

Chemical Composition and Antioxidants of *Lepidium Sativum* and *L. aucheri*

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Abstract— Antioxidant activity of total glucosides contents of the extract of *Lepidium sativum* and *Lepidium aucheri* leaves was determined using free radical scavenging activity 2,2-Diphenyl-1-Picrylhydrazyle (DPPH) by adding different concentrations of glycoside to DPPH. The inhibitory activity determined by using five different concentrations of glycolysis of *L. sativum* and *L. aucheri* leaves extracts. The results indicated that 1000 mg/ ml concentration showed radical scavenging activity as strong as than low concentrations. Out of the two species *L. aucheri* had the greatest abundance of antioxidant compared with *L. sativum*. The inhibition percentage of *L. sativum* as found to be 78.211 in 1000 µg/mL, was comparatively lower than of standard ascorbic acid and *L. aucheri* extract 91.972 and 97.018 µg/mL, respectively. *L. aucheri* extract has strong activity that reach almost as high as ascorbic acid.

Total antioxidant capacity of the test samples was calculated using the standard line as ascorbic acid equivalents (AAE) per gram of the leaves extract, of ascorbic acid ($y = 0.0629x + 48.356$, $R^2 = 0.4085$). The results of *L. sativum* and *L. aucheri* was ($y = 0.0436x + 43.48$, $R^2 = 0.3493$) and ($0.0648x + 48.761$, $R^2 = 0.3483$) respectively. The two species with various concentration showed the strongest antioxidant activity with its significantly smaller IC_{50} values, the best exhibited a quite recorded in *L. aucheri* ($IC_{50} = 19.12$ µg/ mL, followed by *L. sativum* 149.541 µg/mL. compared with ascorbic acid 26.136 µg/ mL.

The GC analysis indicated that *L. sativum* had high number of glycoside compounds 36 components compared with *L. aucheri* 19 components. The major components of *L. sativum* were found to be: Benzyl nitrile (22.24 %), N,N-Dimethylaminoethanol (17.53%), 2-Hydroxy-1-(1'-pyrrolidyl)-1-buten-3-one (11.08 %), D-Proline (7.33 %), Butyrolactone (4.97%) and 1-(1'-pyrrolidyl)-2-propanone (4.14), GC -MS analysis of *L. aucheri* represented DL-Proline, 5-oxo-, methyl ester (42.26%); 2-Furancarboxaldehyde, 5-methyl- (12.64%); 4H-Pyran-4-one, 2,3-dihydro-3,5-dihydroxy-6-methyl- (9.87%); Hexadecanoic acid, 2-hydroxy-1-(hydroxymethyl)ethyl ester (2.33%); 2-Methoxy-4-vinylphenol (2.02%).

Keywords— Antioxidant activity, GC-MS, *L. sativum*, *L. aucheri*, Chemical compounds.

I. INTRODUCTION

The Cruciferae (Brassicaceae) is one of the largest families of Angiosperms, also known as the mustard family. The family mustard is

widespread in the world, especially in the Mediterranean region, it was grown in the cold and temperate regions of the northern hemisphere, which includes about (338 -500) genera and (3000-2000) (Al-Mayah, 2001; Al-Shehbaz; 1984, Al-Musawi, 1987; Ait-yahia *et al.*, 2018). In Iraq, they have almost 80 genera and more than 177 species spread over 10 Tribes (Townsend, and Guest, 1980).

L. sativum L. and *L. aucheri* are a small, annual herb, known as 'Rhashad' in Iraq but in some regions called Garden cress, pepperwort, pepper grass, While *L. aucheri* called 'Rhashad barri'. *L. sativum* are widely used in Arabic countries for their medicinal properties. *L. sativum* about 15- 50 cm in height, while *L. aucheri* up to 30 cm high, *L. sativum* is glabrous, contains branches on the upper parts, the flowers are clustered in branched racemes, white to pinkish flowers. *L. aucheri* recognized the branches and whole plant with purple tinge and few leaves, fruit small siliculas (Facciola, 1990; Abdel karim *et al.*, 2017; Hussein *et al.*, 2017; Singh and Singh, 2018).

