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GPAT QUESTION PAPER 2003 WITH ANSWER KEY

PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCE

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 150

Read the following instruction carefully.

1. This question paper contains 90 objective questions. Q. 1-30 carry 1 mark each and Q. 31-90 carry two marks each.
2. Answer all the questions.
3. Questions must be answered on special machine gradable 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 using a good soft eraser.
4. There will be NEGATIVE marking. For each wrong answer, 0.25 mark for Q. 1-30 and 0.5 mark for Q. 31-90 will be deducted. More than one answer marked against a question will be deemed as an incorrect response and will be negative marked.
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.
7. Using HB pencil, darken the appropriate bubble under the letters corresponding to your paper code.
8. No charts or tables are provided in the examination hall.
9. Use the blank pages given at the end of the question paper for rough work.
10. This question paper contains 20 pages. Please report, if there is any discrepancy.

(Q. 1 - 30) CARRY ONE MARK EACH

1. Cokchicine is biogenetically derived from one of the following

(a) Tyrosine and Phenylalanine	(b) Tryptophan and phenylalanine
(c) Ornithine and Tryptophan	(d) Ornithine and phenylalanine
2. The diagnostic character for the microscopically identification of Kurchi bark is

(a) Fibers with Y-shaped pits	(b) Horse shoe shaped stone cells
(c) Steroids containing calcium oxalate crystals	(d) Stratified cork
3. It is possible to initiate the development of complete plants from callus cell cultures by suitable manipulation of the medium with respect to

(a) Minerals	(b) Vitamins
(c) Carbohydrates	(d) Hormones
4. Polyploidy is defined as

(a) Addition of one chromosome	(b) Multiflication of entire chromosome set
(c) Submicroscopic change in DNA material	(d) Gross structural change

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6. Simplification of Morphinan system gave one BENZOMORPHAN derivative
 - (a) Pentazocin
 - (b) Pethidine
 - (c) Levorphanol
 - (d) Buprenorphine
7. A metabolite of SPIRONOLACTONE is
 - (a) Aldosterone
 - (b) Canrenone
 - (c) Corticosterone
 - (d) Pregnenolone
8. The IUPAC name for NAPROXEN is
 - (a) (S)-2-(6-ethoxy-2-naphthyl)-acetic acid
 - (b) (S)-2-(6-methoxy-2-naphthyl)-acetic acid
 - (c) (S)-2-(6-ethoxy-2-naphthyl)-propionic acid
 - (d) (S)-2-(6-methoxy-2-naphthyl)-propionic acid
9. The metabolic function of Riboflavin involves the following
 - (a) FMN and FAD
 - (b) NADP and NADPH
 - (c) AMP and ATP
 - (d) Retin and Retinine
10. X-ray spectral lines K α doublet arises from transition of electrons from
 - (a) M shell to K shell
 - (b) L shell to K shell
 - (c) L shell to M shell
 - (d) M shell to K shell
11. The method of expressing magnetic field strength
 - (a) Cycles/sec
 - (b) Pulses/sec
 - (c) Debye units
 - (d) Gauss
12. A solvent used in NMR
 - (a) Chloroform
 - (b) Acetone
 - (c) Carbon tetrachloride
 - (d) Methanol
13. A widely accepted detector electrode for pH measurement is
 - (a) Platinum wire
 - (b) Glass electrode
 - (c) Ag-AgCl electrode
 - (d) Lanthanum fluoride
14. Commercial production of citric acid is carried out by the microbial culture of
 - (a) *Fusarium moniliformi*
 - (b) *Rhizopus nigrican*
 - (c) *Aspergillus Niger*
 - (d) *Candida utilis*
15. For thermophilic micro-organisms, the minimum growth temperature required is
 - (a) 20°C
 - (b) 37°C
 - (c) 45°C
 - (d) 65°C
16. Obligatory anaerobes
 - (a) Can tolerate oxygen and grow better in its presence
 - (b) Do not tolerate oxygen and die in its presence
 - (c) Can grow in oxygen levels below normal
 - (d) Can grow in presence of atmospheric oxygen
17. Plasmid is a
 - (a) Macromolecule involved in the protein synthesis
 - (b) Circular piece of duplex DNA
 - (c) A hybrid DNA that is formed by joining pieces of DNA
 - (d) Endogenous substances secreted by one type of cell

