

# Review of: "[Review Article] Pitavastatin: A Comprehensive Overview of its Mechanisms, Pharmacokinetics, Pharmacodynamics, and Adverse Effects"

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## **Pitavastatin: A Comprehensive Overview of its Mechanisms, Pharmacokinetics, Pharmacodynamics, and Adverse Effects**

This article aimed to review the therapeutic virtues of Pitavastatin calcium and elucidate its precise mechanism of action.

Regarding the strengths of this paper: The manuscript is well-organized, and references were properly cited in the text.

I have only a few comments that address the following questions:

- Please provide a more comprehensive discussion regarding the interactions of Pitavastatin with different drugs and food.
- Please write *in vitro* and *in vivo* with cursive letters when used throughout the text.
- Please explain all abbreviations before using them, in order to better and more quickly follow the text (OATP-1B1, RCT, MOA....).
- Figure 1: Where is the calcium?