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The journey of pursuing a career in pharmacy is both inspiring and challenging, demanding rigorous preparation and a deep understanding of core concepts. The **GPAT (Graduate Pharmacy Aptitude Test)** exams have become critical gateways for aspiring pharmacists to secure admission to esteemed institutions and carve a path towards professional success.

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**Wishing you the best of luck on your journey to excel in the GPAT examination and beyond!**

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Director, GDC

# GPAT EXAM PATTERN & QUESTION ANALYSIS

A clear understanding of the GPAT-2026 pattern is crucial for aspirants. NBEMS, which conducts the exam, is responsible for establishing the exam pattern for GPAT.

Understanding the GPAT exam pattern helps candidates prepare for the test according to a schedule.

## GPAT EXAM PAPER PATTERN

PARTICULARS	DETAILS
Exam mode	Online mode
Frequency	Once a year
Exam Duration	3 hours (02:00 PM to 05:00 PM)
Type of questions	Multiple-choice questions
Total number of questions	125
Maximum marks	500
Marking scheme	4 marks will be awarded for every correct response 1 mark will be deducted for every wrong response No marks for no response

## GPAT-2024, 2025 EXAM PAPER ANALYSIS

SUBJECT	TOTAL QUESTIONS		
	NBEMS Pattern	2024	2025
Pharmaceutics and Allied subject	38	32	41
Pharmacology and Allied subject	28	41	34
Pharmaceutical Chemistry and Allied subject	38	31	37
Pharmacognosy and Allied subject	10	10	5
Other subjects of B.Pharm course	11	11	8
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>125</b>

## GPAT-2025 EXAM PAPER SUBJECT WISE ANALYSIS

SUBJECT	NUMBERS OF QUESTIONS
<b>PHARMACEUTICS AND ALLIED SUBJECTS</b>	
P' Technology	10
Physical pharmacy	16
P' Engineering	02
P' Jurisprudence	08
Biopharmaceutics	05
Dispensing pharmacy	-
Hospital and Clinical Pharmacy	-
<b>PHARMACOLOGY AND ALLIED SUBJECTS</b>	
General Pharmacology	03
Drugs Acting on ANS	03
Autacoids and Related Drugs	01
Respiratory System Drugs	03
Hormones and Related Drugs	02
Drugs Acting on PNS	01
Drugs Acting on CNS	02
Drugs Acting on CVS	02
Drugs Acting on Kidney	01
Drugs affecting Blood and Blood Formation	03
Gastrointestinal Drugs	01
Antimicrobial Drugs	05
Chemotherapy of Neoplastic Disease	02
Miscellaneous Drugs	01
<b>HAP</b>	<b>03</b>
<b>PATHOPHYSIOLOGY</b>	<b>01</b>
<b>PHARMACOGNOSY AND ALLIED SUBJECTS</b>	
Introduction of pharmacognosy	02
Alkaloids	01
Glycosides	01
Lipids and volatile oil	-
Resins	-
Tannin	01
Carbohydrates and Gum	-
Herbal formulation	-
Fibres	-
<b>PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMISTRY AND ALLIED SUBJECTS</b>	
Organic chemistry	13
Inorganic chemistry	-
Medicinal chemistry	08
Physical chemistry	04
Pharmaceutical analysis	12
<b>OTHER SUBJECTS OF B.PHARM COURSE</b>	
Microbiology	04
Biochemistry	02
Biotechnology	-
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# GPAT-2025

**These instructions should be followed by candidates while appearing in the Online Mode examination. This will familiarise candidates with the pattern /procedure of the examination.**

**The medium of Question Paper shall be in English only.**

**GPAT is an online computer-based test of 3 hours duration with 125 objective type questions.**

1. Each question carries 04 (four) marks.
  2. For each correct response candidate will get 04 (four) marks.
  3. For each incorrect response 01 (one) mark will be deducted from the total score.
- The clock will be set at the server. The countdown timer in the top right corner of screen will display the remaining time available for you to complete the examination. When the timer reaches zero, the examination will end by itself. You will not be required to end or submit your examination.
  - According to NBEMS, the GPAT question paper will be divided into five time-bound sections (A, B, C, D, and E). Each section will have 25 questions and 36 minutes allotted per section .
  - The question palette displayed on the right side of screen will show the status of each question using one of the following symbols



- The flaged question simply indicates that you would like to look at the question again.
- If a question is answered than flaged will not be considered in the evaluation.

## **Navigating to a question**

### **To answer a question do the following**

- Click on the question number in the question palette to go to that question directly
- Select an answer for a multiple choice type question. Click on Save and next to save your answer for the current question and then go to next question.
- Click on Flaged and Next to save your answer for the current question, mark it for review and then go to next question.
- Caution: Note that if the answer you will not save and you navigate to another question directly by clicking on its question number that will not be marked.

***You can view all the questions by clicking on the question paper button. Note that the options for multiple choice type question will not be shown***

# GPAT-2025

## PY - PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

### PHARMACEUTICS

1. What is the USP prescribed maximum concentration limit for Benzalkonium chloride to be used as preservative in parenteral formulations

- (a) 0.05%                      (b) 0.005%  
(c) 0.01%                      (d) 0.001%

2. Which of the following is the correctly matched pair

P. True density	(i) Reciprocal of bulk density
Q. Granule density	(ii) Graduated cylinder method
R. Bulk density	(iii) Helium pycnometer
S. Bulkiness	(iv) Mercury displacement method

- (a) P(i), Q(ii), R(iv), S(iii)  
(b) P(iii), Q(iv), R(ii), S(i)  
(c) P(i), Q(ii), R(iii), S(iv)  
(d) P(iii), Q(ii), R(iv), S(i)

3. Rheogram of which system does not start from the origin

- (a) Pseudoplastic systems  
(b) Dilatant systems  
(c) Newtonian systems  
(d) Plastic systems

4. In supercritical fluid extraction, critical temperature ( $t_c$ ) and critical pressure ( $p_c$ ) for  $CO_2$  are

- (a) 31°C and 54 atm      (b) 51°C and 54 atm  
(c) 31°C and 74 atm      (d) 51°C and 74 atm

5. Which of the following diluent is incompatible with primary amines

- (a) Lactose  
(b) Mannitol  
(c) Microcrystalline Cellulose

(d) Dextrose

6. When the highest dose of a drug is soluble in 250 ml or less of an aqueous medium over the pH range from 1 to 6.8 at 37°C and the extent of absorption in humans is expected to be more than or equal to 85 % of the administered dose, the drug is said to be classified in which of the BCS Class

- (a) Class III                      (b) Class II  
(c) Class IV                      (d) Class I

7. Which is an example of continuous shelf moving bed dryer

- (a) Vacuum Tumble Dryer  
(b) Tray Dryer  
(c) Spray Dryer  
(d) Turbo Tray Dryer

8. Which among the following is a class-II methods for tonicity adjustment

- (a) White Vincent method  
(b) Molecular concentration method  
(c) Cryoscopic method  
(d) Sodium chloride equivalent method

9. If the granule density of potassium bicarbonate powder is 2.350 g/cc and true density is 3.560 g/cc, then determine intraparticle porosity

- (a) 0.56                              (b) 0.24  
(c) 0.66                              (d) 0.34

10. Minimum manufacturing space required for "Habb-Unani medicine" as per Schedule T of Drugs and Cosmetic Act is

- (a) 100 Sq Ft                      (b) 200 Sq Ft  
(c) 150 Sq Ft                      (d) 50 Sq Ft

11. The iron content present in the gelatin for the manufacturing of soft gelatin capsules shell should not exceed

- (a) 50 PPM                      (b) 15 PPM  
(c) 20 PPM                      (d) 25 PPM



- 12. Manufacturing specifications for tooling have been standardized by**  
 (a) Physican Desk reference of Industry  
 (b) National Drug Code  
 (c) Academy of Pharmaceutical Sciences  
 (d) Indian Pharmacopeial Commission
- 13. Which instrument is used for measurement of structural breakdown in thixotropic material**  
 (a) Viscometer (b) Planimeter  
 (c) Orifice meter (d) Rotameter
- 14. Amongst the following liquids, which liquid has a highest surface tension against water at 20°C**  
 (a) Carbon Tetrachloride  
 (b) Mercury  
 (c) Oleic acid  
 (d) Octane
- 15. When the log number of microorganisms is plotted against time, an essentially straight line results. The inverse slope of this line is called**  
 (a) Half life (b) Thermal death time  
 (c) D value (d) Z value
- 16. Which of the following is a characteristic of a deflocculated suspension**  
 (a) A sediment is formed rapidly  
 (b) Suspension is easily redispersable  
 (c) A sediment is formed slowly  
 (d) Particles form loose aggregates
- 17. For a drug if the label or the container bears the name of an individual or company purporting to be the manufacturer of the drug where the individual or company is fictitious or does not exist, such a drug is called**  
 (a) Adulterated drug (b) Mixed drug  
 (c) Spurious drug (d) Misbranded drug
- 18. Match the following**
- |                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| <b>A) Schedule G</b>   | <b>P) Life period of drugs</b>            |
| <b>B) Schedule H</b>   | <b>Q) Standards for Surgical dressing</b> |
| <b>C) Schedule F-2</b> | <b>R) Drugs to be used under RMP</b>      |
| <b>D) Schedule P</b>   | <b>S) List of Prescription drugs</b>      |
- (a) A-P; B-Q; C-R & D-S (b) A-R; B-S; C-Q & D-P  
 (c) A-P; B-Q; C-S & D-R (d) A-R; B-S; C-P & D-Q
- 19. The particle size range that can be analysed by Optical Microscopy method is**  
 (a) 500-1000  $\mu\text{m}$  (b) 0.001-0.1  $\mu\text{m}$   
 (c) 200-500  $\mu\text{m}$  (d) 0.5-150  $\mu\text{m}$
- 20. Molecules in the smectic liquid crystals are characterized by which one of the following**  
 (a) Mobility in three directions and rotation in one axis  
 (b) Mobility in two directions and no rotation  
 (c) Mobility in two directions and rotation in one axis  
 (d) Mobility in three directions and no rotation
- 21. Triple point of water occurs at which temperature and pressure**  
 (a) 0.098°C and 4.58 mmHg  
 (b) 0.0098°F and 4.58 mmHg  
 (c) 0.098°F and 4.58 mmHg  
 (d) 0.0098°C and 4.58 mmHg
- 22. How much volume of raw spirit can an excise officer withdraw as sample**  
 (a) Maximum three samples from a batch each not more than 100 mL  
 (b) Maximum three samples from a batch each not more than 150 mL  
 (c) Maximum two samples from a batch each not more than 150 mL  
 (d) Maximum two samples from a batch each not more than 100 mL
- 23. According to USP, sparingly soluble refers to how many parts of solvent is required to dissolve one part of the solute**  
 (a) From 30 to 100  
 (b) From 10 to 30  
 (c) From 100 to 1000  
 (d) From 1000 to 10000
- 24. Which equation is used for explaining the theory of filtration**  
 (a) Dalton's equation  
 (b) Darcy's equation  
 (c) BET equation  
 (d) Stoke's equation

38. **Multimeric enzymes which binds substrate in a cooperative fashion analogous to the binding of oxygen in haemoglobin can be best studied by**
- (a) Hill coefficient
  - (b) Hansch plot
  - (c) Michaelis-Menten expression
  - (d) Craig's plot
39. **The Kozeny - Carman equation is related to**
- (a) Pressure drop in turbulent flow
  - (b) Sedimentation velocity
  - (c) Heat transfer coefficient
  - (d) Permeability to particle size and bed porosity
40. **An antibiotic has an elimination half life of 3 to 6 hours in the general population. A patient was given an IV infusion of an antibiotic at an infusion rate of 15 mg/h. Blood samples were taken at 8 and 24 hours, and plasma drug concentrations were 5.5 and 6.5 mg/L, respectively. Estimate the elimination half - life of the drug in this patient**
- (a) 3.58 hours
  - (b) 1.58 hours
  - (c) 4.96 hours
  - (d) 2.96 hours
41. **Manucol is also known as**
- (a) Alginic acid
  - (b) Guar gum
  - (c) Sodium alginate
  - (d) Carbopol

**PHARMACOLOGY**

42. **Match the following**

MECHANISM OF ACTION	DRUG
1. Inhibits arabinosyl transferases	a. Rifampicin
2. Inhibits DNA dependent RNA polymerase	b. Bedaquiline
3. Inhibits folate synthase	c. Ethambutol
4. Inhibits mycobacterial ATP-synthase	d. Para-aminosalicylic acid

- (a) 1-c, 2-a, 3-b, 4-d
  - (b) 1-c, 2-a, 3-d, 4-b
  - (c) 1-a, 2-c, 3-d, 4-b
  - (d) 1-b, 2-a, 3-c, 4-d
43. **What is the fasting physiological pH value in the jejunum**
- (a)  $4.8 \pm 0.4$
  - (b)  $6.8 \pm 0.4$
  - (c)  $3.2 \pm 0.4$
  - (d)  $8.6 \pm 0.4$
44. **Furosemide inhibits**
- (a) The  $\text{Na}^+/\text{K}^+$  co-transporter in the distal nephron and collecting tubules
  - (b) The  $\text{Na}^+/\text{Cl}^-$  co-transporter in the distal convoluted tubule
  - (c) The  $\text{Na}^+$  channel controlled by aldosterone's protein mediator
  - (d) The  $\text{Na}^+/\text{K}^+/2\text{Cl}^-$  co-transporter in the ascending loop of Henle
45. **Which of the following is a peroxisome proliferator-activated receptor gamma agonist**
- (a) Acarbose
  - (b) Metformin
  - (c) Sulphonyl ureas
  - (d) Pioglitazone
46. **Select the proper sequence from start of contraction regarding skeletal muscle contraction**
- A. Release of calcium from sarcoplasmic reticulum after change in potential
  - B. Stimulation of motor end plate with acetylcholine
  - C. Troponin binds with calcium causing expose of binding sites for myosin
  - D. Actin and myosin crossbridge leads to power stroke
- (a) BCDA
  - (b) BACD
  - (c) ABCD
  - (d) BCAD
47. **Match the following**
- Pancreatic islet cells type Secretory Product**
- 1. Alpha ( $\alpha$ ) cell
  - 2. Beta ( $\beta$ ) cell
  - 3. Delta ( $\delta$ ) cell
  - 4. G cell
  - a. Glucagon
  - b. Somatostatin
  - c. Gastrin
  - d. Proinsulin
- (a) 1-a, 2-d, 3-b, 4-c
  - (b) 1-d, 2-a, 3-c, 4-b
  - (c) 1-a, 2-d, 3-c, 4-b
  - (d) 1-a, 2-b, 3-c, 4-d



61. Which of the following is a characteristic of HIV infection
- (a) Increased B cell function
  - (b) Increased CD8<sup>+</sup> T cells
  - (c) Increased natural killer cell activity
  - (d) Depletion of CD4<sup>+</sup> T cells
62. All of the following are long acting GnRH agonists EXCEPT
- (a) Cabergoline
  - (b) Buserelin
  - (c) Ganirelix
  - (d) Triptorelin
63. Which one of the following is used in the treatment of bronchial asthma and belongs to beta-2 sympathomimetics
- (a) Salmeterol
  - (b) Theophylline
  - (c) Ipratropium bromide
  - (d) Ketotifen
64. Which of the following anticancer medications causes Hand - Foot syndrome
- (a) Methotrexate
  - (b) Vincristine
  - (c) Doxorubicin
  - (d) Capecitabine
65. Which nasal decongestant is a selective  $\alpha$ -2 adrenergic receptor agonist
- (a) Loratadine
  - (b) Oxymetazoline
  - (c) Cetirizine
  - (d) Montelukast
66. After which phase of clinical trial, can a pharmaceutical company submit new drug application (NDA) to the licensing authority
- (a) Phase IV
  - (b) Phase I
  - (c) Phase III
  - (d) Phase II
67. Antiviral drugs used for the treatment of influenza act by inhibiting the enzyme
- (a) DNA polymerase
  - (b) Neuraminidase
  - (c) Reverse transcriptase
  - (d) Protease
68. 5HT<sub>2A/2C</sub> inhibitor used to treat migraine is
- (a) Methysergide
  - (b) Metoclopramide
  - (c) Renzapride
  - (d) Ketanserin
69. Which electrolyte imbalance is commonly associated with Amphotericin B
- (a) Hyponatremia
  - (b) Hypokalemia
  - (c) Hypermagnesemia
  - (d) Hypercalcemia
70. A type IV PDE inhibitor used for the treatment of COPD is
- (a) Roflumilast
  - (b) Reslizumab
  - (c) Cromoglicate
  - (d) Montelukast
71. Bambuterol is a prodrug of
- (a) Albuterol
  - (b) Indacaterol
  - (c) Terbutaline
  - (d) Salmeterol
72. Which of the following pair is correctly matched in terms of laxative type and its mechanism of action
- (a) Lubiprostone : Faecal softener
  - (b) Lactulose : Stimulant laxative
  - (c) Senna : Bulk forming laxative
  - (d) Prucalopride : 5-HT<sub>4</sub> agonist
73. What score range is categorized as 'Probable' in the Naranjo Causality Assessment Scale for adverse drug reactions (ADR)
- (a)  $\geq 9$
  - (b)  $\leq 0$
  - (c) 5 - 8
  - (d) 1 - 4
74. Bempedoic acid, a dicarboxylic acid, is a new class of cholesterol-lowering drug that act by inhibiting
- (a) Apolipoprotein B-100 synthesis
  - (b) Proprotein Convertase Subtilisin/Kexin type 9
  - (c) ATP-citrate lyase
  - (d) Microsomal Triglyceride transfer protein
75. Which of the following causes shift in the oxygen-hemoglobin dissociation curve to the right
- (a) Decreased H<sup>+</sup> concentration
  - (b) Increased PO<sub>2</sub>
  - (c) Increased PCO<sub>2</sub>
  - (d) Decreased PCO<sub>2</sub>

## PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMISTRY

76. Arrange the following alkenes in order of its stability

- (a) Cis-2-butene > trans-2-butene > but-1-ene > isobutene  
 (b) Trans-2-butene > isobutene > cis-2-butene > but-1-ene  
 (c) Trans-2-butene > cis-2-butene > isobutene > but-1-ene  
 (d) Isobutene > trans-2-butene > cis-2-butene > but-1-ene

77. Pyridine is a base with  $K_b$  equal to

- (a)  $3.8 \times 10^{-7}$  (b)  $1.7 \times 10^{-12}$   
 (c)  $3.2 \times 10^{-6}$  (d)  $2.3 \times 10^{-9}$

78. Which technique is employed for the location of radioactive isotopes in biological and other materials by using X-ray sensitive film

- (a) Sequential analysis  
 (b) Autoradiography  
 (c) Precursor-product sequence  
 (d) Liquid Scintillation Counter

79. Cis-trans (Z/E) isomerism is exhibited by all except

- (a) 2-chloro-3-hexene  
 (b) 1-butene  
 (c) 4-chloro-2-pentene  
 (d) 2-butene-1-ol

80. Alkyl halides are converted into alkanes by

- (a) Birch reduction  
 (b) Grignard reagent  
 (c) Sabatier-Senderens reaction  
 (d) Wurtz reaction

81. Benzene undergoes Friedel-Crafts reaction with isopropyl bromide in the presence of anhydrous aluminum chloride catalyst to give

- (a) Acetophenone (b) Isopropylbenzene  
 (c) n-Propylbenzene (d) Benzophenone

82. n-Butane exists in how many numbers of conformational isomers

- (a) One anti and two gauche  
 (b) One anti and one gauche  
 (c) Two anti and two gauche  
 (d) Two anti and one gauche

