



Evaluation of Fiber Content Based on Palm Plantation which Has Fermentation with Probiotic MOIYL

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ABSTRACT

Probiotic MOIYL is a probiotic that contains lignocellulolytic microorganisms derived from palm oil waste consist of Bacillus sp YLB1, Trichoderma sp YLF8 and Saccharomyces sp YLY3 which are potential in degrading fibers. This study aims to determine the effect of MOIYL probiotic use of palm oil waste based on fiber fraction content (NDF, ADF and lignin). This research is using Completely Randomized Design (RAL) factorial pattern 3 x 4 treatment with 3 replications. Factor I (various levels of palm oil waste substrate) and Factor II (combination of mixed inoculum or cocktail inoculum indigenous microorganisms). Parameters observed included neutral detergent fiber (NDF), acid detergent fiber (ADF) and lignin. The results showed that the use of MOIYL probiotic in fermentation had a very significant effect ($P < 0.01$) decrease NDF, ADF and lignin waste palm plantation. Probiotic MOIYL-based waste oil plays a role in degrading fiber (NDF, ADF and lignin) and can be used as a source of fermentation inoculum.

INTRODUCTION

Plantation waste and palm oil plantations such as palm fronds and leaves, palm sludge and palm kernel cake (BIS) are potential sources of alternative feed ingredients as they are available throughout the year in sufficient quantities. Increasing the number of palm fronds, BIS and oil palm sludge produced by oil palm plantations and industry each year provides an opportunity to be used as a feed source of energy for ruminants.

Although palm bleach, BIS and palm sludge can be used as energy source feed but have limiting factors such as high fiber neutral detergent fiber (NDF), ADF and Lignin. High fiber content causes low digestibility of the feed. Besides lignin is an anti-nutrient for livestock, in addition to disturb digestion can also reduce the nutritional value of feed ingredients.

Provision of low quality feed with high fiber content, will produce a low digestibility, so to improve digestibility required a processing technology before it is given to livestock. One of the feeding

technology that can be done is through fermentation biotechnology. Feed processing in biotechnology fermentation can involve local microbials both indigenous and endogenous microorganisms in order to overcome the problem of low quality of feed and its digestibility (Yunilas, 2016).

MOIYL is a palm oil-based lignocellulolytic microorganism containing *Bacillus* sp YLB1, *Trichoderma* sp YLF8 and *Saccharomyces* sp YLY3. The results showed that *Bacillus* sp YLB1 has a high ability in degrading fibers compared to other bacterial isolates. MOIYL plays a role as a cellulosome (multi enzyme complex) producing cellulase, silanase, mananase and lignoperoxidase enzymes, so MOIYL as a cocktail inoculum can be applied to high-fiber feed, especially waste plantation and palm oil industry (Yunilas *et al.*, 2013).

The fermentation process involves microorganisms in degrading crude fiber, reducing lignin levels and anti-nutrient compounds so that the digestibility value of feed from waste can increase. The results of Ramin *et al.* (2010) showed that BIS fermentation using *Aspergillus niger* inoculum and *Rhizopus oryzae* was able to increase crude protein (PK) and reduce neutral detergent fiber (NDF) and acid detergent fiber (ADF) instead of using *Trichoderma harzianum* inoculum. Complete fermentation using mixed inoculum (cocktail inoculum) can increase protein content and decrease the fiber content of palm based fodder (Yunilas *et al.*, 2014).

This study aims to determine the effect of MOIYL probiotic use of palm oil waste based on fiber fraction content (NDF, ADF and lignin). Based on the above, it is necessary to evaluate the effect of fermentation of palm oil waste with MOIYL probiotics to fiber fraction content (NDF, ADF and lignin).

METHOD

Materials and tools

The materials used include palm fronds and leaves, palm sludge, palm kernel oil (BIS), MOIYL indigenous microbial inoculum consisting of *Bacillus* sp YLB1, *Trichoderma* sp YLF8 and *Saccharomyces* sp YLY3, urea, mineral Brook *et al.* ($MgSO_4 \cdot 7H_2O$; $FeSO_4 \cdot 7H_2O$; $MnSO_4$; $ZnSO_4 \cdot 7H_2O$; K_2HPO_4 ; thiamin hydrochloride), aquades, urea, chemicals for van soest analysis.

