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Semantic and pathogenic description of Fusarium variety creating accepted berry root rot in Uganda

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Abstract

Fusarium root rot (FRR) of prevalent berry happens in Land of the Sahara, Principal and Western hemisphere, and causes yield misfortunes of until 86%. Currently, FRR-like sag syndromes were noticed in Uganda's agroecology zones. To label the fresh bacterium, we administered surveys in seven agroecology zones to decide the predominance and occurrence of the stated ailment. All along the surveys, unhealthy ancestries were calm for bacterium seclusion. Fungal strains were distinguished utilizing community color, mycelial progress rate and tiny forms to a degree conidia and microconidia. The pathogenicity of 99 strains on five grain assortments was persistent in by artificial means immunized soils in the screenhouse. Established field manifestations, the noticed sagging was labeled expected Fusarium root rot, the predominance of that different across agroecologies, accompanying the maximal (95%) in the Karamoja peaceful district (KP) and hostile (40%) in West Nile gardening method (WN). Likewise, the occurrence of FRR was capital (87%) in KP, and shortest (20%) in WN. Fusarium strains varied in progress rate, community color, shape and intensity of tiny forms. All judged strains were pathogenic on accepted kernel and created severities of 0.9 to 98.3%. Further studies are necessary to label the unique strains at the variety level utilizing microscopic forms.

Keywords: Coarse grain, Affliction occurrence, Ailment predominance, Fusarium root rot, Pathogenicity

Introduction

The low grain (*Phaseolus vulgaris* L.) is the tertiary most influential cuisine edible part of plant crop in the planet afterwards soybean (*Glycine top* L.) and peanuts (*Arachis hypogaea* L.) (Broughton and others., 2003). Nevertheless, the result of the crop is forced by soilborne afflictions (Miklas and others., 2006), key with that in Uganda are Pertaining to the south blight and Fusarium root rot (FRR) (Paparú and others., 2018). Fusarium root rot of prevailing grain is an main affliction in African-american nations to a degree Uganda, Rwanda, Burundi, the Self-governing Democracy of Congo, Kenya and On west side when facing north Land of the Sahara; and in Principal and Western hemisphere (Abawi & Corrales, 1990). The syndromes of FRR contain long coppery-brown color lesions on hypocotyls followed by long fissures or cracks accompanying failing root tissues curving blushing dark. Contaminated plants are chlorotic at the time of the basic leaves, dwarfed and plants concede possibility sag entirely or have rash fatuity. Grain yield deficits on account of FRR can reach 86% in harshly polluted soils (Abawi & Corrales, 1990).

In a study by Paparú and others. (2018), FRR affliction was establish expected the second most influential kernel root rot affliction in Uganda subsequently Pertaining to the south blight precipitated by *Sclerotium rolfsii* Sacc. (teleomorph *Arthelia rolfsii* (Curzi) C. C. Tu & Kimbr.). In duplicate study, root rots produced by *Pythium* and *Rhizoctonia* class were too stated. Affliction predominance (outlined as the number of flowers accompanying the affliction in a delineated terrestrial district) and occurrence (the bulk of unhealthy plants relating to the total number of plants sampled, consistently signified as a allotment) of FRR of universal kernel has existed stated to change by agroecology (Mentally deranged person and others., 1991; Moya-Elizondo and others., 2011). Determinants in the way that advancement, soil type, country practices, hotness and relative moisture with remainder of something, help the alternative of bacterium class in peasants' flowers (Moya-Elizondo and others., 2011; Trabelis and others., 2017). In Tunisia, Fusarium solani was.

renewed mainly from flowers that earlier had solanaceous crops like sprinkle (*Capiscum* spp.), vegetables (*Ipomea* spp.) and tomatoes (*Lycopersicum esculentum* L.) (Trabelis and others., 2017). Good crop result practices in the way that crop turn likely to humiliate inoculum levels in soil, developing in weakened root rot affliction asperity (Abawi & Corrales, 1990).

Fungal strains grant permission be typified morphologically utilizing community traits to a degree progress rate, color, balance, shape of community edges, and shape and capacity of tiny buildings (Mandal and others., 2018; Kiprop and others., 2002). Place money are restricted, duplicate face maybe beneficial for the preliminary labeling of ailment new powers (Kristensen and others., 2005; Chopada and others., 2015).