83. Identify the naturally occurring pilocarpine

- (a) 2R,4R(-)-pilocarpine  
 (b) 3R,4S(-)-pilocarpine  
 (c) 2S,5R(+)-pilocarpine  
 (d) 3S,4R(+)-pilocarpine

84. Total number of stereoisomers for 3-bromo-2-butanol is

- (a) 6 (b) 8  
 (c) 4 (d) 2

85. Ring juncture or backbone carbons in  $5\alpha$ -cholestane molecule are

- (a) 5,6,9,10,13 and 14 (b) 5,8,9, 10,11 and 14  
 (c) 5,8,9,10,13 and 14 (d) 5,8,9,10,13 and 15

86. Morphine shows absorbance of Ultraviolet light at wavelength

- (a) 286 nm (b) 266 nm  
 (c) 276 nm (d) 256 nm

87. Stationary phase used in steroid separation by paper chromatography is

- (a) Acetylated paper (b) Silica paper  
 (c) Carboxyl paper (d) Kieselguhr paper

88. Which of the following is an exception to Markovnikov's rule

- (a) Addition of HCl to an alkene  
 (b) Addition of  $H_2O$  to an alkene in the presence of acid  
 (c) Addition of HI to an alkene  
 (d) Addition of HBr to an alkene in the presence of peroxides

89. Debye is the unit for measuring

- (a) Field effect  
 (b) Bond energy  
 (c) Dissociation constant  
 (d) Dipole moment



**OTHER SUBJECTS**

**118. Which of following test is distribution free, i.e., does not require any assumption to be made about population following normal or any other distribution**

- (a) Fischer LSD test
- (b) ANOVA
- (c) Kruskal Wallis test
- (d) Student t-test

**119. Which statistical test is appropriate for comparing the means of two independent groups**

- (a) ANOVA
- (b) Paired t-Test
- (c) Pooled t-Test
- (d) Sample t-Test

**120. Glycogenic amino acids entered in TCA cycle except**

- (a) Glutamate
- (b) Alanine
- (c) Aspartate
- (d) Glycine

**121. Albinism is due to complete or partial absence of the following enzyme**

- (a) Hydroxylase
- (b) Tyrosinase
- (c) Pyruvase
- (d)  $\beta$ -hydroxylase

**122. Which of the following is used for the evaluation of disinfectants**

- (a) Draves test
- (b) VDRL test
- (c) Chick Martin test
- (d) Widal test

**123. Match the following with the type of causative agents**

DISEASE	CAUSATIVE AGENTS
P. Tuberculosis	i. Bacteria
Q. Diphtheria	ii. Viral
R. Yellow fever	iii. Toxoid
S. Malaria	iv. Protozoa

- (a) P(i), Q(ii), R(iii), S(iv)
- (b) P(i), Q(iii), R(ii), S(iv)
- (c) P(iv), Q(iii), R(ii), S(i)
- (d) P(ii), Q(iii), R(iv), S(i)

**124. Oral vaccines such as Dukoral® and Shanchol™, provide protection against**

- (a) Pneumonia
- (b) Ebola virus
- (c) Cholera
- (d) Polio

**125. Which parasitic worm is responsible for causing lymphatic filariasis**

- (a) *Brugia malayi*
- (b) *Ancylostoma duodenale*
- (c) *Necator americanus*
- (d) *Onchocerca volvulus*

**ANSWER KEY GPAT-2025**

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81-b	82-a	83-d	84-c	85-c	86-a	87-*	88-d	89-d	90-b
91-b	92-a	93-a	94-c	95-*	96-c	97-c	98-a	99-c	100-d
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# GPAT-2024

## PY - PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

### PHARMACEUTICS

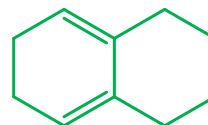
- Coating of Eudragit NE40D on tablets is done to prepare**
  - Buccal tablets
  - Sublingual tablets
  - CR tablets
  - IR tablets
- Examples of BCS class III drugs are**
  - Taxol, Ellagic acid, Aspirin
  - Chloroquine, Diltiazem, Metoprolol
  - Acyclovir, Atenolol, Captopril
  - Aspirin, Paracetamol, Amoxicillin
- Schedule T of Drugs and Cosmetics Rules, 1945 deals with**
  - GMP for Homeopathy medicine
  - GMP for ASU drugs
  - GLP and requirement of premises and equipments
  - GMP for Pharmaceutical product
- During compression of tablets, dwell time is**
  - Time it takes for the punches to eject tablet under the primary compression rollers
  - Time it takes for the punches to eject the tablets
  - Time it takes for the punches to stop moving vertically and to achieve maximum penetration in the die under the primary compression rollers
  - Time it takes for the punches to punch tablet
- Which of the following is NOT a method for solubility enhancement**
  - Crystallization
  - Co-solvency
  - Hydrotropy
  - Salt formation
- The bloom strength is directly proportional to**
  - Density
  - Viscosity
  - Measure of the strength and stiffness of the gelatin
  - Molecular weight
- Size of a pilot plant batch is**
  - 1/10<sup>th</sup> of marketing batch
  - 1/5<sup>th</sup> of marketing batch
  - 1/5<sup>th</sup> of production batch
  - 1/10<sup>th</sup> of production batch
- Nitrostat® is an example of**
  - Effervescent tablet
  - Bolus tablet
  - CR tablet
  - Sublingual tablet
- The rate limiting step for the absorption of controlled release tablet is the**
  - Dissolution of the drug
  - Excretion of the drug
  - Metabolism of the drug
  - Distribution of the drug
- Core tablet coated with cellulose acetate phthalate has been administered to a patient. Where do you expect the drug to be released**
  - Stomach
  - Intestine
  - Liver
  - Oral cavity
- Based on the rheological behavior of fluid, all of the following shows time independent property, EXCEPT**
  - Anti-thixotropic
  - Non-newtonian
  - Plastic
  - Pseudoplastic
- An elixir contains 47%v/v alcohol, what is the proof spirit according to USP**
  - 82%
  - 70%
  - 63%
  - 91%
- Which of the following protective colloids has high gold number**
  - Tragacanth
  - Albumin
  - Acacia
  - Gelatin
- Which of the following mills is based on the mechanism of impact and attrition for size reduction**
  - Roller mill
  - Colloid mill
  - Hammer mill
  - Fluid energy mill
- Which of the following climatic zones can be categorized into the hot & dry zone**
  - Zone-IV
  - Zone-II
  - Zone- III
  - Zone-I



29. Which of the following is an example of physical incompatibility  
 (a) Error in dosage form  
 (b) Alkaloidal incompatibility  
 (c) Drug interaction  
 (d) Liquefaction
30. In drying process, which of the following parameters is same as the adiabatic saturation temperature  
 (a) Wet bulb temperature  
 (b) Dew point  
 (c) Absolute humidity  
 (d) Relative humidity
31. What should be the log P value..... e for an ideal drug candidate for transdermal permeation  
 (a) Above 7 (b) 1-3  
 (c) 5-7 (d) Below 1
32. Which among the following is NOT the process of drug degradation  
 (a) Hydrolysis (b) Decarboxylation  
 (c) Photolysis (d) Hemolysis

### PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMISTRY

33. According to the SAR of Chloroquine electron  
 (a) Donating group at 6<sup>th</sup> position of the quinoline ring is important for the inhibition of hemozoin formation  
 (b) Withdrawing group at 6<sup>th</sup> position of the quinoline ring is important for the inhibition of hemozoin formation  
 (c) Donating group at 7<sup>th</sup> position of the quinoline ring is important for the inhibition of hemozoin formation  
 (d) Withdrawing group at 7<sup>th</sup> position of the quinoline ring is important for the inhibition of hemozoin formation
34. Spin Quantum number of <sup>13</sup>C NMR is  
 (a) 1/4 (b) 3/2  
 (c) 1/3 (d) 1/2
35. The starting raw material for synthesis of Lignocaine is  
 (a) 4-Chlorobenzyl cyanide  
 (b) 2,6-Xylidine  
 (c) p-Nitroacetophenone  
 (d) 4-Amino-3-Nitroanisole
36. Which of the following is a meta directing group  
 (a) NHCH<sub>3</sub> (b) CF<sub>3</sub>  
 (c) F (d) NH<sub>2</sub>
37. Famotidine contains  
 (a) Pyrrole ring (b) Furane ring  
 (c) Imidazole ring (d) Thiazole ring
38. Which of the following steps are not involved in gravimetric analysis  
 (a) Filtration (b) Precipitation  
 (c) Indicator (d) Digestion
39. Calculate the  $\lambda_{\max}$  of the following molecule

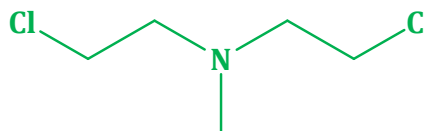


- (a) 273 nm (b) 283 nm  
 (c) 244 nm (d) 234 nm

40. The IUPAC name of tartaric acid is

- (a) 2,3-dihydroxybutane-1,4-dioic acid  
 (b) 2,3-dihydroxy-4-butanoic acid  
 (c) 1,3-dihydroxybutane-1,4-dioic acid  
 (d) 2,2-dihydroxy-4-butanoic acid

41. Name the following drug molecule



- (a) 6-Mercaptopurine  
 (b) Chlorambucil  
 (c) Mechlorethamine  
 (d) Vincristine

42. The equivalent weight of Potassium permanganate in acidic medium is

- (a) 31.6 (b) 41.6  
 (c) 51.6 (d) 21.6

43. The composition of "Lindlar catalyst"

- (a) NH<sub>2</sub>NH<sub>2</sub> and KOH  
 (b) Palladium with Sodium carbonate  
 (c) Palladium with Calcium carbonate  
 (d) Amalgamated Zinc and HCl

59. Choose the **INCORRECT** statement regarding Cathode rays

- (a) Cathode rays are fast electrons
- (b) Cathode rays are electromagnetic waves
- (c) Cathode rays travel in straight route
- (d) Cathode rays produce X-rays

60. Which of the following is easily nitrated using a mixture of  $\text{HNO}_3$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$

- (a) Toluene
- (b) Nitrobenzene
- (c) Chlorobenzene
- (d) Fluorobenzene

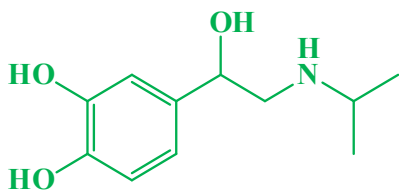
61. In a homologous series of any general anesthetic, increasing the chain length increases the lipid solubility, and produce a corresponding increase in anesthetic potency, is proposed by

- (a) Meyer - Philip
- (b) Hubert Humphrey
- (c) John Pemberton
- (d) Meyer - Overton

62. In which limit test, Thioglycolic acid is used

- (a) Limit test for arsenic
- (b) Limit test for iron
- (c) Limit test for sulphate
- (d) Limit test for chloride

63. The below structure represent the drug



- (a) Salbutamol
- (b) Amphetamine
- (c) Norepinephrine
- (d) Isoprenaline

### PHARMACOLOGY

64. The Wilson's disease is a rare inherited disorder due to accumulation in brain, liver and other vital organs of

- (a) Iodine
- (b) Calcium
- (c) Iron
- (d) Copper

65. Which antibiotic undergoes light catalysed autoxidation

- (a) Sugar derived antibiotics
- (b) Polyene antibiotics

- (c) Macrolide antibiotics
- (d) Beta lactam antibiotics

66. Which of the following is Phase-II metabolism reaction

- (a) Acetylation
- (b) Oxidation
- (c) Reduction
- (d) Hydrolysis

67. Which is the active form of Ganciclovir

- (a) Triphosphate
- (b) Biphosphate
- (c) Tetraphosphate
- (d) Phosphate

68.  $\text{H}_1$  receptor protein in humans is made up of

- (a) 359 Aminoacids
- (b) 445 Aminoacids
- (c) 487 Aminoacids
- (d) 390 Aminoacids

69. Which of the following is first prodrug for sulfonamide

- (a) Sulfatrim
- (b) Sulfamidochrysodine
- (c) Trimethoprim
- (d) Prontosil

70. The appendicular skeleton in an adult consists of

- (a) 120 bones
- (b) 206 bones
- (c) 80 bones
- (d) 126 bones

71. Which of the following hormone is not secreted by human placenta

- (a) HCG
- (b) LH
- (c) Estrogen
- (d) Progesterone

72. Melatonin is secreted by

- (a) Thyrotrophs
- (b) Adrenal gland
- (c) Pineal gland
- (d) Gonadotrophs

73. Which oral hypoglycemic agent increases the levels of incretin hormone by inhibiting the enzyme dipeptidyl peptidase-4 (DPP-4)

- (a) Metformin
- (b) Sitagliptin
- (c) Glipizide
- (d) Pioglitazone

74. The etiology of jaundice could be haemolytic anaemia if

- (a) Unconjugated bilirubin is found more than conjugated bilirubin
- (b) Increase in IgE level
- (c) Conjugated bilirubin is found more than unconjugated bilirubin
- (d) Unconjugated bilirubin is found equal to conjugated bilirubin

91. **Sarcoma is the cancer of**  
(a) Epithelium (b) Plasma cells  
(c) Connective tissues (d) Glands
92. **The Phase in which two identical copies of DNA are formed is**  
(a) G<sub>1</sub> phase (b) S phase  
(c) G<sub>2</sub> phase (d) M phase
93. **Renin is released from**  
(a) Juxtaglomerular cells (JGCs) of kidney  
(b) Microglial cells  
(c) Beta-cells of pancreas  
(d) Hepatocytes of liver
94. **Which of the following cranial nerve is instrumental in motor function**  
(a) Vestibulocochlear (b) Optic  
(c) Accessory (d) Olfactory
95. **Leprosy is a**  
(a) Viral disease (b) Metazoal disease  
(c) Fungal disease (d) Bacterial disease
96. **Salivary amylase helps in digestion of which of the following nutrients**  
(a) Fats (b) Vitamins  
(c) Proteins (d) Starch
97. **The most common neoplasm in patients with AIDS is**  
(a) Acute myeloid leukaemia  
(b) Adenocarcinoma  
(c) Kaposi sarcoma  
(d) Carcinoma of breast
98. **Coomb's test is used for detection of**  
(a) Typhoid (b) Antiglobulin  
(c) Yellow fever (d) Syphilis
99. **The fluoroquinolones act by**  
(a) Inhibiting folic acid synthesis, reducing nucleotide production and DNA synthesis  
(b) Inhibiting ribosomal subunits, leading to the cessation of protein synthesis  
(c) Disrupting peptidoglycan cross-linking, weakening the bacterial cell wall  
(d) Inhibiting DNA gyrase and topoisomerase IV, causing supercoiling and fragmentation of bacterial DNA
100. **What is the proposed mechanism of action of Artemisinin in the treatment of malaria**  
(a) Blocking of the *Plasmodium falciparum* ATPase, disrupting ion homeostasis  
(b) Inhibition of the heme polymerase enzyme, causing accumulation of toxic heme  
(c) Inhibition of dihydrofolate reductase, interfering with folate synthesis  
(d) Generation of reactive oxygen species (ROS) by cleavage of the endoperoxide bridge, leading to parasite death
101. **Which of the following is NOT a Class IC anti-arrhythmic drug**  
(a) Propafenone (b) Mexiletine  
(c) Moricizine (d) Flecainide
102. **The amount of air that moves in or out of the lungs with each respiratory cycle is**  
(a) Expiratory reserve volume  
(b) Tidal volume  
(c) Inspiratory reserve volume  
(d) Residual volume
103. **The cranial nerve that regulates the heartbeat is**  
(a) VII (b) IX  
(c) X (d) VIII
104. **Which one of the following enzymes comprises a major part of enzyme-linked receptors**  
(a) Receptor Serine Phosphatase  
(b) Receptor Tyrosine Kinase  
(c) Receptor Histidine Kinase  
(d) Receptor Threonine Phosphatase

## PHARMACOGNOSY

105. **The key intermediate for the biosynthesis of C<sub>6</sub>-C<sub>3</sub> units is**  
(a) Pyruvic acid  
(b) Dehydroquinic acid  
(c) Shikimic acid  
(d) Mevalonic acid



**123. Which of the following is a causative organism for Syphilis**

- (a) *Clostridium tetani* (b) *Bacillus pertussis*  
 (c) *Treponema pallidum* (d) *Vibrio cholerae*

**124. The optimum temperature for rapid growth of mesophiles is**

- (a) 40 to 50 °C (b) 50 to 60 °C  
 (c) 25 to 40 °C (d) 15 to 20 °C

**125. Virus mediated transfer of host DNA from one cell to another cell is known as**

- (a) Transcription (b) Integration  
 (c) Transduction (d) Transformation

**ANSWER KEY GPAT-2024**

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## PY - PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

### SHIFT - I

#### PHARMACEUTICS

- Which of the following terms is used to describe the "Partial or complete separation of the top or body crowns of a tablet from the main body of the tablet"**
  - Lamination
  - Capping
  - Picking
  - Mottling
- The law of relative lowering of vapour pressure was given by**
  - Raoult
  - Ostwald
  - Henry
  - Van't Hoff
- Dipole-dipole weak interactions are also called as**
  - London forces
  - Debye interactions
  - Electrovalent forces
  - Keesom forces
- Invert sugar is a product obtained by the hydrolysis of**
  - Maltose
  - Sucrose
  - Lactose
  - Dextrin
- The time taken at a fixed temperature or the radiation dose required to achieve a 90% reduction in viable bacterial cells is called**
  - F value
  - Z value
  - D value
  - T value
- In pharmacokinetic models, the term "Compartment" means**
  - Blood
  - Individual organ
  - Extracellular fluid
  - Hypothetical pool of tissue
- The most efficient heat exchange between the particles and flowing air occurs in the**
  - Tray dryer
  - Vacuum Dryer
  - Fluidized bed dryer
  - Rotary dryer
- The Drug Price Control Order (DPCO) is an order issued by the Government under the \_\_\_\_\_ which enables it to fix the prices of some essential bulk and their formulations**
  - Essential Commodities Act
  - Essential Commodities Amendment
  - Essential Commodities Accessories
  - Ethical Commodities Act
- According to IP and BP very fine powder is one in which**
  - All particles pass through 120# sieve
  - 90% particles pass through 350# sieve
  - All particles pass through 350# sieve
  - 90% particles are of size  $< 10\mu\text{m}$
- Which of the following pharmaceutical solvent has the highest dielectric constant, at 25 degree C**
  - Glycerin
  - Ethanol
  - Acetone
  - Phenol
- Kozeny carmen equation is used to determine the**
  - Surface area of the powder
  - Viscosity of a liquid
  - Surface tension of a liquid
  - Density of a liquid
- Which of the following emulsifiers has the highest HLB value**
  - Span 80
  - Acacia
  - Tween 80
  - Sodium lauryl sulfate
- Which of the following substances are not used as humectants in emulsions**
  - Propylene glycol
  - Sorbitol
  - Tocopherol
  - Glycerol
- Under which of the following conditions in-vitro-in-vivo correlation for a drug fails**
  - When the drug is highly soluble



LIST I FORMULATION INGREDIENT		LIST II ACTIVITY / PROPERTY	
1.	Salts of d-glucuronic acid polypeptides and amino acids	[P]	Are pseudoplastic and plastic in nature
2.	Surfactants, both ionic and nonionic	[Q]	Form a multimolecular film around the dispersed droplets of oil in an o/w emulsion
3.	Magnesium aluminium silicate	[R]	Emulsifier belonging to the class of solid particles form W/O emulsion
4.	Structured vehicles	[S]	Emulsifier belonging to the class of solid particles and form O/W emulsion
		[T]	Have been used to bring about flocculation of suspended particles

Choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) 1-[Q], 2-[T], 3-[S], 4-[P]
  - (b) 1-[T], 2-[S], 3-[Q], 4-[P]
  - (c) 1-[T], 2-[S], 3-[R], 4-[P]
  - (d) 1-[S], 2-[R], 3-[Q], 4-[P]
28. What is the percentage of alcohol in a mixture obtained by mixing 5 L of 25%, 3 L of 40% and 2 L of 15% alcohol
- (a) 27.5% v/v
  - (b) 30.5% v/v
  - (c) 25.5% v/v
  - (d) 26.5% v/v
29. For disguising the astringent and metallic taste of iron salts in children's mixture, the following flavoring agent is used
- (a) Orange syrup and compound orange syrup
  - (b) Lemon syrup
  - (c) Liquorice liquid extract
  - (d) Aromatic water

30. A tablet excipient, whose function is to ensure that tablet formulation and ejection can occur with low friction between the solid and the die wall, is called
- (a) Glidant
  - (b) Lubricant
  - (c) Anti-adhesive
  - (d) Binder
31. Clathrates crystallize in the form of
- (a) Channel type structure
  - (b) Tetragonal type structure
  - (c) Cubic type lattice
  - (d) Cage like lattice
32. Which of the following ointment bases is an "Absorption base"
- (a) Yellow ointment, USP
  - (b) Hydrophilic petrolatum USP
  - (c) Hydrophilic ointment USP
  - (d) PEG ointment NF
33. Which of the following surfactants is an ANIONIC surfactant
- (a) Lecithin
  - (b) Sorbitan esters
  - (c) Benzalkonium chloride
  - (d) Soaps
34. Which of the following formulations are "Pharmaceutically equivalent"
- Match List I with List II

INGREDIENT	FUNCTION	TABLET	TABLET	TABLET	TABLET
		A	B	C	D
P Acetaminophen	I Drug	300mg	--	300mg	300mg
Q Aspirin	II Drug	--	300mg	--	--
R Lactose	III Filler	100mg	100mg	--	100mg
S Avicel	IV Filler	--	--	100mg	--
Starch	Disintegrant	50mg	50mg	--	50mg
Avicel	Disintegrant	--	--	50mg	--
Mag stearate	Lubricant	2mg	2mg	2mg	2mg
Gelatin	Binder	10mg	10mg	10mg	10mg

Choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) P and Q
  - (b) Q and R
  - (c) P and R
  - (d) Q and S
35. What is the approximate amount of Powder (in mg) that can be filled in empty gelatin capsules of size 00
- (a) 1040 mg
  - (b) 650 mg
  - (c) 325 mg
  - (d) 162 mg



67. Following groups exert any one of the effects on electrophilic aromatic substitution  
 $-\text{OC}_2\text{H}_5$ ,  $-\text{NHCOCH}_3$ ,  $-\text{OCH}_3$   
 Identify whether all three are  
 (a) Weakly activating  
 (b) Deactivating  
 (c) Moderately activating  
 (d) Strongly activating
68. The correct rank order of orientation of sulfonation in toluene is  
 (a) 4-methylbenzenesulfonic acid > 2-methylbenzenesulfonic acid > 3-methylbenzenesulfonic acid  
 (b) 2-methylbenzenesulfonic acid > 3-methylbenzenesulfonic acid > 4-methylbenzenesulfonic acid  
 (c) 3-methylbenzenesulfonic acid > 4-methylbenzenesulfonic acid > 2-methylbenzenesulfonic acid  
 (d) 3-methylbenzenesulfonic acid > 2-methylbenzenesulfonic acid > 4-methylbenzenesulfonic acid
69. Lucas test is very rapid with  
 (a) 1° alcohol (b) 2° alcohol  
 (c) 3° alcohol (d) Phenol
70. As the solution of a strong electrolyte is diluted, the following phenomenon is observed  
 (a) The specific conductance decreases and equivalent conductance increases  
 (b) The specific conductance increases and equivalent conductance decreases  
 (c) Both specific conductance and equivalent conductance increase  
 (d) Both specific conductance and equivalent conductance decrease
71. The molecule having zero dipole moment is  
 (a)  $\text{BF}_3$  (b)  $\text{HF}$   
 (c)  $\text{NH}_3$  (d)  $\text{CH}_3\text{Cl}$

### PHARMACOLOGY

72. Following is an example of atypical anti-psychotic  
 (a) Haloperidol (b) Clozapine
- (c) Thioridazine (d) Fluphenazine
73. Following is not an example of Carbapenem  
 (a) Thienamycin (b) Imipenem  
 (c) Piperacillin (d) Meropenem
74. Which of the following Urinary Tract Anti-Infective agents requires an acidic pH of urine for optimum action  
 (a) Gentamicin (b) Erythromycin  
 (c) Carbenicillin (d) Streptomycin
75. Which of the following drugs has an apparent volume of distribution approximately 6500 litres [DROPPED QUESTION]  
 (a) Amoxicillin (b) Ibuprofen  
 (c) Chloroquine (d) Diazepam
76. Match the following concept in List I with parameters in List II

LIST I CONCEPT		LIST II PARAMETERS	
1.	Volume of distribution	[P]	Measure volume of real Physiological plasma
2.	Evans blue	[Q]	Human serum albumin
3.	3.5 - 5%	[R]	Volume of blood
4.	Metallothionein	[S]	Ratio of body drug content to plasma concentration
		[T]	Protein present in kidney to bind metal

Choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) 1-[P], 2-[Q], 3-[R], 4-[S]  
 (b) 1-[T], 2-[S], 3-[R], 4-[Q]  
 (c) 1-[S], 2-[P], 3-[Q], 4-[T]  
 (d) 1-[R], 2-[Q], 3-[S], 4-[T]

77. Trastuzumab is a/an  
 (a) EGFR/HER<sub>2</sub> inhibitor  
 (b) Angiogenesis inhibitor  
 (c) EGF receptor (HER<sub>1</sub>) inhibitor  
 (d) BCR-ABL tyrosine kinase inhibitor
78. When is a New Drug Application (NDA) made  
 (a) Once the animal studies are done and drug is declared safe in animals



102. All the following are true with Metoclopramide EXCEPT

- (a) 5-HT<sub>1</sub> receptor antagonist  
 (b) D<sub>2</sub> receptor antagonist  
 (c) 5-HT<sub>3</sub> receptor antagonist  
 (d) 5-HT<sub>4</sub> receptor agonist

103. Given below are two statements

**Statement I: Levodopa is metabolized peripherally but capable of crossing Blood Brain Barrier, thus a best drug in treating Parkinsonism**

**Statement II: Carbidopa crosses Blood Brain Barrier, thus a best combination for protecting levodopa in CNS**

In light of the above statements, choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are true  
 (b) Both Statement I and Statement II are false  
 (c) Statement I is true but Statement II is false  
 (d) Statement I is false but Statement II is true

104. Which of the following is a tetracycline antidepressant that has additional Dopamine D<sub>2</sub> receptor blocking and neuroleptic properties as well as a greater tendency to cause seizures in overdose

**[DROPPED QUESTION]**

- (a) Dothiepin (b) Doxepin  
 (c) Trazodone (d) Amoxapine

### PHARMACOGNOSY

105. Which one is the right sequence of the intermediates in the biosynthesis of opium alkaloids

- I. Tyrosine II. Reticuline III. Codeine  
 IV. Morphine V. Thebaine

Choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) I, II, III, IV, V (b) I, II, V, III, IV  
 (c) I, II, V, IV, III (d) I, II, IV, V, III

106. Arrange the following intermediates in the synthesis of isoprenoids in the right sequence

- I. Squalene II. Farnesyl PP III. Geranyl PP  
 IV. Acetyl CoA V. Mevalonate

Choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) IV, II, III, I, V (b) IV, V, III, II, I  
 (c) II, III, IV, I, V (d) V, II, III, I, IV

107. If the resins contain benzoic acids or cinnamic acids they are called

- (a) Colophony (b) Balsams  
 (c) Glucosins (d) Resene

108. Lycopodium spores are used in quantitative microscopy for the following

- I. Determine % purity of drugs  
 II. Estimation of percentage of foreign organic matter  
 III. Determination of palisade ratio  
 IV. Measurement of area of single layered tissue

Choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) I, II and III only (b) I, II and IV only  
 (c) I only (d) II and IV only

109. The ring structure present in strychnine alkaloid is

- (a) Indole (b) Purine  
 (c) Phenanthrene (d) Imidazole

110. Isabgol belongs to family

- (a) Apocynaceae (b) Plantaginaceae  
 (c) Solanaceae (d) Golaceae

111. Lignin is a complex polymer which can be stained pink in the tissue using the following chemicals

- (a) Chloral Hydrate and Phloroglucinol  
 (b) Chlor-Zinc-Iodine  
 (c) Phloroglucinol and hydrochloric acid  
 (d) Chloral Hydrate, Zinc and Ammonia

112. Match the following Ayurvedic formulations under Column I with the process/properties under Column II and choose the correct options

LIST I AYURVEDIC FORMULATIONS		LIST II PROCESS OR PROPERTY	
1.	Bhasma	[P]	Semisolid
2.	Arista	[Q]	Calcination
3.	Churna	[R]	Alcohol generation
4.	Lehya	[S]	Dry powder
		[T]	Decoction



Choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) 1-[P], 2-[R], 3-[S], 4-[T]  
 (b) 1-[R], 2-[Q], 3-[P], 4-[S]  
 (c) 1-[R], 2-[T], 3-[P], 4-[Q]  
 (d) 1-[Q], 2-[R], 3-[S], 4-[P]

113. Match the types of glycosides under Column I with their respective example under Column II and choose the correct option

COLUMN I GLYCOSIDES		COLUMN II EXAMPLES	
1.	Anthracene	[P]	Digitalis
2.	Cardiac	[Q]	Liquorice
3.	Saponin	[R]	Senna
4.	Cyanogenetic	[S]	Ashwagandha
		[T]	Bitter almond

Choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) 1-[R], 2-[P], 3-[Q], 4-[T]  
 (b) 1-[T], 2-[P], 3-[Q], 4-[R]  
 (c) 1-[S], 2-[Q], 3-[P], 4-[R]  
 (d) 1-[Q], 2-[R], 3-[S], 4-[P]

114. Quinine and Quinidine differs in

- (a) Chemical nature  
 (b) Molecular formula  
 (c) Rotating the plane of polarized light  
 (d) Precursor of biosynthesis

### OTHER SUBJECTS

115. Establishing a complete structure of \_\_\_\_\_ is more complex problem than others

- (a) Polysaccharide  
 (b) Protein  
 (c) Nucleic acid  
 (d) Peptide

116. Which one is not the characteristics of the Hexose Monophosphate Pathway

- (a) It produces CO<sub>2</sub>  
 (b) It requires ATP for phosphorylation  
 (c) It is controlled by inhibition of glucose-6 phosphate dehydrogenase by NADPH  
 (d) It produces ribose-5-phosphate

117. Match List I with List II

LIST I NAME OF VITAMIN		LIST II FUNCTIONS OF VITAMINS	
1.	Riboflavin	[P]	The electron acceptor for isocitrate dehydrogenase
2.	Niacin	[Q]	Decarboxylation of alpha-ketoglutarate dehydrogenase
3.	Thiamine	[R]	Part of coenzyme A
4.	Pantothenic acid	[S]	Cofactor for succinate dehydrogenase
		[T]	Enzyme activity regulator, such as for protein kinase C

Choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) 1-[S], 2-[P], 3-[Q], 4-[R]  
 (b) 1-[R], 2-[Q], 3-[S], 4-[T]  
 (c) 1-[P], 2-[R], 3-[S], 4-[Q]  
 (d) 1-[Q], 2-[T], 3-[P], 4-[S]

118. DNA and RNA contain the following two major purine bases

- (a) Guanine and Cytosine  
 (b) Adenine and Guanine  
 (c) Thymine and Uracil  
 (d) Adenine and Uracil

119. Match the process of reproduction and genetic exchange under column I with the explanation under column II Match List I with List II

LIST I PROCESS OF REPRODUCTION AND GENETIC EXCHANGE		LIST II EXPLANATION	
1.	Binary fission	[P]	Transfer of genetic material from the donor to recipient bacterium through cell contact
2.	Transformation	[Q]	Common vegetative reproduction
3.	Transduction	[R]	Transfer of genetic material in bacteria through virus
4.	Conjugation	[S]	Horizontal gene transfer by taking up of foreign genetic material (naked DNA)

Choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) 1-[P], 2-[R], 3-[S], 4-[Q]  
 (b) 1-[R], 2-[P], 3-[S], 4-[Q]  
 (c) 1-[Q], 2-[S], 3-[P], 4-[R]  
 (d) 1-[Q], 2-[S], 3-[R], 4-[P]



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## PY - PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

### SHIFT - II

#### PHARMACEUTICS

- The addition of Monobasic Potassium Phosphate to the suspended Bismuth Subnitrate particles cause the A to B owing to the C**
  - A- negative zeta potential, B-decrease, C-adsorption of the negatively charged phospho-ateanion
  - A-positive zeta potential, B-increase, C-adsorption of the negatively charged phosphateanion
  - A-positive zeta potential, B-decrease, C-adsorption of the negatively charged phosphateanion
  - A- positive zeta potential, B-decrease, C-adsorption of the positively charged hydrogenanion
- Noyes-Whitney equation predicts**
  - An increase of dissolution rate if the particle size is reduced by micronization because of an increase in area
  - Relationship between the radius of the diffusing molecule and its diffusion coefficient
  - The influence of electrolyte on the rate constant
  - An equilibrium between the surfactant and the drug molecules at the surface of the solution and in the bulk of the solution
- Which type of in-vitro-in-vivo correlation compares % drug released Vs % drug absorbed**
  - Level C
  - Level A
  - Multiple level C
  - Level B
- Ideally BA studies should be carried on \_\_\_\_\_ volunteers**
  - Aged
  - Children
  - Healthy
  - Patient
- Given below are two statements, one labelled as Assertion (A) and the other labelled as Reason (R)**

**Assertion (A) :In case of Salicylic Acid Ointment BP Wool Alcohol Ointment made with white soft paraffin is used**

**Reason (R) : Wool Alcohol Ointment made with white soft paraffin is used because the medicament is coloured**

**In the light of the above statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below**

  - Both (A) and (R) are true and (R) is the correct explanation of (A)
  - Both (A) and (R) are true but (R) is not the correct explanation of (A)
  - (A) is true but (R) is false
  - (A) is false but (R) is true
- If  $S$  is the solubility of small particles of radius  $r$ ,  $S_0$  is the normal solubility (i.e., of a solid consisting of fairly large particles),  $\gamma$  is the interfacial energy,  $M$  is the molecular weight of the solid,  $\rho$  is the density of the bulk solid,  $R$  is the gas constant and  $T$  is the thermodynamic temperature, then which of the following equation indicates the changes in interfacial free energy that accompany the dissolution of particles of varying sizes causing the solubility of substance to increase with decreasing particle size**
  - $\text{Log}(S_0/S) = 2\gamma Mr / 2.303RT\rho$
  - $\text{Log}(S/S_0) = 2\gamma Mr / 2.303RT\rho$
  - $\text{Log}(S_0/S) = 2\gamma Mr / 2.303RT\rho r$
  - $\text{Log}(S/S_0) = 2\gamma M / 2.303RT\rho r$



7. Indicate which of the following molecular characteristics will be expected to increase the solubility of a simple solute in an aqueous solution

- (a) A high melting point
- (b) The presence of polar group
- (c) A high molecular surface area
- (d) A high boiling point

8. Match List I with List II

LIST-I DISSOLUTION APPARATUS		LIST-II NAME	
1.	Type 1	[P]	Reciprocating holder
2.	Type 5	[Q]	Paddle over disk
3.	USP App 6	[R]	Basket type
4.	USP App 7	[S]	Cylinder apparatus

Choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) 1-[R], 2-[Q], 3-[S], 4-[P]
- (b) 1-[S], 2-[P], 3-[Q], 4-[R]
- (c) 1-[Q], 2-[R], 3-[P], 4-[S]
- (d) 1-[P], 2-[Q], 3-[R], 4-[S]

9. A clear, sweetened hydroalcoholic liquid containing medicament is known as

- (a) Elixir
- (b) Syrup
- (c) Tincture
- (d) Decoction

10. Match List I with List II

LIST-I NAME OF EMULSIFIER		LIST-II REMARK	
1.	Triethanolamine oleate	[P]	Surface active agent (non-ionic)
2.	N-cethyl N-ethyl morpholinium ethosulfate (Atlas G-263)	[Q]	Hydrophilic colloid
3.	Polyoxyethylene sorbitan mono oleate (Atlas Tween 80)	[R]	Surface- active agent (anionic)
4.	Gelatin	[S]	W/O Emulsifier (HLB= 4.3)
		[T]	Surface active agent (cationic)

Choose the correct answer from the options given below:

- (a) 1-[Q], 2-[S], 3-[T], 4-[R]
- (b) 1-[R], 2-[T], 3-[P], 4-[Q]

(c) 1-[T], 2-[S], 3-[Q], 4-[R]

(d) 1-[S], 2-[R], 3-[T], 4-[P]

11. Which of the following equipment is based on the principle of Pohlman liquid whistle

- (a) Ultrasonifier
- (b) Mechanical stirrer
- (c) Silverson homogeniser
- (d) Colloid mill

12. Which of the following is the correct choice of particle size measurement technique in scoring order of size

[P] Sieve [Q] Anderson Pipette

[R] Coulter counter [S] Light scattering

- (a) P, Q, R, S
- (b) Q, S, R, P
- (c) P, R, Q, S
- (d) S, P, R, Q

13. Which one of the following is an example of ointment prepared by trituration and containing liquids and solids

- (a) Salicylic and Sulphur Ointment BPC
- (b) Whitfield's Ointment BPC
- (c) Hamamelis Ointment BPC
- (d) Resorcinol Ointment Compound BPC

14. 'Picking' is a term used to describe

- (a) Separation of tablet into two or more layers
- (b) The situation when the surface material from a tablet that is sticking to and being removed from the tablet's surface by a punch
- (c) Unequal distribution of colour on a tablet
- (d) Partial or complete separation of the top and bottom crowns of a tablet from the main body of the tablet

15. Which one of the following is an example of a chelate

- (a) Cisplatin
- (b) Hemoglobin
- (c) Iodine
- (d) Ferrocene

16. A 2.0% saline solution is

- (a) Hypotonic
- (b) Hypertonic
- (c) Isotonic
- (d) Iso-osmotic

17. Which of these is not a colligative property

- (a) Osmotic pressure
- (b) Depression of freezing point
- (c) Elevation in boiling point
- (d) Polymorphism



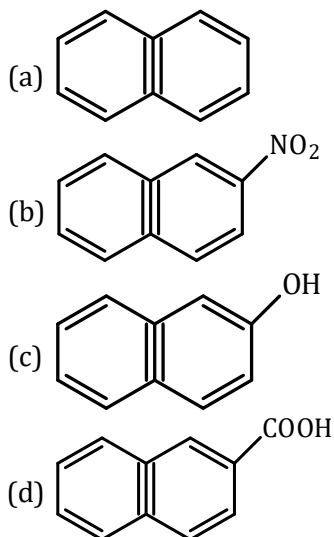
40. Identify the schedule for which the following cautionary labelling is mandatory as per Drugs and Cosmetics Act

