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# Design, in silico study, synthesis and in vitro evaluation of some N5-(1H-pyrazol-3-yl)-3H-benzo[d]imidazole-2,5-diamine derivatives as potential pancreatic lipase inhibitors for anti-obesity activity

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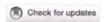
OBJECTIVE: The aim of the study is to design N5-(1H-pyrazol-3-yl)-3H-benzo[d]imidazole-2,5-diamine derivatives and evaluate its anti-obesity activity. MATERIALS AND METHODS: A few pyrazole-fused benzimidazole derivatives were designed as potential Pancreatic Lipase (PL) inhibitors. The designed N5-(1H-pyrazol-3-yl)-3H-benzo[d]imidazole-2,5-diamine derivatives have been screened using the Lipinski rule of five, ADMET analysis, acute toxicity prediction, and molecular docking. Later on, the derivatives which possess the most drug-likeness properties and displayed the most

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# Therapeutic efficacy of matrix metalloproteinase-12 suppression on neurological recovery after ischemic stroke: Optimal treatment timing and duration

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We recently showed that the post-ischemic induction of matrix metalloproteinase-12 (MMP-12) in the brain degrades tight junction proteins, increases MMP-9 and TNFa expression, and contributes to the blood-brain barrier (BBB) disruption, apoptosis, demyelination, and infarct volume development. The objectives of this study were to (1) determine the effect of MMP-12 suppression by shRNA-mediated gene silencing on neurological/functional recovery, (2) establish the optimal timing of MMP-12shRNA treatment that provides maximum therapeutic benefit, (3) compare the effectiveness of acute versus chronic MMP-12 suppression, and (4) evaluate potential sex-related differences in treatment outcomes. Young male and female Sprague-Dawley rats were subjected to transient middle cerebral artery occlusion and reperfusion. Cohorts of rats were administered either MMP-12shRNA or scrambled shRNA sequence (control) expressing plasmids (1 mg/kg; i.v.) formulated as nanoparticles. At designated time points after reperfusion, rats from various groups were subjected to a battery of neurological tests to assess their reflex, balance, sensory, and motor functions. Suppression of MMP-12 promoted the neurological recovery of stroke-induced male and female rats, although the effect was less apparent in females. Immediate treatment after reperfusion resulted in a better recovery



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## The interplay between MMP-12 and t-PA in the brain after ischemic stroke

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#### Abstract

Tissue-type plasminogen activator (t-PA) expression is known to increase following transient focal cerebral ischemia and reperfusion. Previously, we reported downregulation of t-PA upon suppression of matrix metalloproteinase-12 (MMP-12), following transient focal cerebral ischemia and reperfusion. We now present data on the temporal expression of t-PA in the brain after transient ischemia, as well as the interaction between MMP-12 and t-PA, two proteases associated with the breakdown of the blood-brain barrier (BBB) and ischemic brain damage. We hypothesized that there might be reciprocal interactions between MMP-12 and t-PA in the brain after ischemic stroke. This hypothesis was tested using shRNAmediated gene silencing and computational modeling. Suppression of t-PA following transient ischemia and reperfusion in rats attenuated MMP-12 expression in the brain. The overall effect of t-PA shRNA administration was to attenuate the degradation of BBB tight junction protein claudin-5, diminish BBB disruption, and reduce <u>neuroinflammation</u> by decreasing the expression of the microglia/macrophage proinflammatory M1 phenotype (CD68, iNOS, IL-1 $\beta$ , and TNF $\alpha$ ). Reduced BBB disruption and subsequent lack of infiltration of macrophages (the main source of MMP-12 in the ischemic brain) could account for the decrease in MMP-12 expression after t-PA suppression. Computational modeling of in silico protein-protein interactions indicated that MMP-12 and t-PA may interact physically. Overall, our findings demonstrate that MMP-12 and t-PA interact directly or indirectly at multiple levels in the brain following an ischemic stroke. The present findings could be useful in the development of new pharmacotherapies for the treatment of stroke.

#### Introduction

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Worldwide, stroke remains the leading cause of death and disability. Ischemic stroke, which occurs due to the occlusion of cerebral blood arteries, accounts for about 87% of all strokes (Virani et al., 2020). The two FDA-approved recanalization treatments, endovascular thrombectomy and thrombolysis drug therapy with

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#### Development and Characterization of Lansoprazole Fast Dissolving Tablets

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#### Abstract

Objective: The purpose of presentinvestigation to formulate, characterize the fast dissolving tablets (FDT) for Lansoprazole. Lansoprazole, a proton pump inhibitor. It mainly used for the effective management of peptic ulcer. It is having very low solubility in GI fluid, which results in to poor bioavailability after oral administration. So there is a strong need to formulate Lansoprazole Solid Dispersion. Where there is in imbalance between mucus layer and acid secretion it causes ulceration. In this condition, quick actions are required. Hence need to formulate suitable dosage forms likemouth dissolving/disintegrating tablet, to achieve reliable bioavailability and enhance patient compliance.

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# A NOVEL AND ROBUST ANALYTICAL TECHNIQUE FOR DETERMINING COVID-19 MEDICATIONS USED IN EMERGENCIES

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#### Abstract:

To treat mild to moderate COVID-19, an investigational drug called nirmatrelvir in combination with ritonavir is being researched for which the potential hazards with this are still unknown. Nirmatrelvir has been approved for immediate use by the US Food and drug intake in conjunction with the drug ritonavir for the treatment of mild to medium COVID-19 in grown ups and individuals of more than 12 years who test positive for the virus and are at a high risk to develop severe COVID-19.To quantify the drugs simultaneously in tablet dosage forms, a novel, sensitive and reproducible reverse phase liquid chromatography method has been developed. Thechromatographic separation was performed using Phenomenex (250×4.6mm,5µ particle size) column. The separation and elution were carried out at an ambient temperature using a mobile phase consisting of 0.1% trifluoro acetic acid &acetonitrile in the ratio of 50:50%v/v. The maximum absorbance by UV spectrophotometer shown at wavelength 258.3nm& 271.4nm for nirmatrelvir and ritonavir. Also, 266nm was selected as detector wavelength by a photodiode array detector for the HPLC chromatrographic method. Beer lambert's law obeyed in the linear range of 37.5-225µg/mL(R<sup>2</sup>=0.9998) for nirmatrelvir and 25-150 μg/mL(R<sup>2</sup>=0.9994) for ritonavir. The method shows method and system precision with % RSD less than 1%. The percentage mean recovery was found to be 99.9-100.2% 100.0-100.2%. The LOD 1.5 µg/mL &1 µg/mL values indicates the method sensitivity. The proposed stability indicating method was validated for precision, accuracy, specificity, selectivity, robustness and stability studies according to ICH guidelines.

Keywords: RP-HPLC, Nirmatrelvir, Ritonavir, Trifluoro acetic acid, Stability studies.

