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DEFINITION

- According to the Indian Pharmacopoeia: -Pharmaceutical tablets are solid, flat or biconvex dishes, unit dosage form, prepared by compressing a drug or a mixture of drugs, with or without diluents.

TYPES & CLASSES OF TABLET**1. Oral tablets for ingestion**

- (i) Compressed tablets or standard compressed tablets
- (ii) Multiple compressed tablets
 - Layered tablets
 - Compression coated tablet
- (iii) Chewable tablet
- (iv) Sugar and chocolate coated tablet
- (v) Film coated tablet
- (vi) Repeat action tablet
- (vii) Delayed action tablet & enteric coated tablet
- (viii) Controlled release tablets

2. Tablets used in the oral cavity

- (i) Buccal & sublingual tablets
- (ii) Troches & lozenges
- (iii) Dental cones

3. Tablets administered by other routes

- (i) Implantation tablet
- (ii) Vaginal tablet

4. Tablets used to prepare solutions

- (i) Effervescent tablet
- (ii) Dispensing tablet
- (iii) Hypodermic tablet
- (iv) Tablet triturates

ORAL TABLETS FOR INGESTION**COMPRESSED TABLET**

- Uncoated tablet intended to provide rapid disintegration & drug release.

MULTIPLE COMPRESSED TABLET (Layered tablets & Compression coated tablet)

Two components or three-layer tablets

- Tablets with in a tablet
- To produce repeat action & Prolonged action products
- Complete physical separation is required for stability purpose in case of three-layer tablets

CHEWABLE TABLET

STA-Rx 1500:

- Directly compressible starch, free flowing.
- Used as diluent, binder and disintegrating agent.
- Self-lubricating: compressed alone → When combined with 5-10% drug → Requires addition of lubricant & Flow promoter such as 0.25% colloidal SiO₂.

HYDROLYSED STARCHES (Emdex and Celutab)

- Directly compressible.
- 90-92% dextrose and 3-5% maltose.
- May be used in chewable tablets in place of mannitol.

DEXTROSE (Cerelese)

- For hydrous and anhydrous.

MANNITOL- widely used in chewable tablet:

- Negligible heat of solution
- Slow solubility
- Pleasant feeling in mouth
- Can also be used in vitamin formulation.

SORBITOL- optical isomer of mannitol

- Hygroscopic at humidifies above 65%
- Low cationic content
- They are non-carcinogenic

SUGAR BASED DILUENTS / Sucrose

- Trade name: - Sugar tab, Nutab, Dipac.
- SUGAR Tab: 90-93% sucrose + 7-10% invert sugar
- DIPAC: 97% sucrose + 3% dextrose modified
- NU-Tab: 95% sucrose +4% invert sugar with Small amount of corn starch, Magnesium Stearate.

MICROCRYSTALLINE CELLULOSE

- Available under the trade name of (Avicel, Aricel, Emocel)
- Also act as disintegrant agent
- Two tablet grades exist

(I) PH-101 (Powder)

(II) PH-102 (Granule)

| | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Microcrystalline cellulose | Avicel, Aricel, Emocel |
| Starch | Sta-Rx-1500 |
| Sucrose (sucrose dextran ppt) | Di-Pac, Sugar tab. Nu- tab. |
| Anhyd. Lactose | DCL-30 |
| Spray dried lactose | Fast flow Zeparox TM |
| Hydrolysed starch Dextrates | Celutab, Emdex |
| CaHP04 | Encompasses |
| Microfine cellulose | Elcema |

BINDERS AND ADHESIVES:

These materials are added either dry or in wet form to form granules or to form cohesive compacts for directly compressed tablet.

| BINDER | PROPRIETARY NAME |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Carboxymethylcellulose sodium | Nymcel |
| Cellulose, Microcrystalline | Avicel, Emcocel, Vivacel |
| Ethyl cellulose | Aqua coat |
| HPMC | Methocel, Pharma coat |
| Magnesium aluminium silicate | Pharmasorb, Veegum |
| Methylcellulose | Celacol, Methocel |
| Poly dextrose | Litesse |

DISINTEGRANTS:

Added to a tablet formulation to facilitate its breaking or disintegration when it contacts in water in the GIT.

SUPERDISINTEGRANTS: Swells up to ten-fold within 30 seconds when contact water.

| DISINTEGRANT | PROPRIETARY NAME |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Cellulose, microcrystalline | Avicel, Emcocel, Vivacel |
| Magnesium aluminium silicate | Veegum |
| Methyl cellulose | Celacol, Methocel |
| Sodium lauryl sulfate | Empicol |
| Polacrillin potassium | Amberlite |
| Sodium starch glycolate | Explotab, Primojel |
| Crospovidone | Kollidon CL, Polyplasdone XL |
| Croscarmellose sodium | Ac-di-sol, Solutab |

LUBRICANTS

Lubricants are intended to prevent adhesion of the tablet materials to the surface of dies and punches, reduce inter particle friction and may improve the rate of flow of the tablet granulation.

| LUBRICANT | PROPRIETARY NAME |
|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Glyceryl palmitostearate | Precirol |
| Hydrogenated vegetable oil | Lubritab, Sterotex |
| PEG 4000 OR 6000 | Macrogols, Carbowax |
| Sodium lauryl sulfate | Empicol, Sterowet |

Example: Lubricants- Stearic acid, Stearic acid salt – Stearic acid, Magnesium stearate, Talc, PEG (Polyethylene glycols), Surfactants

GLIDANTS:

Glidants are intended to promote flow of granules or powder material by reducing the friction between the particles.

| GLIDANT | PROPRIETARY NAME |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Cellulose | Elcema, Solka, Floc |
| Silicon dioxide, Colloidal | Aerosil, Cab-o-Sil, Syloid |

- Corn Starch – 5-10% conc.
- Talc-5% conc.,
- Silica derivative - Colloidal silicas such as Cab-O-Sil, Syloid, Aerosil in 0.25-3% conc.

- Formulation of Acetyl Salicylic Acid tablets.
- Formulation of Vitamin B Complex.

C. Wet Granulation

Wet granulation or Moist granulation is the most conventional, versatile and widely used techniques for the manufacture of compressed tablets, as it imparts all the physical properties to the granules.

This technique differs from the other granulation methods as it involves the usage of liquids to form compact masses.

Ex. Of Formulations Prepared by Wet Granulation Method:

- Formulation of Acetaminophen tablets.
- Formulation of Aluminium Hydroxide Chewable tablets.

Wet Granulation procedure:



INTRODUCTION

- ✓ An industrial pharmacist usually encounters number of problems during manufacturing.
- ✓ Majority of visual defects are due to inadequate fines or inadequate moisture in the granules ready for compression or due to faulty machine setting.
- ✓ Functional defects are due to faulty formulation.

TABLET DEFECTS

| PROCESS RELATED | FORMULATION RELATED | MACHINE RELATED |
|---|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Capping • Lamination • Cracking • Chipping | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sticking • Picking • Binding | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Double impression • Bridging |

CAPPING

- The upper or lower segment of the tablet separates horizontally, either partially or completely from the main body and comes off as a cap, during ejection from the tablet press, or during subsequent handling.

Reason:

Due to the air-entrapment in a compact during compression, and subsequent expansion of tablet on ejection of a tablet from a die.

Causes and Remedies of Capping

| SR. NO | CAUSES | REMEDIES |
|--------|---|---|
| 1 | Poorly finished dies | Polish dies properly. Investigate other steels or other material |
| 2 | Deep concave punches | Use flat punches |
| 3 | Lower punch remains below the face of die during ejection | Make proper setting of lower punch during ejection |
| 4 | Incorrect adjustment of sweep – off blade | Adjust sweep- off blade correctly to facilitate proper ejection. |
| 5 | High turret speed | Reduce speed of turret (increase dwell time) |

LAMINATION

- Separation of a tablet into two or more distinct horizontal layers.

Reason:

- Air-entrapment during compression and subsequent release on ejection.
- The condition is exaggerated by higher speed of turret.

Causes and Remedies of Lamination

| Sr. No | CAUSES | REMEDIES |
|--------|--|---|
| 1 | Large number of fines in the granulation | Remove some or all fines through 100 to 200 mesh screens |
| 2 | Too dry or very low moisture content. | Moisture the granules suitably. Add hygroscopic substance (leading to loss of proper binding e.g. – sorbitol, Methylcellulose or PEG-4000) |
| 3 | Not thoroughly dried granules | Dry the granules properly |
| 4 | Insufficient amount of binder or improper binder | Increasing the amount of binder Add dry binder such as pre-gelatinized starch. |
| 5 | Insufficient or improper lubricant | Increase the amount of lubricant or change the type of lubricant |

CHIPPING

- Breaking of tablet edges, while the tablet leaves the press or during subsequent handling and coating operations.

Reason:

- Incorrect machine settings, especially mis-set ejection take off.

Causes and Remedies of Chipping related to 'Formulation'

| Sr. No | CAUSES | REMEDIES |
|--------|-------------------------|---|
| 1 | Sticking on punch faces | Dry the granules properly or increase lubrication |
| 2 | Too dry granules | Moisten the granules to plasticize. Add hygroscopic substance |

INTRODUCTION

- The term capsule is derived from the Latin word capsule, meaning a small container.
- The first capsule prepared from gelatin was a one- piece capsule patented in France by Mothes and Du Blanc in 1834.
- Capsules are solid dosage forms in which the drug substance is enclosed within either a hard or soft soluble shell, usually formed from gelatin.

TYPES OF CAPSULES

- **Hard gelatin capsule: -**
 - Disintegration time is 30 minutes
 - Made up from **gelatin +sugar + water**
 - Dry filled capsules
- **Soft gelatin capsule: -**
 - Disintegration time is **60** minutes
 - Made up from **gelatin +plasticizer + water**
 - Soluble elastic and soft elastic caps
 - Liquid filling capsule

GELATIN

Gelatin derived from hydrolytic extraction of animal collagen. Common source of gelatin is skin, bones, white connective tissue frozen, pork skin.

TYPES OF GELATIN

| TYPE A | TYPE B |
|---|-----------------------|
| Pharma gel A (cationic) | Pharmagel B (anionic) |
| By acid treatment | By alkali treatment |
| Isoelectric point (pH-9) | Isoelectric (pH-4.7) |
| Processing of an acid bone gelatin, isoelectric point pH – 5.5 -6 | From green bones |

PROCESS & MANUFACTURING OF GELATIN

- Dry bone → 5 %HCl 10-15 days → Lime 10% 4-8 weeks → Lime removal → Ph adjustment
- Calf skin → Lime 10 % 6-12 weeks → Water wash 10-30 hours →
- Pork skin → Acid 1-5 % HCl 10 – 30 hours → Acid removal →

Hot water extraction → Filter → Vaccum concentration → Cool to solid → Air-dry → Mill to size

BLOOM/GEL STRENGTH

- Measure cohesive strength of cross linking between gelatin molecules
- Bloom strength α molecular wt. of gelatin (directly proportional)

| | | |
|-----------------|----------|---|
| Sugar (sucrose) | Upto 5 % | To produce chewable shell and taste |
| Fumaric acid | Upto 1 % | Aids solubility: reduces aldehydic tanning of gelatin |

POINTS TO BE REMEMBER

- Formalin treatment: - decrease solubility of gelatin and cross linking of gelatin molecules takes place
- 40% of formaldehyde → formalin
- Roto fill (Eli Lilly company) designed for filling of pellets
- Roto sort → for removing the loose powder
- Turret → to hold upper and lower punch
- Cam track → guide the movement of punches
- Fette machine → used to provide cool temperature
- Emptying capsule moisture content → 12- 16%
- Humidity range → 30 - 40%

HARD GELATIN CAPSULE

HARD GELATIN CAPSULE

The hard gelatin capsule consists of a base or body and a shorter cap, which fits firmly over the base of the capsule

- Capsules should not be used for highly efflorescent or deliquescent materials.
- Efflorescent material may cause the capsule to soften whereas deliquescent powders may dry the capsule shell to excessive brittleness.

METHOD OF MANUFACTURING OF EMPTY GELATIN CAPSULE

Dipping → Spinning → drying → Stripping → Trimming → Joining → Polishing

| STEPS | DESCRIPTION |
|-----------|---|
| Dipping | One hundred and fifty pairs of these pins are dipped in a gelatin solution to form bodies and caps simultaneously <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Temperature of pins=22°C • Solution temperature=50°C • Time=12seconds |
| Spinning | Pins are rotated to distribute the gelatin uniformly around the pins during which time the gelatin may be set or gelled by a blast of cool air. |
| Drying | By use of dry air and dehumidification |
| Stripping | By bronze jaws |
| Trimming | By stationary knives |
| Joining | Cap and body are joined |
| Polishing | Polishing by the polymer |

POINTS TO BE REMEMBER

Thickness of the capsule wall is controlled by the viscosity of the gelatin solution and speed and time of dipping.

MOISTURE CONTENT

- Optimum moisture content of capsule shell ranged between 12-15%.
- Below 10 % moisture content they become brittle and suffer dimensional changes.
- Moisture content above 16% may cause problem in the filling and in loss of mechanical strength.

FORMULATION COMPONENTS

DILUENTS: -determination of amounts of diluents to be used is based on

- Total amount of material that can possibly be put in the capsule in relation to the amount of active ingredients
- The amount of lubricant and oil that can be used

GLIDANTS /LUBRICANTS

- Materials that may be considered for improvement of flow characteristics may include the following: - glycol esters, silicones dioxide, metallic stearate, stearic acid and talc

ANTI DUSTING

- Oils that may be considered for use in assisting in the control of dusting, as well as in providing additional cohesiveness to a powder mix, may include any inert, edible FDA approved material.

FINISHING

- Finished capsules from all filling equipment require some sort of dusting or polishing operation before the remaining operation of inspection, bottling and labelling are completed.

1.Pan polishing

- Because of its unique design (primarily in the area of air flow) the Accela Cota tablet coating pan may be used to dust or polish capsules
- Polyurethane or cheese cloth liner is placed in the pan and the liner is used to trap the removed dust as well as impart a gloss to the capsule.

2. Cloth dusting

- In this method the bulk filled capsules are rubbed with a cloth that may or may not be impregnated with an inert oil.
- This method is a hand operation

CAPSULE SIZE WITH THEIR QUANTITIES

| CAPSULE SIZE | BP (ML) | IP (ML) |
|--------------|---------|---------|
| 0 | 0.75 | 0.68 |
| 1 | 0.55 | 0.51 |
| 2 | 0.45 | 0.37 |
| 3 | 0.30 | 0.30 |
| 4 | 0.25 | 0.21 |
| 5 | 0.15 | 0.13 |

TRICK = to learn the BP (ml) quantity go to decreasing order which is highlighted like 7,5,4,3,2,1 and after these digits 5 is common in every number.

CLASSIFICATION:**SMALL VOLUME PARENTERALS****LARGE VOLUME PARENTERALS**

- **Small Volume Parenterals (SVP)**

USP: -An injection that is packed in containers labeled as containing 100 ml or less.

