

**COMPARISON OF KIRBY BAURER METHOD (DISC) AND WELL  
DIFFUSION METHOD (WELL) FOR RESISTANCE USING ESSENTIAL OIL  
OF RED GALANGAL RHIZOME (*Alpinia Purpurata K.Schum*) AGAINST  
*Trichophyton rubrum***

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**ABSTRACT**

**Background :** Test the inhibition of essential oil of red galangal rhizome (*Alpinia Purpurata K.Schum*) against *Tricophyton rubrum* there is *Kirby Bauer* diffusion and *well diffusion*. The diffusion method is to determine the zone of inhibition against the fungus *Trichophyton rubrum*.

**Objective :** Knowing the effect of the best method of inhibiting s of essential oils of red galangal rhizome (*Alpinia Purpurata K.Schum*) on the growth of *Trichophyton rubrum* to determine the method of wells or disk that can produce a greater inhibition zone.

**Method :** This type of research is pure experimental research with a "Post-test Only Control Group Design". This design has a comparison group (Control) and observation. Data were analyzed analytically by Shapiro Wilk and Wilcoxon test.

**Result :** The average diameter of inhibition zone in the *well diffusion* method with concentrations of 20%, 40%, 60%, 80% and 100% were 5,412 mm, 11,56 mm, 14,418 mm, 17,208 mm dan 21,472 mm respectively . The average diameter of inhibition zone in the *kirby bauer* method with concentrations of 20%, 40%, 60%, 80% and 100% were 8,98 mm, 14,35 mm, 17,826 mm, 21,162 mm dan 31,27 mm respectively. The higher the concentration of red galangal leaf essential oil (*Alpinia Purpurata K.Schum*), the greater the diameter of the inhibitory zone formed. The mean of essential oils of red galangal rhizome (*Alpinia Purpurata K.Schum*) diameter of the *Kirby bauer* method compared to the *well diffusion* method at concentrations of 20%, 40%, 60%, 80% and 100% was 3,568 mm, 2,79 mm, 3,408 mm, 3,954 mm and 9,798 mm respectively.

**Conclusion :** There was an effect of various concentrations and methods of essential oil of red galangal rhizome (*Alpinia Purpurata K.Schum*) on the growth of *Trichophyton rubrum* with the *Kirby Bauer* method, the zone of inhibition was greater than that of the *well diffusion* method.

**Keywords :** Inhibition zone method of red galangal rhizome essential oil (*Alpinia Purpurata K.Schum*), *Tricophyton rubrum*, *Well diffusion* method, *Kirby Bauer* method

PERBANDINGAN METODE *KIRBY BAURER* (CAKRAM) DAN METODE  
WELL DIFFUSION (SUMURAN) UNTUK DAYA HAMBAT  
MENGGUNAKAN MINYAK ATSIRI RIMPANG LENGKUAS MERAH  
(*Alpinia Purpurata K.Schum*) TERHADAP JAMUR *Trichophyton rubrum*

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**Latar Belakang :** Uji daya hambat berbagai konsentrasi minyak atsiri rimpang lengkuas merah (*Alpinia Purpurata K.Schum*) terhadap jamur *Trichophyton rubrum* metode *kirby bauer* dan *well diffusion*. Metode difusi untuk mengetahui zona hambat terhadap jamur.

**Tujuan :** Mengetahui pengaruh metode yang paling bagus menghambat minyak atsiri rimpang lengkuas merah (*Alpinia Purpurata K.Schum*) terhadap pertumbuhan jamur *Trichophyton rubrum* dan Mengetahui metode *well diffusion* atau *kirby bauer* yang dapat menghasilkan zona hambatnya lebih besar.

**Metode :** Jenis penelitian ini penelitian eksperimen murni dengan rancangan “Post - test Only Control Group Design”. Rancangan ini ada kelompok banding (Kontrol) dan observasi. Data dianalisis secara analitik Shapiro Wilk, Uji Wilcoxon.

**Hasil :** Rata-rata diameter zona hambat pada metode *well diffusion* dengan konsentrasi 20%, 40%, 60%, 80% dan 100% adalah 5,412 mm, 11,56 mm, 14,418 mm, 17,208 mm dan 21,472 mm. Rata-rata diameter zona hambat pada metode *kirby bauer* dengan konsentrasi 20%, 40%, 60%, 80% dan 100% adalah adalah 8,98 mm, 14,35 mm, 17,826 mm, 21,162 mm dan 31,27 mm. Semakin tinggi konsentrasi minyak atsiri rimpang lengkuas merah (*Alpinia Purpurata K.Schum*), maka semakin besar diameter zona hambat yang terbentuk. Rerata diameter metode *kirby bauer* dibanding metode *well diffusion* pada konsentrasi 20%, 40%, 60%, 80% dan 100% adalah 3,568 mm, 2,79 mm, 3,408 mm, 3,954 mm dan 9,798 mm.

**Kesimpulan:** Ada pengaruh berbagai konsentrasi dan metode minyak atsiri rimpang lengkuas merah (*Alpinia Purpurata K.Schum*) terhadap pertumbuhan jamur *Trichophyton rubrum* dengan metode *kirby bauer* lebih besar zona hambatnya dibandingkan dengan metode *well diffusion*.

**Kata Kunci :** Metode zona hambat minyak atsiri rimpang lengkuas merah (*Alpinia Purpurata K.Schum*) *Trichophyton rubrum*, Metode *well diffusion*, Metode *kirby bauer*