

Aminoglycoside Homework Problems 2014

1. TM is a 40 yo female, hospitalized for a ruptured appendicitis. Prior to surgery, you are asked to recommend a tobramycin dose for this patient; she will also be started on piperacillin/tazobactam. Other pertinent data: height 5'2", 55 kg, SrCr 1.3 mg/dL. Desired steady-state peak is 6 mcg/ml; trough 1 mcg/ml.

- a) Recommend an initial dose, using conventional dosing for TM.

$$1. CrCl = \frac{(140 - 40)(55)}{72 \times 1.3} \times 0.85 = \boxed{50 \text{ mL/min}}$$

$$7. C_p = \frac{140 \text{ mg}}{h}$$

$$k_0 = \frac{70 \text{ mg}}{0.5 \text{ h}} = 140 \text{ mg/h}$$

$$2. k_e = 0.00293 (50 \text{ mL/min}) + 0.014 = \boxed{0.16/\text{h}}$$

$$3. V_d = \frac{0.25 \text{ L}}{\text{kg}} \times 50.1 \text{ kg} = \boxed{12.5 \text{ L}}$$

← use IBW! unless obese, then use Adjusted BW

$$IBW = 45.5 + 2.3(2) = 50.1 \text{ kg}$$

$$\frac{(0.16/\text{h})(12.5 \text{ L})}{(1 - e^{-0.16/\text{h} \times 0.5 \text{ h}})} \times \frac{(1 - e^{-0.16/\text{h} \times 12 \text{ h}})}{(1 - e^{-0.16/\text{h} \times 12 \text{ h}})}$$

$$\boxed{C_p = 6.3 \text{ mg/L}}$$

$$4. LD (\text{optional}) = C_{\text{max desired}} \times V_d$$

$$LD = \frac{6 \text{ mg}}{\text{L}} \times 12.5 \text{ L}$$

$$LD = 75 \text{ mg} \Rightarrow \boxed{80 \text{ mg IV}}$$

$$8. C_T = \frac{6.3 \text{ mg}}{\text{L}} \times e^{-0.16/\text{h} (12 \text{ h} - 0.5 \text{ h})}$$

$$\boxed{C_T = 1 \text{ mg/L}} \rightarrow \text{ok}$$

$$5. T = \frac{\ln(6 \text{ mg/L} / 1 \text{ mg/L})}{0.16/\text{h}} + 0.5 \text{ h} = 11.7 \text{ h} \Rightarrow \boxed{12 \text{ h}}$$

$$LD = 80 \text{ mg IV} \times 1, \text{ then } 70 \text{ mg IV q 12h.}$$

$$6. k_0 = (0.16/\text{h}) (12.5 \text{ L}) (6 \text{ mg/L}) \times \frac{(1 - e^{-0.16/\text{h} \times 12 \text{ h}})}{(1 - e^{-0.16/\text{h} \times 0.5 \text{ h}})}$$

