

Macromycetes in forest communities of the Ińsko Landscape Park (NW Poland)

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In the paper the results a 8-year mycocoenological study carried out on 34 permanent plots marked in the *Melico-Fagetum* Lohm. ap. Seibert 1954, the *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum* W. Mat. et A. Mat. 1973, the *Fago-Quercetum petraeae* Tx. 1955 and the *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum* Oberd. 1957 associations are presented and several ecological groups of fungi are discussed.

The total number of 267 macromycetes species was noted. Some species rarely found in Poland, such as: *Hericium erinaceus*, *Neobulgaria pura* and *Polyporus tuberaster* were noted.

Key words: macromycetes, mycocoenology, Ińsko Landscape Park, Pomerania region.

INTRODUCTION

Fungi constitute an important component of forest ecosystems. Particular species of deciduous and needle trees enter into mycorrhizal relations with certain species of fungi. The presence of fruit bodies of certain species, their abundance and frequency of occurrence brings information on the activity of the mycelium and its mycorrhizal ability as well as, indirectly, on the health status of trees (Fellner and Pešková 1995). The species composition of ectomycorrhizal fungi and quantitative relations among the mycorrhizal, saprotrophic and parasitic fungi are important indications of the conditions in the phytocenosis.

Recent reports on deteriorating viability of beech and oak trees in Europe (Przybył 1995) together with incommensurably low contribution of deciduous trees, mainly beech trees, in the forests of Pomerania, in spite of biotopic conditions potentially favourable for them (Czubicki 1950), have stimulated interest in the communities including these trees, also from the point of view of the mycosociological study.

Mycosociological studies in which fungi are treated as indicators of changes in natural environment have been undertaken in different parts of Europe (Bresinsky et al. 1995). In the region of western Pomerania such studies have been conducted in the Beech Forest near Szczecin (Lisiewska 1963; Bujakiewicz 1969), on the Uznam and Wolin Islands (Lisiewska 1966), in the Goleniów Forest (Friedrich 1986) and the Cedynia Landscape Park (Friedrich 1994). The forests more to the east of Szczecin, including the Ińsko Landscape Park (ILP), have not been studied in the aspect of mycological changes. It is supposed that cessation of preferred pine cultivation will result in gradual elimination of this species from the tree-stand and restoration of the original composition of beech forests.

The subject of the study reported are macrofungi in selected forest communities of the Ińsko Landscape Park and their role as indicators of changes in the process of restoration of the original composition of beech forests which have been for a long time subjected to artificial pinetisation. The aims of the study are:

Recognition of macromycetes in forest communities of the Ińsko Landscape Park,

Determination of mycocoenological relations in the associations studied and their interpretation against results of other studies performed in Poland,

Identification of relations between ecological groups of fungi and particular tree species, assessment of the role of fungi as indicators in prediction of renaturalisation of phytocoenoses.

The paper is the first in the series presenting results of the study on macromycetes in selected forest communities of the ILP. It gives general information on the study area, methodology and mycosociological characteristics of the forest associations studied.

STUDY AREA

The Ińsko Landscape Park (Fig. 1) an area of 17 763 ha, was founded in 1981 to protect fragments of natural vegetation, clear-water lakes and hilly structure of the land (Jasnowski and Cwikliński 1977).

The land sculpture, geological structure and soils of the ILP are products of direct and indirect effect of Scandinavian glacier during the Baltic Glaciation. Glacial deposits are of meridional arrangement and form zones of sandr sands, frontal moraine and ground moraine, which differ in sculpture, geological structure and kind of soil (Dobrcki 1986).

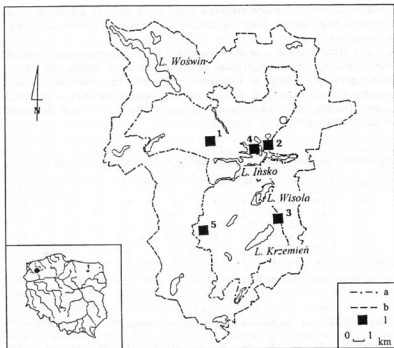


Fig. 1. Ińsko Landscape Park (ILP)

Reserve: 1 – Głowacz; 2 – Kamienna Buczyna; 3 – Krzemieńskie Źródła (proposed); 4 – Wyspa Soltyski; 5 – Perłówkowe Buki (proposed); a – border of the park; b – border of the protective zone

Characteristic elements in the park landscapes are rampart and domed hills of the frontal moraine. They surround deep water-eyes, peat-bog valleys, swamps, deep ravines and elongated gullies filled with lake water (Mikołajski 1966).

The geological structure is dominated by the Quaternary deposits – mainly the Pleistocene ones, while in the valleys and gullies – the Holocene deposits (Dobrcki 1986). The pseudopodzolic soils are dominant, relatively low is the contribution of podzolic soils and hydromorphic soils (Prusinkiewicz and Bednarek 1991).

The Ińsko Landscape Park is rich in water resources – abundant ground waters, numerous little rivers, streams and lakes (Jasnowski and Cwikliński 1977). The river network consists of many streams flowing

down from the moraine hills making a water divide between tributaries of the two rivers Rega and Ina. However, the dominant hydrogeographic elements in the park are lakes.

The climate of the park is characterised by short winters and summers, long transitory periods and great annual variation of weather conditions (K o ź m i ń s k i 1986). In the years 1991–1995 the mean annual temperature of the air was 8.5°C, and the annual precipitation totals – 711.8 mm (after Monthly Agrometeorological Reports 1986–1995 and Statistical Annuals 1991–1995, Tab. 1 and 2).

Table 1

Mean monthly and mean annual air temperatures for the meteorological station in Resko [°C]

Year/Month	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	I–XII
1991	1.7	-2.4	4.8	7.5	9.2	13.7	18.5	17.5	13.7	8.7	4.0	0.8	8.1
1992	0.6	2.6	4.0	7.5	—	—	19.2	18.7	12.6	5.3	4.1	0.5	9.5 ¹
1993	1.1	0.2	2.8	3.6	15.9	14.4	15.6	15.3	11.6	7.8	-0.2	2.0	7.5
1994	2.3	-1.9	4.0	8.7	11.7	14.7	21.4	17.9	13.4	7.1	5.4	3.0	9.0
1995	0.0	3.9	2.9	7.2	11.7	14.9	19.5	17.9	13.0	11.2	1.8	-4.2	8.3
1986–1995	0.6	0.6	3.4	7.5	12.5	15.1	17.8	16.8	12.7	8.7	3.6	1.0	8.4

„—” no data; ¹ after Statistical Annual (1993)

Table 2

Monthly and annual precipitation totals for the meteorological station in Resko [mm]

Year/Month	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	I–XII
1991	26	30	33	47	79	175	22	101	36	32	50	73	704
1992	29	51	100	32	42	39	22	107	30	32	74	32	590
1993	69	55	43	33	39	101	154	86	107	27	31	108	853
1994	129	15	105	29	50	29	9	36	59	43	46	98	648
1995	90	62	73	42	58	82	63	96	94	22	51	31	764
1986–1995	61	40	58	43	45	83	62	70	68	35	56	62	682

The vegetation cover of the park is diverse with the domination of forest communities occupying almost 53% of the area, which are highly diversified and show mosaic distribution, determined by to the habitat conditions. These are the remains of primeval deciduous forests with the dominant species of *Fagus sylvatica* (J a s n o w s k i and Ć w i k l i ń s k i 1977; B o r a t y ń s k a and B o r a t y ń s k i 1990) – substantially eliminated by introduction of *Pinus sylvestris* (C z u b i ń s k i 1950).

Deciduous forests, and beech forests in particular have been characteristic of the area of the park. On the map of potential natural vegetation cover their habitats occupy the largest area (J a s n o w s k i et al. 1995). At present

beech stands take over 30% of the forest area and are represented by the associations: the *Melico-Fagetum* Lohm. ap. Scibert 1954 (the main one) and the *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum* W. Mat. et A. Mat. 1973. Phytocoenoses of the *Fago-Quercetum petraeae* Tx. 1955 occur as large complexes or fragments in the beech stands, and a small part of the area is taken by the *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum* Oberd. 1957. The best-preserved fragments of these communities have been protected as a natural reserve (Grinn 1983a, b; Wołejko 1991; Wołejko and Kmiecik 1991) and in them permanent plots have been selected for mycosociological study.

In land depressions near streams phytocoenoses of the *Circaeo-Alnetum* Oberd. 1953 can be met, and in hollows without flows and near overgrowing water reservoirs – the *Ribo nigri-Alnetum* Sol.-Górń. 1975 (Wołejko and Kmiecik 1991), however, they were excluded from mycosociological observations.

METHODS

Mycosociological observations in the ILP were carried out in the years 1990–1997 over the areas of the three nature reserves: Kamienna Buczyna, Głowacz and Wyspa Sołtyski, and two prospective natural reserves: Krzemieńskie Źródliśka and Perłówkowe Buki (Fig. 1). In the areas occupied by the associations representative of the park: the *Melico-Fagetum*, the *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum* and the *Fago-Quercetum petraeae*, as well as in the *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum* – an association rare in this part of the country (Tab. 3), 34 permanent plots, of 400 m² each, were established. The plots were chosen on the basis of relevés made by the Braun-Blanquet method and classified in the Matuszkiewicz system as well as following the consultations with florists. In each plot pH of the surface layers of the soil (2–5 cm deep) was determined by the potentiometric method (Tab. 3).

Observations in the permanent plots were conducted every 2–3 weeks in the period from April to November, the number of mycosociological observations in plots varied from 37 to 43.

Results of the observations are presented in tables prepared for the three groups of fungi species, depending on the substrate of occurrence: a) terrestrial fungi, b) litter-decomposing fungi and c) lignicolous fungi. The mycosociological relevés in the tables are arranged according to the moisture content at a given habitat, starting from the highest moisture patches. For each species its abundance according to the scale of Jahn et al. (1967), number of observations and degree of constancy in the Braun-Blanquet scale, have been determined.

