

# Genotyping of Corona virus infections in Baghdad city

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## Abstract

**Background:** The discovery of genotypes linked to geographic and temporal infectious clusters suggests that genotyping analysis can be used to track and monitor the transmission of corona virus. **Objective:** To explore the clinical value of causative agent for corona virus infection (CoVI) by using different genes (SARS-HCoV2 ORF1ab JINZA1 and JINZA2 gene and HCoV NL63, HCoV OC43 and HCoV 229E in the diagnosis of causative agent for corona virus disease and severity of infection to know speed transmission this pandemic and control of disease. **Patients and methods:** Different types from human samples included nasal swabs, throat swabs and blood samples(plasma) from patients with CoVI and pneumonia. To diagnosis SARS-HCoV2 ORF1ab JINZA1 and JINZA2 gene, and HCoV NL63 gene, HCoV OC43 gene and HCoV 229E gene. The positive ratio of SARS-HCoV2 ORF1ab gene in the diagnosis of COVID-19 pneumonia confirmed by conventional PCR then gene sequencing by sanger method by using PCR product were sent for Sanger sequencing using ABI3730XL, automated DNA sequences, by MacroGen Corporation Korea. The results were received by email then analyzed using geneious software. **Results:** Assay for CoV the results shown  $P = 0.001$  Highly sign. ( $P < 0.01$ ) within NL63 gene from nasal and throat swab positive  $n = 2$  (10.53%) while negative  $n = 17$  (89.47 %) and  $P = 0.00$  Highly sign. ( $P < 0.01$ ) within CT for NL63 gene positive  $n = 2$  (4 %) while negative  $n = 48$  (96 %). In addition to CoV result by PCR were  $P = 0.033$  Sign. ( $P < 0.05$ ), positive  $n = 17$  (34%) and negative  $n = 33$  (66 %) from total  $n = 50$ , and  $P = 0.019$  Sign. ( $P < 0.05$ ) within SARSHCOV2 ORF1ab gene from nasal swab by PCR positive  $n = 4$  (21.05%), negative  $n = 15$  (78.95%) from total  $n = 19$  and  $P = 0.648$  Non sign. ( $P > 0.05$ ) 229E gene from nasal and throat swab positive  $n = 11$  (57.9%), negative  $n = 8$  (42.1%) from total  $n = 19$  (100%). While undetectable from OC43HCOV gene by real time PCR and by conventional PCR that indicated all results were negative for blood samples and from nasal and throat swab: **Conclusion:** Genotyping very important to know type of gene caused corona virus infection by using PCR real time PCR and conventional PCR indicated the study on the present other types of corona virus were HCOV 229E and NL63 HCOV and PCR product confirmed by Sanger sequencing using ABI3730XL, automated DNA sequences, the results concluded discovery two new isolates called SARSHCOV2ORF1ab JINZA1 gene and SARSHCOV2ORF1ab JINZA2 gene in Baghdad/Iraq patients and submitted in National Center for Biotechnology Information. SARSHCOV2ORF1ab JINZA1 OK486620 gene and JINZA2 OK586822 gene. The names of both genes according to name of PhD student Jnan Jafar Baksh, Supervisal Prof. Dr. Nazar Shiyaa Mohammed and Assist prof. Dr. Ahmed Saadi Hassan. BLAST results indicated because transmission by travel between Iraq and USA. Both of two patient's loss of their life due to severity of infection for JINZA1 and JINZA2 and were critical class for this pandemic. **Recommendation:** 1) Chosen specific primers for specific gene to avoid coinfection with other viruses and using confirmed tests include real time PCR or conventional PCR and gene sequencing for genotyping for corona virus to know speed viral transmission and control of disease: 2) Nasal swab and throat swab for detection from corona virus mostly greatest than blood samples because viral load higher and development molecular techniques and instruments for detection from virus when very low viral load.

**Keywords:** Baghdad city; Corona virus infections, Genotyping.

## 1. Introduction

Coronaviruses contain a positive sense, single stranded RNA genome, the genome size for coronaviruses ranges from 26 to 32 kilobases. The genome size is one of the largest among RNA viruses. The genome has a 5' methylated cap and a 3' polyadenylated tail (Fehr and Perlman, 2015). Fehr and Perlman in 2015 revealed the genome organization for a coronavirus is 5'-leader-UTR-replicase (ORF1ab)-spike (S)-envelope (E)-membrane

(M)-nucleocapsid (N)-3'UTR-poly (A) tail. The open reading frames 1a and 1b, which occupy the first two-thirds of the genome, encode the replicase polyprotein (pp1ab), also the replicase polyprotein self cleaves to form 16 nonstructural proteins (nsp1–nsp16). The later reading frames encode the four major structural proteins: spike, envelope, membrane, and nucleocapsid, spread between these reading frames are the reading frames for the accessory proteins, the number of accessory proteins and their function is unique depending on the specific coronavirus (Fehr and Perlman, 2015).

