EFFECT OF ULTRAVIOLET EXPOSURE TIME OF Corcyra cephalonica Stainton EGG ON PARASITISM LEVEL OF Trichogramma japonicum Ashmead (TRICHOGRAMMATIDAE: HYMENOPTERA)

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ABSTRACT

This study aims to determine the effect of ultraviolet exposure time on the parasitism level of Trichogramma japonicum Ashmead. This research was conducted on January 20, 2023 to February 3, 2023 at the Indonesian Sugar Research Institute (ISRI), Pasuruan. This study used a non-factorial completely randomized design (CRD), with various treatments of UV irradiation time, that were 0 minutes, 15 minutes, 25 minutes, 35 minutes, and 45 minutes, and repeated 4 times. The data were analyzed using the F test with a level of 5% and 1%. If the results showed a significant difference, then the BNJ (Honest Significant Difference) test was carried out at a level of 5%. This study gave significantly different results on the level of egg parasitism, the percentage of hatching larvae, and the emergence percentage of adult parasitoid.

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