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# *human* Chorionic Gonadotropin (hCG) from urine of pregnant women to manipulate in vivo ovulation and pregnancy of Madura cows

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#### Abstract

The purpose of study was to determine biological potential of hCG for ovulation and pregnantion in Madura cows. The research was done using 45 Madura cows no pregnant and no reproductive disorders devide three groups: 15<sup>th</sup> cows were i/m injected with 500 IU of hCG from patent product (Chorulon, intervet Holland) (T1), 15<sup>th</sup> cows were i/m injected with 500 IU of hCG from isolate of pregnant women urine (T2), 15<sup>th</sup> cows untreated synchronized group as control group (C). The results showed that there was no significant difference p>0.05 for ovulation and pregnancy, between hCG from patent product and from pregnant women urine.

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hCG is a gonadotropin hormone which is extracted from pregnant women urine at gestational 1.5 to 3.5 months (Hermadi *et al.*, 2018) and biologically it was known as LH like (Nwabuobi *et al.*, 2017). hCG have a therapeutic effect on receptive women. The use of hCG for in vitro process of cattle oocyte maturation has been done (Hermadi *et al.*, loc cit), but in vivo biological potential of hCG for ovulation and pregnantion has not been able to explain.

#### **Materials and Methods**

Urine collection of pregnant women 1.5 to 3.5 months, using charcoal for eliminating of steroid hormones and separating of hCG with sephadex coloumns chromatography G–100, Characterization of hCG isolates with SDS-PAGE and Western Blotting and purification was used Elusi method, Biological potential test of hCG for ovulation and pregnantly in Madura cows. 45<sup>th</sup> Madura cows no pregnant and no reproductive disorders, 2-3 years age with a minimum body score of 2 previously treated with feed concentrate a protein 15-17%, 3 kg/day/cow for 1 month. The cows were randomly devided : 15<sup>th</sup> cows were i/m injected with 500 IU of hCG from patent product (Chorulon, intervet Holland) (T1), 15<sup>th</sup> cows untreated synchronized group as control group (C). Before hCG treatment for manipulating ovulation and pregnancy were used PGF2 (15/gr) for estrus synchronized to Madura cows and then AI twice.

#### **Results and Discussion**

Pregnancy tests, quantitative blood tests and the most sensitive urine tests in humans usually detect hCG between 6 and 12 days after ovulation (Fricke *et al.*, 1993) However, it must be taken into account, however, that the level of total hCG can vary in a very wide range in the first 4 weeks of pregnancy, which causes incorrect results during this period (Butler *et al.*, 2001). An increase of 35% for 48 hours is proposed as a minimal increase consistent with an adequate intrauterine pregnancy (Santos *et al.*, 2001).

The results were showed positif estrus and ovulation and diagnosis of dominant follicles in ovary of estrus cow with USG tool (Figure 1)



Figure 1. Diagnosis of dominant follicles in ovary of estrus cow with USG tool

The results of ovulation were showed significant difference p<0.05 between control group (C) with hCG from patent product (T1) and from pregnant women urine (T2), but no significant difference p>0.05 between T1 and T2. This result allows the ovary to provide an opportunity to develop subordinate follicles to de Graaf follicles. The all groups: C, T1 and T2 were showed 100% of estrus symptoms, but just T1 and T2 were showed 100% ovulation based on diagnosis of dominant follicle in ovary of estrus cows with USG tool. In addition, the LH or hCG receptor is also expressed in granulosa cells. The hCG or LH signaling pathways do not fully overlap, and this fact may have implications for the use of hCG in reproduction techniques (Cole, 2010). The illustrating that gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) agonists, initially presented as a substitute for hCG, have led to a new era of GnRH agonists followed by hCG which triggers ovulation (Cole, 2009).

After ovulating that on day 60<sup>th</sup> in the T1 group with hCG from Chorullon, Intervet-Holland and T2 group with hCG from pregnant woman urine group respectively were showed a positive pregnancy of 100% (15 cows) and 90% (14 cows) and diagnosis of the 60<sup>th</sup> days of pregnancy appears on an ultrasound (USG) image (Figure 2).



