

Green Synthesis of Silver Nanoparticle from Different Plants– A Review

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ABSTRACT

Nanotechnology is advance impetus due to its capacity to transform metals into nano particles. Among the metal nano particles, silver nano particles play a vital role in antimicrobial activity, a very important application known from ancient times. A systemic characterization of synthesized silver nano particles was performed using UV, SEM, TEM, XRD and EDX. In this communication, we report a review on the green method for synthesis of nano particles.

Key words: Nanotechnology, Nanoparticle, Metal nanoparticle, Green chemistry, silver nanoparticle, antimicrobial activity.

INTRODUCTION

Nanotechnology is rapidly growing field throughout the world and expected to grow due to wide a number of applications being conducted. Nanotechnology and nano biotechnology are the two emerging field to improve the product being manufacture and marketed¹. Nanotechnology is defined as manipulation of matter on atomic and molecular scales. Nanotechnology is classified into two forms, Wet and Dry nanotechnology. Wet nanotechnology deals with living biosynthesis Dry nanotechnology deals with man-made objects². Nano biotechnology is a field that has emerged as an interaction between the two advanced areas such as biotechnology and nanotechnology for developing new bio synthetic devices and eco friendly technology for the synthesis of nano materials in nano scale³. Nano particle are the fundamental building blocks of nanotechnology. Particles with size up to 100nm are usually referred as

nano particles. Nano particles have greater applications. The greater attention towards the nano particles is that it is not only due to various application and also by its way of synthesis in different field⁴. Nanoparticles synthesis can be achieved through various approaches including solution reduction, chemical, photochemical, reverse micelles thermal decomposition, radiation assisted, electrochemical, microwave assisted method and recently via biological routes⁵⁻⁹. Historically the most effectively studied nanoparticles are mostly derived from noble metals in particular gold, platinum, copper, zinc, titanium, selenium, magnesium, silver and alginate¹⁰. Metal nano particle have tremendous application in the field of medicine, defense, drug synthesis, catalysis, diagnostics, electronics, biological probes, chemical and bio chemical sensing optics. To date among the above metal nanoparticles, silver nano particle plays an important role in nanotechnology¹¹.

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Silver nanoparticle, a noble metal nano particle focus it to have a wide ranging application in area of catalysis, antimicrobial, chemical sensing, photochemistry, optoelectronics, electrical conducting and bio material production¹². Silver nanoparticles can be synthesized by using various approaches including chemical, physical and biological method. In recent time biosynthetic method has received more attention than chemical and physical methods. Among this bio material used biological synthesis includes usage of plant (or) microbes (bacteria, fungi, algae). Synthesis of nanoparticles using plant mediated synthesis as more importance than using microbes due to adverse microbial culture maintenance, time

consume and cost effective. For synthesis of nanoparticle, plant extracts utilization as gained tremendous influence in large scale bio synthesis of nanotechnology. The green chemistry synthesis has exhibited a clean, non toxic, non hazardous, cost effective, environmental friendly and therapeutics of extensive use to humans since chemical methods are extremely expensive and consumed toxic chemical which may inform potent environmental and biological risk factors¹³. There are so many reports related to the synthesis of bioactive silver nano particles using several plants extract has been already documented in various approaches is given in the following table.

Table 1:

S.No	Name of the medicinal Species	Part's	Extract	N.P	Particle size (nm)	Particle shape	Methods	Name of the Microorganism	Zone diameter (mm)
1.	<i>Acacia nilotia</i> ¹⁴	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	30-150	-	Well diffusion	<i>Pseudomonas</i>	26
								<i>Escherichia coli</i>	20
								<i>Bacillus sp</i>	23
								<i>Proteus sp</i>	13
2.	<i>Annona reticulata</i> ¹⁵	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	20-30	Spherica l	Agar well diffusion	<i>Escherichia coli</i>	22
								<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	20
3.	<i>Arbutus unedo</i> ¹⁶	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	9-15	Spherica l	Well diffusion	<i>Escherichia coli</i>	7
								<i>Pseudomonas putida</i>	5
								<i>Klebsiella pneumoniae</i>	5
								<i>Bacillus subtilis</i>	3
								<i>Staphylococcus Aureus</i>	8
4.	<i>Argyria nervosa</i> ¹⁷	Seed	Aqueous	Ag	20-50	Spherica l	Agar Well diffusion	<i>Escherichia coli</i>	16
								<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	14
								<i>Bacillus subtilis</i>	17
								<i>Pichla pastoris</i>	12
								<i>Aspergillus niger</i>	17
5.	<i>Arnebia nobilis</i> ¹⁸	Root	Aqueous	Ag	40-70	Spherica l	Well diffusion	<i>Echcherichia coli</i>	16 to 20
								<i>Staphlococcus aureus</i>	15 to 19
6.	<i>Artocarpus heterophyllu s Lam</i> ¹⁹	Seed	Powder	Ag	3-25 to10.78	Irregular	Agar diffusion	<i>Basillus cereus</i>	9
								<i>Bacillus subtilis</i>	12
								<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	15
								<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	6
7.	<i>Banana</i> ²⁰	Peel	Aqueous	Ag	23.7	Spherica l	Well diffusion	<i>Bacillus subtilis</i>	29
								<i>Staphylococcus arueus</i>	36
								<i>Pseudomons aeruginosa(ATC C)</i>	40
								<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	38
								<i>Escherichia coli</i>	39