- **Large Volume Parenterals (LVP)**

LVP are Parenterals designed to provide:

- Electrolytes - Volume 101- 1000 ml
- Fluid Calories - dextrose solution

| PARAMETER | SMALL VOLUME PARENTERAL | LARGE VOLUME PARENTERAL |
|--------------|--------------------------------|---|
| Volume | 100 ml or less | 101-1000 ml |
| Routes | IV, IM & SC | IV |
| Dosage unit | Single or multiple S | Single |
| Preservative | Used | Not used |
| Buffers | Used | Not used |
| Formulation | Solution, emulsion, suspension | Solution & o/w nutrient emulsion |
| Isotonicity | Not essential | must |
| Pyrogenicity | Not essential | must |
| Use | Therapeutic & diagnostic | Nutrition, detoxification, And during surgery |

FORMULATION OF PARENTERALS

- Active drug
- Antioxidants
- Vehicles
- Adjuvants

FORMULATION OF PARENTERAL PRODUCTS

In the preparation of parenteral products, the following substances are added to make a stable preparation:

- The active drug
- Vehicles
 - Aqueous vehicle (e.g., water for injection, water for injection free from CO₂)
 - Water miscible vehicles (ethyl alcohol, liquid glycol & propylene glycol)
 - Non-aqueous vehicle (corn oil, cottonseed oil, peanut oil & sesame oil)
- Adjuvants
 - Solubilizing agents (e.g., Tweens & polysorbates)
 - Stabilizers & antioxidants (e.g., thiourea, ascorbic acid, tocopherol)
 - Buffering agents (e.g., citric acid, sodium citrate)
 - Antibacterial agents (e.g., benzyl alcohol, metacresol, phenol)
 - Chelating agents (e.g., EDTA)
 - Suspending, emulsifying & wetting agents (e.g., MC, CMC)
 - Tonicity factor (e.g., sodium chloride, dextrose)

VEHICLES**1. Aqueous vehicle**

- Water for injection (WFI) USP-
 - Highly purified water used as a vehicle for injective preparations which will be subsequently sterilized.

- USP requirement include not more than 10 parts per million of total solids.
- pH of 5.0 – 7.0.
- WFI may be prepared by either distillation or reverse osmosis.
- Stored in chemically resistant tank.
- Bacteriostatic water for injection
 - This type of water used for making parenteral solutions prepared under aseptic conditions and not terminally sterilized.
 - Need to meet USP sterility test.
 - It can contain an added bacteriostatic agent when in containers of 30 ml or less.
- ✓ Sterile water for injection
 - SWFI containing one or more suitable bacteriostatic agent.
 - Multiple – dose containers not exceeding 30 ml.
 - They are permitted to contain higher levels of solid than WFI because of possible leaching.
 - Used for washing wounds, surgical incisions, or body tissues.

2. Water miscible vehicles

- The number of solvents that are miscible with water has been used as a portion of a vehicle.
- Primarily to affect solubility of drugs and to reduce hydrolysis.
- Example: Ethyl alcohol, Liquid propylene glycol Glycerin Ethyl alcohol used in the case of cardiac glycoside

3. Non aqueous vehicle

Fixed oils (vegetable origin, liquid, and rancid resistance, unsaturated, free fatty acid content)

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Peanut oil | Sesame oil |
| Corn oil | Soyabean oil |
| Cotton seed oil (depo-testosterone) | Ethyl oleate, Isopropyl myristate |

ADJUVANTS

Solubilizing agents

- Solubilise the active ingredient.
- Polyoxyethylene sorbitan monooleate & Sorbitan monooleate.

Antioxidants

- To protect the formulation from oxidation.

| Reducing agents | Synergistics | Blocking agent | Chelating agent |
|---|---|---|-----------------|
| Ascorbic acid Sodium bisulfite 0.01% Sodium metabisulfite Thiourea | Ascorbic acid Citric acid Tartaric acid | Tocopherol BHT Ascorbic acid esters | EDTA |

Buffering agents

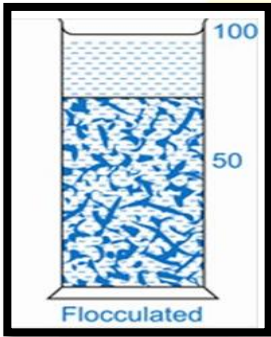
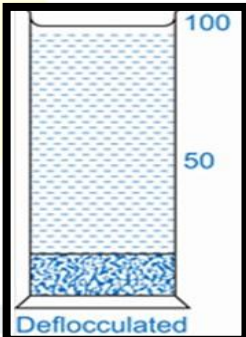
- Added to maintain pH.
- To stabilize a solution from chemical degradation.
- Citrate and acetate buffer, Sodium benzoate, benzoic acid, Sodium tartarate, tartaric acid & Phosphate buffer.

Antibacterial agents

- These are added in multiple dose containers.
- To prevent microorganism growth.
- Limited concentration of agents are used. Phenyl mercuric nitrate and thiomersal 0.01%.
- Benzethonium chloride & benzalkonium chloride 0.01%. Phenol & cresol 0.05%, Chlorobutanol 0.05%.

- Oral suspension (Example is Paracetamol suspension)
- Topical suspension (Dispersed phase is in high concentration often exceeds 20% w/v. Example is Calamine Lotion)
- Parenteral suspension (Solid Contents is between 0.5-5% w/v. Example includes Procaine penicillin G suspension.

DIFFERENCE BETWEEN FLOCCULATED AND DEFLOCCULATED SUSPENSION

| FLOCCULATED SUSPENSION | DEFLOCCULATED SUSPENSION |
|--|---|
| Slightly sediment and clear supernatant layer. | Pleasant appearance, because of uniform dispersion of particles. |
| Supernatant is clear. | Supernatant remains cloudy |
| Particles experiences attractive forces. | Particles experience repulsive force. |
| Particles forms loose aggregates. | Particles exist as separate entities. |
| Rate of sedimentation is high , as flocs are the smaller particles (higher size). | Rate of sedimentation is slow as the size of the particles are small. |
| Sediment is loosely packed network and hard cake cannot form. | The sediment is closely packed and form hard cake. |
| Easy to redisperse | Cannot be redispersed |
| In the potential energy curve, it represents the secondary minimum. | In the potential energy curves, it represents the primary minimum. |
| Bioavailability is comparatively less | Bioavailability is relatively high |
|  |  |

Physical stability

- Physical stability is defined as the condition in which the particles remain uniformly distributed throughout the dispersion without any sign of sedimentation.
- Flocculated suspension –
 - Initial state, $F = 1.0$
 - State of suspension on storage after some time $F = 0.6$
 - Deflocculated suspension
- The extent of sedimentation is quantitatively expressed by two parameters:
- Sedimentation volume (F)**

$$F = \frac{V_u}{V_o} = \frac{\text{Final volume of sediment}}{\text{Initial volume of sediment}}$$

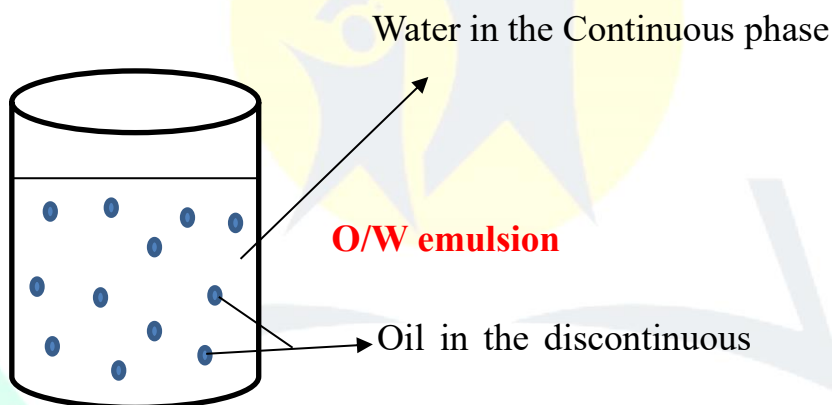
- F is denoted as sedimentation volume. it is a dimension less number.
- If sedimentation volume measured in measuring cylinder then the equation can be written as H_u/H_o where H represents height of sediment.
- $F = 1$, when there is no sedimentation which is a desirable property of an ideal suspension.
- $F = 0$ to $1 \rightarrow$ higher the sedimentation volume better the physical stability.
- $F = 0$, \rightarrow complete sedimentation

EMULSION

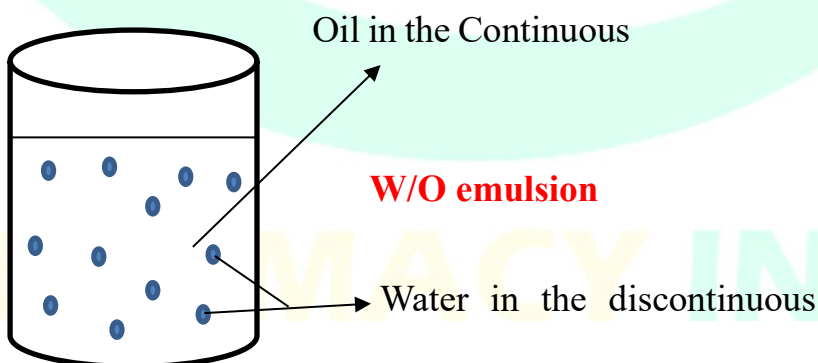
- Emulsion is a dispersion in which the dispersed phase is composed of small globules of a liquid distributed throughout a vehicle in which it is immiscible.
- These are coarse dispersions having the globule diameter in the range from about 0.1 to 100 micrometers.
- Emulsions are also called heterogenous systems or more precisely biphasic system.

OR

- An emulsion is a thermodynamically unstable system consisting of at least two immiscible liquid phases one of which is dispersed as globules in the other liquid phase stabilized by a third substance called emulsifying agent.
- Examples of emulsion include milk, rubber, paints, polishes. Some emulsions themselves have medical properties for example, liquid paraffin is used as purgative and laxative.



The dispersed liquid is known as the Internal or Discontinuous phase. The droplet phase is called the dispersed phase or internal phase.



Whereas the dispersion medium is known as the External or Continuous phase. The liquid in which droplets are dispersed is called the external or continuous phase.

| CLASS | EXAMPLES |
|--|---|
| 1. Surface active agents | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cationic | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quaternary ammonium compounds <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cetrimide ○ Benzalkonium chloride |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nonionic | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Polyoxy ethylene fatty alcohol ethers $C_{12}H_{25}(OCH_2CH_2)_nOH$ • Sorbitan fatty acid esters • Polyoxyethylene sorbitan fatty acid esters • Polyoxyethylene polyoxypopylene block copolymers • Lanolin alcohols and ethoxylated lanolin alcohols |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anionic | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Soaps <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mono valent ○ Polyvalent ○ Organic • Sulphates • Sulphonates ($CH_3(CH_2)_n CH_2SO_3 - Na^+$) |
| 2. Hydrophilic colloids | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Semisynthetic | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sodium carboxymethyl cellulose • Hydroxyl propyl cellulose • Methyl cellulose |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Natural | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plant origin <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Acacia ○ Tragacanth ○ Agar ○ Pectin ○ lecithin • Animal origin <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Gelatin ○ Lecithin ○ Cholesterol ○ Wool fat ○ Egg yolk |
| 3. Finely divided solids | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Colloidal clays | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bentonite ($Al_2O_3 \cdot 4SiO_2 \cdot H_2O$) • Veegum (Magnesium Aluminium silicate) • Magnesium trisilicate |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Metallic hydroxides | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Magnesium hydroxide • Aluminium hydroxide |

THEORIES OF EMULSIFICATION

1. Monomolecular Adsorption and Film Formation

- Surfactants adsorb at the oil-water interface and form a monomolecular film.
- Example – Adsorption of sodium cetylsulfate (hydrophilic) and cholesterol (Lipophilic).

Stage of development during which physical and chemical properties of drugs in questions which are considered important in formulation of a stable, safe and effective dosage form.

| STATE | PROPERTIES |
|--|---|
| (A) Study of physical properties of drug: | Fine particle characterization |
| | Bulk density |
| | Powder flow properties |
| | Solubility Analysis: Intrinsic solubility, pKa determinations, Salts formation, Dissolution, Intrinsic dissolution rate, Common ion effect. |
| (B) Study of chemical properties of drugs: | Hygroscopicity |
| | Crystallinity and Polymorphisms |
| | Hydrolysis |
| | Oxidation-reduction |
| | Racemization |
| | Polymerization |

GOALS OF PREFORMULATION STUDY

- To establish necessary physicochemical parameter of new drug substance.
- To determine its kinetic rate profile.
- To determine its physical characteristics.
- To establish its compatibility with common excipients.

| STATE | PROPERTIES |
|--------------------------|---|
| 1. Bulk Characterization | Crystallinity and Polymorphism |
| | Hygroscopicity |
| | Fine Particle Characterization |
| | Bulk Density |
| | Powder Flow Properties |
| 2. Solubility Analysis | Ionization Constant-pKa |
| | pH Solubility Profile |
| | Common Ion Effect- Ksp |
| | Thermal Effects |
| | Solubilization |
| | Partition Coefficient |
| | Dissolution |
| 3. Stability Analysis | Stability in Toxicology Formulations |
| | Solution Stability: pH Rate Profile |
| | Solid State Stability: Bulk Stability and Compatibility |



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A) Study of physical properties of drug:

1. Fine particle characterization

- Size, shape, and surface morphology of the drug particles can affect the bulk flow, formulation homogeneity, and surface area of powder, which in turn are important parameter which governs controlled drug dissolution and chemical reactivity.
- A light microscope with a calibrated grid usually provides adequate size and shape characterization for drug particles
- In conjunction with light microscopy, stream counting devices, such as the Coulter counter and HIAC counter, often provide a convenient method for characterizing the size distribution of a compound.

METHODS TO DETERMINE PARTICLE SIZE

| METHODS | SIZE (IN μ) |
|---------------------------|------------------|
| Seiving | 5-50 |
| Microscopy | 0.2-100 |
| Sedimentation Rate Method | 1-200 |
| Light Energy Diffraction | 0.5-500 |
| Laser Holography | 1.4-100 |

2. Bulk Density

- Bulk density of a compound varies substantially with the method of crystallization, milling, or formulation.
- Once a density problem is identified, it is often easily corrected by milling, slugging, or formulation.

$$\text{Bulk density} = \frac{\text{mass of powder}}{\text{bulk volume}}$$

3. Powder Flow Properties

- Pharmaceutical powders may be broadly classified as free-flowing or cohesive (non-free-flowing).
- Most flow properties are significantly affected by changes in particle size, density, shape, electrostatic charge, and adsorbed moisture, which may arise from processing or formulation.

ANGLE OF REPOSE

- When only gravity acts upon it, a static heap of powder will tend to form a conical mound. One limitation exists: the angle to the horizontal cannot exceed a certain value and this is known as the angle of repose (θ).