Pathogenicity is the determinable skill of an animal to cause affliction. Had connection with it is resentment that is the range at which point a strain can cause ailment relating to additional strains (Weiland and others., 2013). Resentment is distinguished by weighing asperity, the latest being the scope of damage to individual plants (Chiang and others., 2017). Premature investigators have noticed distinctnesses in pathogenicity between *Fusarium* spp. leading to root rots indifferent crop variety. For instance, in brownish forests (*Olea europaea*) Trabelsi and others. (2017) erect that between 104 isolates, 23 were pathogenic, and *F. solani* was ultimate pathogenic class distinguished to *F. oxysporum*, *F. chalmidosporem* and *F. brachygibbosum*. Meantime in Soybean, nine variety of *Fusarium* were noticed to change considerably in their pathogenicity accompanying *F. graminearum* beginning ultimate harsh affliction understood by *F. proliferatum*,

F. orochotrichoides and *F. solani* (Arias and others., 2013). In a accompanying study, the more poisonous strains of *Fusarium* spp. in carbohydrate vegetable (*Suspect vulgaris* L.) persuaded foliar manifestations former than the less hostile one (Burlakoti and others., 2012).

The study by Paparu and others. (2018) presented an growing meaning of FRR in Uganda's agroecology zones, still skilled is restricted news on the variety of *Fusarium* spp. making the noticed ailment similarly beans. To fill this information break, our study wanted to; 1) decide the predominance and occurrence of FRR on universal grain in seven agroecology zones of Uganda, and 2) accumulate failing ancestries, insulate and morphologically distinguish *Fusarium* spp. strains got. All the while the surveys, we recorded types mature by peasants because the departed is stated to influence the occurrence and predominance of *Fusarium* root rot (Moya-Elizondo and others., 2011; Trabelis and others., 2017; Paparu and others., 2018).

Materials and Methods

Root Rot Affliction Surveys and Sample Accumulation of *Fusarium* spp.

Surveys to decide the predominance and occurrence of FRR affliction were completed activity 'tween September 2017 and November 2019 in 32 sectors mirroring seven agroecology zones in Uganda (Figure 1). The surveys attracted on smallholder peasants fields place the coarse beans were developed. The scrutinized communities were preferred established the berry result records written by Kalyebara and others. (2006). Coarse kernel agroecology zones have variable annual rainfall, peak and cultivation wholes. We then scrutinized the following agroecology

zones; West Nile Assorted Agriculture Order district (WN) accompanying annual precipitation of 1340-1371 mm and distance 778-1409 m, Karamoja Peaceful district (KP) accompanying annual precipitation <1000 mm and distance 1164-1475 m, Northerly Assorted Agriculture Arrangement district (NM) accompanying annual precipitation >1197 mm and distance of 1010-1176 m, Westward Assorted Agriculture Order district (WM) accompanying an annual precipitation of 1000-1200 mm and distance of 1020-1880 m, Southwestern Highland (SWH) accompanying annual precipitation >1200 mm and peak 1800-1855 m, Pond Carriage Crescent and Mbale Farmlands (LVC) accompanying annual precipitation of 1215-1328 mm and peak 1100-1536 m, and On the east side of Highland (EH) accompanying annual precipitation >1200 mm and elevation 1369-2125 m. Precipitation dossier were acquired from the head commission of Uganda Internal Of or in the atmosphere Expert (UNMA) while altitudes were written all the while surveys utilizing a radio signal receiver (Family physician).

Surveys were administered all along the berry increasing season. In each region, we scrutinized 15 flowers, carelessly preferred at a minimum break of 1km ahead the route of the survey. Nevertheless, in few sectors, we scrutinized minor flowers cause the crop was not at a acceptable stage for evaluating FRR affliction. In sampled flowers, berry progress stages categorized from V2 (basic leaf stage) to R7 (pod composition). To decide the predominance of kernel root rot ailment (the occurrence of flowers accompanying unhealthy plants in a delimited terrestrial district), we roamed ahead first and last-line crosscut and noticed the demeanor or lack of sagging plants. *Fusarium* root rot affliction occurrence (the number of unhealthy plants signified as a allotment of the total number sampled) was driven from a maximum of 30 failing plants show syndromes of the various root rot ailments. The number of sagging plants chosen was not the alike across flowers, as this rested on on the number of sagging plants ahead the Z crosscut for each flowers sampled. We secondhand the directions by Buruchara and others., (2010) to recognize the various grain root rot ailments. All along the surveys, we calm facts on types of age and the former crop(s) in the flowers scrutinized. Ancestries from failing plants show usual FRR syndromes were calm and established in paper bags and caused to the Study of plants Lab at the Ethnic Crops Money Research Institute for bacterium seclusion.

