

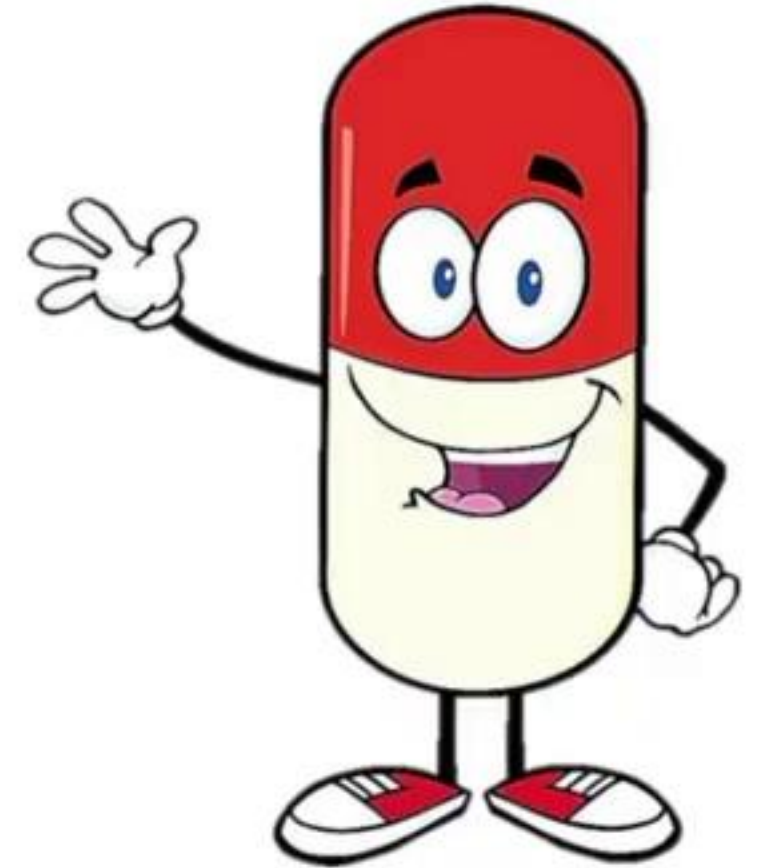


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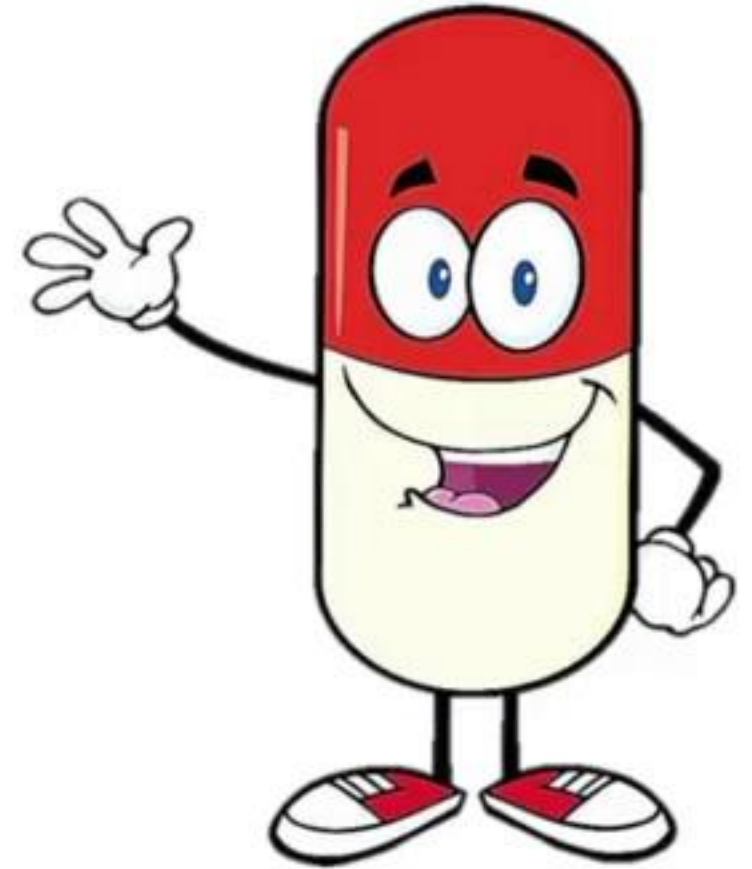


