

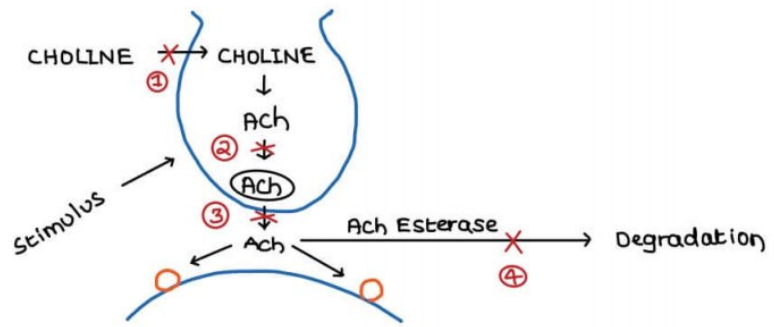
- Preganglionic fibres are shorter in Sympathetic system
- Preganglionic fibres are longer in para sympathetic system
- Postganglionic fibres are longer in Sympathetic system
- Postganglionic fibres are shorter in para sympathetic system
  
- Neurotransmitter secreted by all preganglionic fibres → ACh
- receptor present on postganglionic fibre →  $N_D$
- NT secreted by the postganglionic fibres of parasym. system → ACh
- NT secreted by Parasympathetic system is ACh → CHOLINERGIC SYSTEM
- NT secreted by postganglionic fibres of sympathetic system → NA
  - aka, ADRENERGIC SYSTEM
  - EXCEPTION, postganglionic fibres of sweat glands secrete → ACh

PARASYMPATHETIC SYSTEM		SYMPATHETIC SYSTEM	
HEART	↓ ↓	+ + +	
OTHERS	↑	↓	
Bronchus	→ Broncho constrict <sup>n</sup>	→ Bronchodilat <sup>n</sup>	
GIT	→ Diarrhoea	→ Constipation	
Bladder	→ ↑ urine outflow	→ ↓ urine outflow	
Glands	→ ↑ secretion &	→ ↓ secretions	
Pupil	→ miosis	→ mydriasis	

PARASYMPATHETIC SYSTEM

ORIGIN

- cranial nerves → 3, 7, 9, 10
- sacral nerves → 2, 3, 4



→ slowest step → uptake of choline

↓ Para sympathetic activity

- 1 HEMI|CHOLIN|IUM
- 2 VESA|MI|COL
- 3 BOTULINUM TOXIN

Ach Esterase Inhibitor → ↑ Para sympathetic activity

- 4 PHYSOSTIGMINE

RECEPTORS OF Ach

NICOTINIC (N)	LOCATION	MUSCARINIC (M)	LOCATION
N <sub>N</sub>	Ganglia	M <sub>1</sub>	Stomach
N <sub>M</sub>	NMJ	M <sub>2</sub>	Heart
	require optimal stimulat <sup>n</sup> in both hyper & hypo stimulat <sup>n</sup> muscle weakness occurs	M <sub>3</sub>	Bronchus GIT Bladder Glands Pupil

PARASYMPATHOMIMETICS

DIRECTLY ACTING DRUGS	INDIRECTLY ACTING DRUGS
→ directly acts on receptors	→ acts by ↑ing Ach AchEsterase #

DRUG	ACTS ON	ACTION	INDICATION
PILOCARPINE	Pupil [M <sub>3</sub> (R)]	meiosis	angle closure glaucoma
BETHANECHOL	Bladder [M <sub>3</sub> (R)]	↑ outflow	Atonic bladder
METHACHOLINE	Myocardium [M <sub>2</sub> (R)]	cardiac suppression	Tachycardia Arrhythmias
CARBACHOL	Common Action Nicotinic (R) Muscarinic (R)		

Drug ē max. nicotinic action → CARBACHOL

Cevimeline

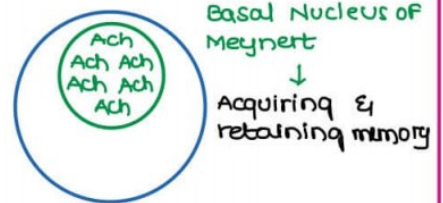
- Stimulate M<sub>3</sub> receptor especially in glands [↑ secretion]
- Used for Xerostomia [Dry mouth] in Sjogren syndrome

Lipid soluble drugs	Water soluble drugs
<b>Physostigmine</b>	<b>Neostigmine</b>
→ Natural product	→ Synthetic product
→ Tertiary Amine <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3 Atoms are attached to Nitrogen</li> </ul> $\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\   \\ \text{R}-\text{N}-\text{R}'' \\   \\ \text{R}' \end{array}$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Non-Polar &amp; Non-ionized</li> <li>• Lipid soluble, so cross the BBB</li> </ul>	→ Quaternary Amine <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4 Atoms are attached to Nitrogen</li> </ul> $\begin{array}{c} \text{R}' \\   \\ \text{R}-\text{N}-\text{R}'' \\   \\ \text{R}''' \end{array}$ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Polar &amp; Ionized</li> <li>• Water soluble, so cannot cross the BBB</li> </ul>
GIT → ✓ → Orally given	GIT → X → Injectable
BBB → ✓ → Central effects +nt	BBB → X → No central effects
Pupil → ✓ → Used in glaucoma	Pupil → X → No effect on pupil

**LIPID SOLUBLE DRUGS - USES**

1. ANGLE CLOSURE GLAUCOMA → by Physostigmine
2. ATROPINE POISONING
  - ATROPINE
    - Muscarinic receptor blocker [m<sub>1</sub>, m<sub>2</sub>, m<sub>3</sub>]
    - cross BBB
  - DOC for atropine poisoning → Physostigmine

3. SENILE DEMENTIA / ALZHIEMER'S DEMENTIA
  - dit degeneration of cholinergic neurons in Basal Nucleus of Meynert



→ TREATMENT

- PHYSOSTIGMINE → not used
- Peripheral action leads to side effects
- TACRINE → has only central action
- Was the DOC
- Disadvantages
  - very short acting
  - hepatotoxic in some

- D → DONEPEZIL
  - R → RIVASTIGMINE
  - Gobind → GALANTAMINE
- } Long acting  
non hepatotoxic  
DOC for Alzhieme's disease

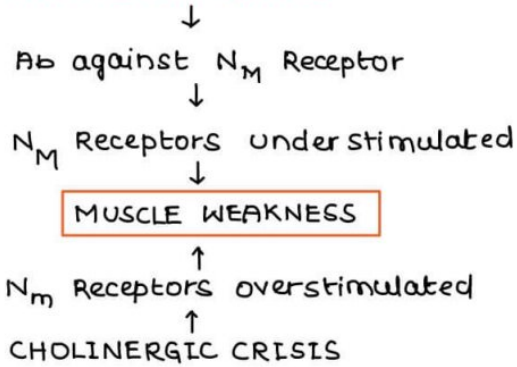
**MEMANTINE**

- acts by blocking NMDA receptor of glutamate.
- Used for Alzheimer's' disease

**WATER SOLUBLE DRUGS**

1. NEO STIGMINE
2. PYRIDOSTIGMINE
3. EDROPHONIUM

1 MYSTHENIA GRAVIS

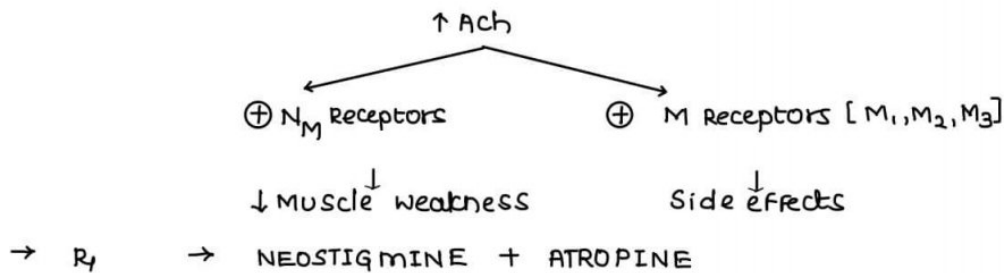


EDROPHONIUM TEST

- IV Edrophonium given
- very short acting [ $<10\text{min}$ ]
- IF the condition improves for 10 min → Myasthenia gravis
- IF the condition worsens for 10 min → Cholinergic crisis

TREATMENT

- NEOSTIGMINE or PYRIDOSTIGMINE
- Pyridostigmine longer acting than neostigmine
- Pyridostigmine & Neostigmine (both) have additional direct Nm receptor stimulating action (Agonist of Nm receptors)



2 COBRA BITE

- N<sub>m</sub> #
- Neostigmine + Atropine → R<sub>y</sub>

3. POST OP PARALYTIC ILEUS → R<sub>y</sub> by Neostigmine

4. POST OP URINARY RETENTION → R<sub>y</sub> by Neostigmine

5. REVERSAL OF ACTION OF NON-DEPOLARIZING MUSCLE RELAXANTS

- Atracurium and Pancuronium like drugs act by blocking NM receptor and they are used commonly during surgery
- Reversal of muscle relaxation is done by increasing Acetylcholine and this is done by drugs like Neostigmine and Pyridostigmine
- Atropine should be given with neostigmine and pyridostigmine to stop the muscarinic side of acetylcholine

## IRREVERSIBLE ACH ESTERASE #

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Include

Organophosphates - Malathion DFP  
Parathion Tabun  
sarin.