**[DROPPED QUESTION]**

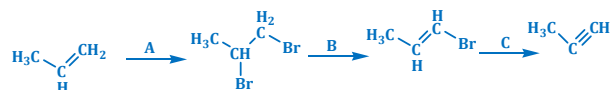
- (a) Use within one month of opening  
 (b) Name and concentration of preservative  
 (c) Not for injection  
 (d) If irritation persists or increases, discontinue use and consult physician. Keep container tightly closed
41. Para aminohippuric acid (PAH) clearance test is employed to measure
- (a) Renal blood flow (b) Liver blood flow  
 (c) Cerebral blood flow (d) Venous blood flow

**PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMISTRY**

42. Alkyl group in Grignard reagent serve as
- (a) Carbene  
 (b) Free radical  
 (c) Aromatic carbocation  
 (d) Carbanion
43. Which of the following compound would be expected to have greatest fluorescence

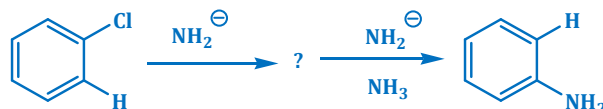


44. Conversion of cyclic ketone to ring expanded cyclic ester takes place by
- (a) Willgerodt rearrangement  
 (b) Michael rearrangement  
 (c) Lossen rearrangement  
 (d) Baeyer Villiger rearrangement
45. Identify A, B and C in below reaction



- (a) A = Br<sub>2</sub>, B = KOH, C = NaNH<sub>2</sub>  
 (b) A = Br<sub>2</sub>, B = HCl, C = NaNH<sub>2</sub>  
 (c) A = Br<sub>2</sub>, B = HCl, C = NaBH<sub>4</sub>  
 (d) A = Br<sub>2</sub>, B = KOH, C = NaBH<sub>4</sub>

46. Identify intermediate forms in following substitution reaction



- (a) Cyclohexa-1,3-dien-4-yne  
 (b) Cyclohexa-1,3-dien-5-yne  
 (c) Cyclohexa-1,4-dien-5-yne  
 (d) Cyclohexa-1,5-dien-3-yne

47. Match List I with List II

LIST - I		LIST - II	
NAME OF THE DRUG		CHEMICAL CLASS	
1.	Zolpidem	[P]	Cyclopyrrolone
2.	Zaleplon	[Q]	Benzodiazepine
3.	Zopiclone	[R]	Imidazopyridine
4.	Triazolam	[S]	Pyrazolopyrimidine

Choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) 1-[S], 2-[R], 3-[Q], 4-[P]  
 (b) 1-[Q], 2-[S], 3-[R], 4-[P]  
 (c) 1-[R], 2-[S], 3-[P], 4-[Q]  
 (d) 1-[P], 2-[R], 3-[S], 4-[Q]
48. Addition of HBr to 1,3-butadiene at 40°C yields
- (a) 80% 1,4-addition product and 20% 1,2-addition product  
 (b) 80% 1,2-addition product and 20% 1,4-addition product  
 (c) 80% 1,2-addition product and 20% 1,3-addition product  
 (d) 80% 1,2-addition product and 20% 1,4-addition product
49. Which heterocyclic ring is fused to a steroidal nucleus in Danazol
- (a) Thiazole (b) Isoxazole  
 (c) Imidazole (d) Pyrazole



77. One of the following match is correct choose it

- (a) M<sub>1</sub> Acetylcholine receptors confined to brain  
M<sub>2</sub> Acetylcholine receptors neural M<sub>3</sub> Acetylcholine receptors are cardiac M<sub>4</sub> Acetylcholine receptors glandular
- (b) M<sub>1</sub> Acetylcholine receptors neural M<sub>2</sub> Acetylcholine receptors confined to brain M<sub>3</sub> Acetylcholine receptors are cardiac M<sub>4</sub> Acetylcholine receptors glandular
- (c) M<sub>1</sub> Acetylcholine receptors neural M<sub>2</sub> Acetylcholine receptors cardiac M<sub>3</sub> Acetylcholine receptors are confined to glandular M<sub>4</sub> Acetylcholine receptors confined to brain
- (d) M<sub>1</sub> Acetylcholine receptors glandular M<sub>2</sub> Acetylcholine receptors neural M<sub>3</sub> Acetylcholine receptors are confined to brain M<sub>4</sub> Acetylcholine receptors to cardiac

78. \_\_\_\_\_ is a protein marker which can be detected within three hours of acute ischemic kidney injury from patient's urine

- (a) N-acetyl- β-D-glucose aminidase
- (b) Glutathione-S-transferase
- (c) Neutrophil gelatinase associated lipocalin
- (d) γ-glutamyl transpeptidase

79. Which of the following genes responsible for graft rejection in humans

- (a) Highly polymorphic HLA genes
- (b) APP genes
- (c) hMSH2 gene
- (d) FMR1 gene

80. Match List I with List II

LIST - I		LIST - II	
1.	Vibrations in skeletal muscles of larynx	[P]	Facial contractions
2.	Involuntary contraction of skeletal muscles that is regulated by the brain	[Q]	Regulate voice
3.	Contraction of skeletal muscles in the legs	[R]	Shivering
4.	Pull of skeletal muscles on attachments to skin of face	[S]	Assists return of blood to the heart
		[T]	Causes facial expressions

Choose the correct answer from the options given below

- (a) 1-[Q], 2-[R], 3-[S], 4-[P]
- (b) 1-[R], 2-[S], 3-[P], 4-[T]
- (c) 1-[Q], 2-[R], 3-[S], 4-[T]
- (d) 1-[R], 2-[S], 3-[T], 4-[P]

81. Most common type of megaloblastic anemia caused by malabsorption of vitamin B<sub>12</sub> and characterized by decreased production of hydrochloric acid in the stomach and a deficiency of intrinsic factor is

- (a) Iron deficiency anemia
- (b) Sideroblastic anemia
- (c) Pernicious anemia
- (d) Aplastic anemia

82. Which of the following is not an ACE inhibitor

- (a) Captopril
- (b) Trandolapril
- (c) Verapamil
- (d) Lisinopril

83. Which of the following combination is correct

- (a) Nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitors (NRTIs) - Ritonavir
- (b) Protease inhibitors - Indinavir
- (c) Integrase inhibitors - Saquinavir
- (d) Non-nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitors (NNRTIs) - Tenofovir

84. Choose the most appropriate answer

- [P] *Enterobius vermicularis*-Pin worm
- [Q] *Strongyloides stercoralis*-Thread worm
- [R] *Wuchereria bancrofti*-Filarial worm
- [S] *Dracunculus medinensis*-Guinea worm

- (a) Only Q and R are correct
- (b) Only P and Q are correct
- (c) P, Q, R and S are correct
- (d) Only Q, R and S are correct

85. \_\_\_\_\_ activates G-protein gated potassium channel resulting in membrane hyperpolarization

- (a) α<sub>1</sub> adrenergic receptor
- (b) α<sub>1</sub> adrenergic receptor
- (c) β<sub>1</sub> adrenergic receptor
- (d) β<sub>2</sub> adrenergic receptor



## ANSWER KEY GPAT-2023

## SHIFT - II

1-c	2-a	3-b	4-c	5-c	6-d	7-b	8-a	9-a	10-b
11-a	12-a	13-d	14-b	15-b	16-b	17-d	18-c	19-c	20-b
21-a	22-a	23-a	24-b	25-d	26-d	27-d	28-c	29-d	30-d
31-b	32-d	33-d	34-a/c	35-c	36-a	37-b	38-a	39-*	40-*
41-a	42-d	43-c	44-d	45-a	46-b	47-c	48-a	49-b	50-b
51-b	52-b	53-a	54-a	55-c	56-a	57-b	58-b	59-a	60-d
61-b	62-d	63-c	64-a	65-a	66-a	67-a	68-a	69-d	70-d
71-a	72-a	73-c	74-b	75-b	76-a	77-c	78-c	79-a	80-c
81-c	82-c	83-b	84-c	85-b	86-a	87-d	88-a	89-a	90-c
91-b	92-b	93-b	94-a	95-b	96-a	97-d	98-a	99-d	100-a
101-c	102-c	103-d	104-b	105-a	106-d	107-a	108-d	109-b	110-c
111-a	112-d	113-a	114-d	115-b	116-c	117-b	118-b	119-b	120-c
121-a	122-a	123-b	124-c	125-b					



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## PY - PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

### PHARMACEUTICS

- The intracellular fluid volume including those of the blood cells is approximately**  
(a) 15 litres (b) 20 litres  
(c) 27 litres (d) 35 litres
- India's first Central Drug Laboratory was established at**  
(a) Mumbai (b) Lucknow  
(c) Kolkata (d) Hyderabad
- Which of the following instrument is used to determine surface area and pore structure of pharmaceutical powders**  
(a) Coulter counter (b) Anderson apparatus  
(c) Quantasorb (d) Optical microscopy
- In the process of extraction, if maceration is accomplished by heating the drug and solvent in a close vessel, then this modification is known as**  
(a) Digestion (b) Refining  
(c) Expression (d) Rendering
- The below mentioned complex is not the type of inclusion compounds**  
(a) Channel-Lattice type  
(b) Quinhydrone complex  
(c) Layer type  
(d) Clathrates
- Prescription price consists of**  
(a) Cost of ingredients only  
(b) Cost of professional fee only  
(c) Cost of ingredients and cost of dispensing only  
(d) Cost of ingredients and professional fee only
- Given below are two statements**  
**Statement I: Drugs Controller General of India is the Chairman of Drugs Technical Advisory Board (DTAB)**  
**Statement II: In DTAB, there will be eight ex-officio members, five nominated and five elected members**

In light of the above statements, choose the most appropriate answer from the options given below

- (a) Both Statement I and Statement II are correct  
(b) Both Statement I and Statement II are incorrect  
(c) Statement I is correct but Statement II is incorrect  
(d) Statement I is incorrect but Statement II is correct
- Which of the following vehicles (not required to be sterile, but must be pyrogen free) is intended to be used in the manufacture of injectable products to be sterilized after preparation**  
(a) Purified Water  
(b) Water for Injection USP  
(c) Sterile Water for Injection USP  
(d) Bacteriostatic Water for Injection USP
- As per the Pharmacy Act, in the composition of Pharmacy Council of India, the total number of Ex-officio members is**  
(a) THREE (b) FOUR  
(c) SIX (d) EIGHT
- Match List I of Unit operations of crystallizers with List II of principle/characteristics properties of crystallizer**

CRYSTALLIZER	PRINCIPLE/CHARACTERISTICS
UNIT OPERATIONS	PROPERTIES
1. Swenson-walker crystallizer	[P] Adiabatic evaporative cooling
2. Krystal crystallizer	[Q] Cooling alone
3. Vacuum crystallizer	[R] Evaporation
4. Forced circulation type crystallizer	[S] Heat exchange, Separation, circulation

Choose the CORRECT answer from the options given below

- (a) 1 - [P], 2 - [Q], 3 - [S], 4 - [R]  
(b) 1 - [R], 2 - [P], 3 - [S], 4 - [Q]  
(c) 1 - [P], 2 - [S], 3 - [R], 4 - [Q]  
(d) 1 - [Q], 2 - [R], 3 - [P], 4 - [S]



11. The process of establishing a product in the minds of target customer is called as
- Product positioning
  - Product differentiation
  - Product targeting
  - Market segmentation
12. Which of the following materials are specified as a suitable diluent for powdered opium
- [A] Powdered grass  
[B] Powdered cocoa husk  
[C] Lactose colored with burnt sugar  
[D] Powdered digitalis
- Choose the correct answer from the options given below
- [A] and [D] only
  - [B] and [D] only
  - [B] and [C] only
  - [A] and [C] only
13. Which of the following statement is false
- [DROPPED QUESTION]**
- Reducing agents often cause fading of dyes
  - Anionic dyes are the most stable at acid pH
  - Basic dyes are not sensitive to alkalis
  - Cationic dyes may be precipitated by soaps and clays
14. In the process of sugar coating, to prevent moisture penetration into the tablet core, which one of the following step is performed
- Seal Coating
  - Subcoating
  - Syrup Coating
  - Polishing
15. Oral efficacy of Sabin Polio Vaccine can be adequately explained by which of the following processes of absorption
- Passive diffusion
  - Active transport
  - Ion - pair transport
  - Pinocytosis
16. Hospital Formulary contains information on the following parameters EXCEPT
- Composition
  - Indication
  - Pricing
  - Dosage and administration
17. Which one of the following is a rate equation for second order bimolecular reaction if, a and

b are the initial concentrations of A and B, respectively, and x is the concentration of each species reacting in time t and k is second-order reaction

- $k = [2.303 / t(a - b)] \times [\log a(a - x) / b(b - x)]$
- $k = [2.303 / t(a - b)] \times [\log b(a - x) / a(b - x)]$
- $k = [2.303 / t(a - b)] / [\log b(a - x) / a(b - x)]$
- $k = [2.303 / t(a - b)] / [\log a(a - x) / b(b - x)]$

18. Which of the following DRYERS is a "static bed dryer"
- Freeze dryer
  - Fluid bed dryer
  - Spray dryer
  - Flash dryer
19. In thermoplastic materials, which are used as a container/packaging material, additives like polyethylene and polypropylene are used as
- [DROPPED QUESTION]**
- Plasticizer
  - Stabilizers
  - Surface treatment film
  - Slip agent
20. Match List I with List II

LIST I	LIST II
1. When two dosage forms have equal $t_{max}$	[P] When their total body clearance is constant
2. AUC values of the two analogs can be compared to measure relative bioavailability	[Q] Absorption rate constants are equal
3. Urinary data is valid to measure bioavailability	[R] When fraction absorbed and elimination rate is constant
4. $C_{max}$ is proportional to the rate of absorption	[S] Excretion of drug and/or metabolite is related to the bioavailable dose

Choose the CORRECT answer from the options given below

- 1 - [Q], 2 - [P], 3 - [S], 4 - [R]
- 1 - [P], 2 - [Q], 3 - [R], 4 - [S]
- 1 - [P], 2 - [S], 3 - [R], 4 - [Q]
- 1 - [R], 2 - [P], 3 - [Q], 4 - [S]

21. Boston Consulting Group (BCG) Matrix is used for
- Product life cycle management
  - SWOT analysis
  - Product portfolio management
  - Gap analysis



41. A typical skin cream consisting of stearic acid, potassium hydroxide, glycerin, water, preservative and perfume, would be commonly known as
- Cold cream
  - Vanishing cream
  - Foundation cream
  - All purpose cream

42. Which of the following conjugation reactions DOES NOT REQUIRE reaction with an activated conjugating agent

- Glucouronidation
- Sulfation
- Methylation
- Glutathione conjugation

43. Stability index, determined for evaluating the stability of oil- water viscous emulsions, based on electric conductivity changes during non-destructive short heating-cooling-heating cycles

[A] is defined as  $\Delta/h$ , where h is the change in the conductivity between 35°C and 45°C and  $\Delta$  is the conductivity interval within the two heating curves at 35°C

[B] Indicates the relative change in enthalpy between two cycles

[C] is defined as  $2\Delta/h$ , where h is the change in the conductivity between 35°C and 45°C and  $\Delta$  is the conductivity interval within the two heating curves at 35°C

[D] Indicates the relative change in conductivity between two cycles

Choose the CORRECT answer from the options given below

- [A] and [B] only
- [B] and [C] only
- [C] and [D] only
- [D] and [A] only

### PHARMACOLOGY

44. Match List I with List II Match the following drugs with their classes

LIST I	LIST II
DRUGS	CLASSES
1. Anakinra	[P] IL-2 receptor antagonist
2. Basiliximab	[Q] TNF $\alpha$ inhibitors
3. Infliximab	[R] Calcineurin inhibitors
4. Tacrolimus	[S] mTOR inhibitors
	[T] IL-1 receptor antagonist

Choose the CORRECT answer from the options given below

- 1 - [R], 2 - [Q], 3 - [P], 4 - [S]
- 1 - [T], 2 - [Q], 3 - [R], 4 - [P]
- 1 - [P], 2 - [R], 3 - [T], 4 - [Q]
- 1 - [T], 2 - [P], 3 - [Q], 4 - [R]

45. Which of the following is a malignant type of tumor

- Lipoma
- Adenoma
- Melanoma
- Osteoma

46. In human body \_\_\_\_\_ system operates to maintain pH of blood plasma

- The acetate buffer
- The lysis buffer
- The potassium citrate
- The carbonic acid

47. Match List I with List II Match the following with their mechanism of action

LIST I	LIST II
MECHANISM OF ACTION	DRUGS
1. DPP4 inhibitors	[P] Metformin
2. K <sub>ATP</sub> Channel blocker	[Q] Pioglitazone
3. PPAR $\gamma$ activator	[R] Glimepiride
4. AMP $\alpha$ Activator	[S] Teneligliptin
	[T] $\alpha$ glucosidase inhibitors

Choose the CORRECT answer from the options given below

- 1 - [Q], 2 - [T], 3 - [R], 4 - [S]
- 1 - [Q], 2 - [R], 3 - [S], 4 - [P]
- 1 - [S], 2 - [R], 3 - [Q], 4 - [P]
- 1 - [S], 2 - [P], 3 - [T], 4 - [R]

# GPAT-2021

## PY - PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

### PHARMACEUTICS

- The USP defines \_\_\_\_ as liquid preparations of vegetable drugs, containing alcohol as a solvent or as a preservative, or both, so made that, unless otherwise specified in an individual monograph, each milliliter contains the therapeutic constituents of 1 gram of the standard drug that it represents
  - Tinctures
  - Extracts
  - Infusion
  - Fluid extracts
- Match List I with List II  
**List - I (Equipment)**
  - Low shear mixer
  - Rotary tablet machine
  - Capsule filling machine
  - Compaction mill**List - II (Model/Trade Name/Type)**  
[P] Manestry Drycota  
[Q] Chilsonator (Fitzpatrick)  
[R] Slanted Double Cone Mixer  
[S] Prosolv (JRS Pharma)  
[T] PCF 1200 Model (Pharma Land)  
Choose the correct answer from the options given below
  - 1 - [P], 2 - [Q], 3 - [S], 4 - [R]
  - 1 - [Q], 2 - [R], 3 - [P], 4 - [S]
  - 1 - [R], 2 - [P], 3 - [S], 4 - [Q]
  - 1 - [P], 2 - [Q], 3 - [R], 4 - [S]
- The properties of solutions containing surface active agents change sharply over a narrow concentration range and are called as
  - Critical micelle concentration
  - Ionic concentration
  - Hydrogen ion concentration
  - Surface tension
- HEPA filters are defined as A or more efficient in removing, from the air. B particles generated by vaporization of the hydrocarbon Emory 3004
  - A - 99.99 % B - 0.1 mm
  - A - 99.00 % B - 0.3 mm
  - A - 99.99 % B - 0.3 mm
  - A - 99.00 % B - 0.1 mm
- Name the popular system for ocular delivery of Pilocarpine, based on membrane controlled reservoir systems
  - Ocusert
  - Alzet pump
  - Progestasert
  - Nitrodur
- The phenomenon of increasing the solubility of weak electrolytes and non-polar molecules by the addition of a water miscible solvent in which the drug has good solubility is called
  - Complexation
  - Co-solvency
  - Solubilization
  - Hydrotropy
- The system volume is increased when sheared is called
  - Dilatant flow
  - Newtonian flow
  - Plastic flow
  - Pseudoplastic flow
- The value of R in energy of activation is
  - 1.98 cal/deg.molecule
  - 1.89 cal/deg.molecule
  - 8.91 cal/deg.molecule
  - 9.18 cal/deg.molecule
- Which of the following ointment bases is an ingredient of an absorption base
  - Petrolatum
  - Lanolin
  - Hydrogenated castor oil
  - Cetyl alcohol
- Chitosan possesses which of the following property
  - Hypocholesterolemic
  - Antimicrobial
  - Wound healing
  - All of these
- p-gp (p-glycoprotein) is highly expressed on the
  - Lungs
  - Pancreas
  - Superficial columnar epithelial cells of ileum and colon
  - Heart



