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Break of dormancy and evaluation of the germination rate of the cerrado medicinal species: *Eriosema pycnanthum*

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Eriosema (DC) Desv. is a genre present in Africa and America. 30 species in Brazil 19 of which are Cerrado species such as *E. pycnanthum*. This species is a subcultural leguminous found in soils of the Iron Quadrangle of Minas Gerais and in the region of Itapeceira, where it is as natural cicatrizant. Although it is used in traditional medicine, there are no studies aimed the germinative effectiveness *in vitro* of this species. The seeds obtained in the field were disinfested with hydroalcoholic solution (70%-1') followed by hypochlorite (1%-15') and then treated in KNO³ (2%). The variables of number of groups, time in KNO³, time at storage were defined by analysis of variables by statistical software SISVAR (Ferreira, 2011). As seeds were inoculated with or without the integument in tubes with MS medium supplemented with 30 g/L of sucrose and solidified with 6 g/L of agar at pH 5.7±0.1. It was evaluated if light (40 µmol, 45 days I in a 16-hour photoperiod affect the germination. Tetrazolium Bromide (1%) was used as a marker of the electron transport chain. Seeds with tegument for 24 hours.

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