Carbamates - Carbaryl  
Propoxur

[Note: Endrin - is organochlorine]

→ Highly Lipid soluble → can cross intact skin

→ ↑ Ach

coma {  $M_1 R \oplus$  → ↑ HCl  
 $M_2 R \oplus$  → ↓ HR, ↓ BP  
 $M_3 R \oplus$  → Pinpoint pupil  
↑ secretions  
Diarrhoea  
Urinary incontinence  
Bronchoconstriction

→ IF Pinpoint pupil  $\oplus$  } AChE # Poisoning  
↑ Secretions  $\oplus$

→ ↑ HR, ↑ BP can be seen rarely [dlt  $N_N \textcircled{R}$  stimulation]  
Muscle weakness occurs usually [dlt  $N_m \textcircled{R}$  overstimulation]

### Causes of Pinpoint pupil

("O P" poisoning)

- O → Organophosphate and carbamate poisoning
- Opioid poisoning
- P → Pontine hemorrhage
- Phenol (Carbolic acid) poisoning

## TREATMENT

### 1. ATROPINE

- DOC for OP & carbamate poisoning
- by iv route, in every 5 min  
till signs of Atropinization occurs
  - ↓ secretions → most reliable / specific sign
  - Mydriasis → most common sign
  - HR > 100
- can't reverse muscle weakness

### 2. AChE REACTIVATORS

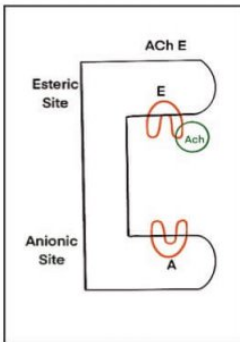
#### OXIMES

PRALIDOXIME [PAM]

DI ACETYL MONOXIME [DAM]

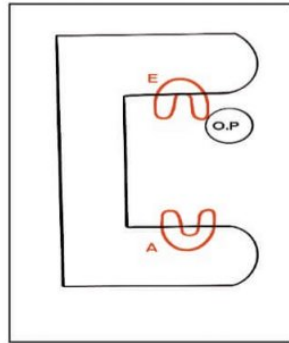
- not DOC
- only effective in OP poisoning
- PAM acts only peripherally, DAM has both actions

## Normal



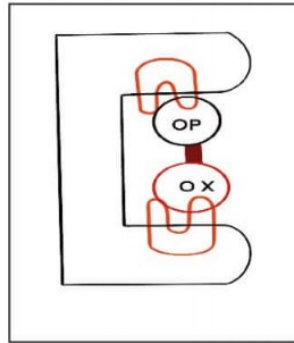
→ Ach binds to esteratic site & is broken  
 → Reaction is so rapid that we can assume this site to be never occupied

## Action of OP



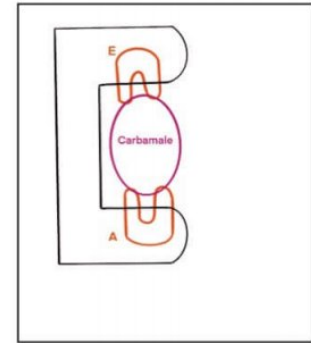
→ Instead of Ach, OP binds to esteratic site  
 → ACh cannot bind so cannot be broken  
 → Thus AChE has been inhibited

## Reversal by oximes

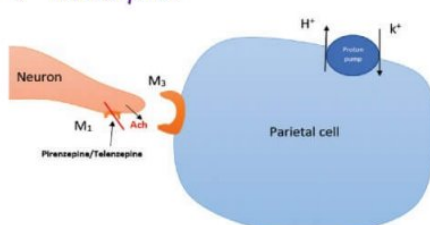


→ Oximes bind to anionic site and forms bond with OP  
 → Bond between OP and Oximes is very strong  
 → OP is removed from esteratic site  
 → AChE is reactivated

## Carbamates



→ Carbamates bind to both esteratic and anionic sites  
 → Oximes cannot bind  
 → Carbamate poisoning cannot be reversed with oximes

Parasympatholytics				
Organ	Receptor blocked	Drugs	Uses	S/E
Stomach	M <sub>1</sub>	→ Pirenzepine → Telenzepine 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Peptic ulcer</li> </ul>	
<b>Note</b> → <b>Atropine</b> – Contraindicated in Peptic ulcer because Not only acts on M <sub>1</sub> but also on M <sub>3</sub> causing delay in Gastric emptying – leads to delay in healing of peptic ulcer (M <sub>3</sub> receptors are also present on smooth muscles of GIT)				
Heart	M <sub>2</sub>	→ <b>Atropine (DOC)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Blocks Presynaptic M<sub>2</sub> – Initial Bradycardia</li> <li>• Blocks Presynaptic M<sub>2</sub> – Tachycardia (Later)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bradycardia</li> <li>• AV block</li> </ul>	
Bronchus	M <sub>3</sub>	→ <b>Ipratropium</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fast acting</li> <li>• Non selective (Blocks M<sub>1</sub>, M<sub>2</sub>, M<sub>3</sub>)</li> </ul> → <b>Tiotropium</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Long acting</li> <li>• Selectively blocks M<sub>1</sub> &amp; M<sub>3</sub></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bronchial asthma</li> <li>• COPD</li> </ul>	
Bladder	M <sub>3</sub>	→ <b>S</b> – Solefenacin → <b>O</b> – Oxybutynin → <b>F</b> – Flavoxate → <b>T</b> – Tolterodine → <b>T</b> – Trospium → <b>BladDAR</b> – Darifenacin → Solefenacin & Darifenacin – Vesicoselective → Trospium <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Has less CNS side effects (do not cross BBB)</li> <li>• Primarily excreted by Kidney (C/I in Renal failure)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overactive bladder (or)</li> <li>• Detrusor instability (or)</li> <li>• Urinary retention</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Urinary retention – Hence, C/I in BHP</li> <li>• Dry mouth</li> <li>• CNS adverse effects</li> </ul>

<b>GLANDS</b>	M <sub>3</sub>	→ Atropine → Glycopyrrolate	Pre anesthetic Medication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dryness [C/I in children]</li> <li>• ↓ Sweating ↓ Fever ↓ Hyperthermia</li> </ul>
<b>EYE</b>	M <sub>3</sub>	→ Atropine → Homatropine → Cyclopentolate → Tropicamide	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fundoscopy</li> <li>• Refraction testing</li> <li>• <b>DOC in Children</b> – atropine [max. cycloplegic action &gt; 7 days]</li> <li>Adults – Tropicamide [Shortest acting]</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• C/I in ACG</li> <li>• Blurred vision d/t cycloplegia</li> <li>– Loss of accommodation d/t M<sub>3</sub> #</li> </ul>
<b>CNS</b>		→ Hyoscine [SCOPOLAMINE]	• Motion sickness Prophylaxis	
		→ Benzhexol [Trihexyphenidyl] → Benztropine → Biperiden	• Parkinsonism [DOC for drug induced parkinsonism → Ach #]	

Motion → Vestibular System ⊕ → CTZ ⊕ → Vomiting → Motion sickness

Very high altitudes (Leh Ladakh) → ↓ PO<sub>2</sub> → Hypoxia → Mountain Sickness

DOC for motion sickness → Hyoscine [CNS depressant]

DOC for mountain sickness → Acetazolamide

**In parkinsonism**

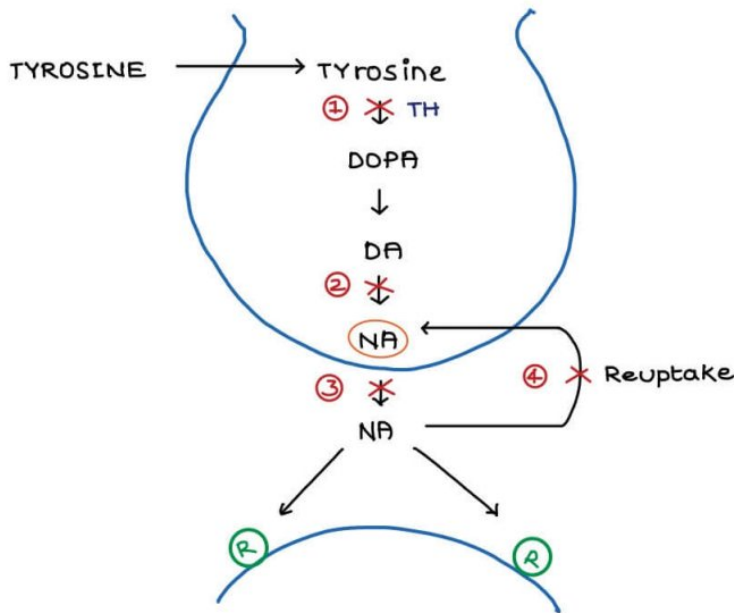
- Balance b/w Ach & DA system disturbed
- Anticholinergics are DOC – For Drug induced Parkinsonism
- Drugs used are
  - Benzhexol (Trihexyphenidyl)
  - Benztropine
  - Biperiden

Poisoning	DOC
→ Organophosphates & Carbamate	• Atropine
→ Atropa Belladonna / Datura	• Physostigmine
→ Early Mushroom poisoning	• Atropine

Mushroom poisoning	
Early Mushroom poisoning	Late Mushroom poisoning
→ Caused by – Inocybe / Clitocybe species	→ Caused by – Amanita group of species
→ Shows symptoms similar to Organophosphate poisoning ↓ DOC – Atropine	→ It is also known as Hallucinogenic Mushroom poisoning → Shows symptoms similar to Atropine poisoning ↓ Atropine is C/I → Management is purely Symptomatic



NORADRENALINE



↓ NA in synapse
↓ Sympathetic activity
① ME TYROSINE
② RESERPINE
③ GUANETHIDINE
Reuptake Inhibitor
↑ Sympathetic activity
④ COCAINE

NA RECEPTORS

$\alpha_1$		$\alpha_2$	
Location	Action	presynaptic $\alpha_2$ receptor	
Blood vessels	vasoconstrict <sup>n</sup>	→ acts like brake to sympathetic system [Main function of $\alpha_2$ ]	
Eye	Mydriasis	post synaptic $\alpha_2$ receptor	
Prostatic urethra	↓ Outflow	→ indistinguishable from $\alpha_1$ (R)	
- Prazosine ( $\alpha_1$ ) used for BHP			

$\beta_3$  → Acts on Adipose tissues → causes Lipolysis

$\beta_1$		$\beta_2$	
Location	Action	Location	Action
Heart	↑ HR, ↑ BP	Lungs	Bronchodilation
JG cells	Renin secretion	GIT	constipat <sup>n</sup>
		Bladder	↓ Outflow
		Glands	↓ secretions
		Uterus	Tocolytic
		Blood vessels	vasodilation
		skeletal muscles spindles	Tremors
		Liver	↑ Blood Sugar

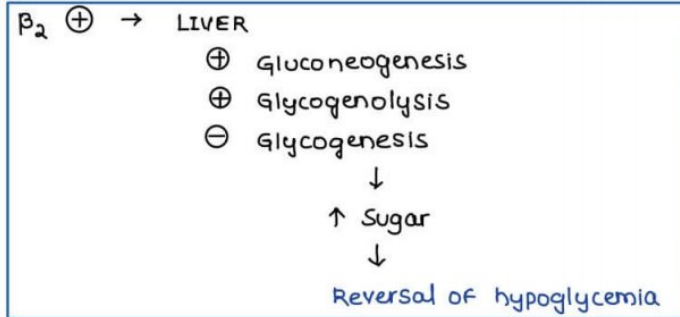
- $\alpha_1$  → vasoconstriction &  $\beta_2$  → vasodilation
- Effect depends on predominance of type of receptor
  - Heart & Muscles →  $\beta_2 > \alpha_1$  → vasodilation
  - SKIN, Internal organs →  $\alpha_1 > \beta_2$  → vasoconstriction

on hypoglycemia

WARNING SYMPTOMS → dlt sympathetic system stimulation

$\beta_1$ ↓ Tachycardia Palpitations	$\beta_2$ ↓ Tremors	Ach ↓ Sweating
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- Have to take sugar
- If sugar is not taken, even then



- $\beta$  Blockers causes (in diabetic patients)
  1. masking of warning symptoms
  2. no reversal of hypoglycemia

$\beta$  blockers are contra-indicated in diabetic patients  
Sweating is only reliable symptom of hypoglycemia in diabetics on  $\beta$  Blocker medication

SYMPATHOMIMETIC DRUGS

- DIRECTLY ACTING DRUGS
- INDIRECTLY ACTING DRUGS

INDIRECTLY ACTING DRUGS

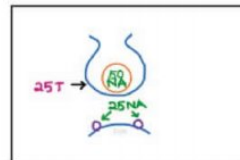
A. Reuptake Inhibitors

- COCAINE
- TCA Tricyclics anti depression

B. Drugs acting by displacement

→ Tyramine – acts by displacement of nor adrenaline (indirect effect only).  
Major source of tyramine is Cheese.

