

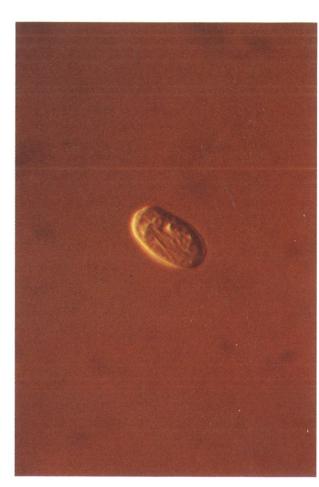
Figs. 3a & b. Giardia cysts showing immunofluorescence with specific antibody



Fig. 4. Giardia cysts stained with Iodine. Length c $12\mu m$. Note nuclei and crescent shaped body.



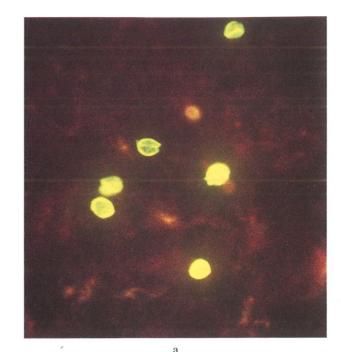


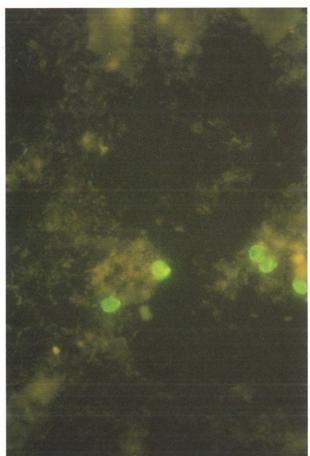


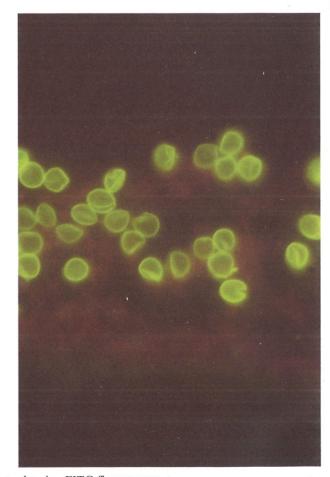
Figs. 6a & b. Giardia cysts under Nomarski Optics.



Fig. 7. Other material of similar size, but not Giardia or Cryptosporidium. Note absence of cell contents.







Figs. 8a to c. Cryptosporidium oocysts showing FITC fluorescence. Note, Fig. 8c shows numerous oocysts of *Cryptosporidium parvum* (bovine isolate) stained by immunofluorescence using the PHLS Mab/FITC conjugated stain, counterstained with Evan's Blue to quench background autofluorescence. The preparation has been photographed by epifluorescent illumination with a mercury vapour (HB050) lamp, a Leitz BG38 excitation filter and using a ×100 objective. The general appearance of intact oocysts is typical with uniformity of size (c4.5×5µm) and with a stained suture or fold line visible on the surface of some. On at least one oocyst the suture has opened and one oocyst has collapsed.

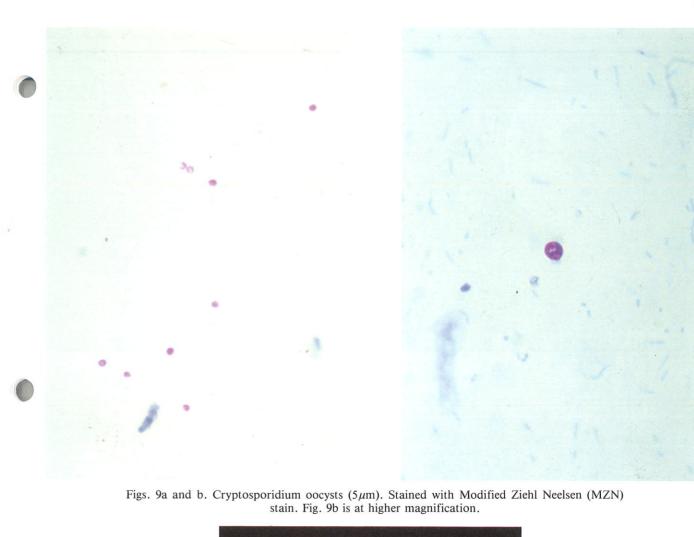
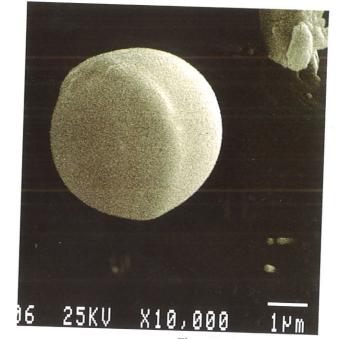
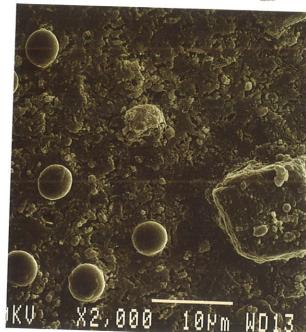




Fig. 10. Cryptosporidium parvum. Fluorescent sporozoites.





