

Course Outcomes: Upon successful completion of this course, the students will be able to

1. Perform the limit tests for various inorganic elements and report
2. Prepare standard solutions using the principles of volumetric analysis
3. Test the purity of the selected inorganic and organic compounds against the monograph standards
4. Synthesize the selected chemical substances as per the standard synthetic scheme
5. Perform qualitative tests to systematically identify the unknown chemical substances

Practicals

S. No.	Experiment
1	Limit test for <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chlorides; sulphate; Iron; heavy metals
2	Identification tests for Anions and Cations as per Indian Pharmacopoeia
3	Fundamentals of Volumetric analysis Preparation of standard solution and standardization of Sodium Hydroxide, Potassium Permanganate
4	Assay of the following compounds <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ferrous sulphate- by redox titration• Calcium gluconate-by complexometric• Sodium chloride-by Modified Volhard's method• Ascorbic acid by iodometry• Ibuprofen by alkalimetry
5	Fundamentals of preparative organic chemistry Determination of Melting point and boiling point of organic compounds
6	Preparation of organic compounds <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Benzoic acid from Benzamide• Picric acid from Phenol
7	Identification and test for purity of pharmaceuticals Aspirin, Caffeine, Paracetamol, Sulfanilamide
8	Systematic Qualitative analysis experiments (4 substances)

Assignments

The students shall be asked to submit the written assignments on the following topics (One assignment per student per sessional period. i.e., a minimum of THREE assignments per student)

1. Different monographs and formularies available and their major contents
2. Significance of quality control and quality assurance in pharmaceutical industries
3. Overview on Green Chemistry
4. Various software programs available for computer aided drug discovery
5. Various instrumentations used for characterization and quantification of drug

PHARMACOGNOSY – THEORY

Course Code: ER20-13T

75 Hours (3 Hours/week)

Scope: This course is designed to impart knowledge on the medicinal uses of various drugs of natural origin. Also, the course emphasizes the fundamental concepts in the evaluation of crude drugs, alternative systems of medicine, nutraceuticals, and herbal cosmetics.

Course Objectives: This course will discuss the following aspects of drug substances derived from natural resources.

1. Occurrence, distribution, isolation, identification tests of common phytoconstituents
2. Therapeutic activity and pharmaceutical applications of various natural drug substances and phytoconstituents
3. Biological source, chemical constituents of selected crude drugs and their therapeutic efficacy in common diseases and ailments
4. Basic concepts in quality control of crude drugs and various system of medicines
5. Applications of herbs in health foods and cosmetics

Course Outcomes: Upon successful completion of this course, the students will be able to

1. Identify the important/common crude drugs of natural origin
2. Describe the uses of herbs in nutraceuticals and cosmeceuticals
3. Discuss the principles of alternative system of medicines
4. Describe the importance of quality control of drugs of natural origin

Chapter	Topic	Hours
1	Definition, history, present status and scope of Pharmacognosy	2
2	Classification of drugs: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Alphabetical● Taxonomical● Morphological● Pharmacological● Chemical● Chemo-taxonomical	4
3	Quality control of crude drugs: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Different methods of adulteration of crude drugs● Evaluation of crude drugs	6