Table 3
Characteristics of permanent plots

No. of plot	Locality	Type of community	Exposition	Inclination [°]	Cover of layer [%]				Predominant species in layer				Resat. of soil [pH]	Age ¹ of trees	Comments
					a	b	c	d	a	b	c	d			
1	PB	MF-Mu	S	15	80	-	85	1	F ₃	-	Mu, An, Go, Gl, Me, Vr, Mb	Hc	3.66	120	3 stumps of F ₃ ; 1 stump of Q; a few fallen branches; cover of litter - 40%; near plot: Qr
2	PB	MF-Mu	S	15	80	10	75	2	F ₃ , Qr	F ₃ , Ap	Mu, An, Gl, Go, Me, Vr	Hc, Mh	3.85	120	4 stumps of F ₃ ; cover of litter - 50%
3	PB	MF-Mu	S	15	95	-	15	1	F ₃	-	Mu, Go, Me, Vr, An	Hc	3.64	150	3 stumps of F ₃ ; 1 rotten trunk of F ₃ ; cover of litter - 90%; near plot: Sn, Cb
4	KB	MF-t	W	25	40	35	60	1	F ₃ , C	F ₃ , Ca	Go, Gl, Pn, Po, Mn, Df	Hc	4.71	110	1 stump of F ₃ ; 3 trunks of P ₁ ; cover of litter - 40%; near plot: Ag, Bp, Pr
5	KB	MF-t	W	10	60	20	30	1	F ₃ , P ₁ , Cb	F ₃ , C, Ca	Go, An, Po, Vr, Pn, Df	Hc, Pr, Mh	4.20	110	7 trunks of P ₁ ; 1 rotten stump; cover of litter - 80%; near plot: P ₁ , Bp, Ag
6	KB	MF-t	S	35	50	5	80	1	F ₃	F ₃	Go, Pn, Me, Po, Ss, Gl, F ₃ , An, Df	Hc	5.17	110	3 stumps of F ₃ ; cover of litter - 30%; near plot: Bp, Cb, Qp
7	KB	MF-t	W	40	40	-	35	2	F ₃	-	An, Oa, Df, Go, Po	Hc, Mh	4.18	90	5 rotten stumps; 3 rotten trunks of F ₃ ; cover of litter - 80%
8	G	MF-t	E	5	90	-	20	-	F ₃	-	Fa, Go, Oa, Df, Mn, F ₃	-	4.07	100	3 rotten stumps of F ₃ ; cover of litter - 90%; near plot: P ₃
9	G	MF-t	E	10	75	-	30	-	F ₃	-	Go, F ₃ , An, Oa, Vr, Df, Fa, Mn	-	3.79	100	4 rotten stumps of F ₃ ; 1 stump of Q; cover of litter - 80%

10	G	MF-I	E	5	80	—	30	—	F ₃	—	Go, An, Oa, Df, Mb, Fa	—	4.02	100	3 rotten stumps of F ₃ ; 3 trunks of F ₃ ; cover of litter — 85%
15	KZ	MF-Db	NW	0	90	5	60	—	F ₃ , Cb	F ₃ , Ap	Db, Go, An, Oa, Sa, Ap	—	4.03	70	3 stumps of F ₃ ; many fallen branches and twigs; cover of litter — 90%
16	KZ	MF-Db	NW	0	80	55	40	—	F ₃ , Qr	F ₃ , Ap, Sa	Db, An, Oa, F ₃ , Ap, Go, Me	—	3.79	70	2 stumps of F ₃ ; 1 stump of Q ₁ ; 1 rotten trunk of F ₃ ; many fallen branches and twigs; cover of litter — 90%
17	KZ	MF-Db	N	0	90	5	50	—	F ₃ , Cb	F ₃ , Ap	Db, An, Go, Fa, Oa, Ap, F ₃	—	3.72	65	1 stump of Cb; many fallen branches and twigs; cover of litter — 75%; near plot: <i>Larix decidua</i>
18	KZ	MF-Fa	W	0	90	10	75	1	F ₃ , Qr	F ₃ , Ap, Sa	Fa, An, Lp, Me, Go, F ₃ , Mb, Oa	Hc, Mh	3.78	90	2 rotten stumps of F ₃ ; a few fallen branches; cover of litter — 65%
19	KZ	MF-Fa	W	0	40	5	50	1	F ₃	F ₃	Fa, F ₃ , Lp, An, Go, Oa, Me, Ap	Hc, Ds	3.85	90	1 stump of F ₃ ; 1 rotten trunk of F ₃ ; many fallen branches and twigs; cover of litter — 70%
20	KZ	MF-Cc	NW	35	30	15	95	1	F ₃	F ₃	Cc, Db, An, Vr, Oa, Ap, Df, Go	Hc, Mh	3.39	55	4 stumps of F ₃ ; 2 rotten trunks of F ₃ ; many fallen branches and twigs; cover of litter — 50%
21	KZ	MF-Cc	NW	30	55	10	95	1	F ₃	F ₃ , Sn	Cc, Db, An, Ap, F ₃ , Vr, Oa, Go	Hc	4.29	55	3 stumps of F ₃ ; 1 stump of Cb; 4 rotten trunks of F ₃ ; many fallen branches and twigs; cover of litter — 50%; near plot: Cb, Qr
11	G	LF	S	20	80	5	30	3	F ₃	F ₃ , C, Qp	F ₃ , Cp, Lp, Df, Oa, Go, Vr, Me	Ds, Mh	4.02	80	2 rotten stumps of F ₃ ; 1 rotten trunk; many fallen branches and twigs; cover of litter — 55%; near plot: P ₃

Tab. 3 cont.

No. of plot	Locality	Type of community	Exposition	Inclination [°]	Cover of layer [%]				Predominant species in layer				Reaction of soil [pH]	Age ¹ of trees	Comments
					a	b	c	d	a	b	c	d			
12	G	LF	NW	5	75	-	10	1	F ₃	-	Lp, Pn, Go, R	Ds, Mh	3.37	80	1 rotten trunk of F ₃ ; a few rotten branches of Bp; cover of litter - 75%; near plot: P ₃
13	G	LF	NE	15	90	-	10	1	F ₃	-	Lp, An, Oa, Df	Ds, Mh	3.78	100	3 rotten stumps of F ₃ ; 2 rotten trunks of F ₃ ; cover of litter - 80%
14	G	LF	NW	5	80	-	15	2	F ₃	-	Lp, An, Oa, Df, Go, Gl	Ds, Mh, Hc	3.98	100	2 rotten stumps of F ₃ ; 2 trunks of F ₃ ; cover of litter - 85%; near plot: Qp, P ₃
26	WS	LF	W	5	70	5	10	2	F ₃ , Qr	F ₃	Lp, F ₃ , Cp, Vr	Hc, Mh, Dh	4.03	150	2 rotten stumps of F ₃ ; 2 trunks of F ₃ ; cover of litter - 40%
27	WS	LF	W	10	80	20	5	1	F ₃	F ₃	F ₃ , Lp, Cp	Hc	3.90	150	5 rotten trunks of F ₃ ; cover of litter - 70%; near plot: Qr
28	WS	LF	W	10	60	10	15	2	F ₃	F ₃	F ₃ , Lp, Cp, Pn, Cd	Hc, Mh, Dh	4.14	150	3 stumps of F ₃ ; 2 rotten trunks of F ₃ ; cover of litter - 50%; near plot: Qr
30	WS	LF	N	10	70	-	5	1	F ₃	-	F ₃ , Lp, Df	Hc, Mh	4.06	150	2 rotten stumps of F ₃ ; 2 rotten trunks of F ₃ ; cover of litter - 60%
31	WS	LF	N	0	80	15	8	3	F ₃ , Qr	F ₃	F ₃ , Lp, Df, Go	Hc, Mh, Dh	3.89	150	2 stumps of F ₃ ; 1 rotten trunk; cover of litter - 60%
29	WS	LF	S	0	80	2	5	1	F ₃	F ₃	F ₃ , Lp, Df	Hc	3.92	65	7 rotten trunks of F ₃ ; cover of litter - 90%

32	WS	LF		NE	10	80	3	2	1	F ₅	F ₅	F ₅	F ₅ , Lp, Df	Hc, Mh	3.87	65	1 rotten trunk of F ₅ ; many fallen branches and twigs; cover of litter — 90%
33	WS	LF		NE	10	85	—	2	1	F ₅	—	F ₅ , Lp, Df	Hc, Mh	3.90	65	2 rotten trunks of F ₅ ; many fallen branches and twigs; cover of litter — 90%	
34	WS	LF		N	15	80	—	3	1	F ₅	—	F ₅ , Lp, Df	Hc, Mh	3.89	65	2 stumps of F ₅ ; 2 rotten trunks of F ₅ ; a few fallen branches; cover of litter — 85%	
22	KZ	GC		NW	5	80	40	50	1	Cb, F ₅ , Qp	Cb, F ₅ , Ca	F ₅ , Gl, Fa, Ap, Oa, Df, Pn	Hc, Mh	3.80	60-90	2 rotten stumps; many fallen branches and twigs; cover of litter — 40%	
23	WS	GC		S	45	60	40	70	1	Qr, F ₅	F ₅ , Sa, C	Gs, Pn, Mn, Po, Cd, An, Vr, Ly	Hc	5.53	130	2 rotten trunks; cover of litter — 20%; near plot: P ₅	
24	WS	GC		S	45	60	20	80	—	Qr, F ₅	F ₅ , C, Sa	Gs, Mn, Pn, Ly, An, Vr, Cd, F ₅	—	4.93	130	1 rotten trunk of Q; cover of litter — 20%; near plot: P ₅ , Cb	
25	WS	FQ		S	0	70	35	50	5	Qp, Qr, F ₅	F ₅ , Qr, Sa	Vm, Lp, Mn, Oa, Mb, Go	Dh, Hc, Mh, Lg	3.99	130	2 rotten stumps of Q; 1 stump of P ₅ ; 1 stump of F ₅ ; 2 trunks of F ₅ ; cover of litter — 20%	

Explanation: reserve: G — Głowacz, KB — Kamienna Buczyna, WS — Wyspa Solyński, KZ — Krzemieńskie Żródlińska, PB — Perlewockie Buki; N — North, S — South, E — East, W — West; † on the basis of documents for utilizing forests for reserve purposes from 1980/1990; boldface — species occurs with the largest percentage (%) of cover

MF-1 — *Melico-Fagetum* typical face; MF-Mu — *Melico-Fagetum* face with *Melica wellfara*; MF-Db — *Melico-Fagetum* face with *Dentaria bulbifera*; MF-Cc — *Melico-Fagetum* face with *Corydalis cava*; MF-Fa — *Melico-Fagetum* face with *Fertusa altissima*; LF — *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum*; GC — *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum*; FQ — *Fago-Quercetum petraea*
 Ag — *Alnus glutinosa*; An — *Anemone nemorosa*; Ap — *Acer pseudoplatanus*; Bp — *Betula pendula*; C — *Crataegus* sp.; Ca — *Corylus avellana*; Cb — *Carpinus betulus*; Cc — *Corydalis cava*; Cd — *Carex digitata*; Cp — *Carex pilulifera*; Db — *Dentaria bulbifera*; Df — *Dryopteris filix-mas*; Fa — *Fertusa altissima*; F₅ — *Fagus sylvatica*; Gl — *Galicobolus luteus*; Go — *Galium odoratum*; Gs — *G. sylvaticum*; Lp — *Luzula pilosa*; Ly — *Lathyrus vernus*; Mb — *Maianthemum bifolium*; Me — *Milium effluans*; Mn — *Melica nutans*; Mu — *M. uniflora*; Oa — *Oxalis acetosella*; Pn — *Poa nemoralis*; Po — *Polygonum officinale*; P₅ — *Pinus sylvestris*; P₇ — *Populus tremula*; Q — *Quercus* sp.; Qp — *Q. petraea*; Qr — *Quercus robur*; R — *Rubus* sp.; Sa — *Sorbus aucuparia*; Sa — *Sambucus nigra*; Sr — *Stachys sylvatica*; Vm — *Vaccinium myrtillus*; Vr — *Viola reichenbachiana*
 Dh — *Dicranella heteromalla*; Ds — *Dicranum scoparium*; Hc — *Hymenocarpus glaucus*; Mh — *Mnium hornum*; P₇ — *Plagionium rostratum*

The species nomenclature of *Ascomycota* was assumed after Michael et al. (1988), while that of *Basidiomycota* after Eriksson and Ryvar den (1973–1976), Eriksson et al. (1978–1984), Kuyp er (1986), Kreisel (1987), Hjortstam et al. (1987, 1988), Stangl (1989), Arnolds (1990), Telleria (1990), Hansen and Knudsen (1992), Maas Geesteranus (1992a, b), Ryvar den and Gilbertson (1993–1994), and Roberts (1994–1995).

