

Inhibitory Action of Phenylpropanoids on Phospholipase A2 and Phosphodiesterase in Asthmatic Guinea Pig Lung

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Effect of phenylpropanoids on Phospholipase A2 (PLA2) and phosphodiesterase (PDE) activities in the asthmatic lung tissue were studied in guinea pigs. Bronchial asthma were introduced by the challenge of aerosolized ovalbumin (OA) in the double-chambered plethysmograph at twenty one days after sensitization of OA in guinea pigs. Bronchoalveolar lavage fluids (BALF) were taken by bronchoalveolar lavage with HEPES buffer. Drugs were orally administered one day before antigen challenge. Asthmatic lung tissue were homogenized and centrifuged. Crude phosphodiesterase (PDE) in the supernatant of homogenized lung tissue were precipitated by 70 % (NH₄)₂SO₄ and purified by the dialysis into HEPES buffer for 18 hours. PLA2 activity were determined by the spectrofluorometric analysis. It shows that all of phenylpropanoids have the concentration-dependently inhibitory activity of PDE and PLA2 activities at the concentration of 10 μ M, but quinic acid at 30 μ M. Caffeic acid, sinapinic acid, ferulic acid, chlorogenic acid, coumaric acid and cinnamic acid at the concentration of 10 μ M inhibited significantly PDE activity as compared with control ($p < 0.01$), but these activity have less than that of prednisolone acetate. Sinapinic acid, ferulic acid and chlorogenic acid at a dose of 12.5 mg/kg inhibited significantly PLA2 activity in BALF as compared with control ($p < 0.01$), but their activity have less than that of dexamethasone or disodium cromoglycate. These results indicated that the more methoxy or hydroxyl radical in benzene ring of phenylpropanoids have, the more inhibitory activity of PLA2 activity.

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Inhibitory Action of Phenylpropanoids on Histamine Release from Rat Peritoneal Mast Cells

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Phenylpropanoids originating from vegetable kingdom have some biological activity. In this experiments, effect of phenylpropanoids on the histamine release from mast cells were studied in vitro. Rat peritoneal mast cells were isolated by the discontinuous gradients of Percoll and their histamine release by stimulation of compound 48/80 and A23187 at a concentration of 6.0 μ g/ml were determined. It shows that all of phenylpropanoids have generally the significantly inhibitory action on the histamine release from rat peritoneal mast cells, as it were, phenylpropanoids inhibited the anaphylactic, type I, hypersensitivity. Caffeic acid, ferulic acid and coumaric acid at the concentration of 10 μ M, sinapinic acid, coumaric acid, quinic acid and cinnamic acid at the concentration of 30 μ M, and chlorogenic acid at the concentration of 100 μ M, inhibited significantly the histamine release of mast cells by stimulation of compound 48/80 and A23187 as compared with control ($p < 0.01$). Caffeic acid has the most active. These results showed that the more hydrogen or hydroxyl radical in benzene ring of phenylpropanoids have, the more inhibitory activity on the release of histamine of mast cells have.

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Inhibitory Action of Phenylpropanoids on Delayed Types Hypersensitivity and Rosette Forming Cells

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Phenylpropanoids(PP), C6–C3 compounds, are widely distributed in many plants. In this experiments, effect of PP on sheep red blood cells (sRBC)–induced delayed type hypersensitivity (DTH) were studied in ICR male mice. SRBC were challenged by i.p. injection at two weeks after sensitization of i.p. injection of sRBC. Five days after the challenge of antigen, paw edema induced 24 hours after the last challenge by DTH, respectively. Drugs were orally administered one hour before the last challenge of antigen. Spleen cells were isolated by cytosieve, and rosette forming cell (RFC) to sRBC were determined. It shows that all of PP inhibited dose–dependently not only DTH, but also RFC. Chlorogenic acid at a dose of 25 mg/kg inhibited significantly DTH as compared with control ($P<0.01$). And also coumaric acid, sinapinic acid and caffeic acid at a dose of 50 mg/kg inhibited significantly DTH ($P<0.05$). Quinic acid at a dose of 50 mg/kg inhibited significantly DTH ($P<0.05$). Quinic acid at a dose of 12.5 mg/kg inhibited significantly RFC, but their activity were less than prednisone acetate. These results indicated that PP have significant inhibitory action on type IV hypersensitivity, as it were, PP can be inhibited cytokines production and proliferation of T_o cells.

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Inhibitory Action of Phenylpropanoids on Arthus Reaction, Plaque Forming Cells and Hemagglutinin titer

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Many kinds of phenylpropanoids(PP), C6–C3 compounds, are widely distributed in many plants. In this experiments, effect of PP on sheep red blood cells (sRBC)–induced Arthus reaction (AR) were studied in ICR male mice. SRBC were challenged by i.p. injection two weeks after sensitization of i.p. injection of sRBC. Five days after the challenge of antigen, paw edema induced 3 hours after the last challenge by AR. Drugs were orally administered one hour before the last challenge of antigen. Spleen cells were isolated by cytosieve, and Hemagglutinin (HA) titer and plaque forming cell (PFC) to sRBC were determined. It shows that all of PP inhibited dose–dependently not only Arthus reaction, but also HA titer and PFC. Chlorogenic acid at a dose of 25 mg/kg inhibited significantly AR as compared with control ($P<0.01$). And also coumaric acid, sinapinic acid and caffeic acid at a dose of 50 mg/kg inhibited significantly the AR ($P<0.05$). Quinic acid at a dose of 50 mg/kg inhibited significantly AR ($P<0.05$). Quinic acid at a dose of 12.5 mg/kg inhibited significantly HA titer and PFC ($p<0.01$), but it's activity was less than that of prednisolone acetate. These results indicated that PP have significant inhibitory action on type III hypersensitivity, as it were, PP can be inhibited synthesis of the antibody and immune complex.

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Inhibitory Action of Cinnamic Acid Derivatives on Heterologous Passive Cutaneous Anaphylaxis

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Cinnamic acid derivatives (CAD) originating from medicinal plants have some biological activity.