# GPAT-2020

## PY - PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

### PHARMACEUTICS

- Hydrated proton is called**  
(a) Water proton (b) Hydronium ion  
(c) Oxonium ion (d) Proton pump
- Burow's solution is**  
(a) Aluminium acetate solution strong  
(b) Calcium phosphate solution strong  
(c) Ammonium acetate solution strong  
(d) Calcium hydroxide solution strong
- When the concentration of an aqueous sodium chloride solution has the same colligative properties as the solution in question, the value so obtained is known as**  
(a) Normality (b) Isotonicity value  
(c) Molarity (d) Molality
- As per the Drugs and Cosmetics Act-1940, if a drug is not labelled in prescribed manner it is a**  
(a) Spurious drug (b) Substandard drug  
(c) Adulterated drug (d) Misbranded drug
- The general purpose soda lime glass is not a suitable material for fabricating the container for**  
(a) Parenteral  
(b) Oral solutions  
(c) Liquids for external use  
(d) Dry powders
- The mechanism by which fluorides inhibit dental caries is**  
(a) By increasing susceptibility to acid  
(b) By increasing the sensitivity of tooth enamel  
(c) Decreased acid solubility of enamel  
(d) Increased acid solubility of enamel
- When a solid forms a gel more readily when gently shaken or otherwise sheared than when allowed to form the gel while the material is kept at rest, the phenomenon is known as**  
(a) Thixotropy (b) Rheopexy  
(c) Negative rheopexy (d) Anti thixotropy
- The dispersion of coarse material by shearing in a narrow gap between a static cone and a rapidly rotating cone is caused by**  
(a) Colloid Mill (b) Electrical Dispersion  
(c) Peptisation (d) Ultrasonic Irradiation
- Which of the following is not a fundamental (primary) factor considered for selection of a location for the construction of pharmaceutical or chemical plant**  
(a) Soil (b) Market for products  
(c) Labour supply (d) Raw materials
- The drug concentration between Minimum effective concentration (MEC) and maximum safe concentration (MSC) is called**  
(a) Toxic range (b) Therapeutic index  
(c) Therapeutic ratio (d) Therapeutic range
- Violin gut is obtained from intestine of**  
(a) Horse (b) Cat  
(c) Sheep (d) Camel
- In capsule making the Bloom strength of gelatin is proportional to molecular weight of the gelatin and is a measure of the**  
(a) Cohesive strength of the solvent molecules  
(b) Cohesive strength of the crosslinking that occurs between gelatin molecules  
(c) Adhesive strength of gelatin with dipping pins  
(d) Adhesive strength of gelatin with other polymer
- Dimethyl sulfoxide acts as penetration enhancer for topical formulations by**  
(a) Increasing solubility'  
(b) Denaturing proteins  
(c) Increasing transepidermal loss  
(d) Altering solvent nature of membrane
- Relative sweetness of sucrose, to saccharin**  
(a) 1: 200 (b) 1: 500  
(c) 1: 100 (d) 1: 400
- Choose the wrong statement from the following with regard to Amorphous solids**  
(a) Usually they are anisotropic  
(b) They tend to flow when subjected to sufficient pressure  
(c) Considered as super cooled fluids  
(d) They do not have definite melting point



**121. Production of Acetyl methyl carbinol can be detected by which of the following test**

- (a) Voges-proskaver test
- (b) Indole test
- (c) Citrate utilization test
- (d) Methyl red test

**122. Following amino acid does not exhibit optical isomerism**

- (a) Serine
- (b) Alanine
- (c) Glycine
- (d) Leucine

**123. Following is the important sterol in faeces formed from cholesterol by bacteria in lower intestine**

- (a) 7- $\alpha$ -Hydroxy cholesterol
- (b) Coprostanol

(c) 7-Dehydrocholesterol

(d) Lithocholic acid

**124. SCHICK Test Toxin is a sterile Filtrate from a culture of**

- (a) *Rickettsia prowazekii*
- (b) *Mycobacterium diphtheriae*
- (c) *Corynebacterium diphtheriae*
- (d) *Actinobacillus mallei*

**125. Which one of the following is NOT the biochemical marker of all death**

- (a) Phospholipase
- (b) Creatine kinase
- (c) Lipase
- (d) Amylase

## ANSWER KEY GPAT-2020

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61- c	62- d	63- a	64- b	65- d	66- c	67- d	68- d	69- a	70- c
71- d	72- d	73- d	74- c	75- a	76- c	77- a	78- a	79- a	80- b
81- b	82- c	83- c	84- a	85- c	86- c	87- c	88- b	89- a	90- d
91- a	92- a	93- a	94- a	95- a	96- a	97- c	98- d	99- c	100- b
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121- a	122- c	123- b	124- c	125- a					



# GPAT-2019

## PY - PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

### PHARMACEUTICS

- Which of the following is NOT a mechanism for achieving gastroretention**  
(a) Osmosis (b) Floating  
(c) Mucoadhesion (d) Swelling
- Which of the following oxide is NOT used for achieving Amber color to glass**  
(a) Manganese (b) Iron  
(c) Cobalt (d) Carbon
- Theories of emulsification are characterized by one of the following EXCEPT**  
(a) Film formation  
(b) Phase inversion  
(c) Monomolecular adsorption  
(d) Solid particle adsorption
- Movement of charged particle through a liquid under the influence of an applied potential difference is known as**  
(a) Sedimentation potential  
(b) Streaming potential  
(c) Electrophoresis  
(d) Electroosmosis
- As per US FDA, NDA's for new chemical entitles are classified as either**  
(a) 'P' for product review or 'S' for standard review  
(b) 'P' for priority review or 'S' for standard review  
(c) 'P' for product review or 'S' for safety review  
(d) 'P' for priority review or 'S' for safety review
- In tablet, hydroxy propyl methyl cellulose is used as**  
(a) Diluent (b) Film former  
(c) Disintegrant (d) Binder
- Which one of the following is the property of microemulsion**  
(a) They have particle size more than 1 micron  
(b) They have poor stability  
(c) They exhibit a viscoelastic gel phase, when internal phase is added in excess  
(d) They have milky yellow colour
- 21 CFR part 211 of USFDA describes**  
(a) Current good clinical practice  
(b) Current good packaging practice  
(c) Current good manufacturing practice  
(d) Current good laboratory practice
- "Shake well" label must be placed on the containers of**  
(a) Ophthalmic suspension  
(b) Occuserts  
(c) Ophthalmic solution  
(d) Ophthalmic gels
- In case of Aerosol testing valve delivering acceptance criteria for a volume of 54 ml or less**  
(a)  $\pm 75\%$  (b)  $\pm 5\%$   
(c)  $\pm 10\%$  (d)  $\pm 15\%$
- Containers may be rendered free from pyrogens by adequate cleaning and by**  
(a) Autoclaving at 121°C for 15 minutes  
(b) Heating at 210°C for 3-4 hours  
(c) Autoclaving at 121°C for 1 hour  
(d) Heating at 100°C for 3-4 hours
- GMP regulation are pertaining to minimum requirements to be met by industry when**  
(a) Manufacturing, packaging and holding of human drugs and veterinary drugs  
(b) Manufacture of human drugs and veterinary drugs  
(c) Manufacture and packaging of human drugs and veterinary drugs  
(d) Manufacture and holding of human drugs and veterinary drugs
- Which one of the following viscometers can be used for characterizing non-Newtonian system**  
(a) Falling sphere viscometer  
(b) Cup and Bob viscometer  
(c) Capillary viscometer  
(d) Hoppelpler viscometer



# GPAT-2018

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**The medium of Question Paper shall be in English only.**

**GPAT is an online Computer Based Test of 3 hours duration with 125 objective type questions.**

1. Each question carries 04 (four) marks.
  2. For each correct response candidate will get 04 (four) marks.
  3. For each incorrect response 01 (one) mark will be deducted from the total score.
- The clock will be set at the server. The countdown timer in the top right corner of screen will display the remaining time available for you to complete the examination. When the timer reaches zero, the examination will end by itself. You will not be required to end or submit your examination.
  - The question palette displayed on the right side of screen will show the status of each question using one of the following symbols



- The flagged question simply indicates that you would like to look at the question again.
- If a question is answered than flagged will not be considered in the evaluation.

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***You can view all the questions by clicking on the question paper button. Note that the options for multiple choice type question will not be shown***

# GPAT-2018

## PY - PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

### PHARMACEUTICS

- Following are endogenous carriers use for targeted drug delivery EXCEPT**  
(a) Lipoprotein                      (b) Serum Albumin  
(c) Erythrocyte                      (d) Microparticulates
- Keesom interactions has a force of**  
(a) 0.5- 1 kcal/mol                      (b) 1-7 kcal/mol  
(c) 1-3 kcal/mol                      (d) None of these
- Dipole - induced dipoles are also known as**  
(a) London forces                      (b) Keesom forces  
(c) Debye forces                      (d) Hydrogen bonding
- The angle of repose is calculated by**  
(a)  $\tan \alpha = \text{Radius/Height}$   
(b)  $\tan \alpha = 1 + \text{Radius/Height}$   
(c)  $\tan \alpha = 1 - \text{Radius/Height}$   
(d)  $\tan \alpha = \text{Height/Radius}$
- Which method is used by pharmacists for complete blending of potent powders with large quantities of diluents**  
(a) Spatulation                      (b) Levigation  
(c) Trituration                      (d) Geometric dilution
- IVIVC utilizes the principles of statistical moment analysis**  
(a) Level A                      (b) Level B  
(c) Level C                      (d) Level D
- As per Factories Act 1948, in CHAPTER VI dealing with working hours of adults, no adult worker shall be required or allowed to work in a factory for more than \_\_\_\_\_ hours in a week**  
(a) 30                      (b) 40  
(c) 48                      (d) 56
- Which of the following is not patentable in India as per the Patents Act 1970**  
(a) New product  
(b) New process  
(c) New use of existing drug  
(d) New process for existing drug
- Which of the following agencies is not classified as an 'executive agency' for administration of the act under the provision of Drugs and Cosmetics Act 1940**  
(a) Licensing authority  
(b) Drug inspectors  
(c) Drugs Consultative Committee  
(d) Customs collectors
- Statement 1 : Vortex formation can be minimized by push pull mechanism**  
**Statement 2 : Vortex formation reduces the mixing intensity by increasing the velocity of impeller**  
(a) True, False                      (b) True, True  
(c) False, False                      (d) False, True
- Which statements are correct for the micelle formation**  
**[P] Micelles are dynamic structures that are continually formed and broken down in solution**  
**[Q] The typical micelle diameter is about 2-3  $\mu\text{m}$  and so they are visible under the light microscope**  
**[R] Micelle formation is a spontaneous process**  
**[S] When the surfactant concentration is increased above the CMC, the number of micelles increases and the free surfactant concentration decreases below CMC**  
(a) [P] and [Q]                      (b) [P] and [R]  
(c) [P] and [S]                      (d) [R] and [S]
- When considering drug delivery to the brain which of the following is false**  
(a) The cells in the blood vessels that supply the brain are tightly connected which restricts drug absorption  
(b) Only relatively small lipophilic molecules readily, passively diffuse in to the brain



# GPAT-2017

## PY - PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

### PHARMACEUTICS

- Which of the following is NOT a thermoplastic resin**
  - Phenolic plastic resin
  - Polystyrene
  - Polyethylene
  - Polypropylene
- Which among the following statements describing surface activity for surfactants is INCORRECT**
  - Increase in length of hydrocarbon chain decreases surface activity
  - Increase in ethylene oxide chain of polyoxy ethylated nonionic surfactant ethylene decrease of surface activity
  - Increase in the surface activity results in decrease in surface tension
  - Relationship between hydrocarbon chain length and surface activity is expressed by Traube's rule
- Type IV dissolution apparatus as per USP is**
  - Flow through cell
  - Paddle type apparatus
  - Reciprocating cylinder
  - Paddle over disk apparatus
- (Weight in pounds/150) × Adult Dose = Child dose, The above formula is known as \_\_\_\_\_ in Posology**
  - Young's formula
  - Dilling's formula
  - Clark's formula
  - Fried's formula
- The type of particle diameter obtained by microscopic method of evaluation is**
  - Projected diameter
  - Surface - Volume diameter
  - Volume - Surface diameter
  - Stokes diameter
- Apparent volume of distribution will be highest in case of the drug with % plasma protein binding**
  - 10
  - 89
  - 50
  - 68
- The useful variable form in vitro dissolution test data for IVIVC includes**
  - $t_{50\%} - t_{63.2\%}$
  - Sampling interval
  - Sample volume
  - Volume of dissolution fluid
- For the measurement of particle size of powders, the distance measured between two tangents on opposite sides of the particle parallel to some fixed direction is called**
  - Feret diameter
  - Martin diameter
  - Projected area diameter
  - Edmundson diameter
- If the drug substance has been substituted wholly or in part by another drug or substance, it is called as**
  - Spurious drug
  - Adulterated drug
  - Misbranded drug
  - Mixed drug
- Antioxidant used as blocking agent in sterile product is**
  - Ascorbic acid esters
  - Sodium bisulphate
  - Ascorbic acid
  - EDTA
- Bulk product is defined as**
  - Product completing all processing stages but not necessarily final packing
  - A product ready for final dispatch
  - Raw material used for making final dosage form
  - A defined quantity of raw material from the same batch
- If the pKa of lidocaine is 7.9 and pH of the infected tissue is 8.9, the fraction of drug in the ionized form will be**
  - 10%
  - 1%
  - 90%
  - 99%



- (a) Distillation under reduced pressure  
 (b) Molecular distillation  
 (c) Steam distillation  
 (d) Fractional distillation
26. **Free flowing powders show a flatter cone and have**  
 (a) Smaller angle of repose  
 (b) Larger angle of repose  
 (c) Intermediate angle of repose  
 (d) None of these
27. **The number of glucopyranose units in the structure of alpha cyclodextrins are**  
 (a) 8 (b) 9  
 (c) 7 (d) 6
28. **Dielectric constant of Ethanol at room temperature is almost equal to**  
 (a) 24 (b) 48  
 (c) 54 (d) 72
29. **The WIPO is the specialized agency of the United Nations. It promotes protection of \_\_\_\_\_ throughout the world**  
 (a) Intellectual properties  
 (b) World properties  
 (c) Pharmaceutical organizations  
 (d) Finance companies
30. **Foaming during liquid filling can be reduced by following ways, EXCEPT**  
 (a) Increase in speed of the filling line  
 (b) Minimised product turbulence  
 (c) Closed system filling  
 (d) Defoaming device
31. **Indicate which of the following statements is TRUE**  
 (a) A weakly acidic drug is unionised when pH of the solution is atleast 2 pH units below its pKa  
 (b) Acidic drugs are nonionized at pH 9  
 (c) Acidic drugs are less soluble in alkaline solution  
 (d) The higher the pKa of a weak acid, the stronger is acid
32. **As per I.P. if the solubility range of a solute is 30 to 100 parts, it will be**  
 (a) Soluble (b) Freely soluble  
 (c) Sparingly soluble (d) Slightly soluble
33. **The preferred rheological behavior of Pharmaceutical suspensions is that of**  
 (a) Pseudoplasticity and Thixotropy  
 (b) Pseudoplasticity  
 (c) Dilatancy and Thixotropy  
 (d) Pseudoplasticity and Rheopexy
34. **Using Young's rule, calculate the dose for a 5 year old child if the adult dose is 340mg**  
 (a) 200 mg (b) 100 mg  
 (c) 400 mg (d) 800 mg
35. **Surface tension is categorized as a/an \_\_\_\_\_ factor**  
 (a) Capacity (b) Intensive  
 (c) Extensive (d) Tolerance

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36. **Which among the following is a structural variant of GABA and is used as a muscle relaxant**  
 (a) Metocurine (b) Tybamate  
 (c) Baclofen (d) Cyclobenzaprine
37. **A patient receiving warfarin develops rheumatoid arthritis. Which one of the following drugs would be contraindicated**  
 (a) Ibuprofen (b) Tolmetin  
 (c) Aurothioglucose (d) Aspirin
38. **Which of the following statement regarding cerebral hemisphere is TRUE**  
 (a) The right and left hemisphere are symmetrical  
 (b) This right more important for spoken and written language  
 (c) The left hemisphere is more important for musical and artistic awareness  
 (d) Hemispheric lateralization is more pronounced in male than in female
39. **Which among the following are the salient features of Glucocorticoids**  
 (a) Gets combined with highly specific cytosolic glucocorticoids  
 (b) They promote phagocytosis by macrophages  
 (c) Releases of lytic enzymes  
 (d) Increases lipid eicosanoids and prostaglandin genes



69. As per first schedule of Drugs and Cosmetics Act 1940 following is name of the book under Siddha system of medicine  
 (a) Arka Prakasha (b) Yog Ratnakar  
 (c) Nagamuni (d) Vrinda Chikitsa
70. Which of the following genera is NOT the source for tropane alkaloids  
 (a) Datura (b) Duboisia  
 (c) Nicotiana (d) Atropa
71. Which of the following alkaloid (form) is used to treat migraine  
 (a) Vinca (b) Coca  
 (c) Ergot (d) Belladonna
72. Glycosides are condensation products of  
 (a) Protein + Aglycone (b) Sugar + Protein  
 (c) Sugar + Aglycone (d) Fats + Aglycone
73. Which of the following alkaloids has hypotensive activity  
 (a) Emetine (b) Quinine  
 (c) Reserpine (d) Papaverine
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74. Neuropathy is adverse effect of  
 (a) Isoniazid (b) Ethambutol  
 (c) Pyrazinamide (d) Dapsone
75. The compound 2 - (Diethylamino) ethyl [bicyclohexyl]- 1-carboxylate hydrochloride is  
 (a) Dicycloverine  
 (b) Diphenhydramine  
 (c) Both nicotinic and specific antispasmodic  
 (d) Diagnostic agent for diagnosis of thyroid gland
76. Condensation product of Ethyl isopentyl ester of diethyl malonic acid with urea and sodium ethoxide yields  
 (a) Amylobarbitone (b) Phenobarbitone  
 (c) Pentobarbitone (d) Quinobarbitone
77. An intermediate 3- Chloroaniline 4, 6 - disulphonamide on heating with formic acid yields a compound  
 (a) 6 chloro 2H -1, 2, 4 Benzothiadiazine 7 sulphonamide  
 (b) 3 chloro-2H-1, 2, 4- Benzothiadiazine 7 sulphonamide  
 (c) Used in treatment of urinary tract infections  
 (d) Used as antibacterial
78. Which among the following statements related to ceric sulphate as oxidizing agent, as titrant are correct  
 (a) Ce (IV) during reaction exists as an anionic complex in media of Sulphuric acid  
 (b) Ionic equation is  $Ce^{3+} \rightarrow Ce^{2+} + e^-$   
 (c) Formal potential of Ce (III) Ce (II) couple is 1  
 (d) Ce (IV) does not permit use of HCl as reducing media
79. Naphazoline is  
 (a) Is used for relief of nasal congestion  
 (b) Exhibits peripheral beta-adrenoceptor stimulant  
 (c) Is a pyrazoline derivative  
 (d) Chemically, is 1H Imidazole, 3, 4-dihydro-2-(3-naphthylmethyl) monohydrochloride
80. Match the following adrenergic drugs with their receptor affinity
- |                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| 1. Epinephrine   | [P] More alpha 1, no beta 1, beta 2 & dopamine      |
| 2. Noradrenaline | [Q] More alpha 1 & beta 1, less beta 2, no dopamine |
| 3. Phenylephrine | [R] More beta 1 & beta 2, no alpha 1 and dopamine   |
| 4. Dobutamine    | [S] More alpha 1 & beta 1, no beta 2 & dopamine     |
- (a) 1-[Q], 2-[S], 3-[P], 4-[R]  
 (b) 1-[P], 2-[R], 3-[S], 4-[Q]  
 (c) 1-[R], 2-[P], 3-[Q], 4-[S]  
 (d) 1-[S], 2-[Q], 3-[R], 4-[P]
81. Which among the following is an INCORRECT statement with regard to the drug Dantrolene  
 (a) It is a pyrazoline derivative  
 (b) It is an imidazoline analogue  
 (c) It is a nitrophenyl furfurylidene derivative  
 (d) It is a skeletal muscle relaxant

