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## Ability of Polysaccharides of Tobacco( *Nicotiana tabacum* L. cv. Burley 21) Callus Cell Wall to Ag Absorption

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### Abstract

In recent years, the plants and their dead fractions have been used in order to remove pollutants (e.g. heavy metals and organics) from the environment. It has been noted by many investigations that cell wall with various polysaccharides is the main place for heavy metal absorption. It is noteworthy that defining the most efficient wall fraction can greatly improve the technology of Phytoremediation.

In this study, Tobacco ( *Nicotiana tabacum* L. cv. Burley 21) Callus have been grown in solidified LS medium. The polysaccharide matrix of callus cell wall has been extracted and then polysaccharide components e.g. cellulose, pectin, hemicellulose A and hemicellulose B have been extracted and purified.

The matrix and their polysaccharide components were treated with aqueous solutions containing 100 ppb Ag in various pH (acidic, almost neutral and basic) and for different periods.

The results of ICP showed that the wall polysaccharide components adsorbed Ag in all applied pH(s) during the time of treatments.

**Keywords:** Phytoremediation, *Nicotiana* cells, solidified LS media, wall polysaccharide matrix, Cellulose, Pectin, Hemicellulose A, HemicelluloseB.

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NH <sub>4</sub> NO <sub>3</sub>	20.6(mM)
CaCl <sub>2</sub> .2H <sub>2</sub> O	2.99(mM)
MgSO <sub>4</sub> .7H <sub>2</sub> O	0.15(mM)
KH <sub>2</sub> PO <sub>4</sub>	1.25(mM)
KNO <sub>3</sub>	18.8(mM)
<b>Microelements</b>	
KI	5(μM)
MnSO <sub>4</sub> .7H <sub>2</sub> O	99(μM)
ZnSO <sub>4</sub> .7H <sub>2</sub> O	27(μM)
Na <sub>2</sub> MoO <sub>4</sub> .H <sub>2</sub> O	1.03(μM)
CuSO <sub>4</sub> .5H <sub>2</sub> O	0.1(μM)
CoCl <sub>2</sub> .6H <sub>2</sub> O	0.129(μM)
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FeSO <sub>4</sub> .7H <sub>2</sub> O	99.9(μM)
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<b>Organic Supplements</b>	
NAA	16(μM)
IAA	17(μM)
Kinetine	4.65(μM)
Nicotinic acid	0.203(μM)
Pyridoxine-HCl	0.123(μM)
Thiamine-HCl	0.148(μM)
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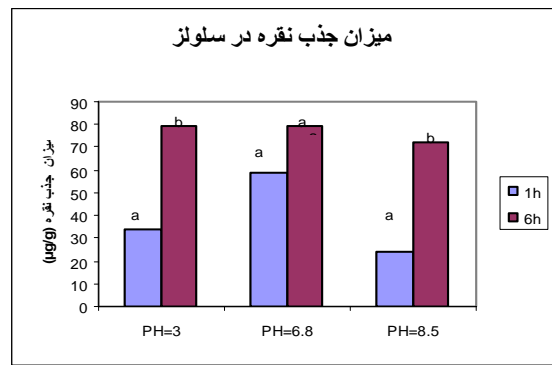
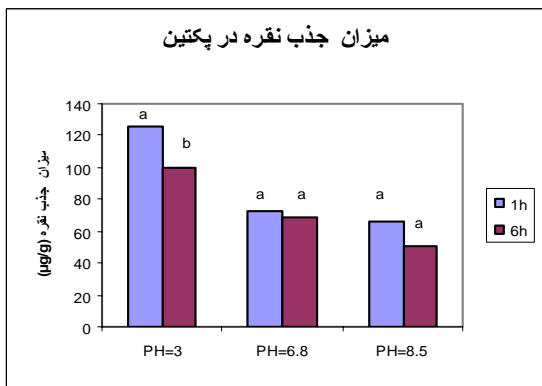
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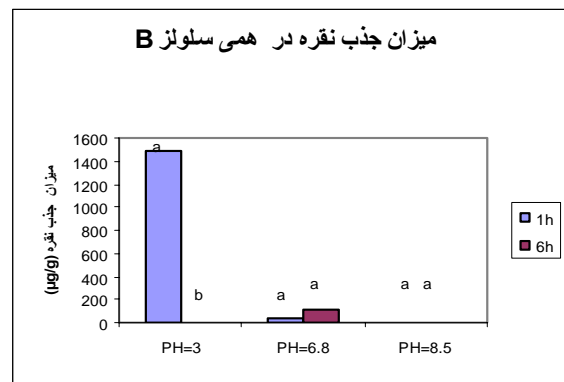
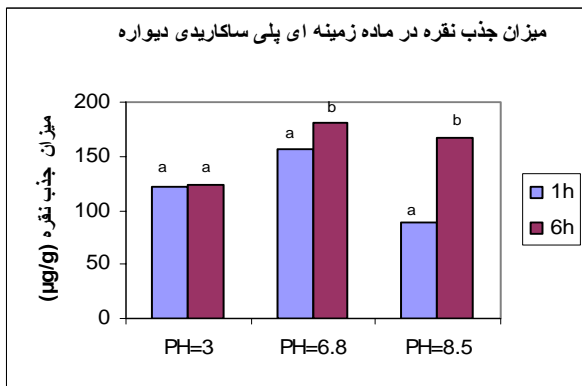
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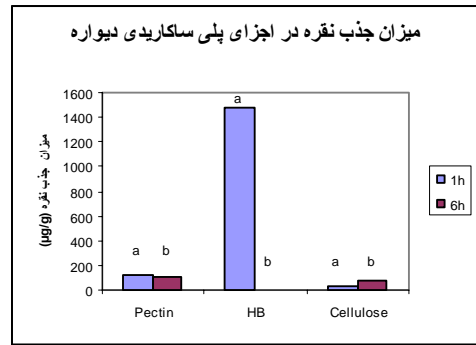
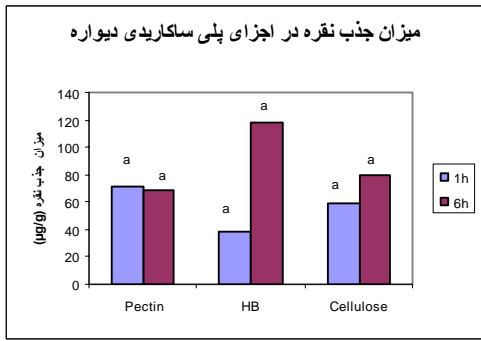
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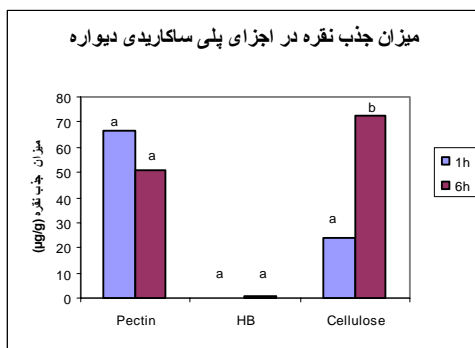


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