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### Therapeutic potential of quercetin for the prevention of various drug and chemicalinduced nephrotoxicity: A review

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#### Abstract

Quercetin is a flavonoid and has been reported to have a wide range of pharmacological properties. The possible mechanisms involved in the nephroprotective activity of quercetin were discussed in this review. Quercetin exhibited nephroprotective activity against valproic acid, cisplatin, doxorubicin, streptozotocin, sodium fluoride, methotrexate, lead acetate, cadmium, lindane, adenine, paracetamol, gallium arsenide, chlorpyrifos, TiO<sub>2</sub>, ferric nitrile triacetate, dichlorvas, melphalan, HgCl<sub>2</sub>, ischaemic reperfusion, gentamicin, snake venom, ammonium fluoride, arsenate, atrazine, Ionising radiation and iron in various animal models due to its antioxidant, free radical-scavenging, anti-inflammatory, anti-apoptotic mechanisms. In this review, we provide an overview of the possible mechanisms by which quercetin reduced the nephrotoxicity-induced by different nephrotoxicants. This will help the scientific community to reduce the nephrotoxicity using quercetin.

#### 1. Introduction

Flavonoids are a group of antioxidants affecting basic cell function such as growth, differentiation and apoptosis, because of their radical scavenging activity (Ilic et al., 2014). Quercetin (QR) is a 3, 5, 7, 3, 4-pentahydroxyflavon, having the five hydroxyl groups placed at five different positions (Muhammad et al., 2018). It has a bitter flavor and is widely distributed in fruits and vegetables. Buckwheat tea has a large amount of QR. QR is widely used in research and clinical trials. It has been proved to be having effective free radical scavenging activity, thus acts as an antioxidant (Ferry et al., 1996). In addition, it also possesses anti-inflammatory, antiapoptotic, hepatoprotective (Manoj et al., 2021), renoprotective, neuroprotective (Paramita et al., 2021) and cardioprotective effects (Chandrasinh et al., 2021; Pingili et al., 2020).

QR is now largely utilized as nutraceutical and as a phytochemical medication for different diseases. Owing to its basic chemical

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#### 2. Nephroprotective activity of quercetin

# 2.1 Protective activity against valproic acid (VPA)-induced nephrotoxicity

VPA is used in treatment of epilepsy for various kinds of seizures. It induces release of free radicals and thereby causes lipid peroxidation and subsequent nephrotoxicity (Figure 1A). A study has shown that QR (0.05 mM) has nephroprotective activity against VPA-induced nephrotoxicity (20 mg/kg) by inhibiting lipid peroxidation using an *in vitro* model (Chaudhary *et al.*, 2015).

# 2.2 Protective activity against cisplatin (CS)-induced nephrotoxicity

CS is an antitumoral drug used for treatment of various types of cancers. CS induces mitochondrial injury and stimulates production of ROS and triggers inflammatory responses resulting in nephrotoxicity (Figure 1B). A study has demonstrated that QR (50 mg/kg/day, IP) prevented the nephrotoxic effect of CS (4 mg/kg, IP)



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# Effect of herbal bioenhancer (naringenin) on the pharmacokinetics of diltiazem in rats via CYP3A4 and P-glycoprotein inhibition

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#### Abstract

CYP3A4 and P-gp substrate is diltiazem and naringenin has been observed to affect both CYP3A4 and P-gp. The goal of this study was to observe how naringenin affected the pharmacokinetics (PK) of diltiazem in rats as well as absorption using everted gut sacs of rat *in vitro*. After 20 min, rats were administered orally with naringenin (12.5, 25 and 50 mg/kg) and then 15 mg/kg of diltiazem was also administered for 15 repeated days orally. In a single dosage PK study (SDS), blood was taken from the tail vein on the 1st day and in a multiple dosing PK study (MDS) on the 15th day. Thermokinetic was used to calculate the PK parameters. In a dose-dependent manner, naringenin pretreatment enhanced the Cmax and the AUC of diltiazem. At a dosage of naringenin 100 mg/kg, the Cmax of diltiazem increased from  $39.276 \pm 2.485$  to  $72.394 \pm 5.152$  and  $44.982 \pm 5.348$  to  $85.372 \pm 5.263$  ng/ml in SDS and MDS, respectively. In SDS and MDS, the AUC of diltiazem increased considerably from  $818.206 \pm 69.247$  to  $1448.781 \pm 91.588$  and  $1730.362 \pm 145.314$  to  $2677.052 \pm 122.625$  (ng/ml/h). *In vitro* test results revealed that diltiazem absorption was increased with naringenin and verapamil (a known standard P-gp and CYP3A4 inhibitor). The findings suggested that naringenin enhanced diltiazem absorption in the intestine due to P-gp and CYP3A4 inhibition.

#### 1. Introduction

The bulk of medications' first-pass metabolism (FPM) and pharmacokinetics (PK) are influenced by cytochrome P-450 (CYP) and P-glycoprotein (P-gp). CYP3A4 is the important enzyme present in the human gut and liver (Paine et al., 2006; Rostami and Tucker, 2007; Shimada et al., 1994). A vast range of xenobiotic substances, including many medicinal medications, are known to be metabolized by CYP3A4 (Nebert and Russell, 2002). Drugs that undergo metabolism by CYP3A4 may combine with other medications that stimulate or inhibit CYP3A4, resulting in clinically relevant PK effects. Due to its broad-specificity and effect on drug PK characteristics, P-gp is an excellent example of a clinically useful drug transporter (Srivalli and Lakshmi, 2012). P-gp is an efflux transporter found in a variety of organs that have pharmacokinetic importance (Fardel et al., 2012). P-gp acts as a unidirectional efflux pump and play an important role in the PK of drugs (Aller et al., 2009). The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) further recommends that a screening to determine if prospective bioactive chemicals are

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P-gp substrates be carried out as early as feasible in the drug discovery pipeline (U.S. Food and Drug Administration, 2012).

Prescription and non-prescription medicines, as well as other xenobiotics present in some herbal remedies and food items, are CYP3A4 and P-gp modulators that can have clinically significant effects on some substrates (Rouveix, 2007). Diltiazem is a calcium channel blocker (CCB) that is commonly used to treat angina, supraventricular arrhythmias and hypertension (Millard et al., 1983, Buckley et al., 1990). Diltiazem has 40% absolute bioavailability because of first pass metabolism (FPM) mediated by CYP3A4 in the small intestine and liver (Pichard et al., 1990; Lefebvre et al., 1996). P-gp may be responsible for diltiazem's limited bioavailability in addition to extensive metabolism and diltiazem might be a substrate for both CYP3A4 and P-gp (Gottesman and Pastan, 1993; Gan et al., 1996; Wacher et al., 1998). Both P-gp and CYP3A4 are present in the small intestine, they may work together to increase FPM, resulting in drug absorption being reduced (Wacher et al., 2001; Ito et al., 1999). Naringenin is a citrus flavonoid that has an excellent antioxidant property. Several lines of research show that using naringenin supplements can help with obesity, diabetes, hypertension and metabolic syndrome (Paramita et al., 2021; Alam et al., 2014). In prior research, we found that naringenin inhibited CYP enzymes and P-gp (Surya et al., 2014). Previous studies suggested that some of



