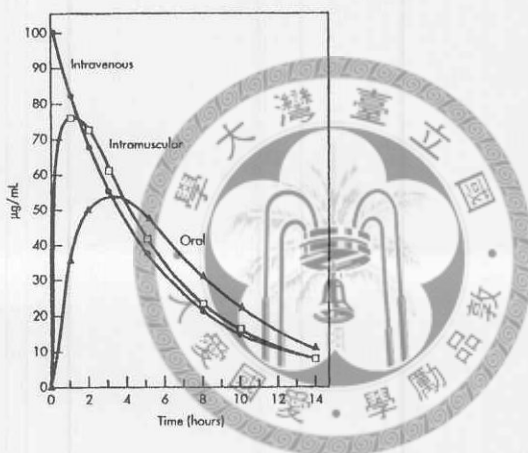


1. 計算題 (15 分)

- (1) 一藥物以定速連續靜脈輸注方式投予，而該藥物的半衰期是 4 小時，請問應該連續輸注多久才能使藥物血中濃度到達穩定濃度的 87.5%？
 - (2) 一藥物以 500 mg 的劑量靜脈注射至人體內，其血中濃度變化以 $C_p = 16e^{-0.8t} + 5e^{-0.05t}$ 表示， C_p 是指時間 t 小時之藥物血中濃度 ($\mu\text{g/mL}$)，試問該藥物的濃度-時間曲線下面積 (AUC) 是多少？
 - (3) 在一多次口服投藥控制中，每次投予 500 mg 的藥物至一體重 50 kg 的受試者體內，預期的穩定狀態平均血中濃度 (C_{av}^{∞}) 是 $100 \mu\text{g/mL}$ ，已知該藥物之排除速率常數為 0.025 hr^{-1} ， V/F 值為 0.2 L/kg 。請問每次投藥間隔應為幾個小時？
2. Is it reasonable to assume that $k_a > k$ for a drug in a solution? How would you determine unequivocally which rate constant represents the elimination constant k from the concentration-time curve? (10 分)
 3. Please write down what you see or what you get from this figure based on your biopharmaceutical concept? (15 分)



4. Explain in detail about why the disposition of some drugs follow one-compartment model, and some drugs follow two-compartment or multi-compartment model. In addition, how do you distinguish them according to the concentration-time curve obtained following administration of a drug? (10 分)

接背面

5.

- (1) The following pharmacokinetic parameters for drug M were reported in Micromedex. Please calculate (a) total body clearance (b) renal clearance (c) hepatic clearance and describe the assumption needed to claim these values. (5 points each; Total 15 points)

$$F = 0.9$$

$$f_e = 0.25$$

$$f_u = 0.96$$

$$\text{Volume of distribution} = 6.54 \text{ L/kg}$$

$$\text{Elimination half-life} = 8 \text{ hr}$$

- (2) The bioavailability and f_u values of verapamil and phenytoin are listed in the following table. Warfarin is known to be a low extraction ratio drug and its protein binding degree is high (about 99%). If patient-A needs to take verapamil or phenytoin with warfarin, please predict possible effects of warfarin on (a) AUC (b) F , and (c) CL of verapamil and phenytoin based on suitable equations. (5 points each; Total 15 points)

	Verapamil	Phenytoin
F	0.2-0.35	0.7-1
f_u	0.1	0.07-0.12

- (3) An adult female patient (52 yrs, 56 kg) whose serum creatinine is 2.6 mg/dL is to be given gentamicin sulfate for a confirmed Gram-negative infection. The usual dose of gentamicin in adult patients with normal renal function is 1 mg/kg every 8 hours by multiple IV bolus injections. The f_e value of gentamicin is about 0.98. Please calculate (a) the creatinine clearance in this patient by the Cockcroft and Gault method and (b) the appropriate dosage regimen of gentamicin sulfate for this patient if we intend to prolong the dosing interval (5 points each; Total 10 points)
- (4) Phenytoin was administered to a patient at dosing rates of 150 and 300 mg/day, respectively. The steady-state plasma drug concentrations were 8.6 mg/L and 25.1 mg/L, respectively. (a) Find the K_m and V_m of this patient. (b) What dose is needed to achieve a steady-state concentration of 11.3 mg/L? (5 points each; Total 10 points)