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HYGIENE IN PHARMACY AND ECOLOGY

Topic

“HYGIENE OF LABER”

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Plan of lecture

1. Occupational hazards, classification.
2. Noise as a harmful production factor in pharmaceutical premises.
3. Occupational diseases in the pharmaceutical industry.
4. Preventive measures.

Suggested Reading

Basic

- Hygiene in Pharmacy. Manual for foreign students of higher schools / O. S. Kalyuzhnaya, O. P. Strilets, L. S. Strelnikov et al. – 2nd Edition, supplemented and revised. – Kharkiv: NUPh, 2013. – 224 p.
- Bardov V. G. Hygiene and Ecology/ Editor by V. G. Bardov. – Vinnytsya : Nova Knyha Publishers, 2009. – 687 p.

Auxiliary

- Kjellstrom Y. Basic environmental health / Y. Kjellstrom, K. Guidotti. – Oxford. – 2001. – 546 p.
- General Hygiene and environmental health / Zaporozhan V. M., Bazhora Yu. I., Vitenko I. S. et al. – Odessa, 2005. – 300 p.

Information resources, including the Internet

- Library of NPhaU: <http://lib.nuph.edu.ua>
- Specialized medical and biological portals of the Internet.

Occupational Hygiene

(United States: Industrial Hygiene (IH))

is the anticipation, recognition, evaluation, control and prevention of hazards from work that may result in injury, illness, or affect the well being of workers.



ANTICIPATION:

Review products,
purchases, projects,
tasks, designs,
experiments, etc.

ASSURANCE:

Demonstrate
effectiveness of
actions, hazard
communication

RECOGNITION:

Task planning and
hazard analysis, injury
& illness trend analysis,
reported concerns

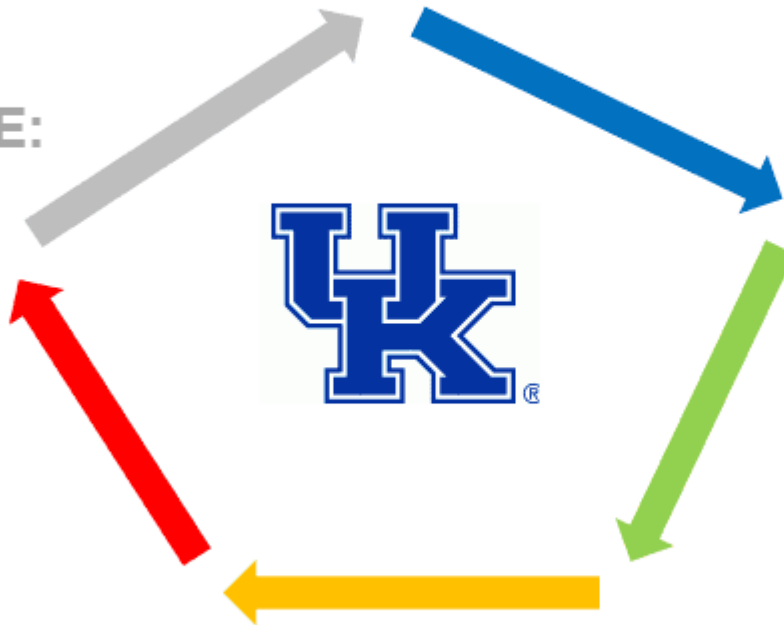


CONTROL:

Engineering controls,
administrative controls,
substitution, personal
protective equipment

EVALUATION:

Inspections, exposure
assessment, modeling,
visual assessments,
professional judgment



OCCUPATIONAL HYGIENE STUDIES

- **LABOUR ACTIVITY OF PEOPLE**
- **WORKING CONDITIONS OF PEOPLE**
- **INFLUENCE OF PRODUCTION FACTORS ON THE ORGANISM**
- **PREVENTIVE MEASURES**

LABOUR ACTIVITY OF PEOPLE

Forms of labor:

- physical labor
(dynamic and static)
- mechanized form of work



- automated and semi-automated work



- conveyor



- intellectual work



Classification of work

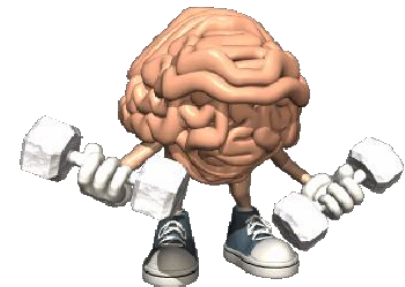
- By severity of work

- easy
- medium gravity
- heavy
- very heavy



- By tension of work

- tense
- little tense
- tense
- very tense



The influence of labor on a person's physiological condition

- **Fatigue** – a condition characterized by a lessened capacity for work and reduced efficiency of accomplishment, usually accompanied by a feeling of weariness and tiredness.