The nomenclature of vascular plants was assumed after Mirek et al. (1995), that of bryophytes after Corley et al. (1982), and that of forest communities after Matuszkiewicz and Matuszkiewicz (1996).

The collection of macrofungi was deposited in the Herbarium of the Szczecin University (SZUB).

DESCRIPTION OF THE FORESTS STUDIED

The *Melico-Fagetum* association occurs most often in a typical form. The main component of the tree-stand is *Fagus sylvatica* with a small contribution of *Quercus robur* or *Pinus sylvestris*. The shrub layer is relatively poorly developed and includes the species: *Fagus sylvatica*, *Acer pseudoplatanus* and *Sorbus aucuparia* saplings. The herb layer includes the character species of the association: *Dentaria bulbifera*, *Festuca altissima*, *Galium odoratum* and *Melica uniflora*, and the character species of the order *Fagetalia silvaticae*: *Galeobdolon luteum*, *Milium effusum* and *Pulmonaria officinalis*. The moss layer appears in small areas and includes the species: *Hypnum cupressiforme*, *Plagiomnium rostratum* and *Mnium hornum* (Grinn 1983a, b; Wołejko 1991). Depending on the sculpture of the area and habitat conditions in some recorded a domination of *Melica uniflora*, *Dentaria bulbifera*, *Festuca altissima* or *Corydalis cava* is noted.

In the area of the park the *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum* develops in a typical form but is rather floristically poor. The tree-stand is dominated by *Fagus sylvatica* with small admixtures of *Quercus petraea* and *Pinus sylvestris*. The shrub layer is practically absent, and if present – composed mainly of beech saplings. The herb layer mainly includes *Luzula pilosa*, *Carex pilulifera*, *C. digitata* and *Poa nemoralis*, while the moss layer: *Hypnum cupressiforme*, *Dicranella heteromalla* and *Dicranum scoparium*. The bottom of the forest is covered with a thick, sometimes of a few tens centimetres, layer of decomposing litter (Grinn 1983a; Wołejko and Kmiecik 1991).

The species composition of the *Fago-Quercetum petraeae* association is similar to that of neighbouring beech forests. The densely and giving much

shade tree-stand includes mainly *Quercus petraea* and *Quercus robur*, with admixtures of *Fagus sylvatica* and *Pinus sylvestris*. There is practically no shrub layer, only occasionally beech saplings can be met. The herb layer is in some patches well developed and includes weakly acidiphilic species: *Maianthemum bifolium*, *Oxalis acetosella*, *Deschampsia flexuosa* and species typical of beech forests like *Galium odoratum*, *Luzula pilosa* and *Melica nutans*. The moss layer, covering up to 30% of the plot, includes *Hypnum cupressiforme*, *Dicranella heteromalla* and *Leucobryum glaucum* (W o ł e j k o and K m i e c i k 1991).

The *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum* association develops in small patches near lakes. The dominant tree species are *Carpinus betulus* and *Quercus petraea* or *Quercus robur*, depending on the patch, always with admixture of *Fagus sylvatica*. The well-developed shrub layer includes such species as *Corylus avellana*, *Crataegus laevigata* and *Sorbus aucuparia*, apart from beech and hornbeam. The herb layer is well developed and includes the character species of the association and of the *Querco-Fagetea* class: *Actea spicata*, *Galium sylvaticum*, *Poa nemoralis*, *Carex digitata*, *Lathyrus montanus* and *Melica nutans*. The moss layer, rather poorly developed, includes *Hypnum cupressiforme* and *Mnium hornum* (W o ł e j k o 1991; W o ł e j k o and K m i e c i k 1991).

RESULTS OF OBSERVATIONS

Mycological analysis of the forest communities studied

In the *Melico-Fagetum* association the number of the *macromycetes* observed was 211. Dominant among them were terrestrial fungi (Tab. 4), and from among them mycorrhizal ones making up about 60%. The abundant and frequent were the species mycorrhizal with beech trees, like *Amanita citrina*, *A. phalloides*, *Hygrophorus eburneus*, *Laccaria amethystina*, *Lactarius blennius* and *Russula nigricans*, reaching high degree of constancy (V–III). Apart from the fungi related to beech trees, there is a marked presence of the species related to the occurrence of pine trees – *Amanita gemmata* and *Lactarius rufus*, or oak trees – *Lactarius quietus*. The most frequent representatives of the saprotrophic species are *Clitocybe clavipes*, *Lycoperdon perlatum*, *Phallus impudicus*, *Stropharia aeruginosa* and *St. squamosa*. Sporadically met are representatives of the species *Boletus edulis*, *Cantharellus cibarius*, *Geastrum fimbriatum* and *Strobilomyces strobilaceus*, which are less and less frequent in Poland.

The group of litter-decomposing fungi is the poorest in species (Tab. 4), characterised by low abundance and varied frequency but high stability.

Table 4
Macromycetes occurring in physocenoses of the Melico-Fagetum in the Insko Landscape Park

Face	t		Fa		Mu		Db		Cc		t		t		t		C	
Successive number	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	0
Number of plot	4	5	18	19	1	2	3	17	15	16	20	21	6	7	8	9	10	n
Reserve	KB	KB	KZ	KZ	PB	PB	PB	KZ	KZ	KZ	KZ	KB	KB	G	G	G	s	
Number of forest unit	408	408	511	514	474	474	474	515	511	513	515	515	408	408	127	127	t	
Number of observations	37	37	41	41	40	40	40	41	41	41	41	41	37	37	43	43	n	
Number of taxa	82	78	66	55	86	82	76	79	60	63	69	62	59	63	63	57	c	
	1																2	3
A. Terrestrial fungi																		
<i>Laccaria amethystina</i> Cke.																		
<i>Phallus impudicus</i> L.: Pers.																		
<i>Xerocomus chrysenteron</i> (Bull.) Quel.																		
<i>Laccaria laccata</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Bk. et Br.																		
<i>Lycoperdon perlatum</i> Pers.: Pers.																		
<i>Lactarius hirsutus</i> (Fr.) Fr.																		
<i>Russula nigricans</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Fr.																		
<i>Amanita rubescens</i> (Pers.: Fr.) S. F. Gray																		
<i>Paxillus involutus</i> (Batsch: Fr.) Fr.																		
<i>Russula ochroleuca</i> (Pers.) Fr.																		
<i>Stropharia aeruginosa</i> (Curt.: Fr.) Quel.																		
<i>Lactarius gubatus</i> (Fr.) Fr.																		
<i>Clitocybe clavipes</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Kuma.																		
<i>Amanita phalloides</i> (Vaill.: Fr.) Link																		
<i>A. citrina</i> (Schaeff.) Pers.																		
<i>Hygrophorus eburneus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Fr.																		
<i>Lactarius rufus</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Fr.																		
<i>Tylophorus felix</i> (Bull.: Fr.) P. Karst.																		
<i>Lepista flaccida</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Pat.																		
<i>Lepista nuda</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Cke.																		
	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	n ₇	V
	n ₅	n ₄	n ₆	n ₄	n ₆	n ₄	n ₆	n ₄	n ₆	n ₄	n ₆	n ₄	n ₆	n ₄	n ₆	n ₄	n ₆	V
	n ₄	n ₆	n ₁₃	n ₁₃	n ₉	n ₆	n ₉	n ₁₃	n ₉	n ₆	n ₉	n ₁₃	n ₉	n ₆	n ₉	n ₁₃	n ₉	V
	n ₄	n ₂	n ₁₄	n ₉	n ₂	n ₃	n ₉	n ₆	n ₂	n ₃	n ₉	n ₆	n ₂	n ₃	n ₉	n ₆	n ₂	V
	n ₁	n ₃	n ₁₄	n ₁₅	n ₂	n ₇	n ₈	n ₉	n ₁	n ₃	n ₇	n ₈	n ₉	n ₁	n ₃	n ₇	n ₈	V
	n ₉	n ₈	n ₉	n ₆	n ₇	n ₄	n ₄	n ₄	n ₁	n ₃	n ₄	n ₄	n ₁	n ₃	n ₄	n ₁	n ₃	V
	n ₁₄	n ₁₃	n ₂₁	n ₂₁	n ₁₅	n ₁₇	n ₁₃	n ₉	n ₆	n ₅	n ₆	n ₅	n ₆	n ₅	n ₆	n ₅	n ₆	V
	n ₆	n ₆	n ₁₂	n ₁₀	n ₉	n ₇	n ₆	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	V
	n ₇	n ₅	n ₉	n ₇	n ₆	n ₈	n ₉	n ₇	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	V
	n ₂	n ₁	n ₇	n ₈	n ₉	n ₁₁	n ₁₅	n ₁₄	n ₉	n ₈	n ₁₀	n ₆	n ₇	n ₈	n ₄	n ₁	n ₁₅	V
	n ₂	n ₃	n ₁	n ₃	n ₆	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₃	n ₃	n ₃	n ₃	n ₃	n ₃	n ₃	n ₃	V
	n ₃	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₄	n ₂	n ₁	n ₂	n ₂	n ₄	n ₃	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	V
	n ₂	n ₅	n ₃	n ₈	n ₁	n ₂	n ₄	n ₁	n ₂	n ₄	n ₁	n ₂	n ₁	n ₂	n ₁	n ₂	n ₁	V
	n ₁	n ₁	n ₄	n ₄	n ₁	n ₄	n ₄	n ₄	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	IV
	n ₁	n ₁	n ₄	n ₅	n ₄	n ₄	n ₄	n ₄	n ₁	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	IV
	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁₄	n ₁₄	n ₄	n ₇	n ₁	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	n ₂	IV
	n ₂	n ₂	n ₁	n ₁	n ₄	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	III
	n ₂	n ₂	n ₁	n ₁	n ₄	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	III
	n ₂	n ₂	n ₁	n ₁	n ₄	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	III
	n ₂	n ₂	n ₁	n ₁	n ₄	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	n ₁	III

1	2	3
<i>Clitocybe nebularis</i> (Batsch: Fr.) Kumm.	.	I
<i>Lactarius necator</i> (J. F. Gmel.: Fr.) Pers.	.	I
<i>Cortinarius variegator</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Fr.	f ₁	I
<i>Tricholoma ustale</i> (Fr.: Fr.) Kumm.	.	I
<i>Inocybe maculata</i> Boud.	.	I
<i>Russula aeruginea</i> Lindbl. in Fr.	f ₅	I
<i>Mycena epipterygia</i> (Scop.: Fr.) S. F. Gray	.	I
<i>Inocybe godeyi</i> Gill.	f ₁	I
<i>Clitopilus prunulus</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₂ n ₃	I
<i>Cantharellus cibarius</i> Fr.	f ₁ n ₂	I
<i>Cratarellus cornucopioides</i> (L.: Fr.) Pers.	.	I
<i>Inocybe geophylla</i> (Sow.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₁ n ₃	I
<i>Tarzetta cupularis</i> (L.: Fr.) Svrč.	.	I
<i>Agrocybe dura</i> (Bolt.: Fr.) Sing.	.	I
<i>Amanita muscaria</i> (L.: Fr.) Hook.	.	I
<i>Chalciporus piperatus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Bat.	.	I
<i>Inocybe lacera</i> (Fr.: Fr.) Kumm.	f ₁	I
<i>I. erubescens</i> Blytt.	f ₁	I
<i>Russula claroflava</i> Grove	.	I
<i>Leccinum scabrum</i> (Bull.: Fr.) S. F. Gray	n ₁	I
<i>Lactarius pubescens</i> Fr.	f ₁	I
<i>Inocybe petiginosa</i> (Fr.) Gill.	f ₁	I
<i>Laccaria tortilis</i> (Bolt.) Cke.	f ₁	I
<i>Entoloma chalybaeum</i> (Fr.: Fr.) Noord. var. <i>lazulinum</i> (Fr.) Noord.	f ₁	I
<i>Russula undulata</i> Vel.	f ₁	I
<i>Tricholoma terreum</i> (Schaeff.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₂	I
<i>Agrocybe praecox</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Fay.	f ₁	I
<i>Boletus luridus</i> Schaeff.: Fr.	.	I
<i>Amanita porphyria</i> (A. et S.: Fr.) Mlady	n ₁	I
<i>Calvatia striiformis</i> (Bull.: Pers.) Jasp.	f ₁	I
<i>Collybia fusipes</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Quélet	f ₁	I

