

We have investigated the seed oils of several species of the family Solanaceae growing in various regions of Azerbaidzhan [1, 2]. Plants of this family give a large number of oil-rich seeds which can be used for technical and food purposes.

To isolate the oils, the freshly collected seeds were dried, ground with a hand mill, and extracted with petroleum ether (40-60°C), and the solvent was distilled off. The physico-chemical indices of the oils were determined by the methods usually adopted [3]. The results obtained are given in Table 1 (see page 679).

Judging from the iodine and thiocyanogen Nos., the oils studied belong to the linolenic group. The investigation of the oils is continued.

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TABLE 1

Plants, growth site, and date of collection	Amount of oil, % on the weight of the air-dry raw material	Density, g/cm ³	Refraction index	Acid No., mg of KOH/g	Saponification No., mg of KOH/g	Iodine No., % of I ₂	Thioacyanogen No., % of I ₂	Phospholipid content, %	Unsaponifiables, %	Neutralization No. of the fatty acids, mg of KOH/g
<i>Solanum kiteseritzkii</i> C. A. Mey., 800 m above sea level, Lenkoranskii region, October 5, 1971	17.81	0.9217	1.4518	1.32	186.3	117.2	91.3	0.11	1.48	205.5
<i>S. dulcamara</i> L., Baku, Botanical Gardens, September 10, 1971	18.36	0.9228	1.4628	1.38	191.1	118.6	95.1	0.12	1.52	207.1
<i>S. persicum</i> W., Baku, Botanical Gardens, September 10, 1971	21.27	0.9282	1.4558	1.28	188.8	115.3	92.9	0.13	1.21	202
<i>S. pseudopersicum</i> Pojark., Baku Botanical Gardens, September 10, 1971	20.81	0.9261	1.4567	1.31	188.2	117.1	93.1	0.15	1.36	206.2
<i>S. nigrum</i> L., Baku, Botanical Gardens, September 10, 1971	16.71	0.9228	1.4463	1.73	188.3	112.8	91.3	0.11	1.11	201.3
<i>S. transcasicum</i> Pojark., Lenkoranskii region, October 5, 1970	16.91	0.9211	1.4211	1.67	186.6	106.2	92.2	0.11	1.29	201.6
<i>S. luteum</i> Mill., Baku, Botanical Gardens, September 10, 1971	15.62	0.9272	1.4252	1.29	181.2	109.8	91.8	0.12	1.11	201.3
<i>S. rostratum</i> Dunn, Environs of Stepanakert, September 18, 1971	11.85	0.9412	1.4483	1.92	191.1	118.3	96.8	0.10	1.21	202.7
<i>S. sisymbriifolium</i> Lam., Environs of Astara, October 5, 1971	15.11	0.9146	1.4511	1.87	189.4	118.7	95.4	0.11	1.19	202.3
<i>Physalis alkekengi</i> L., Environs of Zakataly, August 25, 1975	11.86	0.9261	1.4681	9.2	189.8	116.3	96.3	0.16	1.49	204.1
<i>Ph. ixocarpa</i> B. et al. et Hornech., Environs of Zakataly, August 25, 1975	16.71	0.9256	1.4714	10.1	192.8	118.9	95.8	0.14	1.56	206.3
<i>Atropa caucasica</i> Kreyer., Lenkoran', near "30 km," October 5, 1971	19.25	0.9423	1.4694	9.7	198.4	121.4	92.2	0.12	1.48	201.8
<i>Lycium barbarum</i> L., Baky, Baku, Botanical Gardens, October 16, 1974	17.21	0.9244	1.4743	1.28	191.2	119.2	76.31	0.10	1.53	200.0
<i>L. turcomanicum</i> Turcz. ex Baku, Botanical Gardens, October 16, 1974	19.28	0.9238	1.4687	1.17	190.3	118.4	71.68	0.17	1.61	201.5
<i>Hyoxyarnus niger</i> L., Fizuli, village of Garakollu, September 14, 1969	25.8	0.9312	1.4673	12.1	188.6	139.5	88.1	0.15	1.92	201.6
<i>H. reticulatus</i> L., Fizuli, village of Garakollu, September 14, 1969	27.11	0.9271	1.4478	11.2	189.7	138.3	89.3	0.11	1.90	201.1
<i>Datura stramonium</i> L., Baku, Botanical Gardens, October 12, 1971	27.71	0.9218	1.5612	6.3	185.4	128.5	79.5	0.18	1.32	202.8
<i>D. tatula</i> L., Baku, Botanical Gardens, October 12, 1971	29.13	0.9228	1.5528	6.8	186.2	127.4	81.5	0.20	1.26	202.5