L. sativum and *L. aucheri* are have several and traditionally properties. Literature search reported that analgesic, aperient, anti-anemic activity, alternative, exhibit an oral contraceptive, antihypertensive effect, Tachyphylactic, hypoglycemia antidiarrheal, antispasmodic, laxative, antirheumatic, anticoagulant, anti-inflammatory, anticancer activity; asthma, cough, diarrhea, dysentery, skin disease, aphrodisiac and carminative properties (Ahsan *et al.* 1989; Patel *et al.*, 2009; Maghrani *et al.*, 2005; Mullen *et al.*, 2007; Ravi *et al.*, 2011; Kbyeh, 2015; Abdel karim *et al.*, 2017). Hussein *et al* (2017) reported that *L. sativum* is useful in swelling, stiffness,

anti-diarrheal, cardiotoxic, hypotensive, antimicrobial, bronchodilator, and hypoglycemic applications. *L. sativum* young leaves are eaten raw or cooked, while its seeds are used in peppery flavor. The seeds are used in treatment of chronic liver enlargement and spleen diseases. (Usher, 1974; Merzouki *et al.*, 2000; Mullen *et al.*, 2007; Datta *et al.*, 2011; Fan *et al.*, 2014; Xiao *et al.*, 2014; Hussein *et al.*, 2017; Singh and Singh, 2018).

phytochemical studies of *L. sativum* showed presence of alkaloids, flavonoids, fatty acids, coumarins, flavonols, glycosylation (mono, di and triglycoside), sulphur glycosides, glucosinolate triterpenes, sterols, phosphorus, thiamine, and niacin, sinapoyl malate, sinapic acid, sinapine and various imidazole alkaloids (Abdel karim *et al.*, 2017; Hussein *et al.*, 2017; Singh and Singh 2018). As well as contains amount of uric acid, iron, carotene, calcium, folic acid beside vitamins A and C. As well as, it contains protein; leucine; glutamic acid and methionin. glucosinolates are the major secondary compounds. Malar *et al.*, (2018) reported that the seeds of *L. sativum* contains two glucosinolates, glucotropaeolin and gluconasturin (Singh and Singh, 2018). Flavonoids (flavones, flavanones, flavonols, isoflavones, flavanols, chalcones and anthocyanins) are present in this plant and they are commonly found conjugated to sugars in the form of O-glycosides or C-glycosides forms isothiocyanates, which is formed with glucosinolates (Kassie *et al.*, 2002; Al-Snafi, 2019).

In recent years GC-MS analysis have been proved a valuable method for the identified of components (Hussein *et al.*, 2017). The GC-MS spectrum revealed 19 compounds in methanolic extract of *L. sativum* leaves such as Glycerin, Furfural, Allyl isothiocyanate. While methanolic seeds extract showed the presence of 46 compounds included 4H-pyran-4-one, 2-furancarboxaldehyde thiocyanic acid, 2-methoxy-4-vinylphenol, d-mannose (Al-Snafi, 2018). 15 compounds identified by GC-MS analysis of total alkaloidal extract from *L. sativum* seeds reported by (Singh and Singh, 2018). 83 compounds were identified of methanol extract of seeds (Benzyl nitrile, Squalene, Hexanedioic acid, dimethyl ester and Azulene (Abu-Rumman, 2018). Lee and

Chang (2019) recorded 25 chemical compounds in methanol extract of *L. meyenii*.

Medicinal plants are important sources of antioxidant. Brassicaceae crops are among those plants that have the highest antioxidant activity (Wang and Zheng, 2001; Soengas *et al.* 2012). reported that phenolic content gives a strongest and the highest antioxidant activity. Ethanolic extract of *L. sativum* leaf, shoot and stem were studied against DPPH, high scavenging activity was observed in the shoot ($12.19 \pm 0.02\%$). (Malar *et al.*, 2018). Flavonols have antioxidant activity and important in inhibition of cancer cell proliferation (Ait-Yahia *et al.*, 2015). Significant antioxidant activity noticed of methanol extract of *L. sativum* subsp *spinescens* and *Lepidium meyenii* Walp (Selek *et al.*, 2018; Lee and Chang, 2019).