- Methods used for determination-

- **Fixed cone method**

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{h}{r}$$

Where, $\theta \rightarrow$ angle of repose

r = radius of the base of pile

h = height of pile

- **Rotating cylinder method**

- **Tilted box method**

| ANGLE OF REPOSE | POWDER FLOW |
|-----------------|-------------|
| <25 | Excellent |
| 25-30 | Good |
| 30-40 | Passable |
| >40 | Very poor |

- Other small inorganic counter-ions, other than Cl^- , such as nitrate, sulfate and phosphate, have also been implicated.
- To identify a common ion interaction, the IDR of the hydrochloride (or inorganic) salt should be compared between (a) water (b) water containing 1.2% w/v NaCl and (c) 0.05 M HCl and 0.9% w/v NaCl in 0.05 M HCl.
- Both saline media contain 0.2M Cl^- , which is typically encountered in fluids *in-vivo*. A common ion effect with Cl^- will result in a significantly reduced IDR in the presence of sodium chloride.

5. Hygroscopicity

- Many drug substances, particularly water-soluble salt forms, have a tendency to adsorb atmospheric moisture.
- Adsorption and equilibrium moisture content can depend upon the atmospheric humidity, temperature, surface area, exposure, and the mechanism for moisture uptake.
- Deliquescent materials adsorb sufficient water to dissolve completely, as is observed with sodium chloride on a humid day.
- Other hygroscopic substances adsorb water because of hydrate formation or specific site adsorption.
- With most hygroscopic materials, changes in moisture level can greatly influence many important parameters, such as chemical stability, flowability and compatibility.
- The degree of Hygroscopicity is classified into four classes:

| Degree of Hygroscopicity | Description |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Slightly hygroscopic | increase in weight is $\geq 0.2\%$ w/w and $< 2\%$ w/w |
| Hygroscopic | increase in weight is $\geq 0.2\%$ w/w and $< 15\%$ w/w |
| Very hygroscopic | increase in weight is $\geq 15\%$ w/w |
| Deliquescent | sufficient water is adsorbed to form a solution |

- Analytical methods which is used are:
 1. Gravimetry
 2. Karl Fischer Titration
 3. Gas chromatography

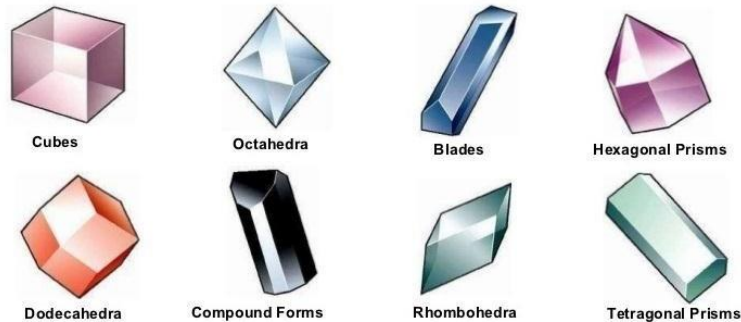
B) Study of chemical properties of drugs:

1. Crystallinity and Polymorphisms

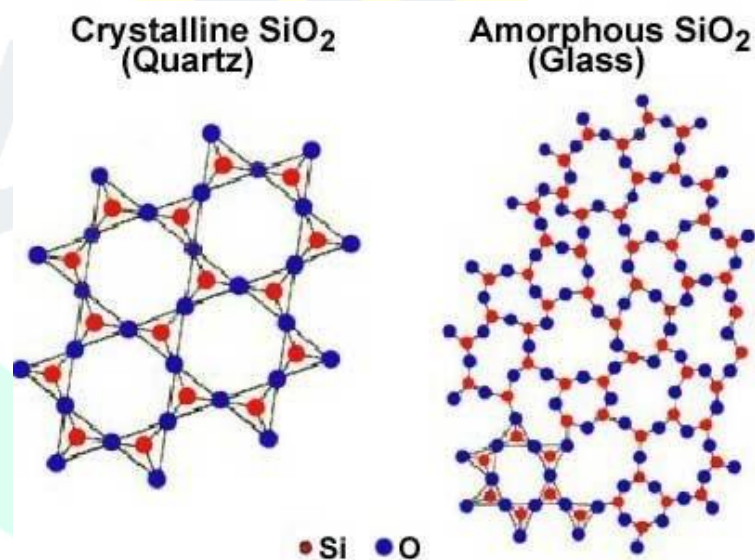
- Crystal habit & internal structure of drug can affect bulk & physicochemical property of molecule.
- Crystal habit is description of outer appearance of crystal.
- Internal structure is molecular arrangement within the solid.
- Change with internal structure usually alters crystal habit.
- Eg. Conversion of sodium salt to its free acid form produce both change in internal structure & crystal habit.
- Depending on internal structure compounds is classified as
 1. Crystalline
 2. Amorphous
- Crystalline compounds are characterized by repetitious spacing of constituent atom or molecule in three-dimensional array.
- In amorphous form atom or molecule are randomly placed.
- Solubility & dissolution rate are greater for amorphous form than crystalline, as amorphous form has higher thermodynamic energy.
- Eg. Amorphous form of Novobiocin is well absorbed whereas crystalline form results in poor absorption.

Polymorphism

- It is the ability of the compound to crystallize as more than one distinct crystalline species with different internal lattice.
- Different crystalline forms are called polymorphs.
- Polymorphs are of 2 types-
 - Enantiotropic
 - Monotropic
- The polymorph which can be changed from one form into another by varying temp or pressure is called as Enantiotropic polymorph. Eg. Sulphur.
- One polymorph which is unstable at all temp. & pressure is called as Monotropic polymorph. Eg. Glyceryl stearate.



- The first major distinction is whether the solid is crystalline or amorphous.
- Crystals are characterized by repetitious spacing of constituent atoms or molecules in a three-dimensional array, whereas amorphous forms have atoms or molecules randomly placed as in a liquid.



Analytical methods for the characterization of polymorphs

1. Microscopy
2. Hot stage microscopy
3. Thermal analysis
4. X-ray diffraction
5. Infrared (IR) spectroscopy
6. Proton magnetic resonance (PMR)
7. Nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR)
8. Scanning electron microscopy (SEM)

| STERILIZATION METHOD | MECHANISM | APPLICATION | VALIDATION |
|--|---|---|---|
| Dry heat | Oxidation of proteins | Glassware, porcelain and metal equipments. Fats, oils, powder. | Physical - Temperature Recording Charts Chemical - Browne's the Bowie Dick heat sensitive tapes. Spores of <i>Bacillus Subtilis</i> and <i>Clostridium Sporogens</i> |
| Moist heat | Denaturation and coagulation of proteins | Aqueous solution and suspension. Surgical dressings, plastic and rubber closures. Metal instruments, Glass apparatus. | <i>Bacillus Stearethamoph Bacillus cogulans</i> |
| Ethylene oxide Gaseous Sterilisation | Alkylation of -SH, -NH, COOH, OH group of proteins | Surface sterilisation of powders, syringes, needles, catheters. Geiger Muller Counter | Chemical - Reyce Sac <i>B. subtilis Var. Niger</i> |
| Formaldehyde | Alkylating agent (Same as above) | Fumigation of empty rooms | |
| UV-rays (Non-ionizing radiations) | Nuclear protein damage by UV of 253.5 nm | Treatment of air in sterile areas and hospitals and thin layer of water. | Chemical - Dorimeters <i>Bacillus pumilus</i> <i>Bacillus Sphaerians</i> |
| Ionizing radiations γ rays | Denaturation of enzymes, DNA by excitation, ionization free radical formation | Plastic syringes, Catheters, Hypodermic needles, Catgut | <i>Micrococous radiofena</i> |
| Filtration (Dessicators destroys the spore) | Retention of bacteria | Thermolabile liquids and solutions, Antisera | Physical - Bubble point pressure test <i>Pseudomonas diminuta</i> <i>Serrata marcesens</i> |

- COLOR MIXTURE:** Insoluble dyes and lake colors are used as main color. Eg – TiO₂ is used to modify the shades of basic pigment.
- ANTIOXIDANTS:** - BHA, BHT, Propyl gallate
- FLAVOURS:** - to mask the fatty odour of the base.

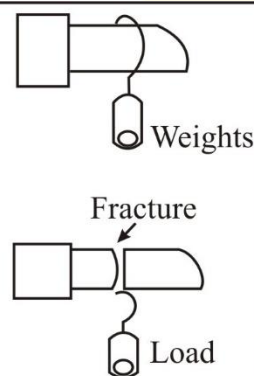
NOTE: - Lip Slave:- Do not contain color and form a adherent moisture resistant film on lip, used to protect lips during winter.

EVALUATION OF LIPSTICKS

- DROP POINT TEST:** - Temperature at which liquid start oozing out or flatten out from within in case is known as drop point.
- BREAKING POINT TEST:** - Determine the strength of lipstick.

Breaking load test

- The test is find out the value of maximum load that a lipstick can withstand before it breaks.
- The protruded lipstick salve is subjected to a number of weights hanging from it.
- The weight at which the lipstick breaks is its Breaking Load



- TEST FOR PENETRABILITY:** - Indicates rheological properties of lipsticks. A specific diameter of needle is allowed to penetrate the lipstick and depth of penetration is noted.
- TEST FOR FORCE OF APPLICATION:** - Lipstick is applied on the piece of paper at an angle of 45 degree and force is read from balance.
- STABILITY TEST:** - By mean of accelerated stability test in which lipstick for surface defects , perfume, colour and application characteristics.

DENTRIFRICES

Preparation intended to clean the food debris, prevent calculi, plaque formation, polish to impart luster to the teeth and to leave refreshing feeling in mouth.

TYPES: -

- Tooth powder**
- Tooth paste**

Tooth powder is a powder containing abrasive, detergent, sweetening, agent etc meant for cleaning agent.

FORMULATION (TOOTH POWDER): -

- Abrasives and polishing agent:** eg – calcium carbonate, dicalciumphosphate, sodium metaphosphate.

STATES OF MATTER

INTRODUCTION

In our everyday life, we can observe four different states of matter, namely solid, liquid, gas and plasma. However, there are numerous other states that can be seen to exist but only under extreme conditions. The ones worth mentioning are glass and Bose-Einstein condensates.

They are all differentiated on the basis of differences in their quality. For example, their characteristics can be stated as:

| STATES OF MATTER | VOLUME | SHAPE | PARTICLES POSITION |
|------------------|----------|--|---|
| Solid | Fixed | Fixed | Close together and fixed |
| Liquid | Fixed | Not fixed, Adapts to the shape of the container. | Particles close but move freely |
| Gas | Variable | Variable | Particles not close or fixed |
| Plasma | Variable | Variable | Neutral atoms, and large number of ions and electrons that move freely. |

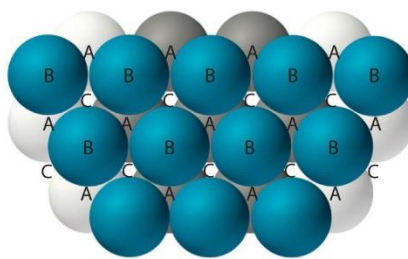
Solid: The particles, or the atoms, ions and molecules, are packed together closely. The particles are free to vibrate but are not free to move. They can only change their volume and shape when external force is applied, or when they are cut into smaller pieces,

SOLIDS ARE OF TWO TYPES

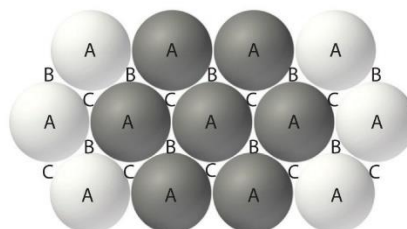
- Crystalline solids
- Amorphous Solids

| S. NO. | CRYSTALLINE SOLIDS | AMORPHOUS SOLIDS |
|--------|--|---|
| 1. | Long range orderly arrangement of constituents. | Short range, random arrangement of constituents. |
| 2. | Definite shape | Irregular shape |
| 3. | Generally crystalline solids are anisotropic in nature | They are isotropic* like liquids |
| 4. | They are true solids | They are considered as pseudo solids (or) super cooled liquids |
| 5. | Definite Heat of fusion | Heat of fusion is not definite |
| 6. | They have sharp melting points | Gradually soften over a range of temperature and so can be moulded. |
| 7. | Examples: NaCl , diamond etc. | Examples: Rubber, plastics, glass etc. |

Liquid: They are incompressible matter in liquid form that is not dependent on pressure. They have a fixed volume, if the pressure and temperature are kept unchanged. When solid is exposed to temperatures higher than their specific melting points, they have a tendency to transform into the liquid state, subject to pressure properties.



(b) most open, loosest, or cubic packing – 48% porosity



4. Flow properties

A. Angle of repose-

- It is the maximum angle possible between surface of the pile of the powder and horizontal plane.