The tools used in this study include: autoclave, incubator, rack for fermentation, erlenmeyer, test tube, pipette, bunsen, measuring cup, digital scales, mask, gloves, sprayer, strap, plastic bag, knife, label, stationery.

Research Methods

The method used in this research is experimental method using Completely Random Design (RAL) factorial pattern 3 x 4 treatment with 3 replications.

Factor I: combination of substrate level of oil palm leaf midrib, BIS, palm sludge

S1 = 80% palm leaf midrib + 10% oil palm + 10% bus

S2 = 60% palm leaf midrib + 20% oil palm + 20% bis

S3 = 40% palm leaf midrib + 30% oil palm + 30% bis

Factor II: mixed inoculum (cocktail inoculum) indigenous microorganism YL

M1 = *Bacillus* sp YLB1 + *Trichoderma* sp YLF8

M2 = *Bacillus* sp YLB1 + *Saccharomyces* sp YLY3

M3 = *Trichoderma* sp YLF8 + *Saccharomyces* sp YLY3

M4 = *Bacillus* sp YLB1 + *Trichoderma* sp YLF8 + *Saccharomyces* sp YLY3

Research procedure

Preparation of mixed inoculum

Rejuvenation of indigenous microbial isolates (bacteria, fungi and yeast) on the solid medium of each NA, PDA, and MEA, then incubated for 24 hours (bacteria), 72 hours (yeast) and 168 hours (fungi).

The rejuvenation results are mixed according to the treatment. Preparation of liquid medium consisting of aquades, brook mineral 1%, urea 0,5%, molasses 0,5%, and bran 2%, then sterilized (autoclave). Indigenous microbial isolates of 1% were inoculated in aqueous medium, then incubated while shaken with shaker at 150 rpm for 7 days (mixed inoculum) (Yunilas, 2016).

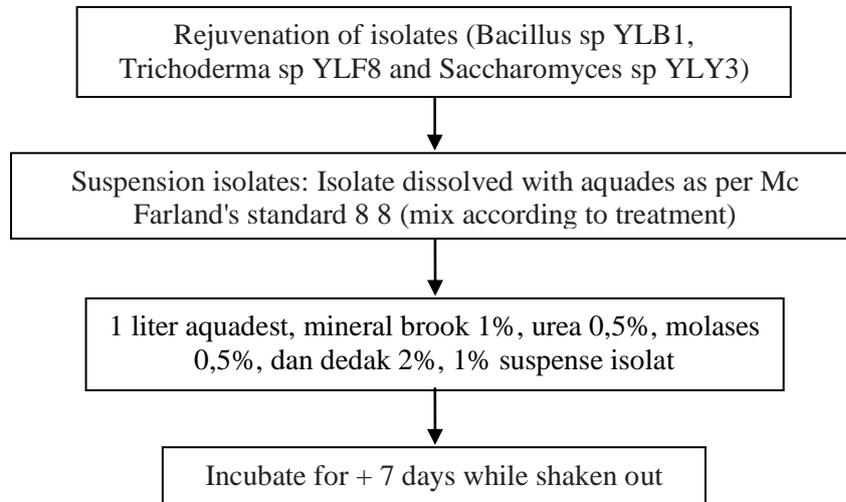


Fig 1. Inoculum Flow Chart Mix (cocktail inokulum) (Yunilas, 2016)

Solid media fermentation

The material (substrate) is weighed according to the treatment and then fed into the ester and sterilized using an autoclave at 121⁰C for 15 minutes. The substrate was cooled, after cold was inoculated with 1% cocktail inoculum, then incubated for 7 days.

Measured Variables

The variables measured were fiber analysis including NDF and ADF (Goering and Van Soest, 1973).

Determination of Neutral Detergent Fiber (NDF)

1. The sample was weighed as much as 1 gram (A) and then put into a test tube and 100 ml of NDS solution was added, 0.5 grams of sodium sulfite (Na₂SO₃).
2. The solution is heated for 10 minutes to boiling.
3. After boiling, the solution continues to be heated for 60 minutes with occasional stirring.
4. The solution is then filtered using a known filter plate (glass filter No. GF-4) (B) and connected to a vacuum pump
5. Residue rinsed with hot water twice
6. The residue is rinsed with acetone and silenced for a moment to remove residual acetone
7. The filter glass and its contents are heated in an oven at 105⁰C for 8 hours
8. Cool in desiccator then weighed (C)

Calculation:

$$\text{NDF} = \frac{\text{C} - \text{B}}{\text{A}} \times 100 \%$$

Information :

A = sample weight (gram)

B = weight of filter paper (gram)

C = weight of plate + sample after temperature of 105⁰C for 8 hours (gram)

Acid Detergent Fiber (ADF)

1. The sample was weighed as much as 1 gram (A) then put into the test tube and 100 ml of ADS solution was added.
2. The solution is heated for 10 minutes to boiling.