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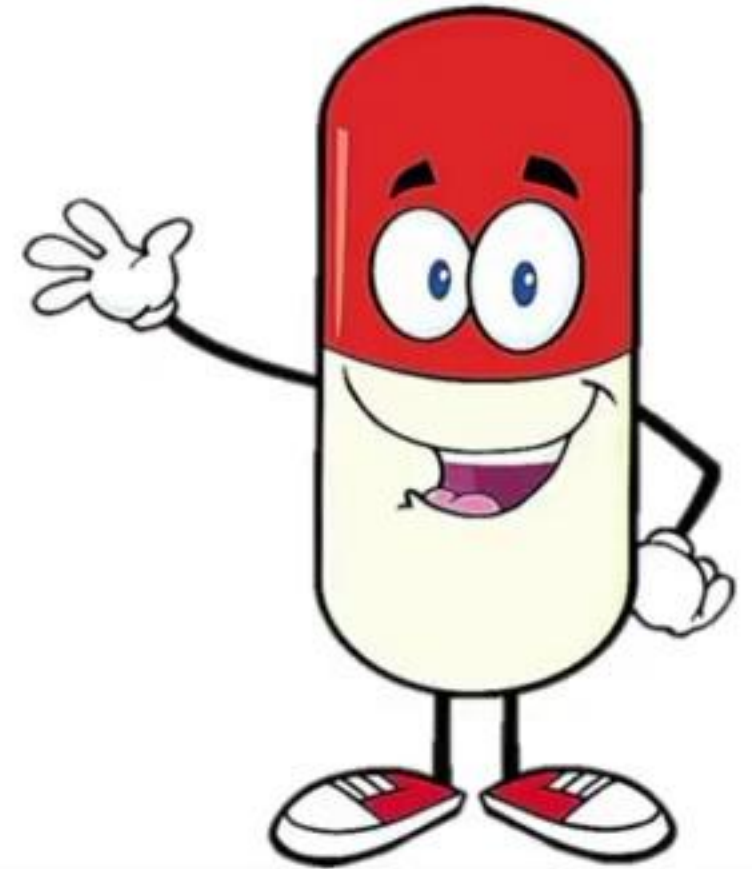


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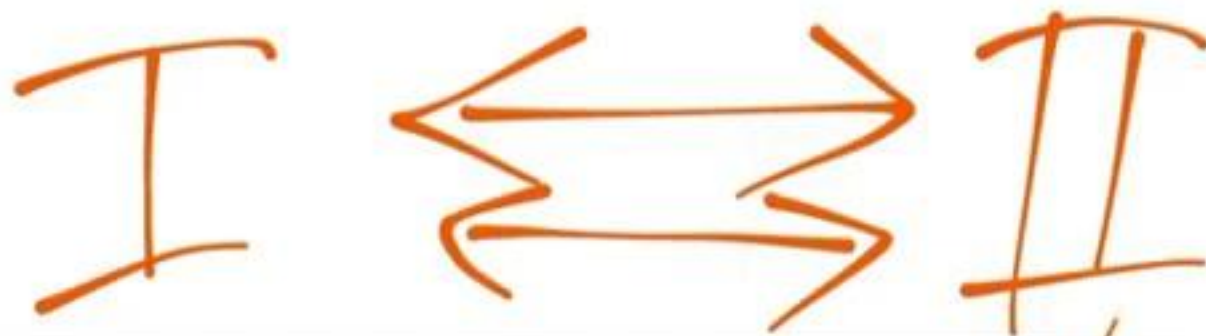
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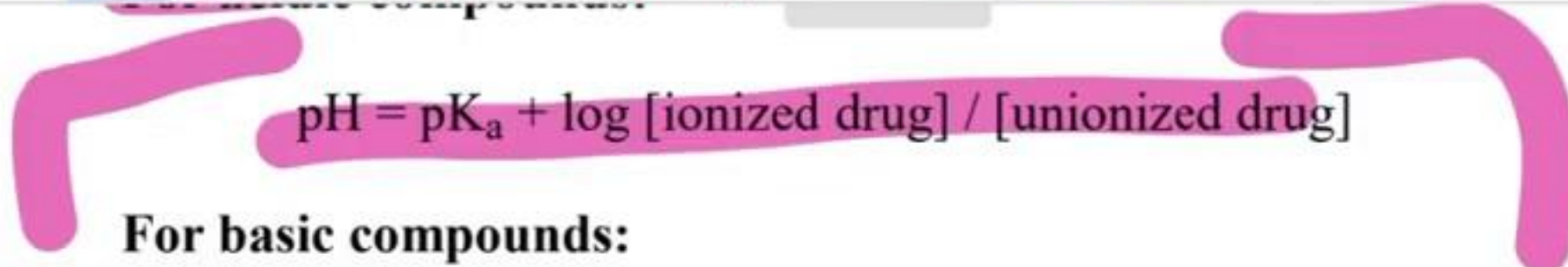
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- **Sharp peak:** Crystalline

