Storage period (days)	Un-heated				Heated			
	Control		Treated with MCP		Control		Treated with MCP	
	Aerobic (F <sub>1</sub> )	Vacuum (F <sub>2</sub> )	Aerobic (F <sub>3</sub> )	Vacuum (F <sub>4</sub> )	Aerobic (F <sub>5</sub> )	Vacuum (F <sub>6</sub> )	Aerobic (F <sub>7</sub> )	Vacuum (F <sub>8</sub> )
0	7.500±0.500 a1	7.667±0.333 a2	6.50±0.764 a3	7.833±0.601 <sup>a4</sup>	7.833±0.333 <sup>a5</sup>	8.54±0.01 <sup>a6</sup>	6.51±0.04 <sup>a7</sup>	7.833±0.041 <sup>a8</sup>
15	7.33±0.76 <sup>b1</sup>	7.50±0.016 <sup>b2</sup>	5.666±0.141 <sup>b3</sup>	7.167±0.167 <sup>b4</sup>	7.167±0.344 <sup>b5</sup>	8.166±0.07 <sup>b6</sup>	6.342±0.01 <sup>b7</sup>	7.564±0.414 <sup>b8</sup>
30	6.833±0.016 <sup>c1</sup>	7.166±0.94 <sup>c2</sup>	5.500±0.00 <sup>c3</sup>	6.833±0.421 <sup>c4</sup>	7.00±0.00 <sup>c5</sup>	7.667±0.04 <sup>c6</sup>	6.147±0.00 <sup>c7</sup>	7.514±0.167 <sup>c8</sup>
45	6.500±0.007 <sup>d1</sup>	7.083±0.164 <sup>cd2</sup>	5.313±0.01 <sup>d3</sup>	6.464±0.623 <sup>d4</sup>	6.77±0.044 <sup>d5</sup>	7.583±0.067 <sup>cd6</sup>	6.583±0.02 <sup>d7</sup>	7.446±0.141 <sup>d8</sup>
60	6.167±0.016 <sup>e1</sup>	6.916±0.194 <sup>e2</sup>	5.00±0.00 <sup>e3</sup>	6.160±0.142 <sup>e4</sup>	6.66±0.014 <sup>e5</sup>	7.50±0.00 <sup>de6</sup>	6.333±0.021 <sup>e7</sup>	7.324±0.171 <sup>e8</sup>
75	5.333±0.016 <sup>f1</sup>	6.733±0.169 <sup>f2</sup>	4.83±0.001 <sup>f3</sup>	5.73±0.641 <sup>f4</sup>	6.33±0.164 <sup>f5</sup>	7.167±0.01 <sup>f6</sup>	6.00±0.00 <sup>f7</sup>	7.269±0.184 <sup>f8</sup>

<sup>#</sup> Means bearing same numerical superscripts in each row and alphabetical superscripts in each column do not differ significantly (P<0.05)