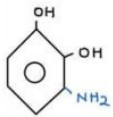
- Ephedrine
  - Pseudo ephedrine
  - Amphetamine
- Mixed effect (both direct and indirect effects)



- All these drugs show tachyphylaxis (Rapid development of tolerance)
- Use of ephedrine and pseudo ephedrine – Nasal decongestant
- Amphetamines can cross blood brain barrier and ,

- Reduces sleep
  - Increases attention span
- Used for Narcolepsy (DOC is modafinil)  
Used for ADHD (DOC is methylphenidate)  
Attention deficit hyperkinetic disorder

CATECHOLAMINES



catechol → Di Hydroxy Benzene

COMT → catechol ortho methyl transferase recognise catecholamine  
 → abundant in GIT → not effective orally

ENDOGENOUS CATECHOLAMINES	EXOGENOUS CATECHOLAMINES
ADRENALINE	DOBUTAMINE
NA	ISOPRENALINE
DOPAMINE	FENOLDOPAM

DOPAMINE

Acts on

D <sub>1</sub> R	@	< 2 µg/kg/min	→ max in Renal BV	→ Blood vessels	→ vasodilation
β <sub>1</sub> R	@	2-10 µg/kg/min	→ Heart		
α <sub>1</sub> R	@	> 10 µg/kg/min	→ Vasoconstriction		

USES

1. CHF
2. SHOCK + OLIGURIA [DOC]

DRUG  $\bar{c}$  DOPA in their name acts on D<sub>1</sub>Ⓡ, others do not

DOBUTAMINE

- do not act on D<sub>1</sub> receptors
- mainly acts on β<sub>1</sub> receptors
- used for CHF

FENOLDOPAM

- stimulate only D<sub>1</sub> Receptors
- used in Hypertensive emergencies

	SBP	DBP	HR					
			β <sub>1</sub>	α <sub>1</sub> β <sub>2</sub>	DIRECT EFFECT ON ♡ (β <sub>1</sub> )	INDIRECT EFFECT ON ♡	FINAL	
ADRENALINE								
EPINEPHRINE	↑	↔	↑	↔	↑	↔	↑	
α <sub>1</sub> α <sub>2</sub> β <sub>1</sub> β <sub>2</sub>								
NORADRENALINE	↑	↑↑	↑	↓↓	↑	↓↓	↓	
NOREPINEPHRINE								
α <sub>1</sub> , α <sub>2</sub> , β <sub>1</sub>								
ISOPRENALINE	↑	↓	↑	↑↑	↑	↑↑	↑↑↑	
β <sub>1</sub> , β <sub>2</sub>								

→ Blood vessels contain Baroreceptors

mainly sense MBP [DBP]

$$MBP = DBP + \frac{1}{3} PP$$

↑ DBP → + BR → PSS → ↓ HR

↓ DBP → + BR → SS → ↑ HR

### NA EFFECT ON HR

1. In a normal person → ↓

2. In a person with a transplanted heart → ↑ [no indirect action]

### USES

ISOPRENALINE →  $\beta_1$  → CHF  
→  $\beta_2$  → Asthma

NA →  $\alpha_1$  → Shock  
→  $\beta_1$  → CHF

### ADRENALINE

→  $\alpha_1$  &  $\beta_2$  → 1. ANAPHYLACTIC SHOCK

→ DOC

→ Route → im > SC

→ Conc. → 1:1000

1gm in 1000 ml Solution

Dose → 0.5 ml of 1:1000 concentration

→ IF do not improve, repeat the dose in 10 min

→ IF still not responded,

IV Adrenaline [1:10,000]

### 2 CARDIAC ARREST

BLS Basic life saving Or CPR

↓ no response

IV Adrenaline

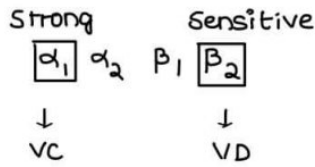
- 1:1000

- central veins [Jugular veins] are preferred

next preferred route → Intraosseous

still next preferred route → Endotracheal

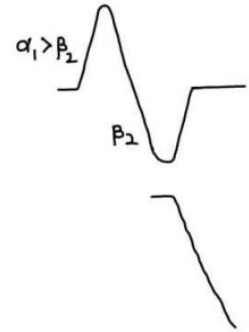
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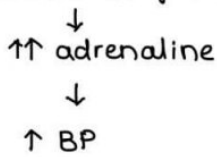
BIPHASIC RESPONSE

When Adrenaline given iv at high doses  
 at first BP increases [ dlt ( $\alpha_1 > \beta_2$ ) stimulation ]  
 then BP will decrease [ dlt  $\beta_2$  stimulation ]

When Adrenaline given iv at high dose  $\alpha_1$  blocker  
 Exaggerated fall of BP occurs  
 → VASOMOTOR REVERSAL OF DALE



In Pheochromocytoma



of  $R_1$  by  $\alpha$  blocker, then vasomotor reversal of Dale occurs & death can occur.

$\alpha$  blockers are CI in patients of Adrenaline producing Pheochromocytoma

STATUS OF DRUGS IN PHEOCHROMOCYTOMA

Tumor producing	$\alpha$ # alone	$\beta$ # alone	$\alpha + \beta$ #
Adrenaline	C/I	C/I	✓
Nor adrenaline	✓	C/I	✓

NON CATECHOLAMINES

Stimulates	Drugs	Action
$\alpha_1$	a) PHENYLEPHRINE eye drops	→ Mydriasis without cycloplegia
	b) METHOXAMINE MEPHENTERMINE MIDODRINE	→ Vasoconstriction → Used in shock
	c) XYLOMETAZOLINE nasal drops OXYMETAZOLINE nasal drops NAPHAZOLINE nasal drops	→ Nasal decongestants
$\alpha_2$	a) CLONIDINE b) METHYLDOPA	→ Break for sympathetic system → Used for HTN
	a) SALBUTAMOL b) TERBUTALINE c) SALMETEROL d) FORMOTEROL	→ Bronchodilation → Used for asthma by inhalational route
$\beta_2$	a) RITODRINE b) ISOXSUPRINE	→ Tocolytic → Used for preterm labor
	$\beta_3$	a) MIRABEGRON

SYMPATHOLYTIC DRUGS

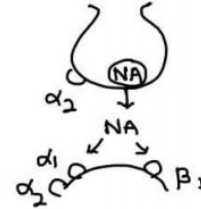
$\alpha$  BLOCKERS

$\alpha_1 + \alpha_2$  BLOCKERS

$\alpha_1$  BLOCKERS

$\alpha_2$  BLOCKERS → YOHIMBINE [no clinical use]

- selective & non selective # used for HTN
- Non selective  $\alpha$  # can cause severe tachycardia
- Non selective  $\alpha$  # used for severe HTN
- Selective  $\alpha$  # used for mild to moderate HTN

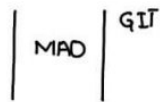
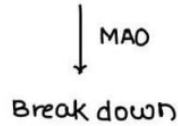


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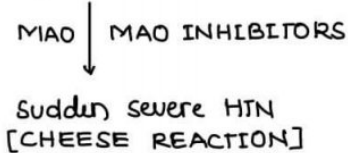
IRREVERSIBLE	REVERSIBLE
PHENOXY BENZAMINE	PHENTOLAMINE TOLAZOLINE
USES	USES
Pheochromocytoma	Cheese Reaction clonidine withdrawal

CHEESE REACTION

Tyramine



Tyramine



- DOC → Phentolamine, Tolazoline

CLONIDINE WITHDRAWAL

→ Clonidine

→  $\alpha_2$  agonist

→ reduces BP

→ sudden stoppage after prolonged use → REBOUND HTN  
- dlt upgradation of receptors

- DOC → Phentolamine, Tolazoline

$\alpha_1$  BLOCKERS

PRAZOSIN

TERAZOSIN

DOXAZOSIN

ALFUZOSIN

- BPH (due to  $\alpha_{1A}$  blockade)
- can be used in other conditions (due to  $\alpha_{1B}$  blocking property) like
  - Hypertension
  - Peripheral vascular disease (PVD) like Raynaud's disease
  - Scorpion sting – D.O.C – Prazosin
  - Have beneficial effect on lipid profile

FIRST DOSE / POSTURAL HYPOTENSION

→  $\alpha_1$  # always started at bed time

TYPES

$\alpha_{1A}$	$\alpha_{1B}$
acts on Prostatic urethra	acts on Blood vessels
TAMSULOSIN SILODOSIN → no postural hypotension → DOC For Normotensives & BHP	

Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia: (BHP)

→ In BHP prostate grows both outside and inside. This causes obstruction of urethral lumen leading to urinary retention. This is complicated by  $\alpha_{1A}$  receptors which gets stimulated due to irritation results in contraction of urethra.

$\alpha_1 A$  blockers:

- Tamsulosin – stops the DYNAMIC COMPONENT and do not affect the size of urethra i.e., they only improve the symptoms of BHP but do not stop the growth of prostate.