229E and OC43 continued to be studied in subsequent decades (Geller et al., 2012 ; Myint,1995).

The coronavirus strain B814 was lost, it is not known which present human coronavirus it was (Corman et al., 2014). Other human coronaviruses have since been identified, including SARS-HCoV in 2003, NL63- HCoV in 2003, HKU1- HCoV in 2004, MERS-HCoV in 2013, and SARS-HCoV-2 in 2019 ( Zhu et al., 2020).

Genotyping of CoV, this pandemic has caused a substantial health emergency and economic stress in the world. Therefore, understanding the nature of this virus and deriving methods to monitor the spread of virus in the pandemic are critical in disease control, there were several molecular facets of the CoV pertinent to this pandemic. The discovery of genotypes linked to geographic and temporal

infectious clusters suggests that genome sequence signatures can be used to track and monitor the transmission of CoV (Changchuan Yin, 2020).

## 2. Method

This study involved two groups, patient and control groups for isolation of corona virus from total of 732 samples, according to pneumonia and clinical signs and symptoms of CoVI) in symptomatic and asymptomatic patients. The isolates were characterized by confirmed tests molecular identification (real time PCR and conventional PCR) by used primers as in table 3.1 (Hamid et al., 2020) and gene sequencing by sanger method, sequencing using ABI3730XL, automated DNA sequences.

### 2.1 Kits

| Kits   | Company/ Origin   |
|--|---|
| Maxwell® 16 Viral Total Nucleic Acid Purification Kit, GoTaq® 1-Step RT-qPCR System, MgCL2, Nuclease Free Water. | Promega, USA (Xiang et al., 2015; Bharti et al., 2016); (Hamid et al., 2020). |
| Primers  | Macrogen, Korea   |

### 2.2 Primer.

Table 2.2 Primers used in this study for real time PCR and conventional PCR then confirmed by gene sequencing by sanger method (Hammit et al., 2011).

| Gene name             | Froward primer (5' - 3')      | Reverse primer (5' - 3')       |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| SARS HCoV ORF1ab gene | CTAGGACCTCTTTCTGCTCA          | ACACTCTCCTAGCACCATCA           |
| HCoV 229E gene        | CAGTCAAATGGGCTGATGCA          | AAAGGGCTATAAAGAGAATAAGGTATTCT  |
| HCoV OC43 gene        | CGATGAGGCTATTCCGACTAGGT       | CCTTCCTGAGCCTTCAATATAGTAACC    |
| HCoV NL63 gene        | ACGTACTTCTATTATGAAGCATGATATTA | AGCAGATCTAATGTTATACTTAAAACTACG |

### 2.3 Real time PCR for HCoV (229E, OC43 and NL63) genes detection.

| Primer Name | Vol. of nuclease free water (µl) | Concentration (pmol/µl) |
|-------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| HCoV 229E-F | 300                              | 100                     |
| HCoV 229E-R | 300                              | 100                     |
| HCoV OC43-F | 300                              | 100                     |
| HCoV OC43-R | 300                              | 100                     |
| HCoV NL63-F | 300                              | 100                     |
| HCoV NL63-R | 300                              | 100                     |

| No. of Reaction      | rxn | Annealing temperature of primers | 55                |
|----------------------|-----|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Reaction Volume /run | 10  | µl                               | No. of primers    |
|                      |     | %                                | No. of PCR Cycles |
|                      |     |                                  | 3                 |
|                      |     |                                  | 40                |

| Master mix components  | Stock   | Unit  | Final | Unit  | Volume |
|------------------------|---|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| qPCR Master Mix        | 2   | X     | 1     | X     | 5      |
| RT mix                 | 50  | x     | 1     | x     | 0.25   |
| MgCl2                  |   |       |       |       | 0.25   |
| Forward primer         | 10  | µM    | 1     | µM    | 0.5    |
| Reverse primer         | 10  | µM    | 1     | µM    | 0.5    |
| Nuclease Free Water    |   |       |       |       |        |
| RNA                    |   | ng/µl |       | ng/µl | 3.5    |
| Total volume           |   |       |       |       | 10     |
| Aliquot per single rxn | 6.5µl of Master mix per tube and add 3.5 µl of Template |       |       |       |        |

