

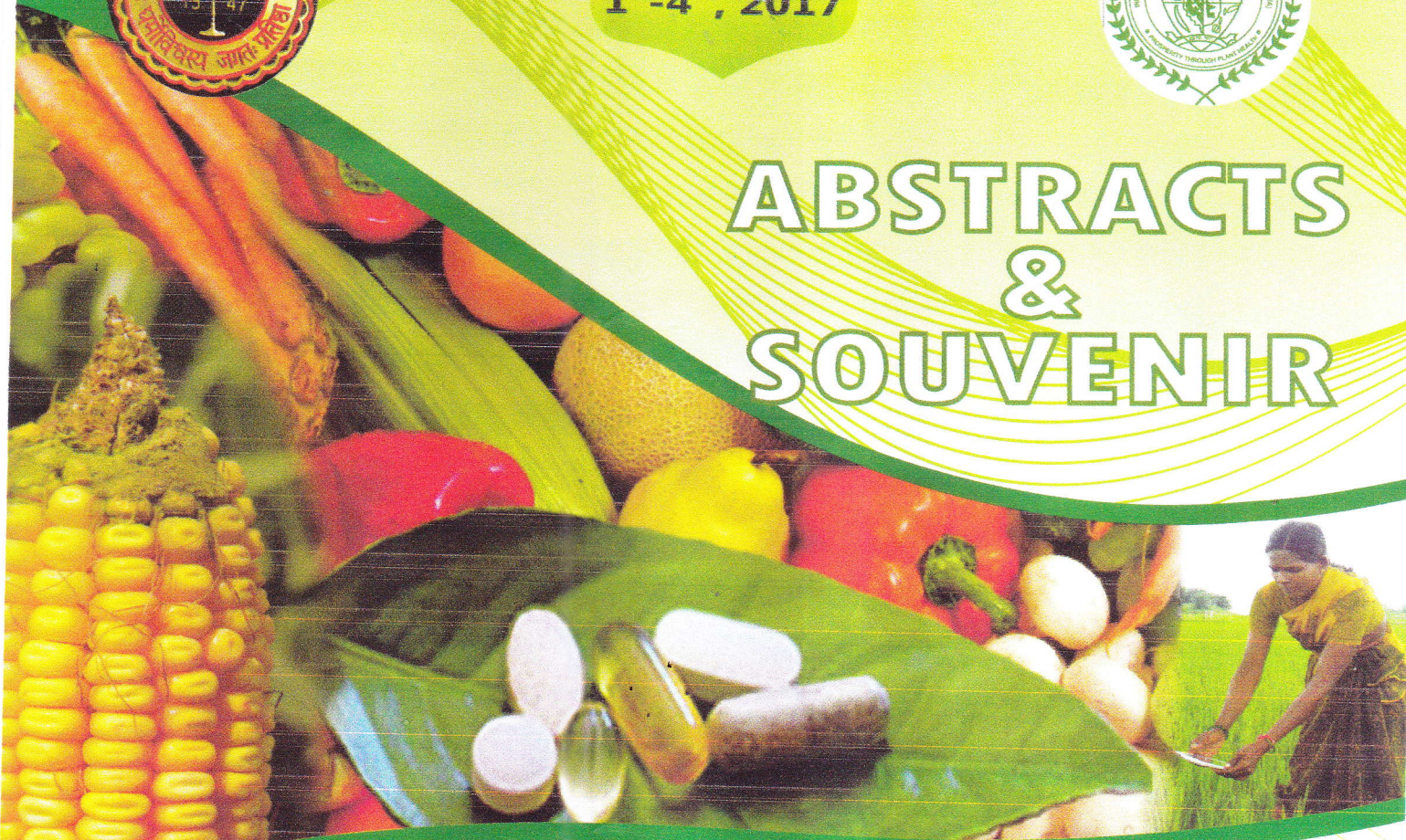
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Invited Lectures

IL 01

Morphological and biological characterization of *Fusarium* species associated with ear rot disease of corn and their pathogenicity

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Fusarium ear rot is universally important and the most destructive diseases throughout the world and not only causes significant losses but also produced harmful mycotoxins to animals and humans. A total of 141 strains of *Fusarium* species were isolated from corn plants showing typical ear rot symptoms in Indonesia, Malaysia, and Thailand by using the semi-selective medium (peptone pentachloronitrobenzene agar, PPA). These strains of *Fusarium* were identified morphologically and biologically and then the identified *Fusarium* species were tested for their pathogenicity. Three *Fusarium* species were identified morphologically as *Fusarium* in *Gibberella fujikuroi* species complex, *Gfsc* (105 strains, 74.5%) *F. verticillioides* (78 strains), *F. proliferatum* (24 strains), and *F. subglutinans* (3 strains) and five species from other section (36 strains, 25.5%), *F. graminearum* (14 strains), *F. oxysporum* (8 strains), *F. solani* (1 strains) dan *F. semitectum* (13 strains). Out of 105 *Fusarium* in GFsc, 63 strains were identified as *MAT-1*, 25 strains as *MAT-2*, and 17 strains could not be identified and crossed with nine standard testers, three mating populations of *Fusarium* were identified as *MP-A*, *Gibberella moniliformis* (68 strains, 64.76%), *MP-D*, *G. intermedia* (21 strains, 20%) and *MP-E*, *G. subglutinans* (3 strains, 2.9%) and 13 strains (12.38%) could not be identified. All strains morphologically identified as *F. verticillioides*, *F. proliferatum* and *F. subglutinans* were identified as *MP-A*, *MP-D* and *MP-E* respectively. The results of study indicated that the morphological identification was consistent with the biological identification. The results of pathogenicity test showed that all *Fusarium* species caused the disease with different severities. The most aggressive of *Fusarium* species were the strains of *F. graminearum* with disease severity (DS) (ranging from 94.3% to 98.7%). The disease severity of *F. verticillioides*, *F. proliferatum*, and *F. subglutinans* were also high enough, (17.3 - 29.1%), (9.1 - 17.2%) and (7.3 - 15.6%) respectively, and significantly different from those inoculated with *F. graminearum*. *F. semitectum*, *F. solani* and *F. oxysporum* also infected corn ears, but with significantly less disease severity (0.93% - 3.33%).