FATIGUE

physical



mental



Signs of Fatigue

- doing work slowly with errors
- disturbance of coordination of movements
- sleepiness and headache
- irritability and nervousness



CHRONIC FATIGUE SYNDROME SYMPTOMS



fatigue



severe headaches



loss of memory
or concentration



sleeping problems



muscle pain



sore throat

The influence of labor on a person's physiological condition

- **Overwork** – is the highest degree of fatigue, a discrepancy between spent energy and recovery processes



Signs of overwork

- disturbance of cardiac rhythm and blood pressure
- loss of appetite
- irritability
- unreasonable fears
- insomnia
- illness state



WORKING CONDITIONS ARE A SET OF WORKING ENVIRONMENT FACTORS, LABOUR PROCESS, THAT INFLUENCE ON HEALTH AND WORKING ACTIVITY OF A PERSON IN THE PROCESS OF PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY



WORKING CONDITIONS ARE SUBDIVIDED INTO 4 CLASSES:

1st class - optimal



2nd class - premissible



3d class - harmful



4th - hazardous (extreme)



**I – OPTIMAL – ARE NOT HARMFUL FOR HEALTH,
WORKING CONDITIONS ALLOW TO MAINTAIN HIGH
LEVEL OF CAPACITY FOR WORK.**



**II – PERMISSIBLE – LEVELS OF WORKING
ENVIRONMENT AGENTS DO NOT EXCEED
ESTABLISHED HIGIENIC RULES, AND CHANGES OF
FUNCTIONAL BODY CONSTITUTION ARE
REESTABLISHED**



III – HARMFUL – HARMFUL INDUSTRIAL FACTORS EXCEED HIGIENIC GUIDELINES AND HAZARDOUSLY INFLUENCE ON HEALTH



IV – HAZARDOUS (EXTREME) – INFLUENCE OF THESE FACTORS CAUSES HIGH RISKS OF SERIOUS DISEASE GROWTH.



CLASSIFICATION OF HAZARDOUS AND HARMFUL PRODUCTION FACTORS

- 1. PSYCOPHYSIOLOGICAL**
- 2. PHYSICAL**
- 3. CHEMICAL**
- 4. BIOLOGICAL**
- 5. HAZARDS OF EMPLOYMENT INJURIES**

PSYCOPHYSIOLOGICAL FACTORS

1. PHYSICAL OVERLOAD OF MUSCULOSCELETAL SYSTEM:

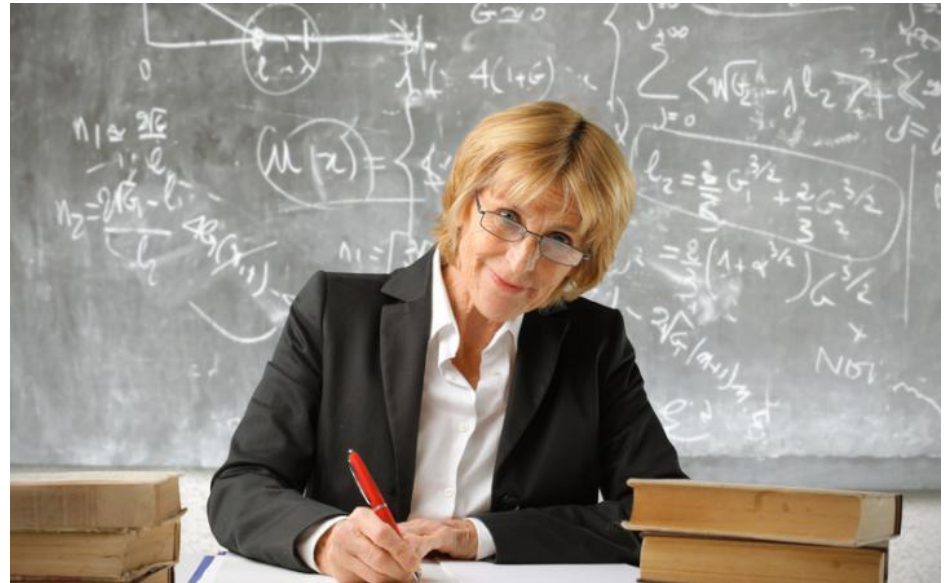
- LIFTING AND TRANSFERRING OF WEIGHT
- UNCOMFORTABLE BODY POSITION
- PRESSURE ON SKIN, JOINTS, MUSCLES AND BONES

