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**B. Pharm.**  
**(SEM IV) THEORY EXAMINATION 2017-18**  
**PHYSICAL PHARMACY**

**Time: 3 Hours****Total Marks: 70****Note:** Attempt all Sections.**SECTION A**

1. **Attempt all questions in brief.** **2 x 7 = 14**
- Define buffer.
  - Define porosity.
  - Draw consistency curve for dilatants flow and give two examples.
  - How do you select a viscometer to study the rheology of fluids?
  - What are association colloids?
  - What is a structured vehicle?
  - Define surface tension and give reason for the capillary rise of water, when a capillary is placed in a beaker of water.

**SECTION B**

2. **Attempt any three of the following:** **7 x 3 = 21**
- What is HLB scale? Derive the buffer equation for a weak acid and its salt.
  - List different types of densities of powders/granules. Describe method for determination of any one of them.
  - Discuss the application of amphiphiles in pharmacy.
  - Derive an equation for determination of surface tensions of a liquid by capillary rise methods.
  - Discuss the factors influencing physical stability of suspensions.

**SECTION C**

3. **Attempt any one part of the following:** **7 x 1 = 7**
- Define buffer capacity. Discuss methods for adjusting tonicity.
  - Write a note on accelerated stability study.
4. **Attempt any one part of the following:** **7 x 1 = 7**
- Describe different types of porosities. Explain the differences among them.
  - Describe any two methods for determination of particles size in a powder.
5. **Attempt any one part of the following:** **7 x 1 = 7**
- Define surface free energy and discuss adsorption at liquid interfaces.
  - How will you measure surface and interfacial tensions by Du Nouy ring methods?
6. **Attempt any one part of the following:** **7 x 1 = 7**
- Give the working principle of Falling sphere viscometer with a labeled diagram.
  - Explain plastic and pseudoplastic flow with rheograms, mechanisms and suitable examples.
7. **Attempt any one part of the following:** **7 x 1 = 7**
- Discuss the mechanism of action of emulsifiers in the stabilization of emulsions.
  - What is meant by sedimentation parameter? How are the evaluated?