→ Halo Pattern

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- Hot Stage Microscopy (melting point)
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3000 hrs  
60 60

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Content uniformity	30 tablets



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## Lactose

- Lactose X Amines – Maillard type of condensation reaction
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Coarse	60 to 80 mesh
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- Diluent
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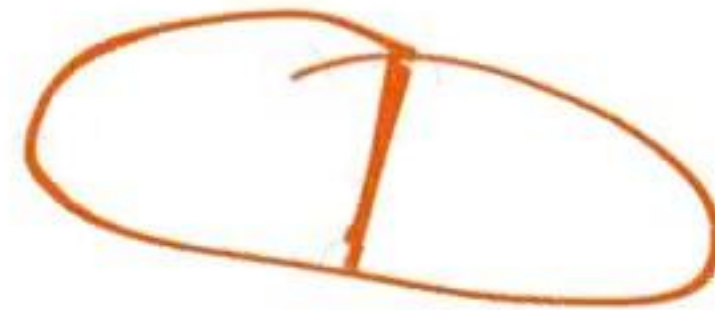
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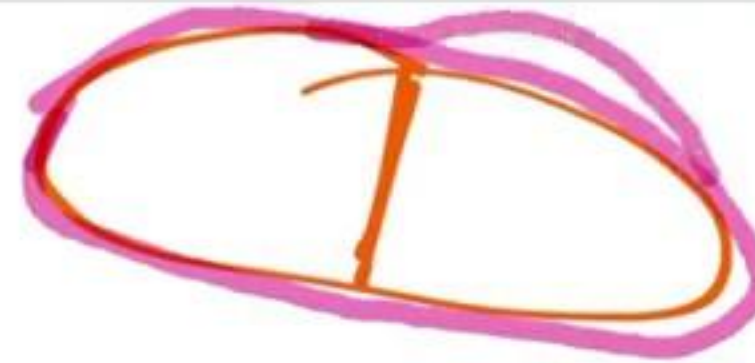


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Electrostatic coating	Application of coating to conductive substrates
Vacuum film coating	Air in coating pan replaced with nitrogen

### POLYMERS

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Carbopols	Polyacrylic acid crosslinked with polyalkenyl ethers or divinyl glycol
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- Note:** - A-70 produces a drier particle, while A-17 and A-31 produce a wetter spray.
- The amount of propellant used varies from 5% (foams) to 95% (inhalation products).

