

[KV 823]

SEPTEMBER 2009

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DOCTOR OF PHARMACY (PHARM. D / POST BACCALAUREATE)

DEGREE EXAMINATION

(Regulations 2008-2009)

(Candidates admitted from 2008-2009 onwards)

FOURTH YEAR

PAPER V – BIOPHARMACEUTICS AND PHARMACOKINETICS

Q.P. Code: 383823

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 70 marks

Answer ALL questions

I. Elaborate on:

(2 x 20 = 40)

1. Elaborate on the pharmacokinetic model and equations in one compartment open model I.V. bolus.
2. a) Define bio-equivalence.
List the various methods involved in the determination of bio-equivalence.
- b) Elaborate on any one delivery system for estimation of bioequivalence.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Physiological barrier to drug distribution.
2. Causes of non-linearity with example.
3. Mean residence time.
4. Limitations of multi compartmental analysis.
5. Renal impairment and creatinine clearance.
6. A drug has to be administered as a continuous I.V. infusion so as to reach a study state concentration of 0.5mcg/ml. What should be the infusion rate if it is following the one compartment model? ($T_{1/2}=8$ hr. and $V_d=13L$)

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| 1. a) Define Absorption. Explain the various mechanisms of drug absorption. | 17 | 40 min. | 20 |
| b) Explain the various models of pharmacokinetic analysis. | | | |
| 2. a) Elaborate the various methods of improving bioavailability of poorly soluble drugs. | 17 | 40 min. | 20 |
| b) Explain Oxidation – reduction cycle. | | | |

II. Write notes on :

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| 1. Explain the BCS system? | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 2. What are the objectives and approaches in developing in vitro-in vivo correlation? | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 3. Pharmacodynamic methods for assessing bioavailability. | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 4. What are the physiological barriers of distribution?
Add a note on BBB. | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 5. Describe briefly about plasma proteins | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 6. Explain Wagner Nelson method for computing absorption rate constant | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 7. Apparent volume of distribution and its significance | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 8. Define dose-dependent kinetics.
Give some tests to detect the same in a rate process. | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 9. Explain the rate of excretion method for the determination of elimination rate constant. | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 10. A drug was administered by IV infusion at a rate of 20mcg/hr. the volume of distribution and elimination rate constant was found to be 10L and 0.2hr ⁻¹ . Calculate steady state concentration achieved by the drug and the loading dose to be administered for achieving steady state concentration. | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |

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|---|----|---------|----|
| 1. Discuss the principle that governs the renal excretion of drugs? | 17 | 40 min. | 20 |
| 2. Define Nonlinear Pharmacokinetics?
What are the causes for the Nonlinearity?
Explain Michaelis Menten equation with respect to the estimation of K_m and V_{max} ? | 17 | 40 min. | 20 |

II. Write notes on :

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| 1. Write a note on measurement of bioavailability by plasma Level - time study? | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 2. Discuss Latin square design in bioequivalent study? | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 3. Derive the equation for two compartment open model intravenous infusion? | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 4. How to determine the normal renal function in patients? | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 5. Write a note on statistical moment theory? | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 6. Calculate the absolute bioavailability of Amoxycillin capsule.
The dose of the capsule was 500 mg and the AUC was 50.9 mcg $\cdot$ hr/L.
The dose of IV amoxycillin is 250 mg and the AUC is 34.63 mcg $\cdot$ hr/L. | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 7. Write the importance of Wagner Nelson method in pharmacokinetics? | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 8. Write a note on Non Compartmental Pharmacokinetics | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 9. What are the formulation factors that affect drug absorption? | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |
| 10. After oral administration of single dose of 500 mg rifampicin the following urine data were obtained. Calculate the renal excretion rate. | 4 | 10 min. | 6 |

Collection interval	Urine volume (ml)	Urine Concentration (mg/ml)
0-2	119	0.60
2-4	81	0.70
4-8	160	0.50
8-12	220	0.23
12-18	284	0.15
18-24	212	0.10

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I. Elaborate on:

(2 x 20 = 40)

1. Discuss the principles that governs the renal excretion of drugs?
2. Discuss in detail the physiochemical factors affecting drug absorption?