- Methods used for determination-

- Fixed cone method

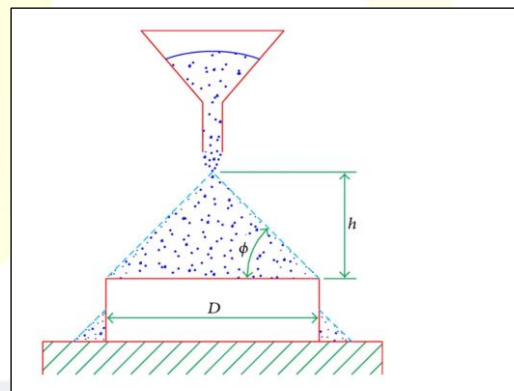
$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{h}{r}$$

Where, $\theta \rightarrow$ angle of repose

r = radius of the base of pile

h = height of pile

- Rotating cylinder method
- Tilted box method



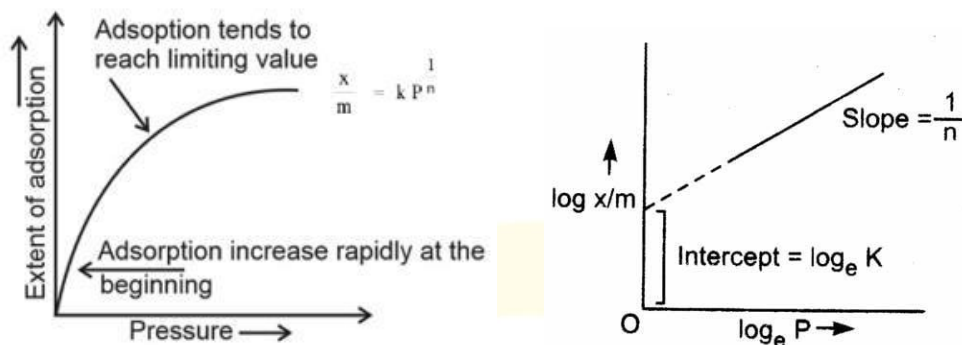
| Angle of repose | Powder flow |
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B. Carr's consolidation index

- A volume of powder is filled into a graduated glass cylinder and repeatedly tapped for a known duration. The volume of powder after tapping is measured.

$$\text{Carr's index} = \frac{\text{Tapped density} - \text{bulk density}}{\text{Tapped density}} \times 100$$

- Also known as compressibility.
- It is the relationship between powder flowability and % compressibility.
- In free-flowing powder the bulk density and tapped density would be close in value. Therefore, the Carr's index would be small.
- In poor flowing powder where there are greater interparticle interactions, the difference between the bulk and tapped density observed would be greater. Therefore, the carr's index would be larger.



$$\text{Log } \frac{x}{m} = \text{Log } k + \frac{1}{n} \text{Log } p$$

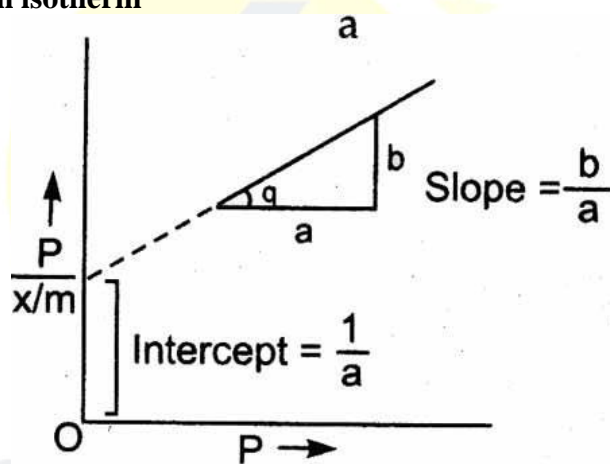
Where,

$y \rightarrow$ mass of gas adsorbed per unit weight of adsorbent

$k, n \rightarrow$ constant

$p \rightarrow$ equilibrium gas pressure

3. Langmuir adsorption isotherm



$$p/y = 1/y_m b + p/y_m$$

where,

$y_m \rightarrow$ mass of gas & needed to form a monolayer per gram of adsorbent

$b \rightarrow$ constant

4. BET equation

$$\frac{p}{y(p_0 - p)} = \frac{1}{y_m b} + \frac{b - 1}{y_m b} \frac{p}{p_0}$$

where,

$P \rightarrow$ pressure of the adsorbate molecules

$y \rightarrow$ the mass of vapour adsorbed per gm of adsorbent

$p_0 \rightarrow$ saturation vapour pressure

Factors affecting adsorption

1. **Solute** – increase in conc. of solute increases adsorption.
2. **Surface area** - increase in surface area of adsorbent increases adsorption.
3. **Temperature** - increase in temperature will decrease adsorption.
4. **Removal of adsorbed impurities** – Increase in impurities will decrease adsorption.
5. **pH of the medium** – adsorption would increase or decrease with change in pH.

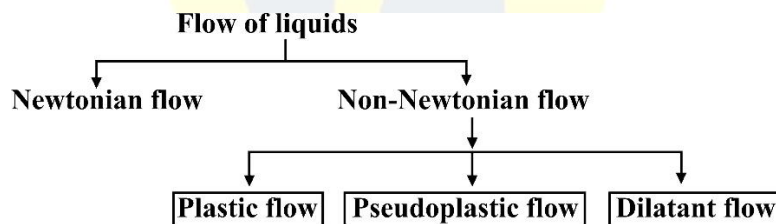
Micellisation

INTRODUCTION

- The term —**rheology**, from the Greek *rheo* (—to flow) and *logos*(—science), was suggested by Bingham and Crawford (as reported by Fischer¹) to describe the flow of liquids and the deformation of solids.
- **Rheology** is involved in the mixing and flow of materials, their packaging into containers, and their removal prior to use, whether this is achieved by pouring from a bottle, extrusion from a tube, or passage through a syringe needle.
- **Rheology** describes the deformation of a body under the influence of stresses.
- **Ideal fluids** such as liquids and gases deform irreversibly —they flow.
- **Ideal solids** deform elastically.

Terminologies

- **Shear:** is the movement of material relative to parallel layer.
- **Shear stress(F)** is the force applied per unit area to make liquid flow (Force/Area).
- **Shear rate (G)** difference in velocity dv , between two planes of liquids separated by distance dr (i.e. dv/dr).



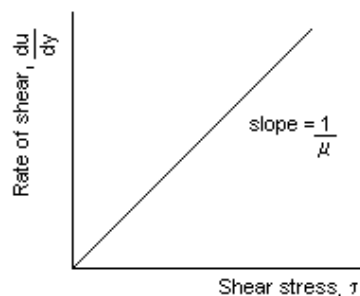
Newtonian flow

Newton was the first to study flow properties of liquids in a quantitative way. He recognized that the higher the viscosity of a liquid, the greater is the force per unit area (*shearing stress*) required to produce a certain rate of shear. Rate of shear is given the symbol G . Hence, rate of shear should be directly proportional to shearing stress.

States that viscosity = $\frac{\text{Shearing stress } (F)}{\text{Rate of shear } (G)}$

$$\eta = \frac{F}{G} = \frac{F'/A}{dv/dr}$$

Examples – Water, Glycerine, Chloroform, castor oil, olive oil, ethanol, solution of syrup, very dilute colloidal solution.



Newtonian Fluid

Absolute (dynamic) viscosity

- The fundamental unit of viscosity measurement is the poise.
- Shear force required to produce a velocity of 1 cm/sec between two parallel planes of liquid each 1cm² in area and separated by 1cm
- Fluidity; it is the reciprocal of viscosity $\emptyset = 1/\eta$ its unit is inverse poise.

Kinematic viscosity

Kinematic viscosity is the absolute viscosity [as defined in divided by the density of the liquid at a specific temperature.

$$\text{Kinematic viscosity} = \frac{\eta}{\rho}$$

The units of kinematic viscosity are the stoke (s) and the centistoke(cs).

Temperature dependence

When temperature increases viscosity decreases.

$$\eta = Ae^{E_v/RT}$$

Where, E_v – activation energy to initiate flow between molecules.

A – constant depending on molecular weight and molar volume.

Non-Newtonian flow

The majority of fluid pharmaceutical products are not simple liquids and do not follow Newton's law of flow. These systems are referred to as non-Newtonian.

Non-Newtonian behaviour is generally exhibited by liquid and solid heterogeneous dispersions such as colloidal solutions, emulsions, liquid suspensions, and ointments.

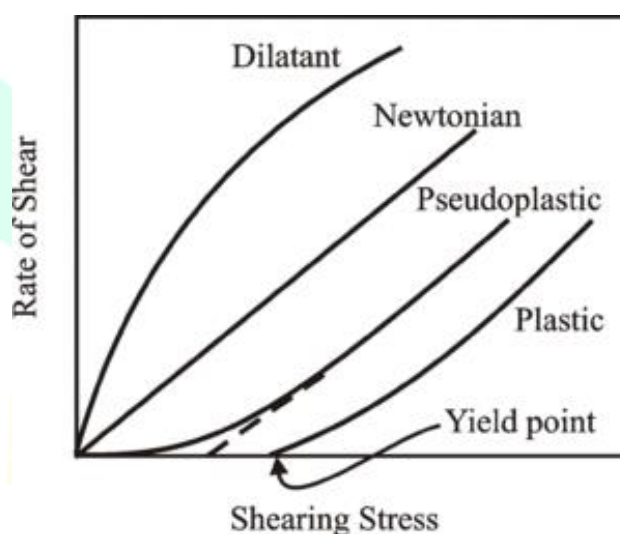
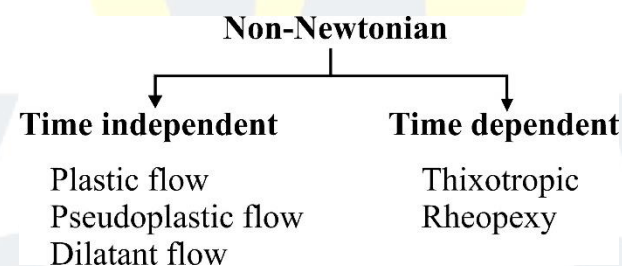


Figure- Rheogram

Plastic flow

- Plastic flow curves do not pass through the origin but rather intersect the shearing stress axis (or will if the straight part of the curve is extrapolated to the axis) at a particular point referred to as the yield value.
- Also known as **BINGHAM BODIES**.
- A Bingham body does not begin to flow until a shearing stress corresponding to the yield value is exceeded.
- At stresses below the yield value, the substance acts as an elastic material.
- Associated with flocculated particles or concentrated suspension.
- Yield value (f) is an indication of the force that must be applied to a system to convert it to a Newtonian System.

The equation describing plastic flow is –

$$U = \frac{F-f}{G}$$

Where, U = plastic viscosity
 f = yield value (N/m²)
 G = rate of shear (S)
 F = shear stress (N/m²)

Examples → Flocculated particles in concentrated suspension / Suspension of ZnO in mineral oil, certain paints, ointments

Pseudoplastic flow

- Curve for a pseudoplastic material begins at the origin
- There is no yield value
- Also called **SHEAR THINNING SYSTEM**
- Because no part of the curve is linear, the viscosity of a pseudoplastic material cannot be expressed by any single value.
- The viscosity of a pseudoplastic substance decreases with increasing rate of shear.
- Exponential equation for pseudoplastic flow-

$$F^N = \eta' G$$

N = 1 (Newtonian flow)

N > 1 (Non-Newtonian flow)

Examples → Liquid dispersions of natural and synthetic gums (tragacanth, soidum alginate, methyl cellulose, and sodium carboxy methyl cellulose).

Dilatant flow

- Certain suspensions with a high percentage (upto 50%) of deflocculated solids exhibit an increase in resistance to flow with increasing rate of shear.
- Such systems actually increase in volume when sheared and hence termed dilatant and phenomenon as **rheopexy**.
- No yield values.
- Curve begins at the origin.
- Also known as **SHEAR THICKENING SYSTEM**.
- When stress is removed, a dilatant system returns to its original state of fluidity.
- Exponential equation for dilatant flow-

$$F^N = \eta' G$$

N < 1 (degree of dilatancy increases)

N = 1 (Newtonian flow)

N > 1 (Non-Newtonian flow)

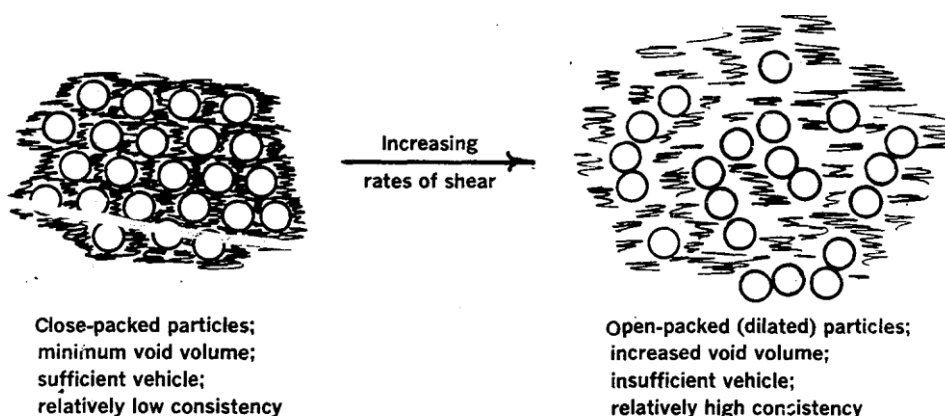


Fig. 20-3. Explanation of dilatant flow behavior.

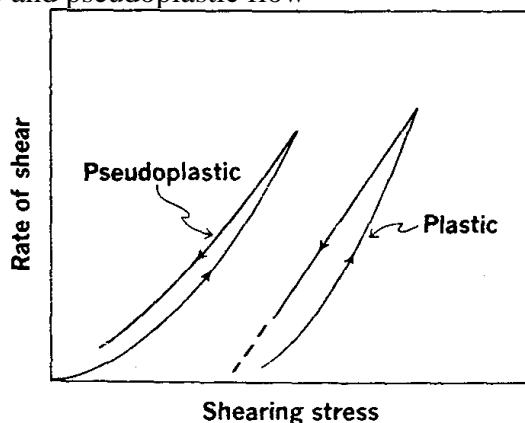
Examples → Suspension of corn starch in water; Suspension containing high concentration of solids; Inorganic pigments in water; kaolin in water; zinc oxide in water.

Thixotropy

- **GEL-SOL-GEL** system.
- **Shear thinning system.**
- Non-Newtonian
- Time Dependent behaviour
- Down curve displaces left to up curve for shear thinning system
- It is the decrease in viscosity as a function of time upon shearing, then recovery of original viscosity as a function of time without shearing.
- Loose network through sample.
- At rest, its Rigidity is like Gel
- As shear applied, the structure begins to break and the material undergoes Gel-to Sol transformation.
- Finally, at rest the structure is restored again (Sol to Gel)

Example → Procaine penicillin G (40-70% w/v in water)

Thixotropic effect on plastic and pseudoplastic flow-



Negative/ Antithixotropy

- **SOL-GEL-SOL** system
- **SHEAR THICKENING** system
- Also called **rheopexy**
- Viscosity increases so, downward curve more towards right.

