## Table S-4. IC50 values for ricin spiked into different food matrices.

Vero cells were exposed to ricin spiked into milk, carrot juice, baby food or medium, respectively. The IC50 values of serial dilutions of ricin in the complex matrices (see Figure 5) after 24 h and 42 h are shown.

Matrix	IC50 after 24 hours		IC50 after 42 hours	
	1:14 diluted matrix	Undiluted matrix	1:14 diluted matrix	Undiluted matrix
	added to the cells		added to the cells	
Medium	0.4 ng/mL	5.6 ng/mL	0.1 ng/mL	1.4 ng/mL
Milk	14.3 ng/mL	200.2 ng/mL	4.2 ng/mL	58.8 ng/mL
Carrot juice	0.4 ng/mL	5.6 ng/mL	0.1 ng/mL	1.4 ng/mL
Baby food	0.4 ng/mL	5.6 ng/mL	0.1 ng/mL	1.4 ng/mL