

## Supplementary material

### Co-encapsulated astaxanthin and kaempferol nanoparticles: Fabrication, characterization, and their potential synergistic effects on treating non-alcoholic fatty liver disease

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#### Supplementary Figure

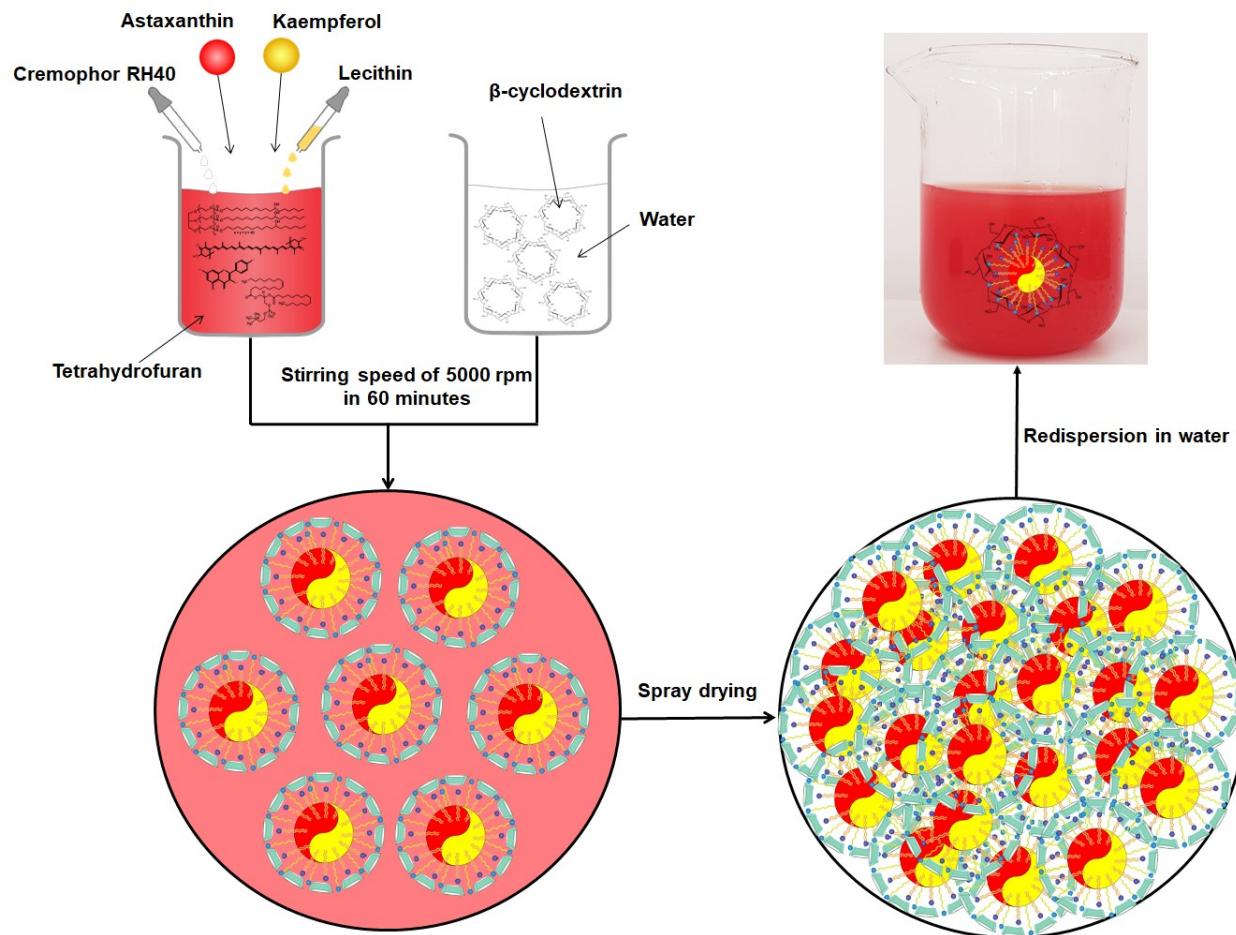


Fig. S1 Schematic illustration of astaxanthin/kaempferol nanoparticles formation

**Supplementary Table**

**Table S1.** Primers used for qPCR.

Gene	Primer (5'-3')	Sequence
miNOS	Forward	AGAAGGAAATGGCTGCAGAA
	Reverse	GCTCGGCTTCCAGTATTGAG
mTNF- $\alpha$	Forward	CCCAGATAGATGGGCTCAT
	Reverse	CAGGGACCTCTCTCTAATCA
mIL-6	Forward	TGAACTCCTCTCCACAAGCG
	Reverse	GCTCTCTGGGAAGTAGACAG
mGAPDH	Forward	CAACGAATTGGCTACAGAAC
	Reverse	ACTGTGAGGAGGGGAGATTCA
h $\beta$ -actin	Forward	TGGCACCCAGCACAATGAA
	Reverse	CTAAGTCATAGTCCGCCTAGAAGCA
hLXR $\alpha$	Forward	CGGGCTTCACTACAATGTT
	Reverse	CTTCTCGATCATGCCAGTT
hCYP7A1	Forward	AACACCATTCCAGCGACTTCT
	Reverse	GATTGCCTCCAAGCTGACTTT
hFAS	Forward	AGCTGCCAGAGTCGGAGAACCTG
	Reverse	CAAGAACTGCACGGAGGTGTTGG
hSCD-1	Forward	TGGGTGGCTGTTGT
	Reverse	GCGTGGGCATGAAG
hCTP-1	Forward	TGAGACCAAACAAAGTGATGATGTCAG
	Reverse	AGACGGTGGAACAGAGGGCTGAAG
hSREBP-1c	Forward	CGGAGCCATGGATTGCACTTT

	Reverse	GATGCTCAGTGGCACTGACTCTTC
hInsig-2a	Forward	CGTTCTTGGTTACCATGTA
	Reverse	TGATGAGATTTCTGCGATAACTTT
hPPAR $\alpha$	Forward	ACGGAAAGCCCCTCTGCCCTCTC
	Reverse	CTTGCCCCGCAGATTCTACATTG

(m), indicates mouse genes (h) indicates human genes;