INTRODUCTION

- A dispersed system is defined as a system in which one phase the dispersed phase is distributed uniformly as particles throughout another phase called the dispersion medium or continuous phase.
- Dispersed phase can be classified on the basis of the physical state of two phases-

| DISPERSION MEDIUM | DISPERSED PHASE | EXAMPLES OF COLLOIDAL DISPERSIONS | EXAMPLES OF COARSE DISPERSIONS |
|-------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Gas | Liquid | Fog | Spray |
| Gas | Solid | Smoke | Dust |
| Liquid | Gas | Foam (Aerosol) | Foam |
| Liquid | Liquid (immiscible) | Oil globules | Emulsions |
| Liquid | Solid | Colloidal gold in water | Suspension of kaolin in water |
| Solid | Gas | Solid foam (Aerosol) | Solid foam |
| Solid | Liquid | Mineral oil in wax | Solid emulsion |
| Solid | Solid | Colloidal gold in glass | Solid suspension |

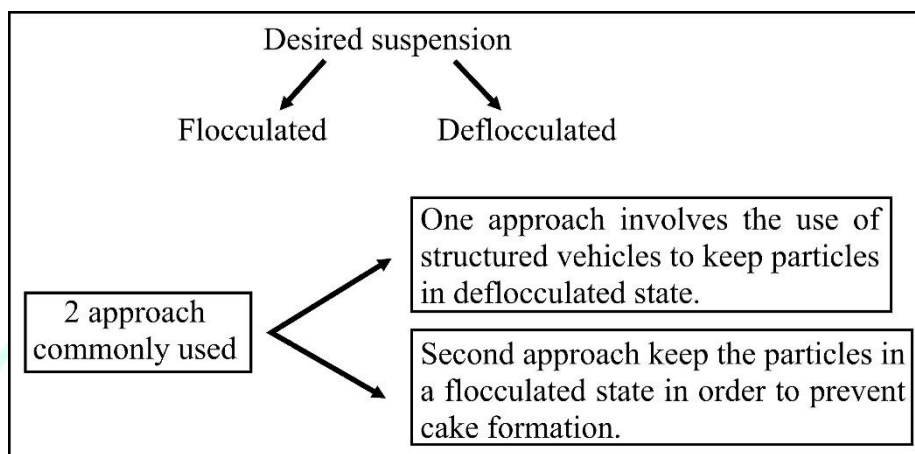
- Dispersed system can also be classified as –
 1. Molecular dispersion (true solutions)
 2. Colloidal dispersions
 3. Coarse dispersions

| PROPERTY | MOLECULAR DISPERSION | COLLOIDAL DISPERSION | COARSE DISPERSION |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Particle size | Less than 1nm | 1nm to 1 μ m | Greater than 0.5 μ m |
| Filter paper | Can pass | Can pass | Cannot pass |
| Semipermeable membrane | Can pass | Cannot pass | Cannot pass |
| Optical property | No tyndall effect | Tyndall effect is produced | Tyndall effect is observed |
| Visiblity under microscopy | Not visible | Visible under ultra microscope | Visible under normal ultra-microscope |
| Diffusion | Undergo rapid diffusion | Diffuse very slowly | Particles do not diffuse |
| Appearance | Clear | Clear or turbid | Turbid |

Colloidal Dispersions

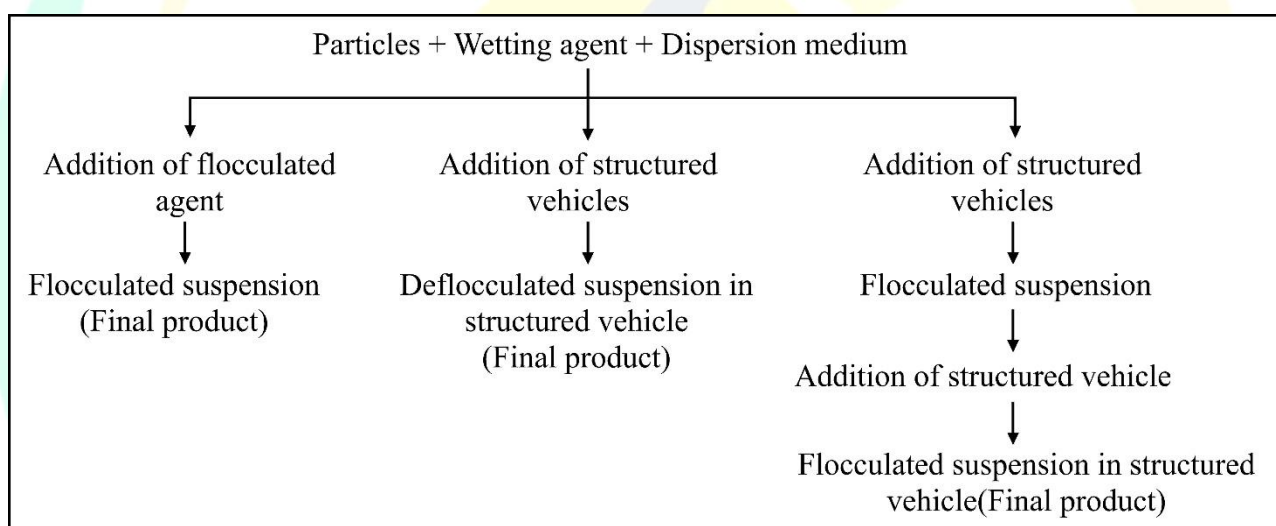
- Term colloid implies \rightarrow glue like substance
- Colloidal system is a dispersion where in dispersed particle are uniformly distributed in a dispersion medium.
- Size ranges - 1nm to 1 μ m
- **Types of colloidal dispersion-**

Formulation of pharmaceutical suspension



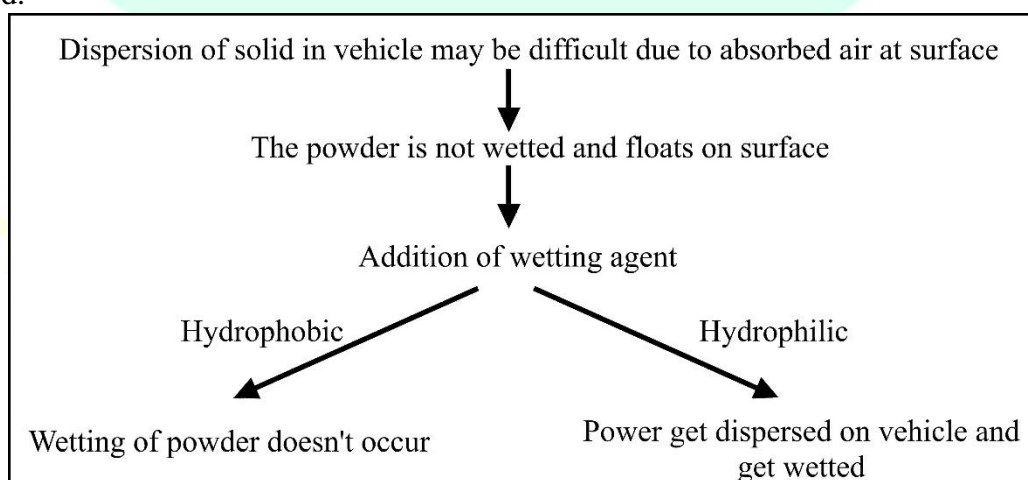
- Third method uses a combination of these approaches to prevent settling

Approches used in formulation of suspensions



Wetting Phenomenon

- In industry large quantities of powders such as talc or charcoal are added to water. These powders do not get wetted properly in spite of their higher densities than water., instead these floats on the surfaces.
- Wetting is an adsorption process in which an intimate contact of the solids with liquid phase is achieved.



INTRODUCTION

- Chemical kinetics is the study of the rate of chemical changes taking place during chemical reactions.
- In pharmaceutical formulations, it is the study of –
 - physical and chemical reactions in drugs and dosage forms
 - factors influencing the rate of these chemical reaction
 - accelerated stability testing and prediction of shelf life of formulations.

Rate of Reaction

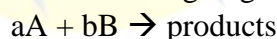
- The rate of chemical reaction is defined as the velocity with which a reactant or reactants undergo chemical change. The rate of reaction is given by:

$$\pm \frac{dc}{dt}$$

- The + or – sign indicates an increase or decrease respectively in concentration dc with a time interval dt.

Rate constant or order of reaction

- Acc. To law of mass action, the rate of a chemical reaction is proportional to the product of the molar concentration of the reactants each raised to a power usually equal to the number of molecules, a and b of the substances A and B undergoing reaction.



- the rate of reaction is given by:

$$\text{Rate} = -\frac{1}{a} \frac{d[A]}{dt}$$

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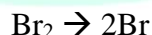
$$\text{Rate} = k [A]^a [B]^b$$

$$k \rightarrow \text{rate constant}$$

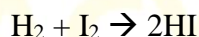
- **Order of reaction** → the sum of the powers of the concentration terms involved in the rate equation. Thus, the order of the above reaction is (a + b).

Molecularity of the reaction

- The molecularity of a reaction refers to the number of molecules, atoms or ions reacting in an elementary process to give the reactants.
- **Unimolecular reaction** – If only one type of molecule undergoes a change to yield the product.

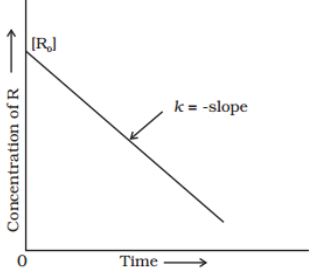
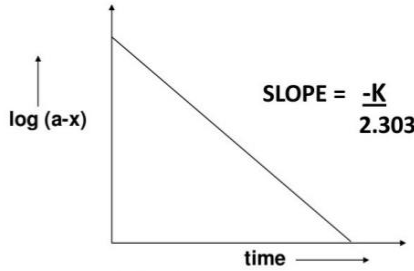
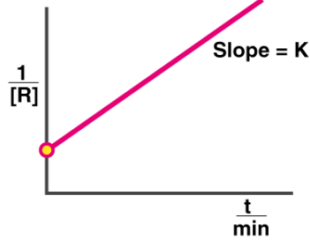


- **Bimolecular reaction** – two types of molecules are stoichiometrically involved in reaction.



- **Half-life** – It is the time required for the concentration of the reactant to reduce to half of its initial concentration.
- **Shelf life (t_{90})** – It is defined as the concentration of the reactant to reduce to 90% of its initial concentration.

Order of reaction

| ZERO ORDER | FIRST ORDER | SECOND ORDER |
|---|---|--|
| Rate of reaction is independent of the concentration of the reacting species. | Rate of the reaction is directly proportional to the first power of the concentration of a single reactant. | Rate of the reaction is directly proportional to the second power of the concentration of a single reactant. |
| Rate equation $K = \frac{A_0 - A_t}{t}$ A ₀ → initial concentration A _t → concentration after t time | Rate equation $K = \frac{2.303}{t} \log \frac{a}{a-x}$ a → initial concentration x → decrease in concentration t → time | Rate equation $K = \frac{1}{at} \frac{x}{a-x}$ Initial concentration of a and b are not equal a ≠ b $K = \frac{2.303}{a-b} \log \frac{b(a-x)}{a(b-x)}$ |
| Half life $t_{1/2} = \frac{A_0}{2K}$ | Half life $t_{1/2} = \frac{0.693}{K}$ | Half life $t_{1/2} = \frac{1}{ak}$ |
| Shelf life $t_{90} = \frac{0.1 A_0}{K}$ | Shelf life $t_{90} = \frac{2.303}{K} \log \frac{C_0}{0.9 C_0}$ or $t_{90} = \frac{0.1052}{K}$ | |
| Graph  | Graph  | Graph  |
| Unit K = moles/ litre/ second | Unit K = second⁻¹ | Unit K = Litre.mole⁻¹ second⁻¹ |

Methods of determining order of reactions

1. Graphical method

- More reliable because deviations from the best fit line can be easily observed.
- The kinetic study is conducted and data are collected on the time of changes in the concentration of the reactants.

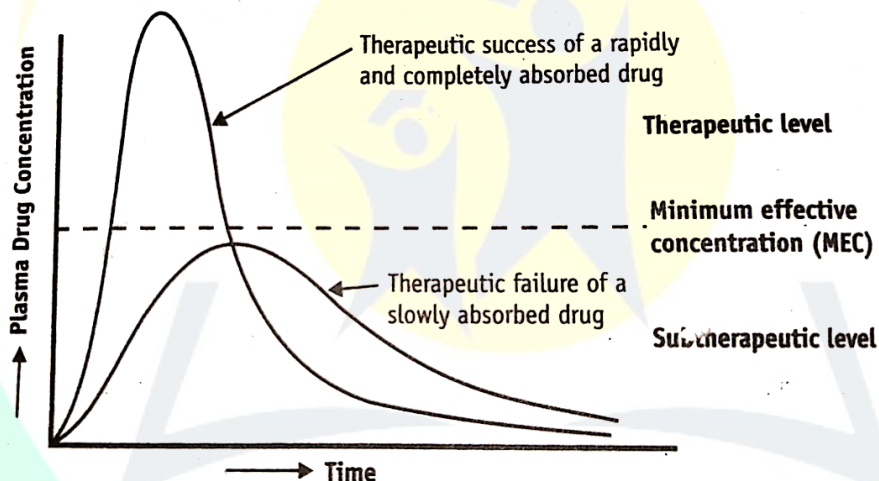
2. Substitution method

- The kinetic study is conducted and data are collected on the time of changes in the concentration of the reactants.
- Data are substituted in the integral equations of zero, first and second order reactions to get the k values.

3. Half-life method

- The average k value is calculated using the data for zero, first and second orders as given in substitution method or graphical method.
- Then, the t_{1/2} values are calculated for each time period in the kinetic study.

- **Drug absorption** is defined as the process of movement of unchanged, drug from the site of administration to systemic circulation.
- Following absorption, the effectiveness of a drug can only be assessed by its concentration at the site of action.
- However, it is difficult to measure the drug concentration at such a site. Instead, the concentration can be measured more accurately in plasma.
- There always exist a correlation between the plasma concentration of a drug and the therapeutic response and thus absorption can also be defined as the process of movement of unchanged drug from the site of administration to the site of measurement i.e. plasma.



Drugs that have to enter the systemic circulation to exert their effect can be administered by three major routes:

1. **The Enteral Route:** includes peroral i.e. gastrointestinal, sublingual/ buccal and rectal routes. The GI route is the most common for administration of majority of drugs.
2. **The Parenteral Route:** includes all routes of administration through or under one or more layers of skin. While no absorption is required when the drug is administered i.v. it is necessary for extravascular parenteral routes like the subcutaneous and the intramuscular routes.
3. **The Topical Route:** includes skin, eyes or other specific members. The intranasal, inhalation, intravaginal and transdermal routes may be considered enteral or topical according to different definitions.



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- GI lining constituting the absorption barrier allows most nutrients like glucose, amino acids, fatty acids, vitamins, etc. to pass rapidly through it into the systemic, circulation but prevents the entry of certain toxins and medicaments. Thus, for a drug to get absorbed after oral administration, it must first pass through this biological barrier.