### Vapor pressure of propellant:

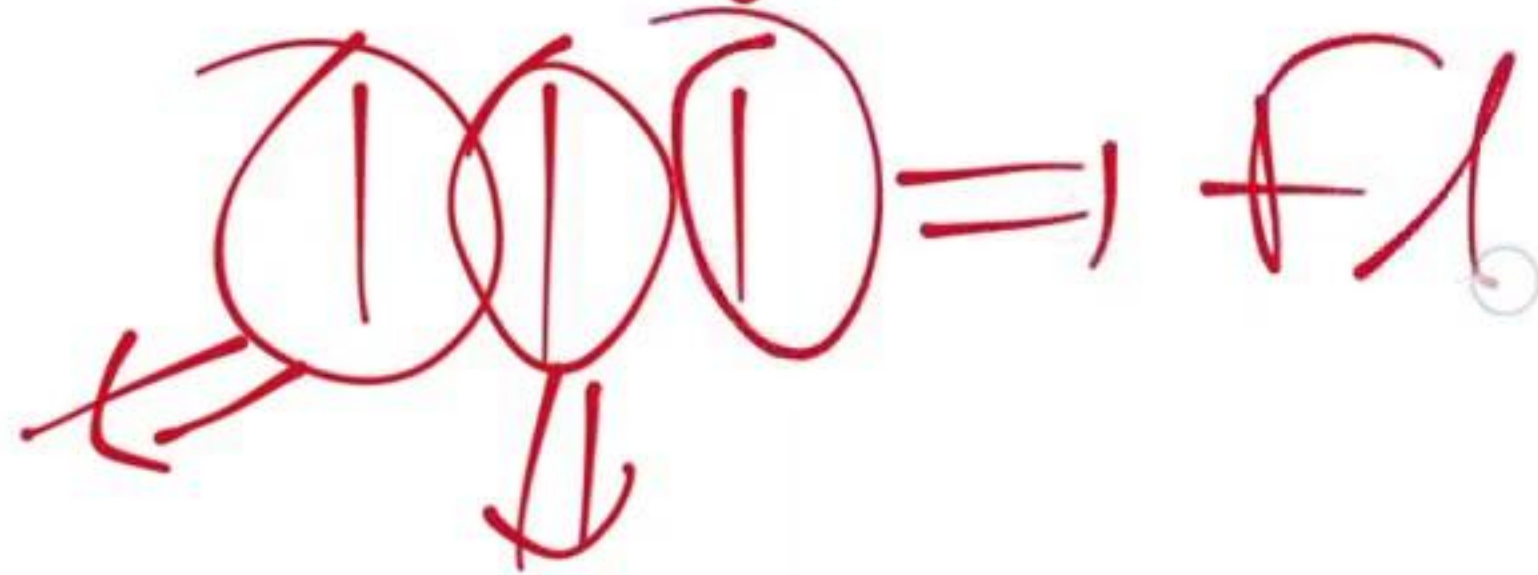
- **Propellant 12** – High vapour pressure

