Image Analysis of Thymus Size for Male and Female Rats in the Perinatal and Three-month Feed Study of Tris(chloropropyl) Phosphate ${ }^{\text {a,b }}$

|  | $\mathbf{0} \mathbf{p p m}$ | $\mathbf{2 , 5 0 0} \mathbf{p p m}$ | $\mathbf{5 , 0 0 0} \mathbf{p p m}$ | $\mathbf{1 0 , 0 0 0} \mathbf{~ p p m}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 , 0 0 0} \mathbf{~ p p m}$ |
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| Male |  |  |  |  |  |
| Thymus area $\left(\mathrm{mm}^{2}\right)$ | $29.0 \pm 1.6$ | $37.9 \pm 2.5^{* *}$ | $38.3 \pm 2.2^{* *}$ | $39.8 \pm 2.0^{* *}$ | $\_^{\mathrm{c}}$ |
| Cortex area $\left(\mathrm{mm}^{2}\right)$ | $20.3 \pm 1.3$ | $27.0 \pm 1.8^{* *}$ | $28.3 \pm 1.6^{* *}$ | $29.7 \pm 1.4^{* *}$ | - |
| Medulla area $\left(\mathrm{mm}^{2}\right)$ | $8.7 \pm 0.8$ | $10.9 \pm 0.9$ | $10.0 \pm 0.9$ | $10.0 \pm 0.8$ | - |
| Female |  |  |  |  |  |
| Thymus area $\left(\mathrm{mm}^{2}\right)$ | $22.7 \pm 1.4$ | $24.7 \pm 2.6$ | $29.4 \pm 2.7$ | $33.1 \pm 2.4^{* *}$ | $25.6 \pm 3.0$ |
| Cortex area $\left(\mathrm{mm}^{2}\right)$ | $17.7 \pm 1.0$ | $17.4 \pm 1.6$ | $21.6 \pm 2.1$ | $24.8 \pm 1.6^{*}$ | $18.5 \pm 2.2$ |
| Medulla area $\left(\mathrm{mm}^{2}\right)$ | $5.0 \pm 0.5$ | $7.3 \pm 1.1$ | $7.9 \pm 0.8$ | $8.2 \pm 1.1^{*}$ | $7.1 \pm 1.1$ |

Statistical significance for an exposed group indicates a significant pairwise test compared to the vehicle control group.
*Statistically significant at $\mathrm{p} \leq 0.05 ; * * \mathrm{p} \leq 0.01$.
${ }^{\text {a }}$ Data are presented as mean $\pm$ standard error quantitated with Definiens Tissue Studio ${ }^{\circledR}$ software.
${ }^{\text {b }}$ Statistical analysis performed by a one-sided Dunnett's test.
${ }^{\text {c All male rats in the }} 20,000 \mathrm{ppm}$ group were euthanized moribund or found dead by study day 5 .