II. Write notes on:

(10 x 6 = 60)

1. Write a note on drug – drug interactions in Gastro intestinal tract?
2. Discuss the importance of salivary excretion of drugs?
3. Derive the equation for one compartment open model intravenous infusion?
4. Write the procedure involved in the determination of elimination rate constant using urinary excretion data?
5. Derive the equation for two compartment open model extravascular administration?
6. Write a note on Michaelis menten equation?
7. Discuss in detail regulatory requirements for bioavailability study?
8. The dose of amoxicillin capsule was 500 mg and the AUC was 50.9 mcg $\cdot$ hr/L.
The dose of suspension was 500 mg and the AUC is 61.93 mcg $\cdot$ hr/L.
Calculate the relative bioavailability of capsule to the oral suspension.
9. An ophthalmic solution of mydriatic drug at 5 mg/ml exhibits first order degradation with rate of 0.0005 /day. How much drug will remain after 120 days?
10. Differentiate passive diffusion and active transport?

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Answer All questions

I. Elaborate on:

(2 x 20 = 40)

1. Define drug absorption.
Discuss the various factors influencing GI absorption of a drug.
2. Discuss the one compartment open model intra venous administration.

II. Write notes on:

(10 x 3 = 30)

1. Explain in brief about Michaelis menten equation.
2. Explain the Mean residence time.
3. Apparent volume of distribution.
4. Methods to enhance the bioavailability through enhancement of drug solubility.
5. How will you find out K_m and V_{max} from steady state concentration?
6. What are the major parameters studied in the urinary excretion data?
7. What are the factors affecting drug dissolution and dissolution rate?
8. Write the concept and types of clearance.
9. The drug has an elimination half life of 6 hrs. and follows first order kinetics.
If a single dose of 500 mg is given to an adult male (68 kg) patient by I.V bolus injection, what will be the percentage of dose lost in 24 hrs.?
10. Statistical moment theory.

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I. Elaborate on:

(2 x 20 = 40)

1. Drug elimination.
2. A 70 kg patient is to be given a drug by i.v. infusion.
The drug has a half life of 22 hours, apparent volume of distribution 15.7 litres and desired steady state plasma concentration is 0.0002 mcg/ml.
Assuming one compartment kinetics calculate; time to reach 90% steady state concentration, infusion rate to achieve desired steady state concentration, loading dose to attain steady state rapidly and concentration of drug in plasma after 48 hours from the start of infusion.

II. Write notes on:

(10 x 3 = 30)

1. Enlist physiological barriers for distribution.
2. Statistical interpretation of bioequivalence data.
3. Endocytosis.
4. Tissue localization.
5. Plasma level time curve.
6. Advantages of Catenary model.
7. Lineweaver-Burke Plot.
8. Persistence factor and loss factor.
9. Approaches for dosage regimen.
10. Dissolution apparatus I.

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Time: Three Hours

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Answer All questions

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Define absorption.

Explain briefly about different mechanisms of drug absorption.

2. Advantages, Criteria of urinary excretion data.

How will you find out elimination rate constant from the data?

3. Bioequivalence study protocol.

4. Multiple dosage regimens.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Partition theory and its modifications.

2. Blood Brain Barrier.

3. Significance of protein binding.

4. Compartmental model.

5. Wagner Nelson Method.

6. Theophylline was administered to a patient at a dosing rate of 600 mg/day and 1200 mg/day. Respective steady state concentrations were 9.8 mg/L and 28.6mg/L. Find out K_m and V_{max} . Determine the dosing rate to achieve steady state concentration of 15 mg/L.

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Time: Three Hours

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Answer All questions

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Pharmaceutical factors influencing G.I.T absorption.
2. Nonlinear kinetics – Causes and estimation of K_m and V_{max} .
3. Bioavailability enhancement through solubility / dissolution rate.
4. Pharmacokinetic analysis of mathematical data.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Plasma protein bindings.
2. Apparent Volume of distribution.
3. Factors affecting renal excretion.
4. Statistical Moment Theory.
5. Plateau principle.
6. Estimate the creatinine clearance of a 30 year old 70 kg man with serum creatinine level of 2 mg %. What is the renal function of this patient?

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OCTOBER 2015

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Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 70 marks

Answer ALL questions

I. Elaborate on :

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. One compartment open IV bolus administration.
2. Define excretion and explain briefly about renal excretion of drugs.
3. Physiological barriers to distribution of drugs.
4. *In Vitro* drug dissolution testing models.