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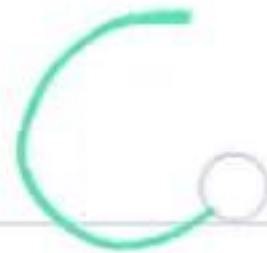
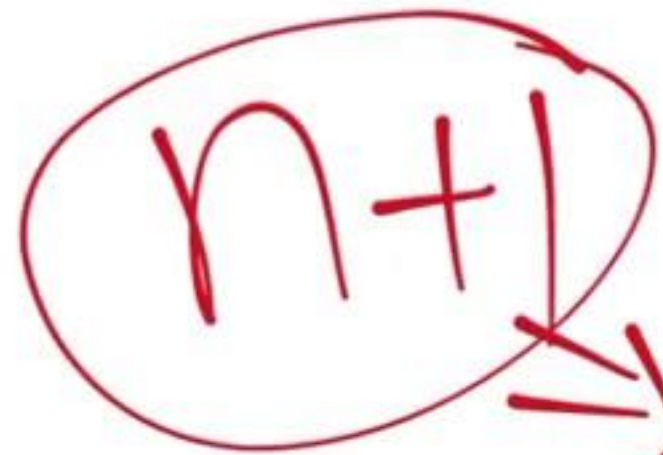
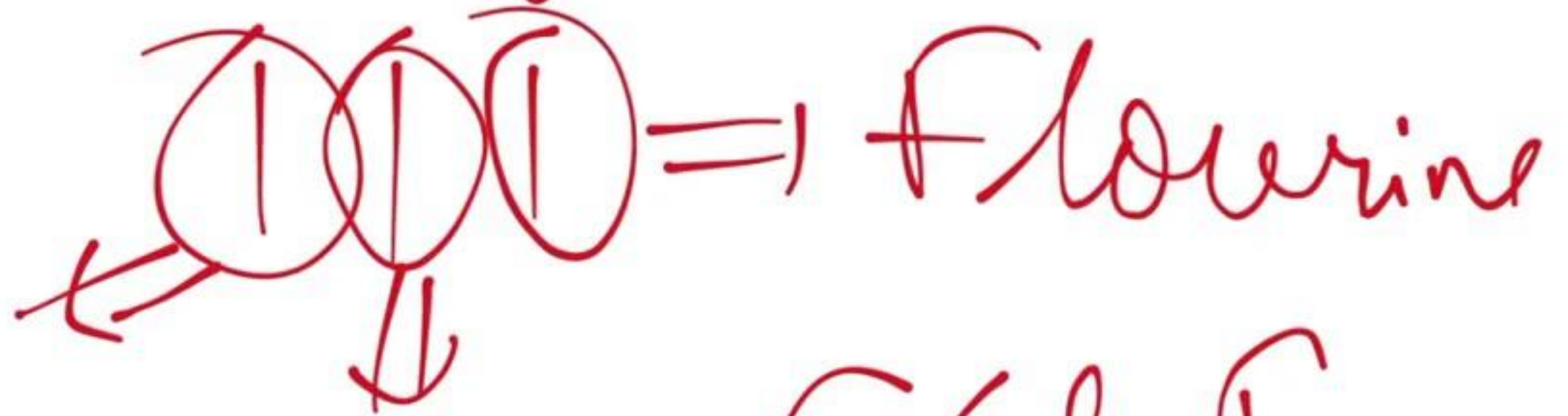




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## Laws:

- **Dalton's law:** Total vapour pressure
- **Raoult's law:** Partial vapour pressure

## Containers

Aerosol containers must withstand pressures as high as 140-180 psig at 130°F.

psig = pounds per sq. inch gauge; psia = pounds/sq. inch absolute

$$\text{psig} = \text{psia} - 14.7$$

### 1. Tinplate containers

- The tinned steel container consists of a sheet of steel plate that has been electroplated on both sides with tin.
- A recent development in metal tinplate containers is the welded side-seam.
- Two processes: (i) Soudronic system (ii) Conoweld system
- Soudronic system uses copper wire as an electrode.
- Conoweld system passes the folded body through two rotating electrode rings.

### 2. Aluminium containers

- Used to manufacture extruded (seamless) containers.
- Lessened danger of incompatibility due to its seamless nature and greater resistance to

- Used for inhalation aerosols.

#### 4. Glass containers

- Corrosion problems are eliminated.
- Allows for a greater degree of freedom in design of container.

#### Valves

- Aerosol valve is multifunctional, capable of being easily opened and closed.
- It is capable of delivering the content in the desired form.

Valve parts	Made from
Ferrule or Mounting Cup	Aluminium or brass

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Stem	Nylon or Delrin
Gasket	Buna-N and Neoprene rubber
Spring	Stainless steel
Dip tube	Polyethylene or Polypropylene

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### *Metering Valves*

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### **Actuators**

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#### **Types of actuators:**

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### Metered-Dose Inhalers

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#### **Leak testing:**

- Checking the crimping of the valve
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Moisture	Karl Fischer method, Gas chromatography
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Foam stability	Rotational viscometers
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Foam stability	Rotational viscometers
Particle size ( $0.1\text{-}30\ \mu$ )	Cascade impactor and Light scatter decay method

