

**Third Year B.Pharm Degree Supplementary Examinations**  
**November 2018**  
**Pharmaceutics - IV**  
**(Biopharmaceutics and Pharmacokinetics)**  
**(2012 Scheme)**

**Time: 3 Hours****Total Marks: 100**

- Answer all Questions.
- Write equations wherever necessary.

**Essays****(3x10=30)**

1. Define biotransformation and discuss phase I and phase II reactions with examples
2. Discuss in detail the methods of expressing and measuring bioavailability.
3. Discuss the modes of drug transport across biological barriers.

**Short notes****(14x5=70)**

4. Any two physicochemical factors affecting drug absorption
5. Entero-hepatic circulation
6. Non-renal excretion of drugs
7. Michaelis-Menten equation
8. Plasma protein binding and its significance
9. Causes of non-linearity in pharmacokinetics
10. Pharmacokinetics of one compartmental model for drug given by extra vascular route
11. *In vitro-in vivo* correlation- significance
12. Loading dose
13. Method of determining elimination rate constant in continuous intravenous administration
14. Dosage adjustment in renal dysfunction
15. Hepatic clearance
16. Significance of  $C_{max}$  and AUC
17. Compartmental modeling

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