



**UNIVERSITY OF RUHUNA – FACULTY OF ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES**  
**DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACY**  
**FOURTH BPHARM PART II EXAMINATION – OCTOBER 2021**  
**PH 4213 ADVANCED MEDICINAL CHEMISTRY II (SEQ).**

**TIME: TWO HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

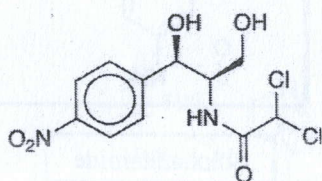
- There are four (04) questions in Parts A, B, C, and D in the SEQ paper.
- Answer all questions.
- No paper should be removed from the examination hall.
- Do not use any correction fluid.
- Use illustrations where necessary.

**PART A**

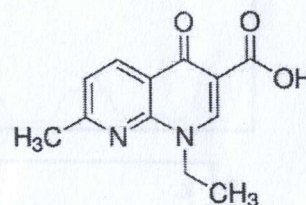
1. Answer all parts.

1.1. Write the generic name of each antibacterial agent given below. (15 marks)

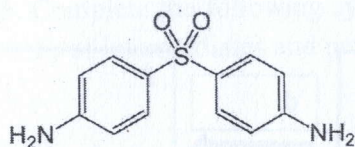
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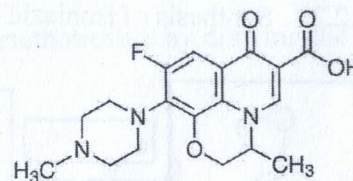
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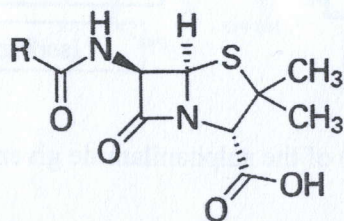
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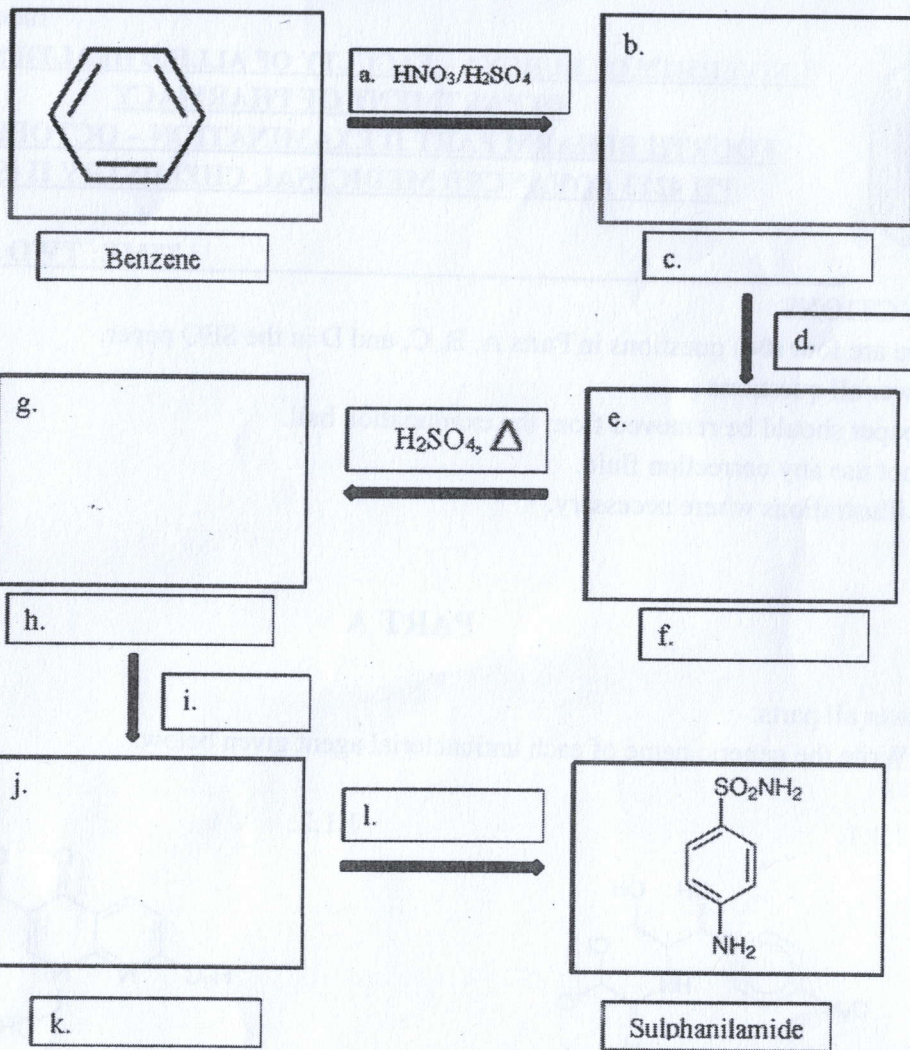