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18. Lactose intolerance is because of the lack of
 - (a) Acid phosphates
 - (b) Lactate dehydrogenase
 - (c) Galactose-1-phosphate-uridyl transferase
 - (d) Amylase
19. Synthesis of UREA takes place exclusive in
 - (a) Kidney
 - (b) Liver
 - (c) Gall bladder
 - (d) Urinary bladder
20. A term which describes a cofactor that is finally bound to an enzyme
 - (a) Holoenzyme
 - (b) Prosthetic
 - (c) Coenzyme
 - (d) Transferase
21. How many parts of 10 % ointment be mixed with 2 parts of 15 % ointment to get 12% ointment
 - (a) 2
 - (b) 3
 - (c) 5
 - (d) 6
22. The correct non-ionic surfactant used as a penetration enhancer in the preparation of mucoadhasives
 - (a) Oleic acid
 - (b) Tween-80
 - (c) Glycerol
 - (d) Propylene glycol
23. One of the ex-officio member of the Pharmacy Council of India is
 - (a) Director General of Health Services
 - (b) Government Analyst
 - (c) Registrar of the State Pharmacy Council
 - (d) Director General of veterinary Research Institute
24. The Schedule in Drugs and Cosmetics Act that deals with the requirements and guidelines for clinical trials, import and manufacture of new drugs is
 - (a) Schedule 'O'
 - (b) Schedule 'M'
 - (c) Schedule 'F'
 - (d) Schedule 'Y'
25. A retardant material that forms a hydrophilic matrix in the formulation of matrix tablets is
 - (a) H.P.M.C
 - (b) C.A.P
 - (c) Polyethylene
 - (d) Carnauba wax
26. A drug which causes pink to brownish skin pigmentation within a weeks of the initiation of the therapy is
 - (a) Itraconazole
 - (b) Clofazimine
 - (c) Lomefloxacin
 - (d) Neomycin
27. The risk of Digitalis toxicity is significantly increased by concomitant administration of
 - (a) Triamterene
 - (b) Lidocaine
 - (c) Captopril
 - (d) Hydrochlorothiazide
28. An agent used in Prinzmetal angina has spasmolytic action which increases coronary blood supply is
 - (a) Nitroglycerine
 - (b) Nifedipine
 - (c) Timolol
 - (d) Isosorbide mononitrate
29. An organism which has been implicated as a possible cause of chronic gastritis and peptic ulcer is
 - (a) *Campylobacter Jejuni*
 - (b) *Escherichia Coli*
 - (c) *Helicobacter pylori*
 - (d) *Giardia lamblia*
30. A 5HT_{1D} receptor agonist useful in migraine is
 - (a) Sumatriptan
 - (b) Ketanserin
 - (c) Ergotamine
 - (d) Methysergide

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(Q.31-90) CARRY TWO MARK EACH

31. At present, different species of *Papaver* such as *P. Orientale* are being cultivated instead of *P. somniferum* because they contain
 - (a) More of morphine
 - (b) Less of morphine
 - (c) Only codeine
 - (d) Only thebaine
32. Guggulipid, a resin is
 - (a) A hypolipidemic agent obtained from cotton plants containing multifunctional compound (\pm) Gossypol
 - (b) A lipid obtained from *Arctium lappa*, Asteraceae traditionally used for the treatment of dermatoses
 - (c) Cathartic glucoside obtained from *Ipomoea orizabensis* and used since ancient time
 - (d) A hypolipidemic agent obtained from *Commiphora mukul* consisting of mixture of sterols including Z-pregna-(20)-diene-3, 16-diene
33. In nitrofurantoin synthesis, 5-nitrofurfuraldehyde diacetate is treated with one of the following intermediate in presence of $\text{CH}_2\text{COOH} + \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 + \text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$
 - (a) Hydantoin
 - (b) 1-5-diamino hydantoin
 - (c) 1-3-diamino hydantoin
 - (d) 1-amino-hydantoin
34. 4-hydroxy-3-hydroxymethyl benzaldehyde is treated with acetic anhydride and then kept with other solvent, *t*-butyl cyanide and acetic acid for ten days. Resulting compound is reduced with LiAlH_4 in tetrahydrofuran. The final product is
 - (a) Isoprenaline
 - (b) Dobutamine
 - (c) Salbutamol
 - (d) Orciprenaline
35. 2-iminothiazolidine is treated with phenyl oxirane to get a drug used in roundworm infection
 - (a) Piperazine
 - (b) Tetramisole
 - (c) Thiabendazole
 - (d) Levamisole
36. Thiamine hydrochloride on treatment with alkaline potassium ferricyanide gives
 - (a) Thymochrome with fluorescence
 - (b) Oxythiamine with golden yellow color
 - (c) Neopyrithiamine with orange yellow color
 - (d) Thiochrome with blue fluorescence
37. A new drug delivery system which is composed of phospholipids that spontaneously form a multilamellar, concentric bilayer vesicles with layers of aqueous media separating the lipid layers is
 - (a) Prodrugs
 - (b) Liposomes
 - (c) Osmotic pumps
 - (d) Nanoparticles
38. Unless otherwise stated in the individual monograph of the pharmacopeia, in the disintegration test for enteric coated tablets, first the dissolution is carried out in <http://www.xamstudy.com>
 - (a) 0.1 M HCl
 - (b) Phosphate buffer
 - (c) Water
 - (d) 0.1 M H_2SO_4
39. What is the proportion of NaCl required to render a 1.5% solution of drug isotonic with blood plasma? The freezing point of 1% w/v solution of drug is -0.122°C and that of NaCl is -0.576°C
 - (a) 0.65%
 - (b) 0.585%
 - (c) 0.9%
 - (d) 0.5%
40. IR Spectra appear as dips in the curve rather than maxima as in UV-Visible spectra because it is a plot of
 - (a) % Absorbance against wave no.
 - (b) % Transmittance against concentration
 - (c) % Absorbance against Concentration
 - (d) % Transmittance against wave no
41. ESR is applied to only those substances showing paramagnetism which is due to the magnetic moments of
 - (a) Neutrons
 - (b) Protons
 - (c) Paired electrons
 - (d) Unpaired electron

