

SHORT COMMUNICATION

Studies on seed mycoflora of Chick Pea (*Cicer arietinum* L.)

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Untreated and treated seeds of Chick Pea (*Cicer arietinum*) were used to study the seed mycoflora. Agar plate method was followed. In case of untreated seeds, the percent incidence of *Aspergillus niger* (15.85%) was the highest followed by *A. flavus* (14.82%), *Chaetomium globosum* (14.75%), *Dresclera rostrata* (14.5%), whereas all other fungi were within the range of (13.90 to 0.70%). In the treated seeds only six fungi were found. *Aspergillus flavus* was the highest (19.75%) whereas *Rhizopus arrhizus* was the lowest (0.35%).

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