### IMPORTANT POINTS TO REMEMBER:

- Moisture content in aerosols: Below 300 ppm (200-300 ppm)
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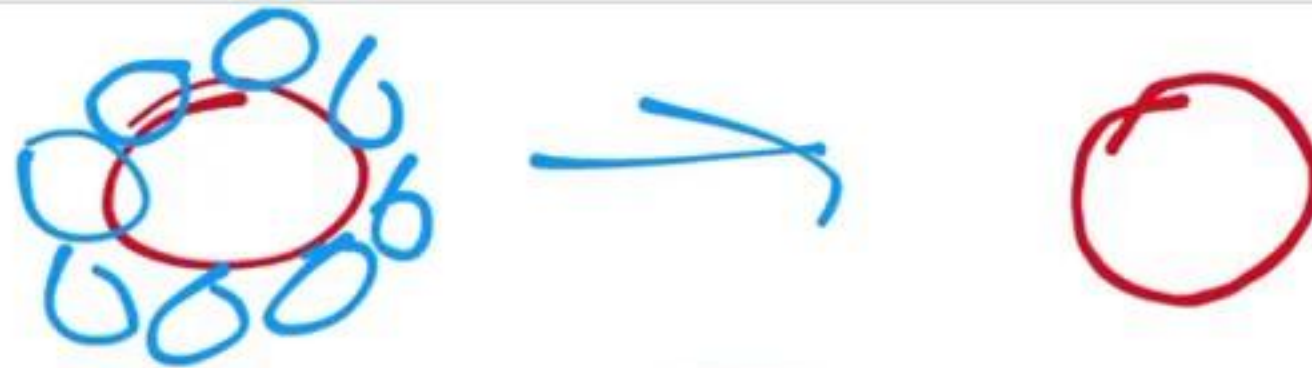
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## COSMETICS

### Antioxidants used in cosmetics:

Type	Antioxidant used
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### Liquid Lipsticks:

- Also known as lip rouges / lip gloss / lip paint.
- No Wax
- Lake colors are used, along with small proportions of bromo acid.

### Formulation of liquid lipsticks:

Formulation	Examples
Film former	Ethyl cellulose
Plasticiser	Glycerol

Preservative	
Antioxidant	

### Lip Salves:

- Used as “Protective”
- No colors used, form adherent films
- Used in winter

### Evaluation of Lipsticks:

1. Droop Point test – Temperature at which lipstick comes out.
2. Force of application – Weigh on paper after application.
3. Breaking Point test
4. Test for penetrability – Rheologic property
5. Stability testing – 45°C

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Thickeners	Improve viscosity (easy to pour and handle)	Gum karaya, gum tragacanth, CMC, HPMC, polyvinyl alcohol, carbopol 934P etc.
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4. Nail elongators

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### Formulation of Nail Enamel

Formulation parameters	Function / Comment	Examples
Film formers	Cellulose nitrate most widely used	Cellulose nitrate (Nitrocellulose), cellulose acetate, cellulose acetobutyrate, ethyl cellulose, methacrylate & vinyl polymers
Solvents	Mixture of solvents used to avoid precipitation of cellulose nitrate	-
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Plasticizers	Impart flexibility and gloss to the film, help in adhesion of film to nails	Dibutyl phthalate, resorcinol diacetate, castor oil, butyl acetyl ricinoleate etc.
Colors	Insoluble pigments and lake colors are used	-
Pearlescent	Impart pearly appearance to the film	2-amino, 6-oxypurine (crystalline guanine), bismuth oxychloride-coated pigments

**Amorolfine:** Oncomysis (Nail infection / used in nail lacquer)

## DENTRIFICES

Dentrifices are the preparations intended to cleanse the teeth of food debris, prevent calculus and plaque formation, polish to impart lustre to the teeth and to leave a refreshing feeling in mouth.