5  $\alpha$  reductase inhibitors:

- Finasteride – stops the conversion of Testosterone to DHT which controls/stops the growth of Prostate in BHP (STATIC COMPONENT).

**β BLOCKERS**

β<sub>1</sub> + β<sub>2</sub> # [Non selective] 1st Generation β #  
 β<sub>1</sub> # 2nd Generation β #  
 β<sub>2</sub> # → BUTOXAMINE [no clinical significance]

- Both used for cardiac indications
- Non selective β # have both cardiac & non cardiac indications
- Selective β # have only cardiac indications

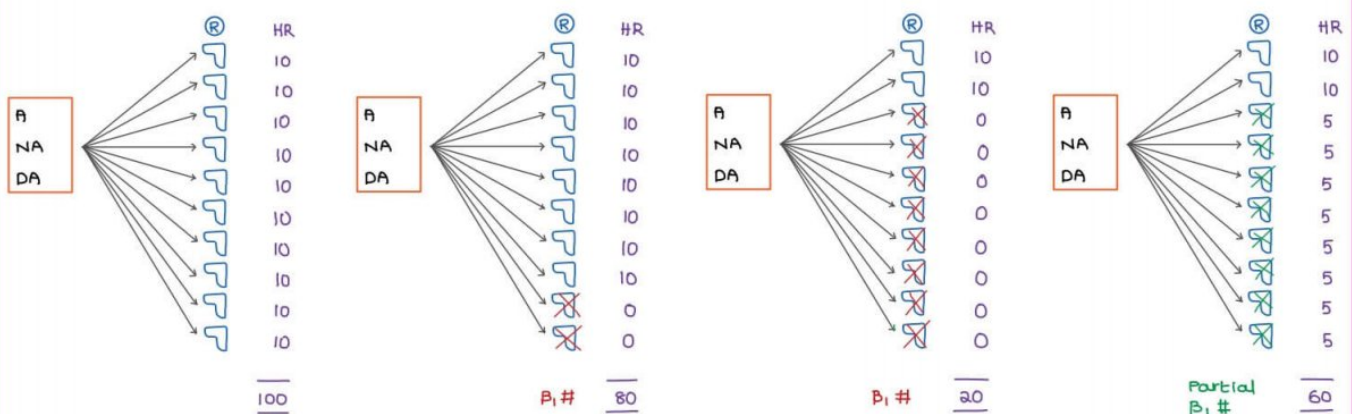
β <sub>2</sub> acts on	RESULT	β <sub>2</sub> #	C/I
Bronchus	Bronchodilat <sup>n</sup>	Bronchoconstrict <sup>n</sup>	Asthma
Blood vessels	vasodilat <sup>n</sup>	vasoconstrict <sup>n</sup>	Peripheral vas. Dz
Liver	hypoglycemia reversal	stop reversal	DM

**1. β<sub>1</sub> # or CARDIOSELECTIVE or 2nd GENERATION β #**

- New → NEBIVOLOL
- Beta → BETAXOLOL
- Blockers → BISOPROLOL
- Act → ACEBUTOLOL
- Exclusively → ESMOLOL [shortest acting β #, degraded by pseudocholineE.]
- At → ATENOLOL
- Myo → METOPROLOL
- cardium → CELIPROLOL

→ These are relatively safe in Asthma, PVD & DM

**2. INTRINSIC SYMPATHOMIMETIC ACTIVITY [ISA] / PARTIAL AGONISTS**



- A. Normal phenomenon
  - 1 ⊙ stimulation → HR = 10
  - 10 ⊙ stimulation → HR = 10 × 10 = 100
- B. β blocker usage in normal person
  - β blocker blocks 20% of ⊙ → HR = 10 × 8 = 80

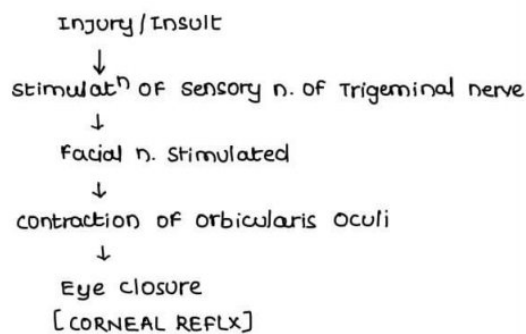


- c.  $\beta$  blocker usage in  $\beta$  blocker in a  $\beta$  blocker sensitive person
- $\beta$  blocker blocks 80% of R → HR =  $10 \times 2 = 20$
  - Severe bradycardia manifests
  - So, sensitivity should be checked  $\bar{c}$  HR monitoring in  $\beta$  blocker prescribed patients
  - In these patients, partial agonists are useful
    - less chances of causing severe bradycardia [Safer drug]
    - But less efficacious

Contain → CELIPROLOL  
 Partial → PINDOLOL  
 Agonist → ALPRENDOLOL  
 Activity → ACEBUTOLOL

### 3 MEMBRANE STABILIZING / $Na^+$ channel # / LOCAL ANESTHETIC PROPERTY

- indicated in Arrhythmias
- not indicated in Glaucoma
  - cornea is protected by corneal reflex [Protective Reflex]



- corneal reflex is masked  $\bar{c}$  these drugs

#### → DRUGS

Possess	→	PROPANALOL [maximum]
Membrane stabilising or	→	METOPROLOL
Local	→	LABETALOL
Anaesthetic	→	ACEBUTALOL
Property	→	PINDOLOL

### 4. WATER SOLUBILITY:

- Water soluble beta blockers *cannot cross blood brain barrier.*
- *No CNS side effects* like delirium, nightmares
- But these beta blockers are *contraindicated in Renal failure.*

#### Water soluble beta blockers:

A - Atenolol  
 N - Nadolol (Longest acting beta blocker)  
 S - Sotalol

**Note:**

*Esmolol* is lipid soluble beta blocker. It is **Extremely Short acting Beta blocker (< 5 mins)** because it is metabolized by Pseudocholinesterase like Succinylcholine.

**5. 3<sup>RD</sup> GENERATION BETA- BLOCKERS**

- Any  $\beta$  # which possess additional vasodilatory property

Additional Property	Drugs	Special points
$\alpha$ blockade	LABETALOL CARVEDILOL	Carvedilol possess additional anti-oxidant properties
NO release	NEBIVOLOL NIPRADILOL	
Ca channel blockade	CARVEDILOL	
K channel opening	TILISOLOL	
$B_2$ agonism	CELIPROLOL	It increases HDL (Beta blockers usually decrease HDL)

**USES OF  $\beta$  BLOCKERS** **$\beta_1$  # USES**

1. HTN
2. classical Angina [ C/I in variant angina ]
3. MI
4. Chronic CHF [ C/I in acute CHF ]
5. Arrhythmia

 **$\beta_2$  # USES**

1. Glaucoma
2. Anxiety
3. Migraine
4. Essential tremors
5. Thyrotoxicosis

**ADVERSE EFFECTS / C/I** **$\beta_1$  #**

- 1  $\downarrow$  Rate  $\rightarrow$  Bradycardia  
Sick sinus syndrome
- 2  $\downarrow$  conduction  $\rightarrow$  AV Block
- 3  $\downarrow$  Contractility  $\rightarrow$  Acute CHF

$\beta_2$  #

1. Asthma
2. Peripheral vascular Disease
3. DM

 $\beta$  # contraindicated in

- A → Asthma  
 B → Block [AV]  
 C → CHF [Acute]  
 D → DM

## ACTIVE &amp; PASSIVE MYDRIASIS

## EFFECT OF DRUGS ON EYE

- Contraction of Sphincter pupillae → Active miosis  
 contraction of Dilator pupillae → Active mydriasis  
 Relative overactivity of Dilator pupillae → Passive mydriasis
- Active miosis → caused by cholinergic drugs  
 → Active mydriasis → caused by  $\alpha_1$  agonists  
 → Passive mydriasis → caused by Anticholinergic drugs

## GLAUCOMA

- ↑ IOP  
 ↑ Aqueous humor production  
 ↓ Aqueous humor drainage
- Aqueous Humor produced by ciliary blood vessels  
 →  $\alpha_1$  → vasoconstriction ⊕  
 → ADRENALINE } stimulate  $\alpha_1$  receptors  
 → DIPIVEFRINE }
- APRACLOnidine } stimulate post synaptic  $\alpha_2$  receptors  
 → BRIMONIDINE }
- $\beta_2$  → vaso dilation →  $\beta_2$  # can be used

## ↑ Aqueous outflow

↑ Trabecular outflow	↑ Uveoscleral outflow
→ major pathway	→ $\text{PGF}_{2\alpha}$ / LATANOPROST
→ DRUGS → MIOTICS	- DOC for POAG
PILOCARPINE	

## ADVERSE EFFECTS

### → MIOTICS

- Cataract
- Stenosis of NLD
- Spasm of Accommodation

### → PGF<sub>2α</sub> analogues (LATANOPROST)

- Pigmentation of Iris (Heterochromia Iridis)
- Growth of eyelashes (Hypertrichosis)
- Fluid in macula (Macular edema)

### → APRACLONIDINE

- Lid retraction

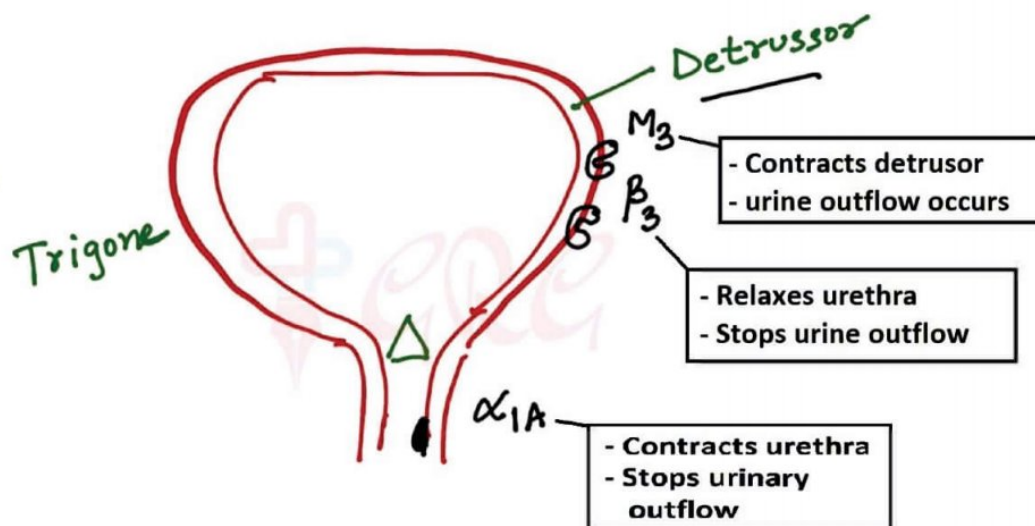
### → BRIMONIDINE

- Causes Brain suppression (Leads to Apnea)
- C/I in children < 2yrs

### → EPINEPHRINE (ADRENALINE)

- It is metabolized to form Adrenochrome – Causes Black pigmentation of Conjunctiva

