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Antilipoperoxidant Activity of Astragali Radix on CCl₄-induced Hepatotoxicity

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The roots of *Astragalus membranaceus* Bunge (Leguminosae) have been used as an antiperspirant, diuretic, or tonics in the folk remedies.

Oxygen free radical injury and lipid peroxidation have been suggested as major causes of atherosclerosis cancer, liver disease, and the aging process.

In this study, we determined effect of CH₂Cl₂, EtoAc, and BuOH fractions of Astragali Radix on CCl₄-induced liver injured rats and measured liver homogenate MDA by TBARS assay and serum parameters.

The results showed that CH₂Cl₂, EtoAc fractions have antioxidative activity on lipidperoxidation.

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The effects on renal functions of Phellinus linteus

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Phellinus linteus(Polyporaceae) has been used as anti-tumor and immuno-stimulating agents in folk medicines.

In order to evaluate the effects on renal function of natural and cultivated P. linteus, we measured serum chemical parameter(BUN, creatinine, uric acid), urinary electrolyte(Na⁺, K⁺, Cl⁻) and urine volume in HgCl₂-intoxicated rats.

The results showed that MeOH Ex. of natural and cultivated P.linteus had significant diuretic effects and inhibited increase of BUN, creatinine, uric acid in renal failure rats.

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Effects of the Leaves of Zanthoxylum piperitum on the Formation of Lipid Peroxide In Vivo and Their Phenolic Compounds

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The effects on the hepatic lipid peroxide in bromobenzene-induced rats and phytochemical study on the leaves of Zanthoxylum piperitum A.P. DC. (Rutaceae) were investigated. The level of lipid peroxide elevated by bromobenzene was significantly reduced by the methanol extract of Z. piperitum. The air-dried leaves of Z. piperitum were extracted with boiling methanol. The extract was then fractionated into dichloromethane, ethyl acetate, n-butanol and water fractions. Silica gel and

Sephadex LH-20 column chromatography of ethyl acetate and n-butanol fractions yielded six phenolic compounds. Phenolic compounds were elucidated as 3, 4-dihydroxy benzoic acid, quercetin, quercetin 3-O-β-D-galactoside, quercetin 3-O-β-L-rhamnoside, kaempferol 3-O-β-L-rhamnoside and hesperidin by spectral analysis.

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Four New Neuroprotective Phenylpropanoid Esters of Rhamnose Isolated from *Scrophularia buergeriana* Roots

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Four new phenylpropanoid esters of rhamnose, buergerisides A₁, B₁, B₂ and C₁ were isolated from roots of *Scrophularia buergeriana* MIQ. (Scrophulariaceae). In addition, six known phenylpropanoids were authenticated as: (*E*)-cinnamic acid, (*E*)-*p*-methoxycinnamic acid, (*E*)-*p*-methoxycinnamic acid methyl ester, (*E*)-*p*-coumaric acid, (*E*)-caffeic acid, (*E*)-ferulic acid, and a phenylalcohol, 2-(3-hydroxy-4-methoxyphenyl)ethanol. These ten phenylpropanoids including the four newly-reported compounds, all attenuated glutamate-induced neurotoxicity when added to primary cultures of rat cortical cells in a dose-dependent manner. These results demonstrate that phenylpropanoids isolated from *S. buergeriana* may exert significant protective effects against glutamate-induced neurodegeneration in primary cultures of cortical neurons.

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Flavonoids from the leaves of *Salix hallaisanensis*

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For the investigation medicinal resources for salix species, the studies were carried out to evaluate the pharmaco-constituents in the leaves of *Salix hallaisanensis* (salicaceae) which have been used as anti-inflammation, analgesic, and diuretic agents in Korean folk medicine.

Eight flavonoids; three diosmetin glycosides, three quercetin glycosides, one luteolin glycoside, and one kaempferol glycoside were isolated by column chromatographic separating using Diaion HP-20, ODS gel, MCI gel, and sephadex LH-20. The structure of these compound were elucidated by physico-chemical evidence (¹H-NMR, ¹³C-NMR, IR, and FAB-MASS).

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Pharmacognostical Studies on the Ha Go Cho

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"Ha Go Cho (夏枯草)" is one of Chinese crude drugs used mainly as a diuretic. With regard to the botanical origin of "Ha Go Cho", it was reported by Su et al. that those from China was originated in the fruited spica of *Prunella vulgaris* L. of Labiatae. It was, however, for the herba or spica of *Prunella vulgaris* L. var. *ilacina* Nakai from Korea. According to survey of markets in Korea, most of the materials collected in the markets were seemed to be originated in *Prunella* plant, while some, were seemed to be *Thesium* plant of Santalaceae.