Figure 2. Diagnosis of the 60<sup>th</sup> day of pregnancy using on an ultrasound (USG)

The hCG is a glycoprotein hormone which is isolated and purified for getting hCG proteins (Nwabuobi *et al.*, loc cit). The molecular weight of hCG are 37 and 22 kDa corresponds to a 10% sds-page result. The level of hCG in urine at 1.5 months of pregnancy women was 10.567 mIU / mL. The level of hCG in urine at 3.5 months of pregnancy women was 13.444 mIU / mL (Hermadi *et al.*, loc cit).

hCG is the Gonadotropin hormone extracted from the urine of pregnant women who have the highest concentration found at 1.5 to 3.5 months of gestation or 8 to 11 weeks to 4 months or 12-15 weeks during a positive pregnancy test. Biology is known to be identical to LH and is often called LH like. hCG is a glycoprotein hormone (Hermadi *et al.*, loc cit). hCG is not of a specific species which means that even though the urine produced from a pregnant woman continues to have a therapeutic effect on receptive women or patients, even hCG may be directly involved in the IVF process (Invitro fertilization) in humans. Comparative follicles begin to occur simultaneously but many become atresia during the luteal phase of the follicular growth cycle where one of them becomes the dominant follicle. The biochemical changes in the development of subordinate follicles to the dominant follicles when analyzed for chemical changes occur differently from the principles of FSH, LH and receptors (Daya, *et al* 1995; Roche, 1996). The use of hCG for the purpose of folliculogenesis in cattle has not been able to explain the mechanism of both invivo development of follicles in the ovary and invitro in the process of oocyte cattle maturation. Is the mechanism to follow endogenous FSH - LH rules or other factors. Research is needed that can help monitor ultra sonografi (ultrasound) instruments to determine follicular growth waves (Follicular waves) or oocyte maturation monitoring in vitro.

hCG is secreted by syncytiotrophoblast originating from diffuse and differentiated cytotrophoblast cells (Choi and Smith, 2014; Nwabuobi *et al.*, loc cit) for a long time, the main known role of hCG is the promotion of progesterone secretion by the corpus luteum in early pregnancy (Ng *et al.*, 2001), acting through hCG or LH receptors. However, recently, many other functions of hCG, not only in the placenta but also in the myometrium, uterus and fetus, have been described (Cole, loc cit; Kirk *et al.*, 2013; Guibourdenche *et al.*, 2009).

Cellular studies of folicullogenesis begin with the GnRH hormone, prevention of a low hormonal balance of FSH-LH is corrected first, for example, feed rations are improved with good and balanced feed quality, better environment, cleaner cages, air movement good, looser, often taken out of the cage to move more. If the situation has become better followed by injecting FSH-LH preparations or likes (FSH-LH) (5). Human Choironic Gonadotropin (hCG) does not have a specific species meaning even though it is produced from the urine of pregnant women still giving therapeutic effects to prescribed women or patients, even hCG can be involved directly in IVF (Invitro fertilization) in humans implantation process after embryo transfer depends on quality embryo and endometrial reception. It is estimated that fifty to seventy-five percent of pregnancies are lost due to implantation failure. There is evidence that there is an initial chorionic gonadotrophin secretion before implantation embryos, and this secretion has been associated with important functions in angiogenesis and the inflammatory response that drives the implantation process.

#### **Summary** :

The conclusion, manipulate invivo by use of hCG patent and hCG pregnant woman urine was followed by estrus, ovulation and pregnancy of Madura cows. The results showed that there was no significant difference p > 0.05 between the treatment groups (hCG from patent product (T1) and from pregnant women urine (T2)).

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- The manuscript describes the comparative utility of patented hCG (Chorulon) and hCG isolates from pregnant women urine, 500 IU i/m at AI, for manipulating ovulation and pregnancy in PGF2α synchronized Madura cows (15/gr), and concludes that there was no significant difference between two groups for ovulation (100%) and pregnancy (10. vs 95%). The idea is novel but raises following queries for the readers.
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#### **Results and Discussion**

The results were showed positifestrus and ovulation (Table 1) and <u>diagnosis of dominant</u> follicles in ovary of estrus cow with USG tool (Figure 1)

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	C.12	+	U.12	+
	C.13	+	U.13	+
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Figure 1. Diagnosis of dominant follicles inovary of estrus cowwith USG tool

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Figure 2. Diagnosis of the 60th day of pregnancy appears on an ultrasound (USG) image In the ultrasound image, the oblong round head and the hyper ecogenic spine show bone white and the hypoechogenic appearance of the middle is amniotic fluid.

