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**PhD Entrance Test – 2025**  
**SECTION-II: Quality Assurance Techniques - 35 Marks**

<b>Section II</b>	
<b>1</b>	<b>Study of concepts of cGMP covering the following aspects:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Personnel</li> <li>2. Building and facilities</li> <li>3. Equipment</li> <li>4. Quality Assurance &amp; Quality control</li> <li>5. Post Operational Activities</li> <li>6. Manufacturing Operations and Control</li> <li>7. Sterile Pharmaceutical Activities</li> </ol>
<b>2</b>	<b>Pharmaceutical Validation covering the following aspects:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Introduction to Pharmaceutical Validation.</li> <li>2. Master Plans: Validation and calibration</li> <li>3. Process validation</li> <li>4. Qualification of Equipment</li> <li>5. Cleaning validation and Facilities validation</li> <li>6. Analytical Method Validation</li> </ol>
<b>3</b>	<b>Quality management system</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Introduction to Quality</li> <li>2. Basics of quality management</li> <li>3. Six system inspection model</li> <li>4. Developing quality culture</li> <li>5. Quality in Manufacturing</li> <li>6. Statistical Process Control</li> <li>7. Documentation in pharmaceutical industry</li> </ol>
<b>4</b>	<b>Audits in pharmaceutical industry</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Introduction to audit</li> <li>2. Role of quality systems and audits in pharmaceutical manufacturing environment</li> <li>3. Types of Audits</li> <li>4. Vendor audit</li> <li>5. Audit of operational areas (manufacturing, QC, engineering, Warehouse etc.)</li> </ol>

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