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42. Rotation of electrons about the proton generates a secondary magnetic field which may oppose the applied magnetic field. The proton is then said to be
- (a) Shielded (b) Shifted (c) Hydrogen (d) Deshielded
43. The analyte is used in the form of a solution flame photometry because it should undergo
- (a) Evaporation (b) Condensation (c) Nebulization (d) Precipitation
44. The mechanism of antiparasitic action of Mebendazole and thiabendazole involves
- (a) Stimulation of acetylcholine receptors at neuromuscular junctions
 (b) Inhibition of dihydropolate reductase
 (c) Interference with microtubule synthesis and assembly
 (d) Block thiamine transport
45. Isoniazid is a primary anti-tubercular agent that
- (a) Requires pyridoxine supplementation
 (b) Causes ocular complication that are reversible if the drug is discontinued
 (c) Is ototoxic and nephrotoxic
 (d) Should never be used due to its hepatotoxicity potential
46. Decreased risk of Atherosclerosis is associated with increase in
- (a) Very-low-density lipoproteins (b) Low-density lipoproteins
 (c) Cholesterol (d) High-density lipoproteins
47. The mechanism of action of Paclitaxel is
- (a) Bind to DNA through intercalation between specific bases and block the synthesis of new RNA or DNA, cause DNA strand scission
 (b) Mitotic spindle poison through the enhancement of tubulin polymerization
 (c) Competitive partial agonist-inhibitor of estrogen and binds to estrogen receptors
 (d) S-Phase specific antimetabolite that is converted by deoxy kinase to the 5'-mononucleotide
48. Lycopodium spore method can be used to find out percentage purity of crude drug which contain
- (a) Multi-layered tissues or cells
 (b) Well defined particles which can be counted
 (c) Oil globules
 (d) Characteristic particles of irregular thickness the length of which can measured
49. The microscopical character flower buds of *Eugenia caryophyllus* is
- (a) Collenchymatous parenchyma containing in its outer part numerous ellipsoidal schizolysigenous oil glands
 (b) Small translucent endosperm containing aleurone grains
 (c) Wide parenchymatous starchy cortex, the endosperm containing volatile oil
 (d) Outer surface consisting of external perisperm, rough, dark brown with reticulate furrows

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50. In protein biosynthesis, each amino acid

- (a) Recognises its own codon by a direct interaction with the m-RNA template
- (b) Is added in its proper place to a growing peptide chain through "adaptor" function of t-RNA
- (c) Is first attached to an anti codon specific for the amino acid
- (d) Undergoes fidelity translation which is assured by the presence of traces of DNA on the ribosome

51. Rabies Antiserum I. P. is

- (a) A freeze dried preparation containing antitoxic
- (b) A preparation containing specific globulin or its derivatives obtained by purification of hyper immune serum or plasma of healthy horses
- (c) A sterile preparation containing antitoxic globulin
- (d) A sterile preparation containing antioxic globulin obtained by purification of hyper immune serum of horses

Q. 52-58 are multiple selection items. P, Q, R, S are the options. Two of these options are correct. Choose the correct combination from among the alternatives A, B, C and D.