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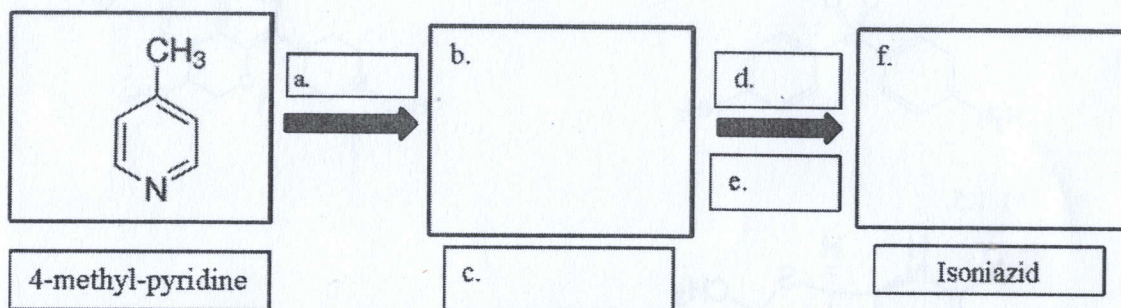
1.2. Complete the synthetic pathway of each medicinal compound given below.

1.2.1. Synthesis of sulphanilamide starting from Benzene. (12 marks)



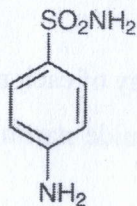
1.2.2. Synthesis of isoniazid starting from 4-methyl-pyridine.

(08 marks)



1.3. Discuss the structure activity relationship (SAR) of the sulphanilamide given below.

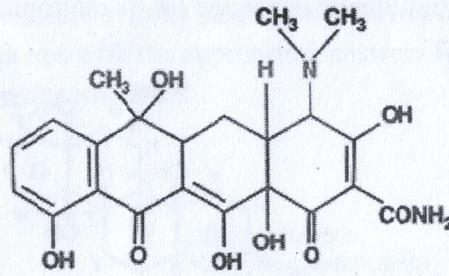
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1.4.

1.4.1. Write the generic name of the pharmacophore given below.

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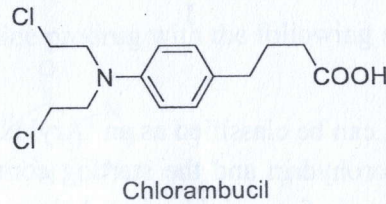
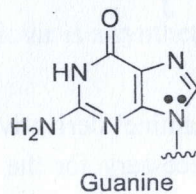