2. PHYSIOLOGICALLY INSUFFICIENT PHYSICAL ACTIVITY



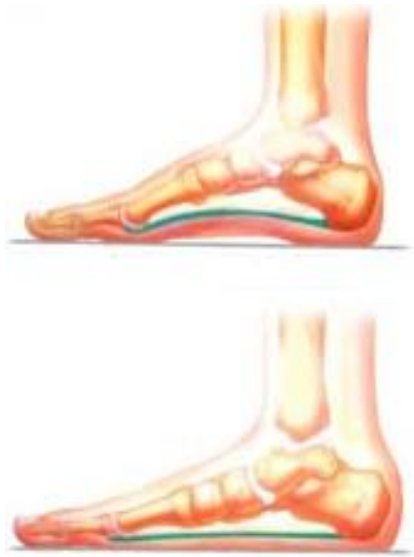
3. PHYSIOLOGICAL OVERLOADS OF CIRCULATORY AND RESPIRATORY ORGANS

4. PSYCHICAL OVERLOADS – MENTAL AND EMOTIONAL STATES.



The Pharmacist is standing a long time during the shift.

As result the flat foot, pain in the legs, muscular fatigue, venouse inflammation, thrombophlebitis develop.



IN THE WORKS THERE IS MUSCLE TENSION WHEN MONOTONY AND SMALL MOVEMENTS ARE PERFORMED (WEIGHING, PACKING, MEASUREMENT OF LIQUID). THIS CAN LEAD TO **MYOSITIS**.



PHYSICAL FACTORS

1. RISE OR FALL IN TEMPERATURE, HUMIDITY AND SPEED OF AIR MOVEMENT
2. INCREASED LEVEL OF ULTRASOUND
3. INCREASED LEVEL OF RADIATION



4. INCREASED LEVEL OF NOISE, VIBRATION

5. INSUFFICIENT OR IRRATIONAL ILLUMINATION OF WORKING AREA

6. HIGH OR LOW ATMOSPHERIC PRESSURE



CHEMICAL FACTORS

GASES, FLUIDS, AEROSOLS, THAT HAVE ALLERGIC, CARCINOGENIC AND MUTAGENIC ACTIONS



BIOLOGICAL FACTORS

1. MICRO-, AND MACROORGANISMS, SOURCES OF INFECTION, INVASIONS

2. VITAMINS, HORMONES, ANTIBIOTICS



INFLUENCE OF MEDICINES AND CHEMICAL AGENTS

chemical and biological substance intake into the organism through skin, respiratory system, mucous membranes

AIR IN THE ASSISTANT ROOM IS POLLUTED WITH

- ➡ DUST**
- ➡ SULFANAMIDES,**
- ➡ ANTIBIOTICS,**
- ➡ DIPHENHYDRAMINE HYDROCHLORIDE,**
- ➡ ANTIPYRETICS,**
- ➡ PAPAVERINE HYDROCHLORIDE,**
- ➡ NICOTINIC ACID,**
- ➡ VITAMINS**

HIGH CONCENTRATIONS OF DUST CAN BE FOUND IN MATERIAL AND ASSISTANT ROOMS – IN THE PROCESS OF MEDICINES AND MIXTURE PREPARATION.

PACKING OF MEDICINAL HERBS, PREPARATION OF HERBAL REMEDIES ARE ESPECIALLY HAZARDOUS.



**DUST OF MEDICINES IS A SPECIFIC MANUFACTURING
FACTOR for**

PHARMACISTS-TECHNOLOGISTS,

PHARMACISTS,

ANALYTICS.



PREVENTIVE MEASURES

● LOCATION OF THE PREMISES:

● INTERPOSITION

● ABSENCE OF POLLUTED AIR PENETRATION

● LOCATION FAR AWAY FROM WASHING, PACKAGING, AND ASSISTANT ROOMS

● ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES MUST BE ISOLATED FROM MANUFACTURING ROOMS.

● SANITARY AND TECHNICAL MEANS:

CONDITIONING SYSTEM, ILLUMINATION, HOT AND COLD WATER SUPPLY, RATIONAL SYSTEM OF VENTILATION.

