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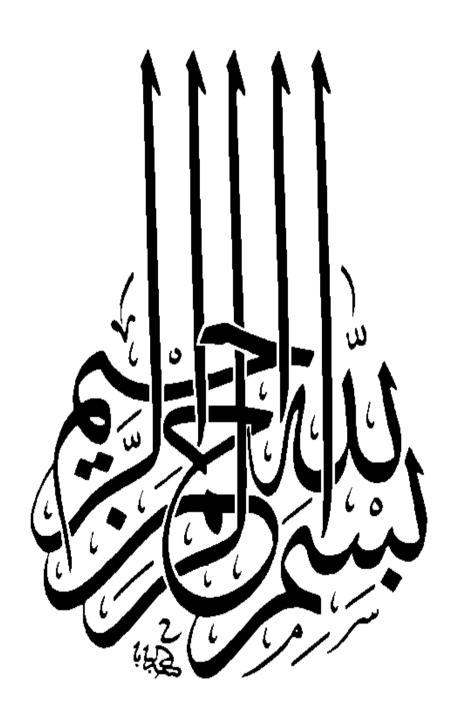
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ABSTRACT

In the present study, we examined the effect of mobile phone on the testes of 20 male Wistar albino rat using light and electron microscope. Moreover, we measured some parameters including testosterone level in blood, semen analysis and changes in some tissue enzymes. Exposure to mobile phone radiation for 2hours /day for 3 months lead to wide range of alterations in the light and electron microscopic structure of the testes of the exposed group compared to the control group. As well, it leads to decrease in testosterone, semen parameters and antioxidant parameters in comparing to control group. Therefore, long-term exposure to mobile phone radiation can affect male fertility.

Key words: Mobile phone, testes, male fertility, Wistar rat, histological examination, ultrastructure, testosterone, semen and antioxidant.

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