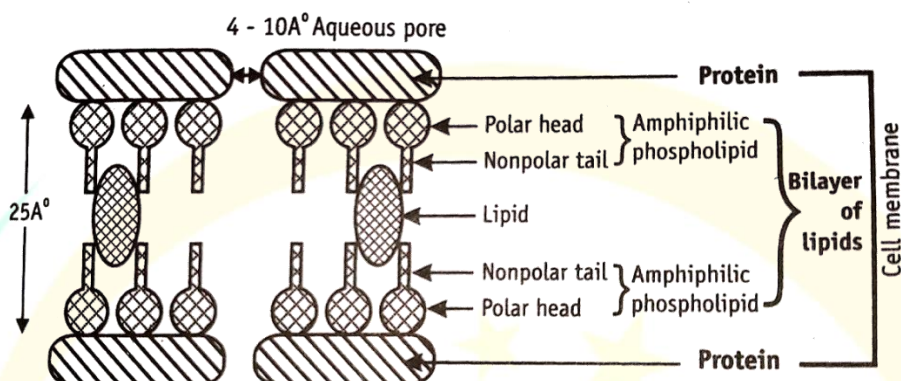


Figure: Basic structure of functional cell membrane

MECHANISMS OF DRUG ABSORPTION

- The principal mechanisms for transport of drug molecules across the cell membrane in order of their importance are:

| MECHANISM | DESCRIPTION |
|---|--|
| • Transcellular/ Intracellular transport | Passage of drugs across the GI epithelium. |
| ○ Passive Transport Processes | Donot require energy |
| ➤ Passive diffusion. | Also called non-ionic diffusion . Major process for absorption of more than 90% of the drugs. The driving force for this process is the concentration or electrochemical gradient . It is defined as the difference in the drug concentration on either side of the membrane. |
| ➤ Pore transport | Also called as convective transport, bulk flow or filtration . This mechanism is responsible for transport of molecules into the cell through the protein channels present in the cell membrane. |
| ➤ Ion-pair transport | Absorption of drugs like quaternary ammonium compounds and sulphonic acids, which ionise under all pH conditions, is ion-pair transport. Despite their low o/w partition coefficient values, such agents penetrate the membrane by forming reversible neutral complexes with endogenous ions of the GIT like mucin. Such neutral complexes have both the required lipophilicity as well as aqueous solubility for passive diffusion. |
| ➤ Carrier mediated transport | Carrier is required for the transport of drug across the cell membrane. |

INFLUENCE OF DRUG PKA AND GI PH ON DRUG ABSORPTION

| Drugs | pKa | pH/ site of absorption |
|---|------|--|
| Very weak acids (pKa > 8.0) | | |
| Phenobarbital | 8.1 | Unionised at all pH values; absorbed along the entire length of GIT |
| Hexobarbital | 8.2 | |
| Phenytoin | 8.2 | |
| Ethosuximide | 9.3 | |
| Moderately weak acids (pKa 2.5 to 7.5) | | |
| Cloxacillin | 2.7 | Unionised in gastric pH and ionised in intestinal pH; better absorbed from stomach |
| Aspirin | 3.5 | |
| Ibuprofen | 4.4 | |
| Phenylbutazone | 4.5 | |
| Stronger acids (pKa < 2.5) | | |
| Disodium cromoglycate | 2.0 | Ionised at all pH values; poorly absorbed from GIT. |
| Very weak bases (pKa < 5.0) | | |
| Theophylline | 0.7 | Unionised at all pH values; absorbed along the entire length of GIT |
| Caffeine | 0.8 | |
| Oxazepam | 1.7 | |
| Diazepam | 3.7 | |
| Moderately weak bases (pKa 5 to 11.0) | | |
| Reserpine | 6.6 | Ionised at gastric pH, relatively unionised at intestinal pH; better absorbed from intestine |
| Heroin | 7.8 | |
| Codeine | 8.2 | |
| Stronger bases (pKa > 11.0) | | |
| Mecamylamine | 11.2 | Ionised at all pH values; poorly absorbed from GIT |

METHODS FOR STUDYING DRUG UPTAKE

1. *In vitro* experiments:

- used to study the transport of drugs through different types of membranes or biological materials.
- Such experiments may utilize
 - (a) Diffusion cells
 - (b) Segments of GIT of laboratory animals – Two well-known established techniques are –
 - (i) Everted sac technique
 - (ii) Everted ring technique
 - (c) Cell cultures of gut epithelium e.g. Caco-2 cells.









2. *In situ* experiments:

- simulates the in vivo conditions for drug absorption and are based on perfusion of a segment of GIT by drug solution and determination of amount of drug diffused through it.
- The two perfusion methods used in laboratory animals are –
 - (a) Dissolution method
 - (b) Single pass perfusion

PERCUTANEOUS ABSORPTION OF DRUGS

- Certain ionic drugs are not absorbed transdermally despite the use of chemical penetration enhancers in the topical formulations.
- Percutaneous absorption of such drugs can be affected by novel techniques such as –
 1. **Iontophoresis** – Iontophoresis drug delivery implies delivery of ionic drugs into the body by means of an electric current.
 2. **Phonophoresis** – Phonophoresis is defined as the movement of drug molecules through the skin under the influence of ultrasound.

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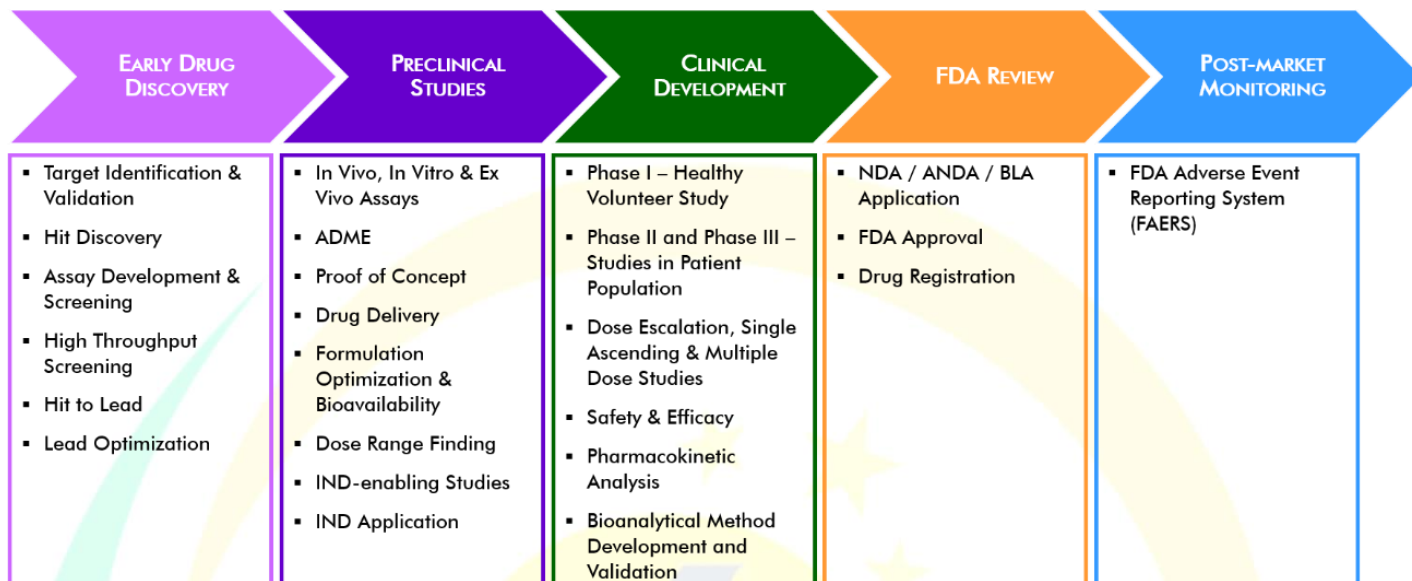
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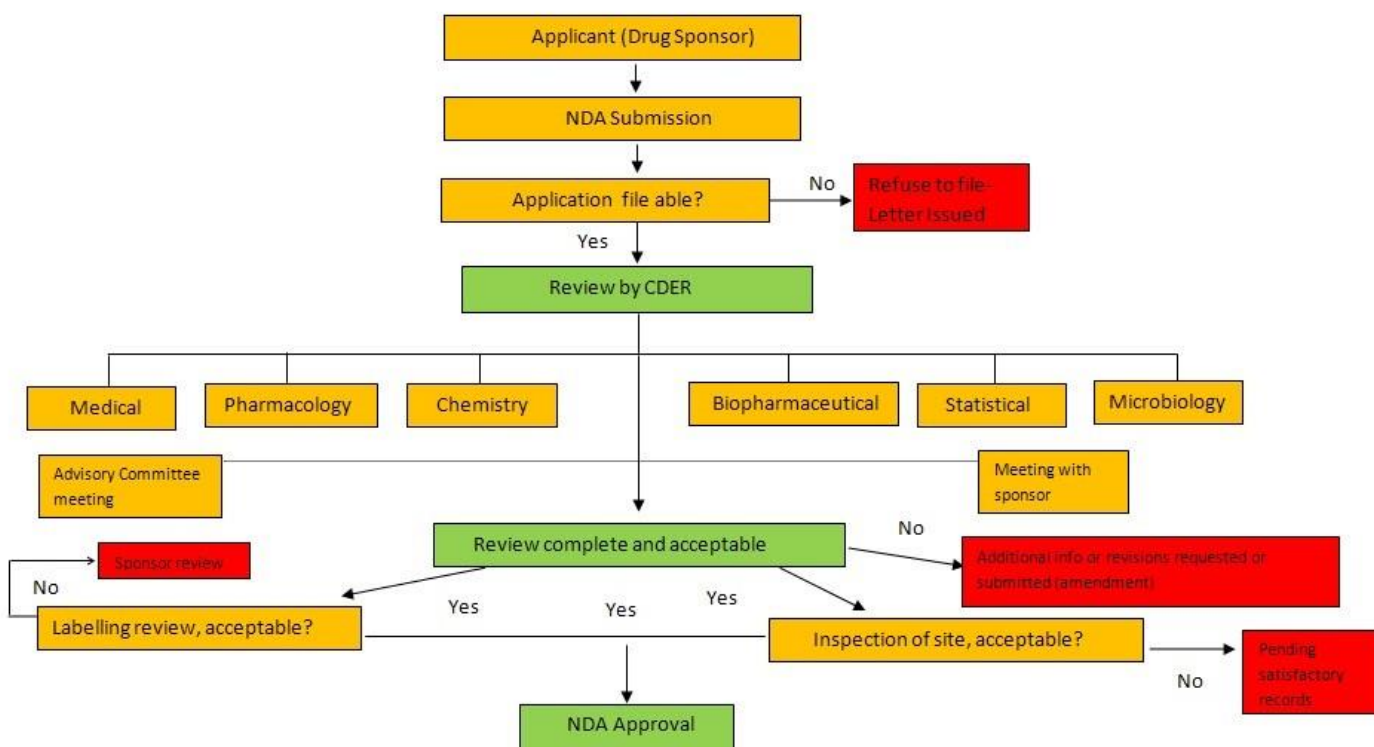
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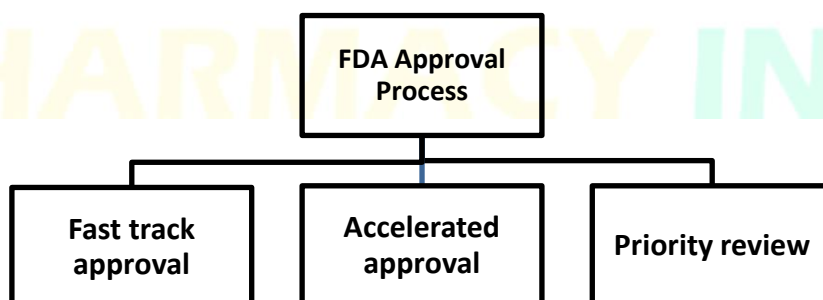
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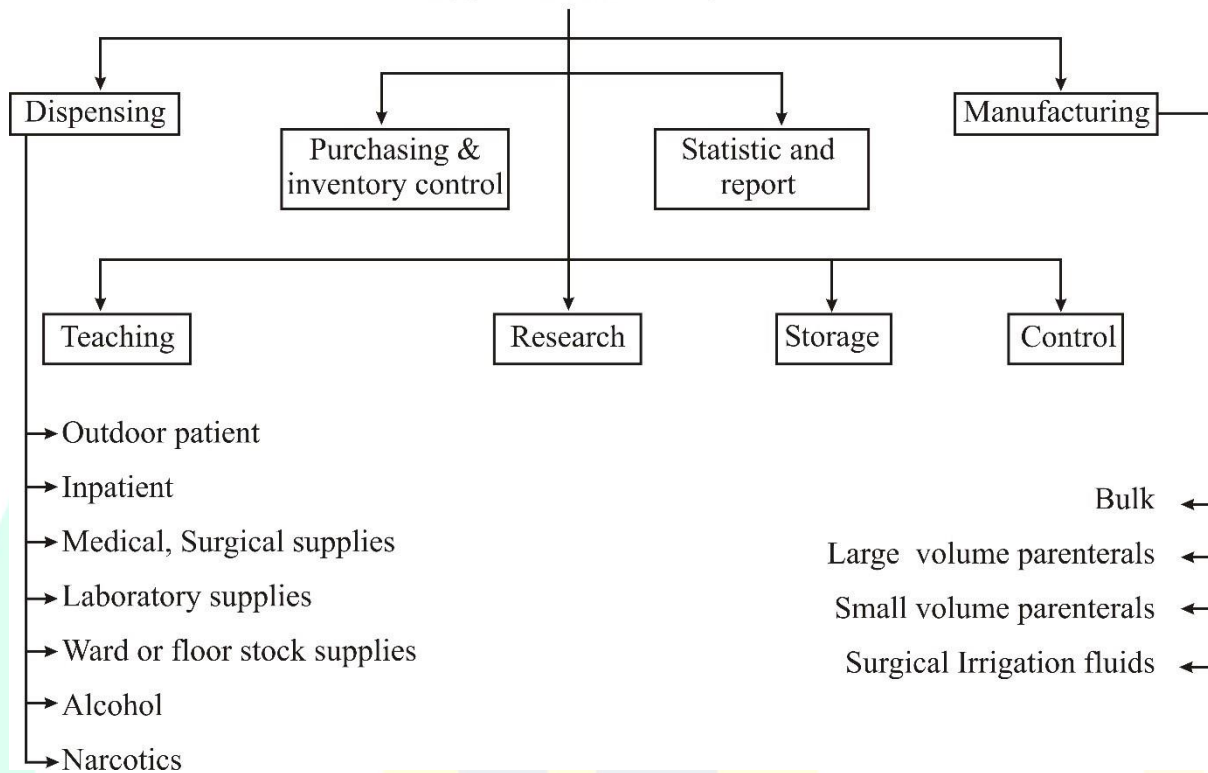
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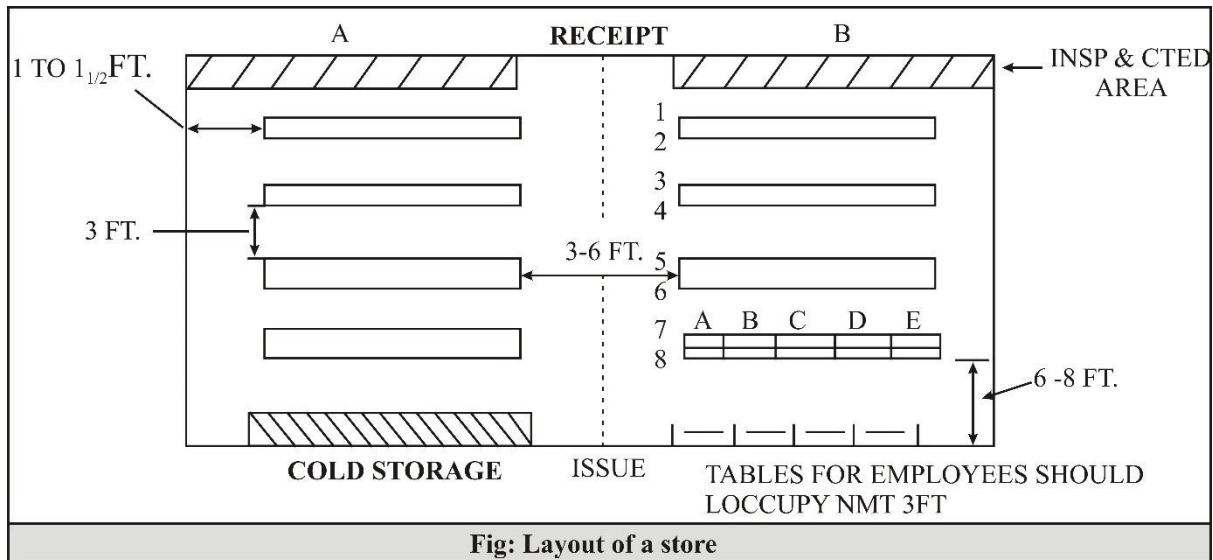