8.	<i>Ceratoniasiliqua</i> ²¹	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	5-40	Spherical	Disc diffusion	<i>Escherichia coli</i>	8to12
9.	<i>Citrus sinensis</i> ²²	Peel	Aqueous	Ag	80	Square and rectangle	Disc diffusion	<i>Staphyillus epidermidis</i>	12
								<i>Bacillus cereus</i>	10
								<i>F.acuminatum</i>	6
10.	<i>Coriander sativum</i> ²³	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	8	Spherical	-	<i>Sta phylococcus aureus</i>	28
								<i>Klbesiella pneumonia</i>	17
								<i>Escherichia coli</i>	21
								<i>Pseudomona aeruginosa</i>	27
11.	<i>Crataegus douglasi</i> ²⁴	Fruit	Aqueous	Ag	29.28	Spherical	Disc diffusion	<i>Escherichia coli</i>	9.0
								<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	13.0
12.	<i>Eucalyptus chapmaniana</i> ²⁵	Leaves	Aqueous	Ag	-	Crystal in nature	Well diffusion	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	27
								<i>Staphylococcus pneumonia</i>	25
								<i>Klebsiella pneumonia</i>	23
								<i>Escherichia coli</i>	23
								<i>P.vulgaris</i>	23
								<i>Candida albicans</i>	25
13.	<i>Manikara zapota</i> ²⁶	Seed	Aqueous	Ag	5-35	Circular	Agar diffusion	<i>Candida albicans</i>	24
								<i>Candida tropicalis</i>	15
								<i>Candida krusei</i>	14
								<i>Candida gulliemondi</i>	17
								<i>Candida lusitaniae</i>	13
14.	<i>Mimusops elengi</i> ²⁷	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	55-83	Spherical	Kirby Bauer Disc diffusion	<i>Klbesiella Pneumonia</i>	8to18
								<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	6.75 to 8
								<i>Micrococcus lutes</i>	7 to 11
15.	<i>Morianda citrifolia</i> ²⁸	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	22-193.5	Spherical	Agar well diffusion	<i>Candida tropicalis</i>	28.0-57
								<i>Candida albicans</i>	24.0-1.52
16.	<i>Ocimum sanctum</i> ²⁹	Leaves	Aqueous	Ag	18	Spherical	Kirby Bauer Disc diffusion	<i>Escherichia coli</i>	11
								<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	10
17.	<i>Paratheniium hystrophorus</i> ³⁰	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	30-80	Irregular	Disc diffusion	<i>Salmonella sp</i>	0.4 to1.2
								<i>Staphylococcus sp</i>	0.3 to 0.8
								<i>Pseudomonas sp</i>	0.2 to 0.7
								<i>Escherichia sp</i>	0.1 to0.5
								<i>Penicillium sp</i>	0.1 to 0.3
18.	<i>Piper longum</i> ³¹	Fruit	Aqueous	Ag	46	Spherical	Disc diffusion	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	1.0 to 1.4
								<i>Bacillus aureus</i>	0.8 to 1.3
								<i>Pseudomonas</i>	0 to 1.8
								<i>Bacillus subtilis</i>	0 to 2.0
19.	<i>Phyllanthus amarus</i> ³²	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	29.78	Spherical	Agar well diffusion	<i>P.aeruginosa</i>	10 to 21
20.	<i>Sesbania grandiflora</i> ³	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	10-25	Spherical	Disc diffusion	<i>Salmonella enteric</i>	15.67 to 0.9
								<i>Staphylococcus</i>	10.54 to 0.23

21.	<i>Tribullus terrestris</i> ³⁴	Fruit	Aqueous	Ag	16-28	Spherical	Kirby Bauer	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	9.75	
								<i>Bacillus subtilis</i>	9.25	
								<i>Escherichia coli</i>	10.75	
								<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	9.25	
								<i>Staphylococcus pygens</i>	10	
22.	<i>Trianthema decandra L</i> ³⁵	Isolated saponin	Aqueous	Au and Ag	Au=37.7-79.9 Ag=17.9-59.6	Au-Spherical, Cubical, hexagonal Ag-Spherical	Kirby Bauer	<i>Enterococcus faecalis</i>	Au	Ag
								<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	8.2 to 11.5	7.8 to 20.3
								<i>Staphylococcus faecalis</i>		
								<i>Bacillus subtilis</i>		
23.	<i>Xanthan</i> ³⁶	Gum	-	Ag	5-40	Spherical	Disc diffusion	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	12.3 to 12.6	
								<i>Escherichia coli</i>	9.7 to 10.7	
24.	<i>Ficus microcarpa</i> ³⁷	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	100	-	Disc diffusion	<i>Bacillus cereus</i>	10	
								<i>Escherichia coli</i>	12	
								<i>Klbesiella pneumoniae</i>	12	
25.	<i>Lantana camara</i> ³⁸	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	-	Spherical	Well diffusion	<i>Bacillus subtilis</i>	11 to 20	
								<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	10 to 18	
								<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	12 to 17	
								<i>Escherichia coli</i>	14 to 17	
26.	<i>Cochlospermum Religiosum</i> ³⁹	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	40-100	Spherical	Disc diffusion	<i>Klebsiella Pseudomonas</i>	11	
								<i>Basillus</i>	12	
								<i>Staphylococcus</i>	15	
								<i>Escherichia coli</i>	20	
27.	<i>Euphobia hirta</i> ⁴⁰	Leaf	Aqueous	Ag	6-71	Spherical	Well diffusion	<i>Escherichia coli</i>	88	
								<i>Pseudomonas Aeruginosa</i>	86	
								<i>Klbesiella pnumonia</i>	94	

CONCLUSION

Thus, in the present review, the synthesis of silver nanoparticle is possible due to reduction of ion by compounds present in the plant extract. The synthesized silver nano particle using “green chemistry” are safe, effective, environmental friendly and biomedical importance. The ancient system of medicine has reported that silver based nanomedicine plays an important role. Silver nanoparticles have a lot of therapeutic and social values due to its antimicrobial properties since microorganisms are the major source of diseases.

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