| Steps                | °C | m: s                     | Cycle |
|----------------------|----|--------------------------|-------|
| Initial Denaturation | 95 | 05:00                    | 40    |
| Denaturation         | 95 | 00:20                    |       |
| Annealing            | 55 | 00:20 acquiring on Green |       |
| Extension            | 72 | 00:20                    |       |

These primers were supplied by MacroGen Company in a lyophilized form, lyophilized primers were dissolved in a nuclease free water to give a final concentration of 100pmol/μl as a stock solution. Working solution of these primers was prepared by adding 10μl of primer stock solution (stored at freezer -20 C) to 90μl of nuclease free water to obtain a working primer solution of 10pmol/μl as in table 2.3

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To examine the optimum annealing temperature of primer, the DNA template was amplified with the same primer pair, (Forward) (Reverse), at annealing

temperatures of 55, 58, 60, 63 and 65°C. PCR amplifications were performed with 20μl volumes containing 10μl GoTaq Green Master Mix (2X); 1μl for each primer (10pmol); 0.5μl RT Mix; 0.5μl MgCl<sub>2</sub>; 4μl nuclease free water and 3μl of template DNA.

PCR cycling was performed with PCR Express (Thermal Cycler, Thermo Fisher Scientific, USA) with the following temperature program: Hold at 37°C for 15 min; denatured at 94°C for 4 min followed by 40 cycles of denaturation at 94°C for 30 sec; annealing at 55, 58, 60, 63 or 65°C for 30 sec; and extension at 72°C for 30 sec. A final extension incubation of 7 min at 72°C was included, followed by a 10 min incubation at 4°C to stop the reactions (Hamid et al., 2020; Clinical Laboratory Standards Institute 2007).

## 2.4 Conventional PCR

**Table 2.7 Primer preparation**

| Primer Name             | Vol. of nuclease free water (μl) | Concentration (pmol/μl) |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| SARSHCOV2ORF1ab gene F  | 300                              | 100                     |
| SARSHCOV2 ORF1ab gene R | 300                              | 100                     |

**Table 2.8 Reaction Setup and Thermal Cycling Protocol PCR Component Calculation**

| No. of Reaction      | rxn | Annealing temperature of primers | 58  |
|----------------------|-----|----------------------------------|-----|
| Reaction Volume /run | 25  | μl                               | 588 |
|                      |     | %                                | 40  |
|                      |     | No. of PCR Cycles                |     |

**Table 2.5 Master mix components**

| Master mix components  | Stock   | Unit  | Final | Unit  | Volume   |
|------------------------|---|-------|-------|-------|----------|
|                        |   |       |       |       | 1 Sample |
| qPCR Master Mix        | 2   | X     | 1     | X     | 12.5     |
| RT mix                 | 50  | x     | 1     | x     | 0.5      |
| MgCl <sub>2</sub>      |   |       |       |       | 0.5      |
| Forward primer         | 10  | μM    | 1     | μM    | 1        |
| Reverse primer         | 10  | μM    | 1     | μM    | 1        |
| Nuclease Free Water    |   |       |       |       | 6.5      |
| RNA                    |   | ng/μl |       | ng/μl | 3        |
| Total volume           |   |       |       |       | 25       |
| Aliquot per single rxn | 22μl of Master mix per tube and add 3μl of Template |       |       |       |          |

**Table 2.9 Conventional PCR Program**

| Steps                | °C | m: s  | Cycle |
|----------------------|----|-------|-------|
| Initial Denaturation | 95 | 05:00 | 1     |
| Denaturation         | 95 | 00:30 | 30    |
| Annealing            | 58 | 00:30 |       |
| Extension            | 72 | 00:30 |       |
| Final extension      | 72 | 07:00 | 1     |
| Hold                 | 10 | 10:00 |       |

For conventional PCR must agarose gel electrophoresis, preparation of solutions, preparation of agarose, casting of the horizontal agarose gel and DNA loading.

## 2.5 Standard Sequencing

PCR products were sent for Sanger sequencing using ABI3730XL, automated DNA sequences, by MacroGen Corporation – Korea.