# Study On Influence Of Process Parameters On Quality Of Lovastatin Microspheres By Design Of Experiments

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#### **Abstract**

Scale-up of microspheres is major challenge at large scale manufacturing. The foremost objective of this research was to study the impact of key process parameters and formulation parameters, which are significant during scale-up, on the quality characteristic of the lovastatin microspheres. Emulsion solvent evaporation technique was explored to generate microspheres. Including the amount & type of polymer, process parameters like viscosity of the internal and temperatures used for evaporation of the solvent were taken as the factors. The key quality control parameters of the microspheres viz. entrapment efficiency and drug release rate constant were considered as the response variables on which the influence of the factors to be studied. Under response surface methodology, historical data design was employed to design of experiments (DoE) analysis using Stat Ease Design Expert software. Apart from the responses, the microspheres prepared were studied for flow properties, percentage yield and surface morphology. Scanning electron microscopy (SEM) images illustrated that the microspheres were almost spherical having different surface texture for different polymers. Entrapment efficiency results were found to be in the range of 78.43 - 93.83%; and the values of drug release rate constant were to be in the range of 0.09 - 1.2 h<sup>-1</sup> for all the prepared microspheres. Response surface linear model was selected to elucidate the relation between the factors and the responses. Analysis of variance (ANOVA) of the selected model indicated that all the selected factors including the key process parameters had significant influence on both the responses. Later, graphical optimization was performed with the set desirability of maximizing the entrapment efficiency and minimizing the drug release rate constant. The microspheres obtained from the optimised formula were found to have 92.4% entrapment efficiency and 0.102 h-1 as the drug release rate constant. These results signified that the selected factors including the process parameters had substantial influence on the quality characteristics of the prepared microspheres.

KEYWORDS: Microspheres, process parameters, Design of experiments, Entrapment efficiency, Optimization.

#### INTRODUCTION

Microspheres are roughly spherical solid particles, ranging in diameter of  $1-1000\mu m$  that contain a drug dispersed in solution (or) in microcrystalline form (1). Microcapsules and microspheres are the terms that are often used synonymously. The polymeric microspheres are more stable than other particulate drug delivery systems. Upon surface modification, these microparticles can be used to deliver the contained drugs to the desired target site

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## EFFECT OF COMBINATION SUPERDISINTEGRANTS ON THE DRUG DELIVERY OF LANSOPRAZOLE

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# Interlinked role of ASN, TDP-43 and Miro1 with parkinopathy: Focus on targeted approach against neuropathy in parkinsonism

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#### ABSTRACT

Parkinsonism is a complex neurodegenerative disease that is difficult to differentiate because of its idiopathic and unknown origins. The hereditary parkinsonism known as autosomal recessive-juvenile parkinsonism (AR-JP) is marked by tremors, dyskinesias, dystonic characteristics, and manifestations that improve sleep but do not include dementia. This was caused by deletions and point mutations in PARK2 (chromosome 6a25,2-27). Diminished or unusual sensations (paresthesias), loss of neuron strength both in the CNS and peripheral nerves, and lack of motor coordination are the hallmarks of neuropathy in parkinsonism. The incidence of parkinsonism during oxidative stress and ageing is associated with parkinopathy. Parkinopathy is hypothesized to be triggered by mutation of the parkin (PRKN) gene and loss of normal physiological functions of PRKN proteins, which triggers their pathogenic aggregation due to conformational changes. Two important genes that control mitochondrial health are PRKN and phosphatase and tensin homologue deleted on chromosome 10-induced putative kinase 1 (PINK1). Overexpression of TAR DNA-binding protein-43 (TDP-43) increases the aggregation of insoluble PRKN proteins in OMM. Foreign α-synuclein (ASN) promotes parkinopathy via S-nitrosylation and hence has a neurotoxic effect on dopaminergic nerves. Miro1 (Miro GTPase1), a member of the RAS superfamily, is expressed in nerve cells. Due to PINK1/PRKN and Miro1's functional relationship, an excess of mitochondrial calcium culminates in the destruction of dopaminergic neurons. An interlinked understanding of TDP-43, PINK1/ PRKN, ASN, and Miro1 signalling in the communication among astrocytes, microglia, neurons, and immune cells within the brain explored the pathway of neuronal death and shed light on novel strategies for the diagnosis and treatment of parkinsonism.

#### 1. Introduction

The loss of dopamine pathways in dopaminergic nerves and the formation of Lewy bodies, which are intracytoplasmic proteinaceous aggregates of  $\alpha$ -synuclein (ASN), distinguishes mobility disorders such as parkinsonism (Nicastro et al., 2018). The autosomal

recessive-juvenile parkinsonism (AR-JP) has just been identified as a kind of hereditary parkinsonism that is distinguished by tremors, dyskinesias, and dystonic features without dementia features, as well as the improvement of conditions during sleep (Kim et al., 2008; Stoker and Greenland, 2018). Lewy body-free dopaminergic neurons in the nigrum distinguish AR-JP from conventional Parkinson's disease (PD) (Dickson,

Abbreviations: AR-JP, Autosomal Recessive-Juvenile Parkinsonism; ASN, α- synuclein; PRKN, Parkin; PINK1, [PTEN (phosphatase and tensin homologue deleted on chromosome 10)-induced putative kinase 1)]; AD, Alzheimer disease; PD, Parkinson disease; PCR, Polymerase chain reaction; TDP-43, TAR DNA-binding protein 43; PQC, Protein Quality Control; Miro1, Mitochondrial Rho GTPase1; Miro2, Mitochondrial Rho GTPase2; NFT, Neurofibrillary tangles; NAC, Non Amyloid Component; MTD, Mitochondrial-Targeting Domain; UbH, Ubiquitin homology; RING, Really interesting new gene; IBR, In between RING fingers; OMM, Outer Mitochondrial Membrane; VDAC, Voltage-Dependent Anion Channel; MCU, Mitochondrial Calcium Uniporter; IP3R, Inositol 1,4,5-triphosphate Receptor; NTD, N-Terminal Domain; RRM1, RNA Recognition Motif1; RRM2, RNA recognition motif2; CTD, C-terminal domain; NES, Nuclear Export Sequence; GRR, Glycine-Rich Region; MERCs, Mitochondria and endoplasmic reticulum (ER) contact sites; TRAK, Trafficking Kinesin Protein; TMD, Transmembrane Domain; DMT, Disease-Modifying Therapy; ST, Symptomatic Therapy; GCase, Glucocerebrosidase; MAO, Monoamineoxidase; GLP-1, Glucagon-like peptide-1; BBB, Blood-Brain Barrier.