Seclusion of *Fusarium* spp.

To confine *Fusarium* spp. a total of 1,496 unhealthy root samples were calm from 196 flowers in six agroecology zones. These samples were calm from a total of 25 kernel sorts (Additional Table S1). Two whole ancestries show conventional manifestations of FRR (blushing dark long-term lesions) were sampled for seclusion per flowers. Formerly engaged, root pieces of nearly 0.5 cm were cut and completely clean first in 15% Sodium hypochlorite (Jik) for 1 brief time period and therefore in 70% flammable liquid for another brief time period. Pieces were rinsed thrice in unproductive water and swell drained on unproductive fabric and coated with metallic material on straight vegetable sweet substance agar (Agenda) (39 g of Computer used at home in 1000 mL of water) following improvement accompanying 0.3 g of medicine sulphate. Following in position or time five days, *Fusarium* spp.-like fungi increasing from experienced

root pieces were subcultured on new Agenda. Clean strains were groomed through hyphal dumping. Strains were before stocked as specified by Paparu and others. (2020) on unproductive clean documents.

Semantic Description of *Fusarium* spp. Strains

Individual hundred and ninety-six strains mature on straight Computer used at home were determined for tumor rate, community color and balance, and tiny makeups to a degree the hyphae, the proportion and shape of conidia. Progress rate was persistent utilizing the process by Paparu and others. (2020). Each sample was copied thrice. Petridishes were immunized accompanying the various strains individually, organized in a entirely randomized design without knowledge and hatched at 25 °C. Community tumor rate was calculated day-to-day betwixt days three and eight post immunization. This was cause from beginning to two, the mycelia acted not evolve considerably enough expected calculated, and subsequently era 8, most strains had entirely camouflaged the Petridish. The community color, balance and shape of community edges were all written eventually 8. On the conclusive epoch of development calculation, mycelia from the various educations were provoked utilizing a unproductive annoy and moved into a drop of water on a microscope drive, smashed to unbind conidia and noticed under a light microscope (Brunel Microscopes Ltd. UK) affiliated to a monitor at x40 praise to decide the appearance/lack of big- and microconidia, their sizes and mixed appearance to a degree septa and conidiophores.

Pathogenicity of *Fusarium* spp. Strains on Low Kernel

Pathogenicity studies were administered in a hothouse at the Domestic Crops Possessions Research Institute (NaCRR). Ninety-nine representative strains accompanying various morphologies and tumor rates were picked for pathogenicity studies. The pathogenicity of the picked strains was proven on five ordinary grain assortments accompanying famous backlashes to kernel root rot. These contained MLB49-89A (FRR easygoing), RWR719 (Pythium root rot easygoing but exposed to FRR), ALB171 (composite of *P. coccineus* and *P. vulgare*, naive to FRR), NABE19 (a announced sort, naive to FRR) and CAL96 (a worldwide root rot exposed check more usually famous as K132). The arrangement of inoculum on millet piece was finished following the pact by Paparu and others. (2020). Discs of 1 cm were cut from two-temporal length of event or entity's existence-traditional sophistications and immunized on 10 g of clean millet grains in cylindrical flasks, and hatched at 25 °C on tribunals engaged. When the muck had sufficiently settled the millet seed, 10 g of the inoculum each strain was oppose nearly 20 kg of wet heat completely clean soil (earth soil and soil meddle a percentage of 2:1) in 70 x 35 x 10 cm inflexible trays in the greenhouse. Each strain was copied doubly. The 99 strains were secluded in four various experiments because the greenhouse scope was restricted. In each experiment, individual platter of unproductive soil was not immunized and secondhand as a negative control. To increase soil inoculum levels, the exposed sort CAL96 was cultivated thoroughly trays containing the non-immunized control platter and abandoned to evolve for 3 weeks all the while that plants were diluted two times routine accompanying bore dent water. Following in position or time three weeks, plants were destroyed and evaluated for *Fusarium* root rot ailment.

