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ESTIMATION THE ABILITY OF WATER, EXTRACTS OF BARLEY SEEDS AND DATE PALM SEEDS, ON KIDNEY STONE DECOMPOSITION IN VITRO.

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Kidney stones seen to be an important health problems over the world.

There are many reasons can be lead to these problems. Locally, barley seeds and date palm seed extracts used as decompose of stones. This work has been carried out in several places, but mainly in Biochemistry laboratory of Dept. of Biotechnology in Al-Nahrain University. The stones were taken from Al-Yarmook Teaching Hospital by surgery for patients suffering from renal stones, with an age range (34-49) years old mostly male. The stones were treated separately with two different plant extracts.. Date palm and barley seeds which were used in this work obtained from local market. Barley seed extract and Date palm seed gave different significance decomposes with the different types of stones and different period of soaking time. Barley seed extract gives (17.42 mg/ld calcium and 16.39 mg/ld of uric acid). Ate palm seed gives (6.74 mg/dl calcium and 14.09 of uric acid).

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Introduction:-

The kidney is an important organ of the human. It has many functions such as remove waste products from the body, blood pressure regulation, keep body's chemicals in balance, and maintain the body's water balance (Chandhoke, PS, 2007) There are many different renal problems that may occur. Kidney stones represent the most commonly important problems over the world. The type of stones may also form in the ureter or in the bladder (Parmar, MS,2004), (Moe OW., 2006). The stone can make many uncomfortable problems for the patients suffering from kidney stones. A lot of studies have been done in many countries to control this problem (Smith et al 2010). In different area over the world urinary tract stones tend to be more common in children than adults [5]. Kidney stones occur when when a different types of salts are aggregate and precipitate and form solid materials. Stones can vary in size (Knight KF,2000).

Stones can also form if substances are at normal levels. The substances form crystals, which become anchored in the kidney and gradually increase in size, forming a kidney stone. Normally the stone will move through the urinary tract and pass out in the urine. But, when it is stuck and blocks the urine flow, then it causes pain. Large stones do not always pass through and may require a procedure or surgery to remove them. Some of the habits that can increase the risk of stone formation (KAABI H. 2009). There are many habits that can cause stone problems depend upon the types of food taken.

Not all kidney stones cause discomfort, but pain is normally the first sign. Pain can range from a mild and barely noticeable ache to discomfort that is so intense it requires hospital treatment. Typically, the pain gets worse and better, but does not go away completely. Waves of severe pain, known as renal colic, usually last from twenty to sixty minutes. Pain can occur in the flank (the side, between the ribs and the hip) or the lower abdomen (Preminger GM, and Curhan GC. 2009). Patients with kidney stones will have blood in the urine (hematuria). The urine may be pink or reddish but will show the presence of blood when tested with urine dipstick. Other symptoms include the passing of gravel or small stones in the urine, nausea or vomiting, pain during urination and an urgent need to urinate (Rose BD., 2009). Some natural product such as date Palm seeds contain some chemical compound work as antioxidant and many other materials which help to prevent kidney and liver also it has some compound acting as anti free radical (Ahmed AF1, et al, 2015), (Takaeidi MR1, et al, 2014), (Ambigaipalan P1, and Shahidi F 2015). Some other studies indicate that date Palm seeds contain an active compounds could prevent DNA and work as antiviral activity (Abdelaziz DH, and Ali SA, 2014), (Jassim SA, and Naji MA, 2010). The barley seed extract also containing an active compound can be acting as an antioxidant (Qing Liu, and Huiyuan Yao (2007), 16), (Yang Qingming ,et al, 2010).

Material and Methods:-

Material:-

The equipments and apparatus had been used in this study; Oven, Sensitive Balance, centrifuge, spectrophotometer, Shaker water bath.

Chemicals and Kits:-

These Kits were used; Uricase kit, BIOLABO/France and CPC kit, BIOLABO/France.

Plant extract:-

Preparation of Date palm seed extract:-

Date palm seeds washed well and then were dried and milled and prepare its own plant extract by but 50 g of date palm seeds, flour in 250 ml of distilled water and then was placed in a shaker water bath for 6 hours, after that the extract filtered by filter paper and kidney stones placed in it.

Preparation of Barley seed extract:-

Barley extract was prepared in the same manner previously mentioned. After grinding the barley seed, 50 g of barley seed soaked in 250 ml of distilled water and the solution was placed in a shaker water bath for 6 hours, then the extract filtered by filter paper and kidney stones placed in it

Method of treatment:-

Measurement of Uric Acid concentration (Uricase Method):-

Uric acid concentration was measured by using a kit which obtained commercially from (BIOLABO/France). Kit depends on Uricase acts on uric acid to produce alienation, carbon dioxide and hydrogen peroxide. Hydrogen peroxide in the presence of peroxide reacts with a chromogen to yield quinoneimine a red colored complex. The absorbance measured at 700 nm is proportional to the amount of uric acid in the specimen. The procedure was as follows: 1.8 ml of reagent was put in the tube and then 0.2 ml of sample was added and mixing. The mixture was kept for 10 minutes at 37 °C. After that the observance was measured at 700nm. The results were calculated according to this formula: uric acid concentration = Test / Stander * factor. The value of the factor given by the supplier in this case was (6).

