

Review of: "Toxicological evaluation of aqueous extracts of *Clematis hirsuta* and *Rhamnus prinoides*"

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Comments on the manuscript entitled Toxicological evaluation of aqueous extracts of *Clematis hirsuta* and *Rhamnus prinoides*

1. The manuscript is relevant for publication
2. The manuscript is well organized and clearly written.
3. The results are clear
4. Discussion addressed the results. But there is a limitation in justifying significant results such as weight gain difference between treatment group and control group.

Questions and clarifications needed.

In subacute toxicity study, you have written that you followed up and down procedure in method section. But you have reported results for fixed dose procedures such as 25 mg/kg, 75 mg/kg and 225 mg/kg. please clarify the actual procedure that you followed.