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#### REVIEW



# Neuroinflammation and neovascularization in diabetic eye diseases (DEDs): identification of potential pharmacotherapeutic targets

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#### **Abstract**

The goal of this review is to increase public knowledge of the etiopathogenesis of diabetic eye diseases (DEDs), such as diabetic retinopathy (DR) and ocular angiosarcoma (ASO), and the likelihood of blindness among elderly widows. A widow's life in North India, in general, is fraught with peril because of the economic and social isolation it brings, as well as the increased risk of death from heart disease, hypertension, diabetes, depression, and dementia. Neovascularization, neuroinflammation, and edema in the ocular tissue are hallmarks of the ASO, a rare form of malignant tumor. When diabetes, hypertension, and aging all contribute to increased oxidative stress, the DR can proceed to ASO. Microglia in the retina of the optic nerve head are responsible for causing inflammation, discomfort, and neurodegeneration. Those that come into contact with them will get blind as a result of this. Advanced glycation end products (AGE), vascular endothelial growth factor (VEGF), protein kinase C (PKC), poly-ADP-ribose polymerase (PARP), metalloproteinase9 (MMP9), nuclear factor kappaB (NFkB), program death ligand1 (PDL-1), factor VIII (FVIII), and von Willebrand factor (VWF) are potent agents for ocular neovascularisation (ONV), neuroinflammation and edema in the ocular tissue. AGE/VEGF, DAG/PKC, PARP/NFkB, RAS/VEGF, PDL-1/PD-1, VWF/FVIII/VEGF, and RAS/VEGF are all linked to the pathophysiology of DEDs. The interaction between ONV and ASO is mostly determined by the VWF/FVIII/VEGF and PDL-1/PD-1 axis. This study focused on retinoprotective medications that can pass the blood-retinal barrier and cure DEDs, as well as the factors that influence the etiology of neovascularization and neuroinflammation in the eye.

**Keywords** Diabetic retinopathy · Ocular angiosarcoma · FVIII/VWF/VEGF · PDL-1/PD-1 · Blood retinal barrier · Retinoprotective drugs

#### Introduction

New Delhi, India's capital city, is just a short drive away from Vrindavan and Mathura, two of the country's most popular pilgrimage destinations for Hindu devotees. They're referred to as the "city of widows" because they care for a sizable portion of India's 40 million-plus widow population. Widows may be housed in ashrams, temples, or even in the

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Development and validation of a novel bioanalytical method for the simultaneous determination of glecaprevir and pibrentasvir in human plasma using reversed-phase high-performance liquid chromatography

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#### Background and objective

For the simultaneous determination of glecaprevir (GPR) and pibrentasvir (PTR) in human plasma, a novel, accurate, and selective reversed-phase high-performance liquid chromatography method was developed and validated.

#### Materials and methods

Owing to structural resemblance, bictegravir was selected as an internal standard. Anticoagulant used was K2-EDTA. The GPR-PTR was the first of its kind approved drug by FDA for the treatment of chronic hepatitis C. Precipitation technique with acetonitrile was employed for the extraction of analyte from human plasma. Kromasil C<sub>18</sub> column (5 μ, 150×4.6 mm) with an isocratic mobile phase of 0.1% orthophosphoric acid buffer pH 4.3, adjusted with dilute hydrochloric acid: acetonitrile in the ratio of 70: 30 v/v, was used for the resolution. At a flow rate of 1 ml/min, the mobile phase was pumped. Using a photodiode array detector, effluents were monitored at 250 nm.

#### Results

Over concentration ranges of 5-200 µg/ml and 6.650-266.000 µg/ml, the method was found to be linear for GPR and PTR, respectively, in human plasma, with the precision and accuracy ranging from 0.76 to 9.05% and 90.55 to 98.98% for GPR respectively, whereas for PTR ranged from 0.74 to 9.52% and 91.56 to 105.61%,

#### Conclusion

The stability of the analyte was evaluated in plasma under different stress conditions.

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acetonitrile, bictegravir, glecaprevir, Kromasil orthophosphoric acid buffer, pibrentasvir, plasma

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#### Introduction

Each year, between two and four million new cases of hepatitis C virus (HCV) are reported by the World Health Organization [1]. Infections are primarily associated with intravenous drug use, transfusions, and tattoos, which are the few common causes of transmission [2]. The cause of 70-90% of chronic infections is acute infections, which are then followed by cirrhosis, chronic liver failure, hepatocellular carcinoma, and death [3]. Cirrhosis develops in 20-30% of patients with chronic liver disease, end-stage liver disease develops in 5-10%, and 4-8% die owing to liverrelated causes after 20 years of infection. There are six genotypes of HCV, with genotypes 1-3 distributed worldwide [4,5]. Globally, genotypes 1a and 1b cause 60% of HCV infections. There is a 54% prevalence of genotypes 1a and 1b and a 37% prevalence of genotypes 3a [6,7]. In the United States and

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In patients with genotype 1 HCV infection and prior failure of direct-acting antiviral therapy, glecaprevir (GPR) and pibrentasvir (PTR) were highly effective and well tolerated [9]. The sustained virologic response to direct-acting antiviral therapies for chronic HCV infection has been high; however, virologic failure may still occur, potentially resulting in viral resistance, and subsequently decreasing the efficacy of all subsequent treatments [10]. GPR is a potent pangenotypic nextgeneration HCV NS3/4A. According to enzymatic assays, GPR exhibited high selectivity for HCV

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# **Evaluation of the Thrombolytic and Antioxidant** Activity of Leaf Extracts of *Plumbago zeylanica* L.

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Background: Plumbago zeylanica L. is one of the extremely accessible conventionally used herbal plants with various biological activities. However, actions of P. zeylanica L on blood clotting and other complications of blood were indisposed therapeutically studied. Therefore, the scope of the current exploration is to screen the thrombolytic, antioxidant, and cytotoxic effects of leaf extracts. Materials and Methods: Thrombolytic activity (in vitro) was assessed with clot lysis and thrombin inhibitory ability. Further, thrombolytic activity (in vivo) was evaluated by a thrombotic tail (carrageenan-induced) animal model. DPPH and nitric oxide (free radical) scavenging methods were employed to check the in vitro antioxidant property. Further cytotoxicity and acute oral toxicity were assessed for plant extract. Results: The quantitative analysis elicits the presence of the magnificent amount of the total phenolic content (96.8 ± 7.92 mg GAE/g) and total flavonoid content (63.52±4.54 mg QE/g) on the dry weight basis. The maximum clot lysis (96.83% ± 0.657) of methanolic leaf extract was detected in in vitro model at 800 μg/mL in 72 hr. A strong thrombin inhibition (94.63 ± 2.12%) effect was observed for methanol leaf extract at 2 mg/mL. In in vivo studies a significant (p< 0.001) clot lysis was achieved at the tested dose (100, 200 and 300 mg/kg). DPPH radical and nitric oxide scavenging activity showed the IC  $_{\rm 50}$  value of 25.47  $\pm 0.51$  and  $56.32 \pm 0.85,$ respectively. The methanolic extract was found safer up to the highest lethal dose of 2000 mg/kg. Conclusion: These findings suggested that the plant leaves are comprised of significant thrombolytic properties. It could be a promising source for the existence of antioxidant and thrombolytic agents.