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# *human* Chorionic Gonadotropin (hCG) from urine of pregnant women to manipulate in vivo ovulation and pregnancy of Madura cows

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#### Abstract

The purpose of study was to determine biological potential of hCG for ovulation and pregnantion in Madura cows. The research was done using 45 Madura cows no pregnant and no reproductive disorders devide three groups: 15<sup>th</sup> cows were i/m injected with 500 IU of hCG from patent product (Chorulon, intervet Holland) (T1), 15<sup>th</sup> cows were i/m injected with 500 IU of hCG from isolate of pregnant women urine (T2), 15<sup>th</sup> cows untreated synchronized group as control group (C). The results showed that there was no significant difference p>0.05 for ovulation and pregnancy, between hCG from patent product and from pregnant women urine.

Keywords : Madura cows, hCG, Pregnant women urine, Ovulation, Pregnancy.

hCG is a gonadotropin hormone which is extracted from pregnant women urine at gestational 1.5 to 3.5 months (Hermadi *et al.*, 2018) and biologically it was known as LH like (Nwabuobi *et al.*, 2017). hCG have a therapeutic effect on receptive women. The use of hCG for in vitro process of cattle oocyte maturation has been done (Hermadi *et al.*, loc cit), but in vivo biological potential of hCG for ovulation and pregnantion has not been able to explain.

#### **Materials and Methods**

Urine collection of pregnant women 1.5 to 3.5 months, using charcoal for eliminating of steroid hormones and separating of hCG with sephadex coloumns chromatography G–100, Characterization of hCG isolates with SDS-PAGE and Western Blotting and purification was used Elusi method, Biological potential test of hCG for ovulation and pregnantly in Madura cows. 45<sup>th</sup> Madura cows no pregnant and no reproductive disorders, 2-3 years age with a minimum body score of 2 previously treated with feed concentrate a protein 15-17%, 3 kg/day/cow for 1 month. The cows were randomly devided : 15<sup>th</sup> cows were i/m injected with 500 IU of hCG from patent product (Chorulon, intervet Holland) (T1), 15<sup>th</sup> cows untreated synchronized group as control group (C). Before hCG treatment for manipulating ovulation and pregnancy were used PGF2 (15/gr) for estrus synchronized to Madura cows and then AI twice.

#### **Results and Discussion**

Pregnancy tests, quantitative blood tests and the most sensitive urine tests in humans usually detect hCG between 6 and 12 days after ovulation (Fricke *et al.*, 1993) However, it must be taken into account, however, that the level of total hCG can vary in a very wide range in the first 4 weeks of pregnancy, which causes incorrect results during this period (Butler *et al.*, 2001). An increase of 35% for 48 hours is proposed as a minimal increase consistent with an adequate intrauterine pregnancy (Santos *et al.*, 2001).

The results were showed positif estrus and ovulation and diagnosis of dominant follicles in ovary of estrus cow with USG tool (Figure 1)

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Figure 1. Diagnosis of dominant follicles in ovary of estrus cow with USG tool

The results of ovulation were showed significant difference p<0.05 between control group (C) with hCG from patent product (T1) and from pregnant women urine (T2), but no significant difference p>0.05 between T1 and T2. This result allows the ovary to provide an opportunity to develop subordinate follicles to de Graaf follicles. The all groups: C, T1 and T2 were showed 100% of estrus symptoms, but just T1 and T2 were showed 100% ovulation based on diagnosis of dominant follicle in ovary of estrus cows with USG tool. In addition, the LH or hCG receptor is also expressed in granulosa cells. The hCG or LH signaling pathways do not fully overlap, and this fact may have implications for the use of hCG in reproduction techniques (Cole, 2010). The illustrating that gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) agonists, initially presented as a substitute for hCG, have led to a new era of GnRH agonists followed by hCG which triggers ovulation (Cole, 2009).