1	2			3
<i>Schizophyllum commune</i> Fr.: Fr.				I
<i>Exidia glandulosa</i> (Bull.): Fr.				I
<i>Pholiotia squarrosa</i> (Weig.: Fr.) Kumm.		a ₁		I
<i>Pholiotia aurivella</i> (Batsch.: Fr.) Kumm.		n ₁		I
<i>Daedalea quercina</i> (L.: Fr.) Pers.		r ₂		I
<i>Hirneola auricula-judae</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Berk.		a ₃	n ₂	I
<i>Mycena maculata</i> P. Karst.		a ₃	a ₁	I
<i>Heterobasidium annosum</i> (Fr.) Bref.		r ₈	r ₅	I
<i>Phlebia tremellosa</i> (Schrad.: Fr.) Nakas. et Burds.			n ₃ n ₂	I
<i>Panellus serotinus</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Kühn.			n ₃ n ₃	I
<i>Datronia mollis</i> (Sommerf.: Fr.) Donk			n ₂	I
<i>Ascocoryne sarcoides</i> (Jacq.: Fr.) Groves et Wilson				I
• <i>Botryobasidium medium</i> J. Erikss.	r ₁		n ₁ n ₂	I
<i>Hebeloma radicosum</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Ricken		a ₃		I
<i>Nectria coccinea</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Fr.		a ₄		I
<i>Lentinus lepideus</i> (Fr.: Fr.) Fr.		r ₁		I
<i>Laetiporus sulphureus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Murr.		a ₃		I
<i>Ganoderma lucidum</i> (Curt.: Fr.) P. Karst.		r ₂		I
<i>Peziza micropus</i> Pers.		n ₂		I
<i>Mycena alcalina</i> (Fr.: Fr.) Kumm.		r ₁		I
<i>Tricholomopsis rutilans</i> (Schaeff.: Fr.) Sing.		r ₁		I
<i>Thelephora terrestris</i> Ehr. ex Willd.: Fr.		r ₃		I
<i>Phaeolus schweinitzii</i> (Fr.) Pat.		r ₂		I
<i>Pholiotia flammans</i> (Fr.) Kumm.		r ₁		I
• <i>Oudemansiella mucida</i> (Schrad.: Fr.) Höhn.			n ₂	I
• <i>Hypoderma setigerum</i> (Fr.) Donk			r ₁	I
• <i>Pentophora incarnata</i> (Pers.: Fr.) P. Karst.			r ₁	I
• <i>Phanerochaete tuberculata</i> (P. Karst.) Parm.			r ₁	I
• <i>Hypocrea lactea</i> (Fr.): Fr.			r ₁	I
<i>Sphaerobolus stellatus</i> Tode: Pers.			r ₃	I

Explanations: degree of abundance (Jahn et al. 1967): a — abundant, n — numerous, r — rare; (* — det. W. Wojewoda; other explanations: see Table 3)

The most often observed species are *Collybia butyracea*, *C. dryophila*, *Dasyscyphus virgineus* and *Xylaria carpophila*, while *Collybia maculata* and *Mycena capillaris*, frequent in other regions in Poland, are rare.

Much more diverse is the group of lignicolous fungi (Tab. 4) — over 30% of the species occur at great degree of constancy (V — III), and their frequency and abundance vary significantly in particular patches. A considerable number of species, including *Fomes fomentarius*, *Ganoderma applanatum*, *Hypoxylon deustum*, *Lycoperdon pyriforme* and *Xylaria hypoxylon*, occur on beech tree stumps at different stages of decomposition. On much mouldered trunks often observed are *Megacollybia platyphylla* and *Mycena haematopus*, while on trunks in the first stages of mouldering — *Stereum subtomentosum*. On branches and twigs of beech trees *Bisporella citrina* and *Nectria cinnabarina* are frequently met. Sporadic presence of *Datronia mollis*, *Ganoderma lucidum*, *Hebeloma radicosum*, *Oudemansiella mucida* and *Phaeolus schweinitzii*, the species very rare in Poland, is noted.

A comparative analysis of macromycetes noted in the patches of the *Melico-Fagetum* in the ILP and other regions in Poland shows that the species characterised by a high degree of constancy in the park: *Collybia dryophila*, *C. peronata*, *Dasyscyphus virgineus*, *Hygrophorus eburneus*, *Lactarius blennius*, *Marasmius alliaceus*, *Megacollybia platyphylla*, *Phallus impudicus* and *Xerula radicata* are also common in this association in other regions in Poland.

In the *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum* the number of macromycetes species noted was 202. From among terrestrial fungi (Tab. 5) the mycorrhizal species make up almost 78%, and the dominant in this group are the species forming mycorrhizae with beech trees such as: *Amanita phalloides*, *A. rubescens*, *Hygrophorus eburneus*, *Laccaria amethystina*, *Lactarius blennius*, *Russula ochroleuca* and *R. nigricans*. These species are abundant and frequent, and reach high degrees of constancy (V — III). In the patches studied the presence of mycorrhizal species living in symbiosis with pine trees — *Lactarius rufus* and *Xerocomus badius*, or oak trees — *Lactarius quietus* is also noted. The group of saprotrophic species is represented most frequently by: *Lepista flaccida*, *Phallus impudicus*, *Stropharia aeruginosa* and *St. squamosa*.

On the litter the number of fungi species was much lower. About 53% of the litter-decomposing species appear frequently and reach high degree of constancy (V — III), this group includes e.g.: *Collybia butyracea*, *C. dryophila*, *C. peronata*, *C. maculata*, *Dasyscyphus virgineus* and *Xylaria carpophila*, and *Collybia tuberosa* growing on decaying fruit bodies of *Russula nigricans*.

The most numerous group of fungi are lignicolous ones and 30% of them are frequent and abundant as well as characterised by high degree of constancy (V — III). The species *Armillaria mellea*, *Bjerkandera adusta*, *Fomitopsis pinicola*,

Table 5
Macromycetes occurring in phytocoenoses of the *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum* in the Insko Landscape Park

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	C
Successive number	26	27	28	30	31	11	14	12	13	29	32	33	34	
Number of plot	WS	WS	WS	WS	WS	G	G	G	G	WS	WS	WS	WS	
Reserve	411	411	411	411	411	128	127	127	127	411	411	411	411	
Number of forest unit	42	42	42	42	42	43	43	43	43	42	42	42	42	
Number of observations	102	98	82	99	57	90	89	70	62	59	53	53	56	
Number of taxa														
	2													3
	1													
A. Terrestrial fungi														
<i>Phallus impudicus</i> L.: Pers.	810	812	89	88	88	89	816	810	88	84	84	86	84	V
<i>Laccaria amethystina</i> Cke.	86	88	85	87	86	817	817	815	813	85	87	810	810	V
<i>Lactarius blennius</i> (Fr.) Fr.	83	89	88	88	83	89	88	87	83	81	82	85	85	V
<i>Russula mairei</i> Sing.	82	811	86	86	83	81	83	81	81	82	83	83	83	V
<i>R. ochroleuca</i> (Pers.) Fr.	83	86	81	84	82	83	89	812	88	.	81	82	81	V
<i>Stropharia aeruginosa</i> (Curt.: Fr.) Quéll.	82	86	86	86	83	84	83	82	83	.	81	82	83	V
<i>Xerocomus chrysenteron</i> (Bull.) Quéll.	810	89	86	86	84	813	811	88	86	83	.	81	83	V
<i>Russula nigricans</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Fr.	816	814	89	86	87	816	813	82	84	81	.	.	.	IV
<i>Amanita rubescens</i> (Pers.: Fr.) S. F. Gray	814	84	84	83	86	815	813	85	83	81	.	.	.	IV
<i>Tylopilus felleus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) P. Karst	81	85	81	81	83	81	82	81	83	81	.	.	.	IV
<i>Clitocybe clavipes</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Kumm.	81	82	83	82	81	.	83	83	81	81	.	.	.	IV
<i>Laccaria laccata</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Bk. et Bc.	811	81	81	81	.	820	89	84	84	.	.	81	.	IV
<i>Lactarius quietus</i> (Fr.) Fr.	89	86	82	81	81	89	84	82	82	.	.	.	.	IV
<i>Paxillus involutus</i> (Batsch.) Pers.	88	86	84	86	85	89	89	81	82	.	.	.	.	IV
<i>Amanita citrina</i> (Schaeff.) Pers.	83	83	83	83	83	83	83	89	84	.	.	.	.	IV
<i>Lactarius rufus</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Fr.	85	82	.	82	81	810	85	85	.	.	.	.	81	IV
<i>Russula fellea</i> (Fr.: Fr.) Fr.	83	84	82	82	81	81	81	81	81	.	.	.	.	IV
<i>Amanita phalloides</i> (Vahl.: Fr.) Link	83	82	.	84	83	82	85	83	84	.	.	.	.	IV
<i>Macrolopiota procera</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Sing.	81	81	81	81	81	81	81	81	81	.	.	.	81	IV
<i>Lepista flaccida</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Pat.	.	81	82	.	.	.	83	81	83	.	.	81	81	IV

Tab 5 cont.