Keywords: Plumbago zeylanica L., Thrombolytic activity, Anti-oxidant activity, Cytotoxicity, Streptokinase, DPPH radical etc.

#### INTRODUCTION

Plants are used in divergent approaches in managing various infirmities. These herbal agents are accomplished to amalgamate dissimilar secondary active metabolites; those possess the potential for remarkable biological activity. Biological activities present in these medicinal plants and their derivatives are of great importance in health care history. Plumbago zeylanica L. (Chromosome 2n=24) is also known as "Chitrak", a medicinal herb that belongs to the family of Plumbaginaceae (Figure 1).1 It is the most commonly used medicinal plant, scattered all over the tropical and

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#### ABSTRACT

Inflammation is a comprehensive array of physiological response to a foreign organism, including human pathogens, dust particles, and viruses. Inflammations are mainly divided into acute and chronic inflammation depending on various inflammatory processes and cellular mechanisms. Recent investigations have clarified that inflammation is a major factor for the progression of various chronic diseases/disorders, including diabetes. cancer, cardiovascular diseases, eye disorders, arthritis, obesity, autoimmune diseases, and inflammatory bowel disease. In this study, synthesised isatin compounds (11-113) were selected and screened in vitro antioxidant, Human RBC membrane stabilisation activity and anti-inflammatory activity. Isatin compounds showed dose dependent in-vitro antioxidant activity in DPPH assay, human RBC membrane stabilisation allay, Isatin 19 and 113 compounds showed dose dependent antioxidant and in vitro anti-inflammatory activity. The selected compounds were observed for in-vivo anti-inflammatory activity by carrageenan method. Both the compounds showed dose dependent anti-inflammatory activity. Further studied are needed for the evaluation of other pharmacological activities.

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#### 1. INTRODUCTION

Inflammatory diseases include a vast array of disorders and conditions that are characterized by inflammation. Examples include allergy, asthma, autoimmune diseases, coeliac disease, glomerulonephritis, hepatitis, inflammatory bowel disease, preperfusion injury and transplant rejection (Gan et al., 2016). Inflammation is a local reaction of the vascular and supporting elements of a tissue to injury resulting in the formation of a protein-rich exudates; it is protective response of the nonspecific immune system that serves to localize, neutralize, or to a destroy an injurious agent in preparation for the process of healing. The cardinal signs of inflammation are rubor (redness), calor (heat), dolor (pain), tumor (swelling), and function laesa (loss of function). Cause of inflammation includes physical agents, chemical agents, immunological reactions and infection by pathogenic organism. Inflammation is divided into acute and chronic patterns'. The characteristics of acute inflammation are the exudation of fluid and plasma proteins (oedema) and the emigration of leukocytes, predominantly neutrophils. Chronic inflammation is considered to be inflammation of prolonged duration(weeks or months) in which active inflammation, tissue destruction, and attempts at repair are proceeding simultaneously. Chronic inflammation includes some of the most common and disabling human diseases, such as rheumatoid arthritis<sup>2</sup>, atherosclerosis, tuberculosis, and chronic lung diseases (Straub, 2012).

#### Causes

Inflammation is caused by a number of physical reactions triggered by the immune system in response to a physical injury or an infection. Inflammation does not necessarily mean that there is an infection, but an infection can cause inflammation.

Three main processes occur before and during acute inflammation:

The small branches of arteries enlarge when supplying blood to the damaged region,

- 1. Resulting in increased blood flow.
- 2 Capillaries become easier for fluids and proteins to infiltrate, meaning that they can move between blood and
- 3. The body releases neutrophils. A neutrophil is a type of white blood cell filled with tinysacs that contain enzymes and digest microorganisms3

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# Prescription Analysis in patients with COPD and Asthma, as well as to determine the Prevalence and Incidence of COPD in smokers and Non-smokers

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#### **ABSTRACT**

To conduct prescription analysis in patients with COPD and Asthma, as well as to determine the prevalence and incidence of COPD in smokers and non-smokers. Patients admitted to the pulmonology department at BBR Multispecialty Hospital in Balanagar, Hyderabad, were studied. Patients only between age of 18 and 80 was considered, whereas those who was pregnant, paediatrics, or even in critical condition were excluded from the study. A total of 170 patients were collected throughout the duration of six months, from October 2021 to March 2022. In our research of 170 patients, the male population outnumbered the female population, and COPD and Asthma were more prevalent in patients ages 69 - 78. The oxygen level range for 170 patients was between 91% to 100%. Around 39 of these patients were smokers or ex-smokers. About 95 patients (55.88%) were found to have asthma, 65 patients (38.23%) were COPD, and 10 patients (5.86%) had an asthma-COPD overlap. There were about 97 in-patients and 73 out-patients. Acebrophylline were the most commonly used drug (38.82% or 66 patients), whereas long-acting -agonists were the most frequently prescribed class of drugs (58.82%). In our research, we found that, while asthma was more common than COPD, the latter was likely to have more severe effects on the patients. In fact, the COPD patients experienced serious, perhaps irreversible disease progression. However, continued therapy and cessation of smoking can significantly improve quality of life.

Keyword: COPD, Asthma, Quality of life, Prevalence, Incidence

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#### INTRODUCTION

According to WHO, COPD is a common, preventable, treatable chronic lung disease that affects men and women worldwide.

Abnormalities in the lungs' small airways lead to limitation of airflow in and out of the lungs (1). The WHO definition of COPD is as follows: COPD is a group of pathological conditions in

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#### RESEARCH ARTICLE

## 2<sup>3</sup> Full Factorial Designs for Formulation and Evaluation of Non-Steroidal Anti-inflammatory Drug

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#### ABSTRACT

This study aimed to formulate ibuprofen fast-dissolving tablets using a natural super-disintegrant to enhance their anti-inflammatory activity. In this survey, three factors in a two-level ( $2^3$ ) factorial design were employed to examine the effects of three factors, i.e., effects of *Ocimum gratisimum* mucilage [A], sodium starch glycolate [B], and croscarmellose sodium [C] on dependent variables such as in vitro method, in water absorption, and percent drug release at 5 minutes. The pH range for all formulations was  $7.2 \pm 0.24$  to  $7.2 \pm 0.25$ . The drug content percentages ranged from  $198.92 \pm 0.78$  to  $201.5 \pm 10.55\%$ . The in vitro relationship is that after transient administration of the system, it remains intact for an extended period of time. Water absorption was in the range of  $45.9 \pm 0.15$  to  $99.9 \pm 0.25\%$ ; optimized formulation water absorption was estimated to be approximately  $55 \pm 0.05\%$  to  $195 \pm 0.040\%$ . Formulations F2 and F4 reflected rapid drug release within 5 minutes, and all formulations except F3, F6, and F7 exhibited approximately 90% drug release within 10 minutes. Experience has shown that the independent variables chosen to have a significant effect on the dependent variable, demonstrating the robustness and adaptability of the design implied by optimization. The developed system could be a promising alternative strategy to increase ibuprofen retention in the stomach, thereby enhancing its therapeutic efficacy. It even offers the added benefit of reducing stomach irritation, tissue damage, and ulcers by avoiding direct contact of the drug with the gastric mucosa.