Antioxidant activities by (DPPH) free-radical-scavenging assays for EC₅₀ were determined as 330.99 (Dadas) and 346.65 (Izmir) (Sat *et al.*, 2013). The IC₅₀ for scavenging DPPH was 0.61 mg/ml of *Lepidium meyenii* (Sandovala *et al.*, 2002). While seeds extract has good DPPH radical scavenging activity and IC (Eddouks *et al.*, 2005). The Oz (2011) determined that antioxidant capacity of a *L. sativum* as EC₅₀ was 233.475 mg/ml. The maximum increase in antioxidant activity in petroleum ether extract was observed 3.125 mg/ml to 6.25 mg/ml (Bhasin *et al.*, 2011). The antioxidant activity of the methanol extract of *L. sativum* found that the IC₅₀ values are 62 µg/ml (Ahamad *et al.*, 2015) and IC₅₀ of 925.22 ± 0.02 ppm (Chatoui *et al.*, 2016). Ethanol extract showed concentration-dependent antioxidant activity (0.146 to 18.75 mg/ml) (Al-Snafi, 2019).

The aim of this study was a quantity - quality analysis of the glycoside composition by using GC-MS analysis and antioxidant properties of glycoside extracts of *L. sativum* and *L. aucheri* leaves.

II. . MATERIALS AND METHODS

1- Plant collection

Lepidium sativum L. and *L. aucheri* leaves were collected from the Basrah city - Iraq in March 2019. The leaves were identified according to the flora of Iraq. Leaves air dried until used.

2- Determination of total glucosides contents

Glycosides extraction: Method of (Harborne, 1984) with some modification was followed: 25 gm of plant powder added to 250 ml

of ethyl alcohol (70%), leave mixture for 24 hours in the magnetic stirrer and filtrated for getting ethanol extract. extract was concentrated by rotary evaporator, 50ml of n-butanol were added to the mixture by separation funnel with shaking and pulled the water layer. The process was repeated three times and dried water drawn layer at a temperature of 30C° until full drying and then put the extracts in tubes with lid and kept freeze until use.

3- Determination of antioxidant activity by DPPH assay:

The antioxidant activity of *L. sativum* and *L. aucheri* leaves glycosides was determined by DPPH assay using (Hatano *et al.*, 1988) with some modifications. The *L. sativum* and *L. aucheri* glycoside extract was prepared in various concentrations (0, 10, 25, 100, 500) µg/ml diluted with methanol. 0.004 mg from DPPH was dissolved in 100 ml of methanol. The absorbance at 517 nm was determined against control after an incubation for 30 min at room temperature by using a spectrophotometer. DPPH (50 µg/ml) was used as the control, ascorbic acid as the standard in triplicate for the standard. The antiradical activity was revealed as IC₅₀ of DPPH scavenging activity by observing the 50% inhibitory concentration for extract using the calibration curve.

Percentage of antioxidant activity of free radical DPPH was calculated as follows:

Antioxidant activity (Inhibition) % = $[(A_{\text{control}} - A_{\text{sample}}) / A_{\text{control}}] \times 100$ Where: A_{control} is the absorbance of the control reaction and A_{sample} is the absorbance in the presence of extract.

4- GC-MS analysis of glycosides

GC-MS analysis was carried out by using a Shimadzu GC-QP 2010 ultra-gas chromatograph. The GC oven temperature was programmed from 40°C to 280°C at hold of 10 C/min. Helium was used as a carrier gas. The pressure was 7.0699 psi. The column flow was 1ml/min, and purge flow 3 ml/min the injector temperature was 290°C with split injection mode. The MS scan conditions incorporate the following: source temperature, 200°C; interface temperature (MSD transfer line), 290°C; solvent cut time 4 min, scan speed, 1562 (N2); range 35 m/z to, 650 m/z. Chemical compound of the *L. sativum* were identified by

comparing the spectra with known compounds stored in the NIST library (2005).

III. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

1- Antioxidant assays of *L. sativum* and *L. aucheri* using DPPH radical- scavenging:

Antioxidant activity of total glucosides contents of the extract was determined using free radical scavenging activity (DPPH) by adding different concentrations of glycoside to DPPH. The inhibitory activity determined by using five different concentrations of glycolysis of *L. sativum* and *L. aucheri* leaves extract are represented in (Figure 1).

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Total antioxidant capacity of *L. sativum* leaves glycosides were evaluated as ascorbic acid equivalents (AAE) per gram of the leaf's glycosides extract. Total antioxidant capacity of the test samples was calculated using the standard line of ascorbic acid ($y = 0.0629x + 48.356$, $R^2 = 0.4085$). The glycoside compounds content of the test solutions was calculated using the calibration curve of the standard (Figure 1), The results of *L. aucheri* and *L. sativum* was ($y = 0.0648x + 48.761$, $R^2 = 0.3483$) and ($y = 0.0436x + 43.48$, $R^2 = 0.3493$) respectively (Figure 2 and 3).

Our results reported that the DPPH radical scavenging activity of the extract from *Lepidium* species increased with increasing concentration (Sandoval *et al.* 2002). This may be due to find some chemical compounds have antioxidant activity, which agreed with (Karimi *et al.*, 2011; Vuong *et al.*, 2013).

2- IC 50 assay:

The antioxidant property of various concentration of *L. sativum* and *L. aucheri* was presented by their IC₅₀ values, all data was compared with the IC₅₀ value of standard ascorbic acid, and the results presented in (Figure 4).

The greatest DPPH radical scavenging potency of with a minimum IC₅₀ value was recorded for *L. aucheri* (19.12 µg/mL), followed by ascorbic acid (26.136 µg/mL) and then *L. sativum* (149.541µg/mL). The IC₅₀ of *L. sativum* obtained in our study was higher compared with some studies conducted to assess the antioxidant activity of the methanol extract of *L. sativum* found that the IC₅₀ values are 62 µg/ml (Ahmad *et al.*, 2015), and Aydemir and Sedabecerik (2011) was IC₅₀ value 318.91 ppm for the Turkish *L. sativum*. The scavenging activity might be due to the different in chemical compounds (Czapecka *et al.*, 2005). Chatoui *et al.* (2016) recorded 925.22±0.02 ppm from ethanol extract, while Al-Safi (2019) remember it was 0.146-18.75 mg/ml.

The concentration 1000 µg/ml showed the highest capacity to neutralize this radical. The lower the IC₅₀ the higher the antioxidant property of a plant. The IC₅₀ values of the different concentrations of leave extracts of *L. sativum* and *L. aucheri*. are presented in the (Figure 4). The *L.aucheri* glycoside compounds exhibited highest antioxidant activity with an IC₅₀ value of 19.12 µg/mL compared to other fractions. While the value is 26.136 µg/mL for the standard ascorbic acid (Figure 4).

This free radical scavenging activity might be due to the presence of glycoside compounds in the extracts (Ahamad *et al.*, 2015). The phytochemical compound of *Lepidium* species can donate hydrogen ions to synthetic free radical compound (DPPH), These may be given rise to the major bioactive compounds. These results supported the observation of some researchers reported that the secondary metabolites provide many species of *Lepidium* have antimicrobial, anticancer, anti-inflammatory activities, and antioxidant effects (Chatoui *et al.*, 2016; Al-Harbi, 2018; Alqahtani *et al.*, 2019). Some species of *Lepidium* caused an increase in the antioxidant levels in the blood and organs (Rodriguez-Huaman *et al.*, 2017). Studies have showed that extracts from *L. sativum* have antibacterial, antioxidant and antiviral effects. these extracts scavenge the reactive oxygen species and radicals and thus protect the cell from oxidative stress (Ait-yahia *et al.*, 2018).