IL 02

Powdery mildew of apple (*Malus domestica* Borkh) in Uttarakhand Himalayas

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Powdery mildew caused by *Podosphaera leucotricha* (Ell. & Ev.)alm., has become a persistent disease problem on susceptible cultivars of apple in Uttarakhand Himalayas. Apple growing areas in Uttarakhand hills were visited more than once during the year 2002 and 2017. The overwintering mildew (initial pathogen population) is a key primary

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Morphological and biological characteristics of *Fusarium* species associated with ear rot disease of corn and their Pathogenicity

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I. INTRODUCTION

1. Corn is one of the important crops used as foods and feeds
2. *Fusarium* ear rot is the most common fungal disease on corn all over the world, including southeast Asia
3. The disease not only reduces the quantity and quality of corn yield but also affects animal and human health because of mycotoxin production by fungus *Fusarium* (FUM, MON, ZEN, BEA)
4. So far, the research on the disease has been done intensively in the temperate countries but not in the tropical countries, including Indonesia, Malaysia and Thailand.
5. The climate is the important factor that influences the growth and spread of *Fusarium*
6. The disease is caused by several species of *Fusarium*. *F. verticillioides* formerly known as *F. moniliforme*, is the most frequently occurring species. Others such as *F. proliferatum* and *F. subglutinans* and *F. graminearum*

II. Objectives

1. To identify *Fusarium* species from corn showing typical ear rot symptoms based on morphological characteristics (Morphological identification)
2. To determine the mating population (MPs) of *Fusarium* in Section Liseola i.e. based on their ability to produce perithecia (Biological identification)
3. to determine whether or not the identified *Fusarium* species isolated from corn showing typical ear rot symptoms are pathogenic.

III. MATERIALS AND METHODS

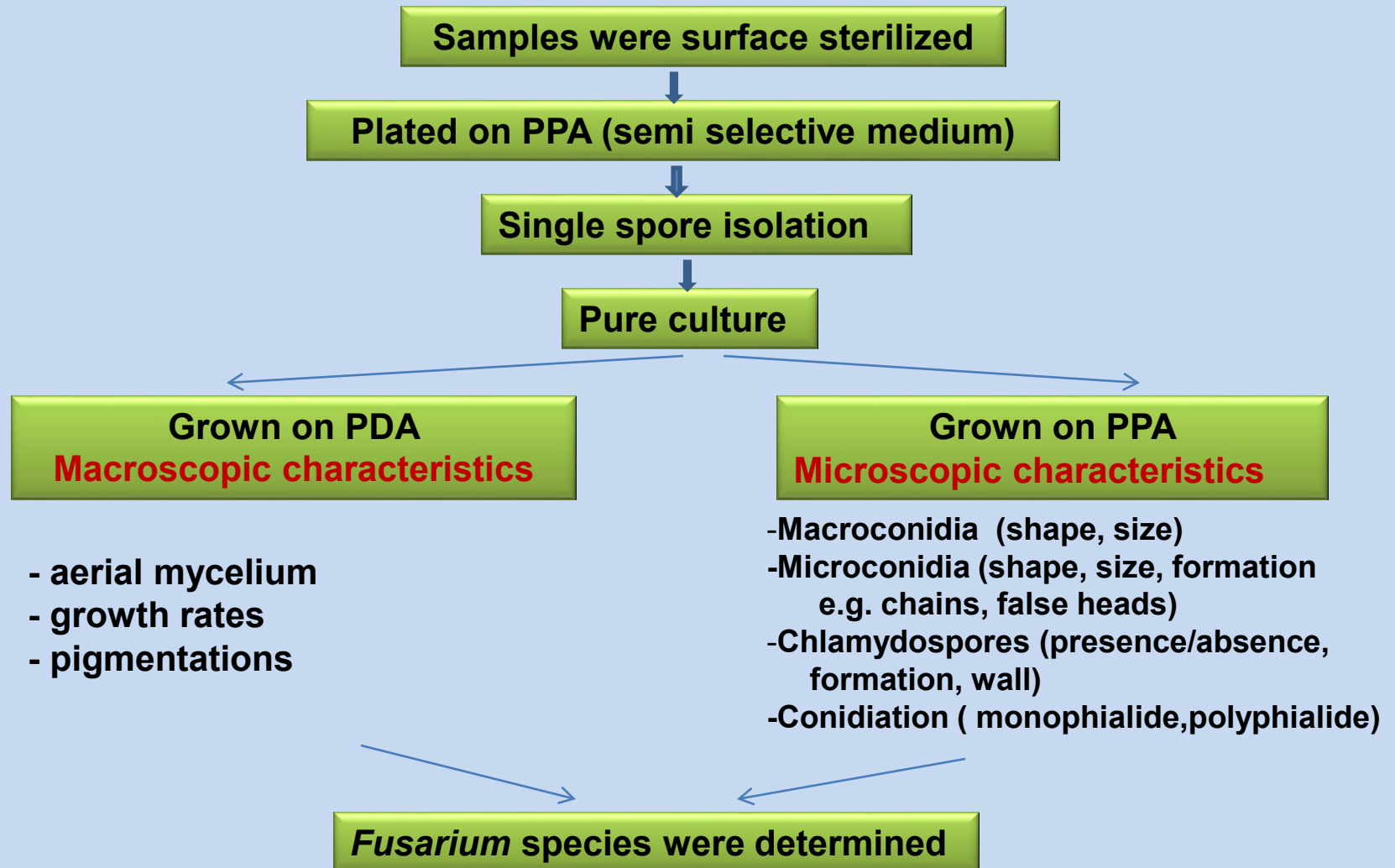
1. *Fusarium* strains

143 strains of *Fusarium* species associated with ear rot disease of corn were collected from different locations in Indonesia, Malaysia and Thailand