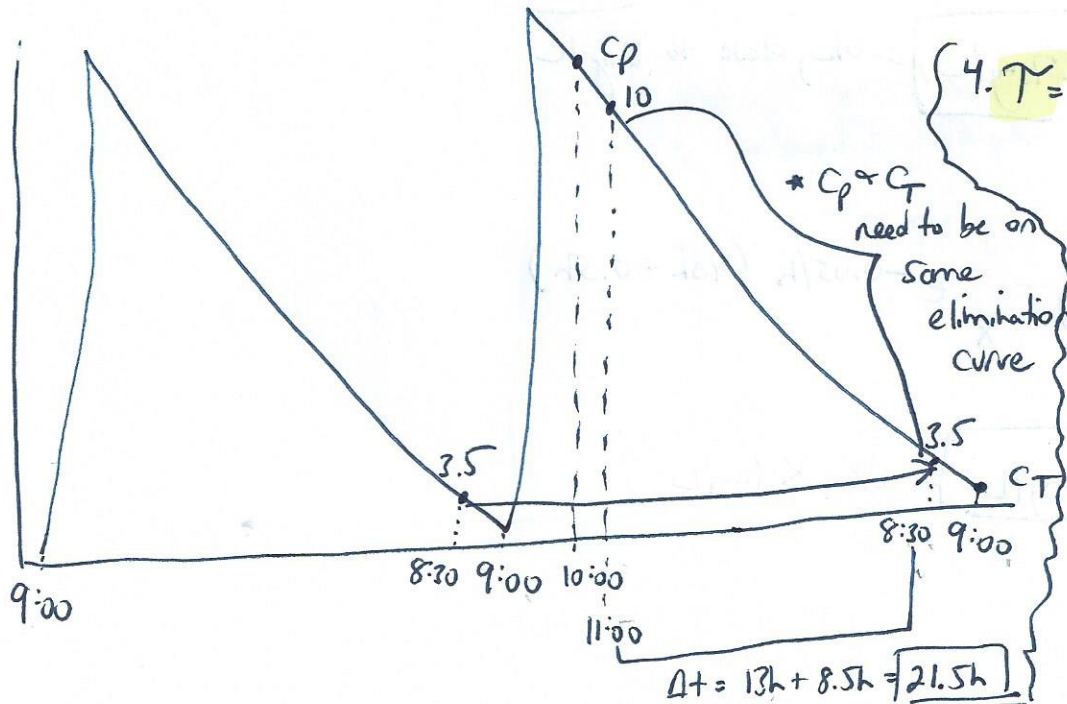
$$k_0 = \frac{133 \text{ mg}}{\text{h}} \times 0.5 \text{ h} = 66.6 \text{ mg} \Rightarrow \boxed{70 \text{ mg}}$$

round aminoglycoside doses to nearest 10 mg

2. GF is a 50 yo, 75 kg, 178 cm man with gram-negative pneumonia. His SrCr is 3.5mg/dL and has been stable. Gentamicin 120mg Q24H was prescribed (**conventional dose**). He receives his gentamicin at 09:00 daily. Levels obtained on the 3rd day of therapy were reported as: 10 mcg/ml at 11:00, and 3.5 mcg/ml at 08:30. Desired peak is 8 mcg/ml and trough is 0.5 mcg/ml.

* Use pt-specific Pk equations since you have measured levels

a) Assess these concentrations and recommend dosing changes if necessary.



$$4. T = \ln \left(\frac{8 \text{ mg/L}}{0.5 \text{ mg/L}} \right) \div 0.05/\text{h} + 0.5\text{h} = 55.6\text{h} \rightarrow \text{try } \boxed{48\text{h}}$$

$$1. k_e = \ln \left(\frac{C_1}{C_2} \right) \div \Delta t = \ln \left(\frac{10 \text{ mg/L}}{3.5 \text{ mg/L}} \right) \div 21.5\text{h} = \boxed{0.05/\text{h}}$$

2. Ext peak

$$C_2 = C_1 \times e^{-k_e \times t}$$

$$10 \text{ mg/L} = C_p \times e^{-0.05/\text{h} \times 1\text{h}}$$

$$\boxed{C_p = 10.5 \text{ mg/L}}$$

Ext trough

No need to ext. trough - w/in 30 minutes

$$\boxed{C_T = 3.5 \text{ mg/L}}$$

too high!

$$5. R_0 = \frac{(0.05/\text{h}) (16.9\text{L}) (8 \text{ mg/L})}{(1 - e^{-0.05/\text{h} \times 48\text{h}}) (1 - e^{-0.05/\text{h} \times 0.5\text{h}})} = \frac{6.76}{0.90928 \times 0.02469} = 249 \text{ mg} \div 0.5\text{h} = 124 \text{ mg} \Rightarrow \boxed{120 \text{ mg}}$$

120mg IV q 48h

$$C_p = 7.7 \text{ mg/L}; C_T = 0.7 \text{ mg/L}$$

$$3. V_0 = \frac{240 \text{ mg}}{0.05/\text{h}} \times \frac{(1 - e^{-0.05/\text{h} \times 0.5\text{h}})}{(10.5 \text{ mg/L} - 3.5 \text{ mg/L})} = \boxed{16.9 \text{ L}}$$

$$6. C_p = \frac{240 \text{ mg}}{h} \times \frac{(1 - e^{-0.02469})}{(1 - e^{-0.05/h \times 48h})}$$