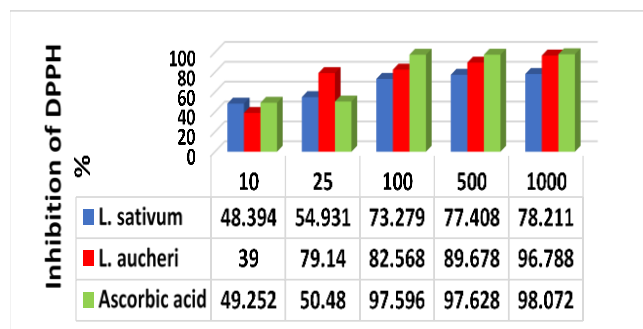


Figure (1) The percentage inhibition of glycosides extracts from *L. sativum* leaves by the antioxidant ascorbic acid.

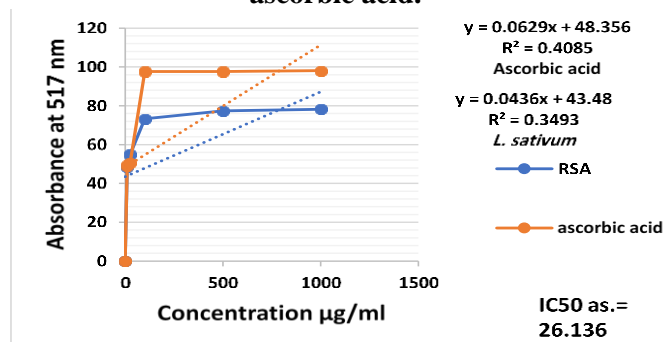


Figure (2) Calibration curve of percentage inhibition of the free radical DPPH by *L. sativum* leaves of glycoside and ascorbic acid.

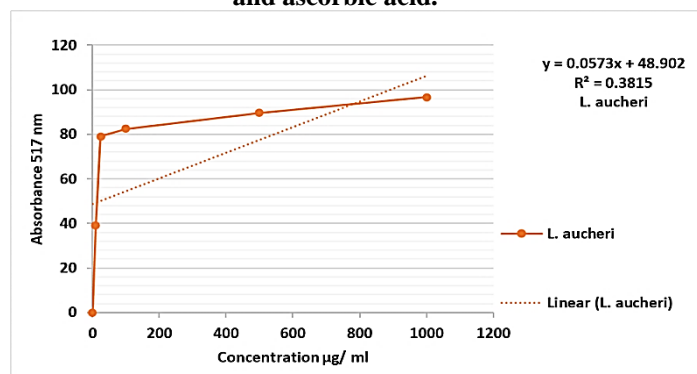


Figure (3) Calibration curve of percentage inhibition of the free radical DPPH by *L. aucheri* leaves of glycoside.

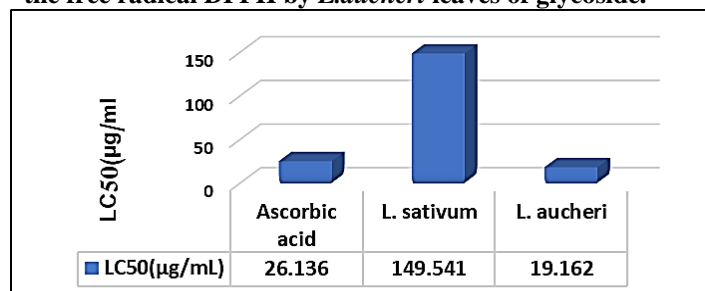


Figure (4): IC₅₀ values of the different glycoside extracts in DPPH scavenging assay.

3- Chemical glycosides composition of *L. sativum* and *L. aucheri* leaves.

The GC-MS chromatogram of *L. sativum* and *L. aucheri* leaves glycosides (Figure 5; Table1).

