

Summary

Possible toxic effects in Sprague-Dawley rats following long term treatment with the fruit juice of the hypoglycaemic plant Momordica charantia was investigated. While the general health of all animals remained good during the study, some lymphocytes were seen in the livers and kidneys of both control and test groups. Benign tumors were occasionally present in both control and test groups. The pancreatic tissue of all animals were normal.