SEMESTER VI

Subject: Biopharmaceutics & Pharmacokinetics (BP604TT)

BIOPHARMACEUTICS

- 1. Explain: Biopharmaceutics and RDS (Rate determining Step).
- 2. Enlist the various mechanism of transport of drug across biological barriers. Discuss any one mechanism in details.
- 3. Enumerate different types of transport mechanism. Explain active transport in detail.
- 4. Enumerate the drug transport mechanisms. Discuss passive diffusion in detail.
- 5. Explain drug transport. Describe carrier mediated transport.
- 6. How the drug is passed through various biological barriers? Write a note on pinocytosis.
- 7. Write a note on factors affecting drug absorption.
- 8. Discuss the absorption of drugs from non-oral extravascular routes.
- 9. Explain the physicochemical properties of drug substance that affect the absorption of drug.
- 10. Explain in detail Polymorphism and Amorphism
- 11. Discuss effect of pKa of drug on absorption of drug from GIT at different pH.
- 12. Discuss various factors affecting dissolution.
- 13. Enumerates factors affecting dissolution of drug, discuss factors related to drug product formulation.
- 14. What are the physiologic properties of drug that affect the absorption of drug?
- 15. Enlist the Patient related factors affecting drug absorption. Discuss any one.
- 16. Define gastric empting and explain factors affecting gastric empting.
- 17. What is gastric emptying? Describe its role in drug absorption.
- 18. Discuss physiological barriers for distribution of drugs.
- 19. What are the physiologic barriers to distribution of drugs?
- 20. Write a note on volume of distribution.

- 21. What is a role of protein binding in drug distribution in the body? **OR** Significance of protein binding
- 22. Discuss the kinetics of protein drug binding.
- 23. Write a note on Plasma Protein Drug Binding.
- 24. Write brief note on factors affecting plasma protein binding.
- 25. What is the importance of protein binding of drugs? Describe tissue binding of drugs in detail.
- 26. Explain renal clearance.
- 27. Define clearance and renal clearance ratio of drug. Describe factors influencing renal excretion of drug.
- 28. Write a note on: Biotransformation.

BIOEQUIVALENC AND BIOAVAILABILITY

- Differentiate absolute and relative bioavailability. Discuss the pharmacokinetic methods for the bioavailability measurement.
- 2 Differentiate absolute and relative bioavailability. What are the acceptance criteria for bioequivalence study?
- 3 Explain the designs of single dose bioequivalence study.
- 4 *In-vitro In-vivo* correlations. **OR** What are the various levels of in vitro-in vivo correlation?
- 5 How the bioavailability of drug can be improved? **OR** Explain various methods used for enhancement of bioavailability.
- 6 Comment: Change in urinary pH alters the bioavailability of weakly acidic/basic drugs
- Define bioequivalence. How bioequivalence study can be performed by Latin Square Cross Over Design? **OR** Explain various types of equivalence. Explain Latin square cross over design in Bioequivalence study.
- 8 Classify the methods for bioavailability measurement. What are the objectives of bioavailability study? Explain measurement of bioavailability by Plasma level-time study.

- 9 Volunteer selection for bioavailability studies is a critical issue. Discuss the statement with examples.
- What is therapeutic equivalence? Enlist various in-vivo and in-vitro approaches that can be utilized to establish bioequivalence.
- 11 Discuss the regulatory requirements for conduction of bioequivalence studies.
- 12 Discuss the criteria for waivers of in vivo Bioequivalence studies.
- Bioavailability of drug is studied in 12 volunteers. The average AUC (0-48 h)and the dose administered are given in the table

Drug Product	Dose (mg)	AUC (mcg/ml-h)
Oral Tablet	200	79.5
Oral Solution	200	86.1
IV bolus	50	37.8

Calculate:

- 1. The relative bioavailability of Tablet compared to oral solution
- 2. Absolute bioavailability of the drug from the solutions
- Differentiate absolute and relative bioavailability. Calculate these values for tablet based on given data. Tablet (Dose-100 mg Oral, AUC -20); Solution (Dose-100 mg Oral, AUC-30) and Injection (Dose-50 mg IV bolus, AUC- 50).
- 15 From the following blood data obtained after the oral administration of 50 mg of a drug A, calculate the AUC.

Sr. No.	Time in hr	Plasma drug concentration in mcg/ml
1	1	5.5
2	2	9.2
3	3	14.9
4	4	10.3
5	5	7.1
6	6	2.2

- 16 Enumerate the compendial apparatus for dissolution studies. Discuss in detail any two
- 17 Enlist various dissolution apparatus for different dosage forms. Discuss USP dissolution apparatus with specific uses.
- 18 Describe the dissolution apparatus-I of Indian Pharmacopoeia.
- 19 Describe USP Type-II dissolution apparatus.
- 20 Explain USP dissolution apparatus III, IV and V with diagram.
- 21 What are the ideal features expected from dissolution apparatus?

PHARMACOKINETICS

- 1 Enlist various approaches for pharmacokinetic analysis of experimental data and explain compartmental models in detail.
- What do you mean by pharmacokinetic models? Discuss its importance and application of it
- 3 What are pharmacokinetic models? Explain in detail compartment models.
- 4 Differentiate compartment and physiological model.
- 5 What are the advantages and disadvantages of physiological model?
- 6 Explain non-compartmental analysis in detail along with its advantages & disadvantages.
- 7 Define clearance, total body clearance and organ clearance. What are the advantages of expressing clearance at an individual organ level?
- 8 Define clearance, total body clearance and organ clearance. What are the advantages of expressing clearance at an individual organ level?
- 9 Explain one compartment open model following intravenous bolus.
- 10 Explain one compartment open model following extravascular administration.
- 11 Explain two compartment open model following IV bolus.
- 12 Explain assumptions for multi-compartment model.
- 13 Explain influence of extraction ratio in hepatic clearance.
- What is extraction ratio? Define clearance, total body clearance and organ clearance.
- Describe the method of residuals for determination of absorption rate constant. **OR** What do you mean by method of residuals? Draw an illustrative diagram for that.
- 16 Enlist the methods for determination of absorption rate constant and explain any one in detail

- 17 Discuss Wagner- Nelson and Loo-Riegelman method.
- Write a note on Wagner Nelson method for pharmacokinetics of drug absorption.
- What are loading and maintenance dose? How are they calculated? **OR** Explain calculation of loading and maintenance dose with examples.

NON-LINEAR PHARMACOKINETIC

- What processes of ADME are known to show non-linearity? Give examples. OR Explain causes of non-linearity.
- What is non-linear pharmacokinetic? Describe the equation that governs the non-linear pharmacokinetics.
- Write short note on Michaeles Menton equation.