**Requirement on the basis of Bed Strength
(Area in sq. Feet) (B-No. Of beds)**

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|--------------|---|-------------|--|
| Store room | Dispensary | Office | Manufacturing of compressed tablets and capsules |
| 100 B - 450 | 100 B - 350 | 100 B - 110 | for tablets |
| 300 B - 1000 | 300 B - 500 | 300 B - 150 | 700 B - 900 |
| 700 B - 2400 | 700 B - 800 | 700 B - 200 | for capsules |
| | 5 | 6 | 700 B - 200 |
| | Manufacturing under aseptic condition for eye drops, eye lotions and other preparation for external use | Parenterals | |
| | 300 B - 250 | 300 B - 600 | |
| | 700 B - 250 | 700 B - 600 | |

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Types of Material Stocked

- Poisons , Narcotics & psychotropic & schedule X drugs should be stored separately under lock & key.
- Vaccines and other thermolabile drugs are required to be stored at cold stores 2 C – 10 C.
- Antibiotics , vitamins , liver preparations etc , should be stored at cool temperature (15 C to 20 C)

| STORAGE CONDITIONS | | |
|--------------------|--|--|
| CONDITIONS | TEMPERATURE | EXAMPLES |
| Cold storage | 2 C – 8 C | Sera , vaccines , whole human blood , normal human plasma , insulin preparation etc. |
| Cool temperature | 8 C – 25 C | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Penicillin preparation , tetracycline preparations etc. • Vitamin preparations (A, B1, B2 , B6 , C , D) • Vitamin K injection • Vitamin K preparations • Heparin injection • Anaesthetic ether |
| Room temperature | Temperature prevailing in working area | |
| Warm | 30 C – 40 C | |
| Excessive heat | Above 40 C | |

Inventory Control -Drug store management is based on principles of a inventory control.

Techniques of Inventory controls

The commonest and most widely used tools and techniques which are applied fro – planning , acquisition , storage movement and control of materials in a hospital are –




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|-------|--|---|-------|-----------|-------------------------|---|-------|-------|---|-------|-------|---|-------|------|
| 1 | A.B.C analysis | Basic tool with selective approach for concentration upon item .according to this items classified into 3 category <table border="1" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Class</th> <th>% of Item</th> <th>% of Annual Expenditure</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>A</td> <td>10-15</td> <td>70-80</td> </tr> <tr> <td>B</td> <td>20-25</td> <td>15-20</td> </tr> <tr> <td>C</td> <td>60-70</td> <td>5-15</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | Class | % of Item | % of Annual Expenditure | A | 10-15 | 70-80 | B | 20-25 | 15-20 | C | 60-70 | 5-15 |
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| B | 20-25 | 15-20 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| C | 60-70 | 5-15 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | V.E.D. analysis (V = Vital) (E = Essential) (D = Desirable) | VED analysis is based on the importance of the item and its effect on the functioning and efficiency of hospital. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vital drugs – These are those drugs whose absence can not be tolerated • Essential Drugs – these are those drugs without which hospital can function but may affect the quality.of service. • Desirable Drugs – These are those drugs whose absence will not affect the functioning of hospital. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | EOQ (Economic Order Quantity) | It is the quantity of material to be ordered at one time which minimizes the cost | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | Lead time | It is the time taken between the placing of order and receipt of drugs to the departments. Longer the lead time the larger the safety stock. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | Buffer stock | Buffer stock is used in emergency to meet the unforeseen demands. Buffer stock = (maximum consumption rate /day average – consumption rate / day) x lead time | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Drug distribution system

Out Patient services – it refers to patients not occupying the bed in a hospital clinics .Out patient is known as O.P.D

Hospitals generally break down their out patient load into three categories

| | |
|----------------------|--|
| Emergency | Person given emergency or accidental care for conditions which require immediate medical attention. |
| Referred out patient | He is referred directly to out patient department by his attending medical practioner for specific treatment |
| Primary care | It describes range of services adequate for meeting the great majority . |
| Ambulatory patient | An ambulatory patient is able to walk and since outpatient receive primary health care and walk off , they are wrongly called ambulatory patients .majority of the outpatients are ambulatory. |

STERILISATION

- **Sterilization** is a process in which all viable life forms are either killed or removed.
- **Aseptic technique:** Procedure that exclude the excess of viable microorganisms into the products.
- **D-Value or Decimal Reduction Time:** Time in minutes at any defined temperature to destroy 90% of viable organism.
- **Z-value or Thermal Destruction Time:** Number of degree of temperature change to produce a tenfold change in D-value.

| | |
|-----------------------------|---|
| 7. Salicylates | Do not take on empty stomach |
| 8. Chewable Antacid Tablets | Do not swallow, Chew them. |
| 9. Ophthalmic Preparation | If there is itching or burning, the patient is advised to discontinue use or consult the physician. |

Normal Values Showing Hematologic Parameters

| TYPE OF PARAMETER | MEN | WOMAN | CHILDREN |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1. R.B.C Count | 4.5 to 5.5 Million/mm ³ | 3.5 Million/mm ³ | 4.00 to 5.5 Million/mm ³ |
| 2. W.B.C. Count | Normal range is from 4000-11000 cell | | |

W.B.C differential analysis gives the distribution of five major leucocytes:

| W.B.C. | % COUNT | ACTURE COUNT |
|-----------------|---------|--------------|
| i. Basophils | 0-1% | 0-100 |
| ii. Eosinophil | 1-4% | 40-400 |
| iii. Monocytes | 4-8% | 160-800 |
| iv. Lymphocytes | 23-35% | 1000-3500 |
| v. Neutrophils | 60-70% | 2500-7000 |

| TYPE OF PARAMETER | MEN | WOMAN | CHILDREN |
|--|---|---------------|----------------|
| 3. Thrombocytes (Platelets) | The normal range for plateletes is 1,50,000 to 3,00,000 / mm ³ | | |
| 4. Hemoglobin | | | |
| | 13-18 g/dl | 11.5-16.5g/dl | 7.5-14.5g/dl |
| 5. E.S.R | 0-15±1 | 0-20±1 | 0.13±1 mm/1 hr |
| 6. Clotting time of Blood – Clotting time is 4-9 minutes at 37°C | | | |

Abnormal variations appear in the urine sample whenever there s pathological condition of the body.

The following table shows the small constituents and their related disorders.

| ABNORMAL CONSTITUENT | DISORDERS |
|---|---|
| 1. Sugar (glucose) | Diabetes mellitus, endocrine disorder |
| 2. Proteins (Albumin) Normal (50-80 mg/L) | If albumin is present in urine, it can be due to kidney damage |
| 3. Bile pigments like bilirubin | Jaundice |
| 4. Ketone bodies (Acetone, acetoacetic acid, normal (3-15 mg in 24 hrs) | Diabetes mellitus, Starvation, ketosis |
| 5. Blood cells | Haematuria, T.B., cancer, acute inflammation of urinary organs, haemolysis. |

Generally urine is examined physically, chemically and microscopically. Various physical tests like volume, appearance, pH, specific gravity are performed to obtain basic information of certain systemic diseases.

| TEST | NORMAL VALUE | RELATED DISORDERS |
|-----------|-------------------------|---|
| 1. Volume | 700-2500 ml (in adults) | Increase in -Polyuria -Diabetes millitus, -Diabetes insipidus Decrease -Diarrhea |

Drug Interactions Involving Over The Counter Preparation and Common Diet-Drug Interactions

| DRUG/DIET | INTERACTING DRUG | DRUG INTERACTION |
|--|--|---|
| 1. Antacid like sodium bicarbonate, sodium citrate | Salicylates, phenobarbitone | Increased elimination due to alkalization of urine. |
| 2. Antacids (Aluminium salts) | Iron | Decreased iron absorption. |
| 3. Caffeine | Anti-inflammatory drugs- Aspirin, indomethacin, phenylbutazone | Increased anti-inflammatory action. |
| 4. Ethanol | Folic acid | Ethanol may cause folic acid deficiency due to reduced folate absorption. |

| DIET | INTERACTING DRUG | DRUG INTERACTION |
|---------------------------|--|---|
| Ethanol | Paracetamol | Enhanced hepato toxicity of paracetamol. |
| Alcohol | Aspirin | Synergistic effect of alcohol and aspirin on the mucosal coating of stomach. |
| Aspirin | Indomethacin | Reduced absorption of indomethacin from G.I tract. |
| Aspirin | Penicillin | Reduces the elimination of penicillin from the body. |
| Almond, dairy products | Tetracyclines, antibiotics | Reduced therapeutic effect, increased gastrointestinal disturbances. |
| Q. Cold beverage, aerated | Penicillin G Cloxacillin, Erythromycin | Therapeutic effect is decreased in acidic environment due to decomposition of drug. |
| 1. Curd | Tetracycline | Reduce therapeutic effect. |
| 2. Fruit juices | Cloxacillin Erythromycin Penicillin G | Therapeutic effect is decreased in acidic environment due to decomposition |
| 3. Green vegetable | Antibiotics | Reduced therapeutic effect and increased gastrointestinal disturbance. |
| 4. Sugar | Hypoglycaemics | Blocks drug action |
| 5. Leafy vegetable | Anticoagulants | Anti-coagulant gets cancelled effect |

List of the Drugs Administered to the Mother and their Effect on the Foetus

| DRUGS (PREGNANT WOMEN) | CAN LEAD TO (IN FOETUS) |
|--|--|
| A. ANALGESICS 1. Narcotics 2. Salicylates | 1. Withdrawal syndrome 2. Decreased hyperbilirubin 1. Increased structural abnormality 2. Platelet dysfunction 3. Decreased factor XII |
| B. ANAESTHETICS 1. General 2. Local | Respiratory depression Respiratory depression, bradycardia, Acidosis, methemoglobinemia |
| C. ANTIBIOTICS 1. Isoniazid 2. Nitrofurantoin | Encephalopathy Haemolysis |

| | | |
|--|---|---|
| Cyathus vinousus E lacte Ex aqua Dexter Laevus Parti affectae applicandus Partibus affectis Sinister Auri Naso Oculis Pro oculis | cyath, vin. e lact. ex aq. Isin dext. laev. p.a.a. lino p.a. sinist. auri ocul. pro ocul. | A wineglass With milk With water Right Left To be applied on the affected part To the affected parts Left To the ear To the Nose To the eyes For the eyes |
|--|---|---|

| LATIN TERM | ABBREVIATION | ENGLISH MEANING |
|--|--|---|
| Time of Administration of Application | | |
| (a) Times per day Semel in die Bis in die, Bis die Ter in die, Ter die Quater in die Sexies in die Bis terve in die Ter quaterve die Quotidie Ter quotidie | sem. in die b.i.d., b.d. t.i.d., t.d. q.i.d., q.d. sex in d. b.t.i.d t.q.d. ter quot. jonb quot. | Once a day Twice a day Three times a day Four times a day Six times a day Two or three times a day Three or four times a day Daily Three times daily |
| (b) Parts of the Day Primo mane Mane Omni mane Jentaculum Nocte Inter noctem Omni nocte Hora somni Nocte et mane Nocte maneque Hac nocte | prim. m. m. o.m. jentac. n. inter noct. o.n. h.s. n. et. m. n.m. hac noct. | Early in the morning In the morning Every morning Breakfast At night During the night Every night At bedtime Night and morning Night and morning To night |
| (c) Hour time Omni hora, Quaque hora Omni quarta hora, Quaque quarta hora Singulis horis Alternis horis Tertis horis Quartis horis Sextis horis | o.h., qq.h. o.q.h. qq.q.h. sing. hor. alt. hor. tert. hor. quart. hor. sext. hor. | Every hour Every fourth hour Every hour Every two hours Every three hours Every four hours Every six hours |

PHARMACEUTICAL ENGINEERING

SIZE REDUCTION

DEFINITION

It is a unit operation in which reduction of materials to coarse particle or to fine powder before formulate into suitable dosage form.

Comminution, grinding, milling, pulverizing are other terms used for size reduction.

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES

1. It increases surface area of the particle, hence increases rate of dissolution and absorption and bioavailability, and therefore increases therapeutic efficacy.
2. It facilitates mixing and drying by milling by increase surface area.
3. In ophthalmic, aerosol, inhalation and parenteral preparation where controlled particle size is required which facilitate by size reduction.

Factors affecting size reduction

1. **Hardness:** Harder the material, more difficult to reduce its size.
2. **Toughness:** Soft but tough material creates problem in size reduction and its toughness is reduced by decrease temperature.
3. **Stickness:** Gum and resinous substances cause problem in size reduction.
4. **Moisture content:** <5% moisture suitable for dry grinding and >50% for wet grinding.

| TYPE OF MILL | ACTION | PRODUCT SIZE | USED FOR | NOT USED FOR |
|--------------|----------------------|------------------|---|--------------------------|
| Cutter | Cutting | 20- to 80-mesh | Fibrous, Crude animal and vegetable drugs | Friable materials |
| Revolving | Attrition and impact | 20- to 200-mesh | Fine grinding of abrasive material | Soft material |
| Hammer | Impact | 4- to 325 - mesh | Almost all drugs | Abrasive material |
| Roller | Compression | 20- to 200-mesh | Soft material | Abrasive material |
| Attrition | Attrition | 20- to 200- mesh | Soft and fibrous material | Abrasive material |
| Fluid-energy | Attrition and impact | 1 to 30 μ m | Moderately hard and friable material | Soft and Sticky material |

MECHANISM OF SIZE REDUCTION

| METHOD/ PRINCIPLE | COMMON EQUIPMENT | APPROX PARTICLE SIZE (MICRON) |
|----------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Cutting | Cutter mill | 100–80000 |
| Compression | Roller mill | 50–10000 |
| Impact | Hammer mill | 50–8000 |
| Attrition | Colloid mill, Roller mill | 1–50 |
| Impact and Attrition | Ball mill, Fluid energy mill | 1–2000 |

SIZE SEPARATION

Particle Size Separation by Different Method

| SIZE SEPARATION METHOD | PARTICLE DIAMETER (MICRON) |
|------------------------|----------------------------|
| Sieving | 5–10000 |
| Sedimentation | 5–1000 |

HUMIDITY MEASUREMENT

1. Gravimetric Method—It is the most accurate mean for humidity measurement. But it is slow and cumbersome.

Procedure—A known amount of air is passed over a previously weighed moisture-absorbing chemical such as Phosphorous Pentoxide and the resultant increase in weight of chemical is measured.