- 116. Product, \_\_\_\_\_ and Promotion are four 'P's of marketing**  
 (a) Price and Place  
 (b) Place  
 (c) Process  
 (d) Production, Process, Price, Production
- 117. Beta oxidation of fatty acids takes place in**  
 (a) Mitochondria (b) Cytoplasm  
 (c) Nucleus (d) Chloroplast
- 118. The first vaccine was discovered by**  
 (a) DeBary (b) Paul Ehrlich  
 (c) Robert Koch (d) Edward Jenner
- 119. Following are the list of various inherited metabolic disorders that can affect functioning of liver**  
 1. Primary biliary cirrhosis  
 2. Glycogen storage disease  
 3. Gilbert's syndrome  
 4. Haemochromatosis  
 5. Wilson's disease  
 (a) 1, 2, 3, 4 (b) 2, 3, 4, 5  
 (c) 1, 3, 4, 5 (d) 1, 2, 4, 5
- 120. High lightening differences among brands within the same product category is**  
 (a) Product brand  
 (b) Brand launch  
 (c) Product differentiation  
 (d) Branding
- 121. The Michaelis-Menten hypothesis**  
 (a) Postulates the formation of an enzyme substrate complex  
 (b) Enables us to calculate the isoelectric point of an enzyme  
 (c) States that the rate of a chemical reaction maybe independent of substrate concentration  
 (d) States that the reaction rate is proportional to substrate concentration
- 122. The largest gene in human is**  
 (a) Dystrophin (b) Titin  
 (c) Insulin (d) Phosphofructokinase
- 123. A labeled piece of DNA that is complementary to the sequence of DNA you are interested in, say the gene you are trying to put into cells, is called as**  
 (a) A probe (b) A receptor  
 (c) A epitope (d) A target
- 124. The Michaelis-Menten equation for standard for saturated active transport system is**  
 (a)  $V_{\max} = k_{\text{cat}}[E_0]$  (b)  $V_{\max} = k_m$   
 (c)  $V_{\max} = k_m[S]$  (d) None of these
- 125. In humans end product of purine catabolism is**  
 (a) Uric acid (b) Urea  
 (c) Purine oxide (d) Xanthine

## ANSWER KEY GPAT-2017

1- a	2-a	3-a	4-c	5-a	6-a	7-a	8-a	9-a	10-a
11-a	12-c	13-b	14-a	15-a	16-a	17-a	18-a	19-a	20-a
21-a	22-d	23-a	24-b	25-b	26-a	27-d	28-a	29-a	30-a
31-a	32-c	33-a	34-b	35-b	36-c	37-d	38-d	39-a	40-a
41-a	42-b	43-a	44-c	45-a	46-c	47-c	48-a	49-a	50-c
51-a	52-a	53-a	54-a	55-a	56-a	57-a	58-a	59-d	60-a
61-a	62-a	63-b	64-a	65-a	66-a	67-b	68-a	69-c	70-c
71-c	72-c	73-c	74-a	75-a	76-a	77-a	78-a	79-a	80-a
81-a	82-b	83-d	84-b	85-a	86-d	87-b	88-a	89-c	90-d
91-a	92-a	93-d	94-c	95-a	96-a	97-b	98-a	99-a	100-a
101-a	102-a	103-a	104-a	105-c	106-a	107-a	108-a	109-a	110-d
111-a	112-a	113-a	114-a	115-a	116-a	117-a	118-d	119-b	120-c
121-a	122-a	123-a	124-a	125-a					



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## PY - PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

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- 1. OROS is a technology developed for/as**
  - (a) Oral release rapid onset system
  - (b) Orally rapid disintegrating tablets
  - (c) Osmotic controlled oral drug delivery system
  - (d) Transdermal drug delivery system
- 2. The Gibb's Phase rule**
  - (a) Holds only for systems with more than components
  - (b) Predicts that a maximum of three phase can exits in one components system
  - (c) Does not count phase compositions as intensive variables
  - (d) Does not count pressure and temperature as intensive variables
- 3. The displacement value is defined as**
  - (a) Quantity of drug which displace one part of the base
  - (b) Quantity of base which displace one part of the drug
  - (c) Quantity of drug which displace one part of the acid
  - (d) Quantity of base which displace one part of the acid
- 4. Clausius-Clapeyron equation is use to express the relationship between**
  - (a) Vapor pressure and absolute temperature
  - (b) Rate of vaporization at a definite temperature
  - (c) Rate of vaporization at a definite pressure
  - (d) Vapor pressure and boiling point
- 5. IPEC deals with**
  - (a) Excipient
  - (b) USFDA
  - (c) GMP
  - (d) GLP
- 6. The Reynolds number is defined as**
  - (a) Measure of the ratio of inertial forces  $\rho V^2/L$  to viscous forces  $\mu V/L^2$
  - (b) Measure of the ratio of inertial forces  $\rho V^2/L$  to Non viscous forces
  - (c) Measure of the ratio of viscous forces  $\mu V/L^2$  to inertial forces  $\rho V^2/L$
  - (d) Measure of the ratio of non-viscous forces to inertial forces  $\rho V^2/L$
- 7. Which of the following equation is CORRECT to determine the pH of weak base**
  - (a)  $pH = pK_a + \log \text{ionized drug conc./unionized drug conc.}$
  - (b)  $pH = pK_a + \log \text{unionized drug conc./ionized drug conc.}$
  - (c)  $pH = pK_a - \log \text{ionized drug conc./unionized drug conc.}$
  - (d)  $pH = pK_a + \log \text{antilog unionized drug conc./ionized drug conc.}$
- 8. Which of the following is a propellant number of dichlorotetrafluoroethane**
  - (a) 114
  - (b) 014
  - (c) 124
  - (d) 012
- 9. Auristillae is the latin term for**
  - (a) Eye drop
  - (b) Ear drop
  - (c) Nasal drop
  - (d) Spray solution
- 10. DLVO theory is**

**[P] Derjaguin Landau Verwey Overbeek theory**  
**[Q] Used to explain double electric layer theory**  
**[R] Used to explain stability ointments**  
**[S] Used to explain Brownian movement of colloids**

  - (a) [P], [Q]
  - (b) [Q], [R]
  - (c) [R], [S]
  - (d) [Q], [S]
- 11. 0.1gms contains**
  - (a) 1000 mg
  - (b) 100 mg
  - (c) 10 mg
  - (d) 1 mg
- 12. When the angle of contact between a solid and a liquid is 90°, then**
  - (a) Cohesive force > Adhesive force
  - (b) Cohesive force < Adhesive force
  - (c) Cohesive force = Adhesive force
  - (d) Cohesive force >> Adhesive force



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- 42. Which of the following is rate limiting step in synthesis of catecholamines**
- (a) Conversion of Dopa to dopamine by dopa decarboxylase  
 (b) Conversion of tyrosine to L-Dopa in presence of enzyme tyrosine hydroxylase  
 (c) Conversion of dopamine to NA by dopamine  $\beta$ -hydroxylase  
 (d) Conversion of Noradrenaline to adrenaline by N-methyltransferase
- 43. Colistin is obtained from**
- (a) Bacteria (b) Fungi  
 (c) Actinomycetes (d) Herbs
- 44. Loss of therapeutic efficacy after prolonged/intensive use of drug**
- (a) Refractoriness (b) Resistance  
 (c) Tachyphylaxis (d) Idiosyncrasy
- 45. Match the following**
- | Action          | Description                              |
|-----------------|--|
| 1. Chronotropic | [P] Force of contraction                 |
| 2. Inotropic    | [Q] Frequency of heartbeat or heart rate |
| 3. Dromotropic  | [R] Excitability of cardiac muscle       |
| 4. Bathmotropic | [S] Conduction of impulse through heart  |
- (a) 1-[P], 2-[Q], 3-[R], 4-[S]  
 (b) 1-[Q], 2-[P], 3-[R], 4-[S]  
 (c) 1-[P], 2-[Q], 3-[S], 4-[R]  
 (d) 1-[Q], 2-[P], 3-[S], 4-[R]
- 46. 5-HT<sub>2A</sub> antagonist is**
- (a) Clozapine (b) Ketanserin  
 (c) Sumatriptan (d) Cisapride
- 47. Pernicious anemia is a form of which class of anemia**
- (a) Microcytic normochromic  
 (b) Microcytic hypochromic  
 (c) Macrocytic megaloblastic  
 (d) Macrocytic non-megaloblastic
- 48. LISPRO an analog of insulin defers from insulin by which amino acids**
- (a) Lysine and proline  
 (b) Leucine  
 (c) Lysine and phenylalanine  
 (d) Leucine and phenylalanine
- 49. What is the normal glomerular filtration rate**
- (a) 120ml/min (b) 140ml/min  
 (c) 240ml/min (d) 120ml/hr
- 50. Which of the following is an anabolic steroid**
- (a) Methyltestosterone  
 (b) Fluoxymesterone  
 (c) Nandrolone  
 (d) Danazole
- 51. Terbinafine acts as**
- (a) Competitive inhibitor of squalene epoxidase  
 (b) Noncompetitive inhibitor of squalene epoxidase  
 (c) Competitive inhibitor of folate synthetase  
 (d) Noncompetitive inhibitor of folate synthetase
- 52. Belladonna poisoning may occur due to drug overdose or consumption of seeds and berries of belladonna plant, thus that poisoning can be overcome by**
- (a) Homatropine (b) Digitoxine  
 (c) Cinchonidine (d) Physostigmine
- 53. Cisplatin having high**
- (a) Neurotoxicity (b) Hepatotoxicity  
 (c) Nephrotoxicity (d) MAO inhibition
- 54. Which of the following drugs are often found in both prescription and over the counter nasal decongestants**
- (a) Alpha 2 agonists (b) Alpha 1 agonists  
 (c) Alpha 1 antagonists (d) Beta 2 agonists
- 55. A patient with rheumatoid arthritis has been taking acetyl salicylic acid regularly, However, recently she has been experiencing stiffness, swelling and pain due to salicylate resistance. She has occult blood in her faces. Suggest an appropriate drug suitable for her from those mentioned below**
- (a) Paracetamol (b) Celecoxib  
 (c) Piroxicam (d) Naproxen



82. Sodium cromoglycate has been developed from the molecule which is found in the *Ammi visnaga* is  
 (a) Amarogentin (b) Khellin  
 (c) Tubocurarine (d) Physostigmine
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83. In  $S_N2$  reaction mechanism the product obtained from optically active halide shows  
 (a) Complete racemization  
 (b) Partial racemization  
 (c) Retention of configuration  
 (d) Complete inversion of configuration
84. Identify the CORRECT name for CORTISONE  
 (a) 4 pregnane  $17\alpha$ , 21 diol 3, 11, 20-trione  
 (b) 3 Pregnane  $17\alpha$ , 21 diol 3, 11, 20-trione  
 (c) 4 Pregnane  $11\beta$ ,  $17\alpha$ , 21 triol 3, 20-dione  
 (d) 4 Pregnane  $12\beta$ ,  $17\alpha$ , 21 triol 3, 20-dione
85. The polarity of water molecule is due to  
 (a) Difference in electronegativity of oxygen and hydrogen atoms in water  
 (b) The readily ionizing behavior of water  
 (c) The positive charge of water molecule  
 (d) The negative charge of water molecule
86. Miglitol is chemically  
 (a) 2, 3, 4 - pyridine triol  
 (b) 2, 3, 4 - piperidine triol  
 (c) 3, 4, 5 - pyridine triol  
 (d) 3, 4, 5 - piperidine triol
87. An antidiabetic drug is 1-[4-[-2-(5-chloro-2-methoxybenzamido) ethyl] phenyl-Sulphonyl]-3- Cyclohexylurea. The generic name of the drug is  
 (a) Glyburide (b) Gliclazide  
 (c) Glipizide (d) Gliquidone
88. In Triamterene structure the substitution of  $-NH_2$  at different position are  
 (a) 1, 4, 6 (b) 2, 4, 7  
 (c) 3, 5, 7 (d) 1, 3, 5
89. In Misoprostol the hydroxyl group at position  
 (a) 6, 11 (b) 11, 16  
 (c) 9, 16 (d) 11, 15
90. What is the best definition of Tautomers  
 (a) Constitutional isomers that readily interconvert  
 (b) Stereoisomers that do not have a mirror image relationship  
 (c) Structures that differ only by rotation around single bond  
 (d) Isomers that have their atoms connected in the same order but have different three dimensional arrangements
91. Identify the one which is a common Auxochrome  
 (a)  $-C=C$  (b)  $-OH$   
 (c)  $-C=O$  (d)  $R-O-R'$
92. Conversion of phenyl acetate into o-hydroxyl acetophenone or p-ortho hydroxyl acetophenone in presence of anhydrous  $AlCl_3$ , the reaction known as  
 (a) Friedel crafts reaction  
 (b) Fries rearrangement  
 (c) Reimer-Tiemann reaction  
 (d) Oppenauer oxidation
93. The stereo chemistry of Morphine is  
 (a) 5S, 6R, 9S, 13R, 14S  
 (b) 5S, 6R, 9S, 13R, 14R  
 (c) 5S, 6R, 9S, 13S, 14S  
 (d) 5R, 6S, 9R, 13S, 14R
94. The correct order of basicity is  
 [P] Pyrrole [Q] Indole  
 [R] Pyridine [S] Piperidine  
 (a) [P]>[Q]>[R]>[S] (b) [Q]>[P]>[R]>[S]  
 (c) [R]>[P]>[Q]>[S] (d) [S]>[R]>[P]>[Q]
95. Rubreserine is a metabolic product of  
 (a) Neostigmine (b) Pyridostigmine  
 (c) Physostigmine (d) Rivastigmine
96. Acridine and Xanthene rings are related to each other in that  
 (a) Xanthene is oxygen isoster of Acridine  
 (b) Acridine is oxygen isoster of Xanthene  
 (c) Xanthene is nitrogen isoster of Acridine  
 (d) Xanthene is sulfur isoster os Acridine

**42. Identify the incorrect statement**

- (a) Co- solvency is a solubility enhancement technique
- (b) Shake flask method is used to determine partition coefficient
- (c) Solubility of a highly soluble salt is decreased by adding a common ion in common ion effect
- (d) Diffuse Reflectance Spectroscopy is used for drug- excipient study analysis

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- (a) Tendinitis
- (b) Bursitis
- (c) Cellulitis
- (d) Cumulative Injury Disorder (CID)

**44. Which of the following drug prevents uric acid synthesis by inhibiting the enzyme xanthine oxidase**

- (a) Paracetamol      (b) Allopurinol
- (c) Sulfasalazine    (d) Aspirin

**45. Which of the following substances is a organophosphorus insecticide**

- (a) Diazoxide      (b) Tacrine
- (c) Donepezil      (d) Rotenone

**46. British antilewisite is**

- (a) Dimercaprol      (b) Succimer
- (c) D- penicillamine    (d) Deferoxamine

**47. Which of the following Calcium channel blocker is Phenyl alkyl derivative**

- (a) Nimodipine      (b) Nifedipine
- (c) Diltiazem      (d) Verapamil

**48. Which one of the following is systemic antacid**

- (a) Magnesium hydroxide
- (b) Sodium Citrate
- (c) Sucralfate
- (d) Carbenoxolone

**49. A competitive antagonist is a substance that**

**[P] Interacts with receptors and produces submaximal effect**

**[Q] Binds to the same receptor site and progressively inhibits the agonist response**

**[R] Binds to the nonspecific sites of tissue**

- (a) [P] true, [Q] & [R] false
- (b) [P] & [Q] true, [R] false
- (c) [Q] true, [P] & [R] false
- (d) [Q] & [R] true, [P] false

**50. Antiretroviral Raltegravir is unique, because of which of its following actions**

- (a) Integrase inhibition
- (b) CCR5 Co-receptor antagonism
- (c) Fusion inhibition
- (d) Reverse transcriptase inhibition

**51. Out of the following anticancer drug cardiotoxicity is seen in**

- (a) Mitomycin-C      (b) Doxorubicin
- (c) Methotrexate      (d) Cyclophosphamide

**52. This drug is a Class IC antiarrhythmic drug**

- (a) Flecainide      (b) Sotalol
- (c) Lidocaine      (d) Verapamil

**53. The decreasing order of Narcotic action is**

- (a) Morphine, Codeine, Papaverine, Narcotine, Thebaine
- (b) Morphine, Codeine, Thebaine, Papaverine, Narcotine
- (c) Morphine, Papaverine, Codeine, Narcotine, Thebaine
- (d) Morphine, Papaverine, Narcotine, Codeine, Thebaine

**54. Which of the following pairs has an interaction beneficial for routine clinical use**

- (a) Pseudoephedrine and Al(OH)<sub>3</sub> gel
- (b) Tetracycline and milk of magnesia
- (c) MAO inhibitors and Tyramine
- (d) Chloramphenicol and Tolbutamide



68. Following is an example of preformed and not lipid derived mast cell mediator of inflammatory process

- (a) LTC<sub>4</sub> (b) PGD<sub>2</sub>  
(c) PAF (d) Kallidin

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69. Who is known as the Father of tissue culture

- (a) Reinert (b) White  
(c) Haberlandt (d) Gautheret

70. Biosynthesis of alizarin follows the

- (a) Shikimic acid pathway  
(b) Mevalonic acid pathway  
(c) Both (a) and (b)  
(d) Acetate pathway

71. Taxol is

- (a) Monoterpenoid  
(b) Sesquiterpenoid  
(c) Diterpenoid  
(d) Triterpenoid

72. Which of the following compound from marine source shows antiviral activity

- (a) Aplysistain (b) Eudistomin  
(c) Aeropolysnin (d) Carrageenan

73. Belladonna alkaloid contains

- (a) Anisocytic stomata, non glandular trichomes, cluster calcium crystals, multilayered palisade cells  
(b) Anisocytic stomata, glandular trichomes, cluster calcium crystals, single layered palisade cells  
(c) Anisocytic stomata, glandular trichomes, acicular calcium crystals, single layered palisade cells  
(d) Anomocytic stomata, non glandular trichomes, cluster calcium crystals, single layered palisade cells

74. Precursor of Anabesine is

- (a) Lysine (b) Leucine

- (c) Phenylalanine (d) Tryptophan

75. One of the following is not characteristic of mother clove

- (a) Dark brown colour  
(b) Starch grain present  
(c) Starch grain absent  
(d) Inferior in volatile content

76. Which of the herbal preparation metallic content in their formulation

- (a) Asvas and Aristas (b) Bhasma  
(c) Churna (d) Avleha

77. Given below are two statements one is labelled as Assertion [A] and the other is labelled as Reason [R]

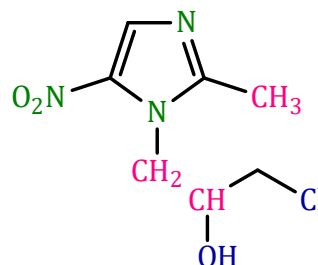
Assertion [A] : After collecting cascara bark, it is allowed to stored for atleast 1 year

Reason [R] : Fresh bark containing Anthranol which causes gripping effect, can be oxidized to anthraquinone upon storage