The results were received by email then analyzed using geneious software (Hamid et al., 2020).

## 2.6 Statistical analysis

Statistical analysis of the presented study was

performed using SPSS statistical package for social sciences (version 21.0 for windows, SPSS).

Data are presented as mean ± SD for quantitative variables, and number and percentage for qualitative variables.

Relations were studied using Chi-square test and Student's t-test was used to test differences between groups. P-value < 0.05 was measured to show statistical significance.

## 3. Results

**Table 3.1 Types of samples for all participants in the study from symptomatic and asymptomatic patients for CoVI.**

| Number | Type of sample |
|--------|----------------|
| 713    | Blood sample   |
| 12     | Nasal swab     |
| 7      | Throat swab    |
| 732    | Total          |

| Table 3.2 Courses of pneumonia in symptomatic and asymptomatic patients |  |     |     |                                |
|---|--|-----|-----|--------------------------------|
| Courses of pneumonia in CoVI patient                                    |  | N   | %   | P = 0.00 Highly sign. (P<0.01) |
| Mild pneumonia in mild CoVI patient                                     |  | 57  | 57  |                                |
| Sever pneumonia in sever CoVI patient                                   |  | 36  | 36  |                                |
| Very sever pneumonia in critical CoVI patient                           |  | 7   | 7   |                                |
| Total   |  | 100 | 100 |                                |

| Table 3.3 Demographics age groups and gender |         |   |                 |                |                              |
|--|---------|---|-----------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| Demographics                                 |         |   | Studied groups  |                | P – value                    |
|  |         |   | Control N = 100 | Patient N= 100 |                              |
| Age Groups / Year                            | < 20    | N | 4               | 6              | P = 0.691 Non sign. (P>0.05) |
|  |         | % | 4%              | 6%             |                              |
|  | 20 – 40 | N | 50              | 48             |                              |
|  |         | % | 50%             | 48%            |                              |
|  | 41 – 60 | N | 38              | 34             |                              |
|  |         | % | 38%             | 34%            |                              |
|  | 61 – 80 | N | 8               | 12             |                              |
|  |         | % | 8%              | 12%            |                              |
| Gender                                       | Male    | N | 43              | 42             | P = 0.886 Non sign. (P>0.05) |
|  |         | % | 43%             | 42%            |                              |
|  | Female  | N | 57              | 58             |                              |
|  |         | % | 57%             | 58%            |                              |

| Table 3.4 Assay for genotyping            |          |    |       |                                 |
|---|----------|----|-------|---------------------------------|
| Corona virus result by PCR                | Positive | 17 | 34    | P = 0.033 Sign. (P<0.05)        |
|   | Negative | 33 | 66    |                                 |
|   | Total    | 50 | 100   |                                 |
| SARSCO2ORF1ab gene from nasal swab by PCR | Positive | 4  | 21.05 | P = 0.019 Sign. (P<0.05)        |
|   | Negative | 15 | 78.95 |                                 |
|   | Total    | 19 | 100   |                                 |
| NL63 gene from nasal and throat swab      | Positive | 2  | 10.53 | P = 0.001 Highly sign. (P<0.01) |
|   | Negative | 17 | 89.47 |                                 |
|   | Total    | 19 | 100   |                                 |
| CT for NL63 gene                          | Positive | 2  | 4     | P = 0.00 Highly sign. (P<0.01)  |
|   | Negative | 48 | 96    |                                 |
|   | Total    | 50 | 100   |                                 |
| 229E gene from nasal and throat swab      | Positive | 11 | 57.9  | P = 0.648 Non sign. (P>0.05)    |
|   | Negative | 8  | 42.1  |                                 |
|   | Total    | 19 | 100   |                                 |

