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Name of the Paper : DSE-Fundamentals of Medicinal Chemistry

Name of the Course : **B.Sc. (Prog.)**

Semester : VIII

Duration : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

Instructions for Candidates

1. Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.
2. Attempt any **four** questions in all.
3. **All** questions carry equal marks.
4. Attempt all parts of the questions together.

1. (i) Define the half-life of a drug.

(ii) Explain the significance of in silico screening.

(iii) What are pre-clinical trials of a drug?

(iv) Explain the importance of the hydrophilic -hydrophobic balance in drugs.

(v) Define and explain prodrugs with suitable examples. (3×5)

2. (i) Define drug targets and explain any one method of target identification.

(ii) Describe the stages of drug discovery briefly.

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- (iii) What is the difference in metabolic and chemical stability of the drug?
(5×3)
3. (i) Define partition coefficient. How is it determined?
- (ii) Describe Phase II metabolism and its major reactions.
- (iii) Write a short note on applications of bioinformatics in medicinal chemistry.
(5×3)
4. (i) Explain the relationship between drug structure and biological activity?
- (ii) Differentiate between phase II and phase III clinical trials.
- (iii) How is drug toxicity evaluated?
(5×3)
5. Short notes on the following (Any **three**) :
- (i) Drug Response curve.
- (ii) Computational tools in drug designing.
- (iii) Lead optimization.
- (iv) Natural sources of drugs.
(5×3)
6. (i) Write the structure, describe synthesis and uses of penicillin V.
- (ii) Discuss the structure and therapeutic value of fluconazole.
- (iii) Explain antiviral drugs and discuss the SAR of AZT.
(5×3)