The GC analysis indicated that *L. sativum* had high number of glycoside compounds 34 components compared with *L. aucheri* 21 components. The major components of *L. sativum* were found to be: Benzyl nitrile (22.24%), N,N-Dimethylamino ethanol(17.53%),4H-Pyran-4-one,2,3-dihydro-3,5-dihydroxy-6-methyl- (12.48 %) ; 2-Hydroxy-1-(1'-pyrrolidiyl)-1-buten-3-one (11.08%), D-Proline (7.33 %), Butyrolactone (4.97%) and 1-(1'-pyrrolidiny)-2-propanone (4.14), Benzene, (isothiocyanatomethyl)(2.05%),Hexadecanoic acid,2-hydroxy-1-(hydroxymethyl)ethylester (1%) as well as some other compounds were only present in minor amounts. GC-MS analysis of *L. aucheri* represented 21 compounds, DL-Proline, 5-oxo-,methyl ester(42.26%);2-Furancarboxaldehyde ,5-methyl-(12.64%);4H-Pyran-4-one, 2,3-dihydro-3,5-dihydroxy-6-methyl-(9.87%);2-Piperidineme- thanol (2.86%); Tetrahydropyran 12-tetradecyn-1-ol ether (2.80%); 2-Hydroxy-1-(1'-pyrrolidiyl)-1-buten-3-one (2.55 %); Hexadecanoic acid, 2-hydroxy-1-(hydroxymethyl) ethyl ester (2.33%); 2-Methoxy-4-vinylphenol (2.02%).

Our results agreed with some research, Malar *et al.* (2018), which recorded 16.32% of benzyle nitrile, Benzene, (isothiocyanatomethyl) (3.89%), Hexadecanoic acid, 2-hydroxy-1-(hydroxymethyl) ethyl ester (1.14%). As well as Singh and Singh (2017) recorded Hexadecanoic acid, 2-hydroxy-1-(hydroxymethyl) ethyl ester compound (7.13%). Abu-Rumman (2018) recorded 2.93% benzyle nitrile, Benzene, (isothiocyanatomethyl) (0.3%) and Hexadecanoic acid, 2-hydroxy-1-(hydroxymethyl) ethyl ester (10.3%).

Our study indicated that present Butyrolactone compound, this compound identifies in some plants of Mints plants, Butyrolactone has been detected in several different foods, such as pepper (*capsicum annuum*), yellow bell peppers, orange bell peppers, soybeans, and evergreen blackberries. Butyrolactone is a toxic compound, but it is also used as a pharmacological agent. This study observed that glycerin absents in *L. sativum*, but it is present in *L. aucheri* (1.89%). 4H-Pyran-4-one, 2,3-dihydro-3,5-dihydroxy-6-methyl- and 2-Furancarboxaldehyde, 5-methyl- present in both *L. sativum* and *L. aucheri* which agreed with (Al-Safi, 2018). These compounds determined in

some species of Brassicaceae (Gopalakrishnan and Udayakumar, 2014). DL-Proline, 5-oxo-, methyl ester, found in some plants (Gopalakrishnan and Udayakumar, 2014).

Natural compounds are also important where they prevent the oxidative stress damage (Boudouda *et al.*, 2015). Hexadecanoic acid, 2-hydroxy-1-(hydroxymethyl) ethyl ester is important as antimicrobial, antiallergic, hemolytic, pesticide and antioxidant (Singh and Singh, 2017; Abu-Rumman, 2018). Furan compounds such as (2-Furanmethanol and Furaneol) reported as antioxidant;2-Furancarboxaldehyde, 5-methyl-, 2,4-Dihydroxy-2,5-dimethyl-3(2H)-furan-3one useful as antimicrobial, anti-inflammatory, automatic nerve activity, antiproliferative antioxidant. Glycerin compound (nature of compound sugar alcohol) determined in *L. aucheri* was used pesticides, herbicidal and antimicrobial; while 4H-Pyran-4-one, 2,3-dihydro-3,5-dihydroxy6-methyl- antimicrobial; 2-Methoxy-4-vinylphenol, Phenolic compound, antioxidant; L-Proline, 5-oxo-, methyl ester.