● **USING OF SMALL-SCALE MECHANIZATION FOR LIQUID PACKING, THEIR FILTRATION, RIDDLING, RUBBING, AND OTHERS.**

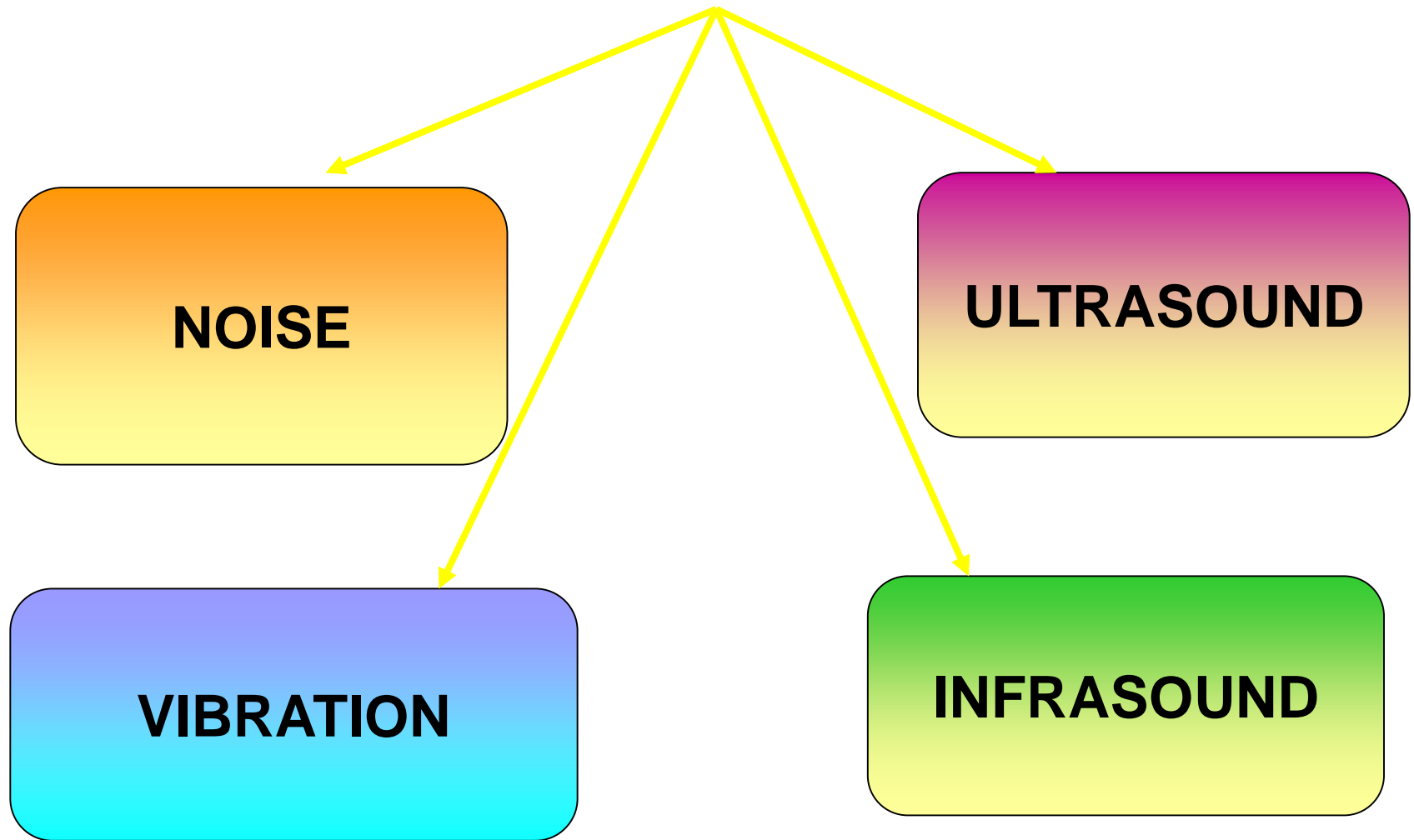
THIS ALLOWS TO MINIMIZE THE INGRESS OF DUST ON SKIN, MUCOUS MEMBRANES OF AIRWAY.

● **USING PERSONAL PROTECTION MEANS FOR RESPIRATORY SYSTEM AND SKIN.**

● **PERSONAL HIGIENE.**



HAZARDOUS FACTORS OF PRODUCTION ENVIRONMENT



NOISE IS MECHANICAL OSCILLATION OF ELASTIC MEDIUM (GASEOUS, LIQUID OR SOLID) PARTICLES THAT SPREAD WITH THE FREQUENCY FROM 20 TO 20 000 OSCILLATIONS PER SECOND (HZ).



