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Title of the Manuscript:	Evaluation of Sodium Valproate-Induced Hepatotoxicity and Protective Role of Vitamin C (Ascorbic Acid) and Silymarin in Adult Albino Rats
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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### **PART 1: Review Comments**

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<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments	1. Introduction: the authors should include relevant studies on the protective effects of silymarin and vitamin C against liver toxicity. The novelty of this study should also be highlighted because there are many similar studies available. 2. Figure 3 and Table 1 repeat the same data. Please omit one of them. In Figure 3, the significant symbols for comparison with the VPA group and VPA+ SIL+ Vit.C group are required. In Table 1, the significant symbols should be changed, such as using *, #, and \$ instead.	
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments		
<b>Optional/General</b> comments	The manuscript described the evaluation of sodium valproate-induced hepatotoxicity and the protective effects of vitamin C and silymarin in rats. The histopathologic examination and biochemical assessment were used for the assessment. Overall, the study was appropriately designed. The data were reasonable and in agreement with previous reports. However, the novelty and contribution of this study should be clearly mentioned.	

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<b>Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?</b>	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)	

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