

**April 2025**  
**B.A./B.Sc.**  
**Fourth Semester**  
**SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE – 2**  
**CHEMISTRY**  
*Course Code: CHS 4.11*  
(Pharmaceutical Chemistry)

*Total Mark: 35*  
*Time: 2 hours*

*Pass Mark: 14*

*Answer two questions, taking one from each unit.*

**UNIT-I**

1. (a) Define drug discovery. What are the main phases involved in modern drug discovery? 1+5=6  
(b) What are antibiotics? Explain the synthesis of chloramphenicol? 2+3½=5½  
(c) Write a note on the following: 3×2=6
  - (i) Sulphacetamide
  - (ii) Aspirin
  
2. (a) What is drug? Explain the drug discovery with the phase involved in drug discovery? 2+4½=6½  
(b) What are antipyretic agents? Give the synthesis, uses and properties of paracetamol? 1+4=5  
(c) Briefly discuss the following: 2×3=6
  - (i) Sulphonamides
  - (ii) Drug design and development
  - (iii) Antibacterial agent

**UNIT-II**

3. (a) Write short notes on the following: 2×3=6
  - (i) Vitamin B<sub>12</sub>
  - (ii) Vitamin C
  - (iii) Chloromycetin

- (b) Discuss penicillin giving its deficiency and uses. Briefly elucidate the side effects of penicillin.  $3+2\frac{1}{2}=5\frac{1}{2}$
- (c) Discuss the classification and application of CNS agents. 6
4. (a) Explain the fermentation process for preparation of ethyl alcohol. What are its applications in pharmaceutical chemistry?  $4+2=6$
- (b) Describe the mechanism of action of application of dapsone as an anti-leprosy drug. What are its advantages and potential side effects?  $4+2=6$
- (c) Briefly explain the antibiotic classification of cephalosporin and its clinical application.  $5\frac{1}{2}$
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