52. Total ash value in case of crude drug signifies

- (P) Organic content of the drug
- (Q) Mineral matter in the drug
- (R) Addition of extraneous matter such as sand stone etc
- (S) Woody matters present in the drug

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

53. The compounds listed below contain α , β and η electrons

- (P) Acetaldehyde
- (Q) Butadiene
- (R) Formaldehyde
- (S) Benzene

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

54. A 60 year old patient presents with glaucoma. Therapy should include

- (P) Topical atropine
- (Q) Topical pilocarpine
- (R) Oral acetazolamide
- (S) Oral pilocarpine

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

55. Measurement of particle size in pharmaceutical Aerosols is by

- (P) Cascade impactor
- (Q) Light scatter decay
- (R) Karl-Fischer method
- (S) IR spectrophotometry

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

56. The common attributes of ascorbic acid, an antiscorbutic vitamin, are

- (P) Exist in nature in both reduced and oxidized form and in a state of reversible equilibrium
- (Q) Has keto-enol system in the molecule
- (R) Has an aldehyde group since it gives positive Schiff's reaction
- (S) Salt forming properties are due to the presence of the free carboxyl group

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

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57. Two properties of Radiopharmaceuticals are

- (P) Slow localization in target issue
- (Q) Very long half-life to minimize radiation exposure yet long enough to get imaging information
- (R) Short half-life to minimize radiation exposure yet long enough to get imaging information
- (S) Rapid localization in target tissue and quick clearance from non-target organs

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

58. Two correct statements concerning vitamin D are

- (P) The active molecule 1,25-dihydroxy cholecalciferol binds to intracellular receptor proteins
- (Q) Cholecalciferol is found in vegetables
- (R) 1,25-dihydroxy-D₃ is the potent vitamin D metabolite
- (S) It is required in the diet of individuals exposed to sunlight

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

Q. 59-65 are "Matching" exercises. Match Group I with Group II. Choose the correct combination from among the alternatives A,B,C and D.

59. Group I (Tablet Additives)

- (P) Binder
- (Q) Insoluble lubricant
- (R) Film coating material
- (S) Direct compression diluents

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

Group II (Examples)

- 1. Acacia
- 2. Light mineral oil
- 3. Hydroxy ethyl cellulose
- 4. Microcrystalline cellulose

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

60. Group I (IR Detectors)

- (P) Thermocouple
- (Q) Pyroelectric Detector
- (R) Golay cells
- (S) Thermistor

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

Group II (Composition)

- 1. Oxides of Mn, Co and Ni
- 2. Bi-Sb
- 3. Xenon
- 4. Triglycine sulphate

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

61. Group I (Alkaloid)

- (P) Coniine
- (Q) Papaverine
- (R) Anabasine
- (S) Reserpine

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

Group II (Ring system)

- 1. Isoquinoline
- 2. Pyridine-Piperidine
- 3. Yohimbane
- 4. Piperidine

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

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62. Group I (Immunoglobulins[Ig])

- (P) IgG
- (Q) IgA
- (R) IgM
- (S) IgE
- (a) P-4, Q-3, R-2, S-1
- (c) P-2, Q-3, R-4, S-1

63. Group I (Antibiotics)

- (P) Streptomycin
- (Q) Erythromycin
- (R) Gentamycin
- (S) Tetracycline
- (a) P-4, Q-3, R-1, S-2
- (c) P-3, Q-2, R-3, S-4

64. Group I (Synthetic estrogenic drug)

- (P) Ethinyl Estradiol
- (Q) Dienoestrol
- (R) Chlorotrainisine
- (S) Stilboestrol
- (a) P-4, Q-3, R-1, S-2
- (c) P-1, Q-4, R-2, S-3

65. Group I (Immunosuppressants)

- (P) Azathioprine
- (Q) Tacrolimus
- (R) Glucocorticoids
- (S) Cyclophosphamide
- (a) P-3, Q-2, R-1, S-4
- (c) P-2, Q-1, R-3, S-4

Group II (Actions)

1. Agglutination and cytolysis
2. Antiallergic
3. Neutralises toxins
4. Antimicrobial
- (b) P-3, Q-4, R-1, S-2
- (d) P-2, Q-1, R-4, S-3