3. After boiling, the solution continues to be heated for 60 minutes with occasional stirring.
4. The solution is then filtered by using No. filter glass. The GF-4 is known by weight (B) and is associated with a vacuum pump
5. Residue rinsed with hot water twice
6. The residue is rinsed with acetone and silenced for a moment to remove residual acetone
7. The filter glass and its contents are heated in an oven at 105⁰C for 8 hours
8. Cool in desiccator then weighed (C)

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Statistic Analysis

Statistical analysis of this study using analysis of variance (ANOVA). The design used was a complete randomized design (RAL) factorial pattern. If there is a treatment effect proceed with Duncan multiple range test (Steel & Torrie, 1995).

RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

Fermentation biotechnology using MOIYL based on plantation waste and palm oil industry at various substrate level combination treatments showed significant results on the content of neutral detergent fiber (NDF) and acid detergent fiber (ADF). The effect of complete fermentation of plant based waste and palm oil industry using indigenous microorganism YL (*Bacillus* sp YLB1, *Trichoderma* sp YLF8 and *Yeast* sp YLY3) can be seen in Figure 2.



Fig 2. Formation of Mycelium In Substrates Based on Palm Waste (Yunilas et al., 2014)

Effect of Treatment on NDF Content

The results showed that combinations of different levels of fermented substrate with cocktail inoculums of indigenous microorganisms (MOIYL) could decrease the NDF content. Complete fermentation process using indigenous microbe "MOIYL" able to decrease NDF content caused by activity of indigenous microbial mix inoculum. Indigenous microbes produce multiple enzymes (endo-β-1,4-glucanase, xylase, ananase and ligniperoksidase) and synergize in fiber degradation.

Table 1. NDF Content of Fermentation of Plantation Waste and Palm Oil Industry (%)

Experiments	M1	M2	M3	M4	Means
S1	73.35 ^A	75.28 ^A	75.42 ^A	72.81 ^A	74.21
S2	69.14 ^B	68.96 ^B	71.32 ^B	69.12 ^B	69.63
S3	65.53 ^C	66.32 ^C	65.15 ^C	61.86 ^C	64.71
Means	69.34	70.19	70.63	67.93	

Note: Means with different superscripts in a column differ significantly.

Test results of Duncan showed that NDF and ADF feed content with S3M4 treatment combination was significantly lower than other treatments (Table 1). This is due to the decreasing use of midrib and palm leaf as a source of forage indirect activities cause the microbe activity more optimal. Besides, the decrease of NDF content is also caused by positive synergy between bacteria, fungi and Yeast which keep increasing its activity. Synergistic microbes accelerate lignocellulosic bonding due to increased enzyme activity generated during the fermentation process. It appears that the enzyme activity of fiber degradation that indigenous microbial based on palm oil waste is able to loosen the lignocellulose bond so that the strong bond becomes unraveled.

The lowest NDF content of 61.86% indicates that the fermented substrate with mixed inoculum based on plantation waste and palm oil industry has good potential as animal feed ingredients. This is supported by the statement of Godoy and Elliot (1981) that the value of NDF can be used as a predictor of the digestibility of feed ingredients. The value of NDF is related to its digestibility, where the higher the NDF value the lower the digestibility (Fariani & Akhadiarto, 2012) or conversely.

Influence of Treatment on ADF Content

The results showed that the combination of substrate and cocktail inoculums synergistically decreased the ADF content. S3 substrate interaction with indigenous microbes M4 resulted in lower ADF content is lower than other treatments (Table 2).

Table 2. Content of ADF Fermentation of Waste Plantation and Palm Oil Industry (%)

Experiments	M1	M2	M3	M4	Means
S1	62.50 ^A	62.02 ^A	59.86 ^A	61.38 ^A	61.44
S2	57.53 ^B	56.44 ^B	57.90 ^B	57.70 ^B	57.39
S3	53.18 ^C	51.72 ^C	52.12 ^C	48.49 ^C	51.38
Means	57.74	56.73	56.63	55.86	

Note: Means with different superscripts in a column differ significantly.

