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Sabaouroud dextrose agar

(17)

37 25

(4)

(23)

Sterile mycelium

(8)

69,86

735,66

prominence value

405,69 546,6

Paecilomyces Ulocladium Alternaria Penicillium Aspergillus

Aspergillus

Cladosporium

Aspergillus Penicillium

Ulocladium Cladosporium

%75

%67

Hyphomycetes

% 81

%67

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The Relation Between Fungi Isolated from Higher Respiratory Tract of Allergic and Asthmatic Patients, and Air Fungi in their Residence

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ABSTRACT

Twenty five sputum and throat swabs were collected from 25 asthma and bronchial allergic patients from Allergy and asthma Centre Governorate of Basra/Iraq beside 25 indoor air samples from their houses. Another 25 samples were collected from normal individual and from their indoor air.

These Samples were cultured on Sabouraud dextrose agar at 25 and 37C^o, seventeen genera were identified in patient samples and (23) genera in their indoor air samples while 4and5 species were identified from normal individual and from their indoor air samples respectively beside yeast colonies and sterile mycelium were recorded in all samples.

Hyphomycetes are the dominant group in all tested samples, it was 67.5% in patient samples, and %75.38 in their indoor air samples beside 66.66% and 81.25% in normal individual and in their indoor air samples respectively.

The prominence value of yeasts was 735.66 in patient samples and 69.86 in their indoor air samples while it was 546.62 and 405.69 in the normal individuals and in their indoor air samples respectively. According to the filamentous isolates, the genera *Aspergillus*, *Penicillium*, *Alternaria*, *Ulocladium*, *Paecilomyces*, and *Cladosporium* have the highest prominence value in the patients samples and in their indoor air samples. In normal individuals, *Aspergillus* and sterile mycelium showed the highest prominence value and *Penicillium*, *Aspergillus*, *Cladosporium* and *Ulocladium* in their indoor air samples.

Keywords: asthma, allergy, indoor air fungi, filamentous fungi, Iraq.

(Joseph *et al.*, 2005)

.(Zhiguo *et al.*, 2005 ; Epstein and Fan, 2001)

(Cooke ,1979)

(Panda *et al.*, 2009)

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Alternaria Epicoccum, Ganoderma , Fusarium,

Allergen

.(Denning *et al.*, 2006; Norman and Pierre, 2002) *Cladosporium, Aspergillus*

Air Borne Fungi

Al-Ani and Al-Hamdani, 2000 ; Ramadam and Yehia,1995; Al-Bader,1995) Aerobiology

Outdoor and Indoor

(Al-Bader *et al.*, 2007;

Airspora

(25)

Fasting (1)

250

(SDA) Sabouraud Dextrose Agar

90

Chloramphenicol

(3)

(2)

.(Ellis,1994)

SDA

(2)

SDA

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(25)

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.(1)

=2

(25)

=3

.(3)

=4

100x

Occurrence

100 x

Frequency

.(X) PV = Prominence Value

100 (1) 386
(1) 25

67 Hyphomycetes (1)
%10 Zygomycetes %15 Yeasts %
. % 3 Ascomycetes %5 Coelmycetes
34 64 (3)

1) Yeast Zygomycetes Hyphomycetes
145 858 (2) .(2

1) % 75.38 23
82 (3) (4) .(3

81) 17 24
(4 1) (%)