## BLADDER PHARMACOLOGY



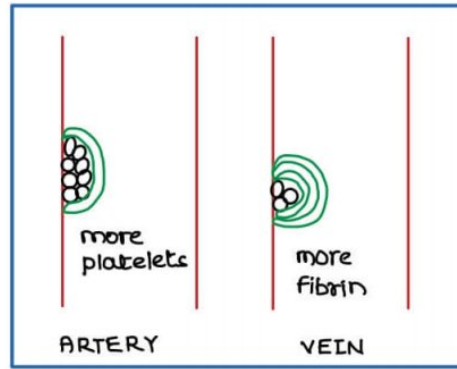
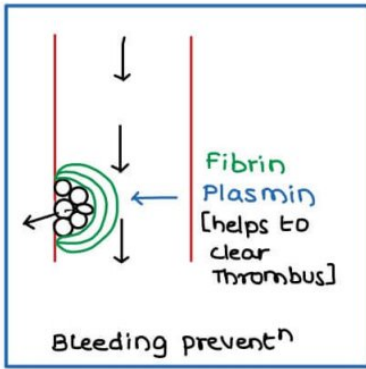
### URINARY INCONTINENCE:

It may be of 3 types:

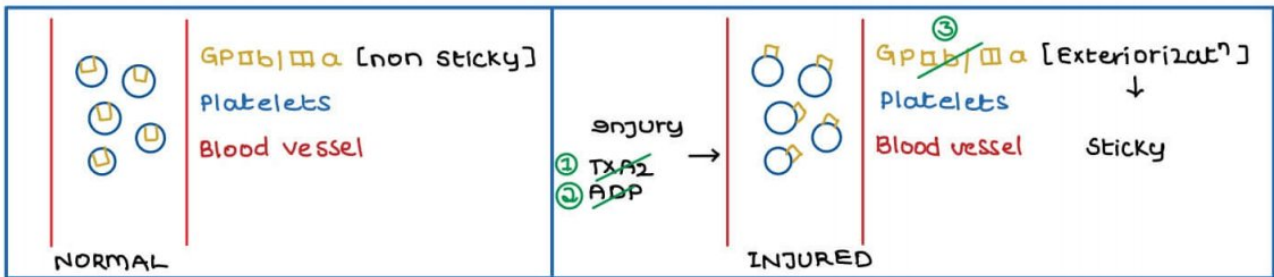
- Urge incontinence
- Stress incontinence
- Overflow incontinence

Urge Incontinence	Stress Incontinence	Overflow Incontinence
<p>Also called overactive bladder due to detrusor instability</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Urge to urinate comes at lesser urine volume in the bladder</li> <li>- Patient not able to control urine outflow</li> </ul> <p>Rx</p> <p>Makes - Mirabegron (<math>\beta_3 +</math>)</p> <p>BladDAR - Darifenacin</p> <p>S - Solifenacin</p> <p>O - Oxybutynin M3#</p> <p>F - Flavoxate</p> <p>- Fesoterodine</p> <p>T - Tolterodine</p> <p>- Trospium</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Patient not able to control urine in situations where intra-abdominal pressure is increased eg. Jumping, exercise, coughing, laughing</li> <li>- d/t weakness of pelvic muscles</li> </ul> <p>Rx</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Pelvic floor exercises</li> <li>- Surgery</li> <li>- DULOXETINE</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Patient gets no urge to urinate</li> <li>- Urine overflow occurs when the bladder is full</li> </ul> <p>Seen in :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Atonic bladder</li> <li>- BPH</li> </ul> <p>Rx</p> <p>Atonic bladder</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <math>M_3</math> agonists like BETHANELOL</li> </ul> <p>BPH</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <math>\alpha_{1A}</math> blockers like TAMSULOSIN</li> </ul>

DRUGS AFFECTING FLOW

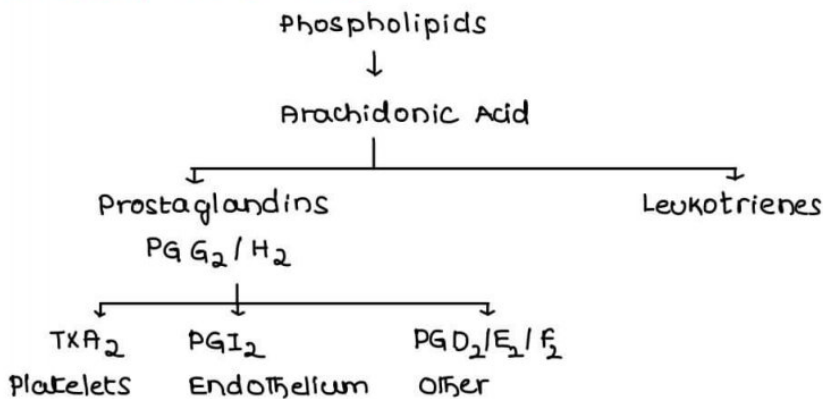


ANTI PLATELET DRUGS



1. ASPIRIN → act on TXA<sub>2</sub>
2. CLOPIDOGREL }  
TICLOPIDINE } act on ADP
3. ABCIXIMAB }  
TIROFIBAN } act on GP IIb/IIIa  
EPTIFIBATIDE }

1. DRUGS ACT ON TXA<sub>2</sub>



- TXA<sub>2</sub> → cause Aggregation  
PGI<sub>2</sub> → Inhibit aggregation

ASPIRIN → Irreversible inhibitor of COX

## 2. DRUGS ACT ON ADP

- ADP Receptor →  $P_2Y_{12}$
- DRUGS
  - CLOPIDOGREL
  - TICLOPIDINE
- These drugs irreversibly inhibit  $P_2Y_{12}$
- Both are Prodrugs [inactive]
  - Activated by CYP2C19
  - OMEPRAZOLE inhibit CYP2C19
    - should not combine  $\tau$  these drugs

### PRASUGREL

- Like clopidogrel, it is also an irreversible inhibitor of ADP
- Faster acting than clopidogrel
- But prasugrel is high risk of causing cerebral stroke (therefore C/I in stroke)

### → REVERSIBLE $P_2Y_{12}$ INHIBITORS

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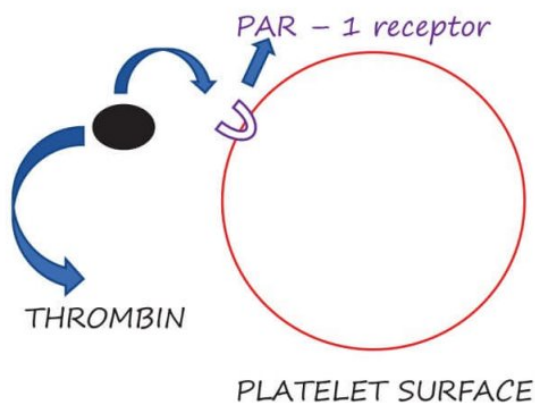
TICAGRELOR

## 3. DRUGS ACT ON $GP_{IIb/IIIa}$ → strongest antiplatelet drugs

- ABCIXIMAB
- TIROFIBAN
- EPTIFIBATIDE

## 4. DRUGS ACTING ON THROMBIN RECEPTORS

- Like Thromboxin A<sub>2</sub> and ADP, *Thrombin can also activate Platelets.*
- However, Main function of thrombin is to *generate Fibrin.*



- On the surface of platelets, *PAR - 1 receptors* are present, thrombin binds to this receptor and results in *activation of platelets*, drugs are developed which inhibit PAR - 1 receptors leading to anti-platelet action.

### PAR - 1 Antagonist:

- ATOPAXAR
- VORAPAXAR

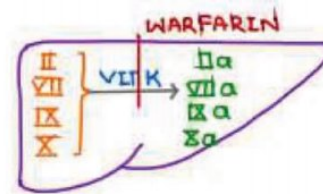
ANTI FIBRIN DRUGS / ANTI COAGULANTS

ORAL ANTI-COAGULANTS

1. Vitamin K antagonist
2. Direct thrombin inhibitor
3. Factor Xa inhibitor

1. WARFARIN

→ Liver can produce all clotting factors but 4 factors (II, VII, IX, X) require vitamin K to become active



→ Vitamin K result in  $\gamma$ -carboxylation of

glutamate residues of II, VII, IX, and X to make them active.

→ Vitamin K can also activate certain anti-clotting factors like protein C and protein S.

→ Warfarin acts by inhibiting vitamin K

→ When we start warfarin for initial 1 or 2 days there is increased in risk of clotting known as *Hypercoagulation or Dermal vascular necrosis*. It also known as *Purple toe syndrome* (mainly seen in genetic deficiency of protein C)

Properties of Warfarin:

1. Oral anticoagulant
2. Inhibit vitamin - K
3. 4-5 days to produce action
4. Mainly used for maintenance purpose
5. Anticoagulant effect
  - In vivo (inside the body) - Effective
  - In vitro (outside the body) - Not effective
6. Contraindicated in pregnancy: Fetal Warfarin Syndrome
  - Warfarin prevents activation of osteocalcin
  - ↓
  - Leads to skeletal deformity
  - ↓
  - Microcephaly, Nasal hypoplasia
7. Effect of warfarin is monitored by PT / INR

→ MONITORING

→ mainly affects extrinsic pathway

→ monitored by Pro Thrombin Time or INR

→ CLOTTING PATHWAY

Extrinsic pathway monitored by Prothrombin Time [PT]

Intrinsic pathway monitored by activated Partial Thromboplastin Time

NORMAL VALUES

PT → 12-16 sec [~15s]

aPTT → 26-32 sec [~30sec]



In WARFARIN therapy, PT → 2-3 times the control value  
 HEPARIN mainly affects Intrinsic pathway, monitored by aPTT



W → Warfarin  
 E → Extrinsic pathway  
 PT → Prothrombin Time



H → Heparin  
 INT → Intrinsic pathway

#### PROTHROMBIN TIME MEASUREMENT

	LAB 1	LAB 2	LAB 3
BEFORE WARFARIN THERAPY	10 sec	15 sec	20 sec
AFTER WARFARIN THERAPY	20 Sec	30 Sec	40 Sec

- Different labs gives different control values for the same sample
- SOLUTION → Measure both samples in SAME LAB

#### INR [ International Normalized Ratio ]

$$\text{INR} \rightarrow \left[ \frac{\text{PT test}}{\text{PT control}} \right]^{\text{ISI}}$$

ISI → International Sensitivity Index

- value of INR will be same in all labs

#### WARFARIN OVERDOSE:

- Overdose of Warfarin causes bleeding
- Active factors like IIa, VIIa, IXa, Xa (which are known as Four Factor Complex (or) Prothrombin Factor complex) is the Treatment of choice.
- If Four Factor Complex is not available, then fresh frozen plasma can be used.
- if the fresh frozen plasma is also not available, Whole blood should be given.
- But the Treatment of choice for bleeding tendency due to warfarin is Vitamin K.
- Vitamin K is also antidote for Warfarin overdose.