Subsequently the eradication of CAL96, the 5 test sorts were cultivated in the trays accompanying well developed inoculum (place the naive type was earlier cultivated). All the differences were cultivated in a distinct platter holding a distinct strain, accompanying 16 children of each difference cultivated in two rows. All 10 rows inside a platter were entirely randomized. Sixteen children of each difference cultivated in a platter accompanying non-immunized soil did as controls. Trays were organized in a entirely randomized design and each strain was copied doubly. Plants were diluted double constantly as far as 28 days later establishing.

The 99 isolates were judged in four various experiments, all the while that routine average greenhouse hotnesses were betwixt 24 and 30 °C. Pregnancy and FRR occurrence were driven at 14 days later establishing, and FRR asperity at 28 days later setting (at trial harvest). FRR occurrence was contingent upon expecting the number of polluted plants, and asperity was supposed utilizing a scale of 1-9 (Abawi & Corrales, 1990), place: 1=No apparent manifestations, 3=Light stain either outside deadly lesions or accompanying nearly 10% of the hypocotyl and root tissues dotted accompanying lesions, 5=Nearly 25% of the hypocotyl and root tissues enclosed accompanying lesions but tissues endure accompanying degeneration of the root plan 7=Nearly 50% of the hypocotyl and root tissues camouflaged accompanying lesions linked accompanying large softening, crumbling and decline of root method 9=Nearly 75% or more of the hypocotyl and root tissues concerned accompanying progressive stages of crumbling linked accompanying a harsh decline in the root structure.

Dossier Study

The mean portion predominance and occurrence of FRR were computed and analysed utilizing STATA mathematical program (Report 15.1). Dissimilarities in the predominance and occurrence of FRR across agroecology zones were proven utilizing U.s. city-square. Reasoning of difference was used to decide distinctnesses in development rate between strains. Mathematical distinctnesses 'tween resources of progress rate for the various agroecology zones were proven utilizing Tukey's Studentized range test. Tumor rate reasoning was accomplished utilizing SAS (story 9.1;)

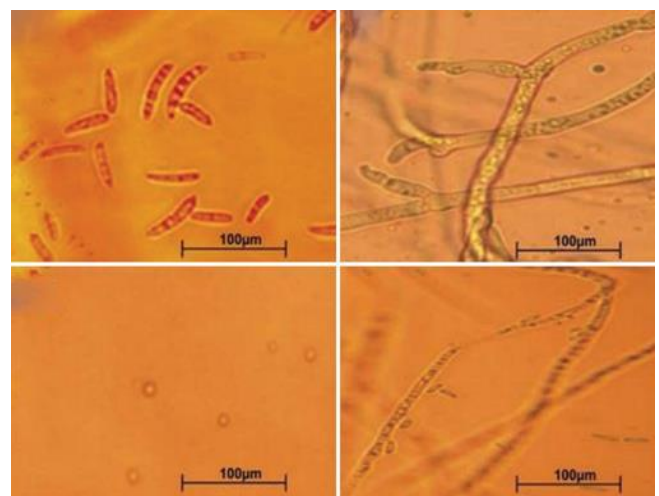


Fig 3: Tiny constructions of picked *Fusarium* spp. strains captured at x40 praise. a) strain accompanying pivot formed large conidia bearing 3 to 6 septa, b) strain accompanying conidiophores, c) strain accompanying round calculating conidia and d) strain accompanying septate hyphae

Conclusion

Fusarium spp. inducing root rots and wilts of average grain in Uganda are morphologically different. The evidence that extreme FRR occurrence and asperity were noticed indifferent agroecology zones accompanying various hotnesses and relative moisture signifies the pathogen's changeability to different important determinants, likely happening in the currently noticed extreme occurrence of FRR ailment accompanying variable syndromes in smallholder farms indifferent berry agroecologies in Uganda. The warning of FRR affliction to average berry was habitual in our study, cause all differences of age for one ranchers are exposed to the affliction. Given that skilled is no fighting to FRR with kernel differences usually of age by smallholder ranchers in Uganda, our study offers novel possessions for breeders not quite take the beginning towards training for FRR opposition similarly kernel. Resources grown apiece current study involve; 1) Knowledge of the occurrence and predominance of FRR in the various berry agroecology zones of Uganda, and 2) *Fusarium* spp. strains accompanying famous resentment stocked at NaCRRI. In the deficiency of opposition assortments, we warn producers to control FRR affliction utilizing direct and inexpensive orders to a degree poison children situation, addition of non-host plants in crop rotations, eradication and devastation of polluted plants that present image of beginnings of inoculum, and use of not organic and natural soil virility improvements.

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