2. Mating Population testers

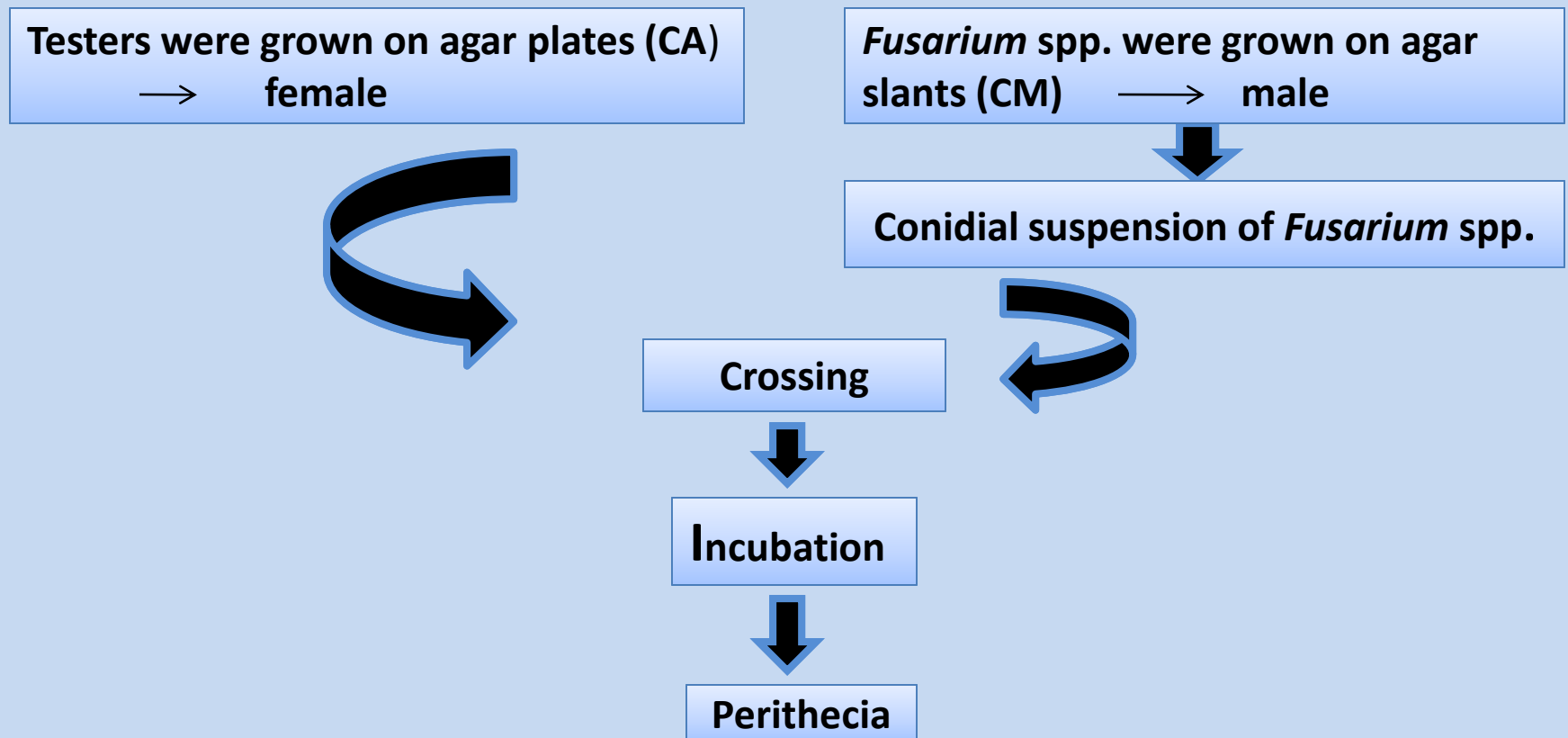
Nine Mating Population testers (MP-A to MP-I) were obtained from the *Fusarium* Stock Collection Section, School of Biological Sciences, USM

3. Morphological characteristics

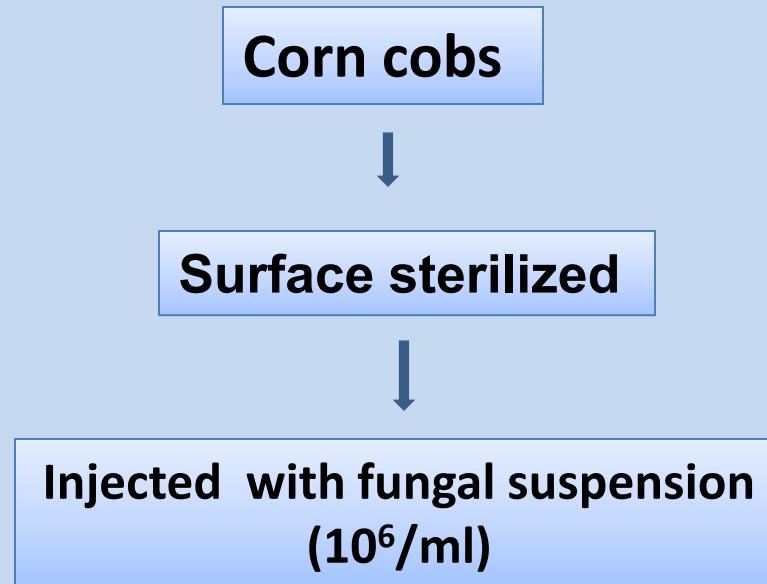


4. Mating populations (MPs)

Before crosses performed, mating type *MAT-1* and *MAT-2* of *Fusarium* strains had been diagnosed by molecular methods



