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Term End Examination 2019 – 20

Programme – Bachelor of Pharmaceutical Technology

Course Name – Pharmaceutical Engineering

Course Code – BP304T

(Semester – 3)

Time allotted: 3 Hours

Full Marks: 75

[The figure in the margin indicates full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.]

Group – A

(Multiple Choice Type Question)

20 x 1 = 20

1. Answer all the questions
 - (i) “Impact” is the mechanism of size reduction for which of the following mill?
 - a. Roller mill
 - b. Cutter mill
 - c. Hammer mill
 - d. Fluid energy mill
 - (ii) In cyclone separator, a powder is separated depending on its-
 - a. Particle size
 - b. Density
 - c. Particle size and density
 - d. Shape
 - (iii) Preparation of fine emulsion from coarse emulsion is called as-
 - a. Homogenization
 - b. Size separation
 - c. Mixing
 - d. Creaming
 - (iv) The process of converting vapour from solid state is known as-
 - a. Evaporation
 - b. Distillation
 - c. Sterilization
 - d. Sublimation
 - (v) The major mechanism of mixing in sigma blade is-
 - a. Convective mixing
 - b. Diffusive mixing
 - c. Shear force
 - d. Tumbling

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- (vi) Size reduction of a brittle thermolabile substance should be done by-
- a. Cutter mill
 - b. Hammer mill
 - c. Colloid mill
 - d. Fluid energy mill
- (vii) Which one of the following mill is not suitable for the thermo labile materials?
- a. Cutter mill
 - b. Hammer mill
 - c. Colloid mill
 - d. All of the above
- (viii) Size separation is not based on -
- a. Particle density
 - b. Particle shape
 - c. Particle size
 - d. Particle texture
- (ix) Which of the following dryer is known as lyophilizer?
- a. Fluidized bed dryer
 - b. Freeze dryer
 - c. Spray dryer
 - d. Vacuum dryer
- (x) Distillation involves -
- a. Vapourization
 - b. Vapourization and condensation
 - c. Condensation and crystallization
 - d. Crystallization and drying
- (xi) Claisen flask contains ____ number of necks.
- a. One
 - b. Two
 - c. Three
 - d. Four
- (xii) For membrane filters, which pore size is effective to remove all the bacteria?
- a. 0.55μ
 - b. 0.44μ
 - c. 0.30μ
 - d. 0.2μ
- (xiii) Filtration is an unit operation commonly used for collecting-
- a. Filtrate
 - b. Particulate matter
 - c. Precipitate
 - d. Slurry
- (xiv) Which one of the following is not a mechanism of filtration?
- a. Entanglement
 - b. Impact
 - c. Impingement
 - d. Straining
- (xv) Which of the following filter is made of polypropylene?
- a. Cartridge filter
 - b. Leaf filter
 - c. Membrane filter
 - d. Rotary drum filter

- (xvi) The velocity of centrifuge is commonly expressed in terms of the following units-
- Diameter of the rotation
 - Meter per second square
 - Meter square per second
 - Revolutions per minute
- (xvii) Reynolds number is indicative of one of the following-
- Fluid flow type
 - Frictional factor
 - Pumping rate
 - Roughness of the pipe
- (xviii) In a pipe, laminar flow has a centre line velocity of 0.1 m/s. What is the average velocity?
- 5 cm/s
 - 10 cm/s
 - 15 cm/s
 - 20 cm/s
- (xix) Which one of the following does not require manometer in the construction of flow meters?
- Venturi meter
 - Pilot tube
 - Rotameter
 - Orifice meter
- (xx) Amber coloured glass gives special protection from-
- Hydrolysis
 - Oxidation
 - Photolysis
 - Reduction

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Group – B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

7 x 5 = 35

Answer any *seven* from the following

- Describe the factors affecting the selection of milling equipment for size reduction. 5
- With a neat diagram describe the construction and working of a hammer mill. 5
- Describe the specification of standard sieves as per I.P. 5
- With the help of a diagram, explain the construction and working of sigma blade mixer. 5
- With a neat diagram, explain the principle, construction and working of fluidized bed dryer. 5
- With a neat diagram briefly discuss about distillation under reduced pressure. 5
- Discuss the applications, advantages and limitations of different kind of plastics in pharmaceutical industry. 5
- Write a note on corrosion and its prevention. 3+2
- Define mixing. List out the applications of mixing in pharmaceutical field. 5

Group - C

(Long Answer Type Questions)

2 x 10 = 20

Answer any *two* from the following

- 11.. With a labelled diagram describe the principle, construction and working of Silverson emulsifier. 10
12. Define filtration. Describe Kozeny- Carman equation and give its significance. Explain the mechanisms of filtration. 1+3+6
13. With a neat diagram, briefly describe the principle, construction, working and use of supercentrifuge. 10
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