

Duration: 3 hrs

Total marks: 75

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**N.B. : 1. All questions are compulsory**  
**2. Figures to right indicate full marks**

<b>Q. I</b>	<b>Choose appropriate option for following multiple choice based questions.</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>1</b>	The branch of Toxicology which studies molecular and cellular mechanisms of toxicity is	
<b>a</b>	Mechanistic Toxicology	
<b>b</b>	Preclinical Toxicology	
<b>c</b>	Clinical Toxicology	
<b>d</b>	Cytotoxicology	
<b>2</b>	OECD guidelines are periodically reviewed in the light of scientific progress or	
<b>a</b>	Changing countries as OECD members	
<b>b</b>	Changing timelines	
<b>c</b>	Changing assessment practices	
<b>d</b>	Changing chemicals undergoing evaluation	
<b>3</b>	Principles of GLP apply to	
<b>a</b>	Clinical Studies	
<b>b</b>	Hospital studies	
<b>c</b>	Chemical methods of analysis	
<b>d</b>	Non-clinical health studies	
<b>4</b>	Which of the following is an acute toxicity symptom ?	
<b>a</b>	Carcinogenesis	
<b>b</b>	Hypothermia	
<b>c</b>	Mutation	
<b>d</b>	Hepatotoxicity	
<b>5</b>	Karber's method for determination of LD50 is also known as	
<b>a</b>	Arithmetic method	
<b>b</b>	Graphical method	
<b>c</b>	Fixed dose procedure	
<b>d</b>	Up and down method	
<b>6</b>	Toxicity studies which are carried out throughout the total lifespan of the test animal are	
<b>a</b>	Acute toxicity studies	
<b>b</b>	Subacute toxicity studies	
<b>c</b>	Subchronic toxicity studies	
<b>d</b>	Chronic toxicity studies	

7	A study that allows selection of the appropriate starting concentration for the main study is	
a	Preclinical study	
b	Limit test	
c	Dose selection study	
d	Sighting study	
8	The degree of eye irritation/corrosion is evaluated by scoring	
a	Ptosis	
b	Lesions of cornea and iris	
c	Vision tests	
d	Excessive lacrimation	
9	Which of the following option conveys the purpose of ICH S5(R2) guidelines on Reproductive toxicology ?	
a	They are non-clinical safety studies for the conduct of human clinical trials and marketing authorisation for pharmaceuticals	
b	They detect reproductive toxicity for medicinal products including toxic effects on male fertility	
c	They detect preclinical safety evaluation of biotechnology - derived pharmaceuticals	
d	They guide for assessing systemic exposure in toxicology studies	
10	Studies for adverse effects on peri- and postnatal development are taken up in	
a	Segment I	
b	Segment II	
c	Segment III	
d	Segment IV	
11	A type of genetic damage is	
a	Nucleotide excision repair	
b	Oxidative stress	
c	Necrosis	
d	Carcinogenesis	
12	Teratology studies deal with	
a	Effects on pre- and postnatal development	
b	Fertility and early embryonic development	
c	Effects on embryo-fetal development	
d	Juvenile toxicity	
13	The bacterial reverse mutation test is	
a	Ames Test	
b	In vitro micronucleus test	
c	In vivo micronucleus test	
d	Chromosomal aberration test	

<b>14</b>	One of the standard techniques used to investigate Cardiovascular system is	
<b>a</b>	Open Field Observations	
<b>b</b>	In Vitro Studies for Electrophysiological Effects	
<b>c</b>	Home cage Observations	
<b>d</b>	Neuromuscular measurements	
<b>15</b>	An IND with no immediate plan to market the product is a/an	
<b>a</b>	Commercial IND	
<b>b</b>	Abbreviated IND	
<b>c</b>	Research IND	
<b>d</b>	Emergency use IND	
<b>16</b>	In the cardiovascular system a core battery test is	
<b>a</b>	hERG study	
<b>b</b>	Irwin test	
<b>c</b>	Plethysmography	
<b>d</b>	Functional observational battery	
<b>17</b>	A compound and its major metabolites that are expected to achieve systemic exposure in humans should be evaluated in	
<b>a</b>	Epidemiological studies	
<b>b</b>	Toxicological studies	
<b>c</b>	Organoleptic studies	
<b>d</b>	Safety pharmacology studies	
<b>18</b>	A toxic substance produced by biological system is specially referred to as a	
<b>a</b>	Xenobiotic	
<b>b</b>	Toxicant	
<b>c</b>	Toxin	
<b>d</b>	Poison	
<b>19</b>	If you could summarize toxicokinetics to a five year old, what would you say?	
<b>a</b>	It is what the body does to the toxin	
<b>b</b>	It is what the toxin does to the body	
<b>c</b>	It is the way to calculate a toxin's lethal dose	
<b>d</b>	It is the study of non-poisonous compounds	
<b>20</b>	An advantage of in vitro toxicity tests is	
<b>a</b>	Interactions between tissues and organs can be tested	
<b>b</b>	Controlled testing conditions	
<b>c</b>	Chronic effects can be tested	
<b>d</b>	More reliable than in vivo tests	

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II

Answer any **TWO** from the following:

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- a Write a short note on (i) Ames test and (ii) *In vivo* micronucleus assay
- b Write a note on alternative methods to animal toxicity testing
- c **Explain** Tier1 studies of Safety Pharmacology in details

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III

Answer any **SEVEN** from the following:

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- a Discuss the OECD principles of Good laboratory practices (GLP) in detail
- b Give the general principles of toxicokinetic studies
- c What do you mean by Test item? Discuss the characterization for specific test items
- d Discuss in details the Tier 2 tests in Safety Pharmacology studies
- e Give an account of Female Reproductive Studies (segment I and segment III)
- f Discuss IND and give its importance
- g Explain Teratogenicity studies
- h Explain Eye Irritation Studies in depth
- i Give applications and importance of Toxicokinetic Studies

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