- (a) Both [A] and [R] are true but [R] is not correct reason for [A]  
(b) [A] is true but [R] is false  
(c) Both [A] and [R] are true and [R] is the correct reason for [A]  
(d) Both [A] and [R] are false

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78. The given structure shows is



- (a) Metronidazole (b) Tinidazole  
(c) Ornidazole (d) Secnidazole

79. IUPAC Name of Metronidazole is

- (a) 1-methyl-5-nitroimidazole-2-ethanol  
(b) 2-methyl-5-nitroimidazole-1-ethanol  
(c) 5-methyl-1-nitroimidazole-2-ethanol  
(d) 1-methyl-2-nitroimidazole-5-ethanol



- 78. Which one of the following statements is NOT true**
- Accuracy expresses the correctness of measurement
  - Precision represents reproducibility of measurement
  - High degree of precision implies high degree of accuracy also
  - High degree of accuracy implies high degree of precision also
- 79. In Thiazides following substituent is essential for diuretic activity**
- Chloro group at position 6
  - Methyl group at position 2
  - Sulphamoyl group at position 7
  - Hydrophobic group at position 3
- 80. Streptomycin can NOT be given orally for treatment of tuberculosis because**
- It gets degraded in the GIT
  - It causes severe diarrhoea
  - It causes metallic taste in the mouth
  - It is not absorbed from the GIT
- 81. In organic molecules, fluorescence seldom results from absorption of UV radiation of wavelengths lower than**
- 350 nm
  - 200 nm
  - 300 nm
  - 250 nm
- 82. Glass transition temperature is detected through**
- X-Ray diffractometry
  - Solution calorimetry
  - Differential scanning calorimetry
  - Thermogravimetric analysis
- 83. In Gas-Liquid Chromatography, some of the samples need to be derivatized in order to increase their**
- Volatility
  - Solubility
  - Thermal conductivity
  - Polarisability
- 84. Oxidative phosphorylation involves**
- Electron transport system
  - Substrate level phosphorylation
  - Reaction catalyzed by succinic thiokinase in TCA cycle
  - None of the above
- 85. Coulter counter is used in determination of**
- Particle surface area
  - Particle size
  - Particle volume
  - All of the above
- 86. Drugs following one compartment open model pharmacokinetics eliminate**
- Bi-exponentially
  - Tri-exponentially
  - Non-exponentially
  - Mono-exponentially
- 87. The temperature condition for storage of drug products under cold temperature is given as**
- Temperature between 8°C and 25°C
  - Temperature below 20°C
  - Temperature at 0°C
  - Temperature between 2°C and 8°C
- 88. Many xenobiotics are oxidized by cytochrome P450 in order to**
- Increase their biological activity
  - Increase their disposition in lipophilic compartments of the body
  - Increase their aqueous solubility
  - All of the above
- 89. The following protein/polypeptide has a quaternary structure**
- Chymotrypsin
  - Hemoglobin
  - Insulin
  - Myoglobin
- 90. Drugs in suspensions and semi-solid formulations always degrade by**
- First order kinetics
  - Second order kinetics
  - Zero order kinetics
  - Non-linear kinetics
- 91. In nail polish, following polymer is used as a film-former**
- Nitrocellulose
  - Polylactic acid
  - Hydroxypropyl methylcellulose
  - Cellulose acetate phthalate



92. Rabies vaccine (living) is prepared using  
 (a) Sheep blood (b) Mice lymph  
 (c) Horse plasma (d) Fertile eggs
93. A drug (200 mg dose) administered in tablet form and as intravenous injection (50 mg dose) showed AUG of 100 and 200 microgram hr/mL, respectively. The absolute availability of the drug through oral administration is  
 (a) 125% (b) 250%  
 (c) 12.5% (d) 1.25%
94. Geriatric population should be included in the following phase of clinical trials  
 (a) Phase I (b) Phase II  
 (c) Phase III (d) Phase IV
95. Class 100 area is referred to  
 (a) Manufacturing area (b) Aseptic area  
 (c) Clean room (d) Warehouse
96. How many mL of a 1:500 w/v stock solution should be used to make 5 liters of 1:2000 w/v solution  
 (a) 750 mL (b) 1000 mL  
 (c) 1250 mL (d) 1500 mL
97. The Volume of distribution of a drug administered at a dose of 300 mg and exhibiting 30 microgram / mL instantaneous concentration in plasma shall be  
 (a) 10 L (b) 100 L  
 (c) 1.0 L (d) 0.10 L
98. It is required to maintain a therapeutic concentration of 10 microgram/mL for 12 hours of a drug having half life of 1.386 hr and  $V_d$  of 5 L. The dose required in a sustained release product will be  
 (a) 600 mg (b) 300 mg  
 (c) 30 mg (d) 60 mg
99. Which one of the following is NOT an ex-officio member of Pharmacy Council of India  
 (a) The Director General of Health Services  
 (b) The Director of Central Drugs Laboratory  
 (c) The Drugs Controller General of India  
 (d) The Director of Pharmacopoeia Laboratory
100. In which of the following techniques the sample is kept below triple point  
 (a) Lyophilization  
 (b) Spray drying  
 (c) Spray congealing  
 (d) Centrifugation

## ANSWER KEY GPAT-2010

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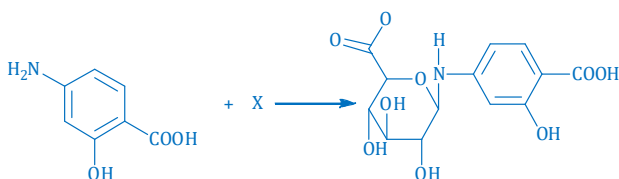


58. The drug selected above acts by

- (a) Inhibiting topoisomerase I
- (b) Inhibiting topoisomerase II
- (c) Inhibiting thymidylate synthase
- (d) Forming hydrogen peroxide which generates free radicals

**Statement for Linked Answer Questions:  
59 and 60**

59. The compound A combined with X to get converted into B, in the presence of an appropriate enzyme



The reaction can be described as

- (a) Bioactivation
- (b) Glucuronide conjugation
- (c)  $\beta$ -Oxidation
- (d) Stereospecific glycine conjugation

60. The significance of the above reaction in drug therapy is that the reaction

- (a) Converts water soluble compound into a lipid soluble compound, there by increasing its potency
- (b) Converts an uncharged species into a charged species, increasing the shelf life of the compound
- (c) Adds an ionic hydrophilic moiety, facilitating its urinary elimination
- (d) Adds a bulky substituent to convert it into an active compound

## ANSWER KEY GATE-2009

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# GATE-2008

## PY : PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

Time : 3 hours | Maximum Marks : 150

### Read the following instruction carefully

1. This question paper contains all objective questions. **Q. 1 to Q.20** carry **one mark** each and **Q.21 to Q.85** carry **two marks** each.
2. Answer all the questions.
3. Questions must be answered on Objective Response Sheet (ORS) by darkening the appropriate bubble (**marked a, b, c, d**) using HB pencil against the question number on the left hand side of the ORS. Each question has only one correct answer. In case you wish to change an answer, erase the old answer completely.
4. Wrong answers will carry **negative** marks. For **Questions 1 to 20, 0.25 marks** will be deducted for each wrong answer. For **Questions 21 to 75, 76, 78, 80, 82, and 84, 0.5 marks** will be deducted for each wrong answer. However, there is **no negative** marking for **Questions 77, 79, 81, 83, and 85**. In the linked questions (Questions 76 to 85), if the first question in the pair is answered correctly, then the mark for the second question will be added to the total score.
5. Write your registration number, name and name of the centre at the specified locations on the right half of the ORS.
6. Using HB pencil, darken the appropriate bubble under each digit of your registration number and the letters corresponding to your paper code.
7. Calculator is allowed in the examination hall.
8. Charts, graph sheets or tables are NOT allowed in the examination hall.
9. Rough work can be done on the question paper itself. Additionally blank pages are given at the end of the question paper for rough work.

# GATE-2008

## PY - PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

### (Q. 1 - 20) CARRY ONE MARK EACH

- An antidiabetic drug Pioglitazone used in Type 2 diabetes acts by**
  - Decrease of glucose uptake in muscles
  - Increasing insulin sensitivity
  - Inhibiting intestinal  $\alpha$ -glucosidase
  - Stimulating insulin secretion
- An angiotensin-II receptor blocker useful in treating hypertension is**
  - Enalaprilat
  - Valsartan
  - Atenolol
  - Amlodipine
- Co-administration of NSAIDs with Warfarin may often lead to**
  - Antagonistic interaction
  - Interaction due to change in drug transport
  - Interaction due to disturbances in electrolyte balance
  - Additive or synergistic interaction
- Laminaria and Kelp are the principal genera, currently used for the industrial production of**
  - Carrageenan
  - Agar
  - Fucans
  - Alginic acid and alginates
- A transverse section of *Glycyrrhiza glabra* when treated with 80% sulphuric acid gave**
  - Deep yellow color
  - No reaction, but only charring
  - Deep blue color
  - Deep red color
- Microscopy of the bulbs of *Urginea indica* family Liliaceae shows**
  - Prisms of calcium oxalate
  - Calcium carbonate and silica
  - Rosettes of calcium oxalate
  - Raphides of calcium oxalate
- Streptomycin is a**
  - Di-acidic base possessing an aldehydic carbonyl group
  - Tri-acidic base possessing an aldehydic carbonyl group
  - Neutral compound possessing a ketonic group
  - Acid compound possessing a carboxyl group
- The antihistaminic with diphenyl methyl group is**
  - Methdilazine
  - Cyclizine hydrochloride
  - Pheniramine
  - Phenindamine
- Heterocyclic rings present in pilocarpine are**
  - Imidazole and Quinoline
  - Imidazole and Thiazole
  - Quinoline and phenanthrene
  - Imidazole and Dihydrofuran
- The most important microbial virulence factor in etiology of meningitis is**
  - Exotoxin
  - Components of the capsule
  - Coagulase
  - Hyaluronidase
- Commonly used tetanus vaccine is produced by**
  - Treatment of the causative organism with heat or UV light and finally obtaining the toxoid
  - Subculturing the virus at pH 10.4
  - Artificially generating antibodies to viral glycoproteins
  - Isolating the antigenicity genes from the causative organism



- (d) Cell walls containing predominantly polysaccharides and glycoproteins
35. **Quaternary structure of a protein molecule refers to**
- (a) Specific association to two or more copies of a polypeptide chain to result in a biologically active molecule
- (b) Regular seen local structure within a polypeptide chain
- (c) The portion of the polypeptide chain that comes into contact with another protein molecule
- (d) The portion of the structure that gets stabilized upon binding to nucleic acid
36. **A blood sample is treated with alkaline phosphotungstic acid to form tungsten blue, which is estimated colorimetrically to give a positive reaction. The sample contains**
- (a) Protein
- (b) Serum creatinine
- (c) Serum phenylalanine
- (d) Uric acid
37. **Two important steps for plant regeneration by organogenesis are**
- [P] Establishment of callus cultures
- [Q] Initiation of somatic embryogenesis
- [R] Germination of seeds
- [S] Initiation of cell suspensions
- (a) [Q], [S]                      (b) [P], [R]
- (c) [P], [S]                      (d) [Q], [R]
38. **Two tests for ephedrine are**
- [P] A solution in dilute HCl, treated with copper sulphate and sodium hydroxide gives a violet colour
- [Q] An alcoholic solution gives a red colour with  $\text{FeCl}_3$
- [R] On shaking with solvent ether, the organic layer shows purple while the aqueous layer becomes blue in colour
- [S] A solution of vanillin gives a violet-red colour
- (a) [Q], [S]                      (b) [P], [S]
- (c) [P], [R]                      (d) [Q], [R]
39. **Dried fruits of sweet fennel has two the following properties**
- [P] 80 % of E-anethole, 10 % of methyl chavicol and 5% (+)-fenchone as constituents
- [Q] 65-75 % (+) Linalool as a constituent
- [R] The fruit is a dialkene, almost cylinder and surrounded by large stylopod
- [S] The fruit is elongated and surrounded by calyxus
- (a) [P], [R]                      (b) [Q], [S]
- (c) [P], [S]                      (d) [Q], [R]
40. **Dihydroxy acetone phosphate is involved in the biosyntheses of two of the following**
- [P] Serotonin                      [Q] Triacylglycerol
- [R] Pyruvate                      [S] Methionine
- (a) [P], [Q]                      (b) [P], [R]
- (c) [Q], [S]                      (d) [Q], [R]
41. **The virus responsible for SARS can be described by two of the following features**
- [P] It contains double-stranded DNA and requires two complementary strands to be synthesized to serve as mRNA
- [Q] It has distinctive club shaped particles projecting from the surface, appearing like a crown
- [R] It contains plus-strand RNA that can serve directly as mRNA
- [S] It is a retrovirus and requires extracellular DNA for replication
- (a) [P], [Q]                      (b) [P], [S]
- (c) [Q], [R]                      (d) [R], [S]
42. **Two of the following facts are associated with Ethylene oxide gas**
- [P] It is non toxic and non inflammable and used for sterilization
- [Q] It is a colourless inflammable gas. Toxic in nature and used for sterilization

50. Polarography can be used for the
- [P] Simultaneous determination of several analytes
- [Q] Study of resistance of solution
- [R] Study of current potential relationship
- [S] Study of optical activity of organic compounds
- (a) [P], [S]                      (b) [Q], [S]  
(c) [P], [R]                      (d) [P], [Q]
51. Primary amines show
- [P] Two N-H stretching bands in the range of 3500-3300  $\text{cm}^{-1}$
- [Q] Only one band in the region 3500-3300  $\text{cm}^{-1}$
- [R] -NH band in primary amine results in a broad band in the region 1640-1560  $\text{cm}^{-1}$
- [S] The typical -NH<sub>2</sub> stretching value at 1715  $\text{cm}^{-1}$
- (a) [Q], [R]                      (b) [P], [R]  
(c) [P], [S]                      (d) [Q], [S]
52. The drug Disulfiram is
- [P] Known to inhibit dopamine  $\beta$  - hydroxylase and cause noradrenaline depletion
- [Q] A substance that produce aversive reaction to alcohol
- [R] Known to stimulate dopamine  $\beta$  - hydroxylase
- [S] Used in barbiturate poisoning
- (a) [P], [S]                      (b) [Q], [R]  
(c) [R], [S]                      (d) [P], [Q]
53. Two important attributes associated with L-asparaginase
- [P] An enzyme obtained from *E coli* and is administered parenterally
- [Q] An enzyme obtained from *Streptococcus caespitosus* and is administered orally

[R] Used in acute lymphocytic leukemia

[S] Used as a fibrinolytic agent

(a) [P], [S]                      (b) [P], [R]

(c) [Q], [R]                      (d) [Q], [S]

54. Amikacin is

[P] A semisynthetic aminoglycoside and a derivative of kanamycin

[Q] A semisynthetic aminoglycoside and a derivative of tobramycin

[R] It is administered parenterally and does not cause nephrotoxicity and ototoxicity

[S] It is administered parenterally and is both nephrotoxicity and ototoxicity

(a) [P], [Q]                      (b) [P], [R]

(c) [P], [S]                      (d) [Q], [S]

**Q.55-70 Are Matching Exercise Match Group I with Group II and identify the correct combinations**

55. Group I

Plant

1. Thorn apple
2. Henbane
3. Deadly night shade
4. Foxglove leaves

Group II

Source

[P] Dried leaves and flowering tops of *Hyoscyamus niger*

[Q] Dried leaves and flowering tops of *Datura atramonium*

[R] Leaves of *Diditalis purpurea* dried at a Temperature below 60°C

[S] Dried leaves and other aerial parts of *Atropa bellodona* or *Atropa acuminata*

(a) 1-[Q], 2-[P], 3-[S], 4-[R]

(b) 1-[P], 2-[Q], 3-[R], 4-[S]

(c) 1-[R], 2-[S], 3-[Q], 4-[P]

(d) 1-[Q], 2-[R], 3-[S], 4-[P]



## 69. Group I

## Test

1. Direct agglutination test
2. Passive agglutination
3. Haemagglutination inhibition test
4. Coomb's test

## Group II

## Principle

[P] Measures antibody titres after soluble antigens are attached to inert particles and incubated with antibodies

[Q] Detects blocking-type antibodies, globulins and complement that are attached to red cell antigens.

[R] RBCs coated with homologous antigens added to antibodies incubated with soluble antigens

[S] RBC antigen incubated with antibodies and antibody titre visually examined

- (a) 1-[Q], 2-[S], 3-[P], 4-[R]  
 (b) 1-[S], 2-[P], 3-[R], 4-[Q]  
 (c) 1-[P], 2-[R], 3-[Q], 4-[S]  
 (d) 1-[R], 2-[Q], 3-[S], 4-[P]

## 70. Group I

## Enzymes

1. Na<sup>+</sup>/K<sup>+</sup> ATPase
2. Cytochrome c oxidase
3. Malate dehydrogenase
4. Tyrosine kinase

## Group II

## Function

[P] Electron transport

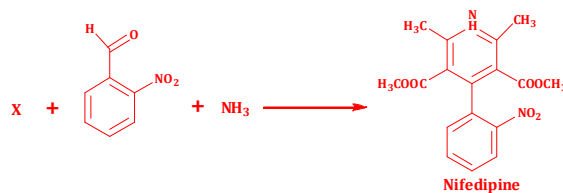
[Q] Pathway converting pyruvate to oxaloacetate

[R] Generation of electrochemical potential gradient across membranes

[S] Signal transduction

- (a) 1-[R], 2-[P], 3-[Q], 4-[S]  
 (b) 1-[P], 2-[R], 3-[S], 4-[Q]  
 (c) 1-[Q], 2-[S], 3-[P], 4-[R]  
 (d) 1-[S], 2-[Q], 3-[R], 4-[P]

## COMMON DATA FOR QUESTION 71,72,73



## 71. Reagent X is

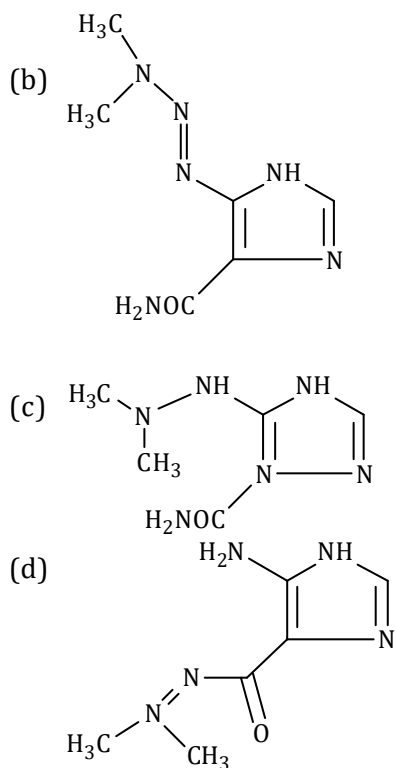
- (a)
- (b)
- (c)
- (d)

## 72. Nifedipine when exposed to day light is readily converted into derivative of

- (a) 4-phenyl pyridine  
 (b) Nitrosophenyl pyridine  
 (c) Diazophenyl pyridine  
 (d) Nitrobenzene

## 73. The B.P. assay of Nifedipine is by a titration of a

- (a) Solution in anhydrous acetic acid with 0.1 perchloric acid  
 (b) Solution in previously neutralized acetone with 0.1N sodium hydroxide; end point by potentiometry  
 (c) Solution is previously neutralized acetone against standard potassium dichromate solution  
 (d) A solution in 2-methyl 2-propanol and perchloric acid with 0.1 M cerium sulphate using ferroin as indicator