$(0.05/h)(16.9L)$

$C_p = 7.7 \text{ mg/L}$ — ok, close to 8 mg/L

$$7. C_T = \frac{7.7 \text{ mg}}{L} \times e^{-0.05/h (48h - 0.5h)}$$

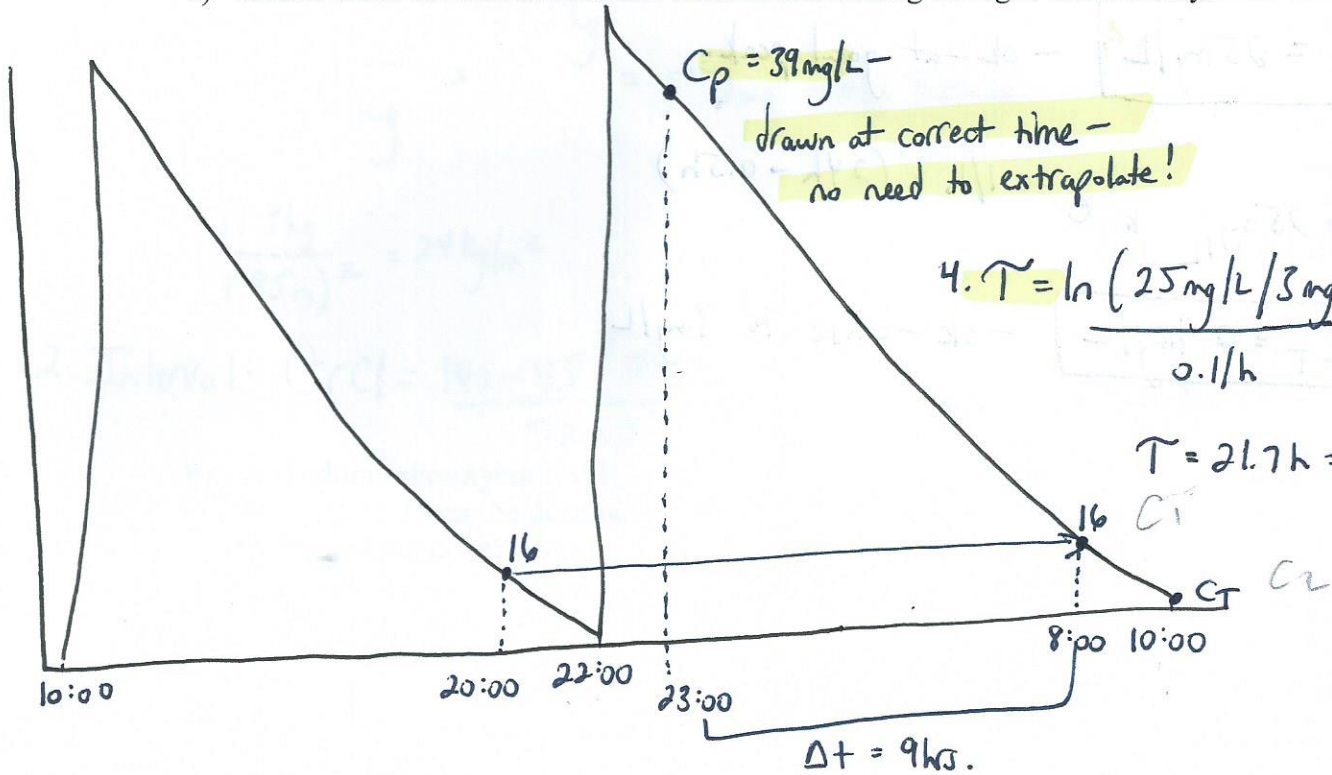
$$C_T = 0.7 \text{ mg/L}$$

— ok, $< 1 \text{ mg/L}$

$$R_0 = \frac{800\text{mg}}{0.5\text{h}} = 1600\text{mg/h}$$

3. RT is a 5'10", 190 lb, 60 yo M admitted with gram-negative sepsis resistant to gentamicin and tobramycin. His SrCr is 1.8 mg/dL and has been stable. He is receiving amikacin 800mg IV q12h at 10:00 and 22:00. After the third dose, obtained levels are as follows: 16mcg/mL at 20:00 and 39 mcg/mL at 23:00. Desired amikacin peak is 25 mcg/mL and desired trough is 3 mcg/mL. $\tau = \text{mg/L}$

a) Assess these concentrations and recommend dosing changes if necessary.