II. Write notes on :

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Approaches for dosage regimen.
2. Biopharmaceutical classification systems.
3. Line-weaver Burk plot.
4. Micro and hybrid constants.
5. Tissue localization of drugs.
6. A drug is administered at a dose of 500 mg IV bolus injection. The drug has elimination rate constant 0.231/hr, volume of distribution is 20 L by following one compartmental kinetics. If Area under the curve is 110 mg hr/L, then calculate mean residence time of the drug.

[LI 823]

APRIL 2016

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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on :

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Explain briefly Michaelis – menton method for estimation of K_m and V_{max} .
2. Define excretion and explain briefly about Renal excretion of drugs.
3. Physiological barriers to distribution of Drugs.
4. Write briefly about Invivo – Invitro correlations and BCS classification.

II. Write notes on :

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Renal impairment and creatinine clearance.
2. Write a note on statistical moment theory.
3. Short notes on bioavailability protocol.
4. Write the concept and types of clearance.
5. Discuss Latin square design in Bioequivalent study.
6. What are the formulation factors that affect drug absorption?

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OCTOBER 2016

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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Explain briefly mechanism of drug absorption in G.I.T.
2. Discuss the two compartment open model Intra Venous administration.
3. Define Bioavailability. Explain various methods used for determination of Bioavailability.
4. Explain the various models of Pharmacokinetic analysis.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. What are the objectives and approaches in developing in vitro-in vivo correlation?
2. Causes of non-linearity with example.
3. Limitations of multi compartmental analysis.
4. Discuss the importance of salivary excretion of drugs.
5. Discuss in detail regulatory requirements for bioavailability study.
6. What are the factors affecting drug dissolution?

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MAY 2017

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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Define drug absorption. Discuss the physiochemical factors influencing GI absorption of a drug.
2. Explain briefly two compartmental open model extra Vascular Administration.
3. Explain in details about pharmacokinetic and pharmacodynamic parameters.
4. What are the major parameters studied in the urinary excretion data?

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Measurement of bioavailability.
2. Explain the mean residence time.
3. Volume of distribution.
4. Methods to enhance the bioavailability through enhancement of dissolution rate.
5. How can you graphically estimate K_m and V_{max} from steady state concentration?
6. Hepatic clearance and renal clearance.

[LL 823]

OCTOBER 2017

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Maximum : 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. What are the dosage form related factors affecting drug absorption?
2. Explain the volume of distribution with its significance.
3. Describe the pharmacokinetics concept involved in repetitive injection in one component open model.
4. Enumerate in detail the bio-availability study protocol.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Add a note on statistical moment theory.
2. How to determine bio-availability through urinary extraction studies?
3. Write about compartment models.
4. Discuss the concept involved in clearance.
5. Differentiate Phase I and Phase II biotransformation reactions.
6. Describe the method of residuals in the determination of absorption rate constant in two compartment open model extra vascular administration.

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[LM 823]

MAY 2018

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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Outline the physicochemical factors affecting drug absorption.
2. Explain the significance of protein/tissue binding of drugs.
3. Explain Non-linear Pharmacokinetics. Write in estimation of K_m and V_{max} .
4. How to determine pharmacokinetic parameters in one compartment open model intravenous infusion administration?

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Differentiate active transport and passive diffusion.
2. Write the importance of volume of distribution.
3. Describe about salivary excretion.
4. Discuss method of determination and absorption rate constant (K_a).
5. Write the merits and demerits of non compartmental pharmacokinetics.
6. Mention the methodology involved in the determination of bioavailability.

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OCTOBER 2018

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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Define Pharmacokinetic models and equations of one compartment open model IV Bolus administration.
2. Define drug absorption. Discuss the various factors influencing GI absorption of a drug.
3. Explain the protocol, procedure for bioequivalence study.
4. Discuss the principles that governs the renal excretion of drugs.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Write short note on statistical moment theory
2. Discuss causes of non-linearity with example.
3. Explain significance of Protein binding.
4. Calculate the excretion rate at steady state for a drug given by IV infusion at a rate of 30mg/hr. The C_{ss} is 20mcg/ml. If the rate of Infusion were increased to 40mg/hr, what would be the new steady state concentration C_{ss} ? Would the excretion rate for the drug at the new steady state be the same? Assume first order elimination kinetics and a one compartment model.
5. Note on Wagner – Nelson method.
6. Describe Blood Brain Barrier.