4. Pathogenicity Test



IV. RESULTS

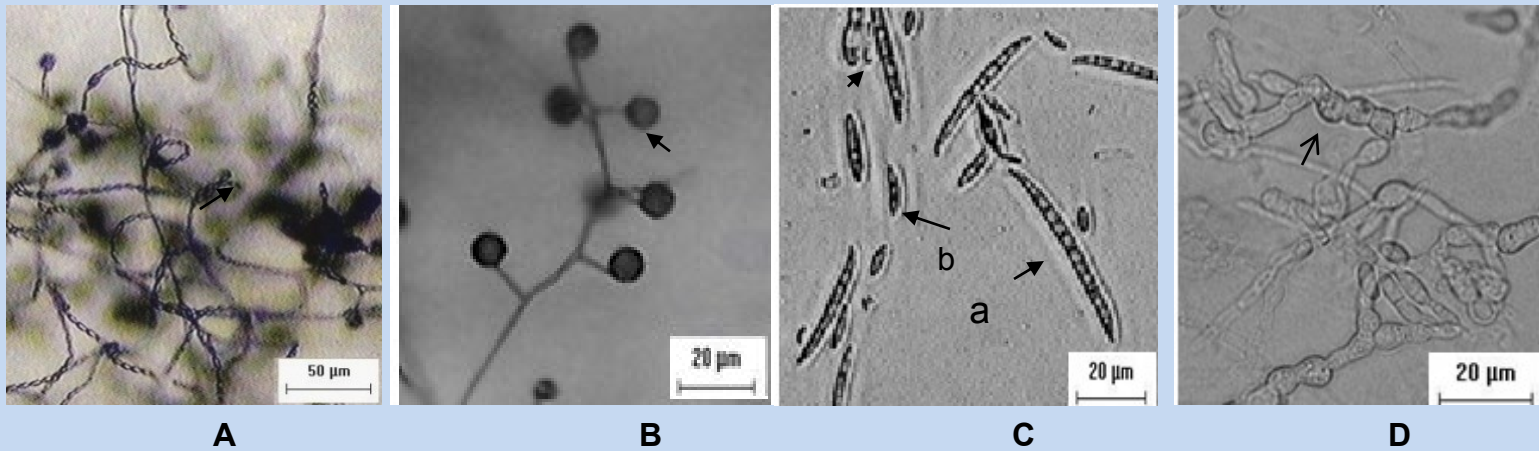
1. Morphological characteristics

143 *Fusarium* strains

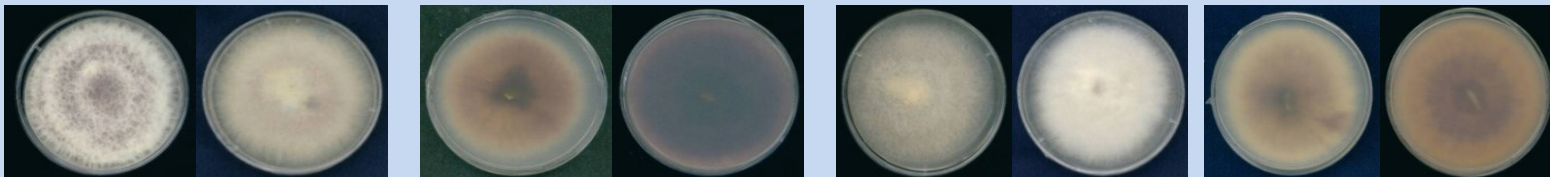
8 *Fusarium* species

1. *F. verticillioides* (79, 55.24%)
 2. *F. proliferatum* (24, 16.76%)
 3. *F. subglutinans* (3, 2.1%)
 4. *F. graminearum* (9.79%)
 5. *F. oxysporum* (5.59%)
 6. *F. solani* (0.7%)
 7. *F. semitectum* (9.09%)
 8. *F. chlamydosporum* (0.7%)
- Section Liseola (106 strains, 74.13%)

F. verticillioides

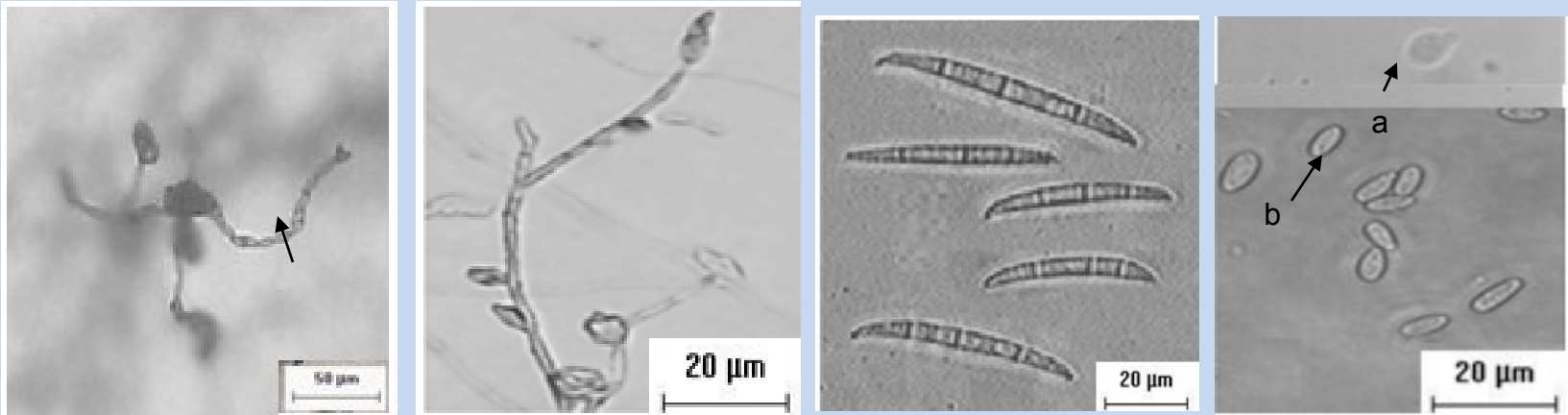


Morphological characteristics of *F. verticillioides*. A-B. Microconidia *in situ*, C. Macroconidia (a), Microconidia (b), D. Swollen hyphae



Colony features of some strains of *F. verticillioides*

F. proliferatum



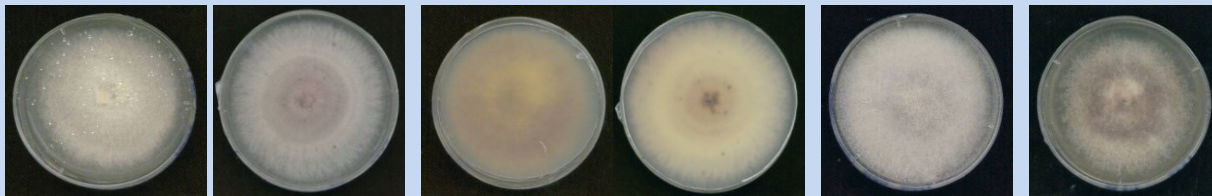
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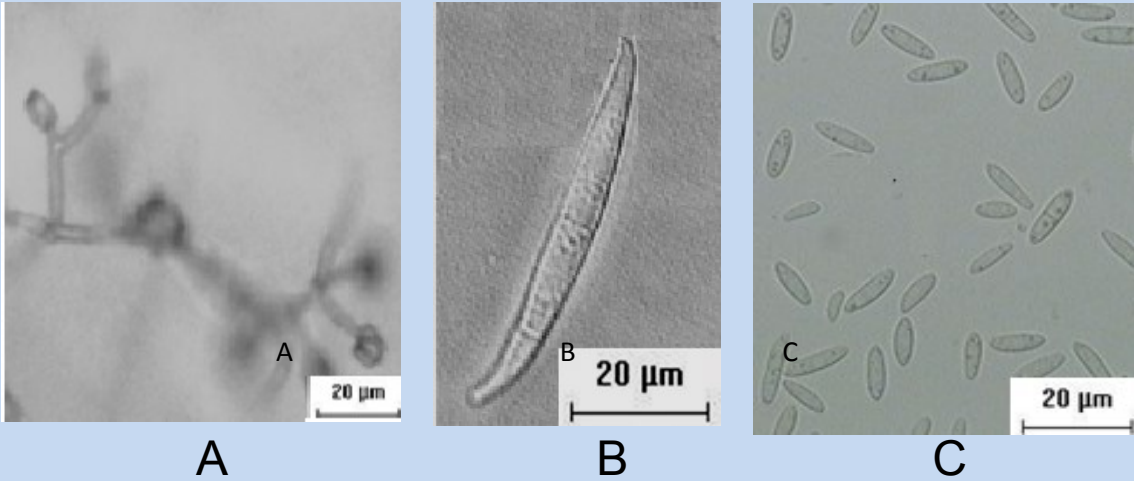
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Morphological characteristics of *F. proliferatum*. A-B. Microconidia *in situ*, C. Macroconidia, D. Microconidia: Pear shape (a). Obovoid (b)