#### INR values and Treatment of warfarin overdose:

- < 5 – Warfarin should be stopped.
- 5 to 20 – Warfarin should be stopped and Vitamin K is administered
- > 20 – Warfarin should be stopped and Four factor complex is given.

#### 2. DIRECT THROMBIN INHIBITORS:

- Dabigatran – can be given Orally and does not require monitoring.
- Dabigatran overdose / toxicity is treated with a monoclonal antibody called Idarucizumab.

### 3. DIRECT FACTOR Xa INHIBITORS:

- **Rivaroxaban** – reversible oral Xa blocker / antagonist, and this drug do not require monitoring.

- Other drugs are,
  - Apixaban
  - Edoxaban
  - Betrixaban

Rivar	→	Reversible
O	→	Oral
XA	→	XA
B	→	Blocker (or)
AN	→	Antagonist

- **Andexanet Alpha** is the antidote for factor Xa inhibitor overdose,

### INJECTABLE ANTI COAGULANTS / THROMBIN [IIa] INHIBITORS

1. INDIRECT IIa INHIBITORS
2. DIRECT IIa INHIBITORS

#### 1. INDIRECT IIa INHIBITORS [HEPARIN]

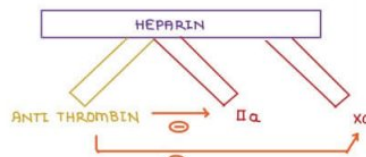
Heparin + Anti Thrombin



AntiThrombin Activated



AT inhibit Thrombin in COMPLEX  
[Heparin + AT + IIa]



Heparin + Anti Thrombin



AntiThrombin Activated



AT inhibit Xa

UFH – activate antithrombin – Inhibit factor IIa = Xa

LMWH – activate antithrombin – inhibit factor Xa > IIa

Fondaparinux – activate antithrombin – only inhibits factor Xa

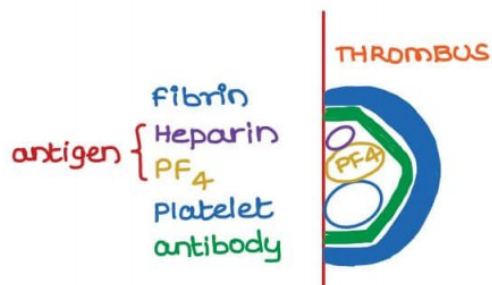
#### HEPARIN

1. Route → SC or IV
2. Inhibit Xa & IIa
3. Immediate Action → useful in acute conditions
4. Anticoagulant of choice in pregnancy
5. monitoring done by aPTT
6. Antidote → PROTAMINE SULPHATE
7. S/E → Bleeding  
Heparin Induced Thrombocytopenia

- LMWH usually does not require monitoring
- But in a patient with renal failure we need to monitor the LMWH by doing anti factor Xa Assay

## HEPARIN INDUCED THROMBOCYTOPENIA [ HIT ]

- Thrombocytopenia occurs
- THROMBOSIS present
- DOC → DIRECT THROMBIN INHIBITORS



## 2. DIRECT THROMBIN INHIBITORS

### → DRUGS

HIRU <b>D</b> <b>IN</b>	}	Injectables
LEPIRUDIN		
BIVALIRUDIN		
ARGA <b>TROB</b> <b>AN</b>		
MELAGA <b>TR</b> <b>AN</b>		
DABIGATRAN	→	given orally

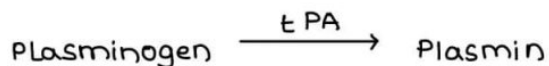
**HIT**  
Direct acting group 3 oral factor X inhibitors are Rivaroxaban and also apixaban edoxaban

## ANTI COAGULANTS ARE MORE EFFECTIVE IN VENOUS THROMBOSIS

- indicated in DVT & Pulmonary Embolism

## THROMBOLYTIC DRUGS / TISSUE PLASMINOGEN ACTIVATORS / FIBRINOLYTIC DRUGS

- PLASMIN removes thrombus



### → DRUGS

STREPTOKINASE	}	short acting, given iv
UROKINASE		
ALTEPLASE		
RETEPLASE	}	long acting, given as bolus
TENECTEPLASE		

## STREPTOKINASE

- derived from streptococcus
  - can cause ALLERGY
  - ANTIBODIES against Streptokinase produced

## tPA [ RECOMBINANT TISSUE PLASMINOGEN ACTIVATORS ]

- ALTEPLASE
- RETEPLASE
- TENECTEPLASE

- No allergy, no antibody format<sup>n</sup> occurs

Overdose of thrombolytics leads to bleeding

Antidote: EPLISON AMINO CAPROIC ACID (EACA)  
TRANEXAMIC ACID

### DRUGS AFFECTING CELLS

- Hematinics
- Growth factors

### HEMATINICS

These are nutritional substances which help in formation of blood

E.g.

1. Iron (Fe) – deficiency leads to microcytic anemia
2. Folic acid (FA) ] deficiency leads to megaloblastic anemia
3. Vitamin B12 ]

### Iron Deficiency Anemia

i.e. Microcytic hypochromic anemia

Cause of iron deficiency –

1. Nutritional deficiency
2. Blood loss (e.g. menstruation)
3. Hookworm infestation

Rx – Oral Iron – RxOC

For children iron drops are available. These should be given deep in mouth or else they cause skin pigmentation.

After giving treatment

- Earliest response – Reticulocytosis
- If Hb is improving by 0.5 g/dl/week, that means adequate response.
- Oral iron treatment is continued for 2-3 months even after the Hb levels come to normal to replenish the iron stores in body.

### INJECTABLE IRON

Iron dextran – iv and im

Iron sorbital citrate (im only)

- Indication of injectable iron:-

1. Oral iron cannot be given

e.g. - malabsorption

- Not tolerated (due to GI symptoms)

2. Given with erythropoietin

Erythropoietin will stimulate RBC formation and will unmask any iron deficiency

- Dose =  $4.3 \times \text{Hb deficit (g/dl)} \times \text{body weight (kg)}$

**Megaloblastic anemia**

**Causes**

1. Folic acid deficiency

Rx - folic acid orally

2. Vitamin B12 deficiency

- If it is due to intrinsic factor (IF) deficiency: Injectable vitamin B12

**Note** - In undiagnosed megaloblastic anemia, never give FA alone

**Reason** -

FA → stimulates RBC production

Vitamin B12 → stimulates RBC production

- Myelin sheath formation

So if a person has megaloblastic anemia due to B12 deficiency and we do not know the cause (ie. B12 or FA deficiency) and we start treating on FA alone.

His blood picture will improve (RBC, Hb) and his symptoms will improve initially. But due to B12 deficiency, myelin formation won't take place so his neurological symptoms will get worse. Also the B12 stores will get used up in forming RBC. This will further worsen the symptoms. It can result in Sub-Acute Combined Degeneration of spinal cord.

**HEMATOPOIETIC GROWTH FACTORS**

Cells	Growth factor	Indications
RBC	Erythropoietin	Anemia d/t chronic renal failure Anticancer drugs induced bone marrow suppression
WBC	G-CSF GM - CSF	a. Leukopenia due to bone marrow ↓ b. Mobilize PBSC peripheral blood stem cells
Platelets	IL-11 Thrombopoietin	Thrombocytopenia d/t BM ↓

## ERYTHROPOIETIN

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### → INDICATIONS

- Anaemia dlt chronic kidney disease
- Anaemia dlt BM suppression

→ Overdose causes → Polycythemia

→ DRUG → **DARBOPOIETIN** [Recombinant Erythropoietin]

## G - CSF & GM - CSF

→ INDICATION → Leucopenia dlt anticancer drugs

### → DRUGS

G - CSF → **FILGRASTIM**  
**PEGFILGRASTIM**

Polyethylene glycol is added to make them long functional

GM - CSF → **SARGRAMOSTIM**  
**MOLGRAMOSTIM**

**IL - 11** → Used for thrombocytopenia dlt anticancer drugs

→ **OPRELVEKIN**

**THROMBOPOIETIN RECEPTOR AGONISTS** → used in ITP

→ **ROMIPLOSTIM** Idiopathic thrombocytopenic purpura

**ELTROMBOPAG** Orally Pag mens oral

Newly discovered drugs

Lusutrombopag  
Avatrombopag In liver disease and also given orally

All the growth factors are given by injection in subcutaneous route except eltrombopag lusutrombopag and avatrombopag there names end with pag at the end

## ANTICANCER DRUGS

## CYTOTOXIC ANTICANCER DRUGS

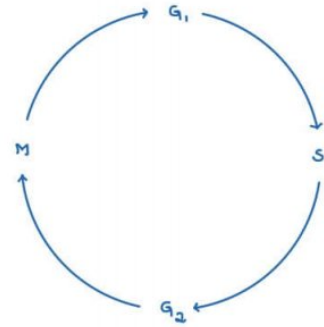
Can kill almost every cell and don't have the ability to differentiate between normal and cancerous cells

## ADVERSE EFFECTS

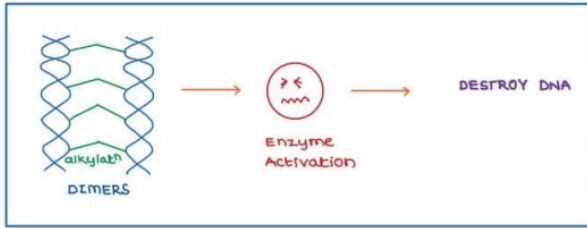
1. BM suppression
2. Alopecia Hair
3. Mucositis → Diarrhea
4. Hyperuricemia

