



ANDHRA UNIVERSITY TRANS-DISCIPLINARY RESEARCH HUB

ADVANCED PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMISTRY

Unit 1

Nucleophilic substitution reactions- SN1, SN2 including their mechanisms, Elimination reactions- E1 and E2 including their mechanisms.

Unit 2

Named reactions:

Michael addition, Mannich reaction, Bayer Villager oxidation, Oppenauer oxidation and their applications in organic synthesis.

Unit 3

Reagents and their applications:

Lithium aluminium tetrahydride, Sodiumborohydride, N Bromosuccinamide and Diazomethane

Unit 4

General methods of Isolation of alkaloids, Identification tests and general methods used in their structural determination.

Unit 5

Cardiac glycosides: Isolation, Methods of hydrolysis and structural features.

Marine natural products with therapeutic potential.

Unit 6

Pro drugs and soft drugs:

Objectives of pro drug design and strategies of design of pro drugs

Unit 7

Types of receptors, Binding forces, theories of drug action.

Unit 8

Anti viral and Anti HIV drugs, Anti hypertensive drugs. Antipsychotics and Antidepressants.



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MODEL QUESTION PAPER

Time: 3 hours

(Max Marks: 100)

Answer any five questions- All questions carry equal marks.

- 1) What do you understand by the terms SN1 and SN2? Explain with suitable examples the mechanistic features of these reactions.
- 2) Discuss the mechanism and applications of:
 - a) Mannich reaction.
 - b) Oppenauer oxidation
- 3) Give an account of the applications of Lithium aluminium tetrahydride in organic synthesis.
- 4) What are alkaloids? Discuss the general methods of their structural determination.
- 5) What are soft drugs? Discuss with examples their advantages and disadvantages.
- 6) What are Anti depressants? Classify them with examples, Discuss the mode of action and SAR of tricyclic anti depressants. Outline the synthesis of imipramine.
- 7) What do you know of:
 - a) Marine natural products
 - b) Types of receptors.
- 8) Write short notes on
 - a) Prodrugs
 - b) Antihypertensive agents