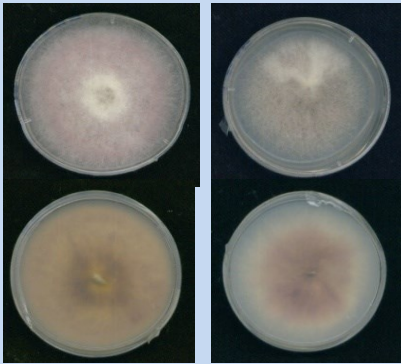


Colony features some strains of *F. proliferatum*

F. subglutinans

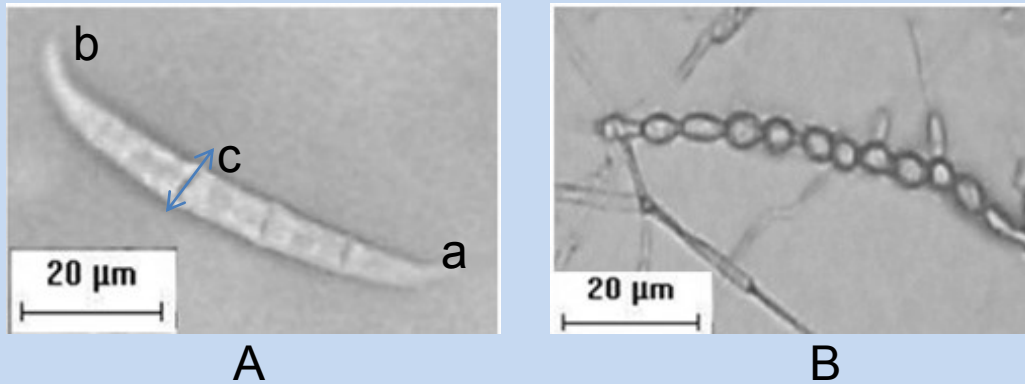


Morphological characteristics of *F. subglutinans*. A. Microconidia *in situ*, B. Macroconidia and C. Microconidia

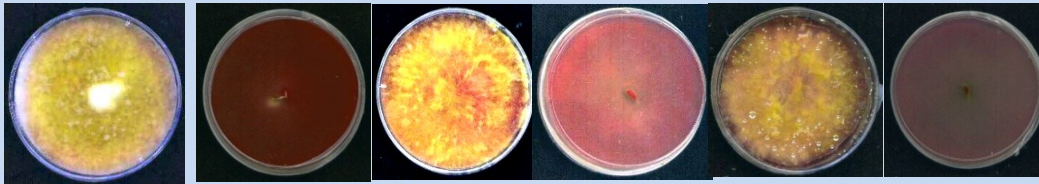


Colony features of some strains *F. subglutinans*

F. graminearum

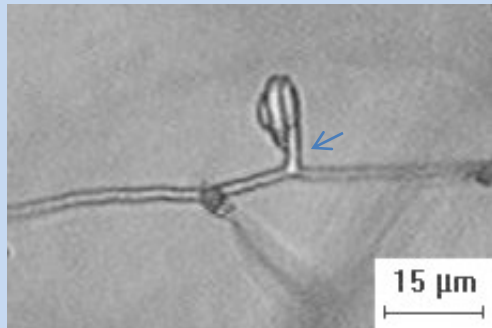


Morphological characteristics of *F. graminearum*. A. Macroconidium: (a) food-shaped basal cell, (b) tapered apical cell, (c) widest part of macroconidia at the upper region B. Chlamydospores in chain (arrow)