2. Temperature Based—These methods are rapid comparative to Gravimetric method.

- Wet-bulb temperature determination method— Instrument used is Sling Psychrometer.
- Dew point temperature determination method

3. Hygrometer—It uses certain materials whose properties changes on contact with air of different relative humidities.

- Loss on Drying (LOD)—It is a method of expressing water content in solids on wet weight basis.
- $\% \text{ LOD} = (\text{Weight of water in sample} / \text{Total weight of wet sample}) \times 100$
- LOD of wet sample is often determined by moisture balance.

Moisture Content (MC)-

- $\% \text{ MC} = (\text{Weight of water in sample} / \text{weight of Dry sample}) \times 100$
- LOD values can vary in any solid-fluid mixture from slightly above 0% to slightly below 100% but MC values can change from slightly above 0% and approach infinity.

THEORY OF DRYING

1. Equilibrium moisture content (E.M.C.)

- It is the number of pounds of water per pound of dry solid at any given temperature and humidity.
- This E.M.C. is low for non-porous solids and zero for sand, china clay and higher for fibrous and colloidal organic substances.

2. Bound moisture (bound water) -It is present as liquid in solids which exert vapour pressure less than of pure liquid at same temperature. The substance containing bound water is called Hygroscopic.

3. Free moisture content-It is amount of water removed from wet solid under given condition.

Free moisture content = Total pound of water of dry solid—E.M.C.

4. Unbound moisture

It exerts its full vapour pressure and held in voids of solid. Bound and Unbound water depend on property of material itself while E.M.C depend on particular conditions.

DRYER EQUIPMENTS (ACCORDING TO ITS PRINCIPLE)

A. Convection dryer

| NAME OF DRYER | CHARACTERISTICS AND USED FOR | NOT USED FOR |
|---------------------------------------|--|--|
| Tray dryer (shelf dryer) | Drying of chemical, powder, crude drugs, equipments, tablet granules. | Continuous process only batch process. |
| Fluidized Bed dryer (FBD) | Short Drying time (30 min), drying of tablet granules, plastic material, coal, inorganic salt, in fertilizer also. | It produces explosion and attrition. Only for batch process. |
| Tunnel dryer (belt or conveyor dryer) | Drying of paraffin wax, gelatin, soap | Not for Batch process. |
| Rotary dryer (modified tunnel) | Drying of powder and granular solid. | Not for Batch process. |



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Crystallization equipment: According to super saturation method

| CRYSTALLIZER | METHOD | USES AND CHARACTERISTICS |
|----------------------------|---------|---|
| Tank Crystallizer | Cooling | Glober salts, synthetic sponge, for only batch process |
| SwensonWalker Crystallizer | Cooling | It has spiral agitator run at 7 rpm for to prevent accumulation of crystal. |

| CRYSTALLIZER | METHOD | USES AND CHARACTERISTICS |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|---|
| Krystal crystallizer | Cooling | |
| Krystal evaporator/ OLSO crystallizer | Evaporation | |
| Magma crystallizer | Evaporation | Propeller agitator used to lift magma. Not used when refrigeration temperature required to obtain good yield or solution has large B.P elevation and not used for salt which has flat solubility curve. |

EVAPORATION

It is simply vaporization from surface of liquid. Means the removal of liquid from solution by boiling the liquor in suitable vessel and withdrawing vapour, leaving concentrate liquid residue and heat supply is latent heat of vaporization.

Factors Affecting Evaporation

- 1. Surface area of liquid:** Greater the surface exposed to evaporation higher will be the rate of evaporation like in film evaporator.
- 2. Temperature:** Higher the temperature, higher will be evaporation.
- 3. Agitation:** It breaks scum or layer and increase rate of evaporation.

EVAPORATION EQUIPMENTS (EVAPORATOR)

| EVAPORATOR | PRINCIPLE | CHARACTERISTIC AND USE |
|--|---------------------|--|
| Evaporating pan | Natural circulation | It contain liner as pan and use for aqueous and thermo-stable liquor |
| Vacuum pan | Natural circulation | Use for thermo labile materials. |
| Evaporating stills | Natural circulation | Use for thermo labile materia |
| Horizontal tube evaporator | Natural circulation | Use for liquor that do not crystallize and not form scale and non viscous. |
| Vertical tube evaporator (CALENDRIA) | Natural circulation | Use in sugar industry, concentrate cascara extract and not for foamy liquid. |
| Vertical tube (basket type) evaporator.) | Natural circulation | Use for sugar, salts and heavy chemical. |

| EVAPORATOR | PRINCIPLE | CHARACTERISTIC AND USE |
|--|---------------------|---|
| Falling film evaporator | Natural circulation | Use for viscous liquid and when high percentage of evaporation is required. |
| Wiped/Rotary film evaporator (AHSO LUWA) | Natural circulation | Its modified falling film evaporator Use for highly viscous liquid. |

CENTRIFUGATION

CENTRIFUGATION

It is a unit operation employed for separating the constituents present in dispersion with aid of centrifugal force.

CLASSIFICATION OF CENTRIFUGE

| TYPE | CHARACTERISTIC AND USE |
|--------------------------|---|
| Sedimentation centrifuge | Used for blood plasma separation, preparation of bacterial enzyme, manufacturing of insulin. Used for clarification of olive and fish liver oil |
| Filtration centrifuge | Used for obtained anhydrous product. |
| Ultracentrifuge | Used in colloidal research for separate solid from liquid. r.p.m-85000 |
| Angle centrifuge | 45–50 angle |
| High speed centrifuge | r.p.m-10000 |

EQUIPMENT

| NAME | PRINCIPLE | CHARACTERISTICS AND USES |
|--|---------------|--|
| Perforated basket type | Filtration | Used for separating crystalline drug like aspirin. |
| NonPerforated basket type | Sedimentation | Used when deposited solids offer high resistance to flow. |
| Short cycle automated batch centrifuge | Filtration | Semi-continuous type. |
| Horizontal centrifuge | Sedimentation | Used for slurries contains 0.5 to 50% solids. |
| Super centrifuge | Sedimentation | Used for separating liquid phase of emulsion. |
| De Laval Clarifier | Sedimentation | Used in manufacture of antibiotics Separation of cream from milk, concentration of rubber wax removing solids from oils, inks. |

| RADIATION SOURCE | WAVELENGTH | APPLICATION |
|--|----------------------|--|
| IR lamp | 1 μm | High intensity radiation |
| Ceramic rods and panels Heated by gas or electricity | 2 to 4 μm | Pharmaceutical purpose, thermo labile substance. |

HEAT AND MASS TRANSFER

Heat flow from high region temperature to lower region temperature. According to principle of thermodynamic, whenever physical or chemical transformation occurs, heat flows into or leaves the system.

MECHANISM

1. Conduction - When heat flow in body is achieved by transfer of momentum of individual atoms or molecule without mixing. This mechanism is based on Fourier's law.

Fourier's law - It states that the rate of heat flow through a uniform material is proportional to the area and temperature drop and inversely proportional to length of path of flow.

FLOW OF FLUIDS

It is the flow of substance that does not permanently resist distortion.

Manometers - These are the devices which are use for measuring the pressure difference.

1. Simple manometer: It helps in measuring the consumption of gases in the chemical reaction.

2. Differential manometer (two-fluid U-tube manometer): It useful for measuring small gas pressure.

Critical velocity - It is defined as average velocity of any fluid at which viscous flow changes into turbulent flow.

Reynolds number - It is used for measurement and type of flow determination.

$Re = D \times u \times \text{density of liquid} / \text{Viscosity of fluid}$

D = diameter of pipe, u = Average velocity

When $Re < 2000$ then flow is laminar or viscous or streamline

$Re > 4000$ then flow is turbulent

Re is 2000–4000 then flow is laminar or turbulent

Bernoulli's Theorem - When principle of conservation of energy is applied to the flow of fluids, the resulting is called as Bernoulli's Theorem.

MEASUREMENT OF RATE OF FLOW OF FLUIDS

1. Direct weighing or measuring
2. Hydrodynamic methods

| NAME | CHARACTERISTIC AND USE |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Orifice meter (variable head meter) | Normally used for testing purpose like for steam, lines. |
| Venturi meter (variable head meter) | Used in on-line installation and for measurement of gases. |
| Pitot tube (insertion meter) | It measures the velocity at one point only. |
| Rotameter (area meter) | It use in bulk drugs chemical industries and in fermenters for control of air supply |

Valves - These are used to control the rate of flow of fluids in a pipeline.

| NAME | CHARACTERISTIC AND USE |
|------------------|---|
| Plug Cocks valve | Use for handling compressed air |
| Globe valve | It contain seat ring and used in |
| Gate valve | It contains inclined seat type of gate. |
| Diaphragm valve | The rubber diaphragm coated with PTFE (polytetra fluoroethylene) is used. Used for fluid containing suspended solids and in production of sterile product. |

Pumps - These are mechanical devices use to increase the pressure energy of a liquid.

A. Reciprocating pumps:- These are used for injection of inhibitors in polymerization units and corrosion inhibitors to high pressure system.

| NAME | CHARACTERISTIC AND USE |
|----------------|--|
| Piston pump | Used in peristaltic and HPLC pumps and for spray system in sugar coating and film coating operations. |
| Plunger pump | Used for handling liquids at high pressure. Used for transport viscous liquid and liquid contain suspended solids. |
| Diaphragm pump | Used in transporting liquid containing solids. Hazardous, toxic and corrosive liquids can also handle. |

- **Vacuoles** →
 - Vacuoles are sap-filled vesicles in the cytoplasm. These are surrounded by a membrane called tonoplast.
 - It facilitates the rapid exchange of solutes and gases between the cytoplasm and adjoining fluids.

TISSUE CULTURE

- Tissue culture is the method of 'in vitro' culture of plant or animal cells, tissue or organ – on nutrient medium under aseptic conditions usually in a glass container.
- Tissue culture is sometimes referred to as 'sterile culture' or 'in vitro' culture.
- **Single cell cloning** → Culture of single cell.
- **Explant** → portion of the plant
- **Clone** → Culture derived from a single explant
- **Inoculum** → A small amount of substance containing bacteria from a pure culture which is used to start a new culture or to infect an experimental animal.

TYPES OF CULTURES

- **Plant culture** → If a seedling is cultured
- **Embryo culture** → an embryo is cultured
- **Organ culture** → shoot tips, root tips, leaf primordia, flower primordia or immature fruits are cultured.
- **Callus culture** → culture of unorganized tissues from cell proliferations of segments of plant organs is called callus culture.
- **Suspension culture/ cell culture** → When a single cell or small cell aggregate in a dispersed state is cultured.
- ❖ **Somatic hybridization** → The fused protoplast is grown in vitro with an aim to obtain a hybrid plant. So, the in vitro fusion of plant protoplasts derived either from somatic cell of same plant or from two genetically different plants.
- ❖ **Somato-gametic hybridization** → The protoplasts from vegetative cell and gametic cell are fused.
- ❖ **Somatic embryogenesis** → the process in which a single cell or a small group of cells follow a developmental pathway that leads to reproducible regeneration of non-zygotic embryos which are capable of producing a complete plant.

ENZYME IMMOBILIZATION

- Immobilization of enzymes (or cells) refers to the technique of confining/anchoring the enzymes (or cells) in or on an inert support for their stability and functional reuse.
- By employing this technique, enzymes are made more efficient and cost-effective for their industrial use.

• **Methods of immobilization**

Physical methods-

- Entrapment
- Adsorption
- Microencapsulation

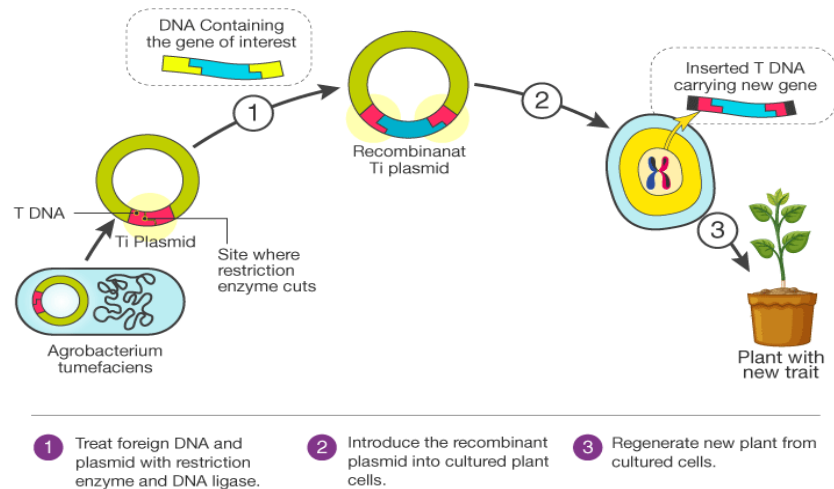
Chemical methods-

- Covalent bonding
- Cross-linking

• **Applications of immobilized enzymes**

- ✓ Manufacture of commercial products
- ✓ Production of L-amino acids
- ✓ Production of high fructose syrup
- ✓ Glucose isomerase
- ✓ Biochemical analysis

1. Isolation of genetic material
2. Cutting of DNA at specific locations
3. Recombinant DNA formation
4. Cloning of DNA



Enzymes used in recombinant DNA technology

1. **DNA ligase** → The enzyme DNA ligase joins the DNA fragments with cloning vector.
2. **Reverse transcriptase:**
 - RT is used to synthesize complementary strand (cDNA) from mRNA template.
 - It is also known as RNA dependent DNA polymerase.
3. **Restriction endonuclease**
 - Restriction endonuclease enzyme recognize and cut DNA strand at specific sequence called restriction site.
 - There are 3 types of restriction endonuclease:
 - **Type I Restriction endonuclease** → It has both methylation and endonuclease activity.
 - **Type II Restriction endonuclease** → It cuts DNA at restriction site itself
 - **Type III Restriction endonuclease** → It cuts DNA about 25bp away from restriction site.
4. **Terminal transferase** → It is the enzyme that converts blunt end of DNA fragments into sticky end.
5. **Nuclease** →
 - The enzyme nucleases hydrolyses the phosphodiester bond on DNA strand creating 3'-OH group and 5'-P group.
 - Nuclease are of two types; endonuclease and exonuclease
6. **DNA polymerase** → DNA polymerase is a complex enzyme which synthesize nucleotide complementary to template strand. It adds nucleotide to free 3' OH end and help in elongation of strand.
7. **Ribonuclease-H (RNase H)** → RNase-H removes mRNA from DNA-RNA heteroduplex and that mRNA is used to synthesize cDNA.
8. **Alkaline phosphatase** → removal of terminal phosphate group from 5' end.
9. **Polynucleotide kinase** → It adds phosphate group from ATP molecule to terminal 5' end after dephosphorylation by alkaline phosphatase.

POLYMERASE CHAIN REACTION

- PCR or Polymerase Chain Reaction is a technique used in molecular biology to create several copies of a certain DNA segment.
- This technique was developed in 1983 by Kary Mullis, an American biochemist.
- **Principle of PCR**