

Table 8. Final body weight and organ weights data in F344 female rats given ferulic acid for 52 weeks

Item	Dose level (%)			
	0	0.5	1.0	2.0
Body weight (g)	226.5 ± 18.0	240.1 ± 11.4	239.4 ± 23.4	216.6 ± 11.9
Absolute (g)				
Brain	2.12 ± 0.04	2.15 ± 0.06	2.12 ± 0.06	2.11 ± 0.07
Lungs	1.47 ± 0.20	1.41 ± 0.12	1.40 ± 0.10	1.37 ± 0.15
Heart	0.709 ± 0.053	0.768 ± 0.069	0.748 ± 0.037	0.734 ± 0.070
Spleen	0.45 ± 0.04	0.47 ± 0.04	0.45 ± 0.04	0.43 ± 0.03
Pancreas	0.43 ± 0.13	0.43 ± 0.09	0.45 ± 0.07	0.42 ± 0.11
Liver	6.96 ± 0.62	7.37 ± 0.48	7.65 ± 0.59	7.68 ± 0.66
Adrenals	0.048 ± 0.003	0.053 ± 0.006	0.048 ± 0.004	0.040 ± 0.004 ^b
Kidneys	1.54 ± 0.16	1.64 ± 0.12	1.65 ± 0.10	1.51 ± 0.10
Ovaries	0.095 ± 0.015	0.100 ± 0.022	0.097 ± 0.008	0.084 ± 0.012
Uterus	1.43 ± 0.24	1.37 ± 0.21	1.22 ± 0.20	1.23 ± 0.20

^a Means ± SD.

Significantly different from control group by one-way ANOVA, Bonferroni multiple comparison test (^b $P < 0.01$).

Table 9. Relative organ weights data in F344 female rats given ferulic acid for 52 weeks

Item	Dose level (%)			
	0	0.5	1.0	2.0
Relative	(g/100g B.W.)			
Brain	0.94 ± 0.02	0.90 ± 0.02 ^b	0.89 ± 0.03 ^c	0.97 ± 0.03
Lungs	0.65 ± 0.09	0.59 ± 0.05	0.58 ± 0.04	0.63 ± 0.07
Heart	0.31 ± 0.02	0.32 ± 0.03	0.31 ± 0.02	0.34 ± 0.03
Spleen	0.20 ± 0.02	0.20 ± 0.02	0.17 ± 0.02 ^b	0.20 ± 0.01
Pancreas	0.19 ± 0.06	0.18 ± 0.04	0.19 ± 0.03	0.19 ± 0.05
Liver	3.07 ± 0.27	3.07 ± 0.20	3.20 ± 0.25	3.55 ± 0.30 ^b
Adrenals	0.0212 ± 0.001	0.0221 ± 0.002	0.0201 ± 0.002	0.0185 ± 0.002 ^d
Kidneys	0.68 ± 0.07	0.68 ± 0.05	0.69 ± 0.04	0.70 ± 0.05
Ovaries	0.042 ± 0.007	0.042 ± 0.009	0.041 ± 0.003	0.039 ± 0.006
Uterus	0.63 ± 0.11	0.57 ± 0.09	0.51 ± 0.08	0.57 ± 0.09

^a Means ± SD.

Significantly different from control group by one-way ANOVA, Bonferroni multiple comparison test (^b $P < 0.01$, ^c $P < 0.001$ and ^d $P < 0.05$).

Table 10. Mean food consumption in F344 rats at week 80 in two-years bioassay of ferulic acid

Sex	Dose	Food consumption (g/rat/day)
Male	0	13.8 ± 1.2 ^a
	0.5	11.9 ± 2.3
	1.0	12.2 ± 2.3
	2.0	14.3 ± 3.1
Female	0	9.0 ± 0.9
	0.5	7.1 ± 2.6
	1.0	6.8 ± 2.2
	2.0	8.5 ± 3.2

^a Means ± SD.

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