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Bleaching Cream

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Anti Wrinkle Cream

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Angieline

Retinol  
Coenzyme Q10



# OPHTHALMIC PREPARATIONS

## Formulation of Ophthalmic Products-

- Mean volume of tears:  $7\ \mu\text{l}$
- Capacity of cul-de-sac:  $30\ \mu\text{l}$
- Volume administered by dropper:  $50\ \mu\text{l}$
- Viscosity: 15-25 centipoise
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Type of Semisolid	Flow behaviour
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Gel	Pseudoplastic flow
Pastes	Dilatant flow

### Bases Classification:

Type of Bases	Examples
Absorption bases	Anhydrous lanolin (Wool fat)
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## PARENTERALS

(Para – outside ; Enteron – intestinal)

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Intra-ocular	Eyes	Carbachol
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### LAMINAR AIR FLOW:




Parameters	Conditions
Flow direction	Unidirectional
Velocity	80-120 ft / min
Laminarity (velocity) determination	Velometer / Anemometer
Cleanliness requirement	100 (Aseptic area)

### AIR HANDLING UNIT (AHU): HEATING, VENTILATION AND AIR CONDITIONING (HVAC)

Parameters	Conditions
Temperature	15-25 °C
Air changes	20 per hour
Cleanliness requirement	Class 100 or 1,00,000
Relative humidity	45-55 %
Pressure differential	0.05-0.1 inch water gauge

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### **ASEPTIC PACKAGING: BLOW FILL SEAL (BFS) / FORM FILL SEAL (FFS) TECHNOLOGY**

This technology is useful for polyethylene / polypropylene plastic containers (PE / PP).

#### **Four step continuous operation:**

1. Heat of plastic granules to semisolid state (Parison extrusion).
2. Blow moulding to form containers (Parison moulding).
3. Filling of containers.
4. Sealing of containers.

## PHYSICAL PHARMACY

### Methods of Particle size distribution:

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1.	Optical microscopy	0.2-100
2.	Sieving	50-1500
3.	Sedimentation	1-200
4.	Conductivity	0.5-500

- Sieving 30/45 – Passed/Retained
- Sedimentation (Stokes' diameter)

<b>Anderson's pipette method</b>
10 ml pipette capacity
550 ml cylindrical vessel
20 cm below the surface of suspension

- Coulter counter = Particle volume/Stream scanning (4000 particle/sec counted)

### Methods of surface area determination:



1) BET adsorption: Specific surface/diameter

2) Air permeability



**Kozeny-Carman equation**  $\Rightarrow V = A / n s_w^2 \cdot \Delta p / K l \cdot \epsilon / (1 - \epsilon)^2$

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- Ostwald viscometer  $\rightarrow$  Poiseuille law

## 2) Falling sphere/Hoeppler falling sphere viscometer

Range: 0.5-2,00,000 drops/min.

## 3) Rotational viscometer

- **Cup and Bob viscometer**

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#### **Association colloids:**

Types	Examples
Anionic	Sodium lauryl sulphate
Cationic	Cetyl trimethyl ammonium bromide
Non-ionic	Polyoxyethylene lauryl ether

### Properties of colloids:

Properties	Determined by
Optical	- Microscopy - Light scattering
Kinetic	- Brownian motion (prevent sedimentation)
Electrical	- Electrophoresis

	- Donnan membrane equilibrium
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Oil-soluble dyes: e.g. Sudan III, Scarlet red

#### b) Dilution test (miscibility)

#### c) Conductivity test: Purity of water

#### d) Creaming test

Cream downward – W/O

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- 17) **Darcy equation:** Filtration rate.
- 18) **Instron tester:** Tackiness and stickiness.
- 19) **Cryoscopic constant:** Freezing point depression (Beckmann apparatus).
- 20) **Ebullioscopic constant:** Elevation of boiling point.
- 21) **Graham's law:** Diffusion of Gases.
- 22) **Dalton's law:** Total vapour pressure.
- 23) **Raoult's law:** Partial vapour pressure.





