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2023

M.Pharm. 1st Semester End-Term Examination

DRUG DELIVERY SYSTEM

Full Marks – 75

Time – Three hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions.

1. Answer the following : (15 × 1 = 15)
- (i) Dosage form which releases drug at a constant rate and provide plasma concentration that remains invariant with time is known as _____
- (a) Controlled release dosage form
 - (b) Sustained release dosage form
 - (c) Repeat action dosage form
 - (d) Mixed action dosage form
- (ii) _____ generally, do not follow zero order kinetic pattern
- (a) Controlled release dosage form
 - (b) Sustained release dosage form
 - (c) Repeat action dosage form
 - (d) Mixed action dosage form
- (iii) In osmosis, solvent _____ through the semipermeable membrane
- (a) migrates from high concentration to low concentration
 - (b) migrates from low concentration to high concentration
 - (c) do not migrate
 - (d) none

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- (iv) Weakly basic drugs exist as _____ form in the stomach
- (a) Unionized (b) Ionized
(c) Zwitterionic (d) None of the above
- (v) In polymer membrane permeation-controlled drug delivery systems, the release of drug molecules is controlled by
- (a) Partition coefficient of the drug molecule
(b) Diffusivity of the drug molecule
(c) Both
(d) None
- (vi) In micro-reservoir partition - controlled drug delivery system, the release of drug molecule is controlled by
- (a) Partition coefficient (b) Diffusivity of drug
(c) Solubility of drug (d) All the above
- (vii) Syncro-Mate-C is an example of
- (a) Polymer membrane permeation-controlled drug delivery
(b) Polymer matrix diffusion-controlled drug delivery system
(c) Micro-reservoir partition-controlled drug delivery system
(d) All the above
- (viii) In hydrodynamic pressure-activated drug delivery systems, the release of drug molecule is controlled by
- (a) Fluid permeability
(b) Effective surface area of the wall with the annular opening
(c) Hydrodynamic pressure gradient
(d) All the above
- (ix) Which one of the following is not a drug release mechanism from CRDDS?
- (a) Dissolution (b) Diffusion
(c) Corrosion (d) Chemical degradation
- (x) Which factor not affects ocular absorption?
- (a) GI pH (b) Lacrimal drainage
(c) Dilution of dose (d) Protein in lacrimal fluid

- (xi) Which property is not ideal for ocular DDS?
- (a) Sterility (b) Isotonicity
(c) Less drainage tendency (d) Maximum protein binding
- (xii) Which of the following factors does not affect diffusion of the drug through stratum corneum?
- (a) Drug concentration
(b) Surface tension
(c) Partition coefficient of the drug
(d) Aqueous solubility of the drug
- (xiii) From which of the following mechanisms most of the drugs get absorbed via skin
- (a) Active transport (b) Passive Transport
(c) Facilitated transport (d) Osmosis
- (xiv) Identify the component which is not a part of the Transdermal Patch
- (a) Seal Coat (b) Adhesive layer
(c) Backing membrane (d) Polymer matrix
- (xv) Unfolding of a protein can be termed as
- (a) Renaturation (b) Denaturation
(c) Oxidation (d) Reduction

2. Answer any *eight* questions : (8 × 5 = 40)

- (a) Differentiate controlled release formulations from sustained release formulations.
- (b) Enlist advantages and disadvantages of controlled release dosage forms.
- (c) Write a note on bioelectronic medicine.
- (d) Point out the advantages and disadvantages of 3D printing of pharmaceuticals.
- (e) Write a concise note on Tele pharmacy.
- (f) Write a note on Activation modulated drug delivery systems.

- (g) Explain the barriers of ocular drug delivery systems.
- (h) Explain the advantages and disadvantages of transdermal DDS.
- (i) Classify proteins according to their biological roles.
- (j) Outline the stability problems of protein and their causes.

3. Answer any *two* questions : (2 × 10 = 20)

- (a) Describe Physicochemical properties of a drug that can influence the development of sustained released formulations.
 - (b) Write a note on Bioelectronic Medicines.
 - (c) Explain the approaches for GRDDS.
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