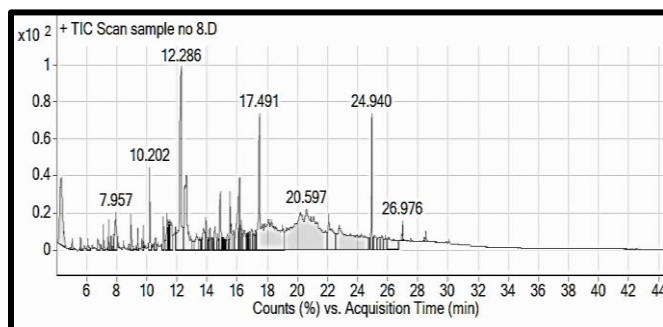


Figure (5) Chromatogram of chemical compounds of *Lepidium sativum* leaves.

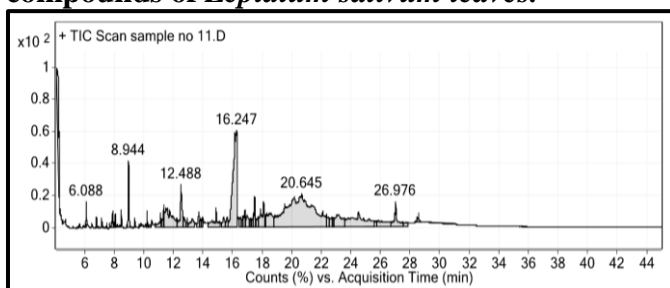


Figure (6) Chromatogram of chemical compounds of *Lepidium aucheri* leaves.

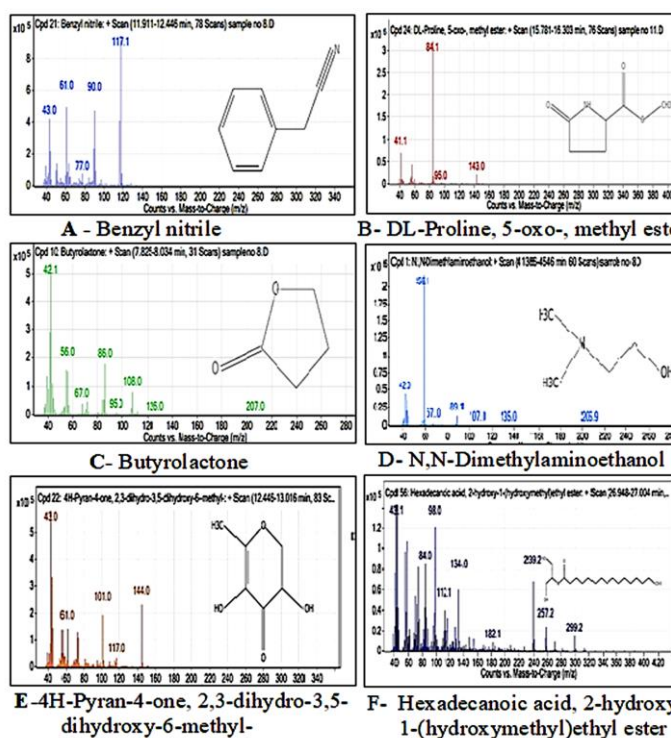


Figure (7) A typical gas chromatogram of the chemical compound of *Lepidium aucheri* leaves.

25	5,10-Diethoxy-2,3,7,8-tetrahydro-1H,6H-dipyrrolo[1,2-a:1',2'-d]pyrazine	22.070	-	1.31
26	D-Proline	24.948	-	7.33
27	Hexadecanoic acid, 2-hydroxy-1-(hydroxymethyl)ethyl ester	26.976	2.33	1.00
28	4-(2,5-Dihydro-3-methoxyphenyl)butylamine	14.524	-	1.58
29	Cyclohexanone, 2-(2-butynyl)-	14.871	-	2.05
30	Benzene, (isothiocyanatomethyl)-	15.517	-	2.05
31	Pyrrolidine, 1-acetyl-Azocine, octahydro-	12.766	-	0.69
32	Pyrrolidine, 1-(1-cyclohexen-1-yl)-	16.129	-	1.74
33	Benzeneacetamide	16.282	-	0.79
35	5,10-Diethoxy-2,3,7,8-tetrahydro-1H,6H-dipyrrolo[1,2-a:1',2'-d]pyrazine	22.070	-	1.31
36	2-Piperidinemethanol	6.088	2.98	-
37	Acetic acid, 2-(dimethylamino) ethyl ester	8.458	1.50	-
38	Cyclopentane, 1-methyl-2-(2-propenyl)-, trans-	11.091	1.43	-
39	Furaneol	11.313	2.19	-
40	Glycerin	11.703	1.89	-
41	Tetrahydropyran 12-tetradecyn-1-ol ether	13.683	2.80	-
42	DL-Proline, 5-oxo-, methyl ester	16.122	42.26	-
43	Pyrrolidin-2-one, 5-pentyl-	16.796	1.41	-
44	4-Methyl-2,5-dimethoxybenzaldehyde	18.054	1.84	-
45	1-Amino-4,6-dimethyl-2-oxo-1,2-dihydropyridine-3-carbonitrile	24.460	2.86	-
			100	100

