Laboratory of pharmacology and toxicology



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Research activity



Breve descrizione dell'attività di ricerca.

Research activities:

- -study of the physiological mechanisms of intra- and extra-cellular antioxidant defense and evaluation of the main biomarkers of oxidative stress;
- -nitric oxide (NO), nitrosothiols and other NOx: study of their function and metabolism;
- -study of the antioxidant properties of some new chemical entities;
- -study of the effect of the intra- and extracellular redox balance modulation on the progression of some pathological states.

Know-how and skills:

- -use of the main analytical techniques suitable for the analysis of biomarkers of oxidative stress;
- -use of animal models and ex vivo systems (isolated organs) for the development and pre-clinical characterization of new chemical entities.

Images







Technologies and services



Instruments and technologies:

- -chromatographic techniques: HPLC, gas-chromatography, gel-chromatography;
- -microsurgery techniques fro pre-clinical studies, in particular for perfused isolated organs;
- -apparatus for isolated perfused lung and liver;

Services:

- -accurate and validated analyses of biomarkers of oxidative stress;
- -metabolomic analysis in pre-clinical models;
- -bioavailability
- -first-pass metabolism analysis
- -renal clearance analysis

Applications and collaborations



Applications:

- -toxicological analyses on isolated perfused liver model for pharmaceutical companies;
- -toxicological analyses on isolated perfused kidney model for pharmaceutical companies;
- -analysis of biomarkers of oxidative stress for pharmaceutical companies.

For more information



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