1	2		3
<i>Russula delicata</i> Fr.	.	.	I
<i>Amanita vaginata</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Vitt.	.	.	I
<i>Hygrophoropsis aurantiaca</i> (Wulf.: Fr.) Mre.	.	f ₃	I
<i>Russula foetens</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Fr.	.	n ₂	I
<i>Hebeloma crustuliniforme</i> (Bull.) Quéf.	.	n ₁	I
<i>Agaricus silvicola</i> (Vitt.) Peck	n ₁	.	I
<i>Russula heterophylla</i> (Fr.) Fr.	f ₂	.	I
<i>R. vesca</i> Fr.	f ₁	.	I
<i>Hydnum repandum</i> L.: Fr.	f ₁	.	I
<i>Inocybe geophylla</i> (Sow.: Fr.) Kumm.	a ₄	.	I
<i>Lycoperdon umbrinum</i> Pers.: Pers.	n ₁	.	I
<i>Russula densifolia</i> Gill.	f ₃	.	I
<i>R. virescens</i> (Schaeff.) Fr.	f ₂	.	I
<i>Clavulina cinerea</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Schroet.	f ₂	.	I
<i>Ramaria formosa</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Quéf.	f ₁	.	I
<i>Russula emetica</i> (Schaeff.: Fr.) Pers.	f ₁	.	I
<i>Russula olivacea</i> (Schaeff.) Fr.	f ₁	.	I
<i>Tricholoma pardinum</i> (Pers.) Quéf.	f ₁	.	I
<i>Cantharellus cibarius</i> Fr.	a ₃	.	I
<i>Xerocomus subtomentosus</i> (L.: Fr.) Quéf.	n ₁	.	I
<i>Entoloma sulividium</i> Noord.	.	a ₂	I
<i>Russula sororia</i> (Fr.) Romell	.	n ₈	I
<i>Lactarius necator</i> (J. F. Gmel.: Fr.) Pers.	.	n ₃	I
<i>Amanita muscaria</i> (L.: Fr.) Hook.	.	n ₂	I
<i>Inocybe asterospora</i> Quéf.	.	n ₁	I
<i>Lactarius camphoratus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Fr.	.	n ₁	I
<i>Rickenella fibula</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Raith.	.	n ₁	I
<i>Russula aeruginea</i> Lindbl. in Fr.	.	f ₂	I
<i>R. brunneoviolacea</i> Crawsh.	.	f ₁	I

Tab 5 cont.

1	2			3
<i>Panellus serotinus</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Kühn.			I	
<i>Daedalea quercina</i> (L.: Fr.) Pers.	a ₃			I
<i>Diatrype disciformis</i> (Hoffm.: Fr.) Fr.	n ₇	n ₆		I
* <i>Inonotus radiatus</i> (Sow.: Fr.) P. Karst.	f ₁		f ₁	I
<i>Polyporus tuberaster</i> (Jacq.): Fr.	f ₄		f ₁	I
<i>Cyathus striatus</i> (Huds.) Willd.: Pers.	f ₁		f ₁	I
<i>Tremella mesenterica</i> Retz.: Fr.	a ₁	n ₄	a ₅	I
<i>Crucibulum laeve</i> (Huds.) Kambly in Kambly et Lee	n ₃			I
<i>Polyporus squamosus</i> (Huds.): Fr.	f ₃			I
<i>Hapalopilus nidulans</i> (Fr.) P. Karst.	f ₂			I
<i>Hebeloma radicosum</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Ricken	f ₂			I
<i>Crepidotus mollis</i> (Schaeff.: Fr.) Kumm.	f ₁			I
<i>Exidia glandulosa</i> (Bull.): Fr.	f ₁			I
<i>Geopyxis carbonaria</i> (A. et S.: Fr.) Sacc.	f ₁			I
<i>Hericium erinaceus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Pers.	f ₁			I
<i>Mycena maculata</i> P. Karst.	a ₂			I
<i>Pluteus salicinus</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₄			I
<i>Paxillus atroamentosus</i> (Batsch: Fr.) Fr.	f ₅			I
* <i>Phanerochaete laevis</i> (Fr.) J. Erikss. et Ryv.	f ₁			I
<i>Pluteus leoninus</i> (Schaeff.: Fr.) Kumm.	f ₁			I
<i>Filanimitia velutipes</i> (Curt.: Fr.) Sing.	a ₁	a ₃		I
<i>Pholiota aurivella</i> (Batsch: Fr.) Kumm.	f ₁	f ₂		I
<i>Trichotomopsis rutilans</i> (Schaeff.: Fr.) Sing.	f ₁			I
<i>Ganoderma lucidum</i> (Curt.: Fr.) P. Karst.	f ₁	f ₁		I
<i>Chondrostereum purpureum</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Pouz.	f ₁	f ₁		I
<i>Pholiota flammans</i> (Fr.) Kumm.	f ₁	n ₃	n ₃	I
* <i>Phanerochaete sordida</i> (P. Karst.) J. Erikss. et Ryv.	f ₁	f ₁	f ₁	I
* <i>Ph. tuberculata</i> (P. Karst.) Parm.	f ₁	f ₁	f ₁	I
<i>Lentinellus cochleatus</i> (Pers.: Fr.) P. Karst.	f ₁	f ₁	n ₁	I
* <i>Phanerochaete velutina</i> (DC.: Fr.) P. Karst.	f ₁	f ₁	f ₁	I

Explanations: see Table 3-4.

Fomes fomentarius, *Ganoderma applanatum* and *Hypoxyylon deustum* are abundant on alive or relatively recently fallen beech tree trunks. Trunks and stumps in the stage of advanced decomposition are often grown with *Megacollybia platyphylla*, *Mycena haematopus*, *Stereum subtomentosum* and *Marasmius alliaceus*. Fallen branches and twigs are grown with species producing fine but numerous fruit bodies, like *Bisporella citrina*, *Calocera cornea*, *Crepidotus variabilis* and *Nectria cinnabarina*.

Relatively numerous is the group of lignicolous fungi reaching the second degree of constancy (Tab. 5) including: *Ascocoryne cylichnium* and *Oudemansiella mucida* — growing on relatively recently fallen beech tree trunks; *Datronia mollis*, *Neobulgaria pura* and *Trametes gibbosa* — growing on trunks and stumps in the stage of intermediately advanced decomposition; *Peziza micropus*, *Pluteus umbrosus*, *Polyporus varius* and *Scutellina scutellata* — on highly decomposed tree trunks. *Laetiporus sulphureus* and *Hymenochaete rubiginosa* grow on the stumps of oak trees and *Heterbasidion annosum* — on the roots of pine trees.

Analysis of the macromycetes occurring in the *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum* association in the park and in other regions in Poland has shown that many species found frequently in the park, e.g. *Amanita citrina*, *A. rubescens*, *Armillaria mellea*, *Collybia dryophila*, *C. peronata*, *Laccaria amethystina*, *L. laccata*, *Megacollybia platyphylla*, *Mycena galericulata*, *Phallus impudicus*, *Russula ochroleuca*, *Xerocomus chrysenteron*, and *Xerula radicata*, are also common elsewhere.

The number of macromycetes species noted in the *Fago-Quercetum petraeae* association is 76. Half of this number are terrestrial fungi (Tab. 6) of which 80% are mycorrhizal species. The most frequent and abundant are *Amanita rubescens*, *Boletus erythropus*, *Laccaria amethystina*, *Russula ochroleuca* and *Xerocomus chrysenteron*. The presence of pine trees in the neighbourhood accounts for the occurrence of a numerous group of species related to this tree, e.g. *Lactarius rufus*, *Tylophilus felleus*, *Rozites caperatus* and *Xerocomus badius*.

The contribution of litter-decomposing fungi is insignificant (Tab. 6).

The group of lignicolous fungi is rather rich in species (Tab. 6). *Fomes fomentarius*, *Fomitopsis pinicola* and *Ganoderma applanatum* are often found on decaying beech tree trunks, *Daedalea quercina* and *Hymenochaete rubiginosa* often cover oak tree stumps, while *Trichaptum abietinum* — pine tree stumps. Stems of the living oak trees are sometimes covered with *Fistulina hepatica* and *Laetiporus sulphureus*, which may produce large size fruit bodies. Of the lignicolous fungi noted, 40% produce annual or perennial fruit bodies and 20% are harmful tree parasites.

Similarly as in other regions of Poland, in the *Fago-Quercetum petraeae* association in the ILP the terrestrial fungi are dominant.

Table 6
Macromycetes occurring in phytocoenose of the *Fago-Quercetum petraeae*
in the Insko Landscape Park

Successive number	1	1	2
Number of plot	25		
Reserve	WS		
Number of forest unit	411		
Number of observations	42		
Number of taxa	76		
1	2		
A. Terrestrial fungi			
<i>Laccaria amethystina</i> Cke.	a ₁₅		
<i>Xerocomus badius</i> (Fr.) Kühn. ex Gilb.	a ₁₀		
<i>Xerocomus chrysenteron</i> (Bull.) Quéf.	a ₁₀		
<i>Lepista nuda</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Cke.	a ₇		
<i>Amanita citrina</i> (Schaeff.) Pers.	a ₅		
<i>Lactarius quietus</i> (Fr.) Fr.	a ₅		
<i>Lycoperdon perlatum</i> Pers.: Pers.	a ₄		
<i>Amanita phalloides</i> (Vaill.: Fr.) Link	a ₂		
<i>Hydnum repandum</i> L.: Fr.	a ₂		
<i>Tricholoma sulphureum</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Kumm.	a ₂		
<i>Boletus erythropus</i> (Fr.: Fr.) Krbh.	n ₁₃		
<i>Russula ochroleuca</i> (Pers.) Fr.	n ₁₂		
<i>Amanita rubescens</i> (Pers.: Fr.) S. F. Gray	n ₉		
<i>Paxillus involutus</i> (Batsch: Fr.) Fr.	n ₆		
<i>Russula nigricans</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Fr.	n ₆		
<i>Lactarius rufus</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Fr.	n ₅		
<i>Laccaria laccata</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Bk. et Br.	n ₄		
<i>Tyloporus felleus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) P. Karst.	n ₃		
<i>Boletus edulis</i> Bull.: Fr.	n ₂		
<i>Hygrophoropsis aurantiaca</i> (Wulf.: Fr.) Mre.	n ₂		
<i>Scleroderma citrinum</i> Pers.	n ₁		
<i>Tricholoma saponaceum</i> (Fr.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₁		
<i>Cantharellus cibarius</i> Fr.	r ₃		
<i>Russula fellea</i> (Fr.: Fr.) Fr.	r ₃		
<i>Clitopilus prunulus</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Kumm.	r ₂		
<i>Russula virescens</i> (Schaeff.) Fr.	r ₂		
<i>Agaricus silvicola</i> (Vitt.) Peck	r ₁		
<i>Amanita muscaria</i> (L.: Fr.) Hook.	r ₁		
<i>A. pantherina</i> (DC.: Fr.) Krbh.	r ₁		
<i>Lepista flaccida</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Pat.	r ₁		
<i>Macrolepiota procera</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Sing.	r ₁		
<i>Rozites caperatus</i> (Pers.: Fr.) P. Karst.	r ₁		
<i>Russula cyanoxantha</i> (Schaeff.) Fr.	r ₁		
<i>R. fragilis</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Fr.	r ₁		
<i>R. sororia</i> (Fr.) Romell	r ₁		
<i>R. vesca</i> Fr.	r ₁		
<i>Tubaria furfuracea</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Gill.	r ₁		
<i>Xerocomus subtomentosus</i> (L.: Fr.) Quéf.	r ₁		
B. Litter — decomposing fungi			
<i>Collybia dryophila</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Kumm.	a ₁₂		
<i>C. butyracea</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₅		
<i>C. peronata</i> (Bolt.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₄		
<i>C. maculata</i> (A. et S.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₃		
C. Lignicolous fungi			
<i>Fomitopsis pinicola</i> (Sw.: Fr.) P. Karst.	a ₄₂		
<i>Fomes fomentarius</i> (L.: Fr.) Kickx	a ₄₂		
<i>Daedalea quercina</i> (L.: Fr.) Pers.	a ₃₀		
<i>Hymenochaete rubiginosa</i> (Dicks.: Fr.) Lév.	a ₂₃		
<i>Trichaptum abietinum</i> (Dicks.: Fr.) Ryv.	a ₁₆		
<i>Armillaria mellea</i> (Vahl.: Fr.) Kumm. s. l.	a ₂		
<i>Hypholoma fasciculare</i> (Huds.: Fr.) Kumm.	a ₁		
<i>Pholiota squarrosa</i> (Weig.: Fr.) Kumm.	a ₁		
<i>Ganoderma applanatum</i> (Pers.) Pat.	n ₁₆		
<i>Stereum rugosum</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Fr.	n ₁₆		
<i>Laetiporus sulphureus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Murr.	n ₉		
<i>Nectria cinnabarina</i> (Tode: Fr.) Fr.	n ₅		
<i>Stereum hirsutum</i> (Willd.: Fr.) S. F. Gray	n ₅		
<i>Bjerkandera adusta</i> (Willd.: Fr.) P. Karst.	n ₄		
<i>Dacrymyces stillatus</i> Nees: Fr.	n ₄		
<i>Mycena galericulata</i> (Scop.: Fr.) S. F. Gray	n ₄		
<i>Calocera cornea</i> (Batsch: Fr.) Fr.	n ₃		
<i>Phlebia radiata</i> Fr.	n ₃		
<i>Xylaria hypoxylon</i> (L.: Fr.) Grev.	n ₃		
<i>Exidia plana</i> (Wigg.) Donk	n ₂		
<i>Daedaleopsis confragosa</i> (Bolt.: Fr.) Pers.	r ₁₂		
<i>Fistulina hepatica</i> (Schaeff.): Fr.	r ₇		
* <i>Phellinus robustus</i> (P. Karst.) Bourd. et Galz.	r ₇		
<i>Heterobasidion annosum</i> (Fr.) Bref.	r ₆		
<i>Xerula radicata</i> (Reihan: Fr.) Dörfelt	r ₆		
<i>Peniophora quercina</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Cke.	r ₅		
<i>Paxillus atrotomentosus</i> (Batsch: Fr.) Fr.	r ₄		
<i>Trametes gibbosa</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Fr.	r ₄		
<i>Megacollybia platyphylla</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Kotl. et Pouz.	r ₃		
<i>Calocera viscosa</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Fr.	r ₂		
<i>Polyporus varius</i> (Pers.): Fr.	r ₂		
<i>Trametes versicolor</i> (L.: Fr.) Pil.	r ₂		
<i>Tricholomopsis rutilans</i> (Schaeff.: Fr.) Sing.	r ₂		
<i>Pluteus atricapillus</i> (Batsch) Fay.	r ₁		

