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III. Short answers (Answer seven out of nine questions) 5x7=35

- 1. Define antacid. What are the qualities of an ideal antacid? Discuss various combinations of antacid. 1+2+2=5
- 2. What do you mean by antidote? Discuss the role of sodium nitrite and sodium thiosulphate as antidote. 1+4=5
- 3. Write the principle and procedure involved in limit test for arsenic. 3+2=5
- 4. What is expectorant? Explain mechanism of action of expectorants in details. 1+4=5
- 5. Define astringent? How astringents form protective layer on skin? Give some examples of astringent with their method of preparation. 1+2+2=5
- 6. What is half-life of a radioisotope? Explain the diagnostic and therapeutic applications of radioisotopes in details. 1+(2+2) = 5
- 7. What are haematinics? Discuss the properties, method of preparation and pharmaceutical applications of ferrous gluconate. 1+(1+2+1) = 5
- 8. Explain various types and sources of impurities in pharmaceutical preparations. 2+3=5
- 9. Discuss how the physiological acid-base balance is regulated inside our body. 5

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### PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

(1<sup>st</sup> Semester)

Course No: BP 104T

### (Pharmaceutical Inorganic Chemistry-Theory)

Full Marks: 75

Time: 3 Hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

### I (A). Multiple choice questions

#### 1x10=10

- 1. Constipation is associated with which of the following antacid preparation?
  - a) Calcium containing antacid
  - b) Aluminium containing antacid
  - c) Both (a) and (b)
  - d) Magnesium containing antacid
- 2. According to Bronsted-Lowry concept, an acid is
  - a) Proton donor
  - b) Electron donor
  - c) Proton acceptor
  - d) Electron acceptor
- 3. In ointments and creams which of the following buffer is used?
  - a) Borate
  - b) Phosphate
  - c) Chlorate
  - d) Citric acid

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- 4. Hypocalcemia is a condition in which there is
  - a) Decreased calcium level in the body
  - b) Increased calcium level in the body
  - c) Decreased potassium level in the body
  - d) Decreased chlorine level in the body
- 5. Peppermint is used in dentifrices as
  - a) Sweetening agents
  - b) Colouring agents
  - c) Flavouring agents
  - d) Therapeutic agents
- 6. Which of the following buffer system plays a crucial role in maintaining physiological acid-base balance?
  - a) Phosphate buffer system
  - b) Bicarbonate buffer system
  - c) Protein buffer system
  - d) None of the above
- 7. \_\_\_\_\_ helps in preventing dental carries. Fill in the blank with the following
  - a) Magnesium
  - b) Chloride
  - c) Fluoride
  - d) None of the above
- 8. Which of the following is also known as universal antidote?
  - a) Activated charcoal
  - b) Sodium nitrite
  - c) Sodium thiosulphate
  - d) Disulfiram
- 9. In limit test of sulphate, small quantity of potassium sulphate is used for
  - a) Super saturation
  - b) Increasing sensitivity

- c) Precipitation
- d) Acidification
- 10. Porphyrin is the core scaffold of which of the following structure?
  - a) Heme
  - b) Globin
  - c) Ferrous sulphate
  - d) Ferrous gluconate

# I (B). Objective type (Answer the following in brief)

2x5=10

- 1. What are the therapeutic uses of astringents?
- 2. Differentiate between cathartics and purgatives.
- 3. Why emetics are used in poisoning?
- 4. Classify poison.
- 5. Write the structure of heme.

# II. Long answers (Answer two out of three questions)

10x2=20

- 1. What are antimicrobial agents? Explain in details about the classification and mechanism of action of various inorganic antimicrobial agents. 2+(2+6) = 10
- 2. Define dentifrice and write in details about the composition of dentifrices. Explain the role of fluoride in prevention of dental caries. (1+4)+5 = 10
- 3. Explain the mechanism of buffer activity of acidic and alkaline buffer. Deduce the Henderson-Hasselbalch equation for calculation of pH for acidic and alkaline buffer solutions.

(2.5+2.5)+(2.5+2.5) = 10