After ovulating that on day 60<sup>th</sup> in the T1 group with hCG from Chorullon, Intervet-Holland and T2 group with hCG from pregnant woman urine group respectively were showed a positive pregnancy of 100% (15 cows) and 90% (14 cows) and diagnosis of the 60<sup>th</sup> days of pregnancy appears on an ultrasound (USG) image (Figure 2).

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Figure 2. Diagnosis of the 60<sup>th</sup> day of pregnancy using on an ultrasound (USG)

The hCG is a glycoprotein hormone which is isolated and purified for getting hCG proteins (Nwabuobi *et al.*, loc cit). The molecular weight of hCG are 37 and 22 kDa corresponds to a 10% sds-page result. The level of hCG in urine at 1.5 months of pregnancy women was 10.567 mIU / mL. The level of hCG in urine at 3.5 months of pregnancy women was 13.444 mIU / mL (Hermadi *et al.*, loc cit).

hCG is the Gonadotropin hormone extracted from the urine of pregnant women who have the highest concentration found at 1.5 to 3.5 months of gestation or 8 to 11 weeks to 4 months or 12-15 weeks during a positive pregnancy test. Biology is known to be identical to LH and is often called LH like. hCG is a glycoprotein hormone (Hermadi *et al.*, loc cit). hCG is not of a specific species which means that even though the urine produced from a pregnant woman continues to have a therapeutic effect on receptive women or patients, even hCG may be directly involved in the IVF process (Invitro fertilization) in humans. Comparative follicles begin to occur simultaneously but many become atresia during the luteal phase of the follicular growth cycle where one of them becomes the dominant follicle. The biochemical changes in the development of subordinate follicles to the dominant follicles when analyzed for chemical changes occur differently from the principles of FSH, LH and receptors (Daya, *et al* 1995; Roche, 1996). The use of hCG for the purpose of folliculogenesis in cattle has not been able to explain the mechanism of both invivo development of follicles in the ovary and invitro in the process of oocyte cattle maturation. Is the mechanism to follow endogenous FSH - LH rules or other factors. Research is needed that can help monitor ultra sonografi (ultrasound) instruments to determine follicular growth waves (Follicular waves) or oocyte maturation monitoring in vitro.

hCG is secreted by syncytiotrophoblast originating from diffuse and differentiated cytotrophoblast cells (Choi and Smith, 2014; Nwabuobi *et al.*, loc cit) for a long time, the main known role of hCG is the promotion of progesterone secretion by the corpus luteum in early pregnancy (Ng *et al.*, 2001), acting through hCG or LH receptors. However, recently, many other functions of hCG, not only in the placenta but also in the myometrium, uterus and fetus, have been described (Cole, loc cit; Kirk *et al.*, 2013; Guibourdenche *et al.*, 2009).

Cellular studies of folicullogenesis begin with the GnRH hormone, prevention of a low hormonal balance of FSH-LH is corrected first, for example, feed rations are improved with good and balanced feed quality, better environment, cleaner cages, air movement good, looser, often taken out of the cage to move more. If the situation has become better followed by injecting FSH-LH preparations or likes (FSH-LH) (5). Human Choironic Gonadotropin (hCG) does not have a specific species meaning even though it is produced from the urine of pregnant women still giving therapeutic effects to prescribed women or patients, even hCG can be involved directly in IVF (Invitro fertilization) in humans implantation process after embryo transfer depends on quality embryo and endometrial reception. It is estimated that fifty to seventy-five percent of pregnancies are lost due to implantation failure. There is evidence that there is an initial chorionic gonadotrophin secretion before implantation embryos, and this secretion has been associated with important functions in angiogenesis and the inflammatory response that drives the implantation process.

#### **Summary** :

The conclusion, manipulate invivo by use of hCG patent and hCG pregnant woman urine was followed by estrus, ovulation and pregnancy of Madura cows. The results showed that there was no significant difference p > 0.05 between the treatment groups (hCG from patent product (T1) and from pregnant women urine (T2)).

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