

P28. COMBINATIONAL EFFECT OF *ALYSSUM PATERI SUBSP. PROSTRATUM* AND 5-FU ON HT-29 AND PC-3 CANCER CELL LINES

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Brassicaceae (Cruciferae) family is widely distributed in the world with 350 genera and about 3500 species. The species of this family have many health-promoting phytochemicals such as minerals, fat, vitamins, phenolic compounds and soluble sugars, and different species of Brassicaceae reduce the oxidative damage and have anticarcinogenetic, antioxidant, antimicrobial, antiinflammatory effects. *A. pateri* subsp. *prostratum* is a perennial member of Brassicaceae. 6,10,14-trimethyl-2-pentadecanone (22.09 %), 1,8-cineole (11.91 %), thiobis-methane (6.43 %), 2,6,10-trimethylpentadecane (6.05 %) and hexadecane (4.19 %) is the major constituents of the essential oil of *A. pateri* subsp. *prostratum*.

The aim of this study was examined the antiproliferative and apoptotic effect of hexane, chloroform, ethyl acetate and methanol extracts from the aerial parts of *Alyssum pateri* Nyár subsp. *prostratum* (Nyár) Dudley, which growing in Turkey, and combination of these extracts with 5-FU. Cell Proliferation Kit I (MTT) and Cell Death Detection Elisa Kit from Roche (Roche Diagnostics, Mannheim, Germany) were used to determine the apoptotic and cytotoxic effect of *Alyssum pateri* subsp. *prostratum* extracts on HT-29 human colorectal cancer and PC-3 human prostate cancer cell lines. Propidium iodide and ethidium bromide were used for monitoring the apoptotic and necrotic cells.

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