

# Compounding Altered-Release Pharmaceuticals

Part II

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Rectal/Vaginal

o Topical/Transdermal



# Compounding Altered-Release Pharmaceuticals

#### o Rectal/Vaginal

- Suppositories
- Gels
- Enemas

### **Suppositories**

- \*Factors Affecting\*
- o Particle size
- Concentration
- Diffusion coefficients
- Partition coefficients
- Solubility

# **Suppositories**

- o Mechanism of Release
- o Stability (6 months)
- Equipment Required
- Materials/Matrices
- Preparation Methods



# Morphine Sulfate 15 mg Suppositories #12

Morphine sulfate USP 15 mgWitepsol H-15 qs 100%



# Morphine Sulfate 50 mg Slow Release Suppositories #12

Morphine sulfate USP 50 mg
Alginic acid NF 25%
Witepsol H-15 qs 100%

# Compounding Altered-Release Pharmaceuticals

- Topical/Transdermal
  - Ointments
  - Emulsions
  - Gels
  - Iontophoresis
  - Phonophoresis
  - Spray-On Adhesive Matrix

#### TOPICALS

 Preparations applied to the skin either for their physical effects or for the specific effect of a medicinal agent

 Protectants, lubricants, emollients, drying agents, astringents



# TRANSDERMALS

 Designed to support the passage of drug substances from the surface of the skin, through its various layers, and even into the systemic circulation.



# DRUG PENETRATION IS DEPENDENT UPON

- Amount of pressure and vigor of rubbing
- o Surface area covered
- Condition of the skin
- o Base used
- o Occlusive dressing use

#### **Ointments**

#### o Factors Affecting

- Particle size
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#### **Ointments**

- Mechanism of Release
- Stability (6 months, 14 days refrig OR)
- o Equipment Required
- Materials/Matrices
- Preparation Methods



Testosterone-Menthol Eutectic Ointment (2% Testosterone)

 Testosterone-Menthol Eutectic 6.33 g
 Hydrophilic petrolatum 93.67 g

#### GELS

 Are semisolid systems consisting of suspensions made up of either small inorganic particles or large organic molecules interpenetrated by a liquid.....USP/NF

#### Gels

#### o Factors Affecting

- Particle size
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- Solubility

#### Gels

- o Mechanism of Release
- o Stability (14 days refrigerated OR)
- o Equipment Required
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# **DEFINITION-GELS**

 Semisolid systems consisting of dispersions of small or large molecules in an aqueous liquid vehicle rendered jelly-like through the addition of a gelling agent.

 Semirigid systems in which the movement of the dispersing medium is restricted by an interlacing network of particles or solvated macromolecules of the



# **GEL COMPOSITION**

- o Gelling agent
- o Water
- o Cosolvents
- o Preservatives
- Stabilizers



# GELATION

 As a hot, colloidal dispersion of gelatin cools, the gelatin macromolecules lose kinetic energy.

 With a reduction of kinetic energy or thermal agitation, the gelatin macromolecules are associated through a dipole-dipole interaction into elongated or threadlike aggregates.

# GELATION

 The size of these association chains increases to the extent that the dispersing medium is held in the interstices among the interlacing network of gelatin macromolecules, and the viscosity increases to that of a semisolid.

 Gelatin, agar, pectin, Irish moss, pectin, tragacanth--form gels by this mechanism



# PROPERTIES OF GELLING AGENTS

<ul> <li>Alginic acid</li> </ul>	
o Bentonite	pH >6
o Carbomer	pH 4.5-
11	
o CMC	pH 2-10
o CMC Sod	pH 5-10
<ul> <li>Colloidal Silicon Dioxide 10.7</li> </ul>	рН 7.5-
o Veegum	pH >3.5

# PROPERTIES OF GELLING AGENTS

Methylcellulose pH 3-11
Plastibase/Jelene
Poloxamer/Pluronic
Povidone
Propylene Glycol Alginate pH 3-6
Sodium Alginate pH 4-10
Tragacanth pH 4-8

#### Gels

- o Methylcellulose Gels
- Sodium Carboxymethylcellulose
   Gels
- Hydroxyethylcellulose Gels
- Hydroxypropylcellulose Gels
- Carbopol Aqueous Gels
- Carbopol Hydroalcohol Gels
- Pluronic Gels
- Pluronic Lecithin Organogels



#### Methylcellulose Gel

- Methocel E4M Premium USP 1
   to 5 g
- Purified Water USP qs 100 mL

# Sodium Carboxymethylcellulose Gel

Sodium Carboxymethylcellulose 1-5
 g
 Purified water qs

100 mL

#### Hydroxyethyl Cellulose Gel

- Hydroxyethyl cellulose NF
   1.75 g
  - (4500-6500 cps)
- Alcohol USP (optional) up to 30 mL
- Purified water USP qs 100 mL

# Hydroxypropyl Cellulose Gel

- Hydroxypropyl cellulose
   1.75-2 g
- Glycerin USP (Optional) up to 30
   mL
- o Alcohol 70% OR
- Purified water
   mL
   qs 100