Table (1) Chemical constituents of *L. sativum* and *L. aucheri* leaves glycosides by using GC-MS analysis.

Peak	Chemical constituents	RT	Area % <i>L. aucheri</i>	Area % <i>L. sativum</i>
1	N,N-Dimethylaminoethanol(Deanol; Varesal; Bimanol; DMAE; Kalpur P; Liparon)	4.330	-	17.53
2	Propanoic acid, 2-oxo-, methyl ester	5.060	-	0.76
3	Pyrazine, methyl-	5.623	-	0.88
4	2-Furanmethanol	6.762	1.54	1.36
5	4-Cyclopentene-1,3-dione	7.117	1.90	1.51
6	N-Ethylidene t-butylamine	7.478	-	1.23
7	Pyrazine, 2,6-dimethyl-	7.804	-	1.13
8	Butyrolactone	7.957	1.63	4.97
9	2-Furancarboxaldehyde, 5-methyl-	8.937	12.64	1.55
10	2,4-Dihydroxy-2,5-dimethyl-3(2H)-furan-3-one	9.396	1.62	0.94
11	Pyrazine, trimethyl-	9.771	-	1.06
12	1-(1'-pyrrolidinyl)-2-propanone	10.202	1.41	4.14
13	4H-1,2,4-Triazole, 4-methyl-	11.105	-	1.78
14	2,5-Piperazinedione, 3-methyl-6-(1-methylethyl)-	11.348	-	1.96
15	4H-Pyran-4-one, 2,3-dihydro-3,5-dihydroxy-6-methyl-	11.494	9.87	12.48
16	Benzyl nitrile (Benzyl cyanide; Phenylacetoneitrile)	12.286	1.33	22.24
17	Pyrazine, 2-ethyl-5-methyl-	14.524	-	1.65
18	2-Methoxy-4-vinylphenol	14.871	2.02	3.05
19	Benzene, (isothiocyanatomethyl)-	15.517	-	2.05
20	Tridecanenitrile	15.594	-	1.11
21	3-Pyridinamine, N,N-dimethyl-	15.733	-	0.69
22	Pyrrolidine, 1-(1-cyclohexen-1-yl)	16.129	-	1.74
23	Benzeneacetamide	16.282	-	0.79
24	2-Hydroxy-1-(1'-pyrrolidiyl)-1-buten-3-one	17.491	2.55	11.08

IV.

V. CONCLUSION

In the present study, the identified phytochemicals of two species of *Lepidium* with molecular formula and structure, Thus the GC-MS analysis is the first step towards understanding the nature of active principles in *Lepidium* species. This study has been good source to produce many modern drugs and drug development (Ravi *et al.*, 2018). The two species of *Lepidium* have presence of biological active chemicals such as isothiocyanates and some phytochemical components such as benzyle nitrile, furan and glycerin compound, the presence of phytochemicals leaves of *L. sativum* may be responsible for controlling diseases.

Natural products and biological effects of *Lepidium* species are reported in this study, the phytochemical study of the Leaves of this species has led to the separation and identification and we found the DPPH is good exhibited. The results of this study indicate that glycoside extract of *L. sativum* leaves possess significant antioxidant properties,

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