Keywords: Factorial design, Ibuprofen, Mucilage, pH.

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#### INTRODUCTION

When placed on the tongue, fast dissolving tablets are defined as a solid dosage form containing medicinal substances that disintegrates rapidly, usually within seconds. Physical problems with swallowing (dysphagia) can occur at any age with traditional tablets but are more common in the elderly and those with dementia, whereas refusal to swallow is common in geriatric, paediatric, and psychiatric patients. Tablet-taking difficulties and resistance are common in all patient groups. Fast-dissolving tablets have been developed in recent years to help people with swallowing problems. The tablet's orally disintegrating property is due to the rapid ingress of water into the matrix, which creates a porous structure and causes rapid disintegration. These tablets dissolve instantly when placed on the tongue, releasing the drug, which dissolves or disperses in saliva. As saliva passes down into the stomach, the drugs may be absorbed from the mouth, pharynx, or oesophagus. Fast dissolving tablets have the following benefits: ease of swallowing without water, rapid onset of action, enhanced dissolution rate, increased gastric absorption, improved oral

bioavailability, reduced first pass metabolism, and improved patient compliance.<sup>2</sup>

Ibuprofen is a non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drug (NSAID) that is used to treat rheumatoid arthritis, osteoarthritis, and other chronic and acute pain and inflammation conditions. Because ibuprofen's serum concentrations and analgesic effect are linked, rapid absorption could be a requirement for its rapid onset of action. The drug's major drawbacks include its low solubility in biological fluids, gastric irritation, and a 2-hours biological half-life. It is practically water insoluble, resulting in poor solubility and, as a result, poor GI absorption and bioavailability. <sup>3,4</sup> Fast dissolving tablets of Ibuprofen were made using super-disintegrants and direct compression to improve dissolution rate and thus absorption.

#### MATERIALS AND METHODS

#### Materials

Ibuprofen pure drug obtained from yarrow chemicals Mumbai. Mannitol, Sodium starch glycolate, Croscarmellose sodium was obtained from Yarrow chem. products, Mumbai.

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# EFFECT OF AEGLE MARMELOS LEAF EXTRACT ON GLUCOSE UPTAKE USING ISOLATED RAT DIAPHRAGM

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#### **Abstract**

The plant extract of the aegle marmelos, a medicinal plant was used for the solely purpose to know whether is it any better or equal to the standard diabetic drug rosiglitazone by using the isolated diaphragm of the rat. Tyrode solution was prepared and accordingly extracts were divided into 7 groups with those comparing with glucose concentration of the drug after the tissue was added with standard drug and with leaf extract, leaf extract of 0.1mg and 1 mg,5mg and 10mg was taken. Results showed that only 10mg leaf extract had show a significant uptake of the glucose which is equal to uptake of standard drug.

Keywords: Tyrode Solution, Aegel Marmelos, Standard Drug, Insulin.

#### INTRODUCTION

More number of research papers and reviews clearly shows that medicinal plants exhibit a variety of therapeutic properties and could provide health security to rural people primary health care. Among medicinal plants Aegle marmelos Correa (family Rutaceae) is very relevant and this plant is available in India, Bangladesh, Burma and Sri Lanka. A. marmelos has an important place in medicine. regarding pharmacology, alcoholic and aqueous extracts of the leaves had similar uses as digoxin in amplitude and contractions of the frog heart and methanolic extracts of roots inhibited the beating rate by approximately 50% of cultured mouse myocardial cells Karunanayake; Sabu and With respect to clinical applications, it should be noted that the roots are astringent, bitter and febrifuge. They are useful in diarrhea, dysentery, dyspepsia, stomachalgia cardiopalmus, seminal weakness, vomiting, intermittent fever swellings. Leaves of the A. marmelos are used as laxative expectorant, also in ophthalmic uses, inflammations, cataract, diabetes, asthmatic and antifungal complaints Also, the effect of these extracts was examined in the regulation of hyperthyroidism and for the analgesic activity in mice.

Diabetes mellitus, also referred as diabetes, is a group of metabolic diseases in which a person has high levels of blood sugar, which can be either because the body does not produce enough insulin, or because unresponsiveness of the cell towards insulin that is produced (Shoback et al., 2011). This increased blood glucose levels shows the symptoms of polyuria (frequent urination), polydipsia (increased thirst) and polyphagia (increased hunger).

#### A RISING GLOBAL BURDEN

Globally as of 2010, an estimated 285 million people have type 2 diabetes, making up about 90% of all diabetes cases (Shlomo Melmed et al., 2010)

Diabetes mellitus (predominantly type 2) is a major and growing health problem in almost all countries. Globally, the prevalence of diabetes in adults aged over 20 years was estimated to be 4% in 1995 and is projected to rise to 5.5% by 2025. Over the same period, the number of people effected with diabetes will rise from 135 million people to 300 million people, about 75% of whom will live in developing countries. In the western pacific region, the current number of people with diabetes is estimated to be 30 million. This will rise to at least 55millions adults by 2025. Of these 38 million will be in china and 9 million in Japan. The prevalence of diabetes exceeds 8% in 12 countries and areas of the region and in some pacific island countries it exceeds 20%. In countries where lifestyle changes began only recently (e.g. Cambodia, Vietnam) diabetes prevalence is relatively low, but there are signs that this is changing, in these countries rapid increases in prevalence can be anticipated unless urgent preventive action is taken. The numbers of people with diabetes will more than double over the next 25 years, to reach a total

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# RESEARCH

# In silico multi-epitope Bunyumwera virus Naccine to target virus nucleocapsid N protein

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Abstract

Background: Bunyumwera virus can cause 82% mortality in humans currently with no vaccine or drugs for treatment. We described an in silico multi-epitope vaccine targeting Bunyumwera virus nucleocapsid N-protein and predicted B and T cell epitopes for immunogenicity, allergenicity, toxicity, and conservancy. For creating the most potent immunological response possible, docking epitopes with HLA alleles are chosen to screen them. The 3D vaccination was docked with the Toll-like receptor-8 using molecular dynamic simulations. To ensure production efficiency, the vascine sequence was further cloned in silico in a plasmid pIB2 vector. For efficacy and safety, results must be sup-

ported in vitro and in vivo. Results: The vaccine was cloned to enable expression and translation in a plasmid vector pIB2. It was expected to be antigenic, non-allergenic, and have a high binding affinity with TLR-8 in silico cloning. This multi-epitope vaccination

may stimulate both innate and adaptive immunity.