Group II (Microorganism used in the I.P. assay)

1. Bacillus cereus
2. Staphylococcus
3. Klebsiella pneumoniae
4. Micrococcus luteus
- (b) P-3, Q-4, R-2, S-1
- (d) P-3, Q-4, R-1, S-2

Group II (Methods of synthesis)

1. 4',4'-Dimethoxy of benzophenone is treated with 4-methoxy benzoyl chloride + Mg, resulting product is treated with PTS followed by $\text{Cl}_2 + \text{CCl}_4$
2. Deoxy anisoin is alkylated and product subjected to Grignard reaction, the resulting tertiary alcohol is dehydrated and demethylated with alcoholic KOH
3. By pinacol reduction of p-hydroxy propiophenone and subsequent removal of water
4. From Estrone by the action of Potassium acetylide
- (b) P-4, Q-1, R-3, S-2
- (d) P-3, Q-1, R-4, S-2

Group II (Mechanism of action)

1. Destroys proliferating lymphoid cells
2. Prodrug transformed to mercaptopurine which on further conversion inhibits purine metabolism
3. Inhibits the cytoplasmic phosphatase Calcineurin
4. Interferes with the cell cycle of activated lymphoid cells
- (b) P-2, Q-3, R-4, S-1
- (d) P-4, Q-3, R-2, S-1

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Data for Q. 66-90 are based on the statement/problem. Choose the correct answer for each question from the option A,B,C,D.

Data for (Q.66 - 68)

Leaves of *Digitalis Purpurea* were subjected to morphological, microscopical and chemical screening

66. Morphological character with respect to the leaf is

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| (a) Ovate lanceolate with entire margin | (b) Ovate lanceolate with crenate margin |
| (c) Linear lanceolate with serrate margin | (d) Linear lanceolate with sinuate margin |

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| (c) Linear lanceolate with serrate margin | (d) Linear lanceolate with sinuate margin |

68. The drug gives positive

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| (a) Borntrager's test | (b) Murexide test |
| (c) Legal's test | (d) Thaleoquin test |

Data for (Q.69-70)

In a synthetic procedure -chloro-2,4 diamino sulfonyl aniline is treated with P to obtain 7-amino sulfonyl 6-chloro-3-chloro-methyl-2H-1,2,4-benzothiadiazine-1:1 dioxide. Subsequently it is refluxed with $C_6H_5-CH_2-SH+NaOH+DMF$ to yield Y

69. Select the reagent P

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|------------------------|------------------|
| (a) Chloroacetaldehyde | (b) Formaldehyde |
| (c) Formic acid | (d) Acetaldehyde |

70. The final product Y is

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| (a) 3-benzyl methyl-6-chloro-2H-1, 2, 4-benzothiadiazine-7-sulphonamide-1, 1-dioxide |
| (b) 3-benzyl thiomethyl-6-chloro-2H-1, 2, 4-benzothiadiazine-7-sulphonamide1, 1-dioxide |
| (c) 3-benzyl thiomethyl-5-chloro-2H-1, 2, 3-benzothiadiazine-7-sulphonamide1, 1-dioxide |
| (d) 3-benzyl thiomethyl-6-chloro-2H-1, 2, 4-benzothiadiazine-7-sulphonamide1, 1-dioxide |

Data for (Q.71-73)

Proguanil is synthesized by diazotization of p-chloroaniline and treating with dicyanamide to yield p-chlorophenyl dicyandiamide which is converted to proguanil by reaction with an aliphatic amine.

Proguanil is metabolized to a triazine derivative which is an active metabolite.

71. What is the reagent used for diazotization

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| (a) $NaNO_2$ + dilute HCl | (b) KNO_3 + dilute H_2SO_4 |
| (c) Zn + dilute H_2SO_4 | (d) Tin + H_2SO_4 |

72. Name the aliphatic amine used

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| (a) Dimethylamine | (b) Isopropylamine |
| (c) Isobutylamine | (d) Diethylamine |

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73. Name the metabolite

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| (a) Thioguanil | (b) Diguanil |
| (c) Cycloguanil | (d) P-chlorophenyl biguanide |

Data for (Q.74-76)

Calculate the λ max for the following compounds. Base value for Benzaldehyde in ethanol is 250nm.