Measurement of Calcium Concentration (CPC Method):-

Calcium concentration was measured by using a kit which obtained commercially from (BIOLABO/France). Kit depends on a CPC (O-Cresol Phtalein Complexone) in alkaline solution, it reacts with calcium to form a dark red colored. The complex, which, absorbed at 570 nm. It is proportional to the amount of calcium in the specimen. In this procedure, two reagents were used, 0.5 ml of reagent, one and 0.5 ml of reagent two mixed and then 20ul of stander were added and the absorbance measure at 570 nm. The same thing was repeated, but we add 20ul of the sample instead of stander and kept at 37 °C for 10 minutes and then the absorbance was measured at 520 nm. The result, then calculated according to the formula: calcium concentration = Test / Standard * factor. The factor in this case was (8).

Statistic analysis:-

The Genstas program was employed to do the analysis for the date in this study by using split plot design.

Results and Discussion:-

The experiment was designed to measure the effect of two of plant extracts on the dissociation of uric acid and calcium, which give an indication about the effect of these extracts on the different type of kidney stones. Date palm seed, water extract (DPS) and Barley seed, water extract (BRS). Table 1 showed the overlapping of three factors affecting the decomposition of the different types of kidney stones as uric acid. These factors are type of stones, time of soaking and types of plant extract used. From this table found that there are a significant overlapping between oxalate stone, time of soaking(overnight) and type barley extract to give a high production of uric acid (16.39 mg/dl). But the soaking same stones with same extract for five hours just give (7.52 mg/ld of uric acid). From same table it has been found that the effect of the date palm extract comes in the second stage of significant given (14.09 mg/ld uric acid) for overnight to the same type of stone. On the other hand it also was significant with the five hours time(13.58 mg/ld uric acid). The other part of table 1 show overlapping with calcium stone. In that part it has been found the date palm extract with soaking time overnight gave high value of significant (14.09 mg/dl uric acid) and the second significant value for the same type of extract (date palm seed) with five hours of soaking. In general it is seen to be that there is a relation between the type of stones and the type of extract and time. Barley seed extract more active with oxalate stone than calcium stone, but need time to work. The date palm extract more active with calcium stone and fast.

Table 1:- The effect of the types of stones, time of soaking and the types of plant extract on the concentration of uric acid.

Types of stones	Time of soaking	Mean of types of plant extract		Mean soaking types X time	Means soaking types	Mean time
		DPS	BRS	oppes 11 cmie	Spes	
Oxalate stones	5 hours	13.58	7.52	10.55		
	Overnight	14.09	16.39	15.24		
	Mean soaking	13.84	11.96		12.90	
	types X Extract					
Calcium stones	5 hours	13.45	10.58	12.01		
	Overnight	13.98	10.49	12.23		
	Mean soaking	13.84	10.54		12.12	
	types X Extract					
Mean time X	5 hours	13.51	9.05			11.287
Extract	Overnight	14.03	13.44			13.742
Mean of Extract		13.77	11.25			
L.S.D	L.S.D. Soaking types = 0.35, L.S.D. time=0.35, L.S.D. Extract = 0.35					
0.05	L.S.D. Soaking types X time 0.50, L. S. D. Soaking types X Extract = 0.50					
	L.S.D. Time X Exract = 0.50 L.S.D. Soaking X Time X Extract =0.713					

Table 2 shows the overlapping of the same plant extract and same period of time in the production of calcium in mg/ld. From that table it had been seen that the more significant is the barley extract after overnight soaking (17.42 mg/ld calcium) and the second value also for barley seed extract gave (14.62 mg/ld calcium) after five hours soaking. The date palm seed gave the least value for the both periods of time five hours and overnight (6.51 and 6.74 mg/ld calcium respectively).

The data listed in table three represent the difference in weight of the both kinds of stone before and after soaking in the plant seed extract as general indication. It cannot be gotten as a stander because the moisture cannot be controlled as same before and after s soaking.

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Types of	Time of soaking		Mean of types		Mean soaking	Means	Mean time	
stones		ļ.		t extract	types X time	soaking types		
			DPS	BRS				
Oxalate	5 hours		6.51	14.62	10.57	11.32		
stones	Overnight		6.74	17.42	12.08			
	Mean soaking types X		6.63	16.02				
	Extract							
Calcium	Calcium 5 hours Stones Overnight Mean soaking types X		5.93	17.72	11.58	11.41		
stones			6.28	16.22	11.25			
			6.10	16.97				
	Extract							
Mean time X	5 hours		6.22	15.92			11.07	
Extract Overnight			6.51	16.82			11.66	
Mean of Extract		6.37	16.37					
L.S.D. Soaking		g types = 0.34, L.S.D. time=0.34, L.S.D. Extract = 0.34						
0.05 L.S.D. Soaking		g types X time 0.48, L. S. D. Soaking types X Extract = 0.48						
L.S.D. Time X			Exract = 0.48, L.S.D. Soaking X Time X Extract = 0.68					

Table 2:- The effect of the types of stones, time of soaking and the types of plant extract on the concentration of calcium

Table 3:- The direct effect of plant extract on the weight of kidney stone

Type of	Time of soaking	Type of plant extract	Weight before	Weight after soaking
stones			soaking	
Oxalate	5 hours	Date palm seed extract	5.11 g	5.05 g
stones		Barley seed extract	5.09 g	5.08 g
	Overnight	Barley seed extract	4.47 g	4.46 g
Calcium	5 hours	Date palm seed extract	8.19 g	8.06 g
stone		Barley seed extract	8.19 g	8.11 g
	Overnight	Barley seed extract	5.73 g	5.70 g

Conclusions and Recommendations:-

Conclusions:-

It has been found that plant extracts give an indication that can be used to treat kidney stones. In general Barley seed extract show more active effect on the both types of stones. This study can be continued with a cooperation with hospital to treat patients and see the direct effect and may we need to use a mixture of the extract.

Recommendations:-

This study can be continued with a cooperation with hospital treated volunteers, patient and see the direct effect.

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