Conclusion: The vaccine developed in this work was based on the nucleocapsid N-protein of the Bunyumwera virus and was created using a reverse vaccinology method. Further experimental validation is required to assess the vaccine's therapeutic effectiveness and immunogenicity.

Keywords: Bunyumwera virus, Multi-epitope, Nucleocaspid N-Protein, Vaccine design

isolated from multiple Aedes species mosquitos, indicating that they are the primary carrier. Cache Valley Fever virus was recently characterized as a Bunyamwera virus strain, extending the infection's total geographic distribution to North America. Other Bunyamwera virus strains were discovered in Argentina. In humans and mambals, the Bunyamwera virus-related illness was found to induce minor symptoms such as fever, joint discomfort, and rash. The Bunyamwera virus family consists of 32 viruses; among them, the viruses have the primary host viruses; among them, the viruses have the primary host as human – Batai, Bunyamwera, Fort, Germiston, Guaroa as human – Batai, Bunyamwera, Fort, Germiston, Guaroa as human – Batai, Bunyamwera, Fort, Germiston, Guaroa

Bumyaviruses have a nucleocapsid protein (NP) that aids in the encapsidation of genomic RNA and viral replication. In the form of ribonucleoprotein complexes, copies of the N protein is employed in many serosegments. The N protein is employed in many serological and molecular diagnostics because it is the most

Background
In the Bunyaviridae family, the Bunyamwera group is one of 18 serologically discovered arbovirus serogroups in the Orthobunyavirus genus. They are made up of three single-stranded RMA segments along with nucleoproteins. Bunyamwera virus is prevalent in sub-Saharan Africa and is a leading cause of severe fever sickness in humans. The virus was identified from people in Uganda, Nigeria, and South Africa, and antibodies have been discovered in humans throughout sub-Saharan Africa, with a high in humans throughout sub-Saharan Africa, with a high frequency (up to 82%) in some places [1]. The virus was frequency (up to 82%) in some places [1]. The virus was

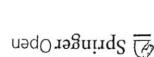
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## Evaluation of Antihyperlipidemic activity of leaves of Cassia tora

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#### **VBSTRACT:**

concluded that flavonoid of leaves of Cassia tora shows antihyperlipidemic activity in the heart of rate. albumin, total protein and further was concluded by histopathological studies. Conclusion: From result, it was decrease in LDL-Cholesterol, total cholesterol, triglycerides, AST, ALT, ALP and increase in HDL cholesterol, myocardium and aorta carried out. Results: Flavonoids of leaves of Cassia tora treated group showed significant LDH, LDL, VLDL, total protein, total cholesterol, AST, ALP, ALT,SOD, Catalase, LPO and histopathology of activity of Cassia tora was screened by a model, Cholesterol diet induced hyperlipidemia. Marker enzymes like flavonoids which lowers blood cholesterol level. Materials and Methods: Materials used: Antihyperlipidemic used for a long time as a daily vegetable in many countries. It consists of phytochemical constituents like Several works have been reported that the extracts of many plants have antihyperlipidemic activity. Cassia tora is condition causing lethal diseases like atherosclerosis, myocardial infarction etc that ultimately leads to death. Aim: To evaluate the antihyperlipidemic activity of leaves of cassia tora Objective: Hyperlipidemia is a clinical

infarction. KEYWORDS: Antihyperlipidemic, Hypercholesteremia, Cholesterol-diet, Atherosclerosis, Myocardial

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around the world13. disorder and lifestyle contribute to the dyslipidemias is the major cause of atherogenic risk; both genetic with hyperlipidemia and heart diseases. Hyperlipidemia drugs, significant percentage of people are suffering Despite the introduction of many antihyperlipidemic developed in the artery walls leading to atherosclerosis12 Due to raised cholesterol levels, cholesterol plaques are atherosclerosis, acute infarction of the myocardium11 development of cardiovascular diseases such as societies and it is one of the major risk factors for the Hyperlipidemia is a silent killer10 faced by many which are medicinally active against hyperlipidemia. Sidarhomboidea roxb9 etc are some examples of herbs

worldwide. Hyperlipidemia in combination with diseases are the most common cause of death occurring in I in a million births14. Cardiovascular people in most countries; homozygous FH is much rarer, FH is a common genetic disorder, occurring in 1:500 characterised by high cholesterol levels. Heterozygous Familial hypercholesterolemia (FH) is a genetic disorder

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# **Cost Analysis of Extensively Used Antibiotics**

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Abstract

Cost of therapy has been increasing day-by-day. Health expenditures like medicines have to be covered by out-of pocket money, which includes 50-90 percent of the people in developing countries, making medicines unaffordable (WHO, 2004b). About 25-70 percent of the income is spent on health-care expenditure in developing countries, in contrast to 10 percent in developed countries (HAI, 2008). Poor people, who are unaware of hygiene, are mostly prone to infections and they even cannot afford treatment. Antibiotics have made a significant contribution to improve the health of patients suffering from bacterial infections. Medicine prices play a crucial part for the poor in access to antibiotics. Hence, any method which decreases the cost of therapy could be a boon for the poor. There are different brands of a single drug available in the market with different prices. But these drugs that are marketed under different brand names are similar in nature (i.e., they are similar in API, dose and form). So, the present study was based on the comparison of prices of different brands of extensively used antibiotics in the health care systems which are employed for treating bacterial infections and thereby decreasing the mortality and the morbidity of the patients. Results have shown that in the current scenario, upto 99.11% cost could be saved by substituting the highest priced brand with the lowest priced brand in a prescription. Hence, it is possible for a physician to decrease the cost of therapy, while treating infections especially of poor patients by comparing the prices of different brands of drugs & prescribing the low priced brands.

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**Abstract** 

A prospective, observational study was carried out in the medical inpatient department of Dr. Pinnamaneni Siddhartha Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Foundation, which is a tertiary care teaching hospital located in Chinavutapalli, Gannavaram Mandal, Krishna District of Andhra Pradesh state. The study was carried out for the period of three months. Prescriptions contained in 80 case notes of elderly patients diagnosed of Type II DM were consecutively selected and evaluated. Age of the elderly patient was taken as ≥50 years as stated in the WHO definition of an older or elder person. (WHO 2009). A self-designed data collection forms were used to collect data from patient's case notes. Information collected included Age, Sex, Chief complaints of the patient, Vitals, Past medical and medication history, previous allergies, Co morbidities, laboratory data and prescribed drugs. Data collected was entered into Microsoft Excel for easy sorting and was further analyzed using the same. Chi-square test was applied for some of the parameters by using Graph pad prism 5. P< 0.005 was considered to be significant. In the present study we discussed the results about combination therapy.

Keywords: Diabetis mellitus, combination therapy, low glycemic levels, comorbities.

