

Review of: "Phytochemical Contents, GC-MS Analysis and Hepatoprotective Effect of the Methanol Leaf Extract of Camelliasinensis (L.) Kuntze on Paracetamol-Induced Liver Injury in Wistar Rats"

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Introduction

- References are needed to back the claim that the plant "is sedative, anticarcinogenic, anti-bacterial, anti-diabetic, anti-tumour, and antiviral".
- The authors cited a study that examined the phytochemical properties of the plant. Providing a strong rationale to back the novelty of this study will elevate the paper.

Methods

- · A rationale for choosing the methanol extraction technique over other methods is needed.
- · How were the male and female rats distributed across treatment groups?
- · Approval of animal procedures from an institutional review board will improve rigor.
- · The authors could have maximized the opportunity to get more samples from other organs.

Results

- · Were there any sex differences within groups?
- · Using graphs in lieu of tables for data visualization will enhance readability.
- H&E images are not clear. The authors could use an immunostaining technique to assess liver function markers.

Discussion

This section could be improved by discussing the implications of their findings.