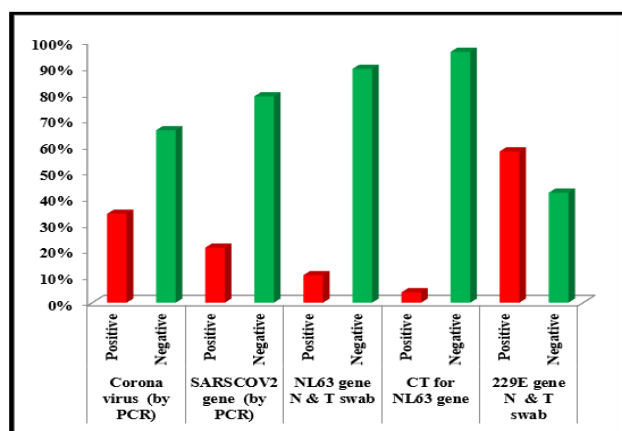


Figure 3.1 Assay for genotyping

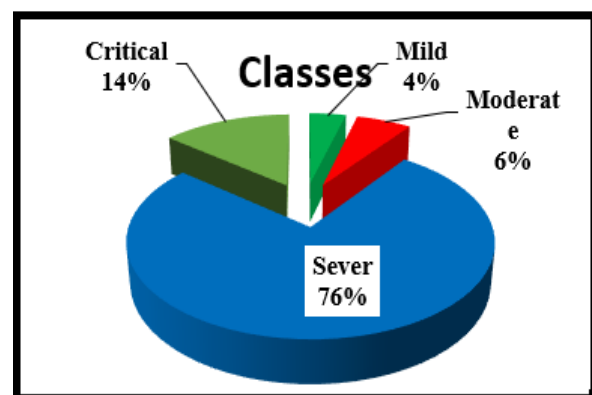


Figure 3.2 Classes for severity of CoVI depending on symptoms.

| Table 3.5 Classes for severity of CoVI depending on symptoms. |    |     |                                |
|---|----|-----|--------------------------------|
| Classes   | N  | %   | Chi-Square Test (P-value)      |
| Mild asymptomatic   | 2  | 4   | P = 0.00 Highly sign. (P<0.01) |
| Sever asymptomatic  | 3  | 6   |                                |
| Mild symptomatic  | 38 | 76  |                                |
| Critical symptomatic  | 7  | 14  |                                |
| Total   | 50 | 100 |                                |

| Table 3.6 Genotype for CoVI |    |     |                                |
|-----------------------------|----|-----|--------------------------------|
| Genotype                    | N  | %   | Chi-Square Test (P-value)      |
| Positive (SARSCO2)          | 4  | 8   | P = 0.00 Highly sign. (P<0.01) |
| Positive (NL63)             | 2  | 4   |                                |
| Positive (229E)             | 11 | 22  |                                |
| Negative                    | 33 | 66  |                                |
| Total                       | 50 | 100 |                                |

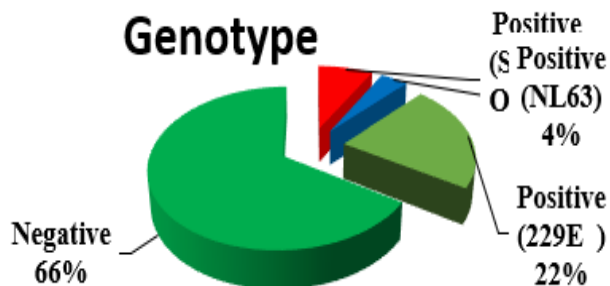


Figure 3.3 Genotype for CoV1

|       |    |     |
|-------|----|-----|
| Total | 50 | 100 |
|-------|----|-----|

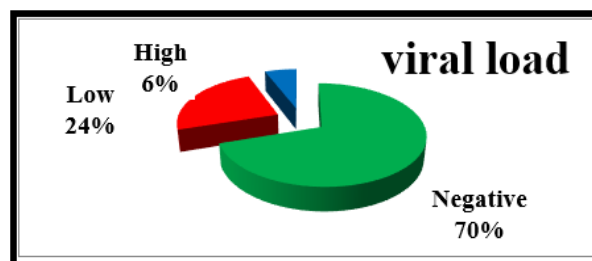


Figure 3.5 Viral load or specimen's concentration

| CT or Cq for genotype | N  | %   | Chi-Square Test (P-value)      |
|-----------------------|----|-----|--------------------------------|
| Negative              | 35 | 70  | P = 0.00 Highly sign. (P<0.01) |
| Low                   | 12 | 24  |                                |
| High                  | 3  | 6   |                                |
| Total                 | 50 | 100 |                                |

### CT or Cq for genotype



Figure 3.4 CT or Cq for genotype

| viral load or specimen's concentration | N  | %  | Chi-Square Test (P-value)      |
|--|----|----|--------------------------------|
| Negative                               | 35 | 70 | P = 0.00 Highly sign. (P<0.01) |
| Low                                    | 12 | 24 |                                |
| High                                   | 3  | 6  |                                |