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#### INTRODUCTION:

Diabetes mellitus (DM) is a chronic incurable condition caused by a relative or an absolute lack of insulin. It is a group of metabolic disorders characterized by hyperglycemia and alterations in lipid and protein metabolism. Over long term these metabolic abnormalities contribute to the development of chronic

complications including microvascular, macrovascular and neuropathic disorders (retinopathy, nephropathy and neuropathy) [1]. It is a disease of the millions and it is projected that a quarter billion people across the globe would be suffering from diabetes mellitus by the year 2025. According to the International Diabetes Federation (IDF), 6.6% of the world

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# Development And Evaluation Of A Bioactive Synbiotic Edible Films

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**Abstract** 

One of the most important trends in the development of edible films is the inclusion of both probiotics and prebiotics in the polymeric matrix, so they can play an active role in the health of consumers. Probiotics are widely used in the field of nutrition. Lactic acid bacteria is given in the form of probiotics as a nourishing agent for lactic acid deficiency people. In this present study, a synbiotic film made from tapioca starch as polymeric matrix, chicory as prebiotic molecule and lactic acid bacteria as the probiotic bacteria was developed in a cost-effective manner. As these films are used as pharmaceutical products for many nutrition deficiencies and for those whose gut bacteria should be maintained. Several assays have been conducted on the effect of chicory concentration on the rheological, mechanical, barrier and opacity, thickness, solubility and water vapour permeability of the films, as well as on the effect of including probiotic bacteria (lactic acid bacteria) in the films. From the results it is stated that chicory has a plasticizing effect on the polymeric matrix thus increasing its elongation at break, while reducing its tensile strength. Viability of lactic acid bacteria during the storage and in simulated gastric conditions was also studied, lower viability values due to storage stress at 10°C and 25°Cwas observed. By this we can conclude that the lower viability values on tapioca starch films that when chicory was included. Tapioca starch is known for its low resistance to acid hydrolysis that leaves bacteria unprotected from gastric conditions, however chicory seems to have a protective effect on the probiotic bacteria, thus decreasing the viability loss. Keywords: Synbiotic films, Tapioca starch, Prebiotic, Probiotic.

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# Inhibitory effects of mixed flavonoid supplements on unraveled DSS-induced ulcerative colitis and arthritis

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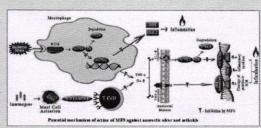
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Introduction: The mixed flavonoid supplement (MFS) [Trimethoxy Flavones (TMF) + epigallocatechin-3-gallate (EGCG)] can be used to suppress inflammatory ulcers as an ethical medicine in Ayurveda. The inflammation of the rectum and anal regions is mostly attributed to nuclear factor kappa beta (NF-κB) signaling. NF-κB stimulates the expression of matrix metalloproteinase



(MMP9), inflammatory cytokines tumor necrosis factor (TNF- $\alpha$ ), and interleukin-1 $\beta$  (IL-1 $\beta$ ). Although much research targeted the NF- $\kappa B$  and MMP9 signaling pathways, a subsequent investigation of target mediators in the inflammatory ulcer healing and NF- $\kappa B$  pathway has not been done.

Methods: The docking studies of compounds TMF and EGCG were performed by applying PyRx and available software to understand ligand binding properties with the target proteins. The synergistic ulcer healing and anti-arthritic effects of MFS were elucidated using dextran sulfate sodium (DSS)-induced colon ulcer in Swiss albino rats. The colon mucosal injury was analyzed by colon ulcer index (CUI) and anorectic tissue microscopy. The IL-1β, tumor necrosis factor (TNF-α), and the pERK, MMP9, and NF-κB expressions in the colon tissue were determined by ELISA and Western blotting. RT-PCR determined the mRNA expression for inflammatory marker enzymes.

Results: The docking studies revealed that EGCG and TMF had a good binding affinity with MMP9 (i.e., -6.8 and -6.0 Kcal/mol) and NF-kB (-9.4 and 8.3 kcal/mol). The high dose MFS better suppressed ulcerative colitis (UC) and associated arthritis with marked low-density pERK, MMP9, and NF-κB proteins. The CUI score and inflammatory mediator levels were suppressed with endogenous antioxidant levels in MFS treated rats.

**Conclusion:** The MFS effectively unraveled anorectic tissue inflammation and associated arthritis by suppressing NF-κB-mediated MMP9 and cytokines.

#### Introduction

The history of Ayurveda was reviewed by Indian scientists in regards to the Indian traditional system of medicine. It was observed that a large population of India depends upon registered Ayurvedic medical practitioners for prevention and getting rid of complications of different diseases. Scientists also reviewed the latest incumbent of ayurvedic medicines to treat inflammatory arthritis,

ulcerative colitis, and musculoskeletal disorders.2

Ulcerative colitis (UC) means chronic colon inflammation with hallmarks of diarrhea, rectal bleeding, blood with stool, and abdominal pain. An autoimmune disorder is one of the major factors of colitis.<sup>3</sup> The UC and other immune-related colitis, Crohn's disease, belong to inflammatory bowel diseases (IBDs). There are other types of UC, including infectious UC, chemical UC,

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# COVID 19: a new insight into organ failure and complications caused by novel SARS-CoV-2 virus and discussion on the role of nanotechnology in detection, treatment and prevention of the disease

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#### Abstract

The severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) virus, which first appeared in Chinese individuals in December 2019, is now causing the COVID-19 pandemic, with 5.79,319 deaths and 13,338,364 confirmed cases as of January 31st, a total of 56.7 lakhs. COVID-19 causes dysregulated immunological responses. metabolic dysfunctions, negative consequences on a variety of organ functions. Significant risk factors are typically connected with older people who have medical comorbidities including cancer and diabetes. Scientists and doctors have battled to understand the unique virus and its pathogenesis in order to develop suitable treatment drugs and vaccines for COVID-19. The spike protein SARS-CoV-2 has recently been discovered to attach to the enzyme that converts human angiotensin I. The purpose of this study was to examine the involvement of many organs in COVID-19 patients, particularly in severe cases. We also wanted to know what was driving the multiorgan failure caused by SARS-CoV-2. Multi-organ dysfunction manifests itself in a variety of ways,

including acute lung failure, acute liver failure, acute kidney damage, cardiovascular disease, a variety of haematological abnormalities, and neurological problems. The most important processes are associated to SARS-direct coV-2's and indirect pathogenic features. Although SARS-CoV2 receptor angiotensin-converting enzyme 2 (ACE-2) was found in the lung, heart, kidney, testis, liver, lymphocytes, and nervous system, the presence of SARS-CoV-2 RNA in these organs was unknown. These epidemics have strained healthcare systems and prompted serious concerns about how to deal with them using traditional drugs and diagnostic tools. In this regard, the application of nanotechnology opens up new avenues for the creation of ground-breaking preventative, diagnostic, and treatment solutions. examine how nanotechnology can be applied to control the COVID-19 virus by designing nanobased materials such as disinfectants, personal protective equipment, diagnostic systems, and nanocarrier systems for treatments and vaccine development, as well as the challenges and drawbacks that must be overcome.

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