Antibacterial activity of isothiocyanates, active principles in brassica nigra seeds (III)

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The objectives of this work consisted in the behaviour study of the following microbial cultures: Escherichia coli, Candida albicans, Bacillus subtilis, Staphylococcus aureus, Agrobacterium tumefaciens and Rhizopus nigricans in the presence of isothiocyanates (ITCs), active principles from Brassica nigra. Biological material used was crushed down.
The optimal conditions for the obtaining of the extracts were the following: phosphate buffer pH was 7, reaction time was of 120 ÷ 330 minutes, temperature of 55°C .The microbiological tests were done through inoculate dissemination technique on culture medium surface.
By this study was emphasized the antibacterial activity of ITCs on studied microbial cultures.