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MAY 2019

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Maximum : 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Define Non Linear Pharmacokinetics. Explain Michaelis-Menten equation with respect to the estimation of K_m and V_{max} .
2. Define Absorption. Explain briefly about different mechanism of drug Absorption.
3. Define Bioavailability. Explain various methods used for determination of Bioavailability.
4. Explain briefly the two compartmental open model extra vascular administration.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Discuss protocol bioequivalence study.
2. Explain the formulation factors that affect drug Absorption.
3. Apparent volume of distribution and its significance.
4. Explain elimination rate constant and clearance of the drugs.
5. A new drug was given in a single intravenous dose of 200mg to an 80kg adult male patient. After 6 hours the Plasma drug concentration of drug was 1.5mg/100ml of Plasma. Assuming that the apparent V_D is 10% of body weight. compute the total amount of drug in the body fluids after 6 hours. What is the half-life of this drug?
6. Describe open one compartment model IV bolus administration.

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OCTOBER 2019

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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Explain Protein binding of drugs and write the different factors affecting protein drug binding.
2. Explain pharmacokinetic parameters in one compartment open model after intravenous bolus injection.
3. Explain in detail the protocol involved in bioequivalent studies.
4. Mention the equations for the determination of K_m and V_{max} in Michaelis Menten kinetics equations.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Write the principle involved in excretion of drugs.
2. Enumerate bio-transformation with an example.
3. Write a note on physiological pharmacokinetic model.
4. How to determine absorption rate constant after extra vascular administration in one compartment model?
5. Differentiate absolute and relative bioavailability.
6. Mention the mean residence time formula for different compartment models.

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[PHARMD 0321]

MARCH 2021

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Time : Three hours

Maximum : 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Explain the various physiological barriers in the distribution of drugs.
2. MRT for various pharmacokinetic models.
3. Define Absorption. Explain in detail about in vitro drug dissolution testing models.
4. Explain oral two compartment kinetics. Derive and compute K_a by using Loo - Riegelman method.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Urinary excretion studies.
2. Discuss Latin square design in bioequivalent study.
3. ONE compartmental - IV infusion administration
4. Write a note on statistical moment theory.
5. Factors affecting Bioavailability.
6. Factors affecting renal excretion.

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[PHARMD 0122]

**JANUARY 2022
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Time : Three hours

Answer ALL Questions

Maximum : 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Define Biotransformation. Explain the chemical pathways of drug biotransformation.
2. Explain the various models of Pharmacokinetic analysis.
3. Explain in detail about the factors causing non-linearity.
4. Define Bioavailability. Explain the pharmacokinetic methods to estimate the bioavailability of drugs.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Mean residence time
2. Kinetics of protein –drug binding
3. Drug Accumulation
4. Method of residuals in two compartment IV bolus administration
5. Volume of Distribution.
6. Non-renal routes of drug excretion

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[PHARMD 0522]

MAY 2022

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I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Define Excretion. Explain briefly about renal excretion of drugs.
2. Write in detail about
 - a). Sigma minus method
 - b). Principle of super position
3. Explain in detail about pharmacokinetics involved in multiple dosage regimen.
4. Derive and compute one compartment open model extra vascular administration.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Theory of drug dissolution.
2. Measurement of bioavailability by plasma Level - time study.
3. Blood-CSF barrier.
4. Estimation of Absorption rate constant (K_a) by Wagner-nelson method.
5. Apparent volume of distribution and its significance.
6. Carrier-mediated transport.

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[PHARMD 1122]

**NOVEMBER 2022
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Maximum : 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Define absorption and discuss briefly about various mechanisms of absorption.
2. Enlist barriers for drug distribution and explain them briefly.
3. Explain various methods for enhancement of bioavailability for poorly soluble drugs.
4. Explain the Pharmacokinetic concepts involved in repetitive extravascular dosing for one compartment open model.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Significance of protein bindings.
2. What are the advantages and disadvantages of pH partition hypothesis?
3. How are K_m and V_{max} estimated?
4. Write brief about entero-hepatic recycling
5. Discuss briefly about two compartment IV infusion model.
6. A series of drugs, weak bases have been developed. The best two drugs have measured pK_a values of 9.7 and 8.7. Which drug would be better absorbed from the small intestine (pH 7.2).

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Answer ALL Questions

Maximum : 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. What is protein binding? Explain in brief about plasma proteins participating in binding of drug.
2. Differentiate empirical model with physiological model.
3. How is two compartment IV bolus model calculated?
4. What are measures to be considered for multiple dosing?

