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#### M.Pharm., I Semester

Examination, November 2018

## **Product Development and Formulation**

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

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- Note: i) Attempt any five questions.
  - ii) All questions carry equal marks.
- 1. a) Describe the goals of preformulation and how does solubility and partition coefficient play role in preformulation studies?
  - Explain in detail about drug excipient compatibility in the development of solid dosage forms.
- Discuss about the theory of solubilisation and elucidate the various methods for solubility enhancement.
- 3. Classify polymers along with the general methods of synthesis. Give a detailed account of biodegradable polymers.
- 4. What is optimization? Discuss the Lagrangian method of optimization.

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- 5. What are the recent developments in nutraceuticals? Give the various laws governing nutraceuticals.
- 6. Write the ICH guidelines for stability testing of Pharmaceuticals. How is the expiry date of a dosage form determined?
- Describe the formulation aspects of dispersible tablets. How will you evaluate the floating and multi-layered tablets?

Write short notes on (any two):

- Solid dispersion
- Computer aided drug formulations
- Tests of containers and closures

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