Source of noise – **OSCILLATING BODY**

PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS OF NOISE

SOUND PRESSURE

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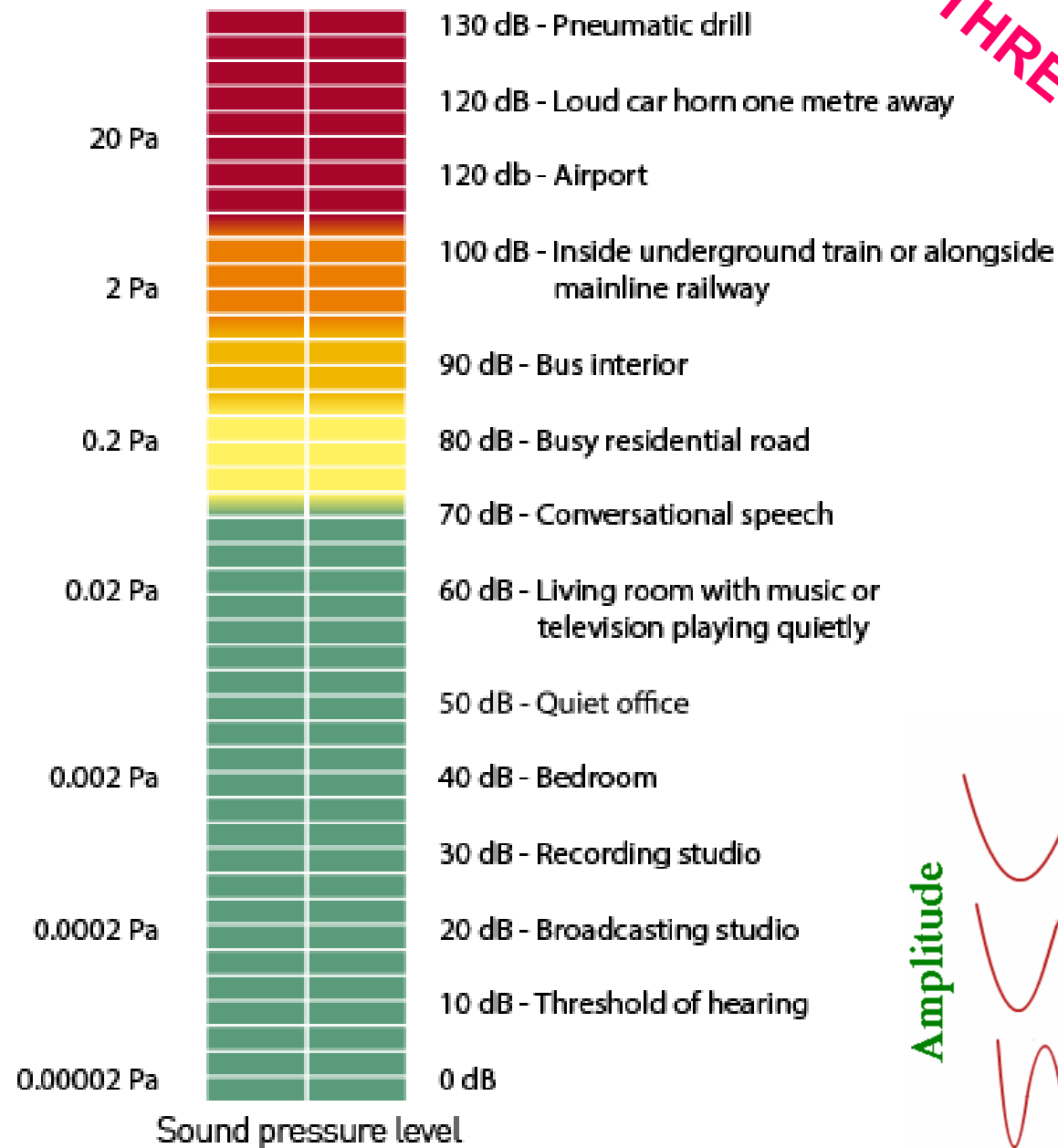
SOUND INTENSITY