#### **Carbopol Aqueous Gel**

Carbopol 940 NF
 0.5-1.5
 G
 Triethanolamine
 Purified water USP
 qs
 100 mL

#### Carbopol and Glycerin Gel

Carbopol 934P
Glycerin
Triethanolamine
Purified water
qs
100 mL

#### Carbopol Hydroalcoholic Gel

<ul> <li>Carbopol 934P NF</li> </ul>		1 g
<ul> <li>Alcohol USP</li> </ul>		50 mL
o Triethanolamine		qs
<ul> <li>Purified water USP</li> </ul>	qs	100 mL



#### **Pluronic Gels**

Pluronic F127 NF
Potassium sorbate
Purified water

20-40 g 300 mg qs 100 mL

#### Pluronic Lecithin OrganoGel

- o Active drugo Propylene glycol OR
- Alcohol OR Glycerin qs
- Lecithin: Isopropyl Palmitate 22 mL
- Pluronic F127 Gel (20-30%) qs 100 mL

#### Ketoprofen 10% PLO

- Ketoprofen 10 g
  Propylene glycol 10 mL
  Lecithin: Isopropyl palmitate 22 mL
- o Pluronic F127 Gel 20% qs 100 mL

#### Ketoprofen 5% in Speed Gel

<ul> <li>Ketoprofen</li> </ul>	5 g	
<ul> <li>Polysorbate 80</li> </ul>	20	g
<ul> <li>Benzyl alcohol</li> </ul>	1 n	٦L
<ul> <li>Speed Gel Base with</li> </ul>		
. docusate sodium	qs	100
g		



# Speed Gel Base with Docusate Sodium

 Polysorbate 80 10 g Lecithin: Isopropyl Palmitate 20 g Docusate sodium ( with 15% sodium benzoate) 10 g 10 o Urea Q o Citric acid 2.5

#### 5-Fluorouracil Adhesive Gel

<ul> <li>5-Fluorouracil</li> </ul>			5 g
o Gelatin NF			2 g
o Methocel E4M P	remium l	JSP	2 g
<ul> <li>Povidone USP</li> </ul>			5 g
o Veegum HV NF			5 g
<ul> <li>Purified water</li> </ul>	USP	qs	100
mL			

# LIQUID-SOLID EMULSION GEL-DRUG RELEASE

#### O GELATIN SOLUTION

- Gelatin, 200 bloom
  8 g
- Phosphate buffer (pH 7) qs 40 mL

#### O GEL PRODUCT

- Gelatin Solution
   40 mL
- Long-chain alcohol
   g

#### **Emulsion vs Liposome**



#### **Liposomes and Micelles**





#### LMLVs and SULVs





# Self-Assembling Cylindrical Liposome



#### Drug Release from SACL



# **Topical Adhesives**

#### o Factors Affecting

- Particle size
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# **Topical Adhesives**

- o Mechanism of Release
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#### **Topical Adhesive Solution**

o Rosin	3 g
<ul> <li>Tannic acid</li> </ul>	5 g
o Menthol	1 g
o Camphor	1 g
<ul> <li>Mineral spirits</li> </ul>	2 mL
o Benzoin tincture qs	100 m

# **Retention Enemas**

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# **Retention Enemas**

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### **Retention Enemas**

- Active drug qs
  Glycerin qs
  Methylcellulose 2% gel qs 100 mL
  OR
- o Pluronic 10-20% gel qs 100 mL



#### Comparison

Ointment
Cream
Gel
Lotion

#### Sulfur and Salicylic Acid Ointment

o Sulfur		5 g
<ul> <li>Salicylic acid</li> </ul>		2 g
o Mineral oil		10 mL
<ul> <li>White petrolatum</li> </ul>	qs	100 g

#### Sulfur and Salicylic Acid Cream

o Sulfur		5 g
<ul> <li>Salicylic acid</li> </ul>		2 g
<ul> <li>Propylene glycol</li> </ul>		qs
<ul> <li>Hydrophilic ointment</li> </ul>	qs	100 g

#### Sulfur and Salicylic Acid Lotion

	5 g
	2 g
	qs
	20 mL
qs	100 g
	qs

#### Sulfur and Salicylic Acid Gel

o Sulfur		5 g
<ul> <li>Salicylic acid</li> </ul>		2 g
<ul> <li>Carbopol 934P</li> </ul>		2.4 g
<ul> <li>Alcohol USP</li> </ul>		50 mL
o Purified water	qs	100 mL

#### LIPID CRYSTALS CREAM



#### Pastes

#### o Factors Affecting

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#### Pastes

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# Morphine Sulfate 10% Transdermal Paste

<ul> <li>Morphine sulfate USP</li> </ul>	)	10 g
<ul> <li>Mineral oil NF</li> </ul>		qs
o Lanolin USP		16.2 g
<ul> <li>Petrolatum USP</li> </ul>	qs	100 g



#### Iontophoresis

#### o Factors Affecting

- Concentration
- Solubility
- Diffusion coefficients



#### Iontophoresis

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