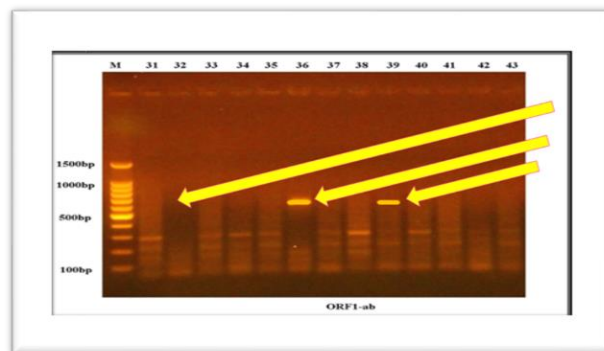


Figure 3.6 PCR Result

Results of the amplification of SARSHCOV2ORF1ab gene of virus samples were fractionated on 1.5% agarose gel electrophoresis stained with Eth.Br. M: 1000bp ladder marker. Lanes 31-43 resemble 588bp PCR products. The band present in sample 36 and control in 31 well

## 4. Data Analysis

### BLAST results

Sample 36

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| Accession   | Score | Score | Cover | value  | Ident   |
|---|-------|-------|-------|--------|---------|
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_ZYUJNHITC0116/FIP2021 | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_Z11CE7B0U040V09P0201  | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_Z76-MJ0H+P114637021   | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_Y8XJUR(PMCA)46MD021   | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_WF536S2C200C42021     | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_WG027QVHM0055E12021   | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_W48D4EHLUTR5ZJ021     | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_VRYTNSG074HT4V1021    | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_U83GJLFDG120APX021    | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_SVE3F4KJ4L43T4K021    | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_STECNLD0H4R3D0V021    | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_ZR2WFPDEHX07L7N021    | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_Z0B3AJ0VTH4FAQ2021    | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_BRTMNDN0X91S7Y1021    | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_QFL00DCH0W1TD0R021    | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_Q6C06H4FFZ00RA021     | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_P3XQZV0M1VVE021       | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_N00MPCVY246JLW1021    | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_N20000X0N3U1242021    | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_MM1VWJL1CH7Q4K021     | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_M3Y1T0YK0008K0V021    | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_M6LHMJ0UJ0P021        | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_MFRP27B0X02M2E021     | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_LSHF9C4HM72P1E021     | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_LGH4HTX0EE7Z0R021     | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_KF3S3JGR13VJ021       | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_IN0JUBLA0T6S021       | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/USAVT-CDCBL-CRSP_J0H15E38C8G98M021     | 634   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% |

Figure 3.7 Data Analysis BLAST results

## Data Analysis BLAST results Sample 39

### Sample 39

| Accession   | Score | Cover | Ident  | Protein |   |
|---|-------|-------|--------|---------|---|
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/ISAVT-COBI-CRSP_ZYPLNMHTC4H4UPP/2021 | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% | ORF1ab polyprotein (ORF1ab), ORF1a polyprotein (ORF1a), surface glycoprotein (S), ORF3a protein (ORF3a), envelope protein (E), membra |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/ISAVT-COBI-CRSP_3L1CETRCUHQ09P/2021  | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% | ORF1ab polyprotein (ORF1ab), ORF1a polyprotein (ORF1a), surface glycoprotein (S), ORF3a protein (ORF3a), envelope protein (E), membra |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/ISAVT-COBI-CRSP_ZH6JMDHY1P4463/2021  | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% | ORF1ab polyprotein (ORF1ab), ORF1a polyprotein (ORF1a), surface glycoprotein (S), ORF3a protein (ORF3a), envelope protein (E), membra |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/ISAVT-COBI-CRSP_Y8K6VPMCL44DM7/2021  | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% | ORF1ab polyprotein (ORF1ab), ORF1a polyprotein (ORF1a), surface glycoprotein (S), ORF3a protein (ORF3a), envelope protein (E), membra |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/ISAVT-COBI-CRSP_WF53RISGZCCKQ4/2021  | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% | ORF1ab polyprotein (ORF1ab), ORF1a polyprotein (ORF1a), surface glycoprotein (S), ORF3a protein (ORF3a), envelope protein (E), membra |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/ISAVT-COBI-CRSP_W0G2DWM7Q056L/2021   | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% | ORF1ab polyprotein (ORF1ab), ORF1a polyprotein (ORF1a), surface glycoprotein (S), ORF3a protein (ORF3a), envelope protein (E), membra |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/ISAVT-COBI-CRSP_W46DU4H1UTS27Q/2021  | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% | ORF1ab polyprotein (ORF1ab), ORF1a polyprotein (ORF1a), surface glycoprotein (S), ORF3a protein (ORF3a), envelope protein (E), membra |
| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/ISAVT-COBI-CRSP_VRYTNSDCT4HRT4V/2021 | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% | ORF1ab polyprotein (ORF1ab), ORF1a polyprotein (ORF1a), surface glycoprotein (S), ORF3a protein (ORF3a), envelope protein (E), membra |
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| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/ISAVT-COBI-CRSP_QELDQCH0BVTDBR/2021  | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% | ORF1ab polyprotein (ORF1ab), ORF1a polyprotein (ORF1a), surface glycoprotein (S), ORF3a protein (ORF3a), envelope protein (E), membra |
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| Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 isolate SARS-CoV-2/human/ISAVT-COBI-CRSP_MM1UNLRF3HETQW/2021  | 634   | 100%  | 2e-177 | 100.00% | ORF1ab polyprotein (ORF1ab), ORF1a polyprotein (ORF1a), surface glycoprotein (S), ORF3a protein (ORF3a), envelope protein (E), membra |
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Figure 3.8 Data Analysis BLAST results