74. λ max of p-bromobenzaldehyde in nm is

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| (a) 265 | (b) 255 | (c) 275 | (d) 260 |
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75. λ max of p-hydroxy benzaldehyde in nm is

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| (a) 253 | (b) 275 | (c) 261 | (d) 270 |
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76. λ max of o-chlorobenzaldehyde in nm is

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| (a) 275 | (b) 265 | (c) 255 | (d) 250 |
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Data for (Q.77-78)

In the assay of Folic acid I.P., a weighed quantity is dissolved in 0.1 M NaOH solution and subsequently treated with Zn and HCl. The resulting product is mixed with ammonium sulphate, kept for 2 minutes and a reagent is added to get final colored product whose absorbance is measured.

77. Select the product obtained when folic acid is heated with Zn + HCl

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| (a) Benzoic acid | (b) P-aminobenzoic | (c) Glutamic | (d) Succinic acid |
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78. Select the reagent used for the development of color

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| (a) N-1-naphthyl ethylene diamine dihydrochloride | (b) Ninhydrin reagent |
| (c) P-dimethyl amino benzaldehyde | (d) Phloroglucinol |

Data for (Q.79-80)

Parkinsonism is a common neurological movement disorder. Signs include rigidity of skeletal muscle, akinesia, flat faces and tremors at rest. Both L-DOPA and carbidopa are used.

79. Carbidopa is used because

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| (a) It crosses blood brain barrier |
| (b) It inhibits aromatic L-amino acid decarboxylase |
| (c) It inhibits MAO type A |
| (d) It inhibits MAO type B |

80. Select the specific unwanted effect of L-DOPA

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| (a) Dementia | (b) Hypertension | (c) Dyskinesia | (d) Excitotoxicity |
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Data for (Q.81-82)

The decomposition of a drug in aqueous acid solution was found to follow first order reaction. The initial concentration was found to be 0.056 M. The concentration after a period of 12 hours was 4.10×10^{-2} moles/liter. The reaction rate constant is 0.02599 hr^{-1} .

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81. What is the quantity of drug remaining undecomposed after 8 hours.

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| (a) 0.455 moles/liter | (b) 0.25 moles/liter |
| (c) 0.0455 moles/liter | (d) 0.10 moles/liter |

82. What is the amount of drug deteriorated during the period of 24 hours.

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| (a) 0.026 moles/liter | (b) 0.0026 moles/liter |
| (c) 0.03 moles/liter | (d) 0.053 moles/liter |

Data for (Q.83-85)

In a formulation development laboratory, you have to formulate an oral dosage form containing olive oil, Vitamin A and water.

83. Suggest a suitable dosage form

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| (a) Solution | (b) Suspension | (c) Emulsion | (d) Capsule |
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84. Suggest a substance to be incorporated into the formulation

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| (a) Glycerin | (b) Acacia | (c) Cetrimide | (d) Alcohol |
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85. Select one of the appropriate labeling directions

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| (a) Keep in the refrigerator | (b) No-preservatives |
| (c) Schedule 'G' | (d) Shake well before use |

Data for (Q.86-87)

Successive solvent extraction of a crude drug with petroleum ether, benzene, chloroform, ethyl alcohol and water performed. Qualitative chemical testing of petroleum ether extract gave positive keller-killani and salkowski's reaction. Ethyl alcohol and aqueous extract gave positive FeCl_3 reaction and aqueous extract gave foamy solution. <http://www.xamstudy.com>

86. What constituents are present in the petroleum ether/benzene extract?

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| (a) Plant sterols | (b) Tropane alkaloids |
| (c) Sesquiterpenoids | (d) Purines |

87. What constituents are present in the ethyl alcohol and aqueous extracts?

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| (a) Plant lipids | (b) Anthraquinone glycosides |
| (c) Alkaloids | (d) Plant phenols and saponins |

Data for (Q.88-90)

A business executive while playing tennis complained of chest pain and was brought to emergency room. He has history of mild hypertension and elevated blood cholesterol. ECG changes confirmed the diagnosis of myocardial infarction. The decision is made to open his occluded artery by using thrombolytic agent and also use aspirin later.

88. The thrombolytic agent used is

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| (a) Heparin | (b) Warfarin | (c) Anistreptase | (d) Vit K |
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89. Mechanism of action of aspirin is

- (a) Inhibit vitamin K absorption (b) Antithrombin activity
(c) Inhibit metabolism of heparin (d) Inhibit platelet aggregation

90. Mechanism of action of antithrombic agent is

- (a) Conversion of plasminogen to plasmin (b) Activation of clotting factors
(c) Inhibit platelet aggregation (d) Agonist of vitamin K

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