Figs. 11a & b. Cryptosporidium oocysts. Electron Micrographs. Note suture line shown clearly in Fig. 11a.

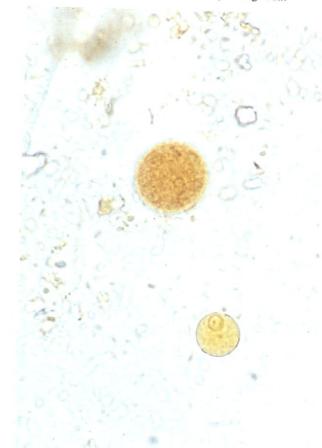


Fig. 12. Entamoeba coli - the large cyst poorly focused, AND Entamoeba histolytica ($12\mu m$) - the uninucleate cyst (in focus) stained with Iodine.



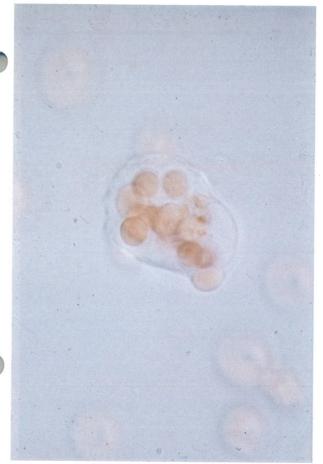


Fig. 13. Entamoeba histolytica trophozoite.

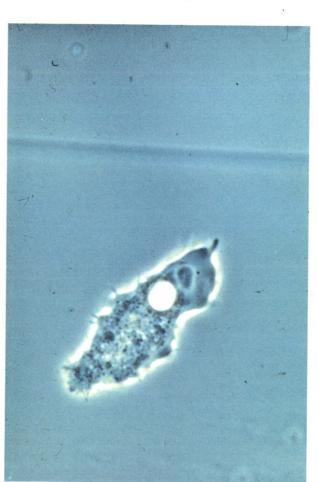


Fig. 15. Acanthamoeba trophozoite.

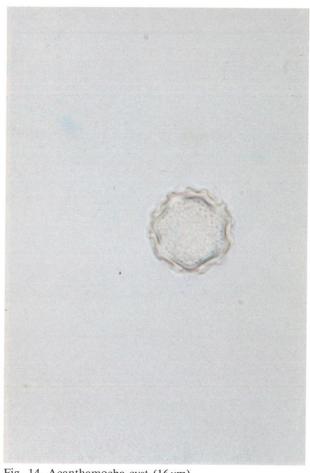


Fig. 14. Acanthamoeba cyst (16µm).

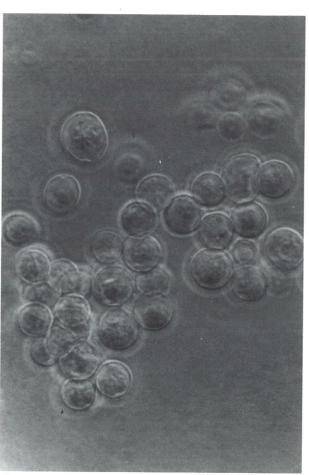


Fig. 16. Naegleria fowleri cyst (black and white photomicrograph).



Figs. 17a & b. Naegleria fowleri trophozoite.

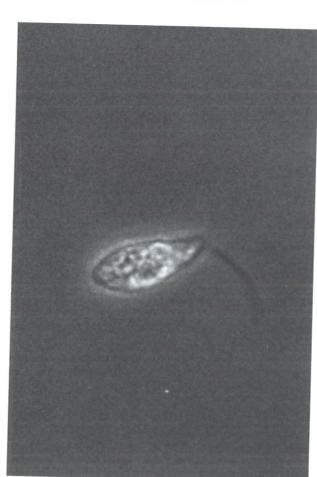


Fig. 18. Naegleria fowleri flagellate (black and white photomicrograph).

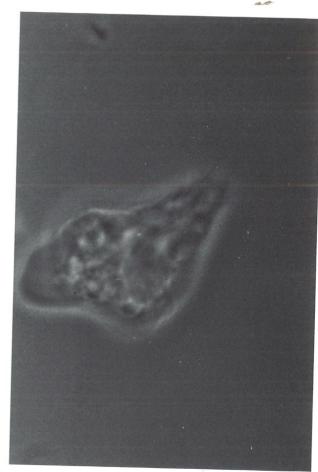


Fig. 17b. Black and white photomicrograph.



Fig. 19. Stobhill Washing Machine. Container removed to show the ultrasonic vibrator.

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