1.4.2. Describe the structure activity relationship (SAR) of the pharmacophore given above. (30 marks)

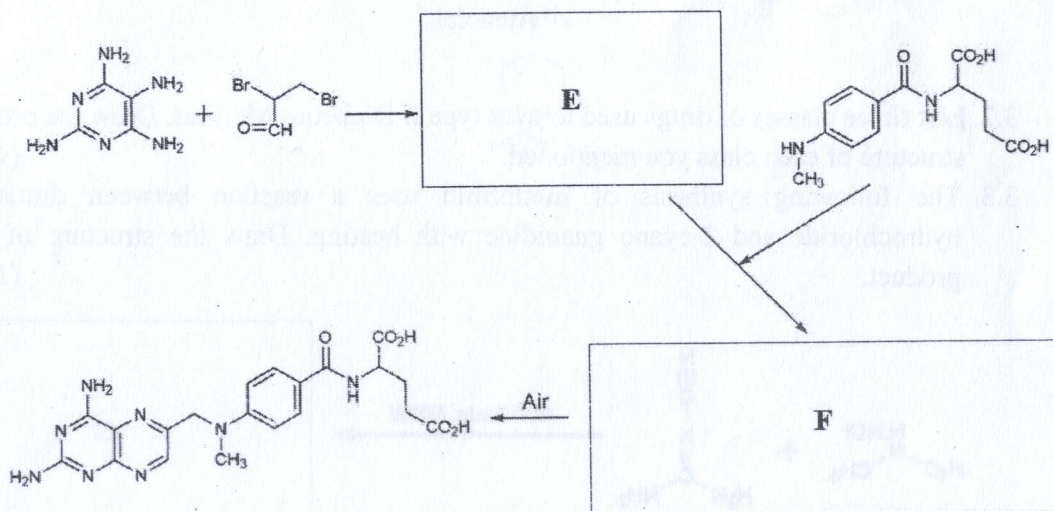
## PART B

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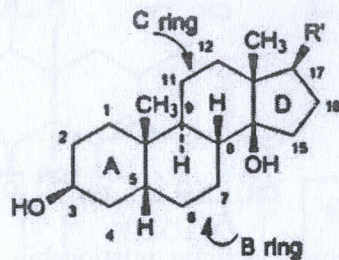
- 2.1. List the **four** stages of cell cycle and name possible target points for cancer chemotherapy. (15 marks)
- 2.2. The structure of guanine in DNA is given below. Draw the structure of the product upon addition of Chlorambucil to DNA. (15 marks)



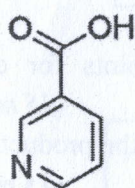
- 2.3. Complete the following synthesis scheme of methotrexate by drawing the structures (E-F) of intermediates and products. (30 marks)



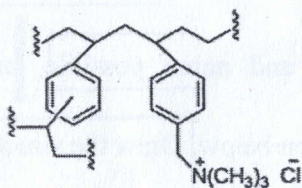
- 2.4. The basic molecular structure of cardiac glycosides is given below. List the main important structural features needed for its inotropic effect. (20 marks)



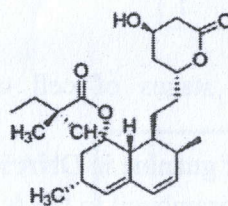
- 2.5 The following structures represent gemfibrozil, simvastatin, cholestyramine, and nicotinic acid. Match the structures (H-K) with the above drugs. (20 marks)



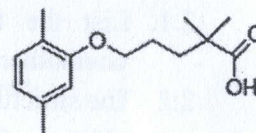
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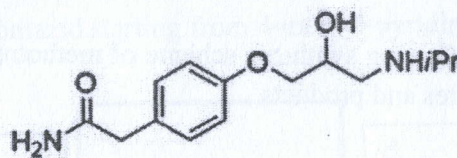
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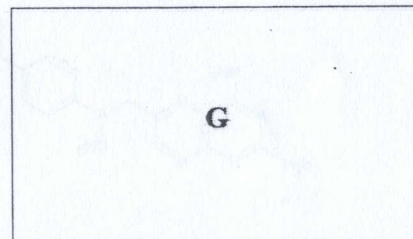
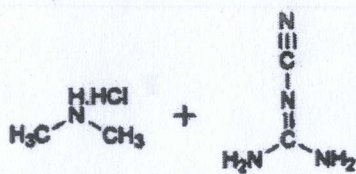
3.

- 3.1. Atenolol can be classified as an 'Aryloxypropanolamine' derivative. Draw the structures of epichlorohydrin and the starting compounds necessary for the synthesis of atenolol. The structure of atenolol is given below. (20 marks)



Atenolol

- 3.2. List **three** classes of drugs used to treat type II Diabetics Mellitus. Draw the prototype structure of each class you mentioned. (15 marks)
- 3.3. The following synthesis of metformin uses a reaction between dimethylamine hydrochloride and 2-cyano guanidine with heating. Draw the structure of the final product. (15 marks)

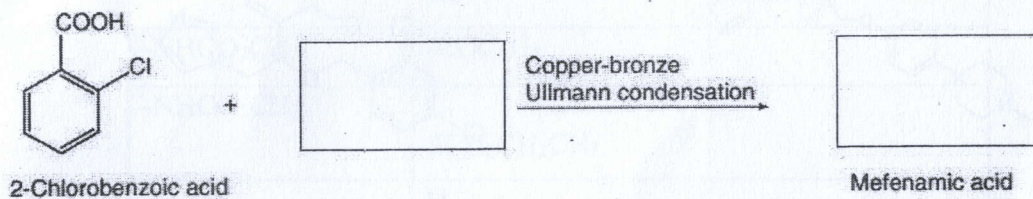


## PART C

3.4.