# Group Pharma

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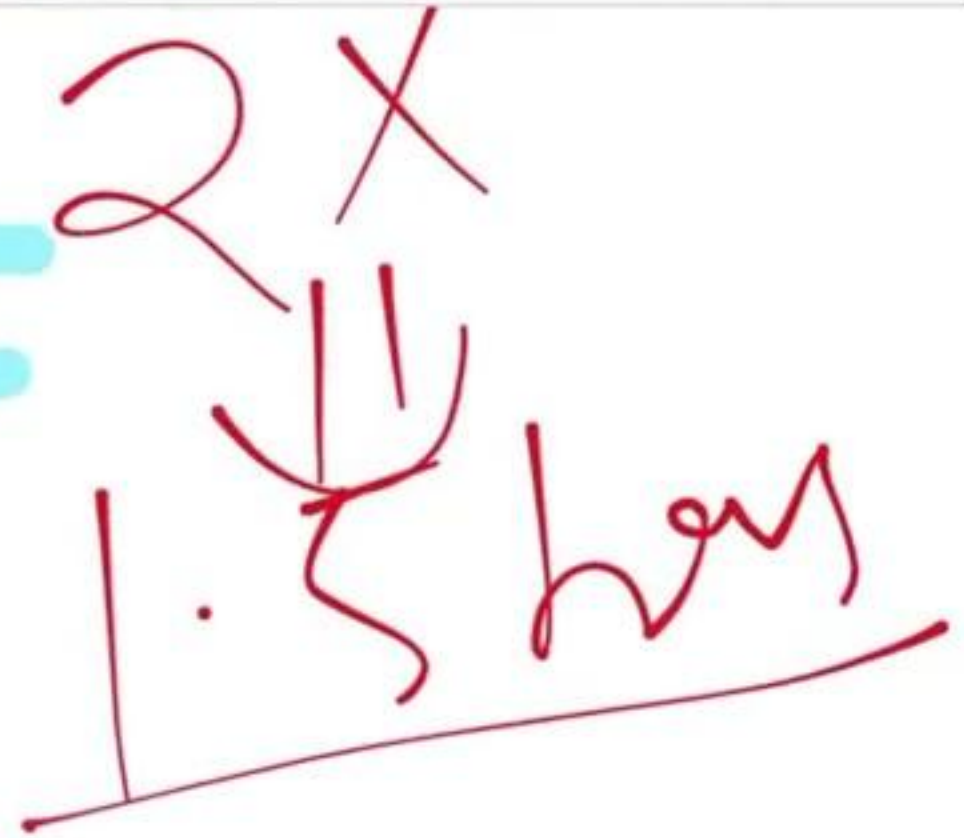
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**Mechanism:**

Mechanism of heat transfer	Applicable to
Conduction	Solids
Convection	Liquids

**Fourier's law:** States that the time rate of heat transfer through a material is proportional to the negative gradient in the temperature and to the area, at right angles to that gradient, through which the heat is flowing.

**Heat transfer by radiation:**

- (i) **Kirchoff's law:** Emissive power of a body E is radiant energy emitted per unit area in unit time.
- (ii) **Stefan-Boltzmann law:** Emissive power of black body is proportional to the fourth power of absolute temperature.

**Heat transfer by convection:**

- (i) **Natural convection:** Buoyancy force
- (ii) **Forced convection:** Rate of heat transfer higher than natural convection.

### III. EVAPORATION

- **Duhring Rule** - Elevation in boiling point

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0.3	<i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>
0.45	<i>Serratia marcescens</i>
0.65	<i>Saccharomyces cerevisiae</i>

## VII. CRYSTALLISATION

Theory	Applicable to
Mier's	Supersaturation



**ZONES:**

Type of zones	Features
Stable zone	Unsaturated + No crystallisation
Metastable zone	Nucleation + Crystallisation
Unstable / Labile zone	Supersaturation + Nucleation

**Storage of corrosive material:**

Corrosive material	Suitable material
Nitric acid	Stainless steel
Distilled water	Tin
Dilute Sulphuric acid	Lead

- **Surface coating** – to prevent corrosion, i.e. Electroplating, cladding, vapour deposition, organic coating
- **Cladding** – involves mechanical bonding of corrosion resistant material with material to be protected.

**VIII. FIRE**



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Veterinary use pills are called as "BOLUS".

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**Macrogols = PEG = POE**

**Macrogol 200 = PEG 4**

Creep test - used to test the viscosity (rheological properties) of Creams and Ointments.



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