## FASTA sequene Sample 36

### FASTA sequencing Sample 39

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| AAATGCCITTTTACCTTTTCTGATGGGTATT<br>GCTATGCTGCTTTTGAATGATGT       | TCTAGGGACCTCTTTCTGCTCAA<br>ACTGGAATTGCCGTTTATAGATAT<br>GTGTGCTTCATT |
| TTGTCAAACATAAGCATGCATTTCTCTGTTTGT<br>TTTGTACTTCTCTGCCACTGTA      | AAAAGAATTACTGCAAAATGGT<br>ATGAATGGACGTACCATTATGGG<br>TAGTGCCTTATT   |
| GCTATTTTAAATGGTCTATATGCGCTAGTT<br>GGGTGATGCGTATTATGACATGGT       | AGAAGATGAATTTACACCTTTTG<br>ATGTTGTTAGACAAATGCTCAGGT<br>GTTACTTTCCAA |
| TGGATATGGTGTACTAGTTTGTCTGTTTAA<br>GCTAAAAGACTGTGTTATGATGC        | AGTGCAGTGAAAAGAACAATCA<br>AGGGTACACCACTGGTTGTTA<br>CTCACAAATTTG     |
| ATCAGCTGTAGTGTACTAATCCTTATGACAGC<br>AAGAAGCTGTATGATGATGGTCT AGGA | ACTTCACTTTTAGTTTATAGTCCA<br>GAGTACTCAATGGCTTTGTCT<br>TTTTTTGTATGA   |

Figure 3.10 FASTA sequence Sample 39:

## 5. Discussion

Different types of samples for all participants in the study from symptomatic and asymptomatic patients for CoVI were blood sample (n = 713), nasal swab (n = 12), and throat swab (n = 7) from total samples (n = 732) as in Table 3.1. Patients were

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study from symptomatic and asymptomatic patients for CoVI were blood sample (n = 713), nasal swab (n = 12), and throat swab (n = 7) from total samples (n = 732) as in Table 3.1.

Fang et al., in (2020) represented the immune response to infection by pathogenic microorganisms is first expressed as an increase in the IgM antibody titer and then a rapid decrease until it disappears, while the IgG antibody titer normally increased in the middle and late stages of the infection, and it can be positive for a long time even after recovery. and agree with other study (Fang et al., 2020).

Demographics of the study revealed non-significant difference between age groups P = 0.691 Non sign. (P>0.05) and gender P = 0.886 Non sign. (P>0.05) for patient and control group as in table 3.3.

Demographics of Age groups / Year for control group < 20y (n = 4) (4%), (20 – 40) y (n = 50) (50%), (41 – 60) y (n = 38) (38%), and (61 – 80) y (n = 8) (8%). Demographics of Age groups / Year for patient group < 20y (n = 6) (6%), (20 – 40) y (n = 48) (48%), (41 – 60) y (n = 34) (34%), and (61 – 80) y (n = 12) (12%).

Gender (Male) for control group (n = 43) (43%), female (n = 57) (57%), and gender (Male) for patient group (n = 42) (42%), female (n = 57) (57%), female (n = 58) (58%).