Explanations: see Table 3—4

In the *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum* association the number of macromycetes noted was 120. Over 60% of the terrestrial fungi (Tab. 7) are mycorrhizal species accompanying different species of trees. Apart from those related to oak and beech trees, there are also those related to pines. The most frequent, but not really abundant are e.g. *Amanita citrina*, *A. rubescens*, *Boletus erythropus*, *Laccaria amethystina*, *L. laccata*, *Lactarius quietus*, *L. rufus*, *Russula ochroleuca*, *Xerocomus badius* and *X. chrysenteron*.

The group of litter-decomposing species (Tab. 7) is represented much less abundantly, the species most often met are *Collybia butyracea*, *C. dryophila* and *C. peronata*.

The contribution of lignicolous fungi (Tab. 7) in the patches studied is comparable to that of terrestrial ones. Relationships between particular species of fungi and trees (kind of substrate) are markedly visible. Such species as e.g. *Daedalea quercina* and *Hymenochaete rubiginosa* grow in large numbers on oak tree stumps and *Xerula radicata* — near beech tree stumps.

Analysis of macromycetes occurring in the *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum* in the park and in other regions of Poland has proved that many of the fungi species found in the area studied, e.g. *Amanita phalloides*, *Lactarius quietus* and *Mycena inclinata* are also frequently noted in other regions.

Contribution of ecological groups of fungi in the forest associations studied

The contribution of ecological groups of fungi in the forest associations in the area of the park is similar (Fig. 2).

The ecological group richest in species is that of terrestrial fungi (Fig. 2). The total number of taxons noted is 129, which makes up 48.5% of all the species observed in permanent plots. As far as the number of species is concerned, the group of terrestrial fungi is represented by from 2 to 5 times more species than herbal plants noted in permanent plots (Fig. 3). Among them the mycorrhizal species are dominant and make up almost 70% of the terrestrial species. The most frequent and abundant are those in mycorrhizis with beech trees, than those in mycorrhizis with the oak and pine trees.

The group of litter-decomposing fungi in the forest associations studied is not numerous (Fig. 2). In total the number of species observed is 26, so 9.7% of all fungi species in permanent plots.

The lignicolous fungi make the second most abundantly represented group. The total number of species observed is 112, which makes up 41.8% of the species noted in permanent plots. Analysis of the percent contribution of this group of fungi in the forest associations studied shows that it is the lowest in the *Melico-Fagetum* (41.7%) while the highest in the *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum* (46.8%). In this ecological group of fungi the parasitic species make up about 17%.

Table 7

Macromycetes occurring in phytocoenoses of the *Gallio sylvatici-Carpinetum* in the Iásko Landscape Park

Successive number	1	2	3
Number of plot	23	24	22
Reserve	WS	WS	KZ
Number of forest unit	411	411	510
Number of observations	42	42	41
Number of taxa	89	81	86
	1	2	
A. Terrestrial fungi			
<i>Laccaria amethystina</i> Cke.	a ₁₂	a ₁₅	a ₁₆
<i>Russula ochroleuca</i> (Pers.) Fr.	a ₁₂	n ₁₁	n ₁₂
<i>Boletus erythropus</i> (Fr.: Fr.) Krbh.	a ₁₁	a ₁₅	n ₃
<i>Amanita citrina</i> (Schaeff.) Pers.	a ₈	n ₅	a ₉
<i>Xerocomus chrysenteron</i> (Bull.) Quéf.	a ₇	a ₈	a ₁₂
<i>Stropharia aeruginosa</i> (Curt.: Fr.) Quéf.	a ₄	n ₄	a ₇
<i>Hygrophorus eburneus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Fr.	a ₃	n ₂	n ₁
<i>Paxillus involutus</i> (Batsch: Fr.) Fr.	n ₁₁	n ₉	n ₈
<i>Xerocomus badius</i> (Fr.) Kühn. ex Gilb.	n ₉	n ₉	a ₁₀
<i>Laccaria laccata</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Bk. et Br.	n ₈	n ₄	a ₁₀
<i>Lactarius quietus</i> (Fr.) Fr.	n ₇	n ₆	a ₁₁
<i>Amanita rubescens</i> (Pers.: Fr.) S. F. Gray	n ₇	r ₅	a ₁₁
<i>Clitocybe clavipes</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₆	n ₇	r ₄
<i>Lepista flaccida</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Pat.	n ₆	n ₄	r ₃
<i>Lactarius rufus</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Fr.	n ₄	n ₅	a ₉
<i>Lepista nuda</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Cke.	n ₄	n ₄	a ₇
<i>Russula nigricans</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Fr.	n ₄	n ₄	a ₆
<i>Tylopilus felleus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) P. Karst.	n ₃	r ₂	a ₃
<i>Cantharellus cibarius</i> Fr.	n ₃	r ₁	r ₁
<i>Hydnum repandum</i> L.: Fr.	n ₂	a ₃	n ₃
<i>Amanita phalloides</i> (Vaill.: Fr.) Link	n ₂	n ₂	a ₄
<i>Hygrophoropsis aurantiaca</i> (Wulf.: Fr.) Mre.	n ₂	r ₁	n ₄
<i>Russula fellea</i> (Fr.: Fr.) Fr.	r ₄	r ₄	r ₄
<i>Clitopilus prunulus</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Kumm.	r ₃	r ₃	r ₃
<i>Russula emetica</i> (Schaeff.: Fr.) Pers.	r ₂	r ₂	r ₁
<i>Leccinum scabrum</i> (Bull.: Fr.) S. F. Gray	r ₂	r ₁	r ₁
<i>Macrolepiota procera</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Sing.	r ₁	r ₁	a ₄
<i>Amanita gemmata</i> (Fr.) Bertill.	r ₁	r ₁	r ₁
<i>Clavulina rugosa</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Schroet.	a ₃	a ₂	.
<i>Tricholoma sulphureum</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Kumm.	a ₂	n ₁	.
<i>Humaria hemisphaerica</i> (Wigg.: Fr.) Fuck.	a ₂	n ₁	.
<i>Boletus edulis</i> Bull.: Fr.	n ₃	n ₁	.
<i>Inocybe geophylla</i> (Sow.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₃	n ₁	.
<i>Amanita muscaria</i> (L.: Fr.) Hook.	r ₁	r ₁	.
<i>Lycoperdon perlatum</i> Pers.: Pers.	n ₃	.	a ₉
<i>Stropharia squamosa</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Quéf.	n ₁	.	n ₁
<i>Amanita pantherina</i> (DC.: Fr.) Krbh.	r ₁	.	r ₁
<i>Russula cyanoxantha</i> (Schaeff.) Fr.	r ₁	.	r ₁

<i>Hebeloma crustuliniforme</i> (Bull.) Quéél.	.	r ₁	n ₂
<i>Scleroderma citrinum</i> Pers.	.	r ₁	n ₁
<i>Craterellus cornucopioides</i> (L.: Fr.) Pers.	a ₁	.	.
<i>Xerocomus subtomentosus</i> (L.: Fr.) Quéél.	n ₁	.	.
<i>Hebeloma sinapizans</i> (Paulet: Fr.) Gill.	r ₁	.	.
<i>Helvella lacunosa</i> Afz.: Fr.	r ₁	.	.
<i>Inocybe rimosa</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Kumm.	r ₁	.	.
<i>Leotia lubrica</i> (Scop.) Pers.: Fr.	r ₁	.	.
<i>Macrolepiota rhacodes</i> (Vitt.) Sing.	r ₁	.	.
<i>Tubaria furfuracea</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Gill.	r ₁	.	.
<i>Russula sororia</i> (Fr.) Romell	.	r ₂	.
<i>Agrocybe praecox</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Fay.	.	r ₁	.
<i>Boletus luridus</i> Schaeff.: Fr.	.	r ₁	.
<i>Russula vesca</i> Fr.	.	r ₁	.
<i>Scleroderma verrucosum</i> (Bull.): Pers.	.	.	a ₈
<i>Russula virescens</i> (Schaeff.) Fr.	.	.	n ₂
<i>Inocybe asterospora</i> Quéél.	.	.	n ₁
<i>Clitocybe nebularis</i> (Batsch: Fr.) Kumm.	.	.	n ₁
<i>Russula xerampelina</i> (Schaeff.) Fr.	.	.	r ₁
<i>R. fragilis</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Fr.	.	.	r ₁
B. Litter-decomposing fungi			
<i>Collybia dryophila</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Kumm.	a ₁₀	a ₇	a ₁₆
<i>C. peronata</i> (Bolt.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₅	a ₈	a ₈
<i>C. butyracea</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₄	n ₄	r ₂
<i>Hymenoscyphus fructigenus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) S. F. Gray	n ₂	n ₂	n ₄
<i>Mycena vitilis</i> (Fr.) Quéél.	n ₃	.	n ₃
<i>Collybia maculata</i> (A. et S.: Fr.) Kumm.	r ₂	r ₂	.
<i>Ciboria batschiana</i> (in Zopf et Sydow) Buchwald	r ₁	r ₁	.
<i>Mycena pura</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Kumm.	r ₁	r ₁	.
<i>M. galopus</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Kumm.	.	r ₁	n ₂
C. Lignicolous fungi			
<i>Fomitopsis pinicola</i> (Sw.: Fr.) P. Karst.	a ₄₂	a ₄₂	a ₄₁
<i>Mycena galericulata</i> (Scop.: Fr.) S. F. Gray	a ₇	a ₉	a ₁₁
<i>Armillaria mellea</i> (Vahl.: Fr.) Kumm. s. l.	a ₃	a ₃	a ₆
<i>Fomes fomentarius</i> (L.: Fr.) Kickx	n ₃₉	n ₃₀	a ₄₁
<i>Daedaleopsis confragosa</i> (Bolt.: Fr.) Pers.	n ₁₀	r ₃	r ₅
<i>Nectria cinnabarina</i> (Tode: Fr.) Fr.	n ₇	n ₆	a ₈
<i>Xylaria hypoxylon</i> (L.: Fr.) Grev.	n ₅	n ₅	a ₁₃
<i>Crepidotus variabilis</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₃	n ₅	a ₇
<i>Stereum hirsutum</i> (Willd.: Fr.) S. F. Gray	n ₃	n ₃	a ₁₁
<i>Calocera cornea</i> (Batsch: Fr.) Fr.	n ₃	r ₂	n ₅
<i>Exidia plana</i> (Wigg.) Donk	n ₂	n ₂	a ₂
<i>Calocera viscosa</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Fr.	n ₂	n ₁	n ₂
<i>Megacollybia platyphylla</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Kotl. et Pouz.	r ₅	r ₄	n ₄
<i>Pluteus atricapillus</i> (Batsch) Fay.	r ₄	r ₂	r ₅
<i>Daedalea quercina</i> (L.: Fr.) Pers.	r ₃	n ₂₈	r ₃
<i>Peniophora quercina</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Cke.	r ₃	r ₃	r ₃
<i>Schizophyllum commune</i> Fr.: Fr.	r ₂	r ₁	n ₄
<i>Pholiota lenta</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Sing.	r ₂	r ₁	n ₂