$$1. k_e = \frac{\ln(39\text{mg/L} / 16\text{mg/L})}{9\text{h}} = 0.1/\text{h}$$

$$2. \text{Ext trough}$$

$$C_2 = C_1 \times e^{-k_e \times t}$$

$$C_T = 16\text{mg/L} \times e^{-0.1/\text{h} \times 2\text{h}}$$

$$C_T = 13\text{mg/L} \text{ — too high!}$$

Ext peak
No need to ext peak - drawn at right time.

$$C_p = 39\text{mg/L}$$

$$5. R_0 = (0.1/\text{h})(30\text{L})(25\text{mg/L}) \times \frac{(1 - e^{-0.1/\text{h} \times 24\text{h}})}{(1 - e^{-0.1/\text{h} \times 0.5\text{h}})}$$

$$R_0 = \frac{1398\text{mg}}{\text{h}} \times 0.5\text{h} = 700\text{mg}$$

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$$700\text{mg IV q 24h}$$

$$C_p = 25\text{mg/L} ; C_T = 2.4\text{mg/L}$$

$$3. V_0 = \frac{1600\text{mg}}{\text{h}} \times \frac{(1 - e^{-0.1/\text{h} \times 0.5\text{h}})}{(39\text{mg/L} - 13\text{mg/L})} = 30\text{L}$$

$$6. C_p = \frac{1400 \text{ mg}}{h} \times \frac{(1 - e^{-0.1/h \times 0.5h})}{(1 - e^{-0.1/h \times 24h})}$$

$$\boxed{C_p = 25 \text{ mg/L}} \text{ - ok - at goal peak}$$

$$7. C_T = 25 \text{ mg/L} \times e^{-0.1/h \times (24h - 0.5h)}$$

$$\boxed{C_T = 2.4 \text{ mg/L}} \text{ - ok - close to } 3 \text{ mg/L}$$

4. EM is a 45 yo, 180 lb, 6'1" man with *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* sepsis. His SrCr is 2.1 mg/dL and has been stable.

- a) Recommend a tobramycin dose for this patient using extended-interval aminoglycoside dosing.

1. Dose = $\frac{7\text{mg}}{\text{kg}} \times 81.8\text{kg} \xrightarrow{\text{Use actual body wt}} = 572\text{mg} \Rightarrow \boxed{570\text{mg}}$

BMI = $\frac{81.8\text{kg}}{(1.85\text{m})^2} = 24\text{kg/m}^2$

$\boxed{570\text{mg IV q36h}}$

2. Interval: $\text{CrCl} = \frac{140 - 45(81.8\text{kg})}{72 \times 2.1} = \boxed{5\text{mL/min}} \Rightarrow \boxed{\text{q36h}}$

- b) A random tobramycin level drawn 7 hours after the dose (recommended above) is 11 mg/L. Does the dose need to be altered? If so, what is the new recommended dose?

- Plot concentration on the Hartford nomogram \rightarrow
falls within q48h interval.