3.4.1. Briefly explain the structure activity relationship (SAR) of salicylates. (15 marks)

3.4.2. Complete the blank boxes with the appropriate answers for the reaction given below for the synthesis of mefenamic acid. (10 marks)

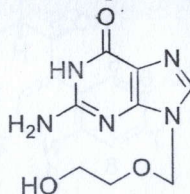
3.4.3. The modification of the histamine structure would act as competitive inhibitor of the H<sub>2</sub>-receptors. Giving **three** examples of drugs belong to this group, Justify your answer. (25 marks)

## PART D

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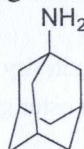
4.1.

4.1.1. Acyclovir is a synthetic nucleoside prodrug with the following structure.



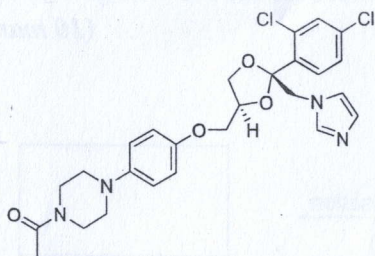
Using a suitable diagram, briefly explain the activation of this drug. (20 marks)

4.1.2. Structure of the antiviral drug, amantadine is shown below. Outline the synthesis of amantadine hydrochloride starting from adamantane. (10 marks)

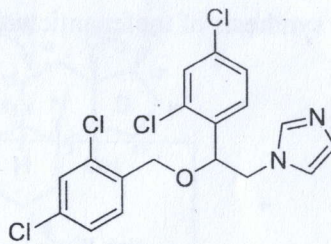


4.2. Name the following antifungal drugs and list their cellular targets. (24 marks)

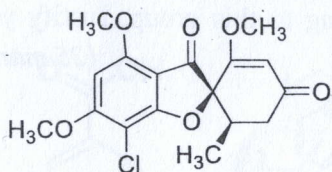
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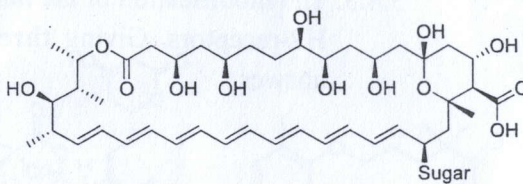
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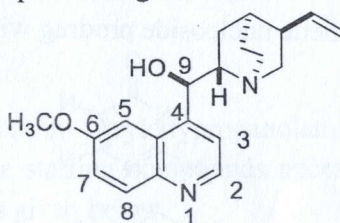
4.2.3.



4.2.4.



4.3. The chemical structure of quinine is given below.



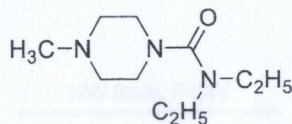
4.3.1. Circle the part of this molecule which is important in forming drug-heme complex? (06 marks)

4.3.2. Name the optical isomer of quinine. Does it possess antimalarial activity? (06 marks)

4.3.3. Comment the antimalarial activity of the molecule given in the question 4.3. when hydroxyl group replaced with ester group. (06 marks)

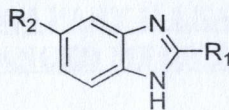
4.4.

4.4.1. The chemical structure of diethylcarbamazepine which is an anti-filarial drug is shown below. Write down the pathway to synthesis this drug starting from N-methylpiperazine. (10 marks)



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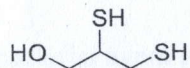
4.4.2. Benzimidazoles have the following basic structure. Give one example for each replacement given below. (06 marks)



R <sub>1</sub>	R <sub>2</sub>	Example
-NHCO <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	-COC <sub>6</sub> H <sub>5</sub>	
-NHCO <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	-SCH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>3</sub>	
	H	

4.5.

4.5.1. Name the following structure. (06 marks)



4.5.2. List **two** metals where the above molecule could act as an antidote in metal poisoning. (06 marks)

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