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. How does percutaneous absorption happen?
2. What are methods used to study absorption?
3. Draw a plasma level time curve with parameters
4. What are benefits and criteria for urinary data analysis?
5. Discuss briefly about two compartment oral open model.
6. Exactly 300 mg of a drug is dissolved into an unknown volume of distilled water. After complete dissolution of the drug, 1 mL samples were removed and assayed for the drug. The following results were obtained: Assuming zero-order decomposition of the drug, what was the original volume of water in which the drug was dissolved?

Time (hours)	Concentration (mg/mL)
0.5	0.45
2.0	0.3

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Answer ALL Questions

Maximum : 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Enlist factors affecting GIT absorption of drugs and explain briefly Patho physiological factors affecting absorption.
2. What is Non linear kinetics? What are the causes that make it happen?
3. Elaborate renal elimination of drugs.
4. What is method of residual? How could be used in pharmacokinetics?

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Write in brief tissue localization of drugs.
2. Write about methods used to estimate bioavailability.
3. What are advantages and limitations of Non compartmental model?
4. What are the types of dosage regimen?
5. Discuss briefly about one compartment IV infusion model.
6. Estimate the creatinine clearance of a 30 year old 70 kg man with serum creatinine level of 2 mg %. What is the renal function of this patient?

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Q.P. Code: 383823

Time: Three hours

Answer ALL Questions

Maximum: 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Define biotransformation. Explain with examples phase I and phase II reactions.
2. Draw a typical plasma concentration time profile curve following oral, IV bolus and IV infusion and explain the pharmacokinetic parameters that can be determined from the same.
3. Elaborate on the pharmacokinetic model and equations in one compartment open model I.V. bolus.
4. Elaborate the various methods of improving bioavailability of poorly soluble drugs.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Give an example for Latin square cross over design for the conduct of bioavailability study.
2. Write a note on Non-Compartmental Pharmacokinetics.
3. Write the procedure involved in the determination of elimination rate constant using urinary excretion data.
4. Write a note on Michaelis Menten equation.
5. Explain the pore transport process.
6. Estimate the creatinine clearance of a 40 year old 75 kg man with serum creatinine level of 1.5 mg %. What is the renal function of this patient?

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Answer ALL Questions

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I. Elaborate on:

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1. Define Absorption. Discuss in detail the absorption of drugs from gastrointestinal tract.
2. Discuss the two-compartment open model intra venous administration.
3. Explain the volume of distribution with its significance.
4. Explain the protocol, procedure for bioequivalence study.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Explain the differences between passive diffusion and active transport.
2. Explain the kinetics of protein binding.
3. Differentiate absolute and relative bioavailability.
4. Explain renal clearance of drugs.
5. Differentiate Phase I and Phase II biotransformation reactions.
6. If the plasma concentration of viomycin after i.v. bolus administration was to be 10.0 mcg/ml and 5.5 mcg/ml at 2 and 4 hours respectively, assuming one-compartment kinetics, calculate half-life of drug and plasma drug concentration at time zero.

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Time: Three hours

Answer ALL Questions

Maximum: 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Explain in detail about the factors causing non-linearity.
2. Define Bioavailability. Explain various methods used for determination of Bioavailability.
3. Define Absorption. Explain in detail about Invitro drug dissolution testing models.
4. Explain in detail the protocol involved in bioequivalent studies.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Mean residence time.
2. Kinetics of protein – drug binding.
3. Drug Accumulation.
4. Method of residuals in two compartment IV bolus administration.
5. Explain the formulation factors that affect drug Absorption.
6. Non-renal routes of drug excretion.

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Time: Three hours

Answer ALL Questions

Maximum: 70 Marks

I. Elaborate on:

(4 x 10 = 40)

1. Explain the various methods of measurement of bioavailability.
2. Explain multiple dosage regimens.
3. Describe the pharmacokinetics concept involved in repetitive injection in one component open model.
4. Write briefly about In vivo – In vitro correlations and BCS classification.

II. Write notes on:

(6 x 5 = 30)

1. Explain elimination rate constant and clearance of the drugs.
2. Differentiate active transport and passive diffusion.
3. Discuss method of determination and absorption rate constant (K_a).
4. Explain the pharmaceutical application of pharmacokinetics.
5. How to determine bio-availability through urinary extraction studies?
6. Tissue localization of drugs.
