

**BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MESRA, RANCHI  
(END SEMESTER EXAMINATION)**

**CLASS: B. PHARM.  
BRANCH: PHARMACY**

**SEMESTER: VI  
SESSION: SP2024**

**SUBJECT: BP604T BIOPHARMACEUTICS & PHARMACOKINETICS**

**TIME: 3.00 Hours**

**FULL MARK: 75**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

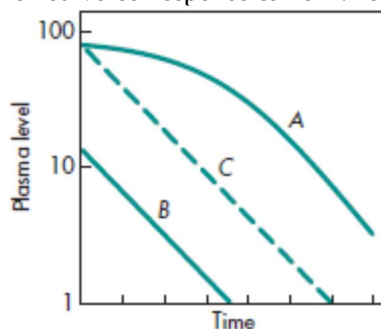
1. The missing data, if any, may be assumed suitably.
2. Before attempting the question paper, be sure that you have got the correct question paper.
3. Tables/Data hand book/Graph paper etc. to be supplied to the candidates in the examination hall.
4. This question paper consists of (03) three parts. Read the part wise instructions before attempting the questions.

**PART-I**

**Objective types questions (Instruction: Answer all questions)**

**Q1. (10 x 2 = 20 Marks)**

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| A. Excessive tissue binding of drug ..... Volume of distribution                  | CO1 | BL1 |
| B. Justify the term “ <i>apparent</i> volume of distribution”                     | CO2 | BL4 |
| C. In fasted condition the phase II in GI tract last for ..... min                | CO3 | BL2 |
| D. In the following figure which curve corresponds to non-linear pharmacokinetics | CO4 | BL5 |



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| E. Small polar molecules follow passive diffusion through pores. True/False. Justify                                | CO5 | BL2 |
| F. Define relative and absolute bioavailability.  | CO1 | BL1 |
| G. Write down the criterion for establishing bioequivalence.  | CO2 | BL2 |
| H. Write down the important assumptions for applying method of residuals to determine the absorption rate constant. | CO3 | BL1 |
| I. Write the relation between the amount of drug with plasma concentration.   | CO4 | BL4 |
| J. Define pharmaceutical equivalent.  | CO5 | BL1 |

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## PART-II

### Short Answers

(Instruction: Answer seven out of nine questions)

(7 x 5 = 35 Marks)

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| Q2.  | Differentiate between active and passive diffusion   | CO1 | BL2 |
| Q3.  | Analyse vesicular transport and ion pair transport system in GIT with suitable example   | CO2 | BL4 |
| Q4.  | Discuss and comment on various phases of GI motility under fasted condition  | CO3 | BL3 |
| Q5.  | Using suitable example, comment on various <i>in vitro</i> cases to justify the term "apparent Vd"   | CO4 | BL4 |
| Q6.  | Derive and discuss kinetics of plasma protein binding of drug  | CO5 | BL1 |
| Q7.  | Describe the method of residuals to determine the absorption rate constant with citing proper assumptions.   | CO1 | BL3 |
| Q8.  | Determine the overall elimination rate constant from urinary excretion data obtained after IV infusion administration.   | CO2 | BL4 |
| Q9.  | Derive the equation to determine apparent volume of distribution and systemic clearance from plasma concentration vs. time data after an IV infusion administration following one compartmental pharmacokinetic model. | CO3 | BL4 |
| Q10. | Determine C <sub>max</sub> and T <sub>max</sub> from the plasma concentration vs. time data after an extravascular administration following one compartmental pharmacokinetic model.                                   | CO4 | BL4 |

## PART-III

### Long Answers

(Instruction: Answer two out of three questions)

(2 x 10 = 20 marks)

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| Q11. | A drug eliminated from the body by capacity-limited pharmacokinetics has a K <sub>M</sub> of 100 mg/L and a V <sub>max</sub> of 50 mg/h. If 400 mg of the drug is given to a patient by IV bolus injection, calculate the time for the drug to be 50% eliminated. If 320 mg of the drug is to be given by IV bolus injection, calculate the time for 50% of the dose to be eliminated. Explain why there is a difference in the time for 50% elimination of a 400-mg dose compared to a 320-mg dose. Also calculate the time for 50% elimination of the dose when the doses are 10 and 5 mg. Explain why the times for 50% drug elimination are similar even though the dose is reduced by one-half. | CO5 | BL6 |
| Q12. | Determine the elimination rate constant using the declining drug concentration in plasma versus time data collected after stopping the infusion after an IV infusion administration following one compartmental pharmacokinetic model.   | CO2 | BL5 |
| Q13. | 100 mg of a drug was administered by rapid IV injection to a 70-kg, healthy adult male. Blood samples were taken periodically after the administration of drug, and the plasma fraction of each sample was assayed for drug. Formulate the equation which demonstrate the two-compartment pharmacokinetic model. The following data were obtained:   | CO3 | BL5 |

Time (hr)	Plasma Concentration (µg/mL)
0.25	43.00
0.5	32.00
1.0	20.00
1.5	14.00
2.0	11.00
4.0	6.50
8.0	2.80
12.0	1.20
16.0	0.52

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