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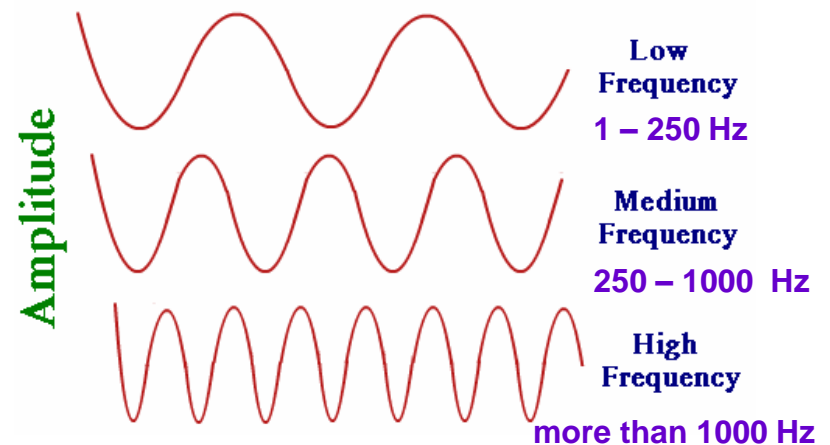
FREQUENCY

f , [Hz]

Threshold of pain



THRESHOLD OF PAIN IS 140 dB



FOR TIME CHARACTERISTICS

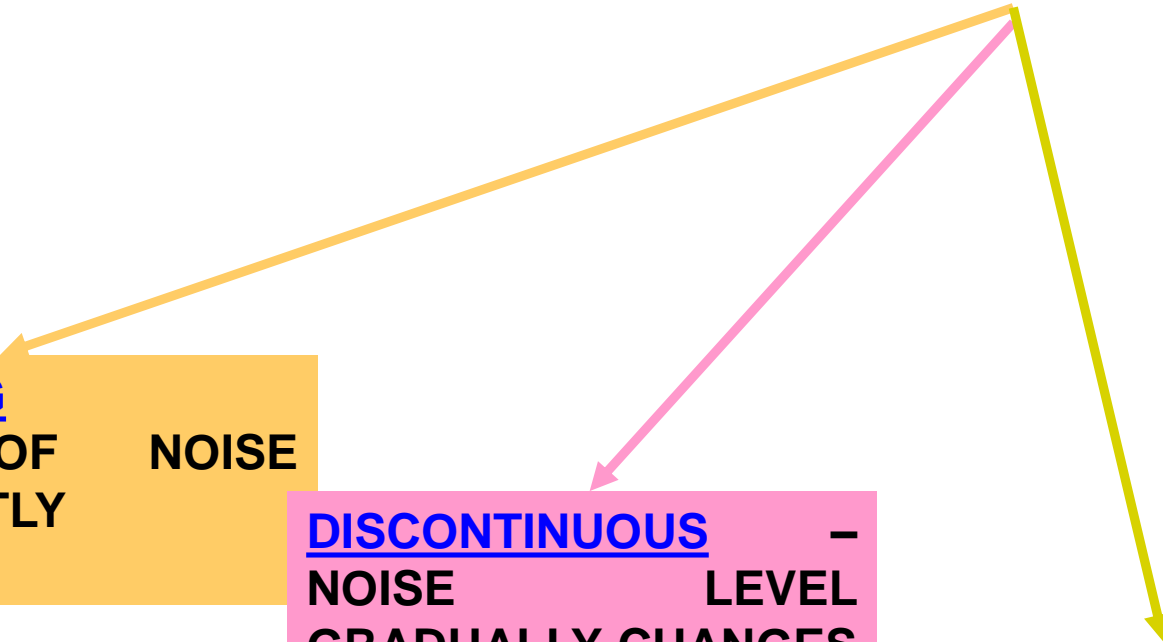
CONSTANT NOISE
SOUND LEVEL CHANGES
NOT MORE THAN TO 5 dB

UNSTEADY NOISE
SOUND LEVEL CHANGES
MORE THAN TO 5 dB

VIBRATING
LEVEL OF NOISE
CONSTANTLY
CHANGES

DISCONTINUOUS –
NOISE LEVEL
GRADUALLY CHANGES
TO 5 dB and more

IMPULSE – CONSISTS
IN ONE OR SEVERAL
SIGNALS



NOISE INFLUENCE ON THE HUMAN ORGANISM

SPECIFIC ACTION

**DIRECT INFLUENCE ON
ORGANS OF HEARING**



NONSPECIFIC ACTION

**INDIRECT ACTION VIA
EXCITATION OF SIGNALS IN
NERVE CELLS**



FOR PHARMACIES IT IS RECOMMENDED TO ESTABLISH NOISE LEVEL NOT MORE THAN 30 dB, MORE INTENSIVE NOISE LEADS TO INCREASE OF ERRORS WHILE PREPARING DRUGS.



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