

TableS-1. Circulating nitric oxide (NO) levels induced by exposed to PM₁₀ for 4 weeks.

Group	Control		PM ₁₀		p-value*
	absolute level	relative to the baseline	absolute level	relative to the baseline	
Baseline	40.23 ± 5.79	0	32.09 ± 5.29	0	NA
NO week1	28.44 ± 2.62	-11.79 ± 5.26	37.64 ± 3.57	5.54 ± 5.76	0.046
NO week2	49.53 ± 8.34	6.84 ± 6.70	34.03 ± 5.17	1.93 ± 6.52	0.610
NO week3	38.61 ± 5.23	-1.62 ± 3.15	27.34 ± 1.86	-8.77 ± 3.32	0.147
NO week4	30.89 ± 4.77	-10.34 ± 3.87	29.31 ± 2.30	-4.18 ± 4.02	0.296
Integrated [†]	176.21 ± 24.32	-16.41 ± 12.43	152.31 ± 16.63	-3.63 ± 16.93	0.555

Rabbits were exposed to EHC93 (PM₁₀) twice a week for 4 weeks, total 16 mg/kg.

All IL-6 data are expressed as mean ± SE (μmol/l)

*p-value comparing the relative difference in NO levels from baseline between control and PM₁₀ groups.

†; sum of all measurements of NO across the 4 weeks