### Statement for Linked Answer Question 82 and 83

A 250 mg dose of a drug was administered to a patient by rapid IV injections. The initial plasma concentration was  $2.50\mu\text{g/mL}$ . After 4 hours the plasma concentration was  $1.89\mu\text{g/mL}$ . Assuming that the drug was eliminated by a pseudo first order process and the body behaves as one compartment model

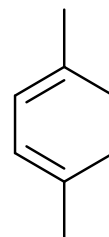
82.  $K_{el}$  is  
 (a)  $0.0699\text{h}^{-1}$  (b)  $0.0349\text{h}^{-1}$   
 (c)  $1.623\text{h}^{-1}$  (d)  $0.699\text{h}^{-1}$

83. Biological half life is  
 (a) 4.95 hours (b) 19.82 hours  
 (c) 99.1 hours (d) 9.91 hours

### Statement for Linked Answers Question 84 and 85

As per the woodward-Fieser rule, the absorption maxima of the compound shown is calculated from the base value and the ring residue values

84.  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  Base value for homocyclic 1,3-butadiene is  
 (a) 215nm (b) 253nm  
 (c) 240nm (d) 217nm
85. Calculate the absorption maxima for given compound



- (a) 273 nm (b) 258 nm  
 (c) 265 nm (d) 237 nm

## ANSWER KEY GATE-2008

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- (a) 1-[P], 2-[Q], 3-[S], 4-[R]  
 (b) 1-[R], 2-[S], 3-[P], 4-[Q]  
 (c) 1-[Q], 2-[P], 3-[S], 4-[R]  
 (d) 1-[S], 2-[R], 3-[Q], 4-[P]

64. **Group I****Reponses/Incidents**

1. False transmitter
2. St. Antony's fire
3. Triple response
4. Straub phenomenon

**Group II****Bioactive substances****[P] Histamine****[Q] Methyldopa****[R] Morphine****[S] Ergot alkaloid**

- (a) 1-[Q], 2-[S], 3-[P], 4-[R]  
 (b) 1-[P], 2-[S], 3-[R], 4-[Q]  
 (c) 1-[R], 2-[Q], 3-[P], 4-[S]  
 (d) 1-[S], 2-[R], 3-[Q], 4-[P]

65. **Group I****Adverse effects**

1. Reye's syndrome
2. Hypertrichosis
3. Grey baby syndrome
4. Pinpoint pupil

**Group II****Drugs****[P] Chloramphenicol****[Q] Morphine****[R] Aspirin****[S] Minoxidil**

- (a) 1-[P], 2-[Q], 3-[S], 4-[R]  
 (b) 1-[R], 2-[S], 3-[P], 4-[Q]  
 (c) 1-[S], 2-[P], 3-[Q], 4-[R]  
 (d) 1-[S], 2-[R], 3-[Q], 4-[P]

66. **Group I****Technique used**

1. Polarography
2. Potentionmetry

**3. Conductometry****4. Amperometry****Group II****Analytical method of evaluation****[P] Potential-volume curve****[Q] Current-potential****[R] Conductance-volume curve****[S] Current-volume curve.**

- (a) 1-[P], 2-[S], 3-[R], 4-[Q]  
 (b) 1-[Q], 2-[P], 3-[R], 4-[S]  
 (c) 1-[R], 2-[Q], 3-[S], 4-[P]  
 (d) 1-[S], 2-[P], 3-[Q], 4-[R]

67. **Group I****Type of Radiation**

1. Radio frequency
2. UV
3. X-ray
4. Mid-IR

**Group II****Wave length****[P] > 100 mm****[Q] 200-380 nm****[R] 10 pm- 10 nm****[S] 2.5-50  $\mu$ m**

- (a) 1-[P], 2-[S], 3-[R], 4-[Q]  
 (b) 1-[R], 2-[Q], 3-[P], 4-[S]  
 (c) 1-[P], 2-[Q], 3-[R], 4-[S]  
 (d) 1-[Q], 2-[P], 3-[S], 4-[R]

68. **Group I****Spraying reagents used in Chromatographic methods**

1.  $SbSI_3$  in  $CHCl_3$
2. Bromocresol green
3. Aniline phthalate
4. 2,4 dinitrophenyl hydrazine

**Group II****Type of substance****[P] Carboxylic acid****[Q] Aldehyde or ketone****[R] Steroid****[S] Sugar**

- (a) 1-[Q], 2-[P], 3-[S], 4-[R]  
 (b) 1-[R], 2-[P], 3-[S], 4-[Q]  
 (c) 1-[P], 2-[R], 3-[Q], 4-[S]  
 (d) 1-[S], 2-[P], 3-[Q], 4-[R]



50. Two of the following attributes are characteristic to a natural drug obtained from *Syzygium aromaticum*

[P] Quadrangular stalked portion- the hypanthium, surmounted by four divergent lobes of sepals which surround a globular head

[Q] Powdered drug shows fragments of hypanthium showing the epidermis and the parenchyma containing large oil glands, singly occurring short fibres, cluster crystals of calcium oxalate

[R] Aromatic, pungent, globular berries, remains of stigma at the apex. Kernel white and hollow at the Centre, consists of perisperm and endosperm

[S] Tubular epidermal cells, followed by thin walled parenchymatous hypodermis with rectangular stone Cells. Pericarp and perisperm containing oil glands, abundant starch grains

Identify the correct statements

- (a) [Q], [R]                      (b) [P], [Q]  
(c) [R], [S]                      (d) [P], [S]

51. Two metabolites that could transiently accumulate as result of inhibition of squalene synthase are

[P] Dimethyl allyl pyrophosphate

[Q] Cholesterol

[R] Farnesyl pyrophosphate

[S] Prednisolone

Identify the correct statements

- (a) [P], [R]                      (b) [P], [S]  
(c) [Q], [R]                      (d) [P], [Q]

52. Two possible targets against which inhibitors can be designed for use in diabetes treatment are

[P] Carbonic anhydrase

[Q] Insulin

[R] Glycogen phosphorylase

[S] Glucose-6-phosphatase

Identify the correct statements

- (a) [Q], [S]                      (b) [R], [S]  
(c) [P], [R]                      (d) [Q], [R]

53. Two important advantages of using micro-organisms for bio-transformations in drug synthesis are

[P] Having been produced from micro-organisms, they are certain to have antibacterial properties

[Q] They are abundant in nature and hence reduce the processing cost significantly

[R] They produce the specific stereoisomer only

[S] They are highly selective and therefore yield products with high purity

Identify the correct statements

- (a) [P], [Q]                      (b) [Q], [R]  
(c) [P], [S]                      (d) [R], [S]

54. Aminotransferases are directly involved in the biosynthesis of

[P] Aspartate

[Q] Alanine

[R] Oleate

[S] 3-phosphoglycerate

Identify the correct statements

- (a) [Q], [S]                      (b) [P], [Q]  
(c) [P], [R]                      (d) [Q], [R]

**(Q. 55-70) ARE MATCHING EXERCISES**

55. GROUP I

Reactions

1. p-nitrobenzaldehyde and acetone to form 1-(4-nitrophenyl)-3-oxo-butene
2. Isobutyl benzene is treated with acetyl chloride and anhydrous  $AlCl_3$
3. Pregnenolone acetate is saponified and then treated with an aluminium alcoholate to yield progesterone
4. Benzalacetone and 4-hydroxy coumarin in presence of pyridine

GROUP II

Names

[P] Claisen-Schmidt condensation

[Q] Michael condensation

[R] Friedel-Crafts acylation

[S] Oppenauer oxidation

(a) 1-[Q], 2-[S], 3-[P], 4-[R]

(b) 1-[P], 2-[R], 3-[S], 4-[Q]

(c) 1-[R], 2-[P], 3-[Q], 4-[S]

(d) 1-[S], 2-[P], 3-[Q], 4-[R]



- (b) 1-(2,4 Dicholoro batyl)-2-(2-imidazoly)-ethanol  
 (c) 1-(2,4 Dicholoro acetophenyl)-2-(1-imidazoly)-ethanol  
 (d) 1-(2,4 Dicholoro phenyl)-2-(1-imidazoly)-ethanol

**77. The antifungal drug obtained is**

- (a) Miconazole (b) Luliconazole  
 (c) Saperconazole (d) Butenafine

**Statement for linked Answer  
 Question 78 and 79**

**The calculated  $\lambda_{\max}$  for 2,4 Pentadiene is 222 nm. Choose the correct base value and increment due to the substituent**

**78. The base value (in nm) is**

- (a) 215 (b) 210  
 (c) 217 (d) 205

**79. The increment due to the substituent (in nm) is**

- (a) 7 (b) 12  
 (c) 17 (d) 5

**Statement for linked Answer  
 Questions 80 and 81**

**A solution of the drug was freshly prepared at a concentration of 600 mg/ml. After 30 days of Storage at 25°C, the drug concentration in the solution was found to be 150 mg/ml. The drug can be assumed to undergo zero order kinetics**

**80. The rate constant is**

- (a) 15 mg/ml/day (b) 1.5 mg/ml/day  
 (c) 0.15 mg/ml/day (d) 7.5 mg/ml/day

**81. Half life of the drug solution under these condition is**

- (a) 2 days (b) 20 days  
 (c) 10 days (d) 100 days

**Statement for linked Answer  
 Questions 82 and 83**

**There are many types of antidepressant drugs and many of them are long acting, while some are short acting**

**82. An example of a short acting antidepressant drug is**

- (a) Fluoxetine (b) Valproate  
 (c) Etorphine (d) Moclobemide

**83. The drug selected above, acts by**

- (a) Inhibiting MAO-A  
 (b) Inhibiting Na/5HT reuptake  
 (c) Blocking 5-HT<sub>3</sub> receptors  
 (d) Inhibiting ACE

**Statement for linked Answer  
 Questions 84 and 85**

***Myristica fragrans* belongs to the family Myristicaceae**

**84. A part of the fruit of *Myristica fragrans* Houtt is**

- (a) Testa (b) Plumule  
 (c) Mace (d) Anther

**85. The substance present in that part selected above, which produces a red color with iodine, is**

- (a) Myristicin (b) Safrole  
 (c) Elemicin (d) Amylodextrin

**ANSWER KEY GATE-2006**

1 - d	2 - a	3 - c	4 - d	5 - c	6 - d	7 - b	8 - a	9 - b	10 - a
11 - b	12 - d	13 - c	14 - b	15 - a	16 - a	17 - c	18 - c	19 - b	20 - c
21 - c	22 - b	23 - d	24 - c	25 - b	26 - a	27 - c	28 - b	29 - a	30 - b
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81 - b	82 - d	83 - a	84 - c	85 - d					



# GATE-1988

## PY : PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

Time : 3 hours | Maximum Marks : 180

1. This question paper contains two parts A and B.
2. Answer all the questions from part A.
3. Answer Any 20 questions from part B.

### PART-A

1. There are 2 sections in this part
2. Answer all the question in both sections – 1 and 2.
3. Answer should be given serial order in the answer book.
4. Do not skip question while writing the answers.
5. Write the question number and show your answer by writing the alphabet (against the No.) in Capital letters.
6. In section 1 each question carries 1-Marks.
7. In section 2 each question carries 2-Marks.
8. A model is shown at the beginning of each section in part A.
9. Answer to the question in this part must be Written in the first three pages only.

### PART-B

1. Answer any twenty questions.
2. If more than 20 questions are attempted only the first 20 will be considered.
3. Answer should not exceed 15 lines.
4. All question carry equal marks.

# GATE-1988

## PY - PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

### PART - A

#### SECTION - I

(CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER)

#### Q.1 Multiple choice questions

- i. To understand the drug receptor interaction is necessary to quantify the relation between
- (a) Drug and its toxicity
  - (b) Drug and its absorption
  - (c) Drug and its biological effect
  - (d) Drug and intermediate product
- ii. Penicillinase resistance penicillin is
- (a) Amoxicillin
  - (b) Ampicillin
  - (c) Penicillin V
  - (d) Methicillin
- iii. Morphine is present in
- (a) *Atropa belladonna*
  - (b) *Papaver somniferum*
  - (c) *Ricinus communis*
  - (d) *Solanum nigrum*
- iv. Ion exchange chromatography is the method of choice for separation of
- (a) Metals
  - (b) Sugar
  - (c) Fatty acid
  - (d) Sterols
- v. Rideal Walker test is performed by using the strain
- (a) *Escherichia coli*
  - (b) *Staphylococcus niruri*
  - (c) *Staphylococcus pyogenes*
  - (d) *Salmonella typhi*
- vi. Pheniramine maleate is an antihistaminic agent belonging to the class
- (a) Ethylenediamine derivative
  - (b) Cyclic basic class analogs
  - (c) Aminoallyl ether analoges
  - (d) None of these
- vii. Tetracycline undergo epimerization C-4 between pH 4 and 8 to give
- (a) Isotetracycline
  - (b) Epitetracyclines
  - (c) Nortetracycline
  - (d) None of these
- viii. Tyndallization means
- (a) Successive autoclaving with a bactericide
  - (b) Successive heating with a bactericide
  - (c) Successive heating at low temperature
  - (d) Successive autoclaving at low temperature and incubation
- ix. Morphine and Heroin differ from each other in respect of
- (a) Methyl group on nitrogen
  - (b) Acetyl groups at C<sub>3</sub> and C<sub>6</sub>
  - (c) Absence of double bond between C<sub>4</sub> and C<sub>6</sub>
  - (d) Absence of D ring
- x. Vincristine and Vinblastine act by
- (a) Binding with the protein tubulin and arrest at metaphase
  - (b) Inhibiting the protein synthesis
  - (c) Acting as antimetabolite
  - (d) Inhibiting the enzyme system
- xi. A rhamno-glucoside on complete hydrolysis will give
- (a) Aglycone + Fructose + Rhamnose
  - (b) Aglycone + Ribose + Rhamnose
  - (c) Aglycone + Rhamnose + Glucose
  - (d) Rhamnose + Fructose
- xii. The technique employed to study the insoluble film at oil water interface is
- (a) Micellization
  - (b) Deflocculation
  - (c) Electrostatic balance
  - (d) Film balance
- xiii. Gray baby syndrome is due to the indiscriminate use of
- (a) Streptomycin
  - (b) Chloramphenicol
  - (c) Penicillin
  - (d) Tetracycline



**xxx. In radioactive pharmaceuticals half life of compound means**

- (a) The time taken for one half of the compound to find with serum albumin
- (b) The time taken for onset of its action
- (c) The time taken for the activity to decay to one half of its initial value
- (d) The time taken for its complete metabolism

**xxxii. Wagner's test is used to detect the presence of**

- (a) Steroids
- (b) Alkaloids
- (c) Glycoside
- (d) Terpenes

**xxxiii. Metronidazole inhibits anaerobic bacteria and protozoa by**

- (a) Affecting the structure of DNA molecule of the organism
- (b) Destroying the ribosome
- (c) Inhibiting the cytochrome system
- (d) Inhibiting the protein synthesis

**xxxiiii. Most common oestrogen progesterone preparation used as oral contraceptive agent contains**

- (a) Methanol + Progesterone
- (b) Estrone + Progesterone
- (c) Diethyl stilbestrol + Norgestrel
- (d) Ethinyloestradiol + Norethindrone

**xxxv. Before washing the ampoules the mouth of each ampoule is rotated in Bunsen flame to melt down the rough edge. This process is called as**

- (a) Flaming
- (b) Charging
- (c) Annealing
- (d) Grounding

**xxxvi. In Benzothiadiazides reduction of the double bond between the position 3 and 4 gives rise to compound with**

- (a) Decreased diuretic activity
- (b) Increase the diuretic activity
- (c) No diuretic activity
- (d) No change in diuretic activity

**xxxvii. Peripheral neurotransmitter is**

- (a) Histamine
- (b) Noradrenaline
- (c) Hydroxytryptamine
- (d) Prostaglandin

**xxxviii. Beer's law states that**

- (a) Absorbance of a solution is indirectly proportional to the absorbing solute
- (b) Absorbance of a solution is indirectly proportional to the length of cell
- (c) Absorbance of a solution is directly proportional to the absorbing solute
- (d) Transmittance of a solution is directly proportional to the absorbance solvent

## SECTION - II (MATCH THE FOLLOWING)

**Q.2 Match of the following**

**i. Given below are the hypertensive agents. Match their mode of action [P] to [T]**

1. Minoxidil
2. Prazosin
3. Alpha methyl dopa
4. Clonidine

[P] Alpha adrenoreceptor antagonist

[Q] Beta adrenoreceptor antagonist

[R] From alpha methyl norepinephrine

[S] Direct action on blood vessel (Vasodilation)

[T] Decrease sympathetic activity through brain

(a) 1-[P], 2-[Q], 3-[S], 4-[R]

(b) 1-[S], 2-[P], 3-[R], 4-[T]

(c) 1-[T], 2-[Q], 3-[S], 4-[R]

(d) 1-[P], 2-[T], 3-[Q], 4-[S]

**ii. Indicate the from the group [P] to [T] the correct compound for the given source**

1. *Urginea maritima* [P] Camphene

2. *Rheum palmatum* [Q] Scilliroside

3. *Myristica fragrans* [R] Emodin

4. *Claviceps purpurea* [S] Atropine

[T] Ergometrine

(a) 1-[Q], 2-[R], 3-[P], 4-[T]

(b) 1-[P], 2-[Q], 3-[T], 4-[R]

(c) 1-[T], 2-[Q], 3-[S], 4-[R]

(d) 1-[P], 2-[T], 3-[Q], 4-[S]



23. How will you avoid 'Caramelisation' in the preparation of injection? What is 'Leaker Test'?
24. How the entry of drugs molecule into the CNS is controlled? What are the other biological varriers
25. How do the Blister package protect the content from moisture
26. Given below are some absorpion frequencies in an IR spectrum. Indicate the appropriate functional group for the same  
(a) 3500- 330  $\text{cm}^{-1}$  (b) 3030-3010  $\text{cm}^{-1}$   
(c) 1750  $\text{cm}^{-1}$
27. Give only names of the enzymes involved in the biosynthesis of epinephrine form tyrosine

## ANSWER KEY GATE-1988

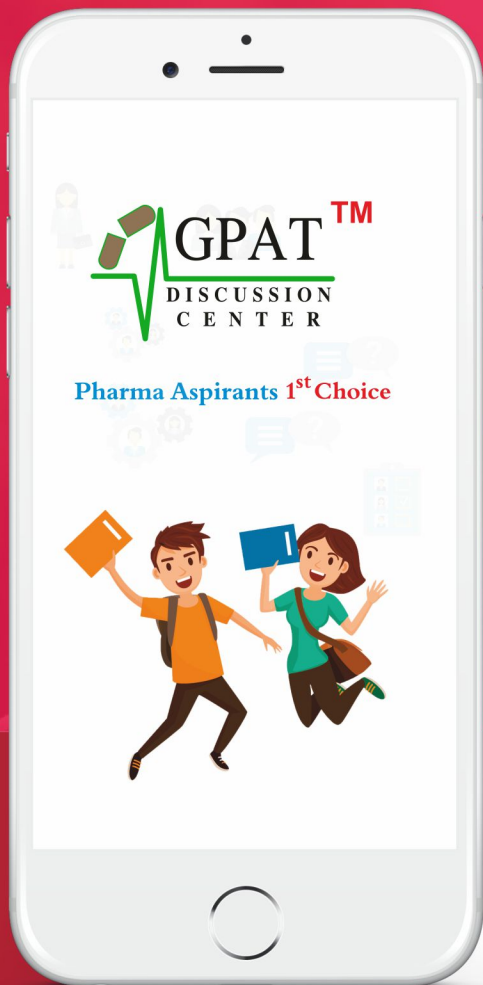
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### PART - A (SECTION - II)

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