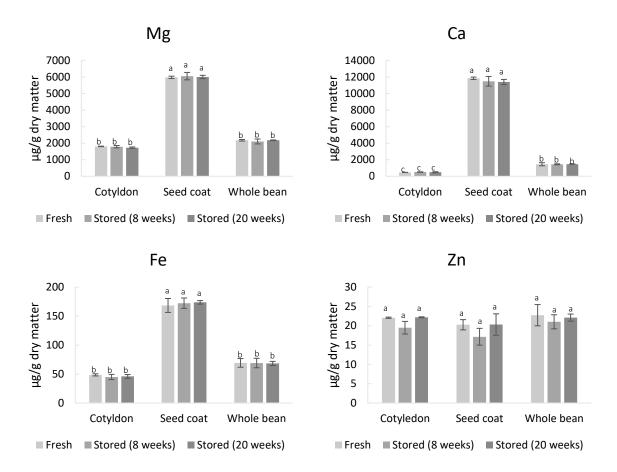
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## Supplementary figure 1



**Supplementary figure 1.** Mineral bioaccessibility (BAC) (%) of soaked and/or cooked whole beans (cooking time: 30, 60 or 120 min). Average values ± standard errors. Mineral bioaccessibility experiments were performed in duplicate. Different lower case letters (a-i) indicate significant differences (p<0.05) between samples for a certain mineral.

## **Supplementary figure 2**



Supplementary figure 2. Mineral content ( $\mu$ g/g dry matter) in cotyledon, seed coat and whole beans. Average value  $\pm$  standard errors. Determination of mineral content was performed in duplicate. Different lower case letters (a-c) indicate significant differences (p < 0.05) between samples for a certain mineral

**Supplementary table 1A.** Measured values (average  $\pm$  standard error) of certified reference material: BCR-129 (Joint Research Centre, European Commission). n=6. To have an appropriate accuracy of the method used, the measured values should be within a 10% range of the certified values.

	Mg	Ca	Fe	Zn	
Certified values (mg/g)	1.450	6.400	0.114	0.032	
Measured values (mg/g)	1.554 ± 0.068	6.947 ± 0.197	0.116 ± 0.016	0.031 ± 0.002	
Certified value -10%	1.305	5.760 0.103		0.029	
Certified value +10%	1.595	7.040	0.125	0.035	

**Supplementary table 1B.** 10 mg raw common bean powder was spiked with ZnSO<sub>4</sub>.7H<sub>2</sub>O, incinerated and ashes were dissolved in 10 mL 1% HNO<sub>3</sub> solution prior to mineral analysis by ICP-OES. ZnSO<sub>4</sub>.7H<sub>2</sub>O was added to obtain an additional concentration of 1, 2 and 3 Zn mg/g sample. Mineral concentration is expressed as mg/g sample. n=2.

	Mg	Ca	Fe	Zn	
Sample	2.062 ± 0.052	1.516 ± 0.032	0.071 ± 0.003	0.024 ± 0.004	
Sample + Zn (1 mg/)	2.010 ± 0.012	1.494 ± 0.044	0.068 ± 0.002	1.018 ± 0.040	
Sample + Zn (2 mg/L)	2.022 ± 0.017	1.539 ± 0.050	0.067 ± 0.006	2.023 ± 0.010	
Sample + Zn (3 mg/L)	2.078 ± 0.093	1.517 ± 0.150	0.071 ± 0.003	3.093 ± 0.110	

**Supplementary table 2.** Amount of leached minerals during soaking and cooking (μg/g dry raw bean) for fresh, 8 weeks and 20 weeks stored beans (35°C and 80% R.H.). Average value ± standard errors.

	Leached Mg (μg/g dry raw bean)		Leached Ca (µg/g dry raw bean)		Leached Fe (μg/g dry raw bean)			Leached Zn (μg/g dry raw bean)				
	Fresh	8 weeks stored	20 weeks stored	Fresh	8 weeks stored	20 weeks stored	Fresh	8 weeks stored	20 weeks stored	Fresh	8 weeks stored	20 weeks stored
Soaking	118.4 ± 3.2	427.5 ± 7.5	751.1 ± 14.7	68.2 ± 1.2	125.6 ± 3.8	169.1 ± 3.8	1.4 ± 0.1	1.6 ± 0.1	3.1 ± 0.1	0.7 ± 0.1	2.5 ± 0.1	3.3 ± 0.0
30 min cooking	492.4 ± 6.3	417.5 ± 20.2	272.1 ± 14.9	81.6 ± 2.1	55.9 ± 4.3	43.1 ± 2.3	6.1 ± 0.1	5.2 ± 0.4	4.6 ± 0.1	2.9 ± 0.1	2.1 ± 0.1	1.7 ± 0.1
60 min cooking	770.6 ± 36.6	589.6 ± 31.3	344.3 ± 22.1	99.1 ± 7.6	68.2 ± 0.7	53.8 ± 0.1	7.6 ± 0.2	6.7 ± 0.8	$6.4 \pm 0.2$	4.3 ± 0.1	2.6 ± 0.3	2.3 ± 0.2
120 min cooking	1049.5 ± 23.5	670.1 ± 23.9	397.1 ± 37.8	110.3 ± 3.5	79.2 ± 3.4	63.1 ± 1.3	9.1 ± 0.4	7.7 ± 0.4	7.3 ± 0.5	5.1 ± 0.2	3.1 ± 0.3	2.7 ± 0.1