Tab. 7 cont.

1	2		
<i>Xerula radicata</i> (Relhan: Fr.) Dörfelt	r ₂	r ₁	r ₁
<i>Panelhus stypticus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) P. Karst.	r ₁	n ₃	a ₆
<i>Bisporella citrina</i> (Batsch: Fr.) Korf et Carpenter	r ₁	r ₁	n ₂
<i>Lycoperdon pyriforme</i> Schaeff.: Pers.	a ₉	.	a ₈
<i>Mycena haematopus</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Kumm.	n ₁	.	a ₁
<i>Marasmius rotula</i> (Scop.: Fr.) Fr.	n ₁	.	n ₂
<i>Ramaria stricta</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Quéf.	r ₁	.	r ₃
<i>Hymenochaete rubiginosa</i> (Dicks.: Fr.) Lév.	n ₇	n ₇	.
<i>Cyathus striatus</i> (Huds.) Willd.: Pers.	n ₃	n ₁	.
* <i>Vuilleminia comedens</i> (Nees: Fr.) Mre.	r ₁	r ₁	.
<i>Stereum rugosum</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Fr.	.	a ₁₄	n ₆
<i>Psathyrella piluliformis</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Orton	.	a ₁	a ₂
<i>Hypholoma fasciculare</i> (Huds.: Fr.) Kumm.	.	n ₂	n ₄
<i>Polyporus varius</i> (Pers.): Fr.	.	r ₄	r ₁
<i>Dacrymyces stillatus</i> Nees: Fr.	.	r ₁	n ₃
<i>Trametes hirsuta</i> (Fr.) Pil.	.	r ₁	r ₂
<i>Trichaptum abietinum</i> (Dicks.: Fr.) Ryv.	a ₅	.	.
<i>Heterobasidion annosum</i> (Fr.) Bref.	n ₁₉	.	.
<i>Hirneola auricula-judae</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Berk.	n ₁	.	.
<i>Phlebia tremellosa</i> (Schrad.: Fr.) Nakas. et Burds.	n ₁	.	.
<i>Ganoderma applanatum</i> (Pers.) Pat.	r ₇	.	.
<i>Paxillus atrotomentosus</i> (Batsch: Fr.) Fr.	r ₁	.	.
<i>Tricholomopsis rutilans</i> (Schrad.: Fr.) Sing.	r ₁	.	.
<i>Laetiporus sulphureus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Murr.	.	a ₅	.
<i>Crucibulum laeve</i> (Huds.) Kambly in Kambly et Lee	.	n ₁	.
<i>Exidia glandulosa</i> (Bull.): Fr.	.	r ₁	.
<i>Bjerkandera adusta</i> (Willd.: Fr.) P. Karst.	.	.	a ₃₈
<i>Trametes versicolor</i> (L.: Fr.) Pil.	.	.	a ₁₀
<i>Xylaria polymorpha</i> (Pers.: Fr.) Grev.	.	.	a ₇
<i>Pleurotus ostreatus</i> (Jacq.: Fr.) Kumm.	.	.	a ₃
<i>Mycena inclinata</i> (Fr.) Quéf.	.	.	a ₂
<i>Coprinus micaceus</i> (Bull.: Fr.) Fr.	.	.	a ₁
<i>Pholiota squarrosa</i> (Weig.: Fr.) Kumm.	.	.	a ₁
<i>Stereum subtomentosum</i> Pouz.	.	.	n ₆
<i>Phlebia radiata</i> Fr.	.	.	n ₄

Explanations: see Table 3-4

In the forest associations in the Ińsko Landscape Park, the contribution of particular groups of fungi significantly depends on the ecological conditions in the patches studied.

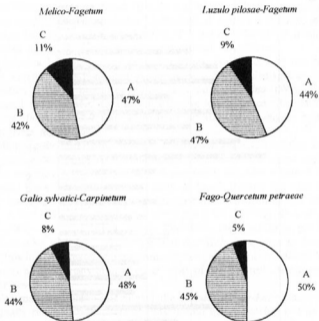


Fig. 2. Proportion of ecological groups of macromycetes in forest communities of the Ińsko Landscape Park

A – terrestrial fungi; B – lignicolous fungi; C – litter-decomposing fungi

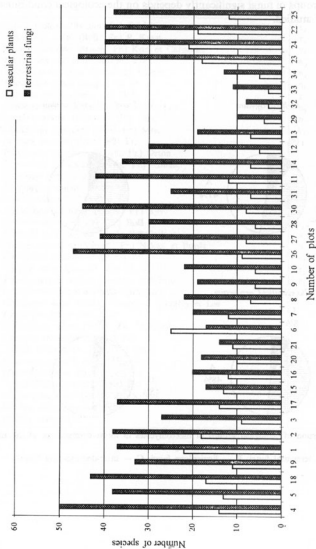


Fig. 3. Number of species of terrestrial fungi and vascular plants on the plots in forest communities of the Insko Landscape Park *Melico-Fagetum* — plots: 1–10, 15–21; *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum* — plots: 11–14, 26–34; *Gaio sylvatici-Carpinetum* — plots: 22–24; *Fago-Quercetum petraeae* — plot: 25

DISCUSSION

Macromycetes of forest associations in the Ińsko Landscape Park

From the mycosociological point of view, the *Melico-Fagetum* is the most comprehensively studied association. The species composition of the fungi found in the patches of this association in the area of the park is similar to that reported from other areas in Pomerania (Lisiewska 1963, 1966, 1974) and the Wielkopolska Lowland (Endler 1971), while shows some differences from those in the Częstochowa Upland (Adamczyk 1996) and other regions in Europe (Jahn et al. 1967; Thoen 1970, 1971), attributed to differences in the type of substrate and climatic conditions.

Against a background of the other forest associations of the park, the *Melico-Fagetum* is distinguished by the richness of exclusive species, including those often noted in beech forests e.g. *Mycena pelianthina* (Wojewoda 1975), and those related to the *Fagion sylvaticae* alliance (Lisiewska 1974) e.g. *Inocybe petiginosa*, *Marasmius setosus*, *Strobilomyces strobilaceus* and *Mycena fagetorum*.

Many species abundant in the *Melico-Fagetum*, e.g. *Collybia dryophila*, *Hypoxylon deustum*, *Laccaria amethystina*, *L. laccata*, *Pluteus atricapillus*, *Russula ochroleuca* and *Xerocomus chrysenteron*, are characterised by large ecological scale. They are met not only in beech forests, but also in other forest associations, mainly in oak-linden-hornbeam forests (Nespiak 1959; Lisiewska 1965; Ławrynowicz 1973; Gumińska 1991–1992; Friedrich 1994). Therefore, the hypothesis put forward by Nespiak (1968) and saying that the *Melico-Fagetum* is the association showing a greater connection in the aspect of its fungi to oak-linden-hornbeam forests than to other types of beech forests, seems supported by our results.

The macromycetes occurring in the *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum* in the park are equally rich and diversified as those found in the patches of this association in other areas in Pomerania (Friedrich 1986, 1994) but show some significant differences from those found in other regions of Poland (Domanski et al. 1963; Lisiewska et al. 1977; Adamczyk 1996) and Europe (Jahn et al. 1967; Pilát 1969; Thoen 1970, 1971), which is accounted for by differences in the substrates and climatic conditions.

As far as mycosociological relations are concerned, the patches of the *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum* in the ILP are similar to those of the *Melico-Fagetum*. This fact can be accounted for by the dominant role of beech trees in the tree-stand of both associations and the presence of the same species as admixtures, e.g. pine trees. These factors are responsible for weakening of

differences between the species composition of fungi in these two associations (Ławrynowicz 1973; Bujakiewicz 1981).

The macromycetes occurring in the *Fago-Quercetum petraeae* are most similar to those found in this association in the Cedynia Landscape Park (Friedrich 1994), while much less to those reported from the same associations in other areas in Pomerania (Lisiewska 1963, 1966, 1974; Bujakiewicz 1986) and the Wielkopolska Lowland (Enderler 1971).

In the aspect of species composition, frequency and abundance, the macromycetes noted in the *Fago-Quercetum petraeae* in the ILP resemble those occurring in the *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum*. This fact is a consequence of the dominant role of oak trees and a considerable contribution of pine trees in the tree-stands of both associations. The latter is manifested by the presence of some species in mycorrhizal relations with pine trees, e.g. *Cantharellus cibarius*, *Lactarius rufus*, *Paxillus involutus*, *Xerocomus badius*, and some lignicolous species related to this tree species, e.g. *Calocera viscosa*, *Paxillus atrotomentosus* and *Trichaptum abietinum*. A small contribution of *Fagus sylvatica* in the tree stand in this association in the park is probably the reason why certain species, e.g. *Lactarius blennius*, (noted in this association in other regions of Pomerania (Bujakiewicz 1986; Friedrich 1994) and abundant in neighbouring patches of the *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum*) do not occur in the association in the park. Also, the presence of such species as *Helvella crispa* or *Scleroderma verrucosum*, reported as distinctive for the *Fago-Quercetum* from the Darss Peninsula (Kreisel 1957) and from Netherlands (Jansen 1984), was not established.

The macromycetes found in the *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum* association make a group much poorer in species than those reported from the *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum* in the Wielkopolska Lowland (Lisiewska 1965; Bujakiewicz and Fiklewicz 1965; Lisiewska and Bujakiewicz 1976) or western part of Pomerania (Friedrich 1994).

