CHAPTER 3

CONCEPTUAL FRAMEWORK AND HYPOTHESIS

3.1 Conceptual framework of research



3.2 Conceptual Framework Explaination

Based on this conceptual framework, I started by extraction from the root of *Acalypha Indica Linn*. From the root extracts of *Acalypha indica linn* there were kaempferol glycosides, mauritianin, clitorin, nicotiflorin and biorobin, acalyphine, saponins, tannins, flavonoids, beta-sitosterol, aurantiamide, succinimide, flindersin, triacetonamine, quebrachitol, and hydrocyanic acid. Chemicals that has the potential to kill the eggs of *Aedes aegypti* are saponins, and flavonoids.

Flavonoids have а strong effect on Aedes aegypti eggs, where it affects the insulin-like peptide(ILP) hormone and ovary ecdysteroidogenic hormone(OEH) and inhibits the development of egg into larvae. This is due to the diffusion of this active ingredients into the Aedes aegypti egg which damages the structure of the tubercles. This causes inhibition of the egg development into larvae and causes the death of Aedes aegypti eggs. Saponin has spectrum activities. This is because it can affect the permeability of cell until the cell lyses. Finally, the eggs development into larvae stage is inhibited.

3.3 Hypothesis

1) Extract from the Indian Acalypha(Acalypha indica linn) roots has

bioovicidal effect against Aedes aegypti eggs.