

The publishers have withdrawn the following articles due to scientific and publishing misconduct^[1-3].

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Editor

1. He H *et al.* Protective effects of Liuwei Dihuang decoction on early diabetic nephropathy induced by streptozotocin via modulating ET-ROS axis and matrix metalloproteinase activity in rats. *J Pharm Pharmacol* 59(9): 1297–1305.
2. He H *et al.* Protective effects of hydroxysafflor yellow A on acute and chronic congestive cardiac failures mediated by reducing ET-1, NOS and oxidative stress in rats. *J Pharm Pharmacol* 60(1): 115–123.
3. Niu YP *et al.* Beta-escin, a natural triterpenoid saponin from Chinese horse chestnut, depresses HL-60 human leukemia cell proliferation and induces apoptosis. *J Pharm Pharmacol* 60(9): 1213–1220.