

BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY & SCIENCE, PILANI
First Semester 2022-2023

Mid-Semester Examination (Closed Book)

Course Name: Computer Aided Drug Design

Course No: PHA G541

Max. Marks: 30

Duration: 90 Min

**Note: Answer for all questions precisely with appropriate illustrations if required.
Give the answer for all sub-parts together in one place.**

- 1) a) Define drug target. What are the things you will consider while selection of target during NDD? (2x3=6)
- b) Write about CADD techniques used in pre-clinical studies? Limitations of CADD in NDD.
- 2) a) Write about predictive ADR models and the approaches for their assessment. (2x3=6)
- b) Write the significance of synthetic accessibility prediction in Drug Discovery.
- 3) a) Write the steps involved in sequencing of dimeric protein? How will you determine *N*-terminus portion of the same protein using phenyl isothiocyanate. (2x3=6)
- b) List out available methods for the determination of protein structure. Explain in detail about the method that uses microscope for the same.
- 4) a) Enumerate the significances of sequence alignment in knowledge-based modeling. (2x3=6)
- b) How will you validate the modeled protein built by comparative modeling.
- 5) a) Enumerate various types of available compound libraries. Write the workflow involved in an efficient library design. (2x3=6)
- b) Write a brief account on pharmacophore based library design.
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