Many of the fungi species occurring in the *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum* in the park have been also noted in patches of *Stellario-Carpinetum* in Pomerania (Friedrich 1979) and *Tilio-Carpinetum* in other regions in Poland (Nespiak 1959; Ławrynowicz 1973; Wojewoda 1975, 1978; Lisiewska et al. 1977; Gumińska 1991–1992; Lisiewska 1995; Bujakiewicz 1995; Skirgiełło 1995; Skirgiełło and Lisiewska 1996). They have been also reported from oak-linden-hornbeam forests outside the borders of our country (Pilát 1969; Winterhoff 1977; Horak and Röllin 1988), they are mostly characterised by a large ecological scale (Ławrynowicz 1973) and occur in oak-linden-hornbeam forests and in beech forests, e.g. *Stropharia squamosa* and *Boletus erythropus* (Lisiewska 1974).

In the ILP, the majority of the fungi species found in the *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum* were also observed in the *Melico-Fagetum* and the *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum*. This fact can undoubtedly be attributed to a great contribution of beech trees in their tree-stands as many of the species were those in mycorrhizae with this tree, e.g. *Hygrophorus eburneus*, *Russula ochroleuca* and *R. nigricans*. In comparison with the other associations in the park, the *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum* is characterised by the greatest mean number of fungi species.

Analysis of macromycetes occurring in forest associations in the ILP, against the analogous data for the same associations in other regions of the country, leads to a conclusion that the majority of fungi species from the area are characterised by wide ecological scale. Among them there is a group of fungi considered by Lisiewska (1974) to be associated with the Fagetalia order forests, e.g. *Collybia butyracea*, *Marasmius rotula*, *Mycena galericulata*, *Phallus impudicus*, *Russula cyanoxantha*, *R. nigricans*, and a group of fungi most often met in beech tree forests (Wojewoda 1975), e.g. *Collybia peronata*, *Hygrophorus eburneus*, *Lactarius blennius*, *Marasmius alliaceus*, *Mycena capillaris*, *Oudemansiella mucida*, *Polyporus varius*, *Russula fellea* and *Tricholoma ustale*. From the species belonging to the latter group *Mycena crocata* – noted in the Beech Forest near Szczecin (Lisiewska 1963) – does not occur. The presence of *Boletus luridus* was noted only once at a single site. It is a species preferring thermophilous beech woods growing on alkaline substrates, met on the Wolin Island and in the Cedynia Landscape Park (Lisiewska 1966, 1974; Friedrich 1994).

Among the macromycetes found in the forest associations in the park, there is a group of species in general rare in Poland and moreover often met in the mountains than in lowland areas, including: *Datronia mollis*, *Hebeloma radicosum*, *Hericium erinaceus*, *Panellus serotinus*, *Neobulgaria pura*, *Polyporus varius* and *Strobilomyces strobilaceus*. From among the species reported from very few sites in Poland *Stereum subtomentosum* found the optimum conditions for development in the park. Other rare species occurring in the park are: *Geastrum fimbriatum*, *Phaeolus schweinitzii*, *Polyporus tuberaster* and *Pluteus petasatus* (Wojewoda and Ławrynowicz 1992).

In general, the richness in species and the presence of many rare or endangered species make the Ińsko Landscape Park a very interesting area for the study of macromycetes.

Macromycetes as indicators of the status of forest associations

Fungi make an important and permanent element of each phytocoenosis on which they depend but which they also influence (Kornaś 1957; Wojewoda 1975). The contribution of fungi in patches of a particular

forest association depends on many biotic and abiotic factors as well as on the specific role of the fungi in the biocoenosis (Bujakiewicz 1982; Friedrich 1994).

The ecological group of fungi most abundantly represented in the forest associations studied was that of terrestrial ones. They enter into the closest relations with particular phytocoenoses and are relatively best suited to characterise a forest (Bujakiewicz 1982; Friedrich 1994). In the group of terrestrial fungi in the ILP the mycorrhizal species are dominant and make up almost 70% of all terrestrial species. A substantial contribution of mycorrhizal species in the forest associations testifies to correct biological relations in the phytocoenoses (Bujakiewicz 1982; Friedrich 1994).

The majority of forest trees cannot develop normally without a fungi partner (Meyer 1973), which not only provides nutrients for the tree but also protects it from disease inducing organisms (Rudawska 1990, 1993). Thanks to much advanced ecological speciation, the fungi are very sensitive to changes in the habitat conditions (Kornaś 1957). A disturbance in the equilibrium in the environment leads to mycelium withdrawal or its weakening, whose consequence is production of fewer fruit bodies or their less frequent production (Ławrynowicz and Nespiaik 1983; Przybylski 1993). Decreasing number of fruit bodies and disappearance of certain species of mycorrhizal fungi may indicate a decrease in mycorrhizal abilities of the spawn and indirectly also deterioration in the condition of trees. Degeneration of macromycetes and forest tree population are usually parallel processes (Termorshuizen and Schaffers 1987). Therefore, the fungi may play a role of indicators of the tree stand health status (Fellner 1993; Fellner and Pešková 1995) and changes in the habitat conditions in a given phytocoenosis.

The majority of mycorrhizal species noted in the park associations are those in mycorrhizae with beech and oak trees, while those accompanying pines are in minority. The domination of species living in mycorrhizae with deciduous trees supports the opinion of many authors (Ołaczek and Piotrowska 1986; Czerwiński 1993) that in beech forests and oak-linden-hornbeam forests, pine trees make a foreign element and the presence of the fungi species associated with pines is determined by the presence of the mycorrhizal partner.

The litter-decomposing fungi are saprotrophic organisms taking part in the process of decomposition of organic matter. Many species from this ecological group are associated with specific kind of substrate and plant community, which ensure the optimum conditions for their development (Bujakiewicz 1982; Friedrich 1994). The fungi from this group can also play a role of indicators of changes in the environment.

The lignicolous fungi are also strongly related to the kind of substrate, some of them more to the kind of tree while others more to the state of its decomposition. The majority of them are saprophytes as well as harmful parasites, depending on the mode of nutrition and functions in a given biocoenose. Likewise that of terrestrial and litter-decomposing fungi, their development is also determined by the status of the plant community as the microclimate it establishes decides about the rate of wood decomposition and fungi succession (Wojewoda 1975; Friedrich 1994). The frequency and abundance of fungi are determined by the abundance and availability of the substrate. In response to increased availability of substrate they can produce an increased number of fruit bodies or an increased number of species of such fungi may appear. Therefore, also this group of fungi may provide information on changes in the habitat conditions in a given phytocoenosis (Fellner 1993; Fellner and Pešková 1995). According to these authors, the quantitative relations of the mycorrhizal to saprotrophic and parasite fungi may be indicative of the health status of the tree-stand.

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Macromycetes zbiorowisk leśnych Ińskiego Parku Krajobrazowego

Streszczenie

Badania mikologiczne w IPK prowadzono w latach 1990–1997 na obszarze trzech istniejących rezerwatów przyrody: Kamienna Buczyna, Głowacz i Wyspa Sołtyski oraz dwóch projektowanych: Krzemieńskie Źródlika i Perłówkowe Buki (Fig. 1). Obserwacji dokonywano na 34 stałych powierzchniach, po 400 m² każda, wyznaczonych w najbardziej reprezentatywnych dla tego obszaru płatach zespołów leśnych: *Melico-Fagetum*, *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum* i *Fago-Quercetum petraeae*, oraz rzadkiego w tej części Polski zespołu grądu *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum* (Tab. 3). Łącznie stwierdzono 267 gatunków *macromycetes*, w *Melico-Fagetum* – 211 (Tab. 4), w *Luzulo pilosae-Fagetum* – 202 (Tab. 5), w *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum* – 120 (Tab. 7), a w *Fago-Quercetum petraeae* – 76 gatunków (Tab. 6). Do bogatszych w gatunki grzybów należy *Galio sylvatici-Carpinetum*, w którym średnia liczba gatunków na powierzchni jest największa – 85,3.

Analiza składu gatunkowego grzybów występujących w zespołach leśnych parku pozwala stwierdzić, że większość gatunków grzybów tu występujących odznacza się szeroką skalą ekologiczną. Wśród nich wyodrębnia się grupa grzybów uznanych przez Lisiewską (1974) za związane z lasami z rzędu *Fagetalia*, m.in.: *Collybia butyracea*, *Marasmius rotula*, *Mycena galericulata*, *Phallus impudicus*, *Russula cyanoxantha*, *R. nigricans*, oraz grupa grzybów najczęściej spotykanych w lasach bukowych (Wojewoda 1975) m.in.: *Collybia peronata*, *Hygrophorus eburneus*, *Lactarius blennius*, *Marasmius alliaceus*, *Mycena capillaris*, *Oudemansiella mucida*, *Polyporus varius*, *Russula fellea* i *Tricholoma ustale*.

Wśród grzybów występujących w zespołach leśnych parku wyróżnia się grupa gatunków na ogół rzadko notowanych w naszym kraju i występujących częściej w górach niż na niżu, np.: *Datronia mollis*, *Hebeloma radicosum*, *Neobulgaria pura*, *Panellus serotinus*, *Polyporus varius* i *Strobilomyces strobilaceus*. Niektóre spośród stwierdzonych gatunków m.in. *Hericium erinaceus*, *Phaeolus schweinitzii* i *Polyporus tuberaster*, znane są w Polsce tylko z nielicznych stanowisk.

Spośród ekologicznych grup grzybów wyróżnionych w badanych zespołach leśnych najliczniejszą grupę stanowią grzyby naziemne – 129 gatunków, a najuboższą grzyby naściółkowe – 26 gatunków. Grzyby naziemne liczebnością gatunków przewyższają rośliny naczyniowe wchodzące w skład badanych płatów (Fig. 3). Dominują wśród nich grzyby mikoryzowe, które stanowią blisko 70% liczby gatunków notowanych na ziemi. Grzyby nadrzewne, które są drugą pod względem liczebności gatunków grupą ekologiczną (112 gatunków), wykazują zależność nie tylko od obfitości i dostępności substratu, na którym się rozwijają, ale także od rodzaju i stopnia jego rozkładu.

Duży udział grzybów mikoryzowych w zbiorowiskach leśnych IPK świadczy o dobrej kondycji drzewostanów, o prawidłowych i pozostających w równowadze stosunkach biologicznych, panujących w tych fitocenozach. Grzyby pasożytnicze (około 17% liczby gatunków nadrzewnych), wśród których najliczniej występują: *Armillaria mella*, *Fomes fomentarius*, *Fomitopsis pinicola*, *Ganoderma applanatum* i *Heterobasidion annosum*, są przejawem osłabienia kondycji zdrowotnej pojedynczych drzew, nie stanowią jednak zagrożenia dla całości drzewostanów parku.

Obserwacje dotyczące występowania grzybów związanych z *Pinus sylvestris* sugerują, że jest ona eliminowana przez *Fagus sylvatica* i nie odgrywa większej roli w badanych zespołach leśnych.

Grzyby, będąc organizmami bardzo czułymi na zmiany warunków siedliskowych, mogą odgrywać również rolę organizmów wskaźnikowych i pośrednio, ale stosunkowo wcześniej, informować o zmianie tych warunków lub zachwianiu stanu równowagi ekologicznej.