Factors affecting ADF values are cellulose and lignin because cellulose and lignin are part of the ADF. Low cellulose and lignin content followed by a low ADF content (Yunilas, 2016). The value of ADF is related to the energy content, where the higher the ADF value the lower the digestibility of the energy, and vice versa. The S3M4 feed has the lowest ADF value indicating that S3M4 has the potential to feed better than other treatments.

Effect of Treatment on Lignin Contents

The results of the diversity analysis showed that the treatment of the combination of various substrate levels had a very significant effect ($P < 0.01$) on the lignin content (Table 3). The content of lignin in treatment S3 is significantly lower than the treatment of S1 and S2. This illustrates that the combination of mixed indigenous microbial inoculums (*Bacillus* sp YLB1, *Trichoderma* sp YLF8 and *Yeast* sp YLY3) together more optimally reduce the lignin content of the S3 substrate compared to S1 and S2.

Table 3. Lignin Content Fermented Waste Plantation and Palm Oil Industry (%)

Experiments	M1	M2	M3	M4	Means
S1	16.05 ^A	16.96 ^A	16.77 ^A	16.19 ^A	16.49
S2	15.99 ^B	15.80 ^B	15.20 ^B	15.15 ^B	15.54
S3	10.52 ^C	10.47 ^C	10.21 ^C	10.09 ^C	10.32
Means	14.19	14.41	14.06	13.81	

S3M4 treatment of lignin content is lower than other treatments. Presumably this is because microbial inoculum (*Bacillus* sp YLB, *Trichoderma* sp YLF8 and *Yeast* sp YLF3) works more optimally in degrading fiber, resulting in a decrease in lignin content higher than other treatments

The decrease in lignin levels by indigenous microbes showed that indigenous microbes (*Bacillus* sp YLB, *Trichoderma* sp YLF8 and *Yeast* sp YLF3) were able to synergize decreasing lignin levels especially on S3 substrates. Wang (1984), states that during the process of bioconverting solid substrate progresses, the highest lignin degradation also occurs in the mycelium phase. In this phase one of the major constituents of lignin coniferyl alcohol is dehydrogenated by lacase or peroxidase enzyme. These peroxidase enzymes are involved in the delignification process and function to break the complex bonds of lignocellulose and lignohemisellulose into free compounds in mesomeric form.

During fermentation microbiological and biochemical changes are characterized by fluctuations in synergistic enzyme activity and microbes forming a succession pattern of growth, where there is mutual filling between indigenous microbes (Figure 4).

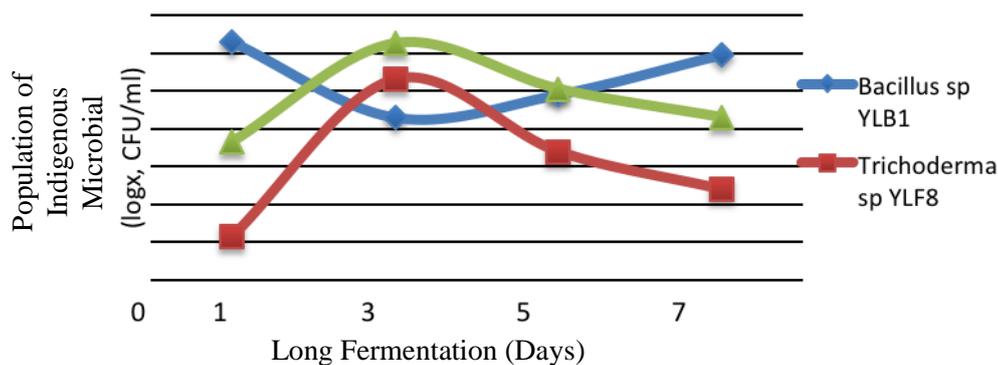


Fig 4. Indigenous Microbial Growth Patterns during Fermentation (Yunilas, 2016)

CONCLUSION AND SUGGESTION

Fermentation of palm oil waste (palm leaf cuts, lupur and palm kernel cake) using MOIYL probiotics can decrease the deterrent detergent fiber (NDF), Acid detergent fiber (ADF) and Lignin content so that MOIYL probiotics can be used as fermentation inoculum.

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