Courses of pneumonia in CoVI patient according to instruction of doctor in to three classes mild pneumonia in mild CoVI patient (n = 57) (57%), sever

pneumonia in sever CoVI patient (n =36) (36 %) and very sever pneumonia in critical CoVI patient (n =7) (7%) from total (n =100) P = 0.00 Highly sign. (P<0.01) according to as in table 3.2

Patients for molecular detection from genes were characterized by pneumonia as in Table 3.2 were divided to

two parts the first control group (n = 50) and the second were patient group (n = 50) the results indicated 10% asymptomatic patients and 90% symptomatic patients with P = 0.00 Highly sign. (P<0.01) as in table 3.5 and figure 3.2.

Table 3.6 and figure 3.3 represented genotype for CoVI was P = 0.00 Highly sign. (P<0.01) within positive SARSHCOV2 ORF1ab (n= 4), positive NL63(n=2) and 229E (n= 11), negative (n= 33) While OC43 gene negative results in all different samples from total (n= 50).

Table 3.4 and figure 3.1 Assay for CoV the results shown P = 0.019 Sign. (P<0.05) within SARSHCOV2 ORF1ab gene from nasal swab and throat swab by conventional PCR positive n =4(21.05%), negative n =15(78.95%) from total n =19.

Table 3.7 and figure 3.4 CT or Cq for genotype P = 0.00 Highly sign. (P<0.01) within (Low 12, High3 and negative 35) and shown the results undetectable from virus in blood sample due to very low viral low, in the contrast were nasal and throat swabs mostly positive due to viral load in nasal and throat swabs higher than blood samples.

Figure 3.6 shown the result of conventional PCR was positive line at 588bp M.W in sample number 36 and sample number 39 from nasal swabs while negative in other types of samples for throat and blood.

For sequencing only swab from nasal were positive were JINZA1 and JINZA2 as Figure 3.7 and Figure 3.8

The fate of two patients were suffer from COVID-19 pneumonia diagnosed by new type of this pandemic by PhD student Jnan Jafar Baksh, Supervisal Prof. Dr. Nazar Shiyaa Mohammed and Assist prof. Dr. Ahmed Saadi Hassan, also submitted in NCBI Both of two patient's loss of their life due to severity of infection for JINZA1 and JINZA2 new causative agents for COVID-19 pneumonia and were critical class for this pandemic.

Figure 3.9 Data Analysis BLAST results Sample 36 and figure 3.10 Data Analysis BLAST results Sample 39 shown both of two isolates from Baghdad/Iraq patients were SARSHCOV2 that indicated transmitted by travel between Iraq and USA

Figure 3.9 and figure 3.10 revealed and indicated both new isolates new causative agents for COVID-19 pneumonia with highly virulence for severity of this pandemic were critical class lead to loss of life both patients that indicated spread transmitted of this disease and prognosis of this disease by increased of complication by organ failure lead to death.

## 6. Conclusion

Detection of other COVID19 pneumonia as HCOV

NL63, and 229E, also the study concluded that gene sequencing very important to discovery new genes from SARSHCOV2 in patients suffer from COVID-19 pneumonia could be diagnosed by nucleic acid detection (RT PCR) were required confirmed by Sanger sequencing using ABI3730XL, automated DNA sequences, the results concluded discovery new isolates called SARSHCOV2ORF1ab JINZA1 gene and SARSHCOV2ORF1ab JINZA2 gene in Baghdad/Iraq patients and submitted in NCBI SARSHCOV2ORF1ab JINZA1 OK486620 gene and JINZA2 OK586822 gene.

The names of both genes according to name of PhD student Jnan Jafar Baksh, Supervisal Prof. Dr. Nazar Shiyaa Mohammed and Assist prof. Dr. Ahmed Saadi Hassan. BLAST results indicated because transmission by travel between Iraq and USA.

JINZA: JI: PhD student Jnan Jafar Baksh, ZN: Proff. Dr. Nazar Shiyaa Mohammed and A: Assist. Proff. Dr. Ahmed Saadi Hassan.

Both of two patient's loss of their life due to severity of infection for JINZA1 and JINZA2 and were critical class for this pandemic.

## 7.Recommendation

Chosen specific primers for specific gene to avoid coinfection with other viruses and using confirmed tests include real time PCR or conventional PCR and gene sequencing for genotyping for corona virus to know speed viral transmission and control of disease. Nasal swab and throat swab must be used for detection from corona virus due to viral load higher than blood samples.

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