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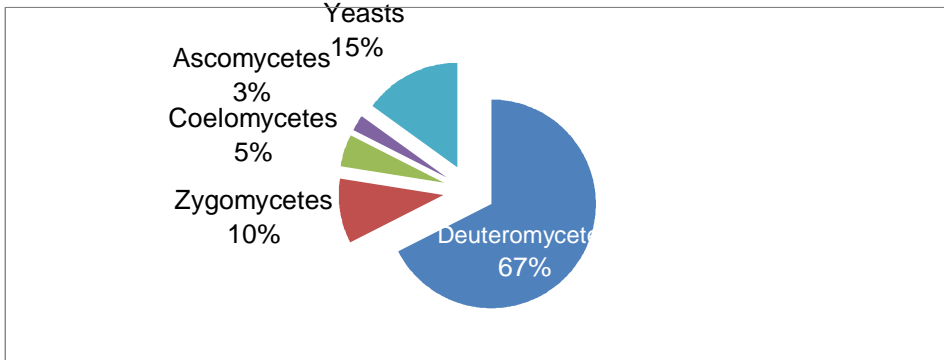
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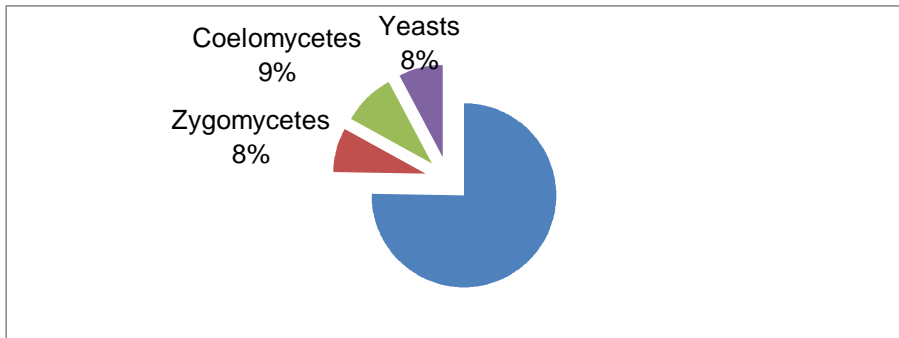
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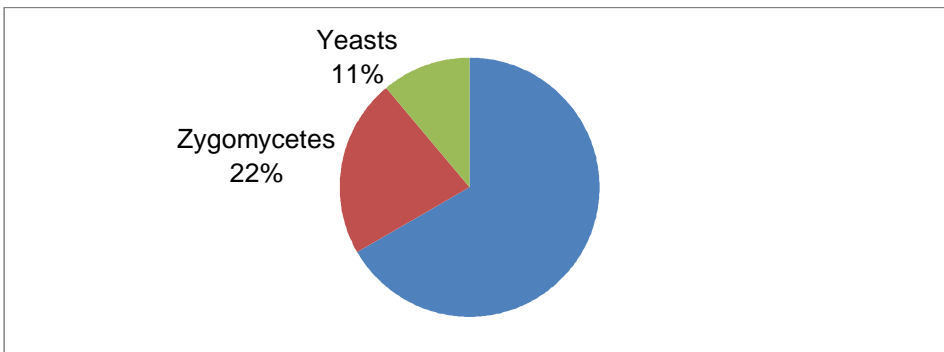
Cladiosporum *Alternaria* *Aspergillus* *Ulocladium*
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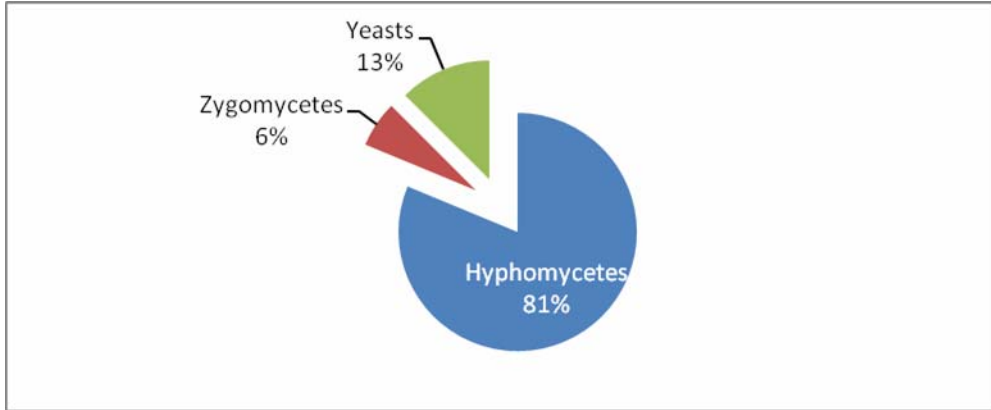
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(1)

Penicillium % 81 Yeast %100 *Aspergillus*

%31.25 *Cladosporium* %37.5 *Alternaria* %62,5

%37.5 *Ulocladium* %*Paecilomyces* 31,25

Penicillium Yeast *Aspergillus* (3) .%20

Paecilomyces *Cladosporium* *Alternaria*

Cladosporium *Penicillium* *Aspergillus* (4 2) .*Ulocladium*

Aspergillus *Ulocladium*

.(1) %5,37 %100

(1)

Ulocladium *Paecilomyces* *Cladosporium* *Penicillium* *Alternaria* *Aspergillus*

Aspergillus 3

2 (=) *Ulocladium* *Paecilomyces* *Cladosporium* *Alternaria*

Aspergillus 4

Aurobasidium

: Prominence value

Prominence Value

(3)

