

M.Sc. Chemistry (Final Year)  
Specialisation: Chemistry and analysis of Foods, Drugs and Water syllabus  
III SEMESTER  
( For the batch during the academic year 2020-2021 )

**Paper -I: Chemistry of Drugs -I**

**Unit-I :** Basic consideration of drugs : Classification , nomenclature, metabolism. Development of drugs : Sources , Genesis of drugs - molecular modification general and special processes: prodrugs (prolongation of action ,shortening of action, drug localisation, transport regulation, adjunct to pharmaceutical formulation); rational drug design. Theoretical aspects of drug action: Structure-activity, Physicochemical parameters and pharmacological activity; drug receptors; mechanism of drug action.

**Unit-II :** Drugs affecting the central nervous system: Sedatives and hypnotics - Barbiturates (structure-activity relationship, metabolism); benzodiazepines( structure - activity relationship, metabolism); miscellaneous compounds. Synthesis of phenobarbital, hexobarbital nitrazepam and oxazepam. Anaesthetics : General anesthetics; local anesthetics- Mode of action, structure-activity relationships. Synthesis of methohexital and chloro-procaine. Analgesics: synthetic analgetics, structure - activity relationships, antipyretic analgetics, anti- inflammatory analgetics, metabolism and mode of action. opioid analgesics and antagonists. Synthesis of meperidine , methadone and 6,7 -benzomorphans. Tranquilizers : phenothiazine derivatives - structure- activity relationship, metabolism and mode of action; other tranquilizers. Synthesis of chlorpromazine.

**Unit-III:** Drugs acting on autonomous nervous system (ANS). Adrenergic agents : Chemical classification, structure- activity relationship mode of action ; Adrenergic blocking agents: Synthesis Ephedrine , propranolol, methyl dopa ; cholinergic agents : Classification, structure - activity relationships- therapeutic actions. Cholinergic blocking agents: chemical classification. Synthesis: Cyclopentolate ganglionic blocking agents.

**Unit-IV:** Drugs curing allergic and urinary infection: Antihistaminics : chemical classification ; metabolism, structure -activity relationship, mode of action. Synthesis : Diphenhydramine, triprolidine , chlorcyclizine , promethazine. Diuretics ( Drugs acting on renal system): Classification, structure- activity relationships and mode of action of organomercurials, phenoxy acetic acids, purines carbonic anhydrase inhibitors, benzothiadiazines , sulphonamide benzoic acid derivatives, endocrine antagonists. Synthesis : Furosemide , acetazolamide , furosemide.

### **Books Recommended for paper-I**

1. Essentials of medicinal chemistry , eds., Korolkovas and Burkhaltar, J.H., John wiley & sons .
2. Text book of Organic medicinal and pharmaceutical chemistry by wilson and Gisvold.
3. Synthetic drugs by O. D. Tyagi.

### **References :**

1. Swinyard, E.A., " Remington's phramaceutical sciences " , Ed., Artor Osal, Mack publishing company co., 1980, p.873.
2. "Medicinal Chemistry " Volumes, ed. Burger.
3. The Organic Chemistry of Drug synthesis by Daniel Lednicer and Lester A. Mitscher

**Note : The above highlighted unit shall be studied under self study cum assignment mode by the students and considered for mid-II examination**