$\boxed{570\text{mg IV q48h}}$

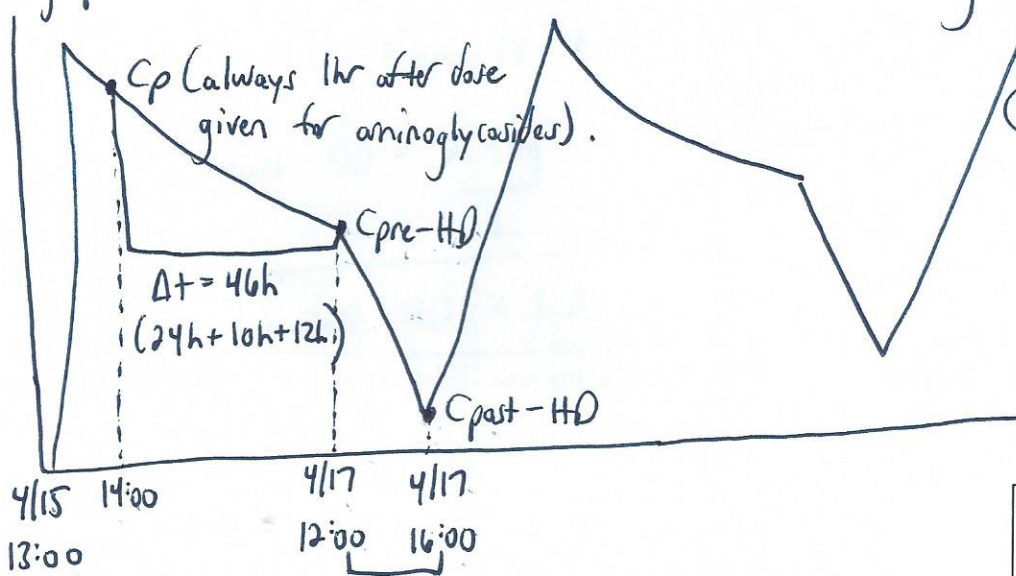
- Extend interval to q48h

- Continue same dose: 570mg - (dose always remains the same, but the interval may change).

$$\text{mcg/mL} = \text{mg/L}$$

5. AF is a 55yo, 80kg, 66-inch male with ESRD being admitted with suspected urosepsis. Ceftazidime and tobramycin are to be started. Desired tobramycin peak concentration is 6 mcg/ml. He is to receive his first dose 4/15/14 at 1300. Next scheduled hemodialysis session is 4/17/14 from 1200-1600. You are asked to recommend a dosing regimen for tobramycin.

* plot the graph 1st a) Recommend his first dose (4/15/14 at 1300). - asking for a "LD" - first dose



$$\textcircled{2} \text{LD} = C_{\text{max desired}} \times V_D$$

$$\text{LD} = \frac{6 \text{ mg}}{\text{L}} \times 16 \text{ L} = 96 \text{ mg}$$

100mg

$$\textcircled{1} V_D = \frac{0.25 \text{ L}}{\text{kg}} \times \text{IBW} = 16 \text{ L}$$

IBW = 50 + 2.3(6) = 63.8 kg

b) Estimate pre-HD concentration.

$$C_2 = C_1 \times e^{-k_{\text{eff}} \times t}$$

$$C_{\text{pre-HD}} = C_{\text{peak}} \times e^{-k_{\text{eff}} \times t}$$

↓ solve for C_{peak} 1st:

$$C_{\text{peak}} = \frac{\text{LD}}{V_D} = \frac{100 \text{ mg}}{16 \text{ L}} = 6.25 \text{ mg/L}$$

$$C_{\text{pre-HD}} = \frac{6.25 \text{ mg}}{\text{L}} \times e^{-0.021/\text{h} \times 46 \text{ h}}$$

$C_{\text{pre-HD}} = 2.4 \text{ mg/L}$

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100mg IV tobramycin.

c) Estimate post-HD concentration.

$$C_2 = C_1 \times e^{-k_e \times t}$$

$$C_{\text{post-HD}} = C_{\text{pre-HD}} \times e^{-k_e \times t}$$

$$C_{\text{post-HD}} = \frac{2.4 \text{ mg}}{\text{L}} \times e^{-0.178/\text{h} \times 4 \text{ h}}$$

$$C_{\text{post-HD}} = 1.2 \text{ mg/L}$$

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d) Calculate post-HD tobramycin dose to be given on 4/17/14 at 1600.

$$LD = V_D \times C_{\text{desired}}$$

$$\text{Supplemental Dose} = V_D \times (C_{\text{desired}} - C_{\text{post-HD}})$$

$$= 16 \text{ L} \times (6 \text{ mg/L} - 1.2 \text{ mg/L})$$

$$= 76.8 \text{ mg} \Rightarrow 80 \text{ mg}$$

80 mg IV tobramycin