*Paecilomyces Alternaria Penicillium Aspergillus**Cladosporium**Ulocladium*

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عينات الطبيعيين				عينات المرضى				الفطريات
هواء داخل البيت (4)		قشع ومسحة (3)		هواء داخل البيت (2)		قشع ومسحة (1)		
% التردد	% الظهور	% التردد	% الظهور	% التردد	% الظهور	% التردد	% الظهور	
21,95	50	-	-	6,64	65,25	5,69	37,5	<i>Alternaria</i>
-	-	-	-	-	-	0,51	6,25	<i>Archniotus</i>
-	-	-	-	0,46	6,25	-	-	<i>Arthriniium</i>
-	-	-	-	0,11	6,25	-	-	<i>Arthrographis</i>
9,75	37,5	25	50	24,1	100	20,72	100	<i>Aspergillus</i>
24,3	12,5	-	-	0,34	12,5	-	-	<i>Aurobasidium</i>
9,75	25	-	-	5,12	25	1,29	31,25	<i>Cladosporium</i>
-	-	-	-	1,63	18,75	0,25	6,25	<i>Drechslera</i>
-	-	-	-	0,69	6,25	-	-	<i>Embellisia</i>
-	-	-	-	0,23	6,25	1,81	6,25	<i>Fusarium</i>
-	-	-	-	0,58	12,25	2,59	18,75	<i>Geotricum</i>
-	-	-	-	0,58	18,75	0,51	12,5	<i>Mucor</i>
-	-	-	-	-	-	2,59	31,25	<i>Paecilomyces</i>
9,75	50	3,12	12,5	26,1	75	4,4	62,5	<i>Penicillium</i>
-	-	-	-	1,51	12,5	-	-	<i>Pestalotia</i>
-	-	-	-	3,61	25	0,51	12,5	<i>Phoma</i>
4,87	12,5	3,12	12,5	0,81	18,7	0,25	6,25	<i>Rhizopus</i>
-	-	-	-	1,04	12,5	0,77	12,5	<i>Scopulariopsis</i>
-	-	-	-	0,34	6,25	0,77	12,5	<i>Sytalidium</i>
-	-	-	-	0,11	6,25	-	-	<i>Sepedonium</i>
-	-	-	-	0,69	12,5	-	-	<i>Stachybotrys</i>
-	-	-	-	0,23	6,25	-	-	<i>Stemphyllum</i>
-	-	-	-	0,34	12,5	0,25	6,25	<i>Syncephalastrum</i>
2,43	12,5	6,25	12,5	1,16	25	0,77	12,5	<i>Trichoderma</i>
7,31	25	-	-	3,96	25	1,29	37,5	<i>Ulocladium</i>
2,43	12,5	9,37	37,5	1,51	18,75	0,77	18,75	Sterile mycelium
29.2	75	53.1	75	17.4	100	54.1	100	Yeasts
-	82	-	64	-	858	-	383	مجموع العزلات الكلية

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 179 64 686
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% 46.9 % 47.4 ()

Candida

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(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)	
3	6	4	8	<i>Aspergillus</i>
3	9	0	2	<i>Alternaria</i>
2	3	0	4	<i>Cladosporium</i>
2	5	0	5	<i>Ulocladium</i>

Prominence value :3

<i>Ulocladium</i>	<i>Cladosporium</i>	<i>Paecilomyces</i>	<i>Alternaria</i>	<i>Penicillium</i>	<i>Aspergillus</i>	Yeast	الفطريات العينات
42.6	35.5	50.3	89.5	131.1	455.2	735.7	1
49.7	56.6	-	168.1	383.1	491.1	408.4	2
-	-	-	-	22.1	250.0	546.6	3
67.6	78.1	-	234.3	156.1	117.1	405.7	4

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858)

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(Al-Bader, 1995)

and Moustafa

(2000) Al-Ani and Al-Hamdani

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Khan *et al.*, (1999) (1976) Kamel

Abdulrahman *et al.*, (1999) Beguin and Noland , (1994)

Zhiguo *et al.*, (2005) Valeria and Airaudi, (2001) Rainer *et al.*, (2001)

.(Domsch *et al.*,1980)

(viable)

(Bhatnagar *et al.*, 2002 ; Samson , 1992)

Aerobiology

Cladosporium Penicillium Alternaria Aspergillus

Begum *et al.*, ;Shelton *et al.*, 2002 ; Hogaboam *et al.*, 2002) *Ulocladium Penicillium*

.(2009

Alternaria Aspergillus (1)

Paecilomyces Ulocladium Cladosporium Penicillium

	Halonen <i>et al.</i> , (1997)			
	Denning <i>et al.</i> , (2006)			<i>Alternaria</i>
		<i>Cladosporium</i>	<i>Penicillium</i>	<i>Alternaria</i> <i>Aspergillus</i>
<i>Aspergillus</i>		Hogaboam <i>et al.</i> , (2002)	Black <i>et al.</i> , (2000)	
		Wei <i>et al.</i> , (1993)		<i>Cladosporium</i>
<i>Paecilomyces</i>		Bryant and Rogers, (1991)		<i>Penicillium</i>
				<i>Penicillium</i> <i>Aspergillus</i>
<i>Aspergillus</i>				
		<i>Ulocladium</i>	<i>Cladosporium</i>	<i>Penicillium</i> <i>Alternaria</i>
	(Shelton <i>et al.</i> , 2002 ;	Macura and Gniadek, 2000)		
	130		Begiun and Noland (1994)	
Rai		<i>Cladosporium</i>	<i>Penicillium</i>	<i>Aspergillus</i>
	<i>Cladosporium</i> <i>Curvilaria</i>	<i>Alternaria</i> <i>Aspergillus</i>	(2001) Singha	
	Panagopoulou (2003)			<i>Fusarium</i>
				<i>Aspergillus</i>
		(3)	Prominence Value	
				Su <i>et al.</i> , (2001)
				Ismail <i>et al.</i> , (2000)

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