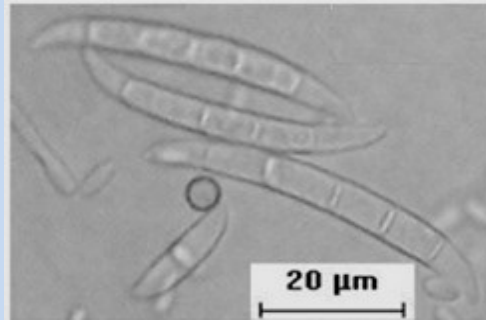


Colony features some strains of *F. graminearum*

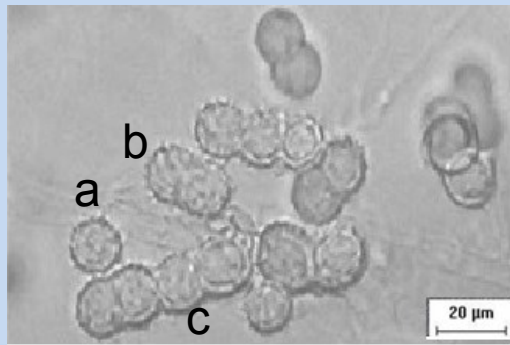
F. oxysporum



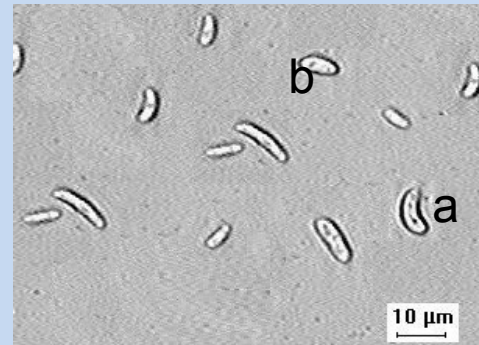
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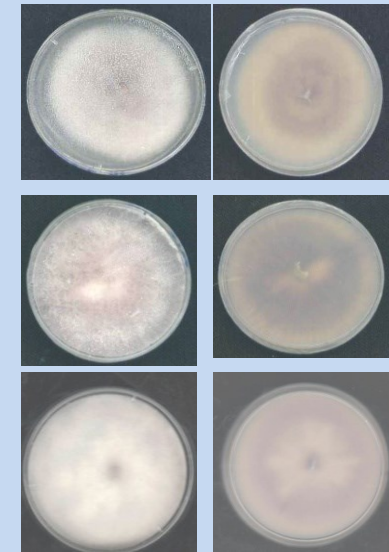
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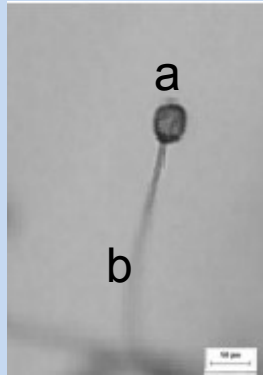
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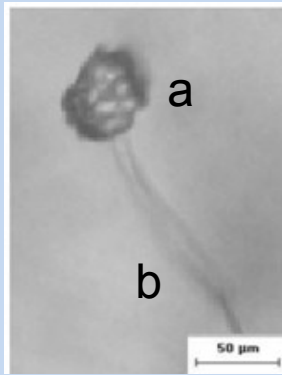
Colony features some strains of *F. oxysporum*

Morphological characteristics of *F. oxysporum*. A. Microconidia in false head from short monophialide (arrow), B. Macroconidia (arrow), C. Chlamydospores: (a) single, (b) in pair (c) in chain, and D. Microconidia: (a) Kidney shape, (b) Oval shape

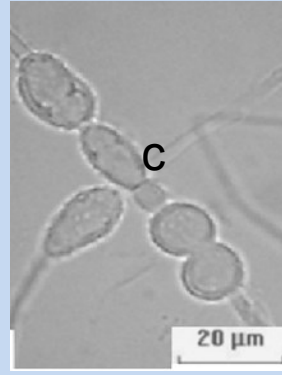
F. solani



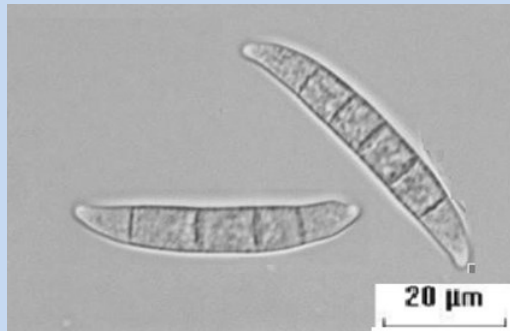
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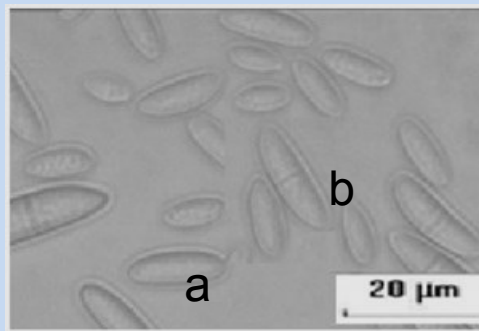
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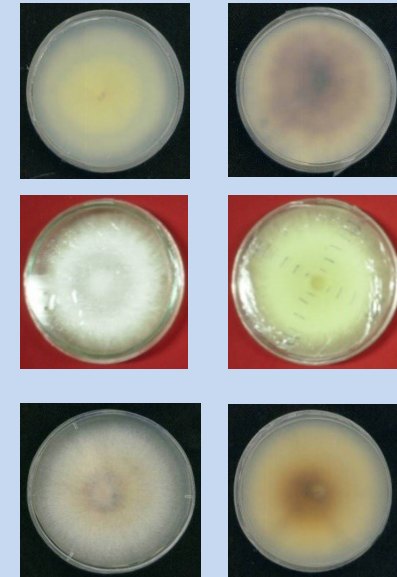
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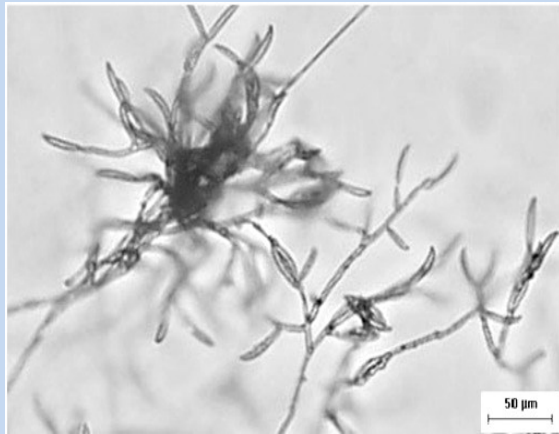
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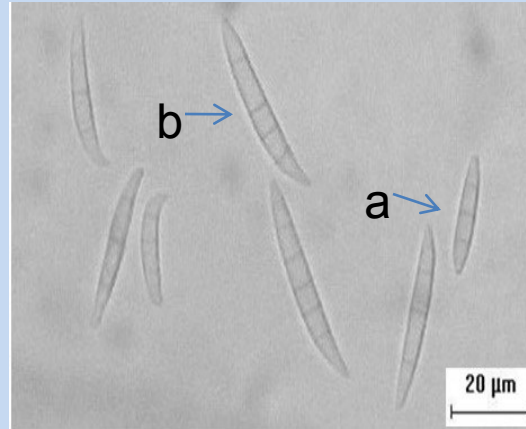
Colony features some strains of *F. solani*

Morphological characteristics of *F. solani*. (A-B) Microconidia in false head (a) with long monophialide (b), C. Chlamydospore in chain, D. Macroconidia and E. Microconidia; (a) 1 cell, (b) 2 cells.