## CELL CYCLE

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| → SYNTHETIC PHASE [S]                         | → DNA Doubled           |
| MITOTIC PHASE [M]                             | → DNA reduced to half   |
| GAP PHASES [G <sub>1</sub> & G <sub>2</sub> ] |                         |
| → Non selective Drugs                         | → bind to DNA           |
| S phase specific Drugs                        | → inhibit DNA synthesis |
| M phase specific Drugs                        | → inhibit mitosis       |



MOA



mc site of alkylat<sup>n</sup>  
 → N<sub>7</sub> OF GUanine

ADVERSE EFFECTS

1. BM Supression
2. Alopecia
3. Mucositis → Diarrhea
4. Hyperuricemia
5. 2° Leukemia
6. Sterility

DRUGS:

If - Ifosfamide

Bus - Busulfan

Not - Nitrosoureas

Present - Procarbazine i.e. Carmustin(BCNU), Lomustin(CCNU), Semistin(methyl CCNU)  
 Text

Take - Temozolomide

My - Melphalan, Mechlorethamine

Cycle - Cyclophosphamide

Ifosfamide and Cyclophosphamide:

(Ifosfamide At any dose can cause heammorrhages cystitis and cyclophosphamide at high dose only )

Ifosfamide and cyclophosphamide



Metabolized to

Acrolein



Filter through kidney and comes to urinary bladder

causes

Hemorrhagic cystitis (Ifosfamide >> Cyclophosphamide)

Prevention of Hemorrhagic cystitis:

- MESNA - MercaptoEthaneSulfoNicAcid

Treatment of Hemorrhagic cystitis:

- Steroids

→ Every dose of Ifosfamide should be given with MESNA whereas only High dose of Cyclophosphamide should be given with MESNA.

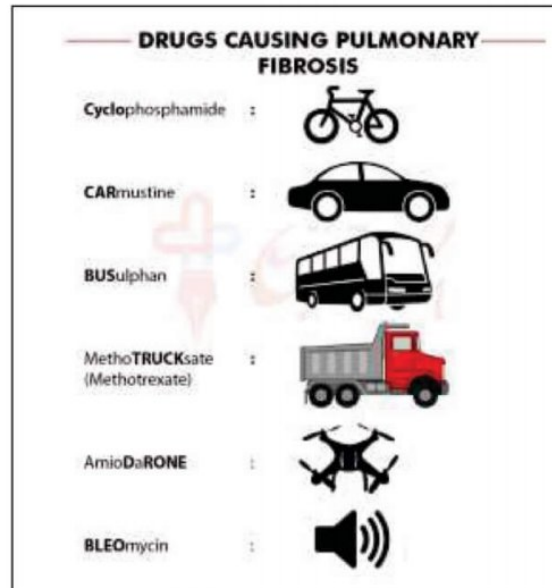


### Drugs causing Pulmonary Fibrosis:

- Cyclophosphamide
- Busulfan
- Methotrexate
- Amiodarone
- Bleomycin

### Nitrosoureas :

- Carmustine (BCNU)
- Lomustine (CCNU)
- Semustine (Methyl CCNU)



### Use of Nitrosourea drugs:

- As they can **cross Blood Brain Barrier**, they are used in **Brain tumors**.

### Side effects:

- Causes **Delayed bone marrow suppression and Neutropenia**.

### Procarbazine:

- causes **Disulfiram like reaction i.e., intolerance to alcohol**

### Temozolomide:

- Drug of choice for **GLIOMA**.

### Melphalan:

- Used in **Multiple Myeloma**.

## 2. PLATINUM COMPOUNDS

### DRUGS

CISPLATIN

CARBOPLATIN

OXALIPLATIN

→ used for **COLORECTAL CARCINOMA**

MOA  $\cong$  Same as Alkylating Agents

A/E  $\cong$  Same as Alkylating Agents

### CISPLATIN

- most emetogenic anticancer drug [DOC → 5HT<sub>3</sub> # (Ondansetron)]
- nephrotoxic
- ototoxic

**Vomiting:**

→ Early vomiting (<24 hours)

- Drug of choice – 5HT<sub>3</sub> antagonists (Setron's) like  
*Ondansetron, Granisetron.*

→ Delayed vomiting (>24 hours)

- Drug of choice – Neurokinin / substance P antagonist like  
*Aprepitant.*

**Nephrotoxicity:**

→ Reversible

→ Prevention of nephrotoxicity

- Slow intravenous infusion of cisplatin
- Saline loading can be done
- *Amifostine*

**Ototoxicity:**

→ Irreversible.

**OXALIPLATIN:**

→ Used in *Colorectal carcinoma.*

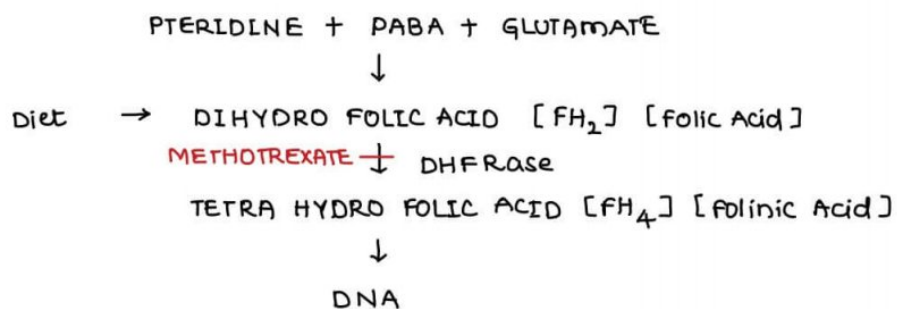
**COLORECTAL CARCINOMA REGIMEN**

FOLFOX REGIME	FOLFIRI REGIME
FOLINIC ACID +	FOLINIC ACID +
5-FU +	5-FU +
OXALIPLATIN	IRINOTECAN

**3. ANTIMETABOLITES**

→ S Phase Specific

- Drugs affecting FOLIC ACID METABOLISM
- Drugs affecting PURINE METABOLISM
- Drugs affecting PYRIMIDINE METABOLISM

**a. DRUGS AFFECTING FA METABOLISM****FOLIC ACID SYNTHESIS**

**METHOTREXATE**

- Methotrexate Poisoning Rx by FOLINIC ACID / LEUCOVORIN / CITROVORUM
- can cause megaloblastic anemia
- hepatotoxic
- DOC for Choriocarcinoma
- mc used DMARD

**USES OF METHOTREXATE:**

- C - Choriocarcinoma - D.O.C
- A - Acute leukemias (ALL, AML)
- N - Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma
- C - Crohn's disease
- E - Ectopic pregnancy
- R - Rheumatoid arthritis - D.O.C

**ADVERSE EFFECTS OF METHOTREXATE:**

- Bone marrow suppression, alopecia, diarrhea, hyperuricemia
- It inhibit folic acid metabolism - causes megaloblastic anemia
- It is hepatotoxic

**NEW DHFRase INHIBITORS** Pemetrexate is used in Non-small cell lung cancer

- Pemetrexate - used in mesothelioma
  - Pralatrexate - peripheral T- cell lymphoma
- } - both causes megaloblastic Anemia

**PURINES**

- Adenine
- Guanine

**PYRIMIDINE**

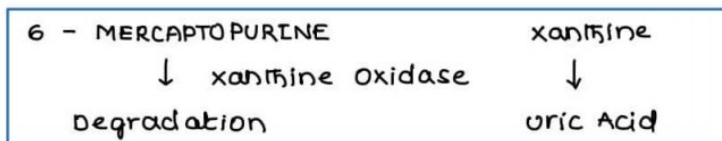
- Cytosine
- Thymine

**b. DRUGS AFFECTING PURINE METABOLISM**

**DRUGS**

- 6 - MERCAPTO PURINE } hepatotoxic
- 6 - THIOGUANINE } hepatotoxic
- CLADRIBINE → doc for Hairy cell Leukemia
- FLUDARABINE → doc for CLL

**6 - MERCAPTOPURINE**



- ⊆ ALLOPURINOL combination, 6 MP dose should be reduced
- ⊆ ALLOPURINOL combination, AZATHIOPRINE dose should be reduced
- GMP is the active metabolite of Azathioprine

C DRUGS AFFECTING PYRIMIDINE METABOLISM

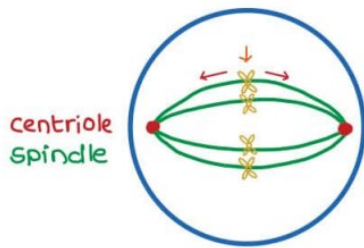
DRUGS

- 5 - FLUORO URACIL [5-FU] / → cause Hand & Foot syndrome
- CAPECITABINE → given orally, metabolized to 5-FU
- GEMCITABINE → Doc for Pancreatic carcinoma
- CYTARABINE → causes cerebellar side effects

→ mic S/E OF 5-FU → Diarrhea

4. DRUGS ACTING ON MITOTIC SPINDLE

SPINDLE FORMATION



Polymerization of TUBULIN → Spindle formation

→ Specific for M-Phase of cell cycle

SPINDLE FORMATION INHIBITORS	SPINDLE BREAKDOWN INHIBITORS
VINCRIStINE VINBLASTINE	PACLITAXEL
S/E → Peripheral neuropathy SIADH	S/E → Allergy

VINCRIStINE → Marrow sparing anticancer drug

NEW DRUGS WHICH ACT ON MITOTIC SPINDLE:

- Eribulin
  - Ixabepilone
  - Estramustine
- } → M - phase specific

- ERIBULIN - Inhibit tuBULEs
- Eribulin  
Ixabepilone } - used in breast carcinoma

Estramustine - used for prostate cancer

5. TOPOISOMERASE INHIBITORS

→ Topoisomerase introduces negative coilings & aid in replication

TOPOISOMERASE I INHIBITORS	TOPOISOMERASE II INHIBITORS
IRINOTECAN → used for colorectal carcinoma	ETOPOSIDE ANTHRACYCLINES → cardiotoxic DOXORUBICIN DONORUBICIN

**ETOPOSIDE** → can cause 2° Leukemia [Early in onset]

**ANTHRACYCLINES** → cause cardiotoxicity  
→ prevented by DEXRAZOXANE

→ RADIATION RECALL SYNDROME:

