

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
M. PHARM. - SEMESTER – II • EXAMINATION – WINTER 2012

Subject code: 2920201**Date: 12-01-2013****Subject Name: Drug Design and Discovery****Time: 10.30 am - 01.30 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. Give detail account on importance of stereochemistry and hydrogen bonding in drug action. (10)
- b. What is structure based drug design? How it is achieved ? What is the importance of target structure ? How is it derived? (06)
- Q.2.a. What are the methods used to identify lead molecule ? (05)
- b. Write a note on lead modification and lead optimization. (06)
- c. Write a note on Importance of isosterism in drug design. (05)
- Q.3.a. What are the different targets for drug in biological system ? Give mechanism of action each. (10)
- b. What are the different approaches for new drug discovery? Discuss in brief about each. (06)
- Q.4.a. QSAR is an important tool of drug design - How? Discuss basic principle of Hansch and Free Wilson model. (10)
- b. How capacity factor (k') is determined experimentally. (03)
- c. Calculate first order molecular connectivity of paracetamol. (δ value $-\text{NH}- = 4$, $=\text{O} = 6$; $-\text{O}- = 6$; $-\text{OH} = 5$) (03)
- Q.5.a. Following is an equation and statistical parameters obtained from Hansch analysis of a series. (05)
- $$\log\text{IC}_{50} = 3.22(\pm 0.54)\log P + 1.16(\pm 0.21)\sigma^* + 0.53(\pm 0.16)\text{MR} - 7.38(\pm 0.62)$$
- $n=21$; $r=0.926$; $r^2=0.858$; $s=0.316$; $F_{3,18}=14.36$
- Interpret this equation and give your suggestions for lead modification to obtain more potent molecules.
- b. What are the recent advances in QSAR ? Discuss in brief about the different types of models used for it. (08)
- c. write a note on docking. (03)
- Q.6. Write a short note on following (16)
- i. Designing a drug based on enzyme inhibition
 - ii. Molecular mechanics in drug design.
 - iii. Pharmacophore mapping
 - iv. *De novo* drug design
- Q.7.a. "Optimised lead doesnot guarantee Drug molecule" Why? What are the factors guiding optimized molecule to drug ? Discuss in brief about each with suitable examples. (08)
- b. What is mean by Prodrug ? How does it change the various properties of the drug? Discuss with suitable example. (08)