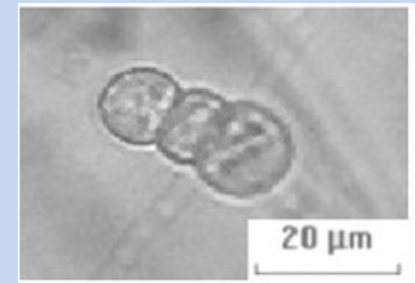
F. semitectum



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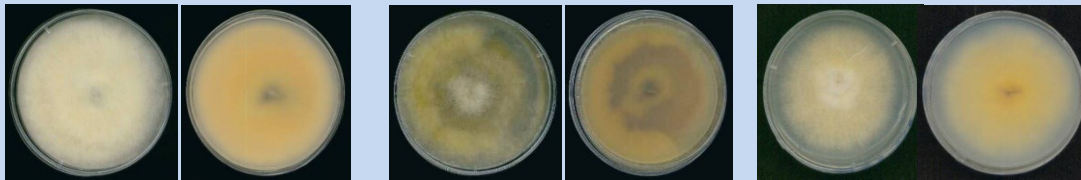


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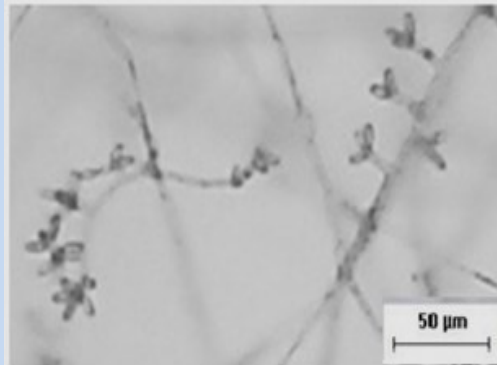
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Morphological characteristics of *F. semiectum*. A. Mesoconidia *in situ*, B. Macroconidia (a). Mesoconidia (b), C. chlamydospores (arrow)

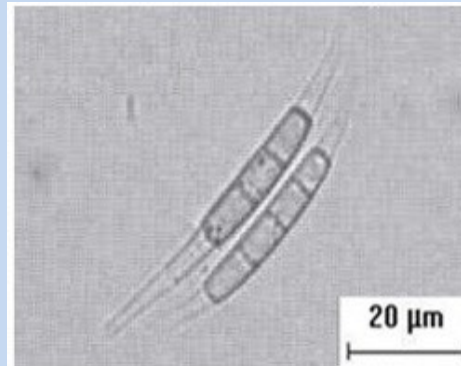


Colony features some strains of *F. solani*

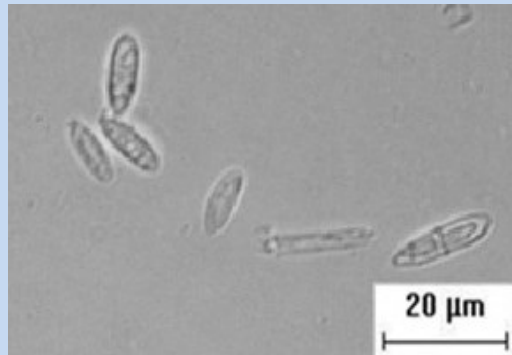
F. chlamydosporum



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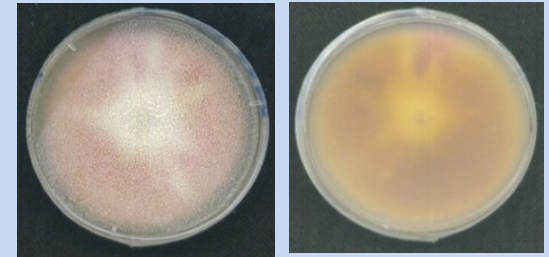
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Colony features some strains of *F. chlamydosporum*

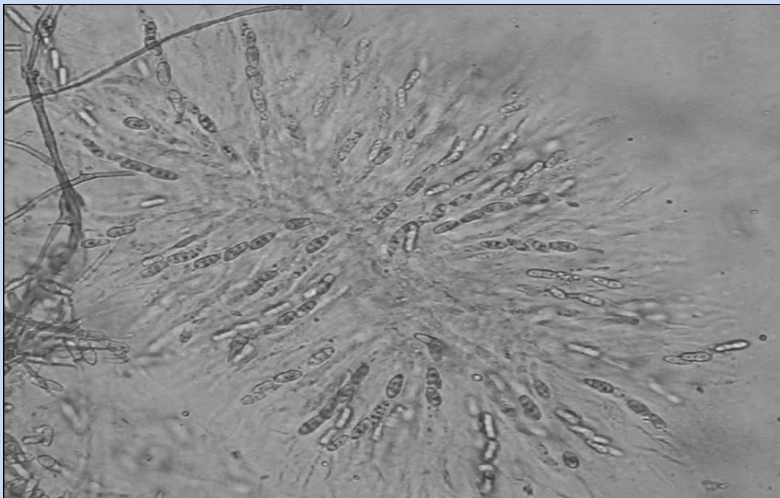
Morphological characteristics of *F. chlamydosporum*. A. Microconidia *in situ* (arrow), B. Macroconidia, C. Oval microconidia; (a) 1 cell, (b) 2 cells and D. Chlamydospores in pair

2. Mating Populations (MPs)

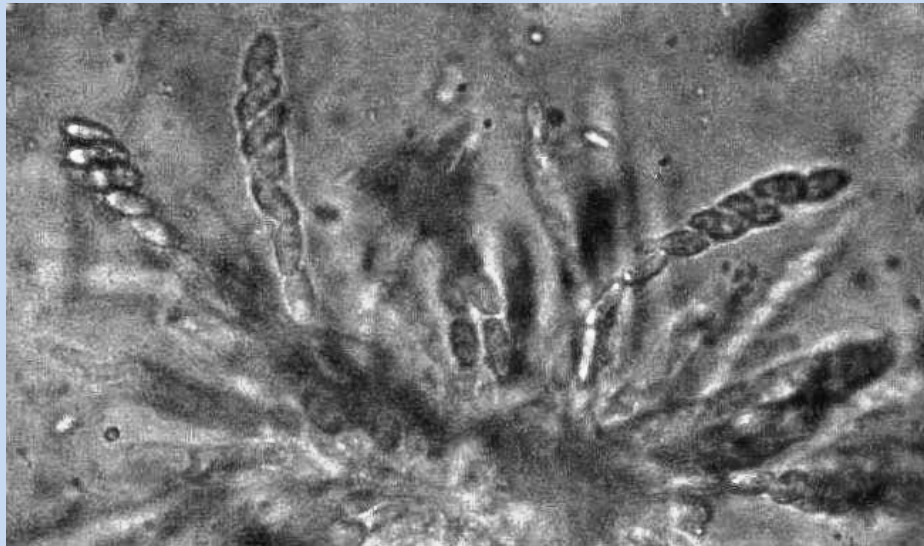
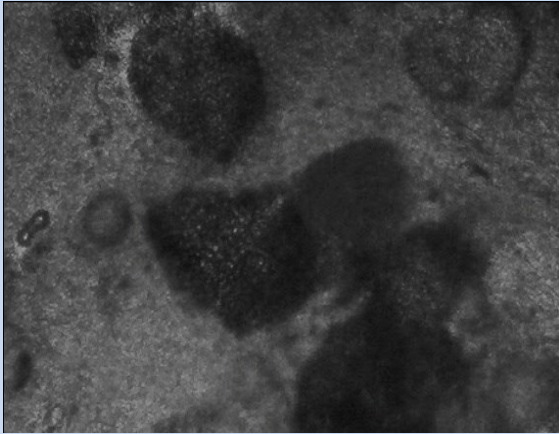
| <i>Fusarium</i> spp | MP-A | MP-D | MP-E | ND |
|---|------|------|------|----|
| <i>F. verticillioides</i> (78 strains) | 68 | | | 10 |
| <i>F. proliferatum</i> (25 strains) | | 19 | | 6 |
| <i>F. subglutinans</i> (3 strains) | | | 3 | 0 |

