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Subject Name: Dispensing Pharmacy – I

Time: 02:30 pm - 05:30 pm

Total Marks: 80

Instructions:

1. Attempt any five questions.
2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

- Q.1** (a) Define prescription. Discuss several steps involved in the dispensing procedure. **06**
(b) Give the labeling requirements of the following dosage form **05**
Liniment, Eye drop, Enema, Linctus, Inhalation
(c) Calculate the amount of NaCl required for making 100 ml of **05**
1 %w/v solution of boric acid isotonic with lacrimal fluid. Freezing point depression of (i) 1 %w/v boric acid solution is - 0.29 °C, (ii) 1 %w/v NaCl solution is - 0.58 °C and (iii) lacrimal fluid is - 0.52°C.
- Q.2** (a) Define Posology. Discuss briefly about the factors that affect the fixation of dose **06**
of drug.
(b) Describe various methods of calculating doses for children and infants. **05**
(c) An antibiotic available as injection containing 10 mg of the antibiotic in every ml. **05**
How many ml are needed for an infant weighing 8kg, the dose being 1.4mg/kg body weight?
- Q.3** (a) Define Mixtures. Describe the general method of dispensing of mixtures **06**
containing indiffusible solids.
(b) Differentiate between Flocculated suspension and Deflocculated suspension. **05**
(c) Differentiate between Syrup IP and Syrup USP. **05**
- Q.4** (a) Define hard capsules and discuss its merits and demerits. **06**
(b) Describe a method to determine displacement values of a drug for moulded **05**
dosage form.
(c) Prepare and dispense 5 cocoa butter suppositories each containing 120mg of **05**
Boric acid (Displacement value of Boric acid = 1.5). Mould capacity=2gm.
- Q.5** (a) Describe the dry gum and wet gum methods for emulsification. **06**
(b) What do you mean by cracking of emulsion? Discuss various reasons for the **05**
cracking of emulsion.
(c) Give the different tests for identification of type of an emulsion. **05**
- Q. 6** (a) Define powder and discuss its merits and demerits. **06**
(b) Discuss general method of preparation of powders. **05**
(c) Discuss dispensing technique for hygroscopic and deliquescent powders and **05**
powder containing potent drug.
- Q.7** Write note on
(a) Emulgent. **06**
(b) House hold measure. **05**
(c) Inhalation. **05**