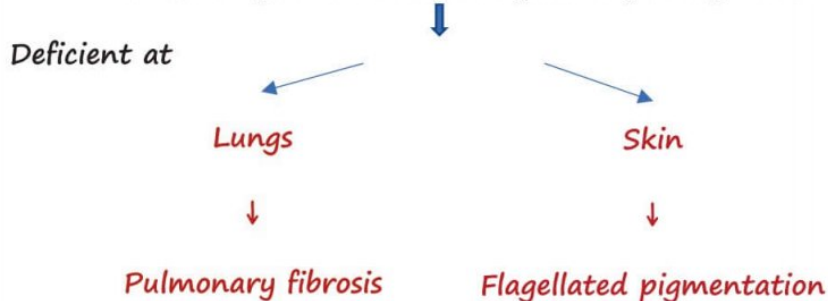
If a person had head/neck cancer and treated with radiotherapy & after 6 months we plan for chemotherapy with anthracyclines, adverse effects (like redness, swelling etc) can be seen in those areas where radiation was given

## 6. MISC DRUGS

### BLEOMYCIN

- Marrow sparing
- cause pulmonary fibrosis

○ Bleomycin Metabolized by bleomycin hydrolase



### L - ASPARAGINASE

- marrow sparing
- used For ALL
- cause Allergy
- cause Acute Pancreatitis

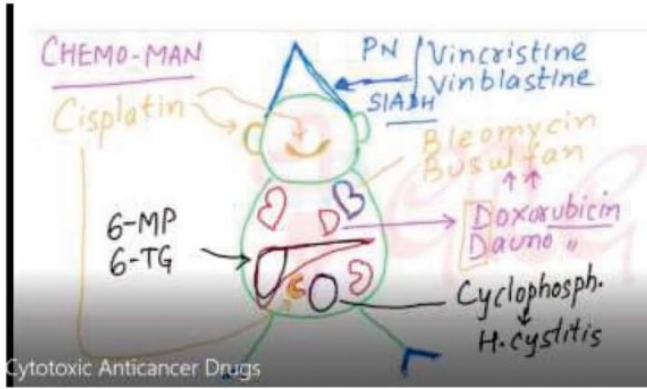
### As<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>

### RETINOIC ACID

- used in Acute Promyelocytic leukemia [M<sub>3</sub> - AML]
- acts as maturation agents

### THALIDOMIDE

- used for multiple myeloma
- CI in pregnancy
- cause Peripheral neuropathy
- cause constipation



- Vincristine } - peripheral neuropathy  
Vinblastine } SIADH
- Cisplatin - ototoxicity  
Nephrotoxicity  
Max vomiting
- Bleomycin } - pulmonary fibrosis  
Busulfan }
- Doxorubicin } - (DIL) - cardio-toxicity  
Daunorubicin }
- 6-MP } - hepatotoxicity  
6-TG }
- Cyclophosphamide - hemorrhagic cystitis

**TARGETED ANTICANCER DRUGS**

SMALL MOLECULES

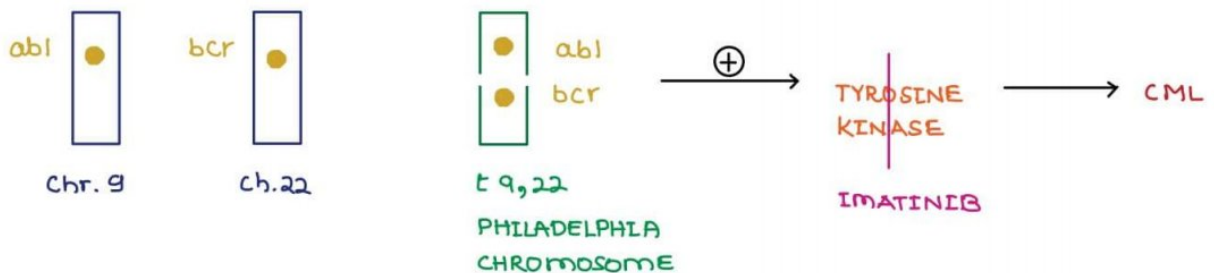
can be given orally

MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES

Injectables

SMALL MOLECULES

1. TYROSINE KINASE INHIBITORS



→ DOC for Chronic Myeloid Leukemia → IMATINIB

1. All end in 'nib'
2. Orally effective
3. metabolised by microsomal enzymes

## USES

## 1. CML

- I → IMATINIB [Doc]  
 N → Nilotinib  
 D → DASATINIB

## 2. LUNG CARCINOMA

- Apter → Afatinib  
 E → Erlotinib  
 C → Ceritinib  
 G → Gefitinib

## 3. RENAL CELL CARCINOMA

- P → Pazopanib  
 A → Axitinib  
 S → Sorafenib  
 S → Sunitinib

## 4. HEPATO CELLULAR CARCINOMA → Sorafenib

## 5. GIST [Gastro Intestinal Stromal Tumors]

- S → Sunitinib  
 I → Imatinib [Doc]  
 R → Regorafenib → also used for colorectal carcinoma

## 6. MALIGNANT MELANOMA

- D → Dabrafenib  
 V → Vemurafenib  
 T → Trametinib

## 7. MEDULLARY CA OF THYROID → Vandetanib

## 2. PROTEASOME INHIBITORS

- BORTEZOMIB  ZOMBI DRUGS  
 CARFILZOMIB  
 Ixazomib

→ used for Multiple Myeloma

### 3 PARP INHIBITORS [Poly ADP Ribose Polymerase Inhibitor]

OLAPARIB → used in ovarian carcinoma

**O** → ovarian carcinoma [use]  
**L**  
**A**  
**P** → Poly  
**A** → ADP  
**RIB** → Ribose Polymerase

### 4 CYCLIN DEPENDENT KINASE INHIBITOR [CDKI]

PALBOCICLIB → oral drug For Breast carcinoma  
→ acts on CDK-4, CDK 6

**PAL**  
**B** → Breast cancer [use]  
**O** → oral  
**CICLIB** → cyclin dependent kinase inhibitor

### MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES

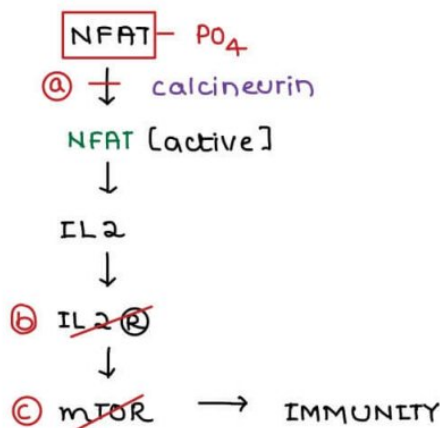
→ end z "MAB"  
→ injectables

#### DRUGS

- CETUXIMAB → used for colorectal CA
- PANITUMUMAB → used for colorectal CA
- RITUXIMAB → used for NHL
- TRASTUZUMAB → used for Breast CA ; S/E - cardiotoxicity
- PERTUZUMAB → used for Breast CA
- DARATUMUMAB → used for multiple myeloma
- OLARATUMAB → used for SOFT tissue Sarcoma

### IMMUNOSUPPRESSANTS

- 1. STEROIDS
- 2. DRUGS TARGETING THE CALCINEURIN PATHWAY



NFAT - Nuclear factor of Activated T cells

- a. CYCLOSPORINE  
TACROLIMUS
- b. DACLIZUMAB  
BASILIXIMAB
- c. SIROLIMUS  
EVEROLIMUS



a. CYCLOSPORINE & TACROLIMUS

- nephrotoxic
- hepatotoxic
- neurotoxic

- ↑ BP
- ↑ sugar
- ↑ K<sup>+</sup>
- ↑ Lipids

→ Hirsutism → caused by Cyclosporine

c SIROLIMUS & EVEROLIMUS → cause Bm suppression

3 ANTI METABOLITES

- METHOTREXATE
- AZATHIOPRINE
- MYCOPHENOLATE MOFETIL
- LEFLUNOMIDE

4 MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES

- monoclonal Ab end i 'mab'
- MAB + fusion proteins end i 'CEPT'

→      MAB  
    ↑

SOURCE

- Animal [high risk of allergy]
- Mixture
  - chimeric → end i 'XI mab'
  - Humanized → end i 'ZU mab'
- Human → end i 'U mab'

- |             |   |                                 |
|-------------|---|---------------------------------|
| INFLIXIMAB  | } | chimeric [high risk of allergy] |
| BASILIXIMAB |   |                                 |
| TRASTUZUMAB | → | Humanized                       |
| PANITUMUMAB | → | Human [least risk of allergy]   |

→                mab  
    ↑  
TARGET → TU → TUMOR

CETUXIMAB  
RITUXIMAB  
TRASTUZUMAB  
PERTUZUMAB

→ \_ \_ \_ \_ mab

↑

TARGET

TU	→ Tumor	→ TRASTUZUMAB	→ Breast cancer
VI	→ Virus	→ PALIVIZUMAB	→ RSV
CI	→ Circulation	→ ABCIXIMAB	→ Antiplatelet Drug
		→ BEVACIZUMAB	→ Inhibit angiogenesis
BAC	→ Bacteria	→ RAXIBACUMAB	→ Anthrax
TOX	→ Toxin	BEZLOTOXUMAB	→ Pseudomembranous colitis
		OBILTOXAXIMAB	→ Anthrax
OS	→ Bone	→ DENOSUMAB	→ Osteoporosis
OC	→ Over cholesterol	→ ALIROCUMAB	→ Hypercholesterolemia
		→ EVOLOCUMAB	
LI	→ ↓ Immunity	→ ADALIMUMAB	→ All are MAb against TNF $\alpha$
		→ CERTOLIZUMAB	→ All are used for RA, Crohn's Disease and Psoriasis
		→ ETANERCEPT	
		→ INFLIXIMAB	
		→ GOLIMUMAB	
		→ DACLIZUMAB	→ MAb against IL-2 R (CD25)
		→ BASILIXIMAB	→ For transplantation
		→ EFALIZUMAB	→ Used for Psoriasis
		→ NATALIZUMAB	→ Used for multiple sclerosis
		→ ECULIZUMAB	→ MAb against C5 used for PNH
		→ OMALIZUMAB	→ MAb against IgE
			→ For Bronchial Asthma

5. TNF- $\alpha$  #

6. IL-1 # → ANAKINRA

7. IL-6 # → TOCILIZUMAB

SARILUMAB → used for RA

8 CO-STIMULATION INHIBITORS → ABATACEPT → used for RA

9 THALIDOMIDE → used for ENL