ND: Not Detected

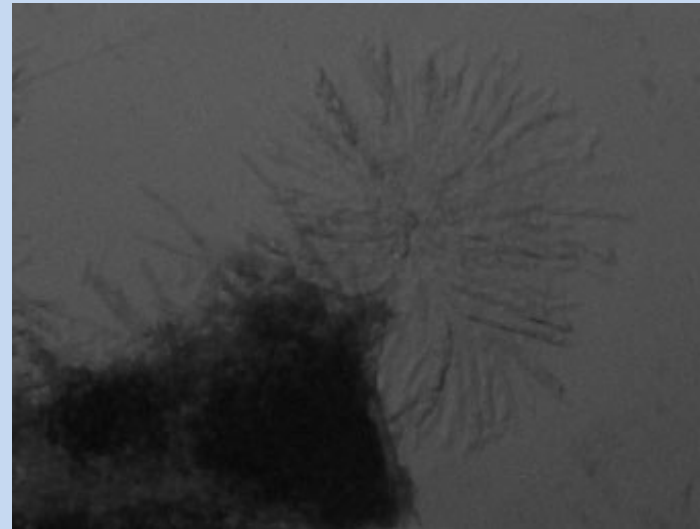
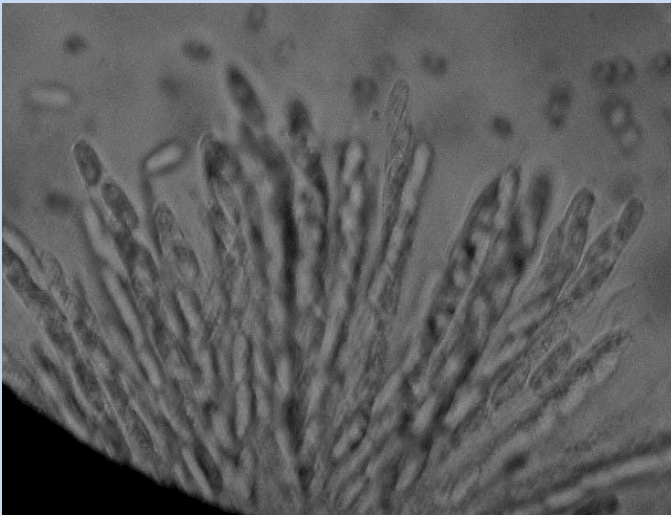
MP- A
G. moniliformis



MP- D
G. intermedia



MP-E
G. subglutinans



3. Pathogenicity Test

Disease severity (DS) of corn ear rot at two weeks after inoculation with strains of *Fusarium* spp.

| <i>Fusarium</i> species | Strain | Location | DS (%) | |
|---------------------------|-----------|--------------------------|--------|------|
| <i>F. verticillioides</i> | Q5569O | Sarawak, Malaysia | 18.57 | ef |
| | OLN0200O | East Java, Indonesia | 20.03 | def |
| | OLN0215O* | West Sumatra, Indonesia | 22.00 | de |
| | OLN0229O | North Sumatra, Indonesia | 29.13 | c |
| | HLN0155O | Tak Fa, Thailand | 17.30 | efg |
| | OLN0282O | West Sumatra, Indonesia | 25.17 | cd |
| <i>F. proliferatum</i> | S5273O | Sabah, Malaysia | 11.43 | hij |
| | HLN0151O* | Buri, Thailand | 17.20 | efg |
| | OLN0295O | West Sumatra, Indonesia | 15.20 | fgh |
| | OLN0280O | North Sumatra, Indonesia | 9.17 | ij |
| <i>F. subglutinans</i> | S4895O* | Sabah, Malaysia | 7.33 | jk |
| | OLN0319O | West Sumatra, Indonesia | 13.20 | ghi |
| | OLN0339O | West Sumatra, Indonesia | 15.63 | fgh |
| <i>F. graminearum</i> | OLN0301O | West Sumatra, Indonesia | 98.67 | a |
| | OLN0305O | West Sumatra, Indonesia | 96.83 | a |
| | OLN0311O | West Sumatra, Indonesia | 94.27 | a |
| | OLN0312O | West Sumatra, Indonesia | 97.50 | a |
| | OLN0313O | West Sumatra, Indonesia | 96.60 | a |
| <i>F. oxysporum</i> | R473O | Perlis, Malaysia | 2.07 | l |
| | OLN0382O | Aceh, Indonesia | 1.57 | l |
| <i>F. solani</i> | HLN0069O* | Takhli, Thailand | 1.23 | l |
| | OLN0228O | North Sumatra, Indonesia | 0.93 | l |
| <i>F. semitectum</i> | OLN0294O | West Sumatra, Indonesia | 3.33 | l |
| <i>F. chlamydosporum</i> | OLN0283O | West Sumatra, Indonesia | 79.23 | b NO |
| Control | OLN0320O | West Sumatra, Indonesia | 0.00 | l |



Ear rot symptom on corn cobs at 2 weeks after inoculation with *F. raminearum*

V. CONCLUSSIONS

1. Ear rot disease on corn have been distributed in Indonesia, Malaysia and Thailand
2. **Eight** Seven species of *Fusarium* with ear rot disease on corn were identified
(*F. verticillioides*, *F. proliferatum*, *F. subglutinans*, *F. graminearum*, *F. oxysporum*, *F. solani*, *F. semitectum*, ***F. chlamydosporum***).
3. Three mating population (MP-A, MP-D and MP-E) were discovered in Section Liseola
4. MP-A (*F. verticillioides*) was the most dominant species associated with ear rot disease of corn
5. *F. graminearum* is the most virulent and followed by ***F. chlamydosporum*** and ***F. Verticillioides***

Thank you



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